

COMMUNITY OUTREACH NO. 1

Meeting

Thursday, April 28, 2022 | 5:00pm – 7:00pm | Goodyear Recreation Campus – 420 S. Estrella Parkway, Goodyear, AZ



Community Workshop No. 1 Summary

Community Workshop No. 1 included a drop-in format which provided opportunities for the community to provide input regarding parks amenities, facilities, and programming for the systemwide parks and recreation master plan. The Parks & Recreation Workshop No. 1 also included a General Plan station as the City is also working on the General Plan Update. The meeting provided an introduction and initial feedback for the City's General Plan.

Project Overview

The introduction station provided an overview to the Community Outreach Workshop No. 1 meeting. This introduced the Parks and Recreation Master Plan project goals which included:

- A Parks and Recreation Master Plan that is Community Driven
- Trails that Connect the Community
- Sustainable Maintenance Practices
- Partnerships and Options for Funding
- Provide High-quality Parks and recreation facilities
- Community wellness through recreation
- Administration "right-sized" for the future
- Future facilities to meet growth needs

Project Timeline

The Project includes four Community Outreach meetings
Final Plan presentation to City Council in Winter of 2022

- SPRING 2022**
Focus Groups and Intercept Surveys
- SUMMER 2022**
Needs Assessment
- FALL 2022**
Technical Assessment
- FALL 2022**
Implementation Plan
- WINTER 2022**
Systemwide Master Plan Development/
Final Adoption

PUBLIC WORKSHOP #1
GET THE BALL ROLLING

April 28, 2022

PUBLIC WORKSHOP #2
DRAFT THE LINE-UP

June 7, 2022

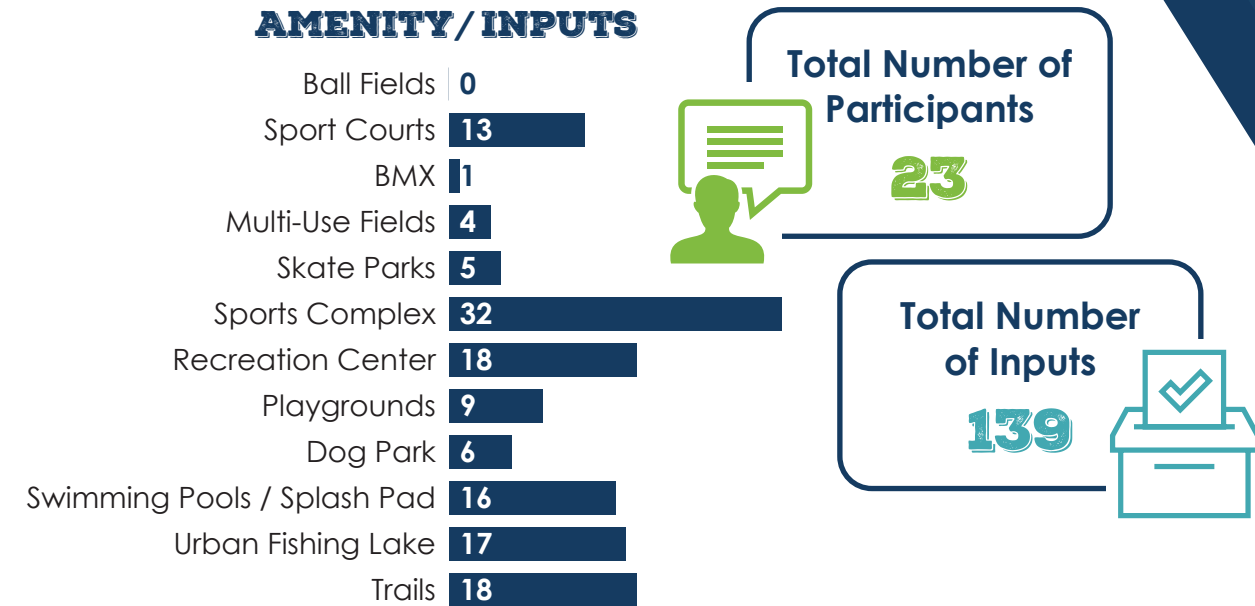
PUBLIC WORKSHOP #3
REVIEW THE PLAYBOOK

August 17, 2022

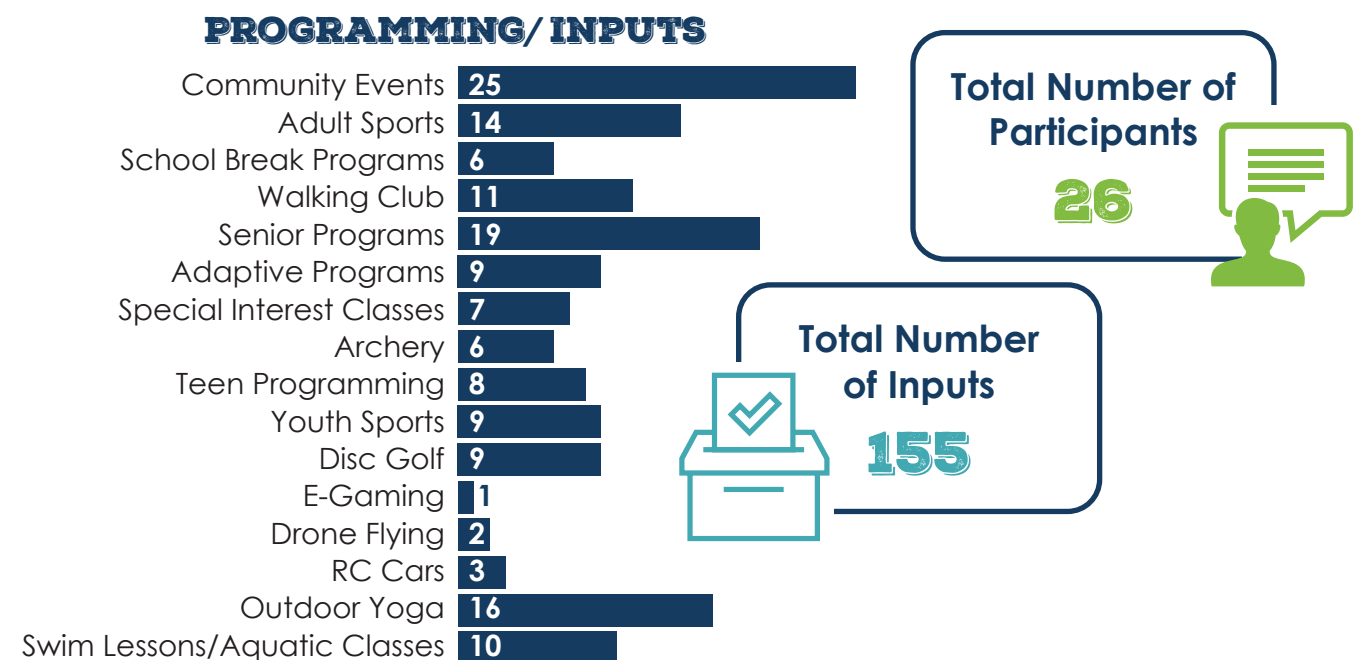
PUBLIC WORKSHOP #4
KNOCK IT OUT OF THE PARK

October 19, 2022

FACILITIES & AMENITIES DOTOCRACY RESULTS



PROGRAMMING DOTOCRACY RESULTS



Station No. 1 Introduction Station

The first portion of the open house included a project introduction station with sign in area and location map to provide participants an opportunity to tack a push pin on the map to show where they lived within the City of Goodyear. The participants were also given a project business card providing a QR code for a programming survey. A project website address was also provided to allow the community to follow the project and have access to past meeting content and opportunities to provide feedback and participate in future workshops and meetings.

Station No. 2 Dotocracy – Parks and Recreation Amenities and Facilities

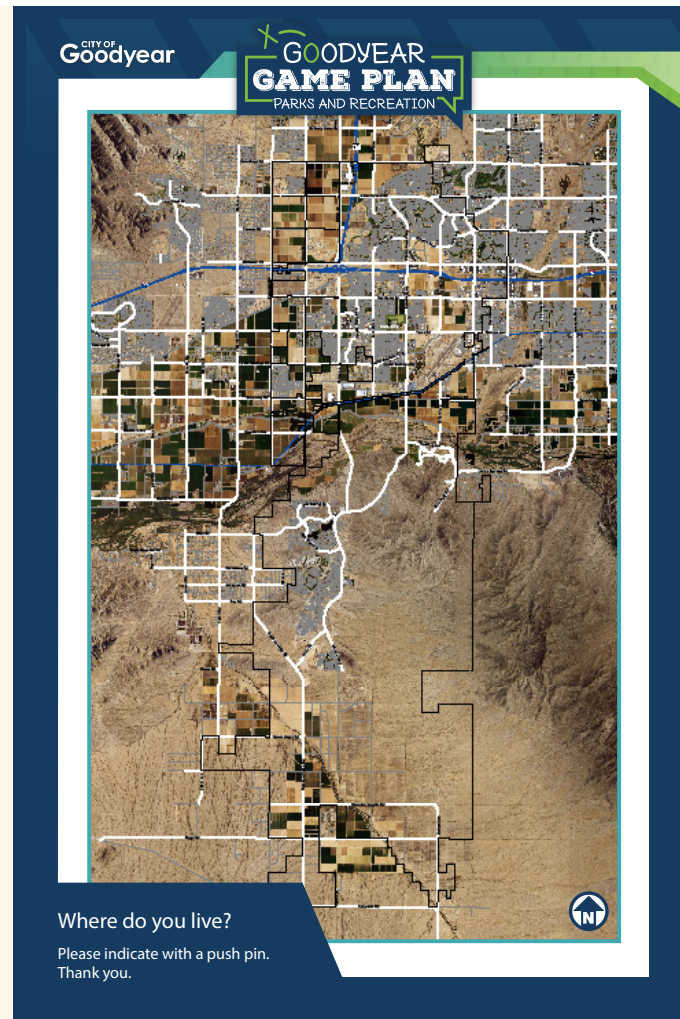
The first Dotocracy station provided participants six inputs to distribute among parks and recreation facilities and amenities they would like to see included within the plan.

Station No. 3 Dotocracy – Parks and Recreation Programming

The second Dotocracy station provided participants an additional six inputs to distribute among parks and recreation programming they would like to see included within the plan.

Station No. 4 Existing City of Goodyear Parks and Recreation Facilities and Programming

The last station provided attendees to provide written comments and feedback for the existing City of Goodyear Park facilities and special events. The meeting included two boards with a map showing the location and images of the City's existing parks and a third board with images from City of Goodyear special events. Participants also were provided an opportunity to complete the programming survey in hardcopy format. This is the same online survey provided via the QR code on the business card.



Comments

- Invest as much on south and central Goodyear as you currently do north of the I-10.
- Invest more in central Goodyear that is where population growth is now and in the future.
- Library controlled by Goodyear not County
- Independent Book Store like Half Price Books
- Solar Covered Parking
- Would be great if the Bullard Wash bike path could be extended under I-10 and south as quick as possible.

- Would like to see more dedicated, bike paths in Goodyear to include extending Bullard Wash bike path south to Estrella Mtn. Park.
- Bullard Wash Park gets overseed during winter, which is barely used, consider overseeding Recreation Center Park which is packed all winter.
- Add free to use splash pad at recreation center park. Currently no free, always-open cool activities available in summer.

- Aquatic center hours should be open earlier and close later
- We need a free splash pad near the playground
- Volleyball for beginners
- Pickleball leagues
- Computer Classes for Adults
- Make Goodyear a 'Sportstown' tourism, etc.
- Soccer Fields
- Horseshoe Pits
- More Pickleball Courts
- Pickleball League could be 8 to 10 weeks spring / fall
- Transparency in hiking
- Add misters to kids' playground area since there is nothing to keep the little ones cool. Currently splash pad is in the aquatics center and closed during non-summer hours.
- Youth internships, professional development
- Dynamic Arts Programming, ways for people to connect.
- Community Theater
- Craft Fairs
- Shakespeare in the Park
- Events for single adults
- Artist Studios
- Small Scale Community Events

