

Lowman Beach Racket Court

Virtual Open House 08/26/2020 – Chat Record

August 26, 2020 from rdotson@hbbseattle.com to everyone: 6:06 PM
Testing the save messages option...

August 26, 2020 from Pamela Kliment to everyone: 6:09 PM
hi!!

August 26, 2020 from Shelley Hadaway to everyone: 6:17 PM
I'm in an out of service in Montana

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Uemoto to everyone: 6:27 PM
Welcome to teh Lowman Beach Racket Court Virtual Open House

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Uemoto to everyone: 6:28 PM
We will start the meeting shortly after 6:30pm to allow people to log on

August 26, 2020 from Pamela Kliment to everyone: 6:41 PM
hi Deb,

August 26, 2020 from Pamela Kliment to everyone: 6:41 PM
That would be great-I will ser you all then.

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Corbin to everyone: 6:45 PM
Lisa Corbin's email is llcorbin@gmail.com. Thank you for your input on this project!

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 6:52 PM
Seattle Parks planner for the Shoreline Restoration project is David Graves. david.graves@seattle.gov.

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 6:53 PM
CSO = Combined Sewer Overflow.

August 26, 2020 from Brian Wade to everyone: 6:59 PM
Skate Park!

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 6:59 PM
Can you do Bocce Ball on court surfaces?

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:02 PM
yes please rustic look is Lowman.

August 26, 2020 from Brian Wade to everyone: 7:02 PM
Second the rustic artsy amenities.

August 26, 2020 from Cindy Mulliken to everyone: 7:03 PM
Kids and adults love the swings!

August 26, 2020 from Dianne Dever to everyone: 7:04 PM
I am strongly suggesting keeping the large open space. This should be a priority over squeezing in a bunch o amenities

August 26, 2020 from Ann Dillon to everyone: 7:04 PM
Yes to tennis and the rustic touches!

August 26, 2020 from Dianne Dever to everyone: 7:04 PM
Plz keep the swings

August 26, 2020 from L Cox to everyone: 7:04 PM
How healthy are the trees?

August 26, 2020 from Dianne Dever to everyone: 7:04 PM
A smaller court is preferrabe

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:04 PM
agree. and especially we don't need more steel and concrete junk.

August 26, 2020 from Brittney to everyone: 7:05 PM
storage for kayaks and sups!! small court. keep swings

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:05 PM
Remember everyone to to go to the SURVEY LINK to give your opinion.

August 26, 2020 from Dianne Dever to everyone: 7:05 PM
We have already had an issue with skate boarders on the CSO area late at night. Drinking, Being loud

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Corbin to everyone: 7:06 PM
we will make sure that the survey link gets to the WS blog!

August 26, 2020 from Pamela Kliment to everyone: 7:06 PM
These are great comments!!

August 26, 2020 from Cindy Mulliken to everyone: 7:06 PM
PICKLEBALL!!!!

August 26, 2020 from Sarah Webb to everyone: 7:06 PM
Pickleball courts please. Glad to share with tennis.

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Uemoto to everyone: 7:06 PM
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Z2Y38R9>

August 26, 2020 from pamelaerickson to everyone: 7:06 PM
Thank you for being open with these ideas!

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:06 PM
well we need a regulation tennis court.

August 26, 2020 from Thomas W. Holford to everyone: 7:07 PM
Swings get much, much more use than the tennis court

August 26, 2020 from Abdy Farid to everyone: 7:07 PM
Tennis and Pickleball combination courts!

August 26, 2020 from pamelaerickson to everyone: 7:07 PM
ditto. (and i'm a tennis player. but went MUCH more often with my kiddos and swing at end of the LP walk. PB is multi-age!

August 26, 2020 from Jimi Vernie to everyone: 7:07 PM
thank you Lisa for getting this project going Fauntleroy tennis courts have no pickleball option so lets just do a pickleball court Make sure the kids have swings

August 26, 2020 from Miguel de Campos to everyone: 7:07 PM
Tennis + pickleball. Include semipermanent pickleball nets.

August 26, 2020 from sbone to everyone: 7:07 PM
Lowman big tree to be protected! Keep tennis court with pickle ball court option. Yes to swings...big and tall...not those new safe ones!

August 26, 2020 from Topp to everyone: 7:08 PM
We do need a regulation tennis court. This is the most beautiful court in the entire city, maybe the entire state. Such an amazing opporunity for folks to play tennis in such a beautiful setting. It's a public amenity that one only finds at private clubs.

August 26, 2020 from Dianne Dever to everyone: 7:08 PM
Yes! Plz keep big tree

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:08 PM
FYI - The Morgan Community Association (MoCA) will feature the Court project update at our October 21st general Zoom meeting. Along with the Beach restoration project update. All invited to attend.

August 26, 2020 from Jimi Vernie to everyone: 7:08 PM
orient the net(s) north south not east west!

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:09 PM
@Aaron - can you put up the site map?

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:09 PM
Question: Can we have a departure from the typical concrete and steel style of amenities and pathways? Lowman is lovely because its "old seattle" and rustic. Can we maintain this look? e.g. gravel walks, wooden benches, etc.

August 26, 2020	from Dianne Dever to everyone:	7:09 PM
agree!		
August 26, 2020	from Brittney to everyone:	7:10 PM
has there been consideration for sup and kayak storage units?		
August 26, 2020	from pamelaerickson to everyone:	7:10 PM
the trees MAKE the spot! Keep the trees at all costs!		
August 26, 2020	from pamelaerickson to everyone:	7:10 PM
Bocce needs soft -- yes, won't work on sport court		
August 26, 2020	from Brian Wade to everyone:	7:10 PM
Tennis can be played on clay.		
August 26, 2020	from Brittney to everyone:	7:10 PM
these are primary activities there		
August 26, 2020	from Dianne Dever to everyone:	7:11 PM
Will there be any open space left? Playing frisbee, catch, picnicing is so important		
August 26, 2020	from Kathleen Wessel to everyone:	7:11 PM
Keep the trees, some of the most beautiful in the city. Swings and pickleball please! K Wessel		
August 26, 2020	from Larry K to everyone:	7:11 PM
Lowman needs restroom facilities.		
August 26, 2020	from Brittney to everyone:	7:11 PM
agree to restroom needs		
August 26, 2020	from Dianne Dever to everyone:	7:12 PM
restrooms attract issues		
August 26, 2020	from Dianne Dever to everyone:	7:12 PM
attract		
August 26, 2020	from pamelaerickson to everyone:	7:12 PM
agreed		
August 26, 2020	from Cindy Mulliken to everyone:	7:12 PM
restrooms were voted down during the CSO design		
August 26, 2020	from michael brunner to everyone:	7:12 PM
is there a unused or deactivated tennis court in lincoln park? Should that be restored instead?		
August 26, 2020	from Dianne Dever to everyone:	7:13 PM
there is and there is a court right up the hill		

August 26, 2020 from Brian Wade to everyone: 7:13 PM
Pavers can be ADA compliant.

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:14 PM
Restrooms are a Seattle Parks Department issue/decision. They were not preferred (ie: voted down) with the beach restoration project.

August 26, 2020 from Sandi to everyone: 7:14 PM
Pickleball Courts, please!

August 26, 2020 from Brian Wade to everyone: 7:14 PM
SUP and Kayak launching area.

August 26, 2020 from Dianne Dever to everyone: 7:14 PM
Please address the open spaces question

August 26, 2020 from larry kirchner to everyone: 7:15 PM
Lowman Park was built around having the tennis court! If we are to maintain this park's story we should have a tennis/Pickleball court.

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:15 PM
Restrooms clearly belong across the street at the CSO site. Not at Lowman.

August 26, 2020 from pamelaerickson to everyone: 7:15 PM
Pickleball court is multi-age, and gets more people able to use a given space at a time

August 26, 2020 from Marsha to everyone: 7:15 PM
Yes, please to storage - would make it so much more accessible. 👍

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:16 PM
@HBB - Remember to identify the kayak input area. That as improved with the CSO project.

August 26, 2020 from sbone to everyone: 7:16 PM
Restrooms are needed...the fact the whole sewer station was installed without a toilet is lame...people need to go

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:16 PM
what is Pelly creek going to look like? Will it be flowing year round?

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:16 PM
Pelly Creek will be daylighted, but won't be running year round.

August 26, 2020 from Topp to everyone: 7:17 PM
There are existing courts but none as beautiful as this one.

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:17 PM
agree

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Corbin to everyone: 7:18 PM
strong community support to keep the court on the site led to this grant award

August 26, 2020 from Marsha to everyone: 7:19 PM
Tennis courts are great for so many - integral to rounding out the parks offering.

August 26, 2020 from Brian Wade to everyone: 7:19 PM
Will the creek host cutthroat or any other salmonids?

August 26, 2020 from Cindy Mulliken to everyone: 7:19 PM
want to keep tennis court but add multi-use with addition of pickle ball lines.

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:19 PM
agree

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:20 PM
What kind of trees will be planted?

August 26, 2020 from Janet Murphy to everyone: 7:20 PM
The creek varies from dry to a mere trickle to a very high flow with storms. The latter was a major factor in the failure of the seawall, when the pipe fractured.

August 26, 2020 from Brian Wade to everyone: 7:20 PM
Will the beach be sand fill or gravel?

August 26, 2020 from Jin Yoo to everyone: 7:20 PM
Yes, we need more pickle ball lines on the outside tennis courts.

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:21 PM
What is the square footage of your opportunity area?

August 26, 2020 from Cindy Mulliken to everyone: 7:21 PM
Is there actually money allotted for this project?

August 26, 2020 from Topp to everyone: 7:21 PM
Will the link to the survey be posted in the chat?

August 26, 2020 from rdotson@hbbseattle.com to everyone: 7:21 PM
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Z2Y38R9>

August 26, 2020 from Michael Harold to everyone: 7:21 PM
Are swings displaced by the decision to include a tennis court?

August 26, 2020 from larry kirchner to everyone: 7:22 PM
Can there be a couple of small picnic tables be added?

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:22 PM
Are you going to have to do serious grading in the Opp area to make it level?

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:22 PM
Do all tennis courts require that large non play area around the outside? It's 7,200 SF of land area

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Corbin to everyone: 7:23 PM
Can Rachel talk about the swings not being up to code?

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:24 PM
FYI - The majority of city parks projects are on HOLD with the budget situation. That includes Morgan Junction Park expansion project. Morgan Junction is fortunate that the Lowman beach restoration Project is proceeding with construction in 2020/2021.

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:25 PM
Wooden old style picnic tables would be terrific.

August 26, 2020 from Drew Thoresen to everyone: 7:26 PM
Will SPR allow a racket court to be built on Lowman Park?

August 26, 2020 from pamelaerickson to everyone: 7:26 PM
tennis players actually PLAY in that area ---

August 26, 2020 from Deb Barker to everyone: 7:27 PM
@ Aaron - thanks for the great explanations.

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:27 PM
Are you going to have to do serious grading in the Opp area to make it level?

August 26, 2020 from Janet Murphy to everyone: 7:27 PM
Please retain some swings as a feature. The swings are used more than the tennis court.

August 26, 2020 from Lisa Corbin to everyone: 7:28 PM
Thank you Pam!

August 26, 2020 from Abdy Farid to everyone: 7:28 PM
Thanks, Pam. Abdy

August 26, 2020 from Michael Harold to everyone: 7:28 PM
Thanks, team. Appreciate the updates.

August 26, 2020 from Jim Puckett to everyone: 7:29 PM
yes to swings

August 26, 2020 from Brian Wade to everyone: 7:29 PM
What about firepit for Christmas Ships?

August 26, 2020 great information. thank you all	from Cindy Mulliken to everyone:	7:29 PM
August 26, 2020 Thank you to the organizers for this opportunity and a nice short presentation.	from Jim Puckett to everyone:	7:30 PM
August 26, 2020 Thanks everyone for participating	from Shelley Hadaway to everyone:	7:30 PM
August 26, 2020 Thank you for the great presentation	from Topp to everyone:	7:30 PM
August 26, 2020 thank you for your work!	from pamelaerickson to everyone:	7:30 PM
August 26, 2020 Thanks Everyone for attending!!! 44 attendees! WOW	from Deb Barker to everyone:	7:30 PM
August 26, 2020 Thank you!	from Ann Dillon to everyone:	7:30 PM
August 26, 2020 great presentation!	from Abdy Farid to everyone:	7:30 PM
August 26, 2020 Thank you all~	from Jin Yoo to everyone:	7:31 PM
August 26, 2020 Thank you Aaron and Pam.	from Topp to everyone:	7:31 PM
August 26, 2020 Please help spread teh words about the survey to any of your neighbors that may be interested in this project !	from Lisa Uemoto to everyone:	7:32 PM
August 26, 2020 Thank you Aaron, Rachel, Lisa C, Shelley, and Pam !	from Lisa Uemoto to everyone:	7:34 PM
August 26, 2020 Thank you. It's a great opportunity.	from Brian Wade to everyone:	7:34 PM
August 26, 2020 Thanks everyone!!	from Aaron Luoma to everyone:	7:36 PM