

## FEEDBACK RECEIVED THROUGH POP-UPS & SOUNDING BOARDS

### Sounding Boards / Community Engagement Banners

Bob Bahan	March 14 - April 11
The Alex	March 22 - March 30
Ernie Starr	March 13 - 22, 2022
Library	March 28 - April 11
Fuse 33	March 14 - April 11

### Pop-Up Events in the Community

Bob Bahan	22-Mar-22
The Alex	30-Mar-22
Ernie Starr	13-Mar-22
Library	2-Apr-22

**QUESTION 1: What facilities, activities and spaces would you like to see in a future recreation and cultural civic centre? What do you want to experience in this space?**

**(512 Ideas Generated)**

### Indoor Spaces (218)

Indoor sports / activities (65)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Basketball (12)</li> <li>- Badminton (11)</li> <li>- Running/Walking Track (9)</li> <li>- Volleyball (regular + beach) (8)</li> <li>- Gym / Equipment (8)</li> <li>- Yoga/dance/martial arts studio space (6)</li> <li>- Indoor rollerskating / skate park (2)</li> <li>- Climbing wall</li> <li>- Indoor sports fields</li> <li>- Lacrosse</li> <li>- Dodgeball</li> <li>- Squash</li> <li>- Tennis</li> <li>- Pickleball</li> <li>- Lawn bowling</li> <li>- Cricket practice area</li> </ul>
Swimming pool (63)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- General desire for swimming pool (14)</li> <li>- Hot tub/sauna/steam room (10)</li> <li>- Swimming lessons are high demand (6)</li> <li>- Water park / water slides (6)</li> <li>- Shallow/kids/baby/seniors pool (5)</li> <li>- Bigger pool (3)</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Lane swimming (3)</li> <li>- Better maintenance (2)</li> <li>- Longer hours (2)</li> <li>- Lifeguard training centre (2)</li> <li>- Diving board (2)</li> <li>- Wave pool (2)</li> <li>- Separate swim lesson area</li> <li>- River/current pool</li> <li>- Therapy pool</li> <li>- Pool for hijabs</li> <li>- Bigger dressing rooms</li> <li>- Mens swimming area</li> <li>- Womens swimming area</li> <li>- Pool attached to bar and club</li> </ul>
Library (15)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bigger library (9)</li> <li>- Virtual library</li> <li>- Bigger tech area</li> <li>- Library for kids</li> <li>- Integrate library and swimming pool</li> <li>- More history books</li> <li>- New chairs</li> </ul>
Community hang out space (14)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Indoor community movie space (4)</li> <li>- Board/card games (4)</li> <li>- Shared social / gathering area (2)</li> <li>- Table tennis</li> <li>- Activities spaces</li> <li>- Craft table</li> <li>- Math club</li> </ul>
Food spaces (12)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Community kitchen (5)</li> <li>- Food brings people together</li> <li>- Food market</li> <li>- Coffee/drink machine in lobby of building</li> <li>- Coffee room</li> <li>- Social space with concessions</li> <li>- Free food centre</li> <li>- Coffee shop</li> </ul>
Skating/Ice (10)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High demand for ice time / lessons (5)</li> <li>- Skating general (2)</li> <li>- Bigger hockey arena (2)</li> <li>- Ringette</li> </ul>
Rentable/Bookable Community Space (10)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Meeting space/rooms (4)</li> <li>- Rentable/bookable space for community organizations (2)</li> <li>- Free (2)</li> <li>- Area to sell crafts</li> <li>- Recreational classroom space</li> </ul>

Access to technology (8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Printers/free printing (3)</li> <li>- General technology (2)</li> <li>- Computers (2)</li> <li>- Pay phones</li> </ul>
Arts/music/makerspace (7)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Makerspace (2)</li> <li>- Writing and art</li> <li>- Photography programs</li> <li>- Space for learning art</li> <li>- Space to learn/practice instruments</li> <li>- Pottery studio</li> </ul>
Spaces for kids (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Kids indoor sports</li> <li>- Indoor playground</li> </ul>
Other (12)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Laser tag (2)</li> <li>- Bowling alley</li> <li>- Homeless centre</li> <li>- Safe injection site</li> <li>- Showers for homeless people</li> <li>- Invest in existing facilities in short term</li> <li>- Aquarium</li> <li>- Virtual rec centre</li> <li>- A big school</li> <li>- Czech grocery</li> <li>- Keep the building small</li> </ul>

## Outdoor Spaces (208)

Outdoor sports / activities (110)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Skate park (37)</li> <li>- Soccer (17)</li> <li>- Basketball courts (12)</li> <li>- Baseball (9) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Keep baseball (2)</li> <li>- Quad diamonds (2)</li> <li>- Lights for night games (2)</li> <li>- Concession (2)</li> <li>- Only need one diamond</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Walking track / walking paths (8) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Stations for seniors</li> <li>- Connect to nature with trees</li> </ul> </li> <li>- Lawn bowling (6)</li> <li>- Outdoor skating/hockey rink (3)</li> <li>- Mini golf (3)</li> <li>- Outdoor gym equipment (3)</li> <li>- Tobogganing hill</li> <li>- Outdoor swimming pool</li> <li>- Football</li> <li>- Cricket</li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Archery</li> <li>- Tennis</li> <li>- Horseshoes</li> <li>- Bocce</li> <li>- Bike park</li> <li>- Yoga</li> <li>- Outdoor movies</li> <li>- Group sports</li> </ul>
Frisbee golf (14)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Keep disc golf (8)</li> <li>- Share the space</li> <li>- Cost of discs is a barrier</li> <li>- Lockers for frisbees</li> <li>- Disc golf users are stewards of the site</li> <li>- Keeps eyes on the site</li> <li>- If being displaced, find a new site first</li> </ul>
Playground (14)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Playground (8)</li> <li>- Bigger / better playground (2)</li> <li>- Target 2-5 year olds</li> <li>- Natural playground</li> <li>- Accessible playground</li> <li>- Swings</li> </ul>
Amenities (12)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Outdoor washrooms / change rooms (3)</li> <li>- Tables, chairs, firepits for playing games and eating (2)</li> <li>- Field house for equipment storage</li> <li>- Outdoor games</li> <li>- Gazebos</li> <li>- Water fountains</li> <li>- Green fences (not black)</li> <li>- Garbage bins</li> <li>- Compost bins</li> </ul>
Green space (12)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- General support for green space / open space (8)</li> <li>- Trees (2)</li> <li>- Use bowl shape for natural seating area</li> <li>- Picnic area</li> </ul>
Gardens (9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Community garden (3)</li> <li>- Healing garden</li> <li>- Gardens with shade and seating area</li> <li>- Fruit trees/edible landscape</li> <li>- Native trees and plants</li> <li>- Flowerbeds</li> <li>- Secure community greenhouse</li> </ul>
Water park (8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Outdoor wading pool / splash park / sprinkle park (7)</li> <li>- Splash park on the corner of 8 Ave and 52 Street</li> </ul>
Multi-use / multi-seasonal space (8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- All in one space for multiple activities (2)</li> <li>- Outdoor rink / basketball convertible space (2)</li> <li>- Fenced off multi-use space</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Artificial turf for multiple sports</li> <li>- Outdoor roofed multi-use pad for concerts, sports, roller skating</li> <li>- Multi-season facilities</li> </ul>
Bike facilities (7)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Smart bike racks (2)</li> <li>- Anti-theft bike parking (2)</li> <li>- Bike paths</li> <li>- Bike and active transportation focus</li> <li>- Safer bike connections to Bow River</li> </ul>
Animals (5)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- No dog parks (2)</li> <li>- Dog walking route Play area for dogs, cats, other</li> <li>- Dog friendly space</li> <li>- Dog bags</li> </ul>
Other (9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Camping area (3)</li> <li>- Zoo (2)</li> <li>- Toolshare</li> <li>- Address crime before providing outdoor amenities</li> <li>- Calaway Park</li> <li>- Gummy bear sculptures</li> </ul>

#### **Spaces for all ages (29)**

Seniors (14)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Seniors friendly areas / activities / programming (7)</li> <li>- Seniors exercise (3)</li> <li>- Transportation options</li> <li>- Digital video games for seniors</li> <li>- Bingo</li> <li>- Bean bag toss</li> </ul>
Youth (9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Teenage friendly “hang out spaces” (4)</li> <li>- Invest in the youth</li> <li>- Outreach to schools</li> <li>- Youth programming</li> <li>- Pool, ping pong</li> <li>- Drama groups</li> </ul>
Children (5)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Games / areas for kids (3)</li> <li>- Child minding</li> <li>- 0-5 year old playschool</li> </ul>
Other (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Adult males need recreation opportunities</li> </ul>

#### **Event/Performance Spaces (19)**

Event/Performance Spaces	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Amphitheatre / outdoor performance space (8)</li> <li>- Arts/performance/event space general (6)</li> <li>- Theatre / space for performing arts (3)</li> <li>- Flexible performance space (50-500 people)</li> <li>- Accessible and affordable</li> </ul>
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## Arts and Culture (16)

Culture (9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Cultural centre to bring different groups together (5)</li> <li>- Outdoor tipi area</li> <li>- Welcoming for all cultures</li> <li>- Indigenous programs (drum, dance, storytelling)</li> <li>- Cultural performance/gathering space</li> </ul>
Arts (7)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Art classes / rentable or bookable artist spaces (5)</li> <li>- Arts centre</li> <li>- Painting classes</li> </ul>

## Programming (8)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Fundraising should go to towards community sponsorships</li> <li>- Summer camps</li> <li>- Area has historically been underserved</li> <li>- Keep the city clean through education</li> <li>- Educate teens about dangers of drug use</li> <li>- Free programming (health and wellness)</li> <li>- Psychologist for marginalized people</li> <li>- Free book exchange</li> </ul>
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## Traffic/Transit/Parking (5)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Concern with traffic congestion</li> <li>- Longer and cheaper public transit</li> <li>- Parking on street and at the facility</li> <li>- Bus options</li> <li>- Ensure sufficient parking</li> </ul>
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## Other (9)

Fire Hall (3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Supportive of Firehall</li> <li>- Place it west of Bob Bahan</li> <li>- Put firehall at the end of Memorial</li> </ul>
Residential (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Multi-residential</li> <li>- Residential</li> </ul>
Sustainability (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Sustainable energy (PVs, geothermal, nuclear)</li> <li>- Green design (heat pump, solar power, low carbon, green design)</li> </ul>
Size of building (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Keep it small and friendly</li> <li>- Don't need a super centre</li> </ul>

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**QUESTION 2: How can we make the future Forest Lawn Centre accessible, safe, inclusive and welcoming for all?**

**(227 Ideas Generated)**

### **Welcoming community spaces and design (45)**

Spaces (36)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Food space (5)</li> <li>- Gathering space to encourage conversation (3)</li> <li>- Coffee (3)</li> <li>- Bookable meeting spaces (3)</li> <li>- Bigger family bathrooms / changerooms (3)</li> <li>- Better exercise spaces (2)</li> <li>- Hot tub creates social space (2)</li> <li>- Outdoor gardens and benches (2)</li> <li>- Bigger library (2)</li> <li>- Games/activities (2)</li> <li>- Technology/electrical outlets (2)Low income + working class need a community centre</li> <li>- Project will encourage people to live here</li> <li>- Festivals/fairs events</li> <li>- Fleamarket</li> <li>- Bigger activity centre space</li> <li>- Water park</li> <li>- Outdoor washrooms</li> <li>- Tabogganing hill</li> <li>- Vet space</li> </ul>
Design (9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Space for commercial/social lease (2)</li> <li>- No fancy/expensive design (2)</li> <li>- See-through rooms</li> <li>- Open areas</li> <li>- More seating areas</li> <li>- No net loss of park space</li> <li>- Do not duplicate spaces</li> </ul>

### **Accessibility / getting around (37)**

Transportation Options (13)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bike facilities to connect to the building (8)</li> <li>- Shuttle buses</li> <li>- Transit passes</li> <li>- Encourage biking</li> <li>- Bike storage</li> <li>- Need a car to get to soccer/hockey</li> </ul>
Accessibility (11)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wheelchair accessible spaces (4)</li> <li>- Sufficient handicap parking near all amenities and buildings</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Gym needs to be accessible</li> <li>- Pool accessible lift</li> <li>- Expand universal/handicap spaces</li> <li>- Accessible for wheeled walkers as well</li> <li>- Accessibility = safe, inclusive and welcoming</li> <li>- City library is not accessible (ramp)</li> </ul>
Pathways / Walkways (8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Safe pathways, walkways, trails (6)</li> <li>- For seniors</li> <li>- Wider sidewalks</li> </ul>
Connections (4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Everything is fenced off (2)</li> <li>- Better connect to other areas / the site (2)</li> </ul>
Parking (1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- More parking needed</li> </ul>

## Programming (34)

Scheduling / hours of operation (13)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 7 days a week (7)</li> <li>- Longer hours (morning and night) (4)</li> <li>- Better registration process</li> <li>- Allow walk-ins</li> </ul>
Space/programming for the community (12)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Existing programming (pool and rink are overbooked) (8)</li> <li>- Space/programming for the community (3)</li> <li>- Sunday jam sessions</li> </ul>
Daycare/childminding (6)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Emergency services need 24 hour day care/child care (3)</li> <li>- Childminding</li> <li>- Under 19 months</li> <li>- Daycare</li> </ul>
Supports for parents (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Parent supports</li> <li>- Free programming for moms</li> </ul>
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Less social services in the community</li> </ul>

## Spaces for all ages (32)

Children (15)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Places/spaces for kids (5)</li> <li>- Baby friendly room/pool (2)</li> <li>- Kids programming (2)</li> <li>- Childish atmosphere (colors, animals)</li> <li>- Clean spaces for kids</li> <li>- Indoor playground / trampoline</li> <li>- Yoga for kids</li> <li>- Kids learning skating rink</li> <li>- Safe space for girls</li> </ul>
Seniors (7)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Activities/programming for seniors (3)</li> <li>- Yoga for seniors</li> <li>- Lobby space designed for seniors</li> <li>- Programming for seniors and youth together for shared learning</li> <li>- Support for seniors with dementia</li> </ul>



Youth (8)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Space/centre/activities for youth to be proud of (4)</li> <li>- Tutoring and technology for high school students (2)</li> <li>- Youth sports</li> <li>- Programming for seniors and youth together for shared learning</li> </ul>
Adults (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Adult male opportunities</li> <li>- More space for adults</li> </ul>

## Safety (25)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Lighting (6)</li> <li>- Security cameras (3)</li> <li>- Security desk on site (3)</li> <li>- Safe spaces (3)</li> <li>- Fire hall will create sense of safety (2)</li> <li>- On-site law enforcement or police presence (2)</li> <li>- Help buttons on pathways</li> <li>- Eyes on the street</li> <li>- Safety = welcoming</li> <li>- On-leash for those scared of dogs</li> <li>- Accessible for ambulance</li> <li>- Skate park in visible area</li> </ul>
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## Cost (23)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Must be affordable (6)</li> <li>- Free services/spaces (5)</li> <li>- Pay what you can (4)</li> <li>- Low cost (2)</li> <li>- One rate to access all services (2)</li> <li>- Fair entry (2)</li> <li>- Year round affordable outdoor sports</li> <li>- Monthly passes</li> </ul>
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## Diversity and Inclusivity (19)

Cultural centre (11)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Artifacts/art from all cultures/ethnic backgrounds (4)</li> <li>- Multi-lingual signage/information (3)</li> <li>- Welcoming for all cultures, reflect diversity (2)</li> <li>- Cultural centre and events (2)</li> </ul>
Indigenous centre (4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Indigenous representation (2)</li> <li>- Space for 100+ people for traditional events (smudge, pow wow) (2)</li> </ul>
Arts (4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Performance / theatre / stages (3)</li> <li>- Makerspace</li> </ul>

## Operations and Maintenance (5)

Maintenance (3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Better maintenance of spaces is required (2)</li><li>- Playground needs to be cleaner</li></ul>
Operations (2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Use volunteer organizations to operate</li><li>- Needs to be city-operated</li></ul>

## Other comments (7)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Concern about closing spaces during construction</li><li>- Get the Councillor on board</li><li>- Leave it as is</li><li>- Thank you</li><li>- Stop media discrimination</li><li>- The community is misunderstood</li><li>- Library site has potential for sale</li></ul>
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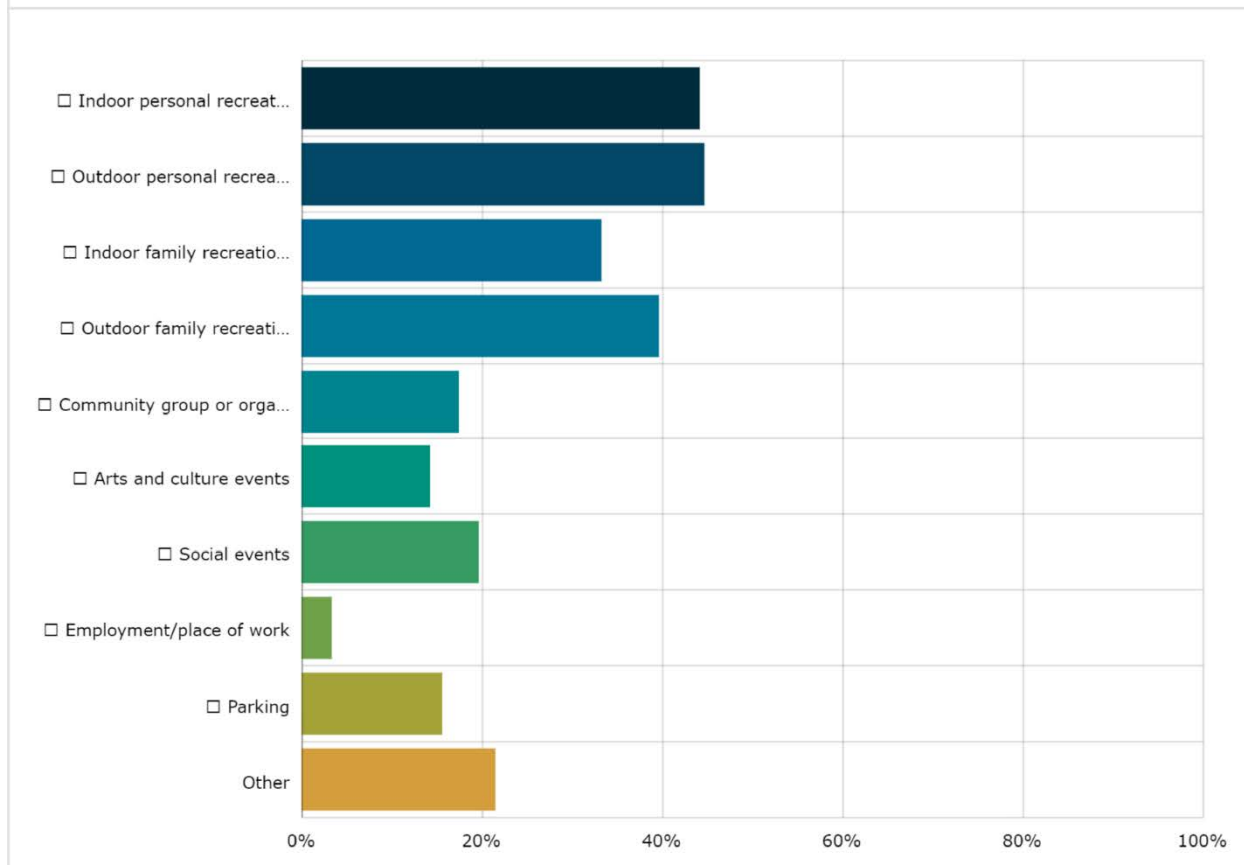
## English Survey Feedback

- 230 surveys completed

1. How do you currently use the site? (Please select all that apply)

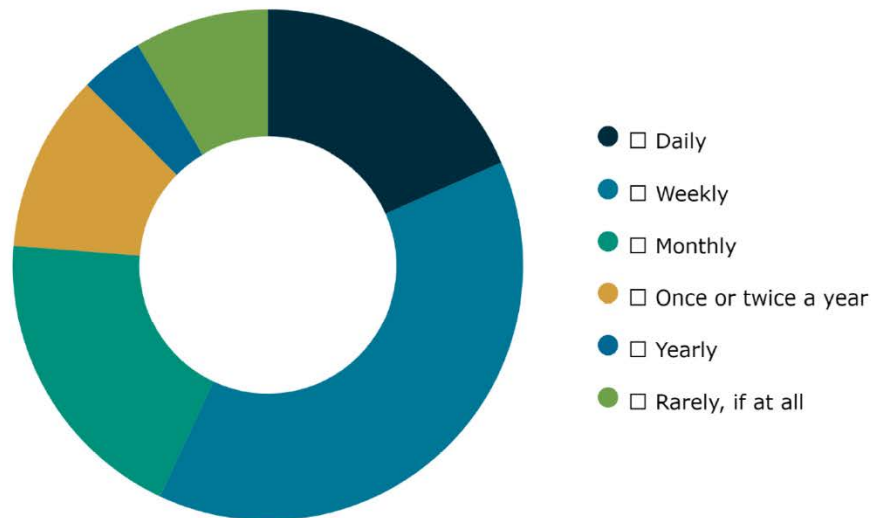
1. 1. How do you currently use the site? (Please select all that apply)

Multi Choice | Skipped: 14 | Answered: 220 (94%)



## 2. How frequently do you use the site?

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Multi Choice | Skipped: 11 | Answered: 223 (95.3%)

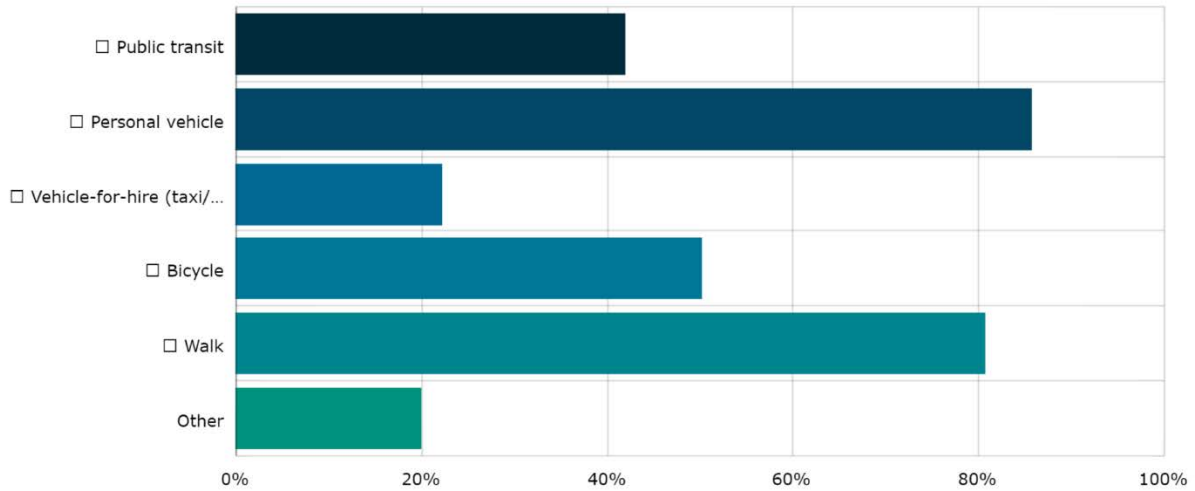


Answer choices	Percent	Count
<input type="checkbox"/> Daily	18.39%	41
<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly	38.57%	86
<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	19.28%	43
<input type="checkbox"/> Once or twice a year	11.21%	25
<input type="checkbox"/> Yearly	4.04%	9
<input type="checkbox"/> Rarely, if at all	8.52%	19

3. How do you typically travel to the site? (Please select up to three answers)

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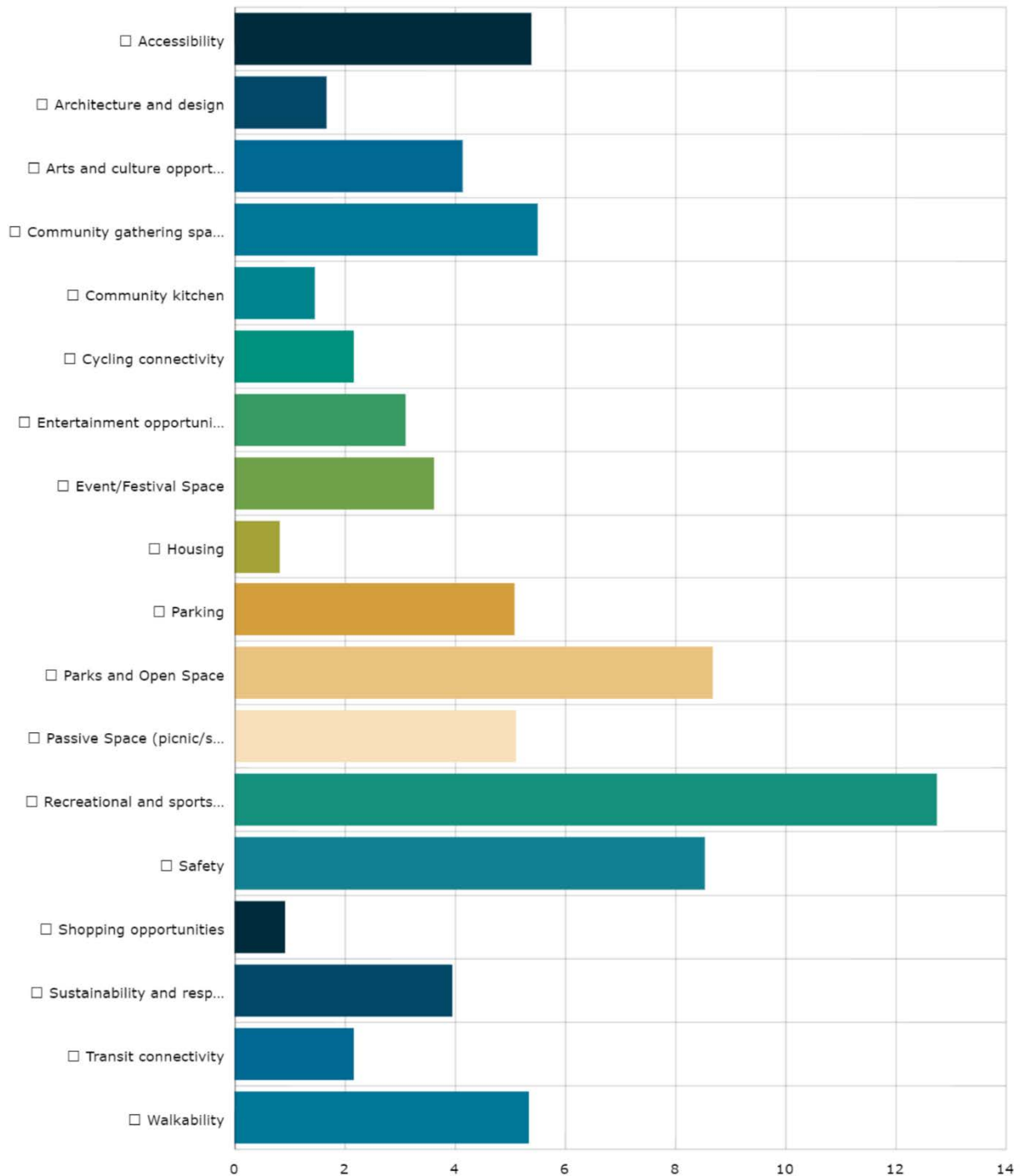
Multi Choice | Skipped: 12 | Answered: 222 (94.9%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
<input type="checkbox"/> Public transit	41.89%	93
<input type="checkbox"/> Personal vehicle	85.59%	190
<input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle-for-hire (taxi/rideshare)	22.07%	49
<input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle	50.00%	111
<input type="checkbox"/> Walk	80.63%	179
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	19.82%	44

4. From the list below, select the top five most important aspects of the project you think need to be considered throughout the master plan design process. Rank your top five.

Ranking | Skipped: 12 | Answered: 222 (94.9%)



1. When walking, the site is easy to access and I know how to reach my destination.

5. 1. When walking, the site is easy to access and I know how to reach my destination.

Multi Choice | Skipped: 9 | Answered: 225 (96.2%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	82.67%	186
No	7.56%	17
Unsure	9.78%	22
Total	100.00%	225

2. When driving, the site is easy to access and I know where to park to reach my destination.

6. 2. When driving, the site is easy to access and I know where to park to reach my destination.

Multi Choice | Skipped: 9 | Answered: 225 (96.2%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	86.22%	194
No	7.56%	17
Unsure	6.22%	14
Total	100.00%	225



3. When cycling, the site is easy to access, and I know how to reach my destination.

7. 3. When cycling, the site is easy to access, and I know how to reach my destination.

Multi Choice | Skipped: 16 | Answered: 218 (93.2%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	68.35%	149
No	5.96%	13
Unsure	25.69%	56
Total	100.00%	218

4. When parking: current access to parking at the site is satisfactory.

8. 4. When parking: current access to parking at the site is satisfactory.

Multi Choice | Skipped: 11 | Answered: 223 (95.3%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	54.26%	121
No	32.29%	72
Unsure	13.45%	30
Total	100.00%	223

5. Do you experience barriers when trying to access the existing facilities or other recreation and multi-use spaces and facilities? (physical, economic, social or psychological).

- No (56)
- Feelings of Safety in the neighborhood (unsafe neighborhood) (28)
- Need more Parking (accessible, wide) (18)
- Site is not accessible to those with a disability (wheelchair or other) (17)
- Cost (8)
- Physical Site barriers (5)
- Unsafe Walking Area (5)
- Site Maintenance (4)
- Booking Sites is a barrier (3)
- No Cycling Infrastructure
- Availability in Hours of operation (barrier, availability)

6. How can we work together to eliminate the barriers you identified above for you to utilize the amenities on site?

- Accessibility for all (Audio Intersections, beeping signals, Wheelchair Accessible) (15)
- Visible/Security Enforcement (Security Guards, Police, Transit Police) (13)
- Parking (Free, Wider, Ample Parking) (12)
- Maintain Safe Environment (10)
- Affordable activities (7)
- Extend service hours (6)
- Needed facility (in community) (5)
- Improved Lighting (3)
- Surveillance Cameras (3)
- Secure Bicycle Parking (2)

7. Do you have any ideas to ensure accessibility, safety, and inclusivity of indoor and outdoor spaces?

- Police/Security Presence (26)
- Improved Lighting (20)
- Security Cameras/Phones (10)
- Ramps (wheelchair) (8)
- Even and Wide Sidewalks and Walkways (7)
- Disability friendly playgrounds and facilities (7)
- Public Washrooms (gender inclusive/free) (6)
- Programming should reflect the needs of community (5)
- More Parking (5)
- Elevators (4)
- Adequate signage on the site (3)
- Bike lane to site (3)

## 2. Do you have any ideas to improve site connections to the surrounding areas?

- Add a Pedestrian Connection from 17<sup>th</sup> (16)
- Improve Walking Paths to the site/along the site (13)
- Build Bike Lanes (10)
- Safety and Security (10)
- Better Design to entice use (5)
- Improve Parking Availability in Peak Times (4)
- Improve Connection between schools (4)
- Improve Signage in the area (3)

## 1. What current indoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?

- Swimming pool (79)
- Library (33)
- Gym/Weight Rom (22)
- Skating Rink (22)
- Community Spaces (13)
- Washrooms (10)
- Hot Tub (9)
- Sauna (8)
- Resource Agency Space (8)
- Accessible Buildings and Areas (8)
- Affordable Programs (7)

## 2. What additional indoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?

- Swimming Pool (12)
- Reading Area/Section (11)
- Cultural Gathering Space (11)
- Accessibility (classes, elevators, braille, LGBTQ) (7)
- Showers and Change Rooms (7)
- Concession Stand (7)
- Play Area/Space for Toddlers (7)
- Programing Space for Youth (6)
- Resource Centre (6)
- Art Space (5)
- Community Kitchen (5)
- Hot tub (3)
- Sauna (3)
- Skating Rink (3)
- Community Hall (3)

3. Are there any examples of indoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?

YMCA (9)

Genesis Centre (7)

Devonian Gardens (4)

Village Square (3)

Seaton (3)

Repsol/Lindsey Park (2)

New Central Library (2)

Southland Leisure Centre (2)

Coquitlam Family Centre

Westman Village Vancouver

Cardel Centre

Cultural Awareness Centre, Regent Park Toronto

William Watson Lodge

Baker Park

Kinsmen Sports Centre

Olympic Oval

Ralph Klein Centre

H2O Center in Kelowna

1. What current outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?

- Disc Golf (49)
- Children's Playground (accessible) (22)
- Park Amenities (tables, toilets, trees, playground, bathrooms) (17)
- Baseball Field (13)
- Safety and Security Measures (13)
- Soccer Field (11)
- Green Space (11)

- Splash Park (10)
- Community Garden (9)
- Walking Exercise Space (9)

2. What additional outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?

- Disc Golf (20)
- Park Amenities ( benches, pathways, lights, plants, fountains, pathway lighting)(17)
- Picnic Area (Fire Pits, Seating Area) (13)
- Pool (indoor and outdoor) (13)
- Natural Areas (12)
- Playground/Play areas (8)
- Green House (8)
- Skate Park (8)
- Basketball Court (6)
- Law Enforcement (Police, Fire) (4)

3. Do you have examples of outdoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?

- Baker Park (5)
- Prairie Wind Park (5)
- Skate Park (4)
- Outdoor Sports (Exercise Machines) (3)
- Repsol Centre
- Pearce Estate Park
- Downtown Library
- Meadows Place in Edmonton
- Rotary park
- Outdoor Market Space
- Bicycle Track
- Stephen Ave
- Basketball Courts
- Inglewood Bird Sanctuary
- Silver Springs Botanical Garden
- Shaw Millennium Park (1)
- Parkallen Neighbourhood in Edmonton
- Spray Park
- Kinsmen Sports Complex Edmonton
- Metis Gathering Space
- Riley Park
- Volley dome Outdoor (velodrome??)
- Calgary city hall bike paddock

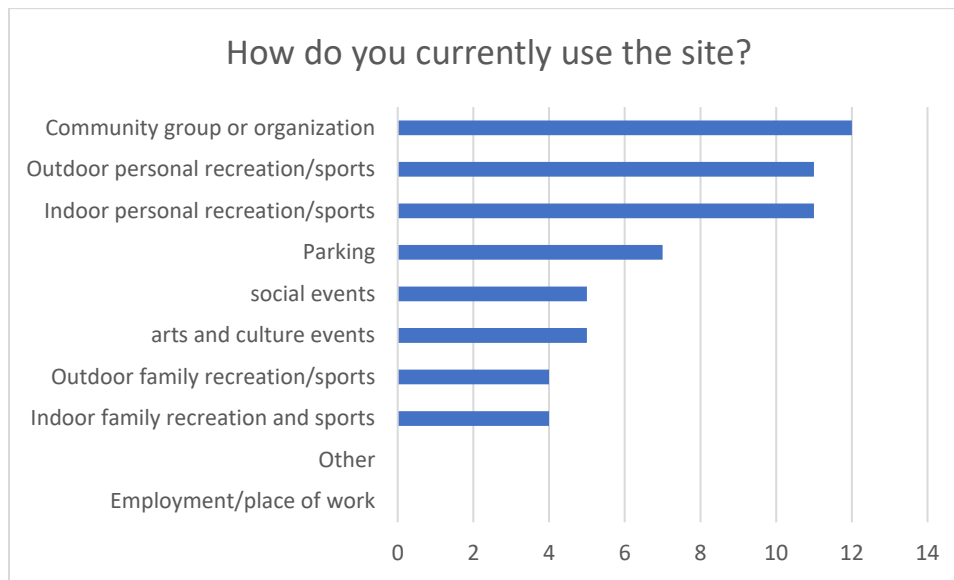
- David Richardson Memorial disc golf
- Carburn Park
- Kamloops, MacArthur Island
- Confederation Park
- Valleyview playground and spray park
- McKenzie Towne Park
- Genesis Centre
- Glenmore

## 1. What is your vision for the site?

- Multiple Activities Space (Multi-purpose space) (34)
- Safe (33)
- Accessible and Affordable (26)
- Welcoming meeting spaces (20)
- Cultural meeting space (10)
- Place where Kids can Play (8)
- Sustainable/Environmentally Friendly (6)
- Connected and Modern (6)
- Outdoor space (activities and spaces) (6)

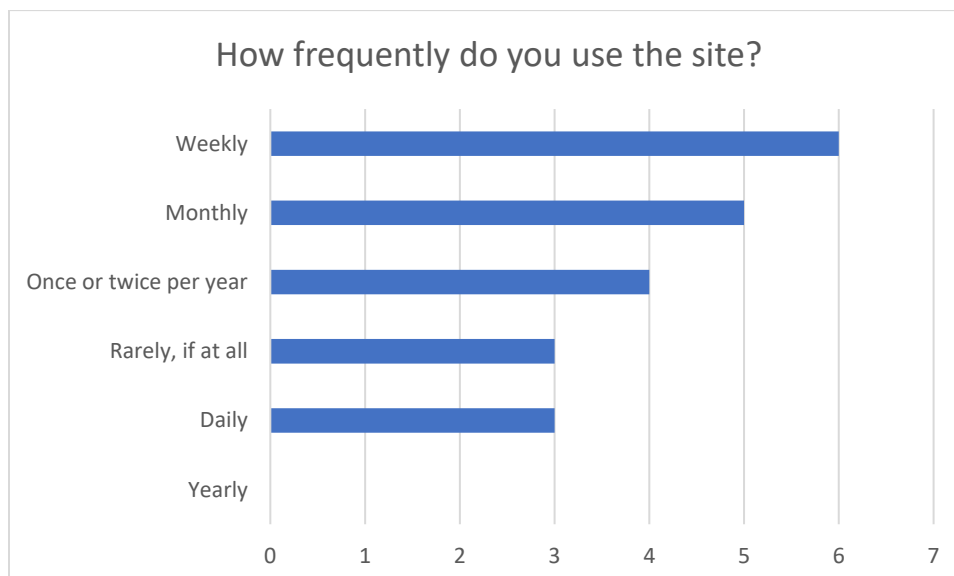
## Vietnamese Community Feedback

- 22 surveys collected
- 31 attendees at Action Dignity Workshop

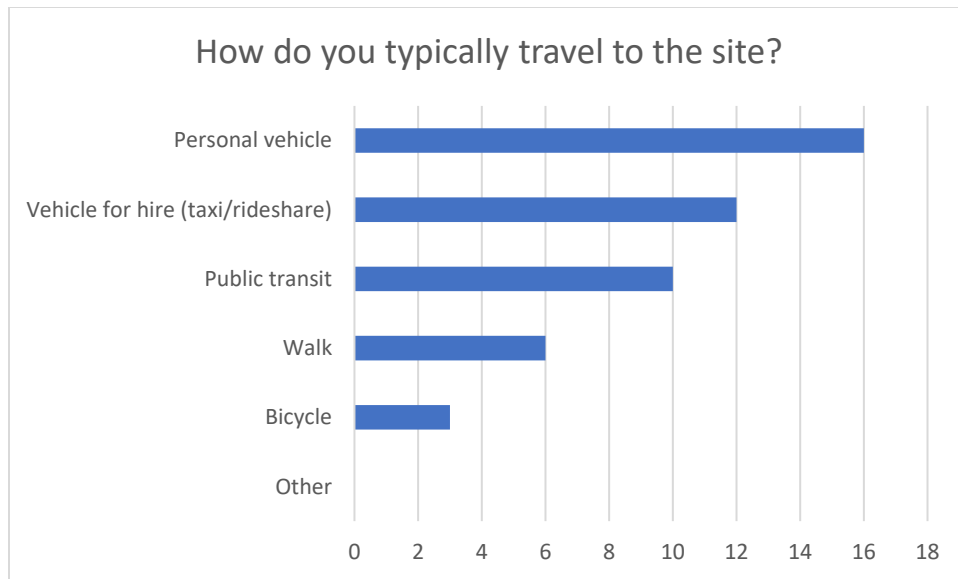


Other answers:

- Study English (2)
- Library
- No one in the Vietnamese community currently uses the hockey arena
- Some use of Bob Bahan in Vietnamese community
- Parking
- Outdoor recreation
- Bike paths



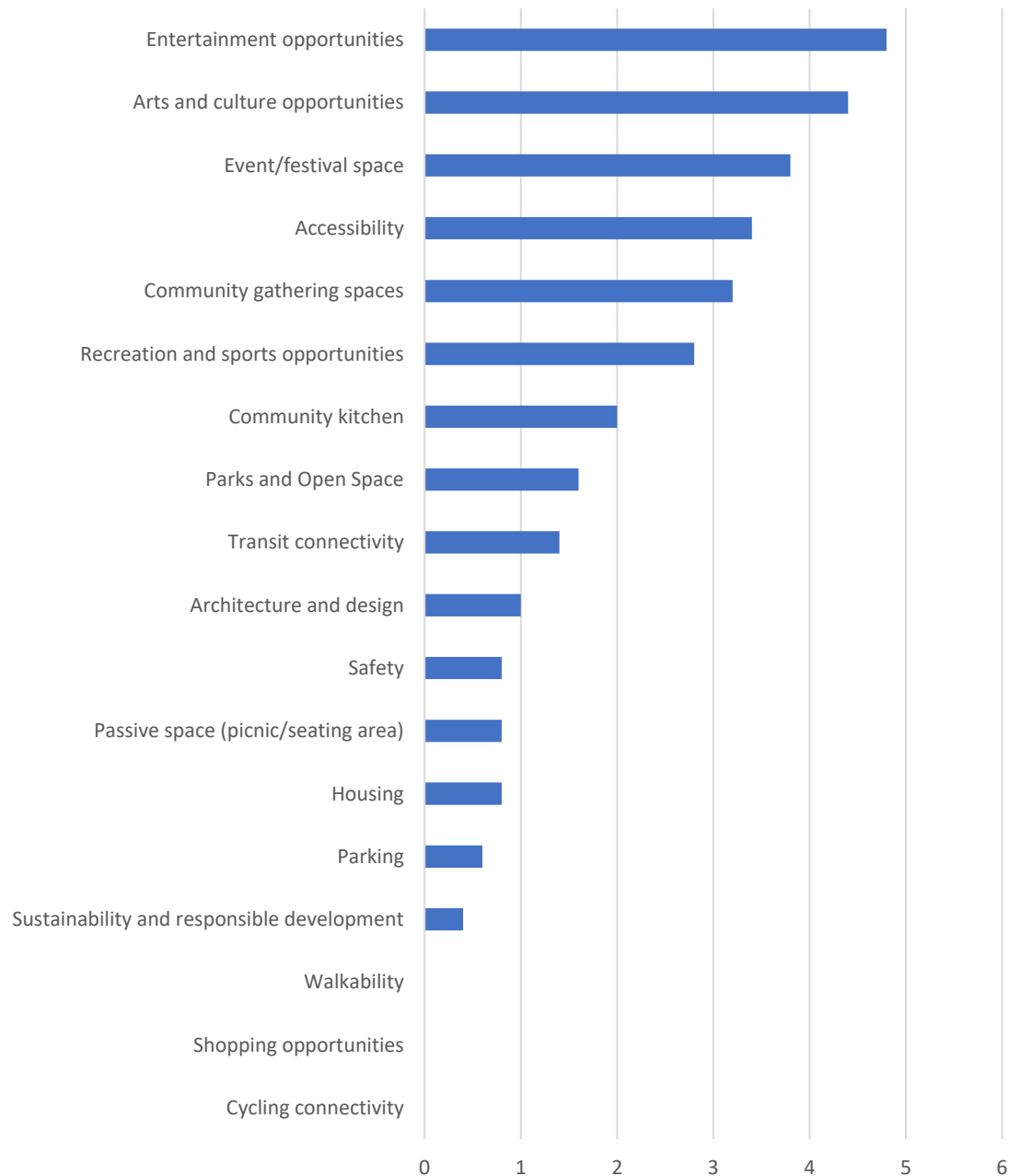




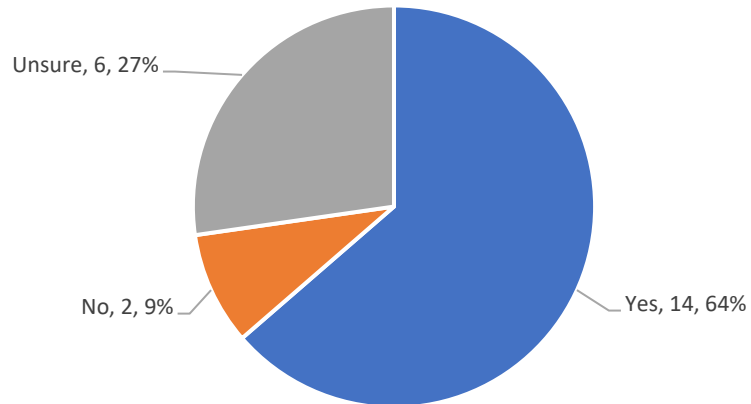
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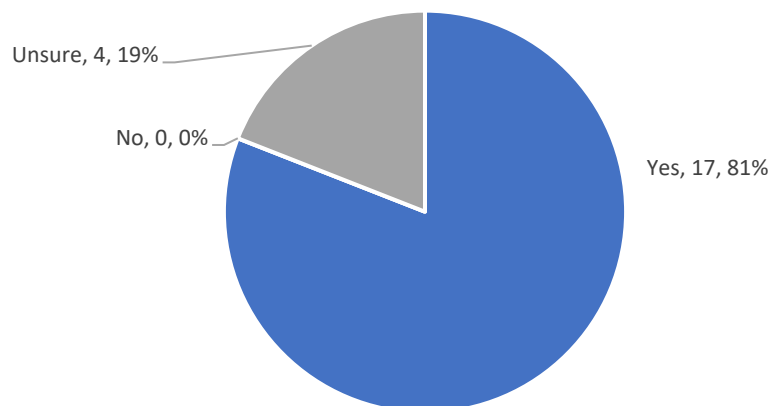
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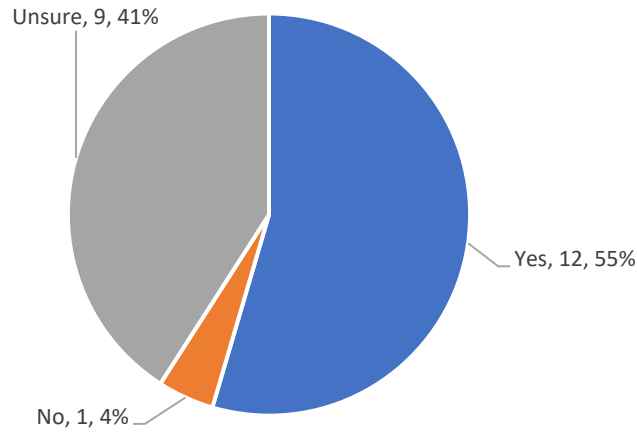
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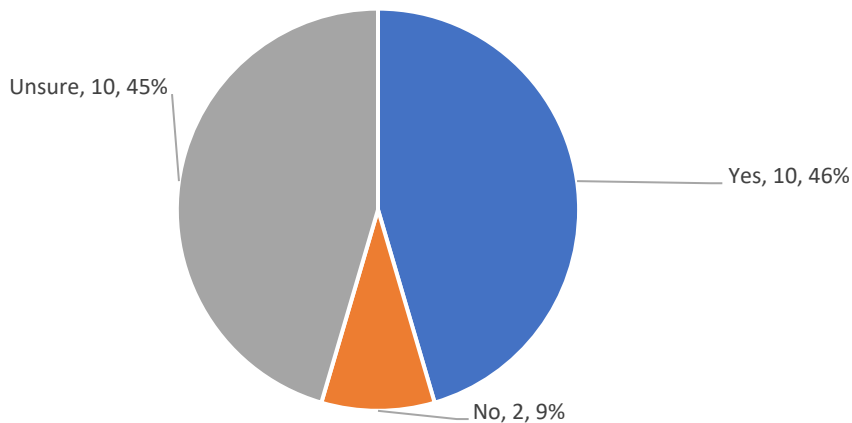
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When parking, current access to parking at the site is satisfactory



**Do you experience barriers when trying to access the existing facilities or other recreation and multi-use spaces and facilities? (physical, economic, social or psychological)**

- No (6)
- High costs (6)
- Pool/building is not welcoming (5)
- Lack of parking (4)
- Limited space / hours / long line ups (3)
- Yes (3)
- Not sure (2)
- Lack of signage
- Swimming pool is not clean
- Library needs to be bigger

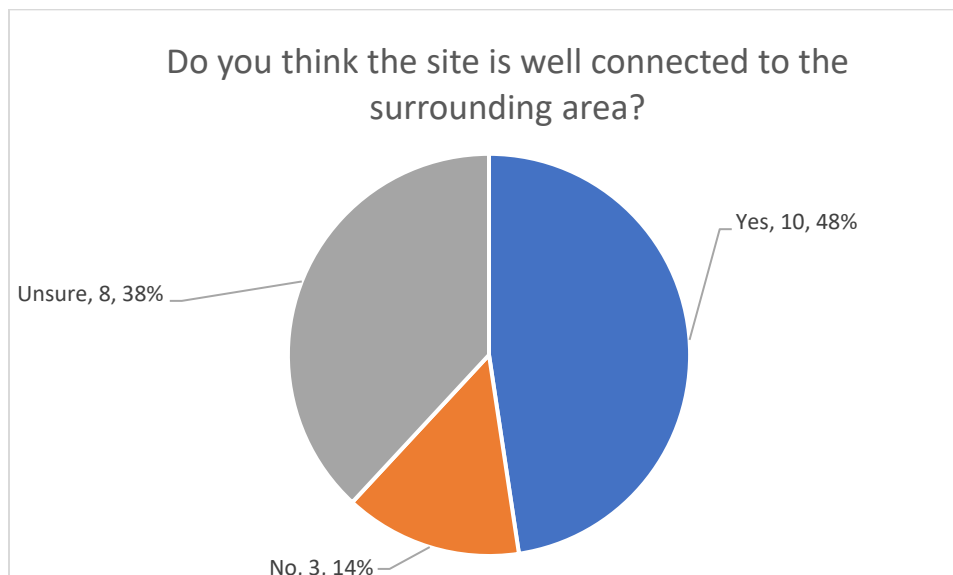
- Police presences makes me feel unsure about safety

**How can we work together to eliminate the barriers you identified above for you to utilize the amenities on site?**

- Make the space bigger (2)
- Help one another (2)
- Get companies to sponsor to fund maintenance
- More parking
- Convenient connections
- Make the building more welcoming and beautiful
- Make the water cleaner
- Reduce fees
- Expand service hours/services
- We need resources

**Do you have any ideas to ensure accessibility, safety, and inclusivity of indoor and outdoor spaces?**

- No (3)
- Better parking (2)
- Accessibility services for seniors and people with disabilities (2)
- Lower fees (2)
- More community gathering
- More space
- More services
- More facilities
- Variety of books at the library
- Staff speaking different languages
- More lighting
- More greenery



## **Do you have any ideas to improve site connections to surrounding areas?**

- No (5)
- Bike path for families and kids (4)
- Better walking/wheelchair paths and walkways (3)
- Clean the surrounding areas (2)
- C-train stop (2)
- Light but transit
- Not sure

## **What current indoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Swimming pool (6)
- None (3)
- Library (4)
- Parking
- Hockey arena
- Gym
- Soccer field

## **What additional indoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Food space (community café, dining areas with ethnic food, food court, community kitchen) (8)
- Office space / meeting rooms (7)
- Human / community services and areas (5)
- Kids play space / indoor playground / games (4)
- Beautiful decorations / greenery / plants (3)
- Library (2)
- Wave pool (2)
- Kid-friendly swimming area (2)
- Coworking areas (2)
- Hot tub (2)
- Community gathering space (2)
- More space/bigger facilities (2)
- Need more space for families and youth (2)
- Arts space (2)
- Science space (2)
- Babysitting area
- Movie theatre
- Access to technology

- Welcoming, clean space
- Accessible
- Shopping
- Exercise classes
- Sports courts
- Waterslide
- Indoor badminton court

**Are there any examples of indoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Stage area at New Horizon Mall (2)
- Indoor playground at Southland Leisure Centre (2)
- Central library
- Village Square
- Quarry Park leisure centre
- Olympic Park
- Stampede
- Disney Land

**What current outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Soccer field (2)
- Green space (2)
- None
- I don't use the outdoor spaces

**What additional outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Wading pool / water park (6)
- Green space for events (5)
- Picnic area (5)
- Flea market / resource fairs (4)
- More trees (4)
- Stage for performances, events (3)
- Community garden and flowers (3)
- Outdoor playground (3)
- Water ponds (3)
- A sign that says "welcome" in different languages (2)
- Transportation (2)
- Skating arena (2)
- Accessible path for seniors with ramps
- Biking and walking paths that connect
- Public washrooms and water supply
- Soccer field

- More parking
- Sports/cultural events

**Do you have examples of outdoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Pearce Estate Park
- Walking paths in other parks

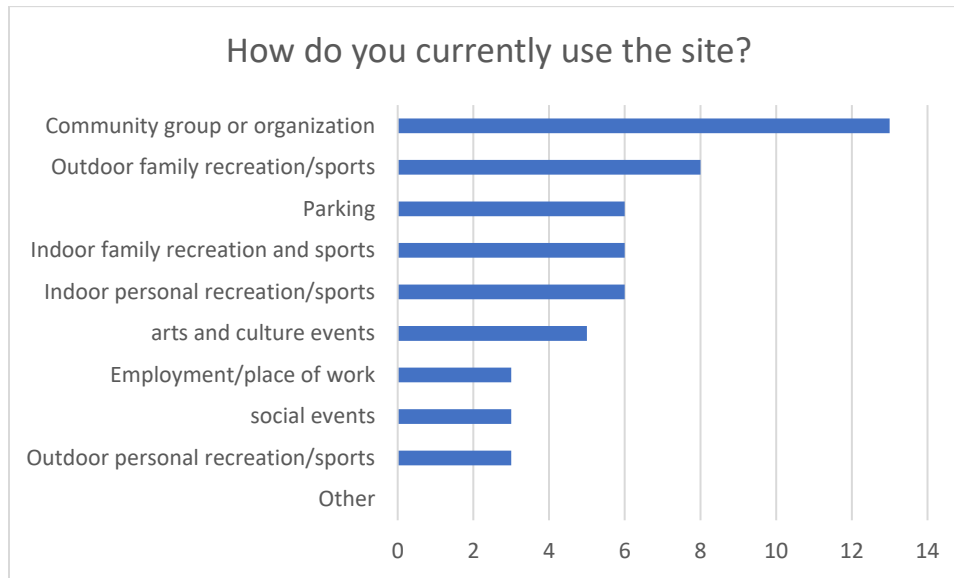
**What is your vision for the site? (verbatim)**

- Good
- Good location
- Good
- Inclusive space for everyone
- Good location to serve diverse community, especially youths and seniors. People in the area have moderate incomes and need an inclusive space near them that is inclusive and welcoming. Youth can use lots of interesting space and facilities within the new building to spend time and avoid getting involved in undesirable behaviors. Good potential to keep youth out of trouble.
- An inclusive, friendly, welcoming space where all members of community, regardless of skin colour, feel welcomed and belonged.
- Very good
- Inclusive, modern, convenient and affordable space for all
- Good (project)
- A friendly place for families, seniors, ethnic community members
- A friendly place for families, seniors, ethnic community members
- A free community space accessible for all.
- Good place for community
- a beautiful attraction that include human services, food services, arts, culture, sports and free access to all residents.



## Filipino Community Feedback

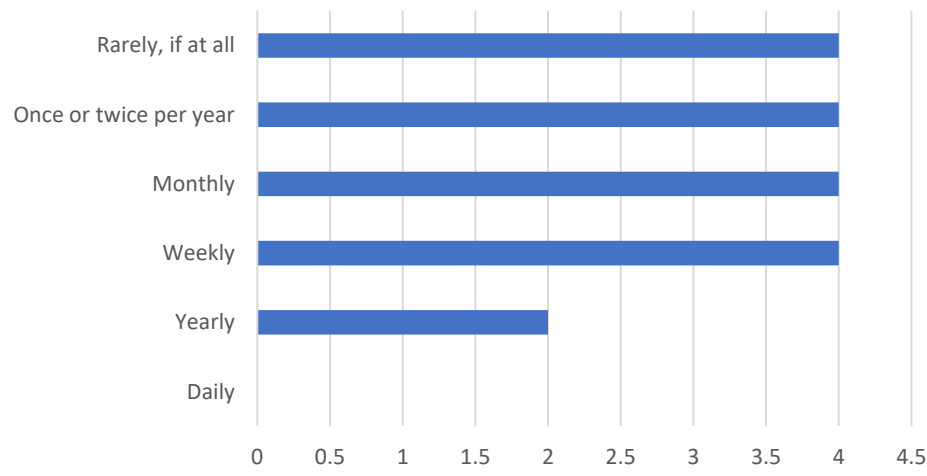
- 18 surveys collected
- 7 attendees at Action Dignity Workshop



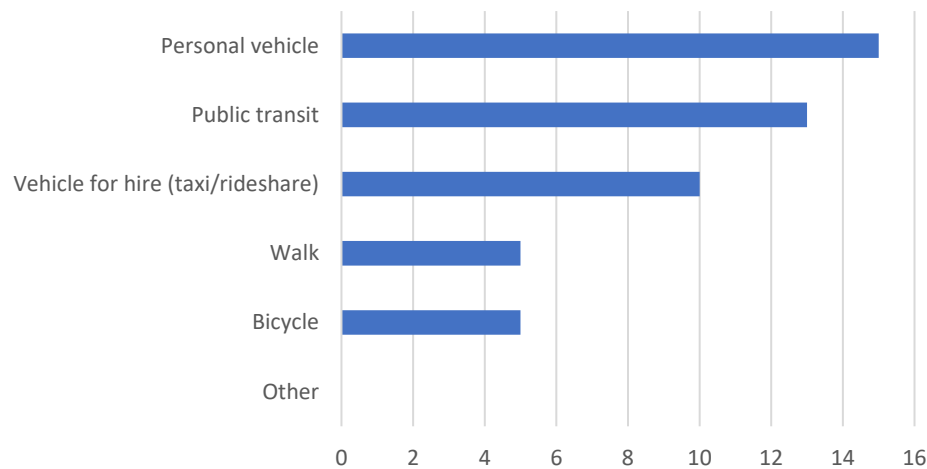
### Other answers:

- Soccer field (5)
  - o Only used by one group (3)
  - o Used by students
  - o Unfamiliar how it can be booked
- Tennis courts (3)
  - o Not properly managed (2)
  - o Only used by one group
- Library (2)
- Walking area near library
- Swimming pool
- Parking lot signs only in English
- Not enough parking
- Difficulties with bookings

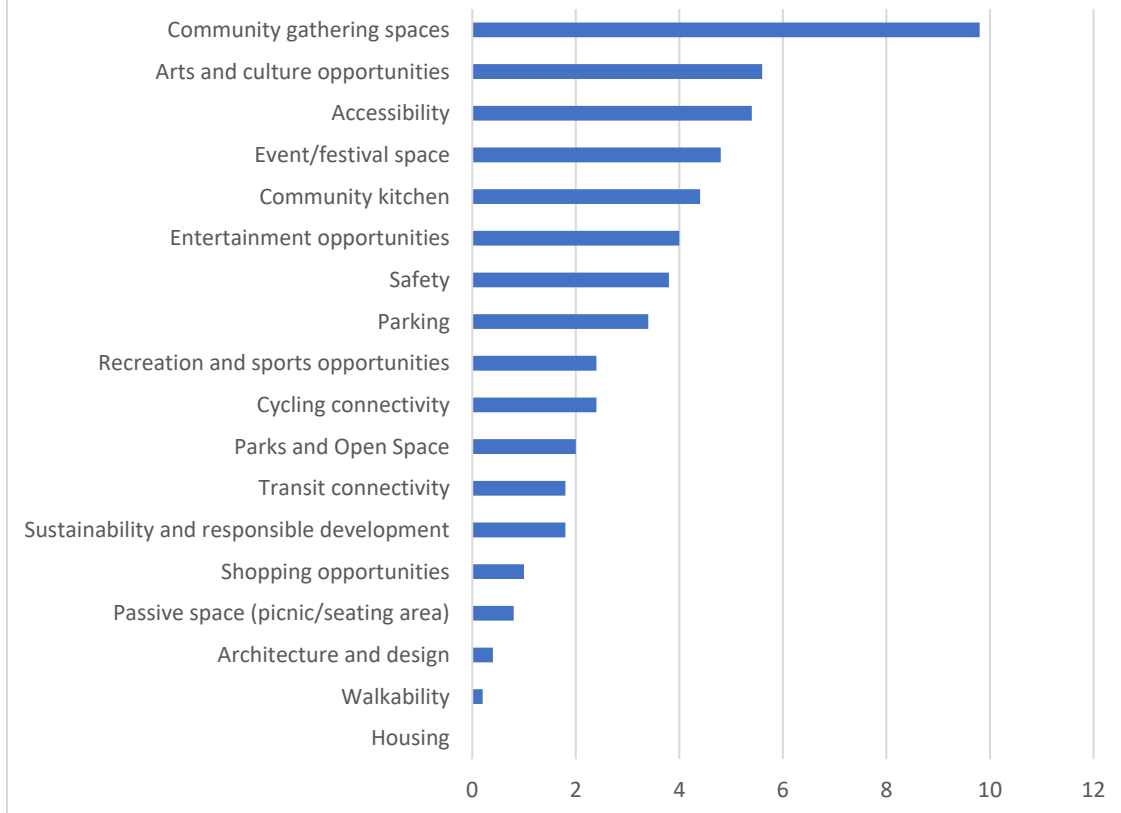
### How frequently do you use the site?



### How do you typically travel to the site?



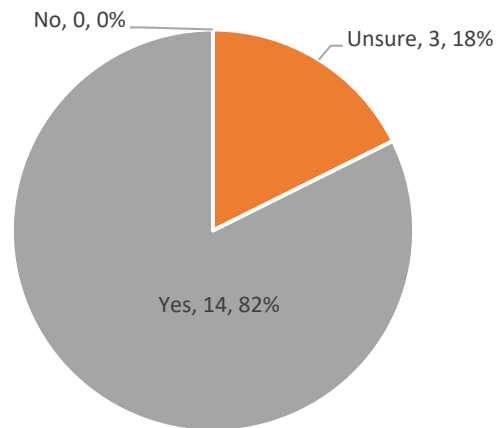
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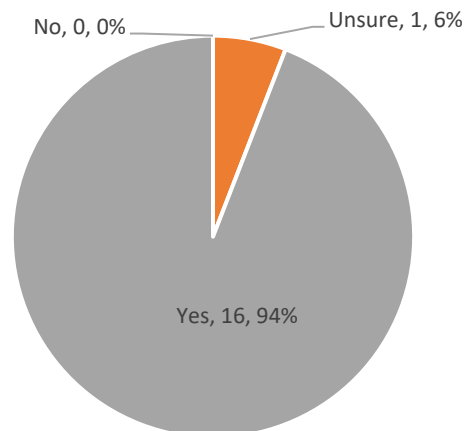
Other answers:

- Sports facility (2)
- Computer space
- Trade
- Walking here after activities is not safe
- Community space that serves youths and seniors

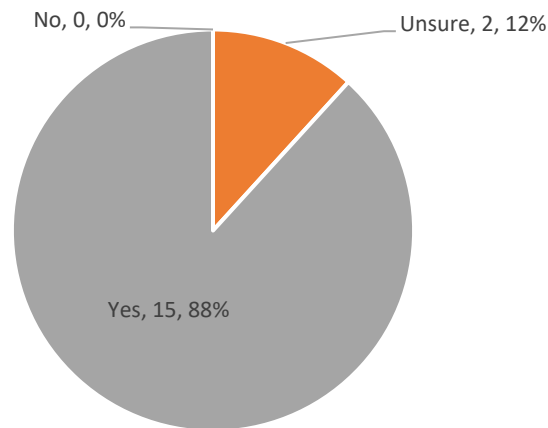
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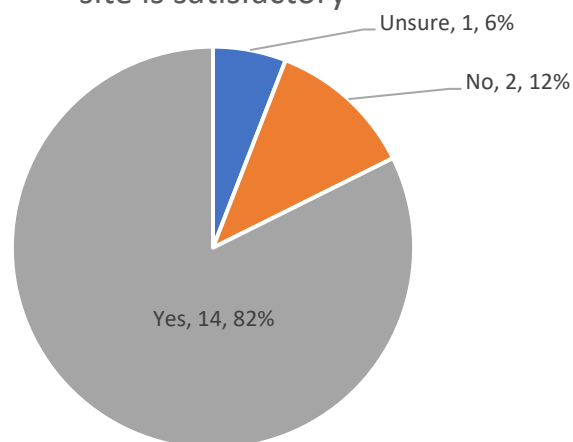
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When parking, current access to parking at the site is satisfactory



**Do you experience barriers when trying to access the existing facilities or other recreation and multi-use spaces and facilities? (physical, economic, social or psychological)**

- No (6)
- Parking (5)
- Scheduling and management (5)
- High cost (3)
- Lack of information (3)
- Accessibility (ramps for seniors and PWD) (3)
- Public transit
- Not enough pathways
- Heavy focus on white people (especially hockey)
- Not enough sheds

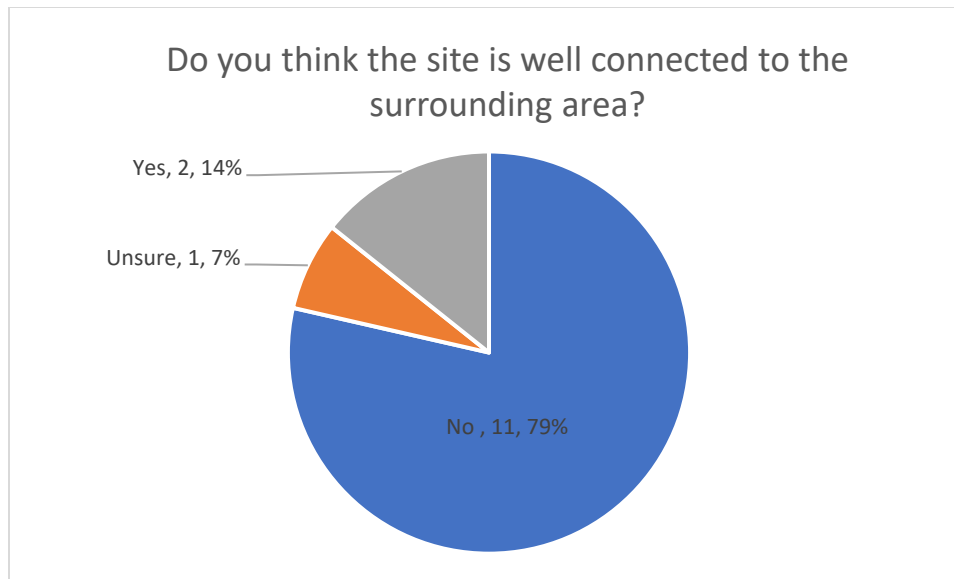
- Not enough washrooms
- Make it comfortable
- Artwork to create a sense of belonging
- Only use the library

**How can we work together to eliminate the barriers you identified above for you to utilize the amenities on site?**

- Increase scheduling / open bookings (4)
- More civic and community engagement (2)
- One office to manage all facilities /bookings (2)
- Promote activities and schedule widely (2)
- Build big space and enough space
- Add cheerful people to facilitate the space
- Coordinate more and plan together
- Improve bus routing
- Provide guidelines on how to attend and enjoy the place
- Make barrier-free facilities

**Do you have any ideas to ensure accessibility, safety, and inclusivity of indoor and outdoor spaces?**

- Multicultural signs and artwork (4)
- More signage / public information (multiple languages) (2)
- Mixed spaces = inclusive spaces
- Spiritual space
- Accessible bathrooms
- Multi-purpose gym
- Include recreational sports (fitness equipment, swimming pool, artist space)
- Transportation access for disabilities and seniors
- Police visibility
- Regular transit schedule
- Ensure there's always staff maintaining the space and welcoming people and helping with questions
- Well lit
- Collect feedback through Facebook



**Do you have any ideas to improve site connections to surrounding areas?**

- Make safe for pedestrians and vehicles (2)
- Easy to understand signs in multiple languages (2)
- Architectural design/building ideas from different cultures
- Unsure
- Transportation route and signs
- Arts, historical signs and Indigenous markings

**What current indoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Library (4)
- Food court / kitchen (5)
- Art and music spaces (4)
- Gathering spaces (3)
- Sports and recreation facilities for family (3)
- Swimming pool (3)
- Daycare (2)
- Stage (2)
- Function/community rooms (2)
- Basketball gym (2)
- Showcase ethnocultural communities
- Water fountain
- Tables and chairs
- Skateboard/rollerblade
- A space that is sheltered from the wind

**What additional indoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Theatre / stage / performance space (5)
- Art gallery/spaces (3)
- GFL history exhibit/museum and contributions of BIPOC (2)
- Welcome booth/reception with diverse staff (2)
- Sports and recreation (2)
- Meeting/birthday/celebration spaces (2)
- Kitchen (2)
- Daycare (2)
- Music room / instruments (2)
- Dance studio
- Running track
- Showcase ethnocultural communities
- Indoor playground
- Seniors spaces
- Arts and historical signs
- Indoor playground
- Board games / table top activities
- Community hall

**Are there any examples of indoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Facilities for kids, teens and seniors (2)
- Daycare (2)
- YMCA Section (space used wisely including parking and safety)
- Arts and commons at Olympic Plaza
- Downtown Library
- Fitness centres and advertise health
- Theatre / movie house
- Multi-cultural art exhibits
- Art gallery
- Entertainment centre
- Air drying machines instead of paper towels
- Edworthy park
- Indigenous land acknowledgement
- Table top activities and floor games/activities (for all mobilities)
- Include natural materials, bring nature inside (helps with relaxation)
- Design instagrammable spaces for teens
- Arts and culture
- Stage for celebrations
- Bowness

**What current outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Outdoor stage / Amphitheatre (6)



- Indigenous space / land acknowledgement (2)
- Walking paths (2)
- Community garden (2)
- Natural playground (2)
- Cultural art (2)
- Playground
- Basketball courts
- Multi-use courts
- Historical reference to GFL immigrants
- Drinking water fountain
- Picnic space
- Fire pits
- Outside washroom
- Cricket
- Multipurpose spaces

**What additional outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Parking (3)
- Stage / Amphitheatre (3)
- Walking/jogging paths (2)
- Playground (2)
- Indigenous space
- Washrooms
- Land acknowledgement
- Historical signs or markers
- Multi-purpose sports
- Outdoor shelter
- Firepit
- Kiosk
- Basketball
- Volleyball
- Tennis
- Green spaces
- Water park
- Bikes
- Hockey

**Do you have examples of outdoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Garden (3)
- Beautiful artwork (2)
- Playgrounds (2)
- Picnic areas (2)

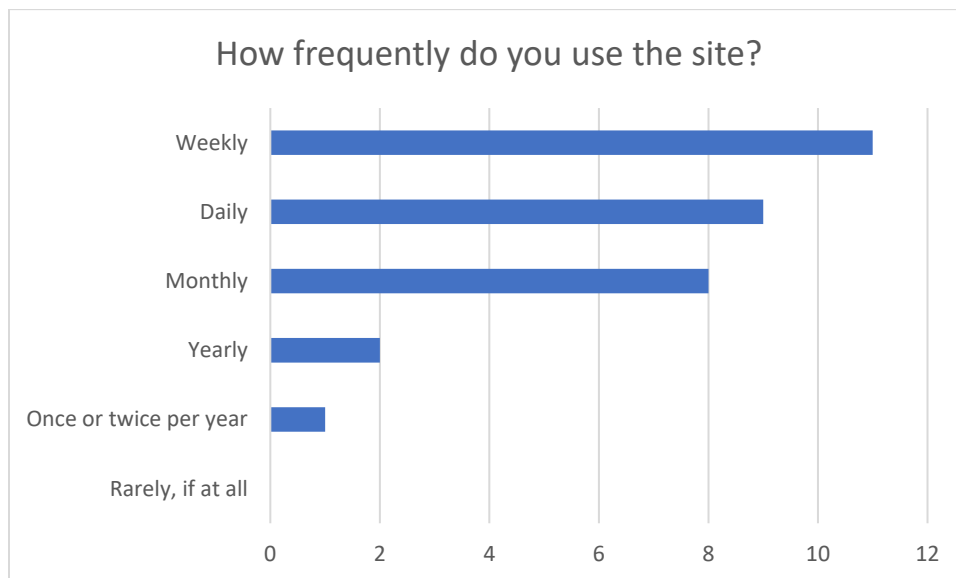
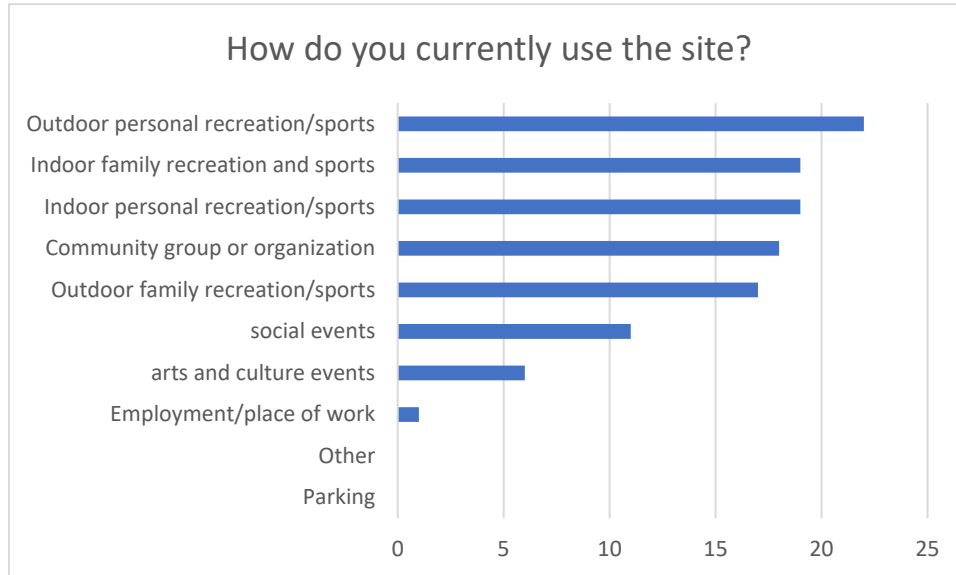
- Genesis Centre
- Confederation Park
- Amphitheatre
- Lots of trees
- Historical signs
- Fountain
- A sanctuary to meditate, reflect and connect
- Lighting at night

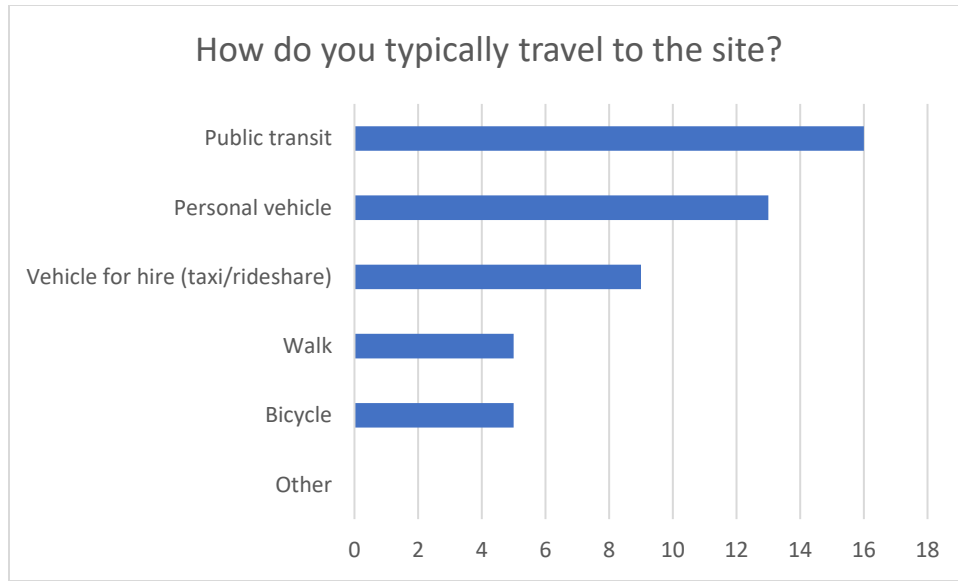
## **What is your vision for the site? (verbatim)**

- All in one place for family gatherings and perform sport activities
- Inclusive and accessible
- A place where you can build memories
- Respect diversity
- Safe and fun
- A beautiful plan for the community
- Inclusive and safety environment
- Inclusive, diverse & equitable
- Beautiful space facility with a lot amenities for everyone in the community: inclusive, accessible, affordable, friendly, multicultural and safe place to go. A place where peace and harmony exist among the people who uses the facility.
- A place of multicultural community where everyone enjoy, get along, and live with peace and harmony. A place with beautiful space full of different medium of art.
- Family-friendly and enjoyable
- Focal point to everyone to use,
- It should be the centre
- A place for everyone is a place for all
- Focal point for the community to use
- Centre around we should gather
- Need to serve everyone
- Place for everyone - a place for all
- Safe and inclusive
- Markers depicting the history of the people in the community
- Challenge is there are so many transient people

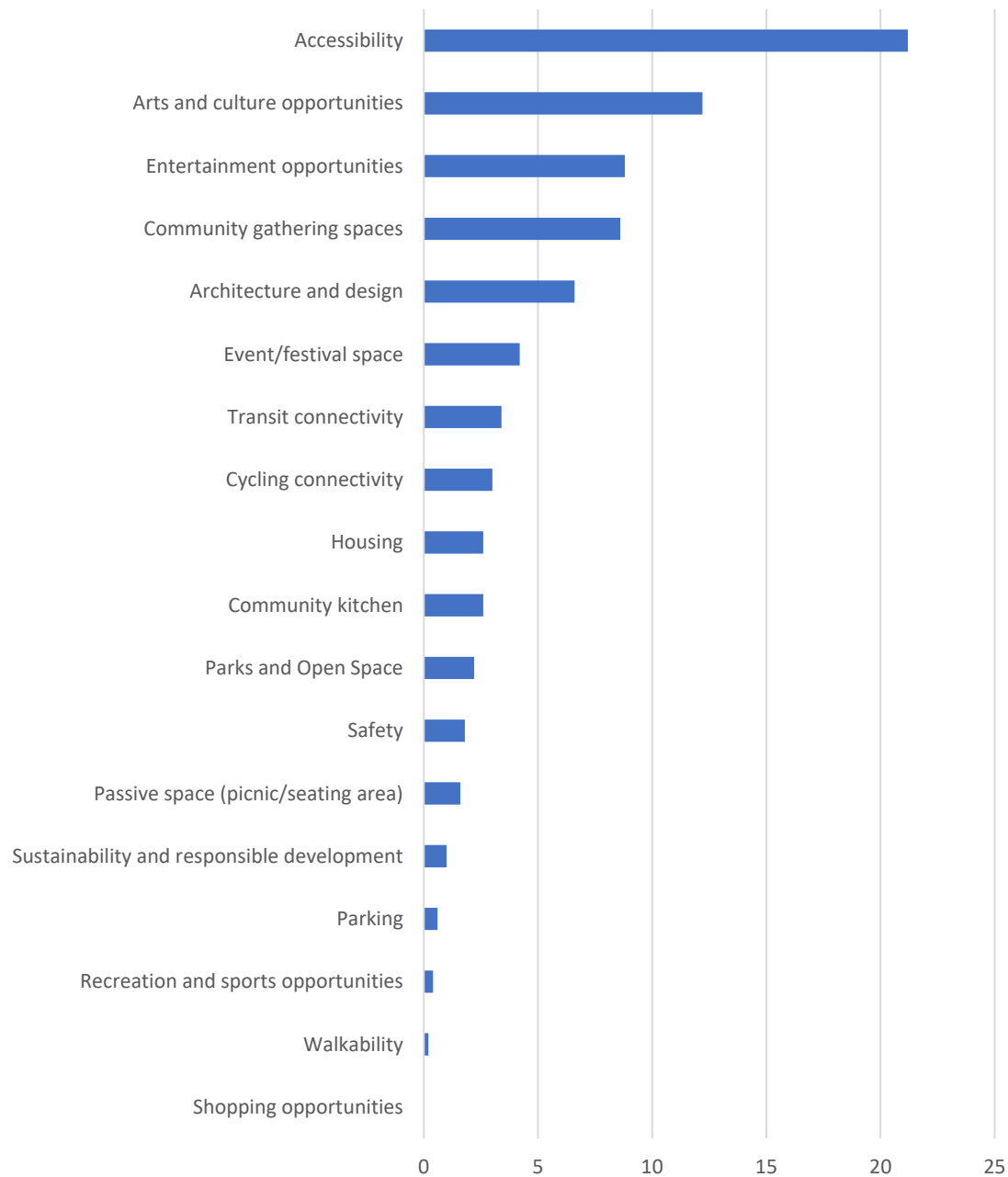
## Arabic Community Feedback

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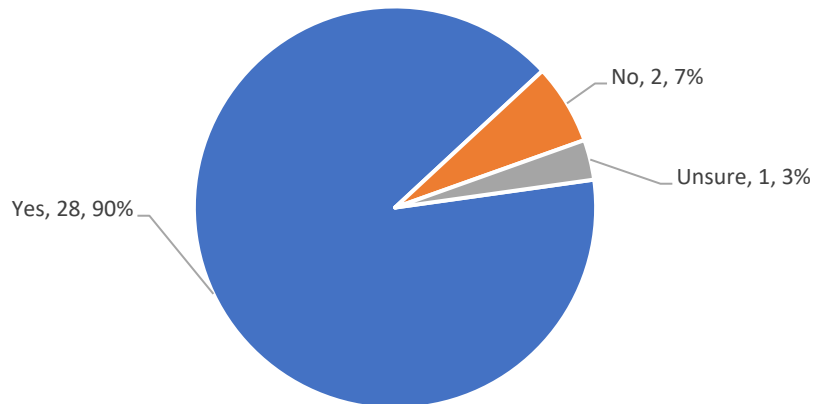




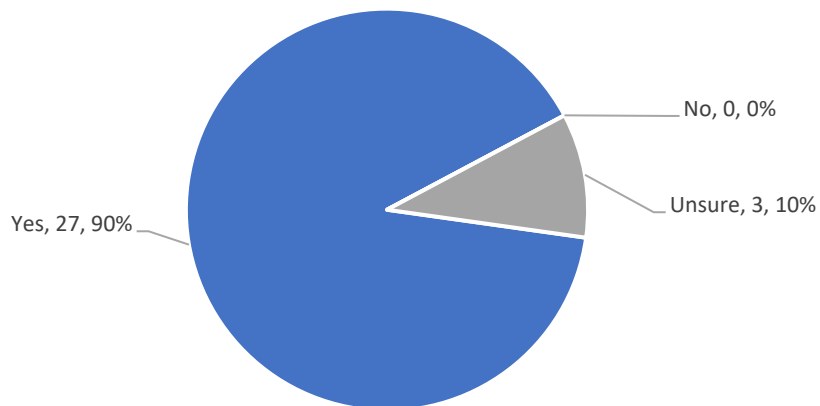
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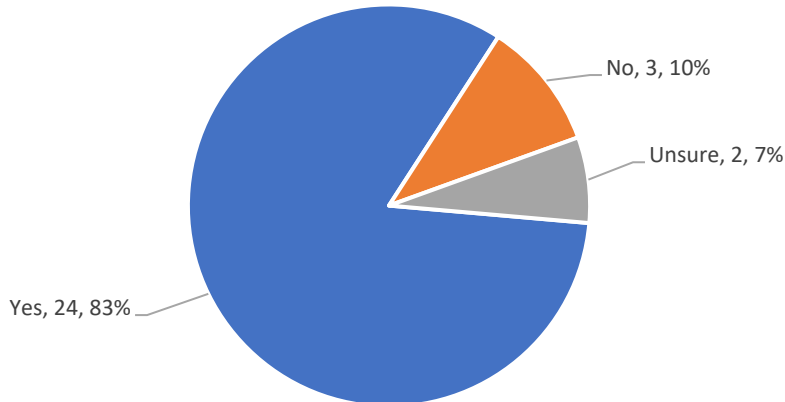
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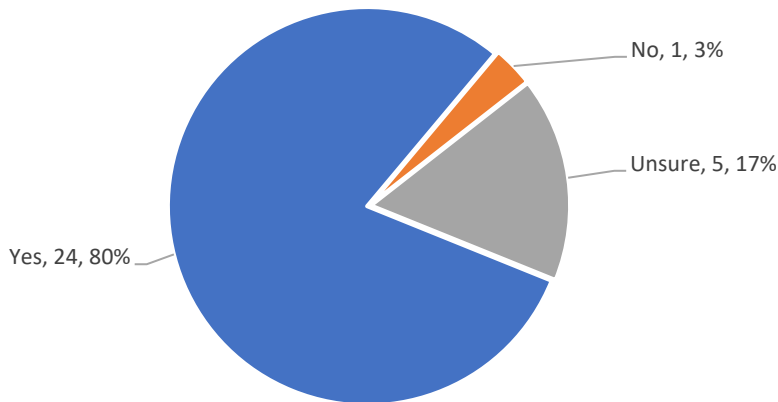
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When parking, current access to parking at the site is satisfactory



**Do you experience barriers when trying to access the existing facilities or other recreation and multi-use spaces and facilities? (physical, economic, social or psychological)**

- Transportation barriers (14)
- No (6)
- Economic barriers (6)
- Not enough space / time available (2)
- Social barriers

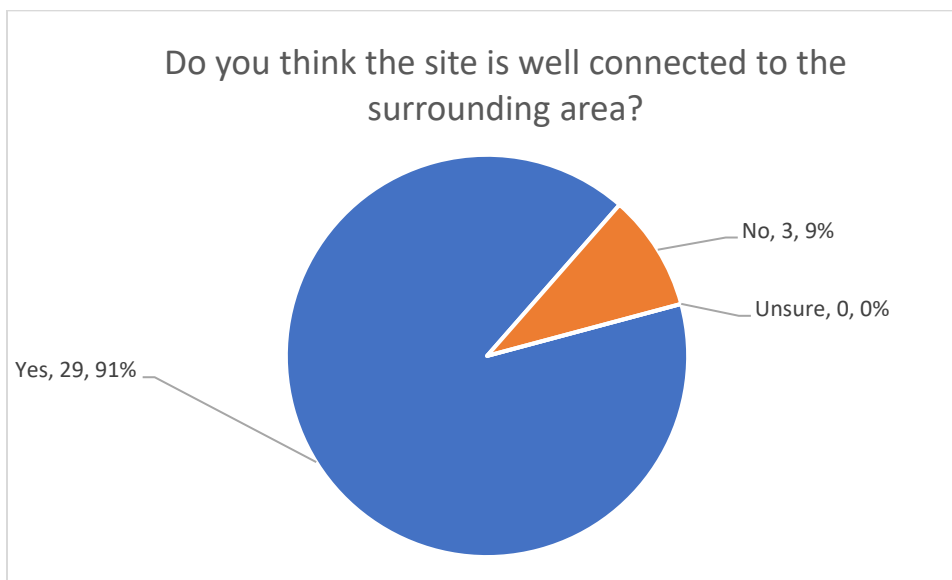
**How can we work together to eliminate the barriers you identified above for you to utilize the amenities on site?**

- More transit options/routes (16)
- Make the space accessible and easy to access (4)
- Low cost

- Reduce bias

**Do you have any ideas to ensure accessibility, safety, and inclusivity of indoor and outdoor spaces?**

- Make it safer (4)
  - o Security guards
- More transit connectivity/public transport (3)
  - o Help from NGOs
- More signs (2)
- Make it walkable (2)
- Bike paths (2)
- Outreach programs to local demographics
- Facilities close to residents
- More parking



**Do you have any ideas to improve site connections to surrounding areas?**

- More bus/transit/transportation routes (9)
- None (5)
- Walkways/pathways (2)
- Fencing (2)
- Wider/improved roads (2)
- Bike paths
- Picnic sites
- More space
- Bigger library
- Swimming pool
- Security
- Outdoor garden



**What current indoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Pool (5)
- Library (4)
- None (2)
- Kids play space (2)
- Gym (2)
- Outdoor garden/seating (2)
- Transportation options (transit, motorcycle) (2)
- Accessibility (disabilities)
- Muslim women exercise space
- Clean washrooms
- Open space
- Security
- Space for seniors
- Daycare
- Parking

**What additional indoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Sports facilities (volleyball, basketball, rock climbing, rollerblading) (4)
- Library (4)
- Pool (3)
- Kids play spaces (3)
- Transportation choices/improvements (3)
- Security (2)
- None (2)
- Food options
- Counseling services
- Concert space
- Technology
- Arts centre

**Are there any examples of indoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Genesis (4)
- West Edmonton Mall (2)
- Village Square (2)
- NYC (dedicated spaces for sport/pop-up health clinics)
- Cross Iron
- A lot of places in Calgary
- Public library

- Cranmore Park

**What current outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Outdoor seating (3)
- Lighting (3)
- Security/cameras (2)
- Open space / fields (2)
- Bike paths (2)
- Outdoor sports (2)
- Picnic site
- Food
- Rest station (water, food trucks)
- Wading pool
- Garden
- Skating

**What additional outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Food trucks (3)
- Outdoor kids play spaces (3)
- Outdoor seating (2)
- Cameras/security (2)
- More parking
- Lighting
- Basketball
- Outdoor concerts
- Skating
- Outdoor swimming pool

**Do you have examples of outdoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Genesis (2)
- Confederation Park (hiking trails and bike paths)
- Grand Moorpark
- Prairie Park (lots of space and plants)
- Bow River
- Riley Park (wading pool)
- Olympic Plaza
- Cross Iron

**What is your vision for the site? (verbatim)**

- A community center that fosters relations between people of different age/ethnicity/religion. Also could incorporate public health campaigns, healthy living, etc.
- A facility where you can express your craft and have fun being yourself with family and friends
- To be a huge facility where people can go and enjoy themselves
- A place where kids can have fun and also educate themselves
- Need more please
- Purpose a big building between Forest Lawn and Erin Woods
- Beautiful
- Beautiful
- Beautiful
- Beautiful
- Beautiful
- Beautiful place and strategic place
- Very beautiful
- Strategic
- Beautiful locations and strategic for the residents
- Beautiful
- Beautiful
- Beautiful
- Very beautiful
- Beautiful
- access place
- Good
- Embrace the Canadian multicultural environment and combine the outdoor activities
- Good
- Include daycare and clinic for families
- Re-improve

## **April 6<sup>th</sup> Forest Lawn High School Engagement**

### **A. Questionnaire (3 questions) (Period 1 and 2)**

- 1. What Challenges do you or your family experience when living In. Getting around, or participating in your community?**
  - Transportation Challenges (Bus stops needed, access to transportation) (16)
  - Crime and Safety (issue) (15)
  - Activities (lack of activities to participate in) (9)
  - Lack of Services (Hospitals, EMS, Gym, Swimming Pool) (8)
  - Crosswalk Safety (8)
  - Language Barriers (5)
  - Lack of School Parking (student parking) (4)
- 2. When you think of a future recreation and Cultural hub, what's one thing you want The City to consider? Why?**
  - Programed Areas (Sports) (20)
  - All ages friendly areas (5)
  - Keep natural areas (Trees, grass) (4)
  - Cultural Centre (Mosque, Church) (4)
  - Gym (4)
  - Café Area (4)
  - Safety (4)
- 3. What's one question you have for us today?**
  - Needed Programs/Services (5)
  - Project Timelines (4)
  - Safety/Police Presence (3)
  - Funding Needed (3)
  - Tree Removal
  - Space Requirements
  - Connect Bus Routes
  - Language needs
  - Project Team Availability

### **B. IDEA HUBS EXERCISE**

#### **IDEA HUB 1) How do you want to get around your community?**

- buses - faster, more frequent, heat at stations, safer (21)
- Walk (8)
- more community maintenance - fix pot holes, bumpy pathways, missing connections, wider pathways (7)
- biking - not safe on road, need bike lane, bike lane not used (7)

- safety - street lights, vandalism (7)
- too much traffic / crosswalk in front of school (6)
- better parking - at school, general (5)
- safe outdoor spaces / vibrant areas / clean streets (4)
- go downtown (2)
- Other responses
  - o program to play / activities - general, ping pong, air hockey, arcade, shooting range, photo booth (10)
  - o swim - pool, slides (10)
  - o food - ethnic, fastfood, café (10)
  - o basketball - indoors and out (10)
  - o shopping (7)
  - o art - draw, sculpture, murals (6)
  - o sport courts -volleyball, badminton, tennis (6)
  - o Activity Spaces - hangout, dance studio, skate park, movie theatre (5)
  - o soccer (3)
  - o skate (3)
  - o no baseball (2)
  - o places to play sports (2)
  - o childcare / play area for kids (2)
  - o library – reading (2)
- Miscellaneous (15)

## **IDEA HUB 2) What do you want to do in your community?**

- sports - soccer, football, basketball, badminton, gymnastics (15)
- food - café, diner, convenience store, cooking class, community kitchen (13)
- Shopping (11)
- gym, leisure centre, pool (9)
- Walking (8)
- activities - arcade, photo booth, ping pong, foosball, video games, dancing, movies, roller rink (7)
- outdoor sports - biking, skating, volleyball, tennis, baseball (7)
- Hangout / visit friends (5)
- parks - garden, playground (5)
- safe - feel, police, spaces (4)
- Downtown (4)
- Library (4)
- Art – draw (3)
- Trampoline Park (2)
- Stay Home (2)
- Skate Park (2)
- Mini libraries (1)
- Frisbee Golf (1)
- Miscellaneous (10)

## **IDEA HUB 3) How can we make the community safe and inclusive?**

- Safety - safe consumption sites, lighting, physical, security cameras, law presence, spaces for women, eyes on street, violence, help buttons, public washrooms, open sight lines, fenced area for younger kids (37)
- Activity spaces - dance studio, disc golf course, library, soccer, tennis, badminton, music, computers, swim, basketball, skate park, ball hockey, golf, outdoor movies (18)
- Improvements - Pedestrian crossing, streetlights, fix pot holes, roads, walkways, connected bikeways (14)
- Food / Shopping / downtown (14)
- Transit - bus station, drug use at train stations, ramps at stations, call buttons, bad smells, not feeling safe, homeless, transit to your door (12)
- affordability - no membership, no cost, low cost, fee for service, rent equipment (10)
- Languages & cultures – multiple, signage, flexible spaces, teachers of different ethnicities, inclusive (6)
- Emergency & support services - in the community, repurpose old fire hall (6)
- Traffic - lower speed limit, more traffic lights (5)
- Hub-live Garden wall, colors, greenery, plants, universal change rooms, small stall, build for decades, connection between buildings (5)
- homeless center / youth shelter (4)
- animals / coyote issue (2)
- accessibility - ramps, wheelchairs, connecting pathways (2)
- open spaces - open to outside, outdoor (2)
- hangout / safe and private place for girls to hangout (2)
- clean environment - garbage cans (1)
- Health – hospital (1)
- Miscellaneous (4)

## **IDEA HUB 4) How do we design a community for the future? (more LAP-specific).**

- Food – multicultural, café, diner, stores, fast food, restaurants, Arabic food store, more grocery stores (21)
- Amenities - theatre / performance centre, steam rooms, movie theatre, outdoor event space, recreation hub, skate park, rock climbing, space for art and creativity, close to school, pool, hangout spaces, roller skating rink, dance studio, daycare, accessible amenities (19)
- improvements -better roads, cleaner community, better waste disposal, safer driving, lights for disc golf park, parking at school (13)
- Activities - during evening, swim programs for girls, more programs, dance, fun activities, encourage active young and old, track and field, archery (11)
- Stores - book store, local stores, mall, outdoor markets (11)
- sports - volleyball, basketball, soccer, skating, skiing (11)
- Outdoors - more trees, own gardens, more parks, more , larger cleaner playgrounds (11)
- Transportation options - eco friendly cars, self driving cars, scooters, flying cars, electric cars (10)
- Transit - more buses, more bus stops, security at train stations, train station, more frequency (8)

- affordability / homeless shelter / food market for homeless (7)
- safety - environment, patrols, street lights, less crime (7)
- Housing -low - mid rise buildings, apartments, low cost (6)
- multi cultural / diversity - accepting, learning about other cultures, increase diversity, unique character communities (5)
- library (3)
- more bike paths / walking paths (3)
- gaming space (3)
- Remove stigma on area / positive marketing (2)
- safe spaces to practice religion (2)
- like - safe community, people (2)
- Miscellaneous (9)

## **C. Indigenous Leadership Class Questionnaire (3 questions)**

### **1. What Challenges do you or your family experience when living In. Getting around, or participating in your community?**

- Traditional Activities Space (needed) (4)
- Sport Amenities (basketball, gym) (4)
- Inclusive Space (culture and religion) (2)
- Accessibility (2)
- Programming (cultural) (2)
- Security

### **2. When you think of a future recreation and Cultural hub, what's one thing you want The City to consider? Why?**

- Better Public Transportation (bus times, connections) (3)
- Traffic Challenges (2)
- Public Courts (Basketball) (1)
- Safe Crosswalks (crossing lights) (1)
- Safety
- Vandalism
- Pathways thru site/area

### **3. What's one question you have for us today?**

- Social Services Centre
- Hockey Rink (need)
- Fire Hall
- Open Space Plan (what is it)
- Community Investment\

### **4. How do you get around?**

- Sidewalk Improvements (4)
- Slow Transit (2)

- Cost of Transit Tickets (challenge) (2)
- Better Site connections (1)

## **5. What do you do? How do you use the site?**

- Multi-Cultural Programming (2)
- Pow Wow event space (2)
- Incorporate nature in the design (2)
- Art Space (2)
- No sharp edges
- Relaxing Space (dark lights)
- Elderly Space
- Indoor Soccer Area
- Food Area
- Walking Paths
- Theater Space
- Dance Space
- Multi-purpose Digital Space
- Recording Space (music)
- Basketball
- Study Space
- Cooking Space/Area
- Skatepark

## **D. Engagement banner**

**What facilities, activities and spaces would you like to see in a future recreation and cultural civic centre? What do you want to experience in this space?**

- Rotating gallery space
- Please build a theatre with a 30x40 stage with lighting
- Event space designed for custom configuration

**How can we make the future Forest Lawn Centre accessible, safe, inclusive and welcoming for all?**

- Portion of annual bookings designated for local community





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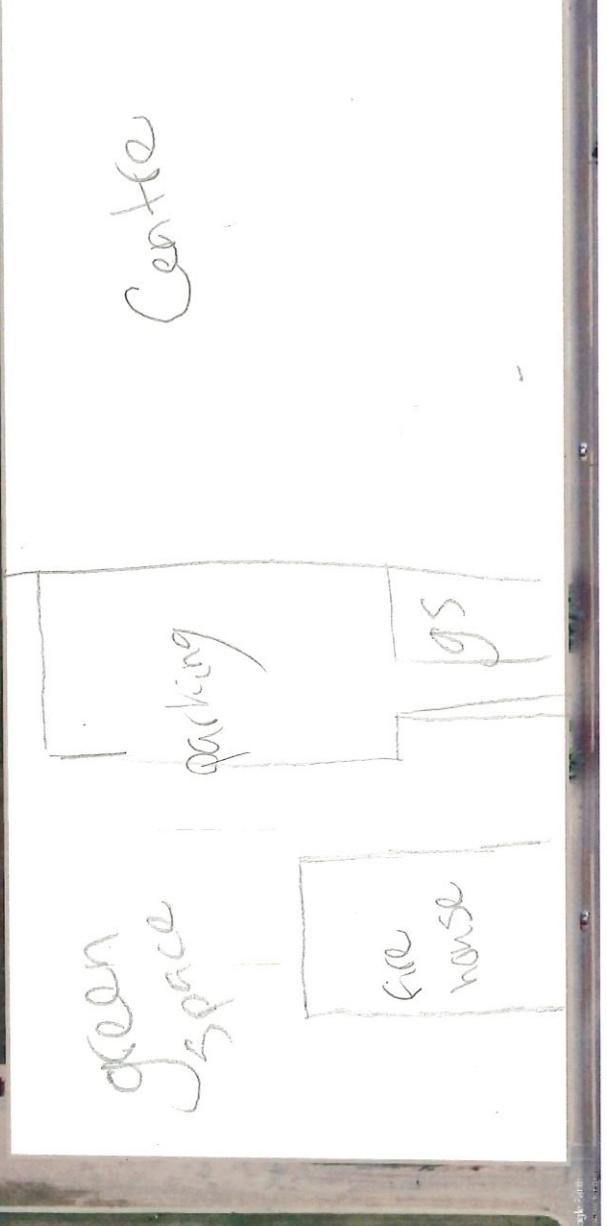
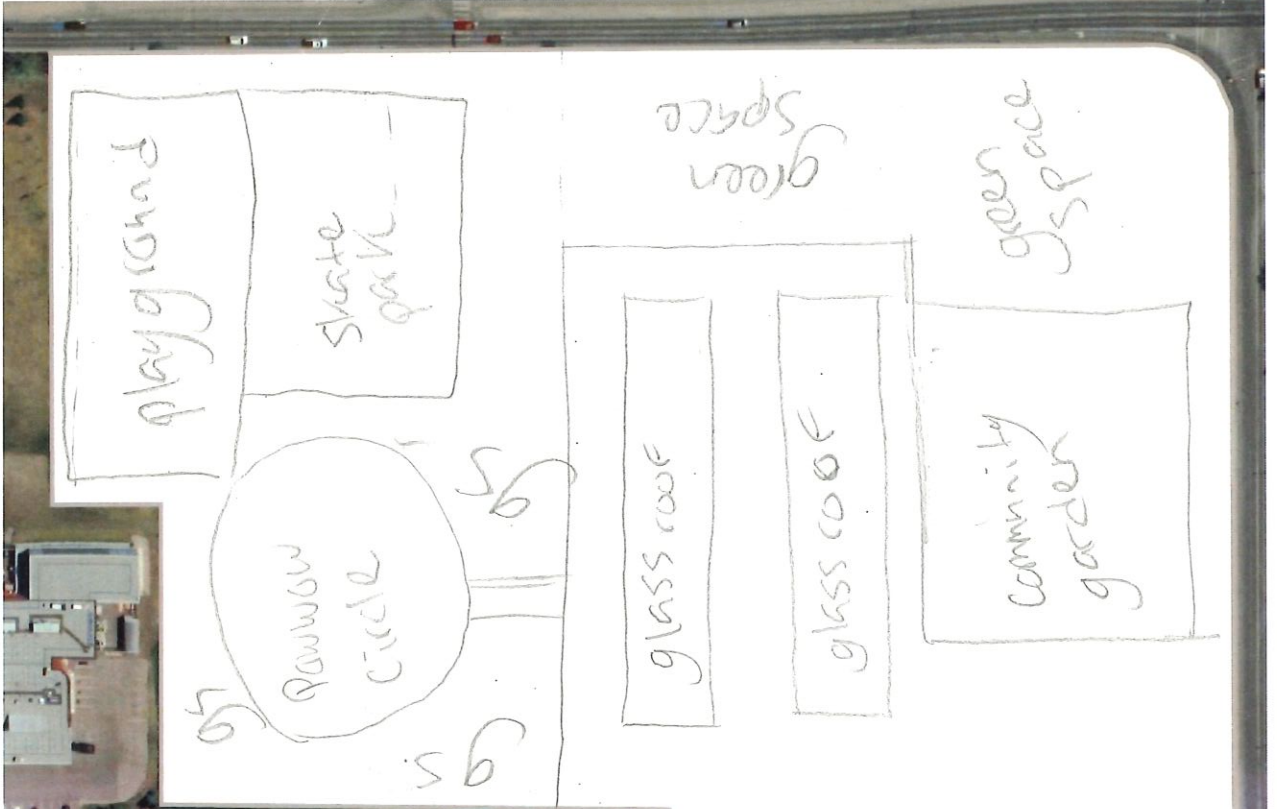






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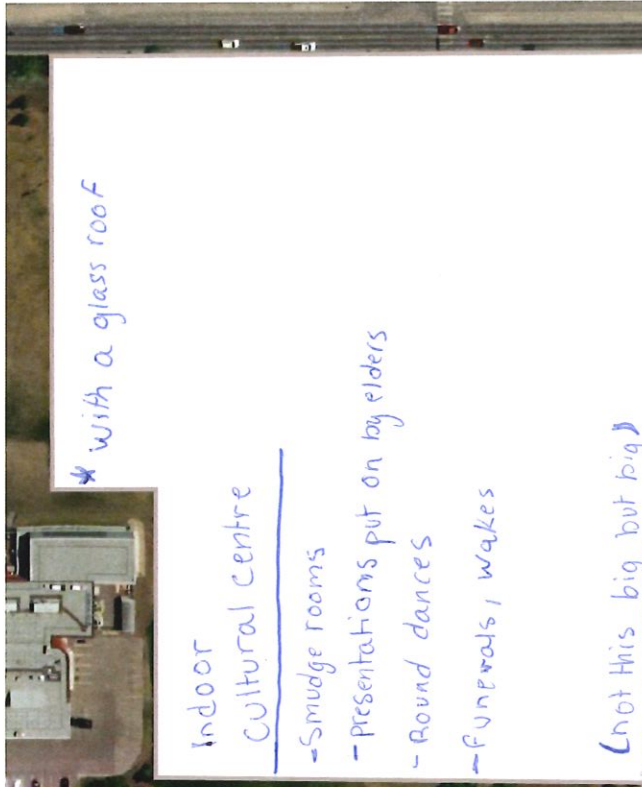
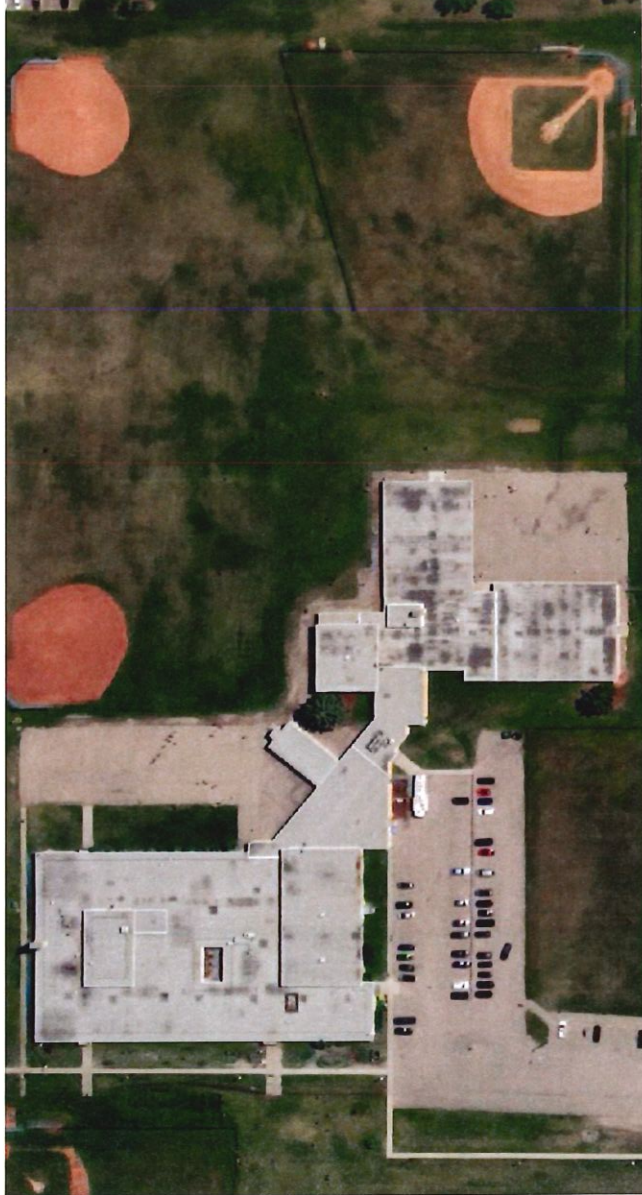
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## Indoor Cultural centre

- Smudge rooms
- Presentations put on by elders
- Round dances
- Funerals, wakes

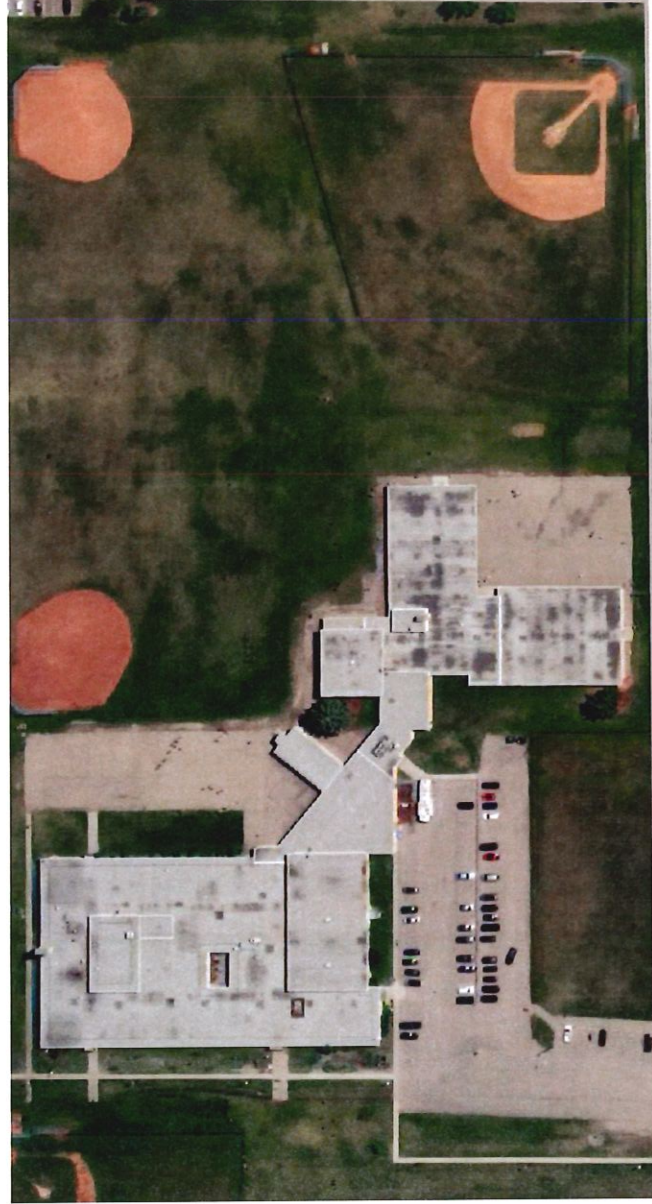
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## **April 5<sup>th</sup> Jack James High School Engagement**

### **A. Questionnaire (3 questions) - (Period 1 and 2)**

- 1. What Challenges do you or your family experience when living In. Getting around, or participating in your community?**
  - Free options (3)
  - Finding activities to participate in with disabilities
  - Getting around
  - Not having a good skate park
  - Sidewalks
  - People on drugs
  - Police
  - Do not experience many challenges
  
- 2. When you think of a future recreation and Cultural hub, what's one thing you want The City to consider? Why?**
  - Free community access (3)
  - Skate park (3)
  - Beach volleyball (2)
  - Hockey rink (2)
  - Track and field (2)
  - Mini putt course
  - More benches
  - Picnic area
  - Artist space
  - Community garden
  - Dirtbike track
  - Basketball / hockey rink combination
  - Walkways
  - Outdoor family swimming
  - Similar to Genesis
  
- 3. What's one question you have for us today?**
  - I hope you make the school better
  - Would you have to rent out the space like at Genesis?
  - How long will this take?



## B. GROUP DISCUSSION

### Outdoor spaces

- Sports
  - o Multi use spaces (ball hockey/basketball, outdoor rink/ball hockey, tennis court/hockey) (4)
  - o Skate park (3)
  - o Storage areas for equipment (2)
  - o Keep ball diamonds (2)
  - o Training space for athletes
  - o Cross country ski area
  - o Beach volleyball
  - o Mini golf
  - o Track and field
  - o Better maintenance of existing fields
- Disc golf
  - o Students don't use outside of school (2)
  - o Used by schools
  - o Keep, but make smaller
  - o Building next to disc golf needs to be accessible
- Pathways
  - o Students walk back and forth – no formal pathways (snow and mud) (3)
- Outdoor amenities
  - o All ages parks/spaces (2)
  - o Fences create barriers
  - o Fire pit
  - o Shelters
  - o Outdoor washrooms
  - o Outdoor gathering spaces/classrooms
  - o Splash park
  - o Family-friendly space
  - o Movie experience
  - o Traditional garden
  - o Greenhouse – part of the school, donation to the Alex

### Indoor spaces

- Community kitchen – get students involved (2)
- Dance studio
- Makerspace (bike shop)
- Costume making space
- Multi-purpose/multiactivity space (Genesis)
- Dressing rooms for all community members
- Spectating space/balcony/to watch from above

## **Cultural / Arts spaces**

- Space for elders to teach traditions/educate (2)
- Include art/ space for artists (2)
- Music/performance space – indoor and outdoor (3)

## **Programming**

- Student volunteer section / opportunities in the space (3)
- Affordable/free
- Afterschool programming
- Income opportunities for students
- Job fair/convention
- Community programming

## **Safety**

- Open visibility to different viewpoints (2)
- Lighting along pathways, ball diamond, soccer fields
- Adult supervision required
- Needs to be safe

## **Design**

- Needs to be accessible – ramps (2)
- Upcycle design / sustainability
- Welcoming for all – LGBTQ space
- Artists to design rooms
- Do not build grey buildings
- Spaces need to pop – art and color

## **Transportation**

- Improve sidewalk on 52<sup>nd</sup>
- Improved access to transportation (biking)

# **C. SOUNDING BOARD**

**What facilities, activities and spaces would you like to see in a future recreation and cultural civic centre? What do you want to experience in this space?**

- Skate park / pump / bike track (6)
- Volleyball court – sand court (4)
- Public gym/fitness centre- outdoor (2)
- Track and field (4)
- Multi use – Hockey/ball hockey/basketball (2)

- More tennis courts – heavily used by school (2)
- Mini golf
- Amusement park
- Football field
- Basketball court
- Astro turf field
- Cricket pitch
- Parkour space
- Paddle ball courts
- Cross country trail and track
- Outdoor stage
- Bigger playground
- Water park
- Archery court
- Zip line
- Swimming events
- Jaguar Mascot statue

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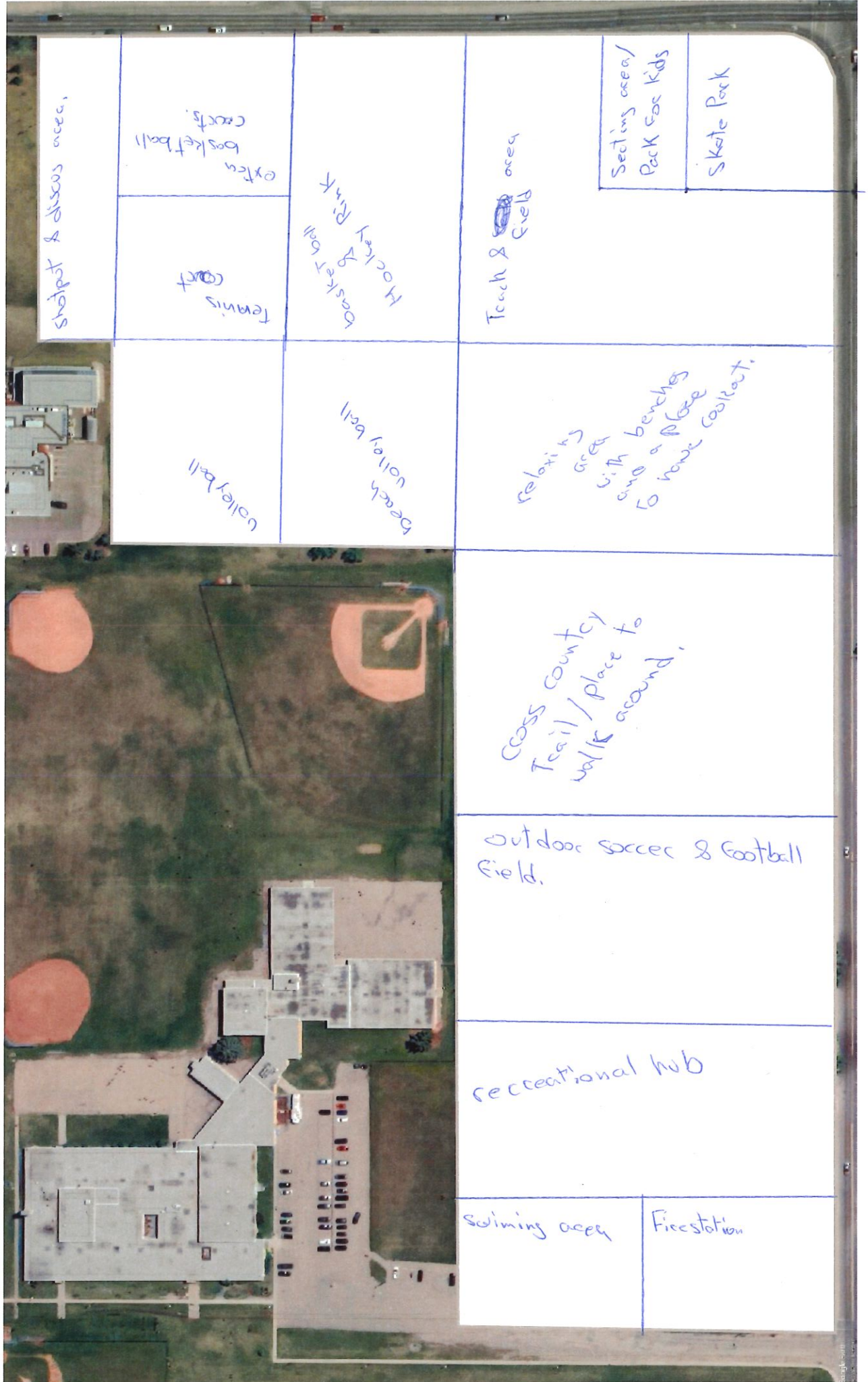
- Lighting – on trees, along pathways (4)
- Public washrooms like downtown
- Community feeling
- Fire pits
- Water fountains



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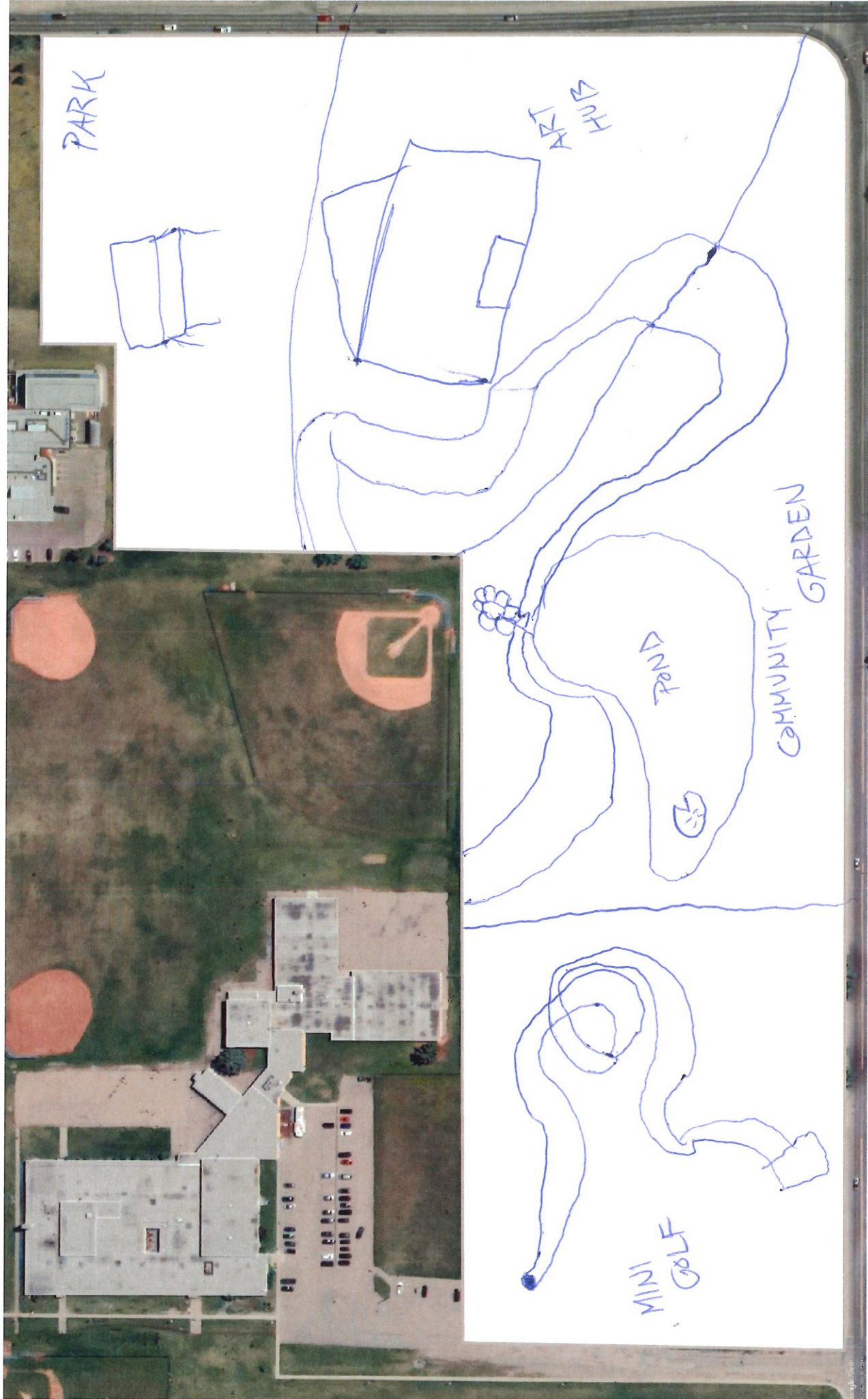
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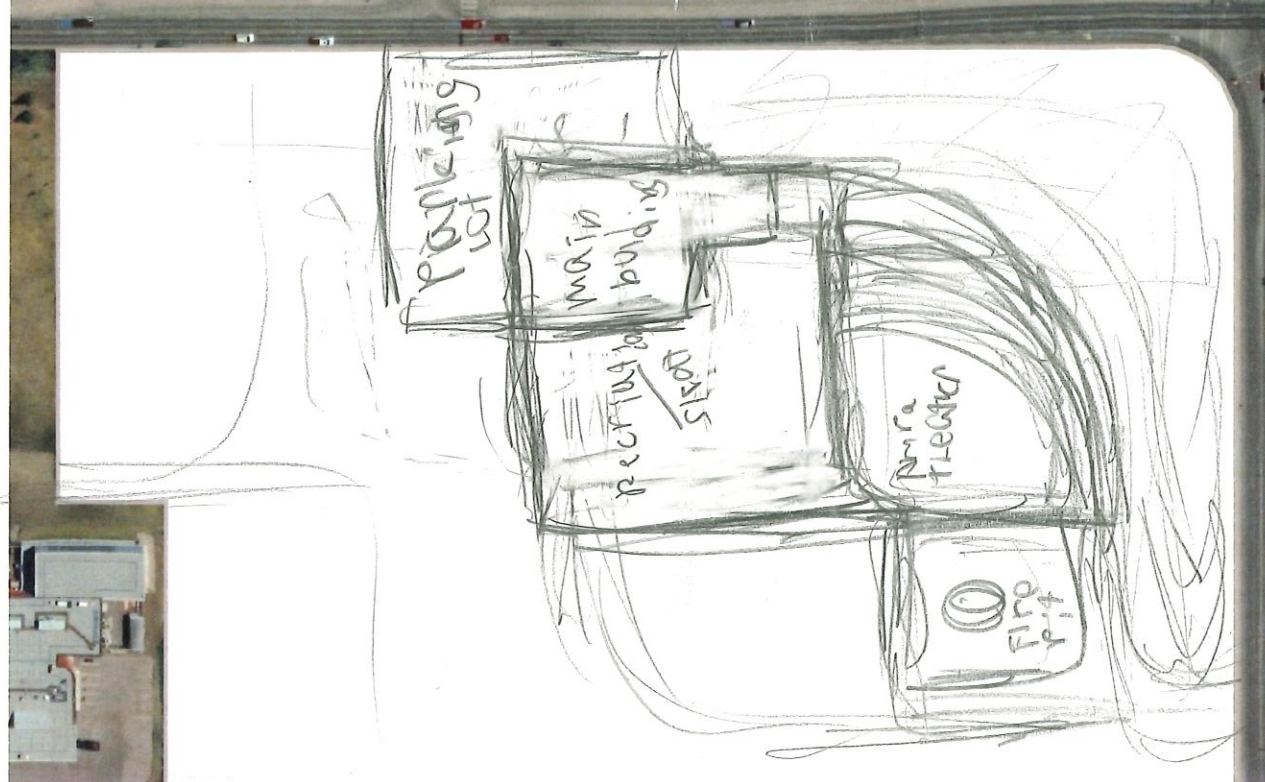
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## **March 14, 2022 Antyx Arts Workshop with Bob Bahan Youth on a Youth Hub Space**

**Do your friends/family know where Bob Bahan is?**

Yes – 11

No – 2

**Would you want to spend time at Bob Bahan?**

- Free pizza, cake, pie
- Yes
- Basketball program/camp

**Where do you go to meet?**

- Library – 2
- Walk around
- Leisure centre
- Basketball court
- Cute cat posters
- Park
- 7-11
- Other peoples' houses
- School
- My house

**What makes you interested in a program? What makes you not interested?**

- Sports (2)
- If it has a hobby I'm into
- Anything to entertain
- Soccer
- Basketball
- Games
- Scootering
- Art
- Videogames
- Seeing animals
- UNO

**What barriers may make it hard to attend?**

- Day of the week
- Mental health
- Double booking

- Someone is not nice
- Parents don't want to go
- If I was injured
- Busy
- Doctor/dentist appointment
- If I have to go somewhere far

## **What does "youth hub" mean to you?**

- A place for youth that you could go instead of your house
- Large area
- Things to do
- Club environment
- Young kids

## **What kind of teen programming does Forest Lawn need?**

- Learning how to be nice
- Environment
- Basketball court
- Soccer field
- Swimming
- Dancing
- Performing arts
- Arabic dancing
- Sports equipment
- Badminton
- Hockey
- Volleyball
- Art
- Sledding
- Cooking
- Instruments/guitar

## **What do you want to learn? What do you like to do? What area are you lacking in?**

- Awesome basketball shots
- Gardening
- Boxing
- Tap dance
- Martial arts/karate
- Cooking
- Hip Hop
- Wrestling
- Fortnite
- Art

- Coding
- Pottery/clay
- Drawing
- Learning how to make things
- Computer stuff
- Sports
- Design stuff
- Language stuff
- Social justice

## **What days/times are best for you?**

- 4 p.m. – 2
- 3:30 p.m. – 12

## **What is the best way to get info to you? How did you find out about this event?**

Instagram – 5

Discord – 9

From friends – 9

Search online – 1

Tik Tok – 5

Fortnite – 5

Facebook – 2

Saw door open – 1

## **What do you actually read that the school gives you?**

- Comics
- Nothing
- No newsletters

## **If you came to a hub space before, what did you like? What do you not like?**

- Swimming (3)
- Basketball (4)
- Skating - like (2) - do not like (2)
- Antyx
- Hope mission
- Pizza
- CAS (5)
- Soccer games (2)
- Outside days/biking days (2)

## Do you like in person or online programs?

- Online (2)
- In person (13)

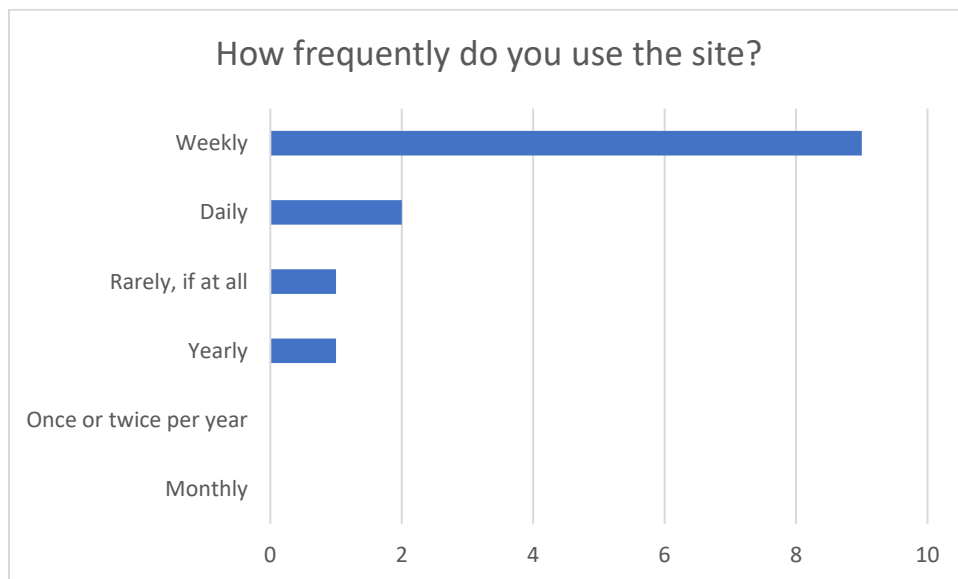
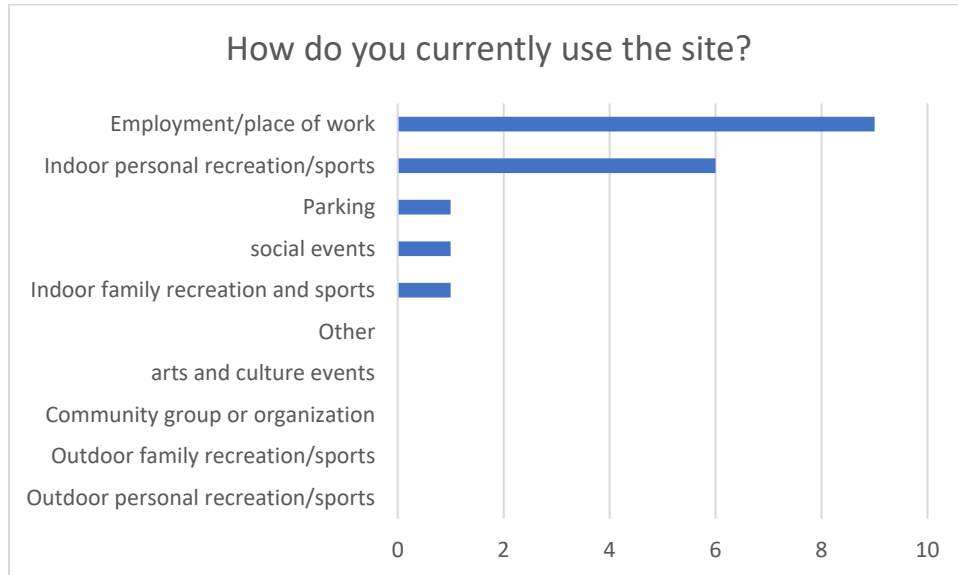
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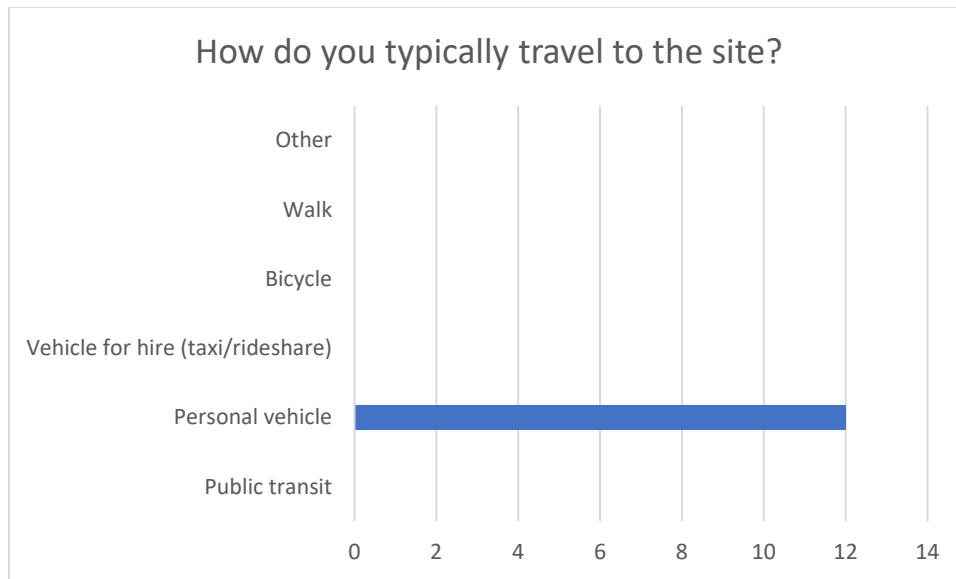
- Fonda (1)
- Dover (1)
- Ernest Morrow (2)



## Bob Bahan Staff Feedback

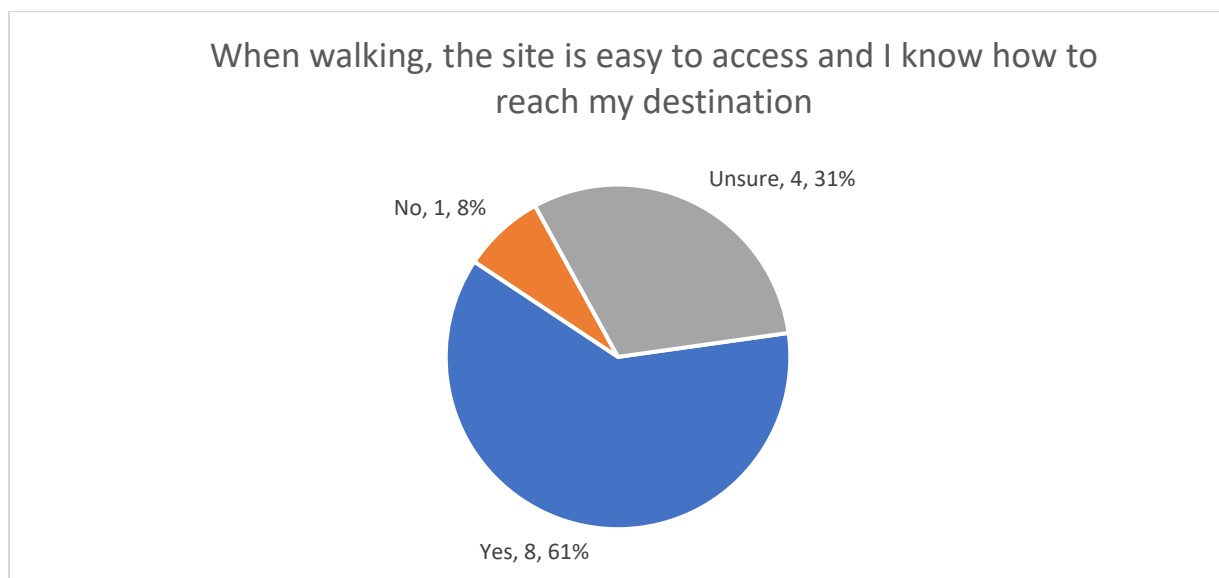
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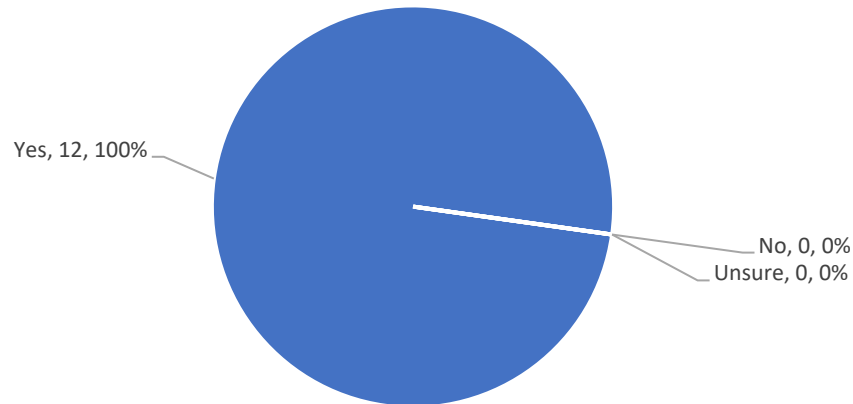


**What are the most important aspects of the project you think need to be considered throughout the master plan design process?**

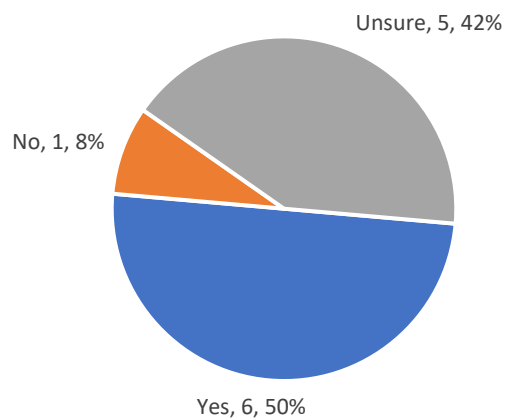
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2. Accessibility
3. Arts and culture opportunities
4. Parking
5. Safety

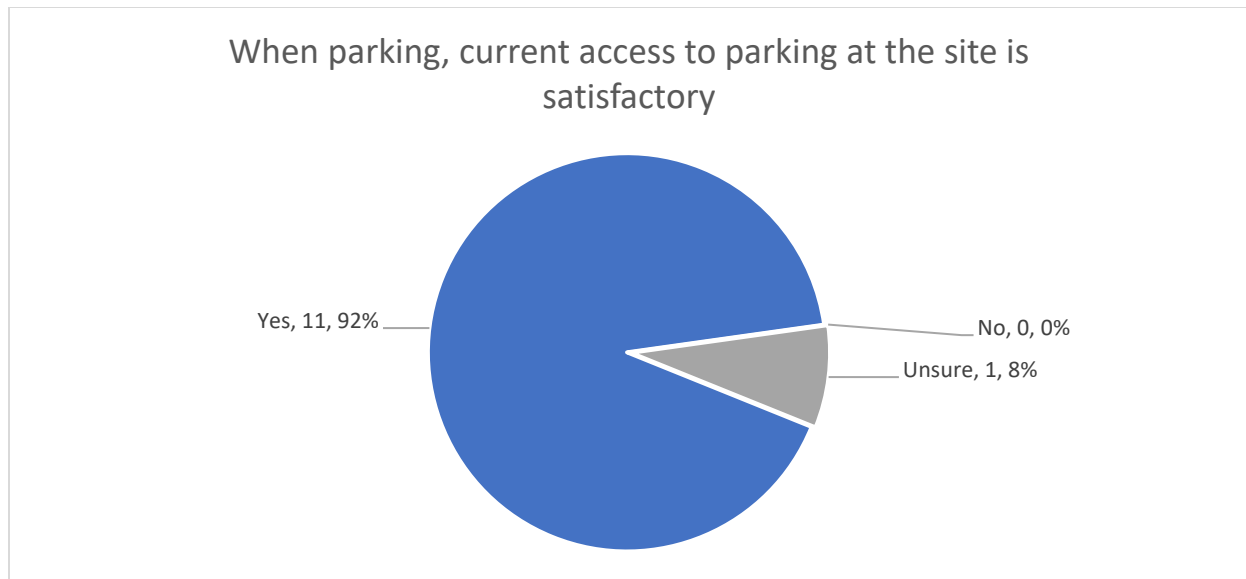


When driving, the site is easy to access and I know where to park to reach my destination



When cycling, the site is easy to access and I know how to reach my destination





**Do you experience barriers when trying to access the existing facilities or other recreation and multi-use spaces and facilities? (physical, economic, social or psychological)**

- No (8)
- Not accessible,
  - o No elevator
  - o Ramps needed for pool
  - o Handicap parking close to entrance
- Traffic at school peak hours

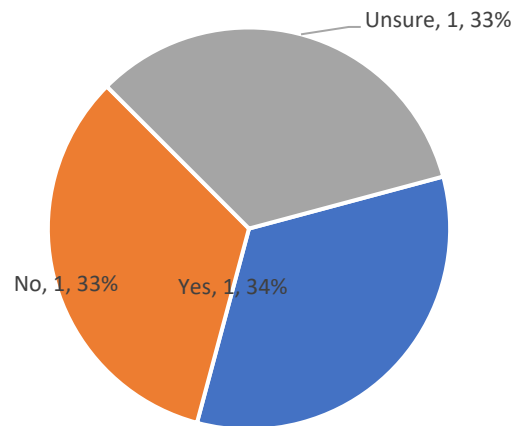
**How can we work together to eliminate the barriers you identified above for you to utilize the amenities on site?**

- Elevator and ramp/accessible design to enter the pool
- Handicap parking
- Bigger parking area

**Do you have any ideas to ensure accessibility, safety, and inclusivity of indoor and outdoor spaces?**

- Safe for kids and visitors
- Code to access gym
- Check in process at front to access outdoor amenities (similar to basketball court)
- Security guards
- Elevator
- Do not gentrify events/spaces

Do you think the site is well connected to the surrounding area?



**Do you have any ideas to improve site connections to surrounding areas?**

- Bike path
- Inclusive events
- Lit pathways
- More signage
- Upkeep of road surface

**What current indoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Pool (5)
- Fitness centre/gym (3)
- Meeting rooms
- Steam room (3)
- Hot tub (3)
- Ice surface
- Antyx programming

**What additional indoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Food place (2)
- Art facilities (2)
- Safe seating areas in lobby (2)
- Larger open lobby space concept with art
- Gardens and programming
- Accessibility
- Water slides
- Movie nights
- Badminton courts

- Pool viewing area
- Events
- Babysitting rooms/services
- Meeting rooms
- Better décor
- Climbing walls
- Culinary teachers

**Are there any examples of indoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Downtown Library – different seating
- Farmers markets
- New YMCA – spacious, well designed, running track

**What current outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are most important to be included in the concept design and why?**

- Parks
- Basketball court

**What additional outdoor services and/or facilities do you think are important to include in the concept design and why?**

- Skate park
- Picnic areas/benches (3)
- Outdoor pool
- Pay park for young kids
- Art/culture hub
- Farmers market
- Green responsibility
- Outdoor skating rink
- Music festival space

**Do you have examples of outdoor spaces you've seen in Calgary or anywhere in the world that we should consider? Why?**

- Farmers markets
- Food truck events
- Oakland art/graffiti cultural wall

**What is your vision for the site? (verbatim)**

- Rec/Arts facility + pool
- A safe environment for all people to experience
- A safe, clean, easily accessible spot for recreational and learning
- Community based rec facility that accommodates activities for all ages

- A beautifully designed rec/culture centre that embodies NE Calgary
- Serenity, peaceful, spacious, happy

## **Meeting with NPCs and CSWs**

**Tuesday April 19, 2022**

### **Happening currently**

- Afterschool
- 2 Indigenous connectors programs – beading class – hard to book spaces – choppy and small spaces
- Sacred medicine garden going in right away
- Neighbourhood Adventures – summer program
- Wifi – need it – youth employment centre really needs it – for things like resumes off kids phones
- Workshops are held inside and outside
- Did a bannock making contest recently – would love to have amenities for that beyond the 1982 stove
- Basketball courts – open courts that are flexible
- Did a Pow Wow in the fields – 500 people
- Skating event with around 250 people
- Orange ribbon campaign in parking lot
- Using garden space when COVID prevented going inside
- More open space would be good
- Shower program – soaps & suds at the arena
- Opening up showers – important program – the need is there – great to have in new centre
- Storage – only 2 tiny spaces – shared with after school – been asked to be able to store things and there is no space
- Places with no mice / cockroaches
- Kiwanis cup
- Newcomers – soccer program has been done
- Baseball not super popular sport – usually are for teams that rent out those spaces – it is not a big sport in the community
- Basketball and soccer are more popular
- Interest in a pump track – skateboard park – similar to Genesis centre
- Concerns about losing the Frisbee golf
- Need for cricket pitches
- Pickleball also has a request – CAs are being asked to offer it – tennis courts or flexible court spaces

### **Most used community spaces?**

- Cultural centre not specific to one culture – Dover – south Sudanese and Vietnamese – celebrate all the cultures and the things that unite them – where everyone is welcome – space is representative of all
- Multipurpose gathering space – always in demand – for all ages – spaces available beyond regular programming – eg. Afterschool programs – still need other space for additional activities



- Cultural groups being able to do dance but not having them be charged (e.g. there is a charge for dance programs)

#### **Small community theatre? Performances for different cultural groups?**

- Outdoor event space – amphitheatre or pavilion – not sure on the details yet – priority for Arts & Culture
- Seating is important – indoor / outdoor
- Garden space – move the sacred medicine garden over hopefully – need water access for gardens
- Need for washrooms – with all the outdoor spaces – public washroom facilities beyond indoors
- Prioritization of all the amenities will be done
- Child care – program provider or space for it? Seton – or Rockyridge – similar scale facility – child minding program for when you go to work out – private operator – daycare 9-5 – market use supported
- Many CAs operate daycares / afterschool care – watch for conflict
- Costs – childcare is a need – cost is preventative – cant' always afford it
- Social workers – childcare – have volunteers to come to do it when running program – so need a space to use
- Be in the same space as parents
- Child minding – subsidized from the province – all operate differently – something to be mindful of
- Youth in Dover – pool – number one amenity that they are excited about and basketball
- Play centre for younger kids – warm – free – place to take kids year around –
- Recording space / music / art – kids go to underground basements and rent out scary spaces to record music

#### **Inclusivity and Safety –**

- Streets and streetscapes – walkability – especially during winter – sidewalks and intersections are tough to navigate
- Lighting needs to be better
- Accessibility needed – Bob Bahan is not accessible for wheelchairs
- Perceptions about safety – how to demonstrate that it is a safe place to be
- Night markets – activities – healthy traffic – things happening at different times of day
- Inclusive spaces created with the community
- Murals at Bob Bahan – nothing has been graffittied – involve community in the development of spaces
- Underground parking – something to think about in terms of safety – having security
- People shooting out glass at Ernie Starr
- Encampments in the area – people using drugs in the area – clean up afterwards
- Art piece – having opportunities for people in the region to create art – getting them involved so that they feel like it is their space –
- Bob Bahan = locked doors – things are getting stolen –
- If a lot of open spaces how to provide security

- Issues with police / uniforms for some in the communities
- Connections between facility / schools? If school goes into a lockdown what would that mean for the facility?
- What impacts would be to residents with facility
- Signage – community boards to highlight what is happening in different spaces
- Map signage – follow paths