



## Community Survey #1 - Results

April 2, 2024

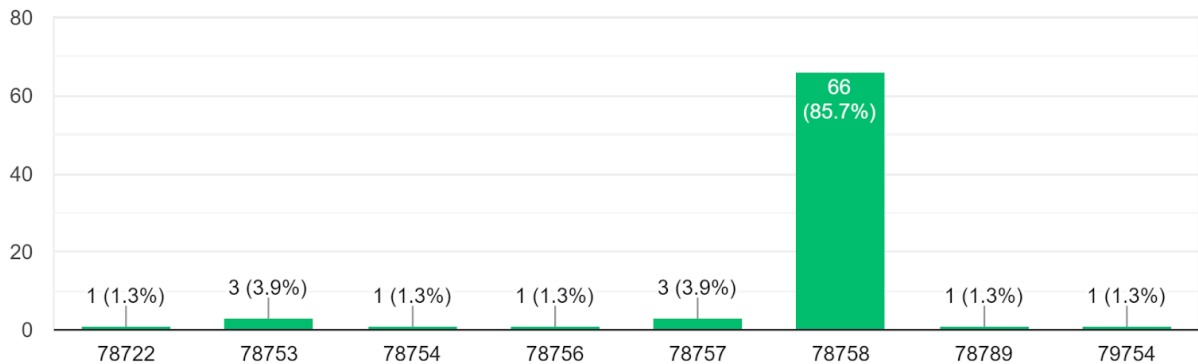
- The survey was introduced at Community Meeting #1 on Tuesday, March 5, 2024
- Community members could access the survey at [www.austintexas.gov/jamestownpark](http://www.austintexas.gov/jamestownpark) from March 5 – April 1, 2024
- We received 77 total responses. See below for the results:

### Section 1: Demographics

#### Question 1:

What is your zip code?

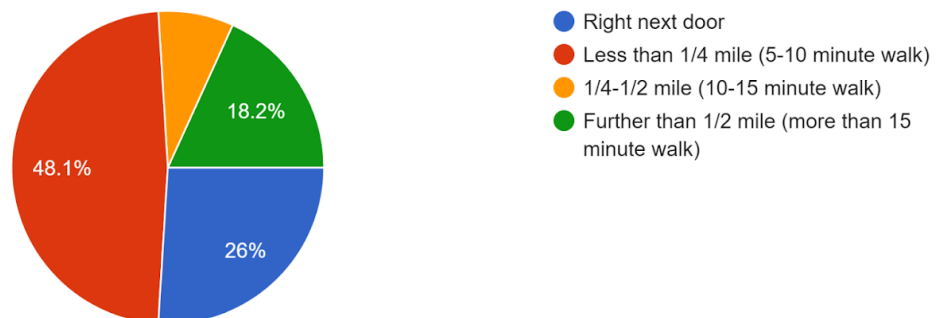
77 responses



#### Question 2:

Where do you live in relation to the park?

77 responses

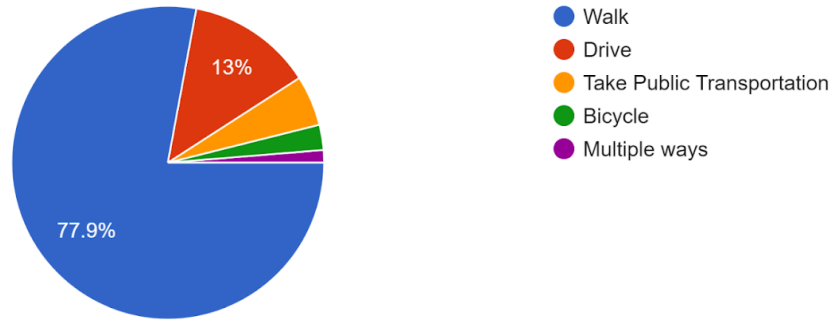




**Question 3:**

How would you get to the park?

77 responses

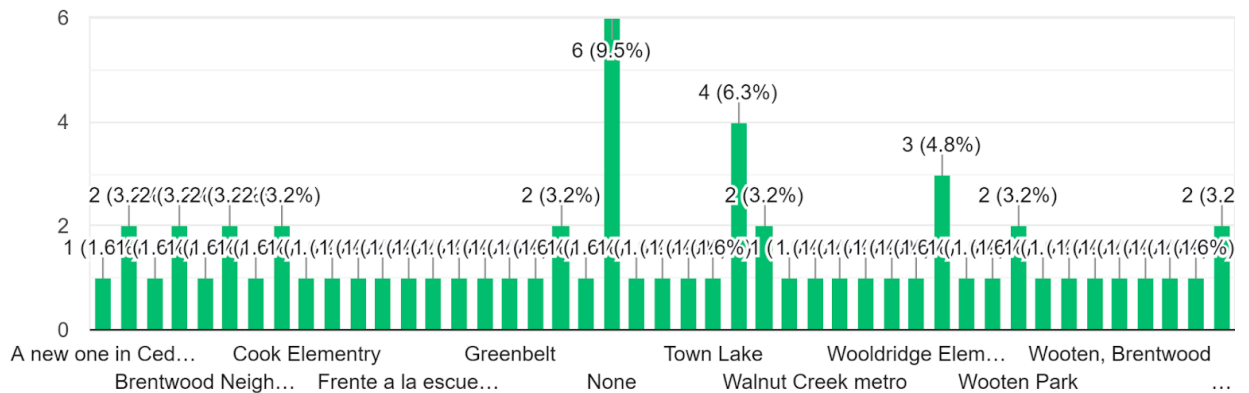


**Section 2: Park Preferences**

**Question 4:**

Which other park does your family use the most frequently?

63 responses



**Results:**

- Wooten Neighborhood Park (14)
- Walnut Creek Metro (11)
- Brentwood Neighborhood Park (10)
- None (8)
- Mueller (4)
- Wooldridge (3)

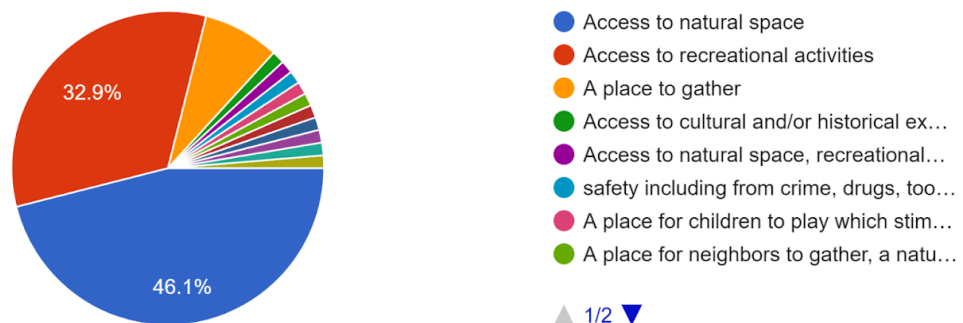


- Barrington School Park (3)
- Central Park (2)
- Pease Park (2)
- Cook Elementary (2)
- Navarro High School (2)
- Northwest (2)
- Kennemer Pool
- El Salido Pool
- Domain
- Barton Springs
- Georgian Acres
- Gracywoods
- Granger Lake
- Greenbelt
- Metropolitan Park
- Ramsey
- Town Lake
- Ron Rigsby
- Lady Bird Lake Hike and Bike Trail
- Beverly Sheffield Northwest District Park
- Bull Creek
- Zilker

### Question 5:

Which value is most important to you for the future park?

76 responses



### Key Takeaways:

- Access to natural space and recreational opportunities was the top priority for nearly 79% of respondents.
- Other responses include:
  - (4) Concerns of safety from drugs, crimes, proximity to the road, etc.
  - (3) Dog friendly or open space for dogs to play



## Jamestown Neighborhood Park Overall Park Planning

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- A place for neighbors to gather, a natural space for the wild life, and place for walking dogs
  - Access to children with wheelchairs
  - A place for children to play which stimulates vestibular system and allows them to be in nature
  - Grass for softball or soccer etc
  - Place to exercise
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### Question 6:

What is the primary reason you think you will use Jamestown Neighborhood Park in the future?

76 responses



### Key Takeaways:

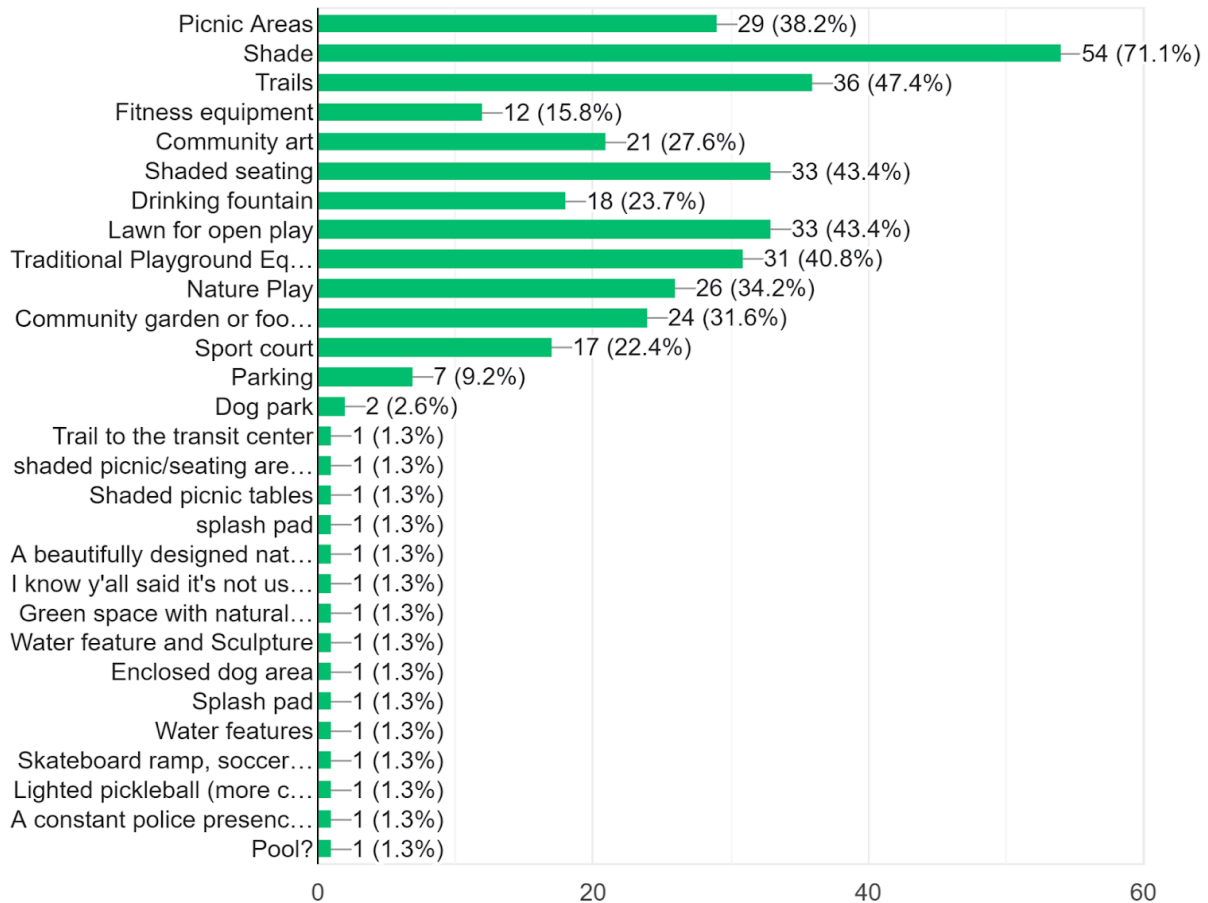
- The most popular response was “a place to bring children” with 39.5% of responses.
  - The second most popular response was “a way to connect with nature”.
  - “Community and family gathering” and “a place to bring your dog” were both selected by 14.5% of respondents.
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### Question 7:

Which park elements would you most like to see included in the park? Check your top 5.

76 responses



### Key Takeaways:

- Shade was chosen by 71% of respondents and shaded seating was chosen by 43% of respondents.
- Trails, picnic areas, lawn or open play, and traditional play equipment were popular among 35% or more of respondents.
- Play equipment received a combined 75% of responses with nature play receiving 34% and traditional play equipment receiving 41%.





**Question 9:**

Do you have any other hopes or concerns about the development of this park?

**Key Takeaways:**

- Top Concerns:
  - Safety (related to crime, drug activity, homeless encampments, highway proximity)
  - Potential for the park to attract unhoused people and crime
  - Noise from the highway
  - Impact on surrounding neighborhoods (traffic, trash, safety)
  - Maintaining the natural environment
  - Inclusivity and accessibility for all community members
  - Funding and maintenance of park amenities
  - Proximity to establishments like a gambling hall
- Top Hopes:
  - Creation of a safe and enjoyable space for children and families
  - Provision of shaded areas and amenities like benches and picnic tables
  - Inclusion of playground equipment suitable for all ages and ADA compliance
  - Addition of features like a splash pad, butterfly garden, or wildlife habitat
  - Minimal parking with a focus on green space
  - Connectivity to transit centers or surrounding neighborhoods
  - Development of a community gathering space for families and neighbors
  - Successful implementation and utilization of the park as public space

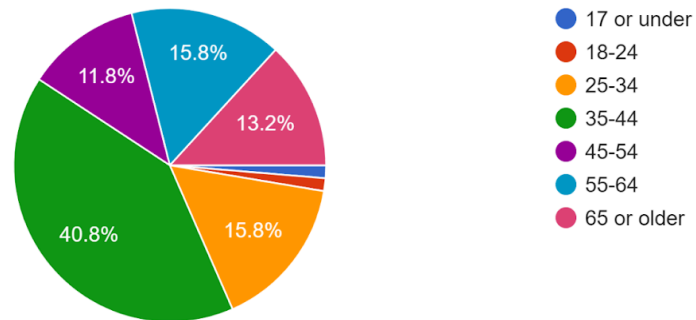


### Section 3: Demographics

#### Question 10:

What is your age?

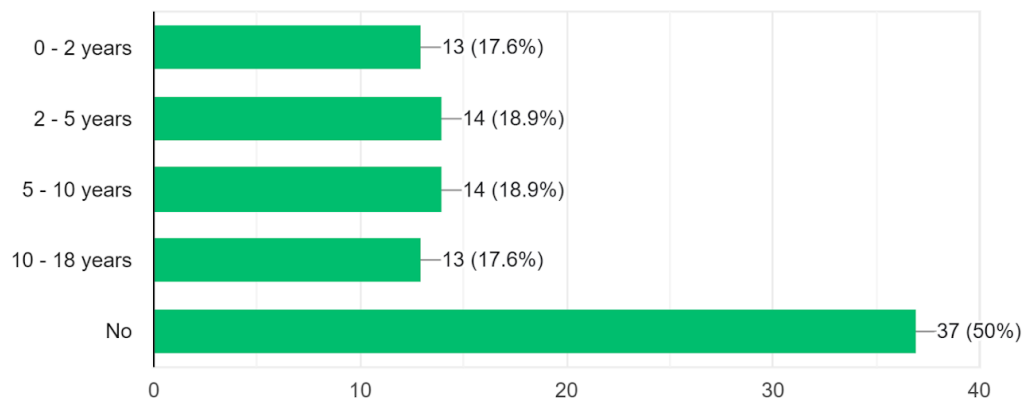
76 responses



#### Question 11:

Does your household have children? If so, how old are they?

74 responses



#### Key Takeaways:

- Households with and without children were split 50/50%.
- The proposed design will provide recreational opportunities for children and adults. Comfort will key for the enjoyment of visitors young and old.

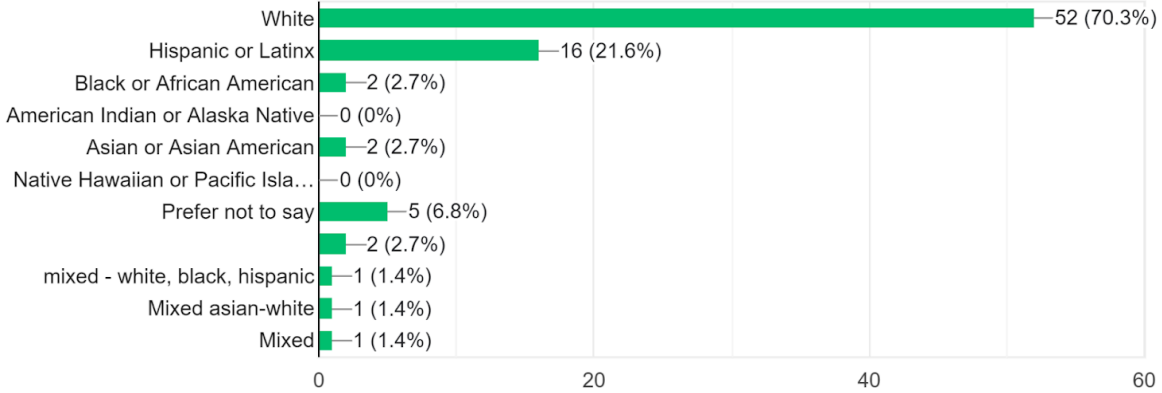




### Question 12:

What is your race/ethnicity?

74 responses



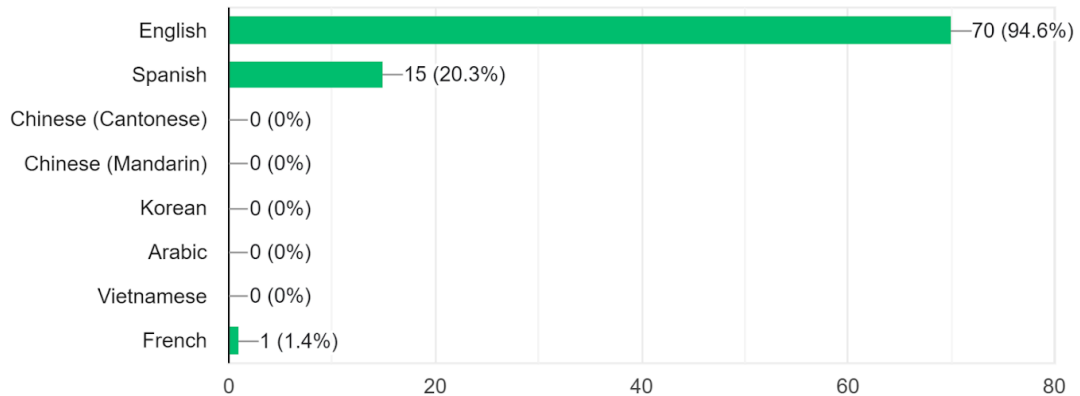
### Key Takeaways:

- The community engagement efforts will continue to try and reach a population that is reflective of the neighborhood demographics.

### Question 13:

What language is spoken in your home?

74 responses



### Key Takeaways:

- Interpretation services will be provided at all community events and all public presentations will be provided in both English and Spanish. Surveys, flyers, signage will also be in Spanish.

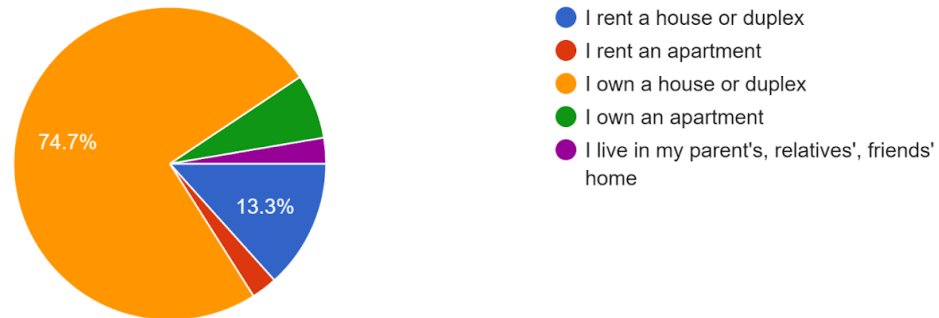


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**Question 14:**

Please describe where you currently live:

75 responses



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**Question 15:**

How did you hear about this project?

**Key Takeaways:**

1. Neighbors: 14
2. Facebook: 10
3. Flyers: 10
4. Family member: 5
5. City Council email: 4
6. NACA (Neighborhood Association of the Quail Creek Area): 4
7. Austin Parks Foundation (APF): 3
8. Signs: 3
9. GANA (Gracywoods Neighborhood Association): 2
10. City of Austin Website: 1
11. Chito's newsletter: 1
12. Living Streets program: 1
13. Wooldridge School: 1
14. HOA (Homeowners Association): 1
15. Alejandro: 1
16. It's My Park Day: 1