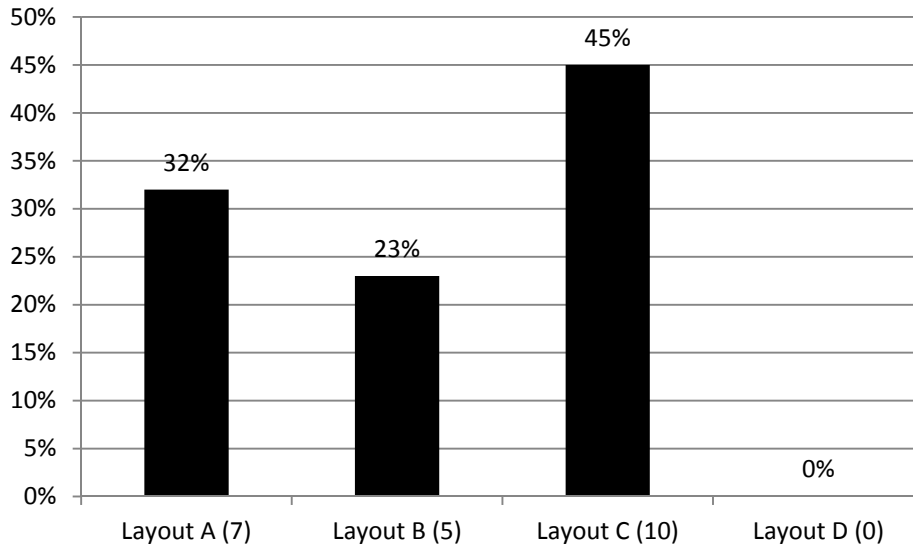




# Selleh Park Improvements 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting Survey Results

## 1. Of the four Selleh Park playground area layouts, which do you prefer (The budget is the same for all layouts)?



Total Submissions: 22

## 2. Why did you choose this option?

### Layout A:

1. B and C do not appear to be an improvement. Pickleball eliminates other alternatives.
2. Let others choose, just don't effect the rest of the park. I use it once or twice a day, walking/dog walking and don't use the playground.
3. Lowest impact to surrounding area. No issue with current footprint. Suggestion: remove asphalt and install concrete sidewalk around the playground (and around pond if future funding can be secured). Layouts A, B, & C are all fine. Layout D is not. It would make me cry inside.
4. I don't see a need to alter the footprint for no reason.
5. It looks like it has the most area for the placement of the playground equipment. If there is one with a larger area, I would rather that.
6. The current layout is good, it's far from the main road that way it keeps the children away from the road and able to roam and play without the worry of them heading toward the street.

### Layout B:

1. Looks kid-friendly. Best use of space.
2. Nicer layout. Want to maximize use of space.
3. It is very hard to see on computer, but it seems B or C are usable. Trees are great, more equipment is better. I have used this park for grandkids, great grandkids. it should be usable for toddler thru 8-10
4. Looks like more shade/trees

**Layout C:**

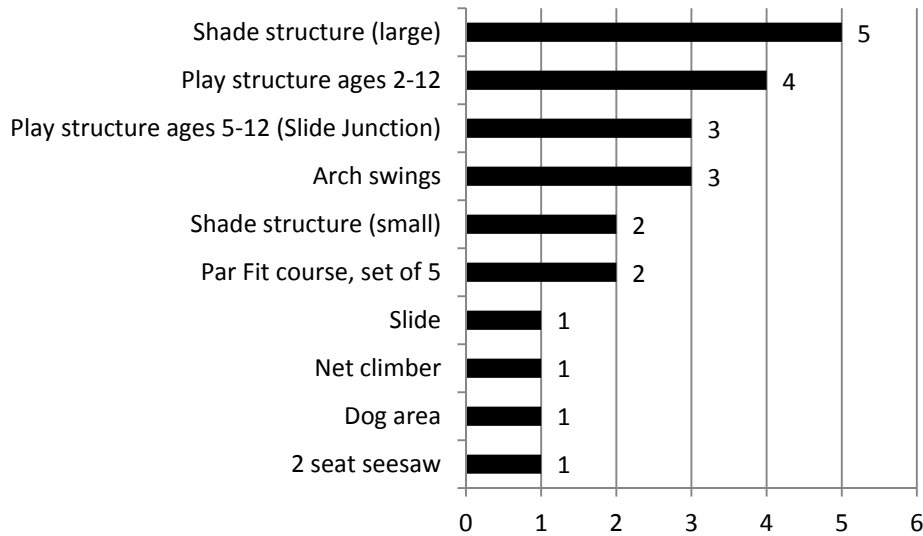
1. Large kid's play area with lots of shade
2. Most playground space.
3. It seems like everything would be in close proximity to each other, the "playground", swings, and accessory play features. Picnic tables close by so parents can watch their children. It's similar to the current layout but just enough change for the park to appear "updated".
4. Access to cover and the way it's divided (top to bottom)
5. We liked the playground options associated with this layout! We feel the court option would be very limiting.
6. I like the footprint. I definitely want a playground at the park. I walk my dogs in the park daily and the playground is well used (although I don't use it since my children are adult now). I have no preference as to equipment
7. Having children and a homeowner in the area I very much enjoy a place for children and parents to use. And having a large kids area makes bad people move on to a not so nice park!
8. Modular play set is great.
9. It seems to have the most room.

**Other:**

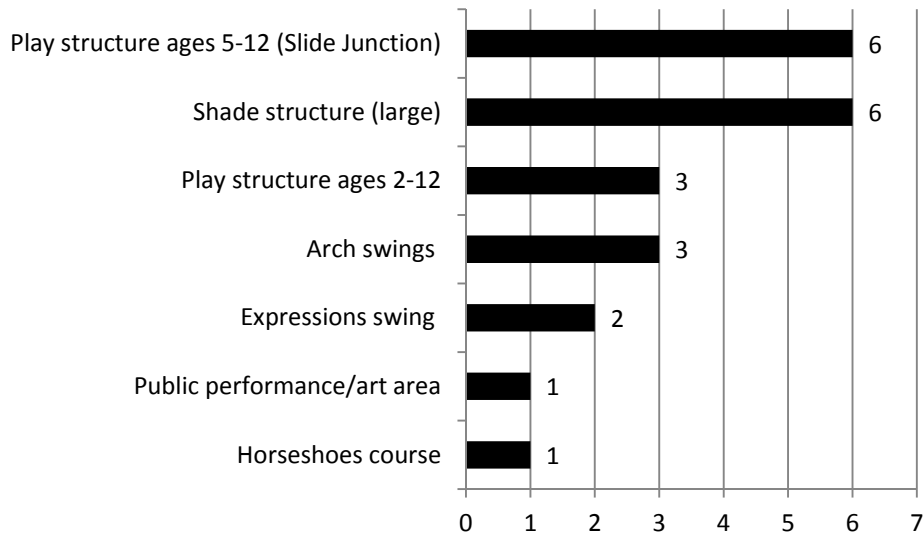
1. Any layout EXCEPT layout D
2. I do not want layout D, but am unsure about choosing between A, B and C. I would prefer whichever layout would require losing less trees or would allow for more tree plantings!

**3. Please list in order of importance your top 5 pieces of equipment you would like to see in Selleh Park**

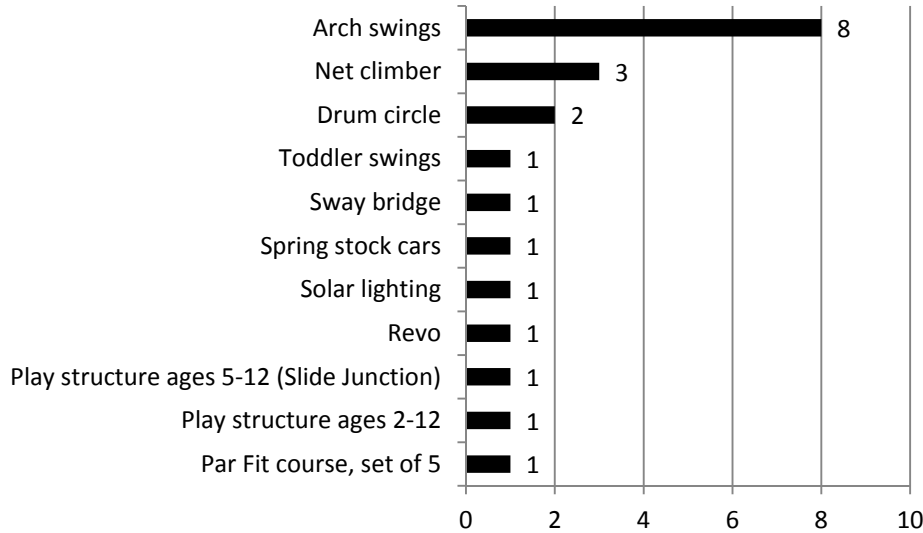
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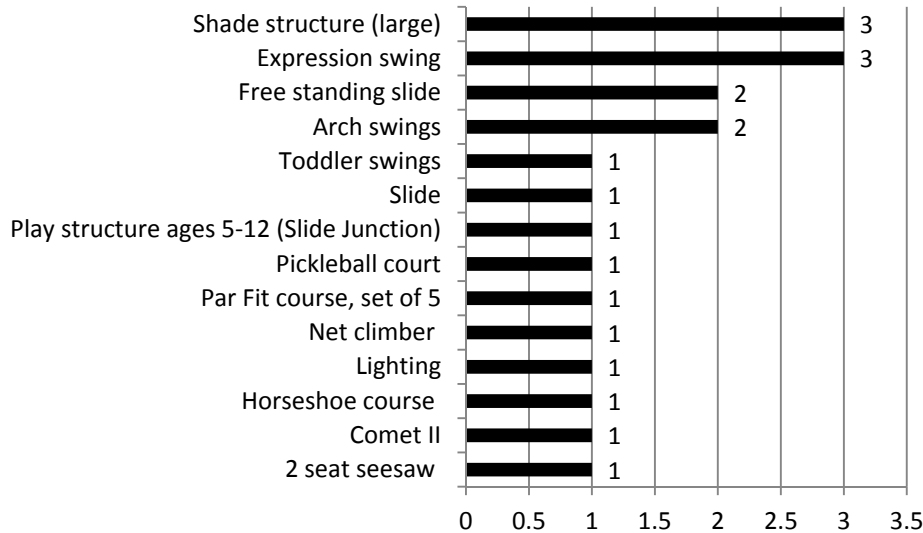
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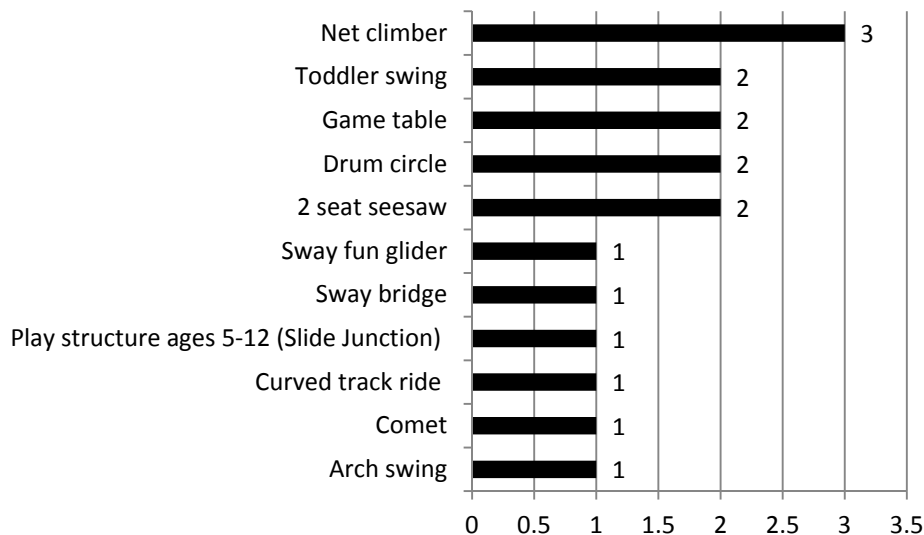
**3<sup>rd</sup> choice:**



**4<sup>th</sup> choice:**



## 5<sup>th</sup> choice:



## 4. Additional comments

1. Rotary and Cole Parks near the US 60 are both great parks with lots of play equipment for all ages, shade, and seating. These would be good examples to use for the improvements at Selleh Park. I have a toddler and there is nothing for her to do at the current playground and no shade/lack of seating.
2. The exact same toddler swing is already installed at Selleh Park. I suggest keeping it.
3. I think the park should offer an equal a out to children and adults.
4. I really think there should be an exercise feature (for adults) like the par-fit course. It would help the elderly residents, and someone like myself who takes health and fitness seriously. I know I would be excited to use the par-fit course features. Some features for the kids, and as well as the adults. :)
5. is it possible to have wood chips below the equipment rather than sand....cats loves sand! Please, no dog park. With as often as the park is irrigated and the dog poop that will be left behind it will stink up the neighborhood. Pickleball courts take up too much space and are seldom used. Will the residents input really be taken into consideration or has everything been decided by those who work in the Dark Towers?
6. I am not familiar with all these other equipment. I would trust the use in other parks would be a clue. Sorry I missed the meeting to better understand the park.
7. There is a very wide alley across from the park on Los Feliz. Maybe it would be possible to put a dog park over there somewhere. It seemed to be something others wanted. Right now it's just an eye sore.
8. Our park is a gem of green space with a pond that provides a home to ducks, turtles and fish, as well as migratory birds and others such as Great Blue Herons and Green Herons. Definitely want to see that preserved. More trees would be great, but don't want to add things (beyond the playground improvements) that would encroach on the park's open space for unstructured play, running, aesthetics, etc. Additional water fountain(s) with per water feature would also be a great addition. Seating on edge of children's playground for - benches and tables - for the benefit of parents/caregivers would be greatly appreciated, especially in a shady spot or covered by smaller shade structure. Also hoping for involvement of kids at Curry or Kidszone in helping to choose play equipment. Thanks!

Additional comments (continued):

9. Please go with a playground plan! We can't wait to bring our new baby boy to play at the new playground!!
10. We love the hills at Selleh Park. They allow privacy from other dog walkers in the park. (2) The park is often over-irrigated so that needs to be fixed. The grass doesn't grow well in those areas so makes half the park unusable most of the time (too muddy). (3) The garbage cans are problematic as they fall over and rust; need a new trash can system (4) I wondered if the parks system could do something with the double sized alley between Aspen and Concordia close to the NorthWest side of Selleh Park. Perhaps it could be turned into a walking or dog run area. Currently the alley is a big trash dump and eye sore. If the park system can't do anything, then perhaps they can discuss with an appropriate city agency
11. I already filled the survey out previously, but am doing it again because I forgot to mention that I am NOT in favor of a dog run at Selleh Park. That would increase traffic and dog issues at Selleh Park. It is great the way it is. Also, people don't seem to pick up their dog pooh so it would just be stinky. Please don't ruin our park by putting in a dog run.
12. Like to have irrigation reduces and exploring desert landscape in low-lying places. Install public art. Lighting around basketball court is great. Walkway to basketball court really needed. Just reduce the flood irrigation please!
13. Fixed garbage cans that don't tip over. More police drive bys to look for children vandalizing park and/or killing ducks/turtles. Not so much irrigation.
14. Park access from east is unpleasant: one can only slink in via the alley. Sign is needed to remind dog owners that it is illegal to let their dogs run loose.
15. Shade! And shade for parents to sit and watch kids play. Consider no sand, maybe all soft mat or wood chips. Place benches pointed in directions where kids play the most. Picnic benches.
16. Glad to have these improvements made for the young children in the area.
17. Dark parks attract bad people. Clean the lake, more lights.
18. Splash pad?