

# RIVERSCAPE METROPARK

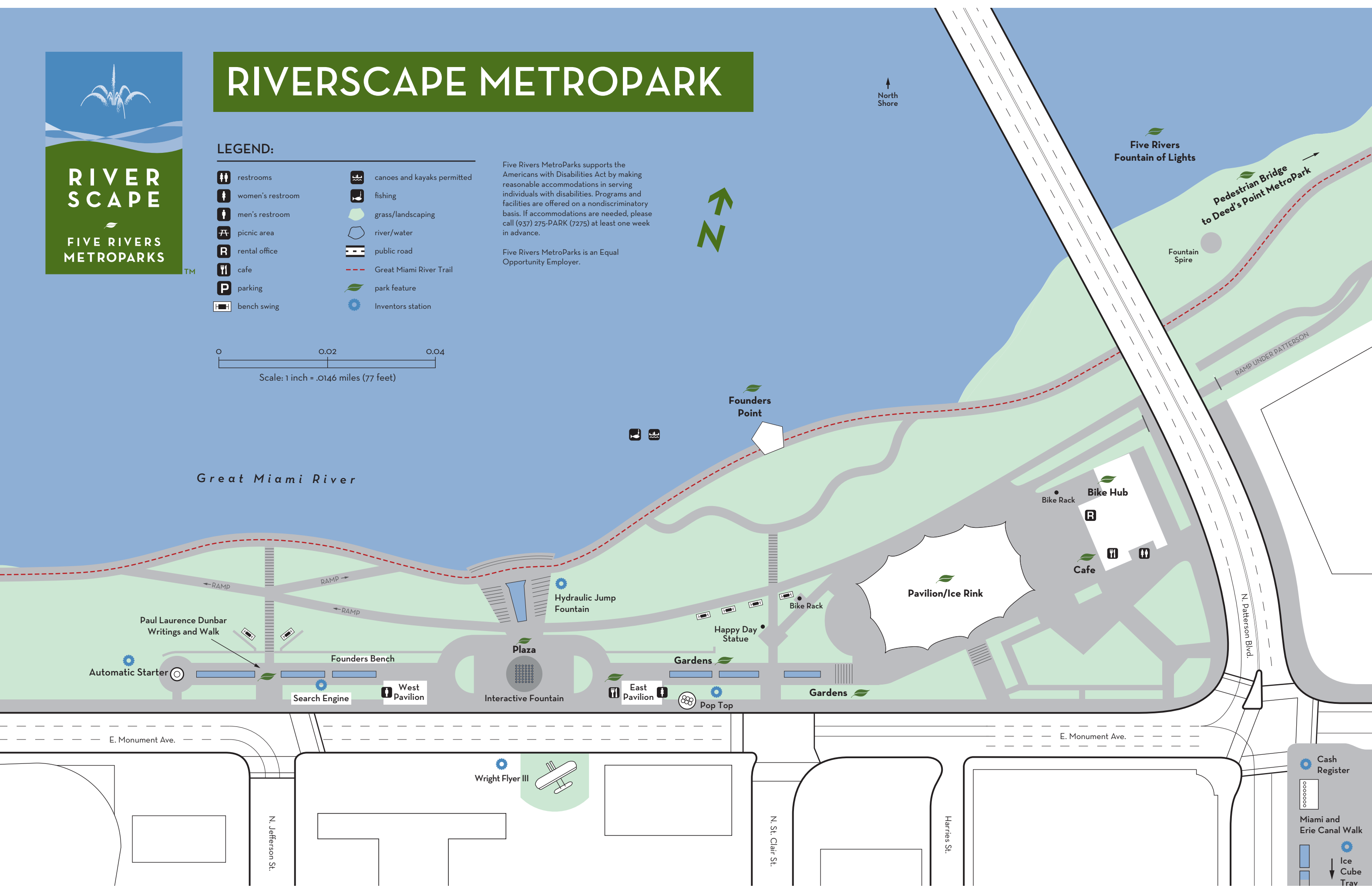
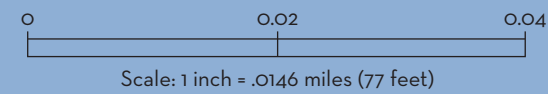


## LEGEND:

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| restrooms        | canoes and kayaks permitted |
| women's restroom | fishing                     |
| men's restroom   | grass/landscaping           |
| picnic area      | river/water                 |
| rental office    | public road                 |
| cafe             | Great Miami River Trail     |
| parking          | park feature                |
| bench swing      | Inventors station           |

Five Rivers MetroParks supports the Americans with Disabilities Act by making reasonable accommodations in serving individuals with disabilities. Programs and facilities are offered on a nondiscriminatory basis. If accommodations are needed, please call (937) 275-PARK (7275) at least one week in advance.

Five Rivers MetroParks is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



## PARK FEATURES

### THE PAVILION

This covered pavilion is perfect for enjoying festivals, community events, free entertainment or just a relaxing lunch with friends. In the winter, the pavilion houses a large ice skating rink.

### CAFÉ

RiverScape has two concessions to satisfy your hunger: The Fountain Snack Bar offers 10 flavors of ice cream, snacks and other tasty treats throughout the summer. The café is open for lunch, special events and concerts in the summer and ice skating in the winter.

### FIVE RIVERS FOUNTAIN OF LIGHTS

The Five Rivers Fountain of Lights is created by five water jets housed in concrete towers and a powerful center geyser. The towers straddle the confluence of the Great Miami and Mad rivers just east of the Riverside Bridge and shoot 2,500 gallons of water per minute toward the center of the river. The central geyser rises from the jets to a majestic 200' in the air. Covering 395,000 square feet across an 800' diameter, the Five Rivers Fountain of Lights is one of the largest fountains in the world.

### FESTIVAL PLAZA

Tables and chairs are scattered throughout the plaza. Enjoy the breeze off the river and be surrounded by stunning gardens. In summer, bring the kids in swimsuits to enjoy the interactive fountain.

### PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR WALK

RiverScape pays tribute to the works of native Daytonian poet Paul Laurence Dunbar. Several of his poems are etched in stone at the top of the staircase at the west end of the park.

### GARDENS

RiverScape MetroPark features beautiful gardens that include hanging baskets, life-size flower pots and beds overflowing with annuals, perennials and tropical plants. Many of the plants are labeled with botanical and common names so that you can be inspired for your own home garden. Our garden creates an oasis along the river in downtown Dayton. We invite you to pull up a chair and enjoy the beauty.

### BIKE HUB

This facility offers bicycling enthusiasts and commuters a welcoming place to park their bikes. In addition to safe, secure bicycle parking, commuter hub members have access to private lockers, showers and changing areas. Water, refreshments, air pumps and places to rest are available to all cyclists, as well as rental bicycles on weekends and holidays Memorial Day through Labor Day.

### FOUNDERS POINT

Can you name the five rivers of Five Rivers MetroParks? Confirm your best guess by wandering down to the five-sided pavilion at the edge of the Great Miami River, which features each of the names around its cap. This pavilion marks the location of where the first settlers of Dayton arrived by boat on April 1, 1796.

### DEED'S POINT

Take a short walk over the pedestrian bridge to Deed's Point to see a bronze statue of Wilbur and Orville Wright, as well as an aviation timeline exhibit that serves as an ongoing reminder of the importance of the Wright brothers and Dayton to aviation history. The park also has a monument - Dayton Peace Accord - that symbolizes the agreement for peace between Bosnia and Herzegovina reached in Dayton on November 21, 1995.