



PLAN THE PARK!

Mountain Gate Park Recreation and Revitalization

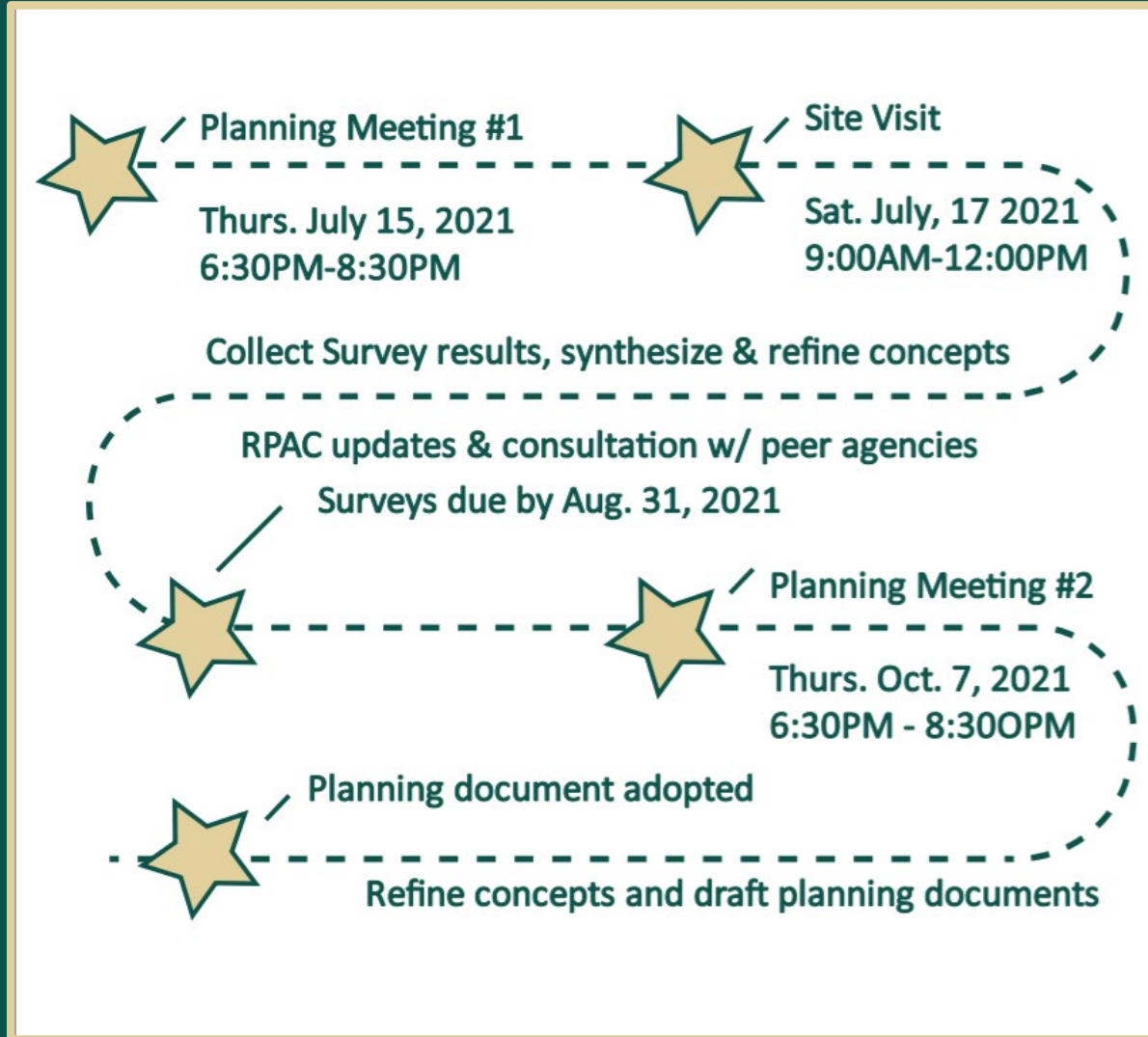
Antelope Valley RPAC

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Public Outreach Strategy



Mailers: Mailers were distributed to all postal routes in Walker and Coleville including meeting dates, survey info and how to provide comments.

Survey:

Paper and [Digital](#) surveys were available for individuals and organizations to complete and return. The deadline for submission was extended to September. Paper surveys were available for pick up/drop off at the Walker General Store. 400+ surveys were mailed.

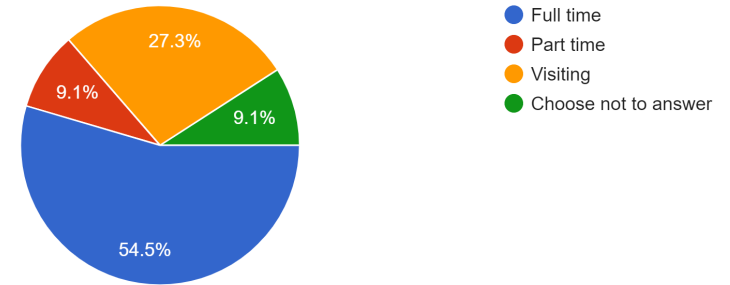
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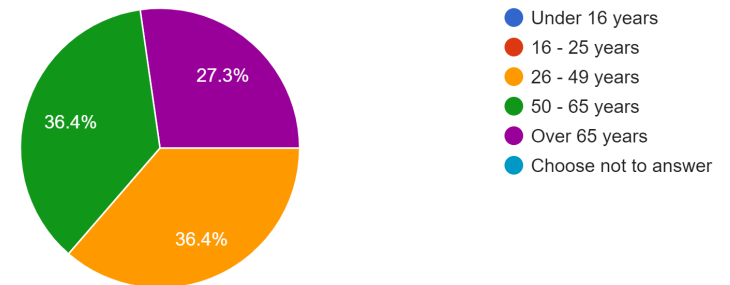
Public Outreach Results

- 16 Digital Survey Responses
- 12 Paper Survey Responses
- 10 Participants @ Planning Meeting #1
- 9 Participants @ Site Visit

I live in the greater Antelope Valley/ Walker/ Coleville/ Topaz area: (please select from dropdown menu below)
11 responses



What is your age? (please select from dropdown menu below)
11 responses



Broad support & agreement

- Trail for walking and biking throughout park
- Easier access to the river & fewer barriers to the water
- Safe non-motorized connection to the park from Walker
- Prioritizing natural landscape, native plants and wildlife habitat

Broad opposition

- Camping – particularly car or RV camping
- Loud or large group activities
- Crowds
- Shooting sports
- Motorized/ATV use within the park

Other topics

- Other ideas with at least moderate support
- “City park” uses & developed recreation
- Parking
- Other concerns

Core park elements

- Well-designed & sustainable trail system for walking and bicycling
 - Branches or loops for different purposes – through route for bikes, walking near the water, etc.
- Access point at Eastside Lane, near intersection with 395
 - Designed for walking and biking
 - Set-backs and buffering from Eastside Lane & private parcel
- Natural landscape & river/fisheries improvements
 - Native plantings, shade trees
 - Removal of invasive species and revegetation where necessary
 - River function & fishery sustainability

Other potential improvements

- Seating along trail – shaded locations and where it could be used for ADA fishing access
- Improvements to ADA fishing platform and adjacent parking to improve function
- Limited new parking for accessibility and new entry points
- Interpretive/educational signage
- Clearer directional signage off 395
- Dog park/fenced area for off leash dogs
- Drinking water – consider feasibility of a well on site
- Put-in/take-out for boats and kayaks
- Inclusion of new channels, ponds if feasible. Water source must be determined (well, non-consumptive use of river water, etc.)
- Disc golf

Not included due to lack of support

- Beach volleyball
- Mini golf
- Skate park
- Bicycle skills course/pump track
- Sprinkler/splash park

Contact Information & Next Steps

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