

Community Wheel Public Consultation Questionnaire

Friend's of Colliers Wood are working in partnership with Broxtowe Borough Council to create a public activity/recreation area at the top of the site near the Moorgreen pedestrian entrance. It will be known as the Community Wheel Activity Space.

Our aim is to encourage more use of the site by providing a facility that can be useful to community groups, clubs and organisations such as Guides, Scouts and Schools, in addition to offering an excellent panorama and convenient place for individuals to socialise.

We have tested public interest with a first phase consultation support petition. This was signed by over 1200 people. We are undertaking this second phase consultation to help determine what should be included in the project and the type of surface to use. Your responses to the following questions will influence our design details and guide us by showing the value you attribute to this project.

Q1 Would this activity/recreational space increase your use of the site or encourage a group/club or other community gathering that you are involved with to visit the site? **YES** **NO**

Q2 Do you think there is benefit in using an iconic symbol of our industrial heritage as a focal point for people to meet?
(The segments of the wheel will be used as backdrops for displays) **YES** **NO**

Q3 Will the inclusion of work tables that accommodate disabled wheel chair users and seating that is easy for mobility impaired people to use, help a family member, a friend or any group to which you belong, to use this facility? **YES** **NO**

Q4 What are your reasons for using Colliers Wood? Please tick all that apply.

- A) Observation and enjoyment of a natural environment-
- B) Voluntary work with the FoCW-
- C) Diverse recreational activities-
- D) Healthy lifestyle activity and organised sport-
- E) Group, club, school, scouts, etc. visits-
- F) Community activities and events organised by FoCW-
- G) Cultural events organised by Broxtowe-
- H) Environmental learning opportunities-

Q5 Please tick which of the following types of paving you consider most suitable for use in this Local Nature Reserve.

5A) A plastic cellular system filled with earth and seeded with grass to imitate the appearance of the adjacent meadow. Grass would be cut short as in the showground area and on path margins. This system will adequately support the tables and seating.

5B) A crushed limestone paving that is also used on the site paths. This would be laid to falls and be easy to repair.

Q6 Would disability access seating benefit you, your family, friends or groups that you are familiar with? **YES** **NO**

If **YES**, please select from the images below, the type of seating that you feel will best suit their needs for safely manoeuvring to sit and rise to depart.
(The images are just typical of the seating style and do not illustrate any actual model or colour or manufacturer that would be chosen to supply. Also, the seats will not be wood structures but recycled plastic, possibly with steel framing as shown.)

Wheelchair provision is already incorporated.



6A) 6-8 impaired walking spaces



6B) 8 impaired walking spaces



6C) A wheelchair space, plus 2 Impaired walking spaces & space for 3-4 normal access

Any comment you wish to add with regards to the paving and seating:

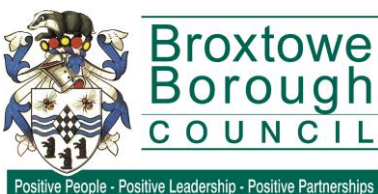
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Thank you for taking part in this consultation. I look forward to receiving this document.

Kind regards,

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Project Manager for Friends of Colliers Wood

Please sign & add postcode, it helps to support our applications for grants



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