

## Norwood Young America Community Survey Results

Regarding two projects:

## **Outlot A**

And

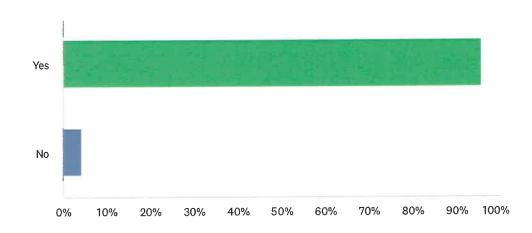
## **Barnes Lake Nature Trail**

- Surveys were available via a hard copy in the City of NYA July 2022 newsletter, picked up at City Hall, or offered online through surveymonkey.com from July 26, 2022, to August 10, 2022.
- The final results of 262 total surveys (including hard copies which were entered into the SurveyMonkey database) are attached.

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## Q1 Are you a resident of Norwood Young America?

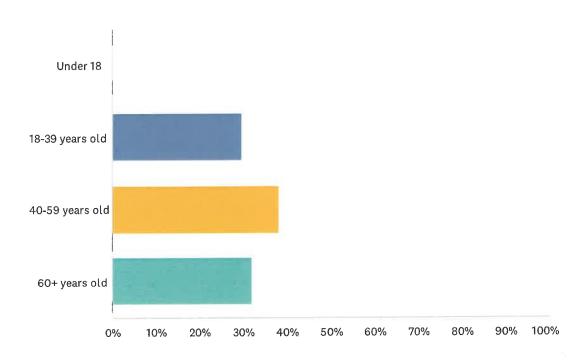
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	95.79%	250
No	4.21%	11
TOTAL		261

#### Q2 What is your age range?

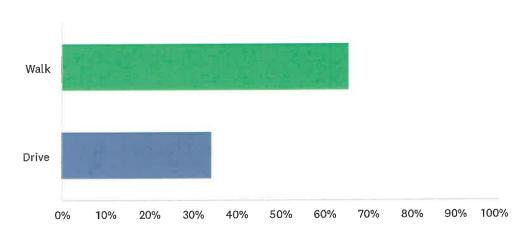
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-39 years old	29.73%	77
40-59 years old	38.22%	99
60+ years old	32.05%	83
TOTAL		259

## Q3 You are now starting the questions/survey on Outlot A.View Outlot A Map HereWould you walk or drive to visit Outlot A?

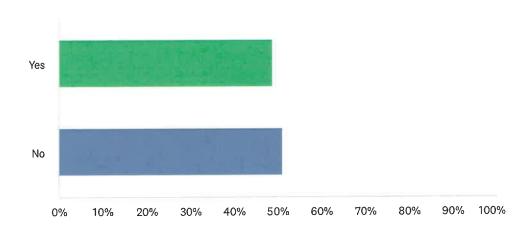




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Walk	65.61%	166
Drive	34.39%	87
TOTAL		253

#### Q4 Do you live in the Preserve/Meadows Developments?

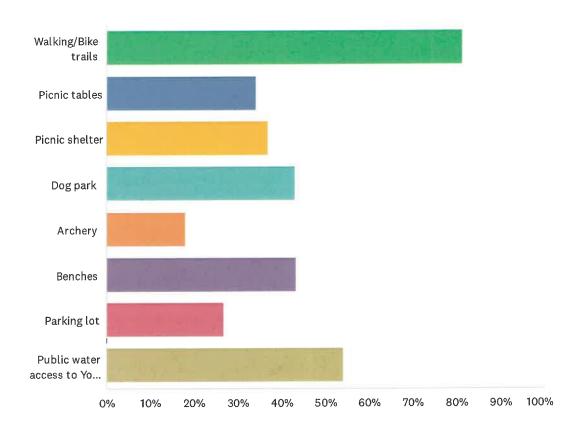




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	48.85%	127
No	51.15%	133
TOTAL		260

## Q5 What sort of amenities would you like to see in Outlot A? (Pick three (3)

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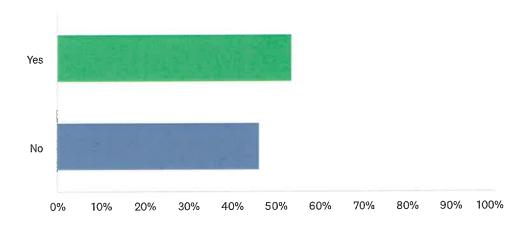
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Walking/Bike trails	81.53%	203
Picnic tables	34.14%	85
Picnic shelter	36.95%	92
Dog park	42.97%	107
Archery	18.07%	45
Benches	43.37%	108
Parking lot	26.91%	67
Public water access to Young America Lake (non-motorized, recreational only)	54.22%	135
Total Respondents: 249		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	dog waste stations	8/16/2022 3:22 PM
2	wouldn't use it	8/16/2022 3:17 PM
3	Fenced in dog park!	8/16/2022 3:14 PM
4	playground	8/16/2022 3:03 PM
5	None	8/16/2022 3:00 PM
6	walkway similar to Baylor Park, dock	8/16/2022 2:57 PM
7	and parking lot to access dog park	8/16/2022 2:47 PM
8	campground w/electrical hookups, campstore, tents & small RVs, Warming house for the ice skating & Snowmobilers	8/16/2022 2:42 PM
9	splash pad	8/16/2022 2:35 PM
10	Pickleball court (s)	8/16/2022 2:31 PM
11	None! Take care park have in place! Most buildings city owns need repair! Up keep!	8/16/2022 2:27 PM
12	None	8/16/2022 1:14 PM
13	No no no dog park, who will clean it if people don't clean	8/16/2022 8:56 AM
14	Frisbee golf, Monarch sanctuary	8/16/2022 8:52 AM
15	None	8/15/2022 4:13 PM

16	Canoe/board/kayak launch	8/10/2022 10:36 PM
17	Baseball field and I worry about hunters in the fall and how that could impact anyone using that area?	8/10/2022 1:48 PM
18	Splash pad, pickle ball courts, tennis courts, ball field -something that will attract families we are lacking this	8/9/2022 10:42 PM
19	Absolutely do not like this idea especially in the Preserve. Our street is in dire need of paving and curbs	8/9/2022 3:07 PM
20	Pickelball Courts	8/9/2022 1:14 PM
21	Don't want anything behind my house.	8/8/2022 8:55 PM
22	Playground	8/8/2022 3:55 PM
23	Wouldn't utilize as don't use the current trails, due to safety issues.	8/6/2022 2:18 PM
24	Playground	8/2/2022 4:28 PM
25	Community garden or edible landscapes	8/2/2022 10:02 AM
26	baseball field	7/31/2022 8:15 PM
27	Volleyball or pickle ball court	7/31/2022 7:59 PM
28	Hard to select just 3. Feels like walking/biking trails should a part of it too. Dog park is really important and would need parking with this.	7/30/2022 5:40 PM
29	None	7/30/2022 12:49 PM
30	walking path	7/30/2022 11:58 AM
31	Leave it natural	7/30/2022 7:47 AM
32	Clean drinking water and garbage cans	7/28/2022 4:06 PM
33	Playgroundn	7/28/2022 3:58 PM
34	City should clean up and improve existing walking path west of Tacoma before doing new areas	7/28/2022 7:04 AM
35	Splash pad	7/27/2022 11:19 PM
36	Playground	7/27/2022 9:23 PM
37	Frisbee golf	7/27/2022 9:14 PM
38	Separate trail for walking where motorized vehicles are prohibited.	7/27/2022 7:57 PM
39	Baseball field	7/27/2022 5:15 PM
40	Baseball/softball field	7/27/2022 4:43 PM
41	Pickle ball court or water park	7/27/2022 4:05 PM
42	Płayground/beach	7/27/2022 4:02 PM

#### Q6 Do you have a dog?

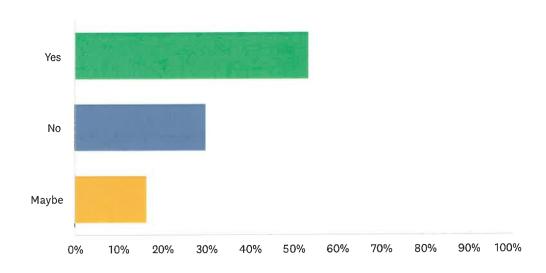
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	53.64%	140
No	46.36%	121
TOTAL		261

## Q7 If you have a dog, would you utilize a dog park?

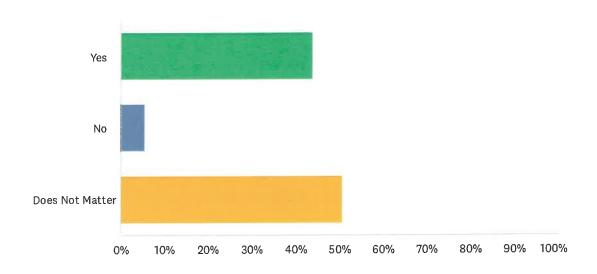
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	53.57%	120
No	29.91%	67
Maybe	16.52%	37
TOTAL		224

## Q8 If you have a dog, do you prefer the smaller dogs to be separated from the larger dogs?

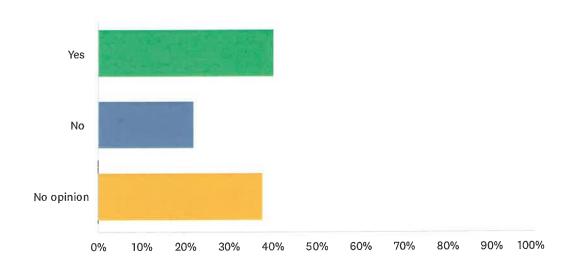
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	43.84%	96
No	5.48%	12
Does Not Matter	50.68%	111
TOTAL		219

#### Q9 If you do NOT have a dog, would you support a dog park project?

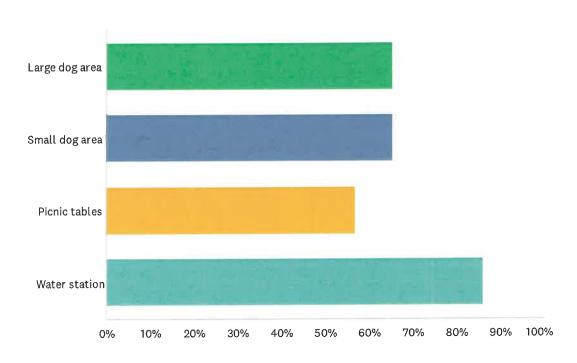




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	40.25%	95
No	22.03%	52
No opinion	37.71%	89
TOTAL		236

## Q10 What amenities would you like to see in a dog park? (check all that apply)





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Large dog area	65.43%	123
Small dog area	65.43%	123
Picnic tables	56.91%	107
Water station	86.17%	162
Total Respondents: 188		
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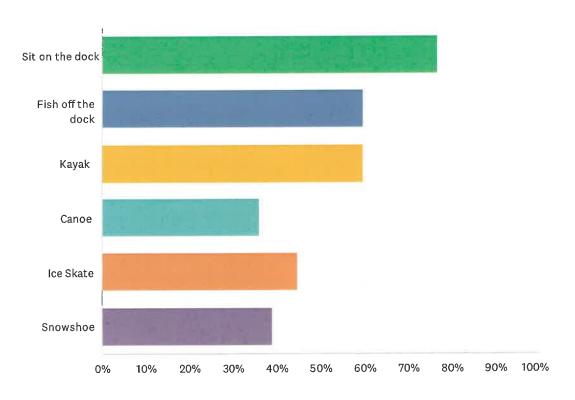
2	Proof of vaccination for all dogs using	8/16/2022 3:25 PM
3	clean up bags and disposal station	8/16/2022 3:23 PM
4	dog waste station	8/16/2022 3:22 PM
5	benches	8/16/2022 3:15 PM
6	Walking path through a shaded tree area	8/16/2022 3:14 PM
7	childrens park	8/16/2022 3:07 PM
8	dog parks that i have seen do not get utilized much	8/16/2022 3:05 PM
9	benches	8/16/2022 3:04 PM
10	None	8/16/2022 3:00 PM
11	benches	8/16/2022 2:54 PM
12	no dog park	8/16/2022 2:52 PM
13	Benches, walking path on inside perimeter of fenced area. Hutchinson ahs an excellent dog park. it is important to me to be able to see my small dogs at all times. grassy area is preferred - not wooded where they can attract bugs/ticks. PLEASE make a dog park happen! On my street there are 14 homes. There are 15 dogs! directly behind me there are 9 house and 11 dogs - 26 dogs! We need a park!	8/16/2022 2:47 PM
14	all of the above - including baggies & waste disposal containers	8/16/2022 2:38 PM
<b>1</b> 5	no opinion	8/16/2022 2:36 PM
16	Again, take care of parks you have!	8/16/2022 2:27 PM
17	None	8/16/2022 1:14 PM
18	People clean up after their dog	8/16/2022 12:32 PM
19	"warm up" area for dogs & safety in case they out	8/16/2022 12:29 PM
20	trees/shade	8/16/2022 12:27 PM
21	Natural area (woods, etc) not a fenced in lawn.	8/16/2022 9:05 AM
22	One of each lg/sm or together is fine. Closed in area for dogs. Poop bags for owners so they have no excuse!	8/16/2022 9:02 AM
23	No dog park. Look at towns that have them. Do your homework first. Thanks.	8/16/2022 8:56 AM
24	Poop bags	8/16/2022 8:53 AM
25	Water/lake access for dog retrieving/swimming	8/15/2022 4:29 PM
26	Poop Disposal/Good fencing	8/15/2022 4:23 PM
		8/15/2022 4:23 PM 8/15/2022 4:13 PM

28	Obstacles course	8/10/2022 9:52 PM
29	I do not like the idea of a dog park. They are very dirty and people still don't pick up after their animals.	8/9/2022 10:42 PM
30	Picnic tables should not be allowed, as congregating may be unsafe. Communal drinking should not be allowed as it may spread disease.	8/9/2022 6:20 PM
31	Again, this is a bias idea that would serve the Preserve neighborhoods	8/9/2022 3:07 PM
32	Lets spend our time and efforts on providing trails in other parts of town.	8/8/2022 9:29 AM
33	absolutly no dog park	8/2/2022 4:28 PM
34	Agility items	8/2/2022 10:02 AM
35	dog parks are disgusting because people don't pick up after themselves.	8/1/2022 5:43 AM
36	Please no dog parks	7/31/2022 7:13 PM
37	Shade, benches, bags for waste	7/31/2022 5:09 PM
38	Poop bags and garbage cans.	7/30/2022 5:40 PM
39	Don't do it	7/30/2022 12:49 PM
40	fenced areas for large and small dogs. Open ground area, NOT through the existing trees. My dogs are little and cannot handle wooded terrain. I want to be able to see them at all times. A walking ath around the inside perimiter of the area would be great. Hutchinson has a very nice dog park that we use all the time. You could get good ideas from them.benches, shade trees, walking path.	7/30/2022 11:58 AM
41	None, the dog park will not be well kept by the city staff. Just look at our streets and sidewalks in the Preserve now.	7/30/2022 7:47 AM
42	Water is important, dog size separation is very helpful, picnic tables nice but not necessary	7/30/2022 7:33 AM
43	Agility equipment	7/29/2022 7:17 PM
44	Waste station with waste bags and trash	7/29/2022 5:51 PM
45	benches/chair to sit on while dogs play	7/29/2022 12:04 PM
46	None	7/28/2022 4:06 PM
47	I dont want a dog park!	7/28/2022 3:58 PM
48	No comment	7/28/2022 3:47 PM
49	We don't need a dog park	7/27/2022 9:47 PM
50	As large as possible, as undersized dog parks are an eyesore	7/27/2022 7:55 PM
51	It would be nice to have two areas for those to choose if they want to be near larger or smaller dogs. At least they would have the option.	7/27/2022 4:43 PM
52	Potty bags to clean up dog messes and specified garbage for bags	7/27/2022 4:28 PM

53	N/A	7/27/2022 4:25 PM
54	I think a dog park would be very stinky	7/27/2022 4:05 PM
55	Benches	6/24/2022 9:12 AM

## Q11 If there was public water access to Young America Lake, would you do any of the following? (check all that apply)





Sit on the dock 76.75%	175
Fish off the dock 59.65%	136
Kayak 59.65%	136
Canoe 35.96%	82
Ice Skate 44.74%	102
Snowshoe 39.04%	89

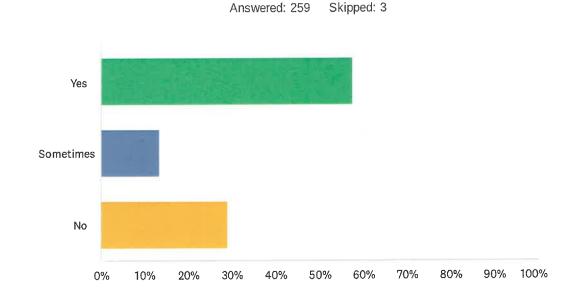
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1	None	8/16/2022 3:17 PM
2	Concern: beautiful wild life there now! need some area, long grasses or whatever, left for natural habitat.	8/16/2022 3:03 PM
3	None	8/16/2022 3:00 PM
4	bird watching	8/16/2022 2:57 PM
5	cross country ski	8/16/2022 2:53 PM
6	Sit on benches facing lake.	8/16/2022 2:47 PM
7	observe waterfowl	8/16/2022 2:44 PM
8	not sure	8/16/2022 2:43 PM
9	swim	8/16/2022 2:36 PM
10	No	8/16/2022 2:27 PM
11	wind surfing	8/16/2022 1:26 PM
12	Photography	8/16/2022 12:35 PM
13	None	8/16/2022 12:32 PM
14	none	8/16/2022 12:30 PM
15	swim	8/16/2022 12:29 PM
16	swim	8/16/2022 12:27 PM
17	Live by St. John's and would walk but no trail to connect to it. Really need a trail from intersection of 2nd Ave and Shady Ln down to CR 34. I believe a lot of people would use that to access the trails down by the lake. Would fish if there are really	8/16/2022 9:08 AM

18         Need fish first. Hunt         8115/2022 4:58 PM           19         Peddieboard widog         8115/2022 4:39 PM           20         Consider making the field behind the homes on Shoreview Lane restored prairie planting.         8115/2022 4:18 PM           21         None         8115/2022 4:19 PM           22         Paddle Board         8112/2022 8:59 AM           23         Paddle board         810/2022 10:36 PM           24         Waterboard         819/2022 8:28 PM           25         None, again, serves the Preserve neighborhood         819/2022 3:07 PM           26         none of the above         819/2022 3:07 PM           27         ross country ski         819/2022 3:03 PM           28         I would like to fish off the dock but there are no fish in the lake. There are waterfowl hunters on the lake beginning in Sept.         8/9/2022 9:29 AM           29         No. I snowshoe in Eagle Lake Park. In the summer, the bugs are terrible around the swamp areal         8/9/2022 2:128 PM           30         I would most likely not go in the lake.         8/3/2022 2:129 PM           31         Cross country ski         8/3/2022 2:022 AM           32         Ice fish if possible- paddle board         8/3/2022 1:022 AM           33         Is there an agreement in place with the DNR to stock this lake with fish? <th></th> <th>fish in there.</th> <th></th>		fish in there.	
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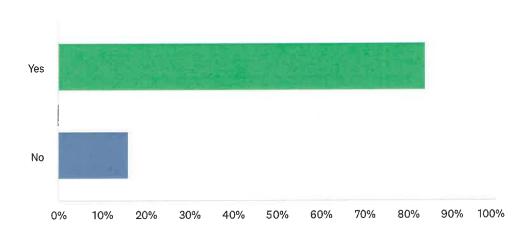
Q12 You are now starting the questions/survey on the proposed Barnes Lake Nature Trail...View Proposed Barnes Lake Nature Trail Map HereThe proposed Barnes Lake Nature Trail (woodchipped) is an extension of the current trail and sidewalk system through Prairie Dawn Park. The trail would add an additional .60 miles to the connectivity system. Other amenities being researched include off-street parking and public water access (non-motorized, recreational only). Do you currently walk/bike the trails and sidewalks within Prairie Dawn Park?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	57.53%	149
Sometimes	13.51%	35
No	28.96%	75
TOTAL		259

## Q13 Would you be in favor of extending the current trail system along Barnes Lake?

Answered: 258 Skipped: 4



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	84.11%	217
No	15.89%	41
TOTAL		258
# IF NO, WHY?	DAT	E

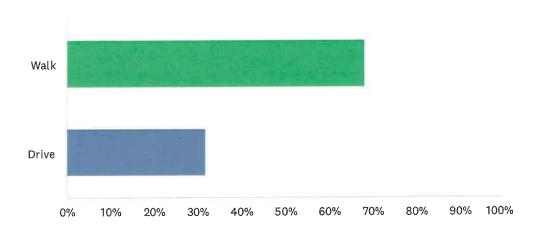
#	IF NO, WHY?	DATE
1	Yes, but with considerations (sent attached "NYA PROPOSED WALKING PATH" sheet)	8/16/2022 3:25 PM
2	keep natural	8/16/2022 3:19 PM
3	people already have the sidewalk to walk on, its not fair to the residents who live by the proposed trail to have people and pets always walking in their backyard, i certainly wouldn't like it.	8/16/2022 3:17 PM
4	I have young children and woodchip trails are difficult with small bikes/strollers	8/16/2022 3:07 PM
5	There are plenty of sidewalks which people do not use. they walk on the road you would be destroying habitat for wildlife plus peoples privacy	8/16/2022 3:00 PM
6	Adjacent property owners should have a say - yes if okay with most property owners	8/16/2022 2:57 PM

7	streets in town should be a priority first before spending money on parks!	8/16/2022 2:55 PM
8	Don't think it would work with the current terrain	8/16/2022 2:52 PM
9	Property taxes are going up too fast. Please slow down until development catches up and could support thisplease no!	8/16/2022 2:42 PM
10	Trails need repair everyone of them! Fix Streets!	8/16/2022 2:27 PM
11	Only if there is a license required. Need a license for boat, car, golf cart, 4 wheeler, why do the jack asses walking/biking think we should build paths for them at n/c	8/16/2022 1:14 PM
12	Maybe need more information	8/16/2022 12:32 PM
13	Can't afford it	8/16/2022 12:30 PM
14	Woodchips would not be a favorable surface. The current trail is nice and the sidewalks within development are nice for walking. Would not use.	8/16/2022 12:25 PM
15	Would love to have a nature trail	8/16/2022 9:08 AM
16	Outlot A project would be more beneficial to the community as a whole	8/16/2022 9:05 AM
17	I think its ok as is.	8/16/2022 9:02 AM
18	I think the trails we have no are fine. We need things like ball fields, tennis courts, pickle ball courts, hockey rink more than trails	8/9/2022 10:42 PM
19	Why? There are plenty of existing trails in the Preserve, and I see very little use of that one	8/9/2022 3:07 PM
20	A woodchip trail can't be used by everyone. It would be best if the city allocated their money towards a different trail in town that would allow everyone to use it.	8/9/2022 12:49 PM
21	Actually, both Yes and No. When we moved in, in 2019 we inquired to the City about a path extension behind the houses on Barnes Lake and were told that there were no plans for a path. We have gotten use to the privacy of our back yard and	8/9/2022 8:39 AM
	would ask that there be a buffer zone of at least 15 between the path and our property. The Bald Eagles, we have a Bald Eagles nest in our back yard that was in use when we moved in, but too much of our disappointment after the last house was built the eagles built and continue to use the 212 Nest. However, the adults and their offspring immature eagles still spend a lot of their time sitting in the lake side trees behind our house. There have been as many 8 Bald Eagles here at one time, but normally anywhere from 1-4 are here throughout the day year around. They fly in to just sit or to catch and eat their meals. The installation and use of a path in the area behind our house may drive the eagles away from the area. Other than those concerns we would be a Yes for extending the trail.	
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25	Would really like to see a walking trail go to Waconia.	8/6/2022 2:18 PM
26	Encroaching on wildlife (eagles, pelicans, etc), the current path is becoming overgrown with buckthorn and I would rather spend resources on improving our current paths and natural spaces, safety concerns with the drop off going down to the lake	8/3/2022 11:08 PM
27	Fix the roads first!	8/1/2022 10:28 AM
28	Disruption to the lakeshore can increase the amount of toxins and contaminants present in the lake and negatively impact the wildlife that depends on the lake to survive	8/1/2022 7:40 AM
29	because this city won't maintain it.	8/1/2022 5:43 AM
30	Great for community	7/31/2022 5:09 PM
31	Would run the path behind my house and would prefer it not.	7/31/2022 11:10 AM
32	Put things that will draw people, lower water bills, get a grocery store	7/30/2022 12:49 PM
33	None, the trail will not be well kept by the city staff. Just look at our streets and sidewalks in the Preserve now.	7/30/2022 7:47 AM
34	It would be behind my home and there is already a sidewalk in front of my home.	7/29/2022 2:20 PM
35	It looks like it goes through people's backyards	7/28/2022 11:03 AM
36	we need more trails on the other side of town. the preserve neighborhood seems to get all the attention from the city. new parks and trails already now you want to add more. add a trail around Brand lake like was in the proposal when i purchased my house on brand lake. it said future bike trail around brand lake but all you do is add in the preserve	7/28/2022 8:54 AM
37	The city needs to clean up and improve walking path west of Tacoma first	7/28/2022 7:04 AM
38	Wouldn't use	7/27/2022 10:00 PM
39	Disturbing nature and keeping the privacy for homeowners along the lake	7/27/2022 6:36 PM
40	Woodchipped trail, no real distance added	7/27/2022 5:56 PM
41	I don't think it would be a addition. We already have good sidewalks that connect to the paved trail	7/27/2022 5:55 PM
42	Fix the roads	7/27/2022 4:03 PM
43	\$ our streets need funding first	7/27/2022 3:56 PM

## Q14 Would you walk or drive to visit the Barnes Lake Nature Trail?

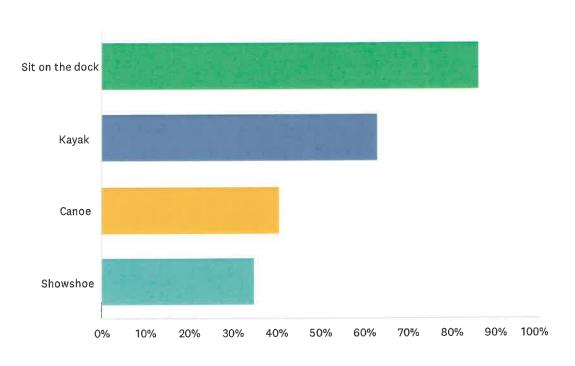




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Walk	68.15%	169
Drive	31.85%	79
TOTAL		248

# Q15 If there was public access to Barnes Lake, would you do any of the following? (check all that apply)





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Sit on the dock	86.45%	185
Kayak	63.08%	135
Canoe	40.65%	87
Showshoe	35.05%	75
Total Respondents: 214		

OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)

DATE

		8/16/2022 3:25 PM
1	cross country ski	
2	Bike to trail. Could the trail that ends at the Veteran's Memorial be extended to reach these trails? Will trail along Emma St ever connect with main trail? Are there any plans for a trail between NYA & Waconia on the old rail bed?	8/16/2022 3:22 PM
3	none	8/16/2022 3:17 PM
4	Fish?	8/16/2022 3:07 PM
5	none - it is solid weeds and lily pads. young america lake would be better. i think you need to worry about other things first.	8/16/2022 3:00 PM
6	walk the trail or bike it.	8/16/2022 2:58 PM
7	Is there any talk of a beach or swimming area?	8/16/2022 2:47 PM
8	observe waterfowl	8/16/2022 2:44 PM
9	not sure	8/16/2022 2:43 PM
10	marked two bench spots on the trail	8/16/2022 2:39 PM
11	fish/swim	8/16/2022 2:36 PM
12	No Never!	8/16/2022 2:27 PM
13	wind surfing	8/16/2022 1:26 PM
14	Photography	8/16/2022 12:35 PM
15	no	8/16/2022 12:32 PM
16	none	8/16/2022 12:30 PM
17	swim	8/16/2022 12:29 PM
18	Watch wildlife	8/16/2022 9:08 AM
19	I think we should maintain the trails we have currently.	8/16/2022 8:56 AM
20	paddleboard	8/15/2022 4:29 PM
21	I think we need a grocery store first.	8/15/2022 4:27 PM
22	none	8/15/2022 4:13 PM
23	Paddle Board	8/12/2022 8:59 AM
24	Paddle board	8/10/2022 10:36 PM
25	Ice Skating, Hunting (if this were an option). So thrilled you are exploring these ideas for both parks/walking trails/lake accesses. These additions can make a good community great and with the school updates I think we would see more young families considering our small town for their home. Thank you!!!	8/10/2022 6:43 PM
26	Ice skate	8/10/2022 1:48 PM

27	No, come on, the is more to this city than the Preserve	8/9/2022 3:07 PM
28	Terrible place for a public access. It is FULL of lily pads. There are other spots where the city could put a public access with shorter walking distance, no lily pads and it would be of minimal cost.	8/9/2022 12:49 PM
29	none of the above	8/9/2022 11:37 AM
30	cross country ski	8/9/2022 8:39 AM
31	Pick lilly pad flowers	8/8/2022 5:44 PM
32	Photography	8/8/2022 3:55 PM
33	There are hunters on that lake so it might not be safe starting in Sept through freeze up.	8/8/2022 9:29 AM
34	nope	8/6/2022 2:18 PM
35	No - this lake is small and great for wildlife. No need to open it up for humans. There are many local options for water activities at Baylor Park and Lake Waconia.	8/3/2022 11:08 PM
36	Cross country ski and ice skate	8/3/2022 9:47 PM
37	fishing	8/2/2022 4:28 PM
38	fishing	7/31/2022 8:15 PM
39	Ice skate	7/31/2022 7:59 PM
40	No. Don't do it. See other reasons	7/30/2022 12:49 PM
41	Watch the eagles	7/29/2022 4:47 PM
42	Paddle board	7/28/2022 4:06 PM
43	Fish	7/28/2022 8:54 AM
44	None	7/27/2022 10:00 PM
45	No, this lake has too many weeds. I tried to kayak and it was dangerous. Opening public access could be hazardous	7/27/2022 6:36 PM
46	None	7/27/2022 5:56 PM
47	None	7/27/2022 5:55 PM
48	Would absolutely love if the lake could be stocked with fish	7/27/2022 5:15 PM
49	N/A	7/27/2022 4:25 PM
50	Paddle board	7/27/2022 4:05 PM
51	No	7/27/2022 4:03 PM