

Project Overview

In this final round of engagement, we were seeking choices for the reimagining of the park space at 40 Woodglen Road SW. The existing playground equipment and fall surface must be removed due to its age, condition and safety concerns. We do understand that changes to beloved community park spaces can be difficult. The option to keep or replace the playground equipment was not an option based on lifecycle and asset management evaluation. When a playground or park is transformed with new equipment or use options, it can become more valued by broader base of community residents. By seeking to improve and enhance certain playgrounds in combination with the creation of new community gathering spaces.

For full background information the most recent engagement process please refer to <https://engage.calgary.ca/PLWBN>

What We Asked / What We Heard

Based on the feedback from the two previous rounds of engagement, we presented three revised options for your consideration. This final engagement was focused on choosing from these options shaped from previous input and decision process.

Arial views of the space were provided with each option defined by the available features that could be implemented within this park space.

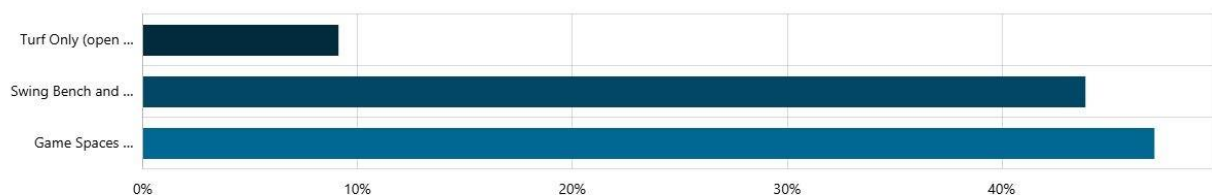
The 3 options provided were labelled as the following:

Turf Only (open green space play)

Swing Bench and Sandstone Boulders (creative seating)

Game Spaces (gameplay options)

We received input from 187 individuals with the results shown below.





Woodbine Playground Lifecycle

What We Heard August 2025

Next Steps

Having completed three rounds of engagement on this site, in addition to a community wide assessment of playground sites and aligning with safety and lifecycle process we will be moving forward with the necessary plan to remove the current play structures and replace with alternate options. We would like to thank everyone who took the time to provide input to help guide the process for a reimagined park space that will provide opportunity for a broader range of community members to connect and play.

Results are relatively even in favour of both swing bench and sandstone boulders, and game spaces. Based on the site footprint and available funding, we are able to install a swing bench and sandstone boulders, as well as corn hole and funnel ball, allowing for both active and passive play.

As we know green space is highly valued by Calgarians of all ages. When a space is transformed with new equipment and use options, they can become more welcoming to a broader base of community residents and become a location to be enjoyed by all. By seeking to improve and enhance certain playground sites in combination with creation of new community gathering spaces we look to provide opportunities to connect with nature and each other in a variety of ways to meet the needs of all within the community.

For additional information on the overall lifecycle process please feel free to click on the link below:

[Playground optimization & lifecycle program](#)

Or back to the main engage page that outlines the process and information specific to this site:

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