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City of Lancaster
Outdoor Park and Recreation Survey
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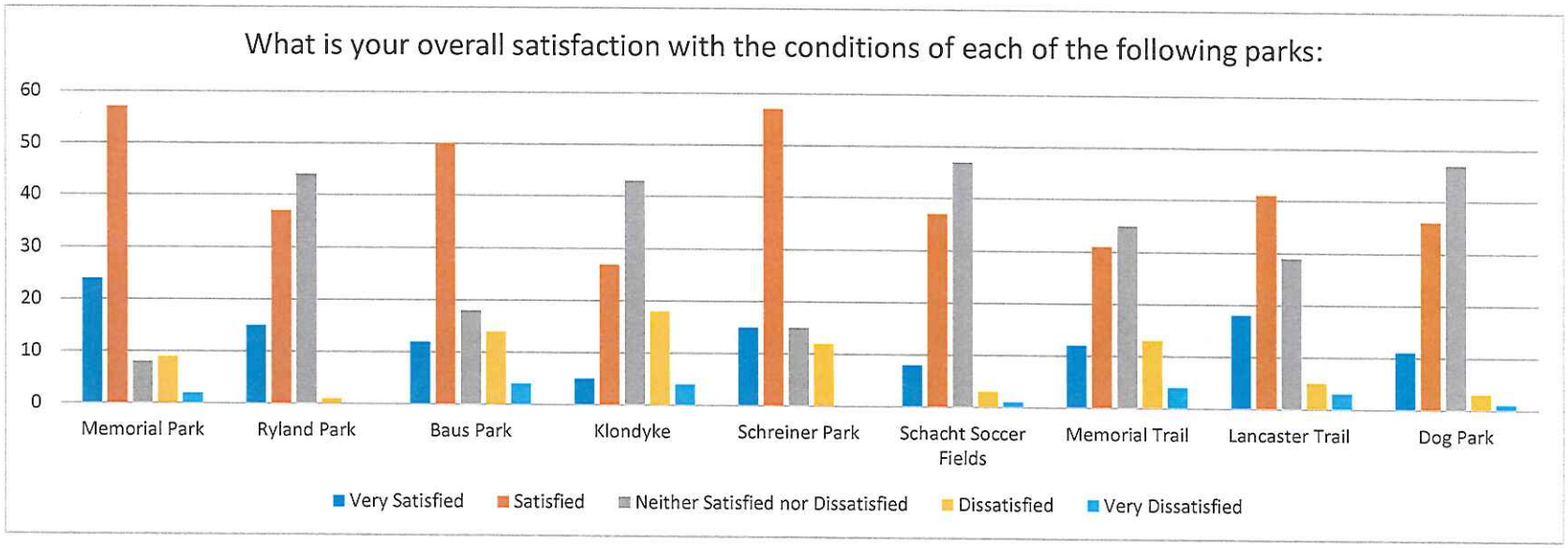
Question 1: What is your overall satisfaction with the condition of each of the following parks:

Answered: 100

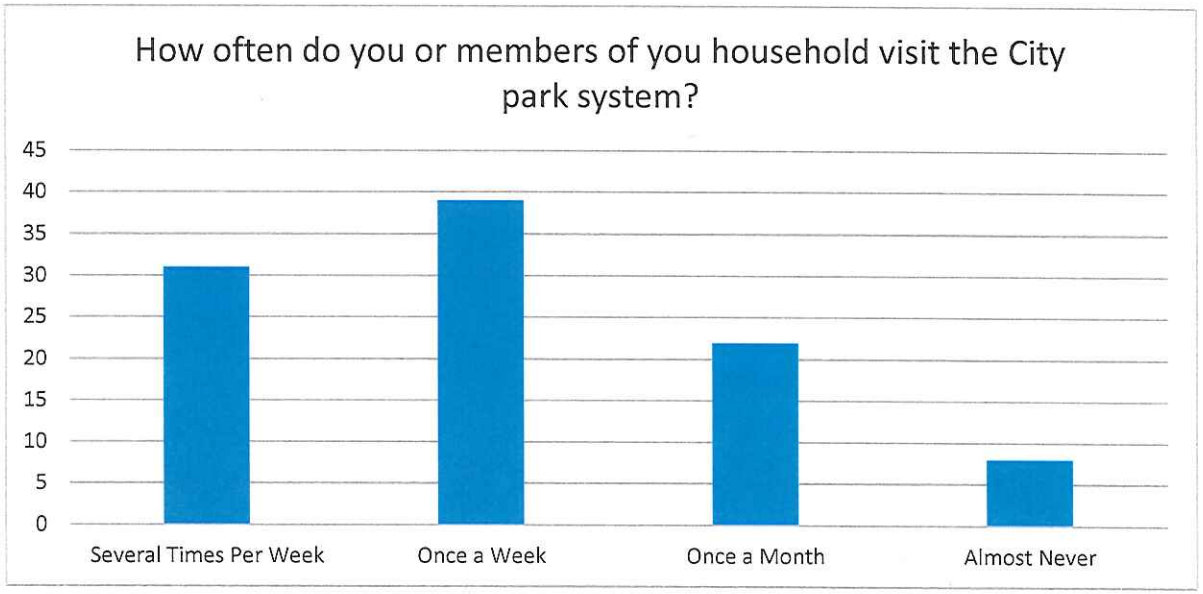
	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	Total
Memorial Park	24	57	8	9	2	100
Ryland Park	15	37	44	1	0	97
Baus Park	12	50	18	14	4	98
Klondyke	5	27	43	18	4	97
Schreiner Park	15	57	15	12	0	99
Schacht Soccer Fields	8	37	47	3	1	96
Memorial Trail	12	31	35	13	4	95
Lancaster Trail	18	41	29	5	3	96
Dog Park	11	36	47	3	1	98



Question 2: How often do you or members of your household visit the City park system?

Answered: 100

Several Times Per Week	31
Once a Week	39
Once a Month	22
Almost Never	8



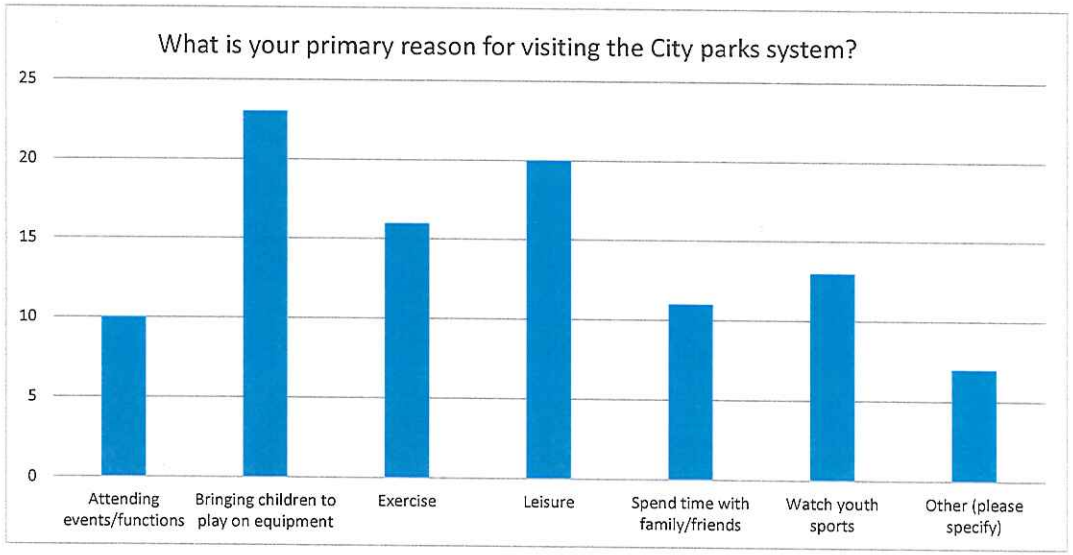
Question 3: What is your primary reason for visiting the City park system?

Answered: 100

Attending events/functions	10
Bringing children to play on equipment	23
Exercise	16
Leisure	20
Spend time with family/friends	11
Watch youth sports	13
Other (please specify)	7

1. Dog park.
2. All of the above....except playing on the equipment.
3. We attend for all of the above reasons.

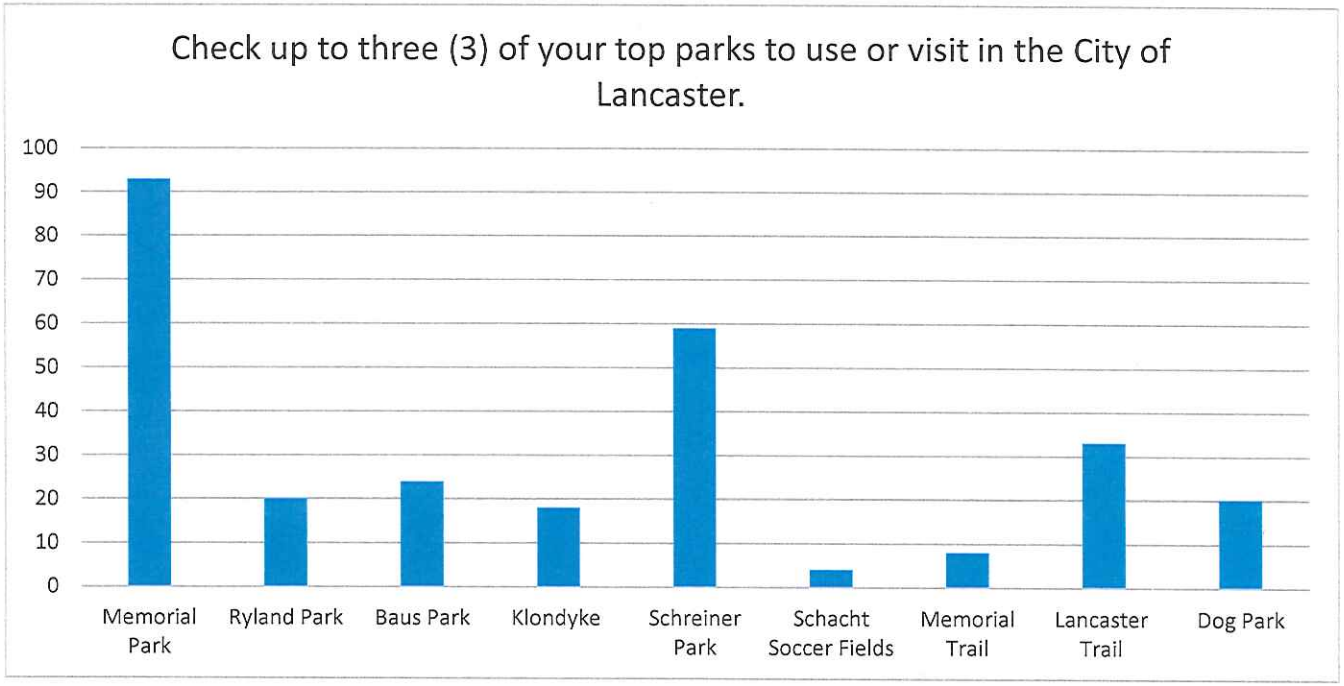
4. We spend a lot of time at Schreiners Park. It is beautiful and our dog loves to explore with us. We also love the Lancaster Trail. It is fantastic to have two parks that give nonlandowners a piece of the woods.
5. To relax
6. Dog walking running
7. Dog Park



Question 4: Check up to three (3) of your top parks to use or visit in the City of Lancaster.

Answered: 99 Skipped: 1

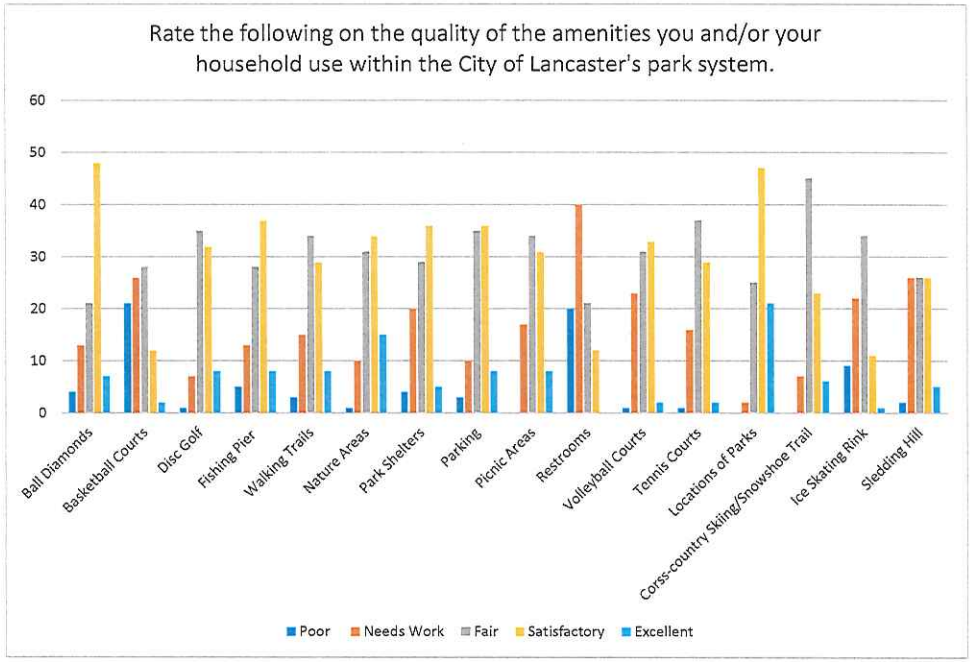
Memorial Park	93
Ryland Park	20
Baus Park	24
Klondyke	18
Schreiner Park	59
Schacht Soccer Fields	4
Memorial Trail	8
Lancaster Trail	33
Dog Park	20



Question 5: Rate the following on the quality of the amenities you and/or your household use within the City of Lancaster's park system.

Answered: 98 Skipped: 2

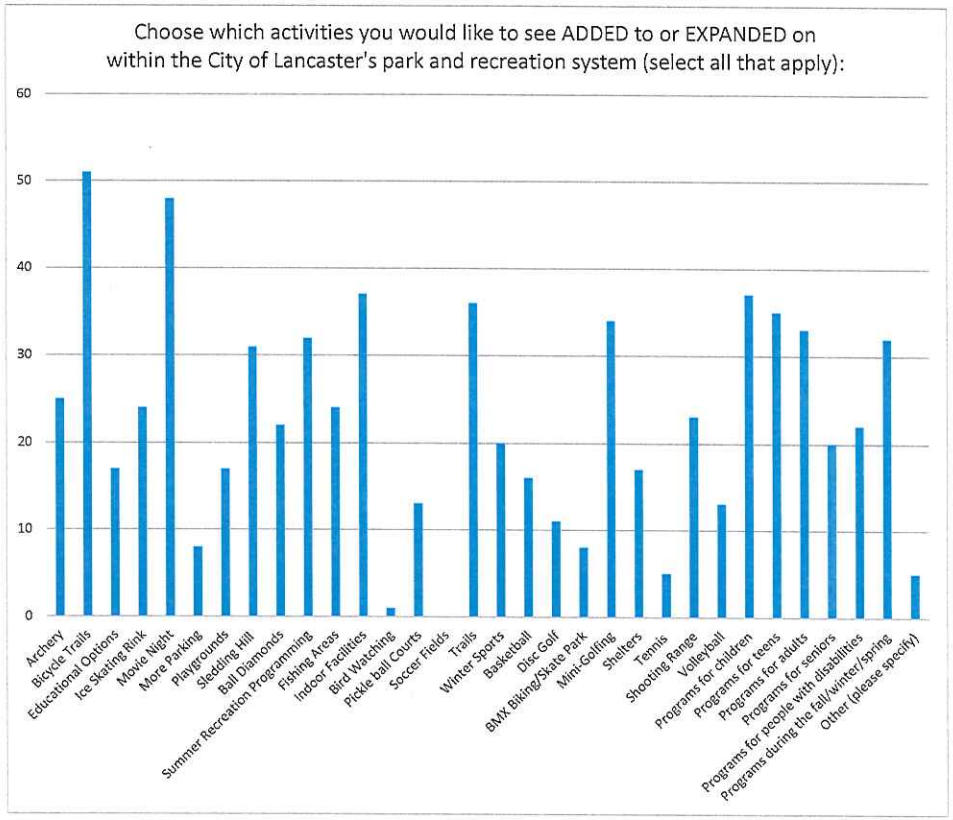
	Poor	Needs Work	Fair	Satisfactory	Excellent	Total
Ball Diamonds	4	13	21	48	7	93
Basketball Courts	21	26	28	12	2	89
Disc Golf	1	7	35	32	8	83
Fishing Pier	5	13	28	37	8	91
Walking Trails	3	15	34	29	8	89
Nature Areas	1	10	31	34	15	91
Park Shelters	4	20	29	36	5	94
Parking	3	10	35	36	8	92
Picnic Areas	0	17	34	31	8	90
Restrooms	20	40	21	12	0	93
Volleyball Courts	1	23	31	33	2	90
Tennis Courts	1	16	37	29	2	85
Locations of Parks	0	2	25	47	21	95
Corss-country Skiing/Snowshoe Trail	0	7	45	23	6	81
Ice Skating Rink	9	22	34	11	1	77
Sledding Hill	2	26	26	26	5	85



Question 6: Choose which activities you would like to see ADDED to or EXPANDED on within the City of Lancaster's park and recreation system (select all that apply):

Answered: 99 Skipped: 1

Archery	25
Bicycle Trails	51
Educational Options	17
Ice Skating Rink	24
Movie Night	48
More Parking	8
Playgrounds	17
Sledding Hill	31
Ball Diamonds	22
Summer Recreation Programming	32
Fishing Areas	24
Indoor Facilities	37
Bird Watching	1
Pickle ball Courts	13
Soccer Fields	0
Trails	36
Winter Sports	20
Basketball	16
Disc Golf	11
BMX Biking/Skate Park	8
Mini-Golfing	34
Shelters	17
Tennis	5
Shooting Range	23
Volleyball	13
Programs for children	37
Programs for teens	35
Programs for adults	33
Programs for seniors	20
Programs for people with disabilities	22
Programs during the fall/winter/spring	32
Other (please specify)	5



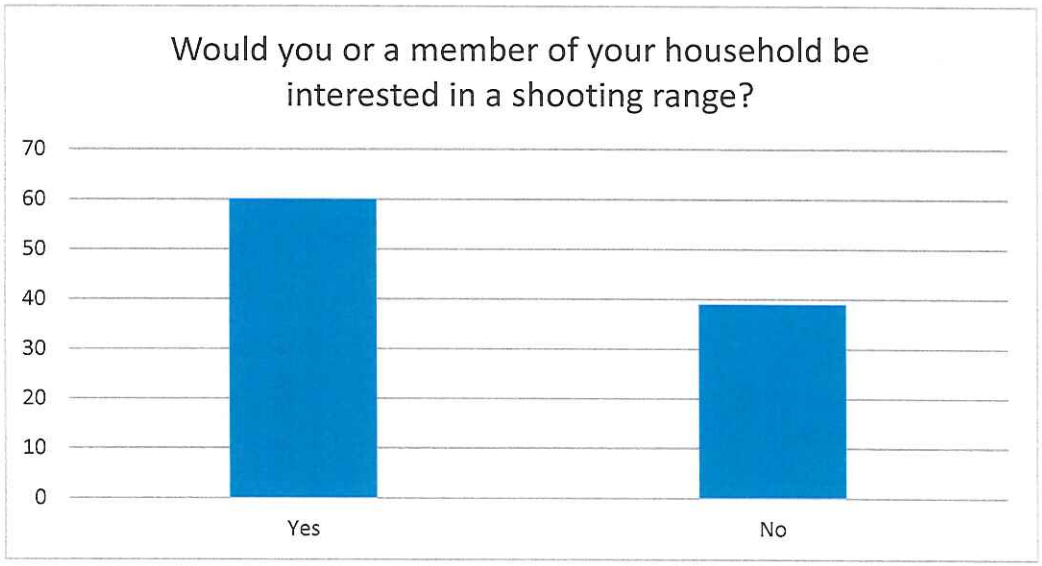
1. Does anyone even use Schacht Field? Sounds like a waste of resources and City $$$.
2. Outdoor morning & weekend fitness classes.
3. Accessibility

4. Prairie with markers on paths, maybe a tree hunt of different species around town, summer/fall petting zoo.
5. Smal swingset/slide at Ryland Park.

Question 7: Would you or a member of your household be interested in a shooting range?

Answered: 99 Skipped: 1

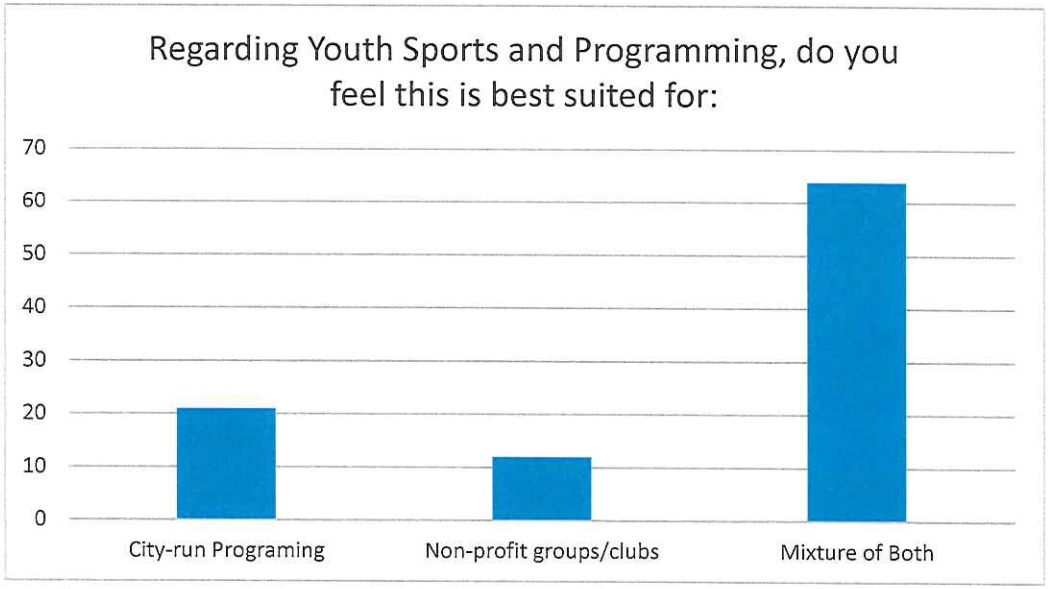
Yes	60
No	39



Question 8: Regarding Youth Sports and Programming, do you feel this is best suited for:

Answered: 97 Skipped: 3

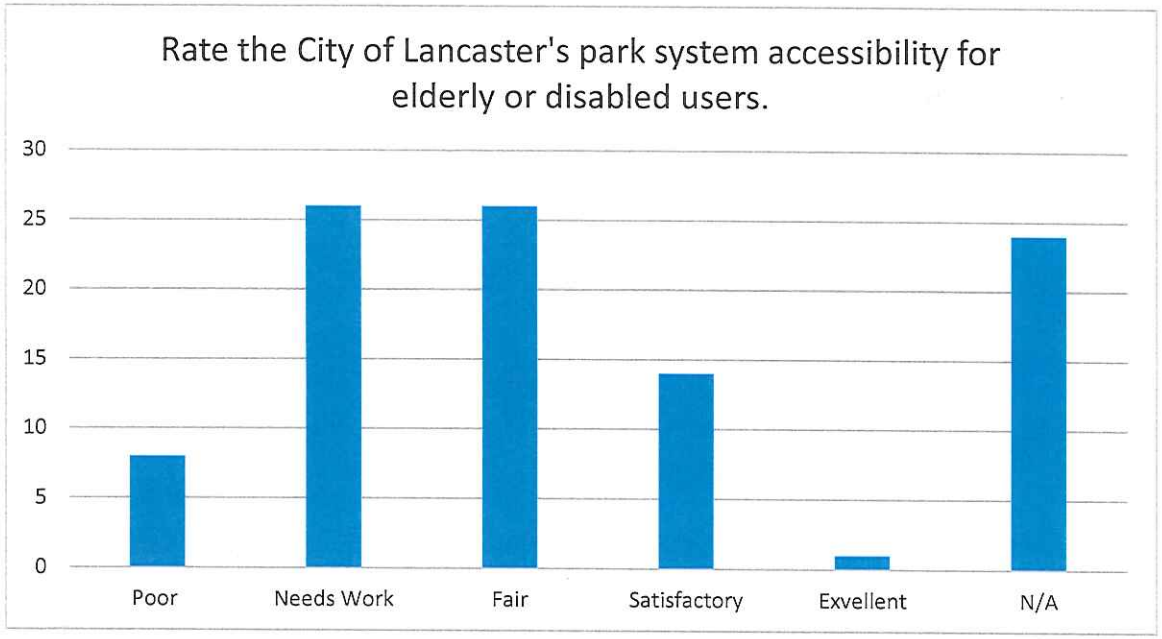
City-run Programing	21
Non-profit groups/clubs	12
Mixture of Both	64



Question 9: Rate the City of Lancaster's park system accessibility for elderly or disabled users.

Answered: 99 Skipped: 1

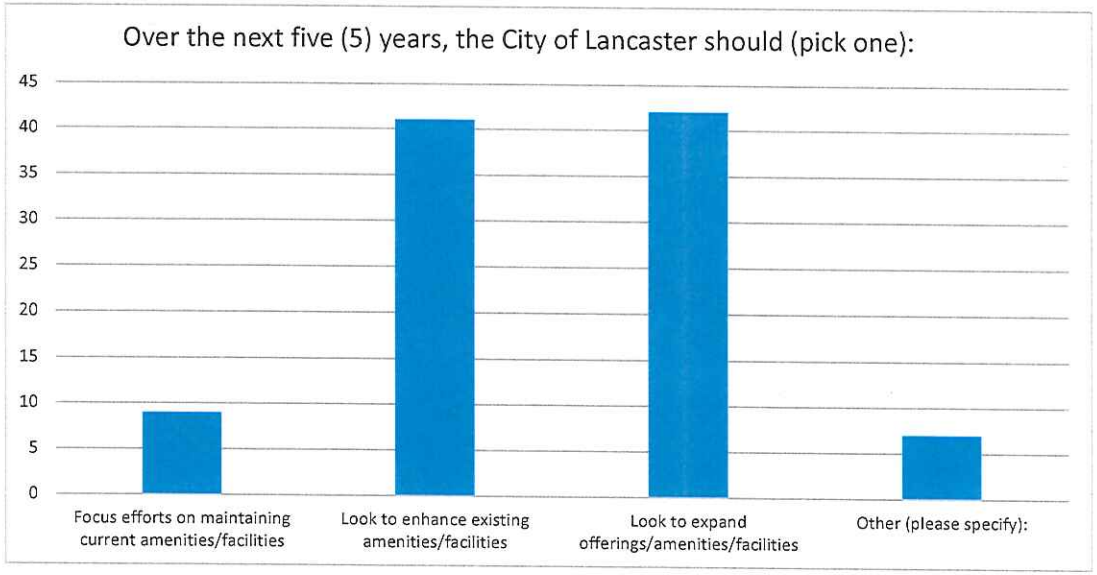
Poor	8
Needs Work	26
Fair	26
Satisfactory	14
Exvellent	1
N/A	24



Question 10: Over the next five (5) years, the City of Lancaster should (pick one):

Answer: 99 Skipped: 1

Focus efforts on maintaining current amenities/facilities	9
Look to enhance existing amenities/facilities	41
Look to expand offerings/amenities/facilities	42
Other (please specify):	7



1. Please fix the pond at Memorial Park! When I was a kid fish could actually live in it and it wasn't green.
2. Maintain current parks except Klondyke.
3. Need tournament facilities for youth thru HS.

4. Focus on accessibility for ADA.
5. Trails, running, and biking.

6. Check on their summer high school help. Four of them on two golf carts have been witnessed at least once or twice daily not doing anything but sitting on their phones, hiding at all hours of the day. Our city has been paying for these 4 who haven't been doing anything?

7. New bathrooms at Memorial Park, small swingset/slide at Ryland Park.