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Final Days of Swimming at Outdoor Pools *Family Aquatic Parks Remain Open through Labor Day*

Milwaukee, WI (Aug. 12, 2016) – The final days of the Milwaukee County outdoor pool season are quickly approaching, but family aquatic parks at Greenfield and Lincoln parks will remain open through Labor Day.

Most splash pads will be open through Sunday, Aug. 14. These splash pads are at Carver, Clarke Square, Dineen, Gordon, Lindbergh, Madison, and Washington parks. The new Moody Park Splash Pad will remain open through Aug. 21.

Wading pools will close on a staggered schedule. Open through Aug. 14 are pools at Columbus, Cooper, Hales Corners, Jacobus, Rainbow, Smith, Tiefenthaler, Walker Square, and West Milwaukee parks.

Open through Aug. 21 are wading pools at Alcott, Algonquin, Greene, Holler, Humboldt, Kops, LaFollette, Lindsay, Lyons, McCarty, Mitchell, Pulaski-Cudahy, Saveland, Sheridan, Sherman, Tippecanoe, Wahl, Washington, and Wedgewood parks.

Deep-well pools will be open through Aug. 21. Pools are located at Hales Corners, Holler, Jackson, Kosciuszko (Pelican Cove), McCarty, Oak Creek Parkway (Grobschmidt Pool), Sheridan, Washington, and Wilson parks.

Milwaukee County's two family aquatic parks, Cool Waters in Greenfield Park and the David F. Schulz Aquatic Center in Lincoln Park, will remain open through Labor Day. On the holiday, Cool Waters will be open through 4 p.m. to prepare for this year's earlier Doggie Dip.

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After Cool Waters has closed for the “human swimming season,” and before it is drained for the year, it will open for the Doggie Dip at 4:30 p.m. Whether fearless about diving for tennis balls or wearing a personal floatation device, dogs of all abilities, breeds, and sizes are welcome to come for a swim in the pool.

For more information on the pools or the doggie dip, visit countyparks.com or call (414) 257-8098.

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