

### Project overview

In response to public desire expressed in the Parks and Pathways Bylaw Engagement, Calgary Parks wanted to explore allowing liquor consumption at picnic sites in Calgary Parks. Allowed liquor use in parks would be strictly for picnic sites only, as per AGLC regulations which indicate liquor can only be consumed at assigned, designated picnic site, and can only be consumed with food.

### Verbatim Comments

A What we Heard Report can be found [here](#). All of the comments below are verbatim as received. The comments are divided into questions asked. They are unedited, including spelling, grammar, use of contractions, etc. The only exception is where there is profanity or personally identifying information, this is indicated in brackets.

Due to a large volume of comments, this is document two of four.

- **Q4: When booking a picnic site, would you choose one that allows Liquor consumption? Why yes, or why not?**
- No, we are trying to get rid of drinking and driving and this is promoting it a bit.
- yes
- Yes. Freedom of choice.
- No. I would not want to deal with over consumption by adjacent or nearby sites.
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- Yes as it provides the option for others attending
- NO! Kids are present.
- No, I don't feel intoxicating of any sort is appropriate in the public park environment. Choosing to alter your mind is not an inclusive choice.
- Yes
- absolutely not. Picnics are meant to be fun and relaxing... not a club/party environment.
- Yes, but again, don't limit it to just picnic tables !
- No, I don't associate the use of a park with a need to consume liquor
- Yes, because I don't see why not.
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- no, we do not need to consume liquor that poisons our insides while we enjoy the fresh air and outdoors

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- no
- Why a need to book? Open this to all parks. This doesn't change intoxication in public or other bylaws just allows responsible adults to be responsible adults.
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- No. I feel one that allows liquor consumption is less child friendly.
- No, I go have a picnic without liquor, consume your liquor at home or at a licensed place.
- Only for large family events or corporate picnics
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- No. Picnics should be peaceful; not having to contend with belligerent loud people in adjacent sites.
- Yes. More freedom.
- No. I have no need to drink in a park. I can do that at home in my backyard.
- Yes, because i am a responsible adult and should be able to have a drink if i choose.
- I wouldn't matter to me. Calgary parks are so beautiful and worth booking regardless of liquor.
- No
- Yes
- Yes for obvious reasons.
- Yes, to enjoy my food more
- No, if people need to drink, go to a bar or stay home
- Yes
- Yes. Because sometimes we enjoy a glass of wine or beer with a picnic.
- yes, it's nice to have a glass of wine or a beer when having lunch
- all sites should be able to have liquor
- No I wouldn't want to deal with the idiots that can't control themselves.
- Yes I trust other people to be responsible and not cause any problems
- no, for all the reasons stated above
- Yes
- yes, because with a good meal a glass of wine is doctor recommendation and I'm sure more people will choose to go to picnic.
- Yes, I want the people around me to have a positive time
- Yes
- Yes as our family enjoys a beverage with socializing, rather than having to go to a pub or bar. We like to enjoy the outdoors.

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- No as I have recovering addicts in my family and would not expose them to that
- Yes -it would enhance the picnic experience.
- No, when I take my kids to the park it's to relax and have fun. There are too many kids exposed to alcohol use, shouldn't we limit that exposure as much as possible?
- No, I picnic with my family and don't want to expose them to any drunk or disorderly persons.
- it would depend on if i wanted to consume liquor. if it was all that was available i would
- NO, I think that society needs to stop thinking that alcohol makes things enjoyable. If you need to drink do it at home or in a bar.
- No. Not every family event needs liquor attached.
- No. Drink at home.
- Yes - doesn't mean everyone has to drink, but the opportunity to do so legally would be available
- All should allow...
- Yes, I'm a responsible adult. I should be able to have a drink with a meal if I so choose.
- No. I don't need to go to a park to drink. Then drive home intoxicated.
- No. Possibly turn into a party site.
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- No, potential disorderly behavior
- Yes. People who want liquor will be drinking it anyways so we may as well make it allowable.
- Meh
- Yes I would. I like to enjoy a drink while picnicking with friends
- Yes. See answer to number 3.
- n/a
- I don't book picnic sites, but I definitely would in the future. I should be able to choose if I want a beer, not the city.
- No, no one wants to be able to drink a single beer, they want to consume and get drunk and that leads to obnoxious behaviour
- no for fear of drunks
- I would choose one that does not. But people should not have to choose as all parks are created for the enjoyment of all Having to choose is something that Public parts were never created for
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- Sure, have you ever been to Europe? We don't have to be Hicksville forever.
- Yes. So a friend joining can enjoy a beer or a glass of wine with the picnic. Especially for celebratory picnics like celebrating engagements or birthdays.
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- Yes because beer goes great with bbq!
- No. I don't think that liquor is required to enjoy our parks and picnic areas.
- No. I go to a park to enjoy nature - if you want to drink, go home or to a bar.

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- NEVER - don't want to be around a liquor consuming environment with my family... if I want that I will go to a bar or restaurant.
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- No — alcohol consumption contributes to massive and complicated social behaviour problems.
- Yes, as I'd rather have the option for my guests than not.
- sure, many adult Canadians drink with friends and family.
- Yes due to the option of having a drink if we feel like one
- Yes, it is a social norm.
- Yes confirms more to our lifestyle
- Yes - it would be a fun, relaxing, and enjoyable experience.
- No
- Yes. Additionally alcohol consumption is a social piece. Taking away large stigmas for children around this allows more understanding of responsible use.
- NO
- Yes.
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- Yes. Why not? No different than going to a patio at a restaurant in the summer.
- I would. I may not be the one consuming alcohol, but it would be nice to have that option for those not driving.
- No - who knows what is to become of the gathering next to you as the day progresses... keep the parks open to all families, keep them safe.
- no, because of potential threats
- Yes, because I would like the option to consume liquor.
- Yes, generally more sociable environment
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- Yes..to have the option to have a drink while enjoying a picnic with family and friends
- No liquor. Don't want to deal with those who abuse it and r disorderly.
- No, I don't want to see liquor consumed anywhere in parks
- Sure, it would be nice to have a cold beer on a hot day. Just don't get carried away with it.
- No, because I don't like having to deal with drunk people. I would probably be put off from booking sites that allowing drinking.
- yes, because with a good meal a glass of wine is doctor recommendation and I'm sure more people will choose to go to picnic.
- No, I would not choose a picnic site that allows drinking. Unfortunately, many people have proven time & again that they don't drink responsibly. There are so few places in Calgary that are family friendly , that it would be a shame to lose them.

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- Yes. Similar to going out for lunch on a patio during the summer, it would be nice to be able to enjoy a meal outside in the many parks we have access to and also enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Sometimes yes, sometimes no
- Yes. We are a free country no?
- Yes, why would it matter if liquor consumption is allowed? If you don't want to drink, dont!!!!
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- Of course! Having a nice glass of wine with my picnic will encourage me to use these sites.
- I live across from a public park on the river.
- Yes, so that I have more option to have a picnic the way I want it
- No as I'm against legalizing marijuana it opens the door to smoking cigarettes as well as other drugs
- Yes, having that options would definitely make me want to pick one that allows for liquor to be consumed. The only problem is that those picnic sites will be booked up way more than usual, and it's already hard to reserve a good picnic site as it is now.
- No because there are to many irresponsible people and enforcement of proper behavior would not be there when required.
- Of course. I would have a drink regardless of the rules.
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- no
- Yes! We are mature adults. Why should we pay price for those who aren't? Why not enjoy a cool drink with a picnic and friends?
- Guess if required
- No. Those who drink, seldom contain themselves to one drink, and I could see much more noise, arguments, and fights in these areas.
- No! Sites are disorderly now, can you imagine liquor drunk people.
- I would not choose a picnic site that allows liquor consumption because of all the concerns in question 2
- Yes, because if I'm going to a picnic I would rather go to one where I could have a beer or a glass of wine, as I would with any other meal with friends during the summer
- No
- NO,Entrapment by CPS
- Yes, because it would have less restrictions on what I might wish to bring on a picnic.
- Yes, it is nice to have a beer on a hot day
- Yes, wine with a picnic is nice
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- Yes. Because a beer or a glass of wine helps make the occasion.
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- Yes. Because I'm an adult who enjoys a cold beer while not feeling like a criminal

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- Absolutely. I think that as a person of the age of majority I should be allowed to consume alcohol. It's just a nice option to have when enjoying time outside.
- -Yes, because what difference would it make to me if I was or wasn't at a site permitting liquor? If all sites permitted it, this would be a non-issue.
- No
- If liquor was allowed i would not attend that park, as i don't think this needs to be seen in public places, there are places for this and that is where it should be kept
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- No. If I want to drink I can sit in my back yard or patio. I go to a park to enjoy outdoors.
- Yes, because I like to have a drink.
- Yes. I am not much of a drinker but I can't see the harm in having a glass of wine or a beer with a picnic.
- No, as I don't need drunken idiots next to me in a park.
- Yes, that way my friends and I who want to enjoy a few beers won't feel like criminals for doing so.
- NO
- Yes, regardless of whether or not i wanted to enjoy a drink.
- Yes, sharing or food with alcohol is cultural.
- I think public consumption in all parks should be allowed. I would only pick sites with liquor and would utilize our amazing bike infrastructure to get there.
- No this is asking parks to become bars
- Yes I would choose a site allowing drinking. I see nothing wrong with having a glass of wine or beer while picnicking as long as the picnickers not intoxicated or causing a disturbance.
- Yes
- Depending on the kind of picnic I want, yes. I see having wine for a romantic picnic before Shakespeare on the Bow for example.
- Yes, it would be wonderful to be able to have a glass of wine with our picnic outing
- Yes, so long as public intoxication rules are kept in place. It would be nice to have a beer or two with a picnic or BBQ, but I don't want to be surrounded by people getting loser drunk.
- Yes. I like wine with my meal.
- Don't care either way
- Depending on the event
- Yes if I plan on drinking and the added cost (if any) isn't too great. No, if either the cost is prohibitive or I don't plan on drinking during that meal.
- Yes. My friends and I enjoy beer or wine when socializing
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- Yes
- Yes, because we'll be drinking regardless

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- Yes because I'm an adult, BBQ and beer go together like lamb and tuna fish or spaghetti and meatballs.
- Not applicable to me, since I don't want alcohol permitted.
- It would depend on the day and other attendees with me.
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- No
- I don't believe that we should have to book a picnic site in order to consume alcohol at a park.
- No. I do not need alcohol to enjoy my picnic in the park.
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- Yes.
- No. Alcohol removes inhibitions and common sense, particularly in large groups where it's more likely someone will get out of control.
- Yes. Nice to be able to have a few beers while at a bbq.
- I don't book picnic sites ... but if I were to I would choose one that allows liquor consumption. BTW, interesting capitalization on liquor in your question ;-)
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- Yes. Because I am an adult
- No,
- Yes. People who are going to drink are doing so anyway. People who are not, aren't. By keeping this illegal shows a disconnect from reality.
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- No
- yup, makes it an event for everyone
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- No - liquor does not belong in the parks
- Yes, because I would like to be able to enjoy a drink while having a picnic.
- No, personally would not want to drink during a daytime picnic
- Yes, because I value having the choice of what to bring, what to drink depending on the occasion.
- Yes I would so I could enjoy a glass of wine or beer with my picnic.
- Yes. My social activities often involve moderate alcohol consumption, especially with food. I purchase alcoholic drinks at restaurants and bring wine to parties. It would be nice to be able to socialize in the same way outside.
- Yes, people tend to bring drinks anyways and I'd rather see it done legally
- No. Drunk neighbours
- Yes. Because there's nothing wrong with having a beer with your burger, for example.
- Yes
- Yes. There is no reason it should be restricted as there are no true bad concerns

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- Yes, absolutely. I like to enjoy a beer, wine, drink with dinner.
- Yes. Why not, multiple countries world wide allow for public consumption and i've never seen a problem with it abroad, if you are going to drink in public to cause trouble your going to do it regardless. let those who are responsible enjoy the parks.
- Yes - if I'm booking a site, it would likely be for a meal where the option for alcohol would be good, particularly as a way for folks to hang out with their kids in a social setting.
- no. I would stay as far away as possible. Generally any picnic I would attend would be a family event
- Yes I would. I think it's a nice thing to be able to have a drink outside with friends, enjoying the day, as long as it's done in a responsible manner.
- It wouldn't change whether liquor was going to be drank or not. It would be nice to be at one that it is allowed.
- I don't book picnic sites, but live near some
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- Yes.
- No absolutely not because I don't want a bunch of people drinking in the park, getting drunk and leaving their bottles everywhere.
- Yes. Most other cities allow this. It is nice to enjoy a picnic and a bottle of wine.
- Yes. Then any guests who want to have a glass of wine or a beer with their picnic can enjoy that in the wonderful setting of our parks!
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- Yes, as I enjoy having a drink with a meal during a picnic
- Yes, it would be nice to be able to have a beverage with my picnic
- Yes because we can have a few glasses of wine or beer, legally, without fear of prosecution.
- Yes. I would like to enjoy a few beers with my picnic.
- No I wouldn't book one and would less frequent the parks I do go now, if you start allowing various substances to be consumed there.
- No, picnic sites are frequented by families, and children should not be exposed to drunk and disorderly people.
- Yes, but alcohol consumption should be legal in all parks regardless of picnic sites... It's too restrictive
- Yes. It's nice to have a glass of wine with your meal.
- I would book one that allows Liquor. I think responsible consumption is something families should participate in, and that there is nothing wrong with children seeing this.
- YES, because a glass of wine/beer make the meal, relaxes.
- No. It will surely increase and encourage disorderly behaviour that already happens at Parks.
- Yes, more options of beverages for gatherings



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- absolutely. I love food and wine pairings and would absolutely want to share that with friends and family. at least having the option.
- Yes. It provides flexibility to enjoy wine or beer with a meal
- Yes. So my wife can drink wine.
- No. I don't want to deal with drunks.
- Absolutely yes. I would like to be able to have a drink outside with my meal.
- Yes - I think if we were having a picnic it would be great to consume alcohol to enhance the experience/enjoyment.
- no as above the idea of public consumption is antiquated and completely off line with any contemporary public health knowledge.
- No. Not interested in consumption of alcohol or cannabis in public.
- yes.
- Yes, because it's a nice option to have when enjoying a picnic outside in the summer
- Yes, because sometimes a drink with a picnic is enjoyable, nothing excessive.
- Yes. So I could drink
- No. Parks are for public use. It is usually occupied by kids therefore it is not a good example for them to see adults carrying liquor in the parks.
- Yes, I like to have wine or beer with a meal.
- Yes
- Yes, because I want that choice. But honestly, I don't want to have to book a site. Every site is alcohol free if that's what our booking group chooses.
- Depends on the event. Probably.
- For me, and my family, it wouldn't be a big factor one way or another. There are just so many other factors that would go into what site we would select
- Yes, more options for consumptions
- No. I don't want to be near drunks.
- Yes, for the reason stated above
- Yes!
- No because disruptions and noise by drinkers
- Yes, it will allow us to have a beer or a glass of wine while out on a picnic.
- yes. it has been used in europe as a social reason for adults to talk and soon the two families are friendly. Happened many times to me.
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- Yes, because I want to be able to have a beer with my food.
- Yes, I enjoy have an adult beverage with my picnic
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- No, I don't want to be around people partying when I have a picnic.

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- No. I believe adding alcohol to the mix is not a good idea.
- No, Having my Alberta Proserve, who will be liable for over consumption as bars and restaurants are mandated to look after their guests. We have to make sure they get home safely without causing harm to anyone.
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- No, there is no reason to drink in a public park, unless you live there perhaps. Let's work on educating the public and their children that liquor is not healthy or safe, permit or not.
- Yes, more fun!
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- Yes. It doesn't mean we HAVE TO consume alcohol
- Not relevant to my use so I would be indifferent
- No, I would not specifically choose a site because they allow alcohol. I would choose a site because I like what that location has to offer, eg., paths, water source, picnic sites.
- No, where does the city draw the line on liquor. Is it only beer and wine why not hard liquor.
- Yes, it's a nice option to have for some guests
- Yes. I might like a little red wine or a beer with my burger.
- Yes, I would appreciate the flexibility, and it would be nice to be able to have a glass of wine with a picnic basket of cheese and crackers
- Yes, it fosters more of a social environment and many people simply stay home to bbq because they can consume/do as they please. It would be nice to enjoy some of Calgary's beautiful green spaces while sipping on a cold beverage.
- Yes. So I can enjoy my local inglewood craft beers
- I would not want to be around any site with my children where alcohol is allowed, we will stay home. If people want to drink, go to a bar, not where kids are playing, that is the point of a park.
- Depends on the intent of my visit. Some days I might want to have an alcoholic bevie, other days not.
- Yes. Why not? Alcohol isn't evil.
- Yes, if it was an adult function, No for a child's birthday party.
- Depends on the type of gathering, I would likely choose that option so I didn't have to worry if someone brought alcohol. Again added benefit & privileged to be able to enjoy a drink with a meal & friends.
- Of course, as I mentioned before it's a common practice already
- I probably wouldn't look, for the most part.
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- Yes, because I would likely want some beer/wine with my BBQ/picnic
- Yes, because I'm an adult and should be able to consume alcohol wherever I please as long as I am not putting anyone in danger (driving)

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- Yes, I am a moderate drinker and I like drinking wine and beer with lunch/dinner
- Yes. It's nice to have a beer on a hot day or a glass of wine when you're having a picnic.
- Yes because it allows for longer social time with liquor
- No
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- Yes, but they should ALL be allowed liquor consumption. don't make a pointless and excessive booking system that will inevitably crash, fail, and cost far too much for an inferior product.
- Yes. It's just more fun. I'm responsible, as are my friends. We'd have more 'responsible' fun.
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- No
- Yes then I know there will be others drinking so I wouldn't feel like the only group
- Yes. We like to relax with a drink outside on a hot summer day. Might not if it's a kids party. But would like to have the option.
- No, I don't drink.
- Yes
- Yes choices
- Yes. Having a beer on hot day during a barbeque is enjoyable.
- Of course. Everyone would. It would encourage group activities outdoors. I'd have more gatherings.
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- Yes, It would be great to have a beer with a picnic or a glass of wine.
- Yes. More options .
- This is a silly question, just make them all liquor friendly.
- Yes - An opportunity to spend time with my family and friends - just like we would in our own home. Responsible fun and activities - We would be more prone to use public space and parks if this was allowed
- Definitely NOT, if I want to consume liquor, I will do it at home.
- Yes. So family and friends can enjoy responsible consumption along with their meals.
- Yes, because It would be nice to have a beer or two in the sun at a BBQ
- No, liquor nor drugs should be allowed
- No. I find so many people in Calgary are irresponsible drinkers. I'm there to have a good time, not be surrounded by drunks. Yes some are fine but I find a lot will abuse this.
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- Yes, I would usually. I love Alberta's independent breweries and really enjoy pairing a good beer with my meal.
- No. We all know it will be abused.

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- Yes - it would give the people attending a choice of whether they wish to have liquor or not, with no consequences.
- Yes. It allows those who want to have a drink the chance, and those who don't want to consume are unaffected.
- Yes, just to give that flexibility to the guests.
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- Yes, the ability to have a drink or two during a group gathering is nice.
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- No, I don't want to be around drunk people. You know it will, people can't control themselves.
- Yes, Can enjoy a cold beer while enjoying being outside
- Yes because it would be nice to have the option just in case.
- Maybe, it would depend on the event I was booking a site for. My spouse and I don't drink, so NBD for us either way.
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- Yes.
- No. My kids don't need to be around that and if I'm outside, I'm not interested in being around drinkers either.
- No don't want to have my experience spoiled with those drinking
- No for all the above checked off reasons.
- yes.
- No. Do not want to be around groups of people drinking when I'm visiting a local or municipal park. I enjoy the parks and riverbanks for what they are. Also a great location to get away from city hustle and bustle.
- Yes. Why not have the option?
- Yes - To me a picnic as an adult is nice location, good company and good food and wine. I have literally ignored the beautiful parks Calgary has because of the no liquors... prefer the backyard at that point with almost no green space view.
- No
- Yes, depending on the type of event I'd be hosting.
- Picnic sites should be first come, first served unless for group bookings.
- . yea . because i want wine with supper .
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- No, as I wouldn't want the potential for unruly behaviors due to alcohol consumption to increase.
- No. For all selected reasons above.
- Yes on a nice day why not have a nice sandwich and a beer
- No. I don't want to risk being around people who may overdrink.

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- Yes. Most of my friends would appreciate being able to drink a beer or two.
- No. Do not want my picnic possibly interrupted by unruly drinkers.
- Yes, liquor consumption is positively correlated with my enjoyment of public parks
- Yes, for adults
- Yes
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- Yes - I enjoy a glass of wine with lunch and dinner on the weekend
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- Yes. Enjoying a drink with friends at a bbq/picnic is how we love to spend time and it would be great to have public spaces to do this.
- No. I don't see a need to have liquor at picnics.
- Yes - if I'm having a backyard bbq or picnic, people generally want beer or wine. It would be nice to enjoy one of Calgary's beautiful parks with a gathering of friends while drinking a beer from one of our many breweries.
- No, when we're booking a site for a family outing we're out to have fun together. We don't need alcohol to have a good time.
- Probably not. Am worried it will be abused. Not in favour of children and alcohol. Drinking & driving
- No, because I don't book picnic sites. I am typically an attendee at a site that someone else has booked for an event.
- Yes! What's a summer picnic without sangria?
- Yes, would be nice to enjoy a few beverages in the park, especially for those who live in apartments/condos without their own green space.
- yes, can of beer at picnic is enjoyable when a responsible adult
- Yes. It's nice to have a beer at an outdoor event.
- Yes, because it is nice to have the flexibility to enjoy a glass of wine or beer responsibly with a picnic and enjoy our great outdoor spaces, which people do not leverage as much, often because of such onerous conditions of use.
- Yes. I am an adult.
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- Yes, if it was available.
- I would never book a picnic site. A change to the law that requires booking would be discriminatory.
- Yes. Because I invite adults to picnics who might enjoy the option of consuming a beer in the sun.
- No
- No I would not
- Giant yes.

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- No. Furthermore, I'd want to choose a site that is not near a site where people might be drinking. I wouldn't the potential of my family or group disturbed by those who are impacted by the effects of alcohol.
- Yes.
- Yes, because I would like the option to drink alcohol at an event in a park.
- yes because for example a family reunion with a glass of wine is enjoyable or a team/family sports day would be a reasonable time to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes, what's a picnic without a glass of wine!
- Yes. Who doesn't love an ice cold beer on a hot day!
- If I were to book a picnic site (I don't usually plan that far ahead), then yes, as it would give us the ability to have wine or beer with our food if we choose.
- I might, depending on who would be attending
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- Probably not. Increase in unsavoury behaviour and litter
- Probably not - I wouldn't want to be located next to another site where people are getting wasted.
- Yes, because it's nice to have beer or wine during a picnic.
- yes because for example a family reunion with a glass of wine is enjoyable or a team/family sports day would be a reasonable time to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes. For family gatherings or work functions, some liquor is welcome.
- Yes - a cold beer with a hamburger on a summer day is a treat.
- Yes. They should all allow it. There are already drunk and disorderly people in parks. There will always be. If anyone feels endangered they can call police.
- Yes, because I like to have a bevvie with my meal
- Yes, because I know my family and friends would enjoy a few drinks while having a picnic
- Depends on the group that will use the picnic site. If it is a mostly adult event I would choose one with liquor consumption.
- Yes, as I feel that it should be each 'guests' choice whether they would like a drink or not.
- Yes, I can enjoy a drink responsibly
- Yes, know where it is permitted to consume alcohol
- No
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- Yes - I see no problems with people having liquor at a picnic (with food). Alcohol are a normal part of many people's meals and social life.
- No as I have children. You can go drink at bar.
- No. Possibility of inappropriate behavior by those drinking
- Yes. Nice to have the option

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- Yes, I believe being able to have a glass of wine during a picnic will only enhance the experience and encourage more use of the parks for picnics.
- No. We don't drink
- No I would not chose a picnic site that allowed liquor consumption. Further I wouldn't want a site where neighbouring sites allowed liquor b/c I can't control who goes through the site.
- no because I usually have my children and other children with me.
- Yes. I'm an adult and wouldn't mind a beer
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- yes, especially if I am hosting a social picnic with friends and families.
- Yes
- Does not matter.
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- Depends on the nature of the event
- No , do my want to be around people partying
- Yes because I would be consuming liquor
- Yes , in case someone wants to enjoy a beer
- No
- Yes, because these picnic sites are great for larger gatherings and some people would prefer to enjoy a drink legally.
- no
- No, because it endangers public safety plus lots of drunk people in public.
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- Yes, I would. This is because I am ok with liquor consumption in public and feel that majority of users will be respectful of the rules.
- Yes, we do it everywhere else
- Yes we are grown adults and could also be a reason for more interaction between neighbors therefore strengthening bonds in communities which is always helpful.
- Yes. It makes no difference to me if regular adults have a few drinks with their picnic. On occassion I would love to enjoy one myself. Again, bad apples will abuse liquor regardless of the city bylaw.
- Yes
- yes. because a drink with lunch while hanging out is fun. We don't all want PG fun.
- Yes. My friends and I are responsible. Not everyone will drink but for those not driving it will be a nice option.
- . yes . wine with supper .
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- No reason not to.
- Yes, so I can have a alcoholic beverage with my picnic

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- yes. those attending understand it isnt an outdoor festival and are going to abuse alcohol. they will eat, drink, socialize and celebrate the event responsibly.
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- Yes, I want to enjoy the experience.
- Yes.
- No. I have young kids.
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- Yes. Responsible consumption - would allow me to have a BBQ with my friends and have a few beers at the same time.
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- Yes, if I or others in my group wanted the option of having a drink.
- Yes, I enjoy a beer, or alcohol with meals and with friends.
- Yes, adults should be permitted to drink in public
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- Yes, because sometimes I like to have a beer or two with my picnic.
- NO, all picnic sites, and all city parks should allow liquor.
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- Yes, as above.
- yes, it would be great to be able to enjoy a beer while throwing a ball instead of staying the back yard
- No. Parks are free public spaces and I don't think people should have to be around belligerent irresponsible drinking when they are just trying to have a nice picnic with their young family. It shouldn't be their job to avoid it in a public space.
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- Yes, most people like to have a beer
- No
- No, nor would I choose one near a site that allows liquor consumption. Being surrounded by rowdy people is a negative experience, and there's not much chance police or other authorities will be nearby to control disorderly behavior.
- 
- Yes, being able to indulge responsibly in some liquor during a nice picnic out makes for a good event.
- 
- yes, the option to have a drink would be ideal
- Yes, because its allowed



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- Yes. I find individuals are more likely to spend more time when they have the option of having a drink
- No
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- Yes. Because we have friends and family that would have a drink
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- yes because summer BBQs or picnics are more fun with a cold adult beverage
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- No, for all the reasons in question number 2.
- Yes, because if it's nice I'd like to have a drink and be a responsible human being at the same time.
- No it's not necessary !!
- Yes, relaxed, casual picnics
- Yes.
- Yes. I enjoy an occasional drink and would like to spend more time enjoying outside while doing so. There is no harm in a wine and cheese picnic.
- No
- No, because I can go out for an afternoon and not have liquor.
- Yes, social drinking is not an issue
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- Yes
- Yes. It is somewhat naive to believe it is not already occurring.
- No wont feel safe
- Yes -
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- My friends and I like to drink responsibly when we hang out.
- I'd have no preference
- Depending on the event I would if it was convenient. It would not be my first priority.
- Yes, because we should be able to consume liquor at a site.
- yes. more fun
- Yes. Because a beer with my bbq is perfect
- Yes. It would allow a more diverse set of group events to occur in park spaces.
- No
- Yes - would make it more likely that I would go
- yes and no. would depend on the function. Foa an adult gathering yes for my little ones bithday party  
no
- No. If i'm going to book a site, it will be one in an area that does not allow liquor.
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- Yes
- Yes, because it has no effect on me if I don't plan on drinking
- No. Not a big drinker
- Yes. That gives freedom to my guests to choose to drink or not.
- Yes, if booking a group outing
- No people consuming alcohol may exhibit risky behavior
- Yes, I enjoy a drink when I am out in nature
- Yes, so that I could consume liquor. (??)
- yes. more fun
- No
- Yes. It's just a park. There are many.
- YES - freedom to do much more
- no
- No as I would not trust that drinkers would behave in a manner allowing others in the area to enjoy their time in the park due to excessive alcohol intake.
- No. Never.
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- Yes, because responsible alcohol consumption at social gatherings is important to me.
- Yes , I enjoy a beer with friends.
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- No. We don't drink.
- No. Our clients are mental health clients where, for the most part, liquor consumption is contraindicated.
- Yes
- No, I would choose a 'no-liquor' site. I like beer etc but it's not important enough to me to be able to drink publicly. I wouldn't want to be around the 'potential' for negative behaviour at a site that allows liquor. I like outdoor "beer garden" idea.
- Yes, it would be great to have beer or wine at a picnic
- Yes. When I book a picnic site it's usually for group gatherings that revolve around a celebration, hence typically alcohol is involved.
- Yes because I don't see a problem with drinking in public as long as you are not getting severely intoxicated
- Yes, because it allows for a more relaxed environment in moderation
- Yes, some of the picnic people may want a glass of wine with the picnic
- No - the risks of increased bad behavior are too large

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- Yes I would much prefer booking a picnic site that allows liquor consumption over one that did not. People do not book sites with the intention of drinking excessively and being a nuisance. They want to enjoy their day like anyone else at a park.
- Yes. Every time.
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- Depending on the reason for the visit it may be a factor, yes
- Yes, so I have the option available.
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- Yes, so i can drink with friends at a park and play games
- No. Nor one that is near one that allows liquor that's what bars are for.
- Yes.
- No, people can drink at home or at pubs/bars.
- Yes. I often book my son's birthday parties at calgary park picnic sites. It would be nice to be able to offer the parents a beer with lunch/dinner.
- Yes, because i will likely bring wine.
- I would choose a site that allows liquor consumption. Most of the developed world allows this.
- yes it allows for more flexibility with what we can consume
- No, I'd like drunk people as far away from me as possible.
- 
- No, it expose risk to my self, my family and person who consume the liquor.
- yes, if the place allows for liquor consumption, I wouldn't book it
- For reservations it's okay
- yes
- Yes, I enjoy sitting with family and friends and being able to have a drink.
- yes. Because I like having a beer or a glass of wine with my picnic.
- yes
- No. I don't want to be around alcohol and drunk people
- I would not choose. Drunk people are dangerous.
- Yes, enjoy a beer with your BBQ
- Yes. I usually end up just drinking a beer or two on the low anyways. This way I could do it without having to feel shady, when all I'm really doing is enjoying the sunshine with a cold drink.
- Yes, I would. Because it's better with wine!
- Yes, because it would be nice to have the option to have a glass of wine or beer with the meal we're eating.
- No. It's not a good idea.
- No, I want to have a peaceful time not worry about a bunch of drunks!

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- I would choose one that's does not allowed liquor because there are enough establishments and private homes where it can be consumed.
- No. In my experience, where alcohol is consumed there tends to be more rowdy behavior and litter. While the majority of people drink respectfully, I would still choose to avoid the area particularly if my children are with me
- Yes, it is always nice to have the option to have liquor for your picnic. Always practice responsible consumption.
- Yes I would. I prefer to spend my time outside when weather allows, and being given the choice to bring my liquor with me, I would take that.
- Yes. Because some of my guests might like to enjoy alcoholic beverages. Probably a cooler/hipper area.
- yes, gives us the freedom to drink whatever we want. Enjoying a few drinks with family and friends in moderation should not be an issue
- Yes because responsible drinking while having a picnic adds to the ambiance
- I would only choose one that allowed Alcohol
- Yes, because I like to have a drink.
- Yes. To socialize with friends and family
- No. Children are always around.
- Yes. See above
- Yes. It's part of getting together as a family.
- No! For all reasons mentioned above
- No because I have children
- Yes. I would like to have a beer on a warm summer day in the park
- Yes, to allow for the option to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes, basically to relax with my family and enjoy a beverage.
- Yes I would!! Having a glass of wine with my charcuterie platter with friends is just nice as an adult!
- Yes. Having a beer or glass of wine at a picnic is so iconic it's almost stereotypical
- yeah so i won't have to hide my liquor like i do now
- Yes as people like to have a beer during a bbq
- Yes, depending on the event I was planning.
- Yes I would, see above.
- Yes, for people have more fun
- No. Im not much of a drinker, therefore has no effect on my decision.
- I would definitely choose one that allows liquor so a picnic can be enjoyed with a beverage that has alcohol.
- Yes. Nice to have a glass of wine or beer outside.
- Probably not because I have tiny children, and I don't drink around them.

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- Yes, because I enjoy craft beer and wine, and would love to be able to pair my meal with a beverage.
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- Absolutely NOT.
- why is this even a question, start treating adults as adults
- Yes, as above
- Would prefer one that doesn't because I don't want to be surrounded by rowdy drunks
- Yes for the flexibility
- Yes. For a birthday or reunion it would be nice to have a possibility that if people wanted to they could. On vacations in the us we can bring drinks to have a cookout at the beach
- Depends on the event planned
- No - people should be able to have fun without alcohol being consumed
- 
- No, I dont want my child to see liquor consumption
- Yes! Family gatherings or birthday celebrations.
- I would secretly drink at any place that I chose if the need arose.
- Yes. Many functions (bbq, birthdays, picnics) are times for people to relax and enjoy the outdoors. Allowing alcohol will encourage those who would have stayed home or go to a restaurant to instead make use of our parks.
- No, I would just have a backyard party
- Yes
- yes. Drinking is part of social interactions and it would be great if not outlawed
- No, because of the risk of having people around my family who might abuse it.
- Yes - our family enjoys liquor consumption with meals and at gatherings.
- Yes, because some sangria or cider etc with a picnic is a nice compliment to the experience
- Yes, it would be a preferable choice.
- Yes
- Yes. I would love to have a glass of wine or cold beer with my picnic on a hot summer day. Nothing wrong with that.
- Yes, giving the option to consume alcohol to visitors is great. It doesn't mean people will do it, but allowing the option is good
- No
- Yes.
- Yes. Because alcohol is not a sin. It's 2019, not 1819.
- No , we have small kids
- Yes - because I'd rather sit and drink with my pals outdoors than at a bar.
- Yes because it's nice to relax with a drink

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- No because liquors shouldn't be allowed in public spaces
- Yes for option of having a drink with the meal.
- Liquor because nothing beats a cold beer on a hot day when having a bbq.
- I would only book a site that allows liquor consumption if needed
- 
- No because some people's attitude changes after having alcohol
- Yes, we like to enjoy wine or beer with a meal and can only do that at home or in a licensed establishment.
- No. People should be able to have a picnic without having to consume alcohol.
- No, because of childrens
- yes, rather drink and bbq at a park than my backyard
- Absolutely if they had any available for the timing I wanted. It's nice to be able to crack a beer to have with your hamburger and not have to do it in your backyard all the time.
- Yes, I would. Having an alcoholic beverage while enjoying nature and our parks makes the experience more relaxing and social.
- Yes, because a beer is always nice with bbq on a nice day.
- Yes I would because it would be nice to enjoy a glass off wine or a beer while enjoying the outdoors.
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- Yes because there is nothing wrong with having a few beers
- Yes, simply for the option to be able to if desired. I still think that liquor consumption shouldn't be limited to some picnic sites (esp. if they require booking, they will book up quick), although this would require changes from AGLC.
- Yes, to that some people can have a drink or two while enjoying a beautiful summer day.
- Yes, social drinking is a big part of summer activities.
- Yes. Picnic is for recreation and as an occasional drinker I would love to enjoy drinks with family and have a good time responsibly
- No. Why would you want to book a site beside someone who is drinking?
- Yes, because I think the atmosphere would be more convivial and it normalizes responsible consumption of liquor
- Yes, absolutely. The craft beer scene in Calgary encourages 'take-out' beer. Craft beer is now scene as a family drink and activity as it's low in alcohol and supports the local economy.
- Yes; because I like to enjoy an alcoholic beverage or two with my picnic.
- Possibly, depends on the group
- Yes, to enjoy a drink and socialize
- Yes. It just allows people to have more freedom.
- No. Not at all.

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- No, I wouldn't choose a site that allows liquor consumption, I completely disagree with allowing consumption at picnic sites.
- yes
- Absolutely not. I do not want to be exposed to people drinking.
- yes. more flexibility
- Yes because there's nothing nicer than hanging with family on a warm summer night while having a glass of wine!
- Yes, consuming alcohol in moderation is culturally appropriate for outdoor social gatherings.
- I would not have liquor consumption at any event I booked.
- I would not select a park that allows liquor, I am concerned this may cause individuals who have no control to exceed limits and impact the enjoyment of other park goers.
- Would depend on the occasion and who I would be with. There might be times I don't feel it is needed for the occasion but other times I would
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- Would not care. All should allow liquor.
- Yes, it is an enjoyable part of our culture to drink it with celebrations and in enjoyable family moments, if there are sites that allow to join both enjoyable activities that's what I would do.
- Yes, I think it would increase my enjoyment of the picnic site
- 
- My opinion is no alcohol allowed in public areas.
- Yes, because a good ol' twisted tea on a hot summer day is my jam
- Yes
- It depends on the event/situation
- If that were required, yes but separating or grouping liquor allowed is silly.
- Yes, as it would be nice to have a beer with our meal.
- No, we don't drink
- Yes.
- No
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- No
- No because I do not agree or wish to be around it
- No, we don't have resources to follow up on people sticking to guidelines
- Yes, just to have that option available to my party
- Yes. Because I am of that age where a beer outside on a sunny day is what I'd prefer
- Absolutely! I have wished many times to be able to have a drink at the park. We drink responsibly, and it is part of our (European) culture to have a drink during leisure activities. We have 2 young kids and we want to expose them to responsible drink.

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- No I wouldn't because it may cause bad behaviour, noise and other undesirable things.
- No. I discourage drinking in public. Bars restrict minors from entering due to liquor sales. Bringing liquor to the public and in the presence of minors is going backwards.
- Yes, because it's nice to have a beer or wine if i want to
- Yes because of the social aspect
- yes
- Yes, because a glass of wine with a bbq is enjoyable.
- Yes, as I'd like to enjoy a beer while having a barbecue.
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- No. With the tolerance level of drinking and driving at zero, why do we need alcohol at sites that should be used for the enjoyment of our citizens and their families without the disruption and mess caused by the consumption of alcohol.
- Yes. It would be nice to have the option either way.
- Yes, why not?
- Yes, if there was no price difference
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- NO....I don't believe drinking should be allowed in public parks!
- Yes, having a beer/wine with food at a park is no different then doing it at home at the kitchen table or in a restaurant.
- Yes, because I enjoy a beer with my burger.
- Maybe if I have a wedding or party event during summer.
- Yes, because I would enjoy the option to consume a beer in an outdoor setting like a picnic site.
- Yes. I like to have some beer or wine with my meals.
- No
- Yes to consumption. Social aspects.
- Yes
- Yes. My friends and I drink socially, so it would be nice having some drinks outdoors.
- Absolutely. I'm not a [removed].
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- Yes
- Yes. To enable me,my family and friends to enjoy alcohol while in a public space.
- Yes - nice to have the option available should I choose to bring a few beverages to offer at the gathering
- Definitely. Moderate drinking would be a nice addition to a picnic.
- Yes - if you are gathering with friends to enjoy a picnic site, the experience is enhanced when you are able to enjoy a social drink with friends & food.
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- Yes - being able to enjoy a couple drinks in the summer when bbq is enjoyable
- Yes, because I would be more likely to get guests to attend if this were allowed. Though I don't think alcohol consumption should be limited to just picnic sites.
- Yes. As mentioned above it would be good for celebrations such as birthdays for those that don't have backyard bbqs
- I would stay away from any site that allowed consumption
- Yes, because many of my friends, relations and acquaintances consume alcohol in social situations
- Yes if it was a group of adults
- Yes. Because a beer on a hot day is a marvelous thing.
- Yes, more social
- No, I wouldn't want my kids/family around that. People go to the park to have fun, not watch people getting drunk and acting disorderly. I wouldn't feel as safe in the parks.
- Yes, because I would like to have the option to choose.
- Yes, if I was looking to share drinks with friends.
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- Yes, it is nice to be able to have a beer or glass of wine with a picnic lunch or bbq dinner.
- Yes
- No, liquor should not be a part of family or friend picnics. Parks are about going to a safe, fun, sober environment.
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- Yes I would, because I think the atmosphere around at the site would be social and engaging. It would also allow me the freedom to choose for myself to consume alcohol or not.
- yes if i was to engage in such a thing
- Yes. I believe the majority of people are responsible and thus will comply the bylaws associated with the pilot. Therefore there would be little downside, but substantial benefit associated with allowing liquor consumption in parks.
- yes, older people would be more willing to attend.
- yes - having the option is a plus. I will also note that I would not want to have to submit an application to have a picnic involving an alcoholic bev - too restrictive and cumbersome. Create spaces and educate responsible consumption in public spaces
- Yes. Having a drink by the river would be a beautiful and frugal date. Being able to have a drink between games of frisbee or football or after a walk adds to the socializing aspects of those events
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- Probably. I personally don't drink much or often, but the opportunity to do so would be welcomed.
- Yes.

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- Yes, because it is nice to have the option as a responsible adult citizen to consume a legal substance responsibly in public if you so choose.
- yes, more enjoyment and while used responsibly further enhance park experience
- No! I don't see any good coming of it at all!
- No. I prefer to drink alcohol/liquor at home
- Yes
- Yes. As above, I enjoy a glass of wine with dinner.
- No because too many people cannot control themselves. One only needs to look at what hasn't happened to the Waiparous area to see what unlimited alcohol consumption and green spaces look like. Destruction and garbage everywhere
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- Yes. Cause then you can have a drink
- No, since I don't see the need for this. It is a public use area and child friendly. Adults can have a good time without liquor.
- yes
- Maybe, if the cost was the same then I likely would always, otherwise it would depend on day, time, and company.
- Absolutely not. I have no desire to deal with the problems that would bring.
- Yes, I believe that people should have the option.
- Yes, because my friends and I enjoy a glass of wine or beer with our meals.
- Yes, it's nice to have the choice or freedom to enjoy a variety of beverages with bbq and celebration
- Yes. Generally a component of most events I would host.
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- no
- Yes, if they are separate. That way if friends show up with liquor, they don't have to put it away and keep it hidden.
- Yes. It's just nice to be able to have a drink with your picnic in the summer.
- Lol I am not going to book a site to drink a bottle of wine at a park. That's nuts.
- Yes, my group of friends and myself enjoy the occasional alcoholic beverage.
- Yes, almost always,
- Yes — alcohol with dinner or on a summer afternoon or evening is part of Canadian culture. Binge or overconsumption is less likely when use is permitted and regulated.
- No
- If it was for a wedding, or a big bbq, I would choose one that allowed liquor consumption.
- Yes, because it isn't limiting. I may not drink every time I use a picnic site, but the option makes them more appealing

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- Yes. Because I would love to (responsibly) enjoy (in moderation) liquor at a park/picnic. I'm an adult and should be free to make this choice.
- I think all picnic sites and tables should allow liquor. Whether or not I choose to have liquor would depend on the event.
- Yes I probably would although I've never booked a picnic site. This may encourage me to do so.
- Prefer liquor consumption, more options for guests
- Yes. Personal freedom
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- Yes - Giving people the freedom to choose how they spend their day is great. It would be nice to go to one of our beautiful parks for the afternoon for a cold drink rather than being stuck inside a bar or restaurant.
- No I would not. people can drink at home if they need to
- No. Too much potential for bad behaviour
- Yes, for the reason above
- Yes. I enjoy a beer with a picnic or BBQ. I can enjoy them without liquor too so a decision to allow or not allow alcohol in parks won't keep me from enjoying a picnic/BBQ without alcohol.
- No and see above as to why
- Yes. I enjoy drinking just one beer or two socially.
- Yes I would, our family get gatherings usually involve a bottle or two of wine/beer
- I don't book picnic sites, but would choose one that allows liquor consumption because I am a responsible adult.
- Yes, of course. having a beer or a glass of wine with a picnic is great. It's like asking whether I would go to a restaurant that serves beer. Of course I would. Almost all of them do.
- Yes - I would like to be able to have a glass of wine at a picnic
- No
- No.
- Yes, if I was booking a picnic site.
- Absolutely, it would make my event more social and enjoyable.
- Yes
- Yes, I'm 23. Enough said.
- If my guests would enjoy having wine or beer with their meal, then I probably would.
- Yes.
- Yes, because it's relaxing to have a glass of wine with a meal
- Yes because I like a cold beer when I am picnicking.
- Absolutely. Cheese and wine in nature is one of my god given rights (in my opinion)
- Yes, because I like to have wine with a nice picnic, it's also a perfect romantic date.

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- Yes.
- No
- Yes - to allow guests options to consume.
- No. Same as above.
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- Yes.
- Yes, we like to have a drink with meals now and again.
- Yes, as responsible liquor consumption is a part of many social gatherings.
- Yes, we usually do a company do and would enjoy having a beer with our meal.
- No. I am against it; unfortunately, it will send the wrong message to children attending the picnic that you need alcohol to have a fun time. Also, I feel this will encourage unsavoury behaviour.
- No - I'm not interested in having my family disturbed with drinking parties.
- No, would not use liquor sites.
- Yes, to allow my friends and family to enjoy a beverage or two at gatherings.
- Yes. In case I want a beer or two with my picnic lunch
- Yes, because it allows more freedoms.
- Yes, if we were to have an event or a meal at home and have alcohol available why should it be different in a public space?
- Yes. No reason not to unless it is an explicitly "dry" occasion.
- Yes, because I would take advantage of this feature.
- Yes, however we shouldn't have to book picnic sites. Sites should be first come, first served.
- I don't book sites
- Yes... So we could have a little wine.
- No, I don;t drink, so that would not be my concern.
- I probably would, depending on the crowd. It would be nice to be able that drink a couple beers at a bbq without feeling like a criminal or like I have to hide.
- I would not even go to one that allows liquor not the place to go drinking and not enough bylaw officers to be enforcing it. I only see bad things coming out of this as their will be abuse maybe not a majority but it will happen
- yes
- Yes of course, no different than socializing in your home.
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- no because there are many who are not happy or nice when buzzed or drunk. and there is no way to control how much is being consumed and as people drink they often have less restraint and i dont want my fam to hear language not allowed at my house.

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- No I would not. I enjoy consuming alcohol but think it should be left to be consumed in controlled environments such as restaurants, bars and private residences. If you want to drink in a public place get a liquor license to set up a beer tent.
- Yes I would because
- NO. Why does society need to have liquor everywhere they gather? How about enjoying the time without the need to have liquor.
- Yes. Because it's normal to have alcohol with a picnic.
- 
- No. There is no need to increase use of intoxicants in public places. There are no checks on unruly behaviour.
- Yes because I'd like the choice and freedom to choose whether or not I can consume liquor in public.
- No I would not book one with liquor consumption. Going to the park should
- Yes, because I'm an adult.
- Yes. Drinking and picnics are a tried and true combination.
- Yes because my family and I are responsible drinkers and would like to be able to enjoy a beverage with meals in parks
- No.
- Yes - family get togethers, birthday parties, holidays, is a time to relax, would like everyone to be comfortable - enjoy a beer/glass of wine if they prefer.
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- Yes
- Yes because honestly that's what people do anyway. Why not make it less of a problem.
- Yes, an extra option
- Yes. Increased freedom for social gatherings is a huge benefit.
- NA
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- Yes! For increased flexibility and inclusivity
- Yes
- Absolutely, because all picnics should include wine and cheese.
- Yes, can have a picnic and enjoy wine/beer with friends. Saves money and is safer than pre-drinking.
- Yes.
- No, because I don't think you need to drink to have fun.
- No. Not interested.
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- No. Specially as we have small kids. I do not want to expose them to any drinking or any irregular behaviour.
- Maybe depending on circumstances.
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- Yes, we have 9 months of winter. The parks should be enjoyed by all.
- No. Why do we have to have booze everywhere?
- Of course.
- no. I want to stay away from drunken people
- Yes, so that we have the option if we want to have a drink
- Yes. Flexibility for the option to have a social beverage in the summer!
- yes
- No. We don't drink much.
- Yes because chances of getting more people to the picnic would happen.
- 
- Yes. To enjoy a glass of wine or a beer with the picnic. I do think it should be limited to low alcohol beverages, e.g. beer, wine and coolers.
- Yes. I'm not a big drinker, but I like to have the option to be able to consume in a park. It's been done in Europe for decades.
- No, neither myself nor my immediate family consumes liquor.
- Yes. Because I can consume small amounts of liquor responsibly and should be able to.
- Yes, I like to have wine with my picnic
- Yes, as it be open.
- yes
- Yes. It is nice to have a cold beer on a summer day with friends and family.
- No totally against this as a former bartender and current emergency services worker I've see alcohol destroy lives
- 
- No, parks should stay liquor free as there are families and minors around.
- 
- I would especially choose one that includes liquor. People drink either way and alcohol is easy to consume. All banning it does is create an atmosphere of unease and apprehension and a divide between citizens and the police
- No.
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- Yes. People should be allowed to consume alcohol in public - by making it legal people be less likely to hide it, more likely to dispose of containers appropriately, and will be more likely enjoy public spaces without feeling shamed for consuming alcohol

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- I don't book sites.
- No. I don't agree with liquor consumption in parks.
- It would not matter
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- Yes. so all participants can have that option to consume. This is already happening at sites and is rarely enforced.
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- Yes..same answer as above
- Yes, because it is nice to have options.
- No. I don't want my children near drunk adults.
- Yes. It allows people the choice if they'd like to drink or not and reduce the risk of someone sneaking alcohol in bc they're told they're not allowed to drink.
- Not unless it was for a big event like a wedding or similar function where the entire area is rented.
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- Yes. Teaching responsible consumption
- No, Liquor consumption is an inappropriate activity and I wish to have no part in it whatsoever.
- Yes. So we could have a beer or a glass of wine with our picnic
- Yes.
- Yes because I would want the option to be open.
- Yes, I enjoy a liquor beverage
- No, because I wouldn't want my event to be ruined by drunks around us.
- Yes because it's nice having the option
- Yes----just to be social within the family group
- Yes, because I'm a grown up.
- Yes
- Yes, see above.
- Yes if I was going to have a get together with friends
- Yes I would. People often bring beer anyways and not having to worry about outrageous fines is a big plus.
- Absolutely not, I do not want to see drunken behavior or have my children influenced by others that drink and what they see. Children are always influenced by others, why would we try to encourage more drinking around them?
- Didn't know you could book.
- Yes, because it gives the option to have a drink or not
- No
- Yes I would. It could make outdoor celebrations a little more fun!
- Yes, to give people the option to consume at my gathering.

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- No, no no please
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- No because I don't want to be around people who are drunk and potentially causing problems or peeing in the park or driving drunk
- No - I want a peaceful park experience, not one with noisy drunks.
- I wouldn't choose one that allows drinking if there is a park closeby
- Definitely not. I don't need an intoxicated person near me or my kids.
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- Yes, like the option to have a drink
- 
- no - liquor has no place in a public park
- Yes so people have options
- No
- Liquor should be allowed everywhere in parks. Not just a picnic sites.
- Yes. Because I like wine and beer with my picnic foods.
- Yes, so that living out Lou Reed's song, "perfect day" I can drink sangria in the park
- I would not for a corporate event, such as a team build, because you are responsible for your employees and then you have to police them and provide taxi chits.
- Yes if our group was interested in having a drink or two along with socializing. It gives everyone options!
- Yes, absolutely. See reasons above.
- My family and friends enjoy a social drink with a picnic.
- Yes, because I enjoy liquor consumption in social settings.
- yes. Because I would like to be able to enjoy a beverage of my choosing.
- Yes. Responsible adults should be able to have this right.
- No
- Yes, its more inline with the natural celebration of such events. BBQ's on my deck and backyard are nary the same with out the ability to responsibly drink.
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- Depends. Which parks allow/disallow. Example, if I have to drive to get to a park no, but if it is my neighbourhood where I can walk yes.
- Yes, I'd rather have the freedom to drink responsibility if I chose to.
- Yes i would.
- Yes, with such short summers in Calgary it is nice to be able to enjoy the sun and an alcoholic beverage during the summer
- Yes. I will not book if they do not allow. I want to enjoy my summer and I am responsible why is it not my choice



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- No. The safety concerns of disorderly conduct, impaired driving, etc. is not worth the risk to me and my children.
- No
- No. Disorderly behavior may occur and it would disturb people trying to enjoy a picnic.
- Yes. I am an adult and do not need Big Govrenment regulating my life.
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- Yes
- No, I think there are people that would abuse the privilege.
- Depends on the nature of the event.
- Yes. The same as above. To enjoy a meal with good friend family good wine and the outdoor is wonderful .
- Yes, because I am a responsible adult.
- No, don't think it is necessary.
- Yes
- It would depend on the type of venue, but if it's a gathering of adults with no kids, I would prefer the option to be allowed to consume LIquor
- No. People already drink in the parks and we have witneessed drunk; arguments, rafting, inappropriate displays of public affection. It is uncomfortable and feels unsafe to be around it expecially with children who are just there to play.
- yes - people already bring their own liquor
- Yes - so that any person in the group who wanted to consume a glass of wine (etc) could. There shouldn't be a higher charge for sites allowing liquor over ones that don't!
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- Yes
- Yes! Picnic sites have been geared towards families with kids. This will create an adult section without the worry of disturbing families.
- yes. Most of the people have couple beers or glass of vine
- Yes, I would enjoy consuming my favorite beverage (legally)
- Yes because it is nice to be able to have a drink with your picnic. It is allowed at camping sites and those are also family friendly, so why not picnic sites.
- Yes, because liquor is often enjoyed by myself and my circle and this would make Calgary's picnic sites more attractive to us.
- Yes, more chance others would join
- Yes because we like to have a beer or glass of wine with our meals.
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- No, i will never choose one that allows liquor consumption. It is very unsafe going there where liquor consumption is allowed.
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- No.
- Depends on the reason why I am at the park. Again people are already doing this at various locations and just being more discreet about it. Like using to go mugs , coozys etc
- Yes, makes it a more social opportunity.
- Yes. Nice to be able to enjoy a beer or whatever your preference is at a bbq
- Yes, I would, most of the countries allow drinking at the parks and was never a big issue.
- Yes. To have a glass of wine or beer with my food.
- Yes. It's very enjoyable.
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- Yes. Flexibility to have a glass of wine or beer.
- No, because liquor has no place in parks.
- No, to me it is not acceptable.
- If it was an adult event, yes for the guests.
- Yes, I want to enjoy with my family and friends during our leisure time
- No
- N/a
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- Yes
- Yes. I like to drink alcohol at picnics
- No
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- Yes if applicable to the type of event.
- Yes, because it's nice to be able to have some beer at a picnic.
- 100%. I would rather the option. That way if friends want to drink they can and if they don't want to, they don't have to.
- Yes, because it allows all guests the freedom to choose if they drink or not.
- Yes, I like to have beer or a glass of wine at a picnic.
- Yes, because my friends love to drink a beer or two, and we love to go camping for the fact of being outdoors and having fun. This would let us do it more often in the city.
- No. I don't want to expose my kids to liquor use
- yes
- Yes, more people would be a custom to come if it is allowed .
- Yes! I like to have a drink with my meals
- Yes-same as above

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- Didn't know they were bookable. But would depend on occasion, I would book based on that.
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- Yes I would enjoy a bbq or get together w friends in parks that allow adults to drink
- Yes as I like to casually enjoy drinks
- No. See #3 response.
- It's nice to enjoy a beer or wine in the park with friends.
- Yes, so I could have a beer with my picnic
- Yes, my family & riends frequent parks in the summer in Calgary. we do this responsibly and being able to enjoy a margarita or adrink with a barbecue would actually allow us to go and use these things more often rather than feel stuck at home
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- Yes. Because many beers and wines pair wonderfully with a nice egg salad sandwich and bag of chips.
- I enjoy a cider or a glass of wine with dinner
- Yes, I think it would be a nice to enjoy a beverage in a park
- sure, have a glass of wine or beer with your food
- No. I don't drink,
- Yes.
- Yes. It's a personal freedom that i would like to enjoy with friends and family. Freedom from government restrictions can only enhance the enjoyment of our public spaces.
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine with my meal.
- Yes, I think it is a good idea.
- Yes. Most of my friends and family enjoy it.
- Yes
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- No, I booked Prairie winds park for a birthday party 1 year and would not have had alcohol been allowed.
- Yes see reasons above
- Park use will increase
- See 1
- Yes, because I enjoy having drinks on nice days.
- Yes!
- Yes
- Yes, it will attract more guests, people will not feel as restricted and confined by the space, guests could wine with their meal or a few cold beers on a hot day, making for a much more enjoyable experience.
- No, I don't drink liquor.

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- I would hope they would all allow liquor consumption, but if limited to a few sites, then yes.
- Depends on the occasion
- Yes. I enjoy having 1 beer at a picnic without being fearful of bylaw and ticketing.
- no. possibility of drunkenness, driving after consumption or going rafting.
- Yes. I enjoy an ice cold drink in the summer. Would encourage me to try new areas to picnic in
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- Yes, so that adults in my group can enjoy a couple of beers during the picnic
- yes, it opens up the type of event. i wouldn't consider a picnic site when meeting family and friends if we couldn
- Yes, to make social gatherings easier for example birthdays.
- Yes - people want to be outside in the summer, patios are breweries are great way to spend a summer day, however can become expensive with food/drink prices. Open park spaces would be much more enjoyable way to spend a day with friends/family.
- Yes
- No, Liquor should not be allowed in the parks.
- Yes, because I enjoy being able to drink a beer with my hamburger.
- Yes- to have a sausage with a beer or glass of wine
- Yes, of course
- Yes...it's more fun
- Yes because I would want to be able to hqbe a drink while enjoying the summer sun
- Yes. Great opportunity for company picnics
- Yes, I object to the prohibition of liquor consumption in public parks. I already do it on the sly when I have a picnic.
- Yes, it allows you to drink responsibly while enjoying the area
- Yes, because it would provide the option to consume liquor for those who choose to do so, responsibly.
- yes i would and i think by creating a permit, you are then held liable for the liquor consumption on the property and any damages to the property.
- Yes. Most people enjoy a drink. Give them the chance to enjoy responsably
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- YES, that gives options to guests and i'd be more likely to book a park that allows liquor
- Yes one which allows liquor consumption. I
- Yes, this allows flexibility for those who like to enjoy their day off with a beverage. Not everyone has a backyard to enjoy the outdoors with alcohol, and with the City's push for density, this is a needed outlet.

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- Yes - even if I'm not consuming alcohol at the site, I don't mind if others do so.
- No, for "biggest concerns" checked above.
- Yes, attending a picnic is a social event.
- I would not, because I do not personally drink.
- NO
- No, there are more than enough places to drink in Calgary. Don't make parks kne of them.
- Yes. We often choose bars/patios over parks. Changing this would allow us to be outside more.
- Yes. I always enjoy having a casual alcoholic beverage with my meal.
- Yes, because I enjoy having a picnic and a beverage
- Yes. It's nice to have the option
- Yes- wine and beer go well with picnics and bbqs.
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- No, conercen about the disorderly behaviour of drunk people around kids and families.
- Of course. More fun and it'll encourage more youth to go and enjoy our boring parks
- Yes.
- Yes, because I enjoy drinking outdoors, similar to camping.
- Yes - most of my family/friends would like to enjoy liquor while celebrating a birthday
- No. Don't want to be around it.
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- A couple who wants to share a bottle of wine at a picnic will do so regardless of the laws, no bylaw officer will interrupt people enjoying a quite day in the park if they are not causing a distribuance. If you change the rules though and allow people...
- No. I would not want an environment where children see alcohol use as a normal component of recreation/socializing
- Yes, as i usually go for a bbq in the nature, bbq without a glass of wine/beer is not the same
- Yes - it's nice to be able to have a glass of wine with a picnic
- Yes, because it would be nice to have that option to enjoy an alcoholic beverage with our meal while enjoying the outdoors.
- Maybe. Would depend on the occasion and time of day.
- Yes because it gives me the freedom of choice to enjoy a picnic how I would like too.
- Yes to allow more flexibility of plans for groups
- No, If you want to drink plan it and do it at home or in a bar.
- Yes absolutely, I use sites for hanging out with adults and it's a tough sell if we can't have beer at the bbq
- 
- No

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- No. For all the reasons in Q #2.
- Yes - because I have no concerns about it.
- Yes. So I can have a drink with my food if I want
- Yes.
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- YES, if I wanted to have liquor while there.
- Yes, especially if it's a family gathering. Can you get through a family gathering without a drink? Exactly.
- No, parks for family time, if someone wona drink, go to bar
- 
- Yes, because we like having liquor at social gatherings
- Nope
- no
- Yes! What's a BBQ without a beer???
- Yes. So that I can enjoy a beverage with my friends legally. You aren't preventing people who want to drink in public from doing it, you're just making it awkward.
- Definitely, if enjoyed responsibly having an alcoholic beverage on the weekend in a park is such a nice way to relax.
- Absolutely. My family and I love grilling however, we often avoid doing so in public parts because we cannot enjoy a beer or wine with our food. If we were allowed to do so, it would greatly increase our enjoyment.
- No
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- no, whoever wants to have liquor should go to other places.
- Yes, because it's nice to have a couple of drinks outside on a nice day. I live inner city and don't have a yard. This would help me enjoy my city more.
- Yes because it would improve the event.
- No, because of all concerns mentioned above related to safety, security, children's exposure to liquor consumption, unruly behavior and chances of getting hit by a drunk driver.
- Of course I would, sometimes. If I feel like having a beer I will
- Does not matter.
- Yes, even if I'm not drinking if friends want to bring wine or a beer I would support it.
- 
- no for the reasons noted above.

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- Yes. Drinking is social, if I have a BBQ and friends over for a few drinks, we don't get wasted we just want to have a couple and socialize. This then may allow us to get out of the backyard and somewhere more scenic.
- Yes. For more enjoyability of the picnic
- Yes
- Hot days are better with a cold drink.
- Yes.
- Yes, because sometimes on a hot day it is nice for friends to have a place to have a drink outside (specifically apartment-living folk who may not have anywhere else to convene)
- No. I would worry about having my children around individuals who are drinking excessively or are being noisy or belligerent
- No and if Liquor is allowed will go else where
- Yes because as my friends and I often carpool, it would be nice to have the option.
- Yes, cause I'm an adult and I would like to enjoy a drink when I'm relaxing at one of the sites
- Yes, because I like having some wine or beer with my meal
- Yes, more people can come and have few beers but no to heavy alcohol
- Yes to enjoy an adult beverage
- Yes, because I am of age and enjoy having the option to socialize with alcohol if I choose to do so
- Yes to attract more guests
- Yes- we use city picnic sites fairly often and it's always nice to have a drink in a warm day
- Absolutely.
- Yes I would like the opportunity to drink responsibly on a picnic.
- Yes, I think it is nice to relax in the park and have a glass of wine - makes you feel like you are out of the city
- I definitely would.
- No need in drinking in public places
- NO!
- Yes because it allows the option to freely consume alcohol if warranted.
- Yes, because it would allow people to enjoy the outside world more
- Yes - so some beer and / or wine can be consumed
- Yes - tasting wine is a regular gathering activity for my social circle
- Yes as liquor is a mainstay of most of social gatherings
- Yes I would because I like to drink outdoors
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- Yes, because my friends enjoy alcohol at social events
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- Yes, because then I would have the option to consume liquor.

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- Yes. I think citizens should be free to do as they please, as long as it does not hurt others
- 
- Yes for some events.
- Yes. I like to drink at some meals and typically booking a picnic site would be for special occasion
- No coz again drinking n then driving causes serious concerns
- Yes, a cold beer with a burger is delightful
- No, I would not want to have a peaceful and family time when someone else might be drunk and behave irrationally
- Yes, it gives a bit of freedom in case someone wants to have a drink during an event
- It depends on the situation or event and who I'm sharing the site with
- Yes, the people I socialize with are able to consume alcohol in a responsible manner and frequently do so with no issues. It would be great to utilize the many outdoor spaces in the city for this
- Yes
- Yes because then I would be able to enjoy some afternoon beverages with all my friends without risking a ticket.
- It wouldn't be a question I ask. Not concerned with drinking in parks
- Yes. It would be nice to be able to have an adult beverage in a park without having to hide it.
- Depends on the purpose of the gathering. Toddler party, no. Adult party, yes.
- Yes. For the same reasons as above. There is no harm in treating citizen as responsible adults and adults acting as good citizens. Good for tourism too.
- Yes, because then I am complying with public park rules to allow me to partake in the behaviour that I like paired with my food and a social atmosphere.
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- Yes I like to enjoy a good drink with food and it is ridiculous that we cling to outdated laws that prohibit such actions as drinking in public. Look at Germany which allows drinking in all public places. It is not anarchy and works just fine.
- Yes, I would choose a site that allows liquor as I believe most adults have self control.
- Yes - I personally like the idea of being able to consume alcohol in a city park
- Yes. I would be nice to have a glass of wine or beer with a picnic or barbecue.
- yes.
- Damage to property, smell, bad behavior,
- Yes. PICNICS! Obviously.
- Sure, it wouldn't affect my choice. My bigger concern is people leaving the park and driving under the influence.
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- Why would there be a restriction? I should be able to go to any picnic site and choose if I want to have alcohol or not.



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- Yes, just for the possibility/option to have liquor if some people choose to or not. The option is nice depending on each event.
- Yes! Flexibility and gives people the option to consume alcohol anyways. They were probably going to consume, may as well do it legally.
- Yes. To have a glass of wine or beer with my food.
- Yes, some people enjoy having a beer while picnicing. Not being able to limits the times we even look for city of calgary sites
- Absolutely, alcohol is and will be a part of our culture forever. I have never booked an event at a city park, but have wanted to, and would be more inclined to with relaxed liquor laws.
- Yes
- No - I've been sober for 7 years from alcohol and drugs. I wouldn't want it at my picnic
- No because we don't consume it and don't want to expose it to our children.
- Yes, because as a responsible adult I should be allowed to have a beer or 2 on a hot summer day in the park.
- I would choose a site allowing liquor consumption. It's a great way to enjoy being outside.
- Yes, Having a couple beers or wine with a picnic would be nice.
- uncertain
- No
- Yes I would, I would enjoy being able to have an adult drink at a family picnic.
- No, reasons above.
- No. I don't drink
- Yes for the options of
- Yes
- yes, everyone loves options. It's a nice value ad to an already great experience.
- No
- 
- Never.
- No I would not choose one that allows liquor consumptions because I do not want to be next to a group that overconsumes.
- Yes, because it allows freedom
- No, I would want to book a site that won't allow liquor as I will feel safer.
- No
- Yes. But ideally I wouldn't have to book anything.
- Yes
- I would almost exclusively choose one that allows liquor consumption, my friends and family are responsible adults who consume alcohol for both fun and flavour. The only time it wouldnt matter is if I were book a space with my few sober friends.

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- Yes, I love a burger & a beer or steak & beer
- Yes definitely. Being able to responsibly consume alcohol while enjoying the city parks would likely result in me using the facilities more. Now that I don't have a yard being able to use the parks for some BBQ and Beers would be awesome.
- Yes, its nice to crack a beer or 2 with friends
- Yes, it would allow for personal liberties that can only be achieved currently by paying to sit on a patio at a restaurant
- Yes - provides guests the option to consume alcohol at a social event
- No - that tells me that there is potential for bad/disrespectfull behavior
- I would. Because we like to have a small number of bevies with picnics.
- 
- No. While most people are responsible, a minority will abuse the law and cause problems for others using the picnic area and for law enforcement.
- How about cannabis only to promote a social atmosphere
- no alcohol would just make things messy. who pays for all the vomit and clean up or damages done ti the site or the others.
- no i would not. i believe it would downgrade my experience and impact my ability to enjoy my time if people are being disorderly and loud.
- Yes, because hot summer day requires a good beverage
- Absolutely, I think most would because people are already drinking in the parks but being more discrete about it. I would personally be more encouraged to engage in local event parks.
- Yes, I would love to always have the option.
- Yes, it's happening regardless if we acknowledge or not. Have more garbage and recycling throughout the city in general!
- No. Personally don't consume liquor at picnics
- Yes - because you don't need to be worried about getting in trouble otherwise
- Yes, because I enjoy to have a cold beverage with my meal.
- No
- Absolutely yes, that would be a huge difference maker for me!
- No, I would likely be with my niece and nephew and I wouldn't want them around that in public. In private is one thing, you have control of the people in your own home but you can't control the general public outside.
- yes.
- Yes, nice to have an alcoholic beverage at a picnic/bbq
- Yes, because I
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- Yes, people can responsibly enjoy beverages

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- I'd look into it first. Because if I have kids with me I'd choose one that does not allow liquor. But if I want to have a couple of drinks with friends I'd look into where I could go.
- Yes. A drink and a meal go hand-in-hand. Also, to be honest, people drink already, lets remove the illegal side of it in favour of rational and reasonable consumption.
- Yes.. if people are responsible enough to drink liquor at home or at a bar, then they are also responsible enough to be allowed to do so in public at a park
- yes i would as it is more fun
- Yep yep yep. Because a picnic deserves a brew
- Yes, I'd enjoy having the option to responsibly consume alcohol while picnicking.
- No. I feel this will make parks less safe for everyone.
- 
- YES! I cannot Express enough how much more likely my friends and I are to go out to a park a toss a frisbee around if we could bring a couple beers/coolers in our bag.
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- Yes, sometimes I enjoy having an alcoholic drink with a picnic meal
- No. We are generally booking for children's activities.
- Cold beer on a hot day in the sun... everyone is happier...
- No
- Yes - for reasons above?
- Yes, the promise of liquor fueled socialization is the only thing that will get me out of my cave.
- Yes, because personally it feels ridiculous to be confined to your own home when trying to enjoy the brief sunny weather we get in this city.
- No
- Yes
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- Yes, consumption of alcohol does not bad behaviour. It just means it won't have to be hidden in a red solo cup.
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- Depends on the occasion but would choose a park more so based on size/location/amenities not only because it allows for alcohol consumption.
- Yes, to allow people to enjoy themselves more if they chose to bring alcohol
- No, when i look for a place I look for where is closer to home, where is beautiful I knoe is not allowed and is correct not to allow. Imagine the exposition of minors to liquor! They would fet it easier than getting from an adult at a liquor store.
- Depending on the occasion and if it was for families or not.
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- Yes...makes for a more relaxed environment.
- Always have children with us so no I wouldn't
- Yes.
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- No. I would stop booking all together as I would be frustrated that it is up to me to try to navigate what sites are allowed or not.
- Yes, it's always a good day when you can share a beer with friends.
- If it was for a child birthday I definitely would not. But for adults I don't see any harm. I'm sure it happens all the time anyways
- 
- Yes, because then people have the option if they would like to have an alcoholic beverage or not.
- Yes i would because i dont have a backyard
- Yes, because a cold beer on a hot summer day should be a right as a Canadian.
- If you dont allow for all people will just do it at the rest of them anyways
- no. Don't want somebody close to my be drank.
- No. What sort of rowdy crowd will be around you in neighbouring picnic sites?!
- Yes.
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- Yes, because I don't drink, but members of my family do & might appreciate the option.
- Yes because I'm an oh age adult
- Sure-then I have the option
- 
- No. Concerns about liability
- Yes so I can bring a beer or two
- Yes. Why not? Wine in a picknick basket feels so French.
- yes
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- Yes, its very satisfying to have a beer at a gathering of friends/family on a nice day
- Yes.
- Yes. More flexible for gatherings.
- I don't use picnic sites
- Yes. We should be given the option of drinking or not.
- Yes, to at least have the option
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- Yes, because I want the freedom to have a drink.
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- Yes. Being able to have some beers at a picnic sounds lovely. An incentive to go out to a park instead of staying in private backyards
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- yes, as it would be nice to enjoy wine/beer with a picnic. liquor consumption should be allowed at any picnic site/table, not just bookable ones.
- No ti tempting to drink and drive
- No I dont want my kids around that for a picnic.
- No
- No leads to trouble
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- Yes, I would love to be able to bring a small bottle of wine or champagne to a picnic. This would encourage me to use the picnic sites more often.
- Yes, because having a drink or two should be fine, as long as your acting responsible.
- Yes, I like to drink
- Yes. Because many people would like to have a drink on their day off out with friends and family.
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- No. See #2 above
- Yes - because having a glass of wine or beer when your having a picnic is much more fun. And it happens anyway.
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- Yes, because it's normal to have some drinks with food - if we make it so it's not a big deal, it won't be! Look at Montreal.
- Yes
- Yes, because I would like to enjoy one
- 
- No
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- i like wine with meal
- Yes, it is highly likely that liquor would be consumed.
- No. I don't want to be around people that drink. Reasons listed in above question.
- Yes. Because it would be nice to be able to have a beer or wine with a picnic.
- No!!!
- NO, because it will get out of hand and I do not want to be around that
- Yes, more flexibility in inviting guests who consume or wish to consume alcohol
- No. People will abuse the privilege and drunken behaviour will ruin the experience for all.

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- Yes. Most of our family and friend get togethers include wine and beer in moderation.
- I would avoid parks that allow liquor, humans really have not demonstrated an ability to self manage when alcohol is involved
- Sure, then the people that want a beverage can enjoy one
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- i would. i trust that others would use alcohol wisely and it would be nice to enjoy, if wanted, a beer while enjoying the outdoors.
- Yes, because I would like to enjoy a beverage while I'm in a park with my friends enjoying the nature
- No
- Yes. I like to enjoy a beverage without fear of doing something illegal.
- Yes, beer is yummy
- Yes if the occasion called for it
- Yes if that was the only way to enjoy beer or wine within the gathering.
- No - although I do drink alcohol I also enjoy occasions when alcohol isn't present. I think it's advantageous for children to see adults enjoying events without consuming alcohol.
- No. I do not believe we should be allowed to drink at a picnic site.
- No, my children dont need that exposure and I dont want to be around drunk people.
- Yes, because I would like to always have the optio
- There is no need no liquor outside in parks. Have you done any research on the amount of social disorder with relation to alcohol consumption? Why give people more place to get drunk and cause problems.
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- Yes, incase someone wants to enjoy a beer.
- Yes. It would allow me to consume beverages I enjoy in a beautiful location.
- 
- Yes, so our group could have a social drink if you want
- Yes because you would be able to have a glass of wine or beer with your meal
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- No, I'd don't want to expose myself or my family to drunks
- No, because I wouldn't want to encourage any of my guests to be in compromising situations with drinking and driving.
- Yes. Being allowed a beer or glass of wine with a lunch makes the park more enjoyable.
- No. It's not necessary for park enjoyment.
- No my husband is an alcoholic and doesn't need another reason to be able to drink

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- Yes....because I would enjoy a cold beer/wine in something OTHER than a thermos cup that EVERYONE uses currently duhhhh
- Potential for problems with liquor use so I would always choose a site with NO LIQUOR.
- Yes - so we have more options for food and bev
- Yes, because who doesn't love a cold beer on a hot sunny day?
- No. Don't want public liquor.
- Yes, I enjoy a beer on a hot summer day with a picnic.
- Yes - I think more people would attend.
- I don't even know how to book a picnic site
- No, I want to enjoy the nature, not the drunks around me.
- Yes would enjoy a glass of wine or beer with lunch
- no, alcohol may have a negative effect on some people which can be disruptive to others in the area
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- Yes
- No
- Yes. People are going to drink at parks regardless.
- No. I don't think drinking should be the focus of a picnic
- NO, picnic sites are for family use and there would probably be an increase in disorderly behavior
- It may or may not play into the decision, but
- No, I care more about shelters/cooking spaces/etc
- Yes allows me the choice to consume alcohol or not
- Yes, it is nice to have a glass of wine or a beer while at a picnic or celebration.
- No. Like to Enjoy the peace and quiet when out in nature.
- No, due to higher risk of disorderly behaviour, raising concern for safety of friends and family.
- depends
- Absolutely yes, as it is just part of the lives we live. It allows people that don't camp to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes, I do not find a problem with a beer or two during a bbq to be a problem.
- Yes, something myself and friends would enjoy.
- Yes I would. I enjoy being able to have a drink and offer a drink to others while we picnic and BBQ we are all responsible adults.
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- Yes.
- No.
- noAnother goofy city idea
- Yes

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- Neither in particular
- Yes. So I could bring some.
- Yes
- No. The point of a park is to enjoy nature quietly and peacefully. Not have drunk people all over the place.
- yes
- No
- Yes, it's nice to have a beer or wine with a snack or meal on a nice day.
- No, picnics site should still open public spaces for recreation of families and not adults party only..
- No, would avoid a park where liquor is consumed, so not have to worry about time being spoiled by those that abuse use of liquor. I don't see the need to consume liquor everywhere I go.
- Yes I would. Most people can enjoy a beer or glass of wine without becoming becoming drunk and disorderly
- No. I do not think that alcohol needs to be every where especially if children are present.
- yes
- Yes
- Absolutely I would. Enjoying a beer or two on a hot summer day while enjoying the parks, or playing outdoor games would be an absolute blast. Much more like I would do in my own backyard.
- I would not but someone who wants to consume should have the option
- Yes
- No, people should drink at home.
- Yes. We would be more likely to rent a picnic site instead of organizing an event at home.
- Not important to me
- Yes, to enjoy a cold drink on a hot day.
- Yes. Same reason above.
- no. I have no problem with responsible consumption but there will be too much potential for abuse, conflicts,
- Yes...nice to have wine with baguette and cheese or other meal items.
- Yes. So I can enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my meal.
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- I'd probably choose one that allows liquor for the casual atmosphere and option.
- Yes, because now you have more flexibility.
- No cause if I want to have a picnic I don't need to have alcohol to enjoy it
- Yes. I don't foresee there being a huge drive to go get drunk in public. We would book with kids and still be allowed to legally enjoy an adult beverage.
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- Yes.



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- yes - I enjoy drinking a glass of wine when I picnic
- yes, because it's nice to have a couple on a nice day
- NO. Nor would I want to be next to one where liquor is consumed. Loud obnoxious behaviour will be much more commonplace.
- Yes. I feel you legalize it, just like in Amsterdam, it would only increase the satisfaction of the parks
- Yes, because of above, nice to have a glass of wine with lunch.
- Yes. It is generally not the picnic crowd that one should be worried about and I would like a drink with my food.
- No, dumb.
- yes
- Sure, having an adult beverage is totally reasonable. The disorderly are doing it anyway, I don't think the law changing will increase disorderly conduct, it will simply allow reasonable people to feel less bad about doing it.
- No. Alcohol does not belong where children and families are gathering to have a pleasant outdoor experience.
- no
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- NO because im against it
- No because booking this table might put my family in harm's way there could be people on adjacent tables consuming liquor.
- no who is going to drive home? alcohol is a toxin
- NEVER, NOT IN A MILLION YEARS!! HAS EVERYONE LOST THEIR MIND???
- Yes I could choose one that allows liquor
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- Yes. I would be more likely to use a picnic park if it would be acceptable to have alcohol. Many times myself and friends have chosen to stay home and enjoy a patio, because you cannot have alcohol in parks. Hot summer days are better with a cold beer!
- Yes- people already bring liquor- now they just hide it.
- Yes because you can give guests the option
- Yes, it's nice to have a beverage while enjoying a picnic.
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- Yes. Because it is fun to have a beer outside sometimes.
- where there is no consumption of liquor. I don't want my children to expose to an unhealthy atmosphere. Going to the picnic should be as healthy as possible.

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- Yes. All picnic sites should allow alcohol. By stigmatizing it, it makes people want to do it more. Just let people be free to make their own choices.
- Yes, because we could have kids and adults alike enjoying the park and being outside
- yes. It just gives my guests the option. It's not a requirement that you drink at the table, so it's just a matter of being free to do so - if you wish.
- No. Adults around children should refrain from drinking or using drugs.
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- Yes, because who cares
- Yes, whether you drink alcohol or not should be personal choice
- Yes, some members of a party may want to consume alcohol.
- yes, we mostly use the parks for corporate events and it's a plus when employees are able to enjoy a cold beverage in the summers
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- Yes
- Yes, I think having the option to include a few drinks with my picnic is a nice experience. In all likelihood people are doing it anyway, and are just hiding it, which I think is far worse for our children to witness than a more open model.
- No, I can always go to a restaurant, pub or drink at home. I don't need alcohol to have a good time with my kids.
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- Yes More demand b/c a choice is made. Don't want prohibition, again.
- No, people always push the limits.
- YES! My circle of friends is at the age where we often sit in someones yard and have a couple beers while the kids play. This would be a good gathering spot for both kids to play and adults to be adults.
- Very likely; as a responsible host, I do not see a problem offering suitable alcohol products with the picnic/bbq/meal. I believe proposal would "legalize" something that is otherwise happening anyway using paper cups/bags etc.
- No, I can go to a family or neighbour picnic without drinking alcohol and enjoy it very much.
- Yes, having the option would be great. Nothing wrong with having a drink if done responsibly
- No I wouldn't. Most of my family don't drink and wouldn't want to waste the spot for someone who would want it plus I wouldn't want be around groups of people who have been drinking as there will most likely be unnecessary drama occurred ruining our time
- No. Don't want to be in an area where fights and General bad behaviour is more likely to flare up.
- Yes. Would use parks more.
- Yes. But it would really depend on why I am booking the site. For a kids event, no.

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- No
- Yes. Chose one that allows so we could stay longer
- No - we would not take our family to areas that allow drinking. The chances of rude, belligerent, thoughtless behavior will be greatly increased and we don't want our outings to be impacted this way.
- Yes, attendees should be allowed to drink responsibly.
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a drink with food, especially in the summer
- Yes
- Yes, so my family can enjoy cold drinks while enjoying time with family in nice weather
- Yes, because of the reasons listed in question 3
- No, because it should not be limited to picnic sites
- Liquor should not be allowed at any picnic site
- 
- Yes, because it is a social environment and cold beer is always a good idea.
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- No.
- Yes
- Yes, definitely.
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- Yes - I believe it would add to the experience and don't think it would impact me at all negatively.
- Yes. Because having the freedom to do so is a no brainer.
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- No I'm alcohol free so there are other ways to have fun rather than drinking
- Yes so that whoever I'm with can have a drink if they choose
- Yes because I don't care.
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- Yes. I would enjoy and make use the ability to responsibly consume alcohol at a site
- Yes, I believe people will to break the rules in "dry" park, why not make it legal.
- Yes. Why wouldn't one want to enjoy a cold drink and a picnic?
- no
- Absolutely. When I book a picnic site is to celebrate a birthday party or hosting a social event. Liquor consumption is critical for those festivities.
- Yes, I would choose the one with a liquor consumption because there is nothing wrong if you want to have one beer or a glass of wine with your burger.
- Yes as it gives the option if guests would like to drink
- Yes because I enjoy a beer or two with my meal

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- Yes, because if we can legalize marijuana we should be able to enjoy a beverage at a park
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- Yes, so I could enjoy a beer with my meal while in a camping atmosphere.
- No. I typically book for family or children parties
- No
- I oppose
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- yes, qssuming booking fees are reasonable.
- Yes, we like to drink.
- Yes. Even a kids function, it's nice to have a responsible sized glass of wine or beer.
- Yes, I would rather have the option be available to us, even if we don't end up drinking.
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- Yes, good to have the option. Drinks in moderation is a great thing
- I'd never book a picnic site.
- Yes. My friends and family like to enjoy a couple of drinks on a nice day
- Yes, so if anyone in my group would like a drink they will be allowed to do so.
- It depends on the function but if it was an adult event or a family event yes. If it was an event that was primarily for children then no.
- Yes!
- Yes, so that my guests may have that option.
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- Yes. Having that option would be nice.
- Yes
- Yes, have the freedom to chose to consume.
- Yes because drinking is an important part of social events
- Yes because all family consum liquor
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- Yes, because if I was having a family or friends function I'd like them to feel free to drink what they'd like
- I am responding of Oxford House Foundation. We provide homes for people who are in recovery from addictions, so we would not specifically ask for a site that allows liquor.
- No. There are many other places people can go to consume liquor. Parks should be a safe place for families to spend time.
- Yes, being able to have a beer at a picnic would actually make me want to book sites more often.
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- Yes. Why not? If I am with someone who wants a glass of wine with their picnic lunch, they should
- Yes. We have a short summer and not everyone has access to outdoor casual spaces at home so it would be nice to be able to have a fire or picnic and have a drink.
- no, potential that others will be intoxicated and do dumb things
- Yes. Cuz I like to drink.
- Depends. If it's an event with little children maybe not.
- no
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes, because it does not make sense that adults should not be able to consume alcohol while enjoying the public parks.
- No because I would not have liquor at a picnic
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- Yes I'd like to have the option, doesn't mean we have to drink alcohol but can if someone wants to.
- no, as a family we look forward to having fun outside and don't want a bunch of people getting drunk and end up monitoring our kids and ladies security.
- Yes, I may not consume alcohol if I was driving but others should be allowed
- Yes, because we can enjoy an alcoholic beverage at the park.
- Yes
- Absolutely
- yes, some people enjoy food and some people enjoy liquor, both are acceptable in moderation
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- Absolutely. If it means I can have a beer with my bbq or whatever other food I'm having, then yes. Especially on a hot day
- no
- No - I would be expecting disruptive behaviour.
- Yes, it would be nice to give people the option to enjoy an afternoon beverage with food in a shared outdoor space.
- yes
- Yes, if a celebration of some sort was being held.
- No
- Yes
- No. No. Don't agree with liquor consumption
- Yes, I enjoy having a drink at a social event
- no
- Yes - it would be nice to enjoy a glass of wine or a cooler.

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- No. Picnic stes are not meant for drinking alcohol. Promoting alcohol culture will damge the generations and it is a real shame on city council to consider this option.
- No, when I choose to drink liquor, I can do so at home, at a friend's home, or at a restaurant. There is no need to consume liquor in a park.
- Publick area
- Not sure. My goal is to have a good experience at the park. I do not drink and would be upset if exposed to rowdy, disorderly behavior from people drinking.
- no - there is no need to drink when having a picnic lunch
- No
- No. There are enough problems created when liquor is consumed in licensed premises. Why compound the problem by allowing more consumption in public places?
- Yes
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- Yes.
- Yes, cuz we can enjoy a beer or two while having a barbecue
- yes for entertaining friends
- No
- I wouldn't go to a place where I'd have to book a spot in advance.
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- Yes, it is nice to have the option to consume alcohol responsibly outdoors during the wonderful weather seasons.
- No
- Yes. It allows the freedom of having a beverage without having the police taking away a few beer or wine, writing fines or warnings, when they would probably want to be tackling more serious law infractions.
- Yes, for fun.
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- Yes. If it's an option. Options for guests.
- Yes, I enjoy drinking with my friends and would like to enjoy alcohol when I'm with my friends.
- Yes
- Yes I like the ability to have the option to drink or not
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- Yes, we love to have a glass of wine with a good meal.
- I would not, I don't want to be around public drunkenness
- Depends on the type of event.
- No
- Yes...one beer on a hit afternoon would be nice

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- Yes, wine or beer with a meal is relatively universal in enjoyment
- Definitely. Would not choose one that doesn't allow it
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- Yes. Not that I drink, I am most likely the DD, but picnics are family events, so lets be inclusive.
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- No
- Yes, it's nice to have an option. Nice to enjoy some wine with your bbq or picnic
- Yes, ability to consume on nice days
- If one did I would choose it first but if it didn't I would still use it was not able to get one of the others
- Yes, because liquor is a part of celebrations
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- I would. It even if I personally wouldn't be drinking, the option is nice to have.
- Yes, because it would be a nice option that is inclusive for everyone's needs. Limiting the number of alcohol approved spots will only encourage people to book others and drink anyways.
- Yes or depends on the nature of the picnic visit.
- Yes, so I don't have to sneak in my liquor anymore
- If all sites allow liquor, there's no concern about which site to select
- No.
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- Yes. I am an adult and use alcohol responsibly.
- No, for reasons cited above.
- No because its not needed to have fun
- Yes, it would be nice to have the option to consume an alcoholic beverage.
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- no, not a good idea
- No. A park is for all people to enjoy without the added consumption of liquor. A peaceful place for all to be away from all aspects of negative behaviors that are going on in this city.
- No as we are a family friendly event
- Yes
- I would like to, yes. Especially in the summer, because I would probably bring along a beer in my purse regardless of legality.
- Yes. This would allow for the safe controlled consumption of alcoholic beverages.
- No. Because I think it should be legal at all sites.
- No - liquor is not required to enjoy a day at the park
- Yes. I enjoy a scotch or beer at a BBQ.

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- No, I wouldn't, as this increases the likelihood of people publicly drinking to the point of poor behavior, and the possibility of broken glass in parks where my kids play.
- Yes. An adult choice
- Yes.
- No.
- Yes. I should be able to choose what I want to have at a picnic.
- Yes. Because a beer in the summer is nice.
- Never can choose with liquor . My kids are unsafe.
- Yes I would choose one because I like to enjoy a drink with my bbq and dont have a backyard. Also when booking large group get together would be a great location with the benefits of being able to enjoy a drink
- Yes, I would want to give my family, friends or guests coming to my event the option to bring alcohol if they so choose.
- Yes, it shows that the city caters to not only families but others wishing to enjoy the park.
- Yes - it allows to socialize outside and enjoy the outdoors
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- Yes I would because a reasonable amount of liquor is complementary to a meal.
- Yes it allows more options
- Yes. Those who would like to have a drink could. Would make for a more social event.
- No. Safety of others and conduct of the drinkers
- No, that would cause confusion and cost more money in signs, pamphlets on rules and limitations on places the public could go.
- Sometimes yes, just depends on the activity. For kids activites...no but to get together with Adults...yes
- no
- No, see reasons above
- I wouldn't book a site, I'd just go have whatever event I planned on having.
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- Yes. Because I enjoy a glass of wine with my picnic or a cold beer on a hot day.
- No because give people an inch they will take a mile. a dozen hot dogs and some buns and you have a picnic to drink by. I would soon become non family friendly and very diffic ult to police. The Police and BY law guys are busy enough.....
- It makes no difference to me whether or not alcohol is allowed because likely I would not consume alcohol, so I would book a site in either area.
- Yes
- Yes, because I like a beer at any outdoor activity
- Absolutely yes. It's nice to have a casual drink with friends/family in the summertime.



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- Yes, because it gives you more opportunity to be outside and enjoying time with family/friends rather than having to go to a bar or pub all the time to drink in the summer.
- Yes
- Yes, adults should enjoy alcohol responsibly.
- No my kids don't need to be around that
- Yes. I support allowing responsible and moderate alcohol use in public parks.
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- Yes, I find drinking alcohol in the summer enjoyable. Most people are responsible adults and are capable of monitoring their behavior. I assume most of the people that book these sites are bringing families so there should be limited abuses of alcohol.
- Probably not -- there is a likely chance of it being littered with empties and it could be an unsightly picnic area. Most people will probably not clean up after themselves.
- Yes, I would. Because I would like to have the option to have an alcoholic beverage and give the same option to my friends and family.
- Yes. Because I enjoy a glass of wine with a nice picnic dinner.
- Yes
- No, why do people always need alcohol to enjoy the outdoors??
- Yes because it would add more to having a picnic
- no. drinking and driving. You have to drive there, so have to drive home.
- N/a
- No- I don't need to have alcohol to enjoy nature and company
- Yes. I would love to head down to Edworthy and BBQ with my family and have wine with my meal, just as I do when I dine outside at home in the Summer. I love the idea of a more relaxed, European culture.
- Yes, because it's nice to be able to have a beer while hanging out with friends and family outside your home.
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- No - I wouldn't want my kids to see people drinking alcohol in public places.
- No, when I choose to drink liquor, I can do so at home, at a friend's home, or at a restaurant. There is no need to consume liquor in a park when there are so many other places one can do so.
- Yes, it should be a choice for those on if they want to drink or not. But having the option is fair
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- Yes. If I wanna have wine or beer with my food I should be able to do so.
- No, I don't drink in parks with my children.

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- Maybe, but not if it was more expensive.
- Yes because we could bring a few beers, etc. Even if people didn't drink, it's still nice to have the option
- Yes, I would rather spend time with friends outside of a pub or bar where we could partake in activities or sports, rather than line up for a popular patio during the summer, it would also increase how often I visit public picnic sites.
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- Yes, because I would like to be able to enjoy a beer
- Yes
- I would use either...but, frankly, if I'm not planning to consume, non-liquor sites may well be quieter/controlled with more children.
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- Yes, so if I feel like have a drink at the time I am able
- Yes
- no -
- Yes
- Yeah absolutley, cause drinking in moderation with your friends is fun
- No. as in my opinion picnic sites are public places and liquor is banned in all public places.
- Sure, at least I would get a picnic site if I consume alcohol or not.
- Might be fun but I would probably avoid it after booking a liquor consumption picnic site once.
- yes, as long as you know the people you are with have responsible drinking habits.
- Yes, because I like to have alcohol with my meals
- Yes. It's good to have options.
- Yes, nothing better than a beer on a nice day at a picnic.
- Yes, because I really enjoy a glass of prosecco to celebrate a birthday or to sit and share a beer with friends on a hot day.
- No. Because I don't want my family and children to witness disorderly behavior. Besides that drinking and driving is a major safety concern.
- No, I'm a drinker but we don't need liquor at day use parks
- Yes - I've been to many picnics in parks where liquor was discretely smuggled in. No issues arose. It makes sense that those adults shouldn't have to hide their beers at the BBQ.
- yes, in case I would like to have a drink
- I would chose one that does not allow it, because it's a personal preference. But I understand others who might want a drink outdoors
- No. Parks are not the place for public drinking. There are enough Venues like McMahon or saddledome for drinking if one must.

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- Yes. It's so bizzar to me that you can't enjoy a nice wine or beer while having a picnic with family or friends. I think Canada should be less conservative about alcohol and it's consumption. We should take a look at Europe as an example.
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- No, don't want to be around possible drunks.
- No.
- I would not choose a site that allows Liquor consumption primarily as we reserve sites for our group which includes children.
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- No. Absolutely not. I do not want to be around people consuming alcohol with my children. Not everyone is responsible in the quantity they consume.
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- No. If I was the one booking, I refuse to be responsible for the anyone in my party getting unruly and maybe causing damage.
- No I will not choose the one that allows. I dont want my daughter to be exposed. If you want to consume liquir do it at home or pubs. Im I consume alcoyol myself and againts having consumption in parks
- Yes
- NO
- No, increase in inappropriate behaviours and language most probably
- Yes, beer lover
- Yes, because I might like to host a birthday party or something like that and enjoy responsibly with some friends.
- No, because I don't want to have to worry about being next to a group that is drinking.
- Yes! Cause drinking is good!
- Yes
- Yes I'm case myself or others want to have a drink with our occasion and meal
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- No, if I want to drink I will stay home and picnic on my patio.
- No.
- Yes, I enjoy having a good beer from one of our many breweries around the city
- With alcohol, so that I can enjoy with friends as I do at home.
- No
- No to public consumption of liquor / alcohol.

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- Yes, pubs are crowded and too loud
- No - increase in violence and disorderly behaviour
- Yes, provides the option to bring liquor to the site without any issues.
- Yes because it give another option rather than going to a bar
- Yes because having a beer or glass of wine at a picnic should be up to the picnickers... not the city of Calgary
- Yes as would indulge and meets my social needs, dont always want to go to a restaurant to meet friends and would be nice to have an alcoholic drink with lunch in a park
- Yes.
- Yes, because I do not view alcohol consumption as taboo and am a responsible drinker.
- No, because I don't want to bring Liquor to a park site.
- No
- Absolutely. As I said, those who will take advantage of the new rules are probably already bringing alcohol with them. This allows them to do it legally and they will most likely be more responsible about it
- Yes - it's pleasant to enjoy any beverage of choice when socializing.
- Yes. In my culture liquor is a sign of celebration. If consumed responsibly, I agree with allowing consumption.
- yes, as long as you know the people you are with have responsible drinking habits.
- No. Picnic spots are mainly for family entertainment. Safety of women and children is the top priority.
- Yes. My family doesn't drink but it doesn't bother me that others do.
- Yes same answer as above
- Yes, because a majority of young Calgarians would love to have a cider or two during a picnic
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- Yes - I have booked a picnic site in the past to hold a small friends and family party. Being able to also drink responsibly would have been a nice addition to the event.
- Yes, I like a beer with my charred burger and wilted salad.
- Yes- because why not
- sure, so that I could bring some wine
- no
- Yes I would in the event I wanted to bring some wine or beer along.
- Yes, I believe that it will be typically consumed safely and responsibly so do not have any concerns about public access to liquor in public spaces.
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- Yes, because I'd like to enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my picnic
- Choose one that allows because it's nice to enjoy a drink in the park and not feel guilty about it

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- No. I don't need drunk neighbors in the next site over from me, we can have a good afternoon without our alcohol.
- No. I wouldn't want to be around the few people who abuse the new liquor law. I already see broken bottles in parks.
- Absolutely yes, we have such short summer seasons here, it would be wonderful to spend more time outdoors doing family and social things inclusive of alcohol consumption.
- Yes, enjoy wine or beer on nice day, to socialize
- yes
- No. If people can't get through an hour at a park without a drink, they need to look at whether they have a problem. I believe that they do.
- yes.
- No. I wouldn't want to have to have a picnic at a site next to people who may be drunk and noisy. It's just a bad idea.
- yes
- Yes. Liquor can be paired with picnic food (wine with cheese & grapes, beer with bbq, some fine spirits with speciality finger food) - it would enhance the park experience to enjoy a complete meal with paired liquor of choice in the park.
- Yes and No depending on function and attendees.
- Yes, I don't really have a back yard and being able to have a picnic with a beer sounds lovely
- Yes. I enjoy having a glass of wine or beer with my meal (occasionally).
- Yes. It will allow people like liquor can also enjoy.
- Yes, more enjoyable.
- Yes, I would like to have the liberty to consume whatever I want when I want at a picnic site.
- Yes, being able to get out and have a drink outside and not having to be on a restaurant /pub patio saves money!
- Yes. Because its nice
- no I would not. you don't need booze at every moment to have an enjoyable time
- Yes. See answer 4.
- Yes. Because it would be fun to not have to worry about the police ruining your day. Stealing your product and fining or arresting people for doing something that is legal in restaurants?
- No, because my family and social circle can and want to enjoy fresh air and nature without substances.
- No
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- It would not matter either way to me.
- Yes of course. Increases social activity.

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- Yes, as my friend and I would rather have a drink or two outside in the summer and not fear the police
- Yes due to the fact you can freely have a drink while having a picnic.
- No, see above
- Yes. More enjoyable to have meal with a bit of beer.
- Yes
- Yes
- No, because I'm against drinking in public. I think every body can survive having a picnic w/o alcohol consumption.
- Yes. The ability to have a drink or two with a picnic would be great. This is already done in Europe and Asia without any major issues.
- Yes, so my guests could consume if they desired.
- Yes, because I would like to enjoy a beer on a nice day.
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- Depends on the occasion
- Yes. Many cities through North America allow this and it would make Calgary less restrictive.
- Yes
- Yes. It is nice to be able to enjoy some wine or beer with a picnic, adds to social and relaxing nature of picnic.
- Yes, because I would like to have the option.
- Yes, for the reason stated above .
- NO DO NOT WANT TO BE IN ANY SUCH PROXIMITY TO PEOPLE CONSUMING LIQUOR IN PUBLIC PARKS.
- That's Not a reason to book a picnic site. Picnic sites are for friends/family/clubs/association/etc gatherings not to host liquor events.
- Yes - I am European and it's commonplace
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- yes. whether picnicking with family or friends everyone would prefer to have a drink.
- No..as I have small kids. I would like them to enjoy nature rather than being exposed to alcohol.
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- No.
- Yes, having the option to consume an alcoholic beverage can make a gathering more enjoyable. I see no difference than doing so on your own property
- yes
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- No. I'd rather no one in my group drinks

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- yes and no. Depends on why you are going to that picnic. for a child's birthday i would choose one that does not allow liquor consumption
- No. Because I want to have fun and be worry free when out on a picnic and not worry about how many drunkards roaming around my daughter.
- No because this is a public place & not necessary
- Yes because why not
- Absolutly not. i dont want to be responsible for people drinking and driving. where ther is alchol there is pot. I dont want my children exposed to either.
- No, other around might be drink, unnecessary in a public location.
- Yes. Because it allows liquor consumption...
- Yes because it would allow my family and feiends to enjoy drinking openly instead of trying to hide it which i am sure happens more often than not.
- Picnic no go camping if you want to drink
- 
- Yes, it would be nice to be able to enjoy liquor while having a picnic.
- Yes because then don't have to sneak it around but people should have to be respectful and clean up behind them.
- Yes, because that's a social aspect of getting my certain friends together. It's not to get disorderly. Just to be able to have one or two without getting fined.
- Yes, I would be more likely to have lots of friends come
- 
- Yes, it would be nice to enjoy a drink during an afternoon BBQ.
- Yes as it's part of our social scene
- yes. because a beer and a burger go together like chips and dip
- No, I can't stand the smell of beer nor the company of drunks
- Yes.
- Yes, wine with dinner adds romance and harms no one.
- No, I have a backyard, and I'm betting it would be difficult to get one.
- Yes. A beer with food is fine.
- 
- Yes because I would like to be able to enjoy and alcoholic beverage with my meal.
- 
- Yes i would want that opportunity if I am going to a park.
- Yes, to make a gathering more flexible for attendees.
- 
- Yes because when I want to have a barbeque and picnic with my friends I want to be able to drink beer.

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- No, nor would I want to book one that was close to another one that did. People get louder and more obnoxious when they drink without even knowing it. Then it falls to the police to try and decide what about of disorder is too much. Way too complicated!
- No. Is this a s start of "fee for service." Our federal parks stickers started that way.
- yes, I'd book one with liquor consumption because then you have the option to consume or not.
- No because I am not feeling comfortable with my family specially kids around people who are consuming liquor as not everyone remains in their limit and can be drunk easily.
- 
- Yes, for reasons mentioned above.
- Yes. When having a friend or family gathering it is nice to enjoy a glass of wine or beer.
- Yes
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- yes. Cause I like to have a beer or two, and so do my friends. Even when we are gathering with our kids and families.
- No becauaw i dont personally drink liquor.
- No. See #3.
- Yes, there is nothing wrong with wanting to enjoy a beverage while acting responsibly.
- Yes, it helps to be more relax and enjoy spending time with family and friends
- Depends on who I'm with. Usually not, because I don't drink and I go on picnics to relax, not party
- Yes. Because I don't think there is anything wrong with enjoying a beer, glass or wine or any alcoholic beverage responsibly.
- Yes - it would be nice to be able to have a glass of wine at a BBQ.
- Yes, to provide options for any guests attending
- Yes... It's nice to have the option.
- Allows more flexibility
- Yes
- Never. Alcohol reduces inhibitions and people behave even worse than when sober.
- 
- No
- Yes.
- No would not drink
- Yes if available
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- Yes. For more convivial gatherings.
- Yes. Would like to have a drink on a warm day outside.
- Yes, some people don't have backyards to host bbq's. This would be great to allow us to connect with our community!



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- Of course I would as I prefer having options
- I would because I think most adults would like a nice picnic with a cold beer on a hot day
- Yes I would.
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- no. Police are busy as is without adding more disorderly calls, encouraging drinking and driving.
- Yes. Why not?
- Any site whether booked or not should allow consumption. Not a city concern.
- Yes, because I think a good meal is beautifully supplemented with a great wine or beer
- Yes. Guest should be allowed to bring drinks.
- Yes
- Yes because I like a drink with my meal.
- Yes. If eating at picnic site, I sometimes would enjoy having beer or wine.
- Does it have to be this formal? It seems like we are over regulating. Many inner city parks don't have booking for sites where you could have a picnic. How would one be allowed to have a drink with friends in memorial park?
- Yes, because having a picnic on a warm summer day with a beer or glass of wine sounds very pleasant.
- 
- Yes, I like to enjoy alcohol responsibly
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- Yes
- Depends on what I wished to do.
- Yes
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- Depends on why we're out for a picnic. Taking the kids to the playground, probably not. Family reunion get together, probably. I don't feel the current situation with liquor banned is a problem though.
- No I don't drink
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- Yes, so I can drink
- 
- No. Our inner city parks already have issues with litter, human/dog feces, cannabis and crime. No need to add something else for CPS to do. This initiative is adding support to "limited terms for council". Bad idea, bad policy - Ward 9.
- No. I would not want my children to be exposed to other intoxicated individuals.
- No
- NO. For my kids and family's safety

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- Yes because wine goes nice with charcuterie and the open air and there is nothing better than an ice cold beer on a hot summer day.
- no, i wouldnt want my event ruined by someone who had drank too much
- Yes. It would be nice not to be confined to homes or bars to consumed alcohol responsibly as an adult.
- 
- Yes, because would give me the possibility to consider bringing liquor
- Of course yes. No reason not to.
- Yes. Less restrictions.
- Yes. I want to socially drink alcohol and have a picnic.
- Yes, it would increase public space usage
- No
- All should allow.
- Yes, Some friends mis events because they drink, relaxing outside is nice.
- Yes, because enjoying an alcoholic beverage is something That me and my friends enjoy doing while enjoying a meal.
- No, because I am visiting that park with my family, not to go drinking. There are bars for that.
- No and should Not be beside water rivers lakes ponds and other natural concerns Drinking Adults may not be able to watch or focus properly on children when in their care when near water sources or other places where there could be hazards.
- Yes
- Yes.
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- no
- No, don't agree with people drinking in parks.
- Yes. You can drink responsibly. We're all adults here.
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- Yes, it's more appealing to have a drink with my picnic then not
- We don't drink alcohol ourselves, but possibly for family members if having a large picnic (4-20 people.)
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- I think relaxing the consumption laws should include all parks.
- No...I go to parks to walk, enjoy a meal, walk my neice's dog, sit to read a book, all of which equates to wanting a peaceful environment. There is no need for liquor to be in places --not regulated/sobriety not tested before driving/riding bike.
- Yes because enjoying an alcoholic beverage should be a choice of mine where I deem fit.

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- I would choose a site that allows liquor consumption because It would enhance the enjoyment of my friends and myself of picnics and in some instances may prompt us to increase our usage of the picnic sites and the parks.
- I have young kids, don't feel we need to drink all the time and everywhere.
- Yes - depending on what I was booking for, I suppose. But if I'm booking it for a gathering of family and friends, it's nice to have the option.
- No
- No liquor at city picnic sites due to public intoxication problems.
- No. Alcohol should not be consumed in public areas with children and families
- NO! I will not book a site again. Most of us like the parks the way they are. Stop trying to please everyone! Stop the bleeding heart, liberal attitude. Pay attention to what is important and run this city properly. Stop wasting my money on this junk
- Absolutely - allowing liquor will add to the enjoyability of the experience.
- Maybe, it is not important to me.
- Probably yes. I enjoy having a beer on a hot day
- No, people can get carried away with liquor and I think we would see an increase in disorderly behaviour, and possibly worse.
- No, I go to parks to enjoy quiet and nature, not to see loud drunken people partying! Not all will be, but a lot will be. I don't want to be around them.
- Yes, having a glass of wine outdoors in a nice setting would be great.
- I would choose one that allowed liquor consumption so that I could have one or two beers or a glass of wine with my meal if I wanted to
- Yes, so I can enjoy a drink with friends or family if I want.
- Of course. Having the option is important, just because an option is available doesn't mean you need to consume.
- Yes as I believe that restriction creates more abuse and disorderly drinking in public.
- Yes. If responsible, why should we be allowed to have a beer in Public?
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- I don't book picnic sites. I walk, jog or cycle on the pathways. I don't need to worry about more people under the influence.
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- Yes.
- Yes so we can enjoy a drink if we choose to.
- No
- Absolutely "yes". See #3 above.
- Yes, I enjoy having a drink with my friends and family on a summer day.

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- Yes. Because who cares. People drink everywhere.
- No. I would prefer To be in an environment where everyone is sober.
- Yes, one stop shop.
- No. As mentioned above, behavioural and drinking and driving issues.
- Yes. As as long as alcohol is drank responsibly there is no threat
- I absolutely would. It'd be great for adult birthdays, team events, and even family events.
- Yes because I might enjoy a beer with my bbq
- Yes
- Yes and only yes. I'd rather have a backyard bbq without it.
- Yes. As a responsible adult that consumes liquor responsibly, why wouldn't I want the option to have a beer outside?
- No. We don't drink and I would prefer a alcohol free environment.
- No. Not interested in possible loud or disorderly conduct. Children are not allowed on licensed presides...so why would I take them to a licensed picnic area?
- Yes I would because it would give me more choice as a consumer and I feel people will be responsible.
- Yes, so I can have a cold beer or glass of wine without having to hide it like a criminal.
- No- there will always be people that take it to far. Example: A family enjoying their family time in nature sitting next to people getting day drunk with there music up and all the profanity that goes along with it.
- Yes on some occasions. As a responsible, mature, professional family we would love the option to have alcohol at some of our social events would be appealing.
- Yes because I would want as much liberty and freedom as possible.
- No. Why do we need more places to drink. Please keep parks family friendly.
- No, no need to consumer liquor just because you are out ,
- Yes
- Yes. Responsible consumption of alcohol should be permitted
- No - want peace and quiet
- 
- Certainly
- Yes, I like to have a few beers in sun but only if I'm not driving.
- No
- Yes, to give myself and guest the option to consume liquor if they would like to.
- Yes.
- Yes because everyone will be enjoy much more
- It depends who I'm going there with, as I don't drink alcohol.
- Yes, because I'm likely with people who may enjoy a drink

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- Yes. While I do not drink, friends and family do.
- sure, having a beer outside will not ruin civilization. excessive taxes and incompetence of government will do that on their own
- Yes. So I can consume alcohol legally.
- Yes. More options for drinks. Would no longer be breaking a bylaw that many break already.
- Yes
- Yes. When using picnic sites, I would want the choice to be able to have a beer with my food.
- Yes, I would want to be able to enjoy a beverage with friends outside
- Yes. So I can enjoy a drink without feeling like a criminal.
- NO. I would avoid. I worry about drinking and driving and getting hit. I also worry about enforcement with minors who are more prone to disorderly conduct. I will not feel safe around public drinking and stop going to parks.
- Yes - having a beer in the summer outside is so refreshing. I would rather be outside enjoying time in the parks then in a pub
- No, I don't drink
- NO! I can't beleive money is being wasted on this question. Are you nuts, my kids already faced a violent drunk at McKenzie Lake.
- yes, usually. I enjoy having a beer or glass of wine while a bar bq or eat dinner
- I am against this period. Add a little pot, and you have a real problem on your hands?
- Yes, because I'm an adult.
- Yes. It attracts more open minded folk.
- Yes. Social gatherings where alcohol is allowed are often better attended (also avoids situation where a guest will sneak it or consume in advance - better control).
- Yes but generally don't book a site - would just go out for a private little picnic.
- Yes, I personally like to have a beer at a BBQ.
- Yes, I like having the option
- Definitley
- There is no benefit
- Yes, if there was a celebration, bbq , special event . It's a nice alternative to booking a restaurant or licensed establishment especially with an all ages event
- Yes, because I believe reasonable liquor consumption increases the appeal of a recreational meal
- Yes, because it's fun to have a beer or two while bbq-ing with friends.
- yes-if I intended to have a beverage with a picnic
- Yes. Because I am an adult and so are my friends and a few drinks with a picnic is great!
- Yes, in summer time one beer is ok!
- Yes, I enjoy having a beer in the sun.

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- Yes
- Yes because I enjoy a beverage at the park.
- Yes
- No, I am going to enjoy myself with family and friends and be active. We don't need alcohol to enjoy ourselves.
- Yes! The fact we modernize our liquor laws would encourage me to go there!
- No. Never. I don't want my picnic time spoiled by those who abuse the privilege of having a drink with their meal.
- Yes. Who doesn't love to have a drink on a hot summer day.
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- Yes
- Yes, it's nice to have a cool drink on a warm day.
- Yes of course I would, I would like to enjoy a bottle of wine with our picnic or some beer.
- Yes. It's nice to have the option to enjoy an alcoholic beverage, with food, at a picnic.
- yes
- I would choose based on location.
- Yes, I think it allows people to be themselves and make their own choices in a public and social environment.
- No. It would stunk with puke and alcohol.
- No. I don't believe like public consumption
- No
- No. I don't believe you need alcohol in order to enjoy the beauty of our natural parks.
- Yes I would. In my opinion, this is similar to when I go out to a restaurant and order a drink. If I'm having a picnic I'm just bringing my own food and liquor instead.
- Yes! I love eating bbq with a bit of cold beer.
- Definitely yes, if planning a group event or meal. Otherwise would entirely depend on site and reasons for going.
- Yes, because Prohibition was repealed in 1923.
- No. We do not need alcohol in public parks.
- Yes, because I would like to have a few beers on a nice summer day.
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- I'm not sure I understand the relevance, to me. I don't believe liquor should be consumed in parks, and I would prefer that no matter which sure I booked that I was not around others who were consuming liquor.

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- Yes, because drinking alcohol does not necessarily mean getting drunk. My friends and family would be more inclined to use picnic sites if we were able to have the same experience there as we could at home.
- No. My children do not need to be around that.
- It is irrelevant, as I will bring alcohol to what ever picnic site I am using anyway.
- Yes, allows for flexibility for everyone.
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- Yes, i want the flexible to enjoy beverages while having a meal
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- Yes. Whether or not I would consume or my friends would, it would be great to know the choice is available to all of us.
- yes, responsibly enjoying a beer or wine while having a picnic should not be view as criminal behavior. European cities have always allowed public consumption without issue. Responsible adults enjoying alcohol is not an issue.
- Yes - because I'm doing it anyway, and I'd rather it be legal.
- No!!! This is a bad idea to allow alcohol
- Doesn't matter
- Yes-either privately or with a business function, as long as monitored by the group. Smoking is allowed everywhere - I can never go to a public park without breathing in someone's second hand smoke
- Yes, having a picnic is a social event and having a casual beer or cider would be enjoyable.
- Yes as we would enjoy having a beer with our picnic
- Yes, in case people wanted a drink
- Yes as I enjoy a beverage outside. Not excessively but occasionally.
- Yes
- No, because so much bad behaviour can happen. Opening a can of worms that can't close back up. My kids don't need to be exposed with what often comes with alcohol.
- Yes because I like to have a drink with my meal and so do my friends and family.
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- If it was the park I wanted to visit.
- Yes. Because all of my family and friends enjoy alcoholic beverages in moderation and would be a nice addition to events.
- Yes
- I see no reason why a picnic needs liquor - those who would use it responsibly are the ones who would as easily bypass the need. The people that feel it necessary for their enjoyment are the ones who will cause problems.

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- It would depend why I am booking the picnic site. If it was for my family I may choose a site without consumption, if it were with friends I would choose the other.
- I wouldn't for the reasons I marked in Q2 above.
- I absolutely would - this would be a great alternative to meeting in pubs and bars when food and drink are desired together
- Yes, I think it adds to the experience
- Alcohol doesn't need to be consumed at public picnic sites.
- Yes- as above
- Yes, because I want a beer
- Yes. It give people more flexibility and I would likely book picnic sites for more get togethers where alcohol is often consumed responsibly.
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- No I don't drink
- Yes
- Yes, for the added choice of fellow picnic-goers to be able to enjoy a beverage at said picnic site.
- Yes.
- Yes, because I want to have a beer with my picnic.
- No. This is a terrible idea.
- Probably, would depend on the group I was with
- Yes. My friends and family all enjoy to consume alcohol responsibly, and ever more so during the summer months. Playing a game of frisbee with a beer, or enjoying some wine and cheese while watching a soccer game on Prince's Island would be great.
- No. I wouldn't wanna expose kids to such an environment within the city.
- Yes - as an adult this is part of socializing
- No, shouldn't be drinking in parks.
- Yes, if I was planning a party where alcohol would be consumed in a private setting.
- Will never choose any park picnic site where to consume liquor. I do not want my children exposed to liquor at an early age and see it as a normal activity
- No, I am concerned about the safety of my family and would avoid unwanted troubles
- No. I don't drink
- Yes, not because I want to get belligerently drunk, but because I want to be able to have a beer or two without fear of being fined
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- Yes
- Yes, mainly so that I can enjoy some chilled wine or cold beer while also enjoying the nice weather.
- Yes, because it's fun
- Yes. It would allow more flexibility with planning social functions.



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- No
- Yes because I like to relax with my friends on a nice, hot summer day with a few beers or wine or whatever. It's nice to do it somewhere other than someone's backyard or a patio.
- Yes, it would make a picnic event more appealing
- Yes, because my guests and I might like to drink an alcoholic beverage there.
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- Yes, simply to always have that option and reduce restrictions
- Yes - although I'm not a drinker, many friends and family would enjoy the option to have an alcoholic beverage outside in the park
- Yes, it would be nice to be able to have a picnic in the summer with a bottle of wine.
- I wouldn't choose one that allows it. Go down town on a weekend evening and I will guarantee you will see fights and people doing dumb things. There is NO NEED TO DRINK IN THE PARKS. It'll be the 10% that ruin it for everyone.
- Yes, so I can have a cold beverage in the hot sun.
- Yes, because we would like to have a drink with our food.
- Yes, for the above stated reason
- Yes. I've really enjoyed a little drinking with meals in other countries.
- allowing liquor would encourage me to actually book a site.
- Yes. I'm a responsible professional that displays positive alcohol consumption. Drinking alcohol with a picnic meal can be done respectfully.
- Yes, alcoholic beverages are refreshing in the heat and most of my family and friends enjoy summer drinks.
- yes, i already bring liquor.
- Yes - who doesn't enjoy a nice cold beer on a sunny day?
- I don't want to be around situations that can occur when people have over consumed liquor.
- Yes I will. I didn't even know there are some already.
- No.
- No, I have kids!!
- No, just not of interest to me.
- I'm not a drinker myself so unless others in my group express interest in it, I'm not inclined to choose one for it. But I'm not against it either
- Yes, depending on the event. If it's a family reunion bbq, yes. A child's birthday party? No. Okay... maybe a child's birthday party.
- Yes I would. Many of us enjoy a cold beverage in the summer months and can be very responsible doing so.
- No, its hazardous to consume liquor in a picnic site

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- Yes.
- no
- no
- I would book a site that allowed the consumption of liquor. Responsible adults use a designated driver already and this would allow more freedom for someone to enjoy a glass of wine with their picnic without fear of being fined.
- Yes
- Yes, because of the creation of place that happens within these parks. After travelling to Europe and experiencing parks with allowance of liquor, I realized just how much of a sense of community is created within parks like these
- Yes.
- No
- Allows, having a few cold drinks on a hot day is nice. Good to have the option
- Yes, because as an adult I would like to think it would be my decision whether or not I want a drink with my meal.
- yes... um, because I could legally consume alcohol.
- Yes, because I like having the option of deciding what I want to consume and enjoy while using a picnic site.
- Yes, usually drink when I BBQ anyways
- Yes, to allow for the option.
- 
- no, I am not happy that this is an option
- I would only specifically book one based on whether I would want to be consuming alcoholic beverages.
- Yes. So that I have the option to drink a beer with my meal if I feel like to
- Yes, it would be a nice addition to a group bbq/picnic to be able to have some beers on hand.
- Yes, it allows people of all ages to enjoy an outing to a park.
- No - 'cause crazy people
- No, there are enough places for drinking liquor
- Yes, having a picnic is nice to have some alcohol
- 
- Yes because I enjoy liquor
- Yes, for an event where sharing liquor would enhance the social occasion. I would only avoid a drinking one if it was a child's party.
- No. We aren't that desperate for a drink that we'd need to take liquor to a park. Children are already exposed to enough illicit activity here in the City (drugs, needles, smoking, cannabis), why on earth would we encourage this, too?

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- Yes
- Yes, because often when I'm booking a site it's because I'm hosting a celebration. It would be nice to be able to enjoy alcohol at those celebrations.
- I would, as it is nice to have a drink or two while having a picnic
- Yes. I already explained this in question number 3.
- Yes, because we all in our group drink alcohol
- yes, most of my family drinks so we choose sites that allow drinking
- Yes. Alcohol plays an important part in socializing and it would be nice to have the option
- Personally no, I don't drink. Unless I am going out with friends who do drink, then I would book a picnic site with liquor consumption.
- no
- Yes, those in my party may want to have the choice of consuming liquor while in a group gathering. I have been in other countries that allow public consumption and have seen very few issues.
- Yes, I would want the option.
- Yes, I would want to be able to have a beer while enjoying the nice hot summer heat at the park. Would make the experience more enjoyable.
- One without.
- Yes, because you shouldn't be restricting people's freedoms
- NO parks are for all ages. Patios of regulated bars and restaurants are adequate.
- Yes.
- no no need for liquor
- Depends on who we are with.
- No because I don't agree with liquor in any city park.
- No... the likelihood of having to put up with overly intoxicated people is too great.
- Yes, because being able to consume liquor with a meal is a good time .
- Yes
- No, because it would immoderately become a mature environment. I ain't about that.
- Absolutely yes. Freedom to choose how I will enjoy our parks is important to me.
- Yes. Pairing alcohol with food makes it more enjoyable
- yes, hot day and a cold beer go together
- No, liquor is not required in a picnic area people don't pick up their garbage now I can just imagine when their drunk
- NO
- No because I don't drink.
- Yes, its nice to be able yo have the freedom to have a drink in the park. Doesn't mean people will abuse it.
- I would prefef to choose one that does not allow any liquor consumption.

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- Yes I would.
- No, i don't see a need to consume liquor in public. Soft drinks and water are enough.
- likely yes because it allows more freedom for personal choices
- Yes, depending on the event.
- Yes...again a social thing..Beer and a burger go good together.
- 
- Yes, so we could enjoy a glass of wine or a can of beer while on a picnic
- Yes. Mainly because then I would be more likely to book events there (big or small).
- Yes. Because then there would be no potential issues with breaking bylaws.
- Yes. Because sometimes I like to have a drink when I picnic.
- Yes. Would be fun in the summer
- Yes, if I do plan on having a drink.
- No. doesn't want kids expose to the liquor use and don't want to be harassed by drunker.
- No, If people wants to drink they should do it at home or in a bar.
- Yes, arbitrary restrictions don't make any sense.
- Yes, I like to have picnic lunch and have a glass of wine.
- Yes. Allows people to enjoy themselves if they choose.
- No. Potential to be unsafe in the park and near it; drunk driving, loss of control over behaviour etc.
- Yes. It's more convenient and flexible on the events you arrange.
- No, i don't want to be surrounded by intoxicated individuals while trying to enjoy the outdoors.
- Yes because beer is nice on a hot day
- No.Would not like to be around that
- No.it would dissuade me
- Yes, I'm case someone wants to have a beer?
- Yes, treat us as adults. Done across Europe...no issues. Make it part of the culture. Doesn't need to be the exception
- Yes, because I would like to have a nice glass of wine with my meal.
- It would depend on the occasion and who I was planning to picnic with but mostly I don't imagine it would be a factor
- Yes - I have no problem with healthy liquor consumption and do not hide from those who have problems with alcohol.
- Yes, because I like beer with my sandwiches.
- yes, sometimes a glass or beer or wine with food is nice, might as well give myself the option
- yes
- Yes
- Yes if I was celebrating a birthday or family outing. We have no young ones and are responsible drinkers

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- No, would only book a site for a family church picnic where alcohol not being served anyways.
- Yes, if I enjoying the sun with some amazing cheeses and veggie dips, wine adds to the pleasure and experience.
- Yes... social and I like wine.
- Yes, so I can enjoy liquor
- no
- No
- Yes; although I don't drink regularly, it would be nice to have the option for myself and guests.
- Yes, I enjoy beer and Calgary has a number of excellent microbreweries that I'd like to support.
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer while outside on a sunny day and can do so responsibly.
- No. I want places that are safe to me and my family.
- No. Because I believe some people wouldn't be responsible and could get drunk, drive after drinking and they may change their behaviour as well.
- 
- Absolutely not. I don't see any benefits with allowing liquor consumption in parks
- 
- Yes because it suits my lifestyle more as I am younger and do not have a small family.
- Yes - so I could have wine with my meal
- yes one that allows it.
- 
- No. It is not needed in order to have a good time and serves no useful purpose.
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- Yes. Likely to have more people and energetic setting.
- Yes- it is nice to be able to be in an outside space, especially for those living in apartments/without backyards and have a drink or two with friends.
- I would choose both at different times depending on the activity. Like in Montreal where picnic alcohol is allowed, I think people can discern events where alcohol is beneficial and where it is not.
- I personally would choose either my event would be planned around the park itself and what it has to offer not if it has alcohol or not !
- No as drinking should be in a bar or pub or one's own house
- No. Because as a family we always have young children around and people do not know when they have had enough to drink
- Yes. We're all adults here. If people want to have a spritzer or a beer while enjoying friends and family outdoors. They're old enough to do so. It's not like citizens are going to hold a death metal concert, embark on a crime spree because of a drink
- Yes. It would be nice.

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- No I won't book a site which allows liquor. I have kids and I don't feel safe. Even without kids, I won't even feel safe to go to a picnic site which allows liquor
- Yes, friends can have beers
- 
- It would depend on why I'm booking the site. If it was a reasonable decision, then yes.
- Yes - people are able to consume as they please; prefer unrestricted sites.
- No because the site could contain broken glass.
- Yes
- Yes, friends would be more inclined to join
- Yes - on a nice day it is nice to enjoy a cold beer with a picnic
- 
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- Wouldn't
- Yes, because I enjoy having a drink.
- I would yes, I love wine and cheese.
- Yes because I enjoy a casual beverage
- 
- Yes, gives more freedom to beverage choices. A lovely glass of wine with a picnic could make the day even better.
- 
- Yes.
- Yes. My friends and I enjoy having drinks with food.
- Yes to allow flexibility for all guests
- yes, if possible. I would like the option to have a locally made beer while having a picnic.
- Yes
- Yes - my social groups enjoys wine (or beer) and food pairings. We rarely bbq or have cheese and cracker boards without a carefully thought out pairing.
- Yes, so that I can drink.
- Yes, I like to have the freedom to do what I like
- It would be dependent on the occasion. An adult party: yes, a family party: yes, a child only party: no.
- I guess it would not deter me, though I would probably choose a picnic area that did not allow alcohol over one that did.
- Yes I would choose one that allows liquor to be able to enjoy a drink with my barbecue food.
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- Yes. Freedom of choice to consume or not consume alcohol at a picnic event.
- Because everyone drinks!

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- Yes. More options. I enjoy a beer on a nice day.
- Yes. This is because people wouldn't be going to a picnic site to drink to excess, it would be a more casual social event.
- 
- Yes! I have no issues with responsible alcohol consumption being allowed in public areas.
- Yes, I like to have an alcoholic beverage to accompany my meal on occasion.
- Yes. It makes it flexible to have a nice lunch with a few drinks without having to go to a restaurant.
- Yes, I like having a drink with friends whole outdoors
- Yes, because I would enjoy having a beer in one of Calgary's beautiful parks without fear of repercussion
- Yes
- Yes - frankly, why should it be prohibited? I'd chose yes for the convenience of a choice.
- Yes, let me make a choice easier.
- Why do I have to book a picnic table?
- 
- No. I think it is pretty stupid to start allowing public consumption of liquor. You don't need to drink to have fun.
- Yes, to each is their own.
- No. Because anytime alcohol is allowed, people get louder, more aggressive. I do t want to bring my kids into that environment.
- Yes because it would give me the freedom to choose whether or not to consume alcohol at that time, it would encourage myself and my friends to get outside and enjoy picnics in our parks more often, I enjoy being separated from kids which is more likely
- No, because it is safe and chances of disorder will be reduced
- No. Supervising the consumption is too much additional responsibility.
- No, as I don't see the need and people quite often drive to and from the park
- Yes, because a glass of rose with a picnic is civilized.
- Depends on what the occasion is for. 80% no liquor and 20% yes
- Yes, would be nice for guests to enjoy a glass of wine or beer with their picnic if it' was a suitable occasion.
- 
- No, concern of disorderly conduct and for the safety of my family.
- Yes I would, because I enjoy alcohol with meals occasionally.
- Yes!
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- No don't believe there should be drinking in parks
- It depends on the occasion. But if I'm going with a group of people, we would have a flexibility

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- No
- Yes, family and friends are all adults and like to drink.
- The sites we would use in Fish Creek, are more first come first served. If we had to book yes we would choose the one which allowed it.
- Yes because I like to drink beer when having a picnic
- Yes
- No liquor consumption: things might get out of hand because of people abusing the privilege of drinking in a public area.
- I am against this period. Add a little pot, and you have a real problem on your hands?
- Yes
- Yes, many people enjoy a few drinks when having a picnic
- Yes as it would be preferred
- yes, I like to have a glass of wine with my picnic. I do not see an issue with this.
- Yes. I feel it would allow for an enjoyable experience and I know consumption would be moderate
- Yes. Because I am old and responsible.
- NO, I think keep alcohol and POT out is a great family idea
- I would likely choose one that offers alcohol consumption. However there is the risk that your neighbours may already be drunk and disorderly at their site so, if monitored I would absolutely pick alcohol friendly.
- 
- Yes because I wouldn't be wired about being fined for drinking in public
- No. Children's always around
- 
- No not got behavior for kids
- Yes
- No
- NO. Do not want to be involved any drunken people situation
- Yes, because it's nice to sit by the fire and have a beer/wine.
- No
- No, because it's unlikely we would choose this activity to drink in public.
- Yes
- This dog won't hunt...therefore the question is n/a
- Most of the time it wouldn't matter, but if I wanted to consume alcohol during my booking it would impact my decision.
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- Explained in question. 1
- Yes so I can have a beer with my bbq
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- Yes, so I could have a cold beer with lunch if I choose.
- No. I don't feel safe with people who are drunk
- Yes, I think it would be wonderful.
- no
- Yes, it would be nice to be able to go out on a day off work or even after work with friends and family and be able to have a couple drinks and some good food without the worry of being caught with open liquor.
- No
- Yes. In all honestly I'd would likely have a drink with a picnic whether it was legal or not.
- Yes.
- Yes because sometimes, if you are not driving, it is nice to have a glass of wine with your picnic.
- I would prefer to book sites that disallow liquor consumption. Next it will be Cannabis. End up with garbage and bad behavior that will lesson the enjoyment of those nearby.
- 
- No, the smell lingers and is awful. Not a good environment to bring young children too.
- No. I don't want any liquor in the vicinity
- Yes
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a drink on a nice day
- Yes. It makes it easier to gather a social group if those that want to partake in liquor feel they are able to join.
- Yes because it would be nice to offer people a choice when hosting events.
- 
- No , because you could be exposed to belligerent, obnoxious people that would ruin your experience at the park.
- no there are plenty of other places i can enjoy a drink
- Yes. There will be no harm from a glass of wine that accompanies my steak.
- Yes, a bottle of wine with a cheese and meat platter.
- Yes, to be able to consume liquor
- Yes, because they are already drinking & concealing it & potentially causes more harm than good due to people disregarding cans/bottles.
- Absolutely! Because I am an adult and can enjoy 1-2 drinks while visiting with friends and family.
- Yes because that is a great way to enjoy the public space socially
- No

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- Yes! Again people with children are limited to where and when they can have a drink. Nice to have that option to have a drink if I choose to.
- Yes
- Don't use city picnic sites
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- Yes, I think a casual beer you'd have in a backyard setting should be allowed in parks.
- No, see above comment. We should consume liquor at home or licensed venues.
- yes, wine is a nutritious antioxidant and accompanies many celebratory events and chilled beer is very enjoyable on a warm weather day
- Yes. In the summertime I like to enjoy a beer and if able to do so at a public spot I'd be more likely to use one.
- No.. you are just inviting disorderly behaviour to happen.
- Yes. See comment above.
- Yes - appeals to greater audience
- No, because of whomever else may be drinking.
- 
- No. I go camping -- there is misuse of alcohol in those areas similar to what I would perceive park use to be.
- Yes
- Yes, alcohol is tasty.
- No. I am out in nature - just enjoy it.
- yes, most people are already having some wine or a beer with food.
- No if it's illegal to be drinking in public than it should no be allowed out side
- Yes ,something normal in other countries
- No, because I don't want it around my kids and I would now avoid that area
- I would say yes. I would like the option to enjoy beer or wine with friends and family.
- No. I don't want drunk people disturbing everyone else.
- Yes, my family enjoys getting together and a drink or two every now and again.
- No, don't want to contaminate the Area
- Yes, because responsible consumption of alcohol is often involved when adults have a gathering.
- Yes, inclusive
- If more people were aware that you can book picnic site then maybe.
- No
- Yes, as I find it less restrictive
- Yes, option to have a drink if you want one.

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- Yes, if I have to go the trouble to book a picnic site I might as well have the choice to be able to enjoy an alcoholic beverage
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- Sure, a beer in the afternoon is a great way to relax with your friends.
- If I was with a group with designated drivers, or all could walk/ take transit home,yes.
- No
- Yes, nice for people to have the option
- No
- Personally I don't drink but if members of my party chose to enjoy a beverage I would support them.
- Bad influence
- Yes!
- Yes, beer and BBQS go hand in hand.
- Yes
- Yes.
- Depends on the purpose of my picnic.
- No. I wouldn't want to book in a space where the enjoyment of the park would be potentially negatively impacted by others who have over-imbibed and are rowdy and obnoxious.
- Yes, would be lovely to enjoy a drink with your meal!
- No when we go to picnic we prefer it to be safe for kids and others
- No, for safety.
- No, I don't think there needs to be this in public spaces shared by so many.
- Yes - Our group of friends and family enjoy having liquor as part of social events.
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- Yes. I'm a responsible adult that should be allowed to consume a legal beverage in public
- Yes. It would be nice to have a beer and play games and enjoy the outdoors
- 
- Yes, when booking picnic site it is usually to BBQ or share food with groups of friends/family. Having liquor would just add a different element
- depends the occasion for the picnic
- No
- Yes to have the option
- Yes because I think it's nice to have a cold bevy in the park on a hot day.
- Yes so you have a choice weather you want to drink or not
- No. Liquor is not a major factor in my life.
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- Yes I would, like I said before having a beer with your lunch should not be an issue.

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- It would depend on the people I was going with.
- Yes because my friends like to have a drink
- Yes, it would provide the opportunity for my friends/family to enjoy a beverage if so desired. It just enables choice and I think that, is appropriate and fair.
- Yes, it would be great to enjoy a cold beer with friends outdoor
- Yes. I like to consume alcohol responsibly.
- Yes. I drink responsibly and I would have no concerns.
- 
- Yes. So I can have a glass of wine or beer with friends and family.
- Only if consuming alcohol is part of the gathering. If not drinking I wouldn't want to be in a drinking area.
- No. Parks should be a place where public relax. Allowing alcohol will promote unruly behaviour and garbage.
- Yes
- Yes, it's always nice to have a cold beer on a summer day
- no
- Yes, I like people to have that option if they want.
- No. I don't drink liquor at a public picnic.
- No
- No, its not safe for anyone
- I will would never book any site if allowed liquor for all above safety concerns and behaviours
- would depend on event and ages of partipants
- Yes. We enjoy having a drink with our meal outdoors.
- 100% yes
- Yes, responsible consumption should be allowed.
- No as a family with young children with lots of potential dangers I will never choose a picnic site where people drink.
- Yes, so those in the group that would like to drink can do so without any worries.
- yes, to have that option if I or my group so chooses
- Yes. So I can have a glass of wine or cooler with my picnic.
- yes
- Yes
- 100%
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- No

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- Nope. Because I have a child. I don't want my daughter to see that kind of bad habit. Parks should associate with health, not drinking/smoking
- Yes to make sure that we are allowed to consume alcohol
- No. Because of all the variables that come with alcohol and maybe not responsible adults consuming it
- Yes - it is nice to have a drink with your picnic on a hot day.
- Yes, it's nice to have a cold one at a bbq
- No, don't want to be around potential drunken behaviour or broken glass.
- Yes. to enjoy a couple drinks while consuming dinner or lunch.
- NO, I don't support alcoholic drinking in public areas especially in parks
- No
- Yes, of course I would want every option available.
- No, I prefer do not have liquors allowed because the kids
- Yes. To support Calgary's beer industry, and because I can do so responsibly.
- No
- Yes, it's nice to have the option to have alcohol when celebrating.
- No because it's unethical
- I would choose one that allows if it was offered.
- Yes, because it is more enjoyable
- Yes, nice on a summer day to enjoy a BBQ and have the option of an alcoholic beverage if desired.
- No, I don't think it should be in public parks.
- I would stop going to parks. If I want to be around people drinking I'll go to a pub. Or have people at my home.
- Yes
- NO
- No for safety purposes
- Liquor should not be allowed so no point in choosing any option.
- No. I am worry about disorderly behavior.
- NO
- No
- No family safety
- 
- No, I don't drink alcohol
- I probably would because we are all adults and would like to have a few drinks at a party.
- Yes. I have no concerns.
- i would like to have an opportunity to have a beer by the firepit
- Yes. Being able to have a responsible drink while enjoying a picnic outside should be allowed.

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- Yes, I would want the option available
- yes. optionality of guests
- Yes
- Yes. I host events usually with a small selection of beer or wine and so its nice to have the option of a larger outdoor venue besides my own back yard. It is widely accpeted world wide for alccohol consumption in parks in other countries.
- yes. Having a beer outside in the summer is enjoyable
- No - I don't want to have to deal with potential drunken people issues
- Yes because we don't have to hide it
- No
- Yes
- 
- Yes, because its completely puritan-like to not have already allowed this decades ago similar to many parts of Europe.
- 
- yes I would. Regardless of if I decided to have a drink or not, it would be nice to have the option
- Yes
- Yes,
- Yes
- No, I would rather choose the one that does not allow liquor consumption.
- Yes, would love to enjoy a glass of wine outdoors with my spouse and have a nice picnic meal.
- 
- No. I would not want to have to deal with those that may be drinking.
- I would yes for those that would like to have a glass with their food.
- I never have booked one.
- 
- Yes, we should be able to enjoy a drink responsibly with a BBQ
- Yes. So that I and my family/friends could consume alcohol while using the site.
- Yes, I enjoy liquor with a picnic
- Yes! 100% because it allows for families to share space and for everyone to do what they want. Its very french and needed in Calgary.
- Always. It's better to have more options than fewer
- Yes, I want the flexibility
- Yes. Because i would want to have the choice of consuming alcohol.
- Liquor should not be allowed at park picnic sites!!!!!!
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer on a summers day and would love to be able to have a bbq, enjoy the park and have a drink at the same time.

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- Perhaps
- Yes, we are all adults
- I would choose one for some occasions just to have the option, but wouldn't feel like I would only book those picnic sites always.
- Yes, most people like to have a beer outdoors with picnics
- 
- no because I don't like being around loud drunk people
- No. Don't want the liability
- No do not want to be around people who are drinking
- Yes, because my family and friends drink socially, so having the option to legally drink liquor when on a picnic.
- 
- Yes, so that people that want to enjoy a beer or a bottle of wine with their bbq or picnic can do so - just like if they went to someones house and their back yard.
- Yes, as it's completely reasonable for people to have a glass of wine/beer etc while enjoying a picnic. This is largely legal across all of Europe with limited negative implications
- Yes, so people could enjoy an adult beverage with their meal. This would happen if I had a back yard but I live in a condo so it would be nice to have the same opportunity to entertain.
- No...alcohol effects are different on each individual. Intoxication can be a problem
- 
- No, I am there with my young family. The focus should be on our spending time together.
- Yes, as we have amazing parks in our city - creating larger
- 
- No. Id actually avoid ones that do to not be exposed to such an element.
- Yes, it it's an option, why not.
- No. I prefer a family atmosphere.
- 
- Yes, See 3.
- no. why do we have to have alcohol
- Yes. Alcohol is consumption is often part of bbq/picnic culture and that would definitely be an attractive feature.
- I would book one that allows liquor so that We could enjoy the consumption of alcohol without the fear of getting a fine
- Yes because I'm a grown adult and I believe other grown adults generally know how to drink responsibly. If we all know who's drinking because it's open and no one is hiding it, then we can keep an eye on those who might be over-consuming if thats a proble

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- I would if it was an option. Yes because it would be nice knowing it was legal and also would be more mindful of consumption. Many people live in apartments so this would also provide them a space to drink and recreate in a park.
- One with liquor consumption because having a beer in the sun with lunch is delightful
- Yes, why not.
- 
- Yes, I would choose picnic site with liquor consumption to enjoy it (see above).
- 
- Yes. Because then I can have a beer without any problems.
- yes on a hot day. I see it the same as going on a beach vacation. A couple drinks in the sun is nice
- Fo shizzle, cause why not?
- 
- Yes. Though I'd prefer for liquor to be allowed regardless of whether a picnic site is booked or not. I think that it's reasonable to have a drink while at the park. Obviously, disorderly behavior will never be allowed (nor should it ever be).
- Yes - adults consuming alcohol reasonably are not a problem. Enforcement of drunk and disorderly should continue but not drinking in public responsibly.
- Yes
- Yes, if there was an option of choosing a site that allows liquor, I would chose that as it would provide me the ability to have beer/wine with the picnic.
- Yes. See #3
- Yes. Often I choose to socialize with people at home so that we aren't limited by liquor consumption rules, so this would give more options for people (myself included) to get outside to utilize our beautiful parks
- Yes, more flexibility around what we can consume
- Yes. I enjoy both the City's parks and drinking during my leisure time.
- Yes. We enjoy a cool beer with our BBQ
- Yes. If it's going to happen any way you may as well be legal about it
- No, I will refrain from booking that as I will not know the condition of that site - order and other issues.
- 
- Yes
- Yes.
- yes, I would be more likely to book a site at all if alcohol was allowed
- Yes, would be great to enjoy a bottle of wine on a nice day.
- Yes, even though I do not drink I don't think that it is harmful if consumed responsibly and have no problem allowing others to use it.



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- Yes, that sounds like a lovely afternoon. Europe allowed it.
- Yes, because it will simplify the process.
- NO! I have kids with me all the time.
- Yes, I enjoy having a drink outside during the summer as do many people. Nearby liquor stores or pubs could generate revenue.
- I will only book picnic site that doesn't allow liquor
- No. Liquor does not need to be consumed in parks. Non
- Note for the events currently planned, non alcoholic drinks are all that are needed
- No - not needed
- doesn't matter
- Yes because I want wine with my picnic or bbq
- Depends on if we were intending to have alcohol with our meal
- Yes
- Yes. Great to have the option. But consumption of liquor should not require a booking. Requiring that food be present with open liquor is reasonable, however.
- I don't book picnic sites
- 
- No, I don't want to be around drunk people.
- Yes, more people would come.
- 
- Yes, to allow for options.
- I'd probably lean towards one that didn't, honestly, because I don't want to deal with drunk people while I'm trying to enjoy time with my family.
- Yes
- Yes, so I have the option to drink a beer.
- 
- Yes, absolutely. As a responsible adult, I am able to enjoy an alcoholic beverage and not lessen my positive participation in society. A cold drink on a nice day is one of the rewards of hard work, and should be embraced.
- Yes I would because nothing tastes better with BBQ than an ice cold beer.
- No, I would not. Alcohol is not why I go to nature. It's because of the peaceful enjoyment of the place.
- Yes, so there are options for me and my guests.
- no
- no
- No. Consuming liquor should only be allowed at home or restaurant/bar.
- Yes, if the people I were with would enjoy a drink of wine/beer.

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- Yes, I have the choice to drink or not
- No
- Not purposely - i guess i would not mind it at our local lake but then again, i can walk home from there.
- Of course. Citizens should be able to be recreational the way they would be in their own homes.
- 
- No.
- Yes, it allows for flexibility in the space
- No, I would not want to have to tolerate drunken behaviour. People already disregard the law & drink anyway, so it would become that much worse with no legal recourse.
- No I would not, there are already enough public spaces you may choose to consume liquor in, we don't need another.
- If I was having a function (for example a wedding) I would book one that may allowed liquor, however I would personally get a event liquor license for my own function as if I picked a park that did allow liquor it would probably have many homeless.
- 
- No because I bring my kids and would not want them exposed
- no
- Yes cause I like to drink beer
- Yes I would so that I could bring liquor.
- Yes.
- Yes because it gives the option to have a glass of wine or beer while spending time with family/friends
- Yes. If someone wants to consume liquor outside, they will likely do so whether it's allowed or not.
- I would yes, it would be very enjoyable to have a alcoholic beverage on a hot day while enjoying the public parks
- Yes, because a beer in a park on a nice day sounds lovely.
- Yes. It would allow the freedom for guests to have a cold beer or glass of wine with food
- no, would rather stay and not deal with drunks and trouble.
- No, chances of bad behavior will increase in areas allowing liquor.
- Yes. Because I think it would make the experience pleasant
- I don't think so, lots of people don't know how to behave in public
- Yes. Similar answer to question 3.
- I would definitely choose a site that allows public consumption. While my alcohol consumption is not high, I would love the opportunity to allow me and my friends to enjoy a drink, should we choose to do so.
- It would be a fun benefit but wouldn't be at the top of my list of priorities.

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- Yes so that it's an option. It's nice to have a casual drink when enjoying a nice day and nice weather
- Yes, because I like that I am not limited
- Likely yes, but depends on the event. If it is for a kids birthday party, probably won't be a main concern.
- No
- No, don't drink.
- No. I don't want drunks making a lot of noise and picking fights.
- Yes. It would allow for my group/family to drink alcohol if they choose.
- 
- Yes. There's nothing wrong with enjoying a beer or glass of wine at a picnic or bbq with friends and family.
- Probably not because I don't want our young kids around it
- No. Do not want to exposure my children to potential rowdy behaviour from over drinking
- yes
- Yes, its nice on a hot day to have a cold beer at a picnic.
- Yes, its an option that i apreceate and would like to utilize or have the option to utilize
- Yes, I think it would be nice to be able to have a drink with your picnic.
- 
- Yes because a beer and a picnic sounds enjoyable.
- 
- Yes, drinking a beer outside is nice
- Yes, it's a part of the social gathering.
- Yes, because I would like the option of having a glass or not. I would support that model even if I wasn't intending to drink.
- Yes
- No. Disorderly behaviour & garbage.
- Yes. Barbecue would not be complete without glass of beer\wine with your meal.
- 
- Yes
- Yes, so I could have a full picnic meal experience
- 
- Yes
- Yes because I enjoy the occasional drink when outdoors.
- I'd choose not to book one with liquor consumption, I like a drink and although I don't have children yet I don't want children exposed to liquor consumption or the negative affects of liquor consumption. Parks should be peaceful places.
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- Yes. I enjoy wine or drink with meals or casual drinks with friends or family
- No, I would not. I don't feel every outing should include drinking, there are already many places to do that. Let's still have some family friendly where Alcohol is not allowed.
- It depends on the event, I think. A child's birthday party? Probably not. A large family get together? Yes!
- Yes, so I could consume.
- Absolutely yes. None of my picnic participants are offended by alcohol. We are reasonable folks.
- Maybe, depending on the occasion. We don't drink much, so I don't think it's something we'd bring to the park.
- yes because i want to drink and i don't think it's such a bad thing
- Yes, they all should.
- No
- YES, WHY
- No for above reasons checked above
- No. I don't drink
- Yes, because having a beer on a hot day outside is nice.
- Yes, I feel like it would make my time spent in parks more enjoyable.
- Yes.. it's nice to get people together outside instead of in my cramped tiny apartment in the summer !
- Yes because it's going to happen anyway, I would like it to be legal.
- Not necessarily.
- No. I believe the system would be abused.
- no. I don't want a site which has the potential of behavior issues
- Yes. same as question 3.
- Yes, if appropriate to the situation
- No
- Yes
- Yes. It is an option I would want if I am having a picnic or bbq.
- Yes. I don't go to bars or beer gardens. I don't drink at home alone. I don't have a back yard so it would be nice to gather with friends outside.
- No.
- No. If I want to be around alcohol consumption I'll go to a licensed or privately owned location
- Yes, it provides a choice to bring liquor or not.
- No, as it's not necessary!
- No, I would boycott those picnic sites instead.
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- Yes, it's nice to have a beer or glass of wine with a meal, why not a picnic or BBQ?

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- No. See reasons above
- Yes. A quiet beer or glass of wine might be nice.
- yes its called freedom
- Yes as it allows for freedom of choice to enjoy a glass of wine or not
- No ...we more site for family or for kids
- Yes
- Yea
- No i don't think it's right to have liquor at a City park.
- Maybe
- No. Then the city needs to post bylaw officers at the part to deal with problems when people are drunk, and police to stop them from driving
- unsure, possibly, but I like the option and freedoms
- Yes, b/c I like beer with my food
- Yes, so I can bring alcohol.
- Yes. Other than some restaurants there are not many places children can attend with their parents so it would be nice to have some time outdoors in the fresh air for a higher enjoyment of life for everyone.
- yes because I enjoy a beer with lunch n a beautiful summer day
- No I would not and I wouldn't want to be near one with my children in case the people using the liquor tables are disorderly.
- No. Children tends to be roaming around the park, people who consumes alcohol can have low tolerance to noise & pa
- Depends on the circumstance. Less likely to choose a liquor spot when we were bringing our daughter when she was young.
- Not necessarily
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- yes
- possibly, but are we having a problem obtaining bookings? my experience (not recent) is that the spots are already hard to come by
- Yes to encourage people to drink responsibly.
- Yes as picnics are social events and typically alcohol is included in summer time activities
- No. I don't drink
- Yes, a beer on a hot sunny day in the park sounds amazing.
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- Yes. It would allow a normal beverage with lunch/meal
- Yes

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- Yes.
- No. Because I would like kids and other people around us be safe. You cannot control everyone to how much to drink and how to behave around families and kids.
- Yes absolutely. Because I want to consume liquor.
- Yes, it would be nice to have beer or wine available for a bbq or picnic.
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- Yes. Because it would be more enjoyable.
- No, less availability
- I would stop booking a picnic site entirely if alcohol was permitted to be consumed on city property.
- No it's issue of safety morality and respect of non drinkers
- Yes, so the adults can relax the way they enjoy.
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- Yes. I enjoy Alberta craft beer, and it is nice to enjoy that outdoors amongst friends in the summertime.
- ashamed, the city is even considering such a by-law and the questions seem structured to convince people to say yes.
- No
- Yes! If I'm booking a site it's for a celebration or gathering and in that sense it's nice to drink responsibly.
- No. Hopefully people can participate in an activity without alcohol
- Yes. It's nice to be able to have a drink with friends in the fresh air
- 
- No, picnics are not for drinking
- Yes, my family enjoys a beer with our birthday celebrations.
- No
- yes, to accomodate those who would attend an outing and would enjoy the social activity of consuming an alcoholic beverage
- No because I don't really drink
- Yes. No need to hide something being done by everyone anyway.
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- Yes and No. I would pick a site that allows liquor before one that does not, however not being able to pick a site that allows liquor consumption would not stop me from enjoying and going to the park.
- No. Children are always available in picnic parks.
- no....one can still have a lovely picnic or event without liquor...
- NA
- Yes

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- No. Because in all likely hood the site will have a higher chance of a negative experience than one that doesn't allow for liquor consumption.
- No- I would avoid sites that allow liquor consumption to avoid any disorderly behaviour. Paul's are family places- no need for liquor there
- Yes, to be able to share it with my food and to be able to share it with my family
- Yes
- Yes, don't drink a lot but having a glass of wine outside is lovely
- no - it creates too many health & safety concerns as well as environmental damage every time liquor is consumed in an outdoor public setting at an outdoor event
- Not necessarily. I can have liquor to many other places so we don't need to have liquor consumption in parks.
- No
- Yes, as long is the public are being reasonable
- NO, because I care about my kids and family and their security.
- Yes
- Yes. I would like the option to bring alcohol or not.
- Yes, I enjoy a social alcoholic beverage and think this would be an excellent idea and a benefit for responsible adults using park facilities.
- Yes
- Yes - but I know that I (and my guests won't overdo it. Sounds like fun! But I do worry that some may overdo it and show bad behaviour close to playgrounds.
- To enjoy a refreshing glass of wine
- dont care
- 
- Yes. I don't have any problems with choosing either unless I plan on having a drink.
- Yes because when I go out I enjoy a adult beverage
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- Yes, as a Canadian adult alcohol consumption is ubiquitous in my culture.
- Yes, because I enjoy having a beer when I'm outside hanging out with friends.
- no
- Yes
- yes, if my friends want to enjoy a glass it should not be -technically- illegal
- Of course, rarely do adults get together for a barbecue and not have a beer or two.
- No. Alcohol doesn't need to be consumed in public. Does not add anything positive to culture.
- No
- Yes. Because my picnic would involve the consumption of liquor.
- yes, for the social aspect of it.

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- No, I'm out to enjoy nature not liquor!!!
- No need so no.
- Yes. It would be so much more enjoyable to have large family gatherings at parks with lots of space to run and play and the adults can still enjoy alcohol with their meal.
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- Yes, it adds to the experience
- Yes; hot day, bbq, and beer are perfect together.
- Should be allowed everywhere not just parks
- No. It will expose to children and will disorderly and bad behaviours will expose to families.
- Yes people like to have a choice of beverage.
- No. Public spaces should be safe, family friendly.
- 
- Yes, for those who want to drink
- Yes, I would. I personally enjoy a beverage while bbq'ing, enjoying a firepit. Like many city residents, parks are the only place I can enjoy a picnic or a fire. I do not have a backyard.
- NO
- Yes
- NO. Neither my family or friends need to be needless exposed to public consumption of alcohol which is illegal in all of Canada
- Yes
- I will choose the one that does NOT allow liquor consumption. I go family picnic with kids and would not like someone drinking or aftermath of it
- 
- Yes, I think a picnic would be enhanced by a nice glass of wine
- yes, if it was included in our picnic plans.
- 
- Yes, why not I believe our liquor laws are archaic and as long as alcohol is being consumed responsibly I could care less if others around me are drinking.
- 
- Yes, probably means less children in the drinking areas :) nice to have the option to have a drink
- Yes, because it would be better.
- No. I don't like alcohol, and most friends I know do not either.
- no, i don't need it
- Yes. I love enjoying wine or cider out in the sun.
- No. If I'm at a park, having a picnic with family and friends, I don't want to have to put up with a bunch of drunken frat boys and belligerent soccer moms sucking back vino.



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- Yes - this would allow members of a group to make their own decision as to whether or not they wanted to consume liquor.
- Noo because I don't want my kids seeing that stuff and drinking it or doing some else
- Yes. It gives the option to those who wish to consume
- Yes cause I love drinking in our beautiful parks.
- Yes, Wine with dinner
- Yes I would, if having a picnic and I want to choose to have a wine or a beer with my picnic I should be able to do so
- yes, if I am booking a site it is for a party and a beer or 2 is nice at aptys
- No
- Yes, because we would want to enjoy liquor with our picnic.
- No, wont feel safe to bring my kids to those places.
- If booking a reception, maybe. But for standard summer picnics, no. And I would avoid using parks where liquor was allowed. "With food" would just mean one granola bar to go with a 6-pack or a 750 for a lot of people.
- Yes if my event wishes to consume liquor, and no if my event doesn't wish to, obviously!
- Absolutely! I would chose a site with consumption as I have very rarely witnessed any issues with disorderly conduct from drinking!
- Yes because consuming alcohol during a meal is common practice in western societies. It is perfectly legal in large parts of Europe to drink anywhere in public and somehow Armageddon has not occurred there.
- Yes - I think it adds to the fun and relaxation and will promote using the spaces. There are tonnes of great picnic sites to go for a BBQ etc but I think people choose to stay in their yard so they can drink.
- Yes, not always but some times you can sit with family and enjoy weekend.
- No. It will be saver for people and environment
- 
- Yes. Any picnic is woefully incomplete without a cold beer. All picnic sites should allow liquor consumption.
- No. It encourages careless behavior.
- no against liquor and drug...the police have enough to do already. known fact liquor causes problems
- Yes
- Yes - people could plan events (birthday/retirement) parties at these locations
- Yes, nothing wrong with a social beverage with meal(s). I believe most parks have hours of use and in my opinion the disorderly behaviour patrons generally fall outside the use hours
- Yes. I enjoy drinking (responsibly) at social events. Drinking with family would also demystify drinking for kids and help them understand what "responsible drinking" looks like.

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- No Because Drinking in City Parks = Driving While Impaired = Road Fatalities and Injuries Give your head a shake, No wonder MADD gets so frustrated, Even the inevitable broken glass is a major concern. Only the liquor vendors smile!
- Yes. Like a cider or glass of wine with a nice picnic, especially if out for the day.
- Yes, that way we have the option if we feel like enjoying a drink or two with our food.
- No. Drunk people hanging out in park and ruining day out for others.
- Yes.
- Yes, especially if hosting a . BBQ or family activities
- I would choose one for some occasions where it is mostly adults at the gathering.
- No, the potential of public drunkenness will disrupt the beauty of the natural park settings
- I think its nice to always provide options to people and depending on what type of event you're hosting it would be nice to pick one that allows liquor and one that does not.
- 
- Yes, I prefer places that I can have a drink and relax with a good group of friends
- I like a beer with my hot dog
- doesn't matter, depends who I'm spending time with. If family - no liquor, if friends -yes
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- It is quite possible to have a very good time WITHOUT liquor consumption and I would want to model that behaviour for my children.
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- no liquor site because of concerns I have of the drinkers. There is NO need to have liquor in the park. Go celebrate at home.
- Yes, that would be a main priority
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- No
- Yes. Would increase the enjoyment of the picnic.
- Yes. I love a good craft beer. None of my friends or family are heavy drinkers, so I wouldn't be worried about anyone abusing the privilege.
- No because of higher costs
- Yes, because some wine with a picnic is a wonderful thing.
- No
- yes. so i can drink and eat
- yes, because in a free and democratic society, laws should not be made to prohibit something that is trivial, but rather something serious
- Yes - because I agree with it.

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- Yes, because if I feel it is or could be a part of my leisure activities I should have the right to do so
- Yes
- Yes. See above.
- Yes because a meal with a beer is always good
- Yes, there may be attendees who would like to consume liquor even if I am not myself
- A summer picnic is better with a glass of wine or cold beer, so yes.
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- I would book a picnic site that allows liquor consumption so if I wanted a drink I could. I do however think that the alcohol should be kept to wine, beer and coolers. Not bottles of hard liquor.
- Yes because I would typically be for a celebration
- Well, if my kids were there, no, because I expect this to get and out of control. Who's going to police this? How will The City ensure minors aren't drinking? I would have taken full advantage of this as a minor. Yay! a place I can drink and not get ID'd!
- Yes. It's awesome to have a beer on a hot day
- I wouldn't book a picnic site where Liquor is allowed, I can't take chances of misbehavior and spoiling fun time.
- Yes. Because it's ridiculous that anyone should control that as a responsible adult I might want a beer with my burger.
- Yes. I like to have a beer or a glass of wine with family and friends
- No, it's not safe for family
- Yes. Because I don't fear the irresponsible behavior of others. I just don't think that any potentially irresponsible behavior by others is A) that common or B) so egregious that it would ruin my experience.
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- Yes if I wanted to consume an alcoholic beverage. It would be lovely to sit and sip a glass of wine at a picnic site on a nice day.
- No. I would have concerns about other people at nearby sites being drunk & disorderly
- No, I would not like to expose children neither to liquor nor to any disorderly behavior that may result
- Yes - healthy drinking happens amongst my social circles, being able to do this at a picnic site would encourage more use of our amazing parks
- Yes because sometimes having a cold beer vs a Coca Cola in front of a fire or for a bbq w a Hot Dog on a hot summer day would be very enjoyable in moderation of course.
- Yes because we enjoy drinks with our bbqs, lunches , etc
- Yes, so we have the option.
- No; not interested
- Yes. Nice to be able to have a drink with you if you wish to do so.

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- Absolutely, yes. I like to have a few beers in the sun with my family and friends while enjoying the out of doors, and cannot always find the time to go to a campground. I am responsible for my actions, others should be held to the same responsibility.
- Yes because it will promote more fun in public spaces
- No.
- Yes of course, no limitation to my choices
- Yes it's nice to have a cold beverage on a hot day
- Yes. It would be nice to be able to have a drink outside and relax.
- Yes. Why not enjoy a picnic? Why have to hide your booze?
- Yes. It would be nice to be able to enjoy a bbq with a beer or wine at a location that can host more people than my backyard does.
- No. Unruly neighbours.
- I would choose one that allows liquor because I would enjoy having a beer during a picnic
- No because my children can exposed to appropriate language, behaviour and broken glass
- Yes.
- Yes, I would be able to drink some. Wine
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- No.
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- Yes, I always have liquor at my social gatherings.
- No....people usually go overboard when drinking....allow a little ...get a lot
- Yes. Individuals should be seen as being able to responsibly consume liquor in a public space.No.
- Yes! It is expensive to go to a patio and drink so it would be nice to be able to consume your own outdoors
- Yes - would give me & my group the choice to enjoy a beer/ glass of wine at our gathering/ celebration.
- NO
- No...picnics are for family gatherings...outside...taking in the fresh air. There are other places to go if you want a drink.
- No
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- No. As someone with small kids I don't want my kids exposed to potentially dangerous situations
- No. The site will be smelly from spills.
- Yes, because beer. Duh.
- Yes
- Yes. Because it would be nice to have the option if guests so desired, to have a beverage outdoors while hanging out.

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- No!! Because behaviour gets out of hand
- Yes, it's nice to enjoy a beer or glass of wine while picnicking / bbqing
- Yes! Adults should be able to enjoy an alcoholic beverage when on an outing.
- Yes, my family and friends love bbqs and being outdoors. Sometimes our backyards just don't do it.
- Yes - is enjoy a beer with my picnic! People drink at parks anyway so may as well make it legal.
- Yes. Because I like fun.
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- I would only book a site that does allow liquor. I do like to enjoy a drink responsibly. People are already doing this in city parks anyway. It would be nice to do it legally.
- No. Concern over abuse.
- Yes. Allows versatility in the type of gatherings. Allows friends to have a beer and play frisbee/soccer etc.... similar to bowling alleys, the indoor volleyball courts, and golf. Sports and responsible drinking have a long history in Canada.
- yes, but depending on the type and reason i was booking the picnic site.
- No, I would be worried that our children/grandchildren could be exposed to unwanted behaviour.
- Yes absolutely. Even if I didn't want to drink alcohol, any number of people joining me might want to. That is reason enough to make sure they would be allowed to.
- Yes I would because would like to have the option to drink if I wanted too rather than go to one that doesn't give me that option
- I absolutely would choose one that allows liquor consumption. I allow my kids to attend events where adults are drinking, picnicking would be no different.
- No, it's not need in Parks
- Yes, so anyone joining me can enjoy a beverage if they'd like
- Yes, because I see nothing wrong with having a beer or glass of wine with a picnic.
- Yes because it's liquor we're talking about, not heroin.
- Yes, it's nice to be able to have a beer or two while cooking up a hotdog/having a picnic
- Yes. Liquor is a casual drink, much like soft drinks. Why allow Pepsi but not Pinot?
- Yes. Allows options for personal consumption while enjoying a picnic.
- Yes, because I would enjoy having wine with a picnic
- Yes, it would be nice to have this option available and choose whether you will drink liquor or not.
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- Yes, in case I had a guest who wanted to have a beer with dinner
- yes, if it was possible, why not?
- Yes, because we are all responsible adults and those that aren't can be fined or kicked out.
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- Yes. Even if I don't have a drink that day, it's nice knowing I could and it would be legal.
- NO. We have seen many examples in community increase of abuse, sexual abuse, children follows the same path which will end up one day like India Pakistan China etc mmunitick in behaviour. Derailing the city/country into wrong path.
- Absolutely not.
- Yes so i can enjoy a drink or 2 at a picnic or event
- Yes. Because we'd want to have that option available
- Yes
- Yes for famioy or public events I think it is a great idea and will get more people outside.
- Yes as it is 2019 and liquor is not illegal.
- No. People have endless places to drink, why ruin the family atmosphere of a park.
- No.
- No. Drinking in public would lead to disorderly conduct at parks and on our roads. This is obvious. It is laughable to think that people would limit themselves to only one drink. This is a very bad idea. Consumption of alcohol is best done at home.
- Assuming it was allowed, I would not book one because I don't want to be around people drinking in the park.
- Yes, drinking in my leisure time is enjoyable.
- Yes, it provides more options for beverages
- No
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- No
- No, I'd like to go to an area that wouldn't have intoxicated people, also drinking and driving while leaving said area
- No I would not choose to do this.
- No, for sure due to concerns described in the question #2.
- No, all the points selected in question 2.
- Likely not. Last thing I want is a picnic site which turns out to beside a noisey group of drinkers
- No, I don't drink and don't feel a public space like that is the place for others to do so.
- Definatly not. Drink at home or in a bar.
- Yes. I would like to drink in a park.
- Absolutely! We're not big drinkers but it's nice to have the option
- Yes, if someone booking picnic site then he should be left to invite all his drinking/ no drinking guests.
- Yes. Can enjoy a nice day out and have some drinks with friends and family instead of having to be confined to my backyard.
- Yes absolutely because I would like the freedom to have a drink with friends

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- Yes, it appeals to me more to have a place where beverages can be consumed
- I do not drink. If I went with friends who did drink then I would choose one that allows it. If it is with people who don't drink then I would choose one without. Depends who I am with.
- would choose one that does not serve liquor
- Yes - if i am booking a picnic site, it is usually for a celebration. Would be nice to enjoy a glass of wine in these occasions.
- Yes, because I enjoy responsible consumption.
- It would not matter as everyone I know that has used a site already brings liquor
- No
- No. Don't want any undesired incident/accident to happen, such as inappropriate behavior.
- no becасue i dont want to be around those taking it out of control
- Probably yes.
- Yes. More social and fun.
- Yes. My friends and family enjoy the occasional beer or glass of wine on a nice summer day
- No - a picnic does not require alcohol.
- It would not matter to me.
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- Yes - so that alcohol can be consumed without worrying if it's allowed or not.
- Yes, b/c I like to have a beer or two when I have a BBQ.
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- I will not choose that picnic site allows liquor
- Yes. Because I'm an adult!
- No
- Yes so that I can enjoy alcohol
- Yes I would definitely choose one with allowable liquor consumption. My family consists of 75% people who do not consume alcohol and 25% who do. There is never drinking and driving involved. There is a way better family turnout when alcohol can be consumed
- Absolutely. What a great way to have a sense of community. I have been in many countries that allow drinking in parks and it is wonderful. A glass of wine at a picnic? Fantastic!
- No. When I drink outside I use my backyard or campsite.
- Yes. For reasons listed above.
- no, safety concern for kids
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- 100% yes
- YES, Wine pairs well with Cheese :)
- No, because of the increased risk of having to deal with inappropriate behavior. Do not want to reinforce the idea that there has to be liquor consumed to have a fun time.

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- I would not choose one that allows liquor. I would prefer to restrict this to home and licensed establishments.
- Yes. It allows flexibility for those that would like to enjoy a drink and enjoy being in nature.
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- No, it may increase in disorderly behavior.
- Yes, I think people want the ability to chose if they want to drink or not...seems to calm people down(within moderation)
- Yes.
- Yes because it can be nice in the short Calgary summer to have a cold beer. Would encourage me to go to a park vs having it at home and enjoying parts of the city yet not explored.
- Yes based on the flexibility as certain people in a group would probably like to have an alcoholic beverage.
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- No preference
- No, Not a place to consume liquor at all. Picnic sites are places where children play!
- No
- No.
- Absolutely. It's a reasonable aspect of living in a mature society. European cities—that allow open liquor everywhere—don't have the 'problems' so many Councilors & Calgarians are warning against. (They should sip life in a real city to allay their fears)
- No! It is not safe to put families and children at risk of drunken bums
- Yes. Liquor is fun.
- Yes, it would be nice to be able to have a glass of wine / beer with a picnic
- No
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- No
- Yes, I'm not bothered by people enjoying some drinks in public.
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- No
- Yes. Would enjoy a drink with my picnic or BBQ.
- Yes! So nice to have a beer or two by the river.
- Yes - I enjoy having a drink or two with lunch / dinner.
- Yes, in case we want to drink. I still have every intention of respecting our parks and public spaces and will hold my friends to that standard.
- Yes, because like anyone enjoying a BBQ or hang in their yard, we all like to have a couple beers.



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- Yes. To have the freedom to choose to drink responsibly outdoors.
- Yes, good for groups
- No alcohol
- Yes because its nice to be able to have a drink if you want to
- I would NOT choose one that allows liquor consumption and know countless other families who are very much against this notion and are concerned about liquor consumption
- Yes, particularly if booking with a larger group
- Yes, although certainly not a deal breaker, the option to bring wine etc to a picnic would be wonderful.
- Yes, because being more European is a good thing. People are too uptight
- No, If I go to the park it's for the nature, not the nutters!
- No
- Yes,
- Yes, there is no reason not to allow liquor consumption at picnic sites or within any park for that matter.
- No. For the reasons I answered in Question 2. Drinking and driving is already poorly enforced in Calgary. Why encourage more of it?
- No
- Yes.
- No. Because I think that liquor consumptions is not compatible with a recreation places.
- Yes I would because I would rather that people came and drank legally, than hide it. By taking away the "taboo-ness" of it maybe people will be more responsible about it. And it would be nice to enjoy a glass of wine or a beer while having a picnic.
- No as I do not feel that liquor is necessary to have a picnic
- 
- Yes, there is no reason why we shouldn't be able to enjoy a drink
- Being able to drink a beer would 100% dictate the park I book
- Yes, as it would be nice.
- Yes I would as it would be nice to have a wine with the picnic.
- No Do not feel the need to self medicate at every turn
- No. Don't want drunks teasing my crew
- No, why take the risk of getting a drinking & driving ticket with the current laws.
- yes - nice to be able to have a glass of wine and relax on a weekend rather than be a criminal for doing it.
- If I were to be together with a lot of family and friends, yes. Otherwise no.
- Yes. We like a glass of wine with soexial meals
- No, I do not think liquor consumption would be of any benefit to picnic areas.

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- Yes, because responsible social drinking is part of how I enjoy the summer with my friends and family
- Yes, as it allows for more enjoyment.
- I would choose one that does not allow, because I am not in favour of consuming alcohol in our parks.
- yes
- Not want to be near drunken bums
- Yes yes yes because it's a nice feature for an evening outside
- No. Why invite trouble or be in an area that is potentially noisy.
- Yes. A picnic site it a social place to meet and having liquor makes the outing much more enjoyable.
- Sometimes. Depends who's doing the driving.
- No. If people can't go a few hours at a park without having to have alcohol, there's a problem. I don't need to be around drunk people while trying to enjoy time at a park.
- no
- Nope. I don't want to be around people who take advantage of the liquor. I don't need to see that, I want to enjoy nature and being outside.
- Both -
- No the staff have enough problems with sober members of the public. If it is illegal they still bring the drinks to the sites but they keep it out of sight and drink in moderation. I hope the same will happen with legal drugs..
- Yes. There is no rule that says you must drink.
- Yes. Kind of goes with picnics.
- Stupid
- No, I'm going to enjoy the outdoors if I wanted to drink there are many other alternatives
- Yes. Enjoying the taste of an alcoholic beverage, such as wine or beer, with food is an age old tradition. I very much enjoy beer with bbq; wine with cheese or pasta salad. I can drink it responsibly in my yard so why not at a Shakespeare in the park?
- No. being unable to consume liquor would not prevent anyone desirable from attending.
- Yes, because it opens up more options for the social event in question. It does not mean people will be forced to drink.
- Yes. It would be nice to have a BBQ/picnic and enjoy a cold beer or two on a hot summer day with friends.
- Yes, I would like to enjoy drinks with my friends in nature without having to leave the city.
- Yes. I like to enjoy a beer while I picnic
- Sure. Then wouldn't need to hide it.
- Absolutely not
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- No
- Yes
- No, because of bad smell when liquor is spilt and people don't clean up well or at all after themselves.
- maybe but I drink responsively if at all. Many people do not know their own limit
- Yes, it is very nice to be able to enjoy a beer at a BBQ in a park with friends and family!
- 
- Depends on why we're gathering. Kids bday? No. Family reunion? Yes
- Yes, great to have a glass of wine with a bbq!
- Yes - think it would be nice when it's kept under control
- 
- No. I rarely book picnic sites as I prefer blanket dining.
- Yes. For the reason above.
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- No, have small grandchildren, who do not need to be subjected to drunks in public and or fighting and property damage.
- Yes. So that myself and friends can consume liquor while enjoying nature and the summer heat.
- yes, because I think that casual social drinking (not intoxication) is great.
- 
- Not at all
- 
- No - protect kids
- If having a larger gathering then yes, otherwise would not effect decision.
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- Yes
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- Absolutely. I drink socially... picnics are a social activity.
- No, because it will attract trouble.
- Likely yes. Would rather have a legal option for what we typically already do
- Yes. Family events means all ages will attend. This includes adults who may want to responsibly consume alcohol.
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- Yes with friends no with my kids
- 
- Yes
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- Maybe

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- Yes in case some one would like to have a beer with there hotdog
- Yes because I know my guests would not be disorderly, would clean up and be responsible and would not assume they could use marijuana at the same site.
- Yes
- No because people demonstrate it everyday that they cannot drink responsibly. I don't need my time at the park ruined by loud drunken partiers.
- No. I wouldn't want to risk having my picnic ruined by others who are drinking nearby.
- No, liquor can be consumed in licensed facilites
- Yes, we should be able to enjoy a few be vies, not to get drunk, but enjoying a bottle or two of vino over dinner is quite nice. Europe and other countries seem to have no problems with it while North America has WAY too many rules
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- No
- Yes, it would increase my use of local picnic sites.
- Yes!
- Yes, it's social practice that is overly regulated and unnecessarily stigmatized. Excuse use or abuse should still be managed. Responsible and respectful use shouldn't be so stigmatized.
- Yes, to have options for those who want a drink
- No because it's not necessary to have the ability to consume it at a ork with families and children.
- No, may be more rowdy
- No, because it could be guaranteed that it wouldn't be safe for people.
- Yes, would spend more time in calgary parks
- NO
- Yes, because consuming one or two alcoholic beverages with a meal is normal for me and I would prefer not to be limited in what I can drink with my meal.
- No - there are. Plenty of other venues for drinking - parks should not be one of them
- Yes
- Yes, as we enjoy it with family and friends.
- yes, why not. everyone who has a drink does not act irresponsibly or cause damage. police can deal with the the abusers, while the rest of us can enjoy this
- Yes, I think it is a nice option to have a drink along with a picnic with friends/family.
- Yes Will have a little spot for our selves
- No. Give a inch people will take a mile.
- Yes so I can have a drink
- No. I'm an adult of alcoholic parent and dont need the psychological trigger.
- No, I don't need alcohol to enjoy a picnic.
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- NO
- No. I would be worried about site cleanliness and the behaviour of others in close proximity.
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- Yes. I am for this initiative. These laws are based on moral interpretation. PicNics are a great time to enjoy time with family and friends, with a meal and a drink. Foodies unite.
- No
- No
- Yes, I'd actually go to the park and use the facilities if I could book a spot that allowed liquor.
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- Yes. For the same reason mentioned above.
- No, we choose picnic sites that are child friendly and I don't have interest in exposing my family to the individuals that will take this too far of it becomes legal.
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- Probably not, would not like to be near abusive people. Perhaps if the city paid for full time policing of the affected areas
- Yes. Liquor goes well with BBQ, wine and cheese picnic
- Yes, as I enjoy a nice beverage in a scenic setting
- Yes.
- Yes because it's nice to have a beer with my meal
- no. surrounded by drunk people on adjoining sites.
- Yes because then it would be more fun
- 
- 
- Yes as liquor consumption is a huge part of my social gatherings
- yes, to enjoy a beer or glass of wine with a picnic or bbq
- No. See #4 above.
- Yes. Although I am not a heavy drinker, I do enjoy a beer in the sunshine.
- Yes. I often book social functions for my workplace. Staff enjoy being outside and enjoy having an adult beverage together. It would be great to be able to enjoy Calgary's parks for these functions
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- Yes.
- Yes I would, I don't drink but everyone else could drink and have a good time
- Fun
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- Yes. I enjoy a beer camping and similarly with a picnic.
- Yes.
- Yes, so I can invite friends and relatives who may want to responsibly enjoy a drink. It's not my place to police their appropriate drinking choices.
- yes, that way if someone wants liquor they can without worrying about fines
- No
- Yes
- No,
- Yes.
- Yes, because I would like to have the option to choose.
- Yes, because if a guest decides to bring liquor unannounced, they would no longer be a liability to potentially involve police, which may disrupt the gathering.
- Yes, I'm adult
- see above
- Doesn't matter
- 
- No. Is alcohol enhances your "park visit", perhaps one should investigate their life choice and reason for being at a city park.
- No I would not choose one allowing liquor consumption due to the unruliness, disorderly conduct and littering potential this would cause. I would be concerned about others DUI
- 
- 
- Absolutely, see response from #3
- Yes. Would appreciate the option to have an alcoholic beverage as part of a picnic/bbq.
- Yes. Because I'm a responsible adult and it's 2019.
- No. Losers would all be around getting drunk. Rowdy people.
- Yes
- 
- No. More liquor cans and bottles scattered around. Possibility of more inebriated drivers in the area
- The picnic site itself might be more important. ie, if finished rafting, I'd go to Edworthy Park; while there, it would be nice to be allowed alcohol. Or if a family gathering, it'd be a major park near my house, while there having alcohol would be nice
- I would book one that allows liquor because people in my circle of friends drink alcohol.
- No because all family gathering have kids I don't want my kids to exposed to unsafe environment because of drinking
- yes, I like to enjoy a few beverages on a sunny day with family and friends, especially when I am eating.

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- LNo.... I don't need that and prefer a park that doesn't bring those problems
- No
- Yes I enjoy a drink with a meal in the summer especially when out with friends
- Yes
- No...you can enjoy the parks without booze.
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- No.
- Yes, as it's likely I'll enjoy a beer while having a picnic!
- No, wouldn't want to risk being near rowdy group and have no need to consume alcohol in a park.
- Yes, because people having a beer doesn't bother me
- Yes if it's allowed.
- 
- Yes. It's nice to enjoy a glass of wine or beer with a meal. We can do it at campgrounds already so why not extend it to Parks?
- In most cases, yes.
- yes
- No one
- Yes
- Yes, because having a couple of glasses of wine with a picnic should be an option.
- I guess I would choose the one that allows liquor. I don't really book picnic sites so its hard to decide
- Given the option I would choose one 100% of the time. People already do drink in parks it's just more inconspicuous.
- No
- No....don't want my children to be exposed.
- Yes, so that I can enjoy liquor with friends and family while eating outside.
- No, it would encourage drinking from guests.
- Yes
- Yes, I would like the option to be able to bring a reasonable amount of alcohol. Big word is option.
- possibly
- Yes, I consume alcohol and it is nice to have the option to do so in a park environment
- Because ofno the above safety reasons.
- No
- Yes. I enjoy a cider in the park
- 
- Idk

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- I would choose one that allows alcohol assuming they are available at parks near me
- no i dont agree with liquor in public spaces.
- Yes. Because there is a social connection to enjoying a social drink with friends.
- No. It wouldn't matter.
- Yes. Because I am an adult and do not have to be regulated.
- Yes. I enjoy a beer in the sun!
- Yes, I would. Evening picnics, family gatherings, and celebrations lend themselves to safe alcohol consumption. This is already happening. The majority of Calgarians already practicing this would feel more comfortable knowing it is a legal activity.
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- No, not a priority
- no
- Yes, because I like to have a single beer or two and enjoy my freedom without having to be locked away in my yard.
- 
- Yes. Because I enjoy responsibly consuming alcoholic beverages.
- No - don't drink liquor
- No
- Yes, just for one casual drink, I would spend more times at parks for casual family gatherings. People will now be responsible for themselves when public drinking.
- Yes. Freedom to responsibly enjoy alcoholic beverages.
- 
- Yes. I appreciate being able to enjoy an alcoholic beverage while enjoying the outdoors/parks
- No, never.
- I've never booked a picnic site, but if it was close to my house and fit in my plans I would pick a spot with liquor consumption.
- Yes, why can't you have a drink in any park?
- Yes, same reason as above.
- No
- no liquor is not necessary at picnic sites
- No. Too many problem can arrise with drunk people at the sites
- No. I'd rather not be in an area where excessive alcohol consumption takes place - interferes with my right to enjoy the area.
- Maybe but I would want the option to not have alcohol at every event I host/ attend. Having the potential to drink means more events end up with that expectation. So even though I drink, I don't always wish to have drinking events.



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- no
- Yes - I love a glass of wine with lunch or sinner.
- If permitted then will check and i may avavoid bcos of mis behavior conduct
- No
- No. Not at all safe for kids and behavioural attitude
- Yes, because it is a social and/or relaxing activity for some.
- 
- Yes. As stated above.
- No
- Yes because I would prefer to have the option for me or my friends to consume liquor.
- No, I don't want to be around drunks
- no , bad behaviour and irresponsible drinking
- No
- No. I don't want to enjoy a family picnic beside a group abusing alcohol
- no do not support alcohol in parks.
- Would not hinder my choice.
- I would choose one that allows it bc I would be interested in being able to drink.
- No. Do not need liquor to have a good time. If you want to drink enjoy your or your friends backyard.
- Yes. Why not?
- I don't believe we should going down this slippery slope.
- Yes. I like a glass of wine with my sandwich
- no, ALL picnic sites should be available to all on a first come first serve (booking) and not reserved for those that may want to consume
- No. Same reason as above.
- Yes. It would make outing more enjoyable- like being in your back yard
- No. You Can have a picnic without alcohol. If you want to drink, do it at venue where alcohol is allowed.
- Yes, I like to have the option of having a drink during a picnic.
- No, I am totally against this idea. It could potentially lead to drinking/driving.
- Yes because having a glass of wine or a cold beer while enjoying a picnic outdoors is what we enjoy doing st home, or at a friends place, or on a patio. We are aware of all issues regarding drinking and driving, setting a good moral example to children.
- Yes. Especially in the summer it's nice to enjoy a beer or wine with a meal.
- No. Don't drink liquor
- Yes. Sure people that are over indulging with alcohol are doing so already. Increase park use for people that will behave responsible
- Yes as my friends and family enjoy a beverage with our meals and this would we favorable.

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- No, littering and lack of self control escalates
- Yes. It would make it less of a hassle to hide our booze
- No. Can u not have a picnic without alcohol?
- YES, I like to have a drink or two when socializing
- Yes, so we can enjoy a glass of wine or beer with a meal
- Yes
- no.....I don't drink
- No, I go to enjoy the parks, not rowdy drinkers
- No. There are lots of places where people can consume liquor. Most fights, stabbings, other crimes and domestic violence involve alcohol. Why do we need to be exposed to it everywhere.
- no, would avoid
- Certainly, food and wine/beer pair quite nicely.
- No as I don't want to be outside at a park with a bunch of alcohol around.
- No, I do not consider it in picnic site selection.
- Yes. My family enjoys a drink and the outdoors.
- yes, because sometimes the only way to survive a family picnic is to be able to have a drink or two.
- No
- No
- No, I don't like alcohol, and I don't like being around drunk people.
- No, I don't feel it is necessary
- Yes. People do it anyway so why not make it legal
- Yes. A picnic without wine is like a day without sunshine.
- Yes
- I have no interest in seeing grown [removed] adults acting like losers.
- Yes
- 
- Yes I would choose one which allows liquor consumption. This way, anyone in my party who would like to partake is able to but others don't have to. The majority of my friends & relatives (myself included) drink alcohol on a regular basis.
- Yes, so we could have the option of enjoying wine with our food.
- No.
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- No I see no need for it
- Likely not because I don't want to have my enjoyment being disrupted by those who over consume alcohol.
- No. Safety

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- Absolutely not.... I have no desire to be around potential drunken behavior. There are many other places people can consume alcohol.
- No, as liquor generally attracts disorderly behaviour and for a family place i would definitely not want that
- Yes, because I like to have a beer with my BBQ
- Yes, we typically have wine or beer with a lunch out.
- 100% allows me to enjoy the outdoors
- Yes. I think it would be a really fun thing to do with family friends rather than a bbq in someone's yard.
- Yes, in case someone wanted a drink.
- No, not best environment for young children. Unfortunately some old abuse this creating other problems. Who can't go for a few hours without an alcoholic beverage?
- No I don't believe it should be in the parks around kids.
- No
- Yes, Nice to have options, we're adults so allow us to act like it.
- yes, freedom to have a beer or glass of wine while having a picnic
- Yes. It's nice to be able to relax with a drink while outside in nature.
- Yes - even if we don't drink liquor the option is nice.
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- No. Too much risk added.
- Again, it is socially acceptable and not harmful to anyone like second hand smoke is.
- No, because i think we have plenty of places to enjoy liquor - try your backyard if you need to have liquor to enjoy a meal
- No because i like to enjoy peace and quiet not having to worry of someone is going to be disruptive causes from drinking
- Yes! Being able to enjoy a drink with a picnic would make it more appealing to have a picnic in the first place and use the public parks. Often, we stay home so that we can enjoy a beer with BBQ. Allowing liquor would open up new opportunities.
- Yes so we as adults have the freedom to have a drink or not
- Wouldn't make a difference. No need to drink on a picnic
- No
- Possibly. It'd be completely dependent on my reason for booking. A kids birthday party, no. A family event, yes.
- Yes so I can consume if I or any of my guests want to.
- No
- No
- Yes, because I would like to have a Corona with my picnic.

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- No not needed
- Yes. It would be nice to have a glass of wine or cocktail with my picnic.
- No. I can see people abusing the amount used
- Yes. Because sometimes I enjoy a cold beer when having a picnic or bbq. In fact, I would be much more likely to utilize the parks if thos became legal
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- Yes, because I would want to option to have take a nice bottle of wine to a picnic.
- Yes. I don't drink heavily but I think it's nice to be able to enjoy a beverage with your friends/family outdoors.
- I would not book as liquor consumption will definitely leaf to nasty situations and I don't want to expose m my kids or others kids to that environment.
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- Yes, enjoying a beer on a summer day has never been the sole purpose of being outdoors in the sun, but it adds to the relaxation and atmosphere.
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- Yes, me and my circle all drink.
- no. causes drunken behavior.
- No I have children
- Yes. If I want to have an adult beverage I should be entitled to. My taxes paid for the park.
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- No checked reasons above
- Yes- I should be able to be responsible for my choices. Nice to have the option if i want it. CALGARY should not be so restrictive and controlling and a downer. Support people to be adults and make choices.
- yes
- No, because of the above mentioned reasons
- no, liability to organizer
- No - it's not necessary to consume alcohol to enjoy the great outdoors
- no...don't need any distractions to disturb my peace and quiet.
- Yes that way if friends or family would like the option its available
- No. Why is liquor needed at an outdoor public site.
- 
- No. Don't want drunk people around me. Who will police this? How will you ensure only legal liquor consumption?
- No
- Yes, I would prefer to have liquor in the park with a event.

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- Yes. Who doesn't like a beer on a hot day?
- I would choose one that does not allow liquor and I would not want to be next to one that does allow it. Alcohol is not needed to enjoy the outdoors, but can make the company of people under the influence undesirable.
- Yes because when booking a site you are usually booking it for a gathering of sort so enjoying a beer or glass of wine goes hand in hand with celebrations
- Would not choose one that allows Liquor consumption.
- Yes, to enjoy a low cost way to socialize responsibly with adult friends
- No. I have nothing against liquor. If you allow it in public parks, there will definitely be people who will abuse it, and other park users face the consequences. It is impossible to enforce the situations which may arrive. Police do not have resources.
- Absolutely not. Liquor consumption shouldn't be allowed in a park.
- Yes
- Yes
- No
- No
- no - surely we are able to live without liquor for a pleasant afternoon in the park
- 
- No
- Yes, because my friend group loves to drink
- No, never due to concerns about my family safety
- 
- No, should be able to enjoy family time in the park without alcohol.
- Yes
- Not concerned.
- Yes
- No, as I don't believe people should be drinking when they are at parks
- 
- Yes. I will be either way
- 
- No, because of all dangers could be involved in those sites
- Yes because it just allows more flexibility
- Yes
- No I want a nice relaxed Picnic without a bunch of drunks
- Doesn't matter! Drinks will be had.
- NO, not safe
- Yes, if I wanted to go on a picnic and have liquor.

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- Depends on the purpose of the event and who is attending. If it is a kids' focussed event, no.
- Yes...has more freedom.. we may or may not bring alcohol but leaves the option open
- If the site did indeed require a booking/permit, then yes, I would select one where alcohol could be consumed as we understand moderation and designated drivers. We would plan ahead! No if the sites are 'drop in', alcohol allowed.
- Yes, it allows more flexibility, and enjoyment of the outdoors.
- No see above
- It's nice to have a drink outside
- No, I don't want my child in that kind of environment. I would feel unsafe
- No because it is more safety.
- Yes, because it is a great way to get friends together for a drink.
- Definitely. Helps keep people safer and drinking contained. We're all adults
- Yes, because I want the freedom to bring alcohol should I want to
- Does not allow
- No for reasons chosen above
- No - for the reasons I checked above.
- Yes! I love a little drink when I'm socializing with friends.
- No, it is not a safe area to stay
- No
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- 
- Not at all, for the reasons given in my statement in #2(other).
- yes, being able to celebrate in more places than ones backyard
- Nice weather and liquor makes for good times
- No
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a drink with a picnic meal.
- No I wouldn't. Don't want to have family with intoxicated people.
- Yes I would to give any attending friends or family the option to do so.
- No
- Yes
- Yes.
- It's also more pleasant
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- Yes because it is nice to have a beer while having a bbq with a group. Not yet drunk but a casual drink is nice.
- Yes.

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- Yes
- No - don't need liquor in the parks
- Yes because you could bring beers or ciders for a picnic
- I would choose one that allows liquor in the even some of my guests drink liquor.
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- No. I do consume liquor but disagree it being allowed in parks.
- NO. I would not like to be near anyone getting drunk, disorderly or noisy.
- Absolutely
- Yes!
- Yes!! I like to drink with my friends and how is it any different then drinking in your backyard
- No. I do not want to see or hear the antics associated with impaired people
- No
- Yes. Because I enjoy social drinking.
- Yes, for the flexibility/freedom
- Nope because there are younger kids around
- No, None, if I choose to go to a casino I choose non smoking because I'm concerned about my lungs. Similarly when I will choose park I'll choose non drinking one because I don't want to worry about my kids getting exposed to drunk people around.
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- No. It shouldn't be allowed.
- Yes. A lot of liquor consumption happens at public parks/picnic sites in Calgary as it is, so I don't think there would be much of a change.
- Yes
- No
- want to picnic in a Family Friendly spot
- Yes, because consuming a small amount of alcohol with a meal makes the meal more enjoyable
- yes - it's a part of our culture in Canada/a western developed country to consume alcohol- we do it at restaurants in close proximity so I don't see a risk to bad behaviour..
- Possibly it would depend on the group attending
- Yes
- No, of course.
- Yes. It's nice to have the option to have a drink or two in a social setting, celebration s, etc.
- Yes, I would because it gives us more freedom
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- Yes. I would like to have the option available if myself or anyone in my group would like to enjoy a beverage during a gathering.
- Yes especially for large groups

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- No. As boiking host I may be legaly responsible for attendees behaviour with respect to alcohol consumption
- No, calgarians cannot not be trusted to control themselves
- I definitely would. It's nice to be social with friends and family and be able to encourage a glass of wine or a beer. Especially while enjoying the beauty of our city.
- not applicable
- Yes, if enjoyed responsibly it's a great idea
- No. It's not an appropriate venue for alcohol consumption. There will be no staff to monitor or deal with people who drink too much. Families enjoying a picnic without liquor should not be inconvenienced by the behaviour of those who drink to excess..
- No. I honestly don't see any good reason for it. I do drink on occasion. I'm not against it, but I just don't see any good reason or any good coming out of it.
- Yes, so I don't get hassled by bylaw officers
- Yes because I enjoy the freedom to have the choice
- No
- No
- With certain groups of people, I would choose a site that allowed consumption.
- Yes. So anyone in my party can be free to drink the beverage of choice
- No. I would be there to enjoy peace and nature.
- Yes if I was having a casual friends or family bbq I would request liquor as it's nice to enjoy a drink in these types of settings. If it was a kids event I would book one without liquor.
- Yes. It allows the option for invited guests to bring alcohol for gatherings
- Yes, alcohol consumption seems to be a social and cultural norm when getting together or celebrating.
- Absolutely yes - I would be more likely to book a picnic site that permitted me to have a beer with my family as I prepared a BBQ dinner
- No, we have small children and would prefer very wholesome environment when going to parks
- 
- No. Don't want liquor near me or my family while trying to enjoy a picnic.
- No. Public liquor consumption would make me and my family not go to the parks
- Yes. Mostly of my friends drink and complain about the prohibition. Would be more fun drinking with responsibility.
- No absolutely not.
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- Yes primarily because I enjoy a glass of wine or beer with some meals, and with friends.
- No, because it is not important to our family or peers to need liquor to have a good time at the park.
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- Yes absolutely this way no one invited to our BBQ will have any concern of getting in trouble, regardless we always bring a few drinks if we are going to have a BBQ in a park.
- yes. It would entice a bigger turn out for events and get together
- 
- No, I won't feel it safe for my family
- Yes! Because I would be awesome to have a drink with my food.
- Yes, probably. If I'm booking an event then I'm likely doing so for a social event. Social events and alcohol go hand in hand.
- No, I want a safe place for kids and families .
- Yes so my friends can choose to have a drink or not to
- why not choose one where I don't have to feel like a criminal for 1 glass of liquor?
- No. See answers for #2
- No. Reasons indicated in item 2.
- No
- No,
- No for all of the previous indicated concerns
- Yes.
- No
- Absolutely not.
- Yes. We would enjoy consuming liquor legally.
- Yes I would because I believe the choice would be appreciated
- No
- Absolutely. Only. Because we drink it anyway in small quantities.
- Never
- No.
- 
- No
- No, I don't believe it should be allowed for the reasons I selected above
- Yes.
- Yes
- No... a picnic area is a family friendly area.. I think if alcohol were allowed it would truly change the demographic of family friendly areas... perhaps larger groups would book , include alcohol in the mix and it becomes intimidating to have a site near
- No
- Yes, an afternoon drink with food and friends sounds wonderful. And with all the great craft beer available in growlers it would be a great summer activity that supports our local economy.
- Yes, to enjoy a bottle of wine with my family.

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- Yes, more enjoyable outing with family and friends
- I would not choose a picnic site that allows liquor. I do not need to be around alcohol as I do not believe it improves my quality of life.
- No, I would want to feel safe while on picnic and not worry about any possible issues due to liquor consumption.
- No. My experience with drinkers in campsites is that many people don't know when to stop and they become quite unruly and destroy the enjoyment of those around them. The same would be true if drinking was allowed in public parks.
- No, rowdy behaviour would be more common
- Yes, if we wanted to consume alcohol with our meal.
- I would. That way if I want to have a drink, I have the ability to without feeling like a criminal.
- 
- Yes because it's nice to have a beer while you barbecue or have wine on a picnic.
- Yes
- NO SEE ABOVE.
- If I had to specify, yes. Or just pass a simple legalization bylaw and don't add a layer of bureaucracy on it with special sections, more signs, and a reservation system to manage
- Yes. My family drinks responsibly and enjoys a beer/wine with a picnic.
- No, it is not an appropriate family setting to see alcohol consumption in city picnic sites I would abhor to see it especially now the legalization of marijuana what is the city thinking???
- Yes, just for the freedom.
- No. Safety of me and family. All the reasons above mentioned.
- 
- no reason not to book one with liquor
- Yes, as it would allow my group to enjoy liquor, food, and the outdoors without only being allowed at a restaurant/patio
- 
- No, because I don't think it's appropriate to drink in public (especially with children around)
- Yes a nice social event
- No because it increases risk of worse behaviour
- Yes, additional enjoyment for me, my friends and family
- No
- Yes because my family and friends always enjoy a good wine, beer, or spirit when we are together. So to be able to have the opportunity to get together outdoors would be ideal.
- 
- Yes. Because we already drink liquor at picnic sites, but it would be nice to do it legally.
- No, concern for my children's safety

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- no...I don't want to be exposed to the behaviour that comes with drinking
- No. Liquor consumption can lead to disorderly manner on some people, can cause a fight.
- No
- Yes because having the benefit of drinking too is great for get togethers even if only a little for celebration
- 
- Yes because if I am going with friends that want to drink, then it doesn't limit my options.
- Yes
- Yes. Convenience
- Yes, because I drink liquor on most occasions.
- Yes
- 
- No
- Yes
- Yes, so we can have the option to drink if we want to.
- Never.
- No.
- no, I worry about people drinking to much and getting loud and out of control and interfering with my peaceful time.
- I will safer with the one that has no alcohol
- Yes, because everyone would want to share some liquor on this site
- Yes. I enjoy having an alcoholic drink with lunch/dinner outside in the summertime
- No we want to enjoy not to have problems
- No
- No, for safety
- No because I want a safe fun environment for my kids and family members.
- No.because of safety concerns
- No it gives an impression that when booking a site it can be considered a party
- 
- No because so many security issues will be coming up and it's totally bad
- No, Because the parks are to enjoy the nature and if someone is drinking there then it becomes a pub. We go there with our young children to show them the beautiful natural environment.
- We generally do not book sites
- NO, BECAUSE I WOULD NOT FIND IT FUN OR RELAXING TO BE THERE WITH PEOPLE CONSUMING ALCOHOL BEING LOUD AND MAKING A NUISANCE OF THEMSELVES
- Yes
- Yes!

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- No. Are more police going to be hired to enforce responsible behaviour?
- Depends on the location. If it was the same location, one with and one without, I would choose the one you can drink in
- Yes, so then drinking beverages aren't legally limited.
- No, for all the reasons I mentioned above.
- Yes. Because I like to have a drink.
- 
- No, respecting the nature is ever once responsibility
- Yes.
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer or to at outdoor outings
- No. Not a drinker
- Yes. I like beer.
- No... There are already many places where liquor/beer/wine can be legally consumed... no need to open green spaces for consumption, enough is enough.
- Yes and no. Yes - if there r designated picnic spots reaervable and bunched together so that everyone around is also consuming; no - sometimes am not upto putting up with loud and disorderly behaviour around me and want to have some quiet and peace
- Yes! Would love to have a beer at my picnic
- Yes
- No
- Yes as it's an enjoyable activity with friends and family.
- Yes because a beer on a hot day with a picnic sounds like a perfect day.
- Yes I would love to go on picnic dates more often the reason I dont is a picnic date just seems like it has something missing without a nice bottle of bubbles
- No because it's a nuisance
- No. Becuase.
- No picnic sites should be family places and I see no reason to share a family picnic with drunks
- Yes, people drink everywhere anyway. Won't make difference
- no parks are public spaces and should not allow drinking
- 
- Yes, because it allows for range of opportunities.
- Yes, because it gives me the option to consume liquor or not.
- No.
- Depending on what the event is, I would book a park with liquor consumption.
- No
- Maybe, depending on if it is a special event or not.
- Yes, add to the celebrations. Don't have to hide

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- Yes, because I feel very comfortable with liquor consumption around me in relaxing situations like this one and would like others to enjoy, too. Working in the service industry I'm very comfortable with liquor and the surrounding culture.
- No, drinking should not be allowed at any picnic site.
- No - don't want to be exposed to bad behaviour as there will be no limit on how much people consume.
- Absolutely. I've spent enough time in Europe where liquor is allowed in parks and it gets rid of the stigma behind alcohol.
- 
- Yes if planning to drink
- No as I don't drink
- No
- no - See above
- Yes, if it's a great day there is nothing wrong with kicking back with ONE beer or beverage
- Yes, just because we like to have a drink with a meal.
- Yes. If someone wants to drink, they should be able to do what they want to do. There is a big distinction that should be made between public consumption and public intoxication.
- Yes, I think it would be a great way to enjoy our beautiful parks while having a BBQ.
- Yes. I might want a cold beer with a bbq or a glass of wine on a romantic afternoon
- no i would avoid ones that allow liquor
- yes, quality of life is increased with appropriate and responsible pairing with food.
- no, it would be drinking and driving
- I would not. My child is less likely to step on broken glass or see people behaving like idiots.
- Hell no! Because it's wrong and kids shouldn't be exposed to that
- No.
- No. There are enough drunken idiots in the city. I don't need to see them at the park.
- No. I do t want my family to be surrounded by drunk people
- 
- Yes
- Yes, just to enjoy a beverage while eating
- Yes because it's nice to have the option
- No. I do not drink in public areas that are not licensed premises.
- No because I wouldn't want to be around drunk and disorderly behaviour.
- Yes. To allow any and all guests of the bbq to choose how they wish to socialize and enjoy the event.
- No. I dont' need to have alcoholic beverage to have an outing.
- No why put my family at risk for drunk and out of control individuals

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- no
- See above please
- NO
- No, I dont need the hassle of the people that WILL use this in excess and cause more need for resources to manage this and enforce it, what a waste of my money
- Yes, why not?
- yes, because its nice to have a beer at the park
- No . Does not like drunks and disorderly behaviour
- No
- Yes
- Yes, because that would be my choice, and I would like to have a beer.
- yes, it is nice to be able to picnic with large groups and be able to have a drink
- No
- yes, no concerns
- Yes
- No, its not safe at all
- No, do not want this kind of exposure made open to the public.
- Probably not as I dont drink alcohol
- No, there is no need to have liquor in a park. If people could be trusted to behave that would be one thing but they can't.
- 
- Depends on the event. But most likely yes.
- None.
- Yes.
- Yes
- Again no liquor unless Canabiss is allowed
- No. So many people no longer take responsibility for their actions and if they have liquor this may escalate.
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- No. Can enjoy outdoors without alcohol. Some people would drink too much alcohol and ruin the experience for everyone.
- No. Park not a place for liquor consumption. Give your head a shake. This is a ridiculous idea. Don't want my grandson exposed to drunken fools in our parks
- Maybe. Depending on event purpose
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- No...too many risks, Bowness Park for instance. Canoes are rented, should people pass a breathalyzer

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- No. I want to enjoy the park and not have to worry about abhorrent drunken behavior around my child and it ruins my and his time.
- No - I would find somewhere else to go. There are lots of places to drink so why wreck the park areas with it?!!
- Yes, opens the opportunity to celebrations and a cold beer in nature when I don't have the ability to get out of the city to my trailer
- No
- Choice would be based on location and not whether or not liquor is allowed.
- Yes
- If approved, no for above reasons
- No. I do not go to parks to drink. I go to a bar for that.
- I don't drink but I have no problem having a picnic in a park liquor consumption area.
- Yes. Canadian adults are responsible, much like our European counterparts
- Yes...get city hall out of my private life
- No. I do not partake in alcohol and choose not to go where they are served often. Allowing alcohol in parks would mean I have no choice if I wish to use that park.
- No. I have seen too much alcohol abuse.
- Yes - responsible adults should be allowed to consume. Especially if it's a social event. Would be nice to have a bottle of wine to accompany food.
- No as I don't think we need to have alcohol at these kind of family functions.
- Yes
- I don't know anyone who books picnic sites. I want to go to a public park or pathway with a beer.
- Yes, if I am planning to have a drink with my family and friends over a meal.
- No
- Of course yes . Just gives you an option to have a glass of wine or a beer
- No! I don't believe that liquor should be carried to or be consumed in a park.
- Yes, all picnic sites should allow alcohol consumption
- No, I'm tired of tolerating people who have bad behaviour and is rude just because they are under drugs or alcohol influence
- No. Worried about who would drive home.
- Not necessarily,
- Yes, if there was a party or get together so adults could enjoy a beverage.
- Yes, that way I can plan to enjoy a few beers while out. If you can legally drink on a restaurant patio, why not a park?
- No never
- No
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- No. No interest in being anywhere near people consuming alcohol.
- No , not the place for it
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- No liquor not necessary
- No. It would likely be close to another site with rowdy users.
- NO, we do not need to promote more drinking and driving
- No
- No - don't want to be near any drunks spoiling my picnic
- no
- No
- Yes, it is peoples choice to drink the city should not choose for them
- No
- No - I go for enjoyment - not to see and hear potential intoxicated individuals
- 
- Yes
- One that does not I am there to enjoy nature and the outdoors not to drink something that is proven toxic to our bodies does not make sense get in car then be stopped chance of lossing licence for drinking and driving pls let's really think about it all..
- No.what is the need to consume.parks are to have good family time especially for kids and fresh air.cycling,jogging lots of fun stuff.If permit is given to drink need extra police force to control them bcoz not everyone have drinks will control them selfs
- No
- 
- NA. After living in Calgary for more than 30 years I have never ever booked a picnic site.
- No its not required
- No don't want my children to witness demeaning and behaviour of drunk people.
- Yes
- Yes, but I didn't know you had to book anything as it is now.
- No
- No- we have worked hard to finally get a generation that are not drug addicts or alcoholics. Why would I encourage this?
- No - because of the concerns above previously mentioned
- Yes, to have the option to do what I want as a free citizen.
- No. I don't want to have to deal with abusers, and there will be abusers.
- If I am booking to enjoy a picnic I would only book a table that allows liquor
- Yes. Our family and friends enjoy going to the parks for picnics and would enjoy having a beer or wine with the picnic/weiner roast



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- It would be dependent on the event and the guests.
- No, I don't drink, 7 years dry
- NO
- No. picnic site is for picnic if they drink who are going to take care them.
- No. Chances of unruly behaviour or misconduct is high
- Yes, because I like to drink and it's time that the stigma around drinking was dispensed with.
- Yes
- Yes, because if I have a backyard BBQ I serve and/or consume alcoholic beverages - it seems silly to me to change that behaviour just because I'm not in the confines of a fence.
- NO BECAUSE I DON'T THINK YOU HAVE TO DRINK AT A PICNIC
- No, that the place to consume liquor
- Definitely not. There are places for liquor and parks are not one of them.
- No
- No Less disturbing
- Yes. It provides enhanced socialization for adults at all age events such as picnics or birthday parties
- No, should be all available
- Yes, it would be nice to enjoy a glass of wine or beer within our beautiful parks.
- Yes, I have many friends who enjoy having a drink with a meal.
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- Yes as it's nice to socialise with friends with a drink.
- No
- no
- Yes, just nice to have a glass of wine or cider with a picnic...
- It would not be a major factor in me choosing a picnic site but would be a nice benefit.
- Yes,because I like a glass of wine with my food
- No, there is no reason to have alcohol out in the public. I believe it changes people and there will be children.
- Yes, so I can enjoy wine or beer with my meal.
- No. If the function includes children I would be concerned. Again, the discomfort of possible interaction with inebriated individuals.
- No because of all the reasons listed above in question 2
- Should not allow publically drinking at all. This idea is European but this is north America and it should not be copied and pasted here. Carra's rating is unknown and he should sit tight as he doesn't exist.
- No.

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- No
- Yes, so adults can enjoy a glass of alcohol
- No! Do not want to deal with other people's behaviour after drinking
- No. liquor consumption is already a big enough problem and allowing it is not setting a good example for children or adults. I wouldn't want to be at a park with slobbering drunks.
- Yes. More freedom to enjoy a drink.
- Yes, as I believe that social consumption of alcohol is a positive thing. Limiting its consumption in municipal parks stigmatizes social drinking, forcing those who choose to have a beer at a picnic site to do something illegal
- No as I don't believe it should be allowed
- Not a chance. Wouldn't want to be around others that may or may not follow the rules
- No don't need to drink in parks
- yes, as I would enjoy having a picnic that involved being able to consume a beverage. We live in a freezing cold climate for the majority of our year, at least take advantage of the few months of heat, and allow citizens to get outside.
- Yes I would. I like to have the option at least.
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- Yes. Opens the option up.
- Yes, because it allows more freedom.
- No I would not book a liquor site. As picnics are for family environments and there is not place for inebriated persons for children to have to deal with.
- 
- No people don't need more reasons to drink. You don't need substances to enjoy your time.
- No because I do not support this. I do drink alcohol but I do not drink and drive and I feel this will increase the amount of people on the roads who have been drinking.
- Yes. My sister & I love a good get together & we could have a lot of fun with Halloween, Canada Day & Sports celebrations!
- Yes, because I would like to enjoy a responsible drink while in the park.
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- Yes, as it provides flexibility
- 
- One that did not as I would not want to be next to rowdy individuals
- No
- Yes, because I would like to have the option to drink if I wanted to.
- Yes, it's my concern
- No . If liquor be allowed in parks this means kids will be allowed to go to Bars ???

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- Yes, it would be nice to have a bottle of beer or a bottle of wine with a picnic
- No. Don't have need to drink everywhere.
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- Yes of course it is summer! why not a cold beer and burger, nothing else goes with that combination other than friends and family!
- Yes-to have the option to enjoy a beverage responsibly
- Yes- for an adult function.
- Yes, a few casual drinks with friends are enjoyable on a nice summer day
- Yes because I like to drink wine at picnics
- Yes, I would like to share wine or beer with a meal.
- no
- No
- No, liquor is the reason I do not go to flames and stampedes game
- No I would stay away
- Absolutely. As a responsible adult, i feel like it is appropriate that i should be allowed to consume alcoholic beverages with friends in a responsible manner
- Yes, because I think you should be able to enjoy an alcoholic drink on a Saturday afternoon with your family or friends.
- Depends on the occasion.
- No, safety concerns
- No, because we're not all adults here
- No
- NO!!! and won't go to any that do, have to put up with stupid drunken conduct.
- Yes - why not. Our children are all grown and this gives a free option to sit around and have a quiet drink.
- Yes,because liquor is allowed.
- No. I do not want kids to be surrounded by drunk people with all hazards and risks as in question 2
- No as I do not want my kids to see ppl in that condition publicly
- Yes only
- no - I don't believe liquor consumption should be encouraged - especially in parks- what a bad idea!
- No
- Yes, and I would probably do it more often. I enjoy one or two drinks with my picnic. It's part of my culture and social lifestyle
- Yes. It is good to have the option.
- 
- Doesn't matter
- Yes, so my family and I could unwind together.

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- Yes I would only book at one that allowed consumption.
- Yes. Without doubt
- No, that's what bars are for!
- absolutely, more friends would be included to go rather than staying home in their backyards
- Yes
- Yes.
- Depends on the event. If lots of kids, probably no, just to keep things easy.
- Probably not. We are not drinkers.
- No kids should not see this as something normal and accepted
- No, the site is more likely to have been abused and left in a poor condition
- No
- Absolutely not!! Too many irresponsible people. Enforcement would take full time police presence. They have better things to do..
- I would not book to be able to consume alcohol
- Yes
- No. I think of all the dangers what might come.
- I would choose one that doesn't allow liquor. A picnic is not a dinner party.
- Will never book a picnic site that allows drinking. The alcohol amount consumed can't be controlled. And some people have no (or very little) self control after alcohol consumption. I like the way our city and parks are. Please don't change it. Thank you!
- No
- No. I don't want my kids to be exposed to such environments
- No, we don't need to consume alcohol to have an enjoyable experience
- Yes i drink to enjoy not to get drunk
- Yes. I like to have a drink outside on a nice day.
- No, because you can see the results of drinking in picnic areas outside the city. It usually gets out of hand with lots of destruction.
- No
- Yes
- No. I would not want to expose myself and my family to the potential hazards that alcohol will bring (disorderly conduct, personal and environmental damage)
- No because I don't want to deal with any stains or residual scents.
- Yes, it makes no difference to me.
- No, there is a big possibility of disrespect to others when they are under influence of alcohol
- Yes, as it increases the flexibility for a group event.
- Yes, those would be the only sites I would book
- No

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- No - possible loitering around
- Yes if i was to book one
- Yes for the reasons in 3 above.
- When I'm outside I enjoy having an alcoholic beverage
- No. It is wrong from all sides
- Yes
- No . For the reasons check off above.
- Yes More fun
- No, people can be obnoxious enough already. I can't imagine having liquor in parks where families go.
- Yes because I would like to enjoy a drink with my picnic
- Yes Because a beer or a glass of wine with a meal is nice.
- Yes, more freedom to enjoy the park how me and others want to.
- 
- No. I prefer not to be around others who consume liquor. Too much risk related to the above concerns related to question 2. Also, who is going to enforce the rules? I don't believe that the City has enough resources to deal with the potential disorder.
- Yes - if i'm booking a site it is for a group Andrew likely a celebration so would like my guest to be able to enjoy a beer or wine,
- Yes I'm an adult and I enjoy light drinking
- Yes. So that I can enjoy a drink with my family.
- No. I do not want a bunch of loud drunks wrecking my picnic. Also if alcohol is allowed in the area so is marijuana and I do not want to have to deal with that smell and toxicity. Who ever sits in one place when drinking.
- Yes! Someone in my party would probably want a beer or a glass of wine! Remove the stigma! My wife & I spent 3 weeks in New Orleans and we were so impressed with everyone's responsible behavior and attitude!
- Yes!! I like to have a drink or two with friends while enjoying our city parks
- 
- Absolutely not! This is the worst idea I've ever heard city council come up with!
- Yes. Im an adult and respectful of the environment. What i choose to consume while picnicking shouldnt be relevant
- No
- yes
- Yes
- Did not know you had to book them. Yes. As part of a picnic meal. Wine goes with roast chicken.
- Yes.i enjoy a glass of wine as do most of my friends

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- Yes, options are key!
- Yes, though I don't believe liquor should be limited to picnic sites
- Yes, it is enjoyable to enjoy a drink while eating and visiting with friends
- Yes, we like to enjoy a beer or two on picnics
- YEs. However I would never "book" a picnic site - I would go to a park and find an empty space. This whole business of having to pre-arrange the use of public spaces is foreign to me- therefore I opt out.
- Yes. Having a couple drinks is part of our socializing
- Yes, I'd enjoy sharing a meal with friends under trees or stars
- 
- No! There are places to drink beer, a bar which allows only adults, children run around at parks, there are so many possibilities of what drunk people can do to children
- No. I don't want to be around locations allowing drinking due to the potential negative situations related to it. Don't even want to be at a non-alcohol table/location next to a picnic site that allows it.
- Yes
- Yes, it's nice to have the option to have a drink or glass of wine legally.
- Would not matter to me.
- Depending on the function and who is attending. Yes for ones where only adults will be attending and everyone can be trusted to be responsible and no for ones hosted with minor such as church events etc, or where irresponsible adults will be attending.
- No, first I don't want to expose my kids to such thing as normal, the second I believe now we start with alcohol tomorrow marijuana, and the most important thing every homeless and bum will be at those parks and picnic areas
- Yes. Because it allows liquor consumption. (obviously)
- Yes. Who doesn't like a cold beer on a warm summer day. The concern that kids see people drinking seems like a joke to me. I'm a father of two and we drink wine with dinner every days, my kids are not going to become alcoholics.
- No- do we need to encourage our children to drink?
- Yes
- No. Who is going to enforce any existing park rules or prohibitions? The Police are already busy enough.
- Yes. It would give the full experience of enjoying the outdoors without feeling restrictions.
- Yes
- No. Because then someone has to DD or call an Uber to get home. Calgary is home to so many bars and breweries with patios that serve as an outdoor space to drink. As a young adult, I think our parks should be kept family friendly and liquor free.
- I would not want to be near any such sites, you are guaranteed there will be drunken behavior.

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- Yes, because there is nothing wrong with drinking responsibly
- yes, it is popular for socializing and will attract more friends
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- No, respect for the other
- no, i dont think it is neccessary to have fun. And I don't want to worry about other people when they are drinking.
- Yes, because I enjoy liquor with my meal.
- Yes, so that I could drink alcohol in moderation with friends in a social setting
- Yes I would as I enjoy an alcoholic bevie as part of my family picnic experience
- No
- 
- Yes, I enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my picnic.
- Yes.
- No, liquor should not be allowed in parks
- Yes of course. Just because liquor is allowed doesnt mean public drunkenness is acceptable
- 
- Yes, more flexibility to have drinks or not, individuals can still choose to bring alcohol or not.
- 
- No. Dont feel safe with liquor around .
- No, I would not as I would not want to spend my time around people drinking because I find intoxicated people obnoxious and it would ruin my time.
- 
- Depends on the situation.
- No. One should be able to enjoy a day in the park without the need for drinking everywhere one goes. No matter how it is allowed, people will abuse it making others feel uncomfortable which could lead to declining use of the parks
- Yes, because responsible drinking with a bbq amongst friends is nice. It is not mandatory But if I would like to have a drink I would not be violating laws
- Yes, just incase someone wants to have a drink
- Yes. Probably make for a fun day at the park
- No. I disagree with allowing liquor in public places.
- Yes
- No as it is disturbing
- 
- Yes I would. It is nice to have the option.
- 
- No

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- Yes, because I will love to enjoy a beer on a sunny day with my friends
- Yes. As unfortunate as it is, liquor is a normalized part of our culture. I don't feel you should be able to say where people can't do it. Let's mention how people are already doing it also.
- Yes social
- Yes
- Yes, I enjoy liquor when eating and socializing.
- Yes
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- Yes, it would be nice to hold large family bbq's and enjoying the parks more
- No. For the same reason I don't enjoy camping at liquored parks: the freedom is abused and enforcement, while promised, is non-existent.
- Yes because I want wine or beer with my picnic.
- Maybe, depends on the event.
- currently...As it stands I personally drink beer EVERY TIME I go to a park and I don't see how a permit would change that. as per the police I transfer my beer into a travel mug. Officer Basso had disposable coffee cups in his cruiser for us one day.
- Yes, because it'll will be a free and better time with friends
- No it's not necessary in public
- No,because of safety.
- No
- 
- No
- No I would not choose one thta allows liquor because of the above checked boxes.
- No. I would not want to be around that.
- No. I'm afraid of other people being drunk around my kids.
- no reasons stated above
- If Liquor consumption is going to permissible at picnic/public place, I will never go to that place. But I will enjoy time with my friends & family in backyard.
- Depends on the event. For an event that includes children, I would choose one that does not allow liquor.
- Yes. I'm an adult. I'm responsible. Sipping on a cold refreshing (alcoholic) beverage is just simply wonderful on a hot day.
- No
- Yes. My choice to enjoy a glass of wine, or conversely to enjoy the park and not have a glass of wine
- yes. dont want to restrict people unnecessarily
- No because Shouldn't be on open place



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- Yes. Because then I won't get in trouble for doing it
- Yes, I would like the option to enjoy liquor responsibly with friends and family.
- No- there lots of other places to drink and it will not be enforced
- No, I want to be able to go to some places where drunks will not be present
- No
- Yes! I fully promote having open liquor in parks. I believe it will lead to more outdoor events in Calgary as well.
- No ... picnics do no need liquor to be a picnic ... if it is party then you may require liquor ...
- no you don't need to drink to enjoy a park.
- Would make no difference.
- Yes
- Yes. Because it is a right and a privilege as a responsible adult.
- No
- Social drinking is part of most of my get togethers.
- Yes
- Yes
- 
- I ll try for no consumption of liquor . Already mentioned the reasons.
- Yes
- Yes. To have the option to drink or not if I want to.
- yes
- No. No interest whatsoever. I don't need booze to have a good time outside in a park. If people want to drink outside on a warm day, go to an outdoor patio at a pub or restaurant.
- No
- Yes
- Yes. I would love to host an open air pot-luck with friends a couple of our city's finest micro-brews.
- Tiered picnic sites are neoliberal crock
- Yes it makes a BBQ more complete!
- Same as answer 3.
- Yes, able to enjoy a drink with family and would encourage us to get out more to relax with our family. Many people are already doing this discreetly.
- No
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- It would make no difference to me which site I chose.
- Yes, would prefer to consume liquor.
- This question that is slanted to achieve a desired outcome. I would not book a site that allows liquor because of drunk and disorderly idiots being at the adjacent site

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- Yes
- No. Because I wouldn't want to be with my family out and have a group of people getting drunk beside me. If I did want my family exposed to this I would take them to the bar
- Yes, for the same reasons as above. I enjoy wine and food together and it enhances our opportunities to enjoy our beautiful parks.
- Yes. I don't foresee any issues with the majority of people and enforcement and by-laws already exist to deal with loud or anti-social behaviour.
- Yes, because all my hosted events include liquor consumption
- Yes and allow the users the choice.
- Yes - again if people consume to the point of impairment then they risk the consequences
- Yes, because most people like to have a drink when they are eating.
- No because of safety concerns
- 
- Increase in disorderly behavior may occur
- No, because there might be an increase in noise and possibility of a fight. And I also wouldn't want my kids around that
- Depending on the group I was going with, yes or no. It does not matter to me personally
- No I don't want to be around people that have been drinking.
- No. It's not the place to consume alcohol
- Yes
- No, Bars are enough for liquor consumption
- NO WAY, I don't want my kids to be in such an environment
- no because I don't want my kids or us exposed to potential disorderly behavior
- No it is bad
- Yes because it is more relaxing and a great way to spend time with friends and family while being outdoors
- No because I would not like my children to see the impact of liquor on some people if they start to behave violently!!
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- No! It is not safe!
- Yes
- I would choose one that would not allow liquor as stated above.
- NO
- No, I would not want my family near intoxicated people.

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- No I will not choose that allows liquor
- Yes because it would be nice to have a beer or two with the group
- Absolutely I would. It would be nice to have a beer or a glass of wine at a picnic.
- Yes. I like to be able to enjoy a social drink when the weather is nice
- no, drinking is best at home
- No. I don't drink and don't think it is necessary to enjoy ones self.
- Yes, because drinking a beverage or two is enjoyable and I don't want to head indoors to do so.
- No
- No. I prefer to keep myself away from potentially harmful situations.
- No. It's harmful
- No
- Yes. I'd enjoy a beer or glass of wine at a family bbq or picnic.
- yes
- 
- No. There would be broken beer bottles around it, cigarettes, and other [removed].
- Yes. To have drink during a friendly gathering
- 
- Yes, because it becomes more of a relaxed and enjoyable environment.
- 
- I would not choose a site because I do not go on a picnic to drink liquor.
- Yes, we like to enjoy a beer or glass of wine with family.
- Definitely. I enjoy having a cold drink during summer.
- None as I wouldn't want to be around people who get loud and obnoxious.
- Absolutely yes. Beacause I enjoy having a drink with meals.
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- Yes, it would be nice to have the option to have a wine or beer when planning a picnic.
- Yes - so my family and friends can have a drink while relaxing and playing in the park.
- Noooo,I have kids.
- Yes
- Yes because it is nice to have option
- No
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- No
- Yes. I love the idea of being able to responsibly enjoy some cold alcoholic beverages with a picnic, as someone who does not have a yard. It would be a great social outing in the summer.

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- No it should be allowed anywhere with food (rules already prevent public intoxication, who cares if it's at a site or not)
- Yes, so that is someone chooses to drink responsibly, they can
- Yes - another option
- Yes. It's nice to have a beer at a summer BBQ.
- Yes. I think it gives people more options. If of legal age i think they should be aloud to have a beer at a barbecue.
- Yes because I'm not limited to options
- No. public places are for everyone, alcohol should be consumed at home or bar etc but not in public places.
- Yes, always. I feel it would allow my groups to spend more time in Calgary parks
- No, I wouldn't support a program like this, just the same as smoking tabacco or Cannabis
- It really does not matter to me I just don't want to worry about broken glass
- Alcohol consumption affects people in different ways and this is going to create a lot of problems in danger out in a public area. For sure I would have to choose a spot with no alcohol consumption so I can keep myself safe and my family.
- Yes. So we have the option if we'd like it.
- If I am the organizer and say BYOB then I have to ensure that those who drink don't drive. I don't have to but if something happens it will not sit right with me. I rather not deal with the "what if's".
- Yes
- No. Picnic sites are for families and children exposure to liquor is not good.
- 
- Yes - we like to have a drink on a summer day at the park
- No I won't choose as I won't feel safe to share my leisure time at risk with drunkards
- Yes. The freedom to enjoy something responsibly as an adult.
- Yes, so that I could consume liquor.
- Liquor, i believe most of the people are responsible adult
- No, should not need to drink just to go and have a picnic. Leads to bottles and cans etc being left behind
- Yes, my friends and I drink responsibly and recreationally.
- 
- No, because my family and friends do not drink alcohol. Most people that do surely can wait until they are home.
- Yes
- No, to much responsibility
- Yes, it would be good to have the option.
- Yes. Because picnics/bbqs/social gatherings often go hand in hand with consumption.

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- A bottle of wine next to the bow with some nice cheese would be fun in the summer.
- Yes. Because as an occasional drinker it would be nice to enjoy a respectable amount of liquor while enjoying the outdoors.
- No, as there have been countless incidents that involve misuse of alcohol, this opportunity allows the dangers of it more publicly accessible to children, seniors, etc.
- No, I don't want to be around a bunch of drunks.
- Yes, and I hope that this can be expanded eventually. I have spent much time in Europe and Asia and envy their culture and laws around public consumption of alcohol.
- No. See question number 2.
- 
- Yes, on those occasions when this would be a welcome option.
- Yes, because people like to have a glass of wine with dinner.
- I would preferentially choose one that allowed liquor.
- Yes. We only go to friends backyards, as we can relax, kickback and have 1-2 drinks with friends. It would be nice to have this option in a bigger variety of places.
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- Yes
- No, it's a public area. Alcohol is a drug and shouldn't be consumed in public.
- Yes, because safe, responsible use is something I would partake in
- No. I drink liquor, but I believe there is a time and place for it. If I go to a park with my family I don't want to have to deal with them being exposed to the issues that come along drinking.
- Depends on which side of the family I'm with. For religious reasons
- no
- 
- No its against my beleives
- No, because I don't want my child to be exposed to alcohol in any way.
- Yes. I like having the freedom of consuming liquor
- Yes. I would enjoy having a beer or glass of wine with lunch on a nice summer day.
- Yes, because that is a part of my social life and it would be nice to enjoy alcohol recreationally while also enjoying spaces that Calgary has to offer
- No - it will create millions of problems and enforcements
- I would be fine with it, unless the particular site developed a reputation for excessive and irresponsible behaviour by some patrons.
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- No, the smell, the way people act, it is no longer family orientated

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- No, we use picnic areas for family picnics and church gatherings and it is too easy for people to go over their limits and things are said and done that are inappropriate for children to hear when inhibitions are lowered
- Absolutely not. It's against my beliefs and its harmful to our children
- Yes, allows more options to take celebrations and special events outside
- Liquor. Would enjoy hosting birthday parties, other events.
- Yes because it nice to be able to enjoy a drink with lunch and relax
- No. Where there is alcohol there is always some problems waiting to happen
- Absolutely. I think we would use the parks even more than we do now. It would be great to bike to a picnic site with my family and have a glass of wine with dinner.
- No, I don't feel comfortable for my kids seeing alcohol consumption and drink people
- Yes, for the reasons listed above.
- Yes, because it would encourage social interaction with my friends and family outdoors.
- 
- Yes! I'd prefer to have a picnic where we could enjoy a beer if we wanted.
- No. I don't want to be responsible for a member of my party having too much to drink then driving home.
- Maybe
- No, I don't want alcohol in picnic sites
- 
- I would prefer to keep picnic areas family-oriented, so no.
- No, I will be avoiding headache and drunk people
- 
- If I was with folks who would like to drink, I don't drink myself.
- It should just be "yes" in public parks...in all public parks. I live near the river and might want to be spontaneous...enjoy a cold drink on a hot summers night
- No
- Yes, we like to have the freedom to have a drink with our family
- No, no benefit
- Yes I would. Because with reasonable consumption, and a hot day, having a few beers with friends or a glass of wine with your significant other is a great way to wind down at the end of the day/week
- No
- No, for my kids safety
- 
- Yes. Would love to enjoy a glass of wine with a picnic
- Yes, for reasons in question 3.
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- No. For all the reasons given above
- No I disagree with drinking in public places surrounded by children
- Very much yes!
- No never, you risk being subjected to loud and disorderly drunken behaviour.
- 
- Yes because being over the legal age you should be allowed to have a drink with your friends in the outdoors that's not just on a patio.
- No
- 
- No. A family get together does not need liquor to be enjoyed.
- No. See above
- No, because the answer given on question 2.
- No. There's no need to include alcohol with everything. Will you start allowing cannabis then? Slippery slope.
- Since I do not think this is a good idea (allowing liquor at picnic sites) it would not matter to me if the site allowed it as my party and I would not consume any liquor while at the site.
- No
- 
- No
- Yes, to enjoy a cold beer with my BBQ
- Yes. There is nothing wrong with having a couple of beers or a glass of wine with your picnic lunch
- No I don't want my children to watch people drinking liquor
- Yes. Because let's face it, alcohol is a staple of picnics and barbeques for many people
- Yes. Because most restaurants don't allow children if there is alcohol which limits them to gathering in friends homes and backyards which can disturb neighbours or be disruptive.
- No I will NOT choose the one that allows liquor
- No, i will stay away from the one that allows for the concerns specified above
- Yes, because drinking in an establishment vs drinking in a park is no different and we should be able to enjoy delicious beverages while enjoying the outdoors. It's not fair that we are required to go to a patio where food is expensive in order to drink.
- No! I do not like the poor behaviour that often goes along with alcohol consumption.
- Yes. So we can enjoy a beer with our picnic dinner
- 
- Yes! It would be nice to enjoy an alcoholic beverage if we so desire.
- No
- Yes
- No I am disagree to be the liquor allow at park

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- Yes I would because I think it would be a good option to have
- no. not appropriate to expose children teens to this type of abuse outdoors
- Yes. Many countries around the world allow one to drink in a picnic area, why shouldn't we be allowed too?
- Yes. A cold beer at a gorgeous park on a hot day is bliss
- No
- Do not want to be bothered by drunks. Who is monitoring the drinkers? Increased security required. If similar to enforcement of people breaking the law speeding on bikes, nothing will happen to the offenders.
- No, we are out for free air and quiet. Drinkers always get loud and other things happen as a result. Kids are there for heaven's sake and language is often an issue.
- No
- No I would not choose a site that allows liquor consumption. I want to go to a place that is safe for me and my family and free of trouble.
- No
- All should be the same, drink or don't. Pretty simple, really. I'll keep my business on my side and you can keep your eyes on your own fries.
- Yes, it would be great to host a gathering in a city park, but the alcohol restrictions currently, makes rentable community halls (while pricey) a more logical choice.
- Yes, for the social aspect.
- No
- Yes, because I would be booking for an event such as a birthday, or anniversary. It's always nice to be able to have a glass of wine or beer for an event.
- Yes- I will like to have a glass of wine with my food
- No
- No
- Yes. Because socializing is better with liquor.
- 
- Yes. I am completely against the current restrictions on alcohol consumption as is. This would actually make me use picnic areas, whereas right now, I avoid it because of the restriction. It is easier to stay home and have fun with friends right now.
- Yes, because it's nice to have wine with a picnic
- No.. i would not prefer to drink liquor in public area with child and in front of other people
- No.never
- Yes, it makes it more enjoyable than a soda
- If it is one that allows liquor it would not influence my decision to use that site
- No, because I won't expose my kids to that kind of environment



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- Yes, I should be able to drink wherever I please, so long as I'm not hurting anyone in the process
- No lots of problems
- No
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- No. For reasons on 2 above
- 
- Yes, in case friends want to bring drinks.
- Yes
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine with my meal..
- No liquor to keep me and my family safe.
- Yes as most adult social gatherings involve consumption of alcohol.
- Yes because that gives more options for an enjoyable gathering.
- No don't want me or children to be exposed to this
- Yes, would be nice to do it legally.
- Yes, because in gatherings people typically eat and drink.
- Usually yes. If I had a party at home I would have 1 or 2 drinks, if I do the work to make a picnic I deserve a drink
- 
- No- especially when kids are involved, and playgrounds in parks, frequent course language increases with liquor consumption along with bad behaviour.
- Everyone thinks of only now and not the repercussions down the road. Have you thought about how you're planning to manage underage drinking?
- Yes it is will be accepted if there is a designated area.
- Yes, so that the option is there to have a beverage legally
- Yes, because wine with cheese and beer with burgers is a match made in heaven.
- Yes, so that I can enjoy a glass of wine with my meal.
- Depends on if I was bringing my family or just going with friends.
- No.
- 
- I definitely would not go to one that allows liquor consumption, I actively avoid intoxicated people and do not want to have any encounters with my family while we try to enjoy a park environment.
- No, I feel the ones allowing liquor would be loud and unruly
- No
- I would not choose a park that allows liquor. A park is a place for children to go play and for parents to have a piece of mind that their children will not be approached by an intoxicated person that might harm them

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- Yes, the option to have an adult beverage with a picnic is nice, especially for urban dwellers who don't have the opportunity for a bbq in a green space.
- No
- Of course!! If I was having a picnic I would like to be able to enjoy beer or wine with my meal
- Absolutely. A glass of wine would enhance my enjoyment of any al fresco meal.
- Yes, for my guests enjoyment.
- Yes. I would like to drink in the park and know I wasn't breaking the law.
- Yes, people drink ... I find people with obnoxious children to be far more annoying than groups having beer with their bbq
- 
- Yes, more fun
- Sure. My husband likes to have a drink during a BBQ. I personally don't drink, so there wouldn't be a problem with drinking and driving.
- Yes. Because it's nice to have a beer or wine with a picnic.
- Yes. Makes hosting events easier.
- Yes.
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- I would not choose a place that allows Liquor because I do not like my children to see them.
- No because I don't need to drink whilst picnicking.
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- no.
- Yes, it gives more options
- i would choose one that allows liquor as my friends and i enjoy having a beer or two when having an outdoor picinc event.
- Yes, because people (like weed) are already doing this. Look at the concerns citizens thought legalizing weed would do... I haven't scene or smelled it anymore than when it was illegal.
- Yes, because a cold beer and a bbq go really well.
- Yes
- No. To consume this kind of substance ones need to go to a bar or a club
- I will choose the one that not allow Liquor
- No. I dont want my kids and I to be around drunken behavior
- No
- Yes, my friends drink, I drink sometimes.
- 
- Yes. REasons above and also family reunions etc where a few alcoholic beverages might be nice.
- Yes, you can hold a wider range of gatherings there, rather than just children's parties
- Yes. It would be nice to have a drink while enjoying our parks

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- No and I don't want to be restricted to parks that don't allow liquor. Isn't there enough messages in our society that you can't have fun without alcohol?
- No. I don't need to drink when it with family.
- No, we have enough bars in every neighbourhood.
- No, I like to enjoy the parks without drinking and disorderly people it will increase vulgar language and behaviour parks are for families not for drinking parties. Drink at the bar or at home
- Yes, I have a choice
- No, there might occur disorderly behaviour
- Yes. So that my friends and I can enjoy a couple of alcoholic beverages responsibly.
- Yes, I think this would allow my friends and I to choose where or not to drink. But, it would be our option.
- It wouldn't really matter to me, but probably yes so my friends and I can have a glass of sangria in the park.
- Yes, because I have honestly snuck in alcohol to consume anyway. Grown adults should be able to responsibly consume alcohol outdoors... especially in picnic sites.
- Yes, as a 28 year old without kids I'd love to enjoy a glass of wine with friends, at a picnic
- No, stay limited to liquor consumer's homes and bars or private places
- No
- No
- NO
- No, because it is against my values to consume alcohol. I would avoid those picnic sites for the same reason that I avoid going to bars/pubs.
- No
- No. Since there is high likelihood of an undesirable incident due to someone's irresponsible behavior while being drunk. I would also like to keep my kids away from such sites.
- Yes because I don't like the idea that adults who are being responsible should be limited in public places where their actions do no harm to others.
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- Yes because I consume liquor
- Yes because I like to have a drink with my meal.
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- No, I would avoid this park
- It depends what the occasion is for the picnic.
- As per as their requirement.
- No, don't drink and could be a cause for potential conflicts while trying to enjoy ourselves with family

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- depends on the group and the event
- No, I wouldn't feel safe, and would be worried for my family's well being.
- Yes, because I enjoy drinking.
- No
- I won't get close, I been around parks with people drank, it's crazy
- No as it will expose children to liquor use
- No
- Never.
- 
- Absolutely!
- no
- Yes, this allows more freedom. Of choice for myself and those attending. I would be more inclined to use public picnic spaces instead of hosting at home.
- No ...park is for kids and people for relax not for drinking liquor.
- Yes. Being able to share a couple drinks with friends at the public picnic and BBQ sites would be fun and safe.
- No. Keep away from possible drunk people
- No. I despise being around drunks
- 
- Yes, I believe that the ban on public liquor is mostly about religious mores and prudery. Europeans and Americans are perfectly fine allowing alcohol in public.
- No. I would feel unsafe because of issues that may rise due to the consumption of liquor. Easy accessibility may make it easier for unwanted behaviours to occur
- Yes, because a beverage with a picnic is relaxing
- Yes if it was a convenient location. I would avoid allowed sites if they turned out to be more damaged with broken glass etc. It would be important to have recycle bins located nearby. Perhaps glass bottles should be prohibited?
- Definitely no, picnic is a family activity and not exposing my family to any possible undesirable situation is my priority
- Yes, because I would be partaking in that activity
- Yes, freedom to consume small amounts of liquor
- I don't drink but if friends are going to consume responsibly I guess I would choose a site that allows booze
- Yes, freedom
- No, disorderly conduct in public spaces
- No
- Yes. Again, it's nice to enjoy a cold beer on a hot day.

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- Yes
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- Yes, its nice to be able to have a glass of wine or a cider in the summer
- Yes, because in a social event allowing liquor is important to the atmosphere
- No. For reasons above.
- Depending on the event, yes. (See above).
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes! It's more fun and won't have to hide alcohol in a thermos
- Yes because I know it would be safe for me to go about my business, and that it would be a spot that would noted to others of our actions without judgement
- No, I would not want to expose my children to any inappropriate behaviour. While I understand not all ppl who drink will partake in inappropriate behaviour, it does increase the likelihood.
- Yes. Can enjoy myself freely without worrying.
- Yes. Why be limited to a licensed patio to actually enjoy a drink outside when being in a nice park would likely magnify that enjoyment significantly. Patios don't turn into a drunk fest, why should a park be any different.
- No
- Yes, because I dont want to book where liquor is allowed
- 
- No
- Yes because I rather consume liquor on a site that allows it rather than try to hide it
- No because why should people need to drink to enjoy a picnic.
- 
- No
- One which does not allow liquor, for safety reasons
- No. I don't think it's necessary for people to consume liquor in a park.
- Yes, because it is an individuals choice on what they consume and beautiful days are for Rosé
- Depends on the event/sometimes yes and sometimes no.
- More people would attend events
- No
- no
- Yes., because it would be more enjoyable.
- The one without liquor, liquor has brought of damage to the society, it's enough for us to see it all over the city, now bringing it where we think is safe for our kids !?no to alcohol and liquor in parks !
- No. Against the idea all together
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- No because i will be surrounded with disorderly behaviours plus my kids will be exposed to content use
- Yes because it's a social place
- No
- yes ! Summer days and drinks
- Yes, I enjoy having a beer with my bbq.
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- No, because I don't want my children to see alcohol , may affect the safty
- No, I don't prefer people drinking and misbehaving in Parks
- Yes - my group would then have a choice as to weather to drink or not
- No. Absolutely bad for children to even see liquor.
- Nope!
- Yes, because it would be fun to invite my friends for a bbq and be able to have a few drinks.
- 
- It would depend on the event. If it was a birthday bbq for my husband then liquor would be nice, but a childs party, no.
- No. I can drink at home if I choose. I believe picnic sites are primarily used for family time and alcohol should not be a focus, especially around children. If you want to drink that badly, stay home.
- No. I don't want to be around intoxicated people.
- Yes. More flexibility for events.
- No. Because I don't want my kids exposed to that.
- No.
- No - it's a family spot and children should not be exposed to such behavior
- Yes as we are already drinking when we do.
- 
- Yes, I would enjoy the ability to have a beverage while at a picnic
- No, when I go to a picnic I usually go with minors and I wouldn't want to expose them to alcohol consumption.
- 
- No no desire for alcohol there
- Yes, doesn't matter if I'm throwing a going away party for a friend or just a simple family BBQ, it's always nice to have the option of liquor open.
- 
- Yes, so my family and friends can consume alcohol is we choose to.
- NO! I do not want to go outside and enjoy the outdoors while there is an increase in disorderly behaviour due to alchol consumption.

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- No. We would want to have a good time without being surrounded by drunk people and booze bottles
- No.
- Yes so I would have the option to bring it if I wished
- yes, drinking should not be punished unless it is leading to disorderly conduct. most people are capable of this and those that are not will drink anyways.
- No. Due to safety.
- Yes
- No will not. Will stay away with my kids from any liquor consumption area for my kids safety
- 
- 
- Yes, because it would be nice to have a glass of wine or a beer on a nice afternoon.
- No for the reasons I marked in question #2
- No. I do not drink.
- 
- Yes, so I have the choice to drink or not.
- I would choose no liquor. There are no benefits. It always seem to lead to problems and violence.
- No. I want my family events to be liquor free. I find drinking to be offensive and a violation of my freedoms to have a family friendly event.
- Yes - this would allow the public to use sites for celebrations and enjoy the privileges e have as a free diverse country.
- No because of the above reasons.
- Yes. I have only booked sites for birthday parties and I know many guests at the parties I have had would appreciate liquor consumption
- 
- No
- No, people don't need alcohol to have fun.
- Yes, it would allow no fear in consuming beer or wine with a meal.
- Yes
- So there is the option and flexibility for social events.
- 
- No
- No. I wouldn't feel safe for myself or my family
- Yes, because even if your preference is non-alcoholic, someone else in the group may prefer to have a beer with their lunch
- One that allows Liquor consumption. If I am going to picnic I should relax and enjoy...
- yes I enjoy liquor

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- Yes to allow responsible people to consume a drink
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- Absolutely. It's part of the experience. A beer with BBQ, wine with a charcuterie picnic... it enhances the enjoyment.
- Yes, because I don't see a problem with having an alcoholic beverage with a meal.
- Yes. See answer for #3.
- No.
- Yes. We could meet friends at a more neutral location rather than people driving further across the city
- No. I want to go to a quiet place when I go to parks
- No, for the previous concerns
- 
- Absolutely not, how will I take my family to a place which allows liquor?! Think of it as if taking your child to a place where alcohol is being consumed, definitely not a good idea in my opinion.
- No. If I am outside enjoying nature, I do not want to be around loud obnoxious people who are intoxicated.
- yes, it gives people more options for what they want to drink while out enjoying these sites.
- No, because picni area is for public fun including children so I don't want to see drunk people to bother others
- Yes, people like to have a drink in a social setting
- Yes, no different than going to a local pub for a few drinks
- No
- 
- No, it's can cause problem for other people
- No, not a family environment.
- No, because I have young children and drink people tend to behave inappropriately.
- No. I am against allowing drinking in the parks. May have to clean up the site of beer cans & bottles, if following a drinking party
- 
- No, not necessary. Can children not get a break from adults consumption of booze a/o drug use?
- yes. because i want to.
- Yes. It's a nice option.
- Yes. More relaxed.
- Yes because I like to have the option to have alcohol and have a drink with a meal on a warm day.
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- Yes because there are responsible adults there along with kids
- Yes, because I can enjoy a drink during a picnic
- No I have a family and small children. Don't want to risk their safety and expose them to this atmosphere
- Yes...nice to enjoy an adult beverage at a picnic
- No, I don't want to be around it. And I don't want my kids to my friends kids around it. That's just stupid
- Yes for sure!
- Yes lets people enjoy them selves as adults and not as children
- No
- It would make no difference.
- If it was for a larger family event
- Yes. In case we wanted a beer or wine
- 
- No
- No, I will avoid being around those places for my safety and my family safety as well
- 
- No.because I fear for families Concern
- 
- 
- No
- No. 20% of all violent crime is attributed directly to alcohol (Canadian Substance Use Costs and Harms, 2018)
- I will never choose a site that allows liquor. I have kids and i don't want to expose them to drunk people wandering around the park.
- No, even if it is safe there are always people that are going to abuse the privilege and I think it's safest to keep it family friendly.
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- Yes
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- No, I don't believe drinking (at least, drinking to excess) should be allowed in public.
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- No
- Yes same as above
- Yes, more fun!

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- Yes, generally I would have a picnic on the weekend when I would like to relax, enjoy the company of my friends and perhaps have a couple cold ones.
- Yes, I'm case my friends or family would enjoy an alcoholic beverage
- Absolutely, because beers in the sun and respect for the law.
- 
- Yes
- 
- Yes, people love to celebrate with wine champagne on big milestones or anniversaries an like to do so outside not inside
- No. I visit picnic site with family and friends. I don't want to see people drinking liquor on those places.
- No, not suitable for kids
- Yes. Because all my friends and family ar well rounded respectable adults who (some) enjoy drinking in nature. We always make sure there is a DD and a safe spot.
- No prevention of violence
- No, for safety reasons for me and my kids
- 
- No. I don't agree with public drinking.
- Yes
- No- picnic s sites are about playing games; being together
- No..drinker can walk through all the picnic sites. it's not good for safety
- 
- Yes, my friends and family enjoy responsibly consuming alcohol.
- No, I feel it wouldn't be safe.
- 
- I would not choose one with liquor because it would be dirty smelly and there would a huge possibility of rude and inappropriate and unsafe behavior available there.
- No, don't want to be around any alcohol
- 
- No
- No kids learn from them
- 
- Yes. It is nice to be able to have a beer or wine on a nice day, with friends. Especially if for a function.
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- No ibwould not most people can not conduct themselves properly when they are under the influence and when im at the park with my family the last thing i want my children to see are drunks fighting and swearing
- Yes, I would chose the one that allows.
- 
- Yes, i think that social and responsible drinking in a public space is not a bad thing
- no.. it just creates nuisance
- No
- yes
- NO!!!!!!...STOP shoving liquor and pot at the public.
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a beverage or two socially
- absolutely not, because people tend to miss behave 10 times more then they already do without liquor
- No
- 
- No
- Yes, because if someone prefers to have a drink there is the option.
- No because I would be concerned for my childs safety
- Yes, greater choice
- I will not book the picnic side that allows drinking because it is not what I think is suitable for families with kids
- 
- 
- No , do not want to unsecured while enjoying with family.
- No cause it doesn't benifit in anywag
- 
- No way!! Never ever!! I hate liquor smell and more safety be far away u never know when they drink lots u don't know what can happen
- No
- Yes, why not?
- Yes, enjoy having a beer with BBQ
- No. For readons above
- no. i dont want to expose my kids to liquor
- No, because I want to enjoy my time with my family in safe environment.
- Yes
- No
-

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- No, because I don't want to be in environment where people could be indulging i. Excessive drinking particularly when with my children
- NO. Because increase in disorderly behavior, children will be exposed to seeing liquor use, safety concerns, drinking and driving, damage to the park, may increase violence, not good for the society.
- Yes, so I can have the option of enjoying liquor if I choose to.
- No, because its not family friendly and I wouldn't feel comfortable bringing my family to a place where disturbing behaviour may occur due to alcohol
- No - picnics are mostly with family and I don't want to choose a location with any nuisance due to liquor use.
- No because consuming alcohol in public places isn't necessary.
- Yes because I can consume alcohol in a responsible way as an adult and don't need the city regulating my behaviour.
- No
- Yes as people can enjoy a beer or glass of wine
- No, sometimes drunk people can spoil picnic environment. bully other people. could be possibility of crime act.
- Not at all. I would avoid a site where liquor will be allowed
- No, it's not safe when people are under the influence
- 
- Nop, never, because its a public space where there is a lot of children
- No
- No. It is a public site, and I don't think it is acceptable by anyone.
- No
- no
- 
- No because I care for the safety of my children and it could also increase drunk driving as well.
- Yes. This would encourage me to responsibly enjoy public spaces more frequently
- 
- No. See response #2
- 
- No, I don't want my kids to be around drunk people and see people are drinking.
- Yes, b/c I like to have a glass of wine with dinner.
- Yes I would as i would enjoy time outdoors and getting together with friends while having a beer or two
- I would not due to the safety of my family
- No. This will make us reconsider going to any picnic site
- No , this is a public place and this shouldn't be permitted in public areas

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- No, because of the safety risk, disorder, increase in drunk driving on regular weekends and more.
- yes. For community gathering events & and will be same as when we have the events in Halls
- No
- No, I wouldn't feel safe, and would be worried for my family's well being.
- NO as I don't want my child to be in exposed to alcohol which is bad for health
- No, I want to enjoy the sites without being attack by drunk people.
- Allow. Because I like to be flexible
- Yes, a drink or two is a nice option.
- No. Please see the choices above
- 
- 
- No, there are many other public places to consume alcohol...why add more alcohol exposure?
- No as per above in question 2.
- 
- No it's bad habit
- Yes. Absolutely. Allows for friends and family to choose to bring drinks.
- No, I wouldn't feel safe, and would be worried for my family's well being.
- Yes. It provides one more beverage option for me and my friends and family when experiencing the parks
- No, I have kids
- No. Will be no longer discipline show
- 
- Yes, because I don't believe there will be many negative effects from others in the area, and it would be more enjoyable to have a drinking option.
- No. Liquors shall not be consumed in public with kids in vicinity
- Yes
- No, I want to use a public site with no fear of any kind
- No. I'm not a big drinker.
- No
- Yes. I want to allow my guests choice.
- No, safety
- Yes, because we get 2-3 months when we can have beer outside in sun
- No
- Depends on who the group is.
- No- I don't support the concept.
- No because it's not a pleasant thing to watch a drunk person while you are enjoying with family
- Yes. The government should have zero say over this.

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- No , even we will not book camp site . All washrooms are common in camping, how you are going to prevent when someone go alone ,
- No
- Yes, my family and friends drink responsible and prefer the option.
- Yes. Nothing beats a cold beer bear and a book on a hot day
- 
- No, drinking leads to a abnoxious behaviour
- 
- No because it not appreciate place for it
- No because its a safety concern
- Nono
- No, just like I wouldn't allow smoking.
- No, I do not want to deal with drunks
- One that allows liquor consumption.
- No, not good to consume liquor in public place
- Yes. Beer on a hot day is nice to have.
- Yes
- 
- No - I would assume that if it allowed liquor, there would be a concentration of people drinking, and therefore disruptive. It certainly would not likely be a relaxing experience. Why do we need this?
- We ll not book the picnic spots having liquor consuming people due to their unexpected behavior and we don't want to show it to our kids
- 
- No, Liquor is for indoor use only there are so many people they don't consume alcohol, city should respect their concerns
- Yes, for the option/choice to have a drink
- Yes, a drink with a bbq on an afternoon would be great
- Yes, more options with the people that would be with us
- 
- No see #2
- Yes, a beverage with BBQ is enjoyable.
- 
- No, because of my children.
- 
- No, never because it has no benefits at all
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- Yes, if I was bringing alcohol with me.
- Yes. Just to have the option! I'd love to open a bottle of wine to share with friends on a picnic like in France
- No because I do not want liquor consumed in a park.
- 
- No. I don't want to bring my kids somewhere where are alcohol and drunk people
- 
- No
- No because i don't wanna expose liquor consumption in front of children.
- Yes, this would allow guests the option to consume responsibly
- 
- No bcuz human is human with his full brain when he or she drink they lose brain so humans become animal and we have enough animals to take care of
- 
- Of course not
- no, because it allows for inappropriate viewing for younger people and families.
- 
- Yes, allows for a more enjoyable evening.
- No don't want the kids to be exposed to such sights.
- No because it is not safe place
- 
- 
- Never, because I don't want to expose my children
- No, I feel having fun with family and friends in public can be done without alcohol, No worries about drinking and driving or if someone drinking too much and causing a scene.
- Not at all. Drinking always brings trouble
- No
- No. I would avoid any site that allows liquor
- Yes. Just in case
- Yes. What's a picnic without the option of a beer, glass of wine or even a cooler
- Definitely. I would like to drink in the parks.
- No. I do not consume alcohol and wouldn't desire to stay at one that does.
- I wouldn't book liquor allowed park
- No
- No I don't want to visit any park that allows liquor
- No coz we go as a family with kids and its kind of unsafe for us
-

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- No, disorderly behavior and child safety concern
- No. because it's not suppose to allow liquor. its dangerous for everyone
- Yes, because it's 2019 and Calgary needs to stop with the bible-belt puritanism...
- Yes because I'd like to enjoy a glass of wine with food.
- Yes - to enjoy a picnic with friends/family with both food and beverage
- No I dont drink
- No, coz I didn't drink in my life
- Yes. Having the option to drink if you want to is great.
- Yes. Makes me more likely to move from backyard bbqs to city parks
- I wouldn't choose one that allows liquor use. There are plenty of places to drink liquor elsewhere in the city. It doesn't have to be in front of kids in the park.
- No
- No because I don't want to expose myself or my family to intoxicated people
- Not at all
- No as the behaviour traits displayed by those under the influence are often disrespectful to others and their surroundings. It doesn't take much alcohol to alter the direction of a social gathering which may lead to abusive language and behaviours.
- Yes, for flexibility.
- No I would not in fact I would stop taking our son to any park where liquor would be visible. It's bad enough with the teenagers and doing drugs in those parks close to schools!
- Yes, more of my friends would be interested in coming
- Yes. It's ok to drink.
- Depends on the type of gathering. Kids birthday probably no. Reunion with old friend, yes.
- It's not a good culture
- 
- No, I don't feel comfortable with family between unkonwn drunk dudes, This will affect kids specialy teaager.
- Yes so we can enjoy a drink with our food.
- Yes. Because life doesn't need to be so confining. I wouldn't pay.
- No. See above.
- No I don't choose picnic site with alcohol
- 
- Honestly I will avoid picnic sites that allow it because I worry about the concerns above
- No, because liquor areas will most likely be more damaged or misused and the smell could annoy the children.
- 
- Yes.



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- No
- 
- No - harmful for families and kids
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer with a picnic or lunch during the day. Realistically it happens all the time already, but people are forced to hide it to avoid an expensive ticket.
- No, where liquor is permitted there will always be one or more individuals who will over-consume and become a nuisance to others nearby.
- No, disorderly behaviour
- No
- 
- Yeah, because that's what we do
- No. I feel that my family is not safe around drunk people
- It would depend on the nature of our booking. Just my family, no. Meeting up with friends and their kids, sure.
- No, it would no longer be family safe or friendly.
- No not safe
- No
- No
- Yes. Europe has been doing this for years and no issues. Calgary needs to be progressive and stop being such a 'nanny state'.
- No
- Would depend on who I am picnicking with
- 
- No. It's unsafe for everyone.
- No
- Yes - it's 2019
- No
- No
- Yes - in case anyone wants to drink.
- 
- No, due to the above factors
- Yes
- It's not that important. It depends on what time of the day. I would likely choose a site that allows liquor in the evening.
- Yes, for socializing with friends.
- Yes,
- Yes. It would be nice to have the option to drink.

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- Yes. I would like to be able to enjoy my favourite beverages with lunch or dinner while I picnic.
- 
- No, I am afraid there will be drunkard around.
- 
- 
- No, i am against this.
- Yes, being a responsible adult you should be able to consume liquor at your pinic
- No, I am not drinking
- I don't and will not drink in public.
- No, as stated above I would not like to go to a place where there is potential of people being drunk causing potential hazard to others
- No.
- I don't drink, but I would book a site that allows liquor consumption for people with me that may want to drink.
- Yes, people have the right to choose what or if they drink.
- 
- Yes, I would be more inclined to booking family parties rather than at a community centre
- Yes, to enjoy alcohol
- No, because I don't want to drink if front of my children
- Yes. It would go great with the camping aspect of getting people out around a fire and visiting during a day outdoors. More people would use the great spaces the city has.
- Yes, if it was a special celebration.
- 
- No. I don't like to see drunk people in these areas, which supposed to be an open air activities' areas
- No.
- No
- 
- Yes be nice to enjoy a drink responsibly with friends.
- No.
- Yes, because it's nice to have a glass of wine when having a picnic
- Nooooio
- no, i will not choose a site of alcohol consumption as i have small kids
- No liquor
- No. kids wont be safe around drunk people
- 
- Depends on the members of the picnic group including children

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- No parks are for families.
- See above
- No, I am afraid there will be drunkard around.
- yes. I enjoy the occasional beer or glass of wine
- Yes, as a reasonable addition to an outdoor meal/ event.
- Yes, just opens more possibilities to enjoy a nice meal with friends and family
- 
- No,because I don't support it
- I will not go
- No, I would not feel it as giving me the best experience of going for a picnic with my family.
- 
- Yes, having been in Europe a lot liquor in public places is not a big deal and causes no problems. Anyone who would cause a problem by drinking in public will drink in public even if not legal.
- Yes
- 
- 
- NO. dirty, more messy.
- No because is dangerous
- Yes - I quite enjoy a leisurely drink outdoors.
- No, because people get intoxicated and involve in indescient behavior.
- Yes
- No because there will always be kids around and because of my religion
- No,this is not safe for families and kids.beausue liquor consumption is very harmful.yes
- Yes, people want to have fun
- No
- Yes but again. We will continue to drink responsibly outside of our homes.
- Yes, a lot of people do not have their own yards so finding a place outdoors to have a relaxing drink would be very nice.
- 
- No because drunk people will be an issue.
- No
- Yes.
- Yes if I am going with friends, if I am going with family I might choose the one without liquor. I think designated locations should allow liquor and smoking
- No
- No, see answer to question 1.
- No.

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- NO. ALL NEGATIVE OUTCOME
- No
- No, kids will have early exposure to liquor
- No
- No, I prefer not to be around that environment. Likely this drinking would occur during the daytime hours when families and children are around. While some may drink responsibly, others will not. Parks should be a place for all to feel comfortable.
- Yes. Would be nice to have a cider or glass of wine outside on a sunny day off.
- Yes as long as it suited where I wanted to go. I wouldn't select a site because of liquor use.
- No
- Yes, it would be nice to have the option.
- 
- No, don't need booze to be alive
- 
- No. I normally enjoy picnic place with my kids and friends.
- No.
- Not at all because I don't want my children to go any kind of these places
- 
- No
- Depends on the purpose of the booking. For a child's birthday party, not required. For a family reunion, being able to have a beer or glass of wine with our meal is a nice option.
- no
- 
- No. I don't need to consume liquor at a picnic
- 
- 
- No
- No, I will be concerned of having to deal with some occupants who may not be in a balance mental state. Additionally, I don't want my kids to be exposed to it in a public way.
- No
- No!
- No, many problems will occur
- N/A
- 
- I would choose a picnic site that allowed liquor consumption as it would allow for my outing to be more enjoyable.
- Yes, to enjoy a casual drink while cooking

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- No
- Yes
- No I don't drink and don't like to be around alcohol
- Yes because I drink
- Yes, because it's normal like everywhere else in the civilized world.
- No, those are family oriented sites. If some want to consume alcohol there enough pub / clubs for that kind of activities
- No
- 
- 
- No
- Yes.
- No because it's not allowed in my religion and children could have that influence from drinkers within the park.
- Yes. Creates patio atmosphere without having to spend bar prices
- No. I will go to cars or restaurants for liquor events. Leave parks for families and kids. Quit promoting drinking and cannabis everywhere we turn.
- No, liquor consumption brings problems with some who can't handle it.
- No, because not safe for kids
- No. I go with children and last thing I want is to drink during a picnic with kids
- Doesn't matter
- No
- No. It will not be child friendly
- 
- No, because our family does not need alcohol around to have fun.
- Yes. Who doesn't want to have a beer or glass of wine with their BBQ.
- No
- Yes, because I would like the freedom to partake in an alcoholic beverage.
- No, I don't feel comfortable seeing drunk people around me and my kids. They are bad model for the children.
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- 
- No, as I do not wish to hear or see people who have had too much to drink-loud and unruly.
- No. I know all too well that many people wouldn't set limits.
- No, if people want to drink and BBQ they should stay at home
- If it were an opinion, I would consider booking either depending on the event
- No, as use of alcohol will increase improper behaviour in the park

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- No
- No
- No of course .If anyone needs to drink he should stay home and in a place where it's fun for kids .
- Absolutely not.
- Absolutley not, I would never want my children around this, nor do I want to be around the violence it could cause when people consume to much alcohol, it's going to he very disorderly!
- No because of the possible bad behaviour.
- Yes. Because I enjoy having a drink with my friends outside. It should be done maturely but I think it could be part of an awesome Canadian summer tradition.
- Yes or no, depends whether anyone in my group may like a beer or wine during the get together.
- yes, who doesn't enjoy a few beverages in moderation and with safe driving in place
- No. Liquor consumption is often associated with troublesome and rowdy behavior.
- N/A
- Liquor is prohibited in my religion
- Yes, to allow guests to drink if they so choose.
- Yes
- Yes, to have a beer with our picnic
- Dont want to be around drunk mad people
- No
- No
- No because I could just imagine the filth and problems one has to deal with.
- No. Picnic site is a place to have fun and should be a safe environment for children.
- Yes. But it would not restrict me. I bring alcohol/liquor anyways.
- No, shouldn't be allowed
- No. Chances of bad housekeeping such as broken liquor bottles, spilled alcohool and associated smell
- No, I would avoid sites that allow liquor consumption.
- Yes I like having drinks with friends while eating
- Yes, freedom of choice again
- No , it would be a mess , drunk ppl around my kids is NO ! they are so dangerous and smell yake!
- No. This doesn't provide good environment for family picnics
- Yes. Allowing regulated alcohol consumption will encourage responsible citizens to book a picnic site to have a drink while socializing and eating with friends
- I might
- no. picknic os family time for most people. usually woth kids.
- 
- No never

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- I would consider it, but it is not what I look for in a site.
- no, I don't agree with having liquor in the parks and it is not the atmosphere I am looking for when going to enjoy the outdoors. Liquor does not enhance the experience, on the contrary, a higher probability of ruining it, in my perspective
- Yes, it would be nice to enjoy a drink while also enjoying the outdoors
- Yes, so I can have wine with food.
- No, people could drink too much and become annoying and destructive.
- 
- Yes because I enjoy having a beverage with my meal
- yes, picnics and bbq fun. saw it San Fran and its great community
- No. People can enjoy their drinks either in their houses or friends' and family's homes or at any of the hundreds of pub clubs opening all night long or even restaurants with patios all summer long. Without putting theirs and other people's lives in danger
- No - the risk of having an outing ruined by being adjacent to people indulging in over-consumption and being disorderly is way too high. This is what is all too commonly experienced in campgrounds.
- No - as drunk behaviour would scare my child and I don't personally want to be around it too after being exposed to alcoholism in my life.
- Yes, more fun
- Not at all
- Yes, I like to enjoy alcoholic drinks sometimes
- Yes
- 
- No, because of damage park environment
- no I would not.
- 
- Yes, because having a drink with a picnic in the park would be a great way to enjoy a summer evening with family and friends.
- Yes, since I would like to drink.
- Yes because if it were a picnic or social gathering it's nice to have the option to enjoy an adult beverage as you would at other social events.
- Yes, much more enjoyable experience
- Yes. It's nice to be able to have a drink in a nice outdoor location on a beautiful summer day.
- I wouldn't choose one that allow liquor consumption because of all the reasons mentioned earlier (drink and drive, children seeing improper behaviours practiced by drunk people, safety and religious reasons, etc.)
- No, not good for children's. Picnic spots are for family.
- Yes simply because it is more freeing

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- I would choose a site that allows liquor consumption. I always enjoy a beer or glass of wine with my meal and so do my friends.
- No. Refer to the concerns mentioned in point 2.
- Yes
- No, I prefer family picnic
- No
- No, to avoid many potential problems.
- 
- 
- No
- 
- Yes. Adds more fun to the occasion!
- No- it s not safe
- I would avoid a picnic site that allows liquor.
- Yes if I had liquor with me
- I would book one that does not allow any alcohol for safety concerns
- 
- Yes, why not. But no booking first come first serve.
- Yes so I can have a glass of wine or beer with my meal like an adult.
- No, to avoid all the potential problems
- Yes.
- I've never booked a picnic site and didn't realize that was required but, yes, I would, because I would like to drink a beer.
- Yes, so that the option is there
- No. I don't drink. I don't support consumption in public parks
- Yes so that family and friends can freely enjoy a beautiful day. Ridiculous to think that one can only enjoy a beer or wine in their private home or establishments. Like kids don't see if their parents drink? If you can smoke in a park....
- No because I fear the person used the site earlier might have spoiled the place.
- No. Increase in disorderly behavior
- Yes because a beer is nice with bbq.
- No, with small kids, neither we nor our friends should drink.
- No
- No
- I like to enjoy a cold beer outside on a hot summer day
- Yes, because I would like to have the option of drinking responsibly at a picnic
- Yes, you should have a glass of wine with your picnic.



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- No due to above reasons
- No
- Yes, because I would want to consume alcohol with my picnic.
- 
- No I won't choose any place for liquor which have public access. It's bad for our family especially for our children.
- No, not appropriate for children to see!!
- Yes, I think families should be able to choose between sites that allow liquor or not.
- 
- no. I don't like being near obnoxious drunks.
- No
- No because of many concerns
- No
- Yes, same as above
- 
- Yes I would, as I enjoy the beer available around the city and like to enjoy it with a meal
- I think I would be indifferent. Other factors such as location & view would determine my choice
- No because I have young kids and I don't want them exposed to alcohol. Also it's against my religion to drink.
- Yes, because it is a nice accompaniment to a meal
- No as we usually go in park with family and want their safety as top most priority.
- No. I dont like liquor served in parks.
- YES. YES. YES. I want beer or wine with my meal. That makes the meal more interesting and flavorful! I would certainly do more picnicking with friends then!
- Yes. It is a great way to spend a summer day with picnic and a bit of beer
- [removed] no. I'll d4ink my beers where ever the hell I want
- no, Don't want my family around people consuming alcohol, I am afarid of drunk disorderly, unsafe conduct potential damage to personal and public property
- NO
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- Yes.
- Yes
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- No because it shows no respect for the families with children.
- No - Children do not need to be around other people who are drinking.
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- Yes, every time. There's no reason it shouldn't be allowed as those who will be disorderly, or litter, drink and drive, etc likely do it regardless of the bylaw.
- 
- No. Along with children, no liquor consumption at picnic site.
- Yes, because it would give us the option of enjoying a cold beer in addition to non-alcoholic beverages.
- No
- 
- Absolutely not one that allows liquor. I don't want my kids to hang around drunk people
- Yes. I would probably book a picnic site for a special occasion and it would be nice to be able to have a drink with friends or family to celebrate.
- No, not interested in having drunk adults around my family.
- No
- 
- No
- No ...because of safety concerns
- I would not because my experience with drunk individuals is never good.
- 
- No , it will Damage to the park/environment and for my sefty
- No
- No
- Never. I am disappointed already if it's allowed.
- No I don't want my kids around alcohol and me to
- Yes, so that alcohol could be consumed.
- Yes, so I can enjoy spirit drinks without being concerned. As usual, there will be a designated driver
- Yes, Because I am an adult and provided I behave myself properly I should be allowed to have a beer.
- No - not good for my young ones to see. People will take advantage and misuse the privkegde
- No, liquor cannot be consumed in the parks
- 
- No because it will not be safe, people will abuse the chance.
- No, safeness issue and bad behavioures
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- No... I will never like our children and families to face disorderly behavior and conduct of drunk poluting their chance of enjoying within multicultural environment
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- Yes. Banning it doesn't mean it goes away
- No
- Yes. It would give my group the flexibility to consume alcohol if they so choose.
- Yes, because if I was having people over at my house I would offer liquor so if I am meeting friends at a park for a picnic I would also enjoy that option, as would my friends
- No
- No i would not choose one that allows liquor consumption due to the fact that it is disgusting and can result in many downfalls such as the ones listed above.
- No, i dont drink as it is against my religious beliefs
- 
- Yes if we wanted to have a drink or two
- 
- No. Because first and foremost it goes against my religious beliefs. And then, there are other problems that come along, as mentioned above.
- No, to make sure that I am not in the presence of any liquor.
- Not at all
- No, I escape from those ones!
- No. Will not feel comfortable and relaxed with family and kids.
- Yes, because it would add to the enjoyment.
- Yes, as above.
- No, bad behaviors may occur.
- No, I do not drink and would not want to be around anywhere where liquor is consumed.
- Yes
- Absolutely not
- No
- Yes, I would like a glass of wine with my picnic
- Absolutely not
- 
- I'm not in favour of that.
- No, I don't feel alcohol is required to have a good time.
- Yes because why not
- 
- Yes. Picnics are better with beer.
- Yes, it is common practice among my friends and family to enjoy a beverage while outside.
- 
- Yes
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- Yes, if we were planning to have drinks. It's great to throw a frisbee around and enjoy a beer.
- No Because of all the reasons mentioned above . I want to see people in their senses when I bring my children out for recreation
- No, I would stay far away from liquor and keep my family away as well
- Absolutely not.
- No, don't want to be around groups of people consuming alcohol with family & kids. There's a sense of irresponsibly and possibly of disruptive behavior
- No if I want to drink I will do it where there are not a bunch of families around
- Yes. It is a social activity for adults
- No, my family and friends don't drink
- Yes. Because picnic sites are for social activities and liquor consumption often accompanies that.
- No. Close proximity to liquor consumption would expose non drinking public to all the negative concerns highlighted above.
- No, because I don't drink and don't like the drinking environment
- Yes, especially in the summer it's nice to have a cold drink with your meal/ snacks
- Yes
- No.
- No. Bad influence for kids.
- Yes, it would be more fun and more people my age would want to go
- No...difficult to manage drunk person
- Yes.
- Yes, so we could have a drink with our meal.
- Because I have kids and drink and drive could happen
- 
- No because of the concerns above.
- Yes. It would be nice to have a picnic with a nice glass of wine or beer. Not having to worry about potentially getting caught is a huge benefit.
- Yes, because I'm an adult.
- No I won't because chances of mishaps in front of kids might enhance.
- 
- No bcoz there are some people who doesn't use liquors, they could be effected through it if is allowed on public sites, specially children.
- Yes, as it allows people to relax and enjoy the weather in the summer, which is limited here.
- No
- 
- No
- Definitely not, my children would be in potentially harm results from liquor consumers.

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- No because I don't want to be around drunks and I don't want children to be exposed to that kind of environment
- Yes
- no
- no because i have children under the age of 5 and I don't encourage liquor consumptions especially in public place.
- Yes because I would like casual drinks over not being able to drink.
- No, i dnt know the person that s deinking and how much he/she s drinking , will it affect my family or not? Will the person harm him/her self ir harm another person withiut knowing? Parks are for family time enjoying good weather not getting drunk
- Because I would like to have some wine with my picnic
- Yes, as some of my friends would come and we could have a get together
- no, it isn't necessary to drink at every meal
- No
- 
- No, due to road safety, to protect environment and specially children will be exposed.
- Yes. I enjoy a drink with a meal.
- Yes
- Never!
- No.
- yes
- No
- No
- 
- No because probably would be trashed
- 
- No. I'd enjoy a discreet beverage sensibly at whichever site I book.
- No, drinking should be at a controlled place
- No
- No. I would not. Because I don't want my kids to see drunk people.
- Yes, we like to drink alcohol
- 
- No because it wouldn't be safe neither fun for kids because you wouldn't know what type of behaviour from anyone.
- I wouldn't like to choose one that allows liquor
- No. Do not want to be exposed to the kind of behaviour that comes with drinking
- No for safety reasons

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- No,
- Yes. Europe knows it best + it would be great to share memories with friends during the summer other than in dingy bars!
- No
- No, too many people are disrespectful and adding too much or just a little alcohol does not help that situation.
- No liquor at all should be allowed
- 
- No. Because I would worry about any behavior issues around the kids
- I will never book a picnic site that allows liquor consumption
- Yes. Often my friends like to gather for birthdays, celebrations, and other events where a celebratory drink is common.
- Yes, more laid back
- NO! I don't think liquor in parks is necessary. There are enough places to drink without having the peace and quiet of a lovely city park disturbed by shouting, swearing and disorderly conduct which is sure to occur when liquor is involved. Dumb dumb idea
- Yes. I am a responsible drinker and may enjoy a pint while gathering with friends and family at the park. Yes
- Yes. People will come out more and feel less forced to only hang out in their backyards.
- No. Don't want to be in vicinity of other groups consuming alcohol.
- No
- No
- Don't want drunk drunk people around families
- Yes, because it would make it a more social spot for a campfire or bbq, it would feel like camping.
- Um you have to book a picnic site? I guess that's why one reason why I don't use them. Yes. I like choices.
- Ofcourse not. It's indeed dangerous and I don't want to spoil family fun at all during our holidays/weekends.
- Yes.
- Yes
- No
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- No , drinking people doesn't know what they are doing
- It should not be an option
- Yes so my group would be able to have the choice

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- No. I don't want to have to explain to my kids why people are drunk or acting inappropriately.
- Yes i would, it's nice to have a beer with a picnic or barbecue
- No, avoiding trouble.
- Noooo , I will not go or take my children to any park that allows liquor consumption. And I will make sure all parents know about that park too, to avoid takeing their little one's.
- No i would choose the one that doesnt allow liquor
- No, I always prefer good places for children.
- Probably, just to have the option available
- Yes
- No, I don't want my kids to see how drunk people behave!
- Probably will, yes. For parties
- No. It's not family friendly.
- Yes, it's more social, it's more fun
- Yes I would. I feel it would give calgarians more incentive to use the lovely parks we have.
- Never. I wouldn't feel safe at such sites, and it is especially uncomfortable with children around.
- Yes. Inexpensive social gatherings!
- Yep! Don't like to be told I can only drink outside of my home in pubs and restaurants where I can't bring alcohol to.
- No
- No, because will harm for my family
- 
- No, I would not choose a Liquor consumption site. A park picnic site is a public place with no security guards present.
- No
- No
- Yes. I enjoy being able to have a beer when it's hot out
- Noo I dont want my kids to expose to liquor in such young age
- No
- 
- Because I want the option
- No because that wil be unsafe for my kids .
- No, due to safety Hazard.
- Do not agree with drinking at picnic site in the first place as per above
- Yes. I would like to have a beer or two while having a picnic with my friends and family.
- I would choose one that doesn't. I don't drink, so I don't want to take a space of limited supply.
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- Yes, because then my company and I could drink legally. We do now...illegally with no disruption or disorderliness.
- Yes, because what is a picnic without wine and beer?
- No. Don't support alcohol in parks
- No
- No. There is too much chance for poor behaviour.
- Never.
- No....parks are for family use
- No as it has safety issues
- 
- No
- No, because my religion does not permit the imbibement of alcohol.
- Yes, because I would like to enjoy a beer by the campfire after a long hike.
- Yes, just to have the option.
- No - don't want to be around disorderly behaviour. And there will be disorderly behaviour.
- No. Don't want to be around a drinking environment
- If it is allowed, definitely I will choose only picnic spots where liquor is not allowed.
- No. For the children's safety
- No I wouldn't chose that place because it's bad influence on kids as well as well and May offend some people
- No because if there is someone else in the site I don't want to there alcohol around me
- No, no picnic with drunk people
- No because I do not want to be surrounded by those consuming it.
- No because I have kids whom are going to join me...
- I do not want to see intoxicated people in the park. There will always be abusers.
- Yes
- It would not matter to me.
- I am totally against allowing this at public parks
- No because of my concerns as per No. 2 above
- No, possible rowdy people
- No. See above my answers
- No
- No
- No. I will not choose a park that allow Liquor consumption for safety concerns.
- I don't think there should be a separate designation.
- No, safety of my kids
- Not at all.



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- Yes, I'd like to have glass of wine or beer during a family picnic.
- No
- No. Not good for kids, will create more violence.
- No, I don't drink
- Yes. I think it helps people engage with parks more and interact with the parks
- No, if somebody gets drunk it's a safety hazard to others.
- No, I don't want my children around other people who may be drinking
- Yes, because I want to enjoy a drink with my picnic.
- No.
- 
- Yes because I it's a great thing to do when having a bbq with friends.
- NOPE
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- No, parks are the places where you go with children. If children are not supposed to go in the bar where people drink then would drinking be allowed in public parks, does not make any sense.
- Yes, I think as an adult I should be able to enjoy a beer while out with my family, or a glass of wine if out on a date with my husband.
- Likely not.
- Yes. Recreational reasons.
- Doesn't matter
- No. It shouldn't allow in public place at all
- No. Because other will be get distracted
- No. We don't need another place for people to rage on with alcohol fueled behaviour.
- 
- Yes, its always nice to have the option open
- Yes, it's nice for get togethers to have a drink or two.
- Definitely not. People can drink at home.
- Probably not, as it's not important to me to have liquor at a picnic
- 
- Yes we like to socialize and have one or two drinks while out
- No, I wouldn't use them.
- No, not at all. You go outside to be outdoors and have fun with kids or workout! If someone wants to drink they can do so at their house or at a bar.
- No
- No, no need for it. We have to drive home from the site, why would we drink
- No, for safety concerns

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- Yes - to have all my friends over to celebrate a great way to enjoy the outdoors
- Yes. Using this for social gatherings would be great. My place is so tiny to have many people over.
- 
- No
- None.
- All picnic sites should allow liquor consumption
- Yes (if I booked picnic sites). I think most people are responsible and those that aren't won't be bothered by laws or restrictions.
- No. Answers are mentioned in point 2.
- No. No any positive impact to me.
- No.
- No! because its not good
- No. I have 4 children. I take them out to have a good time in a safe place. It's hard enough watching over them without having to worry about someone in the area being drunk who may not recall a thing he did the next morning.
- Not it is not safe
- No
- Yes, because a beverage is nice to enjoy
- Yes - freedom to choose and I might go out more if alcohol is allowed!
- No
- Yes, it is nice to have that option if my company and I would like to enjoy liquor in moderation.
- Sure. No problem in my mind. Even with children around. The way to reduce liquor abuse is to make it less restrictive.
- No. For the safety of my family
- No,because of the kids safety
- No
- 
- Absolutely. Liquor is awesome and fun.
- No. Since I like it the way it is now. Where we have no drunks causing disturbances to families.
- No because it is a safety concern and risk of children are being exposed to seeing use of liquor
- No
- No, I would prefer a place where kids do not see any inappropriate behaviour and there is no risk of facing drunk people.
- No. I don't care and I'd drink or not drink wherever I go. Just discretely and responsibly.
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- No. Good grief we can have a day at the park without drinking! And I'm a drinker, but we don't need this.

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- No way
- Non
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- No. I wouldn't want my family beside a disruptive party.
- Yes for certain events. I think it could be for all sites, it could be for specific ones. It would be easier to monitor specific ones
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- no, i do not like to be disturbed by drunk people
- No. Since safety and children will expose to liquor.
- I will not book liquor consumption booking site my family safety first
- Yes, so I can enjoy a nice beverage in the sun on this nice day.
- Yes, depending on the type of celebration
- 
- No because of concerns chosen in question 2.
- No. Do not want to be around people that may overindulged
- Maybe someone you are with wants to have a beer.
- Yes. Sometimes a burger just tastes better with a beer.
- No bcus I would not want my children to be around this enviroment.Parks re places where families gather with their children why does his even have o be even bought of.lpk at damage at provincial camping parks and alcohol consumption. defiantany bad idea
- No,No, because I have young kids, and I know that there will be over consumption with its consequences.
- No
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- No because then you will not get rid of the problem
- No. Spilled beverage and empties would be of concern.
- No, I don't want to expose my kids to that and avoid the associated risks
- Yes! That way if anyone partaking wants to enjoy a beer or a cup of wine, they can. Calgary is know to be a city that loves patios in the summer, with allowing liquor on picnic sites it would encourage more time spent in our beautiful parks outdoors!
- No, If I want to drink I go to a pub. And when I want toenjoy the nature I go to picnic
- No for above mentioned reasons in item 2

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- 
- No. It is not safe for me or my children
- 
- No
- No because bars are the places for liquor
- No.No
- Yes. I would be able to have a couple of beers and relax in the park
- Absolutely. We drinking anyways
- Yes, alcohol is a part of our culture and an element of being social. Not everyone drinks and that's perfect okay, but if it's a casual glass of wine/beer like the law intends, those who do drink should be allowed to.
- Yes, even though I don't drink much, having the option would be great. Wine or beer with a picnic would be nice.
- Yes, because I prefer to enjoy social beverages
- Yes. Nothing wrong with having a beer or glass of wine with your lunch.
- Yes so we can have a beer or two without breaking the law
- Na
- No. Disorderly behaviours prevail at those sites. Not suitable for family outings
- no <https://www.cancer.org/cancer/cancer-causes/general-info/known-and-probable-human-carcinogens.html>
- No
- No, I donot feel comfort to be with drunk people
- Never
- Yes, or else I wouldn't use the public site
- No
- Yes, to actually have good time.
- Yes. Because it should be our right to enjoy drinks in our parks.
- Yes - more options and as adults, why shouldn't be be allowed to have a small glass of wine with kit picnic
- Yes. Allow the freedom to have a couple pops
- Yes definetly
- No, all need to be able to think and use our brains and be aware of our surroundings.
- No.
- 
- Yes, adults enjoy having a drink on a nice summer day while BBQing.
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- Yes

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- No because of behaviour changes
- No. To get drunk go to a pub not park/ picnic
- Yes
- No ! Bcz it will be ruined the other people picnic and own it will bring lots of conflicts & behaviours & it will put u r and other life in danger .
- Yes. I would be more likely to plan gatherings at picnic sites when laws are less restrictive.
- No because, it's a bad influence to younger children and dangerous.
- No, I don't drink, and I don't really want to be around people who do. At least not those who may potentially drink to excess.
- No, I want to go to park for relax in natural environment. But if I have to face some drunk people you know every person behave differently.
- Not worth the risk to people around and the people who are drunk
- No. Drinking should be allowed within bars and designated public places only.
- 
- No, because I don't want my kids to be exposed to it.
- Yes. If I'm booking a site chances are it's a bigger gathering and being able to have a few drinks creates a good atmosphere.
- Yes.
- Yes, in order to socialize and enjoy the outdoors
- No. Parks r public places where everyone is allowed to come, relax and enjoy nature. Kids will be exposed to unruly behaviour and things they shouldn't use at young age.
- Absolutely no because it the above reasons in question 2
- No, because I have little children who need a safe environment to play in.
- No, liquor is dangerous for healthy society
- Not good for optics.
- 
- No I would not as I don't want my child exposed to intoxicated and unruly people.
- None
- No.
- Should not be allowed due to presence of kids and other audience
- 
- 
- Yes, because who doesn't want a beer with a bbq
- For sure! To be able to enjoy a beverage while enjoying our local parks sounds like a great plan.
- No. Liquor should not be allowed at public sites due to safety of others.
- Dependent on the event and if my guests were wanting to have a drink. It would make hosting larger gatherings more accessible for those of us without back yards.

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- Nope, safety comes first, that would effect a lot more with drinking and driving, there would be more alcohol drivers one the roads, aren't we trying to prevent drinking and driving, and to promote it more on roads???? !!!
- No as park is open for people of all ages n i would not want kids under 18 to feel consumption of alcohol is ok
- No, due to unsafe environment
- No because it's not safe. You are surrounded with al types of people with different ages. It shouldn't be allowed near them.
- No. Liquor has no place in public place
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- No because it wouldn't be safe
- No.
- No, for safety reasons.
- No. It's a place you go with family and children. Not a place you want to deal with people getting loud and drunk and obnoxious
- No, because I don't agree to allow liquor at public parks.
- No, drinking has many negative effects on the person and the people around him
- No. Drunk are always dangerous.
- Yes, because why the hell not.
- All parks should allow it regardless of a reservation.
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- No. I have young kids and I will not put them in a position that may be harmful to them in any way. Most parents like me would agree that there are sacral places that allow this behaviour and public parks are not such a place.
- No, as I wouldn't enjoy people on the surrounding tables drinking alcohol
- Not at all
- No
- Yes, this provides lawful options to flexibly plan for gatherings or celebrations that utilize our parks
- Absolutely. It's freedom.
- 
- Never! And won't even go close to places that allow liquor
- no..liquor should not be allowed in public places where kids / minors are present.
- 
- Yes because adult friends. However, adults need to drink responsibly thus there should be a limit.
- No.

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- No because I don't want to be surrounded by drunk people
- 
- Yes. Generally booking aSure is for a special event and it can be nice to celebrate with a drink
- Yes. I do not need to consume large amounts in public but having a glass of wine with my wife without having to hide it would be nice.
- Yes. I would be more likely to plan gatherings at picnic sites when laws are less restrictive.
- Probably not - I enjoy keeping things family friendly and safe for everyone.
- 
- No bcz we dnt drink
- No, don't want my kids to be around that
- No. For the reasons stated in question 2
- 
- No, my concerns are exposure of children , peoples uncontrolled behaviour, damage to public property and risk of drowning
- No not good for environment
- No
- Yes, because my friends and I consume the alcohol responsibly and liquor goes well with picnics
- No, because if people invited to picnic doesnt stay sober might create issues for the host
- No because my safety would be jeopardized
- No because picnic site is mostly for family with kids
- Yes. A glass of wine with a picnic is nice to enjoy.
- No. Because 1, we being muslims dont drink and canada is a free. 2, Chances of misconduct in parkfull of drunk people are more so why ruin a perfectly planned day. 3,there would be kids in and near park, if 30 zone is imo so is a drunk free zone
- No , I would not want to expose my self or my family to the #1 most addicting and harmful substance
- Yes, as I enjoy having a beverage outside.
- No
- Yes. Because BBQ and picnics are better with beer
- No never , it destroy our society
- Yes, because I believe liquor consumption should be allowed in public just like in Europe.
- No. I have kids and parks are specifically for kids and families. I would never want my kids being exposed to this as there might be people who would abuse this and there will be crime and disorderly behavior
- Never
- no, because of the potential safety reasons.
- No. I hate to see the City allows alcohol just to make few dirty bucks.
- Yes. Then people have the option, if they want to bring an alcoholic beverage.

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- No. I wouldn't want to endanger my kids with such sights or the sight of drunken behaviours
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- Yes. Other countries allow liquor in public. It teaches responsible drinking and normalizes it so that it doesn't seem illegal and exciting.
- No
- Yes, for the above reason
- No because people become loud, ignorant, belligerent and ridiculous when they drink. I want a calm soothing time at the park not listen to a bunch of drunken idiots.
- No. People who consume alcohol tend to become unruly especially young people. This will affect the enjoyment of other people in such sites. Some children exposed to such activities might get influenced and think that it is cool to drink and act out.
- Yes, again the for social ease and inclusiveness of others.
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- 
- I would not choose a site that allows liquor.
- No
- No.
- All of the above reasons.
- No at all ,for safety reasons
- No.
- No
- Yes. Because it gives extra option for myself.
- Yes, I enjoy a glass of wine with my bbq and it's usually a social event
- Yes. Responsible alcohol consumption should be allowed.
- No, family environment
- Yes
- not specifically
- Yes! It's a great idea One of the reasons I love going to Montreal . It's enjoyable.
- yes because we usually bring it already anyways
- Yes. Summer, great weather, drink in my hand. Europe you can drink anywhere, it's a part of their culture, and I love it there
- Yes. It would be nice to have a drink or two
- No- why go to a place where you can potentially find trouble
- No I don't want to get in trouble with an intoxicated person
- Yes- my social group likes to have a few drinks at events, but our inability to do so in picnic spaces has meant that we never book or use them. This would change that
- no because it has many harmful effects



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- In order to be able to legally drink during a picnic, not to excess but to enjoy the outdoors, meet friends and enjoy what Calgary has to offer
- Likely not, as we are not drinkers, but I can appreciate where others would like the option.
- Yes as I find it to be more social
- No, of course...I don't want someone to harm me or my kids
- No. Its nit. Omfirtable for children, families and seniors.
- Usually these picnic sites attract families which almost always have children with them. Having drunks roaming the same grounds as our children givings me doubts on my kids safety.
- No. I can't expose my kids to nagative behaviours and safety risks associated with alcohol consumption. We already facing problems from drinking and driving, why would we bring the risks to our parks and picnic areas were kids are there?!
- No, i have 3 kids
- No. It would be smelly
- No, we go for picninc to enjoy with kids and family, not to see drunkerd running around.
- NO! Our family has no need to go to a park and drink alcohol.
- 
- No
- Yes, sometimes. It depends on the company I'm with.
- No, because what's the meaning of "park"? It's basically a place for kids and family gathering
- I would not chose a site that allows liquor. I will not expose my children to such a spectacle. I do agree that this a private matter and people are free to do as they please but children need safe places to play in and grow. We created parks for that.
- I would not.
- Never
- No, mentioned my concerns in above question.
- No
- No.
- No. Dont need alcohol to have fun
- No. People are out of their senses and act indecently that is not acceptable in public places.
- yes
- No, because of the above mentioned concerns
- Not at all , we need to keep our parks clean and safe from liquor
- Yes because I enjoy having a drink with my meals and with my friends
- No because of reasons above
- No. For safety reasons
- Certainly not.
- No

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- Yes, to allow the option
- Not at all
- 
- I would probably stop visiting those picnic sites where liquor is permitted.
- Yes, it would be more fun.
- Never
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- anytime that dogs are out if leash
- 
- Yes to give people the choice. We shouldn't try and control it to not have it happen as people will always find a way to beat the system and that's when it can be potentially dangerous more often allowing it and people will act responsibly
- 
- Never ever. I cannot expose my family to such practice.
- No. People don't need to drink that badly.
- Yes because I enjoy drinking outdoors.
- I would not choose site that allow liquor consumption I checked my concern in option number 2 already
- yes, would a be great common area to meet friends and family and we usually have a couple drinks at bbqs or family functions to celebrate
- No
- I have never booked a picnic site.
- Yes.
- No, I do not want to see drunk people and it is not safe
- No not a good idea
- No....alcohol is not a need nor is it necessary for people to drink in a public park!
- Yes. Nothing goes better with a BBQ than a nice cold beer. You can drink while camping so this would be a nice 'getaway' within city limits.
- No. People can enjoy the park without liquor drinking.
- It's ok in private places but no public site, people overconsume and loss their control and causes severe problems
- 
- No, do not want my children in the environment.
- Yes. With the option being there I would enjoy bringing something to drink.
- No.
- I would not choose a table allowing liquor consumption because I do not believe liquor should be allowed in public parks where children are present

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- No . Don't spoil family places
- Yes if I was planning on staying to indulge as well
- No..don't need liquor to have fun
- Yes
- Never, there will not be a family environment.
- Yes, people are drinking anyway. This geta calgarians into their community
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- No...safety concern
- Yes. Would like to be able to drink while there
- No. I don't believe that liquor or any intoxicating substance should be consumed in public.
- Yes. Beer in the sun is a great perk
- NO ! i want my kids to have a safe environment to play in. I dont want them to witness unruly behaviour and foul languages used by drunks. Please keep our parks safe for the sake of our kids .
- No. I use picnic sites for family parties with kids. I don't want my kids to be surrounded with drunk people
- No
- Yes, because of my above comments.
- Yes. That's how it should be. Strict laws create more problems. This way people will be more responsible while enjoying a drink in the park.
- Yes, so I can have a beer with my hotdog?
- Yes, because a cold beer outdoors with friends is nice. I also dont have a backyard
- Yes, given the social function.
- No too loud
- no, since it potential cause a damage behaviour
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- No, people don't have to consume liquor everywhere they go!
- Yes - it is community building
- Yes. Nice to have the option
- no
- No
- yes, so I could have a beer
- No.. I do not like my kids to be exposed to drunk people. Parks are for all people from ages coming together to enjoy the nature, the clean air and to enjoy the time. I want to have a safe place for my kids
- No because others nearby will also alliw liquor.

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- No, it's against my religious beliefs
- No. Drinking should only be on private property.
- Will choose the one that doesn't due to safety
- No
- Yes, same answer as the above question.
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- No I won't because I like to enjoy my day
- No, I don't think public drinking has any positive benefits
- No because of not wanting to deal with potentially drunken behaviour
- Yes, if convenient
- No. Drinking and driving
- No
- Yes, to have the option available.
- No liquor, there are people who can not control the amount they should take, its unsafe.
- Yes designated area for drinking
- No.Safety
- No I would not, I do not wish for my kids to see the consumption of alcohol. It is a personal choice but it should not be allowed in Calgary parks
- No, because people visits picnic place with their family and friends to enjoy, not to put themselves in problem.
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- Yes
- Yes - because it last how we enjoy our spare time - people do it anyways, you're fooling yourselves if you think otherwise.
- No at all in open place
- No.We strongly believe not to expose our children and picnic sites to liquor .
- Yes. I think most people are likely to only have one or two drinks which doesn't impose any issues to the rest of the public but increases the likelihood that we would go to the park
- 
- Yes,
- No. Not in favour of allowing liquor in public.
- No
- I would not if it allowed it because if the City allows this, I will boycott it.
- Yes, but they should all allow consumption.
- No. Parks are better when nature is enjoyed for what it is, without intoxicants, real and raw.
- No

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- No, alcohol changes people's behaviour to loud and aggressive. Don't want that at an open park setting. Do people not know how to enjoy a good time without alcohol?
- No because one doesn't need to enjoy the day.
- Yesssssss
- Yes
- 
- No, kids exposed.
- Yes, I like to enjoy a nice cold beer outdoors on a nice day so might as well do it legally and not have to be confined to my house.
- No bcz they will be in the park after all
- No
- No. Picnic sites are not for liquor consumption. One should have it at home.
- Yes
- No, we don't want to ruin the value of heritage.
- No
- Not supportive of liquors at the park sites.
- 
- No
- Yes.
- No, i wont be comfortable and i am gonna loose th fan there by waching the drunk people behaviors.
- No. I don't want my children exposed to liquor at that early stage.
- Again, did not know it was illegal but everyone drinks so don't think it matters. I think non alcoholic people would gravitate to the no alcohol zones which would help any worries about being around disorderly people.
- no. i dont consume alcohol neither would like other people drinking it in a park
- No. I dont support drinking in public spaces.
- No because liquor usually leads to disorderly behaviour. It's totally unnecessary.
- Yes because it allows people to enjoy themselves just as they would if they were at home.
- No, picnic time is a family time, and a family time must be a safe time!!!
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- No. I rather avoid disruptive behaviour (reminds me of camp grounds and noise from drunken camping neighbours). We also have young children who play in the grass and I can imagine broken bottles being an issue.
- No because picnic is to spend some time family and friend not on liquor
- No, lots of safety concerns.
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- Sometimes, depending on the event (ie maybe would for a birthday celebration for an adult where a few families are gathering)
- Not
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- No
- Yes. I like my civil liberty to consume alcohol.
- Yes. I want to be able to legally drink in public and this is a first step towards fewer restrictions.
- Would avoid at all costs
- I would not choose one that allowed liquor because I shouldn't have to be apprehensive about a possible drunk stranger; in the park or driving away from it.
- Yes
- Yes. My family are comfortable with liquor being around.
- No
- 
- 100% I like a cold beer on a hot summer day :)
- Absolutely, it's nice to have the option. I've travelled the world and sitting by the river(beach/ocean) and having A beverage with friends or family is wonderful.
- No, because the enjoyment of my group would be more likely to be impacted by other groups consuming alcohol, but not responsibly, and behaving poorly.
- No, don't need alcohol to enjoy the outdoors.
- No. Use of alcohol should not be allowed at public places where you are with ur family and kids
- No for above reasons
- Liquor should not be allowed openly. Picnic site or the Train Stations
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- Absolutely. Because i typically plan events at home so that adults can drink if they want, but if I could be in a nice park that would be better.
- No, it's dangerous for public safety and property also children can affect from this.
- No
- 
- Not personally
- There could be a family area.
- Indifferent.
- Yes.
- No, public safety
- No as I don't want my kids to be exposed to the liquor plus one cannot control the amount being consumed resulting in safety concerns
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- No, not at all. It will increase risk to my family.
- Depending on the event, yes
- no because of all the reason mentioned up
- No I see no need for it
- I would as it would give me the flexibility to choose whether or not I wanted to bring alcohol.
- No, public areas
- Defenitely not. I don't want my kids be around alcohol when in a park. People will go crazy in a picnic area with alcohol.
- Yes, to enjoy a drink
- No
- Yes because most people I know like to have a drink
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- Generally yes. In our family consuming alcohol in moderation during family gatherings is the norm and acceptable. If no alcohol in parks, we don't go for family gatherings. If just immediate family, we would likely not care as we wouldn't likely drink.
- yes.
- Yes. It's very common in Europe to enjoy a bottle of wine with your picnic.
- No never i don't need to deal drunks around my children nor explore them to that environment.
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- No I dont drink. And if we have limited police resources to enforce bylaws I dont want to deal with picnicking near intoxicated people that arent abiding by the laws
- No
- Yes. I love the idea of being able to share a bottle of wine with friends at a park, I would that it extends past just picnic sights and includes places the central memorial and princes island so that people in downtown can enjoys those spaces
- No, because I would want the children to veiw liquor consumption as a norm.
- Yes! BBQ without alcohols is not fun especially in sunny day.
- No. Because I would keep like to keep the kids away from people using liquor. There's always the chance that people might get drunk and that endangers kids safety.
- No,no more safety
- Never
- Yes, I'm off European descent and drinking alcohol is part of my culture. I don't get drunk very often if ever, and this is the standard we should expect from people who not only drink in public, but who drink alcohol in general.
- Yes, so I could have a glass of wine with friends without having to pay a restaurant insane fees.
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- no, I am against to allow liquor because of above reason.

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- No. Because my kids will not be playing safely. I will be very concerned about their safety. They will be exposed to unhealthy environment.
- No consumption of liquor
- No . Unsafe for kids
- Yes if it is for an special celebration. If it is only a day outdoors then it is not important.
- No, for religious reasons
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- Yes, would be nice to have a choice
- No, because when I am at a picnic site, I do not want to have to deal with drunk people. If I wanted to hang out around drunk people, then I would go to a bar.
- No it is against my religion and not a sensible way to have picnic keep this as home or indoor parties
- Yes , same reason as above.
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- No because of the same reasons which I have mentioned in above answer.
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- No
- No I wouldn't. Because I would prefer to have a beer in a bar or restaurant
- 
- Yes. Freedom of choice.
- No
- No
- Not when with my children
- No for all the reason above in question #2
- i have no problem choosing one. we are all mature enough and we all can behave well
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- No, because I am concern of exposing my family to the use of alcohol, and the danger of being around drunk person who can not control their behavior
- Yes to have fun
- Yes please. Because I would love to have a picnic, drink a glass of wine and spend time in nature.
- No
- No
- Yes
- No, for the reasons selected in question 2 above.
- No Because of the concerns mentioned above
- No. I don't think parks are appropriate places to drink liquor
- Yes because it will allow for a nice romantic picnic sipping wine and eating food



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- No because its not good for kids and family environment
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- Yes, I have brought liquor to parks before hoping that a compliance officer would not see. This way I could do so legally.
- No, parks are meant to have a good time in open environment with fresh air.
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- No. I don't want my children to expose to liquor.
- Yes. It is nice to enjoy a beer or glass of wine when having a picnic. Sometimes it is to toast a celebration.
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- Yes I would. The option to have a drink with friends or family while picnicking would be a perk. I'd rather be outdoors than in a pub.
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- Yes. Best way to enjoy.
- Yes ! My family likes to have drinks in the summer always refreshing
- No
- No, i think drinking should have its own place as before and damage of public use of drink is more than its benefit
- No, unless security or police is present at the park
- no. I believe there are many concerns if it is allowed to drink in parks.
- Yes, because I enjoy a cold beer in the sun or a hot Baileys around a fire
- Yes
- Yes, most definitely. I think many people would enjoy a beer or a glass of wine while on a picnic.
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- No because kids concerns
- Yes. I think it would be nice to incorporate wine or beer with a picnic (food pairings).
- We will have a choice to drink alcohol or not
- People tend to get unruly and loud when they drink and I would hate to be next to their picnic site so that it ruins my picnic.
- I never choose liquor parks cuz drunk people may abuse other people.
- Yes, liquor is something we regularly consume responsibly
- Yes. I like beer.
- Yes. Beer would be nice during bbq events

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- No because all the reckless behaviours that might be caused by liquor consumption
- no, while relaxing and having fun i would like to not come upon a bunch of drunk people as they usually act indecent and put them selves and others at risk by their alteration in their mental state
- No.im going to the park to have a good time with my family and not to see people drinking and getting drunk and starting fights and what kind of example are kids are learning.
- No, not safe
- No. Children are in the park
- No because no one is available to monitor amount consumed.
- No i wont as picnic is a family time.
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- No, I wouldn't want to deal with others getting drunk and disorderly
- If one site allowed and one didn't and they were in close proximity to each other and where we had gone hiking or site seeing we would choose the one that allowed alcohol Just because it's a nice addition to our picnic lunch or bbq
- No, parks are for kids to have fun and not worry about drunk people urinating and swearing in public
- Yes
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- Depends on the people attending, not for families.
- Yes
- No. I don't think it is an activity that should be done in public spaces
- Yes, cheese and fruit taste so much better with wine
- Yes. Because I like to have a beer with a meal.
- Yes, then it doesn't need to be hidden anymore
- 
- Yes, to have the freedom to have a beer with friends
- When do you think guards on duty are free for the spree to have control on the scenes?
- No never I would never book a site where Liquor and Cannabis is allowed. I am against drinking and Liquor.
- Doesn't really matter to me.
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- No, safety concerns
- No, we are s family with children and I don't want to subject them to public drunkenness. I understand most people would obey laws, but there are always others that don't.
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- No, If I wanted to be around those under the influence of alcohol I would go to a bar. I don't don't believe children should be exposed to something that isn't legal for minors.
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- yes, picnic and beer go together in normal society
- No, I don't want my kids around any drunk people
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- I will not choose any site allows liquor, I don't want my kids to be exposed to drunk people. This like allowing minors to access pubs.
- Yes !
- Yes. I enjoy an alcoholic beverage with family picnics
- No
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- Nope
- No
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- Depends on the function I'm planning. I would choose based on the needs of our group.
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- No
- No, I don't want to be surround my kids with drunk people. Kids being attended by people that are drunk.
- Never.
- Yes why go to a park with boring rules
- no; there is the risk of drunk people; picnic sites must be family friendly where children are safe; allowing liquor will danger our children's safety
- N/A
- Yes - I would like a drink with my meal and don't want to risk a ticket.
- No, if I am booking it is to be expected that children will be there.
- No drinking period.
- No and also that is taking away from normal picnic sights that people wouldn't chose anymore because liquor would be a causal thing there
- Yes. It is just nice to be able to enjoy a beer or a cool glass of white wine at a picnic site.
- No....as per concerns over consuming too much and who will monitor
- Sometimes depending on the occasion.
- Yes.
- Yes
- Never
- No

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- I would choose no Liquor consumption because it may increase the occurrence of unethical behavior
- No comments
- No do not want to be exposed to drunks as they would be the ones to take advantage
- No...see 2) above
- No
- No, don't want to be around that.
- No, I wouldn't trust that people would be drinking responsibly around me and my family.
- Yes, freedom of choice.
- I wouldn't because if I was going with family I would actually AVOID the particular site. Don't make people chose sites over another just because of liquor. Come on! We have bigger issues. If you want to drink, do so at home or pub.
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- No, there are always some people that will abuse the privilege and wreck it for the ones that abide by the law and common sense.
- Yes, would be nice to have the option
- Yes. Sometimes it can be very relaxing and enjoyable to reasonably consume alcohol outside in a public space
- No because surrounding environment will be uncomfortable due to nonsense talk and bad odour
- no... possibility of broken glass nearby... disorderly conduct, drunkenness/safety concerns
- who is going to monitor this? Enforce laws of disorderly conduct. Last I saw open liquor unless having a liquor licence for an event with a limit of people allowed it was illegal
- Yes, if it is for 4 or more friends or family
- Yes, food and wine/beer and summer just mix well.
- No...not necessary or appropriate to drink in parks
- No
- no
- No, because liquor should be consumed in Bars or homes
- NOPE!!!! I don't want to be around loud mouthed drunkin idiots!! That's what would happen if this is allowed.
- Yes, I would choose based on site, not rules.
- No, will not feel safe, there will always be people who do not follow the rules and city cannot guaranteed public safety
- No because of obvious reason if getting drunk in public
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- Yes, I enjoy having a drink while relaxing and having a picnic, especially on a hot summers day
- No. I have children and they will not feel safe in drinking environment
- No I'd rather be on a safe park than a park where kids and my family can safely enjoy
- Yes it will make picnic enjoyable
- No.
- No
- No. I don't want to be exposed with a bunch of drunk people. Liquor consumption should only be allowed in private properties or pubs where minority are not allowed.
- No, people tend to get obnoxious, loud when drinking, and I don't want to be subjected to this. Nor do I want my family subjected to a potentially bad situation.
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- Yes because it offers flexibility for the picnic group, whether to consume or not. Allows for an added social aspect/comfort, to consume an alcoholic beverage respectfully and responsibly.
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- No, I have kids
- Definitely not!
- As most of the events I organise are adults only; I would select sites which allow liquor consumption.
- Yes, because having a glass of wine with a picnic is lovely
- No for the safety of public especially children and adolescents.
- No - wouldn't want another table nearby with drunken people who could harass me
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- No, I don't want to have to deal with drunken and disorderly behaviour which is already the case despite being illegal. See Riley Park!
- No. If you want a drink in the outdoors, use your yard or patio.
- Yes, I think that gives the option to book picnic areas alcohol free.
- No because I don't want my kids get close to people who drink and smell awful.
- No, alcohol will likely lead to over consumption and disorderly conduct
- Yes, beer goes good with a barbeque
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- No. Thinking that there will no abuse of alcohol consumption in public areas is very naive and reckless for those we elect into office to better our communities. You will enable our homeless to their addiction more easily as well.
- Don't wish to be near gangs of rowdy drunken teens
- No
- I would definitely choose one that allows liquor because I like to drink at picnics and would like to do so without worrying about getting a ticket.

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- Yes. To be able to enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my picnic
- No because I want a safe environment for my kids.
- 100% YES
- Nope I wouldn't I don't want me children seeing this kind of things if you want to drink do it At home not in public
- 
- No, as by religion we don't consume it
- Yes. I like to have a drink or two at a social gathering/family occasion.
- Yes, absolutely. This is the only picnic site I would book. A glass of red makes for a more enjoyable meal (and a longer life)
- No I would not pick any that allows liquor it is inappropriate to have liqure where there are family's around
- No, because I don't want to be in association with drunk homeless and/or indigineous.
- No. Safety issues and kids should not be exposed to liquors.
- See above.
- No, I would not trust the drinkers.
- I would not chose a picnic site where there is any liquor being consumed as drinking in public is only asking for trouble, and only someone who is blind to this would think otherwise.
- No.
- Yes. I like to have a social glass of wine with dinner
- No, do not want children being exposed to them
- 
- No, no interest in consuming liquor in a park setting where families with small children frequent.
- Yes, every time. Liquor is a part of my family's life.
- No, Because we are not want to show our new generation at public places
- No
- Yes. Because I want to be able to have an alcoholic beverage while picnicking
- Yes because I like to enjoy wine/cider with my lunches and snacks.
- Yes. Always. At least it gives those attending the choice.
- No, it hurt other families in park who don't drink and kids. Should respect to all religions.
- Why not?
- yes because having a drink with friends
- No, same reasons above
- No, when we come as families with little kids those things exposed to them. There will be behaviour disorders issues too for public safety.

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- Yes, born and raised in a culture where liquor is sold at the grocery store and allows drinking in public places
- Yes. Why not give people the option to have a beer or glass of wine? Especially if it's for a special event. Many already do!
- No, Because we don't drink liquor
- No, because of the concern raised in question above.
- No
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- Yes. I enjoy consuming alcohol outdoors
- No! Bad enough our air is now polluted with pot smell in the parks, don't want to worry about potential loud drunk people behaviour not being monitored.
- No, for all the above reasons
- No...dont want kids to see liquor consumption by adult because of their intoxicated behavior
- Yes. It's nice to have a drink with friends and current options are only on private property or a bar. Nice to be able to have another environment to enjoy.
- No.
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes. Because a cold beer goes really well with a bbq hamburger.
- No, we would generally have our small kids with us. Potential for a rowdier environment if alcohol is allowed, so wouldn't want to bring my kids around that if not necessary.
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- Wouldn't make a difference to me.
- No liquor is bad influence on children
- Would depend on the group.
- Definitely not
- Allows. A glass of wine or beer on a hot day is harmless
- No, because I am usually with my children and families.
- No, don't want to be around unruly behaviour.
- Yes. It's social and it's happening in everyone's back decks on a hot day anyways. It would be nice to take that same jovial summer evening down to the river or a walk around a park.
- Yes, it would be enjoyable to have a drink with the meal
- Yes because wine and beer are part of the meal. It's civilized.
- I wouldn't avoid doing so but its very unlikely to impact my decision. When booking a picnic site, I expect that only my group will be present so it will be an alcohol-free event regardless.
- No, as it could be unsafe to bring my kids to a place where the uncontrollable liquor consumers are present.

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- No not at all, because increase of disorderly behavior may occur.,and children can be influenced by this liquor too.
- No
- Yes, because it's nice to have the option to drink or not to drink when gathering with people.
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- Yes. I believe everyone should have the option to responsibly enjoy an alcoholic beverage
- No
- Absolutely not
- No, I don't drink and I don't want to be in a site where people are drinking openly.
- No. For the reasons selected above.
- Yes, because I would like the option to have a drink while enjoying the sun with family and friends
- Yes. Nothing better than a burger and a beer.
- no because I don't think it would be safe as I think there could be fights etc, what example are we setting the children?
- 
- No there are so many other places to consume alcohol we do not need any other places
- No
- No
- Yes, because it allows for a casual social gathering without having to be in someone's home or at a bar. Great opportunity to use city parks in a different way.
- Yes, as liquor consumption in moderation enhances the experience for those that enjoy it.
- No i wouldnt because i wouldnt want to go for a picnic where poeple r drinking and getting drunk because that would be very disturbing.
- Yes, I think it's great to have options
- Yes.
- Yes.
- Yes, because that's an enjoyable aspect of gatherings with friends
- No. I am not in favour of allowing liquor in any picnic site
- Yes, who doesn't love a drink on a hot day
- 
- No,because of all above reasons.
- No
- Yes, bc I'm choosing location of view. But if there is any whiff of regular disorderly drunken behaviour happening there, I would start to avoid that site.
- Never. Don't want kids to be around any drunk bunch
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- Always yes. I'd rather stay home if it's not allowed. Why should I bother going to a site where I can't enjoy something I like.
- If it's covered from all the sides then yes otherwise no
- No. I don't agree with alcohol being used around children in public places.
- Definitely not. Bad influence on families with children attending any outdoor activities.
- no
- I would stop using picnic sites and parks
- It wouldn't matter to me personally.
- I won't book a picnic site that allows Liquor consumption. I just won't go to that park.
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- No
- No, the risk of exposure to disorderly behaviour and drinking and driving is too high.
- Yes, so people that don't want to have other people drinking around they can choose those ones
- No
- Yes. That is the only way I would book a picnic site.
- No... at least parks should be clean from people consuming liquor as it will attract related issues as well.
- Yes. Having a casual beer in the summer is a very natural and social activity.
- No .. I don't want to put up with the noise and disruption when I am trying to have a picnic with my family. My grandkids don't need to see public drunkenness.
- No, I want to eliminate any risk associated with consuming alcohol.
- No, I think it is not safe to participate in picnic activities after consumption of liquor
- 
- Not
- No. Would avoid because of increased rowdiness
- No, exposure to children and increase in disorderly behavior.
- No, because I am against liquor in the parks.
- Yes. We go with our family to restaurants that allow alcohol. Why not a park? People don't have to drink in a park, just like they don't have to drink in a restaurant. Let responsible people be responsible. Irresponsible will be irresponsible any
- No. For the reasons mentioned above.
- Yes, as it gives people the option to enjoy a drink.
- Yes
- No, public parks should not be places for alcohol consumption.
- I would prefer booze friendly, why not? If it can be done elsewhere in the world why can't we shake off the puritanical shackles?
- No. Want peace and quiet, not boorish, drunken behaviour

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- No, I want I avoid all that which have mentioned above
- no. i dont think liquor will help you in enjoying your family time.
- No
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- No. I have kids and their safety is my first priority
- if it goes through then yes for sure. That will pay the price for any damages done to our natural parks.
- 
- No, the behavior of others drinking around my kids would be a concern for me
- Yes because it's a social event where adults would like to enjoy a few beverages
- No because drunk people are not easy to deal with and they ruin parties.
- No
- Yes, 99% of people are responsible with it
- Not at all , keeping in mind all the negative impact that I've checked above
- Yes, I believe in allowing people to consume alcohol in moderation for enjoyment.
- Yes, definitely. Having a nice, cold drink outdoors is awesome.
- 
- I'd choose a site that does not allow liquor.its keeps the picnic site free of bad optics, bad behaviour and keeps everyone safe
- Yes, I would choose one that allows liquor. Having a beer or cider or wine with a bbq will bring people together in public spaces more often
- Yes because it would allow for us to host our friends outdoors. We live in a small condo so being in a park is more ideal to have an event like our sons birthday party.
- Yes, so I can enjoy beverages with friends/family for special occasions
- No unsafe for children
- No , to show my objection
- 
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- Not at all
- Yes, for certain events. Child focused activities would not require a site with liquor consumption (such as Scouts).
- No, because I want to enjoy instead of being around drunks.
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- Yes. I would like to be able to drink while having a picnic
- No..... Due to potential disordered behavior. Further i wouldn't like to expose my kids to seeing drinking alcohol

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- Yes. Because it's nice to have a bonfire with a bbq and beer or a glass of wine. I
- No....because I do not prefer Liquor in Public Space same as Smoking
- It would be a benefit
- Not at all
- Yes of course
- 
- Yes but I don't think it should be limited to a picnic site.
- Yes. I would love to be able to enjoy a glass of wine in the park with friends and family.
- No,
- No- as alcohol has no good in it
- Yes, because it is nice to have the option. There are other laws to deter people from making irresponsible decisions while drinking. And I am an adult capable of making choices. Also people have been drinking in public this entire time anyways.
- Yes. People are only judgemental because the rules exist to begin with.
- Yes, i would like to have a beer if I'm having a bbq
- see #3
- Yes. I would like the option to drink responsibly if I'm enjoying a meal at a picnic table with friends. The same rules should apply to outdoor consumption as it currently is indoors
- Yes because it is will make the experience better.
- No....just don't think it goes with the Park atmosphere
- Yes. Make the city social, people go out of Calgary for fun and that's a failure of city management up to this point.
- No people will drinks and drive
- No, due to numerous reasons such as unsafe supervision, children around, drunk drivers, it's a picnic site for family and friends not a bar for a reason!
- No liquor should not be allowed
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- No, I don't drink when not at home.
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- No because it becomes a safety concern
- I won't book at any picnic site where liquor is consumed for safety of my family.
- Yes. I love to enjoy a beer while bbq'ing.
- No, because I am not in favour of being next to people who would be too loud due to the influence of liquor consumption.
- Yes.
- No

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- No. I don't want my kids to experience or witness erratic behaviour or violence that is an inevitable outcome.
- Yes, I would because my friends and family enjoy having an alcoholic beverage while we visit together. It would be nice to do so at other places than just a bar.
- No I wouldn't! I don't want my children exposed to this environment .
- No for safety purposes.
- No.
- Yes
- Nooo, I want my family to be safe while having our neighbors in their mind to a nice day. Picnic sites have enough of irresponsible behaviors that ruins the day for others. our kids and families should not be around alcohol specially in public areas.
- No--don't want to deal with more d&d teens and adults!
- No
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- Maybe. I don't personally like alcohol or drink people and would much rather smoke a joint.
- No.
- Depends who I was with. Generally, no.
- No, I don't book sites. I just like hanging out in the parks and to consume a glass of wine would be lovely.
- I would choose one where Liquor consumption is not allowed because I do not want my children to be exposed to that kind of stuff and it is also a safety hazard. What if there is a broken bottle and a child steps on it by accident. That is a huge problem.
- No
- No ... we want our kids to be safe and don't want any exposure .
- No...because it effect on others
- Don't book picnic sites
- Yes, because I enjoy a beer on a hot day.
- 
- No, to set a good example to kids and support those who need to cut their alcohol consumption.
- No. I will not expose my kids to drinking habit and my family to possibly drunk people.
- No for sure, public drinking should not be accepted for any reason
- 
- No because I don't drink.
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- No. We do not drink at all.
- No, who wants to share time with people who are not fully conscious ?
- No

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- Yes - to have the option to enjoy a drink with lunch/dinner
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- No, cuz I don't want to leave my kids between few drunk people.
- Please don't drink alcohol any public sites
- No
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- Why yes
- Yes, cause I like to have a couple cold beer on a nice day.
- No
- Yes... this is a self explanatory question
- No
- No, picnic is family time with safe place for kids to play
- Yes.
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- No!
- No, because I have children! And i donf want my kids to be harmed because you will give a chance for others to get drunk
- yes, most people drink responsibly,
- Yes, because if consumed responsibly there should be no cause for alarm or concern.
- Yes. My freedom of choice.
- 
- Depends on situation. If we meet with friends then yes, if we just came with family for 1-2 hours then no
- No I think there is a time and place for alcohol drinking. Same policies should be applied as for smoking. Smoking causes issues for surrounding people and therefore aren't allowed at picnic areas, only detonated spots. Same applies for alcohol!
- No way. I dont want to spend my day with the spell of liquor or any liquor consumption. As its dangerous to health
- Yes. I like a beer or two.
- No. I will avoid parks that will allow that.
- Yes to have the opportunity
- No. I don't want my children to be exposed to alcohol or disorderly behaviour due to alcohol consumption.
- 
- yes - would be nice to be able to have a drink while enjoying food in the park
- No, drink & drive isn't fun for other
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- No as I mentioned them above by checking marks
- No. The reasons are mentioned in number 2.
- No, I wouldn't want to be close to groups who are drinking, as alcohol can increase rude and threatening behaviour.
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- No because there are my children running around I don't think it's safe
- No. I do not wish kids to be exposed to alcohol at early age.
- no, I wont. It's a place where families gather to enjoy. We dont want drunk ppl around.
- No, I don't like to be with my family in this environment
- No
- Yes, if someone is booking it then it's personal and no one has any right to interfere
- No because I wouldn't want to risk my enjoyment with my family with potentially rowdy drunks
- No
- No
- Yes. Who doesn't love a beer on a hot day
- No, picnic sites are open to everyone
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- No. I really don't book parties in the parks.
- No, mainly because of safety issues and the effect on kids
- No, from kids and family perspective its not good at all.
- No it would ruin the outing
- Yes because it's nice to be able to enjoy a beer while having a picnic or bbq especially in the summer.
- 
- No, I usually go to park with kids to have fun and show them active lifestyle not a drunk lifestyle and driving home drunk.
- Yes if adults no if kids
- Yes, i luke a nice beer
- If there is a park available that allows liquor comsumption, I would book that park. But I'm also okay with a park not allowing liquor consumption.
- No, not safe
- Yes
- No I don't drink very often
- Yes. I definitely want to increase the comfort of my guests and honour the variability of their preferences.

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- Absolutely. For the reasons listed above. Drinking should of course still be responsible, however there should be nothing wrong with enjoying a drink and taking advantage of our underutilized parks.
- No, I don't drink.
- Yes. We enjoy a glass of beer and wine. It enhances the enjoyment of food and a social event.
- No because of previously spilled alcohol
- No because of the above concerns
- does not matter to me personally as my family does not drink
- Yes cause in the summer and it's hot it's always nice to have a refreshing drink
- yes
- No, never. There is no need for people to be consuming alcohol in public parks. I have small children, whom I wish to protect from irresponsible drinkers. On top of that, there is no way to control how much people are consuming, as in licensed shops.
- No, I would not choose a place where liquor allowed
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- No, ita negetively effects children.
- No. Don't want to expose my kids to this sightw
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- Yes, we should trust the adults to drink and share repsosibly with those around them. It lead to liquor enhancing an occasion and not being one. Which is what illicit usage encourages
- I definitely would. I like to have a few beers while bbqing and I would love to be able to book a site that allows my friends to do the same.
- yes
- No. You don't need alcohol to enjoy outdoors.
- Depends on the occasion, but it's nice to have the option to have a picnic with wine or beer, or a playful soccer or frisbee game and be able to have a beer afterwards.
- No, I would choose one that does not allow liquor consumption, especially that I have children.
- No in my opinion more trash will be left behind more drunk drinking in areas where kids are playing running around
- no because why would you want to drink in front of a little child? And expose that to them at a young age?
- No
- Yes, my friends and I enjoy having a beer on a nice day outside in a park.
- No,
- No, should be able to go to a clean area and also doesn't stink. People don't care when they drink and get a few in them, especially when drunk. People spill all over the place. Contamination in the picknick tables and grounds.

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- I would not , to avoid any risk of my family being in a place where liquor is allowed hence being around people who has over drunk where could be an negative incidents.
- No drinking shouldn't be around children
- Yes. Assuming people don't abuse the privilege, what a great way to spend an afternoon.
- I'll stay away from such places
- I am not a person who drinks a lot of alcohol but I do think a cold drink on a hot summer day during a bbq outdoors is very appealing to a lot of people.
- Yes, keeps the options open.
- No as it is not acceptable in my religion and culture
- Yes
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- Yes
- Yes - Maximum choice
- Yes. Better options. Who doesn't want to play a game of soccer, frisbee, whatever and have a refreshment prior? I'd book my wedding reception in such a site.
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- Yes.
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- Yes, as it allows me and my friends and family to have fun while casually enjoying a beverage (many of which are produced locally)
- yes,it's nice to have a drink with a meal.
- No. I don't think liquor should be allowed at any
- If it is allowed then I will choose not to go to that picnic site which allows liquor. Will stay away from liquor consumption picnic site.
- No. It is not ideal
- No. Will stop going to picnic areas
- 
- No, kids live in this world too help them grow healthy.
- Sure, because we like to drink
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- No. Still I'd feel the park is unsafe for children
- No
- Yes refer to answer 3 I prefer wine with my brisket
- No. To keep my family/children away from any disruptive behaviour.
- No. I have a baby and I would not be comfortable being around strangers drinking near her as I do not know how they would act should they become drunk and disorderly.
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- Yes. I enjoy consuming wine with meals
- I would choose one, they should all allow liquor consumption.
- No. Because some of the concerns mentioned above.
- No because of my concerns stated above.
- Yes! Our family enjoys a drink or two and this would get us outside to spend time together
- I would pick because of location not whether or not I can consume liquor. Truth is people who want to drink that bad -do
- Yes
- 
- Yes because many of my friends enjoy having a couple drinks
- Absolutely, if I'm going to a park on a hot sunny day, I want to be able to have a beer or two
- No, i do not want my children to be in any potential danger from anyone that cannot control their drinking or their behavior runs drinking
- Yes would like to enjoy a few drinks with good friends and family in the outdoors.
- 
- No , usualy i go picnic with my son.
- No. Concern is consequences of liquor consumption
- Yes
- Yes.
- No liquor
- No liquor
- No that break the environment
- Absolutely yes, restricting consumption anywhere is wrong as long as I'm not being disruptive
- Yes, so I can bring beer if I want.
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- Strongly against to allow Liquor consumption at any place... it is dangerous as people may drive after its consumption. We should condemn it.
- No
- No safety
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- no. it should mot be involved in public family areas
- No i dont like liquor
- No, I don't want to expose to my children
- No, I dont like my child see people with liquor on hand
- yes, i like to enjoy wine with picnic foods.

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- Yes. Many social gatherings involve liquor. In a safe way of course.
- Yes. To be apart of the atmosphere !
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- N/A
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- Yes. Having a beer or two on a nice day with family or friends would be nice.
- YES, because my yard is too tiny to host people.
- Neutral to this question. I would be fine with either site, just not fine with the promotion of alcohol consumption in our public parks. Let's keep them as safe, enjoyable areas for our families and visitors.
- No. These are family zones. If alcohol consumed people, there can be safety concerns, harassment, and damage to parks.
- Yes. Because then we can have a drink or two when we are there playing games and eating all day long. Especially when we do t it's normally to celebrate a passed family member
- Yes
- No, don't want to expose my children to this kind of environment
- Yes. Having a couple of drinks with friends while in parks would be nice.
- One with liquor, to be able to relax and have the freedom to enjoy the scenery. There's nothing like having a cold beer outside on a sunny day while lounging with friends!
- yes, its done anyways, might as well be legal
- Should be assumed with the booking
- Yes because I like to enjoy cold alcoholic beverages in the summer
- No, I would choose one further away from one that allows liquor consumption. Drunks are annoying and noisy.
- No. Do not want to be around open liquot in a public park that is supposed to be family oriented
- 
- If available possibly because why not but this would not be a deciding factor or a factor at all when choosing to go to the park
- 
- If there is a plan to drink
- No I will not. When I go to the park with my family I want to enjoy nature . I want to relax and worry about the behaviour of others.
- No, since it will lead to an unsafe environment for children and adults
- Yes. To have a picnic with a glass of wine for example is quite cultural and should be allowed
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- Yes I'm an adult I don't need constant policing
- No.

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- Yes, my family and friends enjoy having a drink when at a picnic.
- No - I don't drink and would like to keep away my kids from such environments.
- No,
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- Yes to have gatherings for our families rather than being confined to our back yard. More fresh air and exercise
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- Yes, because picnic and a cold drink in the summer is no harm to anyone, and much more enjoyable.
- No as I have kids and we go to enjoy not to drink. drinking should not be near kids
- No! There are children in parks. They don't need to see the effects of alcohol.
- NEVER . My group will chose a site WHERE LIQUOR is NOT SERVED .
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- Yes, because I like beer
- Yes - nice to enjoy a nice bottle of wine outside
- No. Not everybody could control their drinking level. It will open opportunity to create issue for the drunk person himself or other people around and environment.
- Yes, because it would allow my family the opportunity to responsibly consume alcohol will enjoying the parks.
- No
- No, to prevent disorderly behavior and for my children safety
- Yes, because I think it is a great opportunity for people to get involved and get to know each other outdoors. Not only has to be in bars or pubs
- Yes - a beer goes with a BBQ.
- If it was in a nice spot. I don't have a backyard so it'd be nice place to have a beer by the fire.
- No, for all the concerns indicated in question 2.
- No for safety concerns
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- No. As this would pose risk to children on picnic. The picnic grounds has to be family oriented.
- No, I do not need to see or hear or be part of a drunk person/people's party.
- No, it's unnecessary
- 
- Yes, because having a glass of wine or a beer in the summer while eating is okay anywhere else.
- Yes
- I would. I've often thought of booking for family get togethers, but people want to be able to enjoy a drink.
- Yes, because i wouldn't likely book one otherwise.

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- Yes. It would be nice to have a glass of wine with a picnic
- Yes
- Yes, I enjoy a drink or two with my meals and at social events.
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- Liquor shouldn't be allowed at public sites
- No, due to an increase in disorderly behavior, especially with my children around.
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- Of course, there's nothing better than a beer on a sunny day outside.
- Yes. The option is better than being the Debbie downer
- No because this will change excellent facility we have now.
- Primary use of parks should be kids and family friendly. Safety of kids is at risk.
- No. Children are exposed to seeing liquor use.
- Yes, a casual drink with food is always nice option to have.
- No never!! There's always people that get have the potential for dangerous behaviour when drinking. I'd be afraid to be near them. There would be more fights and violence. Too hard to police.
- No
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- Yes, reasons above. Liquor is part of our cultural way
- No. Parks should always be child safe and introducing alcohol negates that.
- Yes if my event lent itself to it. I like having more options and less worries about what is and isn't allowed
- no. it shoul not allowed liquor consumption in a picnic site.
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a beverage with my meal. What is the rationale for not allowed liquor?
- Never. Too much potential for danger.
- No
- Yes because if I can then why not.
- I would not choose one because I myself dont drink and I also would not want a fun picnic with friends or family to be potentially ruined by people getting too rowdy.
- Nope. Picnic is to enjoy with family. For drinking there is pub
- Yes. It is nice to have the option to enjoy a glass of wine or beer while being outdoors in the summer
- We wont book a picnic site if liquor is allowed there.
- Yes. See above
- Yes because it gives an option to drink there.
- No for the reasons checked above.
- No. As public picnic site is not a place to consume liquor

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- No, because I believe picnic spot should be available to everyone. Alcohol consumption will discourage lots of family to go to picnic with their families and there will be some safety concerns too
- Yes, because I love having a good liquor beverage with great food in the company of family and friends.
- Yes for sure as I love the idea of being able to have a cold beer or a glass of wine with my lunch or snack. Nothing more relaxing on a hot summer day.
- No. Areas without liquor would be more safe & cleaner for my children & myself
- No.
- No! I have young children so absolutely not!
- No, because children should not be exposed to that environment while playing around
- no
- 
- Yes because sometimes it's nice to have a beer or a wine at a picnic
- No go the safety
- Yes, I am an adult and would like to enjoy adult beverages at a barbecue.
- Yes. Because it's nice to have a choice.
- Depends on circumstances
- Yes, a nice beer or wine pairing enhances any meal
- When picnicking with friends it is nice to have the option to enjoy an alcoholic beverage in a beautiful area that is not accessible with all apartments
- No, I think it will attract hooligans and increase risk of dangerous behaviour as I think people will over-do it. I worry for the safety of my children
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- No
- No, if I want to drink outside, I would be going to a patio
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- My group will always book sites THAT DO NOT ALLOW LIQUOR. Also it is against Liquor law to drink below 18 yrs, teens will get free permit to drink in parks and that too unsupervised., i don't feel SAFE to let my kids in parks near our homes with this law!!!
- Yes- freedom
- Yes, to accommodate guests and not have to hide drinks
- No, don't want the risk of verbal or physical abuse. Likely broken glass. Extra noise
- No. Enjoy the outdoors and family time.
- Yes! We spent Father's Day and mother's at Prince's Island but if another park were to allow wine we would go there.
- Yes. We like to have family gatherings and enjoy a drink

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- I will not choose that picnic site if Liquor allowed. Liquor should not be allowed anywhere due to health and safety issues
- Yes
- Yes, only if I would like to have a beer and I am not driving.
- None
- if only decided limited number of park open for consumption
- 
- Depends if there'll be children
- 
- Yes, so that it is an option for those who want it
- I might so I and those accompanying me could enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes because that gives the opportunity for people to consume alcohol if they please. No restrictions so people have a choice.
- Yes. Because it would be more enjoyable.
- Yes. Because having a beer with a BBQ on a hot day is really nice.
- Depends on the event.
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- Yes picnic would be more enjoyable
- Yes if I wanted to have liquor I guess I would have to
- Yes
- No, I don't want my kids to look at the people who are busy drinking. Picnic means spending time together, if someone is drinking that means he is busy drinking how he will be in his senses if any emergency happened how they can help specially if someone is
- No.
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- No, I have young children
- I'd rather not have my quiet fish creek picnics over run by obnoxious BBQs
- No. Safety concerns
- No. Because parks are for public, where people come with family so there should be concerns about it. Also it's not private place where anyone come with liquor and drink in front of others and spoiled, misbehave.
- Yes
- no never
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- yes, having a couple of cold beers on a hot day
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- No.

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- Non i will not feel comfortable and safe with my family
- No, neither I drink nor my kids. People don't drink responsibly, roads won't be safe.
- No because of the risk to others if they are overly drunk
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- Yes.
- No way. Don't make public park an outdoor bar
- Yes, see above.
- Yes. Because then i could have that optionn to drink if i wanted to
- Yes I likely would. Being able to have a beer while cooking or just eating as you do at many social events would have an appeal.
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- Never , I will put my self and my family in a disorderly situation.
- Yes!
- Yes, the majority of adults are responsible enough to enjoy a drink and not let it get out of hand. The ones that can't be responsible would easily be dealt with by police if it were needed.
- Because consuming it in public sites does bothing but damage
- Never, picnics sites are usually family events which involves children and it just doesn't make sense why we would allow liquor on any sites considering all the back that could go on. Especially if there's family around with kids & the other side is drunk
- Yes. Because I will want to have a drink anyway. Might as well be somewhere that doesn't strictly prohibit it.
- Because if you had a gathering in your yard you would have wine or beer with friends, why not at a park.
- Yes - depending on the event/reasoning for booking the site.
- Yes, because iai enjoy places that give people the freedom of choice
- Yes. Nice to have the option.
- No because I don't want to have my picnic potentially disrupted by intoxicated people who may be loud and unruly.
- No
- I don't see any value or benefiys
- I would steer clear of any picnic sites that could have neighboring drunk people.
- Absolutely yes. I would love to be able to legally have a beer at my family picnic.
- Yes, less restrictions
- Yes, social environment
- no, no need
- Yes. Because I enjoy a social drink and feel like even my kids need to see more responsible ways of consuming alcohol...

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- yes. especially with a group/work event where consumption is usually going to be controlled
- Yes, so I don't have to worry about committing an infraction
- No, I don't want to further the liquor companies agenda and fill their wallets. I want to go and enjoy the nature and peace in a natural way. Please don't make this happen. As is we only have less than four months to enjoy parks.
- Yes because everyone loves to get drunk
- No, because I don't believe drinking in public parks should be legal.
- No, safety concerns
- No for safety clearance
- Absolutley, as it's a great way to relax and socialize with family and friends while, no different then having a BBQ at your own home.
- Yes, but hopefully one day all will.
- No liquor
- Yes. But I'm sure people would still consum I'm sites that were prohibited so just make them all allowed.
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- safety conern of public
- NO, want to enjoy our outing and don't want it destroyed by any rowdy drunks. There are lots of places to drink instead of at a public family oriented picnic site!!
- No, people are unpredictable under the influence.
- No . I don't see the need for it.
- No not good for your health
- No...one of the reasons my wife and I have stopped going camping is because of loud, rude others who drink and can't control themselves or lose common sense/civility.
- No. I don't visit parks to drink. I picnic in parks to enjoy good food in a serene setting.
- Na
- Yes; because my family enjoys a beer or two outside. It's not needed but it enhances the experience.
- Yes - I love the idea of packing a picnic and a bottle of wine and hanging out with some friends in a park on a summer day. I'd rather do that than hang out in a bar.
- Yes, having a picnic in one of our beautiful parks would be a lovely experience, rather than being limited to a backyard or patio.
- Yes, because in hot days it is refreshing and relaxingno having a cocktail.
- No
- Yes. I like to enjoy a drink with my friends in the outdoors!
- Yes



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- Yes. Because why wouldn't I?
- Not at all
- If this passes it would decrease my use of city parks.
- Yes. More likely to use a picnic spot in the first place
- I would not go to the park with alcohol present
- Just easier
- No
- No - I don't want my grandchildren seeing and hearing the loud conversations and bad language which often ensues. If my family can lay off the alcohol for a picnic - I'm sure others can
- No. Why do people need to have alcohol
- No. My family and I would not be taking a chance with intoxicated individuals
- Yes, alcohol in excess is never good, but that doesn't mean that having a beer or 2 in a picnic set with food would cause disruptive behaviour
- Yes because a cooler during a summer picnic would be nice
- Yes, so I can drink alcohol.
- No
- Probably, a beer makes everything better.
- Yes, I enjoy a glass of wine with some cheese outside on a nice day. We go to parks with our dog, now we can spend more time at them if we can bring a drink with our lunch.
- 
- I should not have to be faced with that choice or decision. I should be able to select any available site that I would prefer.
- Yes, because it makes financial sense as an alternative to going out elsewhere.
- Yes, it's literally unbelievable that you can't.
- No. Because I go to enjoy a quality time with my family, I don't want to see or deal with a drunk person.
- Yes a cold beer on a hot day is amazing
- No, there are many places for people to consume alcohol, we don't need more of them
- Yes - it's a cheaper alternative to a bar which brings people together for events. Adult birthdays have booze. It's nice to socially consume some beverages in a responsible manner.
- Yes, freedom to enjoy a liquid of my choice.
- No
- I would definitely prefer a picnic site that does not allow liquor consumption; but I'll settle with one that does if the options are limited.
- Yes, so we can drink wine
- Of course NO.
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- No because I don't support the idea
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- yes. because I'm going to drink anyways whether its allowed or not.
- No. Disorderly behaviour
- no I would not allow liquor in parks
- Yes - for myself and many Calgarians, a cold beer on a hot day is so enjoyable.
- Yes, because in the summer you want to hang out with your friends with a beer just like in a beer garden
- I would look at one without liquor consumption, as we are a family and when using parks we go out with other families with smaller children. It is a danger for little kids to be exposed to liquor at a young age.
- Yes. There will be rules in place to deal with liquor consumption and the assumption is that the majority of people will follow the rules.
- No for my kids and my safety
- Yes, so that people can consume beverages outside of the home or drinking establishments.
- Yes I would. More of my family would come to the picnics
- Yes, it provides me the opportunity to have a social drink
- I will not go to picnic site which allows liquor cause excessive drinking leads to lot of problems.
- Yes, just to be able to have a beer and relax with family.
- Yes, because what better is there to do in a beautiful summer day
- No. For safety concerns checked above
- Yes, I think it would be nice to be able to have a beer at a firepit during a picnic in a park.
- Yes. I want the option of being able to spend time outdoors and just enjoy one beer.
- Yes. Rules about when and where adults can drink are ridiculous.
- Yes, I would because I would like to have one drink or two while spending the afternoon in a park during the hot summer.
- Sure - my family and friends like to have a small amount of beer or wine when we gather - it's a part of our culture.
- Absolutely. We like a nice glass of wine with our food. We currently DON'T use parks in Calgary BECAUSE we cannot have wine with our meals. When in Europe, we utilize their parks frequently.
- Yes, because it's nice to be able to have a glass of wine while socializing with friends and family.
- Yes, because it's enjoyable to have a drink or two when at these locations
- Sure. I trust people would be adult about it.
- No

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- No. In order to get the food and liquor to a park, I would have to drive. I'm not comfortable with any level of drinking and driving.
- Yes because having a social drink should be acceptable and I'd like to have the option regardless if I exercise my right or not.
- Yes
- No. Always book a picnic site to spend time in family. If alcohol is allowed I have no warranty that others will behave properly
- Yes. Fun in the sun.
- No
- No. I don't agree with allowing liquor to be consumed in public
- 
- I would. And wouldBe more likelyTo more often and for a longer time period.
- Yes! I like to have the option to enjoy a drink with friends.
- No
- No. It should not be allowed in parks.
- Yes, in case friends/family who are attending want to have a drink or two.
- indifferent
- No
- Yes. Our friends and family enjoy beers during a BBQ. We would be more inclined to book a park site.
- Yes. It's nice to have the option.
- Maybe, not really sure.
- Yes, as a picnic without wine is no picnic
- No. Drinking shouldn't be in public...
- No because I don't believe we should allow liquor in public places
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- No
- No, I don't like the idea
- Yes, beer good
- I will avoid using parks that allow liquor
- No.
- No. Police are already stretched thin. Monitoring whether someone has a meal with liquor will be impossible. Likely rowdiness too.
- Depends on the group I'm picnicking with and their habits and tendencies
- No because I'll not feel comfortable there with family.

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- Yes, having a drink with a meal is common practice and it would be nice to enjoy the parks without being limited
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- No, site is for enjoyment purpose
- Yes, a nice glass of wine with a picnic would be great, as long as you are not driving.
- No. I would want to avoid the potential for conflicts with people who are consuming alcohol. A few bad apples spoil the bunch.
- Yes so we could have a beer or two with our day
- No because not safe
- I wouldn't book a site in a park that allows liquor consumption. While there might be people who may drink responsibly, there would be those that behave poorly, disrupt the enjoyment of others, leave litter/garbage, and damage the environment/facility.
- No. I would not want to support drinking of alcohol in parks in any way.
- No. I don't believe alcohol should be consumed in picnic sites
- No I would not because I wouldn't want my children or myself exposed to a potential disaster
- No for the reasons in #2
- No. People gets more aggressive and safety can get out of control
- 
- Yes, because I like to have a glass of wine with my wine
- We will in fact AVOID these kind of parks completely. Again because when we book picnic sites it is for families!
- No , for the safety of my children
- 
- No for safety
- Yes, enjoy a glass of wine or beer with my meal
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- Yes. Because most of us enough a glass of wine or beer with a picnic or bbq
- For a get-together with our club, sure.
- yes, so my guests could have a glass of wine if they wanted to
- No, on a daily basis you can venture into public spaces and witness liquor abuse. Why promote more.
- Yes. It offers people to have a few drinks on a beautiful day. Kick back and relax.
- Yes. I don't even consume alcohol very much, but I want people to be able to do so at their leisure if they wish.
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- Yes people should be allowed to have a reasonable amount of liquor at a picnic
- NO. I think it's not safe to be with kids where alcohol is being consumed

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- No
- No, that seems like an unnecessary step.
- Yes, I enjoy a glass of wine with my meal at home so should be able to at a picnic site.
- Yes because it allows more freedom which makes the site more appealing
- Yes, because I see no reason why not, a lot of people already do .
- No I am concerned about the safety of young children and wish to not be liable if something goes very bad. Such as event crashers and legal issues from a number of problems. Who is liable? The City or the renter?
- Yes. Because a cold beer on a hot day is very enjoyable.
- It would be nice to BBQ and enjoy a glass of wine on a summer evening.
- Yes largely because of the reason above.
- No
- No. If I were to go alone with family, or my children I definitely would not choose a liquor consumption site. Canada is already experiencing a high level of liquor consumption and permitting this would increase the visibility of our younger generations.
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- No
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- No because the smell of alcohol lingers
- No, we would not choose one that allows liquor because we don't want our children being exposed to liquor.
- yes because i would like to enjoy a beer with my leisure time .
- Yes. Pairing food with liquor is always a good idea.
- Highly inappropriate to view others drinking
- No... V have kids in picnic
- 
- No. I don't believe that the law should allow for the public consumption of alcohol. Who will be monitoring it? What will stop people from only consuming it with a meal? Too many variables.
- I would absolutely choose one where a bottle of wine is allowed. I live in an apartment building that does not have a patio it would be nice to enjoy a refreshing beverage in the outdoors without having to pay for an entire meal at a patio restaurant.
- Yes. Might not want to have alcohol on any given day, but to have the FREEDOM TO DO SO!
- No. Picnic is different than being in a bar. Do not want drunk people in front of kids and families.
- Yes, to enjoy a glass of wine outdoors
- I wouldn't prioritize it unless it as equally as nice as another park. I'd still rather be out for the nature

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- No - There are enough places where alcohol can be consumed already. Public parks should not be one of them!!
- No. City leaders who naively think that "nice people will have wine with picnics" will destroy our parks. Once the reality of what will really happen hits, it will be too late. They have lost my respect and confidence. Make Clg BETTER, not WORSE!!
- Yes, see above
- Yes because then people can choose
- No - liquor shouldn't be allowed
- No, I don't want to teach my kids it is a normal thing to do.
- No, b/c kids will be around
- Yes because people should be treated with dignity. This is common globally and isn't a source of problems
- Yes...more options...
- Yes, drinking is a part of many people's social lives. It's nice to have a beer on a hot sunny day
- No. Disgusting.
- Liquor because lots of people like to have a beer or glass of wine with a meal, it's just normal
- No
- No. I don't want kids to be around drunk people
- No. I will go to parks to spend some quality time with family not to get drunk.
- I would not chose one that allows
- Yes, I personally love to picnic and would enjoy a glass of wine with my dinner at one of Calgary's gorgeous parks! Such a lovely idea!
- No
- Yes, blegalbecause beer outside on a warm day is lovely
- I would not. I do not want to be around drunk idiots when I am trying to enjoy the park. There are already too many sporting events and concerts which are ruined by having alcohol be part of them.
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- Doesn't matter. Just because iBook one that allows liquor doesn't mean I am going to consume it.
- Yes. No brainer.
- No
- No, because the assumption is that there will be people drinking at nearby sites.
- No, most of the time we go with family and early exposure of liquor for children is not what we like. Plus now we have to worry about few more things and this will add to our stress.
- yes because i have camped for years and in my mind it goes hand in hand. I really enjoy a be alcoholic beverage when i'm in an out door environment setting.
- I would not, there is no need for alcohol at picnic sites.
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- No I don't want the kid to see that
- No. The majority of the time I am booking for a family event. There are children. While I would trust and be able to control my party I would not want to subject my family to the possibly of a group I'm the same area not respecting alcohol limits.
- No, Don't want open liquor consumption in our Parks
- No
- Never, picnics usually involve families which means kids and minors so absolutely no.
- No. People abuse privlages.
- Yes
- No, I do not want to have my outdoor fun ruined by drunk people.
- 
- No because of the reason mentioned above
- No
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- No, for my children safety
- No , it's not safe for anyone , I have small kids
- 
- Yes I would over one that doesn't. I enjoy having a beer while out and about.
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- Not at all. I do not want my small children to expose to liquor
- No, not something that should be in Parks - want to drink do it on your own property or in your own home
- No.
- Yes - because I'd like the option to enjoy a beer or wine with my picnic.
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- No - whilst responsible consumption is not an issue, opening it up would have more people that abuse it, do not clean up after themselves and become roudy / aggressive. I do not wish to expose my kids or other people to that.
- No, liquor can too easily lead to issues with excessive use and problems (see above).
- I would book based on other criteria, but given a choice, I would choose no.
- No
- No I dont want my child to be around people while drinking

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- Yes I would, do I could enjoy a beer or two with friends. No intention to get drunk, just relax. Would get us out of our yards and into our parks.
- No, because it can be dangerous.
- No. See answers from question 2.
- yes
- No, we barely drink in public, so doesn't make much difference for us.
- No
- Yes, of course. Because a Picknick with a glass of wine or pro secco is just nice.
- Yes, see response above.
- I don't generally book picnic spots but I have no problem doing so.
- Yes
- 
- Yes! I would love to enjoy a beverage in the park while enjoying a picnic.
- I don't want to go where liquor is allowed.
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- Yes. Just in case I decide that I want to have a bottle of wine with the picnic
- This depends on why the site is being booked.
- 
- Yes, it's a social interaction.
- Yes, because it gives more options to people who want to consume a beverage while they are participating
- I do not want to be surrounded by people who can become aggressive because of alcohol. You never know how people will handle alcohol in their bodies.
- Yes. I think adults should be free to responsibly consume alcohol in public.
- No - not necessary for the enjoyment of the park. Plenty of other places to consume liquor. Not necessary for my use of the park.
- No
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- No for the above reasons
- no, because we have young children and do not want to expose them to alcohol or the dangers that may occur
- Yes. Because having a glass of wine or beer with your picnic would be a nice addition
- I think it attracts homeless to children's parks.
- No, because picnics sites are not party sites, there are bars and restaurants for this. SMOKING IS NOT ALLOWED NOR SHOULD ALCOHOL be
- Yes because i would like to consume alcohol and not have to hide it



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- No. I would avoid them as I think that it is unnecessary. If people want to drink they can do it in their backyard. I shouldn't be worried about having children at the park because of drunk behavior.
- No reason are on top
- No. I don't feel it's appropriate at public sites
- I don't think you should have to book a site you should be able to go to a park and put out a blanket and have a picnic. But yes to liquor sites.
- No
- not at all, I need to give my kids a good and safe environment without a use language and people enjoy in their senses.
- Yes. Because consumption of liquor does not automatically mean abuse of liquor.
- 
- Yes because I enjoy drinking
- Yes. Nice option.
- no. I don't consume alcohol and I don't like my kid seeing that on public
- NEVER, freaking more drunk & poison, there is better use of my tax \$ than to clean up after drunk
- Yes, so we can have a beer with our bbq
- No. It would be for family events with kids and liquor shouldn't be included.
- Yes. I would like to be able to have my meal the same way I would at home, with a glass of wine or a beer, and not have to hide it.
- Yes because I may wish to enjoy a glass of wine or beer as a responsible human being.
- No. I want to be able to enjoy my time in the parks in peace with my family. Alcohol often brings types of behaviour that are unsettling for children and disrupts peace
- Yes I would choose one with consumption. These areas would be frequent with more of an adult crowd versus children being around.
- NO. I WANT MY FAMILY AND CHILDREN ENJOY THE PICNIC THAN TO HAVE CONFRONTATION WITH DRUNKS
- I would but again #3 still applies to a lot of people.
- Yes, to allow my guests to have the option.
- No. I'll be highly concerned with my and children safety.
- No liquor
- No
- Maybe, depending on various factors.
- No. I would never go to the picnic spot with kids where it's allowed to consume liquor. Not safe for kids at all. They will learn the things way before their age and it may affect them negatively.
- Yes I would
- I think I would, because I then will know that I am allowed to bring alcohol to that spot and I can drink it there

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- yes, it would be nice to be able to have a glass of wine with lunch or BBQ
- That would depend on the reason for the booking: adults only gathering or family gathering.
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- Yes. Nothing wrong with a drink
- yes, even if we are not drinking at our function we don't mind being around others who are.
- No
- NO i want to feel secure all the time
- No, in fact I think it would cause a great decrease in to visiting picnic sites or parks. It would be a disappointment to see liquor allowed as my family goes to picnic sites every weekend almost, it makes many things uncomfortable.
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- Not necessarily.
- Yes, it would be nice to have a picnic outside with some friends and beer/wine!
- No - when people drink they become uninhibited and behave differently. Go to any bar and find out.
- Yes, so that I could enjoy some social drinks while having a picnic.
- Yes - same reason as above.
- 
- yes
- No as families mostly that are at these sites might have to deal with inappropriate language and behavior and language.
- Yes. I wouldn't drink all the time but the option would be nice.
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- Yes. Because we would like the option.
- Yes
- Yes, as it gives me the opportunity to not just BBQ and entertain at home, but also in city parks.
- If this happens we're done with Calgary parks .. We'll go out of town
- Yes, so I could enjoy some beer or wine while picnicing.
- Yes because we enjoy a bit of liquor with our meals
- Absolutely choose one that allows liquor Because we're adults and just like attending a house party or a restaurants understand and respect limitations and should have the prerogative to do so.
- Yes, its nice to have a cold beer on a hot day.
- Yes. It would be nice to be able to enjoy a cold beer or cocktail while outside. Social drinking is enjoyed by many.
- Yes I would because my family and friends enjoy a social drink with our meals.
- No because it's more risk on the road when they drive with alcoholic.
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- No, because our family don't drink liquor.
- NO
- No, because I can see already the bad affect of marijuana legalization in country wide.
- No liquor ever
- Yes, because we would have some beers even if it weren't legal.
- Yes, otherwise I wouldn't go.
- Yes, it would allow more sorts of events to occur in outside arwas
- No I would not because I would not feel safe or comfortable with children about people who are intoxicated
- Yes.
- No
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- Yes, I am an adult and enjoy a few adult beverages when on an outing -provided im not the one driving. Kids birthday parties are great at the park long with a fire and a couple drinks which we do every year. Its more attractive to have that option.
- I would opt for one that allows liquor, I think drinking is social and having some beer at a bbq would be ideal. Drinking in public doesn't automatically mean drunken debauchery.
- Yes
- 
- Yes. I really like enjoying food with liquor, it enhances flavors and allows us to create community.
- Yes. I think adults should be allowed to drink responsibly while picnicking.
- I wouldn't choose liquor site
- Yes , people should be allowed to drink in public areas . The responsibility lies with the individual not with the city !
- No, history dictates people will over consume. People get drunk everyday, everytime.
- Yes. Just in case even.
- Yes, because who doesn't like to have a cold beer on a hot day!
- No because we go to parks with family. Kids are there too so it's bad influence on them and also not safe.
- No as we don't find it necessary. If people want to drink go to a bar or do it at home.
- Absolutely. Sites that allow consumption of alcohol would be my preference (but not the most important consideration)
- No one will be safe, specially women and children.
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- Yes!
- Yes. 90% of our little picnic or park outings have some liquor involved, so I would appreciate it being legal.

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- Yes - I see social drinking as a natural activity in my friend group, liquor consumption at picnics would just allow for a more interesting experience.
- No, because my child will go with me and other child also see we are drinking.
- NO. Picnic sites are for families with young children.
- no
- Yes, as my social group enjoys alcohol
- Yes because it would be more worth it
- 
- Yes, alcohol makes many things better, including this.
- No, I wouldn't want to pit my kids at risk. In fact id avoid parks that offer it.
- No
- Yes, so I can enjoy a couple beverages while being outdoor with my family.
- Yes. Little wine or a beer with a picnic would be nice
- no: do not feel liquor should be in family area locations
- No, if you are that in need of a drink, stay home
- No. I prefer to have fun naturally without any stimulants.
- yes, we book for a corporate bbq and an an option for a couple of beer would be nice
- Yes. It's nice to gather with Family and friends and have a glass of wine or two. 10
- No, I rarely use picnic sites
- 
- yes because I would want to have a drink while hanging out with friends or family.
- 
- No, I willbe concern about the safety of my kids
- I will never choose a picnic site that allows liquor consumption and the main reason is unsafe environment for my children
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- Yes...do I don't have to drink beer out of a coffee cup
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- If I wanted to drink, then yes.
- no liquor at any picnic sites....this will cause more problems...drunken violence.
- Yes, because it's nice to have a beer or a bottle of wine with a picnic without having to smuggle it in in water bottles (which people already do)
- Yes
- Yes. The flexibility of being able to choose whether to drink or not is important.
- Yes. So you could drink
- NO ALREADY SELECTED ABOVE REASONS

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- Yes. Freedom
- Yes, I enjoy liquor.
- No if you allow just anyone to consume liquor you are asking for trouble with the irresponsible drinkers.
- Yes. Because it would be lovely to have a park bbq with friends and have a beer or two.
- 
- No, I'll not book or go to the park where liquor is allowed. I've small kids.
- No, I don't want to ruin my day by arguing with disorderly people. There are serious safety concerns for my kids.
- yes, if my guests want to drink than that's their choice
- No. As mentioned in above.
- No...rowdier crowd
- Yes, there is no need for people to bring hard liquor to picnics to do shots, etc. Beer, wine and drinks such as wine coolers would be sufficient.
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- NO
- I would choose the ones that were liquor free, dont want my kids being exposed to drinking.
- No, I would pick the park that I wanted to go to.
- Yes.
- Yes, having the option to have a beer with friends outside in a park sounds like a fantastic summer day.
- No, because I want to enjoy the picnic and not worry about my guests getting too drunk to drive
- No
- No
- Never.because I don't want to motivate liqueur in any means as it will not bring any good for a person or a community.
- no why do we need liquor in our parks
- No, because once you open the barn door.....
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- See above
- No-it makes no sense . Restricting alcohol consumption to homes or restaurants is enough. There are too many things that can go wrong with allowing it in parks. The major one is drinking and driving.
- Yes, I will be free to decide later if I would like to have a drink.
- No, I believe liquor consumption is harmful.
- No. Because outdoor picnic is for explore in nature and eat and socialize with friends not for dealing with uncontrol behavior.

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- Yes, there's nothing unsafe having a beer on a hot summer day with friends or family during a picnic
- No because I with children it is not good..
- Not if there was an extra charge or if it meant picking a site I didn't want otherwise (ie: less desirable location).
- No - I would avoid them due to the risk of my experience being negativley affected by irresponsible drinkers.
- No. I don't need my family exposed to violence or poor behavior due to other people's over consumption of alcohol. Our police force is already stretched to the limit so how and who will be responsible to police the parks where drinking is taking place.
- Yes, it would be lovely to enjoy a glass of wine outside in the sun
- No, for all of the above reasons
- Yes, that will make our own picnic sites better choice over liquor sites in B.C.
- No
- No is not safe for Pablic
- Yes I would so people attending could also enjoy a drink
- Yes. I enjoy a drink or two while having a nice picnic.
- No because I am there with kids and I don't want ancho environment.
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- Yes. But I do not book sites, I use open sites.
- No. I have young children - been in parks w/ them too many times; observed individuals and groups who are unable, or don't care, to respect the others in the park and have openly consumed their products [alcohol] and been disruptive to others.
- Yes, provide more options for people, plus happier environments with appropriate alcohol consumption
- no. there should be parks where only adults are allowed and they can drink there.
- Yes, when gathering with friends/family we enjoy having some alcohol
- never.
- No
- Yes. I like to have the opportunity to enjoy a responsible drink while enjoying Calgary parks.
- No
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- Yes, give people a choice.
- If there is a choice to I would pick one that allows it as it can make an event out with friends a bit more fun
- Yes, but why do i need to book. Why are there so [removed] many rules? Citizens are not children and should be allowed to live their lives without any puritanical or religious overtones. The gov't loves liquor revenue they just don't want you to drink DUMB

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- No
- Yes, as a beverage in the summer is part of a picnic.
- No. Because of all the potential concerns above.
- Yes because it allows more options for types of gatherings that are organized. Cost for events are cheaper than going to a venue that charges you inflated rates
- No. Children. It's unnecessary.
- Yes so that I may a casual drink while I picnic/eat.
- Yes I would, there's nothing better than cracking a cold one with the boys on a hot summer day.
- Yes because myself and most of my friends/family would enjoy a liquor beverage at a picnic.
- YES
- No I would not enjoy having loud intrusive partying disturbing the peaceful surroundings..
- No, just imagine how badly it will affect kids
- Yes because I wouldn't mind having a drink while hanging out
- No as we don't drink in my household
- No
- no, because I feel the majority of people consuming liquor in the parks will not respect the parks or others using the parks
- No. Booze doesn't belong in parks
- 
- Maybe, I don't drink much.
- no. I have no desire to be around drunks. Saying people won't get drunk in a park is like saying they won't get drunk in a bar.
- I would. Be nice to be able to offer drinks to those who want to indulge in moderation.
- No if it's a child's birthday but yes if it's just a family bbq
- 
- No. These are places where families visit for recreational and leisure activities. Exposure of use and subsequently misuse of alcohol will negatively impact society and the coming generation. It will also increase chances of misconduct.
- No, I don't think children need to be exposed to this, they need their parents full attention, not watching them sitting there sucking on a beer or whatever.
- No. I wouldn't be drinking myself, and I'd prefer to avoid any potential run-ins with disorderly picnics
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- Yes, so I can enjoy a beer with my picnic.
- No. Liquor and environment doesn't match
- yes
- No. It could be dangerous to my child and could be an unsafe place.

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- No. A taxpayer should be able to enjoy being out in nature in a park. I don't go to parks to listen to party goers. I get enough of that from neighbors.
- Yes, I would only book a picnic site that allows liquor consumption.
- No
- No. I don't need my kids to be exposed to alcohol any more than they are. Social norms begin with childhood exposure and subsequent desensitizing to and acceptance of inappropriate behaviours.
- Yes, I enjoy a cold beer at a picnic.
- Yes, myself and my family would like to engage in responsible liquor consumption in the park if possible.
- No. Because of safety issues.
- Yes because if I'm having a picnic dinner it's nice to be able to have a beer or glass of wine.
- Yes. It's nice to have a beer or two outside at a picnic.
- No, because I wouldn't want to expose my children to an environment in which there is disorderly conduct and intoxicated persons.
- Yes. It would be nice to meet friends and enjoy a glass of wine or a beer and watch our children and grandchildren play.
- Absolutely NO. I will never book a site that allows liquor consumption due to all the concerns I marked above!
- Yes, because it would be nice to have a liquor (wine & beer) at a picnic
- Yes
- Yes providing it fits with our plans. It gives individuals the freedom to have a drink with their meals and sit back and enjoy the day. Liquor is not a requirement to enjoy things but it should be allowed as long as it does not impact others.
- Yes because then there is the option to drink if desired, or not.
- Yes – would want to bring beer!
- Yes
- Yes, just so I have the option to drink if I want
- 
- Probably not, I can wait until I get home. The park is to play with my kids.
- No because of all the bad effects it has as mentioned in the choices for question 2
- No because it Increase in disorderly behavior may occur, Children are exposed to seeing liquor use, There may be safety concerns and an increase in The City's liability
- Yes, a beer or two on a hot sunny day, nothing beats it.
- No
- I wouldn't care if I was booking.
- Nope, I don't want me or family around those who drink alcohol



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- Absolutely not. I have children and I don't want to put my child in danger benign around adults who are I intoxicated.
- No never Because it's harm for me and my family
- Definitely! It's nice to enjoy wine with a meal.
- No - we can all enjoy each others company with coffee, tea, soft drinks or water.
- No.
- I wouldn't specifically seek one out as I am not personally a big drinker but I just think it's a reasonable expectation that if you want to have a drink on a nice day in a park that it is okay to do so. We're adults after all!
- No
- No
- No, will be with children
- yes, because it is nice to have the option.
- 
- I will try to find \*no liquor \* place as I am Muslim and supposed not to have liquor so I prefer my kids also to be at a liquor free places
- No I would not choose one allowing liquor for the above reason.
- No, because public area should be free for liquor due.
- Yes, it is a fun way to spend time with loved ones and brings people together.
- Yes, because I am of age to drink.
- Yes. Rather than visiting a pub I could visit a park.
- Yes, why not? All sites should allow liquor consumption.
- NO, because I am afraid of disorderly behaviour and safety of my family.
- Yes, because much of my social circle drinks socially.
- Yes, having the option is better than not. Would you rather go to a restaurant with one food option, or more?
- yes
- 
- No because I'm not legal age
- 
- I do not approve of liquor in picnic sites. It will start there but will evolve to more sites and will eventually include cannabis.
- I would, as it would be nice to be able to enjoy alcoholic beverages while at a get together in the park with friends or family.
- Sure, I have friends who drink

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- Yes, when I'm outside in the sun with my friends or family having a couple of beers or a glass of wine would be an amazing option. Most people are respectful to public spaces and won't drive and drive. Those that do those things will do it regardless.
- 
- No as per question 2
- Yes. It would allow more freedom in what we can choose to drink.
- Yes, so that i could a beer or two leagally
- No
- No. Allowing liquor in picnic areas is just a bad idea as picnic areas are shared with kids.
- Yes, as enjoying a couple beers on a hot day is one of life's simple pleasures!
- It increases the places you can go for your chosen activity - not everyone has a backyard and as we want to densify, we should be providing public/communal spaces
- Yes, I would like to have a drink on a hot day with friends and family at a picnic
- No
- Yes - I think that choice should lie with users of the site.
- Yes - so we can enjoy a drink while picnicking or when having a bbq.
- absolutely not.
- 
- Yes
- No because disorderly behaved may occur
- Yes, thats a good idea, similar to having designated smoking areas, some people who may not like liquor or have young kids can pick a picnic site away for others which have alcohol
- Yes because I typically have liquor with food
- No.
- No I don't consume it
- No, because I am concerning about my kids safety
- Yes, having a beer or some wine with a picnic increases the enjoyment.
- When people consume alchol they have no control of himself and they can do really stupid things
- No
- without
- No way. I don't drink and i have kids
- I might not for evening use (due to rowdy neighbours) but for lunch and afternoon yes I would.
- 
- Absolutely yes, it's nice to be able to have a drink outside on a nice day!
- No would be driving to get to the park.
- Yes, so we could bring drinks
- Yes I would so that I can enjoy a drink with the beautiful day outside.

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- No
- Yes because I am a responsible adult and it would be nice to enjoy a park site for a barbecue with friends and be able to have some casual drinks
- No I don't drink
- No as its not reflective of my culture
- Yes! It is nice to have a drink with some friends on a nice summer day.
- no
- No, because I don't want my children to be exposed to that
- No
- No. To avoid drunk misbehavior
- Yes. I don't see any harm in it. You can drink in your camping campsite and there are only a few bad apples that don't follow the rules.
- 
- Yes. Because that gives myself and my friends more freedom to choose if they want to drink
- 
- No, don't want to be around people that may get obnoxious whe drunk
- No, as the group usually has large numbers of kids. And I don't like them to be exposed to certain behaviours.
- No because liquor/alcohol/drugs are potential disaster to psychological relaxation environment of picnic sites
- No, because liquor comsuption is bad for family friendly sites especially with kids
- No i will.not choose because picnic is with children and I do not want my children be exposed to liquor.
- Yes
- Yes, I would like to enjoy a glass of wine while I am also enjoying being outside.
- Yes, because I like to have a drink while I'm having a picnic with friends.
- No. Drinking in public is reserved for walking the streets of Las Vegas. Not Nose Hill Park in Calgary.
- No. I will never visit a park that allows liquor.
- No. Because I think it's too risky and the city should charge a fee for those one.
- Yes because it allows everyone to have a beer with the picnic
- 
- Not at all , don't want our kids to see this [removed]
- No. While many people would drink sensibly, a few unruly drunks would ruin the experience of enjoying time in a public park.
- No, don't want people miss behaving and consuming alcohol around my kids
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- No. It's completely not safe. I've 4 kids & they'll be exposed to it. Also there wouldn't be anyone keeping an eye on the drunk ones to make sure that they don't drive after drinking. Please don't allow this. We'll be exposed to number of safety issues.
- 
- Yes, because the option to do so gives me more choices on how to plan events.
- We will not choose the place where picnic consumption is allowed because I don't want my kids to be exposed to that kind of environment
- Yes, because again, it's nice to enjoy in the summer
- Yes I would for sure.
- 
- Always that allows. It's unreasonable to expect a group to not drink at all
- No. I don't feel people need to consume liquor in a public area.
- I would like to be as far away as possible from people consuming liquor.
- Yes, because I drink socially and have restraint and control over my consumption.
- 
- No, not safe for families with kids
- Yes
- No, it leads to involve kids and youth.
- 
- 
- Yes. So I could consume an adult beverage or two.
- Yes. Liquor is consumed despite the ban. Such site would allow not to hide this.
- Yes, for family bbq and picnics it is nice for the adult to enjoy a beer or two! Would encourage more family outings at public parks vs staying at home in own yard.
- No, I look forward to enjoying my time at the park not worrying about people getting drunk. Unfortunately people tend to overdo things
- Yes as my events usually include liquor. More adult friendly.
- Yes, as above, I would enjoy a drink or two, but no many people would get out of hand.
- No I would not as I have little children and the effects of liquor as seen in adults can vary in degrees of extreme aggressive and unruly behaviour. I would not want to put my children in harm's way in this manner. My children need safe parks to play in.
- Absolutely not. As a woman who has dealt with Drunken men, it put me at an increased anxiety level. In fact I would avoid all park that allow this like it was a plague.
- No
- No if there are kids and family around but if it is only a mature audience 2 beers should be enough
- Yes. I enjoy having a glass of wine with lunch/ dinner and if I was to have a get together with friends and everyone could have 1 or 2, would make for a much more care free afternoon of fun.

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- Yes, because many of my friends enjoy a good wine and cheese picnic or beer and hot dogs.
- No. It's not safe for my babies. People will be drinking and smoking. When the baby is born they always say to keep them away from all this. How can City allow this in Parks as we all go to parks with our babies and kids
- 
- Yes- because people work hard and want a drink or 2 with their bbq/picnic.
- Yes. I enjoy liquor responsibly and would love to do so in our beautiful public spaces.
- yes. I would like to have the choice to enjoy a beer or some wine with my meal.
- No
- No because people might go crazy drunkenly
- No. It's will not be appropriate site for family gatherings with young children.
- Yes, if it's reasonably priced. It's nice to have the option to have a beer with my burger/hot dog, without it being hidden in a coffee mug.
- 
- yes, it would be nice to be able to share a bottle of wine at a picnic lunch
- yes. I enjoy social gatherings outdoors without paying the prices of restaurant patios.
- No. i don't want to have to deal with drunk or disorderly conduct. Often times you find broken glass afterwards so a safety hazard. Not everybody drinks responsibly.
- No, I have small kids
- Yes, because it would involve enjoying the nice weather and park with friends and family, and sometimes it would be nice to enjoy an alcoholic beverage during those times too. That is what would be done if we were in our backyard or out camping.
- 
- Yes. It is enjoyable to have a drink with my meal and socializing with others and the ability to do so would increase the attractiveness of utilizing a park to do this rather than staying at home.
- No, because I don't want my kids looking bad examples or seeing spectacles from drunk people
- No, Parks meant to be public for all citizens. They shouldn't be competing to bars.
- Yes because I like to drink
- Yes. As above it is a social thing to do. I have been in Europe amany times where drinks are consumed in the commons and have rarely witnessed any rude or bad behavior.
- No it's should be legal in all public picnic sites
- Yes, so that the option of enjoying a glass of wine or beer is available.
- Yes. My friends and family don't need to drink to get I intoxicated and a cold sangria is best in summer
- No, I do not thing drink make me enjoy the picnic
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- Definitely yes. A picnic with wine or beer would make it much more enjoyable

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- No
- Yes, because playing a few games with friends with a few drinks so super fun
- 
- Yes, because as adults that's what we like to drink.
- Yes. Nicer to be able to have a beer in the park with friends.
- I would never book a picnic site allows liquor - because of personal safety and environment
- Liquor must not be allowed in public park ANF places
- I would not book any site that allowed liquor. Also, I would most likely stop visiting city parks that allowed liquor which would make living in Calgary less desirable.
- Yes
- Yes, to enjoy a drink on a nice day, helps to relax and share it with friends.
- Yes. I would. Because if you go to the effort to book them, you're likely already rule abiding and wouldn't abuse the privilege.
- Yes, it would be nice to have an alcoholic beverage with our picnic meal. We had wine or beer at numerous picnics on a recent trip to Europe and it was so nice.
- Yes, because it provides options to those that wish to have a drink in the sun while enjoying the outdoors. It should also result in less littering as people don't have to "hide the evidence".
- Yes.
- I don't agree with the proposal so I would not book a picnic site that allows liquor.
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- Yes. I think it's a nuisance that I can't have baileys in my coffee or a beer with my bbq in the park. I also think it would save money on officers enforcing the "no liquor" rules
- Yes, for romantic picnics
- No
- No. I believe that having liquor at parks would make things worse with all checked above. It's a danger to the environment and it conflicts with being intoxicated in public. We don't need more of these issues to persist.
- Of course
- Yes
- yes
- yes for responsible enjoyment
- No
- no, the likelihood of other picnic areas in the proximity with intoxicated people would likely degrade my parties enjoyment of the area.
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- No, because there would be others there that are using and I'm there to enjoy the park not to listen to drunken and disorderly conduct and then have to ensure no one injured themselves or damages property.
- Yes. Because alcohol is a common thing that appears at most events that are at a houses so why not at a park
- No, i will not select.
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- Should make no difference.
- 
- No. Because its not good for human body.
- Yes, even if I am not planning to drink. That way, if someone joins you with a bottle (for example), it could be a pleasant surprise, as opposed to having to go somewhere else to be a socially active adult.
- 
- No. I dont want parks to allow liquor
- Depends on the reason for gathering, obviously not for a children's birthday party but I would on a date night
- Yes. Fun thing to do with family.
- No, I would avoid booking picnic site in a park allows liquor to consumed in it
- Yes, I enjoy a drink with my food of a warm day.
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- No, check marked above
- Yes , because why not
- i can do with or without alcohol so it wouldn't affect my decision
- Yes, because I would want to give people the option of consuming liquor.
- Yes - more romantic having a picnic with a bottle of wine
- Yes. That's where I'd feel an open environment to have a gathering with friends. We are all adults.
- No, thait's not safe
- Yes. We would enjoy a beer or two at a wiener roast with friends.
- Yes. I like to drink for social occasions and going on a picnic with friends would fall under that category
- Yes.
- No... liquor brings the bad out of every person
- No, for the reasons selected in question 2.
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- yes. in case friends bring a few beer along then I don't have to hide them

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- NO because I don't agree with it at all.
- Yes, as it would allow me the freedom to choose whether or not to consume.
- No. Liquor sites would tend to have more disorderly conduct. That area would also have more mess around and smell issues
- I will choose the one that does not allow liquor consumption
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- No
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- No, don't drink and don't go on picnics with people who drink daytime.
- no. its a picnic site. not a campsite.
- Yes, liquor is not the devil...it would make gatherings in picnics more enjoyable.
- Definitely not. For the same reason I wouldn't take my grandchildren to the bar. Duh...
- No, because I avoid environments where liquor is consumed. I am always at the park with my children and family and I shouldn't have to worry about our safety because people are consuming alcohol
- 
- Yes
- NO no use for liquor period!
- Depends on function
- No. I don't think alcohol is necessary to enjoyment of a park space.
- Yes. So I can drink
- No, liquor should not be consumed in a public setting.
- 
- Yes because we have many friends that like to casually consume a drink or two when we get together with our children. It is a way better setting to be in as it is outside and way more affordable than a restaurant. Kids will have a place to play as well.
- No
- Yes for reasons mentioned in #3
- No, as per the clicked reasons
- yes.
- Yes , see above
- Yes so I can add to my picnic pleasure
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- No, because I have young kids
- no, don't want the stress & responsibility for people drinking
- All things being equal, I would choose the one that allows liquor consumption.



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- No, not needed for family outings with my kids.
- Yes because I would like people to drink responsibly and dispose of their litter responsibly. Currently, I find beer cans all over parks because people feel they need to do it discreetly.
- No because of my kids and it a picnic place not a bar.
- No
- Yes, some guests may want the option to have a drink during a picnic
- Yes, I enjoy a beer or glass of wine when relaxing.
- Yes...The environment looks peaceful and safe if there is a liquor consumption.
- absolutely not. Because it brings lots of concern, like safety, noise, bad behavior etc.
- Always
- No, bcoz of the family picnics
- Yes, drinking in parks is something that occurs in my social groups anyways, and having the option to do it legally would be nice!
- Yes. I don't drink but some of my friends do. We are all responsible adults and can handle a few beverages.
- Yes as it's nice to have a beer with a bbq
- No - there will be problems on those sites like if someone is drunk, their judgement is IMPAIRED so this will RESULT in possible rowdy behaviour, messed up site or even crime like theft, rape,etc
- No. Don't support alcohol consumption in parks
- No, see question 2
- 
- I would choose one that allows liquor consumption as it would be lovely to have a meal with alcoholic drinks in the summer.
- Yes. See 3
- No
- No. I fear for my family safety. You can't predict how a person(s) would behave when drunk. It is safer to have no alcohol.
- Yes. I would like to have a beer on occasion.
- Yes it would be priority
- Yes, allow for more people getting to enjoy nature.
- Nope! I will avoid it
- Yes. It would be nice to have the option of bringing some wine or beer to enjoy at a picnic or barbecue. I would be more likely to book a picnic site if responsible liquor consumption was allowed.
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- Yes, I would like to have the possibility to enjoy some drinks and share with friends. It would provide the same experience as going to a restaurant or a friend's house with the added benefit of being outdoors.

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- Yes, for years my family has been going to Bowness park for family reunion. Many members of my extended family make their own wine and beer, and it would be a great opportunity to sample a glass of their work.
- Yes, if it were appropriate for my event.
- No, for all of the concerns in answer to question#2
- No, because this affects my charter of Rights.
- No. I do not think it should be allowed, period.
- Yes, because as a responsible adult, i believe we deserve the right.
- No. Why is reserving a picnic site even a thing? Why would liquor matter when people can have a picnic anywhere in a park? How would the parks be regulated? Whoever thought of the idea of booking a picnic site should be fired.
- No as I have young kids
- Probably.
- Yes cos i wont book that site.
- Likely would not - the concern revolves around people driving after anjoying a bevvy or 4
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- No - this is a stupid debate the city is having
- I would not because I would rather not be around those who are intoxicated.
- Yes. see above answer. Often i'll choose private functions because of the option to have an alcoholic Beveridge
- Yes, because its nice to enjoy a casual beverage
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- Absolutely. Though I'd hope over time you wouldnt need to book a picnic table.
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- Yes
- I don't know. I don't want to be around rowdy teens / goofballs, but I would like to freedom to have a beer with my friends & food
- No
- Yes. So I can have a drink at the picnic
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- Yes. Especially if have a birthday bbq.
- Yes!
- Depending on the nature of the event it would be nice to have the option.
- No i wont

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- I haven't booked a picnic site before but yes, so that I have the option of bringing some light libations
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- No , the problem is with the small and cleanless
- One that allows. It gives you the option that if someone in your group wants to consume liquor during the time in the park no one needs to hide or be worried about getting a ticket.
- Yes. If I were booking a picnic site it would most likely be for a special event, at which many of my friends and family members would enjoy the option of consuming an alcholic beverage.
- Yes I would, as having the ability to have a few beers on a hot summer day would be enough for us to use the parks rather than staying at home.
- 
- Yes because I would like to have a few drinks with friends
- No .its against our religion. We never want our kids to see such stuff in park
- 10000% yes! My friends & I would absolutely love to book picnic sites that we could also have a few drinks at when we decide to all hang out together! It would be great to know we could bring some wine or whatever with our meal!
- Yes! For the reasons listed above.
- I do not drink, and have no intention on beginning. As long as the space is clean, I wouldn't mind booking one for my friends, if they are interested in drinking.
- No, as I have kids I'll prefer site where alcohol prohibited
- Yes, I feel that this would allow Calgarians to use the parks more instead of entertaining at home.
- Yes, flexibility for responsible users
- No because parks are public and alcohol impacts your behavior so it's just going to create many problems.
- No that expose it to young children
- Only if I was with someone who wanted to drink beer or wine. I think we should have places where it's still alcohol free.
- 
- No.
- Yes, because it's nice to have a drink outside in public
- Avoid parks where liquor is allowed to avoid any risk associated with drink and drive
- Absolutely not. When liquor is around, people get rude and unthoughtful and vulgar and possibly violent. Not a place I would want to bring my family or friends
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- No, I have a young daughter and do not want her exposed to it. We deal with enough drunk disorderly people already with alchohol currently not allowed, this will just escalate if it is allowed.

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- No.
- Yes. This would allow for more opportunity for families to spend time together.
- No, we always looking for healthy safe place to enjoy our picnic.
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- Yes, because not everyone has a backyard to host a birthday party, and who's it hurting to have a glass of wine or two if I'm not driving?
- yes
- Absolutely, Calgary being the sunniest city in the country and only being able to enjoy that sun (with a beer) at a bar patio? Not very fun.
- Yes. All of my friends & relatives are perfectly capable of policing themselves during social outings & picnics
- yes
- No. A family friendly environment does not include drunk strangers, disorderly conduct. Alcohol would increase public danger and volatile situations.
- 
- I absolutely would, enjoying a glass of wine with a loved one, or a beer with family and friends in a park gets me wanting to go outside, get to know Calgary more.
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- Yes, social drinking in moderation tightens bonds of friends and allows others to open up and meet new people.
- No
- Yes, it would be great to have a picnic with a bottle of wine.
- no way
- Yes, as sharing drinks with friends over food is key part of that social experience.
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- Yes. Who doesn't love a cider with your picnic in the summer!
- No. I don't think it is safe
- Yes. I would enjoy being able to have a beer or two with my picnic.
- Yes, so we could bring some wine and beer to have with our get together.
- Yes, because I'd like to have a beer at a bbq, but no if these locations become known for being overrun by vagrants camping out, drinking too scene intoxication and leaving garbage including drug paraphernalia, as ive seen in secluded areas of parks.
- N/A
- No, we with children would not feel comfortable
- No I specify above
- Yed. If I want to consume liquor, great. If not, then it doesn't matter.

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- Yes. It would allow me the choice to consume liquor if I so please.
- Yes, we are a progressive liberal city. Cities like Berlin allow public consumption everywhere.
- No. I'm against liquor consume in a family leasure places. Enough is enough whit consume in sport revenues and marijuana approval. Is the city looking for more revenues?
- By law officers can be more focused on other things happening instead of looking for people enjoying an alcoholic beverage responsibly.
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- Yes, because I enjoy cider with my BBQ.
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- Yes
- It should br allowed at all picnic tables
- I would book sites that allowed liquor. I trust myself and friends to drink responsibly in public, and I love the outdoor setting.
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- Yes. A picnic experience would be more enjoyable without looking over your shoulder.
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- yes, nice to have the option
- No. Possibility of disordelines.
- No, never. I don't want my kids to be in such an environment
- yes, as above
- No i dont want my family around people getting drunk
- Yes! Our family and friends like to responsibly have fun and enjoy our parks responsibly.
- No. I would avoid it. I wouldn't want to spend my relaxing day in the park with obnoxious drunk people. There are also no limits to how much these people can drink. No one to cut them off.
- All sites should be available, nothing wrong with having a beer or a glass of wine. Would be nice to stop demonizing Liquor
- no- small kids
- potential negative effects
- Yes. See the above.
- No, do not want the associated behaviour around my guests.
- Yes if the gathering is with adult family and friends. No, if there are children in the gathering
- No, because I will like a place where i can enjoy the nature not the drunks one.
- Of course, it's nice to have the option to if you want.
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- Yes
- No, I don't want this to happen
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- yes. A cold drink on a hot day, or with a BBQ is great. Especially when the kids are safe and playing at the playground within sight.
- No, I do not want my children to be exposed to seeing someone drinking.
- Yes, if my plans included the consumption of liquor. If not, no.
- Yes because the option is nice
- Yes, as we always host medium sized gatherings, and it would be so much easier and more fun to have them in a park
- Yes for reasons above
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- Yes!
- No. Safety and disorderly behaviour
- Yes, as it would likely be booked for a celebration.
- Absolutely not. Liquor should not be allowed as it leads to uncontrolled behaviour and a lack of safety for other people in the park
- No, I have little children and I don't want them to grow thinking drinking alcohol at a public place with children is good and reasonable
- No, children and family safety comes first
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- No
- Yes I would in case someone wants to drink at the picnic.
- Yes, because drinking is a way for people to unwind and relax. Not everyone takes psychedelics and they would rather have an alcoholic beverage. Why deny them that?
- Yes, because Saturdays are for the boys
- Yes. It completes the picnic by having a glass of wine or bubbles or a couple of beers. Nice to sit back and relax after a picnic and enjoy nature.
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- No because it's use not good at these places
- 
- No.
- yes , cold beer healthier than a diet pop
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- Yes - it is an integral part of my culture and responsible drinking is important
- Yes because it would make the meal better
- Yes, it allows for the entire family to come and enjoy the space in whichever way they so choose.

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- No
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- NO.
- Yes. If the event was of that nature. Such as a birthday get together or a BBQ. It would make a nice summer day at the park even nicer.
- No, because I have children
- No I will not choose a picnic site that allows liquor consumption because I don't want my family to be exposed to such things and there are other places where people can go and drink. Picnic sites are for family and such things should not be allowed
- No, it imposes safety threat.
- Yes. It would make it more likely that I would book a site, as a day out could be made of it.
- Yes.
- No, because it smells bad and I have kids
- No because I don't drink
- No-not appreciate
- This question is mute. I would book the least expensive. If there is no fee charged to book a site it would be based on what site was available
- Yes, but it depends who I'm with if I'm just with friends I will if we have children with us we won't.
- Yes, because I would want to avoid getting a ticket for drinking the small amounts of liquor I normally drink with friends when having a picnic.
- Yes. see #3
- I do not want my kids to see people drinking around openly in the park.
- no
- Maybe, depends on the occasion.
- No, Should not be allowed in public areas such as parks
- Yes, it is nice to have the option and may make a gathering more enjoyable when used properly
- Yes
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- Yes. Because life is meant to be lived together and not just in a backyard. Going to your local pub for a beer is more about socializing and a change of environment rather than getting drunk.
- Yes for adult parties or sporting events
- Yes
- No. Not safe.
- Liquor, because having wine and chocolate in a beautiful park with my wife sounds great.
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- No I don't want my kids around that

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- No
- No, I am absolutely against this idea
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- No never
- Yes, because people like a drink or two when they gather together, and the vast majority of people will be responsible with their consumption.
- No - I'd rather not expose myself to drunks
- No
- No I would not choose one that allows liquor. I usually go with my family and people lose control when they drink. I would not want kids to be exposed to that.
- Yes.
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- Sometimes. Certain events such as family BBQ we would.
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- Absolutely. Taking a basket of wine and cheese with sandwiches and fruit and sitting by the river (Bowness Park) sounds like a lovely way to spend an afternoon during the spring/summer.
- Depends on the event/reason for the gathering
- Yes
- Absolutely. As an adult, I would like to be able to enjoy liquor in the public, responsibly and safely. I live Europe for that very reason.
- Yes, if there are no children involved in the gathering
- certainly would, cause sometimes i like a cold drink when i am going there with grandkids for 6 hours long!!!
- Yes, because sometimes it is nice to relax while having a drink.
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- Yes, because I'm an adult.
- No, not going to one with a potential of unacceptable behaviour.
- no because I'm out to be active not sitting on a chair and drinking
- No because there is no need to drink in public.
- Yes, it's lovely to enjoy a drink outdoors on a warm day
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- Yes - prefer to have the option
- Of course not for so many reasons
- 
- Yes, to enjoy some wine with my picnic.
- No.
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- Should be optional so a group can restrict the use of liquor.
- Yes as liquor consumption is a normal part of social gatherings I attend.
- Yes. As an adult who may choose to enjoy a cold beverage during a BBQ it's nice to not feel like you are breaking the law by doing so.
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- Yes, because it's nice having a few drinks
- No
- It would depend if I was with just friends or with my children.
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- No, We have to few areas to enjoy our families, why spoil them with alcohol.
- No. No need to have liquor at a kid-friendly birthday party. The Parks are for everyone to enjoy.
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- Yes because it is part of how we celebrate special occasions.
- Yes, I enjoy a drink and am a reasonable drinker.
- Yes
- no. I don't wanna expose my kids into liquour use
- Yes
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- Yes, why not have the option to enjoy a beer/cooler or a glass of wine on a beautiful summer day.
- N/A
- No. All of above checked marked question 2
- Because that would be amazing
- No
- Yes
- No I do not consume alcohol
- No I do not consume liqor
- I would not want some drunk bothering me and my company or flirting with me!!!
- Yes
- Yes. Would like to have the option to have a drink while having a picnic.
- Yes, able to enjoy an alvoholic drink either for picnic, bbq, have the option to.
- Likely not because of the concern re: behaviour of those partaking in a family environment.
- Yes. Have wine
- Yes, because there is no reason why I shouldn't be able to enjoy alcohol outside.
- Yes. We enjoy having a drink and a good meal with family and friends.

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- Yes
- I have a family, therefore I don't like the idea of drinking alcohol when we have children.
- No picnic is for family not for individuals
- If it was for an adult celebration such as a birthday I might ask for a spot that allows liquor other wise I wouldn't use the opportunity to use liquor as I feel it is just not necessary
- Yes, I am open to responsible consumption of everything which is done in a non-harmful manner to individual, self or society.
- yes so i could have a beer etc
- No, we dont drink. And we dont want to see drunk people when going out for leisure.
- yes - a glass of wine should go with a meal if desired
- Yes. Because adults should be able to enjoy alcohol responsibly outside their home and bars.
- Yes I would. My partner and I have a dog that we hate leaving behind in the summer months especially, this would allow for everyone in our family to go out together and enjoy the weather.
- Not at all
- Increase the risk of disorderly behavior and exposed to children
- Yes. it provides the option to choose to consume liquor.
- It depends on how the citizens act with it, if people are irresponsible then one without, if they are respectful than one with liquor
- no its evil action
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- Yes
- No, safety concerns, misconducts from ppl drinking, littering and liability driving back.
- Yes, in the summer it's nice to have get together and have a couple of beer.
- Yes. It would be more popular among friends without children.
- Yes if I want to have a drink.
- Yes because why not. I would rather be able to have a beverage that I want rather than paying a fortune at a bar that my niece and nephew can't go to.
- No because it is reflective of my religion. It is not healthy and I do not want my children or children on general to be exposed to alcohol consumption.
- you should not allow liquor on the picnic sites at all because you go out with your family and after drinking people can hurt their self like drinking and drive or harmful for others.
- If alcohol is allowed I likely wouldn't use the spaces any longer. I would not want to be next to a site that was drinking, nor would I want to possibly come across a site while out walking
- N/a
- Yes because it would be great to have a drink with a picnic.
- Yes. I would like to enjoy a glass of wine with my picnic lunch. Love to enjoy a glass of wine or beer while having a family barbecues in the park

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- No, because of all the safety concerns, increased chances of wildfires, kids exposed to alcohol before their age.
- Yes - that way there is an opportunity to bring ex. a bottle of champagne for a celebration or have a couple drinks while having a bbq.
- Yes, because I drink alcohol
- Yes. I have grown children. No risk
- No, I want my family to feel safe
- Yes so I could enjoy a drink if I so choose
- Yes. Because if I want to drink then I can.
- Yes. We casually drink at picnics and BBQs.
- Yes! I enjoy consuming a beer or two on the weekends. Having a nice place outdoors would be nice to enjoy it!
- No I would prefer a site liquor free. It's not a good influence on young kids with and around me
- Of course! Cheese and wine on nice summer day is lovely.
- Yes. It would allow me to enjoy fine dining in the gorgeous Calgary outdoors!
- Yes. It allows for more options with your meal or to the social event
- Yes. I'm an adult...
- No for the reasons in 2 above
- Yes
- No. Possibility of intoxicated people around the site. Smell.
- No. I don't need my children exposed to a belligerent drunk who feels that every other word should start with an F and be belted out at 100 dB.
- No
- Yes. I should be allowed to have a glass of wine or a beer with my burgers. If we are celebrating something, we should be allowed to bring champagne and not be worried about getting a ticket
- No, because drunk people do not have the capacity to control their actions. As a person who works in bar I would know that if there was no supervision to control the amount, there's a lot of potential for things to turnout disastrous.
- No, I don't want to be kept up by frat bros and sorority girls yelling all night. At least when it's banned people have to be discrete about it and keep their behaviour in check.
- Yes so i can have a glass of wine or a beer with my lunch if i so choose.
- Yes! More fun and more likely to have people agree to comw
- Yes because me and most of my adult friends consume alcohol and all appreciate a beer.
- Yes
- Not a question. No liquor period.
- Yes, choice, adults can make up their own minds
- Yes, alcohol is for social occasions. Picnics being one.

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- No. that's not what we are going picnic for. it's for family fun
- Depends on what the occasion is.
- Yes
- Yes, because of the character attributes of my friend group
- No. I want a safe environment for my family.
- I wouldn't ever book a picnic site. I'd just show up
- Yes. Freedom to choose is important to me and existing laws governing drinking and driving and public intoxication are rigorous enough to keep the public safe.
- No!
- Yes, I enjoy having a beer when I BBQ.
- No. I don't want my children exposed to liquor and unruly behaviour
- Yes
- No why would I take my family to a place with drunk people? There are bars and clubs for that so people can stick to those places for their alcohol consumption.
- No due to risks
- No
- No, because likely I drove there and should not be drinking.
- Yes, it allows for an outdoor environment where people can consumer alcohol without the worry or breaking laws or the cost limitations of consuming alcohol at bars or restaurants.
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- No
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- Yes
- Yes, it's because I like to enjoy a drink outside with some meal and socialize with my friends and I think people should be responsible for their own actions of how much they drink and how they behave since its allowed alcohol only for grownups.
- No, I'd rather stay home and eat in peace with my family
- No I don't think it's necessary
- I will choose site that don't allow liquor. Don't want my kids to exposed to it
- Yes because it gives the people in my group freedom to choose if they want to drink or not
- Yes, when having a picnic (especially on a hot day) many if not most adults would like to have an alcoholic beverage with their food.
- No I will not choose
- No, because we do not like to expose that for our kids and our safety generally.
- I won't choose liquor site, I'm concerned about my safety and my children as well.
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- Yes because it would be nice to bbq and have a beer responsibly without getting in trouble.
- Yes. So that I could partake in this activity legally.
- No, I don't drink and I don't want my children to be exposed to it
- No
- no,
- yes, it just make sense
- No because it should not be allowed
- Yes I would. It would be nice to have a BBQ with friends and enjoy a couple of drinks...in an outdoor place that is not a backyard or patio.
- No, i don't want my children to be exposed to liquor or intoxicated people.
- No.
- No. I will not pick the site that allows liquor as I do not support risking lives of other people who can become victim of the drunk person; physically, emotionally, or culturally.
- No
- Yes, I would like to be able to enjoy a beverage while using a picnic site
- Definitely.
- I would. I am not a heavy drinker but when I lived in Europe it was wonderful to be able to have a glass of wine or a beer while enjoying a picnic in the park.
- Yes. I would love to be able to enjoy a beer or glass of wine with a meal with a group of friends.
- Don't care.
- Yes, liquor is typically for family/friends/party event (and usually drinking starts after noon). Does this need to be booked?
- Yes, because I like to relax and consume liquor with food while outside with friends and family.
- Yes, so I can enjoy the outdoors without having to sit at an expensive establishment or the isolation of my back deck
- No
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- Yes. It's nice to have one cold drink on a hot day, or a hot drink on a cold day.
- No,
- No. Against this idea
- No, I don't want some drunk person coming up to me and my loved ones causing problems
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- No I won't prefer because there will be increase in disorderly behaviour.
- Depends on the function. Children's Birthday/Event - no, Family or adult gathering - yes
- no

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- No
- Yes, because I enjoy a beer with a meal and with friends.
- Yes. It's nice to have a drink outside in a beautiful park.
- Yes, because the vast majority of people who drink will behave responsibly.
- No as I do not want to risk having negative influences around me and my family to detrimentally affect the primary reasons we came to the park in the first place which is not to consume alcohol in a public space.
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- No
- no, It will cause to the behavior issue and children expose
- No - liquor consumption does not belong in public parks
- Yes. To accommodate all attendees beverage wishes
- No. I would choose the one which doesn't allow liquor consumption. I don't want myself, my family, friends and kids to be exposed to liquor.
- Yes with food, it's a good relaxation time in those beautiful areas
- No, because I don't want my child anywhere to a person who will not be his/her senses. In addition, it will attract unexpected behaviour & other problems.
- Yes
- Yes because having a couple beverages on a warm day with a picnic would be lovely
- No, to spend quality time, I want to relax and not worry about people misbehaving after getting drunk
- No. Picnic sites should not have alcohol
- Absolutely not.
- Yes
- Yes because I would like to be able to have the choice to have an alcoholic beverage or not.
- Yes, cause regardless of liquor consumption being approved or not, I'm still looking to book a spot.
- no as liquor should not be allowed in parks and picnic area.
- Yes. Because if not, I'd rather do my even in my backyard.
- Yes. Consuming a little bit of alcohol and socializing is what would drive me out there
- no - worry but not responsible behavior of neighbouring sites
- Yes, as it's more in-line with a private picnic.
- No. I don't want my family to be around it
- 100% yes. A bbq with a couple glasses of wine or a cold one with friends? Sign me up.
- no
- No. Safety concern and disorderly behavior in the park. not safe for kids.
- Yes

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- Yes, I enjoy a cold beer on a hot day
- No.
- No, picnic is about spending quality time with family and friends. Alcohol can be consumed in so many places.
- Yes, my friend and family like to partake in liquor consumption when we get together.
- Yes, see No. 3
- NO
- yes, we like to have a beer and it would be nice to have one with a picnic
- Yes. As i do not believe this is an issue (unless people are going crazy - which a ticket/fine would fix). Cities all over the world allow drinking in public and have not descended into anarchy.
- Yes, nice to have the option.
- Yes. Would be nice to enjoy a beer or glass of wine with a picnic.
- Yes. Sharing food and drink with loved ones is a widely accepted cultural event most every else in world. A place like Germany is one of many examples around the world where there are many positive examples of people enjoying parks in this manner.
- Yes, because it allows flexibility within my event and group. My social circle is light/social drinkers so it would be nice to have A beer while the kids play- we wouldn't be the ones bingeing. It would just be nice to have the option.
- Yes. Because it's fun!
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- Maybe yes but only if the liquor consumption was regulated in the picnic site if not then I would not choose it.
- Yes, because this is Canada and we live in a free society. We have a great public awareness and education against drinking and driving and other drinking consequences, so allowing people to do it in public won't increase bad behavior.
- No
- No. Would not want to be exposed to drunken and disorderly others.
- No
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- Yes. You always want the option to be able to drink
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- no, I don't want my children to see this at early age, and not safe for the people
- Yes, our friends who have children can't always join us at bars or restaurants. This gives everyone a chance to be included without someone needing to host. Plus BBQ, beers, summer!

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- Yes. If i'm booking a picnic site, it's most likely for a special occasion, gathering, etc. and having the option of bringing drinks would be nice.
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- Yes absolutely.
- Yes. I would enjoy bbq beers!
- No. People may at this time consume liquor but as it is not allowed they are likely more conservative.
- No because when someone is drunk he or she doesn't have any senses. These people can not respect themselves or others. ALWAYS keep your self and your family safe by not using these toxic stuff.
- Yes because I like to have a cold beer with my picnics.
- No because I feel it is not a family environment.
- Yes, because everyone would be drinking (secretly) anyway, might as well approve of it in the bylaws.
- May be yes
- Yes, relaxation, socialization
- Yes its our fundamental right
- Yes because drinking is a societal norm today and many people enjoy having a drink with dinner
- Absolutely, I want to show my kids what drinking with friends in a responsible manner looks like
- Yes. It gives people in the group more options. Maybe bring out some family members who would otherwise stay at home.
- Yes. It's sometimes nice to have a glass of wine or beer with a meal. It's no digester than sometimes having alcohol in a restaurant.
- no...I do not want to be exposed to abnormal behavior
- Because that is something that a lot of adults do when they want to wind down or celebrate or enjoy a nice day.
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- Yes, so I can have the choice to enjoy an alcoholic beverage if I choose.
- No, I don't consume it during the day.
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- No, I don't drink.
- Perhaps but I am not much of a drinker. Also, I am sort of turning away from drinking since my son-in-law has quit due to a hereditary disease.
- Yes
- No. Increased risk of objectionable conduct. I also think this an end around to get marijuana use in the parks.
- yes, it allows the freedom to enjoy whatever you wish on a nice summer day.



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- Yes I would
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- No
- No. I am concerned about the safety of my family. In particular, improper disposal of can and glasses, public drunkenness, disorderly conduct as well as drinking and driving concerns me.
- Yes as I should be able to have a glass of wine with my picnic.
- No
- No
- No. I've got young kids.
- Yes. I want to have a beer at my family picnic
- No. Not interested in consuming in such a setting.
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- Yes, because I enjoy consuming alcohol with friends and family, and not being restricted would allow that.
- yes. So I can have a beer.
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- No, because no one is going to benefit from alcohol consumption
- Yes. Everyone enjoys consuming a responsible amount of alcohol on summer outings. Everyone is already doing it and trying not to get caught. Might as well just allow it.
- Yes, because we are adults, and need to be treated as such. North American Bureaucracy has long held on the belief that we need to be protected, so they treat us like children.
- Not if non-drinking parks are available. Avoid potential conflict with other users who are drinking.
- Yes, friends could have a casual beer or two
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- No, I would go far away from that spot.
- Yes.
- No. I would actually avoid it if it allowed liquor consumption.
- Yes, because it would be nice to have a drink while eating or with friends
- Yes. I may or may not want to have alcohol with my picnic but it's nice to have the option.
- No. I will not choose one that allows liquor consumption. Allowing liquor takes away the family fun with kids and family.
- Because it makes sense
- I will not consider booking a picnic site...I have a cabin to go to and a patio at home, but thanks
- Not likely. Wouldn't go out of my way to book a site just for alcohol.
- It would depend on whether I planned to bring wine
- Yes, because a cold beer on a warm summer's day would be nice.
- Yes, definitely. Same reasons as above.

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- No due to the notes mentioned before.
- No because the behavior of individuals consuming liquor would take away from the park experience
- Yes
- How many people actually book these sites now and how is it enforced? I never see any officers or signs indicating a site is booked.
- Yes
- Yes as it suits the activity. Just because liquor is allowed does not force anyone to consume it.
- Why would you have to book a picnic site? it should be first come, first serve
- No. I would not want to be near any liquor-permitted site. Do not want to be disturbed by rowdy, intoxicated persons.
- No
- Yes, because change is good.
- Yes, because it would be nice to have a picnic and or campfire with a drink or two. Within reason.
- No
- Yes, I probably would have a glass of wine but it gives other people an option to enjoy the evening even more with their favourite beverage.
- yes just to enjoy a glass of wine (other) just to have a safe nice celebration.
- Yes, I like having options.
- No. There is a great possibility of over consumption, bad behaviour/confrontations and exposing children to such behaviour.
- no, due to harmful effects
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- Yes. Because guests could enjoy any beverage they choose.
- I will not choose because without children families not going for picnic and no one wants to expose alcohol to children
- No.
- Depending on what my plans are. Depending on who I am with. But I would sometimes in social situations.
- Yes. This would be aligned with what we do at home
- No
- No because of the safety of children. Mostly children play in most picnic sites
- Depends on event, but generally yes
- No. Drinking in parks should not be allowed, just as smoking cannabis is not allowed. I would not be booking a picnic site where liquor is consumed
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- No. Nothing good comes from alcohol
- Yes, even if not planning to consume, just out of principle that adults should be allowed to be free.

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- Yes, because it allows for people to enjoy themselves as they would in their backyard. If the City is looking for higher density, then we should treat parks as backyards.
- yes unless theirs young kids with in our group maybe not
- No, I wouldn't want to be around people drinking with my children or grandchildren
- Not applicable
- No
- Yes I would. I enjoy responsible drinking.
- Yes. I could get more people to be involved and it would be more fun.
- Depending on the event. If it is an adult social gathering yes as one can enjoy the outdoor experience in a more relaxed way
- Absolutely! It would be great to allow liquor to be consumed.
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- Yes because I would use it
- No will never book a site that allows liquir consumption
- Yes, because of the potential that my group would want to consume liquor.
- Yes
- No, I need a safe place for myself and my family to enjoy good time
- No I won't book a sit which allows liquor consumption.
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- No - I don't drink.
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- No, I'm sure you are capable of enjoying time with family/friends without liquor. Don't want to be around noisy, potentially disturbing behaviour when I'm out
- Yes
- Yes, because we should have the option to have a drink, regardless if we do or now
- Yes. Because I like to enjoy liquor while hanging out with friends, and public parks are a greater space than we have in our yards.
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- From time to time, as I would like to be able to have a glass of wine as part of the picnic.
- Yes
- No . I stay away from troubles especially if kids involved.
- Probably yes, though it would depend on who I were going with.
- Yes

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- No. When people drinking liquor they can get loud and boisterous.
- Yes - everyone gets involved
- yes. I enjoy a little wine with food.
- No. Would make no difference to me. I hardly ever have a picnic in a park. And it is just as easy to do without alcohol
- Yes. I can see why people would choose a site that does not allow this but for most people in my age demographic this is an added bonus to using city parks.
- Yes, because it gives guests options
- 
- No
- Yes, I don't think alcohol consumption automatically means getting drunk and rowdy, people can drink responsibly while enjoying Calgary's parks.
- Not at all Not good at all for kids around and family Fun environment
- No
- Yes, because responsible drinking should be allowed everywhere. Attaching a stigma to drinking doesn't do it any favours. People should have the right to make their own choices in a responsible manner.
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- Yes- I think being able to enjoy a drink while having dinner at a picnic or BBQ is a fun social experience.
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- Yes, it would be nice to legally have alcohol on a picnic
- Yes, it is a legal product and I should be able to drink anywhere.
- No , people comes to the parks to get relaxation, and they enjoyed with kids because of drunk people there is not peace of mind.
- Yes. Adults can drink responsibly.
- No. I don't want my children and grandchildren exposed to the disorderlines and lack of judgment caused by liquor.
- No, because it's not safe.
- No, it won't remain a healthy environment. Disorder would also make it worse for a picnic site.
- No
- Yes, that way people could have a simple alcoholic beverage still in a responsible way. People do it through hiding now, why not open to being honest.
- Yes, because my friends and I consume liquor
- No
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- Yes if I was booking a group event.
- no, I want to be safe for myself and others around me at the park.
- I will never book a picnic site that allows liquor.
- Yes. People should be able to enjoy their outing with or without alcohol. It's a responsibility of the individual to decide whether or not to consume.
- If I was having a social gathering with my peers, then yes; because my friends and I are responsible adults who enjoy a beer outside from time to time.
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- No, it will be dangerous for my gl
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- Yes
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- Yes -- give the option for those attending a picnic to have a drink if they wish to.
- Yes, absolutely.
- Yes. I like a drink with good once in a while.
- Yes, added benefit for certain occasions
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- No
- Yes because I am a responsible adult. Also me Team building events at work could have some events in parks.
- Yes. To have the option to drink or not.
- Yes. My friends and I enjoy an alcoholic beverage when we are having a picnic.
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- Yes, so you can drink
- No I don't want my kids been exposed to drunk people or misbehaving
- No, I would avoid parks that allow liquor consumption due to increased disorderly behavior
- Likely not, the potential to have rowdy people next to us or irresponsible group around my family is not something my family or I would enjoy
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- Yes
- No, I don't want to deal with the potential issues
- No.not safe
- No.
- No, I think people can have a picnic without liquor. I don't want picnic sites turning into bar fights

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- Yes - all good bbqs include a cold brew
- No
- Yes, because it's nice to have the option of bringing some drinks along.
- No, I would choose a family-friendly alcohol-free site; however, this would limit where we could go and may prevent us from accessing a nearby favourite park.
- Depends on the occasion, but usually I would, yes. It's nice to have the option. Most cities understand, trust their citizens to be responsible, and allow this.
- Yes, the reason I don't picnic is because I like to have a beer with my burger
- No ; because of my children and teenager
- No because I would always like a liquor free environment.
- No it's safe for having time with my family and friends
- No, due to all the reasons above
- impaired people tend to be noisy, impolite and sometimes rude. I would not use a park where liquor is allowed
- Yes. More enjoyable. No risk of "hiding" alcohol.
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- I haven't booked in the past but
- Yes, if we are going to enjoy with family or friends. I think drinking is fine if people like to drink.
- Yes. They should all allow liquor. There should be no choices to make.
- Depends, there may be times we want alcohol and times we wouldn't.
- Yes, because I like to drink wine with my picnic
- Yes, I would like the choice to have fun.
- Yes, it gives me options to enjoy the city parks in the summer with a beverage.
- no
- Yes, our friends like to enjoy a beer. None of us like to be drunk but beer and beer culture is a big part of our world now
- Of course
- Yes. It's a great social and cultural shared experience.
- Yes, allows for flexibility of the type of gathering
- No. It's not safe for family with kids
- No. Not a proper venue
- No because there would always be a concern of safety. I'm sure there are people who can drink in their limit, but there are many others who overdrink. And those people will ruin our experience of a peaceful outing.

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- No, alcohol consumption should be prohibited in all public spaces
- Yes. Because of the reason above
- No I would not. It shows a bad image and a higher potential for disorderly conduct.
- Yes
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- Yes so I can enjoy whatever while eating at a lower cost.
- No kids dose not need to be around liquor
- Yes, gives the option of bringing it being able to enjoy a beverage without being ticketed
- No, because I am fine with having a picnic without liquor and in fact do not want my children to think that you need to drink alcohol wherever you go.
- No
- Yes
- No,for safety of my and all other children.
- Yes because then maybe I could have a beer or a glass of wine and not hide it.
- Yes - because to be honest, most people, including my friends and myself are already booking sites and consuming alcohol. But it would be nice to be get rid of the stigma and avoid the possible penalties from peace officers.
- No
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- No. It is unsafe for the park environment
- Mostly irrelevant. If people want to have alcohol, they will.
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- Yes.
- No, never
- Yes. Because it will allow for more social spaces
- Yes
- No because of liquor
- No because we as a family do not like the use of liquor
- No I would not choose one that allows Louie.
- No. I want to relax and enjoy nature not to see drunk people.
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- Yes, but as per my previous answer, I dont think it should be specific to picnic sites. It would be too hard to enforce and too hard to figure out when you are a user.
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- Definitely not. Do not want to be near possible rowdy, dangerous or inappropriate behaviour with my children or during a family event.

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- Yes, it is the freedom of choice.
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- Yes, because it's ferda boys
- No, why do we need to drink liquor in parks?
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- No, for the reasons stated above
- No. Encourages drinking and driving
- Yes, I want the option to have a few beer if I feel sassy
- Yes
- Would not if there was a possibility of drinking at site next to mine
- No... safety of others in area
- No. See answer from 3.
- Yes, for a more laid back and diverse atmosphere
- Yes, more social aspects to this and younger generation individuals.
- Yes.
- Absolutely, see above
- No
- Yes, because having a drink or two is enjoyable and should be allowed.
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- No
- No. Expect people to be drunk and misbehave.
- No. Because I want to make sure my kids can play in a safe environment
- No, do not want children exposed to liquor, bottle debree
- if same price then yes
- It shouldn't be segregate, otherwise you will concentrate groups into "good" and "bad". Arguments are more likely to start if I booked a liquir frendly site and didn't consume at it while someone wanting to consume was left with a no-liquor site.
- Depends on the event but would appreciate the option of being trusted and treated like an adult bs hiding it from Mom and Dad!!!
- No.
- No
- Yes, I enjoy a couple beers while bbqing
- Yes
- Yes because a couple drinks for an event, food over a period of time is usually done anyways.
- Yes it would be nice to be able to have a glass of wine with my meal



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- No.
- I always go with children, so i wont go to liquor allowed park if this is allowed in future.
- No. I don't drink and I believe anyone I invite to a gathering could do without liquor for a few hours.  
Yup, I'm going up to change my vote.
- Yes, it would be nice to enjoy our public areas while consuming an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes as it an option for your guests. Weither you indulge is personal.
- No
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- Yes of planning on consuming alcohol.
- Yes, let people be responsible and choose what they do. People already do have beers or wine and its fine.
- Yes, so I could drink
- yes, more flexibility to enjoy the park and the weather
- Yes, I would but preference would be to have no restrictions and all sites are the same.
- Yes because I enjoy having thew option to consume liquor without fear of legal repercussion.
- no
- I've never booked a site and probably won't with or without drinking allowed
- Yes, to accommodate those who wish to drink.
- No. In fact I would seek out "dry" parks just as I would seek out "no marijuana" parks if it came to that.
- No, liquour is not required for family events. You can easily live without it. Only alcoholics need this.
- Yes! Nothing quite like bbqing burgers with a beer.
- Yes! I have a glass of wine or beer at home with dinner and think this should be extended to public spaces.
- Yes
- Yes, no one forces you to drink if you don't want to
- Yes I would chose to have a couple drinks at a picnic. To be honest I do this already and have never had a problem.
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a drink with my picnic lunch or dinner.
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- Yes I would. The possibility of having a drink with family and or friends would be nice.
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- No
- All sites should allow liquor. Trying to identify "Liquor allowed" tables will result in confusion and frustration.

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- Yes. Myself or my company may wish to consume some.
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- No. More concerned about others. I can go to a bar, if I want alcohol
- I would but having some with and some without seems too complicated. All or none is better.
- Yes. My husband and I enjoy the odd beer, so it would be great to take the kids out on a hot summer day and enjoy a picnic with a drink. Or we could have a romantic picnic with wine.
- I have kids and do not want any liquor consumption around them
- Yes of course because I like a beer with my burger or dog.
- Yes, would be nice to consume a cold beverage while enjoying the city - responsibly - not a party type event.
- Not at all
- No.
- Definitely not. I go to parks to enjoy the outdoors. I do not need alcohol to enjoy family time.
- Yes, for reasons above
- No, because I do not want to see disorderly behavior and exposing children to liquor
- You need to book a picnic site? Why?
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- No, based on my concerns: Increase in disorderly behavior may occur; Children are exposed to seeing liquor use; There may be safety concerns and an increase in The City's liability; Drinking and driving; Drinking before floating down the river.
- No, I would rather not to drink in any park or any public area where children and families are around.
- No. Safety first. Family first.
- Yes absolutely. I would because one of the best things in the late spring, summer, and early fall is enjoying a cold drink outside with friends.
- Really? Being able to have a cold beer on a hot summer day is well overdue.
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- No, there are enough drunks on Calgary streets without encouraging more
- No. People can drink at home or in public drinking establishments. After the spike in business property tax and hiking minimum wage, is this bylaw intended to be a knockout blow to licensed establishments?
- Yes, because it makes more sense!
- Yes, that way your not telling your friends and family they can't drink your leaving the choice up to them
- No. Liquor and recreation are not a good mix
- why have to book a picnic site? It should not be so controlled - waste of city resources
- Absolutely. I like the idea of being able to have a glass of wine with an afternoon picnic.

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- Yes, so that I have the option to have a glass of wine or beer if I choose. Also I can enjoy my beverage without feeling like a criminal.
- Yes. More incentive to bring people together.
- No
- Yes, I'd like the ability to drink when meeting with friends. I see it done in Europe and it seems there are more people acting responsibly than not.
- Yes,
- Yes
- No, my kids will not be safe there.
- No...I don't want to be outdoors and enjoying a family picnic if there are others around drinking
- Yes. It is great to have the possibility to have a drink when on a picnic.
- Absolutely. There's nothing wrong with a couple beers when out on a picnic or day trip.
- No. I'd stay away from it
- You have to book sites? Well then I won't be using them.
- Yes, I'm going to anyway so I would prefer to do it legally
- I would not choose any such site due to concerns of safety and security
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- No, I don't think so because of potential rowdiness. I've seen what happens when people consume alcohol in the national park campgrounds.
- Yes, because it would be nice to have a beer with my burger
- No..I don't want to be around drunken people.
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- No, most definitely not. I will not support this idea for the reasons stated above: increased disorderly behaviour, liquor exposure to children, drinking and driving, damage, etc. If drinking in the parks is allowed the next step will be "pot". Please No!
- Yes - because I would enjoy having liquor at my site.
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- It would depend on the function. A child's birthday party would be a no. A family picnic, I would like a consumption site. There should be options/sections that are liquor prohibited and allow. Like sections in a sports stadium.
- It's either all allowed or none. Don't screw around with this concept.
- yes, I would like a bottle of wine with my meal.
- Yes because I might want to have a glass of wine with my picnic.
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- Yes, because I would most likely want to have a beer
- No. I do not like seeing drunk people around. I worry about safety for myself, my friends and my kids.

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- Yes if having some sort of celebration with friends and family.
- Yes, nice way to spend an afternoon outdoors
- Yes- it allows more freedom for simple things like a charcuterie board with a glass or two of wine, or a beer or a cider on a hot day
- Yes
- Yes - for moderate consumption with a meal
- Yes. I like to have a drink with my food without fear of repercussion.
- No - Public rowdiness is always a possibility. Why increase the chances.
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- Yes. I could enjoy an alcoholic drink just like going to any restaurant, enjoy the outdoors, and save money all at the same time.
- No. Drunkenness, aggressive behaviour, littering, damage to facilities and grounds are deterrents.
- No
- Yes, many of my friends and I enjoy a few adult beverages when snacking/bbq'ing outside.
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- No, liquor is not required to have fun and why should kids you need alcohol to have fun.
- Yes. It adds to my experience
- Yes. It would be nice to have the option to bring a drink if we wanted to, rather than being constrained to no alcohol, especially if booked in advance.
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- No. I don't want to be surrounded by drunk people and the trouble that they cause.
- No
- no - don't think all activities including picnics require liquor to be served to enjoy the occasion
- no i would not, liquor consumption belongs in a licensed establishment or event there are plenty of places to have a drink. Parks are for all families with or without children
- No
- It depends who I am having a picnic with. If I know it wouldn't get excessive then perhaps.
- Yes. Having a glass of wine/beer at lunch/dinner on a weekend is pretty normal.
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- Yes
- Yes.
- yes
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- Yes ! It's refreshing relaxing encourage ppl to sit outside
- No Liquor ! Plain and simple !

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- yes
- No, would avoid these parks altogether. We choose the family zone for the Stampeders, for example, instead of buying season tickets to avoid the horrible behaviour by many in attendance.
- Yes. It allows adults to be able do as they want
- It should not be allowed in any picnic sites
- Yes
- Yes.
- Yes, Because I enjoy having a beer when hanging out in the park with my family and enjoying the summer weather.
- Yes.
- No
- Nope
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- Yes. Restricting consumption of liquor is antique. At social gatherings, moderate, responsible liquor consumption shouldn't be illegal.
- "yes", if the make up of the people I was going to meet up with wanted to socialize with drinks then yes. If I was only going to be with my children that day it wouldn't be important
- yes. i like beer
- Yes, for better experience
- No. Open spaces should be for everyone to enjoy. Allowing alcohol is always a risk anywhere.
- Yes. I would enjoy having alcohol at my picnic site
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- No because it's against my religion and wouldn't want my kids to see that behaviour
- Yes, why not have a drink while with u meal u can at the restaurants and your home
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- yes, so i could enjoy a little wine with my cheese
- yes, I should have the choice to responsibly consume a beer with my burger
- No, never if i knw that they allow liquor, I would never go to the park
- Yes. So we could bring a few drinks.
- No
- Yes
- NO, I want to keep myself, my family and kids away from drinking as harms are more than enjoyment.
- Yes. Our family and friends choose to have picnics at home currently so that we can enjoy a glass of wine or beer if we choose. This would be a natural.
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- I would prefer NOT to have to book. I want to easy, accessible , open minded spaces to connect with public. (think New Central Library but outdoors)
- Yes. Cause I'm a responsible adult who like liquor.
- No I wouldn't. My family and I would want to avoid any possible issues that could arise from drinking in the public parks.
- I don't want my children learn to drink in public and have to deal with consequences. This would be even worse if those drinking get drunk too
- No I don't support drinking at park.
- Yes, so I can drink a beer.
- Absolutely! I believe there will be fights over these sites if you only open a select few to this. Giving all the option will reduce this chaos
- No, too much chance the place will be littered with empties and broken bottles, plus likely to be close to other sites where there are inebriated individuals
- Yes. Because I would want to participate in adult beverages.
- Yes, adults having a few drinks while having a picnic is acceptable
- Yes, as I would like the option to consume alcohol
- No. Parks and public places where there is a highest probability of children's presence should be strictly NO Liquor areas
- Yes. Most of my guests would prefer to have a beer at the picnic.
- No
- no as we see no reason to allow liquor consumption in public parks
- 
- Yes
- Yes
- yes, I like having a casual drink or two while out enjoying the parks
- No. I feel that those sites that doesn't allow liquor consumption are more likely to be clean and clear.
- Yes, liquor is a cultural part of gathering in this part of the world.
- No. I do not drink anymore and I feel like I would not use public picnic sites anymore because I don't need that exposure.
- No- I usually go with family- children. Also, few times, we invite other families and children.
- no
- No I would not choose one that allows Liquor consumption, as it increases perceived danger in the environment around me
- No, I don't want my family around people drinking and being drunk.
- Yes, depending on what I am booking the site for
- No, I don't drink.
- No

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- No I wouldn't choose a picnic site that allows liquor because not only for my religion but also because children will be at all parks within Alberta with their families. Exposing children to drinking is not okay. Adults have bars and clubs to go to drink.
- no - because it's ridiculous to impose the restrictions that will come with the allowance
- I have no preference
- No. Don't want potential disorderly conduct, violence.
- It is nice to be able to have the option of having of liquor
- Yes, because if children are exposed to moderate, responsible alcohol consumption they are less likely to misuse it/be disorderly when consuming it in the future.
- Yes, gives people that want to enjoy a beverage outside the chance to
- Yes. I enjoy sunshine and beer
- Yes - I enjoy a craft beer on occasion
- No, no need for booze
- 
- Yes, Depending on the event (ie. is it for children, adults or both?)
- Yes. as long as there is no increase in cost.
- No
- No. Reasons outlined in answer to #2. In past years we have had problems with certain sports activities where the consumption of beer in the park took place. As a result some of the participants used our back lane and fences as urinals. Bye Law fixed it.
- Yes. I think responsible alcohol consumption can work and is enjoyable.
- Yes as it allows those in the group who want to drink to partake.
- Yes.
- Of course. I prefer all bookable sites allow alcohol to avoid confusion.
- No. I would stay away from these sites. They would become gathering places for alcoholics, much like the safe injection sites in the city. Parks would no longer be safe places for children & general public. Already too many unconscious drunks in parks.
- Definitely not. Potential for rowdiness and in warranted behaviour
- Yes, same as above.
- No
- Yes, it gives me more options to enjoy our parks.
- Yes, see answer #3.
- Yes. It's nice to have a drink with a picnic.
- Yes. Would like to be able to have a drink if I choose.
- Yes, it's the summer and having a beer or glass of wine with a picnic is one of the highlights!
- No, because it could lead to irresponsible behavior and impaired judgement.

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- Yes, just in case someone we are with wishes to enjoy an alcoholic beverage without having to worry about being fined.
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- yes
- no never because i would not want to deal with drunks
- Definitely no. Don't want to be near drunk and disorderly people!!!
- No, would not want to be near any site that allows alcohol
- I've never booked a picnic site but if I would I think the option to have some wine would be nice.
- No, not appropriate for kids
- Wouldn't likely matter.
- Yes I would
- No, because we want to be an example of healthy life choices and not encouraging bad habits in early age of lives where kids don't understand the benefits or disadvantages... They simply follow what they see... So please I highly disagree and dispose.
- Yes, its not a picnic without beer.
- Yes, it would add to my experience.
- No
- Yes because alcohol is a nice addition to a picnic
- Yes, because I would rather not go through a hassel to try and hide alcohol.
- Yes, I would rather the option to enjoy an alcoholic drink than to not have one. It would be a deciding factor.
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- No
- No.
- 
- No, for safety, values and family reasons
- Possibly
- 
- Yes, because it is nice to have a beer or two in the summer.
- No
- Yes. A beer is the summer in a park sounds like a nice afternoon.
- Probably
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- I would because I'd want to drink
- If there was the choice, I would yes. I'd like not to have to feel restricted.
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- Yes, so my friends could drink.
- No
- No, liquor not necessary
- No, intoxicated people have ruined Stampede, Lilac Fest and other events for people that do not drink
- No, I think liquor consumption is fine.
- Yes.
- No, I would not choose that allows liquor consumption. I am quite sure those sites will have more garbage and unkept since rowdy crowds are nor going to be mindful or considerate of others. This will lead me to use city parks less if it comes to be true.
- Yes, because I enjoy liquor
- Should not be allowed
- No for reasons selected above. Unless sites have security personnel
- Yes. It's nice to have a glass of wine or beer at picnics
- No not at all Because picnics are usually with small children and they should not be exposed to alcohol consumption. One way we want to treat the adults who are addicted to alcohol but we do not watch the children who see is consuming the alcohol
- Yes, if the reason for booking was appropriate for liquor consumption.
- No because of children's presence in the park
- 
- Yes I enjoy a beer with a bbq or some wine with a cheese charcuterie plate
- I do not want my kids exposed to liquor
- Absolutely. Even if I didn't plan on consuming liquor I would not hesitate to book a site that aloud for consumption.
- Yes if I plan on consuming liquor
- 
- Yes.
- 
- Yes - because I enjoy a beer or glass of wine
- Yes, allows for gatherings outside as opposed to booking community halls
- Yes, because I like going for a picnic and having a glass of wine outdoors and a park is a great way to spend time.
- Yes.
- No. I will have concern about safety and security of my family and myself.
- Yes, so that we could enjoy a glass of wine with our food.
- Yes definitely because I will be drinking anyways and I don't want to get in trouble
- Yes if I'm looking to have a glass with a meal for special occasion.

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- No, liquor should not be consumed in parks. Many people would become loud and obnoxious, but still would not be considered to be intoxicated enough to be breaking the law. Sober up City administrators!!
- Yes, because I really enjoy having a beer in the sunshine with a picnic lunch.
- Yes. I don't see a problems with enjoying a local beer in a public park.
- no. I absolutely am against having liquor consumed in public areas
- 
- No. Don't want to be responsible on sible for their bad behavior.
- No
- depends on if planned to consume liquor or not
- Yes, alcohol is a social beverage.
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- NO---- I don't wish to be around drinking, loud obnoxious people
- Yes. I would be more likely to choose a site that respected adults enough to allow them to make their own choices.
- Potentially yes, especially if it was for a birthday or special occasion.
- There is nothing better than a cold beer on a hot day when you are sitting around outside with friends.
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- Yes. We like to have an occasional drink when out.
- No, would not want to take kids or family where there is alcohol allowed
- Yes. I do like the taste of beer and wine.
- no. I'm totally against this
- No. Liquor is not necessary for a fun time
- No
- yes i would. It's simply nice to be able to enjoy a drink...
- Yes because I drink
- No
- Yes I would because it means I would be able to enjoy a beer or wine with food and friends.
- No - Dont believe that this is a good idea at all
- Yes. I would specifically chose one that allows liquor
- Yes, my family and friends all like to drink socially.
- I would choose one that allows liquor, and allow everyone the choice of whether or not to consume it. Personally I like to enjoy a cold beer in the sun toss around a football or frisbee.
- I will not go to one that allows liquor. Unfortunatly if liquor is allowed then it will restrict my outdoor activities
- Yes because weather I want to drink or not I want the choice to be my own

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- yes, to feel free
- Yes
- No
- Yes
- I will not choose the one which allows liquor.
- Yes. Europe works this way and after a break in period it becomes just part of the norm and no big deal
- 
- no. I don't want my kids to be influenced. it sends a bad message
- 
- Yes for obvious reasons
- Yes
- No because of potential drunk people around me
- No
- Yes
- No. No need to. There are other things to drink besides alcohol.
- yes - I am an adult id like to enjoy a drink while im enjoying the park
- Yes, and would prefer that they all allow liquor consumption so that liquor consumption is not concentrated in certain "party zones" but instead reasonable consumption is normalized throughout the city.
- No Just as question #2
- No. It may not be safe for children at all and sometimes for adults as well.
- Yes. Allows for more options when having a picnic.
- No, liquor isn't allowed now but I have been in parks where adults are playing baseball and the liquor flows freely. The language is obscene, they leave a mess and use the stand of trees as their outhouse.
- Yes, because I drink liquor when having a picnic
- Yes!!
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- Yes. Why not have more flexibility? People can decide if they want to consume or not.
- Yes, especially on a hot day, a nice cold beer or cooler is exactly what I'd want to consume. I want to feel like I'm in my backyard BBQing with my friends and liquor would be part of that equation.
- No, not needed
- No not suitable for kid's
- Depends on the day, regular use no. Special events yes.
- Yes, but I don't think it should be restricted to just sites that can be booked. I think all picnic areas should allow it so that it isn't condensed to one area making it an "Party" area.

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- Yes, I would like to pair a bottle of wine or beer with a meal and take it to enjoy outside. I believe this would be an enhancement to the experience rather than being limited to non-alcoholic options.
- Yes
- Yes, because I will clearly be drinking.
- Yes because it reduces our costs of eating out and enjoying a beer
- No, this will cause damage to kids, and increase incidents
- yes, so it would be possible to drink some alcohol while at the picnic.
- Yes
- Yes, I think it would be more fun.
- yes Im not there to get drunk but on a nice hot summer day a nice beer would be nice
- Yes, cause it makes sense.
- No, I would not choose that allow liquor because it is prohibited in my religion.
- No. Because Its bad. My children will be exposed to liquor use.
- No. I would be concerned about The potential of over consumption and bad behaviour of neighbouring sites.
- Yes, because it's my choice what to legally consume and where, not yours. Besides, people are going to do it anyway. Stop making criminals out of ordinary good people. If I want to have a beer, I'm going to have a beer. Try stopping me.
- Yes.
- Yes, because it would be nice have the option to drink liquor at the park.
- No - it's just not needed. A safe family environment is better if it's alcohol free. if we allow alcohol, then we'll have to allow cannabis. End result - we'll just stop using these spaces and the investment becomes wasted.
- Yes I would because I enjoy doing that responsibly.
- Yes because it makes everyone's lives easier
- Only if it was convenient
- Yes, enjoy having a drink on a nice day. Would be nice to be able to consume alcohol outdoors and not in a restaurant since I live in an apartment with no outdoor spaces.
- yes. a drink with lunch or dinner should not be a crime.
- Yes, why not? It would be ridiculous to only allow it at some sites, increasing the complexity of monitoring the sites, as well as being more confusing for residents.
- no - I don't think you need liquor to have a good time
- Yes, it's nice to have options.
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- Yes, because allows you to drink without having to hide it
- Yes, I would enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my outdoor picnic meal.

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- Yes, most of my friends and family would enjoy have a beer while having a picnic so we would seek out places this was permitted.
- Absolutely. Who wouldn't.
- No, may run into safety concerns due to disorderly behavior or aggressive drunks or drunk drivers.
- Being able to have a drink makes the picnic site way more appealing!!
- No.
- yes, having a beer on a hot summer day along with food should not lead to public intoxication however there needs to be enforcement
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- No. People in Calgary/Alberta do not know how to drink responsible. Look at the stats.
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- Yes, because I would love to have a cold beer on a nice sunny day without getting punished for it.
- Absolutely yes, the people who want to drink will drink, the people who don't want to, will not.
- Yes
- No. I would choose a site that doesn't.
- Yes because it would make it special when you rent a picnic site. Nice for people to have that option if you want a beer or a pop with your food.
- Yes. Same as above
- I would chose one that allows liquor consumption. The current approach is to restrictive and we should take on a more European approach rather than the current prohibition approach of consumption of liquor in public.
- Yes, see above
- Yes, because I like the option to have a drink if I feel like it
- I would prefer to not have to choose, but rather be able to drink liquor at any site.
- DEFINITELY!! It would be so nice to have a family picnic and be able to bring a couple beer or wine.
- Yes, since it would be nice to have a beer or some wine with a bbq
- No
- Of course. Because I'm a grownup and should be allowed to consume an alcoholic beverage without consequences.
- Yes--enhances event
- yes - as long it was appropriate for the event.
- Yes, because having a bbq and couple drinks on a nice day is really enjoyable
- Yes. More enjoyable
- no

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- I have no problem with having beer/wine with my picnic
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- Yes.
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- Yes. Because it's nice to enjoy a cold drink with friends on a hot day.
- I would not book a liquor free picnic site because of all the above reasons mentioned to not allow liquor free parks
- Yes. Why not have a cold beer or a glass of wine.
- No and for all the reasons mentioned above
- No
- 
- Absolutely not. There are enough issues at public parks already—being around drunk people without proper authorities or security would make it much worse.
- no the other people will cause problems
- Yes
- Yes, great to have the option even if people chose not to partake.
- 
- No. See above selections
- Yes, gives people more freedom to choose what they wish to do at the picnic site
- Yes. A beer with a bbq is a beautiful thing!
- Yes- to be able to enjoy a beer with a birthday bbq, for example.
- Yes. I would enjoy a drink while visiting.
- Yes, would be nice to have the option to bring mimosas, baileys and coffee etc!
- Yes because most of the adults booking these spaces would be drinking anyways, moving liquor into other bottles to hide the fact there's liquor.
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- Yes. I feel enjoy having a beer or two whole relaxing.
- Yes - to accomodate those who want to have a drink
- Yes. I would like to enjoy a glass of wine or beer when having a picnic.
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- Not at all. We don't want to expose our family with kids to be exposed to that park. Bars are meant to be adults only and alcohol needs to be consumed only those designated spots.
- yrs
- Yes. I would play by the rules such that a few beer in the cooler wouldn't be a criminal act.
- Yes, because it's a foolish law not to be able to. One of the few countries that don't allow it.
- Yes. I am not opposed to reasonable consumption of alcohol.
- No.Its can create a disorderly behavior to the enviroment

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- Yes... added enjoyment to a family BBQ.
- Yes. I do like to have a drink with food
- No I have children
- I would. For me alcohol consumption is only a part of my overall experience, but it's important enough to my lifestyle that I would appreciate the option.
- Yes, to allow for more flexibility for my event/group needs
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- No. No need to drink everywhere.
- No
- No. We want children friendly picnic sites.
- Yes, It would be nice to be able to enjoy a glass of wine or beer with a picnic lunch/dinner and friends.
- Depending on the occasion, but most of the time I don't believe there would be a difference so I would book one that allows it.
- Depends on the day
- A big NO. Refer to my concerns in Q.2
- Yes because then friends/ family has the choice. No one has to drink but if they want a beer it is acceptable
- Yes I would chose a picnic site that allows alcohol because socially having a beer or wine during a picnic day would be nice socially
- No. I have no interest in either drinking or dealing with drunken jerks.
- no I dont use picnic sites
- If the picnic involves younger kids, I'm willing to give it a try once and take it from there :). Probably less of an issue if it was an adults only event
- Yes, because I would potentially like to enjoy an alcoholic beverage while picnicking.
- Yes - freedom of choice
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- Yes. People just having a casual beer in the park doesn't threaten anything. People who are more threatening with alcoholism will drink there anyways, let the public also be able to casually drink.
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- Yes I would. A summer picnic, a glass of wine. A winter fire pit, a hot toddy or a spiked hot chocolate. The art of this enjoyment is doing so responsibly.
- No
- No, because its damage park environments
- All picnic sites should allow liquor consumption.
- Yes, because I enjoy a cold drink on a warm day and patios fill up fast.

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- I would.. it's important to understand that most parties will bring alcohol regardless of the rules anyways..
- No, picnic site is for enjoying with family and enjoying the nature. I would rather spend time with my children and family than being surrounded by drunk people.
- Yes, I have lived in Europe for 6 years now, and their approach to allowing open alcohol and consumption anywhere is revolutionary in terms of teaching from a young age that it is part of society, not needed to be hidden from guardians and in turned binge
- Yes. We would like to have a cold beer on a hot day.
- Yes. Because it would be better than a dry site.
- Yes
- there should be no consumption of alcohol in public sites
- Yes, but we generally don't book picnic sites. Would rather it be available everywhere.
- No, I visit parks to enjoy fresh with my children. I do not approve of alcohol filled air that would probably go with smoking. Most importantly, indirectly modelling unhealthy practices to the children.
- Yes. I enjoy going for a couple drinks enjoying what parks calgary has to offer while getting out of the house and being active whether it be botche ball frisbee or football
- Yes. I think ALL parks should be allowed to have alcohol. Having few designated parks would result in over crowding. And having to "book" a spot just to have a drink is ridiculous. If you have an impromptu gathering you'll never get a spot where you want
- Yes
- I am indifferent.
- Yes, because we would use the picnic sites with friends and their families, all of whom enjoy drinking responsibly and enjoying the outdoors with their children.
- Yes! I love the local craft beer scene and would love to drink it at a park. Why not?
- Yes because it is our custom to have a glass of wine with a meal.
- Yes I would only choose sites that allow it, as most people already do it anyways.
- No, I would not. I think it will result in rowdy behaviour.
- No
- No. Because we strictly do not use liquor at all.
- Yes, more fun and more beverage options.
- Yes. It would not impact my booking
- no, i wont like to be in a park with impaired people
- 
- Yes. Often, me and friends will gether at a pub because we can enjoy a beverage while we catch up. Allowing liquor at these sites allwows us to be outside, enjoy a drink, save some money and use our city's resources
- Yes becasue I like a beer or wine with my meal



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- Yes, because it is what I would consume if I had my own yard
- Yes, usually have an alcoholic beverage with dinner and would nice to do it outside in a park.
- I would because it would be nice to share some beers or a glasss of wine with my friends and family.
- Yes, having a beer or two is nice, or a bottle of wine
- Yes, especially if family bar-b-que or a celebration of some kind - birthday, anniversary
- No
- Yes. So I can have a picnic plus be able to have drinks without a possible ticket.
- Yes
- Yes. Would be nice to have a glass of wine with my bbq
- No, it's not necessary to drink at a picnic site. That's a high chance we would have driven there, so we wouldn't want to drink and drive. Nor would we uber to a picnic site.
- Absolutely yes. It would be so nice to enjoy the outdoors with a bottle of wine and some good food. Our current restriction seems unnecessarily draconian.
- Yes, to enjoy some wine or a beer with my meal.
- No. Kids could be exposed to misbehavior of drunk people.
- Yes. Allows for the flexibility to either drink or not drink.
- Yes, I like to have the option of having a drink during my picnic.
- No, I would not. I would not want any potential conflict from those nearby who want to "party".
- No, there will be a few drinkers who abuse the privilege and will disturb others. I also would think that there would be an increase of drunk drivers.
- Yes I would because then I could legally drink there.
- Yes because I have zero problem with people drinking at parks.
- I would go location first, and if both were at the location desired, would book the one which permitted alcohol.
- Yes, Most people enjoy having a glass of wine or beer on a warm day.
- Yes, since most of the picnic people already conceal alcohol, this would allow lawful consumption.
- No - I do not want to be around people who are consuming alcohol in a public place and have the potential for consuming too much and becoming drunk, disorderly, damaging the park and infringing upon my right to be outside in a quiet place.
- No...people cannot control themselves and are inappropriate
- Yes.
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- No. Increased risk of disorderly behaviour.
- Yes
- Yes, if we are gathering as a group it if enjoyable to be able to enjoy an adult beverage if we as adults do choose.
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- Yes, because i'd like to have a glass of wine or a beer when we're enjoying the sunshine!
- I didn't know you had to/could book picnic sites in the city. Yes I would, social drinker.
- Yes. Picnics are generally held on nice, sunny, warm/hot days. A lot of ppl enjoy a alcoholic beverage in these conditions.
- Yes, I would like to have some drinks and would choose a site that allowed that legally.
- Nope. I don't think it is fair to ruin other people's family days with the drama of drinking. Nothing good can come from this.
- It should be allowed, many people already drink liquor in parks surrepticiously or in plain sight
- Yes
- Yes, if anyone wants to drink, then they can
- I don't agree with different rules for different sites. Moderate consumption isn't going to affect anyone. Separating sites makes things unnecessarily complicated and seems like it will condone bad behaviour in certain locations.
- No. Because my reason for going to a park would be some family event and I don't want to have to deal with any negative situation that may arise due to excessive alcoholic consumption.
- yes. I would like to be able to have 1 or 2 drinks at a picnic as I do when it's at someones backyard.
- Yes because it'd be nice to enjoy a glass of wine or a beer with our picnic
- Yes, because it would be nice to have an option to enjoy an adult beverage or two with a meal.
- 
- Yes, it is a nice social place for Calgary folks to enjoy a gathering with lots of space, especially those that do not have their own yard (condo owners etc.).
- Yes, get out of the stone age, this isn't the middle of UTAH
- Yes, when out having fun its nice to have a few beers... you cant get wasted in public regardless whether it's a bar or a park but it shouldn't be illegal. Like a backyard bbq
- Yes if I'm with a group of people. No if I only have my small children
- 
- No. I wouldn't want to normalize liquor consumption or be around it, especially with children.
- No. It's a public place for families not for drinking.
- Yes, just always nice to enjoy a couple drinks with dinner or just out socialising
- No, I wouldn't book the picnic site that allows liquor consumption. Most of the people have picnics with their families and friends which includes kids under 18 and picnic site usually for kids and family. We have bars to consume alcohol.
- No I don't want rowdy behaviour by young people in the park.
- Yes, because I would like to consume liquor at a picnic
- Yes, for big celebrations, which don't happen often. Otherwise - no.
- No
- yes

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- Depends on the crowd, light drinking is ok (one Beer) no hard drinks
- No liquor period.
- Yes.
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- Yes, I have personally never booked a picnic site, but if alcohol was allowed I might actually do it now.
- Those sites are for physical activities
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- If I was going to use to picnic site, I would choose one that allows liquor consumption. I would like to have to option to consume liquor as well as have that option for my attendees.
- There are so many kids in a park and we should look after them not mix drinking. It can go out of hand.
- No, safety concerns, small children, disregulated behaviors of people when they drink.
- Yes
- Yes, because it is nice to be able to have a beer on a picnic.
- No, I think it should be up to the individuals whether or not they wish to consume
- I would book one as far away from one as possible.
- Yes. Most people are responsible. Police presence generally is helpful. Community policing
- Yes, I would like to enjoy a glass of wine with a meal in a public park
- Yes, more options for what people choose to consume.
- Yes. I enjoy a wine or beer with a meal. I am an adult. I would consume responsibly and respectably.
- Yes, as adults we should be able to make these decisions without the government making them for us
- 
- No, I would not enjoy myself knowing others around me are intoxicated and potentially rowdy and dangerous. This would also likely to cause more incidents of drunk driving.
- 
- Yes, so I can drink
- Yes because I'd rather legally be able to have a beer with my picnic and friends
- 
- No.
- Yes, it is nice to have a refreshment and enjoy the company of friends and family outdoors.
- One that does not allow liquor. I grew up in an area that allowed this - it was not pleasant. In general, the park will be or will become less desirable either by certain occupants or disregard of care for the environment that comes with inhibition.
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- It would depend on the group I was booking it for. A good chunk of my extended family does not drink, and may not be good at a kid's birthday party event, potentially.
- Allows - if available. My family and friends are responsible and would enjoy the ability to have a small amount of alcohol
- No, I would like to take my kids to parks where I don't have to worry about drunks interacting with them. They are going to be more dirty areas and not as family oriented
- yes. because I would rather decide if I want to have a drink, not have an arbitrary legal clause limit my activity.
- Yes, sometimes. It is nice to be able to enjoy city parks, which are well-maintained and establish community. Doing so with a casual drink would make the space more comfortable.
- If I wanted to include alcoholic beverages I would look for one that allowed it. If I wasn't having alcohol, it wouldn't influence my choice of picnic site.
- No, one thing leads to the next. Soon people will be walking in the park with an alcoholic drink in hand. Teenage youth will start drinking in parks and causing vandalism.
- Great idea, leaves the choice to those booking the site if they want to be around liquor or not.
- yes. duh.
- I'd book whichever park was nicer and closer.
- No, because I do not agree with it nor do I want to be neighbouring a potential out-of-hand group.
- Depends on what the occasion was. Possibly for an adult b'day party or a type of celebration. No for most instances.
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- Not particularly. I don't want the possibility of loud and unruly behaviour disrupting the reason why I go to a camp site: to relax and be in nature.
- Yes, definitely. Why do people go to the cabin or on a camping trip? To have fun with family and friends, and let's be honest, that includes having an alcoholic beverage during those times.
- I would as I can relax drinking a beer.
- Yes.
- No. I do not need to see irresponsible persons drinking their asses off just because it is legal now.
- Yes - because it's fun to drink while having a gathering with friends or family
- No. For safety as well as religious reasons.
- yes. See above. Liquor is a normal part of daily life. Can we stop treating it like my Baptist great-grandmother eyeing her first glass of sherry?
- No, I think overall safety concerns rise when alcohol is permitted at picnic sites so I would avoid those areas.
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- Yes because I enjoy having an occasional drink

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- Yes. Having a beer or glass of wine with a picnic dinner is civilized way to enjoy the outdoors in the summer months. When consumed responsibly it will only enhance people's experience.
- Yes, because it would be wonderful to have a beer with your bbq gathering, or wine with a romantic picnic.
- Yes. Because I like wine.
- Yes. I like to enjoy the outdoors with a beer in hand
- 
- Never. Due to above reasons.
- No as I do not see the need for liquor in Parks.
- 
- Yes
- No liquor, im going with kids, this a family plan to the park not the club
- Off course NOT, i would like to go out to enjoy not to see some drunk people
- 
- No because I have small children
- No, will be a party area.
- Absolutely. I would love the opportunity to enjoy a glass of wine with my picnic.
- Not if it's next to other sites which also allow drinking.
- No. Public including children can't be safe.
- 
- Yes because I enjoy wine with my meals or beer on hot, sunny days.
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- Yes as it allows the option for those that wish to consume alcohol to do so.
- Yes, it's always nice to have a beer with a burger instead of soda
- No
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- No. People that need to drink have lots of other places to choose from, not family-oriented public spaces where a few abusers can ruin the experience for everyone around.
- No due to safety
- No. I don't consume alcohol.
- 
- Yes. So that I am not fined
- Yes, because I would be drinking at either site anyways.
- Yes I think drinking should be allowed for adults
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- I might although I don't drink. I see this as a money generator for park maintenance.
- No, cannot go to park with families with drunk people behaving inappropriately

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- Yes if I planned on consuming
- 
- I would not want liquor at the park, people can have it in their own home.
- Yes it's part of a social aspect and it's nice to be able to have a nice cold beer on a hot summer day when out for a picnic.
- yes, because I'm over 18
- no
- Absolutely NO, government is encouraging something that absolutely doesn't make any sense, drinking has only bad effects, no good in it !!!!!
- No. Don't drink, don't want my children to have potential access to alcohol (actually or purposefully).
- Yes sometimes. Just depends on the event of the day of the week and who's attending. Obviously it wouldn't be appropriate for a child's birthday party necessarily but why does it matter if parents have a couple of beers while their kids are having a great
- yes so i can hammered with th fellas
- Yes. A bit of wine along the river/among the trees sounds magical.
- No
- Yes because I enjoy responsible beverages
- Yes, because myself or people within my party should be allowed to enjoy their beverage of choice.
- No
- Yes if i'm Doing it with friends on a weekend
- No, because I don't like to associate myself with anything alcohol related.
- Yes. Individuals who join and wish to have an alcoholic beverage should be able to make that choice themselves.
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- No Because with alcohol consumption there are more chances of fights and bad things happening such as rape under the influence and children should not be seeing such things.
- yes, because it's not a big deal
- Yes because having a drink is no big deal.
- 
- Yes because I like to drink with my meal.
- 
- Yes, we enjoy wine or beer with a meal
- no because I don't want my children exposed to possible inappropriate behavior.
- 
- Yes

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- No - there is no reason that people have to drink in order to have a great day. There is nothing worse than a bunch of drunks who are not looking out for their children and the police will not respond. That has been proven in the past.
- No, I don't want to see drunk people around me.
- Yes. Because there should be no issue with someone having a beer or wine as long as they are not causing problems for others.
- Yes - as above
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- Depending who I am with. However, the option should be available for adults assuming the majority of people are responsible.
- 
- No for reasons identified above
- Due to all the reasons ticked above.
- Yes. Typically it's a BBQ or celebration and adult beverages would be great.
- No
- No, for the reasons mentioned in Question #2; but particularly concerning my responses to 2 re drinking and driving, disorderly behavior, and then leading to smoking cannabis in public parks
- I have never booked a picnic site, but this might make me more likely to, if I was organizing a group get-together.
- Yes, because it's a more beautiful and less expensive space to socialize than backyards or restaurants.
- Yes because of a much more fun time
- Yes because it would be for me and my adult friends. Instead of being in the backyard it would be nice to use the new fish creek picnic area.
- No
- Depends on whether we wanted to have a drink with our picnic or not and how far away we wanted to go if we did want to
- Yes
- No - misconduct and don't want kids to feel threatened
- Yes, it gives us more freedom to enjoy the park.
- Yes, so that people can serve liquor at their gatherings, whether or not everyone attending would be consuming it.
- Yes, for the potential freedom.
- Yes to invite more people
- Yes I would because I would have more fun and feel comfortable to invite more people.
- Yes. Having a beer or glass of wine with a picnic is nice.

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- No - picnics are mostly with family and I don't want to choose a location with any nuisance due to liquor use.
- No because if I have to take my family to a picnic site I don't want them or my children being exposed to alcohol and possibly randomly attacked by a drunk person
- Yes. More options
- Yes
- Yes. Always, if given the choice.
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- Yes, because I drink when I eat.
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- Wouldn't matter to me.
- Yes, I enjoy consuming alcohol with friends.
- Yes. Having a beer with a picnic and being treated like a responsible adult by the city would be a nice change.
- No. Nor would I want to be next to a site that allows the consumption of liquor. I can just imagine hosting my kid's birthday party at a park and having a bunch of drunks a few feet away. I'm thinking damage, death, drink driving. Drink at home.
- No, Disorderly conducts trails uncontrolled liquor consumption. I won't want to be near disorderly folks
- Yes. It's nice to have a glass of wine during a friend's birthday BBQ or family gathering.
- Yes, I like to consume liquor and would love to be able to drink it while having a picnic in the park. Too many liquor restrictions in this city.
- Yes, nothing beats a cool beverage on a hot day!
- Yes, because it gives our party more options. We may not use it every time, but if the opportunity is there -- GREAT!
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- Yes
- No because in my opinion it's not appropriate.
- yes because it gives the option to have alcohol for those who choose it. Having it prohibited at some sites will create confusion when people misbook or the demand for permitted sites exceeds availability.
- No. As the mother of two girls, I would prefer a site where liquor consumption is prohibited due to safety concerns
- Yes.. I like a beer or wine with my hotdog
- Yes. I will be avoiding the spots that allow liquor consumption.



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- Yes, I would choose the one that allows liquor every single time. In fact, I would start holding my annual family reunions in parks, as well as other events! The prohibition of liquor is the only reason we do not use parks more often for those events.
- Yes, because we'd spent time there in the summer, would like to bring food and beverages. Instead of leaving the park to go to a restaurant patio just to drink.
- yes. it would be nice to have a few beers with family or friends and not fear getting a ticket. i am likely to have the beer anyways and just conceal it
- Yes. I'd enjoy an occasional glass of wine with a nice picnic lunch!
- Yes. See above.
- No, it's not good for health, and it is not good exposure for those who dnt drink.
- Yes. I would enjoy having a beer when socializing with friends.
- Yes - we all enjoy a glass of wine or a beer with a picnic.
- No after drinking you can do any thing even you killed some they can get benefits of he was drunk he was not their own
- 
- Sure. Allows for people to drink if they choose
- Yes caters to more friends and family for an event or daily outing
- No. I have been to many campgrounds in my life time and seen rowdy and inappropriate behavior. I don't want my kids or myself around beautiful public areas that have alcohol consumption.
- Yes, because it happens anyways so why not allow it?
- Yes. Why not?
- Yes because it allows people the option if they would like to consume
- 
- Absolutely not. I would purposely avoid such a place. Put this idea to AA or MADD and see if they approve.
- no
- Yes, I have friends that would like to have a beer with a bbq
- Yes
- No. I Am worry that an intoxicated person can disturbe my event o case a problem with members of my family
- Would not matter
- Yes because even a couple casual drinks are nice when hanging out. It doesnt necessarily mean you are getting drunk
- Yes, a nice glass of apple cider is great with a sandwich.
- Yes, it would be nice to have the option to have beer or wine at a picnic
- Yes, so myself or my friends can have a drink.
- Yes. Because drinking outside is so much more enjoyable than drinking indoors

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- Yes; we would consume a little wine or a cold beer with our meal.
- Yes, if people don't want to interact with others that are drinking they could avoid it
- I would not. Alcohol consumption results in more misuse of the area, and possibly damage.
- Yes, see above comment
- Definitely. I love being outside, and in a social setting if we're having a BBQ it would be nice if we COULD have a drink. I'm not saying we always would, but it would be awesome if anyone in our group could have a drink and feel safe about it.
- No, liquor is meant to be something that should be drank in private areas where other people who can be influenced or affected should not be present
- No, because of my religion and because of disorderly conduct that will likely come along which I don't want my kids to be exposed to.
- 
- Yes because sometimes you just want to crack open a beer on a hot day
- No
- Yes, because wine and a picnic is the best. If Europeans can enjoy such luxury, why can't we?
- No. I would have concerns about even being near one.
- Yes
- 
- No. As a family with a young child I have no desire to open up my family to potential risks that are associated with people being inebriated. While some people would not go overboard, I believe more than 50% would drink to excess.
- No.
- No
- yes
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- yes if I was planning on having drinks, no if I was not.
- yes, its 2019, let adults adult.... it works all over the world, why should calgary be different?
- Of course not! I won't feel safe among drunken people
- Absolutely! Liquor consumption would be a civilized way of enjoying a picnic site. If it is against someone's religion/culture, they don't have to participate.
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- No. Dont need to be around drinks.
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- Yes, because I do enjoy a beverage or two at social gatherings.
- No. People often push boundaries and disruptive behaviour cannot be controlled if alcohol becomes more accepted.

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- no. I want a much safer place to enjoy our picnic at. We Canadians have been enjoying picnics in all parks ever since without alcohol. Why being something that brings an opportunity for problematic behaviours and situations to be encouraged?
- No
- Yes, because it is fun
- Yes, more enjoyable picnics
- If the occasion calls for it. Wine and summer go hand in hand.
- Yes. I enjoy having a few casual alcoholic beverages with friends.
- 
- Drink at home or in a licensed establishment not in public parks with families and children
- 
- yes
- Yes i would.
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- 
- yes, it is a social activity that I enjoy when outdoors
- Never, bcoz my family and kids shouldn't be exposed such nuisance
- 
- Yes - makes for an enjoyable social event
- Well they should all be allowed it, so then we wouldn't have to choose.
- Yes. Then if people want to have a drink they can.
- For family and close friends, I would
- Yes. Picnic would be a more enjoyable experience.
- No I would not, as parks that allow liquor consumption are likely louder and I imagine beer cans would be littered around park property, which is really unpleasant to see.
- N/A
- never
- Yes, allowing alcohol will not deter me from booking a picnic site but I'm sure some spaces/areas will have more respectful people than others so I will be conscious of that.
- yes, because we like beer on a hot day with some BBQ
- No! If you are having a picnic with children, especially under 12, why do you need to drink. Spend time with your family with a clear head. Many people in Calgary consume too much alcohol.
- No; liquor doesn't need to be everywhere. There is a time and place and a picnic area shouldn't be one!
- I would book one that allows liquor as I like to have a glass of wine or a cocktail with my picnic/food.
- 
- No because it is not safe

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- Yes, just to have the option
- No
- No
- Yes - with respect to those around if i rent or book a site it would be beneficial to those coming to the event.
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- No
- Never
- Yes because I'd be able to consume alcohol
- Yes, if it was with like minded friends.
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- No! I won't feel safe.
- Yes. Because I would consume liquor in a park if allowed
- no there are numerous patio restaurants and bars where you can drink Special events already have beer gardens which should be good enough
- Probably yes. I don't see anything wrong with a responsible consumption of alcohol.
- No - there is no need to allow consumption of liquor in public parks.
- yes, because consumption then becomes a personal choice
- Yes because then it is more enjoyable for everyone coming instead of being limiting
- 
- Yes cause we drink
- No.M
- 
- No because picnics are family outings and any consumption of alcohol will distrub that outing whether it's us or somebody else.
- No, this should not be allowed in any area with children. Safety concerns with people consuming alcohol and then driving.
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- No, i don't need to be disrupted by drunks who get loud, and start swearing. No different than at a hockey game, individuals start drinking, swearing, spilling making it unenjoyable for those around them....and I will clarify, this is not all individuals
- I would choose a site that allows liquor. I would because of the variety of drinks that are allowed when there is no ban on alcohol.
- Sure. They've had this on other countries for ages with little issue.
- Yes! I like to enjoy a beverage while picnicking and socializing.

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- No because I would not be using liquor nor would any of my guests.
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- Not within the city, alcohol doesn't need to be allowed everywhere
- YES, i should be able to have a glass of wine or a beer with my meal without feeling like a criminal.
- Yes, I'd like to have some bubbly with a picnic
- No, not in accordance with my religion
- Yes as it's part of my life style
- It would weigh into my decision depending on what I wanted to do. For most social events I would book one that allows Liquor consumption.
- No, because the last thing I need is homeless people or people with societal issues being drunk around me
- Yes, because it caters to a larger portion of the population.
- No. I don't want myself or my family and friends to have to worry about other people being disorderly. I enjoy a drink, but I don't feel a public park is the place to consume alcohol.
- No. I don't wish to take a chance of being in an area to picnic where alcohol can be drank and have a risk of intoxicated people disrupting my peaceful day out
- 
- Yes
- I'm indifferent
- Yes! For reasons stated above.
- Yes- the ability to enjoy a beverage while outdoors in a controlled environment will increase traffic.
- yes, because it's a great way to have an outdoor get together
- no as drinking should not be allowed in the public spaces specially where families are present with young kids!
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- Yes. I would prefer a site which allows liquor. When organizing park and picnic events the standard practice is to sneak wine and liquor within non transparent bottles.
- No, I believe picnic sites that allow alcohol would have more trash around it, and disorderly people
- yes, I enjoy a glass of wine with my meals
- No, due to above concerns.
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- No.
- No, I rather to enjoy nature instead of liquor. Liquor should belong to pubs, not parks!
- Yes. Responsible alcohol consumption can enhance many events.

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- Yes.
- No. It will for sure get abused, many people drink to get tipsy or drunk. I thought being drunk in public was an offence. I have 4 young kids and wouldn't feel comfortable having a picnic with a bunch of people drinking nearby. It's such a terrible idea.
- Yes
- Yes
- No, it is supposed to be a family area and recreation friendly
- No - I don't need to drink to have fun. I also don't want to watch others overdo it.
- Yes though the idea of having to book a site is unfortunate. It would be great if people could picnic on the grass and enjoy a beer or wine.
- Yes
- No. I do not want my time out ruined by people that over do drinking. People drink then they drive. Where is the logic?
- Yes, as long as it's free
- No. Quality family time
- Yes, because we would be drinking either way, it's just we can openly drink at the consumption site
- No
- Yes, adults can control themselves without municipal and federal governing regulations.
- Same as above
- No - I would not want to bring my family into that kind of environment in case they would be unnecessarily exposed to adult contexts
- Yes, I enjoy consuming liquor when socializing.
- Yes I would as a few drinks are part of my normal social events, and I would tend to avoid using these public areas now because they do not allow this
- not interested in any that allows liquor
- Yes
- 
- Yes, I enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my picnic meal.
- No, I would never go to a picnic site that allows liquor as disorderly behaviour might become an issue.
- No.
- Yes, because I wouldn't go to one otherwise.
- I won't. I'm totally against drinking regardless of any religious belief. I don't want my future generation to see the use of it.
- No
- Yes I would. It allows for more flexibility.
- Yes.

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- Yes, I would because I would enjoy to have a drink with my bbq / picnic.
- Most definitely YES
- yes, I would like the option to drink when I have a gathering with friends and feel that restricting a legal substance based on location is arbitrary and infringes on my rights
- 
- Yes
- Yes I would as getting a \$200 ticket for having a beer at lunch seems like an extreme punishment, most people looking to drink outdoors are not trying to binge drink and be out of control.
- No. I would not want my family around people consuming alcohol.
- Yes, just to have the option to enjoy an alcohol beverage
- no, I have kids
- No because why make going to a park like going to a campground of drunk idiots. This idea isn't smart
- Yes. Allows more flexibility for our picnics
- No I will not choose park with liquor.
- I would never book a picnic site. I thought the reference was to a picnic table. If sites are booked for groups, I suggest the fee be large enough to pay for least 3 visits by police or security for every such event.
- No I would not, the city has lovely parks for socializing with family and friends. I don't see any reason alcohol consumption in public spaces is necessary or beneficial. It does however have great potential to increase disorderly behavior, vandalism +
- yes if it was a specific get together.
- Yes. My guests and I would be drinking concealed alcohol anyway, so it would nice to be able to be transparent with others. No difference in behaviour (disorderly conduct, drunk driving, etc.) would occur.
- That depends on the weather and the park and whether one can walk or cycle to a park.
- Yes. Being able to have beverage at a picnic site, in a responsible manner, would add to the enjoyment.
- No
- No, I don't want to be next to someone or group that is consuming liquor and have to worry about their language because they are drunk. Don't want to be next to a site that any moment a person could vomit and worry about Bio-Hazard in a park.
- 
- Yes. Having a drink with a picnic/bbq sounds nice.
- Yes
- N/A
- No because I go to a park to relax with my children and not to potentially encounter drunk people.

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- Yes I would
- Depends on the occasion no
- Yes because I would like to enjoy a drink with friends in a park
- Yes because its enjoyable to have a cold beer on a hot day.
- Of course, no stigmat attached to being able to consume alcohol outside
- 
- Are you going to hire more police officers to deal with the added workload & issues created?
- Yes, when having a picnic on a nice hot day, roasting hamburgers and hot dogs on a fire what is better than a nice cold beer? Beside weed...
- no. There are many other non-alcoholic drinks people can have and one doesn't need liquor to have fun outdoors. Scared of unruly behaviour.
- no
- No. I would not want to be near any park users consuming alcohol
- Yes, I would. Precisely for the reason stated above.
- Yes
- No. I do occasionally consume alcohol but at home or at a restaurant. Keep public places quiet, clean and family oriented.
- Never
- Yes, from what I see sometimes, people have alcohol anyway and just hide it.
- Yes.
- Yes, because I like to enjoy wine with my food
- No
- Yes. If I am booking a picnic site I will probably be drinking or with people that are.
- Drunk peoples are hazards for everybody, especially kids, because drunk people sometimes unconscious, they behave wiered which effect our society
- Absolutely. There has been many times when my friends and I wanted to go bbq at a park, play some sports and have a beer but couldn't because of the law
- Yes, I would choose a site that allows liquor. It doesn't necessarily mean that the intention is to get obliterated, some people like having a drink in a park on a sunny day. Especially if they don't have access to their own private outdoor space.
- I would, as that site would be less restrictive than the others. I associate having a drink during daylight hours in a park with a relaxed atmosphere, and have some friends that also share this view.
- Yes, it would be enjoyable now and then to be able to consume an alcoholic beverage while in a park.
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- Yes for a work and social event, likely no for a child's birthday party
- Yes. Sharing a bottle of wine enhances a meal and encourages conversation.



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- If the only one available. I see drinkers taking over the sites or dropping by to my dry event.
- Yes, most of my friends are of age and I think they should be able to consume a reasonable amount of alcohol at a picnic if they desired.
- Yes because like options
- 
- Absolutely! And would be far more likely to book sites knowing liquor was allowed
- Yes. Having the option to consume alcohol in a respectful manner at a picnic would appeal to much of my social circle.
- Yes. Enjoyable to consume an alcoholic beverage in a beautiful outdoor setting on a sunny, summer day
- Yes, because some people like to drink
- Yes because I can be responsible so having a beer is no big deal
- 
- Yes. Picnics that allow consumption of liquor are more festive than those that don't.
- no, no need for it
- Yes
- Yes
- No don't drink and don't care to be around it
- No.
- No. And as far away as possible for the above reasons
- Yes, because everyone has a couple beers with a picnic.
- 
- Yes. Because it's nice to have a beer around a campfire
- No preference.
- yes
- Yes, absolutely. So that the option for consumption is always there, legally.
- Yes - I might just want to imbibe with my friends and family
- Yes, because I would want to have that option.
- Yes- we are adults and can drink responsibly
- Yes, so I can enjoy a drink at the park
- No because of the reasons mentioned above
- Depends on the event, but yes I would.
- Depends on why I'm going. For a family outing probably not. For a BBQ with friends then yes.
- yes. for monitoring
- No. Because people will smoke cigarettes and now liquor, it won't be picnic for us. So don't allow please.
- Hey yes, allow it when booked with a \$10,000 bond posted to pay for clean up and damages.

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- Drink at home, the police don't need anymore work. Stupid idea.
- Not so. If I want to bring Liquor to a party, I don't have to go to a picnic sight. Many have areas such as backyards that could be of use.
- No and Never
- Yes I would. I believe that drinking outside would be safe and fun
- No. To avoid others drinking.
- No
- Yes, being allowed to have a glass of wine with a picnic or a beer with a bbq would greatly sway my choice in picnic site.
- No
- Yes. Responsible adults should be able to enjoy a beer with their picnic. It's no different than drinking in you're own back or front yard
- Yes, I enjoy having a beer or two on a nice summer day.
- Yes so the people can have the flexibility
- No, because there could be other people consuming alcohol and with family and kids it will be difficult or the kids may bother them.
- No, because I don't want to be around drunk people
- Yes, if we planned on having liquor with us.
- Depends on the crowd
- No
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- Yes.
- Yes, because it should be allowed anywhere responsibly.
- 
- Yes. More appealing to use public picnic sites for social gatherings and events. If I want to meet with friends and family for a picnic and games in the park, enjoying a beverage without fear of repercussion adds to the fun!
- no, growing up with social drinking, encourgae drinking and smoking for my kids. I know that adults try to convince youth to drink
- 
- Yes I am a responsible adult and I don't think there is anything wrong with having a drink at a picnic
- Yes -= because I would like the option
- Yes
- Yes to have a relaxing and enjoyable beverage while being safe for family and friends

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- No, I would choose a site without liquor consumption. I have seen drunk people lying around and yelling at others at picnic sites even when it's not allowed. When it will be allowed, the aggressive behaviour is likely to increase and disrupt peace.
- 
- Yes saves money
- 
- Yes....i love wine and cheese
- Yes. Because many people like a cold beer at a picnic
- Yes if it is a family gathering. Personally, I don't drink.
- Yes. It would Allow for a more pleasant experience.
- yes so we may have the option to consume liquor responsibly.
- Yes. Because i can sit back and relax
- Yes. Just so we have the option if we wish or someone in our party wishes to partake.
- Yes, it would be nice to be able to get all friends out and utilize public parks, especially for those of us who live in condos and do not have a yard to entertain friends and family.
- 
- Yes. Allowing the occational drink as an option is desireable.
- Yes
- Yes because I like having alcohol with a bbq or during a gathering.
- yes
- Yes, so that I can drink liquor
- Yes, having a nice glass or wine or cold beer is nice with dinner. More inclined to book picnics
- Yes. Most people I know like to enjoy a beverage, all very responsibly.
- Depends on the event
- Yes. Living in a condo or apartment restricts ability to host events or gather for a BBQ, birthday, etc.
- No. Should not allow at public places
- No. things will get damaged
- No, I dont want my kids/family to be exposed to liquor use
- Absolutely not. I would not book a site near any other site that allowed liquor. I do not want my children near that.
- No
- 
- Yes, it give guests more options.
- Yes. A drink with a meal can be nice.
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- Would not book pic nic site for a few people
- Yes. Permitting liquor consumption only legalizes an already common practice.

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- Yes, because it's nice to be able to have a drink or two with friends
- Yes. Nothing wrong with having a beer or glass of wine at a bbq. Even in a public space. We allow marijuana why not alcohol.
- Yes because it would be a way better picnic
- No
- Good to have options
- No because we have kids, family, and we want a healthy experience and good surroundings
- No, because I don't to be around drunk people.
- Absolutely not
- Yes, definitely. One of the aspects of Europe that we love most when visiting is just sitting outside in the sun and having a drink along with a bite to eat. So relaxing!
- I would prefer one that allows liquor. That way family and friends have the option to drink or not.
- No. See my answer to first question.
- Yes, to allow the option of having liquor if desired.
- Yes, for the reason above.
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- No already mentioned in question 2
- Yes. More enjoyable day
- No I would not like my kids seeing that
- Yes. I enjoy drinking liquor outside during the summer. I think that as long as people are enjoying responsibly, as I think most will, it will enhance park experiences.
- 
- NO, I don't care to picnic next to someone that possibly has been drinking too much.
- Yes I would because if I'm at a picnic in the summer there is nothing I'd love more than a cold beer with my burger.
- Yes
- Yes, I'd love to be able to bring my own liquor and picnic food.
- No, we use park as a family and as a group. Exposure without time frame is not good.
- I would not choose a liquor site. I do not want to risk being near a bunch of "lager louts".
- no
- Liquor consumption does not have to be everywhere
- 
- Yes, I like a drink with my meal and around a fire with friends, it's more social.
- Yes. To have the option of having alcohol at the picnic
- No, the potential for overconsumption can interfere with all users enjoyment
- Yes.

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- Yes so I can enjoy a couple drinks
- Yes, social drinking is a part of the culture
- Yes, it allows for a more inclusive event, if you dont want to drink, then dont.
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- 
- Yes. Because I enjoy a beer with my burger.
- No. Presence of liquor do not guarantee safety of a family
- No. A percentage of People can't manage alcohol and become obnoxious neighbors, with attending noise, loud music, yelling and boisterous behaviour. Try camping at unmanaged campgrounds where they become party central.
- Depends on the intension of my event. If I wanted to consume alcohol I would select a site that allows alcohol
- No i dont want my kids to epxpose to liquor consumption beside if a person get drunk expect all bad things to happen
- Yes - so people can choose to have a drink or two if they would like.
- No .not safe.
- No
- No.its against my faith
- No. For all safety reasons
- 
- Yes. So that my friends and I could enjoy a drink or two while hanging out
- I would not book a picnic site that allows liquor consumption. I don't think liquor and parks go together.
- No. We do not need to drink in parks in front of children.
- Yes, but would you have to book a site first? should be reasonable to have a picnic with wine or beer on a blanket on the grass.
- Yes if it's convenient. Likely to bring something to drink regardless.
- Yes, because I like having alcohol with my food
- No, don't want the kids to get exposed to liquor use and high risk of disorderly behaviour
- Yes
- No, no benefit
- No. Calgarians are inclined to consume too much liquor. They don't know how to drink responsibly. I am very concerned with drunken behaviour.
- not interested in booking any sites (are we specifically talking about camping sites?). would enjoy freedom to have a drink in public without it being a big deal.
- It would depend on the event. If I'm having a celebration, the probably some champagne would be lovely. A lunch picnic? Maybe not.

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- Yes- I enjoy a glass of wine with a bbq. Or picnic on a sunny day! I will be more inclined to visit the park instead of having a bbq at home
- No because, it comes with it's own risk. Kids might be exposed to seeing people drunk in the park. The park is meant for kids to have fun and it will be terrible to see people intoxicated behaving disorderly where the kids have come to have fun.
- 
- No.
- No
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- Yes. I would be drinking it secretly anyways.
- No
- 
- Absolutely not, this will restrict public spaces for my use and comfort I don't feel public drinking has any place in parks.
- Yes, because its nice to be able to enjoy a beer or 2 with your picnic
- No because of safety concerns for my children and an increase in The City's liability
- 
- No - don't agree with drinking in public places I've lived in countries where it is allowed and the experience was not good. Increased teen drinking and exposure of violence when drunk in front on minors not one to be encouraged
- 
- Yes. It would make me more likely to choose a picnic site for celebratory events.
- Yes
- No
- Yes, drinking is a big reason to go to picnic sites.
- Yes
- Yes. As a law abiding adult, I can have a beer or glass of wine responsibly and not be disruptive to others.
- No because it is harmful
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- Yes - great idea!
- No. Because kids will not feel safe and exposed to liquor
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- No. Not good.
- yes, because the choice would be nice

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- No. I don't need liquor to enjoy the parks.
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- No not good
- No I have young children there
- Yes, a beer or glass of wine makes a picnic better.
- no, I do not want to be in an environment where liquor will be around kids
- Yes to have the freedom to bring alcohol for celebrations
- No, bcz of the concerns I mention above
- Yes, because if I plan to do something like a BBQ I want to be able to offer beer or something as a hostess
- No, alcohol should not be allowed in Public places.
- yeah, mostly so me and my guests would have the option.
- no, do not want to be around potential drunks
- Yes, to give people to option if they wanted to.
- 
- Depends on the gathering we were having. But I have never booked a picnic site so it doesn't matter
- No. I don't feel it's appropriate to drink outdoors where there may be children around.
- I would be indifferent
- Yes, drinking is part of a cultural norm in Canada. Having more flexibility allows us to enjoy our city more and doesn't limit us.
- Yes because then I could relax and have a beer and some food
- Yes because my friends and family socially consume alcohol.
- Yes, I'm probably going to do it regardless. So if I can do it in a place that allows it, even better
- Depends on the occasion.
- yes, it would allow me to do the above
- Yes. I enjoy a social beer in the park with friends.
- 
- No, I have Children and would not choose any park which allows Alcohol.
- Yes of course I would. I would rather be outdoors enjoying our varying communities than stuck inside.
- Yes, so I can enjoy a family picnic with a glass of wine.
- No liquor as I have no interest in being around drinkers/smokers/drug users.
- Yes
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- No. Would expect unruliness.
- No

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- Yes, for all the reasons listed in #3; Plus, who doesn't love a good picnic with wine (many other countries — France, Spain, Germany, etc. — allow this, as well as a number of U.S. cities.)
- No, because while most people will be reasonable, the likelihood of having another group over-consuming and creating a negative environment increased
- Yes, so that friends have the option to consume alcohol if they prefer to.
- Yes, sometimes you need liquor to have better conversation with friend and relatives.
- Yes. Because I drink liquor. And so do my friends.
- Yes, so me and my friends can have a great time
- 
- I would choose whatever is available, but would not serve or consume alcohol if it would be a site allowing it.
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- No, I will stay out if picnic site allows liquor.
- Never, behaviors of drunk people will not be under control, and children will see that and encourage them to try consume it .
- Yes as it allows for more options
- 
- Yes. As above
- No, it is not necessary. Alcohol consumes our world.
- Yes, cos I'm an adult
- Yes, so that the social situation can be elevated.
- Yes
- Yes. Because my husband would enjoy a beer with our picnic.
- Yes
- No, because of public safety and exposure to other dangerous vices.
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- Never
- I would like all of them to allow alcohol
- Yes. In the event someone brings alcohol, we will be covered and won't be punished.
- YEs.
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- No because I wouldn't want to be around drunk or disrespectful people
- Wouldnt matter
- Should not have certain areas for liquor consumption. Either all or none.
- Yes because if someone attending wants a drink they should be free to do what they want and not be restricted
- Its effective for community and children not safe



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- Yes. I like the taste of beer in the summer.
- Yes I want to have the choice
- No because it's unrespble to drink in public
- Yes. It permits people to enjoy themselves within reason
- Yes. A cold beer on a hot day can't be beat.
- 100% always! I enjoy a beer those summer weekends when you want to be outside doing all the things you love. Including a casual drink with a meal.
- Yes, more freedom to enjoy parks and public spaces in a variety of ways.
- Not sure. I actually didn't know you had to book a site.
- Yes. If people want to engage in drinking then they can do so. It's not forced upon them. It's open of people do or don't want to consume alcohol.
- Yes. Majority rules.
- Yes, being able to have a glass of wine is a nice way to hang out with friends and other people
- Yes, so everyone can enjoy themselves
- 
- Yes. Responsible consumption is possible and is allowed in many countries with no adverse effects
- NO.
- Yes. It's nice to have beers/coolers in a hot day.
- Yes, knowing that an event can have liquor would influence my decision on where to attend.
- No
- Yes. To enhance the food at the picnic
- Yes, that sounds like a fun afternoon with friends and having a drink can be a nice way to relax and socialize.
- No I will not book a site where alcohol is being consumed because of kids will also be exposed to such environment. Somebody can get drunk and start bothering the guest at the neighboring picnic site. There will be an increased risk of drinking & driving
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- I would not because I do not consume liquor (health reasons).
- No.
- Yes. Liquor is standard for being consumed at bbqs and events.
- Yes. If someone consumes and behaved improperly, there are laws that deal with this. They should not govern those who consume responsibly.
- Yes. We enjoy drinking at a BBQ
- I would. I would like to have a beer or two outside, and don't feel like the government needs to be involved in my personal choice to do this. People do this anyways.
- Of course. I love the idea of having a community/family event and have some drinks

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- Yes - flexibility
- no
- Yes
- Yes, because I want to have a couple of drinks with my meal.
- No. I will be concerned of safety.
- Yes because I'd take it anyways
- No
- Yes. So that I may enjoy a beer or glass of wine with friends after work.
- Yes. I simply Enjoy a beer or glass of wine with a picnic!
- Yes for adult groups with or w/o kids
- No
- Personally yes, because I would like to enjoy a beer when having a picnic. It would not deter me from having a picnic if the spots were unavailable as I typically bring a few alcoholic beverages anyways
- I don't picnic, but no aichohol
- Yes, picnic sites are perfect way to enjoy alcohol responsibly
- no because I don't want my children to be exposed to this sort of dangers
- No. For many families the picnic time may be the only time children see a sober parent.
- Yes. I'd love a beer or glass of wine with my food.
- Yes, an option to have alcohol would be good for some guests.
- No,Because It will be my safety concerns as well for kids. I want to enjoy the nature not to drink
- No, not necessarily. Booking is now restricting park usage. NOT FAIR when we pay taxes and should have access to all public parks.
- Absolutely. I am the kind of person who enjoys an outdoor lunch with a beer in hand. I drink responsibly, and I think most others do too, so I wouldn't be worried about being next to a site with alcohol either.
- No
- Yes
- Yes! My friends are adults.
- No as we don't drink so it isn't important to us.
- No. I want my family and friends to enjoy a trouble-free time, I don't want my kids to see drunk people around and finally, my religion doesn't allow me to drink
- No we have young children and dont want to expose them to liquor consumption
- No. I do not like being around people who are drinking
- Yes I would. Even if I don't want to drink, I would like my guests to have the option.
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- No

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- It may be near people who abuse liquor consumption.
- We can book picnic sites?
- Yes. I would be more inclined to, as an adult of 31, organize a picnic at a site with alcohol consumption for social reasons. Similar to enjoying a cold drink in my back yard I would enjoy one responsibly in a beautiful outdoor space with friends.
- Yes. Having the option to drink would be great whether I drink or not.
- Yes, as more flexibility to appeal to all family members.
- No because of all the reasons mentioned above and especially it will be bad to expose children to drinking at too early age.
- No. I do not believe one needs to have liquor to enjoy a park.
- No. I don't want my kids to be exposed to liquors.
- Yes, just for the flexibility of being able to have alcohol available.
- Yes. We believe in moderate responsible use.
- Yes, entertaining out of towners or social gathering
- No. I would definitely avoid those parks so as to not have to deal with partying louts. This isn't about the quiet wine drinkers - who probably already enjoy their wine in disguised containers - it's about the other half of them.
- Yes, it adds to the social aspect of the BBQ.
- Yes because who doesn't enjoy a cool beverage on a hot day.
- Yes absolutely. I would be able to enjoy a child beer with my family.
- No. I would be concerned about the other individuals who might not be as responsible as we are.
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- No. Let likely to be obnoxiously drunk people.
- I would choose one that allows liquor consumption in case myself or one of my friends wanted to have a drink
- Yes, to enjoy a beverage while BBQing, and relaxing with friends
- Yes because drinking a cold beer during the summer in the park would be awesome.
- No, I will be more conscious about my kids and will be restricting them from mingling with others. We go to park to relax not to worry
- Yes I would. That way we will be able to have a glass of wine or beer with the picnic.
- Yes, liquor is a good time in my experiences
- Yes cause I like a glass of wine with lunch
- No never, we don't drink
- 
- Yes. Who wants a bbq without a beer.
- No I don't want my family to be exposed to liquor consumption

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- No. I would NOT take my children to a park full of people drinking. Outdoor space is for EVERYONE to enjoy. How can I enjoy the outdoor space with my little children when there will be people drinking who can't always control their own actions.
- I dont comsme liquor
- Yes, it's a nice touch
- Big no. Because i have seen drunk people come ti the hotel/ motel and fight with frontdesk people,puke at stairs / elevator and start removing there clothes in front of families and children then start all kind of non sence .
- Yes because I have a lot of family and friends who would probably enjoy drinking.
- Yes because I like the option to drink in moderation
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- No liquor consumption would be the safest. When people get drinking, they may get rowdy and disrespectful. Sometimes music gets too loud as it is.
- yes, more options available
- Yes
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- no I do not smoke and drink very seldom. I do not like the smell of smoke and particularly the marijuana (skunk) smell.
- No.
- No ...see above
- No. Because I don't think is family and or kids friendly
- Maybe, depending on the situation and reputation of the site
- I would most likely not. I am concerned about how others may act.
- Liquor consumption
- No
- No
- I would not because I would be worried that people driniking would disrupt the park atmosphere if they become intoxicated.
- Possibly. Depending if I wish to enjoy a drink or not but I wouldn't avoid one just because it allows liquor.
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- No,
- Depends on the function. If this is an adult club meeting where we are having a pot luck lunch then yes. If it's a child's birthday, hell no.

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- Yes. I have always wished it were allowed to bring a reasonable amount of liquor to enhance picnics and social gatherings in parks.
- no
- I would as I enjoy having liquor on a picnic or BBQ during the summer.
- 
- No, I do not wish to see liquor being consumed as it doesn't conform with my religious views
- 
- Probably not. I wouldn't want me or my children around people that aren't drinking responsibly. And unfortunately some people will abuse the privilege of being able to drink in a park.
- No
- Yes - I like wine
- No
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- Yes. It's enjoyable to have liquor with food.
- 
- Yes, for social purposes.
- 
- No
- No because of the negative effects
- No because it will be the old case of a few people ruining it for the rest.
- 
- No
- No
- No, as I am against liquor consumption in parks
- Yes, everyone likes a cold one.
- No, parks are for the benefit of families and children not intoxicated teenagers
- No because I'm against liquor at parks
- No, I am against liquor in the park
- No. Some people use alcohol irresponsibly and that could ruin my event.
- Yes
- No, we don't drink
- Yes. Freedom.
- No
- Yes, because it's nice to have a cold beverage outside
- No, don't drink or enjoy the increased disorderly conduct when liquor is involved.
- Yes, because its nice to have a cold beverage outside
- Nope.

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- No Liquor at any Park.
- Yes, allows for spending time outdoors with more space instead of having to spent time in a private backyard
- Yes, because I'm an adult and should be able to have a responsible beverage
- No. Some countries you can because it is part of the culture here it is not and will only cause more problems
- No, because I like that the parks are a very family friendly and inclusive environment. I want everyone of every culture to feel safe and to have a fun time in our city parks without the fear of an unruly group near them consuming alcohol.
- No
- Yes, no my family would be able to enjoy a beer or a glass of wine while having a BBQ.
- 
- If I was planning on consuming liquor, then yes. Otherwise, probably not
- No, because It's not safe for my family
- Yes because I work hard, pay my taxes, clean up after myself, and feel that every good Canadian that does the same deserves a beer with their bbq/ picnic.
- Wouldn't affect my decision as I do not drink but may choose either way based on if I'm hanging out with drinking or non-drinking friends.
- yes, it would allow for a more enjoyable time and bring more people together
- Yes. Because I would like to be able to enjoy a glass of wine while being out in public
- 
- Absolutely not. I want to enjoy the experience which could be disrupted by unruly drinkers. How many of those people will then get into their cars & drive home.
- No ,drinking is bad, so why officially want bad things happened in the public place
- No. Because my experience is that it always goes too far and people get stupid and it all goes to [removed]. I'm there to enjoy a picnic, not fend off drunks or be harassed.
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- Yes, because I would like to be able to enjoy our lovely parks, have a bbq and a beer.
- Yes, I like to enjoy a glass of wine with lunch/dinner.
- No
- No; I would prefer a peaceful relaxed atmosphere rather than one that is fuelled by alcohol by those that WILL abuse the privilege.
- No because people need to learn that they can enjoy themselves without drugs and or liquor.
- I would choose the site based on need and location. Ability to consume liquor would be a bonus but not a requirement.

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- Yes. Because I enjoy an occasional cold one while hanging out with friends. There is a difference between an occasional drink and getting drunk
- Yes
- No.
- Sometimes
- Yes so we can enjoy drinks with family and friends
- Where alcohol is not for it makes us feel comfortable for us and our children.
- Yes! We enjoy consuming alcohol!
- Yes. A great way to enjoy nature with friends without going to crowded and noisy patios
- No
- Yes. Alcohol is a nice way to celebrate sometimes. A glass of wine or beer with friends while celebrating is encouraging people to be outdoors more.
- Yes so my friends can have a drink
- Yes just in case some of my guests would like a drink
- No I don't. I cannot go to picnic site where liquor consumption is allowed.
- 
- No, Liquor itself is bad let us leave at least parks pure.
- Yes. Because it allows for consumption of a couple nice beverages.
- No because I don't want to be responsible for being the host and having people potentially drink and drive
- Yes, because adults can responsibly consume liquor in public spaces
- Yes as it is nice to have the option to have a causal drink with friends if we choose to.
- Yes. Give us more options
- No
- no
- Not a safe site for children if liquor is allowed
- Yes because I'm an adult and should be able to have a drink while picnicking
- Absolutely one with liquor. It fosters conversation and pairs well with food.
- No
- I don't drink alcohol nor would I like to see minors exposed to people drinking alcohol in the park.
- Yes - I like to have wine/beer with my meals however I rarely book picnic sites
- No
- No. Parks should be a meeting place for everyone and alcohol consumption would deter some families from choosing to go. There are plenty of places where alcohol consumption is proper
- No as I can see there being liquor bottles left behind , more dirty and worried the picnic sites next to it would allow liquor there for people next to us might be drunk or in party mode.
- No

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- No....do not agree with open liquor in public areas frequented with many families and minor children
- No, I don't want to go with my family where people are drunk
- No, as liquor is bad for environment
- No- Safety concern.
- Yes, if I'm having a staff event or gathering like I would at a private location I wouldnt question alcohol consumption being part of it
- Yes, because everyone already drinks but instead of hiding the alcohol in subtle containers we could drink it in the containers we bought it in.
- Yes. Barbecues and enjoyment of city parks with food would be greatly more enjoyable with access to beer or wine in reasonable quantities, as many do at home. It will allow more relaxed use of our public spaces.
- Yes if I was having a get together not that we drink much
- 
- Yes because it's a nice to have a few drinks and enjoy yourself in the outdoors
- Yes, more freedom. If people do not want to comeonsume alcohol they don't have to, but at least the option is there.
- Yes, we'd most likely consume alcohol no matter if it was allowed or not
- camp site yes, picnic site, no.
- Yes if it's what my group would like.
- No liquor at all at public place .
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- Yes - a glass of wine is a nice addition to a picnic.
- Yes because you can drink
- No, all the above reasons
- Yes. Socialization
- No .because of safety.
- Yes. Over one that does not. I think it adds to the experience. I think it should be allowed throughout the park.
- 
- I would not. When liquor is involved, problems are an issue
- Yes, options are great.
- no, we will not visit any picnic site which allow liquor with children
- Yes.
- Yes, so I can bring a casual drink to enjoy while reading a book or having a picnic.
- No because of the reasons above
- No because it's inappropriate and careless.
- No.



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- No
- Yes
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- Yes , nature and booze is always good
- No. Drinking on private property is sufficient.
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- Yes, I have no issues with liquor used responsibly in parks.
- yes
- No
- No because public spaces affect everyone around not just the specific site.
- Yes cause a cup of wine during diner is nice
- Yes- based on principle!
- Yes, it will give more flexibility to the attendees and they can choose themselves if they want or not to consume alcohol.
- No becuse it is not safe and really dangerous
- 
- Yes. Why are you asking why? Aren't liquor laws a provincial statute? If the province legalizes the consumption of alcohol in public places/spaces, the city can't tell me I have to be at a picnic site vs on a blanket under a tree
- No. like a bar or other event people load up before they go so they can say that that have only had a few when they are at an event. See above answer.
- No. Because I don't want my kids to see people getting drunk
- No. Children will expose seeing liquir and many drunk will have disorderly begavio
- 
- yes for staff picnics weddings our family reunions ect.
- Yes. It's part of my social life and is welcome at a picnic/outdoor get together.
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- Yes, because my friends and family enjoy responsible consumption of liquor socially.
- Yes, I want to have the feeedom to have a drink without having to hide.
- No, I don't see the need of drink alcohol in a picnic with family or friends
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- no , there is no need to promote drinking at all
- Yes because I like the social aspect of sharing a beer with friends and family outside breathing the fresh air.
- No. I have children and don't want my children near places with alcohol.
- No

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- Yes. So people who don't want to be others who are drinking have a choice to stay away.
- Yes. Freedom is wonderful thing.
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- No
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- Of course, yes. I trust the people I know are responsible and can responsibly drink at a picnic or bbq. (And most humans tend to be the responsible type)
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- Yes, because I would like to have the option of having a drink.
- yes. beer
- Yes, as a younger adult, having a beer often brings people together and I would rather enjoy a beer outdoors than at a bar or home.
- No. I don't want to deal with drunks. You cannot predict behaviour of someone who is drinking so why would I want to be around it.
- Yes
- Yes. I feel like it would be more enjoyable. Otherwise we wouldn't go to the park
- Yes, it should be allowed everywhere.
- Not until there are also sites with allowed marijuana consumption.
- No. It would not be safe, most likely.
- no, a picnic is a family oriented activity. An adult party is the setting for alcohol consumption and should be done so on private property.
- Yes. If I drink, I prefer to do it outdoors in a nice area. It is much more enjoyable than a dark and loud bar. It would make me more likely to visit a city park.
- 
- No I would not . I do not want to be with my children in the vicinity of others consuming alcohol.
- No. I drink myself but I don't think people need to in areas designed for family use.
- Yes
- No
- Yes so I could have a tasty beer or fruity wine
- 
- No, its public place and children getting bad influence. Scared of bad attitudes of drinkers.
- Yes because there is thing wrong with having a glass of wine in a social setting and enjoying life
- Possibly for larger gathering of friends or family for a BBQ
- No. Most likely I'll have my kids with me.
- I don't want to see my children
- No I would prefer not to have liquor incidences and fighting around me or the children.

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- No. I don't want myself or my family to be around drunk people or be exposed to road accidents caused by impaired drivers.
- Yes.
- No as personlay am not in favour of using that in parks
- Yes, more options to entertain guests. We have a culture of innovation, let's do it!
- 
- Yes because I am not against liquor consumption while having a picnic.
- No- because I don't base my life choices and daily enjoyment on my ability to consume alcohol
- No
- 
- No, it's not necessary when having a day picnic
- 
- No. Have you met my family?
- Yes. Sounds like a great social opportunity
- Yes, I would love to be able to have a beer with my burger
- Yes I would because me and my family would like to have a drink or two
- Yes, I enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my picnic.
- No because I don't think alcohol should be allowed in public picnic site as drinking will lead to smoking any kind of substance and then no one can enjoy it any longer.
- Yes. So I could have a glass of wine or a beer.
- 
- Yes
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- No risk bad behaviour
- Yes we wouldnt drink like hounds just sonething to drink when youre bbqing
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- No
- No
- Most likely. As long as people consume responsibly it would be nice to be able to have a drink during a picnic
- Yes, when booking for large parties. However all sites should allow liquor consumption, with or without booking.
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- Yes
- Yes - it would be more appealing to be able to have the option to enjoy alcohol in the open air.
- Yes. Because I enjoy a beer or a glass of wine with me meal.
- Yes. I want my guests to enjoy themselves.

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- Yes, because it's nice to have the option to have a drink if desired.
- Yes.
- Yes if I was looking to do so with a certain crowd. It would nice to have the option of alcohol.
- No cuz with kids and family .
- 
- No! Safety for everyone
- It completely depends on the situation and mood. It also depends on whether you have kids or not.
- Yes as it's nice to have a casual drink when relaxing and hanging out. We rarely ever drink but when we do it would be nice to be outside in the sunshine having a BBQ and a drink.
- No. People do not need to consume liquor to have an enjoyable time outdoors. Introducing liquor introduces potential for direct conflicts.
- No, because if I go to a site that allows liquor, I am going to put my kids in an unsafe situation. I will give them a chance to see something that is not acceptable in public, is approved by the city. We don't have kids at cocktail parties, why parks?
- No, I don't want my kids to expose to this
- Yes because it is nice to have options.
- Yes. So my friends and I can have the freedom to chose what we consume without fear of getting drinking in public tickets
- No, Because it will not be safe.
- N/A
- No. See 6.
- Yes. Add to the occasion
- 
- No.. bcz of all the above reasons
- No I would avoid it if liquor is allowed
- I would want to book one that was clean and is safe. As long as it stays clean and safe I would use it. If messy or belligerent drunk people started frequenting an area I wouldnt want to go there.
- No....
- Yes. Would like to enjoy a bevy with friends and family.
- Yes. It's nice to have wine or beer at social events
- Doesn't matter
- No, I don't want to have to worry about people drinking where I am at a park
- No. I see no need for it if drinking alcohol is essential to having a picnic then maybe you have a problem?
- No, because it is wrong to have children around alcohol.
- No. Because I don't want to be near others also drinking.
- Either. Wouldn't really matter to me. But more friends and family would join if it was allowed.

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- Either or depending of availability of the sites
- Likely yes. It would allow more flexibility in the kinds of gatherings we might have in parks, and we might choose to go to a park and have a wider community interaction rather than staying at home.
- Yes, as adults we enjoy the opportunity to have a couple drinks while enjoying family time in the parks.
- Yes in order to better enjoy my time spent outdoors.
- No, for safety and concern for my children
- no
- Perhaps
- No because it is ethically wrong
- Yes, In moderation
- I would Never choose a site that allows liquor
- Yes. I believe regulated, safe liquor use is the better than prohibiting otherwise safe activities.
- Yes as I do not see what is wrong with enjoying a glass of wine or a beer with your picnic
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- No, because I don't want to see anybody who is drunk and they are unpredictable.
- 
- Yes. Because I think we should encourage responsible consumption. By constricting and demonizing it it actually gives a worse education on the matter to kids/other
- Yes, we have many family members and friends and our celebrations include a lovely glass of wine or a cool beer on a hot day. Most people can control their liquor, we just hear about the bad.
- Without. I want to enjoy the outdoors without noisy, drunk people around. Parks should be family friendly. They are probably the people who use the park most.
- I would because enjoy having a glass of wine with a picnic, I take public transit and I believe that my responsible consumption of alcohol should no be something I need to hid or pretend I'm not doing.
- 
- No, I don't want to expose my children to drunk people who may not be able to behave.
- Yes more fun
- Absolutely. Preference to those that would allow liquor.
- 
- No. People can drink in their backyard if they feel the need to drink while eating outdoors.
- No, for the concerns menitoned above.
- 
- No. The reasons are in #2.
- Yes, as social.

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- No because it is not good for children to be around that and it will not be healthy environment
- Yes. To have a more flexible time and relaxed drinking with friends in a beautiful setting
- 
- Yes. For the option
- Yes, if it was at the park that I wanted to use.
- 
- No. It should not be allowed at all.
- No.. we go there with families. Cannot even think take my family to parks surrounded by drunks. Sorry, will stop going to those parks
- No. I have two kids that I bring during picnics that needs a safe environment.
- No. Because don't want my children exposed to liquor.
- Yes, I enjoy a beer when bbq
- 
- Yes, haven't considered it before.
- Yes, because casual alcohol consumption can be a healthy social experience
- 
- Yes, to be able to have a fire with some drinks would be better than not having that option.
- no, I would not. don't care to be around people drinking with no one in charge, how do you enforce this in a city as spread out as ours
- Yes
- 
- No because of broken glass etc
- No. To avoid any possible misbehavior from intoxicated individual/s.
- Absolutely yes I would. I believe in personal freedoms. Don't punish all adults because some people are not responsible. Punish the irresponsible adults
- I don't personally drink, but I have friends who do and I would like for them to have the opportunity to enjoy a drink if they should so choose to do so.
- No, because i dont want my kids to expose to Alcholhols
- No If any person interested to drink let him to go any pubs
- Of course. For the "why", please see above.
- Yes. If like to have wine with my cheese and crackers.
- Yes. Gives more flexibility to people who want to have a beverage.
- No,
- No it is against my religion and I don't want my kids to expose to alcohols
- Yes wine and cheese
- Yes, it would be an awesome addition to a picnic and allows for something different.

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- No. Self-control in liquor consumption sometimes disappear in a crowd resulting in boorish behavior like in camping sites.
- No
- No, I don't wanna be around people who are acting disorderly, nor do I want to be around the cars driven by drunk drivers from the park.
- No because I don't want my family to expose more hazardous place and instead of having fun, don't want to end up in incident .
- No, because of the concerns selected in question 2
- 
- Wouldn't book a site
- Nothing
- Of course, it gives you the flexibility to enjoy a couple beverages while enjoy the parks.
- Yes, because this is how my friends and I like to socialize.
- 
- No, to maintain the safety of the park.
- Yes, more fun
- No picnic sites are for family fun so I never recommend liquor at all
- No.
- No, because I don't want to have to deal with drunken behaviour.
- Yes I would, I enjoy drinking outside in parks
- No. I would not like to expose my children to alcohol use.
- Yes
- Yes, most adult socializing includes alcohol consumption. It's a great way to decompress.
- No, we can have a day out without liquor. If we want to drink we will used our yard
- Yes. Because I would enjoy it.
- Yes I would. More of my friends would attend, and it helps us to socialize with each other.
- For a picnic, I would choose a site with alcohol consumption as it is a nice addition to a picnic
- Yes because I can consume it like. A responsible adult
- 
- Yes, is nice to have a beer or glass of wine with your steak
- Yes
- 
- Yes, becuase I dont see anything wrong with having a responsible amount of alcohol with a picnic
- Yes. I like fancy beer at BBQs. Many of my friends do too. We picnic in backyards all the time—public spaces would be more fun.
- Yes. Nice to have a glass of wine or a beer outdoors.
- Yes

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- Yes as I enjoy socializing with friends over a glass of wine or beer. Currently I only visit our parks when walking through them en route to a separate destination.
- Yes. So that I could have a glass of wine with my picnic.
- Yes, liquor is often a part of a family or friend gathering
- Will never
- Yes. We enjoy drinking responsibly and would like to have a few beers or wine with our picnics.
- 
- 
- No, I do not wish to expose my children to drinking and disorderly conduct.
- Yes, so that my friends and I can enjoy a few beverages.
- 
- Doesn't matter - alcohol should be consumed in licensed establishments or private residences.
- Yes, if someone wants to have a beer or a glass of wine at a picnic they should be able to.
- Yes. Nice to have a cold beverage to relax with friends
- 
- 
- No liquor. I just foresee a lot of inconsiderate behavior. I think it is a disaster waiting to happen.
- yes
- No
- No. It can expose others to disorderly behaviour.
- Yes.
- No, there is a many places offer liquor. Picnic should be dry as many kids would expose to abnormal drunk behaviour.
- No, the reasons are cheked in question 2
- Yes, I think the space should be able to be used however the public wants to.
- No, do not have a need to drink in a park. Home, patios, beer gardens at events, restaurants are enough options. Don't want children exposed alcohol consumption.
- Yes because I feel most refined individuals would enjoy a good glass of wine or beer with their lunch.
- 
- Yes because it's nice to have a drink at a picnic
- No . Not a proper place to have liquor. Liquor is against my religion .
- Yes, because, having picnic with friends or a loved one is perfect with alcohol consumption.
- 
- Yes, can have a beer at a barbecue on a hot day
- No
- No



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- No because people tend to lose their senses after consumption which could lead into disorderly behaviour, mess in park and will require more security.
- Yes
- No. Don't like
- Yes, because then I don't have to hide liquor.
- No
- Yes, wine can compliment a nicely prepared meal
- 
- No
- No. I want spend quality time with my family and I don't want any exposure of liquor in front of my kids in the park.
- Yes
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- 
- No, I understand that most people would be reasonable, but there is always that one person who drinks too much and ruins it for everyone else.
- Yes because it's nice to be able to have an adult beverage with friends in the summer outside of your back yard
- No
- Never
- Yes , because the people I spend time with like to enjoy a beer
- No, due to children's concerns
- 
- No, it should not be allowed because of kids in the park.
- Yes, because it's nice to be able to have a locally brewed beer outside during a picnic.
- 
- No, liquor consumption in public is illegal
- Yes. Liquor is enjoyable when bbqing or eating snacks.
- No, Children would see drunk people and since drinking messes with your mind it can lead to children abuse
- 
- No
- Yes
- No
- Yes, I think it would be a positive option to have
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- Yes
- I would book based on location.
- No. why is liquor so important? you want to have "fun", go to a bar. Leave our children out of it. Leave our earth out of it. Let's keep our green parks safe and environment friendly. I don't think anyone would like bottles tossed around. It would smell.
- Yes, it would make me more likely to use a public space to gather, otherwise I would never use those spaces
- Definitely yes. For larger groups and corporate events in particular, allowing consumption will make public parks a viable and even desirable option. More family friendly than alternative legal consumption venues, without giving up the social drink
- Yes
- 
- Yes.
- No. Not safe for kids
- No Booze makes people stupid
- No I care for myself and my kids and would not them see such behaviour and since drinking affects you and the mind I don't want any body to do anything crazy
- 
- Yes - it's a nice social thing to do with friends.
- No
- No, because of the safety of the kids
- No, I personally don't drink.
- Yes as a condo dweller it would be nice to bbq in the park with friends.
- No preference, I don't drink that much anyway, not do my friends or family.
- 100% for sites that allow liquor. This provides extra flexibility for the guest list
- No absolutely not. Because to have a liquor it should be consumed at baar or at liquor store not somewhere where it is much more family oriented and kids oriented place.
- Yes. Because I would like to have liquor at my picnic.
- No
- I'm not sure... I think I would prefer to book one that doesn't allow consumption and if we really wanted to have alcohol with a picnic/bbq we would do it at our house.
- 
- No, its a family time with kids. Can't see them exposed to this thing.
- Yes, I often consume alcohol at events with family or friends. I would choose a site that allows liquor consumption those who want to can consume alcohol.
- YES! I would start going on picnics
- No, because of all the harms that i picked in the previous questions

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- Yes I love to have a drink with food responsibly.
- Yes, definately. . It would be great to have this as an option for a social event.
- Never
- 
- No, I do not recommend liquor consumption at the parks.
- No, liquor effects different people in different ways some get loud and abusive and I just don't want this when chilling out with family and friends.
- Yes. Wine or beer at a picnic in the summer is lovely. One of my favourite things to do in Paris was to have a picnic and it's partly because wine improved the relaxing atmosphere. Also, I would rather hang at a park in the summer with friends
- Yes.
- No, picnic area are for families, where lots of young kinds involved, please don't expose them in early age
- 
- no.
- No. Potential for those to take advantage of the situation and be irresponsible, impeding the enjoyment of families.
- NO. It does not make sense & you know it.
- no - my kids don't need to see people getting drunk and noisy
- No. I don't want my kid sister to see others drinking something that our religion prohibits the use of .
- Yes, to have a picnic like I would host in my home
- No
- No. the purose of going to parks to relax with kids & family & not to expose kids to drunk peoples
- 
- Yes.
- No
- 
- Maybe. It would depend on the event.
- No
- Yes.
- Yes, to allow for those that want to have a glass of wine or a beer responsibly.
- Yes. Beer goes great with BBQ
- 
- Yes. I enjoy having a few drinks and nothing sounds better than a picnic with all my friends and family with a couple beers!
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- No. Family with kids then it is not appropriate
- No because it probably stinks!
- I, and my friends are all responsible adults who grew up in Wuripebwhere alcohol is allowed in public parks. We're adults. Treat us like we are.
- 
- Yes, I'd prefer a site that allows a glass of wine with my picnic
- No I don't want to teach kids that it is ok to drink no
- No
- Yes, so if one of my party wishes to have a glass of wine they won't have to hide it.
- Yes because with many of our bookings, some of the adults choose to have an alcoholic drink rather than a non-alcoholic drink with their meal.
- Or just legalize it without a costly and annoying booking system? Oh right the point is for a new revenue stream.
- Defenetely no liquor allowed sites, I don't like places where am with my family and children and have other people around consuming liquor
- No. We dont drink.
- people go with there kids so kids needs family attention.I think this is not good to consume alcohol in the park.
- No
- 
- People should consume the liquor at their properties not at public places
- 
- Yes so I can have a glass of wine
- 
- No, I would avoid them. My children don't see me drink, they don't need to be exposed. It also opens opportunity for underage children to access alcohol through irresponsible partakes. Bad idea.
- 
- Yes, freedom of choice.
- No
- Yes, but I would prefer to not have to book at all.
- 
- Yes, because I enjoy wine through my meals
- No because even I didn't bring liquor with me people will think I have it
- 
- No, I wouldn't want to expose myself, and my loved ones to it.
- Nol don't want to be in contact with intoxicated people that might harm me or my family
- No. It may cause behavioural issues.

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- Yes so I can have a drink
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- No. Safety concerns.
- 
- Yes I would. Similar to quality food its wonderful to enjoy quality wine.
- Yes, who doesn't want to enjoy a beer on a beautiful day?
- 
- No. We are going to picnic with family. Not to a bar. We don't want to expose our kids to liquor consumption in plain sight.
- Consumption of liquor should not be site specific.
- No, because I am against alcohol in parks.
- Yes
- no. not family friendly.
- Yes
- Yes It is a nice option to enjoy a beer
- Yes, because our family enjoys a glass of wine with a meal and it would be nice to be able to bring a bottle to a picnic.
- No, don't want go any park where it could increase the risk for me and my family.
- no. not family friendly.
- No not Family friendly
- 
- No, my family does not use liquor.
- Depends on the occasion, and perhaps even the time of day. If I knew there would be more kids around, I likely would not book a site that allows liquor consumption.
- No, it may be dirtier or smell like liquor. I don't want my kids exposed to this.
- Please no liquor in parks.
- Yes
- No because liquor shouldn't be allowed in picnic sites.
- Yes, to expose uderaged kids to alcohol in public places and to help get them familiar with the good and the bad.
- Yes
- No, if you want to drink liquor it should be done at home or at a restaurant
- Yes, why not? It is common and a normal enjoyment to sip a beverage socially.
- 
- Yes because if I was to book a picnic site it would be for a celebratory event.
- No

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- Yes. To have the option of having alcoholic beverages responsibly.
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- No, thank you! There are already too much illegal drinking in picnic areas as it is!
- I would avoid them as drunks are the worst
- No
- Yes. I don't book currently bc no liquor allowed so go to homes or business.
- Yes
- Yes, because I associate with responsible adults that also like to enjoy a drink without fear of consequences while exhibiting mature, responsible handling of their alcohol.
- Yes, inclusive, responsible fun,
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- 
- Yes, a great way to enjoy nature and consume if you so choose.
- Yes I would, as long as the bylaw encourages orderly behaviour, I wouldn't want people being belligerent and rude and harmful to others or the environment.
- Yes. So I can have a beer if I choose to do so.
- No
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- Yes, it's 2018 not 1960 get with the times
- 
- Yes
- Yes. If I want to have a nice picnic with my husband why can't I enjoy a nice cup of wine or beer with our meal.
- Yes. We have many family functions with outdoor activity and having a beer with a barbeque is common practice. If city parks allowed for such events I would be more likely to book them.
- No, the booking would be for a family outing. If it were to drink, they can do that at home in the back yard.
- 
- Depends on the event, maybe for family get together but not for anything professional
- I wouldn't book a picnic site.
- Yes, because I'm a functioning adult who enjoys drinking responsibly and shouldn't be treated like a criminal for an activity which harms no one.
- yes - it's nice to enjoy a beer with dinner.
- No. Because I don't believe that alcohol should be allowed in public places.

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- No. There are options to have a picnic somewhere else.
- I wouldn't need to be around people drinking when I'm trying to help my family enjoy nature.
- Yes. Because i can have a beer, legally.
- Yes if I wanted to have a drink.
- Yes, why not?
- No. When people do drink in public parks, and they do, it often turns to excess and indifference to others around them or the park property (i.e. littering, extremely loud talking or yelling and destroyed property. It's not everyone, but I'm don't think.
- No. I dont want me, my family and society to be exposed to dangers.
- I would always choose a picnic site that allowed liquor to allow the most options for my responsible companions.
- Yes it would be a good social event
- 
- No. Don't need it.
- If allowed, then yes. This would need to be monitored / policed.
- Yes - allows freedom in the parks, in a way that doesn't interfere with anyone else's enjoyment.
- Because I like having a beer when I bbq.
- Yes absolutely - So that I can enjoy some wine or a beer with my family. This would be a great experience.
- yes, so that people could enjoy a beverage without fear of breaking the rules.
- It would depend on the scenario, if for a professional function, it's unlikely that I would book a site that allows for liquor consumption.
- Yes, it's nice to have a beer with bbq. Or a nice wine with some cheese. In Germany we would have alcohol with picnics often.
- Yes, it is nice to have the option to have one or two drinks while out in a nice park
- 
- Never.First of all my religion islam prohibits liquor.i want a safe nice neat and clean atmosphere for my children and my family.
- 
- No. Not good for health and society
- Yes
- 
- No because I do not drink
- Yes. Most of those we'd picnic with, both friends and family, hold similar views. We'd all enjoy wine/beer with our event.
- Yes, to be able to have a beer without worrying about fines.

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- No- I would not book at a park that allow alcohol period! I do not want to be confronted with the concerns I noted above plus others I have not thought of!
- Yes. Because I think if I can have a few social drinks in my backyard with friends. Why not have that ability elsewhere, to enjoy the beautiful scenery that Calgary has to offer in the summer months
- Yes, I may like to have an afternoon drink.
- I would not book that site
- No. Picnic meant to spent time in fresh air. Liquor has strong smell which will kill the main cause to go for picnic with family.
- No I find that is proper thing to do because of above mentioned damagaes that can cause to society and to parks
- 
- Yes, because you wouldn't get a fine for drinking in public.
- Yes
- Yes. I think that it would be nice to be able to consume responsibly within our parks.
- No. FUN DOES NOT NECESSERILY COME WITH LIQUOR CONSUMPTION. Picnic sites must have clean, safe and secured environment for kids. Liquor consumption comes with lots of resposibilities. And not all the people behave resposibly,
- Yes. But everytime I try to book a picnic spot there are none available.
- Yes, a couple of drinks on a hot sunny day is nice.
- Yes. I would prefer to have a beer during a picnic and see no downsides. No different than hosting company in my backyard.
- Yes. To allow for a glass of wine or a beer with dinner. A drink is a form of relaxation with a meal.
- No, because I would go to pubs or bars. I typically book for family gathering where we can do some BBQ.
- Yes, if I feel like having a drink, and being outside, I'll choose somewhere that accommodates that. Accommodation and convenience are key.
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- No. Who would want to book a place around people not in their senses.
- Yes
- Yes for reasons above
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- No. All of the above. Disruptive, disorderly, loud, irresponsible, dont feel safe, Dont do this!!
- Yes. Because I would prefer a glass of wine or beer with my picnic.
- No,
- No. I personally don't drink.



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- Yes because it's nice to have a drink or to with your friends out in public and not worry about getting a massive fine for something that's already legal.
- No. I don't need to drink at picnic sites.
- Yes absolutely. I want to be able to enjoy a glass of wine or a beer by the riverside while I have a picnic with friends and/or family.
- Yes, I would like a glass of wine with my picnic
- 
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- Yes!
- Yes, simply because this allows a small amount of consumption without having to worry about a fine.
- Yes
- No no no
- I will not chose. It is not good for people around too.
- No because after consuming liquor one is not conscious and dangerous for public specially children
- yes.
- Sure
- 
- No
- No I will not. No need
- No, you really don't need to drink to have fun....
- yes, because I like the idea of having a glass of wine while outdoors with my picnic/bbq
- Yes. It brings a sense of community and is a great way to relax. Hosting employee pot lucks, family reunions, e would be easier.
- Yes. Because being able to have a beer or glass of wine at a picnic makes sense.
- Yes, it is enjoyable to have a drink while in the company of friends
- Never
- No
- Yes, I value the freedom to be able to consume or not consume alcohol in an outdoor setting
- No. Don't like to drink.
- no
- yes, because casual consumption of alcohol is not harmful
- No because for sure it will not be cleaned like it is right now.
- 
- No, since I don't think alcohol consumption should be allowed in public spaces.
- Yes, having a beer in the outdoors is great fun

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- No because I wouldn't want to risk being exposed to the potential of disorderly drunks and it would attract the wrong crowds.
- No
- Yes, because I know my friends and I can safely enjoy a few drinks and can plan our day accordingly to stay safe while doing so
- 
- Will I have to pay? If so. No. It's public. Everyone uses it
- No, we as community have children that not need that exemple.
- 
- Yes. It's a nice way to spend on a summer afternoon
- no
- Not at all. Reasons as in 2 above
- No
- I wouldn't choose one that allows liquor, why!! for all the reasons selected above
- No, as I don't feel the need to consume alcohol outside of my home or a restaurant.
- 
- No because of numbers of reasons safety being # 1 out of all of them.
- Nope, Safety concern.
- 
- No, I do not consume Liquor.
- Yes
- yes.....
- 
- 
- Yes would choose one that allows liquor consumption. Do not see harm in a family having a couple beers with a picnic bbq.
- No
- Yes, because on a hot Saturday it's nice to enjoy a shady picnic or bbq along with one or two beer. Then you can relax and melt away your stress
- No, people should not be encouraged to drink in public parks.
- No because of the reasons mentioned in Question 2.
- Why we can give them choice what is difference between bars and parks left no allow
- No
- No
- 
- no,i will not visit parks to see drunks make fools of themselves
- prefer all sites allow liquor

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- No. I do not support liquor use in public parks
- Would not
- yes...because I like to drink a glass of wine...or have an afternoon beer
- No because I don't think it would only be drinking because drinking usually comes with smoking
- No, as I see no reason to have alcohol at the parks. You can drink it at home, at sporting events, at the restaurants, or in pubs; therefore, there are plenty of venues to consume alcohol. Why screw up the parks?
- Of course ! As a adult I love having drink with my picnic
- No, I have young children and making drinking visible at a young age will make them more curious to try it at a younger age than if they are not exposed to it. It's also hard to control the amount people will consume which can lead to misconduct
- No
- No. Because why, why do you need liquor to have fun at the park?
- 
- No - not as safe
- 
- Yes. If any of my guests care to drink then the option is there.
- No
- No.
- Yes because it is nice to have a glass of wine with a meal.
- Yes
- I would choose one that doesn't allow, since I am not a liquor drinker
- No
- 
- Yes.
- 
- No! I wouldn't want my children's birthday party to be surrounded by alcoholic beverages!
- No, I don't see the need.
- Generally yes, because I would like to be able to have a drink there myself.
- No, because of safety related matters and exposure of kids to liquor.
- No I would not because I would be going with my children and want to be vigilant when I'm watching them
- Yes
- Yes. It would be great to have a few casual drinks with friends in the park. Just like being in our yard with more space.
- No
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- No. I wouldn't want to worry about anyone drinking and driving.
- No
- Yes. I enjoy having a beverage while picnicking.
- No
- yes so i can have a glass of wine if i choose
- n/a
- No I would not as it would run counter to my beliefs
- Yes because people are drinking anyways
- Yes
- Yes because it makes it more of a special event, especially for celebrations
- no
- Yes. I like to have a few refreshments in the sunshine
- Absolutely! Even if I'm not drinking. Fact of the matter is that it encourages social interaction and it's something to talk about.
- Yes, because it allows for a more enjoyable social feel, akin to a family dinner at home or out at a Restaurant
- no
- Yes
- No, we don't normally consume alcohol while eating, but it would be nice to have an option to do so.
- Yes, so that myself or my family can consume a couple drinks while we are together. Having that choice would be the reason
- 
- Yes, I enjoy a drink while hanging out and relaxing
- No
- No I would not. It's a nuisance that I don't want to deal with
- Security risk
- Yes. Responsible use of liquor can add to the experience of sharing food outdoors with friends and family
- I would choose one that allows liquor consumption because what's better than an ice cold beer on a hot day with family and friends around you, with birds chirping above you, with squirrels watching you, the sun shining down on you and a breeze caressing u
- Yes, as long as past experiences were positive.
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- No
- Yes

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- No
- Yes my family , immediate and extended, like to have a drink or two during get together and bbqs
- Yes. If you're responsible and enjoy a drink or two with your picnic it's great. Relaxing, pleasant outing.
- Yes. It gives us more options.
- No
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine at a meal, especially outdoors in the summer.
- Yes- more social
- No absolutely not
- Yes. It's nice to have the option to consume alcohol.
- Probably yes. It depends on what sort of event I was planning. A birthday party for my 2 and 5 year old grandsons is different than a swimming party for adults.
- no
- No
- No
- Yes, I would prefer to have the freedom to bring liquor.
- Yes again it would be nice to enjoy some liquor in city parks.
- No
- I may for myself, knowing that myself and friends consume responsibly, but I think there are too many ppl who would abuse it and be disorderly, drink and drive, etc
- Nope. Drunk people in public can be a potential threat to others
- Does not allow liquor consumption
- No. Because we should not expose kids to that
- No, as I believe this is unnecessary.
- No, I don't think consumption sites are a good idea. The policing and clean up of these site will be difficult and costly which will have to increase my taxes. Also the potential damage to the environment in the parks due to alcohol consumption is big.
- Yes, we enjoy moderate liquor use.
- Yes. Would picnic sites need to be booked ?
- Yes. I see no reason how it changes much. Just allows the ability to have a drink
- No, as it is not advisable for me and my children to go in a place where there will be people with disorderly behaviour
- No. There is already disorderly behaviour issues and complaints on Calgary Transit, especially on train. Allowing liquor will increase violence at public places and put more stress on public and peace officers. People will stop going in Parks with childre
- Yes, nice to have that option
- No, cos of the potential danger inherent

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- No, because I don't want my picnic disturbed by out of control drinkers at the nearby picnic site that allows liquor consumption.
- No. Because I do not want to hang out with bunch of drunk people while i am in a park trying to enjoy nature..
- No
- Yes.
- Yes because we like to have a nice cold beer in the summer
- Same as above
- Maybe. I'm used to not having liquor in public and it doesn't bother me to go without.
- Yes
- No liquor
- Yes, because I feel responsible in my liquor consumption and feel there are lots of people like me. A beer or glass of wine with friends would be nice outside.
- Yes, I don't drink but most people do and it makes it more of an enjoyable atmosphere for most to be able to do that, especially in public
- 
- Yes depending on the reason for the picnic
- No. People have to drive to the city parks typically and this encourages drinking and driving, in my opinion.
- No, I would rather not to use the picnic site at all and limit ourselves to community ground and avoid picnic site. I am worried that drinking driving will increase and me and my family could be in jeopardy.
- Sure; it will be part of normalizing moderate and responsible consumption of alcohol - akin to European countries.
- No why would I want to be near this environment
- No because every one wants to go picnic sites and parks with its family and friends and Liquor permitted environment is not a pleasant place for them especially kids to face drunken people in that place
- No
- Yes, because it's nice to have a beer with dinner
- It wouldn't impact my booking a site either way.
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine with friends when I share a meal at home, so the same would apply to having a picnic.
- Nope. Don't need it. I drink alcohol but don't need it with me or around me all the time.

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- No. I do drink, but when I go on a picnic I am going to spend some recreational time with my family, which does not involve alcohol. I don't want to be at a site where alcohol consumption is occurring, possibly leading to disruptive behaviour.
- Yes.
- Yes, it would be nice to share a glass of wine or beer with friends and family while enjoying the outdoors
- Yes, as mentioned above it is a nice option.
- No, it can expose younger to Liquor and other use of drugs
- 
- No, I don't feel that liquor is necessary in that environment.
- Yes. Would allow for friends and family the option to have a drink if they wish. Montreal allows it.
- No absolutely not
- 
- No. Prefer to avoid drunken behavior.
- Yes. Because everything is better with beer.
- Yes, even if no one ends up drinking it would be nice to have the option
- Yes
- No
- No
- Yes. It provides the freedom for those that want to have a drink to have one and those that do not do not have to.
- no because you don't need alcohol to enjoy nature or put up with one that's drunk, annoying and disturbing the peace.
- 
- Yes. I would expect people to behave appropriately whether there is alcohol or not.
- I would never. I have small kids and would not want to be in a park where people are drunk. The purpose of the park is for my kids to be able to go around and have fun. Not for me to stop them from going places because there are drunk people around.
- Yes, depending on the occasion.
- No because of the exposure to my kids
- Yes, depending on the situation. typically for a friend's birthday, or get together.
- yes. Relatives.
- Yes. More often than not, liquor of some type is present in our social gatherings. Choosing a site that allows responsible adults the option to enjoy a beverage of their choice in a safe and legal way would strongly affect our decision on where to book.
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- Yes. Social aspect

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- NO, It will not be safe, and children would be exposed to see people drinking.
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- Yes, picnic and a glass of wine
- No
- Yes. I enjoy having a cold beer on a summer day. If my friend can smoke weed in the park why can't I have a beer?
- NO
- 
- yes definitely. this would completely influence my bookings choice. a few beverages enjoyed responsibly is a great addition to a day in the park.
- 
- Yes, because it was be a great benefit to have a glass of wine or beverage with our picnic.
- 
- Yes, enjoying an adult beverage outside is ideal.
- Yes, to avoid trouble because drinking already occurs
- No
- Yes I would choose one that allows liquor
- Indifferent, wouldn't change my use
- Yes I would as I enjoy having a drink with a meal
- 
- 
- No
- No. The thought of rowdy drunks around while trying to enjoy a picnic do not appeal to me.
- Yes, for greater enjoyment of the site!
- No. There is no control over how much people could consume. At a restaurant the servers stop serving when someone is intoxicated at a certain level. Our police officers don't have time/capacitor patrol consumption at parks. It takes away from other things
- No
- 
- Yes, family and friends barbecues in nearby parks would be more sophisticated and fun for everyone! I'd love to see this extended to community lakes/beaches too!
- No, because I'm not there to drink and like a normal adult I can survive without having a drink
- Having a picnic with friends is a social event. I chose to consume liquor at social events at my home, and in bars and restaurants, so it makes it a more equal event.
- No see above
- Don't try and get more money from this. Just open the parks to liquor



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- I would choose one that allows it because nothing is better than a picnic with say, a bottle of wine or a few beers with your partner or family.
- Yes. Myself and my friends and family can behave appropriately while having a reasonable quantity of alcohol.
- Yes. The flexibility to have alcoholic beverages would go a long way towards making the park spaces feel like a 'home' for those who live in the city but who may not have outdoor private property that they can use for gatherings.
- Yes i enjoy a glass of wine or beer with my meal
- Depends on the park, the location and the reason for booking the site. Ex- bbq with friends perhaps liquor. Child's bday party perhaps not
- No, because I am not in favor of that
- No - reasons above in Q2
- Yes. Most people consume liquor anyway.
- no
- Yes
- 
- Yes because I like to host events where alcohol is available.
- yes
- Yes cuz I'm a social Drinker as well so it'd be all right and all my friends
- It may be a factor - I don't usually go on picnics but it would be a nice addition for a group of adults.
- Yes. Beer goes with BBQ at my house and while camping, why not at the park?
- I dont want to have to choose
- Yes. It is nice to have a cold brew on hot summer days while out in the park.
- No
- Yes, i tend to have a beer now anyway.
- Yes... because my family knows how to drink responsibly
- 
- No. We have kids
- I would not because I wouldn't know how clean that picnic is. There could have been liquored spilled all over the grass, table, or even the playground if there is one. Personally I wouldn't want my kids planning on that playground. It would be filthy.
- Never. Why you do want our families to spend time in safe place?What is the guarantee that people will drink and then not drive back to home? Let allow our Canada to stay peaceful as it is now.
- No.Because I would not feel safe as after drinking anything could happen
- I would prefer the liquor park
- Yes

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- Absolutely, it gives people the option to have a drink if they'd like. Even for the purpose of a picnic date with a bottle of wine it would be a major determining factor for me.
- 
- No, because I don't want my kids to see people drinking and it also wouldn't be a safe environment for me and my family.
- Yes. Will have more people and a glass of wine is just a nice thing on a sunny day
- I would so that those that were coming had the option to bring liquor if they wanted to.
- No..not a good idea to drink in public places where people from age groups, especially families with kids are present.
- Many people who disrespect authority will drink in all parks saying that they are all the same.
- Yes. I enjoy having a drink on a summer day while having a picnic with friends
- No, because we have children and we don't want them to see such a thing, and people will misuse this.
- 
- Yes, because it will probably have a busy, fun atmosphere
- I wouldn't, unless it was a private event such as a wedding. The potential for abuse is too high.
- Yes - responsible people should have the choice to consume alcohol
- Yes, we often want to bring alcohol to our group picnics
- Yes, because consuming liquor is a part of my social events with family and friends.
- No
- Yes. It's nice out there. Would be cool to have a beer and enjoy it.
- 
- Would choose no liquor site, to lessen the chances of negative interactions with drink or drug impaired people.
- No
- No
- Yes, to at least allow for the option of having an adult beverage if I so choose.
- Not sure, on one hand it would be nice for young groups that are drinking to be away from families but on the other hand it will split the parks in half so family won't want to use half of the park.
- Yes, to have the option.
- Yes because it is a social thing in our society. This will bring us closer to a European mindset by eliminating the negative connotation for children to see alcohol consumption as long as it's reasonable.
- Yes, I enjoy having the choice of consuming a beer with my picnic.
- Yes
- No. B/c of increased probability of having unpleasant behaviour and conversations around my family, more litter, too.

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- I would choose yes, because it means we could avoid breaking park rules.
- I would not go to picnic site where liquor is allowed.
- No
- Yes. Because it's nice to have a cold drink with a picnic.
- Yes, a relaxing glass of wine with friends would be fun. I'd rather enjoy that glass in the outdoors than in a stuffy pub. Many condo dwellers don't have the opportunity to sit out in a garden, this would give them that.
- Yes so I have the option to have an alcoholic beverage if I choose to
- For a specific occasion yes, but generally wouldn't bother
- 
- Yes, because regardless if it allows public consumption or not, as long as the rest of it fits my needs.
- No
- Yes, freedom.
- Yes having a cold beer in a hot day is not a sin!
- 
- Not necessarily. Being able to consume liquor at a picnic site isn't a deal breaker for me.
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes. Because it's a social outing
- No because I would not feel safe around drunk people.
- 
- Yes, I'd like the option
- 
- Yes, it's nice to be able to have a drink or two without feeling guilty or getting a ticket.
- 
- Yes if it is an adult party/event
- No, I'm not alcoholic drinker
- Casual 1 or 2 beers is nice with family
- Yes
- Yes, especially if going with friends.
- Yes, gives the option for those who want to drink.
- No
- It's not good
- Yes. Because I believe having the option to consume alcohol should be in the hands of the individual rather than the government. No one is being forced to drink, but keeping it illegal in our parks leaves us without the option.
- Wine and beer with a meal is a major cultural positive

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- Yes, it provides more options for the people that want to consume alcohol. Also it enables people to have get together in public places rather than just at home
- YES! My yard is not big enough to host a bbq but would love more opportunities to socialize outdoors with friends and family that is not at a restaurant.
- Yes if it was a special occasion.
- Yes, moderate consumption outdoors enhances a social picnic.
- Yes, it would be nice to have a picnic with a glass of wine.
- No
- Should NOT allowed at all
- I wouldn't seek it out
- no
- Yes, so family/friends can enjoy a beer at a BBQ
- Yes, as it makes it easier to have social gatherings.
- Yes. If I was planning a celebration this would give my guests the option of enjoying a alcoholic beverage at the event.
- No. Being at a site in a park that allows alcohol consumption would increase the chance that there will be rowdy behavior at neighboring sites. Why would I want to risk the possibility of having my gathering ruined by unruly drunks.
- 
- Yes. Then I can bring wine.
- No, too many children underage are effected. Fun without liquor should be encouraged.
- No, things can get out of hand to easily.
- Yes. Because people like to enjoy a beverage with their bbq or meal .
- no-I don't want to be around other picnic sites where there is drinking
- No
- Yes. I enjoy having an option to have a drink or not.
- 
- I will not book where liquor is been consume. This was base on my reasons that I selected above.
- Yes, bars are too expensive
- 
- Absolutely no, because I won't feel safe in a place where there are drunk people who can't control their actions and may get me exposed to an offensive behavior.
- No. Not safe.
- Allows, more inclusive to individuals who may want to enjoy a beverage with their food. Does not force an individual to drink, simply gives the option to
- 
- No

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- Yes because I would be happy to partake in that activity safely
- 
- No, will be safety concerns
- No - if this is allowed, I would no longer picnic in the park - who will ensure the rules will be followed as is the problem now with the minority of bike commuters who ignore caution or speed or pathway congestion.
- Yes. I would like to drink liquor at the picnic site. So I would choose this actively.
- Yes, it opens up for options for the types of events.
- No. Liquor always has problems
- Yes. Because having a few drinks with your meal is what many people in the Western world do, certainly in restaurants. We need to stop nannying ourselves to death.
- I currently do not book picnic sites specifically because liquor is not allowed currently. Cracking a few beers or sharing a bottle wine would actually encourage me to do so
- Yes I would, I would enjoy having a beer with my meal
- Yes to stay legal while having 1 or 2 beverages
- DEFINITELY NO
- Yes. Consuming alcohol with food at social gatherings is part of many people's cultures and is legal in many places in the world. A healthier drinking culture requires healthier alternatives to drinking in businesses that make money by pushing drinks.
- Yes, no point in having people camouflage the containers.
- Yes! Nothing like a beer to go with your burgers/steak/hot dogs on a hot day!!
- It very much depends on the type of gathering you are having - a children's birthday or a barbecue with friends would differ.
- Yes. I may or not want to enjoy a drink but I like the option.
- No as that site I don't feel safe for my family so I always avoid those sites as anyhow liquor is not good for health and to enjoy the park you need friends and family with us not liquor.
- No - book for work function
- Yes because my guests could enjoy a beverage openly instead of sneaking around like a criminal.
- Yes.
- No, I have kids we don't drink in front of them
- Yes I would. There is no problem with having a few alcoholic beverages when at a picnic. It is very common in European culture.
- Yes
- I wouldn't go to a site that allows liquor consumption. This raises many concerns for family safety.
- No
- No
- No

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- Yes, as a young adult I love being outside with friends and this would make the experience more enjoyable.
- No. I do not need to haul alcohol out to a picnic.
- Yes because instead of going to a bar or restaraunt I could have family and friend gatherings outside. Being that I don't have a backyard this would be a hiuge benefit.
- Yes, so my friends and I have the option if we want it.
- 
- Yes
- Yes. We may or may not have a drink, but I would like to have that option available no matter what. We are all adults and can act responsible.
- Yes, enjoying liquor at a park would further encourage me to make use of our parks
- No. I believe that the current family-friendly atmosphere enjoyed by park users should continue.
- Yes, because food and liquor paired together make for a much more plesent experience rather than the dryness of cheese and wine with no wine.
- Yes
- No, safety concerns
- Yes
- 
- Yes I would. More type outside with family and friends and I would stay longer at an event
- NO! Because I do not want my family or children exposed to any liquor!!
- Yes, more freedom to do my own thing
- No, see answers to question 2 above.
- No. I do not prefer liquor at picnic site as it's a place where family goes with kids. Plus all the reasons stated above.
- 
- no
- No.picnicmean to be in a familly setting.
- No danger for driving
- 
- No! Parks are family friendly places not for these sorts of things!
- No - the potentiall for abuse of the system is inevitable
- 
- No. I do not believe there is a valid reason why liquor should be permitted in public spaces and would be difficult to monitor and "police" .
- Yes. Giving you more options to enjoy the park with friends instead of going at a pub or patio
- Yes, when having a bbq gathering etc it's nice to be able to walk to the park and have some drinks
- No

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- Yes, because I've traveled the world where they allow this and it brings people together
- Yes
- no i'm old now
- No because I don't want my children to be around people who drink.
- Yes I would. There's no reason why you wouldn't. Even if one or two people out of a group wants to drink, it doesn't create any issues. To be fair, people have been consuming alcohol in parks and picnic areas regardless, so it may as well be accommodated
- No. Other park users who may misbehave under the influence of liquor could endanger lives or property including mine.
- Yes. Freedom of choice.
- No. People tend to be noisy when drinking outside. Also, it would draw people into the park that might have addictions
- It wouldn't matter to me as a criterion.
- Yes
- No because I do not agree.
- Yes. Even if I'm not personally drinking that day, it's great for others to have the option.
- No liquor should not be allowed in any park
- Yes people will bring liquor whether they are allowed or not
- No. Liquor should not be allowed in public picnic sites
- No liqtshouks not be allowed in any city parks
- Yes, because it would be more inclusive of all friends that come.
- 
- No I would avoid picnic sites. Alcohol is unnecessary.
- Yes, definitely. A couple of beers with lunch would only increase my enjoyment of the parks
- No
- Yes, everyone likes a little splash
- yes. I like drinking liquor
- I've never booked a picnic site. Just show up and out down a blanket
- No, I wouldn't want kids to be exposed to it and normalize alcohol consumption for fun. A small start can lead to multiple bigger issues and damages some of which can be permanent and irreversible. Today it is liquor, tomorrow drugs would on the list.
- No because we are there for picnic not for drinking
- Yes, because it adds to the picnic experience
- Depends on the function.
- Yes because it would create more fun
- none
- Yes because you don't have to hide liquor anymore.

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- Yes. We should be able to drink what we want at an event.
- It would depend on what the situation. I can see occasions, i.e., dates, where it would be nice, but if I am having a picnic with family it isn't necessary.
- Yes. Adults should be able to decide if they want to have a drink with their picnic, it teaches responsibility. If you make it a big deal, people tend to abuse it.
- Yes cause we like to enjoy a few beverages while celebrating
- No, it's going to raise drinking and driving problems and the guys next door are likely to get drunk and rowdy
- No
- Yes. I like an occasional drink.
- Yes
- Yes, everyone likes a cold beer during a picnic.
- 
- no - don't want to be around people who are drinking- it always gets out of hand
- Yes because adults don't drink pop like they are 12 anymore.
- No.
- No doesn't need to be at the park
- Yes, I am a young adult and I would rather go somewhere I can responsibly drink if I choose to do so.
- Yes, for the above reason
- No. I have a small child and I would be worried about irresponsible behavior
- No. I don't want my kids around drunk adults
- No
- Yes, everyone likes to enjoy a cold beer or wine spritzer outside in the summer
- Of course one that allows it, it's part of our Canadian culture to drink and socialize. People have always drank in parks and will continue to do it with or without allowing it. Create a safe space!
- Yes, I enjoy having a couple beverages while at a picnic site.
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- Absolutely not. Families go to the park to relax, and not to worry about drunk people' behaviour.
- Yes, would like to have a glass of wine at a picnic.
- Yes, it gives greater flexibility and appeal when planning an event.
- Yes. I'm in favour
- No. Liquor should not be promoted in public places.
- Yes I would choose one that allowed liquor. It gives everyone the option to enjoy a few beverages if they decide to.
- Yes because I have friends who would enjoy a picnic with beer or wine.



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- Yes
- No. All the children I love would be at a picnic I booked. I would not want those children being driven home by adults who have been drinking. Yes, adults should be responsible but they often are not.
- Yes, because all of my friends including myself, like to drink beer outside and talk about everything
- No. Because I want to be sure that my family and my children are not exposed to these things. Also I will be worried about their safety
- Yes
- I would make sure to refrain from booking alcohol friendly sites
- No. We are booking spots for families with small children.
- No.
- No. Many reasons. My children should not see this as an acceptable thing.
- Check the statistics regarding crime around or after pub during weekends. In order to avoid I will if at all only book non-liquor site
- Yes. Liquor is a social staple in Western society. If my family and friends wish to responsibly imbibe at my home or in public at an establishment (restaurant, bowling alley, etc), then why would we intentionally place restrictions on ourselves at a park?
- Yes
- Yes, gives you the ability to have a family bbq in a city park where parents can enjoy some drinks but the kids have lots of play options
- Yes, more options of drinks
- Yes, because I am a responsible drinker who would enjoy so ially drinking, specially on day light!
- Yes I would. Having a few drinks with a picnic is a nice way to spend an afternoon.
- Yes, because in a group of people there will always be some who want to have a beer in the sun. There is more freedom and less worry about drinking a beer whenever you want.
- Yes cause sometimes it's nice to have a cold beer with lunch
- Yes. Beer and wine are very enjoyable and refreshing, especially with friends outdoors.
- No because the smell is very bad for non drinker , children are exposed to seeing the liquor and may be harmed. The park will be damaged and the air won't be clean, which harms animals.
- Yes, when we invite friends and family to our home we offer alcoholic beverages, the same would happen if having a park gathering.
- Yes, I come from a country where drinking at picnics is super normal
- No. I would like to enjoy the outdoor with my family and friends without the influence of alcohol. It's more fun doing activities than sitting in the picnic table drinking.
- Yes. Most people sneak liquor anyway.
- Depending on the group i was with, but it's likely.
- As long as it is controlled and away from the vicinity of children then yes.
- Yes, it makes the time more enjoyable

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- Yes, because alcoholic beverages are usually part of large picnic gatherings.
- Of course. Why not?
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- Yes, I like beer with my picnic
- No, because I have kids we are there with family to enjoy the day not for drinking
- No
- No. See #2 in this survey.
- No, don't want to bring my kid around potentially drunk and noisy and not in control people.
- 
- Yes, it's just about options.
- 
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- yes
- Yes, why not?
- Yes. Responsible consumption is key, however.
- No..because it should not in public..
- Yes as I would be much more inclined to enjoy a park space for picnic purposes if I know I can legally consume alcohol along with my BBQ/food. These spaces would promote positive use of park spaces without negative impact if managed effectively
- No, liquor not good for health and any religion not allow liquor.
- Wouldn't play a role in me picking a site
- 
- Mo
- No because I don't agree with liquor being allowed in picnic sites.
- Yes
- No.
- No I never choose that site . It's effect children and drunken people are not stable at some point so effect safety and it's not really children familiar thing so strongly NO liquor in picnic site
- Sure. Then we could have a beer with lunch.
- No, Being a Muslim, I will like to stay away from the drunk people
- No, because Increase in disorderly behavior may occur
- No, I am against the idea of allowing liquor in public parks.
- Yes, because we enjoy having a beverage or two while socializing.
- Yes. A few people get a bad reputation for the majority. If there are issues I would deal with it the same way I would now and call the police.
- Yes - would prefer the option.

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- No. I don't need to get drunk at every opportunity. Also I would stop using picnic sites that offer this. It won't be regulated, it won't be safe.
- No. Drinking and Driving concerns
- Yes. See above
- Yes, absolutely. I'm a big advocate for craft beer, and we live in one of the biggest craft beer cities in Canada. On top of that, I'd like to have the option to drink or not when enjoying a picnic or BBQ in a public park.
- Yes, because it would provide me with the option to consume liquor during gatherings (picnics, celebrations), or enjoy a pleasant afternoon.
- Yes, because its enjoyable, just like when camping, just like in your own yard.
- Yes, because what good is a picnic if you can't enjoy a glass of wine?
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- I would, if there were certain areas that permit it
- Yes. Nearly everyone drinks at sites anyway and hides it so now it would be nice to just be open and more responsible.
- Yes, I would so that we could enjoy a relaxing drink at the park like they do in Europe.
- Yes, having a beer with friends/family is always part of our gatherings so it would be really nice to have the option to move our gatherings to an outdoors space.
- If it's for adults and not a kids birthday, then yes
- Yes. Consumption happens at the parks anyway.
- No, not supporting the idea to allow consumption in public areas where these green places are for all ages.
- Do city think bars restaurants and home are not enough to drink
- Allows liquor consumption because I enjoy a glass of wine or a beer with my meal in the summer.
- Yes. So I have the option to drink if I would like.
- Maybe
- Yes. Because I enjoy being able to freely do what I want and not have to be penalized or frowned a pin for enjoying a drink with a meal in public.
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- Yes - to be able to enjoy a glass of wine
- Yes, I would choose a site that allows Liquor consumption. It is nice to have the option and choice.
- Yes, I enjoy social drinking
- Yes I would like to have a beer or two when I am at a park. It would increase my enjoyment.
- Yes. I don't find consuming liquor to be inherently bad so long as people clean their messes.
- Yes, because I would rather have the option
- no
- I would pick once that allows it. More choices for my friends or family at the picnic.

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- I would choose one, so that way I would have the option to drink liquor if I chose to.
- Allowed
- Yes.
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- Yes. I would like the option for me and my friends/family to have a drink if we choose
- No. I don't want my kids to be exposed to liquor and it's after effects.
- No. I would not be comfortable with my kids running around people drinking. And wouldnt want to deal with drunk behaviour on family time!
- Maybe
- Unsure
- Definitely not. Want to enjoy the park without liquor. See all concerns above.
- Absolutely
- Yes.
- No, I would be concerned that there would be an increased risk of broken glass on the site
- 
- Yes. Freedom of choice
- Yes. Nothing beats enjoying a beer in the sun!
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- NO, others would most likely be too noisy and unruly!
- Only if I was booking for a social event - or bbq with friends.
- No for the same reason above safety behavior
- Yes, would be nice to have a cold beer while sitting outside and enjoying the hot weather and parks with friends.
- No
- Yes. Nice to have the option at a gathering
- No
- No
- I would one that doesnt allow liquor. Bad behaviour from excessive behaviour. Damage to property. Impaired Dtivers
- Yes. Allow people to have a few beers
- 
- Yes cause fun times
- Yes - just like you'd enjoy with a BBQ at home.
- 
- Yes, so that I'm able to drink casually while eating.
- No

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- Depends on what the plans are, but would be more likely to pick one allowing liquor
- No
- No I do not, there is no safety for my kids anymore with the drinker who sits in the next picnic site
- Yes. Again, it is a nice option to have to enjoy “adult time” with or without your children
- Yes. Because me, my family, and my friends are all responsible drinkers, and would like to enjoy a drink in a setting outside of a bar or at home
- Yah I would as a beer in the park would be nice
- No you can have a good time without consuming alcohol
- I would if we planned on drinking
- Yes as it allows for a more enjoyable outdoor experience.
- Yes, who doesn't love a drink at a BBQ or picnic?
- Yes, it would nice to have a gathering someplace different than my home
- Yes. Seems a place more enjoyable
- 
- Yes because our group would want to consume liquor
- 
- Yes, it would be lovely to host friends and have a beer or some wine and enjoy the outdoors and our parks!
- Yes, because there is nothing wrong with consumption in proper moderation
- 
- Sure, yes. Gives me a choice to also have a beer there.
- i prefer liquor not be allowed. i would choose one that does not allow liquor.
- No
- Yes. For reasons stated above
- Yes because if I am above the age of consumption I should be allowed to freely drink alcohol responsibly where I wish.
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- Yes. It would be great to enjoy a cold beer on a hot summer day
- Yes. It's always nice to have a drink/offer a drink. I wouldn't be booking the site to drink, but if I were hosting a birthday party or family reunion it would be nice to have some adult beverages on hand.
- No, I don't want to be around alcohol on picnics
- Yes. Above comments.
- No
- Yes. Because there is nothing wrong with drinking alcohol. It's been legal for decades.
- Yes, because people are going to drink in parks regardless.
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- Yes. I would love to be able to responsibly have drinks with my friends at the park.
- Depends on the people I go with. If children then no because I prefer to drink less around them.
- No - people are idiots when they drink too much - especially around the river. Many people cannot have just 1 drink on a beautiful summer afternoon. The river and alcohol do not mix - especially at Pearce Estates in Inglewood
- No
- No & I wouldn't book any picnic site if liquor is permitted in parks due to concerns for my family's safety & enjoyment as others will disregard the rules & be drunk and disorderly.
- No. Don't want to run risk of boorish behavior. I can have a good time w/o alcohol.
- Yes, everyone I know is over 18 and the ones that have children drink in front of their children already. Rather have the opportunity and not need it then try to sneak it in anyway.
- Yes
- 
- Yes because I'm an adult and I deserve to choose whether or not I would like to consume alcohol while eating a picnic.
- Yes as it's nice to have the option to have a beer or some wine while enjoying the outdoors
- No.
- Depends on the occasion. A kids birthday no, an adult bbq perhaps.
- Yes. I believe people of age should be able to have a drink if they choose to.
- Probably not. Most of the time we are driving or riding a bike to get to the park so would need to get home safely. Also many times we are using the park and picnic sites we have children with us and they need to know we can have fun without drinking.
- No, I will not feel safe
- Yes. I would love to be able to have a glass of wine with my picnic lunch or dinner.
- Yes because I like to have a beer with my bbq food
- Yes, I think that would improve my enjoyment of our parks.
- Yes because it allows more freedom without being ticketed.
- Yes, because I'd love to have a drink with my picnic if I feel like it.
- No. I would be concerned about bad behavior at adjacent sites.
- No. Not interested in supporting this trend...
- No, to avoid all problems mentioned in question 2
- Yes, because it's nice to have a beer or some wine on a beautiful day in a park.
- Yes. Because it would be more fun. I'm
- Yes to liquor consumption. Because I enjoy alcoholic beverages at my parks
- Yes, more flexibility.
- Yes as an occasional consumer

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- Yes, would be nice to be able to enjoy a beer or cool drink of my choice while enjoying the outdoor parks that Calgary has to offer without fear of being reprimanded.
- Yes. Some people want to have a few drinks in the afternoon.
- No, risk for safety
- Allows, because I enjoy an occasional drink
- No
- Yes
- Yes, it's nice to be able to have a beer or wine with dinner
- Yes. I have small children and still am not opposed to someone enjoying a drink in a park.
- Yea, so we can crush some cold ones while hanging out
- No
- Yes, it's nice to be able to enjoy the amazing parks Calgary has to offer while also having a couple drinks with a picnic
- Yes
- No. Don't want my kids exposed to alcohol and rowdy crowd.
- 
- No
- Yes. As above.
- Depending on the situation, yes. On a sunny hot afternoon it would be great to be able to enjoy a few beverages
- None
- Yes because I'd want to enjoy being outside and legally consuming rather than hiding it.
- yes, because it should be my choice to begin with.
- 
- Yes. Because I'd give me the option and then we don't have to hide it
- No I would not. I would not want to put my children in that environment
- 
- Yes
- No
- No, I don't tolerate alcohol consumption
- No, kids
- No as I don't think it's healthy.
- No liquor because people's behaviour is unpredictable with liquor consumption.
- No because I don't want drunk people around my children
- No
- Yes. Otherwise we would just go to someone's yard.

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- No. I have children and don't want them to be exposed to abnormal behaviour by individuals who consume alcohol and potentially become intoxicated and act abnormally.
- Absolutely. It would mean that friends and family would come and join picnics where we could enjoy an alcoholic drink and use the parks space. Especially because our back yard is not large enough to accommodate large amounts of people.
- Absolutely. People drink anyway. Let's be open about it.
- No
- 
- Yes.
- No
- No. Don't want to be around possibly drunk individuals.
- No, it could be a hazard to me and my family
- 
- Yes as we usually do anyways
- 
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- 
- Yes, for flexibility with my guests
- No because it is not good for kids to be in that environment
- Not at all
- No. Because chance of unruly behavior is higher.
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer or two when enjoying the outdoors. I hate feeling like a criminal.
- 
- Yes, because I think it should be allowed.
- No
- Yes it would be nice
- 
- No, it reflects a disorderly area.
- No. Rarely drink myself, and have various memories of overdrinking adults (and teens) from when this was all allowed when I was a kid in the 70s and 80s.
- No, because I would not want to expose my children to liquor use
- Yes.
- Yes, a couple of alcoholic beverages adds to the experience.
- Yes, makes it more enjoyable.
- Yes. Responsible liquor consumption in parks adds a different social aspect.
- Yes because social drinking gets everyone a little bit more extroverted. Helps people socialize and it's another incentive for people to get out.



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- No
- No, I would not. I would not my family or friends or kids exposed to the problems that will occur from irresponsible people who drink.
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- Yes
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- YES
- No. For the safety of our children.
- Yes. As an option. I think it modernizes the picnic experience.
- 
- No, I don't want to expose myself and family to dangers resulting from consumption of alcohol
- Yes
- Yes. Being able to enjoy one or two drinks during a summer afternoon should be allowed
- Yes I would, whether I'm drinking or not, having the option to picnic and potentially enjoy a drink on a hot summer day would be awesome
- No- it is inappropriate
- No. Concerns about behavioral issues on adults and the presence of minors
- Yes, so it's an option for my guests
- Yes, it opens up more options for cuisine and expected participation
- No, I don't want to have to be on guard for others abusing alcohol. If you make it ok, abuses of excess are bound to follow.
- Yes, I enjoy wine/beer with my meals
- Yes.
- No
- No, inappropriate
- No,
- Yes because there is no reason why a responsible adult should not be able to enjoy a drink in public
- No
- Yes. I'd like the option for myself or our group to drink responsibly
- yes
- No. I fear for the safety of my wife and daughter if there is drinking allowed. We will avoid the parks all together.
- On a special events with permission it might be ok
- No

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- Yes, if I was wanting to also have alcohol at the site for a birthday or special occasion
- Allows because I often like to have a drink with a picnic or after a hike
- 
- No. Concern about behavior of other picnickers
- Yes, because liquor is a common drink to go along with celebrations -- which is what I'd be most likely to book a picnic site for.
- 
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- No
- Yes. It should be allowed.
- Yes, I don't see an issue with a few beverages with a meal
- No
- Yes - because I'm an adult and can be trusted with simple responsibilities
- depends what my picnic occasion is
- Yes - I'm the UK and Europe you can drink in many parks & I see no issues with having a picnic with alcohol allowed
- Your questions appear to be as if approval has already taken place. No at any location.
- 
- Yes. Because I like to have a beer when I BBQ
- Yes.
- Yes. Because I think that would be a fun option to have.
- Yes
- yes, because my friends and family drink alcohol socially.
- Yes.
- No...I don't think you need liquor in parks. Children should be able to see you can have fun without liquor.
- Yes, would be a nice option.
- No will not choose one that allows liquor.
- No because I don't want to see drunk people in a public place
- No. My sons, both autistic do not like being around a) smell of liquor, and b) sight and sound of people who have been drinking. Alcohol could be in a designated indoor area. Would liquor allowed sites be near non-allowed? What about sharing washrooms?
- Yes. I would like to drink when I'm there.
- No, because children could be exposed to them.
- Yes. It's a good thing to allow and put some trust in the humans of Calgary
- Yes. I believe any adult should be able to responsibly consume alcohol in public
- Yes

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- Yes.
- Yes! The big brother mentality of overseeing legal adults in Calgary is unnecessary. Making it legal will not make things dangerous. Those who would take advantage of the law are already drinking in public anyway.
- What do you mean booking a picnic site? If you have to book a picnic site that in it self is ridiculous
- Yes I would choose one. If someone would like to enjoy a couple drinks while having a picnic with family or friends it makes it casual rather than a nefarious act.
- Doesn't really matter, just a nice to have
- Yes, because I would love to sip a cold beer while enjoying the beautiful city.
- If I wanted to drink a beer, I would pick one that allows me to do so. Otherwise I would simply choose what is convenient as per normal.
- Yes - enables people to be outside and engage with public spaces.
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- 
- no, unless there is someone patrolling the park
- No, society needs to chill out with allowing drinking all over. Why can't we just enjoy a picnic without having to drink alcohol.
- Yes, I would.
- No. - Calling and booking online is unpleasant.
- Yes, everyone I know enjoys a beer during a picnic.
- No. Alcohol in my family history wrecked my childhood. Do not want to be anywhere near it.
- Yes. We are lightyears behind Europe. The reason why people behave poorly is because of the regulations and prohibitive nature surrounding drinking. If it wasn't so regulated people wouldn't go so wild when they are allowed.
- No, safety reasons
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- 
- Yes because we like to have a drink or two when out for food.
- No.
- I would prefer not, as I associate alcohol with partying, and I would not choose a picnic site for that. Also, I feel it would be the responsibility of the person who books the site, to some point, if any of their guests misbehaves.
- Yes. We have very few months a year to enjoy the outdoors, its ridiculous to assume there will be enough picnic spots to host us all. Everyone drinks...
- YES
- Yes

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- No
- no - Being around drinking people who are at a picnic (aka backyard BBQ in a public place) has the potential to be disruptive to my event
- 
- Yes, burgers and beer go together!
- Yes. See #3
- Since I DO NOT support consumption of alcohol in picnic sites and allowing this will significantly reduce my options;
- No, refer to above reasons
- No. Because don't want to be around unruly folks.
- No, we should not have that as a option
- 
- I would, yes. It would increase the usability of the site and be more flexible for types of activity.
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- No. I don't believe it's a good idea for public safety.
- yes. Enjoying a drink or two at a barbecue or picnic would be lovely.
- Yes, because I love wine.
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- No - it's a major safety issue
- Yes, because I enjoy beer
- No because i am concerned about the behaviour of people
- 
- Yes, so my friends would have the option
- Yes, so I could have a beer
- No because I don't drink
- i won't choose any park which allows liquor, because i don't drink
- Yes I would. I enjoy having the option to have liquor at picnic sites.
- No
- 
- No, keep the booze out!
- I already drink liquor in whatever park I want, but I keep it hidden. So I don't think this will really change my behaviour.
- Yes. I like wine with my meal.
- No, I don't approve of public consumption.
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- No, because I don't alcohol should be consumed at home
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- Yes, just to have the option
- No. Children do not need to be exposed, extra garbage, noise, disorderly behaviour, increased vandalism.
- Yes,
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer with my picnic.
- No..
- No
- No. Liquor does not give everyone that happy feeling...many feel anger and more. Why put families or singles into this kind of situation...
- Yes
- Yes. I like to drink beer while having a picnic.
- 
- No as stated in question # 2
- Yes, so myself or friends can consume liquor
- Never
- No. For the reasons stated above.
- No, because I don't get intoxicated
- No,
- 
- No
- No. Many people overconsume alcohol and then act in an inappropriate manner, I do not want my child exposed to this. I am also concerned about teenagers consuming alcohol at picnic sites.
- Depends on the purpose/nature of my booking, but I'd likely choose one that allows alcohol.
- 
- Yes. I like to have a beer when out for a picnic.
- Yes, it is always wanted to have a nice drink while having a bbq or picnic.
- No, I wouldn't want a scene or a potential encounter with someone not in their senses on my family outing.
- No. I would be concerned that others may be drinking.
- Yes, this would allow the people attending the picnic to enjoy it however they like without feeling restricted.
- no , the city doesn't have the manpower now to control the illegal use now and they surely won't have it then
- 
- No. See above.

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- No
- Yes, so that I can enjoy a beer or glass of wine.
- No i would not choose a site with liquor because me and my sisters take our children to parks to have fun, not to worry about drunk people abusing or harrassing my kids.
- Would depend on the circumstances and the group of friends.
- I will not choose a site that allows liquor consumption, because I want to spend my time in a peaceful , safe and decent place.
- No. I can have a drink at home or in my backyard I don't need to have one in a park where if people over indulge there could be unpleasant consequences.
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a drink responsibly with picknicks or band.
- Yes, so we have that choice in beverage
- No, we would not prefer the unsafe place where people will impair their ability to think & behave in public parks.
- Yes
- 
- Yes because I would enjoy the ability to have a glass of wine at a picnic or a beer at a hot dog roast
- No because I would want to spend a good time enjoying myself in a picnic while feeling safe
- YES, so I have the option of having a drink with my food
- Yes. Because I'm an adult.
- 
- Absolutely not. Families go to the park to relax, and not to worry about drunk people' behaviour.
- Yes, because even if I'm not interested in drinking that day, someone that I'm with may be.
- No
- No do not need to drink at a picnic.
- No, specifically for the reasons noted in questions #2.
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- No because I have my kids with me.
- Yes. More freedom and fun.
- Yes.
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- NO!
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- No. Not necessary. Not needed at all - if people can't live for one picnic without alcohol, there is something wrong. Why encourage more drinking? Likely would lead to cannabis smoking as well - so gross.
- Yes, if the concern is having kids see it, then it could be concealed with bottles not being visible.

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- Yes. Cause my husband or friends may want to enjoy a beer.
- Yes
- Yes, as this will protect people who want a drink with their lunch and they won't be hiding it. Instead they will be respectful
- Yes.but I will probably bring beer or wine regardless.
- No. I would like to spend time with family where there is no alcohol consumed.
- No, do not want to be exposed to other people drinking.
- Yes - I would like to have the ability to enjoy some wine during my picnic
- Yes, because adulting. And drinking doesn't mean drunk.
- No
- Yes.
- Never
- 
- 
- No, as per the concerns in question 2
- No, I would not choose a park which allows liquor consumption as it introduces an intoxicant to select individuals in a space meant for public use.
- Yes, for a special occasion I would think having a drink would be a nice way to celebrate
- 
- No. Don't wanna be around drunks
- Yes, as we could have more use of outdoor spaces in Calgary.
- Yes.
- No. As above, it is not an appropriate usage of public places.
- Yes. Fun
- No, safety concerns.
- Yes. They have them throughout the world
- No. I don't support drinking at a public place
- No.. If I want to drink I will do it elsewhere. I would be concerned about others being, rowdy, and drunk. This will be hard to enforce and police will inevitably called in to deal with disorderly behaviour
- Yes, for the adults that do drink at gatherings
- Yes - to be able to drink liquor...
- Absolutely not because it's exploiting children and yourh
- Yes because I'd love to pair some wine with my cheese and fruit.
- 
- No, liquor consumption should not be allowed at public places.

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- Yes, it is more of a social setting when you can enjoy the company of your friends and family as well as have a drink or two. With all of the new drinking and driving laws everyone will be having a DD or taking an uber.
- Yes. Many people drink, and many enjoy drinking during bbq's. It's a social activity lots of people would enjoy doing. I don't see a problem with it.
- Yes
- No, I do not want to be exposed to an environment where liquor is being consumed. Especially if it's a nice and peaceful day at the park.
- No I would not. Why because when I go on a picnic I want to have fun with my friends and family not have to deal with some drunk [removed] that wants to fight or be a public nuisance .
- Yes, because I am an adult and I would want to enjoy a beverage during my outing
- no
- No
- Yes. I'm a responsible adult and know how to enjoy alcohol without getting out of hand.
- 
- Yes, I would like to enjoy a beer or two out in the sun
- No, safety issue
- yes. If people are peaceful I don't care what they eat or drink. It's none of my business.
- Probably, My functions would not be a drunken party
- Yes
- No
- Yes because it would allow me to have a picnic and use the outdoor area that I cannot use living in an apartment
- No because I don't want to be around other members of the area who are drinking
- No. It's not safe .
- No, for the safety of my family
- Yes, because I want to have choice of drinking if I'm in mood
- 
- 
- Not at all because I can guarantee that I wouldn't have a good experience.
- No
- No we wouldn't! I saw people pee and vomit there when they are drunk!
- Yes
- Never because I want a healthy environment for my family and friends.
- 
- No, do not want my kids to be exposed to liquor consumption by adults..
- Yes. I would enjoy liquor responsibly



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- No
- Never.
- No. Because I don't want my children exposed to alcohol in parks.
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- Nooooo
- Yes, I enjoy drinking outside
- No
- No. I would want to be as far away from that as possible.
- For safety risk drinking should be prohibited, except some restrict area
- 
- I would avoid any public site that allows liquor consumption
- no
- Yes. My husband would enjoy being able to have a beer while bbqing.
- Yes, because a relaxing day out having a picnic could happily include a beer or cider for any adult not driving.
- Yes, so we could enjoy a glass of wine with our picnic.
- Yes, because I may want to consume alcohol.
- No, they tend to be more trashy.
- 
- Yes, so I could have the option to have a drink if I chose.
- 
- Yes. We responsibly enjoy a nice drink on a lovely day.
- No
- No. because it is safety and social concen.
- Yes, because social drinking is a thing
- 
- 
- No. I think it is a bad option. I would not go to a picnic spot that allows liquor consumption.
- I would not book a picnic site that allows liquor as I go there to enjoy my family and friends and NOT to watch drunk people
- Yes. People drink at them already
- no
- No based on reason selected in point number 2.
- No .disorderly behaviours and-more mess in picnic areas
- some times when you book a site others come around that want to join in
- Yes, I would choose one that allows liquor because, again no one will have to continue to hide it.

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- Yes,
- Yes. I enjoy drinking (responsibly) especially at picnic-like events.
- Yes. Responsible consumption should be okay.
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- Yes since it would give us the option of having beer or wine for those who wanted it.
- Yes
- No.
- Yes. We need to stop criminalizing simple things, over consumption in public and responsible consumption are two totally different things.
- Yes! Enjoyable picnics should include a beer
- Yes, I'd like to have the option open, and depending on the situation we could choose to drink or not. People need to find more reason to get outdoors, and if liquor at picnic sites will promote getting outdoors, I'm heavily in favour of allowing alcohol.
- 
- I will choose a spot that doesn't allow liquor consumption because of above mentioned reasons
- 
- Yes I would. I'm not a big drinker but would like the option for me or whomever I may be with.
- A picnic with the opportunity to have a drink seems more attractive, especially in summer
- No way. I won't even let my children to go to such a place.
- No as I don't want my children to get exposed to any intoxicated person.
- No. Because I have kids and family. And I don't want my family to get exposed to the drunk people or environment like that.
- My friends and I prefer the choice of having a libation to add to our social events.
- Yes, responsibly enjoying alcohol is something everyone I know does and enjoys
- No
- Yes, as someone that doesn't drive I want to be able to enjoy a little wine without consequences if a law was to come by.
- Yes, for the reason stated in answer to question 3, but that would not be my primary consideration in choosing a site. In a society like ours, where personal freedoms are understood to be important, no sites should have unnecessary restrictions.
- Yes. My friends and family would love to be able to go to a public park like Bowness and have an alcoholic beverage. It's something we enjoy.
- No. I pointed out the reasons above.
- No because it can cause bad behavior and unsafe conditions for kids and families
- No, respect others who do not want to use alcohol
- No ; because of my children
- No because I would end up beside a "keg party"

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- Yes. Why not? Booking a space that allows drinking doesn't require us to drink. It's our choice and I appreciate that it's our choice.
- No. I don't want to visit a picnic site with my family and friends and have to put up with added noise and unruly behavior of those who are consuming alcohol. I want to enjoy my time in the park.
- Yes because it provides the option for those who want to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- No. It's not appropriate to drink in front of kids and kids shouldn't see what people do after they get drunk.
- Yes! It would be lovely to enjoy a beer or glass of wine while having family fun time!
- 
- Yes, why not? Enjoyment of an adult beverage is part of enjoying life
- Yes. A casual beer is not an issue.
- Yes, so I can have a drink
- 
- Yes, so I can enjoy a beverage on a nice afternoon.
- Yes. As I feel moderate consumption with friends is a socially acceptable thing to do.
- Yes I would. Make the evening better
- Yes, I want to have a drink, even if I'm not planning to have a lot of drinks.
- Because like taking a drink on days off
- I would never choose a site that allows liquor consumption.
- No
- 
- Yes. We like to have a glass of wine or a beer with dinner.
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- No you have children in the parks and the children shouldn't see that.
- Yes just in case any one would like to have a drink with the meal.
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- Yes. I am a millennial so when having BBQs at friends' homes we tend to also drink beer or rosé wine. This is part of the social atmosphere that I like to enjoy in the summers.
- Yes. Because it would be enjoyable for everyone.
- No, not good for children to see.
- 
- Yes, as said before drinking is not a bad thing our society just associates with negative things. Allowing liquor in parks can create a more social and casual atmosphere
- of course cause we are drinking anyways just hiding it.
- No, because of the safety concerns
- Idk
- No

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- Yes because it is more suitable
- No, I have young children and wouldn't want them exposed to something that can cause more harm than benefit ie: disorderly behavior, drunk drivers, etc.
- Yes
- Absolutely. I would use parks more often and bring liquor to have with my meal.
- No
- Yes
- Always yes
- 
- No. Due to safety concerns and bad behaviour due to impairment.
- 
- No. I have a 15 month old. I do not want to her to witness a scene involving drunkards. It would make me feel unsafe.
- Yes, I would enjoy these sites more.
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- No, it has too much negative effects associated with it
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- No. I don't want to be close to a place where alcohol is being consumed, while I am with my children.
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- Yes. It's a safe space to enjoy dinner and drinks with friends rather than paying a lot of money to sit in a restaurant
- Yes, a day off or vacationing it's nice to relax and enjoy
- No because I think that would likely promote disorderly conduct.
- Yes. I like to be able to enjoy a beer while having a bbq or picnic
- Yes. My friends and family consume responsibly and it would be nice to enjoy a beverage at a planned picnic.
- I will choose one that will not allow liquor consumption
- No, because Calgarians aren't mature enough to behave responsibly. I've lived in places where liquor was ok in parks and 99% of the time people were fine. Not here.
- No, I wouldn't want my kids to be exposed
- No
- No, I do not want to put myself or my family in a situation where we could encounter people who are no longer in full control of themselves
- Yes, mostly when we bbq we have a few drinks but we can't do that in parks right now
- I would choose one that doesn't allow.

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- Ridiculous that we even have this restriction
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- No, because we do not consume Liquor as my religion doesn't allow me.
- No, don't need my kids being exposed to drunks
- Yes
- Yes. I would like to enjoy a causal glass of wine or a beer while outside eating food and enjoying the sun.
- Probably because we occasionally enjoy a drink with friends.
- No.
- Yes, particularly if I was going with friends that wanted to enjoy a bottle of wine. I think it would be a nice socialization opportunity.
- Yes. Typically, anything I would arrange would be with adults who consume liquor.
- No, because I would want my family to feel safe and enjoy sober, positive atmosphere for people of all age
- Yes,
- No, I want my family and children to stay from drunk people and exposure
- No, I don't want my family and children around drunk people for safety reasons.
- Yes
- No
- Yes
- No because I don't want kids to be exposed to that
- No, I respect the minors / children around me
- No of course not. It does have a lot of bad sequences
- No, I wouldn't. I do not want to expose people using the park to liquor usage.
- Yes
- NO
- No for the concerns mentioned above
- Yes all the way!
- NO.I don't want my kids to be exposed to drunk people
- No
- No way
- Yes. Having that option is great. A nice cold beer with a BBQ on a summer day would be amazing
- Yes because I am a drinker
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- No, I would not want my daughter to learn and unintentionally get her hands on liquor by irresponsible adults
- No

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- No. I don't want to be around people who are drinking.
- Yes, I would like to have the option of putting it few beers or a bottle of wine in the cooler along with other beverages, without fear of breaking the law.
- Yes, because then I would be allow to drink. I would also walk
- 
- No because i love to enjoy at park sites with my family and not to see drunk people behaviour
- Yes, it would allow a person to enjoy an alcoholic beverage if they chose to.
- Yes.
- Sure, I like following the rules.
- 
- Yes, nice to have the option
- Yes, to enjoy a glass of wine or beer to celebrate it just relax.
- Yes
- Yes, it would be nice to have the option of liquor, especially for special occasions, birthdays, etc.
- NO
- Yes. Even if I didnt intend to drink that day the option to enjoy a beverage is nice
- Yes I would as social drinking is not something that should be veiwed as a negative. We should look to follow Europe's openness to alcohol. I believe the more open we are the less problems we will have.
- I don't need one because I can wait till I get home to consume alcohol
- No I don't need a bunch of drunk punks to ruin my nice afternoon out
- Yes. More ppl will come & stay.
- Yes, because having a glass of wine with your meal is relaxing and enjoyable (and how many people are doing it anyway?)
- Yes. Because then guests would be allowed to consume liquor if they would like to.
- Many citizens do it regardless, so legalisation reduces stress, and again, encourages more active park-goers.
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- Yes. Especially if I was celebrating a special occasion
- No, for my safety and guests comfort.
- no due to safety reasons and exposure to children.
- Yes j would
- Yes; just to have the option; even if we don't use it
- Yes - I would book an available site regardless if liquor consumption available at the site.
- Yes, sounds like fun

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- No because I do not feel safe having my children in that park.
- NO,
- No, as I would not want to feel i had to supervise guests who were drinking.
- Yes
- No
- No. That site is likely to be more dirty and I don't want my kids around A place where people have been drinking
- 
- No. We go on picnic for entertainment not for trouble.
- No. Why does the city think everyone needs to drink liquor to have a good time?
- No
- Why would I need to book a site rather than drop in? This would be a spur of the moment decision to go out or a picnic dependent on weather.
- no
- Yes, because wine with a meal is quite delicious
- 
- Yes because I'd like the freedom to have a beer with my picnic
- Yes!!! It is so normal to drink in public around the world (e.g. Europe). The more we attach a stigma, the more we are simply creating problems for ourselves.
- No. Why creates an environment for children to see behaviours which are not ethical and which might happen when liquor is consumed. Driving with this consumption has severe consequences and it will create more headaches for police which is already busy.
- No I wouldn't. Too many poeple don't hshow good judgement which leads to bad things.
- No, I doubt I would make use of drinking in the park, I don't think that it is necessary and I believe the risks far outweigh the benefits for the city or communities as a whole.
- Yes, often is social situations there is alcohol involved.
- No, I don't want my kids around it
- No,, for safety of my family I would not choose site allows Liquor
- Yes. I do not believe that liquor will change adult behavior in any way.
- Absolutely. To be able to have a couple of drinks and a BBQ in Bowness or fish Creek would be amazing.
- No, because I don't want my kids to be exposed to liquor
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- 
- No. If people want to drink outside, they can sit in their backyard and drink
- I like having a Beer with my Burger or Hot Dog
- No

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- No
- Yes picnic with wine and a few beers in summer is great way to spend the day
- Yes... see answer to no. 3 above.
- Yes
- No, picnic is usually with family and alcohol should be avoided in public places surrounded by children.
- Yes, because I would book sites for events (birthdays or bigger get togethers). Having the option to consume liquor legally would be fantastic
- Yes - I would like to be able to have a drink in parks with my friends
- It's a picnic, don't need to drink
- No because I wouldn't want to be around disorderly other people but I like to have a glass of wine when I am camping
- Yes, liquor consumption is a social thing.
- Yes. Because I like beer.
- No, I am a family man and enjoy going parks with my kids and dont want them to see people drinking
- Would not go where there is alchol
- No
- No
- Absolutely no. There are many reasons to support my answer but two important reasons are , worse impact on children regarding liquor drinking and secondly incidence of disorder behaviour and may be crime rates can go up.
- Yes, so it's more relaxed environment
- not at all. because those areas would have potentially more violence, rape and bad behavior.
- I never book a site in advance. But when choosing a picnic site, I would chose one that allows liquor, so that I can enjoy a glass of wine with my meal if I wish.
- Yes, it creates a more layer back event. As well it is already haening with out any real detriment
- No
- No
- No
- No, not at allowed
- Yes
- No ; I want a site with a quite behavior and no dangers caused by drunk people
- No
- No. Dont want to be exposed to it (typically loud obnoxious gatherings).
- Yes, because I like to have glass of wine or a beer when beeinf outside with families and friends
- No. You have to drive to the picnic site. End of story.



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- Yes. Nice to have a few drinks with a picnic
- No I would not. There are enough places to consume alcohol such as home, restaurants. I don't need to be subjected to people "having a glass of wine with their picnic".
- No not at all it's family time so family time should be concern
- 
- No
- Yes, I'd also choose one that you can smoke marijuana at !
- No, I do not want to be around other people's drama when they drink. I also do not want to have kids exposed to impaired behaviour
- 
- Yes , because I am voting against
- NO, we have small children that accompany us to picnics.
- Yes, it's good to have the option with a meal
- No. If I am enjoying a picnic site with friends/family/children I would not want to have a potentially drunk/rowdy group next to me.
- Yes. We usually have a drink when camping and would enjoy thus for picnics as well
- I wouldnt even book a site near a drinking site, where there is booze there is usually mischief. With all the different cultures that share the parks you are just looking for trouble if you allow this.
- Absolutely no.
- Yes, as I enjoy consuming alcohol
- 
- Yes because the drinking would happen anyway.
- Yes
- Yes
- 
- Yes, because then my friends and family can do as they please and don't have to worry about hiding it.
- 
- Yes, for choice
- No, because I do not want to have liquor consumption and the aftermath around me.
- No. To many risks dealing with drunks
- Likely, yes, depends on the nature of the outing. Not for a children's party, but yes for a large family gathering.
- No. I would not like to be with the person who drunk
- Yes
- Absolutely for the only reason that having a picnic with friends is great with a beer or two
- Yes because I am an adult.

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- No, mostly do picnic with kids
- Yes, I very much enjoy having a well made adult beverage in the company of friends and family, being able to do so in Calgary's beautiful park spaces would be a wonderful way to spend an afternoon.
- Yes I would like to enjoy an adult beverage on a hot day and feel that most people will be responsible also
- Yes
- No, I don't think alcohol belongs at picnic sites. Increased normalizing drinking for children. Increased risk of drinking and driving. Who will enforce the rules of eating with drinking?
- 
- No. No need to add to potential conflicts. Not all can handle alcohol.
- Yes, because they if people chose so they can bring a beer or two.
- No, it is not a place to drink it is a place for families and children to enjoy.
- Yes
- 
- 
- Yes - a big part of relaxing is having a glass of wine
- Items selected from above
- Yes, so that one can have a glass of wine.
- No I would never choose a picnic site that allows Liquor consumption as I don't want my family to negatively affected by it.
- no...never
- No, I wouldn't want to be around drunk ppl.
- I would choose one that allows, although I wouldn't likely partake, because the people around me would enjoy it.
- I would choose one that does not allow liquor consumption because I do not want any children to be exposed to public drinking.
- Yes because it would make the use of the picnic site more enjoyable for all guests
- No...drinking should be not allowed in parks
- Yes. I like to have the option to have a drink if i choose to (i may not)
- Absolutely. It would allow my friends to continue doing what we've always done. Respectfully enough a beer or some wine without making us criminals and have to sneak around about it.
- I don't want to be closed to drunks
- Yes,
- No, I don't want to be around other people drinking.
- No
- Yes.

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- Yes, increased possibilities of gatherings.
- No i would not choose because that is unsave for kids to be exposed to such environments and triggers viol behaviour
- Yes. I would find the experience more enjoyable as outlined in point 3 above.
- No I won't choose a spot that allows liquor because it can potentially expose my family disorderly behaviour or family safety.
- no, already too many drunks on streets, especially downtown
- No.. With my kid I prefer enjoying the nature compare to sitting and drinking
- No, don't want kids exposed to any rowdy behaviour
- Yes, to be possible to drink and to interact with other people having the same benefit
- Depends on the situation, but yes probably. Because I'd like to have a beer with my lunch on a hot day.
- Yes, as a 40 year old father, I work hard and enjoy the odd cooler. I would even pay for this privilege.
- depends if i was drinking and what my guests thought
- Yes because I like to enjoy wine with my meal
- I would choose a site that allows alcohol consumption so that I have the option of bringing beer or wine.
- n/a
- Yes! It would be beneficial to enjoy a beer while having a picnic event.
- No. Because I will not feel safe in that park with my family.
- No... against my religion also I will be afraid that someone who is drunk will cause any physical or mental harm for me or my kids.
- NA
- Yes, as an adult I should be able to have a few drinks with friends and family if we clean up appropriately
- doesnt matter- dont drink anyway
- No. Children get exposed. Drunken people get into misbehaviour with anyone.
- No
- Yes. I don't even drink, I can't. But why not if others want to why not have the option.
- That would not be my primary consideration, unless I was planning on drinking alcohol (infrequent)
- 
- No. Should be all. People drink in all parks regardless of the law. Fire the police.
- Yes, because it's nice to have a beer or a glass of wine while you're enjoying your meal on a sunny day.
- No. Not agree
- No, it's irresponsible

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- I certainly would choose one. It's not about actually doing it, but having the choice available. Allowing public consumption does not endorse public intoxication.
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- Yes, I enjoy having the option to have a glass of wine with my meals.
- Yes, always nice to have the option of brining a drink to a picnic.
- Yes
- 
- No. I don't want to be bothered or hassled by the small percentage of people who will drink too much and disrupt others.
- 
- Yes. My friends and I don't have kids. I feel it would encourage people to get outside and connect.
- No. I would intentionally avoid it.
- Yes
- No. I don't want to be surrounded by drunk people at a picnic site.
- 
- Yes, there are too many rules
- yes, it allows for more social interaction with friends and neighbours
- Allows liquor. People should have the choice.
- Yes
- I won't chose a site where liquor consumption is allowed due to reasons checked in question 2 above.
- Yes for special events
- yes, because beer goes good with picnics
- No because it of safety concern due to unpredictable behaviour of drunk people
- Nope. Don't need it.
- No
- Yes! To drink liquor.
- I would likely choose what is available regardless. The alcohol would not be a factor.
- Yes, would allow for a casual beer at a picnic.
- No. Will stop using the parks as I wouldn't want to be around drivers that have been drinking . I wouldn't subject my children to those conditions.
- Yes because I like to have a beer while out on a picnic
- No
- ☹️☹️☹️☹️☹️
- Neve• because I don't want to put myself in possible danger for physical and verbal abuse., Especially if I'm alone. My other reason is as a Muslim, I shouldn't go to a park that alcohol is present.

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- No, not good for public.
- Yes, simply because we would want to enjoy our time there in the way we see fit.
- Yes, but only if the sites are kept clean
- Yes
- No because of the above reasons!
- No, liquor brings disorderly conduct
- No, because of the reasons checked in 2
- No. Usually unwanted behaviour will occur from those who under alcohol influence
- Yes - because having a beer or wine in a park on a nice summer day sounds like exactly the kind of activity my friends and I would love to do.
- Yes, otherwise I would most likely just have a gathering in my back yard.
- No, I do not want my family exposed to others with disorderly conduct.
- 
- Yes. To allow my family/guests the chance to have a drink if they wanted one
- no, i don't want drunk people around my kids
- 
- 
- Yes! There is nothing better than enjoying a cold beer on a beautiful day in a beautiful setting.
- No if you want to have a beer or wine with it do it in your back yard
- No, I wouldn't want to deal with the mess that would most likely result from alcohol consumption like spilled liquor etc.
- No, reasons above
- 
- Never. Against my religion therefore I don't want to place myself or my family in that environment not unlike going to a pub or bar
- Alcohol is not safe around kids.
- 
- I would avoid site allowing liquor consumption.
- Yes. Because it's fun to have a cold beer outside on a hot day.
- Yes because it could be enjoyable to have a beer or wine with picnic
- Yes, it would make planning a birthday party or gathering at a public park an easier choice.
- No, I don't agree with having Liquor at public site
- Sure, if part of the event.
- Yes
- No never
- No.

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- Yes, because alcohol is a classic addition to any picnic. A glass of wine with a meal is absolutely wonderful. How luxurious to be able to enjoy a park meal to the fullest.
- Liquor has more damage so I will not choose that allow liquor
- If I wanted a couple casual beers while having a picnic then yes
- Yes, so that I can consume liquor
- yes because having beer on a nice day is enjoyable
- 
- No, not really a drinker
- No as I personally don't think it's necessary to have
- 
- No. I don't want to be around people who are drinking and getting drunk
- No. Parks /picnics should stay family friendly without having to worry about drinkers.
- No
- Yes, increases enjoyment and use of parks
- No, I don't drink alcohol
- Yes, I enjoy an alcoholic beverage in the outdoors
- Yes, you could have celebrations in the park instead of at home
- yes
- Yes, because I like having a beer after summer activities
- Yes
- No
- 
- yes i would choose one that allows liquor consumption
- I would never book a picnic site knowing that other picnic site users nearby may be drunk.
- No
- Yes to consume liquor
- No. It is not safe and children
- Yes I would. It allows people to have a couple of drinks while having a picnic. This encourages outdoor activities, not partying
- None
- Not allowed
- 
- No. Not necessary.
- No I would not.
- No
- 
- Yes, seems like it would be fun

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- No
- Depends on the venue I am hosting a wedding for example I would want to serve alcohol safely
- Yes. It is more flexible to meet the needs of the people in the group.
- no
- No, because I would not like my children or myself to be harmed. It can cause harm both mentally and physically.
- Yes. So we could consume liquor.
- NO.....liquor and healthy outdoor activities are notba good mix.
- Some of the time I would choose a site that allows liquor consumption, depending on the attendees.
- no - I do not drink
- Yes, I have no concerns regarding this issue. I know that it is being consumed now but most often hidden.
- Yes because I enjoy being outside and with friends having a picnic and a few beers.
- Why make the process nedlesdly complex/regulated/monitored. This may work counter to the intended outcome
- Yes. Hot summer days and a nice cold beer. Why not.
- Yes
- Yes, I would like to have a wine or beer with lunch
- Yes, giving the choice to guests to consume or not consume any alcohol
- Yes. The ability to have a drink with dinner to celebrate, relax would be great
- Yes, everyone already drink liquor at picnic sites
- 
- No, all indicated above
- No. For all reasons checked above
- Yes. For the freedom to choose
- Yes- I would like to enjoy wine with my picnic
- Yes
- 
- I would not book a site that allows Liquor consumption because I do not wish to have my family and friends exposed to possible disorderly conduct. Alcohol by nature of its chemical make up decreases inhibitions which means more loud, course, rude behavior
- Yes, definitely. Campsites are always way more fun with a couple of beverages.
- No
- Yes - hello....
- Yes, to have birthday parties and bbqs
- Yes. Why not?
- I would choose a picnic site that allows liquor consumption as I enjoy wine with dinner.

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- I am not a big drinker but once in a while I enjoy one, and one outdoors in nature would be a nice way to wind down and enjoy the weather and the park.
- No, ridiculous.
- No, not a healthy environment for family
- Yes. It's nice to have a cold beverage on a hot day.
- 
- Yes for reasons stated above.
- 
- 
- No, for all the reasons I selected above.
- Gets more people outdoors after we've been cooped up all winter. If it's legal people won't abuse it.
- yes, for sure...I am 60 years old and would enjoy wine with lunch
- Yes, this is a great idea.
- No because we usually go as families with children and we don't want our children to get used to see that liquor consumption is easy
- No. Because of left overs
- Yes I would. I love Calgary's beautiful parks and spend a lot of time at them during the summers. Many of the times I've gone I have wished to have a drink while enjoying the sun.
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- 
- No. First thing what I see is the safety of my kids and family. I feel it's not a right decision to allow liquor in any public or picnic sites.
- Absolutely. A main reason we don't go out for picnics is because we like to have a glass of wine or beer with dinner in summer, and the current liquor laws prevent that in a park.
- Yes, because need more relaxation at picnic time
- Yes - we don't have a backyard so would like to be able to have a family picnic where it's okay to have a beer
- Yes because I enjoy a nice glass of wine with bread cheese and meats.
- Because I am not convinced to drink liquor at the parks
- We should have the option to bring liquor if we want to.
- Yes, if I drink or not, I would still choose it
- No
- Yes. I would prefer one that would let me have a nice glass of wine or beer with my meal.
- No, because I would not want to be around drunk people.
- No because I don't like to go through kind of place



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- Yes, it is a socially acceptable practice and it would be great to enjoy the parks and then have lunch and a drink
- Yes. During the summer months people enjoy a drink with their out door activities
- 
- Yes, a casual drink with a bbq is civilized
- Yes, I would. Sometimes it's nice to have a drink or two when you're out enjoying the sunshine.
- Yes because it's nice to enjoy a beverage while being outside with friends in a social setting
- 
- Yes because wine is delicious.
- Yes, because if I want to have a drink I will have the option to do so.
- No, then this place not good for families anymore
- No... people who drink are noisier and have a tendency to ignore the needs of others. Our parks do not need this type of activity. Our police do not need extra work addressing problems re: legal liquor in parks and parks staff do not need extra work with
- 
- Yes, it is enjoyable to have an alcoholic beverage during a nice day when you're having a barbecue, and as long as it is enjoyed responsibly there is no harm done.
- I don't think it should be limited to picnic site.
- No
- No. No reason to do so. A picnic is a fun family outing and we have enough issues with substance abuse. Keep it simple - a picnic is a fun time with great food and games (not drinking games). No worries about someone over drinking and ruining everything.
- Yes! Allows me to be more inclusive!
- Yes
- 
- No ,
- I will not ... As I don't want my family and kids to expose to liquor
- i will not choose the site that permit liquor consumption, picnic is family event with kids.
- Yes. See response in #3
- Yes, I believe that most adults would be responsible and mature in this situation.
- Yes. In order to enjoy a responsible beverage without fear of being ticketed.
- 
- Yes.
- Yes. A beer on a nice day is a civilized way to live. A glass of wine with a cheese plate would be fantastic.
- Yes I would because as an adult it feels nice to have a drink with friends at a picnic.
- Yes

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- I enjoy a beer/wine with a lunch
- Yes.
- Yes. It would negate the need to get a liquor license for gatherings where alcohol will be consumed, simplifying gatherings.
- Yes. It encourages socialization with people outside your friends group. Meet new people and make new connections
- Yes.
- Yes to accommodate everyone with in my party.
- Yes
- No i am muslim
- 
- It would really depend on the event.
- Yes, one can consume and enjoy alcohol without being a public nuisance
- no. i dont like it. i have small children
- Wouldn't make a difference to our family and friends.
- Yes. Much more sociable
- No, because I don't want to be there if there are people drinking.
- Yes, not go to bar before picnic
- No I would not. Because I book picnic sites for family events.
- Yes- I like to enjoy a beer with my bbq.
- Yes. I would like to at least have the option.
- Yes, it's pleasant to enjoy a glass of wine on a picnic.
- Yes. A beer on a hot summer day never hurt anyone
- Yes
- 
- no, see above
- 
- No because I don't believe it is a good idea.
- Yes - it's nice to have a glass of wine at our picnic and we do it now anyway.x
- 
- NO
- Yes, it is an opportunity we may use, but may not.
- No, to avoid experiencing unruly behaviour
- No safety concerns for my family.
- Yes, would add to my enjoyment.
- No Bad Idea
- Yes of course! Because if I am having a picnic, it's a party. And if I'm having a party, I'd like a beer.

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- No
- No
- 
- No, I do not want my children exposed to that sort of environment.
- I would choose one that allows liquor consumption, so that people have the option.
- No.
- 
- No, as it is good for children to see disorderly behaviour at different corners of parks
- No, it's not acceptable for my family
- 
- No...no booze
- Yes, if that was important to me for the function being held
- If the laws only allowed certain sites for open alcohol then yes!
- Yes all the time. Having a beer with a bbq is the best
- Yes, because I enjoy having a beer while I'm outside.
- no
- No, I do not to take my family and kids to places with drinks
- Yes.
- Yes, I would
- No
- Yes, because liquor can help ease and relax as you are enjoying the view and weather
- 
- Yes, to drink.
- Yes, having a picnic with a glass of wine and cheese outside when you don't have a backyard or patio would be very relaxing.
- No. I would never choose a picnic that allows alcohol
- No. Parks are for recreation and families. Drinking has no role in this at all. Leave your drinks at home or don't come to a public park. We don't need intoxicated behavior, broken glass or litter. Police need to just be able to keep it out of parks.
- No.
- No because, I want to enjoy my time at the park without being intoxicated.
- No
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- No
- Not at all. It is unacceptable to be drunk in public. I do not want to be exposed to people drinking in a public park.
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- No, because of the reasons that I chooses above
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- Yes, Friends would be open to consuming small amounts.
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- Yes, most adults consume alcohol responsibly and being able to have beer/wine during picnics or while having bbqs in parks is similar to backyards. More parks would be utilized.
- If Liquior consumption is allowed in Parks, I will never ever go to Park for picnic.
- No because less chances of misuse of alcohol.
- No due to the above expressed concerns.
- No
- No way
- Yes. I would like to be able to enjoy a beer with a picnic in the summer.
- Yes because i enjoy alcohol.
- 
- Yes because it gives me right to have some beers. what can be better than sitting in peace amd watching beautiful sunset with a beer in hand.
- No
- No, it's not necessary
- No. Unnecessary search for trouble
- Yea allows a better time and acceptance of more peolle
- Yes. Not everyone drives and car poking/ Uber use is increasing.
- Yes.
- Yes. Like the option to choose
- No. I don't believe it is necessary to consume liquor in public.
- 
- Yes,
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- No. Potential for unclean site
- 
- No, I think people may behave badly and it affects my children
- No because i am strongly against it
- Yes
- Yes. It would be best for all parks to have the same opportunities and limitations: allow them to all allow liquor use / don't create select 'drinking parks'.
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- Yes, it's an enjoyable thing to do at a picnic when consumed responsibly
- 
- No
- No, never - I'd stay away from them!
- No because alcohol consumption can not be controlled. Similar to Impaired driving, Eventhough there are regulations in place to prevent this from happening, we still see accidents and people dying to this.
- 
- no, for safety reasons
- Yes because I would want to drink with my food
- Yes - it's nice to bring a good bottle of wine to relax with.
- Yes it's more enjoyable. It's a more affordable option than going inside to a bar.
- Yes
- No
- 
- Yes because it is a social hobbyie
- #3 continued A big benefit would be encouraging use of public spaces for family reunions, birthdays etc. Many people do t have access to a yard and this makes outdoor gatherings more doable and fun!
- 
- Yes, because I'm already bringing my liquor there anyway and it sure would be nice to be doing so legally.
- 
- Yes so that my husband and I can enjoy a beer while relaxing with our family in a picnic area
- Yes because it would be more fun.
- 
- No, It's not necessary. Liquor is almost everywhere. We don't need more drunks walking around.
- Yes so I can enjoy wine with my meal
- 
- Yes, I'd prefer one that allows.
- No, increase in disorderly behaviour occurs and increase crime
- Yes. It's nice to have the option to include liquor at a picnic.
- 
- no
- No, People can drink their liquor at home or at the bar. There is no need of bringing it to the parks.

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- Yes. I often enjoy having picnics in the park having a glass of wine with friends and family is a great way to spend an evening together and is more affordable than going to a restaurant especially for a large family such as mine.
- 
- Yes. I want to have an option to drink a glass of wine
- No but I am not expecting to book a picnic site
- Yes- I would love to enjoy a drink as part of a picnic
- no, safety of family members
- 
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- No. See reasons for my not wanting it above.
- No, it won't be safe
- 
- no good reason to allow liquor in picnic sites
- 
- Yes, people are more likely to want to get together in groups and stay longer
- 
- Yes if it is regulated and there is security or police presence
- No, because I don't want to run into issues with anyone who may be drinking around me
- Yes, having an alcoholic beverage in the summer sounds wonderful.
- 
- no shouldnt be allowed
- Yes, the possibility of having some wine or beer with a picnic lunch, such as during Shakespeare in the Park, is an attractive proposal.
- Of course not
- No. I don't want people drinking beside my family.
- Depends on what event I'm hosting, but yes it would open park use for a wider variety of uses.
- Yes
- Yes, I would pick a site which allows liquor consumption. It would be more enjoyable with friends/family.
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- Yes
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- Yes. Govt hasn't earned the right to restrict freedoms
- 
- Indifferent

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- Yes. As it is now, I'm not likely to go to any site or attraction that doesn't allow me to have a drink or two
- No. Visit parks with kids
- No, it's a picnic, you can wait and drink at home
- Yes, especially if it's a bbq.
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- No. I do pic nice with other families with kids and I would not like to expose them to other people that are drinking
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- No. Simply it is not good to public. If you to drink just go to the bar or drink at home.
- I would not choose a site that allows liquor consumption, because use of liquor causes people to loose control and it could be harmful for them and people around them.
- 
- All parks should allow consumption
- Yes. The main reason I don't book the sites today is due to the no alcohol laws
- No
- 
- Ofcaire no. I'm going to enjoy my time with my family members and friends. Not to be careful and try to be in safe avoiding drunk people and their problems.
- No we don't drink
- No because I don't feel safe when people drink alcohol any where because some how they don't behave and when they are drunk they can do anything without thinking
- Absolutely. As an adult in a free country I should be able to consume reasonable amounts of liquor outdoors within reason.
- Yes, so I can enjoy the local beer Calgary has to offer, while being in the beautiful (free) park. Much more cost efficient and fun for those not looking to binge at a club or pay for expensive drinks at a bar.
- No, because we are responsible parents and we do like to spend our time with our family in a safe place !
- no. because I don't want to be exposed to the risks as outlined in question 2. Whenever you give an inch people take a yard. Also who is going to pay for by-law & police officers to police people who push the limits (the taxpayer) My taxes are high enough
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- No, I don't want to expose my kids to drunk unruly people and their crazy behaviors.

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- no. exposure to children, increased risk of disorderly behavior and safety concerns
- Yes. Alcohol when served responsibly adds to an event. I enjoy a beer with a freshly grilled burger.
- Yes. So I can enjoy an alcoholic drink while barbecuing.
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- Yes. Because it allows regular people like me and my family and friends to really enjoy ourselves.
- no
- No...potential mess and broken glass.
- Yes, at family get togethers or with friends we like to enjoy drinks with our food. Would like the option to have it so will always book one that allows it.
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- Yes, people love to have a drink with their meal
- no, i don't believe in liquor consumption where kids are playing
- Yes I would. I would love to be able to enjoy a glass of wine or a beer at a picnic, as if I was in my back yard.
- Yes. It's part of daily life (eg going to a restaurant or microbrewery).
- No. That doesn't align with my idea of family time or recreational activity.
- Yes, because I do like to socially drink depending on the occasion
- No. I would like parks to be a family place. Liquor usage will rob away that from our parks
- Never
- Yes because then you can have any beverage with your picnic
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a beer with my picnic or barbecue. Will generally stay home or visit a friend's place because of the strict no drinking rules in public
- 
- No. We don't want no nonsense.
- Yes even if I'm not drinking, if other guests would like a drink.
- Why would I or others. The sites have always been full and well used without liquor consumption. We don't need that included to cause people to choose. Are we really just doing this for the few rather than the many! Get a grip and stop this trainwreck
- No because I will be worried for myself and my family from any misbehaviour due to drinking liquor
- No
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- Yes, we have a large family and a little wine or beer would be nice for some folks, but I say that knowing we are responsible. Can't speak for others of course.
- I would choose one that does not allow liquor as it could be dangerous to the kids and people that are trying to enjoy themselves. It's dangerous due to the fact that anyone could get hurt either driving or swim, boating



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- Yes because an option to drink responsibly without the fear of being ticketed would be nice
- Yes, so people can enjoy an alcoholic beverage or two on a nice day in the park with friends and family.
- Yes
- Yes, I like to have a beer or two during a picnic with friends. Lots of my friends are social drinkers
- Yes. If I was wanting to enjoy an outdoor event I would want to have the option to drink responsibly
- 
- What about an adjacent site that doesn't allow it? Will a kids party suddenly have concerns?
- We enjoyed picnic sites without liquor for 100s of years who we don't need that in public place and specially on picnic site with kids? Me and my family will never goto that picnic site where liquor is allowed. Thanks
- Yes
- Yes, it is more attractive to potential guests.
- 
- Yes. Because I'm an adult and appreciate being treated like an adult.
- Yes I would choose one that allows liquor because it is nice to have some casual drinks as an adult, but I would also book a site even if they didn't allow liquor and just be respectful of the rules of no liquor.
- No, because of presence of children and potential for disorderly conduct.
- No. I don't feel comfortable around people who has drank more than enough to start making poor choices.
- No
- Yes I would. Utilizing our city's beautiful parks and sites for occasions tend to be connected to alcohol consumption. Even if alcohol is not consumed it's nice to know the option is there for events, and there is no fear of ticketing.
- Yes definitely! To give the choice to my friends and family to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Sometimes. Depends if someone will want a beer or not
- No, because I, personally, don't drink.
- No because I always go to picnic sites with my children
- No as I believe that liquor should not be consumed at public places
- No.. due safety of children and women.if liquor allow then difficult to stay after evening hours. Children and women alike are more risk.
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- Yes, because it gives the freedom to enjoy the space and enjoy liquor if that is what you want.
- Yes, we need to move in the direction of Europe and de-mystify alcohol consumption.
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- No

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- Yes, my friends are responsible enough to know their limits. Id rather pick somewhere we can let loose and not worry about if we should be drinking or not
- obviously yes
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- No. Alcohol is going to affect your driving way more than what marijuana does to you. I would much rather deal with people smoking marijuana at a park than drunk loud people
- Yes, having the option of consuming liquor is a plus when planning outings with friends, and I don't mind other people drinking alcohol around me.
- Yes
- Yes, because I want to follow the law and enjoy my beer without hiding it!
- No I won't . It could cause disturbance resulting in violence or misbehaviour in the park. People. One to enjoy with families in the park not to drink in parks they have pubs for that.
- never
- No, because it's not necessary to expose people to it there are enough ills in the world to deal with already
- Of course, your driving so what's the most you'd have? One? A beer is lovely with a picnic
- 
- No. People are gross and will never clean after themselves. Nobody in North America has any respect for their land.
- No. We don't party in parks to have alcohol. We have family picnics.
- Yes. Nice to have a responsible drink with friends
- Yes. Because i would have more freedom of choice and will have a beer
- Yes
- Yes sometimes it's nice relax a fork with a. A beer . Making sure you have a DD
- Yes - as it would be okay for people to have a beer during a picnic
- Yes. For the reasons stated above.
- No as it poses a number of issues
- No
- None. Above are the reasons.
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- Yes
- Yes because most people are responsible and may like a glass of wine with their food
- 
- No. I've seen how things go ban even just having one drink in a park.
- Yes — nice to be able to have a glass of wine or a beer.
- Yes, because I am an adult and can make responsible decisions regarding alcohol consumption.

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- Yes, for the same reasons why we would server liquor at our own house when having friends or family over. It's simply part of our culture.
- No. Drinking at parks is a high risk for safety.
- Yes. Because I enjoy a beer from time to time and would like to be able to do so in a park and not be breaking a crime while doing so.
- No liquor. Don't see no benefits from that
- Yes as I wpould definitely want to enjoy a drink while enjoying teh outdoors and visiting with friends.
- No, we generally use the picnic sites for events that kids are involved in.
- Yes, cultural and social preference.
- Maybe, for the most part I only book for family friendly events. But this option might encourage me to plan more adult evenings.
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- No,, not at all. Liquor seems to take over people and behaviour can change in an instant, and i enjoy beer and wine.
- Yes, see above
- yes, if I wantedit for event I was planning; but generally I wouldn't need it so in those cases it would be no...
- Liquor consumption must not be allowed in the park where there are families with kids.
- No
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- Yes
- Yes. Other wise we would not use the parks.
- No. Don't feel comfortable with families.
- Yes, to have a few drinks at a picnic.
- Yes, gives adults an option of indulging or not
- No. I don't need the rowdiness that this encourages.
- Yes
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- No; unsafe if substance is abused.
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- Yes. Liquor can add subtle enjoyment to an event
- No
- Yes
- No. There are already places designated for drinking. If I chose to have liquor, I would go to those places, not a park.
- Yes, because it allows the group to have a drink if they wish?
- Yes. It's nice to have the option.

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- yes, because I would want to be able to have a drink legally instead of having to sneak
- Yes
- Yes. Liquor laws in Alberta/Calgary are way too serious. I have always wanted the option to have a drink while relaxing or hanging out in a park.
- Yes. I'm a grown up, and sometimes I just want a drink, or when BBQing its nice to have a burger and beer per say.
- Yes. I would love to have a beer with my hot dogs
- No I would not - I believe there would be disorderly conduct.
- Yes.
- Potentially. It would depend on with whom I am meeting.
- I will choose one picnic site far away from on with liquor consumption, I don't want my children get any contact with drunk people
- 
- Yes as it is something our friends and us partake in casually
- yes, as adults when you have a bbq or something there are usually people who would like to have a drink or 2.
- I think I will go with the one without liquor consumptions, because I think will be louder and dirtier
- I would not book a site based on that. I see no need to drink on a picnic. People are going to drive home from there, why encourage DUI? Are people going to call a cab to a park? It's not like they have the option to stay over if they drink too much.
- Yes. To have choice.
- Yes because adults should be able to enjoy a beverage outdoors during the summer the same way we like to enjoy a glass of wine or beer at dinner
- No, I will not choose one which allows it.
- no. aser answers in section 2
- no. the area may have cleanliness, disorderly issues.
- No, because there would be more problems.
- I would choose a site for liquor consumption so I may enjoy a drink with my meal.
- I think its stupid just to have some site have liquor. Let's get with the times and stop treating it like it a big deal. It's not!
- No
- No, I feel a picnic is family time and alcohol is not necessary.
- No, people shouldn't be so dependent on alcohol that they need it at public parks.
- If it was available yes, but it wouldn't make me change parks if all of the sites were busy
- Yes. I like the idea of being able to enjoy a beer or beverage with others while bbqing or picnicking
- no. its not not good for community
- No

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- No
- Yes,
- Yes. When gathering with friends and family, it would be nice to enjoy a glass of wine or a beer. Most people I know always drink responsibly.
- I would never choose or want any of the children to go to a picnic site where liquor consumption is allowed.
- No.
- No, because if the drinkers
- Yes because we always like to enjoy a drink or two with friends
- no, not necessary to have liquor when out on a picnic, which is usually families with children!
- Never
- No. I'm there to enjoy quality outdoor time with my friends and family, liquor is needed
- No
- I would NOT book at at site/location where ppl would be permitted to drink.
- Yes, to enjoy a beverage while socializing and eating.
- Yes, always nice to have a beer or glass of wine with picnic food
- Yes, as a glass of wine with my picnic is nice
- I would probably avoid the ones that allow liquor consumption because of safety concerns, and/or excessive noise or other conducts that are common when people drink in excess.
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- If available, yes. Would be lovely to be able to enjoy a glass of wine or one beer with a meal outdoors with friends.
- 
- Never because of the above concerns
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- No, liquor shouldn't be a part of outdoor family functions.
- Yes - as it would be nice for the adults to have the option of having a glass of wine or beer.
- Yes.
- No, this bylaw provision should be site wide.
- Yes. If having a bbq or get together having drinks is more fun
- Would depend on the people with me if I would seek one that allows consumption, I would not be bothered if people were consuming Liquor and I was not as long as they were being respectful.
- No
- Yes, because sometimes people just want to sit and have a beer in the summer, not necessarily getting hammered but enjoying green spaces with a beer is harmless

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- Yes, because wine is important to my cultural culinary traditions.
- 
- Yes, gives me more freedom
- Yes. Chances are I'd be drinking liquor regardless if it's allowed or not.
- 
- No
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- No Liquor Consumption in Parks
- Yes, my family and friends would enjoy the ability to legally drink a reasonable amount of alcohol with the meal.
- Yes - because I would like to have wine at a picnic.
- Yes. My friends and family enjoy having a few drinks with a bbq and I think it would be a fun way to spend a summer day.
- No, Never. Already I have mentioned why we don not allow liquor consumption on picnic sites.
- Sites with no liquor consumption. I would like to take them to safer place and don't want to expose them to it similar to a rule which applies in bars or pubs that we don't allow minors.
- No, I would not choose a picnic site. Worried about over drinkers. Just like camp sites. More bad than good people. Will also take more staff to monitor.
- Yes. I would much rather book a site that allows for consumption of alcohol than a site where I would be limited to water for hydration.
- I would, so the group could have a wine/beer with their meal.
- No, for safety reasons
- Yes because I enjoy having a beer with my Burger.
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- Absolutely yes. The ability to legally have a few drinks with friends on a sunny day is great. It's a win win for the city. I imagine picnic site rentals increasing substantially.
- No. I would not, as I prefer not to see drunk, potentially loud groups while trying to enjoy peace and quite picnic.
- Yes because it's nice to enjoy a drink outside in the summertime
- no - do not agree with drinking at parks
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer or glass of wine with any meal.
- Depends on the event I'm booking for, but most likely as most of my friends and family would enjoy a drink or two while out at a gathering in the park.
- No because i have children
- No. I never drink and I don't like my family and I being exposed to these situations.
- Yes, picnics are more fun with beer.
- Yes. It would provide greater flexibility for me and my event guests.

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- Yes
- no
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- Yes for a friendly get together.
- 
- No, many Are responsible when drinking but other are belligerent and loud , with no regard for others that are also trying to enjoy the park.
- 50/50. Some experiences may be uneventful, and some may provide unnecessary problems to deal with. Would have to try both to determine. Stampede time and other such events will make drinking issues even worse than they already are.
- Yes. I would like the option
- No, don't like what people choose to do when drinking
- Yes, I would. My friends and I can have a good time enjoying picnic areas and having a drink with food, is a nice treat during summer.
- Yes, because it is no different than having a drink at dinner at a restaurant.
- Yes, it helps emulate a back yard feel, as our public parks should.
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- sure, it makes things a little more enjoyable
- Yes, to enjoy wine with a nice lunch
- No Liquor parks for my kids
- no
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine or a local beer while socializing.
- no not a proper place
- 
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- Yes, because I would want to consumer alcohol
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- Depends on my intended use... if liquor is to be consumed, then yes. If for childrens birthday, then no.
- Yes. Honestly, on a beautiful sunny day, it is nice to have a beer with your picnic in the park.
- Yes !!
- yes, so we can enjoy a beverage at the park
- yes, because who doesnt want to have a beer with there picnic.
- Yes - gives the option to people I may be inviting.
- Not at all. It should not be allowed outside in the parks. Please stop making Calgary the worse city ever. Who brings the stupid idea in front of us. We want this councilor to be removed.
- Yes

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- Yes. We enjoy a beer or wine with our meals and social gatherings.
- Yes. I'm an adult who enjoys consuming liquor when socializing. I would like to book sites where I can have a beer with my burger. I don't have access to private outdoor space.
- No
- Definitely - see above.
- Yes, I currently consume alcohol at picnics and would like an option where I'm not doing anything illegal.
- No. Increase in disorderly behavior may occur. Children are exposed to seeing liquor use There may be safety concerns and an increase in The City's liability Drinking and driving Drinking before floating down the rivers Damage to the park/environment
- Yes, on your day off it is nice to have a beverage while enjoying outdoor activities. As long as it is controlled. No intoxication.
- Yes .. a nice glass 9f bubbles in the park instead 9f my back yard would be absolutely amazing.
- NO , should not have any option
- Yes, more likely to bring a full lunch and snacks instead of buying something at a restaurant.
- Depends on the occasion... yes, if it was an all/mostly adult event.
- No. Don't make any picnic sites in the city allow liquor consumption.
- No. See reply to question #2 above
- Of course. Liquor is present in numerous private parties that I attend, and at campsites that I frequent, so picnic sites wouldn't alter my current exposure level.
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- No, I would hope that all picnic sites allow Liquor consumption in order to remove any negative perceptions of some spaces over others.
- yes, because i would like to relax and have a beverage.
- Yes - allows a wider range of events to occur in Calgary parks. Otherwise, the same events will just be booked at other places - like restaurants/bars/patios.
- No I suggest to keep parks as a safety environment for families
- I would only actively seek one out if I was planning a specific event such as a birthday party.
- Yes, so we have the option to drink.
- Yes
- Yes.
- No as I would not see any reason to have liquor in this situation.
- Yes.
- No I don't book picnic sites ever
- Yes
- Yes, because I like to have a beer or two outside with friends during a picnic.
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- No - I may reconsider ever booking a picnic site with the City of Calgary.
- No. I would not want to be liable for anyone that may drink and drive or overdrink at my event.
- Yes, to allow my guests the freedom to choose to drink liquor or not.
- no. I don't consume alcohol.
- Yes I would as I enjoy a meal and drink with friends and if I'm able to enjoy the summer with out felling the need to sit on a bars patio in order to enjoy a drink I will
- Yes, I think they all should allow it. People who book a picnic site are generally not the type that will become drunk and disorderly. its usually for a small social gathering too large for someones yard or home.
- Yes. People drink at picnic sites anyways. This way you will not be fined for doing something everyone does.
- No I would choose not to consume liquor at the picnic site. Living in the inner city we encounter a large number of individuals under the influence daily without adding to the numbers. Police and other resource should be used better.
- I probably would, but I know that my friends and I can consume alcohol in public without disrupting anyone else's experience
- Yes - as I should be allowed the freedom of choice to consumer alcohol and not have an elected group of people have this power.
- Yes
- Yes, as I will often have a drink during a picnic.
- Yes, because it is nice to have food and a drink with friends on a nice day. Just having the option is nice even if you don't drink
- 
- Absolutely, it would be great to be able to enjoy a beer or glass of wine in the park. And, frankly, I should have every right to. This experiment has been ran in numerous countries all over the world and the alarmists have been proven wrong over and over
- Yes. I'm more likely to book a site, if I can have a glass of wine. Otherwise, I will host my events at home where it's not an issue.
- No. Because alcohol drinking causes people go high and out of normal human behavior.
- of course no.... i know not every one drink Liquor will becom drunk but if some of them it will be very bad for children
- Why is it necessary to book a picnic site at all? However, I would tend to book a site that doesn't allow liquor out of concern for inappropriate behaviour.
- No
- Depends on occasion and event.
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- NO not at all , when you are drunk , you are continuous threat to other people, please don't make our CALGARY dirty place and inhabitable to sober families.
- Yes. The option to have a glass of wine or beer with a picnic is something that should be open to the citizens of Calgary.
- Yes. It creates a fun social gathering place for the outdoor's types. Especially on special occasions such as birthdays.
- I would, it gives me the option to enjoy a drink peacefully while I am in nature.
- Yes. To have a couple drinks while BBQing or having a picnic can make it more enjoyable.
- Yes! If I wanted to have a beer and not be worried about it or any laws.
- No.
- yes because it would not change whether i wanted to attend the site or not for a picnic and it would be enjoyable to have some drinks with food if we felt like it
- No
- Yes
- Yes so as to leave my options open in case some people would like to bring their own beverages.
- No. The site is likely to be near other sites that allow liquor consumption and I would want to stay away from the potential problems at such sites, such as disorderly behaviour.
- Depends on occasion, but generally one that does
- Yes, I would love to have a beer with friends at a BBQ
- Yes because we like to socialize with alcohol
- No. Unruly behaviour may result in my rights being violated.
- Yes
- Sometimes. Depends on who I'm with and what we're doing. A school lunch at the park — no. A family picnic on a hot day — yes
- Yes
- All sites should allow it. There shouldn't be any discrimination towards people drinking or not. It's a personal choice. It seems like segregation to me.
- yes i would, i want to support the effort (even if i didnt plan to drink myself)
- Yes I would because I would like to plan ahead and like to have the option to consume alcohol.
- Yes, enjoyment.
- No
- Yes. Because I don't actually foresee a significant change in site cleanliness or safety if liquor is legal. Inconsiderate/dangerous/dirty patrons exist now, and likely won't change much if laws change.
- Yes, because a meal with a beer or wine is a civilized habit.
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- Yes, it's nice to be able to enjoy drinks responsibly while having a BBQ with friends / family.

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- Absolutely. I would love to be able to sit out in the sun with friends and have a beer and some snacks. Nice alternative to a patio.
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- Yes
- Yes
- Yes. More fun.
- Yes, because it gives the option to have an alcoholic beverage if it so fitted the event.
- Yes, I would. I like to enjoy a nice drink with friends while outside.
- Yes- having beers in the summer doesn't harm anyone
- Depending but yes if I planned to indulge
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- Yes- reasons stated above
- No because I don't want my children should see the how people behave when they are high.
- No because of the above mentioned concerns
- 
- Absolutely not.
- Yes, enjoyable to have a friendly gathering with wine and beer.
- No
- Yes. Sometimes it's nice to have a beer with lunch.
- N/A
- Yes, if it was for a family or other festive event.
- Yes. If I feel like having a small beer or whatever then I can.
- Of course. If legal, I would definitely take part in enjoying our park systems more frequently
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- No, because when I go to the park I go for the enjoyment of the park and not to see beer cans everywhere
- Yes, because I could enjoy a refreshing and flavorful alcoholic beverage at said picnic site...
- Yes. I would book at a bar or somewhere that allows alcohol instead.
- Yes. If you have a staff party, or get together with friends it just would be nice to be able to have a couple drinks with them too.
- No. That's not what I go to public park spaces to do. I'll save my glass of wine for when I get home.
- yes
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine with lunch/dinner and would seek a picnic site that allowed this
- No, it's forbidden in my religion to consume liquor
- Yes. Liquor makes family bearable
- No, I don't want to be anywhere near drunken boors.

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- Yes - freedom
- Yes, to have the option of a glass of wine with food
- no, its unnecesary to have it
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- Sure; gives attendees options.
- No, be cause of the reasons stated above. Those who want to consume liquor can do it at home. A picnic area is for families to play together in their full minds.
- Yes – allows for the maximum flexibility for those attending an event/get together. Creates a better atmosphere for safe and legal consumption of alcohol.
- No I will not choose one that allows liquor as I do not want my children to be exposed to such a bad habit,
- Yes so that there is an option for a family member to have some wine (responsibly)
- 
- No, there's no reason to bring liquor to the parks they have bars for that. I do care about my younger children being exposed to seeing this at parks. I also want to Joy my family time at a park and not having people drinking alcohol around us.
- Yes, I'd choose one where liquor consumption is allowed, I like to be responsibly free.
- no, liquor consumption should not be allowed in parks
- Yes, because I would gather here for social activities, perhaps rather than my own backyard.
- Yes. Because then you can booze with your buddies
- Yes, because it is nice to have the option to legally enjoy a drink while spending time with friends or family at a public park.
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- Yes. I still drink beer. It will not change anything except the fact that the city can't fine me for it anymore.
- No, for the reasons listed in #2.
- Yes, alcohol is a cultural norm associated with many family and friend gatherings.
- No. I don't agree with this suggestion to allow drinking in picnic areas.
- We don't want liquor to be consumed open in public
- Absolutely No
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- Yes. I am confident that most people are reasonable and will enjoy themselves responsibly.
- Yes
- Yes,
- Yes, I would like to be able to have a couple beers with friends while enjoying the outdoors together.
- Unlikely. I'm usually booking for Girl Guides group use.

- Subject to occasion being celebrated.
- Yes, because it would give us the flexibility to have liquor with our picnic.
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- Yes, because it provides me with more freedom in what I'm bringing.
- Yes. I think it's nice to have a drink while having a BBQ (or at least the option). I don't have a backyard so if I want to have a BBQ it has to be in a park.
- Yes, I would like to enjoy a beer or two while outside for the afternoon
- yes, it is always nice to be able to have a drink with your bbq.
- Yes - it is part of the fabric of our daily lives. Sitting outside, enjoying good food and friends along with a beer or a glass of wine.
- No since picnic sites should be the place where everyone enjoys the time in a sober mode without creating any issues with other visitors.
- No
- No picnic is with kids.
- yes- it allows options to enjoy a glass of wine in the sun with my family or celebrate with champagne important family moments
- Yes, I should be allowed to enjoy a beer on a hot day in the park.
- No, disorderly conduct is probable in this environment.
- Yes because I may wish to have liquor
- Yes - it would be nice to have a picnic and be able to share a glass of wine
- Yes, as an adult I would like the freedom to have a beer or two without repercussions.
- Yes
- No, parks are for healthy activities only, go to pubs or home or book a venue with liquor license
- at this point in my life, yes.
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- Yes. Saves me going to a bar or Ostia afterwards.
- One that allows. What good is a charcuterie board without a glass of wine?
- No
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- Yes. So that any guests I have might enjoy a beer, cider or other drink while there.
- Yes I would. In case some of my friends wished to drink. I have no issue as long as they clean up after themselves.
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- Yes, because drinking isn't a crime. It's part of an activity.
- yes. because it would enhance the experience to add a glass of wine or a beer with food.
- No because I don't like to drink

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- Yes, to allow flexibility in drinking options for attendees and events.
- Yes, as having an alcoholic beverage should not only be restricted to private areas.
- Yes, for certain occasions such as with friends after a day of outdoor activities. Other countries/cities allow drinking in public in certain areas and it can allow sense of community when people can get together to casually drink/socialize.
- Yes, so people can enjoy 1-2 drinks with friends and family, like at a backyard BBQ
- Yes, I believe it would encourage people to have bbqs and social events in our parks!
- I would discontinue going to parks
- Yes, gives the option if we choose to partake in drinking
- Yes, as long as there are bylaws in place for public intoxication and disruptive behaviour
- No
- Allows for adult gatherings
- For family gatherings, if given a choice, yes people would choose liquor consumption over non, if no religious reason etc.
- Yes, because I enjoy a couple beers or glasses of wine
- having a famiy picnic right next to a group of party-kids who have been drinking ... no thanks!!
- No, I will be worried about my children's and guests safety.
- No I want good environment not drunk people around me
- Yes given it can be a much more social engagement. Instead of having to go to a pub or bar, more social interaction could happen in parks
- Yes, I find it very relaxing to have a beer with a picnic on nice sunny day
- Yes. Opportunity to arrange social gatherings in a healthy, enjoyable outdoor setting
- Yes - I would probably be going with people who would enjoy a beverage during our time there.
- Yes I would, a picnicing with family and friends without a glass or wine or a bottle of beer seems rather archaic.
- yes. Very Parisian
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- Yes
- no
- Yes. But I think all parks should allow liquor not just booking picnic sites.
- I would chose one without liquor. Do not want to be around drunks at the park.
- Yes.
- no. i don't drink
- no.
- Yes, because in our beautiful 2 months of summer I'd love to enjoy a cold one.
- Yes, like camping. More enjoyable.

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- Yes, it's nice to sometimes be able to have a drink on a nice day outside.
- Yes, so that I can drink liquor without being worried about breaking the law
- Yes, because enjoying a beer or a nice bottle of wine with a picnic is awesome.
- Yes, it's just nice to have that option. Especially if it's a really hot day. It's nice to quench down a cold beer or a Palm Bay!
- If I was with friends I'd consider it, however most don't drink and don't I.
- No. It would make me not book a site as I don't want to have my kids around that.
- Yes. I don't need to drink alcohol in a park, but it's nice to have the option.
- Yes, more likely to go to a picnic
- Yes. To enjoy a glass of wine with dinner.
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- No
- No because the area would smell of liqueur. Why not just go to a bar.
- yes - so we could enjoy a drink.
- Yes, most adults enjoy to have a responsible drink while having a bbq
- Yes, it may give the city the heads up for possible surveillance.
- Yes, it is nice to enjoy a glass of wine with dinner or a beer on a hot day.
- Yes. I don't see any harm in adults consuming a reasonable amount of alcohol in a respectful manner to those around being an issue. There are people who don't consume alcohol that can be a nuisance so this shouldn't affect things for the average person.
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- yes
- No, because it is a picnic site, not a bar.
- No, because it is not reflective of my religion, and I don't want my children to be negatively influenced.
- Yes, I think it's a nice thing to be able to do if you choose. Certainly there should be some monitoring to make sure people are still obeying noise laws.
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- Yes. I enjoy the taste of beer. I would choose a place where I can have one or two beers. North American culture is very restrictive. This would be a tiny small step to bringing us more inline with our European counterparts.
- no because its not good to be around it.
- yes
- Because I enjoy a cold drink on a hot day and being able to enjoy one while at a park would be nice
- No, for all the above. Liquor and parks do not belong together. Many campgrounds have outlawed liquor for the same reasons: some people behave poorly when they drink. Not all, but enough that we don't have the resources to patrol them. Keep it out.

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- Yes, it would just give me the option to bring a bottle of wine to enjoy with the meal.
- Yes, because there is nothing wrong with enjoying a drink while having a picnic.
- Yes. Because individuals should have the choice to drink responsibly.
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- No it might be the safety concerns
- Yes. Because enjoying wine or beer with a picnic enhances the experience.
- 
- Yes, because I would want to drink alcohol in it.
- yes
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- Yes, Why not. Chances are somebody in the group will want to enjoy a beverage.
- Yes, because civilized people drink alcohol with food.
- Yes. I would prefer to have a beer or 2 at a bbq
- I would choose one that does not allow liquor consumption. It's dangerous and harmful, not just for you, but for others too. Accidents happen because people drink and drive. Children would think that it is okay to do it! Also, liquor makes act crazy.
- No. Don't agree with alcohol consumption in public places
- Yes, depending on the reason for booking
- Yes
- I would never book a site. A park is a park and creating segregated areas is unnecessarily complicated. The entire park should be a designated consumption area. It works in Europe, and our puritanical views towards public alcohol consumption is outdated.
- Yes. I enjoy the taste of an alcoholic drink with my lunches
- yes - It would be nice to have a glass of wine with dinner or lunch on a weekend.
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- Yes because it allows us to consume alcohol if we choose to.
- Yes I would. My friend group would use the parks more often if this was allowed. We are very cautious about Sri king and driving though. We would always have a designated driver in place
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- I would not book at that location because I don't want my little kids to be exposed to liquor at such a young age and from what I've seen liquor consumption leads to no good behaviour
- Yes because I would be able to drink
- No. I don't want the exposure of alcohol around my family. And even if people claim to be civilized with their consumption, there is nothing stopping them from getting drunk.
- No. I do not want to expose my children to a drinking environment



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- Yes. Because I think most people I know are responsible enough to enjoy an alcoholic beverage in a public place.
- No, it isn't a problem now - they are all being booked. No one says since I can't have liquor I'm not booking and if they do I am not worried there are many people who book clearly who are fine with not liquor. Stop asking for trouble where there is none.
- Yes because having a few drinks with friends is enjoyable and I don't want to break the law by drinking in areas where you can't.
- No, I don't want to involve myself or my family with [removed] associated with liquor use at park
- Yes & No , Depends why we are gathering together. If it's for a celebration for something, yes. If it's just to go for a picnic then we would not need to have liquor.
- I would not care.
- Yes. Having the option is better than not
- Yes because that is what summer is all about. Being outside spending time with family & friends
- 
- Yes I would, just adds another option if I choose to drink but know some guests would enjoy a drink or two
- No. I dont wish to be around other groups who are drinking while using a picnic site
- Yes. I enjoy alcohol consumption in responsible way and this would enhance my picnicking experience
- Yes because I like to drink in moderation when I socialize and picnic with family and friends
- Yes, it would be large draw to bbq with a beer or other beverage.
- Yes, absolutely. I would love to be able to enjoy a beer at the park with my friends. It would make it more likely that I go to the park instead of a patio, which is healthy and good for my wallet. It's expensive to consume liquor outdoors right now.
- No. I don't feel it's in the public's best interest to have liquor in public parks.
- Yes I would. Most picnics I go to would be family gatherings, friends birthdays, or enjoying green space. And all of those in someone's backyard would have alcohol at them (unless religious or personal views oppose). Might as well just be talked about.
- Yes, I may want to consume liquor.
- Yes. Because who doesn't like to have a beer on a hot day.
- Yes . Spent 6 months in Australia and open liquor was allowed in places like beaches. Never saw a problem. Very civilized
- Yes, cause that sounds much better
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- Yes, more social
- No, because I want an safe and peaceful environment for myself and for others
- Yes.

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- no, because of the reasons above.
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- Yes I would, it's something that's used in social gatherings of any kind, it's used in the summer often and I think it would get people outside more often and using the parks.
- Yes! Enjoying alcohol outside!
- Yes People should be able to consume what they want provided the product is legal. If they misbehave call police. No different then what a responsible adult would do when witnessing an assault or vandalism
- Yes. If people drink/behave responsibly then it's fine. But not everyone is like that
- Yes. Because who doesn't want a beer with their burgers.
- Yes
- Yes! More social.
- Yes! Because that makes picnics ugh now enjoyable
- No not necessary to enjoy the Park.
- Yes, because when I enjoy a BBQ it usually is with a few beers or a glass of champagne.
- No, possible nusense
- No you can drink at home in your own yard or home
- Yes. Nice to have the option of having a drink outdoors.
- One that allows liquor. It would make more sense to have a bbq in a residential backyard if you weren't allowed a glass of wine or a beer
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- Definitely, I'm used to that from living in Germany and it is enjoyable and does not necessarily mean in excess
- Not important. If I need to drink liquor I have many many other options
- yes
- Yes, I love craft beer
- Depends on the situation
- No- Do Not want to consume Alcohol on picnic spots
- Yes
- No I don't want to be around alcohol
- Yes, as an adult I should be able to have a drink .
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- Yes, calgary is facing hard economic times and having a drink on a patio can become very expensive being able to enjoy the out doors with a drink should be accessible for every calgarian
- I would choose one that does not allow liquor consumption because of the risks of liquor
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- Yes, because I enjoy having a glass of wine with food.
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- Yes - to be able to enjoy a glass of wine with my meal.
- Of course, it makes the day more enjoyable enjoying a delicious beer. After a hard days work, long hike. I enjoy being outdoors and drinking in parks is a lovely experience.
- Yes, it's nice to sip a beer or some wine while enjoying the outdoors.
- no, for the risks highlighted in question 2.
- No. Because when Canadians drink in public they drink to excess. I don't want to associate with a bunch of drunks when out with my family or have to navigate around them at parks.
- Yes. A glass of wine or a beer is great with a BBQ
- Never, because our family consider of 4 young children. They can view drunk people and it can affect them badly. Also it's a big safety concern. And we are Muslims and it's disrespectful for us.
- Yes
- Definitely. There should be areas still liquor free, but leave those to family's who don't want liquor in their life. Would be nice to see spots to book that are liquor free instead of the other way around
- Maybe depends on the event ,,I think a lot of balls games teams have beers after their games in the park or out of the back of their cars
- Yes, most times we book are for a party.
- Yes
- No liquor consumption, because I can't stand with people who drink
- 
- Yes
- Yes I would, because I see little issue with this being allowed. Also it gives the option to consume alcohol - you don't have to, but the choice is there.
- Yes. Because I'm an adult who can make the adult choice to drink.
- no, because bad influence on children and is against my religious values
- No, because we are with our kids
- Yes. If people decide to drink spontaneously, they won't be scared to get into legal trouble.
- No. I am there to enjoy the outdoors with my family. Alcohol is not needed and I don't want to me or my family to be other people consuming alcohol near.
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- Yes, most of my social events involve drinking, and it would be awesome to be able to do so outdoors, in public spaces.
- Yes.
- Yes. Why shouldn't I enjoy a beverage of my choice with my picnic.

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- Yes. It's nice to have a paired bottle of wine
- I'll never book a site where liquors is allowed as this may introduce undesired consequences.
- Yes. Having a beer or two during the summer while have a bite and playing frisbee is much more enticing.
- yes! that way we wouldn't feel the need to hide liquor usage
- Yes. I can have a fun social activity with my friends in the park versus at the bar. Get outside!
- No because I have children
- Yes, because even I do imbibe that day, I believe someone in our group may like to have the option to. It's about having the freedom of choice, being responsible for your choices and being grateful to have them.
- Yes, because it would be nice to have a cold beer or a glass wine if your grilling outdoors or spending time with friends.
- No
- No, because I wouldn't feel safe as I don't know what kind of drinking habits strangers have. It also defeats the purpose of it being a family environment. I also wouldn't feel safe taking young children from my Dayhome to that park anymore.
- Yes as picnics with alcohol are fun picnics
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- Yes because it is an important social part of our culture
- No. It should be liquor free. I font need to say no. We all why no. Just no
- Yes, because it can be an engaging social activity if it is done responsibly. It is also nice just to have the option to do so.
- Yes
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- It should be allowed at all ALL parks.
- Yes I would because I feel my friend group has similar views and would also like to be able to enjoy a picnic along with a beverage of their choice.
- Yes, allows for more options for a space to go to and allows me to consume alcohol if I desire.
- Yes, I enjoy drinking a beer on a warm summer day outside.
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- Yes
- No. Many increased risks including drinking and driving and an increase is disorderly behaviour in picnic areas and parks.
- Yes because my husband and extended family enjoy a glass of wine or a beer with our meal and we are all responsible drinkers.

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- Yes because it allows people who want to, to drink while having a picnic/meal with their friends and family
- No. That's not what I go to parks for.
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- Depends on the reason for booking the site.
- No, because I have kids by my side and I'd rather not let them see how they can spend their future drunk.
- No we will NOT. we always do family parties so that's why I don't feel safe going to a park that allows alcohol.
- Yes because drinks are harmless if used correctly. If you are able to smoke you should be able to drink
- No- I wouldn't want to have younger children where there are people who are intoxicated.
- Possibly, it would depend who I was meeting and what our plans are
- Yes, I would like to enjoy a beer during the summer in mid afternoon while playing with nieces and nephews at the park
- Yes. I enjoy wine and I don't see an issue as long as there is responsible consumption.
- Yes I would, all my friends are responsible, they don't drink and drive but they like to have a casual drink on a hot summers day, we are respectful to others and our surroundings and make a huge effort to clean up after ourselves and others.
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- Yes because it would be great in the summer time for gatherings
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- No.
- NO because it is not allowed in my religion
- No, I don't drink, I don't like the idea of drinking in public.
- No, Liquor consumption should not be allowed.
- No. I don't want to in a drinking environment.
- No
- Yes.
- Yes
- Yes, I like having a beer on a patio.
- No, I see no benefit to allowing Liquor in city parks.
- Yes
- Yes, because there is more chance to include groups of ppl. Of course it should be regulated in policy that no one should drink and drive, clean up after themselves, and those drinking should drink responsibly

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- Definitely. I want some wine with my steak!
- No. I would avoid sites that had the potential for obnoxious drinks
- Yes, I would enjoy the benefit for the option to choose to drink or not
- Yes, because I would likely take advantage of that opportunity.
- Yes because I enjoy a casual drink outside when I am wanting to enjoy the city parks
- Yes, it is nice to be able to have a drink or two with a bbq outside at a park.
- Yes
- Yes, allow citizens to self manage.
- No. I would be looking for a family friendly location without running the risk of loud or disorderly drinks. I know that not everyone becomes disorderly, and some enjoy in moderation, but that's not what i've seen in the past.
- No. For all of the above reasons.
- Yes, simply because BBQ tastes better with liquor.
- Yes, because I love relaxing by the water and being able to enjoy a drink of my choice.
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- One that allows liquor, simply for the option.
- No, as our culture n religion won't allow this, specially when there are children who will see all this inappropriate behaviours n attitude
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes because in the summer being out in a park and being able to have a drink is fun.
- Yes
- No. I do not want my children exposed to drunks.
- Yes, it's nice to consume a cold beer on a hot summer day
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- Yes
- Yes.
- It would entirely depend on the nature of the event.
- Yes, liquor is a part of our life and we enjoy having a beer in the sun
- Yes, I'm at the age where I prefer beer over pop
- Yes. To drink socially
- Yes because it would be nice to have a social drink with a picnic
- If it was an option, I would consider sharing wine with our picnic
- Yes
- Yes. Because it's nice to have some drinks outside in the park while having a picnic

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- No, I have a healthy lifestyle that includes no drinking and I would never drink and drive home from a park or anyplace else.
- No
- Yes because we like to have social drinks.
- Yes
- Yes in case we feel like imbibing
- Yes. Why not? By allowing individuals to consume alcohol in parks you are increasing the interest in public parks and therefore increasing the community of Calgary and inviting them outdoors.
- NO, I will avoid it
- Yes, absolutely. Enjoying a casual drinks in a beautiful park sounds dreamy!
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- Yes, i would like to legally consume liquor instead of hiding it.
- Yes, depending on the occasion. If hanging out with friends it would be nice to have a beer or two, but if at a child's birthday party then it wouldn't be needed.
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- No.
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- Yes, as stated above. I think it's important to add that allowing people to drink in public does not change the bylaws around disorderly conduct. So, that should keep people in line.
- No, because there are no benefits.
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- NO
- Yes. Most people are already consuming alcohol at these sites
- No
- Yes
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- No because we don't drink alcohol
- Yes.
- No, I use city parks to enjoy nature. I personally find drunk people revolting.
- I would choose one that does not allow alcohol. I just can't see why tho is needed at public parks.
- No. If I wanted that type of environment, I would patronize a bar or restaurant.
- Yes because after living in France where it is legal you see how people spend time together outside. It builds community.
- It depends on my group of friends - if it's the group that responsibly consumes alcohol, would be happy to choose a 'liquor' site. If it is with friends who decide not to drink that day will not choose such a site.
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- No you don't need liquor to have fun and think it will cause more issues
- Yes. I think they should all allow liquor
- No because I don't book picnic sites.
- Yes, roasted meat goes in better with a cool beer or some wine
- Yes. Because I enjoy having a beer and a picnic with my friends and enjoy the summer.
- Yes
- Yes, it's an activity for friends to be outside
- Yes - it is lovely to enjoy a park with a few drinks on a nice day. :)
- No alcohol is not good for our health. Its consumption should not be allowed
- No-I don't want family events to be eroded with liquor consumption.
- Yes, so friends/family/coworkers/new acquaintances, etc., can enjoy the perks of using public space for building community. Allowing a drink in hand doesn't hurt to meet people!
- Yes, I'd like to be able to see my friends relax and enjoy themselves a little more.
- No liquor, less chance of people fighting in public and less chance of drunk driving.
- Yes I think there is no harm in someone enjoying a cold beer with their bbq on a hot day.
- yes, because i enjoy having a beer during a nice evening sunset.
- No because of all the reasons mentioned in Q2
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes so I could enjoy a glass of wine with my picnic.
- Yes, I don't see any issue with drinking in picnic sites
- Yes.
- No
- No, because a bunch of loudmouth drunks could show up at any time.
- 
- No liquor site. I would be concerned patrons at other nearby sites drinking as well. I don't want to risk exposing my children or myself to drunken people/behavior. No guarantee that all people will exercise self control around alcohol
- Yes of course, adults should be able to have a picnic in the same manner they have a BBQ at their house. So long as they do not drive drunk.
- No, not my scene
- No. I don't drink.
- No. Due to kids.
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- No, because I disagree with allowing liquor on public spaces.
- Yes, because picnics are better with beer.
- Yes. To enjoy some beverages.
- Yes I would because I would like the freedom of being able to have a drink or two outside in a park and not just in my backyard.
- Yes
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- Most likely yes, but it will depend on a party. It's nice to have a glass of wine or beer while being outside and enjoying bbq and the company. Social drinking within certain limits is acceptable if can be supervised/patrolled.
- Yes, enjoying a beer or cider in the sun on a hot day with friends is nice.
- Yes
- Yes - it affords me the opportunity to drink responsibly.
- Yes because it's more fun
- ye si would alowit but notto apoint where a person gets so drunk thenthey tryto drive
- Yes. Allows more options for the experience...see previous answer
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- No, I wouldn't prefer one with liquor consumption.
- No I make sure I'm don't go to that park ever
- No
- Yes because because able to have an alcoholic drink with friends is always enjoyable.
- Yes, to enjoy a cold drink on a hot day is relaxing and enhances the outdoor experience
- No
- Yes, everyone wants a cold beer on a nice day
- Yes, liquor is not bad if you dont drink it excessively
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- Yes, drinking is a social part of our meals. The summer is a great time to relax and unwind
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- Yes. Wine on a picnic or a spritzer would be lovely on a warm day.
- Yea it allows us to be outside and enjoy the parks with a couple casual drinks and no penalty
- Yes
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- yes. moderation is key
- Yes because more fun
- No. Dont want the smell or my children exposed to whats left behind.
- Yes

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- Yes. Because it adds to the experience
- Yes because at picnics and bbq's people want to drink, it's just expected. Most still do they just hide it
- It would make sense to have some picnic sites that allow liquor and some that do not. I would be inclined to choose one that allows liquor.
- No I don't want to put myself or my family and kids and friends at risk in an unsafe environment
- Probably not.
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- No
- sometimes
- No, in order to get to the park I'll be driving.
- Yes, because I enjoy the consumption of alcohol and believe it would enhance my park experience.
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- Yeah, having a beer at a park sounds enjoyable
- Yes, so I could have a couple of beverages with friends and family
- No because it will create lots of problems in the peaceful environment of Parks Canada we have right now.
- Yes, so I don't need to worry about getting in trouble from bylaw for a harmless activity most adults do anyways
- Yes- would be consuming regardless and would rather chose a legal option
- Yes because I might wish to drink
- None. It's endangering public safety & encouraging public intoxication.
- Yes, so we can legally enjoy a few drinks while bqqing
- Yes! We can advance our status as a more metropolitan city, not a backwards, prohibition era bygone.
- Well sure. I'd book one that allows marijuana consumption as well. I don't smoke, but I see no reason why people who do should be prohibited from enjoying it. Canada rather treats it's citizens like kids, and I think we can do better.
- Yes. Having a glass of wine or a beer for a social dinner is a simple pleasure in life that my family and I really enjoy. It also does not cause any undue harm to anyone else.
- Yes. Because I'd like to be able to enjoy wine with a picnic.
- Yes but seriously? You have to book it? What a joke
- Yes. Because I would like to be able to have a drink or two with friends at a bbq.
- No
- Yes, when we're having a bbq - they go hand in hand
- Yes, because we are already doing it secretly/illegally. Would be nice to not hide it.

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- Yes because drinking is social and in summer people like to have beverages.
- Yes. We have the flexibility to have liquor if wanted.
- I wouldn't use this as a deciding factor. It would depend on the nature of the picnic,
- Yes.
- No. I am not interested in hosting an event where people attend to drink liquor. That is not the environment I would be interested in, nor would I be interested in being in close proximity to a site that did allow liquor consumption.
- yes, because everyone enjoys a good brew/cold spritzer on a hot day with their lunch
- I believe I would, even though I am not an alcohol drinker, I believe in being inclusive to working towards enhancing a sense of belonging in Calgary. Booking areas that enables more individual sovereignty for choicemaking.
- Absolutely not! I do not want to be around potentially drunk people
- Yes. Because we would like to enjoy a drink while also enjoying the outdoors.
- Yes, I refer to my answer for #3.
- yes, if it is biking / walking distance from home
- No- risk factor
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- Yes, I would like to have a beer with my burger.
- Yes
- No benefit
- Why do you have to have liquor at a park? Can't people go out and enjoy themselves without booze?
- Depends on the gathering, but I probably would.
- Yes, I like having wine with my food
- Yes because I should be able to enjoy a drink responsibly
- Yes: liquor is commonly consumed at social gatherings/meals, why would it be any different in a public park?
- Yes. I'd rather spend time at a picnic than a patio in the summer and it would be nice to crack a beer or bring a bottle of wine
- No. Against any alcohol being allowed
- Yes. I would like the option to responsibly enjoy liquor with my picnic.
- Yes, only if with the right group of friends.
- Yes, it's nice to have a drink with dinner if you want just like in Europe
- Yes, because it would give my group the option to consume responsibly or not drink at all, but at least the option would exist. It's encouraging for those who otherwise might not go to a city park.
- Yes. Greater chances of convincing friends to join.
- Yes.

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- No. I don't want to endorse this idea.
- No. We are usually with other families who have young kids.
- No I would not want to have/or book a picnic site that allows liquor.
- No because I don't need alcohol at a picnic with my family and friends. This is a terrible idea!
- No. The picnic site is a public place & people, especially children, shouldn't be exposed to potentially increased intoxication. Could also include damage to City property.
- Yes. Most social events I attend involve small amounts of alcohol. Alcohol allowed at picnic sights would make me use picnic sights more frequently.
- Yes, I would go out of my way to do so
- no, it is simply not important
- The answer would be different. Depends if I am taking my children with me or not.
- Yes. It would be nice to have the option. I would be more likely to use the park spaces than I am currently.
- Yes. Because that's how socializing works for the majority of people . Even those with children .
- I usually don't drink
- Yes, because I enjoy celebrating moments with a casual drink and feel like this would enhance my experience
- Yes - to be more inclusive
- Yes a great way to socialize with friends in nature - to be able o have a couple of drinks while playing frisbee, bbq'ing etc would be a great way to spend a day.
- Yes.
- Yes, liquor is a wonderful addition to an outdoor meal!
- Yes. I would specifically pick one for this reason as it would enhance my experience.
- No - for the reasons above. To allow liquor in parks is irresponsible and catering to a few entitled individuals.
- No. I believe there is a potential for mishaps with liquor consumption allowed.
- Yes, casual drinking is a major part of many peoples lives.
- Yes, more likely to be an adult audience and can safely enjoy a drink with lunch without disturbing anyone
- No.
- Yes
- Yes, it's more convenient if we chose to drink
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- No
- No as this isn't appropriate
- Yes! It's like camping without going far. Enjoying nature and a cold one.
- yes, a bottle of wine with friends of four will be great.

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- Yes, I like to have a drink with friends and instead of keeping it to our backyard I think using City Parks would be a whole lot better
- Yes, because I already consume alcohol in the park and most of my friends or family members would also like to enjoy a beverage while having a meal. People are already doing it!!
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- yes, its nice to have the option.
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- Yes, because a beer or glass of wine belongs to a picnic as it is normal in a restaurant
- Yes. I love spending time in Calgary's parks and it would be nice to be able to have a glass of wine or a beer while enjoying the outdoors.
- Yes, it's nice to have a casual drink of wine or a cold beer when having a picnic and not have to feel guilty or try to hide it
- Yes. I would like to be able to drink if I would to, and if I am not personally consuming (driving perhaps). Friends and guests will still that option
- No. Everyone already does it.
- yes, for some cultures, alcohol consumption is not a negative thing, and is carried out in a responsible and respectful manner. We need to trust that most people will be respectful, especially in public places.
- No because of the concerns mentioned above.
- Yes. I enjoy a beer on a hot day with a meal. It should not be taboo to have a beer or glass of wine.
- Yes. Because I'd like to enjoy a casual drink while in our beautiful parks.
- No.
- No
- Yes if occasion warranted
- Yes! I'd love to have an adult dinner party with a little wine or a few beers as an option for a nice outside activity
- Yes. This will give everyone in our party options.
- depending on the event I was booking for yes I would book one that would allow liquor consumption
- Allows. I believe that most people would be able to enjoy a couple of beverages with their picnic and not turn into rowdy obnoxious hooligans. I personally like a glass of wine while relaxing and would appreciate having that option.
- No. I would avoid spots that allowed liquor.
- Yes, nothing beats enjoying a beverage in the beauty of nature. It works beautifully in Montreal and all over Europe, and it's time for us to join the rest of the civilized world. Sure there will be some people behaving badly, but this is already illegal
- Yes, i would prefer to have the freedom allowed by more choice whether i was drinking or not.
- No

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- NO
- Yes cause i like a glass or two of wine with my meal
- I usually organize a picnic site for a group, usually for an occassion, so beer and wine could be consumed
- Absolutely yes. I think it's a lovely idea to be able to enjoy some wine or a cold beer with a bbq. Very excited that the city is interested in this pilot!
- No. There is no guarantee the behavior of those consuming liquor in the same site. I have been around too many loud groups of '20ish' young adults getting together to drink. Why give the police more to do with their resources.
- Yes, it would allow more flexibility for my event.
- Yes to responsibly enjoy a drink
- Yes, otherwise I would be planning it at home where that's not a consideration.
- Potentially yes, depending whether I plan to have a drink.
- Yes. If I want to barbecue with my friends, we should be able to enjoy a social drink.
- Yes. Calgary has some amazing parks, but I don't want to feel restricted or limited on what I'm allowed to consume while enjoying these parks.
- No!
- Yes, provide more flexibility for people to join us
- Yes, it would be more fun
- Yes, more room for activities.
- no - I don't agree with liquor in parks in the City.
- Yes - its nice to have a cool beer or wine with the picnic
- Yes
- Forsure. I think now adays people are mature enough to drink responsibly in parks.
- Yes
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- Yes
- Yes. I think it's totally okay for adults to be consuming moderate amounts of liquor outside in these environments as long as people are being respectful and responsible. It helps create a more free and open environment.
- Yes. Fits our values
- Yes, because it increases your choices when having an outdoor function.
- no
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- Yes
- Yes, it would allow for a more enjoyable meal.
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- no. Risk of negative interaction with parents that have been drinking. i.e. conflict between two kids now becomes a conflict between parents or groups
- Yes. Would definitely enjoy a drink with park use.
- No
- YES. I would prefer to have the option for adults that have the preference to have an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes. If I was going to go through the effort to book a site, it would probably be for a group and it would be nice to have a drink or two.
- no, because there are young children around, and b/c there might be some rowdiness and misbehavior
- yes, this is something that i would enjoy and would encourage me to use picnic sites
- 
- Yes. Gives the option if wanted (though a I do think all picnic sites should allow consumption).
- Yes, I am responsible adult and don't believe that I need laws telling me what I'm allowed to consume or where.
- 100%, I am in my mid 20's and to enjoy a beer while eating especially on a hot summer day is not uncommon! I actually probably wouldn't book a table if liquor wasn't allowed.
- Yes! It would be nice to host an event and be allowed to drink outdoors especially if you don't want to do it at your house or don't have a backyard or patio
- Yes because a glass of wine is so much better outdoors!
- Yes because consuming some wine or beer is part of my culture and makes social outings and food consumption more enjoyable
- yes, because then people ahve the option to have a drink
- 
- Yes
- No, concerned about safety of kids and teenagers. And inappropriate behaviour will rise in park. We moved here from Vancouver, first neighbourhood was 45 st SW and Now Hawkwood, my 12 year daughter saw two teenagers drinking and making out.
- Yes, just to give people the option.
- 
- Yes
- Yes. Just in case myself/guest would like to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes
- Yes, because I like a cold beer on a hot day or a wine spritzer on a hot day.
- Yes, it gives you the freedom to bring your own liquor if you would like.
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- Yes, it would be great to have a casual beer or wine at a family picnic.

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- Yes because beer and burgers are the bomb
- No. Bad example for the children.
- Yes, more appealing.
- Yes!!
- Yes, because then it would give the option for gatherings and celebrations to have a celebratory drink.
- Yes, to allow others that attend to drink (If I dive I do not drink)
- Yes, because its nice to enjoy a cold beer in the sun with friends.
- Absolutely less! I want to enjoy taking kids to the park or your dog for a walk, or a picnic. It would be nice to have a glass of wine or a beer. I would rather take my kids to someone else's house who has a playground in their backyard rather than a publ
- Definitely not. Liquor brings problems to everyone
- Yes, because I would enjoy having a beer or a glass of wine with a meal, just as I would at home or at a restaurant
- 
- Would not matter to me as I don't need a drink at a picnic site.
- Yes so everyone can enjoy freely
- Yes.
- 
- Yes. It is nice to have a drink will enjoying our parks.
- Yes, because why not. It's nice to have a beer or a glass of wine outside on a summer evening. Especially if you don't have a yard or live in a tower.
- Yes, to enjoy a beverage
- If I'm booking a picnic site I WILL be enjoying a beer or two. If I could do that legally rather than illegally I would. If only some parks allow consumption however I will not go out of my way to comply with a law that I think is worthless.
- Yes because there are less restrictions! We are so burdened by rules and restrictions it would be nice to allow calgarians enjoy after working their butts of at work
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- Yes, but shouldn't have to
- No. I don't book picnic sites in the city.
- Yes, its nice to have a beer on a hot summer day when having a bbq.
- Absolutely.
- yes, as i would like to participate in this.
- No
- Yes. More suitable to my social events



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- Yes. The increased freedom allows families and groups to enjoy responsibly without feeling the need to hide and drink out of their trunks
- NO... I don't want to be out in public where others are openly drinking alcohol. If I did, I'd go to a bar. I don't think it's necessary to allow drinking in public parks. Who would want to bring their families to areas where there is drinking? Not me
- Yes
- No, the actions of others are likely to detract from the surrounding environment.
- No - concerns over disorderly behavior, especially when children are in attendance at the picnic site.
- Yes, because as long as it is done with grace and consideration, it could help save money. Not everyone likes to go to bars and not everyone has a backyard
- Yes, if there were only a few picnic sites with that option I would choose one that allowed it. I'm sure at least one of my friends would enjoy a beer or cooler if they had the opportunity.
- Yes, it would be nice to host a gathering in a park and offer an alcoholic beverage to guests.
- Yes, it provides alternative options to a patio bar during the summer. Able to get out of the house and enjoy time responsibly drinking with friends.
- Yes. It's nice to have a couple drinks when out with family and friends there is nothing wrong with that
- 
- No - I don't want my family around anyone drinking
- Yes - when eating a meal outside, it's more enjoyable to be able to do so with an alcoholic beverage
- Yes. To be able to enjoy a beer or glass of wine while having a barbecue in a park.
- I will always choose a park that allows liquor. Because most people want to have a beer or something to drink. Maybe not get drunk, but have a drink. It's not worth the risk of getting a ticket so I would go to a park it is legal
- Yes I would. It's nice to have the freedom to have a drink if I wished to
- Yeah. People like to drink liquor sometimes.
- Yes because we're grown ups
- I would book a site that allows alcohol consumption because more people would want to come. I myself do not drink often but feel like it would be a good opportunity to relax and enjoy the outdoors
- 
- Yes, for sure, because most adults can enjoy themselves in a safe and mature manner.
- Yes. Fun way to spend time outside and relax with friends/family without feeling the need to hide having a beer.
- Yes, even if it's just one beer you want to enjoy and walk home, to live in fear an officer might find that one beer your entire meal or visit isn't the Canada I want to live in. A plethora of other countries allow alcohol anywhere in public.

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- YES (although i believe all sites should allow liquor due to shortages of certain sites on long weekends or during events such as stampede). I would love to guilt free drink with my friends in the sunshine while eating in a park.
- Yes, it creates a more enjoyable environment
- No. Alcohol should not be necessary for picnics in public places.
- Yes. So my friends/ family and I don't have to limit our choice of drinks.
- Yes - more freedom
- Yes, it would allow for a more enjoyable experience.
- Yes because it gives me the freedom to drink what I like
- No, I don't need alcohol to enjoy my day. And I don't want to be bothered by loud drunk people near by that assume they have the right to be drinking and disorderly
- No. There are plenty of restaurants and places to consume liquor near picnic sites before and after your time picnicking.
- yes, I drink in moderation and I would like to have that option at a public park
- No, see above reasons.
- I would want one. My friends and family and I like to share a beverage or 2 with each other.
- Yes. Because it would be nice to have a beer with food.
- Yes.
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- Yes
- No. See the above pls.
- Having to book it would prevent it for me.
- Yes. I would like to have the option, if myself or my company would like to consume alcoholic beverages at a picnic site.
- Yes, so that I have the freedom to choose.
- Yes, it may bring out a wider group of friends
- No. There are plenty of places to consume liquor. Keep public parks liquor free! Also if liquor is allowed, how can you prevent marijuana? NO please keep our parks dry.
- No. I don't need a site that allows this.
- Yes, so people can enjoy wine or beer with their meal.
- Yes, I'd be happy to bring a bottle of wine to a picnic. Goes well with the cheese!
- Yes, if for an afternoon or evening event. It's nice to have a beer or a glass of wine with a summer picnic.
- Yes, because I'd like to responsibly enjoy a beer or glass of wine while eating outside or enjoying a barbeque
- Yes because it's a social event

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- Yes, to be quite frank- at picnic sites that have not allowed alcohol, both friends and myself have consumed the products anyways
- Yes, in case I wanted to have a beer with my meal.
- Yes, having alcohol at a bbq/party should be allowed and enhances the atmosphere.
- Yes! People enjoy a cold beer with a meal on a hot day.
- No, because I don't want my family around a group of rowdy 18 year olds
- Sometimes, it will depend on the event.
- yes
- No, I don't like being around intoxication. People behave like idiots once they are drunk - poor role models for children, hitting on people, feel unsafe
- 
- Yes, because I would like to have a drink with my picnic.
- Yes, because of afformentioned reasons
- Yes.
- I'm not likely to drink but like the option.
- Yes. I like to support Calgary's Craft beer community. Picking up a growler and some local take out is a great way to spend a day at the parks!
- Yes. Being able to share a drink vs not being able to would be a deciding factor for sure. I enjoy being able to share different styles of liquor. Makes for good BYOB's...
- no, Increase in disorderly behavior may occur, children will be exposed to liquor use
- no
- Yes. Why not, it's not that different from a restaurant: there is food, there is liquor, there is a group of friends for a good chat.
- no
- Yes.
- 
- No. Disagree with this.
- Yes because I enjoy a glass of wine when visiting the park
- Yes.
- Yes, my company and myself would enjoy having a beer in a public, social environment.
- Yes I would rather go to a picnic site that allows liquor this because I want to go and have a good time and I would like a couple drinks and would rather go somewhere it's allowed instead of somewhere I have to risk a ticket.
- Yes - then we know we wouldn't have to pretend that we weren't drinking!
- Yes as I like to have some drinks outside on a nice day
- Yes. So that my friends and I can legally consume alcohol while using a picnic site
- Yes, having the option to consume liquor is social

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- Yes because otherwise i would probably not book a site and not enjoy the great outdoors for such an event.
- Yes
- Yes, but I hope all picnic sites will allow liquor consumption
- Yes. I enjoy being able to have a drink on a nice summer day
- 
- Yes! It would be nice to enjoy a cold beer on a hot day.
- no
- Yes, Having a few drinks in the park with a meal is highly enjoyable.
- yes. allows for a more versatile way of planning my event.
- 
- Yes.
- Yes. Because gives more flexibility
- Yes. Beer and bbq go great together
- 
- If I have minors with me I won't book one that allows it.
- Yes. I would like to have the option.
- Yes, because I enjoy a beer with a bbq
- No. Safety concerns
- Yes. It allows more option for people. More opportunity to enjoy our awesome parks vs. Drinking in a bar or house
- Yes, because I like to have a beer at a BBQ.
- 
- I would if the group was likely to consume alcohol.
- 
- Yes! Because the majority of people want to have a couple of drinks while socializing and sharing food with friends.
- Yes. It would be great to have that option.
- Yes for the reasons I just listed. It would make for a more affordable day out with friends and family. It also gives home brewers a chance to enjoy their creations outside their homes.
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- Maybe. Depends on scenario.
- Yes, because people in my party may want to consume liquor.
- Yes. I'm not a big drinker, but my friends should have the option to indulge in an adult beverage if they want!
- Yes. Alcohol is part of enjoying a meal or others company.
- Yes, much more enjoyable to be able to have alcoholic refreshments

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- Yes
- Maybe
- Yes, I would choose a space that allows Liquor consumption. I like to relax and socialize in picnic spaces and would prefer to be allowed to drink a glass of wine or have a beer with my food.
- Yes because I would like the option to enjoy a beer with my friends if out having a chill bbq day , I'm not saying everyone would drink every time but have the option to do so with out reproccussion would be great
- Yes, because not having an outdoor space for friends to meet and share a drink, this would be my only option
- Yes.
- Yes. Living in a space without outside area of my own, this would open up a lot of options.
- No
- Yes
- Probably, then I could happily take a few beers or a bottle of wine with me to enjoy in the sun with my picnic. I drink beer in the sun when I have a BBQ at home, so why not with a picnic?
- Depends on circumstance. I would book one for a multi family gathering or adult gathering. I would not for a children's birthday party or something similar to that.
- Yes as it is nice for people to have option
- No. I will consume liquor at any picnic site I book.
- Yes. Love the idea of having social beverages to enhance the experience.
- Yes
- Yes! Because we like having the option to be allowed to drink.
- Responsible consumption is a positive thing.
- Yes
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- I've never booked a picnic site. But yes, I'd choose one that allows alcohol.
- for sure yes because I want to have a freedom to use it or not and enjoy my picnic time even more
- 100%. See response to item 4 above.
- Yes
- Yes
- Depends on the activity I would like to do
- Yes. It adds flavour
- N/A
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- It would depend on who I was with and what activities we were planning on doing while in the park.
- No, because I'm a teenager but also because of my religion and beliefs

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- NEVER! why subject my child to public drinking. Drunk people = drugs, gangs, rape, aggression, filth, knives, guns. If you don't see that you are stupid
- Yes, because some times is nice to enjoy the park with a cup of wine with my wife
- No I don't drink.
- Yes. Would allow people in our group to decide whether or not they want to consume
- 
- No
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- Yes. I enjoy an alcoholic beverage on a beautiful summer day and would love to have that abjkty
- No. I go to picnic sites with my kids and their friends. We've seen drunk people at the park and it's not fun.
- Yes - It is just nice to be able to have a nice get together or picnic with friends/family with a beer or champagne. Encourages citizens to celebrate/host events at city parks.
- Yes, a few drinks on a nice summer day can be a great way to blow off some steam. Especially with out the fear of police coming and giving tickets for consumption
- No. I want to enjoy a peaceful experience, not be around rowdy drinkers.
- No
- does not matter not planning to drink liquor
- no
- No because I do not drinnnk at picnics
- No. Millions of safety concerns.
- Yes of course. Drink8ng is a social thing and if ppl have a safe way home after consuming then why not
- No, in fact I would avoid those parks.
- Yes, but quite hours around 10pm should be in effect
- Definely NO.
- Yes for sure
- Yes
- Yes, asoslutely! I like the choice to have an alcoholic beverage while spending time outdoors. I have had many experiences in Europe, and they have always been positive. I have never witnessed overindulgence that lked to poor public displays.
- Yes, because drinking outside is a wonderful experience.
- Yes because often having a nice beer would be very enjoyable. This doesn't mean getting drunk just a simple refreshing drink without having to worry about hiddinf it in a different bottle
- Yes. Whether we like it or not, alcohol is a major part of our culture and this would offer an alternative to going to the bar. People also like to have a casual beer with a barbecue.
- No, I would avoid areas that allow liquor.

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- yes. it will make for a more relaxed and happier environment
- Yes. Time off is rare and we could combine relaxing with a wine or beer with snacks with being outdoors and exploring the city.
- I would pick one that allows for liquor consumption because it would interest more of my friends to come to the picnic.
- I would. Because I'm going to bring liquor regardless if it's legal or not so given the option I may as well make it legal.
- Yes. It allows for a variety of peoples tastes.
- NO !!! More times than not the day out will end in some line of problem. People are not smart enough to manage this in a respectful manner. All we here is don't drink and drive and now we are going to promote it. One life is all it would take. DON'T DO IT
- No - I don't want to chance having problems with drunk "neighbours" .
- No. Because its not suitable for family / children
- No, there would be no advantage
- Yes, I think there should be allowed reasonable and reasonable drinking within parks. Just have to ensure it's not being abused.
- Yes so that invitees could imbibe if so inclined.
- Yes, because it's more social and enjoyable with a picnic meal with friends and family
- Yes, because it's nice to enjoy an adult beverage in the wonderful public parks we have.
- Yes
- Yes, to have the option. Regardless of if I want to or not it's nice to have the choice.
- Yes, picnics are supposed to be food and drink, on a nice day a burger and a beer with good people makes people happy.
- Yes because I enjoy my freedom to imbibe
- Yes. It's nice to have a drink or two without having to hide it (because, let's be honest, most people who book the park, have a drink anyway)
- No, I do not agree with alcohol in public parks
- Yes- more people are likely to come
- I would choose it because I want a site for a picnic but would not drink.
- Yes. Would prefer the option to have liquor if I want.
- Yes.
- Yes. It's nice to have a glass of wine or beer with a picnic.
- Yes I would. If people are consuming responsibly, I see no problem.
- Yes, because this will give me options
- NO, I can go to a park and enjoy my day with friends without it being centered on alcohol consumption. Water is my beverage of choice, no DUI, or unsafe driving when consuming water.
- Yes!!

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- No, for the reasons indicated in question 2
- Yes
- No
- yes, because it may be more fun.
- Yes because I can drink if i want
- Yes
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- Yes, it gives you more freedom!
- No, I don't want to see liquor consumption in any City park picnic sites
- Yes, because as an adult I should be allowed to have a beer with my burnt hot dog.
- Yes because some people in parties I organize would want to drink
- Yes I like to have options
- Yes, because it allows us to enjoy what little warm weather we have.
- I would 100% choose one with liquor consumption as I enjoy a nice picnic with wine, allowing for a larger amount of picnics to plan for occasions to do with weather and such
- Yes so I can have liquor, or others can have liquor
- Yes
- Yes. It's part of how we socialize.
- Yes, as it would be nice to be able to have a beer while visiting
- Yes, as an adult I can be trusted to enjoy alcohol responsibly and clean up after myself, and I trust that my fellow calgarians can do the same. As such I would look forward to picnicking in a site which allows alcohol consumption.
- Yes, in case I or others I'm with may want to consume alcohol responsibly.
- Yes. It's not about getting "drunk" or "partying". It's about the social aspect and enjoyment of being with friends and enjoying a beverage.
- Definitely not!
- Yes. Love the option to gather with friends and family and share a drink if wanted.
- Yes I would. Because I am an adult and I enjoy having a drink on hot summer days outside in our beautiful city.
- Yes. I'm not likely to book a picnic site now because if I was going to get friends/other families together I would prefer that the adults could have a drink or two.
- No.
- Yes. I think it is my choice if I want to consume liquor as long as being respectful.
- Yes, I enjoy a social drink, I have been frustrated at not being able to utilize a park for a celebratory event and not being bubbles
- Sure. I don't have a problem with people drinking as long as they are not bothering others.



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- no never...drunks are never good drunks, dangerous and oh so stupid
- Yes. I think if people are responsible, hAving the choice to consume liquor is great. Who wouldn't want to have a nice cold glass of beer or wine while enjoying one of our many beautiful parks. People just need to be responsible and obey the law.
- No
- YES
- Yes. It's desirable to have a beer with my picnic in the summer.
- You should not be able to book picnic sites
- Yes, it's a social gathering
- Yes! It's nice to relax and have a cold beer if I want to.
- 
- It depends on the event. Liquor consumption isn't necessary when kids are around, i.e. danger of broken bottles, glasses, etc. Normally, I wouldn't care either way, but if I wanted a quiet, peaceful site, I'd probably choose a non-liquor consumption one
- No, some people will take Advantage and abuse the system
- yes. as in q#3
- Yes as it is what most Calgarians do.
- Yes, so I can enjoy a beer in the sun at a park
- Yes, so I could consume liquor.
- Yes. The government should not regulate what I do. It will be helpful to craft brewers and distillers - we can go grab a 6pack from a local brewery and enjoy in a park.
- Yes. It is really nice to be able to have a cold beer under the shade of a tree in the summer.
- No, I don't feel the need to consume alcohol at a picnic site.
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- Yes. I don't drink, but it would allow my friends to.
- For myself no because I only drink when I am not driving or in a situation with a driver that I am not totally sober, but friends and family enjoy beer and wine outdoors and socially.
- Yes because if the option is available, I wouldn't want my friends to not have the legal ability to drink if they want to. It would also avoid any potential issues if one person wanted a drink but we weren't in a drinking-permitted site and got caught.
- Yes - as sites have all ages even the grandparents enjoy a drink such as a cold beer on a hot day
- yes
- No as I do t want to be surrounded by those drinking
- Yes, I would.
- Yes. Allows more freedom of choice.
- Yes, so that adults could enjoy and alcoholic beverage.

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- Yes, I'd prefer to have one that provides the choice.
- Yes, because I would like the idea of responsibly enjoying a beer or glass of wine at a nice social picnic event
- Definitely yes. Having a responsible drink would be a nice option to have.
- For a kids birthday, no. For a get together with adults, yes probably.
- NO, why would I go to a park that allows drinking. There might only be a handful of cases of disorderly conduct, but why open that can of worms.
- It all depends. There are different events that we would choose liquor or no liquor. If it was a children's BBQ birthday party we would probably choose no liquor. If it is a friends and family BBQ then we would choose liquor.
- Yes. Have not booked a site in the past, might now.
- Doesn't allow as I disagree with this suggestion entirely and will be very unhappy if the city passes this By-Law.
- NO
- Yes, I like to have a beer with my kebab.
- no I would be concerned about the safety and enjoyment of our group,
- yes, 100%. it may be a driving factor for some people to attend. you could have more birthday, anniversary or family graduation celebrations. Lots of Calgarians live in condos, this gives them the option to get together with their friends.
- No - I am totally opposed to this idea.
- I would pick one that allows liquor 100% of the time
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- Yes. I would like to have a drink or two while relaxing in the park
- No
- Yes, to enjoy my time more freely
- 
- No
- No. I would be with my grandchildren and they don't need to be exposed to consumption and the stupid behavior that comes with it.
- No I would not. I believe liquor consumption in parks will cause lots of social issues and enforcement will be an issue
- Yes, why not
- I would probably choose a "dry" site because I won't drive if I am drinking. If I want a drink I usually do it at home.
- Yes. If the option is available it would make sense to have the additional option. That said, if it were for a kids birthday party for example, I would want to book a non-liquor site.

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- no, don't want to have a picnic where there is possibly loud and obnoxious people
- No. I worry about the inappropriate behavior of drinkers.
- i don't like drunks
- Yes
- No... only if it was for a wedding or reunion or something and a permit purchased....
- Yes. Because I enjoy one beer with my food in the summer
- Yes, very likely I would. However convenience is important, as well as book-ability. It would be annoying if I can't book my dates because those few sites are taken. Also, you don't HAVE to drink alcohol, so all sites should allow the choice for fairness
- Yes if it was appropriate to the event being held. For instance family bbq, birthday party etc..
- No
- Absolutely. Having a beer in the outdoors is a great way to spend the day
- Depending if it was a family picnic, including children, probably not..If it was more adult only, then yes.
- Yes. It would then give me the choice to use liquor or not.
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- Yes because it's should be at the discretion of the person to make their choice
- 
- Yes. All over the world (Europe) this is normal behavior.
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- If it was extra work or more difficult to book, not likely. If it was just as easy, yes.
- no, i don't want to have to deal with drunks around the park with my grandkids there
- 
- NO. Liquor in parks troubles the society. It leads to social violence.
- Yes. Any group I would be picnicing with would be drinking responsibly.
- Yes, it would be more fun and you can drink without any concerns that kids are watching you.
- No, public places should be a place where people are on their best behaviour. That makes people feel safe, free from harm either emotionally or physically. I don't want to have to walk the other way or feel like I need to leave due to unruly behavior.
- yes. give myself and others the choice to have an alcoholic beverage while enjoying time with friends
- No.. just no please.
- I would book a site that is appropriate for my event.
- Yes
- wouldn't affect my decision
- No

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- do not know
- yes
- Yes, because I'd like to enjoy a drink with my meal.
- Yes. To legally allow by guests the option to consume alcohol if they choose.
- Yes if i was planning on consuming liquor at the event.
- Yes, allows for all preferences of beverages to be enjoyed.
- yes, I would use the facilities at parks much more if liquor is allowed.
- No due to reasons stated above in question 2
- Yes
- I would avoid booking a site that allows liquor consumption as that's not compatible with my family's lifestyle.
- Yes, it would increase my options for activities and hosting events in outdoor venues that are not a bar
- No. I choose not to drink so that wouldn't be a perk, and I would rather make sure my kids are not arounds drunk people which is more likely to happen if the park allows liquor.
- Yes because some of our guest would like to have a social drink and enjoy the outdoors as you would do at home.
- No , kids and non alcohol people disturbe.
- Yes. To have a few drinks at a BBQ in a park will enhance the overall atmosphere.
- No
- 
- Entirely depends on the company I am having a picnic with.
- Yes, because its nice to have a beer while bbq'ing. Its also nice to have a beer while eating, within reason. Its important that current Drunk and Disorderly rules are maintained.
- No. I do not think drinking should be done in parks
- Yes, being allowed to responsibly consume alcohol at a picnic site would not be harmful.
- Yes. So I can enjoy with my friends and family.
- Yes, I would like the option to be able to
- Yes, depending on circumstances. Large gathering with a number of families, I would choose one that allows liquor. Small, single family (or two) gathering, probably not.
- yes
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- Yes because its nice to have a drink in the summer with friends
- No, too many alcoholics in my family, I don't need to go out to a park to see that.
- No picnic is usually a family friendly environment however it might be aboused by some people if liquor allowed

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- Yes, you have the liberty to drink on a beautiful Summer day outside from your regular dwellings.
- Wouldn't care
- Not really. I'm used to drink only at home so I don't really get worried about it.
- Yes. I'm an adult and enjoying a alcoholic beverage with a meal is enjoyable.
- 
- No
- sure - whether i drink or not i have no problem with it
- 
- No. I go to a park to enjoy the natural setting for its own value, not as a place to party with people that need liquour to enjoy themselves.
- No, it's a public site that I want to get in touch with nature and socialize
- Yes
- Yes. So people can choose if they'd like to enjoy a beverage or not.
- Yes for the reason above
- Yes, because I am someone that enjoys a glass of wine or beer with my meal. It would encourage more people to come out to parks and enjoy city spaces without having to worry about restrictive bylaws.
- No
- Yes. Examples from European countries and even as close as Montreal have shown it is perfectly normal and accepted
- No. How would you limit consumption? Once someone is drunk it is the sober people who have to deal with the fall-out.
- 
- Yes, if available.
- Yes, nice to have the option.
- Yes
- Yes. See above.
- Yes, for guests enjoyment
- No, because it is not reflective of my religion, and I don't want my children to be negatively influenced.
- No. Broken bottle all over the place, dried and fresh puke all over, human excretment and urine all over the place, possible deaths due to booze at the site.
- No because people under the influence of Liquor can get into physical or verbal altercations as their thought process is not in their control.
- Yes, because it allows us to use public parks like we would our backyard.

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- No. Liquor consumption belongs only in places that are monitored (ie clubs and restaurants) and private homes not where there are minors
- no, because i have kid, no no no no no no
- No
- Yes. I think it gives you the freedom to drink or not drink responsibly
- Yes
- yes - so we can have a beer or glass of wine with a picnic lunch or supper or a special drink to celebrate a birthday/anniversary.
- No, due to the concerns selected above (increased possibility of inappropriate behaviour.
- Yes. Casual drinking is in my lifestyle.
- Yes because it provides more freedom and enjoyment
- No. I have an elementary school age child and her birthday party was affected by drunks in the park. Parks should be a safe place for all Calgarians to enjoy.
- Yes, so I would have the option to partake of an alcoholic beverage with my meal if I chose.
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- Yes. Then I could have a beer or glass of wine with my meal. It's a cheaper alternative to a patio and creates a space inclusive of minors where adults can enjoy a beverage.
- Yes, people enjoy themselves more
- yes.
- yes, a lot of my friends consume alcohol casually for fun
- Yes. However I would suggest that the liquor consumption be expanded to areas and not just specific picnic sites. These sites can be very hard to book and typically are geared towards large groups and not the average family on a blanket in the park.
- No
- Yes, as above - it's nice to be able to have a couple of drinks outdoors on a hot day
- no
- 
- yes. because wine with your picnic is the best
- Yes, because I do not think it is harmful to allow for safe consumption of alcohol.
- Depends on who I am going with. But yes.
- Would likely choose no consumption site
- No! Would like a relaxed atmosphere with the family that does not involve liquor consumption by neighbors
- I'd prefer one with liquor allowed, but if the park didn't allow it I would still drink (responsibly)
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- No
- Yes. Social drinking is part of my culture and promote useability within our parks

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- no. I do not like when people around me get rowdy. I already have to put up with it when I book campsites.
- Yes as that would prolong the stay in the parks, more leisurely
- I would choose either, depending on the type of activity. Most likely choose "liquor allowed" site because I would personally like to drink.
- No. As indicated above. Particularly due to potential for disorderly behaviors ruining our experience
- Never. This will lead to so many social problems. Just to increase revenue, please do not play with the future of our kids
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- no. I don't go to the park to drink. When I'm picnicking with family and friends, I like to know that my children are safe from others who may choose to overindulge in liquor.
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- Yes. If I'm hosting an event (whether bbq or wedding) I think having the OPTION of alcohol is important.
- No. I don't drink.
- No because of increased disorderly behaviour and increased risk of drinking and driving
- Yes, so the option is there
- No because it would turn out to be a disaster
- Yes.
- Yes. Indoor venues offer liquor consumption and it would be nice to host similar events (corporate or informal) at picnic sights.
- Yes
- Yes, because I'd want to consume liquor.
- Yes. Because drinking alcohol is part of social events.
- 
- No liquor. Much less chance of confrontations and damage to the environment.
- Yes, because I would consume alcohol regardless
- Yes
- No. If all sites are restricted to alcohol consumption. No need to mention.
- No!
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- No, I don't want my kids to see liquor use

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- Yes, so that I know and am aware of the restrictions on me and the people around me. With this option, I can be assured I'll be around people who'd also prefer drinking, and the ones that don't will be allowed to book in their non-liquor parks/picnics
- Yes
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- One that allows. Nice to be able to enjoy.
- 
- No
- No I would do it anyways
- Yes, so I could have a few drinks with my picnic lunch.
- Yes because it's nice to have a beer with friends
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- Should not have to, but yes I would choose to have the option at my site
- No, I would not feel safe.
- No i don't choose that park which allows liquor at all , not safe dangerous
- No, I am not supportive of liquor being consumed in public parks
- No, I go to parks to enjoy time with my family, not to see drunks and all their litter.
- 
- Yes, liquor can be consumed responsibly and if more enjoyable when outside with friends
- Yes, allowing liquor to be consumed at sites allows for greater / broader use of sites
- no -I feel parks should be family orientated - there are lots of other places adults can go to drink.
- No. Everywhere I go in the public space, there are always people who are bylaw violators who drink as they please. These people have no respect of others who want to have a quiet/clean/smell-free space in outdoor. City does not have bylaw enforcements.
- 
- no, would not want to deal with others who have consumed alcohol in excess
- No. Safety concern for kids.
- Yes. Sometimes it's nice to have a drink at a picnic
- Yes. More freedom to do as I choose.
- Each region should have one if we were to limit the parks which allow it. Ultimately the goal is to get people out to enjoy our parks which need a bit of infrastructure for public washrooms and gazebo and such for our citizens to enjoy outdoor Calgary.
- Yes because it's not a bad think to have a drink and it makes the experience that much more enjoyable
- Yes: I think most adults would prefer this option as it gives them the option to enjoy a beer or glass of wine while enjoying our parks. I believe this is something that most people do anyways but are forced to be discreet about it.



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- No, not why I'm using the park
- Yes, depending on whether or not I'm driving, I'd like to have a drink with my bbq
- No. I do not want to be around the risk.
- No. I do not drink.
- Yes because adults should be allowed certain freedoms in life.
- No. There might be safety concerns.
- I would choose one that allows consumption of alcohol because for myself and my friends that is normal and acceptable part of a meal
- Yes. It would allow me the opportunity to enjoy an alcoholic beverage during my use of the site.
- No never
- Yes, because most of my invitees would like to
- No, because we are a family consisting of young children
- No. I wouldn't want my time in the park disturbed by people, even if they were only a little tipsy.
- Depends on the nature of the picnic. If we feel like a drink, then yes. If pop will do, then no.
- No - I do not want to be picnicing alongside people who are drinking for the reasons stated above.
- Yes, especially if it's for a family picnic or some kind of get together
- No I go to park for pice no to become drunk
- No. Increased risk of broken glass. Also I don't want to be around other sites that might have people drinking. Increased likelihood of conflict. I especially wouldn't want any of those things with my kids around.
- No, I don't like alcohol
- 
- Will not book where Liquor is being consumed due to drunk people + danger of drinking an driving
- No. I don't think liquor should be consumed in a open public area.
- No because I don't drink.
- No. Don't want to encourage my children to drink or be exposed to drinkers consuming too much and leaving empties around.
- No. I would not want to be around folks who could potentially drink too much and get rowdy or abusive.
- No. I specifically book places like parks for family events, because they are family friendly areas.
- No not required
- I wouldn't want my gathering to be disrupted by drunken behaviour.
- Yes, because I think most adults would prefer the option
- No, there could be half empty or broken bottles etc laying around. The smell would be bad.
- sure. I and my friends drink responsibly and are capable of policing our own people.
- No. I am a father of three and i will be concerned about my family safety.
- Yes

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- No, for all of the above reasons that I have checked off!!
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- no
- No. There is a time and a place for drinking alcohol. Let a picnic site be for family, togetherness and fun.
- 
- No
- No never
- 
- No. I do not drink
- Yes, because it'll be more fun.
- 
- No, i would not feel comfortable to have people consuming alcohol around my kids.
- Yes
- No; I don't want my family and kids get exposed to the bad behaviors or liquor consumption
- No because it makes people feel unsafe
- Yes because it's nice to relax and enjoy a drink with a meal and friends
- Yes, I would prefer the option to have a beer or two like I was at a backyard barbecue
- 
- Yes because nothing beats having a cold drink on a warm day with friends and family
- 
- doesnt matter
- 
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- with alcohol, to make the event more fun.
- No because I do not want my time to be ruined by drunk and disorderly people. It's true all will not be drunk but how to you control those who are??
- No, we don't drink alcohol and would not want to associate with those who do in that setting.
- I would choose the one allowing liquor, because we will have an option to decide.
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- yes, I enjoy wine with my picnic
- No. Call me old fashioned but when I think of an outdoor picnic, I think of wholesome, family friendly, no disorderly conduct- booze often shatters these things.
- Yes. Because i consume liquor and would rather not break the ruled
- Yes, more fun and people will drink illegally otherwise
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- NO- I do not consider that a family friendly site.

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- no
- Yes because sometimes it's a family event and no surprises eg empties or mess or loud mouth impaired people
- Yes I would. I enjoy beer with friends on gorgeous Alberta summer days.
- No, parks are for recreation and not for boozing.
- No. The parks are geared towards all ages. If it's a place where young children are then it should be treated as a family friendly venue, which usually means without liquor. Not having liquor doesn't affect any of the activities that can be done.
- Yes. So I could enjoy a beer.
- Yes, one of the things I enjoy about camping etc, enjoy a beer in the great outdoors
- Yes I would because I would like to enjoy consuming liquor while at the park. I would have no issue with other people consuming liquor near me.
- Yes, to provide the option. It's nice to have a beer with your picnic on a nice day in the summer!
- No. I have kids and do not want them to learn this behaviour
- Yes, you can drink responsibly and have fun
- Yes. I enjoy liquor when relaxing and I know I am responsible enough to consume it accordingly. Therefore I see no reason why all people should be refused this benefit just because a few cannot behave themselves.
- Yes, I believe adults are responsible and it would make events more commonplace for celebrations!
- Yes
- Yes. See above
- Yes; it would be nice.
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- No
- No
- No because I do not enjoy enduring the obnoxious, offensive behaviour that often results from liquor consumption.
- No. There are already plenty of places I can consume alcohol. If I want alcohol with my food, I can go to one of those places. A park should help to improve quality of life for Calgarians. Consumption of alcohol is not consistent with that goal.
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- Yes, for the same reason that I enjoy having some wine or a beer with a meal at a restaurant.
- No. In fact I would not go to that park.
- Yes-so myself and my family and friends can enjoy ourselves responsibly.
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- No, I won't book which allow liquor

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- Does not matter, I do not drink.
- Yes.
- Disagree with alcohol in parks
- NO, I WOULD EXPECT A CONTEXT FOR FAMILIES
- No i am not like people start drinking area where is children around. also safty of driving. its not safe
- No, it's not needed. People do not need alcohol and I don't want to be around someone who has had a little to much.
- Yes. If you're being a responsible adult and not abusing alcohol, having a couple drinks with a BBQ should be at ones own discretion.
- No, I would like to enjoy my site without worrying about all the idiots drinking. If it happened it would take so long for anyone to gat there and your day is already ruined.
- Yes, as it gives groups with adults more options when celebrations
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine with my dinner
- Hell no!
- Yes. It's nice to have a glass of wine or a beer while having dinner and hanging with loved ones. It feels very humane and unrestrictive.
- no
- Sure. People drink regardless so being able to do it without "hiding" it is a bonus
- No.
- I would not choose the site that allows Liquor consumption because It might create disorderly behaviour and safety concerns to other people.
- Yes because I enjoy a beer every and then.
- Yes. I often associate wine and beer with family events and special occasions. Being able to consume a moderate amount of alcohol would make the parks seem like a viable option when having family get togethers and special occasions (birthdays, anniversar
- no
- Yes, my guests may want to enjoy a cold beer with a heir hot dog
- no. I don't want drinking in the park.
- Yes; being able to drink wine or beer while having a picnic would enhance my enjoyment of the picnic, were I in a situation where it was appropriate and safe for me to drink.
- Yes.
- Yes. I hosted a group of friends for a BBQ in Bowness Park & so many of my friends had no idea that Bowness Park existed, let alone how beautiful it was. Getting more people to parks (by allowing liquor) would grow appreciation for them.
- Yes
- Yes. I would like to have wine with my dinner.
- Yes, because it allows the guests to enjoy and celebrate with friends and family as they see fit.

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- Yes, because it is nice to enjoy a glass of wine with a family picnic! I think people are drinking anyways, and this allows it to be more easily regulated and safer for all park users.
- Yes. Can't see why this should make a difference as there are laws in place against drunk/disorderly behaviour (i.e., someone can get drunk elsewhere, then go to the park)
- Yes
- Yes, if I plan on consuming liquor, otherwise it would not influence my decision.
- No because of my previous response to question #3.
- Yes. I do not see a problem with that, social drinking is part of my culture and habits. I do it at my house, my family member's and friend's houses, and would do it at a picnic site if I could.
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- Yes, it's something I would enjoy to be able to enjoy a beer in nature
- Yes! Because I'm a responsible adult that doesn't leave garbage around. All over the world people can drink in public
- No, read above
- Yes. To have the choice to enjoy a glass or not with my picnic.
- Yes. I don't see the harm in it. Plus there would be more space for the kids to run around than in my back yard.
- Always. Less kids and losers Im assuming
- No. Wouldn't want to be around themNo
- yes
- Depends on whether liquor would be consumed...
- Yes, per above.
- Yes. Casual consumption can be done responsibly.
- yes, because it's more inclusive.
- Yes. It is nice to have the option when a large group is having a picnic or gathering. It would be nice to have the option to bring liquor if you wanted to.
- It is part of the social aspect now and It shouldn't be be frowned upon. We already allow minors in breweries and certain pubs to a certain hour.
- Yes, because I enjoy a beer or glass of wine outside.
- Book a picnic site? It should be first come- first served. Exception would be for large groups.
- yes - provides the option if it's part of the party plan
- Not sure as it's an insult to my senses that I should have to book a "table"
- Yes because I do not think it is something we need to police.
- No. I'd want a picnic to be relaxing. Set up next to a bunch of drunken partiers doesn't sound like fun.
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- Yes. I wouldn't book one otherwise.

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- Yes - I enjoy having a glass of wine or a beer with my picnic and would like to have the option.
- Yes
- Yes, because a cold beer on a hot day is nice
- I would make the choice based on who was coming. but having the option is nice
- Yes. Provides option for safe and responsible consumption.
- Yes. Because then I get to enjoy a glass of wine with someone on a picnic date or a beer while BBQing
- yes, europe doesn't have a problem with it why should we?
- Yes, many people enjoy having a casual beer or glass of wine with a meal. Disallowing liquor could lead to the decision to having a meal at home instead.
- 
- Yes, as I would be interested in including alcohol in my social gathering
- I'd hope I wouldn't need to book a picnic site in advance with this change, but yes I would if I had to.
- Yes. Because I would like to have a beer with dinner. We picnic all the time as it is and usually bring liquor with us anyhow. Now I just wouldn't have to act like a crazed teenager hiding it.
- Yeah! Because I'm an adult and having a beer with my hot dog is a nice way to spend a Saturday with friends!
- yes because then it becomes party!
- Yes, because it gives us the option to consume without penalty.
- Yes, it's nice to have a cold drink on a warm day.
- Yes. Consumption is a social activity that is enjoyable on occasion and this promotes social interaction outdoors.
- no. its not required liquor should be consumed. in homes or restaurants etc
- Yes. Beer, wine etc. are a key part of any special event or celebration. Consuming liquor does not automatically mean intoxication or irresponsible behaviour. Of course, people are already engaging in drinking in public spaces, legal or not.
- Yes, so I could have a glass of wine or beer with friends, responsibly.
- No
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- Yes, but I would only bring enough to have maybe 2 drinks each, never to actually achieve drunk
- Yes, this makes the gathering more enjoyable.
- do not book picnic sites
- No because people can be irresponsible enough in public without consuming alcohol.
- Yes. Liquor consumption is legal and should be permitted outside of my personal property.
- yes. allow adults to be adults

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- Yes because it would improve comraderie
- No. I am concerned about the inappropriate behavior that will no doubt occur.
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- Yup, because my friends like to drink.
- Yes, this is a common practice that people do when they are hanging out at picnic sites.
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- Yes. Gives guests options.
- yes, its nice to have a cold beverage with pals
- 
- Yes, because I like to have a glass of wine or two.
- Yes because I am more likely to go to a site that allows liquor than one that does not.
- Yes, because it is a social occasion and who doesn't like a cool drink on a hot day
- On my own I would not chose a picnic site that allows liquor consumption as I do not drink, but if I was with other people who wished to drink I would chose a designated area.
- Yes. I enjoy having beer or wine with my meals occasionally
- Yes, it would entice more people without backyards to have a
- No
- Depends on the situation. Sometimes yes and sometimes no.
- Yes, because who doesn't like to have a cold beer on a hot day?
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- For sure, it opens up options to enjoy a beer or glass of wine while socializing.
- Not attached, I don't drink. I'm much more likely to go somewhere that I am allowed to smoke a joint...
- Yes. I would choose one that allows liquor consumption as it would be nice to sip a cider on a warm summers day.
- Yes, because I dont mind people having fun.
- Yes it allows for my variety and excitement
- Yes, because having an alcoholic beverage or two is not indicative or trying to get drunk or behaving obscenely.
- Yes
- Yes, if I was having a family/ friends picnic I would select it so long as the designated sites are of equal quality to other non-liquor friendly sites.
- Yes, because it's better to drink where you're allowed as opposed to drinking illegally.
- Yes, it would be nice for get togethers with friends. I've lived in other cities that have allowed this and it was never a problem.

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- yes.
- Yes for the same reason as above.
- Yes because we should be allowed to enjoy the outdoors to their fullest potential
- Yes. Because I would like to enjoy some wine
- Yes because having liquor would encourage the use of these sites above private backyards.
- Yes. It gives me and my friends/guests more choices to drink responsibly.
- Yes
- Yes, as an adult alcohol allows for a more let loose time which can benefit moral
- Yes. If i was to book a site, this would be high on a reason why. I would only look to book a site with a large group, and usually the group would want a few drinks
- It depends on the occasion, but generally yes.
- Yes. It would be nice to have the choice.
- Yes, this would encourage me to enjoy the parks more. Adults should be able to enjoy responsibly in nature, and host social events.
- I would prefer the one does not allow liquor consumption so that children are not exposed to it and also the picnic spot remains troublefree.
- Yes. So I have the ability to have a drink while eating, enjoying weather and having fun with friends and family.
- Yes, now it's just like hosting a party at home. I can offer people a drink with their meal. Nothing in excess.
- No
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- Yes it's nice to enjoy a cold beverage on a hot day
- Yeah nice to have a cold beer and some burgers
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- Yes, because enjoying a refreshment with your picnic should be allowed to accommodate all participants.
- Yes. I don't drink much, but it would be nice to have the option of being able to enjoy a glass of wine in the parks. It would be especially nice to enjoy the parks in the summer without being limited to patios & high liquor prices
- Yes! Because sometimes it's nice to have a glass of wine or cold beer while enjoying a picnic.
- Yes
- Yes. Because there is nothing better than a cold beer on a hot day, and a park is the perfect place to enjoy it.
- Yes. More attendance and people would stay longer.
- No because it's not important to the picnic. I don't believe in driving while high or intoxicated.



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- Yes! It is better to do it open and lawfully than conceal and unlawfully
- No safer environment for adults and kids
- Yes. Because it would mean I can actually enjoy my picnic.
- Yes I would. Drinks, food, fresh air and sunshine go great together.
- Yes. So that I can more comfortably enjoy my time.
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- Yes, because I'd probably want to have a drink with my picnic. Who wouldn't?
- 
- Yes, it would give people the choice to decide what type of beverage they want.
- Yes. As a responsible adult iwould love to have a single beer or cooler while having a picnic or bbq with friends
- Yes because it provides the opportunity to enjoy a drink
- Yes because having the option is always nice.
- Yes because I live in an apartment and can't enjoy the outdoors with a nice drink
- no i dont want to be around it.
- Most of the time yes to have the additional flexibility
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- Yes, because you can crack open a cold one with the boys
- Yes! It opens more possibilities and people will be drinking anyways. This just denies it of being a crime
- Yes because then more people would actually come outside and be less depressed
- Sure but honestly im not gonna book a site just to drink. I will drink wherever i want
- Yes, because I would want to be able legally enjoy a beer.
- Yes. See above.
- No. I do not want to expose my kids to liquor at public place and there might be disorderly behavior.
- Yes, couple beers with a bbq on a hot sunny day is ideal
- Yes
- Yes I would. It would give people the option to bring drinks if they wanted to.
- Yes. I would love to be able to have a drink while sitting outside having a fun day with family/friends
- Yes. Barbecues and beer are common backyard social events, this would simply be an extension.
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- Yes, it should be a matter of personal choice not governments
- For sure I would. Nothing beats a burger and a beer. Let's be honest people will drink anyway so why not regulate it!
- I would choose one close to my home so I would not have to drive.
- Yes I would.

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- Yes. A bbq is not complete without a beer!
- Yes. Our group of friends enjoys playing outdoor activities while enjoying alcoholic drinks. It gets us out of the bar and active
- Yes, so my guests can choose for themselves.
- Yes, as it allows more option to me and my group to enjoy a beverage as we usually would with our food.
- Yes. Because if I want a drink with my picnic, nobody should be able to tell me otherwise.
- Yes, so I can openly enjoy a beverage
- 
- Yes. It's nice to be out on a nice day have a bbq and have a bottle of beer in the sun.
- As I said above, I don't care about booking a picnic site. I want to be able to walk in the park with a beer in my hand, or sit at one of the benches in River Park with a beer in my hand on a hot sunny day.
- Yes
- Yes. Having liquor around has always been a part of my family gatherings.
- Yea, even if we have no intention of drinking atleast we can if we choose to
- Yes I would choose an alcohol site. As it is a time to be outdoors with friends and family and socialize in a family fashion.
- Yes. Options for my guests
- Given the option, yes I would choose to. People already do
- i don't book picnic sites. parks should be free for all.
- 
- Yes. I think lots of people choose to book a picnic site in order to gather friends and family for celebrations, and in order to enjoy their time together. Being able to have a cooler of beer or cider and maybe wine would make it more like home.
- Yes, I enjoy a drink outdoors
- Yes!
- Yes. It's nice to have a beer with a picnic lunch and isn't a big deal.
- Yes, as long as limits are in place
- Yes if we are hosting an event and would like to serve some casual drinks
- 
- yes.
- Yes, because then i could have a nice cold beer on a hot summer day in the park. Refreshment City
- No relevant
- Depending on the event I was hosting.
- Yes, I'd like to enjoy a beer with my friends.
- Absolutely not. Liquor ruins family's and people

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- Yes because some adults would enjoy having a beverage at picnic sites
- Yes, it allows for more activities
- Yes because my friends drink and they are less likely to come if it's prohibited
- Yes. I'd like to have wine with my picnic
- Yes, because I would rather be able to drink wine with my picnic than not. It'd be nice to not have to sneak it, because that's what most everyone does if it's not allowed.
- Yes, because something as trivial as having a beer on a nice afternoon shouldn't have ever been an issue.
- Yes
- Yes
- If I weren't drinking I wouldn't take a spot from someone who would be drinking.
- Yes I would choose one with liquor because it makes get togethers more enjoyable
- Yes. There's nothing wrong with bringing a few beers to drink while sitting along the river on a nice day.
- No, it would be too rowdy with younger groups of people who lack respect for others who may not be drinking. I'd prefer somewhere quieter where there are more families and more regulations in place. Non-alcoholic sites will be cleaner as well.
- No, people can drink at home or establishments that control the amount one can consume
- yes...sometimes you want a beer with your sandwich.
- Of course. Nothing beats a cold brew on a summer day in a park
- Yes, my friends and I tend to like hanging out and sharing a drink or two and if we are able to be outside it's even better than going to a bar.
- If I was drinking yes. If not no?
- Yes. As long as you're being responsible there is no harm
- It depends on the nature of the event.
- yes
- Depending on the event I was holding
- Yes. I am a responsible adult and I should be allowed to have a drink responsibly while I enjoy the
- Yes, depending on the occasion.
- Yes
- Absolutely. Nothing wrong with a beer and a hotdog on a nice day
- 
- No I can drink at bar or in my own back yard
- Yes. Even if no one in our group intended to consume alcohol, sometimes a select few may, and it would be nice if this was a possibility instead of being outright illegal.
- Yes, because drinking liquor in a park does not necessarily have to mean getting slammed, having drinks with friends and enjoying the outdoors can be nice

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- Yes, having a drink with a meal on a hot summer day may be nice.
- Yes, a drink or two during a picnic is wonderful.
- Yes, it's nice to have the option
- Yes as I believe I can drink responsibly with friends/family and enjoy a glass of wine with the meal.
- Yes. I'd rather have the option of drinking liquor at the site.
- No. Whether the picnic site is "zoned" for alcohol will have no bearing on whether someone drinks there or not.
- Yes. Because, freedom of choice.
- Yes
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- Yes. I think it would be great to occasionally have a beverage with a picnic.
- yes, me and my friends like to have beers while hanging out in the open
- Yes. It's like a bigger version of a back yard. Why not treat it as such?
- Yes, so I can enjoy a drink with my picnic
- Yes because it is nice to have the option of drinking liquor
- Probably not but it's possible. Typically we are there for athletic events.
- Yes
- Yes and no. Depends on the company and activity. It would be nice to be policed over everything.
- 
- Yes. Options have value.
- Yes. I do not wish to receive a fine for having to sneak in alcohol and getting caught with it
- It would depend on the nature of my picnic or event. Sometimes I might choose one that allowed liquor, sometimes not.
- Yes. Enjoy a glass of wine with my picnic
- Yes it is nice to have a cold liquor beverage on a hot summer day. We all drink at these places anyways we just have to hide the liquor where as now you wouldnt have to hide it
- it would depend on the situation. if going there for a kids birthday party, I would choose a site where it's not allowed, because a kids birthday should be about the kids only.
- yes
- Yes in the case of having an outing with friends, no in the case of a family gathering. My stance May differ if the sites were properly monitored, cleaned & there were consequences for littering.
- Yes, because I would enjoy a glass of wine
- Yes. Because I may want to consume alcohol and/or I trust that others consuming alcohol will do so in a way that does not impact me.
- Yes
- Maybe. It would depend on if I wanted to bring a bit of wine.
- Yes, family gatherings and BBQs. Inexpensive venue for wedding and events

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- n/a
- Yes, so the option is there if I choose to consume
- Yes. My party/guests would be interested in consuming liquor.
- Yes. I would favour a park that would allow the consumption of alcohol over one that isn't
- No
- 
- Hell yes, never too early for a good time with the lads
- Would choose one that does not allow alcohol
- Yes, I think its nice to have the option and enjoy a beer with friends and family. There is a difference between consumption and over consumption, people should have the option to unwind and have a drink on a hot day.
- Yes. Bottle of champagne for Sunday brunch, 6-pack of beer for dinner
- Yes
- I will not book a picnic site.
- Yes, options
- Yes, as I enjoy a glass of wine with supper
- 
- Allowing alcohol would be the only reason I would choose a picnic site.
- Absolutely, offers more flexibility.
- Sure would. Would allow us to make a decision as a family to consume or not
- Yes. If you're having a nice picnic or BBQ it is often quite enjoyable to have a alcoholic beverage to go with it
- Yes, I would choose no
- Yes. We drink anyway
- 
- Yes. Consuming one or two beers in the summer shouldn't cause I big problem weather it's with clean up or disruptive behaviour.
- Yes. Because who doesn't want sangria with their picnic
- Yes. Liquor is a park of how we socialize in our culture. Let's allow people to enjoy that in our parks
- Yes
- Yes. Why not?
- It's already happening. Could be a source of revenue.
- 
- Yes I would because it is nice to have a glass of wine or a beer during a bbq.
- Yes, because I like to consume alcohol.
- Yes, because no meal is complete without vino.
- Yes, see above answer.

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- Yes, for larger parties.
- Yes because I would love to be able to go out in summer and enjoy a drink while at the picnic site with family and friends! Right now I can only drink outside either camping or in my back yard so kinda restricted
- I don't know
- No. I don't see the need to drink on a picnic.
- No
- 
- Yes, always nice to have the option to have a drink on a hot summer day.
- Easier to socialize
- 
- Probably, yes, although it wouldn't be my deciding factor
- 
- No. Because it's crazy. There's enough drunk people. We don't need to encourage it.
- Yes, because having a summer drink with friends in a park would be great
- Yes to have the option...
- Yes. It would not be often, but it would be nice to be able to picnic responsibly with family and/or friends.
- Yes, being outside in the summer time a cold beer would be nice. I don't drink often but I would much rather that environment encouraging activity compared to a bar patio.
- Yes. I think responsible liquor use in parks would be a benefit
- Yes, nice to enjoy a beverage with a BBQ meal
- 
- No, I don't want to be around drinking. People act poorly
- Yes, because enjoying wine with a picnic is wonderful!
- Always, a nice day and a cold beer are best enjoyed together
- Of course! If I'm at a park having a bbq or a party of course I want to be able to crack open a beer
- Yes
- Yes. Won't have to hide it.
- Yes
- yes
- First off I wasn't aware picnic sites had to be booked. No, I want to make the choice to be in a drinking environment that is exclusive to those allowed to drink. If its allowed in parks is being allowed in every outdoor public area next.
- Yes, in case I wanted to share a couple of drinks.
- Yes. It's nice to have a beer if I want to. Look at Europe, drinking is allowed in everywhere in public, and it's not a problem.

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- You should be allowed to drink anywhere in the park.
- Yes. To enjoy liquor...
- Yes. Because the community I live in enjoys drinking responsibly
- Yes, people can decide right away... also charge more.
- Yes.
- Yes.
- No. Entertainment in parks does not need alcohol consumption
- Yes, it's nice to have a beer at a picnic
- in different
- Yes
- Yes, because always good to have the option
- Yes, because me or others would be able to consume liquor.
- Yes. So everyone can enjoy themselves.
- Yes and cannabis
- Yes, as I know as an adult we would like to consume liquor at our picnic site
- Yes- for adults in my group.
- 
- Yes
- Location would be more of a factor.
- Yes, I would choose a site that allowed liquor consumption. This would encourage me to utilize our parks more often for social gatherings.
- Yes, I have no issues with it and think it would be much more enjoyable to legally be allowed to enjoy an alcoholic beverage while having a family picnic or gathering with friends.
- Yes, makes bbqs more fun. No need to try and "hide" it in other containers.
- No. Do not want to be surrounded by others who will be consuming alcohol.
- 
- No unless you make it ok to smoke pot at the same sites
- Yes
- 
- Yes, because I would enjoy the ability to have a glass of wine or a beer with my picnic
- 
- yes. because you can drink there
- 
- Yes. So I can have the option of enjoying a casual beverage while enjoying the outdoors.
- yes, because i would want to drink
- Yes, so we could enjoy a glass of wine, or a beer with our meal.
- No i like peaceful camping

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- Yes to let people enjoy themselves.
- Yes. Often friends and relatives enjoy alcoholic drinks at gatherings and events
- Yes. I'd rather not risk getting arrested for packing along a beer or a bottle of wine to a park while attending a gathering with family/friends
- Yes, because I like to enjoy a few drinks with my food when I'm out with family and friends.
- If allowed I will never book at a dry site ever again.
- actually, I have never booked a picnic site before. I didn't even know you could do that.
- Yes, it's very common practice in Europe.
- 
- Sometimes, Yes. I would if the venue needed to suit the event and guests.
- 
- Yes because i like to have a drink when im having a pucnic
- YES, but depends on the event and time of day (e.g. a morning pic nic? no thanks. Afternoon... yes).
- Yes. Nice to be able to enjoy a drink outdoors in a beautiful area
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer/wine with lunch.
- Yes. Just in case
- Absolutely! Should be part of responsible and reasonable asult beverage consumption.
- No
- Yes. My friends consumer liquor on a social basis, so we would be more likely to book a place that allows this.
- Yes I would so there are no restrictions if anyone wants to drink
- Yes and no. I'm not a drinker myself but if my friends/family wanted to k would.
- Yes so I and my guests can responsibly enjoy an adult beverage (a beer/cooler or wine) with our meal
- Yes it's nice to have a beer or glass of wine with a picnic lunch
- Yes, as above. It's nice to have a beer with a hot dog or burger.
- yes, because I enjoy having a beer or a glass of wine while socializing with friends, especially outside.
- Yes, absolutely. The majority of adults are responsible and wouldn't abuse this.
- Yes, I'd like the option of bringing a liquor if I choose.
- Yes, it is very enjoyable to be able to have a glass of wine or 2 in the sunshine with other adults
- Yes, if it was a family or friends event similar to a brunch or dinner party where we would have alcohol consumption at home.
- Yes because it's nice to be able to enjoy a beverage outdoors
- Yes. It allows for greater diversity in groups that will attend an event or social group.
- Yes, if it's a nice site and not overpopulated.
- Yes, because I'd probably consume



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- Yes
- Yes I believe people are capable of behaving in public even if they have a beer or two
- No, don't approve
- Yes Some people like to drink .
- with little kids, I would choose one that does not allow liquor
- No as above
- Yes, my friends are responsible and make their own decisions.
- Yes, it would appeal to more people
- Yes
- Yes it is nice to have it as an option to have one drink at your event.
- No, because I dont think liquor should be consumed in a public place, where lots of children are generally around.
- Yes
- yes, absolutely. would love to be able to enjoy a beer or two, or glass of wine while taking advantage of our parks
- Yes. It offers an added option. I can be responsible.
- Yes, I like liquor and I like freedom.
- yes, so we can drink
- yes, options are always good
- 
- No
- Yes because most adults are capable of enjoying alcohol without it being a problem. Our summers are brief enough we might as well encourage people to get out and enjoy the parks anyway people wish to.
- Yes, so I can have a drink and not feel like I'm being watched or feeling guilty
- Yes, so I would be able to enjoy a drink
- yes. its always nice to have the option to have a drink with your meal
- Yes, summer time is short and sweet. Would be great to just relax more at a picnic site
- Yes because I want to consume liquor in the park
- 
- Yes because BBQ=beers
- 
- Yes
- wouldn't matter to me, just like a camping site
- Yes because I like to drink
- Yes. Why? Beacause I'm a normal person who enjoys the ability to enjoy a beverage with my friends.

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- Yes because it should be allowed, it's not a social danger when consumed legally and in moderation. Public drunkenness is already not allowed, so having a drink in the park should not be a problem.
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- If you gonna make it okay to drink it parks any table.is fine
- Yes, it's nice to have the option, just like you have the option to sit on a patio during the summer at a licensed establishment.
- 
- Yes, because these things are usually (for me personally) for events to celebrate, where we invite others because it's nicer view or bigger space than our home but we still want to celebrate. For that even though there are kids, means (responsibly) drink
- Yes - my friends and I are responsible drinkers, but enjoy drinking socially
- no - don't want to have to deal with people consuming alcohol
- Yes
- Yes, because no alcohol no point.
- Yes. I believe people have the right to choose.
- 
- Yes, to consume with food. I very much enjoy picnics in the park. Park picnics are culturally fulfilling and increase quality of life
- Yes, my backyard is very small and I would love to have bbqs in the park during summer and of course we'd like to have a beer or 2.
- Absolutely not. I want a quiet, tranquil place where I can commune with nature, not a roudy, noisy booze upfor a picnic, not a
- Yes because a nice cold beer on a hot day while picnicing is always refreshing.
- Yes. I would rather have the option to have a drink or two under the sun at the park!
- 
- Yes.
- Yes
- Yes - opportunities for responsible use
- Yes it's fine as long as people drink responsible. Just do a pilot for the year across all parks and test it. If "chaos" breaks out lol just go back to the old way.
- Because freedom.
- Yes... In the event that some people enjoy liquor it can become a regular part of the day... Like I said before within reason and responsible drinking like anywhere else in the city
- Yes, I like to drink socially
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- Yes, even if we don't drink the option is there

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- Yes because as are family grows up young adults will mostly come with if they can have 1 or 2 drinks
- It would not effect the decision. The park would be selected on quality and location.
- 
- Yes because enjoyed responsibly it makes for some fun stories
- Yes. For the obvious reason that you are not smart enough to tell me how to live.
- Yes, So that we are free to enjoy the beverage of our choice just like we would in our backyard.
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- Yes absolutely. Being able to host a party with some beer or wine at a public park would be great. I don't have space at home to host.
- Same reason as above
- Yes. I may want to have a beer, cocktail or glass of wine with dinner.
- Absolutely NO. We have young kids and I don't want our kids to see people drinking and fighting. As you know alcohol does not stay in the bottle the way it is. Once it is opened it will be consumed. And put tax monies will go to those people to treat them
- You don't book a picnic site. Yes I would, as you never know when a good time could be coming
- Yes
- I don't see myself booking picnic sites but I wouldn't be opposed to booking one that allows liquor consumption
- Yes.
- If the booking is for mainly adults, I would choose one that allows liquor. If it's mostly families with young kids, I'd choose one that didn't allow liquor.
- Yes, more people would come out if you can drink. Just because you can drink doesn't mean you will, people will find a way of getting home and not drink and drive.
- Yes, because who doesn't enjoy a little drink now and again with good company? Far better than sneaking the alcohol.
- yes. more freedoms for responsible adults is always better
- Depends on the purpose of the booking
- Yes
- Yes, because it's nice to be able to enjoy a drink with a picnic.
- Absolutely, it is part of my culture to consume alcohol responsibly at any family function, should we desire. This is not the same as binge drinking or "partying".
- 
- Yes because I enjoy an alcoholic beverage while picnicking
- Yes. Nothing wrong with people enjoying themselves.
- Yes when camping or at a picnic I like to enjoy a few drinks

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- Yes because often when I enjoy meals and social gatherings alcohol consumption is a part of that event
- Yes. Just like most restaurants have liquor licenses.
- Yes. I believe it would allow flexibility for my group. Non-drinkers would not drink, drinkers who would like to drink can enjoy a drink.
- no do not support public drinking at parks
- Yes, because I enjoy a glass of wine cause I am an adult.
- Yes. Gathering friends in a bar or restaurant can be expensive and difficult for those that don't drink. A park is open, those who don't drink don't feel pressured by the establishment to purchase, there's space to play and enjoy activities.
- Yes, because I think it is a selling feature. It doesn't mean everyone would be drinking, it means a beer with a burger while you hang out with friends and use the City park space for activities.
- Yes, to ensure we accommodate all invited in large family events.
- Yes, I would prefer to have the option to legally drink in public.
- Without a doubt. Same rules that apply to camping and drinking should apply to picnic sites.
- No, not a drinker
- 
- Yes - good to have a beer during a picnic
- Yes, to accommodate those who would like to enjoy an adult beverage.
- Sure, but again, I don't believe it needs to be restricted to picnic areas.
- Yes for the above reasons
- no. drinking is not that important in my life to consider it for a picnic outing
- Yes, so we can enjoy a beautiful day and some wine.
- Yes I would so that I could choose to bring a drink to the park.
- I would never book a picnic site. It would be nice to be able to show up and relax.
- Maybe, depends on the event/celebration and attendees.
- Yes. We host several family gatherings in parks and picnic sites and it would be nice for people to enjoy a beer or glass of wine.
- Yes, I enjoy liquor with food and friends.
- No. So I don't have to deal with rowdy drunk people
- No
- I would be indifferent, liquor would not be a factor for me
- No...hate to deal with drunk people
- Yes! Who doesn't like having a beer with lunch while outside on a beautiful day
- 
- Yes
- Yes, to give my friends and family the option if they wanted a beverage or not.

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- Yes. See above.
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- Yes. Even if I wasn't going to consume any alcohol myself that day, I would prefer to spend time in a public area with likeminded adults enjoying warm weather together.
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- I would choose based on location and amenities
- Yes if I felt like having a drink and no if I didn't.
- 
- Yes - because adults can be trusted to act like adults.
- 
- No - I don't want to be around drunk people and most people do not know their limits
- Yes. I enjoy a cold beer on a hot summer day spent at the parks with friends.
- Yes. It is nice to be able to have a few drinks with friends at a function.
- No I would avoid it.
- Yes, so that no guests violate a law.
- Wine with a date. Is reason enough
- Yes
- I would always choose a liquor positive environment because it is nice to have a glass of wine or beer with a burger especially while having a picnic with friends and family
- Absolutely. It's a common practice in every European country and does not seem to cause problems in public.
- No. As with campsites around here, the picnic experience is ruined when people over-imbibe. Picnic-ers have little recourse but to endure behaviour or leave. If the idea is to have a money-raising beer-tent, perhaps a special permit at a designated site.
- Yes, so there is at least the option if anyone wanted to drink.
- Yes, so that we could enjoy a drink on a sunny afternoon!
- Yes !!! There is nothing wrong with getting together with friends and enjoying some liquor responsibly.
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- Yes. It's nice to sit and enjoy nature with a frothy beverage.
- Yes, increases options
- Yes I would, because I would partake in consuming liquor or be the designated driver of friends who consume alcohol.
- Yes, the freedom to consume alcohol should be universally acceptable and not taboo.
- No
- No

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- Never
- No would not want to be around it
- Yes
- Yes some people can consume liquor responsibly
- Yes I like to have a drink on an outing.
- yes, because i would want to drink
- Yes as it would give me more options for planning.
- Yes, it would be more fun to have a few drinks while having a picnic
- Yes. Part of vacation camping is relaxing in summer with a nice cold beer in your hand
- 
- Allows soni can enjoy myself
- Yes, I like drinking liquor
- Yes I would book a site that allows liquor. Responsible consumption is perfectly reasonable in public.
- No, because people tend to get put of hand and I wouldn't want that around my children. People can become angry and violent not to mention potential drowning if they decide to onto the river.
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- Yes, but only if Cannabis is permitted as well
- No. I love drinking, but I don't feel it has to be done in an area that's not supervised like any establishment that allows drinking. If and when my fiancée and I have children, we wouldn't want them exposed to drunken strangers during a family outing.
- Definitely not. There is a strong possibility of disruptive behaviour by drinkers of alcohol, noise, damage,.
- Yes
- Yes, so I can drink while enjoying a picnic.
- I would not because of germs and all sorts of different things.
- yes if its an adult occasion it would be nice
- Yes, it is more suiting to my desire
- Absolutely, so everyone can enjoy
- Yes because I can enjoy a relaxing afternoon with my family.
- Yes, absolutely. It would be the same as camping, being able to visit with friends and family while having a few drinks. Drinking makes things more fun ;)
- Yes, see above
- Definitely yes. I would not be likely to book a picnic site unless it allowed alcohol.
- If there is a presence of policing the parks, then there should not be a problem
- No. Because of boozy neighbors.
- Yes

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- Yes, a glass of wine or a celebratory champagne would be nice! Or a cold beer in a summer day.
- yes, its awesome to have a glass of wine while sitting outside
- Yes.
- Yes because having the option is better.
- Yes, casual drinking is a key element in many social situations. Having not restriction allows for more freedom
- Yes, it is nice that have the freedom to choose if I want to have a drink or not.
- Yes, definitely. For many people, a beer or margarita is not a means to be drunk or to loosen up, but is actually just a pleasant / preferred beverage.
- Sure, that way I can have a drink with dinner and friends, and offer to share.
- Yes! This will allow everyone coming to a get together can feel comfortable in local parks.
- no
- Yes. Due to the fact that many people would love to have a beverage with bbq.
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- No. There's drunks on public transit. Drunks in existing parks. You can enforce it thoroughly. Stop trying.
- Yes I would, I enjoy alcohol based on it's taste and not it's side affects. I enjoy being on a patio, in my backyard while a glass of wine or pint of beer.
- Yes, because of the lack of patio space in the summer
- Yes, as on a hot day it would be nice to be able to have a cold beverage of my choosing
- Yes. My friends and I like to have a social drink. Just because a person has a drink doesn't mean that they are disorderly and will be intoxicated
- Yes absolutely- however I do think the space shouldn't have to be booked or purchased, and that liquor should be able to be consumed anywhere in the park.
- 
- Yes. I think that if people want to have a drink in a public space, they should be allowed to. Most people are responsible drinkers.
- Yes. It's fun! Wine and beer go really well with picnics.
- Yes! Even if I didn't want to have a drink with my picnic (which I do), I know that people are more likely to come out for a bbq in the park if they can have a couple beverages legally!
- Yes because it would be nice to have a beer or wine with dinner
- I wouldn't book one. I have a home and a yard where I can bbq naked, drink a whiskey while smoking a cigar and peeing off my deck.
- Yes, with responsible use of liquor and a chance to get into the outdoors without having to drive way out of the city.
- Yes, because I like having a drink while I socialize

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- Yes, but I don't think certain zones for allowing alcohol should be created within park spaces.
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- Yes. Even if not everyone wants to drink the people that may want to should get the option.
- No
- It doesn't matter to me
- Yes, because it's going to happen anyway. Why should people have to sneak in their liquor when it's legal? Why doesn't the government trust it's own citizens?
- 
- I would not go where there is liquor
- Yes, because I enjoy a beer or two with a bbq when I have one at home. Those without backyards could have the same experience.
- Yes, I would actively choose to go to one that allows it. Because then I could enjoy drinks with friends without worrying about getting caught for something that is harmless to others and that is probably more harmful as a law than if it was not a law.
- 
- Yes i do because I tend to want to have a beer or two while relaxing with my friends outside, as well as eating lunches and camping.
- No
- no
- Yes. Because it is nice to have to option to have a drink or not at a social gathering.
- Yes. There are no downsides, and it provides for greater flexibility.
- No. My family and friends don't drink.
- Yes, because its likely I would enjoy having a beer with my burger on a warm sunny day. Also, if only some picnic sites will allow drinking I wouldnt want to take one of the "dry sites" away from people who actually want one.
- NO. Because I dont want my children around inebriated people
- 
- Yes. Because drinking is fine. Wait, we're "booking" now?
- 
- Yes!
- Yes I would so that I could enjoy a drink with my food in the outdoors!
- No. Because while some people are able to handle and control themselves with alcohol consumption there is unfortunately some who cannot and it will in the long run ruin it for all
- Yes. I would enjoy a beer or wine with my friends
- Yes. In order to have one less available to those who would drink
- Yes



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- Yes, because I like to have a drink with my friends when having a get together
- No
- No
- Yes, I like having the options for friends and family if they want to have a beverage while we are out.
- Yes! If there is a party of adults they should be allowed to drink and they should have that option if they want.
- Yes - sometimes it's nice to have a beer with your burger!
- Yes, it's nice to have the option to have a glass of wine with lunch or have some beers with friends in an outdoor space big enough to do recreational activities at the same time.
- Yes
- Sure
- No
- Yes, because it is normal
- Never
- 
- It's a large part of our lifestyle as human beings
- 
- Yes so I can responsibly enjoy a beverage in our beautiful parks
- Yes, because it allows the consumption of drinks with your meal
- 
- No
- Yes. Extra choice in get together themes.
- Yes, because it is pleasant to share food and wine with family or friends.
- Yes, to enjoy a glass of wine with dinner
- Yes so I can enjoy a beer!
- It doesn't matter to me. We don't drink much.
- 
- I would probably avoid them. I Would prefer to not be around people who are drinking in those spaces
- No
- yes, if I can drink responsibly at home or in a bar being in a park will not change that.
- Yes, I feel that it would be a welcome addition to the picnic/bbq to be able to enjoy an "adult beverage".
- Yes, because it makes sense
- Yes, it gives friends and family an option to have a drink and enjoy the scenery and company.
- No
- Yes, more fun and casual time

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- Yes, we all have kids, having a beer with friends would be fun. We are mature enough - no one would get drunk, we can still drive home and watch the children. Just fun to hang out with friends with a cold one.
- Yes, a couple of drinks are nice to enjoy when having a picnic outside on a nice day.
- Yes, it's part of a normal diet (in moderation).
- No! No one can control how much liquor will be consumed or what kind of offensive behavior would potentially occur, not to mention the policing and medical costs at these picnic sites!
- Yes.
- Yes because it would be nice to have the choice.
- 
- Yes, to make sure that all people attending are feeling comfortable
- Yes because I consume liquor
- 
- Depends on the event I was booking for
- Yes - for the reasons stated in question 3
- Yes so i can have one drink
- No, I would not, for fear that other sites close to it also allow liquor and as such fear that people are disorderly and emboldened to drink and drive with a more public acceptance of alcohol.
- Yes, a glass of wine is nice at a picnic. European countries allow it
- Yes, because I would get more friends to join me and I would stay longer. It would be a full fun day outside of the house.
- Yes, so myself and any guest over 18 can unwind and enjoy the fun friendly atmosphere
- It doesn't matter to me, but people I am with may like to be allowed to have a drink while out.
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- Yes. So that we can enjoy a drink responsibly outdoors! Also so much cheaper for families to go on a picnic instead of going to a restaurant.
- Yes. I would probably consume and if I didn't I would have no concerns about others' usage.
- Nope. And I would prefer NOT to be near anyone who is imbibing. There are many, many places to drink. Lovely picnic sites need not be one of them.
- Allows liquor because I like to have a beer with my supper
- no
- No i want my child to be safe

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- Absolutely. I believe that responsible enjoyment of alcohol is a very wholesome part of a picnic. There is no better way to enjoy our beautiful parks without fearing trouble from the law
- Yes I would pick one. I want a beer with my burnt hot dog.
- It would depend on the occasion and how long we intended to be there.
- Yes.
- No
- Yes. A cold beer would be nice to enjoy in the park
- Yes, for the freedom to be able to drink if I want to.
- 
- No. Avoid any possibilities if unruly behaviour.
- Yes, it would be nice to drink beer with friends
- 
- Yes because it allows other the freedom to consume upon responsible choice
- Yes as as long as it was handled responsibly I see no issues and would enjoy having a drink in the park
- Yes, because I like being able to hace a few beers with friends in a nice setting. I live in an apartment and cant have backyard bbqs.
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- No. I'm sick of dealing with drunks and crackheads.
- Yes. See #3.
- Yes. Adults who drink responsibly will do so regardless of environment, the same is true for the alternative. Fine people for leaving litter & garbage and for acting inappropriately instead.
- Yes
- Yes. I'm currently likely to bring beer anyhow...
- Yes, so we can have a beer or glass of wine with our picnic or bbq.
- No. Don't want to have to potentially deal with drunk idiots.
- Yes,
- No because people can get loud and rowdy
- Yes.
- I would, so I could enjoy an alcoholic beverage with my meal.
- Yes, I'd love a glass of wine while enjoying a picnic.
- Yes, because it is a part of the picnic/bbq experience - to unwind a bit and relax.
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- Yes, would be nice to know is have the option of having a few beers after a long day of hiking.
- Yes. Because some days in the summer it's just nice to have a beer.
- I would as it's always nice to enjoy a cold beer on a warm day, while taking in our beautiful city parks
- Yes, because more flexibility. Fun group gathering.

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- No, because of the potential risks that can arise from misuse of liquor at picnic sites.
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- No. I do not support public liquor
- No. I don't need to see drunk idiots while trying to enjoy the outdoors.
- No, I would not want to expose my family to that environment as the idea of a picnic is quite the opposite.
- 
- No. It is harder to regulate who consumes liquor at a picnic site and what they do. Picnic sites usually have children and is close to the nature; if unmonitored, there could be an increased chance for accidents to happen.
- Yes, I like to have a drink with my picnics.
- I am thirsty
- Yes, it would give any guest that wishes to drink responsibly should be able to, picnics tend to occur during the weekend and can be the highlight after a long week working, most who drink, prefer to drink in social settings
- No I wouldn't want to pay, that's absurd. Just let me have a picnic and be responsible about it and I'll leave no trace when I am finished like any reasonable person.
- No. Don't want to be around loud drunk individuals
- Yes, it's nice to have options
- Yes
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- Yes. I would prefer it. So that my husband and I could enjoy a glass of wine during an inexpensive "date night".
- Yes, because I like to have a glass of wine with a picnic
- Yes I would. If there are designated spots for liquor consumption then why not.
- Yes. Because to each their own. And I'm an adult and am responsible for my own choices.
- Yes, see above.
- Yes, because food and drink go together in my recreational workd
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- Yes. Having a BBQ and a beer to relax. Very enjoyable way to spend an afternoon
- Book? Pfff. I'm drinking on the grass.
- No. Environment being not conducive for family environment
- Yes. I like to drink with picnics
- I would not choose a picnic site that allows Liquor. How do we make sure that there is no over drinking? How do we stop people from drinking and driving? There is a potential for underage drinking. How do we enforce drinking at designated areas?

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- I will not book a site that allows liquor consumption as people will inevitably start to misbehave, and it is a thin line to cross, no one with young children wants to be in the vicinity of those with low threshold to misbehave.
- No. Alcohol and idiots go hand in hand.
- Depending on the occasion, I would. If it were an occasion where I would serve alcohol if I were at my home, I would.
- No. This is not necessary
- Yes, my family members and friends enjoy wine and cold beer in the Summer, it would be nice to not have to leave the city and go camping or stare at your backyard fence to enjoy a cold beverage with friends and those with kids that can not come to bars.
- Yes, because it facilitates the expanded options for gatherers
- No
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- Yes, it would be a nice option to have
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- I like having the choice. And I would like my guests to have that same choice as well.
- Yes,
- Yes because everyone deserves a choice
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- Yes- because there is something wonderful about a beer or glass of wine outside
- It's a non issue. I don't go to parks to drink
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- NO. Too many crazy individuals who when drunk like to stab innocent people
- No
- No, it doesn't matter as long as it is not in big amounts
- No, I will choose a picnic site that is not allow liquor consumption
- Yes, so I'm not limited to options. I can have the freedom to choose if I want to drink
- Yes, because I enjoy having beer or wine with a meal, especially one that is more of an event, as a picnic usually would be.
- Yes. So my friends and I could have a drink with the picnic.
- Yes, alcohol at a park is safe on my opinion compared to on the streets
- yes
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- Depending on type of event but yes
- Yes, I enjoy a beer or two with my meals.

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- Yes - we booked a site for a company party 2 years ago, and it was a shame to play games and have a BBQ and not be able to offer our employees a beer or glass of wine, so last year we used a private space instead.
- Why am I booking a site?? I'm not living in mahogany....
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- Yes
- Yes
- Yes. Let it be my decision if I choose to have a drink while picnicking not The City of Calgary.
- Yes, I would love to crack a beer at a BBQ or sip some wine by the fire as the sun sets. I think its quite cozy and allows for community development among friends and family. Also! Celebrations in the park need champagne!
- Yes. Enjoying a social drink in a park shouldn't cause disruption to the general public. It's the same as going to a restaurant that allows underage (Boston pizza). Watch for unruly, don't bother the well behaved.
- Sure I would , it would be nice to enjoy a drink and have a picnic in one of Calgary's Parks. Potentially could get me out to explore different public parks more often.
- yes...having beer with friends
- Yes. Allowing liquor consumption at picnic sites, a public park would become a more viable and practical option for gatherings of friends and family. This is especially helpful to inner city residents who may not have a backyard or outdoor area at home.
- yes, because a glass of wine or bottle of beer would add enjoyment to a meal, or make the sunset that much more beautiful and relaxing
- Yes. Would be nice to enjoy a glass of wine with a picnic.
- I would prefer not to as I would not want neighbouring sites to disrupt my enjoyment if they are not responsible with liquor.
- This practice will increase safety and environmental risks. Drinking and driving will be another possible outcome. Our children will be exposed to seeing liquors.
- Yes. Adults are capable of behaving respectfully while also consuming alcohol.
- Yes. My family & friends don't book picnic sites as alcohol isn't currently allowed.
- Yes
- Yes - see answer to question 3
- Yes - so I can drink liquor
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- Yes, because it's nice to have a casual beer in the park.
- Yes. I believe that we can conduct ourselves in a respectful manner while also enjoying a reasonably amount of alcohol.

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- no, because I don't drink
- Yes, because if I were having a family picnic, it would be nice to enjoy a beer each with it.
- No because I usually don't book picnic sites. But I would feel more comfortable to have a drink in the park by my house.
- Yes - to have the option of having a drink if we wanted to share one with friends.
- No. Drunken louts spoil it for everyone. And who cleans up the broken glass, bottles, needles etc. ??
- Sure. I would make the booking more favorable, but I still probably wouldnt book one if I had to pay for it.
- Not at all. I don't want my kids or myself see disoriented people at a place we are going for enjoyment and relaxation
- yes its always nice to have a beer or beverage during picnics
- yes, because i like to drink wine while i picnic.
- Yes, it goes without saying that liquor and picnics/barbecues are more social with alcohol allowed
- Yes
- Yes. It would be pleasant to have a beer at a picnic.
- Yes because it would be nice to have the option to consume alcohol responsibly while enjoying Calgary's fine parks.
- I have never booked a picnic site. I did not know this was required.
- Yes, having the option is nice
- No, I will be going for picnic, not for drinking
- No. When booking a picnic site, I would prefer to not have to listen to or deal with inebriated individuals. I would prefer to not have to worry about leaving the parking lot with others who are potentially consuming and driving.
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- No. You don't always have to have a drink to enjoy the day
- Yes , it just makes me feel more relaxed
- Yes, because I like to have a few drinks when I get together with friends
- Most likely, most get togethers with friends involves drinking. It doesn't have to be much at all but usually someone wants to drink. It's the same as a bbq. There are children and adults at bbq's. Most adults will be drinking and enjoying themselves.
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- No, because they should all allow alcohol.
- No, if people need to drink, they can do it in private settings or bars etc.
- I will not choose one that allows liquor for the increased risk of having my kids exposed to disorderly behavior and other safety concerns.
- Yes, depending on the intended event.

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- Yes. See answer from question 3.
- Depending on the event, I personally don't drink anymore but know my friends would enjoy.
- I would choose yes cause if we have a BBQ then it's good to bring wine for the BBQ
- No, I would be afraid, to be honest.
- Yes, because a few beers is pretty normal and I would like to abide by the law while enjoying myself.
- No. The fact is, people do get loud and sometimes obnoxious and even disorderly and violent when they drink. I don't want to be around this at a picnic site and I certainly don't want my family to be, either.
- Yes - Enjoying a beverage with a BBQ is civilized
- Absolutely yes. It would allow the option of someone in your group to consume.
- Yes, it would be a factor if I had a choice, I would choose liquor.
- No, if I have a choice, why pick one where there may be problems?
- Yes, if someone wants a beer they will probably drink it anyways. Promotes healthy relationship with liquor.
- No, I don't want to see any safety issues
- No I won't it has dangers mentioned above
- Yes because would be more fun.
- Yes. To enjoy a beer with my meal.
- Yes, because I personally enjoy an alcoholic beverage with friends.
- No, I do not drink and would not choose to be around picnic sites with liquor consumption. I book sites to enjoy the facility, nature and the people around it. Also, it would be difficult to monitor & regulate under age drinking.
- Yes, I would. Booking convenience is also important so it would be a shame if there were limited liquor sites available and they were hard to book. To allow fairness to those who want a beverage, but also those who DON'T, all sites should be the same.
- At this time I choose not to use city picnic sites because alcohol is not prohibited. If alcohol was permitted I feel that I would use picnic sites to host small events with friends and family.
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- no
- Maybe, it would depend what I am booking the site for. ie kids bday vs. Adult bday
- Yes, because I would appreciate the option to openly have a glass of wine with my picnic.
- Yes - alcohol, when used responsibly, complements social gatherings.
- Yes. For the reasons listed under point 3.
- Yes, I enjoy an occasional beer, or drink, when BBQing with family/friends. It's nice to finally have the option.
- Yes, because enjoying a cold beer on a hot day is a great summer experience.



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- Absolutely. Hanging out on a beach or by the river just isn't the same without being able to have a cold one with friends
- No because I don't want my children to be exposed to it and it is not okay in our religion.
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- Yes. I want the ability to have a beer with a meal.
- Yes, so that I can consume Liquor
- Should not be allowed on picnic places
- Yes - just as I would enjoy a beer or a glass of wine with a meal in my home, I would like to do the same when out at a picnic site.
- 
- with a huge fee
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- Yes. To drink if want but always with responsibility.
- Yes. I enjoy a drink with my meal, especially during the summertime.
- No, I don't drink outside a home environment. If allowed, it may be better as people will do it anyway. What would the policing of these situations be like.
- Yes, to support the program, even if not drinking
- Yes - because it gives me one more option.
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- No because I disagree with Liquor consumption outside
- Yes
- yes, because my family, friends and myself like to enjoy an adult beverage while out having fun with loved ones
- Depends on the people and the event type, but I would be more likely to choose a gathering at a park for celebrations with friends if liquor was allowed.
- Yes, it's an added benefit to enjoy being outside and having a drink with family and friends in an outdoor public setting.
- I would NOT book at sites where liquor is allowed because I would be concerned about my family's safety. Also, some people choose to smoke while drinking and these areas will see smoking activities as well, despite of smoking bans.
- No, do not want to expose children to alcohol
- Yes, because I usually go for picnics with friends that like to drink
- Yes, would love to enjoy a nice wine or beer with some nice food, in a nice park. Could anything be nicer?!
- Yes, always choose the site that won't limit the use.

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- Yes.
- All sites should allow it - so why should there be a need to specify
- Yes. It is nice to pack a couple of beverages in your cooler to kick back and relax with. Otherwise I'm more likely to spend that time in my own yard.
- No
- Yes. I want to drink my beer without having to hide it.
- Yes, it is great to have the option to have a beer
- Yes
- Yes I would, because it is nice to enjoy a responsible drink while enjoying the outdoors
- Yes, not that we would always think about bringing liquor, but it would give us options if we did want to have one drink, or if our friends wanted to.
- yes beer and picnics go together like wine and cheese
- Yes. But I shouldn't have to choose. Hopefully, in time, there is no requirement to differentiate between sites.
- Yes. I'd want my company to have the option to drink
- Yes, because my family enjoys a cold beer on a hot day and is always responsible (as I believe most people are).
- Possibly
- Yes
- Yes. Responsible consumption of alcohol for celebrations and gatherings is part of my culture
- Yes
- Yes I would, it would be nice to enjoy a cold beer on a nice sunny day at a park
- Yes, I would like to be able to have the option of a drink with dinner
- Yes, to enjoy time with friends and family.
- Yes.
- I would not look at this requirement when booking as I don't drink (unless there was a price difference). I would choose a site that allows liquor consumption if I was going with people who do drink.
- Yes it's legal nothing wrong with a couple drinks
- I don't book a site. I would not book a site with liquor, as i don't want to be around any loud obnoxious drunks.
- Yes, just to have the option if you chose to drink or not.
- Yes, enjoy time with family
- I do not book sites - N/A
- Yes, entertaining family

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- Yes - but I think drinking (not being intoxicated) should be allowed everywhere, not just parks. This is common practice in Europe, Japan and Australia. Our outdoor liquor laws are currently on par with the Middle East.
- Yes, if I'm going with other adult friends.
- Yes. I think why is obvious.
- Yes to be able to enjoy a bbq and a couple beers with family and friends in a park setting
- Yes because I enjoy having a drink and think liquor can be consumed responsibly by most people.
- No. I would avoid it
- No, I don't think liquor use is necessary to enjoy my time outdoors with loved ones. Public intoxication is still illegal and in fact if sites allowed liquor use I would be more inclined NOT to book rather than book.
- Absolutely
- Yes. 1 or 2 beers while at the park with friends and family would provide a good environment to relax in.
- No I feel it is a family place and liquor does not enhance your family time. Also people in large group tend to act and speak inappropriately for a family setting.
- Yes, good to have the option.
- No I go to enjoy the outdoors not to drink if I want that I will sit on my patio.
- Yes, because alcohol is typically already being consumed. Might as well control it and make it legal.
- Yes, more freedom for adults to be adults.
- No I don't think it's necessary
- No, for reasons sighted above
- I would just in case someone I was with brought liquor. I would hate to get in trouble
- No. Concerns, of unruly behavior near by. Hard to monitor liquor intake, increased vulnerability on alcohol while driving.
- no because of kids
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- No because I prefer to socialise without alcohol
- No.
- No. I don't consume liquor.
- No. I would like to enjoy the picnic rather than have to deal with people that don't know how to control their liquor intake.
- Yes. A lot of times people would like to enjoy a drink while having a picnic and make a day event out of it
- No
- Yes. It's fun to have a drink with friends especially if celebrating something!

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- Yes. Have you ever been to a public park in Europe? It's much better with the option to have an adult beverage.
- No. Do not want to see drunk people there. I have kids.
- I would choose a place that allows Liquor consumption 100% of the time. It is nice to share a bottle of wine or brew with friends while out in the city.
- No, I don't drink and don't think others need to either
- Yes, to enhance my guests picnic experience.
- No, I Don't believe liquor should be allowed.
- Yes
- Yes, just to ensure it was suitable to do so.
- 
- Yes if that's what I'm looking for
- 
- Yes
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- It would depend on my intended use. No, for a child's birthday party. Yes, for an adult or family gathering.
- Yes because I like to drink alcoholic beverages, within reason, at bbqs and outdoor events.
- No. It is a. Stupid idea
- No I would not choose as I have safety and behaviour concerns . What if some one kills me and after that he escapes by law because he / she was under effect of liquor in park
- I would not use a site with uncontrolled liquor consumption for safety and liability reasons.
- Absolutely. Because I'm a foodie my friends and I love to have a cold beer on a hot day with my bbq. It would be nice to be allowed this freedom in our city's beautiful parks as well.
- Yes, because I enjoy having a beer or glass of wine with friends while I relax and I don't always want to do this just at home. I also object to having to pay a fee. I would view this as a tax grab....
- No, because being adjacent to people drinking liquor in a public park is a risk I'm not willing to face or put my family in the way of.
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- Yes, a picnic in a park with a bottle of wine.
- Yes
- No. I don't want to have to book it
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- Yes, because I'm an adult.
- Yes, because if I am having a barbecue, I want a beer or two.

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- Yah, some people like to have liquor at functions.
- Yes, because people do it anyways now people don't have to hide it
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- Hell no.
- Yes as I prefer to be treated like an adult.
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- yes because a glass of wine would be nice
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- Yes, my spouse enjoys a glass or two of white wine with a meal, and it would be nice to have a picnic with the option of enjoying the goods and beverages we enjoy.
- Depends on the event.
- Yes, if I was planning on having a get together with mostly adults
- Yes because it's great to be able to enjoy a drink when you're out in the parks.
- Yes because it's a less restrictive offering than a site which does not allow liquor consumption.
- I don't book picnic sites. I would love to but none are usually available when we have the opportunity to plan it. But if the opportunity to have a picnic on a blanket was permitted we would probably use that.
- Not a chance
- 
- If I wanted to drink alcohol at my event, yes.
- Yes, my friends and I enjoy having beers and being able to do that while picnicking would be a benefit.
- Yes
- Yes.
- Yes to cater to those that I invite. People should have the freedom to consume. As long as they're responsible.
- Yes I would like to be able to have a drink while at the park.
- Yes, responsible adults should be allowed to have a beer and bbq
- Yes, to give guests the option. Don't typically plan far enough in advance to book a site though. Would prefer that sites that are not booked also allow alcohol consumption.
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- Yes. So I can drink
- Yes, a single beer or glass of wine with a picnic or BBQ may be nice.
- Yes. One less thing for people to complain about. No stigma no complaints.
- Yes bc nice to have a drink with meal sometimes.

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- I would hope all sites allow liquor
- Yes of course.
- Yes. I enjoy a beer and a picnic is the perfect place for it.
- Yes, as I don't see this as something that would create a negative experience.
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- Yes, for a older crowd
- it does not matter
- Yes, why more restrictons on legal substances
- Yes
- Yes, but to be honest I think people drink in parks regardless
- Yes, social drinking is a key part of our society in many ways. Having the CHOICE, to consume alcohol or not at picnic sites, would make our social group more likely to utilize park picnic spaces and spend more time engaged in outdoor gatherings.
- Yes, gives me more freedom and I get to enjoy nice cold beer in oark
- No, I would not. No need to promote public drinking.
- possibly - have a glass of wine with picnic lunch
- 
- na
- Yes, I would.
- yes
- Yes.
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- Yes, as some people may want to have a drink
- If booking, would choose yes. Not scared of liquor consumption by others, laws against drunk and disorderly conduct would still be in place to deal with any potentially unruly behaviour.
- Yes
- No they all should allow.
- Yes, because people already drink responsibly in public.
- Yes, more flexibility and reduce fear of fines.
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- Yes. See point 3.
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- Yes. I drink in the park anyways, why not do it legally?
- No. I want to enjoy being outside, not listen to a bunch of drunken idiots.
- Yes, liquor is a large part of social culture in Calgary (and Canada) and should not be vilified.
- Yes, because it allows for a more fun, enjoyable, and leisurely experience.
- Yes

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- yes
- Yes, picnic + a beer or two sounds fantastic
- Yes, goes with good food
- I drink when I picnic now so I don't care
- Yes, because there is nothing wrong with consuming liquor in public
- Yes, more flexibility to accommodate people's preferences
- Yes so we can enjoy some if we like
- Yes because it is a normal part of life anyways. No need to try and fool minors.
- Yes, because I enjoy consuming liquor in moderation, especially if it goes well with the fish I've prepared
- Yes
- no
- Yes, because it would be nice for myself and friends to have the option if they choose to drink
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- Yes, but I'll be honest, I'm not going to book a picnic site anytime soon.
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- Yes because why not have the option?
- Yes, because drinking responsibly should not be prohibited.
- Sure, because why not!
- Yes, my family and friends are responsible.
- Depends on the group of friends I am going to the park with.
- Yes.
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- Yes
- One that doesn't allow Liquor. I don't want to deal with stupid!
- Yes, I create amazing picnics and wine pairs nicely with them.
- Yes, as I am an adult who enjoys alcoholic beverages as do my friends and family. This would allow everyone to feel comfortable drinking or not.
- No, I don't want my children exposed to drunk behaviour - drunk young adults could also cause property damage.
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- Yes, allows members of the group to enjoy themselves without worrying about a ticket.
- No
- Yes, a few casual drinks while eating lunch and playing games with friends would be nice.
- No - location is key

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- Yes. For those who would like to drink, they can.
- Yes, being able to have a drink while bbqing or relaxing at the park is a nice bonus.
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- Yes
- Yes
- No. Don't drink.
- Yes, I would choose one with liquor consumption because a glass of wine or a beer with my picnic makes it a special occasion and increases my joy in the activity or sharing food with friends and family.
- YES because although I don't personally drink it would be nice for my guests to be able to enjoy a drink without breaking the law
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- Yes, but I also believe alcohol consumption should be allowed in all parks
- yes - I would like to have a beer while having a picnic with my friends and family
- Yes. To be able to consume alcohol.
- Yes always. Liquor For me is used as a form of celebration and we can build this in with nature it's a win win.
- Yes
- Yes, however if I want to have a drink in a park I'll have a drink in a park, so long as it's within reason and respectful of the environment and other park users. What you're trying to create is giving people licences to have keggers in the park, myopic.
- Yes, have one or two drinks on a hot day with family and friends with food and games. It sounds like an incredible summer day
- no
- Yes. Limited outdoor venues for leisure activities. If people are already using these sites with alcohol, it would be beneficial to have them regulated.
- No. Because it should be allowed regardless and at all sites/parks
- Yes, it enhances the experience and free choice of picnic goers.
- Yes, because again, having a couple of adult beverages and enjoying the summer weather is something most people enjoy. I would personally look to having more events at city parks if alcoholic bevies were allowed.
- No because I don't need to drink in public
- Yes
- Yes, because I'm an adult and I'll decide what I want to do.
- Yes. Why not?
- Yes, because I enjoy drinking an alcoholic beverage or two with my friends at picnic events.



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- No because there wont be any liquor consumption allowed. If it does think about the littering, misbehavior, exposure to children, and damage to mind, body, and soul
- Yes if the booking designated between the two and if the social group accepted it.
- Yes because we drink at park anyways
- yes - I thought it was already
- 
- Yes. Don't feel it would affect my decision.
- Yes. I enjoy a social drink with family and friends outside in nature.
- Yes, to enjoy a drink on a nice summer day.
- Yes. Why not have that option?
- Yes. Although I'd prefer if all picnic sites allowed it so we could just go to the park instead of having to pre book it.
- Yes, because some people prefer a beer to a pop
- i wouldnt drink liquor outside
- yes
- N/A
- Yes, I would love to have some wine or a beer while using the picnic facilities or BBQing
- We as a family enjoy our food and pairings. This is a big part of our social life, and having foodies and chefs in the family with a huge appreciation for both.
- Yes. Because, I, a normal human being, may choose to enjoy an alcoholic beverage outside on a nice day.
- Yes.
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes.
- I would, because why are you limiting my freedom to act responsibly as an adult
- Yes. I enjoy drinking a beer while having a picnic/grill.
- Yes because I drink.
- Yes
- Of course!
- Nope.
- Sure.
- Yes. So that myself or another in my party can have a drink if they wish.
- Yes, because its more fun to have a few beers while having a picnic or a bottle of wine.
- It's all about choice!
- Yes, option for liquor
- Yes, I love bbqs and a cider.

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- No. I won't be drinking therefore why do I want to see others drinking. You cannot smoke anywhere so why should you drink everywhere.
- No, alcohol is damaging to health and should not be condoned or consumed.
- Yes. I enjoy consuming alcohol safely and think that it can be done for fun without hurting anyone
- Yes.
- It would depend on what I was doing if I was having a kids bbq/birthday party no. Family picnic in the park yes.
- No. I don't like it when people consume alcohol in public places
- All should allow.
- Yes so I can have fun
- Yes, it's nice to have wine with food in a park.
- yes having an option is always good even if i dont drink i know others who do
- Yes, because I'm a responsible adult and can behave myself.
- 
- No. Typically would book for a family oriented event.
- No.
- Yes, if i drank
- Yes, honestly I'm more likely to picnic since I can bring wine.
- Yes absolutely. Drinking should be allowed anywhere in public not just parks.
- 
- Yes! When drinking in a park is legal people will habitually not over use or abuse the situation therefore I would be happy to have other people enjoying as well.
- 
- No cause don't need alcohol in every places
- 
- Yes, because then I would be able to consume liquor.
- 
- yes. a picnic is not complete without a glass of red wine. Bocce with a beer is always fun too.
- Yes. Its would be nice to have the option to imbibe responsibly on a sunny day in the park.
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- Yes because it is better
- Yes, it makes for a better social experience.
- Yes
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- No - would want to avoid encountering inebriated neighbours
- Yes, the option to consume liquor helps encourage adult gatherings and gives a feeling similar to being at home in a backyard.

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- No. It is unnecessary and increases the risk of disorderly and dangerous behaviour.
- Likely. Picnics are generally special meals and a beer on a hot day is refreshing. I see no threat of increased problems at park sites. Those that cause disturbances drink there anyways despite current laws.
- yes. I trust my friends and I to be more responsible with liquor when in a public place.
- No, I do feel this is a necessary addition to a picnic and so would boycott the use of sites that allow alcohol even if I do not plan to consume any myself.
- Yes, it would be fun to enjoy some ciders in a park!
- Yes, so I can drink.
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- Yes, because it's normal for adults to consume alcohol if they choose.
- Of course.
- Yes. What is wrong with a glass of wine while enjoying a meal on a summers day?
- Yes, it's nice to have the option.
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- Yes so I can enjoy an alcoholic beverage outside at a park
- No. It is as site I would pick if given between smoking or non smoking. Sites around will be stinking with the smell.
- Depends on the picnic.
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- Yes
- Yes but limiting the law to only picnic sites is short sighted. Please look to other jurisdictions with open liquor for better and more effective legislation
- No, liquor is the cause of many problems
- Yes, I would mind a beer or two on a hot sunny day, to hang out in the park.
- Yes because i'm not really affected by it. And also so i'd have the option to consume liquor there if I wanted to, whether i originally planned to or not.
- No, because some people are not responsible drinkers. They can cause harm to others.
- It wouldn't be taken into consideration If i wanted to drink at a picnic site i would do it whether it's permitted or not.
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- Yes. I am a responsible adult and can drink responsibly.
- Yes, because it benefit myself or my party to be free to drink alcohol if they please at an outing. Personally, among my social group I know more people would be open to joining us or utilizing parks more if we were able to.
- No
- Yes, so that can have a drink.

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- No. I have no interest in drinking in public parks, and would actively attempt to book sites away from those allowing alcohol.
- Yes, because I want to be able to enjoy a drink responsibly while outside in public.
- Yes. Also, I do not appreciate the fact that one needs to book a site. The government should get their nose out of people's lives and let them consume liquor like they do in Paris on the grass in front of the Eiffel Tower.
- Yes, who doesn't enjoy a cold beer on a hot summer day within reason, and without having to hide it.
- Yes
- Yes, I'd like the option to consume alcohol in a park, if i so choose.
- No. I'd never drink at a picnic site.
- No it's not a priority for me
- Does not matter much to me.
- Yes because sometimes its nice to have a social drink with friends while having a gathering.
- 
- yes. You can legally consume alcohol in many other public places like campsites, bar patios or many public areas in the US. A park gathering is no different.
- Probably.
- Yes. Because I believe that everyone should be allowed to feel relaxed at the park. Me, but also the guy next to me that lives in an apartment building and just wants a beer in the sun away from the bar
- Yes, because having a drink in a nice outdoor space is very nice.
- Yes
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- Yes. I enjoy being outside and would like to have a drink with my lunch.
- Yes it would be a benefit to have wine with my cheese
- Yes. I am a responsible adult and I enjoy a beer with a burger at a picnic, just as I would at home in my backyard. It's my right and freedom to do so and I understand that I must own up to the consequences if I abuse that right and freedom.
- Yes. So it doesn't have to be hid
- yes in case people I'm with would choose to have a drink.
- Yes
- Not everyone has a backyard.
- No. Outdoor picknicking is about enjoying the fresh air and being in contact with nature. I don't want to have to fend off the inevitable drunks that will come into the park, or get drunk after they arrive.
- No. Don't want to be around intoxicated people who could be inconsiderate (e.g. loud music). Happens while camping which is why we choose backcountry spots instead of car camping.

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- Of course. Having more choices is always better than less choices. Alcohol shouldn't be demonized.
- Yes
- Yes, I would partake.
- Yes
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- Yes, as above picnics and beer go hand in hand!
- Indifferent
- No - I do not want to go to a picnic near a bunch of drunks
- Yes. It'd be lovely to have a beer in the park on a beautiful day!
- yes
- Yes.
- Yes, if you are legal you should be able to make the decision of when and where I consume alcohol providing I am not causing harm to others
- No. Sets a bad example for kids
- Yes. I would like to have a BBQ or picnic while sharing a bottle of wine, beer, etc.
- I don't really drink so it wouldn't matter to me
- Yes. It's a legal substance. Even if I'm not drinking, I'd want my guests to have the option.
- Yes. There's no reason not to
- Yes. To allow for the flexibility if someone in my group wanted a drink.
- Yes so I can consume responsibly
- 
- No, I don't want my family put in danger.
- Yes, I think it's a wonderful experience to share a bottle of wine with friends in the park. Like in Europe.
- Yes. I'm Italian. Not a big deal.
- No, I would drive to a picnic site so would not want to be drinking.
- Yes
- It depends if myself or the group is drinking or not.
- No. Read above
- Yes since liquor is an aspect of being social in that environment
- Yes.
- Depends on if I wanted to have a drink or not.
- No, I would not. I don't want to be surrounded by drunkards.
- Yes, for the increase in social options
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- Yes.
- Yes, allows the option if chosen.

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- Yes. I have many friends and family who support this proposition. Picnic areas are for friends and family.
- Yes, because I would like to enjoy a beer outside of my home or restaurant.
- No
- Of course. Because I would want the option to consume liquor.
- Yes
- Yes, I enjoy drinking a beer responsibly while having a picnic and I believe adults can act responsibly
- Yes! I love going to picnics with family and friends to socialize, so having the opportunity to responsibly consume liquor and socialize would make it the choice I make first, 100% of the time.
- No, I would not book a site that liquor consumption was allowed. For the reasons listed above.
- Yes
- Yes, I would book a liquor site it opens the opportunity for a nice afternoon.
- Yes
- no
- 
- I would not be booking a picnic site. We don't often picnic in public places. I would choose one that does not allow liquor, if we did.
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- Yes because I would like to engage in the consumption.
- Yes, therefore it allows people of age to enjoy liquor as oppose to exposing it to a minor.
- Not because I wouldn't want my children exposed!
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- No, I think this is only going to cause more problems. It won't be enforced as most bylaws aren't.
- 
- Yes, nothing beats sitting by the river having a beer.
- yes, this would allow my friends and I to have a social drink while celebrating special events
- Yes I would, It would be nice to publicly be able to have a beer while bbqing or doing other activities with friends and family.
- 
- No, because the increase of disorderly people and my children being subjected to those who are irresponsible with their alcohol consumption.
- 
- It would depend on the occasion - yes for a special event - no for an average picnic
- No since I am for no liquor considering the misbehaving attached to it
- Yes, then not having to "sneak" it into our cups!

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- yes I would. Because there is nothing like and iced cold beer on a hot day. I am an adult and I know how to drink responsibly.
- Yes
- Yes
- Always if I was with a large group. It would get more people to my event. But I don't personally always drink, so might not need a specific picnic site if I was going with one or two other people.
- I've never booked a picnic site, and probably wouldn't in the future, so I can't answer this.
- Yes, because I like to have a beer with a picnic
- No, for the reasons mentioned above
- Yes. So I can responsibly enjoy a glass of wine or a beer.
- Yes. I won't have to worry about being fined over having a beer on a nice afternoon with a picnic then.
- 
- Yes because it's nicer to have the option. Doesn't mean I'm going to drink each time, but nicer to have the option
- No. It would probably be littered with beer cans and broken glass, as will all sites that allow liquor.
- Yes. Option is nice.
- No. This should be family friendly environment.
- Yes. Simply because a picnic is a social event and alcohol is the most social beverage for the average adult
- No, I don't see a need to have liquor at every event that I hold or attend
- 
- Yes, basic freedom
- Yes because I like to drink beer and wine
- Yes, but I'll drink the liquor regardless.
- yes, obviously. These laws are archaic.
- Yes, because no need to spend extra money to go to a bar or restaurant and sit on a patio, adds to the social experience, ability to enjoy delicious food and beverage together while having a picnic and no need to sneak or hide alcohol from authorities.
- Yes - because I know it's a designated site and, presumably, some monitoring could be in place (i.e. the City knows who booked the site in the event there are issues or complaints).
- I would have a drink with it without. It would be nice if the laws were updated to reflect current times.
- NO
- Yes. Helps the enjoyment of the meal.
- Yes. Freedom of choice
- No

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- Yes. I find it quite enjoyable to have a glass of wine with a BBQ steak and in a condo without a BBQ it makes it very appealing to rent out a site that allows liquor.
- No, most people are driving
- Yes, because I want to drink
- Yes, to not be punished for drinking.
- Yes. Because our bylaws are draconic
- We don't book sites, though we do use them, but there are times when we'd definitely like the choice to bring adult beverages
- 
- Yes
- most definitely would chose one that allows alcohol consumption. I think that all sites should allow consumption of alcohol
- Not a chance.
- Yes. For reasons As stated above.
- Yes. I don't drink very often, but it's nice to be able to when getting together for a special occasion
- Yes
- Likely yes, both for work and for personal events liquor is often consumed and this would allow such events to occur in parks where they were previously unable to.
- 
- Yes, especially if it's a gathering between friends/family
- Yes. Freedom.
- Yes
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- Yes. Would like to drink wine or beer while enjoying the outdoors.
- no
- Yes, if it were a group of adults without children that would be perfect. Restrict the sites to areas where children are less likely to be around. BBQ and a beer go hand in hand.
- Parks should be for kids not drunk adults who usually get into fights and bad behaviours. Legal weeds now drinking in the parks! What's left for our kids to be kids?
- No... chances are it's not going to be a peaceful evening if people around you or drinking liquor in public
- No
- Yes, see answer 3
- 
- No, not really relevant to me and my family.
- For above reasons
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- Yes, because we are adults that can enjoy company and some drinks
- NO! I would not want the problems that follow. You increase the risk of drinking and driving as well as unsafe areas for family functions .
- Yes.
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- Yes
- I'd be indifferent.
- Yes, even if I do not want to consume liquor, I know others might.
- I would so my friends and I could have a beer while we are.
- Yes, for work, or pleasure most of my friends prefer being able to drink.
- Yes I would
- Yes. It would be nice to occasional have a lilt wine or beer with an outdoor meal.
- Yes I believe that there are people who can drink responsibly and should be allowed to do so.
- Yes, I believe casually drinking will engage the public more.
- Don't need to be in that environment. Campsites allow liquor consumption. Look at the effects of that.
- Yes!!! So we can drink wine while hanging out with friends, playing board games, having a BBQ, lounging by the river, reading, etc etc
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- Yes, it's a more cozy atmosphere...without all the limits.
- I would, but would prefer not to have to pick and just have the option to drink anywhere, like so many other civilized cities throughout the world. Look at Paris. Iconic city but allow drinking anywhere.
- Yes - depending on the guests.
- Yes, because freedom.
- Sure!
- Yes because I enjoy wine with a picnic.
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- Yes
- No, you don't need liquor to enjoy the outdoors.
- No; I'd rather drink discretely at a site that does not allow liquor consumption. Would be worried that a special drinking site will be in a "party-zone".
- Yes
- Yes
- Yes, because it would be more enjoyable and all participants the choice of bringing a beverage rather than going to a bar before or after
- Yes, I think it's nice to have the opportunity to have a drink of alcohol if one chooses to do so
- Yes, because it's 2019. Having a beer with a bbq is almost as Canadian as maple syrup.

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- Yes, because we can barbecue and have a civilized meal
- Yes, so my friends can have a beer or a cider if they want
- No, I don't want to deal with people who may have over consumed alcohol
- No. I believe all parks should allow it.
- Based on the location only. I would not book a site based on Liquor consumption.
- Yes. Because it a beer or a wine can complement a meal and it should be seen as a normal activity.
- Yes because I like freedom
- 
- Yes. Make them all allow liquor consumption and give people the choice.
- No, as per the concerns in question 2
- 
- I've never booked a picnic site because they currently dont allow consumption. So yes.
- Yes. Because using alcohol responsibly also teaches our children responsibility.
- 
- No, I don't think it is necessary to drink (or smoke pot in parks).
- To not to drink my Glas of wine from my coffe cup.
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- YES - because drinking a beer or wine with my food is a normal thing.
- Yes, if one of the guests wants to have a beer I figure let them.
- If required, but I would prefer no special requirements.
- Yes because that is how I like to socialize.
- Yes for the reasons I stated above in question 3.
- Yes, but it should be permissible everywhere in parks
- Yes, because I would enjoy having lunch with my favourite beer.
- Yes, because as a responsible adult I should be free to enjoy any beverage I like with my picnic
- Yes, summer bbq's, I live in an apartment and don't have a backyard to do this in.
- Yes because I find liquor a welcome addition to a meal
- No, I don't drink and I choose not to be around people that drink
- Yes, picnics and wine sound just fine.
- More enjoyability
- Yes. So the adults can enjoy a beer without hiding it.
- Yes, because we would consume liquor there, great for birthday parties etc.
- Maybe. Not sure how much it matters to my friends.
- Yes - because it would make the picnic better.
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- yes because I can
- Yes, so that my guests have the choice.

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- Yes just incase
- Yes, my friends and family enjoy social drinking and always plan ahead to prevent drinking and driving.
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- Yes.
- Yes, it's nice to enjoy a cold beer on a hot summer day
- Yes. Everybody drinks at picnic sites anyways.
- If I am hosting an event yes. I spend time in many Calgary parks and observe (and rarely participate) in public drinking already, as long as it is discreet and respectful of others.
- Yes because I'm a responsible adult
- No. I have witnessed too much disorderly conduct along the riverbank and also when there is influence of liquor with hot weather.
- Yes because you can consume liquor. Why is this questionnaire so conservatively skewed?
- Depents on the event, kids birthday not likely but a buddies 40th birthday perhaps.
- Yes. Responsible consumption of alcohol in a public space especially when paired with food poses no problems.
- Yes. It would make me more likely to use the parks.
- No, don't want to risk my safety
- 
- No, because you don't need to drink when you're at a park.
- Yes because it will be nice to be able to enjoy a nice beer out in the open enjoying nature. The few who would cause problems would cause problems whether or not it was allowed anyway
- Yes.
- 
- Yes.
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- Yes.
- Yes
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- Yes so my family has a choice
- Yes, I would probably want the option.
- Yes, because it's nice to have to option for guests to drink if they would like to
- Yes I would. It would be nice to have a bbq in one of the cities wonderful park and also be able to enjoy a beverage or two with the people I love without being harrassed for such a simple act.
- yes
- To enjoy a glass of wine or beer with my meal.
- No, I don't drink.

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- Yes.
- Yes, we're smart responsible adults
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- No
- Yes, just to have the option
- Yes. Having a nice glass of wine with good food in an outdoor setting is a true pleasure in life. As someone who lives in a condo and doesn't have a yard, this would be a lovely way to not only engage in community spaces but enjoy the beauty of our city.
- Yes
- YES! I'm a big boy who can control how much I drink. Having this option is a right that the government shouldn't restrict. If people are idiots, slap them with a fine. Until then, government should screw off and get its nose out of my life.
- 
- Yes! I would want to bring wine to any picnic.
- Yes - it brings more people out and creates a more fun social environment
- N/A
- No. There's no need to have alcohol at a picnic. I drink, but don't find I have the need to have a drink at a family setting in a park.
- Yes, given that rules that are in place to prevent rowdy behaviour and littering.
- Yes. It is enjoyable to have a drink while having lunch. A park offers a meeting place so you can meet friends outside of your home.
- Yes, but shouldn't have to book nor limit to picnic sites
- Yes. I like drinking while picnicking.
- Yes, I enjoy (responsibly) imbibing as part of my leisure activities.
- Yes
- Yes, because I feel that I should be able to enjoy a drink with my friends in the park
- Yes. I'd be responsibly consuming liquor.
- Yes, because I would want to consume liquor at such a site.
- Depends on the type of event
- Yes.
- Yes. Because I believe freedom of choice and consumption is important.
- Yes because it will allow anyone that wants to consume liquor to be able to without fear of repercussions.
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- No
- Yes!! Part of a barbecue or hangout usually involves a couple beers, would be way more likely to go out for that!

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- No, because you can't control how other people behave
- no.. if you need alcohol to eat or have fun then stay home or go to a pub. too many people get obnoxious and have problem staying with just one or two..
- Yes, it allows the flexibility to drink or not if you so choose.
- Yes, because I enjoy a cold beer on a nice day
- They should all allow liquor consumption. We need to get past this idea that liquor is somehow sinful. Be progressive, look at France, Germany, Denmark, etc....
- Yes, for the flexibility if I wanted to have a drink
- Yes, because I don't believe in controlling what people put in their bodies.
- Yes so I can drink.
- No...see question #2
- No
- Yes, because sharing a drink with friends is a normal adult behaviour
- No
- Yes I would book one that allowed liquor, its relaxing to have a drink at a group gathering. Quebec is way ahead of Calgary
- Yes
- Yes because I don't have any hang ups regarding liquor consumption
- 
- yes
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- No, safety may be at risk.
- Yes, because I enjoy having a social drink with friends
- Yes
- Yes, I would only choose the ones allowing liquor
- Yes, because I enjoy the outdoors and I also enjoy a glass of wine while i'm bbq-ing
- I would not care as we drink very little. I am not concerned if others drink responsibly.
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- Yes. I do not drink a lot, but it is nice to have a beer or glass of wine with a BBQ. I would use the park morw rather than staying home.
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- No it is not appropriate at all
- Should not be allowed in any public place/spot.
- Yes, to drink.

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- Yes I would, that way you don't have to hide it, and as long as your being responsible it should be aloud and not frowned upon
- Yes, It's great to have a beer on a beautiful summer day while on a picnic.
- Yea
- Yes, even if I wasn't going to drink, I would still choose it. It removes the limitations should I decide to change my mind.
- Yes, because I drink.
- Not! I don't want to expose my family to any acts of violence and misconduct
- No. I go to a park to enjoy fresh air, outdoors and wildlife. I don't want to deal with loud obnoxious drunks.
- 
- Yes. It's just nice to be able to have cold beers outside on a nice day
- I would book one that would allow alcohol.
- Yes.
- no, don't want to be around people getting loud and inebriated in public. Will end up with more people relieving themselves in the bushes nearby.
- No, I wouldn't want to be around people abusing alcohol.
- Yes, because I like to have a glass of wine or a bottle of beer with a picnic in the summer.
- Yes, picnics and a beer or glass of wine go hand in hand
- I don't book sites, but I should be able to bring liquor
- Depends on situation.
- 
- yes- having casual drinks with dinner/ a bbq would make me more interested in visting the park for an outing
- YES CAUSE FUN
- Yes, why not?
- Yes - Nice to have a glass of wine outdoors sometimes, and good social experience
- 
- Yes. More fun.
- Would not affect unless there is a history of problems
- No - potential mess of the site, drunk users, safety issues
- Is booking a single table possible? Casual consumption of liquor (e.g. beer with lunch) is less concerning than drinking associated with a party at a booked group picnic site.
- Likely. It is lovely to share a glass of wine with friends over a picnic
- Yes. Members of my picnic group, including myself, may want to enjoy an alcoholic beverage.
- Yes. Being able to consume liquor openly is a benefit
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- Yes, for the ability to have an alcoholic beverage while having a picnic, similar to a campsite.
- No, as above
- Yes, depending on the reason for booking.
- No
- Yes. I'm a responsible adult and would like to enjoy a beverage of choice while enjoying the park.
- I would never book a picnic site (and don't today) unless alcohol consumption was allowed
- No. Because of the potential for disorderly behavior.
- No, for the safety of my family and for religious purposes
- yes, so people can drink
- Yes because it is nice to have the option for myself, or others joining me, to responsibly drink during our time in the park.
- I would be fine with picking up a liquor consumption site even if nobody plans to consume any alcohol. Same as any provincial campsite.
- 
- No. No need to drink all the time.
- Yes, more freedom even if I don't drink.
- Definitely. I would like the option to consume alcohol
- No.
- Yes. It would be nice to be able to legally enjoy a beer or two while having a summer bbq.
- odds of me ever booking a picnic table are beyond slim, but I support increasing individual freedoms and the responsibilities that go along with them.
- No. If I want a pint, I'll drop into a live music venue.
- Yes, absolutely. Freedom of choice for all attendees.
- Yes
- Yes. We drink and would use parks more for gatherings.
- No
- Yes, so the people who are not driving may have a drink on a hot day
- Yes. More options for me and my guests
- No
- 
- No.
- yes, most people are responsible
- Yes because I would want my friends to be able to consume a glass of wine or beer
- It would depend on the event.
- Yes so that as an adult I could respectfully enjoy taste beverages
- I would choose the ones that allow liquor consumption as people would have a choice.
- Yes, if I am sharing a good meal with friends, I like to have it paired with wine

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- Yes, but I think it would be confusing to have some that do and some that don't. It makes more sense to just have consumption rules at all sites
- No. I don't want to picnic with my child where there would be a risk of drinking teens/young adults
- No
- Definitely not. I do not drink and do not like being around drunk people.
- Yes, for a party with adults.
- Yes. Would like a picnic with a glass of wine or beer—very European.
- All picnic sites should allow responsible consumption.
- Yes. Would like my guests to have that option.
- I am unlikely to book a picnic site in advance - the beauty of a picnic is that it can be impromptu with some sunshine and provisions
- No. I go to the park to enjoy the scenery and spend time with my family.
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- Yes I would because it has more options
- Yes, why wouldn't I?
- You have to book picnic sites? Can that requirement be removed? If not, yes I would. Because why not? Hopefully the city doesn't set it up like the smoking section in restaurants where all the alcohol tables are on one side of the park.
- Yes, I enjoy having a good time. A bottle of wine while picnicking makes for a lovely afternoon
- More fun, great social gathering. Less worry about concealing liquor
- yes, just incase some people wanted ot drink.
- Yes, I would...it's nice to have a choice to drink alcohol outdoors in a public location without fear of legal ramifications
- Yes. So that I can consume liquor
- Absolutely. It gives the option to enjoy liquor with your picnic.
- Yes
- 
- Yes
- Yes. Regardless of whether or not I would like to consume alcohol, I would support the opportunity for the other members of my group to do so.
- Yes since I would normally bring beverages already
- Yes because responsibility drinking is part of being and adult and part of our Canadian culture.
- Yes if the function I was hosting warranted it
- Yes



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- Absolutely. Get together with friends and food and a few drinks are fun ways to spend a summer afternoon.
- Yes. Why not? We should have this option.
- Yes. I like beer.
- Yes I would. I enjoy drinking a beer in the hot sun.
- 
- Yes, even if I don't intend to drink the freedom to do so for others is there
- Yes, I enjoy having a beverage when I picnic
- Yes, as long as I thought someone was enforcing rules around public intoxication. If people are being obnoxious and inconsiderate, they should lose the right to use these spaces.
- Yes, to be able to enjoy a drink with fabulous food
- Yes
- It would depend on the occasion, but yes. If the occasion called for a couple cold beers or a champagne toast, absolutely.
- yes, if we are trying to increase density, then more people will be in condos, should have a place to be able to have a BBQ and a beer with friends.
- Yes. I enjoy a glass of wine with food
- Yes, it promotes the use of public spaces for family events instead of cramming into someone's yard or home.
- No
- Yes, because I would like to bring liquor to the park.
- Yes. A casual beer on a hot day is nice.
- Yes. Why wouldn't I?
- Yes. Because celebrating and summer BBQs are typically paired together
- 
- No, because I don't need to see people drinking and making a fool out of themselves when I'm trying to enjoy my day.
- Yes, because it is nice for myself, or others I may be with to make an adult decision to have a beverage and not be bothered.
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- Yes. I enjoy a beer or glass of wine with dinner on special occasions, it'll lead to wanting more special occasions celebrated outside.
- Yes so that if responsible adults chose to imbibe they could do so legally.
- No. Drink in your own backyard at your residence.
- No, I believe this will take money out of the pockets of restaurants and bars in the city of Calgary.
- Allows, because more fun.
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- Yes
- Yes. Because I enjoy a casual beer and already bring them along with me. Now I won't have fear of getting in trouble for it.
- Yes. I live in an apartment, so having a space where i could have more people attend for a summer get together would be excellent
- Yes because I drink
- Yes, it is nice to enjoy the short summers we have by spending it outside and it's nice to have a beer or wine while BBQing or enjoying our parks.
- Yes. We like to have a couple of beer or wine while eating outside. Do this while in Europe and enjoyed it.
- Yes because I do enjoy being able to have a drink while being outdoors and socializing
- Yes. Nothing wrong with a beer two while bbq'ING with friends and family
- Depends on the event.
- Yes, because it's enjoyable to have a couple beers at a picnic.
- No. I don't support the idea of liquor consumption in the park.
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- Yes so I can drink liquor responsibly at the site
- Yes, so that I have that option if guests want to have a drink.
- Yes. Unless they charge when there is a free option.
- no
- Yes I would. This is because it is nice to eat a meal with a drink for a reasonable price. My only other option is usually expensive patios and bars. Most of which are downtown, near concrete and not it nature/ park areas. It's more relaxing.
- Yes. It's more natural.
- Yes, because I would like to have the option to consume liquor.
- Yes. I would like to be treated like an adult. Places such as some countries in Europe have already done this to great success.
- No, See question #2
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- Yes, having a few social drinks goes with sharing food together.
- Yes! It's so healthy to eat outside with friends and have a glass of wine. Not everyone has a backyard, but everyone should have access to green space where they can enjoy a glass of wine in the summer.
- It wouldn't affect me either way, I don't typically drink but if my friends or family wanted to have a few drinks I suppose I would book one that allows for consumption.
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- Yes.
- Wouldn't affect my choice.
- No safety issues
- Yes
- NO.
- yes because food tastes better with wine.
- Yes because then I know I have the option if I wanted to consume alcohol.
- Yes. Afternoon beer with a picnic is always nice
- Yes. We often don't book because liquor isn't allowed. We would use them much more often.
- No
- Yes. Just allows for more options when choosing a site.
- No.
- Yes
- No
- Yes I would. I would definitely book a picnic site for a family function. If people want to drink they can, and if they don't want to, they don't have to. Adults can act responsibly.
- No
- No! I don't think we need to allow drinking in the park when children are playing around them.
- No
- No way. Because I like to bike, relax in the park, not interested in drinking
- Depending on the purpose of my event
- No
- Not a chance
- No no
- No
- Yes. I have no issue with responsible consumption
- No
- No
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- Yes / more sociable and refectory my background.
- Yes because I enjoy going to a patio for a drink, but being able to buy cheaper liquor and choose where to enjoy it would be nice.
- no
- Yes, because I am a responsible adult and having a cold beverage on a hot day in a public park by the river will make me love my city even more
- Yes, of course. I like being able to consume some wine or other beverage with my meals, as a matter of course. Not being able to do so is idiotic.

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- No. Mainly because of safety concerns. I don't want my kids to feel drinking liquor is casual. Unexpected behaviour could be another reason.
- Yes. I would like to be able to have a beer out in the park on a nice summer day.
- No - I'd like my son to not be exposed to alcohol so much. It would be nice to count on a park being dry
- Yes, because my family would be able to bring alcohol.
- No. I feel there are lots of other opportunities for people to gather and drink if they want.
- Yes. Freedom of choice.
- yes, ALCOHOL .,
- Yes
- Yes. It is nice to be able to have a beverage while you are eating.
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- Yes, because enjoying a beer with friends should not be a crime.
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- No. I'm not interested in potentially being around drunk people
- Yes. Allowing for liquor consumption provides greater flexibility of festivities.
- No. Definitely not!
- 
- Yes, because I, much like others would like to enjoy a drink while spending time with friends and family at a park.
- Absolutely. It frustrates me that we even have to have this conversation. Can we not all be responsible adults and let each other have a glass of wine on a nice day in peace? This shouldn't even be a discussion and should've been allowed for years ahead
- 
- Yes, I would like choose the site that allows liquor consumption. I want people to watch my public drinking
- Yes - As a family we arrange large BBQ's. It would be nice to have a large BBQ with a beer each.
- We'd select one that doesn't allow liquor consumption. We have no need for this option.
- Yes, because I'm an adult and I drink responsibly.
- Yes, just in case guests would like a drink
- No, public areas like this are crowded and people should be respectful. Alcohol is detrimental to that.
- Yes, only if the purpose of my gathering involved socializing with responsible adults. If you can have a beer while watching the Calgary Flames at the Saddledome, then why can't you enjoy a beer in a city park on a summer day.

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- Some times I might. I think it is good to have some not allowed and some allowed. this then allows for people who don't want to be around alcohol or who don't want their kids around alcohol to have the option.
- I rarely consume alcohol and would look primarily for site amenities like view, trees, washrooms. It would be nice if my preferred sites allowed alcohol as that would increase activity options.
- Yes because people like to enjoy a beer, hard lemonade etc with picnics.
- In general, yes. It would be nice to have the option to have a beer at an event on a hot summer day.
- No, we should not allow liquor at the park at all
- Yes, because a glass of wine with a nice picnic sounds lovely.
- Yes because I, and a lot of people I know, sometimes like to enjoy an ale with their burger.
- Yes, I personally enjoy a couple beers
- Yes, I would like to be able to enjoy a cold beer on a warm day in the park. I'm sure many people would.
- Yes! Welcome to the 21st century where reasonable choice is allowed and supported.
- No. If I want to consume alcohol with my friends and family I have other options, such as one of our homes.
- Yes, because it's fine if you want a drink.
- No, it's idiotic to think some picnic sites would be allowed alcohol and others wouldn't.
- No; I have children with me
- Wouldn't choose this ever. I can have lots of fun with our alcohol. It's completely unnecessary.
- no
- Yes. I want to have a few drinks with friends.
- No. I believe that there are enough establishments for this already, for those wishing to drink to choose from.
- no / not necessary to have liquor at a picnic
- maybe
- Yes. I'd love to be able to enjoy a glass of wine or beer while getting together with other families.
- Yes, so that I could bring liquor
- No. Drinking publicly can increase violence and disorderly behaviour
- No, I'm there with my family and don't want liquor around for kids and others to see.
- No, i'd avoid parks that allow it.
- Yes, more opportunity to enjoy the outdoors.
- Yes. I enjoy having a beer at social gatherings and being able to do so within the city limits at a park would be fantastic.
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- I don't think it should be an option. More vulnerable people being exposed to liquor. There is no understanding that you can even book these sites and 0 oversight. I had to kick ppl out of my booked site. There wasn't even a sign to explain they were book
- Yes. In case someone in my group wanted a glass of wine or a beer.
- No
- Yes. My friends and family are responsible drinkers who would enjoy a beer with their bbq in the summer.
- No, disorderly behaviour and encourages drinking and driving.
- No. I believe it would ruin my enjoyment of the day by others actions around me.
- Yes, because I am a responsible adult that enjoys one or two alcoholic beverages with my bbq.
- Yes. having a beer with a picnic BBQ should not be a crime.
- Yes
- no, due to the concerns noted in question 2
- Yes ... it would be nice to have a glass of wine with my picnic lunch.
- Yes
- No, because I don,t want pukes drinking in public parks.
- Yes. Having a bbq or some sandwiches with an alcoholic beverage in the summer is one of my favourite things to do. Having less restrictions on where I do it makes my life better.
- Yes. I don't want to get drunk, but I would like to enjoy a casual beer with my lunch on nice afternoon in a park.
- yes, because i want freedom
- Yes.
- no
- Yes. It's the Social part of most gatherings.
- Yes, more flexibility's
- If it was appropriate for the event I was planning then yes. For example a child's birthday party versus a bbq for adults.
- Yes. I'd be drinking.
- yes - if no small children are attending.
- yes
- Yes, I don't think allowing alcohol makes people rowdy. Forcing people into certain areas makes drinking feel abnormal, and as such, becomes a form of rebellion and encourages misbehavior.
- I WOULD CHOOSE ONE THAT ALLOWS LIQUOR, NO DIFFERENT THAN ALLOWING KIDS IN A RESTAURANT THAT SEVERS LIQUOR.
- Yes because you have a choice to have it or not to have it.
- Yes definately. I do not drink myself so not important to me however I would like for the people I am socializing with to feel comfortable to consume without having to hide it.

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- Yes, more options.
- Yes
- No. I would be less likely to book a site for a family or children's event knowing neighbouring sites might be drinking.
- I would choose one that does not allow liquor because it would be more likely to have less damage and garbage around.
- Definitely No: when I go to a park I prefer to enjoy nature and a quiet environment and I derive no pleasure from the company of rambunctious enebriated individuals
- Yes, my family likes to attend parks for social gatherings. Drinking safely and responsibly of course.
- Yes a bbq gathering is always better with beer
- Yes, absolutely. It's always nice to have a beer with lunch if wanted.
- Yes because if I am booking for a gathering with friends or family, it would be nice to have a beer while hanging out.
- Yes, to be inclusive.
- Yes, it would be a good way to hang out with friends and have a drink when your kids are running around
- no as how others may react while drinking
- Sure. Allows me the option of consuming alcohol.
- Yes, it would be nice on a hot summer day to sit with a drink
- Yes as sometimes I like to drink wine or beer. Especially with friends or large family gathering.
- Yes, if the situation required it.
- yes, friends and family all enjoy some alcohol during gatherings. It would be nice to not be limited to home or private property.
- Yes, depending on the event. Because our family and friends consume alcohol at social gatherings? Why else?
- No
- Yes, as stated above, access to a larger activity and gathering area, which would also allow moderate consumption, which would contribute to greater use of public space.
- Yes. Drinking is awesome
- Yes. Having a drink outside is very enjoyable for many people.
- No, I do not think this is a good idea at all.
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- Yes, because I usually book with friends and we like to have a few drinks what hanging out
- No
- No
- Yes, I enjoy socially drinking
- No

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- No, because I'm not interested in drinking in the park
- No. I don't want to pay to go to the park
- Yes. What is brunch without mimosas.
- No. I'm not a drinker.
- Yes, because I want to be able to enjoy a bottle of wine.
- 
- No, because we don't drink and we prefer to not be near the possibility of disorderly behaviour caused by drinking.
- Yes if it was that kind of event
- Yes. Drinking liquor does not necessarily equate to being rowdy and unruly.
- Yes. Because I would like to enjoy a festive beverage while picnicking
- Yes, more enjoyable.
- Yes
- No. I don't feel it's necessary to have liquor at a picnic site. I feel that if people feel the need to have liquor there are enough establishments that serve liquor for them to go to.
- No. there's no need. if you can't spend one afternoon/ meal without booze you have some serious life problems.
- 
- Depends on the situations, but yes
- Yes, being able to have a glass of wine with dinner would be a bonus and encourage me to use public parks more often
- Yes. To enjoy a glass of wine with my lunch or dinner
- no
- Yes as an adult I would prefer to be in spaces where if I want a nice ice cold Alberta brew with my veggie burger I can.
- Yes, I would like the freedom to choose.
- I would only consider booking where it's allowed. Period.
- Yes. Because I think people are capable of being responsible.
- 
- NO, to much of a risk of being exposed to people drinking to much
- yes
- No
- 
- Yes
- Yes, because I am able to responsibly enjoy alcohol anywhere and I like to have a drink with a picnic!
- Would depend on the purpose of the picnic.



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- Depends on the event. Most likely, no so I don't have to put up with any potential drunks.
- Yes as it would allow people to responsibly enjoy a beverage. It may also increase the usage of the sites since people will be able to use the sites and have some alcohol present.
- Yes, it would be much preferred to be able to enjoy a drink when utilizing a picnic site.
- No. To get to a site one must drive. Drinking and driving is against the law. What's wrong with this picture?
- no
- It would depend on what kind of a group I was booking for. My thoughts don't necessarily reflect the beliefs of the people I associate with.
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- Great opportunity for familys to choose, Id choose alcohol if I wanted to have wine and if I am with just my kids non alcohol
- Indifferent - I do not consume alcohol
- Yes, whats better then a cold beer on a warm day?
- Yes
- No, our family prefers sites without liquor consumption. I do not drink and many people who do drink become drunk and it often leads to poor behaviour and safety issues.
- No, I would never encourage or promote consuming liquor in public places.
- Yes, because it would enable me to serve alcohol to my friends when preparing a barbeque, and encourage more time/use of outdoor parks. I don't have a backyard, so a picnic site would be great to utilize!
- Yes. Same reason as above.
- Probably. We often enjoy a drink at social functions. Having permission to have a drink in a park would just be a nice addition.
- 
- No, picnic should be peaceful and joyful, enjoy the outdoor. If you want liquor part, do it at home or elsewhere.
- No, because I dont want be near to people that are drinking to avoid problems
- 
- Yes, depending on location and type of gathering being organized.
- Yes, because there is nothing wrong with enjoying a beverage in a responsible manner when having a picnic
- Yes. Why limit myself.
- Yes, because the majority of people have a responsible attitude towards alcohol consumption and this would allow for me and my friends to enjoy a couple of beverages while enjoying the outdoors.
- Yes, if it's a choice between the two options, it makes sense to go somewhere you can have a couple of casual drinks without being afraid of getting fined

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- Yes, I believe it would be no different than a patio.
- Yes. Provides flexibility for the guests that would be using the picnic site.
- Yes, every time. Leave the option of having some beverages open.
- I guess yes? I don't normally book sites.
- Yes, as I like to have a relaxing drink once in a while, and simply to have the option is a big deal to me.
- All sites should be allowed
- 
- I would try not to pick one where alcohol is allowed to be consumed. If it was my only option I possibly would.
- 
- Yes. My picnics generally include responsible alcohol consumption.
- Yes because it happens anyways, and we're always responsible and respectful, if not even more so.
- I wouldn't book a picnic site. That's a joke in itself
- Yes so I can have choice in what I pack
- No, I'd drink anyways.. I never get drunk
- No because all the people want to drink will be concentrated there. I go to a the park to enjoy the nature, otherwise I would go to a pub.
- NO. I spend a lot of time in our parks; I go to enjoy the green space. Often I witness people not respecting these spaces by either disregarding the rules or being ignorant of them, ex. wading in the Reservoir, cycling on walking paths, littering.
- Yes. Some people bring liquor anyway so might as well keep it legal.
- Yes, because I may like to have a drink.
- I would drink regardless. Just like many do already. Catch up to modern times. This isn't 1856 still.
- Yes, it would be nice to have the option
- No, Liquor consumption increase social misbehavior.
- Yes when I'm with friends I'd drink with (and we're drinking) and no when I'm with my son and/or friends with children when we're not drinking. Family time is different than adult time and unless I'm controlling it, I'd prefer to keep my son away from it
- NO. I do not require liquor to enjoy a picnic in a park.
- It would depend on the event-my daughter's 11th birthday? Likely not. A family reunion? Yes
- No.
- No. It may cause inappropriate behavior from some of the people.
- No because I dislike being around liquor. People's behaviour changes, and are usually louder and more rowdy.
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- no, there is a proper place for liquor and parks is definitely not one of them. its like youre saying lets allow smoking pot in parks.
- No. I can enjoy myself fine without liquor.
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- No. See No. 2 answers. I do not want children exposed to drinking, Drunks can be unruly. People are more exposed to danger and misbehaviour.
- Yes I would.
- Yes. Drinking doesn't need to be associated with bad behavior. Around the world drinking is a large part of social life and culture. Why not integrate that into Calgary life and culture?
- Would choose a picnic site that has NO liquor allowed!!
- Not likely as the people I associate generally don't drink.
- Not at all
- No
- Yes, so I can enjoy my day the way I would on my own property.
- Yes as this allows those who drink the flexibility to enjoy some alcohol if they wish
- Yes
- No. Same reasons as above.
- potentially, unsure
- yes: generally a better time at said picnic sites. no: too many people.
- Yes, of course. If I was hosting a function of some sort I'd definitely book a liquor-friendly area for the benefit and option of my guests.
- I would depending on the occasion.
- yes, its nice to enjoy a drink with friends.
- yes, its nice to enjoy a drink with friends.
- yes, more enjoyable experience
- yes, nice way to spend a sunny day with friends.
- Yes I would - I enjoy having a drink here and there, would be nice to do it in the sun, or by the river.
- No becuse wherethere is liquor allowed there is always trouble do not waant to expose my family to that .
- yes, wife likes wine with bbq's,
- yes
- Yes
- No.
- I dont book them. I find the process stupid.
- Responsibly...
- Yes! I think it's great that we can have that freedom and enjoy our beautiful parks with a nice drink too

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- Yes because I would like the ability to have a drink at a gathering if I chose to
- Yes, because it is more open to people, makes it more welcoming.. and also serves to help destigmatize liquor consumption
- Yes, more enjoyable
- 
- No
- Yes. Wine/beer and picnics go hand in hand.
- No
- No. Potentially disruptive behaviour nearby. Worried about unwarranted violence
- It doesn't matter; liquor in non-liquor containers is an easy work around which many people employ. If it was a non liquor site, it wouldn't change a thing.
- 
- yes, same public intoxication laws should apply but people should be able to have a couple drinks
- No I would not. There is too much potential for others to walk onto the site and cause problems.
- Yes, because I would enjoy the option of having an alcoholic beverage if desired.
- Yes, nice to have a drink with picnic
- Yes
- No. I just don't think it's necessary to drink in a park. Others may need that to round out their park experience but frankly I don't want to be in a public park with a bunch of drunks.
- No. I just don't think it's necessary to drink in a park. Others may need that to round out their park experience but frankly I don't want to be in a public park with a bunch of drunks.
- Yes, a family meal should allow liquor to be consumed.
- didn't know you had to book, so how many others don't know and would just go and drink.
- 
- No I don't want to deal with drunk people while having a picnic.
- If the cost were the same it wouldn't matter
- When booking a picnic site, I would not choose one that allows liquor consumption, as I don't drink and I prefer to not be around alcohol consumption when enjoying a picnic site or a day in a park.
- Yes, in order to have the option to consume beverages with alcohol is people in our group desire.
- Yes. People are going to have drinks, anyway, so now I don't have to be worried about them getting caught at my site.
- 
- yes, I can supervise my own child's activity and do not feel they will be impacted if they see adults consuming a beer
- Yes, for full enjoyment of our short summer season.
- Yes, to fully enjoy our short summers
- No, I do not support liquor consumption.

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- Yes. So I can enjoy a drink in the park
- Yes for enjoyment with friends and family
- Yes. Honestly, I already consume alcohol in parks.
- Yes. As long as rules for behavior in public are followed it would be enjoyable to have a beer or glass of wine socially in a public picnic area.
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- Yes, because I enjoy drinking liquor responsibly outdoors. However I also don't think liquor consumption should be restrictive or site dependant. I think the choice should be left to those who are using the sites to choose to consume liquor or not.
- Yes. It's a large part of Calgary's social network and more people will use the licensed sites.
- Would not book a site for liquor or otherwise. Parks should be available for use by chance. Go early and don't stay late.
- Yes.
- Yes. I don't see the liquor consumption as a problem. For me is time to relax e enjoy.
- yes of course
- Yes
- No. Not needed. Drink at home.
- Yes, because liquor consumption in public spaces should not be criminalized or villified.
- Yes for social engagement and freedom to pick beverages.
- NO ! I do not want to be exposed to any sort of drinking from irresponsible people
- Yes. Because it's nice to have a choice
- Yes absolutely, we don't shun a glass of wine with dinner in our home so why would we do this in a picnic environment.
- Yes - To have the option
- No, Does want to see Drunk people around myself and family/children. Safety and Crime concern.
- Yes because drinking liquor is part of socializing
- No
- No
- No
- 
- No.
- Yes I would because if I want to bring a bottle of wine or some beer, I can do so without fear that I'm doing something illegal
- No.
- No.
- Yes, as I'd like to be able to drink legally at one
- No

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- No.
- No.
- NO.
- No.
- No
- No
- No, absolutely not. It would be a poorer experience.
- Yes, so I can invite friends and relatives who may want to responsibly enjoy a drink. It's not my place to police their appropriate drinking choices.
- Yes, because people should be able to drink in a park if they want. Of course, with responsibility!
- if i wanted to drink
- I would specifically choose a site that does not allow liquor consumption. In particular, I have serious concerns about the behaviour of people who are drinking, particularly around children who are likely to be present at picnic sites.
- Definitely not. I am concerned about people drinking to excess. It only takes one badly behaved group of people at a picnic site to ruin the experiences of others around them.
- Yes. Our summers are short. We should enjoy them to a maximum amount.
- No
- Yes, even if not everyone drinks it is nice to allow friend and family the option to enjoy the way they want to.
- No,
- No. Not good
- No, dangerous to kids