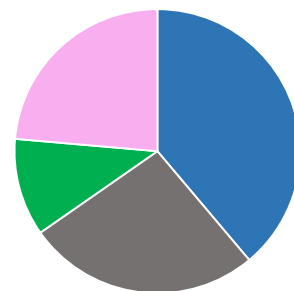


# Sloan Lake Playground Survey Responses - December 2019 107 Responses

## 1.) How did you hear about the Sloan's Lake playground update project?

- Highland Mommies Facebook group
- Highland mommies on Facebook
- Neighbor
- Highlands Moms Facebook group
- Social media
- Neighborhood sharing group on Facebook
- friend on Facebook
- Internet
- Highlands mommies
- Facebook
- Facebook - Highlands Mommies
- Facebook
- Highlands moms group on facebook
- Highlands mommy
- Facebook
- Facebook
- Highland Mommies
- Highlands Mommies group on Facebook
- My Wife
- Facebook
- Highlands moms group on facebook
- Facebook
- Facebook
- SLCG newsletter
- WeCAN
- WeCan Newsletter
- Facebook
- Facebook via DPR
- Facebook
- Highland Mommies
- Facebook
- Facebook
- Highland Mommies
- Facebook
- Highlands Mommies on FB
- Highlands Mommies
- Highlands mom's group
- Highland Mommies internet Forum
- Facebook
- Facebook
- Facebook
- Facebook
- Friends on Facebook
- Facebook
- Neighborhood forum
- Facebook
- From my wife
- Friend
- Facebook
- Highland mommies
- Live in the Neighborhood
- WeCAN
- Facebook
- Meredith Levy
- Facebook
- Facebook
- Facebook
- Facebook mamas group
- Highland Mommies on Facebook
- Friend
- Facebook
- WeCAN
- Friend
- Friend
- Internet
- WeCAN Facebook
- Facebook
- Amanda Sandoval
- Online Group
- Live in area
- I live nearby
- WeCAN
- Facebook neighborhood group
- WeCAN
- WeCAN Newsletter
- Spouse
- We live next to the Lake and voted for it
- CHUN Parent



■ Facebook ■ Highland Mommies ■ WeCAN ■ Other

## 2.) Which concept do you prefer?

### Rocket/Space Theme

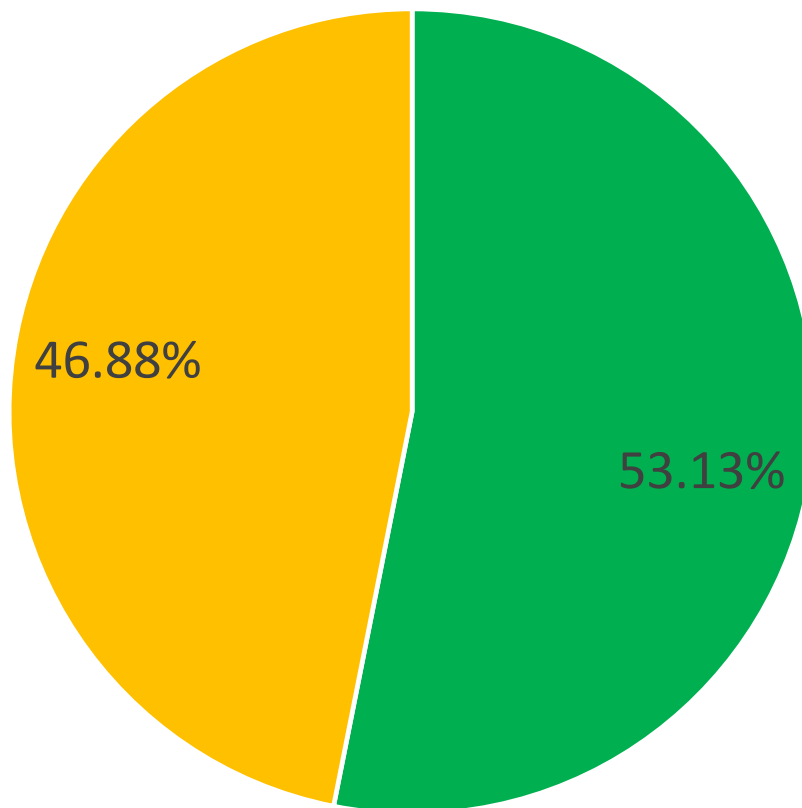
51 Responses

53.13%

### Farmer Thomas M. Sloan Theme

45 Responses

46.88%



■ Rocket/Space Theme

■ Farmer Thomas M. Sloan Theme

### 3.) What do you like about each concept?

#### Rocket/Space Theme (67 Responses)

- Rocket ship
- Splash pad, astro turf (as long as it's maintained and replaced as needed), obstacle course
- Appeals to range of age, includes splash pad, stem
- Colorful, splash area
- I like the "Sling shot thingy" It looks fun.
- overall theme is more exciting for kids; splash pad; open spaces to run around,
- Splash Area
- Love it!!'
- Climbing
- Splash pad, climbing areas
- Splash pad, rocket ship structure
- I like this theme but am concerned with how far away the picnic area is from the play area.
- The rocket ship
- I like the natural elements and the inclusive focus
- Like the variety, obstacle course, water, climbing elements
- The splash pad is amazing and the best feature listed.
- Splash Pad
- Unique
- Space Net
- Reminds me of old school rocket playgrounds from when I was very young. Feels very imaginative. Feels unique to the area. Love that there is a water feature!
- The water component
- Theme and water elements
- Seems more exciting- bigger water feature. Also love ADA swing idea- hope that happens in either design
- Theme itself-my son is big into rockets
- Water Feature
- Water feature with rocks, nice chairs for adults, giant blue swing
- Science theme is great for girls
- Science banking
- The rain garden
- I love the splash zone and the potential for this playground to be ADA accessible! We need more ADA play spaces, including swings, splashpads, and playground equipment.
- The modern look and types of equipment
- The obstacle course and lounge seating
- Spash park, rain garden,
- Supporting STEM and creativity
- Everything - it was really tough to pick one.
- Looks Great
- Obstacle course, water feature
- Creative age appropriate theme creative
- Bright Colors. More imaginative.
- I mean...space is always cool.
- I love the water elements most here and what we'd love most.
- Accessible swing
- Nature play, water play, hills, obstacle course, covered seating
- splash pad
- Rain Garden
- my boys love space and I love this theme and all it offers! Climbing and water play!
- Splash Pad
- Cool Theme
- Modern colors and use of space
- Cool Features
- More exciting theme
- Space theme is fun
- Love the splash pad
- promoting science to the next generation, swings
- color and the space worm
- obstacle course and rocketship play structure

## Rocket/Space Theme (Cont.)

- more dynamic, action-play based
- the splashpad and the rocket. Like the rocket better, but the pump track is awesome
- Splash Pad
- Climbing
- Feels water-forward
- Berm and rain garden
- water feature, open play space, grassy knoll
- Obstacle Course
- Water area shown in rendering
- ADA accessible equipment



### SLOAN'S PARK SOUTH PLAYGROUND

CONCEPT 1 - ROCKET SHIP PLAYGROUND



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## Farmer Thomas M. Sloan Theme (69 Responses)

- ADA ramp
- Pump Track
- The Giant Barn!
- Honors local history!!
- Blah
- Climbing structures, splash area
- The zip line looks cool.
- zip line! pump track; climbing boulders, trickle stream, open spaces to run around
- fits with neighborhood, splash area
- Also love it, I want them both! But like the rocket originality the best
- Water Play
- Barn Structure
- I like that the picnic area is much closer. The concept is good and there is so much potential with a farm theme.
- Water Feature
- I like the features
- The Structure, zip line, pump track climbing boulders, water
- The pump track and zip line are cool as well, but would lead to lines and lots of waiting potentially.
- Pump Track
- Zip Line
- I like that it ties in the history of the area. Love that a water feature is included!
- Pump track and zip line. Plus my kids always talk about Farmer Sloan and how the lake was formed.
- Drawing from nature
- Connection to the place & context. Water play & pump track are great.
- Seems sweet, like ADA slide
- The additional play things beyond just a climbing area...splash pad, stream, well, pump track
- Water features, pogo stick looking things, paved sidewalk for striderbikes, rock things with ropes
- I like the climbing wall/stone
- Sensory input (spinning etc)
- The zip line, pump track and climbing boulders for older kids
- ADA access activities, zip line
- I am so bored with this theme but if it wins same as above! Make it ADA!
- It fits with the neighborhood's history
- Zip line and climbing boulders
- Bike park, rock themes, zip line
- Everything!!
- Unique!
- Zip line & rain garden & pump track
- Zip line, water feature
- Zip Line
- Well now i was to know about Thomas Sloan! And I love the idea of getting kids excited about farming.
- The scooter/bike area!
- Rock play/slide
- Water play, zip line, nature play, hills, covered seating
- picnic table area
- Hill Slide
- Rain Garden
- Pump Track
- Zip line. And also the layout of the water area looked more friendly and open (less rocks ).
- History!
- Interactive, looks fun
- Water Feature
- Love the history of the area.
- History and importance
- Zip Line!
- Love the animal rockers
- rain garden, spring rockers
- zipline and hill slide
- zip line and historical reference

## Farmer Thomas M. Sloan Theme (Cont.)

- more natural looking; unique
- the pump track is awesome (i would have voted for Rocket if it had a pump track)
- Pump track, zip line, rain garden
- in line with history of park
- Pump Track
- Feels organic, imaginative, and unique
- Unique to neighborhood, trickle stream, and pump track
- Hill slide, pump track
- Feels right concept for Colorado also supports history of Sloans Lake creation. As it was originally farmland
- Unique to the area/park
- Homage to the history of the area



### SLOAN'S PARK SOUTH PLAYGROUND

CONCEPT 2 - FARMER SLOAN PLAYGROUND



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#### 4.) What types of improvements would you most like to see at the playground?

**Multi-tiered play equipment/ tower**

54 Responses  
54.00%

Bike loop/ pump track

43 Responses  
43.00%

Educational play

31 Responses  
31.00%

Nature Play

48 Responses  
48.00%

Musical Play

22 Responses  
22.00%

Explorative Landscapes

46 Responses  
46.00%

Slides

39 Responses  
39.00%

**Climbing structures**

56 Responses  
56.00%

Swings

40 Responses  
40.00%

Ziplines

42 Responses  
42.00%

Group Play Areas

19 Responses  
19.00%

Kid Fitness Course/ Parkour

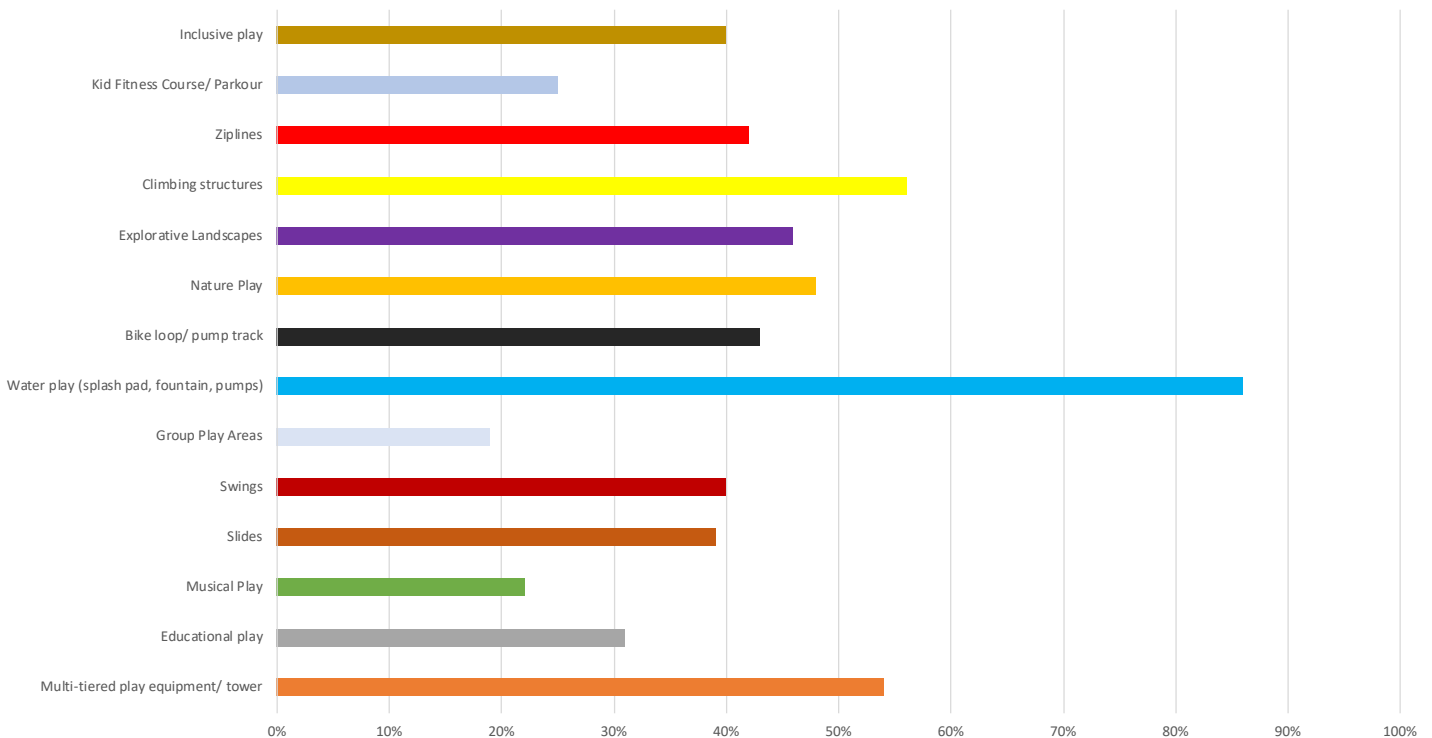
25 Responses  
25.00%

**Water play (splash pad, fountain, pumps)**

86 Responses  
86.00%

Inclusive play

40 Responses  
40.00%



## 5.) Other comments or suggestions?

- Adaptability
- Please add an adult workout station somewhere! A good example is at Clear Creek park.
- Would love to see something as engaging as paco sanchez
- I personally prefer no water play as it then doesn't become as easy to commit to. If our kids see the water, they will want to get in which isn't always convenient.
- Please include areas for children with different abilities
- Put a bridge over the lake to make north-south sides more accessible
- I think we need more shade. Can we add those giant shade structures?
- I think particular attention needs to be taken to ensure the process and product is inclusive
- Would love to see a water feature included. I feel like we have to drive all the way out to the park at 38th & Kipling just to get a little splash pad. I prefer the rocket theme over the farm theme simply because the farm theme feels too similar to the park on Tennyson & 56th-ish, including the water pump which never seems to be working. My kids gotta have swings at a playground. But the lack of shade will make us never want to go to a park (like the one on 44th just past Harlan). We appreciate the upgrade! Thanks for all that you're doing!
- Would love ADA accesible. A mini bike loop for kids so that they aren't on the main path. Things that engage them in play and nature.
- Maybe some shade over part of the playground?
- So excited to see what happens!
- Thank you for this much needed improvement
- No sand or wood chips
- ADA!!
- Fun for ages 9-13 too!
- I would love the idea of combining the two concepts! The splash features in the Rocket version seem awesome - and love the bike pump and more of a nature feel of the Sloans version!
- Water play would be awesome!
- How do we get something awesome like this at Berkeley Park? Thanks for investing in our community
- Don't forget the shade/trees near the play structures!
- Open ended structures. Climb, crawl, jump, explore. Kids can make a box into anything.
- Nothing, but gratitude for this!
- Cany ou add an adult fitness area similar to what is at the Clear Creek Park?
- Hooray for water play and nature play!!
- Remember Colorado
- Keep in mind structures or equipment that can accommodate many users at once because this is a very busy play area. I am also very weary of enclosed slides. They lead can be dirty and cause panic being an enclosed space.
- great job! love both concepts. cant wait to see it built!
- The pump track is a great idea. Kids will love it.
- Thank you for asking for feedback!
- Climbing and upper body type structures. Pump track is wonderful as well.

- I'm sure either would be a success, but the rocket theme does feel very similar to the new Paco Sanchez playground, whereas the farmer theme looks like something that doesn't exist in Denver yet.
- Please make a nice place for parents to sit in the shade to enjoy and a space for little kids (less than 2). A sandbox would also be nice!