

EMPD Comprehensive Plan Survey Summer 2026

531 Community Survey Responses

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Survey open July 1–31, 2026



Survey Overview

The Eastmont Metropolitan Parks District Community Survey was conducted as part of the 2027–2032 Comprehensive Plan update to better understand how the community uses and values parks, facilities, programs, and recreation opportunities—and what should be prioritized for the future.

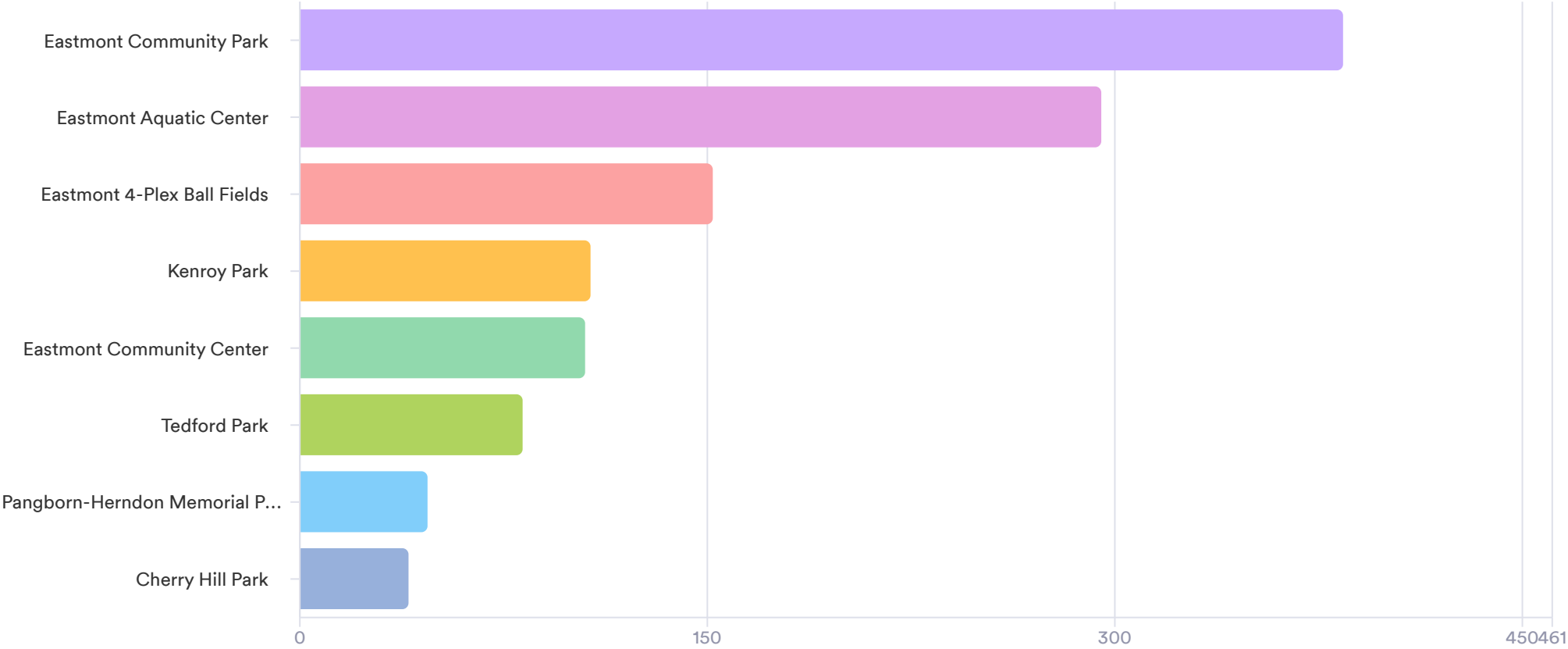
The survey was open July 1–31, 2026, and received **531 responses**.

Community feedback will help inform development of the draft Comprehensive Plan and future priorities for parks, facilities, programs, services, and investments.

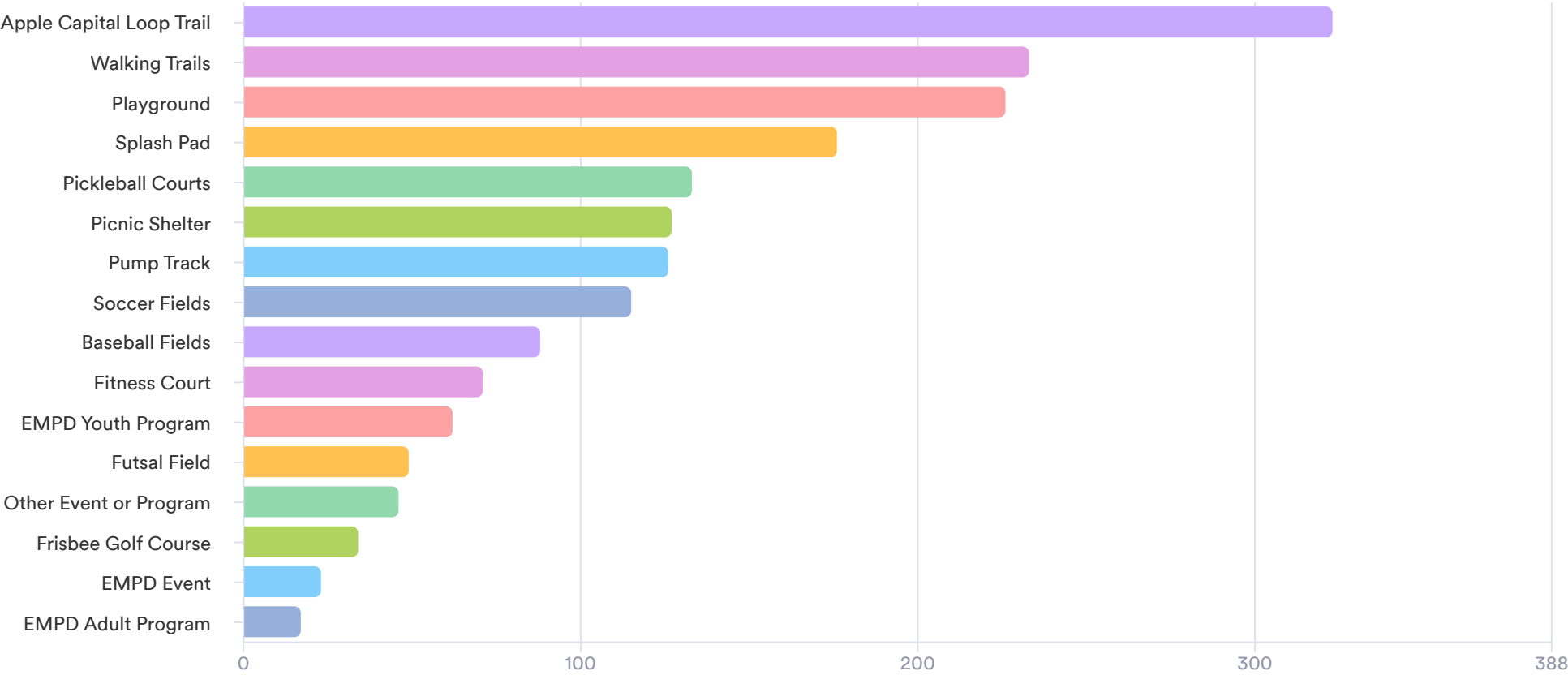
What We Heard

- **The community values Eastmont Parks & Recreation.** Respondents expressed strong overall satisfaction with existing parks and facilities.
- **Maintaining and improving existing assets is a top priority.** The community consistently emphasized taking care of what EMPD already has.
- **The Eastmont Aquatic Center stands out as a major priority.** Continued investment in maintaining, improving, and modernizing the facility received strong support.
- **Trails and everyday park amenities matter.** Walking paths, restrooms, shade, picnic areas, and other practical improvements ranked highly.
- **Recreation opportunities for all ages are important.** Respondents identified needs for additional opportunities for teens, adults, and older adults.

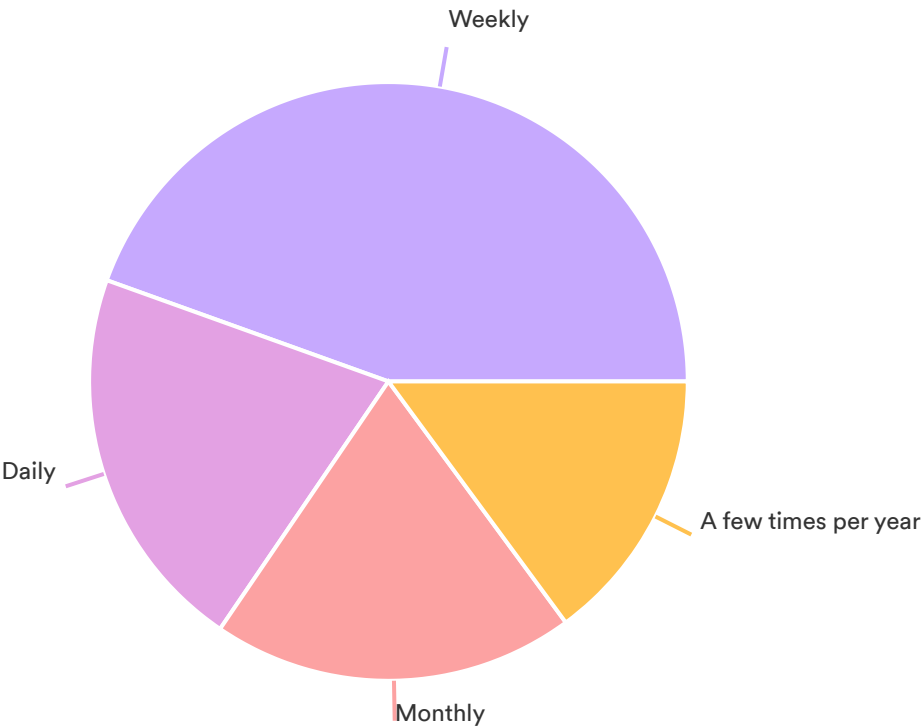
Which Eastmont Parks & Rec parks and facilities have you visited during the past 12 months?



Which Eastmont Parks & Rec recreation amenities have you used during the past 12 months?

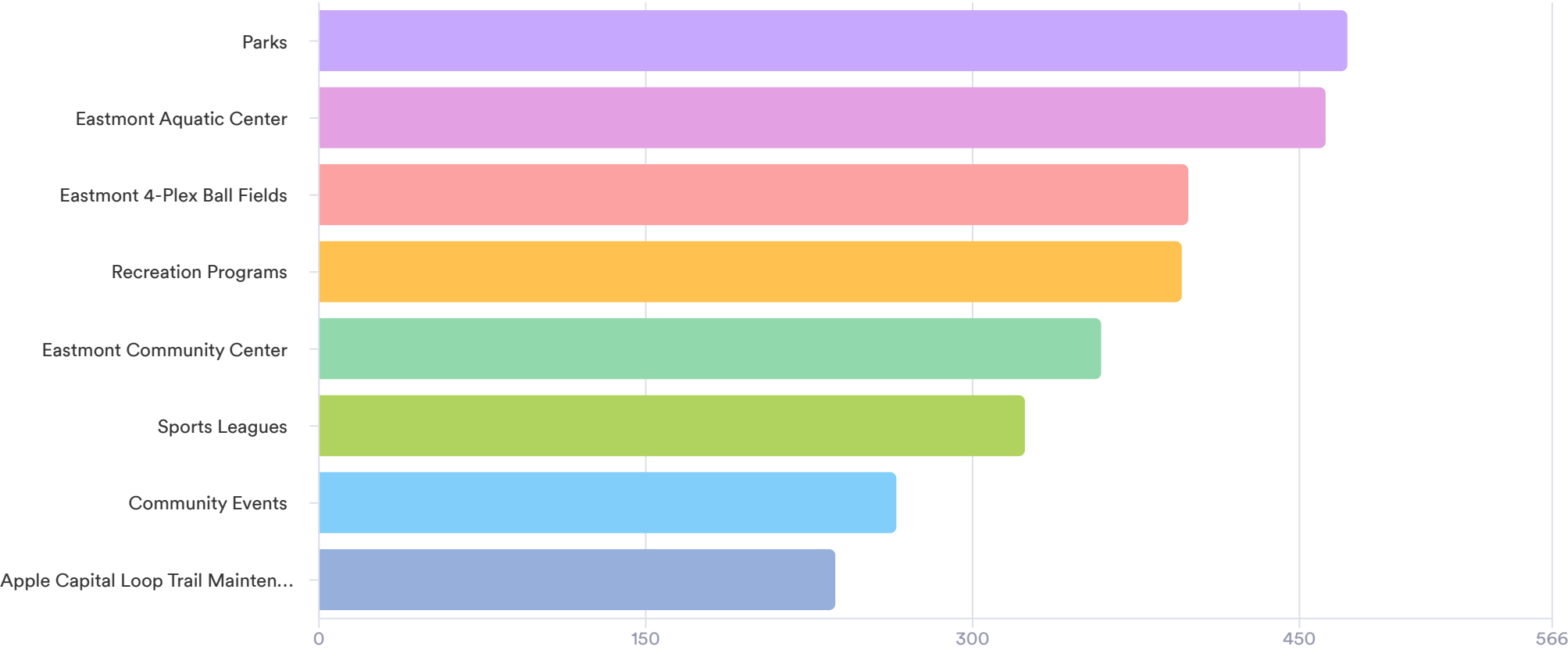


How often do you or members of your household use Eastmont Parks & Rec parks, facilities, trails, or recreation programs?

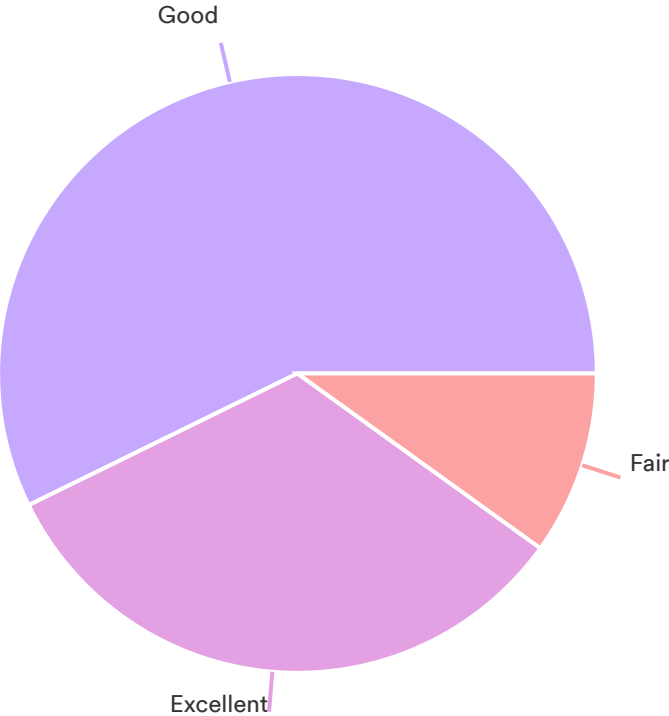


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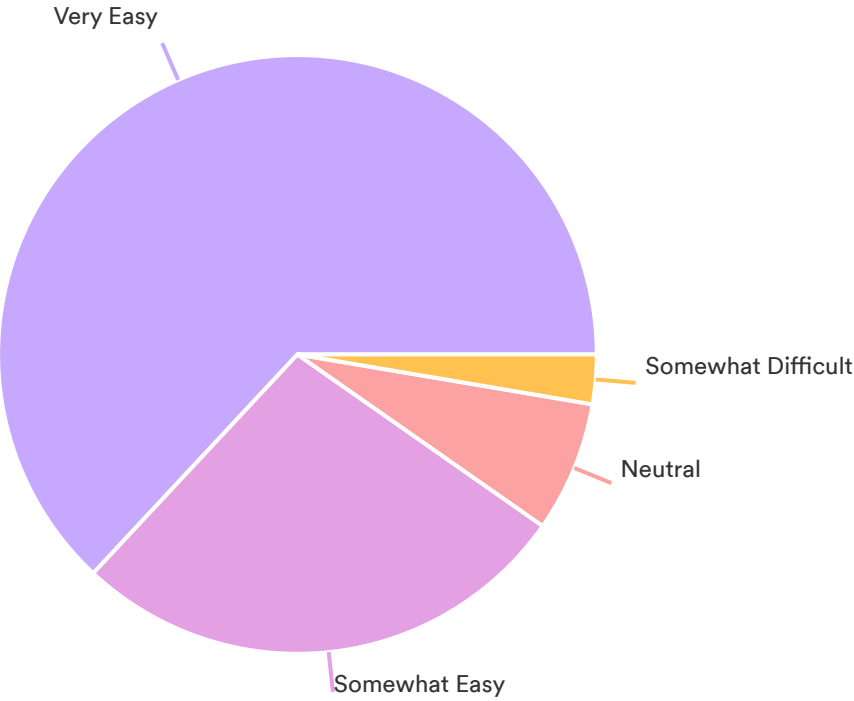
Before today, which of the following were you aware that Eastmont Parks & Rec provides or manages?



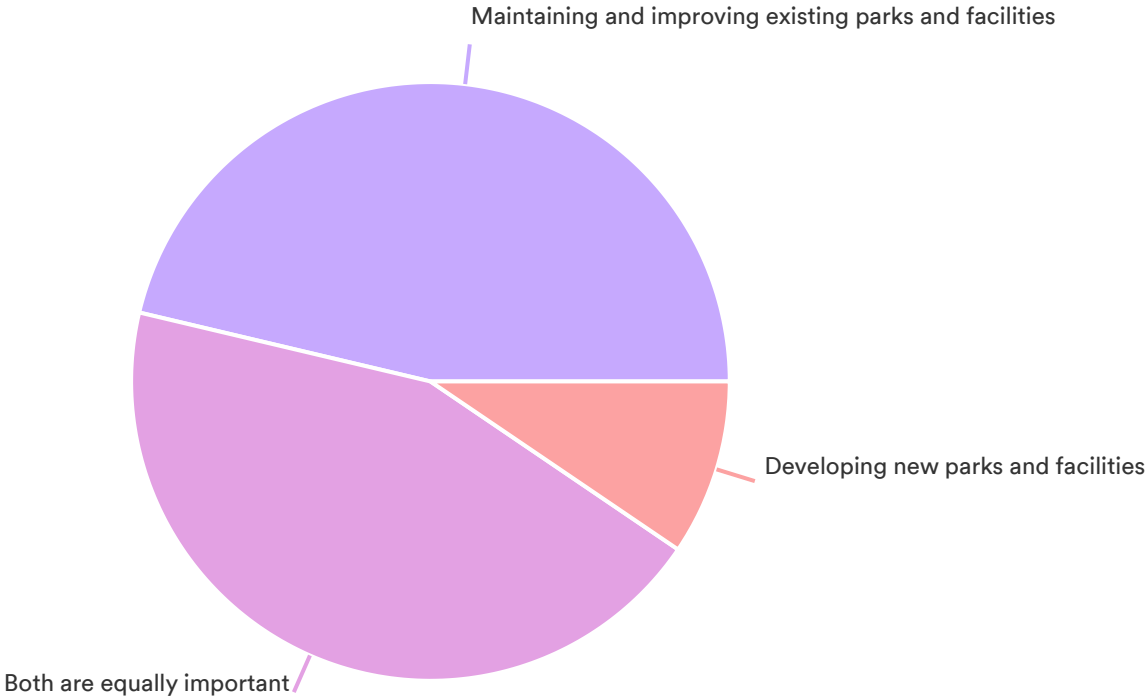
Overall, how would you rate the condition and maintenance of Eastmont Parks & Rec parks and facilities?



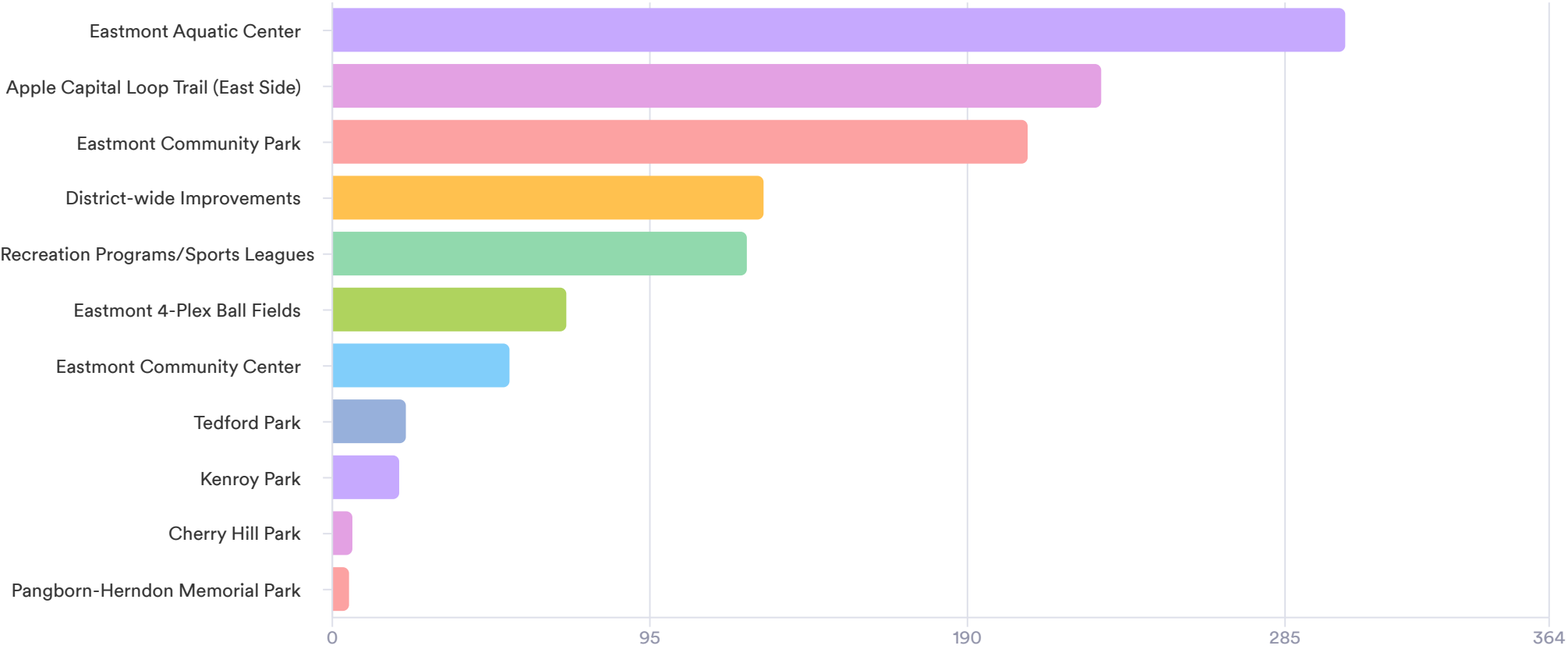
How easy is it for your household to access parks and recreation opportunities?



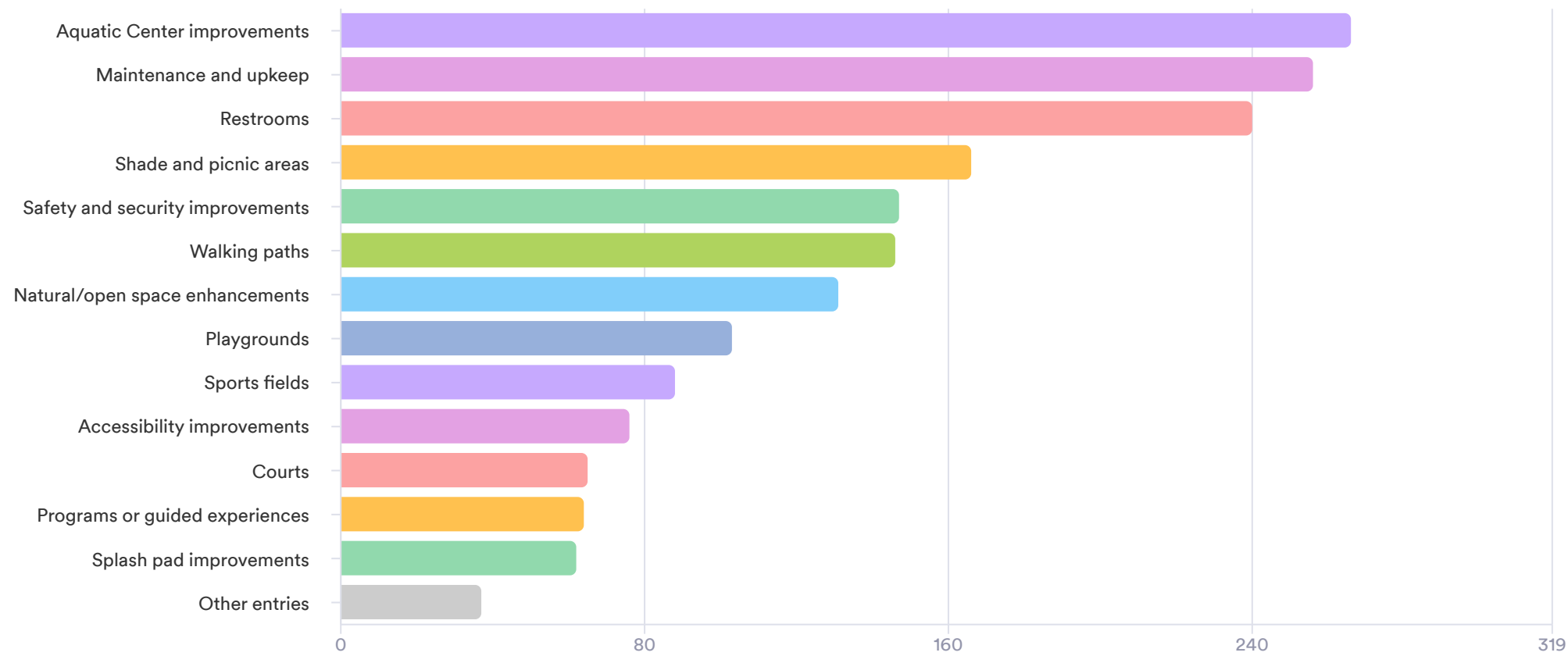
If Eastmont Parks & Rec had funding available, which should receive greater emphasis over the next six years?



Which existing parks, facilities, or recreation assets should receive the highest priority for future improvements?



What types of improvements are most important?

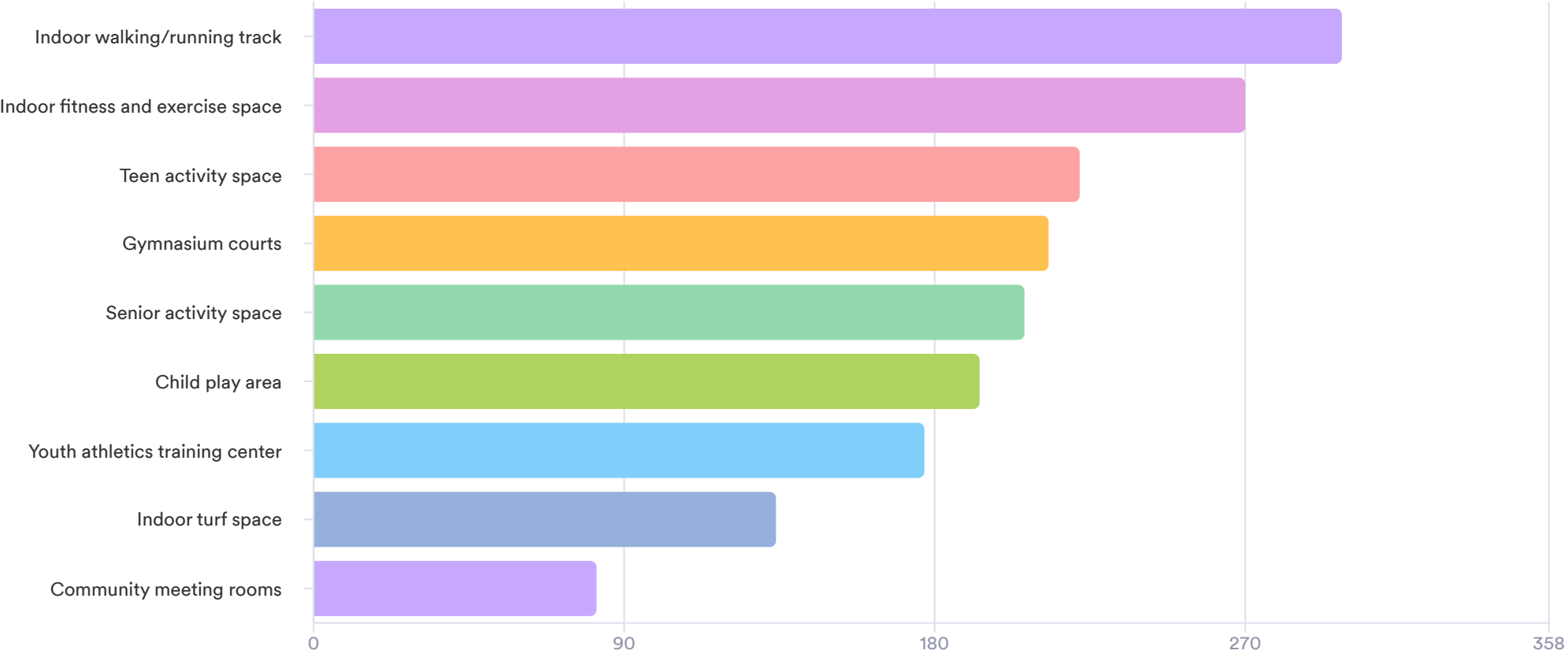


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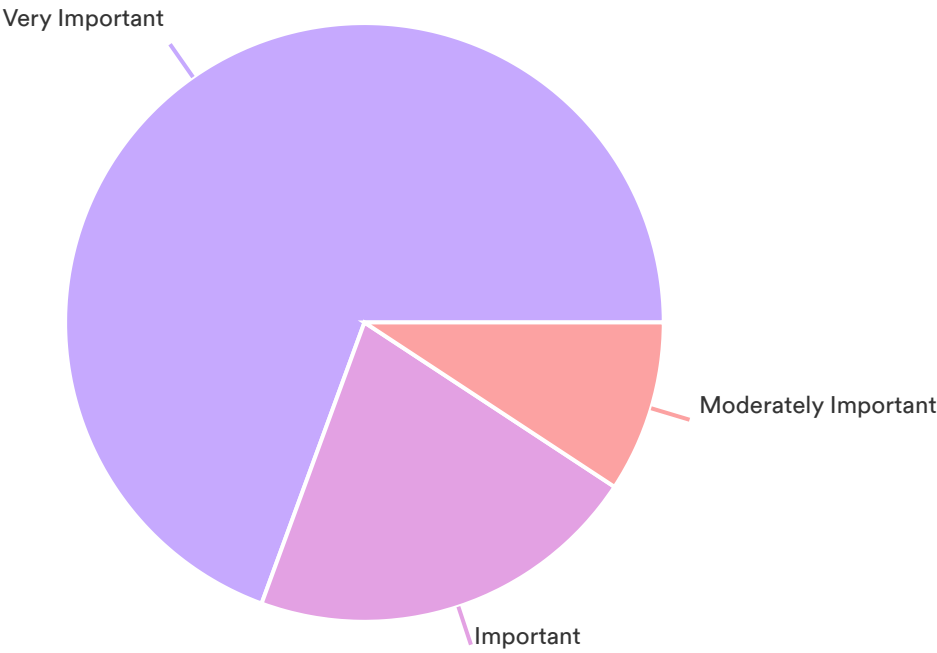
How important are the following recreation opportunities?



If EMPD were to pursue an indoor recreation center, which features would be most important?

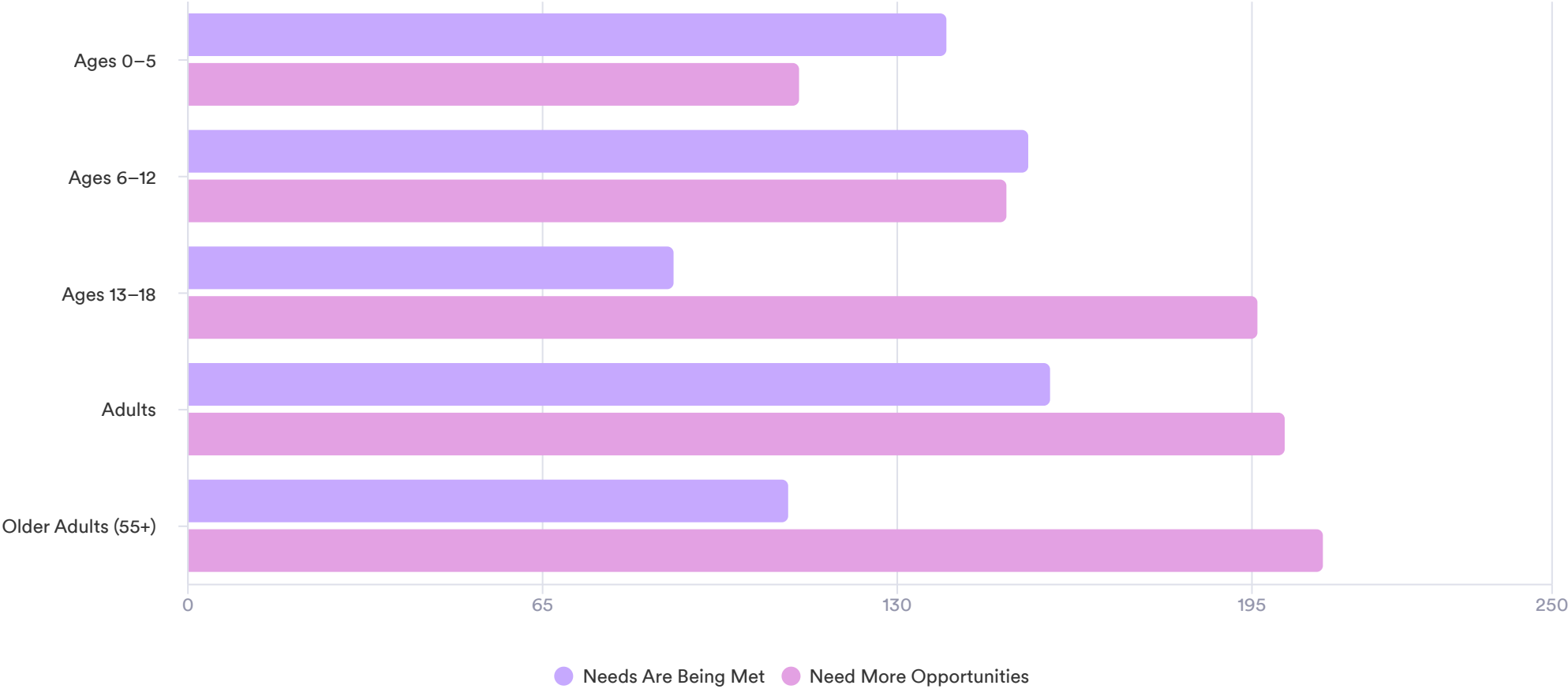


How important is continued investment in maintaining, improving, or modernizing the Eastmont Aquatic Center over the next six years?



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In your opinion, how well are recreation opportunities meeting the needs of each age group?

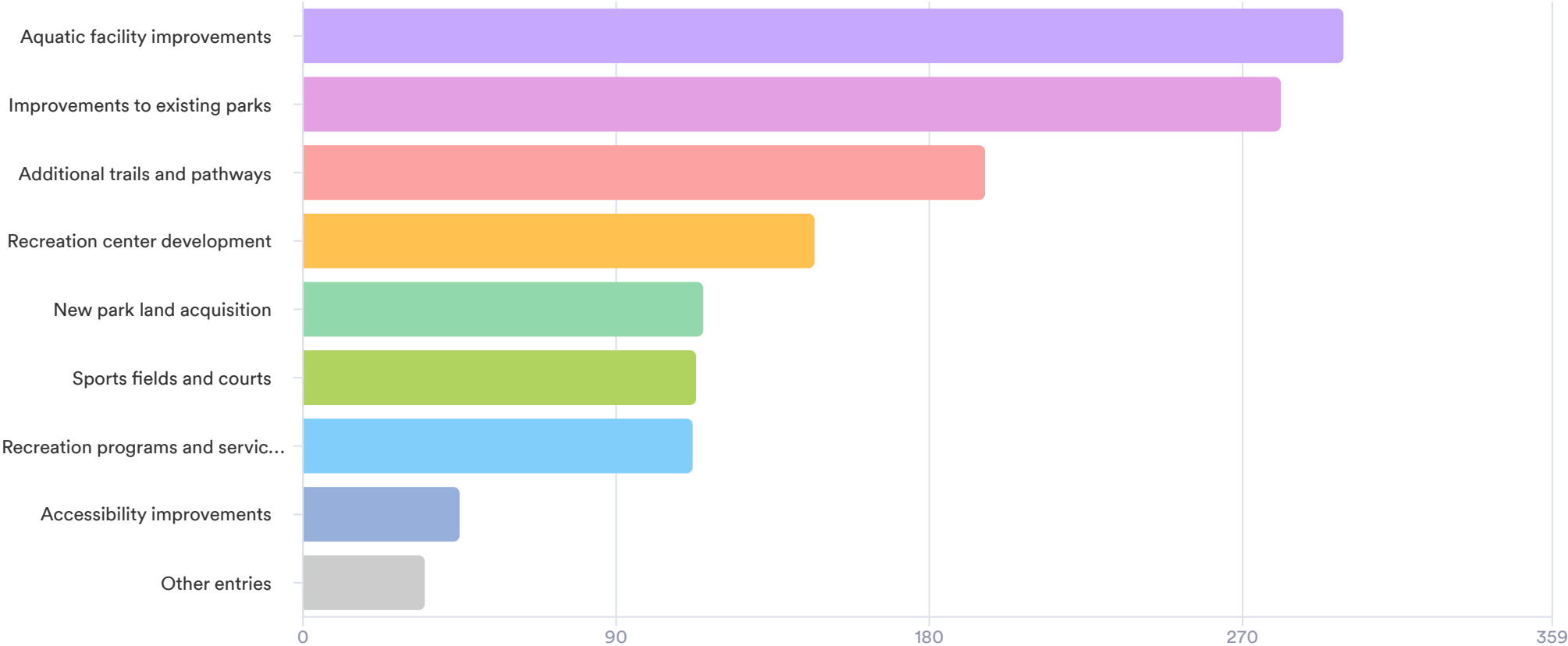


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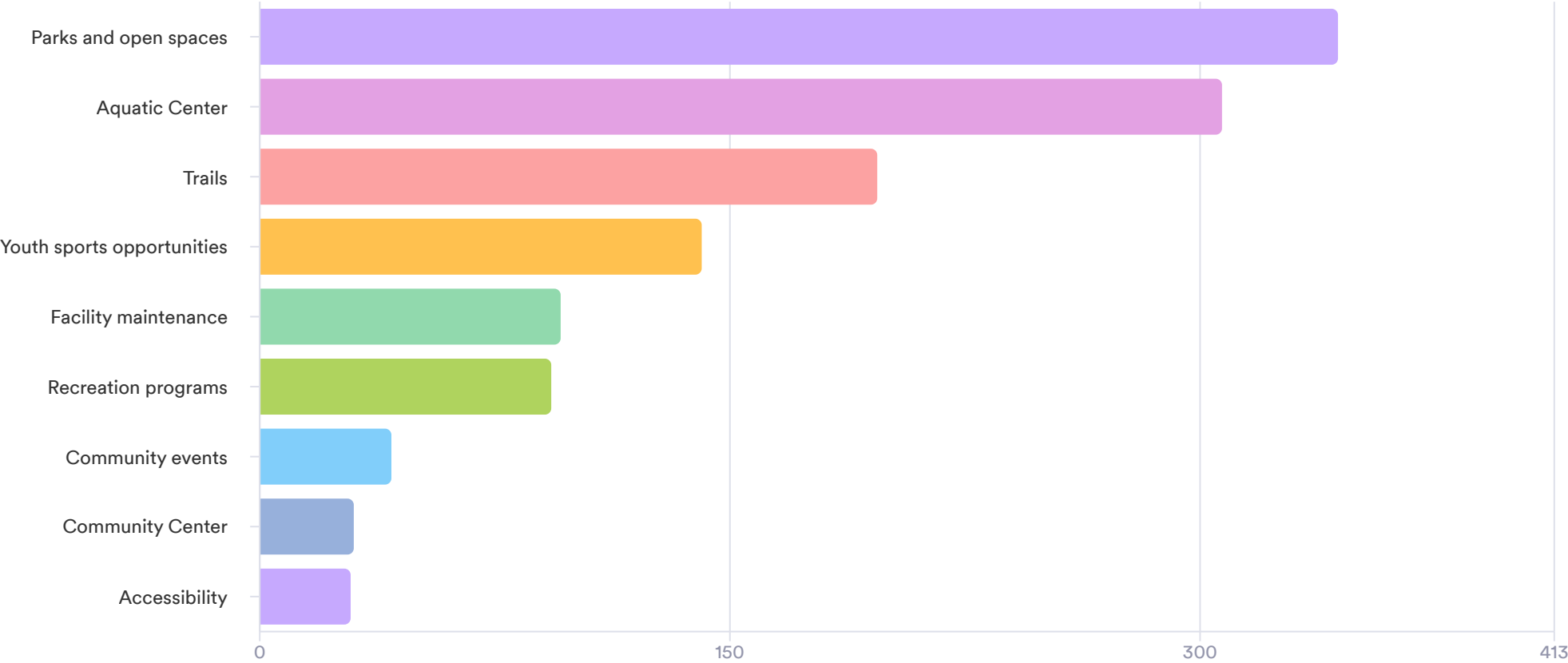
Which types of programs would you or your household be most interested in?



Which future investments would you most support?



What do you value most about Eastmont Parks & Rec today?



Thank You for Sharing Your Voice

Thank you to everyone who participated in the EMPD Comprehensive Plan Community Survey.

Your feedback will help inform development of the draft Comprehensive Plan and future priorities for parks, facilities, programs, services, and investments.

What's Next?

The draft Comprehensive Plan will be shared with the community this fall for review and comment before it is finalized.

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