Gretna City Park

In the 1930s, a group of residential and community visionaries wanted to give a special gift to the future generations of their community. They wanted a safe place for their children, a place that instilled a vision of pride and maintained the area's natural beauty. This vision became Gretna City Park, which today, serves as a regional park with international rugby fields, and is considered to be the heart of the Gretna community.

Moore Planning Group, LLC (MPG) facilitated a renewed vision for the park through public workshop meetings that included presentation of analysis work and citizens' visions. Gretna citizens expressed wants and needs that included a neighborhood identity, sense of community pride, recreational amenities, and aesthetic improvements. They also expressed the desire for a nature preservation and education facility that coordinated with an adjacent school.

Moore Planning Group's Master Plan soon became a community-wide effort that resulted in a true sense of place for the neighborhood and the entire city. Today, citizens and visitors alike enjoy the many park amenities that make this park one of the most popular places in their community.

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