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Subject: Park Board Survey

Dear Park Board Members:

Realizing there has been much discussion regarding the parks master plan survey, I wanted to take a moment to clarify the direction Trent Wash and I have been given regarding the development of the document. First, the City Manger and City Council have asked and have been clear that we do not include survey questions pertaining to a potential Community Recreation Center. City Council wishes to address this topic exclusively, or potentially within the framework of a future comprehensive community survey. Second, as we are all aware, the initial draft of the survey included several questions regarding parks programming of which virtually none pertained to the City's current parks operations or offerings. Those types of questions will also be taken out of the survey. Removing these items from the survey will allow us to move the survey development forward as soon as the staff and the board has a final draft they are comfortable with. Trent and I will then share the final document with the City Manager Council before its public release. This means we can move forward with a survey now and not table it indefinitely.

Trent will be forwarding the consultant the staff and board comments related to the first draft and ask that the questions be redeveloped accordingly. Trent will then bring the new draft to the next Board meeting for review and further comment. This will keep everyone engaged and up to speed with the survey development process. I am certain you will have a strong survey that will give the City valuable feedback to incorporate into the overall parks master plan.

Thank you everyone for your dedication and hard work related to this important parks project. We appreciate it!

Regards,

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