

Future Parks

Newcastle story

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Have your say on the future of Newcastle's Parks

1) What do you think should be the main priority for how parks are run in the future? Choose one option.

Generate income to keep the parks maintained (for example, holding events in them and charging event organisers for this, or looking at business sponsorship)

Maintain the parks in their current state of repair, with the same level of facilities

Maintain parks without an increase in (for example) car parks, advertising or commercial events, even if this means some deterioration in their appearance

Ensure that community groups, not commercial organisations, have priority when it comes to using the parks

Increase available facilities, such as cafes or recreational equipment, and use business sponsorship and advertising in the parks to pay for this if necessary

2) If you have any further comments about this, or if you found it difficult to choose one priority, please tell us about this here:

3) Which of these options would you say is your main concern about the future of parks? Choose one option.

That increasing income by, for example, hosting more commercial events or having more car parking at the parks, will change the park environment

That people's health and wellbeing will suffer without access to park facilities

That all parks will fall into a state of disrepair and become unsafe

That some parks will fall into a worse state of disrepair than others

4) If you have a comment about this, or you found it difficult to choose just one priority, please tell us about this here:

5) What do you think could be a positive outcome or outcomes from this proposal? Please tell us here:

6) Do you have any other concerns about this proposal? Please tell us here:

7) Do you have any suggestions about how we could improve the proposal? Please tell us here:

- 8) Please could you give us your postcode? We will only use this to get an idea of where in the city people who take part in the survey live (it will not be used for contacting you for any other purpose?)

- 9) Would you like us to send you information about how you can get more involved in shaping our proposals for Newcastle's parks and open spaces?

Yes

No

- 10) If yes, please give us your contact details below. We would like your name and email address. If you would like us to be able to contact you by telephone, please provide your phone number. Please note: we will only use these details to provide you with more information about the future of the parks and green spaces in Newcastle, so that they can send you more information about this. Neither Newcastle City Council nor Open Lab will use these contact details for any other purpose, or share them with any other organisation. If you have any questions about this, you can always contact us at letstalk@newcastle.gov.uk. Open Lab are part of Newcastle University and you can find out more about them here – <https://openlab.ncl.ac.uk>

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