

# Terry Pettus Park Renovation - What We Heard From You!

We are very pleased to be underway with the Terry Pettus Park Renovation Project and wanted to thank you for contributing your thoughts on what is most important to you as we move forward.

147 community members gave us early input through a SurveyMonkey survey.

#### Here is what we heard from you!

## Why do you visit this park?

- 31% of you come to this park to relax and enjoy the views
- 26% of you come to sit on the doc and be close to the water
- 14% of you come to the park for a variety of reasons including to spend time with friends, to
  enjoy nature, to pause while walking the dog, and for access to the water
- 10% of you come to launch your canoe, kayak, and paddle boards

### What do you like most about the park?

The top three responses were:

- 1. The views
- 2. Access to the water
- 3. For peace and solitude

When asked what features would enhance your enjoyment of park, we heard that habitat enhancement, native plants and trees, shoreline restoration, more seating, better dock and launch area for kayaks and canoes, and better access to the water were top priorities. We also heard that better visibility into the park was much desired.

While the COVID pandemic has prevented us from meeting with you in person, 60% of people that took our survey included detailed comments to our designers to help them get started.

### **Next Steps**

Our Design team, led by Jones&Jones, will be hosting a Zoom meeting in mid-summer. Once we have the date confirmed we will post information on this webpage, for how you can participate.

Please watch for announcement on how to participate on this site, on our Parkways Blog, and through email.