# Clarington

Parks, Recreation and Culture Master
Plan:
Looking to the future

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## Getting here

**Cross-functional staff** working group

An engaged community

**Detailed data analysis** 



An ambitious, well-rounded Master Plan to guide us for the next 10+ years



#### Recommendations

- 111 recommendations to help guide our decision-making
- Short, medium and long-term implementation
- Immediate need for Aquatics Centre



#### Financial Considerations

- \$385 million of investment required
- Additional considerations:
  - Development Charges
  - \$ Debt Capacity
  - Ongoing staffing and maintenance
  - Competing priorities



## Unique community spaces

- 1 Camp 30 Cafeteria Building
- 2 Bowmanville Park on the former Bowmanville Zoo lands
- 3 Waterfront development (Bowmanville, Courtice, Newcastle)



## Looking ahead

- Community Engagement to be open from September 17 to October 6
- Final Master Plan to be brought to Council at the October 28 meeting
- Working collaboratively towards our bright future

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## Thank you