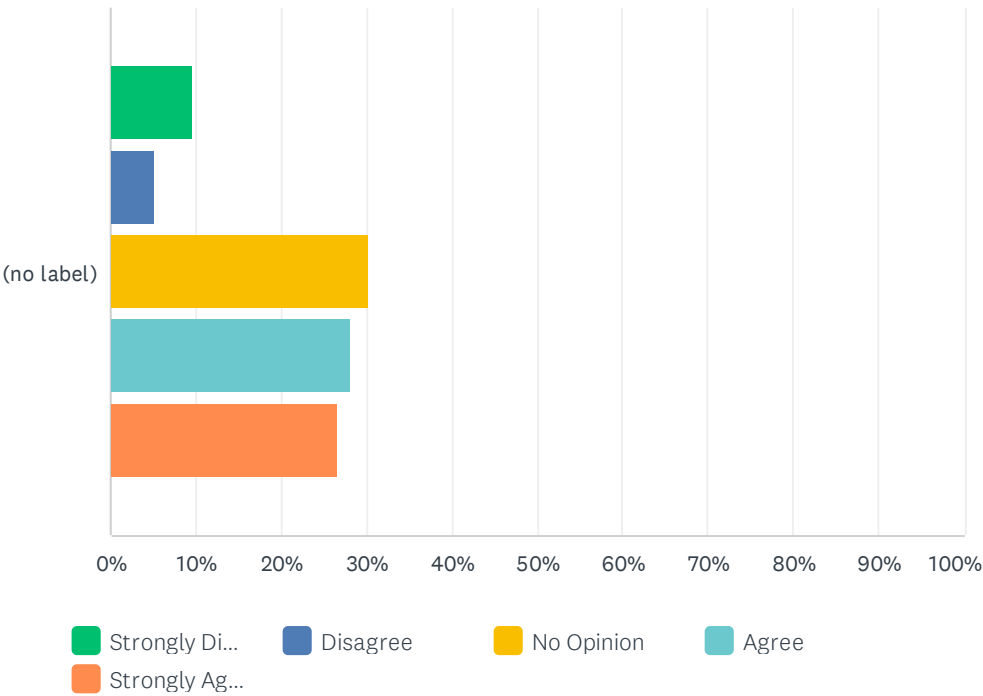


APPENDIX E: FRAMEWORK PLAN FEEDBACK SURVEY COMPLETE RESULTS

Q1 Players, coaches, and supporters would benefit from having Varsity and JV softball and baseball facilities co-located at North Mesa Sports Complex.

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	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	9.63% 13	5.19% 7	30.37% 41	28.15% 38	26.67% 36	135	3.57

#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT CO-LOCATING VARSITY AND JV SOFTBALL AND BASEBALL FACILITIES AT NORTH MESA.	DATE
1	I think varsity and JV teams should be co-located per sport. Baseball and softball don't necessarily need to be at the same facilities.	3/31/2025 9:20 PM
2	Middle School would benefit as well! Supporters would be able to easily get to the fields without traveling the dangerous truck route. Practice facilities would be easier to access without students riding the transit. Teachers would be able to support their students. We wouldn't be competing with truck route traffic. It's closer to the hospital for potential injuries.	3/29/2025 12:21 AM
3	Option 1	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
4	During district play, boys and girls team schedules are aligned, but the fields are split, forcing the visiting team to drop off baseball players, then travel to White Rock.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM
5	Games are better played at the schools when possible and existing North Mesa facilities seem adequate	3/26/2025 8:47 PM
6	Plenty of room for existing facilities in White Rock or Bomber Field.	3/25/2025 8:50 PM
7	Softball and baseball teams need two fields each to ensure that all teams can play.	3/25/2025 6:58 PM
8	This would be a question for the schools. How often would JV and Varsity be playing at the	3/24/2025 8:06 PM

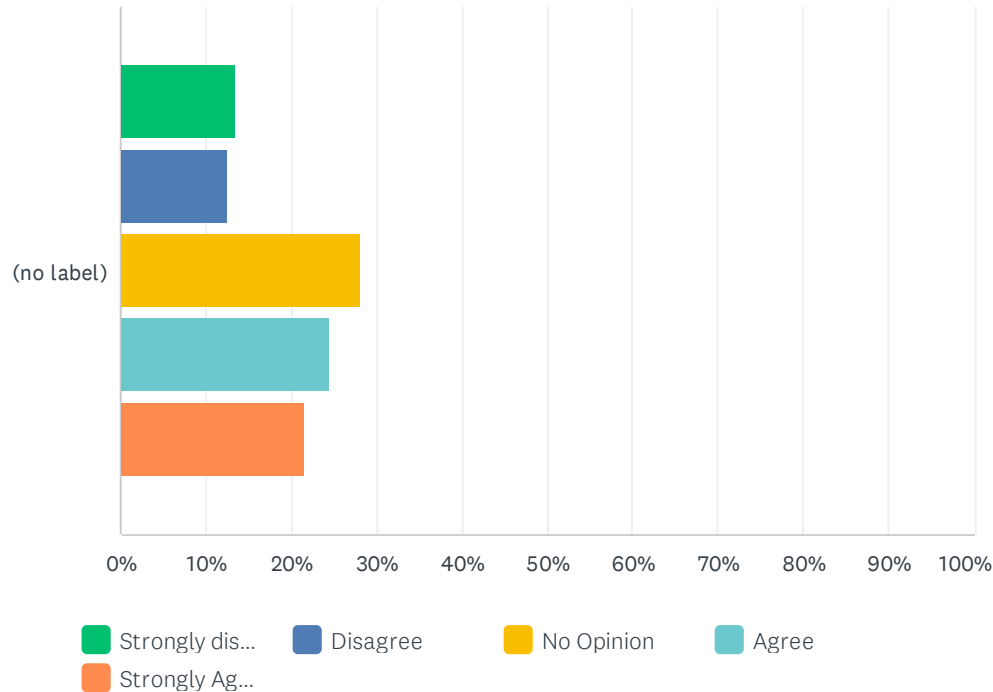
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same time.

9	There are not enough fields for all 4 teams to practice at the same time. We cannot share fields.	3/24/2025 12:59 PM
10	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
11	If anything was to be co-located it should be in White Rock. As a former Topper baseball player, baseball coach and softball coach, White Rock provides much better weather that allows practices to begin outside earlier. This gives the teams a better chance to be ready for the season. This also causes less cancellations of games.	3/20/2025 6:50 PM
12	There's no parking to accommodate all these options.	3/20/2025 4:17 PM

Q2 It is important to the community to introduce a youth soccer field within North Mesa Sports Complex.

Answered: 135 Skipped: 6



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	13.33% 18	12.59% 17	28.15% 38	24.44% 33	21.48% 29	135	3.28

#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT INTRODUCING A NEW YOUTH SOCCER FIELD AT NORTH MESA.	DATE
1	Will we keep the existing field also? If no, then I object. I'm assuming the field would end up as housing.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
2	It is imperative that the North Mesa (Flint) fields are well maintained and any drainage issues are well maintained. It would be bonus to add another turf field that could be used by soccer to the North Mesa Sports Complex.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	I think that North Mesa could serve the baseball and softball communities and White Rock could serve the soccer communities	3/30/2025 12:58 PM
4	There already is a soccer field on North Mesa	3/28/2025 7:38 PM
5	Not at the expense of one of the Flint Fields. We should never take away a soccer field to add RV parking.	3/27/2025 12:56 PM
6	There are a lot of fields in White Rock, sometimes you have to drive or take the bus.	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
7	We (LAYSLE) already have a fantastic established Soccer Field called FLINT FIELD. There is nothing wrong with it aside from some new gophers and east side drainage. Both mitigated for pennies as opposed to wastefully tearing it out and making a tiny replacement. The proposed new Soccer field location would require many large beautiful pines to be needlessly cut down.	3/27/2025 6:54 AM

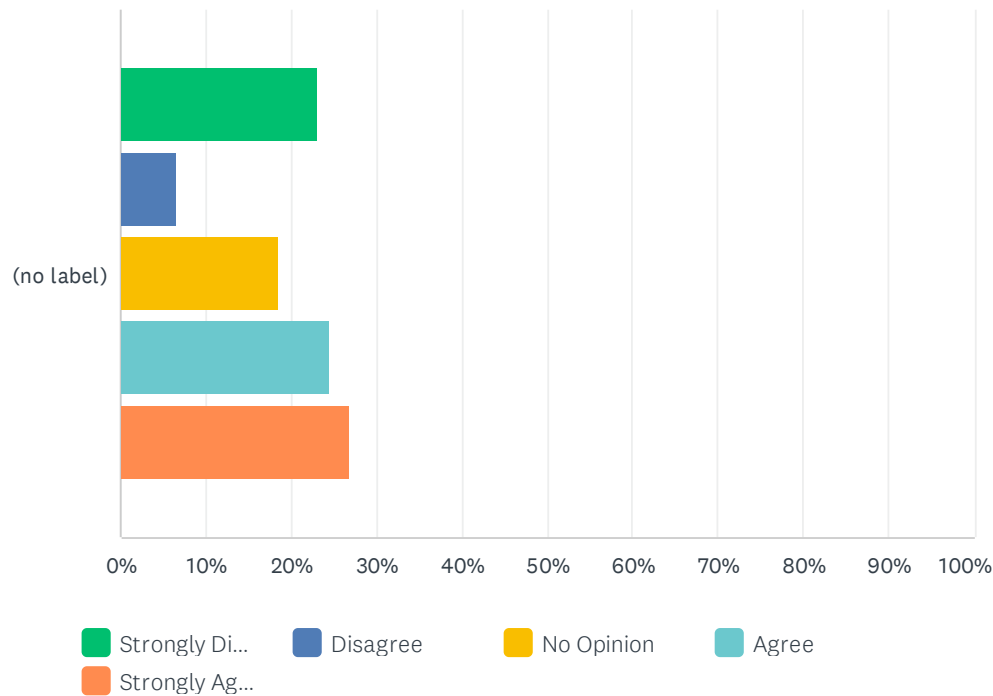
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Trees that provide shade in the perfectly usable existing parking area. Lets work more with what we already have rather than needlessly tearing out perfectly functioning field.

8	There are many options for soccer around the county. Very few options for baseball/softball.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM
9	There exists a soccer field already	3/26/2025 8:47 PM
10	I think it's mostly important to have multi-purpose fields.	3/26/2025 9:31 AM
11	Soccer not as popular as it once was.	3/25/2025 8:50 PM
12	Is there currently a shortage? There were enough soccer fields in town when my sons played.	3/24/2025 8:06 PM
13	Artificial turf soccer fields located anywhere would provide improved, safe soccer venues.	3/24/2025 7:17 PM
14	There is already a natural grass field on North Mesa that is well utilized for soccer. Improve the quality of this field instead of spending money to relocate the field	3/24/2025 5:59 PM
15	I think this would be beneficial for the community. The local parks like Urban and Rover have soccer practice frequently. It makes it hard for the other sports to find field space.	3/24/2025 4:03 PM
16	I'm fine with creating a multipurpose field	3/24/2025 12:59 PM
17	As a soccer coach for LAYSL, any improvements to the soccer fields would be ideal.	3/24/2025 12:34 PM
18	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
19	the Flint field, as is, can already accommodate youth soccer fields (plural), shrinking Flint and adding a separate youth soccer field as in Option 2 would not add any overall space for youth soccer and would take away a full size field for older youths playing soccer	3/14/2025 2:12 PM
20	There is already one across the street	3/12/2025 3:56 PM
21	We need a football field also. LA has a big youth football	3/10/2025 12:08 PM

Q3 As shown in Draft Option 2, I am comfortable with relocating the RV storage area in favor of adding a new youth soccer field to the North Mesa Sports Complex.

Answered: 134 Skipped: 7



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	23.13% 31	6.72% 9	18.66% 25	24.63% 33	26.87% 36	134	3.25

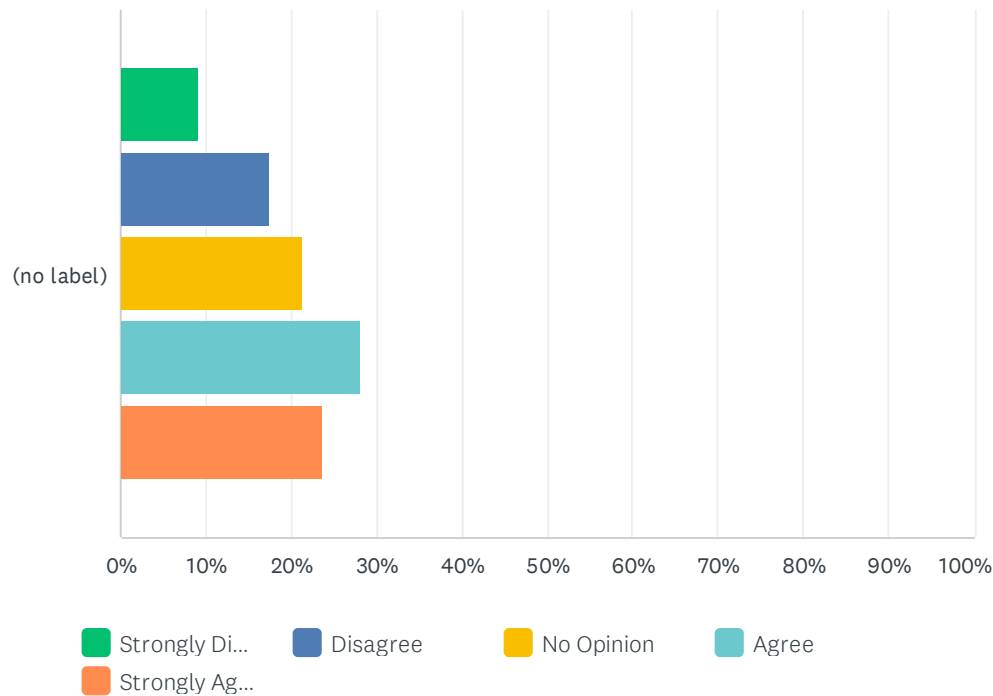
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT POSSIBLY RELOCATING THE RV STORAGE AS SHOWN IN OPTION 2.	DATE
1	As above, are we keeping the current field? Aesthetically, RV parking by the Posse Shack is preferable to parking in the neighborhood.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
2	That might be the dumbest thing I've ever heard. You have a great location for a soccer field at Flint Field. These fields have some of the best views of any facility in the state. And you would even consider moving RV storage to that site? That is ridiculous. It's much more important to find someone who knows how to maintain those grass fields at Flint.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	Provide better security, such as an electronic gate and lighting. Expanding RV storage is also needed.	3/30/2025 12:58 PM
4	I'd rather keep RV parking as is, because it's more out of the way.	3/29/2025 11:15 AM
5	The RV storage creates space for vagrants with have no reason to be near a youth sports complex.	3/29/2025 12:21 AM
6	I think we need more soccer fields that are playable. Please do not make one field into an RV lot. It is really nice to allow teams to play by one another. More importantly, though, can money be set aside to care for existing fields? The Gopher holes in Western Area and Overlook are terrible.	3/27/2025 12:56 PM

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7	RV parking should come with a fee.	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
8	FLINT SOCCER FIELD is an already great established complete field that only requires a little gopher help and east side drainage. To needlessly remove an already functioning usable field is a gross waste of money and effort. Work with what we have, be efficient please	3/27/2025 6:54 AM
9	RV storage should be enlarged, accompanied by a law prohibiting RV and trailer parking on neighborhood streets	3/26/2025 8:47 PM
10	I live close to Flint Field and I would NOT like the RV park closer to my neighborhood. Right now the RV park is not close to any houses and it's tucked away in an "out of site, out of mind" fashion. It will be an eye sore and much more visible if you re-locate it by flint field by Flint Field.	3/26/2025 9:31 AM
11	Get rid of RV parking, people can find somewhere else to park there eyesores the public shouldn't be subsidizing it. It would be a huge eyesore in the new location.	3/24/2025 8:56 PM
12	The plan for the land near the soccer fields is still in its infancy. An RV storage location on that property is not appropriate.	3/24/2025 8:06 PM
13	RV parking can be moved anywhere. Residents need safe facilities for all sports - baseball, soccer, and otherwise.	3/24/2025 7:17 PM
14	The relocation of the RV park will require cutting down many of the remaining ponderosa pine trees that make this area so beautiful. Please preserve the trees!!	3/24/2025 5:59 PM
15	With the relocation, I'd advise as soccer coach to create 2 in 1 soccer fields. Two U12 size fields, 70-80 yds x 45-55 yds (LxW) within the larger soccer fields. Many teams practice on Flint currently and with the reduction of the size Flint would squeeze teams.	3/24/2025 12:34 PM
16	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
17	I don't know that we need to devote precious country space resources to rv storage.	3/21/2025 12:42 PM
18	We live at 10 Terry Lane and like the off the beaten path location of the rv park. It never gets messed with and isn't off of a busy road. To move it would be off a busy road and closer to more traffic.	3/20/2025 9:20 PM
19	Our children both play soccer and hate turf fields.	3/12/2025 9:36 PM
20	Would also provide for extra parking with the posse shack breakfast	3/12/2025 3:56 PM
21	I agree but not at the cost of space at Flint field. Need a different location for the RV storage	3/12/2025 11:17 AM

Q4 As shown in Draft Option 1, I am in favor of replacing Minor Field with a multi-purpose natural turf field that accommodates youth soccer and T-ball and allows for more parking.

Answered: 131 Skipped: 10



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	9.16%	17.56%	21.37%	28.24%	23.66%	131	3.40
	12	23	28	37	31		

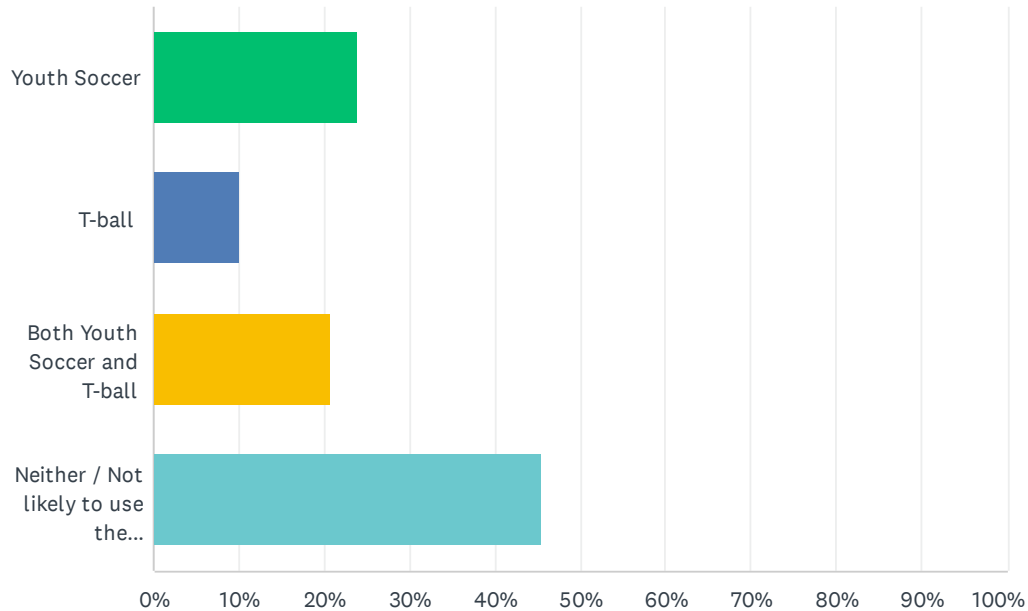
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT THE POTENTIAL MULTI-PURPOSE FIELD SHOWN IN OPTION 1.	DATE
1	Little League needs both the Minors and T-ball field in the current configuration to allow teams ample practice and game time. I would only be in favor of this option if the multipurpose field was designated for little league in the spring. Soccer tends to play fall and spring.	3/31/2025 7:56 PM
2	What's Minor Field? Flint? Yes, I want to maintain Flint rather than using it for RV parking.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
3	This is fine, but doesn't really matter. It feels like doing something just to do something. The issue is Parks and Rec isn't doing their job of maintaining the current fields well. I'm not sure giving them new fields to also not maintain well changes much. It might be better to replace Wendy with someone who is willing and able to maintain the fields we have.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
4	Removal of the minor field would pose an issue for middle school practice if JV and Varsity move to North Mesa for Softball. There wouldn't be enough softball fields.	3/29/2025 12:21 AM
5	Make sure we educate if it will reduce gophers and improve balance and fall prevention	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
6	This is efficient and practical!!	3/27/2025 6:54 AM
7	In this town, "multi-purpose" means soccer. We need more places for the younger baseball players to play and practice.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM

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8	Turf fields raise concerns due to potential health risks from chemicals in the materials, increased temperatures leading to heat-related injuries, and environmental impacts like microplastic pollution and water contamination	3/26/2025 10:49 AM
9	Great idea!	3/26/2025 9:31 AM
10	Don't majors need a field? Why are we taking their field?	3/24/2025 8:06 PM
11	Existing grass fields in the county are not maintained at a level to support safe, competitive athletics. I don't expect new grass fields would be much different.	3/24/2025 7:17 PM
12	Soccer needs natural turf by the laws of the game. Providing the option to flex a field from baseball to soccer is wise	3/24/2025 5:59 PM
13	I would prefer to see the RV storage replaced with the new soccer field than to do away with the minors field.	3/24/2025 4:03 PM
14	As previously noted, any improvements to any soccer fields would be ideal. Creating a multipurpose area would be ideal.	3/24/2025 12:34 PM
15	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
16	"natural turf field" is misleading wording. In favor of NO artificial turf as it leads to micro plastics scattering into the environment	3/21/2025 10:02 AM
17	Awful idea.	3/20/2025 4:57 PM
18	Parking is a problem out there.	3/20/2025 4:17 PM
19	Football field!	3/10/2025 12:08 PM

Q5 I am more likely to use the multi-purpose field shown in Draft Option 1 for:

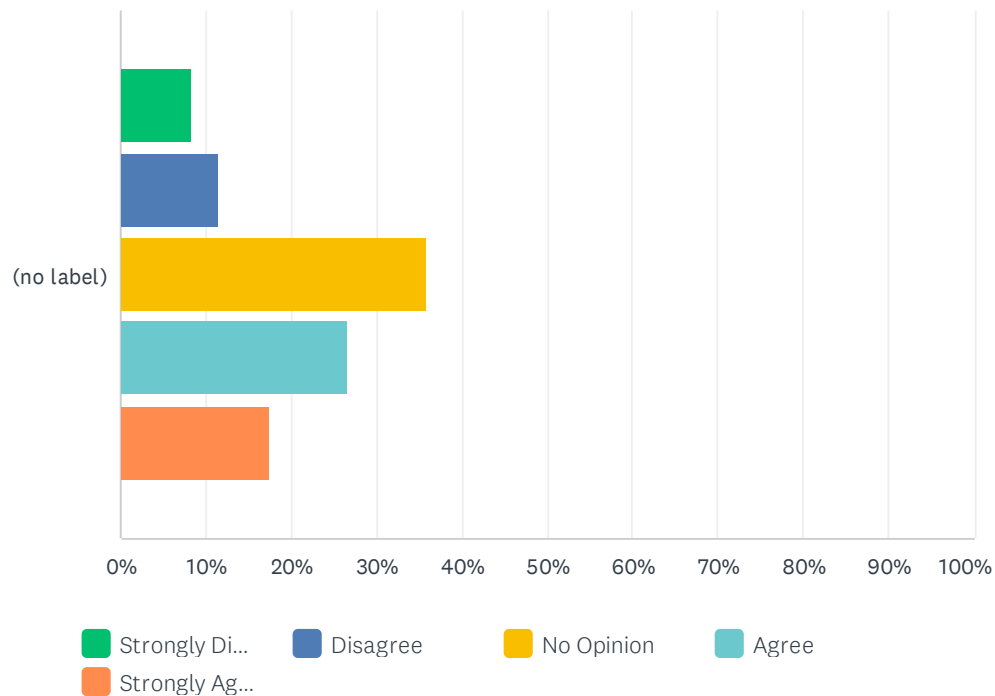
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Youth Soccer	23.85%	31
T-ball	10.00%	13
Both Youth Soccer and T-ball	20.77%	27
Neither / Not likely to use the multi-purpose field in Option 1	45.38%	59
TOTAL		130

Q6 Draft Option 2 shows a 400-ft, expanded Senior Field with added flexible fencing to allow the field to accommodate both high school baseball and softball. I am in favor of introducing this flexibility at Senior Field, with the understanding that Bomber Field will also be improved and remain in use for high school baseball.

Answered: 131 Skipped: 10



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	8.40% 11	11.45% 15	35.88% 47	26.72% 35	17.56% 23	131	3.34

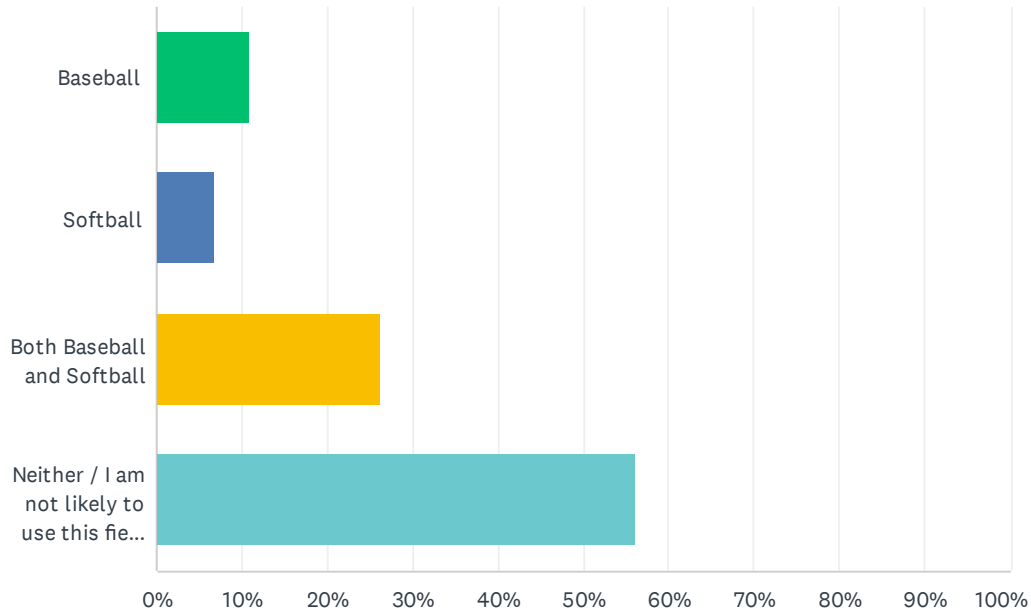
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT EXPANDING SENIOR FIELD AND ADDING FLEXIBLE FENCING TO EXPAND USE FOR SOFTBALL OR BASEBALL.	DATE
1	The draft options are difficult to distinguish congruity. The only difference I see is parking.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
2	Sure.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	Having movable fencing adds a burden to the already understaffed crews and can result in damage during movement.	3/30/2025 12:58 PM
4	We need the senior field to remain a baseball field. We have no place at North Mesa to accommodate the Middle School team, and their games already conflict with the JV team. Adding the flexibility would only add competitors.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM
5	Another great idea!	3/26/2025 9:31 AM
6	Softball needs its own field.	3/25/2025 6:58 PM
7	Can't the field be expanded with Option 1?	3/24/2025 8:06 PM

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8	Softball needs to stay in WR	3/24/2025 12:59 PM
9	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
10	What happens when baseball and softball have games at the same time? This often is the case. If they share fields and JV has games then Varsity can't practice, and vice versa.	3/20/2025 7:24 PM
11	Keep the senior field strictly for baseball.	3/20/2025 6:50 PM
12	Sounds like an unnecessary expense, and the fence will inevitably break.	3/12/2025 11:17 AM
13	Seems like an added, unnecessary expense that will likely break.	3/12/2025 10:50 AM

Q7 If Senior Field is expanded and flexible fencing is introduced as in Draft Option 2, I am more likely to use this field for:

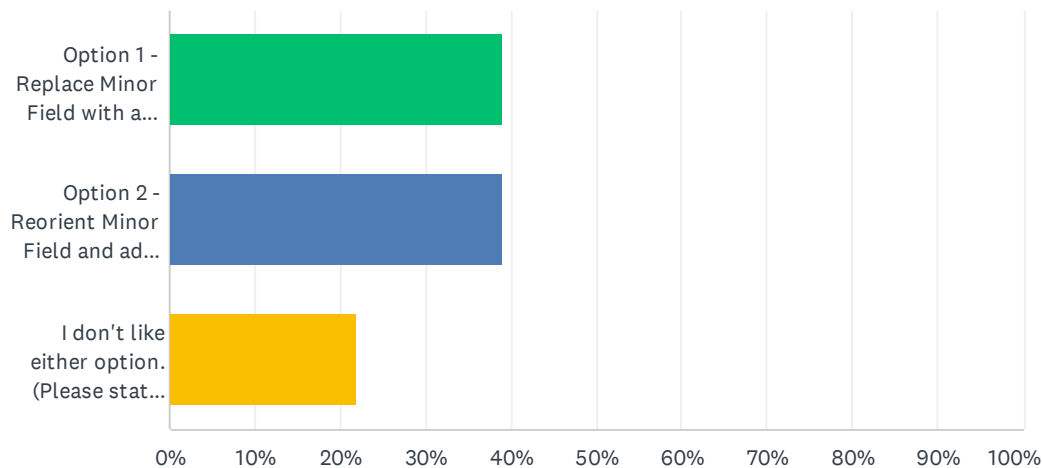
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Baseball	10.77%	14
Softball	6.92%	9
Both Baseball and Softball	26.15%	34
Neither / I am not likely to use this field for either baseball or softball.	56.15%	73
TOTAL		130

Q8 While Draft Option 1 provides for additional parking surrounding a multi-purpose field in place of Minor Field, Draft Option 2 proposes retaining and reorienting Minor Field and adding a parking lot south of Senior Field, accessed off San Ildefonso Rd. Which of these choices do you prefer with respect to Minor Field and improving parking?

Answered: 128 Skipped: 13



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Option 1 - Replace Minor Field with a multi-purpose field and additional parking.	39.06%	50
Option 2 - Reorient Minor Field and add a small parking area south of Senior Field.	39.06%	50
I don't like either option. (Please state your reasons below.)	21.88%	28
TOTAL		128

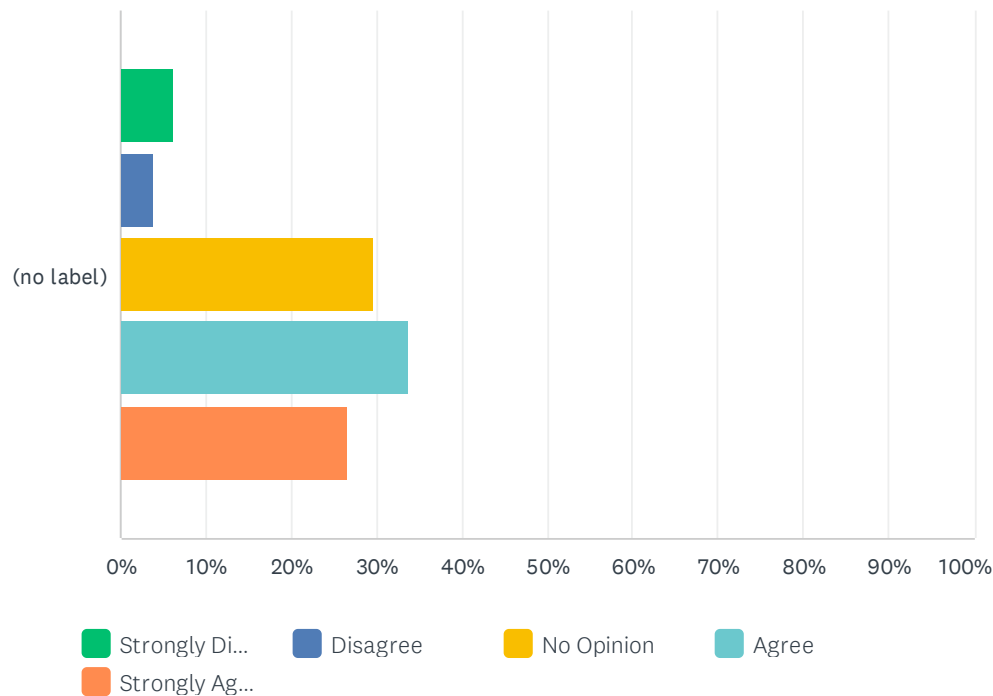
#	I DON'T LIKE EITHER OPTION BECAUSE...	DATE
1	I like option one's parking and retaining Flint, but I like option 2's larger minor field.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
2	Option 2 makes no sense. You would cut down all the beautiful trees across from the Posse Shack? And then relocate the RVs to a perfectly good Flint Field. Whoever thought of this option should be fired on the spot.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	Separate ALL fields from parking and make a single parking area. Multiple parking lots creates additional chances for injuries.	3/30/2025 12:58 PM
4	Multi-purpose accomodates varied users.	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
5	there is already plenty of parking	3/26/2025 9:37 PM
6	We should no longer be supporting cars	3/26/2025 10:56 AM
7	move rv, keep soccer fields together, implement mixed use field	3/25/2025 10:39 AM
8	There is plenty of parking already	3/24/2025 10:54 PM
9	I like Option 1 with a majors field.	3/24/2025 8:06 PM
10	no opinion	3/24/2025 6:14 PM

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11	why do we need to revamp the whole area. Just update the facilities	3/24/2025 3:28 PM
12	There should be more multi-purpose fields. Replace minor field with a multi-purpose field (Option 1), but also keep the soccer field in Option 2.	3/24/2025 1:48 PM
13	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
14	I am okay with us adding an extra field where needed, but artificial turf is irresponsible. There's little to no data on it's long term effects on surrounding ecosystems and los Alamos should not be a Guinea pig.	3/21/2025 10:02 AM
15	It is confusing and I'd need to see the layouts	3/20/2025 7:24 PM
16	Option 1 is better with only one flaw. The multi-use field should be east of the soccer fields, not in the baseball park.	3/20/2025 4:47 PM
17	Not a fan of additional pull offs from San Ildefonso, especially if we have more people living up here and more traffic, this plan would also have the parking for Flint off of San Ildefonso.	3/12/2025 11:17 AM
18	Adding additional pullouts into San ildefonso seems like it will cause more traffic issues.	3/12/2025 10:50 AM

Q9 Both Draft Options 1 and 2 involve reorienting fields from SW/SE facing to NW/NE facing in order to achieve a clover-leaf layout, increase parking, improve circulation and accessibility, centralize amenities, and utilize the site more efficiently. Reorienting the fields in such a way is acceptable to me because of the benefits gained from doing so.

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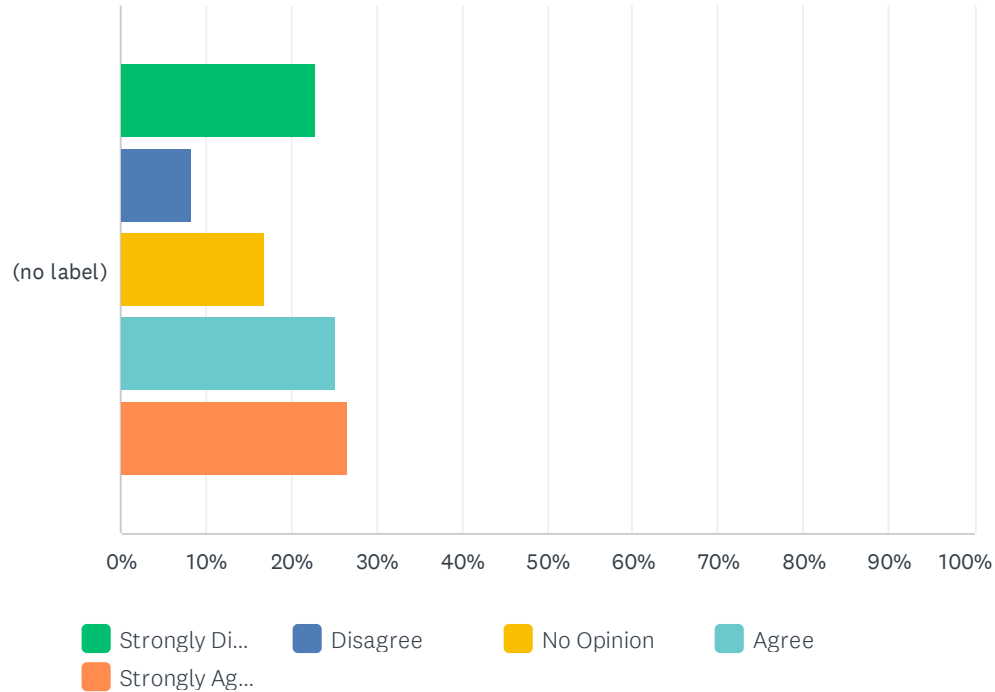


	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	6.25%	3.91%	29.69%	33.59%	26.56%	128	3.70
	8	5	38	43	34		

#	IF YOU DISAGREE, PLEASE TELL US WHY AND/OR SUGGEST AN ALTERNATIVE.	DATE
1	Again, it's just doing something to do something. Use that maintain to actually maintain the fields we have. Use some common sense. Don't just spend money to spend money. Use that money for what baseball and softball and soccer actually want... better maintained fields that are safe to use for sports.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
2	This is a gross waste of funds for something that is used ONE SEASON.	3/27/2025 6:54 AM
3	This is how most complexes are being set up. It centralizes spectators and allows parents with multiple children in separate age groups could watch multiple games more easily.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM
4	See 8	3/26/2025 10:56 AM
5	None of the reasons given are solving the problems that created the options in the first place. Maintain the fields!	3/24/2025 10:54 PM
6	I don't think the cloverleaf is necessary. People have always walked to the various fields.	3/24/2025 8:06 PM
7	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM

Q10 In both Draft Options 1 and 2, Bomber and Senior Fields are proposed as locations for artificial turf, and in Option 2, a proposed new soccer field north of Bomber Field would also be recommended for artificial turf installation. I am supportive of these recommendations.

Answered: 131 Skipped: 10



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	22.90%	8.40%	16.79%	25.19%	26.72%	131	3.24
	30	11	22	33	35		

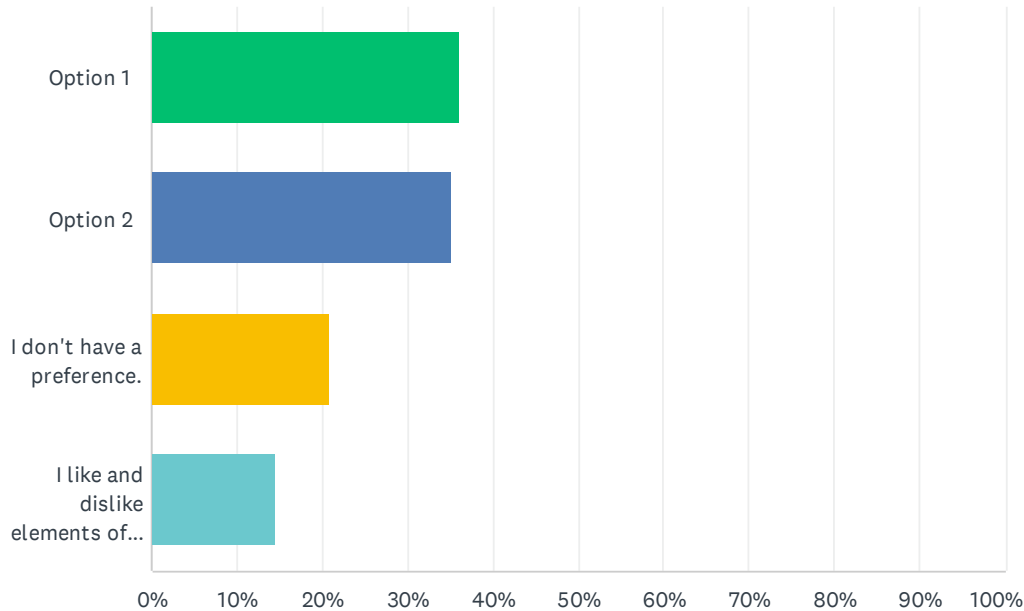
#	IF YOU DISAGREE, PLEASE TELL US WHY AND/OR SUGGEST AN ALTERNATIVE.	DATE
1	After long discussions with players, parents, environmentalists, and neighbors, I do NOT want artificial turf.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
2	You have a perfect soccer field in Flint Field. Why would you even consider taking away part of that field for RVs? If the county is either unwilling or unable (due to incompetent Parks and Recs directors, etc) to maintain the fields, then maybe consider some turf.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	Turf all fields	3/30/2025 7:46 PM
4	I would still rather see WR used exclusive to soccer.	3/30/2025 12:58 PM
5	I would rather kids play on real grass. Girls are tearing up their knees partially because of the artificial turf. The only issue is taking care of grass fields. I hope that the county can commit to caring for the grass fields.	3/27/2025 12:56 PM
6	Make sure we plan for whatever is needed so this is successful for many years.	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
7	We DO NOT NEED A NEW SOCCER FIELD. Flint Soccer Field is a perfectly usable, already established and complete usable field. Why the option to so inefficiently tear something out is disgusting to me. Talk about government waste at its apex.	3/27/2025 6:54 AM

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8	Agree on the use of turf on Bomber, as it lends itself better for the high school season due to the late start to the growing season for natural grass. I am not in favor of the soccer field at all. That space could be used for an indoor training facility so that the baseball and softball teams wouldn't have to share gym time during inclement weather.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM
9	Artificial turf is a major point of microplastic pollution and is extremely hot and requires washing for sanitation	3/26/2025 4:01 PM
10	Microplastic exposure	3/26/2025 10:56 AM
11	Turf fields raise concerns due to potential health risks from chemicals in the materials, increased temperatures leading to heat-related injuries, and environmental impacts like microplastic pollution and water contamination Use grass.	3/26/2025 10:49 AM
12	I think Option #1 gets exactly what you want without having to re-locate the RV parking. I am strongly in favor of Option 1 because I really don't want the RV parking closer to my home and being a major eye sore to almost everyone on North Mesa. Again, right now, the RV park is tucked away where no one really notices it but if you move it near the current Flint Field, not only will it be closer to homes, it will also be an eye sore to most of North Mesa's residents since it will be so close to San Ildefonso (one of the higher traffic roads in LA).	3/26/2025 9:31 AM
13	Artificial turf is hard on developing children's joints.	3/25/2025 8:50 PM
14	Artificial turf is not good	3/25/2025 12:33 PM
15	My only concern is with how ridiculously hot the artificial turf gets in the summer--which is the prime time these fields are used.	3/25/2025 9:41 AM
16	Turf sucks. The county has more than enough resources to maintain grass fields. Do it	3/24/2025 10:54 PM
17	The switch to artificial turf destroys some habitat used by transient wildlife, which I enjoy watching considerably more than baseball.	3/24/2025 8:23 PM
18	I am ok with artificial turf on the 2 baseball fields, but a soccer field should not be placed there.	3/24/2025 8:06 PM
19	Grass fields throughout county are poorly maintained. Until that changes, I support development of more artificial turf fields.	3/24/2025 7:17 PM
20	Soccer by the rules of the game should be on grass. Making artificial turf fields is not beneficial.	3/24/2025 5:59 PM
21	I don't like the idea of artificial turf.	3/24/2025 3:28 PM
22	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
23	Natural turf	3/21/2025 9:52 PM
24	Artificial turf has been proven to be a carcinogen and cause damage to the environment from shedding. Please use real turf!!!!	3/21/2025 8:03 PM
25	Even the artificial turf on the high school field can be smelled from 50 ft away. We should not be exposing young kids and wildlife to these micro plastics, it lowers the biodiversity of insects by replacing grass with artificial plastic. If we add artificial turf to our fields, that is hundreds of feet of petroleum-based material that will not biodegrade. It will continue to break down to smaller pieces of micro plastics, effecting los Alamos land for hundreds of years. This should not be an option. Even if it's more efficient with water the lasting effects of plastic can out weigh this.	3/21/2025 10:02 AM
26	Turf didn't safe for play	3/20/2025 8:12 PM
27	Turf is more likely to cause sport injuries! Read the studies!	3/20/2025 7:52 PM
28	No artificial turf!!! It's dangerous.	3/20/2025 4:16 PM
29	Option 2 is bad because it reduced space for a full size soccer field, a full size field is preferable to two smaller and separate fields even if one is turf	3/14/2025 2:12 PM
30	We disagree with any option that provides for an artificial turf soccer field. Soccer fields should be grass only.	3/12/2025 9:36 PM
31	I am 100% against artificial turf on any field, "Bomber" just had new sod laid last fall.	3/12/2025 11:17 AM

Q11 Having reviewed Draft Option 1 and Draft Option 2 for North Mesa Sports Complex, which option do you prefer overall?

Answered: 125 Skipped: 16



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Option 1	36.00%	45
Option 2	35.20%	44
I don't have a preference.	20.80%	26
I like and dislike elements of both options. (Please describe below.)	14.40%	18
Total Respondents: 125		

#	PLEASE DESCRIBE WHAT ELEMENTS YOU LIKE AND/OR DISLIKE.	DATE
1	I like to facility level aspect that option 2 enable. Bridging the gap between Bun Ryan and the other fields makes the entire area feel more like other high quality venues.	3/31/2025 7:56 PM
2	I barely prefer Option One only because it leaves the RV parking in a nonresidential area, keeps Flint field its current size.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
3	Keeping Flint Soccer Fields (and not putting RVs there and making Flint smaller). The multiuse turf tball / soccer field is cool.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
4	Turf all fields	3/30/2025 7:46 PM
5	There are many soccer fields in White Rock and additional areas for use at schools.	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
6	Like: minor field in lieu of multipurpose field, parking south of senior field, removing rv storage area, flint area with 2 soccer fields, bus parking in option 2, maintenance area south of BunRyan field. Dislikes: dual purpose senior field	3/27/2025 9:37 AM
7	Please do not tear out a perfectly usable already established functioning Flint Soccer Field in order to "park RV's".?? What are we doing people. How is this even an option. Option 2 sees fit	3/27/2025 6:54 AM

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to needlessly cut down a large number of gorgeous shade providing Pine trees across from the Posse shack. The field that would go in that space would be tiny. It would not be suitable for the sport of soccer, would completely waste all those trees. Utilize THAT space for your RV parking. This is all very simple

8	No need for the soccer field in option 2. Make that an indoor training facility for baseball and softball. You can also hold t-ball games in there making cold weather games a non-issue. Bomber should have a scorers booth and a second batting cage on the third base side.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM
9	Like central location for food trucks.	3/26/2025 11:04 PM
10	No cars, no plastics	3/26/2025 10:56 AM
11	No turf	3/26/2025 10:49 AM
12	See other comments for my top concern being re-locating the RV park closer to housing and being more of an eye sore.	3/26/2025 9:31 AM
13	Opt2 removes the parking lot at the 90° curve in North Road and removes the walk paths through the site, both of which I disapprove of.	3/26/2025 6:27 AM
14	move rv, keep soccer fields together, implement mixed use field	3/25/2025 10:39 AM
15	None of the above	3/25/2025 9:17 AM
16	I do not like the idea of getting rid of the RV parking even though I don't use it.	3/25/2025 7:51 AM
17	None of these options provide a commitment to maintaining the fields which is what got us in this mess in the first place	3/24/2025 10:54 PM
18	Do not relocate the RV parking	3/24/2025 8:56 PM
19	Minimize artificial turf and go with the multipurpose field (Option 1), but relocate the RVs and put a soccer field up in the main area (Option 2)	3/24/2025 8:23 PM
20	Inclusion of 1 artificial turf field investment for sports other than baseball and softball.	3/24/2025 7:17 PM
21	Not cutting trees in the RV storage area, adding a natural turf optional soccer field and making good use of space	3/24/2025 5:59 PM
22	I like that option 2 does not remove the minors field.	3/24/2025 4:03 PM
23	The T ball and minor fields are used all of the time, and cutting one is a mistake.	3/24/2025 3:07 PM
24	It creates more of a recreational space for the community and removes the unsightly RV lot	3/24/2025 2:20 PM
25	I'd prefer a mix of both with an additional multi-use field. Alternatively, if a baseball field could be converted to also serve as some type of multi purpose field, that would also work.	3/24/2025 1:48 PM
26	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
27	I want more playing fields for the little kids and like the real turf. I dislike artificial turf-	3/21/2025 8:03 PM
28	Draft 1 spreads the parking out.	3/20/2025 9:20 PM
29	I would have liked to see both options schematics in this survey.	3/20/2025 7:24 PM
30	Keep softball in White Rock and if possible move high school baseball there as well with turf fields	3/20/2025 6:50 PM
31	Senior Field should be expanded and allow for softball and baseball use as shown in option 2. I like the multipurpose field shown in option 1.	3/20/2025 6:24 PM
32	I like Option 1, but the multi-use field needs to be moved out of the baseball complex.	3/20/2025 4:47 PM
33	I am not in favor of anything that uses artificial turf	3/20/2025 4:16 PM
34	Option 1 retains the original size of Flint and adds a soccer/multipurpose field	3/14/2025 2:12 PM
35	I prefer Option 1, but would like the additional soccer field from 2 above Bun Ryan, but DO NOT want to reduce the field size of Flint.	3/12/2025 11:17 AM
36	I like the relocation of RV/Boat storage, but not at the cost of reduced space at Flint, tons of	3/12/2025 10:50 AM

space to the East of Flint that is not being utilized.

Q12 Are there improvements you would like to see included that are not shown in the options presented so far? If so, please describe.

Answered: 48 Skipped: 93

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Need more xeric open space with shade and benches for wild-bird habitat and birding.	3/31/2025 8:52 PM
2	Some discussion of how the fields will be better maintained. Maintenance is the main issue. Devoting money to maintaining what we have seems smarter than just spending money to spend money on redesign. Why not put the same effort into the fields that is put into the golf course? The utilization rate of the fields is much much higher than the utilization rate of the high school. It's time to priority sports and our children over the small number of individuals who use the golf course.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	Please synthetic turf all fields	3/30/2025 7:46 PM
4	Just make the baseball fields turf already	3/30/2025 2:40 PM
5	Expanded restrooms and play areas for smaller children attending but not playing in the games. It would create more of a family environment.	3/30/2025 12:58 PM
6	Negotiate with LPS for more of their bordering property for a bicycle park, or pump track to take pressure off of the remaining open space natural areas being proposed in "development for North Mesa Park so that that area can remain open and natural without further man-made "enhancement".	3/29/2025 11:44 AM
7	Using less water should be a priority, so I am in favor of artificial turf options in general, if they can be properly maintained.	3/29/2025 11:15 AM
8	Adequate storage facilities. Concessions. Flushing toilets/team rooms. Safety areas during lightning storms.	3/29/2025 12:21 AM
9	Why are they so many more baseball fields on North Mesa than soccer fields? How many youth baseball players are in Los Alamos compared to youth soccer players?	3/28/2025 7:38 PM
10	We must educate if synthetic will reduce gophers or you will get major flack. Good luck and reducing any fall hazard is a success.	3/27/2025 12:02 PM
11	I	3/27/2025 11:21 AM
12	Flint Field and its parking are perfectly usable efficient, effective areas as is. There is absolutely no need to dedicate effort and money into tearing out a perfectly viable established soccer field and its parking, important to the development of our youth, in the name of "RV Parking." Priorities folks. The area across from the Posse Shack is NOT large enough for a soccer field. We already have an established field, please do not duplicate effort by tearing one out just to replace it with a small field and needlessly destroy the last pine trees in the area. Lets work smarter, and work with what we already have as opposed to tearing it out just to make a new one.	3/27/2025 6:54 AM
13	Bomber needs a second batting cage and a nice scorers booth. A batter's eye would be great as well. No soccer field needed, instead an indoor training facility for baseball/softball would be a great benefit.	3/27/2025 1:20 AM
14	There is no option presented for RV and trailer storage	3/26/2025 8:47 PM
15	Strongly discourage the use of microplastics to prevent environmental degradation and potential human health concerns.	3/26/2025 4:01 PM
16	Lighting options for the fields and examples of the turf that will be utilized to understand the long term costs of maintenance of the turf.	3/26/2025 12:38 PM
17	I love the idea of updating our baseball/softball fields with turf. It's long overdue. Option-2 is by far the best option, IMHO.	3/26/2025 11:18 AM

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18	No turf.	3/26/2025 10:49 AM
19	I was thinking it would be nice to have some outdoor basketball hoops/courts in the space that is East of Flint Field right now (if looking at the option maps it would be the space to the right of Flint). Actually in general, utilizing that wide open space to the East of Flint Field for an indoor rec facility would be nice. We could also use more basketball facilities in this town and that space could be a good space for parking and an indoor facility. Another idea for that wide open space would be relocating the park closer to flint field and making it into a cooler park with more equipment.	3/26/2025 9:31 AM
20	With artificial turf, ensure there is a shaded area off the field for athletes and fans, due to the heat from playing on, or watching next to, an artificial field.	3/25/2025 9:41 AM
21	Allow this stupid rigged survey to answer REAL questions and concerns of the community and tax payers instead of shoving down our throats with all bad options and canned questions.	3/25/2025 9:17 AM
22	Need Splash pad and kids park next to dog park on north Mesa	3/25/2025 8:03 AM
23	I would just like paved parking areas.	3/25/2025 7:51 AM
24	Hire people that know how to maintain grass fields	3/24/2025 10:54 PM
25	I would prefer an option that provides two artificial turf soccer or multi purpose fields. Maybe one full size and one smaller.	3/24/2025 7:17 PM
26	no opinion	3/24/2025 6:14 PM
27	Option 1 should make clear that the soccer field in the Flint area is going to be retained and improved.	3/24/2025 5:59 PM
28	My major concern is noting the condition of the soccer fields are not ideal. Any improvements associated with the soccer fields would be ideal for youth soccer. Currently there are many concerns regarding the condition of the current fields having holes and inconsistent coverage. This leads to injuries to both youth and adults.	3/24/2025 12:34 PM
29	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes. They cost a lot to maintain, and most of the time sit empty.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
30	REAL GRASS	3/21/2025 8:03 PM
31	Noise abatements	3/21/2025 7:57 PM
32	As much artificial turf as possible to reduce water usage and as little pavement as possible.	3/21/2025 12:42 PM
33	No. I feel the number of fields should be reduced and the coaches need to be better at scheduling. Its embarrassing to not have better schedules and expect parents respond to text messages. This is 2025 not 1960.	3/21/2025 7:51 AM
34	Help us on senior living	3/21/2025 7:38 AM
35	Option 2 link isnt working	3/20/2025 9:30 PM
36	Adding a playground for siblings to play on while watching the games. A dog park-currently so many people use the ballpark fields to let their dogs run and go potty-a designated dog area might help that!	3/20/2025 9:20 PM
37	Do not use turf!	3/20/2025 7:52 PM
38	I would like to see score/press boxes added to the fields along with better bleachers. Bomber field is terrible for the home team fans. I would sit on the visiting team side since they had a better view of the field.	3/20/2025 7:24 PM
39	Don't use fake grass. You're going to be replacing knees and ankles to cater to people that don't play the sports, much less use the fields.	3/20/2025 4:57 PM
40	Move the multi-use field out of the baseball complex and to the are east of the 2 soccer fields. Consider adding more multi-use fields with artificial turf.	3/20/2025 4:47 PM
41	Parking is a problem for both the baseball activities and the gymnastics complex there.	3/20/2025 4:17 PM
42	Please remove artificial turf from your proposals. Artificial turf is an outdated fad and causes	3/20/2025 4:16 PM

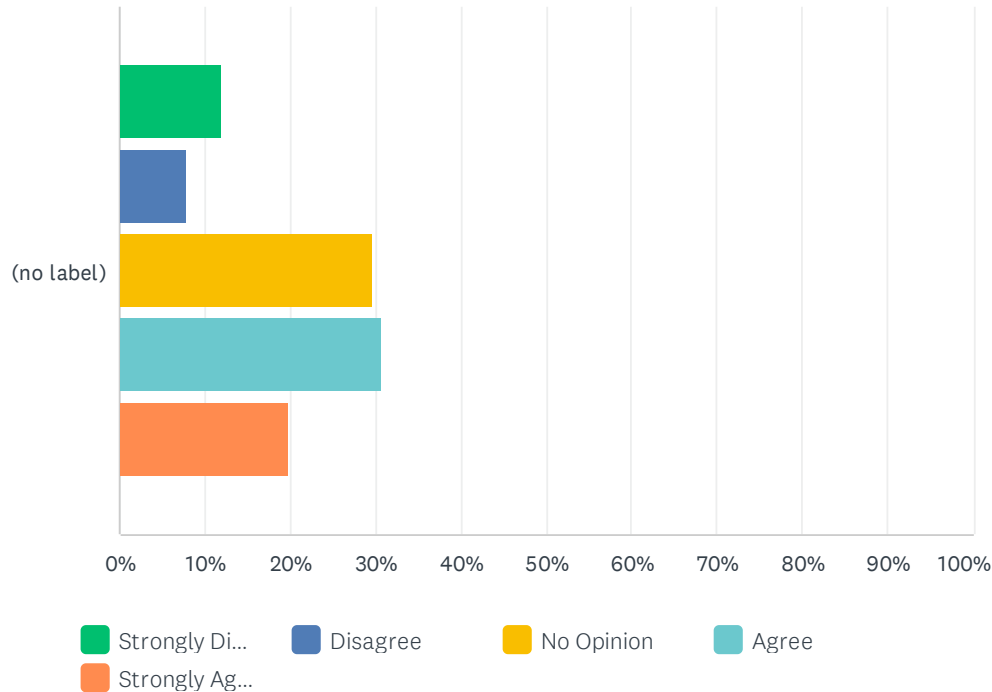
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great harm.

43	It would have been helpful to be more clear on what you mean by "reorienting" -- including a diagram of the current layout perhaps that is not "reoriented."	3/12/2025 9:36 PM
44	Playground area for young kids of players	3/12/2025 3:56 PM
45	RV Storage needs somewhere else, maybe in place the the existing Dog park area by the Stables, and then expanding the dog park to the east of it's current location	3/12/2025 11:17 AM
46	I would like more turf fields for multipurpose/soccer but ideally not at the cost of existing baseball fields.	3/12/2025 10:50 AM
47	Line one field somewhere for youth football. The high school and middle school do not have the bandwidth to share practice time with youth LA Extreme Football.	3/10/2025 12:08 PM
48	Incorporating basketball courts into the plan	3/10/2025 9:07 AM

Q13 Players, coaches, and supporters would benefit from having Varsity and JV softball and baseball facilities co-located at Overlook Park.

Answered: 101 Skipped: 40



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	11.88%	7.92%	29.70%	30.69%	19.80%	101	3.39
	12	8	30	31	20		

#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT CO-LOCATING VARSITY AND JV SOFTBALL AND BASEBALL FACILITIES AT OVERLOOK PARK.	DATE
1	I think each sport's teams should all be at the same facility (e.g. JV and varsity softball can practice together)	3/31/2025 9:29 PM
2	It is already, isn't it?	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
3	Yes. This only makes sense, especially with Overlook having much different weather than North Mesa.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
4	I believe this location is cumbersome for safe student and fan trouble. They have to contend with lab traffic.	3/29/2025 12:25 AM
5	Didn't we just put all NEW grass and sprinklers on HOPE field?	3/27/2025 12:24 PM
6	Overlook park is fantastic. We have a small town/county. Realistically the drive to another field is dismal, very few lights or traffic	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
7	They each need their own field	3/25/2025 7:00 PM
8	These fields are used by over 600 recreational softball players and adding the JV and varsity would impede on the season and money spent in the community.	3/25/2025 2:36 PM
9	I am unaware of the need or purpose behind sharing the facilities. I believe this is already a common practice for a few of the fields and as such the fields that the Varsity and JV teams	3/25/2025 9:19 AM

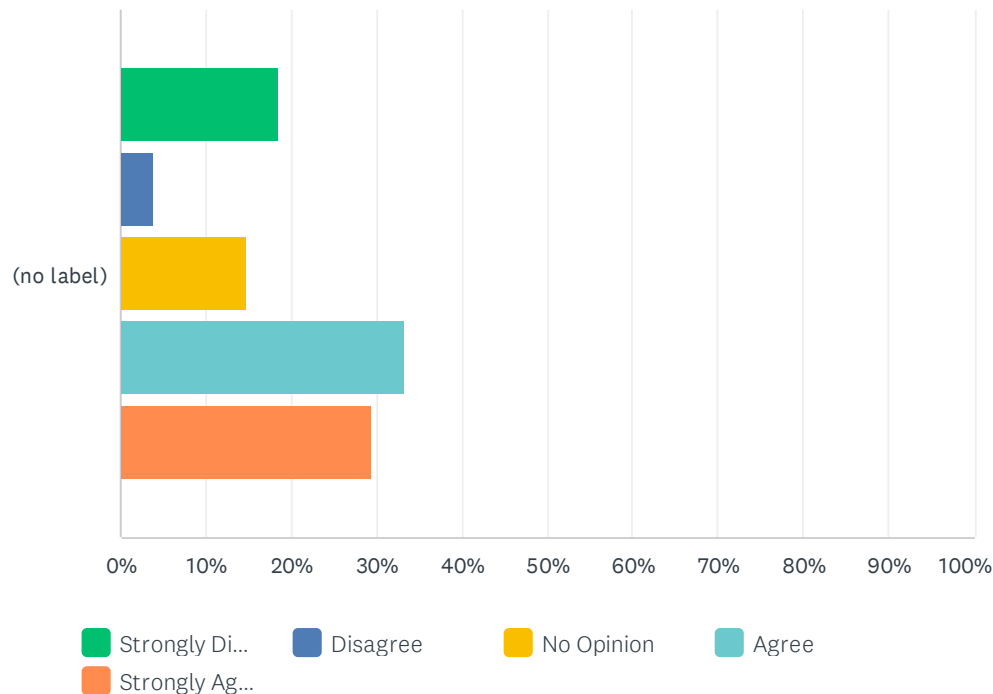
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use are better maintained, so if that could extend to all of the fields that is a better option.

10	Baseball should be at North Mesa and softball can be at Overlook.	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
11	Varsity and jv should be played at the north mesa complex	3/24/2025 5:14 PM
12	If in LA or WR having them together makes sense, LA makes more sense due to the HS being in Los Alamos clearly...	3/24/2025 2:27 PM
13	I believe they should stay separated between North Mesa and Overlook	3/24/2025 1:13 PM
14	Stop wasting money on sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
15	No one likes White Rock. But this would force people to start respecting the Rock	3/21/2025 8:12 PM

Q14 Draft Options 1 and 2 both contemplate an expanded dog park and dog training area, separated from the fields at Dara Jones. I support such a separation of dog uses from the playing fields.

Answered: 102 Skipped: 39



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	18.63%	3.92%	14.71%	33.33%	29.41%	102	3.51
	19	4	15	34	30		

#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT EXPANDING THE DOG PARK AND SEPARATING DOG USES FROM DARA JONES FIELD.	DATE
1	County already has sufficient space for dogs.. Need more xeric open space with shade and benches for wild-bird habitat and birding.	3/31/2025 8:52 PM
2	Yes. Keep the dogs off our fields. It's ridiculous we have more of a concern for dogs than for kids playing sports. Dogs can use dog parks. They don't need to be using our fields. There should be signs at all the fields saying no dogs allowed. And you can include a little map to the dog parks that says "find a dog park or a trail... stay off our fields."	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	I do not support removing field 4 to make a dog park.	3/29/2025 1:31 PM
4	Wish you had asked horse owners on North Mesa the same question about dog park location....	3/29/2025 12:12 PM
5	If we made dog training field and dog park nicer, perhaps they'd keep dogs off soccer fields.	3/27/2025 12:24 PM
6	It is a very very bad idea to locate a dog training area next to a dog park. How do you think we can train our dogs in the dog training area, when next to you, you have a gang of barking and fighting dogs? That is beyond me. I invite to however is preparing these changes, to watch and observed the dog training at Dara Jones on Sunday mornings. These working dogs go into the field one at time for training. No peeing or pooping is allowed to these dogs inside the field.	3/27/2025 11:45 AM

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Also, Dara Jones has brand new grass ... and now you want to replace it with artificial turf? what a waste of money. Another thing, artificial turf is very hard on kids and they will get burns because of it...

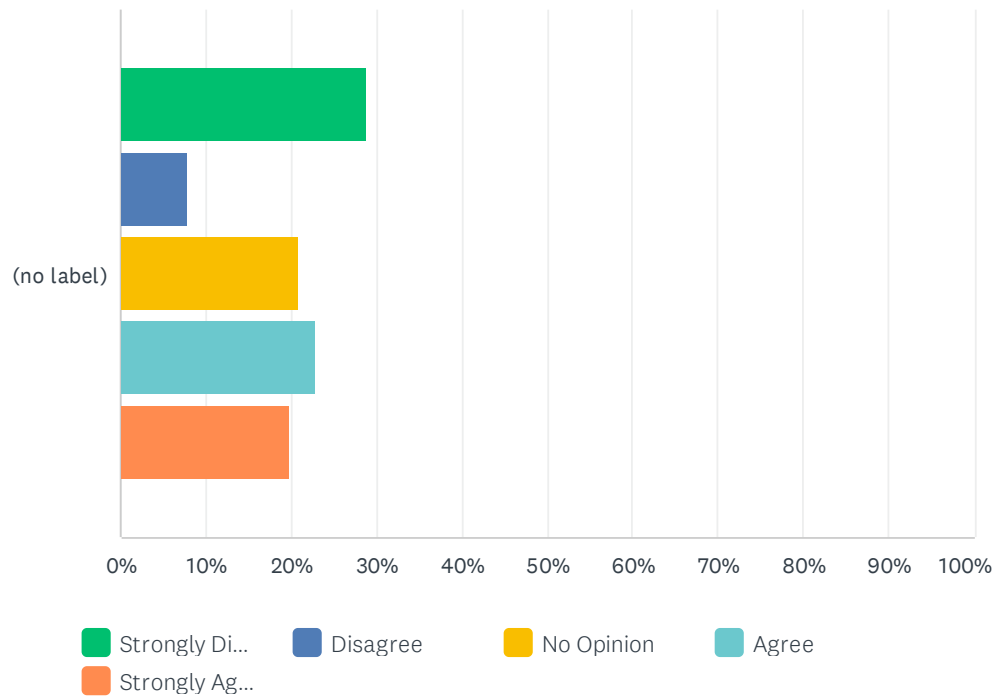
7	For such an "educated" community, I find it extremely odd that I must explain daily, weekly that our SOCCER fields are a HUMAN playing surface. Human adults and kids deserve in a modern non 3rd world community, to play on a E COLI FREE surface. They deserve to not be tracking dog poop into their cars and homes, they deserve to not have dog poop on their legs, hands, arms or eyes while playing the human sport of soccer. This was never an issue in town while I was growing up. As society is allowed to become increasingly entitled, while decreasingly held less accountable, volunteers continue to have to fight the "weird fight" as we call it. Trying to get County leaders and dog owners to grasp the concept of separation of dog fecal matter and humans has become increasingly difficult. Entitlement is a cancer. E COLI is very REAL. Placing dog "training" treats in the ground increases the amount of dangerous gopher activity. Dog treats left in the ground attract more dogs on the field, more pee, more poop, and more gophers who love those dog treats.	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
8	I dislike removing field 4. I don't need expanded dog park	3/26/2025 4:00 PM
9	I really think that our dog park facilities for such a small town are already sufficient. We also have incredible hiking trails all throughout our community that people can take their dogs on. Every time I walk/drive by a dog park, it seems only 1-2 or zero people are using it. Do we really have a need for more dog park facilities? If the dog park must be expanded then I am definitely in support of separating it from the playing fields.	3/26/2025 9:49 AM
10	Dara Jones naming honors a soccer player. Not good for dog p ark. Turf just reinstalled, why take it out now?	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
11	This would eliminate field 4 which is essential to all of Los Alamos softball players	3/25/2025 2:36 PM
12	I support separating dog uses, but not at the cost of losing Field #4	3/25/2025 10:20 AM
13	keep the dog training off the field and make them stop driving stakes and polss into the turf	3/25/2025 9:54 AM
14	I do not support this seperation. Nobody uses these dog parks in Overlook anyways. Most people walk through these fields to get to hiking locations. A better option would be to increase the number of dog waste stations and push fines for not cleaning up after pets.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
15	Many people use these fields so their dogs who aren't friendly with other dogs can get exercise which I fully support. Many of these dogs are rescues.	3/25/2025 7:54 AM
16	Dog people have enough facilities as it is. Keep field 4. The dog people will use it anyways. They use all of the fields.	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
17	I'd love having an expanded dog park, especially if it has multiple sections.	3/24/2025 10:06 PM
18	Are you getting rid of a softball field?	3/24/2025 9:02 PM
19	I visit Overlook frequently and have never seen more than two dogs at the dog park at once. Please do not expand.	3/24/2025 8:35 PM
20	Dog poop is hideous to deal with when playing sport games. Not enough dog owners pick up after themselves.	3/24/2025 6:17 PM
21	I live in White Rock and have dogs. This is not necessary from what I can tell as a dog owner that frequents Overlook often.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
22	Softball league needs that field that you're planning to get rid of.	3/24/2025 5:43 PM
23	While I agree that the dog park should be separate from the playing fields, I do not support an expansion of the dog park area, Field 4 is still consistently used.	3/24/2025 3:59 PM
24	Dara's field should not be used by dogs so please separate them to preserve her memory.	3/24/2025 2:27 PM
25	As a soccer coach, I'm constantly removing dog feces from all fields that are accessible to dogs. Having a dedicated facilty for dogs is a step in the right direction.	3/24/2025 12:42 PM
26	Dog park expansion should not be considered for this proposal. This needs to be about kids and not dogs!!	3/24/2025 12:02 PM
27	We need benches in existing dog parks.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM

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28	Please relocate the dog park	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
29	I actually strongly Agree but that choice is not available.	3/20/2025 7:29 PM
30	I just don't think a dog park should be a priority for this project.	3/20/2025 6:31 PM
31	I strongly agree. The field is misnamed and your results may be invalid.	3/20/2025 6:19 PM
32	keeping dogs off of sports fields should keep dog droppings off of sports fields	3/14/2025 2:18 PM
33	Children above dogs. There should be a dog park elsewhere in the county -- not at youth rec facilities.	3/12/2025 9:48 PM

Q15 In order to create an expanded dog use area (including dog park and training area), both Draft Options 1 and 2 contemplate replacement of Field 4 for this purpose. I support replacing Field 4 with an expanded and separated dog use area.

Answered: 101 Skipped: 40



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	28.71%	7.92%	20.79%	22.77%	19.80%	101	2.97
	29	8	21	23	20		

#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT REPLACING FIELD 4 WITH AN EXPANDED DOG PARK AND SEPARATED DOG TRAINING AREA.	DATE
1	I think having another sports field will be more used than a dog training area.	3/31/2025 9:29 PM
2	County already has sufficient space for dogs. Need more xeric open space with shade and benches for wild-bird habitat and birding.	3/31/2025 8:52 PM
3	A number of years ago, with much persuasion from dog owners, a dog park was established at the Overlook Sports complex. It was clear that while this effort was very much appreciated, there was little if any shade and no grass. The next improvements involved adding grass seed, which did produce a nice grass area for the dogs. However, a dedicated irrigation system was not included in this plan; the grass was watered via sprinkler heads on adjacent fields. After several years and causes unknown to me, the grass died off, and the dog park once again had a dirt surface. This year the county as put down mulch, which definitely will keep the dogs cleaner. There is now a line of semi-mature trees on the south side of the existing dog park that can provide shade for part of the day. Instead of moving the dog park, it makes more sense to add proper irrigation and redevelop a grass surface, even if by seed, instead of moving it to the south side of the trees in an area with absolutely no shade. The dog park	3/31/2025 8:32 PM

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works great where it is, except for the ground surface. Please retain the dog park at its present location and provide the proper infrastructure to maintain a grass surface.

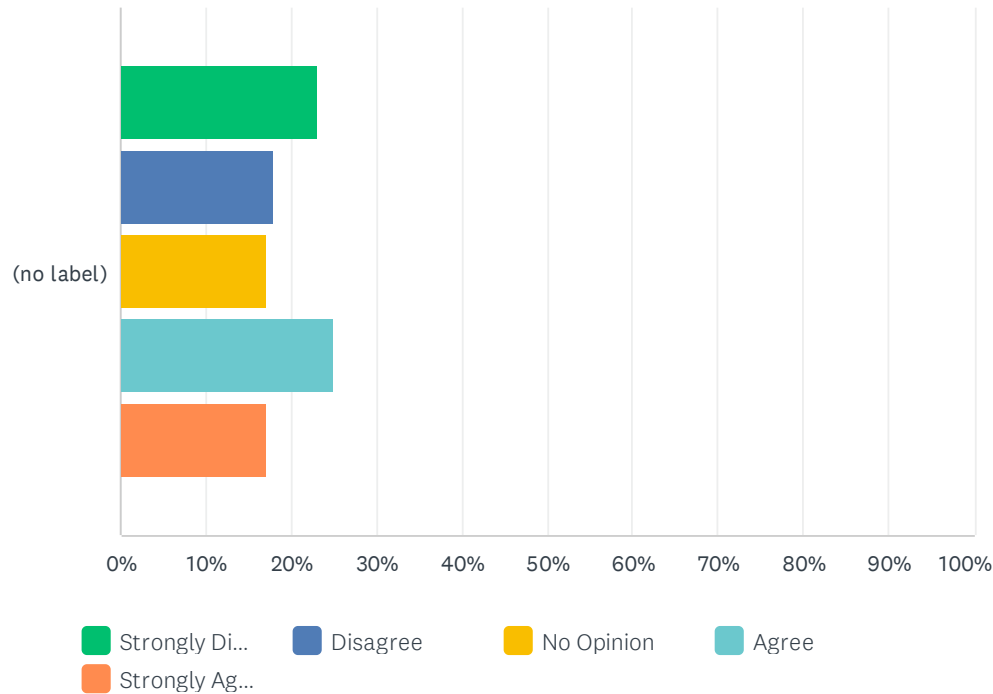
4	I don't know field 4.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
5	It's so dumb this is even one of the concerns. We literally have 80% of Spirio that is unplayable for soccer and we're worried about a slightly larger dog park? Someone needs to get their priorities straight. Give the dogs a little park to run. Or put your dog on a leash and go for a walk.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
6	Hopefully you will then enforce use of other fields for dogs.	3/29/2025 12:03 PM
7	Why replace the field for the dog park? Why not add the dog park around existing fields?	3/28/2025 7:43 PM
8	I hope any new grass field laid in the past 6 months will not be torn up, people will freak out.	3/27/2025 12:24 PM
9	However, the dog training aarea and the new dog park should be in opposite areas of the overlook park. NOT together.	3/27/2025 11:45 AM
10	dogs can use their owner's backyard - they don't need a park	3/27/2025 9:51 AM
11	Why not LEAVE FIELD 4 as is. Do not waste money changing it. This field can still be used for softball AND the dog folks...?	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
12		3/27/2025 1:35 AM
13	Field 4 is used for adult softball	3/26/2025 4:00 PM
14	Field availability will be further impacted for Mens, Womens, and COED league softball. There is already limited fields, reducing one will make this worse.	3/26/2025 12:48 PM
15	It's easier for people with a dog to find a space for their dog to get exercise and poop than it is for people to find a legitimate place to play baseball and softball. I really don't think we need an even bigger dog park.	3/26/2025 9:49 AM
16	Field 4 is home to several rare bird sightings in the last 10 years. Proximity to adjacent open areas is critical.	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
17	This would impede an already large organization and impact more teams from joining the league.	3/25/2025 2:36 PM
18	Removing Field 4 would be a waste of an asset. The leagues in White Rock are steadily getting bigger and as such bring in more and more revenue. To get rid of Field 4 would be wasting the opportunity to make more money. The only upside is that the county has resisted maintaining Field 4, and as such they will more than likely resist maintaining the dog park and training area.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
19	Dog people have enough facilities as it is...	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
20	The dogs don't need more space	3/24/2025 9:02 PM
21	Field 4 is essential for adult softball league use	3/24/2025 8:53 PM
22	Field four is frequently used by transient wildlife which I thoroughly enjoy watching. I have never seen any transient wildlife within the dog park. For whatever reason, Field 4 is the spot that the most wildlife uses for foraging. Please do not destroy.	3/24/2025 8:35 PM
23	This only works if there is strict rules that are enforced about no dogs on playing fields	3/24/2025 6:17 PM
24	I live in White Rock and have dogs. This is not necessary from what I can tell as a dog owner that frequents Overlook often. Why not convert Dara Jones field into the proposed instead? That is rarely used for what was intended originally anyway and dog training happens there already.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
25	We need that field.	3/24/2025 5:43 PM
26	Can't take out a field that generates income for a park that's free for dogs, if you do than there needs to be heavy fines for people who allow their dogs to run and defecate on the softball fields	3/24/2025 5:14 PM
27	Field 4 is consistently used in the spring and summer for the Los Alamos Softball League	3/24/2025 3:59 PM

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28	We already don't have enough sports facilities and fields for kids in this county. I don't want to give any of them to dogs.	3/24/2025 3:12 PM
29	if there are still enough fields for Softball leagues then this is fine.	3/24/2025 2:27 PM
30	As noted above, a space dedicated for dogs is a step in the right direction.	3/24/2025 12:42 PM
31	Dog park expansion should not be considered for this proposal. This needs to be about kids and not dogs!!	3/24/2025 12:02 PM
32	Stop wasting money on sports complexes..	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
33	When soccer, football and the runners all train on the same day/same time, the main soccer field gets crowded. It is nice to have Field 4 for that reason.	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
34	This project isn't for dog parks. It's for recreational fields for the community.	3/20/2025 6:31 PM
35	as long as theres an option for a football field somewhere in LA or WR.	3/10/2025 12:19 PM

Q16 Draft Option 2 suggests the possibility of a natural turf dog training area adjacent to Dara Jones Field, which could have flexible uses for an additional youth soccer field. Such flexibility of use would be an asset to the complex.

Answered: 100 Skipped: 41



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	23.00%	18.00%	17.00%	25.00%	17.00%	100	2.95
	23	18	17	25	17		

#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS RELATED TO THE IDEA OF A NATURAL TURF DOG TRAINING AREA WITH YOUTH SOCCER FLEXIBILITY.	DATE
1	Repurposing of this area is not needed, and would require the removal of semi-mature trees that currently provide shade to the existing dog park.	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
2	Yes, Option 2 for Overlook makes more sense. But that new turf field should be for soccer and sports only. Dogs don't need a turf training area.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	Just use for dog training	3/30/2025 5:45 PM
4	If people fail to clean up after their dogs, the kids will have to play in that mess.	3/29/2025 12:03 PM
5	Dog urine and youth sports on safe turf?	3/29/2025 12:25 AM
6	Only if it remains multi-purpose and not taken over by the biggest complainers.	3/27/2025 12:24 PM
7	Natural turf is good for both dogs and kids. However, if this is a dog training area, where other fields are restricted to dogs, then soccer kids should not be allowed in this area.	3/27/2025 11:45 AM
8	dogs don't need a park	3/27/2025 9:51 AM

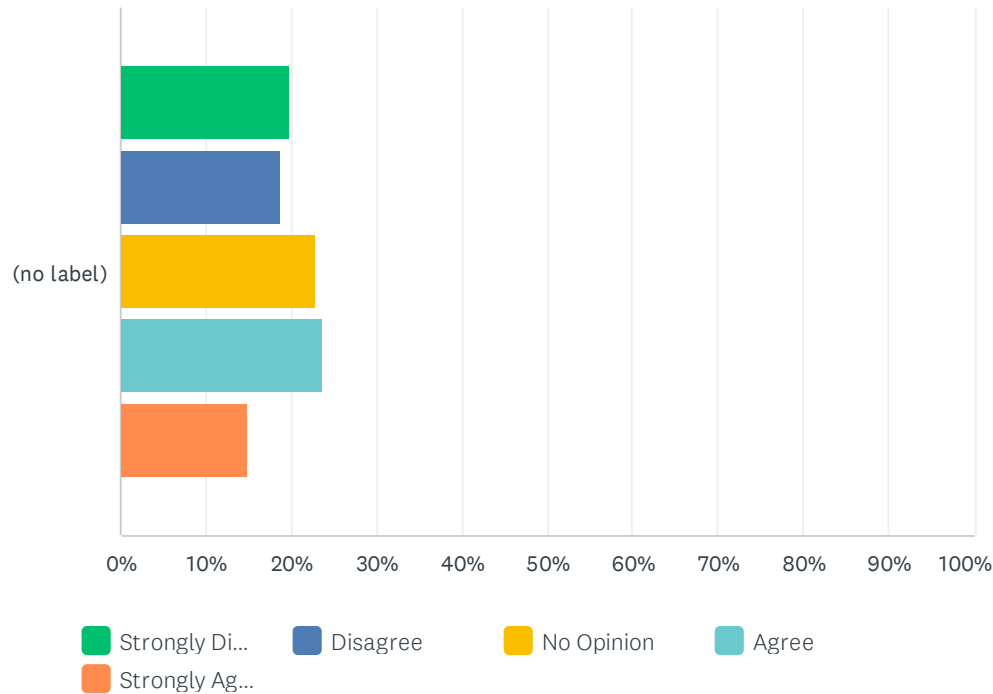
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9	Please ensure all dog fecal matter is cleaned up. No urinating, females kill the grass that is already so hard to keep in good order. Do not leave dog treats. Gophers are attracted to these treats as well as other dogs. This increases the amount of poop, urine and digging. Very simple	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
10	Dislike dog park overlapping with soccer field	3/26/2025 4:00 PM
11	These fields will not be cleaned to a level that would support children playing on the natural turf.	3/26/2025 12:48 PM
12	Turf fields raise concerns due to potential health risks from chemicals in the materials, increased temperatures leading to heat-related injuries, and environmental impacts like microplastic pollution and water contamination	3/26/2025 10:52 AM
13	I agree that multi-purpose is almost always better.	3/26/2025 9:49 AM
14	We have more soccer fields than we need.	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
15	I do not like dogs on the fields at all.	3/25/2025 2:36 PM
16	Same issue as option 1, but worse. In option 1 you might be able to use the multipurpose field for the local leagues, but with option two you are talking about having 7 soccer fields, that is ridiculous.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
17	Dogs have enough. The entire point of this is to improve the condition of the fields and this is now the third question about a dog park. Whats going on here	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
18	Keep it as a dedicated dog area	3/24/2025 10:06 PM
19	Dogs will pee and poop all over it and it will be gross. I don't want my kids exposed to this	3/24/2025 9:02 PM
20	Who is going to clean up after the dogs whose owners fail to do so before the kids play on it? There is always poo in that dog park.	3/24/2025 8:35 PM
21	I do not believe a grass field for dog use would be well maintained to also be used as a safe recreational field.	3/24/2025 7:23 PM
22	The dog training area would be hard to clean up and prepare for soccer, and would justify dog owners using other fields. There are enough fields at overlook if they are kept in better shape.	3/24/2025 6:17 PM
23	Again, why not just convert Dara Jones into a dogpark/dogtraining area and leave the rest as is?	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
24	A dog turf area is going to be nasty with poop even if it's cleaned prior to youth soccer use. Those uses shouldn't be combined.	3/24/2025 3:12 PM
25	Dara loved dogs so she wouldn't mind sharing with kids playing soccer/lacrosse. It would need to be well cleaned though.	3/24/2025 2:27 PM
26	Having more space for soccer is wonderful! Only concern as noted is shared spaces with dogs, I am constantly removing dog feces from the shared spaces.	3/24/2025 12:42 PM
27	Dog park expansion should not be considered for this proposal. This needs to be about kids and not dogs!!	3/24/2025 12:02 PM
28	We need benches in existing dog parks.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
29	Should be artificial turf	3/21/2025 8:01 PM
30	I would not want my child playing on a field that dogs use the bathroom on. I currently hate that dog owners allow their dogs on any fields!	3/20/2025 9:32 PM
31	There's no way that would be maintained appropriately for soccer use.	3/20/2025 6:31 PM
32	The dogs will eventually soil it and tear it apart.	3/20/2025 6:19 PM
33	I'm not in favor of dog parks and sports fields being co-use facilities. Dogs tear up turf and leave excrement. I'm in favor of having a dog parks, but not as part of a co-use sports facility.	3/20/2025 5:31 PM
34	this only works if dog owners keep droppings off of the field	3/14/2025 2:18 PM
35	The space should be a natural grass soccer field only. There should be no turf soccer fields in	3/12/2025 9:48 PM

any plan.

Q17 Draft Option 1 contemplates placing a roundabout at the entrance to Overlook Park. A roundabout would be a welcome change that could improve wayfinding, serve as an entry marker/gateway to the park, and improve vehicular access and maneuverability.

Answered: 101 Skipped: 40



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	19.80%	18.81%	22.77%	23.76%	14.85%	101	2.95
	20	19	23	24	15		

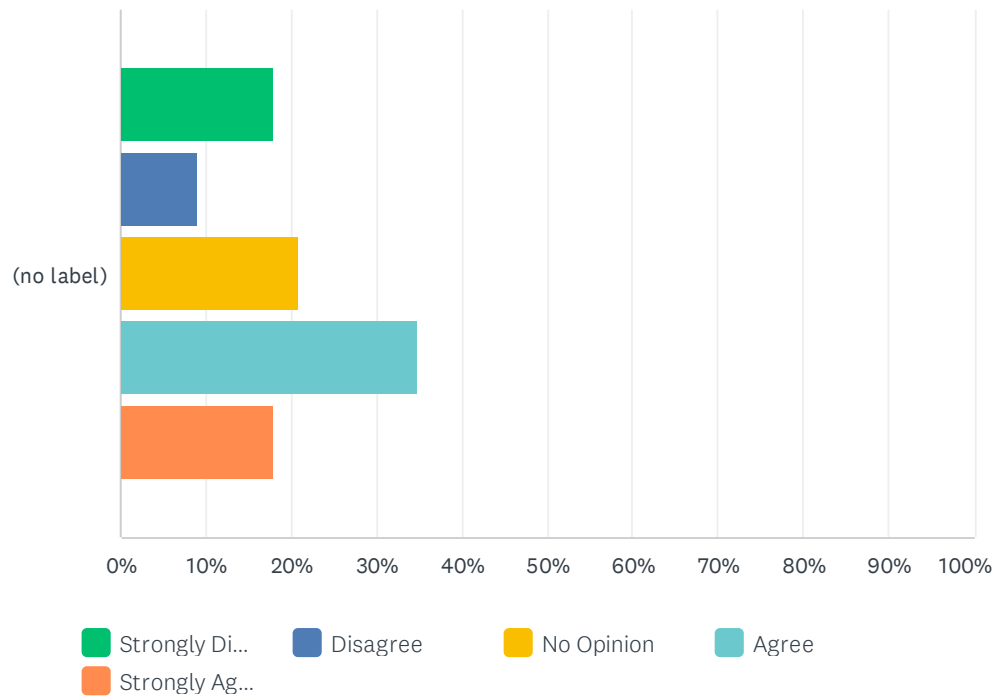
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT THE ADDITION OF A ROUNDABOUT TO THE ENTRY OF OVERLOOK PARK.	DATE
1	A roundabout is an unnecessary construction. The entrance to the park is well marked by the "claw" sculpture.	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
2	Who cares. You're missing the point... Wendy Parker and Parks and Rec don't maintain the fields. They either need help or they need to be removed and be replaced with someone competent. They point is we need better field maintenance. We don't need to reinvent the wheel.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	I don't think it's needed.	3/30/2025 12:58 PM
4	Love the round about!	3/29/2025 12:12 PM
5	Seems unnecessary. To improve wayfinding, you could just put up signs or a map.	3/29/2025 12:03 PM
6	Could you not have a roundabout in option 2?	3/28/2025 7:43 PM
7	Some new signs would be great, why build an entire roundabout? Many in town hate them and it is already easy access.	3/27/2025 12:24 PM

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8	Do not turn this perfect small town into something its not. There is not enough traffic at overlook to warrant the expenditure of these funds. Folks in this state and region do not seem to understand the concept of a roundabout anyway. Please apply funds legitimately to the surface of the fields NOT to the pavement. The roads are fine. Please do address the nightly drunken softball drag races that occur on overlook road with the sun shining directly into the drivers eyes. Not a roundabout, maybe a discrete cop or a couple simple speed bumps.	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
9	No need for expense	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
10	I think roundabouts are innovative ways to keep traffic flowing. However, I frequently use the North Mesa/Barranca Mesa roundabout and no one knows how to use it so it can cause more traffic issues than relief. People generally understand that you yield to the person on your left but what they don't seem to understand is that you don't have to yield to the person on your left if that person is still a mile away. They'll stop traffic to yield to someone on their left even though they have plenty of time to get through the roundabout without stopping and without causing the person on their left to hit the breaks either. Then there's people that don't even know that you yield to your left. If you find that there are frequently traffic issues at that intersection then it might be worth a try. But if there aren't that bad of traffic issues currently, then the roundabout will make traffic issues worse. I say leave it the same as it is unless there really are traffic problems that need to be addressed.	3/26/2025 9:49 AM
11	We never have enough traffic to justify a roundabout	3/25/2025 12:37 PM
12	This is the most incredibly stupid idea ever conceived. NO ROUNDABOUTS.	3/25/2025 9:54 AM
13	I think it would be fine, but don't know that it really adds much.	3/25/2025 9:52 AM
14	I have never seen so many people that the park would need a roundabout. The roundabout would become another thing that the county would have to maintain, and as such is ill-advised.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
15	A roundabout is totally unnecessary. There is not a 4 way intersection. Most traffic at the site of the roundabout is 2 way with some traffic headed south to the recycle area.	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
16	The roundabout, from a traffic flow perspective, will only help on maybe two days a year when overlook park is at extreme capacity. For everyday users during the average day, it'll be annoying to consistently navigate the roundabout (especially for left turns). The current through road with side street stop signs functions perfectly well during most days. There are other options for way finding as well.	3/24/2025 10:06 PM
17	I don't think a roundabout is necessary	3/24/2025 8:15 PM
18	Other than during special events, I don't believe traffic warrants this change.	3/24/2025 7:23 PM
19	The park is used less than the impact to daily commute traffic. This is an unnecessary cost as well. The large artwork and sign are sufficient wayfinding methods	3/24/2025 6:17 PM
20	Why? The only time this are is busy enough to conteplate such a change is on the 4th of July and the road is already blocked off.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
21	I feel more comfortable with my kids crossing a street at a crosswalk (which they do regularly at Overlook Park) than navigating a roundabout.	3/24/2025 3:12 PM
22	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
23	People are idiots and don't know how to use stop signs or roundabouts. You're just asking for traffic accidents and pedestrian deaths.	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
24	Hate roundabouts	3/21/2025 8:01 PM
25	There's little traffic in this area that this is unnecessary and money could be going towards more useful projects instead.	3/21/2025 10:02 AM
26	Seems just a little unnecessary.	3/20/2025 6:31 PM
27	It seems like an unnecessary expense. Things work well enough as they are and using taxpayer dollers for such an incremental improvement seems unwise.	3/12/2025 9:48 PM
28	Leaving the complex can be quite cumbersome	3/12/2025 11:20 AM

Q18 As shown in Draft Option 1, I am in favor of including a multi-purpose field at Dara Jones, to accommodate either two youth soccer fields or one full size soccer field and a t-ball field.

Answered: 101 Skipped: 40



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	17.82% 18	8.91% 9	20.79% 21	34.65% 35	17.82% 18	101	3.26

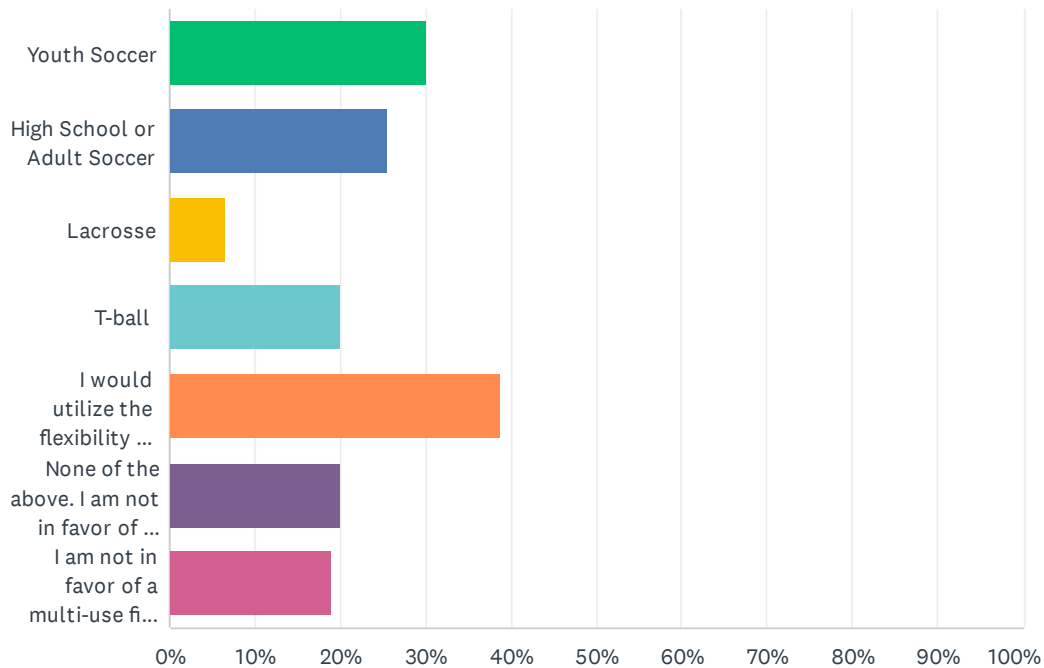
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT THE INCLUSION OF A MULTI-PURPOSE COMPONENT AT DARA JONES FIELD.	DATE
1	I am concerned about available practice space for little league teams (t-ball, majors softball, minors softball, and minors baseball) if Minors B becomes a multi-use field without priority for baseball and softball.	3/31/2025 8:25 PM
2	No. Soccer needs Dara Jones to be just for soccer. Soccer is the one sport where the ball is on the ground. Soccer needs a dedicated field. Spirio could be multiuse. You are also misrepresenting Spirio. Spirio can only support one full soccer field width wise or 2 full soccer fields if run lengthwise. There are not 4 soccer fields at Spirio. And, right now, only about 10% of Spirio is usable. The rest of the field is unsafe due to the gopher infestation and the lack of maintenance by the county. It's unfortunate everyone on county council is old and doesn't have kids (besides Keith). It'd be nice if some of them remembered that they used to have young kids who had great fields to utilize in Los Alamos and White Rock. We need someone at Parks and Rec who takes pride in our fields. Someone who wants to make our fields the best in the state. As it stands, we're one of the worst in the state and teams refuse to come play us because we can't offer safe playing fields.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	Stripe this filed for lacrosse	3/30/2025 7:46 PM
4	Mixing uses will be difficult.	3/30/2025 12:58 PM

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5	soccer needs fields that are devoted entirely to soccer	3/27/2025 1:02 PM
6	We have lots of fields. If we do some baseball, some soccer and some dog stuff it would serve more people.	3/27/2025 12:24 PM
7	I would agree dogs were allowed and it is kept with natural turf.	3/27/2025 11:45 AM
8	DARA JONES SOCCER FIELD is a dedicated soccer field and important training facility that has slowly been brought back to life. Sharing space with "hard ball sports" such as Lacrosse and Baseball is a very dangerous proposition. Common sense tells us why these sports have always been separated. Lets follow suit.	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
9	Soccer only.	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
10	Prefer the full size field	3/25/2025 2:36 PM
11	you just fixed and reopened Dara Jones at incredible cost. LEAVE IT ALONE!	3/25/2025 9:54 AM
12	STOP TRYING TO GET RID OF FIELD 4	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
13	We dont need more fields. We need to maintain the fields we have.	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
14	priority to full size soccer as this is only field of its size in natural turf	3/24/2025 6:17 PM
15	I don't feel the demand justifies this change.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
16	Separate spaces for sports and for dogs is preferable, considering the amount of dog feces that coaches pick up.	3/24/2025 12:42 PM
17	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
18	YES. WE NEED MORE FOR THE KIDDOS. Fuck them dogs.	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
19	The more multipurpose facilities we have, the better.	3/20/2025 6:31 PM
20	Dara Jones should accommodate two youth soccer fields or one full size soccer field, but should not accommodate a t-ball field	3/14/2025 2:18 PM
21	To the extent the County is planning on artificial turf rather than natural grass for any soccer field, our entire household is opposed.	3/12/2025 9:48 PM
22	or a football field	3/10/2025 12:19 PM

Q19 I am more likely to use the multi-purpose field in Draft Option 1 for:

Answered: 90 Skipped: 51



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Youth Soccer	30.00%	27
High School or Adult Soccer	25.56%	23
Lacrosse	6.67%	6
T-ball	20.00%	18
I would utilize the flexibility of the multi-use field for more than one sport.	38.89%	35
None of the above. I am not in favor of a multi-use field at Dara Jones. (Describe reasons below.)	20.00%	18
I am not in favor of a multi-use field at Dara Jones because...	18.89%	17
Total Respondents: 90		

#	I AM NOT IN FAVOR OF A MULTI-USE FIELD AT DARA JONES BECAUSE...	DATE
1	Need more xeric open space with shade and benches for wild-bird habitat and birding.	3/31/2025 8:52 PM
2	The Dara Jones field should be for Soccer Only.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	No opinion	3/29/2025 12:25 AM
4	Unnecessary	3/28/2025 7:43 PM
5	It will not allow dogs and it is artifical turf instead of natural turf. Clearly, nobody in this study has consulted the people that have dogs and trained with them. Sad.	3/27/2025 11:45 AM
6	DARA JONES SOCCER FIELD is already shared by Soccer and lacrosse. The NINE already existing baseball/softball/T-ball outfields already provide MORE than enough space for	3/27/2025 7:46 AM

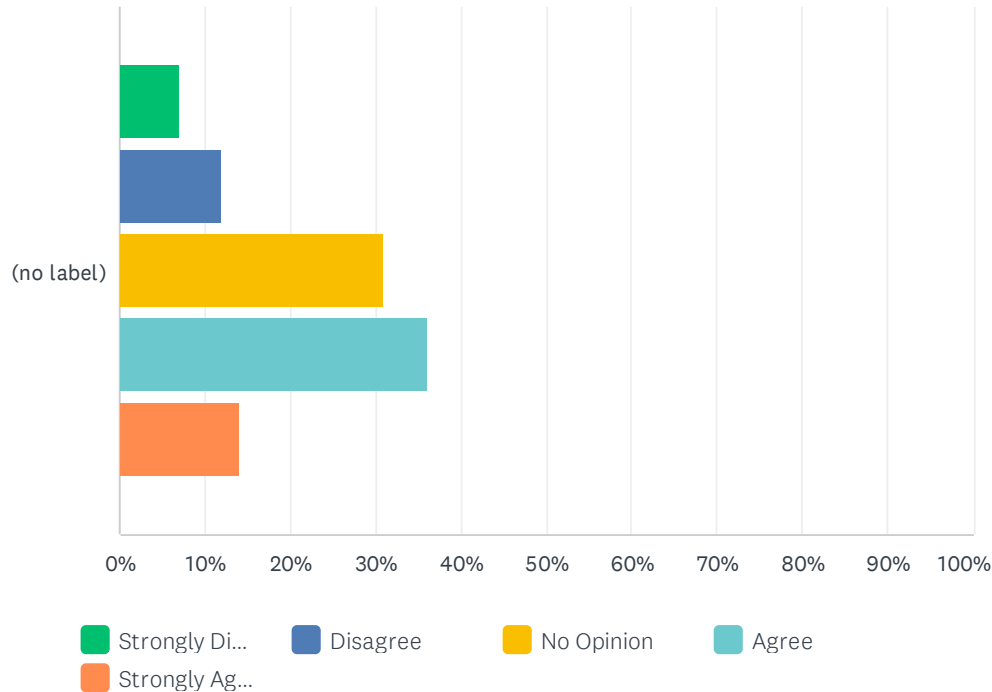
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baseball, softball, and T-ball. Why does the one Soccer Field need to be divided once again. The NINE existing outfields see VERY LITTLE USE. The distance traveled across "outfields" is dismal in comparison to other sports. Please acknowledge the fact that Soccer is played at a fast pace with a ball spending 86% of its time ON THE GROUND. Requiring a proper ground surface. Other sports balls spend most of its time with the ball in the AIR, NOT on the ground. You would teach someone to place baseball in a paved parking lot. Please to not expect soccer to develop its players on a tore up abused surface full of dog poop.

7	Expense	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
8	It should be natural turf soccer only.	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
9	The county just needs to maintain Field 4 better!	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
10	I would not utilize it	3/25/2025 8:28 AM
11	I just told you	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
12	There are empty lots in other areas that could be developed to accommodate such needs.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
13	the t-ball field should be separate and dogs need to stay in their designated areas. Too many kids are currently stepping in dog poop all the time because the owners do not clean up after their dogs.	3/24/2025 3:59 PM
14	If this was chose, I'd use the fields for soccer, however I'd prefer to seperate spaces for dogs and for sports or recreation.	3/24/2025 12:42 PM
15	Soccer fields will be given priority to soccer clubs, youth Football already has a VERY difficult time finding a practice field large enough to practice safely. Sharing a field with soccer when there are tackle drills happening create a dangerous situation. Youth football has used Dara Jones for the past couple of years because of the bad condition and no one else wanted to use it. Making it more soccer fields and a baseball field will leave youth football without a practice area.	3/24/2025 10:56 AM
16	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
17	Football Filed!!	3/10/2025 12:19 PM

Q20 As shown in Draft Option 1, I am in favor of expanding Byers Field to accommodate high school softball use.

Answered: 100 Skipped: 41



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	7.00%	12.00%	31.00%	36.00%	14.00%	100	3.38
	7	12	31	36	14		

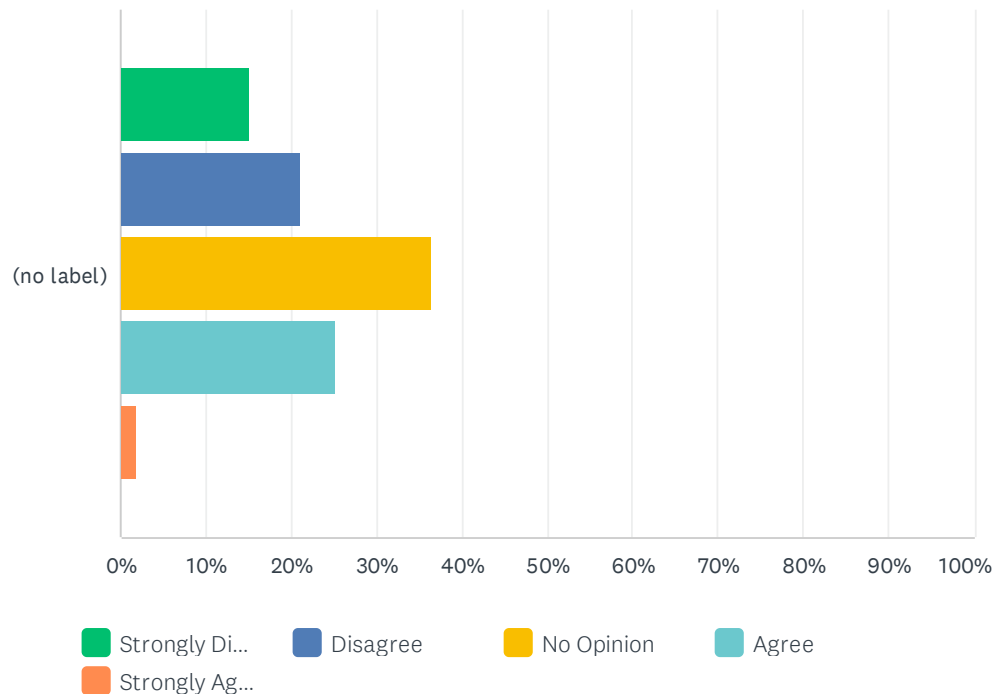
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT EXPANDING BYERS FIELD TO ALLOW FOR BOTH BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL USES.	DATE
1	There are other fields that can accomodate high school sports	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
2	Yes, but does that mean other teams will be allowed to practice in Hope? The HS AD told folks at the field users meeting only HS softball was allowed to practice on Hope. We need more space for our youth developmental leagues that feed the HS baseball/softball programs.	3/31/2025 8:25 PM
3	That seems like a lot of wasted work. There is already a softball field that was just renovated.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
4	High school is not in White Rock	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
5	I am in favor of this idea because the fields that the high school uses are better maintained the other fields. If the other leagues can also use this field then it makes sense to get rid of Field 4 so the leagues in White Rock can continue to use 6 fields.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
6	The question asks "to accomodate high school softball use" then the optional comment says "to allow for both baseball and softball uses". Was this survey made by the same imbeciles that made the drafts, or are yawll up to some game here?	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
7	I think this field should be reserved for little league as it currentl is. We need this to promote the sport to our youth so they become involved at a young age.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
8	Use the fields at the High School for High School activities.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM

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9	I wish North Mesa would be the "older" kids spot and White Rock be for younger ones.	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
10	Only for JV high school team	3/20/2025 6:55 PM

Q21 As shown in Draft Option 1, I am in favor of replacing the t-ball field at the northwest corner of the park with increased and formalized parking and relocating t-ball to a multi-purpose field on Dara Jones or elsewhere.

Answered: 99 Skipped: 42



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	15.15%	21.21%	36.36%	25.25%	2.02%	99	2.78
	15	21	36	25	2		

#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT RELOCATING THE T-BALL FIELD AT OVERLOOK TO IMPROVE PARKING AND CIRCULATION.	DATE
1	There already is plenty of parking at Overlook. All parking lots are within a 5-7 minute walk to the various fields	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
2	As mentioned above. Minors B (the t-ball field) is used for far more than t-ball. We have 2 practices a night there during little league season for boys and girls teams covering ages 6-12. The field is the right size for little league softball and due to adult league softball there are no other field suitable for these teams. I'm concerned that field reservation system will not be considerate of all needs particularly for the sports that are not year round. While that might not seem to matter for these options, changing from a dedicated field to a multiuse field is bound to have issues unless clear guidelines are laid out. Until I see those I can't fully support the multiuse field.	3/31/2025 8:25 PM
3	I am not in favor of expanded parking that is only necessary a few days a year.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
4	Why? It seems like just doing something to do something.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
5	Field will be overstriped. Do not do this. Few big fields in town and a ton of baseball fields. Let lacrosse have one please.	3/30/2025 7:46 PM
6	I'm never in favor of taking up space with more parking. Other options of remote parking and	3/29/2025 12:12 PM

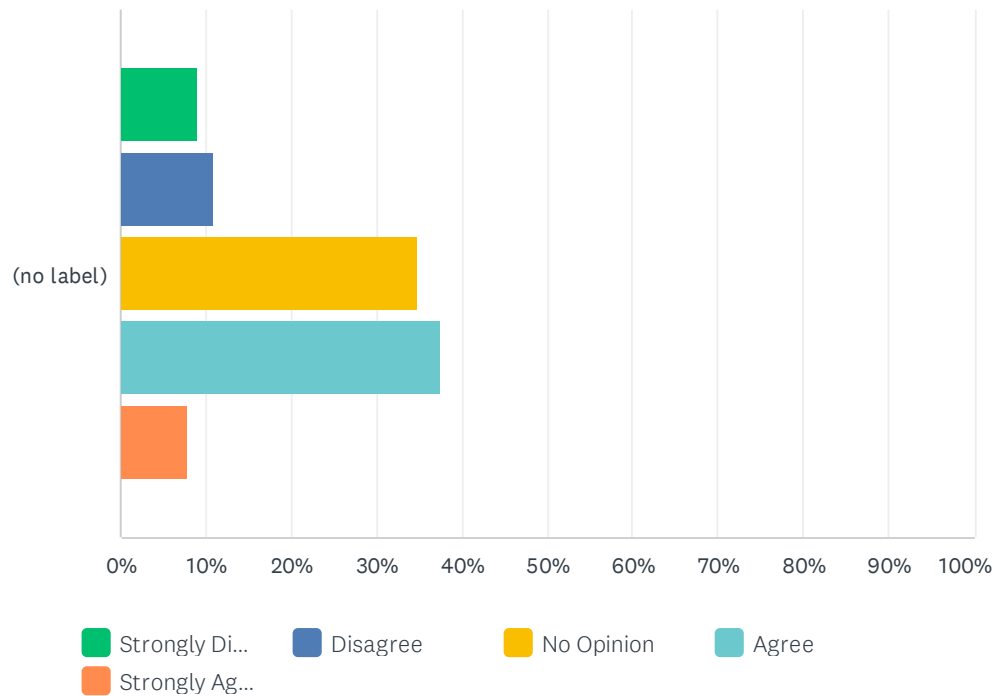
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public transit exist, unless that area can also have a multi-use, e.g. pump track, or bicycle learning area.

7	T-ball field and the parking is in a fine usable location. Stop the duplication of effort. Hold and improve. Spending money just to create a way to spend more money makes zero sense. Improve the surfaces of what we already have. Be efficient and effective not wasteful.	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
8	Don't support cars. They are on their way out.	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
9	DJ should be soccer only.	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
10	The multi-purpose field should be large enough to accomodate adult rec sports, this has more options and opportunities for growth for local leagues.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
11	Maintain the fields please	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
12	I'd rather keep the field	3/24/2025 9:02 PM
13	Home runs at Hope are going to be hilarious.	3/24/2025 8:35 PM
14	T ball at Dara Jones needs to be back up to a primary t ball field.	3/24/2025 6:17 PM
15	I propose resources be invested in the existing facilities we have and the upkeep they require.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
16	Stop wasting money on outdoor sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
17	No more parking lots	3/21/2025 8:01 PM

Q22 As shown in Draft Option 1, I am in favor of reorienting Hope Field to achieve a more efficient site layout, with improved pedestrian circulation, parking, and amenities.

Answered: 101 Skipped: 40



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	8.91% 9	10.89% 11	34.65% 35	37.62% 38	7.92% 8	101	3.25

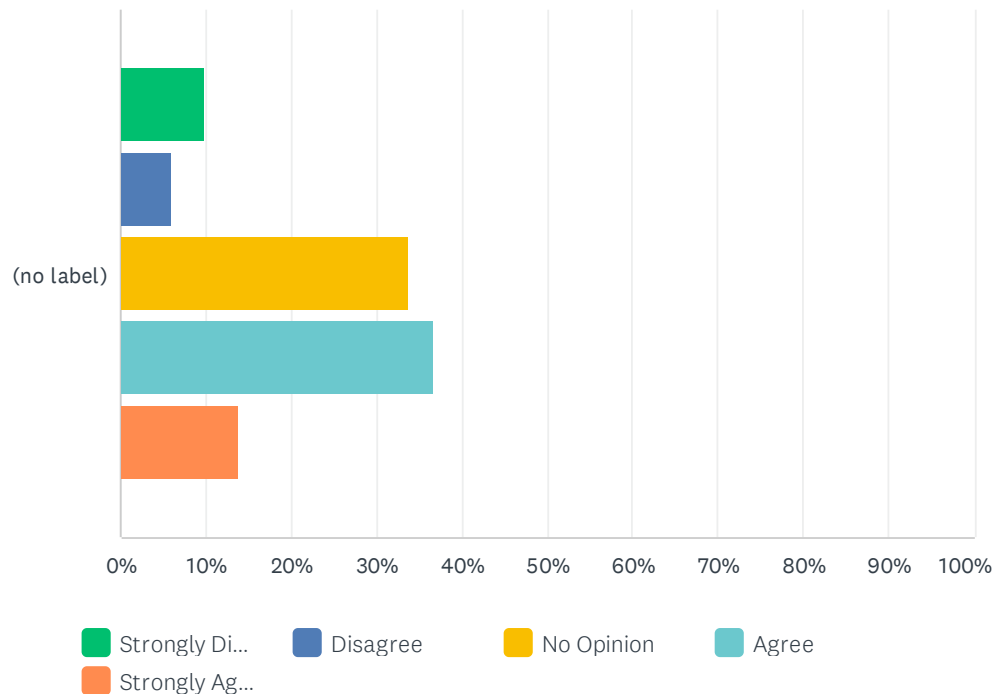
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT REORIENTING HOPE FIELD.	DATE
1	Thousands of dollars have already been spent on renovation and improvement of Hope Field, including a low, decorative wall around part of the outfield. Overflow parking is available at several nearby lots within the sports complex.	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
2	Why would we change Hope when it was just resurfaced?	3/31/2025 8:25 PM
3	I prefer keeping both Hope and the TBall field, but the Hope configuration is, indeed, more efficient. NOTE: if you DO expand the parking, ensure the engineering sequesters the runoff to be used in irrigation, or at minimum, to stay on the site.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
4	Fields are more important than parking. As Jack Johnson says, "pave paradise to put up a parking lot."	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
5	Overlook does not require "amenities." How lazy is society when we can't make our way over to the provided bathrooms. When we tear down current usable infrastructure in the name of new new new. Efficiency not wastefulness.	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
6	No parking	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
7	You just fixed it at incredible cost=LEAVE IT ALONE!	3/25/2025 9:54 AM
8	The orientation of X Lovato and Byers actually makes more sense in option 2.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM

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9	You just paid alt of money to turf Hope field...now you want to reorient the field? Idiots.	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
10	This proposal is reasonable.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
11	Stop wasting money. Are you asking to have pedestr walk in circles?	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
12	People can go park at the church and walk.	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
13	The orientation of Hope field benefits the high school team.	3/20/2025 6:55 PM

Q23 As shown in Draft Option 2, I am in favor of changing the locations and orientation of Byers and X Lovato Fields in order to achieve a more efficient site layout, with improved circulation, parking, and amenities.

Answered: 101 Skipped: 40



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	9.90%	5.94%	33.66%	36.63%	13.86%	101	3.39
	10	6	34	37	14		

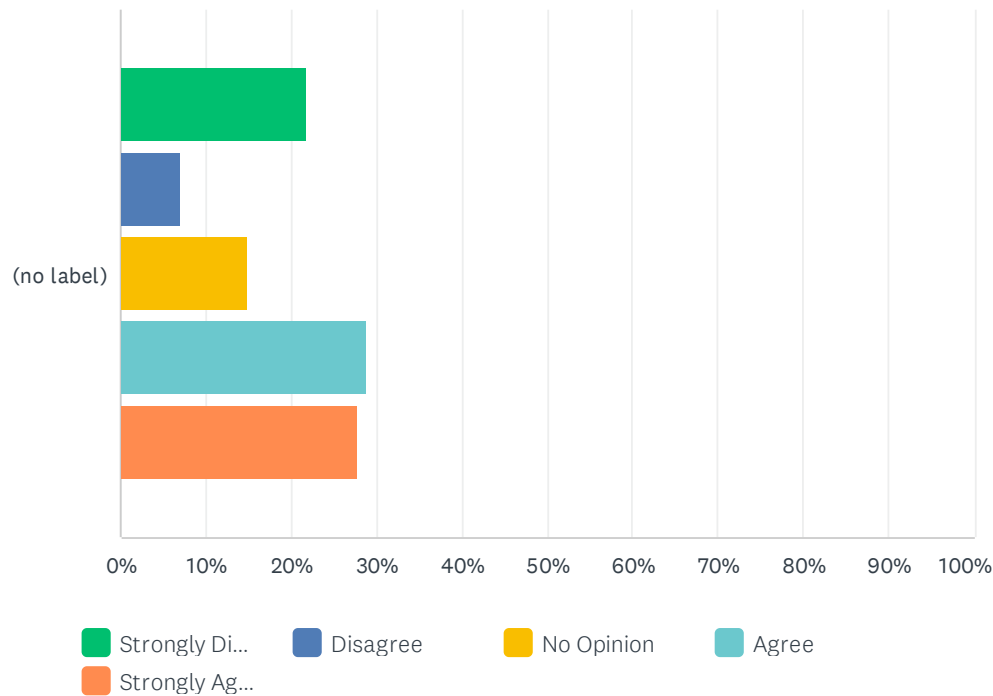
#	OPTIONAL: PLEASE ADD ANY COMMENTS ABOUT CHANGING THE LOCATIONS AND ORIENTATION OF BYERS AND X LOVATO FIELDS.	DATE
1	The proposed large parking area to the north of the fields likely will not work as presented due to a change in elevation on the left (west) side that does not seem to have been taken into account. Also, parking is available within a 5 minute walk to the field. Additional paved parking areas are not necessary.	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
2	Sure. Or just maintain them, which is what the coaches and players actually want. Maybe spend the money on maintenance instead of consultants and studies.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
3	The position of the sun in the summer while playing in the evening will make it harder to see the ball, and make the game less safe.	3/29/2025 1:31 PM
4	Cars are on their way out	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
5	Either you people jsut threw some crap together or you really want to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars on excavation and grading. This proposal is insane. Maintain the grass fields, thats it.	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
6	This is unnessary. Fields are fine as is. Also a couple of the only fields with lights. Again, please invest in improving what we already have.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM

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7	Stop wasting money on sports complexes. There is plenty of air circulation in Los Alamos and the water fountains NEVER work.. (stupic)	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
8	No ROI	3/21/2025 8:01 PM

Q24 In both Draft Options 1 and 2, Hope, X Lovato and Dara Jones Fields are proposed as locations for artificial turf. I am supportive of these recommendations.

Answered: 101 Skipped: 40



	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NO OPINION	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
(no label)	21.78% 22	6.93% 7	14.85% 15	28.71% 29	27.72% 28	101	3.34

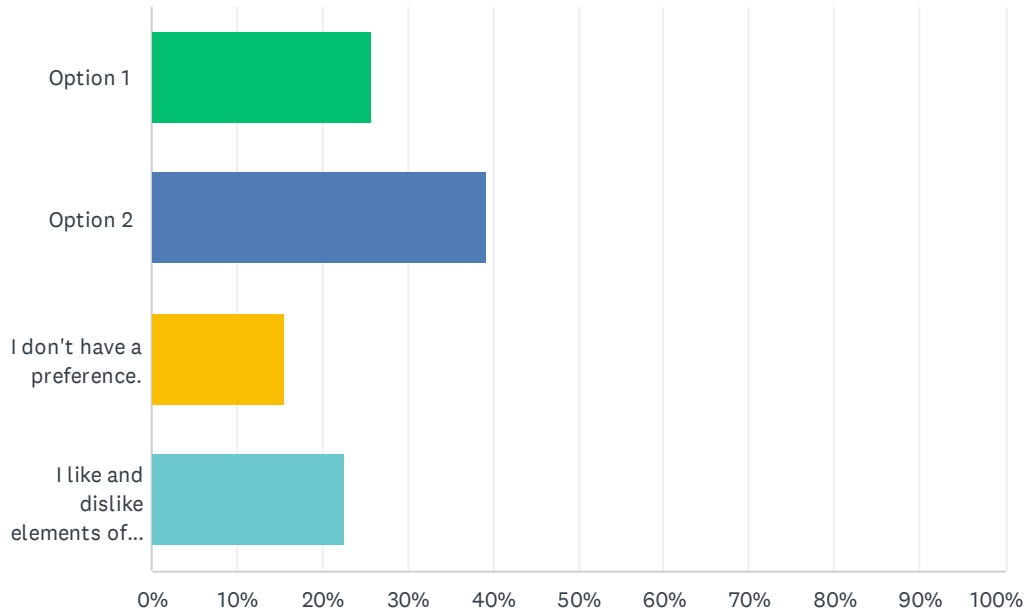
#	IF YOU DISAGREE, PLEASE TELL US WHY AND/OR SUGGEST AN ALTERNATIVE.	DATE
1	Need more xeric open space with shade and benches for wild-bird habitat and birding.	3/31/2025 8:52 PM
2	Both Hope and Dara Jones have recently been renovated by a local landscaping firm with new sod and improved drainage systems. They should not be converted to astroturf. Spirio Field is in worse condition and would be a candidate for astroturf.	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
3	Again, why would we turf fields that were recently "fixed"? What is the vision for Hope field? General county use or dedicated to HS?	3/31/2025 8:25 PM
4	After speaking at length to players, parents, and environmental activists, I do not support artificial turf: more injuries, more plastic, a considerably increased heat generator.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
5	Sure. If the county can't maintain grass, then maybe the only option. It's better than rampant gopher holes.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
6	Artificial turf makes turf burn on your skin much worse when you dive for a ball.	3/29/2025 1:31 PM
7	I can't believe the gophers won't disrupt the artificial turf, just as they do the natural turf. Recommend starting with artificial turf on one small field and see if it meets your expectations and also whether it creates unintended consequences. Lastly, it seems a ridiculous waste of money and water to put artificial turf on a field you just resodded last year!!	3/29/2025 12:03 PM

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8	Artificial turf for baseball fields but NOT for soccer	3/28/2025 7:43 PM
9	Disagree if we just put in new sprinkler system and real grass. Fix something else first. Educate the community if turf will reduce gophers and falls of humans.	3/27/2025 12:24 PM
10	I'm fine with one Soccer field being changed to Turf. Turf is simply a TOOL. Turf is NOT AN ANSWER to everything. Turf is....very very hot, very dangerous to ankles and knees during slide tackles, very hard on knees for youth.	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
11	Microplastics	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
12	Turf fields raise concerns due to potential health risks from chemicals in the materials, increased temperatures leading to heat-related injuries, and environmental impacts like microplastic pollution and water contamination	3/26/2025 10:52 AM
13	Artificial turf is hard on developing children's joints.	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
14	Real grass! Plastic grass is bullshit. Don't poison our youth with fake bullshit.	3/25/2025 12:37 PM
15	Incredible stupid! the community uses this space for MANY uses aside from sports, stop the tunnel vision. Besides, you just fixed the turf, don't waste our tax dollars.	3/25/2025 9:54 AM
16	Be aware of how hot those fields will be, especially in the summer when they are most used. Plan for shaded areas for athletes and fans to get away from the heat.	3/25/2025 9:52 AM
17	I think that all fields should be artificial turf for player safety due to the inconsistency of natural turf playing surface.	3/25/2025 8:28 AM
18	Well, Hope now already has turf(which was not properly sloped). Please stop this madness. Just pay the people to come and maintain the grass	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
19	These fields are used as foraging grounds by transient wildlife, mostly birds. The fields are not in use for sports ~99% of the time, and the birds make good use of them all of the time. Don't screw the birds over.	3/24/2025 8:35 PM
20	Artificial turf provides a reliable safe environment for competitive athletics independent of county maintenance.	3/24/2025 7:23 PM
21	Soccer is supposed to played on natural turf by the laws/rules of the game. Dara Jones is the only high school full size field that is natural turf in the county. It needs to stay natural grass	3/24/2025 6:17 PM
22	Yes please. We are all tired of the gophers.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
23	Need artificial turf on all fields and lights on fields 1,2,3, and 4	3/24/2025 5:14 PM
24	Artificial turf makes so much sense in the desert.	3/24/2025 3:12 PM
25	Stop wasting money on sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
26	Artificial turf causes cancer! https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/28493060/ https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S1877782118300237	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
27	No discussion of summer heat loaf	3/21/2025 8:01 PM
28	Artificial turf is detrimental to insect populations, which can contribute to pollination inefficiency and decline in bird populations. There's also little research on the effects of micro plastic effects on wildlife. I go on these fields with my baby. I don't want him putting plastic bits in his mouth and investing it. Already the amount of micro plastics found bioaccumulating in their bodies has doubled in the past decade. I have a masters in sustainable systems and do not support exposing more harmful material to our communities with artificial turf.	3/21/2025 10:02 AM
29	How will you address the gophers? Other fake turf locations in NM are having issues.	3/21/2025 8:03 AM
30	Natural grass is the appropriate playing surface for youth. In a world where forever chemicals and microplastics are impacting our health, putting artificial turf fields next to a canyon runoff zone that goes right into the Rio Grande is irresponsible.	3/12/2025 9:48 PM
31	Dislike Artificial turf	3/12/2025 11:20 AM

Q25 Having reviewed Draft Option 1 and Draft Option 2 for Overlook Park, which option do you prefer overall?

Answered: 97 Skipped: 44



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Option 1	25.77%	25
Option 2	39.18%	38
I don't have a preference.	15.46%	15
I like and dislike elements of both. (Please describe below.)	22.68%	22
Total Respondents: 97		

#	PLEASE DESCRIBE WHAT ELEMENTS YOU LIKE AND/OR DISLIKE.	DATE
1	I think an event stage and batting cages are important elements to include in the plans.	3/31/2025 9:29 PM
2	I dislike the addition of large amounts of additional parking. Improving existing parking areas (paving and striping) plus signage to indicate other parking options is preferable. Suggesting that tearing up and putting astro turf on two fields that have just undergone renovation is unnecessary and irresponsible.	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
3	I like the dedicated t-ball field and the functionality we keep for the majority of the other fields. The parking is also more centralized.	3/31/2025 8:25 PM
4	Dara Jones soccer field for soccer. It's very important for soccer to have a dedicated field that is playable.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
5	Grass or artificial turf in the new dog park would be nice	3/30/2025 5:45 PM
6	I do not like the removal of field 4. The additional parking behind field 1 is in the path of a ball if anyone parks their during a softball game, so I will not be comfortable using the new spots.	3/29/2025 1:31 PM
7	See my response to #24 above	3/29/2025 12:03 PM

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8	I like that soccer has fields that are devoted to entirely to soccer.	3/27/2025 1:02 PM
9	Although it seems improvements are good for the LA kids sports clubs, it seriously undermine the dogs clubs training in Los Alamos.	3/27/2025 11:45 AM
10	Change as little as possible. DARA JONES SOCCER FIELD is that, A formally dedicated SOCCER TRAINING FACILITY and one time number ONE RANKED STATE PLAYOFF FIELD.	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
11	No turf!	3/26/2025 10:52 AM
12	Multi-purpose fields are the way to go in my opinion.	3/26/2025 9:49 AM
13	Do not like either option. Do not like artificial turf.	3/25/2025 8:59 PM
14	The times I have watched softball games; I have never seen the dog park so full that we need to make it larger, at the most I have only seen 4 at the most. I helped retrieve a home run ball that landed in the dog park and got rushed by a dog, the owner had to yell at it to back off.	3/25/2025 2:42 PM
15	I do not like removing field 4 in place of dog park, we would benefit more from creating another full size softball field.	3/25/2025 2:36 PM
16	The removal of Field 4 for a dog park is unnecessary and unwelcome. Field 4 is used multiple times a week during the summer and should be kept to help maintain the flexibility of the summer events that use it.	3/25/2025 11:22 AM
17	Option two if you must, but leave out the stupid, hot, uncomfortable, use limiting maintenance nightmare of artificial turf. the PARK is used for many other uses besides just sports.	3/25/2025 9:54 AM
18	I like the orientation of the fields X Lovato, Byers, Hope, the T-Ball Field, and Virchow in option 2, however if they county absolutely has to get rid of Field 4 I think it would be a huge benefit to make Byers Field large enough to accomadte high school baseball and adult softball leagues. This makes it to where the local leagues can optimise their growth and as such improve the condition of the park and fields.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
19	Actually, I hate it all. Its very simple. Maintain the fields. Aerate, Sand, water, seed, water, fill dirt spread by a tractor with turf tires. Its really very simple to maintain the fields. The county has the money and the workers. Please just do it. Thank you	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
20	I like Option 2's parking layout much better. It feels like the new parking services more of the park, rather than keeping it on the far side. I also strongly dislike option 1's roundabout	3/24/2025 10:06 PM
21	But keep the t ball field and delete extra parking	3/24/2025 9:02 PM
22	Removing field 4 will create a large problem for many.	3/24/2025 8:53 PM
23	The artificial turf is a travesty. And the expanded dog park is pandering to a very vocal minority who don't need it.	3/24/2025 8:35 PM
24	Provides two dedicated artificial turf fields for activities other than softball and baseball.	3/24/2025 7:23 PM
25	I like the batting cages added to option 1. I dislike the EV parking, as it appears to be a waste of money.	3/24/2025 7:21 PM
26	I really believe that if the recources were invested in improving what we already have, that these tupe of changes would not be necessary.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
27	Don't care as long as field 4 stays!	3/24/2025 5:43 PM
28	I prefer option 2 but without removing field 4. Field 4 generates income where dog park is free and only generates a mess of poop.	3/24/2025 5:14 PM
29	I like the separate dog park area from Dara Jones, but do not like the dog park expansion in its proposed location. Field 4 is used from late spring, throughout the summer, into fall for the adult softball league. Taking that away will negatively affect the league.	3/24/2025 3:59 PM
30	Option 2 seems like a better use of space and separation	3/24/2025 2:27 PM
31	Dog park expansion should not be considered for this proposal. This needs to be about kids and not dogs!!	3/24/2025 12:02 PM
32	Stop wasting money on sports complexes.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM

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33	https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S1877782118300237	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
34	I like the multipurpose proposal in option 1, and I like the improved layout of option 2.	3/20/2025 6:31 PM
35	I like that the area will receive upgrades. I dislike that each proposes artificial turf, especially for youth soccer fields. I dislike that each proposes to co-locate youth sports and support for dog owners in particular.	3/12/2025 9:48 PM
36	youth football field	3/10/2025 12:19 PM

Q26 Are there improvements you like to see included that are not shown in the options presented so far? If so, please describe.

Answered: 39 Skipped: 102

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	I strongly encourage you to include basketball courts in this plan. White Rock currently lacks any full basketball courts in its parks, and adding them would be a fantastic recreational feature. Overlook, with its ample space, would be the ideal location for this addition.	3/31/2025 9:29 PM
2	Need more xeric open space with shade and benches for wild-bird habitat and birding.	3/31/2025 8:52 PM
3	A sign near the entrance that identifies the fields and amenities would be welcome. Ball field 4, if no longer in use, could be reworked as a small park with xeric native shrubs/plants that would support birds and pollinators, benches, and shade structures.	3/31/2025 8:32 PM
4	No artificial turf. Initially I supported it because of the very-much reduced water usage, especially now when our aquifer is losing 6-inches/yr during the drought. Also, new turf is permeable. Some studies show fewer injuries on artificial turf (we have the gophers!), but others don't confirm those data. Artificial turf requires less maintenance. HOWEVER, my objection in conversations is that with rising temperatures, acres of plastic turf become a heat island with considerably less O2 generation with the plastic off-gassing.	3/31/2025 3:58 PM
5	The issue is maintenance, not a lack of fields. This needs to be remembered.	3/31/2025 10:55 AM
6	Synthetic turf on all fields.	3/30/2025 7:46 PM
7	It would be nice to have grass or artificial turf in the new dog park. I hate how dusty it is right now	3/30/2025 5:45 PM
8	Please do not reduce the number of softball fields. All are already in use in the summer. The rationale for reorientation of the fields could consider the position of the sun during games, which affect ball visibility, and not just making they layout look like a clover.	3/29/2025 1:31 PM
9	I would like the county to take care of the current grass soccer fields. With so many gopher holes the ball cannot role in a straight line and players are rolling their ankles and getting injured.	3/27/2025 1:02 PM
10	A big problem is the Paul Spirio fields. Why zero change there? Don't replace newly planted grass and sprinklers, put some turn there. You can update Fields 1, 2 or 3 with Synthetic Turf. Thank You for the opportunity to give feedback.	3/27/2025 12:24 PM
11	Dog training area should be natural turf and far away from the dog park. Size of the dog training area should be about as big as the Dara Jones field.	3/27/2025 11:45 AM
12	I would like to see less emphasis on "dog training" "shared human and dog space"???? Over 700,000 acres in the greatest county on earth. I think we can find a suitable place of the dog folks vs Human training spaces/surfaces. Lets keep this simple, realistic, and disease free. With all the space available for a second full size field or dog training area next to the dog park on North Mesa I find it disgusting that the county would ever think of tearing out a PERFECTLY usable established JIM FLINT SOCCER FIELD for "RV Parking." What a waste, insult, and needless expenditure of money. Thank you	3/27/2025 7:46 AM
13	Field lighting upgrades - what are the plans for that?	3/26/2025 12:48 PM
14	Plan for the future, folks. It's coming fast. https://gm-pres.tiiny.site	3/26/2025 11:04 AM
15	Where's the stage for the 4th of July? We need Spiro to be bigger and a stage space up top for bands	3/25/2025 12:37 PM
16	Important improvements - artificial Turf, lights, and not losing Field #4	3/25/2025 10:20 AM
17	Get rid if the gophers at Overlook. you already have and irrigation system that uses otherwise wasted reclaimed wastewater. People prefer the natural environment that does not restrict use.	3/25/2025 9:54 AM

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Neither option is good and both are a waste of taxpayers money. Leave it alone and fix the beautiful multi-purpose, non-use limited natural turf. People sit in the grass and have picnics while babies play in the grass! Don't take that away!

18	The county needs to add more lights to the fields, and even more turf fields.	3/25/2025 9:19 AM
19	I think that all fields should be artificial turf for player safety due to the inconsistency of natural turf .	3/25/2025 8:28 AM
20	More lights. Probably a net to protect cars from homeruns being hit on Field 1. Put down some new gravel around XL and compact it please.	3/24/2025 11:15 PM
21	Why such a large focus on baseball/softball? White Rock has minimal amenities for other sports - overlook should get a basketball court and a track	3/24/2025 10:06 PM
22	All of the fields should receive artificial turf, the gophers cause dangerous holes. The current dog park is sufficient, possibly create a second dog park in another location in White Rock.	3/24/2025 8:53 PM
23	Wetland habitat improvements at the water treatment plant effluent stream	3/24/2025 8:35 PM
24	Lighting options to expand usable hours of the facilities these investments would provide.	3/24/2025 7:23 PM
25	Improve what we already have in place. Field 4 needs protection for the bleacher area. All other fields besides XL need overhead protection for the bleachers.	3/24/2025 6:12 PM
26	Keep field 4 and just improve the dog park that is already there	3/24/2025 5:43 PM
27	All fields should be turfed and fields 1,2,3,4 should have lights installed. Rec softball pays for field use and we should be allowed to play under lights regardless of surrounding neighborhood complaints	3/24/2025 5:14 PM
28	Lighting. Turf is a far better option for the fields as the county has proven unable to maintain the fields in a safe manner.	3/24/2025 1:39 PM
29	Any improvement to the soccer fields is ideal! Please improve and consider this will help LAYSL and other Los Alamos youth activities! This is needed!	3/24/2025 12:42 PM
30	Dog park expansion should not be considered for this proposal. This needs to be about kids and not dogs!! They are not equal. Kids are more important than dogs.	3/24/2025 12:02 PM
31	Stop making sports complexes that a small number of people use. This is a waste of money.	3/23/2025 7:07 PM
32	Upgrade existing play structures at overlook park. Pave and widen the bike/walking path.	3/23/2025 4:32 PM
33	If budget were to allow, I would recommend some additions to the existing children's play structures at Overlook Park, as this is a site my family utilizes very frequently.	3/23/2025 4:31 PM
34	More fields for practices. The fall and spring get crazy when all the sports try to use the same field at the same time. I would like to see the main soccer field expanded to accommodate the Fourth of July so that more people and vendors can be present. We used to have the circus come to Overlook but now I can't imagine White Rock ever having something that cool back in town. Overlook is all we got. Don't fuck it up.	3/21/2025 8:12 PM
35	Electrical infrastructure for food trucks	3/21/2025 3:24 PM
36	No additional improvements. I will say again, we have to many fields for the community. The County struggles to keep things maintained on trails, parks and other areas. Less fields could allow more time to take care of other things in the County. I speak with Wendy at least once a month and give suggestions as a long time resident on things that need to be addressed. I told her the County should completely renovate one field at a time. Of course, recommendations to the County are rarely heard or acted on. I doubt I will be supportive on this project when the price is revealed. We have many other things that we need to address in the County such as roads, trails, parks, utilities, etc.	3/21/2025 8:03 AM
37	Yes! Keeping all playing surfaces natural turf that is actually maintained would be a great start. The County does this for the adults on the golf course, and it is abysmal that we would no do that for youth sports players. We want to promote health but send mixed messages with the artificial turf approach.	3/12/2025 9:48 PM
38	Larger children's playground	3/12/2025 4:01 PM

