Green Lake Elementary Playground

Recently, 130 Green Lake community members responded to a survey about the Green Lake Elementary playground. Here are some highlights.

**COMMON CONCERNS FROM THE COMMUNITY**

The most common dislikes are:
- The black top
- The lack of shade & rain cover
- The limited & outdated play structures

The community is also dissatisfied with:
- Poor use of space
- Lack of seating
- Lack of toddler play

In addition to new features, the community wants to improve the overall safety, accessibility and cleanliness of the space.

**COMMON IDEAS FROM THE COMMUNITY**

- “A combo of turf & asphalt to accommodate a variety of play,” including space for basketball, riding bikes, walk-a-thon and tree sale.
- “Large covered outdoor spaces so kids can still get fresh air and play even in rainy weather,” and “covered seating.”
- “Make better use of the multi tiered space,” and “Turn the bare hillside into an epic slide and climbing hill.”
- Features “for kids to create their own games and creations.”
- “New [equipment] soccer goals and basketball hoops.”
- “More seating,” and “Buddy benches.”
- “Accessibility, sensory experiences - touch, hear, smell…”
- “Creatively designed climbing structures.”
- “More features for younger toddlers.”
- Continued support for gardens and natural area
- Continued support for enclosed space and safety