

Barber Park Skate Park Community Meeting

What we Heard

July 27, 2023

What do you ride?

Skateboard: 25

BMX bike: 3

Roller skates: 3

Other: 4

Do you prefer more “street” or “transition” type obstacles?

Street obstacles: 26

Transition obstacles: 17

Potential amenity preferences

Bench: 5

Quarter pipe: 12

Volcano: 5

Table: 4

Kicker: 0

Jersey: 5

Rainbow: 1

Stairs: 17

Bank: 7

Handrail: 6

Spine: 6

Drop in: 3

Cradle: 3

Curb (ledge): 34

Micro ramp: 24

Funbox: 0

Flat rail: 21

Manny pad: 23

Step up: 1

Nessie: 3

Wall: 3

Hips: 10

Pyramid: 18

Euro gap: 7

Flat area: 13

Ledge (Hubba): 6

Hubba: 14

Bump: 3

In summary, the top 10 amenity preferences are:

1) Curb (straight ledge)

2) Micro ramp

3) Manny pad

4) Flat rail

5) Pyramid

6) Stairs

7) Hubba

8) Flat area

9) Quarter pipe

10) Hips

General Comments

- Simple = good
- Straight ledge, not curved
- Shade
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- Obstacles of all sizes and smaller transition for learning
- Bump 2 bar
- Transitions on ramps not too steep
- Big set of stairs with mellow(ish) handrail
- Two-foot-high spine
- More beginner friendly
- Mini ramps/bowls
- Water fountain
- It's about how the obstacles are done
- Obstacles for all ages: size and space, transition, bowls, and mini ramps, shade, and not contest style)
- Emphasis on obstacle placement versus amount of obstacles
- More transition flow
- Don't repeat Barnett Park
- Need stairs with a handrail or hubba
- Skate park that flows and avoid single direction back and forth
- Transition that allows for movement between obstacles
- Water fountains and slappy curbs
- Sun sail for shade
- Mini ramp with different height sections, stairs with hubba or handrails, and spine ramp
- Half pipe, a gap, and cement barrier