• **Meeting Presenters:**
  - Martin Thomas, Vice Mayor, City of Norfolk
  - Darrell Crittendon, Director of Parks & Recreation, City of Norfolk
  - Sonal Rastogi, Director or Libraries, City of Norfolk
  - Andrew McKinley, Principal, VIA design

• **Meeting Data:**
  - Number of Registrants: 69
  - Number of Attendees: 60
  - Number of Questionnaire Responses: 53

• **Meeting Overview:**
  - The meeting was well-attended, and all guests were engaged and respectful of shared comments, opinions, and concerns. Residents expressed gratitude to the City of Norfolk for hosting a public meeting where they could express their thoughts and concerns on the project.

• **Response to Survey:**
  - Based on the results of the questionnaire, the vast majority of respondents agreed with the results of the survey. Most of the additional comments on the questionnaire reinforced a need for open green space, senior services (i.e., meals, taxes, wood shop, art, ceramics, etc.), computer labs, small meeting rooms, and childcare for parents utilizing the facility.
    - The inclusion of an indoor pool with outdoor views remained a top priority for the majority of the attendees and respondents.
    - The meeting underscored the overwhelmingly positive support for the priorities that emerged from the survey. As important, attendees very clearly articulated the items not specifically stated in the survey, which should be considered, such as open space, current tenants, and an expanded definition of senior services and resource.
ENHANCED NORFOLK
FITNESS AND WELLNESS CENTER
USER PREFERENCE SURVEY - MARCH 2022

DID YOU PARTICIPATE IN THE ENHANCED NORFOLK FITNESS AND WELLNESS CENTER SURVEY IN FEB/MARCH 2022? Yes □ No □

Results

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THE SURVEY INDICATES THAT THE INDOOR FITNESS FEATURES THAT WOULD BE USED MOST FREQUENTLY IN AN ENHANCED FACILITY ARE:

- Aerobics / Fitness / Gymnastics Space - 77%
- Cardiovascular Equipment Area - 75%
- Lap Lanes for Swim Lessons / Exercise - 73%
- Weight Room (Hydraulic + Machine) - 71%
- Running / Walking Track - 71%
- Lanes for recreational swimming - 70%
- Weight Room - Free Weights - 68%
- Aquatic Areas for Therapy - 67%

Do you think these are good priorities for indoor fitness? Yes □ No □

Are there other Indoor Fitness features or activities that you think are important to include?

THE SURVEY INDICATES THAT THE OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES FEATURES THAT WOULD BE USED MOST FREQUENTLY IN AN ENHANCED FACILITY ARE:

- Pool - 84%
- Walking Track / Trail - 83%
- Fitness Equipment / Exercise Area / Obstacle Course - 78%
- Nature Explorium - 63%
- Community Garden - 58%
- Multi-Use Courts - 54%

Do you think these are good priorities for Outdoor Activities? Yes □ No □

Are there other Outdoor Activities that you think are important to include?

THE SURVEY INDICATES THAT THE LIBRARY FEATURES THAT WOULD BE USED MOST FREQUENTLY IN AN ENHANCED FACILITY ARE:

- Checking Out Books and Media - 78%
- Reading Nooks and Quiet Zones - 48%
- Study / Collaborative Rooms - 36%

Do you think these are good priorities for the Library? Yes □ No □

Are there other Library features that you think are important to include?

THE SURVEY INDICATES THAT THE SHARED SPACES FEATURES THAT WOULD BE USED MOST FREQUENTLY IN AN ENHANCED FACILITY ARE:

- Public Art + Gallery - 54%
- Art Studio - 52%
- Senior Services / Program / Resources - 44%
- Maker Space - 40%
- Meeting Room 75-100 People - 34%
- Carne Rooms - 34%

Do you think these are good priorities for the Shared Spaces? Yes □ No □

Are there other Shared Spaces that you think are important to include?

SOME RESPONDENTS WHO INDICATED ‘NO’ LEFT A WRITTEN RESPONSE, THE SUMMARY OF ALL WRITTEN RESPONSES IS ON THE REVERSE
Are there other Indoor Fitness Features or activities that you think are important to include?  
*Summary of Written Responses*

The most common responses were related to specific support for seniors (adult day services, arts & crafts, tax assistance, wood working, and pickleball & fitness programs). Other responses focused on connections between the indoor and outdoor pool, something for young children, classes for yoga/tai chi, and including Prime Plus in the new facility.

Are there other Outdoor Activities that you think are important to include?  
*Summary of Written Responses*

The two most commons responses focused on sports fields, specifically soccer, and keeping the field/open space available. Other comments focused on the inclusion of a community garden, specific programs for seniors, and a connection for the indoor and outdoor pool.

Are there other Library features that you think are important to include?  
*Summary of Written Responses*

The primary response focused on computer access. Additional comments focused on programming such as a reading club, meeting rooms for different groups, charging stations, and a creative studio. There were two responses stating that a library should not be included, with one response state that they have 3 libraries in a 4 mile radius. Other comments asked for the building to remain open on Sundays.

Are there other Shared Spaces that you think are important to include?  
*Summary of Written Responses*

Senior services was the most common response in this section. Response also included a larger wood shop, ceramic studio, a food/coffee shop, fitness supply store, and a reiteration of the need for a computer lab and meeting spaces.