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PARKS & RECREATION MASTER PLAN

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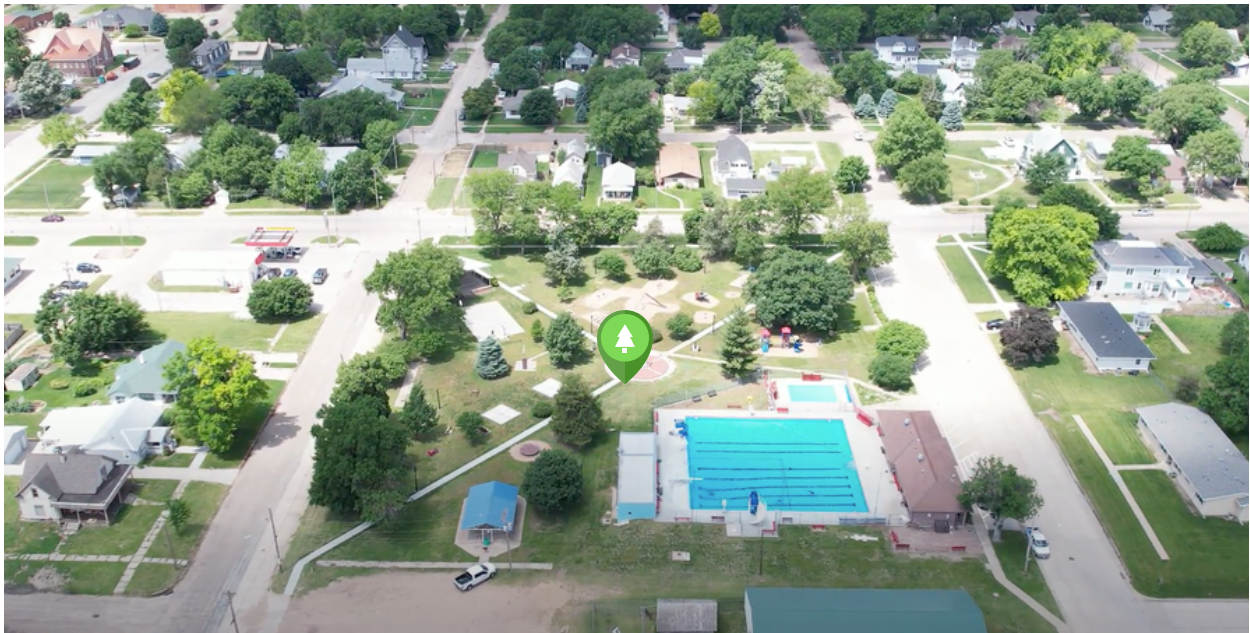
PARKS & RECREATION BUILD COMMUNITY

City parks provide access to recreational opportunities, increase property values, spur local economies, combat crime, and help protect cities from environmental impact.

- Planning and programming that engages residents in the design of their local parks fosters a sense of community and helps ensure that the parks reflect the needs of the community.
- City parks increase community engagement and reduce crime.
- Physical activity can reduce or prevent many physical and mental health problems.
- Parks attract residents and businesses, increase revenue for cities, spur private investment, and increase job opportunities
- Cities are integrating parks with their infrastructure plans to manage stormwater and mitigate flooding. Cost-sharing across agencies can save money on park creation, maintenance, and programming; allowing cities to fully leverage the many benefits of parks to cities and residents.
- Vibrant parks and green spaces are at the center of resilient and equitable cities, and increasingly, agencies and public officials are leveraging the many benefits of parks to meet their city-wide equity goals.

Source: City Parks Alliance

CITY PARKS MAKE CITIES MORE RESILIENT



Five Rule Rural Planning is honored to be partnered with Superior, guiding them through projects such as this Parks & Recreation Capital Improvement Initiative. We have aligned with design and engineering professionals that are genuinely dedicated to making this vision a success for your Community Members and Leadership Team.

We appreciate all of the continued interest and involvement as we work with you on creating a holistic approach to City Planning that includes Working Together to make things happen and continue raising the vibration in your town.

With Sincere Gratitude, the FIVE RULE Team

PROJECTS CREATE MOMENTUM AND GROWTH

2012

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE

The City updated its comprehensive plan and set numerous goals that have since been achieved. This decision spurred a decade of steady and consistent progress.

2012

NUISANCE ABATEMENT PROGRAM

Establishment of the Nuisance Abatement Program (NAP).

2013

DEMOLITION OF DILAPIDATED STRUCTURES

Ongoing demolition of deteriorated structures. To date, more than 50 structures have been demolished.

2014

DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION GRANT

Awarded a Downtown Revitalization Planning Grant.

2015

APPLICATION WAS APPROVED AND BECAME A LEADERSHIP CERTIFIED COMMUNITY

Received Leadership Certified Community status from Nebraska Department of Economic Development.

2016

DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION PROJECT

Completion of the Downtown Revitalization Project.

2017

ASSISTED LIVING REDEVELOPMENT

Redevelopment of former elementary school into new assisted living facility, creating 32 new units.

2018

AWARDED AN INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT

Awarded Pedestrian Transportation and Stormwater Management Planning Grant.

2019

AWARDED PUBLIC WORKS GRANT

Awarded Public Works grant for rehabilitating the community's pedestrian transportation routes.

2020

CITY SALES TAX RENEWAL

Renewal of City sales tax to be used for community quality-of-life projects.

2021

AWARDED MASTER PLANNING GRANT FOR PARKS & RECREATION

Awarded Park and Recreation Master Plan Planning Grant.

2022

WORKFORCE HOUSING PROJECT

Completion of workforce housing project, resulting in new construction of two new single family homes.

2022

SIDEWALK PROJECT COMPLETION

Completion of new sidewalks, connecting the community to Superior Public Schools, Downtown, and City Park.

2023

MONTANA MEADOWS CONSTRUCTION

Construction of Montana Meadows that will result in the new construction of three townhomes.

2023

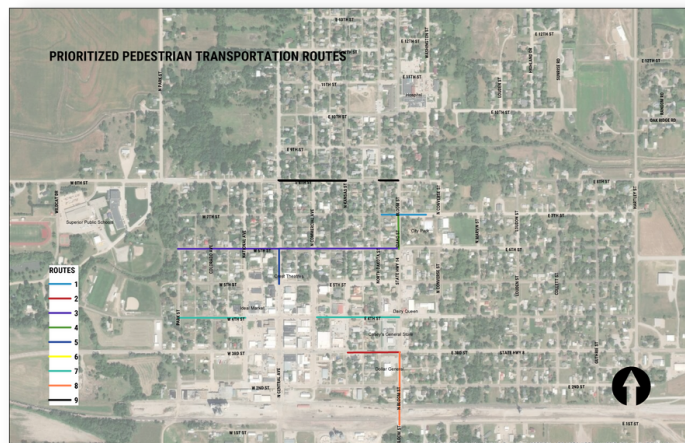
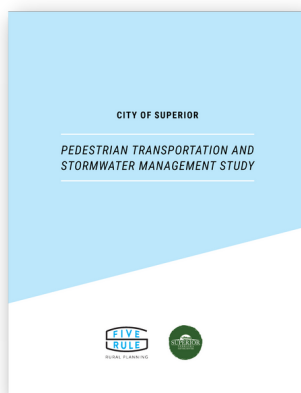
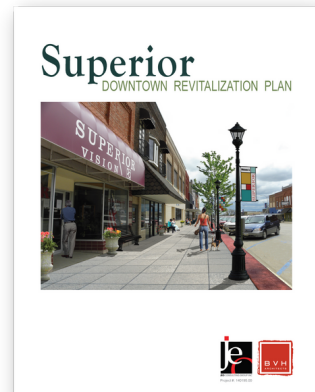
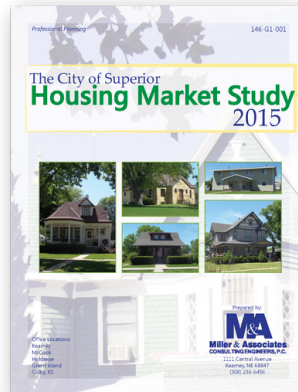
ADOPTION OF PARKS & RECREATION MASTER PLAN

Adoption of a park and recreation master plan represents the progress that Superior has made, continuing to improve multiple components of its community. This plan demonstrates the Community's optimism toward its future and belief in itself to continue growing and improving the quality of life for their residents.

PLAN DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

HOLISTIC CITY PLANNING

The City of Superior updated its comprehensive development plan for the first time in 2012. Since that time, the city has continued to make and implement plans to improve the overall health, wellbeing, and quality of life for its residents. Most recently, the city completed a pedestrian transportation study that led to the construction of new sidewalks connecting the community's anchors-Brodstone Memorial Hospital, City Park, Downtown Superior, and Superior Public Schools. Prior to the new sidewalk, the city completed an overall downtown revitalization project, and has made steady progress on improving its housing stock.



WHAT'S NEXT: PARKS & RECREATION MASTER PLANNING

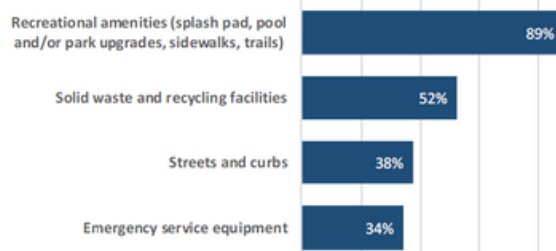
Upon completion of the Superior Park and Recreation Master Plan, the City of Superior will move forward to systematically prioritize, fund, build, and maintain community amenities that will enhance the overall quality of life in Superior. Creating a master plan to improve its parks, recreation, and overall quality of life is a natural next step in improving the lives of current and future residents. In 2020, the city was awarded Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds handed down through the Nebraska Department of Economic Development (DED) by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The city matched this award to partner with FIVE RULE Rural Planning and Olsson in the creation of this park and recreation plan.

COMMUNITY SUPPORT

In partnership with the South Central Economic Development District (SCEDD), the community participated in a Community Needs Assessment Survey (CNAS) that evaluated residents' current satisfaction with life in Superior and identified community improvements that were most wanted. The results of the CNAS showed strong support for increasing the city's sales tax. If approved, residents also showed strong support for using those funds to improve the overall park, recreation, and quality of life amenities in Superior.

To further investigate the types of projects households would support funding through an increase in sales tax, respondents who would support an increase were provided a list of potential activities and projects to choose from. Respondents were allowed to choose more than one option. The option of *Recreational amenities* was the most popular, with 89% of respondents indicating this option as a preferred use. *Solid waste and recycling facilities* was the next popular option, with 52% of respondents indicating it would be a preferred use.

Preferred uses, if sales tax increase was approved:



QUALITY OF LIFE INVESTMENT

The City Council moved forward with asking the community to vote and approve an increase in the local sales tax. The ballot question identified that the revenues would be utilized for community development projects that included community improvement and park and recreational projects. On March 10, 2020, the majority of registered voters approved the sales tax. The registered voters of the Superior community decided to renew and increase its local sales tax with the purpose of completing community development and other quality of life projects.

Shall the Mayor and City Council of the City of Superior change the sales and use tax?

"Shall the Mayor and City Council of the City of Superior, Nebraska change the sales and use tax previously authorized at one percent (1%) and impose a sales and use tax in the amount of one and one-half percent (1 ½%) upon the same transactions within the City of Superior on which the State of Nebraska is authorized to impose a tax, for a fifteen-year period beginning on or about April 1, 2020 and ending on or about March 31, 2035, with the proceeds of at least \$75,000 annually to be used for the purpose of financing the Superior, Nebraska Economic Development Program established under the Superior Economic Development Plan pursuant to the Nebraska Local Option Municipal Economic Development Act, and with the balance of the proceeds to fund general City obligations for capital purchases, community improvements, recreational and quality of life improvements, and other economic development activities, estimated to be approximately \$300,000 annually?"

- ☐ YES (for the sales tax)
- ☐ NO (against the sales tax)

PROJECT FOCUS AREAS

The park and recreation master planning process considered the city's two main parks: City Park located in the center of the city and Lincoln Park, located on the west side of the city, directly adjacent to Superior Public Schools Campus. The planning process also considered quality of life amenities provided by separate non-profit organizations to include: Crest Theatre, located in the downtown, Simic Roller Skating Rink located along Highway 14, Superior Country Club, located northeast of the city, the City Library, located near downtown, and the City Auditorium, located near the library.



COMMUNITY INPUT

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OVERALL

This plan was made possible by the time and input provided by numerous members of the Superior community. Beginning with focus groups held at Crest Theatre in April 2022 and ending with a final community presentation at the Superior Public Library in October 2022, residents were engaged throughout the process.

The following organized community engagement exercises provided valuable input from a range of participants:

- **SPRING FOCUS GROUPS:** Community and park advocates gathered at Crest Theatre in April to discuss proposed park improvements and enhancements. This exercise began with a review of the proposed projects matrix. This exercise helped identify the projects that would be included in the Superior Parks & Recreation Master Plan.
- **YOUTH BUILD-IT DISCOVERY WORKSHOP:** In May, the Community Engagement team visited Superior Public Schools and hosted a Build-It Creative workshop with ten students (grades 7-11, 2 from each grade). Their inspiration is included in this plan to add a youthful and uninhibited perspective.
- **COMMUNITY DESIGN WORKSHOP OPEN HOUSE:** In June, the design and planning teams visited Superior and took an extensive and detailed tour of each park. They then gathered at the Superior Estates Winery where the observations and opportunities began to come to life in sketches. These sketches were then shared during an open house event with community members later that afternoon. A rich conversation transpired as ideas and concerns were shared and discussed to help add context to the planning process.
- **CONCEPTS REVEAL OPEN HOUSE:** In July, residents had an opportunity to view and react to the first draft concepts at an open house held at the Nuckolls County Museum. The design team shared three draft concepts for City Park and two for Lincoln Park. Community members weighed in on the concepts for consideration in preparing the final concepts for each park.
- **COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY:** August - September: The community engagement activities produced the questions that were then asked in a community-wide survey. In addition to asking residents about specific, physical improvements to the city's parks, residents were also asked about their willingness to contribute revenues raised through the sales tax to other community organizations that contribute to the overall quality of life in Superior. The results of the survey were also factored into the final design concepts and recommendations.
- **COMMUNITY REVIEW OF FINAL CONCEPTS:** In October, the planning team met with a small group of community and park stakeholders at the Superior Public Library to share the summary results of the community-wide survey as well as reveal the final two design concepts - one for City Park and one for Lincoln Park. Final feedback and closing thoughts were then reviewed and incorporated into the final draft of the Superior Parks & Recreation Master Plan.

FOCUS GROUPS

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT-SPRING FOCUS GROUPS

Members of the Superior Community were invited to provide input into the plan throughout the process. This engagement began with focus group sessions held at the Crest Theatre in April of 2022. These focus groups were facilitated by professionals from the University of Nebraska Kearney Center for Entrepreneurship and Rural Development (CERD) and a follow up report was provided.

The purpose of these workshops was to identify a place to start. The proposed projects matrix on the following pages was utilized to start the conversation regarding the projects that the community envisioned when voting yes to support use of sales tax to improve the parks, recreation, and overall quality of life amenities. Twenty-four residents attended the focus groups. Groups represented included: Mayor and Council, Chamber of Commerce, Clergy, Golf Course, Library, Swimming Pool, Candy Cane Lane, Simic Skating Rink, Crest Theater, Park Board, and several community residents.

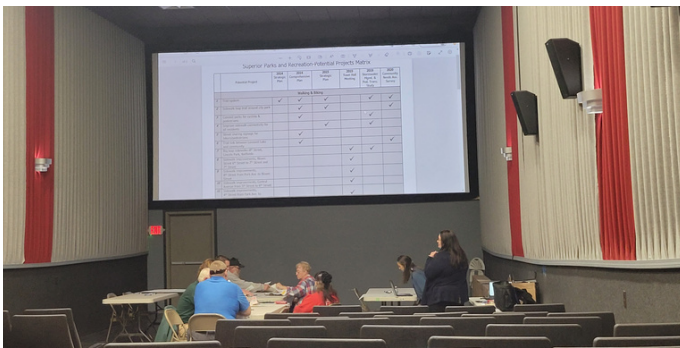
The key takeaways from the focus groups that guided the remainder of the plan's community engagement process are listed below.

A. Continuous focus on recruiting more volunteers and engaging with new residents

B. Repeated mention of improving communication among various community groups

C. Nine project initiatives raised and discussed:

1. Pool and Splash Pad
2. Walking Trail
3. Signage-City and Lincoln Parks
4. Park Upgrades-City and Lincoln Parks
5. Skating Rink
6. Wellness Center
7. Park Grass and Sprinkler System-City Park
8. Tourism and Events
9. New Park Equipment



PROJECT MATRIX

The Superior community has completed multiple community input and planning projects in the past ten years. Several of those initiatives have resulted in the identification of parks, recreation, and basic quality of life projects that residents would like to see improved or added to the community.

Projects were organized into a matrix categorizing them by planning document/activity that identified the project:

1. 2014 Strategic Plan
2. 2014 Comprehensive Plan
3. 2015 Strategic Plan
4. 2019 Town Hall Meeting
5. 2019 Stormwater Management & Pedestrian Transportation Plan
6. 2020 Community Needs Assessment Survey

Projects were also organized and grouped by type of project:

1. Walking and Biking
2. Park Improvements
3. Swimming Pool
4. Community Center
5. Tourism Expansion
6. Expansion of Services

	Potential Project	2014 Strategic Plan	2014 Comprehensive Plan	2015 Strategic Plan	2019 Town Hall Meeting	2019 Ped. Trans. Study	2020 Needs Ass. Survey
	Walking & Biking						
1	Trail system	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
2	Sidewalk loop trail around city park		✓	✓			✓
3	Connect parks for cyclists & pedestrians		✓			✓	
4	Improve sidewalk connectivity for all residents			✓		✓	
5	Street sharing signage for bikers/pedestrians		✓				
6	Trail link between Lovewell Lake and community		✓				✓
7	Big loop sidewalks-8 th Street, Lincoln Park, Ballfields					✓	
8	Sidewalk improvements, Bloom Street 6 th Street to 7 th Street and 7 th Street					✓	
9	Sidewalk improvements, 8 th Street from Park Ave. to Bloom Street					✓	
10	Sidewalk improvements, Central Avenue from 5 th Street to 6 th Street					✓	
11	Sidewalk improvements, 4 th Street from Park Ave. to National Ave. and from Commercial Ave. to Bloom Street					✓	
12	Sidewalk improvements, Bloom Street from 2 nd Street to 3 rd Street					✓	
13	Sidewalk improvements, 8 th Street from Central Ave. to Kansas Street and Dakota Street to Bloom Street					✓	

The residents consistently demonstrated support for more walking opportunities, which included basic sidewalk improvements as well as trails. Items #9 and #10 were recently completed as a result of the 2019 Stormwater Management and Pedestrian Transportation Study.

PARKS AND RECREATION PROJECT MATRIX

When considering overall improvements to its parks, swimming pool improvement and the addition of a splash pad were identified the most as projects the community wanted to see completed. A community center or wellness center also appeared several times throughout the review of these planning documents. The City Auditorium is now under the ownership of a separate non-profit organization. The historical building is now utilized to host large gatherings and events; it is no longer publicly owned and does not take the place of a community/wellness center.

	Potential Project	2014 Strategic Plan	2014 Comprehensive Plan	2015 Strategic Plan	2019 Town Hall Meeting	2019 Ped. Trans. Study	2020 Needs Ass. Survey
Park Improvements							
14	Upgrades to existing parks				✓		✓
15	Parks & campground signage	✓					
16	Identify areas & opportunities to expand camper sites			✓			
17	Lincoln Park utility upgrades	✓		✓			
Swimming Pool							
18	Address maintenance & age issues with swimming pool		✓		✓		✓
19	Community splash pad				✓		✓
20	New swimming pool						✓
Community Center							
21	Build New Community Center				✓		✓
22	Wellness Center				✓		
Tourism Expansion							
23	Improve communication with hunters and lake goers						✓
24	Market the park and recreation system as a signature feature for Superior.		✓				
25	Community signage at Lovewell Lake		✓				
26	Install signage to direct visitors to Victorian homes, downtown, and City Park		✓				
Infrastructure Improvements							
27	Transform vacant lots downtown into green spaces and/or activity centers		✓				
Expansion of Services							
28	Increase the amount of recreation programs for all ages						✓
29	Increase library program offerings for adults						✓
30	Increased activities for youth and teens						✓

Tourism expansion has shifted to less of a priority than services that would improve the lives of residents living in Superior. Those services included child care, library programs, and recreational activities, such as organized local leagues for adults as well as children.

A group of five youth are gathered around a wooden table, focused on a craft project. One youth in a blue hoodie is using a tool to work on a piece of cardboard. Another youth is holding a stick with a piece of cardboard attached. The table is covered with various craft materials, including colorful paper flowers, pinecones, a blue ribbon, and a green paper with a pink flower. A red pen and a yellow sticky note are also on the table. The text "IMAGINATIONS IN ACTION" is overlaid in black, and "YOUTH INSPIRATION" is overlaid in green below it.

IMAGINATIONS IN ACTION

YOUTH INSPIRATION

YOUTH DISCOVERY WORKSHOP

IMAGINATIONS AND CREATIVITY IN ACTION

To spark youth engagement and awareness of the project, a group of Superior students participated in a Build-It Workshop held at the school library in the early Spring of 2022. Ten 7-11th grade students engaged in a model building workshop that asked students to utilize "found objects" to:

1. Describe a favorite memory of a loved one or an experience.
2. As a team, create your ideal park.

DESCRIBE A FAVORITE MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE OR AN EXPERIENCE

The workshop started with an individual build that invited students to use random found objects to build a mini-model that reminded them of a special memory. Each student shared their model and experience with the group to get the engagement started. Key stories surfaced from these activities which all included spending time with important people in their lives and the presence of nature in memories of our loved ones and memorable experiences.



Memories created and shared:

- Fishing and nature, time spent with Dad
- Time with Grandpa, missing him deeply
- Grandparents farm
- Fishing, basketball, gold
- Basketball and time spent with dog, Stella
- Gaming
- Grandma's house, gardening and art
- Golf course (district golf)
- Time spent at Lovewell Lake
- Friends together, outside at the lake
- Flowers, memory of passing neighbor that was into art

Themes identified:

- NATURE
- SPORTS
- FAMILY
- FRIENDS
- LAKE/FISHING
- ACCOMPLISHMENT
- EXCITEMENT/ADRENALINE
- RELIEF
- JOY

The group then split into two teams and were presented with the second challenge which was to build their ideal park using the found objects to reflect their creation.

YOUTH DISCOVERY WORKSHOP

AS A TEAM, CREATE YOUR IDEAL PARK

Narrative describing their build:

- This is our playground area with a zipline that goes into a bear cave.
- It has a playground/jungle gym featuring three layers, lower level goes into the ground.
- This is a trampoline kind of park thing. It has trampoline activities.
- We have a basketball hoop/court.
- We have a pond with algae in it, 'cause yep, we added green.
- We have a lot of trees and birds, and a hill.
- We have a wet sandbox, with water elements.
- Some lights.



INSPIRATION RELATED TO THIS MODEL:

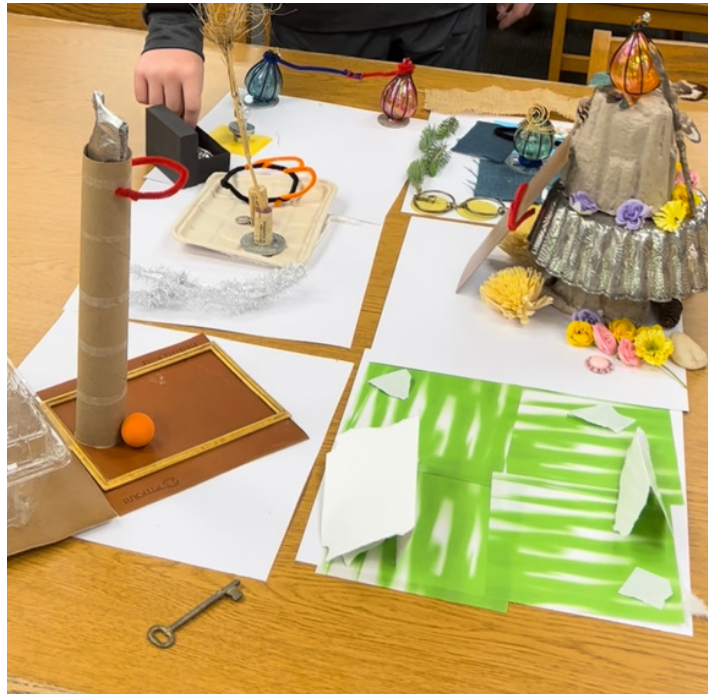


YOUTH DISCOVERY WORKSHOP

AS A TEAM, CREATE YOUR IDEAL PARK:

Narrative from the group describing their build:

- Personal favorite is the tree house, has a slide and lots of flowers ~ pretty things. Great addition.
- The little kids areas – treasure chest interactive play, sandbox, and zipline.
- Dog area with trees (nothing specific about the design) for a variety of dogs.
- Basketball hoop – could put two hoops.
- Stage for kids to hang out at.
- Nice grassy areas for soccer and baseball.
- Pond with a fountain in the middle, some fishing poles, walkways, and trees.
- “This is a turtle. We need some wildlife in our park.” Ex: fun things for squirrels to play on.



INSPIRATION RELATED TO THIS MODEL:



YOUTH DISCOVERY WORKSHOP

CREATIVE CONCEPTS

TREE HOUSE THEME:

Consider a play area in Lincoln park made with natural or natural look elements that have a TREE HOUSE theme.

Put this play area in walking proximity to the ball fields so that visitors will have an area for younger youth to enjoy when visiting the park for a variety of experiences.

A splash pad could be considered as a future addition in close promimity to this feature play area.

INSPIRATION RELATED TO THIS MODEL:



TREE HOUSE PLAY FEATURE FROM GROUP 2



PARKS & RECREATION DESIGN WORKSHOP

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT-JUNE OPEN HOUSE

The design team consisted of landscape design and civil engineering professionals from Olsson. The design team experienced both parks in the morning then led a design workshop that afternoon. Residents that attended the design workshop reacted to initial proposed park improvements and participated in a brainstorming session geared towards improving Lincoln and City Parks. Key takeaways from this workshop included: appreciation for Lincoln Park as a destination; strong support to expand/maintain the swimming pool; consistent requests for a splash pad in City Park; concern about vandalism in City Park; agreement on the need for re-programming/organizing City Park; and the need for communicating with Nuckolls County Museum regarding long term plans for expansion.



PARKS & RECREATION DESIGN REVIEW

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT-CONCEPT REVEAL OPEN HOUSE

Following the June Design Workshop, the Nuckolls County Museum hosted a Concept Reveal Open House that provided an opportunity for residents to view and respond to proposed master planning concepts for both parks. These master planning concepts were further refined based upon key findings resulting from the open house. Those findings are summarized below.

1. Better to improve the existing pool than to construct a new pool.
2. A new splash pad is more popular in City Park than in Lincoln Park.
3. The community would like a second chance at having a dog park.
4. Add a walking bridge across the pond and Lincoln Park.
5. Add lighting to proposed walking paths at Lincoln Park.
6. Add a sidewalk around all of City Park.
7. Full court basketball court would be a welcome addition to City Park.
8. Allow room for expansion and look for ways to incorporate Nuckolls County Museum.
9. Utilize the east (undeveloped side) of City Park for recreational sports overflow (soccer, teeball) and community events.
10. Pool improvements must include a zero-entry portion.



COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY

SUPERIOR PARKS & RECREATION COMMUNITY SURVEY

to 2025. The Community Advisory Committee has the honor and the obligation of your voice in improving the overall quality of life in our communities. Further down the form, the City Council (parent body) will be reviewing your comments from this Park Planning Meeting and the Community Survey (this document).

The community is now being informed and encouraged to provide feedback concerning the park, recreation, quality of life improvements, and amenities they would like to see happen in their park and city areas. Please take the survey to assist with gathering the best use of your time and resources, and overall quality of life in your community.

Thank you for your time and feedback on your community!

1. Are you a member of the City of Superior Community?

☐ Yes, I live within the City of Superior ☐ No, I live in the community, but I spend a lot of time in Superior

☐ Yes, I'm not a member of the Superior Community ☐ No, I'm not a member of the Superior Community

2. How many times have you been to the park?

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8+

3. How many times have you or household are active each week on average?

☐ under 5	☐ 6-10	☐ 11-15	☐ 16-19	☐ 19-25	☐ 26-30
☐ 31-40	☐ 41-50	☐ 51-60	☐ 61-70	☐ 70+	

CITY PARK INPUT

4. How often do you use the City Park?

☐ Every day ☐ Once a week ☐ About once a month ☐ Less than once a month

☐ Every few weeks ☐ About once a month ☐ Less than once a month

5. Please select the three most current features of City Park (select only three)

- ☐ Boulders and habitat to build community areas
- ☐ Shade and picnic structure
- ☐ Swimming pool
- ☐ Modern play equipment
- ☐ Trees and landscape features
- ☐ Trail field
- ☐ Veterans' Wall and memorial pieces
- ☐ Park view equipment (from 30 years old)
- ☐ None
- ☐ Park view equipment for walking or riding a bike
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____

6. What things does the **City Play** (part of that apply):

☐ Loop swimming	☐ Visit the Internet: materials
☐ Group lessons	☐ Use the parent advice
☐ Volunteer play for children under 5	☐ Attend events or be mobilized
☐ Outdoor play for children 5-12	☐ Making
☐ Outdoor play for children over 12	☐ Using the facilities
☐ Volunteer outdoor recreational activities for adults	☐ Visit facilities during business
☐ Swimming	

Other (please specify) _____

7. What is the **City Play** missing

Missing the feature for the most	This feature would be nice	Not missing the feature	No opinion on the feature
Walking path around the entire block	☐	☐	☐
Full basketball court	☐	☐	☐
Full football field	☐	☐	☐
Improved management/operation of park features	☐	☐	☐
Swimming w/ play features	☐	☐	☐
Swimming w/ park equipment	☐	☐	☐
Open lawn	☐	☐	☐
Swim lessons w/ play equipment	☐	☐	☐
Activities for children under 5 and other adult population	☐	☐	☐

Other (please specify) _____

8. Rank the improvements that would have the biggest impact on enhancing your experience at the **City Play** swimming pool (rank 1 = most important and 3 = least important)

☐ Expanding the swimming pool to include more water features
☐ Expanding the swimming pool to include an area entry pool zone
☐ Expanding the swimming pool parking area to include more parking
☐ Adding more lounge or walk
☐ Adding a splash pad within the park area

9. Other improvements that could positively impact the **City Play** swimming pool _____

10. Rank the attributes that would have the biggest impact on important sports options in **City Park** (rank 1 = most important and 3 = least important)

☐ Full-on basketball court

☐ Pickleball

☐ Tennis court

11. Other organized sports activities that would positively impact the recreational options in **City Park**:

12. Rank the play features that would add the most value to patterns of **City Park** (rank 1 = most important and 6 = least important)

☐ Include play features

☐ Shade features (not a shade park)

☐ Bicycle features

☐ Additional swings

☐ Additional slides

☐ Additional climbers

13. Other play features that would add the most value to the patterns of **City Park**:

14. Prioritize (rank) the following potential improvements at **City Park** (rank 1 = 1 = most important and 18 = least important)

☐ Walking path around entire block	☐ Play equipment upgrades
☐ Splash pad	☐ Bandshell/upgraded modern amenities
☐ Expanded existing open amenities	☐ Memorial historical/monumental structures (sculpting)
☐ Full-court basketball addition	☐ Shade features (not a shade park)
☐ Improved arrangement/culmination of play features	☐ Bicycle features
☐ Private seating such as benches	☐ Pickleball court
☐ Private seating	☐ Tennis court
☐ Open lawn	☐ Play feature enhancements
☐ Trail/dirt enhancements	☐ Lighting and other safety features

15. Other overall City Park Improvements that should be priority

LINCOLN PARK INPUT

16. Please select the top three current facilities at Lincoln Park (select only three)

☐ Intensive indoor and recreational games	☐ Camping facilities
☐ Picnic and picnic structures	☐ Restroom facilities
☐ Restrooms and benches	☐ Tennis courts
☐ Sports play equipment (more than 30 years old)	☐ Tennis
☐ Modern play equipment	☐ Fishing equipment
☐ New and timeless furniture	☐ Basketball court
☐ Restated fields	☐ Sand-volleyball court
☐ Trail and fountain	☐ Future opportunities for walking/jogging
☐ Trailhead	☐ Ability to take community events
☐ Modern golf course	☐ Big dog building
☐ Other please specify _____	

17. What brings you to the Lincoln Park? (select all that apply)

☐ Baseball/softball	☐ Family activities
☐ Basketball	☐ Fitness gym
☐ Sand volleyball	☐ Fishing spot
☐ Sports equipment	☐ Access to open space
☐ Historical, historic and recreational places	☐ Fishing
☐ Camping	☐ Biking
☐ Modern play equipment	☐ Picnicking
☐ Modern play equipment	☐ Other
☐ Trail and fountain	☐ Walking
☐ Other please specify _____	

10. What is Leisure Park missing?	Missing this feature is most important	This feature would be nice	Not missing this feature	No opinion on this feature
Defined trails or walking paths	☐	☐	☐	☐
Play areas or amenities	☐	☐	☐	☐
Spill pad	☐	☐	☐	☐
Drip tank	☐	☐	☐	☐
Fishing bridge	☐	☐	☐	☐
Future dock	☐	☐	☐	☐
Expanded camping amenities	☐	☐	☐	☐
Inclusive play features	☐	☐	☐	☐
Adaptive play features for less community events	☐	☐	☐	☐
Other please specify()				

11. Priorities (rank) the following current improvements at **Leisure Park** (rank 1 is most important and 14 is least important).

☐ Remove entire play equipment (more than 30 years old)	☐ Add positive dog features
☐ Enhance Veterans/Veterans/Heritage/monument place	☐ Add a dog park
☐ Reduce Veterans/Veterans/Heritage/monument place in City Park	☐ Add a splash pad
☐ Enhance fishing amenities	☐ Expand Veterans' area (and adjacent, baseball, or tennis)
☐ Expand camping amenities	☐ Add playground courts
☐ Add natural trails for walking, running or bicycling	☐ Improve Big Screen building for additional use
☐ Add paved trails for walking, running or bicycling	☐ Add inclusive play features
☐ Add art and seating throughout the entire sanctuary	☐ Lighting and other safety features

12. Other recommendations that would positively impact for **Leisure Park**

23. From an asset and receiver planning perspective, the QUALITY of LIFE, often referred to as individual's feeling of being safe and having quality interactions, access to public services and environment, increased life expectancy, better income and well-being and more opportunities.

Based on the five indicators, please complete the following sentence.

World's best value to describe the QUALITY of LIFE characteristics is Superior and:

24. Based upon the QUALITY of LIFE definition in the previous question, please complete the following sentence.

The QUALITY of LIFE characteristics missing is Superior and:

25. Which, what existing factors, assess the QUALITY of LIFE special in Singapore? (based on their input)

☐ Greater public services

☐ Park amenities that already exist

☐ Detail of urban planning, becoming and caring about the landscape and the built form: an: review and stand about

☐ Greater public services: options that already exist such as the golf course and more leisure

☐ Government Support

☐ Detail of safety

☐ Greater maintenance

☐ Better financial position

☐ Other please specify: _____

26. The community has expressed concern as even have provided by your project organizations that projects with funds provided by your fees or donations, in the future, would not impact the cost of water for them (even to support the following organization):

	Current Payment		Sponsoring Expenses	
	Building and/or its components	Water and Sewerage		
City Authority	Yes	No	Others	Yes
Singapore Council of the (SGP Council)	Yes	No	Others	Yes
Singapore Red Shining Boat	Yes	No	Others	Yes
Great Theatre	Yes	No	Others	Yes

25. Are there any other factors that should be considered when making funding decisions regarding the improvement to the overall quality of the city's facilities?

26. What improvements should be a priority for use of the City's funds to be removed?

	High Priority	High Priority	Low Priority	Low Priority
Continuing public agencies	☐	☐	☐	☐
Overall improvements to City Park	☐	☐	☐	☐
Overall improvements to Lincoln Park	☐	☐	☐	☐
Adding a water and a garden	☐	☐	☐	☐
Open spaces including existing spaces to host more events, organizing a providing community events and activities for Hispanic residents and visitors	☐	☐	☐	☐

(Please explain yourself)

INTERACTIVE Q&A SUBMITTING YOUR COMPLETED SURVEY:

HOW TO GET THERE: Please to drop-off your SURVEY Q&A OFFICE by September 25, 2022.

Or, you can have your completed survey to be sent by postmarked by September 25, 2022 and addressed to:

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THE SURVEY: SURVEY OF THE SURVEY Q&A IS DUE on September 25, 2022.
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via online, supergovernance.com.

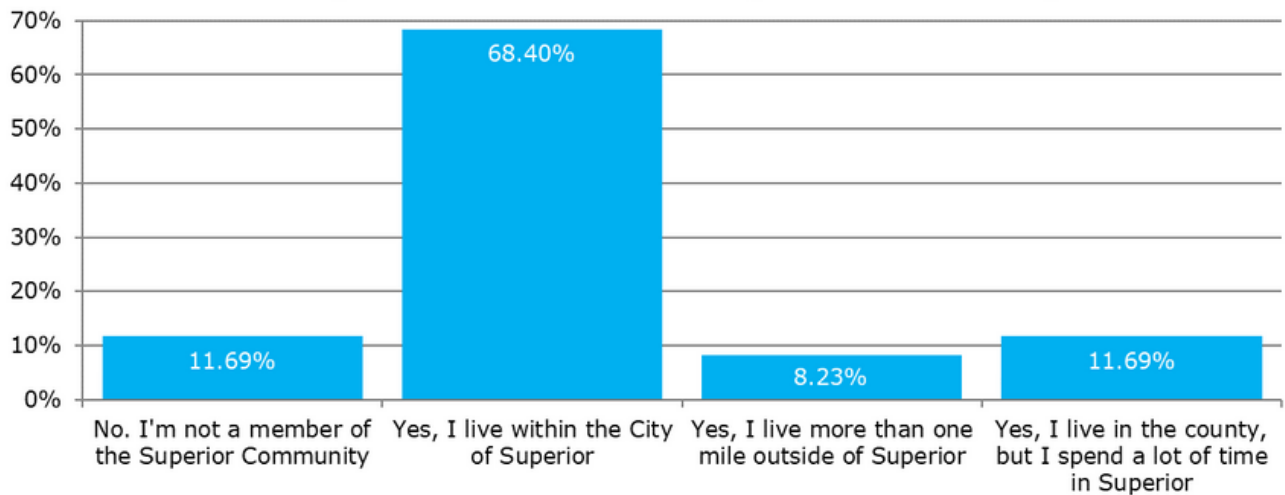


Thank you for completing this important survey that will impact the future of the Superior Community. If you have other questions, comments, or suggestions regarding the Superior Park Main Plan, please contact Brian Potts at bpotts@supergovernance.com or 338-105-0228.

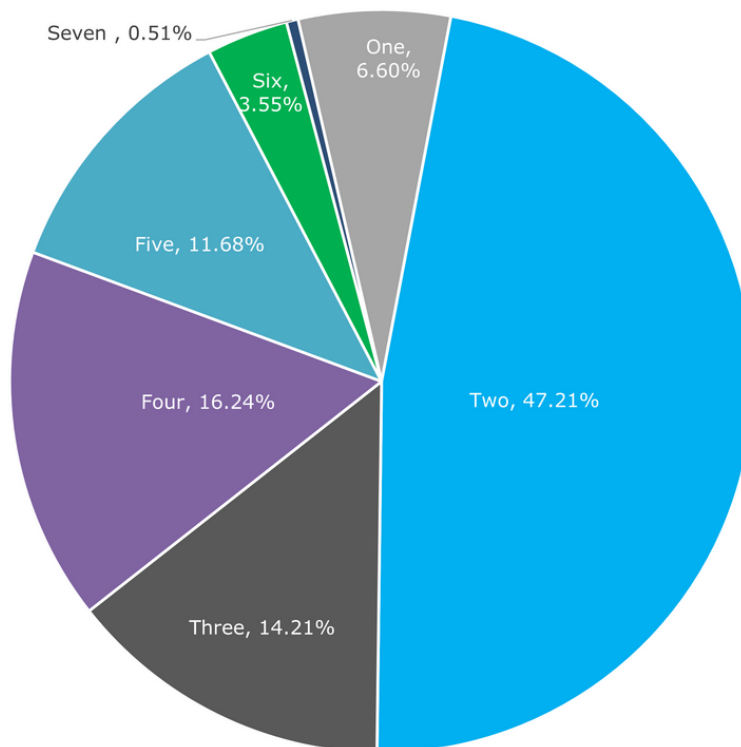


COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY

ARE YOU A MEMBER OF THE SUPERIOR COMMUNITY?



HOW MANY PEOPLE LIVE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD?



DESIGN CONCEPTS

PARKS & RECREATION

DESIGN DEVELOPMENT PROCESS

DRAFT CONCEPTS

The design team initially drafted park improvement concepts at the Design Workshop in June. Initially drafted design concepts were based upon input collected from the spring focus groups, youth build it workshop, and residents at the Design Workshop. These initial drafts included concepts for rearranging equipment at City Park, adding trails to Lincoln Park, swimming pool expansion, and new splash pads at both Lincoln and City Parks.

CONCEPT DESIGN

The following pages hold the proposed master plans for City Park and Lincoln Park. It is acknowledged that the adoption of these master plans does not guarantee the construction of any of the concepts proposed. However, these concepts are a place to start and will guide the decision making process as the community considers the impact of any one improvement on the overall park. These concepts also reflect the community's most popular requests for improving each park.

REVIEW AND REFINE

The Consultant Team presented the proposed concepts at the Reveal Open House in July. Forty residents attended and reacted to the proposed concepts. Following the Open House, the community wide survey was conducted with the primary purpose of determining how to prioritize proposed park improvements and expenditures on other quality of life activities. The improvement concepts for both parks were revised based upon the open house reactions and the survey results.

PRIORITIZE AND ACT

The revised concepts and survey results were presented on October 5. The purpose of this presentation was to confirm the results of the community survey and give residents one final opportunity to make revisions to the master plan concepts for Lincoln and City Parks. The estimated cost of projects requested by the community, drafted by the design team, and prioritized through the community survey are provided on the final pages in this plan. These engineering opinions of probable costs (OPC) are meant to assist the city with moving forward from planning to implementing upon adoption of this Superior Park and Recreation Master Plan.

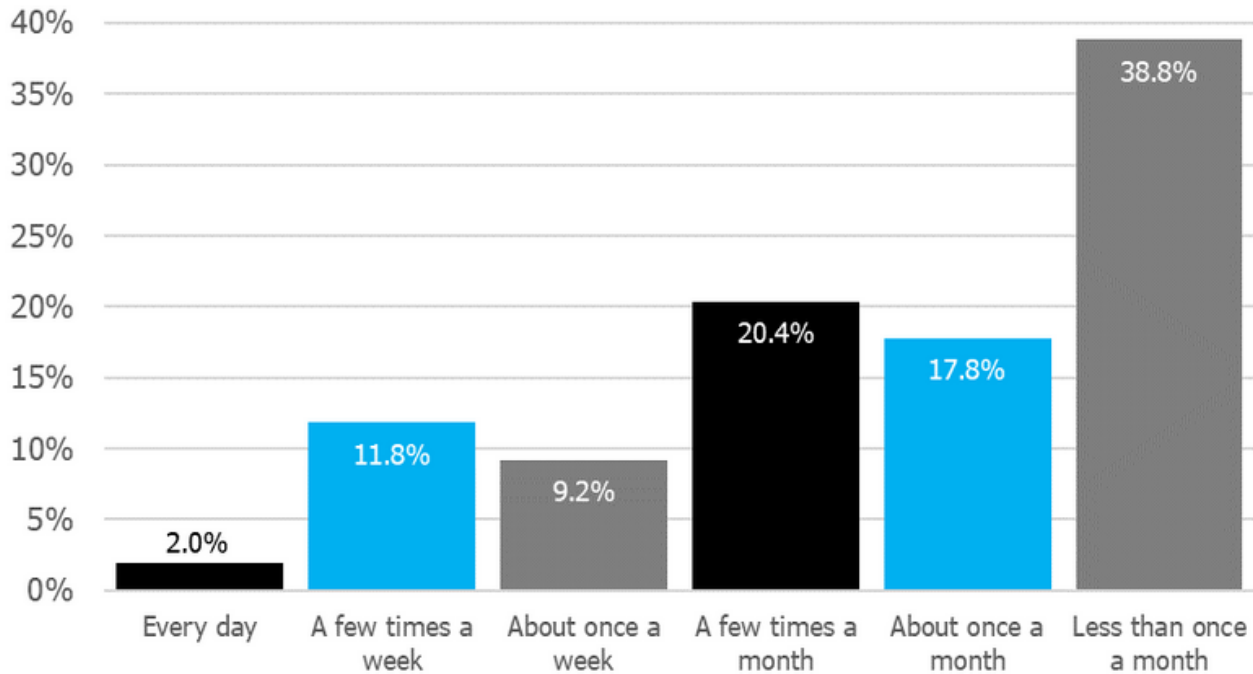
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INVITING CONNECTION

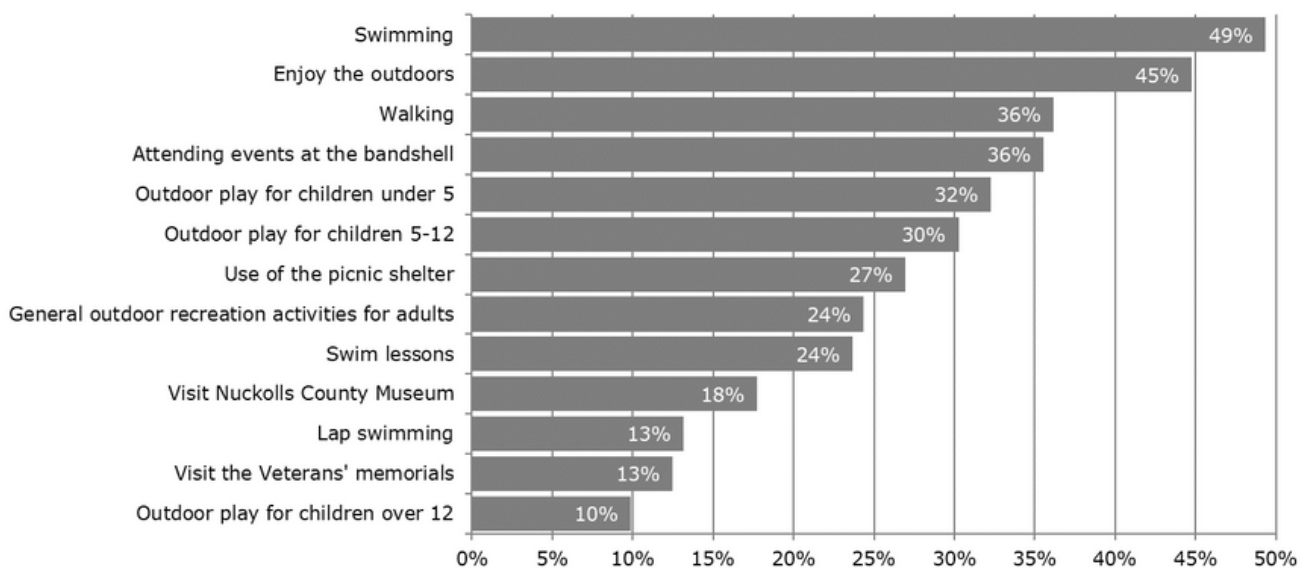


COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY CITY PARK

HOW OFTEN DO YOU VISIT CITY PARK?

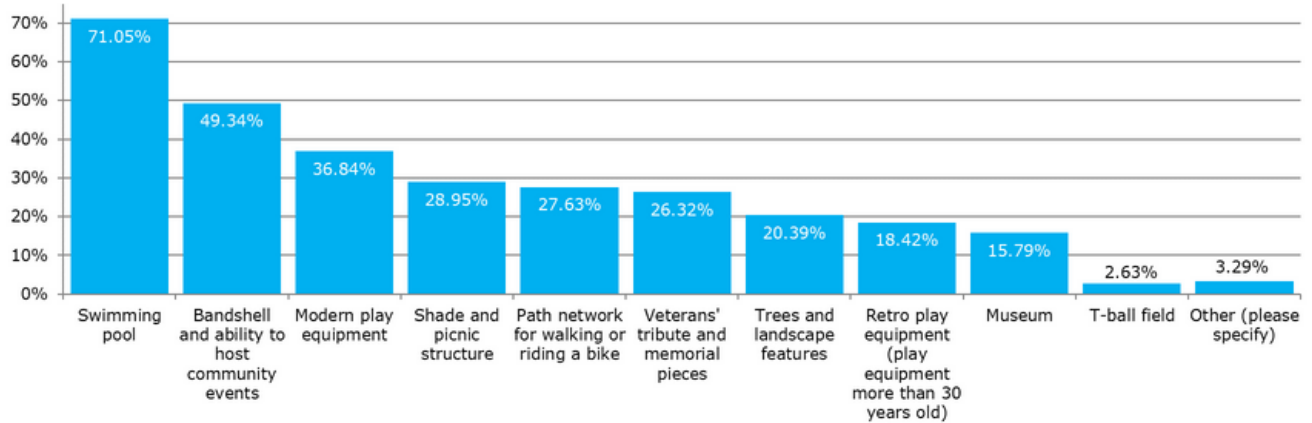


WHAT BRINGS YOU TO CITY PARK?

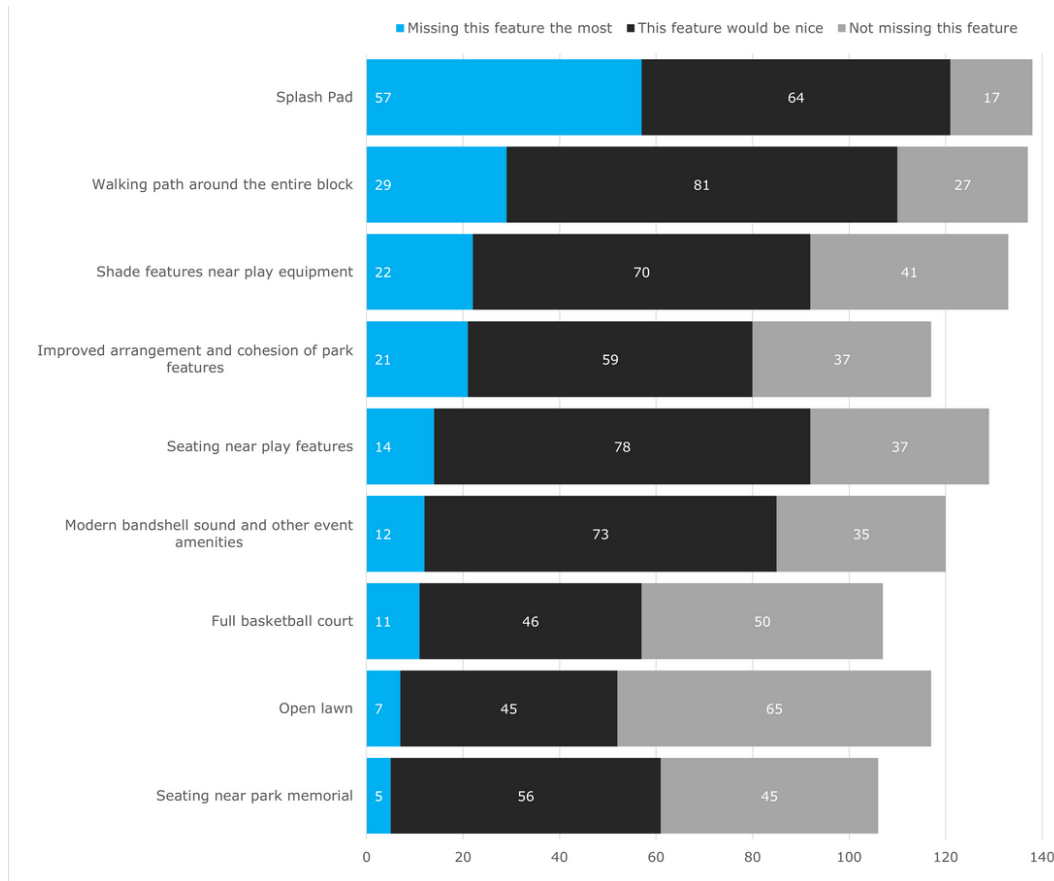


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PLEASE SELECT THE TOP THREE CURRENT FEATURES AT CITY PARK (SELECT ONLY THREE) :

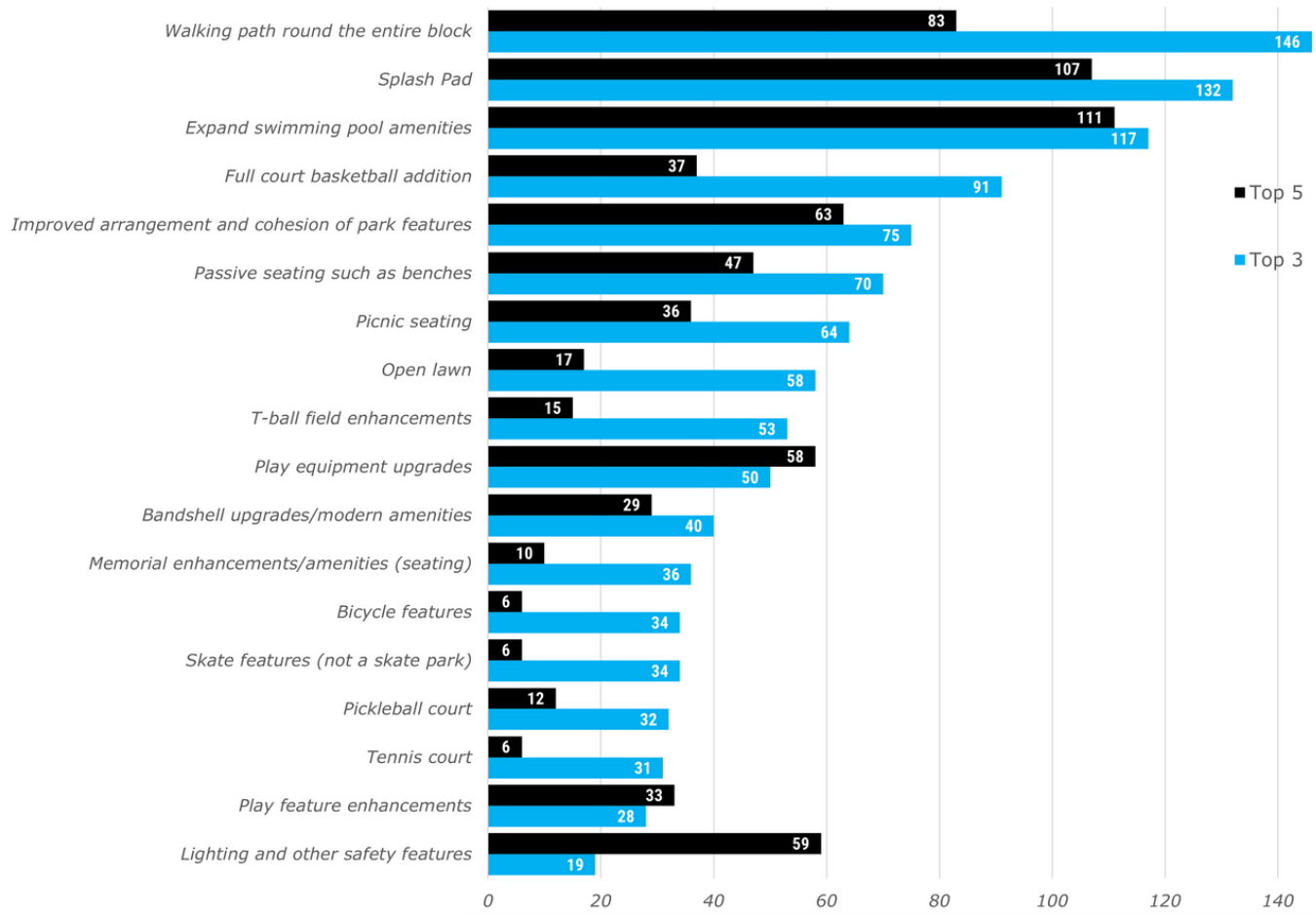


WHAT IS CITY PARK MISSING?



COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY CITY PARK

RANK THE FOLLOWING IMPROVEMENTS AT CITY PARK FROM MOST IMPACTFUL (1) TO LEAST IMPACTFUL (18):



CITY PARK FEATURES & OBSERVATIONS

FEATURES:

- Centrally located, City Park offers a variety of activities, amenities, and recreation opportunities.
- The park has multiple generations of play equipment sprinkled throughout.
- The existing stage (band shell) is recognized as a park icon and a gathering place for community events.
- The Park has an existing shade pavilion along with passive recreation.
- Another recreation activity includes basketball, which has remained popular as a park activity.
- The Veteran's Memorial serves as a highlight and focal point of City Park and is centrally located within the main park.
- The existing vegetation complements the current park uses and offers nice shade and play value.
- In the middle section the Park is the Nuckolls County Museum.
- The eastern part of the park features an open grass area that has historically been used for occasional tee ball or soccer.

OBSERVATIONS:

- **WALKING PATH:** The park lacks a continuous walking path to all amenities which will also add connectivity at all points of entry around the perimeter of the park.
- **SHADE PAVILION:** There is an opportunity to centralize the shade pavilion which would afford more function for gatherings and community events at the pavilion.
- **RECREATION SPACE:** There is opportunity to develop a full basketball court, rollerblade, and skate area (if they were not adjacent to the shade pavilion). Due to the basketball court's existing location (adjacent to the band shell), there is not currently room for a court with two baskets.
- **POOL SHADE:** The pool deck lacks overhead shade and could benefit from vegetation or shade structures.
- **OPEN SPACE:** The eastern part of the park has been historically used for occasional tee ball; this portion of the park offers an opportunity to develop an amazing community function space with a bigger stage and plenty of room for larger crowds.

CITY PARK OPPORTUNITIES

OPPORTUNITIES:

There are many opportunities to help enhance City Park. The overall goal is to maximize the space of City Park. Turning spaces into places that accommodate a variety of uses and program potential. Seamless transitions from one space to another should be prioritized to help create a natural flow and make it easy to navigate your way through the park experience. An overarching theme for the City Park Master Plan emerged which is to re-program the space and consider removing or moving some features to allow for better circulation and usability of the park.

VETERAN'S MEMORIAL:

- The master plan would recommend these features are incorporated into an enlarged memorial plaza or relocated to Lincoln Park with the tank.
- Additional memorial fixtures are independently located within the park. A priority would be to enhance the Veteran's Memorial as the park's focal point and introduce seating.
- Landscape recommendations are proposed to enhance the Veteran's Memorial.

POOL DECK EXPANSION AND SHADE FEATURE:

- The master plan expands the pool deck to the east and includes shade features.
- The shade structure is centrally located in the park on axis with the existing stage.
- The location is in close proximity to the playground amenities, splash pad, and bandshell.

SPLASH PAD:

- City Park was unanimously favored in the focus groups and survey results as the preferred location for a splash pad.
- The master plan recommends locating the splash pad centrally in the park near parking, open lawn, and shade structures.
- While the splash pad is adjacent to the playground amenities, separation is provided for independent use of these spaces.

RECREATION SPACE:

- An expanded concrete pad at the former shade canopy creates a full basketball court and ancillary skateboard amenities.
- The existing stage can serve a new function and possibly provide a positive space for teens and youth to gather.

ARRANGEMENT/CONSOLIDATION OF PLAY EQUIPMENT:

- The master plan recommends consolidating play equipment into two areas with replacement of components as needed or desired.
- Consolidation allows for concentration of play surfacing, a clear definition of play areas, and development of an open lawn for free play and passive recreation.

WALKING PATHS:

- The walking paths are extended around the perimeter of the eastern park and the entire block.
- There are parallel parking opportunities along the block perimeter.

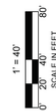
EASTERN LAWN EXPANSION

- The eastern lawn is identified as a future shade structure with a stage, or pavilion set in a plaza to hold large community events. Tee ball field bleachers are pushed south to provide more of a buffer to the adjacent roadway.
- The East side of the City Park Campus shows a place for large community gathering and open space for youth sports as needed.

CITY PARK FIRST DRAFTS: OPTION 1



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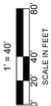
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- LEGEND:
- 1. PAVED SIDEWALK
 - 2. EX. POOL BUILDING
 - 3. MUSEUM
 - 4. EX. BASEBALL FIELD
 - 5. EXISTING POOL
 - 6. ZERO ENTRY POOL
 - 7. BASKETBALL
 - 8. MONUMENT
 - 9. PLAYGROUND
 - 10. EXISTING STAGE
 - 11. FOUR SQUARE
 - 12. PARKING



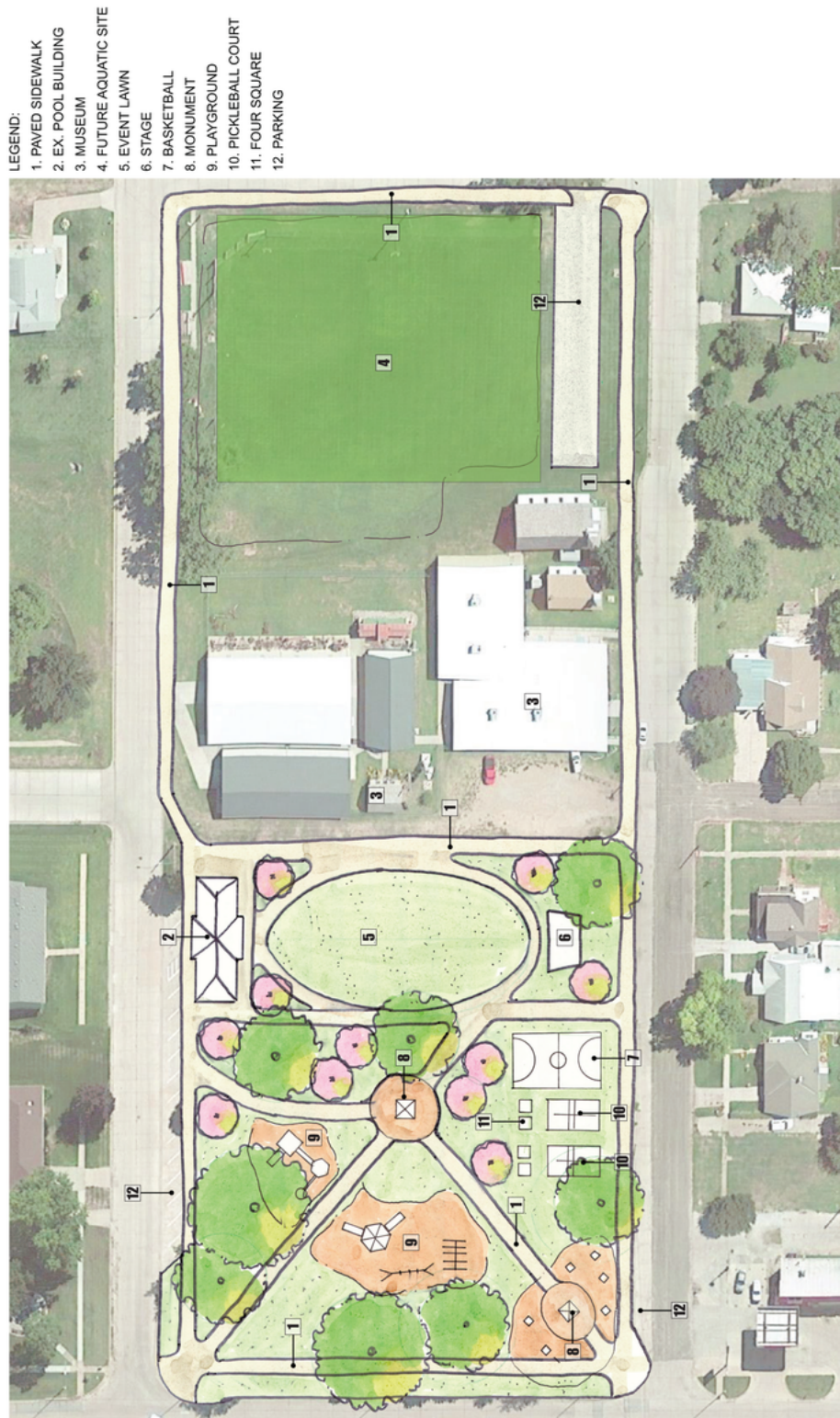
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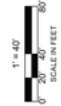
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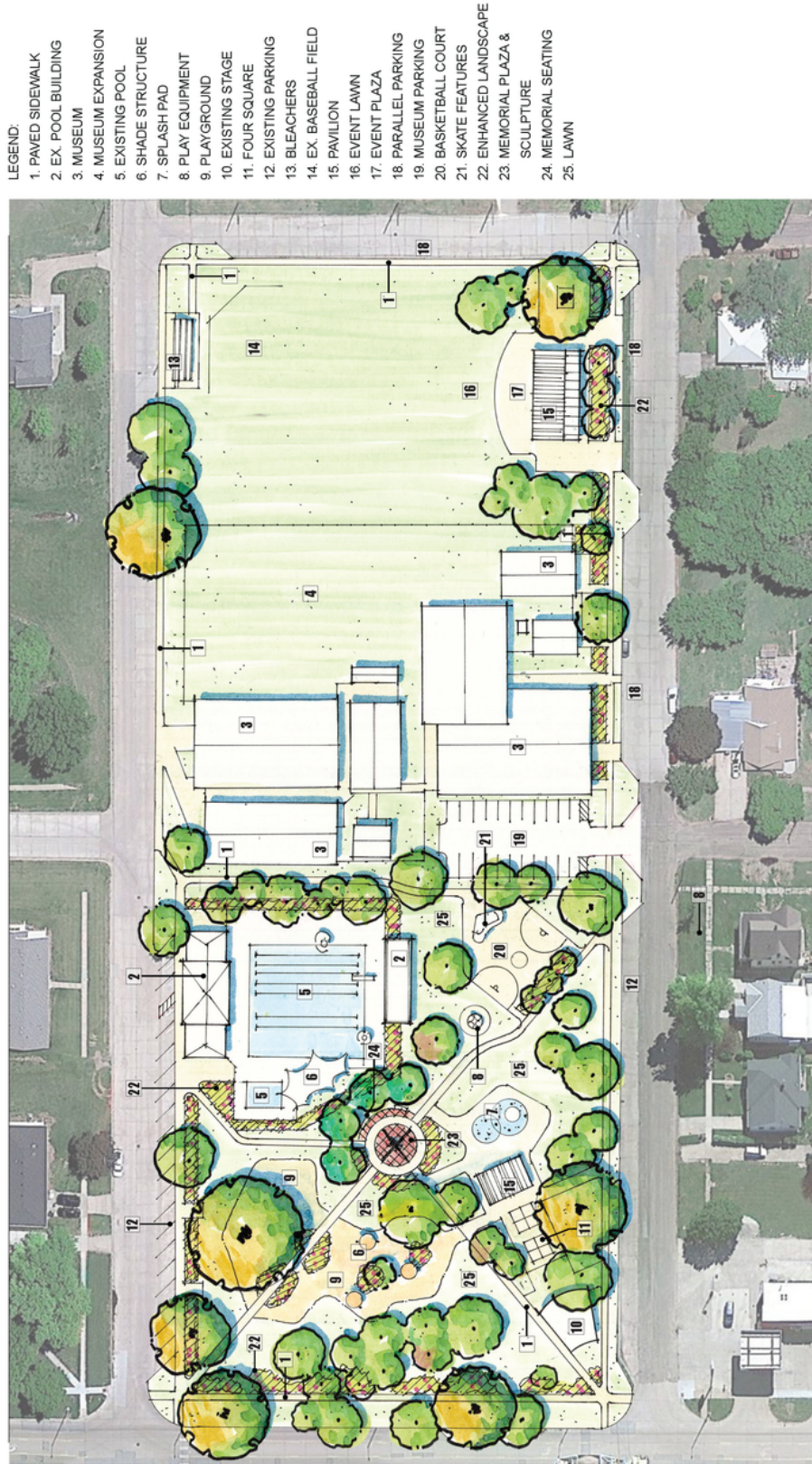
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CITY PARK IMPLEMENTATION ESTIMATES

City Park Walking Path Around Entire Block				
Item	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1. Mobilization	1	EA.	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
2. Clearing/Subgrade Preparation	800	S.Y.	\$2.50	\$2,000.00
3. 6' Wide P.C. Concrete Walking Path (1,200' x 6')	800	S.Y.	\$65.00	\$52,000.00
4. Detectable Warning Panels	64	S.F.	\$40.00	\$2,560.00
5. Seeding/Restoration	0.3	AC.	\$3,500.00	\$1,050.00
Sub-Total				\$62,610.00
Contingencies (20%)				\$12,522.00
Engineering (15%)				\$9,391.50
Grand Total				\$84,523.50



Splash Pad				
Item	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1. Mobilization	1	L.S.	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
2. Construct Splash Pad	1	EA.	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
3. Concrete Deck Area	290	S.Y.	\$55.00	\$15,950.00
Sub-Total				\$175,950.00
Contingencies (20%)				\$35,190.00
Engineering (15%)				\$26,392.50
Grand Total				\$237,532.50

CITY PARK IMPLEMENTATION ESTIMATES

Basketball Court				
Item	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1. Mobilization	1	EA.	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
2. Construct 5" P.C. Concrete Court (84' x 50' High School)	470	S.Y.	\$60.00	\$28,200.00
3. Basketball Goals	2	EA.	\$2,000.00	\$4,000.00
4. Striping	1	L.S.	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
5. Lighting	4	EA.	\$5,500.00	\$22,000.00
Sub-Total				\$60,200.00
Contingencies (20%)				\$12,040.00
Engineering (15%)				\$9,030.00
Grand Total				\$81,270.00



Swimming Pool Improvements				
Item	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1. Plumbing Improvements/showers/Small Pool Pump	1	L.S.	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
2. Shade Canopies (1@Park, 1@Pool)	2	EA.	\$20,000.00	\$40,000.00
3. Zero Depth Modifications	1	L.S.		\$200,000 - \$300,000
Sub-Total				\$440,000-\$540,000
Contingencies (20%)				\$88,000-\$108,000
Engineering (15%)				\$66,000-\$81,000
Grand Total				\$594,000-\$729,000

NEW BAND SHELL/STAGE IN CITY PARK



The City Park Master Plan proposes a new event space/band shell on the southeast corner of the park. An OPC (Opinion of Probable Cost) has not been provided as part of this plan as it was not identified by the community survey as a top 5 priority for needed improvements in City Park. However, throughout the community engagement activities during the planning process, a larger more modern event space in City Park was brought up on numerous occasions. It is suggested by this planning document that the community consider installing a simple bandshell as one of the first City Park improvement projects. If the popularity of this spot as an event space grows, the bandshell can be enhanced over time.

Because this space is open and has no previous park installments, it could be built for a reasonable cost that could have a significant positive impact on the experience created for large outdoor community gatherings and events with much more space than is currently offered by the bandshell at the southwest corner of City Park.



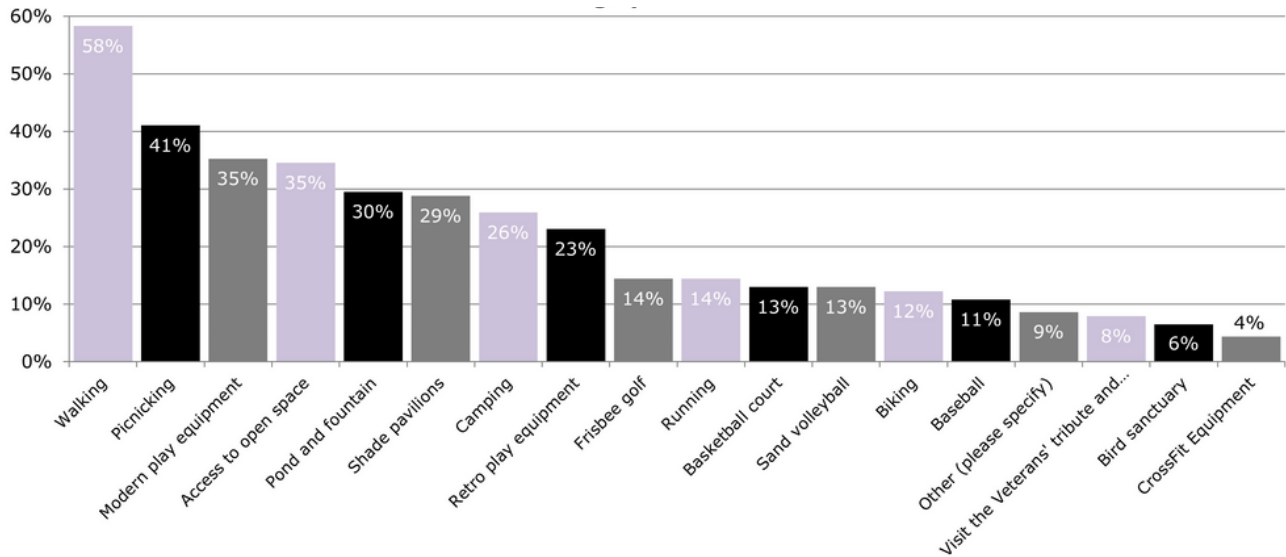
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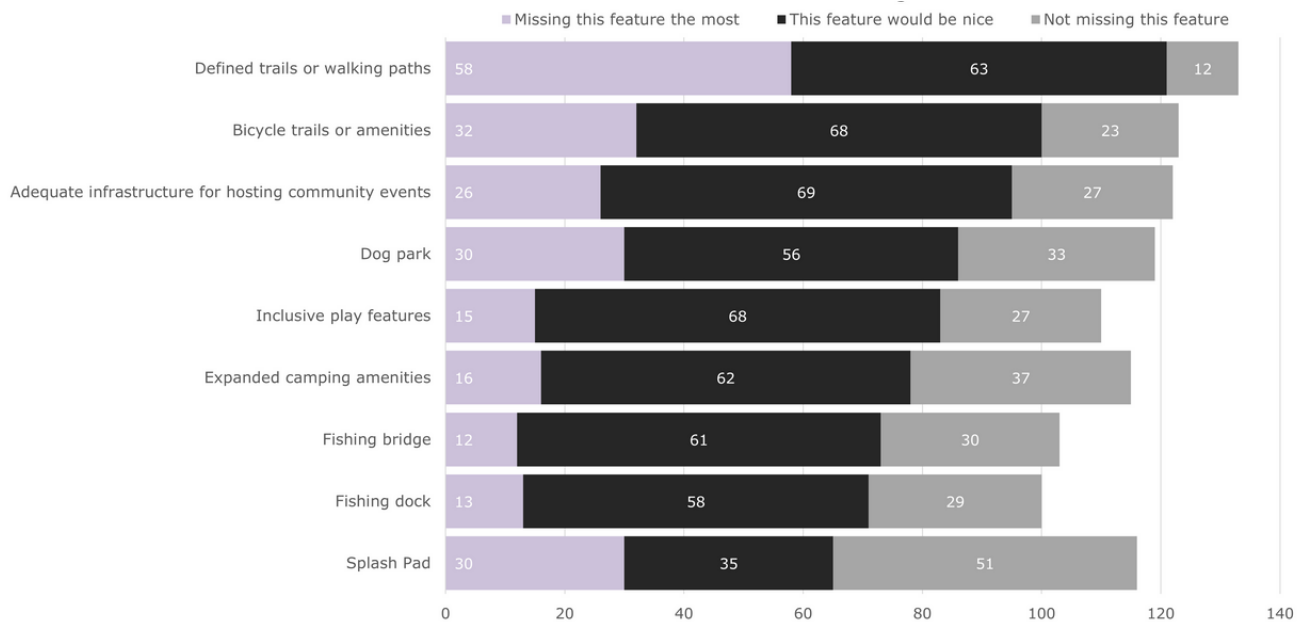


COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY CITY PARK

WHAT BRINGS YOU TO LINCOLN PARK?

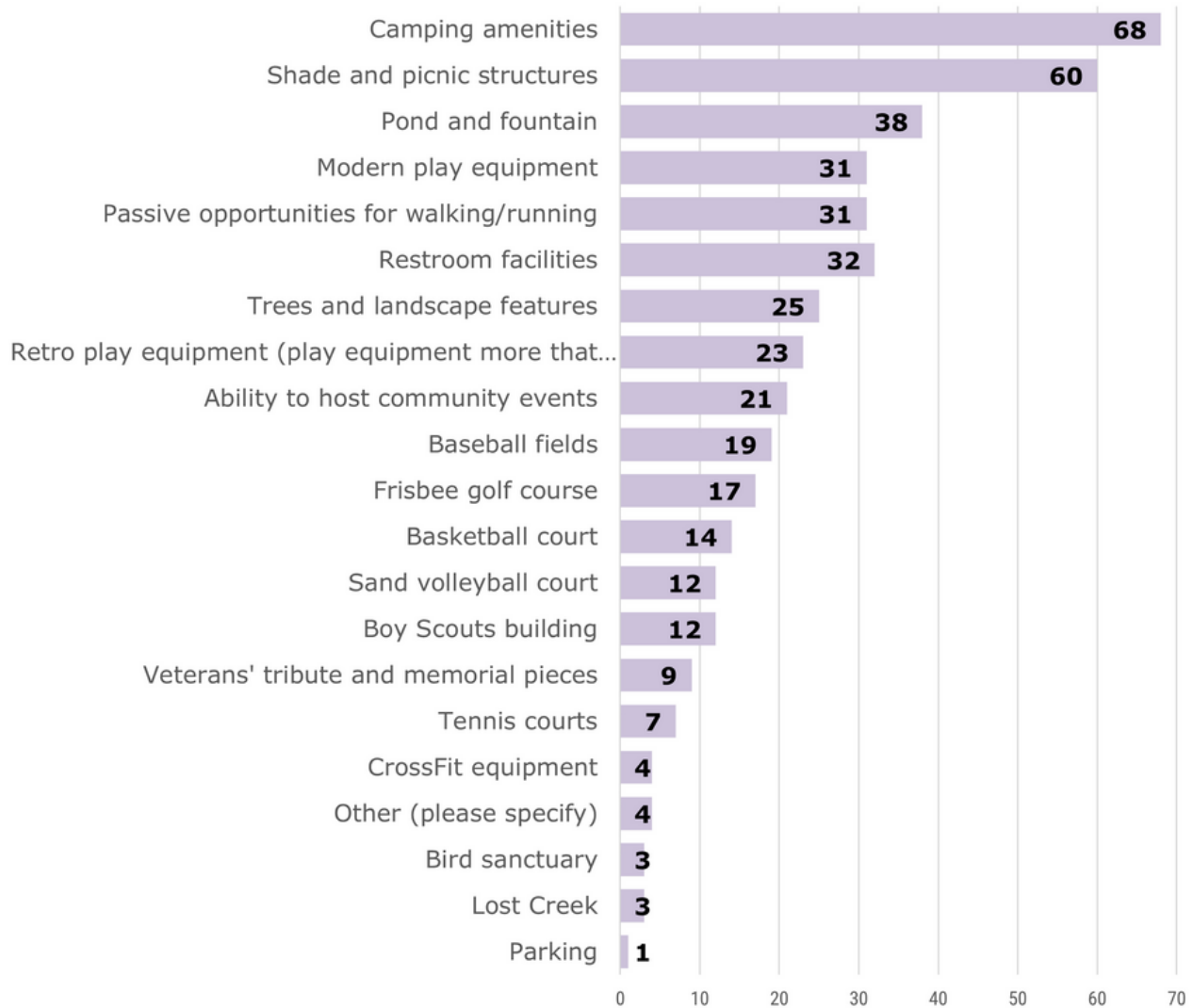


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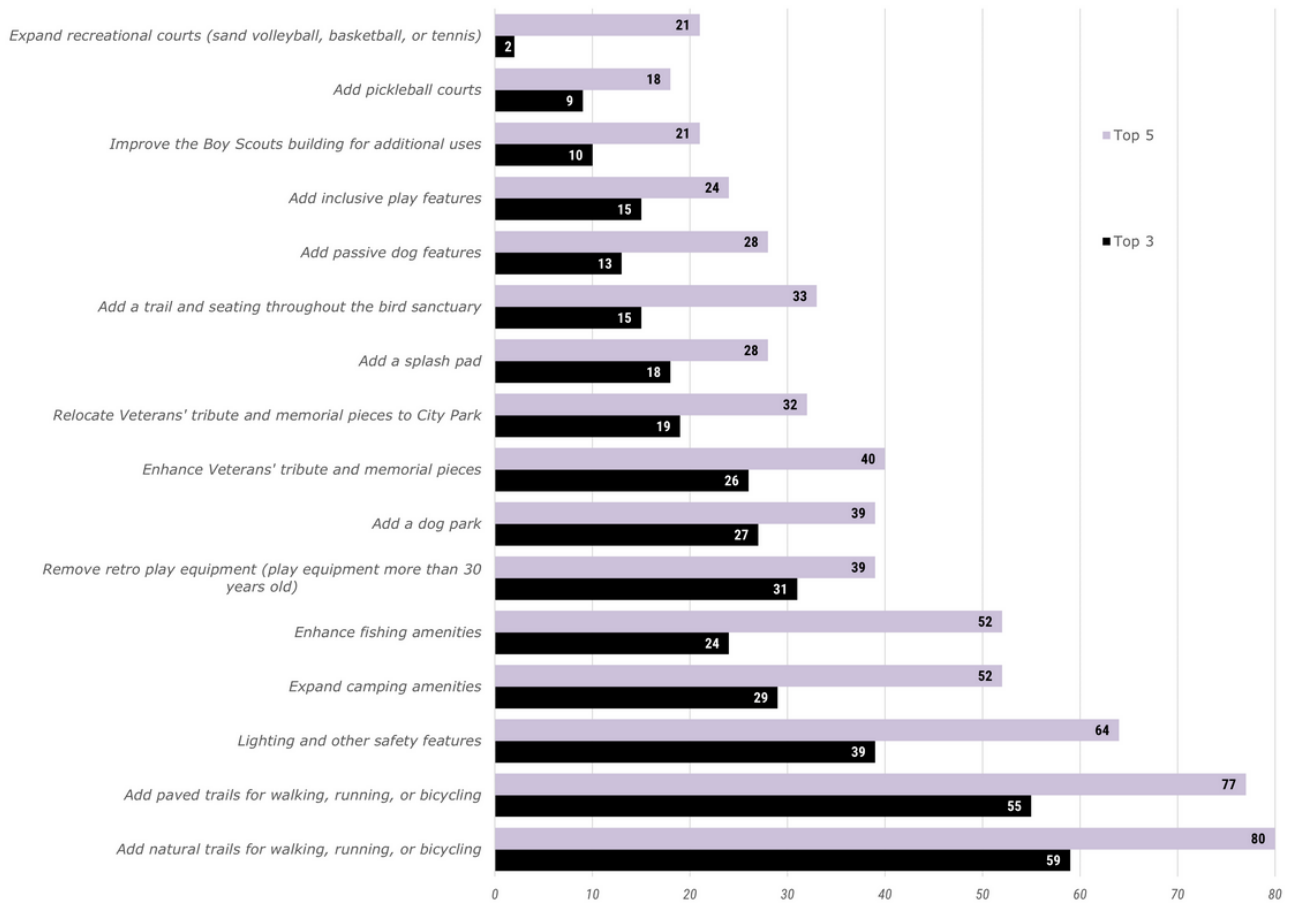
COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY LINCOLN PARK

PLEASE SELECT THE TOP THREE CURRENT FEATURES AT LINCOLN PARK?



COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY LINCOLN PARK

RANK THE FOLLOWING IMPROVEMENTS AT LINCOLN PARK FROM MOST IMPACTFUL (1) TO LEAST IMPACTFUL (16):



LINCOLN PARK FEATURES & OBSERVATIONS

LINCOLN PARK

FEATURES:

- Lincoln Park is located along the West edge of town and offers vast open space with nearly 55 acres of active and passive recreation.
- Lincoln Park is a destination as most users have traveled to Lincoln Park mainly to appreciate one of its many special places/amenities.
- Tennis, football, sand volleyball, and baseball recreational amenities are offered in Lincoln Park.
- Additional park amenities include a fishing pond, camping sites, frisbee golf course, memorial fixtures, historic structure, fitness equipment and play features.
- The park is adjacent to the Bird Sanctuary located along Park Avenue which offers another opportunity to explore nature.
- The park is located next to Superior Public Schools, providing a natural backdrop of trees and open space to complement the learning atmosphere.
- A large Veterans memorial, and the future site of the 2021 Agrex shooting memorial, offer a place for remembrance, reflection, and honor.

OBSERVATIONS:

- **WALKING TRAILS:** The recently added walking path from the school to the east offers a great park entry and should be expanded to activate additional areas of the park and provide recreational loops within the park and to additional areas of the community. The recently added walking path from the school to the east offers a great park entry.
- **BIRD SANCTUARY:** The bird sanctuary is a great amenity but currently lacks access and nodes for seating or engagement.
- **DOG PARK:** Even though the dog park was unsuccessful there still is opportunity for on-leash dog amenities and play features. The plan identifies an underutilized park area for these amenities along a trail.
- **TREE MAINTENANCE:** The mature tree canopy is an incredible park asset. As the trees age, a landscape master plan should be established so that trees may be removed and replanted over time and not in a single event.
- **ENTRY BRIDGE:** The condition of the bridge entering the southwest portion of the park must also be a factor as this bridge needs significant repairs to be able to continue serving as a entrance for vehicles, especially those pulling campers.

LINCOLN PARK OPPORTUNITIES

LINCOLN PARK

OPPORTUNITIES:

The most popular proposed concepts for Lincoln Park are the additions of natural and improved trails moving throughout the park and connecting Lincoln Park to the Bird Sanctuary and Superior Public Schools. The Lincoln Park master plan aims to elevate the existing features and amenities and further connect the school, adjacent neighborhoods, and park amenities.

EXPANDED TRAILS:

The proposed trail network provides additional program opportunities including mountain biking and expansion of passive recreation to enjoy the park's entire limits including the bird sanctuary, fishing pond, open lawns, and beautiful tree canopy and landscapes. It is implied that lighting will be located along these trails. Defining the athletic field parking areas and connecting them with a paved or natural trail is recommended. Expanding the trail through the sanctuary would be a great opportunity to invite users into the park. The proposed trails use a variety of materials. Some areas will be a paved sidewalk while others will be more natural.

LIGHTING:

As lighting is added, the improvement and addition of electrical services and modern amenities that would support the community's beloved Candy Cane Lane must also be included.

ENHANCE FISHING AMENITY:

A bridge is proposed across the fishing pond to engage with this park amenity and provide a fishing dock. Other proposed additions include improvements to the fishing pond.

RECREATION AREAS:

The existing recreational areas including sand volleyball, tennis, basketball, and frisbee golf shall be maintained and enhanced.

CAMPING EXPANSION

The master plan identifies an area for future camping expansion.

PLAY FEATURES:

Play features are a great addition to the park and should be maintained and enhanced over time. Consider opportunities for natural play fixtures to offer additional inclusive, and multi-sensory experiences throughout the park.

VETERAN'S MEMORIAL:

The master plan recommends the consolidation of existing memorial war fixtures around the existing tank. Consider relocating fixtures from City Park to celebrate this history with signage, plaques, and establish a single destination within the park.

LINCOLN PARK DRAFT CONCEPTS: OPTION 1



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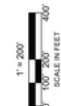


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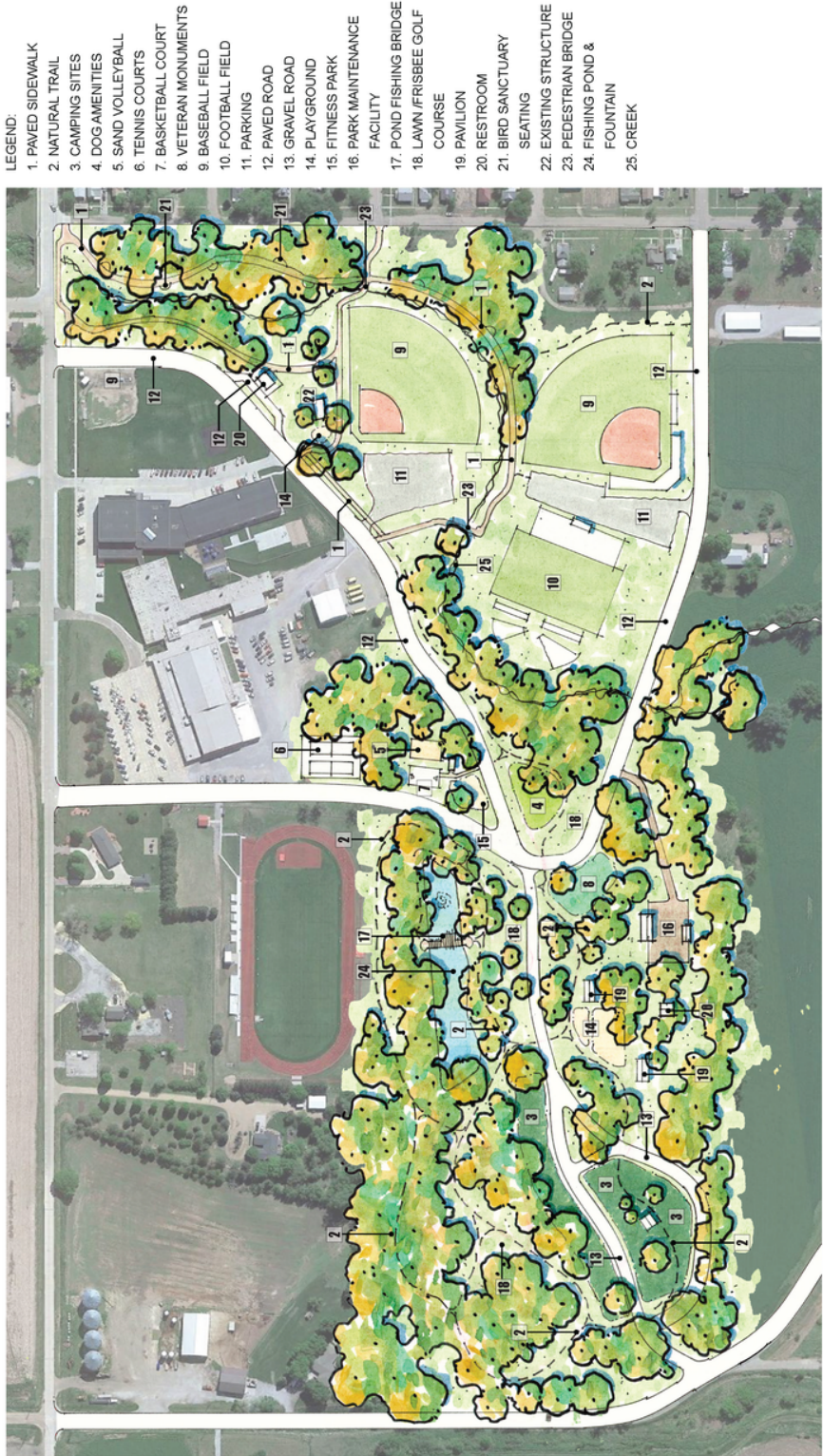
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IMPLEMENTATION ESTIMATES

Paved Trails for Walking, Running, or Bicycling				
Item	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1. Mobilization	1	L.S.	\$10,000	\$10,000.00
2. Trail Clearing Subgrade Preparation (8' Wide x 3,000 l.f.)	2700	S.Y.	\$4	\$9,450.00
3. Paved Trail (8' Wide, 5" Thick)	2700	S.Y.	\$60	\$162,000.00
4. Signage	1	L.S.	\$5,000	\$5,000.00
5. Miscellaneous Clearing	1	L.S.	\$5,000	\$5,000.00
6. Bird Sanctuary Seating	6	EA.	\$750	\$4,500.00
Sub-Total				\$195,950.00
Contingencies (20%)				\$39,190.00
Engineering (15%)				\$29,392.50
Grand Total				\$264,532.50



Lighting for Trails				
Item	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1. Site Lighting Poles/Fixtures (10,000 l.f. @ 100' O.C.)	100	EA.	\$5,500.00	\$550,000.00
Sub-Total				\$550,000.00
Contingencies (10%)				\$55,000.00
Engineering (15%)				\$82,500.00
Grand Total				\$687,500.00

IMPLEMENTATION ESTIMATES

Natural Trails for Walking, Running, or Bicycling				
Item	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Total
1. Mobilization	1	L.S.	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
2. Trail Clearing Subgrade Preparation (8' Wide x 7,000 l.f.)	6,225	S.Y.	\$3.50	\$21,787.50
3. Natural Trail Surface Course (8' Wide, 2" Aggregate)	600	TNS	\$45.00	\$27,000.00
4. Signage	1	L.S.	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
5. Miscellaneous Clearing	1	L.S.	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
Sub-Total				\$68,787.50
Contingencies (20%)				\$13,757.50
Engineering (15%)				\$10,318.13
Grand Total				\$92,863.13



LINCOLN PARK VISUAL COMMUNICATION

PARK WAYFINDING INSPIRATION



COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY CONCLUSIONS

CONCLUSION OF SURVEY RESULTS

The survey results presented on the previous pages influenced the overall recommendations and park improvements introduced within this plan.

Main point of the community survey:

1. Splash pad addition and swimming pool upgrades are most popular park improvement project.
2. Residents are willing to spend sales tax revenue to support non-profit organizations that contribute to the community's overall quality of life. Specifically, the majority is supportive of assisting with covering operating expenses and capital investments for the Crest Theatre and Simic Roller Skating Rink.
3. Residents feel that Lincoln Park upgrades were more of a priority than City Park.
4. Most popular Lincoln Park upgrades are walking/biking trails.
5. Most popular City Park upgrades (in addition to swimming pool upgrades and splash pad) are a walking path around the entire block and the addition of a full court basketball court.
6. Adequate lighting must be included with walking trails at Lincoln Park.
7. Addressing vandalism must be included with any City Park improvements.

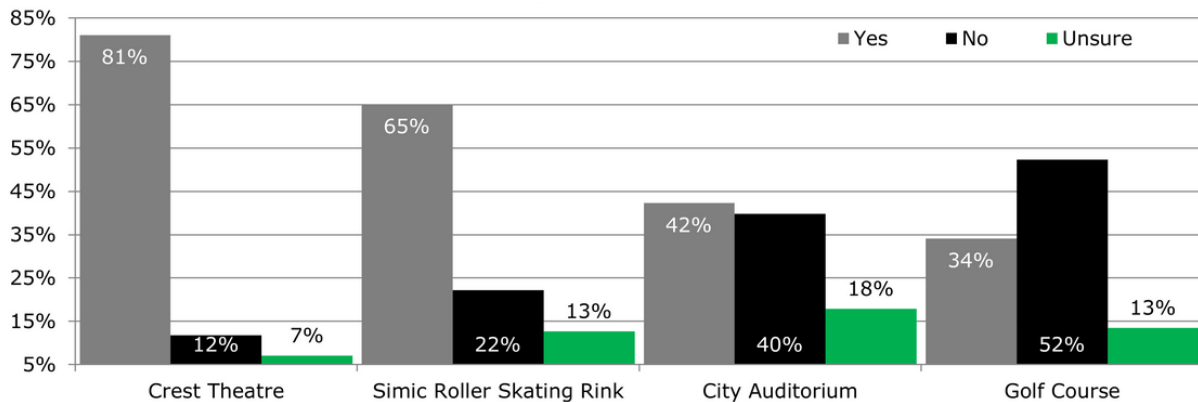


COMMUNITY-WIDE SURVEY PROJECT SUPPORT

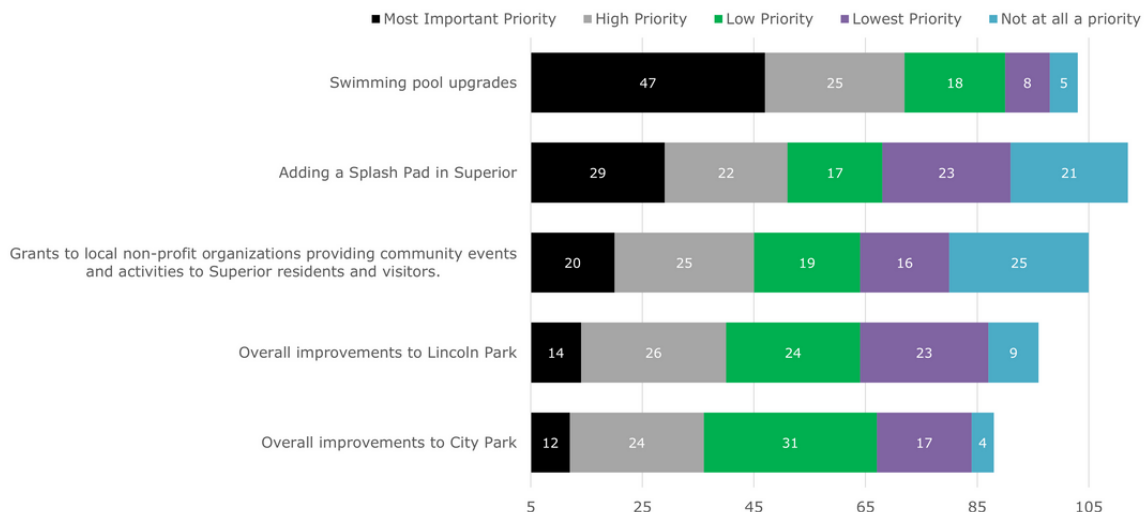
This park and recreation master planning document focused primarily on physical improvements that would be made in the city's two parks: Lincoln Park and City Park. However, several non-profit organizations exist in Superior that are not funded within the city's budget but do provide amenities, facilities, and activities that enhance the overall quality of life in Superior. They are identified within the Project Focus Areas map on page 5 and include: City Auditorium, Crest Theatre, Simic Roller Skating Rink, and the Superior Country Club.

These organizations have paid capital expenditures and operating expenses through donations and participation fees. Their work benefits all residents and they do not operate as for profit corporations. Because of this, they were considered in the community wide survey. The purpose of these survey questions was to gauge the community's willingness to spend revenues raised through the sales tax for the purpose of benefiting local, non-profit organizations. According to survey results, the majority of residents would be in favor of utilizing their sales tax dollars to assist Crest Theatre and Simic Roller Skating Rink. The survey results also indicate that, after improving the swimming pool and adding a splash pad, residents see these local organizations as more of a priority than improving Lincoln and City Park.

WOULD YOU SUPPORT THE USE OF SALES TAX REVENUE TO SUPPORT CAPITAL PURCHASES/BUILDINGS AND LAND IMPROVEENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING ORGANIZATIONS?



WHAT IMPROVEMENTS SHOULD BE A PRIORITY FOR USE OF THE CITY'S SALES TAX REVENUE ?



MASTER PLAN ESTIMATES OVERVIEW

CITY OF SUPERIOR PARKS & RECREATION MASTER PLAN ESTIMATES

The following projects are those improvements that were consistently identified as needed park improvements. An OPC (Opinion of Probable Costs) has been provided for each proposed project by engineering professionals with Olsson. These costs will be refined as the proposed concepts evolve into actual projects. These estimates can be used for budgeting and fundraising purposes.

City Park	
Walking Path	\$84,524
Splash Pad	\$237,533
Basketball Court	\$81,270
Pool Improvements	\$594,000-\$729,000
City Park Overall	\$997,326-\$1,132,326
Lincoln Park	
Natural Trails	\$92,863.13
Paved Trails	\$264,532.50
Lighting	\$687,500.00
Lincoln Park Overall	\$1,044,895.63
Proposed Park Improvements Total Cost Estimate	\$2,042,222-\$2,177,222
<i>Source: Olsson, Grand Island, NE</i>	