



October 16, 2023

Norfolk City Council and Patrick Roberts, City Manager
810 Union Street
Norfolk, VA 23510

Honorable Mayor, City Council, and Mr. Roberts:

Regarding the future use of the remaining Lamberts Point Golf Course land, our Larchmont Edgewater Civic League (LECL) Board of Directors joins the growing list of city organizations in support of converting the land in question to a public Lamberts Point City Park (LPCP).

On August 28, 2023 a group of LPCP advocates briefed our civic league on the merits of a park, and we had an informative discussion. The preponderance of the heavily-attended meeting expressed excitement about the possibility of having a nearby park for all to use. Of note, there is no city park in this general area of Norfolk, and the conversion supports planNorfolk2030 (Chapter 10, Enjoying Daily Life – Parks and Recreation).

We believe this is a rare opportunity to enrich the daily lives of our neighbors and create an extraordinary legacy for generations of Norfolk citizens.

On behalf of the LECL Board of Directors, thank you for your consideration -- and leadership.

Respectfully,

Mike

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