

Community Meeting #2

Held via Zoom on
May 4, 2023
with **27 participants**

Breakout Session

Community Meeting #2
Lakewood Park Renovation
& Enhancement Project
May 4, 2023 | 6-7 p.m.

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Breakout Session Hosts

Group 1



Team Leader:
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Project Manager
City Team:
Bennett Chun



Group 3



Team Leader:
Mark Baginski
Principal in Charge
City Team:
Dan Furton



Group 2



Team Leader:
Daniel Correia
Project Designer
City Team:
Nate Scribner



Group 4

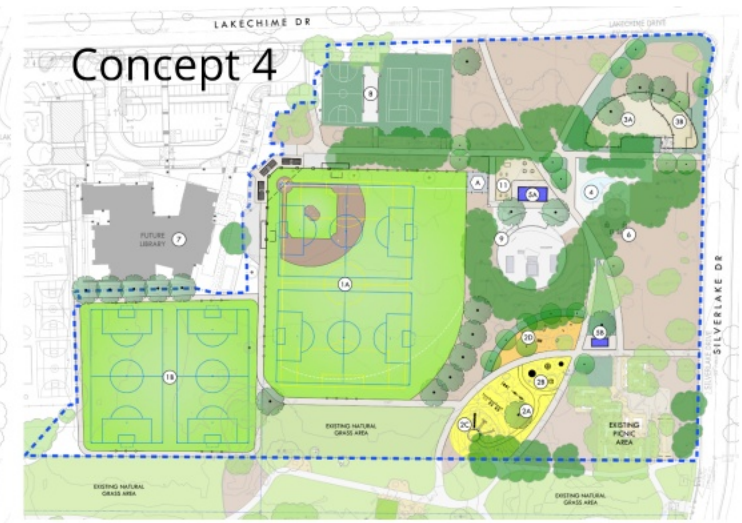
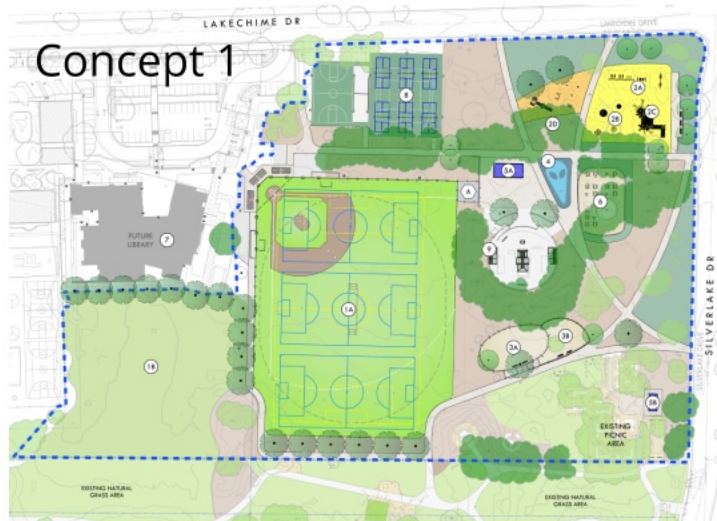
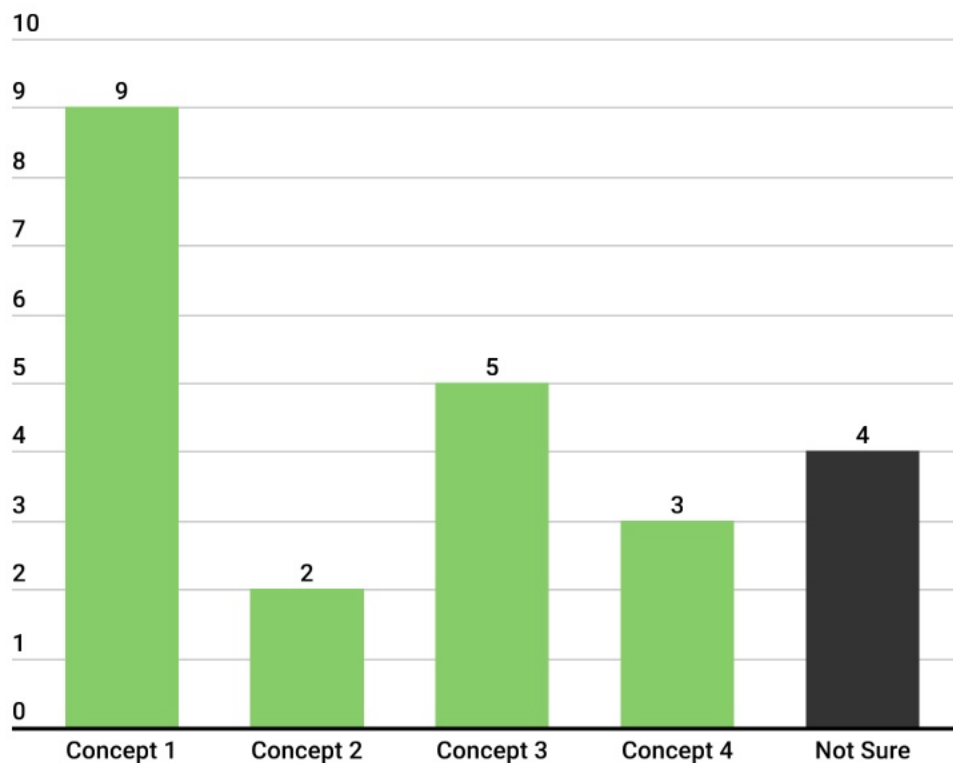


Team Leader:
Todd Young
Project Manager
City Team:
Jim Stark



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What is your Preferred Concept?

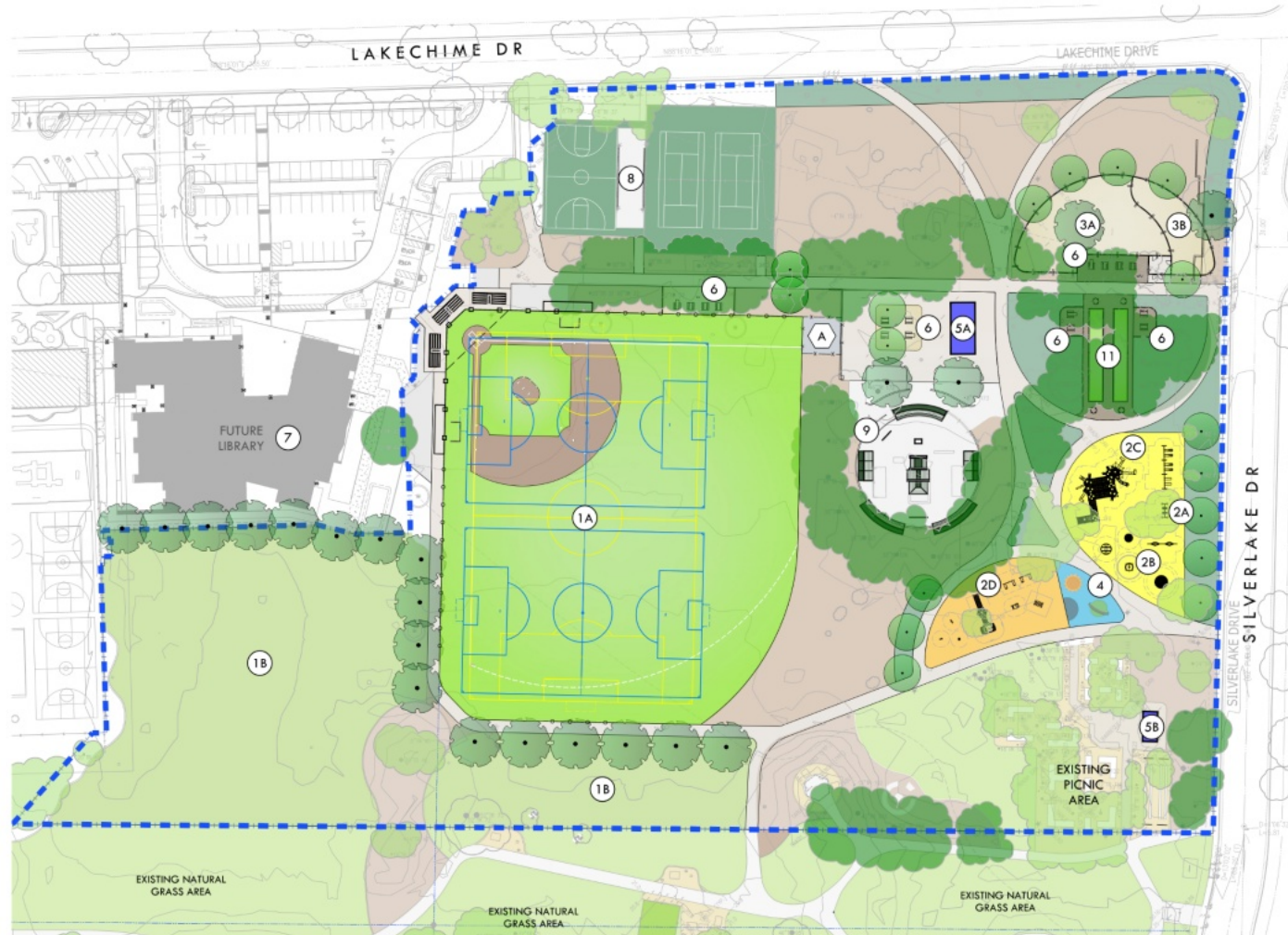


The site plan for the Silver Lake Community Center is bounded by Lakechime Drive to the north and Silver Lake Drive to the east. The plan includes several key features:

- Sports Fields:** A large green area in the center contains three soccer fields, with the central one labeled 1A. To the north of this area is a basketball court labeled 8.
- Playgrounds:** A yellow area in the northeast corner contains three playgrounds labeled 2A, 2B, and 2C. A blue area labeled 4 is also present near the center.
- Other Structures:** A building labeled 9 is located near the center, and a building labeled 6 is to its east. A future library, labeled 7, is situated to the west of the main sports area.
- Open Spaces:** Two large green areas are labeled 1B (on the west) and 5B (on the east), both designated as 'EXISTING NATURAL GRASS AREA'.
- Other Features:** A picnic area is located in the southeast corner. Various trees and landscaping are indicated throughout the site.

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Concept 2

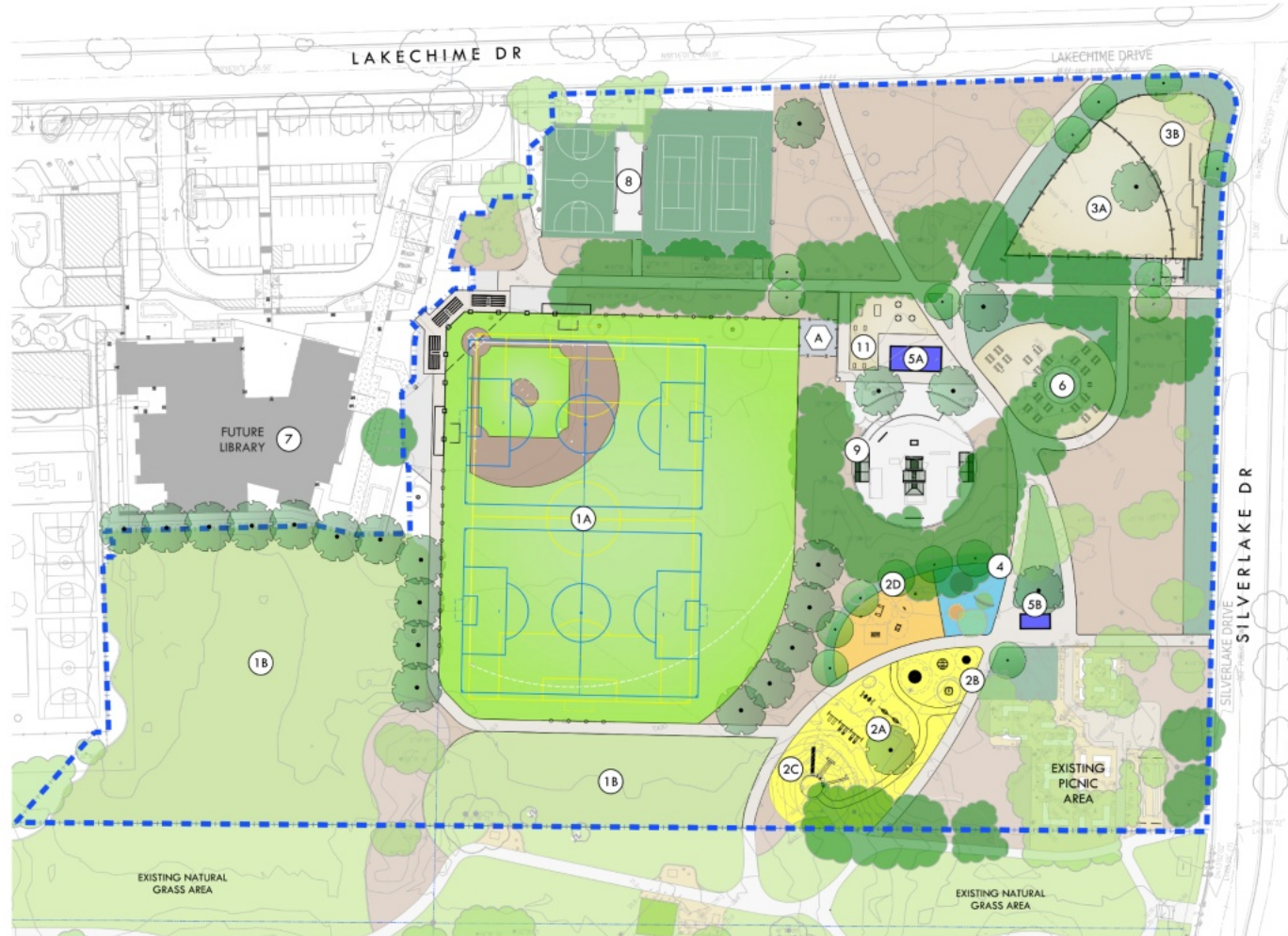


Summary

- There were concerns about passive recreation not being used with some comments about the field size being too small
- Many thought this concept was missing pickleball and natural grass

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Concept 3



Summary

- People liked the big dog park, playground on the hill, the playground proximity to the splash pad and restrooms, and the balance of synthetic and natural grass
- Some thought the dog park was too big and the playground was too far from other elements/parking
- People thought pickleball was missing with some comments about horseshoes and batting cages

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Concept 4

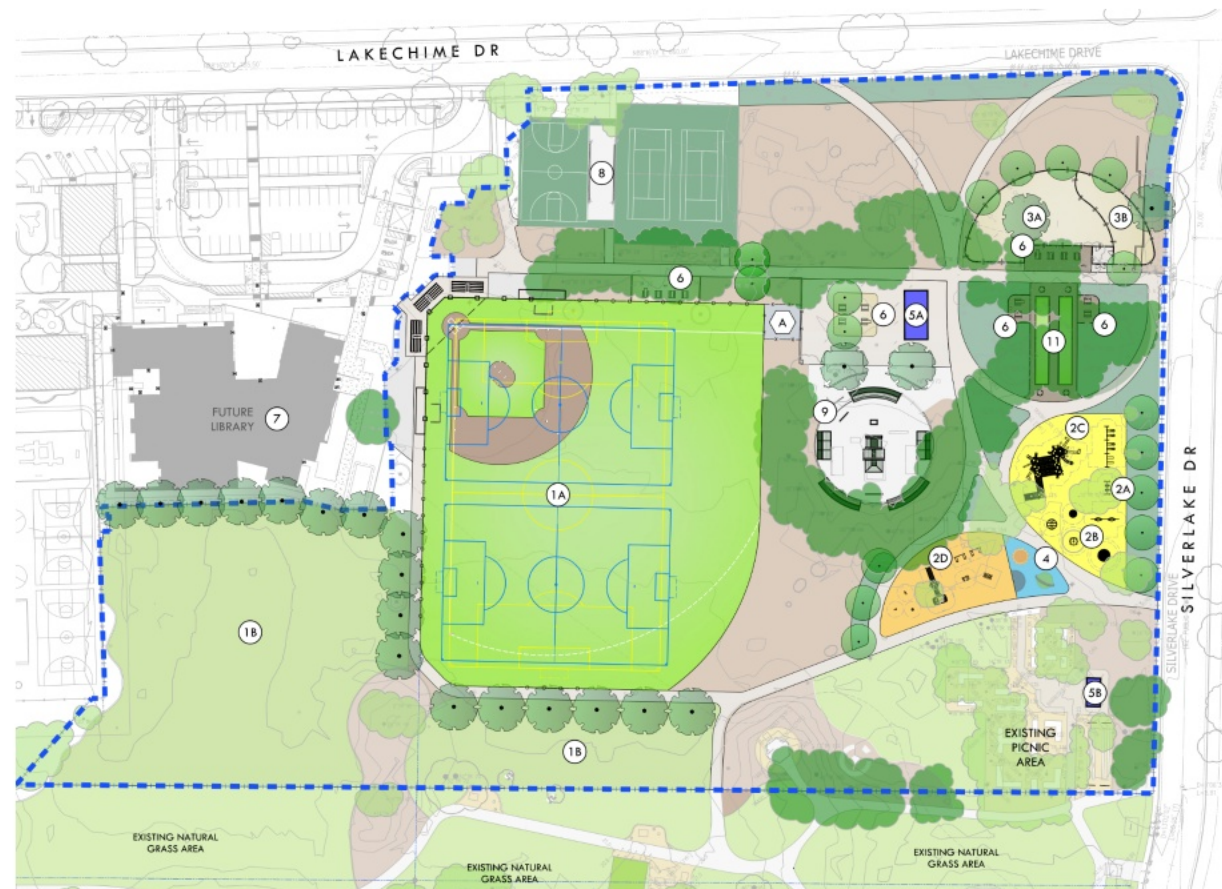
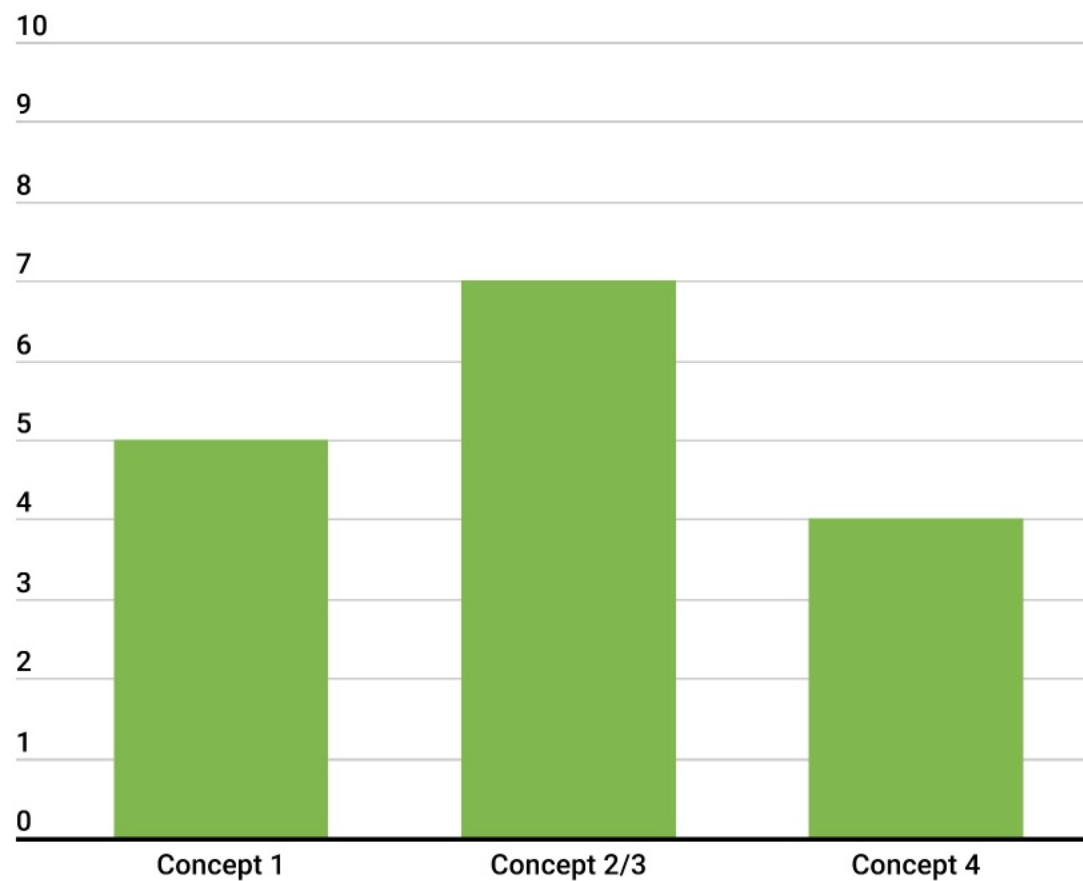


Summary

- People liked that it maximized field space
- There were concerns about the splash pad being too far away from the playground as well as general concerns about synthetic turf
- Some thought the playground needs fencing and that the skate park/splash pad needs improving

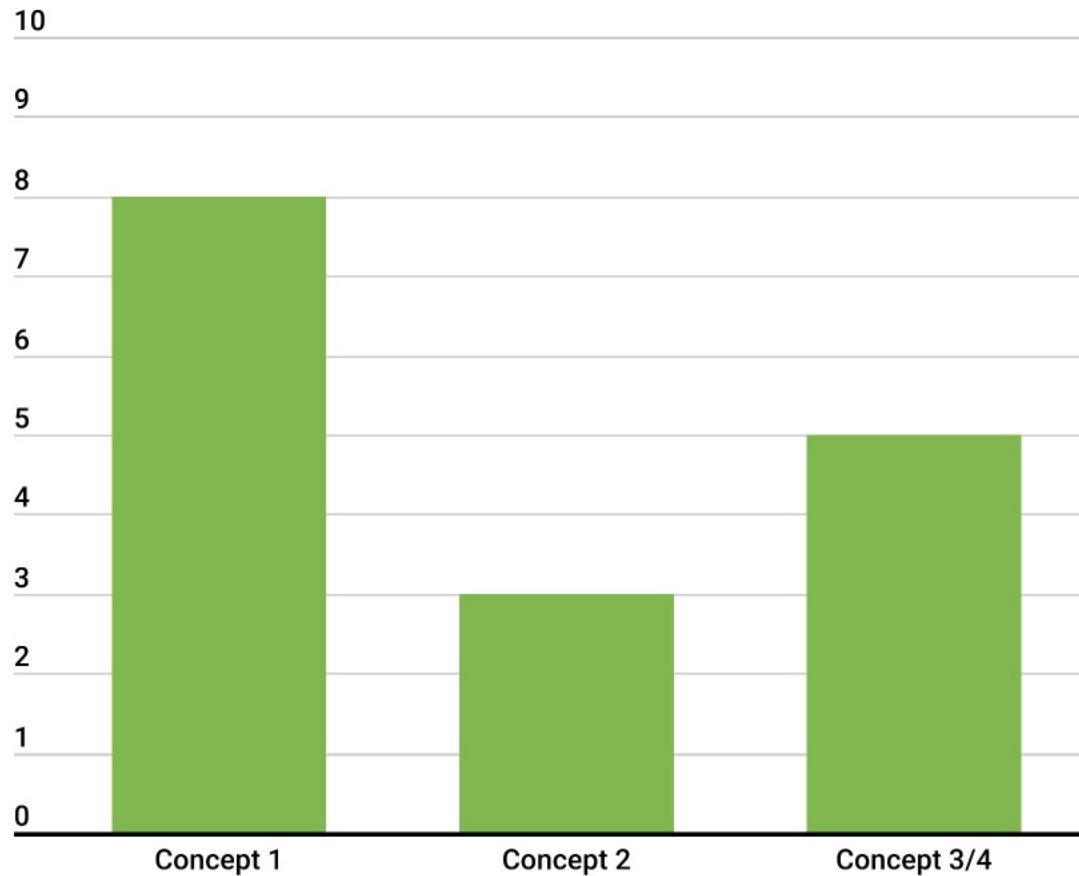
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Which athletic field configuration do you prefer?



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Which playground location do you prefer?



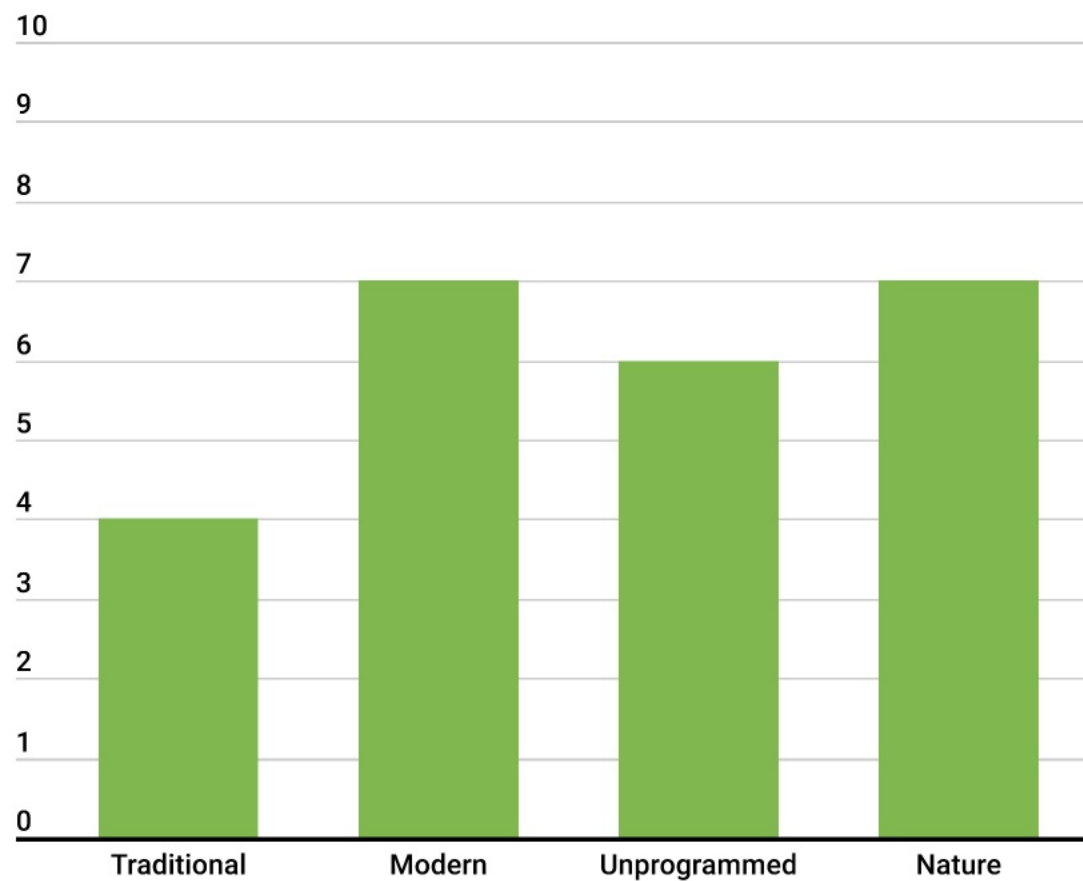
Additional comments:

- No sand surfacing but small sand play area could be good
- Proximity to restrooms and splash pad is important



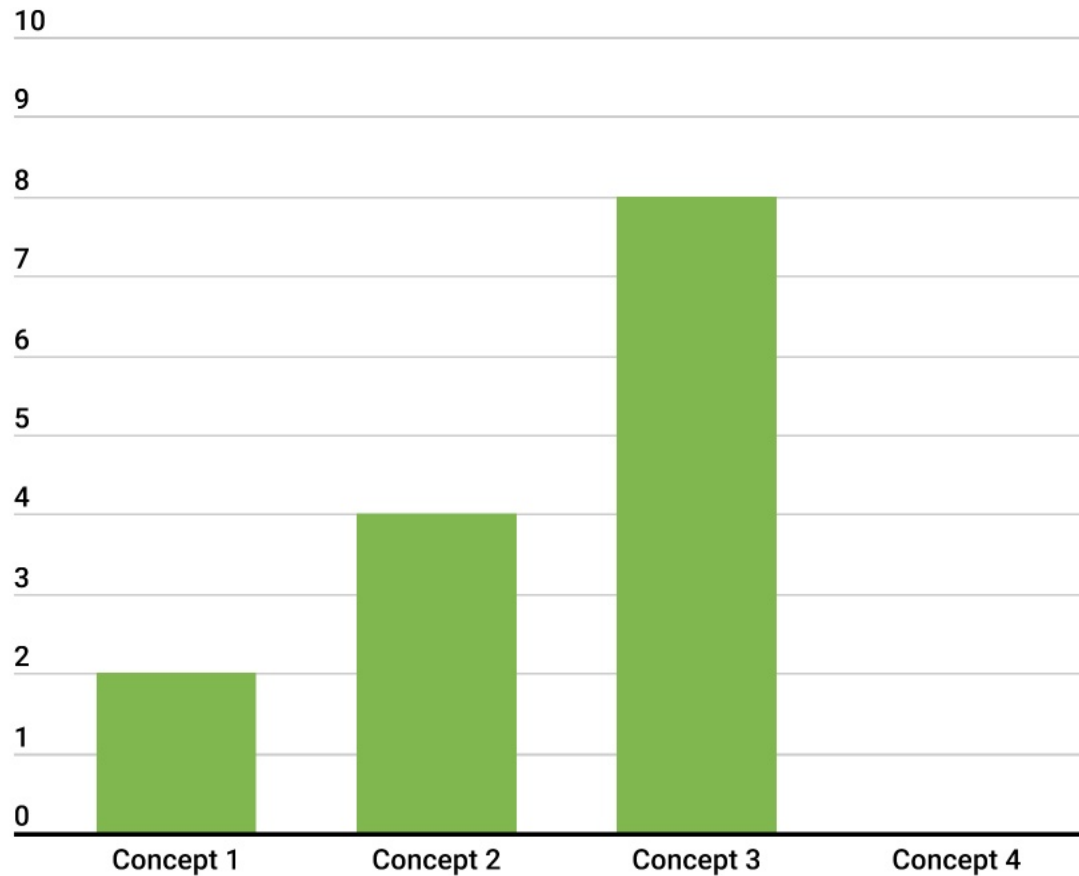
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**Which playground style
do you prefer?**



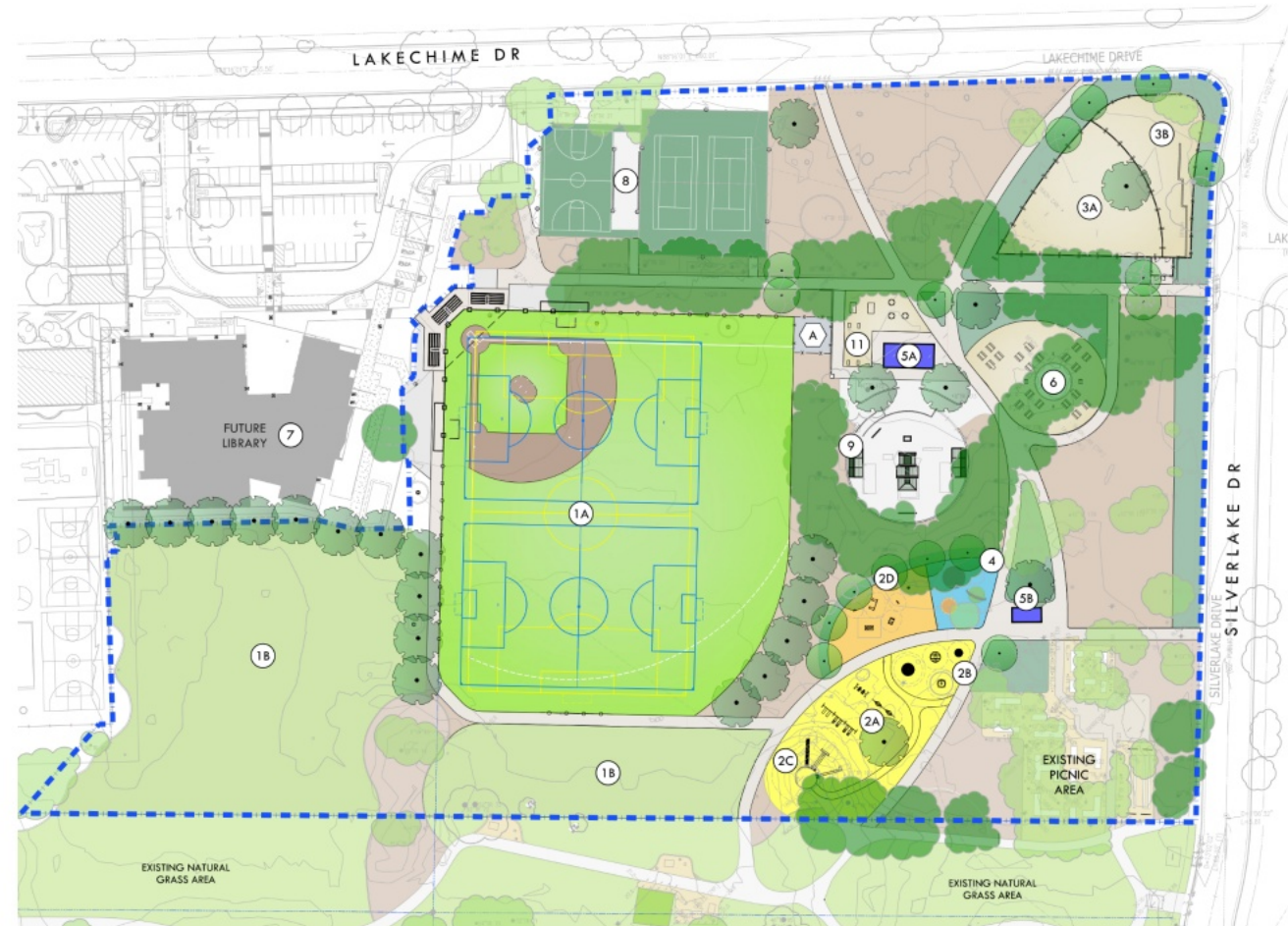
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Which splash pad location do you prefer?



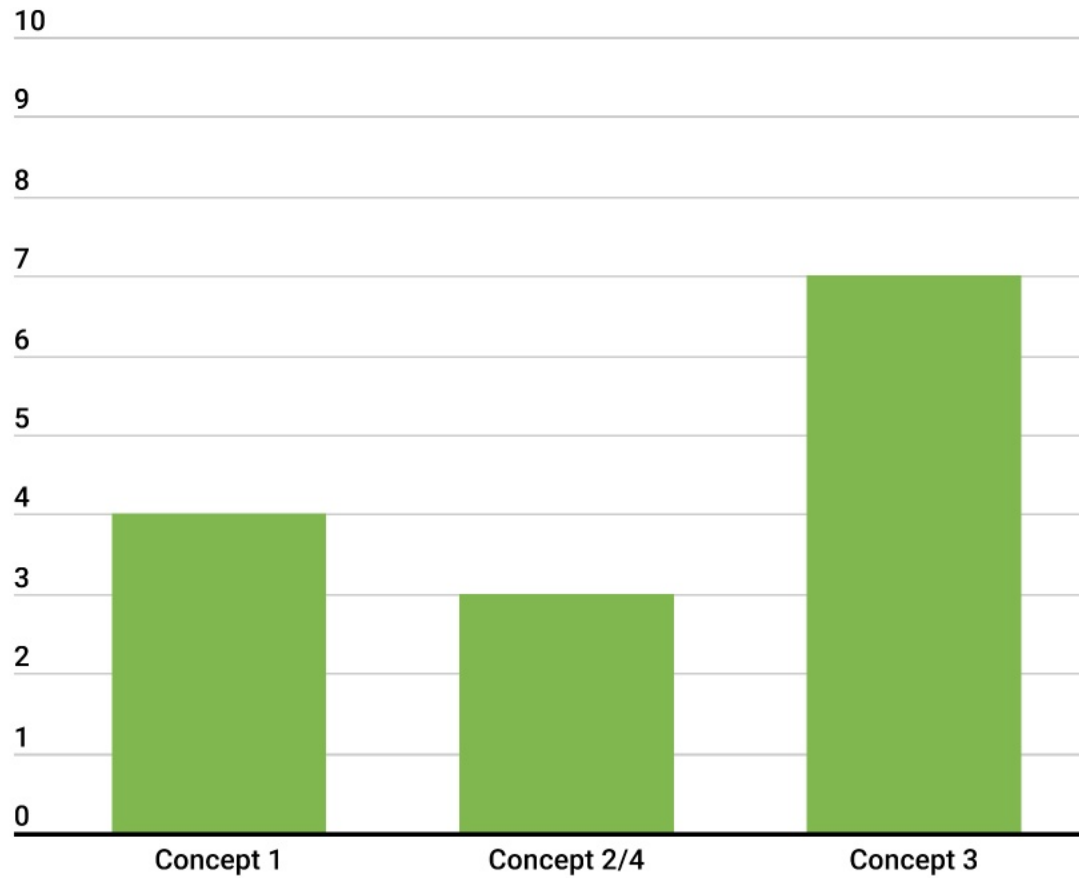
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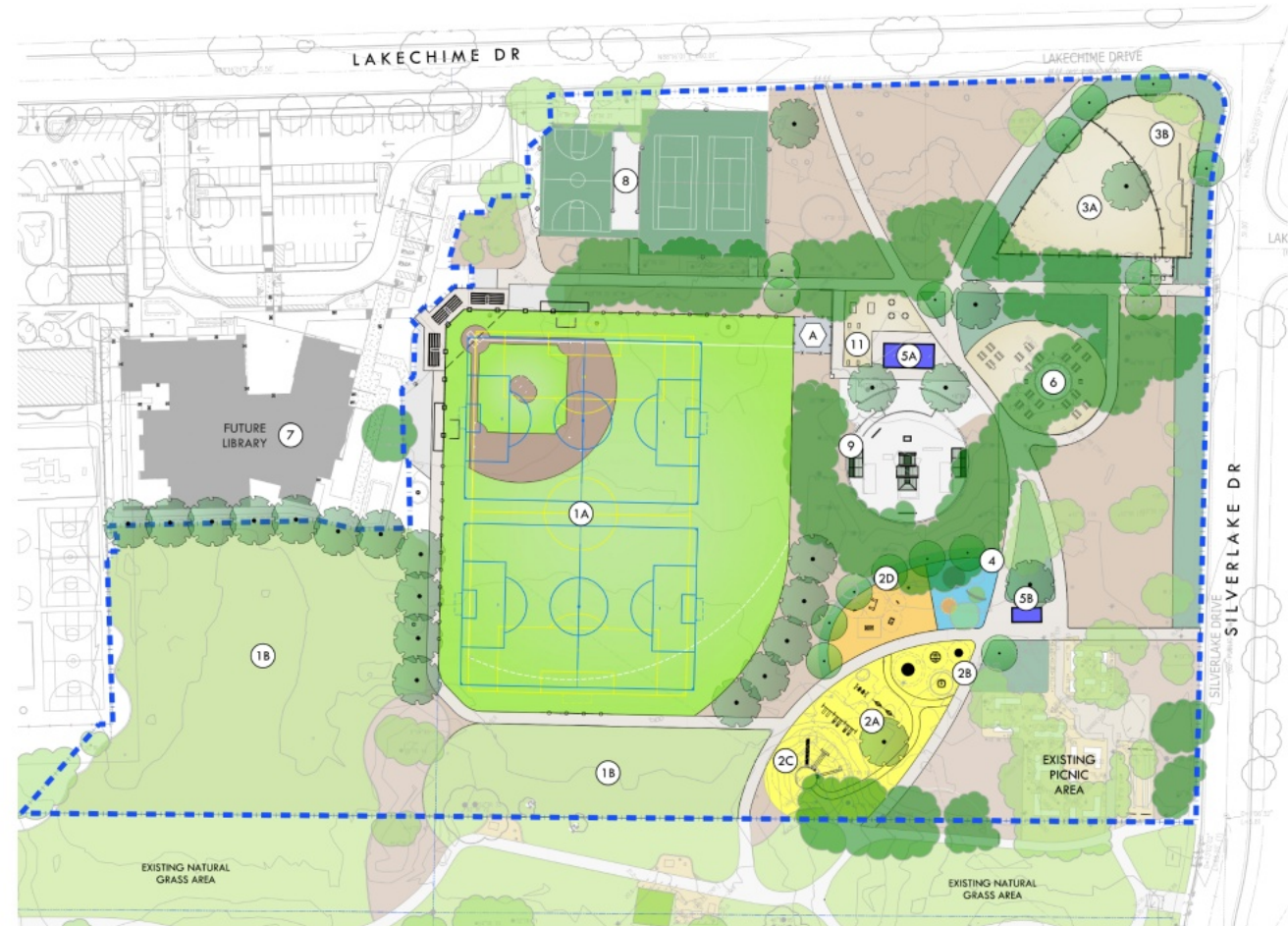
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Which dog park size/ location do you prefer?



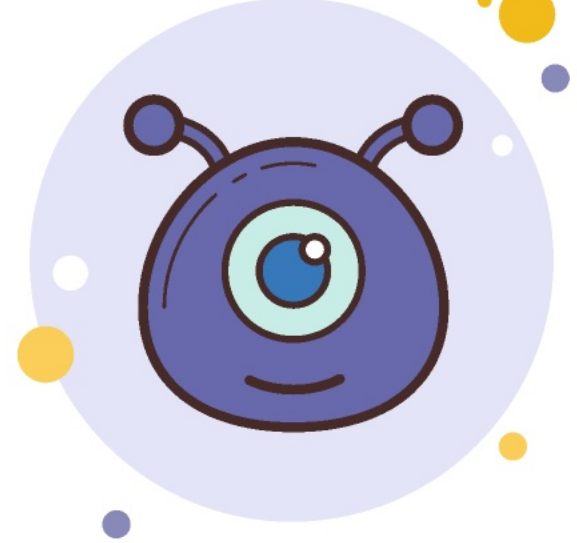
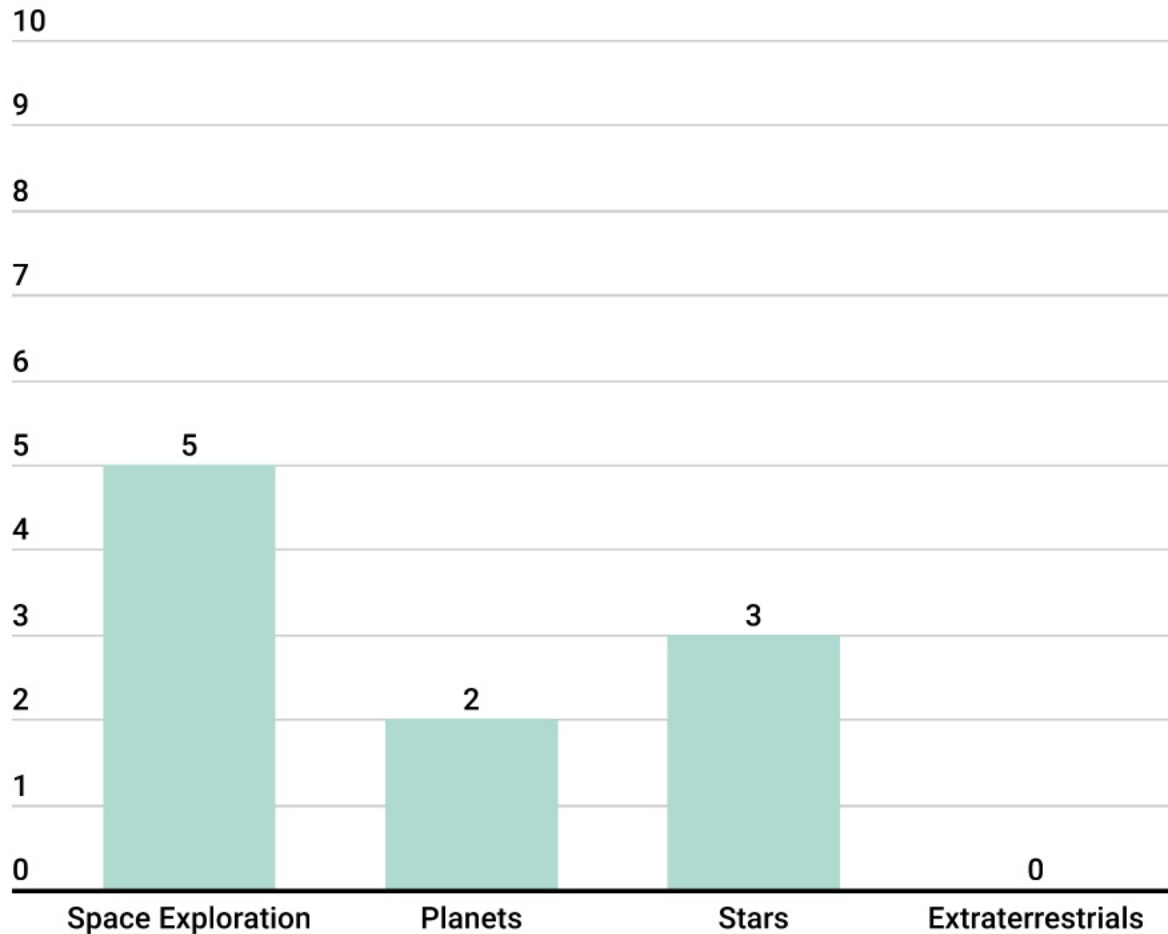
Additional comments:

- Some thought the dog park was too big or needed a better balance of small/big dog areas



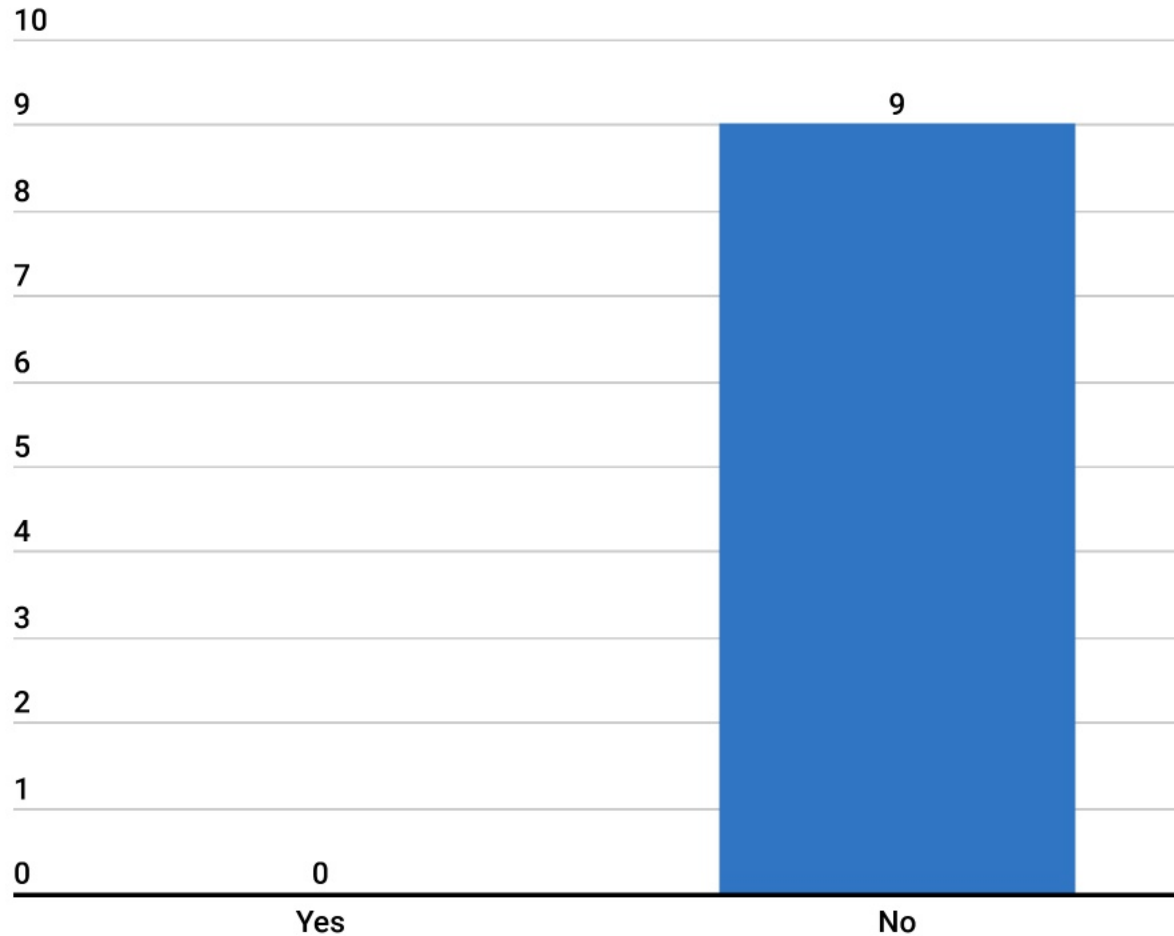
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What aspect of the theme appeals to you?



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Is public Wi-Fi a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements?



Online Survey #2

Held May 5 through
May 22, 2022

- **304 Responses**
- **15.2 Hours of Public Comment**

Rank the four Concepts in order from 1 to 4, with 1 being the most preferred. See survey introduction for link to the 4 Concepts.

Pick your top priority.

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<input type="text"/>	Concept 1
<input type="text"/>	Concept 2

Is anything missing from your preferred concept? (Select your preferred concept and anything missing)

- ☐ Nothing is missing from my preferred concept
- ☐ Concept 1 is preferred but I would add...
- ☐ Concept 2 is preferred but I would add...
- ☐ Concept 3 is preferred but I would add...
- ☐ Concept 4 is preferred but I would add...
- ☐ Other

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For the following questions, we are asking for feedback regardless of which configuration was part of your preferred concept.

Three different configurations for the dog park are shown within the concepts. Which dog park size/location do you prefer? (select one)

- ☐ Concept 1
- ☐ Concept 2 & 3
- ☐ Concept 4

Three different locations for the park are shown within the concepts. Which dog park size/location do you prefer? (select one)

- ☐ Concept 1
- ☐ Concept 2
- ☐ Concept 3 & 4

All concepts show a different location for the park. Which dog park size/location do you prefer? (select one)

- ☐ Concept 1
- ☐ Concept 2
- ☐ Concept 3
- ☐ Concept 4

Three different size/locations for the dog park are shown within the concepts. Which dog park size/location do you prefer? (select one)

- ☐ Concept 1
- ☐ Concept 2 & 4
- ☐ Concept 3

Concept 1 shows the addition of pickleball striping to the existing tennis courts. Is this improvement a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements? (select one)

- ☐ Yes, pickleball striping is a priority and I would like to see it added.
- ☐ No, pickleball striping is not a priority and should not be added.
- ☐ No, pickleball striping is not a priority but would be nice to have.

Three concepts show the skate park relocating the skate park a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements? (select one)

- ☐ Yes, an expanded skate park is a priority and I would like to see it added.
- ☐ No, an expanded skate park is not a priority and should not be added.
- ☐ No, an expanded skate park is not a priority but would be nice to have.

Batting cages (for baseball/softball) are shown within the concepts. Is this improvement a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements? (select one)

- ☐ Yes, batting cages are a priority, and I would like to see them added.
- ☐ No, batting cages are not a priority and should not be added.
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Currently, the theme of the park is "C"

- ☐ Space Exploration & Technology
- ☐ Stars & Constellations (Astronomy)
- ☐ Planets & Solar System
- ☐ Extraterrestrials & UFOs
- ☐ Other

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All concepts show field striping for Football. Is this improvement a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements? (select one)

- ☐ Rugby
- ☐ Football
- ☐ Lacrosse
- ☐ Other

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In a playground, which components are most important? (select all that apply)

- ☐ Climbing structures
- ☐ Swings
- ☐ Slides
- ☐ Spinning elements
- ☐ Sensory / Auditory / Tactile Play elements
- ☐ Interpretive / Unprogrammed Play elements

What style(s) of play structure do you prefer (see image below)? (Select all that apply)

Traditional Post & Platform Structure

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Modern Post & Platform Structure

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Unprogrammed Structure

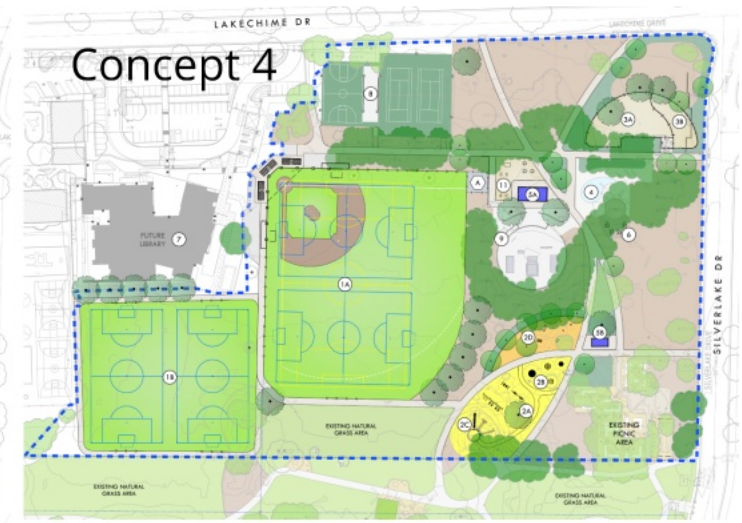
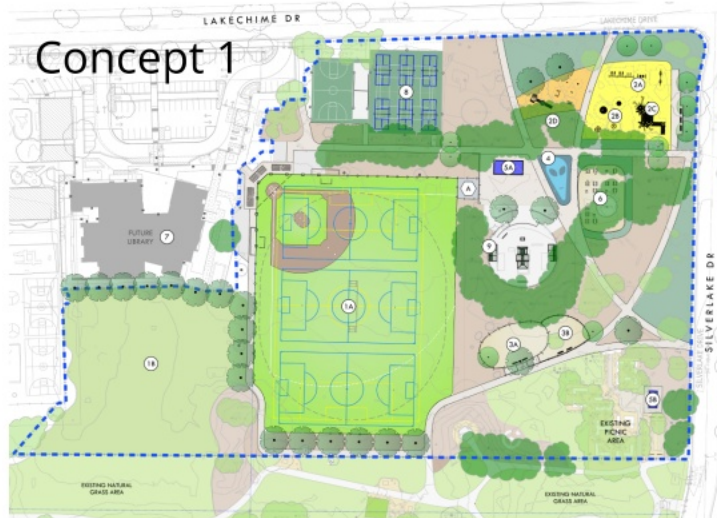
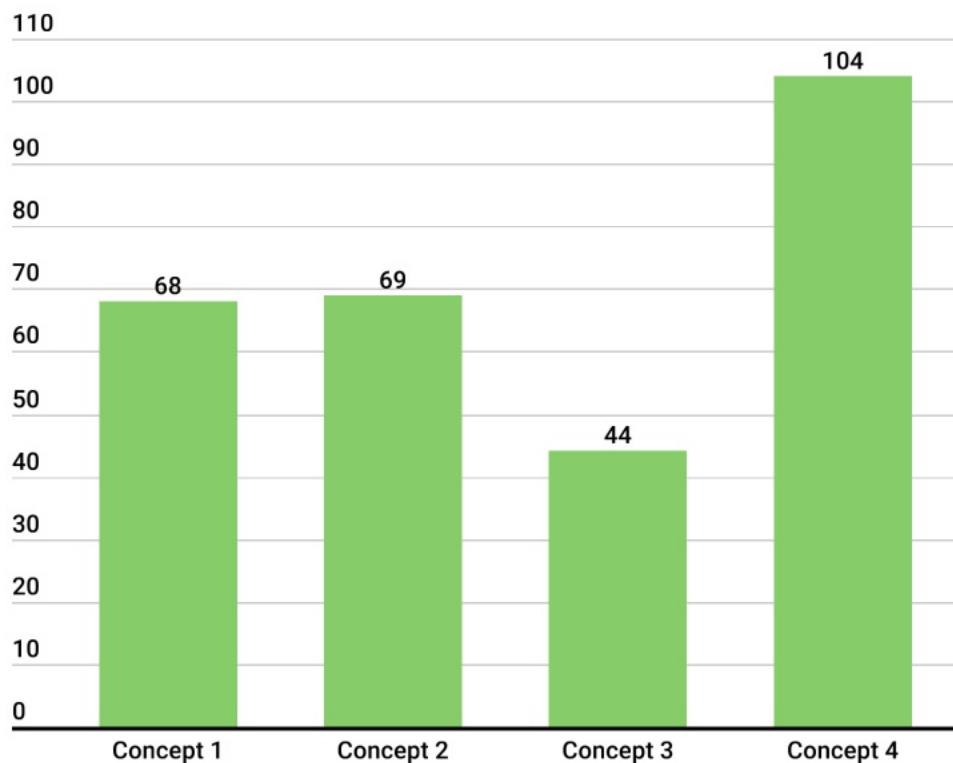
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Nature-themed Play Structure

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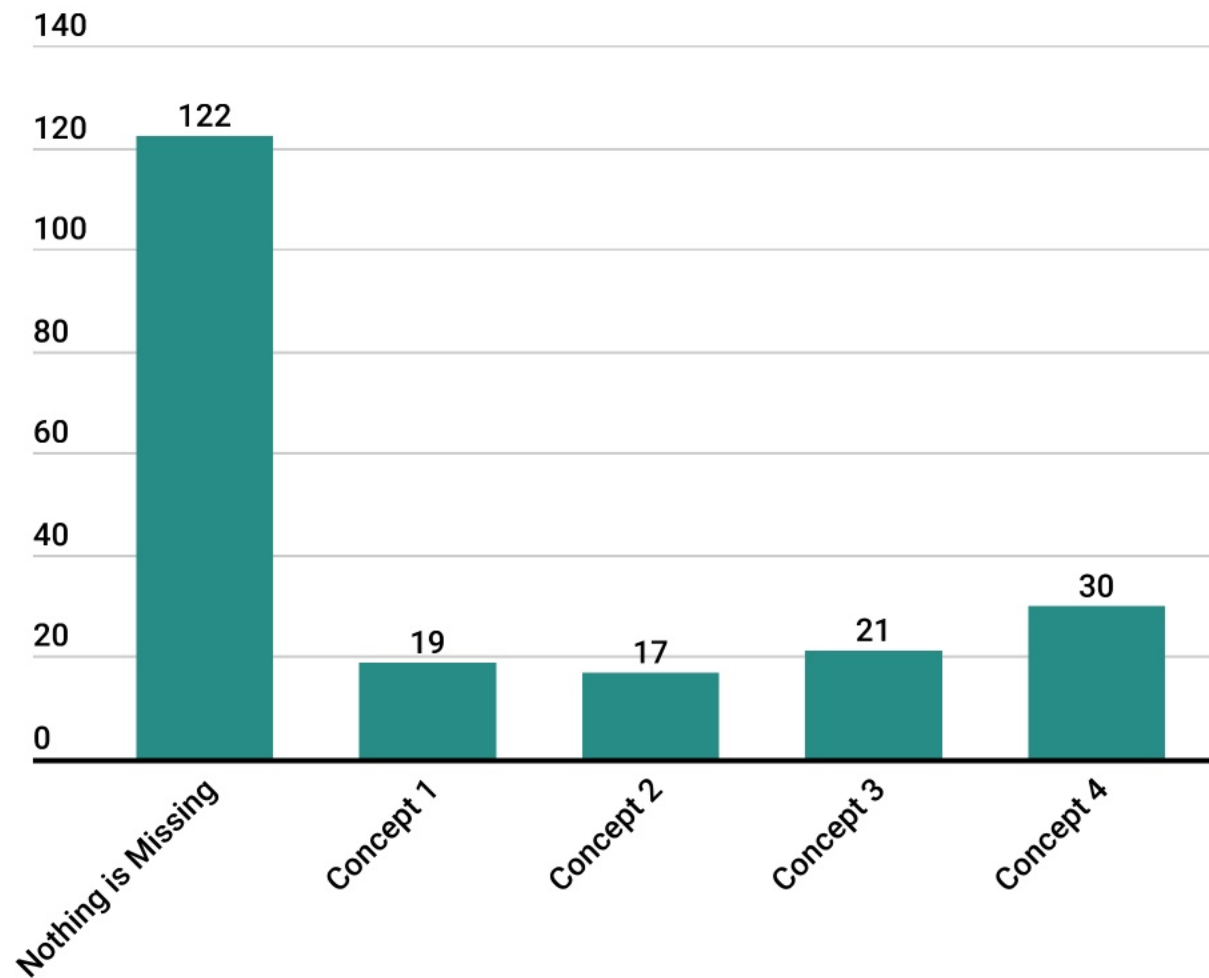
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Rank the 4 Concepts? (Top choices)



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Is anything missing from your preferred concept?

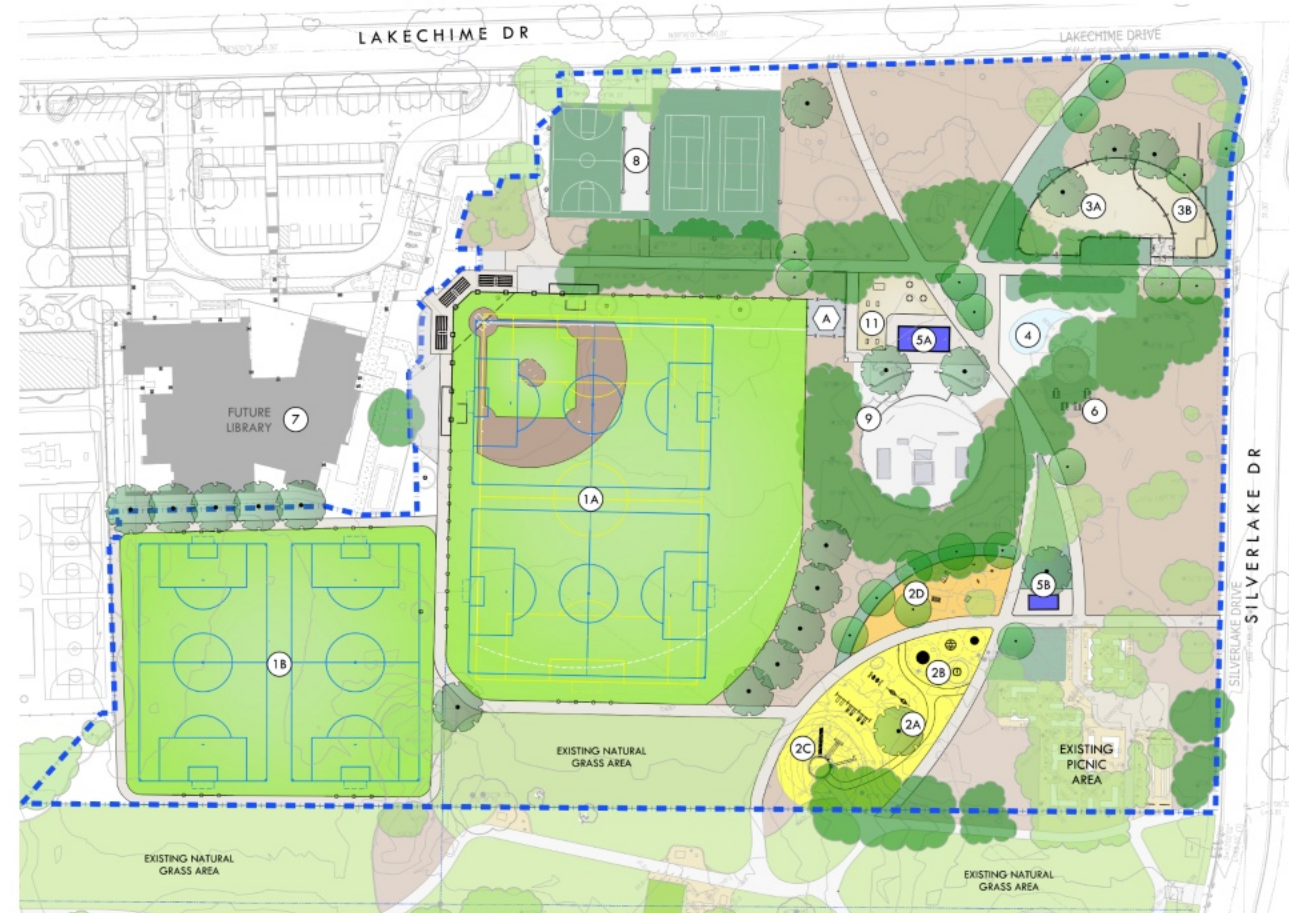
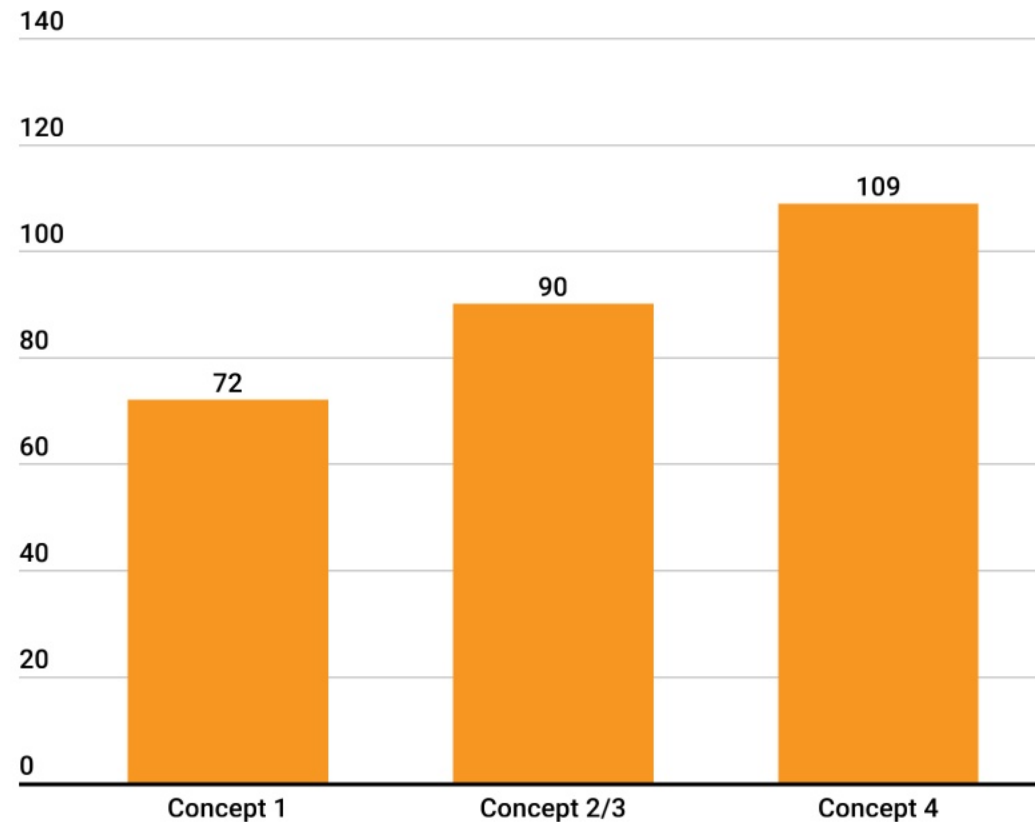


Top Responses, Missing Items:

- Batting Cages (15)
- Exercise Area (6)
- Pickleball Striping (5)
- Additional Lighting (3)
- Basketball Courts (2)
- Scoreboard (2)

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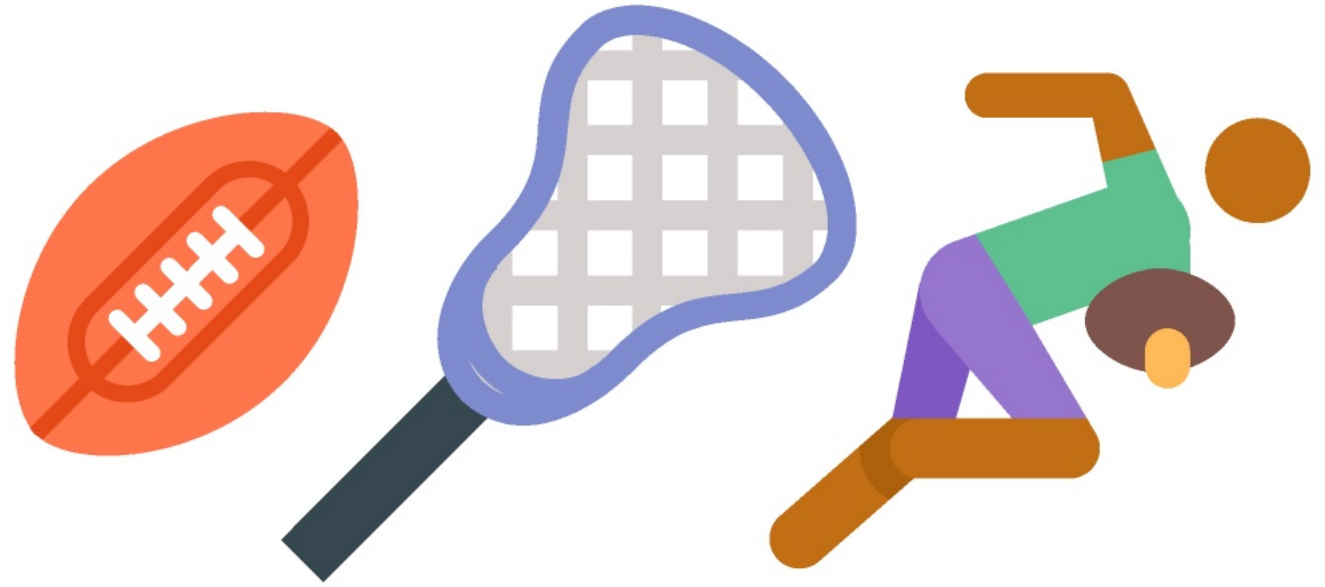
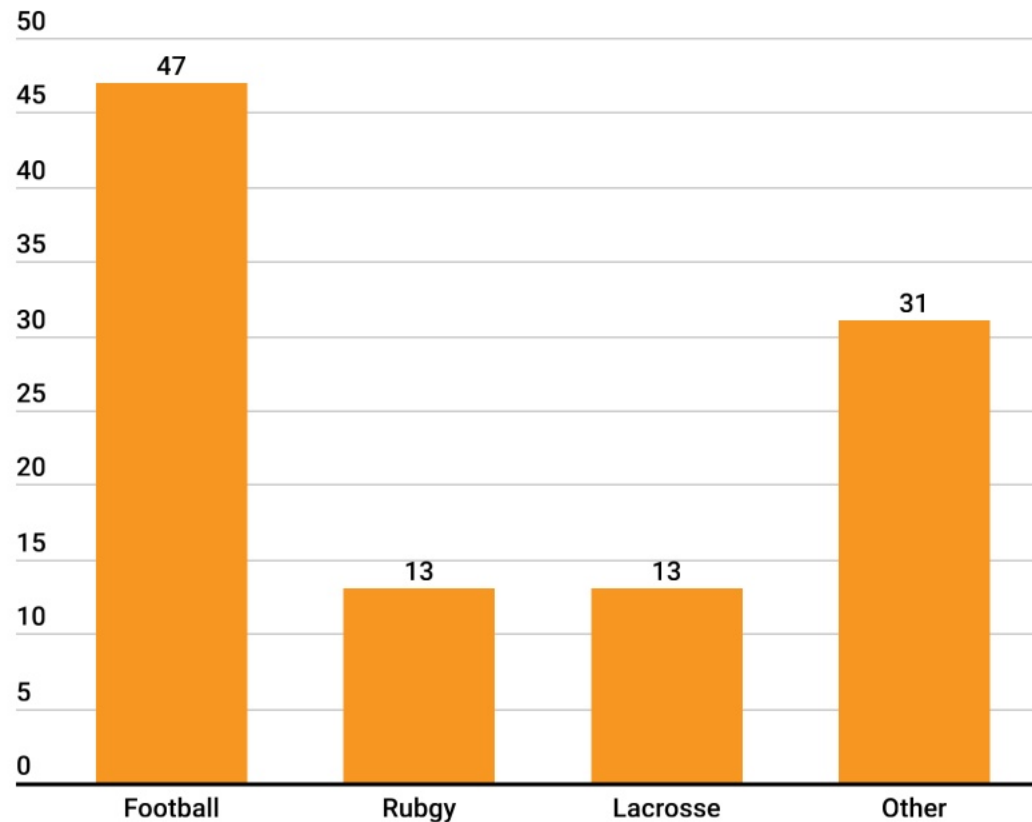
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Are there any additional sports that should be considered?

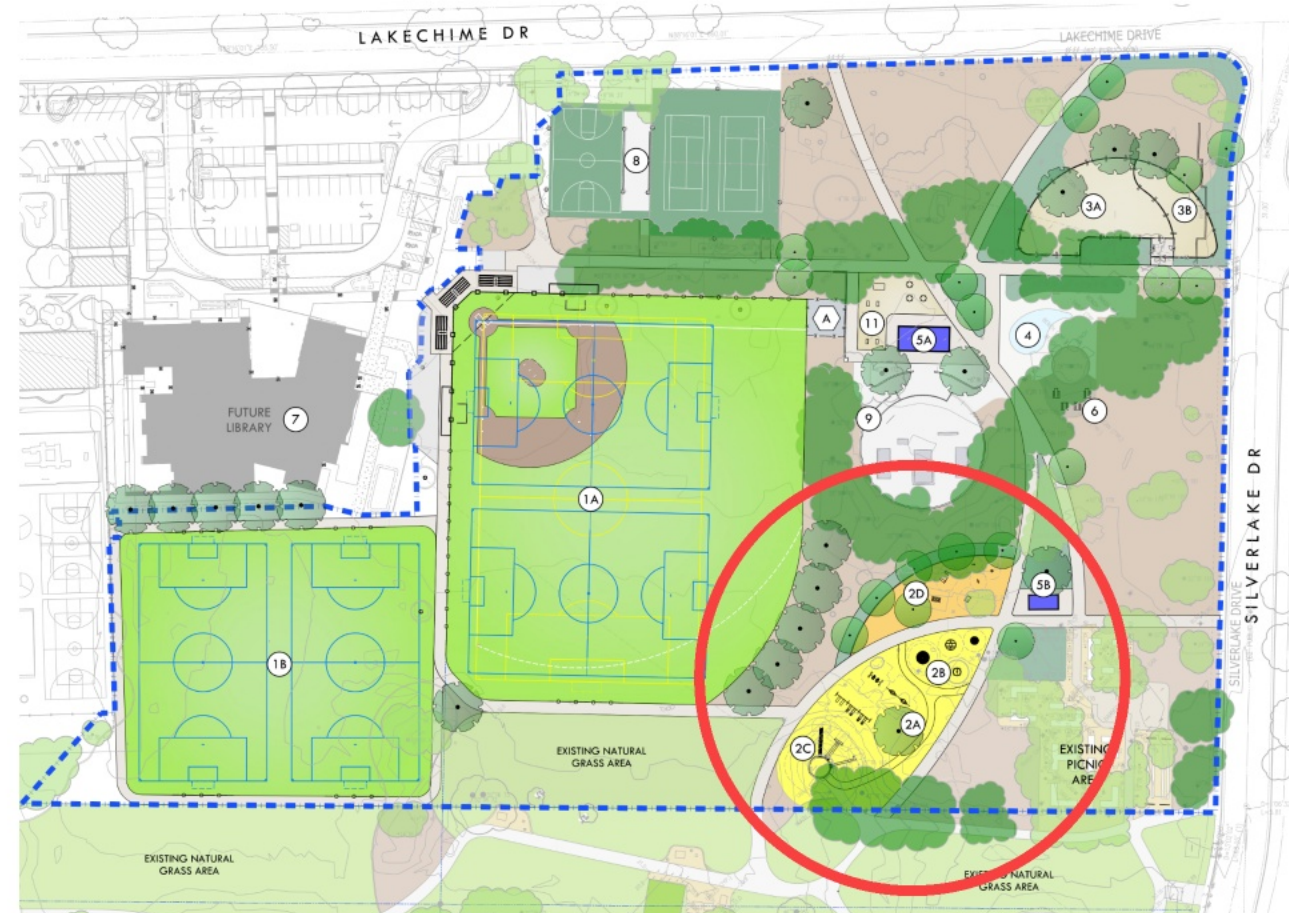
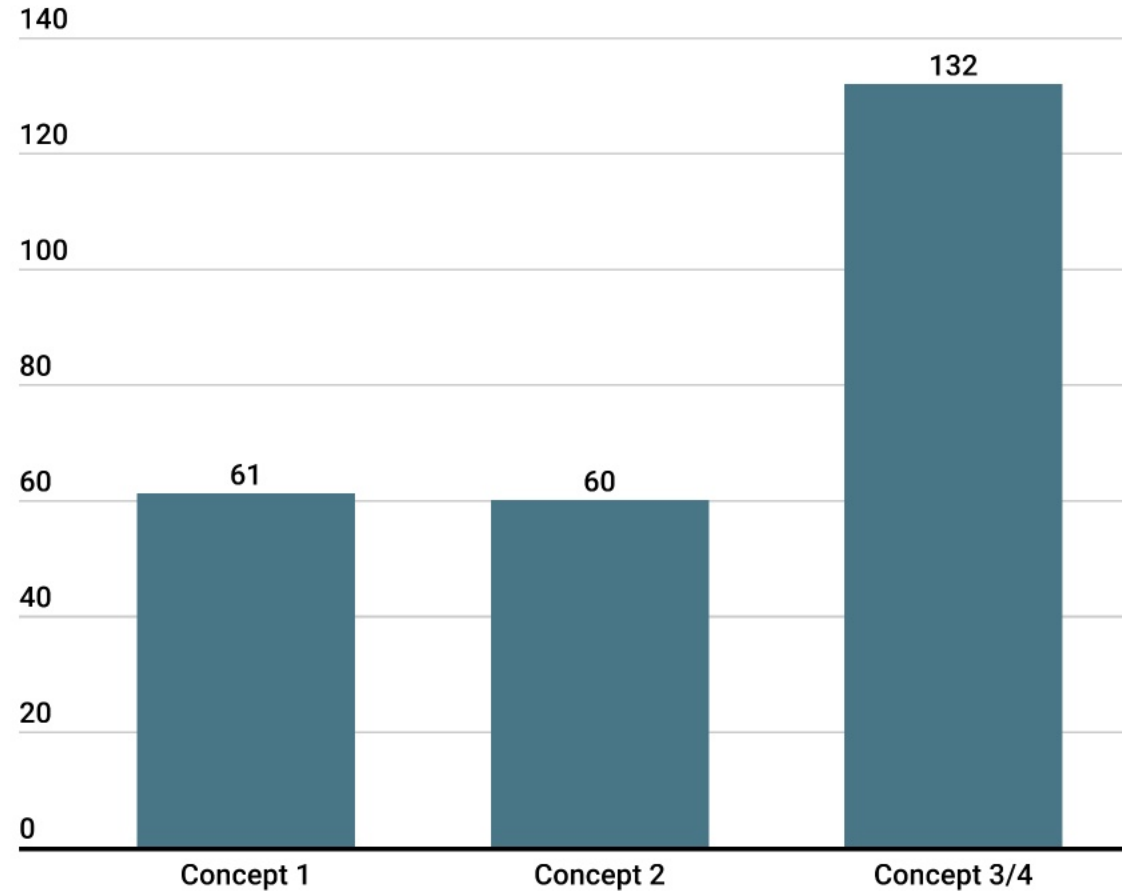


Top "Other" Responses:

- Volleyball (4)
- Cricket/Adult Cricket (3)
- More Flexible/Less Striping (3)

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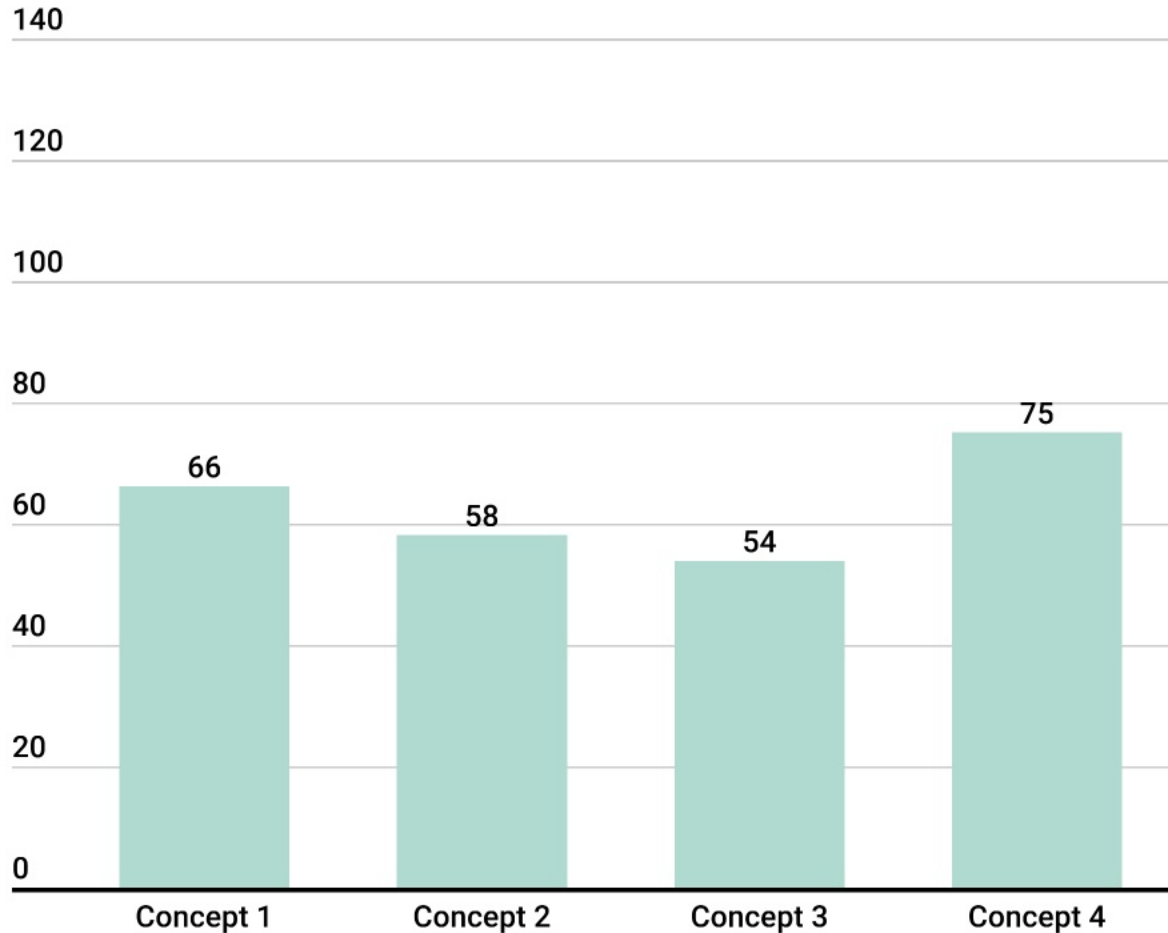
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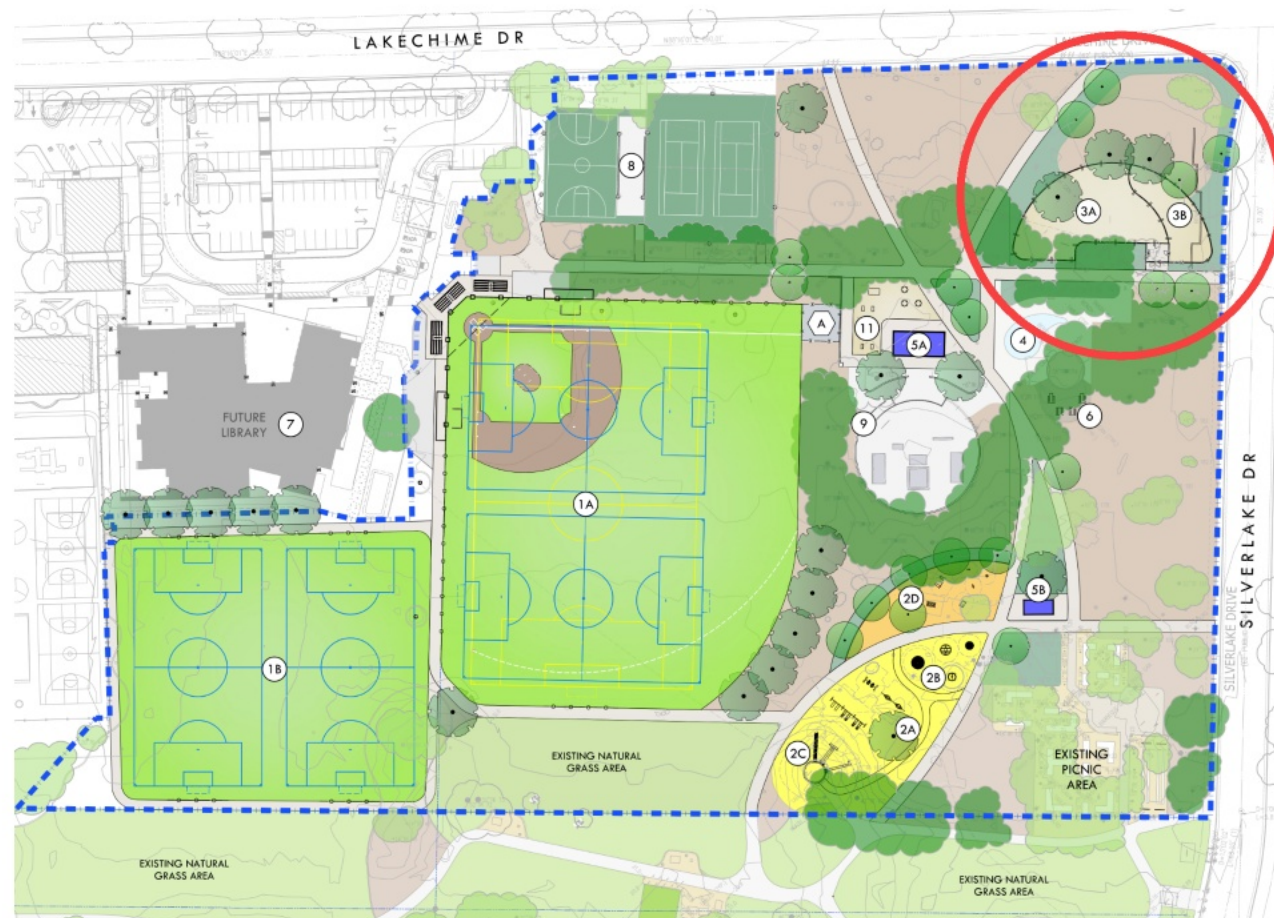
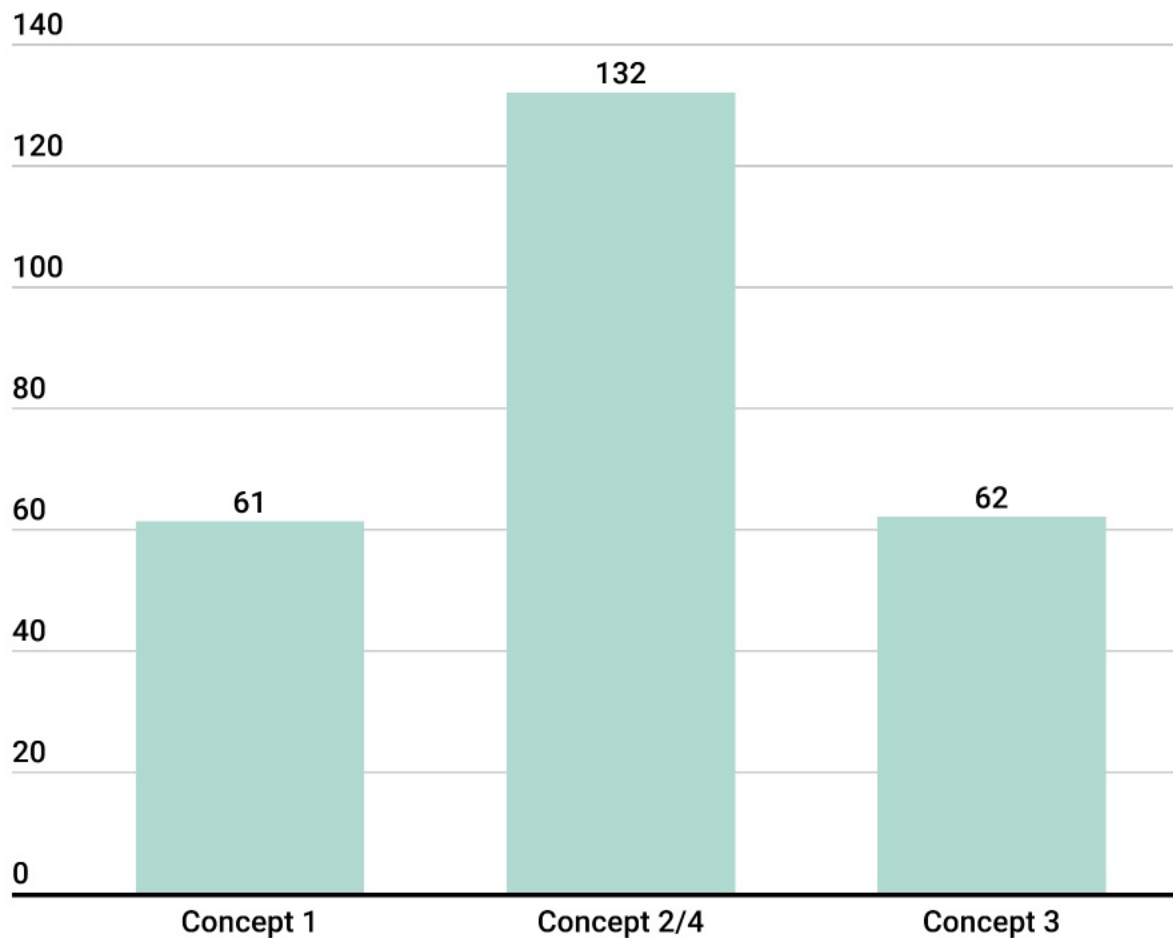
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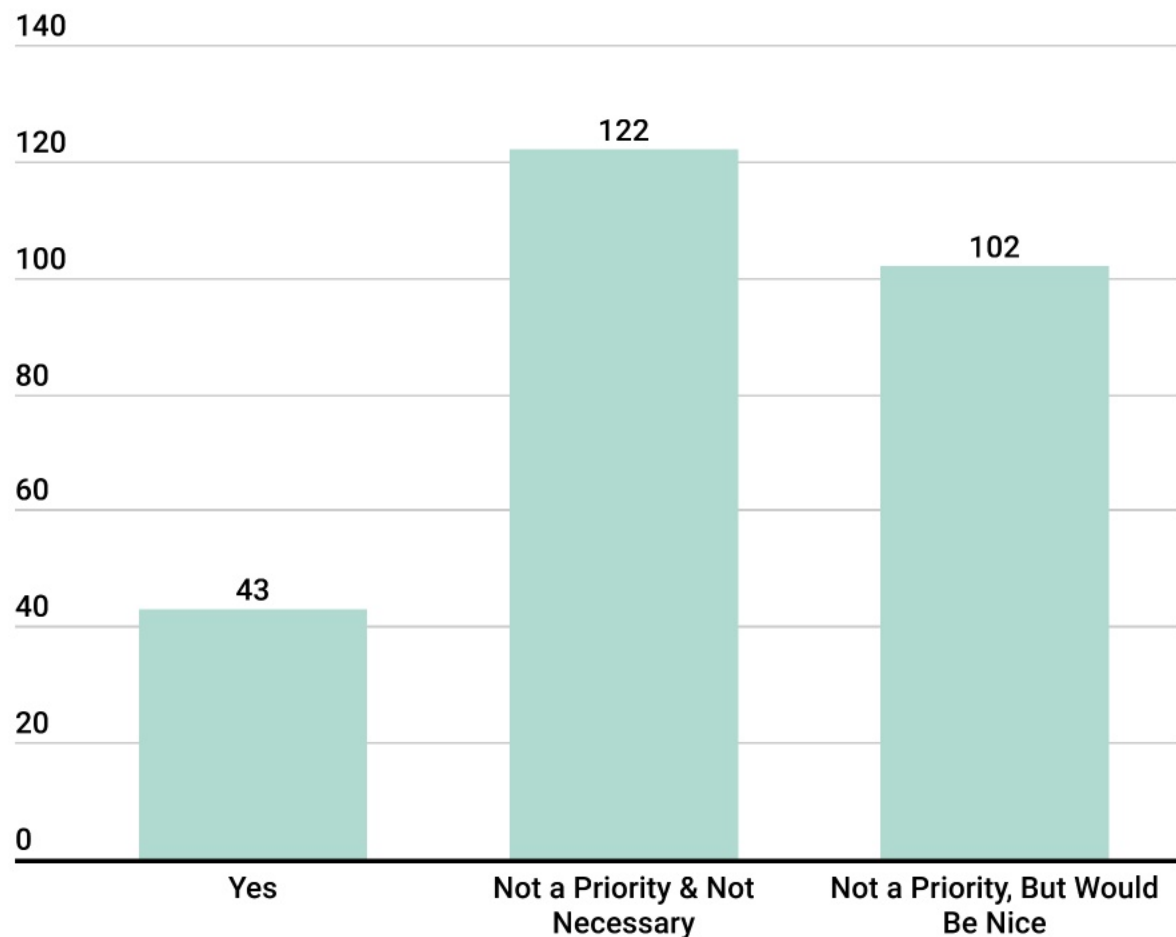
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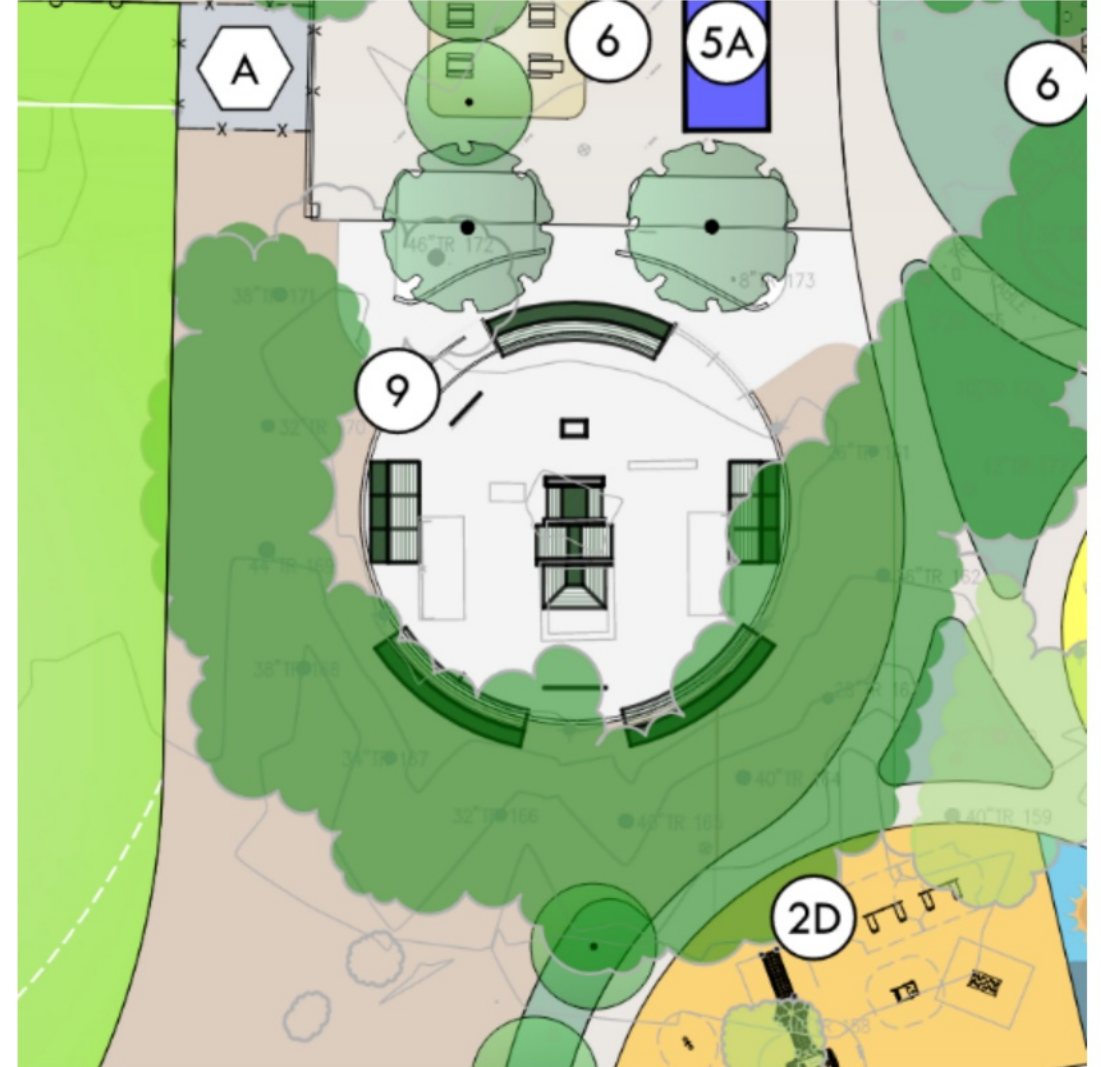
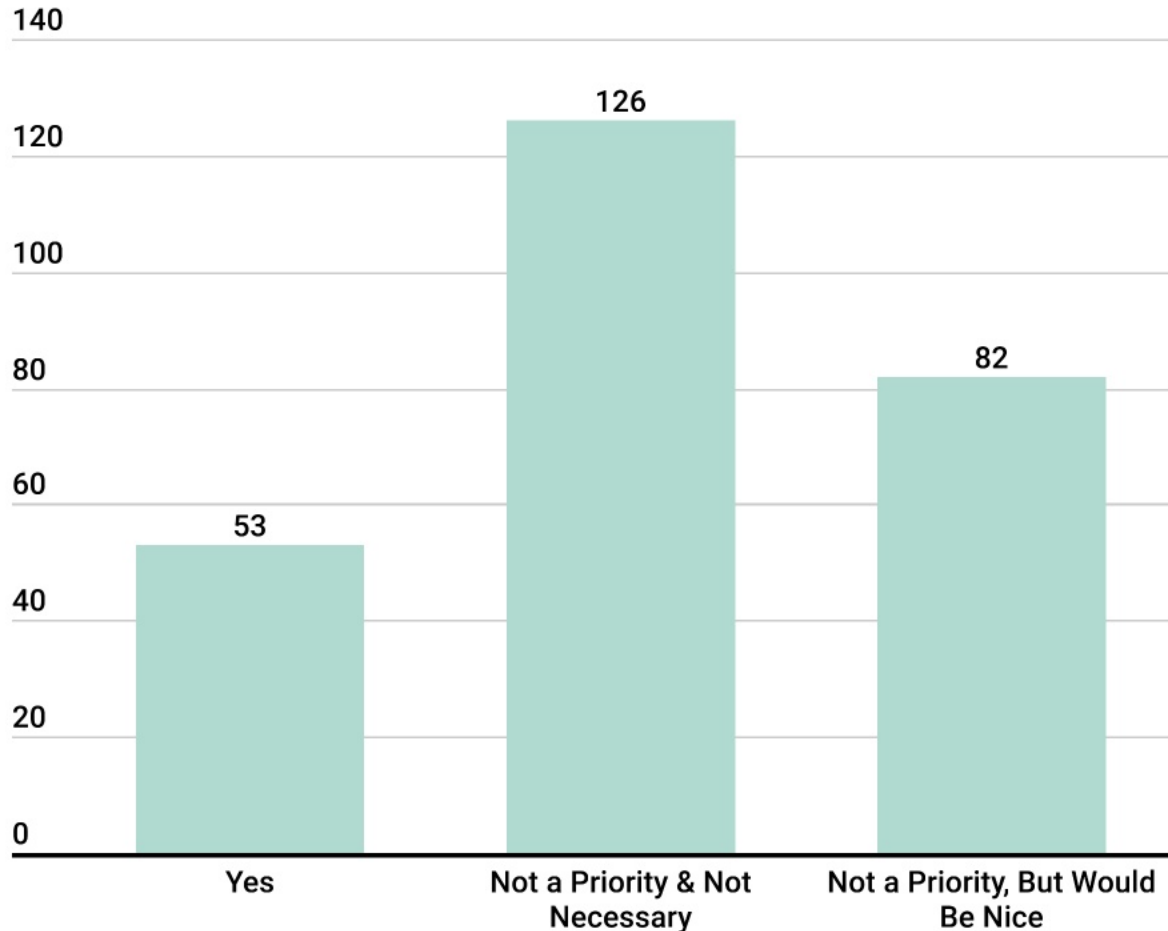
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Is pickleball striping a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements?



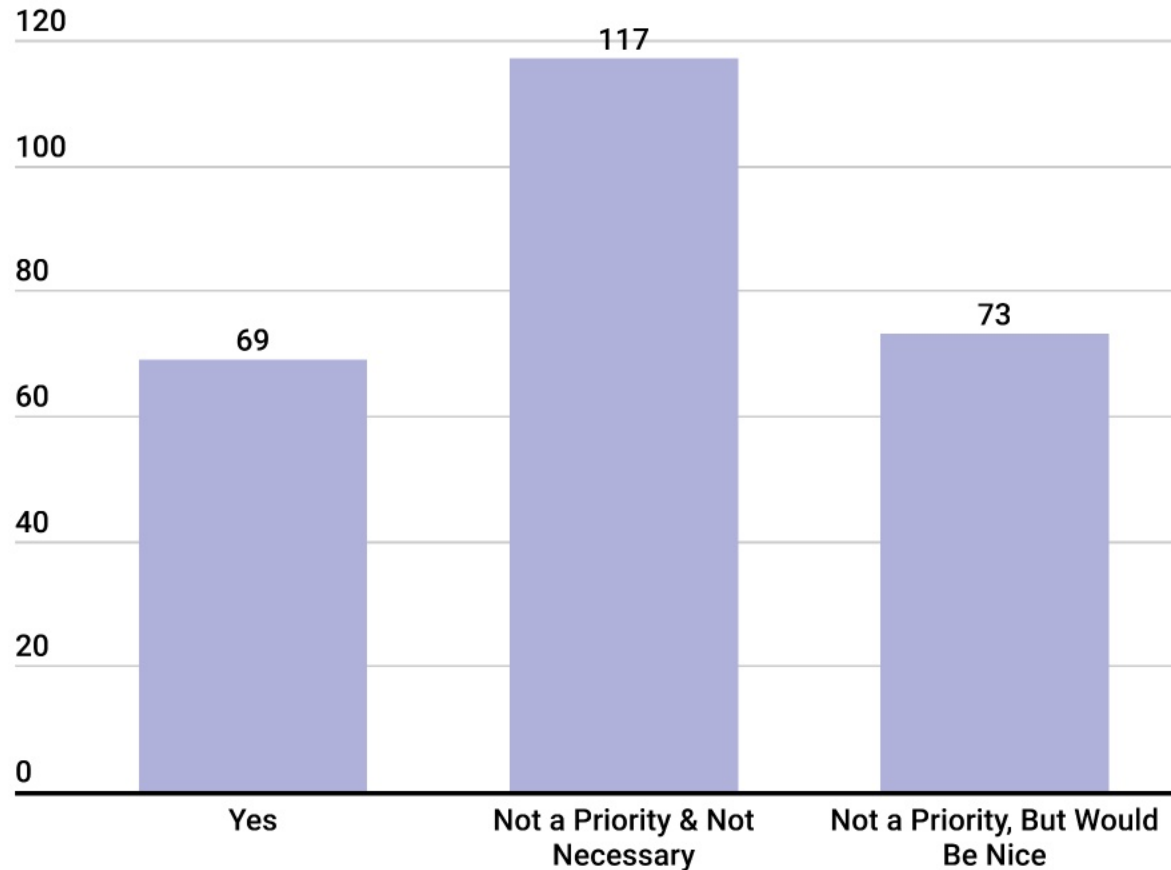
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Is expanding and relocating the skate park a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements?



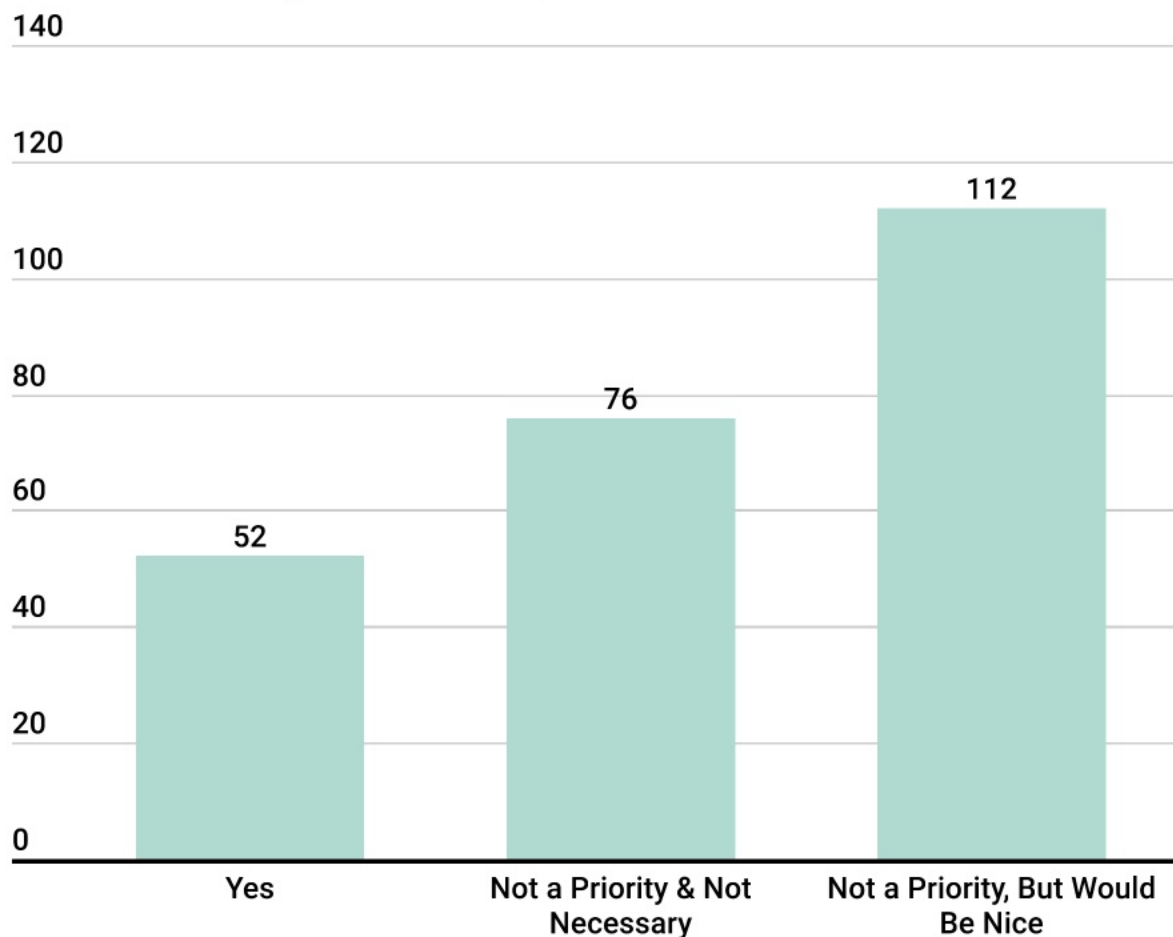
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Are batting cages a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements?



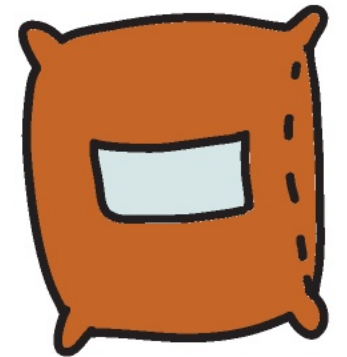
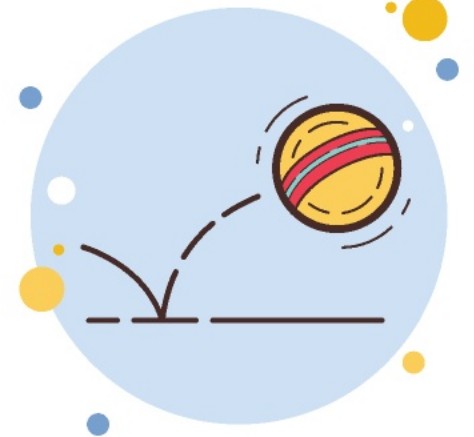
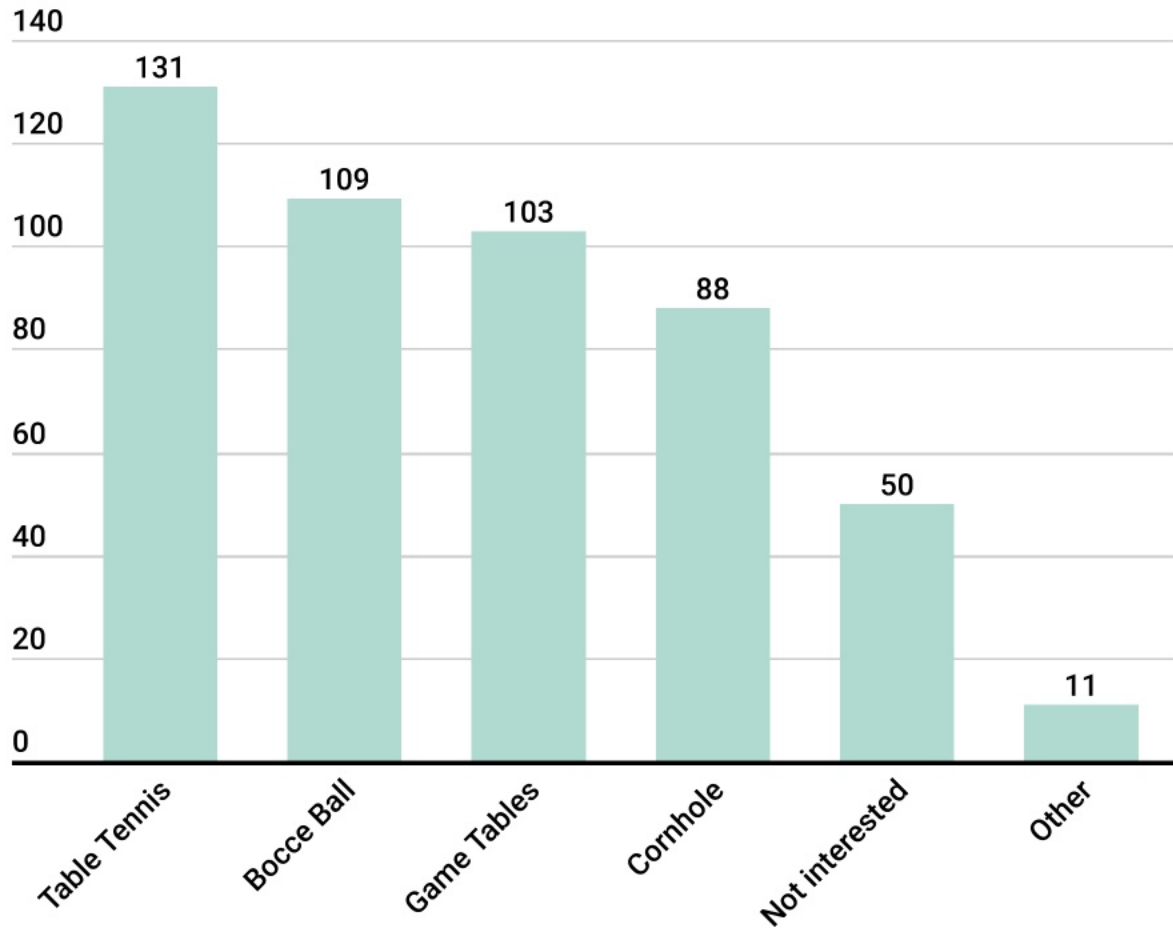
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Are passive recreation activities a priority to you if it means reducing or eliminating other improvements?



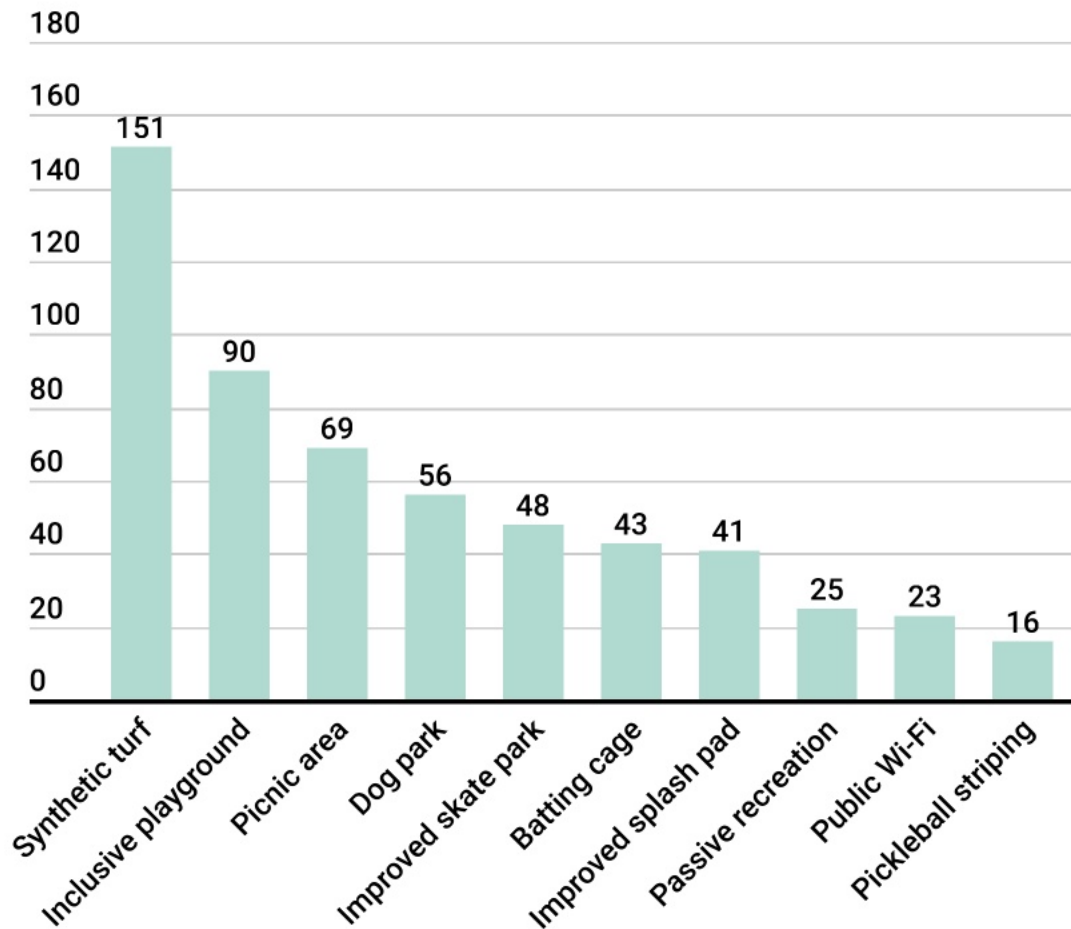
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What type of passive recreation activities/games would you like to see added to Lakewood Park?

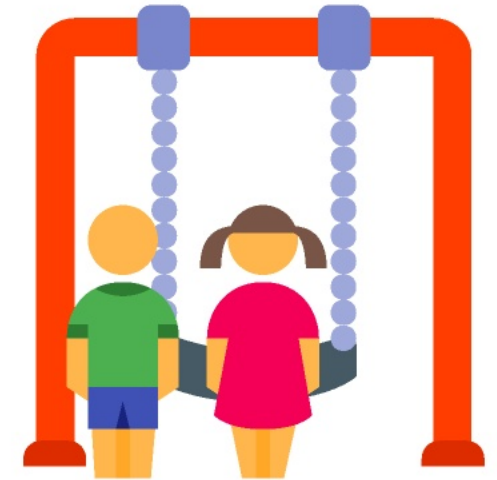


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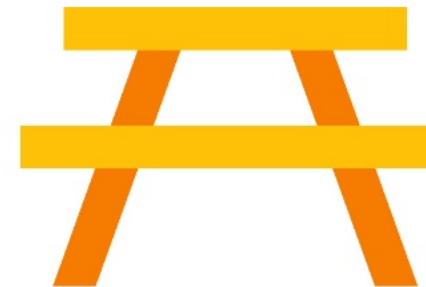
Which of the following program elements are a top priority for you?



1. Synthetic turf playing field with multi-use striping



2. Inclusive playground



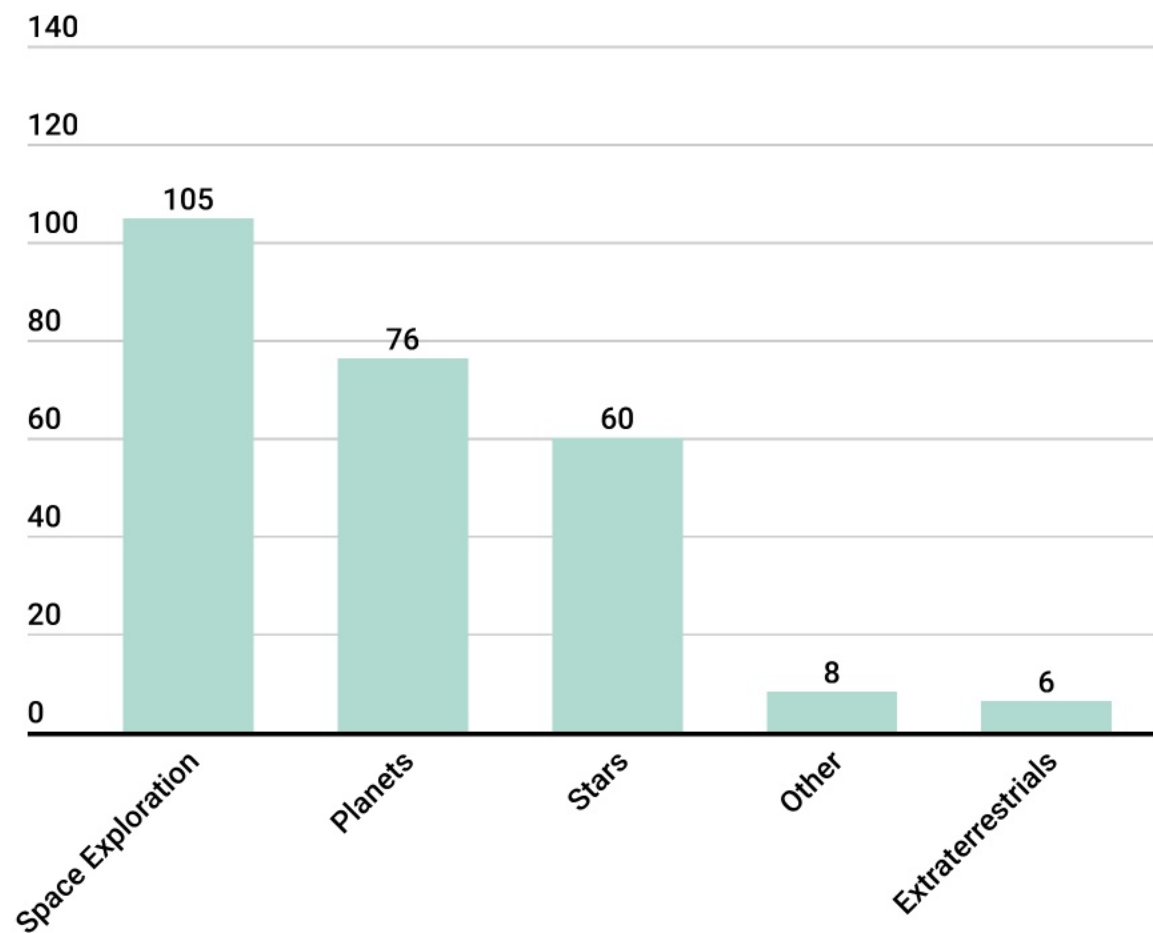
3. Picnic areas



4. Dog park

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