

# Omak 2018 Parks and Recreation Survey

## Part 1 - Parks

1. Where do you live?

If outside city limits, how far?

2. Zip code?

3. How many in your household?

4. How old is the person completing this survey?

5. Are you interested in being part of a committee?

If interested in a committee, please provide your contact info in Question # 20.

6. Please check which age groups are in your family?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <5 years old    | <input type="checkbox"/> 19-35 years old   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5-10 years old  | <input type="checkbox"/> 36-55 years old   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 11-14 years old | <input type="checkbox"/> 56 - 65 years old |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 15-18 years old | <input type="checkbox"/> 66+ years old     |

7. How well informed are you about Omak parks and recreation facilities and opportunities?

8. How often do you visit an Omak park?

If never, what would change your mind?

9. Which parks do you visit?

10. What park and recreation do you or family members use in Omak Parks?

11. What activities would you like to see in Omak?

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|---|--|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> tennis courts    | <input type="checkbox"/> natural areas | <input type="checkbox"/> other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dance area       | <input type="checkbox"/> water park    |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> community center | <input type="checkbox"/> dog areas     |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> trails           |  |                                |

What other?

12. How well do current Omak Parks offer facilities for each of the following age groups?

|                                 |                      |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| Preschool (<5 yrs)              | <input type="text"/> |
| Elementary School (5-11 yrs)    | <input type="text"/> |
| Middle School (11-14 yrs)       | <input type="text"/> |
| High School (14-18 yrs)         | <input type="text"/> |
| Adults (18-35 yrs)              | <input type="text"/> |
| Adults (36-55 yrs)              | <input type="text"/> |
| Adults (56+ yrs), still working | <input type="text"/> |
| Retired, able-bodied            | <input type="text"/> |
| Disabled or elderly             | <input type="text"/> |

13. How do you feel about the following statement?

*"I would be in favor of new or additional financial methods to support parks and recreation facilities in Omak."*

14. If you support new and expanded facilities, how should they be financed?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Form Parks and Recreation District | <input type="checkbox"/> User Fees                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Land Development Fees              | <input type="checkbox"/> Charitable contributions/ private fundraising |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bonds                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Grants  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Property Tax                       | <input type="checkbox"/> other   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do Not Support                     |  |

What other?

15. If spending for parks were to decrease, what should be the priority for spending in parks?  
(rank 1-5, 1 = most important, 5 = least important)

|                               |                      |                                  |                      |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Increased maintenance         | <input type="text"/> | Developing recreational programs | <input type="text"/> |
| Development of new facilities | <input type="text"/> | Other                            | <input type="text"/> |
| Acquiring new land for parks  | <input type="text"/> |                                  |                      |

What other?

16. How do you feel about the following statement?

*"In general, the parks and recreation facilities in Omak meet my expectations and needs."*

17. How do you feel about the following statement?

*"In general, the parks and recreation facilities in Omak require improvements to satisfy my expectations."*

If you agree, what would you like to see?

18. Please check which site furnishings you feel are adequate.

- Shelters
- Pavilions
- Benches
- Bleachers
- Play Equipment

- Outdoor Grills
- Drinking Fountains
- Restrooms
- Lighting

What is needed and where?

19. Trails. Over the years, we have consistently heard that trails should be a priority for Omak. The City is actively working to open a portion of the river levee as a walkway. What do you think about trails.

20. Please tell us what projects you would like to see as our top three (3) priorities.

1.

2.

3.

21. If you would like to find out more about Omak's Parks planning, please provide contact information:

Name:

Mailing Address:

E-mail:

Phone:

**Thank you for providing your thoughts on the future of our parks!**

## Part 2 - SWIMMING POOL

Our community swimming pool was built in 1981, 37 years ago. It is nearing the end of its useful life and should be refurbished or replaced. Your input is critical to making the right choices.

1. Are you interested in being on a preliminary committee to plan a future pool?

2. What is your opinion of the existing condition of the swimming pool?

Pool

Pool Deck

Parking

Access (in and out of pool)

Access (in and out of facility)

Fencing

Spectator Viewing

Bathrooms>Showers

Changing Rooms

Drop Off/ Pick-Up Area

Cleanliness

3. How much do you think we need a swimming pool?

4. What amenities would you want the facility to have?

Year-round Covered Facility

Water Slides

Lap Pool

Kids Pool w/ Ramped Entry

Dive Tank

Water Features (kid sprayers)

Therapy Pool

Education (CPR, lifesaving, etc.)

Swim Classes

Exercise Classes

other

What other?

5. Would you like an indoor pool or outdoor pool?

6. How do you feel about the following statement?

*"An improved swimming pool would benefit my household."*

7. How do you feel about the following statement?

*"An improved swimming pool and/or aquatics program would benefit the citizens of Omak and regional users."*

**Thank you for your valuable opinions!**