

Upper County Park (UCP)

Opened in 1984, UCP is one of the oldest County parks. A 1993 Master Plan for the park had become outdated and not reflective of current citizen needs. The Parks and Recreation Master Plan classifies UCP as a community park, primarily serving residents at the upper end of the County. The Parks & Recreation Master Plan identified a lack of several park amenities in this region, notably hard surface trails, gymnasiums, recreation centers, and indoor pools. Current park amenities include a 25-meter outdoor pool, toddler pool, basketball and sand volleyball courts, picnic shelters, a playground, multiuse/mountain biking trails, a primitive camping area, restrooms, and seasonal store/concessions.

In an update to the plan in 2022, the following changes were made:

- Replacement of the toddler pool with a splash pad/spray ground feature;
- 0.5-mile paved multiuse trail;
- Community gymnasium with two full-sized indoor courts and fitness area;
- Pickleball/tennis court;
- Off-leash dog area;
- Archery range;
- Park maintenance/storage area; and
- Increased parking to support new amenities.

These changes were adopted by the James City County Board of Supervisors at their January 25, 2022 meeting. Additional minor changes made to the map in January 2023 are as follows:

- Re-alignment of 0.5-mile paved multiuse trail to match current design

Park Included in SUP	Adopted 5 year CIP (FY23-27)	5-8 Years (FY28-30)	8+ Years (FY31+)
Chickahominy Riverfront Park	RV/Boat Storage ® Multi-use Trail (A)	Community Rowing Facilities/Paddlecraft Launch (C, H), Upgraded Bathhouse Facilities (B), Campground Improvements (A), Connector Road	Campground Store (M) Field Games (O) Picnic Pavilions (J)
Upper County Park	Paved Multi-use Trail (G) Splash Pad (A2)	Tennis/Pickleball Courts (N)	Community Gym (H) Archery Range (L)
Jamestown Beach Event Park	Boat Storage (C)	Maintenance Building (J) Performance Venue/Restrooms (N, R) Entrance re-alignment	Camping (Y)
Warhill Sports Complex	Softball/Baseball Complex (B)	Multipurpose Field Complex (F), Connector Road (E),	Baseball/Softball Stadium Complex (D2) Tennis/Pickleball Courts (H)