



Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

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Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Summary Of Responses

Topic Registration Type: No registration

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| Responses: | 122 | | |
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QUESTION 1

Does this proposed design (a blend of Concepts A & B) meet your needs for a dog park at the Tibbetts Valley site?

| | | % | Count |
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| Yes |  | 80.7% | 92 |
| No |  | 19.3% | 22 |

QUESTION 2

Do you have any other thoughts or comments?

| | |
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| Answered | 61 |
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- also area areas COULD do **dog dogs** from future get **great** having **issaquah** like looks **love more** one other owners park **paw please** poop S shy small SO space **station t** than **thank** up use very **wash** waste **what**

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Survey Questions

QUESTION 1

Does this proposed design (a blend of Concepts A & B) meet your needs for a dog park at the Tibbetts Valley site?

- Yes
- No

QUESTION 2

Do you have any other thoughts or comments?

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Individual Responses

Topic Registration Type: No registration

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 1:55 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 1:57 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

This is a great, solid perimeter fence, and maximum open area for the dogs to get us started. It will be awesome.

I love the "80/20" rule. For me, this proposal is way more than 80% perfect. It respects the adjoining neighborhood with the upper entrance plus more expensive fencing & landscaping. And there's room in the middle to potentially grow in the future as budget and the "sweat equity" of the "Friends of the Dog Park" permits.

I am eager to see this get started. Thanks for listening.

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 2:01 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Do you include covered human areas for rainy days?

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 2:10 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Please clarify where the entry points are. I assume there are two from SR 900, and one from the existing playground near the ball fields. Am I correct?

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 2:13 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

dog water station and waste station at 2nd entrance would be valuable.

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 2:23 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 2:23 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

I'd recommend having multiple dog waste/trash cans. Thank you for including the paw wash station, that will be very important given the suggested improvements to start will see mud.

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 2:34 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 3:01 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 3:05 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 3:18 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 3:28 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 3:32 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

I presume that 12th Ave NW is running along the right hand side of this illustration. I am very much opposed to this project. As a non-dog owner I already experience an ample amount of barking and other dog-related problems in The Woods at Issaquah. Given the fact that the city is facing a 5.2 million dollar budgetary shortfall, I am flabbergasted that such an expensive and unnecessary project as this is even being considered. Please don't green light this dog park. If dog owners much have a park then perhaps it should be situated away from residential areas such as at Lake Sammamish State Park. Thank you.

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 3:37 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Please build!

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 3:41 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 4:53 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 5:23 PM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 6:50 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 6:56 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 7:19 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Please provide a covered spot for the owners to stand (lighting would be an extra bonus) but would really love to use this during all weather conditions! Thank you

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 9:53 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Love the blended design. Thank you!

Name not available

November 1, 2019, 10:23 PM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

Dog poop sack station? Anyone in charge on daily basis? Who cleans up because in areas now they don't. Are there hours because it is near house and apartments/townhomes,/individual homes.

I hope you have thought of this, a lot of dogs equals loads of both poop and extra noise.

Name not available

November 2, 2019, 6:22 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Name not available

November 2, 2019, 10:02 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

It looks as if the ADA accessible route ends the minute one enters the gate. Is there a paved path that at least gets a wheelchair INTO the dog park to a first bench area? No point in having an ADA route that doesn't continue slightly into the area of interest!

Name not available

November 2, 2019, 10:43 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Please add rinse off area

Name not available

November 2, 2019, 7:06 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 2, 2019, 7:12 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 3, 2019, 7:33 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

This is the first I've heard about a off-leash dog park in Issaquah. I think it's fantastic. Thanks!

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 8:49 AM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 8:56 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:23 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Easily accessible waste bags and trash cans throughout would encourage owners to clean up after their dogs. Forest-like spaces make it easy for owners to assume their dog's messes will naturally decompose, which does not happen quickly.

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:23 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Thank you for moving this forward! I hope you're looking at ways to enhance parking :)

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:25 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

I'd like to also know what lighting is being planned for the dog park area.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:28 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:32 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Looks great!! I assume there will be poop bags available at all entries? Along with poop bag disposal containers?

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:39 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

YES...

1) This is a GOOD START; however, once this construction is completed and the dog park is open for use, I recommend you do a follow up survey to determine what else could/should be done in future improvements & expediture.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:43 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

This is exciting! Two main pieces of feedback:

1. For the shy/small dog area, please consider using fencing that isn't see-through. For shy dogs (especially since that area is right near an entrance), seeing other dogs is very disturbing. Blocking their ability to see dogs come and go is SUPER important. A visual barrier will go a long way in helping more people/dogs use this park (having volunteered at Seattle Humane, there are more dogs with reactivity issues than not, and having a space for them to romp around would be immensely helpful - and a visual barrier is key).

2. DEFINITELY more poop bag stations throughout (but not too close to the benches :)).

Thanks for continuing to solicit feedback throughout the process!

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 4:56 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

A flat dog park with no trees so dogs can run, play ball, chase each other and not run into a tree!

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 5:08 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

It seems trees which we love are not always conducive to dogs running around to wear off energy!

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 5:15 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Very excited!

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 5:21 PM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 5:25 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

Are we ever going to get cost figures?

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 5:28 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

Why 2 different surfaces? More work to maintain. Not very open.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 5:49 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 6:02 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 6:08 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 6:15 PM

Question 1

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

- No

Question 2

I do not find the site at Tibbetts Valley Park appropriate for a dog park, as much as I laud the city and park board for considering and lobbying for such a site. My concerns are the slope, the clay soils, the trees to remain, and the obvious attractive nuisance that the open ball/soccer fields present for retrievers to chase balls (not likely to be as attractive a location in the dog park enclosure).

I know that one of the priorities is to select and open a site as soon as possible, but I think this site will be a bust and we will be looking for a more appropriate (flatter, seasonally drier, better ball toss lines) location in the not-to-distant future.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 6:22 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

I'm glad there will be a separate area for smaller dogs. Thank you! Carol S.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 6:39 PM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

Concerned about gravel and wood chips staying in the tidy polygons drawn. Will there be railroad ties or logs holding them in those places. As dogs run and turn and stop suddenly, these substrates will go flying.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 6:44 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

This is absolutely wonderful & will do a lot for community building in Issaquah. Thank you.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 7:17 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

Marymoor off leash area is 40 acres. Issaquah scrapped up 2 acres for the thousands of citizens who live here. We'll still use Marymoor. This design is a joke.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 7:18 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 7:19 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 7:51 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Looks great, nice work committee!

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 8:13 PM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 8:19 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 8:29 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

1.05 acres is very, very small. I kept hearing 2.8 acres like the size of other parks!!! We need a real piece of land. Why were we told it was bigger all this time?

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 8:30 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

If it saves time and money I would say the Paw Wash station and middle

entry gate are not needed for the initial roll-out of this park. The Paw Wash station at Luther Burbank is because dogs are in the lake water. This is just a simple park so no need for bathing facilities. And having two entrances 100 feet apart isn't a huge benefit for the added cost/time.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 9:41 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

There isn't a note for a trash/dog waste station at the entry by the wetlands or the one at the very bottom of the drawing.

It would be beneficial to have a paw washing station by the bottom/south entrance as well since it looks like it would be bark chips it could get muddy.

Name not available

November 4, 2019, 10:50 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Love it ! Nice mix of different surfaces. should be great for our furry friends !

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 3:07 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

The undeveloped area in the middle does not appear to be a good use of space. It seems like at least reducing this undeveloped area would be a tremendous benefit, and substantially increase the usable area of the dog park. Something like a path through this area or reducing it by half to get closer to ~1.5 acres of usable/developed area would be a better choice.

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Name not available

November 5, 2019, 3:43 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

another paw wash station.
another dog poo station and waste basket area.
do not need the basketball court.

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 7:03 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 7:05 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 7:23 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 7:28 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

At the last meeting, we got a bit off-track as far as fundraising ideas to cover additional/future costs. Knowing that the Arts Commission is interested in contributing something, could we use their help to create an art piece(s) that feature dogs whose owners donated a certain amount to help construct the dog park? Something similar like the bricks we have at the salmon hatchery but maybe we could offer a couple options depending on what the Arts Commission/others are willing to help out with:

- Dogs could get their paw prints in a cement paver
- Dogs and their owners have their likenesses painted on a mural (a very large donation?)
- Dogs have their name printed/carved on the fence or on the benches near the entrances or throughout the park.
- Reaching out to local businesses to ask for donations in exchange for advertisement along the park (similar to what Robinswood sometimes has).

Would the city be able to help facilitate and get together a group like S.O.D.A. for Marymoor? I think having community engagement in keeping the park would also help reduce future costs as well as build an additional sense of pride and ownership with the park (not sure if this is what the Dog Friends Group would be responsible for)

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 7:34 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 8:21 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 8:22 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Thank you for your consideration. A covered area with a bench, additional trash can/dog waste station between the wood chip surfacing and future opportunity area (mid point of park).

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 8:45 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Love the blended design. Thanks for including the wash stations!

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 9:40 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

I like the blending of A & B - especially the paw wash station. I do wish the useable space was larger than an acre.

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 9:45 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Is it possible to add lights for evening access? With the sun setting so early during winter, it is hard for many dog owners to get to the park during daylight hours.

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 10:37 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 10:38 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

I like the walking paths between features. And a paw washing station is a great idea.

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 11:31 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Please landscape and care for the border along 12th. Please improve crosswalks along 12th.

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 4:13 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 5:32 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

I love that there's wood chips and the paw wash station is near the parking lot. It would be great if there could be some sort of covered area so it's easier to stay dry if it's wet outside.

Looks like it'll be a great space!

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 7:37 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 8:26 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 5, 2019, 8:48 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

This is HORRIBLE!! The actual amount of space for the dogs is tiny. It is also on steep grade and there is water all over the place. Standing water in dog parks combined with poop and pee makes dogs sick. Who comes up with this dog doo of a concept? This is a dog park in name only and concept; in practicality it's a waste of space.

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 5:45 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

I am just really excited to have a dog park in Issaquah. A number of my friends have dogs and we have one large and one medium sized dog it will be so nice to meet up and let them play in a safe and controlled environment. Thank you for everything.

Also, I live in Issaquah and am an artist. I interested in contributing a piece of art to the dog park and was wondering if that was possible or what the city is looking for. My email is kimberlywilliams.art@gmail.com and I will do my best to come to the park meeting in November. Thank you!

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 6:05 AM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

Sad

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 6:06 AM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 6:11 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 10:54 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Can't wait!

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 7:23 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 12:19 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 9:10 AM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

The small/shy dog area is notably smaller and less interesting than rest of the dog park.

What is the percentage of the dog park that is dedicated for this?

Why is it that small dog areas are designed more like quarantine pens while the rest of the park is large and full of interesting features?

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 3:03 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 10:02 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 3:03 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 3:04 PM

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 3:04 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 3:05 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 3:06 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 3:47 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

I do not believe there should be off-leash dog parks. If one is being constructed, I believe only fenced parks should be considered for the safety of all.

Name not available

November 6, 2019, 8:59 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Please disclose how much usable space exists after you deduct the "future opportunity" area which will be fenced off.

The lower wetland should also be fenced off to protect the area. The adjacent trail is very close and would likely contribute to an adverse impact.

It would be nice to plan for a future covered area that could be added later when funding is available.

Concerned about drainage and surface covering to prevent muddy conditions.

Suggest waste containers are not placed close to benches.

Name not available

November 7, 2019, 7:41 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 7, 2019, 11:09 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 7:05 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 8:31 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 8:38 AM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 8:42 AM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

Why are we building a dog park? Don't we have better needs to be served in the city, like traffic and traffic?

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 9:12 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 9:13 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

We are just excited to have a dog park and will definitely bring our dogs. It would be great to have a clear path & good signage from the downtown Issaquah trail to Tibbetts so that we can walk there and avoid driving/parking.

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 9:57 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 10:07 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Tibbetts Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 10:26 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Love the idea. Any dog park is better than no dog park. It wash station is a must. I have seen some comments from folks that don't obviously on dogs. Even if you don't own a dog, you should like this idea as it gives dog owners a good place to go and not use the public parks as a dog park. I really hope this comes to fruition

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 12:58 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 1:47 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 4:29 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

A second trash can at the other entry

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 6:12 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

What is an unclassified wetland - and are those areas adequately protected from pet waste and people tracking/ run-off?
Is the shy/small dog area also available to larger dogs who may not do well with large groups? I have a larger shelter dog- also shy - and have a hard time finding spaces (e.g., a quick game of off-leash catch/socializing) for him too. It helps in socializing to bring these larger, shy dogs to off-leash park visits, in play areas that can accommodate their "shyness" too.

Name not available

November 8, 2019, 8:28 PM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 9, 2019, 9:01 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 9, 2019, 10:25 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Tibbets Valley Dog Park Survey (Round 2)

Does this proposed design meet your needs for a dog park?

No response

Name not available

November 10, 2019, 11:52 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

A chief safety concern for me is fencing. A large section, if not the entire park should be enclosed in fencing that does not allow smaller dogs to exit the park underneath the fence. Small dogs, especially terriers and other dogs that are motivated to track/chase wildlife are in danger of escaping less secure enclosures and impacting traffic or becoming lost.

Name not available

November 10, 2019, 12:04 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

Love it

Name not available

November 11, 2019, 9:54 PM

Question 1

No response

Question 2

the invasive blackberry bushes grow back faster than they can be maintained... dogs will be hurt running through that area

Name not available

November 12, 2019, 8:10 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 12, 2019, 9:35 AM

Question 1

- No

Question 2

No response

Name not available

November 13, 2019, 4:52 PM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

This looks good. Hopeful we can have a dog park with water for dogs at some point. Tibbets should come together faster than most plus it is mid size so the dogs can run and play.

Name not available

November 15, 2019, 11:00 AM

Question 1

- Yes

Question 2

No response