

Comments Received – Rock Creek Park

- Need a place for 4wheelers and dirt bikes
- I want a large dog park with high fences for large dogs.
- They are all great choices but the indoor ones. They'll be broken into in no time. Can't seem seem to get away from vandalism. Totally makes me want to spit.
- have a swimming pool, lazy susan, concerts, activities for young and old
- Need more affordable indoor tennis courts
- atv park
- A dog park would be a great addition!
- Spend money keeping clean and deterring drug dealers
- n/a
- Junior Tennis and indoor tennis options desperately needed close to Severna Park!
- Pickleball, racquetball, dog park, adult softball field for teams to come in and play
- The area needs more turf fields. Having an indoor area to practice in cold weather would be awesome. My daughter plays lacrosse year round. It is hard in the fall to find a spot for her to have lessons. all the fields are either in use, or the park manage
- Walking, running, bicycling trails.
- Native plant gardens with education signs.
- Use grant money and collaborate with natural resources.
- Indoor tennis courts
- I love all these ideas! Especially the dog park!
- Pickleball
- Parking will be a necessary
- No
- Please add more tennis courts. The tennis facilities in our county are severely limited.
- Na
- Skatepark at Rock Creek Park is a fantastic idea.
- None
- Leave as is.
- All these look great but every park in Anne Arundel County needs to add a skatepark. It is now an Olympic Sport and youth need opportunities to practice. Some children prefer to do individual sports and this would give them an opportunity and still get ou
- Pickleball courts
- I really don't like any of these concepts. It doesn't look like a natural park landscape, nor does it of much in the way of recreational assets to the community.
- A community garden would be so beneficial for so many reasons and so many people.
- Skateboard Park and Swimming pools at the top ofmy list. Too dirty to swim in our creeks anymore. Peace
- A skatepark and dog park would be fantastic for the community and probably see a lot of use! I look forward to seeing this concept 2 become a reality!!!!
- A bmx pump track
- Parking. If there is anyway to add more, it is needed, especially for sports games.

- Anne Arundel county needs INDOOR, AFFORDABLE tennis courts!
- We need indoor basketball courts and indoor tennis courts
- Please add a dog park, the county needs more in this area as well as Severna Park and Millersville. Always hope one will be added in the open field by athletics parking lots at Kinder Farm. Please consider it! Us Park users with dogs talk about this a lot
- None
- Nature garden, outdoor sensory play, nature playground is needed in our county. Splash pad in the county!
- SMALL PARK IN A SMALL COMMUNITY, WE DON'T NEED THIS!!!!!!
- Indoor and outdoor Pickleball
- Disc golf
- Aa county needs a better tennis facility. A lot of people I know have to travel to Bowie and Howard county
- Various activities would be great other than the typical ball fields. Playground equipment that accommodates special needs of all ages is desperately needed.
- A dog park would be an excellent idea! Please leave the baseball/softball fields and basketball courts. They are frequently used.
- love the idea of ice skating and/or roller skating
- We love lighted tennis courts. We would even tolerate pickle ball.
- Anne Arundel County needs more tennis and pickleball courts. These should be separate courts. Tennis and pickleball are different sports with different size surfaces. Tennis requires more space and it is dangerous when it is played next to a smaller pickl
- We need a skateboard park
- I live across the street, and the park gets used enough as is, without additional parking the park gets too crowded, no need for additional attraction from people outside the neighborhood.
- Pickleball courts please!
- Please consider installing 2 designated pickleball only courts with fencing and permanent nets.
- Thank you!
- Disc golf would be greatly appreciated.
- The skatepark would benefit kids and adults. Some of us in our mid to late 30s would love to take our kids to the skatepark and be so close to home.
- Add a good playground for the kiddos with a rubber mat under swings and slides etc. also bring in sports baseball/softball/soccer etc. make it enjoyable for kids as well as adults.
- We really need a pickleball court. There are so many in our community who would benefit from having one here.
- Pickleball court preferred over bocce ball court. Skate Park preferred over hockey court. Like the dog park idea. Update baseball/softball dug-outs.
- A dog park in the Pasadena area would be great. I like the skate park idea best.
- Rock climbing wall would be great for kids to have a full body workout. Skate park would reduce children doing tricks in the road, skate park in Glen Burnie is busy...wish Pasadena has one. A trail surrounded the park would be nice to have to do laps, pre
- Spray park for water play
- We need tennis courts with lights

- An area for small kids to play would be great! Sensory garden sounds cool. Some type of learning center for wildlife/plants could be a good idea.
- Pickle ball. With lights
- We need affordable indoor tennis courts!
- Love the idea of the dog park and the sensory garden! I think with those two additions, my household will be very happy and anything else is just icing on the cake.
- We need more in this area that will appeal to the older children's crowd such as preteen and teenagers. We have so many playground and things for smaller kids to do around the neighborhood but not so much for the older kids. It would be good to have som
- Dog poop bag dispensers to reduce amount of dog poop left in park
- I favor Concept #1. But I would also like to see the southern open field reforested and used as a natural area. This part of the county is heavily developed and to restore some forested area would improve the environment.
- It would be great to have indoor tennis courts
- Expand playground
- Indoor rec area for kids
- We need Pickleball courts.
- Trash cans, recycle bins, and dog waste stations
- If any of these ideas are chosen, please include an ample maintenance budget to keep them clean and safe for the life of the park. Also, please avoid cutting down trees if possible.
- None
- Pasadena really needs a BMX bike course for kids, they are currently doing dangerous stunts on busy streets.
- An indoor sports facility would be great as well. We have the ymca but the cost is prohibitive to most of the community.
- Add playground equipment. Clean up stream and graffiti. Get rid of one unused softball field. Trees and bushes block sidewalk on basketball side of park.
- Any improvement would be great. Nature trails are be coming unsafe for people .
- I would also like to see the soccer field at this park get lights so practices and games can be held after dark. Please keep a few of the softball fields since I know they are always in use.
- It would be nice if the park was kept up on with maintenance and the laws and rules enforced
- it would be great to have indoor tennis courts
- You're probably tired of reading this, but AACO has two bad skateparks. We don't need more ball fields or courts. There's probably literally thousands of them in just the county alone. We need skateparks that aren't poorly built, designed and shoved into
- More playground
- If at all possible place a barrier/fence in front of the parking spaces on the previous tennis court. Hard to sit outside in evening with headlights shining in your face. When we moved in the tennis courts were there it was very nice
- Please cut back trees in park on Arundel Rd blocking sidewalk. Clean creek bed out in park. Clean up graffiti. Add skatepark or skate ramps.

- We lack sidewalks and shoulders. We need more safe places to run and walk. Around here we have yards, we don't need dog parks. Tennis, basketball, pickleball, playground. and trails sound amazing as long as you leave the trees.
- So many parks are geared only to sports like baseball and basket ball. There are so many other outdoor things to enjoy. And LIGHTS! Many of us want to be active
- Year round! Can't do that when there is sunset early in the winter trails. Pickleball. z
- given the seasonality, it would be great if the courts were covered (bubble, enclosed, etc.)
- Nun
- must have an ending time example parks is closed at 8pm. no exceptions
- There are SO many tennis players in our county - as well as Pickleball players. We really need INDOOR COURTS; especially in North County - we have none. Me and my friends drive all the way to Bowie multiple times a week in winter to play at bowie sport
- Using the land to get more use with different sports is the best use of this site
- None
- Skatepark
- You should concentrate on enhancing all your parks with lights and accessible amenities. Howard County has wrote the plan all you have to do is copy it, don't re-invent the wheel.
- The county needs affordable indoor tennis courts.
- Great ideas
- I'd like to see the county playgrounds enhanced & better maintained. The playground at Rock Creek Park has overgrown grass & weeds all throughout, creating tripping hazards for children, not to mention excessive bugs. Additionally, it'd be nice to hav
- Skatepark!
- The park needs a refresh with new interests
- Indoor tennis or tennis bubble
- Would love a dog park and a community pool.
- The county needs affordable indoor tennis courts.
- The county needs more lighted tennis courts. Short winter days combined with the competition with pickleball players for courts make it difficult to find ample resources to play tennis.
- I would love to see this park updated/ upgraded. I grew up (and my parents still live) right across the street on Summit. I now live just a couple blocks away and my bf has 4 kids ranging from 6-16 and I have a 7yr old granddaughter who visits so having a
- The local kids would destroy any type of adventure course.
- Dog park in one spot, walking trail loop around the entire park.
- Why is it changing ? I bought my house because I was told it will always be a park.
- Awesome playground with shade, and SPLASH PAD!! I would bring my kids so often! People really really want a splash pad in Northern AA county.
- Like concept 1. Would love a street hockey rink and/or a skate park.
- My son really likes to play ice hockey and the closet nearest rink is in piney orchard
- The open fields look like they need more shade trees.
- None
- Outdoor facilities and park improvements are appreciated.
- No skate park.

- Restrooms would be appreciated and utilized, water station for people and pets would also be appreciated, possible cover for the playground would be amazing, should also look at acquiring the land being proposed for residential building that is near the p
- None
- more skateparks
- Somewhere for the kids to ride their bikes would keep them out of the road.
- Not Applicable
- Rock Creek concepts 2 and 3 are my preference. Dog parks unite neighbors. Gardens add beauty and bocce ball is a great addition for adults and families. Bleep the ball fields too because they're heavily used.
- None
- Really appreciate the sensory garden
- variety is good
- We have no public dog parks in our community it would be wonderful to have a space for dogs too run and play fetch !!! Middle & south county parks have several it's time for north county to have a respectable dog park thanks for your consideration on th
- Leave raw land Grow trees to fill it up.
- Why bocce? Not enough people play to justify 6 courts. Maybe 1 or 2 but 6?? Try something more universal like basketball, pickleball, tennis, volleyball??
- The neighborhood needs more tennis courts, which can be used as Pickle ball courts also.
- We need this for our kids, teens and adults. We need a place local to be able to publicly access and use for physical activities
- No motorized , low noise please , so it is a nice place to walk.
- Softball is important too!! Need those fields that are there.
- Would like indoor and outdoor tennis facilities!
- Let the kids play softball. What needs improved is the security of the park, better fencing, and covered dugouts.
- Leave our girls softball fields there! No dog park enough people walk that park and leave their dogs crap everywhere!!! Add Bmx/atv track for the kids!! That would be the best! We need change!! All the kids riding bicycles dirt bikes four wheelers on the
- We have too many sport fields around
- Accommodations for kids with special needs would be much appreciated
- 1. Yes to Dog Park! It will be an opportunity to teach neighbors the importance of keeping dog mess out of the Bay!
- 2. I moved here from out-of-state. It sure would be grand if the County took over some of Riviera Beach's public spaces!
- Add lights to the soccer field
- The whole community would love pickleball. I'm glad to see the interest in upgrading the park.
- This is a good site for multipurpose fields because it has already been cleared.
- Park benches, trees. Physical exercise circuits among natural plants. Decrease impervious surfaces in the critical area.
- There's a lot of space available to add new amenities. The park used to have more things for people to do but it has become a sports field only park.

- Please add indoor tennis courts and outdoor tennis courts with lights and knock boards. We need indoor tennis courts, so tennis players can continue to practice during winter months and rainy days. High school tennis teams have no place to practice during
- I like Concept 2.
- Indoor pickleball
- Security for the all the park
- I would love to see the park utilized year round. Dogs on leashes and people picking up dog waste. The osprey need to stay. The wildlife that frequents . Deer and foxes. We don't have enough land for these animals now. Always seeing them dead on the road
- Lights on soccer field
- #3
- None of the three concepts. Bocce? Who plays bocce? Same for street hockey. Go back to the drawing board. What do local community members want? Focus on what the young people desire.
- More natural area with realistic recreation for near by families. I have only seen the soccer field used by organized soccer club and local residents seem to only use the basketball courts and playground.
- We need affordable INDOOR tennis facilities.
- Na
- None
- A pickleball court would be a great asset to the community as there are none close by.
- I like concept 2 the best out of the proposed 3
- No ATV Course
- I live across the street from the park. It is a well kept park and a very close community on summit road. Myself and my neighbors feel a skate park would bring Problems that we currently do not have on our stree. There are many of us who are okay with oth
- Competition Pools/Aquatics facility
- SKATEPARK
- Definitely a skatepark dog park atv track would be cool to but mostly skatepark
- We need more affordable and easily accesible in door facilities in AACO. There is a strong tennis community that has been asking to be heard and acknowledged. Please help support the tennis community and all the benefits, both physically and mentally th
- Havenwood has one of the best youth softball programs in the county, a model for all other athletic organizations and tons of volunteers but they have poor facilities. They should be rewarded by investing in what works. If you can squeeze in additional
- N/a
- Rock Creek park needs a major overhaul for the community. Please and thank you
- Softball fields for the booming girls sports
- No
- Only develop on existing gray field areas or grass. Concept 2 the best as Skate park highly desired and so needed!
- Concept2 no sport fields or other developed areas on the existing forest. (courts and green squares shown in drawing.) Could be moved.

- Make
- Need indoor tennis
- Love the idea of a dog park. Also a skate park would be great. There isn't nearly enough of these for kids and will keep them from skating in dangerous/prohibited areas.
- My strongest recommendation is for the inclusion of indoor public tennis courts. There are no public tennis courts in the county, few public courts in the county, especially in the northern part, except high school tennis courts, which have restrictions.
- I like the option of the skate park along with the dog park, bocce courts, and sensory garden.
- PickleBall Courts
- Northern part of the county could use a fully functioning concrete skatepark the 20+ year-old park at sawmill is a laughing stock in the state of Maryland now.
- We badly need indoor tennis courts
- I have grandchildren that live in Riviera beach
- It would be great to have indoor tennis courts!
- Lived across from this park for years and would love to see it become more
- Thank you for asking
- We are in a climate crisis. We must change our bias toward cutting down forest and building everywhere. Save all forest now! Every deforestation contributes to global warming. Build only in areas that are already developed. I'm sure you can find places
- Disc golf. Disc golf. Disc golf.
- This park is perfect the way it is. The trail is used to walk by community members. The fields are great and the neighborhood isn't crowded to where residents can't park on the street. The change would absolutely suck.
- I like Concept 3 as the best design.
- Option 1 or 2.
- Pickleball courts, please
- We desperately need affordable indoor tennis court facilities within AAC. Please make this happen!
- Splash pad, playgrounds, atv/kid riding toys area.
- Love for it to b some trails.
- Prioritize open ended and nature inspired play space for kids.
- Excellent concepts. Like concept #2. Enhanced parks are a huge benefit to our communities, especially to keep our teenagers occupied in healthy ways and to promote being outdoors.
- Build a 10 court sand volleyball facility with lights and concessions
- Meadow in southwest corner can become a pollinator garden and link with water feature. a number of Watershed Stewards live near this site and can support community engagement with bringing natives back to the land and sharing these plants with the Riviera
- Tennis courts would be a great addition
- Need indoor tennis options
- Hopefully changes to the park will bring greater enthusiasm for our shared community space. Often teens come to shoot hoops, dog walkers make use of the open spaces and young families enjoy coming to the playground for an outdoor adventure. I think all
- Hoping for affordable indoor tennis courts in the area.

- We need affordable INDOOR tennis and/or pickleball facilities please!
- We need to save Forests now! Any of the above facilities can be built in areas where there is already development. Please search for the abandoned malls, etc..
- I have grandchildren and know that all ages need places for sports, etc. But, everyone als
- I mostly like the park the way it is. It would be nice if dog owners kept them on leash and pick up dog poop.
- Leave park the same
- we need more indoor tennis courts
- Indoor tennis courts please!