2023 COMMUNITY INPUT SURVEY SURVEY SURVEY

Bismarck Parks and Recreation District (BPRD) sought public input to help guide the 2024-26 strategic planning process. An online survey was posted on the BPRD website from Jan. 17-31, 2023. The community was invited to take the survey to in order to collect diverse viewpoints regarding strengths, opportunities for improvement and future facility and park needs. A total of 1,251 responses were received, as compared to 717 for a similar online survey in 2017. For these first questions, participants were asked to rate their response from 1-5, with 1 being Very Low and 5 being Very High.

Please rate the **value** of public parks, recreation programs, trails and facilities in enhancing the quality of life in Bismarck.



How satisfied are you with Bismarck Parks and Recreation District's parks and trails?



How satisfied are you with Bismarck Parks and Recreation District's **facilities**?



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How satisfied are you with Bismarck Parks and Recreation District's **programs**?



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How would you assess your level of satisfaction with the District's efforts in **communicating** with you?



What do you believe to be the greatest strengths of Bismarck Parks and Recreation District?



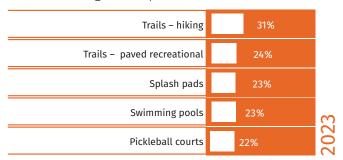


What do you believe to be the greatest opportunity for improvement for Bismarck Parks and Recreation District?

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	43%	Quality of facilities
	22%	Efficiently managed operation
	21%*	Diversity of parks, trails and facilities
~	20%	Affordability of programs and facilities
200	20%	Diversity of recreation and leisure programs and special events

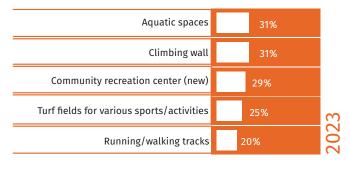
Quality of facilities	35%
Diversity of parks, trails and facilities	32%
Diversity of recreation & leisure programs & Accessibility of programs & facilities (*tie)	21%*
Quality of parks	19%
Affordability of programs and facilities & Special events (*Tie)	18%*

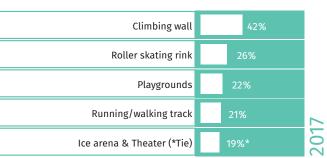
What new or **additional outdoor** parks and recreation facilities would you and/or members of your household be interested in having developed or enhanced?





What new or **additional indoor** parks and recreation facilities would you and/or members of your household be interested in having developed or enhanced?





What do you think are the **most important issues** facing Bismarck Parks and Recreation District over the next three years?

	60%		Keeping up with Bismarck's growth
C	6	37%	Staffing
		31%	Programs or facilities that have reached capacity (maximum enrollment)

	69%		Keeping up with Bismarck's growth
	39%		After-school care
201	31%	3	Programs or facilities that have reached capacity (maximum enrollment)