

Ashwood Park Master Plan Update

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AGENDA

Ashwood Park Background

Community Engagement

Conceptual Plan Alternatives

Conceptual Plan Feedback

Next Steps

Questions and Comments

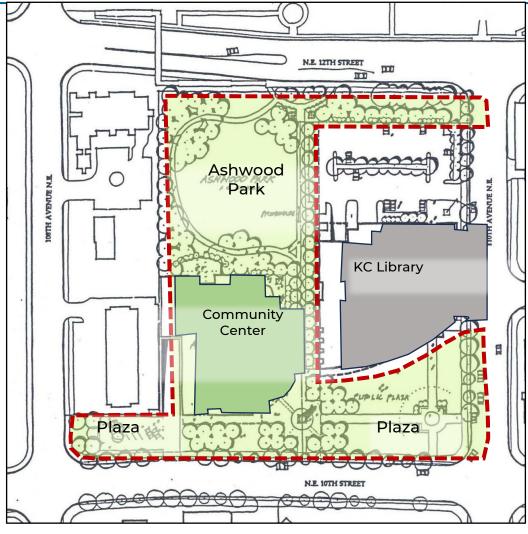
Background

Ashwood Park



2023 Aerial

1990 Conceptual Site Plan



1990 Adopted Site Plan

Community Engagement

Public Outreach

Goal and objectives

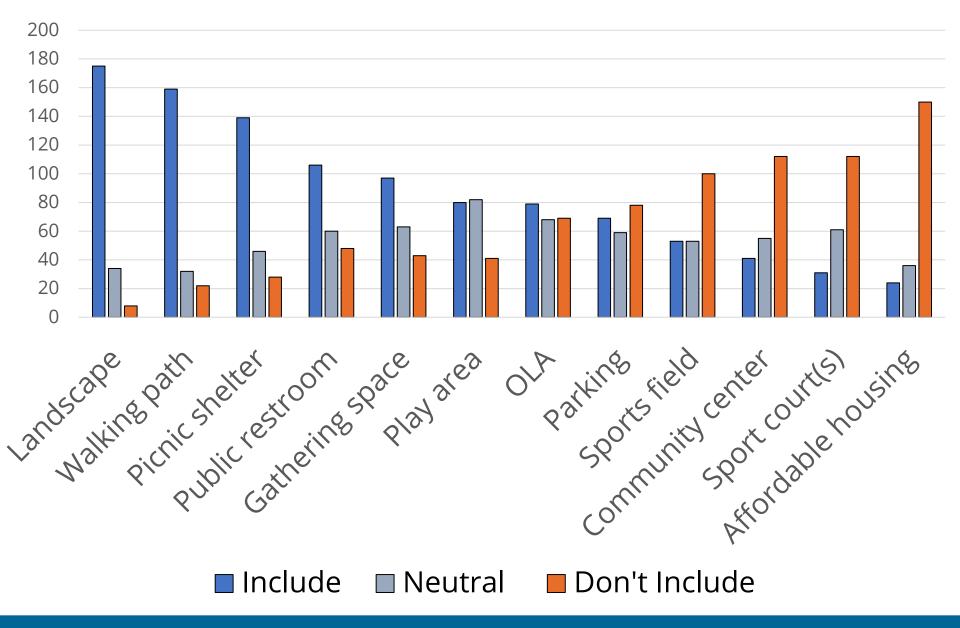
- Provide a range of opportunities for community input
- Generate broad reaching, cross cultural input
- Engage community stakeholders
- Keep public, Parks Board, and City Council informed
- Website: Bellevuewa.gov/ashwood-master-plan

Community Meetings

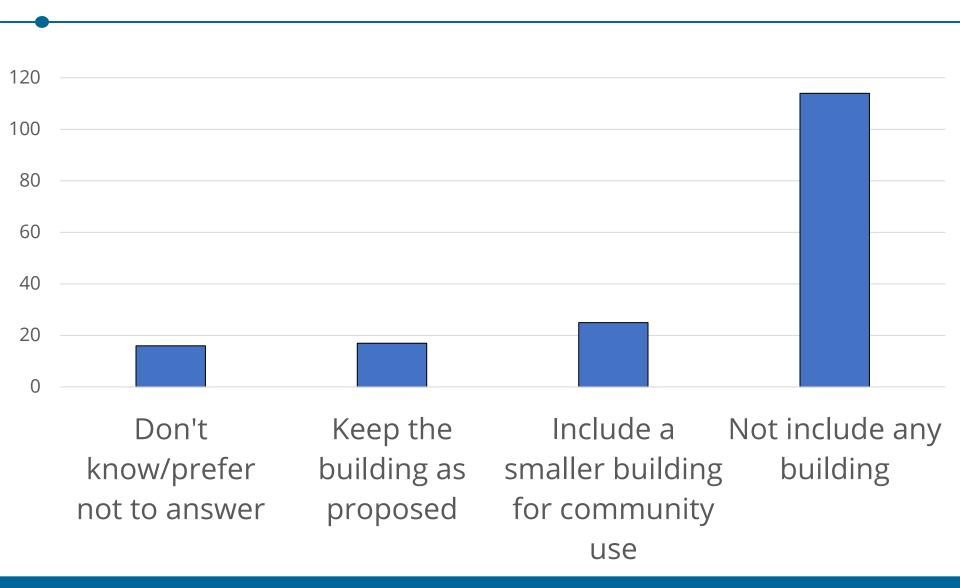


- Park Board Meeting March 12, 2024
- Community Meeting April 3, 2024
- Community Meeting September 4, 2024

Park Elements



Should the updated master plan include a building?



Conceptual Plan Alternatives

Concept Alternatives

- 1990 Master Plan
- Five Additional Plan Alternatives
 - Variability in balancing similar elements
 - Varying themes and characteristics



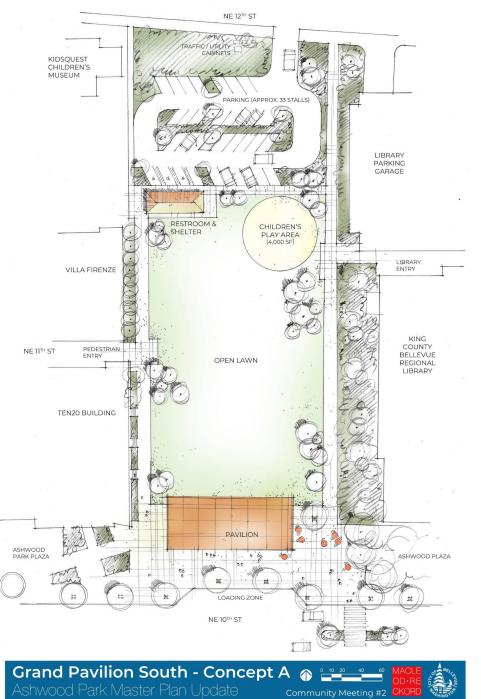
















Play Area and Playful Site Furnishings





Pavilion



Open Lawn with Wide Perimeter Promenade and Plazas



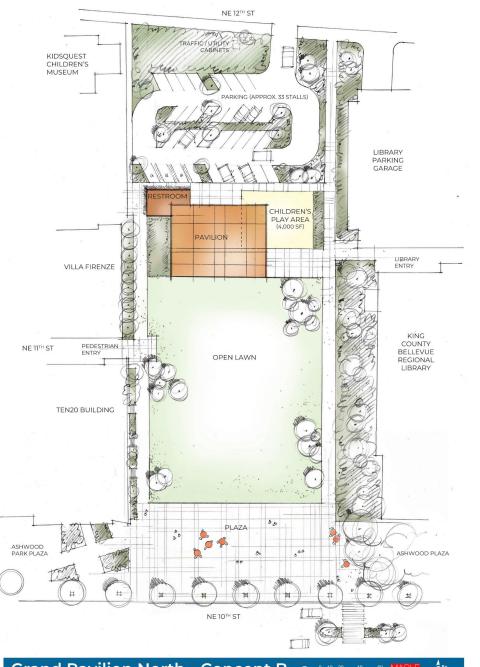




Street Front Plaza

Grand Pavilion - Concepts A & BAshwood Park Master Plan Update









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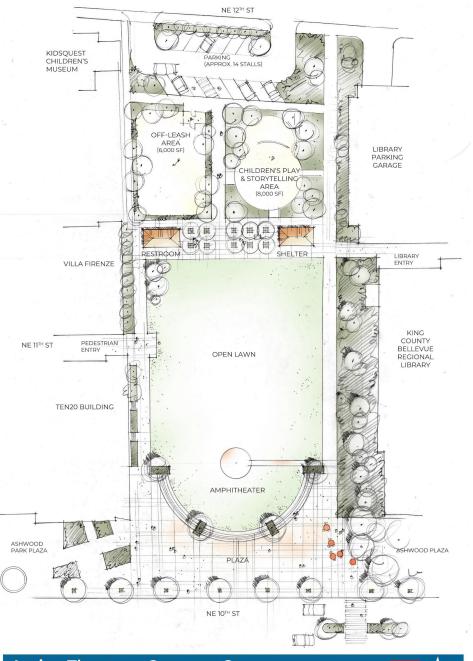
















Off-Leash Area

Raingarden Planting







Restroom and Shelter

Play Area





Open Lawn and Amphitheater





Street Front Plaza

Active Theatre - Concept C















Art / Play







Perimeter Promenade and Plazas







Restroom

Pergola / Shelter

Seat / Swings





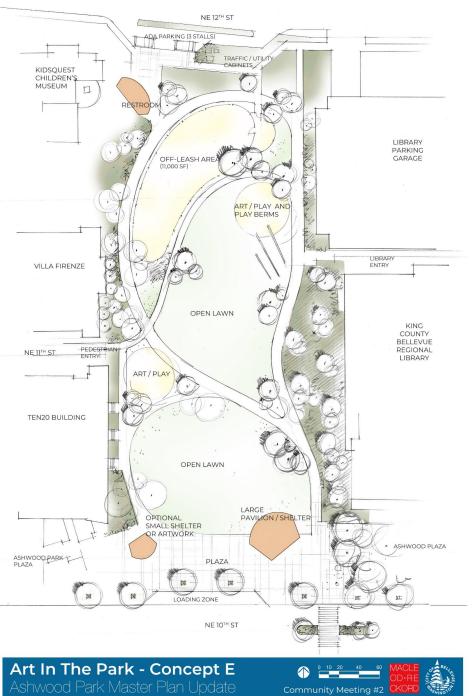
Plaza and Seating

Playful Promenade - Concept D Ashwood Park Master Plan Update















Art / Play







Off-Leash Area

Gateway

Restroom





Pavilion / Shelter





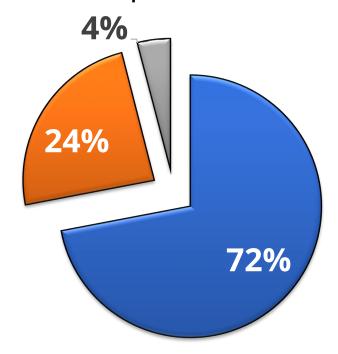
Street Front Plaza and Open Lawn

Art In The Park - Concept E



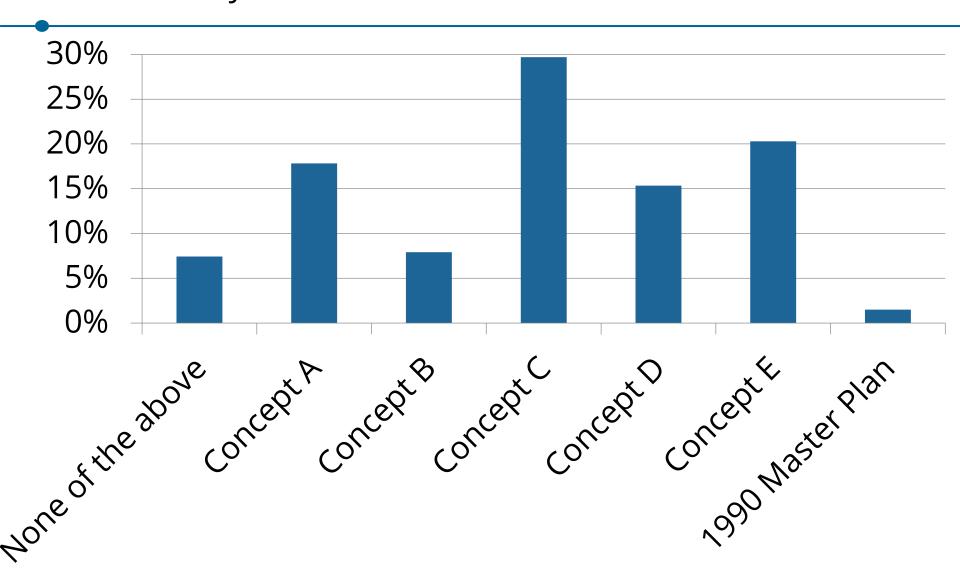
Design Balance

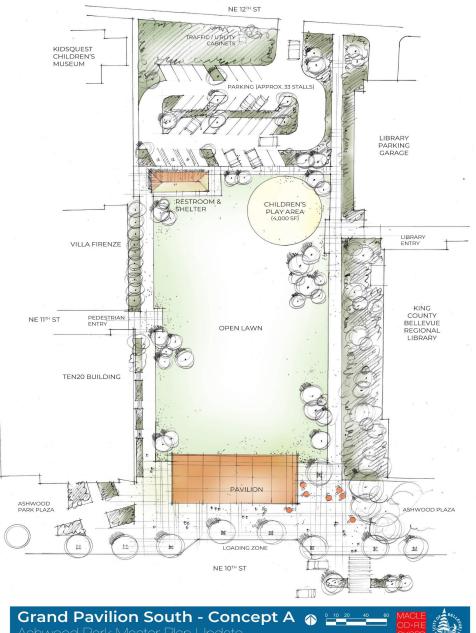
- 1) Have we found a good balance between open/green space and hardscape?
- 2) Have we found a good balance between park open/green space and park amenities?



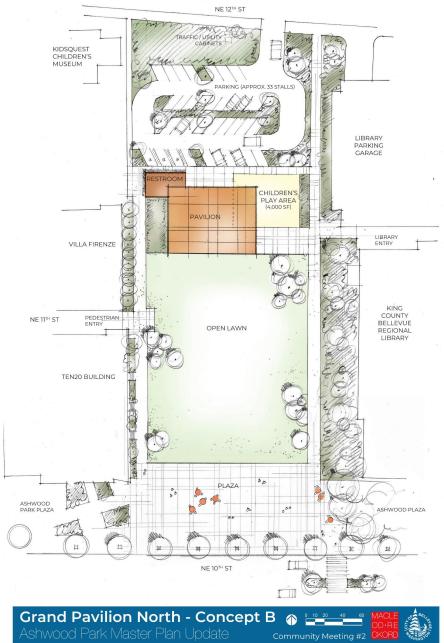
■ Yes, a good balance ■ No – too many park amenities ■ No – too few park amenities

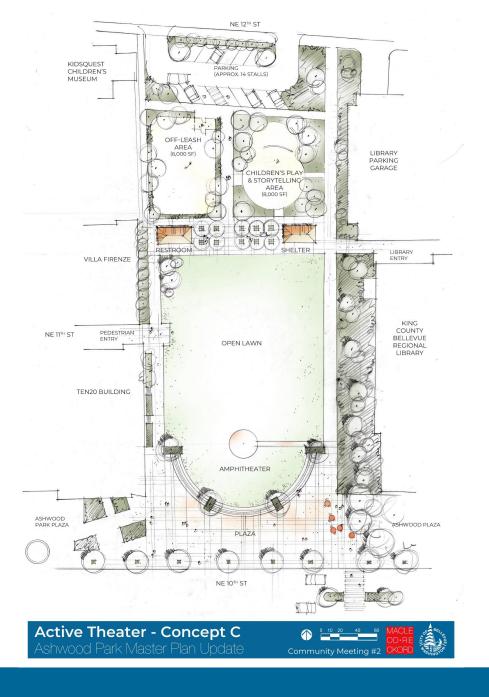
Which plan is closest to representing the type of park amenities you would like to see?



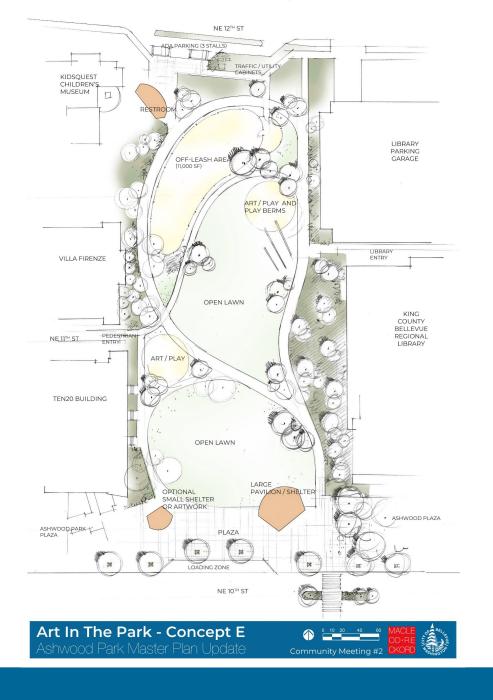


Grand Pavilion South - Concept A
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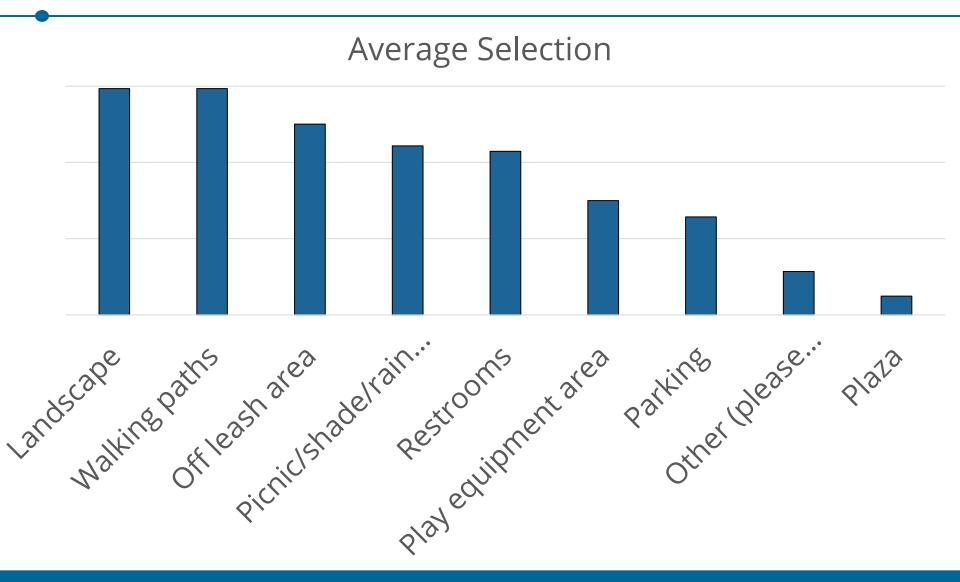








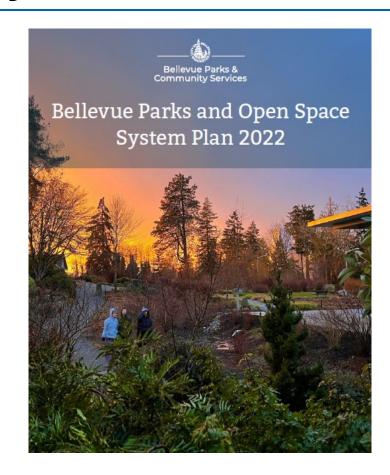
Preferred Park Amenities



Parks and Open Space System Plan needs

- Shelters/Pavilions/Pergolas
- Off-leash Areas





Timeline and Next Steps





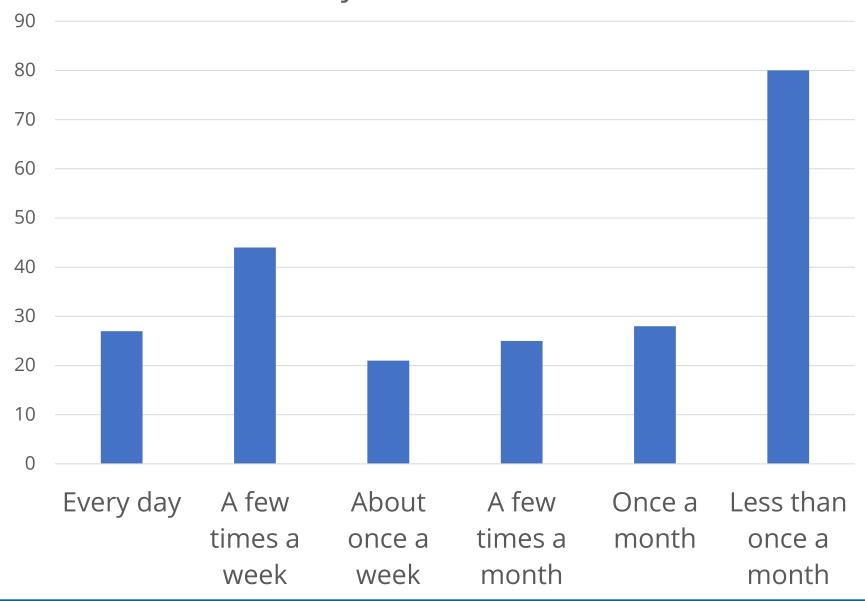
Initial Survey

Demographics of respondents:

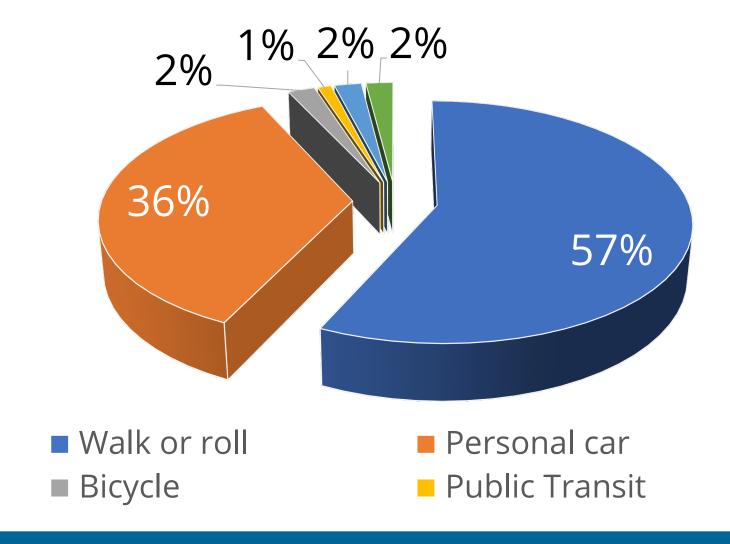
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85% live in Bellevue14% work but do not live in Bellevue
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- 1% do not live or work in Bellevue
- 40% from 18-44 years old
- 34% from 45-64 years old
- 21% 65 or older
- 5% prefer not to answer

How often do you visit Ashwood Park?



Q4 How do you most often access Ashwood Park?



second Survey

Demographics of respondents:

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• 96% live in Bellevue
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- 3% work but do not live in Bellevue
- 1% do not live or work in Bellevue
- 1% under 18
- 27% from 18-44 years old
- 20% from 45-64 years old
- 44% 65 or older
- 8% prefer not to answer