

October 2019

BERKELEY PARK RENOVATION SURVEY #3 RESULTS

(26 Survey Respondents - Active from August 6 - September 2019)

Summary of Results and Comments Collected:

- 96% of those surveyed thought the final concept plan would meet their family's needs and also the needs of the community. The majority of those answering the survey were satisfied with the park planning process.
- Many of those surveyed liked the option of a bike connector to the Fern Ridge path. We were not able to get an access agreement from the owner of the property to the north at this time. We will continue to reach out and hope for a bike connection in the future.
- The highest priority for improvements listed and depicted on the plans were the nature play elements, expanded playground, sand play and more trees. Improvements ranked as a lower priority were the adult exercise area and basketball court resurfacing.
- As the budget allows, the main renovation elements will likely be:
 - An enlarged playground located a little farther from the street
 - A looping concrete path around an expanded turf area
 - A small nature play and possibly sand play area
 - New drinking fountain, bike racks and park sign
 - New benches, plaza, picnic tables and possibly a chess table
 - New pedestrian level LED lights for safety
 - New trees throughout the park
 - A possibility of undergrounding the power poles that divide the park for turf area safety
- Survey participants suggested alternative park elements which are not typically a part of a neighborhood park: Bathrooms, water play features, sand volleyball areas, off leash dog areas and off-street parking. We strive to include the basic park elements meant for the surrounding neighborhood to enjoy but size and budget constraints limit our ability to include elements found in a community park like Amazon or Bethel.

Thanks very much to all those who participated in the workshops and surveys. We greatly value your input and continued support!