



Comment Summary

The following are the responses of the 962 forms received by Portland Parks & Recreation.

1. I use the park:

Daily	23.6%
Weekly	39.1%
Monthly	23.6%
Infrequently	12.4%

2. I prefer Concept:

#1 Fill the reservoirs and maintain them	77.0%
#2 Leave the reservoirs empty and maintain them	1.6%
#3 Implement a design that reflects the Gustafson Plan	6.2%
#4 Other	13.7%

187 individuals provided comments to question #4. Those comments are:

- Against disconnection of Mt.Tabor 73%
- Support option 1 12%
- Maintain and have ability to reconnect 4%
- Support option 2 1%
- Turn reservoirs into PP&R land, skate park, dog park 1%
- Support option 3, but scaled-back version 10%

3. What else would you like to share with us?

Below is a summary of the themes repeated from the 410 participants who provided responses to this question.

- Oppose EPA LT2 ruling
 - **67%** of participants indicated that the City hasn't fought hard enough against the ruling, and that the City needs to understand the tension between federal law and what's best for the people.
- Fill and maintain Reservoirs, option 1
 - **12%** of participants indicated that option 1 would be an alternative solution to maintaining the integrity and historic aspect of Mt. Tabor.
- Implement a design that reflects the Gustafson Plan, Option 3
 - **7%** participants indicated option 3 would be an alternative solution if it were redesigned to current time and budgeted properly, all with public engagement.
- Request more transparency and communication from the City
 - **5%** of participants felt that the City has not been transparent and communicative.
- Fill and maintain reservoirs with capability to reconnect
 - **4%** of participants indicated option 1 would work only if the ability to reconnect the reservoirs exists in case of emergencies or a reverse order on the LT2 ruling.
- Create an alternative inclusive and equity process for the reservoirs
 - **2%** of participants indicated an inclusive and equity piece should be involved with the reservoirs discussion.



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- Research more on adverse effects of open-air reservoirs given by EPA
 - **2%** of participants indicated that a covered reservoir doesn't provide the same health benefits as an open reservoir system and request more research to the EPA scientific findings.

- Convert to public swimming pools, create another public meeting with better options, or leave the reservoirs empty and maintain them, option 2
 - **1%** of participants indicated the reservoirs be converted to public swimming pools, requested another public meeting with better options than the current available option, and believed option 2 would be alternative solution.