

Feedback form

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Mar 06 20 07:31:48 pm	Female	Nz	Yes	Lakes City Athletics	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Athletics	Fitness and training activity	Other (please specify)Athletics track!!	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour		Dont loose our athletic track
Mar 06 20 09:15:12 pm	Female	Nz Maori and european	Yes	St michaels	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , Other (please specify)Kids sports	Jab rugby and junior netball		The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Access to the stream, Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks	Car parking, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify)Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities, Clean up the area leading from my place on Pukeko street to the stream and new sporting facility, Often homeless people there and roaming dogs + but undesirable people hanging out who creep out me and my daughters	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, No clear connections between spaces		Add speedbumps to Pukeko street. As a resident there els constantly traffic speeding +- down the short street- dangerous for kids on bikes etc after school as well as us residents. Traffic is bound to increase with people making use of the new sports grounds and someone is going to get killed by speed on this street very very soon.
Mar 07 20 04:08:49 pm	Male	Nz	Yes	Rotonua trail running club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Athletics	Fitness and training activity	Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Lack of recreation facilities	All weather athletics track	An all weather athletics track would be great for the district as that in combination with the redwoods could make it nz's best training destination for runners at every level but especially professional/elite level
Mar 08 20 12:43:53 am	Female	No	No		I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I use the walking tracks, Other (please specify)Cycling			The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , A place to exercise the dog, Access to the stream, The walking tracks, Other (please specify)Cycling	Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space, Other (please specify)Golf	Other (please specify)Nothing detracts from my current enjoyment of Springfield golf course.		Leave the golf course alone and do not turn it into anything but green areas do not convert any of the golf course into housing.
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Mar 08 20 09:58:36 am	Male	Maori- European	Yes	Citizen Club	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city			The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby . A place to exercise the dog	Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream	Rubbish and litter in the area, Facilities e.g. toilets		The Current Golf Course to remain already in place and less financial cost to Council and needed for further youth development in golf. The new proposal is very costly and maintenance will be in tens of thousands of Dollars. Also Rugby clubs are struggling now to maintain their clubs. A huge lack of parking for the new venture and how much is the cost to ratepayers to develop this project?? The new frontage of stadium is being structured as a Maori Culture theme when it a Sports facility not a Culture theme. It's for all New Zealanders.
Mar 08 20 10:17:40 am	Male	Kiwi	Yes	St michial	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, Other (please specify)Cool place to walk and fish			Access to the stream	Open green space	Facilities e.g. toilets		Leave it a lone
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Mar 09 20 11:44:43 am	Male	NZ European	Yes	Rotonua Mountain Bike Club	Other (please specify)I don't currently use the Westbrook reserves, but would in the future if there was facilities better suited to my sports training.			Fitness and training activity	Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Lack of clear signage , Other (please specify)I'm never really sure where Im allowed and what areas are restricted. Also facilities are not currently better than those nearer to me.		It would be great to have a proper athletics track in Rotorua - this seems like it could be a good opportunity to put one in. Possibly with shelters or even an indoor track to make it more accessible in winter.

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Mar 09 20 01:06:51 pm	Male	European	No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Lake city Athletics, Springfield Golf Course	Cricket and Lake city Athletics	The Springfield Golf Course, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks, Access to the stream	The natural environment including access to the stream, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Car parking	Facilities e.g. toilets, Car parking and surrounding road network		I feel the development is in general a good idea. I would be disappointed to see Springfield Golf Club be removed from the area. It provides affordable opportunities to play golf in a friendly environment, something which I have not found at either of the other clubs in Rotorua. I would expect my participation in golf to reduce if Springfield Golf Club ceased to exist. I am also concerned about the potential impacts of this development on the Uthina stream. The stream is a great asset to the area providing fishing and swimming opportunities for the community, it already suffers from significant erosion problems and I worry that development of the area may impact the stream further. I may have missed it in the plans but the omission of an all weather track seems strange as it would be a great addition to sport and recreation in Rotorua. The participation in athletics is on the rise in Rotorua and an all weather track would only enhance this.
Mar 09 20 01:44:22 pm	Female	NZ	Yes	Athletics	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics	Childrens athletics	Rugby, cricket, hockey	Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Access to the stream, The walking tracks	Playgrounds/nature play, The natural environment including access to the stream, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Lack of recreation facilities, Facilities e.g. toilets	All weather athletics area. Childrens play areas and good walking/bicycling tracks to connect everything.	Stoked to see the council investing in the health & wellbeing of a large portion of the community! I know people love golf courses but it is a limited few that enjoy them and they take up so much valuable space. I hope this all goes ahead. Thanks for the great work.
Mar 09 20 03:40:51 pm	Male		Yes	F5000 NZ	I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)	GOLF		The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby	Open green space	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour		Sorry but at no stage was I contacted and given the opportunity to be involved with the Spatial Plan 2016. To now have the eastern end of the golf course could be developed into housing for the homeless is disgusting. Your Council has now wiped \$200000.00 of my property which I invested in heavily and you have now destroyed my dreams. I have never received any correspondence to tell me what's happening - not even the latest letter to residents - gutting. I presume out of all this compensation and a rates adjustment will be issued to all residents that border the golf course. This council is a joke and will end up destroying perfectly fine communities and turn them into slums at mine and others cost. I will fight for my rights and compensation after being a rate payer and small business owner in this town and having this unacceptable plan thrown at us. One pissed of Resident.
Mar 10 20 12:06:47 pm			Yes	Running, Orienteering, Mountain Biking	I use the walking tracks			Fitness and training activity , Enjoy having natural green space nearby , A place to exercise the dog, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	The natural environment including access to the stream, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Playgrounds/nature play, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Open green space	Lack of recreation facilities	All weather athletics track	
Mar 10 20 04:25:11 pm		European	Yes	Springfield Golf Club	I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)	Golf		The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Access to the stream, The Springfield Golf Course	Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream	Facilities e.g. toilets, Rubbish and litter in the area, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour		Why get rid of Springfield Golf course when it is well used and working now as a lovely green belt with beautiful and well-established trees. What about the old Golfers who still play at Springfield who are in their 80s and some 90s. Where would they play in the future? Lake view is too cold, too long and very hilly. Rotorua Golf Club is for professional people who are not as welcoming as Springfield and you have to walk a long way back to the clubhouse when you have finished playing 9 holes. Springfield is the best and friendliest club in Rotorua. The roading infrastructure around the proposed housing area would not cope in its present state and require a lot of money to upgrade. Is there enough room for growth at the two nearest schools? Westbrook School's roll growth already won't cope with the proposed new development above Pukahang Road. What about the natural spring on the course?
Mar 10 20 05:03:06 pm	Male	New Zealand	Yes	Springfield Golf Club, Rotorua MTB Club	I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city			The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space	Rubbish and litter in the area		Please don't touch the Springfield Golf Course. Our population is growing and we need all the green space we can get so the next generation can enjoy it. Once it's put into housing you can never get it back. More young people are now getting into golf, which will enhance memberships creating revenue, the Wednesday night twilight competition is a great success and I was told recently that Springfield membership is now higher than Rotorua's. We walk around the Golf Course a couple of nights a week and love it, to have this taken away would be a travesty. We are also both members and love playing the course which in our opinion is the best course in Rotorua. Lets keep the GC and make it a tourist attraction in its own right.
Mar 10 20 08:29:53 pm	Male	Maori	Yes	NZ Maori rugby	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city	all rugby including big games at the stadium	Rugby	The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Car parking, Open green space	No clear connections between spaces, Facilities e.g. toilets		Maori players are naturally gifted at their sport but I think a proper Athletics and high performance training facility including medical centres and fully AstroTurf and top running track on Stadium No 2 would really enhance the jewel in the crown. The stadium which would be seen as one of the top training facilities in the region.
Mar 11 20 10:27:46 pm	Female	Pakeha/Maori	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club	I use the walking tracks			A place to exercise the dog, The walking tracks	Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Car parking, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space	Car parking and surrounding road network, Facilities e.g. toilets, No clear connections between spaces		I'd really like to see an all weather athletics track included in the scheme
Mar 12 20 05:10:01 pm	Male	European	No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks	Other (please specify) Golf	Other (please specify) Nothing - I enjoy the area as it is.		The golf course is a valuable asset to both residents and visitors that if taken away would never be able to be gotten back. As a rate payer I object to rates (and no doubt extra debt) being used to remove this proven asset. This is going to seriously decrease the value of the surrounding properties, the fact that our home backs on to the QUIET golf course was one of the main reasons for us purchasing. My daughter has breathing issues and I am deeply concerned for us being around construction etc whilst we are in our own home. I would like to see the proposed map actually mark out the surrounding streets so we can see in detail what you are proposing and how we will be affected, as your current map doesn't seem to mark out the streets. Thank you.
Mar 13 20 02:01:10 pm	Female	NZ Maori	No		Other (please specify) My home backs on to the Springfield Golf Club			The Springfield Golf Course, A place to exercise the dog, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks	Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space	Other (please specify) Nothing - it is great how it is		Roading and infrastructure isn't designed for large increases of vehicle movements in quiet residential areas. Proposal seems poorly thought out for local residents. Bird life in the area will suffer including Kaka, kararewa and Ruru, tui, bellbird which currently use the golf course as a green corridor into the city. Long tail bats have also been seen in the mature trees.
Mar 15 20 10:02:38 am	Male	European	Yes	Papamoa athletics	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Athletics	The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Facilities e.g. toilets		You seriously need to consider a proper athletics track. Lake City athletics club is massive and they turn up to events around the country in massive numbers! I'm with a club outside of Rotorua and am proud of what lake city achieve. Massive respect. Given the size of the club it's no brainer to have a proper track and encourage other events of this nature into rotorua.

Feedback form

Date of contribution	Survey Response											
	Gender	Ethnicity	Are you a member of any sports clubs or groups?	Which sports clubs or groups are you a member of?	How do you currently use the Westbrook reserves?	Which organised community sport/sporting events/athletics do you participate in?	Which community sport do you a supporter/spectator of?	What do you value most about these spaces?	What is important to you about these spaces that you would like enhanced or maintained in the future?	What detracts from your current enjoyment of these reserves?	What recreation facilities are currently lacking?	Any further thoughts or suggestions about the proposal?
Mar 05 20 05:34:34 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotorua MTB Club	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city. Other (please specify) I commute from the end of Petri Place to Devon Street West to Manuka Street, across Old Taupo Road to High Street Reserve-High Street to Marguerite Street. The only way to avoid both Halloway Road and its intersections and Devon Street and its roundabouts.			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course. The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Open green space, Car parking	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Rubbish and litter in the area, Car parking and surrounding road network. Other (please specify) Motor bikes, broken glass, cars parking on yellow lines, broken fences not being fixed quickly after vehicles have crashed into them.		Please allow commuters to get across area without having to follow a scenic twisty cycle/walkway these might be fine for leisure and on weekends. Solo riders and school children need to have open spaces to be visible and to feel secure and safe while using the area to move across.
Mar 05 20 06:31:59 pm	Male	European	Yes	Springfield Golf	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			The Springfield Golf Course	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , The natural environment including access to the stream	No clear connections between spaces		As a member of Springfield golf club and who lives nearby, I can see the benefit of new sports grounds but not at the expense of a golf club that has more members than the other two and also is more financial than Rotorua. What I would like to see is a new sports hub/clubrooms that incorporates golf/hockey and cricket with council helping with upgrades to the course, ie fairway watering, upgrades to clubhouse park to incorporate grandstands for hockey and cricket. This proposed new area seems to be an excuse to free up land for housing which will pay for the other areas to be built. What's going to happen to the fields currently used for football? More housing? Or turned into a scrub area?
Mar 05 20 07:40:30 pm	Female	NZ	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club. I also run Squadrn.	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Trial running, running	Trail running and running	Fitness and training activity	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Other (please specify) A locked gate to the stadium.		I'd love to see an all weather track come to Rotorua.
Mar 05 20 08:01:44 pm	Male	NZ	No		I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium	Local sport	Mountain biking	Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity , Access to the stream, The walking tracks	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream	Lack of recreation facilities	An all-weather athletics track	I believe an athletics track would be a great asset to Rotorua, with the potential to hold national events in a superb central north island location
Mar 05 20 08:42:09 pm	Female	New Zealander	No		I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city		Football	Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Car parking, Playgrounds/nature play	Rubbish and litter in the area, Facilities e.g. toilets		
Mar 05 20 09:03:42 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Hockey Cricket Soccer	Fitness and training activity	Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Rubbish and litter in the area, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Lack of recreation facilities	All weather athletic running track with open access	There is currently no all weather athletic track. The only athletic track is the Lake City one which is locked. Would be great to include an all weather athletic track as part of the redevelopment.
Mar 05 20 09:40:17 pm	Female	Caucasian	No		Other (please specify) I live on the Springfield golf course			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify) Peace and quiet and open spaces. Also we have owls and falcon living on the golf course, as well as weta and other endangered species. What will happen to the wildlife when you destroy their habitat	The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify) Keeping it just the way it is!	Other (please specify) Nothing, this area is very safe, and wonderful to use and enjoy. What you are planning will destroy it. People have bought houses and have families in this area for a reason, the open spaces and natural habitat that us rare in the center of a city.		You will destroy a beautiful area of Rotorua with this very unwise proposal. Owls, falcons, pigeons, Tu'i and many other beautiful and rare birds make this space their home. How do you propose to protect a very important trout stream from being damaged and polluted by such a large, invasive development. Are all green spaces of Rotorua to be sacrificed for human development. I thought New Zealand was supposed to be environmentally conscious, obviously not.
Mar 06 20 08:23:25 am	Female	NZ European	No		Other (please specify) My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do. Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify) My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do. Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify) My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do. Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify) It is perfect the way it is. Please leave it alone. You could instead invest your money into our schools and children's future?		Unless you live in the area, you have ZERO idea how devastating this will be for us. My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do. Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.
Mar 06 20 09:23:12 am	Male	No	No		I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			Enjoy having natural green space nearby . A place to exercise the dog, The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, The walking tracks	The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Open green space, Playgrounds/nature play	Car parking and surrounding road network, No clear connections between spaces		The proposed master plan seems to be focusing on sports fields at the expense of having natural spaces / walking tracks. Does the development really need 20 dedicated fields? Surely some areas can be reserved for walking tracks / general nature areas. I also live on Horeka Street, which at the moment is a quiet residential cul-de-sac where many young children (including my own) feel safe to play outside on the sidewalk. This was one of the main features which attracted my family to the area. The proposed master plan appears to intend to extend the cul-de-sac to a large car park (P6). This would absolutely ruin the nature and safety of the street, with significant traffic now using the narrow residential road to gain access to the car parks.
Mar 06 20 09:46:58 am	Male	European	Yes	BOP Rugby	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Rugby	Rugby	The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Facilities e.g. toilets, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, No clear connections between spaces		
Mar 15 20 10:07:15 am	Female	European NZ	Yes	Jogging the power poles. Rotorua group challenge. Puarenga parkrun.	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city	Club night	Lake city athletic club	Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour		I am disheartened the read the proposed change does not include an all weather track/athletic activities space. Rotorua is booming right now with athletics, LCAC has a record number of children attending, active children in our demographic is just what's needed, it also gets parents out and active. The grounds at Neil hunt park are not acceptable and would cost too much to have it up to standard. It would make sense to have ALL sports activities at the new stadium. I think the council have made a huge mistake not thinking this through correctly and I hope it will reconsider its design to be ALL inclusive with the proposed change
Mar 15 20 10:39:47 am	Female		Yes	Papamoa Athletics Club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium		Athletics, rugby	The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Lack of recreation facilities	Rubber athletics track	I'm very surprised that a rubber track is not a consideration as part of this sports facility. Having a proper athletics track would only draw in more events of a regional and international calibre. It would provide a quality facility for the booming Lake City Athletics Club to train at and host other clubs. They are always representing Rotorua in force around NZ at various Athletics NZ events! A very well-respected club within Athletics in NZ.
Mar 15 20 10:24:40 am	Female	Maori	Yes	Lake city, Marist rugby club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)	Athletics	Rugby	Other (please specify) The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Athletics - and the club is growing. The benefits for other codes from the children having been involved in athletics is of great value.	Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Other (please specify) Better facilities for the athletic group.		Add in athletics facilities to the facility
Mar 15 20 10:31:12 am	Male	European	Yes	Lake City Athletics	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium		Athletics field and track events (Ribbon days, interprovincials, etc.) and rugby events	Fitness and training activity , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Lack of recreation facilities, Other (please specify) Field 2 athletics track is always locked close. Tauranga has a Tartan track always open to the public, Rotorua has a grass track which is never open. Even belonging to the athletics club only gives me access for a few hours two days per week with no opportunities to exercise on weekends, school holidays or other hours or days of the week. This is also the only field to practice long and triple jumps in the whole of Rotorua but always locked up so we have to drive to Tauranga to practice on weekends and evenings.	Tartan (rubber) track as all interprovincials are taking place on tartan track and we have to practice on grass. Rotorua can become a competitive sporting force if we had the correct athletic facilities.	We need all day access, 7 days per week, to athletic field and track facilities and equipment of the same standard as other cities as we are expected to compete against them yet we are not allowed all time access to the Rotorua track and field and also have no experience on competing on Tartan tracks.
Mar 15 20 10:50:04 am	Male	Pakeha	Yes	Lake City Athletic club	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city	Running, cycling, walking	Athletics, Harriers	Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Fitness and training activity , Access to the stream, The walking tracks, The Springfield Golf Course	Open green space, Playgrounds/nature play, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Lack of recreation facilities, Facilities e.g. toilets, No clear connections between spaces, Car parking and surrounding road network	Access to Athletic track	Need to keep Athletic Track where it is or find an area close by which will accommodate a synthetic track.
Mar 15 20 10:51:12 am	Male	New Zealander	Yes	Lake City Athletics, Hamilton Hawks Athletics, Athletics Waikato, Ex-Springfield Golf Club member	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Athletics at the club	Lake City Athletic Ribbon days, Chiefs Games, Warriors games	Fitness and training activity , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, A place to exercise the dog, Access to the stream	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Playgrounds/nature play, The natural environment including access to the stream	Lack of recreation facilities, Other (please specify) We need an All Weather Athletics track so we can host National Events, Like NZ Secondary Schools Track and Field and NZ Athletics Champs.	We need an All Weather Athletics track so we can host National Events, Like NZ Secondary Schools Track and Field and NZ Athletics Champs.	
Mar 15 20 12:37:26 pm												FEEDBACK TO ROTORUA LAKES COUNCIL REGARDING THE 'WESTBROOK SPORT AND RECREATION PRECINCT -TAWHANGA ROTORUA' CONCEPT I fully support the preservation of the Springfield Golf Course in its current form and feel very strongly that as the land and mature trees provide a vitally important and irreplaceable habitat for our native birds (Korimako/Belbird, Pukawaka/Fantail, Roriro/Grey Warbler, Kaka, Kotare/Kingfisher, Ruru/Morepork, Karearea/New Zealand Falcon, Kereru/New Zealand wood pigeon, Wax-Eye & Tu), together with many other species of flora and fauna, it is imperative that this well established and balanced ecosystem is left undisturbed for future generations to enjoy. I also fully endorse the renewal of the lease of the land to the Springfield Golf Club who, for more than 60 years, has proven itself to be the diligent and dedicated Kaitiaki/caretaker of the Taonga/treasure that is the land, flora, fauna and waterways of the entire area. I believe the Club's careful management of the course and its ongoing measures to protect the wildlife from predators, together with the Manakitanga/hospitality shown to all users of the course (members, international visitors, neighbours, walkers, runners, swimmers, dog owners etc.) demonstrates its worthiness to continue this important mahi/whak. I also believe it is imperative to safeguard the future of premier 18 hole golf in Rotorua by retaining the Springfield Golf Course and its Club which has nurtured and produced many eminent golfers throughout its long history and continues to attract notable international professional players to its world class facility. Also of note, according to membership records the demand for the recreational activity of golf has increased therefore in accordance with the statement made by Rotorua Lakes Council in the 2016-2018 Spatial Plan the 18 hole Springfield Golf Course must remain. Due to its close proximity to ever increasing, volatile geothermal activity which may one day render it unusable, the only other 18 hole golf course in the city area (Awhikawaka/Rotorua Golf Club) has an uncertain future and it is therefore prudent to preserve the more viable Springfield Golf Course and Club for future generations. The retention of the Springfield Golf Course and Club will also continue to greatly benefit the well being of Rotorua residents by its provision of a thermal sanctuary to all belows, a place to participate in many recreational activities including the rearing of wild mallard ducks. I do not want to see the Springfield Golf Course closed down. You say there are two other premium courses in Rotorua that could be used but one is a fair drive with extra costs and environmental impacts and the hilly nature of the course make it difficult to get around especially for older people. The other course is going to be too overcrowded to be able to get a game especially on the weekends and in my opinion, is not as good a course as the Springfield course. Once the Springfield course has gone, we can never get another golf course to replace it as land is scarce and too expensive. With proper marketing, the Springfield course could become even more of a draw card for overseas visitors and if the expected increase in Rotorua residents happens as predicted (extra 30 000 by 2050) then more courses will be needed. I strongly urge the council to redesign their proposed plan and keep the Springfield course as it is.
Mar 15 20 03:06:32 pm	Male	New Zealander	Yes	Geysersland Guild of Woodworkers	I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city			Access to the stream, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course, A place to exercise the dog, The walking tracks, Fitness and training activity	Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify) Access to Springfield Golf course as I play casual golf	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, No clear connections between spaces		
Mar 15 20 06:12:47 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Lake city athletics	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium	Walking and watching sports. Used to run.	Cricket and athletics	Fitness and training activity , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Car parking, The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Facilities e.g. toilets		Would be nice to know about proposal sooner. Only way I found out was by news paper article on facebook. Dont take the athletics track field area away. My child and many other families children use these. Much needed asset to the Rotorua sports people community. Ask before wasting more rate payer money.

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Mar 05 20 09:03:42 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotonua Trail Running Club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Hockey Cricket Soccer	Fitness and training activity	Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Rubbish and litter in the area, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Lack of recreation facilities	All weather athletic running track with open access	There is currently no all weather athletic track. The only athletic track is the Lake City one which is locked. Would be great to include an all weather athletic track as part of the redevelopment.
Mar 05 20 09:40:17 pm	Female	Caucasian	No		Other (please specify) I live on the Springfield golf course			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify) Peace and quiet and open spaces. Also we have owls and falcon living on the golf course, as well as weta and other endangered species. What will happen to the wildlife when you destroy their habitat	The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify) Keeping it just the way it is!	Other (please specify) Nothing, this area is very safe, and wonderful to use and enjoy. What you are planning will destroy it. People have bought houses and have families in this area for a reason, the open spaces and natural habitat that us rare in the center of a city.		You will destroy a beautiful area of Rotorua with this very unwise proposal. Owls, falcons, pigeons, Tu's and many other beautiful and rare birds make this space their home. How do you propose to protect a very important trout stream from being damaged and polluted by such a large, invasive development. Are all green spaces of Rotorua to be sacrificed for human development. I thought New Zealand was supposed to be environmentally conscious, obviously not.
Mar 06 20 08:23:25 am	Female	NZ European	No		Other (please specify) My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify) My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify) My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify) It is perfect the way it is. Please leave it alone. You could instead invest your money into our schools and children's future?		Unless you live in the area, you have ZERO idea how devastating this will be for us. My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.
Mar 06 20 09:23:12 am	Male	No	No		I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , A place to exercise the dog, The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, The walking tracks	The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Open green space, Playgrounds/nature play	Car parking and surrounding road network, No clear connections between spaces		The proposed master plan seems to be focusing on sports fields at the expense of having natural spaces / walking tracks. Does the development really need 20 dedicated fields? Surely some areas can be reserved for walking tracks / general nature areas. I also live on Horeka Street, which at the moment is a quiet residential cul-de-sac where many young children (including my own) feel safe to play outside on the sidewalk. This was one of the main features which attracted my family to the area. The proposed master plan appears to intend to extend the cul-de-sac to a large car park (P6). This would absolutely ruin the nature and safety of the street, with significant traffic now using the narrow residential road to gain access to the car parks.
Mar 06 20 09:46:58 am	Male	European	Yes	BOP Rugby	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Rugby	Rugby	The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Facilities e.g. toilets, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, No clear connections between spaces		
Mar 15 20 07:00:59 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Springfield Golf Club (non playing member)	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.), I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I use the walking tracks	Dog Obedience, Dog Agility		Fitness and training activity , A place to exercise the dog, The walking tracks, The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Other (please specify) The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Access to the stream, The absolute beauty of Springfield Golf Course and the sense of peace that it gives.	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Open green space, Playgrounds/nature play, The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Other (please specify) Retain the peace, the tranquility, an oasis, such as Central Park in New York, A place to be treasured and retained for future generations.	Other (please specify) I enjoy walking around Springfield Golfcourse, it is a safe space... unlike Kuirau Park, and Sulphur Point.		This proposal is ill thought out, by people who are not local to Rotorua. They have no conception of what Springfield Golf Course is to the locals. Something to be treasured, a taonga. Not to be lost for all time for all people.
Mar 15 20 10:09:57 pm	Female	European	Yes	Golf	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city			The Springfield Golf Course	Other (please specify) Maintain the golf course	Lack of clear signage		Don't change anything we like the golf course We don't support your proposal
Mar 16 20 09:34:03 am	Female	NZ european	Yes	Lakes city athletics, marist st Michael's rugby, st Mary's catholic school netball/ouch/waterpolo/soccer/hockey	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.), I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the walking tracks, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics	Lots - I have 4 children	As above.	Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, The Springfield Golf Course	Car parking, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Playgrounds/nature play	Car parking and surrounding road network, Facilities e.g. toilets, No clear connections between spaces, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour		We use this area as a family for several different things. We live _____ the cricket pitch and we bought our home knowing we would be within walking distance of most sports fields. The proposed plan is amazing and makes everything so much more accessible for us - however, it is extremely disappointing to see there is no athletics track! The only reason our 3 eldest children are even able to join the lakes city athletics club is because it is right there within walking distance. This year the drought has caused the fields to be in a really poor state - it would be so disappointing to find out that we were shifting to a place where that would be the permanent state of the fields. There are several young families who bring their children to athletics who would no longer participate if it was shifted. Really amazed that this has not been included in the new plans.
Mar 16 20 01:00:56 pm	Female	nz pakeha	No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.), I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, Other (please specify) Backing onto the Springfield Golfcourse enables us to use the open green spaces both activity -after-hours impromptu family exercise, & passively -the view we have of the space & the interaction of our communities use of it - plants, animal, birds, people.	Within the Rotorua city limits I participate in the following sports - walking, swimming, tennis, cricket		Access to the stream, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks, Fitness and training activity , The Springfield Golf Course, Other (please specify) I value everything about this space - the light, the air, the sky, the plants, the birds, the people, the weather, the community, my neighbours, the open space, the landforms & landscapes. The unique interaction that exists between this community & this space - our natural environment. This is, to me, -home.	Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Other (please specify) Development of the native reserves - increased plantings that will also encourage native bird life -& other native species - lizards, bats etc	Other (please specify) None of the above.		I bought this property over 20 years ago & continue to live here specifically to use & enjoy the open green space, quiet neighbourhood, a property with limited public access -no road frontage, and the unique interaction that exists between this community & our natural environment. The councils comment about 'highlighting the future useage of the springfield golf course in the 2016 spatial plan' is misleading -a one line comment is not a 'highlight' -very few users & residents -including myself & all my immediate neighbours -were aware of this at the time. There seems to have been a distinct lack of discussion with the 2 key current stakeholders of this plan -Springfield Golf Course & homeowners -prior to the development of what seems a very expensive exercise in producing this proposal. The reason that most of the resident live here in Springfield is because it is a quiet community neighbourhood. This proposal will end that, & consequently force a number of residents from their homes. I would like to have more information/statistics around the perceived need for more playingfields & the appropriateness & logistics of 'centralising' this. Shouldnt we be encouraging & strengthening suburban communities -& inst sports & sports facilities a strong element of that? The Springfield Golf Course provides a green corridor for native birds & plants to move around our city -accessing our country areas to feed into suburban spaces. In a world with increasing invasion of & lack of green space -surely anything still existing within city limits should be seen as taonga for our community & guarded for the future & future generations. I also feel we should be guarding our few 'dark spaces' -areas that leave a wide space of the natural environment dark at night to allow the natural world to 'be' -within the city boundaries. These dark spaces are also becoming rare & a tragic loss. Should the Council be selling off community land for private housing -is that really one of its prime directives?
Mar 16 20 04:43:17 pm	Male	NZ pakeha	Yes	SPRINGFIELD Golf Club	I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)	Golf	Ruby cricket golf	The Springfield Golf Course, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity , Enjoy having natural green space nearby	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Open green space, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Other (please specify) The ongoing debate and uncertainty over the future of the golf course.		I will be addressing specifically the Springfield Golf Club debate in a written submission. Future orientated successful planning builds on and develops successful enterprises rather than dumping a multi million dollar existing golf facility. The age cohort to play on new proposed fields in contact sport does not acknowledge older age groups. Eg like the active older golfers.
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Mar 16 20 07:54:18 pm	Male	New Zealander	Yes	Springfield Golf Club (non playing member)	I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.), Other (please specify) I run every morning around the Springfield Golfcourse with my dog. We enjoy the fresh air, the safety, the whole quiet environment.			The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity , The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks, Access to the stream, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , A place to exercise the dog, Other (please specify) I enjoy and find a sense of peace in the environment, the beautiful trees, the space, the opportunity so close to home to access this most beautiful of spaces in Rotorua.	The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space, Other (please specify) This is beautiful as it is, Please leave it alone.	Other (please specify) Other reserves just do not come up to the standard of Springfield Golf Course. It is a unique reserve and should be preserved as such for all ages to enjoy. This is in a unique, central position in Rotorua, accessible to all.		The development of this area (Springfield Golf Course) would cram 155 houses into a restricted space. The high density of population would be severely confined. The number of cars would further impact on already grid locked streets (Oronga Rd, Nikau St, Springfield Rd, Devon St.) The increase in children at Oronga Primary School would be untalable.

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Mar 16 20 09:30:40 pm	Male	New Zealanders	No		Other (please specify) I don't use the Westbrook reserves. However, the Springfield Golf Club (situated in Springfield) is right on my back door.			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course. Other (please specify) I value the security that comes with having the Springfield Golf Course privately leased by the golf club and I loathe the fact that by opening the area to the general public (in particular a lower socio-economic population) burglaries in the area will increase because it will be easier to scope out bordering properties, and it will bring in the drug users and homeless people that you see parking up in the green spaces of places such as the tree trust and the green carpark area opposite Ray Board Park.	Other (please specify) It is important to me that Springfield Golf Course is retained in its current size and space. As our city grows we will still need this golf course for the increased numbers of golfers. It is also obvious that Springfield Golf Course is a significant attraction for tourists from countries where such spaces are scarce, on this basis I do not believe that the proposed precinct will add value to our tourism. ... As an aside, how will the precinct generate revenue for the council? At least with the Golf Course operating you will have continued revenue from the lease.	Other (please specify) Nothing, because they are fine as they are. The current sporting spaces are hardly used enough as it is to warrant a massive development like this. If the council is concerned with catering for future demand, it would make more sense to get places like the museum (as one example) up and running to generate revenue before asking rate payers to cough up more for vanity projects.		Springfield Golf Club has been in operation in Rotonua since 1947 and in the time it has been open it has given many benefits to the community. This includes, but is not limited to, exposure on the international stage for Rotonua with the success of people such as Danny Lee and a wonderful area where both members and non-members are made welcome and can enjoy the stunning developments the club has completed over the years. In our opinion it would be a huge loss to Rotonua for this unique resource which is steeped in tradition to be removed, in favour of sports courts etc. We feel that the current tenants, the Rotonua Golf Club, have been exemplary in their maintenance of the grounds and their commitment to use this resource to better Rotonua as a whole. It would send a very negative message to the Rotonua community and beyond to reward exemplary tenants by removing their right of lease renewal and essentially bulldozing everything they have done to improve this asset. It is quite obvious that the area is used all day, every day, by members, non-members, domestic and international users and there is never a moment where the course is not being used in some fashion. With this understanding it would therefore be a terrible loss for Rotonua and would cause irreversible damage to our image on the world stage especially given the successes the club members have seen.
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Mar 17 20 12:24:32 pm	Male	Kiwi	Yes	Springfield Golf Club	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Golf		The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity, Enjoy having natural green space nearby, The walking tracks, The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream	The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space	Other (please specify) The redevelopment proposals appall me because they will come at a cost we can't afford and will destroy the Springfield Golf Course, a superb amenity.		I do not want to lose the Springfield Golf Course. It is a major amenity. At \$45 million, we can't afford the proposal.
Mar 17 20 12:48:32 pm	Male	New Zealander	No		Other (please specify) I play golf, I walk, I watch events and this is at the Springfield golf club and Pomare area. It's not Westbrook			The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby	Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream	Other (please specify) Nothing, you need to leave it alone!		It's the most stupid bullshit proposal I've seen, leave the golf course in tact or there will be a huge backlash from the community. You are paid employees at council and on council so remember that. This is Springfield not Westbrook.
Mar 17 20 07:20:04 pm	Male		Yes	Golf club	I participate in organised community sports/sporting events/athletics	Golf		The Springfield Golf Course	Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Other (please specify) Nothing		I struggle to see how you can fund the development when adjoining landowners will see the value of their properties drop significantly and argue for loss. Not only adjoining but some distance back from the golf course. Decisions were made to build there due to the green aspect of the golf course and not some other mixed value residential homes. Golf is a key fitness driver for the other community who can't play young person's sport so golf fits that well. Take that affordable social and physical element away from them and you constrain many to an early grave. Is this the objective?
Mar 17 20 09:03:04 pm	Male	NZ Maori	Yes	Marist et Michaels and eastern Pirates	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Rugby		The Springfield Golf Course	Open green space	Facilities e.g. toilets		The golf course is important to everyone in the community and should stay. I will be very disappointed if the golf course goes away. The grounds are always beautiful and well looked after.

Feedback form

Date of contribution	Survey Response											
	Gender	Ethnicity	Are you a member of any sports clubs or groups?	Which sports clubs or groups are you a member of?	How do you currently use the Westbrook reserves?	Which organised community sports/athletics do you participate in?	Which community sport do you have a supporter/spectator of?	What do you value most about these spaces?	What is important to you about these spaces that you would like enhanced or maintained in the future?	What detracts from your current enjoyment of these reserves?	What recreation facilities are currently lacking?	Any further thoughts or suggestions about the proposal?
Mar 05 20 05:34:34 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotorua MTB Club	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city. Other (please specify) I commute from the end of Petri Place to Devon Street West to Manuka Street, across Old Taupo Road to High Street Reserves-High Street to Margarets Street. The only way to avoid both Hailroy Road and its intersections and Devon Street and its roundabouts.			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course. The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Open green space, Car parking	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Rubbish and litter in the area, Car parking and surrounding road network, Other (please specify) Motor bikes, broken glass, cars parking on yellow lines, broken fences not being fixed quickly after vehicles have crashed into them.		Please allow commuters to get across area without having to follow a scenic twisty cycle/walkway these might be fine for leisure and on weekends. Solo riders and school children need to have open spaces to be visible and to feel secure and safe while using the area to move across.
Mar 05 20 06:31:59 pm	Male	European	Yes	Springfield Golf	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			The Springfield Golf Course	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , The natural environment including access to the stream	No clear connections between spaces		As a member of Springfield golf club and who lives nearby , I can see the benefit of new sports grounds but not at the expense of a golf club that has more members than the other two and also is more financial than Rotorua. What I would like to see is a new sports hub/clubrooms that incorporates golf/hockey and cricket with council helping with upgrades to the course, ie fairway watering, upgrades to clubhouse park to incorporate grandstands for hockey and cricket. This proposed new area seems to be an excuse to rip up land for housing which will pay for the other areas to be built. What's going to happen to the fields currently used for football? More housing? Or turned into a scrub area?
Mar 05 20 07:40:30 pm	Female	NZ	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club. I also run Squadrn.	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Trial running, running	Trail running and running	Fitness and training activity	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Other (please specify) A locked gate to the stadium.		I'd love to see an all weather track come to Rotorua.
Mar 05 20 08:01:44 pm	Male	NZ	No		I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium	Local sport	Mountain biking	Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity , Access to the stream, The walking tracks	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream	Lack of recreation facilities	An all-weather athletics track	I believe an athletics track would be a great asset to Rotorua, with the potential to hold national events in a superb central north island location
Mar 05 20 08:42:09 pm	Female	New Zealander	No		I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city		Football	Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Car parking, Playgrounds/nature play	Rubbish and litter in the area, Facilities e.g. toilets		
Mar 05 20 09:03:42 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Hockey Cricket Soccer	Fitness and training activity	Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Rubbish and litter in the area, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Lack of recreation facilities	All weather athletic running track with open access	There is currently no all weather athletic track. The only athletic track is the Lake City one which is locked. Would be great to include an all weather athletic track as part of the redevelopment.
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Mar 06 20 09:23:12 am	Male		No		I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , A place to exercise the dog, The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, The walking tracks	The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Open green space, Playgrounds/nature play	Car parking and surrounding road network, No clear connections between spaces		The proposed master plan seems to be focusing on sports fields at the expense of having natural spaces / walking tracks. Does the development really need 20 dedicated fields? Surely some areas can be reserved for walking tracks / general nature areas. I also live on Horeka Street, which at the moment is a quiet residential cul-de-sac where many young children (including my own) feel safe to play outside on the sidewalk. This was one of the main features which attracted my family to the area. The proposed master plan appears to intend to extend the cul-de-sac to a large car park (P6). This would absolutely ruin the nature and safety of the street, with significant traffic now using the narrow residential road to gain access to the car parks.
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Mar 18 20 10:02:39 am	Female	NZ	No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city			A place to exercise the dog, Access to the stream, The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course	Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream	Lack of clear signage		Completely disagree with residential development, this whole area should be kept in green space. This will de-value the area and make it a thoroughfare for traffic and plenty of congestion when events are held. We bought this property to live in a quiet cul-de-sac and have green space around us. We love and use the Springfield golf course and see many people enjoying this space for golf, walking dogs and jogging. I am not happy for any residential development and believed this space was gifted by will and to be kept in green space. Currently the existing venues are empty most of the time so really don't understand rationale behind this proposal. Wouldn't sports fields and structures be better closer to town where there is access to accommodation and parking facilities or either on your way into or out of town?
Mar 18 20 11:28:25 am	Female		No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the walking tracks			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Other (please specify) Re: THE SPRINGFIELD GOLF COURSE I believe PARKS - tracts of tree areas undesignated to any one particular activity are a vital part of inner town / city planning / living. The Springfield Golf Course, if not retained as a golf course should be preserved and developed for ALL Rotorua residents as a PARK. Open spaces are a treasure trove. Please consider developing an undeveloped/ BARE piece of land and making THAT beautiful too and ADDING to the natural beauty of the Springfield Golf Course as a stunning world renowned PARK by carefully planning a stunning, interesting, educational park.	Other (please specify) Nothing detracts from my current enjoyment of the Rotorua Springfield Golf Course other than availability... I'm not a golfer. If it was developed into a Park it would be made available to all. A Park is a peaceful place - no roaring crowds, no hectic activity, nothing unpredictable or frightening, green and unaltered - so important in the middle of civilisation.		The Stadium, neighbouring sports field and Smallbone Park are enough in this fully residential area. Is it really necessary to establish a benchmark of a sport facility in such a residential area? The noise from the Stadium is a negative living reality for neighbouring residents as it is not mentioned in the parking that lines the streets of these homes when there is a game on. By adding many, many more sports fields this will probably become unbearable and change the nature and lives of this area of Rotorua.	
Mar 18 20 12:04:57 pm	Male	New Zealander	No		I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Golf		The Springfield Golf Course, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour		
Mar 18 20 01:52:17 pm	Female	NZ Maori	Yes	Hinemoa Badminton Club	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the walking tracks			The walking tracks	Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Car parking, The natural environment including access to the stream	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, No clear connections between spaces, Car parking and surrounding road network, Facilities e.g. toilets		I see a lot of comments about the Springfield Golf course. I've never been on it and would love to see everyone have the opportunity to use it not just those who can afford the green fees or live on its edges. Please develop it for all Rotorua residents to be able to use it. I like the idea of connecting the different spaces.
Mar 18 20 07:32:06 pm	Male	New Zealander European.	No		I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , Other (please specify) Retired Turf Manager in charge of the Stadium and Smallbone Park Cricket Oval and Boort Park of twenty years. Qualifications: National Diploma in Sports Turf Management Level 6 (NZQA) Diploma in Horticulture in Turf Management (Massey)	Volunteer for 20 years plus Special Olympics Rotorua.		The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Access to the stream, The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks, A place to exercise the dog, Fitness and training activity	Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Car parking, The natural environment including access to the stream	Other (please specify) No comment		Having worked as a Greenkeeper on the Rotorua Golf Course and Lakeview Golf Course, is Rotorua sustainable financially to attract new members to Springfield Golf Club, Is Rotorua Golf Club and Lakeview Golf Club enough to cope for the demand of playing financially members. I would encourage the council to include an all weather athletic track on Stadium Number 2 to attract first class athletic meetings. My time as Turf Manager from _____ I built the best grass athletic track.
Mar 19 20 09:04:49 am	Female	English	No		I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , A place to exercise the dog, Fitness and training activity	The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space	Rubbish and litter in the area		Can you provide a better map? Its unclear with the downloaded pan how it fits onto what's existing. With the death of the inner city I would think there are many other places to put housing that is already built up rather than destroying a beautiful place for nature. Another way to waste shed loads of money.
Mar 19 20 05:18:49 pm	Male		No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the walking tracks	as above		The Springfield Golf Course, A place to exercise the dog, Access to the stream, Fitness and training activity , Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks	Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream	Rubbish and litter in the area		the proposed development of springfield golf course, into residential housing, is contrary to the terms that the land was entrusted to RDC, unless RDC has purchased the land from the trust that owns the land, and has clear title. The land was entrusted to RDC for community sporting purposes only, and not residential development. the redevelopment of the sports facilities is most welcome, but RDC will need to show it has the legal right to go forward with any residential development.
Mar 19 20 10:25:20 pm	Male	Pakeha	No		I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			Access to the stream, Fitness and training activity , Enjoy having natural green space nearby	Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream, Playgrounds/nature play, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Lack of recreation facilities	Informal/casual exercise (playgrounds) are great for kids, but what about teenagers and elderly?	Developing the area is a great idea, I've grown up in Springfield and only recently moved away. Of course there need to be fields/facilities for sports games, but there should also be facilities for anyone to use at any time casually, like outdoor exercise equipment for the elderly. Re-connecting with Uthiria stream to promote ecology and connection (cyclways etc.) to the city is critical. I understand the history of the Springfield Golf Club, but so much land for such few people in such a location is not appropriate in this age (Maybe the club itself could remain, but become something else). All development should be net-zero no impact on stormwater, wastewater infrastructure etc.
Mar 20 20 12:44:24 pm	Female	pakeha	Yes	Lake city, RGC, Springfield Golf course	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	netball,	netball, rugby, touch rugby, ripper rugby	Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course. The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity	Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Other (please specify) Playgrounds/nature play, The springfield Golf course needs to stay! We have lived here for 30 years! We look out onto the beautiful golf course. I do not want to be surrounded by high density houses!	Other (please specify) nothing! Just the thought of what you are proposing		We have lived here for 30 years +. We utilize this golf course daily. This is our home, my husband has extended our house and improved the value of it over 30 years, with your proposal, not only will we lose our golf course but also thousands of dollars. We look over beautiful trees and land and you now want us to be surrounded by high density housing ??? Since when was golf not a sport???? Leave the fields as they are, upgrade them, upgrade the stadium, fix up the other fields. This is marketed as a sports hub but I have no doubt that it is all about the high density housing that will bring in more rate money!!! Shame on you!!! Whatever other area you are proposing for the Springfield golf course to move to... well move your sports hub there and leave the golf course! I will oppose this every step of the way.
Mar 20 20 01:02:44 pm	Female	Kiwi, Maori	No		I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the walking tracks, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium	Lake City	Lake City	The Springfield Golf Course, A place to exercise the dog, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity	Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities	Other (please specify) I already enjoy these facilities as is.		I am against the idea to get rid of the Springfield golf course, it has been a very well-used course for years and the council have NOT consulted users of this course (once again, the council say they have but have not). Also, not consulting Lake City users (and again consulted) and proposing that athletic activities be moved to Neil Hunt park is not practical at all for the site and it excludes a major sport within our community. A rubber track would make an enormous positive difference to the community. In short, do not change the golf course, and include Lake City and athletics in the proposal, especially a rubber track.

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Mar 05 20 05:34:34 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotorua MTB Club	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city. Other (please specify),I commute/ride from the end of Petri Place to Devon Street West to Manuka Street, across Old Taupo Road to High Street Reserves-High Street to Marguerite Street. The only way to avoid both Hailroy Road and its intersections and Devon Street and its roundabouts.			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course. The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Open green space, Car parking	Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Rubbish and litter in the area, Car parking and surrounding road network, Other (please specify),Motor bikes, broken glass, cars parking on yellow lines, broken fences not being fixed quickly after vehicles have crashed into them.		Please allow commuters to get across area without having to follow a scenic twisty cycle/walkway these might be fine for leisure and on weekends. Solo riders and school children need to have open spaces to be visible and to feel secure and safe while using the area to move across.
Mar 05 20 06:31:59 pm	Male	European	Yes	Springfield Golf	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			The Springfield Golf Course	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , The natural environment including access to the stream	No clear connections between spaces		As a member of Springfield golf club and who lives nearby , I can see the benefit of new sports grounds but not at the expense of a golf club that has more members than the other two and also is more financial than Rotorua. What I would like to see is a new sports hub/clubrooms that incorporates golf/hockey and cricket with council helping with upgrades to the course, ie fairway watering, upgrades to clubhouse park to incorporate grandstands for hockey and cricket. This proposed new area seems to be an excuse to free up land for housing which will pay for the other areas to be built. What's going to happen to the fields currently used for football? More housing? Or turned into a scrub area?
Mar 05 20 07:40:30 pm	Female	NZ	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club. I also run Squadrn.	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Trial running, running	Trail running and running	Fitness and training activity	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Other (please specify),A locked gate to the stadium.		I'd love to see an all weather track come to Rotorua.
Mar 05 20 08:01:44 pm	Male	NZ	No		I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the walking tracks , I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium	Local sport	Mountain biking	Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Fitness and training activity , Access to the stream , The walking tracks	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream	Lack of recreation facilities	An all-weather athletics track	I believe an athletics track would be a great asset to rotorua, with the potential to hold national events in a superb central north island location
Mar 05 20 08:42:09 pm	Female	New Zealander	No		I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city		Football	Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Car parking, Playgrounds/nature play	Rubbish and litter in the area, Facilities e.g. toilets		
Mar 05 20 09:03:42 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Hockey Cricket Soccer	Fitness and training activity	Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Rubbish and litter in the area, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Lack of recreation facilities	All weather athletic running track with open access	There is currently no all weather athletic track. The only athletic track is the Lake City one which is locked. Would be great to include an all weather athletic track as part of the redevelopment.
Mar 05 20 09:40:17 pm	Female	Caucasian	No		Other (please specify),I live on the Springfield golf course			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify),Peace and quiet open spaces. Also we have owls and falcon living on the golf course, as well as weas and other endangered species. What will happen to the wildlife when you destroy their habitat	The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify),Keeping it just the way it is!	Other (please specify),Nothing, this area is very safe, and wonderful to use and enjoy. What you are planning will destroy it. People have bought houses and have families in this area for a reason, the open spaces and natural habitat that us rare in the center of a city.		You will destroy a beautiful area of Rotorua with this very unwise proposal. Owls, falcons, pigeons, Tu'i and many other beautiful and rare birds make this space their home. How do you propose to protect a very important trout stream from being damaged and polluted by such a large, invasive development. Are all green spaces of Rotorua to be sacrificed for human development. I thought New Zealand was supposed to be environmentally conscious, obviously not.
Mar 06 20 08:23:25 am	Female	NZ European	No		Other (please specify),My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify),My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify),My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify),It is perfect the way it is. Please leave it alone. You could instead invest your money into our schools and children's future?		Unless you live in the area, you have ZERO idea how devastating this will be for us. My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.
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Mar 22 20 07:01:58 am	Female	Nzer	No		I use the walking tracks			The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby	The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space	Other (please specify),Nothing detracts		I dont agree with it, We do not need this
Mar 22 20 07:39:29 am	Male	NZ European	Yes	4wd clubs	I use the walking tracks			The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Access to the stream, A place to exercise the dog	The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space	Other (please specify),Nothing. Leave it as it is.		Waste of money. Leave it all alone.
Mar 22 20 11:24:05 am	Male	European	No		I use the walking tracks, I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			Access to the stream, The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course	Playgrounds/nature play, The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering	Facilities e.g. toilets		
Mar 22 20 03:21:14 pm	Male	er	Yes	springfield golf	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , Other (please specify),golf		golf	The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby	Other (please specify),golf	Rubbish and litter in the area		dont destroy a golf course that has taken 70 years to make , that provides exercise and friendships for hundreds of over 30 year old , that brings tourists into Rotorua , that runs the darney lee tournament for top young players in NZ
Mar 24 20 08:08:27 am	Male	Maoi	Yes	RATS	I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)	Triathlon		Fitness and training activity , A place to exercise the dog, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Access to the stream	Open green space, Playgrounds/nature play	Facilities e.g. toilets		As a long time resident and rate payer of a house adjoining the golf course I am very disappointed in the lack of consultation with the people most affected by this proposal. I may be able to understand the need for an upgrade in Rotorua's sports fields and if done right maybe I could see them in proposed site , but do feel there is far better options available, the race course being chief among them ,being a far better central location and far less residents affected also getting an agreement from tribal owners is far more likely than from then any of the residents I've spoken with. And as for your housing development I find it particularly abhorrent , it has nothing to do with new sports fields and does just smack of money making from the council at mine and my neighbors expense as it will wipe tens of thousands dollars from my property value Council saw fit to charge a premium for that extra value for the last twenty years so I will be expecting compensation if this ridiculous plan goes ahead
Mar 31 20 10:50:01 am	Female	European New Zealander	Yes	Darts, 8 Ball.	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the walking tracks			A place to exercise the dog, The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks, Other (please specify),The beautiful trees.	Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify),Natural areas that children and adults can be mindful,relax, enjoy nature in, We live in a stressful society and we need these areas to recharge in.	Other (please specify),Nothing detracts" me from this area, that is why it would be a tragedy to lose the present golf course. Why change what works?		Dear Steve Chadwick and Councillors, It is with a heavy heart that I hear you may make the decision to destroy a beautiful and well-used golf course that is adored by many local residents and would cost millions to rebuild. I am a proud Springfield resident with a home backing on to the golf course. I believe that returned service men did a lot of voluntary work to help establish it. They would turn in their graves seeing it carved up for sports fields and housing that could be established somewhere else. I have the following questions: 1.What other options have been considered for the location of the sports fields and why is this location considered the best option for all involved? 2.Why do all these sports grounds have to be together in one place? What are the advantages for the "local" people to have these sports grounds spread around? 3.Are there intentions to preserve the beautiful 70-year-old trees? 4.Has there been more than one independent study that proves there is a need for more sports fields? 5.Has there been a study of the present sports fields and what percentage of time are these in use? 6.It appears as though we already have a lot of community and school sports fields. I'm sure these local schools and communities would benefit from council upgrading what they already have and use their existing carparks. Have you asked the school boards and principals if they would be happy to have upgraded fields and carparks? 7.Would centralising the sporting facilities from across Rotorua to one location cause any issues from a transport perspective? Has this been considered, and if so, how will it be dealt with? 8.Golf is a sport that many elderly people enjoy. It is an investment in their physical and mental health and wellbeing. Have the elderly been considered or consulted? What other options will they have in this area if the golf course is removed? 9.I understand the consultation process is currently under way, but I would like to know how other groups in the community are feeling about the project and what their views are on it (e.g. Springfield Golf Course, RSA, DOC, Forest and Bird, home owners on or around the boundary and Grey Power). When will there be a public meeting and how do you intend to inform everyone? 10.How were the community informed about this proposal in 2016 as I certainly have no recollection of letter sent like we were sent in March 2020.
												11. If this project has a negative financial impact on the property owners who back on to this golf course, is the council going to compensate them financially? 12. Will surrounding home owners be consulted with regards to the detailed landscape plan? 13. We are always being asked to be "individually" responsible to environmental and sustainable issues as caretakers on this earth. I ask the "council" why not simply regulate the land they have problems with. Although I am very opposed to the project, if this project was to go ahead, I would want the development to be as attractive and safe as possible. I would expect to see considerable effort put into the landscape design to ensure that the facilities integrate well with the landscape and minimise any negative effects on existing residents (e.g. amenity, views, noise, light pollution, privacy and safety). I believe it is important to surrounding residents and park users that they are able to enjoy this attractive environment/open green space. Maintaining an outlook over the park/any proposed walkways from adjoining residences (creating natural surveillance) will provide a safer environment for all. Careful consideration must be given to ensure there is a positive outlook for residences to encourage this, such as providing amenity landscaping and perhaps providing or subsidising low or permeable fencing around the boundary of the park. I would like to emphasise that it is important to me to be involved with the design stages of any development. Issues such as lighting, access routes/paths and landscape design will have a direct impact on my home and all other adjoining properties. In closing, I wish to remind you of a significant historical land change that was not well managed and resulted in negative impacts for Rotorua residents. This was the case of land being taken from the Iwi to build Rotorua Airport in the 1960s without careful consideration of how this would impact the residents. The Iwi offered the council other land to build the airport, but the council did not fully consider these other options. This affected many people and their homes. Although this proposal for the golf course is not as extreme, the same principles apply as it could still have a negative impact on surrounding residents. I do hope this proposal is carefully considered and I would like the opportunity to meet with you to discuss it further.

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Apr 01 20 07:05:37 pm	Female		No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.), I use the walking tracks			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks, The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream	Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream	Other (please specify) I already enjoy using the current area. I notice that with Covid19 lockdown the area is being well frequented. It is being used like a park, with folk enjoying having the opportunity to enjoy nature and the wide open spaces.		I do not support the current plan to create a Sports Hub 1. I see no merit in locating all sporting codes in Rotorua into one location. We already have parking problems around the current fields during sports fixtures. Bringing all that together in one location would create considerable traffic and parking problems. Planned parking looks inadequate. Parents would have problems dropping off children/watching selected games/and would be concerned for their children due to the wide age range and high number of the users in the venue at anyone time. Its a safety issue. 2. The location is a residential area. I am aware of a similar concept (much smaller) in Tauranga being Blake Park which is in an industrial area. This location makes sense as a Sports Hub would have high attendance especially during the weekend and the associated noise and traffic would have a significant effect on a residential population. 3. I understand current sports grounds are deemed inadequate. There are other options on the fringe of town in all directions - ie Waipa, Kawaha Point or beyond the airport. 4. The Springfield Golf Course offers a one-off opportunity to create something special. Think of places like Cornwall Park in Auckland. It is a space where people from all walks of life can enjoy the outdoors for what they are. Greenspace does not need to be actively driven. The trees are decades old and would form the backbone for a superb park development. 5. Rotorua does not have a housing problem and does not lack land development opportunities. We dont need high density housing. Obviously this has been incorporated into the plan to generate funds for the concept.
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Apr 13 20 02:37:09 pm	Male	NZ European	Yes	Climbing club, squash club	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.), I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium			Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The Springfield Golf Course, The walking tracks, Access to the stream, Other (please specify) The trees	The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space, Playgrounds/nature play, Other (please specify) Why was skateboarding not included in the formal plans?	Rubbish and litter in the area		
Apr 13 20 02:48:35 pm	Male	NZ European - Maori	No		I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, Other (please specify) Ex Goller	Golf and Rugby		Access to the stream, The walking tracks, The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby	Open green space, The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify) Golf Club	Rubbish and litter in the area, Facilities e.g. toilets		Yes, Do not take Springfield Golf Course away. We already have Soccer fields and Rugby Fields in other places. ROTORUA Race course was used for rugby and if ROTORUA want Soccer Fields, locate them to the race course not Springfield Golf Course. The proposed idea is stupid and building houses on a swamp area. I know as I play Golf from 10 years old at Springfield and it a swamp in the housing area ????
Apr 13 20 02:50:30 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Springfield Golf Club, Rotorua Terpin Bowling Assn Inc	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium			The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby	The natural environment including access to the stream	Rubbish and litter in the area, Facilities e.g. toilets		
Apr 13 20 03:10:24 pm	Male	Maori/Scottish	Yes	Springfield golf club	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.), I use the walking tracks, Other (please specify) I play golf at least twice a week, great club for catching up with friends and networking with builders and other trade professionals.	Springfield golf club champs , pendants and organised tournaments like master and danny lee.		The Springfield Golf Course, Fitness and training activity, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks	Other (please specify) There seems to be more than enough amenities available at the moment for all sports that are happening in our area, more houses etc will only cause traffic congestion, which honestly is starting to grow already with out the development.	Other (please specify) Nothing, as there is plenty of what you have listed above.		The proposal is a very negative move and it will result in thousands of local residents being very angry and disappointed about taking a golf course that has been a wonderful feature and reason why local residents are living in this area. It has been a God send while the lockdown happened as it was another place to walk and exercise.
Apr 13 20 06:18:51 pm	Female	This has no bearing on my feedback	Yes	My family are involved and have been involved in athletics and hockey	I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)	Hockey and athletics		Fitness and training activity , Access to the stream, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, The Springfield Golf Course, A place to exercise the dog, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , The walking tracks	Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, The natural environment including access to the stream, Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Open green space	Facilities e.g. toilets		Please do not destroy this beautiful green area, it is appreciated by all that live near. I am horrified that it is believed that the changes this council are pronouncing are for the better. Do not make these changes.
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Feedback form

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In particular, Council has shown high-quality strategic thinking with its attention to provision of high-quality spaces for local people to use for sport and recreation, its determination to get ahead of capacity and quality issues at other sports fields in the city, and its willingness to invest in facilities that allow the city to host sport and recreation events. These will become increasingly important for the local economy in a post-pandemic environment where international tourism is greatly diminished. The inclusion of a multi-sport hub, an active recreation area and walking/cycling paths, and sufficient parking should give this precinct a lively and safe feeling, especially at evenings and weekends when community use will be at its highest. It would be a facility Rotorua can be proud of and use regularly. However, a couple of comments are included here as constructive suggestions to improve the amenity of the final precinct and provide a greater, long-term return on the investment provided by Council and other funders: 1) Firstly, it seems a missed opportunity to not include an all-weather athletics facility as a part of this proposal. Lake City Athletic Club has, I believe, done some excellent work in recruiting children and young people to their sport in recent years, and are now the second-largest club in the Waikato BOP region. Pathways for younger athletes to stay in the sport (identified as a priority by both Sport NZ and Council) are limited by lack of access to a track in a relatively large centre with a functioning local club. Access to a track like this enables the hosting of lucrative events including regional, North Island and national championships for children, age groups, masters, and secondary school athletes. A track will also greatly increase the utilisation efficiency of field facilities in the summer months. Should the RIS Field 2 not be suitable for this facility, then discussions should be held immediately (in conjunction with this project) with the athletics club regarding plans for building a track at another facility, such as Neil Hunt Park. It seems likely that the extensive work required to provide a track an alternate location would prove more costly and less practical than including one in the Westbrook precinct proposal. 2) Has there been consideration to developing the Smallbone Park cricket oval (labelled O1 in the masterplan) to a standard where Rotorua can host one-off international matches? Installing lights, more terrace seating on the embankment, appropriate fencing of the field itself, and space for additional toilets and food vendors could result in White Ferns or even 3) Rotorua could also benefit from hosting hockey events under this proposal. Secondary school and age-group representative tournaments, in particular, are more likely to be played in Rotorua should this proposal go ahead. There is also the potential for hosting the top-level school or national tournaments, or one-off international matches. However, this would require the provision of a small grandstand overlooking at least one of the turfs. This does not need to be large (a capacity of 100-200 is sufficient), and could be located overlooking the turf labelled H1 in the masterplan concept, at the cost of perhaps a dozen carparks. Alternatively, a small stand could be constructed between the two turfs. For a very small additional cost, this will significantly improve the prospect of hosting economically- and socially-beneficial hockey tournaments in Rotorua as Hockey NZ has shown willingness to move the hosting of these around if the facilities are right. 4) The multi-sport facility located between the hockey turfs and playing fields is an excellent concept. This facility should be sure to include sufficient changing rooms and space for referees/umpires, as well as a quality bar and food service. Council and/or the relevant sports clubs could ensure greater utilisation of the space and generate revenue if the space is suitable for meetings or event hire, for example. This will also help Rotorua secure the hosting of hockey, rugby, football or league tournaments. 5) I also note that in the Masterplan concept document, there are two buildings (labelled B13 Hockey Club and B15 Cricket Club in the legend) which do not appear on the map. One can assume that these are currently intended to be part of B2 Multi-sport Hub. If this is the case, the document should be updated to include this, to help the community and the relevant clubs with their feedback submissions.
Apr 19 20 05:41:23 pm	Female	NZ European/Maori	No		I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics	Ni	Football, Hockey, Touch, Rugby, Golf, Rotorua Marathon	Fitness and training activity , Access to the stream, Enjoy having natural green space nearby . The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, The walking tracks, The Springfield Golf Course	Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Rubbish and litter in the area		If the Springfield Golf Course is not going to continue as a golf course, it would be nice to have it turned into a community reserve/park with walking/biking/scooter pathways, bbq facilities/ovens, swimming/fishing areas, planting of native trees, dog walking. Since the Covid 19 lock down, I have witnessed many families utilising the golf course as a playground, dog walking, biking and generally enjoying the wide open space. All ages have had the freedom to enjoy this beautiful unique space.
Apr 24 20 09:48:11 am	Male	Maori	No		I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			The walking tracks, Enjoy having natural green space nearby . The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Access to the stream, Fitness and training activity	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , The natural environment including access to the stream, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Playgrounds/nature play	Car parking and surrounding road network, Lack of clear signage , Facilities e.g. toilets		Highly supportive. Please do not allow the few to end this idea at the expense of the wider public. Housing is not dense enough, changing this area from wide open spaces, to a mixture of housing and public spaces in an area close to town, schools and amenities is a rare opportunity that will never be repeated in Rotorua. I grew up next to the 15th hole on Springfield Golf Course, was a member for many years, and have many fond memories there. However, making this publicly owned space available only to a select few is wrong. Not issuing a new lease to the Golf Club is in Rotorua's best interest. This will allow more people to enjoy the space, families to be able to buy homes and allow Rotorua to flourish. The design must maintain the essence of how it is now, with trees, access to the Uthina Stream, and much more dense housing to ensure maximum return on the public investment and to allow more people to buy a house to call home.
May 07 20 08:57:12 pm	Male	Kiwi	No		I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) , I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Kids thing mainly (changes periodically)		The walking tracks, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby . A place to exercise the dog, Access to the stream, Fitness and training activity	Open green space, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Playgrounds/nature play, Car parking, Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, The natural environment including access to the stream	Rubbish and litter in the area, Lack of clear signage , Facilities e.g. toilets, Car parking and surrounding road network		Kia Ora Council :) So I more have some questions regarding all the land in and around the international stadium leading up to the golf course. I feel that a lot of that area is under utilised. So I'm wondering what's happening with the golf course (except for housing which there is plenty of land elsewhere for housing unless more infrastructure is included) that is not able to happen in the large fields leading from the international stadium. I feel like the international stadium is under utilised as well. What is planned looks nice etc, and one thing I appreciate when I've travelled is that cities have large green spaces available like parks etc (New York , Central Park as an example) having some large green spaces being golf courses or public facilities is good. Just don't understand why the land at the golf course is up in this before all the land in around between there and the international stadium as I don't think any of it is well utilised especially year round. Thanks for letting me have an opinion

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Mar 05 20 06:31:59 pm	Male	European	Yes	Springfield Golf	I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)			The Springfield Golf Course	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , The natural environment including access to the stream	No clear connections between spaces		As a member of Springfield golf club and who lives nearby, I can see the benefit of new sports grounds but not at the expense of a golf club that has more members than the other two and also is more financial than Rotorua. What I would like to see is a new sports hub/clubrooms that incorporates golf/hockey and cricket with council helping with upgrades to the course, ie fairway watering, upgrades to clubhouse park to incorporate grandstands for hockey and cricket. This proposed new area seems to be an excuse to free up land for housing which will pay for the other areas to be built. What's going to happen to the fields currently used for football? More housing? Or turned into a scrub area?
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Mar 05 20 08:42:09 pm	Female	New Zealander	No		I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city		Football	Fitness and training activity , The walking tracks, The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training, Car parking, Playgrounds/nature play	Rubbish and litter in the area, Facilities e.g. toilets		
Mar 05 20 09:03:42 pm	Female	New Zealander	Yes	Rotorua Trail Running Club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics		Hockey Cricket Soccer	Fitness and training activity	Open green space, Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Playgrounds/nature play, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering. Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Rubbish and litter in the area, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, Lack of recreation facilities	All weather athletic running track with open access	There is currently no all weather athletic track. The only athletic track is the Lake City one which is locked. Would be great to include an all weather athletic track as part of the redevelopment.
Mar 05 20 09:40:17 pm	Female	Caucasian	No		Other (please specify),I live on the Springfield golf course			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify),Peace and quiet and open spaces. Also we have owls and falcon living on the golf course, as well as weta and other endangered species. What will happen to the wildlife when you destroy their habitat	The natural environment including access to the stream, Other (please specify),Keeping it just the way it is!	Other (please specify),Nothing, this area is very safe, and wonderful to use and enjoy. What you are planning will destroy it. People have bought houses and have families in this area for a reason, the open spaces and natural habitat that us rare in the center of a city.		You will destroy a beautiful area of Rotorua with this very unwise proposal. Owls, falcons, pigeons, Tu'i's and many other beautiful and rare birds make this space their home. How do you propose to protect a very important trout stream from being damaged and polluted by such a large, invasive development. Are all green spaces of Rotorua to be sacrificed for human development. I thought New Zealand was supposed to be environmentally conscious, obviously not.
Mar 06 20 08:23:25 am	Female	NZ European	No		Other (please specify),My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.			The Springfield Golf Course, Access to the stream, Other (please specify),My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify),My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.	Other (please specify),It is perfect the way it is. Please leave it alone. You could instead invest your money into our schools and children's future?		Unless you live in the area, you have ZERO idea how devastating this will be for us. My _____ works at the Springfield Golf Club. My _____ has played golf there for years! They live on the outskirts of the course and their backyard backs down onto it. They are becoming elderly, and it's the only thing that they can do... Please dont take this away from them, and others in their position. There's more to it but I don't feel the need to go into personal details I don't expect sympathy, I would just love for my parents to continue enjoying some stability in their lives.
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Mar 06 20 09:46:58 am	Male	European	Yes	BOP Rugby	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Rugby	Rugby	The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Facilities e.g. toilets, Perception of safety or anti-social behaviour, No clear connections between spaces		
May 08 20 12:21:53 am	Male	New Zealander	Yes	Central Cricket Club, Rotorua Cricket Association, Aces Hockey Club	I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the walking tracks, I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I am a supporter/spectator of community sport	Cricket and Hockey	Cricket, Hockey, Rugby, and Football	Fitness and training activity , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities	Opportunities to participate in sport and recreation activities , Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering. Facilities and amenities that support fitness and training	Facilities e.g. toilets, Lack of recreation facilities, No clear connections between spaces	Open toilets at Boord Park.	
May 08 20 11:38:37 pm	Female	New Zealander (Maori, Pacifica, Samoan)	Yes	Hockey clubs and School groups	I attend large organised events (i.e. Chiefs rugby games, concerts) at the stadium, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport , I use the walking tracks, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city	Hockey, golf, netball, touch rugby	All when possible	The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Access to the stream, The walking tracks, Other (please specify),The kids playground when it was useable, could have another at ray boord park, Ciel a space where kids can have a swim in the stream in summer when out for a walk.	Car parking, The natural environment including access to the stream, Playgrounds/nature play, Open green space, Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering	Car parking and surrounding road network		Please do not increase residential area amongst this reserve. Try and retain the green spaces we have without crowding areas for housing. Try and keep our surroundings hills green without extensive developments. That's why we love Rotorua. We still have large green spaces in the city and not needing to drive out of town for them. Along with green scenery on the hills not outdone by suburbia.
May 13 20 08:11:37 pm	Male	NZE	Yes	Rotorua Aero Club	I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.) I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, Other (please specify),I play golf as a casual player	Walks, Aero club		The Springfield Golf Course, Fitness and training activity , Enjoy having natural green space nearby , Access to the stream, Other (please specify),The natural environment.	The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space	Other (please specify),Nothing, the Golf Course is beautiful as it is.		While I understand the Council's wish to create more hockey, soccer and rugby fields, to do so at the expense of the established park like grounds of the Springfield golf course is short sighted and inappropriate. It would be more cost effective to raise the existing fields beside Te Ngare Road to prevent flooding. The council should see the future potential of golf as a high value tourism draw-card and work with, not against, the Springfield Golf Club. If this must go ahead, a buffer zone should be established around the perimeter, perhaps 20 metres wide, and planted with trees and have a perimeter pathway, and the new fields should be aligned to lie between the existing mature tree belts. These trees are too precious to remove. Thank you for considering this submission.
May 15 20 07:03:07 am	Female	New Zealand European	Yes	Pilates Focus	I use the walking tracks, I am a supporter/spectator of community sport, I participate in organised community sport/sporting events/athletics , I use the shared paths to get around the neighborhood or commute into the city, I use the reserves for passive/active recreation (walking, kicking a ball, fishing, etc.)	Running half marathons	Hockey , soccer, golf	Fitness and training activity , The opportunity to participate in sport and recreation activities, The Springfield Golf Course, Enjoy having natural green space nearby . A place to exercise the dog, The walking tracks	Formal pathways for running/walking/biking/scootering. The natural environment including access to the stream, Open green space	Other (please specify),Nothing there are great facilities currently		Losing Springfield golf course to parking , more fields and high density housing is shortsighted. There are many fields already and utilising the current stadium for recreational sports would seem more appropriate than losing a golf course that is well utilised and provides a large open space that many people use for walking after hours and before golf starts. The loss of well established trees and the facility itself will be detrimental to the overall development of the area.

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