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## "City of Canby Seeks Input from Public on Parks and Recreation Needs"

Residents Encouraged to Take Survey

The City of Canby is developing a comprehensive Parks and Recreation Master Plan and would like to better understand residents' usage and needs for the park and recreation system. Community input is an important part of this process, and feedback will be used to help guide future decisions.

A random sampling of residents was invited to take a survey, and these responses will provide statistically valid results. In addition, the City of Canby invites all residents to provide feedback and input through an open-link survey at <a href="https://canbyparksurvey.org/open">https://canbyparksurvey.org/open</a>.

The results of this survey will create a priority blueprint for where Canby can improve, how to grow responsibly, and which programs and recreational opportunities the community needs. Questions ask about what types of improvements residents want in their parks and recreation system and where priorities should be placed.

This consultant team for the master plan is led by GreenPlay, LLC, with survey and data work done by RRC Associates. A total of 3,500 households in Canby were mailed a postcard and a full paper survey packet, and responses from those residents will comprise the statistically valid sample. The open-link survey will give all residents an opportunity to provide feedback, and their responses will be included in the final analysis. While open-link results will be kept separate from the statistically valid responses, these responses will none-the-less provide valuable feedback for the City of Canby.

If you have any question, please contact Ryan Potter, Senior Planner, at 503-266-0712 or PotterR@CanbyOregon.gov.

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