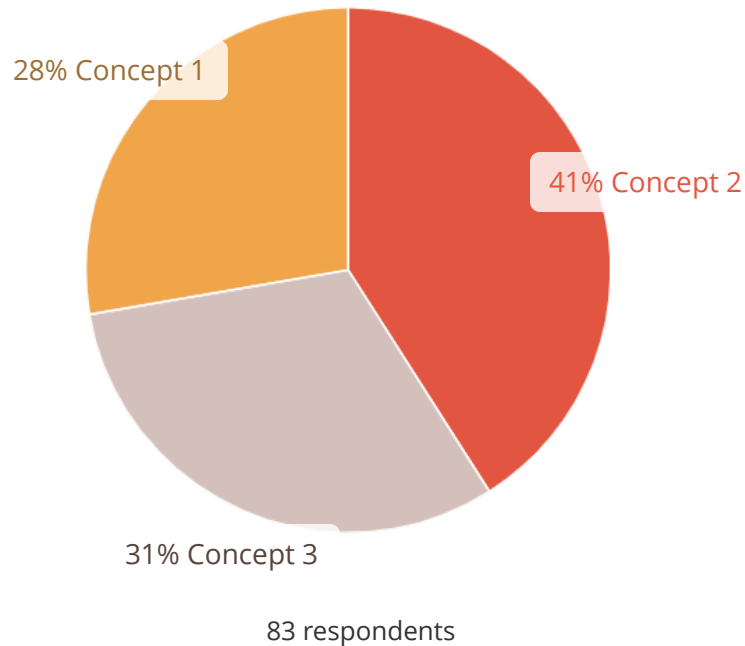


Lakeland North Urban Park

Project Engagement

VIEWS	PARTICIPANTS	RESPONSES	COMMENTS
1,217	86	83	194

1) Which one of these three park conceptual designs do you most prefer?



2) What part of this design is most important to you?

safety. Keep the homeless out

4 months ago

31 Agree

Safety, patrolling for unwanted visitors during non-open times.

4 months ago

23 Agree

parental visibility of all park areas at all times, clear view of parking lot

4 months ago

16 Agree

I like that the play areas are connect so mixed age groups can stick together. I also like that you could picnic and supervise kids easily.

4 months ago

7 Agree

More trails

4 months ago

7 Agree

I like the youth and little play areas being relatively close to eachother. I also like the design of the sensory loop being away from noisier/busier play areas.

4 months ago

6 Agree

Food trucks and blood drives. Community spaces.

4 months ago

6 Agree

safety - visibility, restrooms. Adequate parking so that traffic on 51st is minimally affected (i.e., no parking directly on 51st due to inadequate parking spaces.

4 months ago

5 Agree

Walking trails

4 months ago

5 Agree

I like the walking trails. I like how the sensory trail is spread out.

4 months ago

5 Agree

Safety. Keeping homeless out

4 months ago

4 Agree

cost and ability to keep it safe and maintained

4 months ago

3 Agree

The walking trail and environmental garden space

4 months ago

3 Agree

The 2 playground areas are close to eachother. Love the walking trails; what is the perimeter trail distance?

4 months ago

3 Agree

Keeping the park clean and safe and that sensory areas are away from the main play areas but not to far into the forest trails area.

4 months ago

3 Agree

open lawn, safety. keep the homeless out

4 months ago

3 Agree

The space for food trucks, neighborhood gatherings

4 months ago

⬆️ 3 Agree

Bbq and picnic close to parking lot educational center

4 months ago

⬆️ 3 Agree

Central Youth Area with Max Visibility all around.

4 months ago

⬆️ 2 Agree

Play areas next to eachother and away from the parking lot.

4 months ago

⬆️ 2 Agree

Long parking area feel like everyone has front row spot.

4 months ago

⬆️ 2 Agree

Trails to go walking in near my house

4 months ago

⬆️ 2 Agree

Walking trails!!!

4 months ago

⬆️ 2 Agree

Educational area

4 months ago

⬆️ 2 Agree

Safety, keeping homeless out

4 months ago

⬆️ 1 Agree

Keeping homeless out! Our parks are being overrun by them and to be honest we don't need another park to house the homeless

4 months ago

⬆️ 1 Agree

I like Concept 3 best in that it would allow for more flexible community use and the contiguous lawn space might be more useful. I do like the learning trail designs in concept 1 and 2 better however, as long as there are forest trails, that should be fine one way or another.

4 months ago

⬆️ 1 Agree

Education pavilion is a nice addition, parking is all close to the park, please ensure native plants are used. Too many nature parks are planted with unnatural plants.

4 months ago

⬆️ 1 Agree

Community meeting areas and trails.

4 months ago

⬆️ 1 Agree

Ability to supervise, and easily see surroundings

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

simple, not to be used for camping (homeless), it has to have a drinking fountain, family friendly

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

Playgrounds close to each other, also concerned about homeless and bad characters

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

I love the idea of food truck/ blood drive community stuff

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

It seems to me that this concept has more trails. I don't agree with parking and a rest area. This area is already used by the community for trails and dog park. Restrooms, BBQ, and parking invites people outside the community, traffic, and homeless. There will not be enough resources to secure it.

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

Better separation of walking dogs/people entering, exiting the main loop trail from kids running, playing at the kids play areas. Some people might want to do two laps of the main loop, others possibly less than full loop. More trails to shorten the main loop, and to give variation.

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

Clean and safe place for families

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

walking trail and speed of being finished

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

The wall seating and having the play areas close together. Also the sensory/discovery trail.

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

Mountain Bike trails

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

The connection between play areas. I like the parking layout better in this design.

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

The two large open spaces. I like how everything is spaced out so everyone can have their own privacy.

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

Play and picnic areas

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

long walking trails; keeping out homeless people

15 days ago

keeping the main loop trail. One of the few places you can sled in the winter. Keeping homeless out.

one month ago

Parking

29 days ago

that the BBQ/Picnic tables are not so close to the large group shelter; but both are convenient to the restrooms. However I do really like the stage & steps for sea

3 months ago

Playground together not separated

3 months ago

Access. Ensure that the main loop is something that could allow bikes, skates, rollerblades, wheelchairs, strollers, walkers, etc. Want to make sure there is ease of access for that main loop. Make wider - one side for walking, one for rolling, like Greenlake loop in Seattle.

3 months ago

I like the steps for seating, as well as the garden/ education area.

3 months ago

Concept 1's lawn/freestyle area against the forest lessens chances of throwing balls/frisbees into other visitors' activities. Sensory areas separate but not distant is nice. But #2's education pavilion sounds neat!

3 months ago

Family and dog friendly. This is a neighbor park.

3 months ago

zipline

3 months ago

Teens, youth and small kids play areas and picnic area, walking/running trails

3 months ago

The ability to have an environmental area and a community garden space. That is limited in SKC.

3 months ago

Keep the wooded area adding trails. Ensuring it stays clean, no overnight parking/camping, restrooms stay cleaned

3 months ago

The perimeter trail looks like it loops best in design #2. I will use it for jogging. Make it wide. Let it bypass the play areas and not be broken by the parking lot.

3 months ago

Community spaces

3 months ago

Playground proximity

3 months ago

Two age-specific play areas connected by seating area

3 months ago

The sensory/discovery trail meanders, and isn't anywhere near as limited as in Option 3 (where I think it would be ignored, largely) AND the overall play/picnic area is more condensed, which better reflects how the park will be used.

4 months ago

Don't want it in my neighborhood , it will attract the wrong people. Drug user and homeless don't need this around school kids.

4 months ago

None really I had to pick one

4 months ago

The sensory/discovery area was larger. Safety for all is important with any design

4 months ago

additional internal trail; more accessible parking in close proximity to the main area

4 months ago

All the concepts are similar. Have a dog exercise area

4 months ago

Room for a future skatepark

4 months ago

Safe access from 51st. Food trucks!

4 months ago

Ігрова зона, вбиральня , лісові стежки

4 months ago

Parent visibility to kid play areas with seating. More parking to prevent congestion.

4 months ago

The neighborhood gathering/food truck area

4 months ago

Access to parking, picnic areas, restrooms, seating, paved walkways for disabled adults and children Seating to supervise children in play areas. Incorporate play for handicapped children within youth play areas. I would like to see a larger parking lot, not everyone is within walking distance.

4 months ago

Best suited for young kids

4 months ago

Test

4 months ago

3) If you could change one thing about this design what would it be?

Ensuring facilities are locked nightly, school pathway stays clear and safe for students. Would also like to see dog poop dispensers and trash cans as we know dogs will be present.

4 months ago

17 Agree

gated of have security to keep the rampant drug and homeless crowd out

4 months ago

17 Agree

Making sure the homeless don't take over. A cleared safe trail for kids to walk to Kilo.

4 months ago

15 Agree

Add a dog park.

4 months ago

6 Agree

eliminate trees/hiding locations near restrooms and parking lot access.

4 months ago

4 Agree

Smooth paths for strollers and bikes

4 months ago

3 Agree

The bigger parking lot from concept 3 would be nice in both the other concepts to accommodate community events.

4 months ago

3 Agree

I love the idea that's only in concept 3 about room for food trucks blood drives etc.

4 months ago

2 Agree

Adequate safety measures to keep the park clean and safe for families.

4 months ago

2 Agree

As is, it looks like the perimeter trail will be about 2800ft. If you made it 2640ft (0.5 miles) per loop that would be excellent.

3 months ago

1 Agree

Ensure play structures are positioned to get least amount of sun exposure. Slides, artificial turf & plastics can get really hot during peak play time making some unusable.

4 months ago

1 Agree

circular parking area for better in and out flow

4 months ago

1 Agree

pickleball courts

4 months ago

1 Agree

Trails in forest, allow dogs, poop bags available, make parking bigger, gate the front of the park. Close at a certain time.

4 months ago

1 Agree

Not sure right now. It would be lovely to have swings and slides (most kids favorites) also would be great to have sidewalks down 315th leading to kilo and street lights and where I imagine this park will be so people can safely walk with their kids there and back

4 months ago

1 Agree

no dog park

one month ago

I think a pickleball court would be great! Even though I know that is not the scope. I hope the play area is really awesome for kids not like the Auburn town center one. That one is too small.

29 days ago

Maybe a little larger parking lot.

3 months ago

Would love a paved path for walking instead of dirt for more access for handicap and strollers

3 months ago

Include a good climbing tower/boulder site for adults too. Ensure good seating. ADA friendly access throughout. Family bathroom with changing tables for multi-ages. Lighting/Cameras. 911 Call buttons in more remote places. Plan for dogs/dog waste bins. Saying 'No dogs' doesn't work in King County.

3 months ago

Making sure that there is security for safety.

3 months ago

Folks are in a tizzy over the notion of the homeless and addicts having anything resembling a refuge. Better install a coin-op siege mortar. Police and military recruiters can host encampment bombardment demonstrations on the weekends!

3 months ago

Add a dog park

3 months ago

Add elongated rain gardens along parking lot to capture stormwater runoff.

3 months ago

Well lit areas to deter crime, gate that locks nightly, can't become like Isac Evans park in downtown where the homeless have taken it over. No overnight parking that has to be enforced, restrooms that lock at night

3 months ago

Opportunity for small event/gathering off of parking lot (food truck/neighborhood night out/blood drive)

3 months ago

I'd incorporate a sizable seasonal produce garden (p-patches?) and/or orchard on the south side of the parking lot. It's great seeing it in Option #1, and I think that's the only 'needed' thing in Option #2.

4 months ago

Cameras and detailed security plans

4 months ago

Don't do it.

4 months ago

I'd make sure that there are trails that extend far enough from the developed parts to still feel like you're in a forest. Otherwise, I like a design with sufficient parking and opportunities for community gathering while maintaining security.

4 months ago

Nothing I'm not happy about this

4 months ago

Ensure KCD conservation district etc... is involved. Volunteer native plant restoration, talks at the pavilion etc...

4 months ago

I would add an off the leash area for dogs

4 months ago

More trails.

4 months ago

Make sure there's good visibility. Enough parking for groups to gather/meet.

4 months ago

A larger parking area with more of a circular one-way flow.

4 months ago

Add a designated pet area

4 months ago

More parking

4 months ago

More shelters and tables for more parties to enjoy.

4 months ago

I would ONLY have trails and a natural field area. No other development, which discourages traffic, homeless, and drug activity. Similar to West Hill Watershed Park down the street, but with a field, since there is already one. No removal of trees at all. Plant more trees.

4 months ago

Можливо, додати кав'ярню

4 months ago

Keep the outline but make the play area and lawn larger. In concept 2 visually looks smaller than the other 1 and 3.

4 months ago

Assurance that homeless won't be allowed to trash it. Also, keeping dogs on control and with poop stations. Clean restrooms

4 months ago

Is the walking trail lighted?

4 months ago

Dog park area

4 months ago

Either a more central restroom for the play/lawn area or maybe 2 restrooms

4 months ago

Food truck parking, no dogs allowed

4 months ago

Add mountain bike trails

4 months ago

Ensuring it's safe for kids especially near the school

4 months ago

Not allowing food trucks on the property!

4 months ago

keep the homeless out

4 months ago

More play areas. Maybe a field with concession house like Steel Lake park.

4 months ago

Test

4 months ago

4) Is there something that you would like us to know about this site? Is there something that is especially important to you about this site?

51st is a high speed road (regardless of posted speed limit). Require full cross walk (lights/etc) for access for folks from east of 51st St.

Ensure forest/trail area does not provide dense/low ground cover/bushes for disreputable persons/threats

4 months ago

⬆️ 18 Agree

Keeping it safe and secure from homeless populations and narcotic activity is Paramount. Enough parking for people to drive if they wish and enjoy the picnic area. Also making it family-friendly for all ages is Paramount.

4 months ago

⬆️ 16 Agree

Need lots of lights to deter crime and homelessness.

4 months ago

⬆️ 13 Agree

The safety of the forested trails and the perimeter trails is important. Safe access from 51st st, especially since there's no sidewalks along the road.

4 months ago

⬆️ 7 Agree

Just really happy about it!

4 months ago

⬆️ 4 Agree

make sure that people stay out of nearby houses

4 months ago

3 Agree

Safety, safety, safety! Lights, locks, patrolling.

4 months ago

3 Agree

Make sure that it's safe and able to clear it out. A safe cleared path for students to get to Kilo.

4 months ago

3 Agree

Noticed there is not a dog park option here. There are many new developments in this area. This would be prime placement for a dog park. Dog owners/walkers are great block watch reps. Another gathering space that would be well used.

4 months ago

2 Agree

Lots of lights and gates to keep the park safe

4 months ago

2 Agree

Nothing at this time about the site itself I'm so glad we will have a wonderful new park close by! Love this!!!!

4 months ago

2 Agree

I disagree with commenters who want food trucks and community blood drives. Those are more appropriate for a full-on park (like Steel Lake) rather than a little nature park.

Lights should be hooded and low color temperature to minimize urban light pollution.

3 months ago

1 Agree

That invasive plants are entirely eliminated (adhering STRICTLY to native planting and ecological restoration); and that neighbors SORELY need multi-use space for walking, running, and pacing with dogs (that the trails on the map would sustain).

4 months ago

1 Agree

Clearly marked access from the school and the community to the south and west of the park is important. 308th St is blocked at Kilo Middle School, but bicycles and pedestrians should still be able to enter from somewhere on that side without having to go around to 51st if at all possible.

4 months ago

1 Agree

The outer loop trail should be paved for strollers.

4 months ago

1 Agree

A traffic circle for access from 51st would be great

4 months ago

1 Agree

This site has been used by the community since circa 2008 as a nature trail and dog park. It's great as-is and only needs development of interesting trails in the central part. Some neighbors are scared to go, due to homeless already. Please don't spoil this green space for us and create a busy mess

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

Unhoused people also need a safe place to enjoy. Monitor to keep panhandlers and camping under control and drugs and illegal activities out.

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

Sidewalks along 51st around the park would be great

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

live nearby. not happy with this proposal

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

pickleball courts should be installed

15 days ago

I would like there to be a good mile or more walking trail that is extra wide so real exercise can happen. Thoughts about a kids bike loop would be nice as well.

29 days ago

It is not clear if there will be sidewalks, crosswalks, & better lighting installed on 51st Ave leading to the park entrance. Many will be walking to the park & the road is not currently pedestrian friendly. I cringe to say it, but perhaps a traffic circle to slow down the excessive speeding.

3 months ago

Making sure it's safe and homeless don't move in. Also that the forested area is safe

3 months ago

Balance community needs with ecological needs. Preserving greenspace doesn't mean ignoring need to accommodate multi-use needs, like a field big enough for a 12-year to practice half-field kicks/touchdown passes, or enabling moms to walk their strollers and their family dogs at the same time.

3 months ago

I hope y'all don't listen to the pearl-clutching nimbies and go overboard on lighting, I know the infrastructure costs can really eat up the budget and bloat maintenance. I personally hope this park puts a stop to the regular dumping going on along 51st there.

3 months ago

Need a crosswalk from 51st or a stoplight as it's a busy street where people speed

3 months ago

Important with schools nearby to have expanded environmental education to learn about native plants, stormwater mitigation and GSI, even rain barrels for water capture off the shelters and the use of community garden to show what people are growing.

3 months ago

Cameras to ensure safety on forest trails

3 months ago

The is a lot of trash and some illegal dumping along the street side of this property.

3 months ago

Cameras and heavy lighting

4 months ago

Listen to the neighbors they don't want it.

4 months ago

Yeah isn't it wet land? Why do we need this? No one in this neighborhood wants it. Seriously what will this do for property value? Did you think about the two schools ?

4 months ago

I steward the nearby Lewis lake nature park and tried finding this property to explore last year to add input like this. But couldn't figure out where to go even though it's literally around the corner.

4 months ago

51st has a lot of high speed traffic and limited sidewalks. Safe on foot access as part of this effort would be great.

4 months ago

Keeping as much natural vegetation. And area for all. Park area for families, nature trails for others. Safety for all is a huge priority.

4 months ago

The design should include improved streets along 51st Ave. S.. People will want to walk there from surrounding areas and there are no sidewalks along major portions of the road. Also include a signalled crosswalk.

4 months ago

You have not allowed sport courts, but it would be nice to have a pickle ball court (What is the closest court to this new park location?)

4 months ago

Is there potential for a skatepark to be added

4 months ago

Зберігати парк в чистоті

4 months ago

It's very close to two schools and elementary and middle school and safety of the children is a concern because of the proximity. 51st is also very congested with traffic.

4 months ago

I agree with the comments below

4 months ago

just traffic along 51st Ave and will there be walking access from 298th and other side streets

4 months ago

I love this spot for the natural areas it currently has. I'm hopeful that the natural areas are preserved as much as possible.

4 months ago

51st is an increasingly busy street with new homes being built. Wondered about a neighborhood access (via Kilo??) but I know the affected neighbors would probably object to this (I probably would if I was one of them). We also have an increasing transient population which is a concern (safety

4 months ago

Great location, we need local parks for activities for all ages. Bike tool station/parking

4 months ago

We currently do not have homeless here and we want it to stay that way. It is a family community. We need to keep it safe.

4 months ago

Too close to the residential area - it will bring unwanted visitors.

4 months ago

Test

4 months ago

5) Is there a community group or organization you would recommend we contact regarding this park?

King country sheriffs office (we are in unincorporated king county)

4 months ago

10 Agree

Auburn police department

4 months ago

6 Agree

Yes: King Conservation District - to support ecological restoration planning and re-planting of natives when the invasives are eliminated.

4 months ago

3 Agree

VRFA

4 months ago

👍 2 Agree

Neighborhood groups, school PTAs

3 months ago

👍 1 Agree

The federal way public school system and the administration at Lake Dolloff Elementary and Kilo Middle School.

4 months ago

👍 1 Agree

No

3 months ago

Make one open field at least a half size soccer field. Lots of international kids/families nearby in apartment complexes who need room to kick a ball. Soccer is worldwide/low cost/easily accessible.

3 months ago

King conservation district -

3 months ago

King county sheriff

3 months ago

King county sheriff

4 months ago

Spend our tax money on more police

4 months ago

Tacoma Peak solutions, King County conservation district.

4 months ago

King Conservation District

4 months ago

There are many older people in the community who don't know how to use a QR code or attend a virtual meeting. Having the meeting on the weekend would increase participation and engagement.

4 months ago

There is no community group that is involved in this property.

4 months ago

Kilo Administrators

4 months ago

Neighborhoods around the park.

4 months ago

Not at this time

4 months ago
