



AIR CANADA WINDOW PARK PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT SUMMARY AND DESIGN DIRECTIONS

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

In Fall 2022, Scatliff + Miller + Murray (SMM) in collaboration with the City of Winnipeg, CentreVenture, and Downtown Winnipeg BIZ, developed and facilitated an engagement program to meaningfully gather input about the future development of the park. Through engagement with regular park users, people who work and live nearby, and identified stakeholders, the intent was to develop a set of community informed design directions for the redevelopment of the park.

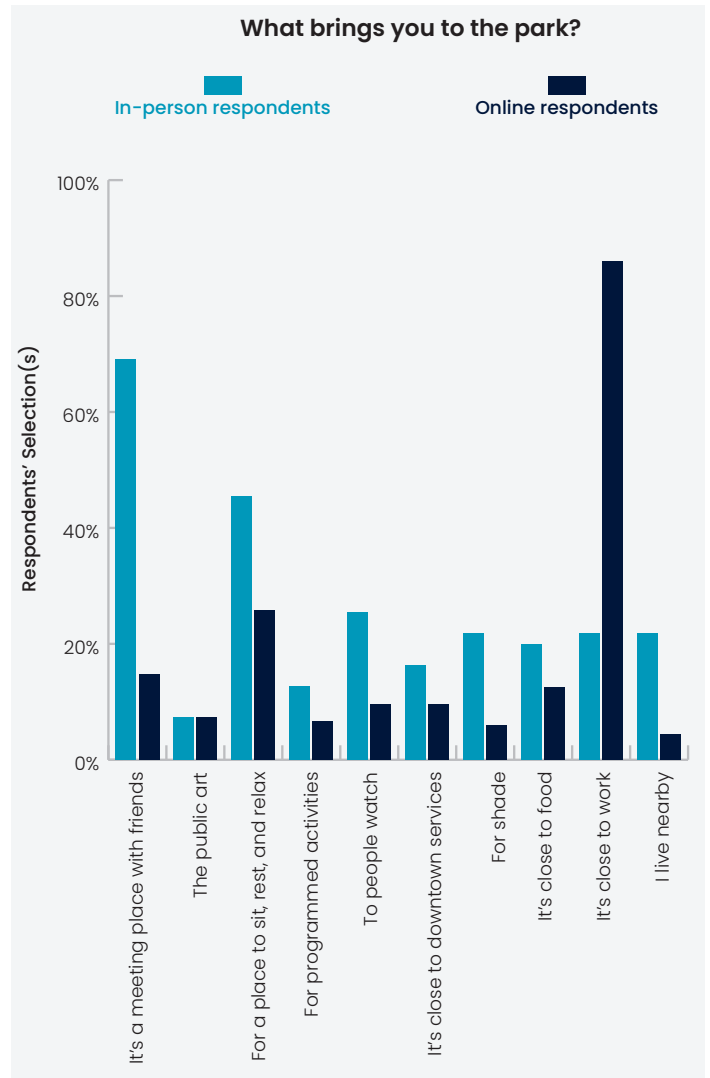
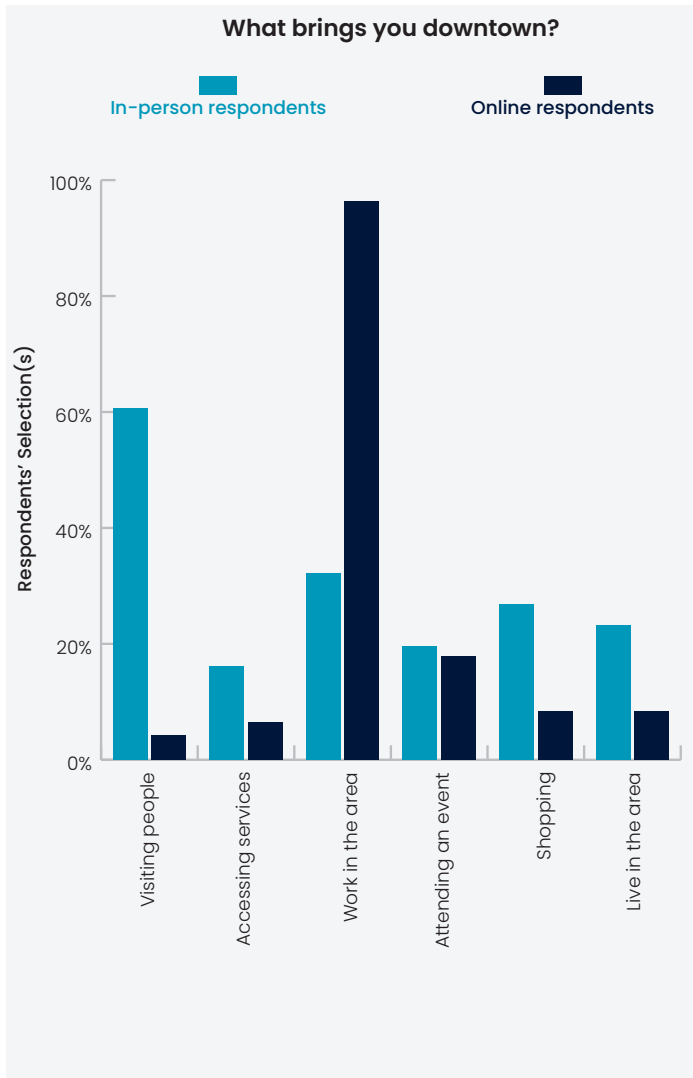
SMM formed and coordinated the Air Canada Window Park Revitalization Working Group to create a collaborative and informed approach to engage current park users in a meaningful way. The Working Group included the City of Winnipeg's Project Manager and representatives from the following organizations: CentreVenture, the Downtown Winnipeg BIZ, the City of Winnipeg's Indigenous Relations Department, Parks Department, Community Development Division, and the Office of Public Engagement, the Winnipeg Arts Council, Downtown Community Safety Partnership, End Homelessness Winnipeg, and the Winnipeg Regional Health Authority. To learn more about the public engagement plan and process, see **Section 1.0**.

The park is a regular gathering place for downtown community members who have a strong sense of belonging and ownership in this space. To gather input and key feedback from this group of regular park users, SMM facilitated three on-site engagement events in the park, two pop-up events on September 14th and 15th, 2022, and a public open house on October 13th, 2022. Feedback was gathered through intercept surveys conducted by the project team and a large banner exercise where several survey questions were highlighted for participants to respond to with stickers and post-it notes. In total, we collected 71 fully and partially completed surveys. Further details about the engagement methods and results of the in-person events can be found in **Section 2.0**.

In addition to the in-person events, SMM promoted and circulated the survey online to gather input from nearby property owners, business employees, and residents, stakeholders, and the public-at-large. The survey launched on September 12, 2022 and was online until October 27, 2022. We heard from a total of 206 respondents, with the majority indicating that they work in the area and that proximity to work is what brings them in and around the park. Additional information about the online survey can be found in **Section 3.0**.

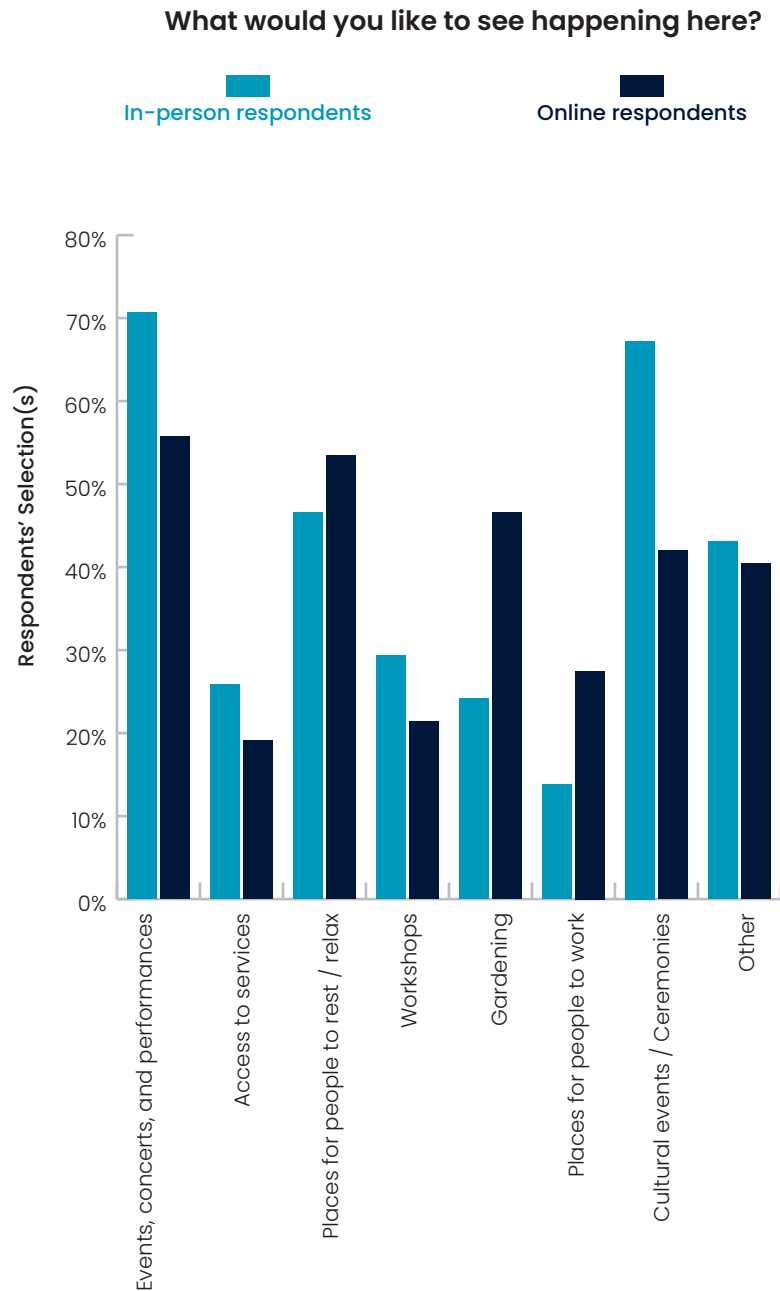
The third element of the engagement program was a round of three stakeholder meetings. SMM coordinated and facilitated meetings with nearby businesses and property owners, downtown community organizations, social services, and arts organizations, including APTN and Air Canada. We heard many great ideas in these meetings about potential opportunities to improve the park space and user experience. Further analysis can be found in **Section 4.0**.

In comparing the survey results from the event intercept surveys and online surveys, we noted the reasons why respondents came downtown and to the park was different depending on the method of engagement. The majority of those who responded to the online survey indicated that they come downtown to work and the reason they come to the park is because of its close proximity to work. On the other hand, respondents of the intercept surveys with park users shared that the most common reason they come downtown and to the park is to visit people and because it is a meeting place with friends.



While the reasons why intercept and online survey respondents come to the park are very different, we did hear agreement about what all participants would like to see happening in the future park. As illustrated below, the most popular programming elements across all surveys include:

1. events, concerts, and performances,
2. places for people to rest and relax
3. cultural events and ceremonies



Through the open-ended questions included in the intercept and online survey and the many conversations had at the engagement events in the park, several themes emerged from all input and feedback gathered regarding the future of the park. These themes included Site Amenities, Programming, Cleanliness, Safety, and Community / Social Supports. Input and ideas gathered relating to these five themes are organized by what we heard from the in-person events (see **Figure 2.5**) and the online survey (see **Figure 3.5**).

Based on those common themes a set of eight design directions have been developed to inform the future design of the park. All design directions are listed below and further examples and details are included in **Section 6.0** of this report.

1. Create comfortable and durable seating with a variety of options for people to visit and gather in small groups.
2. Accommodate an open space for large gatherings of 50 -75 people for programming and performance opportunities.
3. Consider safety for all current and future park users in all design elements, including open sight lines, improved circulation through the space, and ensure barrier-free design.
4. Provide infrastructure and services that support a more livable and cleaner park.
5. Add colour, art, and plant material to enliven the space.
6. Celebrate Indigenous culture through art, plants, language, and ceremony.
7. Create opportunities for play.
8. Consider a water feature to create a playful and auditory experience.

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1.0 PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT PLAN

The Public Engagement Plan for Air Canada Window Park was developed and implemented in collaboration with the City of Winnipeg, CentreVenture, and Downtown Winnipeg BIZ. SMM also worked closely with project partners, including End Homelessness Winnipeg, the Downtown Community Safety Partnership, and other organizations to review the engagement process and support the in-person engagement activities at the park. The Public Engagement Plan provided the strategies for the public engagement process, including all engagement goals, objectives, methods, materials, and timeline.

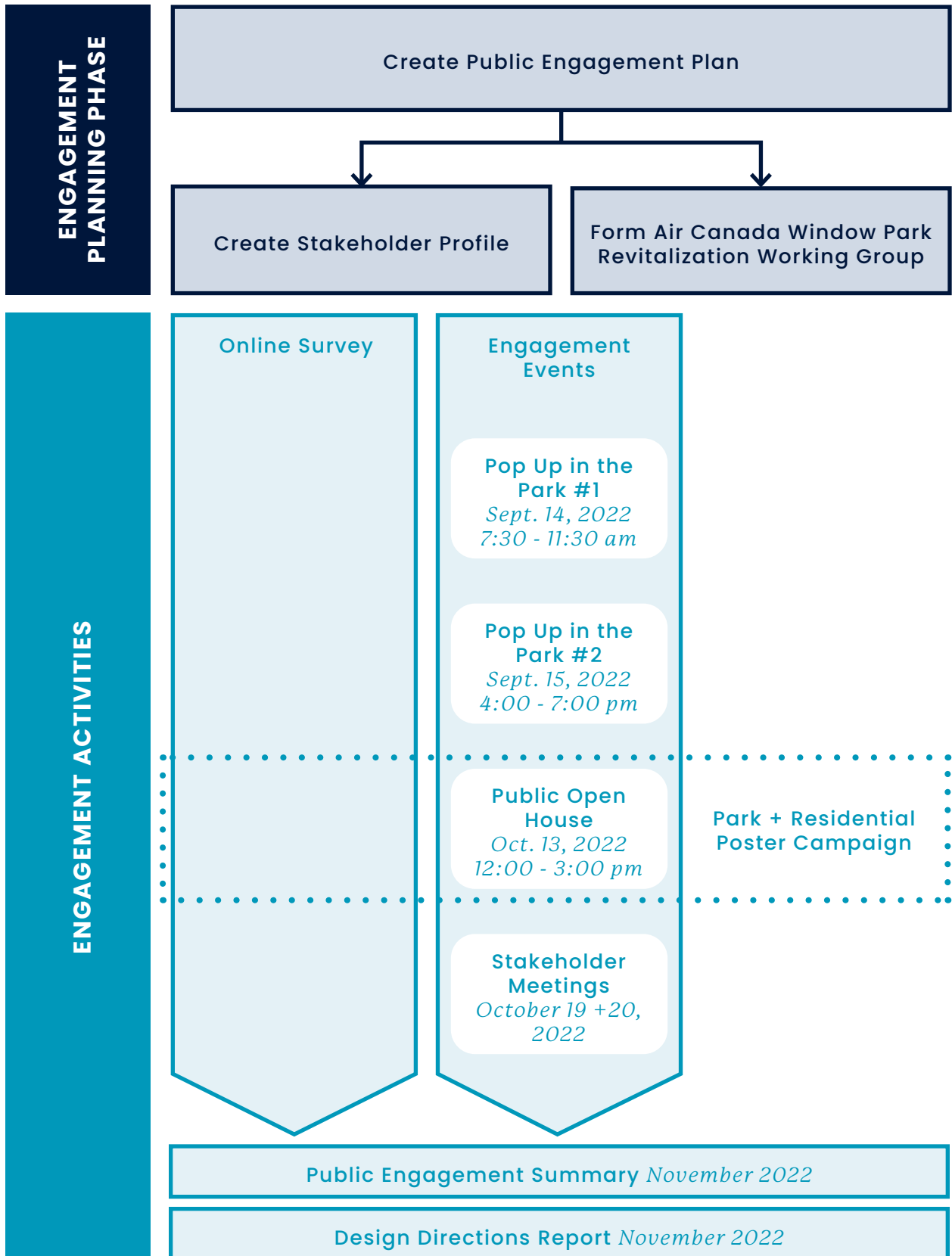
As a means of creating a collaborative and informed approach to meaningful public engagement, SMM formed the Air Canada Window Park Revitalization Working Group, which included the City of Winnipeg's Project Manager and representatives from the following organizations: CentreVenture, the Downtown Winnipeg BIZ, the City of Winnipeg's Indigenous Relations Department, Parks Department, Community Development Division, and the Office of Public Engagement, the Winnipeg Arts Council, End Homelessness Winnipeg, and the Winnipeg Regional Health Authority. As well, we met with the Downtown Community Safety Partnership three times to review engagement strategies, gather feedback, and to debrief and share findings from the in-person events.

1.1 ENGAGEMENT GOALS

The overall goals of the public engagement plan include:

- Create an open and transparent process;
- Inform stakeholders and the public about the purpose of the project, and share information about the Downtown Revitalization Strategy and the future redevelopment of Air Canada Window Park;
- Ensure stakeholders understand how their input and participation will inform and impact the future design and redevelopment of the park;
- Meaningfully engage park users, nearby business and property owners, residents, and community organizations;
- Engage vulnerable park users and hard to reach participants and ensure their perspectives are included;
- Aim to create an engagement process that is a safe and positive experience for all;
- Partner with community organizations that have existing relationships and partnerships in the downtown and around Air Canada Window Park;
- Develop materials that are easy to understand, factual, and designed to reach a diverse audience;
- Understand how the redevelopment of the park will impact current park users; and,
- Develop a set of community informed design criteria and overall direction for the redevelopment of the park.

1.2 TIMELINE OF ACTIVITIES



2.0 IN-PERSON EVENTS

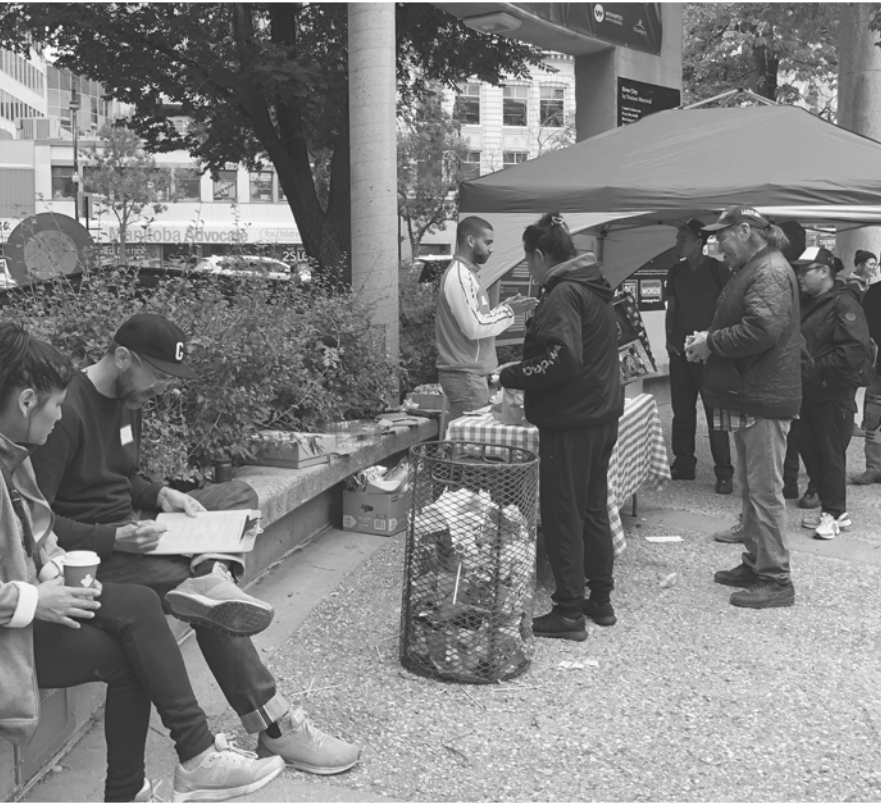
2.1 EVENT OVERVIEW

SMM coordinated and facilitated three on-site engagement events in Fall 2022, two pop up events on September 14th and 15th and a public open house on October 13th. The goals of the pop-up events were to share information about the future redevelopment of the park and gather feedback and input from community members via an in-person intercept survey, as well as informing passersby of the online survey option accessible through a QR code displayed on posters at the events. The intent of this approach was to understand the unique perspectives, challenges, and priorities of those who regularly visit and use the park.

The park is a regular gathering place for downtown community members who have a strong sense of belonging and ownership in this space. As such, the in-person events and survey were developed to meaningfully engage this group for key feedback that will inform the overall park revitalization project. See **Appendix A** for a list of the survey questions.

Feedback from park users was gathered through the intercept surveys, as well as a large banner exercise where several questions (from the survey) were displayed and participants were encouraged to answer them using stickers and post-it notes. The intercept surveys were available in paper form for participants to fill out on their own. As well, many participants opted rather to have a conversation with staff about the questions and themes from the survey while staff took notes and later transcribed these into the survey format. Through these various methods we were able to meet participants 'where they were at' and allow them to engage to the extent they felt comfortable.





As the in-person events were open to everyone to participate in we also received some responses (in survey format) from DCSP staff and police officers present at the event, as well as some employees from neighbouring businesses such as APTN and Air Canada Data Centre. However, from our observations and anecdotal evidence we know that employees of nearby businesses and the public-at-large primarily offered their feedback through the online survey, which will be discussed in **Section 3.0**.

Four SMM staff were present at each in-person event, with additional staff from SMM, the City of Winnipeg, and the Downtown Winnipeg BIZ joining in throughout each of the events. As well, Elder David Budd, joined the events on September 15th.

For each in-person event food and drink were served as a thank you to participants for sharing their ideas and perspectives with the team. However, sharing of feedback was not a requirement for partaking in the refreshments. The food and drink were appreciated by participants/park users and contributed to the gathering atmosphere already present within the space. The three in-person events were conducted at various times of day to capture feedback from as many park users as possible. This resulted in one pop-up event each in the morning and evening, and the public open house being facilitated during the noon hour and afternoon. The pop-up events in September were hosted on warm, sunny days and the park was well-used during these times. The public open house event in October was hosted on a colder day, with some wind, rain, and snow interspersed throughout the day. Despite this, many people came over the noon hour to partake in sandwiches, granola bars, and coffee, and enjoy the Lunchtime Learning Session organized by the Downtown Winnipeg BIZ, which featured Indigenous singer and drummer, Ray Coco Stevenson.

All staff who participated in the events felt welcomed into the space and were encouraged by the feedback, ideas, and enthusiasm shared by regular park users who feel a strong sense of belonging and ownership in this space and in many cases would like to see investments and improvements made within the park.

Promotion for the in-person pop-up and public open house events included:

- poster campaign throughout the park and down nearby streets (**see Appendix D**)
- word of mouth from park users and Downtown Winnipeg BIZ ambassadors

2.2 EVENT RESULTS

The following summary represents feedback gathered during the in-person events through both the paper surveys and conversations with individual park users. See **Appendix B** for the unabridged survey data.

Who is using the park

Over the two pop-up events and one public open house event we collected 71 fully and partially completed surveys, as well as numerous responses to the banner exercise questions. We heard from a wide age range of respondents, with most respondents being between 40-59 years of age. In addition to this, staff observed several families enjoying the park throughout the day with young kids in strollers and some older kids playing on the grass and around the trees.

Through the in-person survey and banner exercise we learned that the majority of respondents are coming downtown and to the park to visit people and meet with friends and using the park as a place to sit, rest, relax. Combining this with conversations had between staff and respondents confirms previously heard statements from park users that this park serves as a community gathering space and is a place of connection for people, friends, and families. Several respondents through both the paper survey and in conversation noted that this was a place of support where they come to care for others and be cared for in return in a variety of ways, such as conversation, access to services, or borrowing a phone from someone.

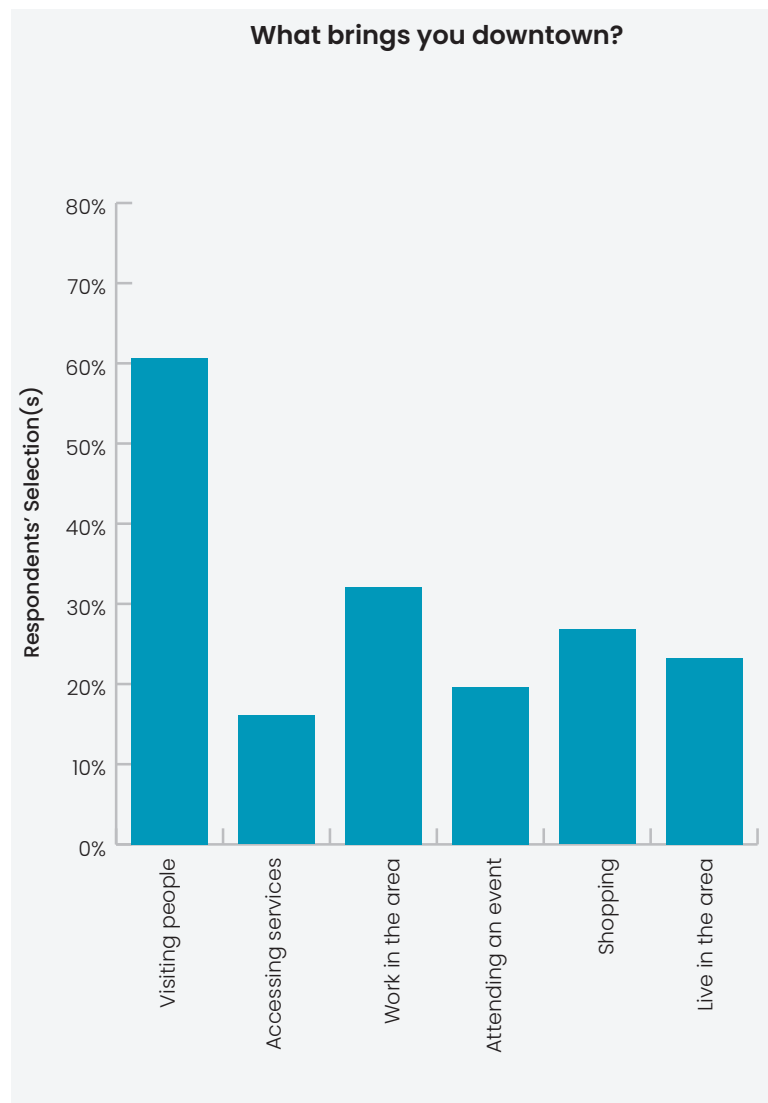


Figure 2.1
In-person participants are primarily coming downtown to visit people

In the warmer months many respondents are coming daily or weekly to the park and while visits to the park drop off during the colder months, there are still several respondents who are regularly coming to the park. From the paper survey, banner exercise, and staff observations during the events we learned that many people are frequenting the park in the morning, at lunchtime, and throughout the afternoon, with park use dropping off throughout the evening. Of these respondents, some are coming in and out of the park throughout the day, some are coming for a visit before leaving, and some are spending most of their day in and around the park.

How respondents feel about the park

Overwhelmingly, we heard from respondents that the biggest strength of this space/place is the people and the community. A few other strengths that were noted by respondents include the fountain, the central/downtown location of the park and its proximity to amenities, and the trees/greenery offering shade and nature in the middle of the city. In connection with this, we heard from several respondents that they do not see the need for improvements and investments and would rather see the park kept as it is.

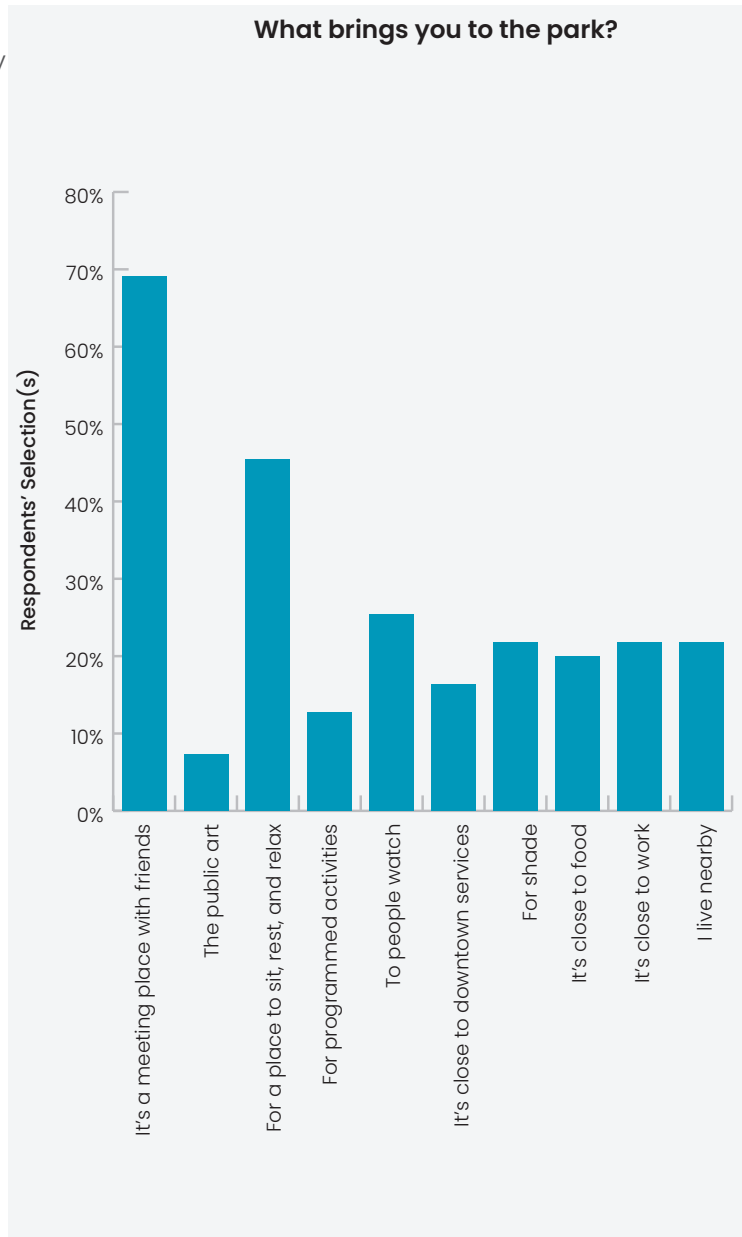


Figure 2.2
In-person participants come to the park primarily to meet with friends

Opportunities and challenges for the future

Through the open-ended questions included in the paper survey and banner exercise, as well as through conversations had during the three in-person events, several themes emerged as to what respondents want for the future of the park. These themes included Site Amenities, Programming, Cleanliness, Safety, and Community/Social Supports. The major points of these themes are presented in **Figure 2.5**.

What would you like to see happening here?

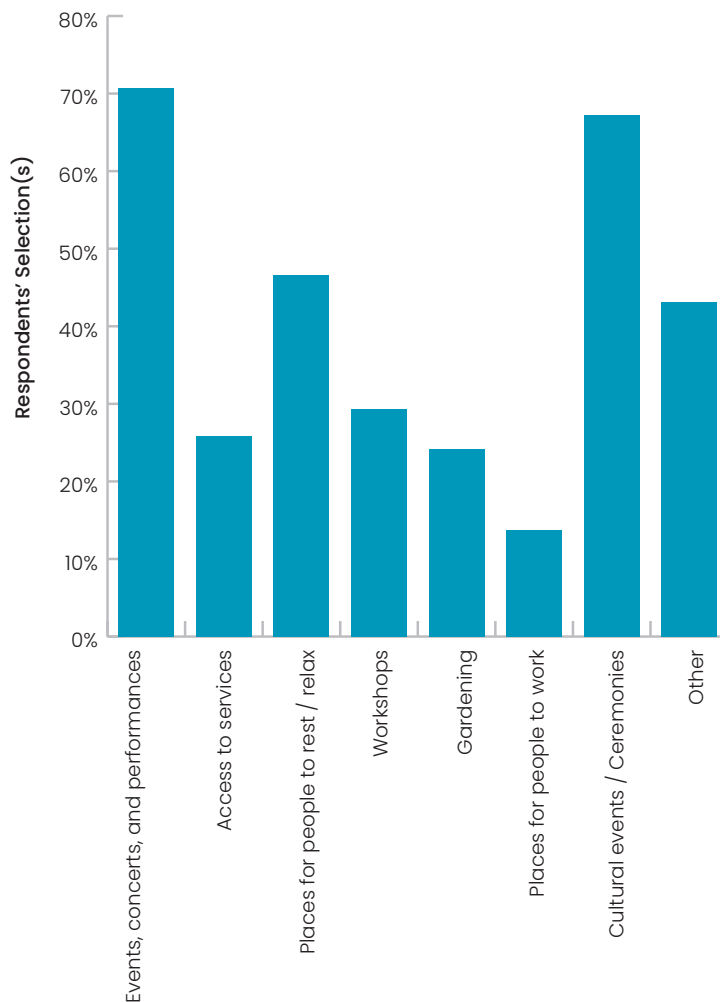


Figure 2.3
In-person participants would like to see events, concerts, and performances in the park

Some features are being considered for the redesign of the park – can you rank them in order from most important to least important?

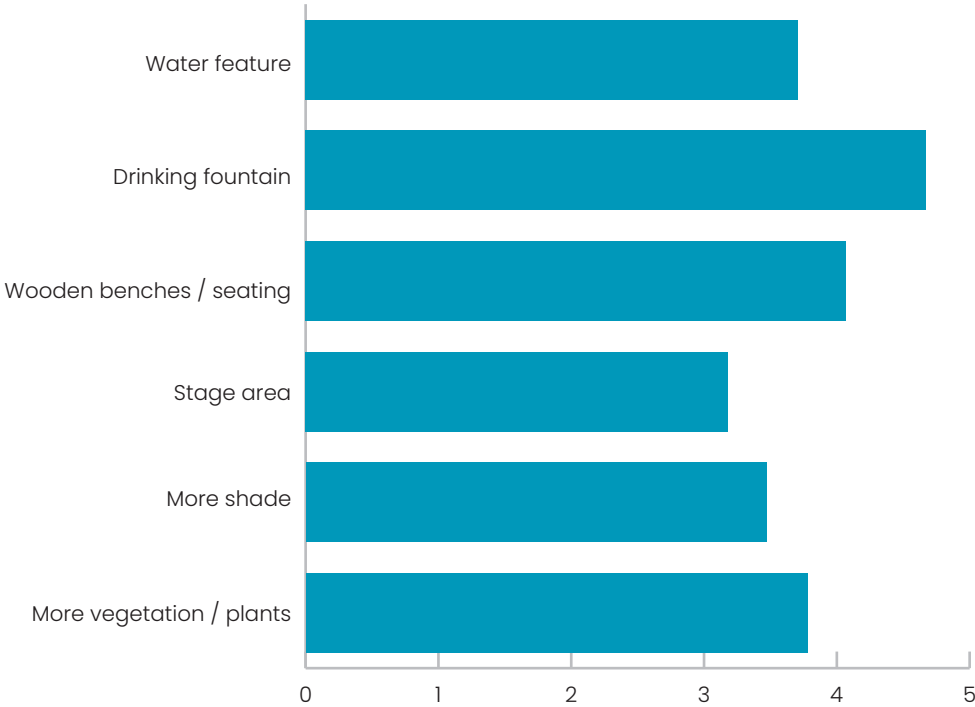


Figure 2.4
In-person participants ranked a drinking fountain as most important

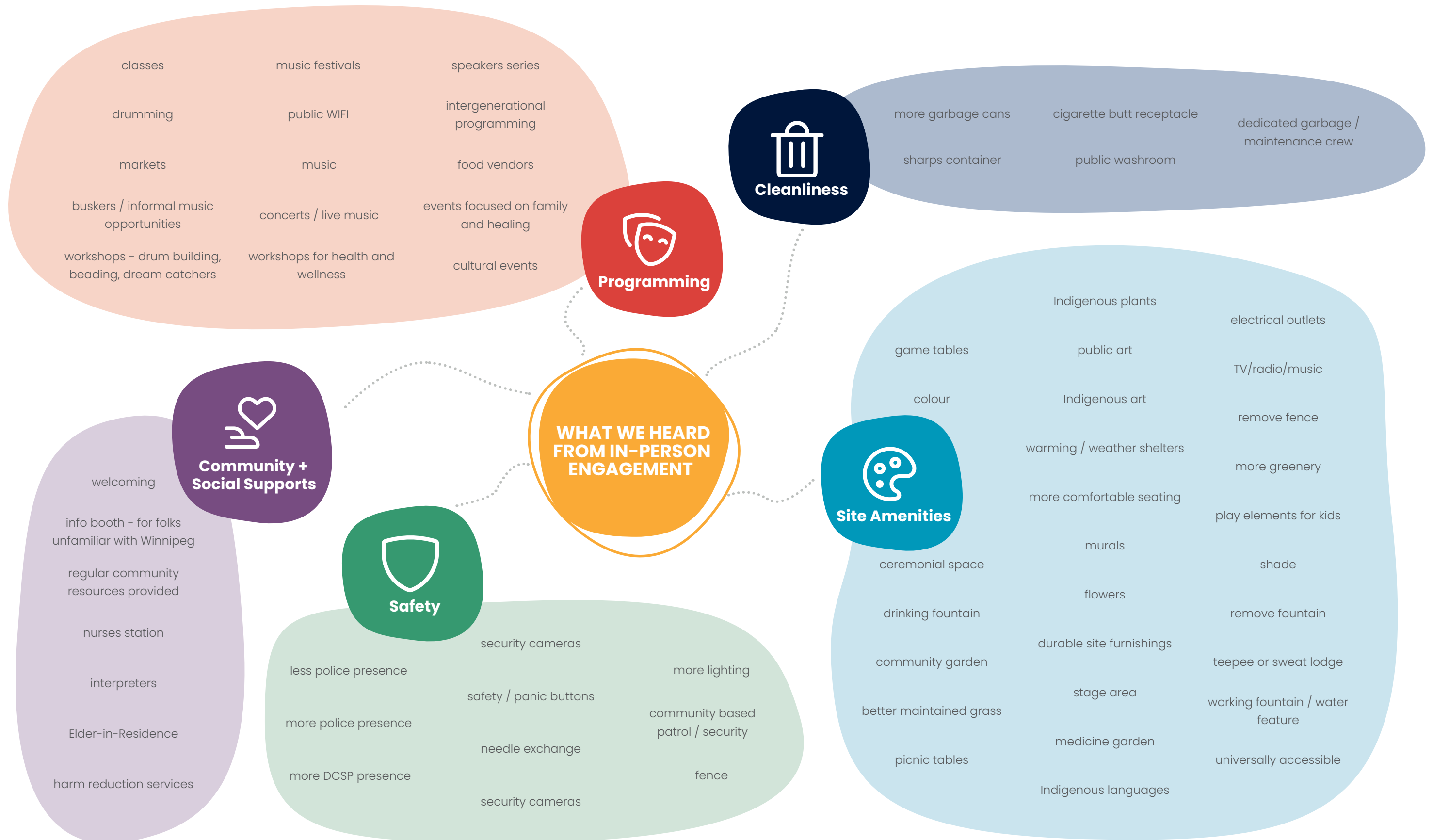


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3.0 ONLINE SURVEY

3.1 SURVEY OVERVIEW

In addition to the intercept surveys conducted at the in-person events, SMM also promoted and circulated the survey online to gather input from nearby business employees, stakeholders, and the public-at-large about the current use and conditions, programmatic desires for the future of the park, and ideas for the design and redevelopment of the park.

Promotion for the online survey included:

- Poster campaign throughout the park, down nearby streets, and throughout nearby apartment buildings (**see Appendix D**)
- Invitations to stakeholder meetings
- Downtown Recovery Strategy website - www.downtownrecoverystrategy.ca
- Downtown Winnipeg BIZ website and social media

3.2 SURVEY RESULTS

The following summary represents feedback gathered from the online survey. See **Appendix C** for the unabridged survey data.

Who is using the park

Through the online survey we collected 206 fully and partially completed surveys. Respondents to the online survey were similar in age range to those of the paper survey, with the majority of respondents being between 40-59 years of age. The majority of respondents noted that they work in the area and that proximity to work is what brings them in and around the park.

In both warmer (40%) and colder months (59%) respondents noted that they never come to the park. In addition to this, though the next most popular answer was every day, further data analysis suggests that respondents may have selected this answer to signify that they pass through the park each day to get to work but are not spending significant time in the park. Overwhelmingly, the data from the online survey suggests that downtown employees are not frequenting the park regularly and that most are avoiding the park due to concerns of safety and cleanliness.

How respondents feel about the park

Many respondents noted several positive attributes about the park that they appreciated, such as the fountain and sound of water, the proximity to offices and lunch options, the artwork, and the lunchtime concert series. The most often stated strength of the park was the greenery and nature that offered a fresh and relaxing respite from the busyness of downtown.

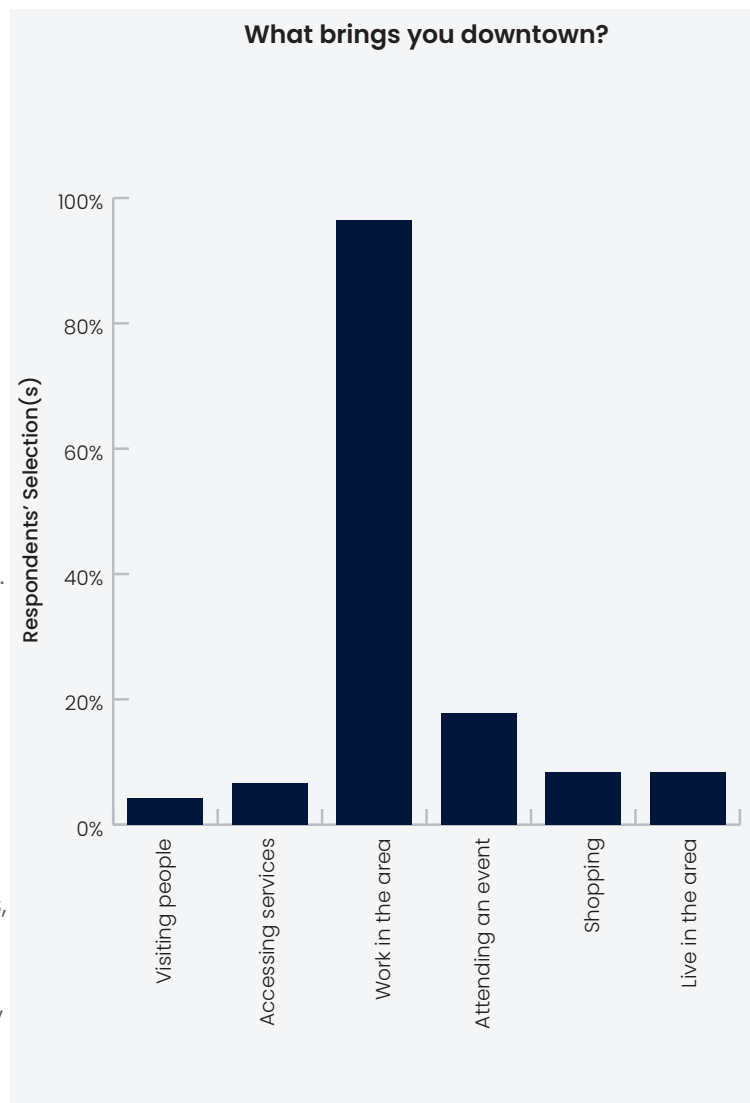


Figure 3.1
Online participants are primarily coming downtown for work

However, though respondents had these positive things to say about the park, these comments were most often referring to the park in past years. Overwhelmingly, respondents noted that they avoided the park in its current state due to public drinking and drug use, witnessing and experiencing verbal and physical harassment/abuse, and a lack of overall cleanliness. In several instances these comments were negative and accompanied by degrading or derogatory statements directed towards current park users, signifying the need for community-minded solutions.

Opportunities and challenges for the future

Through the open-ended questions included in the online survey several themes emerged as to what respondents want for the future of the park. These themes included Design, Programming, Cleanliness, Safety, and Community/Social Supports. The major points of these themes are presented in **Figure 3.5**.

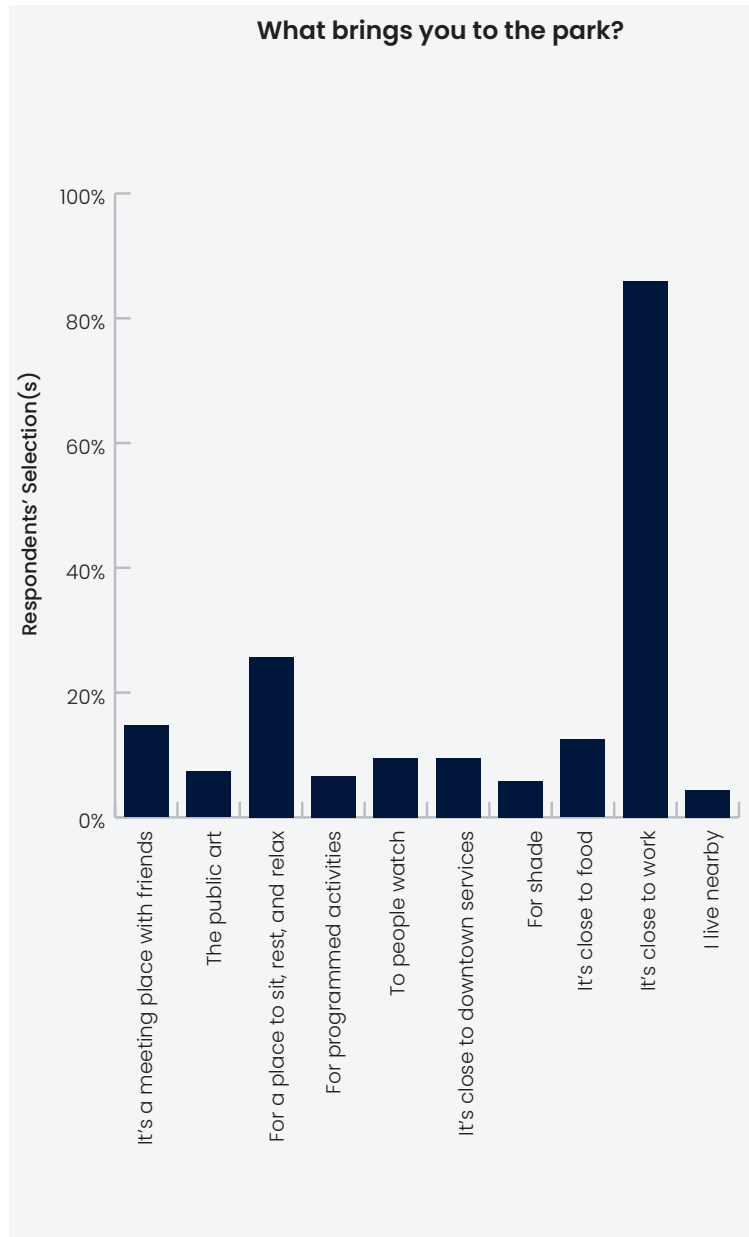


Figure 3.2
Online participants come to the park primarily because it's close to work

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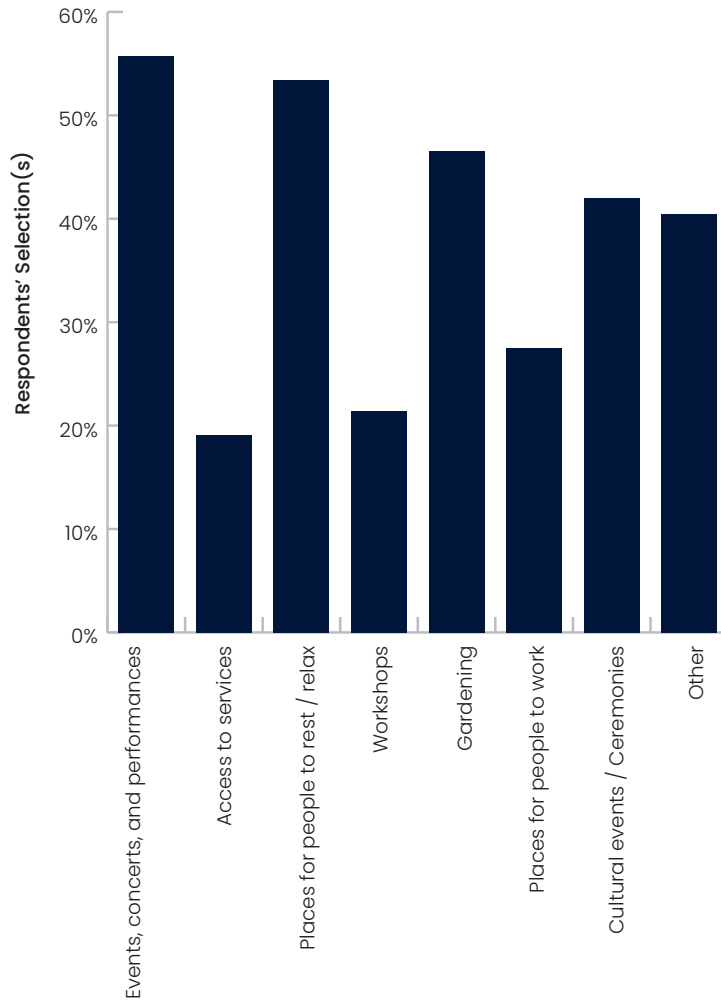


Figure 3.3
Online participants would like to see events, concerts, and performances in the park

Some features are being considered for the redesign of the park – can you rank them in order from most important to least important?

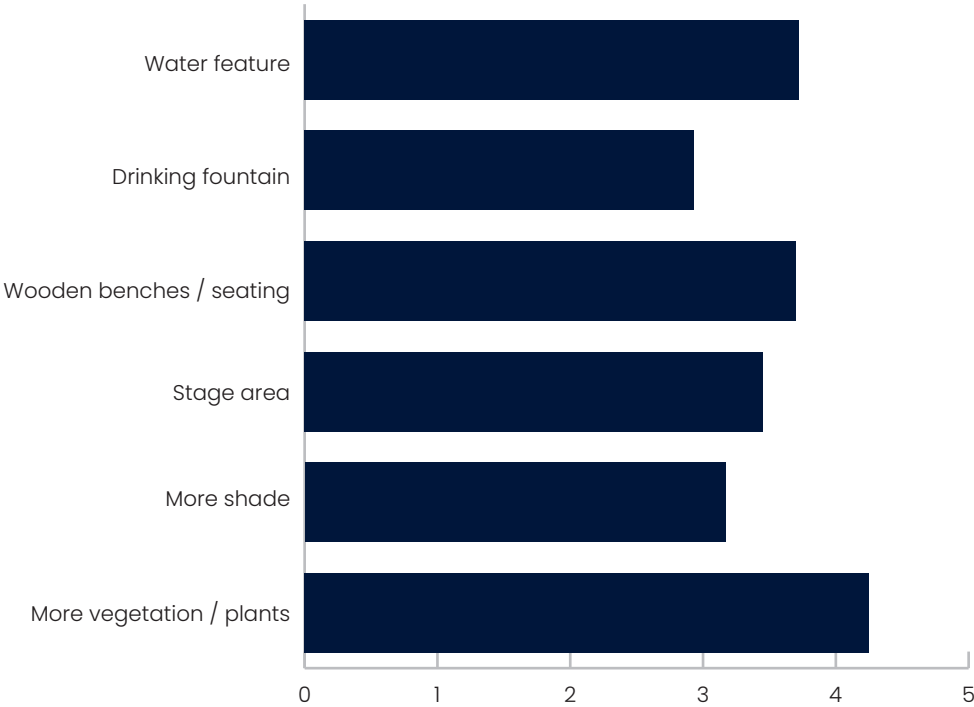


Figure 3.4
Online participants ranked more vegetation / plants as most important

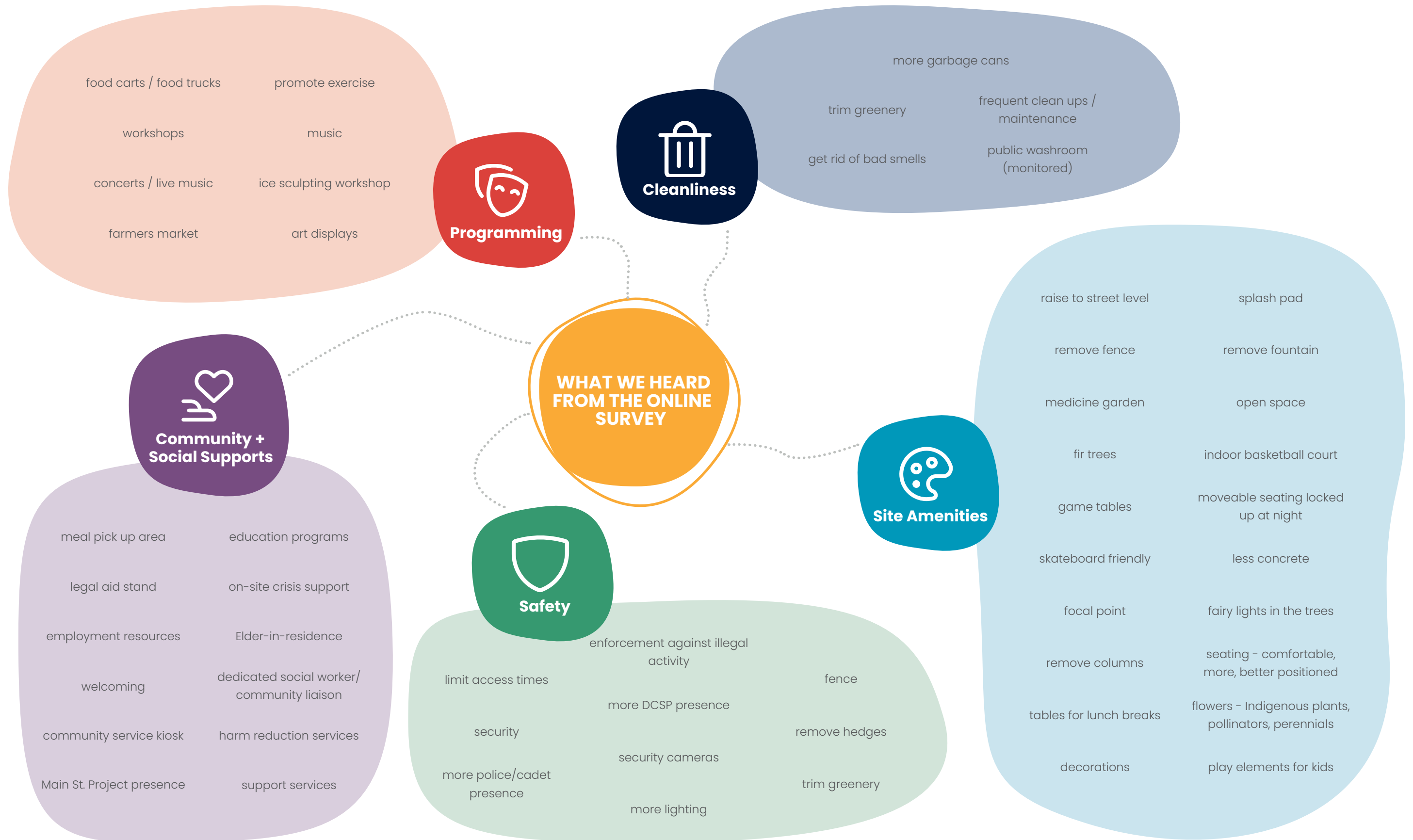


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4.0 STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS

SMM coordinated and facilitated 3 stakeholder meetings with key stakeholders, nearby business and property owners, downtown community organizations, social services, and arts organizations, including one meeting with the direct neighbours to the park, APTN and Air Canada. The objectives of the in-person stakeholder meetings were to:

- Raise awareness of the future redevelopment of the park and the Downtown Revitalization Strategy;
- Gather information about the current state of the park: users, activity, strengths, challenges, and opportunities; and
- Gather input on the future of the park: desired amenities, programmatic opportunities, and how a redesigned park can support a better quality of life for those who use the park.

To learn more about who attended the stakeholder meetings and details of the discussions, refer to the stakeholder meeting notes included in **Appendix E**.

4.1 SWOT

As part of the stakeholder meetings, SMM facilitated a SWOT (Strength, Weakness, Opportunity, Threat) Analysis with participants to better understand their current experience with the park and their ideas for the future. (Bullets are listed in no particular order).

Strengths

Existing characteristics that make the park unique and encourage people to spend time there

- Fountain was nice when it was working
- Delivery of programming has been well received
- It is a gathering space that has been adopted by the broader community
- For many years it was a nice place to have a quiet lunch, meet with colleagues, or meet neighbours

Weaknesses

Existing characteristics of the park that discourage people from spending time there

- Illegal activity is happening in the park often (daily)
- Lighting is not adequate to feel safe at night
- Trees and shrubs need trimming to re-establish sightlines
- General garbage/litter, as well as needles and bottles are often not cleaned up
- The park isn't well connected to adjacent spaces, making it seem like a dead end
- Perceptions of the park are significantly different between different communities (i.e., regular park users, downtown employees, people who live downtown, people who live in the suburbs)
- The unused water fountain does not activate the space anymore and contributes to a perception of neglect for the space

Opportunities

Elements to improve the park space and user experience

- Many families in the area that might like to use the space
- Bringing social workers or social services to the area to connect individuals with supports
- A public washroom (would be a benefit for downtown, not just the park)
- Farmers market with local/Indigenous vendors
- Broadcasting APTN programming or sports events with a large screen
- Standing height tables for quick lunches or meetings
- A downtown information hub for tourists (and residents) to find out what is happening throughout the downtown – could work with Tourism MB and others
- Communicate with regular park users and service providers to avoid permanent displacement as a result of construction schedule
- Continue to provide and expand programming options – concert series, workshops, speakers, etc.
- Create opportunities/spaces for busking and other informal music options
- Careful consideration of how seating arrangements can affect how people use the space
- Additional lighting for safety and decoration
- A water feature designed for enjoyment and maintenance to maximize the amount of time it can be operational throughout the year
- A maintenance program to ensure cleanliness of the space

Threats

Elements that could limit the success of the space

- Illegal/dangerous activity – public drinking and drug use/sales, verbal and physical violence
- Former building foundations may limit design options
- Environmental concerns from washroom activities that have been taking place in the bushes
- Funding is limited to only physical space improvements
- Concern of displacement for current park users when construction happens
- Vandalism

4.2 ACTIVITIES AND AMENITIES FOR THE SPACE

We also asked participants what kinds of activities and amenities would encourage them and the people they represent to frequent the park more often.

- Public washroom
- Warming spaces or shelters for winter months
- More power sources to support park programming (i.e., food carts/trucks, concerts)
- Stage area
- Water feature
- Entertainment space with TVs and information sharing
- Medicine Garden (possibly in connection with new medicine garden imagined by Southern Chiefs' Organization for the Bay building)
- More public art
- Programming for the neighbourhood to activate the space throughout all seasons and times of day
- Maintenance program to ensure ongoing cleanliness

Lastly, we asked participants their thoughts on the renaming of the park – both for ideas and for who should be included in the renaming conversation. Primarily participants were of the mind that the name should come from and through consultation with Indigenous communities and Elders. Some other ideas for the name included well-known Winnipeggers such as Teemu Selanne and Llyod Axworthy, as well as a suggestion to use naming rights as a potential revenue generator.

5.0 KEY CONSIDERATIONS

The following key considerations arise directly from public and stakeholder feedback gathered throughout the project. These considerations reflect salient points raised by participants that do not directly inform the design directions, but are critical to the future development of this park. While safety, accessibility, and maintenance are included below as they are considerations for all public spaces, they are not directly included in the design directions as there are many ways to meet the intent of those project requirements. Five key considerations we heard from multiple community members or stakeholders include:

- Mitigation measures to avoid permanent displacement of current park users due to construction schedule
- Communication with community members (regular park users and nearby businesses) throughout design process, design selection, construction, and reopening
- Ensure accessibility throughout the space
- Consider ongoing, low-cost maintenance as a key part of overall design

Key considerations related specifically to design are included in **Section 6.0**.

Through in-person surveys, online surveys, and stakeholder meetings, we heard many ideas, services, and opportunities that could occur in the park to better support the community. These community support services are considered beyond the scope of the design directions, they are listed here as future considerations for the park and would require additional partnership and support with community organizations. These social and community services have the potential to create a more welcoming and revitalized park that supports community health, wellness, and culture.

- Harm reduction services
- Information booth for folks unfamiliar with Winnipeg
- Regular community resources provided
- Nursing station
- Interpreters
- Elder-in-Residence
- Meal pick up area
- Legal aid stand
- Employment resources
- Community service kiosk
- Main Street Project presence
- Education programs
- On-site crisis support
- Dedicated social worker / community liaison
- Support services

6.0 DESIGN DIRECTIONS

Based on what we heard during Public Engagement in Fall 2022, as summarized in this report, 8 community-informed design directions have been developed to guide further design. All design directions are listed below. **Figure 6.1** on the following page provides the design directions with examples for each of the design directions.

6.1 COMMUNITY-INFORMED DESIGN DIRECTIONS

1. **Create comfortable and durable seating with a variety of options for people to visit and gather in small groups.**
2. **Accommodate an open space for large gatherings of 50 -75 people for programming and performance opportunities.**
3. **Consider safety for all current and future park users in all design elements, including open sight lines, improved circulation through the space, and ensure barrier-free design.**
4. **Provide infrastructure and services that support a more livable and cleaner park.**
5. **Add colour, art, and plant material to enliven the space.**
6. **Celebrate Indigenous culture through art, plants, language, and ceremony.**
7. **Create opportunities for play.**
8. **Consider a water feature to create a playful and auditory experience.**



Figure 6.1

APPENDIX A: SURVEY QUESTIONS

Reimagine Air Canada Park

Park Revitalization Survey – Fall 2022

Winnipeg's Downtown Recovery Framework outlines strategic actions to boost the local economy, create places downtown where everyone feels a sense of belonging, and encourage a thriving cultural sector. One of the key action items outlined is to invest in the redevelopment of Air Canada Park to create a welcoming space for all users of the park. This survey is intended to gather information from park users about their ideas and vision for the future design of the park.

Tell Us About Yourself

1. What brings you downtown? (please check all that apply)

Work in the area

Live in the area

Visiting people

Accessing services

Shopping

Attending an event

Other

2. What brings you to the park? (please check all that apply)

It's a meeting place with friends

For shade

It's close to work

I live nearby

It's close to food

It's close to downtown services

For a place to sit, rest, and relax

To people watch

For programmed activities

The public art

Other

3. How often do you come to the park in warm weather seasons (summer, spring, fall)?

Every day

Once a week

Once a month

Few times a year

Never

4. How often do you come to the park in cold weather seasons (winter)?

Every day

Once a week

Once a month

Few times a year

Never

5. What time do you usually come to the park? (please check all that apply)

Morning

Lunchtime

Afternoon

Evening

Night

6. How old are you?

0-14

15-24

25-39

40-59

60-79

80+

7. What's your favourite thing about the park?

8. What would make this park more welcoming for you and others you know?

9. What would you like to see happening here? (please select your top 4)

Events, concerts, and performances

Gardening

Workshops

Cultural events / Ceremonies

Access to services

Places for people to rest / relax

Places for people to work

Other (please list all your ideas)

10. How could this park be improved?

11. Some features are being considered for the redesign of the park - can you rank them in order from most important to least important?

water fountain / water feature

drinking fountain

more wooden benches / seating

stage area

more shade

more vegetation / plants

12. Public parks are meant to be spaces that welcome all people and give everyone a safe place to rest, be outside, and interact with others. How can this park promote wellness and safety?

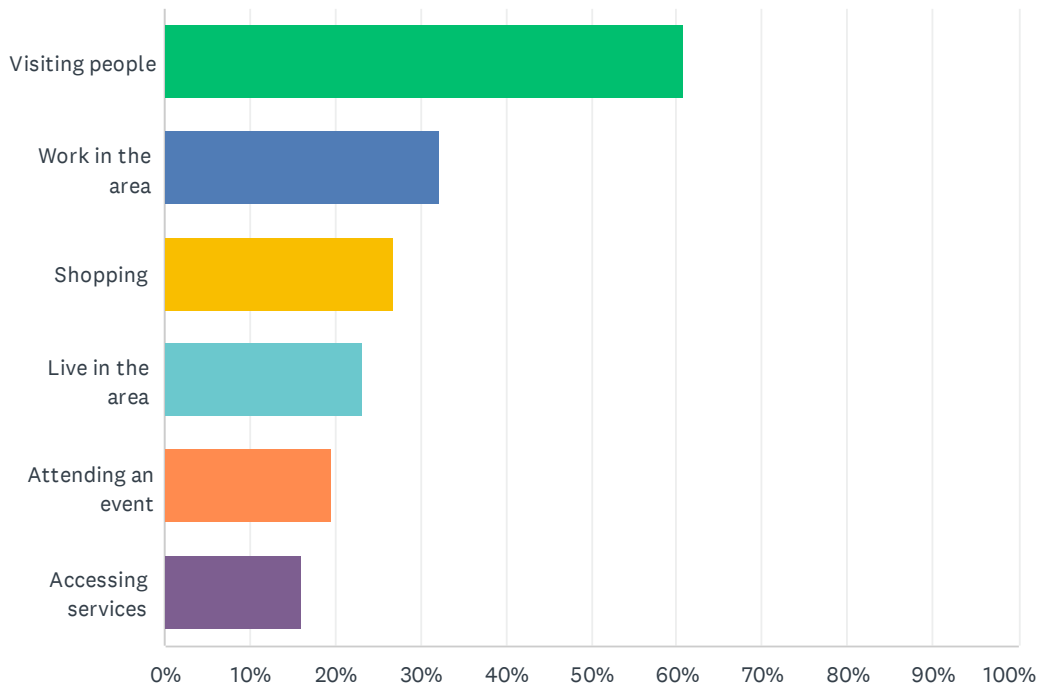
13. Is there someone else we should be talking to about the future design of the park?

14. What else would you like us to know about this park and/or your thoughts and vision for its future redevelopment?

APPENDIX B: IN-PERSON SURVEY DATA

Q1 What brings you downtown? (please check all that apply)

Answered: 56 Skipped: 12



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Visiting people	60.71% 34
Work in the area	32.14% 18
Shopping	26.79% 15
Live in the area	23.21% 13
Attending an event	19.64% 11
Accessing services	16.07% 9
Total Respondents: 56	

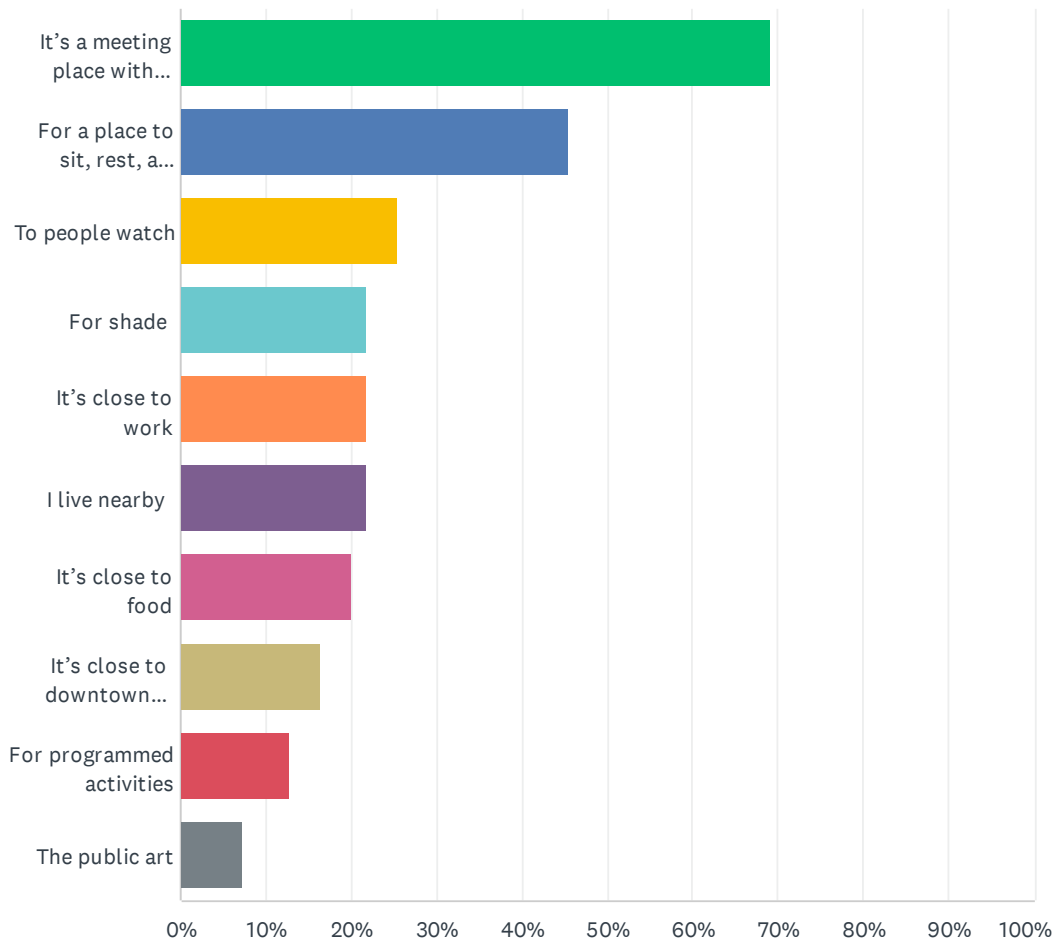
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Attending an event - catch one if available	9/27/2022 11:05 AM
2	Drink	9/27/2022 10:55 AM
3	Medical Appointments	9/26/2022 11:25 AM
4	Medical Appointments	9/26/2022 11:12 AM
5	drug dealing in order to feed my family addiction	9/23/2022 2:51 PM
6	Studying at the U of W	9/23/2022 2:44 PM
7	sit around	9/23/2022 10:35 AM
8	medical	9/23/2022 9:36 AM

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9	sell teddy bears at park	9/23/2022 9:28 AM
10	making money	9/23/2022 8:41 AM
11	2 people	9/23/2022 8:27 AM
12	Looking for a place to live in the area/downtown.	9/22/2022 4:38 PM
13	A lot of friends here to meet	9/15/2022 3:01 PM

Q2 What brings you to the park? (please check all that apply)

Answered: 55 Skipped: 13



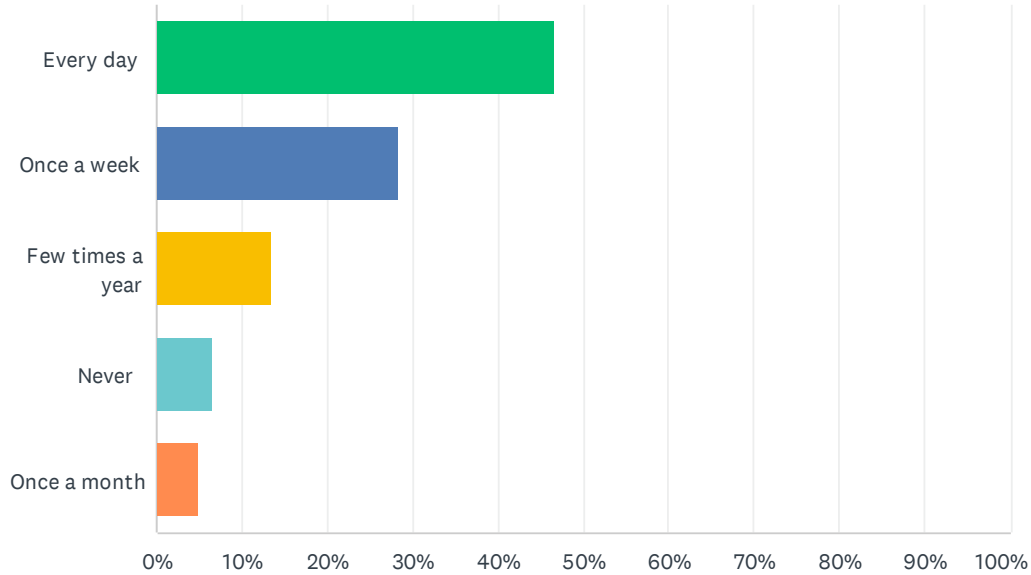
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
It's a meeting place with friends	69.09%	38
For a place to sit, rest, and relax	45.45%	25
To people watch	25.45%	14
For shade	21.82%	12
It's close to work	21.82%	12
I live nearby	21.82%	12
It's close to food	20.00%	11
It's close to downtown services	16.36%	9
For programmed activities	12.73%	7
The public art	7.27%	4
Total Respondents: 55		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	not place to sit down	9/27/2022 11:05 AM
2	have comfortable benches	9/27/2022 10:58 AM
3	Friend works close by	9/26/2022 11:57 AM
4	It used to be nice to sit and eat lunch here.	9/26/2022 11:51 AM
5	to warm up - winter especially	9/26/2022 11:25 AM
6	To warm up - winter especially	9/26/2022 11:12 AM
7	public art?	9/23/2022 4:00 PM
8	to see people from home/the reserve	9/23/2022 3:47 PM
9	for Coffee	9/23/2022 3:38 PM
10	I don't, can be dangerous at times	9/23/2022 3:29 PM
11	There is no public art, other: buy things	9/23/2022 2:51 PM
12	Lunch, visit family	9/23/2022 2:44 PM
13	Home	9/23/2022 2:32 PM
14	Support the community	9/23/2022 11:36 AM
15	To support our vulnerable people	9/23/2022 11:27 AM
16	meeting place with family	9/23/2022 11:20 AM
17	brought girlfriend to bring to bus to work.	9/23/2022 10:35 AM
18	Family here / come visit to see them rather than come to their home.	9/23/2022 9:55 AM
19	I like the hot dog guy.	9/23/2022 9:28 AM
20	mediation	9/23/2022 9:23 AM
21	to meet people	9/23/2022 8:41 AM
22	work at APTN	9/23/2022 8:27 AM
23	its a meeting place with friends and family	9/23/2022 8:23 AM

Q3 How often do you come to the park in warm weather seasons (summer, spring, fall)?

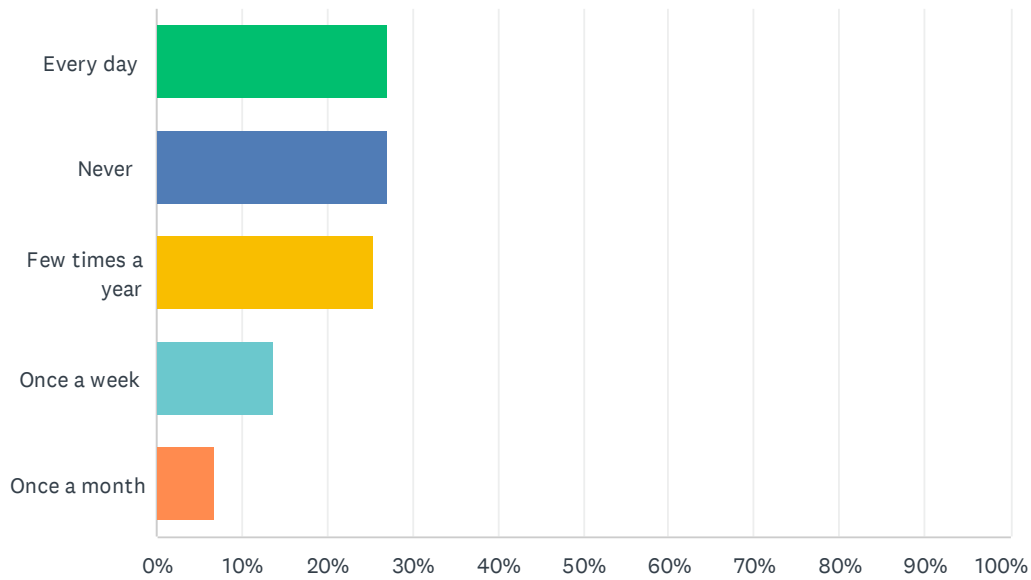
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Every day	46.67%	28
Once a week	28.33%	17
Few times a year	13.33%	8
Never	6.67%	4
Once a month	5.00%	3
TOTAL		60

Q4 How often do you come to the park in cold weather seasons (winter)?

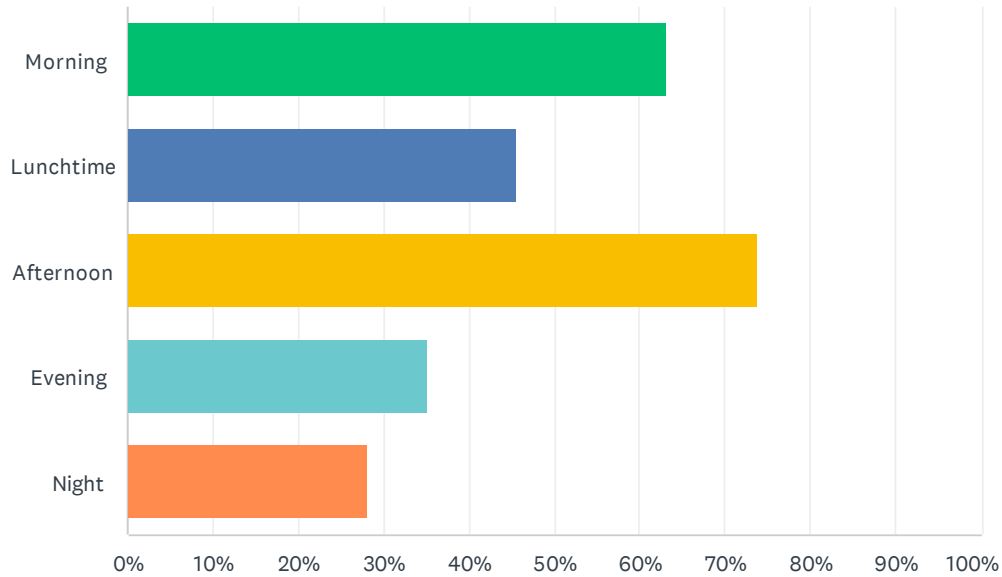
Answered: 59 Skipped: 9



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Every day	27.12%	16
Never	27.12%	16
Few times a year	25.42%	15
Once a week	13.56%	8
Once a month	6.78%	4
TOTAL		59

Q5 What time do you usually come to the park? (please check all that apply)

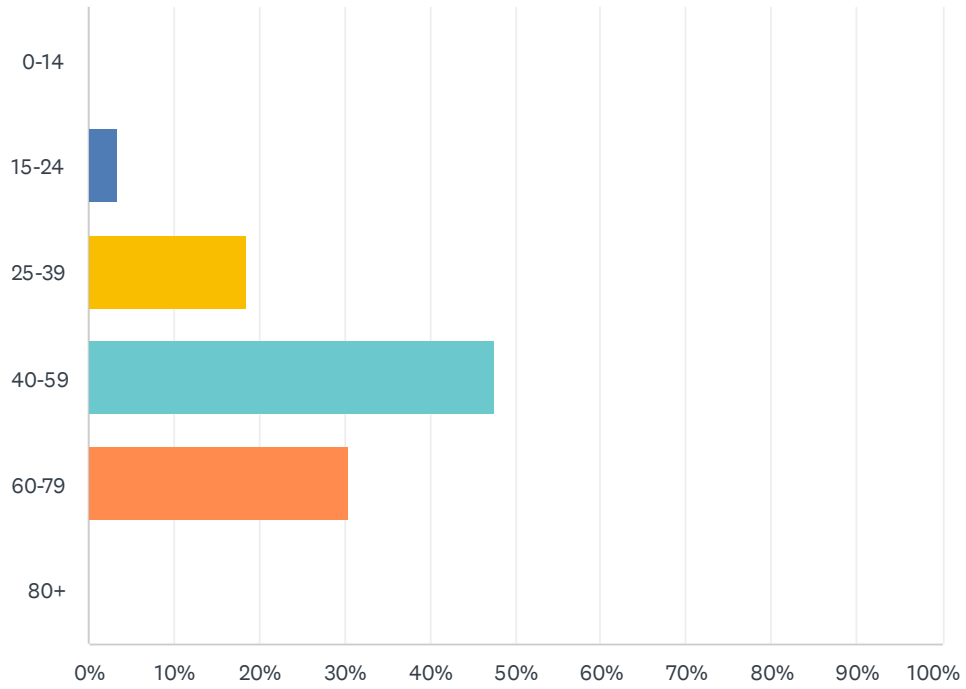
Answered: 57 Skipped: 11



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Morning	63.16% 36
Lunchtime	45.61% 26
Afternoon	73.68% 42
Evening	35.09% 20
Night	28.07% 16
Total Respondents: 57	

Q6 How old are you?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 9



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
0-14	0.00%	0
15-24	3.39%	2
25-39	18.64%	11
40-59	47.46%	28
60-79	30.51%	18
80+	0.00%	0
TOTAL		59

Q7 What's your favourite thing about the park?

Answered: 54 Skipped: 14

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	People are genuine a good hotdog	9/27/2022 11:08 AM
2	Shade in Summer Quiet @ night Have a coffee	9/27/2022 11:02 AM
3	meeting friends from the north	9/27/2022 10:57 AM
4	meeting with friends & family	9/26/2022 12:04 PM
5	I hardly go to a park just meeting people to talk to of my bad depression	9/26/2022 12:01 PM
6	People	9/26/2022 11:59 AM
7	The fountain - like the water, it's calming	9/26/2022 11:57 AM
8	People	9/26/2022 11:50 AM
9	Trees Walk ways	9/26/2022 11:49 AM
10	People	9/26/2022 11:46 AM
11	Meeting Indigenous people who come to the city + meet relatives. The amount of seating that available the less harassment by patrol	9/26/2022 11:44 AM
12	central location	9/23/2022 4:04 PM
13	Easy to find drugs	9/23/2022 4:01 PM
14	meeting friends, having coffee	9/23/2022 3:56 PM
15	the young people who are here, they listen and talk to me	9/23/2022 3:52 PM
16	meeting people I have seen in a long time	9/23/2022 3:43 PM
17	That it is by all kinds of people from different walks of life I also love the shade from trees	9/23/2022 3:37 PM
18	People (fun laughing)	9/23/2022 3:34 PM
19	the fountain	9/23/2022 3:32 PM
20	it's location	9/23/2022 3:28 PM
21	The fountain	9/23/2022 3:26 PM
22	Brings everyone together. Very well known place for everyone to meet and a nice place to hangout during lunch break	9/23/2022 3:23 PM
23	The open concept to the building behind - creating a nestled environment the openness to the sun rays, filling the park	9/23/2022 3:17 PM
24	The people, accessible location	9/23/2022 3:09 PM
25	the diversity the connections the weather	9/23/2022 3:01 PM
26	meeting people, not only native focal point for meeting	9/23/2022 2:56 PM
27	The design, and that there are lots of people Lots of people from the same culture	9/23/2022 2:48 PM
28	The people	9/23/2022 2:43 PM
29	I come as a habit - come to people watch and learn from others I see a lot of things	9/23/2022 12:02 PM
30	seeing friends	9/23/2022 11:59 AM
31	It used to be a lovely park. TREES! green space.	9/23/2022 11:56 AM

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32	There is a sense of Community. People are (usually) friendly	9/23/2022 11:53 AM
33	The community and people. Everybody is very welcoming and has a great story to tell. The resilience of the people here is incredible.	9/23/2022 11:42 AM
34	Seeing people connect with each other. A meeting place for family and friends.	9/23/2022 11:35 AM
35	meeting people	9/23/2022 11:25 AM
36	seeing new people, family and friends.	9/23/2022 11:23 AM
37	come here to visit / for community	9/23/2022 11:18 AM
38	nice place Lots of Friends Good meeting place	9/23/2022 11:16 AM
39	the friendly people with a great sense of community. easily accessible to shopping stores, banks, etc. the general greenspace that's in the heart of downtown.	9/23/2022 11:12 AM
40	meeting people.	9/23/2022 10:58 AM
41	Like way is. needs to be cleaned - hard to keep up - litter/food on ground (hard when people starving)	9/23/2022 10:34 AM
42	Never knew it was called Air Canada Park Meeting people, especially Indigenous people. A lot come from out of Reserve + set to visit and to speak Cree to others.	9/23/2022 9:41 AM
43	The people. good mix of people. everyone from every walk of life.	9/23/2022 9:34 AM
44	Fountain, generosity from other people	9/23/2022 9:25 AM
45	People - Friendly (old Friends)	9/23/2022 9:22 AM
46	birds	9/23/2022 9:11 AM
47	I used to enjoy the fountain however it has not been in use for several years.	9/23/2022 9:06 AM
48	Brotherhood/Family. Like atmosphere.	9/23/2022 8:57 AM
49	Trees, people	9/23/2022 8:26 AM
50	meeting People you know, meeting new people.	9/22/2022 4:52 PM
51	peeps	9/22/2022 4:44 PM
52	We know the people here. It's a place to hang out. Or we run into people we haven't seen in a long time. Or if we are down + out the community can help.	9/22/2022 4:33 PM
53	The people.	9/22/2022 4:07 PM
54	The people. You get to meet a lot of people and get to know different types of people.	9/15/2022 3:02 PM

Q8 What would make this park more welcoming for you and others you know?

Answered: 55 Skipped: 13

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Design Put padding on the benches(concrete). Flowers / even bloom bush Porta potty	9/27/2022 11:08 AM
2	Design Programming More plants More colour (flowers, different colour bushes) Music(bands), even recorded music. Calming music	9/27/2022 11:02 AM
3	Cleanliness To pick up their garbage	9/27/2022 10:57 AM
4	Safety Keeping Drugs out i.e. Meth, coke, heroin	9/26/2022 12:04 PM
5	Programming to play music and entertainment	9/26/2022 12:01 PM
6	Social Services more help	9/26/2022 11:59 AM
7	Cleanliness People pick their litter	9/26/2022 11:50 AM
8	Cleanliness garbage detail	9/26/2022 11:49 AM
9	Design alright the way it is stores and coffee are close	9/26/2022 11:46 AM
10	Community Design Programming Social Services seating area change the name of Park indigenous plants, people have respect for that different indigenous languages displayed - 7 dialects in Manitoba small market to sell art (seasonal) i.e. shitake shaded area + place to cool down in summer hire-honourariums for elders to be in residence @ park	9/26/2022 11:44 AM
11	Safety more security too many people drinking and doing drugs	9/23/2022 4:04 PM
12	That's a good question !	9/23/2022 4:01 PM
13	Safety less drinking less fighting safer	9/23/2022 3:56 PM
14	Community a place that attracts young people to the area, to connect the space is intergenerational	9/23/2022 3:52 PM
15	Design a beautiful fountain with a sculpture(s)	9/23/2022 3:46 PM
16	Community the people look like a welcome site	9/23/2022 3:43 PM
17	Community people	9/23/2022 3:34 PM
18	Safety if it was safe	9/23/2022 3:32 PM
19	Design more lights	9/23/2022 3:28 PM
20	Design Better lights, lawn, flowers	9/23/2022 3:26 PM
21	Design Safety Safer. Better lighting in the evening/night. Better seating, washrooms and water fountains	9/23/2022 3:23 PM
22	Design Safety Some safety (panic) buttons with lights + sounds (Maybe) but environmentally may not be suitable. Some wooden seated area - but needs to be non-destructive	9/23/2022 3:17 PM
23	Cleanliness Programming if the park is more clean & more events happen here	9/23/2022 3:09 PM
24	Design Safety a public washroom that her security people and is safe for everyone.	9/23/2022 3:03 PM
25	Programming Activities Art and crafts Rumbles(JK) Food and Water	9/23/2022 3:01 PM
26	Cleanliness Community Design Programming fix it up open to other cultures keep fountain clean & working special events / festivals - family & healing	9/23/2022 2:56 PM

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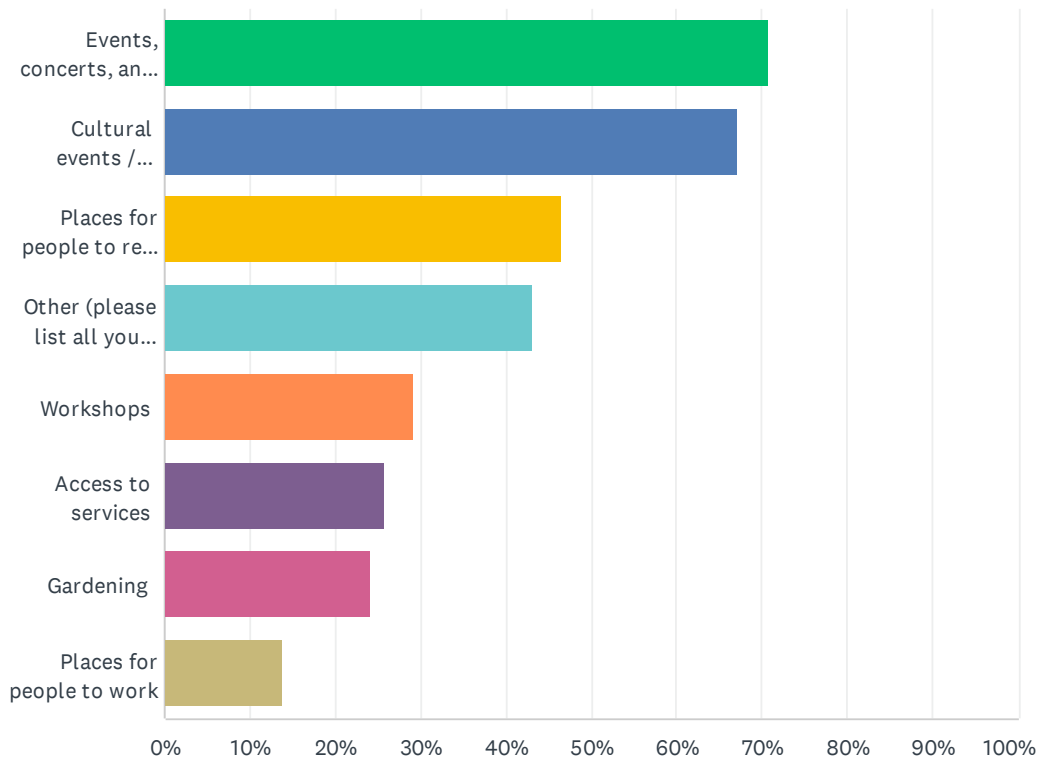
27	Design washroom water fountain (for drinking) Indigenous art	9/23/2022 2:48 PM
28	Safety less ### (smells/smurfs?)	9/23/2022 2:43 PM
29	Design more plants/flowers	9/23/2022 11:59 AM
30	Cleanliness Community Design It could be cleaned regularly. Repairs and esthetics can be kept up (the fountain?) Community resources could visit regularly to assist with the people that hang out in the park to access help they need.	9/23/2022 11:56 AM
31	Design More greenspace, more seating, water(drinking) fountains	9/23/2022 11:53 AM
32	Community Design Programming Public washrooms Turn on fountain have drumming, cultural events to bring the downtown community together.	9/23/2022 11:42 AM
33	Design Improve the physical space, greenery, turning on the fountain in summer months. Warming space/shelter in the winter. Improve the physical space and people will be more respectful of it.	9/23/2022 11:35 AM
34	Design Programming Games such as card game tables	9/23/2022 11:25 AM
35	Design Programming screen to watch TV radio/music	9/23/2022 11:23 AM
36	Cleanliness Design clean up garbage fix up benches	9/23/2022 11:18 AM
37	Design Have the fountain Going	9/23/2022 11:16 AM
38	Cleanliness Design Safety I think having the park clean and safe of harmful debris would make it more welcoming. the fence at Air Canada appears unwelcoming, as it creates a border between people. if people come around at night or drive by at night the park isn't lit up or anything. perhaps lights.	9/23/2022 11:12 AM
39	Design Social Services Remove the Air Canada Fence. need to open it up. Good to bring social services or non profits are a good influence here.	9/23/2022 10:56 AM
40	Design public washroom	9/23/2022 10:38 AM
41	Safety less drugs, less meth heads. Police doesn't do much because budget - they don't know what's going on. problem	9/23/2022 10:34 AM
42	Cleanliness Design Safety Washrooms - there are people going to the washroom in the bushes in back corner (between APTN + Air Canada) are dangerous.	9/23/2022 9:53 AM
43	Design Safety Social Services Monitoring, keeping peace. Hiring indigenous elders, people to keep the peace. All 7 indigenous languages in MB	9/23/2022 9:41 AM
44	Design Washroom - more accessible.	9/23/2022 9:34 AM
45	Cleanliness cleaner	9/23/2022 9:25 AM
46	Perception Safety Get rid of the bad people :), city wide problem, cops too busy to do anything	9/23/2022 9:22 AM
47	Design Water fountain	9/23/2022 9:11 AM
48	Design Safety Green Grass, water fountain and security.	9/23/2022 9:06 AM
49	Cleanliness Community Design Programming Social Services Washroom, needle exchange, garbage cans, seats	9/23/2022 8:57 AM
50	Cleanliness Community Design Safety Social Services needs a public washroom - seeing too many genitalia when people are going to the washroom in the bush beside APTN. One person was assaulted in the park on the way to work - both felt unsafe in the area. Fountain should go. Needs a sharps container, more green space - want to be able to sit on grass and know. want the park to be a community gathering space but also safe for everyone. remove benches along portage, move them to the center (try to stop people walking by on by Portage from being harassed or cat-called)	9/23/2022 8:32 AM
51	Cleanliness Design Safety Social Services Washrooms, water, basic necessities, security cameras, lighting, more garbage cans, more security patrols (not police), needle drops	9/23/2022 8:26 AM
52	Design Programming small music festivals, warm shelter in Winter.	9/22/2022 4:52 PM

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53	Programming	Social Services	More info + resources for folks, unfamiliar with Winnipeg	9/22/2022 4:44 PM
54	Programming		Music festivals.	9/22/2022 4:33 PM
55	Programming		Concerts or live music. Something for folks to gather around and watch.	9/15/2022 3:02 PM

Q9 What would you like to see happening here? (please select your top 4)

Answered: 58 Skipped: 10



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Events, concerts, and performances	70.69% 41
Cultural events / Ceremonies	67.24% 39
Places for people to rest / relax	46.55% 27
Other (please list all your ideas!)	43.10% 25
Workshops	29.31% 17
Access to services	25.86% 15
Gardening	24.14% 14
Places for people to work	13.79% 8
Total Respondents: 58	

#	OTHER (PLEASE LIST ALL YOUR IDEAS!)	DATE
1	Bar-b-que gatherings	9/27/2022 11:02 AM
2	like the services at the library (resources)	9/26/2022 11:57 AM
3	outlets for minimum use (a max-min)	9/26/2022 11:44 AM
4	native bands, sweat lodge	9/23/2022 4:04 PM

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5	"workshops"	9/23/2022 4:01 PM
6	teaching the youth, how to make bannock. Events, concerts, and performances - singing	9/23/2022 3:52 PM
7	flowers	9/23/2022 3:46 PM
8	Housing and food	9/23/2022 3:01 PM
9	educational / cross cultural opportunities intergenerational impact and cause and effect's	9/23/2022 2:56 PM
10	Support workers/pamphlets for newcomers	9/23/2022 11:59 AM
11	Washrooms, food, water, basic needs	9/23/2022 11:42 AM
12	weekly non profit booths	9/23/2022 11:35 AM
13	Food	9/23/2022 11:23 AM
14	guidance for low income People on where, how to access general services such as ID's, food, health services.	9/23/2022 11:12 AM
15	Social Services - for people who don't have ID/help to access medical services. Food/Community meal.	9/23/2022 10:56 AM
16	Performances, ceremonies, gardening	9/23/2022 10:38 AM
17	Concerts, ceremonies, comfortable places. Stuff that can't be destroyed. Trees, grass (squirrels so cute)	9/23/2022 10:34 AM
18	Events would draw people here.	9/23/2022 9:53 AM
19	Drinking water and toilets. Events, concerts and performances - noon hour	9/23/2022 9:46 AM
20	people to have meals	9/23/2022 9:11 AM
21	Educational / Psychological / Social services	9/23/2022 8:57 AM
22	awareness about effects of alcohol and drug use	9/23/2022 8:26 AM
23	a little bit of everything.	9/22/2022 4:52 PM
24	Public washrooms, a place to get water.	9/22/2022 4:33 PM
25	This place has been my home since I was 16	9/22/2022 4:07 PM

Q10 How could this park be improved?

Answered: 58 Skipped: 10

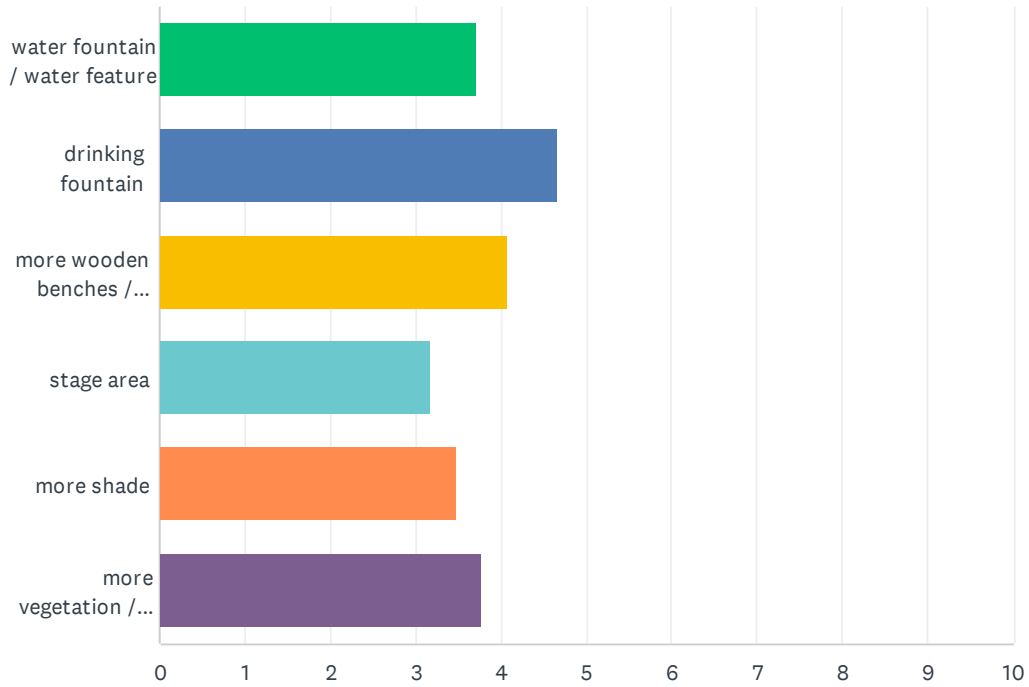
#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Cleanliness Put out cans to collect cig butts. More trash cans Look cleaner	9/27/2022 11:08 AM
2	Cleanliness Safety Keep it clean, have decent people hang around. Keep drugs (dealers! away) More patrols	9/27/2022 11:02 AM
3	Cleanliness Safety make it cleaner stop drug Dealer	9/27/2022 10:57 AM
4	Perception clean out drunks	9/26/2022 12:04 PM
5	Cleanliness This park needs to stay clean	9/26/2022 12:01 PM
6	Social Services More help &	9/26/2022 11:59 AM
7	Community Design Programming Repair benches More events More welcoming for different types of people something to bring people together	9/26/2022 11:57 AM
8	Cleanliness Keep clean	9/26/2022 11:50 AM
9	Cleanliness clean up water fountain	9/26/2022 11:49 AM
10	Design Programming remove water fountain, not pleasant for inner city, maybe a spray to cool off Organize, unique seating area, innovative eco-friendly, MB Made by local artists (Spring R##ss)	9/26/2022 11:44 AM
11	Design greenery, more grass place for kids to play more colour - paint	9/23/2022 4:04 PM
12	That's a good question !	9/23/2022 4:01 PM
13	Design no water in front flowers more colour mural	9/23/2022 3:56 PM
14	Design Programming More activities for youngsters, beadwork and dream catchers, build a drum Gathering space Washroom	9/23/2022 3:52 PM
15	Design a sheltered area from rain, wind, sun create a majestic atmosphere like roman pillars	9/23/2022 3:46 PM
16	happy	9/23/2022 3:43 PM
17	Cleanliness the park should be cleaned every day - garbage sanitize	9/23/2022 3:40 PM
18	Programming more events + programs	9/23/2022 3:37 PM
19	?	9/23/2022 3:34 PM
20	Design Safety Safety concerns Washrooms nearby water fountain for water	9/23/2022 3:32 PM
21	Safety a place where everyone feels safe	9/23/2022 3:28 PM
22	Cleanliness Design Washrooms, water fountains for hot summer days, more garbage cans, more maintenance done to keep it clean and looking nice	9/23/2022 3:23 PM
23	Design more colour used into the concrete	9/23/2022 3:17 PM
24	Cleanliness Community Design by putting more lights in. The park gets very dark after the sun sets. cleaning the park more frequently putting welcoming signs	9/23/2022 3:09 PM
25	Design Take our fountain and replace with public washroom(like Vancouver) more greenery - trees, shrubs, grass more wooden benches - less concrete	9/23/2022 3:03 PM
26	Design Safety Social Services Security, food Interpreters solid seats	9/23/2022 3:01 PM
27	Cleanliness Design Community garden paint the columns/concrete in the 4 colours, involve park users clean it up	9/23/2022 2:56 PM

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28	Safety No Drugs Sign	9/23/2022 2:48 PM
29	Cleanliness Safety less needles	9/23/2022 2:43 PM
30	Programming Sometimes people come and perform - gospel singers, contry	9/23/2022 12:02 PM
31	Design Washrooms	9/23/2022 11:59 AM
32	Design the fountain! smaller? replaced?	9/23/2022 11:56 AM
33	Design add water fountains (drinking fountains) add more benches/Picnic tables ? add more tree's/greenspaces	9/23/2022 11:53 AM
34	Design Social Services Set up more benches, more greenery. Turn on the fountain. Set up a needle drop box for safe disposal. More comfortable places to sit.	9/23/2022 11:42 AM
35	Design greenspace, flowers, plants Shelter space from sun & cold Fountain improvement	9/23/2022 11:35 AM
36	Programming activities	9/23/2022 11:25 AM
37	Design Stage, fixing benches, more shade, more/new seats.	9/23/2022 11:23 AM
38	Safety more security / safety	9/23/2022 11:18 AM
39	Safety better security	9/23/2022 11:16 AM
40	Cleanliness Community Design Programming Social Services I think the park can be improved with general maintenance, a bit of a face lift to brighten it up and make it more lively that people can sit and enjoy community. Basic health services such as water and washrooms & essential services for the low income/homeless people.	9/23/2022 11:12 AM
41	Design Wheelchair accessible.	9/23/2022 10:58 AM
42	Cleanliness Design Public washrooms - we need it. People need a place to wash up and use the washrooms. This would be good for businesses as well.	9/23/2022 10:56 AM
43	Cleanliness Less garbage!	9/23/2022 10:38 AM
44	Design More benches, more comfortable than cement.	9/23/2022 10:34 AM
45	there are	9/23/2022 9:53 AM
46	Design a little more live colour, to dull looking	9/23/2022 9:41 AM
47	Design A space for kids. there is a lot of concrete and not that friendly materials.	9/23/2022 9:34 AM
48	Design cleaner, more benches, picnic table, flowers	9/23/2022 9:25 AM
49	Design Perception more seating - for the GOOD people	9/23/2022 9:22 AM
50	Cleanliness Keeping it clean - don't let it get out of hand.	9/23/2022 9:11 AM
51	Cleanliness Design Programming Safety security, clean the grounds, fountain on. Music piped through from APTN maybe.	9/23/2022 9:06 AM
52	Design Don't like the chairs - eyesore, poor representation of Residential schools	9/23/2022 8:57 AM
53	Design Perception Safety fix the fountain, don't want to be bothered or harrassed	9/23/2022 8:26 AM
54	Cleanliness Design Social Services clean it up, have a small need a place to charge our devices, public WIFI for people who are trying to access or look for housing.	9/22/2022 4:52 PM
55	Design Programming Social Services maps / booths, washrooms	9/22/2022 4:44 PM
56	Cleanliness Design clean it up. Drinking water.	9/22/2022 4:33 PM
57	Design Ideally the park should stay here, as is. It's familiar.	9/22/2022 4:07 PM
58	Cleanliness Design Want to see more flowers People need a place to go to the washroom	9/15/2022 3:02 PM

Q11 Some features are being considered for the redesign of the park – can you rank them in order from most important to least important?

Answered: 46 Skipped: 22



	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOTAL	SCORE
water fountain / water feature	23.53% 8	23.53% 8	5.88% 2	11.76% 4	17.65% 6	17.65% 6	34	3.71
drinking fountain	38.89% 14	19.44% 7	22.22% 8	11.11% 4	5.56% 2	2.78% 1	36	4.67
more wooden benches / seating	30.00% 9	13.33% 4	23.33% 7	13.33% 4	6.67% 2	13.33% 4	30	4.07
stage area	12.12% 4	9.09% 3	18.18% 6	21.21% 7	24.24% 8	15.15% 5	33	3.18
more shade	13.89% 5	19.44% 7	19.44% 7	13.89% 5	13.89% 5	19.44% 7	36	3.47
more vegetation / plants	18.75% 6	21.88% 7	12.50% 4	21.88% 7	15.63% 5	9.38% 3	32	3.78

Q12 Public parks are meant to be spaces that welcome all people and give everyone a safe place to rest, be outside, and interact with others. How can this park promote wellness and safety?

Answered: 46 Skipped: 22

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Community Inclusion make them feel welcome	9/27/2022 11:08 AM
2	Design maybe fence it in	9/27/2022 11:02 AM
3	Design Safety More security, a fence	9/27/2022 10:57 AM
4	Community Remove alcohol	9/26/2022 12:04 PM
5	Social Services Self harm reduction - provide services for that supply	9/26/2022 11:57 AM
6	Safety more security	9/26/2022 11:52 AM
7	Design Some weather shelters	9/26/2022 11:49 AM
8	Community a lot of friendly people here	9/26/2022 11:46 AM
9	Community Social Services Hire elders @ residence @ park & people to assist in assistance matters without being called cope/prosecuted	9/26/2022 11:44 AM
10	Design Safety more friendly police interactions especially at night. More lighting	9/23/2022 4:07 PM
11	Design maze	9/23/2022 4:01 PM
12	Community Design Safety Social Services more lighting to stop the assaults drinking fountain for the hot days Washrooms to stop people from going wherever container for needles an Elder/meeting place. Someone to look up to.	9/23/2022 3:58 PM
13	Safety Cadets should come around more often	9/23/2022 3:56 PM
14	Cleanliness Safety We need to clean up the park from needles makes it unsafe for kids. we need more patrols the police makes me feel less secure more cameras here to feel safe	9/23/2022 3:52 PM
15	Community Safety have security or volunteers keeping an eye on the area.	9/23/2022 3:46 PM
16	Perception Safety Park needs to be more safe. Cops around helps If you mind your own business people don't bother you.	9/23/2022 3:40 PM
17	Design Programming Safety safety markets cultural events more lighting	9/23/2022 3:32 PM
18	Design Programming Safety Something for kids to play on. Food vendors for different seasons. Police office close by.	9/23/2022 3:26 PM
19	Design Safety more community patrol by cadets + WPS. Lighting to make people feel safer in the evenings.	9/23/2022 3:23 PM
20	Design Programming Safety more lighting more attractions to bring people - onto the site, so a feeling of safety is created	9/23/2022 3:17 PM
21	Community Safety Social Services if sense of community is fostered more. if people know about services like DCSP which can be called rather than 911 in case of non-emergency	9/23/2022 3:09 PM
22	Programming Workshops Speakers ceremonies offerings	9/23/2022 3:01 PM
23	Programming be more inclusive to learn from each other tai chi classes haircuts self-defense classes	9/23/2022 2:56 PM
24	Social Services Nurse stationed resource centre for people with addictions - or other services like this.	9/23/2022 2:48 PM

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25	Community Leave people alone	9/23/2022 2:43 PM
26	Community Everyone knows each other. There is a community that all knows each other and takes care of one another.	9/23/2022 12:02 PM
27	Safety more often police patrolling the area. If possible, getting rid of drug dealers/drinking	9/23/2022 11:53 AM
28	Design Have electrical outlets to have electricity to charge phones. Air Canada Staff?	9/23/2022 11:42 AM
29	Design Programming workshops & accessibility to resources land acknowledgment washrooms accessibility to clean drinking water	9/23/2022 11:35 AM
30	Design security	9/23/2022 11:25 AM
31	Community more people	9/23/2022 11:23 AM
32	Safety security	9/23/2022 11:16 AM
33	Community Safety Social Services to promote wellness we can provide basic daily services to ensure people have access to it. Promoting safety we can interact with each other in a non violent way(services), for the most part there is a good sense of community so people usually have lots of safety.	9/23/2022 11:12 AM
34	Safety Social Services We have DCSP, Cadets + roaming patrol - we always have eyes coming here. That helps.	9/23/2022 10:56 AM
35	Community everybody knows everybody around. comes to relax right now.	9/23/2022 10:38 AM
36	Community Design it is already a gathering place. There should be seating - moveable	9/23/2022 9:53 AM
37	Community Safety Social Services security need to be able to communicate with indigenous people. Grass roots security. Community based patrol/security. Police or security doesn't go over well.	9/23/2022 9:46 AM
38	Community Social Services hire elders, indigenous people who speak the language, even youth. ex. Elders in residence, in park	9/23/2022 9:41 AM
39	Community Safety We miss the red coats in the park. (Downtown Biz). We need support to detain those who are violent. now they don't detain only talk. Security keeps kicking people out, where are we supposed to go? This is a public space. We don't have big houses to have lots of people over.	9/23/2022 9:34 AM
40	Safety more security - make it safer	9/23/2022 9:25 AM
41	Safety Scared of the people here - drugs/weapons/fighting	9/23/2022 9:22 AM
42	Safety Security. Supervise the park during the day or downtown working hours.	9/23/2022 9:06 AM
43	Design lightning / Sensor lighting take fountain out + make more space water (drinking)	9/23/2022 8:57 AM
44	Perception Safety security, less racial discrimination	9/23/2022 8:26 AM
45	Programming Safety Social Services some security, some workshops promoting health and wellness	9/22/2022 4:52 PM
46	Cleanliness Safety Needles make this place unsafe, we can't bring out kids to the area.	9/15/2022 3:02 PM

Q13 Is there someone else we should be talking to about the future design of the park?

Answered: 32 Skipped: 36

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	The Mayor - Put some public Funding into it.	9/27/2022 11:08 AM
2	The Mayor	9/27/2022 10:57 AM
3	no	9/26/2022 12:04 PM
4	just close as it's unsafe	9/26/2022 11:52 AM
5	Mayor Bowman Politicians - come check it out with the people	9/26/2022 11:46 AM
6	Student - RRC - Univerity Upcoming generations	9/26/2022 11:44 AM
7	I think you're do fine by getting the park participants view point	9/23/2022 4:07 PM
8	yes	9/23/2022 4:01 PM
9	n/a	9/23/2022 3:56 PM
10	Talk to other organizations. liquor mart.	9/23/2022 3:52 PM
11	Police	9/23/2022 3:32 PM
12	Downtown residents and people who work downtown who would utilize the park if there were more improvements.	9/23/2022 3:23 PM
13	Looks Good - the reach out so far	9/23/2022 3:17 PM
14	Recreation designers health advocates Elders	9/23/2022 3:01 PM
15	make a special organization for the park Veterans	9/23/2022 2:56 PM
16	?	9/23/2022 2:43 PM
17	APTN	9/23/2022 11:59 AM
18	Landscape architects	9/23/2022 11:53 AM
19	Help meet peoples basic needs (food, water, shelter, clothing). Have public bathrooms open 24/7 drop box to dispose of needles safely.	9/23/2022 11:42 AM
20	Most importantly is the people who call this park a piece of their community & home.	9/23/2022 11:35 AM
21	Mayor	9/23/2022 11:25 AM
22	Daniel Along Webber	9/23/2022 11:23 AM
23	If your wanting to incorporate services or things that may require services such as DCSP, etc. then try talking to non profit services such as OFE, Siloam, the WRENCH to promote services.	9/23/2022 11:12 AM
24	Southern Chiefs, AMC (maybe?)	9/23/2022 10:56 AM
25	Older park user / used park for years.	9/23/2022 10:34 AM
26	We are all Family	9/23/2022 9:46 AM
27	People who dwell in the area then the designer, security.	9/23/2022 9:41 AM
28	mayor, politicians	9/23/2022 9:25 AM
29	No specific physical changes - People need help!	9/23/2022 9:22 AM

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30	I don't know	9/23/2022 9:06 AM
31	Bear Clan	9/23/2022 8:26 AM
32	idk	9/22/2022 4:52 PM

Q14 What else would you like us to know about this park and/or your thoughts and vision for its future redevelopment?

Answered: 46 Skipped: 22

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	create a good place for people to hang out.	9/27/2022 11:08 AM
2	Keep it clean, someone to work at it.	9/27/2022 11:02 AM
3	Sand pit, Lock it up - to keep bad out.	9/27/2022 10:57 AM
4	Rest rooms	9/26/2022 12:04 PM
5	#11 - indicated, water fountain/water feature and stage area, no ranking	9/26/2022 12:01 PM
6	The possibilities are limitless, there's a lot of potential	9/26/2022 11:57 AM
7	Needle clean up Leave the trees #11 - indicated more wooden benches/seating and more vegetation/plants in no rank	9/26/2022 11:49 AM
8	Please don't build another building. Keep in green - eco-friendly Indigenous plants	9/26/2022 11:44 AM
9	I think this could be a nice little gem for the eye - a real eye catcher. In the downtown area!	9/23/2022 4:07 PM
10	safe injection sites	9/23/2022 4:01 PM
11	get rid of the fountain & grass! & benches - less concrete. more flowers	9/23/2022 3:56 PM
12	more green - medicinal plants	9/23/2022 3:52 PM
13	put a call out for artists / designers to submit their concepts	9/23/2022 3:46 PM
14	#11, drinking fountain and stage area selected - no rating	9/23/2022 3:43 PM
15	Water fountain/water feature - people jump into the water if they are high	9/23/2022 3:40 PM
16	#11. safety =2 great space to meet :)	9/23/2022 3:32 PM
17	Before COVID people who work downtown would take their breaks in the park. But because of the increase in drug sales, gang activity and violence you don't see any workers here anymore.	9/23/2022 3:23 PM
18	n/a	9/23/2022 3:17 PM
19	Excited to see what's coming	9/23/2022 3:09 PM
20	a newsletter or circulation of info. Symbols of Hope Pride and Culture	9/23/2022 3:01 PM
21	get together for a sit down	9/23/2022 2:56 PM
22	I hope people here aren't under the influence of drugs.	9/23/2022 2:48 PM
23	Stay the same! I'm used to this. This is my home. Like the way it is	9/23/2022 2:43 PM
24	Stage area - we could have performances here.	9/23/2022 12:02 PM
25	washrooms garbage cans drop boxes for needles	9/23/2022 11:59 AM
26	A place for EVERYONE - where everyone can feel safe.	9/23/2022 11:53 AM
27	Air Canada staff are not very welcoming to the folks who visit this park daily.	9/23/2022 11:42 AM
28	a place where people can connect free from violence or discrimination. A space given back to the people.	9/23/2022 11:35 AM
29	Programs	9/23/2022 11:25 AM
30	We call the park "the Circle" or "the Centre"	9/23/2022 11:23 AM

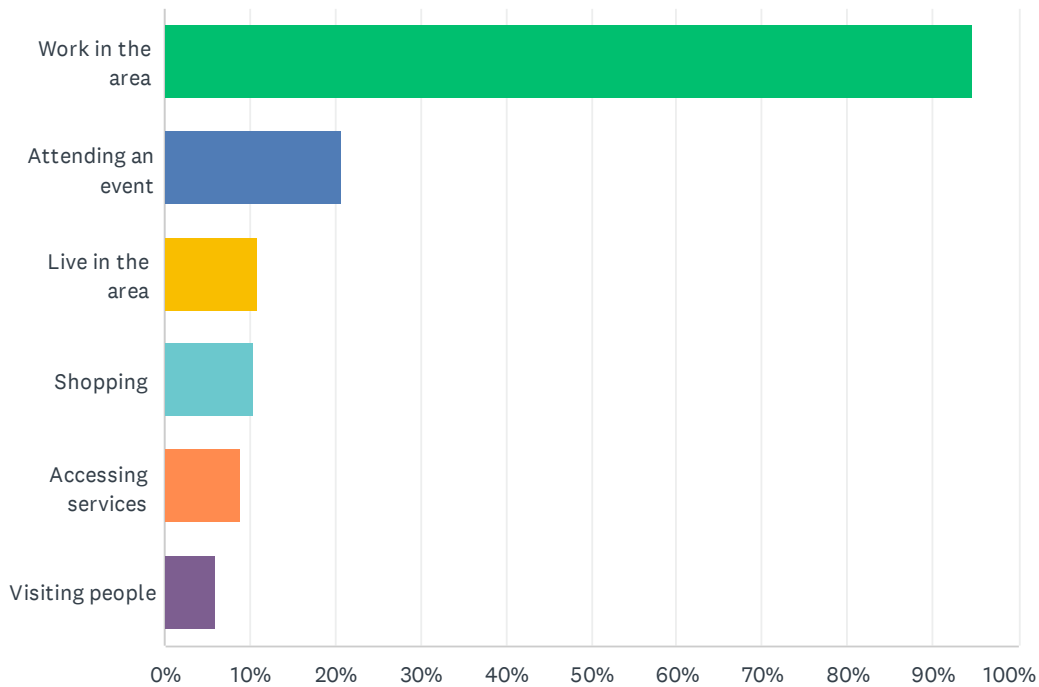
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31	Fence is discriminatory Fountain is unsafe washrooms everyone loves this area	9/23/2022 11:18 AM
32	I would like to know who it belongs to and why Air Canada has a fence. I would like to see more diversity in our community at the circle, Hindu, Hispanics, etc. mainly Canadian native Americans down here.	9/23/2022 11:12 AM
33	nice park as it is, but some bad things happen.	9/23/2022 10:58 AM
34	The park is known as the circle. Not interested in water fountain/feature more benches with shade Stage area - want to see an open/flexible space for gathering	9/23/2022 10:56 AM
35	improve at corner. like hot dog cart activity.	9/23/2022 10:38 AM
36	#4, no one comes in winter. Don't like area because meth head. #6, Couple - Wife answers most of the questions(count 2)	9/23/2022 10:34 AM
37	Washrooms APTN - buddy system walking passed, get harassed. Street people come here, because it is the safest place for them, referred to as Window Park or Bad City Park. Windows have been smashed at APTN. Bad folks prey on vulnerable. When the place cleaned up + pressure washed it displaces people.	9/23/2022 9:53 AM
38	Concerns about how certain police treat community members. Threatened by police. Red Shirts were better. No bathrooms available in area. Need mental health + health supports.	9/23/2022 9:46 AM
39	Greenspace, eco-friendly - medicine plants that are native to culture.	9/23/2022 9:41 AM
40	nothing	9/23/2022 9:25 AM
41	its getting to dangerous - guns, knives, mace.	9/23/2022 9:22 AM
42	Facilities + accessibility for elders	9/23/2022 9:11 AM
43	I think starting with social programs to aid the homeless would help. Create recreation for homeless.	9/23/2022 9:06 AM
44	Close the park. too many drugs and women drinking late at night.	9/23/2022 8:58 AM
45	a little of everything, maybe a teepee or sweat lodge sometimes	9/22/2022 4:52 PM
46	I don't want to lose all the good people around here. We shouldn't displace the community.	9/22/2022 4:07 PM

APPENDIX C: ONLINE SURVEY DATA

Q1 What brings you downtown? (please check all that apply)

Answered: 203 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Work in the area	94.58% 192
Attending an event	20.69% 42
Live in the area	10.84% 22
Shopping	10.34% 21
Accessing services	8.87% 18
Visiting people	5.91% 12
Total Respondents: 203	

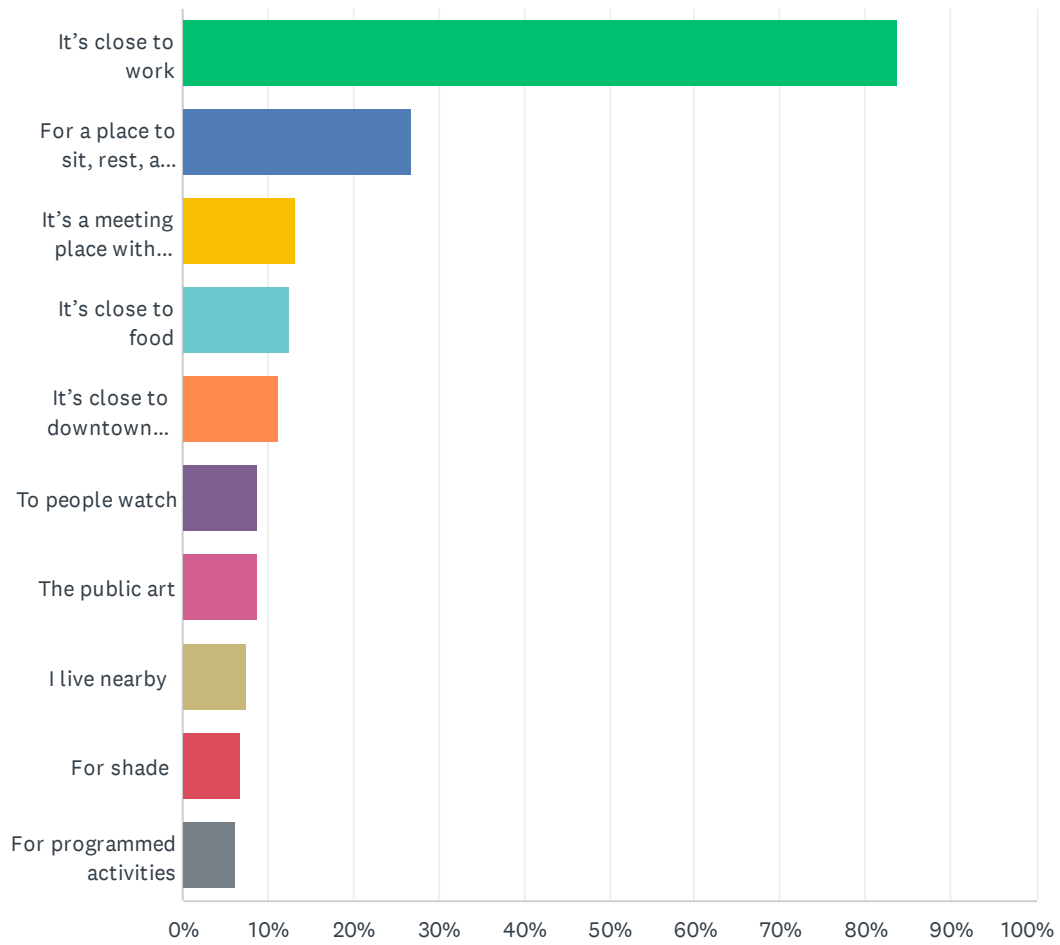
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	My doctor and dentist are downtown as well.	10/17/2022 1:27 PM
2	I used to love to shop downtown. I used to work downtown. I do not anymore out of fear. I was born and raised in Wpg.	10/13/2022 4:13 PM
3	Sid Coffee!!	10/11/2022 5:32 PM
4	I work downtown and go to the Portage place mall daily.	10/11/2022 3:14 PM
5	Attend numerous area restaurants.	10/11/2022 2:50 PM
6	Love to go for a hot dog lunch in Air Canada park	10/3/2022 2:08 PM
7	dining	9/16/2022 10:20 AM

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8	Na	9/15/2022 7:06 AM
9	I only come downtown for work-I won't come for anything else as it's too unsafe.	9/14/2022 2:58 PM
10	Work directly next to the park which is Terrifying to walk past every day We have a fence and guards to watch staff however once past it's very scary	9/14/2022 2:09 PM
11	Restaurants	9/14/2022 1:07 PM
12	Skateboarding	9/14/2022 12:48 PM
13	Commute by bike through downtown.	9/14/2022 11:06 AM
14	No matter where I am going or coming from, I have to catch/get off buses downtown every day. I always have to transfer buses downtown.	9/14/2022 10:49 AM
15	Air Canada building	9/14/2022 10:48 AM
16	Air Canada Bldg	9/14/2022 10:26 AM
17	Work adjacent to park. The park has gone from a lovely place to sit and take breaks and lunch to an absolute disgrace. Our company has had to build a safely fence and hire full time security guards. It is not safe. From the tents to people relieving themselves out in the open, #1&2! It is a haven for selling and consumption of drugs/alcohol:narcotics.	9/14/2022 10:23 AM

Q2 What brings you to the park? (please check all that apply)

Answered: 160 Skipped: 43



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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
It's close to work	83.75%	134
For a place to sit, rest, and relax	26.88%	43
It's a meeting place with friends	13.13%	21
It's close to food	12.50%	20
It's close to downtown services	11.25%	18
To people watch	8.75%	14
The public art	8.75%	14
I live nearby	7.50%	12
For shade	6.88%	11
For programmed activities	6.25%	10
Total Respondents: 160		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	APTN has employee entrance at Air Canada Park.	10/17/2022 1:27 PM
2	The westbound bus stop for routes 43 and 10.	10/13/2022 7:01 PM
3	I cannot go... out of fear. I would very much like to but... it is a safety issue as a blonde female	10/13/2022 4:13 PM
4	I don't visit the park because there are too many vagrants, drunks and homeless there most of the time.	10/13/2022 2:21 PM
5	In the last few years the park is not a safe place to go. So I would say not a choice for any of the above right now.	10/13/2022 2:10 PM
6	I quit going to the park because of the danger. I have been threatened more than once by the people that hang around there	10/12/2022 10:39 AM
7	Food carts, arts and craft sales.	10/11/2022 5:32 PM
8	Its next door to the mall	10/11/2022 3:14 PM
9	I don't go to the park anymore, not in the past 2 or 3 years, I used to daily for all the purposes listed above.	10/11/2022 2:33 PM
10	It is outside our office building and we use it to come and go. Mornings, breaks, and end of day.	10/11/2022 2:27 PM
11	I work directly beside it but I don't go in to due to safety concerns (example : last week I had a man call out to me saying "ah, what's the matter little white girl huh?")	10/11/2022 2:27 PM
12	I don't stay in the park. I walk by it.	10/8/2022 3:03 PM
13	I don't visit because is horrible	10/6/2022 7:05 PM
14	Like to sit with coworkers and have a hot dog in a lovely outdoor space	10/3/2022 2:08 PM
15	I don't because it's dirty, and it's not inviting at all.	10/2/2022 9:05 AM
16	I would love to come to see the beautiful public art in this space but it never feels safe to do so.	9/27/2022 2:12 PM
17	I don't go to the park	9/26/2022 1:06 PM
18	nothing attracts me there	9/25/2022 10:13 AM

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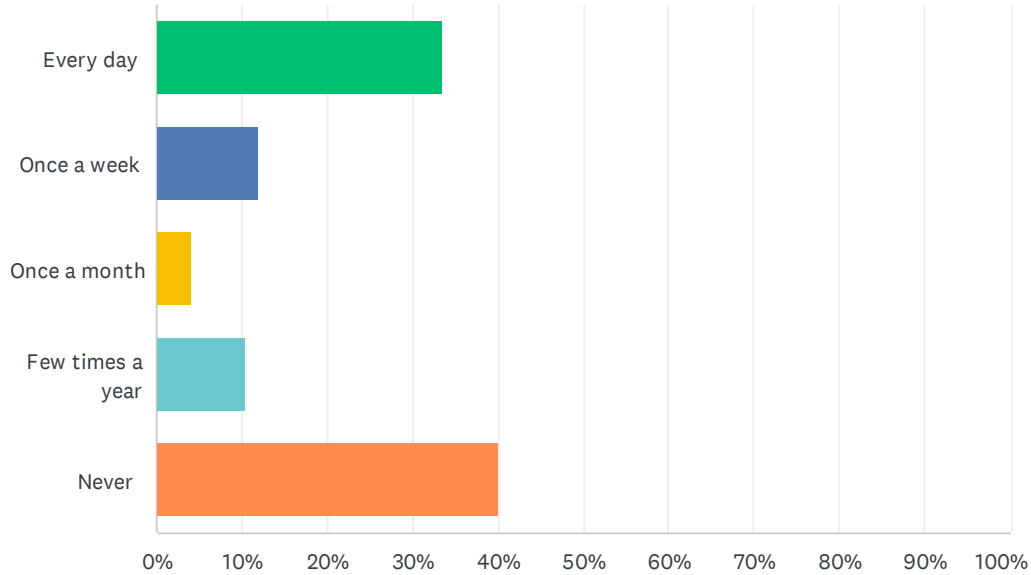
19	Don't use it , as not the safe !!!	9/22/2022 8:06 AM
20	I avoid the park area because not to sound cruel. I am afraid of the people that hang around there. I have been threatened before	9/22/2022 7:36 AM
21	Can't use the park due to crime, fights, drinking, drugs, drug dealers doing deals in broad daylight, people high, people going to the bathroom right in front of you, people harassing you, people passed out. You'd be nuts to enter that park.	9/19/2022 11:41 AM
22	I used to sit in the park during breaks at work, but have not felt comfortable doing that since returning to a hybrid in office schedule.	9/18/2022 1:10 AM
23	I wont set foot in that park. I'm terrified to even walk by!	9/15/2022 10:10 AM
24	I don't go near that park- it's dirty and dangerous but I work at the Air Canada building so I have no choice. The park is an eye soar to the downtown and is NOT a park- it's a crime scene waiting to happen.	9/15/2022 10:03 AM
25	I don't go to the park because its unsafe. There are needles empty bottles of booze.	9/15/2022 6:41 AM
26	Don't go to it.	9/15/2022 12:21 AM
27	I never go to the park-too unsafe/too dirty/too scary. I avoid the park as much as possible and if I happen to go by I am called names/approached. It's safer just to stay away and avoid it all together.	9/14/2022 2:58 PM
28	I haven't felt safe enough to go near the park for 3 years now. There are needles, empty alcohol bottles, fighting, yelling, camping, weapons, drug dealing. The bushes in front of our Air Canada building stink like sewage because they are used as the public toilet.	9/14/2022 2:41 PM
29	I don't go to the park. I feel that it is unsafe and dirty.	9/14/2022 2:18 PM
30	I have worked in the Air Canada building since 2020, at one time I use to eat my lunch at the park, watch bands.	9/14/2022 2:18 PM
31	Every day as I work next to it I can not go for lunch or leave the building as I don't feel safe at any time because of the individuals at the park	9/14/2022 2:09 PM
32	Work at Air Canada - walk through to get to work	9/14/2022 1:26 PM
33	I am no longer able to go in the park . I work at AC and it is far to dangerous and dirty to go in the park. AC has made us a cage park with security guards.	9/14/2022 1:22 PM
34	from the other side of the fence	9/14/2022 1:06 PM
35	Don't go into the park. I avoid it at all costs.	9/14/2022 12:57 PM
36	Nothing any more. It is not safe,	9/14/2022 12:54 PM
37	Air Canada Park has some well known ledges that (when they were new) were a good skate spot. Skateboarding activities an area in a way that other ways do not. It provides "life" and animation to an urban environment.	9/14/2022 12:48 PM
38	I work at the Air Canada building and used to be able to eat lunch out by the fountain and enjoy the weather and sunshine. Now it is awful. Tents, loud music, drugs, homelessness. It is not the same and makes it very unsafe to walk to and from my vehicle, let along in and out of the building.	9/14/2022 12:43 PM
39	I never go to that park. It's full of people drinking, on meth, homeless camps and it makes me feel incredibly unsafe. I have been peed on, shouted at, walked by fist fights etc.	9/14/2022 12:28 PM
40	It is too dangerous to come to the park now! Down town is not a safe place.	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
41	to buy hotdog	9/14/2022 11:25 AM
42	Work in the Air Canada building	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
43	i do not go to the park - feels unsafe	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
44	I have to walk by it to get to work.	9/14/2022 11:05 AM
45	I simply go past it for several reasons and wish it could provide a safe as well as vibrant	9/14/2022 11:05 AM

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	esthetic vibe for a downtown area,	
46	work in AC Building	9/14/2022 11:01 AM
47	it used to be a place to go to relax on breaks from work, visit with friends	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
48	I have no choice but to go by the park to access my place of work	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
49	I rarely go sit in the park because of all the drunk/high homeless people that camp there all day and night	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
50	I work close to it but I never actually go to it	9/14/2022 10:51 AM
51	I only cut through the park as a short cut from work to shops/restaurants since 2020.	9/14/2022 10:49 AM
52	I need to cut through/pass it in order to do the things I checked off for this question.	9/14/2022 10:49 AM
53	I work in the Air Canada building behind the park and must walk by it to get to work. I will not go there. Unsafe and unsightly. Drug deal haven currently.	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
54	I used to eat lunch out in the park all the time, but I never use that park anymore. Not safe, too dirty, smells so bad of cigarette smoke and pot, etc.	9/14/2022 10:46 AM
55	I do not actually use the park, as it is a place best avoided right now, for safety reasons.	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
56	I avoid the park at all costs but work right next to it so have to pass it every day (although I cross the street to avoid it)	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
57	Work at the Air Canada building.	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
58	I do not go to the park as it is full of drunks, on drugs, it is filthy and unsafe	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
59	I don't go to the park because it is filled with drunks, people who are high, people who want to hurt others, and quite frankly are smelly and bothersome	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
60	However I no longer use the park due to lack of safety	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
61	I work for Air Canada	9/14/2022 10:39 AM
62	Used to be a place to have lunch. Not anymore. Don't feel safe.	9/14/2022 10:39 AM
63	I work in AC building	9/14/2022 10:38 AM
64	Work directly adjacent to the so called park.	9/14/2022 10:23 AM
65	I only pass by the park.	9/14/2022 10:20 AM
66	I don't go to the park because I think it's dangerous.	9/14/2022 9:59 AM
67	Nothing. I work @ Air Canada and am currently jailed out of the park by our new security fence due to the current conditions of the park.	9/14/2022 8:52 AM
68	For hotdogs	9/14/2022 7:56 AM

Q3 How often do you come to the park in warm weather seasons (summer, spring, fall)?

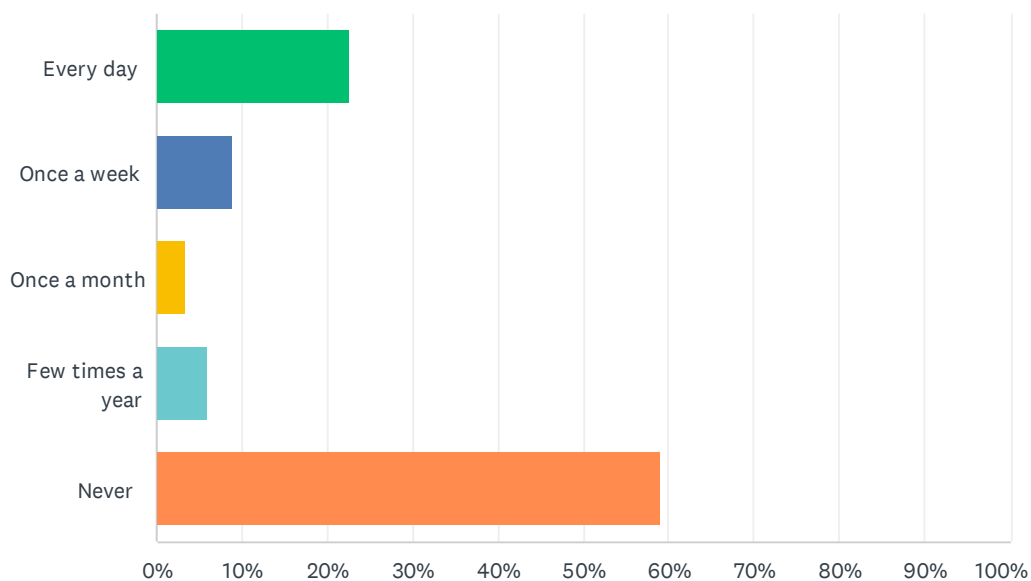
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Every day	33.50%	67
Once a week	12.00%	24
Once a month	4.00%	8
Few times a year	10.50%	21
Never	40.00%	80
TOTAL		200

Q4 How often do you come to the park in cold weather seasons (winter)?

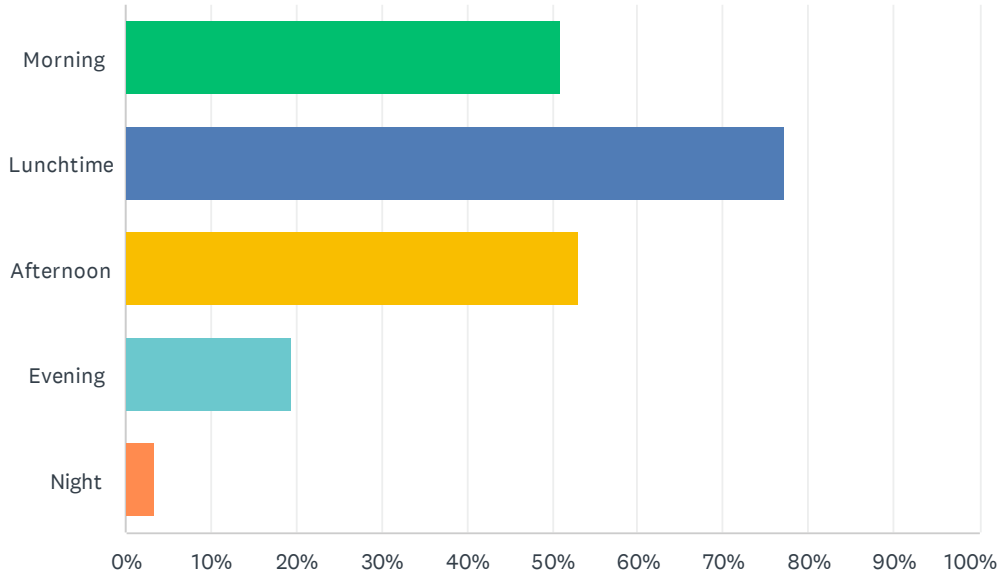
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Every day	22.50%	45
Once a week	9.00%	18
Once a month	3.50%	7
Few times a year	6.00%	12
Never	59.00%	118
TOTAL		200

Q5 What time do you usually come to the park? (please check all that apply)

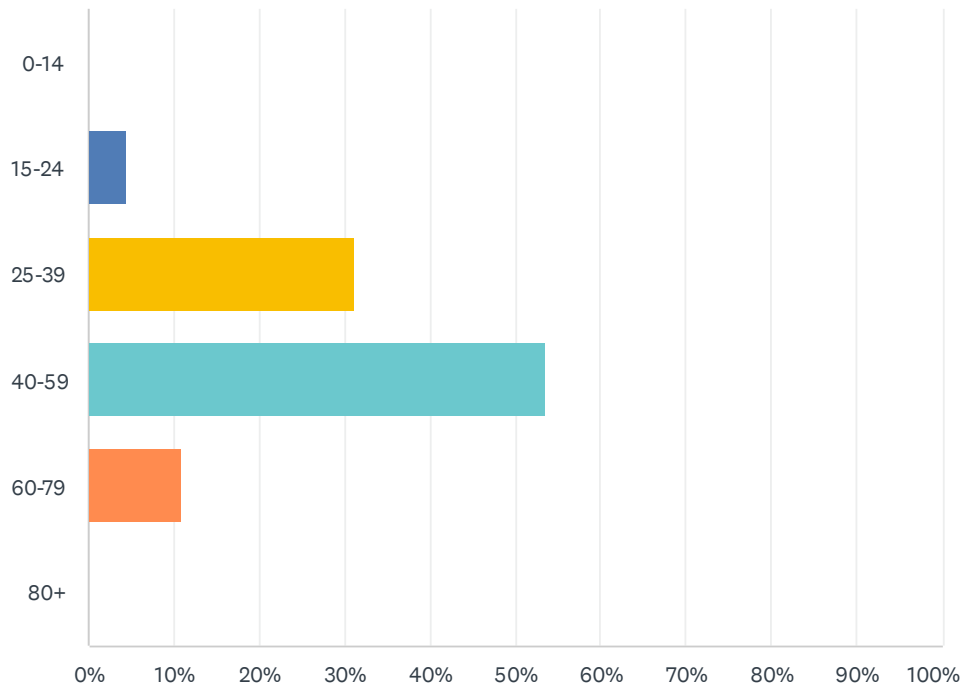
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Morning	51.03%	74
Lunchtime	77.24%	112
Afternoon	53.10%	77
Evening	19.31%	28
Night	3.45%	5
Total Respondents: 145		

Q6 How old are you?

Answered: 202 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
0-14	0.00% 0
15-24	4.46% 9
25-39	31.19% 63
40-59	53.47% 108
60-79	10.89% 22
80+	0.00% 0
TOTAL	202

Q7 What's your favourite thing about the park?

Answered: 155 Skipped: 48

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Previously when they have concerts	10/17/2022 1:31 PM
2	I work in the building right there (APTN), and it's a nice short walk with different scenery when entering the building or leaving.	10/14/2022 4:35 PM
3	It's an inviting space if not for large numbers of scruffy loafers, possibly high on something.	10/13/2022 7:13 PM
4	people watching	10/13/2022 4:22 PM
5	Nothing.	10/13/2022 2:34 PM
6	Only green space downtown	10/13/2022 2:32 PM
7	It used to be a nice place to sit and have lunch, and hang out with co workers and friends.	10/12/2022 1:49 PM
8	That there is seating and trees to sit near when taking a break from work. The sound of the water and the presence of nature helps me to reset during my workday.	10/12/2022 11:39 AM
9	.	10/12/2022 11:18 AM
10	It's a nice place to sit outside and eat lunch. The trees are nice as it makes it feel like you aren't in an urban setting all day.	10/12/2022 11:17 AM
11	It was a nice place many years ago when it was safe to go. My opinion is get rid of the benches. They only welcome drug users/sellers	10/12/2022 10:45 AM
12	Mixed culture. T3's	10/11/2022 6:01 PM
13	Not much since all the street people have taken over the park.	10/11/2022 3:25 PM
14	Green space in a concrete jungle is always a nice thing to have.	10/11/2022 3:18 PM
15	nothing anymore.	10/11/2022 3:15 PM
16	From my work window, I can see the green trees & bushes.	10/11/2022 2:56 PM
17	Nothing	10/11/2022 2:49 PM
18	Shade	10/11/2022 2:46 PM
19	Used to be the water fountain.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
20	Birds & Hot dog stand.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
21	The tress	10/11/2022 2:38 PM
22	The plants	10/10/2022 1:09 PM
23	Its a nice and convenient spot to rest and relax in the downtown area, and it adds a nice amount of greenery that's much appreciated in this urban environment.	10/10/2022 1:00 AM
24	It is a good place for people to meet.	10/8/2022 3:06 PM
25	Open green space	10/7/2022 12:40 PM
26	That its a gathering place, and the artwork	10/6/2022 7:57 PM
27	Location	10/6/2022 7:11 PM
28	It used to be a great place to sit in peace in the sun and watch the fountain or a weekly performance	10/6/2022 4:21 PM
29	Breathing space in the heart of the city.	10/4/2022 8:38 PM

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30	sitting by the fountain with hot dogs	10/3/2022 2:12 PM
31	Trees	10/2/2022 10:35 PM
32	The trees	10/2/2022 2:24 PM
33	The gardens, the art, the rest spot between destinations.	10/2/2022 9:28 AM
34	Art	10/1/2022 10:54 PM
35	the urban green space and diversity of folx who use it	9/29/2022 6:02 PM
36	the fountain which is presently non-operational	9/25/2022 10:35 AM
37	If they would remove all seating area	9/22/2022 7:42 AM
38	NOTHING!!!!!! its a crap park.	9/19/2022 11:58 AM
39	nothing at the moment	9/16/2022 1:08 PM
40	great meeting place, like the art	9/16/2022 12:42 PM
41	Nothing	9/16/2022 11:03 AM
42	location & the art	9/16/2022 10:24 AM
43	It was a relaxing safe place to sit with friends	9/16/2022 6:34 AM
44	Nothing	9/15/2022 9:34 PM
45	Trees	9/15/2022 4:12 PM
46	Years ago it was a nice place to sit and eat lunch and have a nice break from a busy work day. Now I try to not even look in that direction. I've seen way too much that I cant "unsee." DISGUSTING	9/15/2022 10:17 AM
47	As I said, this is NOT a park- it's a parking place for people who want to hang around, drink, do drugs, set up a tent and harass people.	9/15/2022 10:14 AM
48	Location	9/15/2022 8:36 AM
49	The greenery in the summer.	9/15/2022 7:51 AM
50	It's open	9/15/2022 7:07 AM
51	Nothing. It needs to be updated	9/15/2022 6:47 AM
52	Hotdog stand	9/15/2022 12:26 AM
53	Fountain	9/14/2022 9:06 PM
54	The location	9/14/2022 8:19 PM
55	the water fountain	9/14/2022 6:01 PM
56	Nothing-I have never gone there and won't. I feel unsafe each and every time I walk by.	9/14/2022 3:02 PM
57	The fountain and the weekly lunchtime concert.	9/14/2022 2:52 PM
58	It used to be a place people would gather on their lunches. It offers both sun and shade and much seating.	9/14/2022 2:51 PM
59	It's close to my work place	9/14/2022 2:48 PM
60	The Ambiance it's nice to go out during lunch break to breath some fresh air and close to work.	9/14/2022 2:39 PM
61	It's a beautiful place, but it seems it has been abandoned	9/14/2022 2:34 PM
62	The trees	9/14/2022 2:32 PM
63	Nothing anymore the park is to dangerous to sit in.	9/14/2022 2:27 PM
64	Nothing	9/14/2022 2:23 PM
65	It is close proximate to work.	9/14/2022 2:18 PM

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66	Use to be a gathering place to enjoy fresh air on breaks and lunch. Can no longer use it	9/14/2022 2:17 PM
67	Nothing currently	9/14/2022 2:15 PM
68	It used to be a quiet place to meet friends	9/14/2022 2:01 PM
69	Nothing	9/14/2022 1:42 PM
70	Currently nothing	9/14/2022 1:30 PM
71	Back in the day, we used to sit there for lunch and meet up with our colleagues.	9/14/2022 1:27 PM
72	Nothing, it used to be beautiful when it was built. It is now completely unsafe and undesirable	9/14/2022 1:18 PM
73	Nothing. It is gross, dirty, not safe at all. We use to have breaks and lunch out there with work friends. We use to enjoy the fountain and music events.	9/14/2022 1:16 PM
74	Art installations	9/14/2022 1:14 PM
75	The trees and the greenery are nice, when they aren't being used as sleeping space, urinals, hotel rooms, etc	9/14/2022 1:13 PM
76	Nothing	9/14/2022 1:02 PM
77	Trees	9/14/2022 12:53 PM
78	Close to work.	9/14/2022 12:52 PM
79	It used to be a beautiful place to take my coffee breaks and lunch breaks. Now we cannot sit out and enjoy being downtown. We are hostages in our building.	9/14/2022 12:49 PM
80	I use to sit out in the park on lunch. Ever since the natives have taken it over and the drug deals that go done all day long. I don't sit out there at all. The park is disgusting. Let alone I do not feel safe!!	9/14/2022 12:40 PM
81	The nature, trees are nice, fountain, unfortunately the ppl don't help to enjoy the good things about the park	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
82	Nothing anymore. It supports a community of alcohol, and drug users that are unemployed. Mass crowds and it is incredibly unsafe!	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
83	It is nice but should NOT be used as a hang out for undesirables Therefore because this is allowed to continue to happen , the park needs to be taken away sadly	9/14/2022 12:28 PM
84	The urban greenspace is an important addition to breaking up the 'concrete jungle'. Hearing the birds singing is a good mid-day stress-reliever	9/14/2022 11:59 AM
85	nothing	9/14/2022 11:49 AM
86	absolutely nothing, it is an eyesore	9/14/2022 11:47 AM
87	nothing. can't go there because of safety issues.	9/14/2022 11:45 AM
88	It used to be a nice and quiet place to take coffee breaks with coworkers	9/14/2022 11:44 AM
89	It used to be the fountain and the positive space with a mix of people from all socioeconomic backgrounds. now, it is a place that is largely used by misplaced persons and for drug activity (sales and uses) as well as full time living space for the homeless or vulnerable	9/14/2022 11:40 AM
90	N/A	9/14/2022 11:33 AM
91	During pre-pandemic: garden, good meeting place with friends for coffee/lunch breaks	9/14/2022 11:32 AM
92	shade, fresh air, hotdog stand	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
93	When it's cold outside and all the vagrants and losers are gone.	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
94	nothing	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
95	it used to be nice to sit outside at lunch	9/14/2022 11:20 AM
96	common area to assemble with co-workers	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
97	outside my work.	9/14/2022 11:18 AM

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98	Location	9/14/2022 11:17 AM
99	Nothing - used to be so nice, was a great spot to eat lunch with friends, but not anymore	9/14/2022 11:14 AM
100	the fountain and the trees , we used to sit there an enjoy during lunchtime , walk around	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
101	Nothing. It's incredibly unsafe and dirty.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
102	Right now nothing - its very discouraging to go with the people camping and sleeping in the bushes and on the bench's.	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
103	it used to be the a nice patch of calm in the midst of the hustle and bustle of downtown, there is currently not much to enjoy about the park	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
104	It was the bands that played in the summer at lunch hour	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
105	Hate that park. Its dirty and has many vagrants and tents and garbage and people passed out everywhere. There are many intoxicated people who hang there. Makes me very nervous to walk by.	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
106	As of the last few years - Nothing is good about that park. Previous to Covid, when the city crew maintained the park on a daily basis, and the park was not full of drug dealers and vagrants and it was a lovely place to spend your breaks and lunch. I will remind you of the thousands of \$\$ spent to add seating near APTN at Portage avenue and include some markers for Indigenous Purposes, all of which have been destroyed or vandalized.	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
107	I don't have a favourite thing about the park.	9/14/2022 11:07 AM
108	great location, close to work. Prior to covid was safe and clean. There would be music events throughout the summer. great place to sit during a break from work.	9/14/2022 11:06 AM
109	It was an attractive area , however now completely over run by homeless, the unemployed and drugs	9/14/2022 11:02 AM
110	Its a place to meet people	9/14/2022 11:01 AM
111	the shade and fresh air, good break from office environment	9/14/2022 10:59 AM
112	I really liked the green space and noise of the fountain when it was in use. Now I just enjoy looking at the trees.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
113	Nothing interested me at the moment	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
114	nothing.. its disgusting.. filthy and full of panhandlers and homeless people	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
115	Currently, nothing. It has potential.	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
116	It would have been a great place to relax for breaks and lunch but the environment it is right now I do not feel safe. There is a Gate fence to separate the bulding/employers but it would be nice to enjoy fresk air and a clean and safe place to take a break in.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
117	It used to be a nice place to sit outside and eat lunch and enjoy the weather during summer lunch breaks. I like the trees and the water fountain when it used to be in operation	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
118	Nothing at the moment, it's unsafe. Previous years when the fountain was going and everything was maintained it was a great area.	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
119	The architecture/art	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
120	Located close to work and food services.	9/14/2022 10:52 AM
121	If I was able to utilize it, the location and shade would be best.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
122	It used to be a nice place to sit outside and enjoy lunch. Nice because there is some green space and a fountain. Now it is not	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
123	It beautiful and is well layed out.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
124	water fountain (not operational in 2022)	9/14/2022 10:49 AM
125	To sit outside and enjoy the fresh air	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
126	Fountain	9/14/2022 10:47 AM

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127	Nothing it should be replaced with a parking lot or a building	9/14/2022 10:46 AM
128	nothing	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
129	I have nothing that I like about that park, I have to come because of work	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
130	The trees provide shelter and homes to many.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
131	nothing...it smells and its dirty	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
132	Nothing at current. Only some of the trees.	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
133	nothing to be honest, kind of afraid to even walk on that side of the street.	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
134	The area behind the fence where the picnic tables are.	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
135	It's a community gathering place that people actually utilize	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
136	I like the water fountain	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
137	It would be beautiful if used properly	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
138	nothing it's filthy	9/14/2022 10:35 AM
139	Green space for lunch breaks in the aircanada building	9/14/2022 10:33 AM
140	Nothing at all. At the very least police or the cadets should set up a full time booth to maintain a level of policing the drug deals and safety.	9/14/2022 10:32 AM
141	Water fountain	9/14/2022 10:31 AM
142	To enjoy the nice weather during summertime	9/14/2022 10:30 AM
143	Nothing now!! It used to be a great place. Now it stinks, full of drug dealers , meth heads , stabbings, threats.	9/14/2022 10:29 AM
144	Before its the fountain but right now nothing because it seems its not safe to sit since there is a lot of people that seems don't respect personal spaces	9/14/2022 10:27 AM
145	It is close to my work.	9/14/2022 10:25 AM
146	Should be the space itself to relax and get fresh air while on break from work but Nothing right now because of the people drinking, smoking (marijuana included), garbage, noise and fights!	9/14/2022 10:23 AM
147	The trees. Would love to see the fountain working. Great for lunch	9/14/2022 10:22 AM
148	The design of it, with the water fountain in the middle.	9/14/2022 10:12 AM
149	nothing, it's absolutely discusting, I even hate walking by there with the people sitting there consuming drugs, alcohol and smoking.	9/14/2022 9:50 AM
150	It is a green space and centrally located	9/14/2022 9:23 AM
151	It used to be a nice place to sit and take a break from work but now it is filled with marginalized people and they are obnoxious and filthy.	9/14/2022 9:08 AM
152	It used to be a good escape from work on lunch hour. A place together friends.	9/14/2022 9:01 AM
153	Place for relaxing	9/14/2022 8:38 AM
154	It's right by work	9/14/2022 8:23 AM
155	Hot dog Shade Fresh air	9/14/2022 8:15 AM

Q8 What would make this park more welcoming for you and others you know?

Answered: 156 Skipped: 47

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Safety Heavy Security	10/17/2022 1:31 PM
2	Design More seating areas would be nice! May be more inclined to use the space at lunchtime.	10/14/2022 4:35 PM
3	Perception The absence of large numbers of scruffy loafers, possibly high on something.	10/13/2022 7:13 PM
4	Safety safety	10/13/2022 4:22 PM
5	Perception Safety Fewer vagrants, drunks and homeless. Increased police patrols and public safety.	10/13/2022 2:34 PM
6	Cleanliness Safety Make it safe, keep it clean, 24/7 security	10/13/2022 2:32 PM
7	Perception Safety Removing the tent city that's moved in there. It's overrun with drugs and alcohol, and it's completely unsafe now	10/12/2022 1:49 PM
8	Cleanliness Safety The park does not feel like a safe place anymore. There are a number of individuals that use the park as a place to drink, do drugs and as a bathroom. The park no longer feels clean or relaxing. It has become something to avoid.	10/12/2022 11:39 AM
9	.	10/12/2022 11:18 AM
10	Safety Unfortunately, safety has become a huge concern. Once the benches came into the park, it became a gathering place for many people who need other types of services to help with their mental health and wellness. The problem is bigger than the park.	10/12/2022 11:17 AM
11	Design Get rid of the park, fountain and benches.	10/12/2022 10:45 AM
12	Design Perception Programming Get drug sellers out. Pump in old music like 70's Rick, or better yet classical Music.	10/11/2022 6:01 PM
13	Perception Safety Remove the drug dealers, and people who are constantly panhandling and those who are making the park unsafe.	10/11/2022 3:25 PM
14	Cleanliness Design Programming Safety Currently the park is not safe to visit. I used to go to the park in the warm months to eat lunch but now I don't feel safe to enter the park. We must have better social services to support the people who currently hang out on the sidewalk along the side of the park on Portage Ave. The fountain has operated for many years making this a eyesore. The park is dirty with garbage and human waste. All these things need to be fixed before I would return to this park. It would be a great spot to get fresh air during my lunch hour, meet staff for outdoor meetings, etc.	10/11/2022 3:18 PM
15	Cleanliness Design Safety if the park was more user friendly, I can't go to the park without being verbally assaulted or bugged, The park needs a good cleaning, the smell of urine is unbearable, even when wearing a mask. everything that was done to the park to make it better has been vandalized, the art, the seating areas. More security would be helpful.	10/11/2022 3:15 PM
16	Cleanliness Safety Where to start? I would extremely appreciated it if I could head home and not smell cannabis & urine....or worry about getting accosted. Being more vigilant about drug use and having the park occupants using the planters as restrooms (me & my co-worker have a window directly facing one and we see genitalia multiple times daily).	10/11/2022 2:56 PM
17	Design Perception Safety No benches, constant police presence. It is very dangerous now.	10/11/2022 2:49 PM
18	Perception Safety That it is safe. There are too many homeless or substance users utilizing it as a gathering area. It is unpredictable if violence breaks out, if we are approached	10/11/2022 2:46 PM

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and made to feel unsafe, or if the police or paramedics show up.

19	Cleanliness Safety	Improving safety. Cleaning up trash.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
20	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Everything. This park is a mess. It's unsanitary (needles, feces, glass, public urination) and unsafe (violence, ODS, alcohol, drugs). A simple walk-thru often results in unsolicited vulgar comments from the people who hang out there. Often there are requests for money. Day after day someone is being taken away by ambulance.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
21	Safety	Safety first	10/11/2022 2:38 PM
22	Perception Safety	I pass it everyday but it is not a safe place to stop. There is frequent open alcohol and drug use going on and lots of panhandling, fights, and generally unsafe behaviour from park users.	10/10/2022 1:09 PM
23	Design Perception Safety	More plants during the spring and summer seasons, as well as keeping a closer eye on potentially dangerous people will help make the park more inviting to people in the area.	10/10/2022 1:00 AM
24	Cleanliness Design	I won't be staying at the park, but I enjoy seeing people using the park. If there was a washroom and more seating area more people would enjoy the park.	10/8/2022 3:06 PM
25	Cleanliness Design Perception Programming Safety	Human POO! No animal habitat, no bees, no indigenous plants or perrenials, Needs to be Cleaned up, providing plant care as it is neglected and abused, Lots of Harrassment and unable to safely meet or eat in peace. People laying around, with drug or alcohol problems and fighting/violence and crime. Visual and personal Prescence of police, Public safety and outreach moving people along would be helpful	10/7/2022 12:40 PM
26	Design Programming	Better infrastructure, shade, more food carts	10/6/2022 7:57 PM
27	Cleanliness Safety	Clean and safe space	10/6/2022 7:11 PM
28	Cleanliness Design	I no longer feel comfortable there. It's not clean and the fountain has become an eyesore.	10/6/2022 4:21 PM
29	Design Programming	More greenery and flowers, interactive spaces, and more reason to stop there - concerts, art displays, etc.	10/4/2022 8:38 PM
30	Design Programming	Lots of seating and a focal point to look at, like the fountain, and Yewch's hot dog cart of course	10/3/2022 2:12 PM
31	Perception	Shoul not be a place for drunks and panhandlers.	10/2/2022 10:35 PM
32	Design	More people, less concrete, more green	10/2/2022 2:24 PM
33	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Clean up crew to canvas it more regularly. Vagrancy issue resolved, gardens actually kept up, no drugs, no alcohol, no weapons.	10/2/2022 9:28 AM
34	Design Safety	Improved safety more programming and beautification, feels Dilapidated, run down and unsafe	10/1/2022 10:54 PM
35	Design	more places to sit, more welcoming vibe, with the limited seating options, sometimes they are all occupied and you can't sit on the grass, so you feel like you have to walk on.	9/29/2022 6:02 PM
36	Design Perception	to design it so that there is no loitering meaning to redesign the shape of the former flower beds, perhaps with vertical steel. It was never meant for people to crowd.	9/25/2022 10:35 AM
37		Relocate all the people that hang around there	9/22/2022 7:42 AM
38		Demolishing the park. The city should've never let it get this bad.	9/19/2022 11:58 AM
39	Safety	make it safe	9/16/2022 1:08 PM
40	Cleanliness Design	cleaner, more places to sit, less fence, trees	9/16/2022 12:42 PM
41	Design	less crowds	9/16/2022 12:20 PM
42	Design Safety	More seating, safer environment, tables for lunch or breaks	9/16/2022 11:03 AM
43	Design	if it was more of an open space?	9/16/2022 10:24 AM

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44	Safety Make it safe ..free of needles ..Panhandling..abusive behavior..etc	9/16/2022 6:34 AM
45	Nothing	9/15/2022 9:34 PM
46	Perception Safety Remove the drug deals, fighting and camping	9/15/2022 4:12 PM
47	Perception Safety Nothing ca be done. It's been taken over by scary people	9/15/2022 10:17 AM
48	Perception Safety Get rid of the people occupying it now- I have worked at Air Canada for 34 years and the park used to be a place to sit and read or have lunch. Now you are just lucky to walk past it without being assaulted verbally or physically.	9/15/2022 10:14 AM
49	Cleanliness Community Design Perception Safety Welcoming environment, not garbage everywhere, gardening, homeless people make the environment unsafe and there's no room for anyone else.	9/15/2022 8:36 AM
50	Cleanliness Design Wish there was some fir trees planted for the winter. More frequent clean up of area.	9/15/2022 7:51 AM
51	Cleanliness Clean	9/15/2022 7:07 AM
52	Cleanliness Perception Safety Fewer people using the area as a toilet an fighting arena. Also a place where people aren't using drugs and a place that isn't a place to get drunk. People not camping and sleeping outside.	9/15/2022 6:47 AM
53	Safety Get rid of the drug dealers	9/15/2022 12:26 AM
54	Perception Safety Clear away all the loitering	9/14/2022 9:06 PM
55	Cleanliness Safety For the garbage and illegal activity and harassing people to be removed	9/14/2022 8:19 PM
56	Design Perception Safety no loitering if the park felt safer (visible drug deals occurring) places to sit with a tables	9/14/2022 6:01 PM
57	Cleanliness Perception Getting rid of all the tents/people sleeping/feces/garbage.	9/14/2022 3:02 PM
58	Safety SAFETY	9/14/2022 2:52 PM
59	Perception Safety Get rid of the pan handlers, drug trafficker's & drunks	9/14/2022 2:51 PM
60	Perception Safety I don't visit the park anymore and I rush going through due to feeling unsafe, the drunks in the park, harassment and pan handling. Eliminating all those activities would be great and I would for sure consider visiting the park again.	9/14/2022 2:48 PM
61	Perception the park is full of people that are drunk and sometimes asking for food or money which makes me feel uncomfortable going there. If it will be eliminate it will be a great place to go during lunch break.	9/14/2022 2:39 PM
62	Cleanliness Safety Clean and safe for all. A lot of people drink alcohol and using drug in this public space	9/14/2022 2:34 PM
63	Cleanliness Perception Safety Get rid of all the loitering, drugs and garbage. The park would be more welcoming if it wasn't so crowded with homeless people.	9/14/2022 2:32 PM
64	Perception This park has not been welcoming in years,	9/14/2022 2:27 PM
65	Cleanliness Perception Safety If it was safe, drug free, alcohol free, did not smell like urine, free from vomit and other human wastes, tent free, vagrant free then it would be inhabitable by working folks.	9/14/2022 2:23 PM
66	Perception Safety The reason is said I don't visit the park, ANYMORE; these are the reasons... there is criminal activity like drug deals and drug use, drinking and drunk in public area, harassment, constant pan handling...etc. Everyday in the summer time. Eliminating all this would be more inviting to visit the park!	9/14/2022 2:18 PM
67	Perception Safety Clear it out. Fence it and 24 hour police	9/14/2022 2:17 PM
68	Cleanliness Perception Safety Removal of people who do drugs/drink there, throw their garbage around, use it as their toilet	9/14/2022 2:15 PM
69	Perception Safety Less drug deals and overall disruptive behaviour. The park feels dangerous and uninviting.	9/14/2022 2:01 PM

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70	Cleanliness Safety	clean the area, make it safe	9/14/2022 1:42 PM
71	Perception Safety	Not being yelled at, asked for money, watch people drinking, harassed, watch people sleeping in tents while I am trying to eat lunch	9/14/2022 1:30 PM
72	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Please have the park re done like it was PRE COVID. A place to sit at the fountain, and an area to relax in a nice, safe and clean place like it was 10 years ago.	9/14/2022 1:27 PM
73	Perception Safety	To be safe, not asked for money or walk through drug deals every day	9/14/2022 1:18 PM
74	Cleanliness Perception	If it wasn't a hang out. If it was safe. If it was clean. If it had flowers again.	9/14/2022 1:16 PM
75		N/a	9/14/2022 1:14 PM
76	Cleanliness Perception Safety	The park would be more welcoming if there wasn't the fear associated with the current occupants of the park. The garbage, the empty alcohol bottles, the drug paraphilia etc.	9/14/2022 1:13 PM
77	Perception	If there isn't anyone hanging out in the park.	9/14/2022 1:02 PM
78	Design	Skateboard friendly features	9/14/2022 12:53 PM
79	Cleanliness Safety	For it to be safe and clean.	9/14/2022 12:52 PM
80	Perception Safety	Clear away the drugs, homeless, tents, people who are drunk, drugdealers etc etc.	9/14/2022 12:49 PM
81	Safety	Safety	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
82	Perception Safety	LAWS!!! We need to put out foot down and no loitering, move along, public drug use, public encampments should be illegal and handled that way.	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
83	Perception Safety	Constant patrol to not permit loitering	9/14/2022 12:28 PM
84	Perception Safety	Removing the 'bad elements' in the park. It has become a place to sell drugs and hang out intoxicated all day. The occasional tent(s) popping up for people sleeping there is also not only an eyesore, but can be intimidating to others in the area.	9/14/2022 11:59 AM
85	Safety	More safety	9/14/2022 11:49 AM
86	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Get rid of all the homeless people/drug dealers/crime and clean up the garbage that is everywhere.	9/14/2022 11:47 AM
87	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety	clean it up and get rid of grass and seating so homeless people do not congregate drinking, doing drugs, harassing us etc. not safe	9/14/2022 11:45 AM
88	Cleanliness Perception	It would be nice, if there's no pan handlers and people tenting/peeing in the park.	9/14/2022 11:44 AM
89	Perception Safety	absense of drugs. absense of people under the infulence of drugs. absense of full time living space for homeless or vulnerable. absense of rowdy gatherings brought on by drugs or fighting. absense of weapons.	9/14/2022 11:40 AM
90	Cleanliness Safety	Make the park feel safe and clean. There has been so many people smoking and drinking alcohol.	9/14/2022 11:33 AM
91	Cleanliness Programming	If we can bring back events like concerts or perhaps small farmer's market or a cafe and treat the area with respect and not like a trash as it, sadly, looks like now.	9/14/2022 11:32 AM
92	Perception Safety	remove the people who should not be there make it more safe	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
93	Perception Safety	Keep the vagrants and losers out. We are scared to go and enjoy the park. My co-workers have had too many incidents with them, that we now have security outside our building.	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
94	Safety	no aggressive, intoxicated and unpredictable people	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
95	Perception	It would be more welcoming if not all the aboriginal people linger around the area.	9/14/2022 11:20 AM

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96	Cleanliness Safety	clean it up provide security to oversee area for problem solving	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
97	Perception	less encampments. more people minding their own business.	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
98	Cleanliness Design Safety	SAFETY, CLEAN & esthetics	9/14/2022 11:17 AM
99	Perception Safety	Remove the tents and all the people who sit there all day drinking, smoking, doing drugs, and harassing employees who work close by.	9/14/2022 11:14 AM
100	Cleanliness Safety	if the park and clean and safe for everyone who is passing by everyday.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
101	Perception Safety	(I know it's a big issue but -) No sketchy homeless people loitering/asking for money or threatening assault.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
102	Cleanliness Perception Safety	get rid of the people who are sleeping, using the bushes as a toilet, drinking and smoking up there.	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
103	Cleanliness Design Safety	a clean, open, safe space	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
104	Perception	If you got rid of the drunks sitting around all day and night	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
105	Cleanliness Perception	Clean it up. No loitering. No tents. No drinking. I don't think you can change it so there is no way I would hang out there.	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
106	Cleanliness	Cleaning it up in regards to both issues mentioned.	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
107		I don't currently view this as a park.	9/14/2022 11:07 AM
108	Cleanliness Design	Park requires a major clean up. There is a bad smell that wafts from the area. Grounds need to be cleaned. Fairy lights in the trees so that the area is well lit in the evenings. Grounds need grass and major power wash of all hard surfaces.	9/14/2022 11:06 AM
109	Design Perception Safety	Safety is a huge concern. Remove green space so that tents may not be pitched by the homeless. Make congregating for the unemployed and druggies difficult. No shade and open spaces.	9/14/2022 11:02 AM
110	Community Safety	try to get more people to visit would make it more safe	9/14/2022 11:01 AM
111	Perception Safety	I understood that it would be hard to remove the homeless people but that's the only way to make the park feel safer	9/14/2022 10:59 AM
112	Community Perception Programming Safety	If the people that shared the park were more welcoming and there was less prevalence of alcohol and drug use. Occasional live music would be amazing.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
113	Perception	No camping and No homeless	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
114	Cleanliness Perception	get rid of the people that are making the park filthy	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
115	Perception Safety	Not allowing people to sleep/live in the park. The park is not welcoming. It is a very unsafe area. The Air Canada building requires a fence and security to help with the safety of the building employees.	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
116	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety	Sweep it out. Have a fence up that allows public access but security as well. Maybe have limited times for access to avoid the over crowding. I witness so much situations that I dont feel safe walking into/by. The greenery and trees used to be beautiful, but it doesnt look well kept anymore.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
117	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Having less drunk/homeless people, and cleaning up litter, empty bottles, needles etc.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
118	Cleanliness Safety	Somehow mitigate the risk around the area, it is violent, unsafe and unsanitary.	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
119	Cleanliness Safety	Fewer people using the area as a toilet and/or fighting arena	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
120	Cleanliness Safety	Make it feel more safe, and more clean. I saw someone urinating against a tree this morning	9/14/2022 10:53 AM
121	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Would like to see some security or more of a permanent police presence in the area. I see drug deals daily, fighting, people passed out in the fountain	9/14/2022 10:52 AM

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and on the benches and empty booze bottles and garbage everywhere! This park needs to be cleaned up and patrolled before I return to using it.

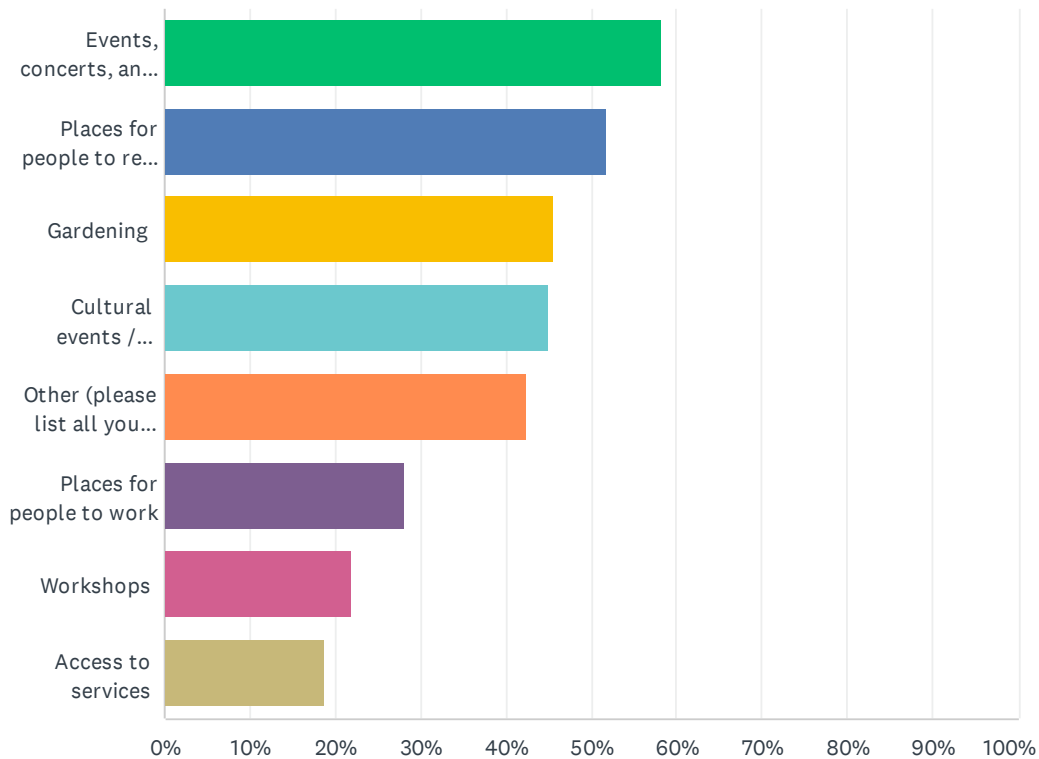
122	Cleanliness Design Safety It has to be safe, clean and maybe a bit greener. It is none of those things now.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
123	Safety Improve safety	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
124	Design Perception I would love to go outside for lunch or breaks but unfortunately the area usually has 30+ people and some of them not in a good state of mind or sober. Not sure how to regulate this though other.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
125	Safety More security. Generally I do not feel safe	9/14/2022 10:49 AM
126	Cleanliness Perception Safety Safety, have it fenced off for employees only. Clean up the garbage that is all over the park at the moment.	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
127	Design Perception Safety Security, less drunk/high on drugs people hanging around, relaxing atmosphere	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
128	Perception Safety By getting rid of the drunks, unsafe atmosphere	9/14/2022 10:46 AM
129	Cleanliness Perception Safety it needs a major clean up of garbage, bottles, needles and disruptive/scary people. I do not feel safe walking anywhere close to there.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
130	Cleanliness Perception Safety Kick out the aboriginals who think they can come in and call it their park and not clean up after themselves and do drugs there constantly. They are a sore eye to the legitimate working people!!!!	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
131	Perception get rid of the people who hang out there	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
132	Safety Have more police present.	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
133	Design if they make that a park into an indoor basketball court.	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
134	Design Safety A revamp as it looks old and a safer environment.	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
135	Design a layout with better positioned seating, less concrete	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
136	Perception Less homeless.	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
137	Safety Security	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
138	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety Get rid of the filth and garbage. Also there's no safety for office workers nor a place to sit like before due to people drinking, doing/selling drugs, tents and people passed out. Also the yelling, swearing and fighting doesn't help either. It needs to be cleaned up and regulated by City Police.	9/14/2022 10:35 AM
139	Perception Less tents, drinking, and the activities that have ramped up during the pandemic	9/14/2022 10:33 AM
140	Safety Tear it down. Bring a huge police presence. Arrest the drug dealers.	9/14/2022 10:32 AM
141	Cleanliness Perception If kept clean, less trouble with aboriginal people. No Camping!!	9/14/2022 10:31 AM
142	Perception Safety A place where there is not too many people who are either drunk or shouting	9/14/2022 10:30 AM
143	Destroy it !!	9/14/2022 10:29 AM
144	Safety Make it safe for everyone	9/14/2022 10:27 AM
145	Cleanliness Design Perception Not having so many drunk people around. Having it cleaned and gardening.	9/14/2022 10:25 AM
146	Cleanliness Community Perception Safety Remove those people in the park that makes other people feel unsafe and unwelcome! There should be no drinking, smoking, sleeping, loitering and littering in the park!	9/14/2022 10:23 AM
147	Cleanliness Perception Safety People not living there and using it like a washroom. Security in the park keeping people from smoking and drinking and staying all day	9/14/2022 10:22 AM
148	Cleanliness Design Perception If it was cleaner and less crowded and no tents with people living there	9/14/2022 10:19 AM

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149	Programming Safety	Intense Police presence in the area, less drugs, more events (fairs, music festivals, farmers market).	9/14/2022 10:12 AM
150	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Get rid of the people that don't work but sit around all day and do crime. Clean up the park.	9/14/2022 9:50 AM
151	Community Design Perception	Less crowded More public and business crowd	9/14/2022 9:23 AM
152	Perception	Rid the area of undesirable/marginalized people.	9/14/2022 9:08 AM
153	Perception Safety	If the homeless didn't camp there, and if the drug deals didn't happen there.	9/14/2022 9:01 AM
154	Cleanliness Safety	Cleanliness and free of fear	9/14/2022 8:38 AM
155	Safety	It currently doesn't feel safe to sit and relax there. If it felt safer it would be more welcoming to have lunch outside	9/14/2022 8:23 AM
156	Perception Safety	Make it safe Do not allow people to abuse the park No sleeping No drugs No tents	9/14/2022 8:15 AM

Q9 What would you like to see happening here? (please select your top 4)

Answered: 160 Skipped: 43



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Events, concerts, and performances	58.13% 93
Places for people to rest / relax	51.88% 83
Gardening	45.63% 73
Cultural events / Ceremonies	45.00% 72
Other (please list all your ideas!)	42.50% 68
Places for people to work	28.13% 45
Workshops	21.88% 35
Access to services	18.75% 30
Total Respondents: 160	

#	OTHER (PLEASE LIST ALL YOUR IDEAS!)	DATE
1	Please remove the benches, they are weathered and damaged	10/17/2022 1:31 PM
2	Community Centre where people may play bridge, table tennis and badminton.	10/13/2022 7:13 PM
3	Greater presence by police and Downtown Watch patrols.	10/13/2022 2:34 PM
4	Washroom so people would not use the park as a washroom.	10/13/2022 2:32 PM

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5	I think the park needs more programming and food options. If a farmers market and food trucks were brought in, that would go a long way to attracting more downtown workers to the park. Even semi-permanent kiosks for vendors of local goods might do wonders to change the atmosphere of the park.	10/12/2022 11:26 AM
6	I like the idea of a community food garden. More green space. Less areas for people to congregate.	10/12/2022 11:17 AM
7	Get rid of the park, fountain and benches.	10/12/2022 10:45 AM
8	Outdoor space that provides some protection from the elements i.e., rain/snow, while still being outdoors and a SAFE place to gather with friends. Think The High Line in NYC - a great place to walk, see art, architecture, native plants and stop to rest/visit with friends along the way. This means that Portage Avenue needs to be returned to the pedestrian/active transportation users (could you tear down Portage Place while you're at it!) so that Portage is a destination for walking, visiting local businesses/restaurants, a hub for downtown visitors. Currently it's devoid of people and only services traffic where businesses have been abandoned.	10/11/2022 3:18 PM
9	I remember the days meeting friends who also worked close by at the park to enjoy lunch, watch a live band or some other entertainment, it was great we would grab lunch close by and meet at the park for an hour.	10/11/2022 3:15 PM
10	Getting rid of the park in general. It's a place where drugs, crime and general unpleasantness occur.	10/11/2022 2:56 PM
11	From my perspective if something is occurring as a special event, the loiterers disappear. I am not sure how you keep events going all day long.	10/11/2022 2:46 PM
12	I'd love for it to function as a proper park and not the cesspool it has become. I personally don't think it can be fixed. It is too open and all negative behaviors are essentially allowed to continue without correction.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
13	Add evergreen plantings so there is something for winter. Add lots more lighting to help with safety and also make it attractive even in winter.	10/10/2022 1:09 PM
14	Be more indigenous positive honoring with truth and reconciliation/MMIW/ residential school , indigenous design and features, possible community elder to be present and available daily and outreach for reservation for homeless clients. Crisis handling onsite. Provide plants for vegetables and medicine that can be harvested, bees for honey etc Environmental friendly, also Manitoba hydro has onsite farmers market....it would be great if this park provided events such as a indigneous crafts, perreinal plant sales working with Fort Whyte and living Prairie museum etc.	10/7/2022 12:40 PM
15	Public washroom	10/6/2022 7:57 PM
16	food trucks/food carts	10/3/2022 2:12 PM
17	Maybe APTN could sponsor between Mall, Province, city etc to hold even political events, art events, get True North Square to share	10/2/2022 9:28 AM
18	again, the present crowd gives the park a bad image. They have no respect of public property. It is not welcoming. The design should prevent this.	9/25/2022 10:35 AM
19	Getting rid of the park	9/19/2022 11:58 AM
20	Another building	9/16/2022 11:03 AM
21	Grocery store Coffee shop Small Tavern	9/16/2022 6:34 AM
22	Its impossible to do anything with it. It's been taken over by drug users etc.	9/15/2022 10:17 AM
23	Bull doze it completely - there is no hope for that park or the down town. There is no turning around what has been allowed to go in that park- WHY are people allowed to drink and set up tents ?	9/15/2022 10:14 AM
24	Get rid of places to sit and have a nice Garden with lots of flowers.	9/15/2022 6:47 AM
25	Deal with the disenfranchised people	9/15/2022 12:26 AM
26	I know there is a market behind the hydro building, but maybe a market of some sort that is perhaps a continuation of what is found there (ie in both places) to just have people walking	9/14/2022 6:01 PM

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around downtown. Perhaps food truck days What about turning it into one of those outdoor beer/drink gardens (maybe fence off the whole park) to encourage those who work downtown to stay downtown. Like the summer concerts as well, but could be offered into the fall as well. tai chi or zumba in the park - get people moving/active but they can do it while upright/standing.

27	Anything that does not promote an unsafe/unclean environment. I'd love to see something actually built...like a coffee shop or a space that vendors/crafters can rent out and sell goods....a pop up shop...anything other than an open area park.	9/14/2022 3:02 PM
28	area safe for vendors	9/14/2022 2:51 PM
29	Remove the fountain and seating area. Add another business to add value to the area.	9/14/2022 2:32 PM
30	The people that hang out in the park don't take care of anything, it's disgusting.	9/14/2022 2:27 PM
31	A safe place to sit	9/14/2022 2:23 PM
32	Just remove the unsafe conditions and provide police to monitor. The drugs alcohol and violence witnessed out there everyday is disturbing Nevermind seeing people defecating/urinating/fighting/throwing up/needles for drugs is completely out of control	9/14/2022 2:17 PM
33	A small building housing things like a coffee shop, gift shop, store with products from local makers, etc. Employees working close by could use another coffee shop. Basically, anything that brings in more downtown workers but doesn't encourage people to hang out all day drinking/doing drugs, sleeping, trashing the place.	9/14/2022 2:15 PM
34	It cannot be any of the above things until all of the homeless/indigenous are removed... and I am not prejudiced, it's just not safe at all	9/14/2022 1:18 PM
35	1.) Enclosed parkade at a reduced rate with security for people who work downtown. Rooftop garden access for those that work downtown. 2.) Build a fenced in daycare for people who work downtown; with a beautiful outdoor play area for the little ones.	9/14/2022 1:16 PM
36	I'd like to see a place where I could feel safe to sit, have my lunch, read a book or talk with a friend without the smell of drugs being smoked around me, being approached for money or just bothered in general for being in the space.	9/14/2022 1:13 PM
37	Put up a building that people can't hang out in.	9/14/2022 1:02 PM
38	Take away all seating. Take away the parklike setting. No grass, no water fountain. Pave it, and make it a food truck area, that changes vendors once a month ... so it brings in crowds of business people, and downtown workers, not the crowd we currently have.	9/14/2022 12:49 PM
39	I'd like to see COPS there all the time to make it safe! Otherwise redevelop it and remove the park	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
40	Safe from undesirables and constant patrol only option	9/14/2022 12:28 PM
41	clean up the garbage...down town is an embarrassment	9/14/2022 11:47 AM
42	Make it a safe place	9/14/2022 11:33 AM
43	Nothing. Until you get rid of vagrants	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
44	no more aggressive, intoxicated and unpredictable people	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
45	I wish to see a fountain/skating rink like Toronto Nathan Philips Square. or a fenced dog park. either way there will be lively activity, be it puppies hopping around or birds (pigeons, geese, seagulls, etc.) coming down to drink water. both ways there's activity year round without someone having to arrange events/activities.	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
46	Fenced in park for employees with security, sculpture garden (though those will probably get destroyed like the new benches and artwork put there a couple years ago), dog park, more plants/flowers (if there's a way to keep those from also being destroyed)	9/14/2022 11:14 AM
47	Literally anything that will take up space in order to lessen sketchy homeless people loitering/asking for money and/or threatening assault. Open a coffeeshop, convenience store, build a space to rent for small businesses - the park serves no purpose at the moment and repels people significantly more than it attracts.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
48	Make it feel safe	9/14/2022 11:09 AM

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49	I loved when they had concerts, events and performances during lunch	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
50	The outdoor market could be in this space in the summer, not behind Hydro. Put a small building on the lot, and open it FREE of rent to small businesses or popups (on a waitlist) for a week or two on rotation - always will have something new for the residents and people who work in the community	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
51	during spring/summer/fall if weather permits some food trucks/mobile food vendors	9/14/2022 11:07 AM
52	allow for food vendors to be able to be in the concourse	9/14/2022 11:01 AM
53	get rid of it totally	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
54	To make the environment a safer place. Make it enjoyable for all but eepsoceful as well.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
55	Perhaps some food vendors	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
56	Food carts	9/14/2022 10:53 AM
57	Markets, mobile vendors (that are not drug dealers)	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
58	bull doze it down - put a building up or a parking lot	9/14/2022 10:46 AM
59	hold people accountable for the drug dealing, open drinking, drug consuming and dangerous behavior. Its not the place that scares me, its the people and the activity going on there. Also get rid of those wood benches, it creates a place for them to sit around and act inappropriately.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
60	parking lot...a building...anything to get rid of the rift raft	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
61	indoor basketball court.	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
62	NO TENTS	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
63	Remove it entirely	9/14/2022 10:32 AM
64	Parking lot for events	9/14/2022 10:29 AM
65	Dog park, as there isn't any in downtown. Mural wall. Fountain from ground up so no pool of water. Photo display of winniepegs past. Sacred of eternal flame area.	9/14/2022 10:22 AM
66	Because of the situation, would like to see all sitting and relaxing areas to be removed and the whole thing cemented. It is dangerous to have the people that hang out there so would prefer to have it empty and unappealing.	9/14/2022 9:08 AM
67	I struggle to find a use for it that would keep the current "problem" away. One thing is for sure - GET RID OF ALL SEATING POSSIBILITIES.	9/14/2022 9:01 AM
68	market kiosks, vendors	9/13/2022 9:16 AM

Q10 How could this park be improved?

Answered: 147 Skipped: 56

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Safety Heavy security, like Truth North Park	10/17/2022 1:31 PM
2	Perception Making it a space for respectable people.	10/13/2022 7:13 PM
3	Cleanliness clean it up	10/13/2022 4:22 PM
4	Safety Increased public safety!	10/13/2022 2:34 PM
5	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety Keep it clean all the time. Remove as much seating as possible. Add security cameras. Remove hedges. trim existing trees each year. Target drug dealers and get them out of the park.	10/13/2022 2:32 PM
6	Perception Safety By removing the daily party that's there...drugs and booze. I've seen people swimming in the fountain AND fighting AND trying to drown each other.	10/12/2022 1:49 PM
7	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety The seating at the park was a good idea but unfortunately it has been misused by the marginalized people living in the area. Ensuring that the area is kept very clean with more receptical for garbage would help. It will also be good to have monitors assigned to the park that will deal with anyone who is being aggressive, pan handling, intoxicated, using the area as a toilet or a space to consume alcohol and drugs.	10/12/2022 11:39 AM
8	Perception Programming Safety Once again, more programming. If there were more business people in the park it would create an element of safety.	10/12/2022 11:26 AM
9	Design MUST get rid of the fountain or relocate it somewhere else downtown. Just make the entire place like an open plaza, similar to Chicago's Millennium park where the reflective bean sculpture is and just have the trees around the open space.	10/12/2022 11:18 AM
10	Perception The city needs to address the homeless problem first in order to be able to free this space to make it enjoyable for more people.	10/12/2022 11:17 AM
11	Design Perception Safety Get rid of the park, fountain and benches. This place is far from welcoming. When you start work at 7:30am and there is no security. Far from safe	10/12/2022 10:45 AM
12	Design Perception Programming Safety Free stage. Make it not nasty-no drugs. Make a legal aid stand.	10/11/2022 6:01 PM
13	Perception Deal with current situation of unwanted vagrants.	10/11/2022 3:25 PM
14	Cleanliness Design Perception Programming Safety Social Services The city needs to have social support services for the current visitors in the park. Currently it's home for the unsheltered, their washroom, a drug den, a fight club, a drop-in centre and a garbage dump. All this needs to be supported in a space more conducive than this park. Consider regular programming for the park i.e., could it be a haven for visual artists where they paint/sell artwork. Could you have special tables for games/tournaments like chess/backgammon? Something unique from what other surrounding parks/public spaces offer (Hydro's farmers market, Central Park's sports fields, etc.	10/11/2022 3:18 PM
15	Cleanliness Perception Safety find somewhere for the homeless folks to hang out at, clean the park up and make it user friendly for people who work downtown to come enjoy again. More police, I've witnessed lots of assaults' in the park, with weapons.	10/11/2022 3:15 PM
16	Design Safety By getting rid of it? Or move all the benches to the centre of the park, getting rid of the fountain and making the sidewalk more accessible & safe for commuters.	10/11/2022 2:56 PM
17	Programming Safety Social Services Social services, police, Main Street project constant presence	10/11/2022 2:49 PM
18	Design Perception Safety Remove the wooden benches that were installed a few years ago. This made it much worse. Have security like they do at the True North Square ushering	10/11/2022 2:46 PM

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loiterers away so that downtown shoppers and workers feel safe.

19	Cleanliness I don't know. But it's grotesque. The existing water fountain was called the "toilet bowl" and unhygienic due to all the activity we saw occur in it.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
20	Safety Safety first	10/11/2022 2:38 PM
21	Safety Make it safe for everyone.	10/10/2022 1:09 PM
22	Cleanliness Perception Safety More work needs to be done to keep the park clean and nice-looking. There should also be more moderation of the area, but something should be done to help keep the atmosphere welcoming and safe for all, regulars included. Many people I know find the park to be uninviting and dangerous-feeling with the loiterers, creepy people, and the large amount of litter and trash all over the park.	10/10/2022 1:00 AM
23	Design Social Services Provide washrooms and access to social services.	10/8/2022 3:06 PM
24	Cleanliness Design Perception Programming Safety Social Services Human POO! Ive seen people shitting there! and having sex! there are No animal habitats (a squirrel and some birds that employees feed), there are no bees, no indigenous plants or prerrenials, Needs to be Cleaned up, providing plant care as it is neglected and abused, dirty. Lots of Harrassment and unable to safely meet or eat in peace. People laying around, with drug or alcohol problems and fighting/violence and crime. Visual and personal Prescence of police, Public safety and outreach moving people along would be helpful Be more indigenous positive honoring with truth and reconciliation/MMIW/ residential school , indigenous design and features, possible community elder to be present and available daily and outreach for reservation for homeless clients. Crisis handling onsite. Provide plants for vegetables and medicine that can be harvested, bees for honey etc Environmental friendly, also Manitoba hydro has onsite farmers market....it would be great if this park provided events such as a indigenous crafts, perennial plant sales working with Fort Whyte and living Prairie museum etc.	10/7/2022 12:40 PM
25	Design Public washroom	10/6/2022 7:57 PM
26	Perception Need to remove all the people that takes drugs and drink over there. No one will visit if that continues	10/6/2022 7:11 PM
27	Perception Less people who don't work	10/6/2022 4:21 PM
28	Design Perception It needs to look and feel more alive and welcoming. I think many people see it as a bit of an eyesore that isn't as accessible or inviting as it could be. Art installations, especially woven in and around vegetation, would certainly be one way to invite people in.	10/4/2022 8:38 PM
29	Design Programming trees, benches and yummy food j- that's all you need	10/3/2022 2:12 PM
30	Cleanliness Clean it.	10/2/2022 10:35 PM
31	Design More greenscaping	10/2/2022 2:24 PM
32	Cleanliness Safety It's a shame what the state of this Park is. I wouldn't go here but I'm not afraid to walk by or pass thru it. It's gross, and unsafe. If it held any draw that's long past.	10/2/2022 9:28 AM
33	Programming Programming, food vendors, food trucks, markets	10/1/2022 10:54 PM
34	Cleanliness Design removing the sitting situation with a new design. Maintainance is also a key to keep the new design in shape.	9/25/2022 10:35 AM
35	Design Perception Safety As a person that's been threatened before. I would love to see the fountain removed (because people swim there). I would love to see the benches/seating area removed. Move the bus shelter. These are not available for the working people.	9/22/2022 7:42 AM
36	Perception Safety A plan to get rid of the current situation. Getting rid of people living in tents right outside AC doors. Pathetic. Arresting every drug dealer.	9/19/2022 11:58 AM
37	Safety make it safe. its currently a hang out for drug dealers and intoxicated people	9/16/2022 1:08 PM
38	Cleanliness Design Safety take care of it and keep it clean and safe, take out the fountain, add more places to sit,	9/16/2022 12:42 PM
39	Perception no tents allowed	9/16/2022 12:20 PM
40	Perception Safety Make us safer for people who need to come here on a daily basis	9/16/2022 11:03 AM

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41	Design Perception I think a coffee shop to take up the space or a grocery store would help clear that area. No disrespect but it would offer a bustling place so ppl dont stick ..or can't stick in one place	9/16/2022 6:34 AM
42	Perception Safety Remove the drug deals, fighting and camping	9/15/2022 4:12 PM
43	Nothing can improve it	9/15/2022 10:17 AM
44	Cleanliness Perception Safety It's can't be improved at this point- just get rid of it ! It's dirty and unsafe and has become a magnet for people with nothing better to do than just sit around at all day and harass other people,. It is very unnerving having to walk past it everyday coming and going to work.	9/15/2022 10:14 AM
45	Cleanliness Community Design Perception Programming Create a more welcoming environment. host events, clean up the garbage, gardening. The homeless people make it very unwelcoming but I'm not sure if anything can be done about that so the future of the park might be lost forever.	9/15/2022 8:36 AM
46	Design More decorations	9/15/2022 7:07 AM
47	Cleanliness Design Plant lots of flowers or a garden get rid of the fountain so people don't bath and shower and use it as a toilet.	9/15/2022 6:47 AM
48	See above	9/15/2022 12:26 AM
49	Design Safety Make it safer for people to sit and relax	9/14/2022 9:06 PM
50	Cleanliness Design Safety Remove all the grass and shrubs where people use the space as a bathroom, drug dealing, partying, drinking etc	9/14/2022 8:19 PM
51	Perception Safety It's more of a safety issue. Daily, there are people that are intoxicated/drugged, passed out. You can make the park as pretty as can be - but it still won't be enjoyable unless this is dealt with. Zero tolerance on drunken/drugged/ unruly behavior/persons on property.	9/14/2022 6:01 PM
52	Cleanliness Perception Safety -24/7 security -cleaning -removing the people camping	9/14/2022 3:02 PM
53	Safety SAFETY	9/14/2022 2:52 PM
54	Perception Safety Get rid of the pan handlers, drug trafficker's & drunks	9/14/2022 2:51 PM
55	Perception Safety By enforcing the law in public places. No Drugs, alcohol and pan handling.	9/14/2022 2:48 PM
56	Perception By eliminating drunk people occupying the park.	9/14/2022 2:39 PM
57	Cleanliness Safety More cleaning and safe.	9/14/2022 2:34 PM
58	Cleanliness Design Safety Remove the fountain and seating area. Add another business to add value to the area. Make it cleaner and feel safer.	9/14/2022 2:32 PM
59	Design I think the park should be taken down and parking lot should be put in it's place.	9/14/2022 2:27 PM
60	Atomic bomb	9/14/2022 2:23 PM
61	Safety Daily policing!!	9/14/2022 2:18 PM
62	Safety Remove it fence it and provided police service	9/14/2022 2:17 PM
63	Perception Safety Somehow relocate the people that currently hang out there and make it unsafe for others	9/14/2022 2:15 PM
64	Cleanliness Design cleaning, make it safe	9/14/2022 1:42 PM
65	Perception Safety Ask those being rowdy/harassing to leave, not allowing tents and drinking	9/14/2022 1:30 PM
66	Cleanliness Design Programming Please clean the park, get the fountain going again, add some food trucks	9/14/2022 1:27 PM
67	Design Perception Safety Remove all the ability to sit so there is no where to loiter. Start over with walking path and nice trees/flowers fenced in so there is nowhere to sit. This will	9/14/2022 1:18 PM

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alleviate the congregating of drugs/gangs/homeless. Have been working around the park for 35years

68	Demolish it.	9/14/2022 1:16 PM
69	N/a	9/14/2022 1:14 PM
70	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety The park would be more welcoming if there wasn't the fear associated with the current occupants of the park. The garbage, the empty alcohol bottles, the drug paraphilia etc. I'd like to see a place where I could feel safe to sit, have my lunch, read a book or talk with a friend without the smell of drugs being smoked around me, being approached for money or just bothered in general for being in the space. The trees and the greenery are nice, when they aren't being used as sleeping space, urinals, hotel rooms, etc	9/14/2022 1:13 PM
71	Design Create a central focus point (like a water fountain that actually works for example)	9/14/2022 12:53 PM
72	Cleanliness Perception Remove the garbage and people that are there.	9/14/2022 12:52 PM
73	Design Perception Take away the park - there is no way to fix the problem unless you take away all grass and seating areas. All of the ideas in point 11 below are awful ideas. You will not get rid of the current crowd by bringing in more seating.	9/14/2022 12:49 PM
74	Safety safety, more security	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
75	Perception Safety Enforce Laws! We need laws, even for the homeless. Public intoxication is illegal! Mass crowds of intoxicated people is a public hazard.	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
76	Perception Safety Constant patrol to remove loitering by undesirables	9/14/2022 12:28 PM
77	Cleanliness Perception Safety Get rid of the drug dealers and tent residents. Public toilets would also be a good improvement so people aren't just relieving themselves in the bushes.	9/14/2022 11:59 AM
78	Safety Need to have more police , because no one feels safe walking by	9/14/2022 11:49 AM
79	Cleanliness Perception Safety SAFETY ... Get rid of all the homeless people/drug dealers/crime and clean up the garbage that is everywhere.	9/14/2022 11:47 AM
80	Design I don't have the answer to that. Maybe get rid of the grass?	9/14/2022 11:45 AM
81	Perception No pan handlers/campers	9/14/2022 11:44 AM
82	Community Perception Safety more options for displaced, homeless, addicted or vulnerable peoples to have a safe place to gather and hang out during the day. to be safe, those places would need to be secure and free of drugs and weapons (ie knives and machetes)	9/14/2022 11:40 AM
83	Cleanliness Perception Safety Make the park feel safe and clean. There has been so many people smoking and drinking alcohol.	9/14/2022 11:33 AM
84	Cleanliness Perception Programming Perhaps if there's a time limit put in place? I agree everyone should enjoy it but people are using it to sleep, smoke or use as a washroom.	9/14/2022 11:32 AM
85	Perception Safety remove the people who should not be there do not allow people to put up tents do not allow stand-bys make it more safe	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
86	Perception Get rid of vagrants	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
87	Safety no more aggressive, intoxicated and unpredictable people	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
88	Design Perception If it wasn't a park altogether. remove the spaces where people linger and make it a parking lot	9/14/2022 11:20 AM
89	Cleanliness Safety clean it up provide security to oversee area for problem solving	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
90	more	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
91	Cleanliness Design Safety SAFETY , Cleanliness, Esthetic gardens and vibe like True North Centre	9/14/2022 11:17 AM
92	Cleanliness Perception Safety Security, clean up, somehow remove /relocate the people	9/14/2022 11:14 AM

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who are making it unsafe and dirty?

93	Cleanliness Perception Safety	I would like to see the park a safer place to walk or cross by a person , without being intimidated by the people sitting around and 100% clean.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
94	Perception Safety	Literally anything that will take up space in order to less sketchy homeless people loitering/asking for money and/or threatening assault.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
95	Cleanliness Perception	clean it up and get rid of the people who are hanging out there and bothering others	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
96	Design	raise it to street level, get rid of the fountain, remove the columns	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
97	Perception	If you got rid of the drunk homeless sitting around all day and night	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
98	Cleanliness Perception	I don't know. It's a park for people to enjoy so how can you keep it clean and vagrant free	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
99	Perception Safety	Anything done would be an improvement, but there needs to be a constant effort to discourage the drug dealers and vagrants daily	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
100	Perception	What this "park" is being used for is not a park. If nothing changes with it, then the park should not be there any more. For how it can be improved, please see my answer in question 12.	9/14/2022 11:07 AM
101	Design Programming	I've seen small gated parks in London. They have beautiful gates, no chain link. Can be closed from 10pm-7am.	9/14/2022 11:06 AM
102	Design Perception	We need to make this space unattractive to the homeless and unemployed. No shade and seating far apart (open spaces), so that multiple people can not congregate. No green space so that tents can not be pitched.	9/14/2022 11:02 AM
103	Design	Remove the water fountain	9/14/2022 11:01 AM
104	Perception Safety	make it safer by removing all the homeless & drunk people in that area. Make the park more for working people who wants to take a short break from busy office.	9/14/2022 10:59 AM
105	Design Perception Programming	I think a removal of the fountain and some seating areas to be revamped as to not encourage a huge gathering zone would be beneficial. I think more art (statues) or an area for live music/performances and shows would make this a better area to attend.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
106	Design Perception	Redesign that cannot do camping and sit around in big group.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
107	Design Perception	redo it with no access to sitting area. . so that no people stays and camp there	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
108	Cleanliness Perception Programming Safety	Not allowing people to sleep/live in the park. The park is not welcoming. It is a very unsafe area. The Air Canada building requires a fence and security to help with the safety of the building employees. This park could be improved if it was a clean and monitored space. Perhaps an extension for market vendors in the afternoon during the week.	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
109	Cleanliness Programming Safety	Security and creating a time period of access so that if maintenance needs to be done it gets completed more often.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
110	Cleanliness Perception Safety	Having less drunk/homeless people, and cleaning up litter, empty bottles, needles etc.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
111	Cleanliness Safety	Cleaned up, potentially security, something to detract the violence/drugs etc.	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
112	Cleanliness Design	Please implement some type of public restroom/porta-potty; I can regularly see people peeing/pooping in the areas around the building; if they had access to a restroom that could be avoided.	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
113	Cleanliness Perception Safety	More safety, cleanliness. There are clearly people under the influence of drugs and alcohol. Some days I feel unsafe walking by.	9/14/2022 10:53 AM
114	Cleanliness Design Programming Safety	Update it with better lighting, more police presence, security cameras, remove all the dirty benches that people consume drugs and	9/14/2022 10:52 AM

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alcohol on, forcing them to use elsewhere. Remove the water fountain and replace it with a splash pad for children and seating for parents to watch. Add supervised public washrooms in the area to reduce public urinating.

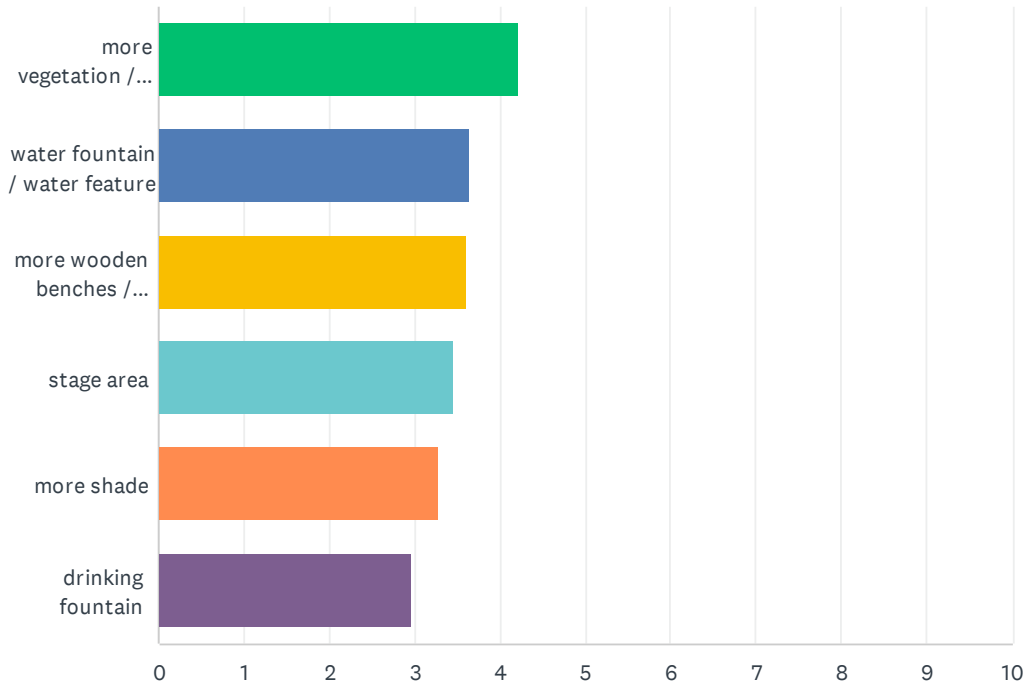
115	Cleanliness Safety I think I've said it a few times already. It is unusable in it's present state, because it is not safe, relaxing or clean.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
116	Cleanliness Safety It needs to be safe and clean	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
117	Not entirely sure.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
118	Safety More security. Generally I do not feel safe	9/14/2022 10:49 AM
119	Cleanliness Perception Safety There is alot of homeless people that hang around the park all day. I do not feel safe around them considering they are drunk most of the time and unhygienic. If they could be removed, or be placed somewhere else then that would be a big step.	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
120	Perception Safety More police presence and ensuring it doesn't become like a homeless shelter.	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
121	Perception Get rid of the clientele that is there now	9/14/2022 10:46 AM
122	Perception give homeless people a place to stay and a work to do.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
123	Cleanliness Perception not letting people take control of the space such as doing laundry in the fountain, sleeping in the flower beds putting up tents and using the space as a toilet.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
124	Cleanliness Perception Safety Kick out the aboriginals who are doing their drugs, defecating, urinating and leaving garbage all over in the park!!!!	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
125	bulldoze it	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
126	Safety Have more police present in the area	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
127	Perception honestly just to get the people out of there	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
128	Design Less cement, more green space (without reducing seating capacity)	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
129	Perception Safety security and NO TENTS	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
130	Answered on question 8	9/14/2022 10:35 AM
131	Perception Less encampment on the park	9/14/2022 10:33 AM
132	Design Safety Removed entirely. Working people need safety!!!	9/14/2022 10:32 AM
133	Perception Safety Remove the campers in the park, more police visibility, less drunk people	9/14/2022 10:30 AM
134	Perception By removing the animals that currently reside and hang out here	9/14/2022 10:29 AM
135	Community Safety Try to make is more friendly, have improvements and most importantly the safety	9/14/2022 10:27 AM
136	Safety This park could first be improved for not having scaring things going on there. I dont see it as a safe place, I usually walk by very fast.	9/14/2022 10:25 AM
137	Cleanliness Community Perception Safety Remove those people in the park that makes other people feel unsafe and unwelcome! There should be no drinking, smoking, sleeping, loitering and littering in the park! The park must be clean at all times.	9/14/2022 10:23 AM
138	Design Perception Programming Safety Sleep-proof benches. Fountains that spring from ground with no standing water at base. Security. Open and close times like other parks, fence/gate closed at 9pm. No grass for encampments.	9/14/2022 10:22 AM
139	Safety More security and people overseeing the park for alcohol and obliterated people	9/14/2022 10:19 AM
140	Safety Safety, every time I pass through it, people yell at me for no reason. I feel unsafe even walking in the sidewalk beside it.	9/14/2022 10:12 AM
141	Programming Safety Have security watch the area. Have hours of opertation for the park - business hours	9/14/2022 9:50 AM

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142	Perception	Less of a converging spot for unsheltered population who have taken over the space	9/14/2022 9:23 AM
143	Perception	Rid the are of the current clientele.	9/14/2022 9:08 AM
144	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety	Level it. Green space welcomes "camping". Permanent security. The current water feature became a pool & bath for the locals...water = bad news.	9/14/2022 9:01 AM
145	Perception	Please get rid of the tents and homelessness around the park	9/14/2022 8:23 AM
146	Design Perception Programming Safety	Don't allow people to use the park as their own personal space. Add mini stores and hotdog stands. Add police. Make it a commercial area with mini stores or food stands.	9/14/2022 8:15 AM
147	Design	lighting, sightlines	9/13/2022 9:16 AM

Q11 Some features are being considered for the redesign of the park – can you rank them in order from most important to least important?

Answered: 136 Skipped: 67



	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOTAL	SCORE
more vegetation / plants	28.57% 38	22.56% 30	18.80% 25	13.53% 18	6.77% 9	9.77% 13	133	4.23
water fountain / water feature	20.63% 26	14.29% 18	19.05% 24	19.05% 24	9.52% 12	17.46% 22	126	3.65
more wooden benches / seating	17.21% 21	19.67% 24	18.03% 22	13.11% 16	14.75% 18	17.21% 21	122	3.60
stage area	16.80% 21	12.80% 16	20.00% 25	16.80% 21	17.60% 22	16.00% 20	125	3.46
more shade	7.32% 9	19.51% 24	13.82% 17	23.58% 29	25.20% 31	10.57% 13	123	3.28
drinking fountain	13.82% 17	11.38% 14	10.57% 13	12.20% 15	25.20% 31	26.83% 33	123	2.96

Q12 Public parks are meant to be spaces that welcome all people and give everyone a safe place to rest, be outside, and interact with others. How can this park promote wellness and safety?

Answered: 141 Skipped: 62

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Heavy security	10/17/2022 1:31 PM
2	Everyone is welcome to use the space as they please. My concern is mainly for after-work hours it is super unlit and dark (especially in the winter) and there doesn't have a safe feeling when people are starting to head home for the day. Perhaps it can have activities to do during the day and some sort of security into the evening.	10/14/2022 4:35 PM
3	It is currently a space only for members of a certain community. There is an occasional stench of urine. These aspects must change.	10/13/2022 7:13 PM
4	clean up the vagrancy	10/13/2022 4:22 PM
5	Greater presence and enforcement by police officers and Downtown Watch patrols.	10/13/2022 2:34 PM
6	Park needs to be monitored to remove individuals that make it unsafe or undesirable place to go. The culture of the park needs changing. Maybe start with a name change for the park.	10/13/2022 2:32 PM
7	By removing the drugs and booze	10/12/2022 1:49 PM
8	Ensuring that the park is monitored on an ongoing basis so that if anyone is behaving in a manner that is not in line with the spirit of public spaces they are dealt with quickly.	10/12/2022 11:39 AM
9	Put up a police assistance booth somewhere for deterrence. WPS should be highly visible in this area everyday. Not cadets but actual cops! Get rid of people loitering.	10/12/2022 11:18 AM
10	I think a community garden would help as it would promote healthy eating and give people a purpose if they were contributing to it. Access to free healthy food.	10/12/2022 11:17 AM
11	Get rid of fountain and benches.	10/12/2022 10:45 AM
12	Less drug sellers. Cameras. Dedicated social worker/community liaison. Salon van site to pick up for meals. Down town Biz.	10/11/2022 6:01 PM
13	it needs more attention to the needs of those who want to use it and not to accommodate unwanted guests.	10/11/2022 3:25 PM
14	In NYC, they provide seating by day with chairs/bistro tables. These amenities are removed/locked up overnight to stop vagrancy. Although I ranked more wooden benches/seating as #2, we must avoid vagrancy.	10/11/2022 3:18 PM
15	By providing a safe place to relax, currently it is completely unhealthy and unsafe.	10/11/2022 3:15 PM
16	This park does not "welcome all" and give everyone "a safe place to rest". There is a lot of drug use & alcohol going on in the park which makes it highly unsafe. I mean, Air Canada had to put up a fence!	10/11/2022 2:56 PM
17	I don't know	10/11/2022 2:49 PM
18	Have security guard workers monitor during business hours like True North Square. Usher troublemakers and under the influence users away. Knowing someone is there to assist if someone is bothering you would help.	10/11/2022 2:46 PM
19	The only time the park feels "safer" is when there is an event. But there can't be an event every day. I don't know what the solution is.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
20	Own security	10/11/2022 2:38 PM

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21	Stop turning a blind eye to the drug and alcohol use and the bullying and fighting going on there everyday.	10/10/2022 1:09 PM
22	Provide a supervised and cleaned washroom and access to social services.	10/8/2022 3:06 PM
23	Be more indigenous positive honoring with truth and reconciliation/MMIW/ residential school , indigenous design and features, possible community elder to be present and available daily and outreach for reservation for homeless clients. Crisis handling onsite. Provide plants for vegetables and medicine that can be harvested, bees for honey etc Environmental friendly, also Manitoba hydro has onsite farmers market....it would be great if this park provided events such as a indigenous crafts, perennial plant sales working with Fort Whyte and living Prairie museum etc.	10/7/2022 12:40 PM
24	Access to social services, employment resources, harm reduction services, education programs	10/6/2022 7:57 PM
25	It's impossible if the people continue drinking and take drugs there	10/6/2022 7:11 PM
26	no loitering	10/6/2022 4:21 PM
27	Are security cameras being considered? It does look quite dark sometimes in the evening, which might keep a lot of people away. That will also help enhance safety, and allow people to relax safely, which is part of promoting wellness.	10/4/2022 8:38 PM
28	Safety Downtown Biz foot patrol	10/3/2022 2:12 PM
29	Perception Shoul not be a place for drunks and panhandlers.	10/2/2022 10:35 PM
30	Social Services Culturally appropriate resources on-site for anyone who wants them	10/2/2022 2:24 PM
31	Cleanliness Perception Safety Clean it up literally. No alcohol no drugs no pushers no weapons no fighting no hate or racism. The garden are disgusting due to garbage and carelessness.	10/2/2022 9:28 AM
32	Design Perception Safety Urban parks should feel like a back yard, safe, comfortable, relaxing	10/1/2022 10:54 PM
33	Cleanliness Design Safety more lights for evenings and lights that work; clean up graffittie...more local art ..more places to feel safe to sit and chat	9/29/2022 6:02 PM
34	Cleanliness Perception I don't regard this area as a public park. Central Park is. A clean place that " EVERYONE" can enjoy, not only one group.	9/25/2022 10:35 AM
35	Safety It will never promote wellness and safety. This space is likely to get you injured.	9/22/2022 7:42 AM
36	Perception Getting rid of everyone that currently are at the park.	9/19/2022 11:58 AM
37	Safety have security monitor it	9/16/2022 1:08 PM
38	Design less places to hide, more places to sit and meet, I like the new poem and trees	9/16/2022 12:42 PM
39	Programming promoting exercise	9/16/2022 10:24 AM
40	Perception By moving the street people out of the area	9/16/2022 6:34 AM
41	Cleanliness Keep it clean	9/15/2022 9:34 PM
42	Perception Safety Remove the drug deals, fighting and camping	9/15/2022 4:12 PM
43	it cant	9/15/2022 10:17 AM
44	Perception Safety Get rid of it- the people occupying it right now make it unsafe - it's no longer a park, it's a hang out. Are people supposed to drink, deal drugs and sleep in a park with a tent or on the benches- NO, this is not a park	9/15/2022 10:14 AM
45	Community Programming Safety Have security monitoring everyone in the park, no alcohol allowed or drugs. Make sure everyone is behaving and being nice, no yelling, maybe a speaker to play some quite music.	9/15/2022 8:36 AM
46	Perception Social Services Deal with the disenfranchised people	9/15/2022 12:26 AM
47	Safety Downtown Biz onsite; security cameras	9/14/2022 9:06 PM

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48	Design Remove all shrubs, trees and grass	9/14/2022 8:19 PM
49	Safety Stronger police/cadet or some sort of presence to enforce no drinking/drugs in park	9/14/2022 6:01 PM
50	Perception Safety I really don't think it can. Unless, there is security monitoring who is able to be there. Otherwise, it will just continue to be a camp out and unsafe place for people.	9/14/2022 3:02 PM
51	Perception Safety Social Services Provide more supports for the homeless and addicted people that have taken over our park and made it an unsafe place to be.	9/14/2022 2:52 PM
52	Perception By not allowing people to break the laws about public spaces	9/14/2022 2:48 PM
53	Perception avoid homeless people sleeping in the park	9/14/2022 2:39 PM
54	Perception There always people there, drinking and using drugs	9/14/2022 2:34 PM
55	Cleanliness Perception Cleanliness and decrease the number of homeless people loitering in the area.	9/14/2022 2:32 PM
56	Safety I believe the park has become a waste of tax payers money. It is a very dangerous place	9/14/2022 2:27 PM
57	Programming Safety Pay to sit, armed guards	9/14/2022 2:23 PM
58	Safety Daily policing!!	9/14/2022 2:18 PM
59	Programming Safety Simply...Provide the safety fence it. Close it after hours police it	9/14/2022 2:17 PM
60	Perception By doing the opposite. Not promoting drug use or promoting it as a space to take shelter, because that's what it's currently used for and no one else wants to be anywhere near there.	9/14/2022 2:15 PM
61	Design Perception Social Services Find a safe place for the current group of rabble rousers or create a respectful deterrent	9/14/2022 2:01 PM
62	Safety as long as safety for all users is ok why not	9/14/2022 1:42 PM
63	Perception Social Services no loitering sign If the community need shelter, please move them to one	9/14/2022 1:27 PM
64	Nobody wants to hear it but nobody wants to be downtown because of what the city has let it become.	9/14/2022 1:18 PM
65	Relocate the park.	9/14/2022 1:16 PM
66	Social Services Offer wellness services, as the people that frequent this park appear to be in need of this.	9/14/2022 1:14 PM
67	Cleanliness Design Perception Safety The park would be more welcoming if there wasn't the fear associated with the current occupants of the park. The garbage, the empty alcohol bottles, the drug paraphilia etc. I'd like to see a place where I could feel safe to sit, have my lunch, read a book or talk with a friend without the smell of drugs being smoked around me, being approached for money or just bothered in general for being in the space. The trees and the greenery are nice, when they aren't being used as sleeping space, urinals, hotel rooms, etc	9/14/2022 1:13 PM
68	Design More trees would help create relief from the noisy streets surrounding it	9/14/2022 12:53 PM
69	Community Have more people there who work or live in the area.	9/14/2022 12:52 PM
70	By removing it completely.	9/14/2022 12:49 PM
71	Safety police in the area, watching for alcohol use and drug deals	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
72	Perception Safety Enforce Laws! We need laws, even for the homeless. Public intoxication is illegal! Mass crowds of intoxicated people is a public hazard.	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
73	Perception No loitering	9/14/2022 12:28 PM
74	Perception Get rid of the drug dealers and tent residents.	9/14/2022 11:59 AM
75	Perception Safety Social Services This is no longer a place where working people feel safe to sit. Unless people feel safe they are not going to sit there. Too much drug activity and	9/14/2022 11:47 AM

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crime happening. Wasting money trying to beautify the park until people have help with their addictions and homelessness.

76	Safety by changing it so WE can all use it and FEEL safe sitting there	9/14/2022 11:45 AM
77	Community Not allowing alcohol in the park	9/14/2022 11:44 AM
78	Safety this is the most difficult question. I wish I had an answer. Many people I work with including myself have no issues with homeless or vulnerable persons. I am absolutely terrified of the person shouting profanities into the air with a crazed look or the person with a machete poking out of their backback. I am absolutely scared and disheartened of the drug trade so prevalent and open in this spot. I am horrified of the people that seem to be strung out on meth and not in their right mind. People that are passed out or inebriated have rarely if ever posed a safety concern.	9/14/2022 11:40 AM
79	Design Improve ambience	9/14/2022 11:33 AM
80	Design Perhaps more garden (less concrete) and just a few small benches.	9/14/2022 11:32 AM
81	Perception Safety do not allow people to put up tents do not allow stand-bys do not allow drugs secure the place by adding police and not security guards	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
82	Perception Safety Keep the vagrants and losers out. We are scared to go and enjoy the park. My co-workers have had too many incidents with them, that we now have security outside our building.	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
83	Safety no more aggressive, intoxicated and unpredictable people	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
84	Safety have police or security around all day long	9/14/2022 11:20 AM
85	Programming workshops, activities	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
86	Design Perception sleep proof benches, and more inground fountains that prevent encampments, yet refreshing splashes in hotter months.	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
87	Cleanliness Perception Safety Oversight to relocate anyone loitering, consuming alcohol etc., intoxicated, aggressive . Keep area pristine from litter, bodily excretions. It's currently very intimidating, frightening.	9/14/2022 11:17 AM
88	Safety More security?	9/14/2022 11:14 AM
89	Cleanliness Perception Safety yes , the park seems very dirty and the people sitting or sleeping around there seems scary so , we who works in AC building always tried to avoid and attacks or incident and cross the other side through Carlton. It should be kept clean all the time and have access to everyone without being worried that somebody might attack them.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
90	Safety Social Services On-site security/police, Downtown Community Safety Partnership	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
91	Cleanliness Perception Safety right now it can't be because it's really not a safe feeling place. The area really needs to be cleaned up and not used at a sleeping area, a bathroom or a place to sell drugs.	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
92	Safety the problems with the park are similar to what was happening in the old public space behind the library - make this park a safe space the way the green space behind the library was...	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
93	Safety I definitely do not feel safe there	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
94	I have no idea	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
95	Community Perception Safety The park is currently not a safe or welcoming place, as the vagrants have taken the space over. NO ONE feels safe in that park, or even walking by it. The only way to promote safety at this point is 24/7 policing,	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
96	Perception Safety As per my answers from question 8 and 10 I don't currently view this as a park. There is always a constant cadet/police/paramedic presence in this area. I don't view this as a safe place. There needs to be an overhaul in how this park is created and if there can be a better use for it because right now it is not being used for its intended purposes.	9/14/2022 11:07 AM
97	Community Programming needs to become more inclusive, not only for drinking. would be a good idea to move some of the farmer's market to this location and maybe some food carts.	9/14/2022 11:06 AM

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98	Promote more people to visit. I was in New York for a visit and I felt more safe walking down timesquare due to the fact that there were hundreds of people walking down the strip and I felt safe. As I got closer to my hotel, I would get furthera way and all of a sudden the streets got darker, it was quieter and there were few people and of those people, they had their own internal struggles, challenges.	9/14/2022 11:01 AM
99	Maybe assigned police to watch the area during daytime	9/14/2022 10:59 AM
100	By bringing more activity and a presence to the park I think that would encourage safety. To discourage long term loitering and drug/alcohol use.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
101	Please move all the social assistances (IE: Shelter, food bank, Salvation army, etc...) out of downtown and find a good place to be all in one community outside downtown for homeless.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
102	its not safe as people are doing drugs in there	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
103	By not allowing people to spend the night/camp/ live in the park	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
104	I know I've mentioned this previously but having time period access and frequent maintenance. Walking down the street to pick up a wucij coffee and consistently being yelled at or asked to buy food and drinks because "I make money" is not enjoyable.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
105	have more downtown watch patrols	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
106	Clean it up, have some sort of designated area for businesses to use that is not unsafe.	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
107	An enforced curfew and/or an established community services kiosk	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
108	Possible security, less people camping out, less drug abuse, make it clean.	9/14/2022 10:53 AM
109	Better lighting, on duty security guards, security cameras, more public events	9/14/2022 10:52 AM
110	I wish I had the answers.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
111	exercise classes (ie pop up yoga), art classes but probably first need to understand and solve the problems that have caused it to become unsafe and unwelcoming to many.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
112	I am not sure how to make the park safe. The biggest issue with the park right now is the safety aspect. It is un safe to go there most of the day other then first thing in the AM when it's empty.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
113	More security. Generally I do not feel safe	9/14/2022 10:49 AM
114	No drunk/drugged people.	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
115	It cannot as the clientele will not change	9/14/2022 10:46 AM
116	get the drugs and drug dealing under control. Get rid of the over intoxicated people that are sleeping, fighting or throwing up everywhere. Also the asking for money, some of them are scary when you say no to them.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
117	Kick out the aboriginals. They are a menace and abuse the working people daily.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
118	have cops there 24/7 and start arresting people for drink and smoking drugs in public, remove people who are not following rules	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
119	Have more police present in the area.	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
120	well its hard when you have people camping out all night and nothing is being done about it. i WORK AT AIR CANADA AND I DONT FEEL SAFE AT ALL ONCE IM OUTSIDE THE BUILDING	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
121	Not sure but it needs to be safer.	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
122	Workshops and community gatherings	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
123	Hold job fair/activities like introducing culture/selling product to promote wellness and safety	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
124	MORE SECURITY NO TENTS	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
125	Get rid of the drug dealers, people passed out and aggressive people. Not relaxing if there's no safety	9/14/2022 10:35 AM

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126	No camps and drinking of alcoholic beverages	9/14/2022 10:33 AM
127	Police presence. Government should provide a shelter for disadvantaged peoples and treatment centres for addictions!	9/14/2022 10:32 AM
128	If we can prevent campers in the park, less indigenous people who are taking drugs or drinking in the park	9/14/2022 10:30 AM
129	Full time police station should be built in this area	9/14/2022 10:29 AM
130	I don't think it does at all. It is a scary place, with people ranging visibly around intoxicated.	9/14/2022 10:25 AM
131	Remove those people in the park that makes other people feel unsafe and unwelcome! There should be no drinking, smoking, sleeping, loitering and littering in the park!	9/14/2022 10:23 AM
132	Security. Open and close times with a gate and fence for safety. Sleep proof seating. No bushes as they are used as toilets.	9/14/2022 10:22 AM
133	Have security and people watching the park and have people follow the park hours and not have people set up tents	9/14/2022 10:19 AM
134	Intense Police presence in the area and less drugs in the area.	9/14/2022 10:12 AM
135	Have this area designated for the working class, not criminals	9/14/2022 9:50 AM
136	Will not rate the options above as this will only give the ones that currently hang out even more of a reason to stay. That issue has to be dealt with first before any enhancements should be made.	9/14/2022 9:08 AM
137	Permanent security/policing The safe space in the park is currently non-existing for those who work in the area.	9/14/2022 9:01 AM
138	Security personnel on ground at all times	9/14/2022 8:38 AM
139	Provide more police presences, as I see a lot of public intoxication around the park, possible usage of drugs as well.	9/14/2022 8:23 AM
140	Make the park a place for activities like mini concerts, painting, dancing, singing contests maybe.	9/14/2022 8:15 AM
141	more variety of programming and activities	9/13/2022 9:16 AM

Q13 Is there someone else we should be talking to about the future design of the park?

Answered: 95 Skipped: 108

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1	Whoever put those benches in, can they be removed	10/17/2022 1:31 PM
2	Speak to the people who are currently residing in the park and employees in the surrounding buildings.	10/14/2022 4:35 PM
3	Talk to respectable people, if not the cream of society.	10/13/2022 7:13 PM
4	clean up the vagrancy	10/13/2022 4:22 PM
5	Chief of Police.	10/13/2022 2:34 PM
6	The design will need to use materials that are very durable and easy to clean. Sight lines need to open so there no place in the park that can not be seen from the street.	10/13/2022 2:32 PM
7	Indigenous Elders	10/12/2022 1:49 PM
8	Yes.	10/12/2022 11:18 AM
9	All levels of government. You need to address the housing crisis downtown and the mental health crisis everywhere. Until people have somewhere safe to go and create community, this park will have a lot of issues. Safety being a big one.	10/12/2022 11:17 AM
10	Ask the people that work downtown on safety.	10/12/2022 10:45 AM
11	Thrive Safety Club at Thrive Community support Circle-204-772-9091 Ask for Safety Club. Ask central park patrol.	10/11/2022 6:01 PM
12	fencing and removal of benches	10/11/2022 3:25 PM
13	Success stories in other major cities i.e., NYC (don't mean to be a broken record but NYC has many success stories in this area).	10/11/2022 3:18 PM
14	Well considering Air Canada has nothing to do with the park, call whatever governing body looks at it and rename the park appropriately.	10/11/2022 2:56 PM
15	Someone that can help with a possible solution to moving the gathering spot for these people to another location. Is there a group that specializes in the homeless and drug/alcohol users issue that could perhaps create a safe place for them such as this park to gather amongst themselves? I do realize they have issues and seeing these addressed in the city to help those in need is necessary. They do need their own communities of friends gathering.	10/11/2022 2:46 PM
16	The police and downtown street crew perhaps.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
17	Winnipeg Police and Indigenous organizations	10/11/2022 2:38 PM
18	Winnipeg Police. It would be good if they had more regular foot patrols there to deal with the unsafe people.	10/10/2022 1:09 PM
19	Indigenous community grass roots groups and developers	10/7/2022 12:40 PM
20	Spend time in the park and talk with people there, advocacy groups may help, Canadian centre for policy alternatives might have insight or at least be able to direct	10/6/2022 7:57 PM
21	City of Winnipeg	10/6/2022 7:11 PM
22	I would ask the Police for input.	10/6/2022 4:21 PM
23	Given its location, I expect indigenous leaders would have a unique voice in how that space would benefit indigenous people, and also downtown residents who likely use or pass ACP more often than those who only rarely visit. And if concerts/performances are being	10/4/2022 8:38 PM

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considered, then artists and performers would definitely have deeper insight into how the space can be better used.

24	APTN, any Aboriginal leader, Southern Chiefs, new NDP Wab Kinew, Robert Ouellette, This is a must nowadays.	10/2/2022 9:28 AM
25	the folk who use it on the regular -residents and workers in the zone	9/29/2022 6:02 PM
26	Shelmerdines. But whoever you choose, please indicate to them the present problem with it.	9/25/2022 10:35 AM
27	Consult with the working people in the area. Our downtown needs cleaning up	9/22/2022 7:42 AM
28	Do not add drinking fountains, benches. Do not add anything that will attract more homeless people.	9/19/2022 11:58 AM
29	the businesses in the area	9/16/2022 1:08 PM
30	people currently occupying the park	9/16/2022 10:24 AM
31	Police	9/15/2022 4:12 PM
32	Like who - I work right behind the park- you are getting the truth not some good doers version.	9/15/2022 10:14 AM
33	N/A	9/15/2022 8:36 AM
34	Bright lighting for at night	9/15/2022 12:26 AM
35	Air Canada and APTN	9/14/2022 8:19 PM
36	Business' in the area Especially Air Canada and APTN since their buildings are closest to the park.	9/14/2022 6:01 PM
37	n/a	9/14/2022 3:02 PM
38	I am not able to answer this question as I don't know who you have talked to so far.	9/14/2022 2:52 PM
39	Businesses in the area.	9/14/2022 2:48 PM
40	no	9/14/2022 2:39 PM
41	Companies willing to build a business within the area.	9/14/2022 2:32 PM
42	I think the tax payers should have a say. Maybe talk to the guy that sells hotdogs at the Park he's been there for more then 20 years.	9/14/2022 2:27 PM
43	All levels of government and police	9/14/2022 2:17 PM
44	Politicians? All employees of businesses close by	9/14/2022 2:15 PM
45	Yes, justice system, the city, the police and have downtown biz again	9/14/2022 1:27 PM
46	Only those that work downtown and have to experience what is going on. It's one thing to say come support downtown business, I don't see the Mayor sitting outside in the park for an entire day to see how long he enjoys it	9/14/2022 1:18 PM
47	Bulldozer Company; Daycare Planners, Parkade planners	9/14/2022 1:16 PM
48	N/a	9/14/2022 1:14 PM
49	Everyone that works or commutes downtown for any reason that has to look at the park.	9/14/2022 1:13 PM
50	Indigenous community members. This is an important public space	9/14/2022 12:53 PM
51	The police and keeping it safe.	9/14/2022 12:52 PM
52	The food truck industry.	9/14/2022 12:49 PM
53	All employees of Air Canada, APTN, Hydro, Portage Place who are all in danger going to work everyday! Mayor of Vancouver - re: hastings street. Other cities that have the homeless drug problem we have.	9/14/2022 12:37 PM
54	X	9/14/2022 12:28 PM
55	I assume there is already planned consultation with interested Indigenous groups. I welcome a	9/14/2022 11:59 AM

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broader appreciation of those cultural aspects of the community within the park. But there needs to be something to support members of those communities who sadly face addictions, etc. and hang out in the park all day long while intoxicated and yelling/screaming/fighting.

56	a designer	9/14/2022 11:45 AM
57	The City of Winnipeg or Province of Manitoba to provide social funding for vulnerable, homeless or displaced persons. For displaced persons, living downtown in hotels for years is not fun for anyone (them or the people visiting Winnipeg or for the people working in Winnipeg). There needs to be a better temporary solution for displaced persons. There needs to be more options of welcoming gathering places near shelters and food banks or needed services for addiction treatment. There needs to be a no drug policy in the park. how to enforce it, I have no idea	9/14/2022 11:40 AM
58	government should remove the people there and make the area safe	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
59	no	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
60	the mayor or the police department may have "safe" ideas	9/14/2022 11:20 AM
61	law enforcement, engineers, design companies	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
62	Another idea would be to collaborate with Manitoba Hydro to introduce ways to generate electricity using human power. etc, outdoor treadmill, stationary cycle, etc.	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
63	The service responders that are constantly attempting to address current issues. i.e. police, paramedics, downtown red jackets, security personnel and property mgmt of Air Canada building.	9/14/2022 11:17 AM
64	no idea	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
65	Winnipeg Police and Downtown Community Safety Partnership to help unsheltered person(s) requiring connections to shelter, food, resources, safety/wellness checks and courtesy/safety walks.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
66	Winnipeg police and the mayor	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
67	I have no idea	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
68	Surely, other cities have these same issues, but not necessarily right in the heart of downtown, possibly get some ideas from other cities.	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
69	N/A	9/14/2022 11:07 AM
70	The indigenous community.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
71	just get rid of it totally	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
72	the Winnipeg police may have some suggestions.	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
73	Neighbouring businesses and apartment complexes.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
74	Air Canada, Downtown Biz	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
75	True North Square is a perfect example of how an outdoor public space should be. I would consult with their architect and planning committees. It's safe, it's open, it's bright.	9/14/2022 10:52 AM
76	See 12.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
77	The people who currently use the park	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
78	Not sure.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
79	Air Canada	9/14/2022 10:47 AM
80	the people that have paid big money to buy condos in the surrounding areas	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
81	Working people in the area.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
82	no	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
83	don't make it a park. people will still come and sit and the same thing that's happening will happen again. instead make it into a community centre or rec space. for activities.	9/14/2022 10:43 AM

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84	Indigenous communities, unhoused people, frequent users of the park	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
85	Business and building around.	9/14/2022 10:41 AM
86	police	9/14/2022 10:40 AM
87	The city or an architectural firm	9/14/2022 10:33 AM
88	No. It must go	9/14/2022 10:32 AM
89	This question should be directly asked to the candidates seeking mayor office	9/14/2022 10:29 AM
90	The people who is currently occupying the park on daily basis.	9/14/2022 10:25 AM
91	City and Mayor	9/14/2022 9:50 AM
92	City Mayor.	9/14/2022 9:01 AM
93	N/A	9/14/2022 8:23 AM
94	Put small stores and put more tables and chairs if there are stores	9/14/2022 8:15 AM
95	curb appeal - how does it contribute to the image of downtown and promote private investment in the area	9/13/2022 9:16 AM

Q14 What else would you like us to know about this park and/or your thoughts and vision for its future redevelopment?

Answered: 103 Skipped: 100

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1	Same security as True North Park a block away. Should not have for one and not the other.	10/17/2022 1:31 PM
2	I'm excited to be able to use the park in the future! Downtown used to feel like a fun spot to want to work, but the pandemic has turned it for the worst. Looking forward to the future of the park.	10/14/2022 4:35 PM
3	It's currently a must to avoid for respectable people. Perhaps a modest entry fee may be levied.	10/13/2022 7:13 PM
4	I think it is a lost cause as a welcome place for all. Anything that gets established is quickly destroyed by out of control people. Everyone is too afraid, including the police and politicians	10/13/2022 4:22 PM
5	Anything done will be doomed to failure if measures aren't taken to greatly increase public safety in and around this park!	10/13/2022 2:34 PM
6	A secure structure to store table, chairs that can be used when events are in the park and locked away when not needed	10/13/2022 2:32 PM
7	I can't stress enough how unsafe it currently is. We walk out of the office to go get a coffee, and are immediately approached by people trying to sell drugs, or asking for money. It's a party filled with drugs and booze. There's no way to sugar coat it.	10/12/2022 1:49 PM
8	I work in a building close to the park and no longer feel safe walking past to get to my office. This is an issue that I'm experiencing in multiple locations in the downtown area including the bus stops around the Manitoba Hydro building and in front of both malls. As more business return to work there may be a better balance between the individuals that are squatting in the downtown area and those that are coming to work or for entertainment purposes which could help with safety concerns. Winnipeg downtown has an overall problem that needs to be addressed. Associating how any changes at Air Canada Park support an overall plan to improve safety and quality of life in the downtown area for those who visit/work in the area would be good.	10/12/2022 11:39 AM
9	.	10/12/2022 11:18 AM
10	I have worked at APTN for 20 years but currently I work from home since Covid. I am very afraid to go back to work because of the amount of people who congregate in the park and the safety concerns around that. Lots of intoxication, violence, etc. It's a bigger problem than the park unfortunately.	10/12/2022 11:17 AM
11	This is an eye sore! People are afraid to go downtown because of the unfortunate people that hang around there. You want to revitalize downtown...start off getting rid of the park and some of the bus shelters.	10/12/2022 10:45 AM
12	People go there. Have the support for the people because they are there already. Info centre/booth. Random check stops. Resource centre/booth. Suicide prevention counselling. Wrap around 24/7 services. Advertised as safe space, and make it safer.	10/11/2022 6:01 PM
13	clean it up, and make it known to those that are creating problems that there is a new sheriff in town.	10/11/2022 3:25 PM
14	Downtown safety and cleanliness is essential above all else. I love Winnipeg but downtown is dirty and abandoned, it needs regular clean-up crews including washing down the sidewalks, and parks, nightly. I really hope your redevelopment project is successful.	10/11/2022 3:18 PM
15	I'm very optimistic the park will be a safe and healthy place to go to again one day, thanks for all the work you plan on doing to make it a safe place once again.	10/11/2022 3:15 PM

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16	This park has gotten worse in terms of crime & drugs since COVID hit. I wish I could sit outside and eat my lunch without worry. I wish I could sit in my office and not see genitalia multiple times a day. Whomever oversees this park is failing the nearby businesses and park patrons. There needs to be some SERIOUS change to make this park a safe & welcoming place again. Also, all your "features being considered for the park" section is crap. I didn't see anything about safety features, fencing around the planters, play areas for children or a separated corridor just for sidewalk use so people can commute safely.	10/11/2022 2:56 PM
17	I've often wondered if fencing it in lovely with only a couple of entrances and having security would make it feel safer to enter and less open to the loiterers. More like True North Square. Tables and chairs to have our lunches at and enjoy entertainment or fresh air.	10/11/2022 2:46 PM
18	It's very dangerous. People have been murdered there. It's become a place to get your drugs. I know at least 4 different dealers there. Police know them too but have admitted it's low priority as arrests would see them out by the end of the day and back at the park. Police only come there when True North pays them on the side to do so.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
19	It is not a safe space. I don't know if it's fixable. I wish you luck.	10/11/2022 2:41 PM
20	More Police/security is needed for this park. I feel so unsafe being around this park.	10/11/2022 2:38 PM
21	Indigenous events as it is next to APTN, and arena and located on Portage Ave. Indigenous ppl are of a differnt more natural based view and Wpg population should reflect that on portage ave in a positive space Not a scary space that we only want to drive quickly past.	10/7/2022 12:40 PM
22	We need a safety downtown	10/6/2022 7:11 PM
23	I wish it could be more like the True North Square with Security and no Smoking allowed. The Police need to clean up the area and arrest the drug dealers that are constantly parked next to the park.	10/6/2022 4:21 PM
24	I think there could be more spots along Portage with the potential to offer a safe, welcoming, green, lively and engaging space for people to meet, hang out, relax and gather. So whatever can be done to help ACP meet those needs of residents and visitors to the downtown is worth the effort.	10/4/2022 8:38 PM
25	So nice to have treed/gardened outdoor spaces to sit and have a casual lunch with co-workers.	10/3/2022 2:12 PM
26	Make it an indigenous park dedicate a new name to Honor an Indigenous leader from out past like Poundmaker. Riel is all over, Grant has his mill. Exonerate Poundmaker.	10/2/2022 9:28 AM
27	think intersectional use; think greener more welcoming spaces; think access and safety	9/29/2022 6:02 PM
28	Beauty, function, and maintenance is always the key. Avoid the loitering, and have it as an entertainment and workshop area 12 months a year. e.g. winter - ice sculpture workshop	9/25/2022 10:35 AM
29	I would love to see the fountain removed (because people swim there). I would love to see the benches/seating area removed. Move the bus shelter. These are not available for the working people.	9/22/2022 7:42 AM
30	This park is a joke and unless you plan on removing the current situation, then there's no hope. Have 2 Police Officers onsite every day....actually probably need more Police Officers. No one feels safe walking into AC or downtown. Have the Police Chief and Mayor spend sometime at the park so they realize how awful it is for everyone working downtown.	9/19/2022 11:58 AM
31	Bull doze it- you can talk about this forever or just do the right thing- get rid of it.	9/15/2022 10:14 AM
32	I know it's not possible to displace homeless people, but it brings down the look of the Air Canada building and feels very unsafe walking past there.	9/15/2022 8:36 AM
33	Use your plan from a few years back.	9/15/2022 12:26 AM
34	It needs to be flattened and completely repurposed to discourage the current state it is in	9/14/2022 8:19 PM
35	looking forward to what may come of this. Perhaps viable proposals can go out to downtown business' surrounding the park (one block radius) to survey which of X proposed viable options would be the preferred choice to those that work (live?) closest to the park.	9/14/2022 6:01 PM
36	I feel that the only thing that can be done with the space it to build an actual building for people to sit and purchase coffee/goods-not an outside space. Although, it would be great to have an outside space to have lunch and meet up with friends/coworkers for lunch and sit there, unless	9/14/2022 3:02 PM

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there is some sort of monitoring happening in the space I don't think it is possible to achieve that. I feel that any sort of improvements like additional benches...fountains...shade will just be more inviting to the homeless and whatever additions are made/improved will just eventually be ruined/vandalized and wasted.

37	This park is a totally unsafe place, and there are many children that are dragged there every day to observe all of this. It is filthy and smelly and scary. Some of my co-workers have been assaulted, our employer has had to build a cage around our building and hire security to try to keep us safe. Some of the security guards have been assaulted with both hands and weapons including knives.	9/14/2022 2:52 PM
38	I hope the park redevelopment will be the safe place to stay during lunch break	9/14/2022 2:39 PM
39	Drugs are traded openly without consequence in the area. Violence and ambulances pass at least once a day. There is no point in making the park look nice, if people are afraid to go to it.	9/14/2022 2:32 PM
40	This park has become a problem over the years. Air Canada has insulted a fence to keep the people from the park off their property. Maybe a fence should be put around the park to keep everyone away. The people in the park do drugs and drink all day. I think the Tax payers could put their money to better use. The benches in the park are barley 5 years old and their all wrecked.	9/14/2022 2:27 PM
41	If the LiquorMart on Ellice was closed down it would improve the park and reduce the vagrants that currently frequent it.	9/14/2022 2:23 PM
42	I envision a safe and peaceful area where you can have lunch, meet friends without being harassed.	9/14/2022 2:18 PM
43	It's simply not safe and would never come here if I didn't have to for work. Downtown will never be revitalized with this happening at the park.	9/14/2022 2:17 PM
44	It is currently used as a place to hang out, drink, do drugs, smoke, put up tents, harass people walking by, used as a toilet and garbage can by the people who hang out there. Until someone can solve that problem, no one else will want to step foot in that park and anything else that gets done to try to revitalize the park will just get destroyed. There was a lot of work put into the park a couple years ago to clean it up, put in nice wooden benches, sculptures/artwork...now look at what's happened to it within a few short years.	9/14/2022 2:15 PM
45	This is wonderful park where everyone can come and meet for a meal or just sit and relax and get fresh air. Have some more places to sit with some tables	9/14/2022 1:27 PM
46	Did not complete question 11 as there was no " none of the above" options. Park used to be beautiful, I would never bring a visitor to Winnipeg downtown- shame on the city for enabling this.	9/14/2022 1:18 PM
47	You do not want to have out-of-town guests come in for meetings because the park is embarrassing and the area is not safe. I would not bring family members downtown to see where I work. I would not bring my child to this area.	9/14/2022 1:16 PM
48	N/a	9/14/2022 1:14 PM
49	There should be less places for people to hide to use the washroom, there should be less places for vulgar words to be written all over, there should be a safe place for everyone to be able to enjoy it without a tent being in your view with half naked people and drunks sleeping.	9/14/2022 1:13 PM
50	This park has a history in winnipeg skateboarding and it would be great to see it being activated (skate friendly features) in the future.	9/14/2022 12:53 PM
51	Extremely dangerous. People who work near it have been threatened and attacked. Police can not do much since there is nowhere for the people to go afterwards. I am hoping that this goes through since it has so much potential and has in the past been a nice area to stay.	9/14/2022 12:52 PM
52	If the people who hang out and "live" in this park have no where to sit or rest, they will have no choice but to leave.	9/14/2022 12:49 PM
53	Employees around this park have lost their freedom rights. Those who occupy this park have taken away our safety and right to come and go from work "freely". We need more enforceable laws in this city to make any changes to public spaces - people will just move and think it's "ok" if we don't have enforceable laws.	9/14/2022 12:37 PM

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54	I don't feel safe the way the park is currently allowed to operate :(9/14/2022 12:28 PM
55	Get rid of the drug dealers and tent residents.	9/14/2022 11:59 AM
56	I have not been able (nor my co-workers) to use the park for the past 5 years. Its a very dangerous place to be that is why we (Air Canada building) are literally surrounded by a GATE. Jail like...	9/14/2022 11:45 AM
57	see above. currently it is scarier than it has ever been. Prior to the pandemic it was not even remotely as scary as it is now. Coming to and from work everyday is a concern. Taking the bus downtown or waiting at a bus stop downtown is also frightening in ways that were very rare pre pandemic. Now they are rampant. Central park is one block north and that place needs to be safe for the families that live there so their kids can actually use the beautiful facilities without living in fear. one block south at the true north center, there are no issues any different than pre-pandemic, which were few and far between. The Park in front of Air Canada building has become unusable and scary. I don't wish for the drugs and problems to be pushed north or south. the issue is truly meth, or similar mind altering drugs. constant police presence might help, but in today's political background, anything the police do to enforce laws around drugs or even touch a minority person, cameras are out and the police are villianized. Currently a lose / lose situation and full of despair. sadly the drug epidemic focused in this park is centralized on indigenous persons. they cannot be removed with force, or without. constant community outreach and constant police presence might make an improvement by I would be concerned that would only move the problem a block or 2 in a different direction. The security fence and seating within the security fence, as well as the full time security guards are the only reason I feel remotely safe coming to and from work. I have worked here for over 22 years. the last couple I worked remotely and I am not aware first hand of the problems. What I see first hand now, has never been a problem in the past. I was never scared of coming to work or hanging out in the park. I would never sit or hang out in the park now for safety concerns, as well as disgust for pee or garbage or vomit or used condoms or used needles. It is so dirty in the worst ways. I used to hang out there every day in harmony with homeless or less fortunate. then, it was just a matter of being intoxicated where they couldn't get up or simply vulnerable persons not hyped up on drugs (horrible situation, but not a situation that would physically harm me or deter me). Now, I haven't sat there once this year. nor will I.	9/14/2022 11:40 AM
58	Safe place	9/14/2022 11:33 AM
59	put up tents for small businesses make it a mini concert area make it an activity area like painting class, etc contest area like singing and dancing put a live band	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
60	It's irrelevant what you do to improve the park. No one of any value to society uses this park any more. Keep the vagrants and losers out. We are scared to go and enjoy the park. My co-workers have had too many incidents with them, that we now have security outside our building.	9/14/2022 11:29 AM
61	there is lots of aggressive, intoxicated and unpredictable people. It feels unsafe to even walk from the building to my car. something needs to change.	9/14/2022 11:21 AM
62	I don't think a park is a good idea downtown. Bldgs or parking is needed instead	9/14/2022 11:20 AM
63	look forward to the improvments	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
64	none.	9/14/2022 11:18 AM
65	This is an essential mission you are on....thank you !	9/14/2022 11:17 AM
66	This could be a great space to host outdoor events events, etc., but people need to feel safe to come there first. Currently, employees working close by avoid it at all costs because it has been destroyed by the people who hang out there all day. You have people doing drugs out in the open, people urinating and defecating, people passed out, etc. and people do not feel safe around there or even have room to walk on the sidewalks due to the crowds of people hanging out there, being rude to people walking by. I'm not even sure what the solution is here anymore.	9/14/2022 11:14 AM
67	We would like to see the park to be clean , full of greens and shades so that everyone can relax and sit and enjoy there without being attack. Fountains , flowers and lots of events so that everyone can enjoy and a place to recognize by everyone in the city as a one of the best place to sit in downtown.	9/14/2022 11:10 AM
68	I work at Air Canada, and literally *ALL* of my coworkers feel incredibly unsafe because of	9/14/2022 11:10 AM

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people the park attracts. Even though it is in front of our building, no one dares sits or spends time in there. For example, if I have to walk to Main Street from Air Canada, instead of walking past AC park and then down Portage Ave to Main, I will first cross Carlton (to be on the Portage Place Mall side of the street) and then cross Portage Ave to walk to Main Street.

69	it would be great to see more trees and flowers/plants but then it brings the wrong people and the people working or visiting downtown cannot currently enjoy the area. The smell and people using the space now for a toilet is terrible.	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
70	the park in its current form is an eye sore, it looks like an abandoned plot of land, the city should be ashamed of itself for the neglect of the space.	9/14/2022 11:09 AM
71	I think its hopeless	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
72	I think it is pretty clear the issues in the park for people who work or live downtown. I know this can be a lovely area, but since Covid, it has been neglected and allowed to harbor whoever wants to sell drugs or hang out to drink booze all day long. This is an embarrassment for anyone who comes to this city, and definitely anyone who comes to the Air Canada building. I definitely discourage anyone from coming to the downtown area and more specifically the Air Canada Building.	9/14/2022 11:08 AM
73	N/A	9/14/2022 11:07 AM
74	I strongly believe that it needs to remain a green space.	9/14/2022 11:06 AM
75	My thoughts for the future vision is to remove the water fountain and create a place where there are places to buy food from vendors and sit down while there is music playing (doesn't have to be live) and / or entertainment and even the odd day where there is a market. The more people that gather and be entertained, the safer this area will be..	9/14/2022 11:01 AM
76	Its hard not to discriminate but if homeless/drunk people stays in the public park, might as well build an office/work place instead so it would improve the look of downtown as well.	9/14/2022 10:59 AM
77	I would like to see a few design ideas and be able to vote and or comment on them.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
78	Change to Service Canada building with roof top nice view and garden.	9/14/2022 10:58 AM
79	Currently this park is an eyesore and very unsafe. I walk by it daily and try to avoid it at all costs.	9/14/2022 10:56 AM
80	It would be awesome to have a board of winnipeg downtown history, also educational. Busking station for performers for certain periods of time. Area for food trucks so workers and public bystanders can have venture into. Trees would be nice to have still and a small floor level water display/lights An area where setting up a camp/tents is not tolerable.	9/14/2022 10:55 AM
81	Something needs to change and quickly as it feels very unsafe to come to work in that area. Air Canada has put the fence up to try and mitigate it however, you are still harassed.	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
82	I am not sure how to stop the negative activity outside. I wish you luck in implementing it. This park is an EMBARRASSMENT to an otherwise great city. I do not believe increased police presence will help. I do think having some type of consistent community service in the area could help (downtown watch).	9/14/2022 10:54 AM
83	I would like to feel safe walking to my car after work.	9/14/2022 10:53 AM
84	This park is in the heart of the city. Tourists, and citizens alike should be able to enjoy it safely and be proud of it. There is great potential but it's been neglected by the city for far too long!	9/14/2022 10:52 AM
85	Maybe we don't need a park at all. Maybe the whole area could be used to build some sort of affordable housing/services for the people who presently use the park. Leave an atrium in the middle for residents use.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
86	how to develop so that it is a similar vibe to True North Square or the Graham side of the hydro building	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
87	The park is beautiful and nicely designed, just a shame that I assume either homeless or people under the influence of something use it as a hangout spot making it unavailable or unsafe for most other people.	9/14/2022 10:50 AM
88	Just to keep it a clean and safe environment.	9/14/2022 10:47 AM

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89	The park needs to be removed and not replaced as one day one of my co-workers will be seriously hurt as nothing appears to change there!	9/14/2022 10:46 AM
90	the park is disgusting, it would be better if you just got rid of it.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
91	Used to love the park about 4 years ago! It was nice, quite, peaceful and a nice space. Then the aboriginals moved in and made it a cesspool! I respect all peoples but truthfully the aboriginals have been responsible for the poor reputation of the park in the last few years!!! They don't care about anyone else using the park...only there own people.	9/14/2022 10:45 AM
92	do something now before one of my colleagues is killed	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
93	A green space, more trees and greenery.	9/14/2022 10:44 AM
94	just want a safe place to comet o work and not worry about getting robbed or hurt.	9/14/2022 10:43 AM
95	Another option is to level it out no green space	9/14/2022 10:33 AM
96	A place where you are not scared to walk or sit. It was like that before but has tremendously worsened due to the presence of bad elements.	9/14/2022 10:30 AM
97	Police station should be here	9/14/2022 10:29 AM
98	Deadlines and action plan on how to deal with the current situation at the park.	9/14/2022 10:25 AM
99	It is currently not safe and a main place that is driving people away from the downtown core. Needles are left, booze bottles are left, physical fights, and sexual harassment is rampant. This park should be fenced in and only open to the public during day time hours to discourage the camp mentally that is developing. Someone is going to get hurt here. It should not be a place people look to stay in all day and be able to sleep in. Fixing this park will help boost this section of downtown. Please help.	9/14/2022 10:22 AM
100	Please do something, it's absolutely crazy how bad this area has gotten over the years. I take a big turn around this place to avoid being harmed	9/14/2022 9:50 AM
101	See above. Sorry to be so negative but as someone who came to work all through the pandemic, I am disappointed that the city and police have not done anything to make the area safer and clean up the are.	9/14/2022 9:08 AM
102	It was a good park prior to covid	9/14/2022 8:23 AM
103	The park is okay but the people in there are not. The park is a safe place for all people. But if others sleep there stay there all day and night, others are scared to go there. They stay there as if they own the park. You pass by and they bully you. They always make a scene and fight with each other. The real solution is don't allow them to stay there.	9/14/2022 8:15 AM

APPENDIX D: PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS

Reimagine Air Canada Park

Community Pop-Up Event

You are invited to meet with the project team on September 14th & 15th to share your input on the future redevelopment of the park.

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Why?

We want to gather information from park users about the future of this park.

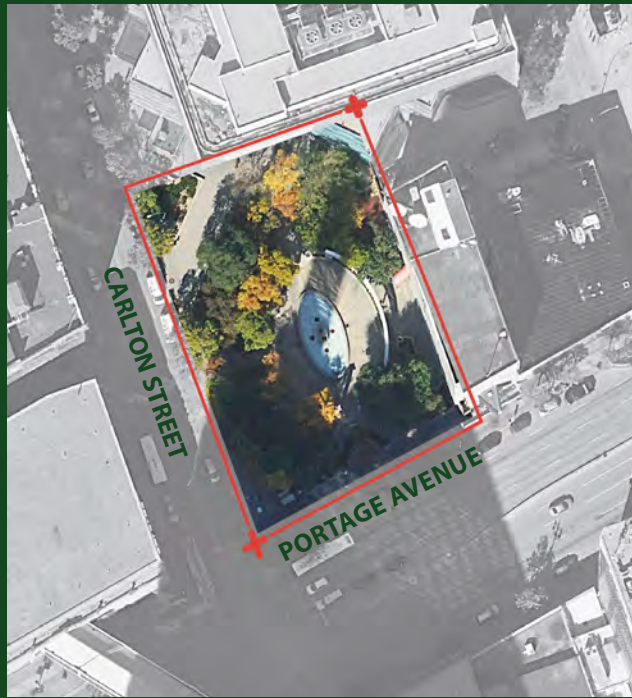
When?

Wednesday, September 14, 2022
7:30 am to 11:30 am
and

Thursday, September 15, 2022
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Where?

Air Canada Park, 345 Portage Ave.



We want to learn more about:

- What would make this park more welcoming?
- What kinds of activities and features would you like to see happen in the park?
- How could the park be improved to promote wellness and safety?

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Public Open House Event

You are invited to meet with the project team on October 13th to share your input on the future redevelopment of the park.

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Why?

We want to gather information from park users and Winnipeggers about the future of this park

When?

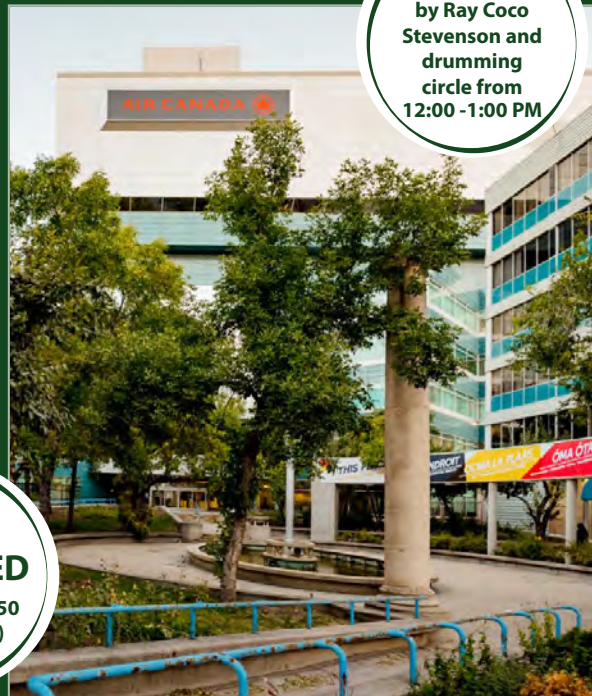
Thursday, October 13, 2022
12:00 to 4:00 PM

Where?

Air Canada Park,
345 Portage Ave.
Winnipeg

LUNCH PROVIDED

(for the first 150 participants)



Performance
by Ray Coco
Stevenson and
drumming
circle from
12:00 - 1:00 PM

Share your input and complete the survey today!

Visit
www.downtownrecovery.ca
or fill the survey here. →



If you would like to receive a paper copy of the survey, call Meaghan at 204-927-3444.

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APPENDIX E: STAKEHOLDER MEETING NOTES

Air Canada Window Park

Stakeholder meeting notes

Date/time of meeting: October 19, 2022, 3:00PM – 4:30PM

Location: Zoom meeting

Project staff

In attendance:	Representing:
Meaghan Pauls	Scatliff+Miller+Murray, Public Engagement Specialist
Samantha Blatz	Scatliff+Miller+Murray, Public Engagement Specialist
Marsha Christiuk	City of Winnipeg, Planning, Property & Development
Ken Berg	Downtown Winnipeg BIZ, Director of Operations

Advisory group members

In attendance:	Representing:
Paul	Awesome Dog
Graeme	Portage Place Mall
Nick	Portage Place Mall
Marissa Ford	End Homelessness Wpg

Meeting objectives:

- Raise awareness of the future redevelopment of the park and the Downtown Revitalization Strategy;
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**see attached PowerPoint presentation*

2.0 MEETING DISCUSSION

2.1 SWOT Exercise

**see attached Jamboards for additional stakeholder discussion/comments*

All stakeholders noted they would like to be receive notification well prior to construction starting on the site.

What are the strengths of Air Canada Park?

How do you currently use the park?

Why do you, or people you represent, choose to come out to the park?

If you don't spend time in the park, what do you see are the strengths of this place?

Fountain used to be quite a nice feature.

Staff used to eat lunch there.

Downtown workers used to come down to the park to eat lunch.

What are the weaknesses of Air Canada Park?

What are the current challenges in the park?

There is a lot of illegal activity happening in this park.

Lighting is a challenge

Greenery needs trimming - blocks sight lines and can be a hazard.

Are there park elements that discourage you from going there or staying?

Cleanliness

There are lots of garbage cans that are in the park, but people don't use it.

Portage Place no longer uses the park. Social challenges experienced formerly experienced in Portage Place have moved outside to the park.

What are the opportunities of Air Canada Park?

What kinds of improvements to the park would encourage you to spend time in this park?

How do you want to interact with this space in the future?

Lots of families in the area - opportunity.

Increase presence of social workers - more social supports in the park

Could there be bar height table tops to invite people to stand at for their lunch?

We should share more information about the art pieces. Many people don't know what the art is about.

Information booth to share information about downtown Winnipeg - for tourists.

Park users will be displaced during construction - will they come back or not?

Prior to construction - reach out to other social services (i.e., Salvation Army, Main St Project, Siloam)

Allocate the resources for addictions support or social services

A public washroom has to be a huge priority.

Could there be screens that broadcast Jets games or other sporting events?

Farmers market

Work with Tourism Manitoba

Bring in other community groups (i.e., festival du voyageur)

What are the threats to the revitalization of Air Canada Park?

Why do you, or the people you represent, choose not to come to the park?

What do you see are the barriers to revitalize this park?

**Violent
behaviour**

**Limitations to
funding - for
only physical
elements not
social**

**Limitations
based on City
approvals
process?**

**Illegal
activity**

**Environmental
concerns (i.e., folks
have been using this
space as a
washroom for a long
time)**

**Former
building
foundations**

**Don't
feel
safe**

What kinds of amenities would encourage you to visit and stay in the park?

In the future, what do you want to do in this park?

Public washrooms

Stage area is a good idea - used to have bands - would bring out a lot of people

Using it as an entertainment space - TVs, information sharing, entertainment

All ages

More electrical plugs - to support more food services.

Water feature is too low, should be brought up to street level.

There are lots of people from all over - and we need more information for them.

Medicine Garden

SCO's development at the Bay location may include a medicine garden

Warming space / wind break would be helpful to encourage folks to stay in winter.

A place to enjoy being outside in all seasons.

What kinds of activities would encourage you and those you represent to come out to the park?

The City is considering renaming the park.

Do you have any ideas what this park should be called?

Who should this park represent?

Who should we talk to about renaming the park?

**Teemu
Selanne**

**Lloyd
Axworthy**

**Talk to the
Indigenous
communities**

Air Canada Window Park

Stakeholder meeting notes

Date/time of meeting: October 20, 2022, 9:30AM – 11:00AM

Location: Zoom meeting

Project staff

In attendance:	Representing:
Meaghan Pauls	Scatliff+Miller+Murray, Public Engagement Specialist
Samantha Blatz	Scatliff+Miller+Murray, Public Engagement Specialist
Marsha Christiuk	City of Winnipeg, Planning, Property & Development
Ken Berg	Downtown Winnipeg BIZ, Director of Operations

Advisory group members

In attendance:	Representing:
Clare Mackay	Forks North Portage Partnership
Chris McColm	Manitoba Hydro

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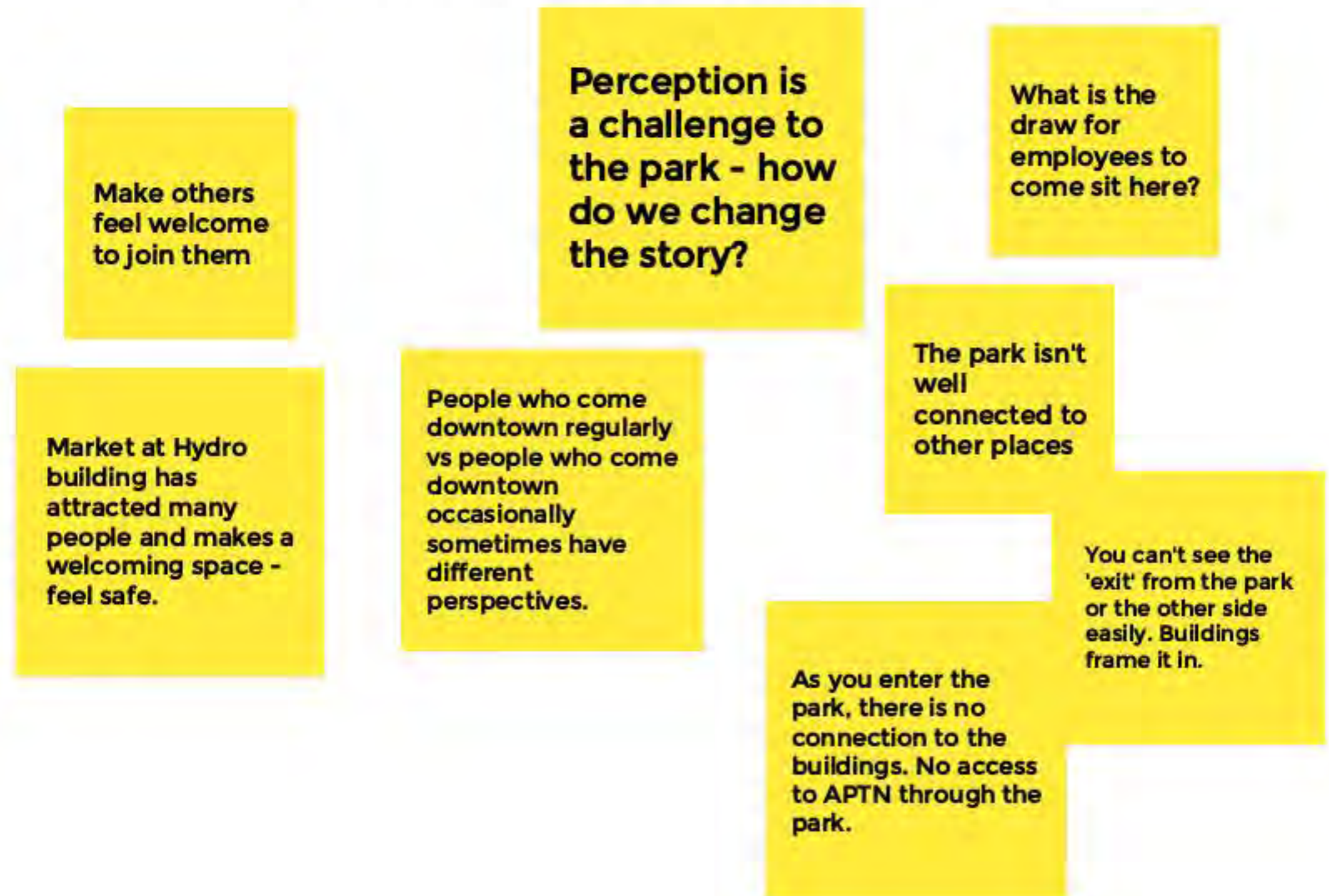
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Are there park elements that discourage you from going there or staying?



What are the opportunities for Air Canada Park?

How do you want to interact with this space in the future?



What are the threats to the revitalization of the park?

What do you see are the barriers to revitalize this park?



What kinds of amenities would encourage you to visit and stay in the park?

In the future, what do you want to do in this park?

More open,
remove
elements that
make it feel
enclosed.

Public art
adds
great
value

Make sure this
space feels
well cared for
and looked
after

This park would
benefit to have the
budget to keep
evolving the park.
This is challenging
to do.

Program it for the
neighbourhood and
'locals'

What kinds of activities would encourage you and those you represent to come out to the park?

The City is considering renaming the park.

Do you have any ideas what this park should be called?

Who should this park represent?

Who should we talk to about renaming the park?

Listen to the current park users for a name

Air Canada Window Park

Stakeholder meeting notes

Date/time of meeting: October 20, 2022, 1:00PM – 2:30PM

Location: 1120-201 Potage Avenue

Project staff

In attendance:	Representing:
Meaghan Pauls	Scatliff+Miller+Murray, Public Engagement Specialist
Samantha Blatz	Scatliff+Miller+Murray, Public Engagement Specialist
Cheryl Oakden	Scatliff+Miller+Murray, Urban Design Lead
Marsha Christiuk	City of Winnipeg, Planning, Property & Development
Ken Berg	Downtown Winnipeg BIZ, Director of Operations

Advisory group members

In attendance:	Representing:
Glenn Spearing	Air Canada Data Centre, Facility Manager
Dave Prefontaine	APTN, Property Manager
Alan Bouchard	APTN, Director of People and Culture

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What are the strengths of Air Canada Park?

Why do you, or people you represent, choose to come out to the park?

Used to have meetings and lunch in the park.

Concert series was popular and supported by AC

Should be a place for all nearby residents.

For years it was a bonus to have that park there. Eat lunch there.

APTN and Air Canada employees could get to know each other in this park.

There is a lot of business at that corner - Hydro, Shared Health - this park has lots of potential to return back to what it was

Go for meetings at True North Square instead

What are the weaknesses of the park?

Are there park elements that discourage you from going there or staying?

It's really hard to navigate the current issues and illegal activity

The park often clears out when there are events in the park

An unused water feature is not helpful to the park. Get rid of it if it's unused

Shared Health has not returned to the AC building.

Porta Potty was set up along portage avenue - but a lot of folks still preferred to use the park as a washroom. Porta Potty was vandalized.

What are the opportunities for Air Canada Park?

How do you want to interact with this space in the future?

Needs a better maintenance program to keep the park clean.

Want to see a mix of people.

APTN projects on the east side of the building

APTN used to produce in the park.

AC and APTN have both provided their own lighting.

Employee safety is key

Careful consideration over seating areas - can people congregate in the interior of the park?

Design a water feature around how it can be maintained

By changing the new seating it changed how it brought people in the park - more movements along the edge of APTN

Duty to provide a safe workplace for employees

AC open to working with the Downtown BIZ on events and support events/park operationally

Events that celebrated Indigenous cultures is often well attended by staff.

APTN requires the entry to the park to be an emergency exit.

Busking

Durability is key

What are the threats to the revitalization of the park?

What do you see are the barriers to revitalize this park?

Don't want materials that can be removed and thrown through a window. Durable.

Careful about what you put on windows because it becomes a target.

Add security cameras to improve safety - especially interior of the park

What kinds of amenities would encourage you to visit and stay in the park?

In the future, what do you
want to do in this park?

What kinds of activities would encourage you and those you represent to come out to the park?

The City is considering renaming the park.

Do you have any ideas what this park should be called?

Corporate name?

Air Canada Park is on board with renaming the park.

Could this be a way to bring incorporate funding for operations or maintenance

Who should this park represent?

Who should we talk to about renaming the park?

In the spirit of Truth and Reconciliation, this should be an Indigenous name.

Talk to Indigenous Elders.