

# BLANDING CITY

## EXISTING PARKS AND TRAILS SYSTEM

### LEGEND



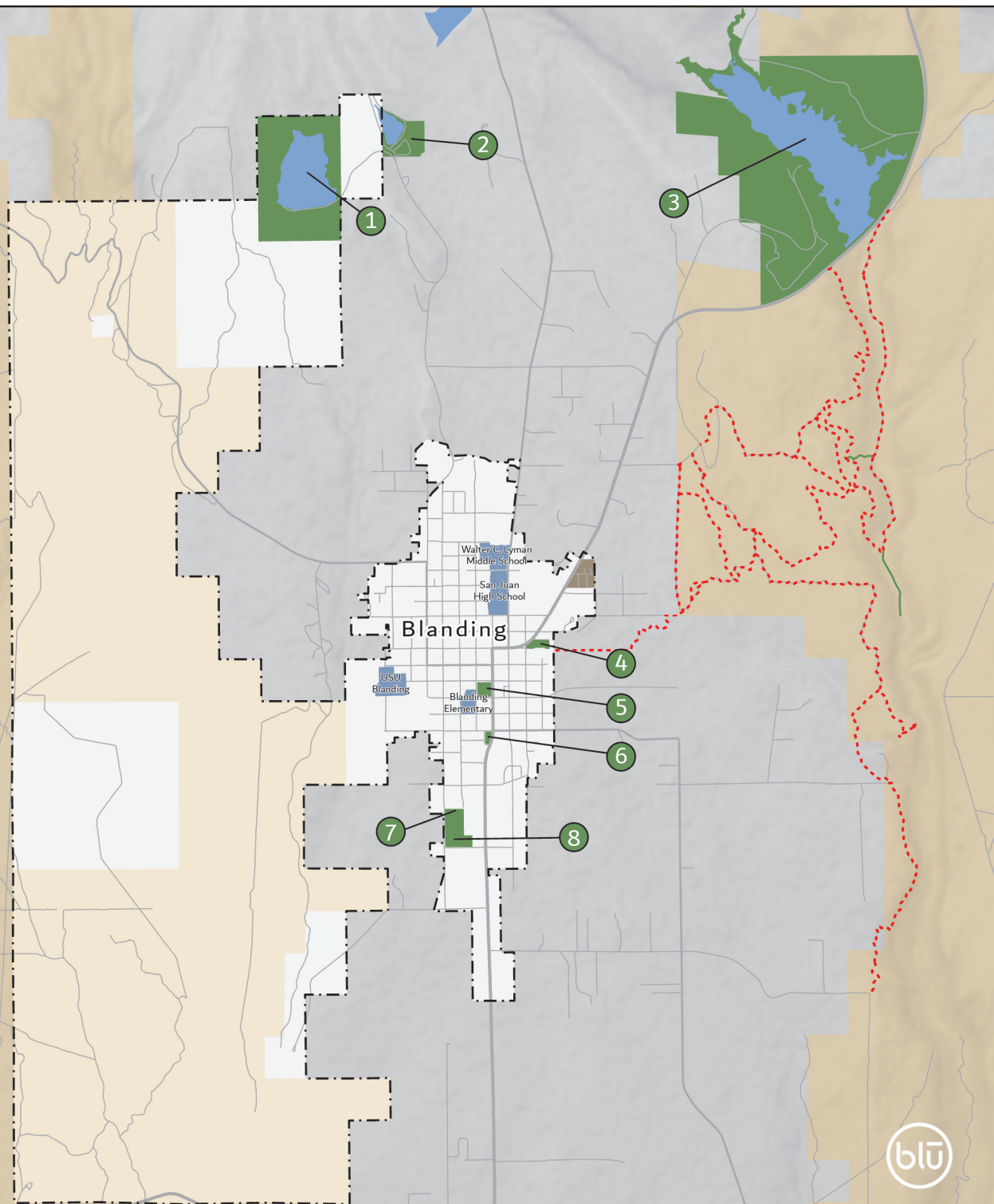
PARK  
SCHOOL  
CEMETERY

### TRAIL TYPE



ATV/UTV/MOTORCYCLE  
PEDESTRIAN TRAIL  
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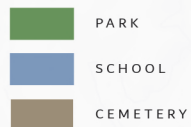
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## EXISTING PARK DISTRIBUTION SERVICE ANALYSIS

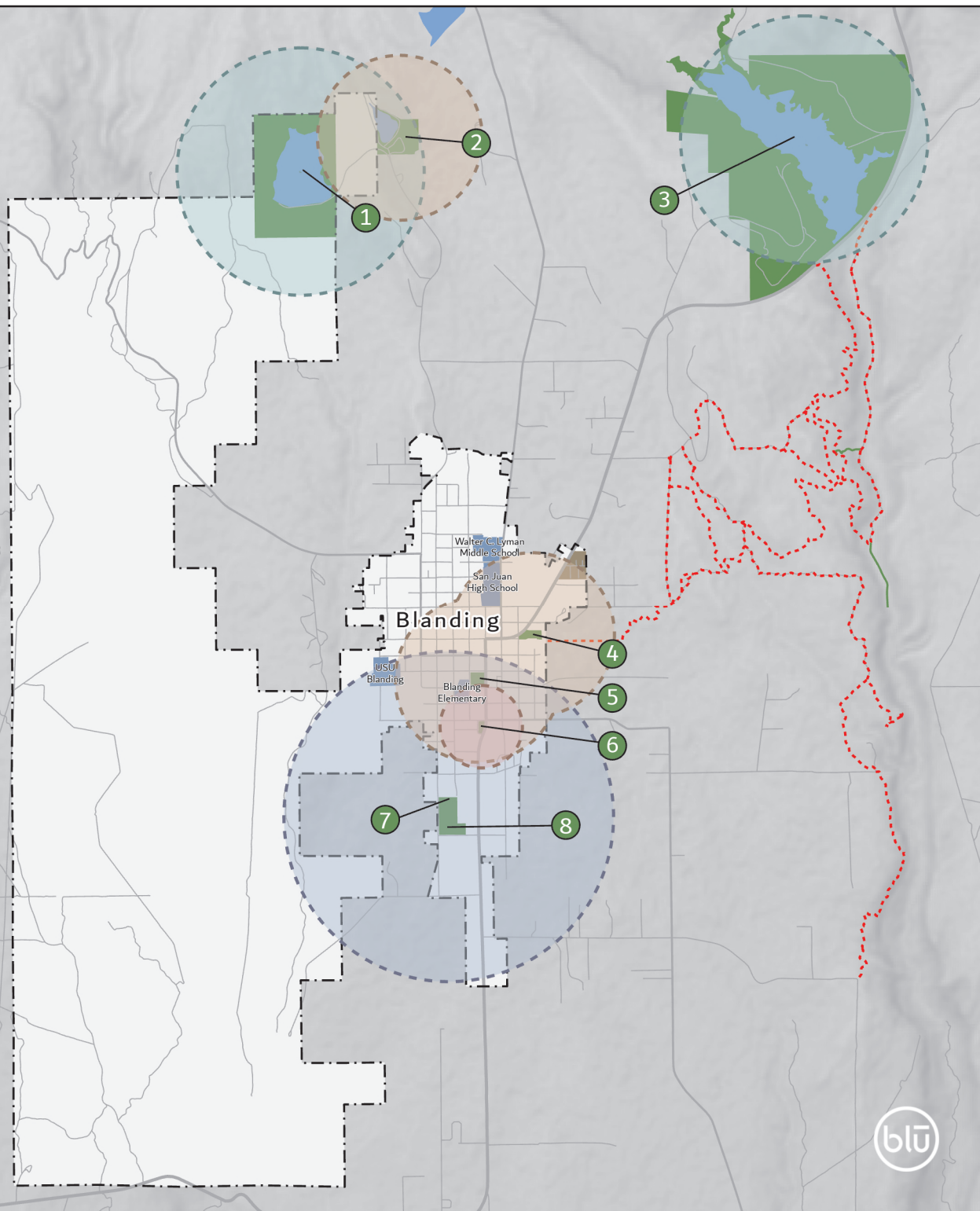
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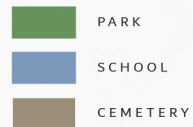




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## PROPOSED PARK DISTRIBUTION SERVICE ANALYSIS

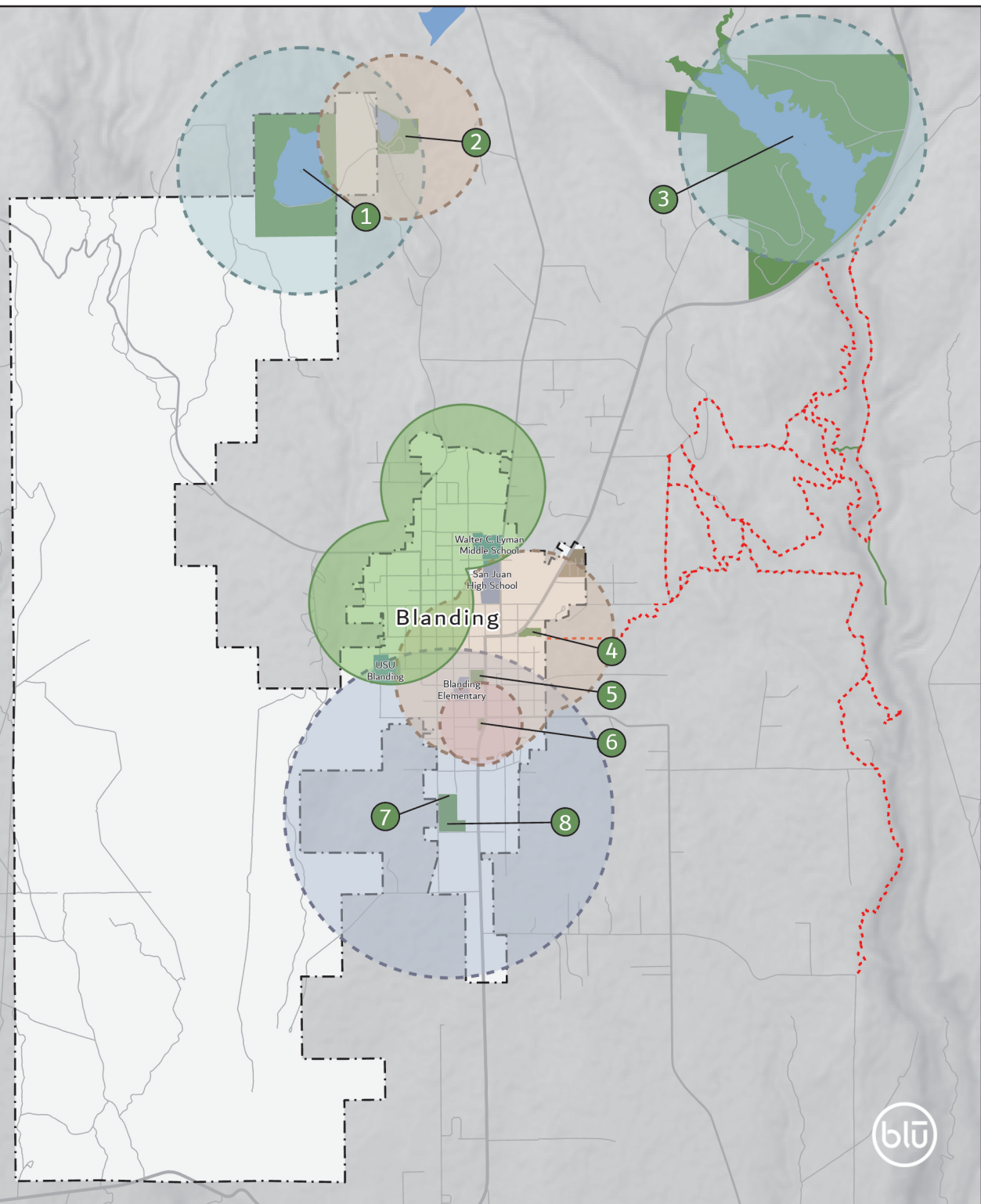
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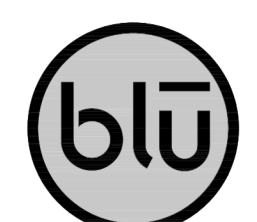




Large Neighborhood Park Typical (8-10 Acres)



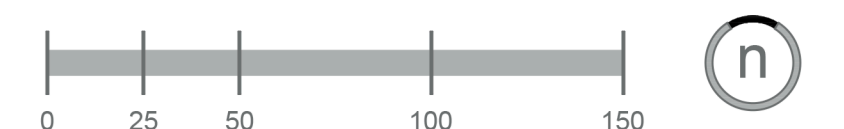
Small Neighborhood Park Typical (4-6 Acres)



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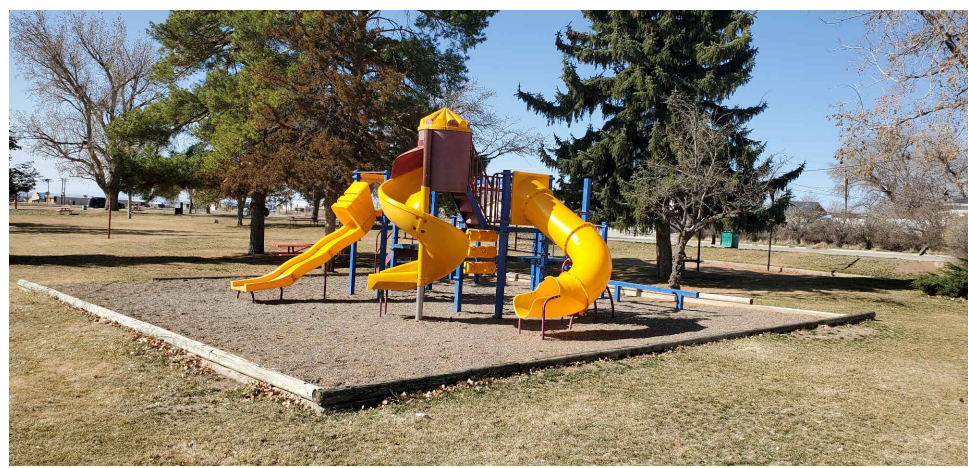
## Blanding Parks, Recreation, Trails & Open Space Master Plan





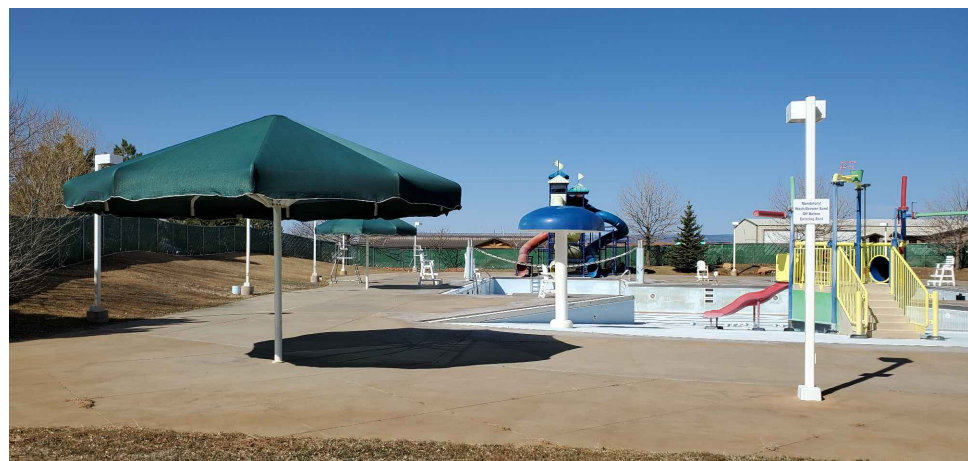
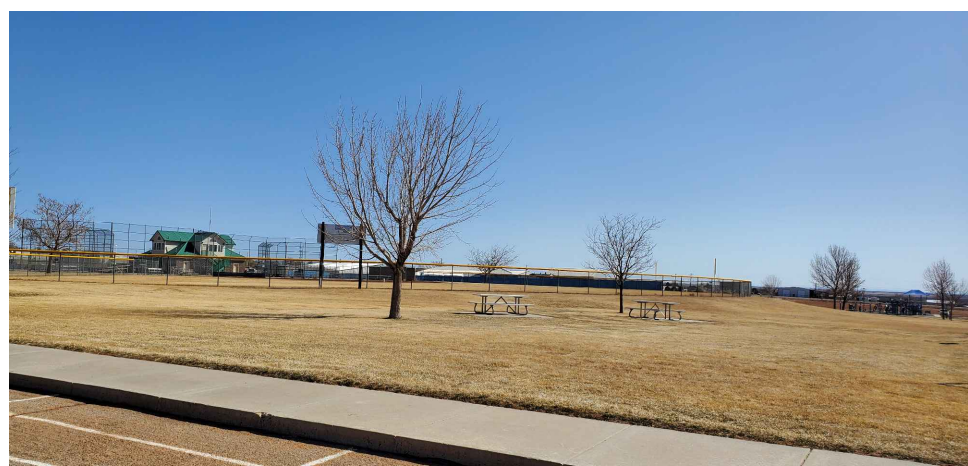
# PARK TYPOLOGIES

## POCKET PARK



Pocket parks are generally less than one (1) acre in size, often located between buildings or homes in areas with few other places for people to gather, relax, or to enjoy the outdoors. they are small-scale open spaces that provide a safe and inviting environment for surrounding community members. They also may have specific historic or cultural significance. Due to size, amenities may be limited and generally passive in use.

## COMMUNITY PARK



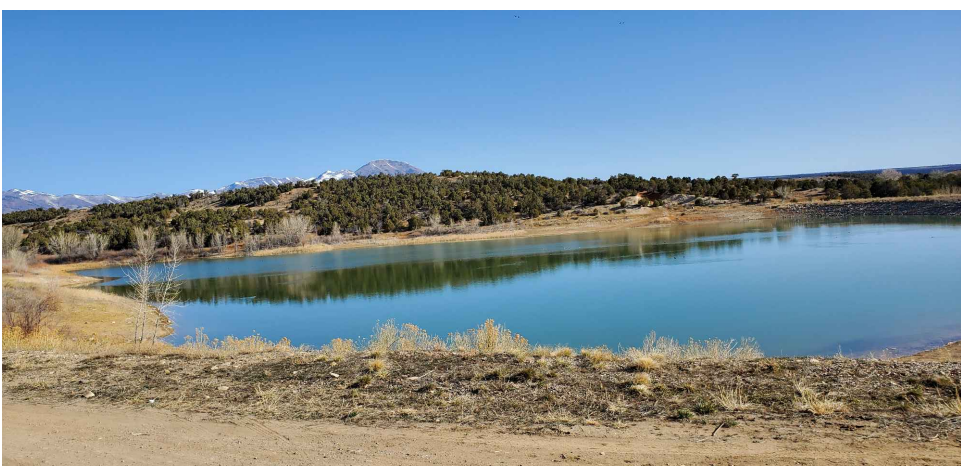
Community parks are generally at least ten (10) acres in size and may include ball fields, pavilions, formal and semi-formal landscaping, sport courts, lighting for playing fields and along pedestrian paths and other community-wide recreational amenities. These parks are developed based on the city's overall community recreation needs according to citizen input, National Parks and Recreation Association (NRPA) standards, and funding opportunities. These parks often become central gathering spaces for a community where festivals, markets, outdoor entertainment, and sport tournaments are conducted. To maintain a central gathering place within the city, these parks should be enhanced and retrofitted to serve not only recreation needs but also the social and cultural needs of the city.

## NEIGHBORHOOD PARK



Neighborhood parks are generally a minimum of 2 1/2 acres and less than 10 acres in size and located to provide easy and convenient access from surrounding residential development. Typical amenities may include playground equipment, small sports/tennis courts, picnic tables, and walking paths.

## OPEN SPACE PARK



Open space "parks" are intended for the enjoyment and awareness of the natural habitat and wildlife that exists in the non-developed areas of the city, though minimal development may occur to facilitate access and provide convenience. They serve as recreation and learning opportunities with typical uses such as picnic areas, hiking and biking trails, trailheads, interpretive signage, and general low-impact recreation. The location of these parks can be used to limit the development impacts on wildlife corridors and critical habitat. These parks may also be strategically located to preserve view corridors, mitigate geologic hazards around developments or limit impacts to wetlands. These open space parks can often be developed with the partnership of other government entities and funds.

# TRAIL TYPOLOGIES

## NATURAL SURFACE TRAIL



This type of trail is a more narrow soft surface or natural trail for equestrian and non-motorized use in mountainous, open space, and/or natural areas where the need for a paved trail is not needed nor appropriate.

## MULTI-USE TRAIL



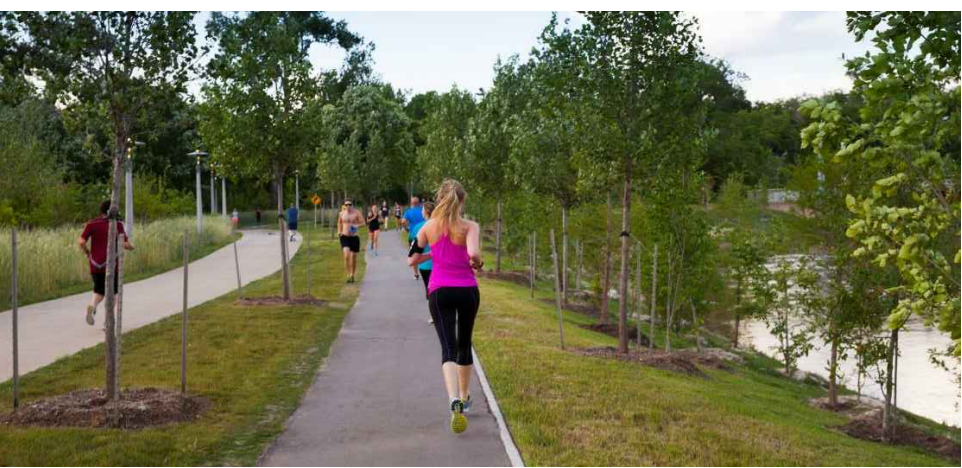
This type of trail would typically consist of an asphalt or natural path wide enough to accommodate bicyclists, joggers and other non-motorized recreationists. These trails could occur on the periphery of Blanding and provide connections between the city's urban core to less developed areas, natural areas, and regional trails/amenities outside of the city boundaries.

## ATV/UTV TRAIL



ATV/UTV trails are designated for motorized off-road recreation vehicles. They are commonly found in more natural or rural areas. These will provide long distance connections between rural recreational areas.

## URBAN TRAIL

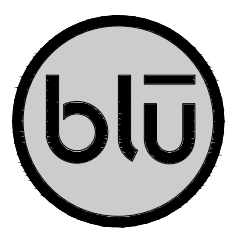


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## EQUESTRIAN TRAIL



This type of trail typically occurs as a companion to the Urban and Multi-use trails described above that provides a separate and parallel trail of natural or soft surface construction for equestrian riders.



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