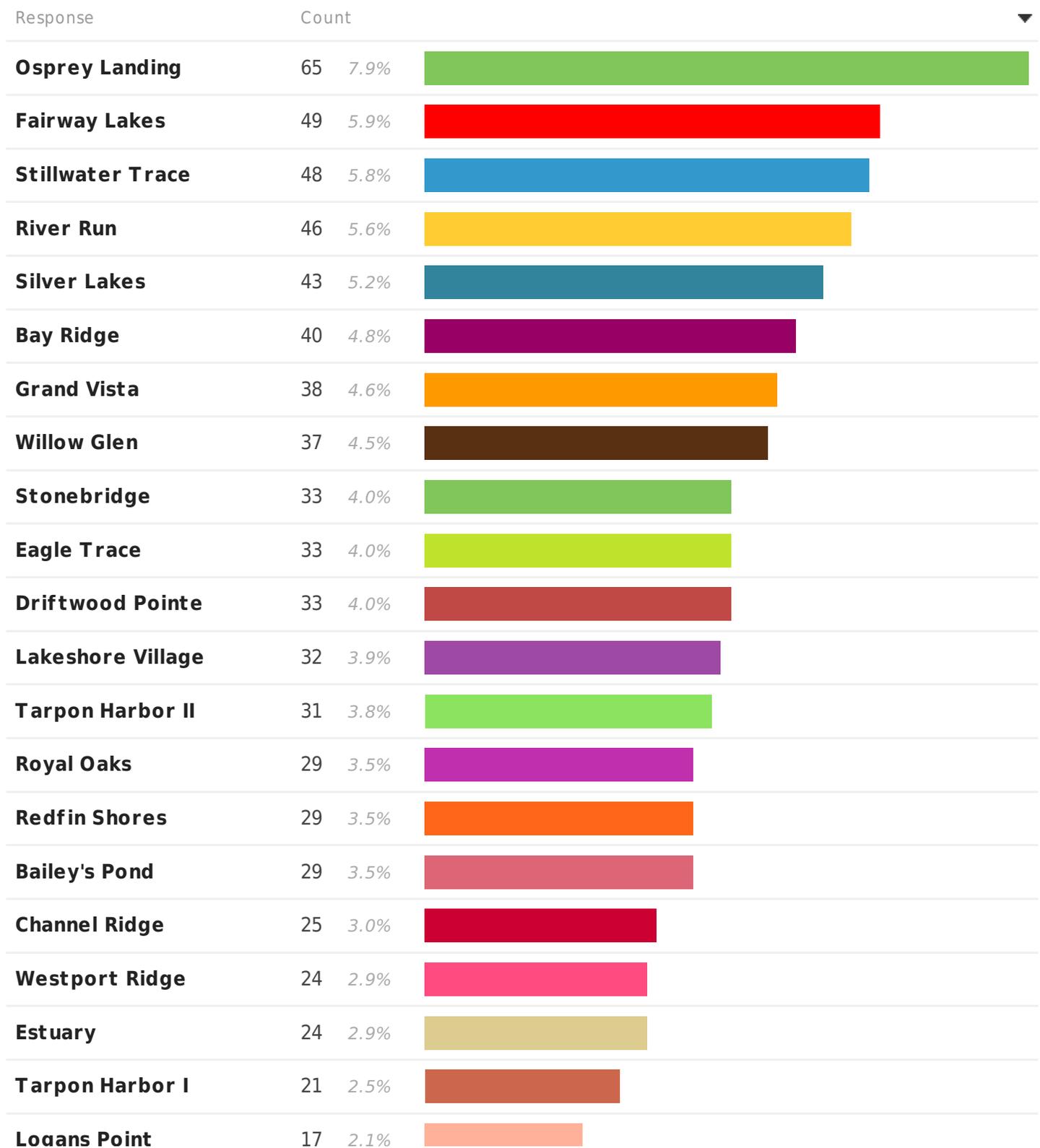
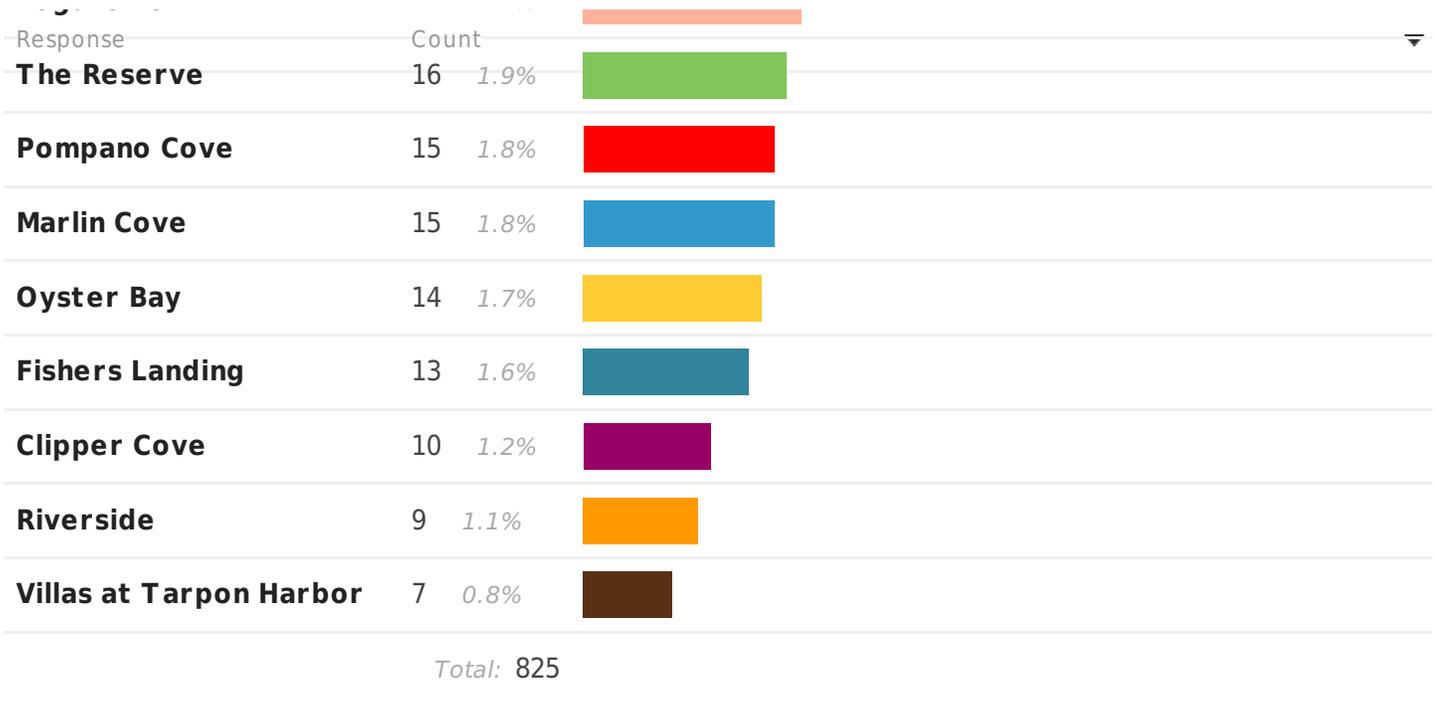


# Activity Center Survey

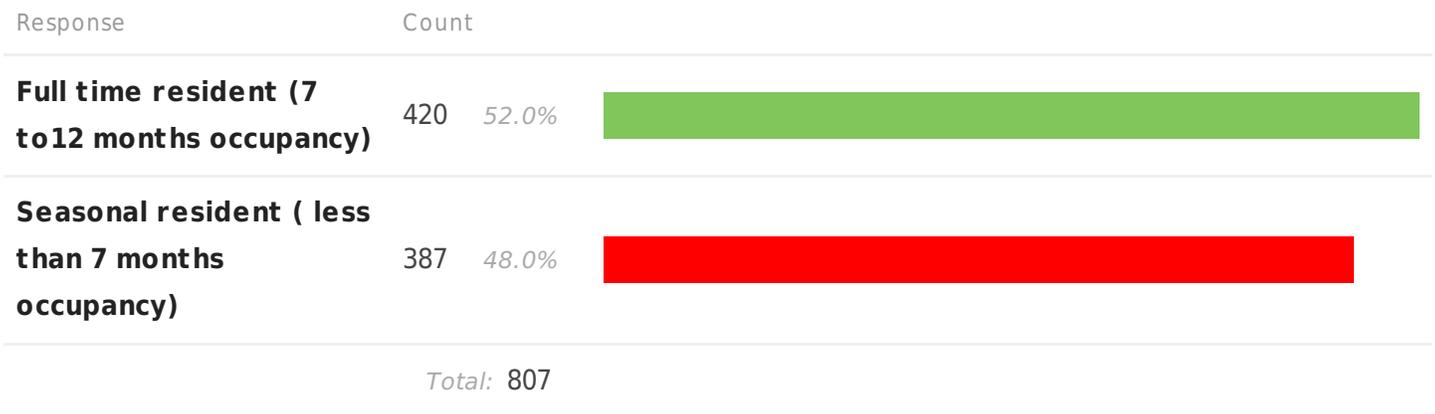
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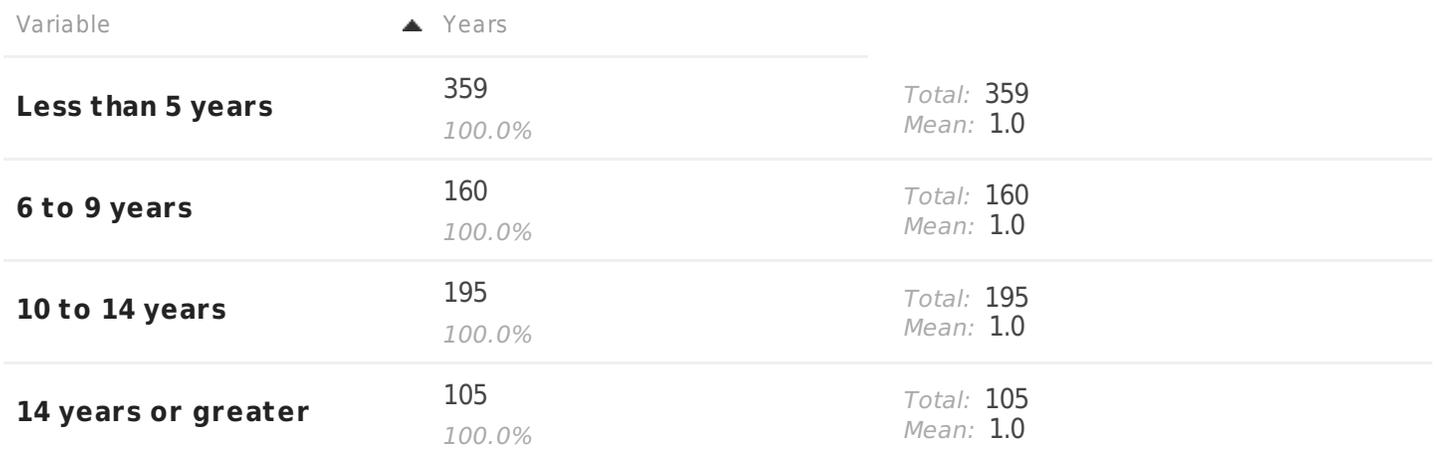




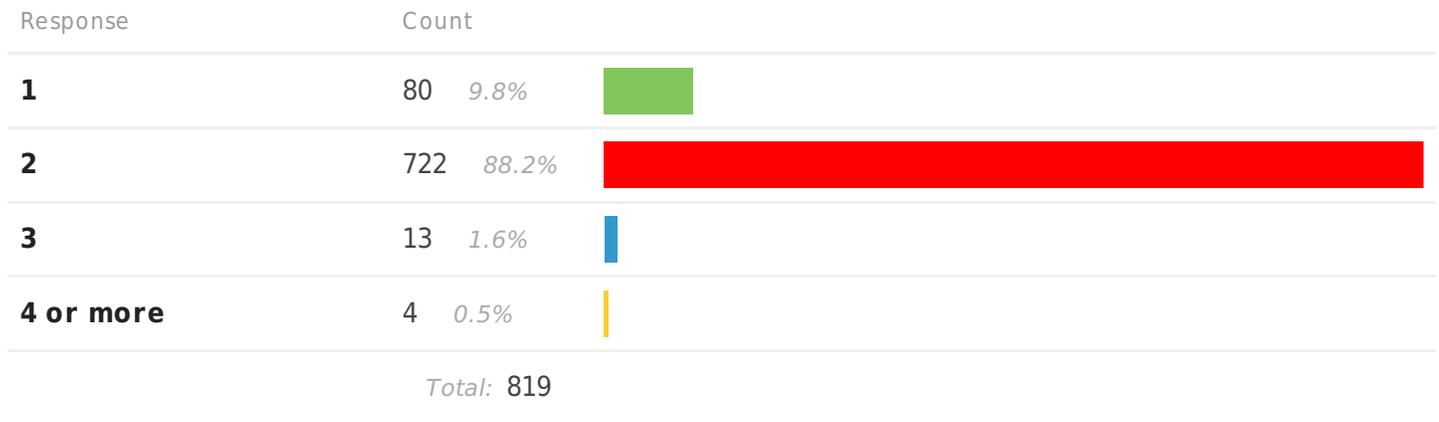
Are you a full time resident or a seasonal resident?



How long have you lived in Riverwood?



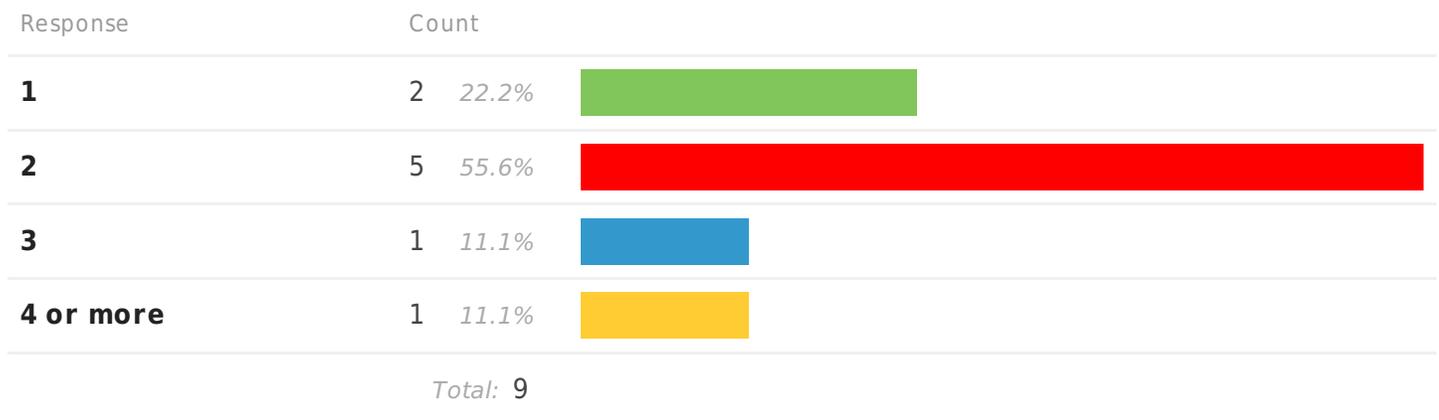
### How many adults live in your household?



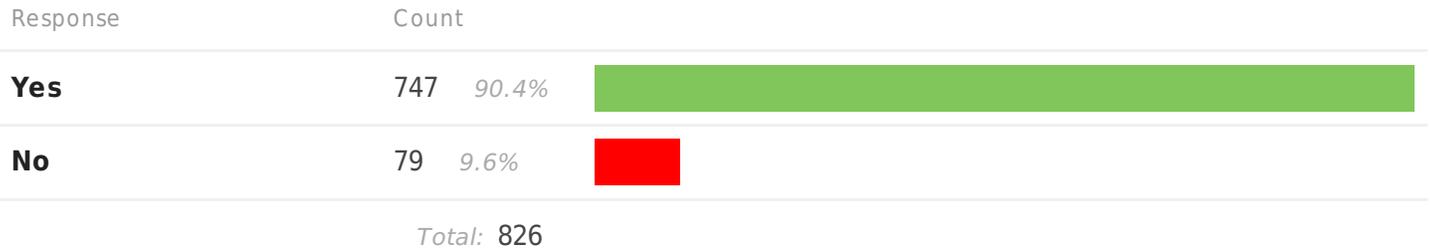
### Are there children, under 18, living at this residence?



### How many children under age 18 live with you??



Does anyone in your household use any of the amenities offered at the Activity Center Campus? If you answer 'No', you will be directed to the last few questions of the survey.



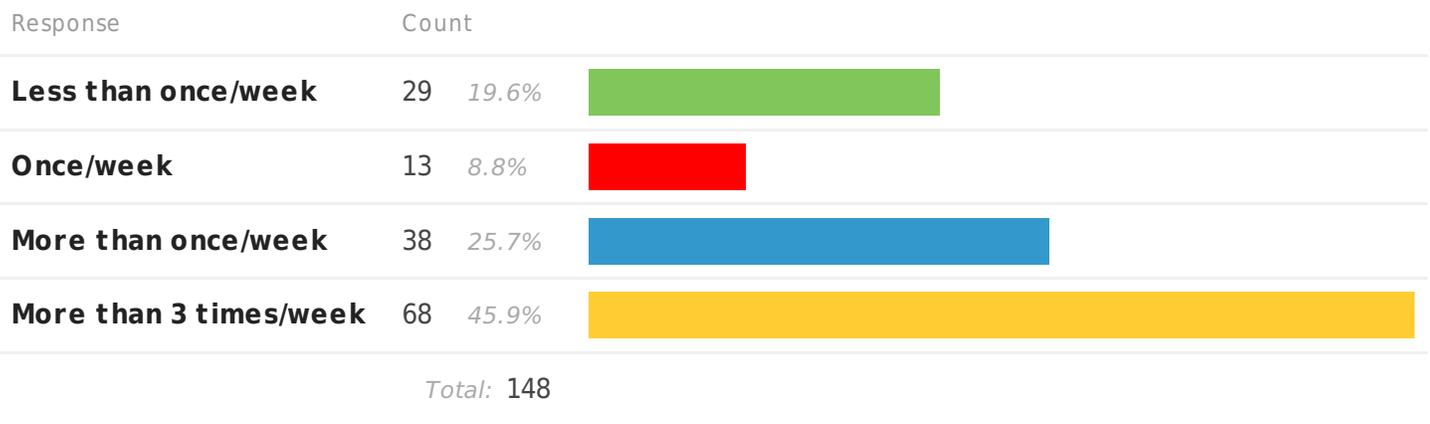
Do you play tennis at Riverwood?



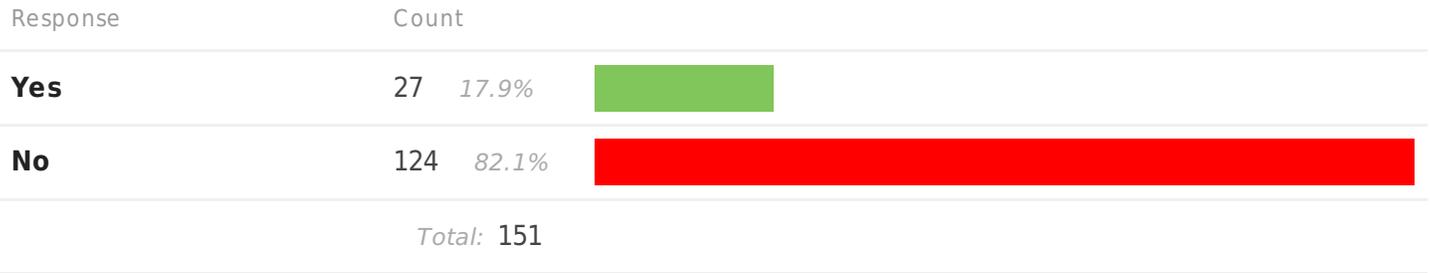
If you do not play tennis now, would you have an interest in playing tennis in the future?



How often per week do you play?



Do you feel that there is a need to construct a center court with bleachers?



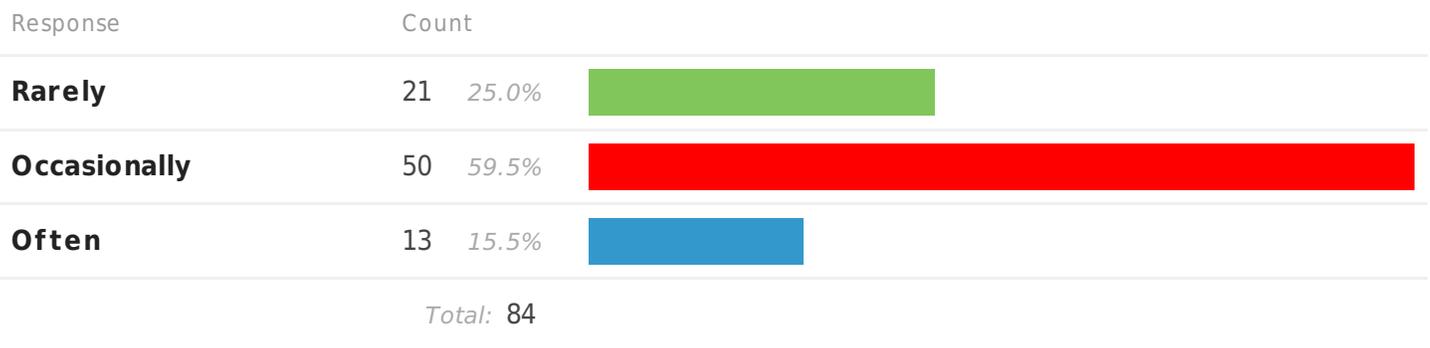
Do you feel that there is a need for additional tennis courts?



Are there times that you are unable to reserve a court?



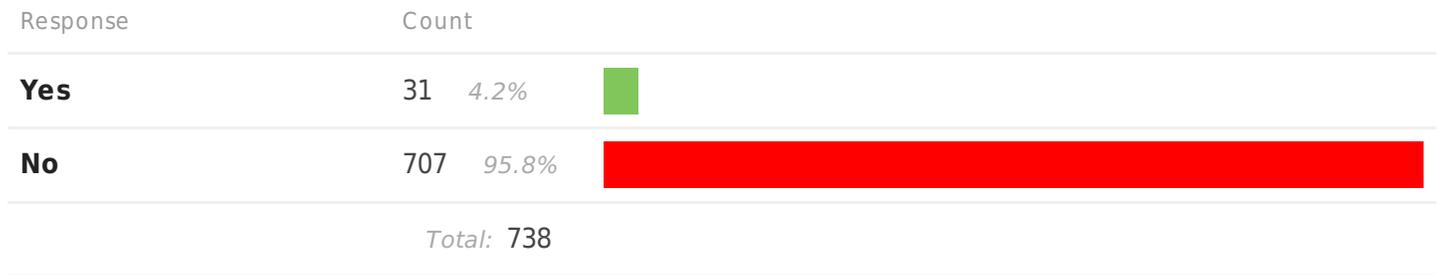
If yes, how often?



Please provide us with suggestions on how Riverwood could improve their tennis facilities.



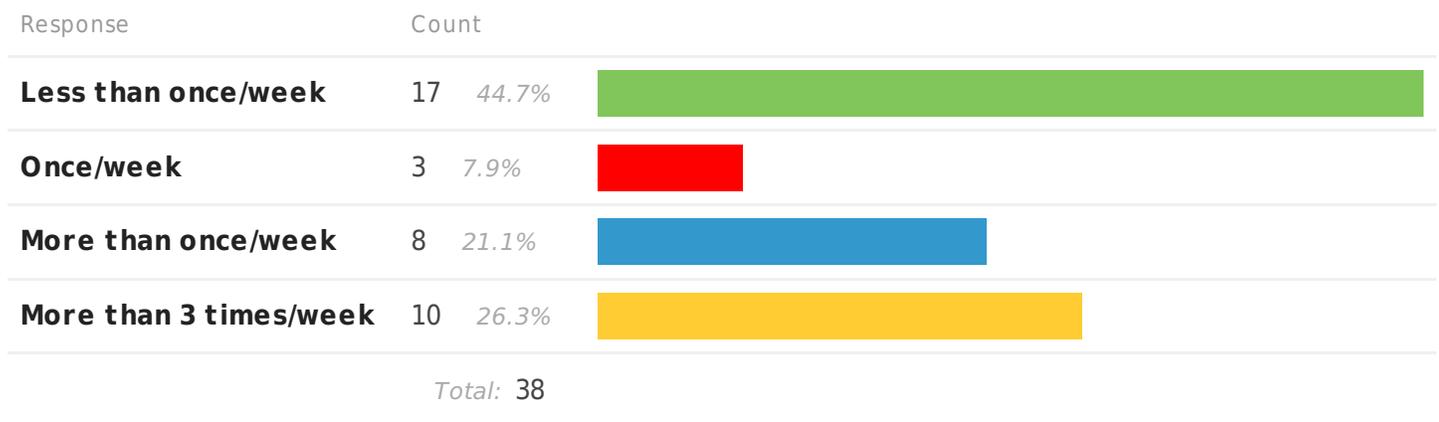
Do you play croquet at Riverwood?



If you do not play croquet now, would you have an interest to play croquet in the future?



How often do you play croquet?



Do you have difficulty scheduling a time to play croquet?



Please provide suggestions for improving the croquet facilities at Riverwood.

Response	Count
18 responses	

Do you use the Activity Center aquatic facilities as they exist today?

Response	Count
<b>Yes</b>	496 67.2%
<b>No</b>	242 32.8%
<i>Total: 738</i>	

On average, how often do you use the pool and/or spa facilities?

Response	Count
<b>Less than once/week</b>	234 46.7%
<b>Once/week</b>	70 14.0%
<b>More than once/week</b>	95 19.0%
<b>More than 3 times/week</b>	102 20.4%
<i>Total: 501</i>	

Do you swim laps or do you have an interest in swimming laps at the Activity Center?

Response	Count
<b>Yes</b>	193 38.6%
<b>No</b>	307 61.4%
<i>Total: 500</i>	

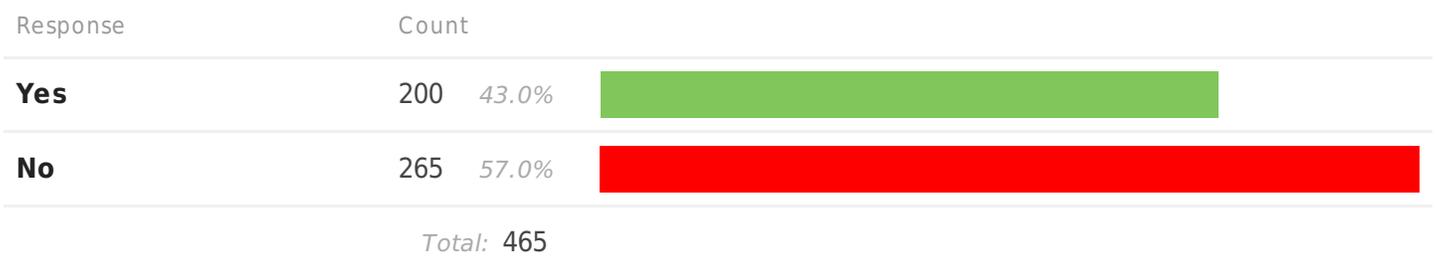
Would you be more likely to participate in aquatic exercise classes if there was a dedicated adult exercise pool?



Do you sunbathe at the Activity Center pool?



From January thru April, is the pool/lounge area overcrowded for sunbathing?



If yes, how often?



From January thru April, is the main pool area overcrowded for swimming?



If yes, how often?



Please provide suggestions for improving the aquatic facilities at Riverwood?



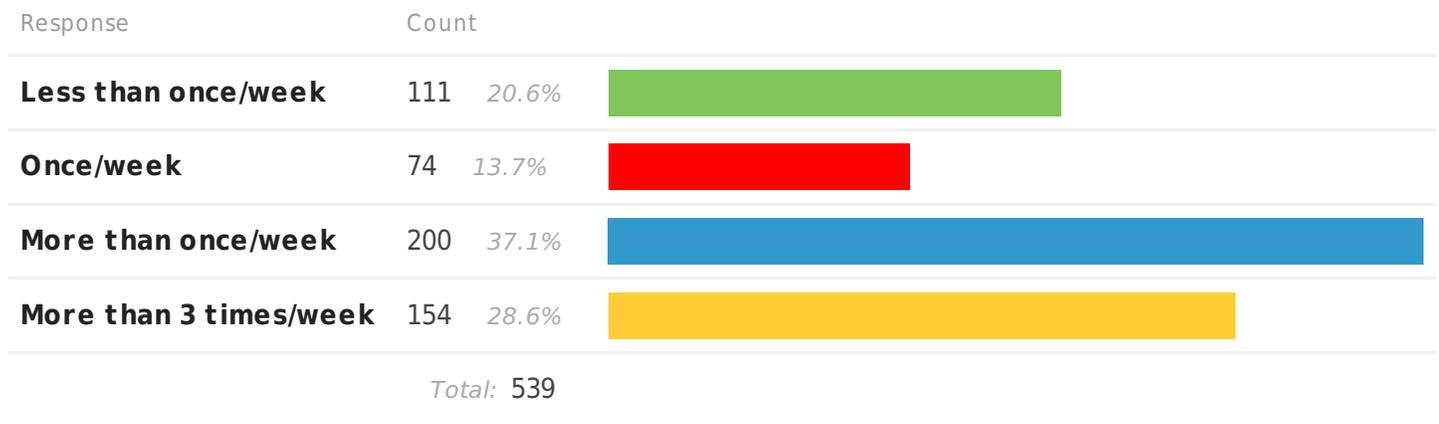
Do you use the Exercise/Fitness Center at Riverwood?



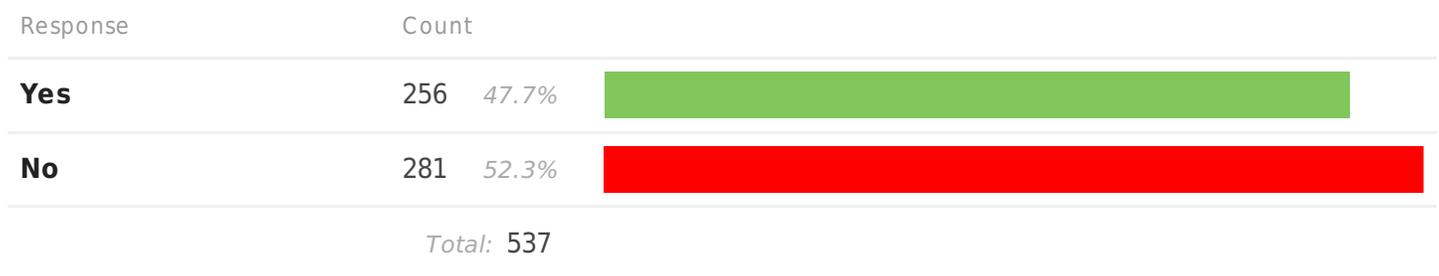
Do you think that you would you use an expanded/improved Exercise/Fitness Center?



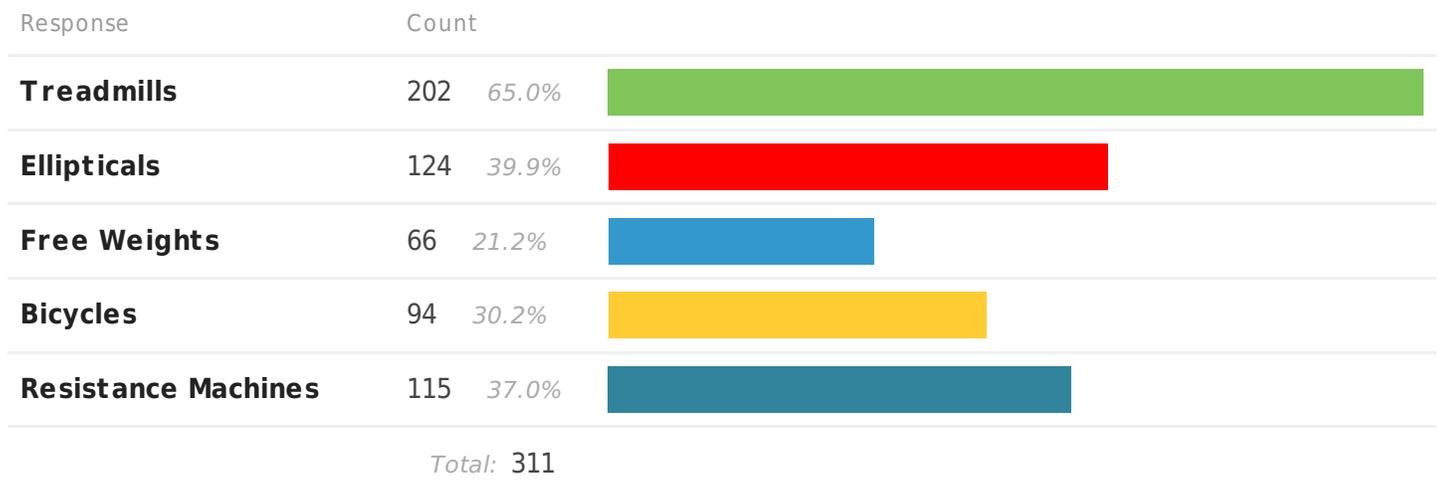
On average, how often do you use the exercise/fitness center?



Have you had difficulty getting access to particular piece(s) of exercise equipment?



If yes, please select the type(s) of equipment that you are delayed using most often. Choose all that apply.



Do you feel that the Exercise/Fitness Center needs to be expanded to accommodate seasonal usage ?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	317 60.5%	
<b>No</b>	207 39.5%	
<i>Total: 524</i>		

Please indicate how Riverwood's Exercise/Fitness Center can be improved.

Response	Count
256 responses	

Do you attend exercise specific classes at Riverwood?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	259 35.5%	
<b>No</b>	470 64.5%	
<i>Total: 729</i>		

Do you think that you would attend exercise specific classes at a dedicated expanded/improved Exercise/Fitness Center?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	400 55.2%	
<b>No</b>	324 44.8%	
<i>Total: 724</i>		

Please specify the exercise classes that you participate in at Riverwood. Check all that apply.

Variable	Class	
<b>Yoga/Gyrokinesis</b>	152 100.0%	Total: 152
<b>Pilates</b>	102 100.0%	Total: 102
<b>Resist-a-ball</b>	45 100.0%	Total: 45
<b>Aerobics</b>	39 100.0%	Total: 39
<b>Zumba</b>	43 100.0%	Total: 43
<b>Walking to Fitness</b>	72 100.0%	Total: 72
<b>Other</b>	72 100.0%	Total: 72

On average, how often do you attend exercise specific classes?

Response	Count	
<b>Less than once/week</b>	42 15.9%	
<b>Once/week</b>	72 27.3%	
<b>More than once/week</b>	103 39.0%	
<b>More than 3 times/week</b>	47 17.8%	
<i>Total: 264</i>		

From January thru April, do you feel that the exercise class space is overcrowded?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	123 48.8%	
<b>No</b>	129 51.2%	
<i>Total: 252</i>		

Please provide any suggestions for improving the exercise specific class facilities or class offerings at

Riverwood.

Response	Count
103 responses	

Do you play Bocce Ball at Riverwood?

Response	Count
<b>Yes</b>	104 14.1% 
<b>No</b>	632 85.9% 
<i>Total: 736</i>	

Do you think that you would play Bocce Ball in the future at Riverwood, if the courts are repaired/replaced?

Response	Count
<b>Yes</b>	259 35.9% 
<b>No</b>	462 64.1% 
<i>Total: 721</i>	

The current Bocce Ball courts are in need of repair or replacement. Please specify what additional items need to be considered when the Bocce Ball courts are updated.

Response	Count
51 responses	

Do you play card, board, dominos or other games at the Activity Center Campus?

Response	Count
<b>Yes</b>	274 37.2% 
<b>No</b>	462 62.8% 
<i>Total: 736</i>	

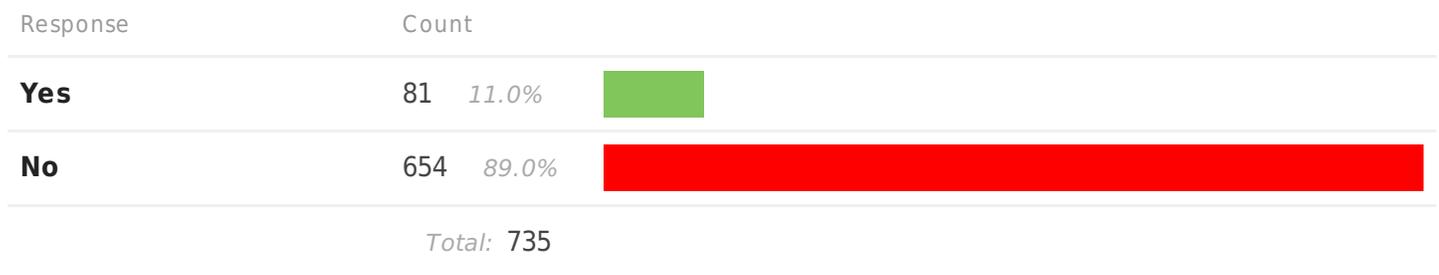
Is there sufficient room for the number of game players?



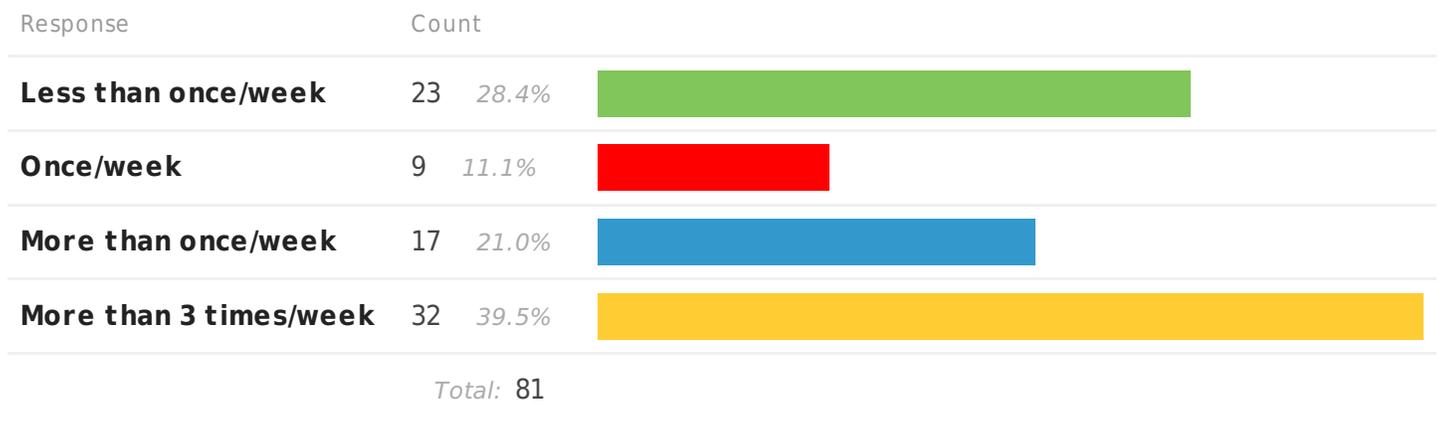
What could be done to enhance your game playing experience at the Activity Center?



Do you belong to Riverwood's dog park?



On average, how often do you take your dog to the dog park?



What do you think about the current size of the dog park?

Response	Count	
<b>Too small</b>	30 36.1%	
<b>Right size</b>	52 62.7%	
<b>Too large</b>	1 1.2%	
<i>Total: 83</i>		

How can Riverwood's dog park facilities be improved?

Response	Count
56 responses	

Have you or do you think that you may play Pickle Ball at Riverwood if courts are constructed?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	409 55.6%	
<b>No</b>	326 44.4%	
<i>Total: 735</i>		

Do you know anything about Pickle Ball?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	292 70.2%	
<b>No</b>	124 29.8%	
<i>Total: 416</i>		

Would you play Pickle Ball at Riverwood if courts were available?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	403 98.1%	
<b>No</b>	8 1.9%	
<i>Total: 411</i>		

Please provide your input about Pickle Ball at Riverwood.

Response	Count
165 responses	

Would you use an expanded Community Room that would include Wi-Fi, puzzles, newspapers, library, etc.?

Response	Count
<b>Yes</b>	349 47.9% 
<b>No</b>	380 52.1% 
<i>Total: 729</i>	

If Yes, Please list what items might be included in this room.

Response	Count
216 responses	

Would you be interested in an Arts and Crafts area complete with sinks and the necessary amenities to support painting and other crafts that may interest Riverwood residents?

Response	Count
<b>Yes</b>	298 40.6% 
<b>No</b>	436 59.4% 
<i>Total: 734</i>	

Please list what arts and crafts that you may be interested in doing?

Response	Count
196 responses	

Would you be interested in a dedicated woodworking area with jigsaws, lathes, sanders and other wood forming/finishing equipment?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	140 19.2%	
<b>No</b>	591 80.8%	
<i>Total: 731</i>		

Please list what type of woodworking equipment might be needed.

Response	Count
107 responses	

Would you like to have a multi-use covered pavilion area at the Activity Center Campus for outdoor events?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	491 68.3%	
<b>No</b>	228 31.7%	
<i>Total: 719</i>		

Would you support a refreshment bar or vending machine area at the Activity Center?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	496 67.9%	
<b>No</b>	235 32.1%	
<i>Total: 731</i>		

It has been suggested by some residents that a full-service commercial restaurant kitchen at the Activity Center is preferred versus a caterer's warming kitchen. What is your opinion?

Response	Count	
<b>Warming kitchen</b>	463 66.6%	
<b>Full service commercial kitchen</b>	232 33.4%	
<i>Total: 695</i>		

Would you support the installation of a Traffic Signal at SR 776 and Riverwood Dr?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	744 92.3%	
<b>No</b>	62 7.7%	
<i>Total: 806</i>		

Would you like to have an expanded play area at the Activity Center area campus which could include a children's playground? In addition, there could be a multi-purpose utility/court which could be used for basketball, children's/recreational tennis, volley ball, badminton, etc.

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	318 39.6%	
<b>No</b>	486 60.4%	
<i>Total: 804</i>		

Would you like to have an open field which could be used for baseball, football, hobby aircraft, kite flying, etc.?

Response	Count	
<b>Yes</b>	292 36.5%	
<b>No</b>	508 63.5%	
<i>Total: 800</i>		

With the purchase of additional property, Riverwood could develop biking, hiking and jogging trails? Would you have an interest in using such trails if they are developed?

Response	Count	
<b>Not Likely</b>	255 31.4%	
<b>Likely</b>	279 34.4%	
<b>Very Likely</b>	277 34.2%	
<i>Total: 811</i>		

Please rank each of these 13 proposed new amenities or enhancements by order of importance to you and your family. You will only be able to assign one ranking on each amenity or enhancement.

Variable	▲ 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>Pool - Adult Exercise (new construction)</b>	62 10.0%	42 6.8%	31 5.0%	44 7.1%	46 7.4%	31 5.0%	30 4.8%	33 5.3%	39 6.3%
<b>Exercise/Fitness Center - expanded area (Weights, Treadmills, etc.)</b>	131 21.2%	98 15.9%	73 11.8%	53 8.6%	43 7.0%	49 7.9%	40 6.5%	28 4.5%	35 5.7%
<b>Covered outdoor pavillion area - expansion of existing facilities</b>	30 5.4%	45 8.1%	63 11.3%	68 12.2%	56 10.0%	59 10.6%	42 7.5%	56 10.0%	38 6.8%
<b>Entertainment/Meeting area - Expanded (kitchen,stage,etc.)</b>	74 12.8%	64 11.1%	53 9.2%	54 9.3%	51 8.8%	48 8.3%	45 7.8%	45 7.8%	46 8.0%
<b>Tennis Courts - center court w/bleachers/additional court (new construction)</b>	41 6.1%	21 3.1%	21 3.1%	16 2.4%	28 4.2%	23 3.4%	24 3.6%	26 3.9%	50 7.4%
<b>Exercise Specific class space - dedicated (Pilates, Yoga, etc.)</b>	25 4.4%	51 9.0%	61 10.8%	57 10.1%	58 10.3%	59 10.4%	60 10.6%	72 12.7%	40 7.1%
<b>Playground/Youth area - expanded (all-purpose court,</b>	16 2.7%	19 3.3%	31 5.3%	29 5.0%	26 4.5%	42 7.2%	42 7.2%	44 7.6%	42 7.2%

<b>Basketball, etc.)</b> Variable	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>Dog Park - enhanced</b>	28 5.1%	18 3.3%	17 3.1%	13 2.4%	17 3.1%	28 5.1%	29 5.3%	38 6.9%	38 6.9%
<b>Activity Trails - new (Biking, Hiking, Jogging, etc.)</b>	110 19.1%	75 13.0%	61 10.6%	59 10.3%	50 8.7%	41 7.1%	30 5.2%	27 4.7%	19 3.3%
<b>Pickle Ball Courts (new construction)</b>	62 10.5%	59 10.0%	56 9.5%	47 8.0%	37 6.3%	36 6.1%	42 7.1%	41 6.9%	38 6.4%
<b>Game rooms - dedicated (Poker, Mah Jongg, Bunco, etc.)</b>	19 3.1%	30 5.0%	47 7.8%	47 7.8%	55 9.1%	57 9.4%	80 13.2%	58 9.6%	57 9.4%
<b>Community room - Multi-purpose (Books, puzzles,wi-fi, library, etc.)</b>	22 3.9%	38 6.8%	42 7.5%	63 11.3%	65 11.6%	53 9.5%	63 11.3%	47 8.4%	44 7.9%
<b>Arts &amp; Crafts room - Dedicated</b>	12 2.3%	23 4.4%	35 6.7%	29 5.5%	48 9.1%	49 9.3%	50 9.5%	32 6.1%	47 9.0%

Please add any items which were not listed and indicate where it ranks in your priority list.

Response	Count
	299 responses

Please indicate how much 'NEW' money, above Riverwood's current maintenance expenses, you would be willing to invest in Riverwood's future.

Response	Count	
<b>\$10.42/mo. or \$125 annual increase per household ~ \$2.5M Capital Expenditures (land purchase, traffic signal, and building updates to code only)</b>	201 25.4%	
<b>\$20.83/mo. or \$250 annual increase per household ~ \$5.0M Capital Expenditures (land purchase, traffic signal, &amp; building updates to code, expansion and some new amenities)</b>	294 37.2%	
<b>\$31.25/mo. or \$375 annual increase per household ~ \$7.5M Capital Expenditures (land purchase, traffic signal, &amp; building updates to code, expansion and more new amenities)</b>	127 16.1%	
<b>\$41.67/mo. or \$500 annual increase per household ~ \$10.0M Capital Expenditures (land purchase, traffic signal, &amp; building updates to code, more expansion and new enhanced amenities)</b>	96 12.2%	
<a href="#">Other, please specify...</a>	72 9.1%	

Total: 790

Please feel free to give us your input to the following topics.

Variable	Count
<b>Please add any Amenities/Enhancements that have not been addressed in this survey</b>	204 responses
<b>Please give us your input about the survey. The results of the survey will be shared with Riverwood residents as soon as the data analysis is complete.</b>	325 responses
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<p>I am not on any leagues but I do enjoy social tennis at least twice a week. I cannot speak for players who are very active but for myself what we have is fine.</p>	
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<p>The provision of a dedicated Practice Wall would be useful, such as the one at Plantations Venice</p>	
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<p>Until the six courts we now have are fully utilized in the afternoons there is no need to build more courts. Team practices and drills can be done in the afternoons.</p>	
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<p>A new court could be needed during high season, can be just a drill or lesson court.</p>	
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<p>More Palm trees around the courts. Elevated observation structure.</p>	
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<p>Don't move any courts! Put awnings on current bleachers; add bleachers.</p>	
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<p>We could really use ONE court that would be designated as the pro's teaching court. That would free up one more court and more teams could get their practice in. We DO NOT want a stadium court, just one more regular court, and if possible set away from the other courts so as not to disturb matches.</p>	
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<p>Better upkeep of the courts themselves, weeds are growing within the courts and looks unkempt. The grooming of the courts is not as nice as it used to be. Keep Fred happy, he's such a benefit to the tennis program.</p>	
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<p>shaded viewing areas</p>	
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<p>Have Fred, the tennis instructor, offer Stroke of the day clinics, so renters and new people can get involved down there.</p>	
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<p>I play three times a week, but I have not had to reserve any courts so I really can't judge as to whether we need more or not.</p>	
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<p>A small unisex bathroom so that we don't have to go into the main building.</p>	

Better tennis shoe washing facilities. The ones that we have don't drain and are a mess in the surrounding area as a result.

Schedule more of the organized play(especially drills and practice sessions later in the day.

By adding, not moving, one or two additional courts.

Would like to see some pickle courts

If a new court were to be built, it should be reserved for tennis clinics/instruction so Fred does not need to tie up an existing court.

Courts 1 and 2 should be provided with lights.

We need covered bleachers at all courts to protect the audience.

We need to have the shoe cleaner built up and then the water remaining drained away from where you step off to leave. Now The grass is soaked and muddy.

The Tennis league gets all the court time in the morning, whether for matches or just practice (except on Sunday). It is only fair to leave at least one hour each morning for non-league tennis players. The league does not play in the afternoon as it is too hot. It is unfair for non-league players to be asked to play in the afternoon with no options in the morning when it is more comfortable to play. Tennis should be for all when league or not.

The tennis facilities are very nice. Those on teams have first choice on the courts and the other open times are available to others.

adding courts is likely all we need

Lights on courts 1 and 2 for early AM or PM play

new tape on Tennis Courts

bleachers at court 6

shade cover on some bleachers

commercial grade ball machine

SHOWERS FOR THE TENNIS PLAYERS WOULD BE A WONDERFUL ENHANCEMENT. ALSO, PERHAPS THE SWIMMERS COULD UTILIZE THE SHOWERS, ALSO, IN ADDITION TO OTHER SPORTS PLAYED AT RIVERWOOD. THEY OUGHT TO BE ENCLOSED FOR PRIVACY.

Access to the ball machine and a working ball machine was a problem but seems to have been resolved.

The pro should always have a court available for teaching. There are times when I wanted to take a lesson but there are no courts available. I have never been someplace where the pro did not have a dedicated teaching court.

More tennis courts during season very hard to get a court.

Fine the way it is.

It is practically impossible to reschedule Thursday matches that have been rained out due to the limited availability of courts between 8am and 12 noon unless we break up our matches over multiple days and use up our practice times. In addition, no more teams can be formed for either men or women because we have inadequate court availability as 3 courts are required to host a match. The tennis courts are a big draw for people buying in Riverwood combined with the fact that we are not an "over 55" community. Three additional courts are necessary to solve court availability issues and allow the number of teams to increase.

One more court would be of value to tennis players who do not play on a team. It could be reserved for non-team players.

Install lighting on courts 1 and 2

Better maintenance of the existing facilities

Adding another tennis court.

For God's sake, don't ever mess up and let Fred Schuchert get away.

Block off times in the morning every day for availability to non-team players and force teams to take afternoon practice times.

Full time access to ball machine, bleacher shading, 2 courts extra

Shaded viewing areas.

Landscaping around courts needs improvement.

There should be one more court that could be used for drill purposes, and available when not in use for others.

Need more courts

I like things the way they are.

Increased court accessibility can be achieved without building another court by:  
Eliminating the non-resident tennis memberships. They are not needed and only cause congestion  
Restricting league participation to only one team per player per season  
Fixing the reservation policy that results in teams reserving courts for the entire season but not using them.  
Often, all the courts are reserved in the online reservation system but several of them are vacant. Some teams reserve as many as four courts in prime time but only use one or two.  
Encourage use during non-prime hours

The nets are too high on my side of the court.

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Ball machine availability after Fred leaves with some type of sign out and sign in so person takes responsibility that it get back in and is ready for next person. We need covers over all bleachers. With comfortable seating we would have lots of spectators watching our tennis not only for matches as Maple Leaf has.

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Provide ball machines

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Provide shelter to the viewing stands for courts 1, 2 and 3. The tables opposite Court 2 are nice but one of the umbrellas is broken and the installation of bleachers and a shelter may be a better solution. Given the large number of serious tennis players, purchasing another ball machine would increase use of the existing courts for individual practice. Riverwood is an upscale community. Only one ball machine for all of the people who play tennis is insufficient.

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We are new owners so the availability of the courts is just from conversation.

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New ball machine

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An additional court would be helpful particularly during the morning hours and during the the winter months when league and drills are at their peak. It would be nice to have covers over the bleachers for shade.

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There is a need to improve the maintenance of the courts...there are tape lines and nails that are lifting that can be hazardous.

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I play only whenever we are down, so I'm not too sure how difficult it is to reserve a court. I think there are other more pressing priorities to the activity center rather than more courts. I do believe that enhancements to existing courts might be in order.

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Add one court to make 7, redo lines and nails as the ball hits raised nails and tape and takes bad bounces on a regular basis. Improve drainage. Make ball machine available on weekends and off hours. Add a wall to hit against either wooden or another material

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I like the tennis facilities as they are

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We could use additional courts - since there are so many teams now playing matches in the mornings, it is impossible to get a court for drills and practice. I belong to one of the present tennis teams.

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tap down tapes more often, but courts are in excellent condition

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Make sure that the underground watering system works well and the fencing is replace when needed.

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Most of the reserve court times are used for team practice, team drills, and team matches. Very little time in the morning is available for non team tennis. I don't try to reserve court time in the morning because it is already taken by all the teams. The teams take all of the prime tennis times.

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Shoe washing units need repairing.

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If building more courts. hard surface availability would be nice if there is enough interest.

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Wooden pallets, wher shoes are cleaned.

We are thankful for the bleachers for onlookers, new benches and covers for players and especially for Fred.

The courts need to be maintained better. Re-taping and additional clay more often would be nice.

An area with shade and seating for friends and family to observe .

Fine as is

Small shaded area for spectators, like the tables with the umbrellas.

Improved drainage.

Better insect control.

people reserve the courts and then do not cancel

The courts need to be refurbished.

tennis facilities are fine as is.

Shade over current bleachers; increase number of bleachers. Water fountains.

Provide a covered area with bleachers...where the bleachers are right now.

Better maintenance of existing facilities. For example, windscreens are getting old and moldy. Fencing is beginning to rust. Lines need to be replaced.

Putting up shaded bleachers for viewing on the outside of courts 1 & 2, and 3 & 6

Excellent facilities as they exist. We do not support moving the tennis courts

Add water cooler on the court. eliminate the ice bucket.

Most courts are not fully utilized in the P.M., however, an additional court would be beneficial.

Grooming of the courts could be improved

Make lessons readily available

Shaded area for spectators. Better maintenance of courts, tape strips have caused injuries.

With an increased interest in croquet, another court would benefit all players. There have been times where the current court will not accommodate all players in the morning as the maximum number of players able to play is 16.

As with the tennis courts, croquet games can be scheduled in the afternoons, too. The facility is magnificent.

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If possible a second court would be nice

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Croquet court is not completely flat, so ball rolls away on an angle in some places. Extra half court of space, as we can only accommodate 16 people at a time, and sometimes people have to leave because there is no space.

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One more half court would be appreciated. Then we could play 8 members on a full court and an additional 8 on the half court. Or, 16 on the full court and 8 on the half court.

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Very nice croquet course and these are rare anyplace. In effort to utilize more often, I might suggest A] Croquet lessons once a week B] Croquet contests to get more activity, with a prize of some sort for the winning team.\

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In addition the increasing Croquet activity, an indoor shuffle board would be fun and same principle as Croquet contests could apply.

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It should be maintained to be more level. It should also have painted lines rather than the strings which are dangerous because they often cause people to trip.

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A second court to meet the current demand. Often unable to play due to limit of 16 players. A second court could also enhance the beauty of the campus area.

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Would be nice to have a additional single court.

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parking

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Provide an additional full court for more opportunities for tournament play, including outside teams. Also allow for more growth to the croquet club and to offer "golf croquet" a popular version of the sport.

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Additional court

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More group exercise classes would be wonderful. Pilates, Aerobics , zumba.

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ANOTHER COURT WOULD BE HELPFUL

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Offer different hours

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None

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Concrete benches, tables are dangerous and tops need regrouting. Benches are sharp and have caused cuts. Make water available next to courts

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add another court

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Indoor showers/dressing area.

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The inclusion of a separate lap pool and adult exercise facility is an absolute necessity....

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No need for a lap or exercise pool, our pool has a lap lane

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In our opinion, the pool area is only overcrowded only during vacation weeks.

Walk in and deeper (not lap)

More lounge chairs required. Water aerobics classes limit use of pool.

Perhaps establishing another large pool in the Sawgrass area would help to eliminate the crowdedness of the current pool. I do not think that a "lap pool" will solve the problem.

It would a good idea to add some space that is strictly designated for a lap pool or an exercise space. You cannot swim laps with the water walkers in the way even though there is a specified space for laps. Sometimes the walkers use the lap area.

Make a separate area for young children to play in a pool and preserve the current pool for lap swimming and also walking through length-wise.

People should try to work it out themselves. There are times of the day when it is crowded and other times when there are very few people. The last time we went it was the crowded parking lot that kept us from swimming.

Light colored chairs - dark color burns when first touched.

not interested in lap pool

Soda machine or snack bar.

Put in lap pool and maybe enlarge the pool and pool area.

Actually we think the facilities are just fine the way they are.

keep updating chairs, tables and umbrellas provide improved change room facilities

Please provide salt water pools, both swimming pool and Hot Tub. No chlorinated water - bad for your health, not only skin!

Perhaps the term 'therapy pool' would be a better term because the lap pool would make an excellent therapy pool for any one in rehab.

Pool for swimmers

Pool for walkers/waders/water exercisers

Better locker rooms for the women; music piped in.

Enlarge the space for sunbathing. maybe create a water feature area to allow people to relax. Also maybe eliminate concrete tables allowing for more lounge chairs

It's fine as is

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They are fine as they are.

Like to see more umbrellas for sun protection. Other than that, we're fully satisfied with the current aquatic facilities and see no need for further enhancement, other than required maintenance.

turn the children's playground area into overflow sundeck. Pavers continued from current footprint to the dog park roadway. This area is accessible from the current pool area and is rarely used by children. The play ground could be moved to the back area near the horseshoe pits/dog park area

More supervision.No radio playing,noball throwing or large floats in the pool.

I only use it once every 2 or 3 weeks, for me it's just fine

Being there on a part time basis I cannot answer these questions fully

creation of a separate exercise pool area with designated times for laps or classes

Add another pool

An adult lap/exercise would greatly reduce the congestion in the current large pool.

more chairs and lounges

The swimming and pool area facilities are adequate. Additional services such as a bar or snack shack would be nice. Perhaps the bathrooms could be spruced up.

I think that the pool is great and is kept at a really good temperature.

None at this time.

I would like to see more tables with umbrellas around the pool.

We need an indoor warm water shower and changing area.

Also, the music is nice but it would be better if it was just instrumental music and not a radio station with a mix of talk and music.

Exercise pool would be nice

Do not add a lap pool. A better suggestion might be to add a children's pool, for children 16 and under only.

Many people get in and walk back and forth making it difficult to swim

Needs a refreshment center

A second pool dedicated to laps

I BELIEVE IT IS ADEQUATE AS IS.

Instead of a lap pool, I would prefer a children`s shallow pool.

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Pool for tarpon harbor condo n any other condo that don't have there own pool

Keep as is

Separate lap/exercise class pool would be helpful. Some people like to stand and visit in the pool which does not allow for swimming. There should be an area of the pool that is deeper also.

Does not need to be changed. More than adequate for its use.

More chairs

Simply, put in more lap lane floatation between 7am and 9am. Then remove them after 9am. You would have at least 5 lanes, more than enough without money spent.

Current facilities are adequate for this community. I rarely see many persons using the pool at one time, and there is never a sense of crowding.

Upgrade the cabana bathrooms, add a walk in adult only pool.

no lap pool

More lanes for swimming laps, Open and lite pool for swimming laps at time that others are not at the pool. open early and late, Kidde pool

Adult only pool.

If we had a 2nd (lap) pool for adults only, it would serve as much for therapy here, as for lap swimmers. I've had 3 surgeries in 3 years, and exercise in the pool is so helpful. Walking from one end to the other is next to impossible during this busy season. I would LOVE to go daily to a pool that allowed more individual movement. Riverwood is FULL of residences trying to get back in shape after hip, knee, shoulder, etc operations.

We have a great aquatics area and should not put more money into it. If people want more space for laps we should get them a membership at the local Y.

Would like to have the existing pool be a dedicated family use pool with group exercise time blackouts and with no dedicated lap pool lane. I would like to see added a pool about the same size of the existing pool, large enough for two dedicated lap lanes and also a space for stationary exercise, and group exercise. The new pool should be dedicated for adult use, not for family swim.

New lap pool

Redirecting walkers away from lap lanes

THE PRESENT SWIMMING POOL IS TOTALLY INADEQUATE FOR THE NUMBER OF PRESENT RESIDENTS AND THEIR GUESTS. A SWIMMING POOL WHICH IS TWICE THE SIZE WITH LANES FOR LAPS OUGHT TO BE BUILT TO ACCOMODATE THE ADDITIONAL HOUSING RESIDENTS IN RIVERWOOD, NORTH AND SOUTH.

No suggestions

lap / theraputic pool needed

Dedicated changing and shower facilities adjacent to the pool. Dedicated lap pool or more lap lanes in main pool. Sauna and steam room.

Store the handicapped lift machine elsewhere.

More lounge chairs available.

Coke machine.

They are fine as is.

Age restricted, there should be no babies allowed in the pool or spa.

They are just fine the way they are.

Install lap pool , more designated lap lanes

Satisfies demand large majority of time

new lap pool/adult area

Do not need lap pool

Larger pool with lap lanes or a separate lap pool with ~5 lanes

A pool dedicated for lap swimming would be nice.

It is fine the way it is.

The bathroom facilities at the end of the pool need to be retained and updated. Maybe a changing room could be added. During the winter months many visitors and families use the pool area for this reason the access to toilet facilities and fresh water is important. Changing facilities would be very useful for young families. Lane markers that could be moved out of the way for later in the day usage would be appropriate for lap swimmers in the morning hrs.

exercise pool, bigger deck, more chairs, return shade umbrellas over the pool,

Another pool would be a good idea, but not mandatory

If I were going to add another pool I would consider a resistance pool to walk against the current.

I use the pool mainly to cool off.

The area for sun bathing is more crowded than the pool. More sun bathing area is the biggest problem to me.

\*provide a water temp gauge

\*increase # of chaises

Resistance pool for walking or dedicated walking lanes

Aquatic exercise programs offered and on the weekly calendar should be posted so others using the pool are not confused that a class is in session and their use of the pool limited at that time.

Provide a means to shade a portion of the pool for year round residents. Examples of this are as follows:

- 1 Indoor/outdoor pool similar to Cascades in Estero.
- 2 partial coverage similar to Shell Point in Fort Myers.
- 3 completely indoor pool.

Lap pool

Currently meets our needs.

The existing pool needs cosmetic improvements. Washrooms need to be larger. Definitely need a dedicated pool for exercise and laps.

There are certain times of the day that the pool is most crowded so for me to avoid crowds and be able to find a chair is after 3pm. We are in need of more chairs!

Separate wading pool for infants and children under the age of 3.  
A separate exercise pool should help.

Convert from chlorine to ozone based sanitation

Not everyone has a private pool. For sure don't minimize what we've got. it is vital. Some enhancements would be a plus

Okay as is.

Possible snack bar.

I was disappointed in the new chairs . . . I thought we might get some nicer ones when it was time to replace the old ones. Zero entry (if that's what it's called) is a nice feature for people to enter the pool . . . when the water is just an inch deep then gets gradually deeper. Also, since Riverwood is private, I am under the understanding that the piece of equipment used to lower people into the pool does not have to be poolside at all times. I would like it made public how many times that piece of equipment has been used since it was installed.

Instead of a lap pool, there could be a resistance walking pool for many of us who are now older than 13 years ago when we moved here, and need GENTLE exercise, not the kinds of machines in the exercise room that we USED TO USE. Photos are online at [www.seaglassvillage.com](http://www.seaglassvillage.com) a condo community where we are building in Maine for summers. A lap LANE in the main pool should remain.

Pool is fine the way it is.

Resistance pool would be good

An area of concern is the monitoring of people NOT following appropriate behaviors including loud noise (l pads/music) , children under 12 in the hot tub, loud, undisciplined kids/ parents in the pool area and the saving lounge/chairs. Actually common sense, but entitlement/arrogance seem to far outweigh respect.

add men's & woman's each: lockers (10), showers (2) & changing room to out building when we re do the lavatories. enforce existing rules at pool

More sunbathing room and more lounge chairs. An enlarged pool, or an additional pool would be great. A kiddie pool would also alleviate some of the overcrowding in the main pool.

An adult exercise and lap pool.

need an adults only pool with more lap swim lanes

Add lap pool for those that want to swim laps and could be used for therapeutic purposes as well

Install 3 anti wave lane lines in existing pool for early morning lap swimming. Then have a staff member disconnect 2 of them prior to aquatic exercise class and move them over so that all three are connected in one lane. Approximate total cost \$3000.00 max

Small family pool, lap pool more than one lane, quieter location, clear rules on hot tub, sauna, spa options once a month for massages etc

Maybe have handicap access in order to remove lift

Cold beverages available. A nice facility

Cafe would be great... But it has been tried and it wasn't supported, unfortunately

lap pool would be great

I don't believe it is used to it's capacity now.

A dedicated multi-lane lap pool; a deep end in the pool. Basically, a modern multi-use resort pool.

We are frequent users of the pool. We sometimes swim laps. A GENERAL COMMENT seems appropriate here. Before we bought our home in Riverwood we had rented a condo here for 6 years. In March 2014 we bought a home in Osprey Landing. Prior to this purchase we made an extensive survey of gated communities in Sarasota and Charlotte Counties including Island Walk, Plantation, Gran Paradiso, Cypress Falls, Venetian Falls, and about 10 others. None compared to Riverwood in natural beauty and planning. The first four, however, boasted spa amenities including salt water pools, beach entry, water features, great community centers, etc. We know Riverwood is special and we do not suggest that we go "over the top." We would like Riverwood to enhance its amenities within a reasonable range to appeal to future residents. In other words, an aging community with tired facilities will not enhance our property values. On the other hand, assuming added fees will also not appeal to prospective buyers as Island Walk, for one has no CDD and, we understand, is attractive to some residents looking to reduce their expenses. In sum, we recommend

improving amenities WITHOUT going overboard!

With such a large community many times one pool with limited depth is not enough to meet everyone's interest. It would be nice to have a deeper pool for doing other aquatic activities.

We like the aquatic facilities the way they are.

Would be nice to have more shade during the day. Also use of the spa after dusk should be allowed, and why isn't it. Dumb rule we are not teenagers.

I would like to see a dedicated lap pool for actual swimming. We do not know the difference between occasionally & sometimes

More than one lane for lap swimming, as is the current situation, is totally inadequate for the number of lap swimmers. The ideal number of lanes would be 4 and those could all be occupied on a daily basis. Swimmers begin swimming at 6:00 a.m. now in order to get their swimming exercise in. That would allow for aquatic exercise and recreational swimming.

During busy vacation or holiday periods we need more chairs.

a few more chairs make sure rest room facilities are always clean and operational

Build a facility out at Sawgrass.

We have our own pool and only use the Riverwood pool when we have guests during the winter months because it is heated. I have rarely observed the pool area to be overcrowded for swimming or sunbathing. However, during times when young kids are visiting their relatives there is a good deal of activity in the pool which makes it difficult for the residents to swim laps. There are also a number of older residents for whom swimming is their primary form of exercise. For these reasons, I would support a two-lane lap pool.

Better chairs and umbrellas!

Extend the hours of the aquatic center from 5 AM to 11 PM for adult resident. I like to go to the hot tub early or late to avoid sun and heat exposure. There is only a few residents the swim laps in the morning, I have never seem more than four people there and typically there are two swimming laps, but never enough to fill the pool width if there were more lanes defined. I would suggest that portable, removable lane dividers be provided.if those few people to use if they choose. I have yet to see people swimming laps in the evening after 7 PM. The pool is not utilized to the extent that it justifies anything more that simply extending the hours of operation.

We should add food and drink service to the Pool. Other high end communities have this service and seems to add revenue to the community.

Keep the lap area.

SEPARATE ADULT ONLY LAP POOL

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Snack bar area is an eyesore. Do not enjoy the music-I like to read in quiet, will look for a spot away from the speakers.

More shade areas around the pool

Play the music

Enlarged Deck Area, larger general use area, shade.

Separate lap/exercise pool

THINK THEY ARE FINE THE WAY THEY ARE. HARDLY EVER SEE ANYNE DOING LAPS.

Would like a resistance pool for laps and/or walking. If there is a lap pool would like to have designated walk lane also

I like the idea of a lap pool

Rope should be removed for laps.

larger deck and second pool for adults

More deck space

We are brand new residents and have not yet spent a winter season in Riverwood. We were there in Nov/Dec and found only a small sunny area for sunbathing. We noticed the spa was completely in the shade. Otherwise, the pool and spa were wonderful.

Construct additional pool facilities, such as a lap/exercise pool and an updated changing room. The current lap lane is obstructed by ladders which limits the number of people that can swim laps in that pool. On many occasions a family gathering, with football playing, etc... will make it difficult for others to use the pool. Play in the pool, if done safely, is to be encouraged, but a second exercise and lap pool would make play and elderly exercise compatible. Note that everyone uses the pool at some time, whether directly or when the guests arrive. In other words, there are a lot of issues that could be addressed

I believe that the aquatic facilities are great now and do not need improvement.

Add a steam room. Snacks/beverages available for purchase.

Expansion of the pool and expansion of the pool deck area and additional chairs and lounges. From our observation, additional lap lanes would be beneficial, also.

We only use the pool and deck when we have company

Provide sun shade over a portion of the pool for year round swimming.

Need to have a separate adults area vs. kids area. I don't like swimming in the same pool as children

wearing diapers. Adult lap pools are a must. The pool area should be the utmost priority in the activity center update. It is very dated and really not impressive at all. I think that based on the seasonal timing, people come first and foremost to swim vs. other activities. More lush plantings, bar service, etc. would enhance the overall appeal.

Never enough lounging chair high season is bad .kid want to have fun they splash running and loud . Need areas for kids .more shade covered.

Lap pool wide enough for two swimmers going in opposite directions, ( at least 10ft wide), two indoor showers in locker rooms, some more pool equipment like pull buoys and kickboards

Men's dressing room: need new circulating fan, hooks on wall for hanging clothes, bench for sitting when putting on shoes, repair window so it can open or close, possibly shower (not really super necessary)  
Pool circulating pumps covered and protected from the weather (will make them last longer)  
Able to have access to inside dressing room if you did want to shower

Larger lap pool.

No need for improvement. It is fine the way it is.

Hot tub should be available 24 hours. Nighttime is the best time to use.

I would like to see a deep end to swim in.  
I love Riverwood and look forward to enjoying it more.

fine as is, do not change

We like the way they are

More possibilities for swimming laps, separate pool area for kids. The shower facilities at the pool are in a very bad condition. Should need to be upgrated.

would like to see the pool enlarged and refurbished and this would eliminate the need to provide a lap pool. this pool is 20 yrs old and needs improvement and enlargement

It's fine the way it is. It would be nice to have the large cantilever umbrellas back on the edge of the pool.

Have Internet service

need more space and pool area for lap and recreation swimming

lap pool would be nice

it would be nice to have a pool for children, reserving the main pool for adults. children like to splash & play with inflated toys and this disturbs adults

A therapy pool with a ramp access would be helpful for those requiring it.

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None.

Additional pool for resist walk and kids

Leave them as is!!!.. spending money for 25% of time that facilities may fill up a bit is illogical

Please keep lap swimmers in designated roped off area .If need be have them sign up for time schedule. several times annoyed that some individuals swam laps along side another in lap lane...thus decreasing room for all others using the pool!!

None that I can think of

Fine as is

Dedicated lap pool or multiple dedicated lap lanes

Build a separate pool for lap swimming only.

An additional pool will help with the crowding.

Need a larger pool and lounging area or one for adults only and one for families with children/grandchildren

Occasionally there is insufficient room to accommodate swimmers, however always sufficient room to accommodate waders and aquatic exercise programs.

I would love a lap pool.

If no lap pool, we should widen the present lap lane into 2 lanes.

A dedicated lap pool with a zero entry would ensure that I could swim for decades.

Enlarge the pool or provide a dedicated exercise pool.

Build a lap pool.

UPDATE AND MAINTAIN

I support the idea of adding a "lap pool".

We certainly don't need a second swimming pool.

A separate pool for exercising only. No kids allowed. For. Rehab exercising as well,

Lap pool lane is wonderful, please keep it!

We could use changing rooms. It would be nice to have a snack bar.

Lap pool, section for playing in pool like volley ball

A pool dedicated just for classes would be great!

Have more lap pool facilities and be sure other people respect the lap area. Lap swimmers get priority for that area.

Need more lounge chairs

Eliminate all forced music. Volume currently excessive & music selection not appropriate for audience - Wednesday loud rap, whiny country & ver loud.

We are satisfied with the existing facilities

Fine as they are

Would appreciate a deeper area in the pool

Because the pool is crowded during the season, we sometimes avoid using the facilities.

Expand the pool and lounge area to ease overcrowded periods.

Have a separate exercise adult pool area.

Maybe during season have a adult only dedicated swim time then open family swim time Maybe a couple of hours a day for adults only.

Have more chairs and unbrellas available.

Your best investment would be in another dozen loungers.

different pool color, it is dark,

Deep water diving boards--larger spa--nicer lounge chairs

Its just fine, just some holidays its alittle crowded

if you were going to add a pool make it a smaller resistance pool will provide a good workout in a smaller foot print

Need the pool to have a real deep area for better aquatic exercise.

Need a lap pool

lap pool/ rehab area

Separate pool needed for laps and exercise.

Lap pool area is used for walking and conversation. Sometimes, cannot swim laps. Could use 10 more lounges.

Prohibit ball playing in the pool.

Please add a shower and a locker room

Have time for adults only or kids only. We like to walk in the water.

new combination lap and swimming pool

More time for adult only swim. Resident activity time - water volley ball, neighborhood competitions, swim meets, etc.

Keep the hot tub.

Need locker room separate from bathroom

Add a separate lap pool with a ramp entrance for seniors.

If a piece of equipment is being used I simply change the order of my workout. Not an issue.

Watching TV while on a treadmill is harmful to once neck .Need a place for stretching.

The Exercise/Fitness Center is woefully inadequate in its current iteration -- the size, number and age of the current equipment, the fact that there is only 1 TV (which is often the source of argument and confrontations), the lack of a shower and true locker room facility among other issues holds Riverwood back from being a true "top of class" residence. The need for expansion of the physical site, increase in the number of pieces of aerobic and strength equipment and room to do push-ups and other mat-based exercises is absolutely necessary. There is no viable alternative to such an expansion and the fact that several residents have found it necessary to join local YMCAs because of the current inadequacy of this facility is a damning statement as to the status of the Exercise/Fitness Center. We use the Center on the daily basis and often are unable to complete our exercise regimen because of these limitations -- please expand it ASAP. Thank you.

New and more elliptical machines

A larger free weight room. And the suggested Therapy room is not needed. Who would schedule a therapist? who would do the billing? how about insurance cost? Who would do the medical billing?

Larger facility, more cardio equipment, better placement of tv's- larger and multiple tv's

Larger facility, more equipment

The facility could easily be doubled in size

I feel that the exercise rooms are used extensively during the season. I cannot speak for the summertime. Expanding the fitness center even minimally, would improve it.

It would really like to have the option of working with a personal trainer that I could reserve to give me person instructions. I would gladly pay for a person who is motivated and trained specifically for this task.

center is fine as is.

The free weight area is laid out more as an after thought. Cramped, no room for movement with two people.

The free weight area is laid out more as an after-thought. Cramped, no room for movement with two people. Dumbbells should be expanded and updated. The stability balls should be stored somewhere else along with mats. The lighting is harsh. Ask me -I owned and designed gyms for years [14002 Royal Pointe Dr]

My answer to this is the same as the pool. I go early in the morning when there are very few using the facility. I don't feel it is necessary to expand this. I have been in the exercise room when I am the only person there.

Occasionally offer a trainer whose services could be paid for by the user on a one-on-one basis.

Just a few more treadmills and a bike and another Nu-Step. I go at different times. IT has never been overcrowded.

Need 40% more space. Additional ellipticals, treadmills.

Expand the area. Get some new machines (the treadmills etc are old and break down. Plus we need more machines.) Need better air conditioning. Need to improve the lighting and the look and feel of the area.

more machines and treadmills and bikes

Add bicycles, including recumbent bikes; add cable resistance machine; more space for free weights.

Again, we think the facility is extraordinarily nice the way it is. Many, many time when we are there, there is no one else in the room.

Find some way to monitor the number of times/hours each piece of equipment is used, and then get rid of the least used ones, and replace with more most-used ones. I have observed that the treadmills are always in use. I would think that 2-3 more treadmills could be added without needing to expand the complete facility if some other equipment was taken away.

We need more of the exercise machines, treadmills, bicycles, etc. mentioned above. I'd use the exercise center more if it wasn't so crowded.

We very much like and use the facility and the Nautilus equipment. Expansion and more treadmills would be great.

Perhaps with expanded space, more and varied equipment could be made available

Equipment outdated and not working, sometimes. Not large enough. Need better locker rooms. And, could use a weekly fitness instructor, etc. More weight resistance and much better stationary bicycles would be greatly appreciated.

Needs to be larger

Add recline style bicycles

I think we could use some updated equipment, that being said I think many of the machines are very good.

Doesn't need improvement; out of season usually empty

A larger area with free weights would be nice.

Not sure but we know they need more treadmills

We are frequent year-round users of the exercise center and have never had difficulty accessing all equipment. Over the years we have never witnessed more than 5 others at the facility at the times we are there, which is often from 11 am to late afternoon. We do not believe any enhancement is necessary to the exercise fitness center and are fully satisfied with its current configuration.

resistance equipment needs to be updated

put additional treadmills in the pool table area.

A dedicated room or rooms for exercises classes would be a nice addition to the Exercise/Fitness Center.

Facility should be used in the afternoon, not just in the morning.

I use the club 2 to 4 times a week. I go early- 6 AM to 7 AM- never busy at those times

Again I use the fitness center at 630 am and don't have any trouble with getting on machines  
Not too many people there at that time

the free weight dumbbell area is unsafe when there is more than one person using it. There is need to expand this area to allow for safe use of equipment for all

First, I believe it would be a waste of funds that could be used for a different activity less costly, such as a shuffle board for example. First, expansion would require additional space which would be costly. Secondly, there is more than adequate equipment for everyone based on their age, active lifestyle, and number of people that take advantage of the facility. It is never crowded. If anything, you may want to consider replacing one or two pieces of equipment with something different. For example two pieces of leg exercise are not needed and one could be replaced by something different. For example stepping box, 2-3 steps would be a good one, perhaps a full body punching bag [people would have to use their own gloves or the Center could have them for sale] This is an excellent workout. What about billiard tournaments for more activity. If anything, I could see an enclosed extension to the outside patio of an area 30 X 30 for the pool table, dart board, shuffle board, chess/ checkers table & chairs, as a Game Room, but in my humble opinion, expansion of the Fitness Center would be a waste of funds and certainly would not induce more activity.

Currently adequate

More space between apparatus. More window access for better lighting.

More free weights. Better stair machine. Possibly spin bikes.

Some of the weight equipment levels start at too high a weight. Newer equipment with lighter settings would be better.

More floor space is need and at least and additional mat for people who work out on the floor.

More room between machines. Better lighting. Increased number of treadmills. TV provided treadmills not necessarily more TVs.

I would like to see the addition of more Ellipitacls.

Some system whereby we can hear the television while exercising (particularly on the aerobic equipment).

Larger, more units of popular equipment ( treadmill, ellipticals, etc). Trainer should be available one or two days per week to be certain people use the equipment properly

Add additional machines including a "back" machine for strengthening lower back muscles.

I would suggest more treadmills

more benches for free weight lifting

Showers, change room that offers privacy and lockers

YOU NEED NEW/MORE RECUMBANT BIKES

A larger, brighter facility with improved air flow is much overdue.

Trainer on staff. Larger. More equip

It should be in a larger area, especially for those doing mat exercises and free weights.

I use the gym 6 to 7 days per week starting around 10:00 am. I workout 45 to 60 minutes per session. Except early mornings, the exercise center is underutilized with 4 to 8 people at that time.

Larger space and more equipment. Contact a personal trainer to be on hand once a week to help set up programs for individuals.

Larger space with more equipment

Add more current machines.

More TVs with Earphones

Expand the space, update the equipment. Free weights are quite limited. It would be nice to have some barbells. Nautilus equipment is a bit outdated. Free weight area much too small. It needs to be expanded, and it needs to included more benches for free weight work.

No expansion needed. The room is dark and uninviting. It needs a facelift with more light, brighter walls, maybe larger windows. I personally would like 1-2 Concept 2 rowing machines. At a cost of \$800 a piece they take up very light space, are easily moved and virtually no maintenance.

We have never sensed any crowding or inaccessability to equipment at any time or period seasonally.

Increase the number of machines, so in season you do not have to wait long for a machine. Also, children should not be allowed in the fitness room

I do not see a problem with the facilities and have not had an issue using any of the equipment.

the question "do you think you would use an expanded facility" is worthless when evaluating possible expansion since the automatic answer is "yes"

More TV(s)

need full feature ellipticals upper/lower body not just lower body

More space and more up to date equipment would allow the overflow at certain times to fit in, and provide a brighter, more up-beat atmosphere for the participants.

Additional equipment in a expanded gym

Need to spread out the equipment - machines are too close together. Could use at least three more top of the line treadmills (with TV). Free weight area currently is much too small - can only accommodate two users at one time.

Get rid of the library. No one uses it

Take the pool table out . move to the other building.Putut the elipical and treadmill behind a new wall where the pool table was. It would be nice to look-out by the pool. I use this facility 12 months a years and the only problem I have heard about is use of the treadmills during high season.

Bigger

I use it daily and think it is fine. Perhaps one more treadmill and increase square footage would improve appearance

Upgrade equipment, have trainer present to improve workout or set a training schedule.

Need more resistance machines and bicycles and perhaps treadmills in a larger room. Could use better and larger locker facilities with keyed lockers for valuables while exercising.

Too breezy.....reduce fan use.mote tv and Bluetooth audio.Need showers and enhanced change facility. Perhaps part time instructor to assist with proper machine use

The fitness center is way too SMALL. You need more bicycles and weight equipment. You need a wooden floor for exercise classes like Yoga. Pilates. You need to expand the whole center to be one large gym.

Larger room for free weights, upgrade matts.

expansion needed!

Needs more space, also needs a person to orient the participants to some of the equipment, Many moire

would use it if they knew how. Also, would love a spin bike and video in order to have a spin class without having to have a leader,

We desperately need showering facilities. Currently using outdoor shower located at pool deck.

I would like to have a spinning room with classes, more room for free weight use, class room, more treadmills, stretching room

Its great the way it is.

PERFECT THE WAY IT IS

Satisfies demand large majority of time. Variety of equipment exceeds other facilities that I have attended.

more equipment

Improved/larger area for free weights. More treadmills. Music.

Doesn't need to be expanded much (a few more resistance machines and bikes, etc.) , but a little more spread out and definitely brighter look!!

Bigger with new equipment

The whole area needs to be expanded. The resistance machines are too close together. The room for free weight usage needs to be expanded with more padded weight benches. More room for exercise balls storage and usage.

Encourage residents to use the Center in non-peak hours or after 11:00 am.

Machines are too close together.

It could be expanded a bit.

Enlarge area and update equipment, and more equipment, add rooms for floor exercises, and exercise classes.

Need more pleasing environment

Improve the ventilation in the room

A steam room and sauna would greatly enhance the activity center and help to create more of a spa experience for residents and visitors.

Smaller individual rooms for Yoga, Zumba etc. Larger weight room

More of the popular machines and more room around the equipment.

Showers would be nice, but then you need lockers.... How many??

I could make a case for doing nothing, but it is crowded.

Yoga/exercise rooms should be in the fitness center building.

Add treadmills.

Currently meets our needs.

Needs to be at least twice the size and additional equipment added or replaced.

It need to be expanded!!!!

Add more and better bicycles, increase floor space, add an area to stretch and do floor exercises and provide a larger area for free weights.

stretching area, including mats & stretching station

Light weight pully machines for things like rehabbing shoulders & hips with weights as low as 1lb

More bycycles including incline type

Bigger area, more machines

more space, less congestion, more modernized locker room

Afternoons are not busy at all, but if you exercise in the morning during the season, it can be overcrowded for the area. The area should be enlarged, but I am not sure the entire building needs to be dedicated to this.

Needs space for stretching and floor exercises.

Create a space for users to stretch.

More machines.

more equipment

Better and more professional machines with expanded room to move around. More cardio vascular and resistance.

Bigger and better...

Part time trainer

The bicycles need much attention. We need some good recombunt (sp) bikes. These are the type where you sit and peddle in front. These are excellent for seniors that need cardio but have issues with conventional bike seats and knee, hip and back problems.

Seems to work well just as it is...Do we need to modify anything/everything for "Season" Residents or should we all EXPECT certain slow downs, just like traffic/restaurant waits, etc.?

add 2 or 3 more treadmills, possibly a rowing machine, include existing library & add small addition on east of library to accommodate this added equipment; opening up existing exercise\*\*\*\* add a 2nd floor: ++ first floor; m/w locker/ dressing rooms, showers, sauna. Beauty Salon, Masseur room we would rent out, to a vendor for appointments only. Two rooms that open into into each other, for group exercising . &... do a better job of scheduling these groups

2nd Floor: A. offices, with small staff conference /lunch room B. Library, with reading area, comfortable chairs C. computer room D. art room with north facing sky light OF CAUSE AN ELEVATOR, AT LEAST 6 PASSENGER

More treadmills & bikes

more modern exercise equipment, ellipticals with both foot and arm movement, more room for mat exercises

More treadmills, better lighting, more ellipticals and steppers

Offer a once a month class on how to use the equipment for anyone new. Offer weight training classes for women. Provide someone that can offer a fitness routine for individuals.

Bigger more open space, additional equipment, way too small a space , offer spin classes,

Create an outside exercise course called a par course

Encourage use during non-prime hours

Dedicated room for free weights, balance ball, stretching etc. More tvs. Mainly space. Offer expanded class options

more stationary bike products, cardio classes, larger area for stretching activities, evening exercise classes.

Much larger space, better lighting, more natural light. Add spin cycles not just "old lady" cycles.

We (husband/wife) use the fitness center 2-3 times a week Jan - April. A few times we have had to wait for the treadmills. The treadmills seem to be very popular and are underrepresented in the available equipment. Wife uses free weights 2-3 times a week. This room is inadequate in size, almost an afterthought. Other equipment seems to be readily available for those who use it.

more machines

More treadmills and elliptical machines and room for classes.

more room, would like to see more elliptical machines for low joint impact exercise. Like the type of elliptical machines currently in use. Need more room for stretching and work with resistant balls. No room for floor mats.

The center needs to be enlarged which would include an area for stretching, & free weights. I would like to see a dedicated area for fitness classes ( pilates &/or yoga ) as part of the exercise center

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New and up-to-date equipment with audio inputs that would allow listening to any one of the three TV channels. The exercise bike now in use must be 20 years old and often out of commission or in need of repair. There should be 2 if not 3 cycles available one of which should be a recumbent. Ellipticals should be updated and at least one should have moveable arm features. Treadmills should be replaced with newer state of the art features. A minimum of 3 TVs should be in operation at either end of the windows and on the opposite wall abutting the lobby.

Better and more stationary bikes, another treadmill and another elliptical. A steam room, sauna, shower facility. Separate rooms for free weights and general exercise activities (ie. using the ball, step, mats, etc)

More of some of the limited number equipment. Larger space. More televisions

When it comes to showers we believe residents should shower @ home. With the cost of water why pay for guest that take long showers not paying for the water. More room for yoga and other types of exercise would be nice.

Larger with more equipment

A small expansion and some additional machines and TV's would be good. The current proposed expansion of the room and the expansion of the building out to the road are unnecessary. During season I have never counted more than 20 people in the gym. Off-season, I am often the only one in the room.

Bigger space, more machines

If one particular piece of equipment is busy, I use another. However, an expansion of one - or perhaps two - additional bicycles, ellipticals, and treadmills might be in order.

Need better stationary bicycle equipment and better overall exercise equipment. Very outdated equipment.

Room is a bit too cramped. No matter the gym, you always have to wait. Not a problem

get another bike/stepper machine (the new one). Get spin bikes.

Bigger Room,More Modern Equipment, exercise rooms for Pilates and Yoga,Room for massages,Steam and Sauna rooms, Additional Exercise classes

Need more machines, space and better lighting.

Add more equipment and enlarge free weight area. Provide more room for stretching and floor work including mats.

I use the free weights most of the time. At times there are 3-4 squeezed into the tiny weight room. We need more space to use the weights and a ceiling fan would be great. I also do core twice a week I have to spread my mat in with the machines. I'm sure this is an inconvenience to others. Would be nice to have bosu balls, medicine balls, kettle balls, etc.

To have more bicycle and treadmills. Each machine should have individual T.V.'s with headphone connections so everyone doesn't have to watch the same program.

Need more machines and space for stretching

Free weight area needs to be expanded . Music would be an option . T.v,s could have subtitles .

A free weight room/group exercise room

More resistance machines & types of bicycles

Larger and treadmills with TV's on each individual one. The way the TV is positioned now it is not in front of treadmills and elliptical machines

Increase the size of the free weight area to allow more usage

Better lighting, space and machines. Headphones for the TV so we all don't have to listen to the same thing

Needs with more equipment

expanded area 33% +/- More treadmills

Larger, more light and air movement. More TVs with ability to hear audio on personal radio devices

We are too new to comment. We have used the facility, and have experienced wait time on all counts.

More space...

People just need to be patient and vary the time they go to the Exercise/Fitness center. My guess is that even in season the center is under utilized 70% + of the time. Why is there not study done to determine the time it is utilized instead of asking residents?

Add more treadmills with built-in monitors/TVs.

More space and equipment.

Survey equipment usage and provide equipment as needed.

Again, I'm not too sure here, as we are seasonal. However having the latest generation of machines is very important. I'm not too sure space is the issue and/or if the current space could expand into the reception area somehow.

Always waiting for tread mill .room is way too small

Updated equipment and ellipticals that require arm and shoulder motion

A couple more treadmills and bikes.

Showers in locker rooms, expanded area and more equipment

More space--feels like we are exercising on top of one another. If two people want to stand and talk, it is even worse. Not being a fan of Fox news, I can't get far enough away from the TV to use a treadmill without being forced to listen. Can't hear my headphones over top of TV.

Newer equipment.

no need for improvement. fine the way it is.

larger space would be nice.

Your question above is misleading. Yes I use the exercise equipment,. Next question should have been, if you don't use the exercise equipment, would you use an expanded facility? You now can say, people want an expanded facility!

Larger space; more selection of equipment; Possible part-time trainer for questions?

People who think this needs to be expanded may need to schedule their exercise at different times to take advantage of the light usage.

Larger room , more equipment.

it's fine as is, in fact, I'm impressed with the equipment/faculty

We need more room to place the machines at a decent space between them and add a couple of more TV's.

educate residents and guests on time rules, enlargement of facility will not improve bad manners

Nice facility - good equipment

The purposed expansion is excessive.

It's fine the way it is.

If the facility is expanding it would be very good to have a showers in the change rooms

I usually come in "off" hours and the center is usually almost empty. I understand it does get crowded in the mornings but I have no personal knowledge of that. I like the set up the way it is. Perhaps room for fitness classes would be nice.

Enlarge the weight room and add more barbells (not Dumbbells)

Improved ventilation and air conditioning.

utilize building completely as Gym. modernize the equipment.

More bikes and treadmills.

have more space between equipment so you aren't almost rubbing shoulders with people and can get

around without bumping into equipment

More ellipticals and some with wider strides. Take down the tacky amateur looking signs and replace them with professionally designed ones. Brighter with more windows.

Bigger area and increase machines

Less weight machines. More floor space. TRX

Wider variety of resistance machines & ellipticals

Room specific for yoga Pilates group classes that has no carpet . laminate flooring preferred.A larger free weight room with new rubber protected weights balls, boss balls and kettle weights ....varied graded weights,more benches.It would be great to get several rowing machines as well

need to have machine service...three of the Ellipticals need new batteries

Machine are very dusty

Need to have wipes for machine pre-moistened .

Fine as is

Add a therapeutic room for folks who can't use regular exercise equipment. This may facilitate chair exercises, etc.

I think it is fine the way it is. Go at off-times to avoid waiting.

Increase size

Needs more & updated bikes, more ellipticals & more treadmills. Could probably use more sets of free weights as well. Individual TV screens on the machines would be great so we don't have to all watch the same show/news.

A bigger room with additional bicycles and treadmills.

There is no space available to do floor exercises with free weights and no space for work bench exercises

Like it the way it is.

**PLEASE MAINTAIN THE PRESENT MACHINES ON A REGULAR BASIS(MONTHLY) DURING PEAK SEASON!**

We Need More ELIPTICAL'S.People are Interested in their Health!

More machines AND showers.

Showers

Increase # of treadmills, all cardio machines should have their own tv screens for use with headphones, brighter lighting, better spacing between resistance machines, larger area for free weights, better signage for limits on cardio machines, wait lists available for cardio machines- i.e. a clipboard w/a piece of paper.

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Additional treadmills and up to date resistance machines

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THE NEW BIKE THAT WAS PUT IN THIS YEAR, DOES NOT FIT OLDER PEOPLE. THE SEAT IS TOO SMALL AND IT IS NOT ENJOYABLE TO RIDE. IT IS NOT NEARLY AS GOOD AS THE SCHWINN WE HAD IN THERE FOR YEARS. MAYBE 5 TIMES A WINTER IT IS CROWDED AND I HAVE TO WAIT, BUT THAT DOES NOT WARRANT SPENDING LOTS OF MONEY TO MAKE IT LARGER. YESTERDAY THERE WERE 2 PEOPLE IN THERE BESIDES ME. IN THE SUMMER I AM ALONE MUCH OF THE TIME.

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Larger area and updated equipment.

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get another stepper bike.

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We could use more treadmills and biking machines.

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Larger area to work out with additional free weights

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More treadmills. More space around equipment for ease to get on and off.

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More space ! More equipment!

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\* This facility needs to be enlarged to accommodate the additional equipment identified above. \* The Free Weight room is simply too small. It needs to be enlarged to accommodate stretching and ball exercises. The room(s) should be modernized and brightened to be more appealing.

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Add more free weights and more cardio equipment. Personal trainer would be nice to have available.

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Steam room

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free weights, padded floor area for stretching, floor exercises,

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Think it's great the way it is.

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Expand the fitness center. It is not large enough to accommodate the number of residents we now have.

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I think it is fine.

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More equipment

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Crowded spread out current equipment and add some capacity,

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duty attendant, more machines with greater space between

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Floor mats that can be used for push ups and sit ups with appropriate equipment for foot resistance.

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By keeping the equipment in good working order. Last time I was there only one stationary bike was working and it was the recumbent bike. One of the ellipticals would not incline. If you dont go "off hours" the gym is crowded and has insufficient number of treadmills and ellipticals

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Would need more space to accommodate extra machine that are the most in demand

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More ellipticals

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More space to accommodate more equipment

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No suggestions. Just continue maintaining properly.

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More treadmills. If the need be, expand to accommodate more machines, not just to be bigger for the "birds", and to look "pretty".

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Enlarge the exercise facility to accommodate more elliptical and treadmill machines.

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Educate users about better (less crowded) times to use the center. Even during the peak season, the fitness center is almost empty on many afternoons. Does everyone need to exercise before 10:00 AM.

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It is perfectly fine as is

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Weight room needs expansion to accommodate the number of people using the area

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Area is much too small--free weights area is very inadequate---to stay current with other communities this needs to be fixed

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2 dedicated rooms for work classes

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If it needs expansion, a small increase should suffice.

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Needs a larger weight room and an area for individual stretching and aerobics. Also need one or two studio areas for yoga and Pilates. One could also serve as the individual area i already suggested.

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Add more treadmills a lot of equipment is seldom used, get more of the equipment that is used most often.

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enlarge the fitness center, too small

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Require users to sign in on machines. limit usage to 30 minutes max.

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More equipment, ellipticals, weights, resistance machines, bicycles, treadmills

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Better equipment, bowflex max

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TV not blaring; use earphones with TV's.

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expand the weight area only

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need more spin bikes. 5 weights are rusted and look terrible

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Better ventilation - A/C needed Maintain lighting

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We need a free weight area large enough to accommodate 12 people at a time.

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Machines are too close to each other. Free weight area is way too small. Need more space. better light...

windows

Larger areas dedicated to exercise specific classes

Have movable, soundproof walls between rooms in the "new" exercise center to accommodate class size.

I would like to see some of these classes offered @ night. Playing tennis every day makes it difficult to attend classes and yoga and stretching would be a great class to offer in the early evening.

The dance floor is not conducive to doing Pilates - some people come without mats and need to use towels which is really uncomfortable. We can hear clogging or Ping-Pong through the walls which is irritating (but certainly livable) when doing the cool down and warm up especially.

Also, having a room where someone could come in and do deep massages on a one-on-one basis.

Need space to have classes and some privacy.

better flooring suited to safe exercise

Demand for Yoga, Gyrokinesis, Yoga Nidra and meditation is rapidly growing requiring more space and more adequate studios / rooms for the number of Riverwood residents interested in the programs. It is necessary to provide two or three rooms designated specifically for these classes for three reasons:

- 1) to accommodate conflict in scheduling
- 2) to provide enhanced acoustics and eliminate noise which is disruptive for these types of activities
- 3) to offer individual storage in each room for accessories and/or equipment (mats, blocks, bolsters, blankets, etc).

Flooring that is easily cleaned and less susceptible to dust and dirt especially for floor exercises.

Would like more of a variety of yoga classes, and classes that use weights, etc.

Need quiet space for yoga/meditation/gyrokinesis....without the distraction of tap-dancing, etc, someone clang-banging around in the kitchen, landscapers trimming/mowing and/or people laughing/talking outside the windows.

See previous comment. Rooms as part of the Exercise center, sound proofed if possible.

should not be held on dirty carpet

circuit exercise program

providing more class times to accommodate more participants

In my opinion, the current system is working and any changes are not necessary.

Lighting and AC for keeping the rooms at a low light and cooler. The fans help, but warm at the back.

Reception area is overcrowded. And the rug on the floor makes it difficult to use. Classes with music should

beginner yoga is overcrowded. And the rug on the floor makes it difficult at yoga. Classes with music should not be scheduled when quiet gaming is occurring nearby.

I am fairly new so I have only taken the Tai Chi class. It is somewhat crowded during the season.

None at this time.

We need to encourage volunteerism but ensuring that volunteer instructors are covered by Riverwood insurance. It would be so nice if there could be MORE FREE CLASSES (like Resist-A-Ball and Pilates are now).

I would like to see an expanded Pilates program. Meeting at least 2 to 3 times a week

Room where you don't hear what is going on in the next room, it is distracting.

Definitely need more room

Would attend more but Gyrokinesis is only held 1 time per week.

Problem is lack of utilization of other spec in the building. Sliding door could be opened for larger classes, which is rarely done.

Dedicated rooms

The space is not so much a problem as the carry over sound from room to room. Noisy activities interfere with quite exercise and meditation like yoga.

Current classes and rooms work perfectly well.

There needs to be at least one LARGE room that will allow large numbers of people. I stopped going to a couple of venues because they were so crowded.

If a particular class is overcrowded just add another class. There seem to be no afternoon classes. I golf in the am and would like to take an afternoon class.

Larger rooms

Increase number of scheduled classes. Limit size of class. Have certified instructors (Pilates)

Soundproofing the partitions.

Aerobic classes should have a special floor

Its crazy the rooms are too small and you are lying on the dirty carpet for some of the classes. You should be on a wooden floor on an exercise mat.

Classes should be in a properly ventilated, dedicated aerobics room with a wooden floor and a mirrored wall. Bathroom facilities should be close by with locker storage for equipment. There should be a sound system available for music. I participate in many classes at my local gym; Zumba, kick boxing, cardio sculpt and boot camp and would like to see some cardio classes offered at Riverwood. I would be willing to pay for

instructors.

I never go to the classes but would consider

Need more space

The space is adequate but the flooring needs to be improved.

One issue with the space is that classes are constantly being cancelled for the entertainment series and meetings. We would therefore wish that the meeting/entertainment space be located in an area that did not interfere with the exercise activities.

Hold more classes at different times of day

Sound proofing each room. To much outside and other room noises.

I believe most classes have a maximum so I wouldn't know how many are being turned away. Instructors would be best source for this information.

When doing Yoga we have excessive outside and inside noise interference.

Again: bigger area

The need for larger rooms for yoga, Pilates classes. Area is too small and there should be better ventilation.

we have ample room for existing classes, but any additional classes or sections of an existing class would probably lead to overcrowding

Need different type of floor. We are laying on carpet that is walked on so dirty to lay on and work out. Not the right type of floor for exercising. Need mirrors so you can see the position your body is in that the instructor is trying to show you so you can see how your body is positioned.

Offerings during summer months. Communication as to what is offered (ex are classes free or is there a fee)

We need some flexibility in room sizes so classes can expand when in season residence want to participate.

Don't use them

Better flooring in exercise class rooms. WiFi audio system for instructors to use for the music needed for the class.

would be nice to have varied times in day

Classes are overcrowded and restrict movement in the spaces provided.

Larger, quieter room for yoga.

Appropriate floors for dance classes such as line dance, ballroom dance, tap, etc

more room, more options on times.. maybe more than once a day.

Some days during the season the yoga class is crowded. Would be helpful to have a dedicated sound proof room for yoga. We often have to compete for space among chairs and tables stored in rooms. Also noisy from classes in adjoining rooms

More space

Definitely need to improve soundproofing between the rooms

More Times, Additional Instructors, Spin Classes

a room for group exercise where equipment for classes could be kept.

Designated rooms, better lighting and sound systems, fans

I attend tap class..an adequate size room with a mirror wall and proper flooring for tap dancing would be wonderful

classes seem to conflict with golf.

I would like to see more Zumba class available and other aerobics classes as I see on the schedule there is a lot of yoga and water excersise. line dancing but no step aerobics and excersize dance classes

schedule more classes with fewer people

Padded floors

Continue during summer months.

Having a dedicated space for exercise classes not dependent upon other types of activities.

would be great to have strength training and floor/step aerobics classes offered

larger rooms so people aren't crowded. investigate having more than 1 scheduled session for classes

better video player and speakers

Do not have chairs in the room

bigger rooms

more classes ...some later in the day..seems all of them are early

Fine as is. Seasonal crowding is to be expected.

Yoga and Gyrokinesis need a more dedicated space without noise intrusion, and it needs to be larger to accommodate the class size

We either need bigger rooms or additional times for the same class.

May be Zumba class could be a little earlier sav 2 pm instead of 3 pm .

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Rooms suited to exercise activity such as specialized flooring and sound proofing.

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bigger rooms, spin room, appropriate flooring.

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Dedicated rooms with rubber floors.

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Yoga and meditation and gyro need quiet rooms with no disruption from loud music for exercising in the adjoining rooms. A hardwood floor would be preferable.

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Yoga has been canceled many times because of other activities in the room!

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As of today, I only attend Tai Chi Chih class once a week. Next year I intend to continue this class and also attend the Pilates classes along with my wife.

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Put the exercise classes in the building with the exercise equipment in rooms that are insulated against noise in other rooms. I would like to pay a fee once a month and then be able to take any classes and not have to come up with a certain amount of cash. Locker rooms are needed. Exercise balls should be provided for the ball class.

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No comment

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The pool aquatic class should be for just that during the 1 hr in the am.

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More classes geared toward "silver seniors". Like the chair yoga class, senior Zumba, things people with bad knees and arthritis can be involved in. I am 66 and in fairly good health but I can't get down on the ground anymore and the Zumba and other new class this year are geared for 45 yr olds.

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Larger Rooms

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A specific area for exercise would be a huge asset. Sometimes you have to be on carpet rather than floor and that is unsanitary!

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The existing facilities are adequate for the current sizes of the walking and rest-a-ball classes.

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dedicated exercise space not on the meeting room carpets

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No suggestions.

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Schedule 2 classes per day instead of just one or locate classes in a larger room.

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I would love to see an Aerobics class (other than Zumba) or a Weight/Toning Class. Also don't like the idea of working out on the floor of a room where there was a cocktail party the night before.

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Its the area that needs to be expanded.

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See previous comments.

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need smaller rooms for less attendance

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Not enough space to lay out mats

Need to improve sound-proofing the rooms

Designated rooms, music, better lighting, fans

line dancing could use more hardwood floor area.

We need dedicated space for classes. Mirrored walls, special floors, better acoustics and professional instructors.

Wood floors, mirrored walls, speaker system, floor mats

Keep the surface rolled and flat. Shade trees over the benches would be great. Score boards need repair.

Just repair

Shade. Total sun area currently

I am not a Bocce Ball expert but even some repair to the current courts would go a long way to "inviting" people to play. It is a great game.

the bocce courts need shade and benches and perhaps a designated space for tables and chairs. Frequently the bocce teams gather after the games to sit and chat and share a snack.

There needs to be somewhere where shade can be obtained without walking under the portico. During play, especially in the afternoon, it gets really hot.

Just improve courts. Could some one to set up leagues , maybe between neighborhoods.

Perhaps organized league play?

General maintenance, and repair

We disagree with the premise that the courts are in need of replacement. We've played bocce for more than 50 years and find the current courts to be in very good condition. Routine maintenance is of course necessary, and at times it appears this may not be occurring as frequently as necessary. For example, the score balls markers need to be replaced. We have never had a problem reserving courts or playing when we wish, and are fully satisfied with this Riverwood amenity.

Give them the same attention that is currently given to tennis or crockate.

Shaded areas at both ends of the courts

A shaded area at both ends of the courts

MORE COURTS NEEDED. BOCCE BALL ACCESS OUGHT TO BE EASY.

Protection so the courts won't deteriorate.

Need to redo all the Bocce Ball courts.

Shade for the benches

They appear to be fine. Maybe someone else has other opinions.

Provide shaded player seating.

consider adding shuffle board courts also.

Annual upkeep to keep courts level. Shaded area if courts are moved.

we play very infrequently. don't have a valid opinion

Maybe fewer courts made of clay? The plywood with artificial turf is not very good.

Shade cover and standing tables for beverages

more seating, water fountain (if possible one should be at all out door activity sites

They are adequate now

have some shade around the courts

Not aware they need replacement, need to be able to sit down between turns.

rolled and weeded regularly. wood siding replaced , repaired or restained

Shade would be fabulous at the court ends. Either trees or awnings

They could be leveled and refurbished but they don't have to become 'professional' bocce ball courts

Seating activity promotion, leagues etc

Provide shaded seating for players .

Please be sure to include the benches. Sun protection would be a plus--older Italian men playing in their local park are playing under trees.

They seem adequate if they are maintained.

Make sure they are professional bocce courts that can withstand the weather and have seats at each end of the courts and trees big enough for shade. It gets very hot out there in the direct sun.

The plans and design were submitted to the CDD in 2014 and approved we are still awaiting the construction of the new Bocce Ball Courts.

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I think that they are ok now.

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Leveling the surface and new equipment and new score rack

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rolled & surface smoothed out

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condition of ground on a continual basis -- such as clay courts, not astroturf

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benches; better scoring; covered area for viewing/sitting

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Organized teams!

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Canopy over benches. Updated score keepers. Courts that are level and clean.

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Canopy over benches. Adequate scoring board.

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Trees for shade

The court should be built with a plastic compound for frame and not real wood. It would last so much longer with little maintenance

Area between courts should be level. Brick pavers or concrete

Benches at the ends of each court should be made of a resin or plastic not wood lower maintenance

Handicap access to court not a stupid sidewalk that does not provide access onto the courts. An actual opening on the side wall with a side walk type access ramp will allow a wheelchair or walker onto the end of court so individual can actually be on the court to play. I would love to assist with this project.

You need to cover play area with quality artificial turf

You need a budget that will allow lines to be painted each year and turf to be replaced periodically. Maybe even purchasing artificial turf with lines already part of color.

Bocce equipment should be replaced as needed

Counters should be built to withstand the heat

Landscaping and flowers would be a nice touch

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Shaded areas to break the afternoon sun would be desirable.

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New better courts are needed. Shade would be nice.

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Would like to see lawn bowling as well.

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Shade for spectators and players

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upgrade court material, shading and seating on both ends, water station with cups.

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Canasta and Mah Jongg is accommodated well except when rooms are reserved for other activities. Perhaps evening games could be relocated to unused exercise rooms when regular rooms are reserved by others.

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Smaller more intimate card rooms with some card and some rectangular tables

There is sufficient room most of the time, but being in such tight quarters it often gets too noisy and we can hear music playing in other rooms. More space and sound barriers in between walls.

First and foremost - sound proofing.

If there was a room that could always be used for specific games and not interfere with other activities that would be wonderful. Frequently during the season games are cancelled due to other activities. A large group play canasta, so a large room with up to 15 tables is needed during the season. Smaller, quieter rooms are needed for mah jongg.

nothing

Provide set up at no charge as scheduled

Have restrooms closer to some of the areas.

For the most part size is OK, but the accoustics are not good at all. Sounds between various rooms are readily heard. EG movie, card players etc.

Fine way it is but perhaps a cupboard for game materials that can be locked

Card rooms done in a better style.

There is sufficient room but sometimes 2 groups are put in the same room and it gets quite noisy.

More beginning classes for bridge. The one I attended wasn't.

make sure there is enough room between tables to push chairs back and walk between tables when playing at square card tables

too loud, need better acoustics.

air conditioning not consistent. either it's cold or warm, does not stay consistent.

noise from other rooms

Play Euchre for money. [ just kidding, I know that gambling not allowed. ] Seriously though, I believe more advertising of these games and the various excercise classes needs to be initiated.

Perhaps, in addition to the outside board, perhaps an inside board located in a high traffic area.

Maintain billiards tables in a designated room. Add shuffle board tables.

Mah Jong players really enjoy playing outdoors under cover when the weather is nice. This needs to be accommodated for all groups.

I am only here a short time so I am not really qualified to judge, BUT PLEASE keep the puzzle table and the pool table.

The number if players varies. We have plenty of room.

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Mah Jongg gets crowded.

Some times a little crowded, the sliding curtains need to be opened to accommodate the occasional over-crowding.

More rooms to separate various activities.

Dedicated rooms

There is sufficient room but not in season .

Separate room for bridge

more space so games won't be bumped by other events

Better atmosphere

It's fine now.

I have only played Mah Jongg there once but hope to play in the future. It is my understanding that there are not enough rooms for meetings and games and I am in favor of expanding to accommodate more activities

Just fine the way it is.

PERFECT THE WAY IT IS

Nothing

Actually a sma ller, quieter room would be good. Not being canceled for other activities.

I play outside under shade. More comfortable chairs.

add card/game rooms.

Poker tables.

card rooms and art rooms with sinks/water

More rooms

It's ok

I play mah Jongg and we are not at all crowed. I cannot speak for other gamers.

It is fine as is

Increase the number of rooms available for playing. Large rooms and several small rooms, especially for card games.

Refreshments

Temperature control. This a constant problem and is mostly too cold and blowers are too severe. Card tables are usually too dirty and also chair rims where you would grasp the chair.

OK as is

more room availability

Weekly card playing is often cancelled for special events. Continuity of weekly sessions is important.

Adding the pizza kitchen and restrooms convenient to the playing areas.

Offer more bridge classes and open times for people to come and play at different levels. Offer beginners classes or refreshers for canasta, Euchre so new folks could join. Offer a teaching class on Mah Jongg. There are tons of players but I didn't see a class on teaching it.

Access to bathrooms without going outside, real card tables

dedicated poker rooms

We have seen attractive dedicated card rooms in other communities; nice, but not necessary. The multipurpose rooms work just fine.

Sometimes parking is an issue, especially if another event is going on.

On many days, Mah Jongg players must spill out onto the patio, some by choice, others because tables are not available in the Egret room. Also, better lighting and insulation/soundproofing in the walls to eliminate music and/or noise coming from adjoining rooms would enhance the social experience.

more rooms....bridge players come to play during mahjongg which is disrupting.

I would like better sound proofing between the rooms, as it can become quite loud if there is line dancing, choir, etc. going in the next room.

We would like to see rooms that could be enlarged if needed. Bathrooms close by.

Not canceling cards because of other activities scheduled.

Put fans in the outside table section

well it certainly is not going to be enhanced if we add rooms that are smaller and smaller that does not even make sense rooms with walls that can open or close is great so if you have a bigger crowd you can expand the room but if something is going on in every room you cant do that. we have that now and cant open the walls to expand

More couples bridge games

have enough rooms we could play inside

The rooms are not inviting...either too big for group or way too small for other groups. Lighting is always an

issue. Furniture arrangement is always an issue...we always have to drag in tables and/ or take ones down. Often activities have been canceled because some other group "bumps" us out...we have had to double up activities in the same room on several occasions also.

Need more rooms for specific activities.

Provide a dedicated game room to accommodate multiple games simultaneously.

Have bigger for canasta games if your are 5 minutes and the tables are full the door is closed and wasted your time to come.

I have no problem with the facility or my playing area.

Just fine as it is

Have background music.

good just as it is. solid walls will not allow for larger groups of card playing persons therefore eliminating any flexibility we now have.

I think it's fine as it is.

The acoustics could be better as it can be quite loud between rooms when exercise classes are running at the same times.

Provide smaller rooms to play the various types of cards on different days of the weeki.

noise dampening

Means of controlling the air conditioning

Air control, like a/c or heat

access to wash rooms

more inside space to play

Have the card/game rooms set up & ready for their scheduled play dates & times.

Larger dedicated rooms.

Be sure to keep the pool table...it is used a lot.

For bridge--A smaller room, not to be shared during lessons or play.

invitation to play -- not private games

Dedicated rooms

A private card room with bathroom facilities closer.

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More rooms of varied size.

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Dedicated card rooms with a bathroom nearby.

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better kitchen to handle snacks between games.

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Separate rooms for each game(group)

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Have adequate same for the games

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It is disruptive to have a loud movie being played in the adjoining room from Mah Jongg or Cards.

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Tables more suitable size for playing poker. Tables now have big bars underneath that are very uncomfortable to a persons legs. Closer bathrooms.

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Better lighting

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not canceling nights due to other events; being moved to much smaller room when other events interfere with the games.

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Additional rooms

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New tables, chairs, place for snacks.

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Expand the Activity Center. Make the rooms sound proof so more than one activity at a time could use other rooms especially during the meetings.

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I have played mah jong up at the Ac mostly in the summer, so there was no trouble finding space, but during high season it might be tight. I would like to see trivia NITE be a regular thing. Anyone can be involved. I missed the bridge lesson series but would love to see that again.

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More rooms. Currently have to play outside due to insufficient space.

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We need more room for in season so that the different types of games do not need to share. Also card players are not happy with being bumped out of their time slots for other activities. Too often this happens

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Air conditioning runs quite low in the evening and it becomes a bit uncomfortable.

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If we didn't have to listen to Zumba at a ridiculously loud volume in the room next to us. (We have had difficulty hearing each other and it sometimes feels like the walls are shaking)

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Fine as it is

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Air conditioning should work better. Tables cleaned period.

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Add some dedicated game room for table games like pool.

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More comfortable chairs

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Rooms must be dedicated to card players. No canceling due to other activities. No shortening the RESERVED time so that the lazy staff can rearrange tables (I did it in 5 minutes and another time I stayed and watched. They came in 20 minutes after they insisted they needed the rooms and moved sooooo slowly. Absurd! But then so are having four guards hanging around the gate house. So is expanding the center when the staff couldn't even control the rampant rats!

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Access to food / snacks--more indoor rooms--restrooms expanded---TVs

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Making the room temperature warmer in the winter and in the summer!

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Regulation poker tables and smaller rooms

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Again, noise level high, improve sound-proofing

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smaller rooms, tables are old and torn.

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More appropriate size game rooms so not to have 2 - 3 tables in a large room.

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bigger space and amenities, vending machines with juice and water.

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They are fine as they are, we are lucky to have a dog park

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Plant better grasses and maintain grassy area better than at present. The grass is too thin, with too many bare spots, resulting in very dirty dog paws.

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Better dog play area.

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More seating for dog owners. Some dogs dig so more frequent replacement of areas of sod if necessary.

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Improve surface to eliminate mud.

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Larger.....needs to be relocated....more shade....more benches.....grass needs a lot of improvement.....our dog comes back filthy....black sand is terrible .....we have stopped going because the dog needs a bath after every visit.....thanks

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more shade

garbage pail for dog poop

messy/muddy area to get to the dog park from the parking lot

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need to create a larger space with separated areas for large dogs and small dogs. More trees / shade are required over larger area. scheduling of designated hours can be changed with separate exercise areas. Possible scheduling of "special needs" dog time to allow for older dogs to use park without concern of being accidentally injured by younger dogs of similar size.

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The dog park is fine as is.

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The addition of new sod was a great improvement

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Currently, when it rains, there is a lot of ponding due to poor drainage, and the dogs get muddy, so drainage improvement. Also, grass cut on a regular basis (especially since the dog park is the only amenity where we pay a user fee); separate enclosure for small and large dogs, dog washing station with proper drainage.

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A larger space with more shading.

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The dog park is fine as it is.

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Needs to be bigger. Would be improved by better grass and a way to water it to keep it nice.

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Perhaps 2 runs for small and large dogs....more shade....more seats for owners....a better, safer lock system.....more objects of interest for the dogs.

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Better maintained sod. Toys for dogs. If some dogs can't play and share they should not be aloud there. A small few dogs should not rule for the rest of the group. Agility equip might be fun.

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Relocation to a combination open space & wooded area with trails. Separate areas for small & large dogs, so that everyone can use it at all times of day . Eliminate medium dog category - no one uses it. Dog park users are dismayed that there is no official provision for a new dog park in the proposed plans, only that the current one will be removed.

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Facilities are fine as is.

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Excellent the way it is.

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Someplace to deposit the dog waste!

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Equipment added and better lawn care

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2 areas, small and large dogs

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More shade and specialized exercise equipment

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better turf, larger size,more parking and shade

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Park should be enlarged from 15,000 sq ft to 20,000 sq ft

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Park should have a fenced-in, secure parking lot

larger space to throw frisbee/ball and not have to have the dog put on the brakes as they get near the fence. A little nicer seating area for the humans.

better turf and better maintenance of the turf

Leave it alone!

Larger area with separate part for little dogs so all sizes can be in there at once

lawn watering, fertilization etc to keep dirt in check

We do not have a dog and do not belong to the dog park - but we lied in answering this question because the dog park is a good thing and should be supported. If we get a dog, which we think about, we will join the dog park.

Slightly bigger. New grass.

I think it is great that there is one. I do not have a dog.

Larger space - better kept grass via irrigation and a shaded area

Better grass so the dogs do not need a bath after playing. Agility play area. Separate area for dogs that are aggressive.

More seating with shade for the members, more trees and shrubs. Water for the dogs. Should have area with pavers to sit with shaded area.

it should be enlarged and have natural shading, comfortable seating, water, and a surface that will not turn into mud or be hard on dog's paws.

A little more seating for owners

have fenced off areas for smaller dogs so they may use the park at the same time as larger dogs without interference. Have areas for ball and or other game play separate from area where other dogs like to socialize without other dog interference while chasing balls, Frisbees and other flying objects. Time restrictions are sometimes hard to follow.

I thought the facility was great - lack of attention by some of the owners was the problem.

Larger with separate areas for small and large dogs. More shade trees. Better grass! Better upkeep. Garbage can at the park to deposit dog waste. Water for the dogs.

More shade area is needed. Why not use some of the oaks which property owners were willing to donate.

dedicated areas for size of dogs

restrict toys and games to specific areas

improve grass at park

More space

There should be a dog park for small dogs, and a much larger one for large dogs. The service gate should be padlocked. The lock on the front gate is old and difficult for some people to use. Card readers would be a good replacement, with gates that have springs to close them after they are opened, and then lock when they are closed. The fence needs to be reinforced on the bottom, as some dogs are getting out where the fence is damaged, or the ground line is too low. With 92 families as members, we are the largest special interest group in Riverwood. We are growing every day. We need more space, and we need regular maintenance of the lawn surface.

Fine as it is

add some agility options, more seating

Large comfort and shade area for humans

We need a separate section for small dogs ( under 35 lbs. ). The park is undersized for larger dogs that need to run. We have near one-hundred member families but in-season overcrowding and concerns for safety deter others from joining. We need at least one acre. Due to the extreme heat of July->September, lighting would enable more and cooler options. An additional waste bag station and trash cans would help since these are staples at most area dog parks.

Additional areas with shade would be desirable.

Plant more trees for shade.

Dog Park needs to be greatly expanded with several water stations, waste bag receptacles and TRASH CANS available. The dogs need a place to roam freely with trees for shade. Safety lanes for dogs who love/need to run at top speed. Park should be divided for small dogs and large dogs to visit any time of the day. A section for non-ball play and/or other extenuating circumstances should be incorporated. Members should not have to go through security to reach dog park. It's dangerous to be in a golf cart and sit in traffic in between venders waiting to get through gate. Security cannot see us and the diesel/exhaust is not healthy. Also, many full time residents use the park numerous times a day. The summer heat makes this impossible. A dog park equipped with lights would allow for exercise and play at the park during cooler hours.

Run a fence diagonally so that large and small dogs can use the park at the same time.

Enlarge the dog park to accommodate both large and small dogs at the same time.

More shade

Improve the quality of the grass

It's the new sport and we should have it here

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One of the most increasingly popular sports in South west florida and yet no facilities exist here.

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In my experience, the game became very popular once the facilities become available.

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Maybe start with 2 courts and leave room for 2 more if necessary

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Would love to have the opportunity to play Pickle Ball at Riverwood.

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I and some friends currently play Pickleball at the Inlets

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I'm not sure what this is but it sounds interesting

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Pickleball is a great game, especially for people who used to play tennis and find it too much running for them now. One of us goes to North Port each week to play pickleball and we both play when we go to our northern home. It is a game of hand and eye coordination and great camaraderie. Pickleball is now a game in the Senior Olympics. Pickle ball must be played on hard courts. Our tennis courts cannot support pickle ball. Also it would be great to have teams to compete against.

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Need at least as many pickle ball courts as tennis courts. We found out in our northern neighborhood that we anticipated less interest than there actually was. Do not underestimate!!

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New activity that is growing in popularity. We need to keep this an active current community. All the new communities are offering it.

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The pickle ball is vary noisy you would not want the courts near meeting rooms or office space. Sound barriers may be required

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Know nothing about it except it is very popular and worth looking into

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I say no now because I'm very involved with the tennis program, as I age, I think pickle ball would be a great alternative.

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Very interested in playing

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Would be a great addition....new popular sport.....great for us aging folks !

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We have never played but does look interesting and might play if offered. Not a major priority.

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Seems to be growing....we put three courts in up north....eliminating one tennis court

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We're from the Northwest with snowbird friends in Phoenix. Pickle ball has been extremely popular west of the Rockies for at least the past 10-15 years. Would definitely recommend use of the soft surface paddles and avoid driving nearby folks crazy with the constant "thunk-thunk".

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We play pickle ball two to three times a week, which is a 20 to 30 minute drive each way.

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Where ever we play there is always many more people playing pickle ball than tennis, it is a game that can be played all ages and doesn't require a lot of instruction or skill level to have fun and get a good work out.

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be played all ages and doesn't require a lot of instruction or skill level to have fun and get a good work out.

In talking with other residents people do play it and many seem eager to learn.

I think we should have and need at least 8 courts which would be the equivalent to two tennis courts.

Its a growing game for communities like Riverwood, not having pickle ball seems lacking.

If we are going to built pickle ball courts let's start out small, determine their use, and then, if warranted, expand.

nice alternative to tennis

don't think 3 courts will be sufficient.

need organized leagues based on ability under control of tennis director.

leagues operating at times different to tennis as many tennis players would play. need some pm athletics, everything seems to be done in the morning

This would be a great addition to Riverwood. I suggest at least three courts with additional room for expansion if participation takes off as it has in Englewood ( from 30 to 800 players in the area in past 10 years)

Very popular game in Europe and getting popular in US, but not enough publicity

Have never played, however have heard about it and feel we would play in contrast to tennis.

Interested in learning about it. With our aging population, an alternative to tennis would be appreciated.

This is one of the few parts of the proposed upgrade I view as a "value add" to Riverwood. You just need to include enough courts.

Need to provide courts to play.

I would like to try it. I have heard that it is a lot of fun.

We would, at least initially, need some instruction provided.

What about making equipment available?

I have friends that play in other communities and it is popular. I would like to learn it

Sounds like a good option for exercise and fun down the road.

The smaller court would be more appealing

Satisfied that there are no courts currently.

To be competitive with surrounding communities, this would be a good addition to our community.

Play pickleball 2 to 5 days per week. Great game for elders who want to stay active and competitive.

May pickleball 3 to 5 days per week. Great game for oldersters, who want to stay active and competitive.

It is the fastest growing sport in America.

Fastest growing sport in the US. I think you should put in 6 courts now instead of 3 and then having to come back in a few years to add more. You should visit the Englewood Sports complex and look at the new outdoor setup. These courts are constantly in use and they also have 3 indoor courts going 4 days a week. All of the surrounding developments have pickle ball.

I would think about 6-8 courts are going to be needed. Pickle ball is a hugely successful game not only for seniors but young people as well. We will have the room for it, use it.

To bad you didn't give choices of I don't know or unsure and maybe.

If it's less strenuous than tennis it is the next step for an aging population to continue to socialize within the structure of competitive, outdoor aerobic exercise.

Can't really answer yes or no

Three may not be enough so keep expansion in mind

Great idea

possibly good tennis alternative for seniors, but who cares what they play in the Villages

Two of our daughters play and certainly recommend it. Replacement knee makes tennis impossible.

Fun game; not as strenuous as tennis. Quite the rage in other parts of the country!

I am not familiar with Pickle Ball but am open to new experiences. If there is enough interest from my neighbors for a court, then I think there should be one.

We love pickle ball and play at least once a week but have to go to Englewood or Punta Gorda

Long overdue....good proposal as it is less strenuous than tennis.

would like to learn

We are told that pickle ball is the most popular upcoming game at many communities and are really looking forward to being able to play here

Many of our friends are having to go to Northport to play and we are going to try it out but want to have it available at Riverwood

I might try it. Not very important to me.

Good game for seniors. Grass courts are superior because of less knee stress.

Need courts

I feel Pickle Ball would be an asset to RW. Many former (due to injuries) tennis players really miss the racquet sports. Have tried it at the Englewood facility & am certain that RW residents would welcome installing courts. Provides more social interaction than a fitness center.

At least four pickle ball courts are needed.

As we age, this is a great alternative to tennis if it becomes too strenuous. We need activities to keep us healthy!

Just learning about the activity but it seems like something I would be interested in.

ESSENTIAL TO BE COMPETITIVE WITH THE REST OF THE FREE WORLD.

This is the coming activity especially for seniors make sure you have enough courts

Interest to start it.

Pickleball is the fastest growing sport in North America so probably 6 courts are needed in the beginning..

Good for an aging population and ex tennis players who are no longer physically capable.

better than trying to take up tennis @ 65

Certainly, at a later age

If major new developments in the area have them then we need a couple to stay competitive.

I think pickle ball courts would be a very good addition to the activity center campus and would get a great deal of use.

Don't really care;not a priority.

Might like to learn, and maybe play

This is something I would like to do when I become a full-time resident of Riverwood.

pickle ball is becoming very popular and I think it would be well received in Riverwood

Time sheets of course

Definitely a sport needed to accommodate another/newer population of residents.

Play pickle ball instead of tennis

great game for residents. not as difficult and less prone to injuries as in tennis

Start with a minimum number of courts placed where expansion could be accomplished with little additional cost.

Less impact than tennis and more fun.

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would need multiple courts, great exercise game for more skill levels of players

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I don't play tennis due to bad knees, but if less strenuous might try Pickle Ball. If I had to pick one though I'd prefer the lap swim pool

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Great idea, but not near swimming pool. It is noisy

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Sounds like an interesting alternative to tennis. Is probably something we need to offer to remain cutting edge.

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I hear that it can be played on the regular tennis courts. Why don't we try that first and see if there is enough interest before we build these courts.

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This would probably be popular at Riverwood as tennis becomes too strenuous!

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Have heard lots about it and MIGHT be interested if we could fisicaly do it.

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Would like at least one court with lights

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We have been playing both indoors & out door pickle Ball during the winter months & absolutely love it.. However we have to travel to Englewood or North Port to do so. We would definitely use them & think they would be a terrific addition to Riverwood Activities.

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I played the game for many years when I was younger and have not played since because of the unavailability of courts. I think if the courts were available the game will become quite popular. Much more than bocci or croquet.

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pickle ball is exploding in popularity. the plan to put in 3 courts is very good, but you will find that 3 courts is not enough before very long.

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Pickleball is a great 'lifetime' sport growing in popularity. It is a great social activity and is easier on the knees then tennis is. Presently we drive to Englewood to play

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Do not play at present but may in future because tennis is too demanding

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It seems like a great game for residents that are not quite up to playing tennis but love the game.

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We have never played, might play if we had them.

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It would be a nice option

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I would build one court with the ability to build a second and third adjacent court if the use warranted it. (This could easily be a passing fad such as racket ball.)

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Not absolutely necessary, but think it might be an added benefit to the Riverwood community

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I might use it occasionally, .like twice per month during winter months. Too hot and humid in many months to do activities outside.

A nice addition to an expanded community, diversifies the activity center, keeps up with a younger resident who may have interest in Purchasing a home at Riverwood

This is an extremely popular, relatively new sport that can be enjoyed by seniors. Great exercise.

it's the hot item now. Almost everywhere else has it

The availability of an instructor/ someone knowledgeable would be useful to learn the game. It is not something that would warrant a full time instructor.

Would definitely play pickle ball.

Pickle ball is a very popular activity. Using tennis courts for pickle ball does not work with tennis or pickleball

Less strenuous works!

Great idea

Good alternate for ex tennis players like myself.

Have to drive to Punta Gorda currently to participate in pickle balls

Think it would be a great addition

We are avid racquetball players, but have not found any facilities close by. We have heard and read about pickle ball, and feel this is something we would be very interested in.

Conversations with other associations have made it evident that Pickle Ball has been well-received. We would like to see it available at Riverwood.

Pickle ball is an extremely popular game...courts are always filled in Punta gorda...I'm sure if Riverwood had them, they would also be filled. Someone would need to be in charge of organizing play

This is a MUST HAVE. Growing in popularity, people are starting to EXPECT to have it. Great "move forward" item for Riverwood!

Sounds like fun .something different.less stress than tennis

I think it's time to do this.It's sweeping the country

It's a growing sport for people who can't or do not play tennis.

A great new game, exploding all over Florida that all skill and fitness levels can play. Great for males and females,very inexpensive after courts are established

We think pickle ball is a great sport for older adults and would like to see teams and tournaments.

I do not know what pickle ball is.

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Possibly could be interested in pickle ball, but limited knowledge of the game

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Three inline pickleball courts and accommodate lots of Riverwood pickleball players.

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Sounds interesting and if others interested would like to try it! However, if costly, then \$ should be spent elsewhere.

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I feel that if tennis courts are added, that they should be hard courts that could serve a dual purpose as pickle ball courts.

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Heard it was a great game.

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Pickle ball is very popular other places and would be a great addition/ and attraction to our community.

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This was a very popular option for residents of other neighborhoods I had looked at in FL. I have never played it yet myself, but would certainly be interested in doing so.

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Pickle Ball is one of the fastest growing sports in USA. Being offered in some schools, played by all ages, particularly popular with tennis players who can't take the running required as they age, but still played by even younger tennis players. Just fun, fast, and great exercise.

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With the popularity of pickle ball, there should be at least 6 courts to accommodate the number of players there would be. This would help enable people to stay in Riverwood to play and not have to drive to Englewood and other communities to play.

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Would love to try it

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We should provide this for the residents.

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Would like to see pickle ball courts installed

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It would be fun.

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I know it played on a smaller court with a smaller racquet. Since I am over 70 I think my days of competitive tennis may be ending in a few years. I would like an alternative.

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Always been interested many friends I know play

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There seems to be lots of interest in Pickle Ball so Riverwood will need more than one court.

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Sounds like a great, popular addition. Lower body stress than tennis...but good exercise. Perfect for an aging population.

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I think it should be offered since it is growing quickly in popularity

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Would play if courts were available, as it is less strenuous on arthritic shoulders.

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I think we need Pickle Ball courts at RW. Once here we would probably have many try it and like it.

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I think we would give it a try. Whether we would stick to it is an open question.

This sport will catch on like wildfire once it is introduced.

No input

Badly needed. Preferably lighted. Would most likely find two or even three pickle ball courts inadequate over a very short time. Please plan on potential expansion that would be necessary because of the popularity of this activity.

Great exercise!

Pickleball is the fastest growing sport. It is faster paced than tennis while being easier on joints. Tennis players will switch sports when they see what great exercise it is and how fun it is. Line a tennis court now. Two PB courts can be lined on one tennis court. They could be used afternoons and evenings under the lights. We hate driving 30 minutes to play in Engelwood. There are other residents from here that play elsewhere.

This is the fastest growing sport in the country. We would be very behind the times in not including the pickle ball courts here at Riverwood.

I would try pickle ball, my knees can't stand tennis anymore and I hear it is gentler.

We think it is important for the modernization of Riverwood. It seems to be the popular sport now.

Could probably use 4 courts minimum

Lessons for novices would be great

Have a number of friends who are dedicated Pickle Ball players and have gotten out interest.

Due to physical limitations, we find tennis too difficult, and would like to try pickle ball.

Space should be provided

We understand new courts would be necessary as opposed to converting existing tennis courts which we would not be in favor of.

I understand it is less strenuous than tennis which I have enjoyed in the past. Possible add a hand ball wall and court at the end of a court.

Shaded area

We currently both work so not much time for Pickle Ball but would hope to be able to learn and play the game in the future.

I think many people would utilize it.

Pickle ball has been a popular and different sport and should be considered as a possibility.

Pickle ball being popular and discussed regularly would be an added amenity.

Great game for seniors--we should have it

Until they are constructed, I vote to use one of the tennis courts for pickle ball play now.

Not a high priority. But I'd like to try it.

need four courts and equipment.

Play 5 times a week. 6 courts are the size of 2 tennis courts. The village has 200 PB courts.

Minimum 3 courts available, control by tennis pro and RTA

A sport of growing interest.

We love pickle ball.

Movies

Wifi, puzzles and newspapers are already available. Keep miscellaneous activities out of the library.

Books

Newspapers, magazines and computers (as many public libraries provide).....

Wi- Fi but no need for more than one computer. A printer might be abused by residents

Wifi

the library, wi-fi access, newspapers

Expanded Library.

library books, table for computers

Reading area(print/electronic)

Better access to an "information section". More room for the pool table and possibly a bigger library.

It would be nice to have a computer to use once in a while. Sometimes you might want to check something and you forgot your phone or your internet is down. The library of course is a must!

An updated computer in the room. Daily newspapers, expanded library.

Same as now

For the number of users that I've ever seen, this could be located inside of an expanded library room. Study carrels would work for the wi-fi centers. A dvd /cd could be considered, but my experiences with schools would indicate a short life span.

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Wi Fi, some chairs, puzzle place(table) Newspapers, library is very important.

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More arts and crafts

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The current puzzle area & library more than meet our needs.

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More tables for "on-the-go" puzzles participation, groupings of reading chairs and perhaps some chairs with built-in "tables" for Wi-Fi use.

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An attractive seating area to enjoy the paper or to read. A coffee bar would be nice.

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I only use the library (books)

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Lending library of videos and audio books might be nice.

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Additional table games....pool tables....bumper pool.....air hockey.....etc.

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Area for community interaction. Items for sale, ride sharing info, etc.

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daily New York Times and Washington Post; Economics magazine; Real Simple magazine; Ophra magazine; a few cooking magazines and a copier with a reasonable fee to use - like 20 cents - so people won't tear out the magazine articles or recipes

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Wi-Fi, newspapers

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changes unnecessary

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Larger library, wi-fi, puzzles, newspapers as above all in one room.

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an arts & crafts room would be very nice - one that is large enough for classes

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work tables to allow for people to use personal computers, etc and place for people to socialize ( puzzle tables, etc

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improved library

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We feel the room is adequate...no one seems to stay and read. The Wi-Fi we have not used in 4 years...so it maybe better...but when we were using it, it was slow and dropped lots. We now have it in our home, however know renters sometimes need it.

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All of the above

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I would use the library but probably not the Wi-Fi etc

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Maintain billiards table; however, within a dedicated room. A shuffle board table would also be entertaining and inexpensive.

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Wi Fi, papers

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All of the above plus pool.

Arts and crafts room in the community room or a designated room in the Activities Center.

Expanded lounge

Definitely Wifi and expanded library

All of the above and arts and crafts

NONE

Library , expanded book reading area

Library

Games mini talks. Book clubs. Consumers reports

Library, Pool Table (Jan to April)

Library with books, newspapers is great. Wi-Fi with desk space, comfy chairs for reading are nice additions. A large lighted aquarium featuring Florida fish would have eye appeal.

All of the above.

computer with reference resources available, books, puzzles, card and game tables, empty tables to bring computer or ipad to use wi-fi, a printer, possibly a copier. billiard table.

These things are already available.

Larger library area, sitting areas, chess/checkers, game/card tables, craft workroom

No need for a library. This is the electronic age. Need to retain the pool table. The existing area is about right but do away with the library for more treadmills and resistance machines.

computers, magazines, wi fi,

Library

Wi-Fi, copiers and printers.

Expanded library.....and computers....

Comfortable seating area, a computer set up, a larger puzzle area, perhaps a Keurig coffee maker.  
(We can dream, can't we!!!)

Would like to have several library style tables with a large surface to read newspapers, set down a laptop and be able to plug it into a table integrated electric outlet - and have an integrated reading lamp. Have available several private computer workstations. Include a dedicated puzzle working table with good lighting. Provide for borrowing dvd's in addition to books. Have several comfortable chairs near the windows for

provide for borrowing DVDs in addition to books. Have several comfortable chairs near the windows for reading.

All of above plus comfy chairs & small meet space

Library  
Card tables

more books, newspapers, magazines

A larger and more complete library with chairs for reading.

a bigger library would be good

Newspapers, library. (Haven't gotten through many books yet in present library though)

Other newspapers would be helpful

We visit the library regularly to exchange magazines and books. It would be nice to have some comfortable seating. The puzzle area seems fun, there is always a new puzzle being worked on but not enough space.

Expanded library reading and computer terminal area

Expanded library with comfortable furniture. Please don't eliminate the jig saw puzzle space.

Reading area with access to wi-fi with sofas and chairs. Access to hot and cold refreshments - tea, coffee, soft drinks and pastries

Movies and books on tape might be added to library..

Videos and computer with printer

Reading, downloading of e books, movies and music. Great idea.

a larger library

Never seen crowding of any kind.

more seating

I do like having a used book library. I often both donate and "check out" books. Am happy with the current size, however.

Library, several newspapers puzzles, television

WiFi, library, pool table

Wi-Fi, library

newspapers, library, puzzles, community computer station and printer. Accommodations should meet the needs of our winter time residency

needs of our winter time residency.

More pleasing environment

It would be nice to have a large lounge with a big screen tv and comfortable seating.

The Library should be separate with a smaller room for computer,Puzzles, Newspapers etc.

Few people use the pool table. It is in the wrong place.

You need more than one table to get a league together.

I like to play pool and would belong to a league if there was one.

Yes, all of the above.

All of the above.Room should be sized to accommodate this.

All of the above

Larger library, reading area

World newspapers

Places to use wifi

Newspapers and periodicals

Wife says Not really, but husband thinks this is a good idea. Ha.

The current puzzle space is fine. The table could be a little larger

I am unsure that newspapers should be included since it is so easy to read them online. However, I think people would enjoy having some magazines to look through at the activity center and poolside. The library is an asset to Riverwood.

FREE Wi-Fi, USA Today,

I think you listed everything.

DVD Library

The puzzle table and lighting is great and would like to this continue.

Wi-Fi papers and magazines books

Newspapers, library

Ipads

The current area is terribly cramped and uncomfortable. Provide an area that isn't a closet and the residents can feel like they are in a library.

newspapers, books, wifi,

Bigger library, several computers

I would just use the library probably. Don't use the puzzles. Would love a class on how to use my Ipad or Iphone efficiently.

Instead of pool table a comfortable setting area would be more appropriate  
Inside there is really no place to add a TV area

Library should be phased out. Printed books are quickly being replaced by e-books; E-book readers cost only \$50 and you can have them installed on smart phones for free. Instead, RCA should pursue ways for residents to easily obtain access to the vast e-book selections in our tri-county libraries.

dvd movies for checkout.

periodicals

Expanded library; chess and backgammon boards and tournaments.

. We love and use the library weekly. An expansion would be nice, but again not necessary.

We would use the wi-fi and expanded library.

More magazines and newspapers. Think would be good idea to have ability and place for residents to donate used newspapers and monthly or weekly magazines.

Books

Easy access Wi-Fi and several computer stations/carols set up for residents who need to use their computers and would like some privacy as they do. Expanded library with a number of subscription newspapers from various parts of the country available for residents to read in the library. Keep the puzzle table with its good lighting...maybe provide two rolling computer chairs for easy shifting from side to side and so that two "puzzlers" can work at the same time.

All of the above listed. Comfortable chairs, tables/desks/work stations for computers. Good lighting.

Expanded books and newspapers provided by residence.

books, magazines, newspapers,

More accessible space for library book collection

The current pool table should be moved to a quiet, isolated area with sufficient room to play without a lot of traffic or adjacent activity.

a place to sit and read and relax sounds great more comfortable chairs and good lighting

I have wifi at home and read the news on line or watch it on TV. I download books and read them on my

I have wifi at home and read the news online or watch it on tv. I download books and read them on my amazon device. No need for a library more than what we have.

Bigger library area with comfortable seating and coffee area.

Coffee/Breakfast, couches, comfort, nice view of something, access to outdoors

Wifi, diversified reading materials

The availability of extra tables NOT IN THE MAIN LOBBY to read newspapers, magazines, work on puzzles, read books is necessary.

WI-Fi and newspapers

Bigger library with newspapers!

NOT SURE WHY WE NEED AN EXPANDED COMMUNITY ROOM?

Comfortable furniture, good lighting, designated tables, power outlets, storage cabinets to "hide" the puzzles so they don't appear so messy on shelves, expanded library.

Wall Street Journal, NYTs, etc

Just a library

I do not think the space needs expansion.....just better maintained.

More tables and seats to read or puzzles

Pool table, puzzles, library, comfortable seating,

comfortable seating

Library

I use the library.

Have used library in the past, but now mostly download books so not sure if I would use an extended library or not....

Larger library.

WiFi.

dvd to rent

Love the movie nights, could we have it weekly all year round.

Again a misleading questions, are you trying to fix the outcome of the survey?

Question should be, "if you do not use the community room, would you use an expanded room?"

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Library/reading space

More chairs and sofas, board games, chess, backgammon

I use the library to pick up and return books, if I want to use a computer I do so at home most homes have this capability therefore we should not provide computer service but wi-fi is a good option.

I like the puzzle area as it is currently set up. I do utilize the library and like the way that is set up as well.

concentrate on the library

A larger library would be great, allowing for more books etc.

All of the above plus DVD's.

Additional space for library - shelving, reading areas etc.

The Library satisfy's my needs.

Printers and fax machines would be a plus

library with sufficient space for books without having to climb a ladder to reach shelves; good lighting, tables and comfortable chairs. it should be large enough for people to sit and read quietly and comfortably

More large print books. Comfortable chairs.

I like the library and have used it frequently for many years and have contributed many books to the collection.

magazines and newspapers

Wifi - Small business center for homeowners - copy machine, fax, printer without having to go to Riverwood office

Newspapers & Wi-Fi & printer/copy machines (For Boarding Passes , etc.)

See above.

Library should be a separate room with a table and chairs.

The library needs to be expanded, that is all that I use and would use in an expanded community room

Library expansion, daily newspapers, puzzles and games

Comfy furniture, end-tables, lamps, large puzzle tables. A homey atmosphere to sit & relax & read or work on your lap top.

tables, expanded book sections, sofas and/or comfortable chairs

All of the above and a place for book club. I would also like to see comfortable lounges, fireplace and even a bar area

Wi-Fi, games, newspapers, library, puzzles.

Coffee Bar

carrels for use of one's own computer, small room for computer classes.

As listed above

Wi-Fi, computer stations, and newspapers.

Larger library

Computer and printer, wifi, large HD TV, newspapers, library.

Expand the library!

All of the above.

newspaper and puzzles

Computer!

Same as currently plus Wi-Fi.

Expanded library with children's books.

Comfortable group seating

wi-fi, computers, printer, library, puzzles

Same as suggested above.

larger library

Library

Beverage ?.

puzzles library etc.

only use library and find it is adequate at present

Wifi

Do NOT lose the space for quiet book reading. Treasured time that is getting scarce due to new media.

Wi-Fi, more seating area in the library, with better lighting. New York Newspapers.

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Wi-Fi, puzzles, newspapers

All of the above

Newspapers, magazines, books, access to a printer, WIFI

Wi-Fi, Puzzles, Library.

More shelving space for books. If shelving space were expanded, the library could offer more subjects, perhaps audio books, cookbooks, etc. More newspapers (if Riverwood would pay the cost of the subscriptions - not the library committee funds). Wi-fi as long as it was separated by a wall or screen.

Storage room.

Local newspaper and library books are great...possibly more seating with a table or two.

Possible in the future.

Quiet area to read do puzzles.

Wifi for electronics

Comfortable couches and chairs

Prayer group could meet there

Great discussions. Could meet there

Better chairs, tables and lighting for reading using IPAD/PC/PDA. Offer some amenities such as coffee, etc.

An expanded Library with accessible shelving. A fax machine, scanner, copier and a Wi-Fi link to a printer ( Boarding Passes, Tickets etc. etc ).

Books, magazines, newspapers, Wi-Fi, computer.

Greatly expanded book shelves, comfortable chairs, photocopier and computers (you can lock them down).

We already have WiFi and the library is perfectly fine with never a crowded situation. Please do not spend more funds on what is working just fine.

ping pong--more pool tables

adequate seating

pool table

Sofa and comfortable chairs. Coffee facilities

library, puzzles, newspapers, magazines, wi-fi

library and reading area

expanded library

expanded library

4 - 5 daily major newspapers

cards, games, library, computers, puzzles, etc...

newspapers

daily newspapers - wsj, nyt, florida dailies

Couches and chairs for social meetings or reading. Plus add elegance to the facility

welding, pottery.

Painting and pottery

none at the moment but those who are "artistic" should have a dedicated space

I am a potter and sometimes I bring things home to work on and this would be a great place to do the work other than my kitchen table! How about some classes in jewelry making? That would be well attended. Other classes could involve fabrics, etc.

woodworking, stained glass, ceramics

Scrapbooking

Watercolor and other media.

Painting

Painting class, it depends on space and instructor. We need to offer things for our residents to do.

Card making, Jewelry and art

studio environment with sink, room for personal easel

Watercolor painting, stained glass art

painting, sculpture, pottery

Pottery making. I'd be interested in classes that could be offered to expand my horizons.....learning a different language, understanding the always new and changing internet and windows programs.

Water colour, acrylic, painting. Quilting. Jewellery making.

pottery, oil or acrylic painting, quilting

photography (no darkrooms, however); collage; encaustic (wax) techniques

Ceramics, painting

Have no special interests at this time.

painting

my husband may be interested

painting, pottery.woodcraft, photography

Painting drawing

painting

Primarily sketching and painting

painting

painting

Painting, pottery

Painting, pottery (potter's wheels and kiln)

Fine arts which includes watercolors, oils, etc.

Jewelry making. Scrapbooking.

Pottery making, wheel and kiln

Multiple mediums would be nice

Sewing circle, folk art, interested at looking at all arts and crafts offered to see if I would like to join something new offered

I personally don't fi crafts

All mediums of painting classes

Stamping/Scrap-booking, painting.

all kinds of painting, needle crafts, paper crafts

You have to plan for the future as the younger generation of residents may have more varied interests than the current residents. There is no storage or area to leave projects in the current facility.

painting...but remember instruction is part of the equation. Will there be instructors and a fee schedule or will the room sit there waiting for someone to come down and work there. There are many artists in Riverwood who work in there homes because there is no such available space in which to work. Would there be a fee to work in the space if there were no instruction???

lewelrv. potterv. sewina/quiltina

painting, pottery, ceramics, knitting and croquet clubs,

Pottery, knitting, any number of things that creative people in Riverwood could be sharing their talents with us.

stained glass studio

Basket making

Yarn crafts

AN ARTIST AND ORGANIZER OF ART ACTIVITIES WITH THE "RIVERWOOD STUDIO ARTISTS," WE NEED OUR OWN ARTS AND CRAFTS CENTER COMPLETE WITH EASILY CLEANED LINOLEUM TILED FLOOR, DEEP AND WIDE SINK, CABINETS FOR STORAGE, A KILN FOR OTHER CRAFTERS, AND NICE LONG TABLES WHICH HAVE AN "EASY-CLEAN SURFACE."

Painting

Paintings

sewing, quilting, serger

ceramics, basket weaving, painting

painting, decoupage, ceramics, stained glass

Any and all, I love art projects of any kind and a dedicated room would be a great addition to the facility.

I don't have any, but I support the many RW residents who want go do this.

I would like to vet the once a month directed water color class back.

Same with stained glass and fused glass class or pottery class.

Painting

Too busy now, but probably be interested in my later senior years.

Painting

Sculpture, woodworking

woodworking pottery

Painting and quilting

Photography & photo developing. Did take a couple of the drawing & watercolor classes.

Painting - watercolor - stained glass - pottery - scrapbooking

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painting

Painting and ceramics

Scrap Booking, Painting, Quilting and Sculpting

I think we have this already available at the activity center.

pottery

Arts and crafts are available throughout Charlotte County community. We don't need to duplicate these activities onsite.

Painting, drawing, maybe pottery?

painting, jewellery making

painting

Not sure.

Painting

Paint classes, knitting classes. Currently our art group has no fixed space. We get moved around and out at the whim of the bridge group and meetings in the meeting room.

Painting

oil and acrylic painting,

Probably would not use it ourselves, but it would be a good thing

Mosaics if lessons were provided . . . tables, mirrors, boxes, etc.

Woodcarving and woodburning, which only require tables, and painting classes like we used to have in what is now the small office in original building.

Painting, ceramics.

Pottery jewelry

Amenities need to be evaluated as to numbers of interested people.

Stained glass

quilting activities

One stroke oil painting, mosaic, glass infusion

Painting, We need to have activities available for year round residents. The activity center should not basically shut down for the summer. Even if it is an informal meeting group.

Water color, oil and acrylic painting; basketry; ceramics; jewelry making, wood carving. It would be great to have classes offered by talented Riverwood residents in a variety of arts and crafts.

painting

Painting classes, groups...

Stain glass,

None

painting

water color, pottery, specialty classes for projects like stained glass, making jewelry, holiday craft items, etc.

Wood carving e.g. Song birds

Card making, painting

Painting

Area needed for other types of craft art and some small studio areas for rent. Having trouble finding art studios in Port Charlotte area.

I attended art classes there until someone said we couldn't because of the carpeting!

Painting,

Sewing, quilting, knitting for charitable causes. Also painting and drawing classes would be a big plus for the community.

Painting, photography.

Painting

Water color

sewing, knitting

Painting, ceramics, woodworking, fabric arts

Painting and pottery

Watercolor painting, minor woodcarving

painting.

Quilting

Stained glass classes. Better instructions.

Sewing & stained glass

Ceramics, painting. A storage area for projects in process would be needed

Painting, photography

Paint classes affordable and evening classes not everyone goes to bed at 8 pm

Fly tying

Scrapbooking

painting class

I would love to see a paint and chat times going on, lots of people at riverwood paint and some dedicated times for that would be nice. no instructor needed.

It would be nice to have classes that brought in an instructor to do something like jewelry making , basket weaving etc where the instructor brings all the supplies for a fee

Craft activities in which the materials do not cost an "arm & leg."Also, possibly that could result in "products" that could be used as service projects (like quilting/ sewing of pillowcase dresses for women/children in 3rd world countries)

Painting classes

Pottery, jewelry making

I do my arts and crafts at home.

Pottery, stained glass, flower arranging, decoupage, etc.

none

pottery, perhaps

Ceramics,painting various other crafts.

Painting - watercolor, oils - pen and ink - pastels - other crafts

pottery, jewelry making

Wreath making, basket weaving

painting, beading and flower arrangements

Painting

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Pottery water Colorado and oils sketching pen and ink instruction

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I am not interesting in doing any but think there are a lot of folks in RW that are.

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Painting

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ceramics, decoupage

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Water colors and drawing

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Large table areas for quilting activities. Would love to have art classes with proper lighting and space, and sinks. Pottery would be another area of interest.

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Pottery

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Needlework

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watercolor

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scrap-booking, jewelry making, quilting, cake decorating

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Art such as watercolor, oils and acrylics, pottery, wood carving, stain glass, jewelry making,

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Painting with secured storage so supplies could be left there. It's difficult to carry easels, paint supplies and canvases each time. Perhaps an arts & craft room could be accessible with a fob for entrance. I wouldn't mind paying a fee for this.

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Painting or stained glass

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Pottery

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stained glass and wood working

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painting, floral design, sewing

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Art classes.

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WATERCOLOR PAINTING

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Painting.

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watercolor painting, oil paints, stained glass

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Painting (all media). Pottery.

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not sure, but I would be interested in taking classes.

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Painting if offered on weekends

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watercolor and acrylic painting

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Stain glass , wood working painting

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Pottery and painting.

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crochet, knitting, painting, pottery

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woodcarving, stained glass

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For art classes - painting

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Water color, acrylics and oil painting

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She'll crafts

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Sea shell crafts

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I might try something if offered. I just don't have space at my house or garage so would be more inclined if I could go up and work on a project. It would also make it more social.

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Stained Glass, Painting, Knitting, Basketweaving.

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Painting

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clay modeling

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Painting and minor sculpture

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Have done hot glue gun crafts at neighbor's house. Would be better if w could do this in a tiled area with sinks available for clean up

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Classes in various art forms, pottery

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Painting ie water colors, acrylic, oil etc

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Something different, other than painting.

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Painting, leaded glass work, wood carving.

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Painting all mediums

Wood carving

Glasswork

Sewing

Quilting

Knitting

Classes in all of the above

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Stained glass, etching, painting and drawing,

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I do them at home.

NONE

stain glass, water color, pottery

painting.

Painting, beading.

painting, pottery, stained glass

Seasonal decor

stain glass, quilting

oil painting

basket making, jewelry making, needlepoint

painting, stained glass

oil painting

painting, woodworking crafts

basket weaving

Painting

Drawing, painting

water color paints

painting

pottery

pottery, painting

sewing, stitching

Ridiculous idea

Table top saws, Miter Saws, Drill press, joiner, planer, lathes, sanders, vices, grinders, large clamps, work benches and sturdy tables.

Small projects, I currently am starting to refinish a hammock we have in our backyard, I would rather do this type of thing in a facility that had the right ventilation and tools available.

There is a huge woodworking shop where I go for the summer. We would need planers, sanders, table

there is a huge woodworking shop where I go for the summer. We would need planers, sanders, table saws, vacuums, drills and drill press and a computer to access plans and answer questions. Also dedicated monitors and trained helpers to oversee safety are needed. Projects for beginners and advanced woodworking is essential.

all of the above and appropriate hand tools

This is beyond the scope of reason. These are personal hobbies that people need to provide for themselves. My wife knits are you going to buy her needles? Are you going to buy sewing machines for those who sew?

Clean up will become a major issue as well as liability for those not properly trained. Maintenance of equipment is also an issue. Hi vacs can take care of some problems, but they are not the final solution.

BAD IDEA!!! Great for a few residents.

table saw, miter saw, gluing stations, assembly platform, workbenches, sanders, clamps, vices, lathe, jointer, routers and bits, dovetail jig, ventilation and evacuation system

The ones mentioned would be good.

Have no experience but would be interested in learning.

My husband would be interested in these things - and I think a dedicated arts & crafts area and woodworking area would be a wonderful thing!

Would allow for camaraderie for these folks!

See above within the question.

needs supervision and think it would only be used sparingly by a few people

band saw, drill press, table saw, belt sander, clamps

NA - too expensive for insurance , equipment etc for numbers likely to use it plus maintenance will be an issue.

I do wood working, however primarily carving such as owls, birds, chess pieces, revolver hand grips. As an Insurance professional and Risk Manager, you don't want to get involved in heavy woodworking equipment such as jigsaws, lathes, sanders or any equipment onf this nature that would be Industrial Arts type equipment for three reasons--1] your Insurance premiums would increase 2] You should have someone there all the time in the room during hours the room is opened to insure proper usage of tools and 3] there will be an injury as many people will not properly operate the equipment. Lawsuits will prevail for those injured. Plus, I doubt many would even use the room to merit the risk and liability exposure.

table saw, mitre saw as well as the other items mentioned

As the owner of a wood working factory, do you know what kind of liability you are addressing here????

I would be interested in learning how to use whatever equipment was decided upon.

Sounds expensive. If done it should have a user fee.

making small furniture items or crafts for wife to paint

NONE

In addition to the above items mentioned - project tables, table saw, chop saw, supply of small tools. Donations of tools could be requested - would likely provide many specialty tools.

Too much liability for Riverwood.

This is a maybe answer. It depends on what opportunities would be offered.

Absolutely not needed...

as listed above

All of the above and then some for a complete shop

I am constantly doing woodworking in my garage. I wouldn't want to drag my wood and supplies down there for just a couple hours. I have all the equipment I need at home. But if woodworking classes are anticipated, I might be interested. I attended stain glass classes when they were offered but there the equipment was minimal.

table saw, plainer, jigsaw, lathes,

All if above, plus trained instructor to teach safety & technique

fully equipped or not at all

All power that are

built boats

table saw, belt sanders, drill press, compressors etc

I don't know. I support the people who want to do this.

Carving, wood working tools, etc.

NONE

lathes sanders saws drill press hand tools

I think this is opening up a big Liability issue has no one been in business and know what would happen if someone was to hurt themselves while using this equipment. And if it was found that the equipment was

faulty and not taken care of properly.

I would think that any one who is needing to do repairs and up grades to there home would have there own equipment to do this. I do not think that the home owners should pay for this up grade at all.

power tools

There are hobby centers and community facilities in the Charlotte County area, and should not be duplicated here at Riverwood.

I belonged to a Sun City community that had a 5000 sq ft woodworking facility.

Almost every household belonged to this club and "paid dues"...

There were few who used the facility, but it was popular.

People just wanted to belong in case they ever needed the facility.

They had to take the training in order to use the equipment.

The wood working club was more than self supporting (not including the building).

All volunteers.....no paid people,.

sanders, workbenches, vises

Very slight interest in this.

table saw, band saw, routers

power tools

Wood WORKING (as described above) can be very dangerous and toxic to the environment with sealers; lathes and turning equipment can catch on people's clothing; we know people at our carving club who do this, and Port Charlotte also has at the Cultural Center supervised facilities for this; whereas Wood CARVING is simple, portable, inexpensive, small hand tools, and there are at least 2 of us I know of who could offer classes for beginners and teach it.

Miter saw and lathes, along with sanders.

Table saw, chop saw, sanders, band saw, drill stand, etc

LIABILITY would be a huge issue and again WHO WILL MONITOR/ CLEAN UP/REPAIR/REPLACE EQUIPMENT AS NEEDED?

would this be a club or would we hire an instructor?

Making simple furniture and small items such as Shaker Boxes and wooden ball point pens etc.

Let's see....senior citizens with weakened eyesight, slowed reflexes and forgetful minds operating high speed, razor sharp power tools....better make sure our liability insurance premiums are paid up. Not a good idea. County Cultural Center has workshops available without the risk to Riverwood.

scroll saw. What a great idea!!

Don't know but classes in the use of the equipment would be a good requirement.

This sounds like a luxury for a few which would come with a high cost if insurance and safety standards are involved.

Electric saws, jointers , drills and sanders would work for us.

I would use a woodworking area, but I do not think that everyone else in Riverwood should have to pay for my hobby. The dog park and beach club are good examples of cases where the users support the cost of the activity. Unlike croquet or tennis, which were part of the amenities when we bought into Riverwood, new specialized amenities should be user supported.

lathes, table saw, mitres

all

Chop saw, table saw, sanders.

Full shop of small to medium size machines

YOU HAVE GOT TO BE KIDDING, ARE YOU REALLY CONSIDERING THIS?

Tablesaw, bandsaws, lathes, jigsaws, sanders, finishing booths with exhaust, glueing and assembly room, spray booth, etc. I would like to be involved in the drain of it as I was a woods hop teacher for over 30 years.

chisels, knives, sanders, etc

lathes, sanders and other wood forming/finishing equipment

I believe that such facilities would be expensive to construct, maintain and require permanent oversight (\$), and have limited use by residents.

In addition to those listed above, would like to add table saw, chop saw, router, work tables and planer. Of course, this would require people with experience be available to show how to operate the tools.

Table saw, joiner, jigsaw, sanders, lathe, large tables and vices, routers

Band Saw, Drill Press

Table saw, planner, router table, compound miter saw, drill press

I feel this is totally a bad idea. Have you considered the insurance and injury complications this will cause. If you want woodworking you can go the cultural center.

Are you serious? Woodworking equipment????

Table saw, joiner, planer, band saw drill press sanding machines double bevel miter saw, clamps benches

None.

Small planer, sander, table saw, radial arm saw, scroller saw,

I doubt if it's reasonable to think of Riverwood developing a decent woodworking shop given its concern for health and safety CYA regulations and the usual insurance standards cop outs.

AS MENTIONED ABOVE.

Chop saws - planers - sanders

Table saw, radial arm saw, disk sander, planer, tables large enough to assemble whatever I am making.

table saw, drill press, sanders

All of the above would be wonderful to have.

Table Saw, Jig Saw, Lathe, sanders

too much liability with tools, can not get people to follow instructions on almost anything that goes on in River wood now (ie: no jumping or diving in the pool doesn't apply to them)

NA do not want a woodworking area.

sanders various saws and routers

I've no idea, but would love to learn!

DRILL PRESS, SAWS, SANDERS

Jigsaw

Not needed. Have my own.

Table saw, drill press, router.

As listed above.

saws, sanders

Various power saws, planers, lathes, tables, clamps, etc

Table saw(s), mitre saw(s), band saw, scroll saw, drill press, lathe, jointer/planer, bench sander and several work benches for a start. Many residents have hand tools and portable power tools they could bring with them or donate.

Planner, router, sander, table saw, mitre saw

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Jigsaw, drill press, table saw, sander.

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Just units for wood carving.

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Table saw, planer, joiner, band saw, drill press, router table, wood clamps, band sander

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Lathes, sanders, routers, etc.

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NONE !!

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equipment typical homeowner does not have available to them

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Chop saw, table saw, variable miter, router, joiner, planer.

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miter saw and table saw

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Sanders, table saw, radial arm saw, small tools

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jig saw, planer, table saw, work benches, router table, power hand tools, shop vacuum, spray paint booth, jointer,

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Croquet courts were not part of the 1 to 13 list. I recommend additional croquet court space and would definitely use it. Croquet is one of the few items at the activity complex that sets Riverwood apart from other communities.

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1. Men's/Ladies' Showers for use after exercising. 2. Croquet court with shade viewing area. 3. Shaded area for viewing tennis but NOT center court with bleachers. The 1-13 ranking does not reflect the fact that we have no interest in a majority of the proposed amenities/enhancements.

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Morning coffee shop - #3

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A really good restaurant

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Inclusion of a true locker room in the expansion of the Exercise/Fitness Center (#2)

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The planned removal of the planters in the paver section of the parking lot to have golf cart parking (for 40 - 50 carts would take away from the beauty of the area, there is never more than 6 golf carts at the activity center at any one time. #13

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Fans over covered outdoor areas

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A greater amount of landscaping, trees, etc. would make everything look better.

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As a younger family in Riverwood, I feel it's important to address amenities that would attract a younger population to this great place and assure its legacy. Ping pong, pool table in new game room would be cool as well.

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None

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In general modernization is essential

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A restaurant that would be available to everyone, for breakfast, lunch and dinner would rate #1, very high on my list.

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Our development is sadly lacking when it comes to having an restaurant lounge area that is welcoming and open to all, we have to leave the grounds to head out to dinner. If there was one thing I would like to see it would be this, the golf course wants to service only their members it is a shame.

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Did not notice anything for the croquet courts????

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I think that parking should be added in another area that is designated sports/ exercise area parking. Golf cart parking should be added somewhere. It is NOT necessary to rip up existing areas to add parking.

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Put the latest technology for the security gates and stop the idiocy of the present system. When is enough, enough.

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Riverwood is blessed with over a dozen ponds. Some neighbors have stocked bass, and panfish at their own expense. There is a current problem with Cormorants, that are destroying the fishing. Along with the removal of water plants around many ponds. I have been fishing these ponds for 16 years. Many are no longer viable. For under 800.00 dollars per larger ponds they could be stocked, offering many of the fishing residents and their grandchildren a wonderful past-time at a reasonable cost.

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In reality none of the items we were asked to prioritize was a priority to us. We are happy with the amenities as they stand. If areas or rooms need to be upgraded to maintain our property in good condition then that is a priority. If a new roof is needed or plumbing and electrical need to be upgraded then we approve of that but some of these proposed amenities seem unrealistic.

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Shuffle Board is very popular and is noticeably absent in Riverwood and would not entail a huge expense to build and maintain.

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Traffic signal priority number 1

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Have a full service restaurant that is available for all of us that do not have golf memberships. At our community in the north (roughly half the size of Riverwood), we easily support our restaurant, which is run by a general manager that reports to the board. It is always in the black and is a wonderful place to catch up with others. The restaurant has become a destination spot for other country clubs' members and community events - weddings, etc.

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Small theater.

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We are primarily golfers. We have to pay extra for that activity. I believe there is a need for user fees ( not token, realistic) for the high cost activities at the activity center. I hope you do not burden us ( the association) with additional debt.

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A half court basketball court that could be used for other activities such as shuffle ball at the opposite end

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A multi court basketball court that could be used for other activities such as inline ball at the opposite end.

The present set up for basketball is a lawsuit waiting to happen with the curbing etc... . You could use a sand beach volleyball court with lighting for evening play for our seniors and younger residents.

bicycle lanes on roads

Traffic light should be a priority.

We just need to keep up to date and stay a vibrant community to attract new residents that want to stay active.

We do not think Riverwood needs any of the proposed expanded/enhanced/new amenities and do not think we should be burdened with the cost, just to suit a few people, many of whom do not even live here full time.

Private golf course with first rate clubhouse.

you've covered it well

Lawn Bowling should be added maybe 2 courts.

No 1 priority should be the lights at our intersection...someone is going to be hurt in the future. Not in favour of renovation current building...I would be much more in favour of looking at a new facility as costs tend to run out of control on renovations, in many cases equaling total new construction.

More designated golf cart parking near Activity Center

Purchase of parcels A,B,and C is important for the integrity, security, and value of Riverwood.

We believe that opinions of seasonal and permanent residents should be equal as seasonal most often become permanent.

We agree and support this expansion, and we hope it is not delayed. Most people our age don't buy green bananas.

Softball field(s)

Basketball Court(s)

Horseshoe pits

Volleyball court(s)

Assisted living facility in Parcel A

More bird and animal watching experiences; more hiking trails around river, etc.

Traffic light #1

It would be nice to have a restaurant and bar within the community. It is the only thing missing in what is currently offered. I would rank as #1 priority. Maybe this could be achieved through collaboration with the golf course.

Tennis players and other activities should be on a pay as you play basis. I did not feel that you had any

questions about stage presentations or use. We need better facilities for shows that come in. Stage ....better viewing.....need big dollars to do this and you did not address this at all. Oops

Shuffle Board courts ---top 4

better upkeep of main parking lot foilage

I do not think it would be a wise use of funds to move the existing guard building as has been proposed in some discussion.

As Riverwood's population increases substantially for only 3 months of the year and for 6 months of the year we are at our lowest population point, I would hope we spend dollars wisely for major improvements and expansion. I do believe we need a face lift. Purchasing vacant property is a wise investment and opens up possibilities for the future. A stop light is important and may save lives and or serious injury. (Has anyone noticed the 776 traffic lately) Having full time residents pay additional fees to help 3 or 4 month visitors be happy might not be the best way to spend big money.

additional bike racks

The stop light installation should be done right away!!! As soon as possible. Very top item

Game Room incorporating pool table, shuffle board,darts, Etc [ 2 on my scale ]

Street light will entail too much time and after state studies, will probaly be denied, particularly if accident record is good.

Expansion of Fitness Center would be a waste of funds.

We do not feel the playground is important, however a basketball area, instead of the parking lot would be better.

Bocce teams would be important to us.

Is shuffle board a possibility? This is a sport that can be carried well into our senior years.

Outdoor activities especially need dressing/changing/shower rooms - for both men and women

Multiple kayak launch sites onto the Myakka River. # 2

The stop light would be ranked number 1. Why was it omitted from the ranking list? Also, the land purchases are far more important than the amenities center.

Light up the entrance and add more flowers. The entrance should be stunning. Add road lights where possible OR at least reflectors on the curbs, especially where the islands start and the where there are entrances to various communities.

The survey is too long and to detailed.

The acoustics in the main hall need improvement.During the entertainment series the sound is so loud & distorted it is painful to the ears.

1. The dog park, if it is improved, needs to have shade and be MUCH larger.
2. There needs to be more umbrellas at the pool for use around lounge chairs.
3. Would be nice if we could leave some of our exercise gear in lockers or cubbies at the pool or exercise room.  
The women's room in the Activity Center near the exercise room gets hardly any use. Maybe some of that space could be reassigned. There are a few lockers there that never seem to be used but I would be afraid to commandeer one of them without permission.
4. The cafe was a great idea while Mark was doing it but it didn't pay off so I would hate to see us make a financial investment in another go at it.
5. We need WAY more bike racks for the tennis courts.They are full to overflowing most mornings.

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Additional parking is needed. Rank this high

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We believe the tennis courts should be self funded. There is a large volume of tennis players at Riverwood, and the tennis courts should be fully funded by the players. We are members of the Riverwood golf course, and we are required to fully fund the golf we play.

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Thank you for allowing us to input.

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Bigger dance floor

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A bike lane on Club Dr. and Riverwood Blvd would rank number one.

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Keep the billiards table and possibly add one if needed. Add another hot tub. Both 2-3 priority.

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Add a standard fixed 10 foot basketball hoop which would not be in a parking lot, but in a dedicated area. It has to be level and sturdy. #1 priority. If you have to have an adjustable one, make that additional, but realize it will be lowered and abused. Perhaps one at 10' and another fixed at 9' would work.

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The Entrance signs to Riverwood on 776 are unattractive and need to be replaced to reflect our upscale neighbourhoods.

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Trails to access Myakka River, "dark sky" friendly lighting in ALL areas and neighborhoods

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RANKING METHOD HERE IS MISLEADING. I BELIEVE THAT MANY OF THE ABOVE ARE #13 BUT SOFTWARE DOES NOT ALLOW THAT RANKING, THIS SHOULD BE CHANGED.

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The current management of the golf club no longer supports the facility as a social gathering place for the residents. This is a huge missing element in our community. There is discussion of a covered pavilion area and I feel that this is our opportunity to combine this with a new resident club house with a licensed serving area that would have regular hours.

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Currently, the space between the boulevards on Club Drive and the curb in Sawgrass is tight. This is a popular biking, walking and jogging path. Many residents prefer the road surface over the cracked and uneven sidewalks for these activities. (note: I am not one of them but understand their position). I would like

uneven sidewalks for these activities (note, I am not one of them but understand their position). I would like to see the boulevards removed, move the landscaping to the sides of the road and install a bike, jogging and walking path for safety.

The ranking system on the previous page is not adequate. There were a few items I felt would be listed as "13" but couldn't. I was forced to rank them higher, thereby falsely elevating their worth to me.

Boat dock for kayak or small craft Ping pong tables-

If the traffic light had been listed as an amenity, we would have ranked it #1. Our community does need a sad, serious incident at the entrance.

The most important item not on the list is the looming upgrades to the sewer treatment and potable water plants. I am extremely concerned the we are placing "fun" over basic needs. Shortly, we will probably be hit with another major assessment to cover the basic utilities. We do not need the proposed activity center upgrades.

Shuffle Board - 1

Nicer basketball court, not in the parking lot. I don't play basketball but it seems we could find a better place without a great deal of expense.

The playground is unusable, plenty of people have grand kids visiting and a up to date playground should be available, again without a big expense.

I think the survey concerning ranking of the expansion facilities on the previous page will lead to a misleading impression if it only factors in highly rated items (category level 1 &2). I think this ranking portion of the survey is going to lead to misinterpretation.

This survey question will generate misleading data because many persons will rank an item that is completely irrelevant to the persons. There was no "not applicable" option.

Therapy room was mentioned at the architect's presentation. My physical therapist says it would be a waste of space. You work with your therapist at his office or under his instruction at home. You cannot have an unsupervised therapy room. It is low on my priority list. Also a bar was proposed as a wow factor. It would be a wow when you realized you could not get a drink at the bar! Again very low priority!

A traffic signal at the entrance is the highest priority; especially with the continual problems of the back gate. Any enhancements should be those which will be used on a regular basis not something that MIGHT be used by a few people.

provide a free land lease on Parcel A or B for a restaurant. By providing an incentive, perhaps we could get convenient adequate dining on the edge of Riverwood

Address the terrible odor on Club Drive.

No separate building for office staff

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Expanded dock area with place to launch and store Kayaks etc.

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Fund for future land acquisitions, ranked # 1.

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Please remember this is not a holiday resort. It is a residential area with certain amenities for the owners.

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would like to have an ATM on the property as well as express mail boxes (FedEx and/or UPS) rank about a 10.

If traffic lights were on this ranking I would rank as number 1.

If purchase of Parcel B was on this ranking it would rank as number 2

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I bike and walk everyday. I would like to be able to have a trail to see the river.

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Mini putt offers entertainment for adults and children

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Showers and a locker room are desperately needed for the tennis players, swimmers, exercisers, and other activities. There ought to be at least six shower stalls, a couple dozen lockers, and whatever else might be needed to accommodate residents.

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woodworking area

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Auditorium with raised stage to hold 350-400 people.

Dance floor and room for tables and service for dining (dinner-dance) for 350-400

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Increased parking area for both vehicles, bicycles, and golf carts.

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the survey would not let me rank all that were not ranked--please mark them a 13 for me

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The bar on the pool deck could be used rather than building area for bar or vending. That area would then be better utilized. The area where outside tables could simple be give an overhang rather building another outside pavilion.

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It is crazy to move the current tennis courts and so expensive. I think the parking lot should be expanded in the newly purchased land. The current parking lot can be all handicap parking and the new area beyond the tennis courts could be for able bodied people. The walk will do them good!

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liquor bar at pool

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bike/jogging lanes along road ways. #1

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food and drink service at the pool.

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small cafe, outdoor venue for music/entertainment

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Appropriate changing and shower facilities for pool along with sauna and steam room - ranks No 1

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A second full size croquet court. Rank: 1

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A)Improved bicycle parking at activity center

B)More parking either at the activity center, or across the street in parcel A

C)More storage for vehicles - even storage lockers, perhaps in parcel A

an activity coordinator to liven up the center, the atmosphere is depressing

Shower facilities in fitness center.

Rank #5.

We have zero value for every new item listed except can enhance the dog park somewhat if a lot of people want to. None of these items are necessary to maintain Riverwood as the "gem it is."

Additional River access for kayaking, fishing, walking

I discovered that I was unable to continue the survey on a mobile device beyond the previous step. Once I used my computer I had no problems.

The very top of our priority list by a massive margin would be to have a new Golf Club House. We do NOT support ANY new investment or new construction in the Activity Centre at all. Nothing on the list provided is of interest to us or in our opinion, could come close to increasing property values and maintaining Riverwood's premier reputation than a first class Club House to match our beautiful course. People come to Riverwood to be in nature and be on a golf course, however our current Club House seriously lacks in amenities and the restaurant should be expanded with outdoor sitting etc. and become a profit center for Riverwood. We strongly oppose ANY investment in the Activity Centre and strongly support expanding and improving the Club House, as it is terribly lacking and could really benefit all of Riverwood in terms of restaurant availability and home values.

Additional access to the River - either for viewing or launching kayaks, with nearby parking for cars and bikes.

I think the survey should address the synergy of adding parking, closing off the westbound road onto El Jobean and the new signal.

Traffic Light at 776 and Riverwood Drive - this is a top priority in my mind

Keeping costs down. Don't tear down usable facilities then re build, enhance what is available.

We favor a renovation

People speed on our streets. They ignore our stop signs and run them. Someone is going to get hurt bad in Riverwood - it's only a matter of time. With no traffic enforcement, speed bumps at intersections are the only sure thing that will slow these inconsiderate people down. Other gated communities have been forced to use them - why should we be different. It is for our safety,

This ranking question forces a resident to place a false value on a proposed amenity that truly does not represent their interest and support. For example there are some proposals that may in our opinion deserve

a 1 to 4 ranking and there are some others that deserve a 11 to 13 ranking. The survey instrument loses credibility with this question.

Focus should be placed on the purchase of neighboring properties so that a proper gate house could be installed closer to El Jobean Road. This we would rank before #1 as the most important.

We don't like the way you set up the survey. I believe we should have been able to choose more than one of the least favorite or favorites. I feel like this survey was set up to favor the ones that are looking to expand our activity center.

It is ridiculous not to be able to record more than one idea as of not at all important. There are several items I do not support. Ranking those items higher mis-states my opinion.

most would be 13 if i could use same number more than once. i would like to say 13 to most of the previous page. the rankings i gave are indicative of the way i would rank them if you could use the same number more than once.

croquette court --14, expanded showers and lockers-- 25

A bike trail is very interesting. We would enjoy riding thru the neighborhoods and not having to venture out on the main roads. Please include mile markers.

The steam room and sauna room rank very highly for us. Keeping bathrooms at the pool area are VERY important. The playground for children badly needs upgrading.

A middle ranking might be a for purchase bar and cafe for Riverwood residents. Similar to the club house at the golf course.

1. Parking....high priority
2. Sun Bathing....high priority
3. Resistance pool, not a lap pool. (More can use it.) medium to low priority
4. Pool tables lower priority

Resistance walking pool. - Rank 3

Sauna - 5

Covered swimming pool.

Shuffleboard courts with shaded player seating.

More parking spaces.

Practice area for golf putting, chipping, and driving.

One of the important reasons people bought in Riverwood was the beautiful grounds we had. That would rank as number one on our list.

Much of the proposed expansion seems redundant. We have noticed that many of the facilities, including the meeting rooms, that already exist are not being used. We would find it difficult to justify great expense for limited use to satisfy a select few.

Would like to see the bar area opened for refreshments but NOT vending machines. Using the "Covered outdoor pavilion area" as part of an outdoor "grill" similar to what we used to be able to access at the golf course. I would rank that at #1 or 2.

Traffic installation at the Main entrance...#1. More reliable back gate...#2

Someone where we could get a meal on premise. Possibility of working with the golf course owners to enhance the existing facility so that all residents would have access.

We would prefer more golf cart parking and more working space and refrigeration in the kitchen, which all would be ranked in the upper 25% of the list.

more parking... top 5 ranking

Tennis practice wall. This would be our 3rd priority, though this could probably be accommodated within the existing court configuration.

An additional single croquet court. Encourage use of golf carts instead of cars for parking. Do not like the idea of relocating a tennis court for parking space. (Think creatively about "parking problem." Eg, van to activity center etc)

An Executive 9 hole, or fewer if necessary, golf course for seniors (or beginners) who can no longer use the existing golf course. This would be a number 2 rank.

purchasing parcels a and b, educate Mr Mathews about his priorities not riverwoods such as moving tennis courts, very costly and croquet enlargement

boccee courts, important

All are covered

There are neighborhood pools close to the activity center pool, which I think is strange. I think it would be nice to have a neighborhood pool in some of the outlying neighborhoods, perhaps instead of increasing the size of the activity center pool. Perhaps one pool could be created that served several outlying neighborhoods.

The wood carving area would be able to be a small section of some other room, wouldn't require a whole building or area.

Security Cameras set up all through out the new center and grounds!!!!

Wood shop. #3

More beach club memberships.

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I guess that is a different topic.

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Comments: Definite need for full quality food/beverage service in/around Activity Center as it is a considerable trip outside Riverwood to obtain food/drink of any kind. Would be really nice to enjoy a cocktail or food after an event or to just bring guests to another venue other than one's home and not having to leave Riverwood.

\*\*\*New children's facility does equate with numbers of actual numbers visiting in/out of season.

Again: We need to continue to ask ourselves: Do we need all of the proposed facilities? How many actual residents will be using it on a continual basis? Cost of maintaining it and MOST OF ALL, WHO/HOW WILL IT BE MONITORED?

We can't even get residents/renters to respect the traffic/safety concerns, the gate protocol, common sense regarding appropriate etiquette. Whose full-time job will it become to attend to these new proposed expansions and amenities.

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I'm in favor of spending money to continue the WOW factor of Riverwood. Our board seems to feel the same by starting this process over again; there are many resources in this community the most valued is knowledge & experience gained in our own life endeavors, ask specifically for resident builders to review & estimate proposed additional amenities, develop an estimate that isn't going to increase by double digit & then give this to our financial to see how they would work the cash flow for construction. Then have our board agree/refine and direct the architect

Thanking everyone for their time & interest

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Shuffleboard.....8

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Sound proof rooms especially rooms used for meetings, more parking, make parking lots one way, current parking is an accident waiting to happen should be one way traffic, more landscaping with flowers at entry areas, attractive entry, no open offices, brighter spaces for exercise, library space, use Florida colors, tennis is ruled by teams rarely can a resident just play tennis without being intimidated by a team demanding the court even if you have signed up assign tennis 2 courts not at prime time

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Badminton/ volleyball with permanent net

Shuffleboard area

Basketball court

These rank very high in our priority probably second

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Locker rooms with showers - 13; lap pool -13; room for physical therapy or massage - 13; new building for administration offices - 13

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Kayak, fishing, water activities (FLA) need to be promoted. Some instruction could be incorporated into activity center. Activities need to be available for year round residents.

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traffic signal @ 776 #1; resident speeding prevention within Riverwood #2

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More parking-high priority.

We understand that there may be a problem with retention ponds and erosion. This would seem to be a necessary item to address and deal with as it is basic to Riverwood's infrastructure.

None

Frankly only two items resonated with us. The rest would merely increase our costs with out affecting our use or enjoyment of facilities.

you haven't missed a thing!

It would be more attractive if the first thing one sees approaching the Activity Center was not the parking lot. Perhaps the parking area could be reassigned to another area so that the entrance to the community center is more appealing.

additional parking-Somewhere in the top 3  
rooms to accommodate dance classes (top 5)

Create bike lanes in areas where there is only one traffic lane each way and a median in the center. There is not enough room in these areas (i.e. north end of Riverwood Drive and parts of Club Drive) for cars and trucks to safely pass bicyclists, forcing the bicyclists to ride on the sidewalk. This would rank in the top three for us.

Movie theater with comfortable chairs.

The most important thing to me is to get that light on 776 put in as soon as possible!!

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How do we educate the residents and renters on our road safety. I see the renters going to fast past the guard gate. We need our roads to be safe for everyone. For the most part we do stop @ signs and our speed is slow. rank 4

building with 2nd floor for facilities

Large Dance floor - number 1 priority

Additional parking is the greatest need

(7) Two shuffle board courts.

none

Could not mark off ranking in priority on list without changing marked priority  
I have rated two the same

The priority list should have allowed residents to set their priority of 1 through 13 for each item and not only one of each priority of the 13 items. Most of the items do not warrant a priority more that 13 since the existing facilities are certainly not over used. The only exception would be that the playground for children

existing facilities are certainly not over used. The only exception would be that the playground for children could be improved with better equipment and possibly pickle ball courts added. We are paying for county taxes and maybe the county should buy the property adjacent Riverwood and put a park in for residents of this area. Riverwood does not need it's own private park when we are already paying for public parks. There is one at El JoBean if we could get a path to it!

Would like to have access to the Myakka River. In particular, building both a wooden walk way along part of the river and most of all a small boat launch area for kayaks and canoes. Would love to have this. It would also be a great attraction for younger home owners investing in Riverwood.

Add a restaurant at the Activities Center. I have noticed that once communities like ours stop improving/expanding and investing in the facilities, it begins their decline. I fully support any improvements even if I will never use them.

No new expansion

LOVE RIVERWOOD FOR THE WAY IT EXISTS TODAY.

Would like to have a licenced bar with light snacks to provide a place to meet since the public is not allowed to use the golf club. I know there is a facility already in place by the pool that is not being used. The demographics are changing in Riverwood and there are a lot of Boomers who like to socialize over cocktails in an outdoor space. Build it and they will come.

To spend money on these other projects without installing the traffic light seems to be out of priority. As a new resident, we believe that the traffic light is imperative for the safety of residents and visitors.

all covered

Although Riverwood is not an "Adult" community we should not encourage families with children by spending money on their interests. This is defacto a senior community

I SAID NO TO THE JUICE BAR AREA BECAUSE WE ALREADY HAVE ONE.

Woodworking

A state of the art sound system is an absolute necessity. Without a high quality sound system, any money spent on the entertainment area is wasted.

Use Parcel A or B for over flow parking lot and save cost of moving tennis courts.

Expanded parking

more parking

more handicap parking

moving basket ball backboard off of the parking lot - two baskets?

I think the entire ranking chart is poorly developed ..... most of the items, in my opinion, would be ranked low except you do not provide for that opportunity. The person who is doing the ranking should be able to rank

except you do not provide for that opportunity. The person who is doing the ranking should have to rank multiple items with the same number.

Steam Room #1

Golf course

Outdoor lunch area where you can purchase snacks and beverages. (medium to low priority)

Low intensity lights along walk paths at Activity Center/tennis court walkway. (high priority)

An area with BBQ grills to gather after any of the outdoor activities or for neighborhood get to get hers. Pulte has incorporated this amenity in their new "Island Walk" community and I would think this would be a wonderful addition.

Provide shuffle board courts with shaded player seating.

I would like to see a steam room or sauna. #1 in my ranking.

Overall, we are very much in favor of the proposed update to the Activity center. In our opinion, the current facility is very dated and lacks modern amenities. We believe the correct formula is how to balance the seasonal influx with dollar common sense.

I believe that first and foremost the activity center updates should represent more of what the majority of residences would be looking for, not normally available in your own home, e.g. pool/spa/hot tub/sauna, pickle/tennis courts, etc. Most people could accommodate things like arts/crafts/games/cards/etc. in their own homes, therefore these amenities have less in common for the entire community. Other thoughts:

Sauna- both steam and heat

tables for the pool lounge chairs.

pool service (peak times obviously)

more covered areas at the pool- for shade from sun (vs. rain)

would the proposed covered area also serve as an extension of the fitness center?

Information activey outside of riverwood plays and new restaurants and so on

Traffic Light

Open baseball, football, frisbee field. Rank around 5

Include an area for 2 or 3 pool tables in the community room.. Build one or more fishing, boating and viewing docks in some of the larger ponds and on the river.

The best and safest thing that could happen to Riverwood is the installation of the new traffic light at 776.

I just think you need to apply some new creativity to activities. Take a fresh approach to getting people together more. Instead of indicating table size of 10, which most people don't really know what to do with, just put out the invites. Maybe get people together to brainstorm. As a new member of the community, it seems like there are existing cliques that we're not sure how to get into. Things like poker nights, pickup games, etc.

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I do not support any upgrades. Most of the existing facilities are only used 6 months out of the year and not more that 75% of the time in the winter. We just finished paying the Bond and now you want more money. We need to look at fixing the sidewalk and roads not adding to facilities that only get used part of the year. Should the people who only live here in the winter want more activity that it should be a pay as used fee not imposing a cost to year round owner who do not used the facilities. Why did we let the Builder leave if he didn't provide enough amenities to support the number of unit that were built.

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We have lived in Riverwood for 12 years and never have we been so angry over our landscaping at our homes and common areas, weeds are taller than the bushes and mulch is nonexistant. We continue to pay our fees and our services get less and less. This has been going on for the past several years. We feel we need to focus our attention on landscaping and NOT lap pools, bleachers, pickleball courts and activity trails. Our property values will go down because of poor landscaping NOT because we don't have a lap pool, etc.. Maybe it's time for a clean sweep in Riverwood -- new landscaping company, new board and new management.

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I feel the activity center is fine just the way it is. to expand it for the few months in season that it is used more often is ridiculous and not the way to be spending our money.

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You do a GREAT job at Riverwood. Love it. Look forward to spending more time here.  
Horse stables with trails would be AWESOME. rated number 3

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Of the 11 lines, I was only able to put dots in 4 lines.

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Thks for all your work on this!!

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Gun range - 1

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None

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the rating section is totally bogus. I would rate most of the items as 13 and cannot do this therefore you are making my decisions for me and I resent this. You are not making this an accurate rating system. Most of the items are not necessary in my opinion.

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I think adding any more tennis courts is crazy!

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Property enhancement : Driving up Club Drive little care has been taken to keep the trees /vegetation looking fresh. There is a lot of trimming required of dead palm leaves / branches . An overall constant clean up is required to maintain the WOW ! factor .

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I definitely don't agree with a full-service kitchen. We are not a restaurant. I also don't agree with a wordworking room. That sounds like a big liability. There is woodworking at the Charlotte County Cultural Center which is accessible to everyone, as well as many other activities. We seem to be catering to a few special interest groups. Our campus is fine the way it is. If we do need more space in the activity center, we should move the offices into the now-vacant sales center. If we are interested in maintaining or raising our property values. we should have purchased the golf course. BTW: We are not members of the golf course

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and have only played there a couple of times, but feel that is one thing that was important for our community.

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The fact that there are no dinner facilities in Riverwood to non-golfers is appalling. #1

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Coffee shop where people can gather to visit and share there experiences

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Most of the above I would rank at 13. We rarely use any of the facilities in our short stay here. We used to use the golf club restaurant for breakfast, lunch, Pub Nights & Specials. Pity they closed their doors to us !!

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Theater with comfortable seats, not folding chairs

Rank two

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Expanded parking. Rank #4.

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Highest would be a staffed restaurant on grounds available to all residents. 2nd would be improved landscaping - more flowers all around as well as at entrance. Next would be improved street lighting, everyone always complains that Club Road is so dark and also hard to see the islands. Then the list in order previously selected.

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Some enhancements to the Golf Course by the RCA to benefit Riverwood as a whole

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Wood working shop was not listed. Is the very lowest of my interested priorities.

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Propane generator to service the office.

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A better place to launch kayaks and canoes on the Myakka and a larger green space next to the board walk to bring own folding chairs or blankets. The boardwalk has bends that do not accommodate paddler's boat launch. Of course, the original promise of a marina should have been fulfilled and would truly make Riverwood unique and exclusive.

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have a beautiful space that could be used for private parties/weddings/ celebrations somewhere on the campus. this is a middle priority for me, but having recently attended a celebration of life at the current building, it occurs to me that a nicer space would be used.

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A restaurant that is available to the members and their guests - top 5

A traffic light at the entrance - top number 1 priority

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expanded parking lot

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Additional parking at the activity center

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We visit other communities where they have a restaurant or coffee shop with light meals, mail room, Mini-market. Coffee Shop #1, Mini-market #2, TV room with comfortable seating #3. This could be one facility where you could go for morning coffee and meet friends. The one we had a couple of years ago was outside, open to the weather and not comfortable.

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Benches on Riverwood Dr and Club Dr as older residents can rest in case of exhaustion

A Softball field (outdoor field), especially if Riverwood wants to be considered a premier community! Each neighborhood could form their own team and form a league. The field could also be used for soccer, kite flying, baseball etc. How so self-serving were the RCDD committee members to decide on pickle ball!! Riverwood now has the parcels of land. Also the pool area is NEVER crowded and, at times, during the summer hardly anyone is evenly present in the area.

Riverwood does need an expanded parking lot, however. There is no mention of this, up to this point, in the survey.

Just bring Activity Center up to code. We don't need the extra expense. What we should do as a community is to buy the golf course. Expand the club house/kitchen and serve meals 7 days a week including breakfast on the weekends. This would allow all Riverwood residences to enjoy the restaurant.

Take basketball hoop out of the parking lot - this is a danger with people shooting while others are trying to park.

More Ground level and other Lighting in the various Parking Areas. It is very difficult to see when leaving activities after dark.

None

A fireplace and sitting area in an elegantly styled lobby. Could include a bar.

additional kayak access to river 1... would cost nothing

Better office space for the RCA staff. High priority.

Golf Course should be part of the community not a separate part owned by others. if you want to protect our community we need to own and run the golf course, not buy vacant land that is of no use to us.

Current center is fine except for exercise room too crowded in season

Encourage golf course management to enhance restaurant facility.

It would be nice to have an area where you could meet friends for drinks if you didn't belong to the golf club.

A makeover of the appearance of the outside of the activity center. Rating 3

dock w/kayaks or canoes

I would be very interested in seeing the Riverwood community purchase and operate the golf course, and building a proper clubhouse that could be multi functional for both golf course members and the Riverwood

community as a whole. Current owners of the golf course are rumored to have spent only \$1.7 Million to purchase the golf course, approximately 18 months ago, which would have made it very affordable for the Riverwood community to purchase. The golf course itself, is well designed and well run, but the golf club lacks a proper clubhouse and restaurant (that is open for more than lunch and twice per week for dinner). Rather than expanding the Activity Centre on it's own, I think there is merit in make a dual purpose facility, that would meet the needs of both golf course members and the Riverwood community as a whole.

#1. Tiki Bar so residents can come and purchase adult beverages and enjoy themselves and their neighbors. The Country Club is a joke!

The ranking system is flawed. We should be able to rank more than one amenity with the same number. I would rank expanded pool, commercial kitchen, expanded tennis courts all with a 13.

Physical therapy room where one could have massages, easy chair exercises and have easy rehabilitation from surgery.

Ballet class pls

Sports bar restaurant providing courteous service to all residents, with reasonable hours. Existing facilities, if better managed, organized, and maintained, with minor improvements, would meet our desires. Very disappointed in the golf course restaurant, which would meet our needs if open past 6 pm, and allow non-golf members to have meals, as was our understanding when we purchased.

Exercise Room showers.

Yes, yes, yes for traffic light - number 1 priority. I am actually happy with the amenities Riverwood has now - don't think any more are needed other than purchasing the surrounding land. Suggestion: couldn't the offices be located in the trailer Centex left near the entrance to Riverwood?

Removal of office space from the existing facilities and minor renovations to establish such facilities as entirely for the use of residents only (close to top priority)

None

The traffic light comes first, before enhancements to Activity Center. An upgrade, possible relocation of guard house to accommodate all vehicles & traffic. Installation of a back gate that actually works 24/7. (If we, as a nation, can design the iphone and land men on the moon, surely a gate that works is within our grasp.) Now that we're buying the land, and if we install the traffic light, consideration should be given as to how this will impact the whole "front end" of the property including the guard house, & Activity Center. For example, given a traffic light, do we consider abandoning Willow Bend road in order to allow for a better design of the entire front end of Riverwood?

I like everything just as it is. If any additional improvements are made it should be in the landscape and pond issues. Riverwood is a perfect place to reside. Those issues are primary to me, not massive improvements for a very few of our residents.

Top priority.....stop light on highway at our exit.

Include a grill/deli in the enclosed area. A screened in area

WIFI throughout Riverwood. Rank: 7th out of 14.

larger seating space for events. redesign the building to function properly

Additional parking is needed and would be #1 on my list.

None

WHEN I TRIED TO RANK THE ITEMS IN THE PREVIOUS AREA IT WOULD ONLY LET ME DO ONE 13 AND ONE OF ANY NUMBER. I WOULD HAVE HAD 6 OR 7 13'S SO IT DID NOT FIT ME.??????????????????

Fishing dock

This is so strange. I had forwarded this email to someone who lives in River Run because they did not get theirs. I saw the reminder today so I went to fill mine out and thought it was odd that some answers seemed pre-filled. I hope I am not canceling out that survey by submitting this one and vice versa.

Also curious to know what the property at the entrance that was recently purchased will be used for.

None

None

security - guard entrance: needs to be expanded and technology added. Should have better view of campus.

I would like to see designated bicycle lanes on all the streets in Riverwood. #1 priority

Outdoor grills, more socials other than dances, weekly trivia nights.

The enhancement page need more work. It would not take my vote on certain items as it kept clearing the rating selected. Why???? Something is fishy.

I would like to see a poolside cafe/bar incorporated into the renovation plans. Now that the golf clubhouse is closed to non members, there is no place in Riverwood to eat. An informal cafe /bar would make a great place for tennis players, croquet players to stop for some cool refreshment. People at the pool would no longer have to pack a lunch or snacks for the kids. Poolside (or inside depending on the weather) would make a pleasant environment to stop and have a sandwich for lunch or a light dinner. Why would I drive all the way to Farlow's if I could get a good meal in Riverwood proper? I think this idea has huge potential - Riverwood's tiki bar and grill! This would be number one on my priority list.

Lunch time cafe

Ranked First -- Cardio Exercise specific equipment in center with classes or instruction on use of such

equipment for residents who may have cardiovascular illness and also have limited mobility so may not be able to jog and/or walk.

Would love to have a steam room in the women's locker room

Indoor pool would be 2 on my list

The facility needs to be sound proof so more than one activity at a time could use the facility. This is a very big problem. Unless you conduct classes you don't have any idea how the noise disrupts classes.

None

Buying the property A and B would be above all.

I think the money should be used to purchase the golf club and open it to all residents of Riverwood.

Note:

The Activity Centre Campus Survey would not allow more than one ranking in a column, ie: could not use any number more than once. Only allowed to use any ranking once. Trying to use 13 a second time resulted in the previous 13 being deleted.

Music should not be forced on residents in pool area. If residents need music, personal devices are available in most households - iPods, iPhones, etc. With the high volume and music selection, reading, napping and relaxation are difficult to achieve.

Additional parking--not in place of existing tennis courts

We would like to see a coffee shop/ refreshment area for socializing with neighbors, with regular, convenient, year around hours.

Expanded library space with wider selections including space for the classics. Currently, books are only available that are no older than those published in the last seven years.

These would be included in the top three for us.

Parking

Billiards in top five

Traffic signal should be number one priority

The office personnel do not need a dedicated building. We need something to be able to keep food warm (when caterers drop off food) - very important - do not want people getting sick from food sitting out.

Move the dog park and make more parking spaces. Parking seems to be a mess when events are given.

Parking increase and located with central access to amenities.

Larger raised stage with adjoining dressing area /storage area when not in use for either. Such as storage of chairs and tables when not needed for entertainment as dressing room.

The ranking system is faulty. Residents should be able to give multiple amenities the same high or low rankings. I was forced to give an artificially high ranking to Tennis court Expansion because I had to give low rankings to other unneeded amenities and expansions.

Restrooms (Men and Women) need substantial improvement in number and quality. This is especially true if an expanded entertainment facility (for which we don't see the need) is included.

It would be nice to have a small café to get a beer/wine and burger/sandwich/salad....This would rank 2nd or 3rd on our list.

PARKING!!!!!!!!!!!! Top of the list! A true theatre with comfortable permanent seating (like Regal theatres but without the bed bugs or Riverwood's rats (that includes the rat named Campbell)).

We feel strongly that the activity center is perfect AS IS for the demographics & population in Riverwood.

Larger library

# 1 for me is the consolidation of our golf and activity center activities and facilities--there should be discussions underway to determine the feasibility of consolidating facilities to enhance services and reduce costs in the long-term. It is a failure of the CDD to not be incorporating this thought process--to plan for the long term and upgrade the Riverwood "Community" to equal the renowned status of our golf course. Non golfers need to realize that their home values are influenced by an estimated 25% as a result of sharing the course. Other emerging communities such as Sarasota National and others will be competing for home owners in the future--if our facilities are lacking, so will be the availability of future homeowners! It is also important that we "enhance" with the thought of attracting "younger" residents--that is how Riverwood will prosper!!

Area to enjoy a cup of coffee or a frozen smoothie with neighbors and friends.

The highest and most import improvement need is the stoplight that is a health and safety issue that should be done with any question or hesitation. The rest is not necessary would be welcomed but not necessary.

Open up the golf course restaurant and bar to all Riverwood residents.

Dedicate one room to dance with a wood-like floor. Needs mirrors and soundproofing. Large enough for 20 people to dance.

Expand parking

Showers for the exercise room and the swimming pool.

Please provide a shower for the pool area. Also, include more water-activities for children and playground activities

NO. 1 - Resident run activities, NO. 2 - Traffic Light

Dock facility for a boat

Biking and jogging trails are a must. Add a kids pool as an extension to the main pool. Add a right turn lane at 776 and Riverwood Dr.

\$100/mo

in the \$300 range

I am willing to go up to \$300.

Where is the reduction in fees from the revenue bonds having been paid off?

None. Use existing money. Most of us are on fixed income.

Your lowest option should be more than enough!

0.00

We are OK with a \$500 increase or more. We need to stay up to date.

What about purchasing the two large parcels of land at the front of Riverwood so we can retain our entrance?

none

We would support up to \$6,000,000 (land purchase, traffic signal, updates, expansion and new enhanced amenities)

less than 10.42/mo. or \$125 annual increase based on deletion of traffic signal

I think something like \$3.5M- \$15/ mon. -\$180 annually is reasonable at this time

we would pay up to 300\$ per year /25\$ per month

Would need specific definitions of Capital Expenditures since building updates are separate item

No land purchase, modify Willow Bend exit to allow eastbound access to 776 and bring buildings to code.

\$31.25/mo. but omit traffic light expenditure

None !!!

spending a lot now, don't want more.

No increase. The proposed changes are not needed or justified.

We Cannot 'pick a number' without knowing more precisely how it is to be spent. There are items that need to be done first and foremost. Expansion priorities need much further discussion and input from

homeowners. Frankly, if this survey is representative of how decisions are being made by the CDD about our future, then we question proceeding with anything at this point. The whole matter has been handled extremely unprofessionally.

None

None

This area needs to be broken out more by activity

establish a building and site fund-funded by \$5.00 p/m

zero

a financial cost with a specific plan not an annual plan forever

traffic signal only

nothing we pay enough now

Would commit to \$500 but are redicent to commit beyond that for as yet unknown future improvements.

How much \$ for What improvements? No logic.

Construction would need to be completed in a very timely fashion to add value

\$250 annually or more if i like the proposed amenities.

As much as it takes to keep Riverwood the premier community that it is today. Residents are missing the idea if they think any of this can be accomplished and not spend the money to be first class. I would be willing to spend easily \$1000 per year to accomplish this. I love Riverwood but I have found the biggest problem is that it is a seasonal community and the snowbirds are not willing to spend the money.

up to \$350 per year

impossible to answer

We are happy with the facilities the way they are and want them to be kept in good repair.

none

zero, the rapid growth in households in Riverwood is a major increase in revenue already.

minimal increase to no annual increase

not in favor of any above

Even your lowest option seems excessive

ILAND PURCHASES, MORE EXPANSION, & NEW ENHANCEMENT ARE UN-NECESSARY!

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none

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Traffic signal should not be in base cost since it may not be a high priority to the majority of the residents.

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What is the full cost per residence, i.e. \$3,500 per residence would be an acceptable figure.? Financing figures are misleading. but this is not enough space to discuss this.

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There is no way I could respond to this question without a solid utilization study of existing facilities.

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No addition increase

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No additional amount. I purchased knowing the current bond would be over in 2 years. Lets leave it at that.

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do not want a traffic signal

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We purchased as did all others knowing what we have we need to purchase the land and put up a light.

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Not willing to pay more than basic upkeep

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\$31.25 and we don't need a traffic signal

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0.0.00\$

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All too expensive for my budget.

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None

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I would pay \$500.00 per year only if buying the golf course is part of the package. I realize we need to improve all parts of the community to keep this great place to live for everyone even if we don't use activities or sports that are offered. this is why i beleive we need to purchase the golf course or at least have a committee formed to look into all aspects of buying the golf course in the future to be prepared when it comes for sale again.

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Any amount up to \$500, do not like the stated 13 options especially new construction ( which is why we did not rate them), minor tweaks, management, organization, and maintenance, would serve our desires. Our priorities would be at the \$125 level, plus added for trainer in excercise room, bar/restaurnant, and funds to provide better organization, management, and maintenance of existing.

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if 5mil results in a mediocre upgrade, then 7mil would be better option to provide more of a wow

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\$0 as we like riverwood as is.

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until I know what each items cost I am not in favor of increasing annual fees.

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This is an unanswerable question without an understanding of RW's future capital requirements (erosion control, water supply enhancement, etc.).

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None

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Why not share with residents the "actual increase" in costs for residents---as existing debt is retired the "actual" out-of-pocket is not as significant. If we were also to own the golf course, we could offer existing residents who golf elsewhere due to cost, other restricted membership options.

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nothing needs to be brought up to code - thats BS

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Support purchasing parcels A and B, to protect our borders. Do not support a traffic light or expansion of playground facilities.

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Financial advisor, I'm not!

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zero

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Parking at activity center, group meeting area (example - bicycle / motorcycle riders)

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A bar and grill facility would be good. Could be full service, part service, and / or available for residents to book and use.

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See comments in previous section.

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Quality restaurant

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Softball field

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Would love to see a fishing pier at the end of sawgrass section.

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We came to Riverwood for the facilities we saw at time of purchase. Buying into a "wow" factor for a minority of resident is not what we expected when we moved here. If this place doesn't "wow" them, let them move!

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While a full service kitchen would be wonderful, we are not sure the added expense and compliance issues warrant it.

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We need an entrance that announces our facility, what we have is poor and looks cheap, you pull up to see 3-4 guards standing around shooting the breeze, looks unprofessional, the back gate is a joke, surely thousands of other facilities like Riverwood have figured out this simple function, why can't we? It confuses and embarrasses me especially when guest are in town!

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Parking and more bike racks

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none

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The sidewalks need to have the brush cut back to allow for full width walking. Cutting down low hanging brush would make it safer with minimal expense. There should be speed bumps installed at every stop sign in Riverwood-that is the only thing that is going to stop those drivers from running/rolling stop signs. There have been numerous close calls I have seen in the past 6 months.

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It would be great to have a place to go for a drink, light meal or snack that is open after 6pm.

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Parking needs to address when we enhance the Activity Center. We need more parking.

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plan looked good interested to see it after integration of new property

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The survey didn't mention the current idea of closing off Riverbend Road to add parking for the activity center. We definitely are against the closing of this road and only having one access/exit for safety and emergency reasons. There seems plenty of room on the other side of the dog park to move the dog park over and to expand the Riverbend road parking area, if needed.

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Just to reiterate my first priority. I have talked with several members of our community and nearly everyone agrees that it would great to have an on campus casual restaurant people could go to get a sandwich and perhaps a drink and meet up with neighbors to watch a game. Basically like a fun, casual sports bar/pub type place! It's especially important here because there is no restaurants that particularly close to Riverwood.

I've visited several other communities and most of them have some type of eating establishment for residents. From very formal to just a deli type of arrangement. Some places have both!

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Also, the golf course facility isn't getting it done on a lot of levels.

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Because we don't use the activity center it would be more important to us to;

Put in the traffic light on 776.

Buy parcels A and C.

Fence the entire property.

Move the security building closer to 776 and eliminate the second entrance off 776 to ensure the entire property is secure.

Buy the golf course.

Build a new facility that would incorporate the golf club house and the activity center now that Parcel B has been purchased. This would avoid duplication of parking areas, kitchens etc.

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With purchase of parcel A, an improved entry will be possible.

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Softball field(s)

Basketball court(s)

Horseshoe pits

Volleyball court

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Canoe/kayak launch & dock on 'big lake' in lieu of the marina we were promised when we built here

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restaurant and bar on site

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See note on stage

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Aggressive rental/ lease program for special events, use of kitchen facility, group events/celebrations to

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create an income revenue stream for the center.

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We believe improving landscaping should be the #1 priority for Riverwood. It was one of the most important factors in drawing us to Riverwood and there has been a steady and significant decline in the quality and beauty of our landscaping. The common lands have experienced a pronounced deterioration. If maintaining the value of our properties and making Riverwood a desirable place to live are important, then landscaping needs to be at the top of our improvement list. We are also concerned that required future infrastructure repairs such as pond erosion control and water system could result in additional onerous assessments. Activity center enhancements are a much lower priority.

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comfortable chairs for cards and the entire activity center

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Speed bumps are needed. The cost of the constant repair of back gate should be made available to residents. Bikers, golf carts need to adhere to same rules as a motor vehicle.

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A lot of people ride bikes in Riverwood. A modified bike lane throughout Riverwood would be a benefit.

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We support amenities that are for the benefit of Riverwood residents but oppose any enhancement that is designed to draw more participation by those who are not riverwood residents or their guests.

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Be sure to have all design and plans reviewed by members in community with professional experience that may volunteer to provide RCD with assistance. Have costing done well in advance of presentation to community so that full breakdown of each item to be enhanced or addition is known along with estimate of annual operating cost.

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Were addressed in survey

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Shuffle board.

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All activity center activity participants would benefit from a changing/ dressing/ shower facility.

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Restaurant or sandwich shop on site.

Banking or ATM on site.

Dedicated billiards room.

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Other golf communities work closely with their golf courses and offer full service restaurants. Why are we not enhancing Riverwood with amenities we do not have rather than updating ones we already have? However, this question assumes we want to keep adding to the wish list instead of condensing the responses to a few amenities which will really add value to our community.

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There are several new communities in the area with beautiful club houses. I know that we are currently restricted by our older buildings, but we should make our community areas as beautiful as possible

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Locker room/showers.

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New Riverwood signs on highway 776

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Very important to buy the adjacent land to Riverwood to prevent any development that would detract from our community.

MOST important is protecting Riverwood boundaries (by purchasing parcels on 776) and protecting Riverwood residents (by getting a traffic light installed on 776. Everything else is icing.

The residents require a licensed club house for social gathering with regular hours. We currently have a bar service area in the pool area which is under utilized.

Painting with water coloring

I have heard that with the purchase of Parcel "A", Willow Bend will be closed and the guard gate moved forward. I am in favor of moving the guard gate, but feel that a second entrance from 776 is important (even with a traffic light). That second entrance would alleviate pressure on the intersection controlled by the light. I hope there is a way to have the light and retain the present second entrance.

Nature walks should include more access to views of the river, dispersing views throughout Riverwood. The current single access is heavily used - more points would allow property owners next to current river access more privacy.

Riverwood is 70 % snowbirds and 30% full-time. The proposal is basically giving the full-timer what they want at the expense of the part-timers.

The whole plan should be dropped. The board was elected to serve the best interest of the majority of the homeowners, not just the full- timers

Please consider upgrading the restaurant--currently this is very minimal for a restaurant on a golf course. I realize this could conflict with the plans for a fully operational kitchen on the activity campus, but this type of high quality golf course usually has a nice restaurant.

Parking was raised as a huge item in the plan...I see nothing in this survey that attempts to address this.

I feel the current cabana bathroom as well as the gym bathrooms are an embarrassment to Riverwood. I have felt this way since I moved here in '08 .

The only major enhancement that is NEEDED is the traffic light; all others have been addressed.

I just want to see that the new clubhouse is breath taking. I would hate to get in and see it and say, this is it? I want it to be done beautifully, decorated with draperies, computer rooms, something that really looks like it was worth the fiinances and effort. The present clubhouse was a disappointment starting with a shingle roof and no kitchen. Let's make it look grand, just like Riverwood looks when you drive in. We live in Paradise and the amenities should reflect that.

Fund for providing future land acquisitions.

Let's investigate a kiddie pool

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add locker rooms by pool mens and womens with showers

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Another nine holes would be great to accommodate the traffic in Season.

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Office space for CDD and RCA should be provided - perhaps not even on the activity campus. Should have space provided for a dedicated Activity Director who would supervise all aspects of the campus.

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I live here year round so the only thing I see missing are trails or paths that might take me away from the congestion at the 4 way stop.

I see people out walking, biking and running everyday 12 months out of the year. The Activity center is a ghost town during the summer after May 1.

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It would be great to offer some kind of bike & helmet rental option or use.

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table tennis

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Food and Drinks at the Pool

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Guard at the back gate

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We'd like to see more money invested in additional landscaping and better maintenance of existing landscaping.

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Changing and shower facilities for pool(s) together with sauna and steam room

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- street lighting on main streets
  - renewed emphasis on common area landscaping
  - commitment to power washing side walks and road side gutters on a regular basis
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Just a good leader who would add some energy to support utilization of this wonderful amenity

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quite surprising in a community this large that there isn't designated golf cart trails, bike trails and running trails. Would also love to see a traffic light. During season it is very difficult to get out of the community even at 7:15am.

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We really want to see a better theater, more comfortable chairs, stage area

We have a lot of entertainment here and the acoustics are horrible, seating area is much too crowded, and we need a stage!

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A new Golf Club House with expanded amenities, restaurant, outdoor sitting space. This is our top priority. Nothing on the list provided is of interest to us.

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This survey is terribly biased as it only really gave options to invest in the Activity Center Campus, which is inappropriate, as not all residents feel this is the priority or represents what will drive the attractiveness of Riverwood and home values.

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Tennis courts 4 thru 6 where the end abuts the pond should have a screen extension of 10 to 15 feet to

Tennis courts 4 thru 6 where the end abuts the pond, should have a screen extension of 10 to 15 feet to better prevent balls from leaving the court.

A back gate that is reliable.

Seems to be well covered

A very important subject that was not addressed is traffic control inside the gates of Riverwood. It is a serious problem that is being procrastinated.

More consideration should be given to the many residents that walk and bike around Riverwood. The outdoor space seems to be the space that is getting the most use. Additional biking/hiking trails would provide safer and more enjoyable outdoor exercise opportunities for all residents and their guests. It would give greater access to the beautiful natural environment that surrounds Riverwood, and support Audubon education activities as well.

We purchased our home in Riverwood because of this natural environment.

No mention at all in the survey with regards to purchasing Lot A. We believe an expansion of the main activity room (fitness rooms, card rooms, library, lounge, offices, meeting rooms, and stage ) should be of sufficient size to meet the demands of the largest seasonal crowds expected. The present plans for the main room add only 50 or so more seats. This doesn't do much considering the number of people we have in the winter as a whole community. We feel under no circumstances should the entire campus be demolished and rebuilt. Consider using some of the space in parcel B.

Our own restaurant/pub would be a great asset.

Boat ramp somewhere on the Myakka for residents use.

The "Sewer Plant Stinks" and that in my opinion should be Riverwoods number one priority.....Solving this problem will do more to help "resale" more than any other issue on the survey.

Second is a signal light at the intersection of 776. Forget about the stop signs, the bicycles, the golf cars, and speed bumps, Do something that will actually reduce accidents.

I am not at the pool during peak hours. I do not know if we need an additional pool.

I do feel that we need more sunning areas. Most people use the pool to cool down and then go back to their lounge chair.

I would rather have a resistance pool where you walk around a fountain to get exercise than a lap pool. Many can use it at the same time.

Parking .....it is not mentioned in the survey.

Make the spaces a little bigger. The people here have less than stellar parking skills.

Monday Nite Movies should be shown with "CAPTIONS" enabled, so that the high percent of reduced-hearing Riverwood residents can once again participate. (I and many others no longer attend for this reason)

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RCCD and RCA, keep up the good fight for adding new amenities to stay competitive and upgrading infrastructure like more effluent HVAC, etc.

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Thank you for dragging us forward. Don't give up! PROGRESS!!!

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shuffleboard courts.

additional Parking.

Covered swimming pool.

Golf practice area.

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The overall conditions of the common areas and grounds are important to the aesthetics of our community in Riverwood.

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Consider sharing the costs of the Tennis and Croquet courts with those that use them.

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I would like to see if you redo the vending snack bar area healthy options on the menu not just packaged snack food

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1. Continue to upgrade security to licensed personnel with frequent property patrols.
  2. Eliminate subsidies for the tennis center and the lawn croquet. They should be self-funding as are the dog park, beach club, and golf course.
  3. Expand parking by the dog park for general use.
  4. Resident friendly training for the office personnel.
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Need a restaurant as the golf course is closed to non members

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Second water line

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I think Riverwood should actively work on the Restaurant / Grill problem. Lack of food options on campus or nearby threaten our neighborhood. The golf course has not proved a solution due to the member/ non-member bad feelings, but i believe it could be. Even the members are totally amazed at how crummy the food situation is and how limited the hours are. If the community would consider some mutual project to enlarge the golf club kitchen in exchange for open access to all residents and 7 days /week lite dinner service it would be a win/win. Probably a dream but another idea is to help fund a small restaurant in the new

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parcel... not owning or managing but enabling ( Why else would we pay to but that land if it doesn't solve a major problem? more walking trails is not as high a need as a restaurant solution in my mind)

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Children's playground needs improving

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Put additional parking approximately where the dog park is now, or some similar distance from Activity Center, eg, expand into area B.

I would favor speed bumps to slow traffic on Riverwood Drive but doubt that many residents would agree (including my wife!)

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We recommend that the current golf clubhouse be expanded or replaced with a facility large enough for all Riverwood residents. It should include both dining and additional meeting rooms instead of more meeting rooms at the Activity Center campus. All residents would be required to be at least social members in order to finance this facility. Even if you do not play golf, the Riverwood Golf Club is the primary reason we have the most desirable community in Charlotte County.

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better theater seating for the concerts and other such events

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All are covered!

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Neighborhood pool for outlying areas . . . perhaps in the roundabout area.

Nicer pool chairs . . . cast aluminum (on wheels) with cushions? Better furniture to replace the plastic tables and chairs in the open area between the buildings. (The furniture over by the outdoor bar is beautiful.)

People may not think to suggest these items, but it would be interesting to know how many would be in favor of them if they were presented.

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The drive in on Riverwood from the parking lot to Club Road has become unsightly since the replacement of the old wooden fence with this new plastic or metal see-through arrangement where we can now see all the park models / double-wides at Encore next door. We had no idea our first decade here that they were this close to us. That should be taken care of WAY before \$5 mil. dollar expansions, in our opinion, because it is relatively low-cost with great aesthetic bang for the bucks spent.

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Parking, monitoring of enhanced facilities, transparency of present costs of operating what we already have. I am sure most residents have no clue what is included in the actual monies we currently pay for the amenities that already exist in Riverwood. People may be most happy to pay for enhancements if the distribution of the monies was fair and equal for most/all Riverwood Residents. I wonder why I pay a portion of \$14,000.00 a year for a tennis pro, don't ever use/play tennis but must pay each time I attend water aerobics classes and other classes offered. People even pay an additional fee to use THEIR OWN DOG PARK. Really? Is that equitable?

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more parking, spa, art& crafts, refurbishing : new plantings & force feeding of existing, redecorate in general a fresh look

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better control of speed limits & stop sign compliance, request golf carts to not drive on sidewalks and to stop at stop signs

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The new pavilion has to be screened in.

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Besides having the facilities for the amenities, please plan on hiring instructors for these, such as Pilates etc. Offer a once month training on how to use the workout machines. Offer a weight class for women. Offer a once a month time when an instructor would design a workout on the machines for you. Its not enough to just offer the equipment, you have to make sure people know how to use it safely and for their best health.

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Kayak entry, pier with chairs picnic table, riverside has dock but it is in terrible condition, would be wonderful to have a spot to sit and view sunsets or sunrise

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Coffee station, community computer, printer

Evening wine tasting

Uniforms for office/ staff-- Riverwood shirts

T-shirts, hats, bags etc with Riverwood for sale not just at golf center

offer more connection to day trips, concerts, boating-- not just cruises

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There is no mention of new office space, which is a must.

As we mentioned earlier, Badminton / Volleyball area

Playground should be small area with swing set.

Now that you are buying Parcel B, you should start all over with new plans, and get ideas from at least two architects who have experience in activity center construction

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Additional paved parking should be placed where the croquet pitch is currently located, next to building, with croquet relocated to backside of building (where bocci is located). Much more cost efficient than paving two tennis courts.

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Another gravel overflow parking lot could be added on Parcel A at the corner of Riverbend and Riverwood Dr and landscaped to conceal it. Walk across access to Campus past gatehouse.

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Just need to promote more FLA type activities such as fishing, kayaking, paddleboarding, etc. We have plenty of water and some instruction could be done in activity center.

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perhaps questions regarding other family/guest useage would be helpful. Only saw 2 questions about persons living in the home.

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Instead of a full service kitchen (which will increase our insurance) why not explore having a restaurateur build a restaurant on party of the property just purchased.

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Add spinning bikes and spinning class. Add arts and craft classes.

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none

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need for more parking/or could have just grass or gravel overflow parking since not an issue all the time

Just as a comment I do not wish to see Willow Lane closed if a light is installed. Also I am a family that very much underutilizes Riverwood's amenities but still recognizes their value to the community and home values and is willing to spend the money necessary to maintain and heighten those standards.

I would suggest a kayak launching/access area somewhere else in Riverwood in addition to the boardwalk in Tarpon Harbor II. I would also suggest that if the RCA considers such amenities worthwhile, that the RCA commit to maintain such amenities so that neighborhoods are not burdened with the expense of maintenance. Perhaps, a nature trail through preserve areas would lessen traffic to one specific area amenity and the affect on neighbors bordering such amenity.

Now that Parcels A and B are being purchased, perhaps the dog park, playground, etc. can be moved to one of those areas and more parking put in in their present places. This can also eliminate the need for shifting around tennis courts for parking area.

Create bike lanes in areas where there is only one traffic lane each way and a median in the center. There is not enough room in these areas (i.e. north end of Riverwood Drive and parts of Club Drive) for cars and trucks to safely pass bicyclists, forcing the bicyclists to ride on the sidewalk. This would rank in the top three for us.

We feel it would be important to purchase the parcels at the front of Riverwood along Rt. 776 before any changes are made to the Activity Center Campus.

Nice Restaurant

Upgrade and renovate landscaping in CDD owned common areas

Parking - Sound-proof rooms for musical instruments

There is already a concession area in the newer activity center that apparently is unprofitable to run as a for profit business and it closed. Few people used it. A simple self-serve coffee, tea, soft drink vending area would be nice for those who would like to walk down and have coffee. I suggest converting the covered outside lounge and bar area near the pool area to a self-serve coffee and wifi social area. Being unconditioned makes it not very useable due to humidity, insects, etc. Now this area is very under utilized. I would support a roof covering over the existing court yard with optional

1). Small river boat launch area for kayaks and canoes.

2). Sauna and steam room for exercise area.

3). Lunch offered in outside patio area on weekends.

I think the overall landscaping at the activity center needs to be improved as it does not live up to the rest of

I think the overall landscaping at the activity center needs to be improved as it does not live up to the rest of the grounds. It should be a "destination" for visitors and residents.

The traffic light is not only critical to the safety of all residents but necessary for the safety of the dozens of employees that work within the Riverwood community. The light should be installed as soon as possible.

Cafe-outdoor dining for lunch, breakfast etc

whether you will use an amenity or not, we still need them all

Convenience type store at entrance property .

No additional fees for Dog Park and Beach use! We need to resolve the back gate issue once and for all.

Progressive life living facility, ie assisted living

There should be a resident restaurant as part of the activity center that is not associated with the golf club in any way.

Speed Bumps. Drivers have run stop signs for my entire 5 years as a resident inspite of constant reminders

We actually like it just the way it is.

Space for RCA staff

The traffic is utmost importance!

Hoping that the rumor that is out requiring instructors to be certified and insured is untrue. Since almost all of our activities are free and conducted by residents this requirement would directly affecting the the ability of the classes to continue. In which case, if this happens, there would not be a need to provide exercise rooms.

Shaded swimming area

Shuffle board courts with shaded player seating

Golf course a week dedicated to non members special price or special food prices for non golf members

Snack bar near pool would be great with frozen yogurt and burgers and sandwiches

Fishing docks, boat launching and storage areas, outdoor viewing with shade and seating provided near some of the water and wildlife areas,

Would really appreciate some biking paths.

Buy the land in front of Riverwood. as soon as possible

Plant more palm tree's

Installing speed bumps on Riverwood Drive and Club Drive from entrance up to and including Saw Grass.

More Kayak area's and Bicycle trails would be awesome.

Rather than some of the proposed amenities, I would enjoy having a shooting range within the neighborhood. It would be very convenient for us.

Lighted fountains in the larger Ponds and /or a Large Pond with a lighted fountain at entrance with a walking trail and benches around it.

I am happy with the current ammenities

I think the board needs to carefully consider the options. What I saw at the presentation was crazy - and seemed to be in a "rush" to implement. Most construction will have a plan - phase 1, phase 2, etc. This seemed to be all or nothing!

Additional parking was not addressed in this survey and is an important issue. Also, the relocation of the office space was not addressed.

Parking

We feel additional parking is needed but not where the tennis courts are now. The dog park parking area could be expanded towards the dog park.

We support the effort moving forward to enhance the Activity Centre however we spend most of our time at the Golf Club. Therefore our suggestion earlier for more collaboration between the RCA and the Golf Club would be welcomed.

A general agreement between Riverwood and the golf course to open the restaurant to residents.

I would like to see the restaurant at the golf course open to non-member guests from time to time.

Marina or at least kayak and canoe launch area. Green space on river's edge for bringing folding chairs and blankets.

A back gate that works properly

see our comments above relative to a mini-mart and coffee shop.

Additional parking without moving tennis courts. Improve sound system and air conditioning.

I would like to see Riverwood look like when I first moved here.  
The landscape is bad now and driving on Club Dr is very unsightly with the RV showing all the ugly vehicles in there, a fence should be dividing that area and landscape hiding that ugly view of Riverwood!

until we expand I think Employees should park over by the Dog park from Nov till May.

Also need to change the smoking area for employees...Doesn't look good to have them standing at the entrance of the Activity campus-when you have people coming to play tennis, Realtors showing the activity campus etc...

At times it seems to be difficult to schedule the use of some part of the Activity Center Facilities for a resident inspired activity, even if those facilities are available. More flexibility in this regard would be a plus.

1. additional access points to river
2. biking/hiking trails
3. observation decks at Club Dr. pond/bird nesting area
4. enhance views of river from public areas

Additional parking would be helpful for social functions especially during high season.

Keep the pool table. It is not included in the new floor plan and is used quite a bit as there is not room for a full-sized table in most homes.

I think the hiking/walking trails is a great idea. Keeps some people off the dangerous roads and traffic. Good low-impact exercise.

improve all areas , but also include buying the golf course to protect the golfing members of Riverwood. That would also take the reluctance to buy in Riverwood not knowing the future direction of Golf in Riverwood. If the golf course deteriorates many owners will leave to other communities, myself included.

Horse shoe pitch

The rear gate is a constant and costly maintenance headache. It would be better to have a human guard on the gate 24/7 . In the long run security would be better and at a lower long term cost.

No more Amenities.

I realize the club house is under Coral Managements control, but I would like to see more money put into the club house to make it competitive with other gated golfing communities of Riverwood's stature. After all, Riverwood is a premier gated golfing community, first and foremost.

Massage therapy room

If you had a masseuse rent the room, it would provide Riverwood with additional income and I am sure there are many people in Riverwood that would support this kind of service. I know I would.

I miss having a place where I can get a good, quiet, spa-like massage.

Trainer in exercise room, who can show people how to use equipment, and identify workout routine.

Bar/restaurant, with courteous service. Disappointed in golf course bar/restaurant facility availability to non-members.

Would not mind pickle ball enhancement, and expanded RV parking/storage area.

Better landscaping around the Activity Center and on the entrance road area. Better indoor and outdoor areas for neighborhoods or specialty groups to hold socials and meetings.

Less space used for offices.

Planned improvements that allow for additional changes in the future as needed.

None

Under no circumstances do I want the front 2 parcels we are about purchase developed by the CDD for commercial use. I heard a rumor that the CDD is all about making money and that although we are being offered the possibility of walking & jogging trails, the CDD would actually like to develop the land for commercial rent. I have not done any exploration to see if this rumor is true. I just wanted you to know it's "out there" and that if it is true, I'm opposed to developing the land for anything other than jogging & bike trails.

UPGRADE AND MAINTAIN

None

Designated meeting room, not used for activities.

Please research how much added safety we'll receive from a traffic signal vs. number of accidents/deaths at signal intersections. Compare that to the number of accidents/deaths we've had to date at our entrance.

Your web site is lacking, get another provider or improve it's use. Communication is important keep it up and going

If there is to be "expansion" in the tennis area, the tennis participants should support it financially. Not the entire community.

I would like a tennis court lined for pickleball with two portable nets. We could easily work around available times when the tennis courts are empty.

I would not be interested in having to pay for a traffic light. It is only a problem 3 months out of the year. A little patience and careful driving solves the problem.

Full time restaurant/bar

additional parking at activity center

indoor pool

Street lights all the way up Riverwood Dr and Club Dr.

If you don't expand the facilities (all of them) then there isn't any need to do anything except get the rats out of the ceilings and the Tiki Bar. The expansion is really needed, it is busy off season and really bad during season. The playground is in poor shape and unsafe for the children.

suggest to golf course owners to get rid of food service in place,

update kitchen and provide a quality club house food facility for all to enjoy.

additional parking

Additional parking without displacing existing tennis courts

Additional Security for the community would be preferred.

I think more playground equipment for young children would be a good idea. We are a community largely comprised of over 55 residents and frequently have children and grandchildren visiting. Other than the community pool, there is not much for the smallest children to occupy themselves with.

An area to do car maintenance.

Much better chairs more comfortable/ergonomicly designed.

We need more 8 ft long tables

We should have an area where resident artist can display their work. I closed display cases and walls designed to hang photos or paintings inter changeable no holes in walls

More colorful and groomed landscaping around the ac campus and facilities

The Activity Center Campus was designed for 1220-1300 households, which is what we will ultimately have, so expansion beyond what we have is not required.

As indicated in my earlier comments--incorporating golf course discussions is essential.

Any amenities to mesh members and non-members will be an enhancement. The LINE drawn between members and non-members is tearing Riverwood apart. Riverwood used to be so enjoyable and a thriving community.

widen roads for bike lanes.

Since the golf course no longer allows non-members in the grill and bar, it woul be nice to age a small grill in the activity center, perhaps with a blob policy.

Riverwood is a prime community. Let's stay ahead of the field. The Activity Center needs updating. Let's achieve the "WOW" future look.

The Activity Center needs a larger area for entertainment performers. Space would also work for large meetings.

The RCDD should work with the county and state to install a traffic light.

Bring current facility up to code, add parking.

The restaurant at the club should be open to residents.

Re: Community financial question: The first item includes everything that I consider worthwhile. When

accomplished, I'd consider the other items. The RCDD needs to prove its competence before advancing.

lower music in pool area

Better basketball court, open field for football, baseball, kite flying

Resident run activities with a volunteer run committee.

New proposal does not show a spa. Keep the spa. Improve kayak launch. Riverwood does not take advantage of river. How about a boardwalk along the river?

We love Riverwood. The Activity Center needs to impress people.

Second pool, restaurant, bike and walking paths

We support the land purchases and the traffic signal.

Survey was very well presented and thank you for letting us participate in some of the improvements riverwood is in need of.

Thanks for doing the survey. It is long overdue. The evaluation of the survey and conclusions reached should be fully explained to residents so we understand how the results were arrived at.

The 1-13 ranking does not reflect the fact that we have very little or no interest in a majority of the proposed amenities/enhancements and would rank many of them 13.

We think that one survey per resident rather than one per household would have been better because each person within a household could have very different interests. Individuals should certainly have been provided one survey for each Riverwood property they own.

Without knowing which enhancements or amenities are included in each of the cost/bond categories above, we are unwilling to give blind approval for anything but the land, light and code expenditures.

Excellent survey and I commend the work of the Committee.

I believe the more amenities the better and would be happy to contribute to both the capital and any ongoing operating costs.

All OK

Survey was to the point, with the ranking of 1 to 13 I would have liked it if we could have been able to rank more in the # 1 slot or more in the #13 slot.

I was not impressed with the survey, but I am happy to see they are asking for some input. The increase size of the center is only about 2000 sq. ft. which is nothing.

Very well designed and to the point. Only way to stay a premier community is to stay relevant to what's being built now. Great job

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Survey served its purpose IF the board will pay attention to the majority vote. If not, it is not the survey that will make the difference it will be the vote of the next elections of the NEW board!

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Thank you for allowing the residents to have their voices heard before any final decisions are made. Thank you for purchasing the last FIRST!

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Thanks for the opportunity to provide my input

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Good comprehensive survey. Thank you for doing it.

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This is a great move, asking the residents their opinion is vital but the results must be shared or this information will not be given again. Thanks much!

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Well done and easy to access and complete

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The survey was very comprehensive. Thank you.

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Great survey and this gives the residents an opportunity to participate before anyone in authority goes off half cocked as evidenced in the purchase of the front parcels without doing their homework first. Start hiring professionals to do the work and keep the uneducated away from the essential processes of due diligence.

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It is a step in the right direction, should have been done prior to hiring outside interests

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Excellent over-all survey. Easy to follow.

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Thank you,

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Dr. Mark & Amy Occhipinti

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We appreciate the work that has been done to provide us with a place to give input. In our house we believe that money spent beyond the figure of an additional \$125/month of new money is unnecessary. We notice that there are expenses in our own neighborhood that will require new money on our neighborhood HOA assessment. In many households there is only so much money that can be allotted for these fees. We feel that the RCA should request less of an increase in fees for the total community so the neighborhoods have some room to perhaps increase their fees. Willow Glen, Tarpon Harbor, Tarpon Harbor II and Grand Vista (perhaps over 200 units) have expenses which must be taken care of collectively with HOA funds. If neighborhoods begin to look uncared for that does not help maintain the value of Riverwood either.

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Thank You listening.

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Great idea. As with any survey you will have some who are never happy.

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Survey is excellent. Many thanks.

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Thanks for doing this

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Was a fair survey...not sure how much it will tell you

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The Survey, within the cost section, includes bringing buildings up to code, as if this was a required action that the community would need to undertake without regard to other enhancements. This "requirement" has not been explained at the presentations. For example, if no major construction work is done on the current buildings, what would require that they be brought up to current code? If there is a requirement to periodically bring our buildings up to code, why isn't this provided for by our reserves (i.e. why do we have to borrow to do so)? While it is not the purpose of the survey to explain this, I would hope the Survey Committee would recommend to the LRPC that a full explanation of this code "minimum" be made in future presentations, whether written or oral.

I would like to thank the Survey Committee members for their efforts in putting the Survey together. This is something that the Riverwood residents deserve and it is to your credit that it has come to fruition. I look forward to the results of the Survey and the recommendations that it engenders.

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The survey questions are somewhat skewered and imply that some additional facilities must be constructed. We are adamantly opposed to the proposed changes since we purchased within the last two years and found the facilities more than adequate and beautiful.

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The whole premise of these Campus changes appears to be to service the "future growth" expected in Riverwood. ....We are virtually "sold out/built out" now, so the current population will never get any bigger than it now is. We feel that trying to expand to serve greater capacities that will NEVER be reached is a waste of money and resources. Sure, better use and management of existing buildings and activities can be achieved. And some updating and bringing buildings "up to code" will be necessary.....but no one has explained yet exactly WHAT "codes" are out of date? ( sprinklers?, safety exits?, roof strength? etc) Our current "entertainment" building is a bit small for really large events and special entertainment functions.....but having TWO shows for those events seems to be working OK.....

As a comparison, the Golf Course is very busy in Feb and March, but the course owners would never build another 9 or 18 holes of golf just in order to make it "less busy" for those two months....just not practical.

This survey was well organized and easy to use. Hope it results in influencing future actions by the RCDD.

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Good job on the survey! I appreciate the opportunity to input my views. I think this will go a long way toward alleviating residents concerns about getting their opinions heard and will help the Committee decide on what our priorities should be.

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Great survey, covered everything I can think of as far as amenities. I have concerns about security though, I think that needs to be increased also if we increase the amenities.

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The rating section of the 13 areas does not make sense. It sounds like these things are going to be done away and just want to prioritize them.

Currently it forces you to use every rating and only use them once.

You cannot say that more than one item has the same level of importance or little importance.

Good job! Thanks for your hard work.

We feel that opinions of seasonal residents should be equal to permanent residents. Many seasonal people become full time, and all are owners.

Survey was well done. Thank you to all who have given so much time and effort toward this plan to improve our lifestyles and property values.

Well done! Thank you!

Some of the areas that we check (circles) did not remain after we chose them.

Nice well thought out survey. Covered areas I would not have considered. And most importantly gave me an idea at the end as to what I will have to pay for the upgrades.

Great job on the survey! We look forward to the results.

Thank you for this wonderful effort. We were going adrift out to sea. This will provide some direction to head. We need to keep up to provide activities for folks to do. At a golf country club we belong to up north, a survey is done every year. This is a great start. Thank you again.

Very glad a survey is being done! Very interested in results.

AGAIN, what about the purchase of the two large parcels along 776 at the entrance of Riverwood?? This should be front and center!

Oh, guess I understand - this is just a Riverwood Activity Center Campus Survey.

Ranking by importance confusing forcing responses that are not truly representative of preferences. Can't list items as being of equal importance.

Thanks for doing the survey, people need to be heard and this is a way to voice what we think and how we feel.

A flawed survey. The 1-13 ranking will give you enough ones to get what you want. We deeply resent the sentence in the email intro, "Without question ...." The reason for the uproar and survey is a serious question about the package and most of its parts.

Virtually all the residents who live here, came knowing full well what the amenities were. Their attitudes were not, "Well I'll buy here, but they better improve things."

You do not understand that we have seasonal usages of facilities, which will not change with spending more money. We've been here in the summer, and the pool, tennis courts, etc are empty. There are never more than 2-3 people in the library any time of the year. We don't need to keep up with the Joneses. Riverwood is

beautiful as it is. If you don't like, move.

Survey appears to focus on relevant issues/ideas. Results should be good indicator as to what the residents are interested in and how much they are willing to invest.

Thank you for doing this. Really makes you think about what is available and what is important

The survey clearly asked, all the way through, for individual family needs and preferences until it came to how much are we willing to spend. We feel that based on our reply to the survey you should have more than enough money at \$6,000,000 to satisfy the survey needs for us. Thank you.

It appears several of the questions are leading, particularly the last one regarding how to fund possible enhancements. There should have been one question asking whether residents are fully satisfied with the current campus and believe no enhancements are necessary.

From the survey question on dollar amount we are willing to contribute, it appears that a decision was already made to "purchase land" I am OK with the purchase of the land between the two current entrances, but no additional lands.

The survey seems very well thought out and covers topics well.

Thank you.

Very good survey. it covered all the bases. I have heard that there is some appetite to spend some big dollars on areas where it may not be needed. As a business owner, we watch pennies closely, prioritize everything. I hope the board will look at all improvements or added benefits and say "do we really need this at this time or not"

I appreciate the survey and not being a full time resident is hard to say what I would and would not like

I also think something needs to be done regarding the back gate as an owner I can not use the back gate because of the changes that have been made

That doesn't make sense

If a box [ie 12 ] was checked twice , then the prior box that was checked 12 gets deleted, therefore one has to use different boxes in order to at least have 100% completion which is going to provide an inaccurate survey

We feel this survey of all residents, is going to give you a better idea of what everyone in Riverwood feels needs to be upgraded or added. Of course the tennis people would like the monies put towards a "centre court" and the exercise people would like that improved. However we believe that is a small group of those living in Riverwood. This will give you an idea of what the majority would like to see regardless of a professional consultants ideas.

Thank you for listening to everyone in Riverwood. who are indeed the people paying for this!

Conducting this survey was an excellent idea. Thank you to all who put this together

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Thank you for the opportunity to give our input. Continual infrastructure improvements are essential to ensure the future viability of this community.

Strongly urge making better use of our access to the Myakka River through the development of walking trails, gazebos and benches, and kayak launch ramps.

The survey assumes the entire community is behind the ideas for this project, put together during off-season. Seasonal residents, which comprise over 65% of Riverwood (estimated), were given the proposal to adopt. There are no questions asking what seasonal residents consider to be their needs other than those presented.

Also, we were asked a question about how much money we would spend without knowing how it would be spent, i.e. we do not know the results of this survey yet or what the CDD's new plan will be.

Many of the items in the proposed center upgrade have no "added value" to Riverwood residents.

I think that the survey was a great idea and thanks should go to all who participated. I think that you covered almost everything except the beautification of the entrance and the facilities

Your ranking is a good idea, but I would either add to the ranking or have an additional one that included the land purchases, traffic signal, new building vs maintenance upgrades, etc.

We believe the traffic signal and the land purchases are very important!

A designated area for artists is needed. Not only is there no dedicated room, sharing a room does not work because of special needs.

The survey is an excellent idea. But, the proof of its value is in how the information is used in the decision making process. The residents of Riverwood want to know that the representatives they voted into office are truly representing the wishes of the majority.

We're glad we had the opportunities to express our preferences,

good job!

Good survey.

We are very concerned that the amenities matrix appears to be skewed. The fact that we could not rate more than one item a 13 indicates to us, and many others we have talked to, that the committee who drafted the survey does not want the results to show that many of the amenities are of no interest to us.

Seems ok.

A good representation of the issues currently confronting our community.

We support the acquisition of the front parcels. The portion by SR 776 should be used for a commercial

purpose which most benefits the community (restaurant, assisted living, etc.). It should not be used for a rookery, bike/walking paths, preserve, etc., and Riverwood should have a goal to receive a financial return on investment that could reduce costs to residents..

We purchased a single family home and do not intend to live there most of the year until 3 years from now when we retire., so most of the answers are based on potential use. We are most interested in safety - a light at the 776 intersection is needed first and foremost. We are very interested in the pickle ball construction and an exercise pool. We feel that after priorities are evaluated, further development needs to be completed in phases. It is important to note that costs for security and maintenance will also rise.

OK, pretty basic. Aware that there was not a lot of time to fine tune survey questions.

IN MANY OF THE OPTIONS THERE WAS NO ABILITY TO SAY THE ITEM WAS NOT DESIRED/NEEDED. SURVEY SEEMS BIASED TOWARD RANKING/PREDICTING USE OF ALL OPTIONS PREVIOUSLY POPOSED BY RCDD. THIS APPROACH WILL NOT PORTRAY REAL DESIRE OF ALL RESIDENTS. SEE PREVIOUS COMMENT ON RANKING 13 AMENITIES..

The cost I am willing to make are dependent on which amenities are chosen. For example, if any amenitie(s) included would be low in priority list, then I drop down to the minimum amount payment desired.

Survey is good. Looking forward to upgrades and improvements as a result of community input. Thank you for the opportunity to share our opinions.

The survey is loaded. Several questions don't allow a No answer.

The problem with doing a survey like this is that people only want to pay for things they will use and nothing else (why should we build a new school, my kids are grown and gone). We need to bring our amenities up to date to be competitive with surrounding developments to keep our resale values competitive. The board was elected to do what they feel is best for the community in general and need to make the hard decisions and if the people don't like it they can vote them out

We need to upgrade security. Hire retired law enforcement and military. Nice uniforms that represent River Wood. The security should be armed. Security is the first impression a guest , vender or resident has when arriving. This will also deter crime and add a professional look with many upgrades to the residents health and protection.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide input, we hope it is helpful in setting priorities for future Amenities.

Well done. Seems to be skewed towards spending on expansion rather than improving current facilities such as making the exercise room more contemporary and inviting. Improving existing facilities seems a lot less costly than adding entirely new ones.

We're almost embarrassed to be filling this out...one of the most manipulative and misleading attempts at getting to the facts of how people feel about how their money is going to be spent. We have been active in our involvement with this effort, but feel that it is a total waste of our time, simply because we don't feel that

anyone on the relevant committee(s) knows or cares about how to interact with homeowners, and that a few squeaky wheels are going to get their way. We knew nothing of this plan until January. The CDD did NOT communicate the plan appropriately. We could not attend all the meetings that supposedly were held. The CDD knows this is a seasonal community but shows little respect for that fact, and takes advantage of it. The CDD has been in our faces on so many issues over the past 4 years. We just want to come here and enjoy the beauty and the myakka environment that surrounds us. Please stop harassing us with your own agendas.

I feel strongly the first step is to buy the land. All else is conjecture. The architect's work so far was a waste of everyone's time. I'm surprised nobody sensed that. I'm also surprised that the CDD board was so shocked that the community responded so negatively. Don't they have neighborly discussion and insight outside their meeting room? Board members have to have a heightened sense of their community's pulse.....

The main concern is not adding unnecessary amenities that everyone will pay for but will either not be used or used only by a few.

the survey made you rank all activities. There should have been an opportunity to not rank activities that are not important or not supported.

Good survey. Should be done every year whether or not capital expenditures are proposed. Congratulations on pushing this thru despite resistance from a CDD supervisor. Hopefully a precedent has been set.

It seemed a comprehensive survey but details would help in deciding Yes or No, on how extensive the effort was meant to be for certain areas.

I might say yes to an idea but if I knew it was meant to be over built or extravagant it might say no.

We believe the activity center area needs updating and needed improvements

Good idea but I think all the survey is doing is trying to accommodate the in season people who treat Riverwood as a holiday resort.

Think the survey was very well done - easy to complete.

Wish it had asked for resident opinion on purchase of Parcel B. If Parcel B is not purchased I may not be in favor of adding anything more than the proposed new pool, expanding the fitness area, adding the pavilion and expanding the existing library/community room.

The survey tends to focus mainly on the current quality of life at Riverwood and proposed enhancements. I would however, like to see proposals to reduce cost in order to fund some of these projects.

We just closed on our newly built home in January and plan to start spending 6 months here in October. We fell in love with Riverwood and feel that acquiring additional land and expanding services would help keep Riverwood's overall appeal above or equal to any community in Florida. This expansion and the continued attention to the beauty of this community would solidify all our investments by eliminating any exodus to newer communities with newer facilities and services. My wife and I hope to be here for 20 plus years and

though we do not have unlimited resources , we are willing to make the adjustments necessary, allowing Riverwood to continue making the investments needed to stay viable into the future and beautiful for years to come as it is today.

Nice survey and fairly comprehensive. Thank you.

Please do not make decisions by committee without input from residence that have left from the area.

Perhaps more detail could have been provided with the survey for those who were unable to attend the presentations.

The survey does not allow for no additional investment.

I don't feel we need to spend this money.

Survey is fine, but at the end of the day get the project done! We need to modernize and have a facility that can handle requests of all residents that can compete with other similar gated communities that exist today and are in the process of being built to the north of us. We need to protect our home values and accommodate the younger group of people that are beginning to come to Riverside.

Thanks for offering this opportunity for in input. We haven't been able to attend the meetings. I think all voting needs should offer this kind of response! Riverwood is a great place to live!

the survey is focused on spending more money not getting more at of what we have.

What we have is the poorest golf club house with the poorest food that is never open to serve when you need it. Like after a round of golf.

We belong to 2 other golf clubs and this is the worst. no one is treated as a if they are welcome.

If we knew what we know now we would not have bought here.

We bought last year and have got to play golf 3 times and have been treated like we were a bother at the activities center and took for ever to get things repaired.

The grass is too long, low spots collect water and greens and fairways are full of cigartett butts and unfilled divots.

We are members of Keswick CC in Virginia and Black Bull in Montana, same cost with more personal attention by the staff. Check them out.

you did not give the option of doing nothing to the facilities. It seems as though the decision todo something has already been decided.

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We would like to thank the members of the committee for the time they have dedicated to this endeavor. We are 100% in favor of the property purchase and the updates to all of the facilities. We think you have done a wonderful job and we hope the results of this survey support your plans.

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Whilst input of residents is important, priority must be security and value enhancement. Purchase of out parcels would improve security and provide greater flexibility on location of amenities including parking and might avoid need to move tennis courts - which appears to be an expense which does not create additional value. Realtor and professional development advice might help to determine correct priorities for value enhancement

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It will be interesting to see percentage of residents that are 7+ months per year as well as the percentages of the dollar amounts people are willing to spend monthly for a 20 year period.

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Very good. Be aware that many residents will not want change of any kind due to advanced age or fear of increased costs on a limited budget. We must upgrade our facilities to cope with the increase in residents, to preserve our competitive status with other communities and to maintain our property values.

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Nice job with trying to provide a great activity area

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Good idea about revamping the Activity Center. Long overdue! Hope we approve. This will be a benefit for all of us who own property in Riverwood. We will be a first class community!

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We hope that this survey is listened to, even if it comes back negative to the boards wishes.

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We applaud the development and use of a survey. However, two items should have preceded the survey. First of all, WHAT IS THE SIMPLE OBJECTIVE? The only thing I can find in the introduction is the "need to remain polished". None of the suggested items are needed to accomplish this. If someone has another objective, it should be stated. And it was disappointing to not have significant metrics ahead of the questions, such as we have 50 tennis players out of 1250 homes in Riverwood. Or 20 people use the pool every day on the average during the winter. Finally, we have virtually zero value for each of the 13 items. Please score a 13 for all of them except the Dog Park for us.

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survey is a good idea

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We assigned no ranking to 12 of the 13 items because we have no interest in these items. The property purchases will prevent commercial development and provide space for biking, hiking and jogging trails. The traffic signal is simply a safety item and no compromise should be made. In my previous occupation dealing with the regulatory agency one phrase continued to crop up..."Regulation by crisis". I do not think it necessary to kill 3 people before the FL DOT funds a traffic signal. Vacating Willow Bend to improve security is ill advised. Lastly, bringing the facility structures up to code is the law!

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This survey is all about the Activity Center Campus. We do not use or support ANY investment in the Activity Center and feel that this is the wrong priority. Riverwood is about the nature preserve and the golf course, yet we were not even given the option to elect to invest in a new Golf Club House - with better amenities, a

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great restaurant, outdoor space etc. we advertise Riverwood's golf course, as it is beautiful, however we are letting the Club House and restaurant go unaddressed. This should have been proposed vs just all of the Activity Center amenities. The survey pre-supposes that everyone wants to invest in the Activity Center and those are the only choices. This is wrong and unfair to those of us who want to see the Golf Club expand and makes the survey severely biased.

Cheap trick only allowing different types of improvements to be voted on by one number once for the entire evaluations. Most of the improvements/additions are very low in need.

In general the survey covers most topics of interest to owners. There is too much "special interest" groups wanting a "dedicated" area of their own. The questions were very slanted as phrased concerning questions related to "dedicated". I prefer multipurpose rooms with dedicated storage areas (versus stand alone dedicated rooms) as a more cost effective solution. For example, a painting class can share a room but the supplies could be kept in a dedicated locked storage area so when classes are held it is quicker to get set up.

The survey was easy to use and asked good questions that should result in fair input from the community.

Good survey format and you covered all the ideas and amenities I have heard discussed.

These are the same offerings that other communities are providing. We need to be in the top 90% to maintain our status level into the future, especially as places like Sarasota National come on line with the completion of their work this year.

If we don't we will see a gradual decline in our new home owners and we all know what that means.

We feel that a lot of effort was put into developing this survey and appreciate your time and dedication. As stated within the instrument the attempt to rank the proposed amenities was a complete failure. Also to mislead residents to think we must incur the cost to bring buildings up to code whether any improvements are made or not is just wrong and irresponsible.

The survey seems to be geared towards achieving a major expansion by the nature of the questions. For example: The residents that do not want an expanded amenity space, are still required to grade the thirteen items in order of importance.

This survey should only be a start. Should the consensus be that an expansion is desired by the majority, then the residents using the spaces should be consulted so that we do not end up with spaces that don't work for the specific activities, or are empty for much of the time. In addition, neighborhood consultation (when most of the seasonal residents are here) should be an integral part of the process. Case in point: We now have an activity building that was built under 10 years ago, and is only now paid for, that we are told is not adequate and now needs to be replaced? Let's not make any additional mistakes that require new capital investment.

The survey does not list the cost it will be to each family and why a home or condo in an inexpensive area (150k) would cost the homeowner the same as a home costing (800k). There is no doubt in my mind that it

will reduce the value of the \$150k home or condo if the cost of these enhancements run \$300-\$500 per year when the time comes to sell.

We bought into Riverwood for the quietness, beauty and that it was affordable. Please let us not get wrapped up into pricing ourselves out of here.

The ranking of items is undesirable because more than one item may be of no interest. Some residents would prefer to lessen the fees and expenses rather than continually add on.

why do we have to bring building update to code. they are up to the code when they were built. my house is not up to new building codes but i do not have to re build it.

the 1-13 ranking are misleading as many of these would be 13 for me.  
i am using a lower ranking that would lead you to believe that i am for that item when i am not

Perhaps the distribution should have had a conformation of receipt.

I think this survey is a great idea. It gives everyone a chance to promote their views on what is happening in their community.

The present set up is just fine. Only a few months a year do you need more space. Not a very wise Investment in my eyes. We've already paid enough to build and maintain what we have in my opinion.

very well planned

This survey is well done, except for the ranking page. We were unable to rank anything with the same ranking.

The survey was easy to follow and to the point.

I need more information to give you good feedback.

I did not rank many of the items.

I do not have enough information.

How do I know what rooms are being used at what times of the year?

I cannot give you good feedback with out a little education, or results of your past research.....Have you done any? If so how about sharing?

Are you short of card playing room?

Are you short of meeting room space? When? For what type of meetings?

When is the gym busy???

What equipment is hard to get on??

You should already know this??

Tell me when it is at peak and then I can decide if we need additional equipment or sq footage.

You need to show the problem, then the proposed solution.

I do not play tennis . For me to have an opinion on tennis is just that.

If I knew that they needed twice as many courts I may have a different opinion.

How can I tell you that the dog park needs to be bigger, I do not have a dog.

How much am I willing to spend????

If I agree with the problem and the solution. I will spend more.

I want to see what it costs to solve the problem.

Would you spend an additional half million on a better dog park??

Your money question is very strange.

Thanks for asking. It is a great start.

I do worry that many people are giving you their priorities with absolutely no experience or information.

How you interpret this information should be compared with your research. If there are gaps, that would make for a great discussion or survey.

Thanks, Jim Gentz

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Excellent survey

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Our feeling is that Riverwood was "best in class" and needs to maintain that position for the enjoyment of residents and to protect all property values.

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Great idea, should have done it sooner.

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Doing a survey was a good decision on the part of the Board.

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We do hope that the CDD Board of Supervisors will not only listen to the homeowners but will act on these issues/concerns and not just a few board/committee members who have stated they were elected to make these decisions for us without our input.

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In all actuality, we would really like to see Riverwood stay as it is. We bought here because we liked the way it was. We did not think that once we were living here that we would want to change it to make it like some other community. That would be like marrying someone with the intention of changing them. Riverwood is "built out" and we are not going to grow anymore. So any changes should be for what the current residents want and need, not for those moving here in the future. Certainly protecting the frontage by purchasing parcel A is important (as is a traffic light). If we really wanted all the improvements that are being suggested, we would move to one of those communities. Modernize it for the needs of the current residents but please do not go overboard.

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The survey was a refreshing idea!

It is important to solicit resident input to any and all major Riverwood changes. Especially those requiring addition funding, rather than making unilateral decisions.

Improved communication to residents needs to improve at all levels.

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Well thought out.

Excellent!!

Good survey but don't let the negative people and the tight wads have too much influence.

The survey is a positive device to measure the mood of residents

No explanation of what the proposed 7.5 or 10 million expenditures would include.

Did not like ranking procedure

It seems to be too heavily weighted to current resident usage. Every year more older residents leave and younger ones move in, so the weight we survey today may not reflect the buying of potential residents. The whole target should be to maintain our relative value in years to come vs competitive communities. I would suggest a couple of benchmark studies to supplement your survey. Pick a few new developments in South Venice, Sarasota and Ft Myers and see if there are any trail signs about "must have" improvements to stay competitive. It doesn't matter, for example, if anyone plays pickleball here currently if every new development has a court. It certainly is a huge sport in some nearby communities.

Our facility looks and feels old and outdated. We need it to be adequately enhanced to attract future buyers and sustain our home values. A delicate balance with \$\$ vs value but don't let the "I'm all set. Don't spend any money"- group to set the long range strategic plan.

We are not interested in most of the proposed amenities. The survey did not permit responders to indicate this on the numerical ranking scale. Therefore, we provided a numerical ranking for only the few items in which we have some interest.

There are Riverwood residents who are opposed to some of the proposed amenities. How will you analyze the results of the numerical ranking scale? Will a rank of #13 indicate some interest, but low interest, in the proposed project? Will no ranking indicate lack of interest? In our case, no ranking means no interest.

Good idea

Nice survey. As always, I fear the results will be skewed by negative responses. People with favorable opinions may not respond to the survey?

It is difficult to rank the importance of additional enhancements to the Activity Center when we do not feel that some items should not be enhanced.

There are several items we would rank 13 if that were possible.

just as easy as doing it the second time

It is the right thing to do, majority vote rules!

We understand the need to bring the a/c buildings up to code. It is important to use the current building .

there are empty offices in the new building that could be used to house the library leaving more space to

there are empty offices in the new building that could be used to house the library, leaving more space to expand the exercise center

Thank you for asking for our input! We appreciate being heard.

Excellent job!!

We think there needs to be respect for the folks here who are further into their retirement (BUT PLAN TO REMAIN HERE) than some of the younger folks who just came, relative to fixed incomes. There is apparently a great disparity of incomes at Riverwood, and there should not be financial burdens placed on older people who then with their property taxes, etc., and decreased physical capacities, nevertheless shouldn't have to move out of Riverwood because they neither want/use/need the "amenities" that others wish to vote into place.

Some questions were very "leading"

The ranking assumes you "want" all the stuff, just some more than others.

You couldn't have three at the low end and none at the high end.

Well done and a necessity before committing these types of expansion.

Enhancement/Amenities Ranking system was not appropriately laid out.

No percentages,(prior evaluation by facility or activity), were listed/evaluated, as to who/when/how many residents are currently using the existing facilities, in season and year round.

NOT ENOUGH INFORMATION PROVIDED AS TO WHAT ALREADY EXISTS AND IF IT IS EFFECTIVELY BEING UTILIZED, MAINTAINED AND MONITORED, BEFORE WE JUMP TO MAKE CHANGES and ADDITIONS that will be costly to All Riverwood Residents.

Bravo, an outstanding first keep it up Thankyou

We need to give Riverwood the "WOW" factor and that starts with fabulous amenities. By spending more money, we will be increasing the values of our homes. And if part of this project can look at a major upgrade to the entrance, that would be great!! A full service restaurant open to all Riverwood residents would be great.

Good survey

we support the plan to expand & improve the facilities as well as the purchase of all the property on the 776 corridor

I use the hot tub almost daily. Rarely do I see children at the playground. Thinking back over the last 12 months, I've seen 15 children at most at the playground. I don't think that's due to insufficiencies at the current playground. Instead, I think grandparents, parents and children are otherwise occupied. The amount of money currently spent for few people to use the croquet courts is appalling. To think of investing more money in that sport is even more appalling. The idea that we need extravagant amenities to protect our property values is a myth. Expansion beyond our current needs is frivolous. After all, Riverwood is now built

out. Get your heads on straight and let this be a community where current residents can continue to live without bankrupting themselves. Think of where property values will be if there is a mass exodus.

Good start.

Much easier than the Beta test!

well done and comprehensive

Don't think the cost of traffic light should have been included in what residents are willing to pay for improved facilities. It is a necessary safety issue that has nothing to do with activities.

Thanks for volunteering your time to get this together.

Committee did a terrific job!

The survey was well done! The information obtained will give the CDD Board a good base to make decisions.

GOOD LUCK!!!

I think the survey is a good idea if it is used?

Thank you for giving residents a chance to add constructive input on improving our wonderful community. We are so lucky to live here!

Survey is well done! Now we'll see if we can submit it.

We are pleased that owners input was requested and will be taken into consideration.

think it was a great survey, very well thought out. Thank you to the people involved in this survey

I feel that the \$30.10/ month extra fee would be equivalent to a good gym membership fee. We feel this is a well constructed survey.

It was comprehensive but good luck on getting anyone to agree. I do not envy your job ahead.

These enhancements to our community insure that Riverwood will remain a first class gated community for now and the next generation. We cannot ignore the inadequacies of the present structures and amenities to serve the community as a whole. We must vote "yes" for our future happiness and enjoyment. Five hundred (\$500) a year is a relatively small price to pay for a first-class, five-star residential gated community nestled along the beautiful Myakka River and the entrance to Charlotte Harbor. Our location is unique and the value of our location is priceless.

well done!

Overall survey well done with lots of area for comments if desired.

We felt this survey was more of a reflection of present usage than of what we feel is valuable to our community in the future. Even though we don't play tennis, bocce ball, etc. we feel they are extremely important amenities in our community. We also feel that the dog park and playground are important, but there didn't seem to be a place to state that we think they are fine the way they are and don't need to be enhanced. Ranking them in comparison to other amenities makes it look like we don't value them.

The survey is good start.

To repeat, we feel it would be important to purchase the parcels at the front of Riverwood along Rt. 776 before any changes are made to the Activity Center Campus.

a media room to sit and watch football on sunday afternoon

Great idea to get general input, but equally important for the RCDD board to use their own informed judgement to help create a better community. Don't listen too much to the naysayers.

The opportunity to provide input is appreciated. Riverwood is as good a community as the the Riverwood we decided to buy into 6 years ago.

We are concerned about Riverwood's liability if our facilities are not up to code. Is Riverwood legally responsible for meeting code requirements that have increased or changed since the time our facilities were built? Were they built to the code as it existed when they were built? There may be a bit of fear mongering behind the use of that reason to justify some of the expenditures..

Excellent

Good idea.

Survey is great idea. It will help determine what the residents want

Improvements should meet the real needs and interests of our residents

Great job, guys!

Please factor in the maintenance of these facilities over the next twenty years and the fact that these facilities will need to be upgraded at some point in the future and that new types of activities may have to be added in order to keep Riverwood attractive to new buyers.

\$6 Million bond issue - \$25 per mo - may be a better investment in order to make sure the project is done right. (As I understand it, part of the problem we have now is due to neglected maintenance and cutting corners on the second campus building.)

if the survey reaches every resident that is a good thing and if they respond that is even better but who

actually decides what will happen here. there are to many things that need to be talked about and acted on and one survey may not be the answer but it could be a start. it takes time and you don't jump in with one survey and say this is the way things are going to happen rushing into things does not make it accurate for all. many people have lots of money and others not so much and cost of things going to happen is important someone mentioned a swimming lane, who would build one swimming lane that makes no sense.

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The survey is made up of not to fail

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survey well done

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The revenue stream that is provided by Riverwood residents has increased significantly along with the increase in valuation of Riverwood properties. There is already likely 300% to 400% more revenue received due to this growth in valuation. I believe the increase in valuation should be sufficient to cover costs of facilities and maintenance without the need to increase taxes even more. The private facilities we have appear to be more than adequate with few exceptions. The exceptions do not justify spending millions of dollars for larger facilities when the current ones are underutilized most of the year and in High season, the facilities appear to be more than adequate.

The survey does nothing to tell residents how many actual tax dollars have been collected each year over time, and how much this in actual dollars the revenue has increased over time with the growth of valuation of Riverwood.

The survey does not have proper use questions which should be expressed in hours of use per day per household for existing facilities. It is unrealistic to expect that the few people swimming laps for an hour or less in the mornings when no one else is using the pool at all, would justify the huge expense of building a lap pool. That would be a complete waste of taxpayers money from my observations. Extending the existing pool makes a lot more sense, since it is likely 98% of the time during existing hours annually it is not crowded at that pool.

If a good cross section such as 25% minimum don't do an activity, then it should be left to the private sector to provide those special facilities to accommodate such activities. I guess there is no prohibition for those interested in special facilities to fund raise and build their own facility, and pay the user fees to maintain them, just like the golf course operation.

There is a lot of financial information provided for residents to make an intelligent decision on whether

There is far too little financial information provided for anyone to make an intelligent decision on whether existing Riverwood funding and county parks funding is adequate to provide facilities that would be widely used by residents. Specialized sport facilities are very difficult to justify with public funding and the private business traditionally fills this need, like the golf course operation.

For the current demands it certainly appears to me that the existing facilities are adequate for the needs of Riverwood residents. I would support a larger covered courtyard with side curtains, improving the children's play ground and possibly adding some Pickle ball courts.

Good survey

1-13 ranking will be very hard to analyze beyond number 1 - 3 picks.

Great Idea, but don't wait forever for everyone to respond as they likely wont, cant, or do not care.

good survey

Good survey. We are new to Riverwood but we understand the importance of investing in the community center and the surrounding areas. Because most of the residents at Riverwood do not belong to the golf club, we feel that the community center area is the nucleus for all residents. The next generation of homeowners will want expanded walking trails, additional exercise facilities, & areas for educational & social activity. We strongly support the investments proposed.

the survey did not allow for actual opinion on the different improvement as we could only list one item in any improvement as 13 in order of importance.

Good step on gaining input to making a good decision on the future. Good survey, easy to fill out, appears to request all of the amenities of all residents

I hope you move forward on installing a new light on 776-Safety has to be a number 1 concern for all residents.

Riverwood is competing with communities such as Heron Creek and those being built, where buyers compare not just golf courses but the other amenities the development offers. Many new retirees and those soon to be retired are looking for more than playing golf all day and the statistics reflect this. Golf is not a growth industry and we need to make sure Riverwood does not tie itself to this one dimensional view of the future or we will be obsolete.

Riverwood's facilities are out of date and shabby in appearance. It's time for us to make a modest investment in the future value of our homes and most importantly, give ourselves access to first class facilities and the activities and opportunities they present now.

THERE SEEMS TO BE PLENTY OF SPACE ALREADY IN THE ACTIVITY CENTER FOR MANY OF THE CATEGORIES LISTED AN ADULT LAP POOL WOULD BE A NICE ADDITION TAKING ON ADDITIONAL MONTHLY COSTS COULD

LISTED. AN ADULT LAI TOOL WOULD BE A NICE ADDITION. TAKING ON ADDITIONAL MONTHLY COSTS COULD DRIVE OUT PEOPLE ON A FIXED INCOME WHO HAVE MADE THIS THEIR HOME. NOT BEING ABLE TO VOTE FOR WHO IS ON THE CDD BECAUSE I AM NOT HERE FULL TIME LEAVES US WITH LITTLE REPRESENTATION ON DECISION MAKING FOR THESE IMPORTANT MATTERS.

Survey was great thanks for requesting our input

We are brand new residents and did the best to complete this survey. We do believe amenities and enhancements need to be kept current to maintain the value of our property .

We are very much in favor of a traffic light. It is difficult to get out and safety is a huge concern. We believe the traffic light should be outside of this huge project so it could be done as soon as possible. The rest of this project could take several years.

Thank You for the chance to speak.

We are golfers and pay a lot for that option. We think tennis, croquet, and other costly activities should have like user fees.

I do not understand why all these amenities are included in the assessments I pay. I also pay for the golf course yearly---which is o.k. because I use the golf course but I do not use the tennis courts, or the croquet courts ---but I pay for these ---Why don't the people who use these pay for them ---like I pay for the golf course This seems unfair in my views of this.

Very well done!

Great idea

looking forward to riverwoods amenities to be up to par with other communities riverwood deserves a facelift to continue this beautiful place to live plus we all deserve it we all worked hard for years to spend our retirement years being active and proud of where we live

SURVEY GOOD IDEA

we do not feel there is enough clarification on the demographics of our community.....what is the age of respondents, Canadians who are here only 6 months, rentals, etc. if a person owns multiple units which are rented and he/she don't participate in activities how are their responses calculated? However their renters usually DO use the facilities. The renters don't have the opportunity to be heard. We know of landlords that don't ever live here, own several units That are occupied by very active renters.....how is that figured in to this process?

I'm satisfied with the way things are. But I would like my yard mowed and my bushes trimmed.

Thanks for asking.

Good survey tool

This was a fun survey to answer - but we hope it will not be a decisive factor in the decision making.

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Remember:

What is built may be a mistake - We have seen this happen too many times.

New things wear out too soon, so the initial cost is only a down payment.

Do not replicate the builders, they built to sell homes. You will build for the residents, and there is a big difference.

Consider setting aside small projects, or items of need, for personal donations by residents with appropriate recognition.

How about a car wash station, maybe an exclusive for Yugos and Ramblers - seriously, why not. A concrete slab, maybe a covered area and maybe not, and a hose and nozzle. I have seen this at other developments. You could even wash your big dog there.

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It is impossible to respond to many of these questions without a thorough study regarding the utilization of existing facilities. I have never been to the Center when I have had to wait to use facilities.

Considering the many facilities provided by the County and the amenities surrounding Riverwood.....I think it is not Riverwood's responsibility to be "every thing for everybody all the time". Most of Riverwood's facilities are underutilized presently !

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Great to have an opportunity to provide input. Thanks for initiating.

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The survey covers things very well

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This survey was an excellent idea. It is a shame this wasn't conducted in the very beginning...time, money and effort would have been saved. We are looking forward to the results

Thank you for your efforts

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Hopefully, most residents will respond. This will provide a good indication of the best use of the facility.

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I'm pleased as you are doing a survey and collecting information from all Riverwood residents

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Well done and thank you to the folks who took the time to put it together!! We are not at retirement age yet, but understand that Riverwood needs to move forward.

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Finally a survey that will truly address the real problems club house looks old and worn out.pool area too small for high seasons .

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Thank you for putting this together

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Overall I think it is a very good survey. Good questions with an opportunity for resident input.

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Probably would have been good to give us some estimated costs for enlarging and adding specific areas. Would have made it easier to rank items. For example I have no idea what a commercial kitchen costs or a lap pool or many other items

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Thank you for the opportunity to share our thoughts and preferences.

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Thank you for asking for input before just having a board deciding what the community wanted or needs.

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This is good, I'm glad you are doing it. As a newer member, I would say that this is a great community, but sometimes I get the feeling that the residents are viewed as part of the problem, not part of the solution. I've heard comments in the office that made me feel that way. Also, things like the gates are just not communicated well. When you added the back gates, I don't recall seeing any directions on how to use the gates. For example, I understand that they have been broken by people taking a trailer through them. Did you tell the residents that trailers aren't allowed?

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You need to develop a survey that show the usage of the existing facility on a daily basis for 3 months in the winter and 3 months in the summer to get an accurate assessment of what is worth upgrading.

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If the board actually listens to the response from the survey and then proceeds with what the majority of residents want or don't want, then I feel the survey was a great idea.

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Great JOB.

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Thank you for putting in the work on this survey attempt. A least two of the questions were poorly worded and could be interpreted differently than the respondent wanted.

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Also, I could not dot all the lines in 1-13 part.

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In the section where you ask to prioritize the 13 suggested changes, it forces me to assign higher priorities to a large number of items that I would not be interested in whatsoever. I would have liked to be able to respond as 'not interested at all'.

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The survey is skewed in that it assumes that we favor expansion. We do NOT!

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I think the survey was slanted to get the answers you wanted

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Great idea and tool. Thank you. !

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Accuracy of survey is suspect with a ranking system requiring the specific rankings be unique pitting one against another.

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The section 'Riverwood's Proposed Expanded/Enhanced/New Amenities Ranking' is not working properly. you can only check one of the categories in the entire list, when you attempt to check in another category, the previous ranking is deleted.

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Thanks for all your hard work! Let's keep Riverwood vibrant and competitive with other communities!

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It's a great idea to get the input of the residents as there is so much people can financially afford.

the survey does not allow a true and accurate response  
there are many areas I would use a 13 on. Therefore  
as far as I am concerned this makes the entire survey  
biased. As is the RCDD board on this subject.

With the purchase of the new property, a new "plan" needs to be developed and should include steps for expenditure.

The survey did not cover all the purposed changes presented at the open meeting. However, the survey did allow for comments which allow our opinions to be registered.

Maybe could have given the cost of each item listed rather than an overall cost to do it all.  
Thanks for doing a survey. It's important to get input from all property owners.

We think this survey was very well thought out. Thankyou for your efforts.

Good idea

By having us rank your items from 1 to 13 it makes it look like we want all the items, which is not the case.

Where the 13 rankings were listed, we feel that a Not Needed column should have been provided. Some of the items listed, we feel are not needed but we had to rank them.

When you are presenting the next proposal for changes to the activity center, we suggest that you include incremental numbers (such as additional seating) not just total number of seats.

Survey was unclear if you were proposing just one new tennis court or 2, second one for center court with bleachers.????

The survey presumes a traffic signal. We don't need that.

Thank you for your efforts in putting this survey together. It appears very comprehensive.

It is good to offer input by all residents, particularly if support is needed. Keeping everything in good working order and being alert to what makes Riverwood a desirable place to live is important for everyone's investment in Riverwood.

Survey was well done and greatly appreciated.

Committee did a fantastic job.

Very well done by members of the committee.

Did not like the rating of items.

Amenities that tend to suit small populations of residents should not be considered (pickle ball, center court

tennis/bleachers, extensive investments in bocce and croquet other than maintaining standards, selective hobbies, arts, crafts, etc.). Most useful to the general population would be investments that provide solutions to those who are parents and grandparents as well as those who'd be happy to not be around our kids and grandkids; those who are dog lovers, and those who'd rather we just not bring our dogs too Riverwood at all. So investments to the pool, play areas, dog park, trails, and perhaps a pavillion would be best utilized.

Good job; hope that people provide useful comments as well.

It would have been useful if the approximate cost of each amenity had been included.

Ranking the amenities from #1 for most desired to #13 for least desired was excellent. Selecting the costs per household for the various amenities gave reality to the improvement project - excellent idea.

We would prioritize the traffic light and purchase of parcel's A and B. Those are musts.

Would like to be informed on the cost by line items.

I like that we can express our concerns and dreams of a better place to live. Riverwood is a jewel, I would like to see it treated as such!!

Survey's is the way to get peoples input.

Survey presumes campus improvement is a foregone conclusion.. .. I sure hope not

the area of 1-13 was a bit hard as husband wanted one item higher than I did etc...

there were also questions about a activity that didn't apply to me but I think it would be good for the over all of Riverwood.

I think we should have some parking available outside of the gates for people coming to special events for security purposes. Maybe in parcel A or B off of Willow Bend.

I believe that we are being a little short sighted about upgrading the kitchen facilities. This building could become a profit center for the development. Renting it out for weddings and special events.

The Happy Hours at the golf club were a big success until they banned all non-members. We could bring in someone to do a Fish Fry on Fridays in Lent or other events or fund raisers.

We should also approach Coral Hospitality about using it when they have special events and don't have the room or kitchen facilities to handle the size of the group. It would be cheaper than expanding their Clubhouse.

I don't think that it is out of the realm of possibilities that the members may own the golf club someday and would like to have this amenity available to them.

We appreciate being given the opportunity to express our opinion through this survey and all of the efforts of the people who are working on these efforts.

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Prioritizing without repeating numbers gave artificially high scores to many items.

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We think the survey is well designed and covers most issues of concern.

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I think the survey was very well done. Good thought provoking questions.  
Especially the final question on tolerance for expenditures and annual cost increases.

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At some point as this progresses it will probably be necessary to resurvey with actual costs per surviving amenity. It's easy to asks for things, until you find out what they cost.

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Although the survey has requested listing what things we think we would like and to prioritize them, please note that we think all amenities should be updated to assure the Riverwood remains an enjoyable place to live and play. Keeping amenities at the current level is not acceptable since Riverwood facilities are dated and require expansion to assure that there is sufficient space for swimming, exercise, parking (need for parking was not included in this survey) and activities for the arts and gatherings by the residents. Our household thinks it is important to offer a wide variety of amenities at Riverwood. If the opportunities are available we will take advantage of some of them at different times of our residence here. When facilities are crowded and not easily accessible it is not inviting to use them. Since the pool and exercise facilities have been crowded during peak use, we find that we do not attempt to use them since we don't want to fight for a lounge chair or equipment..

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Another important point to make is that whether or not our household members use activities offered at Riverwood, it does not mean they should not be upgraded or offered. We need Riverwood to be a premier facility and amenities as needed should be offered.

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Our household thought the plan originally offered was excellent and a bargain price. Our only concern is to make the lap pool multiple lanes (at least 4-5) to assure adequate pool space for all our residence.

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good preparation

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Thank you for providing a means for residents to participate in this decision.

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In part of the survey we were unable to make selections due to a faulty computer programming. We have printed off that section and will submit a hard copy.

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Well done.

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In my view, an added pool for adult exercise would be something akin to a lap pool. It would be available for use by perhaps one or two persons at a time and would have to be booked for use so that people would not be waiting in line. Disputes over use would not be surprising. This is not a very wise use of funds provided by owners as a whole.

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Trying to extract too many data points from one survey

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The survey is good and it meets all of the residents requirements

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It is difficult to consider the expansion of the Activity Centre, or the addition of a traffic light, without understanding all of the "capital" requirements/obligations that must be met in the future by the Riverwood community. For example, I understand that there is an erosion problem with many of the ponds, and there is a new water line that is required in the Channel Ridge/River Run subdivisions, and that Riverwood has competing capital projects to consider. We need to consider all of the capital requirements that we will face over the next 10-20 years, and to prioritize and allocate funds to each as appropriate. It is very difficult to consider the Activity Centre and traffic light on their own, without considering all capital projects, and costs for same.

I don't like the way you did the 13 point survey. Every point should be able to be rated individually of 1 - 13. There are more than 1 item I would give a 13 to.

I think the survey is fair, except for the ranking system for the amenities. It appears the ranking system is skewed to favor some amenities over others since only one item can be ranked at the lower scores. Thereby giving other amenities higher rankings than they might otherwise be given if numbers 10-13 could be used more than once.

Did not like the new construction options list.  
More consideration could be given to seasonal residents, and non-golf course members.

Easy to take and covered the important issues well.

Fairly complete survey. I hope the majority gets what they want.

Reasonably comprehensive, except that a bench mark study establishing current usage of existing facilities should have been completed before any of this got started.

We think the acquisition of Parcel B adds a whole new dimension to the project. Surely, overflow parking space can now be provided without the need to replace tennis courts (what a ridiculous notion, paving over old courts and building new ones in order to provide additional parking for the few times it is required).

I applaud everyone who is volunteering their time to deal with all of these issues. You should be nominated for some award. God love you for dealing with all of us.

There was virtually nothing new addressed or suggested in the survey that had not been already considered.

User friendly and straight to each point. nice job

ok The survey was written like the expansion was already a done deal!!

It is a good survey and was needed. It would have been better to do the survey earlier but better late than never.

I would have preferred ranking each improvement from 1 - 5, not ranking the entire list 1 - 13.

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Waste of time! You will get such a wide divergence of views that the data will probably be worthless.

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LIKE I SAID IN THE AREA WHERE THE NUMBERS WERE 1 TO 13 I COULD NOT MAKE THIS WORK WHICH FOWLED UP MY SURVEY

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It is important to get feedback from the community. It allows us to feel like the Board cares what we want and do not want..

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Thanks for asking our opinion. Please proceed with our long-range plans. For the most part, they are spot on, and something this community needs to pursue to remain vibrant and attractive to both current residents and buyers of resale homes. Everything included in the long-range planning contributes to increasing our property value, something that hasn't been mentioned enough in all the conversation about pursuing this expenditure. It will be money well spent!

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I had to finally use a survey a friend sent me. The one mr Knob resent to us who did not get one was impossible to access! Asked for a pass word, e mail... ??? Total waste of time!

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Great idea, important to get our owners to take an active roll in our community.

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Thank you for the survey.

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Just being able to take a survey and get the residents opinions on spending for capital improvements is a great idea. Survey itself was short and to the point.

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None

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Enhanced amenities are needed to protect our property values--really? What I need are expenses to be held to a minimum, with attention paid to those services we are paying for but not receiving--landscaping comes to mind. What a rotten job has been done by Artistree. Let's get real and understand that not everyone who lives here is a millionaire. Some of us live here for security and not much else.

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I would have rather seen each survey question rated 1 to 13 in importance.

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This second pass at creating the survey was better than the first.

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It was OK.

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This survey needs more work since it would not take some of my ratings.

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As I mentioned before, WHY?????

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Good coverage of amenities wanted/needed at RW.

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Terrific idea! Great to get what the majority will make use of!

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until I know what the cost of each item is I cannot make a educated decision. Also usage number would be

important to residents to make a decision. How would a resident know if upgrades new construction is required if we do not know how many people are using the facilities now. This information must be provided to get resident buy in.

Just remember we are a GULF CLUB NOT A COUNTRY CLUB.

good, pretty thorough

user friendly.

I would not use this survey company again. Distribution was wanting and one survey page did not function properly.

Activity Campus planning is far too comprehensive and appears to cater to too many small interest groups. The golf club should belong to Riverwood residents and we should all have access to the facilities.

The Survey seems to address all the recently discussed concerns for the enrichment of Riverwood as a whole.

Very interested to see results. Rich, thanks for doing this.

Too rapid turnaround...please accept this

The survey ranking of amenities section is awkward and does not really reflect our ranking of proposals.[one ranking per group]

Some questions really deserve a "maybe or ranked response"

Well done.

Tennis members should pay their own way, just like the golfers do! If that would happen, our costs surely would go down, and the monies could go toward something else.

Hopefully this survey will give input on what is REALLY needed in Riverwood, not some pie in the sky ideas. If you want the activity center to look like Naples...move to Naples!

No Therapy or message room is necessary. It created tons of problems in Riverwood, when we tried it before. With residents and businesses alike.

I think this survey covered all relevant areas of improvement for the Riverwood community.

Very good job. Should be able to rank each item on its own.

Well done survey

Why are ranking the dog park, which is paid for by the users? Why are there no questions about parking? Moving the tennis courts? Is the latter off the table? I need to be able to assign the same ranking to multiple amenities.

While I welcome the opportunity to share my views, are we gathering any actual usage data for the amenities we are talking about expanding (i.e. pool, fitness, tennis, kitchen)? Seems to me hard data such as the number of persons in the fitness center or the pool between various times of the day and certain times of the year would be quite beneficial to figuring this out.

More comprehensive than I expected. I've reversed my perspective and am encouraged by the prospect of robust participation.

These questions are a useful start. This entire project is being considered and presented as a single line item instead of within the context of an entire capital budget. No business or community would ever approach this with such tunnel vision. The survey should present the Activity Center Project in the context of RW's broader future needs.

The survey also presents the project without consideration of the property recently acquired.

Not enough information was provided regarding where "new" land would be purchased to add biking/hiking/walking trails. Would the land be located contiguous to current Riverwood land or at another location like the beach complex?

Would the upgraded commercial kitchen just be used for meeting/entertainment purposes? Is that its specific intent?

Great idea for getting input.

The survey should be followed to the letter. You have no idea how horribly Doug Campbell's arrogance on January 15, 2015 affected Riverwood. We are all so thankful that he was outvoted by the Board in February. The property owners are very, very angry!

Firstly, a survey should have been done BEFORE any other activities relative to expanding the Activity Center.

Secondly, a majority vote by household should be the deciding factor in layering on more debt to residents. The notion that a fist full of individuals can encumber so thousands is scandalous.

Thirdly, any survey can be designed to yield a specific DESIRED OUTCOME, and we are disappointed to see that is the route the planning committee has taken

Survey is useful but would have liked to see a 1--10 rating scale used for all questions.

A narrative at the beginning of the survey that outlined the goals and importance of the proposed enhancements, as seen by the long-term planning group, may have better educated survey takers and their responses.

Thanks for asking!

The on-line survey would not let me rank each enhancement listed for some reason

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I do not support moving tennis courts or building bleachers. Also I do not support a lap pool or the purchase of lathes and saws etc for wood working, wood carving would be ok as people bring their own equipment.

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NO LAND PURCHASE

Exercise room needs expansion

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First, thank you for asking! The survey is well done and well worth the effort of all those participating. Thank you for all your effort.

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I'm glad it was done. But I also recognize that it Adds a level of complexity to the work of the committee.

We appreciate all that the committee is doing and compliment your dedication to the planning effort, in particular, as well as Riverwood, in general

Thank you.

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Look to the future. Keep Riverwood the top gated community in the area.

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