Tonight's Format

Observe...

- See what we've been up to since the last Public Information Centre in March
- Get the first look at the preferred concept design
- Watch a brief presentation from the consulting team @ 7:00pm

Participate...

- Share your thoughts / questions / concerns with the consulting team and City staff after the presentation

Engage...

- Think of something after the meeting? Stay in touch by contacting the City's Landscape Architectural Services

Why do a park Master Plan?

- The park's aging features are in need of upgrades
- There's an opportunity to examine existing and future uses for the park
- A Master Plan will become the 'blueprint' for future park improvement projects and careful allocation of funding

Sam Lawrence Park Master Plan - Project Timeline

Spring 2019:

Launch Online Survey
(Park Users)

Staff & Public Advisory Group Meetings

Public Information Centre

Park Walking Tour

Develop Criteria for Success

Summer 2019:

Pop-up Display at Festivals

Close Online Survey
(Park Users)

Development of Concept Design Options

Staff Advisory Group Meeting

Fall 2019:

Pop-up Display at Festivals

Public Advisory Group Meeting

Launch & Close Online Survey
(Evaluation of Design Alternatives)

Evaluate Design Alternatives

Develop Preferred Concept Design

Public Information Centre

Winter 2019/ Spring 2020:

Staff Advisory Group Review

Produce the Master Plan Report

Master Plan for Council Approval

Stay in touch!

Visit: *www.hamilton.ca/SamLawrencePark*

Find project information and progress updates

View public engagement summaries and presentation materials

Keep an eye out for the final Master Plan Report that will be submitted to Council

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What We Heard - Online User Survey Results (Summer 2019)

We received 525 responses to the online user survey

How often do you visit Sam Lawrence Park?

- 42% Once a month
- 26% Once a year

What time of day do you visit the park?

- 71% 5pm-9pm

Do you feel safe in Sam Lawrence Park?

- 88% Yes
- 12% No

What activities do you participate in when visiting the park?

1. Walking
2. Enjoying the Views
3. Visiting the Gardens
4. Photography
5. Relaxing

Which method of transportation do you use most often to get to the park?

- 56% Car
- 27% Walk
- 6% Public Transit

What do you think is special about the park?

1. Views
2. Gardens
3. Green Space
4. Trails & Walkways

What amenities are most important to you?

1. Expanded Pedestrian Connections
2. Expanded Gardens
3. Public Washrooms
4. Barrier Free Access

What other amenities should be included in the revitalization of the park?

1. Seating
2. Water Fountains
3. Trees & Gardens
4. Picnic Area
5. Pavilion / Gazebo
6. Enhance Views
7. Lighting Strategy
8. Pedestrian Bridge
9. Splash Pad

The Bypass Link - Design Alternative

Pedestrian Ramp

Passive Open Space

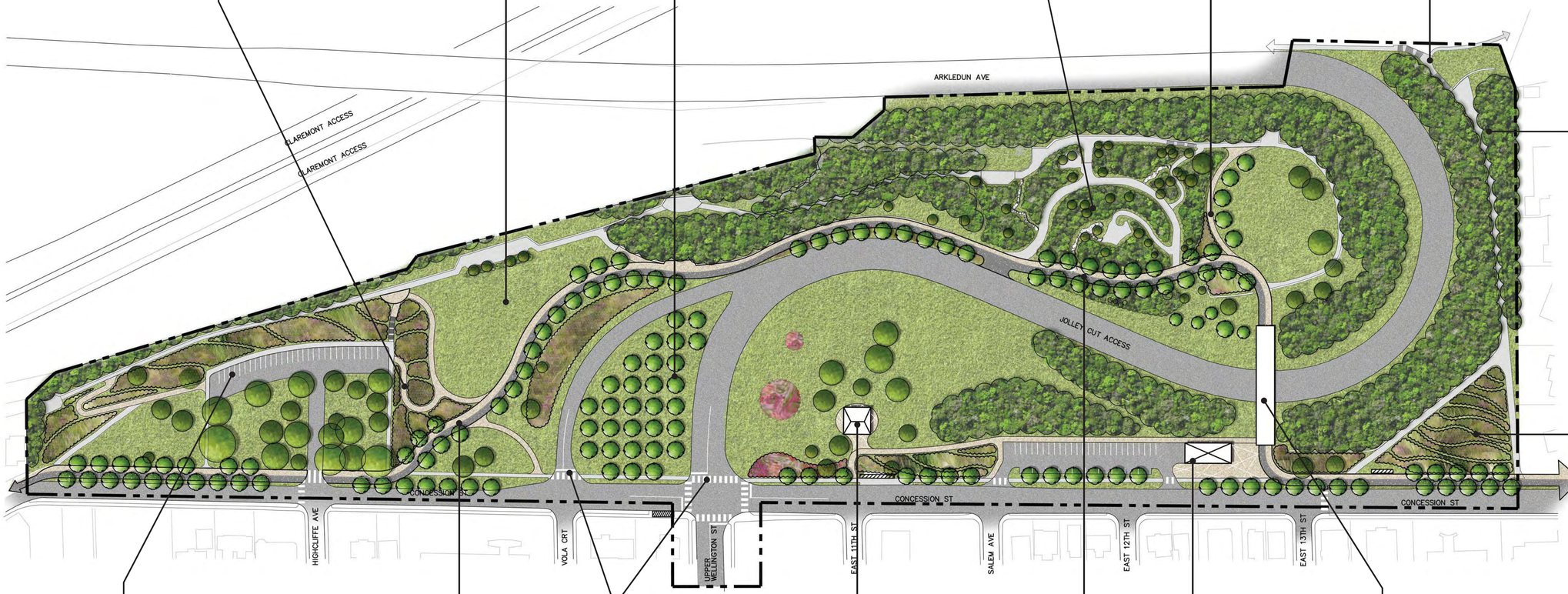
Cluster of Trees in Traffic Median

Existing Gardens

Complete Path Circuits

Improved Trail Head

Drainage Improvements & Native Shade Garden



Native Garden on Slopes

Food Truck Access

Multi-Use Path Embedded in Park

Improved Crossings

Relocated Pavilion

Barrier Free Connections

Maintenance Building

Pedestrian Bridge

North

The Enhancement - Design Alternative

Pedestrian Ramp

Amphitheatre/ Gathering Space

Passive Open Space

Cluster of Trees in Traffic Median

Play “Moments” Throughout Park

Existing Gardens

Complete Path Circuits

Improved Trail Head

Drainage Improvements & Native Shade Garden

New Barrier Free Gardens

On-Street Parking

Observation Platform

Multi-Use Path Embedded in Park

Improved Crossings

New Barrier Free Gardens

Relocated Pavilion

Food Truck Access

Maintenance Building

Pedestrian Bridge

North

What We Heard - Online User Survey Results (Fall 2019)

We received 170 responses to the online user survey

Rank the design alternatives using a scale of 1 to 3. [1 = most favourite, 3 = least favourite]

The Enhancement

- 53.6% Ranked #1
- 30.4% Ranked #3
- 17.4% Ranked #2

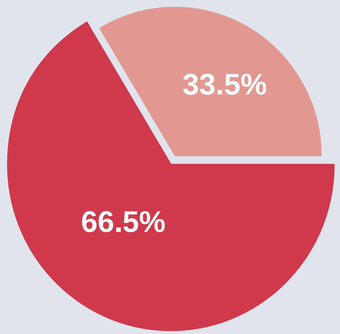
The Bypass Link

- 72.0% Ranked #2
- 17.5% Ranked #1
- 10.6% Ranked #3

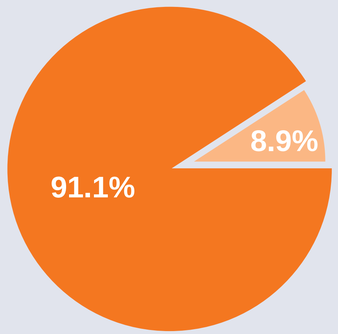
The Quick Fix

- 59.0% Ranked #3
- 28.9% Ranked #1
- 10.5% Ranked #2

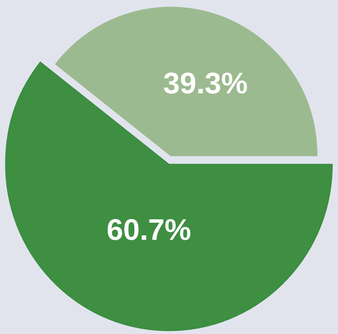
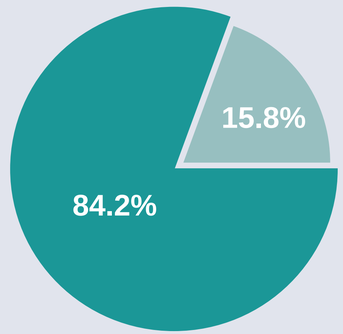
Do you like the proposed improvements to the intersection?



Do you like the proposed bridge over the Jolley Cut?



Do you prefer to keep the west parking lot or replace it with the proposed observation platform?



Do you like the idea of play “moments” throughout or do you prefer a traditional playground?