Attachment B



HAZELWOOD PARK MANAGEMENT PLAN

PARK DAY AND STAGE 1B CONSULTATION SUMMARY

Final Report

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1. BACKGROUND AND CONTEXT

The City of Burnside is preparing a Management Plan for Hazelwood Park (the Park). The location of Hazelwood Park is identified by Figure 1 below.



The Hazelwood Park Management Plan project was initiated in 2015, and was designed to be undertaken in three stages, these being:

- Stage 1 Ideas and Analysis Initial community consultation;
- Stage 2 Concept Plan Community feedback into concept plans; and
- Stage 3 Management Plan Community feedback into Management Plan.

A pre-planning exercise (Stage 1), comprising a survey, was undertaken by the City of Burnside in April 2015.



Stage 1 – Ideas and Analysis – Initial community consultation

<u>Stage 1a</u>: A survey was undertaken in April 2015 by the City of Burnside to inform the pre-planning process. A total of 316 surveys were completed. A review and analysis of the survey identified that the "most popular activities" were:

- walking;
- swimming;
- walking a dog, and
- playing at the Wombat Waterhole.

The most valued elements of the Park were all themed around the **vegetation**, **landscape**, **open and natural character** of the Park.

Further analysis of the survey also identified that:

• the response that achieved greatest support was the wish to leave Hazelwood Park **untouched** with no changes, with 25% of respondents expressing this opinion.

Notwithstanding, a range of improvements were suggested by 75% of the respondents, with notably:

- more trees and shrubs; and
- more seating/park benches and car park tidy up and improvement.

Further, the City of Burnside was encouraged by respondents to **continue the tree maintenance program**, woody weed removal and enhancements to the creek.

It was evident from this initial consultation process, that a majority of the respondents did not wish for **major** improvements to be made in the Park, however there was recognition of the need to maintain and manage the core values and assets of the Park.

In October 2015, consultants Fyfe and Oxigen were commissioned by the City of Burnside to prepare the Management Plan, based on the work initiated in 2015.

Following a review of the initial survey results, an audit of existing facilities, identification of opportunities and constraint, background information was compiled, including the formation of a draft Vision and Guiding Principles, based around key themes.

Further feedback from the community was sought in respect to the draft Vision and Guiding Principles, with a further survey undertaken, informed through a '**Have your Say Park Day'**, which took place in Hazelwood Park on 20 March 2016.



The purpose of the Park Day was to:

- Provide interested parties with the opportunity to review the draft vision, principles and preliminary elements of the Management Plan;
- Provide interested parties with the opportunity to seek clarification on any element of the project; and
- Submit comments.

A survey was also available online between 16 March and 15 April 2016.

The Park Day was purposefully convened in the early days of Stage 1b consultation process. This was seen as the best means of optimising the exchange of information and comment.

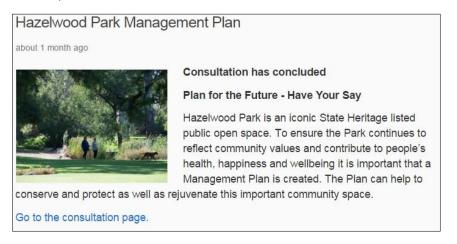


2. FORMAT AND GENERAL OUTCOMES

2.1 Consultation Approach

The consultation process for Stage 1b comprised an online survey and the organisation of a 'Have Your Say Park Day' at Hazelwood Park.

The online survey was hosted on the *Engage Burnside* section of the Council's website, between 16 March and 15 April 2016.



In order to inform the public of the Survey, a newsletter was sent to the community via the monthly Burnside *E News*.

The 'Have Your Say Park Day' at Hazelwood Park was publicised via posts on the Council's website and Twitter account.

Sign boards were also displayed at all entrances of the Park in order to promote the Park Day.

2.2 Format of the 'Have your Say Park Day'

The Park Day was convened on 20 March 2016, at Hazelwood Park. Three marquees were erected in a central location, along War Memorial Avenue, opposite the swimming centre.

Organisers were in attendance from 12.30am to 5.30pm. The formal session was convened between 2pm and 5pm.



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Consultation material on display comprised two sets of nine A1 story boards which detailed the draft vision and draft principles of the Management Plan and key elements to guide the future management of the Park. All story boards are appended to this report (Appendix B).

In attendance were:

- Mr John Draper Acting Manager Open Space, Recreation and Property at City of Burnside;
- Ms Jade Ballantine Strategic & Corporate Planner/Project Officer at City of Burnside;
- Mr Michael Osborn FYFE (Planning Consultants);
- Ms Sophie Le Mauff FYFE (Planning Consultants);
- Mr James Hayter Oxigen (Landscape Architects);
- Mr Alex Game Oxigen (Landscape Architects); and
- Mr James Butterworth Oxigen (Landscape Architects).



2.3 Survey

As part of the Park Day, attendees were invited to complete a survey form which they could either:

- Submit as a hard copy during the Park Day session;
- Use Council's device available during the Park Day session to submit the form electronically;
- Submit electronically at a later date until the 15th of April; or
- Submit as a hard copy at the Council office until the 15th of April.

The survey comprised 26 questions, structured in five sections or themes:

- Vision and Principles;
- Environment and Sustainability;
- Amenity
- Movement; and
- Management and Maintenance.

These were followed by an open question designed to enable the submission of additional comments. A summary of responses is provided at **Appendix B**. A total of 176 survey forms were received. In most instances not all questions were completed.

The following is a summary table indicating the overall level of agreement and disagreement for each question. Choices given for the majority of questions were:

- I strongly agree;
- I generally agree;
- I somewhat disagree;
- I strongly disagree;
- I am not sure.



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STATEMENT	TOTAL	TOTAL
	AGREE	DISAGREE
Q1 I support the draft vision	45%	50%
Q2 I support the draft principles	44%	50%
ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY		
Q3 Need to retain/maximise open space area.	95%	3.5%
Q4 I support a variety of planting styles throughout the park. <i>Refer to</i> <i>Planting and Ecology Image Examples.</i>	72%	23%
Q5 I support woody weed removal along the First Creek corridor (e.g. desert ash and other exotics).	74%	20%
Q6 I would like to see the biodiversity corridor plantings along the creek line continued.	84%	10%
Q7 I support providing an ornamental 'duck' pond within the park.	31%	62%
AMENITY		
Q8 Place entrance, wayfinding and historic interpretive signage throughout park.	32.5%	61%
Q9 Install additional toilet facility.	22%	74%
Q10 Install additional picnic shelters.	19%	80%
Q11 More shaded rest stations along paths.	21.5%	77%
Q12 Installation of a fitness space/equipment within the park.	15%	82%
Q13 I support a rejuvenation of the carpark.	28%	66%
Q14 I support additional events in the park.	18%	77%
Q15 I support the addition of an events and amenity structure.	5%	93.5%
Q16 I support more nature play opportunities.	30%	63%
Q17 Enhance lighting to illuminate pathways.	26.5%	72%
Q18 Up-lighting of select major trees.	13.5%	86.5%



MOVEMENT		
Q19 Consolidate and upgrade existing pathways to achieve Disability Discrimination Act (DDA) compliance.	51.5%	41%
Q20 Install a pathway around the perimeter of the park.	19%	79.5%
Q21 Enhance pedestrian movements in park.	19%	77%
Q22 Enhance cycling movements in park.	3.5%	92%
Q23 I support additional creek crossings.	19.5%	75%
MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE		
Q24 Need for more irrigation/better turf quality.	19%	76%
Q25 I would support conserving the Olive Grove.	77.5%	15%
Q26 Replace the swimming centre fence with a more attractive boundary fence.	37.5%	52.5%

It is evident from a statistical perspective that only six questions gathered a majority of supportive responses. Those questions that received majority support were:

- Q3 Need to retain/maximise open space area;
- Q4 I support a variety of planting styles throughout the Park;
- Q5 I support woody weed removal along the First Creek corridor (e.g. desert ash and other exotics);
- Q6 I would like to see the biodiversity corridor plantings along the creek line continued;
- Q19 Consolidate and upgrade existing pathways to achieve Disability Discrimination Act (DDA) compliance; and
- **Q25** I would support conserving the Olive Grove.

The first two questions are the only two statements that received a relatively balanced proportion of support and disagreement, with just under 50% of disagreement and in excess of 40% of general support for the Vision and Guiding Principles (questions 1 and 2).

Those questions that received the lowest levels of support (in excess of 80% of responses) are:

- Q10 Install additional picnic shelters;
- **Q12** Installation of a fitness space/equipment within the park;
- **Q15** Events and amenity structure;



- **Q18** Up-lighting of select major trees; and
- **Q20** Pathway around the perimeter of the park.

We also note that the additional comments provided at Question 27 provide relevant additional feedback and clarification. Key issues identified in the survey responses, and particularly the comments added in Question 27, are further discussed in the following section.



3. KEY ISSUES RAISED

Each of the following sub-sections relate to the different themes and corresponding questions as categorised in the survey:

- Statement;
- Environment and Sustainability;
- Amenity;
- Movement;
- Management and Maintenance.

All relevant elements identified in Question 27 (additional comments) have been reviewed and summarised as necessary.

3.1 Statement

This section relates to questions 1 and 2:

- Q1 I support the draft vision;
- Q2 I support the draft principles.

Approximately 45% of respondents were supportive of the draft vision and guiding principles.

Some respondents commented that the information available was not sufficient to properly answer questions 1 and 2. For example, additional comments provided at Question 27 noted:

'Insufficient detail'

'Not enough information to comment'

Further, a number of respondents only supported one or more elements of the vision and/or the principles. For example:

'I somewhat agree to the environment part of the Vision, but strongly disagree to the other parts of the vision - activity and access'

3.2 Environment and Sustainability

The Environment and Sustainability theme encompassed questions 3 to 7:

• Q3 Need to retain/maximise open space area;



- Q4 I support a variety of planting styles throughout the park;
- Q5 I support woody weed removal along the First Creek corridor (e.g. desert ash and other exotics);
- Q6 I would like to see the biodiversity corridor plantings along the creek line continued;
- Q7 I support providing an ornamental 'duck' pond within the park.

All questions with the exception of question 7 received majority support from the respondents. Question 3 received an almost total support from respondents with 95% supportive. This is further reflected in some of the additional comments reproduced below:

No More Built Form in Hazelwood Park

The park should be kept as open as possible.

Leave the park as it is

This particularly highlights the respondents' wishes to minimise the future establishment of structures, buildings, facilities and the like, which have the potential to deter from the 'open' character of the Park.

Other submissions provide additional commentary in respect to questions 3 to 7, and reflect the positive feedback generally received for the environment and sustainability theme:

The park is lovely as a free structure-free area for	Maintenance of biodiversity is mentioned in the
appreciating the vegetation, animal and bird life.	plan but I'd like to see efforts made to address the
People have to make their own activities work there	issue of the health of the existing trees.
which is great. The improvements and plantings	Please continue planting suitable native plants and
along the creek are excellent.	let people enjoy natural shade and pathways
A great vision and well thought through principles. Strongly support increased amenity and enhancement of the natural environment, use of sympathetic enviro friendly materials to define space and create and replace existing paths.	Please leave the park as natural as possible, and continue the biodiversity programme which has greatly improved the creek.

A strong majority of respondents supported questions 3 to 6, which relate to the Council's weed and tree management initiatives. The Council is encouraged to continue these activities, i.e. woody removal along the First Creek corridor, and the continuation of biodiversity corridor plantings along the creek line.

In relation to the ornamental 'duck' pond, approximately 30% of respondents agreed with the statement, and approximately 60% disagreed.



Comments in relation to the proposed duck pond raised concerns about "a manicured showpiece", "no need to change", "unnatural" and "satisfactory as is".

3.3 Amenity

The Amenity theme encompassed questions 8 to 18:

- Q8 Place entrance, wayfinding and historic interpretive signage throughout park;
- Q9 Install additional toilet facility;
- Q10 Install additional picnic shelters;
- Q11 More shaded rest stations along paths;
- Q12 Installation of a fitness space/equipment within the park;
- Q13 I support a rejuvenation of the car park;
- Q14 I support additional events in the park;
- Q15 I support the addition of an events and amenity structure;
- Q16 I support more nature play opportunities;
- Q17 Enhance lighting to illuminate pathways; and
- Q18 Up-lighting of select major trees.

The following are extracts from the submissions received. They reflect the generally unsupportive feedback in relation to the provision of additional infrastructure:

It would be a shame to lose the casual style of the	No shade stations - few extra benches would be
park by installing too many formal structures and	better.
infrastructure.	
	All parks should be kept as natural as possible with
Putting in tables etc will encourage vandalism and	minimal man-made structures.
groups hanging around at night.	

3.3.1 Q8 Place entrance, wayfinding and historic interpretive signage throughout park

This question received just over 30% support.

A review of the comments provided in Question 27 enables a better understanding of the opinions of respondents.



The only comment specifically made in relation to place entrance suggests the provision of "recycle bins and litter bins at all entrances".

In relation to wayfinding and signage, a small number of well strategically located signs appear to have some degree of support. Design and size have been expressed as important considerations. The following is a key suggestion of note:

Some acknowledgement of Kaurna heritage and information about plants and trees would be respectful and educational.

"Moderation", both in terms of quantity and scale, seems to be the key outcome of responses to this question.

3.3.2 Q9 Install additional toilet facility, Q10 Install additional picnic shelters, Q11 More shaded rest stations along paths, Q12 Installation of a fitness space/equipment within the park

These questions typically received approximately 20% support.

The following are the key issues and comments raised in relation to these questions:

- Loss of open and natural character;
- Noise (activities at night time); and
- Safety (concern about vandalism especially at night time).

The provision of new toilets was not supported. It is relevant to note that the better management of existing toilets was identified in some submissions as a preferred option.

In relation to picnic shelters, or shelters in general, such structures did not receive strong endorsement, being "manmade structures" detrimental to the open space and natural character of the Park.

Similarly, in relation to shading, natural shade provided by trees was strongly identified as a preferred option.

Whilst rest stations along paths were generally not supported, some respondents did identify the potential benefits of additional scattered seating:

No shade stations - few extra benches would be better.

More public seating throughout the park is essential A couple of resting seats for the elderly would suffice.



3.3.3 Q13 I support a rejuvenation of the carpark

This question received approximately 30% of support.

Most of the comments relating to the car park suggested that a redesign could be desirable however the details provided on the Park Day were insufficient to fully understand the proposed vision and intentions.

The below quotes provide an understanding of respondents' thoughts in relation to the car parking area:

Carpark is an environmental nightmare and should be re-designed to deal with the pollutants from vehicles which are probably affecting the watercourse and flora.

Possibly agree if there is no expansion of current car park which would result in removal of existing trees. Only needs resurfacing & drainage.

Reclaiming the car park as open/green space (by having on-street parking only) is easily the most enlightened proposal put forward.

Any car park enhancement needs to ensure that speed restrictions are maintained and that there are enough obstacles to stop hoon drivers

The carparks, I do not support any trees to be removed.[...] I would like the bottom carpark to be re surfaced as it is rapidly becoming a safety hazard not just to cars but to the people walking through.

Keep double row carparks near play equipment on Davenport Rd even at the expense of the odd tree Changes to car park with possible removal of vegetation/trees

Car parking off road is insufficient.

Car park is natural and existing is adequate I'd like to see bitumen replaced with natural surface which would absorb any water run off and improve drainage problems water to tree root

Rejuvenation of the carpark - I am concerned that this will be done in a manner that reduces green space, and also increases on street parking

At the moment the car park reaches capacity when there are swimming classes at the pool or on fine weekends when the picnic areas are in full use.

The car park accommodates large numbers of vehicles, easily sufficient for the big numbers in the park on weekends.

Car parking is a huge problem, insufficient space off street. Needs to be increased - off street.

Whilst opinions differ in relation to the need to expand the number of car parks, the below elements were raised which support the further examination of car park provision and design options:

- Environmental impact of existing layout on trees and stormwater;
- Need to increase open space; and
- Safety for vehicles and pedestrians.



3.3.4 Q14 I support additional events in the park, Q15 I support the addition of an events and amenity structure

The provision of an events and amenity structure was not supported by the substantial majority of respondents. The opposition to additional events was however not as strong. A number of respondents expressed issue with the proposed nature, scale, number of events.

Having regard to the comments provided in response to question 27, moderation seems to be an important desire for respondents. Particular considerations include as the scale of events and potential impacts arising such as noise, lighting and additional car parking.

3.3.5 Q16 I support more nature play opportunities

This question received 30% support. The few additional comments made in relation to this question required further clarification in respect to the meaning of "nature play".

3.3.6 Q17 Enhance lighting to illuminate pathways, Q18 Up-lighting of select major trees

Up-lighting of major trees was clearly unsupported by 86.5% of respondents. The key issue raised was in respect to the potential impact on wildlife, especially nocturnal animals.

The opposition to lighting along pathways was not as strong, with more than 25% of respondents supporting some form of additional lighting.

The two major issues which relate to lighting in the Park are in respect to potential noise impacts and safety concerns, particularly potential increases in vandalism at night.

3.4 Movement

This section relates to questions 19 to 23:

- Q19 Consolidate and upgrade existing pathways to achieve Disability Discrimination Act (DDA) compliance;
- Q20 Install a pathway around the perimeter of the park;
- Q21 Enhance pedestrian movements in park;
- Q22 Enhance cycling movements in park; and
- Q23 I support additional creek crossings.



3.4.1 Q19 Consolidate and upgrade existing pathways to achieve Disability Discrimination Act (DDA) compliance.

This question received support from the majority of responses (51.5%).

There was some uncertainty in respect to what would be proposed, as well as concerns in relation to the duplication of pathways and the nature of materials to be used. This statement received one of the highest levels of uncertainty, with 7.6% of "I'm not sure" responses.

3.4.2 Q20 Install a pathway around the perimeter of the park

79.5% of respondents were not unsupportive of this proposal.

We note in the few additional comments that the purpose of this pathway was unclear.

3.4.3 Q21 Enhance pedestrian movements in park and Q23 I support additional creek crossings

Approximately 20% of respondents supported these proposals.

The key issue seemed to be the addition of new paths encroaching on grass spaces, noting a concern that the creation of new crossings would also lead to additional pathways.

It was suggested that pedestrian movements were presently functioning well with the current provision of pathways and grass areas, and creek crossings.

3.4.4 Q22 Enhance cycling movements in park

92% of respondents were unsupportive of this proposal.

The following quotes provide an understanding of respondents' thoughts about cycling in the Park:

Increased cycle access to the pathways will create	Commuter cycling through the park in school days is
hazards for pedestrians, especially the elderly and	ok, but cyclists on weekends clear pedestrians
children	from paths and risk collisions with children and
	dogs.
Bike tracks are not a good idea because they are no	

compatible with people walking through the park

Safety for other users is a key concern in relation to cycling.

3.5 Management and Maintenance

The Management and Maintenance theme relates to questions 24 to 26:

• Q24 Need for more irrigation/better turf quality;



- Q25 I would support conserving the Olive Grove; and
- Q26 Replace the swimming centre fence with a more attractive boundary fence.

3.5.1 Q24 Need for more irrigation/better turf quality

76% of respondents disagreed with this statement.

The details provided appear to have been insufficient for respondents to fully understand the intent of this proposal, proposed areas and techniques to be used.

3.5.2 Q25 I would support conserving the Olive Grove

77.5% of respondents were supportive of this proposal, particularly given the Olive Grove's visual and historic values.

It was generally agreed that better management of olives could be implemented.

3.5.3 Q26 Replace the swimming centre fence with a more attractive boundary fence

37.5% of respondents supported this statement. This question also received the highest level of uncertainty with over 10% of "I'm not sure" responses.

A number of respondents questioned the level of priority of this action.

3.6 Other Comments

A number of additional comments were made with no particular link to a specific question, a summary of which is outlined as follows.

3.6.1 Heritage

Some references were made to the heritage status of the Park. Heritage was mentioned in relation to a number of different matters:

Vision

The heritage status of Hazelwood Park was referred to by a number of respondents. One particular respondent noted that:

It was understood that this park would be maintained as a tranquil and peaceful area, preserving the historical and cultural aspects, with any alterations to the park to be with the sanction of the Heritage Department.



Signage

In relation to signage, the heritage context was seen to have implications in respect to both design and content:

Design of signs	Content
'heritage style'	Some acknowledgement of Kaurna heritage and information about plants and trees would be respectful and educational. But kept low-key.

3.6.2 Bill Potts Memorial Garden

The Bill Potts Memorial Garden appears to be an appreciated but under-used and under-valued element of the Park.

A few quotes help to understand respondents' perceptions of this area:

The Bill Potts Memorial garden is a wasted space that needs to be enhanced in order for people to appreciate the area.	The amenity of the Bill Potts garden area has been reduced since the swimming pool was upgraded. This is entirely due to the noise from the [pool's]
	machinery pumps and fans.
Support the Bill Potts memorial garden and revert to	
re-planting scented plants for the visually impaired.	Bill Potts Garden - I seem to recall it was initially a garden for the blind as contained plants which were
I would support reconstruction of the war memorial pavilion.	scented. Maybe this could be re-commenced with more interesting selection other than lavender.

As part of the preliminary concepts, it was proposed to "maintain exotic diversity in Bill Potts Memorial Garden" (refer Information Boards at **Appendix A**).

3.6.3 Dog Management

The management of dogs was a topical issue for some respondents. One respondent clearly stated that they wished for an on-leash policy to be implemented. Two other respondents suggested that better protection of the playground should be implemented.

Reproduced below are some of the comments raised in relation to dogs:

I would like to see more dog control in Hazelwood Park as it is notorious for being an off leash park for	is to be able to let the dog have a run and play with other dogs.
dogs. [] I would like to see it be a dog on leash only	
policy.	Keep the lead free dog status quo.

Under no circumstances should dogs be made to be on a leash at all times as one of the joys of the park FINAL REPORT PARK DAY AND STAGE 1B CONSULTATION SUMMARY HAZELWOOD PARK MANAGEMENT PLAN



Take steps to ensure that dog owners do not allow their dogs to wander through the playground.

I am aware that some of visitors picnicing in the park are, of course, cautious of dogs especially if there are children around. I am also aware that some people want to ban or have dogs on leashes in the park. I feel that to compromise maybe the playground should be fenced off.



4. CONCLUSIONS

The Park Day provided the local community with an opportunity to review the preliminary work undertaken as part of the preparation of the Management Plan, seek clarification on any aspect of the project and to register comments and to respond to the survey.

The key messages arising from the survey can be summarised as follows.

Respondents generally expressed the views that:

- The Park should retain its natural and open character;
- Only those facilities/structures that are demonstrated to be necessary to be upgraded or created should be proposed;
- Council should proceed with the current plant/tree management program; and
- the nature, intent and purpose of the project, 'what it is' and 'what it is not', were not clear to a some of the community.



APPENDIX A

STORYBOARDS

Have Your Say

Hazelwood Park is an iconic State Heritage listed public open space. To ensure the Park continues to reflect community values and contribute to people's health, happiness and wellbeing it is important that a Management Plan is created. The Plan can help to conserve and protect as well as rejuvenate this important community space.

Last year over 300 people responded to a call for ideas on Hazelwood Park. The ideas and views expressed have now been developed into a suggested draft vision, four management principles and seven protection and rejuvenation opportunities.

You can share your thoughts on the vision, principles and opportunities by attending the 'Have Your Say' Park Day on Sunday 20 March from 2pm-5pm or go online at engage.burnside.sa.gov.au and complete the survey by Friday 15 April 2016.





Park history

1836

Pre and post 1836 colonisation

Occupied by the Kaurna people, the traditional owners of the Adelaide Plains, the River Torrens /Karrawirra Parri (red gum forest river), and associated waterways.

1853-1914 Hazelwood Estate purchased by the Clark family, owned until 1914.

1915

1914

Purchased by

Government of SA.

Dedicated as a National Pleasure Resort.



2016

2011 ^l 'Wombat Waterhole' playspace opening.

Park scene, 1922

"In 1915 it was dedicated as a National Pleasure **Resort under the** National Pleasure Resorts Act 1914, one of the first four places to be dedicated^{*}

State heritage listing

"Some 2000 picnickers enjoy the beautiful park, the finest within SA, an easy distance from the city, and used by residents of the whole of the metropolitan district.... Thousands of people spend Saturday and Sunday afternoons amidst the beautiful old gum trees enjoying spring and Summer seasons"

Park scene, 1921

1921 Adelaide Advertiser

Children by First Creek, 1910

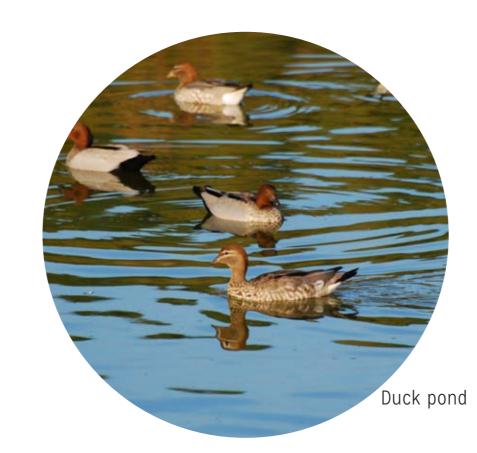


'A' Company digs a trench at Hazelwood Park, 1941





Natural landscape setting





DAVENDORT TERRAGE



Consultation

Plan for future consultation

The Hazelwood Park Management Plan project will be undertaken in three-parts with two key community consultation stages:

Stage 1a - Pre-planning consultation:

Stage Ia of the community consultation for Hazelwood Park was completed in April 2015. 316 local residents and users of the park responded to the survey. The results of the survey have informed the work on the Hazelwood Park Management Plan to date.

Stage Ib - Have Your Say Park Day:

Local residents and the wider community are invited to further explore ideas, discover place making concepts, express their opinions and identify specific aspirations for Hazelwood Park on **Sunday 20 March** from **2pm-5pm** or by visiting **engage.burnside.sa.gov.au** and completing the survey by **Friday 15 April 2016**.



Stage 2 - Draft Hazelwood Park Management Plan:

Stage I community consultation results will be incorporated into a Draft Hazelwood Park Management Plan which, once endorsed by the Elected Member body of Council will be presented to the community for Stage 2 consultation thereby providing an additional opportunity for input into refining the conservation and rejuvenation ideas outlined.

Stage 3 - Submission of Draft Hazelwood Park Management Plan to Council:

Council Administration will present the Elected Members of Council with the results of all community consultation along with the Draft Hazelwood Park Management Plan for their consideration and endorsement for finalisation.

What you have told us to date

Pre-planning consultation - April 2015

316 responses were received as part of the Stage 1a consultation for Hazelwood Park Management Plan in April 2015. The **ideas and views expressed** have now been **developed** into a suggested **draft vision, four management principles and seven protection and rejuvenation opportunities.**

Some of the community views expressed in Stage Ia consultation:

Of respondents would like to see **enhanced park** furniture, toilets and shelters

19%

Respondents sought more **sheltered tables/ seating** areas

"An **interpretive nature trail** for kids/families, and some more **dense bushland**"

"A haven in our busy world" "I love the open space, I walk, sit, enjoy"

50%

Of all responses **valued natural aspects** of the park **Walking** was nominated as the top activity in the park Respondents value the **good maintenance** of the park

Participants asked Council to **"support healthy** activities in Burnside"

Desire for **native re-vegetation** of First Creek.

"Pathway around the boundary of the park with lighting" 171

Responses nominated the **trees** as the **most valuable asset** in the park The majority of respondents that noted **Wombat Waterhole** as an activity were grandparents bringing their grandchildren

Vision and principles

Draft Vision

Hazelwood Park will be an accessible place for the community; its existing heritage, recreation, environmental, habitat and amenity qualities will be carefully conserved, maintained and enhanced. It will connect in new rejuvenated ways with the community to support natural biodiversity, healthy living and well-being.

Environment

















Draft Principles



Environment & Sustainability

- 1. Protect and enhance the park's indigenous flora and fauna.
- 2. Ensure the park is responsive and resilient to the effects of climate change.
- 3. Utilise Water Sensitive Urban Design.
- 4. Optimise the efficient management of water.
- 5. Achieve sustainability while educating/informing the community.

Amenity

- **1. Protect and enhance open space**
- 2. Protect park activities.
- 3. Provide increased opportunities for active play.
- 4. Integrate pool facilities with the park.
- 5. Ensure ongoing management of trees to provide a safe and well maintained park.

Movement

- 1. Improve connectivity through the park to provide safe and convenient access.
- 2. Prioritise pedestrian and cycling access through the park.
- 3. Ensure Disability Discrimination Act compliance.

Management & Maintenance

- 1. Maintain existing and new facilities.
- 2. Ensure long term sustainability of the park and it's key features and assets.
- 3. Establish a hierarchy of access and movement.

Park protection and rejuvenation opportunities

Planting & ecology

Planting and ecology contribute significantly to the iconic character of the park. Management and maintenance of the park's planting and ecology will assist in sustaining the character of the park.



Example of wetlands that could be adaped to First Current First Creek re-vegetation Creek and duck pond re-vegetation





Bill Potts Memorial Garden

Examples of entry planting

Planting styles



Open lawn

Large remnant and local native *Eucalypt* species planted in open areas of irrigated lawn.



Halo planting

Close groups of trees are encircled and mulched with new under-storey vegetation that is consistent with Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) principles.



Avenue planting

Existing Sugar Gums forming the War Memorial Avenue are mulched at the base. This increases water permeability to the root system and reduces movement and use beneath the trees.



First Creek provides important habitat and biodiversity functions as well as visual amenity. Revitalisation of First Creek could include the potential removal of existing woody weeds and additional planting of local natives for bank stabilisation and habitat creation. The revitalisation of First Creek allows people to connect and explore the Creek both physically and visually.

Bill Potts Memorial Garden

Bill Potts Memorial Garden is managed and maintained as a unique garden within Hazelwood Park. Exotic species in line with the existing palette are maintained.

Park protection and rejuvenation opportunities

Trees

Trees define the iconic character of Hazelwood Park and contribute to its unique sense of place. Tree management is important in maintaining the health and safety of existing trees.



First Creek & Water Sensitive Urban Design (WSUD)

Water is an important element that helps to define the character and functions of the park. Water management of First Creek, the duck pond and storm water runoff from the neighbouring streets provide opportunities to incorporate WSUD in the park and positively contribute to water management of the greater Torrens River Catchment as well as the local environment.

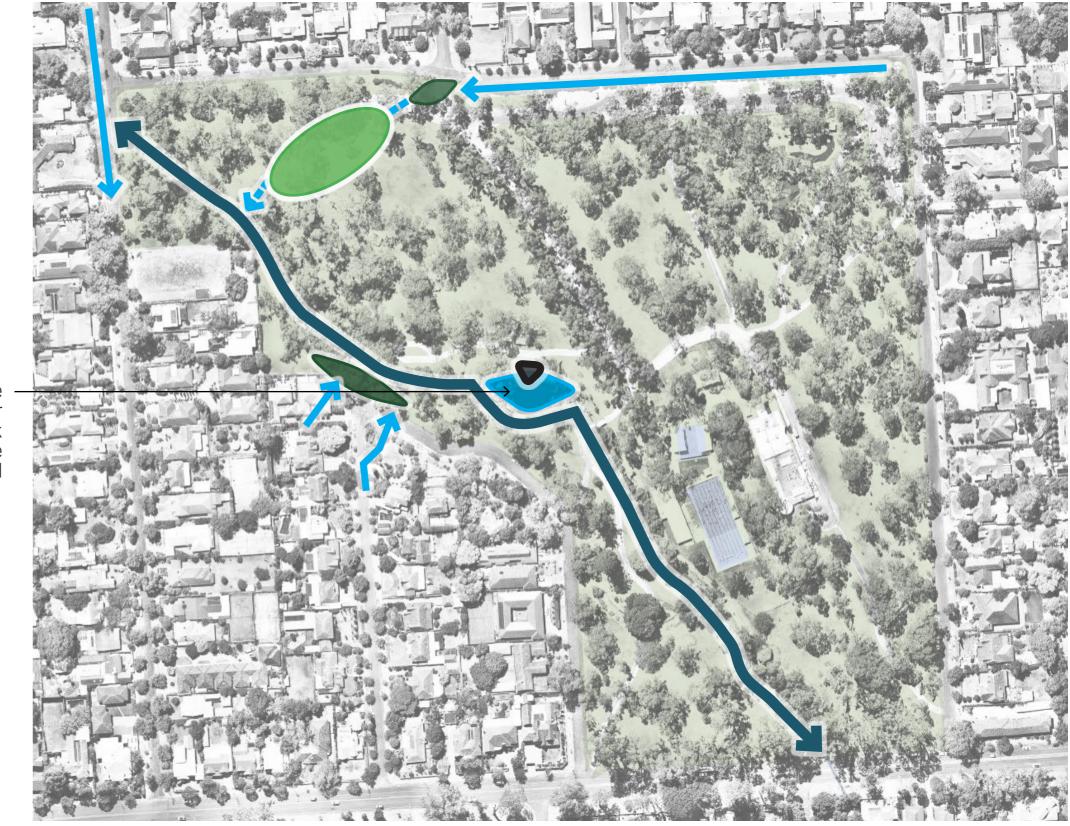


Example of a swale

Example of a raingarden

Possible offline duck pond for separation of creek flow from the

duckpond





Offline duck pond – enhance nature play opportunities



Park protection and rejuvenation opportunities

Lighting

Lighting is a key component of the plan. Appropriate light position, illumination and style contributes to a safe, attractive and usable environment that can be enjoyed by the community.



Example of LED luminaire

Lighting of primary pedestrian routes

Enhanced pedestrian lighting along primary pedestrian and cycling routes



Wayfinding and signage



Movement

Movement of pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles is an important park element that contributes to user amenity and safety.



Examples of shared use pathways

Possible crossing over First Creek





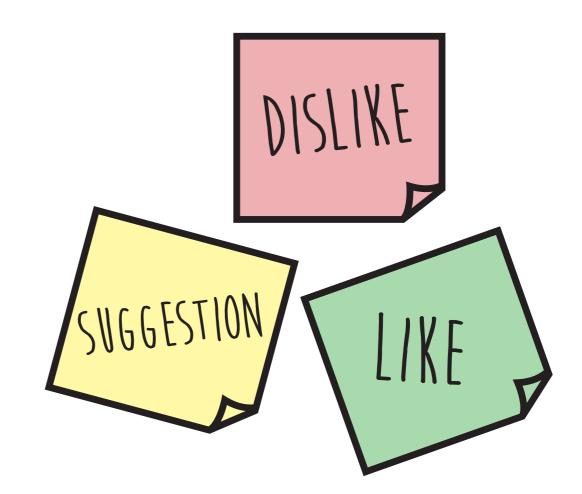
Example of soft pavement

Example of on-street car parking

Existing path **O** Entry

IIIII Possible crossing point





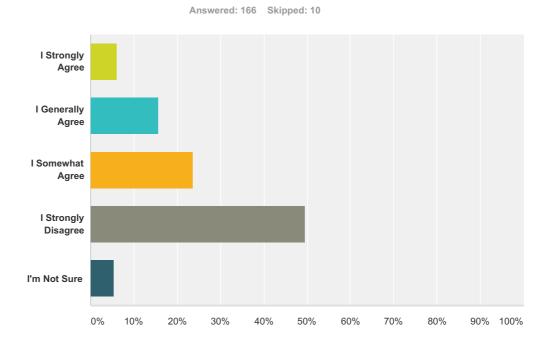




APPENDIX B

SUMMARY OF SURVEY

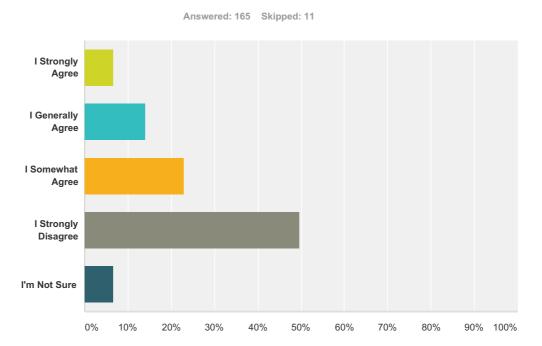
concepts & aspirations for Hazelwood Park. Many of these have been reflected below.Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following:



Q1 I support the draft vision

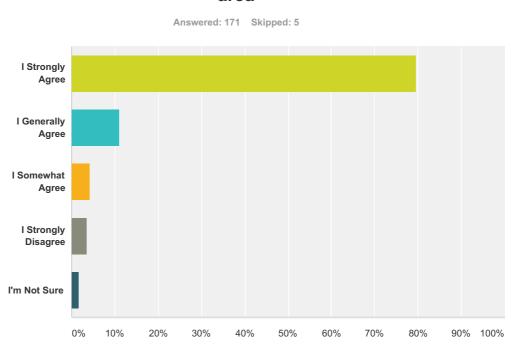
swer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	6.02%	10
I Generally Agree	15.66%	26
I Somewhat Agree	23.49%	39
I Strongly Disagree	49.40%	82
I'm Not Sure	5.42%	9
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concepts & aspirations for Hazelwood Park. Many of these have been reflected below.Please indicate your level of agreement to each of the following:



Q2 I support the draft principles

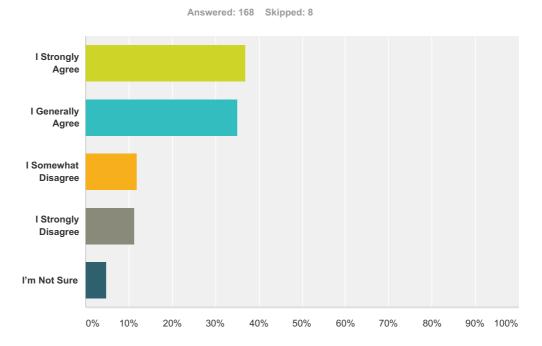
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I Strongly Agree	6.67%	11
I Generally Agree	13.94%	23
I Somewhat Agree	23.03%	38
I Strongly Disagree	49.70%	82
I'm Not Sure	6.67%	11
otal		165



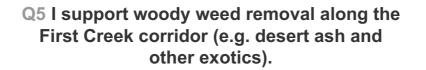
Q3 Need to retain/maximise open space area

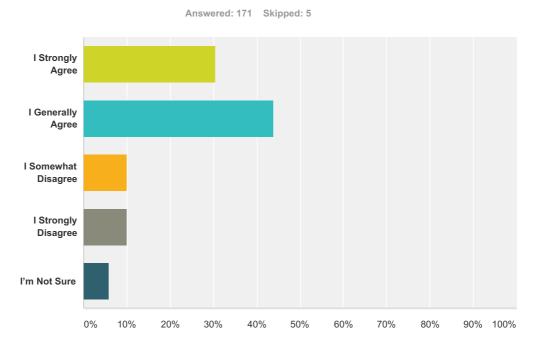
Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	79.53%	136
I Generally Agree	11.11%	19
I Somewhat Agree	4.09%	7
I Strongly Disagree	3.51%	6
I'm Not Sure	1.75%	3
Total		171

Q4 I support a variety of planting styles (typologies) throughout the park. Refer to Planting and Ecology Image Examples.

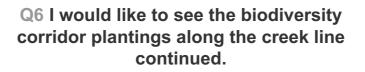


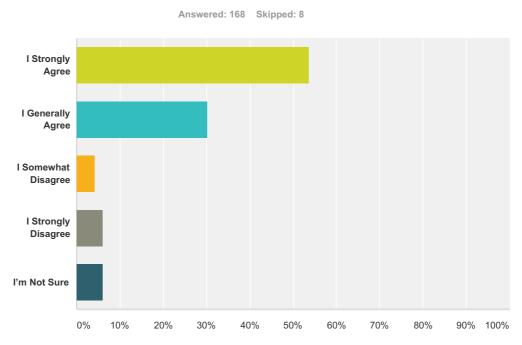
Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	36.90%	62
I Generally Agree	35.12%	59
I Somewhat Disagree	11.90%	20
I Strongly Disagree	11.31%	19
I'm Not Sure	4.76%	8
Total		168



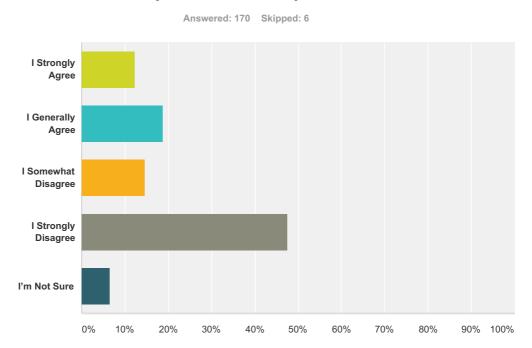


Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	30.41%	52
I Generally Agree	43.86%	75
I Somewhat Disagree	9.94%	17
I Strongly Disagree	9.94%	17
I'm Not Sure	5.85%	10
Total		171



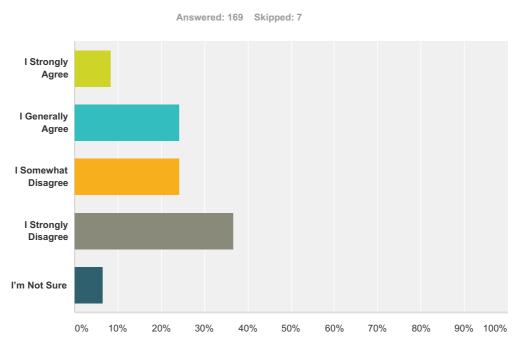


Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	53.57%	90
I Generally Agree	30.36%	51
I Somewhat Disagree	4.17%	7
I Strongly Disagree	5.95%	10
I'm Not Sure	5.95%	10
Total		168



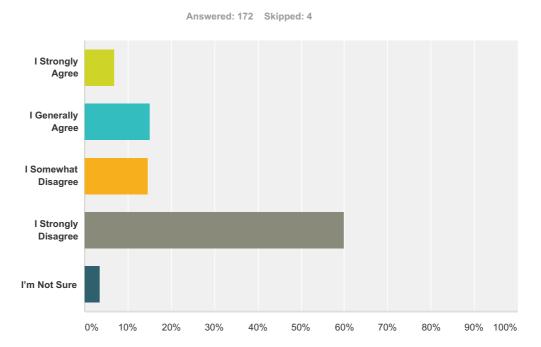
Q7 I support providing an ornamental 'duck' pond within the park.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	12.35%	21
I Generally Agree	18.82%	32
I Somewhat Disagree	14.71%	25
I Strongly Disagree	47.65%	81
I'm Not Sure	6.47%	11
Total		170



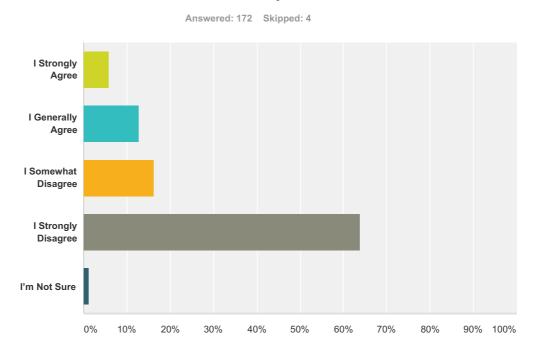
Q8 Place entrance, wayfinding and historic interpretive signage throughout park.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	8.28%	14
I Generally Agree	24.26%	41
I Somewhat Disagree	24.26%	41
I Strongly Disagree	36.69%	62
I'm Not Sure	6.51%	11
Total		169



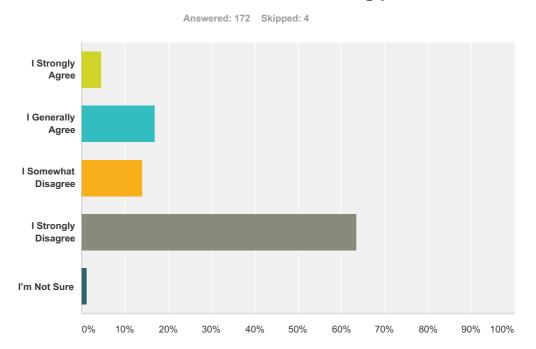
Q9 Install additional toilet facility.

swer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	6.98%	12
I Generally Agree	15.12%	26
I Somewhat Disagree	14.53%	25
I Strongly Disagree	59.88%	103
I'm Not Sure	3.49%	6
tal		172



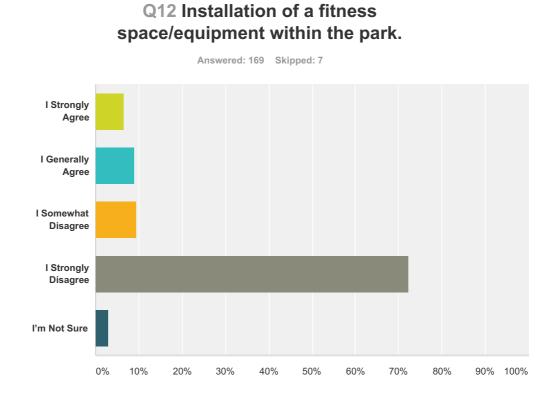
Q10 Install additional picnic shelters.

swer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	5.81%	10
I Generally Agree	12.79%	22
I Somewhat Disagree	16.28%	28
I Strongly Disagree	63.95%	110
I'm Not Sure	1.16%	2
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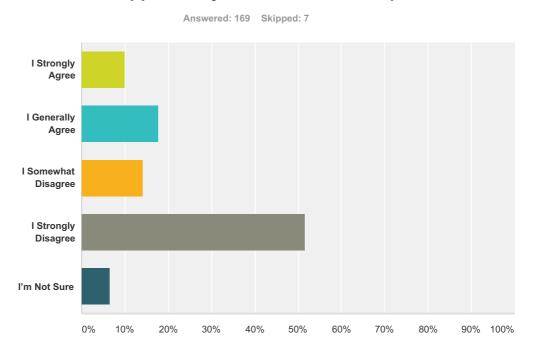


Q11 More shaded rest stations along paths.

nswer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	4.65%	8
I Generally Agree	16.86%	29
I Somewhat Disagree	13.95%	24
I Strongly Disagree	63.37%	109
I'm Not Sure	1.16%	2
otal		172

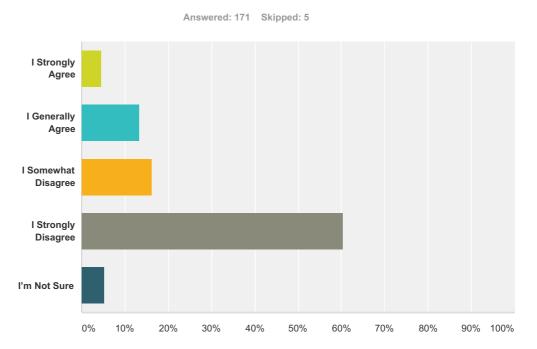


Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	6.51%	11
I Generally Agree	8.88%	15
I Somewhat Disagree	9.47%	16
I Strongly Disagree	72.19%	122
I'm Not Sure	2.96%	5
Total		169



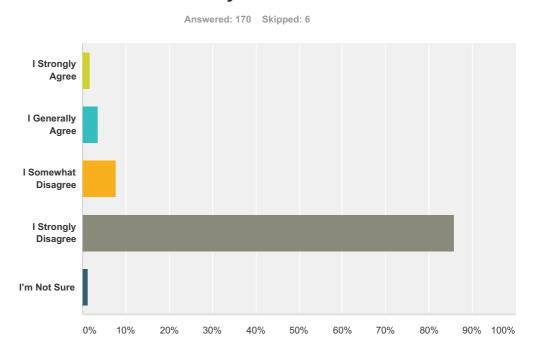
Q13 I support a rejuvenation of the carpark.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	10.06%	17
I Generally Agree	17.75%	30
I Somewhat Disagree	14.20%	24
I Strongly Disagree	51.48%	87
I'm Not Sure	6.51%	11
Fotal		169



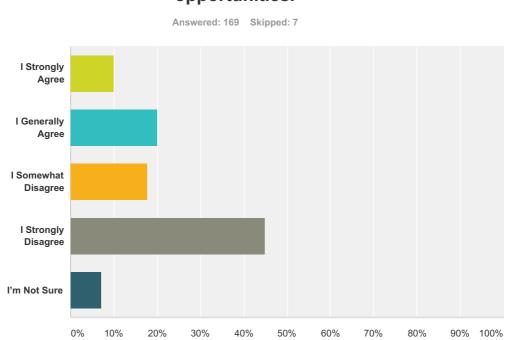
Q14 I support additional events in the park.

nswer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	4.68%	8
I Generally Agree	13.45%	23
I Somewhat Disagree	16.37%	28
I Strongly Disagree	60.23%	103
I'm Not Sure	5.26%	9
otal		171



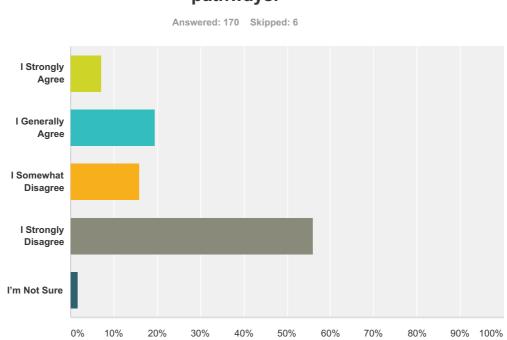
Q15 I support the addition of an events and amenity structure.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	1.76%	3
I Generally Agree	3.53%	6
I Somewhat Disagree	7.65%	13
I Strongly Disagree	85.88%	146
I'm Not Sure	1.18%	2
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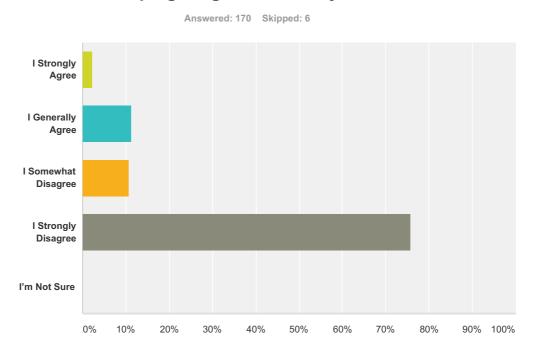
Q16 I support more nature play opportunities.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	10.06%	17
I Generally Agree	20.12%	34
I Somewhat Disagree	17.75%	30
I Strongly Disagree	44.97%	76
I'm Not Sure	7.10%	12
Total		169



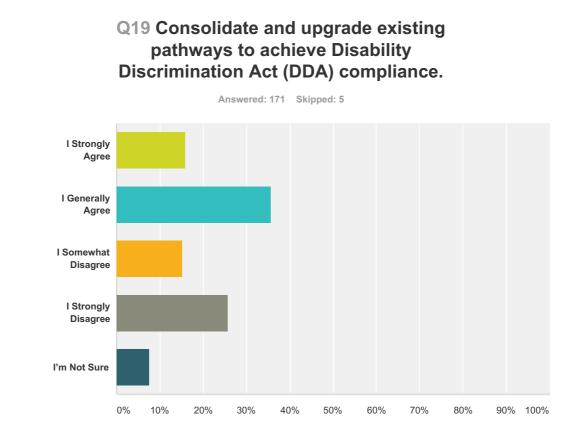
Q17	Enhance lighting to illuminate
	pathways.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	7.06%	12
I Generally Agree	19.41%	33
I Somewhat Disagree	15.88%	27
I Strongly Disagree	55.88%	95
I'm Not Sure	1.76%	3
Total		170

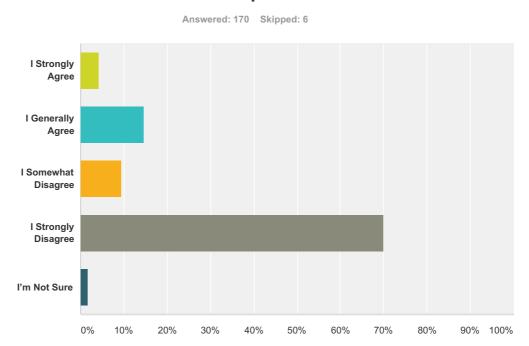


Q18 Up-lighting of select major trees.

swer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	2.35%	4
I Generally Agree	11.18%	19
I Somewhat Disagree	10.59%	18
I Strongly Disagree	75.88%	129
I'm Not Sure	0.00%	0
tal		170

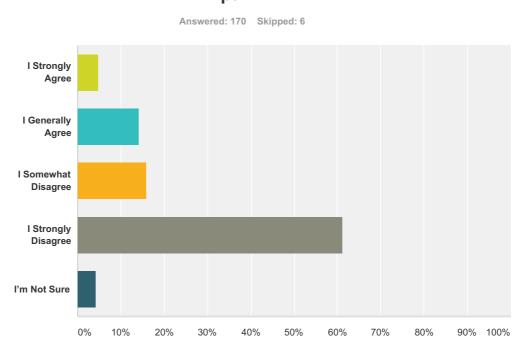


Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	15.79%	27
I Generally Agree	35.67%	61
I Somewhat Disagree	15.20%	26
I Strongly Disagree	25.73%	44
I'm Not Sure	7.60%	13
Total		171



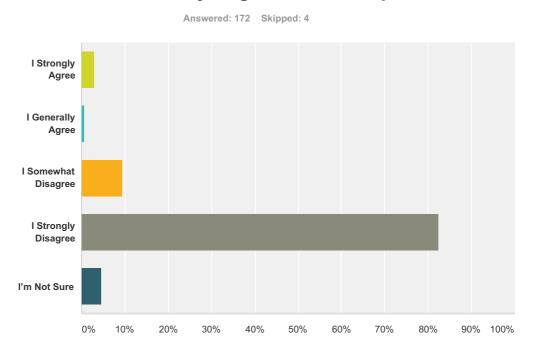
Q20 Install a pathway around the perimeter of the park.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	4.12%	7
I Generally Agree	14.71%	25
I Somewhat Disagree	9.41%	16
I Strongly Disagree	70.00%	119
I'm Not Sure	1.76%	3
Total		170



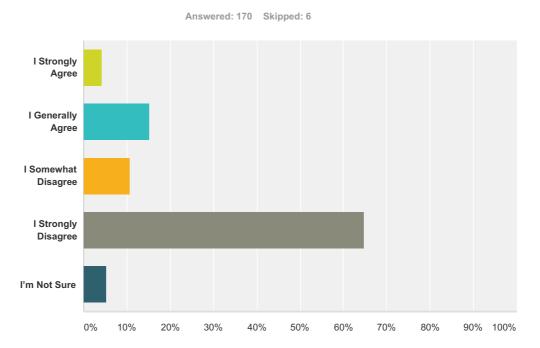
Q21 Enhance pedestrian movements in park.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	4.71%	8
I Generally Agree	14.12%	24
I Somewhat Disagree	15.88%	27
I Strongly Disagree	61.18%	104
I'm Not Sure	4.12%	7
Total		170



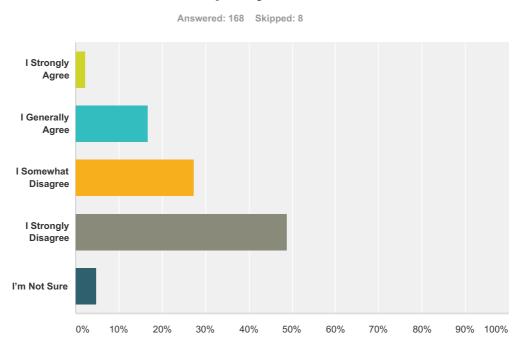
Q22 Enhance cycling movements in park.

nswer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	2.91%	5
I Generally Agree	0.58%	1
I Somewhat Disagree	9.30%	16
I Strongly Disagree	82.56%	142
I'm Not Sure	4.65%	8
otal		172



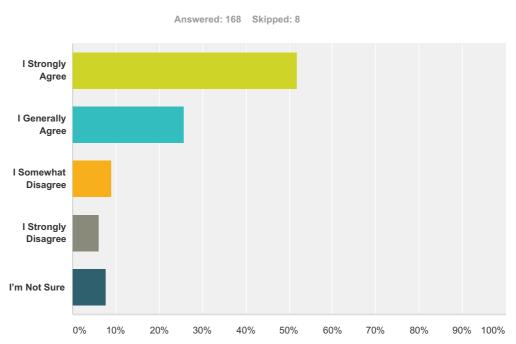
Q23 I support additional creek crossings.

swer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	4.12%	7
I Generally Agree	15.29%	26
I Somewhat Disagree	10.59%	18
I Strongly Disagree	64.71%	110
I'm Not Sure	5.29%	9
tal		170



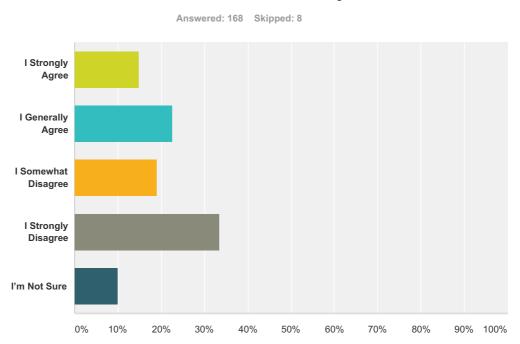
Q24 Need for more irrigation/better turf quality.

nswer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	2.38%	4
I Generally Agree	16.67%	28
I Somewhat Disagree	27.38%	46
I Strongly Disagree	48.81%	82
I'm Not Sure	4.76%	8
otal		168



Q25 I would support conserving the Olive Grove.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	51.79%	87
I Generally Agree	25.60%	43
I Somewhat Disagree	8.93%	15
I Strongly Disagree	5.95%	10
I'm Not Sure	7.74%	13
Total		168



Q26 Replace the swimming centre fence with a more attractive boundary fence.

Answer Choices	Responses	
I Strongly Agree	14.88%	25
I Generally Agree	22.62%	38
I Somewhat Disagree	19.05%	32
I Strongly Disagree	33.33%	56
I'm Not Sure	10.12%	17
Total		168

Q27 Please share any other thoughts you may have about Hazelwood Park here:

Answered: 152 Skipped: 24

Q28 Contact DetailsPlease enter your details below. Note: This information will be kept confidential and only used for the purposes of this study.

Answered: 169 Skipped: 7

swer Choices	Responses	Responses	
Name:	100.00%	169	
Are you a member of a Community Group (Yes/No):	78.70%	13:	
Name of Community Group:	18.34%	3	
Street Address:	94.08%	15	
Suburb:	95.27%	16	
Email:	76.92%	13	
Phone Number:	80.47%	13	