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#### SEATTLE PARKS & RECREATION **PICKLEBALL OPEN HOUSE II**

Wednesday, May 25, 2022





### Agenda

- Welcome + Introductions
- Project Overview
  - Recap of First Public Meeting
- Site Assessments Results
  - Dedicated Courts
  - Dual Striping + Court Conversions
- Breakout Room Discussions
  - Organized by Geography
- Report Out
- Wrap up + Next Steps





### Meeting Guidelines

- Act with your best intentions and assume others will do the same.
- Engage openly, honestly, and respectfully.
- Acknowledge and embrace the diversity of perspectives.
- Make space for others to share.
- Add something new to the conversation.





## PROJECT OVERVIEW





#### Outdoor Pickleball Study

- Engage with pickleball & tennis communities to balance the growth of pickleball and existing tennis community.
- Builds off 2019 Pilot Study Recommendations + previous SMPA analysis.
- Project objectives:
  - Document the growth of pickleball nationally and in Seattle.
  - Refine where and how tennis courts will be <u>dual-striped</u>.
  - Identify and recommend locations for new <u>pickleball-only</u> outdoor courts.





#### Recap: First Open House

- Summary of engagement to date:
  - Online survey 3,378 responses
  - Advisory Committee
- Overview of approaches & criteria:
  - Dual striping
  - Court conversions
  - Dedicated facilities
- Additional dual striping slated to begin this summer

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### SITE ASSESSMENTS





### Strategic Framework

#### Approaches

1. Dual striping to add PB lines only or with resurfacing (immediate)

2. Convert existing tennis courts to pickleball only (mid-term)

3. Construct new dedicated pickleball facilities (long-term)

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#### **Guiding Considerations**

- Geographic distribution
- Accessibility
- Safety
- Existing amenities (e.g., restrooms, parking, transit, lights, community centers, etc.)
- Size + capacity
- Court condition
- Court classification and use (e.g., Joint Use Agreements)



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#### North Option: Magnuson Parking Lot





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#### North Option: Bitter Lake Reservoir





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#### South Option: Genesee Playfield





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#### South Option: Hiawatha Playfield





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#### COURTCONVERSIONS



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#### DUAL-STRIPEDCOURTS



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## BREAKOUT ROOMS





#### HOW TO JOIN

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| Brea             | kout Rooms - In Progress |
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| ✓ Northeast      | 은 0 Join                 |
| ✓ Central        | 은 0 Join                 |
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| $\vee$ Southwest | 은 0 Join                 |
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#### Broadcast Message to All

Areas of the City for Pickleball Meeting Breakout Sessions



#### WHICH ROOM?



## REPORT OUT





# WHAT'S NEXT





#### Next Steps

- Meeting notes will be sent to the project listserv as well as everyone in the meeting
- Recommendations will be refined and concepts and estimates developed for two new dedicated facilities (to inform funding)
- Presentation to Board of Parks & Recreation Commissioners (July or August)
- Addition of striping with 2022 Councilappropriated funding





#### Stay in Touch

Sign up for the project listserv

https://www.seattle.gov/parks/aboutus/projects/2021-2022-outdoorpickleball-study

Email questions/concerns to

<u>Oliver.Bazinet@seattle.gov</u>





Thank you for the use of your media.



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