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Willow Park consultations: have your say

ALL interested community members are being invited to share their views about Willow Park.

Wodonga Council and Friends of Willow Park are working together to find out what park users, neighbouring residents and the general community value about the park, how they would like the park used, and what it should look like in the future.

A range of community consultation activities are occurring in August and September. You can have your say by:

- Joining in the fun at the Willow Park 'Say and Play Day' on Saturday, August 22 from 10am to 1pm. All park users are invited to enjoy the free activities and participate in the 'have your say' discussions.
- Attending a community forum facili-

tated by Cathy McGowan on Monday, September 7 at the Wodonga Civic Centre from 9am to noon. The forum will explore a shared vision for the future of the park and address key issues and challenges facing park users now and into the future.

- Completing a community survey. A total of 200 surveys will be randomly distributed to residents living in close proximity to the park during July and August.
- Participating online at www.willow-parkfuture.com. Log in and be directly involved in raising issues, putting your views forward and discussing ideas about the park with others.
- Visiting the Wodonga Library and adding a photograph to the board

of your favourite thing about Willow Park. Regular updates of consultation activities can be also accessed from the library.

The findings from these activities will be used to develop a master plan for Willow Park.

This plan will set a 25-year vision and establish priorities for the next five years.

It will help secure the future of the park and its surrounds for current and future generations.

For more information about the Willow Park consultations, please contact Stephanie Garoni on (02) 6022 9300, email sgaroni@wodonga.vic.gov.au or visit the websites of council at www.wodonga.vic.gov.au or Friends of Willow Park at www.friendsofwillowpark.org.au.