

Aukerman Park



- **Type:** Natural surface
- **Length:** ± 0.4 mile “Meadow Trail” loop; ± 2.8 acre new park from 14 acre parcel
- **Cost Acquisition:** \$219,000 (\$180,000 City of North Royalton, fee simple; \$39,000 Cleveland Metroparks, conservation easement)
- **Cost Park Improvements:** \$145,000 (\$90,000 NatureWorks/ODNR; \$55,000 Cleveland Metroparks)

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Park Improvement Plan



The Good Stuff

- **Amenities:** New picnic pavilion, restrooms, and informational kiosk, along with dog agility course and ± 0.4-mile Meadow Trail
- **Connections to other non- project assets:** Meadow Trail connects to all purpose trail (APT) on Valley Parkway at the western end of Brecksville Reservation near Mill Stream Run Reservation

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Unique!

- **Benefits to the Public:** Preservation of land from a 100+ year old farm that was added to Brecksville Reservation; dog agility course
- **Environmental enhancements:** Acquisition allowed for demolition of existing buildings and restoration of meadow
- **Opened Oct. 14, 2015** with members of the Aukerman family at the ribbon cutting!

