



# Appendix D

## Raw Public Input Data

Where in UA?	In your opinion, how could the City improve the parks, recreation and leisure facilities / programs it offers to its residents?
South of Lane Avenue	(1) More bike paths/bike lanes!!!! Given our location to DT, individuals should easily be able to ride downtown to work. (2)We need a community center, (or YMCA) and you could attach the Senior Center to it and create wonderful synergies. (3)We have great parks and as the population grows they become more and more valuable. Areas north of Lane should have the "Triangle Park" type spaces as well. (4)Having moved from German Village and dealing with the problems of having dogs off leash, I strongly encourage that the leash laws remain intact and enforced. Dog owners who want to let their dogs run off leash can take them to the designated areas in Columbus. (5) Keep planting trees or at least run a campagne for residents to plant trees and negotiate a deal with Oakland for UA residents. (I'll help with that one, though I don't know about trees.)
South of Lane Avenue	1. Bicycle lanes to parks;2. Plant/Create more shade at Miller Park
South of Lane Avenue	1.KEEP THE POOLS OPEN LONGER IN THE FALL. IT'S STILL HOT IN SEPTEMBER.;2. Don't forget people who don't have children. Make the parks, activities inviting for people who don't want to be around children all the time.
South of Lane Avenue	A centralized location, new facility at Kingsdale
South of Lane Avenue	A rec center at Kingsdale similar to Dublin's one. Or perhaps partner with the YMCA to provide a rec center.
South of Lane Avenue	an indoor pool in a central location preferably on a cota bus route
South of Lane Avenue	An indoor pool would be a terrific addition to this community -- perhaps located in the Kingsdale area? Clamp down on owners that do not clean up after their dogs. Minimize use of pesticides and herbicides to keep the parks safe for our children.
South of Lane Avenue	an indoor rece center with a pool would really help. People move to UA for the swimming and water polo teams at the high school level. UASC is crunched and its growth is being stunted because it doesn't have access to a pool. An indooor pool can also be a place for young kids to have birthday parties year round. I have taken my kids to Westerville and Dublin for such parties.
South of Lane Avenue	ask more people what they would like to do
South of Lane Avenue	Better connectivity to parks with sidewalks where there currently are none.
South of Lane Avenue	Build a community center somewhere in Kingsdale. Check the Westerville Community Center
South of Lane Avenue	Build a rec center; remodel/update Devon and Tremont pools!
South of Lane Avenue	Build a recreation center.
South of Lane Avenue	by giving us a rec center for indoor activities
South of Lane Avenue	By letting private business meet the need for adult fitness and recreation, focus on truly public needs not possible by private - such as bike trails, and have bike trails and lanes that serve school children to encourage exercise and cut down pollution.
South of Lane Avenue	Community Center would be a major addition. ;For all the use that Thompson Park get, the turf is very poor - sprinklers?
South of Lane Avenue	continue upgrading the neighborhood pools,
South of Lane Avenue	Create a rec center
South of Lane Avenue	Desperately need a rec facility for UA middle/high school students to use, with space for physical and social activities; if UA can't swing it, why not invite a YMCA to set up shop?
South of Lane Avenue	Even more green space and childrens programs
South of Lane Avenue	Facilities are adequate at this time.
South of Lane Avenue	fitness center
South of Lane Avenue	Get a YMCA in UA
South of Lane Avenue	Have public meetings, citizen imput and develop a master plan.
South of Lane Avenue	Help bring the Scioto Trail to UA and improve connectivity to parks and schools through neighborhoods.
South of Lane Avenue	I feel, as I proposed years ago that it would be beneficial to the city to enclose one of the current pools even if using one of the seasonal balloon tents like used at a workout facility in newark and the gulf range on east broad street. Or to cover with a builing of some sort so that residents could realize a value in the pools system year round. I would be more willing to buy a membership and pay a little more for it. I end up taking my child to Dublin to swim off-season. If a new rec center is not possible why not consider this option? Especially when the two pools still need remodeled anyway. Otherwise I think the rest of the rec system is doing pretty good.

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South of Lane Avenue	I think the City does a very nice job with its recreation facilities and programs.
South of Lane Avenue	I think the programs are great and anyone who wants information can easily get it.
South of Lane Avenue	I think they are great as they are.
South of Lane Avenue	I would like to see a community rec center. Not just for an indoor pool, but a safe place for teens to be for hanging out. A general purpose meeting rooms would facilitate entertainment, and learning opportunities. ;;If it can be a community theater (for recitals) and plays, that would also be a big plus.
South of Lane Avenue	Improve the Devon and Tremont pools. You did a great job developing a theme for Reed Road. Use that credibility to push for a possilbe year round pool at Tremont or Devon.
South of Lane Avenue	Increase number of soccer and lacrosse fields. ;Transform Trmont pool to an indoor facility
South of Lane Avenue	Inprove Devon and Tremont pools
South of Lane Avenue	Integrate programming at Tremont to include the library and the parks together. Same with Lane Road/Thompson Park. More family events like outdoor movies but at more locations. Bike path through city with lines painted on streets and through paved parts of the parks?
South of Lane Avenue	it is enough for now
South of Lane Avenue	It would be nice to have a rec center like Dublin. I am unsure how fiscally possible this would be.
South of Lane Avenue	keep doing the same
South of Lane Avenue	keep pristine and maintained.
South of Lane Avenue	Less ambituous, a pool is a pool, etc. Make things functional and well-maintained so those in UA who are not the most upper class can afford to use them
South of Lane Avenue	Miller park needs sidewalks on Tremont and Stanford roads. Since the Libray is undercontruction it would be an excellet time to do it. The children and moms with strollers could walk safely to the libray and use the park with out the worry of getting hit by a car. (saftey issue)
South of Lane Avenue	Modernize. Build new facilities that keep pace with bordering towns. It's a shame to be out-done by Dublin and Worthington in this area.
South of Lane Avenue	More green space.
South of Lane Avenue	More organized activities in the evenings for parents with their children.
South of Lane Avenue	More park benches for the elderly.
South of Lane Avenue	More walking and bike paths. Choose another pool to completely renovate, then close the other - I dont' care which is which, but keeping Tremont makes more sense because it has the library and park right there also. Also, DON'T OFFER AN ACTIVITY THAT CHILDREN (OFTEN THE SAME ONES)ARE CLOSED OUT OF YEAR AFTER YEAR - SANTA EVENT AT LANE ROAD PARK!!!!
South of Lane Avenue	no
South of Lane Avenue	No improvement needed.
South of Lane Avenue	No opinion
South of Lane Avenue	not sure
South of Lane Avenue	Numerous other cities, villages, and communities have established partnerships with the YMCA. UA should reach out to this organization for opportunities within the city. Why hasn't UA been proactive in a similar endeavor rather than burden the city and it's residents with an issue such as the redevelopment of Kingsdale into a tax payer funded community center?
South of Lane Avenue	Offer more free programs for kids--more than just story time at the library.
South of Lane Avenue	Open a Rec Center at Kingsdale!
South of Lane Avenue	Opening a community center
South of Lane Avenue	Our big red golden retriever, Sadie, looks forward to the evening social time in the parks when she can run with her friends and get exercise off the leash. This is so important for dogs of all shapes and sizes and the high majority of the dogs are very, very well behaved. I just wish there was more opportunity for dogs to do this. Perhaps if there was a green space in one of the parks where they could go any time of the day, with a fence around it. We all pick up after our dogs.
South of Lane Avenue	outdoor parks need bathroom facilities; need for community rec center (would be nice to have indoor/outdoor pool and close one of the older pools and renovate the other)
South of Lane Avenue	Porta potties in the ball parks
South of Lane Avenue	Provide a local indoor recreation facility
South of Lane Avenue	provide a work out facility
South of Lane Avenue	Quit worrying about the parks. They are fine. Let's think about how we can limit taxes so young prople can afford to live in UA. The government is making people move out because of the high cost of taxes.
South of Lane Avenue	Reassess utilization of present facilities for greater use. NO COMMUNITY CENTER AT KINGSDALE

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South of Lane Avenue	Rec center
South of Lane Avenue	Sidewalks would do more for the community than more p-r-l facilities
South of Lane Avenue	Strictly enforce laws that keep dogs out of parks, whether on a leash or not. Enact or strictly enforce laws that require people to pick up dog excrement. Create attractive, accessible walking paths. Keep residents who jog and walk off the streets -- in south Arlington they walk in the middle of the streets. A recreation facility at Kingsdale could be helpful. The city needs to be careful about biting off more than it can chew.
South of Lane Avenue	supervision of parks, prevent adult use of children’s equipment, dogs running loose, taking over the park for sometype of “practice”, golf, scoccer, baseball,etc.
South of Lane Avenue	The city needs more baseball diamonds, and they need to be of much MUCH higher quality. Ours are the worst in Franklin County.
South of Lane Avenue	The City should have excellent pools, but the Reed Road water park was an unnecessary extravagance.
South of Lane Avenue	The parks suit my purposes very well so I don’t have suggestions for change. I do believe, however, that the city should not take on the responsibility of supporting a rec center.
South of Lane Avenue	The standard has been set by Dublin.
South of Lane Avenue	There needs to be more programs geared toward high school students. I think underage drinking is a major problem because of an ongoing culture in UA and the fact that the city lacks extensive activities for this age group. As a parent & teacher I want to hear more about the positive experiences UA teens are having than the negative ones. I’d be willing to help brainstorm in this area.
South of Lane Avenue	This is a bogus issue. Stay focused on attracting business and broadening the tax base.
South of Lane Avenue	We need a rec center.
South of Lane Avenue	We need a recreation center and SOMETHING useful at Kingsdale. Target is far better than a retail wasteland. It’s embarassing and irresponsible that city council allows this to continue to be a problem.
South of Lane Avenue	We need a recreation center like Westerville has.
South of Lane Avenue	We need an indoor recreation center--I must now take my two young boys to Dublin and Westerville. Plus I pay yearly dues to a health club outside of Upper Arlington. I would MUCH rather have a community center IN U.A. and pay my dues to them.
South of Lane Avenue	We need dog parks and bicycle / running paths.
South of Lane Avenue	While I know UA worked on this idea a few years ago, I still think that the most beneficial use of Kingsdale would be to create a community center. We are one of the only established communities in Columbus without one, and it would add such a great new facet of life for residents.
South of Lane Avenue	WITHOUT A DOUBT...We need a recreation center on level with other Suburban Communities...Dublin, Worthington, Westerville, etc. where now many of our citizens need to go for activities. We lost a golden opportunity years agao when we let the sale of Fishing School and its property go through. WE NOW NEED TO FIND ANOTHER GREAT LOCATION FOR OUR UA Community. Let’s focus on PLAY and STAY IN UA, as well as SHOP IN UA !
South of Lane Avenue	Would like to see the city create a fenced in area for off-leash dog use with unlimited hours in one or more of the parks
South of Lane	*Need bicycle friendly policies: Signals that can be triggered by cyclists, removing bumps from intersections, improve visibility by removing bushes near intersections.*More sidewalks; connectivity between neighborhoods without running along busy streets;*Playgrounds appropriate to a wider age range;*Bathrooms at playgrounds;*Swim lessons, other activities for kids available for evenings and weekends for families that work 9-5.
South of Lane	A city owned fitness center, similar to that in Dublin, or even something simpler would be acceptable, so we don’t have to drive to Hilliard to work out. Winnetka, Illinois is a smaller suburban community outside of Chicago that has a community center and a small fitness center within it. Good examples can be found inside and outside of Ohio; we lived in Winnetka for 8 years so it is a comparision point for us. The city has more than enough pools, why not an indoor weight training and aerobics center?
South of Lane	As a new homeowner, young professional and new mother I/we are not as established as most in the Upper Arlington area. We are not able to join (and are not interested in joining) a Country Club and would like to see a city run Recreation Center in Upper Arlington similar to that of Dbulin Rec. It seems that most of the neighboring communities have one such facility. This is a big draw back to living in Upper Arlington.
South of Lane	Because of demands of work, I could not attend any planning sessions or neighborhood meetings
South of Lane	Better baseball fields with updated stands and press box. Indoor pool.
South of Lane	bike paths. put a Y in kingsdale, recreation for all ages. the last try for a community center was too fancy.
South of Lane	BUILD A COMMUNITY CENTER!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
South of Lane	Build an ice rink in UA which would be self sustaining financially!!!
South of Lane	Building and indoor aquatic center for year round use.

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South of Lane	city is doing a good job
South of Lane	Continue to keep the parks, recreation and leisure facilities/programs the high quality that they are. I would rather see a few high quality programs instead of many programs, catering to a lot of different groups, that are of a lower quality.
South of Lane	Doing a good job now
South of Lane	Enclose Tremont Pool for year-round use. Extend Devon season to take advantage of heated facility.;;Acquire more green space. The best way to do this would be to take Scioto Country Club by ED and make part of it commercial and the rest green space. This would generate desperately needed revenue for the city.
South of Lane	First and foremost, connectivity should be improved by adding more sidewalks. I realize this may not fall into the scope of Parks & Rec, but it directly affects to what extent our family uses nearby parks, libraries, and businesses (and Mallway activities such as Farmer’s Market). Specifically, the Barrington school district needs more sidewalks because regular busing is not available to the students (due to the way the attendance area is set up). In order of priority, these are the streets that need sidewalks in our area: the bottom section of Cambridge Blvd.; the bottom section of Tewksbury; Oxford Rd.; Yorkshire (of course, we’d love our street to have sidewalks...Ellington Rd, but it’s a small street where the residents would likely need to fund the sidewalks....we’d be more likely to do that if an Ellington Rd sidewalk actually CONNECTED with a sidewalk on Cambridge or Oxford...which then led continuously to parks, Mallway, MP Library, Barrington, etc.);Second to my sidewalk wishes, I would also love to see a UA Indoor Rec Center.Thanks for taking our input!
South of Lane	First, I want to start off by saying I REALLY like this on-line survey. I can never attend the meetings and this is a great way to allow residents to have their voice heard, because it truly is difficult to set a date and time that everyone can make.;;I am a little offended that we offer non-residents only a SLIGHTLY higher rate for programs that in my opinion are a bit high for the residents. Shouldn_t we set the cost lower for residents and higher for non-residents? That is partly why we pay such high taxes. Lastly, the parks need restroom facilities.
South of Lane	Have no opinion. Don’t want higher taxes.
South of Lane	I still consider myself relatively new to the city - learning what it has to offer. But I haven’t found a fitness facility to use other than privately owned facilities (such as the one in Tremont). Not sure if a Y or City fitness center is being considered?
South of Lane	I’d like to see bicycle paths added.
South of Lane	Improve the facilities at Devon Pool. The pool itself is fine however the bathrooms are terrible. I would like to see that facility completely updated.
South of Lane	Indoor community pool at Tremont pool site including rec. activities at Kingsdale squash and raguet ball courts open “gym” areas for 18+
South of Lane	Keep present parks in good condition. Do NOT, DO NOT waste money on a recreation/community center. There are plenty of places for people to go if they want a gym or pool etc. Don’t try to get me to pay for others’ lack of initiative in getting exercise.
South of Lane	more bike paths that connect to other central ohio paths- also more variety in the programs offered by the lifetime learning series -more summer concerts,but NOT at the municiple building.
South of Lane	More business development, perhaps seek private funding, perhaps seek out a more motivated developer to purchase kingsdale from current owner??? Get creative!!! This re-devl can happen without taxes
South of Lane	My ideal situation would be for UA to have a gym/work out facility that is open long hours and is more centrally located around Lane Avenue, or Kingsdale.
South of Lane	need a rec center. Almost every other suburb offers a YMCA or a rec center
South of Lane	Need to focus a large part of our efforts on current facilities - improving/updating (ie. pools) and increase funding toward landscaping / weeding / etc (we are far behind other Columbus areas).
South of Lane	no improvement necessary
South of Lane	Offer more year round activities for middle school/high school and adults, the age groups that do not have activities targeted to.
South of Lane	Overall, have been very impressed with the activities offered. Could offer more for young children (under 3 yrs of age - specifically under 18 months.) Would like to see a community recreation center for residents to use.
South of Lane	Parks, recreation and leisure facilities are fine. The city needs to focus on infastructure NOW!
South of Lane	provide new, expanded Senior Center;new recreation center (pool, gym, etc.);sidewalks and bike paths to facilities;improve outdoor volleyball courts
South of Lane	Satisfied with facilities and programs at parks & rec, but maybe they should temporarily raise user fees at facilities to help pay for improvements at these facilities
South of Lane	Summer concerts that residents can walk to at neighborhood parks - Northam, Miller, Thompson, etc.

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South of Lane	The bathroom facilities at Devon pool are terrible and need to be renovated to be clean, modern and have showers/lockers.
South of Lane	The biggest thing our family (children ages 8&10) would like to have is a community recreation center -- there is no where nearby (we live South of Lane) where we can "play" as a family indoors -- swim, exercise, participate in classes together, gather and see neighbors & friends from all over UA, use for neighborhood or community meetings, parties. The private clubs nearest our area are too expensive for our family, & even then some amenities are only open during the Summer. The idea of "family fitness" is really important to the health & well being of our community, and we're not even health nuts. It would be wonderful if the kids could be participating in a kids yoga class, while we work out, or could be playing in a supervised recreational space while we took a class, or could have swimming or diving lessons while we relaxed with a cup of coffee. You can get all those things from a private club, or "around town", but there is no "one stop" for all these things. Kingsdale is in the heart of UA & should be redeveloped.
South of Lane	This city needs a recreation facility that would be open to the public. It is a disgrace that we do not have such a place in Upper Arlington.
South of Lane	UA analyzes everything too much, all talk and no action. Every suburb has a rec center, if you want to attract families build the rec center. Just do it or something, this debate has gone on way to long with no action. I and I am sure many others are tired of discussing it.
South of Lane	UA needs a recreation center with indoor swimming. We are the only city that does not offer these facilities. Kingsdale is a true blemish on the city. For instance, the Union has been vacant for 20+ years! Shameful for a city with our reputation that a vacancy has been permitted to happen. Kingsdale is shameful. Its the perfect place for a rec center with indoor pool. Beats the blite!
South of Lane	UA needs an ice rink
South of Lane	Unfortunately, it takes money and many of the residents of UA (60%), voted a resounding NO, the last time we looked into a Community Center. Good Luck.
South of Lane	use weed killer and cut grass regularly
South of Lane	WE need a rec center
South of Lane	We need an ice rink. It would be novel for a community in Columbus to have...the Chiller's are really only for the outlying areas.
South of Lane	we need an indoor pool/rec center -- ridiculous that we are dependent on those of other communities
South of Lane	we need an indoor recreation center;do not close Devon pool, renovate because it serves so many residents in the neighborhood
South of Lane	We need indoor recreational facilities and indoor recreational programs. We need a community recreation center!!!
South of Lane	We need restroom facilities at more of the parks. Also, wellness should be a main concern for our youth and adults of this community. Adding walking/biking paths and exercise equipment around them will show we are committed to keeping our residents healthy. And, as always, a rec center would be a nice addition!
South of Lane	We need sidewalk access to the parks from our neighborhood -- cambridge needs sidewalks!!
South of Lane	Whether at a new site, or as part of the high school, create a larger indoor pool (larger than existing @ UAHS) and offer consistent community swim time/lessons when UAHS is not utilizing and create a larger indoor court/fitness facility. As well as offer restrooms at all parks with playgrounds (Westover, Miller) and improve/create connecting bike paths throughout city to connect schools/parks.
Between Lane and Zollinger	1. Create natural havens of green, open spaces with trees and pathways for walking. Designate separate access for people using recreational mobility (bikes, roller blades etc.);;Every time we build a "facility" in a park, we pave over our green space and rob our neighborhoods of nature and fresh air. ;;2. Use existing building space more creatively. For example, the city should work more closely with neighborhood churches for indoor space for leisure activities. By renting this unused church space for programs, it may be possible to avoid the separtion of church-state bruhaha. Often, churches are in use only on Sundays, so this would be a very good use of existing infrastructure.
Between Lane and Zollinger	A place to exercise a dog off leash during daylight hours.
Between Lane and Zollinger	A recreation center will be very beneficial to the community. Due to the rejection at the polls, a different funding method is needed. Even though gasoline prices have dropped recently, UA needs better walking and biking routes to promote these activities. As condos are built around Kingsdale, rebuilding Tremont between five points and the library with some type of walking/bike path should be included.
Between Lane and Zollinger	A recreation facility such as Dublin's would be a nice addition to the community. An indoor pool would be great.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Add more green space in areas where it is lacking (Canterbury). Add an indoor pool and rec center
Between Lane and Zollinger	Again a community center is needed, which could offer Indoor swimming, basketball, volleyball, weight and

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	exercise facilities plus meeting rooms for large and small groups. Kingsdale would be the perfect location. This would give our families somewhere to go year round and enhance the community feeling which has always been what brings people to and back to UA!
Between Lane and Zollinger	An indoor swimming facility is needed as well as a place for teenagers to gather.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Bathroom facilities added to some of the parks
Between Lane and Zollinger	Bike paths!!!!!!! A tennis league for full time working people: evenings & weekends.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Build a city recreation center much like Dublin and Groveport.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Build a community center and do it w/o taking it to the voters, if at all possible. Can it be done with a mix of private money, city money and membership fees?
Between Lane and Zollinger	Build a community center at Northam
Between Lane and Zollinger	Build a indoor rec. area .
Between Lane and Zollinger	Children’s programs through Parks and Rec are OVERPRICED. We need a fitness facility like McConnell Ctr. or Community RECREATION center (not with meeting rooms/mixed function, just a fitness ctr)
Between Lane and Zollinger	Construct a Community Recreation Center open to all UA residents at Kingsdale Center, and rennovate the two public pools.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Construction of a dedicated “Rec” facility such as Westerville or Dublin
Between Lane and Zollinger	Dedicated dog park.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Develop a community center
Between Lane and Zollinger	Develop a comprehensive (connected) bike path throughout the city. Plant more trees throughout the parks to create more naturalized micro-climates
Between Lane and Zollinger	Do not use park land for new building of any kind. Keep as much green space in Arlington as possible. The parks are the “jewels” of the city. Try to improve parking access to the parks, but do not use park land to do this.
Between Lane and Zollinger	doing a good job
Between Lane and Zollinger	Doing good.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Good enough as is.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Have acommunity center with indoor swimming, gymnasium, fitness classes etc. like Worthington, Dublin etc.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I am not aware of many of facilities and;programs that are available in UA. However, I will be retiring this year and will probably be taking advantage of programs offered to Senior Citizens. I will be more able to respond to this question in a year.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I believe Powell has a new Y-that would keep costs down for the city as well as the members of the Y. Parks and leisure facilities are fine!
Between Lane and Zollinger	I do not feel it is a priority
Between Lane and Zollinger	I have 2 children and we utilize the programs offered by Columbus parks and rec, due to availability and cost. I would love to see U.A. develop more programs for children and maybe even a community center.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I have no opinion because I do not use them. I am elderly and get my exercise in the pool at McConnell Heart Health Center.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I have seen the improvements to some of the parks as my children play in many of them. Lathough not very familiar with the plans, I feel that the people working to maintain/imrove them are doing a fine job.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I love the park near us which is Northam Park. My only problem with it is the concrete sidewalks. They are not wide enough for the traffic of walkers, joggers, strollers, etc. that use it everyday. I know that they just re-surfaced and widened the asphalt walkways but need to make the concrete one that goes around the entire park 6’ or wider too.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I really do think a Rec Center with indoor activities—including a swimming pool—would greatly benefit the community. It’s time.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think having a community rec center like Worthington would be an attractive addition to UA.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think Kingsdale would be a great place to have a recreation center that could house indoor facilities that have spaces and classes for senior citizens as well as families and teens. I lost a fun activity when the bowling lanes were demolished on Lane Avenue. Perhaps the rec center could add a bowling alley and offer lessons, and leagues, as well as house space for families to rent for parties, etc.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think one of the biggest problems is connecting the people who are looking for a particular activity to the

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	program that is out there. The information may exist, but you have to be looking in the right place to find it. If there were a more interactive way for a person to list their interests and be shown a list of potential activities offered by UA (and Columbus, etc) that might meet their interests... i.e. almost like a "date matching" service except your a service that helps match people with the programs and activities that are already out there.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think overall things are good as they now stand
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think the Parks are fine and meet our needs perfectly.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think they already to a great job. I don't think enuf residents take advantage of the opportunities.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think we need some kind of indoor pool facility for non-team activities; water fitness activities; year-round swim lessons for children, etc. I think the parks themselves would be hard-pressed to offer more activities - it would be nice if the high school had enough practice space for all the teams.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I would like a community recreation center with indoor pool
Between Lane and Zollinger	I would start with a good sidewalk system and good bike system. It provides alternatives to driving (gas costs) AND fitness opportunity.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I'd appreciate a designated dog park (or part of a park) that would be a secure, fenced area.
Between Lane and Zollinger	improve current facilities
Between Lane and Zollinger	Improve the Tremont and Devon pools. The parks seem fine to me.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Improve walking and biking access to parks and facilities
Between Lane and Zollinger	indoor recreation center, maybe partner w/private sector developer for construction and then have fees sustain
Between Lane and Zollinger	indoor swimming and fitness; enclosed dog park
Between Lane and Zollinger	INDOOR SWIMMING FACILITY
Between Lane and Zollinger	It is so important to have a good variety for children. We spent the entire summer going to the reed road water park, where in the past we have normally gone to Tremont Pool. I would really like to see Tremont upgraded as my children could get their on their own. I would also like to see a rec center and more organized sports for children (like tennis lessons).
Between Lane and Zollinger	Keep the parks in good shape and offer lower rental prices...no community center!
Between Lane and Zollinger	Lack of additional land and the flat terrain limit options for improving parks. They're good now, and well used.;;Other programs are fine. Don't spend more money on them.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Let those who participate pay for the facilities and do not burden the property owners with additional taxes.
Between Lane and Zollinger	LOWER THE PRICE OF ADMISSION TO THE POOL. \$7 IS A BIT MUCH FOR AN HOURS WORTH OF SWIMMING ON THE WEEKEND. HAVE DESIGNATED BIKE LANES ON THE STREET. HAVE AN INDOOR POOL FOR THE WINTER.
Between Lane and Zollinger	maintain at current levels would be adequate.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Many residents have gone to swim and racquet due to the bad conditions of the swimming pools. Give those people a one day pass to come back.
Between Lane and Zollinger	MORE LIGHTED AREAS FOR NITE WALKS AT NORTHAM RD
Between Lane and Zollinger	More sidewalks leading into parks. More walking trails safely out of street traffic,
Between Lane and Zollinger	More walking pathways, more educational classes with reasonable costs
Between Lane and Zollinger	Need better access to bike paths, pools need to be updated, especially Tremont pool, more programs for adults (rather than such a single focus on seniors, outdoor raquetball courts.
Between Lane and Zollinger	no opinion
Between Lane and Zollinger	Not at all.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Not involved to make a recommendation
Between Lane and Zollinger	Offer more programs for youth. More Bike paths
Between Lane and Zollinger	Parks are generally fine. Leisure facilities tend to be only for organized sports, not much activity for teenagers after school
Between Lane and Zollinger	Partner with the YMCA/YWCA to build a recreation facility---not at Kingsdale!;Reed Road Park would be an excellent site.
Between Lane and Zollinger	perennial flowers and plants would bring beauty to parks...check out Dublin parks.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Perhaps a fenced dog park, a skateboard park, and better landscaping.;Work with Columbus to save and restore for public use, the dam keeper's house at Griggs.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Public must be attracted to come to parks not only to get fresh air, but to meet others families. Parks must have small restrants, cafe houses.
Between Lane and Zollinger	recreation center

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Between Lane and Zollinger	Reed Road pool is great but way too crowded, all of what we have is better than most towns but we could still use more. I think attracting a Y to build a community center would be nice, I think it would be affordable therefore more usable than a high priced athletic club or something you have to buy a membership in that's too crowded and you feel ripped off because you never use it. We don't need more high rise high priced condos, how about an arts studio a place that holds classes and sells space and supplies. Don't give more tax breaks to the owners of Kingsdale they don't do anything to help themselves or the community.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Rehab and enlarge Senior Center if possible
Between Lane and Zollinger	Restrooms (update, keep clean) are a major issue, especially at Tremont and Devon Pools and the parks.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Show more leadership in developing a community center. This should have been done decades ago. Surely a site other than Kingsdale could be found. Come up
Between Lane and Zollinger	sidewalks, sidewalks, sidewalks, there is no single improvement that would make recreation better and safer than local sidewalks within in the neighborhoods. I also think a community center would be well utilized. we are a very active involved community and in the winter there is little to do. We I like the pool at Tremont, it needs minor changes, a better club house with food and heat. The reed road pool is difficult for my family to use because there is so much going on in a small space. I have different aged children and I do not feel I can safely watch over them there. The Tremont pool by contrast is very family friendly for those of us with small children. Lots of shade, easy to keep an eye on and control your children, ect. I hear many Moms say the same thing. whether they say it in the survey or not, Tremont is well loved by moms of preschoolers and elementary aged children. It just gets too cold to use as much as we would like.
Between Lane and Zollinger	So many of the surrounding areas have community rec centers so it only makes sense that UA has one too. A rec center with an indoor pool(s) is ideal.
Between Lane and Zollinger	The city offers a wide variety of activities for those who wish to participate.
Between Lane and Zollinger	The parks are fine.
Between Lane and Zollinger	There are enough of all the above
Between Lane and Zollinger	UA needs a recreation facility with an indoor pool
Between Lane and Zollinger	use kingsdale to build a recreation facility similar to sawmill athletic club
Between Lane and Zollinger	we are satisfied
Between Lane and Zollinger	We need a rec center like every other suburb in this area. I even think putting a YMCA in is a good idea if we can't get the community financial support.
Between Lane and Zollinger	WE need a rec center like The City of Dublin and Westerville, Etc... It was very disappointing when the Rec center was voted Down.
Between Lane and Zollinger	We would LOVE an indoor swimming option.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Would like to see an indoor tennis facility - covering Northam Park tennis courts for the winter months only. This could almost guaranteed bring revenue to the city. (study has been previously done on this) Perhaps this can be combined with the covering of Tremont Pool.
Between Lane and Zollinger	A city recreation center with an indoor pool with free or reduced membership fees would definitely make the Upper Arlington community more attractive in retaining residents and drawing more residents. The City of Dublin has seen this success firsthand.
Between Lane and Zollinger	A little more lighting.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Add more dedicated walking/biking paths throughout the city
Between Lane and Zollinger	better upkeep
Between Lane and Zollinger	Build a community center!!!!!!!!!!!!
Between Lane and Zollinger	build a rec center like the one in Dublin.
Between Lane and Zollinger	continue present approach. use the UA News for communicating w/ residents. do not be swayed by the few that chronically complain.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Continue to maintain open space - in park like atmosphere.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Encourage walking (and therefore fitness) by requiring sidewalks on every street.
Between Lane and Zollinger	expand senior center activities; offer reasonable exercise facility to all; build some sort of rec center for teens that is monitored and safe and fun; Kingsdale could offer a glorious range of activities for all ages from bowling to movies
Between Lane and Zollinger	first improve taxpayer's curbs and aprons. i check 10 yrs ago and the letter stated that no funds for 3 years, no one has been here but my taxes go up. why?
Between Lane and Zollinger	Have pools (at least one) open early in earlier in the day - not just for adult swim or swim practice.
Between Lane and Zollinger	I think they should contact the YMCA and do something similar to Hilliard. Hilliard's cost was only \$2-3 million.
Between Lane and Zollinger	If an indoor rec. center isn't built, then there should be a private health and fitness center built with an indoor pool and gym. The goal is to give kids and adults more fitness opportunities in the winter

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Between Lane and Zollinger	Improve “pocket parks” with paths, sitting areas, perhaps some resilient public art. Install drinking fountains and trash containers.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Improve baseball facilities for youth programs. Need fields with lights, fences, and pitcher’s mounds. Compared to other Cities, UA is sub-par.
Between Lane and Zollinger	increase fees some for ua residents and double or triple fees for non-residents.
Between Lane and Zollinger	indoor walking for safety and indoor comfort
Between Lane and Zollinger	It is fine as it is.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Keep all three pools open, and maintain them as outdoor pools, if you enclose one make it the Devon Pool. Please do not enclose Tremont Pool or you would lose the open air look of Northam Park. We also need more adult or family outdoor activities, like outdoor concerts either at the parks or small groups performing at the shopping centers, or outdoor movie nights that would be free. Please keep the fees for other activities as low as possible to encourage participation.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Keep them nicely maintained, as they have been. Don’t feel the need for any great improvements or additions.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Maintain our present facilities. Pools need clean dressing rooms and restrooms. Park trash needs to be picked up from the grounds and the receptacles more frequently. Parks could be improved with landscaping.
Between Lane and Zollinger	More benches in parks - more flowers - no dogs or cats ( which prowl around trash receptacles OR are not on a leash )
Between Lane and Zollinger	more police needed to deter vandals, cleaner bathrooms, parking is a huge issue
Between Lane and Zollinger	Offer a community center which would include an indoor swimming pool and other fitness facilities.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Offer the “detailed” survey/and other information gathering options to all interested residents.
Between Lane and Zollinger	offerings for children ages 5- 10 a lot of what is offered is very pricey; mostly \$25+.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Open a community/recreation center similar to the one in Dublin or Westerville. My company has hired many people from outside Ohio who have relocated here and no one has chosen to live in UA for this reason.
Between Lane and Zollinger	please do not use elected officials in this process, have an outside group of businessmen and women make recommendations based on needs, changes and costs.
Between Lane and Zollinger	please transport those people who do not drive, pick up at several locations so they can participate
Between Lane and Zollinger	Provide safe access from the high school area to the Olentangy Bike trails. The only way to access it at this point is either biking down Lane or going down Kenny to Ackerman, both of which are very dangerous during rush hour.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Recognize that dog owners pay taxes, too. We need to get up to speed with other, less “prestigious” areas of Columbus and create a dog park! We don’t need a dog park in every park in town but certainly open space in one of them could be designated for this purpose.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Recreation Center or YMCA; more young children activities (infant-prek); more facilities for adults to exercise indoors
Between Lane and Zollinger	Redevelopment of remaining pools
Between Lane and Zollinger	Renovate the restrooms.;Mow the grass more often at Fancyburg
Between Lane and Zollinger	So far, I have been very happy with U.A. Parks and Recs programs. I would like to take a moment and address a rumor I have heard concerning a possible dog only park. In my opinion, one of the best things about U.A. is the friendly neighborhoods. The off-leash time period allows neighbors around local parks the ability to get together and socialize while at the same time allowing their dogs the opportunity to exercise and get much needed socialization skills around other people and dogs. To take this away would greatly diminish the community type atmosphere that U.A. is noted for. I have heard some concerns about dog owners leaving droppings and dog bites. I can only say that in my experience of attending Northam Park, changing the off-leash policy would have no impact on these problems. The dog owners that come to the “dog party” police each other to ensure dog droppings are picked up. We have witnessed dog owners that run with their dogs leave droppings because they don’t want to stop and pick it up and disrupt their run. I have never seen anyone get bitten. My last comment is to suggest you watch a Disney movie about any small town. What you will see is dogs off leash, socializing with other dogs and humans and occasionally running onto the ball field to steal the ball. Which is where we all laugh and are thankful that we live is a small town community.
Between Lane and Zollinger	STOP DEVELOPING EVERY SQUARE INCH IF AVAILABLE GREEN SPACE INTO STRIP MALLS, PARKING LOTS, AND CONDOS FOR RICH PEOPLE!!!! INSTEAD, TRY CREATING MORE PARK SPACE, A COMMUNITY GARDEN, AND PRESERVE WHAT REMAINING HISTORIC AND NATURAL AREAS WE HAVE LEFT!!!!
Between Lane and Zollinger	Study The users and potential users for each area pack individually. Is the park serving neary neighbors only? What age group would benefit most at each pack. Would seniors benefit from certain added features. How have other cities served the population via parks?
Between Lane and Zollinger	Take some space for Tremont pool from the park as needed. There are plenty of nearby facilities to use if a person needs a membership in an indoor pool or fitness center - Ballys, Sawmill Athl, Swim and

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	Racket.;;Better restroom at Fancyburg Park or open more often.;;How about a corn-hole tourney once and a while for all ages?;;The July 4th party at Barrington would be better at Tremont since it is more central and I would imagine that clean up and security may be more efficient.;;I hope the family pool prices dont go sky-high. I'd keep the pools as is now and keep prices the same. Not every pool needs to be heated.;;I'd like to see more recreation programs for teens located near a pool. Tremont seems central. Maybe a pool pass gets you into the rec program or a \$3/day with no pass ?? There used to be a program like this and it was a good place for the kids to play all day and do more than swim.
Between Lane and Zollinger	The city needs an indoor recreation center which would include a senior center.
Between Lane and Zollinger	The rec center would be a wonderful addition to the city, but the issues raised by the opposition from the first attempt must be addressed.
Between Lane and Zollinger	UA definitely needs a recreation center with an indoor pool (year-round swimming lessons). It's sad that we have to goto other suburbs to utilize their rec centers!!
Between Lane and Zollinger	UA needs a community center. It is unfortunate that the ballot measure failed recently, and this has not yet happened.
Between Lane and Zollinger	UA needs an indoor family recreation center similar to the one's in Dublin, Worthington, and Westerville.
Between Lane and Zollinger	we do not need indoor swimming
Between Lane and Zollinger	We Need an indoor Swimming facility that can range from infants to Senior Citizens
Between Lane and Zollinger	We need an indoor swimming option to use in the winter time. Pay per use or join as a member. We do not need a public gym. it would just compete with Fitness First, probably be more expensive and not as nice. (No, I am not the owner of Fitness First, just an occasional user and sometimes 3-month member.)
Between Lane and Zollinger	We truly need a recreation center similar to Dublin and Westerville. Needs of seniors should be considered when planning the facility.
Between Lane and Zollinger	Wider sidewalks, keeping bikes on streets.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	A community center serving various age-ranges and with meeting space would be wonderful!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	A dog park would be nice.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Add more sidewalks;Add a bike path
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Additional green space is always a plus. Maintain/increase tree/plant population.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Appears to be adequate at this time
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	be more inovative with the parks you have
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Better communication of what is offered to residents
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Build a community recreation center
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	build a community recreation center, much in the vein of the westerville community center and park.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Build on our existing strengths. Keep our green space, and enhance access with neighborhood bike paths leading to these parks. I just don't think that an indoor pool is going to appreciably enhance the opportunites in a community that already has a high number of residents with good access to many private facilities in the area. For those who are desperate for another aquatic facility, I would suggest a private consortium of interested parties with the means to invest in their own pool outside of the community (witness the new diving facility in Hilliard). I can guarantee you that as a voter I see the effort to put something like this on the backs of the taxpayers as a slick way for a few intensely motivated interests to get what they want primarily for themselves.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	connect bike paths to other Columbus paths
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	continue to provide a stand alone senior center with the improvements that have been requested at the meetings.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Create a dog park.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	don't know.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	enclosed outside dog park;indoor rec facility with pool and BB courts
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	have more softball fields and improve the quality of the fields. Have better girls softball program
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I am not sure. I do not use the parks and leisure facilities enough to give an opinion
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I am satisfied with existing programs.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I dont now
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I enjoy the concerts at the municipal building. More of this type would be nice.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I really liked Tremont pool. You could actually swim there unlike at Reed Rd which was always overcrowded. Tremont is great for small kids and older kids too.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I think that UA needs a community center for children and adults.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I think the city does a nice job with the parks, and the programs. It is just too bad that some of the residents

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	don't respect the parks (vandalism) the way they should.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I think the lifelong learning and leisure department does an excellent job of offering residents a variety of programs and believe these programs could only be enhanced through the addition of a community center. Parks does an excellent job of keeping the parks and playgrounds clean - one suggestion: put a soft-cloth disinfectant dispenser near the playgrounds and shelter houses - like the one you see when you go into Giant Eagle to wipe off the cart handles.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I would like the city to have a recreation center for all residents to use. It could serve in many capacities like meeting and sports space plus swimming that is available at many hours for local resident use.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	If the way I was treated in the planning of the new streetlighting installation, council will do whatever it wants regardless of the costs, benefits or detriments to the residents.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	If we had an indoor rec center, like Carriage Place, many more activities could be offered for all ages and would certainly be well attended!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	increase/improve adult only leisure/recreation options, however not with mega complex as previously attempted at taxpayer expenses
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Indoor facilities for swimming and court sports. Why do I have to buy a membership in Worthington or go to Dublin?
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Indoor Recreation Facility like that of Dublin, Worthington, Westerville, etc.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	It is very annoying to pay additional funds for programs that are already funded by the city tax revenue.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	It would be great to not have to travel to Hilliard or Columbus for a facility like the Y.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Keep dogs on leashes at all times; people come first.;Make Tremont pool/Tennis a focal recreation area in city.;Keep offering all the park and lifelong leisure activities.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Kingsdale needs a rec center and the city needs to create bike paths which connect to the city of Columbus bike paths.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Lighted walking/jogging paths that are safe and can be used at night all year. Also, develop cooperative effort with Columbus to clean up, improve, and develop better landscaping and safety at Griggs Dam Park. This park could be a significant asset but is grossly neglected and is becoming increasingly unsafe. Most major cities would have made a water area like this part of the Scioto River a featured attraction. Driving along Route 33, the river is mostly hidden from view. Even walking along the river, the path is terrible and the river is obscured for long stretches;vehicles are dangerous to joggers,bicyclers,walkers,& children.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Lower the cost to Reed Rd. Water Park for occasional UA users. We paid taxes to renovate it and the admission cost is astronomical. For a family with 4 children we could not justify visiting the water park! It is very sad that UA's own residents have to spend that much money to visit a pool in our own neighborhood!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Maintain current leash laws for the parks. Add a dog park. More paths.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Make a true dog park. The parks are better than any other neighborhood we've lived in. Including on South Beach. Keep up the good work. However, I must add that we don't need any further resident funded programs. Work on fine tuning what you have already begun.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	make more friendly to working adults - most programs are scheduled during 9 - 5 hours, when a lot of us are unable to take advantage of the programs
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	maybe more evening programs than afternoon for working parents
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	More activities for toddlers and preschoolers during the weekend to accommodate working parents. New senior center facility - ours is too old and small. I hate the dogs running around Fancyburg leaving waste on the fields - would like a fenced, dedicated dog run area
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	More green space for quiet activities: walking, sitting, birding, enjoying natural landscape and critters.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	More language courses for children & adults, especially Spanish. Affordable fitness facility.;The new condos on ridgecliff near Kingsdale are horrid - the scale is all wrong for the neighborhood. They are too close to the street, no green space and seem to have no privacy for the residence to be. I hope there will be no more of these structures. How did that ever pass the city zoning code when I had to be at least 8' from property line to place a simple shed?!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	more live music
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	More parks
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	More recreation activities for the 18 and under group.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	More softball leagues
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	N/A - I think the facilities are fine.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Need more picnic tables in the parks
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	night lighting , lights for northam park to have night time activities,baseball,football,soccer,lax etc..indoor quonset like southwest school district between tennis courts and st.agatha...take over the old union at

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	kingsdale for a rec center, use goodyear building for high school activities
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	No more water parks, put the high dive back, figure out a way to allow for tournament ball games to be played on July 4th,partner with Columbus to make Griggs more of an asset for our community.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	provide a community rec center with affordable family membership
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	provide increased services and facilities connected with the library and schools
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	provide more facilities/programs attractive to our teenaged youth
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	provide more indoor recreation space
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Renovate the Tremont pool to an indoor swimming facility located near the senior center, tennis court, library, and park.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Stop selling open spaces developers, develop areas where people can walk with trees, gardens (maintained by volunteers) benches, etc. Develop those facilities that already exist - don't build more.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	The city needs to create something like tht Hilliard YMCA or the Dublin Rec center. The teens in Upper Arlington need more places to meet with one another and need other options for the use of their time. Spending time with friends in a rec center is definitely better than just loitering or skate boarding where they are not wanted. All of UA could benefit from such a facility because it could include fitness facilities as well as meeting areas. I am sure that the people who have memberships at the Hilliard Y and the Dublin Rec center would much rather not travel those distances to exercise. I am sure that the city would not have difficulty selling enough memberships to keep the facility running.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	The city seems to handle these activities well enough already.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	The parks are fine the way they are...no improvement necessary!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	The police presence should be obvious for safety of the children and adults. More input from seniors as the activities offered to seniors.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	The staff at Northam Park needs tob e mor attentive to the needs of the community. Christine Kaeding is very snippy and a difficult person.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	They are pretty good now
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Too much emphasis on athletics in the parks. They have become places for sports only.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Use exciting community models (i.e., Dublin) to develop more indoor and outdoor facilities for the whole community.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	We could use indoor pools, and tennis courts, raquetball, fitness, no basketball please....
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	With a limited amount of greenspace, I don't think this should be a priority for the city. The city needs to have someone that understands how to a bring business tax base to the city. The homeowner continues to overpay for a inefficient school system.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Advise citizens each year,what activity/facility (by age group) available in each park...with the location of each park
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Before you decide how the City can improve parks/rec and leisure facilities, why don't you wait to see what the survey says and listen to what people want instead of deciding they need improved before you ask.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	build a rec center for children and adults to use--similar to the ones in Westerville, Worthington and Dublin. It is not fair that the senior citizens are the only ones to have access to this feature in UA. I have children that I have to pay other suburbs to entertain them in the winter months.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Build a recreation center like the one in Dublin
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Build a recreation center w/ indoor pool. The rec and leisure programs are too expensive, much cheeper in Columbus even w/ out of city fees. Need a dog park.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Build recreation center by selling bonds NOT RAISING PROPERTY TAXES
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Build recreation center like Dublin has
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	By getting a new director who better understood UA and who listened instead of forging his ideas.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	community center with pool, gym, auditorium, meeting rooms, senior facilities and adolscent facilities
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Create more lacrosse fields.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Enforce leash laws in parks;Build batter walls for tennis players in parks so that a person might hit againt a wall.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Facilities and programs are excellent. Concerned that vocal minority may lead the city into overdoing programs and facilities to the point of undue expense and fiscal risk, especially re maintenance and insurance coverage for special programs and special equipment.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Fine for my purposes
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	good maintenance of what is existing.

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Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Have more pocket parks like Italian Village that are taken care of by neighborhoods. Make part of Kingsdale a green space. Have a rec center with very low fees from residents. Some people don't understand why residents should pay for a community rec center when it's supposed to be for the community. This should be explained better - what is the minimum fee to maintain the facility? The rec center at Kingsdale was not explained well. Some city council members have an attitude that they know best for the citizens rather than listening to them.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Hold quality lectures during daylight hrs on variety of subjects. Partner with OSU?
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I like walking paths. My neighborhood is nice but a path in a nature area would be good. Also, for sport teams I feel like participation by individuals who aren't already part of a team roster is not encouraged.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I think an indoor recreation facility would be beneficial.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	I think Arlington has wonderful parks & rec programs and facilities. I just want the city to continue the level of service already available. It's more than sufficient!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	i think the parks, recreation and LLL programs are reasonably good
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	indoor pool needed
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	keep them clean,safe,attractive and accessible to all
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Mixed use of Kingsdale. Stop the ugly condos on Tremont!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	More athletic programs for 40+ men.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	MORE BIKE TRAILS
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	more picnic facilities at Fancyburg
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	My 4 year old grandson and I have enjoyed the trail park between the two churches at Fishinger and Kenney. It could use more routine inspection to better keep up with safety needs; e.g. repair holes in the foot bridge. He calls the park "the steps" and imagines the troll of The Three Billy Goats Gruff" lives under the bridge.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Need more parks for picnicing and walking, less emphasis on team sports, convert OSU Golf Course to a park for use by ALL UA residents, not just the privileged few who play golf.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Need Recreation Facility with indoor swimming and a place for young people to go after school and on weekends. Senior center attached- intergenerational space. Why not encourage YMCA if residents don't want to pay for it? Would bring in revenue? All the major cities have a rec. center. We drive to Dublin just to use thier pool and other faciities, that money could be going to our own city.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	No improvement necessary.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Not a top priority!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Open a community recreation center! i don't care where it is!
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Our family would like to see an indoor 50 meter swimming pool in Upper Arlington. We would also like more bikepaths that are safe and easily connected.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Parks: More / better walking and bike paths. Designated bike paths connecting the various parks. ;Recreation & Leisure Facilities: We need a "community center" with whatever city involvement is necessary to facilitate this. Has the possibility of some sort of facility like that in Powell that has been done by the Y been explored?
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	provide safe pedestrian/bike access to parks and facilities by ENFORCING speed limits - more bike paths - education on sharing the road - it is unsafe to ride your bike in UA
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Rec center at Kingsdale comparable to Dublin and Worthington. Get the funding together so that it doesn't send taxes through the roof and implement a good marketing for the plan for the idea and I think you could get community support.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	rec center is needed. combine it with a senior center.;more open picnic shelters that do not require \$\$\$.;stop the vandalism at the parks.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	RECREATION CENTER LIKE DUBLIN'S!!!!!!!;;MAKE DOGS STAY ON LEASH IN ALL PUBLIC PARKS AT ALL TIMES.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Reduce costs to senior citizens for use of Reed Rd Water Park. Offer an annual discounted "grandchildren pass" -- similar to Columbus zoo pehaps?
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	safe walking and bike paths.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Seek more involvement from private foundations/trusts/family donations. Until crumbling infastructure is brought up to standard, spending on parks should be limited to maintenance only.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	Stop wasting energy on how to build a community center. Once this happens, full attention can be provided to maintaining/improving the existing programs and facilities.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	The current recreation facilities need to be maintained so as to provide a safe and clean environment. Over the top improvemnts such as those done to the Reed Road Water Park are not necessary. We do not have to

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	use tax payer’s money for glitz and glam. Many of us who live here - in the Ridge area - work too hard to pay our taxes and don’t have all this leisure time to spend in recreational activities. Don’t spend money just to spend money.
Between Zollinger and Fishinger	We can’t do everything for all people. As someone living on fixed income I cannot afford paying more taxes. Therefore, the city should only spend money as needed.
North of Fishinger	a community center would be great
North of Fishinger	Add a community recreation center.
North of Fishinger	Additional indoor recreational facilities and increased senior center floor space.
North of Fishinger	Advertise child programs better.;We need an indoor facility.;We need sidewalks in our neighborhoods...especially to/from schools and churches - Lytham Road Area around Upper Arlington Lutheran Church and Windermere Elementary they are hit and miss
North of Fishinger	An indoor recreation center with a pool is the primary need. That said, all need improvement. The City needs a long term improvement plan to upgrade existing and build new: parks, recreation and leisure facilities.
North of Fishinger	Arlington and /or senior citizens should have a cost break at Reed Road water park
North of Fishinger	Ask our opinion which you are doing.
North of Fishinger	be more creative in programming, special events that are offered at facilities, follow through on level of services promised at the facilities
North of Fishinger	Because I don’t use the facilities, I really don’t feel I can give you an opinion.
North of Fishinger	Begin with a true needs assessment, not with lists that cannot be fiscally supported without additional revenue from the city. Present services are significantly skewed towards children and young people, even though the school system provides excellent recreational facilities. The ‘graying’ population is inequitably served, despite its demographic growth.
North of Fishinger	better maintenance
North of Fishinger	Better parking at Greensview and Northam
North of Fishinger	Better sidewalks to get to the parks. My neighborhood does not have sidewalk access to a park.
North of Fishinger	bike paths along roads
North of Fishinger	Bike paths would be nice
North of Fishinger	build a rec center
North of Fishinger	Build an indoor recreation center with swimming pool.
North of Fishinger	Build an indoor recreation facility like the other suburbs ie. Worthington, Dublin, Westerville.
North of Fishinger	By constructing a Community Rec Center. UA is pretty much the only suburb without one.
North of Fishinger	Community Center
North of Fishinger	Community Center like other suburbs.
North of Fishinger	Continue to expand Life Long Learning program
North of Fishinger	Continue to update the existing facilities and look for ways to incorporate bike/walking paths as is seen in other communities such as Dublin and New Albany
North of Fishinger	create an indoor facility
North of Fishinger	Create more shelter house.;Add a few BBQ for resident to use.
North of Fishinger	Develop a community wellness facility with courts, classes (aerobics, yoga,etc), weight/cardio equipment, and onsite child care. (Look at Evendale or Blue Ash, Ohio facilities as model);;cut/subsidize fees for youth programs
North of Fishinger	Dog park.
North of Fishinger	Don’t do anything if it costs the taxpayers.
North of Fishinger	Don’t know.
North of Fishinger	Enough off street parking to keep the roads safe
North of Fishinger	even more lighting in parks...I dislike walking my dog in total darkness...or extend hours dogs may run free in parks
North of Fishinger	Excellent as is but how are you monitoring that users are city residents
North of Fishinger	Expand parks recreation and leisure activities including indoor facilities by purchasing and renovating Kingsdale to include what UA residents consider most important.
North of Fishinger	Firstly, listen to the owners who do not want “Dublin” and who are satisfied with the City as it exists.
North of Fishinger	Forget the community center idea. In UA, we have no room for such a place. The City can cut the grass more and empty the trash cans more often. We really need only 2 pools and 1 library.

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North of Fishinger	Get a full fitness and recreation facility at Kingsdale - similar to Dublin's.
North of Fishinger	I feel the parks and rec program is very good at this time. Let's do what we need to to maintain and improve where it is weak.
North of Fishinger	I have no ideas at this time.
North of Fishinger	I personally would love to see bicycles, skateboards, etc using roadways instead of pedestrian park pathways.
North of Fishinger	I think that a recreation facility like Dublin and Worthington, would help in making our city attractive to young families and help maintain our property values
North of Fishinger	I think that overall nothing needs to change- it is working well already.
North of Fishinger	I think that these should be well maintained, grass mowed, weeds controlled, walks kept up, etc. We enjoy Lane Park a great deal now!
North of Fishinger	I think the city does a wonderful job of offering recreational programs and informing people about options and choices.
North of Fishinger	I think these facilities and programs are fine as is.
North of Fishinger	I would like to see the cost for the use decrease for residents and increase for outside people who use the facilities. Most of the people who took swimming lessons with us were from outside UA. All said it was MUCH cheaper coming here than going to pools in their areas and that they would be willing to pay more because it would still be cheaper. Give the residents a break and charge more to non-residents.
North of Fishinger	I would like there to be theatre activities for our youth as they have at the Dublin Community Center.
North of Fishinger	I'd like to see sidewalks throughout the city. We could know our neighbors better and the entire exercise challenge could be solved. Kids would have a place to play and we could take our dogs for walks.
North of Fishinger	If the City really feels that they need an indoor recreation center, I think that there is plenty of land at the McCoy road park for a center and parking and also over by the library. I personally don't feel that the facility is necessary.
North of Fishinger	I'm very happy with the City's parks, rec and leisure options.
North of Fishinger	Improve or re-design the skatepark. Not everyone plays football or soccer or tennis.
North of Fishinger	improve the other pools, add green space
North of Fishinger	Increase indoor facilities for inclement weather and winter months.
North of Fishinger	Increase revenue by developing the commercial areas thus having money to spend on amenities.
North of Fishinger	indoor recreational facility is needed; for all age citizens of UA
North of Fishinger	Invite those who use the facilities to make suggestions and do volunteer work.
North of Fishinger	It would help to have an indoor pool, a community theater program, and whatever sports/fitness facilities we can find room for. Bike paths would also be nice.
North of Fishinger	Keep the parks clean and well groomed, keep the shelter houses clean.
North of Fishinger	Let kids play on them when they are wet.
North of Fishinger	Maintain as they have been.
North of Fishinger	Maintain the tennis courts at Langston Park. Offer more appealing green space/parks
North of Fishinger	maintain them as they are, update as needed, focus on keeping them nice, stop trying to make them something they are not, it's called 'green'space for a reason
North of Fishinger	MAINTAINING THE PARKS
North of Fishinger	Make bicycle and walking paths available to EVERY neighborhood in Upper Arlington, including our neighborhood which is in the Sawmill/Rushmore/Waldo/Hampton/Tarrington area. If this area was a part of Dublin, we would certainly have access to Northwest Park by this time. Dublin is far ahead of UA in this area!!
North of Fishinger	Make Northam Park tennis courts a year-round facility
North of Fishinger	make outreach to the residents part of the way business is done at all times to make certain residents have the opportunity to voice their ideas, concerns consistently.
North of Fishinger	Make sure the bank of the Scioto river is kept clean.
North of Fishinger	Make them dog friendly
North of Fishinger	Make UA swimming pools available to UA residents only. Indoor pool.
North of Fishinger	more
North of Fishinger	More actively publicize programs available.
North of Fishinger	more bike paths
North of Fishinger	More community programs for adults and seniors, a community center with a reasonable fee for its

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	residents, like Dublin.
North of Fishinger	More green space - but I don't know how that would be done. More bike/pedestrian paths - make it possible to get from every neighborhood to its middle and high school and shopping areas - without sharing a lane with cars.
North of Fishinger	More Senior Programs
North of Fishinger	More walking paths and bike riding trails.
North of Fishinger	More walking/biking paths and bike roads from park to park.
North of Fishinger	My dog and I walk in Thompson & Northam parks several times a week, Fancyburg less often. They're all fine.
North of Fishinger	My family and I did not renew our membership this year to Reed Road Water Park, in part, because it is just that - an overcrowded, non-shaded water park. While this suits the needs of many, my family enjoys most open water swimming, with less focus on the "bells and whistles" of slides and lazy rivers. I would love to see Tremont or Devon Pool rehabbed with a focus on simply a large swimming pool with kid-safe areas and a full meal service snack bar similar to Northwest Swim Club's. I think the UA park's are second to none - they are UA's treasure.
North of Fishinger	My personal priorities are more green space and to maintain/improve library services. I voted for the community center even though I probably won't use it because I feel it would be an asset to the community. If you try to put a facility in Kinsdale we lose tax revenue, which is personally fine for me, BUT I would strongly oppose putting any type of facility in any of our city parks. We need more green space than we have.
North of Fishinger	need a community rec center
North of Fishinger	Need a recreation center like Dublin and Westerville, we're falling shamefully WAY BEHIND in city amenities and services available
North of Fishinger	Need for more green space, community center (YMCA?) with rec programming, and parks connectivity. Development of Griggs Rec Park to a Thompson Park level (walking/bike paths, playground, bathrooms, etc.) Plus Sidewalks to the schools/parks is CRITICAL!
North of Fishinger	Need indoor pools, weight lifting, exercise equipment facility.
North of Fishinger	Need more inside gyms for basketball and for activities for teens
North of Fishinger	Needs to have indoor rec facilities, pool, fitness center
North of Fishinger	no opinion
North of Fishinger	No opinion
North of Fishinger	No opinion
North of Fishinger	no particular opinion - I don't use UA;rec facilities
North of Fishinger	offer some programs to new immigrants to better adjust their lives living in the UA
North of Fishinger	Other communities like Dublin have Recreational Centers which include a workout facility and swimming pool with minimal charges to the residents and a larger cost to non-residents, and a charge for those working in the community only. With this new facility there could also be several gyms that could be used for open gym time for basketball and volleyball. There could be leagues also for both where the city could receive some financial reimbursements. Often volleyball leagues will charge between \$200-\$300 approximately for a six week session.
North of Fishinger	Our soccer fields are an embarrassment compared to other cities. Good drainage and parking would be an improvement.
North of Fishinger	Overall the parks are good. The children love them, and they are kept pretty clean. Some of the options of classes or lessons offered thru the parks and rec seem to be expensive and cost prohibitive to bigger families, especially the things for the younger children. Spending that much money for a 4 year old to learn golf for example, is too much. Also, changing the weeknights that the summer concerts are played would be good. Some family members do activities and teams in the summer and if they are also on Thursday night then you miss every single concert. By moving them to different nights you can get more people to attend that otherwise couldn't.
North of Fishinger	ParksGriggs portion run by city should be cleaned up and maintained.;More "natural settings" and less field space (although I know hard to get soccer practice field time);Hire naturalist and offer birding and programs for children;Recreation Please develop a space for middle school age and another for high schoolers... indoor rec like OSU spaces... also pool tables and coffee house style gathering... also spaces like at Game Works. You would have to work on the "cool place" factor and should get input from this age-group on what they want.
North of Fishinger	perhaps have an indoor civic centre - in Saskatoon, Canada where we moved from each neighbourhood group had a civic centre with a library, indoor pool, fitness area, etc. - just an idea. The climate there is much colder, so more \$s were spent on indoor areas.

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North of Fishinger	platform tennis courts for winter activity
North of Fishinger	Please get rid of the Canadian geese at Griggs and elsewhere. It is a health hazard. US wildlife services has a new policy. Please act now.
North of Fishinger	Police dogs running loose
North of Fishinger	Provide More Parking Spaces
North of Fishinger	rec center and indoor pool for winter months.
North of Fishinger	Reed road pool is much too expensive The average income family yes, we do have them are closed out
North of Fishinger	Stop pouring money into water park ;facilities. UA should not provide;leisure and fitness, this does not;entice families to move into our community, lowering taxes will do that.
North of Fishinger	Take action - stop listening to those very very few who oppose anything. Underline anything. Just because the UA News likes a fight - does not mean that those who shout speak for all of us. Take action - don't be fearful - please. (sorry these words are for council members - not parks and recreation staff)
North of Fishinger	The amount of green space is good but the facilities need vast improvement. The parks lack good clean restrooms. Sports facilities need to be improved such as soccer and baseball fields. There such be more outdoor basketball courts. The tennis courts and basketball courts such be lighted so residents could play in the evenings. The baseball and soccer fields should have benches or covered dugouts or maybe fences. An indoor gather place/recreation/swim center is needed in UA.
North of Fishinger	The city needs a nice dog park.
North of Fishinger	The parks currently available are sufficient.
North of Fishinger	There could be more awareness of the parks: where they are; what facilities they have. Then, there's the problem ;of access. UA is walker-unfriendly. ;If I have to get in my car, I might ;go outside of UA for recreation.
North of Fishinger	They are fine already.
North of Fishinger	Things are fine the way they are!
North of Fishinger	Things have improved in the last few years. The city has done a nice job. Please continue to offer a variety of activities for all to enjoy.
North of Fishinger	Think City does a terrific job with the amount of money provided for parks and recreation.
North of Fishinger	trend toward water spary parks, not pools, skatbgoarding parks for youth, could even charge, give some yard/green space to those tremont condos, they are on the street and too crowded. Tkae a hint rom Vancouver, set back condos etc.. they have a 15% downtown occupancy [sometimes to detriment of business occupancy]
North of Fishinger	UA needs a recreation center. I have to go to Worthington or Dublin for my recreation needs. UA offers VERY VERY little as far as recreation programs for children. SOmeone should really pick up a recreation offering book from Dublin and see how many programs DUblin offers. It is really sad that so many people drive to Dublin for our recreation needs. UA is losing out on a lot of potential money. WHat concerns me the most is as a UA tax payer, I pay A LOT in taxes, but feel I have nothing to show for it. When I drive to DUBlin I can at Least SEE where their money goes. IE: the rec center, landscaping, great roads, and bike paths that connect EVERY housing development in Dublin. If we did not live so close to work by living in UA, I would WITHOUT a DOUBT move to Dublin. Dublin seems WAY more family oriented as far as what the City of Dublin offers it's residents.
North of Fishinger	Very good as is ,just keep them in good condition
North of Fishinger	We have awesome facilities. We miss the high dives at the pool, and would like to see indoor swimming and recreation. Otherwise, UA has much to offer and parks and recs has done a great job!
North of Fishinger	We have great parks and programs!
North of Fishinger	We need a fitness facility like the YMCA for indoor swimming and working out!!!! I think Kingsdale would be the perfect spot. We have lots of parks but no nice indoor facilities. I think a lot of residents would use these facilities!!!
North of Fishinger	We need a great bike path at least 10 miles long
North of Fishinger	We need a rink...or something for families and singles outdoors in the Winter... I would like to see a portion of Kingsdale done this way. Maybe it could be a skating rink in warm weather and an outdoor ice rink in cold...it is different, would perhaps bring in other people and would serve a great need in the community. Maybe two of them or more ... Sunny 95 could be a rink spot ... family area...
North of Fishinger	we need a town center with public green space and more indoor recreation facilities in Arlington
North of Fishinger	We need sidewalks on all portions of all major streets such as Lane Rd, Fishinger, Tremont, Kenny, Mountview, etc. We do not need a bike/ pedestrian streetlane such as proposed for a portion of Kenny Rd. Such a stupid idea!;A recreation center would be great if the city would be willing to build one that was

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	functional and not similar to the outrageous plan previously rejected by the voters. A center should be able to be self-sustaining on an operating basis.;Eliminate the fuel wasting, overly expensive trash service and replace it with curb pick-up...use the savings to do a better job of repairing crumbling neighborhood streets and add sidewalks where needed.
North of Fishinger	We need to find a way to convince the whole city that a community center is needed. It is sad to see the middle school after school program offered at the senior center. Start small and creat a center that can be added onto as the need developes.
North of Fishinger	We use city parks frequently and would just like them clean and green. No fancy buildings and excercise equipment are needed except perhaps for some picnicing shelters.
North of Fishinger	We use the parks for walking and a little use of the Senior Center. We feel UA has good parks and recreation, but would like to see a community center especially in winter.
North of Fishinger	We want an indoor recreation center!!!!
North of Fishinger	Weed the grounds, put in more flowers, etc.
North of Fishinger	we're in fine shape now
North of Fishinger	What percent of the resident taxpayers are seeking such improvements?
North of Fishinger	You need some facility for preteens and teens to gather. Movie theatre, sports indoor (i.e pool, ice rink, basketball other games)
North of Fishinger	1 or 2 movie theaters
North of Fishinger	1. Create more sidewalks. We live on a fairly narrow road, 25 mph and cars go over 35 mph and there are no sidewalks. City should assume some of the cost and homeowners the other part. ;;2. Use Kingsdale as a hub for a recreation center and activities. Kingsdale is a waste of space and something needs done. I would recommend the city buy out the current owner and totally redevelop with housing, restaurants, family recreation center (look at Dublin and Westerville). ;;3. Keep roads and curbs in repair. Our street is terrible and it is a highly traveled, cut through road.
North of Fishinger	Actually provide lap lanes for swimmers at the Reed Road Water Park instead of using the four lanes available for swimming lessons.
North of Fishinger	Add sidewalks where none exist now. All streets should have sidewalks
North of Fishinger	Allow the YMCA/YWCA to build, staff, and maintain facility at Kingsdale or other appropriate site in UA.I have been told this is an option UA refuses to allow or even consider.
North of Fishinger	arts programs are under Parks& Rec, but we ONLY hear about the UA parks and UA sports events/programs - no development of additiional arts programs, art studios, performance spaces, public art, collaborative art,
North of Fishinger	Better facilities to accommodate summer;concerts.;Find an indoor space large enough to accomodate the Upper Arligton Community Orchestra to practice and perform concerts-the orchestra currently uses the facilities at a local church and some think this is a church affiliated orchestra - NOT GOOD.
North of Fishinger	Better nature park. Better maintenance of playground equipment.
North of Fishinger	Biggest need for residents and to enhance property is COMMUNITY CENTER with facilities for ALL residents.
North of Fishinger	Bike/walking paths linking the community
North of Fishinger	Bike/walking paths/trails to connect all areas of the city, kids can't ride their bikes from one area to other, cross walks are not marked that well for the kids. I am afraid to let my kids to ride to kingsdale or libary, afraid they will get hit by a car.;Sidwalks would be great on main streets.;Update tremont and devon pools, but not to the extent of reed road water park.
North of Fishinger	Build a community center.
North of Fishinger	Build an indoor community center like Dublin's and Westerville's that has community rooms, fitness facilities, an indoor pool, etc.
North of Fishinger	Cease providing "services" that are already available from the private sector. In doing so, you are providing a vocal minority with benefits, the costs of which, are provided by all.
North of Fishinger	Community Center
North of Fishinger	Community center serving all residents from babies to seniors. This proposal was defeated when on the ballot a few years ago as a use for kingsdale. If dublin has one, why can't arlington?
North of Fishinger	Consider a facility that includes an ice rink, indoor lacrosse and other indoor sports.
North of Fishinger	Continue to maintain and improve modestly - We use the parks just for walking. Our thinking is that the swimming pools are for the younger set and not for old people.
North of Fishinger	Continue to partner with the schools to leverage indoor space, but put a longterm plan in place for indoor space that the whole city could utilize, year-round.
North of Fishinger	crown grade soccer fields and install drainage so fields can be used after rain. ditto any other athletic fields.

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North of Fishinger	Doing a good job now.
North of Fishinger	Don't know. Haven't used them as much since the kids were younger.
North of Fishinger	Don't use the "negative" term "community center." Start using "community facilities." Have a CAMPUS of community facilities at Northam Park area.;Add meeting/recreation rooms to library. Build an indoor running/walking track around the senior center or around the pool, or in a closed loop from senior center to pool or library, possibly some of it underground. Contract a private company to provide membership indoor weights facility, maybe in one of the new library rooms. They don't need treadmills since we will have the track. Build more pools only if the users are willing to pay significant fees. Possibly put a bubble over the Tremont pool with city money. Maybe teams can rent pool space elsewhere cheaper.;Solicit donations/pledges from entities/persons to get started on funding the track, pools and recreation facilities. ;Better community facilities will increase property values and ABILITY to sell property as school systems become less important to baby boomer buyers. That justifies a small property tax increase, but people should pay memberships that cover most of the cost of most of the recreation facilities ;Build complexes of nice, smaller condominiums or apartments for seniors so they can sell their house with too-high property tax and move to a lower-taxed home. Then they can support a small tax increase for community facilities. Tell them reverse mortgages are based on property values. Higher values will enable them to get a bigger reverse mortgage. Possibly let people vote or select a lien on their property to pay the small tax for community facilities, paid when the property is sold. &LF;&LF;The running/walking track should be funded by public money and be free or very cheap to all residents. We are all too fat and unfit. All other recreation facilities should be paid for by memberships and a SMALL property tax increase or optional lien, and by current funds the city has and by donations.&LF;&LF;Fenced dog runs, while nice, will take too much space. Is there a movable fence that could easily be put up at a certain time each evening, but then be left open for ball fields for other times?&LF;&LF;Plant trees where we don't need open space.&LF;&LF;We need porta potties at parks that will be open year around 24 hours a day. Vandals damage bathrooms, plus they are always locked when you need them.&LF;&LF;We need walks along Coach Road and Lane Road to the Lane Park.&LF;&LF;Donna Jaske
North of Fishinger	Eliminate the weeds in grass mulch around trees plant more flowers
North of Fishinger	Enforce it's dog leash law.
North of Fishinger	Good as is.
North of Fishinger	Have at least one indoor 50 meter pool
North of Fishinger	I am interested in dog related issues. If the city continues with its current policy of allowing off leash time for dogs in city parks after certain hours, then I do not believe a dog park is a good use of money in addition. However, if the city at any time decides that dogs in city parks must be on leashes at all times, then I think two dog parks, one in the south and one in the north would be needed. Also, the city should more aggressively enforce people cleaning up after their dogs in the parks and elsewhere. As a dog owner that does clean up this makes me crazy and I believe adds to the disagreements over dog laws in the city.
North of Fishinger	I and my husband are very much in favor of and have voted for the recreational/meeting spaces building and programs.
North of Fishinger	I don't do much in this area, but what i do hear current programs are okay.
North of Fishinger	I have no suggestions on this subject.
North of Fishinger	I honestly believe that the city does a nice job maintaining the parks. I feel there are enough private clubs that provide recreation and leisure activities, that this is not an area that the city needs to get more involved in.
North of Fishinger	I like these programs, but I don't see all the condo development around Kingsdale helping senior residents. WE NEED ONE FLOOR, RANCH CONDOS. PLEASE, WON'T YOU BUILD THEM SO WE DON'T HAVE TO LEAVE UPPER ARLINGTON.
North of Fishinger	I only hike at County Metro Parks--am not involved too much in other activities--UA or elsewhere
North of Fishinger	I think they're fine.
North of Fishinger	I would LOVE to have a recreation center for our young families with children. I would also like to see recreation programs/classes offered at a lower price. I am interested in some that I cannot take because we are living on one income so that I can be home with my children.
North of Fishinger	I would need further written information.
North of Fishinger	I'm still in favor of a rec center like Dublin has.
North of Fishinger	Install dog parks.;Walking/sitting areas for seniors
North of Fishinger	It seems to be going about it the right way - trying to get input from many through meetings, surveys,etc.
North of Fishinger	It would be great to have a rec center but there has to be a sustainable plan in place to fund not only its conception and construction but its maintenance and subsequent development as well.
North of Fishinger	Joe Valentino has done a great job when he was in charge of Parks and Recreation. The UA Senior Center deserves more support.

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North of Fishinger	Keep up the good work!
North of Fishinger	Kingsdale should be a community and recreation center with shopping and dining options near by. The area could be a one stop area, groceries laundry, lunch, exercise and community gathering. UA really needs a rec center for not only the health and well being of those in the community but also to continue to unite the community to have a central location for community activities. I would vote yes for a rec center at kingsdale
North of Fishinger	Link the UA bike trails to the Columbus Bike trails. UA has too much parking, and we have black topped to much of our green space. Additionally, could we share more facilities with the Schools?
North of Fishinger	Look at Dublin and Westerville’s recreation centers to see how woefully inadequate our facilities are. It could positively affect the health and well-being of so many of our residents if we had somewhere similar to theirs to go. We don’t even have enough gym time or space to take care of the most basic needs in the winter.
North of Fishinger	Make sure that facilities & programs accommodate all residents, not just the groups that push their own agenda. If a facility is going to require public funds (and require voter consent) you will need to make it attractive to the voters.
North of Fishinger	More bike paths, and indoor fitness facilities.
North of Fishinger	More comprehensive indoor facilities are needed.
North of Fishinger	More indoor recreation ;Better bike paths, sidewalks and connections to parks;Fewer dogs off leash;Enhance horticultural efforts;Tear down the current senior center and incorporate it into a rec facility at Northam that also connects via a covered walkway to the library;Continue to push for better connections to Griggs Reservoir Park and improvements there such as a paved bike trail.
North of Fishinger	More natural areas/paths/green spaces.;Better policing of parks. Eliminate vandalism/damaging.;Improve Devon Pool bathrooms.;Reinstate name of Lane Road Park.;Enforce leash/control law.;Give residents more favorable discount vs. non-residents for Lifetime Learning classes and other services, including daily pool use.
North of Fishinger	more sensible layout, with sports together and not so scattered (so it looks like we have a baseball or softball park) restrooms at Hastings; more places to bike ...perhaps connecting the parks with marked paths
North of Fishinger	More weekend Life Long Learning sessions. Better define scope of activities and fees involved in the whole ‘indoor rec center’ debate. Even among those who want one, VERY different expectations of what is possible (and could be delivered)
North of Fishinger	need baseball diamonds
North of Fishinger	Need some type of large sports facility like Dublin and Westerville have.
North of Fishinger	Need to connect a bike path from lane road to the olentagy trail (bike path 47)
North of Fishinger	neighborhood forums as u have done...but assure residents know when/where/time to meet;Need a Dog park at Sunny 95 park to allow residents to gather and share
North of Fishinger	Not all residents of upper arlington have ‘an endless supply of money’, we are not all rich. Sometimes I think the city loses sight of this when looking at changes and how much they will cost the residents. I often think the city ignores the ‘voice’ of the lower income earners in upper arlington.
North of Fishinger	Not cater to the seniors as much. Our community is offering very little for the young people/families that bring in the taxes. We are losing people who grew up in UA and want to stay, to New Albany.
North of Fishinger	Operate a recreation center more like Dublin, Worthington, or Westerville with many classes, programs, etc. for a variety of ages.
North of Fishinger	Parks and Rec staff needs to be working more closely with the schools and civic organizations to develop sports programs and coordinate services. Most of the rec leagues have no idea how to develop and coordinate activities to enhance the school’s sports programs. The city government needs to remember title IX and offer more sports for females. Girls’ first experience with volleyball, softball and field hockeye begins in the later grades. If there was a more organized and coordinated council representing civic, schools and parks and rec, our youth programs would be more competitive and balanced. My experience has been a few parents have tried to champion a sports cause and give 150% until their children are out of the school system and another group of parents try to carry on. There is no continuity or sports plan.
North of Fishinger	parks are fine. they dont need improvement
North of Fishinger	Parks are great and the city does the best with what it has. However, a recreation center is needed to compete with other communities. An indoor pool is overdue. Can we build the community center in the Tremont Pool area?. Not all UA residents are members of Country Clubs so a community center like the ones in Dublin, Westerville would be great. Art in the parks (Sculptures) are also welcomed.
North of Fishinger	Plan more for seniors.
North of Fishinger	Present programs are fine
North of Fishinger	Provide sidewalks and bike paths so that we can get to them without cars.;What happened to the transportation plan? It should be implemented
North of Fishinger	Put an indoor ice rink at Greensview/Sunny 95 Park. It would generate income, support school sports, and

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	there is plenty of space.
North of Fishinger	Put in more sidewalks and off-road bicycle trails
North of Fishinger	Reed Rd. is good for families with young children. We need to get the other pools developed for older adults and one for teens and young adults.
North of Fishinger	Restore the Senior Center publication--it ain't broke! Parks seem excellent--and most of UA is green.
North of Fishinger	sidewalks or bikepaths to all parks that are safe and lighted. we need a rec center that is not funded by raising taxes. all baseball fields are in desperate need of updating. it's a disgrace how bad are fields are compared to other communities. we as a community fall very short in these areas
North of Fishinger	stop interfering in private affairs
North of Fishinger	Stop trying to shove a rec center down residents throats. The voter has spoken and does not wish for a rec-center, nor do we want to have the issue continually re-visited and eventually brought in through the backdoor. This type of behavior is what causes dis-trust in our elected officials and those (support staff)they hire.
North of Fishinger	The 12-18 year old group has few program options in UA. They are a hard group to attract, but it is worth the effort.
North of Fishinger	The city is responding appropriately and does not need to dwell on expanding services.
North of Fishinger	The city needs a rec center that would allow activities year round. The city also needs to offer swim lessons on the weekends or evenings for working families.
North of Fishinger	they are good as they are. Continue to maintain them and do further improvements as needed and as conditions change
North of Fishinger	they are great....you could change the name back to lane rd. park to improve communications about parks
North of Fishinger	They've turned Reed Road Pool into a "kiddie park". My teenage son and his friends will NOT go there.
North of Fishinger	To have a dog park, for we are the only area without a dog park. Every other home has a dog.
North of Fishinger	UA has a large elderly population and that demographic is only going to get larger so I'd say we are going to have to upgrade and expand the Senior Center and since seniors like to swim, we're going to need an indoor pool. This could be combined with a rec center. Kingsdale would be an obvious good choice if it could be worked in to the plans. I think the parks are plentiful and beautiful and well maintained.
North of Fishinger	UA needs a rec. center with indoor pools. We've been going to Dublin rec. center to swim since it opened. Now, Dublin is getting another center!
North of Fishinger	Upper Arlington is behind the times in terms of indoor recreation facilities. The surrounding communities have exceptional indoor recreation centers and a community like Upper Arlington has NONE!! ; The residence of UA must leave the community to find indoor recreation options for their children which is unacceptable.
North of Fishinger	Upper Arlington should build a community recreation center similar to those in Dublin and Westerville. In addition to sports and fitness the center should offer intellectually stimulating programs such as Great Books, Memoir writing, etc.
North of Fishinger	UTILIZE EXISTING FACILITIES SUCH AS UAHS MORE FOR NON SCHOOL ACTIVITIES
North of Fishinger	We desperately need an indoor pool for lap-swimming and for holding large high school water activities such as water polo and swimming meets.
North of Fishinger	We need a dog park and to continue our current leash laws in other spaces. Better drainage at parks would be a welcome improvement for field sports.
North of Fishinger	WE need a rec center! We need to do a better job targeting of informing new/younger residents in UA about this issue and put on ballot again. Those of us with young children are going to Dublin or Westerville for use of there center. I was never contacted for any 'special' survey.
North of Fishinger	We need a recreational facility. Everyone I talk to with kids in UA agrees. I honestly feel that there is enough private money in UA to get a rec center proposal moving forward. We just need to put together the right committee. They need to develop a concrete plan. Then approach individual donors in UA for help. Believe me, the support is there! We need a rec center to make us competitive with other Columbus suburbs and most importantly for our own "quality of life". I don't want to have to travel to Dublin or OSU for my family's recreational needs.
North of Fishinger	We need an in door swimming facility...also some other in door areas but it does not need to be as big as some think.
North of Fishinger	WE NEED AN INDOOR POOL!! My children swim for UASC -- because of limited practice space/time, UASC may stop their precompetitive program. Children as young as 8 yrs old currently have practices that run past 9pm. UA can do better than this!
North of Fishinger	We need bike paths!! The Lane Rd. design is unacceptable. Someone is going to get run over. The path is too close to the cars. I also think our adult and child rec. programs are too expensive and limited. We have always used the programs at the Carraige Place rec. center. They are more reasonable and the selection is

**Where in UA?**

**In your opinion, how could the City improve the parks, recreation and leisure facilities / programs it offers to its residents?**

	better. Carraige Place has done a great job of meeting our needs. I also think that Burbank is underutilized. Can't we use it for some recreational programs??
North of Fishinger	We need to have an indoor 50 meter pool at the high school.
North of Fishinger	weed control at least once a year
North of Fishinger	Would love an indoor pool and fitness center for our family in UA
Other	create interconnecting bike paths within the neighborhoods in addition to the major bike path running along the olentangy and creating a safe link to the scioto river
Other	I do not have any suggestions at this time. I enjoy the fireworks and activities in the park for July 4th and Labor Day.
Other	It would be nice if Northram Park was used for more than just a football field. Perhaps more picnic tables, and exercise/walking trail. ;;There needs to be a place for our teens to go and be together - no where in UA is this available.
Other	look at other small upscale cities...don't try to be everything to everyone.
Other	Make up more brochures and distribute
Other	not sure
Other	Yes, I think places public recreation places to meet others fosters community
Other	Find a way to do an end run around all the naysayers (whatever their ages) that favor a seniors only center over a community center. We are over 60 and strongly favor a community center (and would use it regularly) that is intergenerational. Being around younger people help keep us younger feeling and future thinking. Our children grew up here and we wish very much that a community center had been in place. If you have a group working on this project please contact me, Estelle Scott 457-1037. Our community will only be as strong and as attractive to future generations as we are willing to make it.
Other	Keeping them current would be fine without all of the bells and whistles. My family will not go to the Reed Water park, It is a disaster. Overcrowding, actual rest areas close to pools to "watch" children...too chaotic. We have lovely parks as it is but look who is living here and the income of majority...are we really spending the TIME to be in these "great areas" or do we just want to look good to the other communities???? Not happy at all how we are talked down to and that we don't "understand" process,,,,,that is why things are being voted down...we just don't want them.
Other	Many of the adult offerings are offered during the daytime, often during the morning. This may be great for the stay at home moms in our community but doesn't address the needs of the working population. A classic example of this are the fitness classes.
Other	Not interested, too much time and expense at the taxpayer's expense.