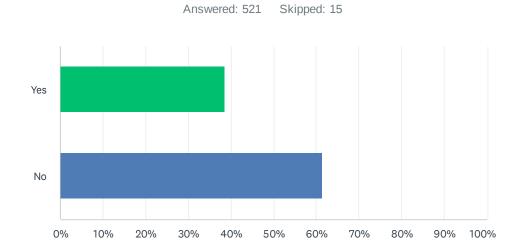
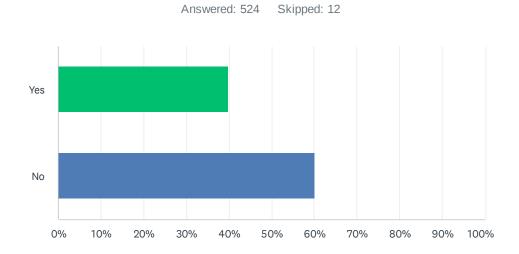
## Q1 Do you like this location as an option for a youth Cricket Field?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	38.58%	201
No	61.42%	320
TOTAL		521

## Q2 Do you like this location as an option for an adult Cricket Field?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	39.89%	209
No	60.11%	315
TOTAL		524

## Q3 Please provide any additional thoughts on this location.

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21	I grew up playing cricket and having a cricket field in vicinity of people using the walking track is dangerous and stupid. A cricket ball is hard, dangerous, and is hit beyond the boundaries shown. Its called a six!	7/8/2022 9:19 PM
22	Stupid idea	7/8/2022 8:50 PM
23	We are not interested in a cricket field at the sportspark.	7/8/2022 6:45 PM
24	Don't be be stupid! Building cricket at staples ranch or future phases of Bernal. You'll all be recalled if you put cricket at Mercer sports park	7/8/2022 6:16 PM
25	This is the best of all 3 options b/c can be used for both adult and youth	7/8/2022 6:13 PM
26	Parking is a plus here	7/8/2022 5:18 PM
27	Not a good location for Ken Mercer Sports Park	7/8/2022 4:59 PM
28	There is already insufficient parking for this park. Traffic spills onto Parkside Drive, created danger for pedestrians walking between vehicles parked on Parkside Drive, due to the increase of speeding vehicles inside the park and on Parkside Dr. This field should not be put at Mercer park, but at Bernal park which has sufficient parking that is outside of a residential community.	7/8/2022 4:47 PM
29	Outer edge of adult radius is too close to the walkway.	7/8/2022 4:30 PM
30	How about bocce ball	7/8/2022 4:25 PM
31	Option 1 allows for both youth and adult games to be played. The city of Fremont has a similar set up and Pleasanton should look at the field there. The Ken Mercer Park has enough space to support multiple sports. The location also has enough parking and access to restrooms. I would like to see a fence set up during cricket games. The safety of everyone in the park is important.	7/8/2022 4:14 PM
32	Too used with other sports.	7/8/2022 4:07 PM
33	Cannot tell where in the park it is Cricket currently played at east end often . Youth cricket probably invites significant traffic	7/8/2022 3:54 PM
34	It's insanely obvious that this is the most logical and best possible option at Ken Mercer Sports Park.	7/8/2022 3:51 PM
35	Please start with other more popular sports rather than cricket which is only played by very small group of people. This needs to be out of the residential areas	7/8/2022 3:28 PM
36	It accommodates both a youth and adult field. I think Bernal is a better option.	7/8/2022 3:20 PM
37	It takes away from the girls softball field that many easily access from blackbird.	7/8/2022 3:17 PM
38	Two soccer fields would be disrupted for 6 hours a day for one cricket field? or moved entirely? NO!	7/8/2022 3:09 PM
39	It's a waste of space no matter group the field is for. Cricket?! ⊕	7/8/2022 3:03 PM
40	Too close to the existing sidewalks and would have to remove trees - not happy	7/8/2022 11:45 AM
41	It's great to see cricket added to the venue! A wonderful way to share and recognize an international sport. To be inclusive.	7/8/2022 9:05 AM
42	This is great idea	7/8/2022 8:43 AM
43	Considering the large population in pleasanton who play cricket it is imperitive that more cricket fields are setup.	7/7/2022 11:31 PM
44	I like location 3 because it's bigger space.	7/7/2022 10:54 PM
45	Also a pitch roller is required for regular maintenance	7/7/2022 10:42 PM
46	It will be great to have a cricket ground	7/7/2022 10:40 PM
47	There should be a cricket ground in pleasanton and ken mercer ia perfect	7/7/2022 10:33 PM

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+3	Prefer to have pitch in option 3 due to no baseball pitch near that location.	7/7/2022 3:37 PM
50	As the former president of PGSL I'm not sure why you continue to try and place the pitch near the girls softball fields. I have met with Mark Spiller serval times about what this would do to the surrounding softball fields. The critter players already use the dirt infields On adjacent softball fields as it is. This will make it much worse.	7/5/2022 11:23 PM
51	Use the land on Bernal Avenue which will not increase traffic on Hopyard and keep traffic down in Parkside. No one observes the speed limit in sports park and adding more cars is adding traffic in a residential area.	7/4/2022 12:24 PM
52	The adult and youth field should be in the same location if possible. I don't think that the field should be located where trees have to be removed.	7/4/2022 9:38 AM
53	This option provides the largest area for play with the least impact on users of the path. there is a natural barrier on the south side so errant balls will not affect residents. the extended distance from the homes also provides a buffer for noise for the residents if they claim that noise is an issue (they live against a sports park for God's sake!)	7/3/2022 12:04 PM
54	No because relocation of other sports	7/2/2022 9:56 PM
55	saw location and can see it as a good location	7/2/2022 7:44 PM
56	Incorporate it with the existing fields next to the picnic grounds adjacent to the mens softball complex. This will eliminate all the unnecessary work of redoing the existing landscape in all areas listed as options. This will also provide the utilization of the facilities that are all ready in place. Cricket will grow in popularity and all the family facilities such as tables, barbecues, restrooms and parking are already existing in this location. Mayor Mercer's park design should remain traditional the Cricket fields should take over the first two fields presently known as HB 'A' and G '1'. This would be the most efficient and least expensive and common sense move. The transformation to these fields would be minimal and all the infrastructure is presently existing in place. This would also keep the parks maintenance status would.	7/2/2022 10:10 AM
57	We want more Pickleball courts!	7/1/2022 8:46 PM
58	I think we should have more pickle ball courts and fewer cricket courts.	7/1/2022 8:40 PM
59	Spacious. The neighborhood homes are far enough from proposed field so the cricket ball wouldn't fly that far	6/30/2022 1:50 PM
60	This is maybe the best of three crummy choices. I have real trouble with taking away the two fields currently available for the girls so that a group of men can play cricket. Has anyone heard of title nine. In any case cricket uses a really hard heavy ball that will most likely kill anyone hit in the head walking on the adjacent sidewalks. How are we going to mitigate this danger. In addition this option encroaches on the soccer fields. So we're really setting up future potential conflict with soccer. We really need to find a place for cricket that is big enough and doesn't take away from the existing established sports fields.	6/30/2022 12:04 PM
61	Least impact on local residences because of the distance from the houses behind the arroyo.	6/30/2022 11:23 AM
62	Good to support one more sport	6/30/2022 11:23 AM
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71	only one baseball/softball field affected	6/28/2022 3:38 PM
72	would like to have soccer field .	6/28/2022 1:51 PM
73	I would urge the council to consider setting up a Tai Chi park. Tai Chi is an internal martial art practiced for defense training, health benefits, and meditation. Tai chi has practitioners worldwide.	6/28/2022 1:50 PM
74	Could you change to a low residential density park? This park is already heavily occupied by different sports events from early morning to night time. The noise pollution to the nearby neighborhood is already huge. This project better to be built in a low density area/neighborhood. Thanks for your consideration.	6/28/2022 1:50 PM
75	Not a good location within the park too many other sports use this area	6/28/2022 9:50 AM
76	Don't build it	6/28/2022 9:01 AM
77	Perimeter is too close to the pathway Concerned about stray balls hitting pedestrians Cricket balls are rock hard	6/28/2022 8:48 AM
78	The potential location for cricket field is unsafe. Crickets are hard balls and the potential field is too close to the houses and other fields. Sports park is high traffic park and the location is dangerous for the people nearby.	6/28/2022 7:17 AM
79	no	6/27/2022 11:54 PM
80	Cricket occupies too much space and too little people could participate	6/27/2022 10:24 PM
81	I would like to keep the field open for all sports instead of converting it to a criket field. This is a social equality and envious justice issue. Everyone should have the same opportunity to enjoy the field and the open space. If it is converted, only a portion of the population can use that field.	6/27/2022 6:23 PM
82	Why would the city want to relocate current sports being played here to other facilities. Why not plan to create a cricket park somewhere else in the city. I vote no as I don't see the great need in Pleasanton. I have never seen a youth team playing in the park and I've lived here a long time and am in the park every day. We're talking about adult men playing and the rest is a dream.	6/27/2022 6:20 PM
83	NA	6/27/2022 5:28 PM
84	for soccer	6/27/2022 5:18 PM
85	No	6/27/2022 4:23 PM
86	Too close play ground.	6/27/2022 3:33 PM
87	Add onto Bernal Fields	6/27/2022 10:07 AM
88	Too close to the walk ways	6/27/2022 9:44 AM
89	No to cricket in sports park	6/27/2022 8:13 AM
90	Sport park has already used for other sports. It is better to locate on new development par, like the eastern Bernal ave, shadow cliff area.	6/27/2022 7:46 AM
91	This site is clearly the best option as it allows for adult and youth cricket and can be used 3 out of the 4 seasons.	6/27/2022 6:34 AM
92	Please keep the sports park as it is.	6/27/2022 1:17 AM
93	The statement on parking occupies is lying, there's no way to prevent players or audiences parking there 4-6 hours for the whole game.	6/27/2022 12:09 AM
94	We need field for pickle ball game.	6/26/2022 10:20 PM
	We don't support creating cricket fields in this park.	6/26/2022 9:19 PM
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95 96	It's not as popular as football baseball, etc. majority of people don't play this sport. might be a waste!	6/26/2022 8:20 PM

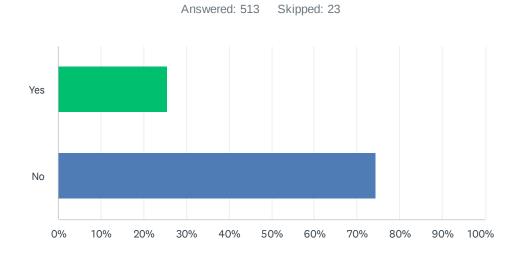
98	No cricket field in sports park	6/26/2022 5:36 PM
99	No	6/26/2022 5:24 PM
100	Too close to the resident houses	6/26/2022 5:20 PM
101	Bernal sports complex	6/26/2022 4:40 PM
102	I'm strongly against all options of the cricket park proposal as the overwhelming need of a dog park in association with the already large pet dog population that is still rising should be properly researched and identified before dedicating the space to any more sports park!	6/26/2022 4:18 PM
103	I don't think this is it the need to the majority residents.	6/26/2022 4:09 PM
104	re-evaluate the proposal to make sure it is the need for majority residents	6/26/2022 3:10 PM
105	Not enough parking and too close to walkways and houses.	6/26/2022 3:10 PM
106	Dublin has a cricket field. Don't think Pleasanton needs another one.	6/26/2022 3:07 PM
107	Sports park already very crowded. Cricket is not a very popular activity in pleasanton.	6/26/2022 3:01 PM
108	Dangers to the people walking or playing around there.	6/26/2022 2:59 PM
109	no cricket field at the sports park . Too crowded.	6/26/2022 2:56 PM
110	Please no cricket field	6/26/2022 2:49 PM
111	This is not popular sport, why using our tax money to work for the minority?	6/26/2022 2:42 PM
112	It's not a popular sport and take a long time. It is a public sports park, we should allow more sports to use the place. Soccer and baseball. It's always good to share the place instead of put this area as a special sport.	6/26/2022 2:42 PM
113	how about Bernal park instead	6/26/2022 2:41 PM
114	Strongly dislike these two options. Please don't have crickets field in this sport park k because it's noisy and not safe for kids.	6/26/2022 2:40 PM
115	none of spots fit cricket.	6/26/2022 2:38 PM
116	People can use fallon sports parks cricket field. Stop trying to build cricket fielded in neighborhood parks and community parks. They should be built further away from the residential areas.	6/26/2022 2:35 PM
117	Not good location for residential safety and comfort!	6/26/2022 2:33 PM
118	Cricket would be dangerous for the walker, runner, and biker around it, I think sports park is not a right place for cricket, city should consider other places.	6/26/2022 2:25 PM
119	Strongly opposes building the cricket field at the sports park as it will negatively impact nearby residents and neighbors daily activities. Please consider changing the field location elsewhere such as Bernal sports complex as it is further away from residents.	6/26/2022 2:04 PM
120	The game is too noisy and 6 hours per game is too long. There are a lot of residents houses around and sports park fields are already allocated for more popular sports.	6/26/2022 2:04 PM
121	No	6/26/2022 1:53 PM
122	I strongly against having a cricket field in the sports park. It would be bringing significant concerns to the neighborhood. The park has attracted lots of people for jogging/walking/running all the time. Any of the options of a cricket field would have risk to people (especially seniors and kids) Plus why this is not going thru a city-wise discussion first? Thanks!	6/26/2022 1:52 PM
123	It is too close to the residence. The noise and hardball both are threaten to the residents living there. It is a football court and soccer ball field. We do not agree to make it to a hardball field. Legal action will be taken if city insists.	6/26/2022 1:32 PM
124	Parking will be a problem.	6/26/2022 1:22 PM
125	Please choose a location with less residents, this park has lots of kids, events, people exercising and cycling, proximity to residents properties is close too and I really do not think crickets field is safe around here.	6/26/2022 1:14 PM

126	There are lots kidding playing and it will be danger for people in sport park.	6/26/2022 1:12 PM
127	Please move to Bernal park which is far away from residence	6/26/2022 1:03 PM
128	Cricket fields will generate more traffic to sports park and a hard ball sport is not safe for families	6/26/2022 1:00 PM
129	We walk dog and take a walk everyday at sports park. This field is very close the the walk path. The ball is hard ball. It is not safe for the pedestrian. We strongly against it. Also, when there is a match, all the cars might flow to the neighborhood for additional parking. The match usually lasts 4-6 hours. It significantly affect the neighborhood.	6/26/2022 12:59 PM
130	Not safe	6/26/2022 12:48 PM
131	No cricket field in Pleasanton	6/26/2022 12:45 PM
132	It is already too crowdy	6/26/2022 12:29 PM
133	bernal sports complex	6/26/2022 12:28 PM
134	Sports park has a lot of walking residents including kids, seniors. It is not appropriate to build it in any field of sports park.	6/26/2022 12:25 PM
135	Cricket Field is not suitable in sports park because there are a lot of other sports and walking residents including kids, seniors and dogs. It is not safe.	6/26/2022 12:22 PM
136	Too crowd here, not safe	6/26/2022 12:16 PM
137	Sports park has been heavily used for BUSC soccer training/practices which our kids participate in. With land taken away to build cricket fields, a sport activity not as widely involved by local residents, the resources are not to the best use at all.	6/26/2022 12:06 PM
138	Please do it in an area not so close to the neighborhood.	6/26/2022 12:05 PM
139	However for Cricket , can only occupy for some hours. Not fully dedicated only for it. We have so many other sports. If every one of them to do like this, where is other residents right there.	6/26/2022 12:03 PM
140	I don't want to build additional cricket field. We won't have enough regular walk and dog walk space.	6/26/2022 11:51 AM
141	It should go to Bernal sport park, where it is further away from residential areas. There are more residents walking around Mercer park, particularly older citizens and smaller children. It is not a good idea to increase traffic and activities in the park. Family oriented activities such as gatherings shall be better things for Mercer park, not sports.	6/26/2022 11:45 AM
142	Too close to the residents	6/26/2022 11:32 AM
143	I do not want any cricket fields. This new field will negatively influence many people who live there, whoever go there for a walk, running, etc. It is better to build the fields in the newer parks.	6/26/2022 11:28 AM
144	Keep the original sports park	6/26/2022 11:14 AM
145	It's too close to the paths where there's a lot of walking dogs, running etc.	6/26/2022 10:36 AM
146	Sports park area is a heavy residential area with many pedestrians and kids playing area. I am extremely concerned with safety of the neghborhood. Absolutely no.	6/26/2022 10:33 AM
147	Only concern with this location is I wouldn't want any trees removed as they provide valuable shade for softball warmups and fans.	6/26/2022 10:03 AM
148	Option three makes the most sense	6/26/2022 9:59 AM
149	I don't like having to move current sports to other facilities	6/26/2022 9:56 AM
150	This park already has enough sports and lack of parking that flows into the neighbor and causes illegal parking in red zones and otherwise it's a one way in neighborhood and the streets are already littered after games and traffic is increased in neighborhood because people Think they can get to the end of the park by driving down parkside	6/26/2022 8:37 AM
151	I walk around the park almost everyday I only see adults playing cricket. I have never seen children play unless with the adults. You only provide one option for the adult fields so it's not	6/25/2022 10:43 AM

	really a choice. I also don't like that it would take away a soccer field and more renovations to the field.	
152	Please don't REMOVE mature trees. There should be more trees to provide shade (& sound & wind breaks) for the many people who walk, run, bike ride in the park. Trees shading sidewalks are important, obviously, but trees across the park, away from the sidewalks also block the bright sun & noise.	6/24/2022 7:15 PM
153	Would like to have both youth and adult cricket options	6/24/2022 5:24 PM
154	PRO's: 1. Provides year round accessibility 2. Away from snack bars and playground/picnic areas (Safety) 3. Arroyos and chain link fences along Arroyo minimize risk of errant balls to homes and family members watching the game 4. Provides options for both adults and youth on the same field (similar to soccer fields) 5. Seems to minimize impact to existing soccer field and baseball fields. CONS 1. Proximity to the bleachers of baseball field LL10. 2. I believe Your blue line is only drawn for youth soccer and not the adult field. 3. What is the impact to the existing T-ball backstop near the radius (but not shown on your drawings) 4. Mens Cricket leagues have been playing in the HB "D" field in the park. Is this a predominantly male league? In order to do option 1 you are taking out a youth (co-ed?) T-Ball field and a girls GSB #4 if you plan for the adult field. 5. What material is the "pitch" made of? Is it a tripping hazard when fields are used for other purposes?	6/24/2022 9:02 AM
155	Not utilized enough now and very little removal of trees etc. Plenty of parking and bathrooms	6/23/2022 8:39 PM
156	You'll have to cut down trees and interfere with a field that is available for option 2	6/23/2022 8:25 PM
157	I'd prefer Pickleball courts.	6/23/2022 6:28 PM
158	A cricket field adds more traffic to an already busy sports park. Adding another sports group will push soccer to fight for more little league space.	6/23/2022 5:51 PM
159	You guys are crazy to want to add an additional major sport to Ken Mercer. It's at capacity on busy soccer and baseball/softball weekends as it is.	6/23/2022 5:19 PM
160	This is a nice large expanse of grass don't ruin it.	6/23/2022 12:47 PM
161	There is a little overlap to baseball field hence if baseball is going on then we can't have cricket at the same time.	6/23/2022 8:04 AM
162	Need more information but want to make sure it does not disrupt current soccer fields	6/22/2022 10:01 PM
163	Best option to accommodate both adult and youth.	6/22/2022 4:42 PM
164	Interferes with existing soft/baseball field	6/22/2022 3:38 PM
165	option 3	6/22/2022 3:15 PM
166	I like that this is at the front part of the park, and mostly on one surface (grass)	6/22/2022 2:27 PM
167	The postcard I received said that Option 2 will have the adult field, but this shows it as Option 1. Which one is it? I hope this error will be fixed sooner than later and the public will be notified of the oversight in a timely manner. It's appalling to see the money being wasted with meetings upon meetings and discussions to choose a location for a cricket field. As a longtime Pleasanton resident, I don't recall anyone ever asking for my opinion on the exact location to place a baseball field, soccer field, or lacrosse field. Just build it already! It's long overdue and completely unfair to the cricket community to delay this any longer.	6/21/2022 7:52 PM
168	Cricket is a sport that is too loud for play of any age so close to the homes that back to the park. If you look at the radius, the circle would be in our backyards if you moved it 90 degrees. that is the problem, it is too loud. Cricket is a game where each and every bat up includes loud clapping and yelling and cheering (BEFORE 8 am on weekends ) unlike any other sport every allow play in this sports park, they should be in a field like across bernal, where there are NO HOMES within 50 FT. Keep the play as is and find or fund another place that is nowhere close to residents for noisy sport play.	6/20/2022 4:38 PM
169	Currently there is a pitch located at Alisal that could satisfy this.	6/20/2022 10:53 AM
170	Like this one the best, only impacts one soccer field. No impact to housing with creek divider	6/19/2022 3:30 PM
171	We need cricket fields. Thank you	6/19/2022 9:32 AM

172	the adults that play cricket now do not adhere to park hours they are loud and clapping around 7am. please can we help in making sure the noise and play time does not start until the park opens. Please our neighbors feel we have been here for many years and do not want to lose the family circle of good respect full neighbor.	6/19/2022 8:35 AM
173	It's good step to build cricket field at our community. Thus help to community go play cricket here.	6/18/2022 11:42 AM
174	THE ARROYO PROVIDES AN ADDITIONAL BUFFER TO PREVENT BALLS FROM HITTING HOUSES.	6/18/2022 8:17 AM
175	100yrd outfield is advised so that there is a bit of safe zone for other people at the park	6/18/2022 7:52 AM
176	An adult field is needed as currently there are no facilities in the area.	6/18/2022 3:29 AM
177	Very important to have adult one too	6/17/2022 10:54 PM
178	Cricket field is a must have. It would be huge for us.	6/17/2022 10:23 PM
179	Adult option must be included	6/17/2022 9:08 PM
180	This option would be away from the homes from getting hit by the balls	6/17/2022 7:27 PM
181	why do they need a cricket field?	6/16/2022 2:50 PM

## Q4 Do you like this location as an option for a youth Cricket Field?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	25.54%	131
No	74.46%	382
TOTAL		513

## Q5 Please provide any additional thoughts on this location.

Answered: 139 Skipped: 397

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Fields should be kept as is especially soccer fields located at this area. Would be huge inconvenience to locate soccer fields elsewhere. It would also incur additional city costs and safety issues with field adjacent to two busy paths which I do not support.	7/11/2022 8:52 AM
2	No replacement of any fields at KM	7/11/2022 8:44 AM
3	This Option seems to only sacrifice one of the few full size Soccer Fields and one Softball Field. There is plenty of room to build new cricket fields at the Bernal Stanford Sports Park.	7/10/2022 7:40 PM
4	I would be concerned if turf is installed for the cricket field and then it disrupts the use of soccer field 6.	7/10/2022 7:38 PM
5	Same, I think the Bernal site would be a much better site.	7/10/2022 6:24 PM
6	This location is next two active sidewalks putting people in possible danger. Shouldn't the cricket field be put in the middle of the field so the boundaries are farther away from both sidewalks to greatly reduce the chance of a person getting hit while walking on one of the two sidewalks?	7/10/2022 12:28 PM
7	The outfield borders 2 heavily used walking/biking paths. I would be concerned that there would be balls hit towards unsuspecting pedestrians. I suspect there would be adult groups using the field in off hours despite it technically only being a youth field.	7/10/2022 12:13 PM
8	Again if this location requires the removal of a field wouldn't PMS benefit more	7/10/2022 9:21 AM
9	Too close to walking path.	7/10/2022 8:59 AM
10	I think it is highly likely that adults will play pick up games on this field as well. It is way too close to the sidewalk for how far adults can hit the ball. Adult cricket players at Ken Mercer currently play pick up games on Hard Ball C and I have to constantly be on the look out for stray balls when my children and I are on the middle playground. I don't want to be worried about being hit by a ball when walking or riding bikes. Parking lot #5 is also the most impacted lot at Ken Mercer throughout the year, particularly in soccer and baseball seasons. Option 2 will require all cricket players to park here and this parking lot can't handle the volume of cars for an additional sport three seasons of the year. I am very opposed to additional overflow parking in the Parkside neighborhood.	7/10/2022 8:18 AM
11	Would like to utilize one field for both youth and adult cricket	7/9/2022 11:32 PM
12	Same thoughts as Option 1; This site is pretty far away from a parking lot, so team members/audience members would most likely end up parking in the nearby residential areas.	7/9/2022 8:56 PM
13	worry about safety of people walking on the path at the edge of the field	7/9/2022 12:49 PM
14	Too close to the walkways. I also don't like the idea of taking out softball existing softball field. Girls don't have enough fields already.	7/9/2022 8:32 AM
15	Don't remove the softball field	7/8/2022 9:53 PM
16	I grew up playing cricket and having a cricket field in vicinity of people using the walking track is dangerous and stupid. A cricket ball is hard, dangerous, and is hit beyond the boundaries shown. Its called a six!	7/8/2022 9:19 PM
17	We are not interested in a cricket field at the sportspark.	7/8/2022 6:45 PM
18	Don't be stupid. You'll all be recalled if you put cricket at sports park. Place it at staples or future phases of Bernal.	7/8/2022 6:17 PM
19	Should have a field for both youth and adults	7/8/2022 6:14 PM

20	Spacious	7/8/2022 5:19 PM
21	seems easiest to create versus other two locations	7/8/2022 5:14 PM
22	Not a good location for Ken Mercer Sports Park.	7/8/2022 4:59 PM
23	There is already insufficient parking for this park. Traffic spills onto Parkside Drive, created danger for pedestrians walking between vehicles parked on Parkside Drive, due to the increase of speeding vehicles inside the park and on Parkside Dr. This field should not be put at Mercer park, but at Bernal park which has sufficient parking that is outside of a residential community.	7/8/2022 4:47 PM
24	Might be ok if it was moved in so the radius is farther away from the walkway. Softball diamond would be eliminated regardless of placement, so why not use common sense & accomodate both adult & youth in this location with a buffer zone between the adult radius & walkways. No point in setting the city up for litigation when someone gets an ankle clipped due to poorly designed placement of the pitch.	7/8/2022 4:30 PM
25	How about bocce ball	7/8/2022 4:26 PM
26	Option 2 is a good second choice. My concern would be that people ages 12 and up would use this field and it could become dangerous. I believe a fence is necessary for games. Maybe something portable that's similar to what is used during a softball game.	7/8/2022 4:19 PM
27	Too used with other sports	7/8/2022 4:07 PM
28	Please move out of the city to do this	7/8/2022 3:28 PM
29	Better than option 3 as it is more mid-park where other fields already are.	7/8/2022 3:20 PM
30	Takes away from an existing sport field	7/8/2022 3:19 PM
31	too large of an impact on other sports	7/8/2022 3:11 PM
32	Too close to existing sidewalks	7/8/2022 11:45 AM
33	Needs to be larger to include adult and youth, unless you do both option 1 & 2	7/8/2022 9:06 AM
34	I don't like this location.	7/7/2022 10:54 PM
35	Adult cricket preferably	7/7/2022 9:13 PM
36	It is a good option only if other options do not work out.	7/7/2022 9:01 PM
37	It will be uneven terrine and impact baseball field and cricket field	7/7/2022 5:19 PM
38	We want to have minimal disruption.	7/7/2022 4:47 PM
39	Prefer to have pitch in option 3 due to no baseball pitch near that location.	7/7/2022 3:37 PM
40	Again putting it near other multi use field will create a "turf" war with all the leagues	7/5/2022 11:24 PM
41	See Above	7/4/2022 12:24 PM
42	I respond yes to this one as long as the youth cricket and youth baseball can come inside in the same space. The cricket and baseball field should be dual use. We shouldn't have to get rid of a baseball field in order to have a cricket only field. It seems that a sports field designer should be able to figure out a way to make them dual use.	7/4/2022 9:41 AM
43	While this is a better choice that #3, the pitch would potentially affect two paths and has limited use to only youth. Given our changing population and popularity of cricket, build both option #1 and #2 at the same time. The time has come where there are likely more kids in the community who are cricket players, or will be, than traditional "American" sports. It's time we embrace this change and be the city of planned progress as we like to claim and provide facilities for this population. It's not baseball, football and softball at a sports park anymore. If we justify spending a ton of money on a skatepark that services a small part of the population, we should spend equal time and effort in a cricket pitch that far more people will use.	7/3/2022 12:13 PM
44	No because too close to walkways	7/2/2022 9:57 PM
45	See prior comments	7/2/2022 10:11 AM
46	This is too close to the homes and walkways.	7/2/2022 9:51 AM

47	Option 2 is another option that eliminates an existing field and possible two. It is kind of silly to say major sports tournaments can have access to this area throughout the year after the city bulldozes the playing fields. Safety is also a real problem with this option. The danger/ball impact zone goes all the way out to two sidewalks. You will need to build very high fences or possible close the sidewalks during matches. Keep in mind these cricket balls are hard as rocks and go a long ways. A person or child hit by one of these balls stands a real chance of being injured or killed.	6/30/2022 12:05 PM
48	Too close to residences.	6/30/2022 11:23 AM
49	Big enough and displaces the fewest other sports	6/30/2022 5:56 AM
50	Why have a field that can only accommodate youth cricket?	6/30/2022 12:22 AM
51	This is too close to the walking path, and very close to neighbors. Even though it is designated for youth, adults will use it. This will impact the safety and possibly the property of the houses that surround it.	6/29/2022 8:06 PM
52	I'd like to leave this field available for baseball/softball for kids are youth	6/29/2022 5:08 PM
53	Prefer option 3	6/28/2022 8:26 PM
54	Too close to the walk way, and a kids only park would still be used by adults and flying balls will hit people on the walk ways.	6/28/2022 8:26 PM
55	way to close to cross park walkway. Potential for spectator walker conflicts and a danger to walkers from hit balls	6/28/2022 3:40 PM
56	Soccer field	6/28/2022 1:54 PM
57	Same as before	6/28/2022 1:51 PM
58	Could you change to a low residential density park? This park is already heavily occupied by different sports events from early morning to night time. The noise pollution to the nearby neighborhood is already huge. This project better to be built in a low density area/neighborhood. Thanks for your consideration.	6/28/2022 1:50 PM
59	Too close to walking path and nearby residential area. Although it's proposed as youth only, who is going to police the activities if adults are playing pickup games there? It's impossible to enforce the rule.	6/28/2022 11:32 AM
60	Not a good location right in the middle of the park and too close to the pedestrian pathway. Plus there is a large heritage tree and an irrigation line that is above ground that may require underground at additional cost	6/28/2022 9:54 AM
61	Don't build it	6/28/2022 9:01 AM
62	Too close to pathway Risk to pedestrians This is a lawsuit waiting to happen Cricket balls are too hard Why don't we move it in more into the grass Why is it bordering the pathway What plans are in place to ensure adults do not use this space	6/28/2022 8:49 AM
63	The option of cricket field is unsafe too. Crickets are hard balls and the potential field is too close to the houses and other fields. Sports park is high traffic park and the location is dangerous for the people nearby.	6/28/2022 7:18 AM
64	no	6/27/2022 11:54 PM
65	Converting it to a cricket field excludes people who does not play cricket.	6/27/2022 6:28 PM
66	Add onto Bernal Fields	6/27/2022 10:07 AM
67	Too close to the walk ways	6/27/2022 9:44 AM
68	No to cricket at sports park	6/27/2022 8:14 AM
69	This location does not accommodate an adult field.	6/27/2022 6:35 AM
70	The statement on parking occupies is lying, there's no way to prevent players or audiences parking there 4-6 hours for the whole game.	6/27/2022 12:09 AM

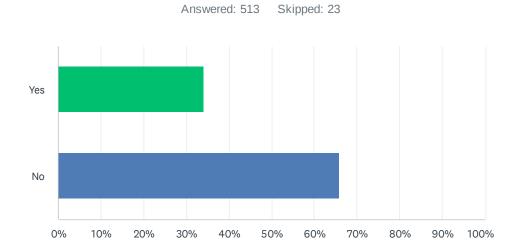
72	Majority of adults play in a 175 ft cricket ground now. So this field should be able to meet both youth and adult without any issues with trees blocking the ground like in option 1	6/26/2022 6:04 PM
73	It is too close to community, very noisy	6/26/2022 5:37 PM
74	We want more public space for kids soccer , not cricket	6/26/2022 5:25 PM
75	Too close to the residence houses	6/26/2022 5:21 PM
76	Bernal sports complex	6/26/2022 4:41 PM
77	Too close to the residents, not very safe	6/26/2022 4:40 PM
78	I'm strongly against all options of the cricket park proposal as the overwhelming need of a dog park in association with the already large pet dog population that is still rising should be properly researched and identified before dedicating the space to any more sports park!	6/26/2022 4:18 PM
79	It is not the need for majority residents.	6/26/2022 4:10 PM
80	re-evaluate the proposal to make sure it is the need for majority residents	6/26/2022 3:10 PM
81	Not enough parking and too close to walkways and houses.	6/26/2022 3:10 PM
82	Cricket game period is long and will create bad traffic at the already crowded residential area	6/26/2022 3:03 PM
83	We hope we can use this area as general place.	6/26/2022 3:00 PM
84	No cricket field at the sports park	6/26/2022 2:56 PM
85	No cricket field please	6/26/2022 2:50 PM
86	Very close to residential area, not safe, plus the reason for option 1.	6/26/2022 2:42 PM
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90	It's not safe for walker, runner and biker around it.	6/26/2022 2:25 PM
91	Strongly opposes building the cricket field at the sports park as it will negatively impact nearby residents and neighbors daily activities. Please consider changing the field location elsewhere such as Bernal sports complex as it is further away from residents.	6/26/2022 2:04 PM
92	I strongly against having a cricket field in the sports park. It would be bringing significant concerns to the neighborhood. The park has attracted lots of people for jogging/walking/running all the time. Any of the options of a cricket field would have risk to people (especially seniors and kids)	6/26/2022 1:52 PM
93	There's a play structure close by and it's dangerous to little kids.	6/26/2022 1:23 PM
94	There are lots kidding playing and it will be danger for people in sport park.	6/26/2022 1:12 PM
95	Please move to Bernal park which is far away from residential areas	6/26/2022 1:04 PM
96	Same as before	6/26/2022 1:00 PM
97	We walk dog and take a walk everyday at sports park. This field is very close the the walk path. The ball is hard ball. It is not safe for the pedestrian. We strongly against it. Also, when there is a match, all the cars might flow to the neighborhood for additional parking. The match usually lasts 4-6 hours. It significantly affect the neighborhood.	6/26/2022 12:59 PM
98	Too close to the sidewalk	6/26/2022 12:53 PM
99	Not safe for people taking scroll or runners using that path	6/26/2022 12:49 PM
100	No cricket field in Pleasanton	6/26/2022 12:45 PM
101	too crowdy	6/26/2022 12:29 PM

103	Cricket Field is not suitable in sports park because there are a lot of other sports and walking residents including kids, seniors and dogs. It is not safe.	6/26/2022 12:22 PM
104	too crowd here, not safe	6/26/2022 12:16 PM
105	Cricket is not a local community sport compared to softball. The current use should not be changed.	6/26/2022 12:07 PM
106	However for Cricket, can only occupy for some hours. Not fully dedicated only for it. We have so many other sports. If every one of them to do like this, where is other residents right there. We need city to put sign there in public to show which time frame Cricket can occupy.	6/26/2022 12:05 PM
107	I don't want to build additional cricket field. We won't have enough regular walk and dog walk space.	6/26/2022 11:52 AM
108	Same reason as option one for rejecting the proposal	6/26/2022 11:46 AM
109	It is too close to residential area. Too much negative effects.	6/26/2022 11:29 AM
110	Same as last comment	6/26/2022 10:36 AM
111	As a softball coach I can say this field is under utilized big time	6/26/2022 10:03 AM
112	I prefer option 3	6/26/2022 10:01 AM
113	Again, I don't like current sports having to use other facilities.	6/26/2022 9:57 AM
114	This park already has enough sports and lack of parking that flows into the neighbor and causes illegal parking in red zones and otherwise it's a one way in neighborhood and the streets are already littered after games and traffic is increased in neighborhood because people Think they can get to the end of the park by driving down parkside	6/26/2022 8:37 AM
115	There are 13 baseball fields (primarily used by boys) and there are only 6 softball fields (primarily used by girls). I dont see why it can't replace a baseball field instead.	6/25/2022 10:43 AM
116	Youth only. No adult	6/24/2022 5:24 PM
117	PRO'S 1. Spring, Summer, Fall Access 2. Buffer zone with Arroyo minimizing potential for hitting homes 3. While there will be other sport major tournament access (PRO), how do you manage this with a permanent pitch location that affects the soccer and baseball fields (tripping hazard?) (CON) CON's 1. Youth only. What is to prevent Adult's taking over the field to play during off youth hours that would compromise the 180 foot radius? This consistently happens with HBD that is designated for children 15 years and under. 2. Very close to BB field LL10 bleachers. 3. Eliminates Girls SB field 8 4. The soccer penalty kick area on one side may conflict with the pitch. Is the pitch a tripping hazard? 5. How does this field impact T ball field 3 and SF 4 if you have a permanent pitch location?	6/24/2022 9:07 AM
118	They should be both a youth and the adult field location it impacts trees a lot less	6/23/2022 8:26 PM
119	I'd prefer Pickleball courts.	6/23/2022 6:28 PM
120	This field will be used more next spring for teeball and farm divisions as it is closer to the snack shack and restrooms.	6/23/2022 5:54 PM
121	Do Bernal or Muirwood	6/23/2022 5:19 PM
122	Need location for adults	6/23/2022 12:47 PM
123	Overlaps wirh baseball too much	6/23/2022 8:04 AM
124	Would prefer both youth and adult players use the same playing area	6/22/2022 10:02 PM
125	Need both adult and youth.	6/22/2022 4:42 PM
126	Sounds relatively cost effective since it doesn't require as much retooling the firs as previous optuon	6/22/2022 3:39 PM
127	under utilized does not mean not utilized	6/22/2022 3:16 PM
128	I do not like that this is on two surfaces, dirt and grass.	6/22/2022 2:27 PM
129	According to the postcard sent out, Option 2 would also have the adult field, but it is not listed	6/21/2022 7:52 PM

that way in this survey. Please correct the error and notify the community, again.

130	Cricket is a sport that is too loud for play of any age so close to the homes that back to the park. If you look at the radius, the circle would be in our backyards if you moved it 90 degrees. that is the problem, it is too loud. Cricket is a game where each and every bat up includes loud clapping and yelling and cheering (BEFORE 8 am on weekends) unlike any other sport every allow play in this sports park, they should be in a field like across bernal, where there are NO HOMES within 50 FT. Keep the play as is and find or fund another place that is nowhere close to residents for noisy sport play.	6/20/2022 4:38 PM
131	Why create another when one is available?	6/20/2022 10:54 AM
132	This would be my second choice, though it gives you only a youth cricket field. I thought we wanted an adult (I don't see kids playing cricket)	6/19/2022 3:31 PM
133	Too small a radius	6/18/2022 7:52 AM
134	Tapeball cricket should be played	6/17/2022 11:36 PM
135	Too close for run up baseball	6/17/2022 11:34 PM
136	No adult	6/17/2022 10:54 PM
137	Same as previous, further away from homes	6/17/2022 7:28 PM
138	Where would the adult size field be?	6/16/2022 10:30 PM
139	again, why do they need a cricket field	6/16/2022 2:50 PM

## Q6 Do you like this location as an option for a youth Cricket Field?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	34.11%	175
No	65.89%	338
TOTAL		513

## Q7 Please provide any additional thoughts on this location.

Answered: 166 Skipped: 370

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	It will create additional traffic thru entire length of Ken Mercer and potential spillover traffic on to Parkside Dr. It would also incur additional city costs and safety concerns which I do not support.	7/11/2022 8:55 AM
2	No replacement of any fields at KM	7/11/2022 8:44 AM
3	This seems to be the best of the 3 Options. However, there is plenty of room to build new cricket fields at the Bernal Stanford Sports Park.	7/10/2022 7:42 PM
4	Same, the Bernal park site would be a much better site	7/10/2022 6:25 PM
5	Too close to houses. Noisy!!!	7/10/2022 3:29 PM
6	This field location should remain as it is since the new skatepark is going to take away the open space in the front section of the park next to Hopyard. The back field should be left "as is". Why can't Hard Ball D field be used instead since this location has been under utilized for years.	7/10/2022 12:42 PM
7	I walked the marked boundaries and it is a very tight fit. Again I would expect adult groups to play even if it is designated for youth use only, which brings the walkways and homes into play. This field is also used for a number of summer camps and vacation sports camps use that field during the anticipated cricket season.	7/10/2022 12:17 PM
8	It seems like you've already decided because there is only one adult option.	7/10/2022 10:26 AM
9	Softball field is better but PMS needs some help	7/10/2022 9:21 AM
10	Don't take out football field	7/10/2022 9:00 AM
11	I'm on the fence about this option. My concern with option 3 is that this field is the most popular field at Ken Mercer for non-organized community recreational use and organized youth camps. The proximity to the bathrooms and playground make it a draw for families all over town. The size of the cricket field takes up this entire space. If option 3 was only being used by youth cricket leagues for scheduled practices and a normal season-worth of matches, I wouldn't have a problem with this field, but once this is converted into a cricket field, I think that it will have far more frequent use by adults for daily pick-up play and it will be hard for the community to use the field for non-cricket purposes. I am also concerned that this option is too close to the sidewalks and to the homes, as it is likely to be used by adults even though it will be a youth field. The nice thing about option one is that because of the Pleasanton Canal, there's some space between the Birdland homes and the field. Option 3 doesn't have a buffer.	7/10/2022 8:33 AM
12	It would work but would prefer to utilize just one field for both adult and youth cricket	7/9/2022 11:33 PM
13	This is a great grass area for football and football seems to utilize it a lot. Secondly, it's a great grass area for kids to play at recreationally who are at the playground and basketball court-I think it's really important to have some great free green space. Third, LL5 and LL6 are heavily utilized for many levels of PLL as well as other baseball programs and when games are happening at those two fields (which is every Saturday and many weekdays in the spring) parking is already a huge issue-completely full. Adding cricket to the football field who cause an even greater issue in those back parking areas.	7/9/2022 5:56 PM
14	Would prefer this option for adult as opposed to youth pitch Prefer options at east end of park Note furthest from behind my house and already used as cricket pitch I note this area is used for this purpose already	7/9/2022 5:26 PM
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15	I dont want Cricket	11912022 2.09 PW

17	Would the shorter pitch cause a conflict with nearby homes?	7/9/2022 9:40 AM
18	Convenient to restrooms and parking.	7/9/2022 8:32 AM
19	Waste if it can't be used for adults. I am supportive of providing a cricket pitch but the Patelco Park location is the most sensible and appropriate location.	7/8/2022 9:21 PM
20	We are not interested in a cricket field at the sportspark. In addition, the field is too close to homes nearby, this is very dangerous!	7/8/2022 6:46 PM
21	You'll all be recalled if you place cricket at sports park. Build cricket at staples or future phases of Bernal. Start acting like the city of planned progress that we were known for. Don't change the charter of the sports park and surrounding neighborhood. The skatepark is already going to be an eye soar.	7/8/2022 6:19 PM
22	Should have a field for both youth and adults Worst location of the 3. This is a nice open space. Keep it that way	7/8/2022 6:15 PM
23	Not a good location for Ken Mercer Sports Park.	7/8/2022 5:00 PM
24	There is already insufficient parking for this park. Traffic spills onto Parkside Drive, created danger for pedestrians walking between vehicles parked on Parkside Drive, due to the increase of speeding vehicles inside the park and on Parkside Dr. This field should not be put at Mercer park, but at Bernal park which has sufficient parking that is outside of a residential community.	7/8/2022 4:47 PM
25	Accident waiting to happen with adjacent restrooms utilized by playground users who could wander within the radius (yes, parents should be alert, however not always happening in my experience). It doesn't seem reasonable to have separate cricket fields for youth & adults & this location can't accomodate the adult radius. Limited months of availability.	7/8/2022 4:30 PM
26	How about bocce ball	7/8/2022 4:26 PM
27	Doesn't interfere with other sports	7/8/2022 4:07 PM
28	The worst possible option of the 3 outlined.	7/8/2022 3:53 PM
29	with appropriate netting to protect pathways and homes and limits on hours of use, etc.	7/8/2022 3:50 PM
30	It makes no sense to go to the expense and effort of designing and constructing a cricket pitch that cannot bu utilized by adults as well as youth.	7/8/2022 3:38 PM
31	We should add nets to prevent the ball from going to the basketball court or the kids play area next to the court.	7/8/2022 3:37 PM
32	This will impact our residential value and safety. Please consider other areas out of the residential area.	7/8/2022 3:29 PM
33	Too close to homes and adults will still play on it creating more of a hazard with the walking path and homes. Would NOT like a fence put up around the field. Doesn't make sense to have a youth field that can only be used a couple of months out of the year.	7/8/2022 3:22 PM
34	This is the best option for all other families and sports teams who currently use the sports park. This is also the best use of the land	7/8/2022 3:21 PM
35	It doesn't take away from another existing sport field and can be used for both football and cricket	7/8/2022 3:19 PM
36	Impacts less on other sports. Football would be the least impacted.	7/8/2022 3:12 PM
37	This large area is used for football, camps, Tball and more so where would they go? It's used for these activities in part because of its proximity to parking, the restrooms and snack bar. Not reasonable.	7/8/2022 11:46 AM
38	Needs to include adult space for play.	7/8/2022 9:08 AM
39	It would not interfere with any other games and also area can be repurposed when no matches are played	7/8/2022 3:41 AM
40	I love this location way much better because it is not connecting with other sports fields like the baseball court etc.	7/7/2022 10:56 PM
41	But this should be 2nd preference	7/7/2022 10:43 PM

42	Adult cricket preferably	7/7/2022 9:13 PM
43	This is the best option	7/7/2022 9:01 PM
44	This is perfect location to have a cricket pitch	7/7/2022 5:20 PM
45	Amazingly private location for a new sport and not diluting other games for audiences.	7/7/2022 4:48 PM
46	This is a GREAT location for cricket pitch as there is no other baseball game pitch exist in this part of Ken Mercer park.	7/7/2022 3:39 PM
47	When I met with Mark Spiller this is the location I said worked best at the sports park. You can still keep the football fields in tact and have the pitch between them. I was on the football board a few years ago and we hardly used the back to fields. These two fields would be a place of their own with little to no contact. They could clean up the snack bar and use that as well. No sure why upper Bernal is not in the discussion though. The field is plenty big, rarely used and had litghts which would extend their hours of use during the fall and winter months.	7/5/2022 11:29 PM
48	I walk the sports park several times a week and the back fields seem the least utilized. I think they would have more options	7/5/2022 9:48 PM
49	Make use of existing field and make it multi use, including to use for cricket instead of converting a field solely for the purpose of cricket at tax payer expense.	7/4/2022 6:46 PM
50	This is the least favorable option. It is the closest to homes, it is the closest to the path on three sides, and it is only youth play and it will generate the most amount of noise and interaction between players and the neighbors (some of whom were opposed before the idea even got off the drawing board). As a resident who back to this area, we fully support additional fields and play and disagree with neighbors who claim they have been adversely affected by the cricket games to date. The claims of noise and early morning play from the cricket players, while we hear it, have not affected us at all. With cricket thus far there are few or no spectators, the players are respectful, although sometimes loudly cheer and yell in excitement (duh, its a sports park!) and the sound is no different than the soccer, football and baseball/softball that is played throughout the year early in the day. In fact, I submit that it is less impactful because there aren't the obnoxious parents and screaming/hollering/foul language that that accompanies what seems like every play during football, and some of the other sports being played. The noise from the football is exceptionally worse. The sirens, PA and sound systems are very annoying, the sound goes on all day starting in the early morning (just as early as those darn cricket players!) and is heard throughout the entire neighborhood, not just the immediate neighbors. Additionally, the amount of trash and debris left behind by the football users is more than any other sport that uses the field. In fact, the other sports do a fine job of cleaning and stacking the trash, where often the football folks often do not. So the argument of noise and trash as a reason not to install cricket because of the noise is hogwash; it's already noisy at times and we are blessed to live against a sportspark. Get over it already! It is poor money management to build a field (option #3) that is only used 3 months when there are two other better options that triple the amount of play, and do not req	7/3/2022 1:11 PM
51	No because if this location is chosen it should be not only for youth	7/2/2022 9:57 PM
52	Leave for football and rugby.	7/2/2022 4:06 PM
53	I think this is the worst option for the speakers park as a whole	7/2/2022 4:06 PM
54	See prior comments	7/2/2022 10:11 AM
55	Too close to the homes and walkways	7/2/2022 9:54 AM
56	This area currently seems underutilized	6/30/2022 6:59 PM
57	This is a really bad and unsafe choice. The separation between the two existing fields is 16 feet. Putting a 10 foot wide concrete pitch between the two fields will create a dangerous hazard for soccer players, rugby players and football players. These players routinely end up on the ground off the field of play due to collisions. tackles, or just running into one another.	6/30/2022 12:07 PM

The range of the balls that may go in any direction also has to make one question the safety of people walking on the sidewalks, standing with their back to play at the snack bar, and even people in the snackbar not paying attention to the game. The circle painted out by the city shows the window of the snack bar only about 50 feet from the field of play. Cricket balls are hard as rocks and they bounce. A person hit in the head by one of these balls would be seriously injured. We will need to build a solid fence around the entire cricket playing field to protect people in this congested areas. The homeowners along the south edge of the park are also currently impacted by cricket balls and baseballs coming over our fences. How can this be if only kids play on the the existing baseball diamond that is restricted to kids 15 years and under? Lets just say that some of the 15 year old kids in Pleasanton are really big. Keep in mind that the two fields under discussion are not just used by football. There is a lot of activity throughout the year at this location. This option is a terrible idea and will only make a bad situation worse.

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58	Too close to residences next to the park.	6/30/2022 11:24 AM
59	Too big	6/30/2022 5:56 AM
60	Again, why have a pitch that can only accommodate youth cricket?	6/30/2022 12:22 AM
61	This seems like a terrible location. Not only does it impact the only two football fields, but it would need netting on all four sides. It is especially concerning that it is near a playground, bathrooms and volleyball court, which are all used by children. The children could be very hurt by the cricket ball (definitely if adults play). It also endangers the walkers on the path, as the path is on all 4 sides of the pitch. Even though it is designated for youths, adults will definitely use it, which will endanger walkers, property and possibly children. Please do not choose this location.	6/29/2022 8:10 PM
62	Is there enough parking available to option three site? Does it also provide the availability for building a separate pitching and batting practice Lane?	6/29/2022 5:09 PM
63	Option 3 is wide open grass area and does not interfere with softball:baseball or soccer field . GREAT OPTION $\#3$	6/29/2022 1:27 PM
64	Worst possible location. Impacts to nearby homes can't be mitigated by netting or other measures. This location would present the greatest potential for future conflicts with residences.	6/29/2022 8:42 AM
65	Too close to the walking path, and nets would be ugly. Also any kid only park would likely be used by adults and cause fly balls to go into the walk way which is on 3 sides of this location and hit people.	6/28/2022 8:27 PM
66	A little farther from sidewalk than option 2. No infrastructure concerns just scheduling with football.	6/28/2022 3:41 PM
67	Same as before	6/28/2022 1:51 PM
68	Could you change to a low residential density park? This park is already heavily occupied by different sports events from early morning to night time. The noise pollution to the nearby neighborhood is already huge. This project better to be built in a low density area/neighborhood. Thanks for your consideration.	6/28/2022 1:50 PM
69	Too close to residential area. Worsening the traffic and parking.	6/28/2022 11:34 AM
70	We walk this park every day in my opinion this is the most underutilized area of the park. The only sports played in this area is spill over sports when the other fields are busy. I rarely see football played here and I'm confident that the two sports can share the fields. Don't believe what the football folks are telling you about how much they use the fields. And no I'm not a cricket player.	6/28/2022 10:01 AM
71	Don't build it	6/28/2022 9:02 AM
72	Too close to pathway Pedestrians at risk!!!	6/28/2022 8:50 AM
73	The option of cricket field is unsafe too. Crickets are hard balls and the potential field is too close to the houses and other fields. Sports park is high traffic park and the location is dangerous for the people nearby.	6/28/2022 7:18 AM
74	Unsafe and noise for neighborhood	6/28/2022 6:12 AM

75	no	6/27/2022 11:55 PM
76	This field should be enjoyed by all instead of people play cricket only. It is very important that during the pandemic kids and adults can play in the open field without traveling far. As you know gas price is sky rocketing. Many people have no means of traveling and entertaining. Why do you want to deprive the general public's simple rights to play in the field for free?	6/27/2022 6:34 PM
77	I do not agree with putting a cricket field anywhere in the Sports Park. The likely overuse of the playing fields, the problem with parking and the impact on the neighboring communities who will be absorbing the extra parking makes the sport prohibitive at this location. Most people playing there now use empty ball fields which seems fine. Most players are adult men. When there is more of a need and cricket is offered in the schools, for example, a dedicated field could be considered on Bernal or at one of the middle schools. The projection you make about parking doesn't solve the problem of traffic in and out of the park which is already a problem. The speed is not monitored in the park and the speed of traffic in and out is already a major risk for walkers.	6/27/2022 6:23 PM
78	Overall, the areas are all too close to residential areas, there is already Cricket Field available in Pleasanton, do we really need so many?	6/27/2022 10:31 AM
79	Add onto Bernal Fields	6/27/2022 10:08 AM
80	Too close to the walk ways	6/27/2022 9:45 AM
81	This should be reserved for football, soccer, rugby, or utilized for other means due to its location in the park.	6/27/2022 9:39 AM
82	This will impact negatively to the nearby basketball/sand beach volleyball/ kids in playground for the safety concerns. Also, have a concern whether this option is the best usage for the current ground layout.	6/27/2022 9:13 AM
83	No cricket at sports park	6/27/2022 8:14 AM
84	Does not make sense to put a cricket field here when it can only be used 4 months (March through June) and adult cricket cannot be played here. Safety netting is not a desireable asthetic.	6/27/2022 6:36 AM
85	Some kid groups playing soccer here. The statement on parking occupies is lying, there's no way to prevent players or audiences parking there 4-6 hours for the whole game.	6/27/2022 12:11 AM
86	too much foot traffic in the area that could be inadvertently injured	6/26/2022 10:30 PM
87	Not safe.	6/26/2022 6:49 PM
88	Lots of young kids are using this court to play soccer. If using this court for cricket, they won't have anywhere to go for their favorite soccer games. That would be really sad.	6/26/2022 6:17 PM
89	We need a year round facility	6/26/2022 6:05 PM
90	It is very close to community, very noisy and dangerous	6/26/2022 5:38 PM
91	We need more space for kids soccer , not cricket	6/26/2022 5:26 PM
92	Too close to the residents houses	6/26/2022 5:21 PM
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99	Too close to the residential area, dangerous to people close by and noisy.	6/26/2022 3:01 PM
100	No cricket field at the sports park	6/26/2022 2:57 PM

101	No cricket field please	6/26/2022 2:50 PM
102	Same reason for 1 and 2 for this additional reasons.	6/26/2022 2:43 PM
103	How about Bernal park instead	6/26/2022 2:42 PM
104	not safe for people walking , jogging by	6/26/2022 2:41 PM
105	Strongly dislike these two options. Please don't have crickets field in this sport park k because it's noisy and not safe for kids.	6/26/2022 2:40 PM
106	I object to placing a cricket field in sports park which has a residential heavy neighborhood.	6/26/2022 2:38 PM
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113	It is too close to the residential area and creat more traffic	6/26/2022 1:26 PM
114	There are lots kidding playing and it will be danger for people in sport park.	6/26/2022 1:12 PM
115	Traffic problem during game season	6/26/2022 1:05 PM
116	Difficult to enforce the rule for youth use, more traffic and not safe for families	6/26/2022 1:01 PM
117	We walk dog and take a walk everyday at sports park. This field is very close the walk path. The ball is hard ball. It is not safe for the pedestrian. We strongly against it. Also, when there is a match, all the cars might flow to the neighborhood for additional parking. The match usually lasts 4-6 hours. It significantly affect the neighborhood.	6/26/2022 12:59 PM
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122	It is too close to the residential area.	6/26/2022 12:30 PM
123	bernal sports complex	6/26/2022 12:29 PM
124	Reserve for soccer use !	6/26/2022 12:27 PM
125	Definitely not. All accessible playground is over there.	6/26/2022 12:26 PM
126	Cricket Field is not suitable in sports park because there are a lot of other sports and walking residents including kids, seniors and dogs. It is not safe. Especially there is a basketball court and playground for all accessible. It is a big NO to have a criket field.	6/26/2022 12:23 PM
127	This place is perfect for kids running and playing football and soccer, and also playground near here, many kids around, not safe for cricket field	6/26/2022 12:16 PM
128	this is not convenient to kids who play in playground and adults who are walking and running in this area	6/26/2022 12:08 PM
129	Cricket is not a community sport in Pleasanton. The current use of this field should not be changed.	6/26/2022 12:08 PM
130	Many other youth and adult sports there . Other than Cricket , We have so many other sports.	6/26/2022 12:07 PM

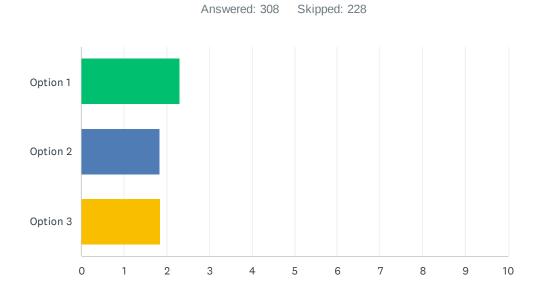
	If every one of them to do like this- meaning through official to claim that right, where is other residents right there?	
131	I don't want to build additional cricket field. We won't have enough regular walk and dog walk space.	6/26/2022 11:52 AM
132	Same reason as before. Mercer has many seniors and small children around. More traffic is not safe for them. This park should be used more for family events	6/26/2022 11:52 AM
133	This is only football field in the park. There are couple of football groups under 10 age play football in weekend. As a parent, I strongly suggest keeping this field as football fields so that many kids can benefit from football sports.	6/26/2022 11:45 AM
134	It is too close to residential area. Too much negative effects. The cricket field should be built in newer parks.	6/26/2022 11:30 AM
135	It endangers the kids playground and houses in the neighborhood.	6/26/2022 10:38 AM
136	Absolutely no. This is a such heavy residential area with a lot of kids playing and houses nearby. Not safe at all to construct cricket field here.	6/26/2022 10:35 AM
137	This seems to be the best way to introduce cricket to the sports park without causing disruptions to current sports that have enjoyed the use of the other two fields	6/26/2022 9:58 AM
138	This park already has enough sports and lack of parking that flows into the neighbor and causes illegal parking in red zones and otherwise it's a one way in neighborhood and the streets are already littered after games and traffic is increased in neighborhood because people Think they can get to the end of the park by driving down parkside	6/26/2022 8:37 AM
139	Do not put the cricket field here, please.	6/25/2022 12:08 PM
140	This field is a better option because no sports field will be taken away. Will the netting be an issue for surrounding residents? Homes along the back of the park like their view and don't want obstructions. Will the netting be seasonal or set up only on game days?	6/25/2022 10:46 AM
141	Youth only. Need adult option	6/24/2022 5:25 PM
142	CONS This is the most dangerous and congested option! 1. This end of the park has current dedicated space for an updated playground, two football fields, basketball, volleyball, soccer and rugby fields. This end of the park has become quite congested over the past few years and passers-by are at risk of balls being hit as siblings play in the grassy area beyond the playground, basketball and volleyball areas. 2. The fields are already dedicated for football, soccer tournaments, rugby tournaments, and spring/summer children's soccer that so far have been played during April, May and June. 3. Given the 180 blue line radius, you are within 10 feet of the walk way used by children from the playground and basket ball courts and parents to access the bathrooms and picnic areas. Park benches are within this 10 foot radius. This is a safety hazard for the Picnic areas and the access to the bathrooms. 4. The 180 radius in this option is the closest of all options to neighboring homes and walkways. The safety netting would not be a viable option. One neighboring home has already received 6-8 cricket balls in their yard from leagues playing cricket on field HB"D". 5. This will be a Youth only field. Currently an adult men's group has been playing on HB "D" on Saturdays and Some times on Sundays as early as 6:30am. With a permanent Pitch location, what is to prevent that adult group from moving over to the Youth cricket space? you do not have room for a 240 radius clearance in this location. 6. The time of use would conflict with the youth soccer summer instructional play on SF 12 from March through June as well as soccer tournaments. 7. This field says time of use is March - June. The other options provide more accessible time of use. 8. Co-Ed youth Rugby tournaments are on this field (the most recent being 6/18/2022). The rugby team uses the side lines between Football field 1 and 2 for throwing in their balls/ team substitutions, etc. This would be directly in the path of the permanent pitch location. 9. When adults wer	6/24/2022 9:26 AM
143	I'd prefer Pickleball courts.	6/23/2022 6:28 PM
144	Little league majors and AAA play on LL-5 & LL-6. Although a cricket pitch wouldn't affect the usage of baseball fields, adding more traffic to this area would put a strain on parking. On June 18th, 2022 PLL had games going on while a rugby tournament was utilizing the open grass area. It was extremely hard to find parking and many people had to park on Parkside Dr. and	6/23/2022 5:59 PM

surrounding streets. Now imagine baseball and soccer going at the same time in the summer/fall plus an additional league. Parking will be a nightmare all of the time. 145 The park is already too crowded and there isnt enough parking spots. It'll push traffic into 6/23/2022 5:22 PM residential areas and cause accident 146 There is no parking on sports weekends already and there's really no parking at this end 6/23/2022 5:20 PM between the new park and the cluster of baseball fields. 147 I'm like location #3 only 6/23/2022 12:48 PM 148 Cricket overlaps with soccer and there is restrictions on the playing months 6/23/2022 8:05 AM 149 I do not prefer this option because the location too close to kids' play areas and parking lot. 6/23/2022 12:36 AM Cricket ball is heavy and can potentially injure kids and damage car exterior. During play, it will be common for a heavy cricket ball to travel beyond the distance shown in the picture. 150 Parking is available for this location with little disruption to existing sports 6/22/2022 10:03 PM 151 Again, need both adult and youth play 6/22/2022 4:42 PM 152 Plan does not interfere with current usages 6/22/2022 3:40 PM 153 6/22/2022 3:16 PM best option This location looks the best for not having to share space with another sport, however, it gives 154 6/22/2022 2:28 PM the appearance of being at "the back of the bus" because it's at the end of the park. I like that it seems to be its own space, and it is all on one surface, just grass. If you're building a new field, why would you only allow youth-size knowing there are so many 155 6/21/2022 7:52 PM adults in Pleasanton who also play? Aren't your core values to be inclusive of all ages and abilities? A cricket field at Muirwood would be far better than this option. 156 Too many houses in area, potential damage or injury from cricket balls 6/21/2022 9:15 AM Cricket is a sport that is too loud for play of any age - adults and children - so close to the 157 6/20/2022 4:45 PM homes that back to the park. I've experienced it every weekend for the past 5 years, and have called to ask for help to stop it from occuring before 8am. If you look at the radius, the circle would be in our backyards if you moved it 90 degrees. that is the problem, it is too loud. Cricket is a game where each and every bat up includes loud clapping and yelling and cheering (BEFORE 8 am on weekends ) unlike any other sport every allow play in this sports park, they should be in a field like across bernal, where there are NO HOMES within 50 FT. Keep the play as is and find or fund another place that is nowhere close to residents for noisy sport play. The clapping is non stop and so is the cheering. And to ask for this to go year round, is just an impossible solution. The cricket players would not want to play cricket in their backyards, basically what you are proposing, i live at 2526 skylark for 31 years and back the sports park and it's only been the last 5 that this has become a nuisance. i love the sports park, but play and practice, organized or not, is being played DURING DAYLIGHT hours which is currently 6 AM ...it's just NOT a feasible proposal. Cricket needs to be played close to the freeway where the sound would be possibly be drowned out by the traffice noise. No lights and way to noisy for long events 6/20/2022 10:54 AM 158 I don't like the idea of safety nettings; they get vandalized. Adults will play in this area and 159 6/19/2022 3:33 PM homes will get hit. Current cricket players in this area are all adults. They already play on the under 14 baseball 6/18/2022 8:19 AM 160 field without regard to the age limitations. We have had cricket balls hit into our backyard. Unless the rules on age are enforced this will continue on any cricket field built here. 161 Tapeball cricket should be allowed 6/17/2022 11:36 PM 162 No adult. Safety issue with fence 6/17/2022 10:54 PM 163 Closer to the homes. Kids might not hit the home. But when there not playing the adults will 6/17/2022 7:30 PM play and hit further than the 150' mark. 164 Where will the adult field be? 6/16/2022 10:30 PM 165 This fields already see a considerable about of impact from football games and community 6/16/2022 6:41 PM soccer training programs. They are also used a makeshift dog park which irks me to no end.

Dogs are allowed off leash and crap all over the field with no regard from their owners. I do not want to have these football fields used for cricket!

again , why do they need a cricket field 6/16/2022 2:50 PM

# Q8 Please rank each location as your favorite to least favorite location for a Cricket Field within Ken Mercer Sports Park



	1	2	3	TOTAL	SCORE
Option 1	55.03% 164	20.81% 62	24.16% 72	298	2.31
Option 2	15.25% 45	53.90% 159	30.85% 91	295	1.84
Option 3	30.74% 91	24.32% 72	44.93% 133	296	1.86

# Q9 Any additional thoughts or comments you would like to share regarding a cricket field in Ken Mercer Sports Park?

Answered: 194 Skipped: 342

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Any additional utilization or modification of the park is not desirable for city budget, increase in local traffic or reduction in safety. My young children frequently use the paths adjacent to these proposed fields.	7/11/2022 8:59 AM
2	As a resident in this area, we would prefer that no changes are made to the fields as they are used for the purposes currently designated.	7/11/2022 8:46 AM
3	Is there room at the Bernal sports complex- Stanford Health to build the cricket fields at that location?	7/10/2022 7:43 PM
4	None of the Above. There is plenty of room to build new cricket fields at Bernal Stanford Sports Park.	7/10/2022 7:43 PM
5	No cricket fields is my preference	7/10/2022 6:32 PM
6	All sites in the Ken Mercer sports park would be my least favorite and the Bernal sports park is the site it should be located	7/10/2022 6:26 PM
7	Should find a new place for Cricket Field, it doesn't fit well in Sports Park.	7/10/2022 3:41 PM
8	Add Hardball D as a viable location.	7/10/2022 12:45 PM
9	If theeenis only one option that works for adult cricket the other two choices seem like they are not legitimate options.	7/10/2022 10:27 AM
10	PMS needs serious help I know you know this but with limited monies get the biggest bang	7/10/2022 9:23 AM
11	I live in Parkside across from where pick-up cricket is currently played at Ken Mercer on a mostly a daily basis. (Hard ball field C). Some of my frustrations have been with the disregard to the winter field closure signs that the other sports are held to following. The fields are supposed to be closed for field recovery and other sports leagues are fined for not following this rule. I would like to see the same enforcement of this rule, as well as enforcing the no smoking in the park rule, which is a frequent problem in the dugouts next to the playground. Whatever field option is chosen, I would like the Parks and Recreation Commission to keep parking in mind, so that the Parkside neighborhood does not take on more overflow parking. I don't know any parents that drop their kid off for a game and never come to watch, so I think it is unrealistic to say that parking will be only minimally impacted.	7/10/2022 8:50 AM
12	As long as other sports can be utilized when not In use, I would fine with a cricket field	7/9/2022 11:34 PM
13	No cricket field plz	7/9/2022 6:40 PM
14	Could a cricket field be put in if there is any empty space at patelco where there are lights? What about the empty field between donlon and Val vista? Is the Alisal cricket field being utilized by and pleasanton cricket players/organizations? (I haven't really seen it advertised).	7/9/2022 5:59 PM
15	Parking already an issue with park sport activity Please avoid tournaments including trveling teams	7/9/2022 5:29 PM
16	It would be great to see more cricket nets being constructed around Pleasanton. They could also be used by baseball players who wish to practice too.	7/9/2022 4:38 PM
17	are you so sure that parents will not be wanting to park and watch the youth games? No parking near options 1/2 and for option 1, families may be walking across the field	7/9/2022 12:52 PM
18	Build at least two out of the three with the Adult option being mandatory.	7/9/2022 9:46 AM
19	I think it's a good idea to have a cricket pitch in the sports park.	7/9/2022 8:33 AM

20	why should there be a cricket field at all ??? Who is the city catering to?	7/8/2022 10:31 PM
21	Please don't remove any softball fields	7/8/2022 9:54 PM
22	Stupid and dangerous idea. Grow some balls and build a purpose-built pitch at Patelco Park, where there is room without compromise.	7/8/2022 9:23 PM
23	No cricket field	7/8/2022 8:51 PM
24	No cricket	7/8/2022 7:39 PM
25	We are not interested in a cricket field at the sportspark therefore we did not rank your options.	7/8/2022 6:46 PM
26	The ranking is dumb. How about no ranking. Move this somewhere else. Recall brown, testa and arkin if this happens.	7/8/2022 6:20 PM
27	I don't like this idea anyway but if needed have one that can be used for both youth and adults	7/8/2022 6:17 PM
28	Bernal sports complex is better location as not as many residents as around Ken Mercer Sports Park. Less traffic	7/8/2022 5:02 PM
29	There is already insufficient parking for this park. Traffic spills onto Parkside Drive, created danger for pedestrians walking between vehicles parked on Parkside Drive, due to the increase of speeding vehicles inside the park and on Parkside Dr. This field should not be put at Mercer park, but at Bernal park which has sufficient parking that is outside of a residential community.	7/8/2022 4:48 PM
30	None of the 3 are ideal. Why is Property by Patelco park not an option. Not suggesting altering the soccer fields, but plenty of open space exists. Are there plans for something else in the undeveloped area?	7/8/2022 4:35 PM
31	What are the plans for parks when east Pleasanton ie gravel pit area is developed????	7/8/2022 4:28 PM
32	I think there should be one cricket field that can accommodate both youth and adults.	7/8/2022 4:08 PM
33	Any other path forward than option 1 will show how rigged this entire process is.	7/8/2022 3:54 PM
34	I don't think there is really any reasonable demand for a cricket field in Pleasanton. Please keep the Sports Park fields as they are. Please serve the majority of citizens. Thanks!	7/8/2022 3:43 PM
35	It will be a welcome addition to support another sport at the park.	7/8/2022 3:38 PM
36	There is no justification to do this	7/8/2022 3:29 PM
37	I do not agree with adding fencing around the walking paths to accommodate this. I don't think a cricket field that is only used a couple of months a year is worth the cost of adding this. I think it should be at Bernal.	7/8/2022 3:23 PM
38	Why can't we have 2 cricket fields that can be used year round	7/8/2022 3:17 PM
39	I watch the adults playing cricket all of the time. I never see very many "Youth" players playing. I doubt this is for the kids at al, but for the adults who play cricket there including when the fields are marked closed. Follow the rules? I doubt it	7/8/2022 3:16 PM
40	Please consider instead repurposing a baseball field, ideally HardBall D. It would provide a backstop, access to parking, restrooms and the Snack bar, and would orient the action away from any sidewalks. No trees would have to be moved. There are bleachers. Try harder to do the right thing please.	7/8/2022 11:46 AM
41	I would be happy with adding both 1 $\&$ 2 - we need to be inclusive to our community. And no I don't play or understand cricket, but I enjoy seeing people having fun	7/8/2022 9:11 AM
42	Ensure to have a quality matt pitch	7/7/2022 11:32 PM
43	None.	7/7/2022 10:58 PM
44	Any help the city needs for organizing cricket, I am available to help as a volunteer. Please feel free to contact me. Sandeep Kolte.	7/7/2022 9:02 PM
45	Please setup cricket field in Pleasanton	7/7/2022 6:15 PM
46	Great to have 2 fields with cricket pitch in this field.	7/7/2022 5:00 PM
47	Thank you for the initiative. Cricket will bring too much joy to our community.	7/7/2022 4:52 PM

48	Please have 2 fields at least.	7/7/2022 4:49 PM
49	I don't like cricket. Why waste tax on this?	7/7/2022 4:39 PM
50	Option 3 and then option 1 are best choices for the purpose of cricket without disturbing and co-existing with baseball fields.	7/7/2022 3:41 PM
51	Very excited that cricket is coming to the Sports Park! Wonderful!	7/6/2022 9:02 PM
52	More trees in park not fewer. More shade.	7/6/2022 8:03 PM
53	Put where there is the least conflict. I spent many Saturday mornings have to move them off of softball fields that were prepped for the day. Putting it anywhere near anoth field will only cause conflict. They deserve their own space and the back of the sports park is best.	7/5/2022 11:32 PM
54	I think you should tell people it's a 10x 50 cement pad with turf. People have no idea what a pitch is	7/5/2022 9:49 PM
55	The city is increasing the size of the skateboard park and now wants to increase inner park traffic. Use Bernal ave fields.	7/4/2022 12:26 PM
56	Build it (them)! Our community makeup has changed drastically and we are behind the times in keeping up with recreational changes happening in our community when compared against national trends. We seemingly spend a lot of money for facilities and infrastructure that serve very small parts of our community. Cricket is the second most popular sport in the world, if we do this right this could be a gem for our changing community. Just like the sports park was designed for sports being played in the 1970s, and attracted play from across the state, other sports are taking over and we can't hold on to the past. We need to change the field uses and facilities to meet community needs, and do so earlier in the process. These cricket fields could become a regional draw for youth and adult leagues just like the other parts of the sports park once were. Build these areas as soon as possible to serve our community.	7/3/2022 1:25 PM
57	Combine option 1 and two and build a special cricket complex. If you're gonna do it, do it right. And option 3 is not a good option at all.	7/2/2022 4:08 PM
58	Do not like option 3 at all	7/2/2022 4:07 PM
59	Keep Mayor Mercer's traditional design in tact and utilize the existing lower fields HB 'A' and G '1'. These fields designations are found on all the large Sports Park Maps.	7/2/2022 10:15 AM
60	Should try to accommodate youth and adult and maximize seasons to play	7/1/2022 4:13 PM
61	Plant trees to provide shade near by. Least amount of tree removal and landscape disruption. Ensure player and spectators are responsible for clean-up.	7/1/2022 8:33 AM
62	I am against to have a cricket field in the Sports Park.	6/30/2022 2:51 PM
63	Given the large playing area required for this sport I would suggest not trying to squeeze a field into the Ken Mercer Sports Park. I would suggest instead the City look at the open land in another location that would be more suitable for this activity. One possible location would be near the dog park. There is already parking and restrooms available. We could investigate possible having two fields to accommodate youths and adults all in one place.	6/30/2022 12:16 PM
64	It is important to enforce city noise ordinances that no organized play begins before 8am.	6/30/2022 11:24 AM
65	Thank you for creating this field for our residents	6/30/2022 5:57 AM
66	If we really want to have a pitch that accommodates all cricket players then we should have Option $\#1$ .	6/30/2022 12:25 AM
67	Please be mindful of the fact that no matter which location you choose, it will be used by adults and that will have a much greater impact than is suggested by each option.	6/29/2022 8:11 PM
68	No cricket would be best	6/29/2022 7:39 PM
69	Should select a site that would allow for future batting practice and pitching for cricket	6/29/2022 5:10 PM
70	Parking and rest rooms close by option 3. Even a snack bar if future tournaments or group games were to occur	6/29/2022 1:30 PM

72	Why not put it in the new sports fields south of Bernal Ave?	6/29/2022 8:45 AM
73	Option 1 seems like your only viable option with out netting that will cost to maintain and detract from the look of the park.	6/28/2022 8:29 PM
74	Really glad this is happening- a cricket field absolutely belongs at ken Mercer	6/28/2022 8:27 PM
75	I would like them to have a designated field but there seems to be multiple games going on every weekend already.	6/28/2022 3:44 PM
76	Could you change to a low residential density park? This park is already heavily occupied by different sports events from early morning to night time. The noise pollution to the nearby neighborhood is already huge. This project better to be built in a low density area/neighborhood. Thanks for your consideration.	6/28/2022 1:50 PM
77	against cricket field in sports park	6/28/2022 1:12 PM
78	Strongly against putting a cricket field in Ken Mercer Sports Park. A cricket game can last 3-5 hours. The limited parking spots in the park will be occupied for extended period of time. Plus the flying hard cricket ball poses a great danger to people walking or jogging nearby. A fence would destroy the openness of the field (eg option 3) and become an eyesore. Please consider another location for the cricket field. Definitely not Ken Mercer Sports Park!	6/28/2022 11:45 AM
79	See previous comments	6/28/2022 10:02 AM
80	It's a bad idea to build a cricket field. Don't build it.	6/28/2022 9:02 AM
81	Move the pitch further inside Is patelco a better location This is too risky to pedestrians and ken Mercer has a lot	6/28/2022 8:51 AM
82	We strongly against the potential locations for cricket field at Ken Mercer Sports Park. The reason is unsafe for the neighbors and the people playing other sports at this park.	6/28/2022 7:21 AM
33	Big NO to a cricket field in Ken Mercer Sports Park	6/28/2022 12:32 AM
34	None of them works. Big NO in Sports Park	6/28/2022 12:17 AM
85	no	6/27/2022 11:55 PM
86	Prefer baseball	6/27/2022 10:27 PM
87	Please don't convert any one to a cricket field. There should be a system of first come and first serve. Or make a certain period of time reserved for cricket and other time for soccer, softball and other sports.	6/27/2022 6:38 PM
88	Really exciting and looking forward to play some games myself :)	6/27/2022 5:20 PM
89	Ken Mercer sports park is perfect for a new cricket field. It's center location is accessible by all around the town.	6/27/2022 5:09 PM
90	I strongly against the proposal of the cricket field. I don't think there are enough popularity for cricket. There's already a very good cricket field in Fallon sports park in Dublin, which is very close. And I never see people playing cricket there. The public field should meet the requirement for majority residents	6/27/2022 2:27 PM
91	There's already not enough space for baseball football softball and soccer.	6/27/2022 10:08 AM
92	What will be the funding and the budgeted spending for cricket field. Concerns on the negative traffics impact to nearby neighborhoods.	6/27/2022 9:18 AM
93	Suggest move to bernal park , farther away residence houses	6/27/2022 8:16 AM
94	Option 1 is the clear favorite because it allows for adult and youth cricket 3 out of the 4 seasons.	6/27/2022 6:37 AM
95	Be honest first. The statement on parking occupies is lying, there's no way to prevent players or audiences parking there 4-6 hours for the whole game.	6/27/2022 12:13 AM
96	none of the option works	6/26/2022 11:17 PM
	Adults could play on this field.	

98	Have to think about safety for cricket field as people walk and run around these area.	6/26/2022 10:24 PM
99	I strongly prefer this field not to be placed at Ken Mercer Sports Park	6/26/2022 9:30 PM
100	Majority of people don't play this sport and no school teams as well	6/26/2022 8:21 PM
L01	cricket field shouldn't be close to residential area	6/26/2022 7:22 PM
102	Not in this park.	6/26/2022 6:49 PM
103	In general, I don't think it a good idea to convert the existing court to the cricket court for safety concern as well as for the Pleasanton residents' existing use of the court.	6/26/2022 6:23 PM
104	Adult field is sized at 220ft. Although the international standards prescribe 220 ft, most games that adult residents play currently are in fields of 160-180ft range. So size of field shouldnt be a major constraint when picking the options	6/26/2022 6:07 PM
105	I cricket field in sports park	6/26/2022 5:38 PM
L06	We need all of these for children soccer , not cricket	6/26/2022 5:26 PM
107	If there is no fence setup, it is too dangerous in the open space where lots of kids playing in and lots of people doing exercise around.	6/26/2022 5:25 PM
108	Bernal sports complex	6/26/2022 4:41 PM
109	None of the options is acceptable	6/26/2022 4:40 PM
110	I'm strongly against all options of the cricket park proposal as the overwhelming need of a dog park in association with the already large pet dog population that is still rising should be properly researched and identified before dedicating the space to any more sports park!	6/26/2022 4:19 PM
111	This park doesn't have enough parking to accommodate these fields. There is already an extreme parking issue on Parkside that overflows into the courts and circles. Parking needs to be addressed before any field changes are made. It's not fair to homeowners of Parkside, Birdland and The Gates neighborhoods and is irresponsible of the city to continue to burden a small town with big city problems. A home that was listen on my circle had a buyer back out of a deal because of all the cars that used our circle as overflow from Ken Mercer sports park. A cricket field should have been added to Patelco park if that was something the city needed to consider. The infrastructure is not currently available at this park.	6/26/2022 3:21 PM
112	re-evaluate the proposal to make sure it is the need for majority residents	6/26/2022 3:11 PM
113	Cricket field can be built in newer recreational area other than already established residential areas	6/26/2022 3:05 PM
114	Please reevaluate the proposal to make sure it is the need for majority residents.	6/26/2022 3:02 PM
115	No cricket field at the sports park	6/26/2022 2:57 PM
116	No cricket field please Can we have more basketball field	6/26/2022 2:51 PM
117	A cricket field is not suitable for ken Mercer sports park which is already well packed and has heavy traffic.	6/26/2022 2:45 PM
118	Please keep this park as a public park to have all the sports go in to play. Otherwise, it will be narrow down all the players from playing.	6/26/2022 2:44 PM
119	How about Bernal park instead	6/26/2022 2:42 PM
120	Strongly dislike these two options. Please don't have crickets field in this sport park k because it's noisy and not safe for kids.	6/26/2022 2:40 PM
121	Absolutely no cricket field in sports park.	6/26/2022 2:39 PM
	DO NOT build it in charte park! There are more cans than pres. This was already rejected at	6/26/2022 2:37 PM
122	DO NOT build it in sports park! There are more cons than pros. This was already rejected at Muirwood park, stop trying in these community / neighborhood parks!	0/20/2022 2:01 T W
122		6/26/2022 2:34 PM

125	Bernal Park seems a better place	6/26/2022 2:27 PM
126	No cricket field at sports park	6/26/2022 2:26 PM
127	It's too crowded for a field and it would disrupt other activities going on there.	6/26/2022 2:15 PM
128	Strongly opposes building the cricket field at the sports park as it will negatively impact nearby residents and neighbors daily activities. Please consider changing the field location elsewhere such as Bernal sports complex as it is further away from residents.	6/26/2022 2:04 PM
129	Sports Park is not an appropriate location for a cricket field. It would create a hazardous situations with many children and elderlies using the park.	6/26/2022 1:59 PM
130	No	6/26/2022 1:53 PM
131	I strongly against having a cricket field in the sports park. It would be bringing significant concerns to the neighborhood. The park has attracted lots of people for jogging/walking/running all the time. Any of the options of a cricket field would have risk to people (especially seniors and kids)	6/26/2022 1:52 PM
132	Do not do it	6/26/2022 1:48 PM
133	No Cricket Field.	6/26/2022 1:47 PM
134	None of them should be the hardball field. They are close to the residential area and legal action will be taken if city insists.	6/26/2022 1:34 PM
135	This field needs a bigger space and this park is already too crowded	6/26/2022 1:31 PM
136	Prefer no cricket field	6/26/2022 1:24 PM
137	I do not think Sports Park should include a new cricket field/s. It has sufficient usage traffics for now.	6/26/2022 1:14 PM
138	Keep current setting is best option.	6/26/2022 1:13 PM
139	None	6/26/2022 1:05 PM
140	None of them is my favorite. My family use the parts at least 5 days per week, I really do not wish we get hit by the ball. Every time I pass by the baseball court by the recyclable water pump station I worry for my safety because there is a group of people who always practicing cricket in that court every evening.	6/26/2022 12:53 PM
141	No in Sports Park	6/26/2022 12:52 PM
142	No cricket field in Pleasanton	6/26/2022 12:45 PM
143	Don't build any cricket field.	6/26/2022 12:37 PM
144	No cricket field in Ken Mercer Sports park	6/26/2022 12:34 PM
145	All 3 options are my least favorite	6/26/2022 12:31 PM
146	too crowdy in sport park	6/26/2022 12:30 PM
147	Option 3 is big No	6/26/2022 12:28 PM
148	Sports park is already very busy with current sports activities and residents activities. No more .	6/26/2022 12:26 PM
149	Cricket Field is not suitable in sports park because there are a lot of other sports and walking residents including kids, seniors and dogs. It is not safe.	6/26/2022 12:23 PM
150	Cricket Field not safe for crowd community park. Better to have some isolated similar baseball field	6/26/2022 12:18 PM
151	However for Cricket, can only occupy for some hours. Not fully dedicated only for it. We have so many other sports. If every one of them to do like this, where is other residents right there?	6/26/2022 12:11 PM
152	We don't want this!	6/26/2022 12:09 PM
153	I don't agree all of them	6/26/2022 12:06 PM

1 - 4	Laws appeared to this idea. And Laws also against the year the growth designed in this	C/2C/2022 11.E4 AM
154	I am apposed to this idea. And I am also against the way the survey is designed. In this survey, it seems the decision has been made that Mercer will be the spot? Or do citizens have a say still? If the citizens still have a say in deciding if Mercer will be used for a Cricket field, then this survey is deceiving.	6/26/2022 11:54 AM
155	I don't want to build additional cricket field. We won't have enough regular walk and dog walk space.	6/26/2022 11:52 AM
156	None of the places should be used to build cricket field.	6/26/2022 11:32 AM
157	No cricket field in sports park.	6/26/2022 11:17 AM
158	It is better to move to Bernal sports park since it is new and big and far away from residential area	6/26/2022 10:39 AM
159	I think this is a terrible idea. Find another park.	6/26/2022 10:38 AM
160	None of these 3 options works.	6/26/2022 10:36 AM
161	Please do not remove trees, and consider the impact of parking in neighborhood streets.	6/26/2022 10:12 AM
162	It looks like tree removal is necessary for option 1 and 2. Not a fan of that	6/26/2022 10:09 AM
163	If an adult sized field is required than it seems we don't have any real options other than 1 but since that removes trees, I really wish we had other options for adult fields that doesn't impact mature trees	6/26/2022 10:05 AM
164	I don't like any of the options. This park is already congested and I think they should find a different location altogether for cricket.	6/26/2022 9:58 AM
165	This park already has enough sports and lack of parking that flows into the neighbor and causes illegal parking in red zones and otherwise it's a one way in neighborhood and the streets are already littered after games and traffic is increased in neighborhood because people Think they can get to the end of the park by driving down parkside No cricket fields at Ken Mercer	6/26/2022 8:38 AM
166	Will their be a cricket league playing games and tournaments on this field or just recreational?	6/25/2022 10:47 AM
167	This park is already too busy	6/25/2022 4:40 AM
168	Great idea. See several groups play on weekends in different locations in Pleasanton. Thank you for constructing one. Mercer Park is ideally suited because of its size, location and parking.	6/24/2022 5:26 PM
169	1. We would like the August 11 meeting to be accessible on zoom due to folks being out on vacation. 2. Your survey request signs in the park are blowing in the wind. We had to pick one off the ground and re-attach it to the proposed option #2 Also the sign's in the park are too small and are very hard to read. 3. Please make sure you send this survey to the Rugby teams and all teams that access these locations currently. You may have to go out on the weekends to see all the activity, including walkers, joggers, baby strollers, etc. Thank you.	6/24/2022 9:32 AM
170	I have only seen adults playing cricket at the sports park. Never kids. By only having one adult option, it seems like you're not really giving us a choice.	6/24/2022 8:16 AM
171	Has anybody come out and walk the field while people are actually out here and games are going on GSB8 has the best space and least impact	6/23/2022 8:28 PM
172	I think Cricket Courts are unnecessary at Ken Mercer Spirts park.	6/23/2022 6:30 PM
173	A cricket pitch doesn't work in the sports park with the limited parking we have.	6/23/2022 6:01 PM
174	There has to be a better spot for this.	6/23/2022 5:21 PM
175	I don't want this to ruin the large field at option 3. Don't think we need it overall	6/23/2022 12:50 PM
176	We need cricket fields. Thanks!	6/23/2022 8:07 AM
177	Parking issues!!	6/23/2022 7:47 AM
	Option 1 is preferred over Option 2 because Option 1 is full grass. Option 3 should be avoided	6/23/2022 12:37 AM

179	Just actually get it done. There will never be an option that will please everyone, so make a decision and move forward.	6/22/2022 4:44 PM
180	Thank yo for not taking over any of our school fields or neighborhood parks for this recreational field. This is exactly what the sports park is for.	6/22/2022 3:42 PM
181	why removing a softball field in favor of another sport	6/22/2022 3:17 PM
182	I think we need more than one cricket bitch. It would be great to see options one and three installed. I would truly hate to see cricket pushed to the back of the line due to conflict with other sports needing to use the same space at the same time	6/22/2022 2:30 PM
183	It's unfortunate for the cricket community to undergo such struggles just to have a field built for their sport. Cricket creates community, offers opportunities for teamwork, strengthens social bonding, reduces alienation, offers ethnic and cultural harmony, not to mention physical and mental wellbeing. It's even more unfortunate that city staff do not recognize this or treat the cricket community in the same way they treat other sports groups. Never were there such debacles and roadblocks when lacrosse was the newest sport in town. Today, more than ever, the city needs to offer diverse, equitable, and inclusive programs. Don't just talk about them, BE about them a cricket field for all ages should be a priority.	6/21/2022 8:06 PM
184	Please don't allow a cricket field to be so close to people's homes. Thank you for listening to us	6/21/2022 9:18 AM
185	Cricket fields should not be built in the Ken Mercer sports park at all, in any location within the park. This park is surrounded by homes less than 25-50 from all the play fields. In addition, regardless of where the cricket field are built in Pleasanton, there also needs to be an amendment to the City's Municipal Code that would change all of the city's park use: NO team play of any sport (organized, reserved or casual pick up) or classes BEFORE 8 AM EVERY DAY (change from the current code as stated - DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS - which is as early as 6am seasonally). Cricket is a sport that is excessively too loud in play of any age - adults and children. It includes extended clapping, cheering, and shouting with each and every batter up. The sports park is surrounded entirely by homes, homes that back to the park which are less than 25-50 feet from the proposed fields. We've experienced the cricket play and noise every weekend for the past 5 years and have called to ask for help to stop it from occurring before 8am. If you look at the radius of the proposed fields 1-3, the circles of fields proposed would literally be in be in our backyards and in our homes if you moved any of them by 90 degrees, that is the problem, it simply is not an acceptable allowance. Again, Cricket is a game where each bat up includes loud clapping and yelling and cheering (BEFORE 8 am on weekends unlike any other sport ever allow play in this sports park in my 30 years as a resident). Parks or fields that do not have homes surrounding them, or possibly close to the Hopyard skate park, or the fields on Bernal across the Alameda Fair grounds would be locations which would not encumber the neighbors. Another example of a good location are the fields on I-580 in Dublin, where there are NO HOMES within 50 FT. I lived happily in my home located at 2526 Skylark for 31 years and we back the sports park and it's only been the last 5 that this has become a nuisance. We love the sports park, but play and practice, organized or not, is being played	6/20/2022 5:26 PM
186	What is the current demand for fields? Does it justify the expenditure? With the current promise of a skateboard park and all abilities field and the city projected traffic for those, this might not be a wise choice.	6/20/2022 10:56 AM
187	Option 1 is the only viable option because it gives both youth and adult cricket. Adult is the higher priority at this time anyway.	6/19/2022 3:34 PM
188	Current cricket teams often start play before 7am. Team play should not start before 8am. Will noise regulations in the early morning hours be enforced?	6/18/2022 8:21 AM
189	Tapeball cricket should be allowed	6/17/2022 11:36 PM
190	Cricket will attract more youth and adult to partake in sport in Pleasanton. Thank you for suggesting this.	6/17/2022 9:11 PM
191	My home backs to left field next to option 3. When the little league kids aren't playing the high school kids and adults will play and I get many many baseballs in my backyard. Often time if	6/17/2022 7:38 PM

the kids/adults keep hitting after I ask to hit the other way, I have to resort to calling the police. If option 3 is chosen, I would recommend more than 150' spacing!

192	It's just not an option to have cricket field in the sports park	6/16/2022 8:48 PM
193	There are other locations in Pleasanton and Dublin where people can play cricket are better suited for the sport and extremely hard ball the players use	6/16/2022 6:43 PM
194	Find another park, like the dog park out on Bernal. There is plenty of room there and it won't disrupt any of the softball/hardball fields	6/16/2022 2:52 PM