

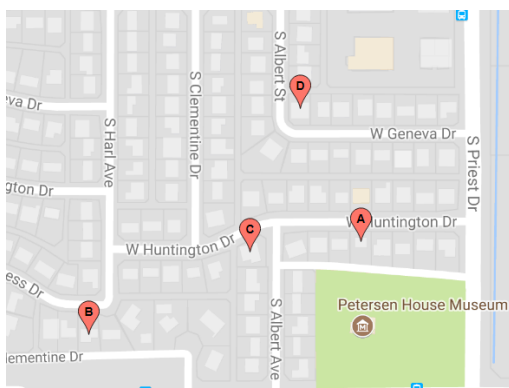
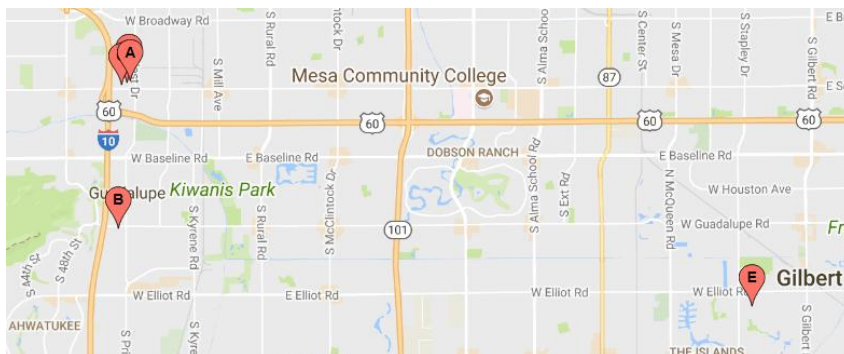


## PUBLIC INPUT SUMMARY

### OVERVIEW

A public meeting was held December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017 in Petersen Park to get feedback on planned improvements for Petersen Park. Residents in the area of Alameda to Southern, Priest to the I-10 (183 households) were invited to participate in the process. Eight (8) residents signed in at the meeting, but ten (10) additional residents were present in the park. Surveys were available at the meeting and online from December 8 through December 22, 2017. Postcards directing residents to the online survey were also available during the Petersen House tours throughout the month of December. A total of 7 survey responses were received; 4 at the meeting and 3 online.

### Map of Respondents:



1. Do you live in the Petersen Park area

Yes - 7                      No - 0

\*According to mapped addresses 5 respondents live in the area and 2 do not.

2. Do you currently visit or utilize Petersen Park?

Yes - 6                      No - 1

If yes, how?

1. Waiting for the bus and place my wife remembers as a little girl.
2. I play here.
3. Walk dog, swings.
4. While visiting the house, playground use., play sports
5. I bring my grandson who resides with me there. He runs in the grass, we do not have a grass frontyard. He also enjoys the swings.

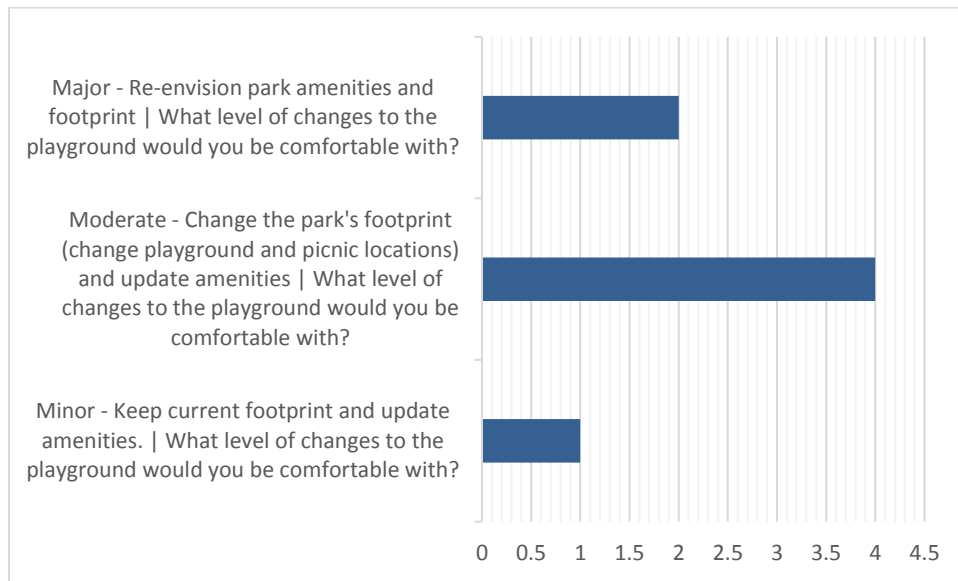
If no, why not?

1. We do not go or take the kids there because it is run down
  2. Nothing for older kids to do. Basketball court.
3. How would you envision using the Petersen Park playground and park area in the future?
1. New and better playground equipment (slide, monkey bars, new swing set), Bbq area/new tables and sitting areas
  2. Newer swings and playground.
  3. I would like to have a jungle gym and a Merry Go Round
  4. Upgrade equipment - basketball court. A mini-dog run. Fencing around the park. Trees to block the road.
  5. A fence and expanding the park playground.
  6. Using picnic and grass area more frequently
4. What elements or features could be added to the park that would draw you in to use the space more frequently?
1. Better equipment, safer
  2. Love the landscape. Wish more people would put their trash in the can.
  3. Merry-go-round, jungle gym, big slide, monkey bars
  4. See #3
  5. Trees, play equipment, benches for sitting.
  6. Better lighting, building a ramada , more bbq grills
  7. Shade, shade, shade over the play area & swings; add a slide or two. A large and small slide would be great; remove the cement climbing objects. They are dangerous, hot in the summer and can't be used by toddlers; climbing toys; not likely to do since Kiwanis is being updated but a water pad. I have a pool but many in the neighborhood do not and sometimes the toddlers just want to run around.
5. How should the playground and park areas reflect the historic nature of the Petersen House?
1. Cleanliness
  2. An update on the playground that blends in with the house.
  3. A sign that talks about Petersen Park
  4. Make it more community friendly. Lots of homeless.
  5. Adding more plants and garden areas.
  6. should maintain a historic look.
6. Would you visit Petersen House if it was open more often throughout the year (there is no current funding, but we would like to assess interest)?

Yes - 7

No - 0

## 7. What level of changes to the playground would you be comfortable with?



## 8. Additional Comments

1. If possible increase safety
2. Wish people would put their trash in the garbage can. They have no respect for what in front of them.
3. A swimming pool!
4. More trees.
5. We come here every year.