

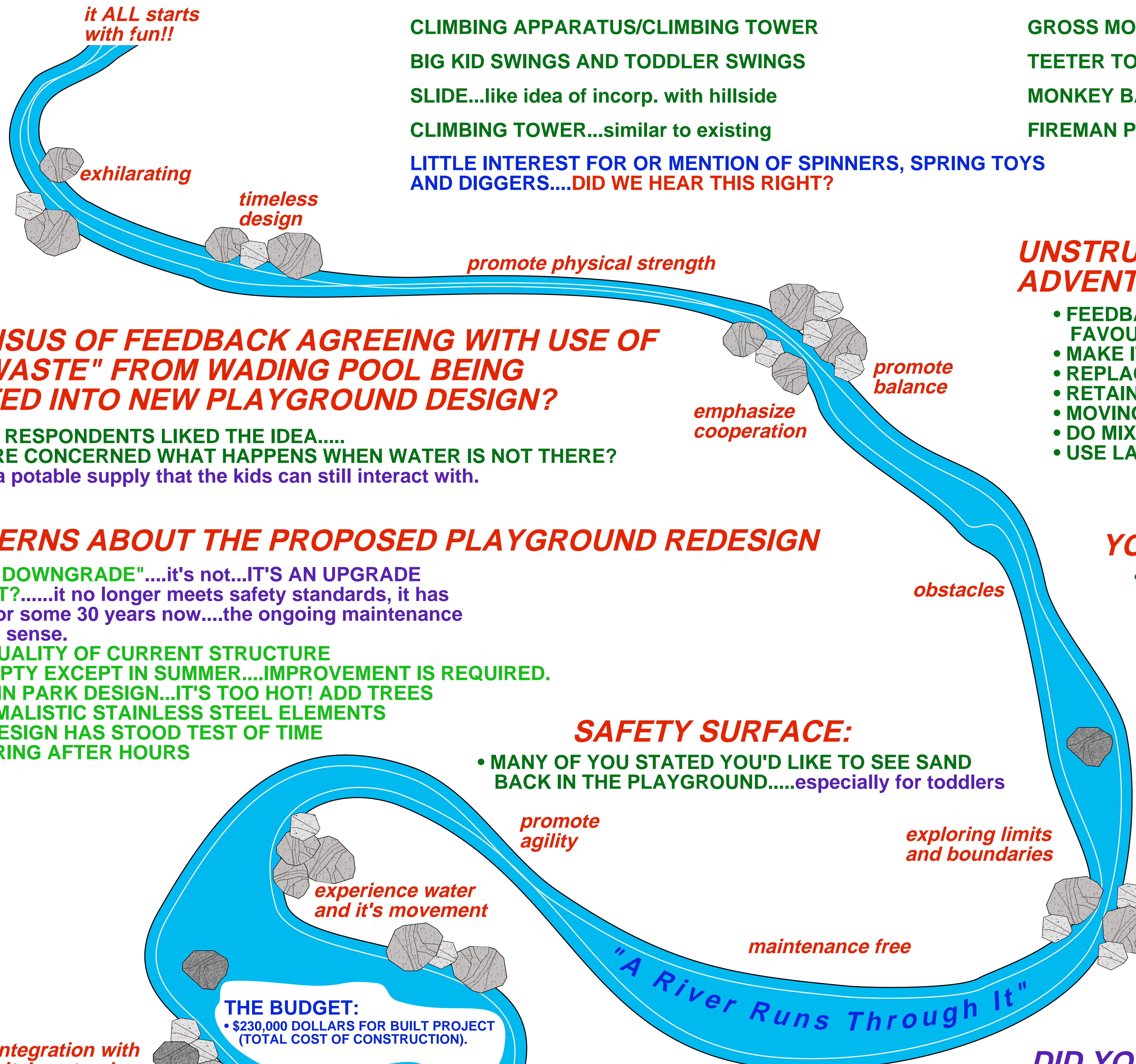
FEEDBACK-PLAYGROUND REDESIGN-HERE'S WHAT YOU TOLD US!!

WHAT EQUIPMENT OFFERS GREATEST PLAY VALUE IN YOUR OPINION AND WHAT YOU'D LIKE TO SEE IN YOUR PARK'S PLAYGROUND:

- CLIMBING APPARATUS/CLIMBING TOWER
- BIG KID SWINGS AND TODDLER SWINGS
- SLIDE...like idea of incorp. with hillside
- CLIMBING TOWER...similar to existing

- GROSS MOTOR DEVELOPMENT; BUILD STRENGTH
- TEETER TOTTER
- MONKEY BARS
- FIREMAN POLE
- ZIP POLE
- ROTATING NET
- ROPE SWING

LITTLE INTEREST FOR OR MENTION OF SPINNERS, SPRING TOYS AND DIGGERS....DID WE HEAR THIS RIGHT?



WAS CONSENSUS OF FEEDBACK AGREEING WITH USE OF "WATER TO WASTE" FROM WADING POOL BEING INCORPORATED INTO NEW PLAYGROUND DESIGN?

- YES, MOST RESPONDENTS LIKED THE IDEA.....
- SOME WERE CONCERNED WHAT HAPPENS WHEN WATER IS NOT THERE?
-we'll add a potable supply that the kids can still interact with.

UNSTRUCTURED vs. TRADITIONAL ADVENTURE PLAY

- FEEDBACK WAS APPROX. 50% IN FAVOUR OF EACH...no clear winner.
- MAKE IT MORE CREATIVE
- REPLACE IT STICK FOR STICK!!
- RETAIN TOWER TO ENJOY VIEW
- MOVING WATER IS A GREAT ATTRACTION
- DO MIX OF BOTH DESIGNS
- USE LAMINATED WOOD/BC WOOD PRODUCTS

YOUR CONCERNS ABOUT THE PROPOSED PLAYGROUND REDESIGN

- PERCEIVED AS "DOWNGRADE".....it's not...IT'S AN UPGRADE
- WHY REPLACE IT?.....it no longer meets safety standards, it has served it's role for some 30 years now....the ongoing maintenance no longer makes sense.
- KEEP UNIQUE QUALITY OF CURRENT STRUCTURE
- THE PARK IS EMPTY EXCEPT IN SUMMER....IMPROVEMENT IS REQUIRED.
- CONSIDER SUN IN PARK DESIGN...IT'S TOO HOT! ADD TREES
- DON'T USE MINIMALISTIC STAINLESS STEEL ELEMENTS
- THE EXISTING DESIGN HAS STOOD TEST OF TIME
- MINIMIZE LOITERING AFTER HOURS

YOU TOLD US TO FOCUS ON:

- 5-12 YRS. AGE GROUP ONLY
- SLIGHTLY AHEAD OF THE TODDLERS

SAFETY SURFACE:

- MANY OF YOU STATED YOU'D LIKE TO SEE SAND BACK IN THE PLAYGROUND.....especially for toddlers

THE BUDGET:
• \$230,000 DOLLARS FOR BUILT PROJECT (TOTAL COST OF CONSTRUCTION).

Lord Tweedsmuir Elementary
Model No. PF11200R2



DID YOU KNOW?

- THE BUDGET ALLOCATED FOR THIS UPGRADE IS EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN ALL THE OTHER INDIVIDUAL PLAYGROUND UPDATES UNDERTAKEN BY THE CITY IN THE PAST DECADE!
- LORD TWEEDSMUIR COMMUNITY SCHOOL NEARBY WILL BE INSTALLING A NEW TRADITIONAL METAL POST/PLASTIC CLIMBING STRUCTURE FOCUSED PLAYGROUND THIS FALL

WE ARE LISTENING

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