

## **KILBY Playground Project Update**

Funding Thus far: \$35,000 (PTO plus Kilby Funds)

*Most popular playground elements (based on the survey given (8-14-2024)*

- ✓ Swings
- ✓ Climbing Activities
- ✓ Slides
- ✓ Shade
- ✓ Towers
- ✓ Tunnels
- ✓ Rubber padded surface as opposed to mulch

### **POTENTIAL PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT COMPANIES**

- Landscape Structures- [www.playlsi.com](http://www.playlsi.com)
- Backyard Solutions- [www.backyardalabama.com](http://www.backyardalabama.com)
- Play and Park Structures- [www.playandpark.com](http://www.playandpark.com)
- Little Tikes- [www.littletikescommercial.com](http://www.littletikescommercial.com)
- Miracle- [www.miracle-recreation.com](http://www.miracle-recreation.com)

Estimated Costs: \$50,000-\$75,000 (Full System Replacement)

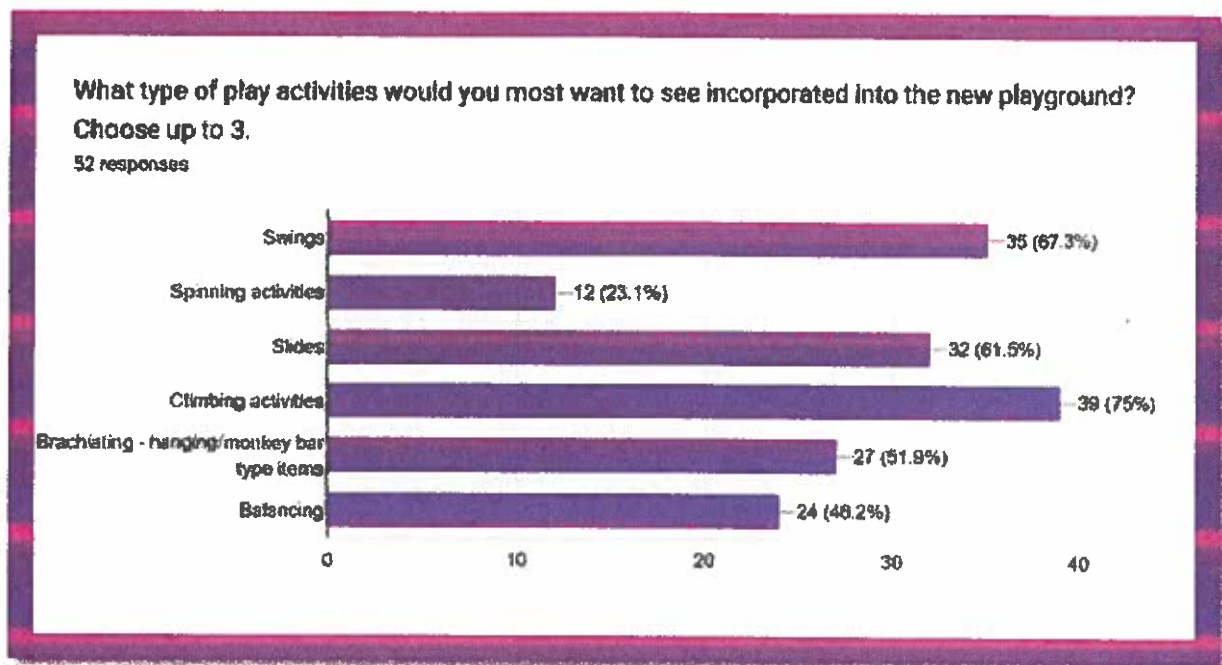
Freestanding Individual Items (Estimated): \$3,000-\$10,000

# Community Feedback Results – Question 1

Community feedback indicates that positive outcomes occur when stakeholders:

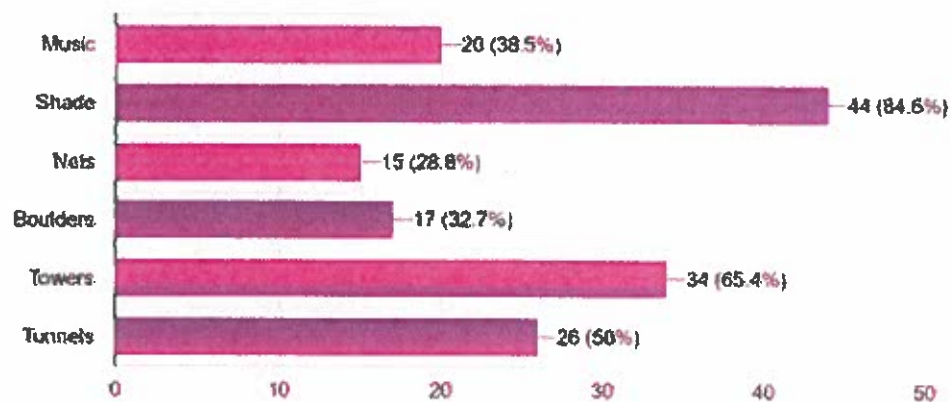
- ▶ **engage** in the planning process,
- ▶ **implement** evidence-based design principles for the built environment, and
- ▶ **offer** supplemental programming to enhance user experiences.

Every site designed, built, and programmed with National Demonstration Site criteria can help to counteract negative trends and support more positive outcomes.



## Community Feedback Results – Question 2

Which specialty items would you most want incorporated in the play space? Choose up to 3.  
52 responses



## Community Feedback Results – Question 3

**What is your BIG IDEA for the new playgrounds in your area?**

"Perhaps a younger kids area and an older kids area? I think a "obstacle course" style playground would be fun for the older kids, with some music related elements- things to drum on, rain stick type item, etc. and a "pretend" place for the kids to play school/house. I've seen local playgrounds with all of these elements!"

"If we were to get new a playground, it would just be amazing to have the updated equipment for the kids to play on. They really enjoy the slides and tunnels so similar equipment would be great! They also love the hanging zip line but since it is broken, I'm sure they would also love something like that!"

"A space that inspires imaginative play. A place for daring rescues/ escapes, exploring strange new worlds, and challenging friends to race you to the top."



## **Community Feedback Results – Question 3 cont.**

### **What is your BIG IDEA for the new playgrounds in your area (cont.)?**

"My idea for a new playground would be an inclusive safe place where all children can have fun, be themselves, be creative and adventurous, while developing physical, emotional, cognitive and social skills and accommodating children with various physical, mental and learning abilities."

"A safe space for the children where they have tons of fun. Whether it's from swings, climbing or even sitting in the shade. Those kids deserve it."

"Incorporate sensory experiences, fitness challenges and inclusive equipment for all ages."



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