## Davis Lane Park Improvements

Community Engagement Round 2 September 25, 2024



## Agenda

- Introductions
- Project background
- What we've heard
- Improvement options overview
- Open house style discussion
- Feedback survey

**Goal:** Understand priorities related to the improvement options using the analysis criteria and feedback to help the City make an informed decision.



#### **Community Agreements**

- Everyone is encouraged to participate
- Be respectful
- Listen to understand
- Be curious
- Agree to disagree
- Share the air



## **Project Summary**

- Sewer line replacement
  - End of life
  - Additional capacity needed now and for future
- Final alignment
  - Engineering criteria slope, bypass, constructability
  - Park impacts (protect trees)
- Next steps Provide a park amenity after sewer construction



## Project Engagement

- Sewer line project timeline is critical tennis courts removed to begin
- Community engagement in Spring 2024
  - Begin discussion on neighborhood values
  - Begin discussion on types of amenities to install after the sewer project

#### • Community Engagement Now:

- 2nd round expand on community priorities
- Final decision making by Council

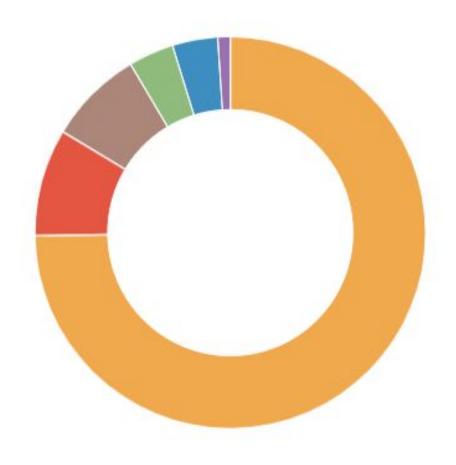


## Who we heard from

- 308 participants
- Zip codes:
  - Arvada: 80004 (239), 80005 (16), 80002 (4), 80007 (3),
  - Other: 80030, 80202, 80210, 80215, 80222, 80227 (2), 80301, 87108, 11204

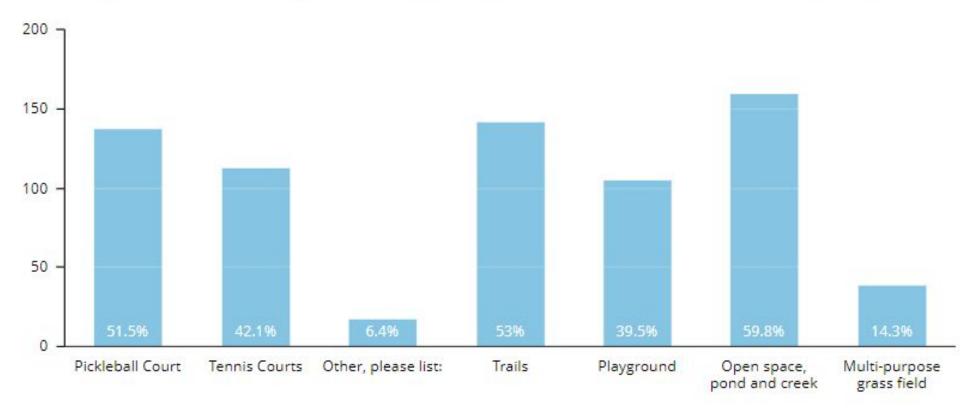


#### How often do you visit Davis Lane Park?





#### What do you value most about Davis Lane Park? Please rank your top 3 in order:



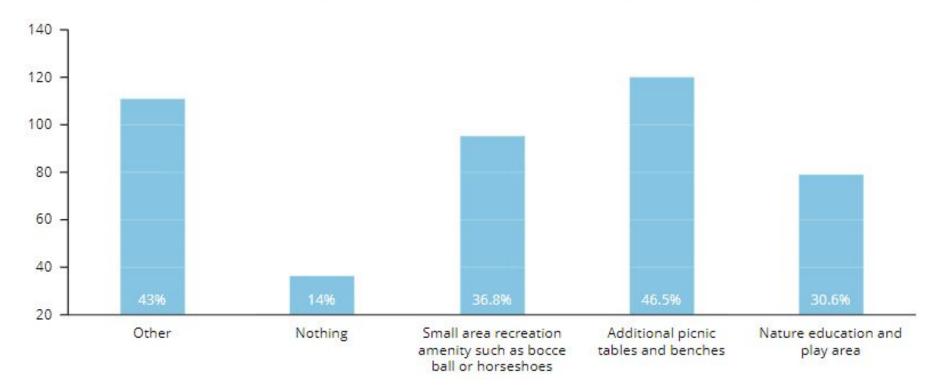
## What do you value most? "Other" responses

- Trees (3)
- Tennis / Pickleball court (3)
- Pickleball court (3)
- Gathering space (2)
- Trail (1)
- Nature elements (1)
- Basketball court (1)



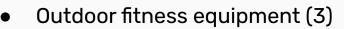
What improvements would make you visit the park more often? Please rank your top 3 in order:

*Please note: community gardens, dog parks, and bike/skate parks require volunteers and additional City resources that will not be feasible at this location. Any future improvements to Davis Lane Park will be made after the sewer line project is complete.* 



# What improvements would make you visit the park more? "Other" responses

- Tennis courts (30)
- Tennis / pickleball court (25)
- Pickleball court (21)
- More trees (7)
- Gathering space (5)
- Playground enhancements (5)
- Nature elements (4)
- Basketball courts (3)
- Trail improvements (3)



- Dog park (2)
- Hockey rink (2)
- Volleyball court (1)
- Restrooms (1)
- Fish in pond (1)
- Tether ball (1)
- Dog waste station (1)

#### What we've done

- Community feedback led to further analysis including:
  - Additional evaluation of tennis / pickleball court replacement
  - Other prefered improvement options
  - Criteria analysis of each option
  - Overall park compatibility of each option



## Criteria analyzed for options

- Noise level
- Park maintenance operations
- Constructability
- Adjacent public parking
- Amenity access from trails
- Floodway impacts
- Future sewer repair/maintenance

- Estimated cost
- Mature tree preservation
- Multi-purpose field preservation
- Community interest
- Timeline to completion\*
- Overall park compatability

\*Timeline to completion for all projects includes 2 years of planning & design with construction at the end of the sewer line warranty period (all project estimated complete in 2027).



#### Davis Lane Park Floodplain



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If you have questions regarding Arvada's floodplains, you can contact the City's Engineering Division at (720) 898-7640. Also, homeowners, realtors, lenders, and insurance agents can obtain photocopies of floodplain maps and Elevation Certificates at Arvada City Hall, Engineering Division, 2nd Floor, 8101 Ralston Road.

The non-FEMA 100 year floodplain areas are not mapped or regulated by FEMA, but still carry a high flooding risk potential.

Elevation Certificates can also be downloaded from this Application by turning on the Layer from the Layer List

and clicking on the point.



#### Nature Education and Play Area

#### Criteria Analysis

Noise	Moderate Noise
Park Maintenance Operations	No Issues
Constructability	No Issues
Adjacent Public Parking	No Off-Street Parking
Amenity Access From Trails	Good
Impact to the Floodway	Low Impact
Future Sewer Line Repair/Maintenance	No Issues
Estimated Cost	\$ \$ \$300,000
Mature Tree Preservation	High
Multi-purpose Field Preservation	High
Community Interest	Fewest Votes In 1st Survey





Nature Kids Discovery Zone Trail in Lafayette, Colorado

## **Small Recreation Amenity**

#### **Criteria Analysis**

Noise	Moderate Noise
Park Maintenance Operations	No Issues
Constructability	No Issues
Adjacent Public Parking	No Off-Street Parking
Amenity Access From Trails	Good
Impact to the Floodway	Low Impact
Future Sewer Line Repair/Maintenance	No Issues
Estimated Cost	\$75,000
Mature Tree Preservation	High
Multi-purpose Field Preservation	High
Community Interest	2nd Most Votes in 1st Survey



Pictured: Forest Springs Park bocce ball court in Arvada. Other examples: horseshoe pit or sand volleyball court.

## **Gathering Area**

#### Criteria Analysis

Noise	Low Noise
Park Maintenance Operations	No Issues
Constructability	No Issues
Adjacent Public Parking	No Off-Street Parking
Amenity Access From Trails	Good
Impact to the Floodway	Moderate Impact
Future Sewer Line Repair/Maintenance	No Issues
Estimated Cost	\$\$\$\$\$\$225,000
Mature Tree Preservation	High
Multi-purpose Field Preservation	High
Community Interest	Most Votes in 1st Survey





Forest Springs Park pavilion in Arvada.

## Pickleball ONLY court at Davis Lane Park

#### **Criteria Analysis**

Noise	High Noise
Park Maintenance Operations	Poor Access
Constructability	Significant Issues
Adjacent Public Parking	No Off-Street Parking
Amenity Access From Trails	Good
Impact to the Floodway	Moderate Impact
Future Sewer Line Repair/Maintenance	Very Difficult
Estimated Cost	\$ \$ \$325,000
Mature Tree Preservation	() Moderate
Multi-purpose Field Preservation	() Moderate
Community Interest	2nd Most Write-In Votes





Yankee Doodle Park pickleball court in Arvada

#### Pickleball footprint at Davis Lane Park



\*All locations need vetting and are not guaranteed possible.

## Pickleball-Tennis Combined Court at Davis Lane

#### Criteria Analysis

Noise	High Noise
Park Maintenance Operations	Poor Access
Constructability	Significant Issues
Adjacent Public Parking	No Off-Street Parking
Amenity Access From Trails	Good
Impact to the Floodway	Low Impact
Future Sewer Line Repair/Maintenance	Very Difficult
Estimated Cost	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$600,000
Mature Tree Preservation	Low
Multi-purpose Field Preservation	High
Community Interest	Most Write-In Votes

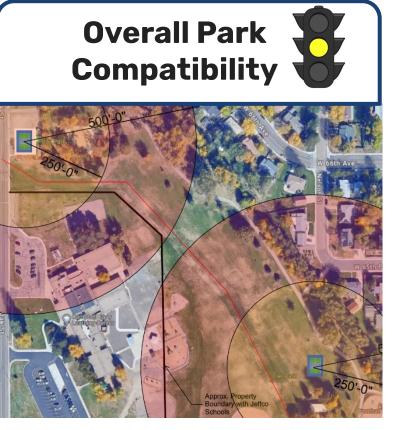


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## Pickleball-Tennis Combined Court at Oak Park

#### **Criteria Analysis**

Noise	Moderate Noise
Park Maintenance Operations	No Issues
Constructability	No Issues
Adjacent Public Parking	Off-Street Parking Available
Amenity Access From Trails	Good
Impact to the Floodway	Significant
Future Sewer Line Repair/Maintenance	No Issues
Estimated Cost	\$ \$ \$ \$525,000
Mature Tree Preservation	Moderate
Multi-purpose Field Preservation	() Moderate
Community Interest	Most Write-In Votes



Possible Oak Park tennis/pickleball locations

## Discussion

**Engage with each improvement option:** Boards set up around room to discuss each option and the related criteria analysis.

**Consider the question:** What are my priorities in improving this park after the sewer line replacement is complete? What am I okay with or not okay with? After consideration, take the online survey!

**Goal:** Develop a set of priorities related to the possible improvements and analysis criteria to help the City make an informed decision that includes differing priorities.



## Take the survey

#### Thank you for coming!

Please take the survey to share your feedback and preferences.

SpeakUp.ArvadaCO.gov/DavisLane

\*If you need help please find a team member.



