

**Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
Monitoring the Implementation of Property Master Plans**

Property or Properties: Capital Springs State Recreation Area (State Park Unit)

Year Master Plan was Approved: 2010

**Property-wide**

<p><b>MASTER PLAN OBJECTIVES</b></p> <p>Real Estate Mtg.</p>	<p><b>Recent Park Land Acquisitions / Transactions</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Acquire acreage within the project boundary totaling 491 acres.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Accomplishments 2012</b></p>	<p><i>Dane County Parks purchased .49 acres of residential property within the master plan boundary to provide improved and safer access from the campground to the pet exercise and disc golf area.</i></p>

**Recreation**

<p><b>MASTER PLAN OBJECTIVES</b></p> <p>Recreation Mtg.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construct 2.5 miles of hiking trails</li> <li>Construct 0.75 mile bike trail</li> <li>Construct an Amphitheater</li> <li>Construct two Observation Decks</li> <li>Construct a small rustic campground</li> <li>Construct an observation tower.</li> <li>Construct a parking lot</li> <li>Construct a shop building</li> </ul>
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<b>Accomplishments 2012</b>	<i>None</i>
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**Vegetation Management**

<b>MASTER PLAN OBJECTIVES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create an Oak Savanna Demonstration Area</li> <li>• Plant Southern Dry-Mesic Forest within the border area Maintain approximately 25 acres of oak and aspen dominated stands.</li> <li>• Protect wetlands</li> <li>• Maintain and enhance the Scenic Shoreland Management Zone</li> </ul>
Vegetative Mtg.	
<b>Accomplishments 2012</b>	<i>Continuing maintenance on the .5 mile line of oak nursery that will be transplanted for Oak Savanna. Minor invasive management of scenic shoreline area. 20 acres of crop production pulled from contacted for 2013 prairie planting.</i>