

City of Clinton Recreation and Park Survey

Instructions: The city of Clinton would like to learn more about your recreation interests, preferences, behaviors and satisfaction with city parks. Please answer all of the questions below. Your name does not appear anywhere on this survey, so we hope you'll answer all of the questions honestly. The data we collect will be grouped together and will serve to help develop a long range recreation and park plan for the City. Thank you for your time and input!

Section 1: Current Participation

1. Have you or any members of your household participated in any recreational activities or programs, **anywhere**, during the past 12 months? (Circle one number)

- 1 Yes
 2 No-----> If NO, go to question 4

2. This question has two parts.
For PART 1, did you or anyone in your household participate in any of the following activities, **anywhere**, during the past 12 months? (Circle one number for EACH activity you or someone in your household participated in during the past 12 months)

For PART 2, if you did participate in any of the activities (answered YES to PART 1), was that activity or program **provided within Clinton, IL**? (Circle one number for EACH activity or program you or someone in your household participated in during the past 12 months that were in Clinton).

	PART 1: Participate in Activity?		PART 2: Within Clinton?	
	No	Yes	No	Yes
Aerobics	0	1	0	1
Arts/Crafts programs	0	1	0	1
Attend movie theater	0	1	0	1
Baseball	0	1	0	1
Basketball	0	1	0	1
Bicycling	0	1	0	1
Bowling	0	1	0	1
Camping	0	1	0	1
Canoeing	0	1	0	1
Fishing	0	1	0	1
Fitness programs	0	1	0	1
Golfing	0	1	0	1
Hiking	0	1	0	1
Ice Skating	0	1	0	1
Miniature Golf	0	1	0	1
Picknicking	0	1	0	1
Rollerblading (in-line skating)	0	1	0	1
Running/Jogging	0	1	0	1
Shopping	0	1	0	1
Skateboarding	0	1	0	1
Soccer	0	1	0	1
Summer Camps	0	1	0	1
Swimming	0	1	0	1

	PART 1:	Participate in Activity?	PART 2:	Within Clinton?
Activity	No	Yes	No	Yes
Tennis	0	1	0	1
Use a playground	0	1	0	1
Volleyball	0	1	0	1
Walking for pleasure	0	1	0	1
Went to a museum	0	1	0	1

3. During the past 12 months, how often did you or someone in your household attend recreation programs, activities, or facilities offered by the following recreation providers? (Circle one number for EACH provider)

Recreation Provider	Not At All	Occasionally	Frequently
Artist Alley	0	1	2
Clinton Lake	0	1	2
Clinton Parks Department	0	1	2
Clinton School District Intramurals	0	1	2
Clinton YMCA	0	1	2
Church provided activities	0	1	2
University of Illinois Extension	0	1	2
Warner Library	0	1	2
Weldon Springs	0	1	2
Bloomington Parks & Recreation	0	1	2
Champaign Park District	0	1	2
Champaign YMCA	0	1	2
Decatur Park District	0	1	2
Normal Parks & Recreation	0	1	2
Parkland College	0	1	2
Private health club	0	1	2
University of Illinois (athletic events, etc.)	0	1	2
Urbana Park District	0	1	2
Other (please explain) _____			

Section 2: Clinton's Municipal Parks

4. Have you or any members of your household been to any of the local parks in Clinton in the past 12 months?

1 YES

2 NO-----→if no, skip to number 8

5. Which parks do you or the members of your household go to? (check all that apply)

Christy Massey Memorial Park

Downey

Kiwanis

Moore

Rotary

Roque Court

Woodland 51 Rest Park

Woodlawn

6. How often do you or members of your household use the municipal parks in Clinton? (please check one)

every day

once a week

once a month

once every 3-5 months

once every 6-8 months

once a year

7. What attributes bring you or members of your household to a park? (check all that apply)

Open spaces

Picnic facilities

Athletic fields

Biking trails

Playground equipment

Programs & Special Events

Jogging/Walking trails

Other (specify) _____

8. Below is a list of reasons why people do not visit parks or do not visit very often. Please indicate how important each item is in limiting your park use by circling the corresponding category.

	Not Important	Somewhat Important	Very Important	Don't Know
a. Lack of time	0	1	2	3
b. The lack of information about existing parks	0	1	2	3
c. Fear of crime	0	1	2	3
d. Poor health	0	1	2	3
e. No one to go with to the parks	0	1	2	3
f. Parks are too far away	0	1	2	3
g. I have no way to get to the parks	0	1	2	3
h. Parks are too crowded	0	1	2	3
i. Parks are over-developed	0	1	2	3
j. I pursue recreation in areas other than parks	0	1	2	3
k. Don't like to participate in nature or outdoor recreation activities	0	1	2	3
l. Too busy with other activities	0	1	2	3
m. Too busy with family responsibilities	0	1	2	3
n. Lack of transportation	0	1	2	3
o. Other reasons (explain) _____				