

Waterlow Park play area consultation by FoWP

Updated 2/1/09

A survey of 65 adult respondents. (70 in all by 2/1/09 but X5 removed from this summary as they were all from a single location which was identified as a camden.gov.uk domain. As they all express the same views these responses must be seen as suspect unless Camden can identify the IP address 212.85.13.114 as being a legitimate public space. Majority responses would be the same were the excluded figures incorporated, but less obvious).

- * 77% in favour of a new play area
- * 59% believe being able to supervise the existing play area and a new play area together is 'very important' (34%) or 'useful'.
- * 66% think the park should cater for events that may require temporary structures.
- * 67% believe that the noise from a play area is a 'very important' (35%) or 'somewhat important' consideration in choosing a site.
- * 81% believe that the visual impact of a play area is 'very important' (46%) or 'somewhat important'
- * 51% are not not concerned that there would be a loss of existing space for general leisure use.

Favoured location-

- * 12% voted for location 2 (by the tennis courts)
- * 22% voted for location 4 (by hollow oak [Camden proposal])
- * 48% voted for location 5 (by the existing infants playground)
- * 12% both voted 'no' to any play area and did not select a location

Play equipment-

- * 34% selected 'adventure'
- * 34% selected 'modern / eco'
- * 12% selected 'minimal'

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