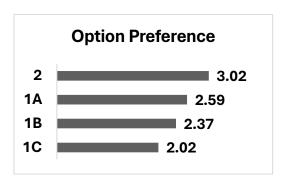
Bismarck Parks and Recreation District Property Options: Survey Results on South Bismarck Flood Control Project

December 2024 – 173 surveys completed

Options for Clem Kelley Athletic Complex, Sertoma Park Tennis/Pickleball Courts and FitLot/Obstacle Course

- Option 2-Reconfigure six softball fields with no impact to existing tennis/pickleball courts, FitLot and obstacle course; replace softball complex tournament building, restrooms, concessions, umpires area, shelters and playground
- Option 1A-Relocate tennis courts and restroom/tournament building to existing soccer field in northeast corner of property; relocate two softball fields and restroom to west side of property; relocate pickleball courts, FitLot and obstacle course further west
- Option 1B-Relocate tennis courts and restroom/tournament building to existing soccer
 field in northeast corner of property; acquire adjacent property to the east and relocate
 pickleball courts; relocate FitLot and obstacle course further west; relocate two softball
 fields and restroom to west side of property
- Option 1C-Relocate tennis courts and restroom/tournament building to existing soccer
 field in northeast corner of property; acquire adjacent property to the east and relocate
 pickleball courts and add parking; relocate FitLot and obstacle course further west;
 relocate two softball fields and restroom to west side of property



Option	TOTAL	Softball	Tennis	Pickleball	BPS	Soccer
2	3.02	2.72	3.37	2.55	3.00	3.18
1A	2.59	2.47	2.81	2.90	2.48	2.27
1B	2.37	2.59	2.19	2.50	2.52	2.55
1C	2.02	2.22	1.63	2.05	2.00	2.00

^{*}Respondents could select multiple affiliations.

Overview of Comments on Four Options for Softball, Pickleball and Tennis (104)

- 34 respondents preferred Option 2, generally to retain tennis and pickleball courts in their current locations
- 21 respondents were not interested in any options, primarily concerned with retaining tennis in the current location

- 6 respondents were not interested in any options, suggesting moving softball fields to Cottonwood Park
- 6 respondents were not interested in any options, suggesting other locations for flood control such as the zoo or airport
- 12 respondents preferred Option 1C to increase the number of pickleball courts
- 6 respondents said more parking was needed, regardless of option
- 3 respondents were primarily concerned about relocating the orchard
- 2 respondents said flood control effectiveness was the top priority
- 14 respondents had general comments about construction, pond safety, budget, need for more facilities, etc.

Overview of Comments on Relocating Soccer to Hidden Star Park (45)

- 32 respondents were supportive with proximity to Cottonwood Park soccer fields
- 7 respondents said no to relocation
- 3 respondents suggested more recreation space and connecting to Cottonwood
- 3 respondents suggested moving softball and/or pickleball to Cottonwood

Overview of Comments on Changes to Sertoma Park Trail (38)

- 19 respondents were ok with the changes
- 8 respondents did not support the changes
- 6 respondents expressed concern about losing trees, the meandering trail and trail connections
- 2 respondents expressed concern about safety

User Group Affiliation		
I am not affiliated with any of the listed user groups.	31.79%	55
Bismarck Mandan Tennis Association	36.42%	63
Dakota Zoo	17.92%	31
Bismarck Men's Slowpitch Softball Association	14.45%	25
Bismarck Public Schools	13.29%	23
McQuade Charity Softball Tournament	12.14%	21
Bismarck Mandan Pickleball Club	11.56%	20
Bismarck Elks	7.51%	13
Dakota United Soccer Club	6.36%	11
Magic Soccer	4.62%	8
Bismarck Youth Baseball	4.05%	7
Bismarck Youth Fastpitch Softball	4.05%	7
University of Mary	4.05%	7
Bismarck State College	3.47%	6
Bismarck Women's Slowpitch Softball Association	3.47%	6
St. Mary's Central High School	3.47%	6
Bismarck Mandan Lacrosse	2.89%	5

Bismarck Youth Football League	2.31%	4
Special Olympics	2.31%	4
United Tribes Technical College	2.31%	4
Missouri River Baseball	1.16%	2
Other	4.05%	7