Imagine Tomorrow’s Parks Public Planning Meeting Survey Results
12 Meetings Together – May 28, 2018

These are the results from the paper surveys collected at the 12 public meetings throughout town. Some questions were asked in all surveys, while others were answered by a smaller pool of people at some of the meetings. See information on each question about the source and number of surveys for each question.

Number of Surveys taken at the Meetings:

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Note that the top six parks in both questions are Community Parks and Regional Parks.
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How long are you willing to travel to your favorite park?
First Four Meetings - Paper Survey

- 0 to 5 minutes: 11%
- 5+ to 10 minutes: 23%
- 10+ to 15 minutes: 34%
- 15+ minutes: 32%

How do you get to parks?
(Can select one or more)

- Motor Vehicle: 58%
- Bicycle: 15%
- Public Trans: 1%
- Walk/Jog: 26%

Rate the Physical Condition of Parks
Public Meetings Paper Surveys

- Excellent: 35%
- Good: 48%
- Fair: 4%
- Poor: 13%

Total Park System Quality Question
Four General Public Meetings Paper Surveys

- Improve Quality Moderately: 69%
- Improve Quality Significantly: 6%
- Quality is more than needed: 0%
- Quality is just right: 25%
Bryce Davis, 49
Lake Fayetteville, 1
Gulley, 5
Kessler, 17
Wilson, 2
Walker, 12
DON'T KNOW THIS PARK
(FROM QUALITY QUESTION)
Demographic Questions about Housing

What Type of Housing Do You Live In?
All Paper Surveys

- Single Fam Det: 76%
- Mobile Home: 0%
- Dorm: 1%
- Apartment: 10%
- Condo/Townhs: 7%
- Duplex: 4%
- Other: 2%

Do you Rent or Own?
Surveys Compared to Census Information 5/18

- Census
- Postcard
- Paper Surveys
- Online

What Zipcode do you live in?
All Paper Surveys

- 72701: 45%
- 72703: 32%
- 72704: 16%
- Others: 7%

How long have you lived in Fayetteville?
Public Meeting Paper Surveys

- 10+ years: 53%
- Not Fay Resident: 5%
- 0-1 year: 5%
- 1+ to 2 years: 9%
- 5+ to 10 years: 13%
- 2+ to 5 years: 15%
Q16. How would you allocate $100 between age groups?
Four General Public Meetings Paper Surveys

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How Should Parks Allocate Resources to the Following Areas?
From Eight Park Specific Public Meetings

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Ball/Disc Sports Activities

- Soccer
- Basketball
- Baseball/T-ball
- Tennis
- Disc Golf
- Volleyball (sand & indoor)
- Golf
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Softball
- Pickleball
- Kickball
- Baseball/T-ball
- Tennis
- Soccer
- Basketball
- Baseball/T-ball
- Tennis
- Disc Golf
- Volleyball (sand & indoor)
- Golf
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Softball
- Pickleball
- Kickball
- Badminton

This graph is a sub graph of the large graph on the next page.
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What active recreational activities are you interested in?
Prioritized (Pick 5)
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Favorite Passive Recreational Activities
All Paper Surveys - Prioritized - Pick 5

- Off-leash Pet Areas
- Picnicking
- Open Green Space
- Family/Company Gatherings
- Camping
- Community Gardens
- Fishing
- Barbecuing in the parks
- Bird Watching
- Hammocking
- Nature Programs/Plant Id/Survivalist
- Activities that help people meet people
- Outdoor Painting/Drawing/Art
- Art-related activities/programs
- Volunteering in parks
- Outdoor Photography
- Horseshoes/Bocce/croquet
- Flying Model Planes/Drones
- Geocaching
- Other
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Prioritized Recreational Facilities
From Four General Park Meetings

Trail Facilities
Open Green Space
Nature Related Facilities
Off lease / dog park
Aquatic Facilities
Canoing/Kayaking
Indoor Rec Facilities
Community Gardens
1/4 Mile Soft Track
Volleyball
Rock Climbing
Other
Stretching Stations
Golf Course
Equestrian
Skateboard/BMX
Other
Bike Polo
**Places and Activities that Enhance Quality of Life**

*All Paper Surveys Prioritized (Top 4)*

- Contribute to active living lifestyle
- Spaces that allow contact with nature
- Spaces that facilitate community interaction
- Provide sports programming for all ages

**Values to Consider in Making Planning Decisions**

*All Paper Surveys - Prioritized (Top 4)*

- Create/maintain natural spaces in the city
- Help people live a healthier lifestyle
- Include the public in planning
- Distribute resources equally
- Create/maintain flower beds and trees
- Increase the quality of facilities in the parks
- Focus on all citizens even if subsidized
- Cover all or most of program costs
- Children more than adults
- Programs and facilities with tourism benefit
- Other
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Would You Support the Integration of Art into Parks?
Four General Park Meetings

- Yes with no restrictions, 51.8%
- Yes if appropriate for all ages, 37.6%
- No, 10.6%

Do You Think the City Should Meet a 40% Tree Canopy Goal?
From Four General Park Meetings

- Yes, 85.4%
- No, 14.6%