

CITY OF SURREY

FACILITY & AMENITY INVENTORY

Parks, Recreation & Culture 10-Year Strategic Plan



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Overview

This Facility & Amenity Inventory Report has been prepared as a background document for the 2018-2027 Parks, Recreation and Culture (PRC) Strategic Plan. This report provides an inventory all of the Department's parks, indoor and outdoor recreation, arts, heritage and cultural facilities and amenities. This inventory provides a baseline for the projection of needs as the city continues to grow.

The facility inventory is broken down into key service areas. Each facility service area is prefaced with an overview, followed by a breakdown of each facility or amenity and a map illustrating geographic distribution.

Highlights

City-Owned Facilities and Amenities

- 38 baseball diamonds
- 56 softball diamonds
- 68 grass soccer fields (154 including overlays)
- 14 artificial turf fields
- 11 gravel fields
- 4 rugby and football fields
- 7 cricket pitches (2 dedicated pitches)
- 1 kabaddi field
- 119 kilometres of forest trails and 172 kilometres of park paths
- 10 water spray parks
- 8 bike parks
- 8 youth parks
- 130+ playgrounds
- 2 parkour areas
- 3 running tracks
- 3 fitness circuits
- 1 lawn bowling facility
- 69 tennis courts
- 9 sand volleyball courts
- 42 basketball/ball hockey courts
- 5 lacrosse boxes
- 9 dog off-leash areas
- 6 indoor pools
- 8 outdoor pools
- 5 arenas/8 sheets of ice
- 3 seasonal dry floor surfaces
- 15 gymnasiums
- 9 fitness studios
- 10 weight rooms
- 36+ multipurpose rooms
- 12 community and recreation centres
- 11 community halls
- 6 pavilions
- 3 cemeteries
- 4 athletic parks
- 3 theatres
- 1 art gallery
- 1 cultural centre
- 4 studios for art space
- 1 museum
- 1 City Archives
- 1 heritage site museum

School District Facilities and Amenities

- 133 gymnasiums
- 108 grass sports fields (separate from City of Surrey sports fields)
- 64 gravel sports fields
- 50 daycare facilities
- 261 playgrounds

Private Facilities and Amenities

- 507 daycare facilities (includes some public)

Community Spaces

Overview

Indoor community spaces include recreation and community centres, community halls, and pavilions. These spaces offer a range of facilities, programs, and services to people of all ages and serve as an affordable place for people to exercise and engage with other community members. Recreation and community centres offer diverse recreational spaces including gymnasiums, preschool spaces, fitness studios, weight rooms, pools, multipurpose rooms, and meeting spaces. Increasingly, these facilities are also offering arts and culture programs. Community Halls provide multipurpose rental spaces for community members and groups to hold events, and park pavilions are available for community use but primarily serve as a community gathering space for seniors.

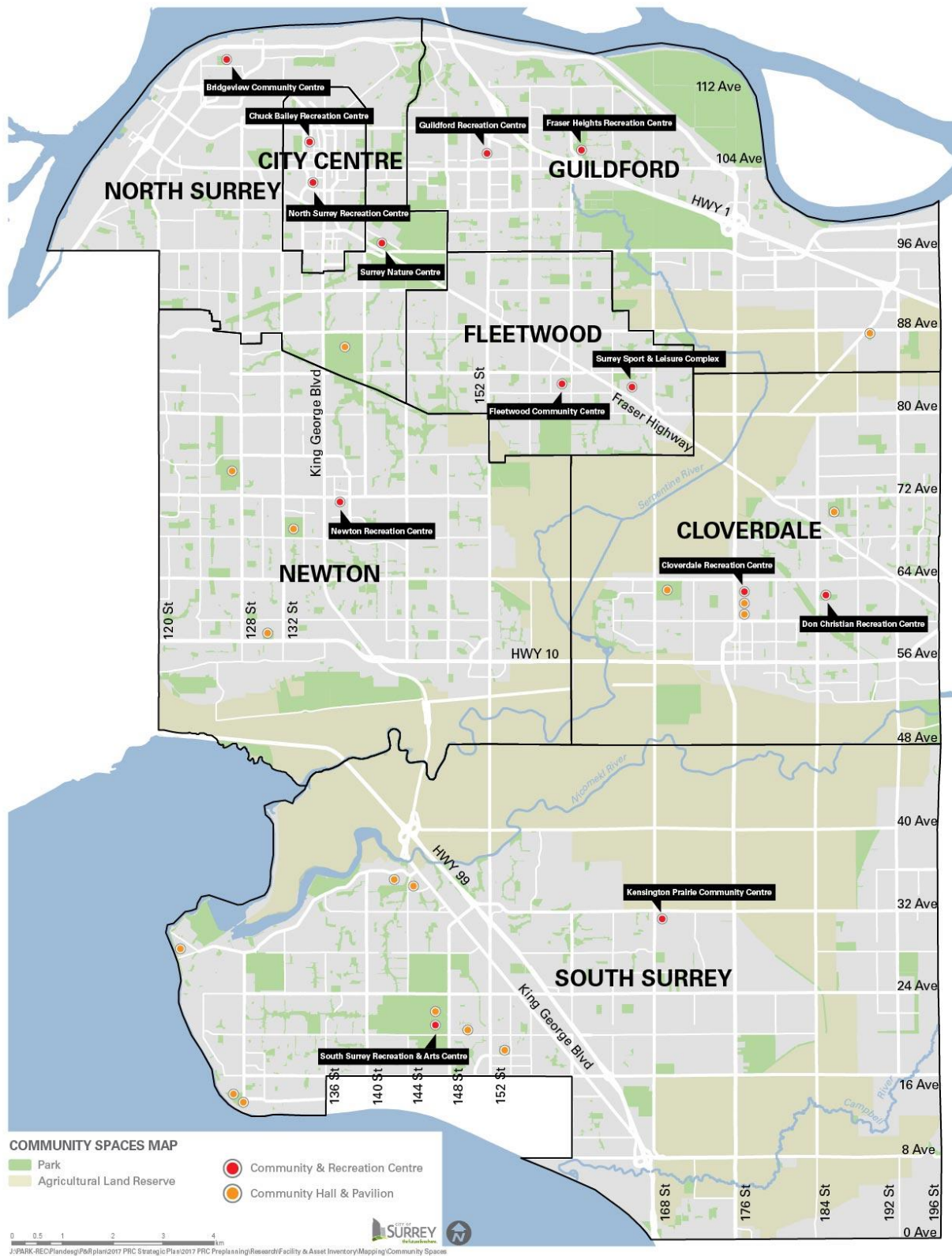
The City's current asset inventory for indoor community spaces includes:

- 12 Community and Recreation Centres
- 11 Community Halls (7 located in parks)
- 6 Pavilions (all located in parks)
- 36 multi-purpose rooms
- 1 Nature Centre

Recreation and Community Centres are distributed throughout Surrey's six town centres, where at least two are located in each community with the exception of Newton. Community Halls are generally found in South Surrey and Cloverdale.

Facility	Description	Building Size (sq.ft)	Community	Age
Recreation and Community Centres				
Bridgeview Community Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 gymnasium • Preschool room • 3 multi-purpose rooms 	10,956	North Surrey	38 years (1978) Renovated (2016)
Chuck Bailey Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fitness studio rooms • 1 preschool room • Youth drop-in lounge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seniors drop-in lounge • 1 gymnasium • 5 multi-purpose rooms 	23,000	North Surrey	7 years (2009)
Cloverdale Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8,000 square foot weight room • 2,000 square foot fitness studio • 2 preschool classrooms • Youth park <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seniors drop-in lounge • 3 gymnasiums • 5 multi-purpose rooms 	65,000	Cloverdale	5 years (2011)
Don Christian Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 preschool classrooms • Youth drop-in lounge 	6,613	Cloverdale	26 years (1990)
Fleetwood Community Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1,600 square foot weight room • 2 fitness rooms for classes • 2 preschool rooms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth drop-in lounge • Seniors drop-in lounge • 3 multi-purpose rooms 	66,111	Fleetwood	21 years (1990)
Fraser Heights Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5,000 square foot weight room • Dedicated fitness studio • 2 preschool classrooms • Youth drop-in lounge <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 gymnasiums • 2 multi-purpose rooms • Youth Park 	15,330	Guildford	13 years (2003)
Guildford Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8,900 square foot weight room • 2,000 square foot fitness studio • 2 preschool classrooms • Youth drop-in lounge • Senior's drop-in lounge • 3 gymnasiums • 2 multi-purpose rooms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 meeting room • Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 50m Olympic-size pool • 2 diving boards • Accessible leisure pool with slide, water toys and lazy river • Water slide • Hot tub, steam room and dry sauna 	218,556	Guildford	16 years (2000)
Kensington Prairie C. Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 gymnasium • Preschool classrooms 	13,640	South Surrey	66 years (1950)
Newton Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5,000 square foot weight room • 1 fitness studio • 1 gymnasium • 1 preschool room • Youth drop-in lounge • Indoor Pool • Wave Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waterslides (both enclosed & open) • Water fortress with cannons, jets and sprays • Sea Squirts Tot Pool • Hot tub & steam room 	53,464	Newton	26 years (1990) Renovation Underway (2016-17)
North Surrey Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4,800 square foot weight room • 1 fitness studio • 1 preschool room • 2 full size ice rinks (1966 and 1989) • 4 multi-purpose rooms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 meeting room • Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 lane 37m pool • 3m diving boards with dive tank • Slide and water toys • 2 dry saunas 	108,287	North Surrey	Rec Centre 12 years (2004) Rinks 27-50 years (1966 & 1989)

South Surrey Recreation & Arts Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8,000 square foot weight room • 4,000 square foot fitness studio • 2 preschool classrooms • Youth drop-in lounge • Seniors drop-in lounge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth Park • 3 gymnasiums • 1 meeting room • Multi-purpose rooms 	22,863	South Surrey	Renovated (2014)
Surrey Sport and Leisure Complex	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10,000 square foot weight room • 2,000 square foot fitness studio • 1 preschool classroom • Fleetwood Youth Park • 3 multipurpose rooms • 3 full-size ice rinks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor Pool • 50m Olympic size pool • 2 diving boards • Leisure pool with 160 foot water slide and water toys • Tots pool • Hot tub, steam room, and dry sauna 	175,200	Fleetwood	21 years (1995)
Surrey Nature Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interactive indoor space and outside adventure space • Forestry exhibit maintained by Museum. 			North Surrey	
Community Halls and Pavilions					
Alice McKay Community Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			Cloverdale	56 years (1960)
Bear Creek Pavilion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			North Surrey	56 years (1960)
Beecher Place	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			South Surrey	n/a
Clayton Community Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room • Kitchen facility 			Cloverdale	61 years (1955)
Cloverdale Athletic Park Pavilion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			Cloverdale	26 years (1990)
Elgin Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			South Surrey	96 year (1920)
Elgin Community Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room for 140 • Kitchen facility 			South Surrey	93 years (1923)
Kwomais Point Lodge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-purpose room for 50 • Kitchen facility 			South Surrey	86 years (1930)
Kwomais Sanford Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-purpose room for 150 • Kitchen facility 			South Surrey	n/a
Meridian Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daycare 			South Surrey	26 years (1990)
Newton Athletic Park Pavilion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			Newton	14 years (2002)
Port Kells Community Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			Guildford	36 year (1980)
Shannon Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			Cloverdale	n/a
Softball City	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restaurant • Multipurpose room 			South Surrey	n/a
Sunnyside Community Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-purpose room for 140 • Kitchen facility 			South Surrey	36 years (1980)
Unwin Park Pavilion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room 			Newton	46 years (1970)
West Newton Community Park Pavilion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multipurpose room • Kitchen facility 			Newton	2 years (2014)



Aquatics

Overview

The City of Surrey operates and programs six (6) indoor pools that provide valuable recreation space for residents.* The City's aquatic system also includes eight (8) outdoor pools open to the public over the summer. Indoor pools are located in each of the six town centres with the exception of Cloverdale. During the last two years the City has opened two major state-of-the-art aquatic centres: Grandview Heights Aquatic Centre and Guildford Aquatic Centre.

Aquatic services are provided through registered programs, drop-ins, or rentals. Aquatic services offered include swimming lessons, leisure swimming, fitness swimming, lifeguarding and aquatics instructor training, first aid/CPR training and several adapted programs. The City provides these services directly or through partnerships with community groups. Swimming lessons for registrants of all ages are provided through a partnership with the Canadian Red Cross swimming program.

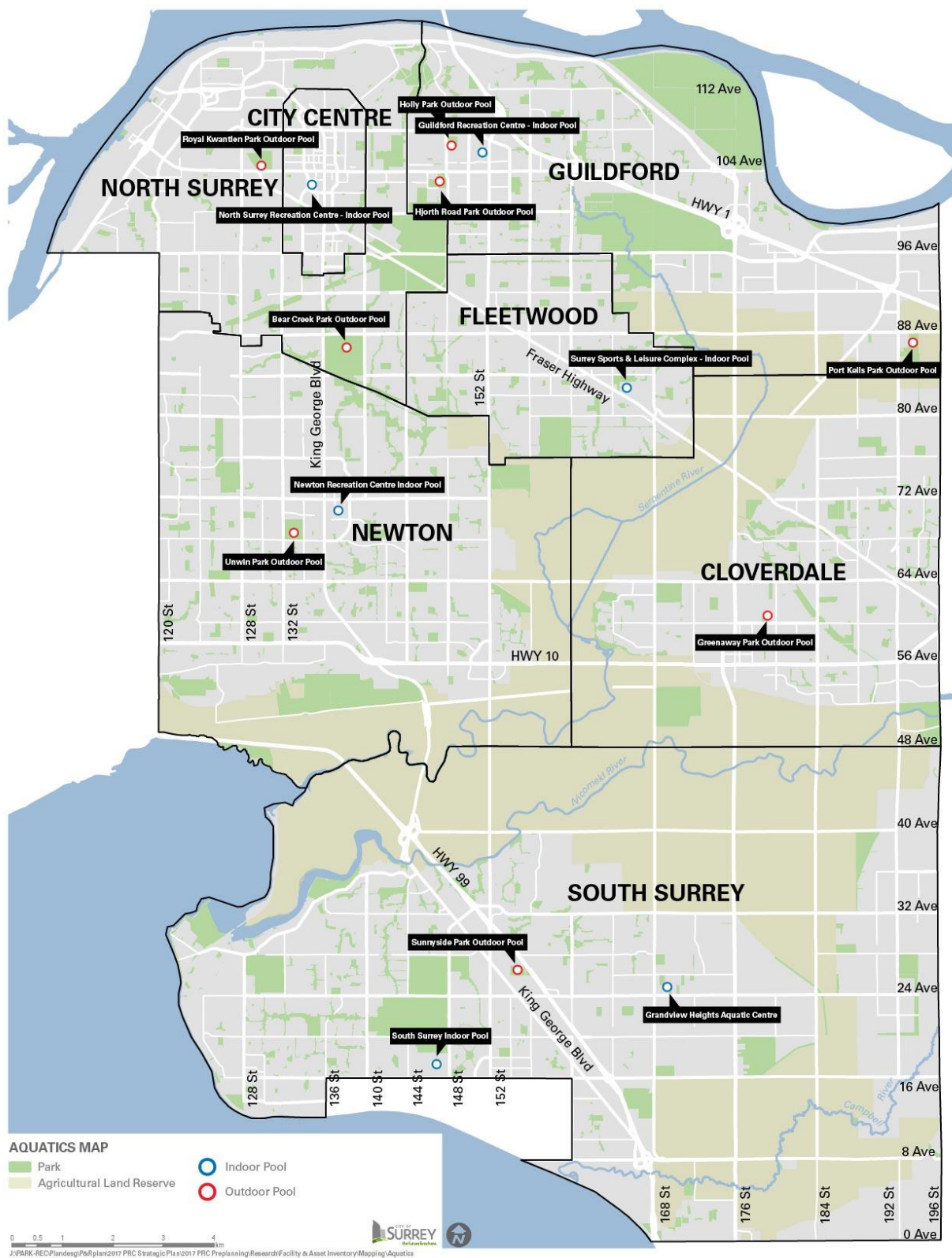
* Some aquatic facilities are located within Community and Recreation Centres.

Outdoor Pools

Facility	Community	Age
Bear Creek Park Outdoor Pool	North Surrey	43 years (1973)
Greenaway Park Outdoor Pool	Cloverdale	49 years (1967)
Sunnyside Park Outdoor Pool	South Surrey	48 years (1968)
Hjorth Road Park Outdoor Pool	Guildford	42 years (1974)
Holly Park Outdoor Pool	Guildford	48 years (1968)
Royal Kwantlen Park Outdoor Pool	North Surrey	49 years (1967)
Port Kells Park Outdoor Pool	Guildford	49 years (1967)
Unwin Park Outdoor Pool	Newton	48 years (1968)

Indoor Pools and Aquatic Centres

Facility	Description	Building Size (sq.ft)	Community	Age
Grandview Heights Aquatic Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7,000 square foot weight room Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 lane 50m FINA Olympic-size pool Leisure pool with spray and lazy river Waterslide Steam room and sauna Adult and family hot tubs 10m diving platforms Viewing deck for 900 people 	95,045	South Surrey	1 year (2016)
Guildford Recreation Centre – Aquatic Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8,900 square foot weight room 2,000 square foot fitness studio 2 preschool classrooms Youth drop-in lounge Senior's drop-in lounge 3 gymnasiums 2 multi-purpose rooms 1 meeting room Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50m Olympic-size pool 2 diving boards Accessible leisure pool, slide, water toys and lazy river Water slide Hot tub, steam room and dry sauna 	218,556	Guildford	16 years (2000)
Newton Recreation Centre – Indoor Pool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5,000 square foot weight room 1 fitness studio 1 gymnasium 1 preschool room Youth drop-in lounge Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wave pool Waterslides (both enclosed & open) Water fortress with cannons, jets, sprays Sea Squirts Tot Pool Hot tub & steam room 	53,464	Newton	26 years (1990)
North Surrey Recreation Centre – Indoor Pool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4,800 square foot weight room 1 fitness studio 1 preschool room 2 full size ice rinks (1966 and 1989) 4 multi-purpose rooms 1 meeting room Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 lane 37m pool 3m diving boards with dive tank Slide and water toys 2 dry saunas 	108,287	North Surrey	Rec Centre 12 years (2004) Rinks 27-50 years (1966 & 1989)
South Surrey Indoor Pool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4,100 square foot weight room Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6 lane 37m pool Dive tank and diving boards Children's pool and Tarzan rope Whirlpool 2 dry saunas 	26,315	South Surrey	Renovated 2004
Surrey Sport and Leisure Complex – Indoor Pool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10,000 square foot weight room 2,000 square foot fitness studio 1 preschool classroom Fleetwood Youth Park 3 multi-purpose rooms 3 full-size ice rinks Indoor Pool <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 50m Olympic size pool 2 diving boards Leisure pool with 160 foot water slide and water toys Tots pool Hot tub, steam room, and dry sauna 	175,200	Fleetwood	21 years (1995)



Arenas

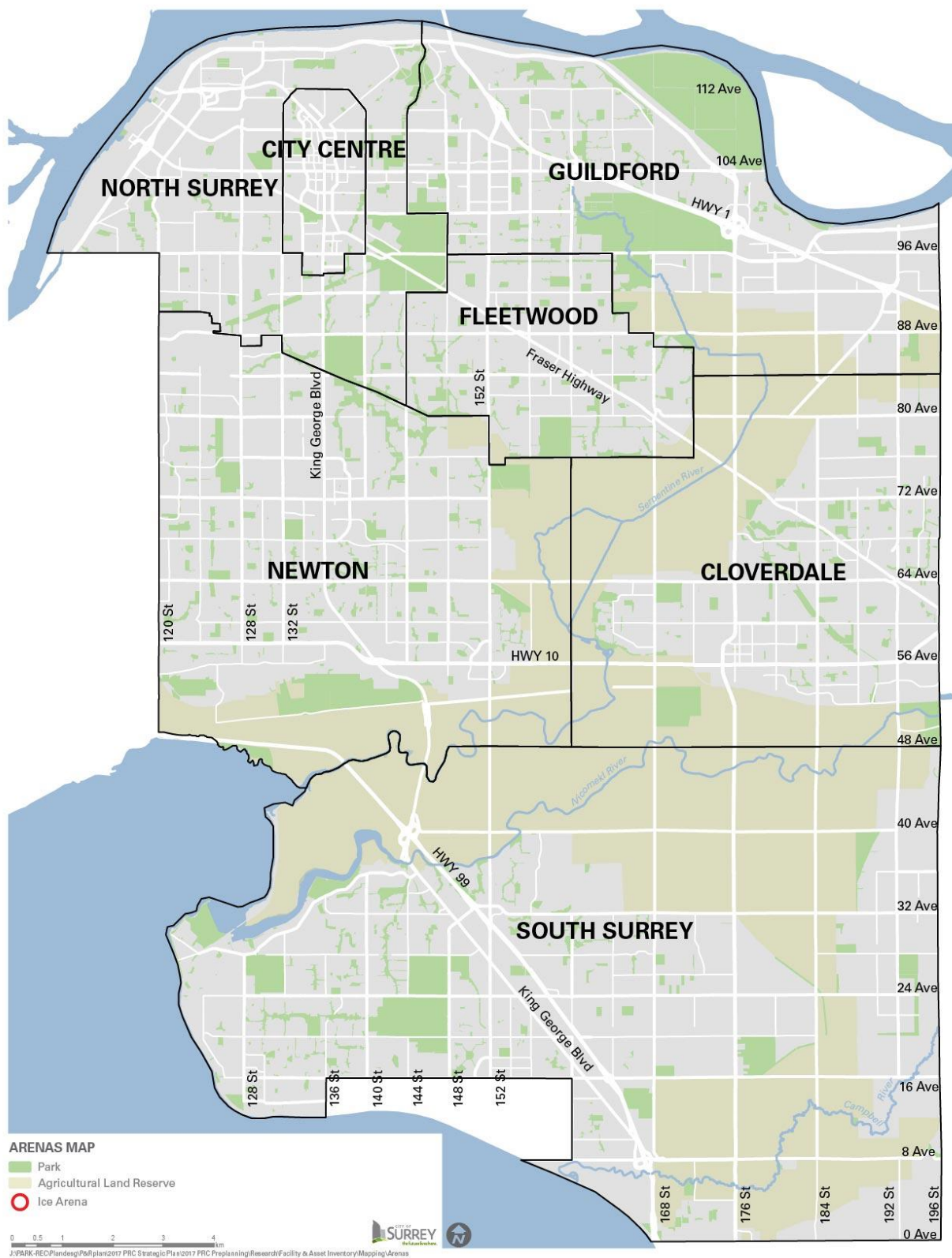
Overview

The City of Surrey offers five (5) arenas with (8) sheets of ice for public use.* In addition, there is a private curling facility located in Cloverdale. South Surrey Arena is the largest facility and has one of two Olympic-size ice sheets in the Lower Mainland. The arena is also home to the Surrey Eagles Junior A team and can seat approximately 1,200 spectators. Surrey Sport & Leisure Complex (3 ice sheets) and North Surrey Arena (two ice sheets) are the only arenas that contain multiple sheets of ice. North Surrey Arena, Cloverdale Arena, and Newton Arena have seasonal ice-skating surfaces from September 1 to March 31 with the remaining months dedicated to dry floor, lacrosse, and other special programs. Surrey Sport & Leisure Arenas and South Surrey Arena have year round ice rentals. All five arenas are older than twenty (20) years.

Surrey's arenas offer numerous programs and services for people of all ages from toddlers to adults and seniors. Programs include drop-in public skating, learn to skate, learn to play hockey, ringette, skill development, and adapted programs such as sledge hockey. Surrey's arenas also host a number of recreational hockey leagues for ages six (6) and older.

*Some arenas are located within community and recreation centres. This includes North Surrey Arena and Surrey Sport and Leisure Complex.

Arena	Description	Community	Age
Cloverdale Arena	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single ice sheet • 15,000 square feet of exhibit space • Bench seating for 150 • Electronic score board • 1 meeting room • 4 multi-purpose rooms • Wheelchair accessibility • Concession services 	Cloverdale	41 years (1975)
Newton Arena	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single ice sheet • 17,000 square feet of exhibit space • Bench seating for 150 • Electronic score board • 1 meeting room • 2 multi-purpose rooms • 4 multi-use dressing rooms • Wheelchair accessibility • Skate shop 	Newton	43 years (1973)
North Surrey Arena	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arena 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 16,000 square feet of exhibit space • Electronic score board • 5 multi-use dressing rooms • Arena 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 17,000 square feet of exhibit space • Bench seating for 150 • Electronic score board • 4 multi-use dressing rooms • Bench seating for 1,100 • 1 meeting room • 4 multi-purpose rooms • Skate shop • Concession services 	North Surrey	27-50 years (1966 & 1989)
South Surrey Arena	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single Olympic-sized ice sheet • 20,000 square feet of exhibit space • Fixed seating for 1,242 spectators • Electronic score board • 1 multipurpose room • Multi-use dressing rooms • Wheelchair accessibility • Skate shop 	South Surrey	25 years (1991)
Surrey Sport & Leisure Complex - Arenas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three full-size ice sheets • 3 Electronic score boards • 3 multi-purpose rooms • Concession services 	Fleetwood	21 years (1995)



Fitness, Health and Wellness

Overview

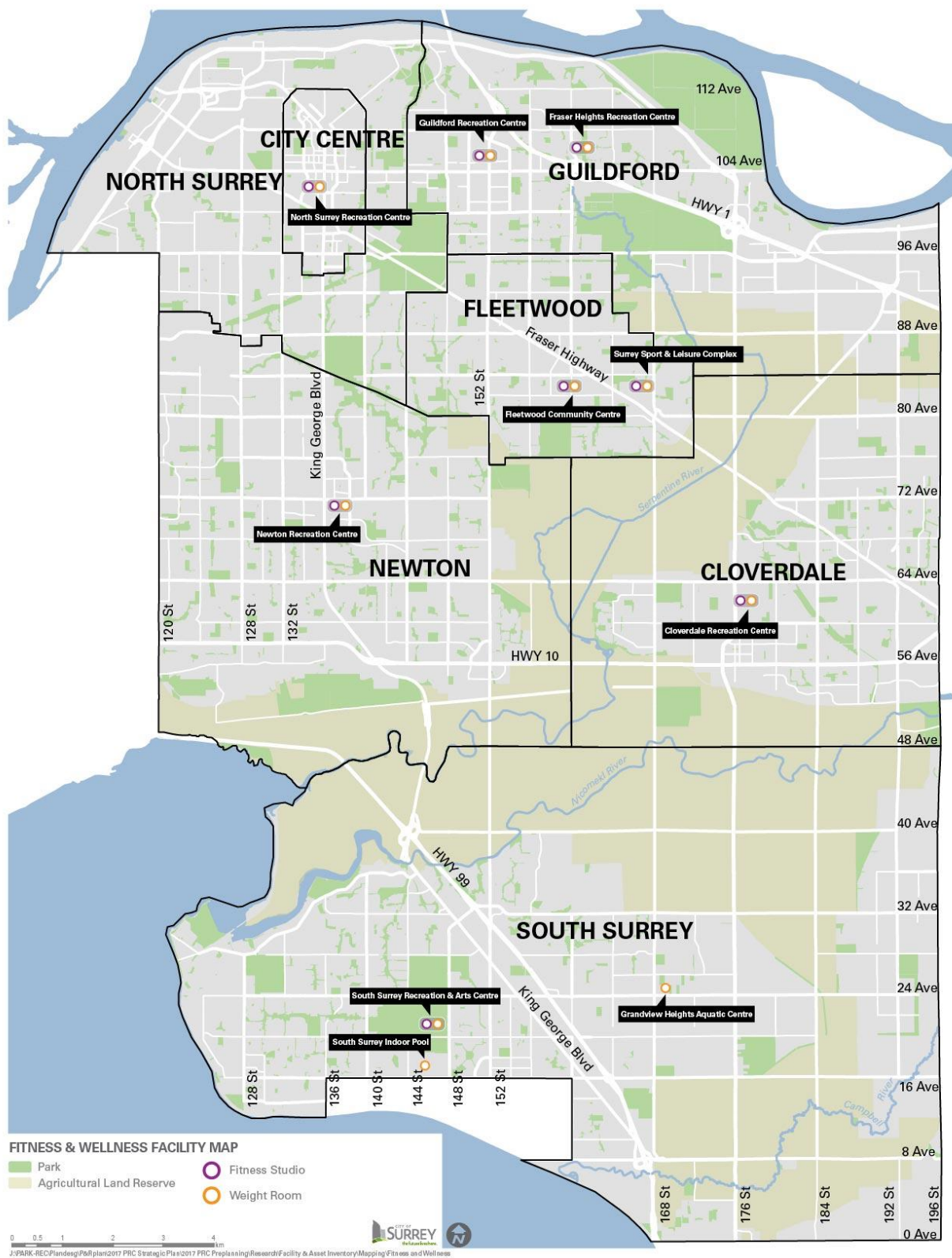
Fitness, health and wellness facilities are located within larger Community and Recreation Centres across Surrey and include weight rooms and fitness studios for yoga, Zumba, martial arts, and rehabilitation programs. In addition, multipurpose rooms provide space for various recreation programs and services.

The City's current asset inventory includes:

- 9 fitness studios
- 10 weight rooms

Surrey's recreation facilities offer a variety of programs for all ages and levels of fitness including both drop-in and registered classes. The City offers a variety of group fitness and wellness classes and drop-in fitness studios and weight rooms.

Facility	Indoor Recreation Amenities	Community	Facility Age
Cloverdale Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 fitness studio (2,000 sq.ft) • 1 weight room (8,000 sq.ft) 	Cloverdale	5 years (2011)
Fleetwood Community Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 fitness studios • 1 weight room (1,600 sq.ft) 	Fleetwood	21 years (1990)
Surrey Sport & Leisure Complex	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 fitness studio (2,000 sq.ft) • 1 weight room (10,000 sq.ft) 	Fleetwood	21 years (1995)
Fraser Heights Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 fitness studio • 1 weight room (5,000 sq.ft) 	Guildford	13 years (2003)
Guildford Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 fitness studio (2,000 sq.ft)s • 1 weight room (8,900 sq.ft) 	Guildford	16 years (2000)
Newton Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 fitness studio • 1 weight room (5,000 sq.ft) 	Newton	26 years (1990)
North Surrey Recreation Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 fitness studio • 1 weight room (4,800 sq.ft) 	North Surrey	12 years (2004)
Grandview Heights Aquatic Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 weight room (7,000 sq.ft) 	South Surrey	1 year (2016)
South Surrey Recreation & Arts Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 fitness studio (4,000 sq.ft) • 1 weight room (8,000 sq.ft) 	South Surrey	2 years (2014)
South Surrey Indoor Pool	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 weight room (4,100 sq.ft) 	South Surrey	12 years (2004)



Indoor Sports

Overview

The City of Surrey offers a variety of indoor sports using gymnasiums and dry floor surfaces for basketball, volleyball, badminton, floor hockey, indoor soccer, squash, pickleball and various other programs. Gymnasiums offer drop-in programs for people of all ages to try out various sports, while dry floor surfaces provide space for ball hockey, lacrosse and other floor sports.

The City's current asset inventory for indoor sports includes:

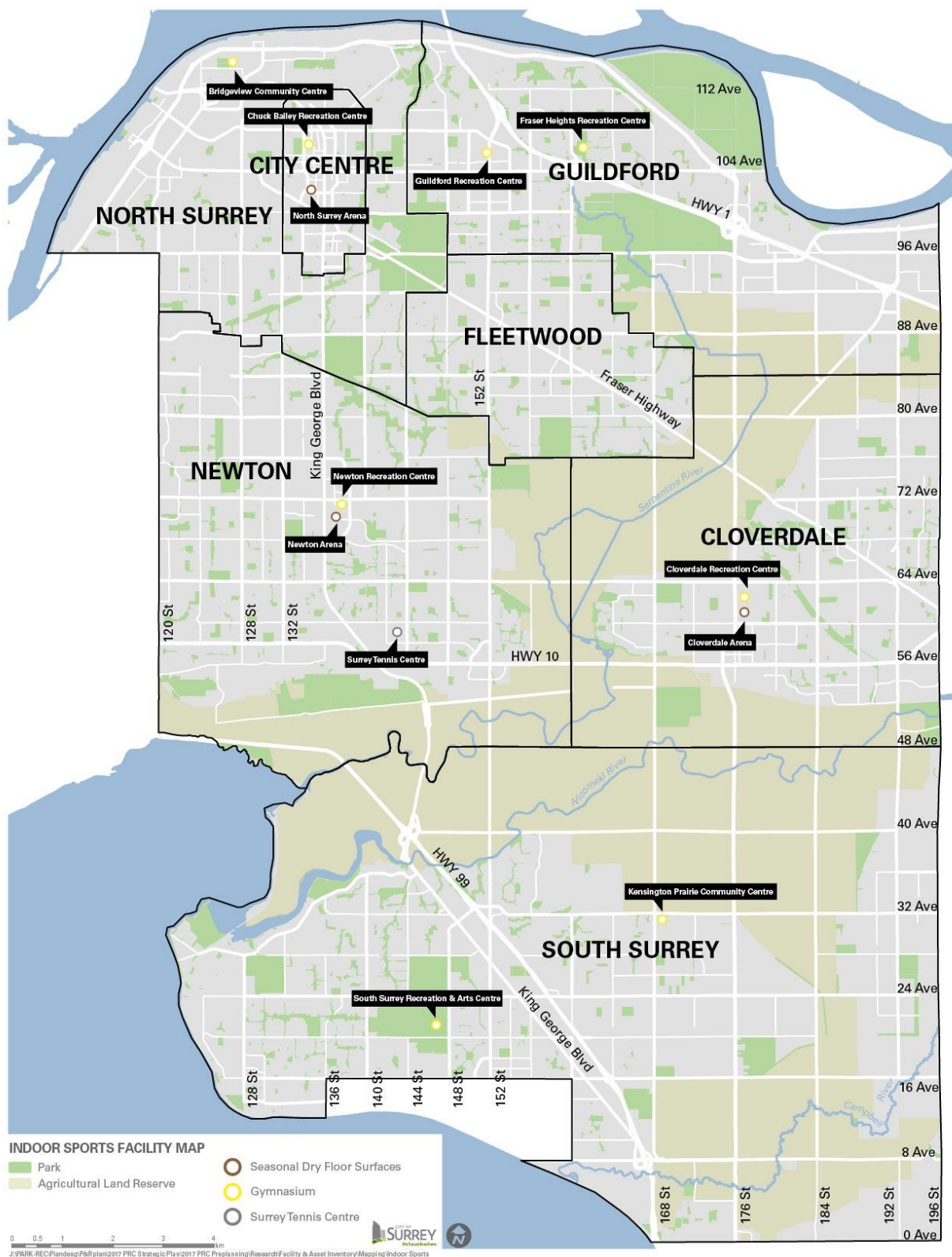
- 3 seasonal dry floor surfaces (North Surrey Arena, Cloverdale Arena, Newton Arena)
- 15 gymnasiums*

Through a community partnership, there are also six (6) year-round indoor hard courts and six (6) outdoor clay courts offered at the Surrey Tennis Centre. The City's tennis lessons are also offered through the Surrey Tennis Centre.

Facility	Indoor Recreation Amenities	Community	Facility Age
Cloverdale Arena	• Seasonal dry floor surface	Cloverdale	41 years (1975)
Cloverdale Recreation Centre	• 3 gymnasiums	Cloverdale	5 years (2011)
Fraser Heights Recreation Centre	• 2 gymnasiums	Guildford	13 years (2003)
Guildford Recreation Centre	• 3 gymnasiums	Guildford	16 years (2000)
Newton Arena	• Seasonal dry floor surface	Newton	43 years (1973)
Newton Recreation Centre	• 1 gymnasium	Newton	26 years (1990)
North Surrey Arena	• Seasonal dry floor surface	North Surrey	27-50 years (1966 & 1989)
Kensington Prairie Community Centre	• 1 gymnasium	South Surrey	66 years (1950)
South Surrey Recreation & Arts Centre	• 3 gymnasiums	South Surrey	2 years (2014)
Bridgeview Community Centre	• 1 gymnasium	North Surrey	38 years (1978)
Chuck Bailey Recreation Centre	• 1 gymnasium	North Surrey	7 years (2009)
Surrey Tennis Centre**	• 6 indoor hard tennis courts • 6 outdoor clay tennis courts	Newton	3 years (2014)

*Gymnasiums are part of Recreation and Community Centres.

** Private facility located on City land.

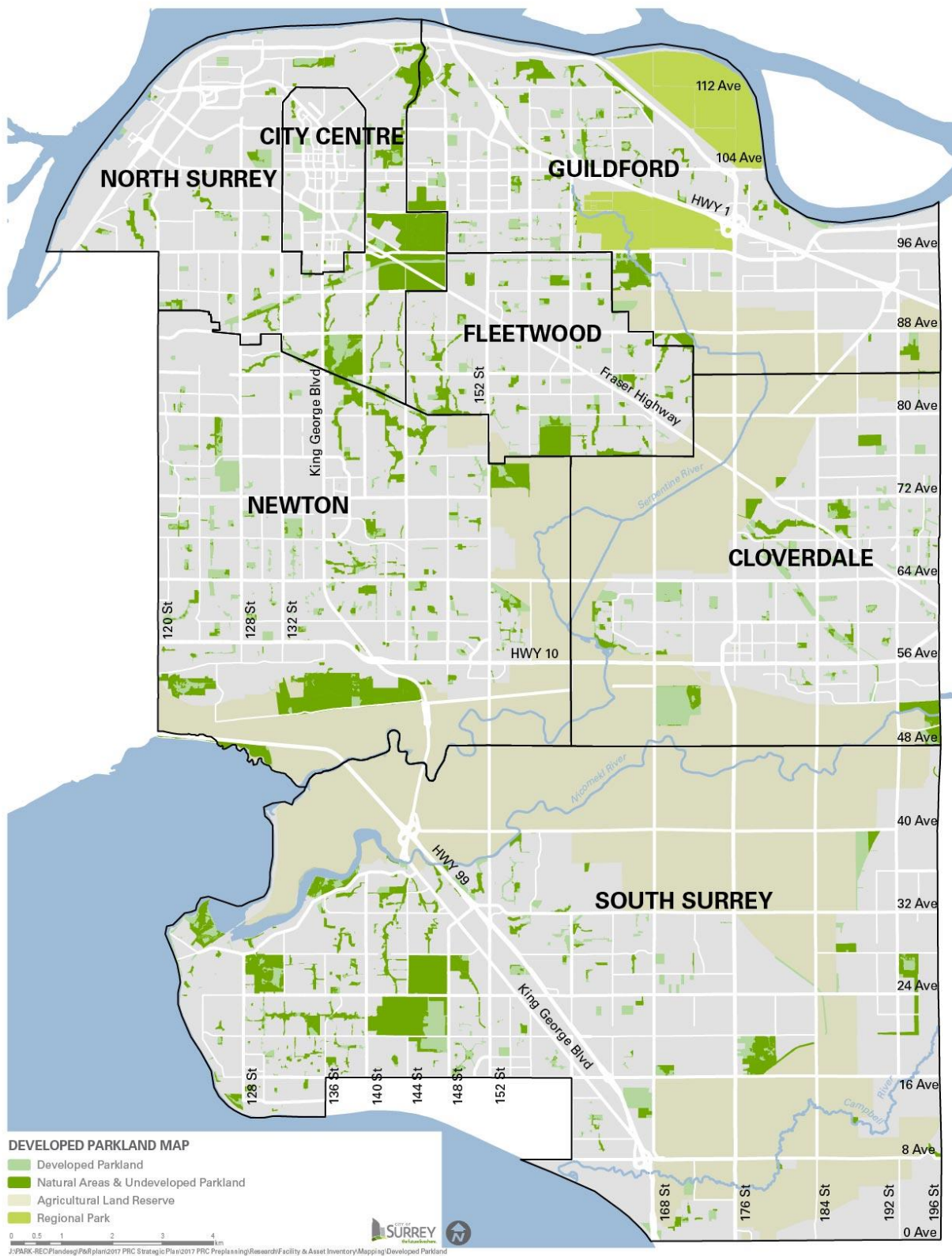


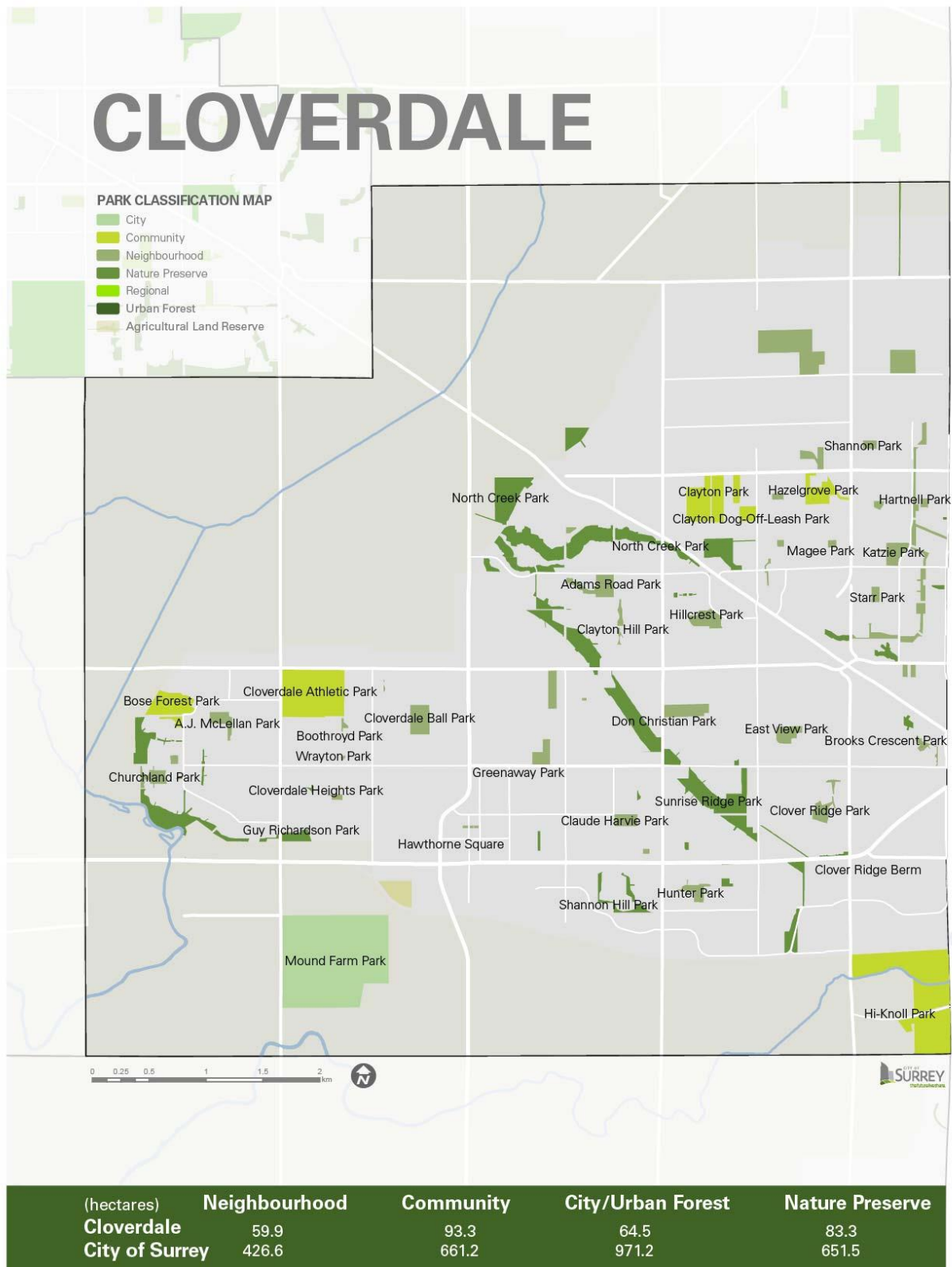
Developed Parks

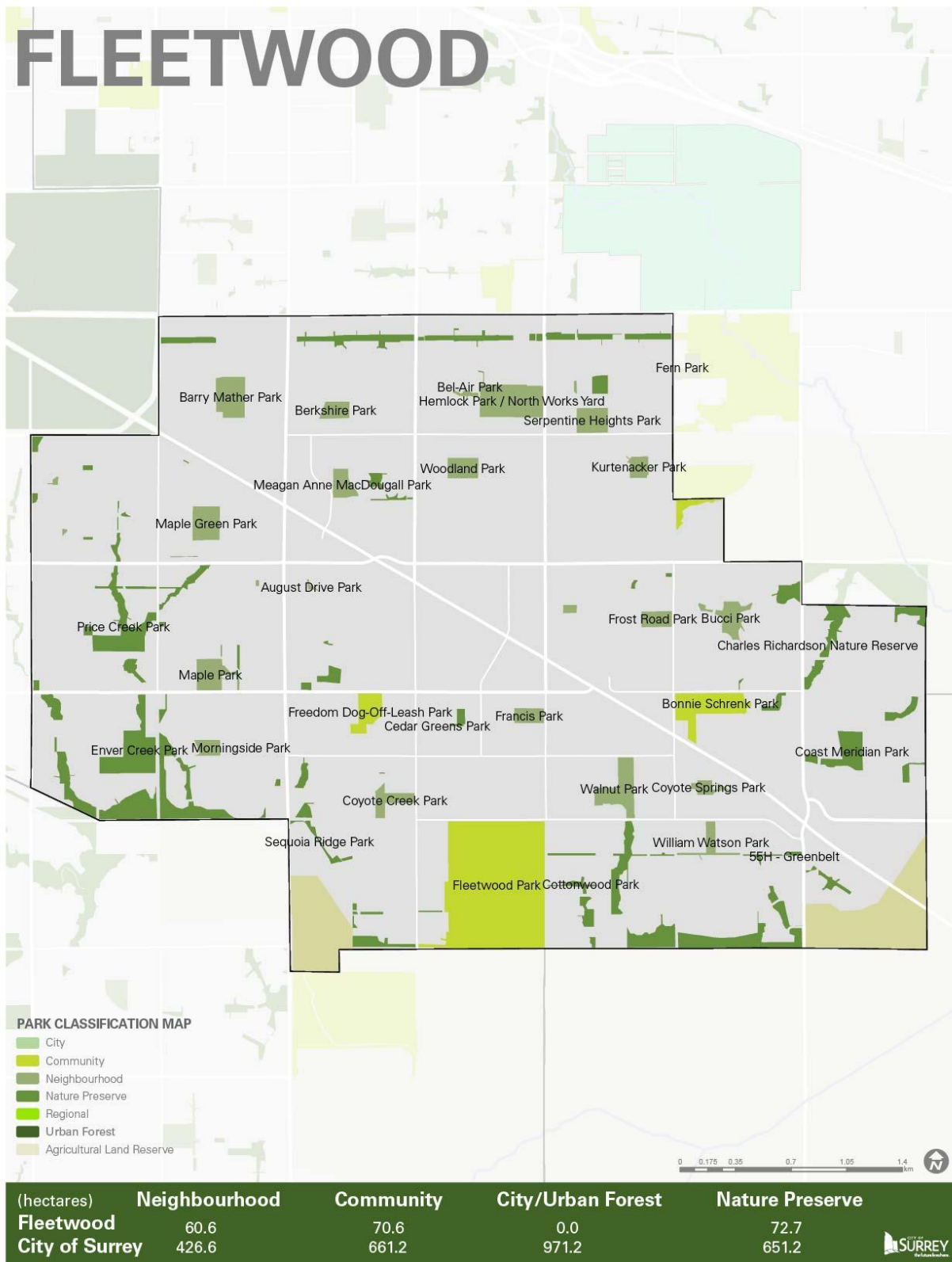
Overview

The City of Surrey is home to over approximately 2,710 hectares of parkland across more than 290 parks. The City of Surrey classifies parks in one of four ways: *Neighbourhood*, *Community*, *City*(includes *Urban Forest*), or *Nature Preserve*. This system presents challenges when determining park classifications, as some parks contain developed park areas as well as natural areas (i.e. Fleetwood Park). Given this, there are discrepancies between what is known as ‘developed parkland’ and ‘natural areas’. For the purposes of this inventory, the City classifies all parkland identified as *Neighbourhood*, *Community*, or *City* as ‘developed parkland’. Natural areas are inventoried in the next section, and include natural area parks as well partial areas of parks identified as natural areas. The City’s Official Community Plan (2014) established park and open space standards for the provision of parkland per 1000 residents. The following chart provides an overview of park category characteristics and required provision. Park categories highlighted in white are identified as ‘developed parkland’.

Park Category & Provision Level	Description	Facilities/Amenities	Parkland (ha)
Neighbourhood Current Provision 0.8 ha per 1000 Required Provision 1.2 ha per 1000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> serve the day-to-day needs of residents, and are within walking distance of an immediate neighbourhood a small, local park, a linear park connection with pathways, or a mini-plaza 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> typically include walking trails and playgrounds Grass sports fields 	426.6 ha
Community Current Provision 1.3 ha per 1000 Required Provision 1.0 ha per 1000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> contain a wide variety of amenities that attract people of all ages from throughout the community both passive and active recreation amenities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> sports fields, spray parks, and sports courts Washrooms Concessions Parking lot 	661.2 ha
City/Urban Forest Current Provision 1.8 ha per 1000 Required Provision 1.2 ha per 1000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> places for city-wide celebration or are of unique natural significance serve the day-to-day needs of residents but can be adapted to serve as places for large festivals and cultural events Includes the City’s Urban Forests 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> walking and cycling paths Playgrounds Sports Fields Open Space Gardens Forest trails 	971.2 ha
Nature Preserve Current Provision 1.2 ha per 1000 Required Provision 0.8 ha per 1000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> preserve the intrinsic value of natural areas for biodiversity conservation and habitat connectivity include riparian areas, flood plains, terrestrial corridors, and areas of significant trees 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> walking and cycling trails playgrounds 	651.2 ha
Regional No OCP Provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parks owned and/or operated by Metro Vancouver 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walking trails Dog off-leash areas Natural areas and forest trails 	600.4 ha
Provincial No OCP Provision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provincial parks owned and/or operated by the Province of BC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walking trails 	5.32 ha



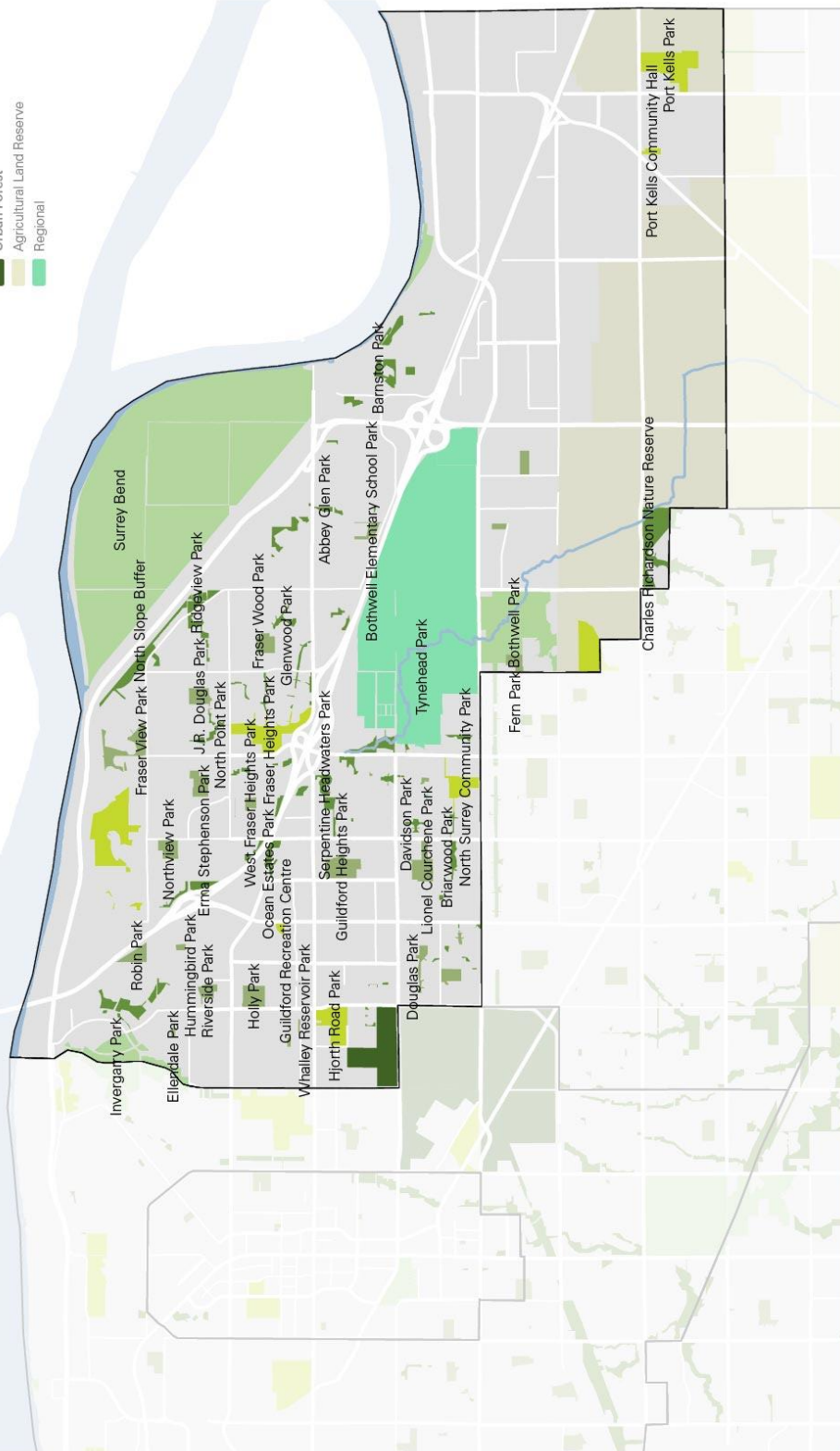




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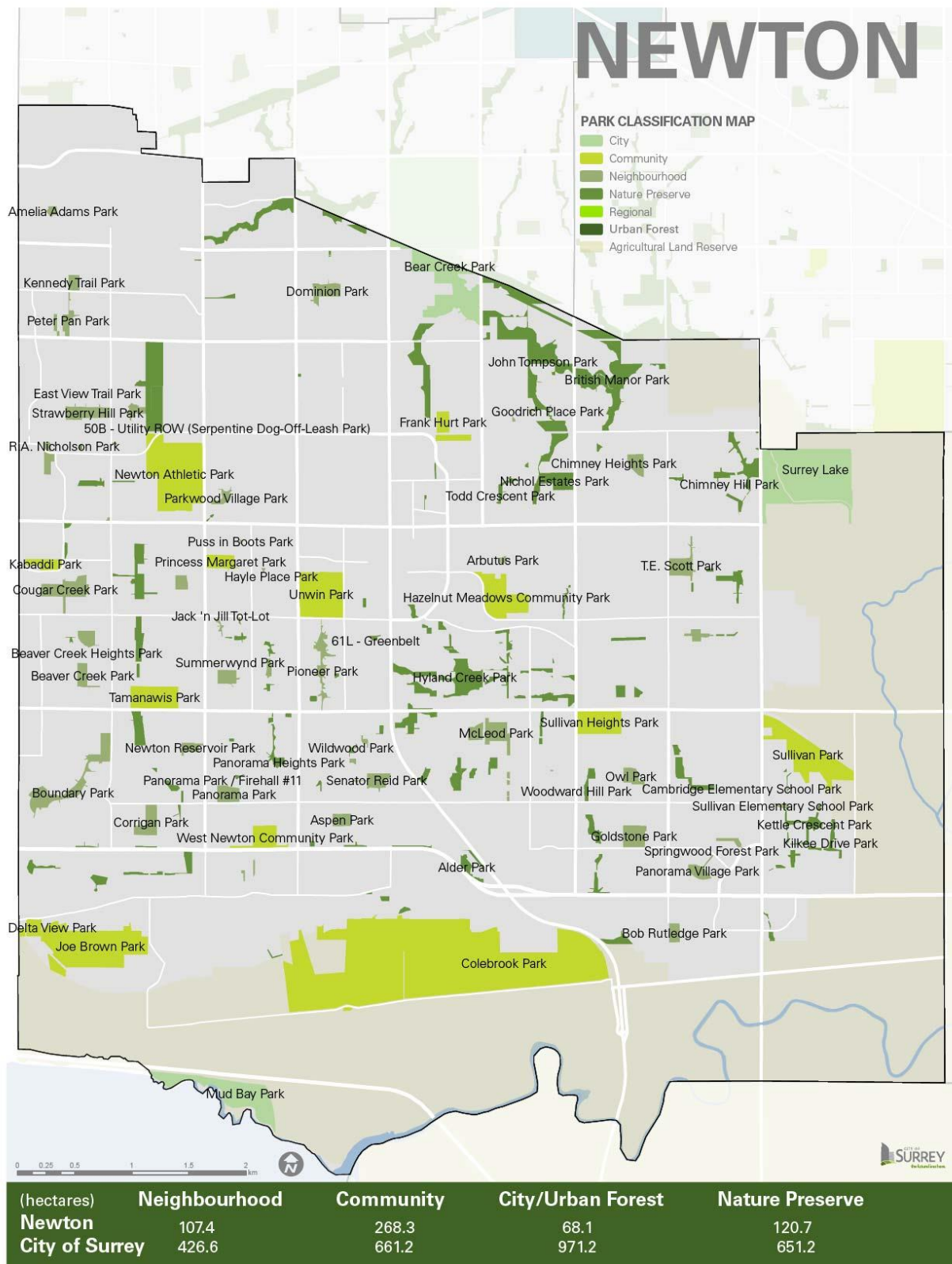
PARK CLASSIFICATION MAP

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- Community
- Neighbourhood
- Nature Preserve
- Regional
- Urban Forest
- Agricultural Land Reserve
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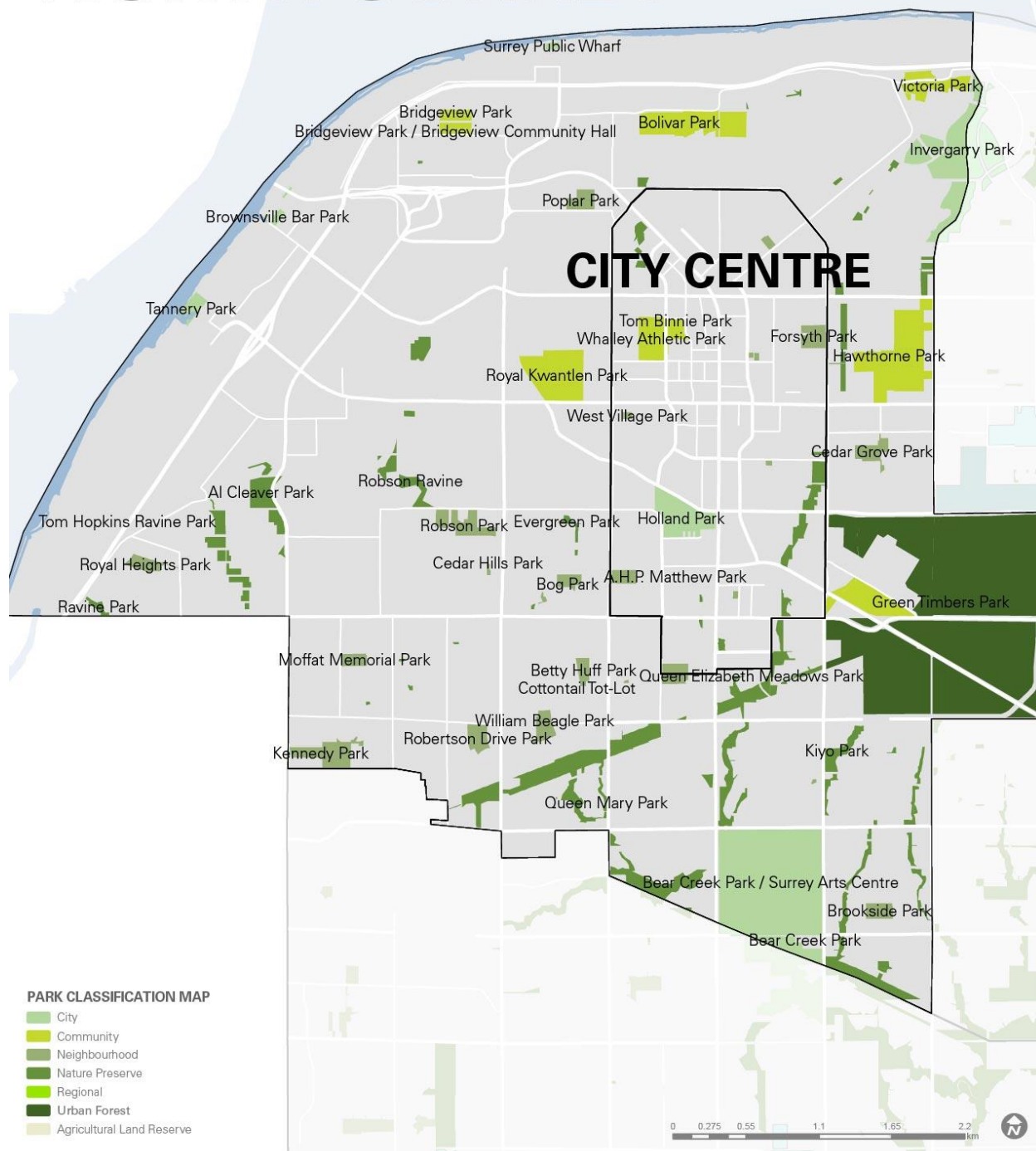


(hectares)	Neighbourhood	Community	City/Urban Forest	Nature Preserve
Guildford	57.0	41.9	251.2	76.8
City of Surrey	426.6	661.2	971.2	651.5





NORTH SURREY



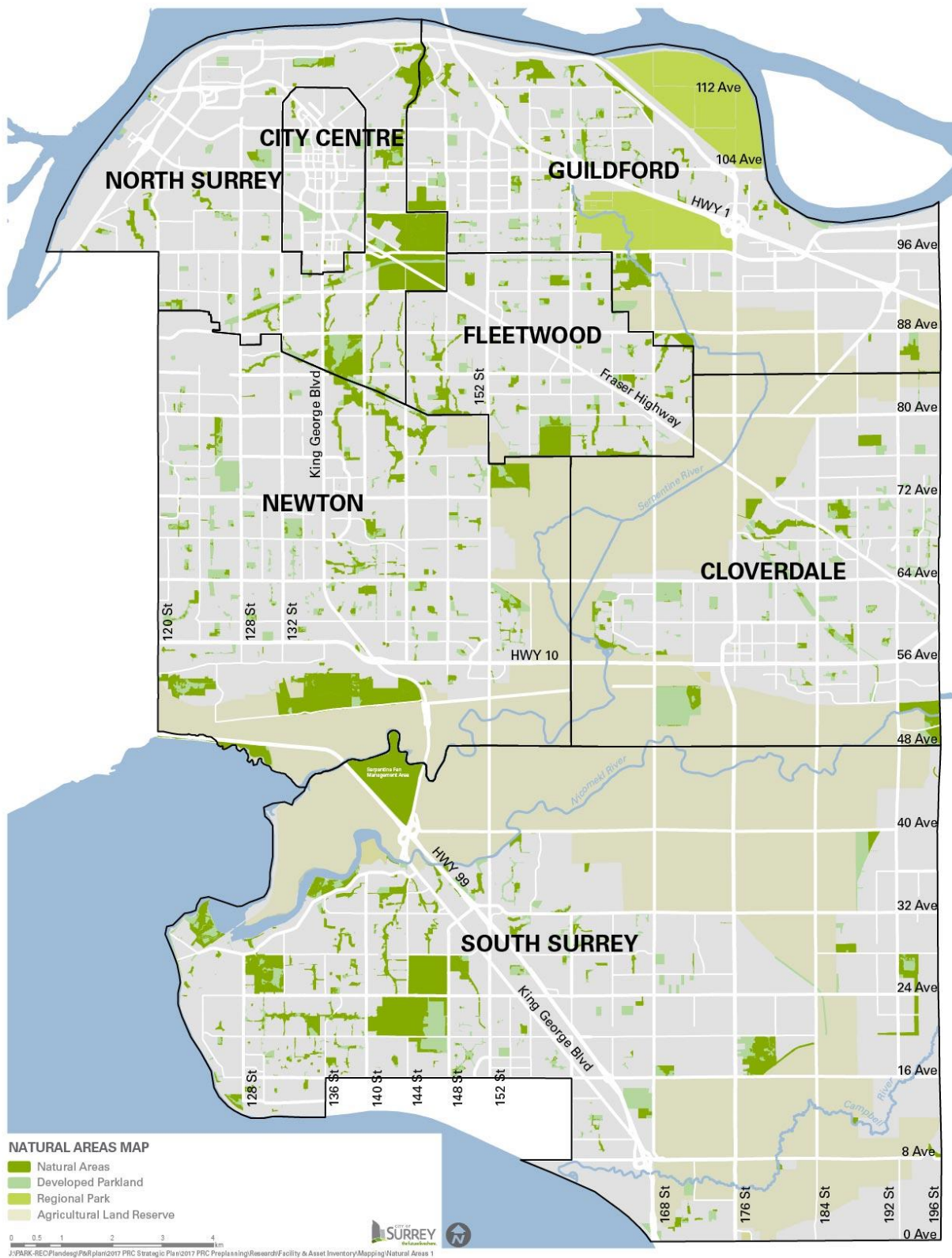
(hectares)	Neighbourhood	Community	City/Urban Forest	Nature Preserve
North Surrey	47.3	72.6	269.4	92.2
City of Surrey	426.6	661.2	971.2	651.5



Natural Areas

Overview

Surrey is home to 1,566 hectares of undeveloped natural areas, comprised of riparian areas, greenbelts, urban forests and other natural green spaces that are part of larger community and city-level parks. These areas of parks are relatively undisturbed, contain a high percentage of native plant species, and provide significant ecological value.



Cemetery Services

Overview

The City of Surrey owns and operates three (3) cemeteries in Surrey: *Surrey Centre Cemetery*, *Sunnyside Lawn Cemetery*, and *Hazelmere Cemetery* – offering traditional in ground burial for both casket and cremated remains.

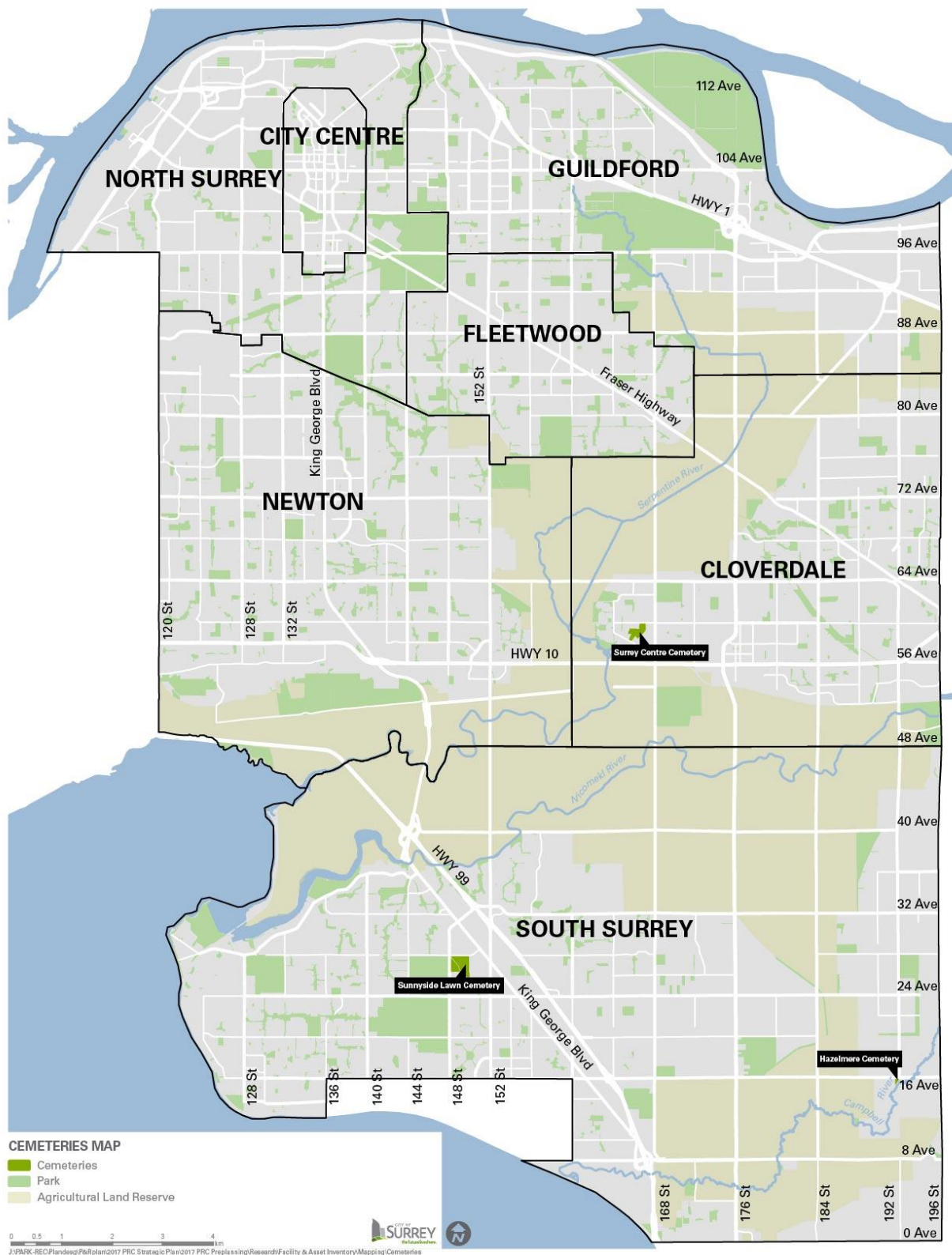
The City of Surrey cemeteries are open to all, and residents of Surrey receive a subsidized rate for the Right of Interment. The City of Surrey's cemeteries offer the following services:

- Traditional casket burial interment
- In-ground cremation burial interment
- Columbarium interment
- Ossuary Interment
- Scattering garden
- Memorial

Surrey Centre Cemetery is a 14-acre cemetery located in Cloverdale. The City has operated this cemetery since 1924.

Sunnyside Lawn Cemetery is a 28-acre site in South Surrey. The cemetery has provided burial service to Surrey residents since 1954.

Hazelmere Cemetery is a small, 1.5-acre site located in the Hazelmere area. The City of Surrey assumed operated of this cemetery in 1958.



Outdoor Field Sports

Overview

The City of Surrey offers 278 bookable sports fields (including overlaid fields) at 65 parks across the city. These parks offer a range of amenities for different user groups and skill levels. Sports fields include: soccer fields, baseball and softball diamonds, football fields, gravel fields, cricket pitches, field hockey pitches, field lacrosse pitches, rugby pitches, and kabaddi fields.

The City's current asset inventory for sports fields includes:

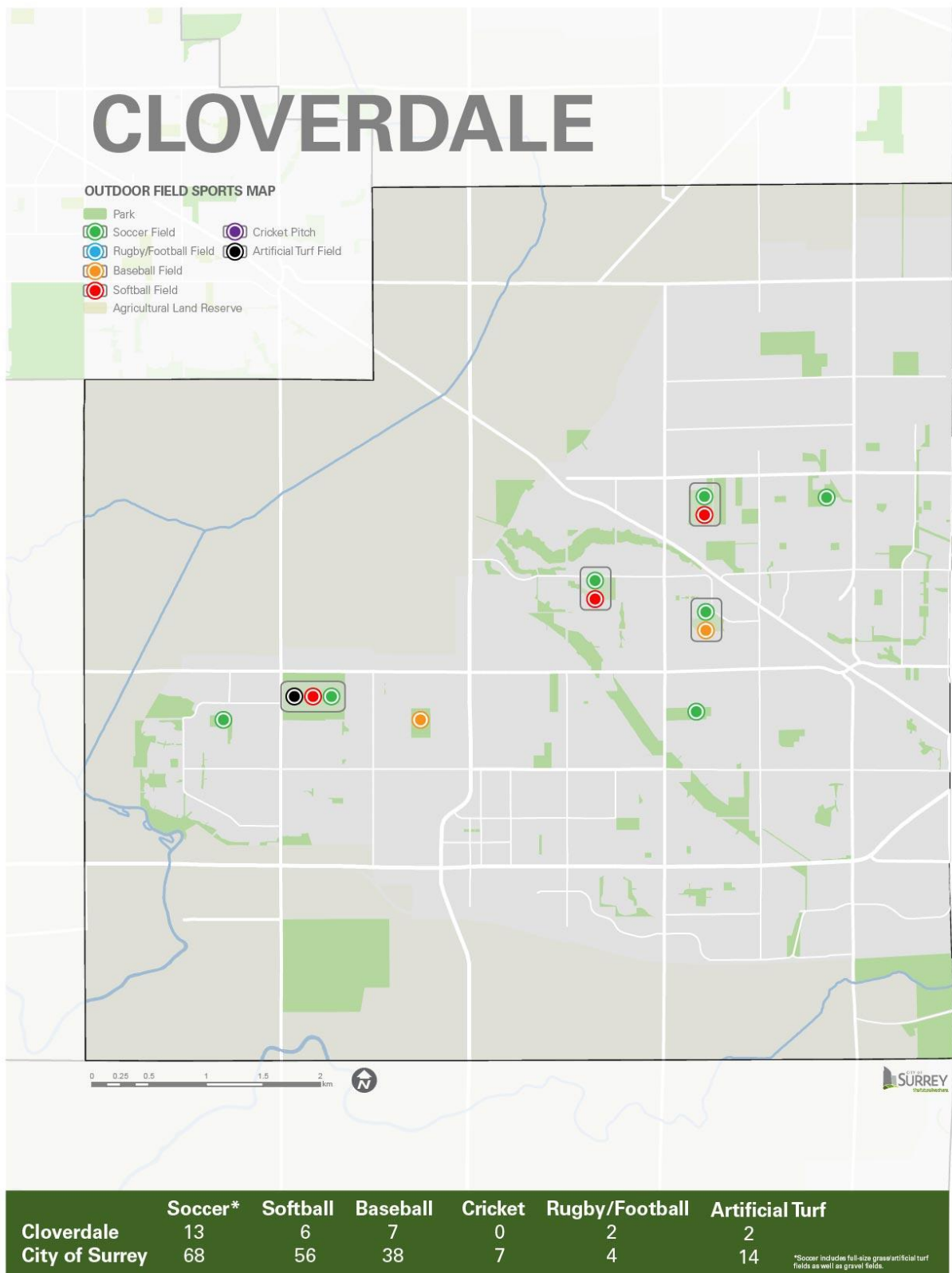
- 38 baseball and 56 softball diamonds
- 68 full-size grass fields (154 including overlays)
- 11 gravel fields
- 14 artificial turf fields, including 2 dedicated field hockey turf fields
- 4 rugby and football fields
- 7 cricket pitches – 2 dedicated pitches at Sullivan Heights and West Newton Community Park
- 1 field lacrosse grass pitch
- 1 kabaddi field

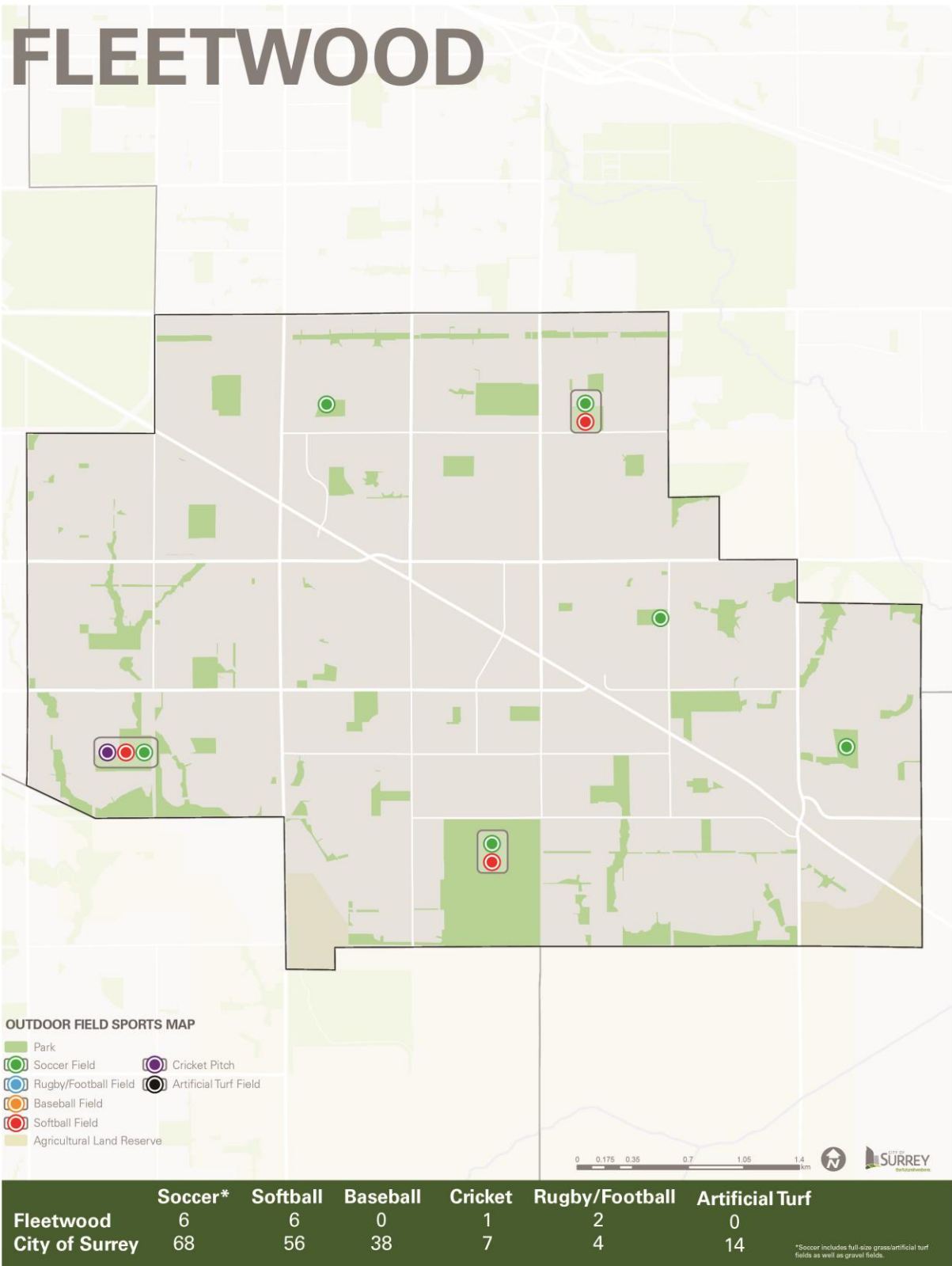
The City's ball diamonds include Softball City – a combination sports and entertainment complex with four softball diamonds, batting cages, a sports bar, and grandstand seating for 1,500. The City's soccer field inventory is classified by field type – grass, synthetic, or gravel, and by field size – mini/8v8 versus full-size regulation.

In addition to small neighbourhood and community level sports fields, the City of Surrey also manages and operates four (4) major athletic parks, each providing numerous sport and recreational amenities.

Major Athletic Parks

Park	Amenities		Park Size
Cloverdale Athletic Park	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 21 soccer fields • 5 softball diamonds • 4 tennis courts • 1 lacrosse box • 1 pavilion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spray park • 2 bike parks • 1 games court • 1 playground 	20.42 hectares
Newton Athletic Park	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22 soccer fields • 2 cricket fields • 2 volleyball courts • 1 pavilion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spray park • 1 playground • 8 tennis courts 	26.48 hectares
South Surrey Athletic Park	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12 soccer fields • 9 softball/baseball diamonds • 1 cricket pitch • 1 football field • 1 rugby fields • 2 volleyball courts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 tennis courts • 2 bike parks • 1 skate park • 1 playground • 1 running track • 1 games court • Softball City pavilion 	44.22 hectares
Whalley Athletic Park	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 soccer fields • 7 baseball diamonds 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 playground 	6.19 hectares

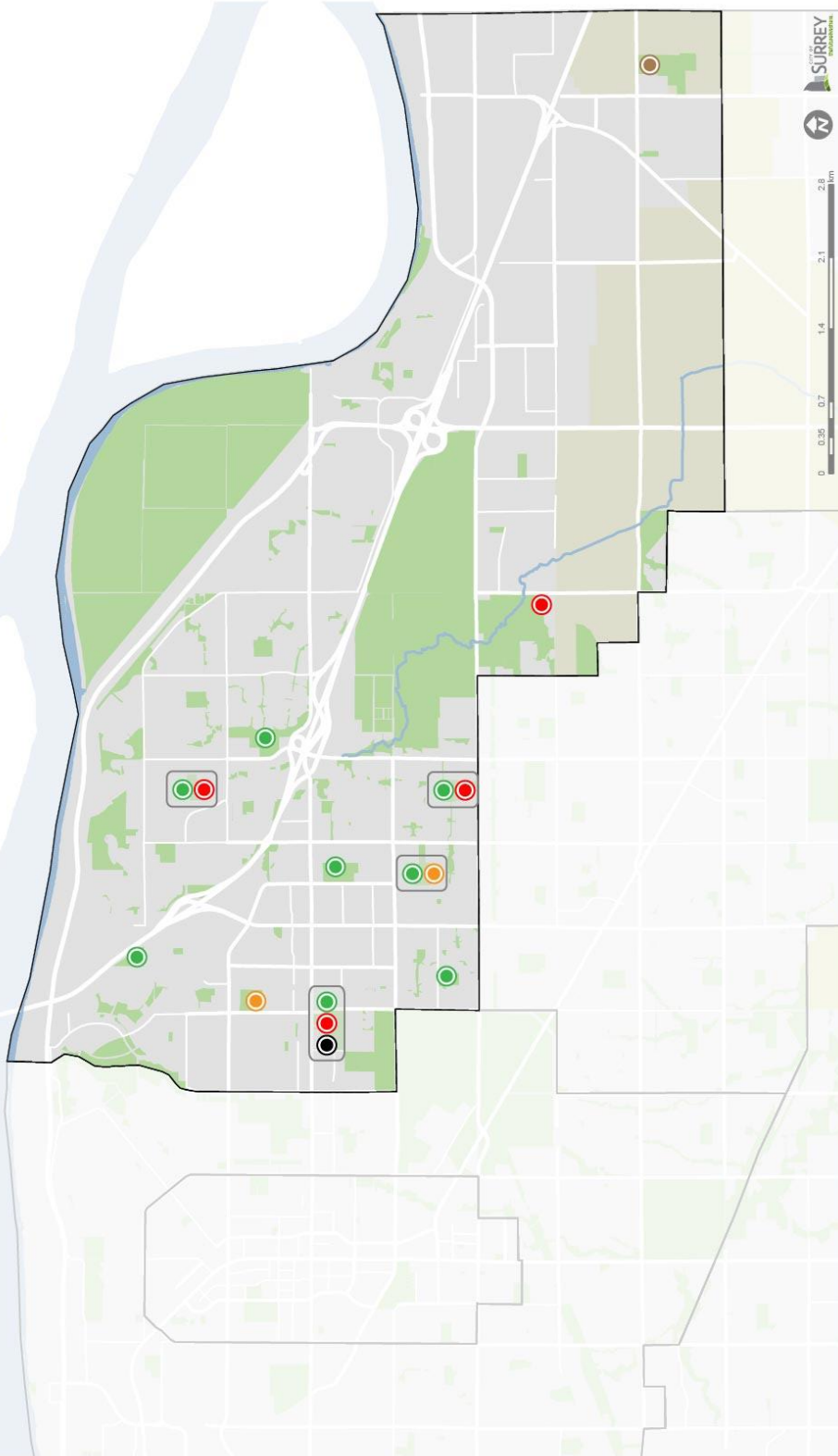




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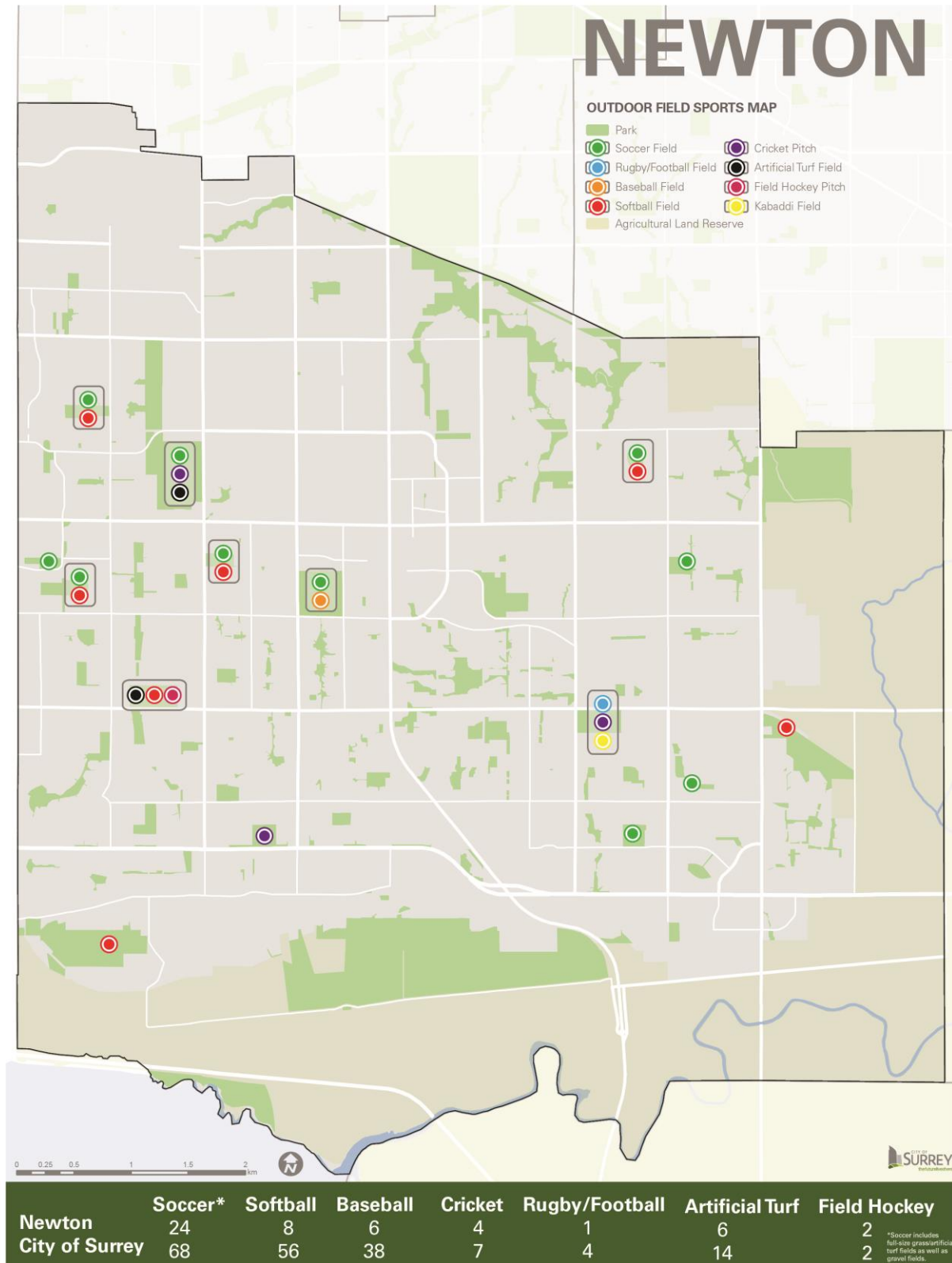
OUTDOOR FIELD SPORTS MAP

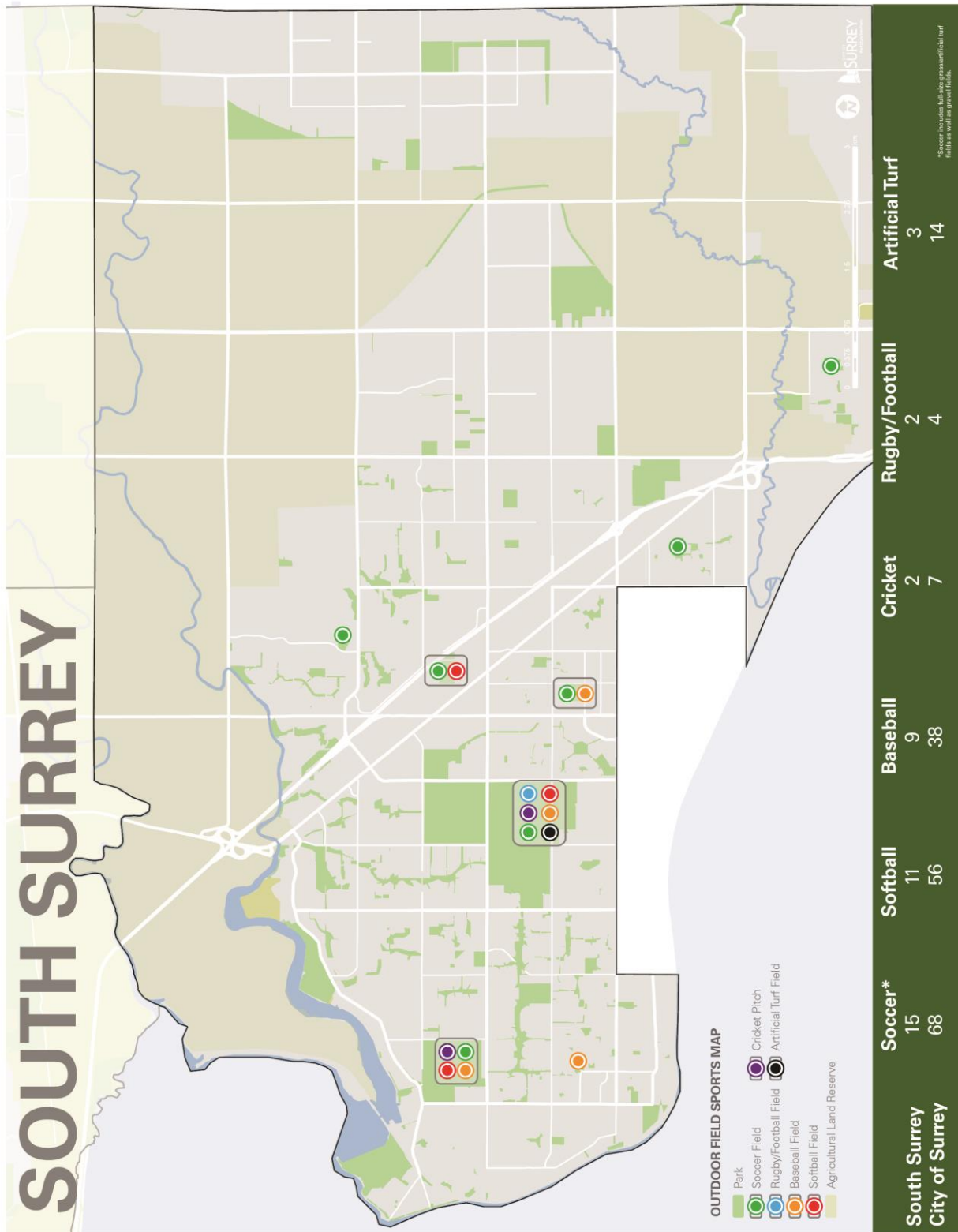
- Park
- Soccer Field
- Rugby/Football Field
- Baseball Field
- Softball Field
- Cricket Pitch
- Artificial Turf Field
- Field Lacrosse Pitch
- Agricultural Land Reserve



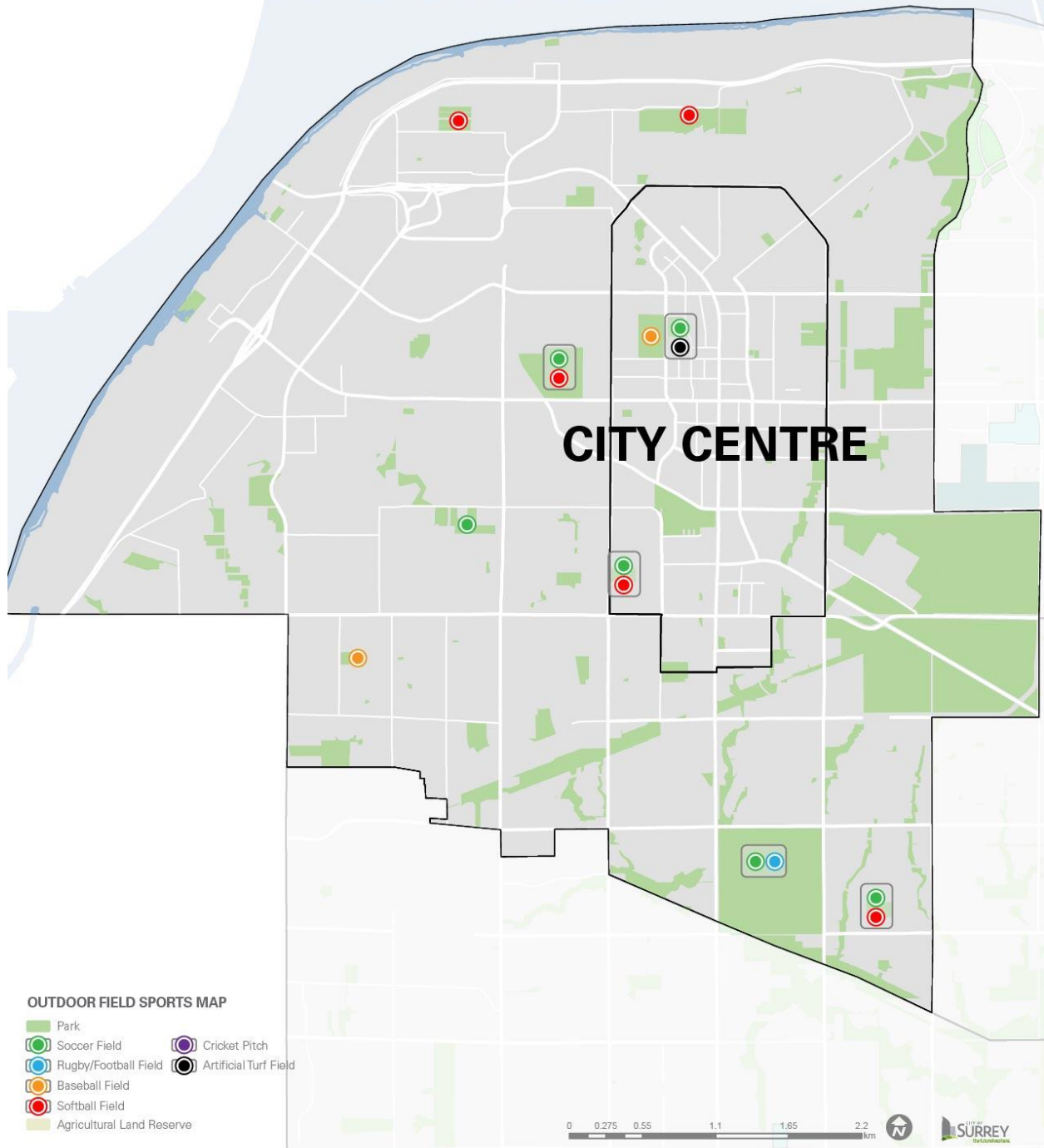
	Soccer*	Softball	Baseball	Cricket	Rugby/Football	Artificial Turf	Field Lacrosse
Guildford	14	11	6	0	0	2	1
City of Surrey	68	56	38	7	4	14	1

*Soccer includes full-size grass/synthetic turf fields as well as youth fields.





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	Soccer*	Softball	Baseball	Cricket	Rugby/Football	Artificial Turf
North Surrey	13	12	8	4	1	1
City of Surrey	68	56	38	7	4	14

*Soccer includes full-size grass/artificial turf fields as well as gravel fields.

Outdoor Sports

Overview

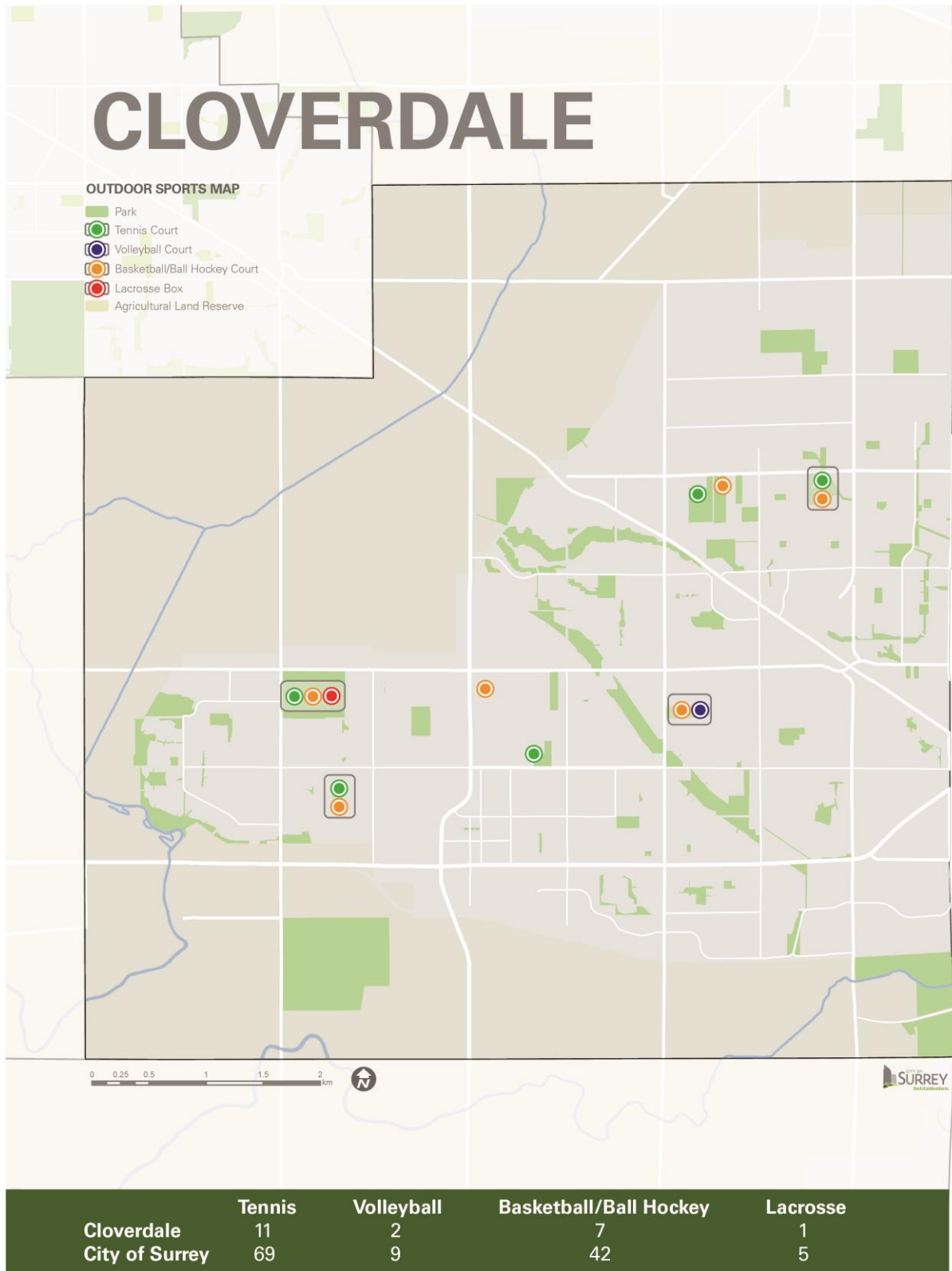
The City of Surrey offers a number of different court sport facilities allowing residents to play tennis, basketball, ball hockey, beach volleyball, and lacrosse. Sport courts can be found in Surrey parks and are generally open free of charge for recreational uses. Lacrosse boxes are available for paid rentals or recreational use free of charge.

The City's current asset inventory for outdoor sports includes:

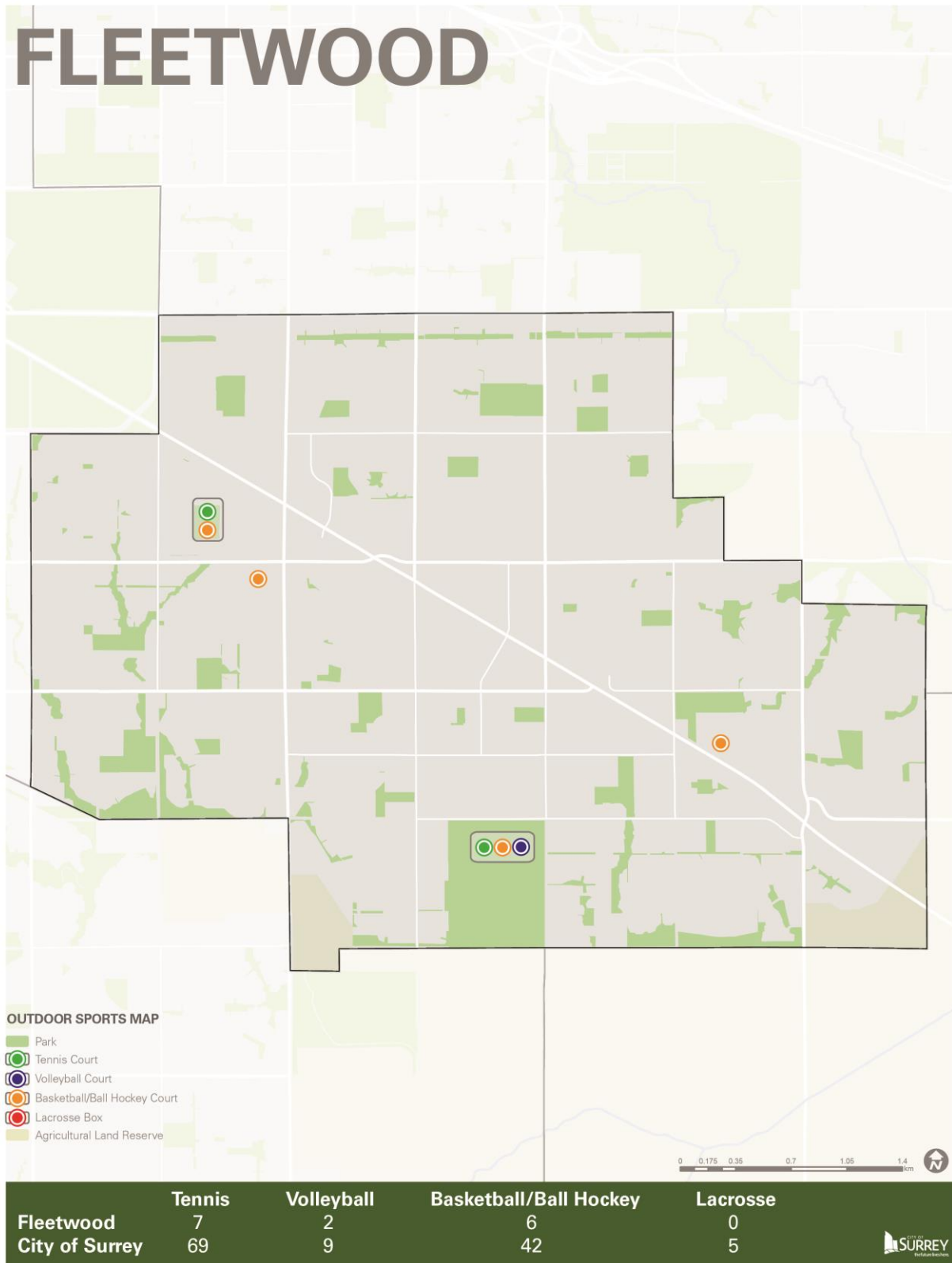
- 69 tennis courts, including 28 lit courts – offered at 27 different parks
- 8 tennis practice walls – offered at 6 different parks
- 9 sand volleyball courts – offered at 5 different parks
- 42 basketball/ball hockey courts, including 11 basketball half-courts – offered at 35 different parks
- 5 lacrosse boxes – offered at 4 different parks

Through a community partnership, there are also six (6) outdoor clay courts offered at the Surrey Tennis Centre. The City's tennis lessons are also offered through the Surrey Tennis Centre.

Currently, the City does not provide any dedicated outdoor pickleball or squash courts, though there are several tennis courts with painted pickleball lines.



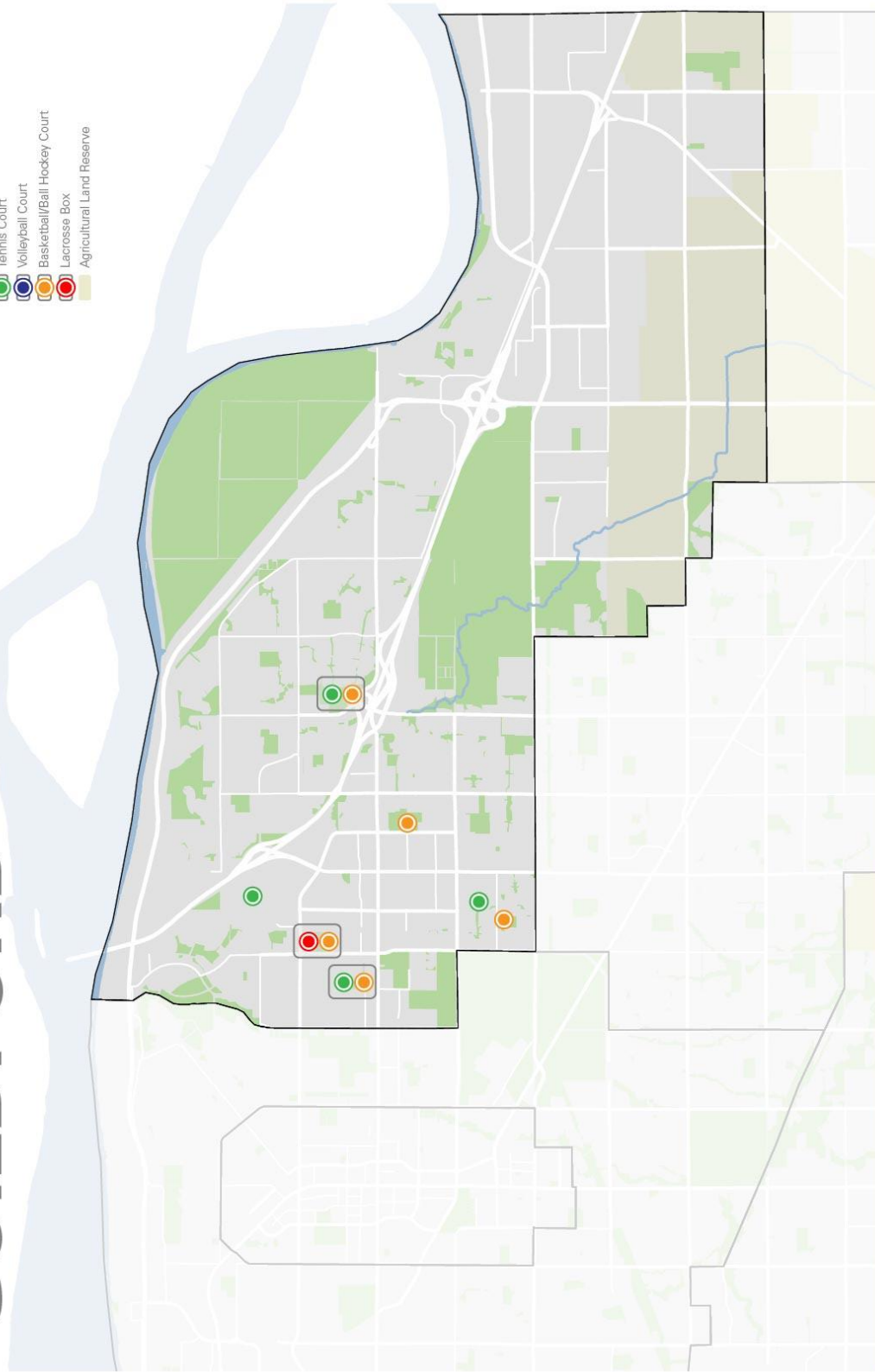
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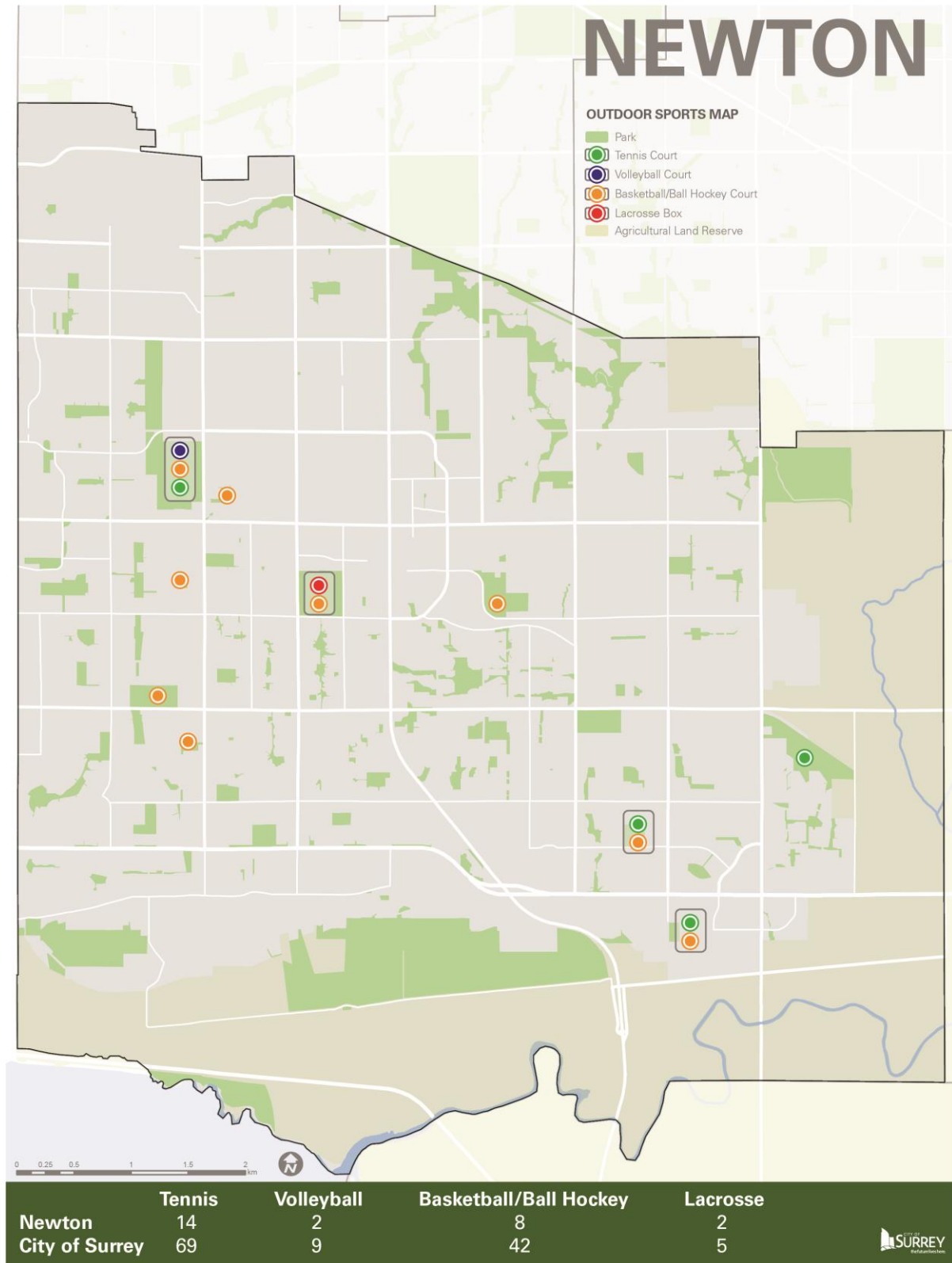
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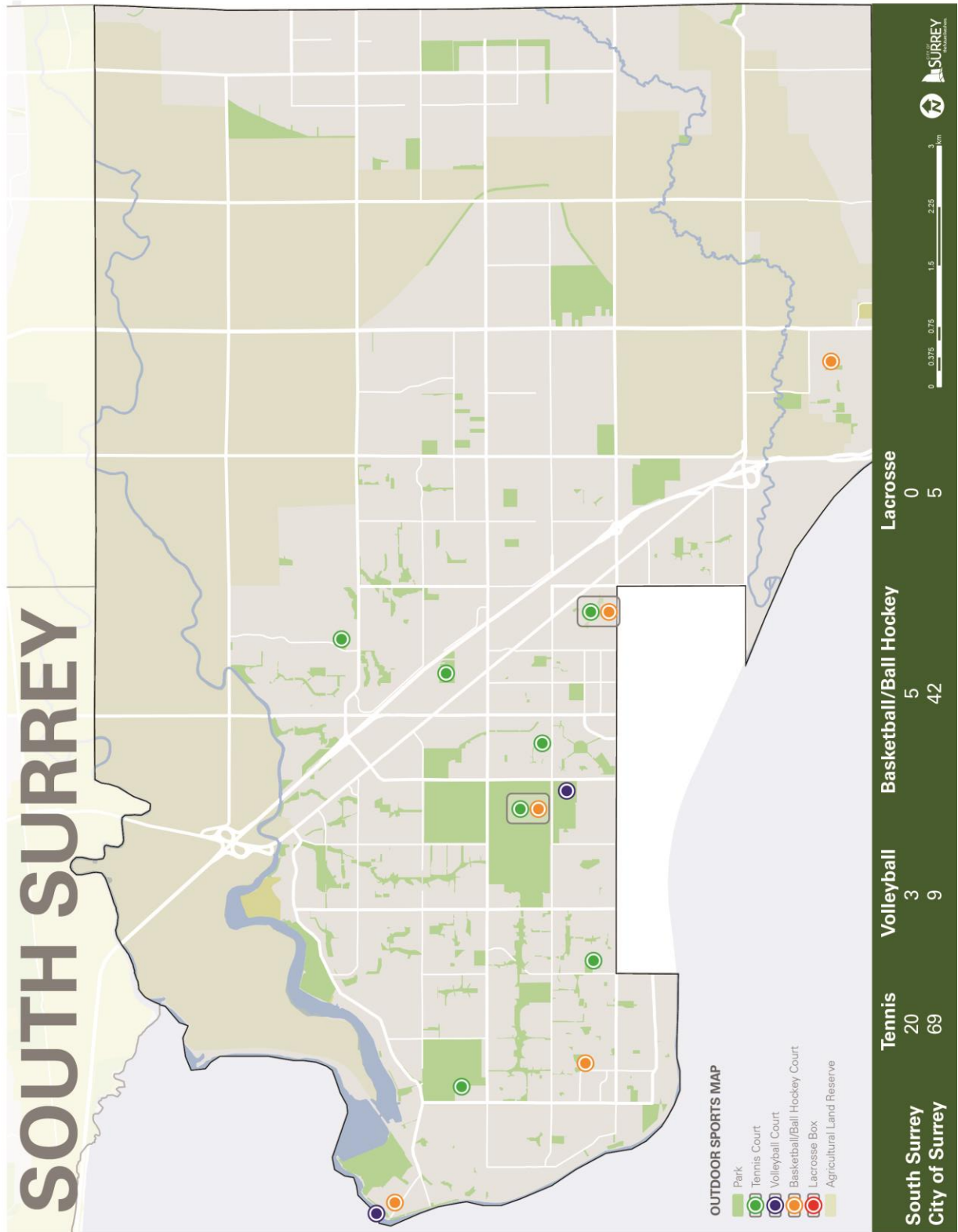
- Park
- Tennis Court
- Volleyball Court
- Basketball/Ball Hockey Court
- Lacrosse Box
- Agricultural Land Reserve



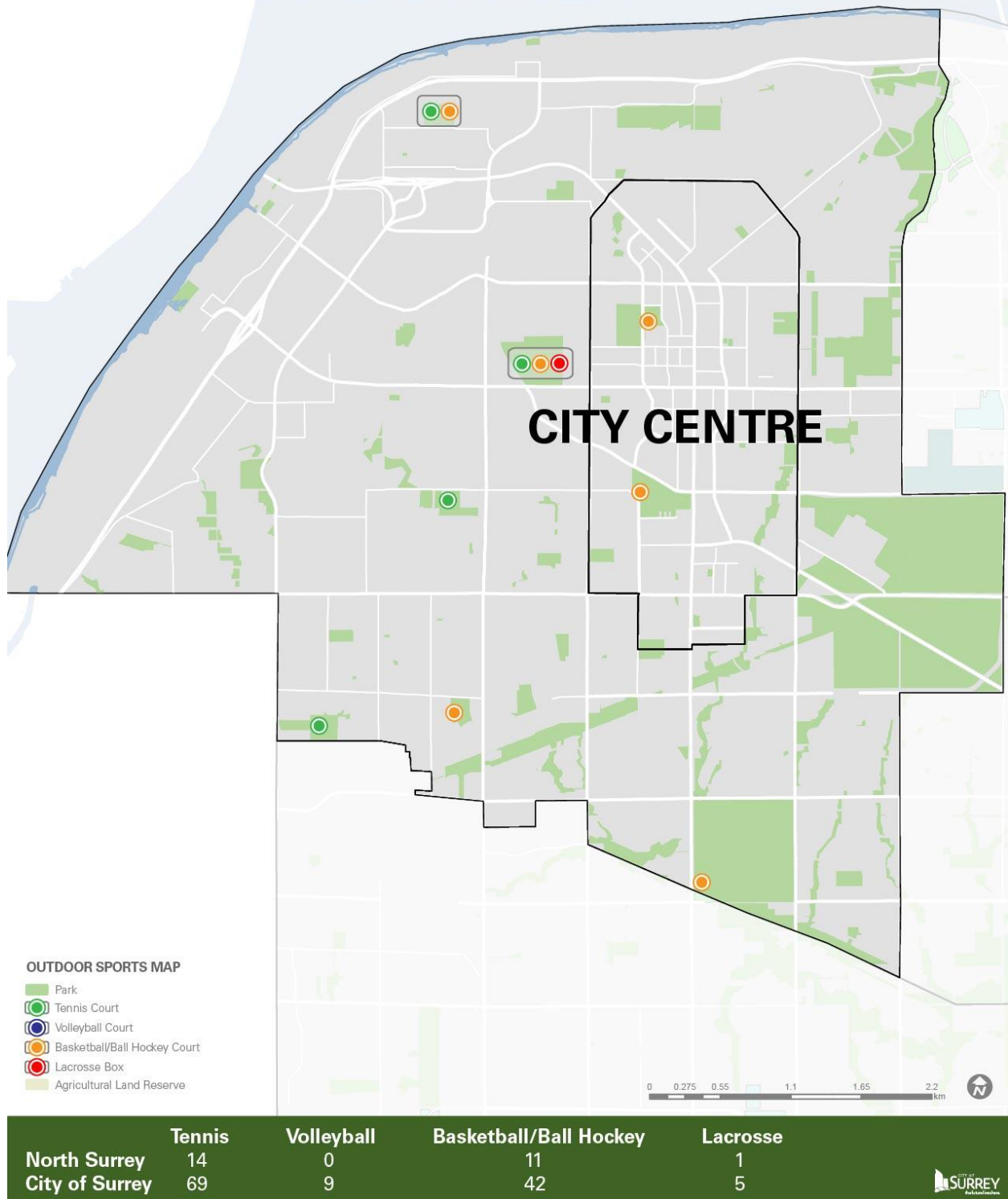
	Tennis	Volleyball	Basketball/Ball Hockey	Lacrosse
Guildford	9	3	5	1
City of Surrey	69	9	42	5







NORTH SURREY



Outdoor Recreation Amenities

Overview

Surrey residents enjoy access to an abundance of outdoor recreational amenities including trails and paths, water spray parks, playgrounds, bike parks, and dog off-leash areas. Outdoor amenities also include boat launches, running tracks, parkour areas, and fitness circuits.

The City's current asset inventory for outdoor amenities includes:

- 291 kilometres of park paths (119 km of forest trails and 172 km of asphalt and gravel paths)
- 11 water spray parks
- 11 dog off-leash parks
- 8 bike parks
- 8 youth parks
- 6 community gardens containing over 360 garden plots
- More than 130 playgrounds
- 2 parkour areas
- 3 running tracks
- 3 fitness circuits
- 1 lawn bowling facility
- 3 boat launching facilities, including Surrey Public Wharf
- 241 picnic tables, 63 park shelters, and 7 cooking shelters

The City's spray parks are generally open from mid-May until the end of September and operate from 10:00 am to 8:00 pm daily.. In addition to eight (8) bike parks, Surrey's offers eight (8) Youth Parks that provide a variety of skateboard and BMX features for youth of all skill levels and ages.

Dog Off-Leash Park Inventory

Park	Community
Blackie Spit Park	South Surrey
Clayton Dog Off-Leash Park	Cloverdale
Dogwood Park	South Surrey
Forsyth Park	North Surrey
Freedom Dog Off-Leash Park	Fleetwood
Kennedy Park	North Surrey
Panorama Park	Newton
Serpentine Dog Off-Leash Park	Newton
Tannery Park	North Surrey
Tynehead Regional Park*	Guildford
Wills Brook Park	South Surrey

* Tynehead Regional Park's dog off-leash are owned and operated by Metro Vancouver.

Spray Park Inventory

Spray Park	Town Centre
Bear Creek Park	North Surrey
Bridgeview Park	North Surrey
Cloverdale Athletic Park	Cloverdale
Erma Stephenson Park	Guildford
Fleetwood Park	Fleetwood
Goldstone Park	Newton
Hawthorne Park	North Surrey
Hazलगrove Park	Cloverdale
Newton Athletic Park	Newton
South Surrey Athletic Park	South Surrey
Unwin Park	Newton

Bike Park Inventory

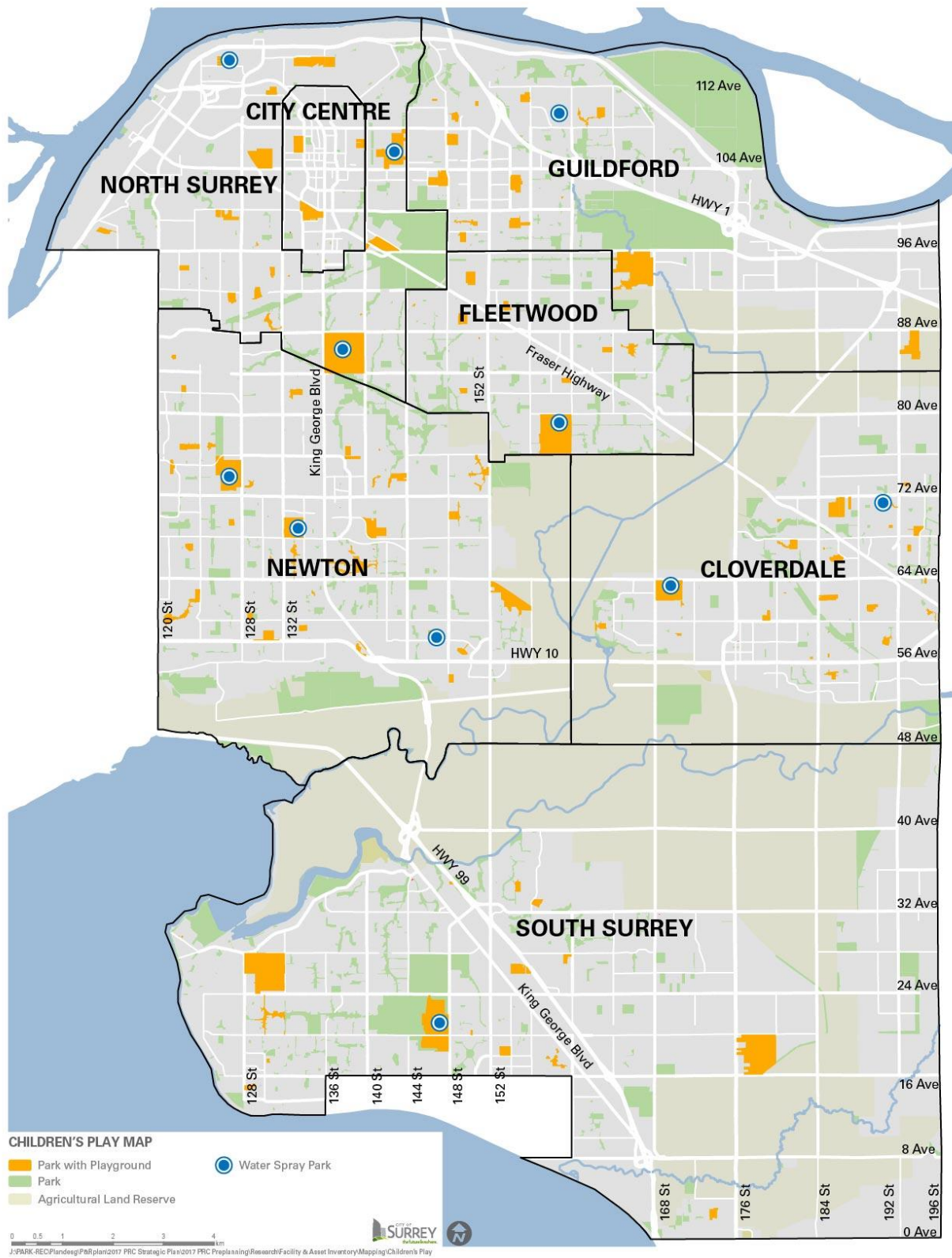
Bike Park	Town Centre
Cloverdale Athletic Park	Cloverdale
Fun Fun Park	South Surrey
Invergarry Park	North Surrey
Latimer Park	South Surrey
Newton Athletic Park	Newton
Panorama Park	Newton
Port Kells Park	Guildford
South Surrey Athletic Park	South Surrey

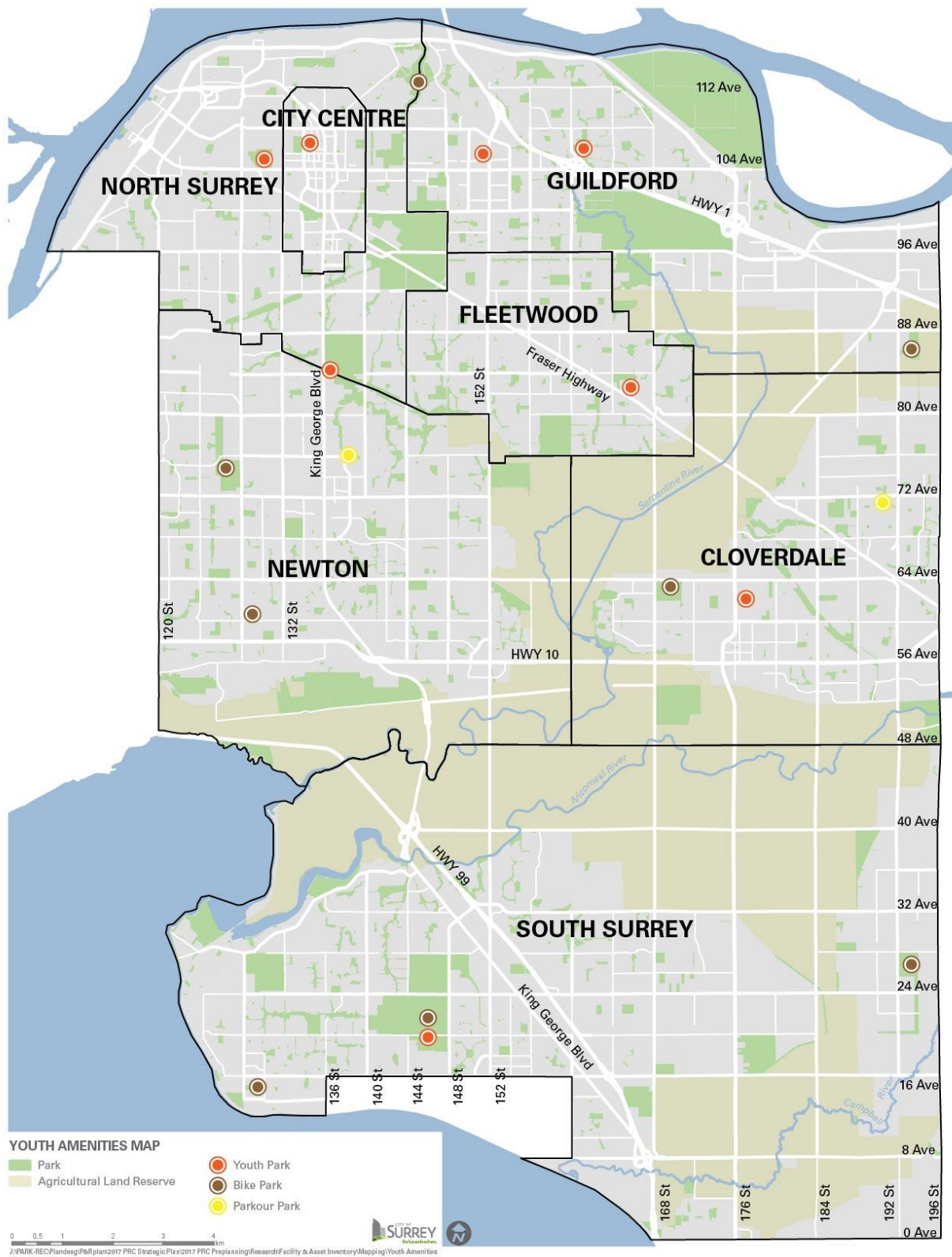
Youth Park Inventory

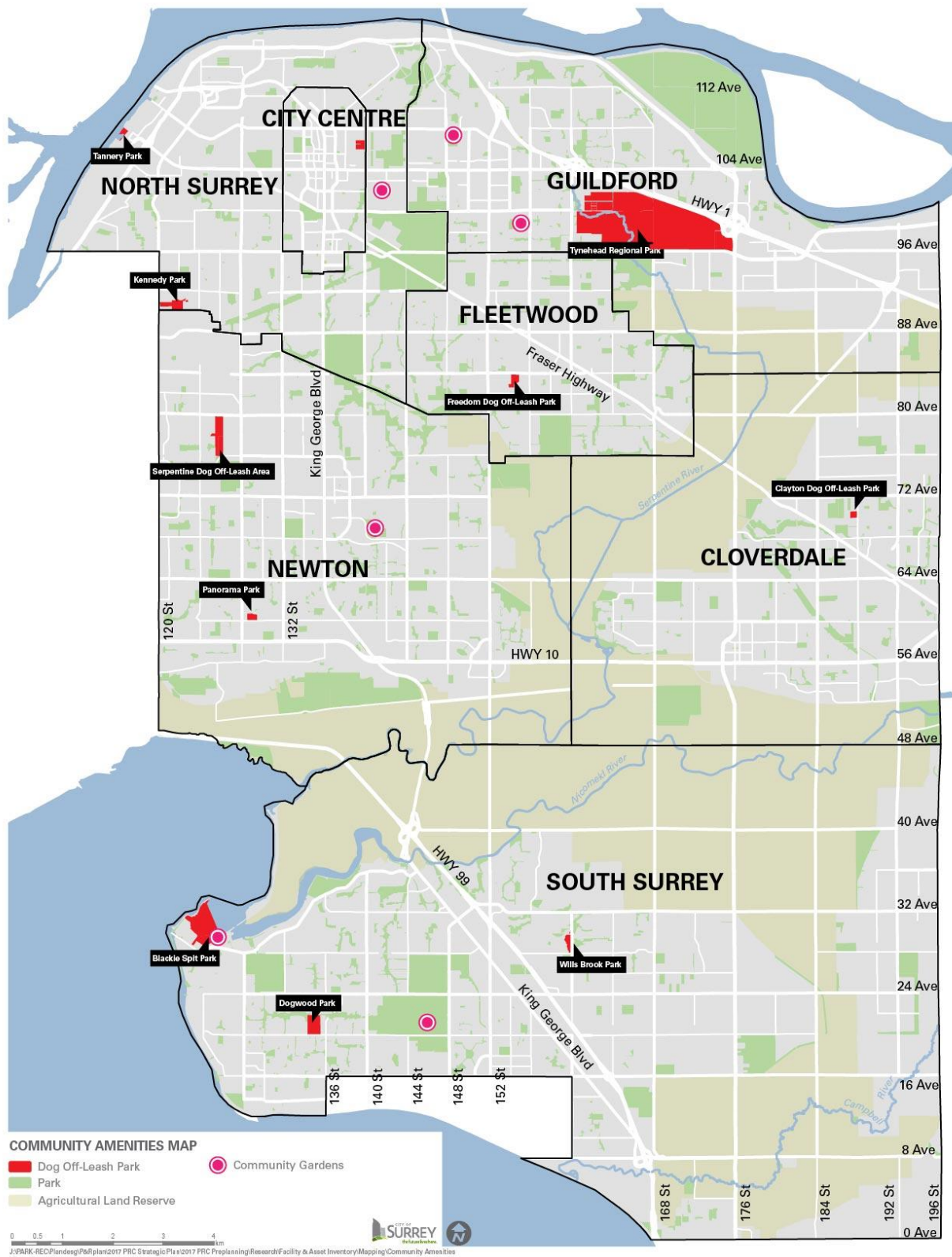
Youth Park	Town Centre
Bear Creek Youth Park	North Surrey
Chuck Bailey Youth Park	North Surrey
Cloverdale Youth Park	Cloverdale
Fleetwood Youth Park	Fleetwood
Fraser Heights Youth Park	Guildford
Guildford Youth Park	Guildford
Kwantlen Youth Park	North Surrey
South Surrey Youth Park	South Surrey

Playground Inventory

Town Centre	No. of Playgrounds
Cloverdale	29
Fleetwood	11
Guildford	16
Newton	34
North Surrey	24
South Surrey	22







Outdoor Services

Overview

The City of Surrey offers a number of different outdoor services, from community picnics to children's park play programs.

Partners in Parks provide community-level programs and events throughout the year. They offer six programs for residents of all ages. Programs include: *Clean Sweep*, *Lend a Hand*, *Park Play*, *Storytime at Redwood Park*, *Seniors in the Park*, and *Geocaching*.

Partners in Parks also hold a number of events throughout the year. This includes the popular Sounds of Summer music series – a free live music series that takes place in various parks across Surrey during July and August. Events offered include:

- Darts Hill Garden Park Open Houses
- Bulbs for Beauty
- Community Picnics
- Glades Open House
- Mother's Day
- Sounds of Summer
- Partners in Parks Celebration
- Park Play Palooza
- Surrey Tree Lighting Festival

The City of Surrey, in partnership with several community groups, offers several environmentally focused programs and volunteer opportunities:

- **Surrey Nature Centre**
 - Surrey Nature Centre offers interactive indoor space, outside adventure space, and a nature play area as well as numerous programs for children and families.
- **Surrey's Natural Areas Partnership (SNAP)**
 - A joint-partnership agreement between Green Timbers Heritage Society, Sunnyside Acres Heritage Society, and White Rock and Surrey Naturalists Society, SNAP employs post-secondary students to work in habitat restoration and environmental outreach.
- **Salmon Habitat Restoration Program (SHaRP)**
 - A City initiative that began in 1996 and has involved over 575 people in active stream restoration works. SHaRP is a youth organization tasked with enhancing Surrey's fish habitat through invasive plant removal, riparian planting, water quality testing, and educating businesses and industries to protect water quality.

Arts Services

Overview

Arts Services encompasses performing, visual, and literary arts programs and facilities. The City provides ongoing financial support for Surrey's arts services and is continuing to find ways to support not-for-profit groups involved in the arts.

The City's current asset inventory for arts spaces includes:

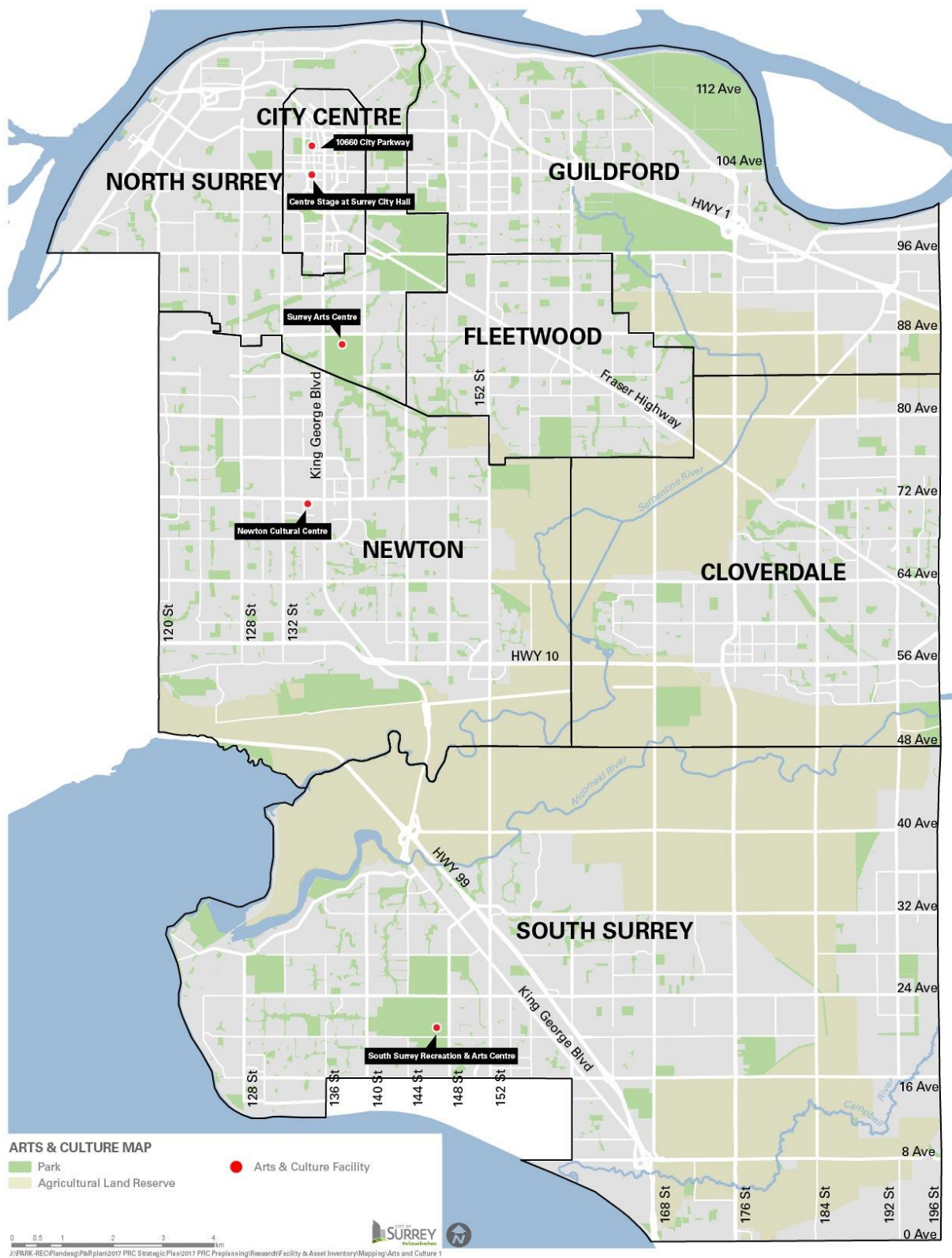
- **Surrey Arts Centre** – home to Surrey Civic Theatre's 402-seat Main Stage and 129-seat Studio Theatre. The Main Stage theatre includes a large stage, a fly tower, and generous backstage spaces to handle large shows. The Studio Theatre has automated retractable seating and theatre standard lighting and sound. Surrey Civic Theatres offer a variety of artistic presentations from theatre to music and dance and is also available for rental opportunities.
- **Centre Stage at City Hall** – A part of Surrey Civic Theatres, this 200-seat performance venue with theatre standard lighting and sound. This venue is ideal for live music, film, small-scale theatre and dance and video projections, as well as conferences, seminars, and meetings. The City Room atrium space of City Hall is also used as an event space, and also serves as the lobby/extension of the Centre Stage venue.
- **Surrey Art Gallery** – Metro Vancouver's second largest public art gallery, the Surrey Art Gallery is a contemporary museum specializing in contemporary art since 1975. It provides a program of temporary exhibitions featuring work by local, national, and international artists in a range of media, and comprehensive art education program for children through to adults. The Surrey Art Gallery has exhibition halls that meet Class A museum standards, and include track lighting. The Gallery is also home to TechLab for presentation of interactive digital media and artist residencies, as well as supports the exhibition of work by community art groups in the Arts Centre Lobby with hanging rails and track lighting. In addition, the Gallery houses one multipurpose room used for programs, two studios designed to support art classes, and one pottery studio. Surrey's UrbanScreen venue serves as the Surrey Art Gallery offsite venue, and the Gallery currently curates its program of interactive digital art.
- **Surrey Urban Screen** is one of North America's largest non-commercial outdoor projection venue, and presents both a curated program of interactive digital artworks, as well as supports evening events presenting artwork by youth and local artists.
- **South Surrey Recreation and Arts Centre** – Community Centre that offers a variety of arts programs through partnerships with the Semiahmoo Arts Council, Semiahmoo Potters, and the White Rock and South Surrey Arts Society. The Arts Centre wing includes a multipurpose room with exhibition rails and track lights and can be used for small performances meetings or lectures, one studio designed to support art classes, and one pottery studio.

- **Newton Cultural Centre** – A dual-purpose performing and visual arts centre, this city owned facility is a renovated fire hall, and is operated by the Arts Council of Surrey and houses a gallery for local artists, a black box studio for performing arts rehearsals, a large meeting room, and various offices and support space.
- **10660 City Parkway** – A city owned building designated and operated as community art space, in partnership with the Royal Canadian Theatre Company and Streetrich HipHop Society, and including a rehearsal space with sprung floor and workshop space.

Surrey Arts Centre serves as the site of the majority of the City's performing arts events and visual arts exhibitions and learning programs through the operations of the Surrey Civic Theatres, or the Surrey Art Gallery, including classes, workshops, school programs, and day camps for children, youth, and adults. Performing arts and visual arts learning program are also offered at community and recreation centres, as well as at various community spaces around Surrey. Arts organizations can rent professional theatre space from the Surrey School District #36, who operate the 1,110 seat Bell Performing Arts Centre located within Sullivan Heights Secondary School, or the Chandos Pattison Auditorium, operated by the independent school, Pacific Academy.

Note: the 71 installed artworks that comprise the City's public art collection are not included here along with arts facilities. A public art master plan guides the location and implementation of public art works and programs.

Facility	Amenities	Community	Sq.ft.	Facility Age
Surrey Arts Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Surrey Civic Theatres Main Stage Theatre 402 spectator seats Fly tower Studio Theatre 129 spectator seats Surrey Art Gallery 2 exhibition rooms with track lighting TechLab for digital media Arts Centre Lobby with hanging rails and track lighting Multipurpose room 2 studios for art classes 1 pottery studio 	North Surrey	70,852	16 years (originally built in 1967 last renovated in 2001)
Centre Stage, City Hall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 200 spectator seats Theatre standard lighting and sound 	North Surrey	5,382 (all of council chambers)	2 years (2014)
10660 City Parkway	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rehearsal space w/ sprung floor Workshop / studio space 	North Surrey	2,500	? (renovated 2016)
South Surrey Recreation and Arts Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multipurpose room Track lighting Studio for art classes Pottery studio 	South Surrey	5,700 (arts spaces)	2 years (2014)
Newton Cultural Centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Black box performance space with theatre lights Multipurpose rooms with hanging rails and track lighting 	Newton	6,010	6 years (2010)



Heritage

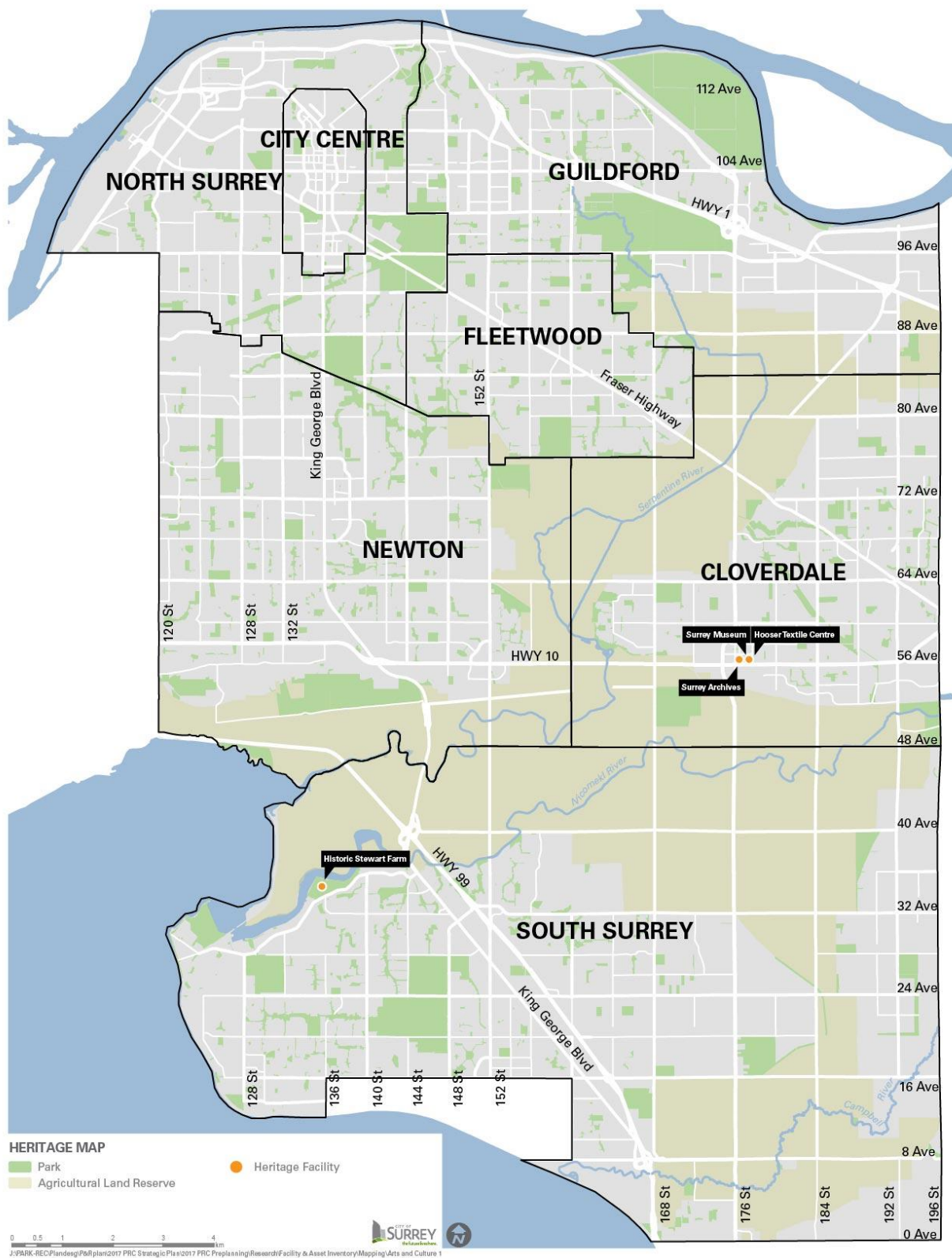
Overview

Heritage Services is responsible for the management and operation of three civic facilities which includes the Surrey Museum, Historic Stewart Farm and Surrey Archives. In addition, Heritage Services is responsible for the preservation, stewardship and interpretation of the City's history.

The City's current heritage asset inventory includes:

- *Historic Stewart Farm* – Together with Elgin Heritage Park, the Historic Stewart Farm is a 54-acre site that includes a restored 1894 farmhouse, sprawling farm grounds, and outbuildings resembling typical early farm-life in Surrey. It also includes a small collection of exhibits. The site hosts drop-in tours, a variety of programs, and several special events. The site interprets the time period of 1890-1920.
- *Surrey Museum* – Opened in 2005, the Surrey Museum houses artefacts, images, and exhibits telling the story of Surrey's rich history and cultures. The Museum offers programs for visitors of all ages and regularly hosts special events and community exhibitions. The Museum includes the Hooser Weaving Centre and Library, where visitors can explore the traditions of weaving, spinning and other crafts through demonstrations and hands on activities.
- *Surrey Archives* – Preserves and provides access to the documentary history of Surrey. Types of records include photos, maps, plans, manuscripts, oral histories, civic records, and records of private citizens and community groups. The Archives are located in the well-known 1912 Municipal Hall (a protected civic heritage building).
- *Surrey Archives and Museums Online Access (SAMOA)* – An online search engine that offers public access to the rich and diverse collections of the City's Archives and Museums. At present, over 30,000 historical photographs and 2000+ artifacts are accessible online.

Facility	Amenities	Community	Facility Age
Historic Stewart Farm	Protected Civic Heritage Site <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exhibits • Victorian Farmhouse • 8 heritage buildings on site • Heritage Garden and orchard 	South Surrey	122 years (1894) * restored in 1980's
Surrey Museum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • History, Indigenous and Community Exhibits • Kids (Interactive) Gallery • Anderson 1872 cabin • Program and Multipurpose rooms • Hooser Weaving Centre and Textile Library • Veterans Square • Collections Storage • Workshop 	Cloverdale	12 years (2005)
Surrey Archives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protected Civic Heritage Building • Reference and reading room • Archives Storage 	Cloverdale	104 years (1912) * restored in 2006



Events

Overview

The City of Surrey host several major city-wide annual events aimed at promoting cultural diversity, healthy living, and community celebration.

The City's major annual events include:

- **Party for the Planet – City Hall (Late April)** – is BC's largest Earth Day celebration that attracts over 20,000 people to Surrey in celebration of all things environmentally friendly. Party for the Planet offers a variety of free interactive enviro-attractions and live concert performances. Party for the Planet is a chance to celebrate our community's commitment to the environment and dedication to building a sustainable future.
- **Surrey International Children's Festival - Bear Creek Park (Late May)** – This annual arts festival held at the Surrey Arts Centre and in Bear Creek Park, inspires young hearts and minds to greater possibilities and celebrates our rich and diverse cultural heritage through both presentations by professional performing and visual artists, and hands-on experiences.
- **Surrey's Canada Day Celebration – Cloverdale Amphitheatre (July 1)** – Surrey's Canada Day Celebration is one of the largest celebrations in Canada, and includes live performances by Canadian headliners, vendors, community groups, amusement rides, and food booths.
- **Fusion Festival – Holland Park (Late July)** – Fusion Festival is BC's largest multicultural celebration and features over 40 international pavilions and exhibitors who present delicious assortment of world cuisine while showcasing Surrey's cultural diversity. With five stages and over 130 performers, there is something for everyone to enjoy. Fusion Festival is a celebration of diversity through music, food and culture. This two-day annual festival highlights the diversity of Surrey with local, regional and international performers. Surrey Fusion Festival attracts more than 100,000 people to the event each year.
- **Tree Lighting Festival – City Hall (Late November)** – Surrey Tree Lighting Festival featuring a 55' foot Christmas tree is an annual event that has become an anticipated tradition for 20,000 local residents. The Tree Lighting Festival is a great opportunity for the community to come together in celebration of the Christmas season. This all day event provides fun for the entire family featuring non-stop entertainment, by artists and top musicians with a variety of activities, including interactive games, exhibitors and roving performers for the whole family to enjoy.

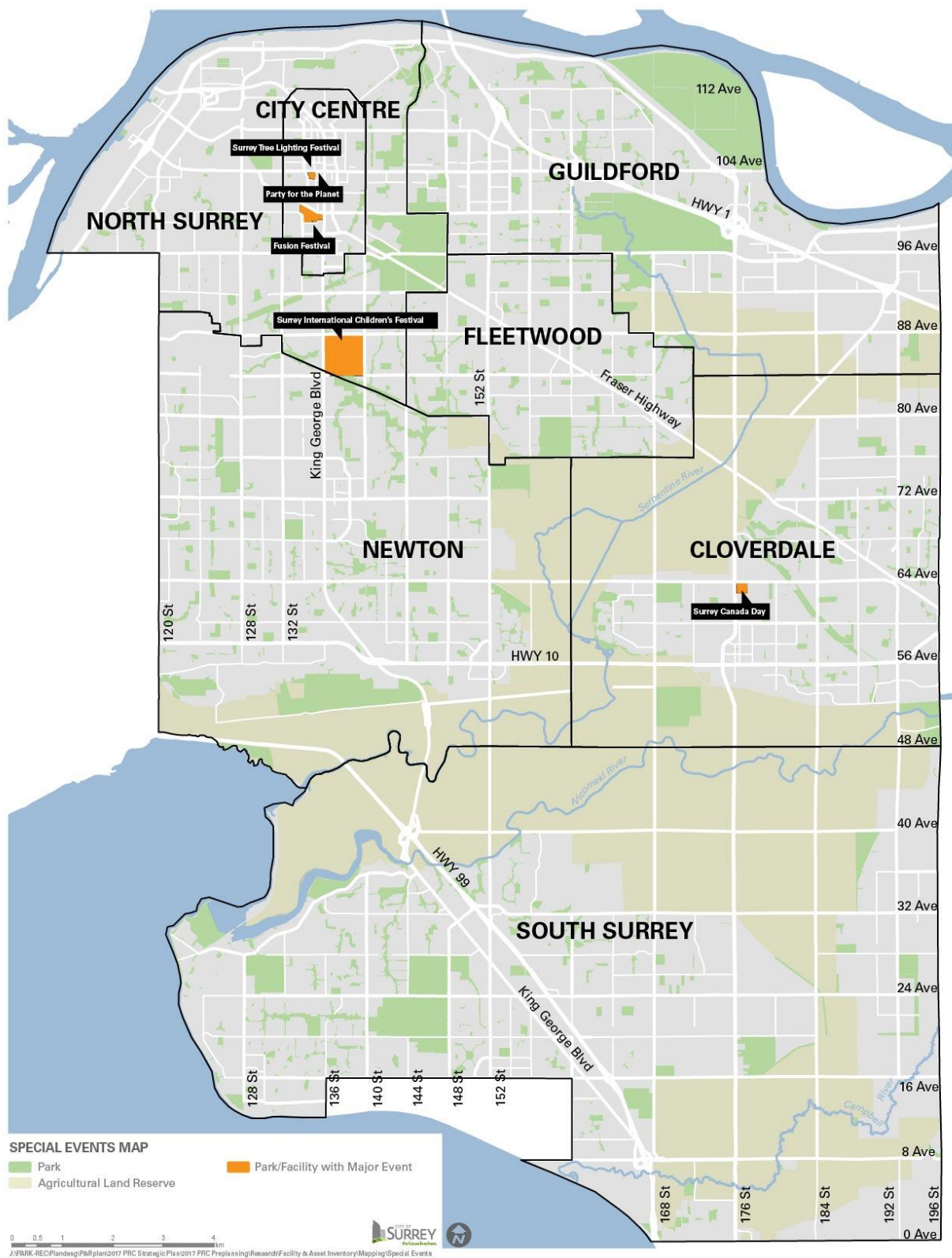
The City also hosts annual community-level festivals in each town centre.

- Fleetwood Festival
- South Surrey Festival
- SurreyFest – North Surrey
- Newton Community Festival
- Youth Fest – Guildford Recreation Centre

Other major festivals and events:

The City supports and partners on the organization and delivery of other major arts and cultural events and festivals organized and managed by others such as:

- Cloverdale Rodeo
- Surrey International Writer's Conference
- Vaisakhi Festival
- Outdoor concerts in Holland Park
- Culture Days
- Doors Open



Awards

Overview

The City Awards Program recognizes significant achievements made by businesses and community leaders. There are three awards related to parks, recreation and culture: community beautification, environmental stewardship, and heritage.

The three awards are:

- ***Beautiful City Award*** – recognizes residents, community groups, organizations, and businesses that make outstanding contributions towards the beautification and improvement of Surrey’s public spaces.
- ***Green City Award*** – recognizes and celebrates significant contributions of individuals, non-profit groups, or community groups who enhance Surrey’s natural environment or who educate and create awareness about sustainability.
- ***Heritage in the City Award*** - recognizes residents, community groups, organizations, and businesses that make significant contributions toward the identification, preservation, and promotion of Surrey’s unique heritage.

Other awards programs run by the City include:

- ***Surrey Poet Laureate*** – A two year honorary position who acts as an ambassador for the City of Surrey and the people of Surrey, advocating for literacy and the literary arts. This program is managed by Surrey Public Libraries
- ***Surrey Civic Treasure Award*** – recognizes and celebrates significant contributors to Surrey’s cultural sector.
- ***SASSY Awards*** - The Service Above Self Surrey Youth Award in a local Rotary scholarship awards program for youth aged 15-21 living or studying in Surrey or White Rock who demonstrate the ideals of Rotary.

Surrey School District Facilities

Overview

The Surrey School District (SD 36) provides and coordinates rental space at elementary and secondary schools to community groups, businesses, individuals and the City of Surrey. SD 36 rents gymnasiums, theatres, classrooms, meeting rooms, and playing fields. In addition, elementary schools provide playgrounds and park space for children. The School Districts sports fields are inventoried separate from the City of Surrey's sports fields, though a joint-use agreement exists for sports fields.

The following is a list of the number of facilities and amenities the School District provides:

- 140 gymnasiums
- 108 grass sports fields
- 64 gravel sports fields
- 50 daycare facilities
- 261 playgrounds
- 14 theatres (Chandos Patterson in Pacific Academy and Bell Theatre in Sullivan Height Secondary are noted in the Arts Section as they are considered to be professional theatre spaces).

Private Facilities in Surrey

- 507 Public and Private Child Care facilities
- 45 fitness studios or gyms

