The City of Hamilton is situated upon the traditional territories of the Erie, Neutral, Huron-Wendat, Haudenosaunee and Mississaugas. This land is covered by the Dish With One Spoon Wampum Belt Covenant, which was an agreement between the Haudenosaunee and Anishinaabek to share and care for the resources around the Great Lakes. We further acknowledge that this land is covered by the Between the Lakes Purchase, 1792, between the Crown and the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation.

Today, the City of Hamilton is home to many Indigenous Peoples from across Turtle Island (North America) and we recognize that we must do more to learn about the rich history of this land so that we can better understand our roles as residents, neighbours, partners and caretakers.
• Introduction of Panelists
• Why Are We Here? (City)
• Skatepark Study Background (City)
• Consultation Background (City)
• Feedback: What We Heard (NLS)
• Skatepark Design Options (NLS)
• Preferred Concept Vote Instructions (City)
• Next Steps / Timeline (City)
• Question and Answer Period (All)
  o Discussion / Q & A (+/- 20 mins.)
Panelists

- Ken Wheaton, Project Manager
  Landscape Architectural Services, City of Hamilton
- Jana Joyce, Principal, MBTW Group
- Bill Gurney, Landscape Architect, New Line Skateparks Inc
- Stefan Ouellet, Sr Designer, New Line Skateparks Inc
- Councillor Maureen Wilson, Ward 1
- Councillor Arlene VanderBeek, Ward 13
Using the Zoom Q&A & Upvote Features

Hover over bottom of screen – this menu should pop up

Select Q&A, a new small pop-up screen should appear
Enter question and hit send

If you see a question that is similar to the one you were thinking about or that you agree is important - select the thumbs up to upvote to the top of the question list
Why Are We Here?

- **Review** consultation process and decisions made to date
- **Present** 2 concept plans developed from Rider Working Group feedback
- **Offer Q&A** period to discuss the concepts in detail
- **Identify Next Steps** for the project
• 2015, the City undertook a study to create a standard process for selecting new skateboard facility locations across the city.

• 2017, Council received and approved the Study.

• Alexander Park was identified as a high priority location for Dundas and West Hamilton.

• Site suitability was confirmed by staff and the ward Councillor, allowing the project to move forward.
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Working Group Survey: SITE SPECIFIC NOTES

- Alexander Park is the confirmed location, and the positioning of the skatepark is been based on existing park uses, mature trees, setbacks, etc.
- The skatepark facility will be lit at night (11pm), and washrooms will be provided in the renovated community hub building.
- No parking on site. Parking to be available on street and possibly school.
- The design should provide separate entrances for skatepark users and maximize user experience while being attentive to aesthetics.
- Most popular support amenities suggested:
  (Sun-Shelter, Picnic Tables, Benches, Drinking Fountain)
- Other popular support amenities suggested:
  (Lighting, Washroom Facilities & Trees)
What We Heard

Working Group Survey: TERRAIN SPECIFIC NOTES

- Create a multi-wheel facility for all wheeled sports.
- Provide a well-rounded park that is appreciated by all age groups and ability levels with different areas for users of different skill levels to ride safely.
- Create a safe, high-quality, colourful park that is open, with good flow and smooth transitions with multiple lines that do not conflict with each other.
- Highest-level Terrain Priorities were “Bowl/Halfpipe” & “Pump/Carve” typologies with large bowls, small bowls, pools, QP’s, halfpipes, etc. as the most popular features.
- Next-level Terrain Priorities were “Plaza/Street” & “Street/Obstacle” typologies with rails, down-rails, ledges, stair sets, manual pads, banks, hips & fun-boxes, etc. as other popular responses.
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November 23rd, 2021

Design Direction # 1

Design Direction # 2

Design Direction # 3
What We Heard

DESIGN DIRECTION #1
Design Direction #1 scored the HIGHEST COMBINED VOTE TOTAL with the second-most 1st preference votes, the most 2nd preference votes and the fewest 3rd preference votes.
The most common feature that people LIKED in this option was the bowl feature.

DESIGN DIRECTION #2
Design Direction #2 scored the SECOND-HIGHEST COMBINED VOTE TOTAL with the second-most 1st preference and 2nd preference votes and the second-fewest 3rd preference votes.
The common aspects of this option that people LIKED were the two-bowl approach and the unique/organic nature of the Flow Bowl with its variety of transition features.

DESIGN DIRECTION #3
Design Direction #3 scored the LOWEST COMBINED VOTE TOTAL with the most 1st preference votes, the fewest 2nd preference votes and the most 3rd preference votes.
The common aspects of this option that people LIKED were the plaza/street terrain features.
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January 13th, 2022

DESIGN OPTION #1
ALEXANDER PARK SKATEPARK

:: DESIGN DIRECTION #1 - SITE PLAN ::

Context Plan - Alexander Park

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Skatepark Features

A Shade Structure
B Double Sided Slappy Curb
C Slappy Bank
D Manual Pad
E Flat Bar
F Transition Hip w/ Extension
G Pump Burn / Street Spine / Pump-cano
H Bank to Ledge w/ Bank to Slappy Hip
I Medium Down Rail / Bank to Rail
J Bank
K 6 Stair Set w/ Hubba & Large Down Rail
L Slappy Bank
M Bank to Curb
N Small Down Rail
O Small Down Ledge
P 6’ Deep Shallow End (Vert Bowl)
Q Shallow End Hip
R Shallow to Deep End Hip
S Waterfall
T 10’ Deep Vert Wall

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DESIGN OPTION #2
ALEXANDER PARK SKATEPARK

Context Plan - Alexander Park

Skatepark Features

A Shade Structure
B Flat Bar
C Slappy Transition Pocket
D Manual Pad
E Flat Ledge
F Deep End Transition Extension
G Shallow to Deep End Hips
H High Low Pump Roller / Pump Bump
I 3-6" Deep Mini Bowl
J Spine
K Pump Bump / Pump Roller
L Shallow End Hip
M Transition Extension
N Kidney Pool Hip
O Waterfall
P Kidney Pool Deep End (10')
Preferred Concept Vote Instructions

• Tomorrow, a link to a Google Forms Survey will go live on the project web page – www.Hamilton.ca/alexanderpark. The link will include the 2 concepts presented tonight, along with a brief explanation of each plan and a voting sheet. The voting sheet will also have an area for your comments.

• Please review each plan, fill out the voting sheet, and submit online by Tuesday January 25, 2022.
**Next Steps / Timeline**

**OCT. 2021**
- Studies / Investigations (Geotechnical) - Completed
- Community engagement (rider-focused working group survey and meeting)
- Conceptual drawing development of 3, 2D drawings for review by the Working Group
- Working Group meeting to review 3, 2D drawings
- Hold vote to determine which 2 of the concept plans will be presented to the public to vote on.

**WINTER 2021/2022**
- Create 2, 3D models of the preferred
- Virtual PIC to present 2 concepts *(Tonight)*
- Online vote – *Live January 14, 2022*
- Final design to be posted on the project web page
- Detailed design development
- Contract drawing preparation concept plans

**SUMMER 2022**
- Tender and contract award
- Anticipated construction *late summer 2022*

**WE ARE HERE (January 2022)**
ASK QUESTIONS

Concept Design Review

• Concept Alternatives Review
• TONIGHT!

STAY INFORMED

• Website Updates
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Q&A

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