

Greater Vernon Active Living Centre Feasibility Study

# "What We Heard" Resident Survey Summary Report

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# Section One Survey Context and Methodology

The Greater Vernon Recreation Services partners (City of Vernon, District of Coldstream, Electoral Area B, and Electoral Area C) undertook a feasibility study to explore the potential options, associated costs, and benefits of developing a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre facility that would include both aquatics and dry floor recreation spaces. To help guide refinement of the potential options and further gauge levels of support for the project a statistically representative Resident Survey was facilitated as part of the Feasibility Study process.

The Survey was fielded to a randomized sample of 5,000 households in the service area using the proportions outlined in the following chart.

Jurisdiction	Number of Letters Distributed
City of Vernon	3,500
District of Coldstream	750
Regional District of North Okanagan Electoral Area B	375
Regional District of North Okanagan Electoral Area C	375

To ensure statistical reliability of the findings the Survey

was controlled by using of a passcode mechanism. Letters were sent to the 5,000 households included in the random sample with each letter containing a unique access code and instructions on how to complete the survey. A passcode was required to participate in the survey and the passcode could only be used once. The primary method to complete the Survey was online through the Recreation Services website, however residents with a unique access code were also provided with the option of contacting Greater Vernon Recreation Services to access a paper copy of the survey.

#### \*Please refer to Appendix A for the letter and Appendix B for the survey tool.

A non-coded "Open" version of the Survey was also made available through the Engage Vernon website for residents that were not part of the randomized sample of 5,000 households. The findings from the "Open" version of the Survey were recorded separately (not included in this report document).

#### **Section Two**

# Respondent Overview and Notable Characteristics

The Survey garnered total responses from 530 households, representing 1,396 Greater Vernon residents. This level of response provides a margin of error of +/- 4.3%. As reflected in the following chart the proportion of responses received generally align with the population distribution in the service area with some variance in the electoral areas.

Jurisdiction	Survey Responses*	% of Total Responses	Population (2016, Statistics Canada)	% of Total Population
City of Vernon	357	69%	40,116	69%
District of Coldstream	94	18%	10,648	18%
Area B	17	3%	3,203	6%
Area C	28	5%	3,870	7%
Other**	21	4%	N/A	N/A

<sup>\*</sup>The responses sum to 517 as thirteen respondents chose not to identify their jurisdiction of residence.

<sup>\*\*</sup>The randomized sample was developed using property tax lists from the City of Vernon, District of Coldstream and Regional District of North Okanagan. Therefore, the "Other" responses reflect those from individuals that own residential property in the Greater Vernon Recreation service area but have a primary residence elsewhere.

 $<sup>1\</sup>quad \text{Respondents were asked to identify the age and number of individuals living in their household.}$ 

<sup>2</sup> The margin of error indicates that if the survey were fielded again using the same parameters it is probable that the findings (percentages) would be within a range of plus or minus 4.3% nineteen of twenty times.

The following chart identifies the reported age distribution of all respondent households along with the actual age distribution of the population in the Greater Vernon Recreation service area (as per data from the 2016 Statistics Canada Census). As reflected in the chart, there is general alignment between the age breakdown of survey respondent households and the actual population of the service area.

Age Category	Responding Households <sup>3</sup> Age Distribution	Greater Vernon Recreation Service Area Age Distribution (2016 Statistics Canada Census)				
0 to 9 Years	10%	9.4%				
10 to 19 Years	14%	10.6%				
20 to 29 Years	5%	9.7%				
30 to 39 Years	9%	10.7%				
40 to 49 Years	14%	11.7%				
50 to 59 Years	14%	16.2%				
60 to 69 Years	18%	15.2%				
70+ Years	15%	16.6%				

It is also notable that the respondents included a mix of both current recreation facility users as well as residents that haven't recently used recreation facilities in Vernon.

Facility	Yes	No	Not Sure
Vernon Aquatic Centre (for programming such as swim lessons, aquafit, aqua therapy, etc.)	40%	60%	1%
Vernon Aquatic Centre (for programming such as swim club, masters swimming, synchro, etc.)	10%	89%	1%
Vernon Aquatic Centre (for lane swimming)	31%	69%	1%
Vernon Aquatic Centre (for leisure, family, and casual swimming)	49%	50%	1%
Kal Tire Place - Indoor walking track	42%	56%	2%
Recreation Centre - Fitness Gym	18%	80%	1%
Recreation Centre – Dogwood Gym	22%	76%	2%
Recreation Centre - Priest Valley Gym	23%	75%	2%
School Gymnasiums (during non-school hours)	22%	76%	1%

<sup>3</sup> Respondents were asked to identify the age and number of individuals living in their household. These proportions have been generated from this information provided by respondents.

# Section Three Survey Findings

Provided as follows, in this section are findings and analysis from the Survey. Where deemed pertinent, sub-segment analysis findings are also provided to contrast responses based on various respondent attributes (e.g. household age characteristics, location of residency, responses to other questions, etc.). Consistent with most self-directed surveys, not every respondent completed every question of the Survey. The number of responses to each specific question are noted in the graphs and charts presented in this section.

## **Priorities and Financial Considerations**

To begin the Survey, respondents were provided with a list of recreation infrastructure types and asked if they think there is a need to enhance or expand the provision of those spaces in the Greater Vernon area. As reflected in the chart (at right), over three-quarters of respondents indicated that there is a need to enhance or expand the provision of indoor aquatics facilities while between 52% and 64% indicated that there is a need to enhance or expand the other dryfloor spaces. Households with children were also stronger in their response that enhanced or expanded aquatics and gymnasium spaces were needed compared to other households.

Responses: 526

Facility / Amenity Type	Yes	No	Not Sure
Indoor aquatics facilities (Pools)	81%	12%	7%
Indoor walking / running track	64%	25%	11%
Multi-purpose and program spaces	60%	17%	24%
Fitness centre	56%	30%	14%
Gymnasiums	52%	24%	24%

#### **Sub-Segment Analysis**

Indoor aquatics: "Yes"

households with children: 92%households without children: 76%

• households with members 60+: 78%

Gymnasiums: "Yes"

· households with children: 66%

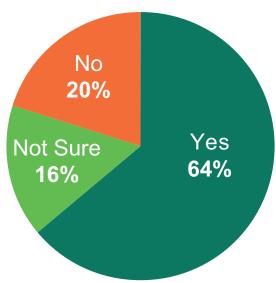
• households without children: 43%

• households with members 60+: 44%

Next, respondents were asked if they would support a property tax increase to help the development and operations of a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre and/or renovated facilities. As illustrated by the pie graph approximately two-thirds of respondents supported a property tax increase. A significant proportion (20%) of respondents were unsure and 16% of respondents did not support a tax increase for the potential project.

To help fund the development and operations of a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre and/ or renovated facilities, would your household support a property tax increase?





#### **Sub-Segment Analysis**

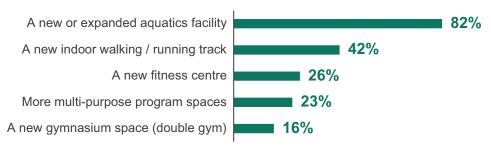
Reflected in the following chart is a further breakdown of responses based on jurisdiction of residency. It is notable that while respondents from Vernon and Coldstream had higher levels of outright support for the project ("yes" responses) overall levels of non-support ("no" responses) were generally consistent across all of the jurisdictions. Respondents from the electoral areas had higher levels of "not sure" responses.

Response	Vernon	Coldstream	Area B	Area C
Yes	66%	65%	59%	46%
Not sure	16%	14%	24%	29%
No	18%	22%	18%	25%

Respondents that answered "yes" or "not sure" to the previous question were then asked to identify (from a list) up to two types of spaces that should be a priority if funding isn't available to develop all of the proposed amenities and components of the facility. As illustrated in the graph, aquatics was a priority space for the majority of respondents across all ages and household characteristics.

## Select up to two (2) types of space priorities that you would prefer any future tax increase go to support.

Responses: 420



#### **Sub-Segment Analysis**

#### A new or expanded aquatics facility

- households with children: 90%
- households without children: 76%
- households with members 60+: 78%

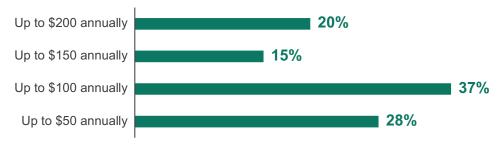
#### A new indoor walking/running track

- households with children: 31%
- households without children: 49%
- households with members 60+: 49%

Respondents that were supportive or unsure to the question regarding taxes (provided "yes" or "not sure" responses) were also asked to identify the level of tax increase they would support. Respondents were also asked to consider their response in the context of the facility priorities they identified in the previous question. The highest proportion of respondents (37%) selected that they would support an increase up to \$100 annually. Thirtyfive percent (35%) of respondents indicated that they would support an increase of greater than \$100 (either \$150 or \$200 per year). Notably, households with children had higher levels of support for a tax increase up to \$200 annually compared to households without children.

#### What level of annual tax increase would you support to help fund the capital and operating costs of a new or and/or renovated Greater Vernon Active Living Centre?





#### **Sub-Segment Analysis**

Over \$100 annually (either \$150 or \$200 per year)

- · households with children: 44%
- households without children: 29%
- households with members 60+: 29%

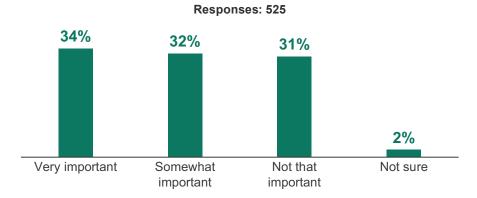


## Site Considerations

Respondents were provided with narrative outlining that two sites have been identified for the various options and scenarios being considered. Those two sites are the Existing Vernon Recreation Complex (which could accommodate some of the amenities through renovated and/or expanded facilities, while additional amenities would require a different site) and the Kin Race Track Site (which could accommodate all of the potential new amenities on one site). Respondents were then asked a couple of questions to garner their perspectives and viewpoints on the attributes and potential drawbacks of the different site options.

As illustrated by the adjacent graph, approximately two-thirds of respondents believe that locating all of the amenities together on the same site is either very or somewhat important. Nearly one-third of respondents do not believe co-location is important.

How important do you think it is to locate all the potential aquatics and dry-floor spaces (e.g. gymnasium, fitness centre, walking / running track, multi-purpose rooms, etc.) on one site?



#### **Sub-Segment Analysis**

#### Very important

- · households with children: 39%
- households without children: 31%
- households with members 60+: 33%

#### Not that important

- · households with children: 29%
- households without children: 33%
- households with members 60+: 35%

Space was provided for respondents to expand on their response to the previous question. In total 408 comments were provided, reflecting a number of opinions and perspectives. Summarized below are prevalent themes from the comments provided.

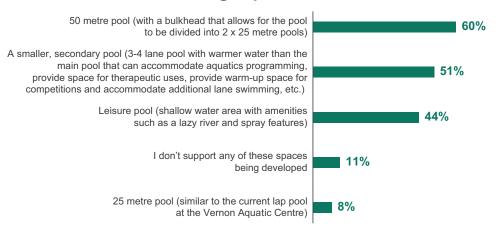
- The majority of comments provided reiterated support for the notion of locating all amenities at a single site.
- The most prevalent reason identified in support of locating all amenities together was convenience and the opportunity for families to do multiple activities at a single facility ("one stop shop" for recreation. Cost efficiencies were also mentioned by a number of respondents.
- Those comments expressing concern or disagreement with the notion of locating all amenities together on a single site generally identified geographic accessibility as an issue (challenges for people that don't drive, decentralization of recreation in the community, etc.).
- A handful of comments were also ambiguous and suggested that the decision needs to be based around further analysis and a more clear understanding of the capital and operating costs associated with the various options.
- A number of comments were also made about parking. The nature of these comments varied, but generally expressed the need to ensure sufficient parking should new development be undertaken.



# Aquatics Options and Considerations

Respondents were then asked a series of questions pertaining specifically to the potential aquatics aspects of the project. Respondents were provided with a list of aquatics spaces and asked to identify up to two of those spaces that should be considered the most important. As reflected by the adjacent graph, a 50 metre pool was important to respondents as were smaller and leisure focused aquatics areas. Of identified in the sub-segment findings, respondents current aquatics activities were aligned with the types of spaces they would like to see developed.

## Select up to two (2) aquatics spaces that should be considered most important as the various options are being explored.



#### **Sub-Segment Analysis**

#### 50 metre pool

- · households with children: 65%
- · households without children: 56%
- households with members 60+: 59%
- households that use the pool for programming such as swim club, masters swimming, synchro: 82%
- households that use the pool for leisure, family, and casual swimming: 62%

#### Leisure pool

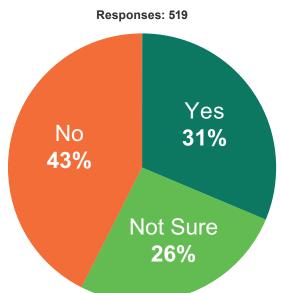
- · households with children: 68%
- · households without children: 32%
- households with members 60+: 28%
- households that use the pool for programming such as swim club, masters swimming, synchro: 51%
- households that use the pool for leisure, family, and casual swimming: 63%

Respondents were then asked if they believe it would be beneficial for Greater Vernon Recreation Services to operate two aquatics facilities (the existing facility and a potential new facility). As illustrated by the adjacent pie chart, respondents held mixed perspectives on this topic with over one-quarter of respondents being "not sure".

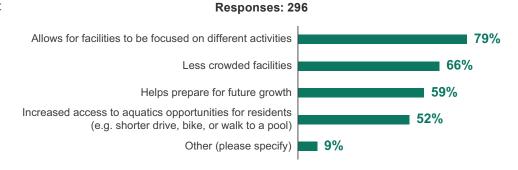
Respondents that answered "yes" to the previous question were then provided with a list of potential benefits that could be accrued by operating two aquatics facilities. Respondents that answered "no" to the previous questions were provided with a list of potential reasons why operating two facilities would not be beneficial. Respondents that answered "not sure" were able to provide a response to both follow-up questions.

As illustrated by the adjacent graphs the main benefits of operating two facilities that respondents selected were the opportunity to serve different aquatics activities at each facility and having less crowded aquatics facilities. Cost and the convenience of creating one aquatics "hub" were identified as the main benefits why it would not be beneficial to operate two facilities.

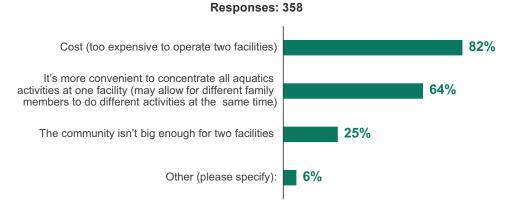
## Do you think it would be beneficial for Greater Vernon Recreation Services to operate two aquatic facilities?



### Why do you think operating two aquatic facilities would be beneficial?



## Why do you think operating two facilities would <u>not be</u> beneficial?



#### **General Comments**

Space was provided for respondents to provide any additional comments. Summarized as follows are themes from the 171 comments that were provided.

- A number of comments were provided on the broader community benefits of the potential project (including enhanced quality of life, enhanced appeal of the community for current and prospective residents, etc.).
- Concerns over the cost of the project and the potential impact on taxes were expressed in a handful of the comments.
- A number of the comments further expressed viewpoints on whether one or two pools should be provided in the community.
  - » Proponents of operating two pools expressed the viewpoint that two pools are needed to service different aquatics needs (e.g. warmer water for older adults, competition pool for sport swimming, etc.).
  - » Other comments questioned whether the community can afford two aquatics facilities.
- Ensuring that sufficient recreation opportunities are available for children and youth were expressed by a number of respondents. These comments generally identified that a new facility could help the community better serve younger residents.
- Affordability was top of mind for a number of respondents that provided comments. These comments related to the importance of keeping fees reasonable and ensuring that a new facility would be financially accessible to all residents.



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#### **Appendix A: Survey Letter**

#### **Attention Greater Vernon Resident - Active Living Centre Survey**

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Dear Greater Vernon Resident,

The Greater Vernon Recreation Master Plan, completed in 2018, identified a number of indoor recreational space needs and priorities that should be explored in order to further enhance residents' access to active living opportunities and overall wellness. These space priorities, identified through engagement with the community, included a desire for expanded aquatics, a fitness centre, gymnasium(s), indoor walking/running track, and spaces that can support multipurpose programming.

Building on the recommendations contained in the Master Plan, the Greater Vernon Recreation Services partners (City of Vernon, District of Coldstream, Electoral Area B, and Electoral Area C) have undertaken a feasibility study to explore the potential options, associated costs, and benefits of developing a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre and desired upgrades to the Vernon Aquatic Centre. A number of conceptual options and amenities for a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre have been identified and are being considered.

For more information about the 2018 Master Plan and Active Living Centre Feasibility Study visit: https://www.vernon.ca/parks-recreation

To help inform and guide the refinement of the potential options and amenities it is very important to get feedback from area residents and your household has been randomly selected to participate in a survey.

#### **Accessing the Online Survey**

To participate in the survey, you will need approximately 15 minutes to complete all questions. You will also need the **unique** access code you have been provided below. Please note that you can only use your access code once, so you must complete the questionnaire in a single session. The survey will remain open until March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020. All responses will be kept anonymous.

To access the survey, follow these steps:

- 1. Visit the website at: <a href="https://www.engagevernon.ca/active-living-centre">https://www.engagevernon.ca/active-living-centre</a>
- 2. Enter your unique access code: CODE
- 3. Answer the questions on behalf of all members of your household.

If you do not have access to a computer and would like to fill out a paper copy, please contact Greater Vernon Recreation Services at (250) 550–3673. Please have your name, address, and unique access code handy.

After completing the survey, you will be entered in a draw to win one of two \$50 Rec Bucks gift certificates. Thank you very much for your assistance in planning for the future of recreation in the Greater Vernon area!

Doug Ross Director, Recreation Services



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#### **Appendix B: Resident Survey**

#### **Greater Vernon Active Living Centre Feasibility Study**



# Resident Survey

Enter Access Code Here:	

#### **Project Overview**

Over the past 6 months, the Greater Vernon Recreation Services partners (City of Vernon, District of Coldstream, Electoral Area B, and Electoral Area C) have been undertaking a feasibility study to explore the potential options, associated costs, and benefits of developing a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre facility that would include both aquatics and dry floor recreation spaces, and desired upgrades to the Vernon Aquatic Centre. The feasibility study was initiated based on the findings of the 2018 Greater Vernon Recreation Master Plan which outlined a need for expanded aquatics, gymnasium(s), indoor walking/running track, a fitness centre and spaces that can support multi-purpose programming in the area.

Previous public engagement and research conducted by the feasibility study project team has been used to identify different potential options and amenities. It is important to note that no decision has been made on the project at this time. The findings of the feasibility study will be used to inform future decision making and help lead to a preferred option.

This survey is being conducted to gather additional resident feedback on the potential options and further measure overall levels of public support for the identified recreation amenities. Please have an adult in your household complete the survey by answering on behalf of all household members. Please complete the survey by March 30th, 2020.

As a token of appreciation for completing the questionnaire, you can enter your name into a draw for one of two \$50 Rec Bucks gift certificates.

#### **Draw Entry Form**

Please provide the following contact information if you wish to be entered into the draw for one of two \$50 Rec Bucks gift certificates.

Name (First Name Only):

Phone Number:

\*The information collected will only be used for the purposes of this draw and will not be shared with any other external parties.



#### **Section 1: Priorities and Financial Considerations**

The various options and amenities being explored have an estimated capital cost of between \$60 and \$90 million dollars and an additional \$750,000 - \$1,500,000 in operating costs (over current costs) could be required to operate the new and/or renovated facilities. The spaces being proposed for a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre include:

- · A new and/or renovated aquatics facility
- Gymnasium space (double gym)
- · Fitness centre

Space Type

- · Indoor walking / running track
- Multi-purpose program spaces

For additional context, it is estimated that, depending on what amenities are included, a residential property with an assessed value of approximately \$500,000 would incur a tax increase of between \$100 and \$200 annually to pay for the new and/or renovated facilities.

1. Do you think there is a need to enhance or expand the following types of recreation infrastructure in the Greater Vernon area?

No

Yes

**Not Sure** 

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	Gymnasiums					
	Fitness centre					
	Indoor walking / running trac	k				
	Multi-purpose and program s	spaces				
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	☐ A new gymnasium space (	(double gym)				
	☐ A new fitness centre					
	☐ A new indoor walking / run	nning track				
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	☐ Up to \$50 annually					
	☐ Up to \$100 annually					
	☐ Up to \$150 annually					
	Up to \$200 annually					

#### **Section 2: Site Considerations**

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	To accommodate the various options and amenities being explored, two sites have been identified.  » The Existing Vernon Recreation Complex could accommodate some of the amenities through renovated and/or expanded facilities. Additional amenities would require a second separate site.										
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	☐ Very Important ☐ Somewhat Important ☐ Not That Important ☐ Not Sure										
	Please use the space below to explain your response, including your thoughts about the sites identified.										
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and bein	e all the potential Greater Vernon Active Living Centre spaces and amenities being considered are important, the costs (capital operating) and land requirements of aquatic facilities are especially important to consider as various options and amenities are g considered. The following questions are intended to further explore a number of key topics related to the potential aquatic nents of a Greater Vernon Active Living Centre.										
6.	Please select up to two (2) aquatics spaces that should be considered most important as the various options are being explored.										
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9.	Please select the reasons why you think operating two facilities would not be Cost (too expensive to operate two facilities)  The community isn't big enough for two facilities  It's more convenient to concentrate all aquatics activities at one facility activities at the same time)  Other (please specify):  Please use the space below to provide any additional comments.			,		
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Se	ction 4: Household Profile					
The	following questions will allow the project team to further analyze responses	to this survey				
11.		,	vious 12 months			
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	Facility  Vernon Aquatic Centre – for programming such as swim lessons, aquafit,	Yes	No	Not Sure		
	aqua therapy, etc.					
	Vernon Aquatic Centre – for programming such as swim club, masters	П	П			
	swimming, synchro	Ш				
	Vernon Aquatic Centre – for lane swimming					
	Vernon Aquatic Centre – for leisure, family, and casual swimming					
	Kal Tire Place – for indoor walking					
	Recreation Centre – Fitness Gym					
	Recreation Centre – Dogwood Gym  Recreation Centre - Priest Valley Gym					
	School Gymnasiums - during non-school hours					
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12.	Where do you live?					
	☐ City of Vernon					
	☐ District of Coldstream					
	☐ Area B (BX/Swan Lake/Commonage)					
	☐ Area C (BX/SilverStar)					
	Other (please specify):					
13.	Please describe your household by identifying the number of members in e	each of the followin	g age groups, inc	luding yourself.		
	0-9 10-19 20-29	30-39 40-49		0-69 70+		
	Years Years Years	Years Years	Years Y	ears Years		
	# of Household Members in each Age Group					
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# Appendix C: Analysis of Selected Results Pre and Post March 15th

The Survey was fielded during March 2020 as the situation with COVID 19 was escalating. While it is hard to speculate on the impacts that this situation and the associated economic and social impacts may have had on respondent viewpoints, the project team undertook analysis of responses pre and post March 15th for a handful of selected survey questions. When reviewing the following findings presented in this appendices section it is also important to note that significant differences in the sample size pre and post March 15th as reflected by the following chart.

Survey Segment	Total Responses	Margin of Error
Pre March 15th	405	+/- 4.9%
Post March 15th	125	+/- 8.8%
All	530	+/- 4.3%

# Question #1: Do you think there is a need to enhance or expand the following types of recreation infrastructure in the Greater Vernon area?

Indoor aquatics facilities (pools)	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Yes	81%	82%	77%
Not Sure	7%	7%	6%
No	13%	11%	18%

Gymnasiums	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Yes	51%	53%	42%
Not Sure	25%	25%	26%
No	24%	22%	31%

Fitness centre	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Yes	55%	59%	43%
Not Sure	15%	14%	16%
No	30%	27%	41%

Indoor walking/ running track	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Yes	64%	68%	52%
Not Sure	11%	11%	9%
No	25%	21%	39%

Multi-purpose and program spaces	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Yes	59%	63%	47%
Not Sure	24%	23%	31%
No	17%	15%	22%

Question #2: To help fund the development and operations of a new Greater Vernon Active Living Centre and/or renovated facilities, would your household support a property tax increase?

Response	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Yes	63%	64%	61%
Not Sure	16%	17%	15%
No	20%	19%	23%

Question #4: What level of annual tax increase would you support to help fund the capital and operating costs of a new or and/or renovated Greater Vernon Active Living Centre?

Response	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Up to \$50 annually	29%	31%	22%
Up to \$100 annually	37%	35%	44%
Up to \$150 annually	15%	14%	17%
Up to \$200 annually	20%	21%	17%
	418	324	94
	responses	responses	responses

Question #7: One potential option being explored would involve the development and operation of a new pool as well as the renovation and continued operation of the existing Vernon Aquatic Centre. Recognizing that operating two aquatic facilities may have a higher annual operating cost than operating one aquatic facility, do you think it would be beneficial for Greater Vernon Recreation Services to operate two aquatic facilities?

Response	All responses	Before March 15	March 15 and after
Yes	31%	30%	33%
Not Sure	26%	28%	20%
No	43%	42%	47%

