

Comments Received – Riva Area Park

- None
- Better playground tkk
- We would absolutely love pickleball and tennis courts!
- can you please connect a sidewalk from Cambria and Glen Isle to the park for safe walking and biking to and from the park? I'd assume a restroom facility with water fountains would be added too.
- The county is in desperate need of indoor tennis courts.
- Would love to see outdoor pickleball courts! There are not any nearby!
- Would love to have indoor tennis courts in this area
- Indoor tennis
- We need more skateparks. Anne Arundel county doesn't have one single skatepark of quality. We have two and frankly they both are too small, too poorly designed and too poor in quality. We don't need anymore baseball, basketball, tennis or any other fields
- Update the park instead of adding on.
- The added pickleball courts are nice, dog parks are good, keep walking trails available. Not big enough are for equestrian activities but they are needed in the county. Probably prefer #2. #1 looks expensive and will require a lot of full time staff to ru
- A mix of hard surface sports that can be covered in winter and uncovered in summer.
- If there are plans to expand riva park, there really needs to be more parking to accompany any additions! There isn't enough as it is when all fields are in use, so if you add more fields or courts parking needs to be added as well.
- I would also like
- Outdoor tennis courts, Indoor Playground, Indoor Sports, walking trails!
- Pickleball would be amazing!
- More playground equipment and nature trails
- Na
- I am tired of having to leave the county for equestrian activities. Please build more horse/equestrian trails and facilities.
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- Thank you for seeking community input on this. My young family of 6 and I live in south Davidsonville at least a 10 minute drive from all parks. It has been difficult for us to recreate. I am a runner and my children adore playgrounds, but it isn't always
- Riva Park is a beautiful natural setting that already allows for public access and significant recreational use. Further developing this area or surrounding land would be an environmental travesty.
- Mostly use walking trails and playground.
- no comments
- We do not have any indoor tennis options and need some badly.
- A trail would be great along with dog park. I would love ice skating and indoor basketball
- Indoor Tennis

- Most of if not all fields in AA County are by permit only. I think you should allow some fields in the county to be free and open for public use. I understand you don't want conflicts with field usage, but it has come to the point where I cannot take one
- Anne Arundel County needs more tennis courts and in particular affordable INDOOR courts.
- A sidewalk to extend down Riva Road to the park would help
- Concept 3 is great!
- Indoor Tennis Courts are highly recommended. Thank you
- Build skate park
- This park already has a little of everything there has to offer except some type of indoor complex which could be added in close to entrance of park
- No additional development on open space.
- We really need another ice rink
- None
- Pickleball courts are a must
- We have an urgent need for indoor and outdoor tennis courts
- The park should remain outdoor oriented.
- Tennis courts needed, indoors, too.
- Davidsonville could definitely use a skatepark!
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- Love more play areas/ playgrounds-
- Competition pools/Aquatics
- None
- I like Concept 3 with the trail extension/loop to the east. I'd prefer to see the wooded area north of the existing fields left in place. All three concepts include new facilities built north of the woods in open area, which is good.
- The only concept that looks to provide for enough parking is Concept 3. The other Concepts are too full of athletic options condensed into a small area that will cause problems with both parking and potential crowding. Parks are supposed to be peaceful, res
- Really love the addition of outdoor pickleball courts!
- Riva Davidsonville and Edgewater need a site like this; it is long overdue
- I like the idea of Community Facilities, Adventure Sports, and Natural Areas. I do not like ATV courses. It will leave the rest of the community nervous about going to the park because of their kids safety. ATVs can also be very loud. Additionally we need
- Please expand park to include adventure sports.
- Concept #1 is great!!
- Reproduce the playground and petting zoo like Watkins Park. Our playgrounds in Anne Arundel County are pathetic when compared to PG County
- I really like the idea of a dog park at the Riva area park location. The addition of volleyball, courts and pickle ball. Courts at this property would also be welcomed. Additionally, more picnic pavilions will help support activities, current and future f
- Placing an indoor sports complex here could definitely benefit in this spot over others, such as the Central Ave location. Thankfully Riva isn't too far from Edgewater and Annapolis so I don't think people would mind the commute! Plus the Riva park is

- We need indoor activities for kids in this area.
- Indoor tennis and pickleball
- The County needs more lit tennis and pickleball courts.
- please leave it as is . Just wish more dogs were on leashes....
- We need more options in SOCO. We also need a indoor ice rink. We do not need more out door basket ball courts the ones in Riva are hardly used. More hiking trails, youth athletics are must.
- Nine
- The need for Pickleball courts, indoors and out, is growing by leaps and bounds. Adults and children play extensively in this sport. Please consider courts indoors and outdoor courts with lighting. They will be full constantly. A dog park would also b
- Indoor courts for tennis & pickle ball.
- Riva park is perfect for indoor sports!
- We need indoor tennis courts badly, our county tennis association has over 3000 members, which doesn't include all the kids that play, yet tennis only has one indoor option in the county, at the Navy Brigade which requires military personnel on the cour
- Anne Arundel county needs INDOOR, AFFORDABLE tennis courts!
- Love concept 1 with included indoor sport venues. This is something lacking in the county and could also benefit local area schools.
- Love the idea of pavilions and/or amphitheater but do not like dog parks. As a large dog owner, I would not bring my dog
- Need more tennis court options in the county. We are so far behind. Some should be indoor.
- None
- Indoor tennis. We need indoor tennis
- n/a
- Indoor tennis courts would be great!
- My number one priority for county parks is to preserve as much natural land as possible with walking and biking paths for people to enjoy the space. Beyond natural space, I also value community spaces such as playgrounds, pavilions, and dog parks. Lastly,
- We need to save Forests now! Any of the above facilities can be built in areas where there is already development. Please search for the abandoned malls, etc.
- I have grandchildren and know that all ages need places for sports, etc. But, everyone also would love to see more turf!
- The grouping of these sports is odd. If necessary, an explanation would be helpful.
- Pickleball courts and indoor sports facility, especially soccer would be amazing!
- We desperately need public tennis courts in AA County, especially indoor courts. This should be a priority.
- expanding on the existing park to include bike trails motorized bike trails would be great. Ice skating, archery, and Amphitheater are also a nice addition in the area.
- A BMX park (similar to the one in Severn) would be amazing. It's always busy and it's the only one in AA county that we are aware of. Bathroom facilities would also be great. So many local area parks lock their bathroom facilities and only offer Porta
- The BMX and ATV courses, I feel would be a noise ordinance issue as well as traffic issue should organized events be planned.

- Would love additional picnic areas and natural elements.
- AA County needs more indoor tennis courts, as well as more tennis courts that are not at high schools so that they can be used during school hours.
- Love Concept #1
- Pickleball!!! Indoors and outdoors.
- The current layout is limited to field sports (basketball court excepted). There isn't even a tennis court in the park and one kiddie play area.
- I would love an indoor ice skating rink and an outdoor pool for summer for this end of the county
- As a se
- More dedicated pickleball courts are needed in anne arundel county. Currently the City of Annapolis had 6 and Riverwood Park has 2. Annapolis Pickleball Club for instance has 1800 members and there are many more pickleball players throughout he county. Pi
- Stroller accesible paths/trails preferred for families
- I would like to see more fields that can accommodate the high demand of use from the local youth sports association in the area. SRYA is challenged to find field space, especially with lighting. I would also like more fields allocated to softball. It's
- Walking trails and passive areas are my choice. No indoor facilities.
- Indoor Tennis Courts are needed much more than regular tennis courts. Tennis is a popular sport in the county and we have an amazing Association that teaches tennis, yet Adults and Youth cannot practice and compete year around due to there not being an in
- Family activities. Playground. Picnics. Ice skating. Sensory garden. Trails. Rock climbing.
- Having a longer walking trail is very important. Sand volleyball and street hockey rink are a fun idea. I do believe we need a dog park as people let their dogs run all over the fields. Having an indoor walking trail would also be really nice.
- Need to get lights at Riva Baseball Field 5, and convert multi-use fields to turf.
- This area needs more outdoor fields for softball, baseball, lacrosse and soccer.
- Plus the current fields need to be updated and kept up better.
- Lack of indoor facilities limit the number of children that can participate in indoor activities. Our sports facilities - both indoor and outdoor - are inadequate compared to surrounding counties.
- Indoor tennis courts!
- Would love play options for younger kids like nature trail with exercise stations (jumping jacks, arm circles, etc) or music garden or sensory garden. Something other than just the existing playground
- Big playground ! Not the little one that currently exists. Planning all this great stuff like concept 1 show !!!!! And no place for little ones to spend time playing. If you get 10 little ones there, it's a crowd lol. Definitely not age appropriate for
- There is currently one skatepark in Anne Arundel county and zero pump tracks. Skateparks and pump tracks are fun for kids and adults alike and require no supervision, programming and very little expenditure after the initial build (unlike a ballfield of w
- There are no indoor tennis courts in this part of the county. That makes this an optimal location for an indoor tennis center.
- There's need for indoor tennis facilities in the area, please!

- Pickleball!
- I was surprised to see so many indoor facilities in Concept 1. I was more surprised to be in favor of them after considering all 3 options. I think indoor facilities would be a great alternative for winter and in climate days.
- indoor spaces are needed for area sports
- Native gardens would be a nice way to learn about our natural surroundings
- I would prefer to leave the land as is. I enjoy walking the trails
- and being able to be in the woods. I do not want to see more trees
- cut down.
- Have outdoor and indoor pickleball courts
- Pickleball courts with cover?
- More disc golf please
- Please build affordable indoor/outdoor tennis courts with bathrooms!
- Parks need to have more turf fields
- None
- Accommodations for kids with special needs would be much appreciated
- I like nature, walking so a park with trails in addition to facilities for people who play sports would be desirable. This park seems to have room for both of my wishes.
- We prefer concept 3. Riva Area Park is currently well maintained and well used. Please do not overbuild facilities that the county will not have the money/staff to maintain over time. Please plan adequate funds for security (private and/or AACO police)
- I love the nature trails in Riva area park - would love to see more shade on hot days and more bathrooms.
- More nature trails would be nice
- More dedicated pickleball courts would be a great addition
- I'm looking at Riva Area Park and the proposed Central Avenue Park as serving the same communities, so I'm imagining for example that if one had a dog park then the other would not. HOWEVER, things like trails and playing fields and pavilion-covered gathe
- Please consider making concept 2 tennis courts indoor facility. We have no indoor tennis courts available in this immediate area
- It makes sense to add on to the Riva Area park as it is already established. We dont need more fields. Indoor sports or more natural areas are preferred.
- Traffic impact and considerations will be critical to minimize traffic on Riva rd and neighboring Hardesty estates community.
- Love the pickleball!!! More pickleball courts please! Design 2 is my favorite but I love the long walking path connecting the little section to the top right
- We desperately need designated pickleball courts and tennis courts.
- It would be great to have indoor tennis courts
- Keep it outdoors as you can. Less Buildings more trails.
- Dog park and a bigger playground
- Indoor tennis courts
- This needs to be left alone. It is really ok not to build all over the place!
- Tennis and basketball priorities!

- The new property should be seeded with native trees and a decent trail should be added so there is a nice nature walk close by. Anne Arundel does not support enough forest parks. We need more green space for nature to live not more toys for children. Our
- The current park and it's land are completely under utilized. I live 1 mile from the park and we never go, there is nothing fun for the kids or any family activity areas.
- More trails and dog parks!
- Not Applicable
- Field hockey turf fields and trails for people and horses would be great. I also support keeping the land as least developed as possible to preserve the natural surroundings.
- Indoor facilities would be wonderful to have. Keep kids active year round.
- Pickleball and Disc Golf are the two fastest growing sports and all county planning should reflect that fact. These two in combination with traditional golf are the ONLY sports that are growing in youth participants. Courts and courses and natural green
- Need tennis courts.
- Pickleball courts!
- Would love pickleball courts
- Leave as is.
- A beautiful natural park.
- Disc golf would be an easy and fun addition.
- Plans should allow for improved access on foot or bike from the local community.
- Much of the footprint of the park is already taken up by team sports that only use the fields seasonally. Natural areas should be preserved. Broader usage facilities like pl
- The natural area trails in the park are a very enjoyable asset. I would not like to see a road cross them.
- Please add indoor tennis courts and outdoor tennis courts with lights and knock boards. We need indoor tennis courts, so tennis players can continue to practice during winter months and rainy days. High school tennis teams have no place to practice duri
- Needs improvement for more opportunities for our surrounding communities and children. I love the idea of some more trails, dog park, along with indoor facilities that can provide activities in the colder months.
- I like this for the indoor courts.
- More sports fields and courts as well as indoor basketball.
- We need more tennis courts with bathrooms.
- we need more indoor tennis courts
- Would love an indoor track
- leave it alone
- Need more lighted sports fields
- I think it would be great to add an indoor park so the community would have something to do during the winter time.
- thanks for putting out the survey
- None
- Playground to be updated, splash pad would be nice for kids, zip lining or rock climbing or something similar would be great.

- We are in a climate crisis. We must change our bias toward cutting down forest and building everywhere. Save all forest now! Every deforestation contributes to global warming. Build only in areas that are already developed. I'm sure you can find places
- What is the time frame for the park development?
- We need INDOOR tennis facilities here! I love to play and enjoy the community park however during the 4 months of the year when often it's too cold to play - and I can't afford to join a private club - I would love to still have my activity of choice (Tennis)
- We desperately need affordable indoor tennis. We also need biking activity areas such as a pump track and jump trails like at Rockburn in Howard county and Getmantown in Montgomery county.
- Include walking trails that connect to a larger walkable system in the county.
- Please put in more public tennis courts in Davidsonville!
- Please put indoor sports in Anne Arundel county!
- Please put in an indoor playground for our toddlers to play in the winter. Please put paved and unpaved walking trails so we can explore outside!
- Pickleball, basketball and trails!!
- Please plan for increased traffic. Riva Rd. @214 needs a stoplight. Such a dangerous intersection.
- Outdoor tennis courts.
- Less development more trees marshes and natural areas
- Indoor complexes can go anywhere. It would be nice to preserve the outdoor space with outdoor activities.
- I like concept 3 but without a dog park. Instead add a skatepark. I like the trail idea it's a rural area, try to leave it that way.
- The county needs affordable indoor tennis courts.
- More equestrian-accessible trails!
- Affordable indoor tennis courts are needed.
- add tennis and pickle ball and more parking
- We need more pickleball courts. You have to wait at every court you go to in the area.
- Proposed 3 seems best.
- We need more indoor tennis court in Anne Arundel County
- Pickleball courts would be an incredible addition as there are hardly no public courts in a decent driving distance.
- Riva Road/Central Avenue intersection and othes near Riva Park cannot handle current traffic load well. Increased traffic will necessitate changes, suggest traffic light @ Rt. 214/Riva Rd. become fully functional for a start.
- Would love to see indoor tennis facility!
- Community hall / indoor rental pavillion
- We need more indoor tennis courts
- Or family likes this park, but there's not much to do unless you have a child/adult attending a sporting event.
- It would be nice to have a place for indoor tennis so we do not have to keep going to PG County to play in the winter months.

- Indoor tennis courts
- Ice rink!
- Please provide affordable indoor tennis court facilities for public use. Thank you.
- Prefer Concept 2 for this location.
- Please consider adding a cross-country course.
- All of the proposed activities are desired. Given limited space and money not all activities can be provided in one park. The choice is to group similar activities into
- N/a
- Riva Area Park concept 1 & 2 are most appealing.
- Indoor / Outdoor TENNIS !!!
- We need indoor tennis courts badly, our county tennis association has over 3000 members, which doesn't include all the kids that play, yet tennis only has one indoor option in the county, at the Navy Brigade which requires military personnel on the court
- More trail is preferable
- Indoor and outdoor tennis courts, please!
- AACO is in dire need of indoor Tennis facilities. We are being embarrassed by Howard County who look out for their older, tax paying citizens.
- Tennis Courts please
- All these look great but every park in Anne Arundel County needs to add a skatepark. It is now an Olympic Sport and youth need opportunities to practice. Some children prefer to do individual sports and this would give them an opportunity and still get out
- There will need to be an actual stoplight at the end of Riva Road where it meets 214. That area is already dangerous!
- indoor pickleball sounds good
- Basketball courts indoors
- Leave as is.
- A natural park we love to walk in.
- Would be thrilled to see the addition of pickleball courts here!
- Please put in a pump track and jump trail (see Rockburn in Howard County and Germantown South in Montgomery County for other examples
- Indoor tennis and pickleball would be great too!
- None
- Pickleball is needed. Concept 2.
- Concept 3 is the best of those offered.
- Outdoor Pickleball, YAY!
- Dog parks are terrible!
- Would love to see additional multi-purpose trails (walking/running/biking) and a dog park here. This would also be a great location for disc golf, pickleball, and additional grass (and turf!) fields for youth sports.
- Disc golf and trails would be the best addition for this park and area. Disc golf would draw in people from all over the county and other areas. Can be combined with the trails and maintain the natural areas.

- Pickleball is exactly what this park needs!! It would be great addition for the entire community. Concept 2 would be great!
- Indoor tennis courts
- Indoor tennis and pickle ball
- courts are healthy for all ages!
- If ATV course is considered there needs to be park patrol to enforce rules, so they don't go onto walking paths. There are teens who don't respect the rules and scare people on current walking paths.
- Would use immediately
- N/A
- I walk at Riva every day, the trail is wonderful but could be maintained a bit better (and expanded!). Would love to see some pickleball courts, inside and outside. Also perhaps gym/workout equipment areas (outdoor courses). It would also be fantastic to
- We greatly need affordable indoor tennis facilities. We currently have none in Anne Arundel County. Please consider this.
- More walking trails at this park would be really nice.
- Affordable indoor tennis courts are the greatest need
- A water park or a playground with cooling water spots.
- A
- Current walking path and fields are great. Wish there were more access points and fields. The Riva and 214 intersection is dangerous
- I like Concept 2. Add courts for pickleball.
- Concept 2 preferred. Thank you for keeping the pickle ball distant from the tennis courts!
- Feel like there are a lot of baseball and soccer fields in the area, so a little diversity in facilities would be nice.
- What about a community garden?
- This is already a nice recreational sports hub and would be nice to build upon. It doesn't seem to have too much forest that would need to be destroyed so therefore I think it would be a good site for additional sports amenities,
- We need a dog park and a place for children to play.
- Pickleball courts and playgrounds are needed in the area
- As a longtime Davidsonville resident who resides very close to Riva Park, I implore you not to develop this park any further, other than to include nature trails. We already experience the bright lights of the athletic fields and do not welcome additional
- Na
- The best use of this park is to have a multi use sports complex.
- N/a
- Concept 1!! Davidsonville needs an indoor space for activities for our families. In particular a hockey and pickleball area!!
- Turf soccer fields that can be used year round would be great! Pickleball courts also, please! A bike park would also be fantastic. Please keep or expand upon the walking trails which we use every day. Bathroom facilities also please.
- Pickleball courts are my highest priority.

- Street hockey
- Indoor Tennis facilities would be great here.
- Park is nice as it is!
- How is the funding being raised?
- Skateboarding park would be OK. County should consider buying the empty Kmart building in Edgewater and turning that into indoor Pickleball/soccer courts/rec center like they have at Salvation Army/Pip Moyer Rec Center. Making that building a rec center
- We need more affordable indoor tennis courts.
- Indoor track
- Pickle ball most desired
- Skatepark skatepark skatepark
- Tennis/pb
- We are in such need for tennis courts in AACO. Especially indoor courts as fees for indoor courts are so high and making tennis not available to many over the winter.
- It would be nice to have indoor tennis courts
- Outdoor and indoor tennis courts! Can be used for pickle ball as well
- Better parking
- It would be wonderful to see space set aside for community gardens!
- Concern about security in this park.
- Concept 3 is the only one I'd be ok with.
- Taking down (too many) trees, more than a handful is a hard no for me. Too much over development in the area already
- Preference pickleball and dog park!
- Since this park already has lots of Athletic fields, it makes sense to expand/ enhance those while also adding some indoor facilities.
- Public Indoor and outdoor tennis courts are much needed. There are no public indoor tennis courts in AACounty. We need separate courts for tennis and pickle ball.
- Pickleball courts, and indoor basketball
- Anne Arundel County needs indoor tennis courts
- None
- No other recommendations- except maybe an outdoor pool!
- Increased traffic may require changing the traffic signal at riva and 214 to a full signal instead of flashing for safety.
- I would prefer that the park not have big building built on it and it stayed more wooded.
- More parking needed
- Na
- Please add lights to the fields that have fall sports. Baseball and softball practice and have games until November but have to end practices when the sun goes down.
- Please keep the park as natural as possible, perhaps extending existing walking trails only (like connecting the walkway now going only part way around the soccer field nearest Central Ave so that it goes all the way that field to join the main trail). I

- It is extremely important to have natural areas in AA county, and for our parks to allow not only recreation but also to provide habitat for birds, wildlife and native species. We must begin to create coexistence within our parks, and this will benefit bo
- Need more facilities that allow sports to continue during extreme heat and other inclement weather
- We desperately need more courts for tennis!!!
- We need indoor tennis courts in Anne Arundel, please! I currently have to drive over 30 miles to PG County or DC to play in the cold season. PLEASE ðŸ™¸
- And please don't waste precious indoor space on pickleball - the fad is starting to wane and they a
- The county needs more indoor tennis courts
- Would like more affordable indoor tennis courts in the area.
- we need more indoor outlets for kids/sports/communities that feel shut-in during the colder months. student athletes are unable to train and there are very few activities
- Need indoor tennis courts
- Sport courts, both indoor and outdoor, would be perfect in this area that is already clear due to previous agriculture use. Additional trails between outdoor sport fields would be great, and a dog park would be nice.
- We desperately need affordable indoor tennis court facilities within AAC. Please make this happen!
- Good luck planning the park. Looking forward to seeing the improvements!
- Pickleball courts
- Court Sports would be great here.
- We need more dog parks!
- We need more affordable and easily accesible in door facilities in AACO. There is a strong tennis community that has been asking to be heard and acknowledged. Please help support the tennis community and all the benefits, both physically and mentally th
- N/a
- Please add the indoor street hockey rink! Very valuable and useful to the large youth hockey community in the area.
- Sand volleyball courts, indoor pickle ball courts, and dog park are the ideal additions.
- For indoor sports, offer yoga and various classes as well.
- Disc golf
- Outdoor tennis courts would be nice! Dedicated tennis courts
- None
- NO MORE BASEBALL FIELDS.
- MORE LIGHTED MULTIPURPOSE BERMUDA FIELDS WITH IRRIGATION FOR EASE OF MAINTENANCE.
- MORE OPEN ACCESSIBLE BATHROOM FACILITIES.
- I don't think anyone wants the noise or disruption of massive development of our county parks
- More Pickleball please
- Na

- Concept 3 with the large walking and running trail looks really enticing. There is not enough space in this area for running and walking
- Would welcome additional amenities here. Possibly a water park or community pool here, would be nice.
- Disc golf
- Would like indoor and outdoor tennis facilities!
- None
- Is it possible to have better bike lanes and sidewalks to get to the park? It is hard just to cross Riva Road with the speed of traffic and the amount of traffic.
- Our community would love to see tennis courts and more spaces for young children and families. We would love a splash pad for the summer time and climbing playground structures for children 5-17!
- Affordable indoor tennis facilities are needed.
- Please retain all trees/forests and use existing cleared land, which is what it looks like the plans are mostly doing.
- Rec & Parks is terrible at maintaining structures appropriately. Where will the money come from for construction, staff, and maintenance
- Concept 2
- The number one thing it needs is a better playground for the kids. Something like kinder farm park, or quiet Waters Park. If you're going to do something inside, it should be an aquatic play area like N. Arundel Aquatic Center.
- We need more indoor and outdoor lit tennis courts!
- Update what is currently there and add better walking trails only
- I Prefer concept 3, with the addition of a multipurpose indoor facility smaller than the one in concept 1 (remove indoor soccer field and indoor football field). Include a room or two for dance/aerobic lessons. Would be great to offer summer camps there
- Another community park with ballfields that sit unused and overgrown. This concept needs a nice pocket skate park for all abilities. Maybe a pump track.
- N/a
- Indoor sports for sure please!!!
- NA
- AACO needs affordable indoor tennis courts!
- We need indoor tennis courts! There are plenty of indoor pickle ball facilities but only one indoor tennis facility in the county (Navy Brigade) and this requires military personnel. Tennis cannot be played in the rain or outside in cold weather. Also ,
- This would benefit a lot of people
- Tennis court (indoor &/or out)!!
- Covered pickleball courts would be highly used. There is currently a shortage of courts in the surrounding area. Covered courts would allow play during in climate weather
- Anne Arundel needs better playgrounds. We're severely lacking in quality playgrounds compared to our neighboring counties. Even playgrounds at Downs Park and Kinder Farm pale in comparison to even neighborhood parks in other counties.
- The kids need more fields in our community

- Leave the trees alone!
- We need more outdoor and indoor pickleball courts with lights
- Would love to see more tennis and pickleball courts. With the rise of pickleball, most tennis courts are taken over by that and would be nice to have both. There is currently only one indoor option within Anne Arundel county (Navy Brigade) that is open to
 - - Indoor baseball facility.
 - - Create hybrid of the concepts.
 - - Get rid of dog park; Concept #1 & #3.
 - - Too many tennis courts; Concept #2.
 - - Get rid of sand volleyball courts; Concept #2.
- No need for indoor football add outside tennis and Pickleball courts to concept 1. Definite need for some more indoor facilities including ice rinks
- Can individuals use/reserve fields?
- We desperately need more Inoord tennis courts!!!
- Pickleball courts serve all age groups. Pickleball is the only sport that all family members can play together.
- Indoor tennis courts
- Please give the tennis community some indoor tennis options! Our neighboring counties have 12 public indoor facilities. We have none. Residents travel to other counties for tennis programs and court time. Neither Chartwell County Club nor the Naval Acade
- Indoor Tennis/court sports is needed. Residents should have affordable access to indoor tennis courts at the various locations
- Concept 1 is awesome because of the indoor space which is much needed!
- Although tennis courts were listed in the courts possible. There was no drawings for tennis in any of the conceptual drawings
- Upgrades would be nice to the current facilities. The nature trail is beautiful. This is in a residential area directly across the street from a neighborhood. Please don't put commercial type activities in there.
- There are currently very limited options for County Pickle Ball in this area. There are I believe only 2 indoor County Pickle Ball courts in this area. The demand is huge, and only growing.
- Outdoor pool with or without water features (splash pad, slides, etc.)
- Community garden plots
- This area could really use some indoor facilities.
- None
- It would be wonderful to have a full bike and walking trail around the perimeter of the park. No lights on fields, please! This area is residential and the large lighted fields creates so much light pollution. We live right up the street from the park an
- Please leave the the park as is! There is so little open space in the county. No need to change and build structures. The open fields and nature trails are what a park should be. So sad to see development.
- Indoor tennis courts badly. There are no public indoor tennis courts in the county. I often drive to PG and Howard counties to play tennis when the weather dictates. There are over 3,000 members in our coubty tennis association, not counting the children.

- Love the idea of indoor sport courts! Lacrosse facilities would be amazing!
- Na
- There is a desperate need for indoor tennis in Anne Arundel county. Pickel Ball has got private support, yet Tennis is getting no indoor facilities, which are DESPERATELY needed to allow year round play. Tennis is played by thousands of people in AA Co, y
- Need multiple turf fields with lights.
- Need indoor turf fields.
- Need more walking trails.
- Need more parking.
- Dog park not needed nor outdoor street hockey alone
- Concept #1 is my pick
- Would love to see a horse back riding ride and or show grounds similar to PG Equestrian Center in AACO!
- AA Co needs a variety of amenities for all outdoor enthusiasts. Please consider more than team sports. A walking/biking trail surrounding any courts would be a welcome amenity.
- Indoor tennis more than one court.
- Most interested in indoor & outdoor tennis courts
- All sound fabulous. The most needed is indoor basketball. Closest and readily accessible is Pip Moyer.
- Leave in current state. A lot of wildlife currently us the park including foxes, turkey, deer and tons of song birds. Nice having a piece of undeveloped land to walk.
- Add more baseball fields. Far too few baseball fields in southern AA County. Especially fields with lights.
- Not all kids can play soccer, lacrosse and baseball. These team sports are very expensive now. Let's offer other options for families that can't afford the team sports. Lots if kids are riding bikes, bmx and skareboarding. Please include these in your
- Proposal 1 looks fantastic - would like to keep/expand the walking trails for us dog walkers who use the park everyday, but do not wish for a dog park to be installed. It creates too many issues. Would love to see an ice rink for our local hockey team an
- The entrance is approaching dangerous as it is, for park visitors and adjacent Hardesty Estates residents. More cars in/out will create a safety traffic issue. There are homes nearby all around. Please keep this park quiet and natural. It's part of why
- Need more affordable indoor tennis courts
- Would LOVE to see indoor sports facilities - there are simply not enough in this area! Inclement weather is often an issue. Another idea is a batting cage. Thanks for the opportunity to comment.
- We need indoor tennis courts
- We need indoor tennis options
- We need INDOOR tennis facilities here!
- Indoor tennis courts and LIGHTED outdoor courts
- Love current trails, quiet and shady in summer
- need pickle ball and volleyball - rarely see basketball courts used. Need a wall for practicing spiking volleyballs!!

- no atv - noise
- Thank you for considering improvements to this park! If the current entrance from Riva Rd remains intact, it would be great to see a sidewalk for its length and a crosswalk to Sharpsburg Dr.
- We would love to see trails, playground, pavilions, tennis cour
- No additional traffic needed at this intersection near park.
- Indoor Tennis Courts.
- Riva Park provides a wonderful open space for families to enjoy nature, something that is quickly fleeting in the area. Expanding the beautiful trails and providing a balance of enhanced nature amenities (garden, forest exploration, etc.) with the develop
- We need more things for kids and families in this area.
- Nature areas would be nice but so would indoor sports.for.cooler.months
- Dog park & nature trail please!
- Something dog friendly with some trails, etc
- very interested in pickleball courts and track (indoor or outdoor)
- We badly need indoor tennis courta
- Pickle ball would be great. So would a dog park.
- Thank you
- Indoor and outdoor Pickleball courts
- The folks I have spoken to that actually life in the community really want more natural areas. Thank you. #3 looks about right.
- An indoor sports facility in this part of the county would be a huge benefit and highly desirable.
- Very nice park! Love some of these ideas.
- Propose at least on outdoor croquet court. Croquet is a national recognized sport (the National Croquet Assn establishes handicaps, etc). It is played by persons of all ages (e.g., St. John's College in Annapolis is noted for its croquet team). Croquet
- Noted in other submissions, skate parks offer the widest use of multiple sports including skating, rollerblading, BMX, and scooters. The park design can also double as an open space for community and handicapped accessible (see Encinitas skatepark that wa
- Courts dedicated to pickleball!
- Yes ...to pickleball courts please!!!
- Prefer to have at least 2 designated for pickleball only with permanent nets.
- Thank you for hearing what citizens would like!
- Add Sensory garden, tennis/ pickleball courts, indoor basketball, disc golf, and updated playgrounds
- It seems we have enough baseball, soccer and basketball courts close enough to this space. We don't have any public tennis, music, and skate park in this area. And nature trails benefit ever city, so that is also a great contribution to any park. This par
- Indoor fields needed
- Indoor swimming and workout class spaces
- More pickle ball courts please
- Indoor tennis, splash pad or swimming pool would be amazing
- We need affordable INDOOR tennis facilities.

- Pickleball courts. It would be great to see more pickleball courts.
- Not at this time
- Nature garden, outdoor sensory play, nature playground is needed in our county. Splash pad in the county!
- We need affordable INDOOR tennis and/or pickleball facilities please!
- Public pool!!!
- We would love some public indoor courts. My family all play tennis and it's hard to find a space to play for half the year!
- South County residents need indoor sports buildings.
- Skatepark!
- Not interested
- Na
- Love the idea of an indoor basketball court and ice skating. We visit the park regularly and would love to have some options when the weather is not the best.
- I am at 450 West Central Ave, please include a 6 foot high fencing with trees at the soccer field and baseball field. I have park trespassers coming into my yard or even walking up to my house. Both the left and back side of the house need to have barrier
- The county needs tennis facilities, including indoor. There are no public indoor facilities in the county, leaving residents to go elsewhere to play in the winter. While sports fields, etc for kids are important, adults have few options or programs. There
- Including indoor facilities is a great idea, great use as in other counties
- I would like all of these things but not at one park. I like a combination of Concept 2 and 3 but am not clear on what Concept 3 includes. I don't see an explanation of the green shaded line/loop. If it's a walking trail it would be nice if it was inc
- Seems to be a problem maintaining what they already have.
- This is an opportunity for regionally accessible indoor tennis courts. Parking for tennis is less than field sports and pickleball so indoor tennis balances out the anticipated increase. Tennis lost a REGIONAL designated park in Millersville (within 20 mi
- Please consider adding tennis/pickleball courts as we do not have enough in AA County. Particularly for indoors in the winter months! It's a lifetime sport that more should have access to.
- Pickle ball would be fabulous!
- I walk in this park every day for the last 10 years. It is a wonderful place as it is. Expand the trails and outdoor areas.
- Disc Golf is needed in the southern part of the county along with an indoor basketball court
- Tennis courts are a must. Tennis courts available in county are usually at HS sites, and are available only when children are not in school. Tennis courts in Galesville are now only pickleball courts.
- Add trails for walking
- I'd like to see tennis courts included in the plan, not pickleball courts.
- None
- indoor facility near riva and edgewater is needed
- The indoor facilities could be very helpful.

- We need affordable and accessible tennis courts in Davidsonville. There are no indoor tennis courts around here, and no convenient outdoor tennis courts either.
- Gardens landscaped with local native plants would be nice.
- Indoor tennis courts needed!
- Love concept 3 for more running/walking trails
- Indoor spaces are needed most for local sports
- Love the trails here. Would like a dog park.
- Pickle ball court indoor and outside!
- Please turn on the traffic light at the intersection of Riva Road and 214. Daily I witness drivers ignoring the turn restrictions and speeding. Multiple accidents occur there! I live off of 214 and the traffic coming down 214 is heavy and drivers dont fol
- Need indoor tennis facilities
- This are could use more racquet/pickleball courts and there are no real indoor facilities in this area of the county
- We would absolutely love pickleball and tennis courts!
- Indoor tennis courts
- None
- Thank you
- Concept 2 would be my choice
- There are multi purpose fields all over the county already. Let's create a space for some other options. Please consider the neighbors if lighting is involved. The large lights on the current fields are too bright. A bike path would be wonderful.
- Indoor tennis please!
- Indoor facilities would provide actives for the 6 months of the year it is 2 cold to play outside.
- None
- Mountain Biking Trails, Hiking Trails. Makes the land accessible to people but does not push out the flora and fauna living there.
- Adding a dog Park would be great! Please keep the walking trial too
- Would like to see pickle ball courts added.
- Move the softball fields to make a 4 field softball park capable of hosting tournaments on the northern new park property since there is only one softball field. Then use the current park see to build indoor athletic area that can be used for volleyball
- none
- Indoor sports areas would be great.
- Na
- None
- This park is a fantastic amenity but has not been maintained very well. The playground was recently upgraded but it's still very small for the size of the community this park supports. I love the paved trail through the woods and would like to see that
- The proposals would be nice updates. Please keep in mind, though, that this walking trail is one of very few in the area where citizens can be close to nature without a lot of noise pollution. I would advocate for a couple of the proposed updates, but not
- We need a dog park in this area as well as indoor activities.

- Reduce traffic and overcrowding in the area
- I would love a playground!
- We definitely need tennis courts and pickleball courts in this area! Please make this become a reality! Outdoor for sure, and indoor if at all possible.
- Combining this with a dog park and trails and the other ideas would be marvelous and well deserve
- Anne Arundel County needs more tennis and pickleball courts. These should be separate courts. Tennis and pickleball are different sports with different size surfaces. Tennis requires more space and it is dangerous when it is played next to a smaller pickl
- None
- Would love street hockey or ice hockey rink!
- Concept 1 is the best
- N/A
- The county needs more lighted tennis courts. Short winter days combined with the competition with pickleball players for courts make it difficult to find ample resources to play tennis.
- Would love the option of an indoor basketball and other courts.
- Concept 2
- Visitors already break the county rules when it comes to walking dogs off lead at this park. I think that needs to be better monitored and controlled before offering them a dog park as a bonus. An amphitheater would be gladly excepted here. We are sorely
- We don't need anything that will attract more Annapolis kids to the area.
- None
- N/a
- We need indoor tennis courts badly, our county tennis association has over 3000 members, which doesn't include all the kids that play, yet tennis only has one indoor option in the county, at the Navy Brigade which requires military personnel on the cour
- Indoor TENNIS courts would be a 5!
- The neighborhood needs more tennis courts, which can be used as Pickle ball courts also.
- We need affordable INDOOR Tennis Courts!
- Outdoor pickleball!!!!!!
- Great site for a build out! Please include plenty of open spaces trails, gardens. Love an indoor venue for multi-sports. Indoor soccer, tennis and basketball preferred.
- A pavilion would be nice.
- Pickle ball courts please
- Please provide affordable indoor tennis.
- Lighted pickle ball courts indoor and outdoor are desired
- A new skatepark would be great.
- We really need a dog park
- Really need indoor tennis bubbles in Anne Arundel County.
- At least a small indoor area (gmnastics/mat area and pickleball or open gym) would be great to get out of the heat in summer. The current playground is really nice but unusable in much of the summer because of the heat. A pump track would be a great versa
- We desperately need an indoor tennis facility in our county

- Indoor ice rink would really benefit this area.
- We need more indoor activities and splash pads and adventure sports!
- Really like Concept #2
- County-wide, we do not have enough facilities for youth athletics. While pickleball is a growing sport, it's not a YOUTH sport, and that's where we can build the most community.
- Outdoor facilities area appreciated and needed
- Picnic tables with SHADE. Green space for cultural events and activities. Restrooms. Dream come true: Outdoor TaiChi classes! Park for all ages.
- Concept 1 but some of the amenities outdoor plus playground and pavilions would be nice don't want just a bunch of buildings, we want fresh air
- CONCEPT 3 WOULD BE MY CHOICE
- Anne Arundel Co. needs a real concrete skatepark.
- Leave undeveloped land as is.
- Please consider a couple of indoor tennis/pickleball courts. We currently have no indoor public tennis courts in Anne Arundel County.
- Until they get better traffic control at 214&Riva there should not be additional expansion. Traffic needs to be able to turn left from Riva, going eastbound on 214 at all times of the day!
- Having comments on each park misses the cohesive picture. In South County, there is a desire for a rural feel and reduced traffic. We prefer no indoor county facilities to avoid congestion. We would like a lit walking/jogging/bicycle option, which we curr
- Tennis
- Riva road is extremely busy as is. Adding a massive indoor facility would only increase traffic and therefore accidents. There is no speed enforcement along this part of Riva. I hope there are considerations of the second order effects of these changes. T
- Re Concept 2: Plan shows 3 NOISY sports (skate park, pickleball & street hockey). It's too much! Keep tennis and pickleball courts separated by the parking lot. There may not be enough parking spaces. The 6 pickleball courts will have 24 players/ cars
- Almost no public outdoor/indoor tennis courts in southern AA county.
- is there a concept that has a dog park and outdoor fields, pickleball & trails?
- we like your pavillions and tennis courts, any flower and natuve plants be great!
- not need any more crazy dog parks
- Bu a quiet nature center is great!
- I thought #1 had too much going on, trying to be everything to everyone. Would love a dog park, though, and I'm a cat person. #2 close.
- Na
- Restrooms should be available.
- Keep majority green space.
- Contained dog park.
- Keep basketball, baseball, soccer.
- Keep walking trails safe.
- Park is perfect as is.
- Sidewalks down riva road to the park
- Indoor tennis

- Indoor tennis courts are needed
- Yes to indoor activities, that is what is really missing around this area.
- Would be nice to have a public swimming pool in this area.
- Affordable/free for low income families indoor court sports is the highest need in our community. We need indoor spaces for kids to go instead of being in the streets!
- I prefer concept 1, with the inclusion of more indoor facilities, in addition to the added outdoor facilities also detailed. On that concept, I don't see the inclusion of some of the outdoor options in the above survey items. Namely, I would still love
- None
- Outdoor paths
- Tennis courts are sorely needed. It would be a travesty to put in pickleball courts, but not tennis courts. Additionally, natural areas for relaxation are so important.