

Policy P3.4: Maintain and expand city cemetery facilities as necessary.

Policy P3.5: Periodically review the design of existing parks and renovate park facilities to reflect changing needs and desires of residents.

GOAL P4: Complete and protect a system of green belts, centered on streams and wildlife corridors, to protect natural resources and provide passive recreation.

Policy P4.1: Attempt to restore the South Fork of the Palouse River to a more natural appearance and function.

Policy P4.2: Protect riparian corridors along perennial streams from the adverse effects of development. Maintain a buffer of vegetation (preferably native vegetation) along all streams.

Policy P4.3: Whenever possible, establish greenways to link open space areas located in close proximity to one another.

This notice was placed in all March City of Pullman water bills.

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Posting on the City of Pullman Web Site:

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NEWS RELEASE: For Immediate Release:

Date: March 24, 2008

FROM: Kurt Dahmen, Recreation Superintendent, 338-3225

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2008 Needs assessment on the city Of Pullman, Parks & Recreation web site, using Survey Monkey. This was used along with hard copies of the survey which was available for those who did not have internet access. Survey Monkey was used so that tabulation of data was easier to compile.

2008 Pullman Parks and Recreation Needs Assessment Survey

1. Demographics

1. Sex of Respondent

☐ Female
☐ Male

2. Age of Respondent

☐ 19-17 ☐ 18-24 ☐ 25-34 ☐ 35-44 ☐ 45-54 ☐ 55-64 ☐ 65+

3. Counting yourself, how many people currently live in your household, including children?

4. If you have children at home, what are their ages?

Children ages 1st child 2nd child 3rd child 4th child 5th child

5. How long have you lived in Pullman?

☐ 0-5 years
☐ 6-10 years
☐ 11-15 years
☐ 15+ years
☐ Do not live within the City of Pullman, but use or participate in Parks & Recreation offerings.

6. Your occupation

☐ Government ☐ Retired
☐ Homemaker ☐ Student
☐ Private employer ☐ WSU Staff/Faculty
☐ Professional ☐ Other

7. Choose the area in Pullman in which your residence is located.

☐ College Hill
☐ Military Hill
☐ Pioneer Hill
☐ Sunnyside Hill
☐ Other areas of Pullman
☐ Do not live within the City of Pullman

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2. Use of Existing Park & Recreation Facilities

8. For the facilities listed below, please indicate how many times you or others in your household have used the facility over the past 12 months. If visited, please rate your level of satisfaction with the facility.

	Number of Visits	Level of Satisfaction
Chapman Trail (Pullman to Moscow)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
City Playfields	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
City Trail System	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Harrison Tot Lot	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Kruegel Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Lawson Gardens	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
McGee Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Military Hill Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Pullman Cemeteries	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Reaney Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Spring Street Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Sunnyside Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Terreview Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Woodcraft Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

9. Additional comments on park facilities.

10. Please list additional local facilities visited in the past 12 months not listed above.

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.

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11. How frequently do you or others in your household use the following facilities or activity areas in the Pullman Parks & Recreation System. If used, please rate your level of satisfaction with the facility or activity area.

	Number of Uses	Level of Satisfaction
Aquatic Center Fitness Room	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Aquatic Center Pools	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Basketball Courts	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Baseball Fields	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Disc Golf	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Jogging/Exercise Trails	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Natural Areas	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Open Fields/Practice Areas	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Picnic Shelters	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Pioneer Center	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Playgrounds	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Reaney Pools	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Senior Center	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Skate Park	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Softball Fields	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Tennis Courts	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

12. Additional comments regarding facilities or activity areas.

13. Based on your experience, do you feel additional parks or park facilities are needed within the City of Pullman at the present time?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

14. If you answered yes to question #13, what types of facilities are needed?

- A.
 B.
 C.

15. Where should these facilities be located?

- A.
 B.
 C.

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3. Program Participation

16. Please indicate if you or others in your household participated in one of the recreation and/or sports programs listed below. If you answered yes, please rate your level of satisfaction.

	Participation	Level of Satisfaction
A. Active adult (50+) programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
B. Active adult (50+) travel programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
C. Adult art programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
D. Adult dance programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
E. Adult fitness programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
F. Adult general recreation programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
G. Adult outdoor recreation programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
H. Adult sports programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
I. Adult/teen swim lessons	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
J. Aquatic Center special programs (events)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
K. Lap swimming	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
L. Personal training	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
M. Preschool programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
N. Senior Center programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
O. Special events (Egg Hunt, Halloween Carnival, Concerts in the Park)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
P. Water exercise programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Q. Youth art/music programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
R. Youth dance/theater programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
S. Youth sports camps	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
T. Youth sports programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
U. Youth summer camp programs	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
V. Youth swim lessons	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

17. Which four of the programs listed above are most important to your household?

	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	4th Choice
Importance.	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

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18. Additional comments on recreation and/or sports programs.

19. Please rate your overall satisfaction with Pullman Parks & Recreation.

☐ Very Satisfied
 ☐ Satisfied
 ☐ Neutral
 ☐ Dissatisfied
 ☐ Very Dissatisfied

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4. Care-To-Share

The Pullman Parks & Recreation Care-To-Share program has been established through private donations from individuals and businesses. This program provides financial assistance to low income individuals to help cover registration fees for youth through 17 years of age who reside in the Pullman School District and for Senior Adults 60 years of age and older who reside in the City of Pullman.

20. Are you familiar with this program for low income children and senior adults?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

21. Have you used the youth Care-to-Share program?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

22. Have you used the senior adult Care-to-Share program?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

23. Have you ever donated to the Care-to-Share program?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

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5. Future Planning

24. If the City of Pullman Parks & Recreation Department were to develop a new community center, how frequently would you or others in your household use the following activities/facilities?

	Often	Sometimes	Seldom	Never
A. Aerobics/Dance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
B. Arts/Crafts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
C. Climbing Wall	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
D. Fitness Room	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
E. Leisure/Lap Pool	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
F. Meeting/Conference/Banquet Space	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
G. Multi-Court Gymnasium	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
H. Performing Arts/Theater	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I. Pool with Spray Features/Water Slides	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
J. Racquetball Courts	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
K. Senior Center	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
L. Teen Center	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
M. Walking/Jogging Track	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

25. Which four of the amenities listed above are most important to you and your household?

Your top choices

1st choice	2nd choice	3rd choice	4th choice
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

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26. The list below are possible actions that the City of Pullman could take to improve the Parks & Recreation system. Please indicate your level of support for each of the options listed below.

	Very supportive	Somewhat supportive	Not sure	Do not support
Develop a dog park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Develop new recreation/community center	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Develop new walking/biking trails/connect existing trails	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Develop new youth/adult athletic fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Fix-up/repair historic cemeteries	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Purchase land to develop athletic fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Purchase land to preserve open space/green space	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Remodel/repair old park buildings/facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Upgrade existing neighborhood/community parks	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Upgrade existing youth/adult athletic fields	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

27. Additional comments.

28. OPTIONAL: To be entered into a drawing for an annual membership to the Pullman Aquatic & Fitness Center and to receive results of this survey, please complete the information below.

Name:

Address:

City/Town:

State:

ZIP/Postal Code:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Comments from open houses

Improvement at City RV Park – Handicap site – Restroom with showers
Outdoor pool Reaney – wading pool or shallow entry for very young children
Working shades for windows at Pioneer Center
Fully fenced area t Pioneer Center for preschool and very young children – Keep and post as non-dog area of use.
Water Kruegel Park less, it is spongy and update irrigation system to monitor wind, and existing conditions.
Use more drought tolerant grasses.
Use permeable pavers at Lawson Gardens and on all new paved areas
Bike Park
Indoor Play Center. Good stuff at www.kompan.com
Indoor soccer for kids up at WSU rec center
Ultimate Frisbee for adults
Dog Park, down and across bridge from Koppel Farm Plots.
Pedestrian Pathways (to include crossing on busy streets, e.g. Grand and Center)
Dog Park
Shad Options
More parks, especially in the new areas.
Plant with drought tolerant and native plants, with plans to water/irrigate less.
More soccer fields
Water play at Reaney, but leave Reaney pool safe and simple (Keep Reaney Pool)
Keep lap lanes functioning at Reaney Pool.

Comments from Survey

9. Additional comments on park facilities.

The tennis courts at Sunnyside are located in a sort of depressed area and have a mosquito problem in the summer. Maybe some bat houses or plantings nearby that could attract birds and other mosquito eating wildlife would help this problem. I seem to remember that you spray for mosquitoes but that never seems to do a lot of good.

Fine

Need recycle bins

To many bees at Tot Lot, need slides at Military Hill & Places for small kids to climb

Need 1-2 soccer fields

Need to be better maintained before we talk about building anything more!!! Oddfellows Cemetery needs better car, quit trying to mow the whole thing with a riding mower, use a push mower around head stones to avoid damaging them and to save time and fuel, use rider only for the remaining straight always--no need to water for 10 hours a day in the same spots.

Terraview park pond needs to be cleared of cattails and cleaned of algae

cost, maintenance poor, pathway roots growing through asphalt, grass too long on little league fields.

Terreview Park pond has become cat tail and algae infested over the past 4 years. A mosquito problem has developed last year.

only complaint was that the sprinklers came on at McGee Park during our time of use

There needs to be water fountains on the Chipman Trail. The one for the dogs/people doesn't work

Dog play area would be nice. Unmonitored outdoor bouldering structure would be great.

Portapots need cleaning & pumping with greater regularity. Heated year round restrooms

Not happy with bathroom (new location) at Kruegel Park. Previous location better. Dogs and Children should be more welcome at Lawson

Keep working on the trail system - it is shaping up nicely!

The restrooms are dismal & disgusting

Dog Waste is a turn off

Military Park improvements have been good but there is still concrete around the play structures that is dangerous for children

More trees should be planted in Military Hill Park

Parking is an issue when there are large gatherings

better restroom facilities would be great at parks, Chipman trail near destroyed grain silo smells like sewage lately- please see to this!

I think that a dog park should be built in Pullman.

If the bathrooms at woodcraft aren't going to be maintained, it might be better to close them

Sunnyside is a great park!

Dissatisfaction due to unclean/non-existent bathrooms; Sunnyside park pond is being over-run by goldfish and in general is very filthy

bath rooms could be kept up or monitored somehow

I have a dog and I pick up after my dog. I am not satisfied with the parks because sometimes there is not a garbage can to be found, or the garbage cans are constantly being moved, and this winter there was only one garbage can at the playfields-- rain, snow or shine there needs to be garbage's. Pet owners do not want to carry dog feces in a bag... 2 miles-- a lot of dog owners opt to leave it. Also, the Chipman trail needs more garbage's-- every spring the entry to the trail behind the Quality Inn is disgusting because there is so much dog feces on the trail when the snow melts.

Take grandchildren to parks. They are very nice.

Please replace broken wooden platform at Sunnyside park with monkey bars

Please do NOT build a concert stage in the play field at Sunnyside park

Really wish there was a place in Pullman that dogs could socialize off leash, all of us dog owners really miss Roundtop Park!

We have had some trouble with reservations not being posted at Sunnyside Park.

restrooms need improvement

I walked through McGee Park when I lived on Hillside... it was dark and the brush near the path was quite intimidating late at night. There were times I would walk up to Valley to Wheatland to avoid the park.

I would like to see more pedestrian/bike access (trails) between parks and around town.

It would be fun to have a native botanical gardens for the city of Pullman.

Shade is the biggest improvement.

Well tended. kids used to play in them. good things to have.

I would like to take my leashed dog to the undeveloped part of Lawson Gardens

I'm happy to see so many nice parks in Pullman

Very fortunate to have so many fine parks in this size town.

too much trash, Lawson used for dogs, picnics, playing, picking flowers, not peaceful enjoyment. Also, the chain across the garden driveway must be put up at sunset to reduce the frequent misuse of the garden at night. Activities observed by myself and other neighbors at night include vandalism, alcohol and drug use and mischief. Mr. Lawson did not intend for this garden to be a picnic/playground/wedding catering establishment. Please reconsider large multipurpose reception building. This is a violation of his purpose and the public trust.

the new restrooms in Kruegel Park are in the middle of a lovely slope, why not consolidate the buildings into a "core" and allow the open space to remain open? This response goes for all city park facilities, allow the open space to remain un-impeded.

It would be nice if the trail going to N along hwy27 was finished and distance markers on all trails were better and more frequent. Also it would be nice if those who allow their dogs to litter the trails could be caught.

Parks staff at Sunnyside Park- seasonal cleanup-needs PR training; rude to this parks visitors.

we do have grandchildren who visit often and love the parks and the swimming pools

leave sledding areas at Kruegel alone

Bathrooms are what bring down the ratings. That and so many of the parks in in full sun and are unusable in summer.

Need to complete trails system

I'd like more plants (trees, flowers), more isolation from traffic and it's noise

Could you measure the trail at Sunnyside park so we know how far we walk.

I am happy there are restroom upgrades going on. They were badly needed. Water fountains would be nice, too.

We have wonderful parks which are well used. As Pullman grows more large parks are clearly needed.

need more garbage cans around parks, there are none up at Mill hill park, broken toys, icky bathrooms

Nice park system for a small town.

Restrooms in Kruegel are dated. Need more bike paths to new development. Get people off streets. Overall Good Job. A sledding hill is need in Pullman with no obstructions

Please repair and improve the Military Hill Park/PHS trail. Thank you!

It would be nice to have the trail system extend out to the south side of town

we need a Hamilton Low Rec center for indoor basket ball for boys ages 9-15 badly

Would appreciate having bathrooms available through the year as summer is not the ONLY time children need to use them!!!

A dog run area is really needed. Too many pet owners have their dogs off their leashes in the parks.

Could you place signs for distance walked on trail, as at playfield?

Mostly Satisfactory - sometimes litter has been an issue in Sunnyside park and on the City Trails. Better lighting would benefit the city trails in the Winter.

would like to see a fence/rope fence/etc. along pathway of playfield walk on side of street (kid's jut out on bikes; cars drive fast); fence along play area of Dilke at Kruegel

Harrison Tot Lot is very hot in the afternoons (no shade) and there were a LOT of bees/wasps. Also, their sprinklers sprayed my car on the street.

Restroom facilities are generally deficient or not available.

The Pullman Parks are great. Keep up the good work and more of it.

The city playfields could benefit from some upgrades to the softball field area - bleachers, dugouts, scoring boxes

Overall, considering Pullman's resources, EXCELLENT

It sure would be nice to get a permanent bathroom facility down near the end baseball field...

The only reason that I was only satisfied with Reaney park is that there was a group of boys (ages 4-7 or so) that we hitting other kids with sticks while their mom's just watched/talked.

Plan on using Chipman Trail for bicycling this summer.

Rest rooms could be improved.

I am satisfied with the play "structures" at Harrison Tot Lot, but not the maintenance of equipment (esp. swings and water fountain)

They are OK.

would be nice to have hard surfaced walkways (especially Lawson Gardens) for wheelchairs

Bigger slides!

Please please please continue development on the park/trail system in the Itani Sunnyside Height development!!!!!! It will increase the use of Sunnyside park as well.

Problem with the bark at Sunnyside, causing slivers.

Improve and add bathrooms with easier access to the bathrooms, especially at the City Play Fields. Covers/shading needs to be installed over the dugouts at the City Play Fields. Seating is needed at the baseball field at Sunnyside Park.

need better lighting

12. Additional comments regarding facilities or activity areas.

Aquatic Center is not very clean

Roots pushing up trail payment at city playfields and some city trails.

cleaner bathroom facilities

Major wasp problems at the picnic shelter last year,

More maps or indicators for Disc Golf Course

I enjoy the water exercise very much both at the Aquatic Center and Reaney Pool (summer)

Nice upkeep in general. Appreciate the connectivity between parks

Work to keep Pioneer Center clean. Aim to keep fitness equipment & programming fresh and current.

The summer Aquacise at Reaney park is fabulous!!!

The city could upgrade this facility and slightly increase fees and be a nicer more desired and busy park.

There needs to be more trees, for shade.

Baseball fields need seating; softball field needs good water fountains

The trail that runs next to N. Grand, behind the old Railroad storage facilities-- needs attention-- the residents who live in the apartments above the trail, throw bottles, cigarette butts, garbage down onto the trail. Every time I walk by, I am afraid my dog will be injured by all the broken glass. The apartment company needs to be held responsible for their tenants. Also, there is foamy water running from a pipe that drains into paradise creek. If you kept going straight on Derby, (where it turns into Professional mall blvd) you can see the pipe going into the creek.

Reaney Pool should be open into the evening in summer. Aquatic Center pools not run well, often dirty, lap pool too warm. Where are natural areas?

Please do NOT build a concert stage in Sunnyside park

Kruegel Park need improved picnic facility and restrooms. Good children's facilities

I hate that all the jogging trails and paths are located next to the road, especially when there is so much loose gravel after winter and it gets kicked up... also given that Pullman is in a rural area I am suprised that there is no nature paths on some of the hills away from the roads... Pullman should take a cue from Camel's Back Park in Boise, Id to have an appropriate park for children and adults that want to enjoy hiking, biking, jogging away from car and truck exhaust and paths that are not asphalt and easy on the joints... the recreation in this city is VERY VERY DISAPPOINTING given the potential of being in a rural community

The senior center is great! i especially like the lunches, writing classes, playing bridge, chances to eat out in restaurants, and shopping trips.

need shower curtains that close all the way across the front; appropriate gender dressing room should be required at age 6, not only recommended

I would like to see more pedestrian access (trails) between parks and around town.

Shade over play area

i walk my dog on grounds of pioneer center

Greatly appreciate the upgrading and care to our existing parks and paths.

All public areas in Pullman should contain recycling facilities to encourage more responsible waste treatment and increase environmental awareness. Any trash should be picked up regularly.

The trash pick-up is intermittent; add recycling containers to park facilities.

would use aquatic facilities more if locker/change rooms were cleaner

Pioneer Center photography class not as described in brochure. Only for advanced phographers.

Please re-instate drop-in option and half-session option for fitness classes.

We are truly blessed to have such wonderful facilities

Aquatic center needs better temperature control on their showers. The door to the women's room is so heavy kids cannot open it on their own.

I would like more unpaved trails in natural areas, such as some of the Sunnyside Park trails. Perhaps that trail could be expanded. I have also used the cemetery trails for walking exercise.

Bathrooms/showers bad, won't let my daughter in them, rather drive all the way home then use them. Also Pullman needs a Aquatic Center similar to Moscow, we go there everyday in the summer, I know tons of other families that would use a water park daily.

McGee park baseball field too small due to basketball court

Need to improve city-wide trail system for better transport throughout city in lieu of autos or buses.

city fields for baseball is extremely dangerous for little ones with the parking lot

Reaney pool needs a shallow pool suitable for infants and toddlers to play in.

Would love to see Pioneer Center outdoor B-ball court resurfaced. Also resurface Kruegel tennis courts.

Reaney Pools could use lap swims in the mornings. Sunnyside Park Disc Golf could use upkeep - I have personally installed one basket. Disc Golf is an increasing sport for many college students, and the course could use upkeep and more support from the city. You can call Jason Larsen 509/339.5464 if you have any questions.

Would LOVE to see a Pullman-Moscow Indoor Playground for kids and families (long winters; low opportunity for gross motor activity) . . . I'll open this if the cities won't! :)

An elderly friend goes to the senior center regularly, and has said positive things about that and the senior van pick-up as well.

Need more camping spaces

Picnic shelter reservation system @ Kruegel Park seems unreliable; swings at Kruegel Park playground need some repair/attention

just again, maintenance of military hill tot lot

They are OK.

WSU Facilities are better

Please add more basketball court facilities to our parks. I would really like to get a playground of dreams going too.

I LOVE the lap pool at the aquatics center. This is the BEST exercise - I thank you for supporting it.

Reaney pools too deep for toddler age. Closes too early in summer to do lap swims after work.

Need shower in "family" bathroom for mothers with opposite sex children

Aquatic Center needs exercise equipment updated.

14a. If you answered yes to question #13, what types of facilities are needed?

Dog Park definitely needed

Water Park like Moscow

Soccer fields

play parks

A middle school soccer program through parks & rec

More attraction type parks (flower beds/wooded areas)

More bike trails

Soccer Fields

Dog exercise field

Just keep up current

Dog park

Dog Park

Additional adult space

Dog Park - Large enough to allow dogs to exercise freely

City park located in older part of Military Hill

Fully enclosed, large, shelters

RV parks

The skate park is OK for skaters, but what about bikers

A dog park is greatly needed in this town.

we would like the trail to Sunnyside park to be completed (from center st/litani st to the park)

dog park

indoor or under cover sports area for courts and practices and cages for baseball and golf

indoor sports area with courts, cages for golf and baseball as we could have year around sports practices and exercise areas

maintain the parks and trails we have

upgrade outdoor pool

upgrade existing area

Pullman should continue to expand green areas

Parks for green spaces and children's' areas

more paths and trails that are not next to roads

A "dog park"

I believe restrooms and indoor options are important for Lawson Gardens.

I would like to see more pedestrian access (trails) between parks and around town.

shade

But as city grows, facilities are needed

Trail system South Grand Avenue

More toddler equipment

additional open space for free-use

Expansion of city trail system; wonderful quality-of-life asset for the city!

more comfortable seating

More Little League & Pony League Baseball Fields

Dog Park

Dog Park

Dog park

indoor children's playground, mostly for preschoolers

nature reserves

large indoor practice/sport facilities for yoga, b-ball, soccer

More trails to complete the system

Parks

Improved indoor and outdoor pool

More unpaved trails in additional natural areas

More large parks

Aquatic center (like Moscow), slides

bike trails and pocket parks to/within new subdivisions

Dog park so dogs can run and play and not interfere w/human activities

As city grows, city parks will be needed within walking distance

More biking/hiking trails

indoor park for long winters/recreation center

indoor basketball court

Bathrooms at Tot lot

Additional basketball courts

Dog park

a dog park is needed

dog park so dogs can exercise and not conflict with people activities

bike trails connecting the facilities

Itani park and path to Sunnyside need to be completed

INDOOR PLAYGROUND FACILITY (year round gross motor)

camping spaces with hookups

Additional walking/jogging paths

More parks

What would be nice, although not sure if it's your dept., is an indoor playground area. It's essentially McDonalds or nothing.

It would be nice to have a park a little more within walking distance, with playground for both toddlers and older kids

n/a

Would like to see some improvement to the trail between Jack in the Box and Terre View along the creek.

Baseball Complex for Youth age 13-18;Pony & Babe Ruth Field Dimensions

complete trail Itani Park to Sunnyside Park

More tennis courts and basketball courts. Courts are always full, especially at Sunnyside. Basketball courts would be GREAT at Sunnyside park.

Itani Sunnyside Heights Trail system/park

playground

Additional facilities are not needed, but improvement to the existing facilities are needed.

More indoor basketball courts/gyms

More green Spaces

Gym space

14b. If you answered yes to question #13, what types of facilities are needed?

Wind mill park - lets show our kids how!

open green spaces

Green bike program

Heated restrooms in walking area

I guess more trails would be nice

continuing expansion of trails

Dog run (WHS might count here)

safety of the city... first

improve fields at city play fields

buy green spaces

No - concert stage in park

more parks so that kids don't overwhelm the few that do exist and create safety issues

I am pleased to hear the bathrooms are being upgraded.

more advance equipment

Nicer outdoor pool with lawn area.

additional soccer fields

No expansion of facilities at Lawson Gardens; maintain the serenity of a memorial garden! I am very worried about the idea of a monstrous reception facility in the Garden.

Softball Complex

park with playground geared between tot lot and the older playgrounds

offer more open gym time for kids during the summer in the hot afternoons

More green space visible from major roads

Indoor play center for kids (jungle gym, etc)

toddler area

New playground equipment at Sunnyside park

Nature park/picnic areas

Improve RV Park

running/walking/jogging paths connecting facilities

Bike/walking paths - Wawawai Road

Anything that provides families with young children to be active

Generally, better connectivity and aesthetic improvements between Stadium and the downtown area along the creek.

Large Scale Batting Cage (4-6 person)

More basketball hoops and courts!

dog park

More trails

14c. If you answered yes to question #13, what types of facilities are needed?

Retry recycle bins in parks

Bouldering structure

Adult obstacle course

Soccer Fields

kids have no place to go on hot afternoons to play

trails

bike trails all over

Anywhere in Pullman

Playfield

Centrally

Centrally located

Periphery - if it's adult use field space, driving is fine

Within walking distance of Pullman

Foot of Darrow Street/Bluff above Palouse River

Parks

expand Pioneer Center

I feel that it should be located near other parks that are along the Chipman trail, that way the dog park may be incorporated into a daily walk along the trail.

in fenced-in area of an existing park

in a vacant building-gut it and refurbish

anywhere vacant-maybe attached to the aquatic center, or snap or gut a vacant building

In expanded annexed areas of growth

within city limits

Anywhere that dogs could be off leash.

Something around Bishop Blvd. and down the south side of Grand, connecting to cemetery, etc.

where town is growing

School property and along east side of Dry Fork Creek

at paradise creek, along ProMall Drive

in all parks

LL Baseball Fields - at the current City Ball Fields

Anywhere in town
 near WSU if possible, on College Hill
 YMCA facility
 Along the rivers
 Military hill
 Perhaps an extended Sunnyside Park area, and more trails in Lawson Gardens
 Near or in the new neighborhoods.
 anywhere in the Pullman City limits
 Pioneer Center
 Copper Basin Development (near High School)
 anywhere
 pioneer hill
 Basketball courts at Pioneer Center or Kruegel park
 scenic areas
 not sure where it could go
 extend sidewalks
 Safe parking, restroom use, meal accessibility considerations (Sunnyside Hill area); maybe by ACE
 Areas of town that do not have paths
 In areas that are under development (Sunnyside, NE Pullman)
 Sunnyside hill, near the top of SW Crestview Street
 n/a
 McGee Park
 Sunnyside
 See above.
 Itani-Sunnyside Heights!!!!!!
 Sunnyside
 all over town

15b. Where should these facilities be located?

On city owned hill or 2 or 3
 Out of Pullman (North of Pullman, South of Pullman)
 green bike kiosk at each park and Chipman trail
 Reaney, Sunnyside Parks
 Everywhere!
 create another RV park elsewhere in the city
 Attach it to the aquatic center or snap or...
 within 1 mile radius of city limits
 Softball Complex - ?
 privately operated facility
 Perhaps a dedicated rural park with trails and picnic tables closer to town than the county parks
 widen roads

Sunnyside Park

Just update and add more to our existing parks.

Kruegel

15c. Where should these facilities be located?

Bouldering structure at Sunnyside

Existing park

use the area behind the high school tennis courts-the field not in use

at opposite ends of town for equal access among residents and so that one place is not soooo busy equipment and trails cannot be enjoyed

Soccer Fields - ?

18. Additional comments on recreation and/or sports programs

Pool not clean enough: special events are great! Adult Softball needs better lighting

Getting too many, some are beginning to compete with private businesses.

Would like to see a middle school soccer program for 6-8th graders, also more and better prizes for Easter egg hunt

A community bike program would be a nice addition... free of charge bike rental and return area.

Lap swimming hours sometimes overlap with lessons, swim team practice/events

The variety of routines keeps water exercise interesting and appropriate for a variety of ages

Only have done the teen rafting trip it was great

Miss Liz & Miss Jean are incredible!!!

It is difficult to find toddler/preschool programs after work hours (8am-5pm)

youth baseball program is too competitive

swim lessons for the kids is too basic and they do a little too much playing

the aquatic center is a great facility that we really enjoy, but the lessons could be better- if the teacher is not in the water with the kids, forget it.

aquatic center is hard to breath in with poor ventilation

Reaney park and it's pool is a wonderful asset to summer enjoyment--Include. Concerts and picnic facil.

keep up the nice variety for adults!

I was frustrated last summer when my son had to be enrolled in a swim class that was under his ability due to lack of attendance, and then the whole session the instructor told us that he needed the class he was originally signed up for.

bike club for rides

Jennifer Anderson is such a caring friend to seniors. she is truly a gem and asset to the senior program. she's a gifted teacher, too.

I have enjoyed the computer programs and I would like to take the writing program next time

Our children participated in many of the youth programs. This is a very important part of programs offered.

Lawson Gardens should remain open and undetermined space

would like youth soccer in summer and adult soccer league

Fitness program need a Tone and Stretch-type class, plus continued yoga us a must-yoga flow plus meditative style

some of my grandchildren have participated in youth swim and summer camps when they are here

more older teen programs

they are wonderful

What about an adult soccer league????????? soccer clinic for adults

Dance classes would have been fun but time didn't work.

I would like to see an ongoing weekly art/craft program that would be available to adults with moderate dementia or other limitation who would enjoy such activities but need extra help and supervision

Staff at pool don't have "act" together. Not informed on cancellations/times of programs...confusing for attendees.

Need better trail system, a way of life rather than a special program.

I miss the quality aerobics teachers of about 6 years ago-would sign up for more fitness if there were better programs offered such as step aerobics.

I, or my grandsons, have used more of the programs, just not in the last year.

All above are important

FYI, now that daughter is grown up, youth activities don't matter

Water aerobics instructors were not always available.

Want to participate more (with kids and for self) . . . but very difficult due to childcare issues

I use the aquatic center's work-out room daily, M-F. this is a GREAT facility and very inexpensive, which is great because we exist on only my husband's income.

We have a 1 year old and anticipate participating in future parks and rec programs for him.

No Comment

Do we a summer soccer league?

My children loved all the programs they attended over the years.

Organization of all programs is great! Improvement needs to be made within the programs i.e. egg hunt needs to be a little more challenging for the older participants; need to have an intermediate baseball program from Rookie League to Pullman Youth Baseball; Aquatic Pool is too cold for lessons for younger kids.

Need more week-long sports camps (like Skyhawks), Need 1/2 day summer programs & Full day summer programs

27. Additional comments.

a water slide would be dangerous: Vacation @ Vegas had 4 ft pool & just fine for non swimmers like me: Make a crypt at Lawson Garden for urns & ashes to be scattered on premises - make more \$\$

Everything we have now should be in tip top shape before we even think of taking on more. This included public works things like streets.

We have great facilities, just need some updating!!

Thanks for giving people the opportunity to share!

I think a green bike program to connect downtown with the university would be beneficial to local businesses

When our kids were younger we used a lot of the facilities and programs. Scheduling soccer practices and games was also difficult because of the lack of fields.

Heated restrooms at playfield, skate park and other parks where people walk, run, sled, year round

Although our family may not always use these facilities, they are important to the community

Restrooms must be improved

Good luck getting the money!

Pullman really needs a dog park!

Pullman has very nice parks-lets keep them that way (good bathrooms, plenty of trash bins emptied often, etc)

Don't really feel we can afford a new community center. Should take care of what we have.

Please - better enforcement of Leash laws

Consider removing the exercise facility at the Aquatic center due to new competition.

in favor of new walking trails and facilities rather than upgrading existing facilities which seem to be okay

Why isn't create new neighborhood/community parks an option--only athletic fields? Yes parks, no fields.

Need to put in a BMX track for kids-biking is so good for them. bike park would be used!

need soccer facilities

Leave Lawson Gardens alone! No monstrous reception center! Keep the tranquility! (from a neighbor to the Garden)

Continued maintenance on what we have

I want to start an adult soccer league!!! What can I do to get this going? Indoor in winter and summer, outdoor in spring and fall.

plant more trees

Since the cemetery was mentioned earlier, I would like to include an impassioned plea to construct a 10-12 ft high berm or fence along the north boundary Pullman cemetery to protect the peaceful and quiet environment from any commercial development adjacent to it.

With the University and the aquatic center we have adequate facilities. We need to put our tax money into land for parks.

Expanding trails trumps all of the above.

We need a rec center like Moscow!

belong to several dog clubs, and we would like to have facilities to host dog shows, agility trials, and have meetings and classes. Currently hold events in Moscow and Colfax. Bringing events to Pullman during summer would bring business to restaurants, RV park, etc.

Sunnyside park: sledding runs need improvement-there are trees, bbqs, Frisbee in the way 2. id like to see wonderful prairie remnant around cemetery maintained

Help with childcare so more family members can participate in activities.

Please work with the Pullman School District on any bond issues. I think that a new high school is more important in any bond considerations...

The community should consider the facilities at Schweitzer, Gladish, and WSU before initiating any major construction projects. Many of the facilities could be rented out by Pullman Parks and Rec when they are not being use. Many of these facilities are open much of the time

A walk in anything approaching woods without having to drive a distance is most important amenity to my family

I believe we should upgrade, improve, maintain those areas and facilities we already have before building new!!

Don't let existing things run down. To do so is betraying existing community owners.

Provide staff and budget for current before adding new

We use the Moscow pool in the summer, because of the equipment for kids, i.e. play structure, water slides

The bathrooms at Sunnyside Park could definitely be improved or at least kept clean and stocked with TP