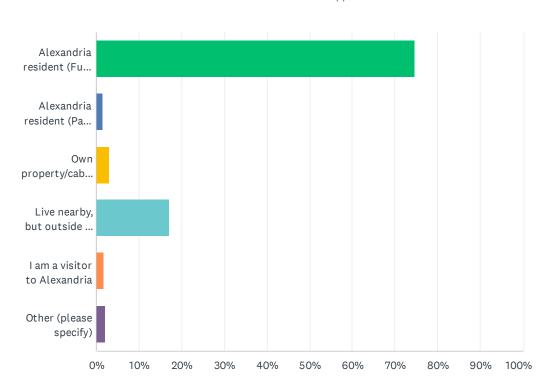
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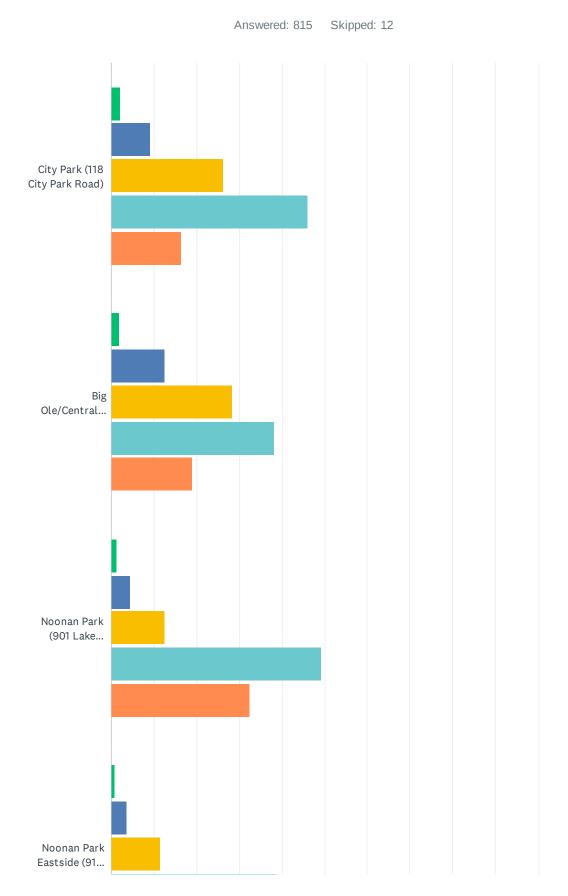


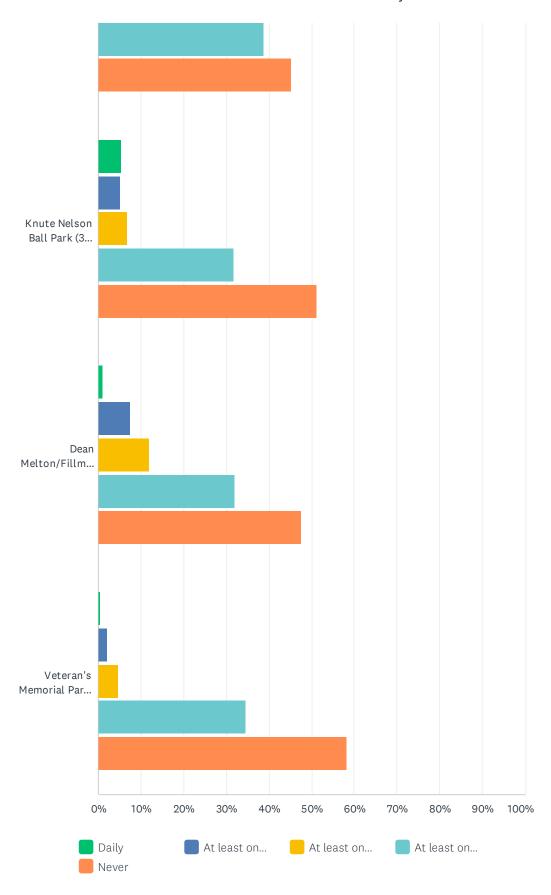
| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES | |
|--|-----------|-----|
| Alexandria resident (Full Time) | 74.55% | 615 |
| Alexandria resident (Part Time) | 1.58% | 13 |
| Own property/cabin/second home in Alexandria, but it is not a main residence | 3.03% | 25 |
| Live nearby, but outside of Alexandria's city limits | 16.97% | 140 |
| I am a visitor to Alexandria | 1.70% | 14 |
| Other (please specify) | 2.18% | 18 |
| TOTAL | | 825 |

| # | OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) | DATE |
|---|--|--------------------|
| 1 | I work here | 10/6/2022 4:54 PM |
| 2 | I work in Alexandria | 10/1/2022 7:36 AM |
| 3 | Work for Northway Academy | 9/30/2022 9:38 AM |
| 4 | I work in alexandria | 9/30/2022 9:31 AM |
| 5 | Travel to Az for winter | 9/27/2022 12:16 PM |
| 6 | i have a alexandria address but i live closer to holems city | 9/26/2022 2:39 PM |
| 7 | Northstar christian Academy | 9/26/2022 2:36 PM |
| 8 | Use to live here by now live outside of Alexandia a little | 9/26/2022 11:23 AM |

| 9 | College student | 9/20/2022 9:33 PM |
|----|---|-------------------|
| 10 | Attend College | 9/20/2022 3:29 PM |
| 11 | Grew up in Alexandria visit frequently | 9/19/2022 1:57 PM |
| 12 | Live nearby, but have lived full time and also work full time in Alexandria | 9/17/2022 7:55 AM |
| 13 | Grew up in alex work in alex but live in glenwood mn | 9/16/2022 9:55 PM |
| 14 | Live in Morris | 9/16/2022 9:30 PM |
| 15 | Family of a resident, summer in Alexandria | 9/16/2022 8:32 PM |
| 16 | Live 30 miles away but come to Alexandria weekly | 9/16/2022 5:55 PM |
| 17 | Why is Tabbert park not on here? | 9/15/2022 8:43 PM |
| 18 | work in alexandria but live 30 miles north | 9/14/2022 3:45 PM |

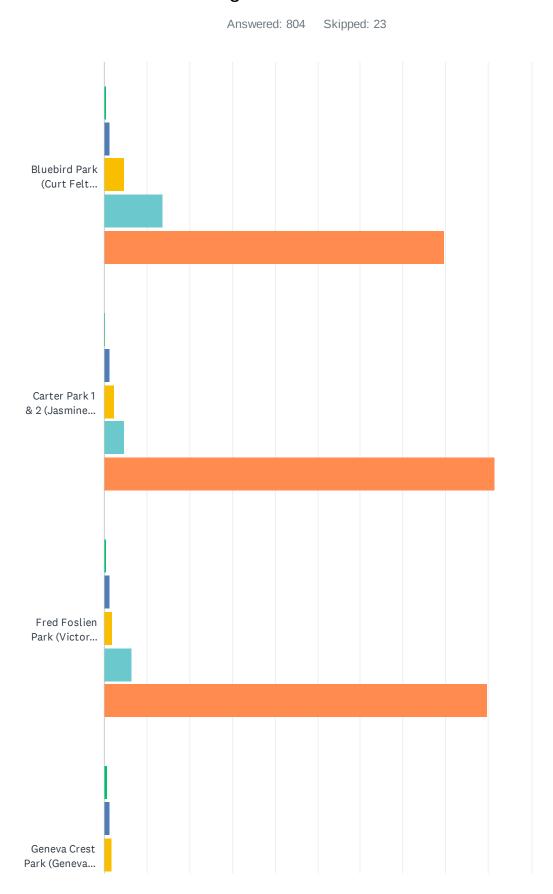
Q2 How often do you or members of your household visit the following Premier Parks?

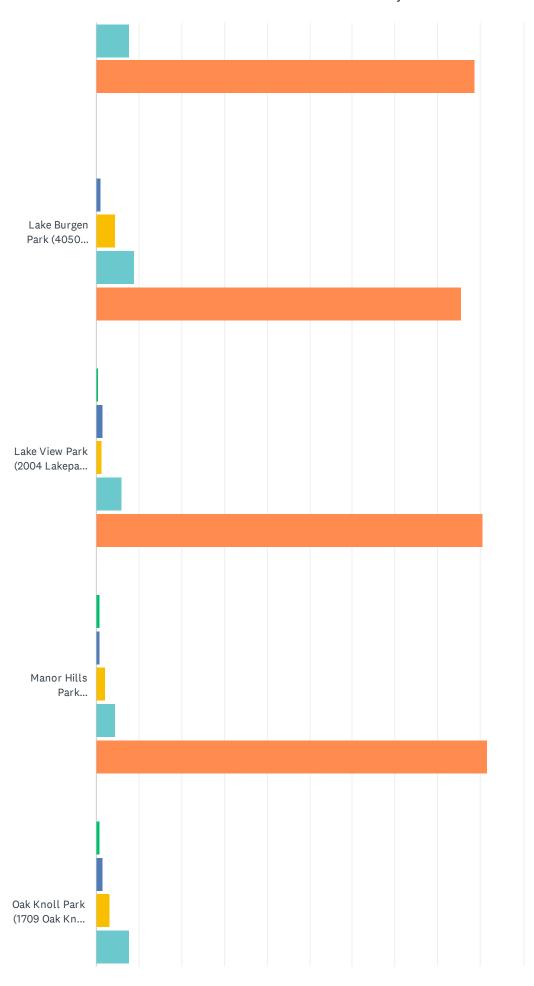


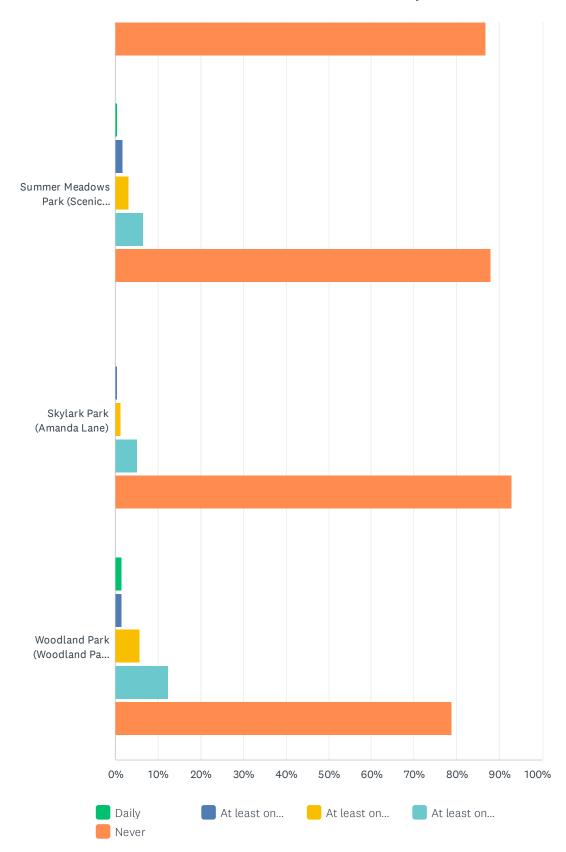


| | DAILY | AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK | AT LEAST ONCE PER MONTH | AT LEAST ONCE PER YEAR | NEVER | TOTAL |
|--|-------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|-------|
| City Park (118 City Park Road) | 2.24% 18 | 9.08% 73 | 26.24% 211 | 46.02% 370 | 16.42% 132 | 804 |
| Big Ole/Central Park (109 2nd Ave East) | 1.99% 16 | 12.67% 102 | 28.32% 228 | 38.14% 307 | 18.88% 152 | 805 |
| Noonan Park (901 Lake Street) | 1.25% 10 | 4.49% 36 | 12.61% 101 | 49.31% 395 | 32.33% 259 | 801 |
| Noonan Park Eastside (914 Nokomis Street) | 0.89% | 3.55% 28 | 11.55% 91 | 38.83% 306 | 45.18% 356 | 788 |
| Knute Nelson Ball Park (305 5TH Ave West) | 5.26% 42 | 5.01% 40 | 6.77% 54 | 31.83% 254 | 51.13% 408 | 798 |
| Dean Melton/Fillmore Park (1510 Fillmore Street) | 1.00% | 7.50% 60 | 11.88% 95 | 32.00% 256 | 47.63% 381 | 800 |
| Veteran's Memorial Park (802 Broadway Street) | 0.50% | 2.13% 17 | 4.64% 37 | 34.59% 276 | 58.15% 464 | 798 |

Q3 How often do you or members of your household visit the following Neighborhood Parks?

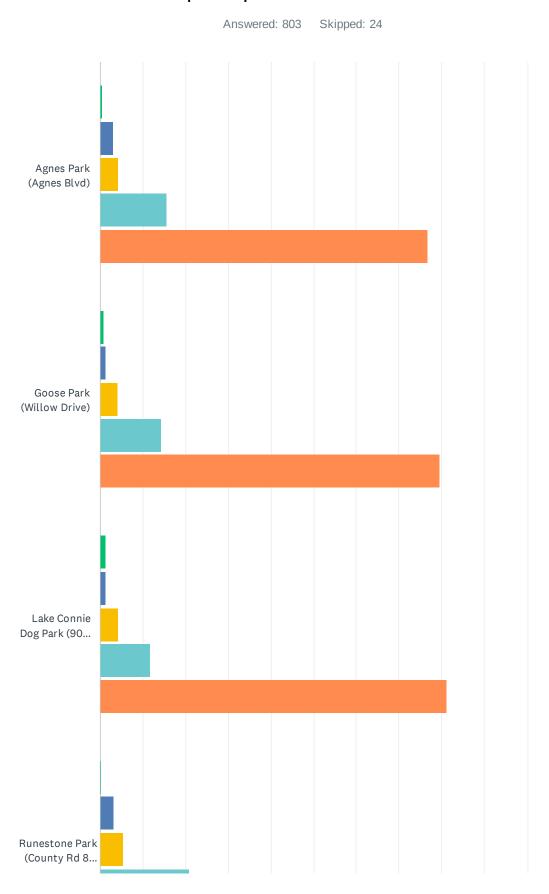


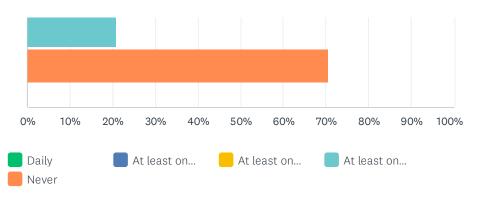




| | DAILY | AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK | AT LEAST ONCE PER MONTH | AT LEAST ONCE PER YEAR | NEVER | TOTAL |
|--|-------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|-------|
| Bluebird Park (Curt Felt Drive) | 0.38% | 1.38% 11 | 4.76% 38 | 13.64% 109 | 79.85% 638 | 799 |
| Carter Park 1 & 2 (Jasmine Drive NW) | 0.25% | 1.25% 10 | 2.26% 18 | 4.76% 38 | 91.48% 730 | 798 |
| Fred Foslien Park (Victoria Drive) | 0.50% | 1.38% 11 | 1.88% 15 | 6.38% 51 | 89.86% 718 | 799 |
| Geneva Crest Park (Geneva Drive) | 0.63% | 1.38% | 1.63% 13 | 7.63% 61 | 88.75% 710 | 800 |
| Lake Burgen Park (4050 Snowbird Lane SE) | 0.00% | 1.13% | 4.40% 35 | 9.06% 72 | 85.41% 679 | 795 |
| Lake View Park (2004 Lakepark Ave) | 0.51% | 1.52% 12 | 1.26% 10 | 6.06% 48 | 90.66% 718 | 792 |
| Manor Hills Park (Springdale Drive) | 0.76% | 0.88% | 2.15% 17 | 4.42% 35 | 91.78% 726 | 791 |
| Oak Knoll Park (1709 Oak Knoll Drive) | 0.76% | 1.39% 11 | 3.29% 26 | 7.71% 61 | 86.85% 687 | 791 |
| Summer Meadows Park (Scenic Heights Road) | 0.51% | 1.77% 14 | 3.16% 25 | 6.58% 52 | 87.97% 695 | 790 |
| Skylark Park (Amanda Lane) | 0.00% | 0.51% | 1.26% 10 | 5.18% 41 | 93.06% 737 | 792 |
| Woodland Park (Woodland Park Drive NE) | 1.39% 11 | 1.51% 12 | 5.80% 46 | 12.36% 98 | 78.94% 626 | 793 |

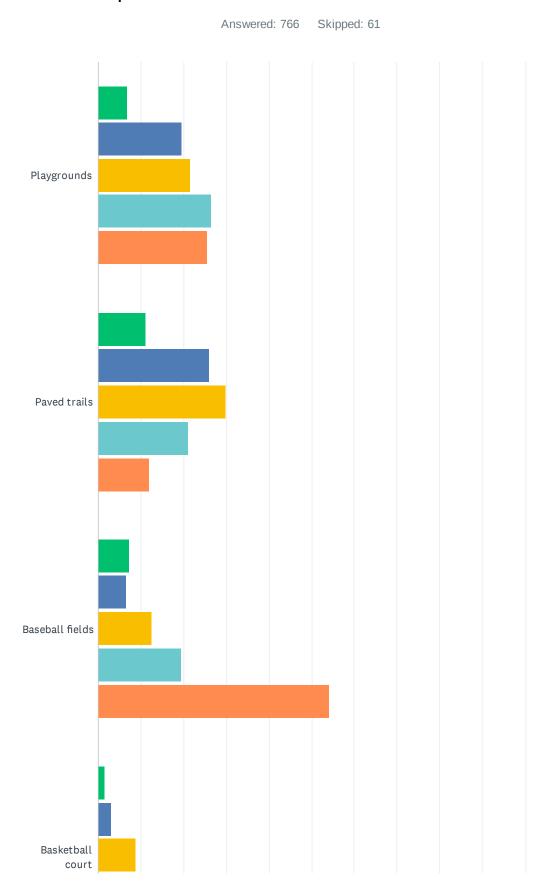
Q4 How often do you or members of your household visit the following Open Space/Other Parks?

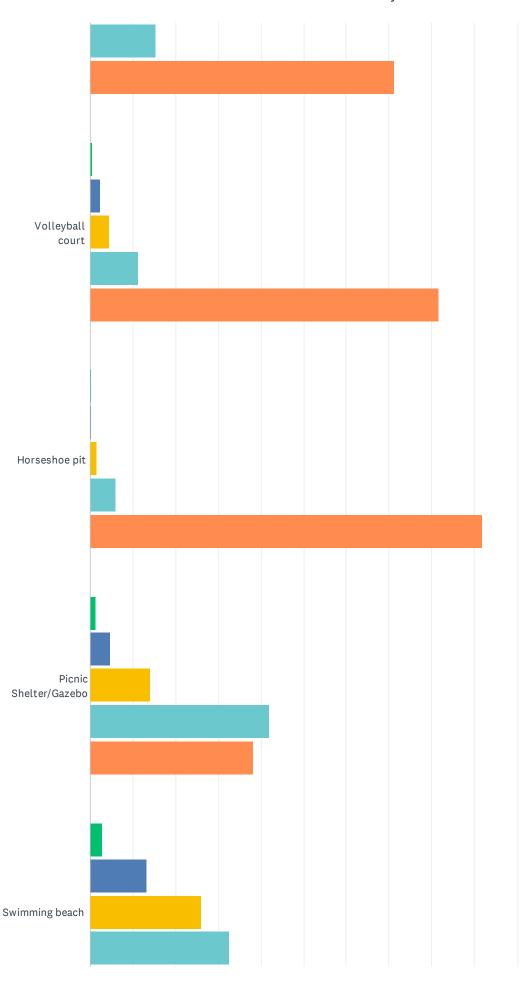


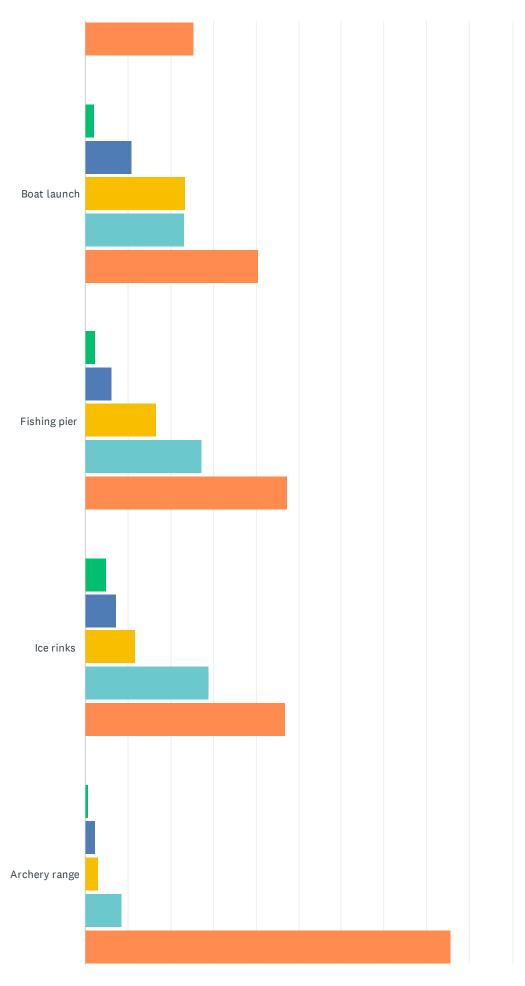


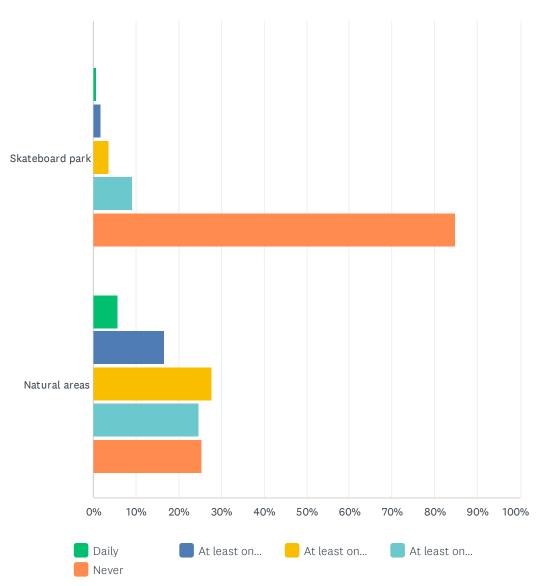
| | DAILY | AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK | AT LEAST ONCE PER MONTH | AT LEAST ONCE PER YEAR | NEVER | TOTAL |
|--|------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|-------|
| Agnes Park (Agnes Blvd) | 0.50% 4 | 2.90% 23 | 4.28% 34 | 15.62% 124 | 76.70% 609 | 794 |
| Goose Park (Willow Drive) | 0.76% | 1.26% 10 | 4.16% 33 | 14.36% 114 | 79.47% 631 | 794 |
| Lake Connie Dog Park (905 Victor Street) | 1.38% | 1.38% 11 | 4.27% 34 | 11.68% 93 | 81.28% 647 | 796 |
| Runestone Park (County Rd 82 E & 6th Ave) | 0.13% | 3.15% 25 | 5.30% 42 | 20.93% 166 | 70.49% 559 | 793 |

Q5 How often do you or members of your household use the following parks or trails facilities in Alexandria?









| | DAILY | AT LEAST ONCE PER WEEK | AT LEAST ONCE PER MONTH | AT LEAST ONCE PER YEAR | NEVER | TOTAL |
|--------------------------|--------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|-------|
| Playgrounds | 6.84% 52 | 19.61% 149 | 21.45% 163 | 26.45% 201 | 25.66% 195 | 760 |
| Paved trails | 11.08% 84 | 25.99% 197 | 29.95% 227 | 21.11% 160 | 11.87% 90 | 758 |
| Baseball fields | 7.29% 55 | 6.63% 50 | 12.60% 95 | 19.36% 146 | 54.11% 408 | 754 |
| Basketball court | 1.60% 12 | 3.06% 23 | 8.78% 66 | 15.29% 115 | 71.28% 536 | 752 |
| Volleyball court | 0.40% | 2.25% 17 | 4.38% 33 | 11.27% 85 | 81.70% 616 | 754 |
| Horseshoe pit | 0.27% | 0.27% | 1.59% 12 | 5.98% 45 | 91.90% 692 | 753 |
| Picnic Shelter/Gazebo | 1.19% | 4.64% 35 | 14.06% 106 | 42.04% 317 | 38.06% 287 | 754 |
| Swimming beach | 2.77% | 13.32% 101 | 25.99% 197 | 32.59% 247 | 25.33% 192 | 758 |
| Boat launch | 2.13% 16 | 10.77% 81 | 23.54% 177 | 23.14% 174 | 40.43% 304 | 752 |
| Fishing pier | 2.26% 17 | 6.24% 47 | 16.73% 126 | 27.36% 206 | 47.41% 357 | 753 |
| Ice rinks | 4.91% 37 | 7.29% 55 | 11.80% 89 | 29.05% 219 | 46.95% 354 | 754 |
| Archery range | 0.54% | 2.28% 17 | 3.08% 23 | 8.43% 63 | 85.68% 640 | 747 |
| Skateboard park | 0.53% | 1.73% 13 | 3.60% 27 | 9.20% 69 | 84.93% 637 | 750 |
| Natural areas | 5.73% 43 | 16.64% 125 | 27.70% 208 | 24.63% 185 | 25.30% 190 | 751 |

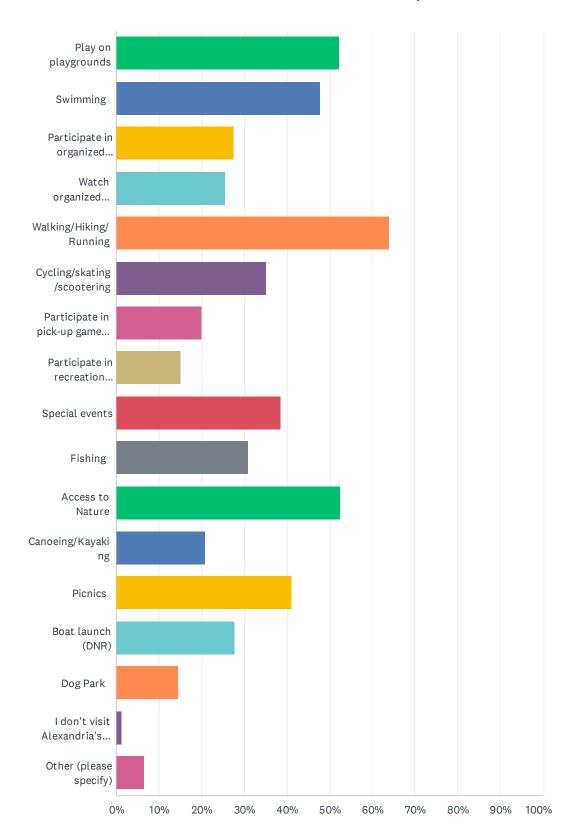
| # | OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) | DATE |
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| 1 | Park Benches | 10/4/2022 3:33 PM |
| 2 | SPLASH PAD | 10/4/2022 12:21 PM |
| 3 | Pickle ball courts used at least once a month | 9/30/2022 10:53 PM |
| 4 | Use bike paths daily when the weather cooperates | 9/29/2022 12:14 PM |
| 5 | public hunting land | 9/28/2022 10:35 AM |
| 6 | bike trails dirt and pavement | 9/27/2022 10:14 AM |
| 7 | I miss the tennis courts at City Park | 9/26/2022 12:05 PM |
| 8 | Tennis courts (once per year) | 9/26/2022 11:39 AM |
| 9 | Tennis courts | 9/25/2022 7:13 AM |
| 10 | Lake Brophy Park | 9/24/2022 7:07 PM |
| 11 | We used to visit tennis courts but now there is none | 9/24/2022 6:31 PM |
| 12 | We use Tabbert's Park almost daily, and frequent Lake Brophy Park. | 9/22/2022 2:11 PM |
| 13 | We do not have any great parks, except Brophy and the schools, especially on the south side | 9/20/2022 12:40 PM |

of town. It would be wonderful to get to the trails from the south side of town by trapshooting range/around about area..

| | range/around about area | |
|----|--|--------------------|
| 14 | We do visit Fillmore skate park, love the beaches and our dog loves going to City Park. We also walk to our local neighborhood park daily. (That you for the dog bags!) | 9/19/2022 8:53 AM |
| 15 | Tennis courts | 9/18/2022 8:03 PM |
| 16 | Pickleball court Daily | 9/18/2022 5:20 AM |
| 17 | Tennis courts | 9/17/2022 11:36 PM |
| 18 | Play at Brothers Park - weekly 'our favorite park! | 9/17/2022 9:06 PM |
| 19 | I love it at Carlos Park. I birdwatch. | 9/17/2022 1:46 PM |
| 20 | Open fields to toss frisbees. | 9/16/2022 9:19 PM |
| 21 | I would love for there to be a disc golf course in Alexandria. Currently I have to drive 30 minutes to smaller towns which do have a course. It seems that if we are to be a 'center' for the area we should have a course. From simply exercise to local league play it can be an attraction that we do not have. | 9/16/2022 9:14 PM |
| 22 | I play tennis and there are no public courts. When school starts we can no longer play. | 9/16/2022 8:36 PM |
| 23 | Tennis courts | 9/16/2022 8:34 PM |
| 24 | played tennis at city park weekly last year | 9/16/2022 5:58 PM |
| 25 | Used tennis courts at city Park at least once per month before they were removed | 9/16/2022 4:50 PM |
| 26 | Several of these parks i was not aware that they even exist | 9/16/2022 3:34 PM |
| 27 | Public tennis courts would be a nice addition to our community. I would use these at least once per week. | 9/16/2022 3:02 PM |
| 28 | used to visit tennis courts at city park | 9/16/2022 1:56 PM |
| 29 | Tennis courts at AAHS | 9/16/2022 1:13 PM |
| 30 | tennis courts | 9/16/2022 1:05 PM |
| 31 | Tennis Courts Daily | 9/16/2022 1:02 PM |
| 32 | Tennis courts | 9/16/2022 12:04 PM |
| 33 | We used to use the tennis courts at City Park ALL the time but they decided to change them with no other city tennis courts. | 9/16/2022 11:44 AM |
| 34 | We need tennis courts | 9/16/2022 10:18 AM |
| 35 | We need dirt bike and 4wheeler trails asap thank you | 9/16/2022 9:04 AM |
| 36 | None | 9/15/2022 10:56 AM |
| 37 | Visit Brophy park the most | 9/15/2022 8:48 AM |
| 38 | Used to play tennis at city park 2 - 3 times a week, and often used backboard. Poorly maintained, one became unsafe. | 9/15/2022 7:40 AM |
| 39 | Pickleball-daily | 9/15/2022 5:45 AM |
| 40 | ATV trails and indoor playgrounds | 9/12/2022 8:09 PM |
| 41 | pickleball courts all summer | 9/12/2022 3:09 PM |
| 42 | i did not know we had an archery range! | 9/12/2022 10:04 AM |
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Q6 Why do you visit Alexandria's Parks in the summer? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 765 Skipped: 62

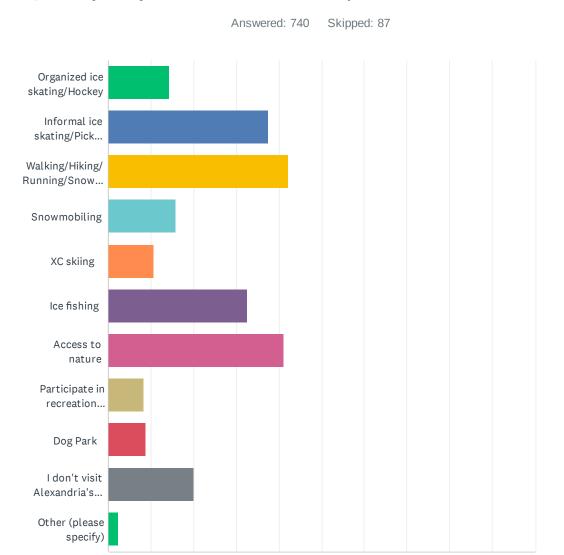


| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES | |
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| Play on playgrounds | 52.29% | 400 |
| Swimming | 47.84% | 366 |
| Participate in organized athletics | 27.58% | 211 |
| Watch organized athletics | 25.62% | 196 |
| Walking/Hiking/Running | 64.05% | 490 |
| Cycling/skating/scootering | 35.16% | 269 |
| Participate in pick-up games (baseball/softball/basketball/tennis) | 20.00% | 153 |
| Participate in recreation programs | 15.16% | 116 |
| Special events | 38.56% | 295 |
| Fishing | 30.98% | 237 |
| Access to Nature | 52.55% | 402 |
| Canoeing/Kayaking | 20.92% | 160 |
| Picnics | 41.05% | 314 |
| Boat launch (DNR) | 27.71% | 212 |
| Dog Park | 14.51% | 111 |
| I don't visit Alexandria's Parks in the summer | 1.18% | 9 |
| Other (please specify) | 6.54% | 50 |
| Total Respondents: 765 | | |

| # | OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) | DATE |
|----|--|--------------------|
| 1 | Archery | 10/7/2022 9:38 AM |
| 2 | My special needs child loves the outdoors | 10/5/2022 7:16 AM |
| 3 | Pickleball courts | 10/4/2022 12:29 PM |
| 4 | Shopping | 10/2/2022 11:10 AM |
| 5 | Farmer's Market | 9/30/2022 6:58 PM |
| 6 | Camping | 9/30/2022 5:48 PM |
| 7 | I don't not safe for my kids | 9/30/2022 9:31 AM |
| 8 | Right now no tennis in any parks | 9/27/2022 12:18 PM |
| 9 | play Pokemon around town | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 10 | Tennis courts -schools | 9/25/2022 7:13 AM |
| 11 | I would if there were public tennis courts | 9/24/2022 6:39 PM |
| 12 | tennis/pickleball, if available. | 9/22/2022 8:24 AM |
| 13 | Pickleball | 9/22/2022 1:11 AM |
| 14 | College baseball | 9/20/2022 3:29 PM |
| 15 | All of the above - our trails are wonderful. Just wish they were closer than driving through town. | 9/20/2022 12:40 PM |

| 16 | tennis and/or pickleball, longboarding on trails to the parks | 9/19/2022 8:19 PM |
|----|--|--------------------|
| 17 | To get out and enjoy things close to home | 9/18/2022 11:45 AM |
| 18 | tennis | 9/18/2022 9:09 AM |
| 19 | Tennis | 9/18/2022 8:00 AM |
| 20 | Pickleball | 9/18/2022 5:20 AM |
| 21 | Disc golf | 9/17/2022 9:09 PM |
| 22 | My family doesn't visit the parks. We go to the beaches, state land, etc. | 9/17/2022 6:02 PM |
| 23 | I certainly play tennis were courts available | 9/17/2022 2:02 PM |
| 24 | I VERY MUCH MISS HAVING TENNIS COURTS!!!! | 9/17/2022 1:46 PM |
| 25 | Better maintained baseball fields and a baseball conplex! | 9/17/2022 12:19 PM |
| 26 | To practice disc golf several times per week but sadly it's in Evansville. Every other small town has one but Alex does not?? | 9/16/2022 9:19 PM |
| 27 | I throw disc golf and sadly have to go elsewhere to play. I still throw (practice) at Fillmore and City parks. I have to go to Glenwood or Evensville to actually throw at baskets. Even a 9 hole course would allow us to start a league here which would bring people into town on a weeknight. Often this leads to food and beverage purchases as well. | 9/16/2022 9:14 PM |
| 28 | Need public park tennis courts | 9/16/2022 5:58 PM |
| 29 | We need public tennis courts | 9/16/2022 4:58 PM |
| 30 | Would play tennis if available | 9/16/2022 4:50 PM |
| 31 | Play Tennis | 9/16/2022 3:02 PM |
| 32 | played tennis with spouse | 9/16/2022 1:56 PM |
| 33 | TENNIS AND PICKLE BALL | 9/16/2022 1:21 PM |
| 34 | Bicycle | 9/16/2022 1:14 PM |
| 35 | vacation and tennis | 9/16/2022 1:05 PM |
| 36 | To play tennis and pickle ball | 9/16/2022 1:02 PM |
| 37 | Tennis | 9/16/2022 12:04 PM |
| 38 | Play tennis if court were there | 9/16/2022 11:52 AM |
| 39 | Sit in the shade and relax | 9/16/2022 8:59 AM |
| 40 | Resident | 9/16/2022 7:45 AM |
| 41 | Farmers Market | 9/16/2022 7:43 AM |
| 42 | Pickleball and bicycle | 9/16/2022 7:38 AM |
| 43 | Paddleboarding | 9/16/2022 7:20 AM |
| 44 | Mountain biking | 9/16/2022 5:49 AM |
| 45 | Walk my dog | 9/15/2022 10:12 PM |
| 46 | Pickleball | 9/15/2022 8:17 PM |
| 47 | If you are looking for help with course design I have experience with glenwoods disc golf course and would love something local. (email) | 9/15/2022 7:24 PM |
| 48 | dog walks | 9/15/2022 9:09 AM |
| 49 | Used to regularly organize tennis play with friends | 9/15/2022 7:40 AM |
| 50 | Only with the nephews and niece | 9/15/2022 7:35 AM |

Q7 Why do you visit Alexandria's parks/trails in the winter?



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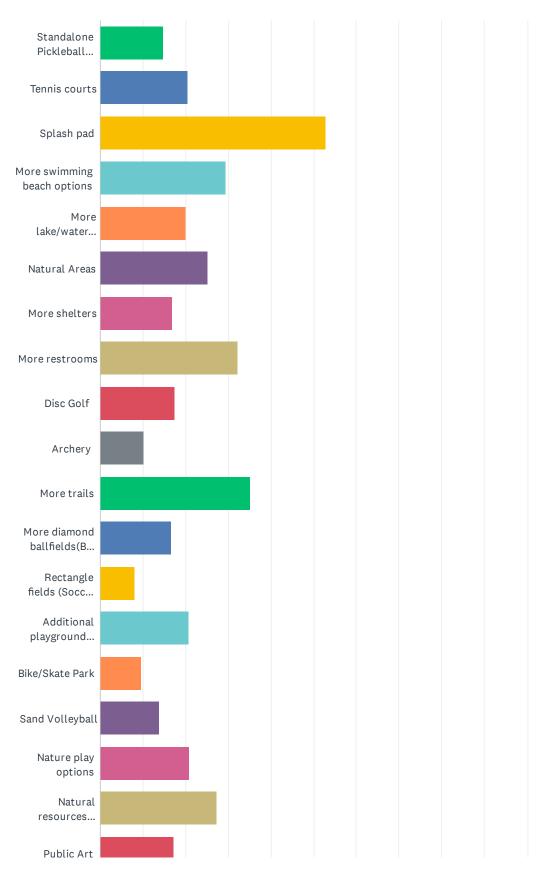
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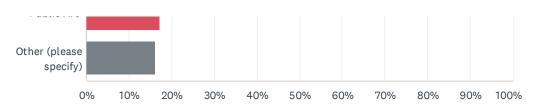
| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES | |
|--|-----------|-----|
| Organized ice skating/Hockey | 14.19% | 105 |
| Informal ice skating/Pick-up hockey | 37.57% | 278 |
| Walking/Hiking/Running/Snowshoeing | 42.16% | 312 |
| Snowmobiling | 15.81% | 117 |
| XC skiing | 10.68% | 79 |
| Ice fishing | 32.57% | 241 |
| Access to nature | 41.08% | 304 |
| Participate in recreation programs | 8.24% | 61 |
| Dog Park | 8.78% | 65 |
| I don't visit Alexandria's parks in the Winter | 20.00% | 148 |
| Other (please specify) | 2.43% | 18 |
| Total Respondents: 740 | | |

| # | OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) | DATE |
|----|--|--------------------|
| 1 | Hikers should be allowed where skiers go, some families can't afford skis or snowshoes and just want to be outdoors | 10/6/2022 8:37 PM |
| 2 | Sledding | 10/5/2022 7:49 AM |
| 3 | My special needs son loves the outdoors | 10/5/2022 7:16 AM |
| 4 | Sledding | 9/30/2022 9:45 AM |
| 5 | Snow sculptures | 9/24/2022 1:40 PM |
| 6 | I do not currently but if I did it would be for cross country skiing | 9/22/2022 10:23 AM |
| 7 | Other skating options | 9/18/2022 11:45 AM |
| 8 | Disc golf | 9/17/2022 9:09 PM |
| 9 | Snowshoeing | 9/16/2022 5:48 PM |
| 10 | We need dirt bike and 4 wheeler trails for the summer time or change the laws on are snowmobile and walking trails to allow 4 wheelers and dirt bikes or make a different trail for utv and atv use only | 9/16/2022 9:04 AM |
| 11 | Resident | 9/16/2022 7:45 AM |
| 12 | Winter biking | 9/16/2022 5:49 AM |
| 13 | Sledding at Runestone | 9/15/2022 10:12 PM |
| 14 | sleding | 9/15/2022 9:13 PM |
| 15 | Sledding | 9/15/2022 5:56 PM |
| 16 | Fat Tire Biking | 9/15/2022 3:02 PM |
| 17 | sledding | 9/15/2022 8:23 AM |
| 18 | Sledding | 9/14/2022 10:47 PM |
| | | |

Q8 What do you wish was available in Alexandria's parks?







| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES | |
|---|-----------|-----|
| Standalone Pickleball courts | 14.68% | 111 |
| Tennis courts | 20.37% | 154 |
| Splash pad | 52.91% | 400 |
| More swimming beach options | 29.50% | 223 |
| More lake/water access | 20.11% | 152 |
| Natural Areas | 25.13% | 190 |
| More shelters | 16.80% | 127 |
| More restrooms | 32.14% | 243 |
| Disc Golf | 17.46% | 132 |
| Archery | 10.19% | 77 |
| More trails | 35.19% | 266 |
| More diamond ballfields(Baseball/Softball) | 16.67% | 126 |
| Rectangle fields (Soccer, football, lacrosse) | 8.20% | 62 |
| Additional playground options | 20.63% | 156 |
| Bike/Skate Park | 9.52% | 72 |
| Sand Volleyball | 13.89% | 105 |
| Nature play options | 20.90% | 158 |
| Natural resources enhancements (rain gardens, native plantings, etc.) | 27.38% | 207 |
| Public Art | 17.33% | 131 |
| Other (please specify) | 16.27% | 123 |
| Total Respondents: 756 | | |

| # | OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) | DATE |
|---|--|-------------------|
| 1 | Access to some plowed trail during winter | 10/7/2022 5:33 AM |
| 2 | I really wish there were more trees planted in some of the parks for shade. | 10/6/2022 9:00 PM |
| 3 | Improve the parks we have, don't spend so much on ones that are unreachable to people without vehicles like brophy | 10/6/2022 8:37 PM |
| 4 | Outdoor public pool | 10/6/2022 8:49 AM |
| 5 | Fences and communication boards more things like sensory swings or busy board | 10/5/2022 7:16 AM |
| 6 | Better beach maintenance | 10/4/2022 9:48 PM |

| 7 | Disability friendly playgrounds! | 10/4/2022 7:47 PM |
|----|--|--------------------|
| 3 | More accessibility for those with Autism or other disabilities | 10/2/2022 11:29 AM |
| 9 | Sensory friendly parks with fences | 10/1/2022 2:10 PM |
| 10 | Accessible for wheelchair users | 10/1/2022 8:54 AM |
| 11 | Fenced in parks for kids with disabilities | 10/1/2022 7:38 AM |
| 12 | Fully fenced in ply areas for individuals with special needs to safely play | 9/30/2022 10:41 PM |
| 13 | Sensory friendly parks | 9/30/2022 9:23 PM |
| 14 | Special needs | 9/30/2022 8:27 PM |
| 15 | I wish we had a community pool or water park. | 9/30/2022 7:46 PM |
| 16 | Drinking fountains | 9/30/2022 7:24 PM |
| 17 | Disability and Sensory Friendly Park: Fenced in area so parents don't have to fear their child eloping, items that are not small enough to be edible (ex sand, rocks) and lots of sensory options for spinning, running, lights or cause and effect attractions, etc. | 9/30/2022 5:45 PM |
| 18 | Hello Friends and Family!! I'm asking for your help in a long term goal of mine. This survey is good through the end of this weekend (sorry for the last minute notice!!). I'm asking for your help in advocating for a disability and sensory friendly park in the Alex area for those families that are currently unable to bring their kids to our parks. This would look like (a) a park away from a body of water. (b) a park with a durable fence so parents can bring their kids to the park without fear of their safety and (c) a park with sensory friendly activities | 9/30/2022 11:41 AM |
| 19 | Nicer bathrooms | 9/30/2022 11:30 AM |
| 20 | Sensory friendly equipment | 9/30/2022 10:28 AM |
| 21 | Autism friendly parks. | 9/30/2022 10:13 AM |
| 22 | Park for children with disabilities and sensory friendly | 9/30/2022 9:48 AM |
| 23 | Autism and disability accessible play areas | 9/30/2022 9:45 AM |
| 24 | A place for children with autism to go and have fun and be safe | 9/30/2022 9:41 AM |
| 25 | Fenced in for special needs children | 9/30/2022 9:31 AM |
| 26 | This is the most important one: fenced in and sensory friendly/differently abled accessible playgrounds | 9/30/2022 9:30 AM |
| 27 | Parks that are fenced in | 9/30/2022 9:25 AM |
| 28 | Handicap accessible park with fence and shade | 9/30/2022 9:18 AM |
| 29 | Alexandria needs more accessible bike and walking trails, the traffic is becoming really tough/dangerous for pedestrians to bike and walk | 9/29/2022 12:14 PM |
| 30 | More paved walking/biking paths in town connecting to schools and parks | 9/29/2022 10:09 AM |
| 31 | A place to play/practice summer activities in the winter | 9/28/2022 6:42 PM |
| 32 | Play tennis 3x per week when available per HS and Middle School. Right now we can only play on Sunday as Meets, Phy Ed, and practices take precedence. We can only be in the courts when schools tell us we can and those limited times may not always work. | 9/27/2022 12:18 PM |
| 33 | В | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 34 | More XC ski trails | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 35 | More basketball courts the y is horrible you can never get in to the highschool or dms | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 36 | i don't care as i never use them | 9/26/2022 2:41 PM |
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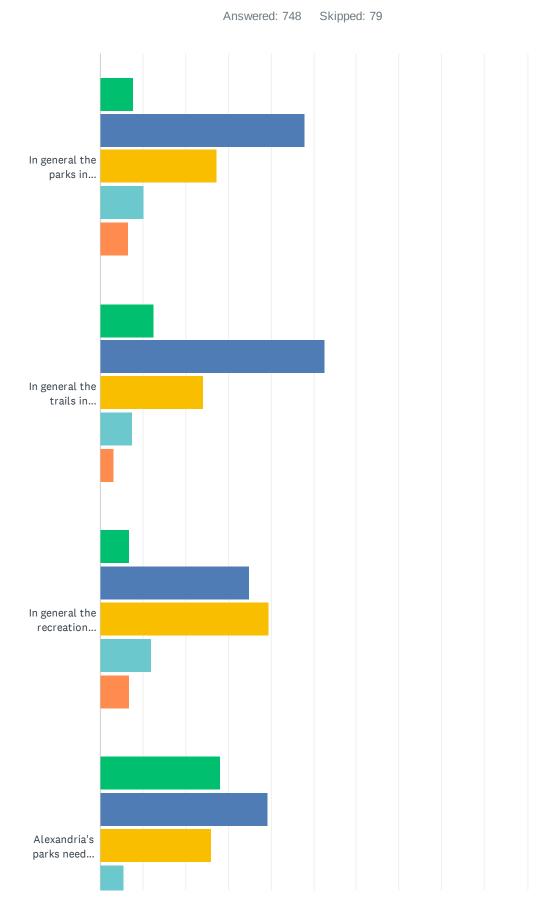
| 38 | Outdoor Rink | 9/26/2022 11:24 AM |
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| 39 | Raising canes | 9/26/2022 11:21 AM |
| 40 | Indoor facilities for baseball and tennis | 9/26/2022 9:53 AM |
| 41 | Community gardens | 9/24/2022 1:40 PM |
| 42 | Better park on Springdale. The equipment is dangerous | 9/22/2022 12:50 PM |
| 43 | Splash pad would be a great addition to Alexandria for the kids. There is also a park in Medora, ND that i think would be really cool to have in alexandria - It is a wood park - something to look into! | 9/22/2022 9:28 AM |
| 44 | Updated baseball facilities | 9/22/2022 1:11 AM |
| 45 | Covered area for artists and farmers market | 9/21/2022 6:35 PM |
| 46 | Bicycle-friendly access and secure patking | 9/20/2022 8:35 PM |
| 47 | More public art would be great unless it's like the current piece which is an unused, financial fiasco. Almost embarrassing. | 9/20/2022 6:49 PM |
| 48 | Dome in the winter with turf for recreation | 9/20/2022 6:02 PM |
| 49 | Dome for practice facilities during winter. 4 plex baseball complex to host tournaments for all levels | 9/20/2022 5:12 PM |
| 50 | Improvements to existing baseball fields. Knute Nelson is a great setting and should be upgraded. | 9/20/2022 5:01 PM |
| 51 | Upgrading of Knute Nelson baseball field | 9/20/2022 3:31 PM |
| 52 | We like the pickleball courts, but drive to central park. | 9/20/2022 12:40 PM |
| 53 | A safer way to access the park/trail | 9/19/2022 4:27 PM |
| 54 | I think we have an opportunity for our community to compete with Sauk Center for amenities and we don't take it seriously. | 9/19/2022 8:53 AM |
| 55 | Ice rinks | 9/18/2022 9:34 PM |
| 56 | More old growth trees left when do improvement | 9/18/2022 8:04 PM |
| 57 | Na | 9/18/2022 11:45 AM |
| 58 | Affordable housing before the city parks become homeless encampments | 9/18/2022 10:30 AM |
| 59 | Tennis | 9/18/2022 8:00 AM |
| 60 | Taller building with city view toward big ollie. Has largest pool Not ymca. Has a state of the art spa Not Ella's salón nor Salón Alexis. Clean, safe snow paths toward big ollie. When city lake frozen public self-guides for walking on ice. | 9/18/2022 6:37 AM |
| 61 | Adult exercise equipment | 9/18/2022 5:20 AM |
| 62 | Outdoor POOL | 9/17/2022 9:06 PM |
| 63 | Fix up Noonans! | 9/17/2022 6:59 PM |
| 64 | City Park improvements. Nice park. Playground surface is very uncomfortable small rocks | 9/17/2022 6:17 PM |
| 65 | Nothing. There is a surplus of park areas already. Adding more is a waste of tax payer money. | 9/17/2022 6:02 PM |
| 66 | More parks like Lake Brophy park | 9/17/2022 5:52 PM |
| 67 | Outdoor hockey rink | 9/17/2022 1:49 PM |
| 68 | We REALLY need tennis courts! | 9/17/2022 1:46 PM |
| 69 | Water spicket at the dog park | 9/17/2022 1:13 PM |
| 70 | More options for outside hockey | 9/17/2022 12:59 PM |
| 71 | Outdoor Hockey rink | 9/17/2022 12:53 PM |
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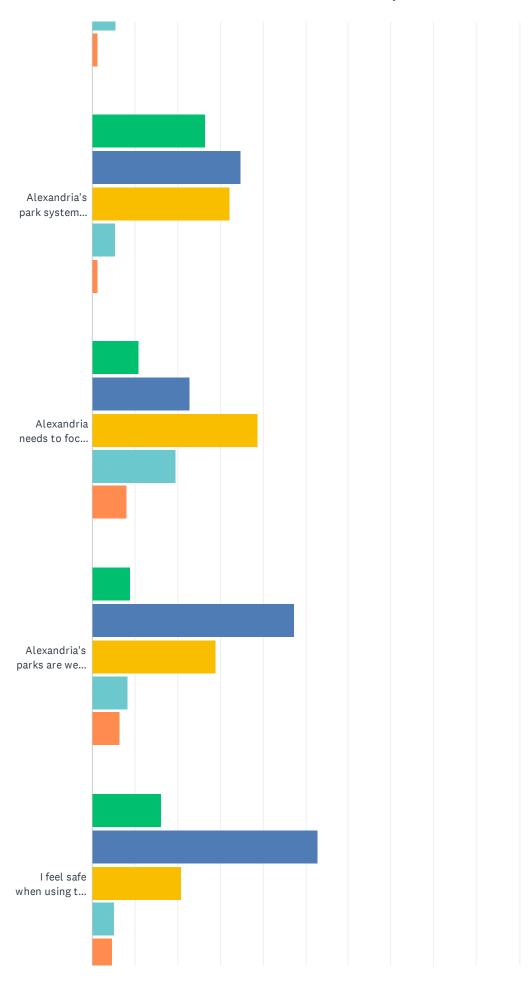
| 72 | Outdoor hockey rinks/warning houses. | 9/17/2022 12:24 PM |
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| 73 | Hockey Rinks! | 9/17/2022 12:19 PM |
| 74 | Hockey Rinks | 9/17/2022 11:43 AM |
| 75 | Pond hockey | 9/17/2022 11:38 AM |
| 76 | Swimming pool | 9/17/2022 11:00 AM |
| 77 | HOCKEY RINKS | 9/17/2022 10:47 AM |
| 78 | Shade on playground | 9/17/2022 8:33 AM |
| 79 | Please, bring disc golf back to Alexandria. We do have a lot of people who play throw and could easily get a league going if we had a 9 or 18 hole course. | 9/16/2022 9:14 PM |
| 80 | Outdoor swimming pool | 9/16/2022 5:48 PM |
| 81 | Outdoor hockey rinks-noonans does not count and is barely open | 9/16/2022 5:26 PM |
| 82 | overnight camping at runestone park | 9/16/2022 1:56 PM |
| 83 | We would like to see additional tennis and pickle ball courts with lights. | 9/16/2022 1:46 PM |
| 84 | Community pools, diving pools, more basketball courts, bandshells | 9/16/2022 9:47 AM |
| 85 | Dirt bike and 4wheeler trails for atvs and utvs and dirtbikes | 9/16/2022 9:04 AM |
| 86 | We need a pool like Parkers. So many Alex ppl go there, not everyone wants to swim in lakes all the time | 9/16/2022 8:15 AM |
| 87 | Ice skating trail | 9/16/2022 7:43 AM |
| 88 | More mountain bike options | 9/16/2022 5:49 AM |
| 89 | Murals | 9/15/2022 9:55 PM |
| 90 | Shade at playgrounds and for grandparents to sit and watch the grandkids play | 9/15/2022 9:43 PM |
| 91 | Something like Calloway Gardens in Pine Mountain GA | 9/15/2022 9:29 PM |
| 92 | Arboretum | 9/15/2022 8:44 PM |
| 93 | Trails easier to navigate with kids (that don't cross busy streets) | 9/15/2022 8:35 PM |
| 94 | Ice/rinks | 9/15/2022 8:12 PM |
| 95 | More Bike Trails!!! Especially around the Chain of Lakes :) | 9/15/2022 7:23 PM |
| 96 | Glenwood is making alexandria look bad | 9/15/2022 7:20 PM |
| 97 | picnic tables Big Ole park | 9/15/2022 6:33 PM |
| 98 | Better parking | 9/15/2022 6:27 PM |
| 99 | I wish there was a covered shelter in Big Ole Park | 9/15/2022 5:29 PM |
| 100 | outdoor workout stations | 9/15/2022 4:04 PM |
| 101 | splash pad, pool - something other than swim beach | 9/15/2022 3:07 PM |
| 102 | Non paved trails for hiking and trails that allow off leash dogs that are licensed and have passed good citizen test | 9/15/2022 2:58 PM |
| 103 | A public outside pool | 9/15/2022 2:46 PM |
| 104 | Mountain biking | 9/15/2022 12:34 PM |
| 105 | Public pool | 9/15/2022 12:20 PM |
| 106 | Wifi at Lake Brophy is AMAZING! It would be wonderful to see this at more parks. We find that parks or areas with RESTROOM facilities (permanent or temporary) easier and more appealing to use. There is a big lack of public restrooms in the community. I would enjoy seeing more | 9/15/2022 12:04 PM |

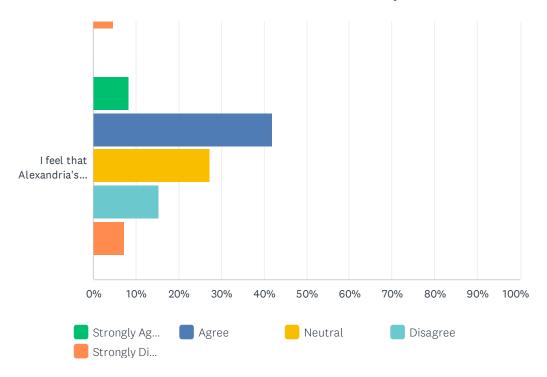
interpretive/historical/scientific signage at parks describing about the location, history, wildlife, geography, etc.

| | geography, etc. | |
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| 107 | Fun murals, nature park, disc golf, trails; not just in the north but more in the south parts of town | 9/15/2022 10:18 AM |
| 108 | Everyone benefits from public art & it makes people nicer. Art can also be in everyday items such as benches & garbage cans. They don't just have to be utilitarian. | 9/15/2022 9:09 AM |
| 109 | Outdoor swimming pool | 9/15/2022 7:57 AM |
| 110 | More winter options. (Trails, skating) | 9/15/2022 5:52 AM |
| 111 | Nothing different | 9/15/2022 4:23 AM |
| 112 | Atv trails | 9/14/2022 10:47 PM |
| 113 | Botanical garden, ninja park, skating rink with warming house, | 9/14/2022 10:47 PM |
| 114 | Paved bike trail connecting city park area to the trails on north Nokomis | 9/14/2022 5:31 PM |
| 115 | Flowers, flowers!!! | 9/14/2022 11:49 AM |
| 116 | kayak launch/dock | 9/14/2022 6:46 AM |
| 117 | downtown public restoom/vending machine | 9/13/2022 3:05 PM |
| 118 | Grass volleyball court | 9/12/2022 10:30 PM |
| 119 | Indoor playground and indoor ball fields - things to do for the 7 months of the year if you don't want to be in the cold | 9/12/2022 8:09 PM |
| 120 | Outdoor workout playground for adults | 9/12/2022 3:41 PM |
| 121 | more picnic tables at Big Ole park | 9/12/2022 3:09 PM |
| 122 | LIFE GUARDS at the beaches! | 9/12/2022 1:41 PM |
| 123 | Outdoor skating | 9/12/2022 1:36 PM |

Q9 Please indicate how you feel about the following statements







| | STRONGLY AGREE | AGREE | NEUTRAL | DISAGREE | STRONGLY DISAGREE | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-------|
| In general the parks in Alexandria meet my needs | 7.65% 57 | 48.05% 358 | 27.25% 203 | 10.34% 77 | 6.71% 50 | 745 |
| In general the trails in Alexandria meet my needs | 12.48% 93 | 52.75% 393 | 24.03% 179 | 7.52% 56 | 3.22% 24 | 745 |
| In general the recreation programs in Alexandria meet my needs | 6.85% 51 | 34.95% 260 | 39.38% 293 | 11.96% 89 | 6.85% 51 | 744 |
| Alexandria's parks need updating | 28.07% 208 | 39.14% 290 | 26.05% 193 | 5.53% 41 | 1.21% | 741 |
| Alexandria's park system needs to be expanded | 26.42% 195 | 34.82% 257 | 32.11% 237 | 5.42% 40 | 1.22% | 738 |
| Alexandria needs to focus on taking care of what is already there, rather than doing something new | 10.89% 81 | 22.72% 169 | 38.71% 288 | 19.62% 146 | 8.06% 60 | 744 |
| Alexandria's parks are well maintained | 9.03% 67 | 47.30% 351 | 28.98% 215 | 8.36% 62 | 6.33% 47 | 742 |
| I feel safe when using the parks and trails | 16.31% 121 | 52.96% 393 | 20.89% 155 | 5.12% 38 | 4.72% 35 | 742 |
| I feel that Alexandria's parks offer something for everybody | 8.23% 61 | 42.11% 312 | 27.26% 202 | 15.25% 113 | 7.15% 53 | 741 |

| # | COMMENTS OR CLARIFICATIONS: | DATE |
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| 1 | We love bringing our kids out to Brophy Park because the playground is so fun, but it's a bit of a drive. I wish we had put the money into a park that is more centrally located. | 10/6/2022 9:03 PM |
| 2 | The ones we have could be better. Filmore would make for great fly-in airplane camp ground/park with its close proximity to airport. Noonans is a handy location but needs updating. We need more bike and hiking trails. One heading north towards Zorbaz and Carlos state park would be nice. | 10/6/2022 8:43 PM |
| 3 | Alexandria needs a paved bike/walking trail that connects parks, schools, churches, and downtown. Bike lanes on city streets is unsafe where present. | 10/6/2022 3:58 PM |

| 4 | The parks arnt safe for autistic children who elope fences and communication boards rubber flora instead of wood or pebbles because my son has pica and puts everything in his mouth nor sensory thinks like a sensory swing water table station bubble machines ect | 10/5/2022 7:28 AM |
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| 5 | It would be nice to see tennis courts somewhere other than at AAHS/DMS. I also feel some of the smaller parks for example the oak Knoll park could use better or expanded play set options. | 10/4/2022 10:04 PM |
| 6 | I feel the maintenance of the parks has declined in quality recently. City Park Beach is neglected. Noonan's park trail is rough. No fountain working. What happened to the bird house? | 10/4/2022 9:52 PM |
| 7 | Disk golf is needed in our area. | 10/4/2022 8:52 PM |
| 8 | Besides Brophy, most parks aren't equipped for bigger kids | 10/4/2022 4:24 PM |
| 9 | I would love a splash pad option at one (or more) of the parks. We would use that many times throughout the summer. | 10/4/2022 3:03 PM |
| 10 | I'll like to see bike trails/ paved plowed for walking/running around lake Agnes. Snowmobiles don't use the west side much (walkers would). | 10/4/2022 12:32 PM |
| 11 | Those with autism do not have as much to do at some parks. It would be nice to have a park that has a fence and more disability friendly things to do. | 10/2/2022 11:31 AM |
| 12 | Missing tennis courts | 10/2/2022 11:11 AM |
| 13 | Please make a park that is inclusive for our children with autism - this looks like fences around the entire park, no items that look like food, no pea rock or mulch etc | 10/1/2022 2:13 PM |
| 14 | Paved paths would help to make things more accessible for wheelchair users. | 10/1/2022 8:57 AM |
| L5 | I don't feel I use them enough to comment on some | 9/30/2022 11:04 PM |
| 16 | There are no fully fenced parks for individuals who are vulnerable and at risk. Children need space to run and play, even those with special needs who have limited special and safety awareness | 9/30/2022 10:44 PM |
| 17 | Need sensory parks for special needs kids and adults | 9/30/2022 9:24 PM |
| 18 | Special needs children access | 9/30/2022 8:28 PM |
| 19 | Sensory play is a huge need in the area for special needs children | 9/30/2022 6:28 PM |
| 20 | I know of at least 40 some kids and families in the Alex area who are stuck at home and unable to enjoy parks in the area due to lack of accessibility and fear that their child will run from them and be in danger. Alexandria parks NEED an autism friendly location that is fenced in and offers attractions and features for everyone. | 9/30/2022 5:49 PM |
| 21 | There is a need for disability and sensory friendly park in the Alex area for those families that are currently unable to bring their kids to our parks. This would look like (a) a park away from a body of water. (b) a park with a durable fence so parents can bring their kids to the park without fear of their safety and (c) a park with sensory friendly activities (please NO items or objects that are NOT edible but may look tasty to some kids haha). | 9/30/2022 11:46 AM |
| 22 | Ballparks need to be updated and a new complex built. We need indoor hitting facilities for the fall, winter and spring months. | 9/30/2022 11:32 AM |
| 23 | Need more sensory friendly activities and equipment for kids with disabilities. | 9/30/2022 10:30 AM |
| 24 | We need options for children with special needs. | 9/30/2022 9:49 AM |
| 25 | Manor Hills Park is not maintained well. | 9/30/2022 9:47 AM |
| 26 | Needs more safety equipment for special needs kids more fence in areas for kids who like to run off specially near body's of water autistic children are drawn to body's of water | 9/30/2022 9:39 AM |
| 27 | Need parks and playgrounds that are fenced in and offer different options for sensory needs and disabilities | 9/30/2022 9:31 AM |
| 28 | Need more all inclusive/handicap, fencing | 9/30/2022 9:21 AM |
| 29 | I wish there were more parks with fenced areas | 9/30/2022 9:13 AM |

| 30 | I had no idea Alexandria even had this many parks! The spaces that we use most frequently are Brophy Park and Carlos State Park, both of which are wonderful to use! With the bad publicity on the sex offenders living nearby some in-town parks it does make me leary of being in those ones, which I am sad to admit, but it is true. Overall though, the city and county seem to do a wonderful job with all of the many parks there are and we are grateful for the recourses available! Thank you! | 9/29/2022 8:34 PM |
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| 31 | The park on Springdale dr is very outdated and the equipment can be dangerous to kids at time due to the age and condition it is in. | 9/29/2022 2:32 PM |
| 32 | I don't always feel safe at Le Homme Dieu beach since the lifeguards haven't been there. More police or DNR patrol needs to be done there, keeping jet skis out of swim area and people using foul language off beach area. | 9/29/2022 10:13 AM |
| 33 | I do also feel that the sport fields, specifically, are not taken care of to allow them to be fully utilized. | 9/28/2022 6:45 PM |
| 34 | Tennis Courts should be a top priority. Since the courts were removed from City Park we only have the schools and then have limited access due to school functions in the summer | 9/28/2022 8:12 AM |
| 35 | none | 9/27/2022 8:46 PM |
| 36 | Parks and trails are fine. Please build courts for tennis | 9/27/2022 12:20 PM |
| 37 | As a community we are severely lacking facilities for local youth recreation sports teams along with maintenance of current facilities. I invite you to look at Willmar, Sartell, Bemidji, Moorhead, Becker, Waite Parks facilities to name a few. It is a night and day difference in commitment. | 9/27/2022 10:12 AM |
| 38 | get public pool | 9/26/2022 2:44 PM |
| 39 | Add more parks and take care of park basketball hoops | 9/26/2022 2:42 PM |
| 40 | There is no where to play tennis anymore, and no where for kids to play baseball in the off season. Total WTF | 9/26/2022 9:55 AM |
| 41 | Parks took away tennis courts. We played senior tennis on the parks courts for the past 10 years at least four times a week now they're taking away from us we have no Park tennis in Alexandria | 9/25/2022 11:13 PM |
| 42 | Need a public tennis court since there are no longer courts available during prime time once school is in session. | 9/25/2022 8:31 PM |
| 13 | Took tennis courts away. Wish for replacement. | 9/25/2022 7:17 AM |
| 14 | There is a need for more tennis courts that are separate from schools | 9/24/2022 7:10 PM |
| 15 | Need public tennis courts with lights | 9/24/2022 6:41 PM |
| 16 | Not a whole lot for younger children 0-2 | 9/24/2022 6:32 PM |
| 47 | I'd like more walking/hiking trail loops through nature/natural areas - along water (lakes and streams) is preferred but any wooded area is great. Hiking historical areas with signs are interesting too. | 9/24/2022 9:38 AM |
| 48 | While the parks are maintained, there is a lot of old equipment at some of the parks that needs replacing. The parks for the most part offer something for everyone, but we are really lacking a splash pad/shallow pool for kids. New Ulm has each of these and they are really nice. | 9/22/2022 3:27 PM |
| 49 | There are no city pickleball/tennis courts that are NOT on school property. AHS and DiscMS tennis courts are NOT available much of August and all of September-Oct. | 9/22/2022 8:27 AM |
| 50 | I do feel strongly that exercise stations e.g. pull up bars, sit-up, other etc. stations. | 9/20/2022 8:52 PM |
| 51 | knute needs a huge upgrade | 9/20/2022 3:31 PM |
| 52 | For a city this size we are very short on baseball/softball fields. The ones we have are not of the quality they should be. | 9/20/2022 2:13 PM |
| 53 | Hearing the city is possible sinking a lot of money into an old, outdated baseball field, is disappointing. If the college is getting a team, ATCC, Public Schools, and the city need to | 9/20/2022 1:57 PM |

| | build together a new state of the art facility, that would be much more appealing and sustainable! | |
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| 54 | We go to the basketball hoops downtown a lot but our younger kids get bored. It would be wonderful to have playground there. Can't just focus on younger kids or older kids as you want a space for both to safely spend time with family and friends. | 9/20/2022 12:44 PM |
| 55 | There are no parks on the south side of town and the trails are getting busier! There needs to be more parking at ALL of the parks!! And more shelters maybe | 9/19/2022 8:24 PM |
| 56 | Access is limited , Cannot cross 82/3rd safely No handicapped options Sidewalk access very limited in the winter | 9/19/2022 4:29 PM |
| 57 | My kids loved tennis when they took out the old courts it was Devastating I had nowhere to train practice and enjoy before their tennis season started! we do have a high school tennis team here in Alexandria I wonder what people would think if we had no hockey rinks??? | 9/19/2022 9:17 AM |
| 58 | More ice rinks | 9/18/2022 9:36 PM |
| 59 | Need walking trails out near Viking mall away from traffic c | 9/18/2022 8:06 PM |
| 60 | Why did you not adopt the Scenic heights Park when you incorporated the area? It should follow under your jurisdiction. Also put in a disc golf course. | 9/18/2022 7:58 PM |
| 61 | The park system personnel do an outstanding job of keeping the equipment and grounds in fantastic shape. I applaud their performance. | 9/18/2022 7:50 PM |
| 62 | Some city tennis courts would be fabulous! | 9/18/2022 6:04 PM |
| 63 | Everything but tennis courts. We lost those at City Park. | 9/18/2022 1:54 PM |
| 64 | We need some pickleball or tennis courts at brophy Park | 9/18/2022 11:47 AM |
| 65 | Crazy how much free land the city will give to millionaires, but they can't put up proper sidewalks in residential areas because it's too expensive. Must need to give law enforcement a couple million more dollars so that they can set up more speed traps, and sell more meth. Maybe the fire department needs a couple million more too so they can put out the fires of all the places that dont have working smoke alarms and fire extinguishers This is your implied consent warning for when the next pedestrian gets killed by a car and no criminal charges are filed because the driver is a rich ****. Stop wasting money on your rich **** cronies. | 9/18/2022 10:43 AM |
| 66 | need a tennis court | 9/18/2022 9:11 AM |
| 67 | I love going to the parks but a lot of the time my husband and I go out of town because he wants to discgolf while I walk the trails so we go to glenwood or fergus falls instead yet we live in Alexandria so it's an inconvenience. | 9/18/2022 8:24 AM |
| 68 | Tennis | 9/18/2022 8:01 AM |
| 69 | Adults accompanying children at playgrounds could be keeping fit if exercise equipment were available. These outdoor machines are designed for strength building, etc. | 9/18/2022 5:25 AM |
| 70 | I feel an outdoor pool would be used my so many in our communities and visiting. We travel to Parkers Prairie, Benson and other communities in MN specifically to swim in their outdoor pools. Beaches are not designed for everyone - especially when lifeguards are no longer provided. Outdoor pools provide clean,safe outdoor summer fun for people of all ages including a place for programming g such as lap swim/adult swim classes; swimming lessons; private events etc. | 9/17/2022 9:10 PM |
| 71 | I would like to see a park on the East side near Lk Vectorial and Jessie. Many nice spots. Maybe south of Alex too. | 9/17/2022 6:21 PM |
| 72 | We don't need more parks. I feel like a lot of residents would prefer to use the current ones and have our tax money saved. | 9/17/2022 6:04 PM |
| 73 | We have been enjoying the archery range at spruce hill on a very regular basis. Do wish something was closer. An outdoor rink would be the first priority for our family for both hockey and figure skating. | 9/17/2022 5:09 PM |
| 74 | There needs to be more bike/ walking trails. I love the new one past 3M but it doesn't go out to the main shopping area by the interstate. Please expand. Also you need a bike trail to the high | 9/17/2022 3:46 PM |

school! In this time of high gas prices there is no option except a car to get to the high school.

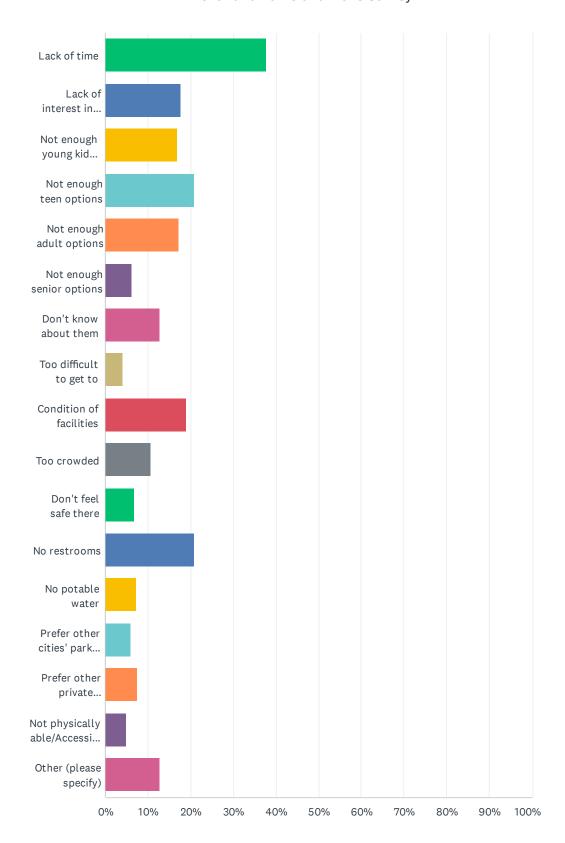
Alexandria needs more sidewalks bike trails. Also please put a way to exit bike trail to get to Elden's. People who bike to get a few items have to go over the grass to exit. 75 We have no public tennis courts. This affects 3 generations of my family. 9/17/2022 1:50 PM 76 Increased access to outdoor hockey/skating would be hugely beneficial to getting people of all 9/17/2022 12:26 PM ages using parks and being outdoors in the winter. 77 Current baseball fields are in a terrible state. Many are unusable. 9/17/2022 12:20 PM 78 Need more handicap accessibility 9/17/2022 12:10 PM 79 If Glenwood, Sauk Center have disc golf, it's crazy to me that Alexandria does not. 9/17/2022 9:22 AM 80 This is the only community I have lived in that does not have a public tennis option. I found it 9/17/2022 8:04 AM odd when I noticed new pickle ball courts that weren't combination courts and no replacement. Plenty of school owned courts, however with Covid and potential future issues, the school district is far too strict in their securing of 78' long outdoor areas to make any sort of common sense. I would also love somewhere to frisbee golf and maybe some other outdoor gaming options (frisbee golf the easiest option I can think of off the top). Other than that, since moving here, I've noticed you guys do a tremendous job and my family thanks you for all of your hard work in making nature areas accessible and well maintained:). 81 Missing a disc golf course 9/17/2022 7:25 AM 82 We need public Tennis Courts. 9/17/2022 12:17 AM 83 I would visit more parks if there was disc gold 9/16/2022 10:03 PM 84 My neighborhood park at Lakepark place needs a major update. There are safety issues with 9/16/2022 9:59 PM big screws not in all the way and rust. Other then a splash pad, just update what there is. 85 Our whole family loves disc golf because all ages can toss frisbees, and it's no cost. Right 9/16/2022 9:23 PM now we usually drive to Fergus or Glenwood, then have dinner in that town after. Sauk center also has one we enjoy, as does wadena, and Kimball. Might be overkill... Can we get disc golf 86 9/16/2022 9:16 PM 87 Brophy Park is FABULOUS and the additions and upgrades are wonderful!!!!!! 9/16/2022 9:09 PM We need public tennis courts. 9/16/2022 9:01 PM 88 89 so disappointed that the tennis courts at city park were taken out. 9/16/2022 6:00 PM 90 Just because we have lakes here, doesn't mean the City should never consider an outdoor 9/16/2022 5:51 PM pool for recreation options. Look to Benson, Wheaton, Parkers Prairie, Breckenridge/Wahpeton - who all have community outdoor pools! We would use the trails more often if there was a better access from downtown/residential. 3rd 9/16/2022 5:44 PM 91 Avenue may as well be the Great Wall. 92 We need public tennis courts! Got kicked out of the high school and discovery school courts. 9/16/2022 5:00 PM 93 We would like to see additional tennis and pickle ball courts with lights. 9/16/2022 1:47 PM There exists a strong need for public tennis courts. Also, the pickleball courts are frequently 94 9/16/2022 1:24 PM filled to capacity with sometimes as many as 15-20 waiting their turn to play. With the popularity of the sport increasing as it is, 6 -8 more courts could easily be put to use. We need more tennis and pickle ball courts. And indoor would be ideal for winter too. 95 9/16/2022 1:03 PM Alexandria needs to improve its parks, especially the ball fields, and also add additional ball 96 9/16/2022 12:46 PM fields, an indoor complex for our winter months and a baseball/softball complex like so many other communities our size have. Our kids and parents shouldn't have to travel everywhere else. We should help our own community by building and maintaining facilities. We should get back a public tennis courts since the one at City Park got turned into Pickleball 97 9/16/2022 12:43 PM courts. We should have an outdoor pool and splash pad park to offer our large community. 98 No public tennis courts. When City Park had tennis courts they were not properly maintained. 9/16/2022 12:07 PM

| 99 | I play pickleball but the park system has taken away my ability to play tennis. We need tennis courts | 9/16/2022 11:55 AM |
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| 100 | Tennis courts | 9/16/2022 11:50 AM |
| 101 | Tennis is definitely one of my family's favorite activities and unfortunately we do not have city tennis courts available anymore, which is pretty crazy considering the wide variety of people that can play and enjoy tennis in this area! | 9/16/2022 11:50 AM |
| 102 | Would enjoy a more interconnected bike trail system between parks. | 9/16/2022 10:48 AM |
| 103 | We need tennis courts | 9/16/2022 10:20 AM |
| 104 | More dog areas, swimming areas, connected walking, live music or wedding/celebration areas for rent or reservation | 9/16/2022 9:49 AM |
| 105 | Need atv and utv trails | 9/16/2022 9:06 AM |
| 106 | Really try to bike as a family and crossing highways to get to some parks is too dangerous. | 9/16/2022 8:26 AM |
| 107 | Better care of the baseball facilities, and more options for recreational fields. Football, baseball, soccer | 9/16/2022 7:47 AM |
| 108 | We need bike and hike connections to the central lakes trail that are away from city streets. | 9/16/2022 12:08 AM |
| 109 | Some parks are more maintained than others and have more updates equipment. I feel safe at parks but not on the trail. I have been followed before in broad daylight. The parks either focus on the little kids or adults. Middle and high school need more. A bigger and more enhanced skate park would be a great start. | 9/15/2022 10:39 PM |
| 110 | Super disappointed noonans park in the winter has had very limited ice skating/hockey. Use to be so great and we'd skate a lot even at night with the lights. It was so great!! | 9/15/2022 9:56 PM |
| 111 | I use the trail ALL the time but it would be nice to have more options | 9/15/2022 9:49 PM |
| 112 | some of thr older playgrounds need updating | 9/15/2022 9:15 PM |
| 113 | Build a splash pad!! | 9/15/2022 8:59 PM |
| 114 | I feel very safe at the parks, but not always on the trails alone or with my young children. | 9/15/2022 8:37 PM |
| 115 | There could be unique equipment for special needs kids instead of just a swing. The skate park could be expanded twice the size. I feel kids enjoy activities with trick scooters and skate boards. I usually always see middle aged kids using what is there. Plus there is room to expand! Nice to see farmers and art market growing down by Big Ole, but it would be nice to see a couple built shelters with picnic tables for people to enjoy while these events are in place. Electricity would be nice for those that need it for the Art Market. | 9/15/2022 7:54 PM |
| 116 | Filmore Park needs improvement. Not much there and it's a central location. | 9/15/2022 7:51 PM |
| 117 | It would be amazing if we had more walking/bike trails, especially around all the lakes. There are some areas that are VERY unsafe - County Road 120 NE and County Road 11 NE. | 9/15/2022 7:29 PM |
| 118 | I have seen tons of out vacationers come play the Glenwood disc golf course. I feel that it would be a major upgrade to the community if it can be placed in a great location. | 9/15/2022 7:28 PM |
| 119 | It seems like the city favors bikers/mountain bikers | 9/15/2022 7:23 PM |
| 120 | I run weekly, and it would be amazing to have trails beyond the bike trail, especially in the winter when it is dedicated to snowmobiles BUT sidewalks aren't maintained, making roads the only option | 9/15/2022 4:05 PM |
| 121 | I feel like there are not a lot of strictly nature areas or areas that allow for walking/hiking | 9/15/2022 2:59 PM |
| 122 | I don't feel we have many all-inclusive playgrounds for all ages and abilities. Example of one is; All Abilities Trane Park in La Crosse WI | 9/15/2022 2:51 PM |
| 123 | A pool and/or splash pad would help | 9/15/2022 12:22 PM |
| 124 | I love disk golf and would use it pretty much daily if we get a course. It sucks having to drive to Glenwood to play. | 9/15/2022 12:14 PM |

| 125 | The park trails are in bad shape, particularly from city park to Scooters. Loose, cracked, missing pavement and uneven pavement make for dangerous walking. | 9/15/2022 9:22 AM |
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| 126 | Noonans Park needs updating. | 9/15/2022 8:53 AM |
| 127 | Need for younger kids. Most parks are geared towards 5 and above | 9/15/2022 8:49 AM |
| 128 | Splash pad would be a great idea. We travel to sauk centre and usually grab luch there as well. Wish we could put that time and money back into our own small town. | 9/15/2022 7:47 AM |
| 129 | Tennis courts at City Park were poorly maintained and converted to exclusively pickleball without input from tennis Community. | 9/15/2022 7:45 AM |
| 130 | I would love to use the shelters more, but city parks is often really dirty, or has wasps flying around the garbages. We love walking around Noonan's but the trail is really difficult to navigate a stroller on due to its condition. | 9/15/2022 7:44 AM |
| 131 | Kids 3 and under have nothing in Alexandria. | 9/14/2022 11:55 PM |
| 132 | We use brophy Park alot instead of city parks. | 9/14/2022 11:29 PM |
| 133 | Disc golf and splash pad would be a great addition for our community. | 9/14/2022 12:26 PM |
| 134 | While I feel the parks are "adequately" maintained, there is definitely room for improvement and beautification and I would prefer more time and resources be put toward the existing rather than starting additional. We are blessed with MANY park areas - let's take them all up a notch. | 9/14/2022 11:56 AM |
| 135 | Our parks looks terrible, they aren't maintained, the flowers are lacking, weeds everywhere, they look awful!!! | 9/14/2022 11:50 AM |
| 136 | I think we can both take care and update what we currently have AND expand. It doesn't have to be an either/or. | 9/13/2022 12:09 PM |
| 137 | Some of the playground equipment needs updating. Not all. Filmore need updating. I'd love to see a natural playground there. | 9/12/2022 8:25 PM |
| 138 | The park crew does a great job with the limited staffing and limited budget. Need more staff to keep up with summer maintenance | 9/12/2022 8:15 PM |
| 139 | Trails around lakes. Missed opportunity around Lake Agnes & Henry. 2nd Avenue is a huge missed opportunity to have businesses that encourage lake use, with trailsbeachesboatspontoonsrestaurantsgift shopshuge missed opportunity. | 9/12/2022 1:40 PM |
| 140 | Would love some kind of public safety call button in some of the parks, especially as the days get shorter and I walk later at night. I love the solar powered lights around some of the trails. | 9/12/2022 11:29 AM |
| 141 | Our City with its size and other amenities needs public tennis courts | 9/12/2022 11:22 AM |
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Q10 Are there any reasons you or members of your household have chosen not to use Alexandria's parks? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 579 Skipped: 248



| ANSWER CHOICES | RESPONSES | |
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| Lack of time | 37.82% | 219 |
| Lack of interest in offerings | 17.79% | 103 |
| Not enough young kid options | 16.93% | 98 |
| Not enough teen options | 20.90% | 121 |
| Not enough adult options | 17.27% | 100 |
| Not enough senior options | 6.22% | 36 |
| Don't know about them | 12.78% | 74 |
| Too difficult to get to | 4.15% | 24 |
| Condition of facilities | 19.00% | 110 |
| Too crowded | 10.71% | 62 |
| Don't feel safe there | 6.74% | 39 |
| No restrooms | 20.90% | 121 |
| No potable water | 7.25% | 42 |
| Prefer other cities' park offerings | 5.87% | 34 |
| Prefer other private recreation options (golf, resorts, camps, etc.) | 7.43% | 43 |
| Not physically able/Accessibility issues | 4.84% | 28 |
| Other (please specify) | 12.78% | 74 |
| Total Respondents: 579 | | |

| # | OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) | DATE |
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| 1 | The parks without shade get too hot in the summer. | 10/6/2022 9:03 PM |
| 2 | No swimming beaches | 10/6/2022 4:58 PM |
| 3 | The amount of dog crap left where the public walks and children play | 10/6/2022 3:58 PM |
| 4 | Better county park- Brophy | 10/5/2022 9:27 AM |
| 5 | Not safe for my children with autism who elope and struggle with pica | 10/5/2022 7:28 AM |
| 6 | I won't use the restrooms because of the heavy fake scent in them. Makes my asthma flare and instant headache | 10/4/2022 8:52 PM |
| 7 | Courts are always crowded | 10/4/2022 7:58 PM |
| 8 | Regarding the trails - they are great to walk/bike, but you cannot use them to really get anywhere functional. I didn't recognize many of the park names and have lived in area for 27 years. To hike or take dog for something different we go to Carlos SP. It would be great to see a functional beach and things to do, eat, etc at Big Ole park area. Setup something DL has with Pavilion and really draw people in. | 10/4/2022 6:52 PM |
| 9 | We go to the Sauk Centre splash pad weekly in the summer and would absolutely prefer one locally. Otherwise our local parks are outstanding. | 10/4/2022 5:09 PM |
| 10 | No tennis courts | 10/2/2022 11:11 AM |
| 11 | I don't feel safe allowing my child to run and play freely due to lack of fences and/or close proximity to water | 9/30/2022 10:44 PM |
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| 12 | Need space for special needs | 9/30/2022 8:28 PM |
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| 13 | Lack of dog-friendly and off-leash spaces. If we're going to a park, the dogs are coming too. | 9/30/2022 7:01 PM |
| 14 | Need a fenced in area for smaller children with sensory needs | 9/30/2022 12:15 PM |
| 15 | Not fenced in or to close to body's of water or busy roads | 9/30/2022 9:39 AM |
| 16 | Busy roads and no fence | 9/30/2022 9:21 AM |
| 17 | I would come more if there were fenced options | 9/30/2022 9:13 AM |
| 18 | If there were tennis courts at the park I would go often, there is no where to play during the week and in the fall. | 9/29/2022 12:18 PM |
| 19 | No reason | 9/27/2022 12:20 PM |
| 20 | to old | 9/27/2022 12:05 PM |
| 21 | There were a lot of parks on the list I didn't know about. I walk my dog daily and try to make it to every douglas county park at least once per summer. If there aren't walking trails, it isn't always clear where it's ok to take dogs vs where we would interfere with other activities | 9/26/2022 3:03 PM |
| 22 | Tennis Courts are gone :-(| 9/26/2022 12:06 PM |
| 23 | We need tennis courts back in some of the parks pickleball courts are way too busy for seniors to play Pickleball on bring tennis ball courts back please | 9/25/2022 11:13 PM |
| 24 | Lack of tennis courts | 9/25/2022 8:31 PM |
| 25 | Need tennis courts | 9/24/2022 6:41 PM |
| 26 | Potentially more social events for young adults that include live dance music | 9/24/2022 1:50 PM |
| 27 | a disc golf course is essential for the times in 2022 | 9/22/2022 8:16 PM |
| 28 | tennis/pickleball courts | 9/22/2022 8:27 AM |
| 29 | I would attend more if safe bicycle access-paths and parking. bicycle ac | 9/20/2022 8:52 PM |
| 30 | This area is BLESSED with an abundance of natural opportunities so Alex parks are not our priority. | 9/20/2022 6:54 PM |
| 31 | Woodland, Lincoln, Fillmore and Brophy are the parks we go to but wish we had more basketball or pickleball hoops at these parks. Need something for both younger and older kids to do. | 9/20/2022 12:44 PM |
| 32 | not enough parking and Noonans' pathways are dangerous! | 9/19/2022 8:24 PM |
| 33 | Access to trails/big ole limited | 9/19/2022 4:29 PM |
| 34 | More often use county parks | 9/19/2022 10:53 AM |
| 35 | More ice rinks | 9/18/2022 9:36 PM |
| 36 | Only one in house | 9/18/2022 8:06 PM |
| 37 | We use scenic heights park (park view road ne) | 9/18/2022 7:58 PM |
| 38 | You banned smoking outside at the parks you **** So much for cannabis tourism. Guess it doesn't matter since you'd just piss that tax revenue away on some pet project that makes the rich richer and the poor more poor. Great job keeping wages low and housing unaffordable. That's definitely not going to lead to higher crime rates. May God forgive you. | 9/18/2022 10:43 AM |
| 39 | No discgolf which is what my husband loves to do when I ask to go to the park or go hiking so we go to glenwood | 9/18/2022 8:24 AM |
| 40 | Glenwood looks & feels a bit nicer | 9/18/2022 6:39 AM |
| 41 | Desire outdoor pool; need clean accessible restrooms | 9/17/2022 9:10 PM |
| 42 | I wish people had Bike trail educate | 9/17/2022 2:37 PM |
| 43 | There is not tennis. | 9/17/2022 1:50 PM |

| 44 | Parking, shade | 9/17/2022 8:36 AM |
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| 45 | No tennis courts or frisbee golf. Also during this survey I'm noticing a lot of parks I hadn't heard of yet so that's my fault. Expanded trail system through town would be helpful also as the city expands and more and more of us ride bike to work and to get around. | 9/17/2022 8:04 AM |
| 46 | No disc golf - all other larger towns in region have one. | 9/16/2022 11:26 PM |
| 47 | I don't like the giant metal slide at our park and has screws that are not tight. | 9/16/2022 9:59 PM |
| 48 | Have to go to Glenwood to throw disc golf. Use Alexandria parks for kayak launching and practice days. | 9/16/2022 9:16 PM |
| 49 | Needs more public tennis courts | 9/16/2022 7:27 PM |
| 50 | No tennis courts. | 9/16/2022 5:00 PM |
| 51 | Forced to play tennis at the area schools due to no city offerings. Difficult to play when school has courts scheduled. | 9/16/2022 4:52 PM |
| 52 | We would like to see more drinking water available at the current parks. | 9/16/2022 1:47 PM |
| 53 | I currently use the pickleball courts nearly daily and would use tennis courts if they were available. | 9/16/2022 1:24 PM |
| 54 | Brophy Park is best because it has a little bit of everthing for every age. | 9/16/2022 12:43 PM |
| 55 | No tennis courts. | 9/16/2022 12:07 PM |
| 56 | No tennis | 9/16/2022 11:55 AM |
| 57 | Need atv and utv trails please | 9/16/2022 9:06 AM |
| 58 | The parks could use bathrooms or a better system | 9/16/2022 7:47 AM |
| 59 | Prefer county parks such as Brophy for amenities and trail access. | 9/16/2022 7:35 AM |
| 60 | I live on a lake | 9/15/2022 9:45 PM |
| 61 | Would like more connected bike trails | 9/15/2022 8:19 PM |
| 62 | Enjoy Brophy County Park and the trails/hills there | 9/15/2022 5:31 PM |
| 63 | Don't know about all of them | 9/15/2022 3:04 PM |
| 64 | Dogs not allowed or multi use trails/areas that make it difficult to enjoy nature | 9/15/2022 2:59 PM |
| 65 | We love going to Brophy park as you have access to a little of everything | 9/15/2022 2:51 PM |
| 66 | Geese droppings (Noonans) | 9/15/2022 2:27 PM |
| 67 | No public tennis court options in any of the city parks | 9/15/2022 12:10 PM |
| 68 | The best parks are in the north but when we live in the south, it's more challenging to get to. Also more winter activities would be great for kids. | 9/15/2022 10:20 AM |
| 69 | Lack of shade | 9/15/2022 8:04 AM |
| 70 | Primarily use for tennis which is no longer available | 9/15/2022 7:45 AM |
| 71 | Wish there was more bike paths in city | 9/15/2022 5:54 AM |
| 72 | No splash pad | 9/15/2022 3:40 AM |
| 73 | No pool or splash pad | 9/14/2022 10:51 PM |
| 74 | Unplayable baseball field- Fillmore | 9/14/2022 9:41 PM |
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Q11 Do you have any other thoughts, questions, or concerns that we should know about regarding the parks and trails facilities in Alexandria?

Answered: 263 Skipped: 564

| # | RESPONSES | DATE |
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| 1 | It's great that you're getting community feedback about this! Thanks for taking the time to put this out! | 10/6/2022 9:05 PM |
| 2 | Brophy needs shade trees and shelters. Filmore would have been a better place to invest some money in with its central location and proximity to airport and interstate. There should be places for atvs, side by sides and dirt bikes to be used in this community. One has to go up north to find any decent amount of trails. | 10/6/2022 8:49 PM |
| 3 | Park grounds are well maintained. Could always use more tree planting for replacement as mature trees die. The city needs to deal with deer population which is devastating the natural habitat areas. | 10/6/2022 4:01 PM |
| 4 | A shorter fenced in sensory trail with communication pictures along water Indra or activity boards and swing set along the path or the trail would be very helpful wheel chair and stroller friendly with lots of sitting options away from dangerous roads and water would be absolutely wonderful adaptable picnic seating outdoors and under a shelter | 10/5/2022 7:32 AM |
| 5 | Splash pad is a must | 10/5/2022 7:06 AM |
| 6 | Dutch Elm Disease is present in Alexandria near the city parks. I think you should treat the American elms to prevent them from succumbing to DED. | 10/4/2022 8:18 PM |
| 7 | Invest in redoing central lakes trail pavement | 10/4/2022 8:04 PM |
| 8 | More shelters/building spaces to rent year around for meetings and events are needed in our community. | 10/4/2022 6:51 PM |
| 9 | Pool and or Splash Pad options would be nice for toddlers! | 10/4/2022 5:21 PM |
| 10 | None | 10/4/2022 5:10 PM |
| 11 | We spend time with family in Owatonna, and their park system is excellent. It would be a good place for you to take a look at when planning. The size of the town is similar to Alexandria and they have bigger parks, and more of them. | 10/4/2022 3:57 PM |
| 12 | My biggest request would be to repave the Central Lakes trail thru town. It is a gem in our area and to keep people using it and coming to the Alexandria area for biking it needs attention and some money spent on it! | 10/4/2022 3:37 PM |
| 13 | There needs to be more sidewalks around town for safe access to and from parks. Many intown side roads; walkers end up in traffic. Voyager,N Nokomis, etc. "Bike path" through town on HAWTHORN not safe for families/small children. We need a better/safer plan/route. Noonans park is gross (geese) Park bathroom issues with feces. | 10/4/2022 12:39 PM |
| 14 | It would be nice to have a park that was more disability friendly for children that have Autism or other disabilities. Some children with autism like to run and it would be nice to have a fence. Also more activities. I work for a clinic with many individuals that have autism and parents have mentioned that they wish that they had a park that was more accessible to their children | 10/2/2022 11:33 AM |
| 15 | Would like to see tennis courts. We have been using the school's tennis courts and get kicked off them with nowhere else to go. | 10/2/2022 11:13 AM |
| 16 | Please consider adding a sensory friendly park aimed at the children of our community who have autism. | 10/1/2022 2:13 PM |
| 17 | I really think a nice softball/baseball complex with restrooms and concessions would be nice for the area. I also would like to see an outdoor swimming pool that could be used for both recreation and competitive swim meets. | 9/30/2022 11:06 PM |

| 18 | Build parks taylored towards children and adults with special needs. | 9/30/2022 8:29 PM |
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| 19 | I feel like we need more trails other than the Central Lakes Trail. It would also be nice to have more access to the lakes. I feel like if you don't live on the lake, it's really hard to experience any. | 9/30/2022 7:48 PM |
| 20 | Upkeep at Noonans has declined | 9/30/2022 6:47 PM |
| 21 | Build a park with a durable fence for child safety, no no edible items that look like food, away from body of water, sensory play! | 9/30/2022 6:29 PM |
| 22 | We need a splash park for kids. More camping options | 9/30/2022 5:51 PM |
| 23 | I do take grandkids but would love the option for outdoor swimming pool for summer. We have to go to Parkers Prairie to get that, and the kids love it. | 9/30/2022 2:46 PM |
| 24 | Baseball needs to be better, host alot of tournaments. Need better | 9/30/2022 2:16 PM |
| 25 | We need to update our current baseball/softball facilities. Including an indoor hitting/training facility at Knute Knelson Park. A knew baseball complex for softball/baseball use. Including full size baseball fields. | 9/30/2022 2:11 PM |
| 26 | One of our favorite places to be is at the ballpark. The bathrooms need major updating as well as most of the facilities there. It would be awesome to see indoor options like batting cages so that the ballpark can be utilized year round. It is always a bummer to drive by Knute in the winter it looks so lonely without it being used by our community. Alot of playground/parks in our area are very outdated. There are not many options for really young kids (2-5 year olds) it would be great to see Alexandria make these updates or add to what is existing. Splash Pad would be great to see come to Alexandria!! The closest one is Sauk - let's put Alex on the map for something different to try! | 9/30/2022 1:04 PM |
| 27 | Need updated baseball facilities | 9/30/2022 11:54 AM |
| 28 | The current baseball fields need updating. It would be nice to have an updated complex and indoor batting cages to utilize. The playgrounds also need more/updated restrooms. | 9/30/2022 11:46 AM |
| 29 | More special needs options, more fenced in areas for elopement safety | 9/30/2022 11:35 AM |
| 30 | I would love to see a large open shelter at Big Ole park for farmers' markets, and festivals Fergus is building one by the river. | 9/30/2022 10:39 AM |
| 31 | Please focus on a park or equipment for kids with disability. We have a lot of autistic families in the community that need safe and fun options to take their families. | 9/30/2022 10:32 AM |
| 32 | Need a splash pad | 9/30/2022 9:22 AM |
| 33 | The Springdale dr one should be updated | 9/29/2022 2:33 PM |
| 34 | The baseball facilities are in need of so much care and maintenance, no dug outs, no bathrooms, no concessions, we are not competing with other areas who offer so much to their baseball community. (Minnewaska HS, Sartell, MN) Our highschool players do not have an updated facility to play at, the hill at Knute Field is dangerous for players in foul ball territory. The players cannot play in the spring because there is no turf or the turf is worn out. The concession stand is falling apart, it needs a major renovation. IF the highschool orginally planned a new baseball facility at the HS fields we wouldn't need Knute Nelson Field, but this is the position we are in. Our students compete at the state level and are successful, they have earned their way to play at a renovated/new baseball facility. Thank you. | 9/29/2022 12:27 PM |
| 35 | I think the facilities need to be updated. Playground equipment is outdated. | 9/29/2022 10:48 AM |
| 36 | I appreciate the new Brophy Park and the way the staff maintain all the parks. Thank you! I do really wish there were more bike trails/safer ways for kids to get around town. Traffic goes too fast for them to bike/walk safely on streets (without a designated pedestrian path) in this town. | 9/29/2022 10:16 AM |
| 37 | Children playground parks seem to be well maintained and taken care of, however maintenance of the sport fields leave much to be desired. | 9/28/2022 6:47 PM |
| 38 | nope | 9/27/2022 10:48 PM |
| 39 | no | 9/27/2022 8:46 PM |

| 40 | no | 9/27/2022 7:53 PM |
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| 41 | Nope. | 9/27/2022 1:04 PM |
| 42 | no | 9/27/2022 12:08 PM |
| 43 | no | 9/27/2022 12:08 PM |
| 44 | we need more basketball courts good one to | 9/27/2022 12:08 PM |
| 45 | no | 9/27/2022 12:08 PM |
| 46 | No. | 9/27/2022 12:08 PM |
| 47 | Nope. | 9/27/2022 12:08 PM |
| 48 | Not that I know of! | 9/27/2022 12:08 PM |
| 49 | No | 9/27/2022 12:07 PM |
| 50 | no | 9/27/2022 12:07 PM |
| 51 | no | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 52 | nope | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 53 | No | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 54 | None | 9/27/2022 12:06 PM |
| 55 | None | 9/27/2022 12:05 PM |
| 56 | no | 9/27/2022 12:05 PM |
| 57 | no | 9/27/2022 11:45 AM |
| 58 | keeping the biking trails at brophy or runstone up and put money into them and there volintears | 9/27/2022 10:28 AM |
| 59 | no | 9/26/2022 9:30 PM |
| 60 | no | 9/26/2022 4:47 PM |
| 61 | I've been wanting to write for a while telling you how much we love the Scenic Heights parkespecially the trails in the open area on the south side. Who ever grooms them is so creative! Kids and dogs love all the loops. This area is such a gift and is well loved by hikers, bikers, dog walkers, and in the winter cross country skiers and kids sledding. It's the best part of living in our area. All the neighbors i've met have happened in that park. We all love it so much. Thank you so much for this!! | 9/26/2022 3:06 PM |
| 62 | It would be great to have some shade and/or seating/picnic areas at some of the parks. | 9/26/2022 2:49 PM |
| 63 | have more mountain bike areas | 9/26/2022 2:47 PM |
| 64 | nope | 9/26/2022 2:47 PM |
| 65 | no | 9/26/2022 2:47 PM |
| 66 | no | 9/26/2022 2:45 PM |
| 67 | no | 9/26/2022 2:45 PM |
| 68 | get outdoor public pool. | 9/26/2022 2:45 PM |
| 69 | No | 9/26/2022 2:44 PM |
| 70 | no | 9/26/2022 2:43 PM |
| 71 | no | 9/26/2022 2:43 PM |
| 72 | no | 9/26/2022 2:43 PM |
| 73 | Nope. | 9/26/2022 2:41 PM |
| 74 | No | 9/26/2022 2:41 PM |

| 75 | No | 9/26/2022 2:41 PM |
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| 76 | no | 9/26/2022 2:40 PM |
| 77 | no | 9/26/2022 2:40 PM |
| 78 | what happened to the splash pad at Fillmore park | 9/26/2022 2:40 PM |
| 79 | no | 9/26/2022 2:39 PM |
| 80 | I wish we had more shopping stores and more places to hangout for teens | 9/26/2022 2:39 PM |
| 81 | Nope | 9/26/2022 11:24 AM |
| 82 | no | 9/26/2022 11:24 AM |
| 83 | We lost our Tennis Courts at the city park we have no place to go play tennis as Discovery School when not allow us to play tennis on their courts please bring back tennis courts at city park | 9/25/2022 11:15 PM |
| 84 | Need for public tennis courts | 9/25/2022 7:20 AM |
| 85 | What a shame, the great area of Alexandria could not have strictly left a couple of tennis courts!! For tennis only!!! So disappointed!!! | 9/24/2022 10:22 PM |
| 86 | Again. I think there is a need for tennis courts not associated with school property. Thanks | 9/24/2022 7:12 PM |
| 87 | Community gardens could be fun. Though I'm sure it would be a large undertaking with everything it entails and might slightly take away from the local farms and markets. | 9/24/2022 1:56 PM |
| 88 | Adding the pickle ball courts has been an awesome addition! However, the town is now lacking those public tennis courts but has an increase in youth interest so adding some would be a great option! | 9/23/2022 9:11 PM |
| 89 | I didn't realize that we had sooooo many parks in the area! | 9/23/2022 3:55 PM |
| 90 | I think putting a disc golf course in Alex would be so awesome because currently the only near by places are in Glenwood and Morris; the only disc gold course in Alex is owned by Lake Geneva Bible camp and they wont let just anyone in:/ | 9/22/2022 8:18 PM |
| 91 | Lakeview Park definitely needs updating especially given the heavy use from nearby daycares and general age of families around it. Definitely an under utilized space due to lack of updates and safety of old equipment. I'm also surprised given the size of Alexandria that an archery range is not an option. | 9/22/2022 6:34 PM |
| 92 | Springdale park needs to be updated. Equipment is dangerous. I own a daycare across the street. | 9/22/2022 12:51 PM |
| 93 | I am fairly new to Alexandria and so some of my thoughts may not be well-formed as I have not yet really gotten out there and tried. As of yet I have not seen any spring/summer/fall sand or outdoor volleyball leagues. I would love to see this as a part of our community. | 9/22/2022 10:26 AM |
| 94 | City Park needs to be updated. New/updated restrooms. Covered/ shaded pavilion connected to pickleball courts. | 9/22/2022 1:19 AM |
| 95 | Band shell and covered shelter at Big ole for art and farmers market and other events. | 9/21/2022 6:41 PM |
| 96 | Covered structures would be used by many groups. | 9/21/2022 6:36 PM |
| 97 | Would love to see Knute Nelson baseball field fixed up and an additional baseball complex built in Alexandria. | 9/21/2022 12:46 PM |
| 98 | When you travel to other communities in the region, many have very nice athletic complexes with well build and maintained softball/baseball complexes. Many of these same communities have indoor domes or buildings for softball/baseball to offer continued activity in the winter months. Alexandria has everything you can imagine for those in hockey, but nearly nothing for those in baseball or softball. The fields we do have are often times over run by weeds, tore up | 9/21/2022 4:20 AM |
| | fields from mis-use, etc. it is time for the city to step up and build fields that people from other communities envy, and we can be proud when hosting games or tournaments. | |

| 100 | Knute Nelson baseball field needs some work to be done there. Knute is getting very run down, and needs some upkeep. | 9/20/2022 7:28 PM |
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| 101 | There is no other communities between St.Cloud/Cities and Fargo that can host baseball and softball tournaments. Alexandria with a new baseball complex could host tournaments regularly all spring/summer/fall and bring teams and spectators into the city regularly. | 9/20/2022 5:15 PM |
| 102 | Knute baseball field is in bad condition and is lacking in the things that it desperately needs and I know for a fact that this place can be better than what it is | 9/20/2022 3:35 PM |
| 103 | If an upgrade to Knute Nelson Baseball Park was due to take place, it would make it a way more visited area for outside communities to enjoy and patronize. | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 104 | Knute Nelson baseball field needs some major updates the fencing is not safe for players or fans. The playing field is extremely dangerous for players | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 105 | Knute baseball park needs some strong upgrades for baseball teams in Alexandria. If upgrades are applied residents of Alexandria would visit here to watch baseball teams | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 106 | Knute Nelson Ballpark has a lot of potential, the current condition is not good. | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 107 | I feel Knute is a place that needs major updates to make it a place that everyone in the public can enjoy. | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 108 | Knute should be much better. The city has let it go almost to a point of no return. With the proper investment Knute could be made something the town can be proud of and could bring in more dollars by way of more games and tournaments in the city. | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 109 | Knute nelsson baseball field has the foundations of a fantastic baseball field but needs some upgrades to make it a safe and serviceable place to play. It needs many upgrades and new features that can and will make it a fantastic selling point for Alexandria when baseball is a huge thing in Minnesota. | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 110 | Knute Nelson needs major upgrades it is in a great location to play baseball. However, the field needs to be majorly upgraded to fit the playing needs of the players and want people to come to community. The stands need to be upgraded to want viewers to come and watch games instead of leaning away because of how bad the stands are. Please upgrade the field it can be such as nice place to play with the desired upgrades. | 9/20/2022 3:34 PM |
| 111 | Knute can be better with new fences be batting cage next to field and infield and outfield needs work | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 112 | knute baseball field is in need of a huge upgrade. this upgrade can make knute a top notch ball field for the local alexandria baseball teams. | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 113 | I feel that the stands and benches around the field could be replaced and or upgraded to create a better experience for fans. | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 114 | Knute Nelson Baseball Park needs major updating and expansions. | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 115 | Knute Nelson field/ park needs a lot of upgrades and improvements to meet standards of people in the area it could be one of the best places in Minnesota to play if upgrades are made and is advertised more | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 116 | Knute is a ball diamond that is great, but it needs serious upgrades to be able to compete with out towns near it. Also with the upgrades it will be something that attracts other community members. | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 117 | Knute could be a great park but it needs some serious upgrades and maintenance done to it so it can be a great park but right now it's not good | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 118 | Knute Nelson baseball field needs some updating and it will be a amazing place for people to come and enjoy some baseball, and the college will be a better program with these upgrades | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 119 | Knute Nelson could use a solid renovation. The love of the game is there but the care it takes to maintain a beautiful field venue has not been carried out. | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 120 | I think that Knute baseball field needs an upgrade. It's been worn down and is becoming unable to play on. It's a great spot and has great potential to become a great field. | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |
| 121 | Knute is a big park, but needs some major upgrades, if those happen, it will be the best field | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM |

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| 122 | Knute baseball field should be worked on and updated to fit modern standards | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM | |
| 123 | Knute is need of new facilities, it would be a great ball field for all teams to play on and would require less maintenance if it was turfed | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM | |
| 124 | Knute Nelson needs updating. It's very old and needs remodeling. | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM | |
| 125 | Knute Nelson Baseball facilities are run down and needs to be renovated the facility has damages that should not be tolerated at a major baseball stadium in the Alexandria area because the facility is use very often | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM | |
| 126 | Knute baseball diamond is a ball field that could use a lot of work but if that work is done it could be a top tier ball field for the kids and or college kids! | 9/20/2022 3:33 PM | |
| 127 | I think Knute is a facility is a place that needs a shape up and once that is finished I think people's satisfaction will be met | 9/20/2022 3:32 PM | |
| 128 | Knute needs a major facelift. With the right people and right stuff it could be a very nice ball park | 9/20/2022 3:32 PM | |
| 129 | Knute baseball field could use some updating | 9/20/2022 3:32 PM | |
| 130 | Knute baseball field needs upgrades and so our baseball players have a nice place to play and have fun. | 9/20/2022 3:32 PM | |
| 131 | Needs a lot of upgrades. A lot of work could take the parks and facilities a long ways. Could attract more interest as well. | 9/20/2022 3:32 PM | |
| 132 | Knute memorial field has great potential for a college baseball facility, and with upgrades it can be a major draw draw to the city. | 9/20/2022 3:32 PM | |
| 133 | Knute needs a ton of upgrades and the dugouts especially need more room along with preferably a new scoreboard | 9/20/2022 3:32 PM | |
| 134 | We need better baseball field | 9/20/2022 3:30 PM | |
| 135 | Need to update all aspects of parks but based on communities we visit we are way behind the times for outdoor sports facilities | 9/20/2022 2:23 PM | |
| 136 | Please consider fixing Knute baseball field and the softball complex at the H.S. | 9/20/2022 2:15 PM | |
| 137 | We need to update and maintain baseball facilities. Knute is almost beyond repair. The other community options for baseball are non-existent. | 9/20/2022 2:06 PM | |
| 138 | If the city, college and public schools would work together, bond items would be easier to sell to the taxpayer. When one entity passes a bond, there is a sour taste if another entity tries later. Teamwork makes the dream WORK! | 9/20/2022 2:00 PM | |
| 139 | Some of the parks used the most appear to be most neglected. Area playground, Knute Nelson Ballpark, Fillmore ballpark, etc. | 9/20/2022 1:48 PM | |
| 140 | We need a youth baseball/softball complex with concessions, restrooms, for boys and girls ages 10-18. | 9/20/2022 1:48 PM | |
| 141 | Having the parks connected to the trails is a great option. The basketball courts downtown and pickleball courts in central park have been fantastic. They are both used a ton. However, it would be nice to have a little shade. The benches are good by the pickleball but limited and strangely placed. Thank you for your efforts to make Alexandria a place that people want to raise their families, entertain kids of all ages and create a beautiful place to visit and/or live. | 9/20/2022 12:47 PM | |
| 142 | No | 9/20/2022 6:45 AM | |
| 143 | Overall I think the park system is fine but to take out public tennis courts seems like an absolute travesty pickle ball is also fine but not at the expense of the sport of tennis!! | 9/19/2022 9:18 AM | |
| 144 | Need inforcement of dog owners clean up dog poop. Wish would had left old growth trees at back broph park. Hard to walk on trails in winter due to snowmobiles. Need area just for walking/skiiing | 9/18/2022 8:08 PM | |
| 145 | Contact me re: scenic heights park association. (contact info) | 9/18/2022 7:59 PM | |

| 146 | Music Pavilion 2nd Ave. | 9/18/2022 5:56 PM | |
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| 147 | Just that we do need some available tennis courts. | 9/18/2022 1:55 PM | |
| 148 | Mmmmm forever chemicals in the lakes and air. Yummy. Wholesome. Keep burning trash and pumping forever chemicals into the lakes. The rain in Alexandria isn't brown enough. | 9/18/2022 10:46 AM | |
| 149 | More outdoor hockey rinks for informal hockey | 9/18/2022 9:54 AM | |
| 150 | need tennis courts back at city park on henry | 9/18/2022 9:13 AM | |
| 151 | No | 9/18/2022 8:25 AM | |
| 152 | Please consider making parks more sustainable by planting turf grasses that require less mowing and watering. Mowing pollutes the air and uses harmful fossil fuels. NO MOW MAY! | 9/18/2022 5:30 AM | |
| 153 | I'd really like to see Noonans park fixed up! Geese mitigation needs to happen!!! The path needs fixing and the winter warming house should be fixed up! Noonans park is iconic to Alexandria and needs to be historically renovated and repaired. | 9/17/2022 7:03 PM | |
| 154 | Would be nice to have concessions at City Park as well as others | 9/17/2022 6:23 PM | |
| 155 | Outdoor ice rinks please! Winter gets long with young kids. | 9/17/2022 5:10 PM | |
| 156 | Add more bike paths. | 9/17/2022 3:48 PM | |
| 157 | We really should have public tennis courts. I love having pickleball courts but to take away tennis to have pickleball doesn't make sense to me. Please, please, our family would love to see public courts. | 9/17/2022 1:53 PM | |
| 158 | Outdoor hockey rinks | 9/17/2022 12:02 PM | |
| 159 | We desperately need outdoor hockey rinks in Alexandria. | 9/17/2022 10:49 AM | |
| 160 | I bike a lot and do not feel safe biking on roads. Would love wider streets and more connecting trails to the central lakes trail. Also we NEED more sidewalks everywhere. | 9/17/2022 9:53 AM | |
| 161 | A better connected & more clearly labeled path throughout town would be great! | 9/17/2022 8:25 AM | |
| 162 | Further trail expansion especially in town and the surrounding area for commuters to get further than just the main Douglas trail. Public tennis courts I believe are a must. Frisbee golf (if it doesn't exist already) would be fun, especially in a beautiful or wooded area or by water:) | | |
| 163 | No | 9/17/2022 7:25 AM | |
| 164 | No | 9/16/2022 9:57 PM | |
| 165 | Disc golf course | 9/16/2022 9:32 PM | |
| 166 | A stage or shelter by Big ole for the new Saturday Art market would be great. Thousands of people enjoyed the market this summer! | 9/16/2022 9:25 PM | |
| 167 | School play areas are other options. We appreciate the improvements made at the city parks over the years. We use them often! Brophy Park is a showcase provided by the county and is greatly appreciated as well. We visited a different park every day this summer while caring for our grandchildren. Looking forward to repairs on the bike trail. | 9/16/2022 9:14 PM | |
| 168 | Please add tennis courts. | 9/16/2022 9:01 PM | |
| 169 | Would love to see tennis courts and would love to see the skateboarding park improved | 9/16/2022 6:30 PM | |
| 170 | Please put in at least 4 public tennis courts! | 9/16/2022 6:01 PM | |
| 171 | Please consider an outdoor swimming pool and splash pad!!! | 9/16/2022 5:52 PM | |
| 172 | A trail around le homme dieu lake would be really nice, and safer. | 9/16/2022 5:29 PM | |
| L73 | Need public tennis courts !!!! | 9/16/2022 5:01 PM | |
| 174 | We need city tennis courts! | 9/16/2022 3:47 PM | |
| 175 | -The 2 parks with all the ducks and geese are kinda gross with lack of grass and animal droppings -i don't feel like there is a need for other parks right now - the beach at the new | 9/16/2022 3:45 PM | |
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| | brophy park seems like a waste of money - more pickleball or a tennis court/ pickle ball court and maybe another sand volleyball court? - central lakes trail may need resurfacing in the near future? - are there any parks in the south end of town? Seems life everything is central and north alexandria | |
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| 176 | We would like to see additional tennis and pickle ball courts with lights and drinking water at the facilities. | 9/16/2022 1:48 PM |
| 177 | Alexandria area needs a splash pad or water play for small kids that cannot swim in the lakes by themselves | 9/16/2022 1:23 PM |
| 178 | Tennis courts!!! Needed | 9/16/2022 1:14 PM |
| 179 | There are no public tennis courts in Alexandria. Use of the high school and middle school is restricted. | 9/16/2022 12:08 PM |
| 180 | No public tennis courts available | 9/16/2022 11:55 AM |
| 181 | I didn't realize there were so many parks in Alexandria. | 9/16/2022 11:38 AM |
| 182 | Central lakes trail could use new pavement, or at least fill in the gaps and cracks to smooth it out. Consider dedicated bike lanes or more interconnected multipurpose paved trails. | 9/16/2022 10:50 AM |
| 183 | Tennis courts | 9/16/2022 10:21 AM |
| 184 | Areas for rent like the gazebo at City Park should include some space in the grassy areas around them, so private events are able to prevent public disruption. More shelter or cover for farmers' and art markets or picnicking at Big Ole. Very convenient for those using the bike path and wanting to stop in Alexandria for lunch, etc. | 9/16/2022 9:54 AM |
| 185 | Nope | 9/16/2022 9:07 AM |
| 186 | The Central Lakes bike trail needs repair. The cracks in the pavement are so large that it is unpleasant and jarring to ride bicycle on the trail. It would be nice to see more connected bicycle trails throughout town. It would also be nice to see more trees planted in playground to provide shade both for the children and for the adults accompanying them. Big Ole Park - There needs to be more maintenance of the green space. When it rains the area is muddy and it makes it difficult to walk around, especially during the Farmer's Market and Art Markets. | 9/16/2022 8:36 AM |
| 187 | There are so many opportunities to add to the parks we have. Just need to utilize resources available | 9/16/2022 7:47 AM |
| 188 | We love our pickleball courts, but the numbers of players has increased rapidly and will continue to do so. Public tennis courts are needed, but should include pickleball line markings and more pickleball courts will be needed including indoor options. | 9/16/2022 7:44 AM |
| 189 | Update what needs to be updated. Fix what is broken / worn out. | 9/16/2022 7:17 AM |
| 190 | Would be nice to have more bike trail options throughout the community (both mountain biking and paved trails) | 9/16/2022 1:12 AM |
| 191 | Trails are not well maintained and do not connect neighborhoods with non-road options for biking and walking. Too many people need to walk on busy roads to get to parks and businesses in the town center. | 9/16/2022 12:12 AM |
| 192 | I feel that there should be port-a-pots on the trails. Also, maybe a few bike patrols on the trails as well. | 9/15/2022 10:39 PM |
| 193 | City Park bathrooms are yucky, Noonan Park has a coating of goose poop. Otherwise We would use those more. The winding paths are confusing at Runestone Park - I like to walk there but physically can't walk for miles and miles and I worry about getting lost. Signposts would be nice. | |
| 194 | Filmore park (yellow playground) needs to be replaced with something larger. Current structure has rust and age is showing. Would love to see parking. It would be nice to see more parent sitting spots at Brophy/city park/Filmore that are close to the actual playground. Would love to see Filmore have a nature trail or something to utilize the open space. The city could profit with a splash pad, it would bring in families from surrounding town in which would spend money here locally. We travel to the Sauk center one every weekend in the summer and spend money there eating out or ice cream. We love the new Brophy Park it's AMAZING | 9/15/2022 9:23 PM |

| 195 | We love Brophy park, the trails are great but could use some signage. We use it weekly and love the changes they are making. | 9/15/2022 9:02 PM | |
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| 196 | Build a splashpad! The pond in Foslein Park is disgusting. | 9/15/2022 9:01 PM | |
| 197 | Why is Tabbert park not listed | 9/15/2022 8:50 PM | |
| 198 | I didn't see Tabbert Park on this list. I would love to have more trail options for walking/hiking/running. | 9/15/2022 8:47 PM | |
| 199 | More shade would be nice. More parking lots by the lakes area trail in different spots so we don't always start at big ole. Maybe a place out of town a bit | 9/15/2022 8:17 PM | |
| 200 | Would be awesome to have an outdoor pool for in the summer. | 9/15/2022 8:15 PM | |
| 201 | Na | 9/15/2022 8:11 PM | |
| 202 | We need a lot more trails to make things like biking from one side of town to the other a lot safer than biking on the road. Biking on the road is fine for adults, but dangerous for kids, adults traveling with kids, etc. | 9/15/2022 8:05 PM | |
| 203 | Would absolutely love it if there was a walking/biking trail on the West side of Lake Carlos (county rd 11)there are so many walkers and bikers but there is no room for them and cars | 9/15/2022 7:59 PM | |
| 204 | Our family loves Brophy park it would be fun to see a skate park added in. Just for fun look up ideas online and google skate parks in Texas! St. Cloud just put one in by Costco and it is always busy! Plus it is fabulous! | 9/15/2022 7:59 PM | |
| 205 | Would love to see Latoka Public beach parking lot paved as well as the bathrooms renovated. Much needed! | 9/15/2022 7:52 PM | |
| 206 | Creative spaces not just more slides. Outdoor music areas are a hit! | 9/15/2022 7:37 PM | |
| 207 | Again, If a disc golf course is ever an option I would love to help. Please contact me at Ç{ প্রা | 9/15/2022 7:30 PM | |
| 208 | Na | 9/15/2022 7:24 PM | |
| 209 | No | 9/15/2022 7:17 PM | |
| 210 | Band shell/concert venue would be a great addition | 9/15/2022 6:57 PM | |
| 211 | Over by Ole Park, it would be great to have more shade and access to electricity during the art market. | 9/15/2022 6:51 PM | |
| 212 | I feel there should be space with electricity for food wagons at Big Ole Park along with covered shelters for Farmers Market and Saturday Art Market vendors. | 9/15/2022 5:34 PM | |
| 213 | I work at Noonan Sport Specialists, and we have long thought about building outdoor workout stations somewhere in town. This would be accessible to all regardless of finances, and local gyms could even volunteer to host classes once a week. | 9/15/2022 4:07 PM | |
| 214 | No. | 9/15/2022 4:03 PM | |
| 215 | We would REALLY love a splash pad for our little who is too young for pools and swimming in the lakes! | 9/15/2022 3:20 PM | |
| 216 | Would love more natural and green spaces. More urban wildlife and nature focused. Seems to be a lot of kids and athletics and baseball | 9/15/2022 3:01 PM | |
| 217 | Where is the City at with the YMCA SplashPad Partnership? | 9/15/2022 1:47 PM | |
| 218 | pollinator gardens would be terrific | 9/15/2022 12:43 PM | |
| 219 | I know a lot of people who would love a disk golf course! | 9/15/2022 12:15 PM | |
| 220 | The city should look at how people flocked to natural areas during the pandemic for guidance on how to develop these areas. More green space for walking and just going outside would be great! | 9/15/2022 11:40 AM | |
| 221 | No | 9/15/2022 10:58 AM | |
| 222 | The trails. Read above | 9/15/2022 9:23 AM | |

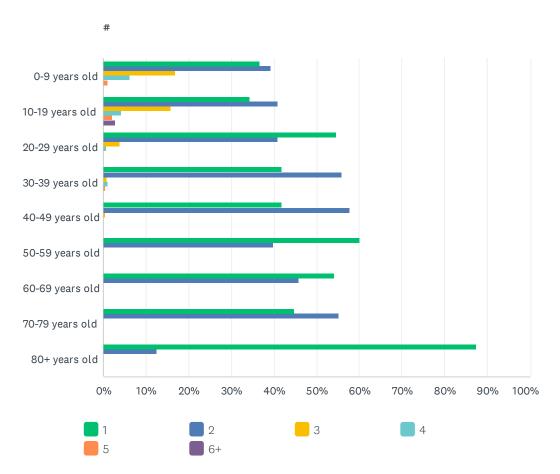
| 223 | As noted earlier, there is almost no public art and I think parks are the perfect place for public art to make people better. | 9/15/2022 9:13 AM | |
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| 224 | More pickle ball courts. The trails are really cracked hard to rollerblade and bike rough | 9/15/2022 8:59 AM | |
| 225 | I think Alexandria parks are well-maintained and we enjoy using them. Our favorite spot is the slide and the pavilion down at city park. | 9/15/2022 8:57 AM | |
| 226 | The trail from out by the freeway to lake Le homme died will be great. Build it! | 9/15/2022 8:40 AM | |
| 227 | We visit Scenic Park on the corner of Scenic Ave and Parkview everyday | 9/15/2022 8:10 AM | |
| 228 | Tennis courts are schools do not replace public park courts as they are frequently unavailable and not a recreational park setting. | 9/15/2022 7:48 AM | |
| 229 | I think a splash pad is an absolute must! And a public pool. In the summer months it would be awesome to have water play access without the hassle of going to a crowded beach. | 9/15/2022 7:46 AM | |
| 230 | I think your next focus should be a city park, it has the best location and property. | 9/15/2022 7:38 AM | |
| 231 | Just think that some updating to some existing parks etc would go along way. We would love to go to fillmore park more if it was more updated. | 9/15/2022 7:20 AM | |
| 232 | I would love for the continuation of updates to the little neighborhood parks like oak knoll. Also a splash pad would be amazing. It'd be great to offer more options taking advantage of the lakes that are there (adding shelters, trails, parks by the lake etc.) | 9/15/2022 6:24 AM | |
| 233 | The only park that meets my children wants is Brophy park and it's overcrowded because it's the only park that has enough activities for young children. | 9/15/2022 6:16 AM | |
| 234 | Fillmore park would be a fabulous "in town" park to redo that close for kids to ride bike to. Brophy is nice but parents have to drive their kids there. Also could be a great spot for a splash pad & could use a parking lot instead of street parking. Also Noonans Parks by the pond could be redone and used more if it was nicer! Hundreds of people go to that pond in the summer with their kids but the park isn't utilized as much since it's older and limited equipment. In winter could use more outdoor skating rinks with warming houses for "in town" residents to bring kids too instead of just having the noonans pond. More public restrooms for kiddos at the parks too and for equipment could use a better variety of age equipment and even some with fences! we bring our little guy to Zion church because the equipment is lower to ground and it's fenced in so parents don't have to run after their toddler every minute and know their safe! Wheel chair accessible could be a neat and inclusive option as well for kids with disabilities. | 9/15/2022 6:15 AM | |
| 235 | We utilize brophy park more than any other park because of the quality, size, choices for both our young kids, cleanliness, access to bathrooms, picnic tables and we are excited about the pavilion going up there. | 9/15/2022 6:13 AM | |
| 236 | I cannot express how much a splash pad would be used by my family. | 9/15/2022 6:12 AM | |
| 237 | I wish there was plowed bike paths in the winter. I don't have anywhere to walk once there is snow on the ground. | 9/15/2022 5:58 AM | |
| 238 | There are so many wonderful park departments at other towns that have so much variety! I would love to Alexandria keep up with what we have and continue to add to our beautiful community! A pool/splash pad. Indoor park for winter. Updating what we have. | 9/15/2022 5:54 AM | |
| 239 | Thinking for my future and my future children I would like to see the parks better maintained, updated and more options. I think a splash pad would be an excellent idea and would be well utilized as well. I currently have small involvement at the parks due to not having children, but anticipate my views on updates and opportunities for children to become much stronger in the future when I do have children. | 9/15/2022 3:46 AM | |
| 240 | Filmore park needs to be updated, the play in equipment in the side by pizza ranch is outdated, starting to rust and peel. It's also too small especially in the summer. They parking is starting to get dangerous as well. I'd love to see a small 6 car parking lot somewhere near the shelter. This park has some of the most amazing open space but the city utilizes it awful in my opinion. I have 4 children and the city could do alot with this area that wouldn't cause a disruption to the neighborhood. One of the top things filmore needs is a new play structure especially for public safety on the "small" side. I am 35 and that has been there my entire life | 9/15/2022 1:40 AM | |

| | definitely has seen better times. Having 4 young children we visit parks in the town weekly. The only one I can think if that needs improvement is Filmore. The city has done great at Brophy/city/big ole park those are amazing. I will also add that noonans duck park side walking trail is awful not sure it can be improved but one of my children utilizes a walker and the path is unstable and falling apart. We would love to see it repaved or something Thanks for your time | |
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| 241 | I would strongly recommend more young adult options. Many younger kid options are available, but we are lacking in young adults/mid adult activities: DISC GOLF, sand volleyball, tennis courts, a safe and covered out door area to hang out where younger children may not be (city and Fillmore are fine options for families), and seniors have multiple options around town. With a growing college and young adult community more options are needed for this group. Especially winter options. Too many people feel our area has nothing to offer for winter activities except for movies, bowling, attending a hockey game/skating, or going to the bar. What other options can we offer to help draw in the new college aged population? | 9/15/2022 12:00 AM |
| 242 | Indoor parks should be considered especially with such harsh and long winters | 9/14/2022 11:57 PM |
| 243 | Putting in more sports courts in the neighborhood parks ie Summer Meadows Park | 9/14/2022 11:46 PM |
| 244 | Fillmore graffiti is terrible, I will not bring my children there again. The playground equipment is small and my children were bored quickly, the skatepark was too far from the playground and I was not comfortable allowing my older children to play there so far from me. There needs to be an older child option (ninja park/skate park) close to a small child option. This way parents of mixed age children can watch all children at the same time (Sauk centre has done an amazing job of this) fillmore park and that area are not a good placement for this as I do not feel myself and children are safe there. Brophy park is incredible and the placement is perfect. City park would be a much better option for this. A splash pad would go nicely in the open space adjacent to the playground. | 9/14/2022 11:03 PM |
| 245 | A park without shade or running water bathrooms is a nightmare. | 9/14/2022 11:00 PM |
| 246 | A splash pad would be great to have. My family drives out of town to go to them, it would be great to have that in our community. | 9/14/2022 10:52 PM |
| 247 | I would love at least one tennis court that isn't on school property. There's no where to play tennis in the fall and spring! | 9/14/2022 10:31 PM |
| 248 | Please open ice skating at Noonans before Christmas break. In recent years, there is plenty of ice and it sits closed | 9/14/2022 9:42 PM |
| 249 | N/A | 9/14/2022 6:00 PM |
| 250 | My family would love to see a splash pad be built | 9/14/2022 1:12 PM |
| 251 | Clean up what we have; again they need lots of maintenance. | 9/14/2022 11:52 AM |
| 252 | Been here several years and really don't know what's out there to go to. | 9/13/2022 11:17 AM |
| 253 | We need more things for kids of all ages and adults to do in the colder months - great example is the Fargo Rustad complex with indoor playgrounds, indoor ball field, party/meeting rooms etc. | 9/12/2022 8:18 PM |
| 254 | We love city park play ground and the options there for all ages! | 9/12/2022 5:24 PM |
| 255 | wondering if a roof could be built over the brick patio at Big Ole park. | 9/12/2022 3:10 PM |
| 256 | Alexandria should have a splash park | 9/12/2022 2:57 PM |
| 257 | I really miss the tennis courts at City Park | 9/12/2022 2:28 PM |
| 258 | A disc golf course would make a lot of sense. If neighbors complain, screw 'em. | 9/12/2022 2:08 PM |
| 259 | We need more trails/bike paths. Especially the corridor from DMS to AAHS | 9/12/2022 1:56 PM |
| 260 | Need lifeguards at beaches | 9/12/2022 1:43 PM |
| 261 | The Central Lakes Trail is GREAT! Would like to see more within the city. | 9/12/2022 1:41 PM |
| 262 | NA | 9/12/2022 11:34 AM |
| 263 | I would love for the city to really focus on the needs of residents. Too often it seems like the | 9/12/2022 11:30 AM |

parks are designed with tourists in mind.

Q12 Including yourself, how many people in your household are in the following age categories?





| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6+ | TOTAL |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 0-9 years old | 36.61% | 39.32% | 16.95% | 6.10% | 1.02% | 0.00% | |
| - | 108 | 116 | 50 | 18 | 3 | 0 | 295 |
| 10-19 years old | 34.33% | 40.90% | 15.82% | 4.18% | 2.09% | 2.69% | |
| | 115 | 137 | 53 | 14 | 7 | 9 | 335 |
| 20-29 years old | 54.55% | 40.91% | 3.90% | 0.65% | 0.00% | 0.00% | |
| | 84 | 63 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 154 |
| 30-39 years old | 41.86% | 55.81% | 0.78% | 1.16% | 0.39% | 0.00% | |
| | 108 | 144 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 258 |
| 40-49 years old | 41.83% | 57.79% | 0.38% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | |
| | 110 | 152 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 263 |
| 50-59 years old | 60.19% | 39.81% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | |
| | 65 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 108 |
| 60-69 years old | 54.26% | 45.74% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | |
| | 51 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 94 |
| 70-79 years old | 44.68% | 55.32% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | |
| | 21 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 47 |
| 80+ years old | 87.50% | 12.50% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | |
| • | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |