

What do you like most about the Master Plan update?	What do you like least about the Master Plan update?	How could the Master Plan update be improved?	What other ideas or concerns would you like to share about the Master Plan update?	What concerns you most about the future of Lakeshore Park?	What do you like most about Lakeshore Park as it exists today?
*Lit* Athletic fields			Blue light police call boxes should be installed.		The walking trail. The length and the hills make it a fun and challenging.
1. removal of the ball fields by the treatment center; 2. keeping the vehicular traffic for the baseball/soccer from needing to traverse the park; 3. relocating the path/Northshore entrance crossing	loss of the larger ballfields	Consider widening the loop path to account for mixed use (walk/bike/skate/run). Ensure preparation and paving are more root resistant (uneven surfaces prevalent).	None at this time.	That the city and conservancy will "lose energy" and not complete the plan. This park is a real benefit for Knoxville.	Variety of activities possible - playgrounds, ballfields, open space, exercising, geocaching.
A variety of things to do & see.	Would love to see: A community pool, splash pads. And, a large flat area for walking without hills.	Answered that on the previous question. Places for Holiday events. Fireworks.	Traffic flow going & coming out from the Lyon's View/Northshore entrance, traffic really backs up.	In general nothing.	Walking paths.
A well balanced physical, mental and social health approach.	I was under the impression a dog park was part of the plans, it would be a great addition	Adding a dog park for all to use	Continue the walking / running trails and access to adequate parking	The additional ball fields will bring more volume, ensuring adequate safe parking as well as security is a must for safety.	The easy access to running/ walking trails, the people really make it though, everyone is always so kind.
A wide variety of spaces and plant life, while also beautiful in design.	No waterfront amenities/activities whatsoever, and limited water views. This is a major waste of the most beautiful aspect of this location: 180 degrees of beautiful waterfront, hidden from view by trees, and no water activities at all.	Absolutely needs the critical addition of waterfront spaces, amenities, activities and water views. This 180 degrees of beautiful waterfront must be accessible for swimming, kayaking, viewing, etc. It is by far the best feature of this land. The current plan wastes this.	The addition of a boat ramp might also work at one end of the park, separate from the other spaces. There are no ramps for miles in this area.	No waterfront usage for activities and limited viewing. A huge waste.	Beautiful design and excellent separation of the 3 areas.
ability of citizens to exercise by walking, etc.	There should be access to the water for boating, kayaking, water boarding, etc.	See answer to no. 5 - provide access to water for boating, kayaking, water boarding, etc.	Allow businesses - river/water equipment rentals - as done at Ijams quarry - to rent out equipment for boating, water boarding, kayaking, etc. If not during the week, then on weekends and summer holidays.	I do not like it that the survey was not more extensively publicized - in this time of Covid 19 and social distancing - so that people knew how to access this site. Do you really not want the public to have a say in this park's development? You act like it - too exclusive. Shame on you.	The walking trails and the fields for games - physical exercise in beautiful surroundings.
ability to walk safely	n/a	n/a	n/a	how difficult it is to navigate traffic to get in and out of the park. Sometimes do not use because of this.	walking trails
Access, ramp and kayak launch	No Access, ramp and kayak launch	Access, ramp and kayak launch	Access, ramp and kayak launch, Kite festival	Lack of Access, ramp and kayak launch	Size of park
Add a dog park!	There isn't a dog park!	Dog park!!!	Also add a butterfly or flower garden	Litter	The dog park!
Added areas and better use of space		Consider more community functions-food truck? Concerts? Christmas lights?		I wish there was more space	The views and trails
Additional parking and paths. Garden areas	Lack of water access for personal, non-motoized vessels, i.e. paddleboards and kayaks. It seems to me that if you have water on two sides of a park, citizens should be able to access that water.	See #5			Trails and views
Additional trails and parking access.	I was under the impression that a kayak/SUP ramp was part of the plan yet it is not on this updated version. Lakeshore users would really love and want this to be a part of the update.	Water ramp and launch access for kayaks, canoes, etc.			Accessibility
Additional trails throughout the greenspace.		Would like to see a more prominent kayak/canoe/paddling launch area in athletic zone. Currently it is possible to do, but no easy access from parking.			The wide open views.
Additional trails.	Amphitheater	Remove amphitheater	None	Keeping it a park and not an music or festival event venue.	Trails
additional walkways, contemplative area where the segregated buildind was	pretentious floof. reduction in playing fields. excessive "dead" space we are supposed to accept as community building.	focus on park usability FIRST. There are so many existing functional issues that can be addressed instead of spending money on someone trying to sell BS	There are roads in disrepair, greenway segments that are hazardous. And it was absolutely GALLING to try to negotiate those while that hideous eyesore of an overlook loomed over the park. Its architecture does not fit in with anything. This is not The National Mall in DC or the LOOP in Chicago. And while the video TALKS about tying to Knoxville's history, that just felt like a lot of window dressing to sell features we don't NEED.	Lack of routine maintenance. The newer walkways were wonderful, but what about fixing the older ones?	The natural setting and being able to take the greenway by the water and through the trees.
Aesthetic	Want more trails for walking and more SHADE and passive resting spaces	Add shaded rest areas	Soon!!!!	Keep it public	Beautiful and public without commercialization or over booking of sports events
All	Na	It's perfect	Na	Safety	BEAUTIFUL
All of the added trails!	All of the athletic fields. My concern is during games/tournaments, there won't be enough parking for people who AREN'T there to use the fields, but people like me, who just go to lakeshore to walk the trails.	added parking	N/A	That it will become more of an athletic complex for sport teams rather than individuals.	The winding walking trails through the trees and along the river. The hills at lakeshore make this park a great place to workout!
All of the green space and the lawns. The earthen sculpture was the first thing that I saw and thought it looked great.	None	None	None	That there won't be future appropriations to help with ongoing maintenance.	The new overlook is wonderful and is exciting as a glimpse into the future.
All of the plants in the garden, the fields, etc.	I didn't see much about the walking paths.	I don't know	None	Maintenance	The walking trails.
All the fields for the kids r going to be great	No pickleball courts in the plan. Please build pickleball courts.....	Pickleball courts	If we could cut all the trees on the side of the lake so we can actually see the lake and at the top of the trail. The trees are blocking the most beautiful view in knoxville	Trees blocking views	Close to my house and a great place to go to
Alot	No water access!	Water access!	Water access!	Lack of water access!	Everything except for no water access
Amount of green space	Lack of water views along the river.	Gathering space at the river's edge.			Recreational spaces

Amphitheater.. Extended trails and hopefully water access	No water access	Water access	No water access or lake access.. Lake activities	Concerns of privatization	Easy access and trails
Amphitheater	There is zero use of the riverfront. Why is there no access for boaters or Paddlers?	Tennessee river access	There's a lot of great opportunity for events to be held at the park that will boost tourism. Paddling race events such as rowing, paddle boarding, and various kayaking disciplines. The Tennessee River is amazing natural resource at the park just happens to be positioned on it to not utilize it is a huge disservice to the community!	Again the lack of river access.	The greenway and sports fields.
Amphitheater	No dog park	Adding dog park, more areas for social gatherings, more walking areas	Feel as if it doesn't take other aspects of outdoor space in mind like picnic areas, etc	Traffic leaving northshore not by the light	The open area, easy to navigate, walkable
Amphitheater and band she'll but I don't believe that multiples are necessary. OVERKILL! And natural settings, especially those wooded paths.	No statement about picnic facilities, just a picnic grove fairly remote from parking. It also appears that the existing picnic pavilion and the in the open picnic tables will disappear.No horseshoes, volleyball or badminton, no PICKLEBALL. It shouldn't just be about youth sports. And more hoops courts are necessary.	As above.	A turn lane needs to be added at the Northshore entrance. And maybe some sprucing up of the right of way. Maybe an entrance sign. Maybe even a traffic light.	Wheredemoney??? And where is the funding for MAINTENANCE? The lakeside trail is shameful, with branches obscuring some of it and roots destroying the trail's integrity. Maintenance isn't a bunch of warning signs that the pavement is uneven. I think it's shameful that the trails fall into disgraceful disrepair even as you spend \$3,000,000 on a marble esplanade!	Trails
Amphitheater and baseball complex	No boat launch, no tennis courts	Boat launch for kayaks, paddle boards etc	Please include adequate lighting	Parking	Walking trails
Amphitheater areas...possibly for music or arts	No tennis courts	Adequate parking / water options.	Be sure of adequate lighting for nite visitors	Maintenance/ cleanliness/ respect	Views. Community feel
Amphitheater, natural playground		Restrooms!			The paths, the views, the size, playground
Amphitheaters	Unmowed meadows	If concerts are held in amphitheaters, parking may be an issue	None	Sale and redevelopment	Walking trail and open spaces
Amphitheatre with possibilities of concerts, plays, etc.	More trees being cut. I worked at Lakeshore in the 1980's and have used the park since it was built and sadly remember the huge old trees that were cut down.	Redevelop the outdated back entrance with a traffic light.	Dog park no longer in the plan?	It is the most beautiful property in Knoxville. Keep it green and keep it clean. More people are needed to pick up trash & keep areas trash free.	That the walking trails are built on the natural flow of the property - the property was not resculpted to accommodate the trails but just the opposite.
Amphitheater. I have long thought the park could host concerts	Parking while enhanced will still need some level of infrastructure off Northside and Lyons View	Na	Na	Traffic	Feels safe and well lit
Amphitheaters	Lack of river access and features	Dock and ramp for kayaks and paddleboard access	Looks great, just would love to see improved access to the water		Peace and quiet
An amphitheatre for outdoor live music Additional walking trails				traffic	lots of open spaces
Athletic complex	Needs more soccer fields.	More soccer fields			
Athletic fields all together	Didn't see specifics on updating play equipment or adding splash pad	Improving and adding play equipment	None	Na	The trails
Athletic zone	Nothing	N/A	Continue to update and make walking trails better	Nothing	Walking paths
Athletics	No disc golf course	Add a disc golf course	Add disc golf course	No disc golf course	Size
Bandshell	Massive use of land for team sports	Inclusion of water sports coordinated with the River Trail development. Perhaps more emphasis on individual or small team sports such as HIIT training stations, etc.		That it be a gift for all to use and to not be used as a political statement regarding race, religion, or other agenda.	Vast, beautiful. Countryside feel.
Beach volleyball	Nothing	Keep public input	None	Commercial development	Views, activities
Beautiful features in the different areas of the park	Not enough access to and connection with the river. The river is an amazing resource, it's a shame the plan doesn't capitalize on that. Also, previous planning included space for farmers' markets, which are another excellent civic activity. I didn't see that kind of space explicit in the new plan but I hope there is still opportunity for that.	Expand on river access.			Excellent walking trails, views of the river, preservation of the admin building
Beauty of surroundings	No dog park	Put in dog park	None	No dog park	Hills and walking
Beauty of the design.	Nothing	Keep it as planned.	Nothing	Nothing	Never been there before.
Better access to the view	Sports fields	A trail that runs along the river. Also, a small natural pond. Plenty of shade trees to picnic under.	I'm glad the park is open until 10 but I would not feel safe there after dark. I wish I did. What could be done to make that section of the river more pleasant? Gravel, sand, etc. And benches.	It may attract predatory behavior toward women.	A safe place to walk and all the people who are also walking.
Better organization of park overall	is unclear to me where current playgrounds will be located. Seems to waste a lot of previous improvements, start over, I don't believe drawing plans are to scale for central open pavilion area	Utilize existing improvements better rather than complete overhaul. Still needs more water views, possibility of water access for stand up paddle boards, kayaking, fishing area	What happens to Rappe playground? Parking near athletic fields will be insufficient	Overutilization! Too crowded	Variety of paths with different views for running, walking. Peaceful views. Easy access, easy parking when time limited. Recent landscape improvements are outstanding. Water views are improving
Better use of the land than the current use.	NA	Maybe an amphitheater for a few thousand to attend outdoor concerts	Please keep the great playgrounds.	Nothing.	The playgrounds and the trails
Better water access					
Blend of modern and timeless classic design features; open spaces separate from athletic fields	There's no riverside amenities detailed	a riverside area similar to Riverside Landing would be great	Overall costs	Accessibility (parking, entry access, etc)	Openness

Blending of natural and cultivated areas	I Question if there will be adequate parking for what I anticipate as a heavy level of use, especially for large scale public events. Would the addition of Single slot or small lot overflow parking areas be helpful along the northern perimeter of the park off Northshore and Lyons View? A long walk might be required to an area you are trying to access, but these additional spaces might prevent haphazard parking similar to what occurs around the campus at UT or Worlds Fair Park.			Adequate funding for maintenance and upkeep	The open space. The views. The peace and solitude found on cold winter days
Blending the past, current use and envisioning the future	Almost too much information to review. All excellent information though. Might be a barrier for some to complete the survey.	Not sure. Very thorough undertaking and shows understanding of the site's history and use over time.	I like that natural areas are being considered along the river and up at the proposed Lyons Family site. Natural areas, including meadows, offer a vital balance to soften the planned recreational elements. Are there smaller pocket areas that could be designed to be more wild?	The new improvements are very high quality. Hope these can be maintained and not abused by park visitors. I don't see park staff and sometimes wonder how (if any) any bad behavior is observed/enforced.	Convenient, accessible, has a sense of history, is expansive, appeals to many people, a natural splendor, and looks set to get only better.
Bringing in the history of the space, and taking advantage of the beautiful views. The Park offers something for every age. It seems that attempts will also be made to pay attention to the Native American and African American relationships to the land itself which I support. A place where I might attend a soccer or baseball game where friends' grandchildren play, a wedding, a concert, an exercise class, learn more about local gardening, study diversity of trees, flowers, and grasses, and just take a walk...all in one morning or afternoon. Wonderful!	While a mental health component is mentioned in the excellent overview provided by Mr. Holtz, and Mental Health is pointed to as something that will be part of the Civic Zone (and I think the Cultural Zone) section, the words "mental health" do not appear (that I saw) on the master plans though we do see physical health, civic, cultural, ecological, etc. The history of the spot as a mental institution is mentioned, and the Underhill building for black patients is as well, but "mental health" is not mentioned in print or, for that matter, in the inviting descriptions of Lakeshore Park. I realize that it is difficult -- perhaps impossible and perhaps this is the reason for the term's "disappearance" from the plan -- to set aside areas for mental health or to mention it, although there are hints that this setting aside and intent for spiritual health will be made. Spiritual and mental health are perhaps unusual aspects for a park, but nonetheless logical and fitting, and I would encourage that sight not be lost of the aspect of mental health which can also be supported and moved towards wellness by such natural beauty as is possible here already, and even more so in the future. So I encourage remembering that aspect of the land's heritage, somehow and making a space for it within the final plan. A fountain of remembrance to those lost to mental illness isn't recommended as something to consider, but perhaps the landscape architects and board can design an idea which will include this important facet of our lives and pay tribute to the past? Some who walk or run in the park will be ill themselves,	See above comments, #5. Another idea that might be useful would be to have a sample program for activities which might occur within the philosophical and geographical boundaries of Lakeshore Park as well, to give people a real view of what might occur there, during a 12 hour day? People cling to anecdotes, stories, a vision of the possible. Also, parking is mentioned, but one question that I had was will there be enough parking for all the things which we hope will occur and does that cause harm to the natural beauty? My assumption is that these concerns are taken into consideration in the new plan, but perhaps somewhere that should be said.	It's going to be a gem of a place. It is already gorgeous, and the plans will make it even more so. Thank you, all of you who have worked on this plan, for your hard work. Knoxvillians now and in the future will make splendid memories there. I've already made one, on the Overlook and Esplanade. A picnic with friends turned into a nearly three hour conversation, while we enjoyed the beautiful space. If events will be held there, I wonder if kitchen facilities sufficient for caterers will also be part of the plan, and if alcoholic beverages will be available.	I wish you well! And the plans well! As mentioned above, I do hope that the body of people who suffer from some form of mental health illness might see themselves recognized and/or remembered there, though I also understand that it is still, in this time, a topic that is somewhat awkward and even unusual to broach. Stigma might exist even in a beautiful park, and it would be a challenge to bring it in in a natural and welcoming way. But, again, I would encourage further consideration of it. It felt odd to me to hear the history of the hospital, and the importance of mental health, and then the words and the references disappeared.	It's a wonderful place to meet friends and for a variety of activities, or to walk alone. I've also enjoyed playing on the playground with young folks. The beauty of the place is miraculous. Also, due to Covid, I attend a twice weekly exercise class in Marble Hall which I very much appreciate being able to do. Three times a week I attend a Zoom exercise class, but seeing the trees, the grounds, the river, the sky...well it's just a more exceptional time! Thank you for the possibility, and once we all survive this mess, I would love to continue classes there.
Central Civic Spine; concentration of athletic into the western sphere; amphitheatre in the woodlands section	Lack of a well-defined loop greenway (for running or walking) around the full perimeter of the park. Too many inter-connecting sidewalks seems to create dizzying effect	Provide classic, accent lighting on the main loop walking trail to give it even more character; Connect the greenways at Lakeshore to the City's greenway network.	Is there anyway to connect the memorials to the Mental Health institute (on the western slopes) to the Eastern State Cemetery section that lies to the north of Lyons View Rd in a relatively neglected graveyard...perhaps build a memorial gravestone in that cemetery to honor all of those poor souls who died (and were buried) in such an anonymous sort of way. Promote and educate about the different types of trees in the park (which would complement some of the Tree Canopy events that have taken place in this part). Provide a walkable path wherein folks can visit and learn about the different types of trees (utilizing an interactive map that can be used to identify the trees based upon your phone's GPS location).	Afraid that it might become too congested	The many Trees. The views. The character of the restored chapel building and the parks admin building
Centralization of each element of the public participation activity. Isolation of the elements to specific areas.	Access/egress unclear. Strong concern about the visual insult of athletic field lighting. No cost programming of each element. The oval and circular configurations look too much like the old "trickle bed" methods of waste water processing. No clear understanding of how to mask the KUB waste water property.	See #5. Where is the Dog Park?	Good first effort. Seems to be a long-term strategy, which is good and not driven by existing use, but that involves \$\$\$\$\$\$\$ to realize with no clear understanding of how to get there.	Political interference. Fiscal interference.	Open space. Trails. Contact with nature. Multi-use.

			Overlook Plaza interactive cell phone GPS Learning Experience From a center-point (facing the mountains) of the existing overlook plaza (Latitude 35.921761, Longitude - 83.990697), visitors are invited to use their cell phones to locate the two highest points in Great Smoky Mountains National Park that are visible from the overlook plaza. *Clingmans Dome: 130 degrees SE; Latitude 13035.57068, Longitude - 83.501703; height 6,643 feet; approximate distance 37.7 air miles. *Mount LeConte: 119 degrees SE; Latitude 35.665570, Longitude - 83.433035; height 6,593 feet; approximate distance 36.1 air miles. (*All measurements provided are approximate and may need verification.) Court of Flags @ Hillside Stair In reference to response under question #5 related to Knoxville's legacy as host of the 1982 World's Fair ...perhaps a Court of Flags (nations participating in the world's fair) type tribute featuring flags along the Hillside Stair (Lyons View Pike side of park) part of Master Plan could be considered. Meditation & Reflection Pad/Area Proceeding further upward past the Communal Fire Pit (Lyons View Pike side of park) and to the highest points on the left and right sides of the administration building...perhaps consideration could be given to Meditation & Reflection (pads/areas). Benches already exist on high point to the right of the administration building. Labyrinth Tree Site Lakeshore Park is blessed with an abundance of large trees. Perhaps consideration could be given to Labyrinth Tree Site (Lyons View Pike side of Park) - an interactive spiritual development and		
Civic Zone (Cultural Health); Circulation (Potential for Narrative Interpretations); and Loop Trail	Perhaps not a dislike but an observation/concern. Master plan appears to limit narratives and initiatives to the legacy of Lakeshore Park site. Perhaps consideration could be given to a broader (national and international) legacy that pays tribute to the facts that the city of Knoxville served as host to 1982 World's Fair and is a participant in the Welcoming America Network <a href="https://www.welcomingamerica.org/programs/our-network">https://www.welcomingamerica.org/programs/our-network</a>	See response to questions # 5, #7, #11 & #32.		That Lakeshore Park would cease to maintain its commitment as expressed in the narrative of Master Plan "...to create a wholistic model of well-being by providing access to activities that foster physical and mental health and connecting visitors to healthy ecological and social communities."	That Lakeshore Park is visitor & user friendly. That it is located near I-75 & I-40 and has the potential to become a Destination Rest Stop attraction for regional, national and international travelers passing through our city. It is reasonable to assume that a portion of 12.5 million persons who visited nearby Great Smoky National Park in 2019 passed through our city.
clean lines	nothing		water area for kids, baby swings		great place to gather
Community garden/urban farm	Lack of splash area for children	Add water feature, splash area for children		No concerns	Play areas
Connectivity	Why all the ovals?	Need direct access to water. Needs sand volleyball courts	Security lighting?	Needs to connect to the river. needs bike lanes	walking trails
Conservation	Needs more to do. Maybe basketball/volleyball	Add activities-basketball/volleyball			
Conservation meadows and other areas, walking trails	Ball fields serve a small number of people and are not natural and pretty, and take up too much land. Amphitheaters are rarely used, take up natural land, and cost money. Would like to see both omitted.	A dog park would be nice.	Please protect and keep every old, large, majestic tree. Preserve open green space: no more structures! Stop spraying of insecticides and herbicides to protect bees and pollinators. Emphasis on conservation and natural areas.	Too many structures and athletic fields are there already. Protect the open green space and natural beauty of the park.	Green spaces, large old trees, walking trails.
Conservatory and auditorium areas	The disruption of the walking trail along Northshore. In addition, I do not feel there needs to be a gym/athletic room at the park.	Eliminate the gym/athletic room. Potentially additional bathrooms. Small walking bridge over Northshore entrance so that trail stays complete.		Drawing too many people.	The history. Lighted walking path.
continued improvement!		Please include lights for sports fields (especially soccer) and a kayak/ paddle board launch area			
Continuing to update and improve the area.	More shaded parking close to the river. It would be nice to sit in the car and watch the river go by while eating lunch.	More shaded parking.			Walking trails
Cooperation			Maintenance	Crowds	Walking, views
Creates a beautiful park for the community and also provides the athletic fields my children enjoy playing their soccer on.	N/A	Add lights to the athletic fields	n/a	no concerns if these plans go through	so many people enjoy it
Cultural zone	No health club, as in original master plan	Overall I think it's fantastic	N/a	Smell/ from sewage treatment plant	Walking trails
Delighted the plan includes outdoor exercise equipment. The best part of the design is the amphitheater additions.	Nothing.	Terrific as it is.	Parking.	That funding be continued.	Trails
Deployment of ecological diversity and its integration to the more active/programmed areas.	Lack of consideration for enhancing and/or revealing the parks unique relationship to the Tennessee River. There is a substantial opportunity for activating the rivers edge and riparian zones.	Utilize existing passive zones to activate more of the rivers edge by making it more accessible to the public - riparian zones can still be maintained by creating a more synthetic relationship between person - park - river.	Establishment of strategic maintenance regimes prior to implementing the more care intensive zones of the park. Rethink circulation with regards to how users enter Lakeshore and will be encouraged to move throughout and the implications on less active areas of the park.	Thinking about the growth of the city and increased use of the park, I am concerned about a lack of designed degradation within the more infrastructural elements of the park - whether that be built or the structure of proposed ecoregions. Also, with a guaranteed increase in demand for park events (public or private), are there certain areas being strategically designed for this increase of for future reuse?	Accessibility, the diversity of people, activities, and their relationship to one another. The vistas and amplification of natural beauty.
Development of woodland trails in northeast corner of park. Overlook and esplanade. Heiskell building memorial.					Availability of walking trails and vistas - a wonderful natural area - in near-west Knoxville.
Different kinds of experiences. Natural areas, theaters, trails, sporting events, playgrounds, etc.	Wish there was more waterfront opportunities. Kayaking, picnicking by the water, etc.	I would love free electric vehicle charging throughout the park. I drive an electric car, and would love to park and enjoy the park while it charges. I know companies like Blink, ChargePoint, EV Go, and Electrify America have charging stations already in Knoxville.	Those are my two suggestions: more waterfront activities, and free electric vehicle charging stations.	None. I'm excited.	Wide open—can handle lots of people, but it never feels crowded

Different uses for different interests.	Amazing amount of waterfront and what use is made of it? None! Also, there is no offerings to encourage use for just enjoying the scenery.	How about 3 or 4 boathouses for rowing, outriggering, paddling, etc.? Perhaps each boathouse can be supported by 2 or 3 schools each and perhaps one for adults? Not taking full advantage of the waterfront would be a real shame. Having a row of boathouses like those in Cambridge on the Charles River would make for a spectacular attraction that would encourage many watersports. And at the house at the top of the hill, how about offering a venue for an upscale dining facility like one like Tavern on the Green in New York City or "Seasons in the Park" in Vancouver, British Columbia? What a great place for a destination dining venue.	Would love to see a third lane / turn lane installed at the Northshore Drive entrance. It would greatly improve ingress / egress and safety.		Reasonably simple plan without too much junk. Making the natural beauty stand out.
Dirtbike trails	None	Moore pull up bars and bathrooms on the west side of the property. More dirt bike trails	None		
diverse areas					walking trails
Diversity of outdoor opportunities with in one beautiful location.	The original plan included locating a kayak and canoe launch with the related drive up access which has not evolved to date, and is not included in this update.	Put kayak and canoe launch facilities in the new plan update.	Timelines?	Timelines?	Walking trail system and adequate parking.
Division of spaces, more natural areas, community garden, "bowl" area where events could take place	Still disappointed that there are no walkways along the river, or access to enter the river for non-motorized watersports like kayaking and paddle boarding.	By allowing access to the river for non motorized watersports, or at least walkways alongside the water.	Parking will likely be more difficult with so many great spaces. That will be key. Consideration may need to be given to a flashing traffic light at one of the entrances.	Being under construction for an extended period of time, so we can't enjoy it now.	Beautiful views of the river & mountains, along with plenty of trails. It's our favorite place to walk.
Ecological sites	Too strctured	Expand forested area	In general very good	Vandalism, safety. Consider installing cameras.	Vistas. Children areas.
Emphasis on garden and ecological areas and especially the mound concept.	Perhaps overdevelopment including several buildings and facilities in a relatively sized area which could lead to landscape clutter.	Although the Plan contemplates river vistas, which are spectacular, there is virtually no direct river access to the Tennessee River or even a trail that would go out to the river bank. I would like to see river access addressed in the Plan. Also, many pet people use the Park and it would be nice to see an area dedicated to pet use.	It would be nice to see the heritage of the Cherokee Nation addressed more fully in the Plan.	Overdevelopment.	The lovely walkways and trails.
Enhanced gardens and views. Consideration of history and natural topography.	none	Prohibit drones.	Add shady resting and picnic areas. Knoxville is extremely hot and humid in the summer.	Noise and dog poop.	Walks and mountain views.
Every thing except needs river access for kayaking. Our groups are seeing that as only setback.	No river access for kayaking. This is vital for the future growth of our outdoor groups.	Please take input from kayaking clubs of Knoxville. We have to have river access or we will take all our members to other sites.	I love this design and it can go to next level with changes to access.	The leaders not listening to the input from these surveys.	I love the cross country races that we ran at this location. The open feeling.
Everything	Nothing	It could use an ice cream stand			The running/walking trails
Everything is spread out...lots of green space.	N/A	More picnic pavilions and a splash pad for children would be nice.	Will traffic lanes on Northshore and Lyons View be evaluated to make sure they are sufficient for the increase of cars?	Continuity of concern for the environmental regards of the park (i.e. littering, recycling available, etc.)	Convenience and versatility. Unique history.
Expanded gathering places, and attractive landscaping. The programming based on area themes is fairly thoughtful and will expand the average Knoxvilleian's education about the park area. The best design feature is the berm that obstructs the view of the sewage plant. Do you have a plan to disguise the fragrant hints of what lies beyond the berm (i.e. the odor of sewage)?	There did not seem to be any discussion of accessibility (ADA). Is this a place where one could bring the elderly or disabled and find meaningful experiences for them? If so, it is an unfortunate omission in this plan. The historic interpretation areas are interesting, but all I can think about is the sad irony that patients who once enjoyed Lakeshore's grounds may now be looking at the underside of the I-40 I-75 interchange as they no longer enjoy the shelter of the former facility. Additionally, I feel like the amenities of the walking and running path are not improved or extended.	The largest and historically, long-term, group of Lakeshore Park users right now is runners and walkers. The plan needs more detail concerning the improved amenities for those users. The trails are busy and congested- how will this plan improve them? Is this group even considered in this plan, or is this intended to be a shift away from such use of the park? There seems to be emphasis on events that is not fully fleshed out.	The University of Tennessee has a fine Landscape Architecture program; why were they not apparently involved in this project? They can visit the park and do programming on a regular basis. There seems to be zero local design firm input and this lack of consideration just stunts Knoxville's growth. Buy Local.	That it turns into a "rich folks party barn." Don't squander the history and recent legacy of the park as being an open, available space across all class, race and ethnic boundaries and age groups and one of the best walking and jogging areas in Knoxville.	The walking/running trail.
Expanding the walking trails	Too much space devoted to athletic fields	It looks good	More yet smaller parking lots spread throughout the park	I hope people will respect it. Too many dogs.	The natural beauty.
Expansion but would like to see more river / kayak river access.	Looks good just more river access	Kayak ramps of sand to access river for paddlers	Same as already mentioned	Parking	Location

	Not enough parking in the baseball complex as proposed. Poor management of parking and attending fan crowds at proposed baseball complex due to layout of field with all home plates in such close proximity. With all fans sitting or observing around the four respective home plates and each home plate area backing up to the other three home plates in such a small area it will be impassable for pedestrians or observers. Design the area so there is ample parking as the soccer parking is too far from the baseball fields to be useful in my view. Spread the crowds out by redesigning the home plate locations. While the "gardening" history is interesting I think it is not likely the public will come to the Lakeshore area for gardening instruction. Look how little attendance there is at the UT botanical gardens for wildflower cultivation. The demand for "back yard" gardening instruction is not there and not likely to be increasing as most neighborhoods and housing in KNX is not garden friendly in terms of lot space or use or sunlight.			I think the contemplative area proposed between the admin building and the noisy and traffic busy intersection of Northshore, Lyons View and Westland is not appropriate due to the distractions of the roads and traffic. The Woodland area is more appropriate. Security improvements to have video surveillance of all areas at all times.	Potentially Building a park that will to have the continuous funding for the next hundred years to maintain it.	Walking trails, athletic fields, The Reppe playground. Views in the evening from the new HGTV area looking to the Smokies.
Expansion of parking.		Build three times the parking you currently have in the plan, and place the parking in central locations to the most widely used attractions: walking trails, athletic games,				
expansion of recreational uses... would like to see Pickleball courts added	looks great but would like to see pickleball courts added	Add pickle ball courts			ensuring that it is well-maintained and safe for use	trails and treess
Expansion which will allow more individuals to access the park for almost any activity or interest. Puts Knoxville on the "GREEN" screen in a big way!	Limit drones & other privacy-invasive tech	See #5	N/A		Next generation will not be as supportive & appreciative	It's a conservancy.....indirectly under the city's purview
Extensive walking trails	Lack of water access for paddling sports.	Add water access for paddling sports.	Very pleased to see the Challenger field.		Water access and maintenance of vegetable garden area.	Views
Facilitating paddle sport activities.						
Firepit, pergola, garden	The placement of the baseball fields. I enjoy the privacy of that corner field as it is and spend a lot of time hammocking in the trees that are shapes in a circle over there near fourth creek water access	More water views... take out a few trees.	More than one firepit		It becoming too busy for relaxation	There are a lot of spaces to share but also fields where you can be alone
Floral gardens	No inclusion for families. No splash pad, no dog park, no water activities. This part of town does not have any of this to attract families. We must travel out of our way to enjoy these amenities. Not right!	Please add dog park, splash pad and water activities for families who live in the area to enjoy. We're already there for ball fields and then have to drive several miles to enjoy other amenities That Rocky Hill/Bearden are lacking.	I'm concerned that spending so much money on eco friendly park and it's a total waste. A meadow? Really? An amphitheater? Way to loud and possibly drawing in a party crowd when families want to enjoy a quite day in the park.		That it's heading in the wrong direction and not what the people want in this area. Other parts of town have their park now we would like to have one with amenities we can enjoy.	I like the walking/running trails. I love the overlook with the incredible view. I love the hills, the playground, and the ball parks.
Focus on viewpoints and natural elements, tree canopy and gardens along with offering many walkable areas along with the three mile greenway.	No non- motorized water access for kayaks and paddle boards. The park is completely on the river and should have access to water for these popular activities	Make sure the playground areas are large enough to accommodate large numbers of and various ages of kids	Please do not over-develop - we all need open natural spaces for walking, running, bird watching, sitting to contemplate, etc.		Turning it into a parking lot since no one can there safely except in a car- more and more traffic congestion	The views of the lake and mountains while walking the greenway. Would love to launch my kayak from the park to explore this area of the river.
Full use of the space with beautification where desperately needed.	Parking! It is no where close to enough spaces. Not even close! And it is so incredibly sad to see the Hank Rappe playground gone.	Each baseball team has 12 players. There's 8 teams playing at once, with parents, and grandparents' cars present for each player. Then the next game's players all arrive BEFORE the first games are over. You need over 200 spaces just for baseball, and there is frequently soccer happening at the same time. Parents get yelled at for parking where you don't want them to, but there's not enough room. This has to be fixed. It's been a mess for too long.	The walking trails are the most-used aspect of the park right now. A full-length perimeter trail is the best option, not a bunch of short circular trails.		Maintenance of the new areas.	Beauty, accessibility, walking trail, sports fields
Garden	I don't really dislike anything about the updated plan.	Maybe more garden and natural spaces.	Possibly a clearer view of the river where the walking trails are close to the river bank.		I don't want to see the athletic fields dominate the park. There's other athletic fields in the community that I want to see fully utilized, and not be concentrated to Lakeshore Park.	The walking trails and green space.
Garden area and the idea people will teach backyard gardening. A little concerned of how that will come together and not just be a loft idea.	The lack of diversity in sports. Knoxville has lots of baseball and soccer fields but we could really use a new skateboard/roller skate park. the removal of water access for kayaks is also disappointing considering how close it is to water, it seems like a no brainer.	Add a skatepark - Tyson skatepark is the only one in town and is in need of repair. Think of how many baseball and soccer fields are here between schools, other parks, gyms, rec centers, etc. There are plenty of places for little league sports and not very many other diverse sports - skateboarding, roller skating, roller blading, scooters, action sports. also add the water access back.	Think of some areas of interest that are not served by so many other parks and areas of the community.		the new baseball and soccer fields are going to cause the old ones to go into disarray and repeat this pattern of abandoning the old for the new. several other fields are already ignored in the same zipcode.	its clean and feels open. you don't feel crowded there.
Garden spaces	No plans for river access for kayaking, canoe etc.	Add river access for kayaks and canoes				
Garden varieties	Moving earth around to suit a specific plan.	?	More info on the native people of the area and tribute to the african amer. That were involved in building mr Lyons home.		So sad that mental health facilities are gone	The views
gardens and gathering spaces	none	smooth paving of walking trails	none			nicely kept grounds
Gardens and relocation of ball fields						Very accessible

Gardens, orchard	The plan fails to respect the land, the open space is chopped up into too many artificial oval areas, too many uses in one unique park, the huge large trees along the main road and in other areas should be protected and incorporated into the design, (I suggest that you place a sign by any large trees that would be destroyed in this plan so people can see what is planned), too much land is devoted to sports when the city has no open park space, many of the "trees" are simply lines of trees along parking lots or sports areas, not wooded areas. I would rather see broad, open spaces, some with fields of flowers, grasses in the manner of Piet Oudolf.	Improve the plan with less space for sports and events that can held in other places, and increase the space for natural areas. The design should incorporate and emphasize all of the magnificent large trees, which should not be cut down, include large groups of trees and plants, fields of sunflowers or native wild flowers. The park should be peaceful, a haven in a busy world, a place of reflection. Now with a sick world, we need this unique park more than ever. Include picnic tables, some with covers from sun or rain.		That the big trees will be cut down.	The city and county have very few parks. Lakeshore Park is unique for its size, central location, views of the lake and mountains, lake access for canoes and kayaks, the long walking trail, the newly development areas around the playground have incorporated the big trees and the flowers and plants used in the landscaping are attractive and interesting, the raised walkway section along a section of lake, open spaces, huge trees along the main road and other areas, the circle of pine trees, ...
Gathering spaces	Concerned about the sports fields area being completely overrun by people and cars. Also did not mention the trails for walking much. I think sports and exercise are what our community uses this park for most and don't want to minimize these parts for gathering spaces!	Better parking and drive ways for the sports complex area	Love the greenery and plant life throughout	Northshore traffic getting into and out of the park especially with increased traffic as the new layout and facilities will bring	Walking trails!
Generally, I like the updates. I don't think it takes advantage of the Possible water opportunities.	I have a kayak and live less than a mile from the park. I don't see adequate access to the water, in the updated plan.	I liked the original	A biking path would be good. With that many acres, it should be doable. For older folks who don't feel safe biking on our roads and many of our parks, a short (4-5 mile) path would be ideal	That it stay accessible and appropriate for all ages	Walking path, the open pavilion, and playgrounds
Getting public input	Almost everything. Moving dirt.	Keep athletic fields as is. Add water access. Remove non-native species of plants.	Plant more native species of trees and flowers. Acknowledge history of the property openly.	Too much development.	Natural beauty of land and views. Preservation of ESH/LMHI administration bldg.
Good use of space.	Traffic getting into Northshore and Lyons view really tough, need additional planning for ingress and egress to the park.	Traffic study	It's not truly inclusive. Many Knoxville residents do not play spring sports within the KYS system, most notably baseball. KYS has historically not allowed outside baseball tournaments within the complex, this needs to change.	Access	It's better than it used to be.
Good use of the land	No river access for paddlers....need parking and a launching area by the river. No long distance to carry a katak.	See 5		0 Parking	Quiet areas
Good use of the land Gardens				Maintaining the beauty of the park and public access	Rey beautiful, public access
gosh everything, i walk here five days a week, can't wait to see the flowers and the mental reflection area	I don't have anything negative to add	n/a	n/a	n/a	Just the ability to be out in nature and the views are breathtaking
Great use of the space with lots of different individual spaces for a wide variety of things to do. A tremendous park!	Not really anything I don't like. I'm wondering if parking will be tight, though I'm not in favor of lots of asphalt.	A mountain bike trail, maybe with a skills section, would be great!	Keep it up!	Only that the master plan will stall out.	Nice large park that has something for everyone.
Green spaces and walking paths.	Sports fields	Boat docks	None really.	Financial support for maintenance upon completion.	Walking trails
Greenway, access to the lake, trees Plantings near the Admin building and near playground Native trees along Greenway below soccer fields	Not enough native plantings Too much lawn; not enough trees No new soccer fields	Fund native plant project in marshy area Add more Greenway	Encourage wildlife--possibly with nest boxes, more forest Remove invasive alien plants		Wonderful place to walk, meet friends, watch aquatic wildlife
Having a natural area	No dog park	Add a dog park	Add a dog park	Too many people/kids making it not as peaceful	Not too crowded
Hilltop paths and overlook	I do not understand the logic behind the demolition of the middle school baseball fields just to install a sculptural mound.	If the usage of the middle school fields has dropped, why not convert that area to a multipurpose field for flag football or additional soccer practice space.	When installing the hilltop paths and overlook, the scenic view over the existing little league fields must be preserved and could even be improved.	I am concerned about the net loss of athletic fields. I am concerned that the poor drainage at the soccer fields will get worse upon installation of additional parking. I am concerned about the possibility of increased traffic at the Lyons View entrance.	I like the walking/running paths the most
Historical and mental health tie ins	Nothing	Dunno	None	Corona virus	Close to my house
How it embraces the history of the site and honors each phase of the history.	I wish it were better connected to walking trails and greenways around the city so that people would not have to drive there.	I hope a good number of people will respond to the survey. I am not sure that most people realize how the park came to be over the last 30 years.	I don't have any.	Community support to keep it well maintained.	I think it is almost a miracle that it exists. With each addition it becomes more remarkable. I like that it seems to be becoming a gathering place for families and friends.
How there will be something for everyone. Families with kids, athletic fields, gardens...	I would love to see a swimming facility added and a way to make more use of our access to water. Kayaks?		Lighting for all athletic fields.		My family uses the park frequently for walks and soccer. It's close to our home and has a lot to offer.

I am the most pleased about the enhanced and the new horticulture and ecological offerings.	Lakeshore Park is blessed with some incredible specimens of trees throughout the property (including, I believe, some champion trees). If I read the plan correctly, the design calls for the removal of some really impressive and irreplaceable (in our lifetime anyway) specimens. I don't feel that the landscape architect appreciated the importance of these trees and failed to preserve individuals that should be celebrated. I base this not only on studying the design and observing expanses of grass where there are currently stately trees, but also on the speaker in the video's mention of a small section in the civic center of the plan being set aside as an "arboretum". The whole property would qualify as an arboretum, and it would be a very impressive one! I feel that an important element to the site is being sacrificed to create a design with elements and concepts that are beautiful from an aerial view but will mean less from the visitor's perspective.	Reach out to Knoxville's Urban Forestry division ( <a href="https://knoxville.gov/government/city_departments_offices/public_service/urban_forestry">https://knoxville.gov/government/city_departments_offices/public_service/urban_forestry</a> ), UT's Urban Forestry program ( <a href="https://fwf.tennessee.edu/extension-urban-forestry/">https://fwf.tennessee.edu/extension-urban-forestry/</a> ), the TN Urban Forestry Council ( <a href="https://www.tufc.com/">https://www.tufc.com/</a> ), and Trees Knoxville ( <a href="http://www.treesknoxville.org/">http://www.treesknoxville.org/</a> ) for guidance on tree preservation measures in the new Master Plan.			The impressive trees, the expansive views, and the winding trails.
I did not like the Master Plan. Lakeshore is nice enough as it is and any additional funds should be allocated elsewhere	See previous comment	Coordinate with communities with less resources and pour your resources into park development there	N/a	Concerns already stated	I love the park as it is!
I disagree with the vision of the park primarily as a place for gatherings for public events. The current design is preferred.	The plan ignores the mature trees in the park which is its best feature. The city did a good job of saving these trees in its initial work. They should not be ignored in a redesign.	All mature trees should be first identified on the map and any changes should not affect them. The vision should not be public events but the park should be a place for families and individuals to enjoy.	My main issues are already stated.	That it will no longer be a place for individual and family use.	The walks and wandering available.
I don't like that it uses white washed history to justify the "projects on the land". What black Tennessean is going to want to sit and reflect on their loved ones being in a mental institution and using medicinal a Plants that native Americans used there? How does that honor them? I wish this money was being poured into our already existing botanical gardens in East Knox. The east Knox community could use some of these resources. That would actually honor black Tennesseans. Also I wish Lakeshore remained a place for people who need help with mental health issues. The opioid epidemic here is destroying lives. It would be nice to see our city investing in ending the opioid epidemic and helping addicts in tangible ways.		Spend less money in this and fix up the already existing parks in Knoxville. Also invest in Knox botanical gardens.	I honestly find it sickening. I wish this money was spent to help all of Knox and not just the elite west Knox area	Encouraging more inequality in Knoxville	
I don't like it. The park is absolutely beautiful as is. It's so open and spacious. Adding too much will over populate the area, taking away from the simple space.	See previous answer. This park is beautiful the way it is. It's open and calming. I would no longer come to the park if it becomes overpopulated.	Update minimal things. I love the way it is now. I would y change a thing.	Adding dog stations because people drop bags along the running areas. Everything else is PERFECT	Adding too many things. Over populating the area. Lakeshore park is such a beautiful secluded area that takes you away from the chaos of the every day. I don't want it to change.	The openness. You're not right on top of other people because there's plenty of space to enjoy. It's peaceful.
I generally like the park, but I don't think it makes the most use of the water.	There's no boathouse. Knoxville needs a boathouse that caters to jr. rowers. Tristar is in Maryville, UT boathouse doesn't allow Jr crew, and Oakridge is very far. We have so much water. It would be centrally located in Knoxville, and it should be considered.	Boathouse Also, I believe a middle school should have been considered.	Not really lakeshore, but accessibility would be nice. Bike lanes leading to the park would be awesome.	Nothing- baseball fields get crowded	The views- however, there are too many trees blocking the views - especially the views on the greenway. There's even a bench there and the view was gorgeous, but now there are evergreens blocking that section.
I have always, always said a great city needs a great iconic city park-- something i love about NYC, Chicago, Austin. Oddly, my husband and i were walking at Lakeshore recently and i was opining the need for beautiful gardens and an ampitheater for events. We moved back recently from Austin and i had not heard of tge naster plan. Bravo! Pleasdd visit Austin in March and attend tge kite fetival - one of mt favorite Zilker Park events. You have never seen such a colorful event. Also, Blues on thr Green is a popular summer music series thdd city provides free of charge that allows picnics and is a gorgeous summer fun. Visit that too! Of coursd KSO concerts would be so enjoyable! Again, bravo!					
I have no idea i haven't seen the plan yet.I do like walking there on my days off.	I have no idea	I don't know	no clue	I'm afraid it will shut down one day	I like walking on different trails
I hope for opportunities to learn and participate in gardening native plants in natural areas of the park and cultivated plants in those areas meant to commemorate farming.	I had thought there would be more opportunity to enjoy, study, and spend time in the riparian zone where the park articulates with the riverfront. The riverfront does not seem to be set off or highlighted as such.	More focus on riparian areas and their ecology.. More opportunities for volunteers to contribute interpretaive naturalist skills in the riparian and ecological areas as well as gardening skills in the cultivated areas.	A little worried about the big mound that is planned for the edge of the park. Am concerned that it will feel unnatural to the topography.	Inviting all of Knoxville's socio-economic and ethnic diversity to embrace the park as their own. Outreach to East Knoxville. Many outdoor education opportunities for students of schools in economically stressed areas of Knoxville.	Views over the river and riparian areas.

I hope to see a dog park! Shelby Farms in Memphis TN did a great job of incorporating a beautiful dog park area		I hope to see a dog park! Shelby Farms in Memphis TN did a great job of incorporating a beautiful dog park area			It's my favorite spot in Knoxville, so many activities and fun things to do!
I like for there to be another open air area to use	There's no water access. We need more places with access to the water for kayaks and swimming	WATER ACCESS!!!	Water access	There won't be water access	I love the location and the openness
I like how balanced the approach to evolving the space appears to be. With a focus on the ecological, civic, physical, and other elements, this plan appears to create a space with something for all people that will be an even more exceptional amenity for the community.	I don't have any clear dislikes about the plan. I'd be interested to see what is done with the space to reflect on the history of Knoxville's African American community.	I think any opportunity to integrate stormwater best management practices will go a long way in demonstrating how ecology and public use can work together. I believe these are already items being considered, but I would be proud to see demonstrations of permeable pavers / permeable glass parking surfaces, rain gardens, effective use of rainwater harvesting, etc. In addition, charging stations for electric vehicles with solar panels/elements would be welcomed.	See #6. Honestly, I think these improvements will enhance an already wonderful community amenity improving quality of life in the region.	Making sure the public spaces are cost-effective to non-profits and civic groups. Lakeshore already has rates based on these items, but I think it will be important to maintain these considerations to encourage civic use of these spaces, particularly when many civic organizations have very limited budgets for public spaces. The City of Knoxville's public works building has a community room that they rent out for free to the community. I suspect an amenity like this would get broad use if implemented during the building renovations.	The expansiveness of it. I think it is important to maintain a good balance of formal and informal spaces. This plan does a good job with this.
I like how each different feature of the park is broken out into its own personal section.			I would like to DEFINITELY see the addition of an enclosed dog park. I really think that would attract more people to the park - as nowadays people really love and care for dogs and it could be a great way for people to get together as a community! Somewhere fenced in and enclosed that dogs can freely and safely be off-leash.		I love all of the open spaces to freely hang out and relax. As well as all of the new walking trail options
I like how it is sectioned off with the athletic area located in one place.	I didn't see much for picnic areas down next to the water. It maybe that I just couldn't see it because the plan is so very large.	There are quite a few of us who work around this area. We like to come there on our lunch hour to eat by the water and get away from our office or frankly other people so we can just get some peace. Right now I like parking by the ball fields to eat lunch overlooking the water in the shade with the breeze off the water. I don't want to hike at lunch to have to do that, so easy access to continue to have a place for a peaceful lunch (not on the overlook) would be great.		Outgrowing the athletic area and traffic parking all over the place.	Spending my lunch break there in peace.
I like how you are changing the walking trails	No dog park	Add a dog park	Access to the water	Noise	Walking trails and the playground
I like that are plans for water access.				The upkeep of such a large park.	The walking trail, playground, outdoor space to picnic, baseball fields, and soccer fields.
I like that it is a comprehensive plan for the entire park			I am concerned about the existing play area that was recently built at the park (in the new village green area). The master plan appears to show this area remaining. I think this play area is critical to the park and I strongly recommend keeping it.		Multiple parking lots, easy of use, generally not crowded, play area geared towards younger kids
I like that it's being divided into distinct zones geared to the activity or use.	I didn't see anything about picnic pavilions, trail benches with shade, places for parents to sit while kids play. Maybe I missed those things in the details.	Maybe a dog park	While I like the idea of zones... I'm hoping that the park will still look "unstructured" and open	That it becomes too "busy" and crowded	The handicapped accessible playground and the trails.
I like that there is a plan rather than a add on at different times.	There is no plan for a dog park. Most everyone that walks the park has a dog. It would be wonderful to include a small portion for our four legged friends	I am assuming there is a plan for safety or accidents	I think a lot has gone into the plan and the public appreciates it very much. What a jewel for Knoxville.	How to maintain it to help it remain beautiful	It is for everyone.
I like the addition of more trails throughout the park	I was hoping there would be a dog park or more use of the river by having access for kayaks, paddle boarding, and other water sports.	I was hoping there would be a dog park or more use of the river by having access for kayaks, paddle boarding, and other water sports.	I was hoping there would be a dog park or more use of the river by having access for kayaks, paddle boarding, and other water sports.	I'm excited for the growth of the park!	I love how family friendly it is and the trails.
I like the addition of recreational spaces	N/A	I'm interested in the addition of fruit trees	N/A	I'm worried that the parking lots could be difficult to navigate	The walking trail
I like the diversity of the use of the land, great balance, lot of walking, addition of amphitheaters is great.	Not sure of the layout of the amphitheaters. Need to ensure crowd is above the stage. Think Red Rocks in Colorado where stage is below the crowd so everyone can see.		Make sure the amphitheaters are conducive to great viewing.	non	Beauty scenery mulit use
I like the gardens and amphitheater	Concern that these additions while are indeed improvements will drive lots of traffic along Northshore and Lyon's view in addition to crowing the park with presumably additional frequent events.	The original plan (I seem to remember) called for a PetSafe dog park. So many visitors utility the park for the walking trail not only for exercise, but also to walk and exercise our four legged friends. Saddened that this component has been left out (unless I somehow missed that aspect of the design). Especially given how much PetSafe has been involved in the local Knoxville community.	I really think traffic flow in and out of the park is a major concern that needs to be addressed	Commercialization - I feel like its only a matter of time before we somehow permit permanent retail or restaurant business.	The beauty, the exercise paths - my daughter would vote for the playgrounds though!!
I like the idea of the band shells and amphitheater for events	I cannot see the playgrounds- will these remain? We have small children who LOVE the large playground.	Would love the playgrounds to remain, and possibly see the addition of a splashpad.	See above.		The walking loop, the playground, the beautiful chapel, and the views!
I like the idea of the outdoor exercise equipment, but I can't locate it on the master plan					

I like the improvements and how they are designed for all types of situations and citizens.		I think an amphitheater would be great. Knoxville doesn't have many outdoor concert venues. Who doesn't enjoy music?	Dog park Speaker venue for education Improve and maintain the beautiful office building maybe be able to rent office space or meeting space Tennis courts Fundraisers picnics events held here	Money for maintenance Always parking Security	Views Walking trails Baseball park
I like the layout of the different sections.	I do not see a dog park embedded in the update.	Adding a dog park, updates for more water stations, and access to river views.	N/A	The smell of the wastewater plant and river access.	I like the different terrain and how you can do a variety of things at the park.
I like the natural component to the park's development. I wish there was more of that framework throughout the athletic component.	I am unsure about the mound towards the southern part of the park. Will it be similar to the one in Chattanooga? In ten to fifteen years will the mound be removed for more fields? I am also unsure about the leveling of the renovated park. As a person who uses the park for its running paths, I enjoy having to run up the hills parallel to Northshore Drive. Will these hills be leveled in order to fit baseball fields? Why not keep the fields where they exist currently?	One thing I think can be improved on is the trees that surround the park. Trees line the park's exterior and provide great shade. The new master plans feel as though the native trees will be compromised. Furthermore, why two amphitheatres? This question harks back to my prior questions asking why the baseball fields have to be moved to the other side of the park.	I like the historical and cultural empathise in planning, but it seems to not shine through. When I see the illustration of the Master Plan update, I truly only see grass and athletic fields. I think gardens need to be more abundant than what is previously planned. Have more areas throughout the park to cultivate native species in plants, flowers, and trees.	There will literally be too much flat grass space. Due to the changing of where the baseball fields reside, it flattens the majority of the park.	The variation of wooded areas and recreational areas (baseball and soccer fields).
I liked the emphasis on the past from the early days of the area, with information about the Native Americans, the African Americans, as well as the Lyon family background and the importance of the river, mountains, and park areas.	It seems that river access has been left out this time and I am not sure why. We have kayaks that we use on the TN River periodically and would love to have access to the river at Lakeshore Park.	Please include the river access that once was supposed to be there.	How will the sewage plant be disguised so that the smell is not so prominent?	I am concerned that money may not be available to do all aspects of the Master plan.	I love its location. It is very close to where I live and we use the walking trails, the seating areas, the playground, and visit the farmer's market there.
I liked the original plan better.	The elimination of athletic fields. Instead of just adding more facilities, it appears that the new plan is just to move them. Why is the city wanting to spend money destroying existing park features and simply moving them.	Focus more on what the most people are going to use. Not a few aesthetically pleasing items that most will not use.			
I love how it plans to display the beautiful variety of plant life native to East TN.	It looks like the playgrounds, which are cherished by the community, are being downsized significantly.	Create more area for children to play (such as more or larger playgrounds).	I love the idea of the garden, but I hope it's bounty would go to serve the community instead of just being a gardening lesson.	I'm afraid it's moving too far from it's roots as a place for children and becoming a beautiful place where you look but don't touch.	I love the playgrounds. I love the walking paths. I love that there are open places to wander and run without being told where you can wander and run.
I love that the park will be separated into three zones, and I think that these zones are appropriate for our community and will fit perfectly with the park. I also love that the park will be created with local materials and elements.	N/A	N/A	I would love to see a dedicated (possibly fenced) area for dogs to play. So many people bring their dogs with them to the park, including myself, and I believe this would really be useful. If possible, it would be great to give this area some shade as well, although I know that means it may not dry as well and result in muddy dogs after a span of rain. I'll leave that part up to you guys. I also would like to see basketball courts in the athletic zone. There are A LOT of kids in the area who love playing basketball, but there isn't a public basketball court anywhere near the area. I could be wrong, but I think this would be used way more than you realize.	I think eventually the sewage treatment plant needs to be moved. I'm sure that's a very expensive project that will take time, but I think that a plan to move this elsewhere needs to be created soon, even if it takes 10 years to complete.	Everything. Lakeshore is such a family friendly park, and I love knowing that I will see at least a few people that I know from the area every time I'm there. It really portrays the community of Knoxville.
I love the arrangement into zones and the increased emphasis a nature.	The lack of emphasis on the river as a recreational experience. I would love to see an accessible kayak launch.	Please add an ADA kayak launch.	I think the plan is incredibly thoughtful and beautiful. I really appreciated the view of history and the approach to the geologic formation of the land.	That it is not accessible for the poorest communities in Knoxville to enjoy and that you can not easily get kayaks and canoes in for water recreation in the warmer months.	The hills, trails, the boardwalk, the docks, and the overlook.
I love the better use of all the land! it seems like all the land that is less utilized it being utilized now.	i'm afraid theres not going to be enough room to play sports without it being overcrowded	Honestly i don't know that it can.	More water fountains around the park?	I'm afraid i won't be able to use it very much while all of the construction is going on.	I love that is is public and that it is completely free to use for recreation.
I love the broad reaching goals of the plan (physical, mental, spiritual). I would be super disappointed if sports fields were the main objective (although happy the facilities are there!). The land's beauty has such a powerful influence on the community. Acknowledging the history of the land being used for mental well being and continuing to honor that use is something I really appreciate. Keeping that goal in the forefront and discussed openly would help break down stigmas of mental illness. Fostering and enriching the ecological diversity is important and appreciated. Also mentioned in the master plan overview video is the history of the Cherokee people who first used the land. I would really appreciate a physical/educational way of acknowledging and honoring the Native people who first settled the land.	I really cant think of something I like least. I am super impressed with the thoughtfulness in design.	I had a thought about river access (explained in answer #10).	see number 10. I had a thought also, more a daydream.. Would it ever be a possibility to have an area that one night overnight stay (camping) would be allowed? It could even be a fundraiser of sorts.. although as a fundraiser, it may exclude members of the community, but I personally would find this a really fun way to make a contribution. I can expound if interested. my email is alexariley@me.com. I plan to reach out on the Conservancy website to express interest in volunteer work. I think this park is so special and I really appreciate the thoughtfulness going into the planning and the generosity of the donors! Thank you!!!!	I hope the funding to maintain the park will not be a problem. Is there any thought about a volunteer program to help? I would be interested in this.	The views, topography
I love the distinct areas	No water access. There needs to be water access for canoeing, paddle boarding, etc.	Add water access for more activities. Ensure enough parking. Parking seems limited.	Again I feel that it has to have water access... the only sports I see here are soccer, softball, and walking. Ensure adequate parking.	Parking seems inadequate and water access is a must.	Large and peaceful. Location is great.

I love the diversity of different spaces and paths for walking	I would want the least amount of disruption for people currently using the park	make sure it's sustainable and low maintance so it can be used by all people for long periods of time	I don't like how the sports fields can't be used unless you're part of a league. it should be open to all people of knoxville	making sure the sports fields are open to all people when not in use by a baseball/soccer league	the paths and views
I Love the gardens and some of the areas for reflection	There are no tennis and especially no Pickleball courts ... a huge growing area of play in the Knoxville area	Add at least an area for 4 to 6 Pickleball courts	I think it will be a beautifully done spot !	I love that it continues to grow and evolve... my concern is safety and that it does not become an area that homeless seek out and an Area of safety concern	The walking trails
i love the graceful curves of the revised plan. I do like the separation of the zones.	I wish there was a place for art installations through out the park, similar to rotating exhibits downtown.	the athletic (baseball fields) are much too crowded. it will be a logistical nightmare in the spring once baseball and soccer are both playing. the fields are too close together and there is not enough parking			
I love the idea of community gardens , extra walking paths and the overall feel of the mast plan	There is no river access. There is no dog park . Both of these things had been talked about for years and would add to the enjoyment of the park. Corporate sponsors could help fund these things. Pet Safe has built many dog parks around Knoxville . River Sports partners with the city/ county to operate kayak/ paddleboard rentals in the area.	Adding river access / kayak launch Adding a dog park		That is remains public land	The openness of the park . The views .
I love the Overlook that is already competed	I would love to see the soccer fields have lights installed.	I do not see any improvements that need to be made	None	That we lose our green space	I love the trails and the lake viewing areas
I love the separation of certain activities which allow people to use the park in a more harmonious way.	Nothing	N/A	I think parking and the availability of such should be taken into consideration.	How disruptive it will be to the park during construction.	I love how serene and centrally located it is.
I love this park and love its versatility to serve so many different people!					
I loved most about the master plan update the civic health section with the agricultural display gardens and central gardens and the infusion of local history with the community garden and orchard, as well as, the contemplative reflection area (though I believe there should be seating revised into this thoughtful space).	No part of the master plan or master plan update included man's best friend—who often accompanies many on their walks at this lovely park. Currently the park lacks enough garbage disposal areas for dog excrement along the walking trail so I would suggest adding more of these along the route. Moreover, I wish a feature for dogs was added to the master plan update such as an appropriate-sized (small to medium) gated dog park.	Please include more garbage disposal spots for dog excrement along the walking trails, and please consider adding a space designed specifically for dogs such as a small gated dog park.	It is a thoughtful plan with many wonderful ideas. I would absolutely love to the see the gardens evolve into a larger area than planned. I believe the arboretum, the community garden with many fruiting trees, and especially the flower garden + central garden should be expanded into grand focal spaces	The lack of play areas for dogs.	So much! I come to the park to walk, but my walks are made better by the docks/boardwalks, the new overlook, the children's main playground, and the area with the chapel and outside covered seating area.
I really enjoy the diversity of the experiences that currently already exist. This plan takes these to the next level by not only updating the existing but also providing new experiences.	The new plan and current park does not interact enough with the river. The River is an amazing asset and should be treated as such!	Inclusion of additional boardwalks, additional trash receptacles and dog waste stations and also basketball courts.	No other concerns.	Just making sure that it continues to be available to the public and remains an amazing asset for the community.	The accessibility and experiences
I really enjoy the history engrained in the park's new plan.	I wish there were more resources for non-organized sporting events. Such as pick up basketball, pickup soccer courts, etc.	I wish there were more resources for non-organized sporting events. Such as pick up basketball, pickup soccer courts, etc.	I wish there were more resources for non-organized sporting events. Such as pick up basketball, pickup soccer courts, etc.	Nothing, I look forward to seeing the progress.	Ability to play pick-up soccer.
I really like the idea of the natural area, specifically the amphitheater	I'm having trouble picturing the sculptural mound and it's significance	The plan could focus more on the natural area, particularly the shore, and provide lake access for kayakers and fishermen.	With the addition of multiple amphitheaters, this would make the park an excellent location for outdoor concerts and music festivals. I envision an event resembling Music Midtown in Atlanta's Piedmont Park or Forecastle in Louisville. Knoxville has a growing music scene, with events like Big Ears and Rhythm and Blooms thriving and being joined by proposed plans for festivals in Worlds Fair Park and Sutree Landing Park. I believe this would be an excellent use of the park and is worth looking into after the master plan has been implemented.	The potential that the beautiful lakeshore will remain inaccessible to kayakers, swimmers, and fishermen	The massive fields and beautiful views of the river and mountains
I think the deep understanding of all historic, ecological, and cultural components is conveyed through the design. I enjoy almost every part of this update and wish to see its completion	I have no complaints.	N/A	I would like to see more conceptual development on the Underhill Memorial.	I worry that the beauty of this design has the possibility to lack proper maintenance and upkeep. As long as it is maintained this is a perfect update.	The HGTV Overlook and the commanding views.
I think the Master Plan is OK but perhaps needs to be re-thought in regards to overall usage	I believe the options for utilizing some of the facilities are not good. Visiting the park on a regular basis, I note that shelters and tables are rarely used, most likely due to the extremely high prices for their use. I would use them for gatherings if the prices were reasonable.	see #5	See #5 - I believe the options for utilizing some of the facilities are not good. Visiting the park on a regular basis, I note that shelters and tables are rarely used, most likely due to the extremely high prices for their use. I would use them for gatherings if the prices were reasonable.	It would be good to have more drinking fountains and restrooms which are open on the weekends	Trails
i was really excited to hear about the chapel being converted to an event space! i think it's a beautiful location and a great opportunity for events of all kinds and for people to come together.	there wasn't anything that i disliked. i think this is a really great opportunity to bring more vibrancy to the park! there's a lot of space so it's an exciting prospect that there will be different areas for kayaking, the playground, the event space, etc. very happy with these ideas!	i don't have any thoughts on further improvement at this juncture. very happy with the playground, especially the inclusivity for children with disabilities, and the event space!	no further ideas or concerns!	i don't have any concerns. i think the park is in good hands and is going in a good direction	i love the portion of the park that was newly updated towards the higher elevation with the beautiful marble walls, the flowers, and the string lights!

I would like to be able to access the lake for kayaking.				I would like to access the lake with my kayak.	
I'm particularly pleased that the Master Plan proposes to recognize and highlight the original presence on this land by the indigenous Native American population. My hope is that there will eventually be some kind of recognition of the Trail of Tears and the removal of the Cherokee from this area.	Nothing strikes me as undesirable.	Nothing comes to mind.	In this moment in history, it seems particularly appropriate that the Master Plan would recognize in a positive manner Knoxville's previous affiliation with the Union, as well as the previous presence in Knoxville of a relatively large African American component of the general population.		
I'm most interested in the natural zone, but also appreciate efforts to make the park more event-friendly and to manage traffic flow	I'm not sure how useful seating along the sculptural mound will be. Odor has long been a concern for the soccer field area.	I would love to see better usage of the riverfront in the natural and parts of the civic zone—perhaps seating and a kayak launch similar to Sutree's Landing and the Cove.		Availability of parking	Recent efforts to make the park functional beyond athletics—playground area, overlook, etc
I'm unable to open the master plan. Though I'd like a dog park!	I'm unable to open the master plan. Though I'd like a dog park!	I'm unable to open the master plan. Though I'd like a dog park!	I'm unable to open the master plan. Though I'd like a dog park!	It would be cool to have an interior forest	The new trails
Idea of physical and mental health in an outdoor environment.	There don't appear to be many opportunities for outdoor family gatherings around dining; my concept of a park includes picnic tables, grills, horseshoe pits and basketball courts.	As above. Also I am strongly in favour of the plans for an arboretum and other educational/gardening experiences.	I continue to long for the YMCA that had been planned for the west side of the park.	Lack of funds. Access by the underprivileged. Ongoing maintenance. Like any organization, it's easier to raise funds for building but not so easy to raise funds for weeding.	Views if the river and mountains. History.
Inclusive nature of the plan. Nature is maintained.	Lack of winter sports- ice skating, sledding or other. Also, a kiddie play area that is designed for handicap access.	add winter sports and update playground	partner with adaptive sports groups	funding for maintaining such a nice place	location, beauty
Implementation of engaging and interactive parts in the now open fields	The specified memorial for African Americans in the mental hospital seems to fit with current cultural pressures, just for the sake of pleasing the current cultural moment. Instead, I'd like to see more of a historical remembrance of the hospital as an institution in Knoxville showing respect to all its patients.	Unsure	No comment	It will continue to be utilized as a recreation park because role will not be aware of the ecological, historical, and contemplative sites being placed.	It's safe, frequented, and inherently beautiful.
Improved access and parking. Green spaces usable for events.	Insufficient soccer fields. No provision for sand volleyball or other court sports.	Add a fourth soccer field and some sort of space for court sports. Sand Volleyball would work.		Tree canopy is aging and failing. The sewage treatment plant plays too big a role - better masking of it with landscaping would help.	The walking trails.
Improved paths, scenery	I couldn't pull everything up when I clicked. It may be because of adobe reader errors	It may be on there, but I would like to see a few grills and more pavilions to utilize in the newer parts of the parks. Also, smooth the pavement on exterior of tracks where tree roots have grown up.	I love this park and am excited to see more things being done in areas not currently being used. I would like the old bathroom by the softball field be redone to have air and a modern, cleaner vibe like the other new bathroom.	If there will be adequate parking.	The various ways to walk the entire park. I can choose other routes to get my miles each day than going in a circle. I love the hills!!
Improved vision & continuity of the layout.	Not enough parking!	Add parking and easier car access to the kayak take-out.	An additional restroom facility in the natural zone.	Not enough parking	The new path by 4th creek.
Improvements to the ball fields and additional garden spaces	It doesn't include areas for Senior activities.	An area for low impact activities. Bocce ball, shuffle board, pickle ball and croquet. This section would need to have benches, shade and be close to parking. Also access to launch a kayak. The terrace would make a great area for concerts somewhat like a smaller Red Rocks.	Consideration about upkeep up gardens. The Botanical Garden, UT Gardens and Racheff Garden also require a lot of volunteer hours to maintain gardens.	Overuse.	Walking trails, access to lake, views and structures.
Improvements to the trails	would like to see more native plantings and organic shaped flower beds	adding a restroom facility on the northern side of the park		funding for the improvements	the natural beauty and the stunning views
Incorporates existing structures. Gives a nod to the mental facility history	whole thing seems a bit contrived. Nothing wrong with less.	to me this park has always been about a vigorous walk but I'm getting older. Give me a long flat promenade with elm trees.	This isn't Central Park. I really like the idea of non-motor boating access. Please do not skimp on parking. Drop the amphitheater stuff. The world's fair site has that already and it is great.	That you will put too much stuff in there. Walking, boating, kids playing, nice bathrooms; that is wonderful and plenty.	One of the best walks in town. I also like that the park has several distinct areas.
Incorporates many natural elements that allow for ample passive recreational endeavors and contemplative, natural park experiences.	Softball fields.	Creation of a bicycle-specific pathway into the plan (perhaps at the outer perimeter of the park) in an effort to eventually tie-in to the Third Creek and Bearden Greenway systems.	Is there a way to include access to the river for kayaking?	Lack of funding to implement this plan and then if implemented to properly maintain it.	It is primarily a passive natural landscape in the image of Piedmont Park in ATL or Central Park in NYC.
Incorporating the history and legacy. The garden will be a great asset for our community to learn to become self-sufficient.	Athletics is only about soccer and baseball. It is a shame that cycling has not been included into this plan as Knoxville has become a great cycling city. With all this land, there was definitely enough room to include a vélodrome that inexperienced and experienced cyclist could have used to practice, learn and improve on their skills.	Include a velodrome.	Not everyone practice a team sports. Be more inclusive by incorporating cycling. Also it would be nice to see dedicated zen areas where people could practice open air yoga or tai chi or even be able to contemplate nature, meditate and be reflect. Finally, including music with an amphitheater would also be nice.	Not being inclusive enough	Plenty of green spaces and variety of terrain
Increased trails (more flats) beautiful landscapes	No water access	Water access			
Increased walking paths, utilizing unused space in the park	No kayak launch	It needs a kayak launch	None	None	Running path.
Investing in a place where a community can use the grounds for a shared benefit improves the our city and our relations with nature and each other	From what I had seen, it does not include plans for a dog park. I think this area would benefit from a nice/large dog park	Dog park!	Dog park!	That there isn't a dog park	The walking paths are great and the views are awesome

It appears that the flower garden area will be beautiful and enjoyable.	Were is the water access? Were is the dog park? Are they changing the walking/running trails? I looked for this and cannot find it in the undated master plan. If that's the case, I do not like this new plan.	Add the dog park and water access and maybe additional walking trails. An amphitheater for loud bands but nothing for the dogs and no access to the water? Very disappointing!	PLEASE add a dog park. We do not have one in the Bearden/Rocky Hill area and one is greatly needed. If it's still in the planning I apologize - I didn't see it. We would love water access. It makes sense. I have serious concerns about an amphitheater and the noise level with neighborhoods so close. The park will lose its peaceful setting. Who will be responsible and funding the major upkeep of the several proposed gardens? Why was an outsider allowed to make all these changes? We just want to enjoy the natural scenery and setting without the exorbitant changes.	Please do not let it lose the small town factor. I would hate for so many activities to create chaos and lose the serenity of the park.	I use Lakeshore Park several times a week. I love the incredible view as the sun rises and sets. I love the trees, the winding trails and the rolling hills. I love the peace of running or walking on those trails and looking at the water being surrounded by nature.
It appears the number of active athletic facilities has been reduced.	1. The circular geometry is way over determined & tedious. It does not reflect the natural land forms of this area. 2. I don't see any reasonable accommodation for access to river/lake. So we only get to look but not touch? 3. We already have a horticultural park, a very nice one. The flower gardens and agricultural gardens will be a maintenance nightmare.	1. Include some leisure activity areas for older adults; bocce, tai chi, pickle ball, shuffle board, etc... Put it close to parking. 2. Are there places to sit? 3. Would be nice to have some tables and benches for picnics 4. Need access to the river. This plan ignores the river except as a backdrop to the 'master plan.' Include some features that incorporate the river.	1. This does not appear to be a park designed to accommodate or encourage use by older people nor young children.	1. I think the target demographic is too narrow; Some active sports, walkers, gardeners. The children area is pitiful. There may not have been a 'target demographic' but it has turned out that way. 2. You are competing with the UT Trial Gardens, which is unfortunate. You might want to talk with them to gage interest and volunteer participation. I think volunteers is the only way the flower gardens & ag gardens can be maintained. 3. I think this is going to be a high maintenance park. Knoxville does not have a history to putting adequate resources into maintenance.	The expanse of lawns and the more or less natural flow of the roads and walking path
It attempts to address a wide variety of aspects of the park.	It makes no provision for improvement of the soccer fields, in particular, it lacks any description whatever of the soccer uses under the rubric "Athletics Complex." It lacks provision for the lighting of the soccer fields. I personally have observed that the baseball fields are lit at night when no games are being played and no use is being made of these fields. All the while the soccer fields have scores of players practicing in the gloom and parents have to turn on their headlights to afford some illumination. Moreover, the baseball practice and playing season is far shorter than the soccer playing and practice season. A headcount of the players and usage of the fields throughout the year will bear out this discrepancy and misappropriation of effort and expenditure.	It should appropriate expenditures, efforts and initiatives relative to the actual use of the facilities.	As stated above, provisions for lighting the soccer fields relative to their actual intensive use throughout the year should be made.	Failure to balance expenditures and initiatives relative to the use that the public makes of the facilities.	The lovely natural environment.
it does show a lot of what can be accomplished. I'm sure it will be beautiful once completed. Hopefully this would be just one area at a time	almost seems to massive. How much disruption would there be while this was being done....	I have no idea for this.	Cost? How big does it really need to be? Parking while the work is being done?	Cost for maintenance of the park	Love the openness and feeling that I get while walking. I did my psych rotation while at St Mary's nursing school in 1971 I hated psych, and the place scared me as a 20yr old child. I find it very peaceful today
It enlarges to scope of activities which will increase park users.	Golf. I'd love to see some golf.	none noted	very detailed and easy to follow	With larger numbers there may be a need for more visible law enforcement officers.	The increased distance of trails
It gives the public a place to exercise and venture out in a safe and beautiful (minus the water treatment facilities) environment.	Better use of the waterfront.	I don't believe swimming would necessarily be safe due to the water treatment facility but kayaks and other personal water craft would be nice.	N/a	Making the best use of funds available	The views and the walking path.
It has 3 distinct areas thoughtfully planned for the public to enjoy.	Need some emphasis on providing access for handicap people -- ramps, places to sit and rest, parking for handicap, distance between distinct areas.	See above.	What will disruptions be during construction?	Will the park be patrolled and cleaned after events? How will you ensure safety for visitors?	Its easy access from all over the city.

<p>It has a depth of research that is impressive. Wolz is a good spokesman for his company.</p>	<p>Several things. Most particularly the preservation of the horrible eyesore at the Northshore Drive entrance. See below.</p>	<p>1. There are two eyesores that need to be removed. The first is the garage and office bldg at the Northshore entrance to the park. Doing this will solve a serious present problem, by allowing the walking path to be moved a good distance from Northshore. At present, cars entering there are dangerous to the walkers. 2. The second eyesore is the residence (?) with a festoon of bicycles in a rack, a lame basketball goal, and an ugly parking lot. This ugliness is right next to the soccer fields. 3. There needs to be water access to the main channel of the river for kayaks and canoes. Those users will also need a parking lot, so that they need not hand carry their boats a great distance. The access cannot be on the Fourth Creek embayment, which at times of the year is almost dry. 4. I see nothing in the master plan about preserving a farmers' market. 5. The most popular use of the park is walking/running on the paths. It takes place 12 months of the year. Many users walk their dogs this way. There should be a maximum-length peripheral path on the outside of the entire park. We do not have that now. 6. The park benches should be power-washed at least every 2 weeks. Some of them are disgusting. 7. It would be good to have identifying signage for some of the plantings on the walking paths. 8. The giving out of poop bags is fine. But then many people just drop the filled bags on the ground expect the tooth fairy to take them away. There should be instruction to use the poop bags and then put them into trash cans. Users should be told that there are four trashcan</p>	<p>None.</p>	<p>I think it is in good hands.</p>	<p>The peripheral walking path.</p>
<p>It is a beautiful park for all ages to enjoy.</p>	<p>No comment</p>	<p>The fourth creek dock could be built to offer access to those wishing to launch a scull. None of the other areas of public access to the lake have such a dock. It is simply lower to the water, and can be used by both paddle boards and kayaks.</p>	<p>not any</p>	<p>no concerns</p>	<p>walking trails</p>
<p>It is a lovely plan. Honestly, I responded "Strongly Disagree" to hopefully catch the algorithm's attention if there is one. I disagree with further funding Lakeshore Park. Honestly, this is the wealthiest, whitest part of Knoxville, and there are neighborhoods in Knoxville that lack proper parks. I would like a portion of this money to go to Danny Mayfield Park. It would be excellent PR especially after the racial unrest, and my neighbors and I would benefit from a better park. Win win.</p>	<p>It's an example of white, wealthy areas of cities being given the most and the best.</p>	<p>There is no need for more renovation at Lakeshore Park. Lakeshore park is beautiful and serves the community well. It just needs to be maintained.</p>	<p>I've outlined it above, (-: but if the money were reallocated to Danny Mayfield Park I would love a splash pad. I think it would be cool if University Art students designed sculptures that would serve as the splash pad "splashers."</p>	<p>It's a beautiful park. No concerns.</p>	<p>There is so much walking space. The view. Honestly, when I heard Haslam bought it, I wept for joy that it wasn't developed.</p>
<p>It is a very precise and thoughtful use of the beauty and history of this land.</p>					<p>Walking trails</p>
<p>It is made with a vision that includes many types of people doing many different activities.</p>	<p>Nothing. It is an incredible plan.</p>	<p>Get rid of the sewage treatment facility. Why are the two most scenic river points in Knoxville dominated by sewage treatment plants?</p>	<p>None.</p>		
<p>It is well thought out and planned.</p>	<p>I found no mention of the Hank Rappe playground. It would be unfortunate if that were removed because of the community involvement in its creation and because it is very popular and heavily used.</p>	<p>Designating the park as a birding site or including educational signage of its birding diversity would fit well with the plan's purposes. Lakeshore Park is the sixth most diverse birding site in Knox County and the number one site for the city of Knoxville according to ebird.org. Currently 161 species of birds have been identified at Lakeshore Park. Adding native grasses and more diversity in flowers and shrubs and trees as planned will attract an even greater diversity of birds. Different species of birds are attracted to different habitats. Some to grasslands, some to woodlands, etc. Educational signage regarding birds in the different ecological zones of the park would enhance work already planned and highlight an exceptional feature of the park not included in the Master Plan at minimal cost. Expert help can be found from members of the Knoxville Chapter of the Tennessee Ornithological Society. Their website is <a href="https://www.knoxbirds.org/">https://www.knoxbirds.org/</a></p>			<p>Walking paths through different habitats, views of the lake and mountain and the most recent improvements from its former unkept condition.</p>
<p>It looks as if it makes the park more aesthetically pleasing</p>	<p>My use of parks is limited to walking, and I don't think there are enough shaded walks bring me over to this park, which isn't very close to where I live</p>	<p>Larger areas of shaded walking paths</p>	<p>None</p>	<p>No concerns. I haven't used this park much in the path.</p>	<p>Little</p>

It looks like it will make better use of the land, and I like the zone concept	I like it all, just make sure the walking paths include more trees/shaded areas.	As mentioned, more trees providing shade on the walking paths.		I also walk at West Hills Park, and due to the focus on Northshore it is beginning to look a bit run down. So, just don't forget the other parks in the effort to make Lakeshore the top showplace.	The open spaces
It looks so cute I really hope that this happens!	Not enough access to water	Add some water parks! Like sprinklers to run through	You should help conserve the ducks	That it won't happen	It's so big and there's a lot to do
It makes better usage of the Lyons View/North Slope areas, while keeping it relatively wooded	It could explain better how it will block the water treatment area from the park.	More small gathering spaces (spall pavilions, pergolas, etc.), especially those that offer shade.		Traffic would be a main concern. Especially traffic getting into and out of the park from Northshore or Lyons View.	The location and the views
It makes better use of the wide open spaces available at the park.	It's hard for me to reconcile the [presumably substantial] cost vs. modest benefits.	A swimming pool or tennis courts instead of one of the athletic fields or more open space.		What the impact to the park will be (and for how long) during construction.	It's great to have such a large and picturesque area for people to share.
It maximizes multi-use of the land.	Had hoped for more soccer fields.	If not already, please consider low impact lights for the soccer fields - similar to baseball fields.			Location/convenience.
It preserves local plants and uses them in the landscaping	No disc golf course - there is plenty of room and the disc golf community is great for local parks	Add a disc golf course	Add a disc golf course	Add a disc golf course	The landscaping has been done beautifully
It seems truly well thought out. With extreme detail to the use and history of the land.	n/a	I would like to see a firm time table of when each section will be finished	n/a	n/a	walking paths and the ball fields
It seems very well thought out and planned. I'm especially glad that the history of the property will be highlighted and that there will be more opportunities to see diverse plants and flowers throughout the park.				My primary concern is overcrowding, especially if there are multiple events going on simultaneously. I would hate to see a situation develop that resembles Centennial Park in Nashville. When you go to that park you spend at least 20-30 minutes searching for parking, which takes away a lot of enjoyment.	The walking paths. There are plenty of flat areas but I enjoy that there are challenging elevations as well.
It will be a place that is diverse and stunningly beautiful. The visual appeal of it.	Nothing	Only a question-will there be adequate restrooms to serve the entire park? I only saw them referenced at the sports area plus the current ones in the civic sphere. It seems very far from the natural / ecological sphere.	None	No concerns	The walking trails and the views
It's a beautiful, forward-thinking plan while not neglecting the past, especially those who lived there before -- including the Cherokee and mental asylum patients	I don't see the need for an amphitheater at the park. I'm not sure it's needed, and it seems contrary to the serenity of the park and its emphasis on mental, physical, and civic health. emphasis	Please see #5 and #7.	A lot of people walk their dogs at the Lakeshore Park. They're good about keeping them on-leash, but it would be nice to have a "dog park" section where dogs could romp and their owners could chat. There is no dog park in this part of Knoxville.	It's beautiful ... to remain that way will require on-going maintenance and stewardship.	The walking paths in an open landscape with beautiful views and vegetation.
It's already a beautiful park and should be enhanced with ecological conservation as its top priority.	The ball field proposal - if for Little League games, why the need for lighting? Those games should take place during the day due to the age of the players. Also already causing traffic problems in that area, including conflicts between pedestrians & vehicles. It should also be kept in mind that we are in the middle of a pandemic and sports are in an uncertain spot as far as scheduling games goes. People seem to think this virus will just go away & we'll go back to our old way of life. I highly doubt that.	Reduce the proposed number of ball fields from 4 to the present-day 2 to accommodate number of spectators' parking needs, and have a designated area for players' busses.	I didn't see anything about restroom facilities, which are a definite need for a park of this size, and who would maintain them. Reduce scope of construction so that less of the natural trees & park would be disturbed in the first place.	Besides its proximity to the river (risk of flood damage), access from main roads is inadequate with current usage & won't improve with an increase in visitor traffic. That's a highly congested area to begin with, so exhaust from traffic could easily offset any ecological improvements that might be made.	I've never been there, so don't know much about it first-hand but have observed that it seems to be popular with walkers & joggers. Wonder how much of an issue it is with people picking up their dogs' poop, too.
It's beautifully rendered	It reduces access to the waterfront, which has long been the number one goal of citizens who've responded to previous studies on park usage.	Make access to the waterfront the number one priority, focusing on the main river channel, not fourth creek, which is a mudflat during much of the year. The very name, Lakeshore Park, emphasizes the waterfront aspect of this beautiful property. I also believe that at least one pavilion with picnic tables and grills should be included as similar facilities at other city parks near the water are fully booked, year round, but the waterfront access is my primary interest.	I'm thrilled to hear that more play facilities are planned. I think the park would be much improved by addition of a kayak, canoe launch with a concession for rentals nearby as well as some more family friendly recreation areas, perhaps with volleyball, tetherball, and shuffleboard courts. Perhaps there is too much emphasis on gardens, replicating UT gardens and those in East Knoxville. Also, more strategically placed public restrooms are needed.	I'm concerned that it's being managed in a way that's intended to limit use and provide venues for formal events instead of encouraging more daily use by children and families.	The playground and beautiful views of the waterfront.

It's good to have a master plan but...	Lakeshore Park isn't representative of our history and founding principles	By changing the name of Lakeshore Park to Veterans Park at Lakeshore	According to Tom Humphries, Knox County Veterans Service Officer, there are 33,000 veterans in Knox County alone and approximately 52,000 in Tennessee's 2nd Congressional District. If you include just their spouses in this number, the name change to Veterans Park at Lakeshore would have a significant impact on over 100,000 citizens in our area. Take this one step further by including these veterans' immediate family members and there would be an impact on well over 250,000 citizens.	Our children and grandchildren will forget the sacrifices made by veterans unless they are reminded often in some tangible way	It's a beautiful setting
It's good to see ongoing thought of utilizing the space.	The park needs more shade. Too much space set aside for ball fields.	Plant more trees. Fix the broken pavement on the old part of the walking path.	The idea of an amphitheater is good.	Safety of users. I walk at the park often and was finishing up at 8:45 pm recently on a Monday night. The mix of people entering the park at that late hour was odd; they weren't typical walkers. I didn't feel comfortable. Install more security cameras. I recall there have been car burglaries.	It's my neighborhood park, so I walk there often. The view of the river is spectacular and it's a good workout. The addition of new greenway breaks up the monotony of the old route.
It's nice, but don't fuck up the parking, and don't limit the parking with stupid islands and greenery. Density is required. It's very comprehensive and uses the space in a beautiful and functional way.	Doesn't seem to be enough parking, and parking lots that were recently redone (poorly) seem to be disappearing.	Use more of what is there today. Perhaps build a simple walking bridge over the Northshore entrance instead of mandatorily rerouting everyone. Give users the choice.	More money might be spent on this park than all other parks in Knox County combined. Perhaps its location near wealthy neighborhoods has something to do with that? What's in there now is already pretty nice.	I'd like to know who is making the decisions.	Walking trails.
It's beautiful and I love how each sport is sectioned off	I would like to see adult sports - for example pickleball courts. There aren't any in that part of town.	Adding pickleball courts	None	Safety in the evening of the areas closest to the river.	Location in the middle of Bearden. The updates already have been great. I love the benches around the park.
It's overall just awe inspiring. It would be a jewel in Knoxville.	N/A.	It looks good to me!	N/A.	Only the construction noise, mess, etc.	Running trails.
Its focus and theme of health in all of its dimensions. Its not just a our average park. Is so much mor than that. So much thought and detail.	Nothing!	It would be terrific if there could be access for canoes and kayaks to the river. This must/must include rental storage on the waterfront. The current access is not usable: the location and water level are problematic and it is located much too far from the parking lots to allow kayakers to carry their kayaks to/from the input location.	The Plan is excellent BUT the maintenance of the various gardens will be critical. Who is going to do all this hard work all year around?!	Effective management of all the various venues for events, care of the gardens and trees, etc. Will there be adequate parking? General upkeep.	It location, wide open lawns and spaces, nice walking loops, etc.
Its use of the waterfront	Does not include river access for paddlers	Add dog park	Include river access for paddlers	Nothing	Updated trails
just the overall idea of use this land for open public use	n/a	n/a		The treatment plant	Location, big trees, views
Keep it natural	Cutting down too many trees	Focus on walking trails	Better river access	Trying to do too much	Natural walking trails and trees
Keeping an abundance of natural green space.	Leaving the lighted sports fields in the park. There are other more appropriate parks that are better suited to host these activities.		The area on the hill facing north toward the Veterans Cemetery could be better enhanced.	There needs to be an effort to preserve undeveloped land and not over build on this limited resource.	The great views and the greenway.
Keeping some green space, as many trees as possible, the views	Removing the trees	Turf soccer fields, lights for soccer fields too. I think it mentioned lights for baseball fields, soccer needs those too. Some kind of water access for kayaks and paddle boarding would be nice.	The walking trail around the park needs to be repaved.	Losing the green space and history	There are so many different uses of the park. Therefore many different people enjoying the outdoors. I feel safe there.
Keeping some natural beauty/resources within the park.	No water access for kayaking, canoeing, or swimming.	Incorporate water access! Make the outdoor venue larger to accommodate more big-ticket music concerts.	Add more lights for safety of evening walkers, etc.	Keeping natural beauty of the park.	Beautiful place to visit/walk/play.
Keeping the area natural, not putting in a strip mall, etc.	I would like to see an area where the community could have outdoor concerts and other community events. I feel it wasn't really explained what would happen in the space.	I'm not really sure, except for what I mentioned above.			That nothing much will end up changing from how it's being used now, but a lot of money will be spent to "move dirt around".

Landscape design	No access to the surrounding water. Since we have so much water around the part; it seems a shame not to utilize it.	Utilize the surrounding lake with access.			
Like the options to use the park to enjoy the nature and beauty of the area.	I do not see a dog park in there plans and see a lot of amphitheater spaces. We need a dog park in West Knox the downtown park is too small and not convenient nor parking friendly. It is also next to an expressway. The area that is in the far NE section off Lyons view is secluded and could be a great area off the main park section for a dog park.	Add a launch for kayaks and paddle boards. The park sits in the river and it would be great to have an access point for non motorized water craft to enjoy the view of the park from the water.	Dog park and kayak/canoe/paddle board launch		
Looks aesthetically pleasing	Hoping for water access updates for kayaks	Water access for kayaks	Would like water access for kayaks	The area near it	Quiet
Looks good overall	That there is no access for fishing kayaking and other water activities	Adding piers for fishing and a dog park	Would just like access to the water since it is surrounded by a massive river and lake	Nothing really	Its clean well kept and a nice family park
Looks like lots of place to walk and do birding.	to much sports not enough of natural areas. we do not need more sports stuff in this area we need more nature. birds flowers trees wildlife	more natural areas less sports.	there should be a little dock to fish off an area to walk by the river. maybe put stuff about the history of lakeshore and anything else that might have been there or effected by what was there. the land is to pretty to destory with play grounds and fields	piece and quiet. safty	the quiet walking trails
lots of variety of use, unobtrusive but ample parking access	unable to determine access to facilities (restrooms) and availability of lighting for evening use of fields/amphitheaters	please add lighting to fields!			
Love the idea to honor African American aspect of park	nothing	more walking trails	At least one more bathroom	Would like the focus to be less about athletics and more history oriented	new overlook
Love the various garden areas I'm a landscape designer and have always been disappointed in Knoxville's lack of quality landscaping (Residential and commercial) and lack of public art.	There are no pickle ball courts included.	Add pickle ball courts. It's the fastest growing sport in the US, it's enjoyed by all ages, the courts are smaller than tennis courts. There is a large pickle ball playing community in Knoxville.	The rest looks very good.	Overcrowding, pedestrian traffic wearing down the turfgrass areas, garbage disposal (littering issues).	As a walker/runner, I appreciate the differences in topography. As a horticulturist, I appreciate whatever established, mature trees that remain from my childhood.
Maintaining some trees	Need more butterfly meadow/ native grass and wildflower meadow type areas or could be linear corridors. Need More trees too.	Thanks for the opportunity to comment virtually!	None. Thank you	Habitat and environmental protection. Don't have too much formal Rec areas.	Walking trail
Maintaining the natural beauty of the area	Given how many people use the park for activities with their pets, my family thinks an off leash dog park would be a great use of land.	An off leash fenced dog park with separate play areas for small dogs and large dogs, and potentially with lake access area for recreation with your pet. This could potentially be located near the power plant where the pier and water access steps already reside. There are already water spouts for drinking water and fencing that area would not impact the people who walk the loop for exercise.	N/a	N/a	The quality of the walking trails
Makes great use of the park.	Is there a ramp for canoe access? 'Lakeshore' needs some interface for the lake and the shore and how merge from one to the other.	See previous comments Engage the river directly please.	Love it	Nothing	Great location Beautiful space
Many different types of areas for spending time outdoors from rural experiences (the nature trails on the north slopes) to the urban experiences (the marble columns and lighting on the main overlook)	It is missing two key elements; specific athletic/fitness areas such as an outdoor workout circuit with equipment, watercraft rentals (kayaks, canoes etc) on the river, and water refill stations for both pets and people (Elkay is a great brand of these) and more references to the mental health history of the land. Maybe small monuments in the grass where specific buildings were and what they were for. Another mental health area that could be included is a guided meditation pathway with signage and directions. As one who struggles with several mental health conditions, I crave an area like this where I can go and find some sense of peace in nature, there are very few obvious, public areas for those that struggle mentally, and this park is a perfect place to add these areas and monuments as a haven. A place that can be known as somewhere a struggling person can find peace and restfulness and safety.	See previous comments on question 5 re: exercise areas and mental health areas.	Nothing else! If you listen and act on our feedback, that is all we need!	it seems like the mental health history is being forgotten, and the original use of the park tends not to be known.	The many walking paths, different areas for different types of activities. And i love the cathedral shelter.

Mental health contemplative space.	It is far too traditional. It would be nice to see more art spaces, contemplative spaces. Areas for gathering in unique and creative ways. Sculptures which art reversible like the Cincinnati Riverwalk log section. Here's a suggestion... A number of shelters with electrical outlets. That way outdoor gamers may be able to spend time well others enjoy the outdoors. I don't think there's enough creative Asheville type vibe... Spaces for creative poetry and artistic classes. there's plenty of ball fields in town but having a number of shelters with electrified outlets would allow for such things as wood burning classes.	River access for kayaks. River access for kayaks. also undulating spaces with large tunnels and rolling hills and large interactive three-dimensional landscapes. Kind of like millennium Park in Chicago it needs a central art focus like a giant sculpture which would make it a landmark destination. Even a simple dome which you stand under and reflects your voice back to you would be pretty cool. Parabolic voice reflector in an open space.	It needs to be a little bit more interactive and experiential. Baseball fields are so 1980. Seriously something like millennium Park in Chicago drawers all people wear only a narrow trench use ball fields and there's probably enough of those already.	N//A	Just last week I sat on the porch of the Knox recreation facility complex and watch the beautiful view of the river. The walking track is also amazing! It would be neat to extend it over water or have it do a figure-eight over itself just some neat maybe rolling Hill.
More attractive walking paths	No public outdoor movies, concerts, and food trucks	Show how it would look from a human view rather than landscape architecture layout view. Plan more family-friendly and couple-friendly entertainment and eating experiences.	It takes a real commitment to look at all of the plan and then keep it in your head to answer the questions on the survey.	I think you're on the right track with planning—just make it more appealing to millennials and urban folk with outdoor entertainment, live music, and food.	The walking path
more developed areas and taking advantage of the great views	It looks like the kayak launch has been eliminated. It also appears that there will be softball fields and not baseball. With the stands in between fields, are we going to get konked on the head by a fly ball from the field we are not watching?	Add a kayak/paddle board launch as well as a fishing area. Add a board walk.	No mention of playgrounds...hope they are not removed. A place for little children to ride bikes would be a nice.	needs kayak launch, ample restrooms	the walking trail and of course the view
More garden areas	Feel like it takes away from some of the very shaded walking areas by the lake.	Are bigger soccer areas etc needed? Rarely do I see these areas in use, most people visiting are there to walk and jog or enjoy the lawn areas.	How will it affect parking?	Changes to the safety I feel walking the trails by trying to bring in more people with the new plans.	How close you can walk to the lake, surrounded by trees and flowers its very peaceful
More greenery	I see nothing about update the soccer fields - providing lights or considering turf options. I only see plans to update the baseball fields. Soccer is played year round and there is no reason there can't be lights to allow for more playing time, in particular late fall and early spring.	LIGHTS at the soccer field!! N	Improved soccer facilities	Some streets need repaired and are narrow/hard to navigate	Walking paths
More holistic view of a healthful space				The cost of such an extensive reimagining of the park	Wide, open space with diverse outdoor opportunities
More Natural Areas	Very little info dedicated to the main trails which in main use of park	See above More info on trails	Too much emphasis on structures and dissecting the park instead of letting it be a natural space	Traffic overuse	Trails
More open space, better connected trails.	Potentially costs to upkeep	More pedestrian connections to city, need greenway through bearden	None	Keeping all those big beautiful old trees alive	The open space, views, trails.
More opportunities for community use		Maybe a cafe or snack area	Constant repair of uneven surfaces is needed	Traffic	A place to exercise and enjoy the area
More plant life and gardens to teach kids and adults how to garden.	No outdoor exercise equipment(monkey bars,ropes) for adults and kids. No mention of running trails or bike only path.	Separate bike path, exercise stations(monkey bars, ropes,etc.). Saturday family music and picnic events would be fantastic.	A pond for wildlife and a tall green wall separating the sewage area and park. You should have to see it while walking along the path and it smells.	More traffic. Northshore needs another lane and better exit access. A bike path along Northshore would be tremendous but that's not really in your control but maybe your influence could be. The entire length of Northshore with a dedicated bike path would add value to the area	Running path and views. But the running path is getting dangerous with roots pushing up the asphalt near Northshore side. Might be better to tear of the asphalt in trouble spot and bridge those areas like you have near the water.
more structured environments	not enough quality playgrounds and older children actively	look at McPherson park in Greenville south carolina and build a putt putt like they have, virtually no maintenance, easily accessible bring your own putters balls	so far doing a great job but punitive metal stakes at soccer fields mostly all bent look bad. periodic parking on grass does no harm and extra parking is needed there	stench of sewage treatment	views, the one climbing playground which by itself is inadequate
More things to do and places to hang out. Especially near water!	?	More views of water. Fields to hang out with shade	Love it	Crowds	Open and the trail
More trails and usable space.	There is no dog park	Add a dog park. Could Lakeshore partner with Petsafe to design a dog park? Remove trees that block view of river and mountains	Remove the trees on the hill near the ball fields that block view of the river and mountains Parking and security	Over crowding	It's location, the views, walking trails
more trees	no mention of unpaved trails as far as i can remember				acreage
more use of the available space. updated parking and amenities	There is no boat or kayak ramps. Why not put both. I would love to use this location to put my boat or kayak in.	adding a boat ramp and kayak ramp. this would make this plan perfect	it needs more shore and water access. for both swimmers and fishermen	safety	the location is very convenient and on the water.
More use opportunities by more people not just baseball, soccer and jogging.	Still does not relate to the river. No canoe/kayak access or fishing.	See answer to 5. above.		Maintenance	Views
more walking trails	Like to have parking access near the cove so you could drop kayaks or canoes in the water.	?snadsoff	Can they do something about the smell of the sewage treatment plant.	That it doesn't become too crowded.	The new landscaping looks great.
More walking trails and more mindful organization of facilities.	Concerned about parking. It appears the parking area at the top of the current baseball fields (which is consistently utilized by walkers/runners) is being removed.	Potentially more parking?	Unclear how the Farm Gardens would be used and who would maintain them. Seems a bit out of place with potential to be underutilized.	Preservation in perpetuity. I grew up on this park and live nearby and enjoy it 3-4 times a week. A great asset to our community.	Walking trails, greenspace, and safety.

	No planned water access, appears to reduce overall number sports fields --- we badly need fields, limited other options in area, need more parking to accommodate events Also appears to eliminate the current playground area that is heavily used and needed in area, only alternatives are at local schools and many are locked throughout day. Need more kid / child friendly options.	See previous comments Water access, sports fields, parking, playgrounds Other small social gathering and sports areas - bocci ball, pickle ball, basketball courts	Park itself is great, but it is isolated, no connectivity to surrounding community. Are there opportunities to create additional trails / sidewalks to increase access to park by foot or bike and reduce car traffic in park? If not, consider additional parking on park periphery to limit traffic within park. This also makes it more family / kid friendly vs current interior traffic patterns crossing walking paths multiple times.	Long term sustainability	The recent improvements great
More walking trails, gardens and gathering spaces			that there would be only one fire pit and what would it be burning gas or wood	that it would become only a big piece of concrete	all the flowers and tree that you get to look at while walking. the place to walk to see the water is great.
more ways to walk around the park					
Most everything shown it very nice	There is apparently no attempt to incorporate the waterfront to support water activities. Kayaking, canoeing, paddleboarding etc. Fishing places Swimming etc.	See above	See #5	Maintenance and upkeep	
Moving the Athletic fields.	NA	I do not know.	Adequate and easily accessible parking.	Adequate lighting without creating light pollution to keep the park safe.	Our family have used it mainly for the athletic fields.
Much thought has been given to all aspects of the park, and the presentation by the landscape architects reflects this.	Actually, it is a wonderful plan, but I can envision other amenities.				
Multi-use facilities, amphitheatres, sports and cultural uses.	Too much passive use, not enough active facilities.	I would like to see some of the passive, reflective areas used for more active functions. Specifically, a few tennis and pickleball courts would be great. A fitness course would be a nice addition. Overall, I'm very excited about the plan.		Encroaching commercial/residential development.	The natural space and beauty.
multi-use, user friendly,	no water access for canoe, kayak	water access			
Multiple uses yet expenses of open space	Lack of recreational access to the river for kayaking, etc.	This is likely in the program planning, but I want to make sure residents of low-to-moderate income neighborhoods are intentionally included in access and programming.		Sustainable funding and meaningful access for diverse communities	Beauty and variety of uses
My favorite part of the Master Plan is the all inclusive playgrounds for children of all abilities, and I also love the idea of having recreational access to the river.	I have no problems with it.	I believe the Master Plan includes all ways it could improve.	N/a	N/a	I love the trail systems and the new stone lookout with the lights overhead on the top of the hill.
n/a	No water access.	Add water access.		Access to whole community.	Walking trail.
Na	No water access for paddleboarding	Add water access for paddleboarding, canoeing, kayaking	None	No water access for paddleboarding	Dog walking
Natural area	Needs more paths		Need a way to get there other than by car. Connection to bike path/greenway would be ideal.		Trails and athletic fields
Natural beauty	Does not include Pickleball courts	Pickleball courts installation	Install about six Pickleball courts	No concerns	The view
natural grasslands/ natural areas.	Looks like there are not enough trees! Please keep/ plant as many trees as possible (want more shade).	Would love a splash pad. Make it educational, if you want (like the scale model of the Mississippi River at Mud Island in Memphis. Make it easy for people with kayaks to get into the water? More places to see birds (Osprey, herons, etc.).	Label the parking lots (with colors or letters or something)? It's hard to communicate where to meet with friends.	Don't want it to be over-paved and unprotected from the sun.	close to home
Natural resources well preserved	No access points to the water. Adding boat access, even just a ramp for kayaks, would improve the questions of athleticism, appropriate variety and use of the land.	Designated access point to the water for kayakers	Add boat access	No water access despite having so much shoreline	Free to all
Natural spaces	No dog park or lake access	Add a dog park, splash pad, and lake access	None	None	Green belt walk way
Natural wooded playground	Lack of a water/splash area				The addition of excellent landscaping..
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Nature preservation		Bridges or tunnels so people and bikes can cross roads and avoid cars			
New and improved walking/running paths	Would like more native plants and trees.	I would like to have water access for kayaking.			There is open space, and the space that is being developed is intentionally done with excellence.
Nice big green open spaces. Plenty of trails to walk on.	No Sr. activities like pickle ball, shuffle board, croquet, bocce ball.	Add Sr. activities like pickle ball, shuffle board, croquet, bocce ball etc.	it just seem really geared to being younger people who play organized sports.	nothing really.	plenty of walking trails.
Not much	No disc golf course No farmer's market No lacrosse fields No full size baseball fields	This plan removes a lot of functional (and already paid for) facilities and athletic fields and turns it into a horticultural park. We already have Knox Botanical Garden for that purpose. The current park already has a concert yard that has never been used.	This plan almost starts over and undoes a lot of what has just been done. Make incremental improvement to what we have at less expense. This plan looks like a landscape architect's senior thesis.		Multiple uses. Greenway, different types of playgrounds and athletic fields
not sure	not sure	not sure	none	none	soccer fields and walking trail

nothing	Doubling the space for baseball and soccer ensures that 1. you don't have enough room for parking if all the fields are full of players and spectators, and 2. there will be no tranquility because it will be weekend after weekend where only those with kids/teens are actually welcome.	Less amphitheater and ball fields, more green space left alone.	If I wanted to go to Central Park, I'd go to Manhattan. You do realize that many people can't stand baseball and soccer, right? Is this a park for everyone, or just for those with kids?	It will be overdeveloped into a tourist attraction so that Bearden will be like Dekalb County in Atlanta, constant bumper to bumper traffic in residential neighborhoods because the streets were never built to be commuter roads and to carry constant tourist traffic.	It primarily exists for walking/running (which is the activity that is limited, there are plenty of other places for sport) and is left wide open
Nothing	Everything	Spend monies on improving or building parts of city	North and East Knoxville need park/entertainment centers!!!	Nothing	IT'S OK
Nothing . Stop spending unnecessary money. Leave the lovely park alone!	All of the plan. Don't do this	Don't don't this!!	Stop the plan	Leave it alone. Only have simple upkeep	Simple, useful and different
Nothing ... wasteful and extravagant expenditure that will make park useless for years to come	See above. As you walk the existing trails and hear the sounds of bats cracking while overlooking the beauty of the river there is more serenity and spirituality than is seen in the new plan. How do you preserve the eagles who have made their nests for years in the lights of the lower ball fields?	Remove wasteful extravagance and focus on usefulness. Gardens are lovely and could be incorporated within existing trails and athletic facilities	Not a word in the lengthy video about cost, timeline or disruption to existing facilities		The trails...there is a community of people who walk the trails and enjoy the beauty of the river, eagles soaring and the opportunity to watch families enjoying their children at play on the ball fields . It truly represents the spirit and culture of this community
Nothing total waste is my tax dollars	All of it	Dropping it	Very concerned about the \$ used in a rich atea	All of it	Views
Nothing. It's taking away from the open fields and relaxing walks.	Turning into a more upscale area and taking away the openness and natural relaxing place for people who have enjoyed walking and playing there with their children.			Taking away from the "park" and turning into a place where a lot of people won't feel welcome.	Natural and relaxing. A nice place to walk and take your children and dogs.
Nothing. Lakeshore MENTAL hospital shouldn't have closed. Where are people with mental deficiencies to be treated now...nowhere...they live on the streets of Knoxville.	We do not need another park. We need more facilities to treat mental illness.	Create a facility to treat and house mental illness patients.	How we treat the least of our society speaks volumes about our core values as a society. Knoxville would rather have a pretty park than provide a hospital for mental health.	First, the cost of the park and then the continued cost to support and keep it. Just pause for a minute and think about all of the people a hospital could treat and return individuals to some form of normalcy...stop the vicious cycle.	Nothing
Open areas and views of the water	Not enough venues and events mentioned. Would be a great place for music and food vendors. Parking area for food trucks would be great	Food truck area	Food truck area	Food truck arwa	
Open green spaces and variety of uses	No canoe or kayak access to the river. This is a need that is frequently overlooked. Canoeers and kayakers want access to water separately from boaters. These are good family activities that are unserved.	See #5	Overall really good. Add canoe/kayak river access, home run!	Maintenance funds	Great family park
Open space	Not enough playground space for kids	More playground space for kids.	Beach area to the river to swim.	None	The walking trails and the playgrounds
open space and the division of sports parking	there is no plan on using for water access, such as boat ramp, kayaking and canoeing...BIG miss in planning. Its waterfront, take advantage of it and stop cow towing to the wealthy neighbors.	include boat and kayak access	boat and kayak access	no boat and kayak access	central location
Open space area	Implied concert use and crowded of the existing nice open fields Please keep more of the exiting open fields. Less crowding of areas This is the only real open space feel that you can access in Knoxville Cut down on adding on keep more open space for people to walk Add more walking paths Please widen the walking paths it is too narrow Please build more restroom areas Thank you Please add more benches Add a paved walking area close to water Please close the northshore entrance or build a bridge over to road, it is dangerous to cross	Implied concert use and crowded of the existing nice open fields Please keep more of the exiting open fields. Less crowding of areas This is the only real open space feel that you can access in Knoxville Cut down on adding on keep more open space for people to walk Add more walking paths Please widen the walking paths it is too narrow Please build more restroom areas Thank you Please add more benches Add a paved walking area close to water Please close the northshore entrance or build a bridge over to road, it is dangerous to cross	The primary enjoyment for most people that use this park is the have a relaxing walk outside Please keep that as your primary focus I have used the park for walking and jogging for 23 years Please go experience the park on a weekday and a weekend to see how it is currently being used and keep that as the focus for the park More cars and public events will push out the enjoyment from the open space	Don't add more areas that will increase traffic Need more lights along all areas so the park could be enjoyed at sunset Add security and safety areas	Open space open fields and walking path
Open spaces. Diversity of spaces	No dog park/splash pad/ all inclusive playground	Dog park, attention to playgrounds, splash pad addition	Access to park from Northshore drive. I feel like will need turn lane or light to keep traffic moving	Access from Lyons bend and Northshore as park grows	Views and walking trails
Open-Ended Response	Open-Ended Response	Open-Ended Response	Open-Ended Response	Open-Ended Response	Open-Ended Response
Overall addition of trees and flowers. Specifically the area that will function like a full field of flowers because it will make a large visual impact.		Additional water fountains, specifically with access for dogs as well.			Ample walking trails.
Overall balance of design, great use of land and topography, leaving some areas as woodland trails and contemplative spaces, new outdoor amphitheaters.	Is there enough parking?	Need to incorporate Native American history in as much of the park as possible.			Playgrounds, greenways, and marble structures.
Overall plan	There are No plans For tennis courts? Or pickle ball also? Tennis court uses 7,200 sf, needs to be laid out N-S.	Add some tennis courts, four courts would use about 30,000 sf	Construction in phases so park is still usable while improvements are made Story board about history of facility and site	Traffic on Lyons View and Northshore?	Variety and location
park looks beautiful	Needs to include a dog park	Include a dog park	I am concerned that it does not have a dog park	it needs a dog park in the future	landscaping
pavillion, natural area	I want water access for canoes, kayaks, and swimming	provide water access for swimming, kayaks, and canoes	We want water access	It doesn't provide water access	walking trails
Plan to promote all aspects of well being					Running path and kids open areas
Plans for group activities	No water access	Allow water access for kayaking, canoeing, swimming	Build/incorporate dog park	Restriction to water	Beauty, walk trails, pavilions

			Have all of the trees well labeled and many of the bushes and native plants, serving as an educational walk for the young and old. My only concern is creating room for adult groups to play sports and concerts. You will attract drug and alcohol abuse, trashed bathrooms and tons of garbage making extra work to clean up resulting in more money to maintain the park.	Without day and night security of some sort, the park will attract the dangerous element of our population. The Knoxville citizens that use our many greenways are well aware of the danger of any greenway without a partner to accompany them.	I enjoy the many different kinds of plants and the trees.
Planting trees	Too many ways to bring large groups into the park for concerts and sports.	For sport fields stick to sports for kids only. For amphitheaters, make them for small groups. Bringing in large groups brings in alcohol and drugs.			
Playground	Sports complex	Expand playground	Love flower gardens added to plan	Community garden	Walking trail
Please preserve the water access of the park.	Please preserve the water access of Lakeshore park, including canoes and boats	Water access preserved	Water access preserved	Community water access	The beauty and the community access of the lakefront
Plenty of athletic fields in one of the most beautiful spots in East Tennessee.	The lack of kayak/canoe access.	Adding paddlesports access to the river.	None.	See above	The HGTV overlook is fantastic, and the view is gorgeous.
Potential repavement of walking paths would provide to be beneficial	Feel like it should focus more on environmental conservation rather than expand the open area to recreation by getting rid of trees	Ecological preservation should be top priority		Nothing as of yet. It's a lovely area.	The paths and the extensive array of trees. If anything, plant more trees.
Preservation of rolling green spaces				Financial stability--it seems like it would be hard to preserve this much undeveloped space--but so valuable!	The oasis it provides.
Preservation of the natural areas.	No water access to the park.	Add water access.		No water access.	The walking paths.
Preservation of wooded areas, large trees.	No water access for kayaks or other non-motorized watercraft.	Create water access, even if it must be only seasonal on Fourth Creek.	Please site and orient park benches better than current benches, many of which sit in the blazing sun or face into banks of trees that obstruct views.	No water access.	Openness, easily accessed. Big trees. Safety.
Preserves and enhances trails, which are the greatest benefit of the park to me.	Nothing.	Relocate parts of trails that are uneven and rough due to roots, etc.	None.	Maintaining it at a high standard.	The trails and beauty.
Preserving natural beauty.	Only sports fields available are baseball and soccer	I would like to see tennis courts, or an area to be used for a dog park, near some of the natural zones so that the dogs have natural areas to explore while being safe inside of a fenced area.	I think tennis courts or dog parks would be more useful than multiple amphitheaters.	Not enough variety. Trails are perfect and the wide open green spaces are nice. I'm worried there will be too many amphitheaters and concrete that takes away from the natural beauty. Tennis courts would take up a small portion and a dog park would still preserve natural beauty.	The green spaces, the river walkway, and the hills that give different views at each level.
Pretty curves	Tearing out recently completed projects is a waist of tax payers dollars. Lots of amenities but little parking, Tearing out existing sports fields and building new ones. So many event spaces, amphitheaters etc and very little parking, similar event facilities in Knoxville already sit empty and unused.	Utilize existing fields and structures to be respectful of tax dollars	the general concept doesnt seam to fit with the primary park usership in Knoxville. Should support more youth activities, and adult exercise not just viewing of gardens, sculptures and events. The lake is nearly ignored in the plan	That it remains accessible to the people in the area for daily use	Sports fields, playgrounds and walking trail
Proposed area for kayak launch	Nothing	Make sure any kayak launches have ample and easy parking.	Nothing	Nothing	It's great all around
Recreational space and garden	NA	Add a splash pad for children. More water fountains	Adding a splash pad	No concerns	The walkway and enhanced Lake view
Seems a well group of areas with various functions separated.	I think there is too much open space. With more climate warming there needs to be more shaded space.	I think each athletic space and others should have shade for all spectators.	All the walking trails should be shaded for the entire length during the hot months.	I hope the proposed development will continue to be supported.	The walking trails
Seems well thought out!	We need access for non-motorized boats, kayaks, canoes, and rafts at the park. There must be an adequate area for this. Such boats not only are increasingly popular but use human energy and exercise and do not pollute like motorized craft.	See number 5 above.	Make sure that all team sports, even less popular but space conscious ones, are accommodated	That the area be preserved, well looked after, and that littering, vandalism, theft, etc. be prohibited and controlled and personal safety be a priority without sacrificing natural beauty.	It provides many outdoor areas in a large venue.
Separate areas for different types of activities, yet appear to have left walking trails along entire lake shore	Wonder about traffic access to ball fields if will try to enter from the "walking " side of park	Not have through traffic in park	Not be over manicured/ over constructed, leave natural setting .have pea gravel trails not paved	That we never have to worry again about it becoming developed	Natural space in center of town
separate areas with trees and gardens	not sure...maybe the sewage facility being on it	botanical gardens	parking	maintenance	location
Separate athletic zone. Hopefully controls traffic. Keeps kids and exercisers safe.	Concerts. Would prefer to limit traffic not related to exercise/athletics, esthetic enjoyment of the area. Already, spirts gets a little obnoxious.	Remove civic amphitheater's. Maybe one small stage for civic ceremonies. Not concerts.	Preserve Rabbe playground. Love natural playground idea but concerned about it being destroyed and muddy.	Increasing traffic	Safe peaceful greenways. Open spaces to fly kites.
Separating the recreational areas	No dog park mentioned	Dog park	I would like to see a focus on running areas and a dog park	None	Convenient and ample parking, lots of running areas

separating traffic for sports from other uses and roundabouts.	need more native plants and grasses so less maintenance is needed in the long run. being along the river, these natives will possibly spread to other areas, which we don't want non-natives to do.	more use of native plants and grasses,	great overall plan and am excited to see it evolve	being able to adapt to future sport needs	walkability
shade/flowers/more walking trails	need dog park..I really like the children's playground. I hope it will not be torn down	put in more rest rooms and a dog park	hurry	none	walking trails
So advanced and futuristic.	Nothing	Lots or nice architecture coinciding with nature	Cool water type areas	I hope it is able to turn into something special and show the capabilities of our future	The atmosphere and vibes it gives off
so much green space and lots of trees	lack of water access - no kayak or boat ramp!	Add water access for non-motorized water craft (SUPs, kayaks, canoes)	Just make sure there is adequate personal safety measures, like lighting, emergency phones, blue lights, AEDs, etc.	That it becomes over run with kids sports teams, but it seems like not too much space is dedicated to that - we need all types of adult recreation too.	balance of historical preservation with current community use interests
Soccer and baseball fields	Is there an amphitheater?	More sports fields	None	Great park! Keep it awesome!	Running trails and ball fields. Views of the Smokies and the river.
Soccer fields		Lights on soccer field			Soccer and walking trails
Soccer fields. Would be super nice and useful if the fields were lighted.	Too many gardens which will be extremely expensive to maintain. Very pretty I'm sure but doesn't seem to take enough advantage of the water access.	Make it more of a active park like the the I jams nature center. Mountain biking, beach volley ball. There could be so much More opportunities with this land. A bigger lighted soccer complex. Would bring people in for tournaments. I feel this will get little use as designed.	Definitely lighted soccer fields. Allow the kids to play after sun goes down temperatures cooler in the summer months. Graduations could be held with lighted field etc.	Boring and not an active park	Running trails and soccer fields.
Something for everyone.	Seemed to be missing access to the water for kayak or SUP. Also a light at the Northshore entrance.	Access to the water for light water use~ kayak, paddle boards etc. Also a traffic light at the Northshore entrance.	Possible food truck area?	Traffic going in and out Also parking	Love the walking trails. Also shaded benches to sit and read or reflect. Would love more flat shaded areas to toss a blanket ~ but I believe that has been addressed. Love the farmers market~ but we haven't been this year at all with Covid (haven't gone to the one in town either)
Space for live performances	Moving Ruggles Field	More parking to accommodate larger crowds for concerts	It seems like the current layout and landscape could be used better so there is less disruption while completing the plan	That it remains a park. I would like to see it better connected to the local greenways	The location and the large trees
Space for natural habitats to grow	Limited parking opportunities	Discrete parking locations, designated space for local plants and flowers to grow with signs to educate the public		Failure to maintain and keep the Park a safe place for residents to enjoy.	Lots of room to walk and explore
Spaces for a garden and the sport complex					The increase in walking trails and access to the river.
Sports section	nesdows	Fix dangerous grade on greenway	None	greenway	greenway. Views. Sports fields
Sup board access	Registration to use park space	Non motor boat access	none	that is stays a community park.	community gathering place.
Taking advantage of the beautiful views and incorporating the diverse history of the site. And lots of trails!	Is there a bough parking for large events?	Attention to the entrances and perimeters of the park. Also, a well-designed, beautiful, way finding signage system.	Love the additions of more gardens	Will there be enough continued funding to pay for all these improvements?	The trails and the views. It would be great if there were better access to the water and more water activities to access.
Taking advantage of this beautiful park!!	No water access	Water access	None	That it stays as a beautiful park in Knoxville	The views and the walking path
taking some measures to make the water treatment plant less visible	How much it changes. Lakeshore as it stands is my favorite park in Knoxville by far. It seems a huge and unnecessary waste of money to dishevel and rearrange it so drastically. Too many "gardens". The wide open spaces are what make the park so great.	One of the biggest losses of the new plan is the playground areas. I see only one tiny playground on the new plan. The current Hank Rappe playground is beautiful and so much fun! My kids would be very sad if it were removed. Again, it's probably the best playground in Knoxville. Why are they changing it?? Instead of revamping the entire park, just keep working to improve it the way it's been done the past several years. I have LOVED the additional paths, the marble hall and pavillion, clearing out the old buildings, etc. There are a few corners of the park that could be shined up, maybe add something here or there... I'm flabbergasted why we're not just doing THAT instead of such a drastic and costly and unneeded overhaul.	The farm gardens and orchards. It's fine to have those I guess. But not at the expense of the playgrounds and wide open spaces. Just stick them off to one edge that's not being utilized.	That there's going to be this huge demolition and construction going on for month or years, just to create a inferior park to the one that's already in place.	Wide open spaces, the big Hank Rappe playground, the marble hall and pavillion, the boardwalks near the water, the way the walking/running trail diverges and comes together in a variety of places instead of just being one loop. The HGTV overlook is gorgeous.
Th layout - great use of the land	No room/mention of lake usage, water sports (kayaking, paddle boarding, etc). Would also like to see a boat ramp in the area!	Mentioned above	n/a	Nothing	Walking trail, playgrounds, baseball fields
That it is a "planned" development the includes open spaces for walking trails as well as natural, wooded spaces, wonderful view sites, inventive children's spaces, sports and recreational spaces, new spaces for outdoor events and festivals, picnic areas, etc. So many things I love about how Lakeshore has developed - an asset for Knoxville!	Nothing I do not agree with.	Only thing I would like to see is a trail dedicated for bicyclists. (Not on the walking trails, but some other kind of trail). We love to bicycle and would love to be able to do that there!	None at this time.	Nothing at this time.	Everything!
That it maintains a viable outer loop.	That it appears construction will be significant. My fear is the length of disruption that will cause.	N/A	It looks great. I walk there several times a week and a lengthy disruption of that is my only concern. The Plan itself seems very positive.	See above. No long-term concerns.	The outer loop is the asset I use most. It is convenient and provides a good challenge. I hope the steep hill (going counter clockwise) is preserved. That area is changed to a woodland trail so I hope the climb is maintained in some other form.

That it ties together the history of East Tennessee to the land and celebrates the geological and societal aspects.	Nothing really, I look forward to hearing more details about flowers/plants etc that are specific to our area and signage that will inform visitors.	I feel like I need more details before feeling able to make any suggestions.	I would like to know more information on trails, the impact of parking for the athletic areas.	That it will be maintained...where the funding for that will be coming from.	It is a beautiful area and a real treasure to our community.
that it won't be sold and chopped up for residential or commercial use	That it does not include a much needed middle school on the premises. It would be a great way to put some utility beyond sports... and it would be of huge benefit to the surrounding neighborhoods as will relieve the overcrowding at BMS.	Repurpose the old building on the top into a small (300-400 students) middle school... the sports terrains are there and the school would be a wonderful addition to the area.	Include some water sports accessibility in the plan... rowing ramp, etc...	That most of the time the park will be only used by very few people, when the majority of the neighbors would have no benefit from it.	Well, not much, it is all right if you are a walker and a runner, but getting to it, there are no sidewalks or bike trails. I like that they kept the old building on the top... hope it stays...
That it's being done in the first place, it's great to see Lakeshore be thoughtfully designed	There isn't any plans for additional soccer fields. Currently the fields are privately maintained and secured. I have tried to play pick up soccer at Lakeshore many times and there are no places to play as leagues take up the field and other spaces have pot holes.	Add more well-maintained at minimum flat surfaces, preferably soccer fields. There are not many places for any pick up soccer for non-UT students which will hurt the sports development in the city. Especially for kids that grow up and want to stay here but can't play on UT's fields.	There are days when the smell of sewage is overwhelming. Finding a way to reduce the smell would be beneficial.	It will be built for the use of only private leagues. It's public land and should stay that way. Its great that leagues have a place to play, but they should not have the ability to kick off other people (unless there is a scheduled game/match)	The walking/running loop is great. The location of the park is great as well.
That it's making a difference in the physical, mental, emotional being of so many people.	The informational video is too long.			That people may one day stop caring.	Everything, great for all...singles, couples & families.
that the sports parks are together and the gardens!	parking for softball/baseball fields	I don't have any suggestions			I love taking my kids to the playground, walking the trails and having lunch at the overlook plaza
That there is a Master Plan at all, and is available to the public.	There are a couple of items missing		There are no concessions for kayak/canoe/paddle boarding put in spots. 1 amphitheater is plenty; include noise ordinances with the addition of amphitheater(s)	Traffic and noise	The plentiful walking paths and views
That you saved the historic buildings, especially the old mental hospital	I would like to see restaurants, coffee shops, ice cream shops like Central Park in NYC	Add food vendors and make better use of the lakefront	I would like to see food vendors and kayak/paddle board rental	That you will tear down the old mental hospital on the hill	Water views
The many facets of the plan takes into account the history of the land and its prior inhabitants in a way that preserves and honors them but also seeks to educate the public on the lands unique history in all its particulars such as classic views of the mountains, lake and diverse Native plants and trees coupled with spaces for sports picnics, events, walks, privacy, the whole ball of wax! A one stop shop of a garden. More than I ever expected!	That it's going to be quite expensive and I pray I live long enough to see it at its fruition!	I think it's perfect	Just want to make sure bathrooms are adequate!	I worry that the upkeep will be inadequate if it is too expensive. Public monies is not sufficient and the current climate is very rough for charities.	It has great terrain with rolling hills that makes its fun to walk and the trees and views are wonderful, Further, though I question why, I have a feeling of safety there.
The 3 zones	No basketball courts and no concert/performance venue	Concert venue Basketball courts	None	Nine	Walking trail and hgtv overlook
the accommodation of the 3 essential components of good park design - civic, athletic & ecological; the scale of the civic spaces is bold & grand	very little opportunity for an up close connection to the river	provide more opportunities to engage with the river		I hope funding is in place to maintain this park as designed, especially for the plant material which is usually low on the maintenance priority list. Also education of maintenance crew to maintain native plants, especially meadows	large size, history, views
The addition of beautifully planted areas.	There is no access to the water which surrounds the area!	Include water access and make sure that there are ample playgrounds for children. Playgrounds utilizing natural elements would seem to fit the aesthetic look and feel of the proposed plan.		That it is able to be properly maintained.	That there are many areas for different types of usage in the park.
The addition of designated performance spaces	There is not enough detail to see if the performance spaces will actually be usable. The spaces will need more infrastructure than just a stage. At a minimum lighting and backstage areas should be included as well as electrical outlets and areas designated for audience members with limited mobility. I realize a master plan cannot include this level of detail but in the past I have seen amphitheater designed with no input from groups that would actually use the spaces resulting in little or no actual use. As the design moves on to the next step urge you to get input from theater, dance and musical groups to assess their needs and desires and their knowledge of their audiences. I hope you can design spaces that are usable for an afternoon band concert as well as a 2 or 3 hour theater performance.	It is very fuzzy on my monitor. I would be nice if it was searchable by feature. I list of stakeholders would be useful and a schedule of listening sessions and reviews.	See comments above	That all the money and work will go to sports functions and cultural functions will be shortchanged.	Openness, accessibility
The addition of flower beds that couple to the impressive views	Getting rid of some nice existing athletic facilities, such as the KYS ballfields and the ballfields near the sewage treatment plant - all in the name of landscaping	Rethink the massive changes to existing facilities and press on with the beautification aspects. The HGTV area is an excellent start. Add the flower gardens soon!	Traffic flow and parking will be an increasing problem. Pulling out into traffic on either entrance/exit can be a challenge	This will be an expensive proposition, all with private funding. You should ask for inputs on what is most desired and the sequence of improvements to couple with the flow of donations/funding	The extensive walking paths, impressive views and overall good emotional health that comes from early morning walks in this beautiful park

The addition of the central garden and the general emphasis on improving the ecological diversity present in the park.	I would like to see more emphasis on including displays related to the Cherokee who inhabited the land.	Try to continue to integrating more civic minded components like memorials or artistic sculptures, etc.	N/A	N/A	Its extensive walking and running trails that integrate so well with the natural contours of the park.
The addition on a civic area with amphitheater is especially interesting because there seems to be a lack of such outdoor facilities in Knoxville.	There are no tennis courts.	Include a dog park.	None	Could a stop light be added at the entrance of Lakeshore Park on Lyons View Pike? Sometimes it is difficult to navigate the traffic.	The walking paths and playground.
The additional green spaces. Removal of the two old baseball fields that are so unattractive. Placement of athletics in one area of the Park. Should really help with the traffic on game days.	No dog park and no outdoor courts like pickle ball.	Addition of facilities or areas for non-organized sports. Frisbee golf, pickle ball, basketball, etc.	Hope that construction does not totally disrupt our access to trails and green spaces.		The incredible views and the walking trails.
The additional playgrounds, the intentional design, more trails, more flowers, and the river viewing areas.	It's wonderful. I can't think of much to critique.	He didn't talk much about improving the park for wildlife. He mentioned pollinators and the increased woodlands area. I suspect that the additional trees and plants will help with this, but it wasn't specifically called out.			The park has improved so much over the years. I love that we have such a beautiful space in our community.
The aesthetics and ability to modernize it while also being respectful of what makes the area beautiful.	Nothing that I didn't like, just things I'm not personally interested in but know they are there because they are important to others.				The greenway and the views.
The amphitheater	There's nothing that I particularly dislike	I still think it would be a good idea to have a public swimming pool. There are none on West Knoxville. Learning to swim needs to be more accessible to kids who can't afford private pool memberships.	Have it connect to a Northshore corridor greenway	Hearing that some local politicians have proposed selling it to developers	It is beautiful, peaceful and easily accessible
The amphitheater, I see it as a way for small artist to promote themselves, and create a nice, joyful environment while doing so!	I just wish we had an area for a farmers market and an area for a food and beverage park.	Adding a food truck park and allowing some of the property to be land leased to private investment.	None, I really do like the plans!	That we keep the natural beauty as much as possible.	The natural beauty!
The amphitheater.	No Dog Park or access to the lake.	Incorporate a Dog Park with walking trails so our dogs can play as their owners exercise.	Since Lakeshore is on the lake it would be nice to have access to it like Sequoia Park or Concord Park.	N/A	The peacefulness of the surroundings and how I feel safe exercising during the day.
The architect has been thoughtful in his research of local history. I appreciate the small areas for native plants and pollinators, and also the preservation and management of views.	There is too much lawn, not enough trees. Looks hot. Too many "event" spaces that will require a lot of mowing and seldom be used. We don't need that much lawn. Even the famous British gardens are returning their massive lawns to ecologically friendlier meadows. This plan looks dated because of the lawns. The structure is nice though!	More trees and natural areas within the nicely designed structure. Keep about a third of the lawn and plant the rest with ecologically beneficial East Tennessee flora. Start many large trees for the future.	I am concerned that funding for this park will be more than for parks in poorer parts of town. Spoke of these elements are very expensive, and we need to be sure that city resources help our struggling areas as much as our wealthier areas.	The ecological impact of too much mowed lawn. It will not be used, lacks shade, and does not contribute to health of the earth. Again, I love the overall structure and design, and would like to see each of those spaces benefit the environment, not just the small areas set aside as a gesture right now.	The room for potential. It could be a world-class park.
The architectural integrity of the plan.	I felt it could pay more homage to the roots of the land and the diversity of the community.	Needs more bathrooms that are open all the time.			Its great resource for the city and county.
The area for kids and garden	I didn't see any plans for a dog park - the closest one is downtown and way out west at Concord	Please consider a dog park	Please consider a dog park	That it will be constantly under construction	Farmers market and Hank Rappe Playground
The area will be updated	Needs more access points for kayaking.	Add a couple kayak entry / exit points	Frisbee golf course modifications?	Popularity after improvements	Frisbee golf course
The athletic facilities	Nothing really	Not really sure	Nothing	Safety	Walking track
the attention to detail that went into the various plant and trees that will be used	I didn't really understand the bowl area near sewage treatment area	I can't think of anything			
the availability of the plan				potential for falling prey to commercial development	scenic, open, accessible
The balance of contemplative spaces with the development of ecological systems - and lots of walking trails.	More sports fields than I would like.	I don't have any recommendations.	None.	Overuse!	The trails.
The baseball complex looks beautiful.	There is no mention of a disc golf course being put in. You are going to totally revamp the park you might as well do it right. There are more outdoor activities than organized sports.	By adding a disc golf course.	None. Add a disc golf course.	That not everyone is interested in going to the new park.	It is a very large beautiful piece of property with tons of potential.
The beautiful gardens and the layout of the entire park. Well done!	I would have like to have seen another branch of the YMCA located there	Adding a gym facility	n/a	over use	The friendliness of the people and sense of community
The beauty of the area highlighted, more walkways, new playground, sports areas, picnic areas, able to see the water now!	No access to water for canoes and kayaks.	Adding water access.	Nothing at this time.	I am very thankful we have such a beautiful park in Knoxville, much and long time needed!	Above.

The blend of options available to different interests and age groups	Are there too many large gathering-open spaces?	Would like to see 2-4 tennis courts added to athletic or civic areas. Couples, friends and families play tennis. Great job with youth team sports, but something such as tennis, a couple of bocce courts would be a plus. Not sure if basketball or volleyball is the way to go. Also, a waterfall element with picnic tables, gazebos for small families or for a family reunion. Good public tennis courts can be hard to find! Thank you	N-A	N-A	Waking trail, trees, shady and sunny areas.
The chance to have a voice	Nothing	Maybe more timely reports	With park being divided into three components what is expected utilization of each segment?	What's next? Picnic tables? Concert venue? Etc	It's location.
The civic area shows a lot of promise for unique community events.	Lack of kayak dock	Kayak dock with small parking lot right by the river in the athletics zone.	Kayak dock		
The close attention to the history of the land. Very curious how the committee plans to bring out the history of the Cherokee.	Nothing!	I think it would be great to have fitness stations along the walking paths to improve endurance, flexibility, and strength. I have seen this done in other cities in a way that really fit into and contribute to the natural surroundings. I think Zurich is a city that really stands out. With everything that has happened this year, I think people are embracing fitness opportunities outside of the gym and it would be great to see Lakeshore expand on that in a way that doesn't take away from what is already an amazing master plan.	This is really a great plan. I have been going to Lakeshore off and on since the late 90's. I don't live in Knoxville anymore, but my sister does and we go there every time I am in town. It always amazes me to see the progress when I go!		I love the community. I was just in Knoxville for 3 weeks and went just about every day, and you see the same folks walking so this unspoken bond develops. I have seen first hand how this park has helped people get their health in check. Fitness doesn't have to be complicated, or involve a ton of machines and weights. Just walk. Lakeshore makes walking (fitness) so nice!
The community garden area.	Putting the event field and stage right beside (or in) the environmental/ecological zone doesn't seem wise.	I was really disappointed to watch the entire video presentation by Woltz and not hear him say anything material about the greenway aspects of the park. Ask any adult why they use the park and they'll probably tell you to walk the trails (kids of course use the ball fields but on a limited time basis whereas the walking trails are used 24-7). But amazingly the plan doesn't focus on such activity at all. It's almost like Woltz didn't even visit the park and see what people are doing there.	Instead of spending millions on this master plan (maybe do a bit of it but not all) spend some of those millions on connecting the park by greenways to other parts of the city and especially to surrounding neighborhoods. The Beaden Greenway isn't so far away and a greenway along Northshore Drive is a real possibility and other connections could be made.	Over development. Parks and Recreation developers and planners often end up trying to put something in ever square inch of a park, but leaving some natural area is equally important (park development was done the right way in Central Park in NYC and Forest Park in St. Louis where both have some truly significant natural areas.	The loop walking greenways.
The conceptual framework and resources available are great! I hope the resources and plan stay publically available. So cool to learn more about the land-use history of Lakeshore.	The ecological zones are great, but the maintenance plan does not accurately represent those ecosystems, at least as represented by the Ecological Maintenance Landscape Ground Plan. For example, one the larger "prairie" areas is defined as "low-maintenance tall fescue mix". Fescue outcompete native species and results in lower species diversity. For an area to be an ecologically sound prairie, it should be managed for native species using either control burns or grazing or a combination of the two. Similarly, the oak savannahs are in "city park standard grass treatment". My experience of Knoxville City Parks is that the standard grasses are generally relative monocultures, and therefore can't be considered true oak savannahs. The grasses and forbs and associated insect and bird diversity are part of what makes a prairie or an oak savannah. All of that said, I think that IF native ecosystems are restored, this poses an incredible opportunity as a "demonstration park" and could be a great teaching tool for local schools, universities, and community members.	See #5. I really appreciate the inclusion of an urban farm. I think that connecting urban (and rural) people to their sources of their food is critical for sustainability. Having a community garden section is a great idea. One thought- could have a section of Oak Savannah that is thinly planted as an edible perennial polyculture of something like oak (acorns are edible) or hybrid chestnut, hazelnut, apple, blueberry, and grapes, which could climb the apple trees. This would be interactive for the public, who could forage wild food, and also educational.	Plant/encourage lots of native species for pollinators! And then provide signage that explains why natives are important and where people can get their own pollinator plant seed.	Accessibility for underserved groups. It's in a relatively wealthy part of town and the demographic reflects that. I hope that this project inspires the city to take on similar initiatives in underserved communities.	Bike path.
The consistency of the layout					
The creation of gardens and meeting areas.	Moving the Challenger ball field. Looks like it will be farthest from the field house and parking when to accommodate the Challenger population it should be closest.			That it will be a place that offers a lot for many and is well taken care of and maintained.	The trails and beautiful vistas of mountains and lake!
The dedication of space that preserves the natural beauty of the space.	The amount of area dedicated to sports.	Frankly, I think that the Plan is fantastic; I think that given the priorities involved in the design, there is little missing and that the design is beautiful.	Ensuring that the traffic flow be managed in a way that does not detract from the experience that the Park provides.	Managing usage, particularly as population increases and other green space disappears.	The beauty of the views.
The design and use of the space	N/a	I think it's a great design		The only thing I would be bring up is parking. With more usable space, there will be more visitors	The greenways. We love going on walks and the fact that we have different routes to choose from. There can be a lot of people at the park, but it doesn't feel crowded.

				Ensured safety and will the city and county be able to maintain the park. If the plan is implemented and it is this nice, the maintenance must be equal. Safety and maintenance have to be the number one priority. Which means their has to be more than adequate monies in the budget to cover depreciation, every day upkeep and security.	
The diversity of the landscape			If implemented, I hope the park will still be usable while under construction.		The views and the trails
The divided sections of the park	I really think Knoxville needs more opportunities for recreational basketball courts	More sports	Nothing	How long this plan will take	I think the landscape is beautiful
The division of athletic and cultural zones which will ease traffic during ball games. this will help other people come out to utilize the other zones with ease.	With the planned expansion my family and I are concerned that the current big playground near the ball fields will be removed. We love this playground and it is there favorite playground in the area	Include a splash pad or water feature to keep cool during summer months.	None that I can think of	Over development of the property and removal of big shade trees	The ability to do many different things like playground, open fields to play in or have a picnic or walking.
The ecological sensibilities expressed therein. I've wondered for years why the city maintains the entire acreage as mown lawn as though we were to play sports on the entire site at the expense of celebrating the region's rich diversity and creating diverse habitats within the park.	Aside from establishing prospect and viewpoints, it doesn't engage the lake/river in any way. A HUGE missed opportunity. The park should engage its own nomenclature and be a celebrated gateway to and from the Tennessee River - connecting the park and the community to the river, and engaging the Tennessee RiverLine's 'River as Park' concept, thereby connecting Lakeshore to the City of Knoxville and Urban Wilderness up river, and to public lands and river experiences down river by way of the river itself	Address the Lakeshore Park shoreline as a space of enhanced ecological and social production. Right now it is a benign rip-rap breakwater with ruderal plants, remnant riparian/floodplain plant communities distressed by erosion and invasive species. There is presently no place where visitors can touch the river to swim or launch a non-motorized water craft (canoe, kayak) EXCEPT for an ill-placed access point near a transformer station at the head of 4th creek cove. This launch will never be used by paddlers because there is no public parking within a reasonable walking distance of the launch, and because of the perception of water quality from the creek/WWTP and odor vectors therefrom - hardly a memorable experience that cultivates a culture of paddling by park users.	As director of the Tennessee RiverLine project, I would like to see Lakeshore Park as a major trail head for Knoxville's local blueway system and 'river park' that allows visitors to begin a river experience, where local RiverLine users may end a river experience that began up river, or where visiting RiverLine users may be welcomed for a rest on their distance journey toward downriver destinations. I would also like to see Lakeshore Park become an anchor in a local paddle share program/system. Similar to bike shares, paddle share programs enable segments of our community typically underserved by outdoor recreation opportunities, those who cannot afford or otherwise do not own paddling gear the opportunity to experience the magnificent Tennessee River. Please contact me at bcollett@utk.edu to discuss further. Blueway access begins to diversify access opportunities to the currently drive-in only. Establishing greenway connections to adjacent neighborhoods and to the existing greenway system should also be a priority to align the park with its public health motivations, thus encouraging active transportation and healthy lifestyles outside of the park proper	I wonder if the community at large - most of which sees the park as a place for much-needed ball fields to support local youth sports - will see the value of the non-programmed, yet intensely beneficial, aspects of the master plan.	Scale and youth sports infrastructure, views to the river and mountains, running trails
The ecological zone and recognition of deep history of the space.	With so much focus on the landscape, a glaring oversight is access to the river. How can we celebrate the surroundings without getting to the water?	Add river access. More direct connection with the river that has sculpted the landscape and human cultures.	More detail on the way tje park will be maintaining moving forward to make sure the ecological footprint is light and functions stay as high as promised in this proposal.	Not being noticed or accessible to the majority of Knoxvilleians.	??
The Ecological Zone!	I feel with increased attraction and more possible coinciding events that parking may be an issue.	More information about the impact, and how this particular plan reaches your goals.	I heard the interview with the Scruffy City Podcast- I'd like to encourage the addition of technology (like lighting and sound capabilities) in woodland amphitheatre and bandstand areas. I would also love to see more woodland trails.	As stated above, parking and traffic in/out of the park. I also would like to hear commitments for the installation of historical markers or displays regarding the Native population, the mental hospital, and the Black history there. It can be easily be overlooked when looking at the larger picture, but I appreciate the developers taking a large portion of time to speak on the history and marginalized groups. It would speak volumes to make those a priority in the construction and moving forward.	The paths.
The ecological zones	Nothing	Nothing	Nothing	Access via greenway would be nice	The views, space and playgrounds
The fact that it's not yet final.	Lack of water access for boats and paddlecraft	Add water access for boats and paddlecraft		Lack of water access for boats and paddlecraft	
The fact that the plan creates separate zones for different constituites.	Croquet is a rapidly growing sport who's fun for all ages and is a wonderful family bonding event. It requires minimal supervision which reduces costs. It enables older people valuable physical and social benefits which helps a benefit for older citizens which cannot otherwise be provide. The more demographic communities who can enjoy the park, the better for all of us.	Croquet courts	This is potentially a project that can be a real attraction and generate publicity for the area and city on a national basis.	Intrusion of bureaucracy	Having such a significant tract of land and green space dedicated to a park.
The fact that you are finally using this great piece of property!! So hard to walk by so much wasted land!!		PLEASE, PLEASE consider adding sand volleyball courts. There is a HUGE population of adults and children that are recreational volleyball players. We must drive out of way to Concord park and only hope we get a chance at court. Please consider other sports that adults too can take fun in, not just children!! Thank you			The walkways are fantastic!! Also love the newer kids play area!

The farm gardens, native grasses, redesigned baseball fields, the mound, the more intention use of spaces overall.	We are concerned that the Hank Rappe playground will be eliminated.	We would like to see large playground spaces highlighted within the park. The existing playgrounds are heavily utilized and could be expanded in the update.	The incorporation of specified community garden plots within the farm garden section would be wonderful.	The park having an exclusive, elitist nature to it. Support for diverse cultural inclusivity should be a top priority for space design and programming within the park to reflect the full diversity of Knoxville residents.	The full loop trail along the border of the park. The vistas.
The features along the water and the gardens in the center.		Plan for dog friendly areas.		Crowding in certain areas, especially with COVID-19.	The measured greenway and the access to the water.
The field with the bandstand available for events (hopefully outdoor concerts).	I'm a daily walker. I'm nervous about losing views that are already being negatively impacted by overgrown vegetation (top of what I call the zig-zag hill). I'm hoping these are replaced by view in other locations beyond just the overlook at the Admin building. To me, those views are one of the most special/unique parts of Lakeshore.	I have always wanted some type of paved path directly linking Marble Hall and Marble Pavilion - tho the circular path connecting the two structures will at least be better than having to walk along the current road. Also, please be sure there are plenty of playgrounds. I don't want to much "natural" area, I can go to House Mountain for that.	Hard to tell (for me) but I hope there is plenty of parking.	Loss of views & what happens to Hank Rappe playground?	The expanse and the views
The flower and bulb gardens	NOT foster a sense of community or make good use of the land. All I saw was endless different ways to describe enormous lawns (fields...meadows...bowls...terraces) and trees (esplanades...ridges...woods), but where are the playgrounds? The splashpad? The dog park? A place to launch a kayak? Perhaps even a skatepark or basketball court? This plan expects people to foster community standing without plan or purpose in an open field? It's frankly asinine. Community interactions are fostered when the community park provides services that benefit the public. 15 circular lawns are nice and all, but they're hardly a service, and they don't offer opportunities to get to know your neighbors. This park is HUGE, and this plan makes it no more interesting than visiting your typical soccer field. Furthermore, we spend who knows how much money to move perfectly functioning baseball fields to a new (flat, empty) part of the park, only to create yet another flat, empty lawn where the ball fields once stood. It really seems to me like some out-of-state architect is milking the cow here. Instead of creating spaces that would see *real* use (I mean, come on-a dog park!!! A splash pad!!!), we've created a pretty overhead platt of crisscrossed paths that lead senselessly back into each other, like we're designing purely for the view the lady of the house will see from the top floor of the Biltmore Mansion. I promise you the first thing that will happen is every East Tennessean will bypass all that "English knot" style walkway crap and beat	Hire new people with a clue.	I think we've covered it all.	It is a total waste of the best, absolute best park Knoxville has to offer. If we can't get Lakeshore right, shame on us.	Its size (and its wasted potential), the playgrounds, ballfields, and perimeter walking path.
The flowers, botanical gardens, views Love the area built up around the sewer treatment plant	Update is great!	More pavilions for civic use	It is wonderful	No worries	Beauty of the park
The focus on amplifying the park's natural beauty and history.					The views of the river.
The focus on the history of the great East TN area as well as the specific history of the park land	Unsure if walking loop will remain intake	N/A	I really enjoy having a continuous loop for walking/running purposes. I hope that aspect of the park will continue	Construction time for the plan	Large variety of activities. Easy access and parking.
The focus on the history of the park.	Wish there was more athletic fields.	It is very good.	It is great; would love more youth sports fields, but the overall focus is great.	Maintaining public support.	The views.
The garden spot for learning to grow your own food and the native plants		Have as many native plants as possible Add a butterfly garden How about a community garden similar to Beardsley Garden? How about a wishing well to help raise funds? How about an educational section about mental illness?			
The garden, warm season meadow, the native plants.	Dogs are a huge part of Knoxville. I think it is a misstep to not include an area where dog can run off leash or designate areas as dog friendly (and maybe the whole park is dog friendly). It seems very fancy and expensive...(meaning I wouldn't want to bring my dog there...so I won't go there). I understand the complications creating an off leash area but at least add something in the presentation about furry friends. Will there be pet water stations? Are all walking trails good to bring dogs on? Can they go in garden areas, the meadow, etc...	See above comment about dogs.	Timeline? Seems like this could take years!	Will people from different socioeconomic and cultural backgrounds feel welcome there? It's super fancy.	The large amount of walking trails, the views, and location

The gardens	Nothing	More sports fields for our children	Parking is presently a problem at the sports area. Create more areas to park	Vandalism There is always a possibility of vandalism. Maybe there should be a park police. And if vandalism does occur immediate repairs should be initiated	The scenery
The gardens	Moving the ballfields	?	?	Cost	Walking trails near the river
The Gardens (botanical and vegetable). The boardwalk to the river.		No fitness equipment (sit up benches, pull up bars, stretch no blocks, etc.), nor basketball court.	A little more lighting in certain areas.		The church & the HGTV pad with areal views. The open grassy fields, picnic areas, river walk...
The gardens and flowers displays	Baseball/softball fields. Those sports seem to be losing interest and I'd hate to see them unused much of the time.	It looks great, but you can never have too many gardens and flowers. I've never heard anyone say "they have too many pretty flowers/gardens"	Portions of the wooded nature area seem proximal to Lyons View Rd; will there be road noise in this nature area?	Not much. Looks like a great plan. Again, if more nature/flowers/trees can be added it will always help.	The huge hardwood trees spaced nicely apart that allow them to grow massive and become great specimens.
The gardens and maintaining the views	It would be nice to see some pickleball courts, continuing to promote unity without obstructing views. Central Park in New York has courts but has beauty as well. A park is to have a variety of athletics along with quiet walkways and beauty all around. Pickleball is the fastest growing sport in the world. Having some courts in the Bearden area that don't charge promotes health, fun, friendships. You could even create an event around it that will bring money to the park. Cedar bluff just built some and they are maxed out already.	Outdoor Pickleball courts	None	Having funds to care for park. Need events at the park after covid is over. Like symphony in the park. Kind of like chastain park in Atlanta	The beauty
The gardens and the sculptural mound					The overlook
The gardens and walking paths.		I would love to see a senior citizens center.		Safety.	The views, picnic areas, greenery.
The gardens.	Is there access to water? For kayaks and canoes? I didn't hear anything about it in the video presentation	Make sure there is water access for water sports like kayaking and camping or paddle boarding	I just want to make sure there is water access for water activities like canoeing, kayaking, paddle boarding.	Access to water for water sport activities.	The trails.
The gathering spaces for cultural events.	I don't want to see the playground on the east side go away.	Keep the east side playground.	I would like to see a space for a farmers market.	Not too much.	The walking paths, the Marble Hall and the playgrounds.
The Green and and Amphitheatre	No updates or additional kayak or small boat docks.	more parking	This park plan will take a lot of maintenance and several horticulturist to properly care for a variety of blooming, flowering, seasonal and fruiting plants.	The cost to keep the park beautiful will be great. Its cheap to have a "C"(average) park. Volunteer help have good intentions but they don't always know what their doing.	Open spaces
The green mound that will hide the water treatment facility	Garden seems like a waste space. Nothing about more play areas for young families	No dog park! No paddle boarding access! Please fix the current trails!!!!	Costs. Additional restrooms	Overcrowding	View of the river
The green space.	Amphitheater	Remove amphitheater money could be better used on other areas of park.	None	Budget	Greenspace
The grouping of the ball fields together	I wish there was a way to build flyovers for the trail so you did not have to cross the road.	An interactive map would be nice with a brief picture popping up when you clicked. It is hard to go back and forth through the different sections.	You need to include about the existing piers and kayak launch. Nothing about water access in the master plans.	That it is not overrun with parking. I would like for it to remain a park not a parking lot. Have KAT visit more frequently or run a trolley from downtown.	The views and the expanse
The historical importance of Lakeshore as well as the community impact.	I thought it was well presented.	I would love to see tennis courts which is a family sport.	How will the plan be funded?	Nothing other than the crisis we have with our environment.	The views of the mountains and lake. Also observing our citizens taking advantage of this wonderful treasure.
The historical input and botanical gardens	Ball fields	Include bicycle trails	There should be a way for pedestrians to enter park. There's currently no sidewalk or greenway leading to the park from any direction. The only way to get to park is off the road.	Smell from water treatment plant	Proximity to neighborhoods and restaurants
The horticulture and gardens.	There needs to be public display of artwork from local artists, as well as a drinkable water system for free filtered water to all guests and athletes of the park	Include a public system for drinkable water dispensaries	Please consider putting in local artwork that is rotated out annually. Really get the community's involvement. Ask for members to be a part of the lakeshore gardening area - open up registration to the public. For flowers so consider native flowers as well as those that can withstand the humidity! I also suggest utilizing the new renovated park to promote wedding experiences: proposals, onsite receptions, etc. This park can benefit greatly as a gorgeous wedding experience!	There needs to be more emphasis on the American American housing area. There needs to be a stronger statement of it's history and that it is recognized greatly.	The mountain view and being able to sit under big trees. Please keep that, it's beautiful to see folks using the trees and being outside under shade!
The idea for an urban garden area		Better descriptions of the areas on the map - it would be great to be able to click on the areas in the master plan and get a description	It would be awesome to have pickle ball courts! This would Definitely add to the community building and health and fitness visions	Overcrowding	I love the green spaces and places for families, friendship and kids to play
The idea of zones	It does not provide a covering for the current children's playground. The equipment is so hot most of the day children cannot play without burning themselves.	Provide a sun covering for the current playground.	Provide a sun covering for the current children's playground to avoid burns from the too hot equipment.	Funding to enable improvements and upkeep.	The opportunity to exercise and play as a family.

				More people means more traffic, more trash, etc. and makes it harder for people who are a part of the local Lakeshore community to access it. I would like Knoxville to make sure that this doesn't become a city recreation park, but a local park for everyone to enjoy. The simplicity of Lakeshore is what has kept it so beautiful and enjoyable to visit. I hope that the ecological and civic sections of the park are really used the way they are being proposed. We need to embrace the nature of the park	
The inclusion of agriculture and gardens	More sports fields means more people - so louder, and less parking for people who are there to enjoy nature or explore the trails	Parking is already an issue at Lakeshore on a nice day - only concern is that it will be accounted for when adding extra event space; there is no where else to park if all lots are full	none		The trails, the landscaping, the many ways to enjoy nature while also exercising. And it's location - you don't have to drive to Farragut or Downtown
The inclusion of history into the plan....	There is no water access!	Add water access for simple activities- fishing, kayaks, paddle boards. No big boats!	.....	Cost of maintenance	Views!
The increase in interconnecting trails which allows for more distancing to enjoy the park (not because of COVID-19).	The very name "Lakeshore" denotes the connection to the lake/river yet the plan seems to shield the park from the lake rather than embrace it or use it. The walking trails are cut off from the view of the lake and only from the overlook to you have adequate viewing. It is as if there is a landscape buffer keeping the park users protected from the Lake. I realize the goal is to provide something for everyone, but demolishing widely used baseball fields in trade for the new smaller fields seems to make the statement that broader sports facilities are not a priority. Not increasing the size of the soccer offerings misses a great opportunity to reach a broad cross section of the community and adequate facilities would offer a good income stream to help with operating costs. Currently, hundreds of families inside the City of Knoxville commute to Farragut for soccer practices and tournaments. Lakeshore has plenty of room for all types of uses but especially an increase in what would be much used sports facilities. The current ball fields could double as more than one sport with sustainable use. The replacement lawn again puts what appears to be a buffer segregating the Lake from the park.	I appreciate most of the connectivity, but if you look at higher education campus planning, colleges are adopting a strategy of giving students the connections they will make anyway. Most campuses are putting sidewalks where students used to create their own shortcuts. A direct connection between the chapel and the pavilion would seem to alleviate the user created footpaths.	Facilities and landscape design that can be managed and operated adequately is very important. It would be nice to see more pay to play venues so that the cost of the usage could offset the operating costs. Capital is always easier to raise than operating funds.	First, the decrease in use of sports facilities which would give the most people the most access to the park. Second, the lack of accessibility (even if it is only visual) to the Lake. The tree line along the lower lake trail, the pines at the top of the park above the existing baseball fields, and the swell or buffer at the proposed great lawn where the large baseball fields are currently all appear to cut off the Lake from Lakeshore. The plan does not address why. Obviously the KUB treatment facility should be shielded but that does not currently hinder use of the park and it never has.	People from everywhere use this park. It seems to be the living room of the City and its size and location make it an incredible space. I so appreciate how it has been adapted through the years. What a gem for our community. Bravo!
The interest in the botanical side and beauty of the park.	Seems like too much wasted meadow grasses areas, decreased number of functional areas, poor longevity.	Less focus on eye pleasing circular designs, history, and grass lands. Have more rectangular green space that can be used for soccer, football, Lacrosse, Ultimate Frisbee, with adequate spectator space and without losing the game ball in the corners of the field. More water access and viewing for small crafts (kayaks), board walking, etc. with adequate parking access. Relocate botanical areas or agriculture to the hillside near the power plant where it can be viewed from Lyons View/Northshore Intersection. Dog park, volleyball, tennis, basketball, farmers market?	There is so much river frontage; however, the plan shows plenty of trees along the rivers edge, no descriptions of boardwalks, piers, docks, and river access for kayaks and canoes with nearby parking. It would be ideal to have a place to put a kayak in at the upper end of the Tn river and a place to take it out near northshore/Fort Loudoun lake.	I worry about the longevity of keeping up with the maintenance of the agriculture areas and how this would be utilized in the future. The average person in Knoxville is in the early 30's. They are using the park for running or walking and their children are using it for recreation sports.	Walking trails
The large open fields. These can be used for frisbee, soccer, spike all and whatever	I wonder if some paddleball, outdoor basketball, or other recreational fields should be considered	Interact more with the river. Is there a way to have more views or for a field to be right next to the river with a river walk. Also, if the treatment plant could be both screened by trees and also covered or warehoused, you will get rid of the biggest problem in the corner of the park	It didn't look like there was quite enough parking. Love all the green space but may need some more strategic parking for the baseball and soccer fields	The smell from the wastewater plant. If there are ways to cover the tanks that would be better to minimize smell.	The overlook and all the fields. The old trees.
The layout					
The layout and conservation of the current natural formations	It would be really great to have a pickle ball court area!	Add a pickle ball court. Many people in the surrounding 3 miles radius drive to west hills. This would be a great addition			The walking/running paths
The layout of all sections	No mention of lighting for athletic fields.	Lighting for athletic fields and turf for soccer fields.	Lighting and turf for soccer fields. We spend a lot of time at other fields across the southeast and most have turf, but most importantly, lighting.		Location and how it's maintained

The layout seems creative.	Having the amphitheater, the ball fields all moved, and everything down by fourth creek. I have strong concerns about noise pollution spreading over to Lyons bend and the neighborhoods adjacent, largely because of how well the sound carried across the water. This is going to be a massive disruption to those neighborhoods, as it is already very noisy from current field placement. Lighting is going to be a concern for these people as well. Also, I thought there was going to be a dog park and a kayak dock/let in along the main channel. I don't understand why we have to make a massive move of fields at this point, and I don't like the thought of an amphitheater period. Particularly to right next to fourth creek. You can't tell me ball games aren't going to go until past midnight on the weekends once it's up and running.	No amphitheater, add dog park, add a dock for kayaks and paddle boards. Don't move fields but adjust their current positions to be more efficient in placement.	See above	Traffic in and out is already bad and will become a disaster if this plan occurs. I worry about forgetting the history surrounding its original purpose.	The trails, openness, views, playgrounds, and current low key nature.
The lookout		I have recently gotten into paddleboarding. What about access to the water?	I live nearby and could walk/run to the park. However, the roads to enter are not pedestrian friendly.		I like that when the kids have sports, I don't just have to sit there. I enjoy walking/running while they are doing their sport
The maintenance of the walking trails and diverse plant life and views.	The making of the raised area with no shaded areas. Would prefer a fishing area by the river and to leave the wooded walkway.	Addition of plaques with the historical timeline of the park with pictures showing what was there previously. A outdoor museum of sorts...or even a mobile history tour with # plaques to interact with.	Really want to see the walking trails upgraded and continue to be mile marked. Color coding the trails with different length walks would be awesome. We love walking for our health and enjoy the beauty of the park. Raised boardwalks where tree roots have grown under the pavement would be ideal. And having people walk like we drive is very helpful. Would prefer bikers to have separate one way lane as well.	That it will be overcrowded and not as enjoyable.	The laidback feel of the facilities.
The Master Plan embraces the African American's historical presence at the park. History I discovered by watching the video.	Did not address traffic entering and exiting the park	Propose traffic lights at the two entrances	None	Continuing to be a welcoming environment for all people.	Views, trails, parking, especially the overlook.
The Master Plan incorporated the unique history of the land and the distinct three areas.	The fact that the Master Plan does not incorporate a rowing boat house to provide youth and adults access to rowing within Knoxville. Currently we drive our teens to Oak Ridge to participate in the sport of rowing which is especially unfortunate because Knoxville has beautiful waterways, especially the water touching Lakeshore Park.	Please, please, please add a Lakeshore Park Boat House the sport of rowing is good for not only the body but mind, too. A Lakeshore Boat House would be a wonderful addition to the Athletics Zone.	Potential parking concerns and overall access if Lake Shore Park hopefully becomes as popular to Knoxville as Balboa Park is to San Diego.	The funding to maintain the beautiful design longterm.	We have most enjoyed the youth soccer fields and playground areas.
The mixed use of the complex.	Doesn't appear to have much parking for major events.	More parking	Maintain a budget	Maintaining its natural beauty	It's location
The modern take on a beautiful park and location.	No timeline?	Get rid of or move the sewage	Boat ramp or lake use may be nice	Timeline	Baseball softball fields for youth sports
The mound	It no longer includes water access for people to put in their kayaks, canoes, etc.	Include water/river access.	None	That the Master Plan will never be fully implemented because another group 10 years down the road will say that we should review the plan for proper land usage.	The walking trails.
The natural and community areas	nothing, i thought it was a good balance	a;sldkjfsa;ldjlf	a;ldjks	I was concerned that there would be too heavy of an emphasis on ball parks, which in my view, would squander the unique location of the park, and perhaps its legacy as a place for people to improve their mental health.	They've been able to remove the fencing by the river, and the new kids areas and walking paths were very well done.
The natural areas, the scenic views	I didn't see how the master plan incorporates the extensive walking/running path that is utilized and valued by so many people. I hope this path will not be reduced or destroyed by then this building of the master plan. I also was very disappointed that the master plan does not capitalize on access to the river, which is so figural in the geography of the land. It would be fabulous to have a spot to access the lake for kayaks, canoes, and humans and dogs who want to put their feet in the water.	I didn't see how the master plan incorporates the extensive walking/running path that is utilized and valued by so many people. I hope this path will not be reduced or destroyed by then this building of the master plan. I also was very disappointed that the master plan does not capitalize on access to the river, which is so figural in the geography of the land. It would be fabulous to have a spot to access the lake for kayaks, canoes, and humans and dogs who want to put their feet in the water.	I didn't see how the master plan incorporates the extensive walking/running path that is utilized and valued by so many people. I hope this path will not be reduced or destroyed by then this building of the master plan. I also was very disappointed that the master plan does not capitalize on access to the river, which is so figural in the geography of the land. It would be fabulous to have a spot to access the lake for kayaks, canoes, and humans and dogs who want to put their feet in the water.	I hope it doesn't get over developed.	a beautiful spot to walk, run, and walk dogs.
The natural design elements and addition of thoughtful design plans using native plants. It looks like there will plenty of shady areas, too, which is important to my family.	The Vance Link fields hold a special place in our hearts. Frankly, I'm not excited about the existing fields moving. Also, please put in a dog park so that we can get the loose dogs out of Sequoyah hills.	Please add a dog park. Also, I would like to see a public swimming pool and perhaps tennis/pickle ball courts added. The Tyson park facility is overrun with homeless people and lakeshore is a much more desirable location. An aquatic center like the one in homewood alabama would be a nice addition, too.	I'm worried that the outdoor stages/amphitheater may not be a good use or addition to the park at this point. I would put those on the back burner until we get past the pandemic.	I love that it focuses on natural and native plants but it needs more practical things like a dog park, tennis/pickle ball courts, and perhaps an aquatic feature.	The Hank Rappe playground is a favorite... my children love it!
The natural feel to it. The concert stage. I love the natural backdrop for events. Knoxville waterfront is highly covered in industrial stuff, we underutilize the waterfront. Concerts on the river in Chattanooga are spectacular.	Missing food truck/vendor set up area. I don't want to have to leave the park to get a bite to eat.	Slight updates to infrastructure to potentially accommodate events. A lot of people would love to go to Lakeshore instead of downtown for events and concerts.	I'd be curious to know if security measures will increase as visitors are drawn to all parts of the park.		Vastness and views.

		Add a dog park. Many people come to Lakeshore park to spend time with their pets because it is one of the biggest and best looking parks in the area. Most Knoxville dog parks and a good distance from this area of Knoxville. It would be great to have a dog park in the area where people can bring their pets and come together.	none	none	The path the circles the park
The new places for community to gather	No Dog park				
		Add a splash area and another playground. The playground that you add would likely be best served near the baseball fields and soccer field. The splash area could be incorporated with as a fountain area that allows kids and adults to cool off. There are several examples around the country of this type of fountain use. I'm not a fisherman, but additional fishing access points along the lake would be beneficial and add to the parks multi use function.	See number 6. Only other addition would be a long term plan with the city to connect Lakeshore via safe green-way paths to other areas in Knoxville. There are no sidewalks connecting Lakeshore to Knoxville green-ways.	That it will not be used appropriately and will only serve one subset of the population.	It is a beautiful area and is a gem to have in the Knoxville area for public use.
The open recreational fields and running/walking paths.	Not a lot for younger kids to do. Appears your plan has only one playground, which is already in place. How many kids are allowed to play on that and if you expect adults with kids to join the festivities then more recreational areas for young kids needs to be considered.				
		Add at least 9 disc golf pins around the outer and inner boundaries of the park. Utilize the wooded area near the old Mental Health site, up near the amphitheater and pergola, and a minimal portion of the river front.	Please add Many Emergency phones and call buttons placed around the park for any emergency that could arise.	The timeframe	The openness and ability to sit quietly and enjoy the beautiful views
The open sports fields.	The lack of DISC GOLF				
The openness of the space	Nothing really	Add a splash pad!!	Just the splash pad	Nothing I can think of	The playground by the baseball fields and the track
The options and the open space	Lack or river access	River Access	...	Long term development plans vs. the cost of the land if sold.	Walking areas
		Giving us more athletic fields. I know for youth soccer we frequently need more spaces to play for the middle school ages. And I know ultimate frisbee needs space, it's not clear to me if they have permission to use any of the grass fields in the master plan.	I understand keeping the Rappe playground would ruin the aesthetic of the master plan but it seems so wasteful to remove it after only a few years. My other concern is whether or not the walking path surrounding the entire area is still in the master plan. If that is gone I think a huge population would be mad and boycott. It needs to have walking (exercise,not leisure) and bike trails.	That is will never be finished.	Taking my kids to soccer, walking around and having such a huge green space nearby
The orchard and athletics zone	The removal of the Rappe playground.				
		The newly developed terrace and lookout could be a great area for concerts or a outdoor live music venue, with the audience facing the mountains and river with a view, and the stage below. The fields could act as parking for a temporary venue like that. Additionally, there is a ton of open space at Lakeshore, but no plan for a small dog park. That was disappointing to see. Also, the low-lying area near the sewer plant appears to be below the water level of the river... that doesn't seem like a good idea. Drainage could to be a nightmare. Having a pop-up community area for a beer garden, day-time coffee stand, or something to amazement the park would be a added benefit. Food trucks are tacky and lame. But a cool beer garden or outdoor area with something fun would be awesome.	It is very nice. However, it feels like more of a dreamy plan than a functional and practical one. Feels more like an artsy design, when I was hoping to see something that would create a real attraction for those considering to move to Knoxville. I like how open and free the park is right now. if you consolidate and segment it, it could feel very busy and almost crowded in the most used areas such as the fitness and sport areas (fields and fitness areas) I want to say to someone considering moving to knoxville... We don't have a beach, but we have a badass park with some fun amenities	Don't reduce the most used functions of the park so it feels busy in certain areas, and dead in others. Make sure there is a balance of the most used functions (fields and paths) throughout. Putting it all in one corner is going to suck. Sometimes I try to avoid people at the park so I go to another area where I know I can do the same things. This design appears to limit that ability.	I use it literally every day with my family and dog. No joke. I love how open and free it is. How "uncrowded" it feels, and the ability to go anywhere and not feel like you are on top of other people.
The overall theme of the design	Not using the terrain as a feature of design advantage. IE, no use of the tiered terrace that was just finished overlooking the river and mounts. (would make for a perfect music venue, with the audience overlooking the river and the stage below).				
		A lot of land with trees and space ya to be given up for the sake of athletic fields. Those are nice and some should be included but it gives the feeling of an athletic park with nice amenities instead of a great park that includes athletic fields.	None. So far you have done a really nice job. A really improvement to the community and something I take out of town visitors to.	That it will become an athletic park instead of a park that is attractive to many people.	The HGTV Overlook
The overlook with the tables at the top of the hill is beautiful and is the theme that the whole park should carry. It really is beautiful. Reminds of Europe		Consider ways to introduce and encourage businesses like food trucks and coffee trucks. Increase trees. More garden like areas and areas like the HGTV overlook			
The park will now be fully utilized	No access to the water	Add access to the water/river		Overcrowding	Location
the physical-health oriented plan, more trails, walking, hiking, enjoying with your friends, family, pets	no comment here	see next item	idea: develop an appropriate sheltered space to draw "PET ADOPTATHONS" each week...this not only helps the community in finding homes for the many deserving pets, but also makes it more inviting for your public, as many many people get "turned off" by going into an animal shelter...would help eliminate the "euthanasia" rate...great public draw...create an appropriate digital billboard by your crossroads to alert public when/where certain events will occur...and lastly, allow animal shelters outside your county of Knoxville into your park for this....the public will love you, the animals will love you, the many volunteers working in the shelters will adore you!	none	trails, overlooks...am not sure about the events as other than your ball games...haven't heard of any
The plan for natural grasses and a variety of plants is exciting!	There is nothing that I dislike	N/A	N/A	.	The wide open spaces

The plan maintains the history of the park and some of the structures that already exist.	Some parts seem extravagant and costly. It is wasteful to "undo" what has already be done in certain areas, i.e., he newer playground area and upper ball fields.	More integration of the previous/recent improvements into the new plan to save money. Many will see this as money poorly spent during a time when people are struggling to pay their bills during a pandemic. For example, the local school system had a major budget cut, yet the city is spending money to destroy and move perfectly good baseball fields and the new playground that was just built.	None	I am glad that it is being maintained as a park. It is obviously well used by the public and needed.	The open spaces and the walking trails.
The plan uses the entire property	I am concerned that the capacity/ space for the soccer and baseball will be diminished	Endurance adequate capacity for sports	Parking access		The walking trail, the ability to use the space for impromptu gatherings eg sledding and pick up frisbee football, the soccer and baseball fields, the space for farmers market
The possibility to learn how to grow some herbs in my condo's balcony	It seems to have lack of shade on the walking areas	Needs to have public water access for kayaks and canoes or swimming.	Other than having water access for kayaks and canoes or swimming, will be nice having other areas with enough trees were visitors can hung there hammock for a quiet reading time	Having good security, having enough parking, holding some esporadic events could be nice if they have a limited time and/or not too much noise.	Is a peaceful and beautiful green area to walk or to seat to read.
The preservation of natural and cultural assets. Relocating the part of the walking trail that runs along Northshore Dr.	It doesn't address why these improvements are needed. I may have missed something, but was there a survey done of what people most use and value about the current park and was this input considered? I use the park almost daily to walk the perimeter. And, I love taking my granddaughter to the playground (when it was open). Why is this new playground being demolished? What is being proposed to upgrade trails? What is being done to preserve the many huge beautiful trees? What is wrong with the current ball fields?	Get public input on what they want to see and what they value. Improve the existing trails, widen, and expand them. Explain why there is need to move the ballfields. Explain why the playground is being torn down. Add more water stations for people and dogs.	I'd like to know more about the budget and how these improvements will be funded; who maintains the park and what is the budget to do that.	That this plan was developed without first obtaining input from citizens and those who love and use this park daily. That this will be a plan developed and funded by a foundation without adequate public input.	The walking trails, playgrounds, (2) dog watering stations, beautiful trees, green space, views. The shade makes the park usable in the hot summer.
the preservation of natural areas	I think it's a waste of money to get rid of the present ball fields and build new ones elsewhere. Those fields are perfectly fine, and they already have a support building there.	I think it should rethink getting rid of the old ball fields. They could perhaps be updated with new dugouts and stands, but I think rebuilding them elsewhere should be one of the very last efforts made. It's a waste of money to rebuild them elsewhere.	I would prefer that every effort be made to preserve the huge, old, trees at Lakeshore. Cutting them down and replacing them with different, smaller ones, is a travesty, in my mind.	I'm pleased, overall, with the Master Plan. The evolution of the park over the years has been very successful, and I think the public appreciates the efforts made to date.	I like that the trails have been extended so that there are more options for a route to walk.
the quiet places	no comment		will there still be a boat intake area?	that it stays publicly accessible	the walking trails
The recognition of the indigenous people whose land this is and the exploitation of African Americans on this land. The effort to repair and heal the land.	I may have missed it, but I do not see a commitment to not use chemical fertilizers and herbicides. Even in the effort to eradicate non-native invasive species, the use of chemical fertilizers and herbicides create worse problems for the health of people, plants, and animals. The excessive use of grass/lawns will result in a less-beneficial landscape overall and support the use of chemicals.	A permanent commitment to disallow chemical fertilizers and herbicides and a reduction in grass/lawns. A permanent commitment to show substantive support to indigenous and African American communities. Knoxville is strong on the front end, with plans and promotions, and weak on maintenance and renewal of commitments over time.		That this most beautiful park is not welcoming to all residents of Knoxville.	Its magnificent. It took a lot of effort for me to finally visit it (I live in South Knoxville), and quite frankly, I was shocked by it.
The removal of the old buildings	I would like for more river access. I believe that a boardwalk/fishing area along the bank of the river would be very popular. Also, adding kayak/canoe launches would be great as well.	Add a boardwalk/fishing area and kayak launches along the riverfront.	Add more river access.	None	The walking trails
The rendering is pretty.	I do not see any labeled access for canoes, kayaks or other similar watercraft. The Tennessee River system is markedly deficient with regards to public access for paddle craft, and this plan seems to reinforce the continued oversight.	Canoe and Kayak access could be provided along either the Fourth Creek or Tennessee River shorelines. While a low profile floating dock would be ideal, paddlers are used to informal or inadequate access, and any sort of portal to the river would be appreciated. Ideally, this would be close to a parking area, so that we don't have to carry our boats too far. Additionally, a huge need along the Tennessee River system is infrastructure for through-paddlers, much like through hikers on the Appalachian Trail. Minimally, this would consist of a place for small groups to overnight on their journey. A flush toilet, access to water and a picnic table would be perfect.			
The research into the history of the area and land and the plan to develop the park to recognize this history. I like that it offers something for everyone.	I am not sure how the traffic flow will work especially for sports. I was hoping to see a larger more defined amphitheater to host concerts and plays	see answer to ?5	It is hard to imagine the 30 ft hill created to shield the water treatment plant. That is a tough challenge dealing with the plant.		I have enjoyed the chapel and going to outdoor church last year. I find in that as I have different stages of life the park has offered different options for me at each stage. The walking path I would stroll my children when they were babies, they would play baseball and soccer on the fields and sled down the hills when we had snow and most recently we would go to worship together at "dog church". It is truly a park for all ages and stages of life.

The retention of the soccer fields	The design concept is an example of extreme design & planning over reach. While the intentions are admirable, the plan is "over the top" with ambition and abandons the true value of the park; wide, open space. The plan does not appear to respect the growing importance of social distancing. Overall, it reduces the amount of usable green space by subdividing a wonderful, wide-open park into sections of dubious distinctions & directs/herds people to confined designated areas of interests while adding countless yards/miles of concrete & asphalt. In addition, it's abundantly clear that the plan will encourage the park to become a commercial "event" venue. This is a major concern as is the shifting of the baseball fields closer to Northshore Drive & the possible impact on nearby residential property values for a variety of reasons. My sister was devastated when I told her of the plan as she has cherished memories of her late son playing baseball at the existing fields. It's also a huge inconvenience to have to face several more years of park construction/earth moving equipment. Also, meadows, while lovely & ecological are not usable green spaces at a public park & further restrict human movement. What's next, free wifi, a RV park, marina, and of course food trucks. I've enjoyed LS more than most & am fortunate to own a home nearby. However, I believe the implementation of the existing Master Plan is a mistake & poor use of the available resources.	A complete revision with more local/public input.	See above & leaders apparent indifference about public concerns	Commercialization, traffic, loss of a neighborhood/city park to a "regional destination"	
The segregation of the active part of the park (ball fields and soccer fields) from the passive portion of the park.	Too many ball fields, and way too many amphitheaters. I count 4 theaters plus event lawns and green area.	1. The entrance off of Northshore must be improved. It will cause a terrific bottleneck when baseball, soccer and the normal course of traffic all are in play at the same time. Even today there is an issue without the proposed increase of events at the park. 2. The intersection directly north of the ballfields today is an accident waiting to happen. The roads need to be widened and an easier transition for left and right turn movement.	Parking looks to be totally insufficient for the ball fields and modestly so for the soccer fields. I'm not a fan of parking. However, it's a necessary evil and if its not handled correctly people will be parking everywhere...grass, sidewalks, etc.	Overcrowding, lack of ongoing maintenance	It's nice and improved, but still very average as parks go.
The separate areas focusing on health	Didn't hear enough about hiding the waste water treatment plant Any indoor athletic facilities so year round activity can happen	Indoor athletic facilities for year round activity	Traffic flow especially near the Athletic field and Northshore	Funding to make and maintain improvements	Walking trails Views
The separation of areas but still keeping the beautiful nature of the park	The cost				The view of the river
The soccer fields remain and there are many walking trails to chose from. I also really like the trees and natural beauty	More parking may be needed, especially around sports areaa	Na	Frisbee golf, even 9 holes, may be nice	Safety with the many isolated trails	Soccer field. Would like more
The space seems to be fully used but not overly crowded.	There does not seem to be water access from the park	Add water access of some sort... kyak/paddle board access, swimming area if possible.	If not already proposed, add signage along the way for appropriate bike paths/suggested walking paths with distance markers. Point out mountain ranges or other historical spots as proposed with the Underhill location		
The spiritual garden	There isn't plans for kayak or boat ramps included.	Include kayak access!!!	Include more about the the history of the land around the park. I would hate to see it forgotten.	The history is forgotten!	The old buildings are still being used!
The Strategy , there was intent and focused concentration on what to do and how to do it.	It did not include much around the water itself, is there a way to put a man mad beach for the public? Is there a kayak and canoe offloading dock somewhere?	Potentially incorporate the water a bit more - but it may be that it is not desired nor ideal to have an entrance into the water.	What an amazing opportunity for our community. Thank You Haslam Family, we wouldn't be who we are without you.	Ongoing Expense and UpKeep , need the younger generation to take hold and become responsible.	that you see all types of people walking and that if you didn't know what it is , the hill hides the beauty of what lies beyond. Pretty Neat.
The themes of Mind Body and Spiritual Health	How little of the gardens are dedicated to food production over flower production. Food production can be maximized in the current plan allowing for the park to more frequently host organic produce sales to the public as well as provide for Knoxville's homeless and food insecure children. These community gardens can be used for public school classroom teaching and opportunities for community service for all school children.	Instead of ornamental flowers and grasses, plant more edible fruit trees and vegetables in an ornamental and esthetics impactful way. Use edibility as the litmus test for each plant to pass for inclusion.	I think much like the Friends of the Smokies have the Evergreen Ball, I would like the Friends of the Park to cast a wider and more inclusive opportunity for civic involvement.	Accessibility and the use of public spaces for food production as long as we have hunger and food insecurity in our East Tn valley.	Walking trails with the views!!!
The thought that went into the plan.	no community pool	Adding a community pool for our children.		The access in and out of the park, both on Lyon's View Pike and on Northshore Drive. I like within a mile of the park and it is very dangerous to get in and out of either entrance.	The updates that have been currently made and look forward to more updates

The thoughtful approach creating three distinct yet complementary sectors, each with dedicated specific purposes/philosophies.	N/A	Expected time frame for construction/completion?	Is there a public (City of Knoxville) approval process?	That it will not be fully engaged/enjoyed/utilized by less advantaged Knoxville communities.	Strikes a harmonious balance between the natural/organic and more sculpted/landscaped; Water/Riverfront access.
The thoughtful consideration of the history of numerous groups on the property; the philosophical concept and presentation of ideas related to designs.	1)There is no consideration to the short or longterm healthful maintenance that will provide. Current use of ROUND-UP PRO, GLYOPHATE,etc is completely unaccepttable. THE SINGLE MOST IMPORTANT THING IS FOR THE PARK TO BE HEALTHFUL, NOT HARMFUL AND TOXIC AND FURTHER, ALLOWING USE OF DANGEROUS CHEMICALS THAT ARE NOT IN KEEPING OF THE CITY GUIDELINES. 2) The Ball fields, gardens, and entire project must be designed with the firm committment to use only safe products, and, ideally, to be a national model of how to accomplish this. 3) Not enough trees....	Be an example of landscape planning for safe maintenance- including ball fields, so no toxins in upkeep and please add more trees.	in addition to previously mentioned, addressing water quality of the river, and the water fountains...and provide some education regarding this.	Toxic chemicals...on the ball fields, around trees, in gardens, and on grass.....and that the designs and personal relationships will not support a safe environment. Why come there ? And what a waste after all this money, time, loss of sleep and so many sacrifices by so many people - if its all going to be toxic The water quality of the river...historically, the water quality has been very poor. We are providing water access, so this shoould be a consideration.	Trails, original playground and restrooms.
the three separate and distinct areas. Lighted soccer fields and the work out area sound awesome!	not much.		I assume all current walking/jogging paths will be resurfaced and smoothed out?		the views, athletic fields, walking/jogging trails
The three zones and the natural area playground	timetable for completion too long	Perhaps add a structure or sculpture to honor the native americans (Cherokees) if there is a history of their presence on the property.	none at present	Funding for upkeep in the future	The walking trails
The three zones enhancing the beauty and natural diversity of the park	The fact that the historic admin building at top of hill is a Parks and Rec office building rather than a "Tavern on the Green" restaurant and gathering place, and maybe even Inn.	Add a for profit restaurant and gathering space in and to added covered wings to the historic building at top of hill. This "Tavern on the Green" can help fund operations of the park, and would be the premier gathering place in town to show off the natural beauty of the area. Many public parks have for profit concessionaires, such as Yellowstone and Yosemite Lodges, and for profit restaurants, such as Tavern on the Green. For the most beautiful building in the most beautiful spot to serve as a City Parks office building is a terrible misuse of a incredible resource.	Capital costs for doing this project right can be raised, but ongoing challenge will be operating costs for first class maintenance and seasonal plantings and horticultural care. This is another key reason for a public private partnership regarding the historic Lakeshore Admin Building. Their are best practice models all over the world where quality for profit concessionaires on public private property maximize the value of a restaurant and/or lodging facility to the operating budget benefit of the ongoing public park operating budget.	Ongoing maintenance at the highest possible quality	The incredible beauty of the location
The ties to the history of the park and Knoxville. The recognition of the core ecological and cultural history.	Lack of planning for security cameras throughout the park.	Added video security.	None.	Nothing.	The whole thing, especially the new overlook, which is spectacular.
The trails combined with nature.	That it does not include important needed aspects for this area. No mention of a dog , no mention of a splash pad for the kids, and no mention of water activities or access.	Get rid of the orchard and farm gardens and replace with a fenced in dog play area and a splash pad for the children near the playground.	Instead of an orchard that will attract bees near the playground and become a potential danger for the children and those allergic to bees, add a splash pad for families to enjoy. Instead of farm gardens, add a fenced in dog play area that this community desperately need. Who is this park for? Certainly not our community.	That it's not for our community to enjoy. It seems more of a show piece to look at and not practical to enjoy with a family.	The trails, the overlook, the playground and ball fields.
The Underhill Garden is excellent, as well as trying to replace areas of turf with wildflowers/prairie plantings (this is East Tennessee, so there are no prairies in this part of the country).	This plan abandons traditional youth sports areas and is a dramatic departure of the original Master Plan. This Master Plan is FAR too formal and monumental in design. Lakeshore is an informal, family-friendly park. Too many formal gardens.	Retain the large ballfields that are currently adjacent to the soccer fields. Dramatically increase parking in this area. Add soccer fields where the four-flex of baseball fields is proposed.	The entire Lakeshore complex is a human-disrupted area - there are few natural areas. It's ironic the architects want to put a grass area next to the proposed pergola up on top of the hill. There is an intermittent wetland on top of that hill with lots of blunt spikerushes and sedges that a would be destroyed - so much for respecting the natural ecology of the site. The parking areas on the Lyons View side of the park were just redone. This plan would destroy them and redo the parking AGAIN! But there would not be enough parking for current or future trail use.	The future of the Park needs to be determined by public usage of the park, not landscape architects. Where is the data showing traffic and usage patterns for each of the current areas of the park? No Master Plan should be generated without tracking heavily and underused areas.	There is a nice mix of people of different races and ethnicities that come to the park. The informal character of the park is attractive for the majority of the public. Formal gardens are attractive for a small percentage of the public.

The Underhill Gardens and Reflective area is a great idea!	Lakeshore is largely utilized as a sports and exercise park. This new update dramatically reduces opportunities for the community to participate in soccer and lacrosse (both are growing sports in the area), and also reduces the number of baseball fields in the park. The proposed parking does not meet current needs, nor accommodate increased use of the Park.	Retain the ball fields in the area called 'The Green.' Retain and expand parking for this area. Move the 'Display Gardens' and 'Farm Gardens' to the Hilltop Lawn. Field between proposed Amphtheater and Lyons View should be used for additional parking for users of Perimeter trail. Keep trees AWAY from the paths! NO TREE-LINED PATHS. The current main path is dangerous because of roots growing under path and poor maintenance of walkways.	The architects need to visit Lakeshore during times of heavy use - hard now with Covid-19, but clearly, they have not spent time at the park to get a better feel for lack of multi-use fields and parking.	Lakeshore does not have to be everything to everyone. Focus on what it can do well. If you want to go on a nature hike, go to Ijams. If you want to visit mixed, formal gardens, go to the UT Gardens. Go to the World's Fair site for a large outdoor event. Let the kids play ball, and let the public get some exercise at Lakeshore. Accommodate weekend soccer and baseball tournaments at Lakeshore - they bring a lot of \$ into the local economy.	Good accessibility to an open, and safe exercise venue.
The update includes a section on Native Ecotypes, yet those native plants are not actually included in the plan. Fescue is not native, that should be replaced with native Prairie ecotype plants. Park grass mix is not native, it should be replaced with plants from the Oak Savannah ecotype. Cosmos and mustard are listed for the Hilltop-Overlook area, again this should be replaced with native prairie ecotype mix. Perhaps consult with the Southeastern Grasslands Initiative for more information about our native grasslands.	Too much turf grass, fescue, and other non-native plants.	Revisit the plant pallets to include all natives for non-ball field locations. This would provide a wonderful educational opportunity for the community. Native forbs, warm season grasses, shrubs and trees will benefit our birds and insects and reduce maintenance. Fruit and nut producing natives could also provide some wonderful educational opportunities for the community.			The views and mature trees. The location on the river and the opportunity for the public to access the river.
The updated parking for the soccer fields and the tailgating area.	The fact that the sewage treatment plant still will be visible.	Add more walking trails or a workout area.	N/A	N/A	The soccer fields and the trails.
The updates to the Civic area specifically the Under Hill Garden, The Green and sculptural mound, and the overall improvements to the ecological zone!	N/A	If possible, expanding the terraced gardens below the HGTV Overlook to span the width of the crescent to create a more dramatic visual effect expanded walking experience.	Pet waste. Adding more pet waste stations along the walking paths to cut down on the amount of bag left along the paths.	n/a	The walking paths and the overlook
The use of already existing features.	It appears that there is no plan for access to the water from this park. I understand the need for not having boat access and all the complications that this involves. However, I feel very strongly that kayak and canoe ingress and egress should be added. There is enough area to do so in a manageable and environmentally sound way.	Canoe and kayak accessibility	None at this time except improved security.	Upkeep costs and lack of ongoing funding for necessary repairs and maintenance.	The setting and mix of terrain and activities.
The use of terraced elements to enhance the river views and available space utilization.	No incorporation of water elements. The river's presence on two sides of the park should be utilized to provide sorely needed water access to Knoxville's citizens. There is not one mention in the Master Plan of water access or activities. No mention of the future, if there's one, of the current structures that provide water access. I believe this is a serious write-off of one of the advantages of this piece of land: water access, views and the possibility of interaction with the River. I am highly aware of the liabilities that water access can pose, but we have the same liabilities at other parks and public spaces.	By incorporating water access and interaction with the River. The band shell is sited in a manner that makes difficult transporting equipment and personnel for plays, music events, and other cultural activities that require movement and placement of equipment. Including a few EV charging stations at different parking areas could encourage local EV adoption and usage of the park (Go for a 45 minute walk, charge your car. A win, win).	See #6. Add a disc golf course. Just a 9 hole one. Incorporate a mini open-air pavilion museum illustrating the history of the site (pretty much expand the history in the Master Plan video and translate it into a photographic and written journey).	Vehicular access to the park is difficult. Just two entrances, with the Lakeshore entrance being severely impaired by not having a turn lane. The Lyons View entrance needs widening to provide more car storage in a turn lane. Bicycles path should be protected to allow better access to the park by cyclists and maybe reduce the number of cars used to travel to the park.	It's multipurpose use, which appeals to different interests in the community.
The use of the space.	It's using a lot of what is already there at lakeshore park, why not add extra elements like more dog/pet friendly areas, tennis courts, basketball courts, etc to give everyone more options	Add more sports (basketball, tennis, etc.) , more fountains or rivers, dog friendly spots, Bicycle trails, and maybe some camping spots,	None	The poop plant nearby...stinky	The views
The value of historical preservation. History adds value to the present.	There is no river access for kayaking or paddleboarding. The river is a central part of the park and these are two very popular activities enjoyed by the community.	I again site the need for river access for paddleboarding, swimming, and kayaking. Knoxville has a very large number of open water swimmers, kayakers, and paddboarders. The goal of creating a community around the park needs to engage these users who are currently driving to Suttree Landing routinely.	My secondary concern I believe is minor, but the parking lots shown on the plans may be smaller than needed. I trust the experts on this matter as I'm sure they can site many use studies, but the excitement of the revamped park will draw a high number of users who will arrive via car.	The word "concern" may be an overstatement. The park is amazing now and this video/plan show it has heavily invested care takers. The closest "concern" I have is the lack of usability for water recreators.	The views of the river are great! Before Covid we also very much enjoyed the playground.
The variety it provides while keep many green spaces.	As someone who had trouble walking, I wish there was handicapped parking closer to the river and seating at the river. I was at the park recently, but could not get to the river because I can't walk lengthy distances on the paths and couldn't get to the river.	See 5 above.	None	That it continue to exist and provide access to everyone.	
The variety of areas	Limited water access	Improving water access	I'd like to ensure that fringe groups that already enjoy the park (drone flying, model rockets, kite flyers) still have places where they are welcome		The newer playground and the walking path
The variety of attractions to interest different segments of our population.	NA	I would like to see access from Lyons Bend. I suggest a bike and pedestrian entry utilizing the existing bridge and perhaps a bike/pedestrian trail along Lyons Bend to facilitate and encourage use from that area. (I am aware that is not within your purview but perhaps you might suggest this to the applicable authorities.)	NA	I am pleased with the leadership and direction.	Stunning beauty!!

The variety of spaces offered.	It is unclear to me if the playground remains handicap accessible. Knoxville lacks playgrounds in general, and most certainly ones that can accommodate all children.	I liked the fact that more playing fields were in the old plan.			The new overlook is beautiful.
The variety of spaces, honoring natural areas while providing space for families	Early on, access to the TN river was included in the talk of updating the park. There are many kayak and paddle board enthusiasts who would like a safe put-in at the park. Water access for small crafts like kayaks and paddle boards need to be included in the park. There is much emphasis on ballfields, but most of those will be used by the young. Teens, young adults, and adults of all ages would benefit from a kayak/paddleboard launch area. A safe, motor boat free launch is necessary.	Add a kayak/paddleboard launch area/put-in. Many, many people would use this.	The kayak launch/put-in was mentioned in public when Lakeshore redevelopment talks began. Now the emphasis seems to be on ballfields. We have a beautiful river with few access points for the general public. Please make this park more inclusive.	I think individual activities other than walking aren't emphasized. A kayak/paddleboard put-in would be very much needed and utilized.	The location is very accessible.
The variety of the different sections and places to hold events.	Maybe reducing the size/amount of sport specific fields too much. Athletic zone will be very busy on Saturday mornings when baseball and soccer are in season. Also, not sure if there is enough just empty grass fields, not designated green space, to fly kite or other non organized event space.	Not sure, biggest concern is the amount of people in the athletic area at once, but perhaps there is more space there than I realize and the extra parking will help	Perhaps an additional playground, the main PG near the current ball fields can get over crowded on nice days		The amount of open green space to enjoy, and the views of the water and mountains. Also spend a lot of time at the playgrounds.
The variety of uses of the space, both passive & active.			More attention to paths. Many of those in use now need repair or are over grown.	Funding	Convenient outdoor space for walking
The variety of uses. When the park first opened, it seemed to focus on athletics. The first MP expanded the possible uses, and this new plan does a great job of providing a variety of ways the space could be used. This could become a world-class park.	I don't have strong reservations about any part.	Including plans for interpretive signage. These might cover three topics, the geology, the history, and the biota. Ideally these signs could be updated every 5-10 years.	It's not clear whether preservation of existing mature trees is a priority. Some parts of the plans would seem to require felling large healthy trees. It would be valuable to add bluebird houses. The sewage treatment plant used to have some, but no longer. There are still bluebirds in the park and there could probably be more if housing was provided. Perhaps contact Knoxville Ornithological Society to get help.	It will need a substantial endowment to keep it operating, or substantial input of gov't funds. If the MP is followed, it will become a gem that is well worth the investment.	The walking trails. The overlook. The 2 piers onto the water. The little wetland by the lookout over the main channel is becoming very interesting.
The variety of ways the park can be utilized.	The park sits on the river and yet there is no river access. Kayaking? Canoeing?	Water access			The beauty of the land and the walking path.
The variety- there something for everyone to learn and grow through using	I wonder if it's feasible	Making sure there are enough bathrooms	I didn't see mention of bathrooms beyond the athletic area	Nothing besides enough bathrooms	It's huge 2.5 mile pathway I can run on
The various areas devoted to a variety of activities.	Where is water access for canoes and kayaks?	Water access		Nothing	Walking trails
The venue	No lake access and no outdoor workout	Add a place people can get into the water. And also add a place where people can do push ups and other body weight exercises like pull ups and dips	Workout area	No lake access	The running path
the views from the new HGTV spot/ tables	needs access to rivers and docks to fish and boat from	river access	are there going to be outdoor concerts?		the walking trails and new fields for soccer
The views of the river.	Not enough covered eating areas.			Traffic, especially trying to leave the park. Very hard to leave making a left hand turn. Don't know if there needs to be another exit or a traffic light.	
The views will be amazing!	Just want to be sure the sports fields have lights. Please!	Lighted sports fields (baseball and soccer)	Just want to be sure we have lights on the soccer and baseball fields.		
The walking paths, soccer fields and views.		Add lights to the soccer And baseball fields			The walking paths
The walking trail	Not what I thought it was going to be. What's the purpose of the gardens and amphitheater? Thought it was going to be a more community park rather than an arboretum	People like to walk and play with their dogs...add a dog play area as well...have the sports for the kids, make it all encompassing for all types of people	Are there going to be concerts/activities in the amphitheater or is it just a spot for meditation? Same with the other random spots (map won't load)	I like it as an exercising area but the plan makes it feel more like an arboretum environment and that doesn't normally invite rowdiness	The sense of community...games going on while others use the walking trail
The way it focuses on the views and the creation of zones	just wondering about the cost of maintenance	don't know	I'd love to see a dog park area	financing upkeep	beautiful place to walk
The way the areas were divided	Some of the layout for the athletic facilities	Better and more parking. Especially at the baseball field locations. Bathrooms and concession location	What about traffic exiting the park on to Northshore Dr?	Making sure the park will be utilized to its potential	Walking track and a great place for youth sports. Baseball at this park is one of the best around and also soccer
The well planned green spaces and the orchard	The decrease of ballfields. My concern is that there may not be other facilities for kids leagues	Maybe add one more soccer field and also further development of the riverfront	I'd like to see more art, sculptures and monuments to local people emphasized in the plan	I grew up in Knoxville and the older I got, the fewer reasons I see to go there. It needs to be a place people of all ages can go to enjoy	It provides a place for kids to play organized sports
The whole family experience	Maybe lack of new paving for all park roads	Lake shore Park provides views of the beautiful Tennessee River! A positive improvement would be to add at least two put ins for kayakers and canoes. This would certainly add to the whole family experience the park already provides.	Close parking access to the kayak put ins so folks wouldn't have to carry the kayaks or canoes to from from their vehicles	Safety first! Patrolling of the area	Childrens playground areas, walking/running greenways.

The wide variety of experiences that will be available. Love the gardens, plants, flowers, trees.	Needs Access via greenways for biking, joggers.	More play areas for children Greenway access	None	Funds for upkeep	Hiking trails
There are a variety of different experiences in the park		there is no mention of water access!!! The park is on a river! Why no mention of facilities for kayaking, canoeing, paddleboarding, fishing??	It seems pretty hoity toity. Do we really need all those gardens? Two amphitheaters? Will these things really be utilized?	It should remain accessible for normal regular folks	Very relaxed, not crowded, very informal
There are so many walking trails with views. I love all the new athletic fields. The landscaping is beautiful. Love the marble area at the top of the park. Amazing!	I didn't see basketball courts....is this in the plan?	Basketball courts indoor or outdoor would be great for kids!	Sometimes limited parking is an issue at the park. I hope this is taken into consideration.	The cost of maintaining the park is a worry, but worth it! Lakeshore Park is such a gift to Knoxville.	The walking and running paths.
There is a lot of space and looks well done	Not enough water parks	Add water park	There should be an additional water park added next to the others being added	That there will be enough money for them to complete the project	The water access
there is activity for most citizens..beautifully put together,	no mention of the cost to implement and equally important to maintain. No mention of who serves on the Board and makes these decisions...the history of the creation of the park 25 years ago is simply missing. The actual talks between the city led by Mayor Victor Ashe with Gov Ned McWherter and the state started in the early 90's before the Conservancy was created. Citizens heavily involved included Caesar Stair III and Jimmy Haslam. The conservancy website includes very little real history here which is most unfortunate. The membership of the Board which runs the Conservancy should be highlighted and since it runs a public park, it should indicate how citizens can participate in the growth and management of the park	Include recognition of costs and what percentage will be public and private. Do not overprice use of park for weddings and events that the average citizen cannot afford it. Ask Jack Neely to do a history of the park as to how it was created but also the Mental Health portion prior to the park being created.	Will there be regular events after July 30 for the public to comment. There should be a public meeting on this. Not just an online survey	What will be annual maintenance costs in 2024 and thereafter? How much is expected from the city of Knoxville? Will event rentals be too expensive for average city residents to hold them there? Will Board have open meetings for public to attend on occasion as this is a public park?	It is a significant piece of real estate open to all to use. The dedication of citizens who serve on the Conservancy is remarkable and must be broadened so when the current leadership has retired there are able persons to pick up the work
There is something for everyone	Concern about upkeep. The walking trails are pretty rough in areas causing falls. Who is going to weed when it is badly needed.		See #5		It's location on the river (lake) and the walking trails
There is something for everyone. I especially like the nature area.	I like everything about the plan.		I would like to see the farmer's market return.	That there will always be funding to maintain the park and there will always be nature areas.	It feels safe to go there alone. There are flat areas that are accessible for strollers, wheelchairs and people with mobility issues. I like that there are multiple benches all around the park to rest or sit and enjoy the views. I also like the two entrances and there is plenty of parking. The restrooms near the playground are nice and well maintained.
There is space for a variety of activities to take place.	It doesn't seem as if the baseball fields have a spot for a concession stand. This should be placed in the middle where the four fields intersect so families can safely send their kids to purchase concessions. I couldn't tell where the walking trails were located.	Noted in previous answer.			The walking trails and the view of the river.
There's something for everyone.	Northshore entrance bottleneck.	Improve highway access		Future cost of maintenance	The walking trails & vistas
theres something for everyone	I think it needs a community salt water pool	consider those with special needs	regular farmers markets would be great	the cost and accessibility	the availability of the grounds
This is the most thoughtful, beautiful, historically and culturally reverent plan I have ever seen of a public space. What I like most is the way it creates a space to holistically nurture every living plant, human, insect and animal indigenous to this ancient space. I am moved to tears. And I am so grateful for what this space does for me every day and the community and health it will provide for generations to come. Thank you.	Nothing	I can't imagine how it could be	What is the timeline in phases for completion	Traffic possibly. Other than that..nothing	I like the parts of the trails where you can actually walk surrounded by trees. As much of that as possible!!
This plan connects different areas of the park that have felt separated. I can see people using the park more fully with this plan.	Doesn't seem to be any river access	While ecological preservation along the riverbank is important, I would highly encourage taking a look at potential points of access to the river itself. With the Tennessee RiverLine initiative gaining momentum, this could be an incredible opportunity to offer viable access to such an invaluable natural resource for residents and visitors alike.	Just access to the river! Ramps/launching areas for kayaks, paddleboards--definitely not a boat ramp for powered boats, but canoes, kayaks and paddleboards are becoming more popular.	No concerns--just excitement about the potential!	There's something for everyone, it's clean, and it's located close to my home.
Thought put into ecological diversity— Lakeshore's potential for biodiversity is considered and striven for.	Large empty grassy areas foster little engagement from visitors & fragment habitat.	Providing better accessibility to these grassy areas— paths, seating areas, points of interest like gardens and fountains— will encourage use by both guests and wildlife and discourage the space from becoming an empty field of dog leavings.	Encouraged and pleased with the considerations made for wildlife. Hope to see continued efforts to incorporate and protect wildlife within the park in the coming years.	Enforcing accountability with dog owners. Dogs are a beloved and welcome part of the park, but ensuring that they are not allowed to run at-large, that their leavings are collected, and that their effect on the natural areas of the park is minimal is crucial to keeping the park as a point of pride.	The HGTV pavilion is perfect. Clean, well-organized, and civilized— I love that the furniture isn't chained down, there's an implicit respect asked for by the facility.

Thoughtful use of the environment and history	I really hoped to see an amphitheater - a venue that could be used to bring more folks to the park for cultural and even musical events	Make the amphitheater I mentioned one that could be viewed from the water. Imagine having a view from the water (like Chattanooga riverfront) of the park and that experiences differs completely from the one inside the park looking at the water and mountains	The natural topography and hillside nearest Northshore / Westland is under utilized. It could be a way to excite and draw more in to the lakeshore experience	I like that it is not over developed but am concerned it will be under utilized without some development. Do not feel we need another botanical garden whose only other uses is when Vance pitches for KYS baseball	Love it. Period
Through progress, history is not lost	Is there ample parking?	Maybe more restroom facilities for the large area	I don't understand why water access would not play a part in this plan	None	I think it's beautiful and well thought out
Too much open space...use part of the land for a dog park. trails	Add a dog park! There's 8 dog parks in Knoxville and none in 37919. not enough trees	Add a dog park. more trees	all good	allgood	views
trails	There isn't a plan to include outdoor basketball courts. When I was in Schenectady , NY, I noticed a city park with outdoor lighted basketball courts that had a night adult basketball league with referees. I think Lakeshore needs outdoor basketball courts for the public.	Add outdoor basketball courts and racquetball courts.	Will we be able to use the baseball fields and soccer fields for pickup games?	Seems to be a park for the upper class.	walking trails and nature trails
Trails	Needs a disc golf course!!!!	Disc golf course	Please please put in a disc golf course. It's a great way for people of all ages to exercise	None	I do not go regularly now but I would to play DiscGolf
Trees and better traffic flow	no water access????????? are you serious?	Water access!	Water access! A dog park would be nice.	I live very close by and the traffic around the park has become an issue	Quiet walking trail
Truly making Lakeshore Park more than an athletics-centric place with some good views. Like the natural divisions, the concentration of athletic facilities on one end so the hubbub of activities when there are games going on can be isolated from those wanting to enjoy the peacefulness of the site in the natural area.			My grandson enjoys the current playground greatly and it is obviously a very popular place for families with small children. I am glad there will be a playground in the athletics area, but also a different type of one in the woodlands. Knowing how traffic can get backed up on Northshore Drive when cars are turning left into the park or onto Duncan Road, I can imagine that this type of congestion will only be significantly exacerbated at times with ball and soccer fields concentrated on the southwestern end of park. This will then lead people using the other entrance and having to drive through the entire park to get to the athletic area, disrupting the peacefulness and interacting more with the walkers and runners. Can an additional lane be added to Northshore Drive fo those turning into the park?	That this updated plan isn't implemented and there is too much emphasis on the park as a place for athletic competition,	Wide open spaces, views, embrace by community
Trying to hide the sewage treatment plant. Planting flowering trees and other native plants.	Cant think of anything	Restrooms per park user are limited.	None	Not enough parking	Marble hall and the overlook.
Trying to maximize use of land and activities		Update/add running/jogging trails and make it easier for timers to cross entry traffic into park 2. Maybe a dog park on the water	Please light all the athletic fields not just baseball	Traffic/parking	Views and ability to spread out
Updated field house/bathrooms for athletic complex. Walking paths in addition to perimeter walk, meditative spaces if they're not overdeveloped.	Overdevelopment. Small amphitheater for athletic fields a good idea but no need for others, which would require more parking, equipment, restrooms, etc. and interfere with multiuser. To much formal planting- too much upkeep & distracts from the relaxed, personal experience of the wooded, green, abundant space.	Simplification.	I fear that overdevelopment will detract from the expansive, drop-in feel of the park. My main concern, however, is that, even if private funds pay for the construction & maintenance of the new features of the park, it will drain resources from other facilities in less affluent areas of Knox County. There are already at least three horticultural facilities in less advantaged areas that offer specimen plantings, vegetable gardens, educational activities, and these really need community support.	The most consistent use that I notice is on the perimeter walking trail- every hour of every season you see diversity- families, dog walkers, elderly, athletes & those new to fitness. I don't want this voluntary, unstructured aspect of the Park to be lost.	See above.
Updated pathways allow for different routes of running/walking.	More space could be used to benefit more organized sports.	Allowing for some fields be open specifically for intramural sports.	Possible small dog park More aesthetics ie. flowers lighting, DONATED ART	Trash and/or cleaning services	Open space and beautiful views. Been coming for years
Updates	Needs water access	Water access for swimmers and kayakers	None	Disc golf??	Size
Updates to bathrooms and soccer areas. The soccer fields need lights. My child has played there for years but without lights we have to move to other fields in Farragut.	Na	Lights on soccer fields Parking	Na	Na	Views
Usage of space and resources. Expansion of play areas. New amphitheaters. Moving some of the ball fields.	No access to the water for kayaks, paddle boards, etc.	More water access.	none	Multiple use areas, like Central Park in NYC or Coolidge Park in Chattanooga, require a lot of maintenance.	The new changes, specifically the newer playground and the impressive HGTV Overlook. The trails are also great.
Use of the vista and open space	nothing	Can't improve on an experts work	None	Financial viability	Availability to the public
Use of topographical features in the design	Removal of water access.	Keep water access for kayaking, canoeing, and general viewing	Removal of water access when that is the primary feature of the park. The park has hundreds of feet of water frontage that the city is now trying to restrict access to.	Reshaping the natural landscape with too many man made features. The large rolling hills need to not be broken up by man made features.	Walking trails, the historic home of Captain Lyons still standing, large piece of land still undeveloped in town, community park feel without a "master plan".
Uses all the land in the best way possible to accomplish the goals of benefiting the various facets of the plan--athletics, nature, community gathering.	Will take quite a while to build all of that. Doing it in sections keeps the park open, but the end product will be years away, I assume. I don't see an actual timeline.	As noted above, a timeline would be difficult to pin down, but an estimated time each section would be completed would be great.	None	May get too crowded. Crowded now at certain times.	Easily accessible most any time of day, as far as parking availability and room to walk.

Utilized a beautiful plot of land in various ways.	Lack of kayak and canoe access.	Add kayak and canoe water access.	Improve lateral paths and buildings.	Parking may be an issue at peak times.	Northshore access is dangerous.
Utilizing the views of the river and consolidating the ball fields location	Would like a volleyball area, several large "shelters" to have out of the elements like the renovation of the former church. Bike rentals would be nice.	See answer on 5	See 5	Overcrowding during ball seasons.	Close to my house
Varied activities	Nothing	Include a self guided exercise course	None	Save all the trees	Pavilion to exercise under a shelter
Varied use of property	It does not include many other types of outdoor use areas.	Make land use and projects appeal to a wider section of the population.	Include more public input	Many of the projects appear to be high maintenance. We the tax payers have to foot the bill.	Openness of areas.
Variety	Losing baseball fields and the cathedral of the pines(as I call it...a grouping of tall pines in a circle. Just beautiful, hate to lose it)	Make sure there's enough baseball fields. I think we are losing at least 2 with this plan	Make sure there's plenty of parking!!!!	Enough parking	Lots of variety and expanse, beautiful scenery, plants, trees, walks
Variety	Water access for kayaking	Water access	Tie into greenways to get to all areas of town. Security late at night.	Security both day and night	Walking path and views. Would like dog park incorporated.
Variety of areas to gather & enjoy the beautiful scenery.	Nothing!	I love it	Just make sure there is plenty of parking & lighting		Walking trails
Variety of spaces	Would like tennis courts	Add tennis courts to the athletic area	None	None	Topography of the land, long walking / running trails
variety of uses and experiences	I worry about overplanning, leaving no room for changes	We would like to see bocce ball(lawn bowling, pétanque)areas on the flat land bordering the baseball-soccer fields.	replace some of the asphalt walkways with permeable surfaces.Plant trees to provide shade for the concrete table-bench units on the hillside.	I worry about possible overuse, and that maintenance might not keep up with it.	the green space, trees, varied elevation, friendly encounters on the walking trails.Please do not overbuild!
Vegetable garden and athletics zone		Add a dog park, ensure lake/water access and add a splash pad by the playground		Traffic getting in and out of park and having plenty of parking	Baseball fields, play ground and walking trail all around
very little	The plan does not have a historical marker about Eastern state psychiatric hospital, nor have there been any archaeological studies on the land that was occupied as a psychiatric hospital since the 1800's. It appears to have too many fields allocated to sports teams instead of keeping open areas as mirroring the original land plan. In short, it falls short in keeping with the original plan of the Lyons family. Why is this important? Because this land was an important aspect of the founding of Knoxville.	It would help to have volunteers actually stationed around the park to tell people of the original history of the land, and then write down comments from the visitors (hopefully knox county residents) as to what they want in a park.	The park is over utilized by people engaged in individual exercise training. I do not know if they are paid, but I walk there every day, and they take over all the pavilions and picnic tables every day. I even saw them place orange cones and take over half a parking lot in the baseball parking lot to teach individual soccer training. This is a gross mis use of park property. I have seen elderly people asked to move from the picnic tables so their clients can utilize the space. This needs to be addressed to the public. Who has the right to occupy pavilions and tables? Do you sign up somewhere?	I am worried that the vast expanse of open pastures, original forests, and natural topography will be changed. My concern also is that an archaeological study coordinated with U.T. has not been done, prior to implementing all the plans. I realize that without historical zoning that Lakeshore Park just plows ahead, and that input (from citizens with interest in historical significance) will simply be put aside.	Nothing
Views and playgrounds, places for reunions and parties	Want water access for canoeing, Kayaking	Canoeing facilities	Canoeing access please	Crowding. Also I wish I had bicycle access via Westland or Northshore. It isn't safe to bicycle in Knoxville. We have glorious seasons and biking is relaxing and helps keep weight and strength under control. Would like to do more biking on safe routes	Views, playground, bathroom facilities, early morning workout groups!!!! Safety in numbers, really like how many people Exercise mornings and evenings
Views of the mountains and forest paths	From first glance lots of athletic fields, which are great, but not enough parking. I'd rather not have more parking so am in favor of reducing fields or ensuring scheduling of events is a priority.	Very impressed with it!		A way to add a dedicated turn lane on Northshore	Overlook and potential Tennessee river views
Views of the river and mountains	It needs water access	Water access area	Frisbee golf	Leave as many trees as possible	Shade
Views of the river and mountains. Keeping soccer fields.	No additional soccer fields	?	Hoping lights can possibly be installed at the athletic complexes	Foul smells from the sewage treatment plant	All the trails and different interesting parts of the park
views, trees, and flowers			Would love for the trees to be the appropriate height to not block the views - example: at the top of the walking loop, you can't see the view of the lake anymore.	don't want it to become a crowded amusement park - love peacefully walking!	Love the recent improvements! Love that the walkways takes you right to the water - the more of that, the better! Love the new overlook! Perfect place to take my 88 yr old Mom in her wheelchair! Thank you!
Village green and the possibility of events being hosted in park. Ex music performances, festivals, markets.	It doesn't open up to water access or more water views.	I would love to see the park open up more to the river on that side.			The beauty of views and trails.
Walking path on the outside perimeter provides nice scenery and seems safe	Difficult to say as I did not spend a lot of time studying it	See previous comment	My concern centers around safety: excellent lighting, safety precautions, camera surveillance. Have areas that are easy for the elderly to navigate.	That it will be left to decay if a plan isn't implemented; and it will be taken over by gangs, thugs or the homeless.	It appears to make the most of the beauty of the area and it offers opportunities for many people to enjoy
walking trails	nowhere to swim or canoe	create sloped grassy area from which to swim (at own risk, of course) on the main channel of the river. access on foot	main concern is that all water access has been dropped from the plan	we wouldn't want any more impermeable-surface parking, nor any more huge banks of floodlights	walking paths and landscaping with native species
Walking trails	no access to the lake for canoe, paddleboarding, swimming	add lake access	lake access	a public pool would be nice	walking trails and playgrounds
walking trails, ballparks, soccer fields but really want to see a Dog Park!	delay in constructing dog park	finish the dog park	make a great dog park	traffic in and out	great walking trails
walking trails, zones for different areas					walking trails and view of the Smokies
Well thought out	Not enough recreational spaces. We go there for sports, the playground, and walking trail. These are what most do there. People don't go to Lakeshore to "look around" and observe the views. No dog park?	See above	See above	Being too fancy and not practical	walking trails

Well thought out and executed.	N/A	N/A	N/A	In 20 years it will be a big box store	The path and the fields
Where it uses existing features so as to not add unneeded costs. It is also seeks to create a truly beautiful park.	I think it adds too many plants, trees, and landscaping that will take more expertise and costs to maintain, as compared to today where there is just lots of mowing.	I wonder if safety has been adequately addressed. One reason why I feel so safe at the park today is because it is very open and people can see me on the walking trail from far away. With added trees I think I would worry more about my safety.	I would want to keep the enabled playground that was created. I hope we don't lose that. And I would like to see some outdoor basketball courts! That seems like it would be rather inexpensive and would get lots of use.	The ongoing cost of maintaining it into the future. That's why I think the design needs to take that more into consideration.	Currently I use the walking trails 3x-5x a week. My kids played baseball and soccer there when they were younger. I love seeing nature: turtles, carp and blue herons in the water; the huge old trees out in open fields; the squirrels, chipmunks, and even an occasional skunk sneaking by! I also like the views towards the mountains. I think the new overlook really captures that. I really enjoy being at Lakeshore!
Will attract more people to come to the park. Must allocate sufficient parking. You don't want a situation where so many come to the park to watch loved ones play that there won't be sufficient parking and old/frequent users like me get turned off and stop coming to the park.	It looks like a maze from above....will I get lost if I come and walk the old 2.2 mile walking trail?	Need 12 tennis courts...all tennis courts are private...need a few public ones besides the ones at Tyson Park and one each at Concord Park and the other park on Northshore drive	Security at night	Parking	Walking trail and scenery...I wish a tall wall or do Etching could be placed between the park and waste water treatment plant so we don't get a whiff of that smell every time we pass by the WETP:({
Wonderful community asset	No direct access to water. Need more bathrooms	Water access	None		
wooded areas, more trails, the wooded amphitheater, the meditation area.	probably more trees	is there a water access area for water sports? Natural gardens like wild berry areas or something like that. Bat houses. Maybe a higher area that's secluded for telescopes and night viewing.		Just more trails and routes to walk, that those are reduced.	the walking trails
Woodlands area	Just concerned about how long the construction will take.	Adding a dog park.	The more trees added, the better.	It has gotten very busy, so added parking is needed while still trying to maintain the natural beauty	The waking paths and views
You are going to think I am a stick in the mud, and I know this plan was developed by people with good intent, but you are going to destroy an already beautiful park that I have walked almost every day since the park was built, with the exception of a year where I was too sick. Of course, the plan is pretty, but where is the merit in destroying a park we already love and facilities that almost entirely meet our needs?	I am totally opposed to the Master Plan update. If you want to make a real contribution, take all of those millions and raise teacher salaries so we can have better quality education in Knox County. The quality of our education has crashed in the approximately 35 years my four sons have attended Knox County Schools.	Don't build it. Period.	I think I have made myself clear. You are destroying a beautiful park that cost millions to build simply to build another. I know every foot of the existing park, and there is very little I would change. Not to mention it looks to me like you will have to cut down most of the existing trees on the park, which I personally find outrageous. I dare say that if the Knox County Voters were actually well informed about this plan you could never get it approved.	Could I have made myself more clear? I don't think so. You are going to destroy a beautiful park and cause enormous inconvenience for those of us who use it every day. And, by the way, I don't like the sewage plant any more than you do, but I would not waste a huge amount of money to build a hill just to hide it from the park.	The original 2.25 mile circular trail.
Zone system	Nothing comes to mind except didn't see anything for dog park type space	If not already included would like to see a decent size fenced dog park to let dogs free to get a good run....especially important for sight hounds....and then just to freely play with other dogs....also an area for their humans to socialize while keeping tabs on the pets....	Go organic and environmental friendly with all planning...planting...and maintenance.....perhaps this approach could also serve as educational opportunities to teach as well...maybe tie in with Knoxville Botanical Garden , UT and others...internships??...community lectures and workshops??	Unsure	Focused energy of all working for something really special for community
Zoned athletic area to reduce confusion	NA	Include a dog park	Include a dog park	Traffic flow in and out	Playground
zoning	too many hard edges defining areas.	Add single track "mulch" or other natural soft surface on the edge of the paved pathways for walkers/runners who need to avoid hard surfaces. Similar to the major parks in London	n/a	creating enough funding for ongoing maintenance. Several paved pathways are already/still suffering from root growth creating unsafe conditions	trails, openness
Zoning athletics, civics, and environmental	No kayak, swimming, canoe areas. Where are the put-ins?	Add kayak and canoe put-in areas. Add swimming dock. Utilize the WATER.	Utilize the water. Kayak, canoe, swimming.	Overly artsy without necessarily utility.	walking trails along the river.
	The park needs water stations where you can fill bottles			The number of jerks that use the park, take up the whole trails and do not pick up after their dogs. Also, the smell of the treatment facility	It's beauty
				Safety and security of people throughout the park and vehicles of visitors.	The views.
				The lack of a "farmers market" venue.	

			I strongly advocate for a middle school to be built at Lakeshore Park. Bearden Middle School is extremely overcrowded and out dated. Many classrooms are completely interior with no windows at all. There are 1350 students in 3 grades at BMS. Knox County Schools would retain so many students who leave for private education after elementary school due to the poor conditions and over crowding at Bearden. Lakeshore is the most perfect location for a middle school. Sequoyah residents have to drive 15 minutes to get to Bearden Middle. It is hardly a neighborhood school. Please consider using space at lakeshore for a public middle school. I sent my twins to Bearden Middle for 6th grade. After a terrible year of overcrowding and overwhelmed teachers we switched to private education for 7th grade. If you polled Sequoyah elementary, rocky hill Elementary, Pond Gap elementary, and Bearden Elementary I believe you will find an overwhelming amount of support for a Lakeshore middle school. Thank you	The overgrowth of vegetation blocking the incredible views at the top. The lack of a middle school.	The walking trail.
		I would like to see more seating along the walkway that will be in the shade. Along with for trash receptacles and doggie waste stations. A separate area for a dog park and access to the water for the dogs. There are just as many people with dogs that visit apart than without I feel that the dog portion is not adequately addressed			
		fenced/gated dog park as well as some water features and cooling splash zones would be great.			
	No basketball courts or swimming pools.	Basketball courts and swimming pools should be added.			The size and views. I go there to walk and read.
	Wish it included a dog park	Dog park			
				Giving it to private developers	The views
			Additional bathroom facilities would be nice. If you're walking around the large perimeter sometimes it's hard to wait to go! Sport teams take students there to run sometimes and my own son has almost lost it because they require them to run so fast. I myself at 50 often have some urgency and find it difficult to make it to the restrooms if I'm on the other side of the park from them.	Making sure it's being used appropriately for all visitors.	The walking trails.
	Looks like a lack of parking for the 8 plus ball fields.	Make something more natural than a bunch of sports ball fields.		Large crowds and no parking	
	The idea that a vegetable garden will be viable long term.	Additional use of the water and services available for paddle boards and kayaks.		The continuing revisions to the plan.	
					The green space - lots of open land for picnics, dogs and kids to run around, etc.
					The walking trails
					Walking trail, playground, marble arch, farmers market
		More areas with trees			
					Walking trails!
	First, it would be nice to have a summary of the changes. Where did the garden/orchard come from? Seems out of place. Did the dog park get eliminated? A rowing facility is still the most appropriate addition to Lakeshore.	Give a summary of changes between versions. What has been added or deleted.		Cramming too many different things into the space.	It's openness.
					Walking trails

	Too many divisions; too much stuff going on which will bring too many people which brings traffic, parking, safety issues. I was born and raised in Silicon Valley California which has been destroyed by too much of this same "planned" growth. Hate to see Knoxville following this same pattern. Too many people, traffic and safety issues. You asked.	The addition of a dog park nothing more.		Already there are too many people. Parking will become an issue in years to come as more areas around us are building multi-family dwellings and cheap housing which will bring more and more people to park. Won't be able to just go for a walk or jog do to too many people!	I was skeptical about all the improvements, but have to say it is nicer; beg you however to know when to say when!
				The people making the decisions are too far removed from families that will actually use the park	The length and variety of the trails, the landscape
					Path
		I have lived less than 2 miles from Lakshore Park for the majority of my life. There is one thing that I believe you all should seriously consider adding that would be a huge draw for the park and would even generate revenue that could help finance future projects. Currently there is not a public driving range within 25 minutes for people living in the Bearden/West Hills/Rocky Hill area. I have taken measurements of some available areas at the park and there is ample room for a driving range on north end of the park. It could easily be developed into a driving range for less than \$75,000. Since there are already crews that mow the rest of the park there would be minimal need to purchase capital equipment or PPE. You could staff the range with 1 employee and charge \$6 for a small bucket of balls and \$10 for a large bucket. The cost could be recouped in a year or less and then would generate income for the park/city. If needed I would even be happy to finance the project myself. I would like to discuss this with someone if they are willing to speak with me. carytapscott@gmail.com 965-567-9498	Please see my answer to question 6	Lack of a dog park	proximity to my house
	Does everything need to be an ellipse? Feels a little renaissance European, and not so human-scaled, or reflect much of the character of Knoxville and its natural landscape. Do the rigid forms require excess maintenance, and do they allow for adaptations over time?			That it become inviting to all members of the community, while celebrating the identity of the larger natural landscape	Proximity to the water
	no view of the river at all, it would be wonderful to have a walking path with benches right in front of the river	lights on the soccer fields	more views of the river	too dispersive, too big , difficult to use in winter	location
	Facilities around the athletic area	More parking. Better access to bathrooms and concessions at baseball field like what is at the TVA pavilion			Walking trail, views, and Knox Youth Sports programs
	Seems like it would be very costly for a park that I already love as is.			The cost	Walking trails with beautiful views
		Plan must address the traffic congestion on both Northshore Dr. and Lyons View as there are ether inadequate or no turn lanes for access and egress from the park. Traffic often backs up onto Southbound/Westbound Northshore Dr. causing serious congestion and difficulty for both commuters and park users. Turn lanes must be constructed to accommodate the increased number of park visitors.	What will be the cost to city taxpayers?	Traffic and the ability of the city to properly maintain the facility.	
					Open for walkers, runners, pets etc
	Lack of use of / access to the Tennessee River	Facilities to encourage rowing, paddling, outriggering, kayaking, etc.	Both Lyons View and Northshore Drive should be redone to have a separate turn lane to facilitate ingress / egress to and from the Park.		
		Please add lighting to athletic fields to allow games to continue without risk of injury as the sun goes down			
			Handicapped access ?		
	It appears to be far too open, with not enough natural and treed areas.	Have more natural areas and fewer athletic fields			

		I would love to see a kayak launch at the park, ample lighting			Despite being used my many, it still always feels relatively uncrowded
			Careful when creating line of trees or wooded areas. I worry about walking alone in those areas -- could provide an unintended setting for a person to be attacked or grabbed. Keep the spacing open and visible.		
			I'm neutral on the Master Plan update and also rated everything as average because I've never been to Lakeshore Park. My family and I are new to the area. This is the first time I've heard of the park. I've been looking for places to ride my [road] bicycle. I'm used to riding about 15 miles at a time on pedestrian/bike trails. As long as Lakeshore Park has that, I'm happy. Please maintain the trails. Also, if possible, please make sure there are bike lanes running alongside or parallel to all roads in the park. Drivers often drive faster than they're supposed to or just don't see cyclists, which is why I always ride off-road. Thanks!		
			I would love to see a large Olympic style community pool that would charge a fee for Knox county residents. Also a splash pad. Maybe some canoe/kayak rentals.		The beauty.
	There is no mention of a dog park! Pet Safe was going to give out \$50,000 grants for new parks. Did you send in an application? There is no dog park in this area. Most all the people enjoying Lakeshore are walking a dog! I think you are really dropping the ball here! You should make it the law for owners to pick up and THROW AWAY their poop bags...not ask politely because it is definitely not working. Other states and foreign countries make it against the law to not pick up after their dogs...why not Knoxville! What about a place for them to swim in the dog park too!	See above answer about a dog park. Also, what about a put in for kayaks/canoes since it is by the lake? Utilize the assets that are there. Too much of the park is set aside for team sports with loud sound and bright lights.	Ya'll have done a great job with the landscaping and utilizing so many different kinds of plant material. Why not have trees, shrubs, and flowers labeled so it can be a learning experience...especially for children.	That the beauty of the park and surrounding vistas will be lost. That it would become too commercialized. I would hate to see it become a venue.	It's beauty, it's views of the lake and mountains, and the large variety of trees, shrubs, and flowers. And the improved walking trails.
	Needs to have water access	Needs to have water access	Needs to have water access	Needs to have water access	The openness and views
	You removed water access for park users.kayaking and canoers won't be able to access the water from the park. Very disappointing.	Give non-motorized boaters water access!	Water access was removed.	Not able to use park for water sports	
	Please keep water access	Make a long walking route with as much shade as possible			Close to my home and not that crowded
	I have been waiting since it's conception for the kayak and canoe launch and am very very disappointed in the decision to remove it from the plan	Add back the launch			Location
	Would like to keep water access	Keep water access			
		Include water access			
		More shaded areas for picnics; more seating scattered by the trails; water access for kayaking, canoeing, etc.	It's a lovely park!!!!...cut back the cedar trees at the top of the hill by the parking area; they block the views of the river...		
	Missing kayak/canoe access	Add kayak/canoe access		Missing kayak/canoe access	Free
	Needs water access	Add water access for paddling			
	No more access to waterfront	Include access to waterfront			Size
	Need water access!	Water access!	Take advantage if a possible "beach" area		Community use, playground, FarmersMarket, etc
	No access to the water for kayaking or canoeing	Give access to the water for kayaking or canoeing			walking trails
	Amphitheatres		Noise from amphitheatres and lack of water access.	Noise at my house	
	Lack of water access	Include access to all non-motorized water activity. Swimming, kayaking, paddle boarding, canoeing, etc.		Noise issues with amphitheatres	Walking trails
		allow canoe/kayak access to the river			good walking trail, well-used so you don't feel isolated or vulnerable to crime
	You have removed water access from the Master Plan. You have already added a nice fishing dock and ramp, but there is no way to get a car and kayak close enough to use it. I was really looking forward to a place to launch a kayak.	I would love to see parking near to the boat ramp added back into the Plan. Right now the ramp is useless without reasonable access. I can't carry a kayak from the parking lot to the water.			The walking trails and green space.
	In reading today's (7/21) coverage of the Master Plan, it occurred to me to ask "Are the designers trying to accomplish too much within the space available in the Park?" Will what might be too many objectives dilute the end result of legitimate broad goals?	No additional comments	See # 5	1) Over use, and 2) Proper maintenance of facilities. Will funds be available to conduct reasonable preventive maintenance? 3) How will future capital needs be funded?	

	The park should have water access. There should be an area for canoeing and kayaking, as well as a large "beach" for kids to swim. The master plan does not take advantage of the easy water access. After all it is called "Lake shore" However, I do not want to see a boat ramp, as it would bring too many cars/trailers to the park.	Provide water access as mentioned above	another playground area, as well as more event spaces that can be rented will bring more revenue to the park		The event spaces, and playgrounds. It is a very kid friendly park
	No access to water like a beach	Swimming areas	It is on the lake, act like it	Na	Walking trails
		Include an open-air performance stage similar to that found at Jacob's Pillow in the Berkshires on the existing event lawn where patrons could view performances from the HGTV Overlook. (minimum of 40' X 25' or larger - think Ravinia or Chautauqua) (World's Fair Park has a large lawn but not the view.)			
	Amphitheaters	Remove amphitheaters	Access for canoes and kayaks.	Creating a corporate community	It's informal. Not a commercial production
	I don't see why the baseball fields should be moved to create an amphitheater. It doesn't provide for picnics. It emphasizes events. It does not include an opportunity to swim or Kayak.	Adding swimming or kayaking. Less space for parking lots.			the large amount of green space, the walking/running trail. the docks
	No access to water	Access to water		That it can be maintained	Walking trails
				The walking paths need to be replaced & put on a regular maintenance schedule to keep the surface flat and safe	The lake views and expansive walking trails
	Relocation of the ballfields				Marble Hall
	Don't necessarily see the benefit or need to relocate the baseball fields. The costs associated with site grading and expansion of utilities for the fields is expensive and better utilization of funds could be used for other purposes	Would like to see improvements made to the surfaced walking trails both in terms of widening and surface treatment ie. concrete. Provide more canopy tree plantings along the trails for shading. Also, the children's play areas should remain with the larger being provided with some type of overhead tent to provide additional protection from heat in the summer months.		The ability of the City of Knoxville to maintain the park in an appropriate manner especially with limited budgets and increased expenses associated with several of the plan's proposals	Especially use the walking trails and meeting others along the trail. The entire park has many functions that create a diverse environment for the community.
	No river access points for kayaking and canoeing. Also parking at an access point, sizable enough to handle the volume.	By adding an access point for kayaking and canoeing. This could be nothing more than a concrete ramp, like the State put in a Seven Islands. It doesn't need to be fancy or expensive.			
			add kayak launch area		
	need kayak port - one maybe two	add kayak port	kayak port - already said		location, rolling hills and the water along the park
	No kayak put ins are currently planned. Would love the opportunity to paddle the water surrounding the park.	Include water access for human powered boats.			The views.
			There are a lot of maintained beds in the park. It would be ideal to use organic care methods and avoid chemicals when ever you can.		



Chaos parking and roadways	Lake access	Looking amazing.. Would love river access for sure.. Thank you
There is no access.	I better boardwalk directly on the river so you can appreciate it's beauty without a tree line in your way.	
Traffic turning onto northshore, no dog park	Dog park	Excited to see the finished product
Dog water and spigots shut off for 8 months of the year.	BR at top of hill.	I believe that the entire plan needs to be calmed down Maintenance should be a priority, even to the point of being an endowed trust so that this gem doesn't fall into disrepair as so many parks have. Diversity of physical activities needs to be addressed rather than simply catering only to youth sports.
Abandoned buildings and wastewater treatment facility	Tennis	
Parking	Tennis courts	No
The smell of the water treatment plant	Splash pad for kids	
Smell of treatment plant	Amphitheaters for concerts	No
Skeleton crew mowing too infrequently and dog bags strewn along the trails- may need more trash cans that are emptied more frequently. Also needs more security in parking lots.	Dog park & I don't even own a dog! The need and space is there and so many people bring their dogs.	I love it!
Parking	Restaurant or coffee shop	Don't let it become a tourist trap
	River access of some sort	
	amphitheatre	
Not enough soccer fields	More soccer fields	More soccer facilities.
The parts that's really need repaving. The back exit road is terrible	Splash pad	None
Traffic at peak time activities. May need a traffic light	Improvement to all soccer fields	
Crowded	Disc golf course	Add a disc golf course
	Additional gathering places - picnic areas, etc. Even small ones for 10-15 people rather than large ones.	Thank you for your efforts to enrich all our lives! Your service to our community is appreciated.
Parking	Beach volleyball, ultimate frisbee, water feature for summertime cooling	
Road through the park is decrepit.	More riverfront trail	
Bumpy sidewalks	Dog park	No
Never been there before.	Amphitheater for future outdoor concerts	
The treatment plant (which is better) and the inability to get close to the river in more than two places.	The pond, which is way different than the river. It would be a lovely place to sit and watch wildlife	There are fitness classes??? I would love outdoor yoga!!! Please!!!!
Old service buildings in poor repair. Smell near water treatment plant, ugly views of this area occasionally. Dogs not on leashes, dog poop.	Standup paddle board and kayak hourly rental with instruction	Thank you
Sewer plant and the broken concrete along the water behind the larger baseball fields.	Amphitheater	No
Sewage treatment facility being so visible	Sand volleyball courts	

<p>It is sometimes hard to find a parking space in the heart of the park on crowded days</p>		<p>I feel fortunate to live near and have access to such a beautiful public space. I want to say thank you to the large donors of our community who have made this park possible. When I and my family are there We enjoy all it has to offer, but I can't help thinking about day to day events that might have occurred there in the past. If the trees could talk.</p>
<p>Very little. The trail connectivity between the lower baseball fields (adjacent to waste water treatment facility) and the trail that cuts up by the new restrooms (near the playground) is missing (i often cut around by the mound if I decided not to walk the entire outer loop and don't want to cut across the lawn between Marble Hall and the adjacent pavilion) but it looks like it will be added in future phases of the master plan.</p>	<p>Historical interpretation and plants and tree identification/interpretation.</p>	<p>Thanks for all you do! Lakeshore Park is an undisputed gem.</p>
<p>I miss the Farmer's Market and would love to see it return on Fridays to Lakeshore Park. Access to things like fans on hot days when an exercise class in Marble Hall, for example, is underway. I think there is a fan or two in there, but there's not a way to turn it on that's open to the public?</p>	<p>Classroom and meeting space? Perhaps it is already in the plan and just not mentioned? A "water park" or something to do with water (not as in Sevierville) might bring families, too. Swimming lessons? A place where teenagers could jump off a series of boulders they have climbed up is another remembrance of things past....but I think saving open space and giving the Trees, especially, room to "be" just might be more important.</p>	<p>Thank you and best of luck! I attended an event that included tree-climbing last spring and it was fascinating. I went on my own and had a delightful time. I expect I will attend more such special events, plus games at the ball fields once Covid has loosened its reins.</p>
<p>The disrepaired state of the perimeter greenway, those two\three sections of the perimeter greenway that are way too steep for the average walker/runner....needs to be smoothed out. The smell from the sewage plant</p>	<p>A beer garden on the esplanade</p>	
<p>Lighting for athletic fields. Lack of parking for "event" times. Vandalism. Trash/litter. Lack of social distancing (contemporaneous issue). Runners assuming they have right-of-way. Locked restrooms.</p>	<p>Full-time security.</p>	<p>Thanks for providing for input. Thanks for doing a global, long-term approach to planning.</p>

Lack of maintenance of Loop Trail (which is being addressed in the Master Plan). Location of Sports facilities (which is being addressed in the Athletic Zone of the Master Plan).	Interfaith PEACE Garden Interfaith PEACE Gardens promote the central theme of love, peace, understanding and goodwill among humankind. They are planting sites (learning experience) which feature plants and trees of spiritual significance.	In 2018, at one of the Interstate 75 South rest stops on the Tennessee/Georgia border, there was a banner/sign which stated "The State of Georgia welcomes visitors from all cities, states and nations." Perhaps Lakeshore Park could create a banner/sign that captures the essence of the Tennessee/Georgia banner referenced above and the broader legacy referenced in response to question #5.
	water park for kids, baby swings	
	Splash area	
no pedestrian connections between activity areas	amphitheater	
too many athletic fields, too many structures. The new overlook area looks out of place	Identification tags for trees, honey bee hive in pollinator meadow	Keep natural green space! No more parking lots, ball fields, etc. It is a natural treasure of beauty. Recreation can occur at other venues. Keep it open and relaxing.
N/a		
	Kayak/ paddle board launch	
more shaded parking closer to river	Shading of picnic tables	
Dog poop	Covered picnic areas	
pathways need to be replaced in some areas	Lights on the soccer fields	
Slow pace of progress	A cafe	
I would like to see something happen to the hospital building	I feel every amenity is included	
Underutilized spaces and vast expanses of unnecessarily mowed turf. Poor interior circulation and missing connections among the outer trail and other park programs. Lack of river accessibility	A substantially more accessible/ accommodating kayak/paddle board launch area where people can gather and actually use the river in a socially and ecologically productive way. Additionally, a river walk or path along the river adjacent to a more open area containing densely planted zones to mitigate storm water.	
From what I've seen, many benches and picnic tables are uncovered. Shaded picnic tables and shades over benches would be nice.	Free electric vehicle charging	None

Lack of shade venues to sit?	As stated before - boathouse or upscale restaurant.	As to water access, I would note that with a boathouse for rowing, there tends to not be any structures in the water, merely a ramp from the water's edge up to the boathouse. Does this alleviate TVA's concerns?
		Thank you for the gift of all your hard work! The plans are beautiful.
Beautiful waterfront location with no water access facilities.	Kayak and canoe launch facilities.	I love the place and look forward to more improvements. I really regret that it has not included a kayak launch facility
No access to the river	Access to the river	Thank you for improving are beautiful park!
Water cleaning plant smell	Trees and walking area on site towards Northshore road.	Congratulations so far
Parking issues.	Dedicated pet area.	It is a natural treasure.
Drones	More shade	There could be more resting places in the shade, and more dog poop binds. The noise of drones is particularly bothersome and detracts from the environment.
The errie feeling from buildings and historical past.	Kayak resources and lake access Ice cream stand	No
N/A	splash pad. additional restrooms	Thank you for involving the community in these decisions.
The trail gets pretty crowded at times. It would be nice to have a larger network of trails, instead of one big loop. When I first saw the plan, it seemed like there would be more/different walking opportunities, but they are not there.	More trails, and a better bathroom.	Love the park. The new plan, although promising in its visual design aspects seems a bit contrived and inorganic. I'm not sure how many people will go there for a vegetable garden. If I want horticulture instruction I'm more likely to go to one of the University of Tennessee's gardens/arboretum. Some additional local input is needed! I am not sure why this survey is taking place now instead of before the plan was released. How was programming done by this firm?
Dogs everywhere.	More shade. Grow trees grow!	Keep up the good work
Former tentant history some say its haunted	Paddle sandy access	Nope

Parking inadequate ; baseball restrooms are not quality and dangerous; inadequate security for the parking areas (unmanned police booths do not stop car break ins).	An expansive children water splash area with sprinklers far larger than the Carl Cowan area , to include nearby shade areas for observers of the feature.	Love Lakeshore. Dont screw it up
would like to see expansion of trails and additional recreation options: paddleboard/kayak access to the lake and pickleball courts	Pickleball courts and kayak/paddle board dock	
Accessibility	Water access for paddling sports	I live outside the county but work near the park.
	Boat docks designed specifically for launching paddle raft.	
Lack of lake views	Lake view	
I don't like that there is no dog park, no splash pad for the kids and no real access to the water with some type of water sports and volley ball.	Dog park and splash pad. Both could easily be added.	Please reconsider this "new" master plan. Please add family related amenities such as dog park, splash pad, volley ball so we can stay in our community. We hate to travel so far to use a dog park, splash pad or for water activities.
There are already problems with crowding on the greenway and parking areas - only occasionally	I already stated that the park needs non-motorized water access for kayaks, paddle boards, canoes.	
More space needs to be utilized.	More PARKING!	Let's keep it beautiful!
Personally the ball fields, but I don't have kids that play ball. When games are going on it tends to get loud around the games. Some people may not be bothered by it, but some enjoy the quiet time.	New restrooms to replace the older ones near the KUB waste treatment plant. They may be on the plan and I may have overlooked them.	
lack of parking when sports games are going on and poor navigational layout. lack of posted directions to find specific areas.	Skatepark	Great job on it so far, just wish it didn't exclude kids/adults that don't fall into the soccer/baseball world.
I get lost. So many parking lots	Water feature to play in and cool off	
none	a dog park	
Water treatment plant location	Shaded trails	

The park does need an overall design but one with more natural and landscaped areas that fit the terrain and interesting plantings and wooded areas along the walking trail, and trees added where new trails have been added. The newly landscaped area is only around the playground. The raised walkway and some natural plantings have been added between the lake and soccer fields but more are needed. Some of the picnic tables need rain sun/shelters. Near the soccer fields, the lake has tires and debris that need to be removed. We have used the canoe/kayak launch but it is unclear where are you supposed to park. Water should be available for dogs year round.	Large fields of native flowers and grasses in the manner of Piet Oudolf. Groups of native trees, papaws, dogwoods, sourwoods.	Please, create a beautiful, peaceful, passive, and natural park, not a park full of loud events and many cars.
Lack of usage of a lot of the green areas!	Splash pad for kids!	It's a wonderful place for our community! Thank you for keeping it a priority!!
The group homes are totally out of place.	Better Water access	It's beautiful and very convenient to me. Better water access for kayaks and canoes would be good.
Too many athletic fields. Obstruction of some of the best views.	Water access for canoes	Stress mental health and historot.
None	Turf fields	None
Hodge podge of sites and parking	See 5	It's a great benefit to Knoxville. Thanks for continuing to improve it. Remember it's not all about team sports. It's a park.
I like everything		I love the park, thank you for all you are doing to maintain and improve
Sadly the more folks learn about lakeshore the more crowded it is and i have been walking here for over ten years so the amount of people has increased, but i can understand why	more restrooms	love this place!
It is not really connected to the current greenway network. We need a way to bike/walk from surrounding neighborhoods. This would help with parking a lot. Also, let's get a bathroom on the west side!	Mountain bike trails and skills section would be great.	Please keep the big trees!
Sports complexes.	River access/ water walks.	Lake Shore is a fantastic facility. It would be great if it had river access for motor boats to dock and access the park.
Too much open, unshaded area	Forest	Water access (kayaks, SUP) would be nice
No dog park	Dog park	
Poor drainage on the soccer fields	Basketball courts	The recent improvements are wonderful.
Some buildings need updating	Water fountains for play	The lighting at night is lovely
I wish the dead trees could be removed. But I know all that takes time.	Shaded picnic areas. Removal of the fence around the park.	I am completely overcome with the work of Nelson Byrd and Woltz and am grateful that Knoxville will have such an outstanding place for residents and visitors to learn about and enjoy the natural beauty of East Tennessee.
Parking is not great. The more amenities that are added, the more the park is used, the more need for parking.	Swimming pool	

<p>The dog doo and fire ants! I counted 60 fire ant mounds when I walked through last August. Between the dog mess and fire ants, I'm afraid to leave the pathways to picnic, fly kites, watch clouds on the grass.</p>	<p>Botanic garden</p>	<p>It's a treasure!</p>
<p>A bit hilly</p>	<p>It needs nothing</p>	
<p>The view area around the administration building.</p>		
<p>Nothing.</p>	<p>Add a second large playground for the kids.</p>	<p>I love the overlook. And wouldn't mind minimal change but lakeshore is so beautiful the way that it is.</p>
<p>We need a light at the entrance.</p>	<p>Boathouse that allowed jr rowers.</p>	<p>A small middle school would be fantastic there.</p>
		<p>Survey is way too long</p>
<p>when it is super busy</p>	<p>I would add a drink and snack machines</p>	<p>Lakeshore park is a very good place to walk please don't mess it up!</p>
<p>Frankly, I'm not that keen on the athletic fields and how they predominate huge parts of the park.</p>	<p>Enhancement of public facilities in the riparian zone with opportunities to learn about the natural history and ecology of the Tennessee River.</p>	<p>I like how Nelson Bird Woltz Landscape Architects have highlighted more native natural diversity. Native plants and ecosystems are valuable.</p>

	Dog park!!	
No water access	Water access	
Last time I was at Lakeshore I was at the Marble Pavilion walking back to my car and I smelled dog poo. I'm wondering if the park has stations to deposit dog waste.	Stormwater Demonstrations and Solar / Electric Vehicle Charging.	Keep up the good work. Very exciting improvements.
I think there needs to be more signage letting us know where things are. Easy to get lost or know what some things are.	Dog park, 100%. I'm surprised that hasn't been done yet. Would love to hear the reasoning why we wouldn't have one!	Love the park! So excited for all the new things to come!
It can be hard to navigate when it is really crowded. But some of that also has to do with the construction that has happened. It needs to be repaved.	Dog park	
		Thank you for helping make a safe and fun park for our family to visit.
the old buildings that are not taken care of	In Charlotte NC, they have Freedom Park, in which there is an obstacle course for kids. Since there is already a play-scape of younger kids at Lakeshore, I think something more difficult like an obstacle course for older kids/adult would be great.	
I don't think the acreage is being used as it could be.	Picnic areas and more shade trees. Designated Food Truck park.	
	Dog Park	Thanks for all the hard work
I wish there was a dog park.	1. dog park 2. water access for kayaks, paddle boarding, etc.	
N/A	Fruit trees!	I'm excited to see the new changes
Traffic flow in and out	Dog Park - ideally on the water	Thank you
I would love a full fence around the large playground. It is so close to the parking lots and kids could easily run out.	We would love a splash pad for hot summer days!	We absolutely love this park- it is one of our favorite things about Knoxville!! We love the playgrounds (when they are able to be opened) and love the walking loop! Thank you for all the work with this beautiful park!

Not all of the walkways are updated and there are parts that are still pretty dangerous. I also still don't feel safe walking there at night.	A dog park would be great!	N/A! I appreciate the opportunity for community input!
The roads within the park can be confusing.	I would take away an amphitheater.	
There is no river access for small boats, such as kayaks, paddle boards and canoes or swimming areas at a public sand beach.	River access for small boats, canoes, kayaks, paddle boards, etc.	Please consider adding water front access to the plan for Lakeshore Park.
	Indoor gym facility. Basketball/pickle ball/ tennis courts.	Go back to the original master plan. Yes, maybe it wasn't as beautiful from an aerial view as this plan looks. But it was way more functional and had way more features. Why spend more money to lose more items.
Honestly, nothing. I love it.	I would add either a splash pad or playground equipment like is at the Karnes Lions Club All Inclusive Playground.	Thank you for always looking to improve this wonderful gem!
I feel like there is a lot of empty space that can be utilized.	I would add a fenced in dog park, with a "dog playground."	I was born and raised on Northshore, and I'll be there until the day I die. I'm very excited that y'all are planning this project, and I can't wait for this to be finished. I just graduated from UTK, but I look forward to donating and helping with plans in the future.
The older maintenance building, the smell from the water treatment plant, and the lack of flowers.	An accessible kayak launch.	I love Lakeshore Park and have been going there for years now. When I left Knoxville for a decade and just moved back, I specifically looked for homes near the park because I love it so much. Thank you for all the time, effort, and thought that you are putting in to make it an even more wonderful park than it already is. I'm so thankful and excited!
I feel like there is a good amount of the park that does not get utilized or is overlooked/neglected.	Water fountains. Or more bathrooms.	It's great! im going tomorrow!
You can see the river from a distance, but I always wish there was more access to the river. I love the "landing" and dock created that allows access to the river and views. I also so appreciate the meandering path element ("boardwalk") part of the path that leads to a "dock"/sitting area. I wish the path could go along next to the river more, perhaps like the boardwalk area around Ijams? The berm between the river and path frustrates me a bit and the wooded/fenced area to the east seems to be a great place for closer access to the river.. perhaps this is in the plan. I have reviewed it, but not studied details in pathways..	see number 10, number 4. For Number 12 (below), it is difficult to rate the restrooms. The new one is amazing, love the design. The old one I assume will be changed.. the old one is functional, but not beautiful... Also, when I am rated the park in Number 12 below, I dont know if I should rate it as it is currently which is half realized, or as is? I will rate as is, which will be a lot of good and average, as to balance the new updates with the older parts that will be eventually changed.. this includes facilities and use.	I have not visited the park with a disabled friend or family member, but this is really important to me. I assume as thorough and thoughtful as you are approaching this plan, it will be well thought out, not just to meet code requirements. I hope you can get some disabled members of the community to thoroughly visit the park and review/make recommendations.
Needs more development.	Water access.	

seems disjointed	water feature	
Lack of Pickleball courts	Pickleball courts	Add Pickleball courts
The access road from Northshore is very narrow leading to the current parking lot by the ball fields	Kayak launch with parking near by	
No lights at the soccer fields	None	
The roads and parking.	Place for yoga, picnicing, studying. Flat ground area with low turf.	n/a
Would love cameras. My purse was stolen out of a car there and would have loved that security feature to protect it. Also that it is located by the smelly water plant.	Basketball court	
It does not have a enough garage disposal bins for dog excrement along the walking trail. My dog must somehow use the bathroom immediately upon parking for me to throw away his trash at the start of my walk or I must hold it in my hand until the half way point where the ball fields are and then after that there are only two other large bins placed along crosswalks for garbage. I wish a few more were added along the trail, such as at the bottom of the steep sloping hill near the boardwalk.	I would add a dog park, a larger playground for the children, and an area of fountains or something with a water feature.	The video was a wonderful history and design/agricultural and architectural plan for the park. This is an already wonderful park that I hope will continue to improve!
Waste treatment plant is in plane site.	Basketball Courts	
Wish there was access to nets for soccer, like in Farragut public parks.	Basketball courts, soccer fields for non-competitive purposes.	
While the location of the park is right on the water, there is no way to access it. This is disappointing and ironic for a park named Lakeshore	One improvement that I believe would see a lot of use is a kayak launch. This would provide access to the sprawling lake shore that the park is known for and enable a whole other group of people to enjoy the park. This would not only enable paddlers to enjoy the shoreline of the park, but would create the opportunity to take trips from Lakeshore to other nearby parks with kayak access, such as Sequoia and IC King. I strongly feel that this would be a popular and cherished improvement to Lakeshore Park.	This is a great park and has incredible potential. I can't wait to see what improvements are in store!
The unkept and unmaintained walking paths.	Garden space.	This park is the best park I have been to in terms of site, accessibility, maintenance, and overall enjoyment. I think that all aspects of the park bring about contemplation, health, and overall cultural wellness. I think that the Updated MasterPlan by Nelson Byrd Woltz embellishes on these concepts and conveys the existing message in an augmented and inspirational way.
Restrooms not open on weekends	Restrooms	I (we) do like the place and would really like to use it for non-profit events but the cost is just to high
my only complaint prior to the renovation was that i felt there wasn't enough community engagement outside of the baseball fields. i feel these renovations will solve that problem	i would really love to have a waterfront community sitting / lounge area. a place where people can come to maybe have small bonfires and lounge after going for long walks to rest and be together!	N/A

	In the eastern zone, a facility that would be designated as a space of spiritual retreat, a place possibly partially covered for inclement weather but also open to the outdoors, an area designated as a place of silence and for contemplative reflection.	First, I hope that any future Park ceremonies of dedication will include official invitations to and participation by leaders of both the Eastern and Western Bands of the Cherokee people. Second, not about Lakeshore Park per se, but I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dee Haslam and all the other people who have generously volunteered their time and effort to update this valuable resource for the people of Knoxville and East Tennessee.
	Kayak launch	
Water fountains and dog fountains do not work	DOG PARK!!	A dog park would be awesome!
Bumps in the trails. The odor emanating from the shitfarm.	grills and picnic tables.	The plan looks brilliant. Great job in finding such forward thinking architects.
na	selfishly, I would like an ice rink to be able to skate and play curling on.	
The torn up sections of the greenway due to roots and broken cement.	More picnic tables or grills.	
The condition of the walking trails	Water access for canoing/kayaking.	
I dislike the areas where tree roots have grown up. It needs to be smoothed over, and a new bathroom with air in place of the oldest one.	A sidewalk from the chapel to the pavilion close by. Also a basketball court.	
No kayak take-out parking.	Workout/exercise area with pull up bars, parallel bars, etc.	
Concern about large area dedicated to ball fields.	Art, sculpture garden.	Thanks for creating another opportunity to be outdoors in Knoxville.
the large tree roots causing tripping hazards on the trails	ability to use fourth creek for kayaking, paddle-boarding etc.	
Just seems a little neglected. I wish a bunch of great trees had been planted years ago.	Canoe and kayak access.	It is a Knoxville Treasure. Let's keep its Knoxville character
Concerns that it will be overly used for athletic fields.	Bicycle-specific pathways.	Keep up the great work!
Not enough areas for people to practice yoga, tai chi, music...	À vélodrome	
Middle of park doesn't have good paths and the space is not utilized	A good kayak launch with parking at the launch	No
It doesn't have a dog park	Definitely a dog park	Please add a dog park! We love the park and would love to see a place where we can let our dog off leash

<p>The sewer treatment plant and the smell if I catch it the wrong time of day. I very much dislike that there is no dog park. Why in this part of town do we not have one?</p>	<p>A DOG PARK! And water access. I know that's two, but we need both.</p>	<p>Sometimes simple is best. Please don't change Lakeshore so that it's unrecognizable.</p>
<p>The access to the river is paltry. Can't even find it.</p>	<p>River features and access!!!</p>	<p>The master plan wipes clean any vestige of the historic nature of this facility.</p>
<p>1) Lack of lighting for soccer fields. 2) Uneven broken pavement on the walking path surrounding the park on the lakeshore side.</p>	<p>Lighting of soccer fields.</p>	<p>Our family uses Lakeshore Park quite frequently and greatly appreciate the expansive natural environment it provides. It is convenient for us and for many of the other families we know whose children play there as well.</p>
<p>Nothing to dislike for me</p>	<p>More trash cans for people who walk their dogs.....</p>	<p>Looking forward to seeing what happens next...</p>
<p>the surface on the south east section a west section need to be smoothed. The last 5 years the tree root systems have made those sections treacherous for the elderly. Being in my late 50's I even have a stumble now and then.</p>	<p>more community activities. The few craft weekends are fun. And doggie church as it was before Covid 19. The farmers market leaving was a little sad, but obviously it was under utilized.</p>	<p>lakeshore is a great park. There are very few problems that would alert me as safety concern. I spend 1.25 hours a day (lunchtime) and 2 or 3 hrs some weekends walking and running. I personally feel safe at such a large park. There is a small presence of law enforcement. As more people use the park, there may be a need to look at a more frequent KPD presence.</p>
<p>The water treatment facility however I understand that it's necessary. A wall could be built to hide part of it maybe.</p>	<p>Boat ramp for personal water craft</p>	<p>Thank you for the renovations. They are beautiful so far.</p>
<p>Few areas for parking.</p>	<p>Parking that provides easy access to all 3 districts of the park.</p>	<p>I really like the ideas in the planning stage and look forward to visiting more after it's finished.</p>

The poop bags on the ground.	Increase the peripheral path to maximum size.	No.
Too many baseball fields and not enough soccer fields.	A rowing(scul) dock.	job well done-thank you
I love it.	Nothing	Thank you for letting me share my thoughts.
	For athletics, tennis courts. For the natural section, outdoor classroom.	
Exiting the park onto Lakeshore Drive on the west can be very dangerous especially during rush hour. The water treatment plant next door, but there is nothing you can do about that other than what you are doing with the earthen wall.	See response to number 6.	Thanks for all of your work.
Mostly open rec fields, exposed and hot	Trees along all paths	

Not enough trees	As mentioned, trees	
No sprinklers	Sprinklers! Water!	No :)
Accessing from Northshore without a turn lane there. Taking a left from Northshore or onto Northshore can be very difficult at certain times of the day.	A bigger boardwalk along the water or a very large flower garden (think International Rose Test Garden in Portland, OR)	We've loved the changes we've seen the past few years and look forward to what the park will become.
The amount of open space that's just grass.	A swimming pool. The area has a conspicuous lack of public pools.	
The smells from the water treatment area.	Turf fields, sand volleyball courts, disc golf, fishing piers	
Again, no disc golf course	Disc golf course	
the walking paths are in need of repair	a bike trail	n/a
The way the water treatment plant smells sometimes.	Basketball and/or tennis courts for people who want to play a non-organized or small group sport. The walking paths are great, but there's not a lot of other options for adults to exercise.	Added security features would make it feel safer when it's darker outside. It's not a huge issue during the summer but during the winter it never feels safe to go anywhere by yourself at night. If there were call stations along the walking path to alert security/police similar to what you see on college campuses, that would be a huge bonus. It would also be handy in the event of a medical emergency on some of the more isolated parts of the park near the water.
Nothing	Just the question about restrooms above	Thank you for your thoughtful care of this public space. I believe that the updates you propose will both beautify it and set the legacy for it to endure.
Nothing, except that I hope it's ok to walk on the grass sometimes. Most people don't do it. I do, especially in this time of covid.	Dog park!	Just one about the survey: The question regarding disability should have a "not applicable" answer. I'm not disabled, and I don't go there with people who are.
The traffic involved in getting to it, especially the 2 lane road of Lyons View, which has traffic from multiple 4-lane, heavily-traveled roads funneled into it.	A location that could accomodate food trucks (who shouldn't have to pay a fee but a percentage of sales to set up there.)	I appreciate the update & hope the public is kept informed of changes & progress in implementing the plans.
Lack of access to the waterfront, lack of picnic facilities and locked restrooms in chapel.	A broad stair stepped area leading down to the river with fishing piers, kayak and canoe ramp, restrooms and rental concession.	I'm not sure why the park needs to be managed by a separate board. I think the city parks department does an excellent job at most other area parks, especially Ijams, and would like to see similar approach at Lakeshore.

<p>It does not include any representation of the approximately 6,000 veterans buried across the street</p>	<p>BELIEVE IN AMERICA, Inc. 7504 Timber Glen Trail, Knoxville, TN 37938-3419 Phone: 865-925-3419 or Cell 865-566-8987 E-Mail: ibelieveinamerica@yahoo.com Subject: Changing the name of Lakeshore Park to Veterans Park at Lakeshore From the first shot of the Revolutionary War at the Battle of Lexington on April 19, 1775 (later known as "The Shot Heard Round the World"), Americans have stood up for freedom. For more than two centuries, their stand/battle/fight for freedom has continued at home and around the globe. Like many of our ancestors who fought in the Revolutionary War, there are men and women today who say "My country is more important than my life" and are willing to lay down their lives to prove it. Just look a couple of blocks away on Lyons View Pike! See the thousands of graves at East Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery. Those who are buried there are prime examples of patriots who sacrificed so much for America. National and State Cemeteries, private cemeteries, little cemeteries in churchyards scattered throughout these United States--and even in other countries around the world-- all contain the bodies of those who gave their all for America. John Hancock, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson and the others who bravely signed the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776, pledged their "Lives," their "Fortunes," and their "Sacred Honor" to each other and to freedom. Today, we hear the expression: Military members sign a blank check to their country. That blank check can be cashed at any moment in</p>	<p>It would if this tribute to veterans and their families could be completed by Veterans Day!</p>
<p>The new greenway doesn't have any shade. Plus, it's hard to anticipate finding shelter in a thunderstorm.</p>	<p>Shelter</p>	
<p>Parking is a bit limited in spots where you might like to have more.</p>	<p>boat dock</p>	<p>don't fuck up the parking</p>
<p>The walking/jogging path is in terrible repair and a couple of the hills are far too steep.</p>		<p>The recent upgrades have made the park a great place to visit.</p>
<p>No pickleball courts, only adult activity is walking/jogging on the trail</p>	<p>Pickleball courts</p>	<p>I love all the updates, was disappointed when the YMCA didn't get added in the park.</p>
<p>Sewage plant as a neighbor.</p>	<p>The proposed garden would be awesome. Maybe a community component to that? "Rent-a-bed".</p>	
<p>Lack of suitable and convenient access to the water for kayaking and canoeing. Lack of rental storage for boats.</p>	<p>Adequate rental storage for kayaks. If offered in the Master Plan, such storage would have to meet a sizable demand. Could this service be contracted out to River Sports Outfitters?</p>	<p>It's such a city treasure!</p>
<p>The treatment plant next door</p>	<p>Dog park area Access to the river for non motorized boaters</p>	
<p>Parking</p>	<p>Pier and better water access and amenities and bandshell for concerts like Chastain Park in Atlanta</p>	<p>Need bandstands for concerts on the lawn. 2 or 3 places for live music in natural setting</p>
<p>The over abundance of youth athletic fields.</p>	<p>Better access to the Tennessee River.</p>	<p>I applaud Tom McAdams and the board and it's vision and tenacity in keeping the dream alive.</p>
<p>The smell from the water treatment facility.</p>	<p>Change soccer fields to turf and add lights to those fields.</p>	<p>I think this is currently a great space for families.</p>
<p>No one practices social distancing.</p>	<p>Larger outdoor venue.</p>	
<p>It's hard to figure out where to go when you drive into to the park to find walking trails, etc.</p>	<p>A middle school.</p>	

	Access to the lake.	Why is lake access not provided in the Master Plan?
	See above dog park	
Hard to get to, layout is confusing when entering by bike on the path from Ijams	Water access for kayaks	I work in zip code 37920
No place to enjoy water activities	Fishing piers	Very well kept park great for families just add some fishing piers and access to the water
there is no tree areas and no access to the river	wooded area for wildlife to live	a dog area would be nice. fenced in. an area for small dog and an area for large dogs. where you can take them off there leash and let them run for a couple minutes
rumble paths and people who bag their dog waste but them leave the bags by the path		
nothing	fountain	Thank you for turning a dark place into a beautiful one.
The remaining buildings from the mental health facilities (with exception to the original building on the top of the hill) are industrial and unattractive. I realize they're leftover from the mental health era but they detract from the park atmosphere.	Pickle ball courts!	I appreciate the planned improvements.
Lots of athletic fields	Raingarden	
No dog park :)	See above	No thank you
It is a hodgepodge of space and use.	Boat ramp	Love the plan
It stinks when you walk down by the water tanks. Signage and parking areas aren't super clear.	A piano or organ inside the cathedral that can be played by anyone who wishes to play it.	No.

Unused space	River access for kayaks	No
Not enough lighting and safety features on the walking path. Not enough tables and chairs/ places to go with friends.	Food trucks	
The trash can that was past pavilion and at edge of soccer field has been removed. One is needed there. Now dog owners just drop the poop bags there on ground since can is gone.	Kayak launch	There is a group of Arab men that use baseball field for some sport similar to baseball - hope you don't leave them out.
Some of the trails have been destroyed by tree roots and its hard on the knees.	Another dock area over the water.	Love to walk the dog here, more trash cans for disposal of dog waste would be nice.
No lights at the soccer fields	Lights at the soccer field and turf soccer fields	No
Lack of parking, congestion in the soccer complex, sparse landscaping, lack of water access	A concert space for outdoor entertainment	I have been coming here since the park was established (possibly even longer for the walking path). It is such a gem. I'm excited to see it become a more progressive space!
Structure built as overlook	Lake access	
Limited pedestrian access	A way to connect to Bearden Greenway	Keep up the amazing work!! Park just keeps getting better and the hard work is much appreciated!!
Uneven surfaces on walkways	Cafe or snack area	Thank you
Seeing and smelling the sewage. The running path needs work. Needs to host family events.	Exercise stations and more plant life. Sorry that was two things.	
sewage stench	free putt putt or another climbing playground	good effort but definitely need more community input that is actually taken seriously
Nothing	Closer to water	Excited!
Not enough trash cans around the walking trails for pet waste. At times parking is limited and cars have been broken into.	Dog Park!	Please add a dog park :)
too open	lookout tower	Thank you for updating the park
	a boat ramp	Please add a boat ramp
Elitist feeling that the park is only for the upper class.	Canoe/kayak launch. (No Bass Boats)	
People leaving their dog poop bags all over.	A place to put kayak, canoes, SUPs in the water.	
Not enough water fountains along original walking trails. Cracks in surfaces of some areas of the walking trail.	More water fountains.	I really appreciate the efforts of the conservancy and community in its dedicated stewardship of Lakeshore and vision for making it even better. I use the park numerous times a week for exercise, and I feel a sense of community with my fellow regular walkers/joggers of various demographics and backgrounds. I do not currently have children, but I used the facilities for KYS as a kid and am grateful that, in the future, my kids will get to enjoy such an awesome park as well. Thank you!

Needs more interior trails to create different experiences and spread the foot traffic, opportunity for family friendly biking trails, currently not cohesive - legacy residential facilities, etc.	"Light" Water access / features Kayaking, etc. not public boat ramp. Or perhaps a boat dock to allow alternative access into the park.	Thanks for your efforts to make Lakeshore great!
some of the bushes are growing over the path.	water bottle filler at all bathrooms	
	See #5	
The road flow, road conditions, and lack of parking.	NA	
Its unfortunate proximity to the water treatment plant.	I'd add a few. Maybe a Splash pad area for children, also cooling "mistlers," by the athletic fields, and perhaps a water feature such as a waterfall which could take advantage of a natural slope. Something I'd really like to see is a nice little restaurant tucked into an area. It could be constructed of Tennessee fieldstone, to blend into nature, much like the National Park "Parkitecture," of places like Yellowstone or Yosemite. Who wouldn't enjoy lunching/ dining in such a setting, followed by a walk in the gardens?	I'm hoping some suggestions will be considered, especially an attractive fieldstone restaurant...kind of a, "Tavern-on-the-Green," or " Window-on-the-Park. " Could be of modest size of perhaps 50-75, with possibly, al fresco dining,too. Should be a nicer experience, with servers rather than counter service. It could be a JEWEL in the park! It would be THE place to take out of town guests!
	Pickleball courts.	
Use by low-to-moderate income Knoxvillians	Access to the river for canoes and kayaks	
There isn't much else to do other than walk around.	Water stations	N/a
Loss of mental health facilities.	Less sewage plant nearby.	Don't cut down the old trees!!
No water access	Water access for paddleboarding	No
Disjointed and incomplete	Lake/river access.	
Sewage plant odor	Pickleball courts	No
no access to water	splash pads.	
Lack of water access	Boat ramp for kayaks	Thank you for asking our opinion. Too often philanthropy makes assumptions of needs & interests with consulting those who will receive the benefits.
Wasted space	Dog park	Adding a dog park
Lack of parking.	Splash park	
Lack of parking.	Splash park	
		Keep up the good work and community involvement
Signage. I have found my way around by exploring, but, signage could be improved.	Kayak water access	
People who do not pick up after their dog.	any of the above I mentioned for Sr.	not at this time.
Greenways could be shadier	Disc golf course. Northeast quadrant of park would be a perfect location.	
nothing	lighted soccer fields	

Nothing	Nothing	No
Nothing	More views to river around walkway by river	
The areas of the trails that are not shaded by trees and the fact that the upper parking areas and the parking near the soccer fields are not incorporated into the landscape	Botanical gardens	
Nothing	None	
The trails could use some resurfacing. I've seen quite a few people trip and fall.	Nothing.	
It took away a mental hospital so that rich people would have a place to walk their dogs.	A Mental Hospital.	Please ditch these plans and open a mental health facility...like the one that was torn down to make a park for rich people.
	Better access for canoes/kayaks	
The old buildings	More playgrounds	None
no boat and kayak access	..Boat and kayak access	
Lack of bathrooms Lack of new walking paths Lack of water fountains Exiting older restroom really need to be updated	More bathrooms	The video was excellent way to explain the plan Can produce a 3 dimensional virtual tour so one could get a better feel of the proposed change? From ground level and above Please keep the area focus on a green space for all and not add areas to draw big crowds into the park. If it becomes a concert area, families will be pushed out and not come back park will decline
Walking by water treatment plant	Splash pad	
Open-Ended Response	Open-Ended Response	Open-Ended Response
	Access to dog trash cans to dispose of plastic bags.	
Water treatment plant and overgrown river front	Decorative, sculptural fountains!	Hats off to all involved for a tremendous effort to create this park!
	4 Tennis courts	
It needs a dog park and the running trail is in poor repair in a few spots	Dog park	It needs a dog park
no water access	Water access for swimming	An area for dogs to run would be nice too. Maybe an agility course for dogs.
Restrooms need updating	Dog park	Nope

Too many overly bright sport fields.	Getting started on planting trees now which is the one project that will take the longest to come into fruition.	No
Sports complex	Expanded playground, gardens, and walking trails	Love the expansion plans
Empty buildings and the memory that it used to be a place for the mentally ill in Knoxville, whom now have no place to go.	Canoe rentals, like the Cove	
Lack of river access.	Kayak/canoe access. (I bet you're getting tired of seeing this in my survey by now.)	
Too much open space that could be used to plant trees	More trash cans along paths. A lot of people just leave bags of dog poop around because they don't have a place to get rid of it	Add more trees, there's enough open space for recreation and maintain the pavements that have growing cracks. Funding allocation should be focused there.
	I use the park primarily for walking, so trail maintenance is of interest to me.	Thank you for the work you do to preserve this local treasure.
Parking	Water access	
Not enough water fountains.	Kayak access to river.	Lakeshore Park is a great community asset. I think the big things are being done right. It's mostly the little things that need extra attention.
Nothing.	No suggestion	Great place to walk and run. Keep the trails as an emphasis.
Could use natural wood bench sitting areas underneath shade trees.	Dog park. I live off of Northshore, but the closest dog park is Concord.	I love this park! Its beauty and size is not matched anywhere else in Knoxville. I walk my dog here often, but would love to let him off leash if there was a designated area to do so. I also think many people would enjoy tennis courts here. Pickle ball is a growing sport that older people can play as opposed to tennis. But it can also be played on a regular tennis court, therefore the court would serve two uses. Most tennis courts out west require you to be a member of a club and pay fees. Having a public tennis court that is well kept would be convenient and fun for everyone! Thank you
The majority of the land is unused with either old buildings or old building sites. The mature vegetation is slowly disappearing and there is no initiative to replace it.	lake access	
Nothing	Easy access to kayak launches. Ample parking around it with it having to carry the kayak too far.	
I wish there were more open fields for picnics or lounging.	Splash pad	I avoid going there What the sun is not up due to safety concerns. Some women feel uncomfortable in the more hidden areas
So much of the open spaces seem to be under utilized.	It would be great to have more river access, both from the park to the river, as well as some limited short term docking for visitor boats.	
confusing to get around at times.	non-motorized boat access	no
Not as peaceful as it could be	Do without an additional amenity to keep more of area natural (preserve trees, undergrowth)	
parking	botanical gardens/conservatory	would like to have easier access for those with mobility issues
Running in front of traffic. Mostly people are safe and respectful. Drivers and exercisers.	Another playground. Your plan adds this.	Trees block view of water. Limited access to water, but don't really want to increase traffic by adding water access for boats. Just want view.
No dog park, baseball fields where balls come close to hitting people. Better lighting on pathways at night	Dog park and better lighting for night	

all the mowing required to maintain it	non motorized boat launch - kayaks and SUP's. I may have missed this in the overall plan...	Keep up the great work on updating the park!
not enough bathrooms and water fountains. No dog park	fountain	Keep up the strong work... And THANK YOU!
Some areas like the marsh have plastic in it	A big circular monument type area with water paths and benches and different types of architecture	That is all
access - sometimes when traffic is heavy along Northshore, it can be tricky to get in and out safely.	kayak launch	Improved signage please! or more maps, especially at parking lots and intersections - it's big! Or signs with QR codes so that you can quickly pull up maps with your mobile device.
Odor by waste treatment	Children's museum	None
Bumps in trails. No lights on soccer fields		
Run down dilapidated buildings	Lighted soccer fields and a big beach volley ball area. Volleyball is growing each and every year. Knoxville could capitalize on having a water front volleyball Mecca.	We love the park as a whole and enjoy the nice jogs while our kids practice soccer at the soccer fields. Beautiful piece of property.
With all the current updates there isn't much~ don't understand why people walk on the streets instead of the paths~ but that has nothing to do with you all.	Water access for small ( non motorized) watercraft	Love seeing the future plans~ thank you for sharing.
A lot of the land is under used. Some of the trails are rough due to damage. It should be better connected to the greenways and maybe have a more prominent bus stop.	A boat ramp and/or better access to the water.	
Not enough attention to natural, indigenous plant life	A frisbee golf course	No
grade of greenway	grade of greenway	no
nothing	food truck park	
It doesn't seem very cohesive, this proposed plan and a signage system should take of that.	A public dock that had access to kayak and SUP rentals and parking close by.	Thanks for the survey
No water access	Water access	
The smell of the water treatment plant.	Not much. Maybe a few more restrooms.	Please, please, don't take away the awesome playground and wide open spaces. Don't waste so much money, and a ton of inconvenience to visitors to do this huge overhaul.
Too much unused space	A boat ramp with parking	
No bicycle trails.	Bicycle trails	
The outer loops needs to be smoothed where tree roots have pushed up the asphalt.	Not sure there is room, particularly for additional parking, but a viable outdoor music venue like Chastain Park in Atlanta would be my idea.	N/A

Sad about not being able to preserve more of the buildings that were there.	Will there be a welcome area/museum about the history?	
refer to #9, it needs to have a purpose that is also urban in nature... A small middle school is very much needed and it would make the community go there and use the rest of the space... (I do not have a dog in this race, but it would be great for families in the surrounding area and for the existing BMS that is overcrowded)...	middle school with rowing facilities	Please give it more thought to the idea of how this park area can have a role in the everyday life of the areas nearby besides the exercise part... Being this close to downtown the area should have utility for all the families around, and solve some of the urban problems.
The sewage plant and lack of well-maintained, open fields.	More soccer fields Maybe include some fruit trees..something life giving if someone needed it.	
I can never find anything	more bathrooms	
It does not support water activities such as kayaking, canoeing, and paddle boarding	Put-in/take-out spots for paddle boarders such as myself	
The smelly water treatment plant	An ice cream shop	Why not offer kayak rentals on site like Northshore Park. That would be most convenient and then an ice cream shop to enjoy after. :)
Parking long distances for events that are not sports related.	It seems to have everything but a fountain. Or maybe I missed it.	I am very happy with the depth and complexity of the proposed master plan
Smell of water Treatment plant	Basketball courts and concert space	Thank you!
lights for sports fields ruins the views	better access to river: more iconic, prominent platform on the river, user friendly paddling launch on 4th Creek;	Since I moved near this park 4 years ago, I have always felt frustrated that "Lakeshore" Park has very little relationship or access to the "lake". Please take the opportunity in your planning to engage with the TN RiverLine organization to look for ways to improve accessibility to one of Knoxville's premier assets - The TN River!
It is not always mowed as often as needed.	Water access for canoes, kayaks, paddle boarding.	
Much wasted space. Monoculture lawns. No viable performance spaces.	Working amphitheater with good lights, seating, parking, restrooms	
Unnecessary movement of very nice existing athletic facilities	A large covered facility to increase the potential for gatherings when the weather is a factor (i.e. most of the summer)	excellent video and master plan booklets

Certain parts of the park still feel a little under utilized/unused. It would be great if there was a way to turn the sewage plant into a place to produce bio gas to improve alternative energy output.	Moving the park towards renewable energy sources like solar, wind, and biogas. To make recycling and composting much more prominent, easy to use/access, and available to the public (e.g. community compost for the gardens on the property).	N/A
I think there needs to be more security in the parking lots and along the walking paths. My neighbor's car was broken into during the day while she walked.	A dog park.	None
Doesn't always feel safe. More police patrols or security cameras might help. Don't like the junk yard at the Northshore entrance. Surely the City has a waste facility where all those trash cans could go. Why take a beautiful park and dump stuff there?	More bathrooms and more trash receptacles.	
Many of the roads and trails are a little on the rough side. I'm ready for them to be repaved.		
How much space is unused, so I'm glad to see it being used in the plan.	Outdoor recreation free form stuff like maybe a small volleyball place, and a few other such things for non organized sports for people to use. Basket ball court. Small disc golf course that helps you view/see large parts of the park.	
I would like to see some more shaded areas.	See my previous comment about a public swimming pool. Also more amenities to take advantage of its lakefront location such as kayaking	Very nice park
The parking and the quality of the walking trails. I also would suggest having water fountains every half or quarter mile.	Water fountains.	Great job!!
No Dog Park and all of the weeds. I love the picnic tables but it would be nice to have some trees planted around them for shade during the day.	A Dog Park with walking trails and lake (swim) access for both dogs and humans. Similar to Sequoia Park and Concord Park.	
The heat caused by lack of trees. There could easily be another 100 large oaks without impacting safety, etc, while providing shade and habitat. Right now it seems like a hug waste of space when so much of our habitat is being bulldozed and heat is rising.	Restored prairie areas in the lawns like at Dunbar Cave State Park. Talk to those folks. Restore every possible area.	Seriously, look into the prairie restoration instead of lawn wherever you can. Talk to Dwayne Estes (I think) who is the expert behind the Dunbar Cave areas. This is the future of park land. Mowing is out!
The walking paths are too narrow in the age of Covid.	Something to help the arts (symphony and opera) operate since they both need large spaces to perform. Maybe a kayak launch.	
So much unused land that could be put to use with a splashpad or dog park	Dog park!	Would love to see the tree climbing completion be held there yearly
Hard to kayak	Kayak ramps	
Safety	Security	No
Lack of after dark security. Lack of drinking water. No mile markers.	Availability of drinking water. Distance/mile markers	Visible presence of security would improve after dark usage
Not enough shade, too much grass.	Can't think of any.	
There is nothing to do there besides walk. Baseball tournaments on the weekend. That's it. It's a waste of space.	Disc golf course. A full 18 hole disc golf course.	
No boat ramps.	YMCA, or boat ramps.	no
Wish people who walked their dogs would dispose of the poop bag and not just leave them on the walkways and in the grass. Perhaps a sign near the bags urging them to place the bags in a trash receptical?	tennis or pickle ball courts	no thank you!

Treatment facility	Tennis courts	N-A
Wasted space. Lots of acreage devoted to play baseball. Each field can only have 18 people using them at any one time.	Bike trail	
	Kayak dock	
I don't really have anything to complain about.	See question 6!	So proud of how this piece of land is coming along. What a great part of one of my favorite cities.
Probably the sewage treatment plant but it's not something that can be changed.	As mentioned, greenways connections to nearby neighborhoods.	To repeat, do a bit less of the master plan and instead connect the park to surrounding neighborhoods by greenways. And the plan should talk about and clearly include the walking trails/greenways aspects of the plan, which it amazingly does not since such is a major use of the park.
Lack of shade on parts of bike path... it gets HOT.	I would love there to be a path that is actually directly next to the river (more than just the one boardwalk). I would also like there to be more, wooded, unpaved paths.	Thanks!
	I would like to see a disc golf course incorporated into the plan. This would promote physical health, an emphasis on community, and it has minimal impact on the natural beauty of the overall area.	
Cracked pavements but it is getting better.		
The portion of the trail that abuts the intersection of Lyons View/Northshore.	More trail space without athletic facilities.	I am very impressed with the nature of the Master Plan and even more impressed with the presented materials!
I wish there were more spots with views of the mountains and river	More than one water access or a dog park with water access	We are excited to see these future plans come to fruition!

The sewage plant. The odor and views are not good.	Move the sewage plant	We love the park, it is a gem for Knoxville and my family is very thankful to have access to the area.
I feel like it doesn't flow very well	Basketball courts/tennis courts	No
The playground by the older ball fields seems run down and neglected. Also the ability to see the water treatment facility.	Splash pad	
Too many cars and parking lots, you can't ride your bike there - not mountain biking, just trail or road biking. You can see, but not access the river	River access in the broadest and most diverse definition of the word - a place to interact with the river, to begin or end a paddling trip on the river, and a place to rent/return a kayak/canoe for people who don't have their own gear.	With this vision and some additional enhancements suggested herein, Lakeshore can truly realize its potential as Knoxville's 'Great Park' and become an anchor in a local + regional park system linked by the Tennessee River and the Tennessee RiverLine
Too much turf	Natibe prairie, river access	More river access and connections to riparian corridor please
The pier shocks me! (Like, with static electricity)	More interpretive installations regarding the history.	
More trees and landscaping that is going to be addressed	Waterpad, water fountains working for longer parts of the year	Thank you!
Lack of water access for boats and paddlecraft	Water access for boats and paddlecraft	
Roads inside the park need work	Croquet courts	None
	Outdoor volleyball area	Volley ball courts

Uneven surfaces along the border path.	More planned horticultural features, garden bed design.	Thank you for the video overview and for all of the dedication you have to the park!
Greenway intersecting with the busy entrance on Northshore. Cars going too fast through the park.	Dog park	Loving the updates. I have family from Austin, TX who says Lakeshore is better than some of the parks they've seen.
The smell from the water treatment plant!	Maybe water access for canoes and kayaks...	Thanks for all you do - I love the park! OH, I meant to ask about what is inside Admin building? Wondering if it is or could be available for event rental.
The roads are in bad shape, and the park is mostly mowed fescue...boring.	Dog park	This park is a treasure to Knoxville, and I hope my feedback is of help.
	More restrooms!	Love it! Thank you!
The trails are in bad shape and hard to run on.	Please, please add a dog park within the park. There are none in that area despite the large number of homes in this part of town. People love taking their dogs to Lakeshore but have to keep them on the leash. It would be so loved and would fit right in with Knoxville's dog-friendly atmosphere.	Dog park please!!!
Doesn't currently take full advantage of the views. Many of the lamps along the walking path do not function correctly at night	Public use volleyball/basketball/tennis courts	I look forward to the updates!
Feels unfinished.	More sports fields; practice areas.	
		Thank you Dee, and the conservancy for helping us to keep this treasure and for including our input
Parking	Off leash dog area	None

The roads and signage and directional signs	More restrooms	Great park. I wish we lived closer
Nothing	Water pad	
The people who don't clean up after their dogs.	More trash cans.	It would be nice to have some picnic areas that are in the shade.
The adjacent sewage treatment plant and the Sycamore trees planted next to the paved path that have uprooted the asphalt. Need to plant tap root trees next to walkways.	A huge flower/garden area.	Great park with TONS of potential. The bones are there as far as size, view, and huge trees. Keep the focus on beauty and add flower gardens. Looks like a great plan you have developed!
There needs to be garbage cans at bottom of the first steep hill and midway of first straight area. People's dog seem to poop when they first arrive on path, not right at start but into first 1/2 mile. Since they are too lazy to wait until they reach garbage can they toss it on grass. 2 more garbage cans would be nice and promote using it	Pickleball	
The lack of fencing at the road	Fountain	
To steep for senior walking.	Senior citizen center.	I would really like to see a Senior Citizens Center similar to the new ones in other parts of town.
Some of the buildings are creepy.	Access to water sports.	I just want to make sure it has water access. It will make it a well rounded park.
The look of the maintenance facilities.	Water access and a farmers market.	I love the playground on the east side of the park. When we have (hopefully) grandchildren I would like it to still be there.
The grass could look better. Its mowed inconsistently, and not very well, sometimes line trimmed and the road curves are sometimes sprayed 12-18" back, it looks terrible. Even the irrigated turf is mowed with the wrong kind of mowers so it scalps it.	I would add a casino to the island in the middle of the river in front of the park.	
The walking path that was not fixed during the 1st phase	Lake access for fishing or paddle boarding	Dog park!!! Lake access!!!
More trails throughout	More trails throughout the park	None
Wish there was more lake access, especially when it is so hot outside	A bier garten. And a dog park plus dog washing station.	It is a huge asset for Knoxville to have that large of a park so close to town. Good luck balancing everyone's wants. You are doing a great job so far.
No, complaints.	Already addressed question.	
Ball fields and water treatment plant	Off road bike trails or a swimming area / paddle boat access	Churches should exist elsewhere, not in public space
None!	A 'historic house' to have educational field trips for young students to learn more about mental health. Mental health needs to be a big significance on this land!	Please have this park be LGBTQIA+ friendly. Even if it's just signage, but show that the park is welcoming to EVERYONE. Little things go a long way, even if it's subtle.
	Pickle ball courts!!	
The current playground equipment gets too hot to use most of the day in the summer.	Amphitheatre for entertainment where families could take a picnic and listen to good, wholesome music.	It is a wonderful place.

No current dislikes	A dog park and maybe more bathrooms	
Parking.	Water access.	
Not to be redundant, but the lack of lake access. All the great parks next to bodies of water I can think of use those bodies of water. The erosion control is in place and working so I think it would be very low cost to open it up visually.	A true tournament capable soccer facility. That is not just my personal bias. My children are grown. But Murfreesboro, TN, Greenville, SC, Asheville, NC, Brentwood, TN, Whitehall, MS are all capitalizing on the most popular sport in the country. 3-4 more fields could easily be accommodated without negatively impacting the rest of the park.	Thank you so much for the improvements to date and those in the future. We have raised our children (and dogs) in this park, had infinite significant conversations with loved ones and friends walking the trails of the park, grieved the loss of loved ones along its trails, made decisions on its trails, exercised, trained, contemplated, prayed...etc. I plan to grow old walking its trails for the rest of my life. Our family would be lost without it. I can't compare it to hardly anything else in significance in our community. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.
The driving entrances (Northshore mainly). Smell of the water treatment area. Inability to access the river.	Access to the water.	I was lucky to find out about this survey, despite my being at the first original meeting of the 2013 Master Plan.
Baseball fields aren't used much. Soccer fields don't have good access and can't be used by public.	Pickle ball courts	
Lack of pickle ball courts	Pickle ball court	
Not enough lighting, bathrooms are in bad condition	Lighting and turf	

Doesn't have a let in for kayaks.	Dog park.	Please do not go forward with this plan as is.
	Water access	No
The walking trails that are marred by roots growing under the trail, love the trees, please don't get rid of them. Enjoy the shaded areas with open areas.	A different food truck/s everyday different places in the park from lunch-dinner hours.	Rather than that mounded area, why not a splash pad, water feature or fountains?
Parts of the trail that has uneven pavement because of tree roots.	Amphitheater that would have diverse entertainment.	Great video; look forward to the additions to the Park.
The lack of parking is challenging.	Boat House	Amazing phased plans "Thank You"
Not used for much	Splash pad for kids to play in	
The sewage treatment plant	Splash pad	Have been using it since middle school
Lack of river access, smell of sewage, and too few water fountains.	River access.	No
While the fencing has been removed, when walking on the paths, perhaps as a result of the rock barrier, the river still feels too far away.	Find a more visually appealing way to bring the trails and park closer to the river.	
traffic plans existing the park make it hard to get out at certain times of the day (especially if turning left onto Northshore Drive).	lake access for people and small boats (kayaks, canoes, paddle boards).	
The lack of a dog park. We need to give dog owners a place to let their dogs play that does not destroy our neighborhood. Dog owners have ruined Sequoyah park for our family.	Aquatic feature, tennis/pickleball courts, dog park	
Kind of confusing to navigate.	Possibly water access with swimming or kayak launch, if it could be safe.	

some of the land is not being used as could be	Dog Park	no
Small playground area for younger children.	See question 6 and 7. Ensure there are enough bathrooms to serve the areas that you plan to use as large gathering areas. Portable toilets are functional, but not pleasing to the eye nor nose. If you are going to spend this kind of money to make it look good then the bathrooms need to be up to par with the other amenities.	
The lack of directional signage.	Disc Golf course.	Thank you.
The broken parts on the trail	Splash pad!	Keep up the good work! We love it!
Space not being used	River access	
That a large part is not used	Walk/bike path	
I wish there were more sidewalks that allowed safer foot traffic throughout near the main roadways that cut through the park. Sometimes I cut across with my dog and have to walk on the park road since there is no sidewalk in many areas which is ridiculous and I hope would be addressed. Overall, it needs some major improvement, and I really appreciate the effort and thought to get it there. Just don't screw up a good thing. Make it better.	Dog park area (maybe on the river?). Also, more sidewalks through the middle on the roads.	Make it great but also functional! It is the best thing about Knoxville in my opinion... let's make it a reason people choose to live here.
Nothing. It can only go up.	A coffee and pastry shop in the building right next to the HGTV Overlook	Thank you for making Knoxville a more exciting and attractive place to live. Developments like this make Knoxville a place you can brag about its beauty and modernization
The roads are terrible	Splash pad	
not utilized fully	see item 7	
N/A	Cannot think of anything	

The road layout that hasn't changed much since it was a hospital.	I believe tennis/pickle ball courts would be used frequently by the public as there are not many options currently in Knoxville.	No
	A community garden	I am very supportive of the efforts to improve the park! Thank you!
It's a beautiful green area to walk and/ or to seat to read, the view of the river, the peaceful environment.	Water access for kayaks and canoes or swimming , more shade in the walking trails.	I wish there were more water fountains on the trails where to fill a water bottle. Also I wish that the street Lyons View Pike had side walks to get easily walking to the park without driving, this will mean less parking spots taken
Trail along Northshore is too close to the road and too steep in places. I love Lakeshore Park. Parking is limited.	Widen and improve the trails. Add more shade. Perhaps add a second playground similar to the one proposed in the plan, but don't take away the current ones.	Thank you for the opportunity to provide input. And, thank you for working to make Lakeshore Park even better.
There could be a few more connectors between walking paths. I end up walking on the roads a lot to get to various paths I like.	More connectors between paths, and perhaps a path that goes up the east end of the park, and back into the woods, and the east perimeter fence.	
the areas where the trails are uneven due to the tree roots	pickleball courts	
		Thank you for the opportunity to participate!
The old and unused buildings.	A boardwalk/fishing area along the river front with water access for kayaking and canoeing.	
Lack of access for paddle craft.	A low profile floating dock close to parking.	I am very encouraged that you are considering canoe and kayak access!

Inconsistent mowing of green spaces	Disc golf	
See #9	Improve the entrance and a couple of pre-mentioned intersections would be a huge help to the park.	Good Luck...
Sewage plant Wasted space	Indoor athletic facilities for year round activity	I hope all the wonderful improvements happen
The walking trails where the roots mess the trails up make them unsafe. The smell from the water plant also is very unpleasant at times	Small amphitheater. Frisbee golf. Bathrooms on the upper side or near the Northshore entrance.	Love the variety of terrain. Love the soccer fields.
	water access	
No kayak access to the river	Kayak access	I grew up very close to Lakeshore park and it holds a special place in my heart. It is part of why I became a social worker! Thank you for what you are doing to keep the park beautiful.
The Older Unkept buildings and fence that seems to get hit or taken down quite often	Health Classes or Gym options , private or public	Thank You to everyone involved, it is rare to have this type of natural resource and land in a city. We are blessed.
There needs to be more water stations for pets and humans along the walking trail. Trail paths need to be widened.	Food production, experiential Education, and Art in the park!!! We have to much opportunity to have sculpture coexist with food production and perhaps an arboretum and honey bee production to introduce citizens to a multifaceted and multitasking land use. There should also be many more human and dog watering stations along the walking paths and overlooks.	I am grateful for the conservatory approach and taking what was a mental health hospital and demystifying it and making it a place of community connection. Having been a social worker for mentally ill children in the days of Baker Building and the Residential Treatment Cottages, I love the repurposing of the property.
The entire park not being utilized.	A community pool	

Heavy use athletic days can result in the feeling of the Park being taken over by (well intentioned and deserving) youth sports families. Certain natural sections of the Park are under-tended and perhaps allowed to grow a little too wild.	Increased parking options near the 4th Creek pier	Thank you for sharing this exciting update!
THE signle most concerning thing is the shocking and disturbing use of ROUND-UP PRO, glyphosate, etc without apology-- indicating the lack of understanding about the dangers, the disregard for city guidelines, and further disregard for the health of children and dogs, as well as adults of all ages, including pregnant women. Not enough trees/shade.	maybe a water feature. or even spritzers like they have had at the zoo. Maybe filtered cold water.	I really appreciate the opportunity to express my concerns and thoughts. I enjoyed the video presentation and want to thank al the people who have dedicated so much to improve our area. Thank you, sincerely...but we must DO NO HARM....lets lead, not follow on this. We CAN!
Parking. New restrooms are nice, but the old restrooms are not.		
Exiting onto Northshore	As above concerning native Americans	Shield the walking trails from road traffic on the west and north with landscaping
Areas that are not well organized and maintained.	A very high quality "Tavern on the Green" restaurant utilizing the historic admin building, with new covered wings taking advantage of the best views in East Tennessee. I believe it should have a competitive selection of the best possible design and for profit operator for this national quality gathering spot. I believe the for-profit operator should be incentivized to maximize profit for both the benefit of the operational budget of the park and the operator's bottom line. The goal should be to maximize the visitor experience to the park through this high profile amenity while maximizing the benefit to the operating budget of the park.	This is a hugely important project to get done at the highest quality, but even though it is a major, one of a kind, public amenity, think creatively and be willing to take the risk, with the proper controls, to have a national competition for the right kind of for profit concessionaire amenity utilizing the historic admin building and the adjacent ground on either wing of the building. The reason I emphasize for-profit, is to emphasize the creation of an ongoing funding source for operations for the park. I have rarely seen public concessions or amenities at parks maximize the profit and quality potential. So, I believe a public - private partnership is appropriate and beneficial here, with the Lakeshore Conservancy retaining the ownership and control of the property, but with the for-profit operator being incentivized to maximize the quality gathering space potential.
So much space under utilized.	Restrooms near the overlook and at all of the venues in the new plan.	
That there is no dog park or splash pad for the kids.	Fenced in dog area and a splash pad for the kids.	Please take into consideration the people who live in this community. We don't have a dog park and must travel far. We don't have a splash pad and must travel far. We have a beautiful park in our neighborhood with plenty of space to accommodate both a dog park and a splash pad. A dog park was in the previous plan and we have been waiting and looking forward to it. Please take out the orchard that will attract bees and add a splash pad please. Also two amphitheaters? Why? We don't need them nor want them. It will create loud music and terrible crowds. No one wants this. The neighbors will be miserable. Have you thought of a boardwalk along the water? Maybe some food trucks with all the sporting events would work out nicely. Thank you.
The perimeter path is NEVER maintained. The trees next to the main paths have created cracks and ridges that have not been ground down for 5+ years. This new Master Plan proposes to line new paths with tress - dumb idea! Keep the trees AWAY from the paths.	Upgraded restrooms and more parking.	Keep the focus on youth sports and family fitness. Add a few plantings here and there, but the large farm and flower gardens are not appropriate, especially since you are gutting the youth sports component of Lakeshore.

The vehicular access on Northshore is dangerous since a pedestrian crosswalk is right there at the street. This entry needs to be reworked.	Updated restrooms close to the athletic fields.	The original Master Plan included access to a Kayak/Canoe put-in. This has been eliminated. Increase the number of soccer fields. My son is grown and no longer competes, but this is needed in the area.
The smell from the sewage plant.	Turf soccer fields	
Not enough pet waste collection stations.	Virtual reality app that can be used to tell and show the history of the park where particular structures or features existed to augment the physical experience.	None
Security	Access to water for kayakers and canoes.	
The lack of interaction with the River. The access entrances.	A disc golf course. A kids splash zone	
The poop plant	Dog friendly park spot	None
There is little that can be done about this now, but mental health is a very large concern for society. Its heartbreaking seeing such large buildings empty while there are so many mentally ill on living on the streets of Knoxville. Perhaps there could be a fundraising aspect of visiting the park that can help those that could benefit from mental health assistance.	Apologies for reiterating this point, but a water access feature would make this park incredible for all citizens of Knoxville. Fields for so many different team sports, amazing walking/running trails, and finally a spot to launch a kayak for an evening paddle would be amazing.	Just a thank you for my input on the survey! Glad to know our input is important.
See 5 above	See 5. above	
The lack of continuity between the spaces. Much of it feels off-limits.	Water access for small watercraft (SUPs, kayaks, canoes)	
Entering and exiting at busy times of the day can be a problem. There is also no good way to bike or walk to the park.	Access from Lyons Bend	

	Dog park	
No access to the water.	A kayak/paddleboard put-in is very much needed and would be utilized greatly.	Please, please consider a kayak put-in. Also, police call boxes.
	An additional playground	We love lakeshore park and look forward to more development.
Paths need to be wider & pruning needed in many areas of the path. Benches for seating often have no view,	Gardens	
Insufficient access to drinking water; some of the drinking fountains were turned off years before Covid hit. Most people use bags to pick up their dog's waste, but some people leave the bags in the grass; perhaps additional trash cans would help. I would like to see a wider variety of trails, and this seems to be adequately addressed in the new MP.	If you mean among the items described in the new MP, it would be the native plants. If something else, then more drinking water access (see above).	It's a great resource now, and could be even better if the MP is completed. Please follow through on all these ideas and don't let the outcome be driven by athletics. Question 14 does not allow proper comments in the "more than once per week" box; you need to know more than a number.
	Water access	
It's extremely crowded	More pathways for variety and to spread people out	
Nothing	Water access for canoes and kayaks	Love the park and all it's amenities.
Trees blocking the water view from the overlook	Water access	Body weight workout equipment
no access to river	outdoor amphitheater	
	A grand water fountain like in Forsyth Park in Charleston.	
	Lights!	
The walking path needs to be better maintained...lots of tree roots have upheaved the pavement. And the bathrooms are normally locked unless a game is going on	Dog park	No
don't know	dog park!!!	
		Yes, on the Athletic fields concessions and bathrooms are not in a good location to access from the fields. At all other baseball complex's these areas are usually convenient to the fields. I think the best location is a center hub for the building. Parking will also be another issue at the fields. Baseball and soccer at the same time will be a parking headache. One sport will be bad for parking with the spaces shown on the map. The concession and bathrooms that are proposed is no different then the situation that exist at Hecht today. One field near the concession and bathrooms. New proposal looks like the concessions and bathrooms are not close at all. Also no tables for eating
It was the roads, but some have been repacked. Parking	Basketball, the old Waterside gym was a great place years pasted	
The wasted potential. It could be better than Piedmont Park in Atlanta or like Lincoln Park in Chicago but so much of the land and riverfront has been neglected	A better riverfront	I hope this plan comes to fruition!!
	The kayak/canoe put ins with rollers	

Difficult to exit onto busy roadways	Outdoor amphitheater	
The smell of the sewage treatment plant	Water access.	I think the addition of water access, perhaps even water sports rentals like a concord park, could be a great addition to the park. Also perhaps a water feature like at world's fair park
The smell of the water treatment facility, but know that cannot be moved.	Tennis courts.	Thank you for all your efforts and thoughtfulness for making Lakeshore Park a wonderful place for Knoxville residents. Thank you to the Haslam family for their donation of money and time!
Looks odd and doesn't use the space well and there's no water parks	Water park	Add water parks
There needs to be more emphasis on public meetings...more detail on the actual history of the park's creation and the Conservancy itself. Who serves on it and how does a citizen become involved?	an printed history of the park written by Jack Neeley. a swimming area and a place for a boat ramp to put in your canoe or kayak	Will these comments be made public?
---	Drinking fountains; canoes or kayaks for rent;	Overall very pleased to have such a wonderful park so near to home (for me)
The water treatment plant. I know it is necessary. There have been visual improvements, but as you walk the trail near the plant, you want to hold your breath!	I would like to see gardens and sculptures that you can walk through, similar to the UT gardens.	I love the park. The improvements over the years make the park very welcoming to all. I look forward to the access road from the Northshore entrance being paved. At least the pot holes make everyone drive slow!
The rundown buildings and unpaved roads.	Splash pad	
Bathrooms are locked up. the creepy old buildings	Gymnasium farmers markets	We're very fortunate to have 185 acres centrally located in the city of Knoxville with Lakeshore Park. It's a real gem.
Crime	More bathrooms along the walking trails	Lakeshore is a part of my family's daily life. We love it and look forward to getting more involved in the efforts to fund the Completion of the master plan. We are truly grateful.
No kayak access to the river.	Ramps/launching sites for kayaks/paddleboards.	Well done, Nelson Byrd Woltz team! Thomas' ability to incorporate the historical integrity into the design using natural resources is part of why he is so renowned. I'm looking forward to seeing how this amazing design can be improved upon even further to tap in to more of Knoxville's nature!
The amount of under-utilized space. Lots of large empty lawns with very little usability.	A native plant garden. Something to spearhead a movement toward more environmentally conscious landscaping, especially regarding the use of varied native plants to encourage biodiversity and minimize the use of mowed fields.	Very, very excited to see time, energy and money put into a public space in Knoxville. Hoping other parks and public spaces receive similar such treatments going forward.

It feels separated rather than cohesive	Amphitheater venue (could be used to self generate some revenue)	Fully Embrace the natural water setting of the park
No water access	Access to water...please	I loved the video. Very informative
need more shade	swimming pool	good work
NO basketball courts	outdoor basketball courts with lights	Include outdoor basketball courts
I do not usually go now	Disc golf	
Traffic flow	Water access	
Traffic and, in some areas, people congestion when there are games going on.		
The outdated and normally dirty bathrooms by the concession stand.	Bathrooms! Butterfly gardens! Sculptures by local artist.	Cardin Bradley was great for the park when she worked there and Julianne Foy is excellent!!!
maintenance things that need to be fixed/updated...like bumps/breaks in running track Stagnant air near the water treatment plant	Maybe a water dog park	
Bathrooms	Bathrooms	You gave me plenty of opportunity to express my opinions. I hope you will give them serious consideration.
N/A	Dog park, small amphitheater/ stage	Love it.
Hills lol	Disc golf and water access. Named parking lots	None
Bathrooms Parking Dark soccer fields	Lights for soccer	Na
The ball fields detract from the overall aesthetic.	Water access	
Trails could be improved to remove bumps caused by tree roots.	Dog park	
Maintenance of the walking paths	Small boat / kayak ramp	
Not enough places to sit, particularly in the shade. Certain times it can be crowded.	A dog park.	LS is a very nice park but will be even better as these improvements and additions are completed. I have lived within 5 miles of LS my entire life and have seen it progress from "Eastern State" to what it is now.

Landscape maintenance is hit and miss.	Kayak and canoe access to water.	A great community asset which needs the implementation of the Master Plan. We often bring friends from Farragut visiting from out of town because of the beauty. Some unsaved hiking trails in the Eastern section might be a consideration.
Pulling in and out onto Northshore and Lyons view pike Traffic from the park	Covered shelter like the former church Self guided exercise course.	Keep up the good work! What a beautiful property!
Maintenance and upkeep appear lacking.	Bicycle lanes and signage to make people aware of others using the paths.	
Not enough parking(during ball seasons not covid time)	Ability to put kayaks and waterboards in somewhere	I do have concern that too much of the park will be overly prescribed. Every square inch does not have to be earmarked for something.
Not enough parking. No water access	Community swimming pool	Basketball courts, sand volleyball, arboretum, yoga classes. Meditation classes
Parking	Waterfall	
Primarily focused at baseball	Tennis courts	
the asphalt trails are damaged by tree roots. What are your plans for this problem?	See above. Bocce ball court!	we are neighbors, and support your plans for the park.please continue to ask for our comments as work progresses!
Not enough parking during sporting events	Dog park and splash pad next to playground	
I liked the park as it was with the psychiatric hospital there. It is too crowded now, and too many fitness instructors are occupying all the pavilions, and picnic tables and there is no place to rest because of this. The public needs to know where do they sign up if they want their book club, or any other group to have a pavilion at a certain time.	I would not add any more amenities, it's already too crowded.	I am afraid without a historical study done to protect the main building that the conservancy will tear it down. It should have a historical marker placed there and be on the register of historical buildings. I am disappointed the conservancy shows no interest in that and only promotes a lookout.
Smell of sewage plant	Canoe dock	Grateful we have this. Thanks to all who make Lakeshore Park possible
		Appreciate all the thought you all have put into it. Very nice park for those in rocky hill
Not enough trash cans	Frisbee golf	
Disjointed mess right now, some areas are beautiful, others are still a mess	Lights at the soccer fields	Updated plan looks good, can't wait to see it take shape
1) Blocked views because of the tall trees 2) Would like the sewage plant blocked from visions and the stink minimized, if possible	More shaded areas to gather	
Events aren't help there	waterfront area that allows access to water	
No response	Waterscape for kids of all ages	Thank you for allowing everyone to give input. Do you have an estimated completion date?
total absence of picnic tables! no complaints	access for canoeing and swimming in the main river public pool or lake access for swimming, canoeing	Please, please let us swim in the main part of the river!!
traffic patterns	finish the dog park; more watering stations for pets	please finish the dog park
too much space with nothing. empty non-flat fields that are wasted spaces	more playgrounds / dog park	no

N/A	N/A	N/A
The bathrooms are kind of run down. Oh and I guess the smell of the waste treatment plant is a downside.	I think the part of the plan where the dropoff for sports was accommodated impressed me the most. Very thoughtful. I remember that being so annoying when my kids played sports there.	I am so thankful for all the donors who have made Lakeshore and its future possible! Thank you, thank you, thank you!
WWTP	Cold Water fountains....vending machines...	Thank you for all the existing upgrades. 25 years ago it didn't look anything like thid
the lack of used of the building on sight, it could be some educational venue or something.	River access for water sports. Splash area for the summer with water features for kids. Somehow make safe use/access to the water that is there! Swimming hole? Fishing dock?	
How crowded the park is and the lack of parking	Dog park.	Love the new overlook.
The restroom facilities are inadequate. We need a new restroom at the top of the hill where the main parking lot is located and smaller ones at the three and nine o'clock positions.	New Restroom facilities. I forgot to mention, I have been walking that park since it was built and to my knowledge I have never seen any of the Haslam family walking the trails. How can they justify destruction of the existing park when they don't know it nearly as well as those of us who walk it every day? I get it. Everybody wants to be like the big city, but wrecking Lakeshore is not the way to do that. In fact, I would be surprised if I live long enough to see the end of this enormous construction project.	I am sure the finished result will be beautiful, but to create it you will destroy an already beautiful park, cause great inconvenience to those of us who use it every day, and use millions of dollars that would be far more useful restoring Knox County to the high quality of education we had when my sons were young. I do have one other comment. When the park was built the baseball facilities were used constantly and KYS thrived. I used to eat at the snack bars almost every night of the week. The park has not deteriorated. The only real problem is that the athletic programs have fallen apart so that the existing facilities are not being used to their full potential.
Unsure	Dog park as mentioned	Looking forward to experience it....
Walking path confusion	Map	
rip-rap barriers prohibiting lake views	Add single track "mulch" or other natural soft surface on the edge of the paved pathways for walkers/runners who need to avoid hard surfaces. Similar to the major parks in London	
sewage treatment plant	Kayak and canoe put-in with swimming dock.	Kayak, Canoe, swim dock
Rude people & dogs	Water stations	
Vehicle break-ins	A fountain area with shade for a serene space that could be used for study time, yoga, a nap, etc.	
	A community building for art/fitness/dance instruction	

At the top of the walking trail, the trees and vegetation have grown up so tall that you can no longer see the incredible views of the mountains and river. I wish those trees and bushes were cut back or down. There are literally park benches that stare directly at a bush now. I like the views from 10 years ago. They were the crown jewel of the park. Please trim or remove the trees and bushes that have grown to block the incredible views.	A middle school	Please consider a middle school. It is the perfect location.
	Swimming pools	
Parking		
Safety- cars getting broken into	Splash pad for kids	
The lack of bathroom facilities at the top parking areas.	Bathrooms.	Adding some shade trees around the walking trails would be nice. I tend to stick to Cherokee boulevard when it heats up because of the lack of shade on Lakeshore walking trails
	Disc golf	
The undeveloped/"worn down looking" areas	Tennis courts	
The water treatment plant.		
	More soccer fields	
	An enclosed dog park. With a fountain like the ones at Coolidge park in Chattanooga would be awesome. But just an enclosed space for dogs would be great too	More dog pop bag trash cans. There is a lot of poop/poop bags left around the park And this might help
	We need a dog park in this area. So many use the park to exercise their dogs, but there is no place for them to play off leash.	
A few parts of the trails need to be re-paved where the roots have pushed up the asphalt ... hard to bike for a kid and hard on a stroller	Splash pad	Would love some lights added for after dark walking and running and early AM running! Lakeshore is the best park ever. Our family adores it and goes every day.
	A rowing facility.	
	a dog park	Love the walking trails. We also enjoyed the sporting amenities as well when my son was younger and played soccer. It would be absolutely perfect if there was a safe fenced dog park included in the area too!
The smell of the water treatment facility		

	Dog park or area where dogs could run free; with strict supervision by owners of course. Or a dog cemetery for our buddies who walked hundreds of Lakeshore miles with us over the years.	Thank you for all that has been done!
Waste processing plant smells on back side		
Not enough security cameras in parking lots	Splash pad for kids, outdoor workout/gym machines	
Traffic exiting the park	More shade trees	
They finally added trash cans along the walkway to dispose of trash/dog poop bags	Driving range	It is one of our city's best features
too big, too many open fields with basically no purpose	lights and turf field to play sport even during winter or when it rains too much	you have to expand the sport usage of the land inside the park, it isn't basically used during winter or when it rains too much. An indoor sport arena, and turf fields will make the park perfect to host sport events, like tournaments which will bring many people to the venue and spend money in the places around and in the park. Indoor arena and turf fields will let the park to be used 365 days per year
Parking and security	Baseball tournaments. Basketball facility	
N/A	Man made pond	No
Except for traffic, both with joggers crossing traffic lanes and the aforementioned congestion, more landscape maintenance needs to be addressed. Some areas look scruffy.	More restrooms.	
Traffic at entrance/exit		
	Boat Houses similar to those on the Charles River in Cambridge or the Connecticut River at Dartmouth. <a href="http://www.dartmouth.edu/~crew/boathouse/">http://www.dartmouth.edu/~crew/boathouse/</a> <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weld_Boathouse">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weld_Boathouse</a>	It is on the Tennessee River - take advantage of it.
	Frisbee golf	

	kayak river launch	
	Nice bathroom area.	
		Lakeshore sounds like a great place to spend the afternoon cycling (assuming the pedestrian/bike trails are good).
Not enough shade.	Pool	
People not picking up after their dogs...or if they do pick up ...leaving the poop bag on the ground!	A dog park... like the Plumb Creek one. The majority of park users ARE dog owners and deserve an area.	Ya'll have done a wonderful job improving the park...let's make it even better with more interesting options and not just ballparks and playgrounds [which I know are important] Thanks for all you are doing?
	Water access and splash pad	
	Non-motorized boat access	We want to kayak!
Needs more shaded areas for walking.		
	More water fountains	
No water access	Kayak launch	
Playgrounds being closed	Access to water for kayak and canoe	Please find the \$ for water sports
	Water sports and activities...rentals & access to put a kayak into the river; tour boat to go down the river...	
	kayak/canoe access	kayak/canoe access is very important
	Water access	
Road conditions	Volleyball courts	
No water access	Bird watching information	Water access
	Access to water	
Lack of trashcans for dog poop bags.		
Lack of water access	Water activities	
	canoe/kayak access to river	Please add canoe/kayak access to the river.
Some of the roads still need work, but they are getting better. Also no water access.	Reasonable access to the boat ramp for vehicles and kayaks.	
		Keep up the good work.

no water access	a very large "beach" area for kids to play	please provide water access! I think people will miss out on a great experience if there is no water access
Abandoned buildings	Beach	
	Include an open-air performance stage similar to that found at Jacob's Pillow in the Berkshires on the existing event lawn where patrons could view performances from the HGTV Overlook. (minimum of 40' X 25' or larger - think Ravinia or Chautauqua) (World's Fair Park has a large lawn but not the view.)	Include an open-air performance stage similar to that found at Jacob's Pillow in the Berkshires on the existing event lawn where patrons could view performances from the HGTV Overlook. (minimum of 40' X 25' or larger - think Ravinia or Chautauqua) (World's Fair Park has a large lawn but not the view.)
	Keep water access	
	a place to swim or kayak	
	Place to put in kayak, canoes	Enjoy going there immensely, I like that there are lots of big trees for shade and places to sit and rest
Last time I was there some of the older pavement was in desperate need of repaving, it was terribly uneven & thus dangerous.	Expanse of lake views & seating for walkers to take a respite during workout	
	Pickle ball courts	
Lack of maintenance of some of the surface trails	Trees and more water stations.	
	A river access point for non-motorized boats.	Put a river access point in at Lakeshore Park, please.
	add a kayak, SUP launch area	
traffic to get to it for such a large park and location - it is currently underutilized		
	Human powered boat dock and ramp into the water.	
	Small "outdoor" classrooms for ~30 people in several locations within the park.	