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## **Mountwood Park** Wood County, WV

**Services:**  
Inventory & Analysis  
Design Charette  
Stake Holder Meetings  
Conceptual Development

**Role: Prime**

**Project Size: 2000 acres**

**Project Cost: NA**



Mountwood Park commissioned Hays LAS to facilitate park commission training, park inventory, park analysis, public stakeholder meetings and concept design brainstorming meetings or “charettes.”

The project started in January of 2007 at the Mountwood Park Commission Retreat with a new service, termed “Vision in Practice” or VIP, provided by Principal Gabe Hays and Dr. Sarah Mahan-Hays of Ohio University’s Interpersonal Communications Department. This process allowed the Commissioners and Executive Director to establish the values, mission and vision for the park. Furthermore, the role of the Park Commission/Board versus the role of the Park Director/Executive Director was outlined. Also discussed and considered were the first steps in park planning including the inventory, analysis, and stakeholder meetings.