

LAURIER / BUENA VISTA PARK – Concept for Discussion

This popular site currently offers vehicular access to the river to launch motorized boats. A proposed new dock will provide access to the water for use primarily by the non-boating public.

What are the opportunities?

- Existing vehicle launch site
- Adequate trailer parking
- Suitable slopes for water access
- Close proximity to basic toilet and picnic areas (as part of 2012 Master Plan)
- Picnic areas

What design considerations exist?

- Potential odour issues due to close proximity to outfall
- Potential conflicts between users (motorized/non-motorized boats, trail users, vehicles)
- Master Plan completion date undetermined

What amenities are being considered?

- Dock with temporary trail access until Master Plan implemented
- Winter storage area for dock
- Improved signage (for example, No Parking, unloading zones, etc.)
- Separate hand launch area
- For safety, boulders to restrict vehicle access to beach

