

Future of Doyne Park Community Engagement Summary

Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors Committee on Parks & Culture

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Purpose for community engagement?

- Golf course is closed
- **Opportunity for new amenities**





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Doyne Park

Tiny Green Trees Nature Based Childcare...

Menomonee River

Schuler Gardens, Bobby Towing Temporarily closed Service Inc

W Wells St

Community Engagement Methods: Project website



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Ask a Question

st 40 years <u>Doyne Park</u> has been host to a par 3, 9 hole golf course. Unfortunately, due to ongoing shortfalls and staff shortages within Milwaukee County Parks (see Sinking Treasure report), the golf

register join the conversation

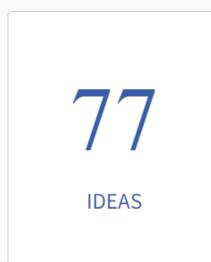
Doyne Park Map



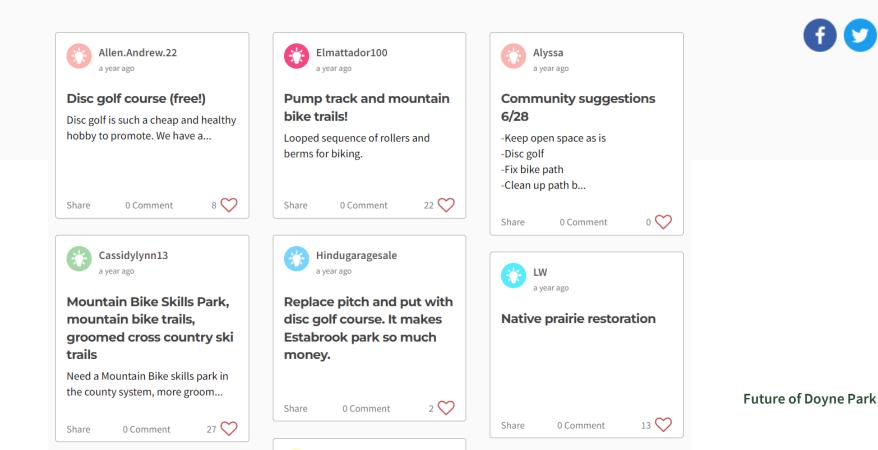
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Community Engagement Methods: Project website, Ideas Tool

What park amenities would you like to see at Doyne Park?



With the golf course closing at Doyne Park, this is an opportunity to express what you would like to see in its stead. Please note that due to the landfill underneath the entire park, future amenities cannot include anything that penetrates the soil.



Community Engagement Methods: In-Person Surveys

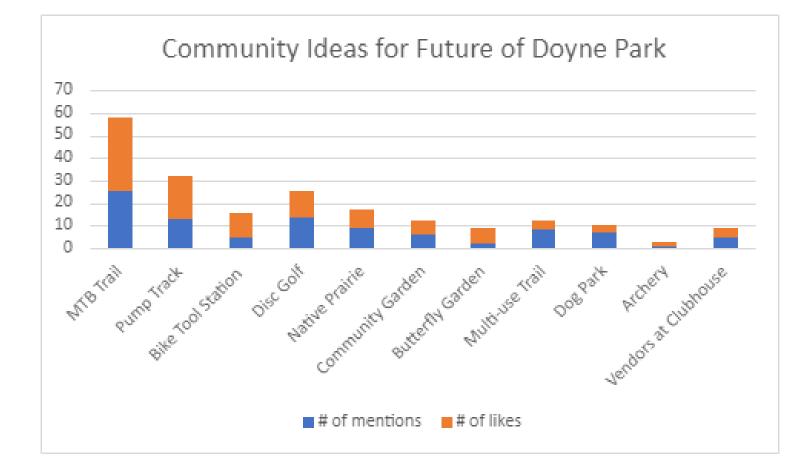
- Staff surveyed people at Doyne for 5 days over 6 weeks and 3hour shifts each time at different times of day to avoid repeats
- Spoke with dog walkers, cyclists, walkers, joggers, neighbors, and visitors

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Survey Results

- Compiled online and in-person surveys
- Bicycle related uses, disc golf, and native prairie were top choices





Community Engagement Methods: Public Input Meeting, August 4, 2022

- Invited neighbors via door-to-door outreach in area below
- 45 people attended, 80% lived within a half mile of Doyne Park







MTB Trail



Pump Track Bike Tool Station



Disc Golf



Native Prairie

Community Garden



Multi-use Trail



Dog Park



Butterfly Garden



Vendors

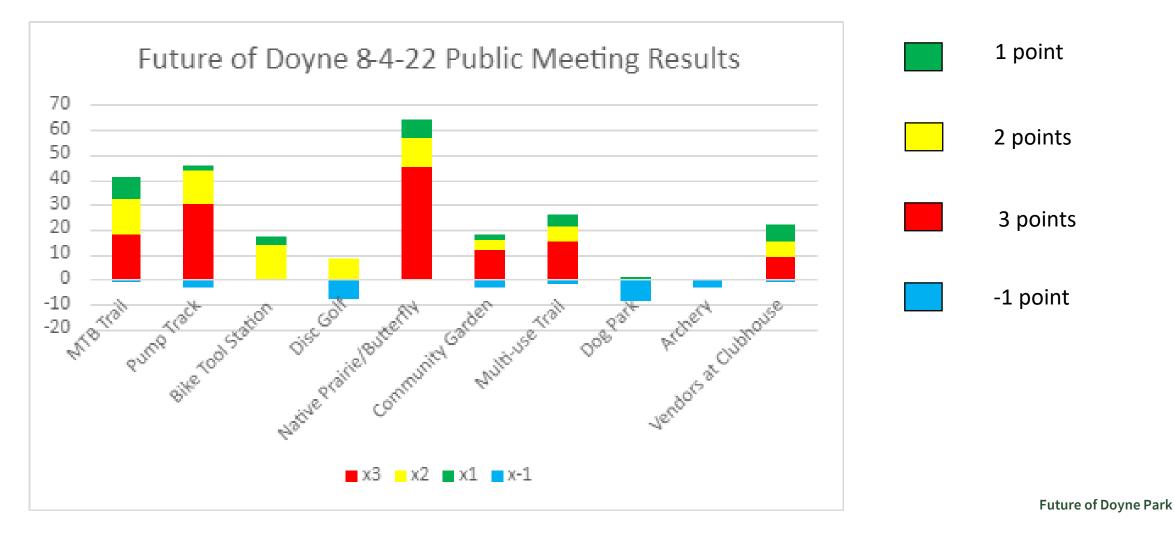


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Public Input Meeting Results

• Each person received 4 stickers





Public Input Meeting Results

• Top choices



• Neighbors strongly opposed disc golf and dog park





Timeline for Doyne Park

Spring 2022	Golf Course Closed
Summer 2022	Public Outreach
Fall 2022	Staff review top choices
Spring 2023	Applied for Capital Improvement funds
Summer 2023	Present to Parks & Culture Committee

Started Native Prairie restoration

Capital Improvement request is for

- Design park with desired uses
- Cost estimates for construction

Bonus: Friends of Doyne Park formed







