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### ***NOMINATE OUR CITY TO RECEIVE A \$20K GRANT DURING EARTH MONTH*** *City with the most nominations gets a grant for a local park through “Meet Me at the Park” Earth Month Campaign*

Brooksville, Florida, March 29, 2018 – For the fourth year in a row, the National Recreation Park Association (NRPA) is collaborating with The Walt Disney Company – including Disney/ABC Television Group and ESPN – to help fund local park improvement projects across the country through the national “Meet Me at the Park” Earth Month Campaign. The City that receives the most nominations will receive a \$20,000 grant to improve a local park.

Our local park makes Brooksville a better place to live and shape so many of our lives. Parks are essential to our city’s health and wellbeing. They provide safe places to be active and enjoy nature—and they help preserve the environment and bring people together. That’s why from April 1 to April 30 Brooksville residents will have the opportunity to nominate our city to receive \$20,000 in grant funding to make improvements at Tom Varn Park.

By visiting [NRPA.org/Disney](http://NRPA.org/Disney), park supporters can nominate our city. At the end of April, the city with the most nominations will receive the grant funding. Everyone who nominates a city will be entered into a drawing for a GoPro Prize Pack.

During April, a public service announcement (PSA) supporting the Meet Me at the Park campaign will be shared with audiences across Disney, including ESPN, ABC Television Network, ABC-owned and affiliate stations, Freeform, Disney Channel, Disney XD, Disney Junior, the ABC app and other digital platforms.

This Earth Month, Brooksville can show what Tom Varn Park means to our community by nominating our great city. Encourage your friends to nominate our city by taking a selfie in Tom Varn Park and using the hashtags #MeetMeAtThePark, #Parkies and #Celebrate Earth.

For more information and to nominate Brooksville’s Tom Varn Park, visit [www.NRPA.org/DisneyMeetMeAtThePark](http://www.NRPA.org/DisneyMeetMeAtThePark).

Both promotions (defined below) begin at 12 a.m. ET on April 1, 2018 and conclude at 11:59 p.m. ET on April 30, 2018 and you can **Vote Daily**. No Purchase Necessary to participate. The NRPA Meet Me at the Park Promotion and Voter’s Sweepstakes (collectively, “promotions”) are open to legal residents of the 50 US & DC, who are 18 years of age or older. For complete details and Official Rules for both promotions, visit [www.meetmeatthepark.org](http://www.meetmeatthepark.org)

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