

## Project Overview

Cannabis will be legal in Canada on October 17, 2018.

In Calgary, public consumption rules for cannabis will be similar to those for public consumption of alcohol. Under the Cannabis Consumption Bylaw, it will be illegal to consume cannabis in any form (smoking, vaping, or edibles) in public places, except for designated cannabis consumption areas. Cannabis may be consumed on private property.

Because landlord and tenant agreements, condo bylaws, and hotel rules can prohibit cannabis consumption in or on their properties, some citizens and visitors to Calgary may not have a legal place to consume cannabis. To that end, the Cannabis Consumption Bylaw allows Council to approve designated areas where cannabis may be smoked, vaped, or otherwise consumed in specific public places. These designated cannabis consumption areas are to help alleviate lack of access to a permissible place to consume cannabis once it is legal.

Ward Councillors or residents can begin the process to have designated cannabis consumption areas in their community. Interest was expressed in piloting some designated spaces in Ward 9, in the following locations:

1. **Bridgeland:** Murdoch Park, on the southern end of 7A St. N.E.
2. **Inglewood I:** Green space at 11 Ave. S.E., between 11 and 12 St
3. **Inglewood II:** Green space adjacent to Wildlands parking lot on Ninth Ave. S.E. past 22 St.
4. **Ogden:** Green space located north of shopping plaza at Glenmore Tr. and Ogden Rd S.E.

(This report focuses on feedback received for: *Inglewood II: Green space adjacent to Wildlands parking lot on Ninth Ave. S.E. past 22 St*)

Potential areas are carefully considered through criteria addressing the location's accessibility, safety, and proximity to sensitive land uses such as schools, playgrounds, and residences. Each area will be confined to a defined radius and equipped with waste receptacles and tamper-proof ashtrays. Once the spaces are up and running, the City of Calgary may suspend locations should there be safety or nuisance concerns.

## Engagement Overview

Feedback on the proposed Designated Cannabis Consumption Areas was collected by two means:

- **In-person:** Sounding boards were set up at each of the proposed locations and included an overview of the project and proposed area, feedback forms and a submission box for completed feedback forms.
- **Online:** There was a main landing page on The City's Engage Portal for the project, as well as individual pages for each of the communities where the areas were proposed, and included the same questions as the in-person feedback forms.

Both online and in-person engagement opportunities were open from August 27 to September 7, 2018. Sounding boards were located at all proposed areas during this time except for Inglewood, where the sounding board was located at the 11 Avenue S.E. location from August 27 to September 2, and at the Wildlands parking lot location from September 3 to 7, 2018.

## What We Asked

Stakeholders were asked the following questions regarding each of the proposed Designated Cannabis Consumption Areas:

1. How would this consumption area be of benefit to you?
2. Are there any issues we should consider with this proposed location?
3. Do you have any other questions or comments regarding the proposed location?

On the Engage Portal pages, we also asked for the first three digits of the respondents' postal codes, to better understand which of the responses came from community residents, and which came from residents in other parts of the city.

## What We Heard

The issue most often expressed by respondents was the potential of increased crime resulting from designated cannabis consumption areas. Respondents were concerned that public safety near designated areas may be at risk and said that security monitoring would be important to maintain a feeling of safety for community residents. Residual detritus would be dangerous if left unmonitored.

Another concern voiced by many respondents was that designated cannabis consumption areas may negatively impact family-oriented communities, particularly those where children would likely be nearby. For all four proposed areas, respondents said that proximity to public infrastructure such as schools, playgrounds, churches and pathways were problematic, particularly in Bridgeland. Many respondents thought that the proposed Wildlands area in Inglewood was too close to the Inglewood Bird Sanctuary and

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community residences. Concerns of isolated location and pre-existing illegal encampments were also high on the list.

Other issues expressed were exposure to second hand smoke, allergies, and asthma.

Respondents were generally not comfortable with the concentration of all four proposed designated cannabis areas in Ward 9 and wanted to know why those areas were selected. Some wanted more information on site selection criteria and felt inadequately consulted.

Some respondents suggested that cannabis should have the same public consumption regulations as tobacco, while others believe that rules for public consumption of cannabis should be the same as liquor. Respondents indicated cannabis should be consumed at home or in establishments like bars or lounges (\*note: The City of Calgary does not have the ability to provide cannabis bars or lounges as such establishments would contravene the provincial Tobacco and Smoking Reduction Act. If cannabis cafes or lounges are allowed in the future, this would be a provincial decision).

Other issues expressed by respondents included increased potential for fires and concern whether the areas would be properly maintained. Many also indicated that the areas could increase the potential of cannabis-impaired driving for those who may have to drive to get to the area. They also commented that any designated cannabis consumption areas should be privately funded and not supported by taxpayer dollars.

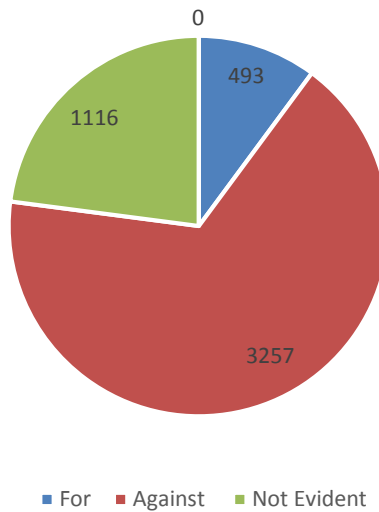
We also received feedback from respondents who are in favour of the designated areas. Some respondents live in condos or rental units and would appreciate a nearby location at which they could consume cannabis. Respondents in favour said that a convenient designated area close to home would allow them to walk there and not have to drive.



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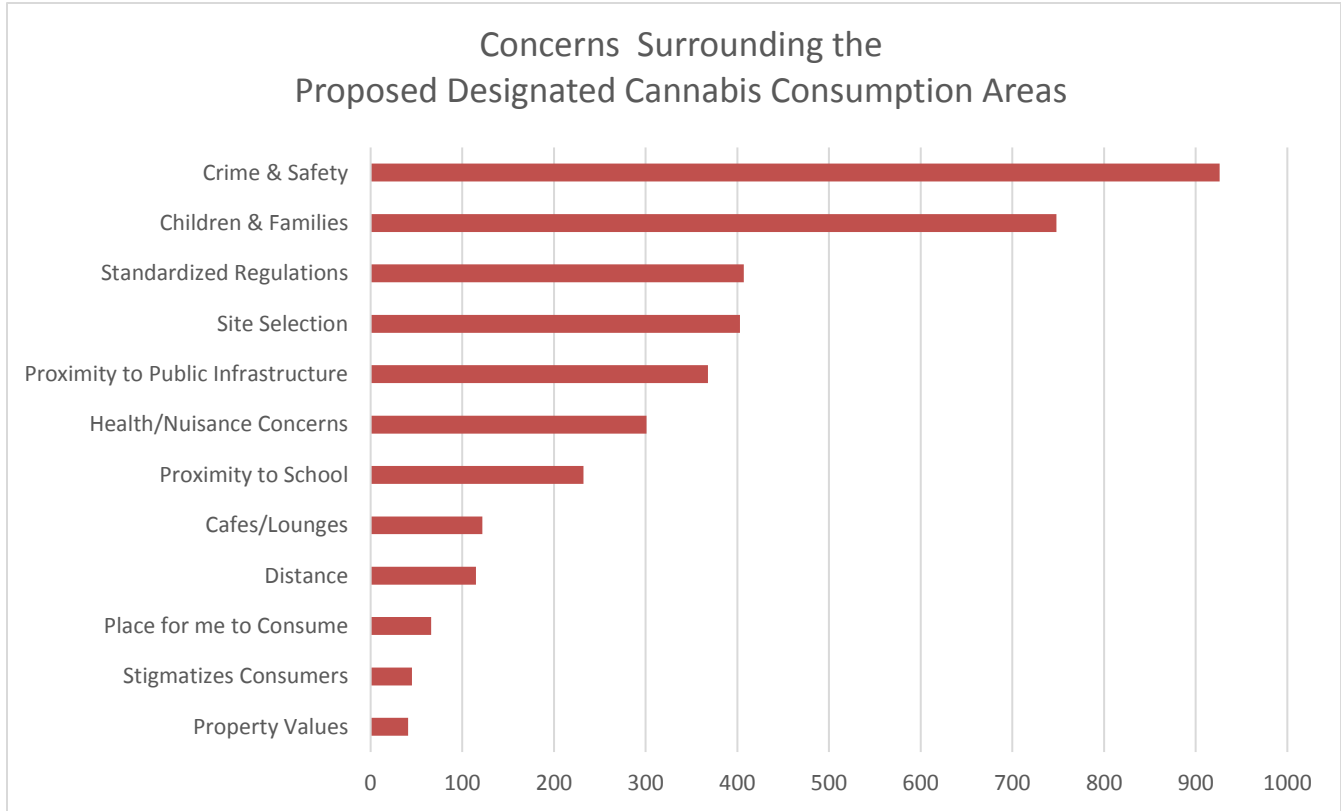
Respondents For or Against  
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For a detailed summary of the input that was provided, please see the [Summary of Input](#) section.

For a verbatim listing of all the input that was provided, please see the [Verbatim Comments](#) section.

### Next Steps

As a result of the significant percentage of respondents that expressed opposition, the initiating Councillor, Ward 9 Councillor Carra, withdrew the proposal on Sept. 12, 2018. The four proposed designated cannabis consumption areas did not proceed to a Public Hearing of Council where they would have been approved or rejected. Calgary will not have designated cannabis consumption areas upon legalization on Oct. 17, 2018.



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## Summary of Input – Inglewood II (Green space adjacent to Wildlands parking lot on Ninth Ave. S.E. past 22 St.)

The following section includes key themes from the feedback collected both in-person and online.

### Question 1: How would this consumption area be of benefit to you?

(321 Comments)

| Theme                                   | Detail   |
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| Site Selection (62)                     | Concerns with site selection focussed on the distance of the area from public modes of transportation, condos and hotels (places where consumption is not permitted, and location is too close to neighbourhood residences. Many felt there was inadequate consultation and expressed concerns about the Ward 9 concentration. |
| Crime & Safety (26)                     | Respondents saw no benefit but rather a degradation of community through increased safety concerns, lack of monitoring, crime and the potential for impaired driving.  |
| Place for me to consume (25)            | Some felt that this was a great location (along the Bow River (very scenic) and would help remove the stigma attached to legal drug use, and was within walking distance of where they lived.  |
| Proximity to Public Infrastructure (13) | In this initial question, proximity to the pathway, schools, and bird sanctuary were all concerns. Side themes noted were families who use these amenities as well as the inability to control cannabis smoke.   |
| Standardized Regulations (13)           | As in previously mentioned feedback, many thought that the designated cannabis consumption areas should be standardized and treated like liquor and tobacco. Preference over private use to public consumption.  |
| Children & Families (9)                 | Many small children in proximity to the area who should not be exposed to the consumption areas. This is seen as a community neighbourhood, these areas will not ameliorate the environment.   |

### Question 2: Are there any issues we should consider with this proposed location?

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| Theme                                    | Detail  |
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| Crime & Safety (179)                     | The top concerns cited were Safety (51), Impaired Driving (44) and Monitoring (29). Respondents worried about the pre-existing illegal encampments, as well as the potential fire hazard with the Wildlands.  |
| Site Selection (109)                     | Concerns were highest on impact to the community (51) and its residences. It has taken years of work to remove the negative image and they feel this will only reinstate it. The next was the distance people would have to travel to the site (related to above comment of Impaired Driving) (45), followed by the Ward 9 Concentration (9). |
| Proximity to Public Infrastructure (104) | Top concern was proximity to the Inglewood Bird Sanctuary (37), followed by the schools (29), and the pathway (20). Reason cited were inability to control the smoke, detritus, imagery and the negative impact it has to humans, pets and wildlife   |
| Standardized Regulations (51)            | Respondents wanted the same regulations that apply to public consumption of liquor (37) and tobacco (15), and it should not be consumed in public areas.  |
| Children & Families (57)                 | Family area not conducive to cannabis consumption. Increased drug use results in decreased family use. It sends a mixed messaging to children who have been educated not to smoke. Park is for recreational users not pot smokers.  |

### Question 3: Do you have any other questions or comments regarding the proposed location?

(274 Comments)

| Theme                         | Detail   |
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| Site Selection (138)          | Concerns centered around adherence to the site selection criteria (50) with the comment that bylaws state that “activity on public land should not be allowed to infringe on the enjoyment of the land [...]” Also mentioned was that ownership of the land did not fall under the City. Distance from users and isolated location (29) were problematic as well as negative impact to the community (32) overall. |
| Standardized Regulations (76) | Respondents wanted the same regulations that apply to public consumption of liquor (35) and tobacco (12). It was strongly felt that cannabis consumption is best served in private venues and not public facing areas.   |
| Crime & Safety (61)           | The top concern cited was Monitoring (20) followed by Impaired Driving (11) and Safety, Crime and Fire Hazard coming in combined at (30). Also increased traffic concerns.   |
| Children & Families (25)      | Respondents did not want children exposed to the smoke or the associated activities. Children and families should take   |



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|   | precedent over cannabis consumption. Too many children frequent this area. A family neighbourhood.   |
| Proximity to Public Infrastructure (24) | The top concern was proximity to the Inglewood Bird Sanctuary and the Wildlands area (19) as well as proximity to the schools (and use of area for educational programming) (10) and the pathway (cyclists, dog walkers and families) (4). |

## Verbatim Comments

Verbatim comments presented here include all of the suggestions, comments, and messages that were collected on-line and in-person for Inglewood II (the green space adjacent to the Wildlands parking lot on Ninth Ave. S.E. past 22 St.)

Offensive words and personally identifying information have been removed and replaced with either [offensive language removed], [removed], or [personal information removed]; otherwise comments here are completely un-edited.

### Question 1: How would this consumption area be of benefit to you?

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| It wouldn't. While it is the closest to my home in west Beltline, it is much too far from where I live to be beneficial.  |
| This area is close to my home, and would be great easy access place for consuming cannabis  |
| No  |
| I could consume cannabis here   |
| Same as above.  |
| people are already smoking more then 70%  |
| It would be great to consume here   |
| see above comments  |
| Same as above.  |
| I am a homeowner so this area would be of no benefit.   |
| This location is close to my home   |
| If and only if I want to consume cannabis and I'm located at this Green space, will it actually be useful for me; and that same argument can be used for any of the 4 designated sites equally. I would likely break the law, as written, vs. travel to consume |
| It would not be. I live in temple   |
| It would not.   |
| See above   |





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| Designated area is good.   |
| It would not   |
| It would provide people with a place to consume cannabis   |
| No benefit   |
| I don't think it would be. The consumption areas are an interesting idea but I need more information to be convinced. Why not handle it more like alcohol? |
| It's ok, not super central though and no seating or anything.  |
| Not at all   |
| None   |
| It wouldn't be of any benefit. I object to Cannabis and Smoking in general.  |
| I often walk along the Bow River so it will be nice to have somewhere close by for use.  |
| No benefit at all  |
| It wouldn't  |
| No benefit.  |
| this wouldnt benefit me in anyway as i dont go to this area of the city at all.  |
| None, this is a natural area, I have safety concerns (fire, garbage, etc). As well as this is a mixed use area, children are present                       |
| No benefit   |
| It would ensure that I completely avoid the community going forward.   |
| It would not benefit or detract from me  |
| no benefit   |
| I use the city's biking paths frequently and this is a location I like to enjoy the outdoors at.   |
| No   |
| It wouldn't  |
| It doesn't benefit anyone  |
| It wouldn't.   |
| Not at all. This would not benefit anyone. Telling people that's okay to get high in public is absurd.   |
| I wouldn't!  |
| There is no benefit to utilizing public spaces for drug use  |
| No benefit whatsoever.   |
| It won't. I will consume at home.  |
| It won't as it's not accessible for anyone in the NW   |
| It would not   |
| Same as above, no benefits, just potential issues  |
| It would not benefit me.   |
| Allow my to access my medication while in the area   |
| Not!   |



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| I would not use this area to smoke pot as access for myself is not convenient. These areas are not places I would want to go hang out for a night so the transportation to and from are cost prohibitive  |
| of no benefit   |
| Again, it wouldn't.   |
| Need area for legal outdoor use   |
| It wouldn't. Too difficult to access.   |
| no benefit  |
| I wouldn't want this park in my back yard your attracting various types of people to a public area  |
| I can't drink there, let the druggies not be in public at all   |
| bad idea see above  |
| i bike ride and walk for exersize and would enjoy stopping for a puff and perhaps meet others in my travels   |
| It wouldn't!  |
| None  |
| It isn't. These sites are stupid and still playing on reefef mafness  |
| NONE. THIS IS A NUISANCE  |
| None  |
| It won't, I don't do drugs.   |
| No benefit.   |
| None- I'll smoke at home  |
| This consumption area would be of no benefit to me. It would negatively impact my life.   |
| Does not benefit me.  |
| There would be NO BENEFIT to me from making this a consumption area.  |
| There should not be public consumption.   |
| never place them better and get actually public opinion when it comes to location . this is a terrible attempt by the city to gelp welcome cannabis into canada . do a better job and start asking an age group thats roughly 18- 25 .people who actually smoke |
| It would not benefit me   |
| there is absolutely no benefit. this consumption area would be a detriment to the community   |
| No  |
| It will be detrimental to our family of five as we spend as much time as possible in and around Calgary's recreational areas and green spaces as they are intended as per the city's website statements   |
| Once legal it would be nice to be able to smoke pot somewhere other than just your back yard/ inside your house   |
| On the odd occasion I may perhaps use a vaporizer and go for a walk in the park, but only during summer months (that's 3 months of the year)  |
| see other question. I don't smoke, but would prefer people to not smoke close to me ..  |



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| It would not benefit me or my community. We already have problems with partying and camping in this area.  |
| Its not  |
| It will not benefit me in any way.   |
| No benefit just more break-ins, and safety issues for people in the neighbour that already has a problem with campers and drug deals happening in the parking lot where the site is proposed   |
| This would be an extreme detriment to this neighbourhood. We are already inundated by the number of vagrants who set up illegal camps in this area, who are involved in criminal activity. Our homes have been vandalized enough. IT IS NOT WANTED HERE! |
| Too far away   |
| Would not in any way.  |
| It would not.  |
| I do not want to see cannabis consumption in any public space. Cannabis consumption should be treated the same as alcohol consumption.   |
| This would have no benefit to me, my family or the people who live in this section of Inglewood. There are no amenities or resources in this area and it makes no sense to bring people down to this part of the community for Cannabis consumption      |
| This is terrible! It's all residential right there. You are just asking for camps and problems coming to the park of Inglewood by putting it there. Makes no sense.  |
| Love the safe space.   |
| I wouldn't.  |
| There are NO benefits with this area. As a home owner near by I strongly oppose it and will fight in any manner available NOT to have this near my home and my small children!!!   |
| Would be close to where I am most days   |
| WONT. I don't need it neither does the city. Definitely not a small community that is trying to revitalize and increase our community image.   |
| No benefits at all. Dangerous, reckless and foolish  |
| I will not get any benefit, but will certainly be affected by it as I and my family frequent the bird sanctuary and nature centre  |
| No benefit   |
| There is no benefit to this proposed location and this will hurt our community.  |
| It won't.  |
| It will not, it will attract different random type of people, will also increase traffic and most likely making it less safe for neighbouring houses.  |
| It wouldn't and do NOT support my City Hall working to accommodate this. We are a small community whose access in the next few years is getting restricted and you want to push more traffic in here?  |
| Amazingly! I work nearby so it would be very convenient.   |
| It wouldn't  |
| It wouldn't!   |



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| It wouldn't.   |
| It wouldn't. It will simply allow what is currently a quiet area of town enjoyed by wildlife lovers and dog walkers to become a mess.    |
| No   |
| It won't   |
| Won't  |
| No benefit, quite the opposite   |
| Nothing positive about this proposal.  |
| It would not and should not be considered.   |
| Your questionnaire should be more general "Parks across Calgary" and not specific to communities. Poor structure                         |
| It would not but to each their own   |
| would not benefit me at all  |
| It would bit only 4 places to smoke stupid it will be legal and telling where to smoke   |
| None   |
| See above, no benefit.   |
| It wouldn't  |
| NOT in my neighborhood   |
| It would not, nor would it benifit any Calgarian, if people want to consume pot they can do so in there own homes or paid establishments |
| No   |
| It would not   |
| It is away from my house and would therefore have pot smokers congregate and create noxious fumes away form my residence                 |
| No   |
| Absolutely no benefit  |
| No benefits whatsoever.  |
| It wouldn't.   |
| No   |
| It wouldn't  |
| No   |
| Its too far away from most of the community and the park is a block away from a school   |
| no benefit   |
| Not in any way.  |
| Not at all   |
| No identifiable benefit.   |
| Not benefit  |
| It won't.  |



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| Totally against this. Tax payers money can be spent else where.   |
| NO benefit  |
| none  |
| It would not be of benefit as I would be unlikely to use this location  |
| A legal place to consume cannabis   |
| great location. I go there regularly already.   |
| NO BENEFIT AT ALL !!!   |
| No benefit  |
| I can discreetly drive away afterwards  |
| This area is in the SE of Calgary, the quadrant that I also live in, so may be convenient   |
| It would not. In fact, given its somewhat isolated location, I see nothing but an invitation to criminality.  |
| It won't  |
| No benefit. Just no objection   |
| It would not be of benefit to me.   |
| No.   |
| This is beneficial to me because it is not near my home. I don't want to have to be exposed to cannabis. Smoking /inhaling any smoking materials is not good for you. |
| It would not  |
| wouldnt be  |
| No, not at all!!!!  |
| It'd be fine.   |
| No benefit to me.   |
| No positive benefit.  |
| yes   |
| It may be a place to meet others  |
| It's too far away.  |
| No benefit to me.   |
| close to my home  |
| Inglewood is a great location for tourists (and locals who don't own their own property, I suppose), who won't be able to legally consume cannabis elsewhere.         |
| It wouldn't benefit me at all but it's a good trial space for public cannabis consumption.  |
| It will not benefit anyone who works or lives in Inglewood. Why would the city even consider this?  |
| It provides a space similar to a bar where people can come together and engage.   |
| No benefit at all. This is an area that already has issues with homeless camps and illegal drug users.. Seems like allowing this would only encourage more of that.   |
| It doesn't benefit anyone. Cannabis is harmful to all humanity even second or third-hand. No one should be exposed to it in   |



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| It won't  |
| Absolutely none   |
| Not benefits at all!  |
| No  |
| Too far away for me to go to. I'm not going to drive there and if I'm biking, I'm not going to stop there to use it.  |
| Not   |
| None. Residential housing across the street. Just down 9th ave a couple of blocks from an elementary school   |
| It would not.   |
| Its a great location  |
| It would not benefit me.  |
| not at all  |
| It wouldn't   |
| It is of no benefit to me. Many of the houses across the street have small children. This will negatively impact their health. It will ruin my property value.                                      |
| No benefit.   |
| This area not any benefit to me.  |
| No benefits   |
| It wouldn't   |
| It would not  |
| This would have no benefit  |
| I have young children, live 1/2 block from this location, and we go to the Wildlands, Bird Sanctuary and bike paths frequently. I don't find any benefit to me for the consumption area being here. |
| It would not.   |
| It would not.   |
| It would not.   |
| No benefit whatsoever   |
| No benefit of any kind, only potential outcomes are negative.   |
| No benefit whatsoever   |
| It would not.   |
| It is not a benefit. I do not believe there should be public consumption sites.   |
| It wouldn't provide any benefits. This is a ridiculous idea.  |
| No  |
| There is no benefit to me. If I lived in the area - I would be very angry with this proposal.   |
| No benefit.   |
| No  |



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| It will not   |
| It would not benefit me in anyway. Quite the opposite, I believe it will encourage drug dealing in the Parks. Please take the time to study what has happened in Colorado since legalization. |
| No benefit.   |
| We wont ve around thst area or consider buying s home there as we did twenty years ago  |
| I don't believe this location would benefit very many people at all!  |
| I do not agree with any green space being designated as a Pot Park.   |
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| it wouldn't it would be a cost/negative impact.   |
| No benefit to me, only downside in my opinion. No excuse to suggest 2 locations in Inglewood while he proposes none in Ramsay. But then again that's where his young child goes to school...  |
| Only more harm to our peaceful neighbourhood!   |
| It wouldn't. This whole program seems ridiculous to me. Whether you are for or agains the legalization this seems like a mis-use of tax- payer money.   |
| No benefit. I live in a house, so could safely and legally consume cannabis at home.  |
| This site would not benefit me  |
| This will not benefit me in any way.  |
| There is no benefit to me in any way.   |
| It wouldn't, None over the proposed areas do..  |
| It is miles and miles from my home and would be of no benefit to me.  |
| It wouldn't. Nor would it attract me. It feels very barren and scrappy.   |
| NO benefit AT ALL to me.  |
| It would be of no benefit to me, nor likely anyone else.  |
| None.   |
| Not at all!!  |
| This site is of benefit to no one.  |
| This is a really bad idea. No one will benefit from these parks, they will be unsafe for residents, especially kids and teenagers. Also unsafe for the pot smokers too!                       |
| I won't, it's too far away.   |
| This is an awful idea- why would you propose such a thing anywhere let alone a family oriented community?   |
| NO  |
| It wouldn't.  |
| No benefit to me.   |
| I do not plan on consuming cannabis.  |
| It wouldn't. I live in the neighborhood.  |
| See above.  |
| It won't  |



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| At this point, I don't see this site as either a benefit or detriment to me personally.  |
| Not. I am opposed to idea as I think it will attract stoned people and affect property values  |
| Absolutely no benefit, this area is en route to the Inglewood bird sanctuary.  |
| It wouldn't  |
| got proposed area feedback mixed up- wildlands parking lot so faulty in so many ways<br>carpark=driving cars=driving stoned=driving stoned passed CWS and Piitoyias School   |
| It is out of the way and wouldn't have a negative impact on me.  |
| If there has to be a site in Inglewood, these seems like the better option. Less centralized -<br>not right in the middle of all the foot traffic in Ramsey and Inglewood. No need for two!!<br>within walking distance for friends/family. Love that we can try these out. Way to go Calgary! |
| Please see my comments for Proposed Area #1  |
| Not at all !!!   |
| People should be consuming in their own homes. There should be bylaws in place to protect<br>people who don't want to put up with second hand smoke and smell. My neighbours already<br>smoke the crap and I have to put up with the skunk smell.  |
| None.  |
| not in any way   |
| No benefit.  |
| It will not, why would I drive to the wild lands parking lot passing a public school to smoke a<br>joint? there is no public transit serving the area within 800 meters.   |
| There would be no benefit  |
| I struggle to find any benefit to this site being a designated cannabis consumption site.  |
| I support public consumption areas as the bylaws restricting consumption to only private<br>property does not consider renters, condo bylaws etc   |
| It doesn't affect me. I support the use of public spaces for cannabis consumption versus the<br>alternative of people looking for areas and negatively affecting individuals who would<br>otherwise steer clear of cannabis.   |
| No apparent benefit but a good idea  |
| No consumption at all to be allowed  |
| It won't   |
| NOT AT ALL,<br>I thought it was an episode of This Is That it is so ridiculous and ill-conceived.  |
| IT Would not be of benefit to me.  |
| I don't consume cannabis but I support the end of prohibition and the rights of all Calgarians<br>and visitors to consume a legal substance if they chose to even if they do not own a home in<br>Calgary.   |
| No benefit.  |
| It wouldn't.   |
| This would not benefit me.   |
| Not a benefit to me.   |





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| Absolutely not. In fact, this proposed location is a detriment to both community residents and users alike. Increased traffic and drug use in the area will negatively impact community safety and the site is too remote to access on foot. The site choice makes absolutely no sense for anyone involved. |
| It is ridiculous to limit legal cannabis in public spaces. If people are not allowed to use it in a rental or condo, how can you expect citizens to travel to one of four parks? You want people driving stoned?  |
| Not   |
| also fine   |
| It would not.   |
| It would give me a safe place to go if cannabis usage is banned in my building  |
| It wouldn't. I applaud the city being proactive & appreciate the opportunity to comment. I have concerns & no solutions. I'm not in favour of public sites for safety & practicality concerns. One site per community- freq consumers thru out the day- practical? If not practical, is it a solution?      |
| It would not be a benefit to me in ANY way. In fact, it would be to my detriment, as a resident of the area. (Could the wording of this question be more neutral? It is odd to assume that these consumption areas are intrinsically beneficial.)   |
| It would not benefit me.  |
| Not at all.   |
| It will not.  |
| No benefit for regular residents.   |
| It would not be of any benefit to me.   |
| Provides a consumption space close to the beautiful river.  |
| It wouldn't.  |
| Would not benefit me at all.  |
| This consumption area would be of ZERO benefit to me.   |
| NO. And why would it "benefit" *anyone* in the neighbourhood? We're not allowed to smoke tobacco products in public places, so we do it in our backyards, or homes. Why should it be any different for weed?  |
| Less of a benefit than Area 1 if that is possible. I do not smoke or plan to in the future.   |
| it would not benefit me ...   |
| It certainly would not be of benefit to me.   |
| No  |
| In nothing  |
| Not   |
| In no way would this be of benefit.   |
| more people-would feel safer walking my dog.  |
| It wouldn't.  |



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| <p>No Benefit to residents &amp; questionable for businesses<br/>How does a having a pot park make for a great neighborhood?<br/>Are pot smokers really the desired role models we want for children &amp; young adults?<br/>How will a site be chosen if no community volunteers a space?<br/>Are there more suitable sites?</p> |
| <p>No, I have private property options available to me.</p>   |
| <p>It would not.</p>  |
| <p>It wouldn't</p>  |
| <p>It would not be of any benefit. I live too far away and wouldn't want to drive there, smoke up, then drive home. Nobody should be doing this.</p>  |
| <p>Zero benefit - was any thought or consideration given to Suncor's thoughts - aren't they the site owner? Why was the community not consulted? Why was the Wildlands Society not consulted?</p>   |
| <p>Not at all beneficial.. I already have people sleeping and smoking on my property, I don't believe the City of Calgary should get involved in this. Is it not against City bylaws to be drunk in public why allow people to be high in public</p>  |
| <p>None - hate it!!</p>   |
| <p>It would be a detriment. It would not benefit me. It angers me.</p>  |
| <p>No benefit to our neighbourhood</p>  |
| <p>It wouldn't. Inglewood has enough problems being close to the rampat [sic] drug abuse spilling over from East Village without this stupid idea going forward.</p>  |
| <p>It wouldn't!</p>   |
| <p>There is no benefit to our neighbourhood, and I think it's very sneaky that gave/the city gave the neighbourhood from August 23 - September 7 to voice our concerns.</p>   |
| <p>It wouldn't.</p>   |
| <p>There is no benefit to the neighbourhood. This is a family friendly neighbourhood and it's not being taken into consideration when the decision was made to propose this park.</p>   |
| <p>It only benefits potheads. It's taken years to clean up the neighbourhood &amp; stupid ideas like this will erase that progress &amp; drive down property values.</p>  |
| <p>This idea is no benefit to anyone but degenerate drug addicts despite the liberal's stupid idea to legalize. Really slimy to try and push this through.</p>  |
| <p>There is no benefit to my neighbourhood. Instead of leaving a park to be a public space for the neighbourhood to enjoy. The laws aren't clear and rather than engage the neighbourhood this idea is rushed with little to no research into if this is beneficial or how it will affect the neighbourhood.</p>                  |
| <p>There is no benefit at all.</p>  |
| <p>Not at all.</p>  |



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## Question 2: Are there any issues we should consider with this proposed location?

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| If anything screams out "reinforce stigma," it is putting a proposed cannabis use area in a parking lot.  |
| seems like a good place   |
| Make it citywide  |
| nope  |
| It's way too far from any populated area. I think the other location on 11th Ave is better.   |
| no  |
| Seating   |
| Should be more central/populated.   |
| This location is a bit isolated, isn't it? Far from prying eyes. While that sounds nice I would be more concerned about poor behaviour at this location, as well as safety .  |
| This location is near the end of a dead-end street, across the street from residential housing, near homeless encampments and of low visibility from the street. Not a welcoming or convenient location for users, and likely to cause negative impact on area. |
| no  |
| It's a really small area to fit 1/4 of the cannabis users in Calgary. Are you hoping that most users are home owners? If I can walk down the street and smoke a cigarette, then why can't I walk down the street and eat a cookie?                              |
| this parking area is used by staff at a dependant handicapped group home. they may have issues with it.   |
| It's not near temple  |
| There are people like myself who are allergic to smoke of any kind and will not be able to visit parks where public consumption of cannabis is allowed.   |
| Taxpayers should not have to pay for cleanup and stiff fines should be issued to those that do litter.  |
| See above   |
| Don't see any.  |
| No places in the NW or West   |
| This is a location frequented by families we should not be promoting cannabis use to children.  |
| It is not very accessible by transit and is located off of busy roads that aren't very pedestrian friendly - if the expectation is that people will consume intoxicants in this space, I think we should also expect (and try to mitigate) the risk of DUIs     |
| see comments for site 1   |
| Proxy to schools & Visibility, it's not a super visible area and it's away from anything public ( restaurants, bars, hotels, etc) and tucked in a residential area. There are already a little t of issues with camps, etc, it doesn't seem like the best fit.  |
| Just that there are no benches or seating and it's kinda dirty over there.  |
| The location is separated from other services and public places, making the area a site specifically for consumption and little else. People will travel to this and other designated areas purely to smoke cannabis, encouraging more dangerous consumption.   |



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| The Inglewood wild lands and bird sanctuary is frequented by many children including summer camps and city run family activities. This is too close to a family use area.   |
| Smoking of any kind should not be allowed in public spaces.   |
| Too close to Inglewood Bird Sanctuary.  |
| Lack of seating   |
| Second hand smoke that would occur in this green space would totally eliminate my use of this park  |
| Too close to Inglewood Bird Sanctuary. Area frequented by young families and children   |
| I don't understand this locations purpose/benefit. It's mostly surrounded by single family homes. People would be driving here to consume cannabis. There is a school just up the street and there are already many illegal encampments south of here |
| I certainly would feel uncomfortable entering the wildlands to walk with a cannabis consumption area. Talk about an unwelcome, undesirable designation.   |
| no  |
| Fire, garbage, unsuitable area. It should not be considered as its too isolated. Property values will be de-valued  |
| Parking. Access.  |
| Public consumption should not be allowed. If I can't get drunk in a park, why should people be allowed to get high?   |
| I like that there is parking nearby while still being isolated  |
| you cannot drink in public so why is it ok to get high in public  |
| Not that City Hall listens to th tax payers - but there should be NO - repeat - NO smoking cannabis in public - period.   |
| Close to residential area, public school, bike paths and bird sanctuary. limited access   |
| How in the world can you make it ok to use Cannabis here, but it still be illegal to use alcohol in the same location?!?!   |
| Ban smoking all together.   |
| Yes. The smell and smoke from marijuana is horrible and is going to make Calgary a less-attractive place to live.   |
| Why are you advocating the use of drugs in public places?   |
| It makes the site unusable to families and those who don't use this drug  |
| Lower property values and the skunk-like stench of pot. Hordes of undesirable people using harder drugs, trashing of the area, noise, increased traffic.  |
| People gathering to party and the smell of cannabis should not be a burden to the adjacent residents  |
| The city should not be designating public land for this purpose   |
| Same as above, a parking lot where people will drive to and from high putting us at risk on our roads and sidewalks??   |
| It is not necessary to have a proposed location.  |
| Concentrating consumption in one area feels discriminatory. I cannot discretely access my medicine when being forced into a recreational area.  |
| No need for public consumption places!  |



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| This is an area right by the bird sanctuary - does it seem like a good idea to subject the birds to pot smoke? You're not even supposed to use non-stick cookware around birds because of their fragile lungs but a pot park seems like a good idea? |
| Without 24/7 on-site monitoring, there is no feasible way of ensuring compliance or that users would respect limits, boundaries or rules in general.   |
| Are the buildings close by houses? Warehouses? Businesses?   |
| No   |
| Accessibility to general public.   |
| fire hazard, littering, noise complaints, crime  |
| I wouldn't want a bunch of pot smokers in my back yard   |
| Children and my health and safety  |
| There is no logic to this spot, it is nowhere near where the smokers hang out. Inglewood already has issues in the wild lands park with camps being set up there.  |
| Was council stoned when they decided to come up with these ideas?  |
| <b>DON'T CONSIDER THIS AREA OR ANY OTHER</b>   |
| Should be sold and consumed like alcohol either in the establishment or at home  |
| Ya why do we need a public space for smoking pot? Will the city be putting in wine and bear parks. Lets make everything accessible to young children, get em started early - I guess is the city's plan.   |
| Community look and feel  |
| The whole idea is crazy  |
| How will the city ensure that there will not be an increase in impaired driving in the area as a result of this site?  |
| I don't think this site should be considered.  |
| Why should non-consumers of cannabis be forced to avoid this area because public cannabis consumption is endorsed here?  |
| It is irresponsible to have public consumption of a drug, especially with secondhand smoke and no supervision.   |
| no ones gonna go these . if im lighting a joint jn a park and not hurting anyone im not gonna suddenly say dude we need tk be jn designated smoke area .   |
| It is near a pathway and the Inglewood bird sanctuary. This would prevent me from wanting to visit those locations.  |
| lack of eyes on the street, lack of surveillance by other uses, too isolated; who regulates the use and polices the site??   |
| Pot parks! Not a good idea   |
| Issue 1 - Additional litter that will be created by consumers Issue 2 - Who will ensure that no remnants from smoking a joint will be carelessly discarded?  |
| nope   |
| It's too remote. Who would use it, especially in winter? You can't drive yourself there and back again.  |



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| I don't think, it will be used? why would anyone go that far out of their way for smoking? the same people who self medicate might not even have a car (not the ones in my neighbourhood, ramsay).. or would choose to sit in their own vehicle, front steps    |
| Do not agree with the designation of crappy green spaces for this purpose at all.   |
| Its across from some very nice houses, this is a grass land area, are you prepared for grass fires  |
| The idea of providing designated outdoor Cannabis consumption sites is foolish and should be abandoned.   |
| This area already had all sorts of drug deals happening, many cars travelling far too fast for the neighbourhood. This area is full of single family homes meaning that people will need to drive over and then drive back after consuming. Doing drugs&driving |
| It's too close to a wildlife SANCTUARY where we are trying to provide a safe place for our wildlife. Children, families, pets & education groups will be at risk to the noxious 2nd hand smoke and the irresponsible disposable of roaches and paraphernalia.   |
| I think its very fat and so secluded that it may attract the wrong crowd. Business classy people that want to enjoy will not go there   |
| This is too fancy. Maybe you could clear out a spot for us at the dump or we could find a bridge to huddle under.   |
| This is very close to the parking lot for the bird sanctuary, which many families frequent with their young kids. Including my own. I vehemently disagree with a cannabis smoking area here, as much as I would an open alcohol area in the same location.      |
| Cannabis consumption should be treated the same as alcohol consumption and not be allowed in any public space.  |
| This is an area that has been plagued by homeless camps and vagrant behaviour. The community has worked diligently to ensure these spaces are family and user friendly. There is no logic in my mind as to why this would have been selected for this purpose   |
| Its residential. It's where camps have been found. It's no where near other businesses. Very strange place for this.  |
| No  |
| It's in the middle of nowhere. What's the use? Nobody is going to go out of their way to consume cannabis here.   |
| It is too close to homes. This is a dead end street and we have already too much errant traffic here. Besides this is far from any condos. Are people supposed to drive here, smoke weed and then drive away high??? That's "smart"!                            |
| Traveling from across the city to get there (not gonna happen)  |
| No issues   |
| Yes see all the above answers. This is yet another initiative that impacts negatively on our community.   |
| Too close to a family neighbourhood. Public consumption should be outlawed, equally as bad a cigarette consumption.   |
| The area is adjacent to the bird sanctuary which is frequented by families with kids and from where many kids and families walk towards Inglewood. Exposing minors to the smell, smoke or simply visual of smoking is undesirable and should be avoided         |
| This is stupid and offensive, do you permit drinking in public places?  |





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| This is next to the Inglewood bird sanctuary. Instead of a peaceful nature area it will be next to a concentration of drug users.   |
| Consumption and driving.  |
| Yes, distance to residents type of families and houses. Are there any studies done how long the smell prrsists and how far can it go? Some of the by rules coming arr useless not protecting kids and families.   |
| Yes put it in your own backyards. 12 mile coulee area? Or the Nose Hill area? or hey how about the airport area. Convenient for the 16M travellers, already built to support traffic, away from residents and schools and parks.                              |
| NO  |
| I swear you forget winter is a yearly event that you can't feel wrapped I'm warmth of taxpayers dollars. That you waste   |
| This isn't far from a school and it's right on a nature area. It's such a small area of town you're asking 1/4 of Pot smokers in Calgary to come to smoke in such a tiny area it's just asking for the area to turn to dirt!! It's a quiet area, leave it!    |
| Same as above   |
| This area being essentially hidden and out of the way will become a litter ground and vandalised because it won't be policed. It's a shame due to it being such a nice area. It's also a very short walk from a school.                                       |
| No  |
| Children, seniors   |
| Smoking in public around children and those with chronic diseases will negaticely effect the neighbourhood. You can't drink alcohol outside, why can you get high?  |
| City doesn't own this land, has owner given public consent for this use? Activity would be conflict with access by minors to the Wildlands gate at south edge of parking lot. Encampments pose security risk to   |
| If....we have to have it.....the same laws and rules as for Alcohol should apply.   |
| Do not allow  |
| Questionnaire should cover questions regarding across Calgary not just Inglewood  |
| Yes-it is 3 blocks from the elementary school I work at. The area is within our walking field trip area and we would be by there often. We also use the fields there for learning Blackfoot traditions with elders. Children walk past there to go to school! |
| once you allow this to take place in open area you are going to bring out more questions from people to allow other drugs in this area and combining a drug community in one area. so wrong   |
| No  |
| Yes, but not just at this location. Cannabis consumption should be subject to the same rules as alcohol and tobacco.  |
| This will affect users of the park, who often are there with their children, regardless one goes to a park to enjoy the smell of nature not dead skunks. I am sure that the proximity to residents will not be appreciated either.                            |
| It should not be allowed  |



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| Keep it far from my neighborhood   |
| here is a parking lot here which would imply people will drive, park, consume and drive away under the influence posing a danger to anyone on the road.  |
| Adjacent to most affluent part of Inglewood. Too close to Bird sanctuary. Too many animals and toddlers may use area.  |
| Cannabis should not be consumed in public areas  |
| None that I can think of   |
| This entire idea is ridiculous. No public spaces just like we don't have public alcohol parks.   |
| Right next to bike pathway and Bird Sanctuary and across the street from houses??? This is ridiculous! Please, we do not need public cannabis consumption.   |
| Potential fire hazard, danger to wildlands, wildlife sanctuary, railway property. Litter of roaches etc. Raunchy air quality for others yo breath as they access the wildlands park and sanctuary. People wander as they smoke, this is a natural area.        |
| Why are you allowing public consumption of the intoxicating substance Cannabis, but not alcohol?   |
| Lots of issues. It's a public area   |
| Yes, we already have issues with traffic speeding through the school zone and then the playground right after it. Add this site and driving under the influence its a problem waiting to happen. Would be better suited in a more active area with restaurants |
| Cannabis smoke spreads a long way from point of use and is extremely potent and an irritant to many. Any outdoor use is inappropriate.   |
| WHY near the Wildlands????????? This area is a protected area as habitat, and though the parking lot is proposed, you can bet people are going to wander in, potentially leaving garbage, butts and FIRE. How stupid a choice is this site?????????            |
| The park is quite large and very close to a school. It is also not very acessable to most people unless you drive, which would promote driving high.   |
| public impact, resources needed to 'police' complaints   |
| Consumption should be restricted to the user's private property, not on public property.   |
| No public consumption  |
| Too remote and not enough people traffic to self-regulate behaviours. Would require people to drive to the location, meaning higher likelihood of impaired driving FROM the site.  |
| Too close to the bird sanctuary - people could litter and ruin the sanctuary, again rail road track near by dangerous for intoxicated individuals- ruin the peace and beauty of the area - I would stop visiting the park lands                                |
| Same as above. The idea of designated sites is a bad one.  |
| Totally against this. Tax payers money can be spent else where.  |
| open areas would promote under the influence driving   |
| public cannabis consumption is a terrible idea, we do not allow public alcohol consumption, why would we allow this??  |
| Removed from commercial amenities, would require consumers to walk a long distance to commercial area to patronize local businesses  |
| No   |





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| Nope this location looks fantastic  |
| Why would the City use Parkland to aid in the consumption of a mind altering substance????<br>If this is approved, when we will we have City approved parkland sites to consume beer, wine or other alcohol.  |
| If consuming intoxicants in a public place is going to be allowed, alcohol consumption should also be allowed. Alcohol consumption has a smaller area of impact on non-users in the vicinity than marijuana smoke, which is far-travelling and obnoxious.       |
| Maybe extend it to the entire green space, where people will actually be smoking  |
| Not from my perspective   |
| yes - it's isolated (see the previous point), but it's also stupid to again corral people in areas so they can smoke in public. Again, let people smoke in public like they can with cigarettes.  |
| Have more throughout  |
| The proximity of the pathway means children would be witnessing the consumption a fair bit. Not that it'll turn them into consumers, just that I could see the location being uncomfortable for some parents. Otherwise it's not like that lot is used for much |
| I am a bike commuter. I would prefer not to smell more cannabis when I am enjoying the pathways in this area.   |
| It's not transit accessible and a far walk from any dispensary meaning a higher likelihood of people driving there and anyone who gets inebriated there will have to drive back through a school zone which is an unacceptable risk to the area's children.     |
| That it is a dumb idea should consider pot cafes maybe  |
| Children use the pathway and visit the wildlands all year long. The day cares in area would lose out on valuable off site excursions, licensing does not allow children to be around smoking and children walking would need to walk past that area ,not good!  |
| No  |
| I'd vote against all 4 locations. I don't think there is a need to provide outdoor space for marijuana consumption. I'd suggest waiting until we know more about the rollout before making these decisions.   |
| Think about the residents in this area. Their property values have a potential to decrease. General public does not want to be living next to an open consumption site. Plus It is right by recreational paths ways/summer camps. Not so healthy                |
| No, seems like a good place for it  |
| Holy moly, this is a sketchy area. It's completely inaccessible by transit, really close to the wildlands (fire concerns for sure) and also just so secluded. I don't live far from there but I wouldn't go there just to smoke with others. Weird area.        |
| Yes, can we please have more sites across the city?   |
| Yes. This is too close to the Wildlands Park. There are often illegal camps set up in Wildlands Park and this site may attract more. This is also right off a primary route for bicycle commuters, dog walkers, etc. Again, the pungent smell will be an issue. |
| none that i can think of  |
| Looks fine.   |
| Looks good but where are people supposed to sit? Will there be a seating area?  |



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| Yes, this will be a huge set back for Inglewood & Ramsay Schools, daycares, afterschools, and retailers   |
| Potential for it to become a breeding ground for illegal activities, such as other drug use and dealing.  |
| Children frequently are at the Wildlands and also use the adjacent path. This seems far too close to where children playing/using facilities  |
| Too close to residences   |
| No location is appropriate  |
| Too close to residences and yet secluded enough to encourage nuisance behaviour.  |
| Parks are for recreational purposes, not for alcohol, cannabis, etc. Our kids and teens are there to enjoy the outdoors not to watch people getting high or intoxicated.  |
| This is an area used by people walking their dogs. There has been an increase of emergencies pets consuming pot. How will this be safeguarded?  |
| It is far removed from any hotels, apartments or condos. Why make that a selection criteria for choosing a site and then select the Wildlands??   |
| Right near the Mustard seed ! Contribute to the poor why not make them worse - great  |
| The school 2 blocks away. The children that live across the street. People driving to this location as transit it not a priority here   |
| There are children living directly across the street from the site. They need to walk down 9 avenue past the site to get to school  |
| None  |
| I oppose Pot Parks.   |
| butts, fires, drugged out smokers, obnoxious people   |
| Yes. I don't think pot should be consumed in public areas! Currently smoking at an entrance to mall or on hospital grounds isn't enforced. If you want to consume pot do it at home!  |
| This is too close to houses with small children. children. There are also a lot of families that walk near this area.   |
| We don't allow alcohol or smoking cigarettes consumption parks. So why allow cannabis. Major liability issues as how does one get back home. Please have common sense and allow nothing. Keep a park a park for everyone to enjoy.                            |
| there should be no consumption sites  |
| There are too many residential kids live at this quiet place, people running, play, walk with dog around, also there is a bird sanctuary & nature centre beside here. So I don't consider to choose this location.  |
| High traffic School hour restrictions   |
| If you allow cannabis to be consumed at the space then allow people to consume alcohol as well. Make it a park for drinkers and smokers.  |
| A parking lot is not a place to encourage gathering - this is just a green space. Will encourage people to smoke in the adjacent woodlands, risk of fire. My children, ages 6 and 9 frequently play here, using the adjacent path and exploring the wildlands |
| Green space being used in a family unfriendly manner. People stinking up the air  |



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| <p>There are few renters and no condo/apartment units within 3 to 4 blocks of this location (which is the intended user-base). I would suggest instead going to the Pearce Estate Park, closer to many condos/townhome, bike paths, river pathway, etc</p>                           |
| <p>this is in the middle of no where, next to a parking lot. Seems to encourage driving to this destination and driving away. Who would WALK across the field to smoke? Lets be honest, they will just smoke as soon as they step on to the field. why bother?</p>                   |
| <p>The Inglewood Wildlands does not meet the "Not in an area where other site users must pass to access another part of the site (e.g. pathways or park entrance)" threshold.</p>  |
| <p>Per lease agreement with land owner, Inglewood Wildlands is clearly marked as follows: Park Closed 23:00-05:00 Hours. No Dogs, No Bicycles.</p>   |
| <p>There is no lighting at this location, which given the level of illegal encampment activity that has in no way been addressed by City of Calgary, and the remote location, poses a substantial safety hazard at this site</p>   |
| <p>Don't agree with legalizing pot</p>   |
| <p>Is this part of the Bend in the Bow park plan? I bet this wasn't in the public consultation. This is nowhere near hotels or any rental accommodations. Do you seriously expect people to drive here and then drive home under the influence?</p>                                  |
| <p>Do not agree with legalizing pot</p>  |
| <p>The Inglewood Wildlands is a former refinery site where the ground is so badly polluted that remediation continues to this day. The risk of a wildfire in this tinder dry location is not to be underestimated.</p>   |
| <p>How are users to get to and from the site? The site should be closer to a police station so it can be more easily monitored. Keep the site away from homes and other places with people. Depending on air currents people are going to have to smell this.</p>                    |
| <p>I don't agree with this as a site. We already have significant issues in the Wildlands with homeless people and camps. Providing Legal consumption site here when we can't seem to manage the petty crime and homeless issues is only going to compound this</p>                  |
| <p>By putting it next to a parking lot you are encouraging people to drive there and then drive away impaired. The only way out of this location is to drive thru a playground zone and by an elementary school. <b>YOU ARE INCREASING THE RISK OF IMPARED DRIVING.</b></p>          |
| <p>Alcohol cannot be consumed in a public park - why should cannabis? How will these sites be policed to ensure only cannabis is used? It has the potential to become a drug hang out for more insidious illegal drugs and criminals.</p>  |
| <p>Down the street from a elementary school, kids on the street. No apartment dwellers or hotels around, how are people going to get there? Drive?</p>   |
| <p>This is a very sill idea. Do you really think that is necessary?</p>  |
| <p>It's within easy walking distance to a school!!! Not to mention how many thousands of kids and families use Inglewood bird sanctuary! Have you considered the health risk to the birds your trying so hard to protect?</p>  |
| <p>Why is Inglewood even considering public areas for consumption of cannabis? Our community has only just managed to shake off the low life image with needle drop boxes in our parks. But [personal information removed] wants to maintain that image by encouraging drug use.</p> |
| <p>Please see comments below.</p>  |



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| <p>The horrible smell that blows around esp with outside area. Cant smell beer from afar! Area will again go downhill and attract vagrants. Have you not been to Seattle lately? Or Portland or Denver</p>   |
| <p>this is the parking lot to an extremely nature-sensitive area. the grass is often tinder dry and would only take one lit but or match to send the whole area up in flames. it is not near any transit and not practical to walk to from "condos" mentioned.</p>   |
| <p>Public intoxication. People can buy cannabis oils if they live in rentals, this doesn't limit anyone from using cannabis. We don't want to see alcohol used in public, so we shouldn't allow cannabis, a substance that causes intoxication.</p>  |
| <p>I do not understand why [personal information removed] would propose an area this close to single family homes, the Bird Sanctuary where there is summer camp programming and close to a nearby public elementary school. No benefit to the family oriented side of Inglewood. Pick a lot by SoBow if that's your intent.</p> |
| <p>This is a neighbourhood of a lot of children. We have enough troubles educating our children already. Please don't bring more bad things to us.</p>   |
| <p>Umm so many its hard to think where to start. Its a wildlands park, a nature preserve it's across from residential houses, unfair to put this where people may congregate and disrupt the residences. It is no where near any condos, the reason the City is stating these are required?</p>                                  |
| <p>It's across the street from residential homes, many with kids. There's no condos or apartments nearby, so people would need to travel there. Are we encouraging people to smoke up in front of kids and then drive home intoxicated? This is not an appropriate place for this.</p>   |
| <p>The close proximity to residents with children( impaired driving) , and that people walk their dogs in that area. There have already been problems with pets ingesting dropped forms of cannabis.</p>   |
| <p>Yes, how it will negatively affect the school children and residents who live in this area. We have had several issues over the years keeping this area of Inglewood safe from fentanyl users and squatter camps. This will decay our neighborhood and all the city's positive work on the inner city.</p>                    |
| <p>I am concerned with impaired driving coming from this location, it seems too far from public transit options.</p>   |
| <p>Cannabis consumption occurring here leaves only one route out, driving along the 9 ave bike path and through the playground and school zone. I doubt many people would walk to this location, it is not close to anything, including places to get snacks afterward.</p>  |
| <p>There are issues with all proposed locations..They makes absolutely no sense,, You want people to go to some random spot outside and stand there with a bunch of strangers and smoke.. I'm not looking for people to communicate with thanks.. I should be able to use a legal substance anywhere in Calgary</p>              |
| <p>We don't allow alcohol to be used outdoors all over. cannabis should be treated like alcohol. Used in designated indoor establishments &amp; your own home.</p>   |
| <p>Is this proposed location on private land owned by Suncor? Are there any fire hydrants in the area? If a fire got started in here it could dramatically affect the Wildlands and the Bird Sanctuary.</p>  |



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| <p>It feels very barren and scrappy. Honestly some of these locations feel like they're the scraps of options in the city and kind of a slap in the face to those who wish to consume publically and remain respectful.</p>  |
| <p>Doesn't make as much sense as the 11th Ave site. It's a quiet area off the beaten path, and through a playground zone past many residences. Not much multi-family rentals or apartments out that way that would benefit. More family activity, being near the parks and pathways. Also the fire hazard!</p>   |
| <p>Property values will decrease around this area. Have you even considered that? Are you setting our fair city up to be another Amsterdam? People openly injecting drugs, people intoxicated, people ONLY congregating there because they are DRUG ADDICTS.</p>   |
| <p>This idea strikes me as flat out crazy. It's far from transit and the shopping district. I can't imagine anyone wanting to go there, unless by bike in nice weather. Also, it's right in front of residences and likely to offend. I also don't want to see any open flame near dry grasslands in summer!</p> |
| <p>Per "DESIGNATED CANNABIS AREA<br/>4.2 (1) Council may by resolution designate areas located on City-owned public places in which cannabis may be smoked, vaped or consumed." City of Calgary does not own Inglewood Wildlands, the land is owned privately on lease to the city.</p>                          |
| <p>It is secluded and could lead to uncontrolled use of cannabis.</p>  |
| <p>Crime, Impaired Driving?</p>  |
| <p>It will invite fires and already prohibited bicycling and dog walking in the Wildlands. It is not close to any prohibited use multi-family units and is accessible only by a long walk , bicycle or car.</p>  |
| <p>Yes, I live in Alice Bissett Place, due to a car accident. Most of the people who live here suffer from mental illness or a brain injury. Pot parks and people with mental illness who take medication would be a terrible mix, and cause all kinds of problems. It will make our street unsafe.</p>          |
| <p>Yes, there are not enough spaces in the city. We should be focusing on identifying areas where we should NOT consumer cannabis, like schools and libraries, not the other way around. It would be more economical and efficient.</p>  |
| <p>Children! An elementary school, dry woodland grass which backs onto people's homes- we don't need a hugely increased fire hazard, increased traffic and with inebriated drivers, garbage and prosperity destruction ( it absolutely will happen), increased crime, and the wildlife it's designated for?!</p> |
| <p>This is FAR TOO CLOSE to residents and the bird sanctuary and the bike path and the school and and and NO NO NO</p>   |
| <p>We already have issues with encampments and people coming to camp, we don't need another spot for those to be. Those who walk dogs or enjoy the area would have to deal with the smells.</p>  |
| <p>Wildlands parking lot has had its share of drug deals, sex trade activities and suspicious gatherings of people and cars. And now you want to allow pot smoking. I'm astounded to say the least.</p>  |
| <p>Access. The nearest bus stop is blocks away. People will not want to walk and you definitely don't want them driving, consuming cannabis then driving home. Plus there is a whole lot of</p>  |





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| grass in that area that you easily catch fire from a stray spark... Especially if people cut across the Wildlands.   |
| I prefer the other Inglewood location. This spot is hidden, away from transit, only accessible by car (smoke and drive? I don't want to be a cyclist on that road then!) and already there are problems in the parks around it with illicit drug use.  |
| Traffic issues   |
| Same as area one but not as close to my home.  |
| How would the area be policed for vagrancy and potential cases of exposure in cold weather?  |
| The Inglewood Bird Sanctuary is a frequent destination for families why would you establish an cannabis consumption station, are you planning on setting up an area to drink beer and distribute snacks here as well?  |
| Large group of people, strong smell of weed, people under the influence driving to and from the location   |
| no eyes on street,<br>who manages?<br>Who regulates underage use?<br>What do CPS say?<br>WHO pays for maintenance and security ( cannabis is an intoxicant, not a cup of green tea)  |
| Is it too far removed from the main foot traffic area to be useful?  |
| Public transit is not easy to get to this location. To get there people will be driving, smoking dope and driving. This will just be a heat score for the cops. This is a bad location .   |
| increase in traffic to access the area. Smell drifting towards the bird sanctuary building... but really this is land under reclamation that smells so that point is mute!   |
| Please see my comments for Proposed Area #1  |
| This is a residential area where families with young children live. If you walk down the sidewalk any time of the day, you will see families and children all around. This is also near the Bird Sanctuary which has day programs for children. Please do not consider this location for pot smoking!! |
| So people will stop at a park, smoke up and then drive off, smart idea   |
| Smoking cannabis in public places should only be allowed where tobacco smoking is allowed - children definitely should not be subjected to smoking (it sends the completely wrong message after the long campaign to get them to not smoke) or to people half stoned.                                  |
| The residents living on 9th Avenue SE shouldn't be subjected to a public consumption stop across from their homes. House values will decline, crime will increase and children will be witness to more than just people smoking pot!!  |
| Many, location doesn't justify reason for having dedicated areas, is nit accessible, will promote impaired driving, is out of the way to be monitored by both the public and city. No condos in area, out of the, will attract the wrong element. Strongly opposed.                                    |
| No public transit within 800 meters so people will likely drive.   |
| Support for public consumption of cannabis isn't reflected in any other jurisdiction that has already moved to legalization. We need to learn from those ahead of us.  |



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| <p>This site is very secluded, and will be difficult to monitor. What will stop people from using the whole Wildlands as a cannabis site, not just the parking lot. There is one road in and out of the site, passing by an elementary school. Are we encouraging consumption and then driving? Druggie hangout</p> |
| <p>no</p>   |
| <p>no, not that I am aware. I support both prospective locations</p>  |
| <p>As an Inglewood resident I have no issues with this location.</p>  |
| <p>Do NOT allow any public space consumption</p>  |
| <p>It's two block away from an elementary school. A bad idea all around. Also there is a fire concern.</p>  |
| <p>parking lot, means driving, means driving while intoxicated. Isolated location. How is it regulated? How does it fit in with mandate of Wildlands Park and Bend in the Bow? Two schools that are on the only route to wildlands parking lot, school groups often there.</p>                                      |
| <p>I have doubts a person would walk that many blocks to have a smoke. There is no bus service to that area in Inglewood.</p>   |
| <p>Prevent access by minors.</p>  |
| <p>Cannabis consumption should not take place in public areas.</p>  |
| <p>When we allow one activity over another at certain areas, those areas then are taken over by said group.</p>   |
| <p>The parking lot would be unusable for anybody to into consumption of cannabis.</p>   |
| <p>Why would we encourage public cannabis consumption near private homes?</p>   |
| <p>Issue 1: Access. The site is remote and not high density housing - the very 'clients' this pilot is meant to accommodate. Will all users walk or will some drive to access the site? Access requires driving through a playground zone. How will the city monitor impaired drivers and protect our children</p>  |
| <p>Yes - do you really expect people to drive from all over Calgary to go to a park in the middle of the winter? And then drive stoned home? Do you think the community wants people from all over for this? It should be open like tobacco or alcohol and given the same rules.</p>                                |
| <p>none, seems ok</p>   |
| <p>Since this location is so far out of the way and in a sparsely populated neighbourhood, driving here is almost unavoidable. Does this not cause problems with people leaving the site? No trains, few buses nearby.</p>  |
| <p>Colonel Walker School frequently uses the Inglewood Wildlands as an outdoor learning space. Classes access the park on the NW corner, which is less than 200m from the school. This impacts our ability to use this area. There are also concerns about walking to the bird sanctuary (impaired driving).</p>    |
| <p>None, I think that space is under used and out of the way.</p>   |
| <p>Kids will see this, I don't think they should. There are homes within site of this area and kids in the neighbourhood. Safety- consumers may be approached by others to buy, borrow or take their supply of cannabis. I'm not in favour of this type of public consumption site.</p>                             |
| <p>This is a TERRIBLE location: It sits in a residential neighbourhood (kids). It sits next to a ecologically sensitive area (grassfires). It is relatively remote and encourages driving. The</p>  |



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| ONLY vehicle access to the site is through a playground area. There is already a local encampment issue.   |
| Smoke would harm walkers, runners, bike riders, babies in buggies and anyone in a place of many or even few smokers. It would provide drug dealers and youth wanting it to easily find a meet up place...  |
| I would question how potential cannabis users would access this location ie by car, by bike, as I do not believe it is likely that they would walk. I have concerns about individuals getting high and then operating a motor vehicle. This is in a residential area (families, dog walkers).                |
| It is remote and will encourage other undesirable activities, like illegal drug dealing. It will be taxing on CPS who already is understaffed with personnel and vehicles for patrolling.  |
| Why would anyone consider putting a group of drug users together to get high and be a problem for ordinary residents?  |
| This is directly across the street from homes. Children live in some of those homes. People using the wild lands have to pass by this area. Two nearby facilities: Colonel Walker School and the Inglewood Bird Sanctuary are frequented by children.  |
| No.  |
| It's a terrible location. It's close to the wildlands which is a park area the children from Colonel Walker school utilize for field trips on a regular basis. They should not have to walk past a park where people are using drugs. As well how will people get there, driving? It's very from everything. |
| It is not accessible by transit. Would promote driving and consuming marijuana. This poses a huge environmental risk to a protected area   |
| Should be confined in the same way alcohol consumption is. It should not be in the public area   |
| Yes! Migration patterns to birds habitat near the Bird Sanctuary beside the area. This area also promotes DRIVING while under the influence. Many visitors, school-aged children and tourists also walk straight past this area and will have ZERO benefit to the Bird Sanctuary and future funding.         |
| Yes, how about it now being encouraged to drive past a school in a stoned state. Increased garbage, butts and noise in an area that is for ANIMAL and flora preservation. How will you keep order there? Will there be times the gates are locked?   |
| It is very inconvenient for most people to get to. Potential impact to the wildlife at the Wildlands and Inglewood Bird Sanctuary. Fire hazard in a sensitive area. Is this land Suncor's? will they allow it? This area is out of the way. I am concerned about potential illegal activity.                 |
| other homes and families in the area -more traffic and how will this be monitored ?  |
| Ridiculous! This is an environmentally sensitive area (the wildlands themselves plus the nearby Inglewood Bird Sanctuary), across from residences, and far from public transit. There is also a primary school 2 blocks away with children frequenting the area.   |
| Fire   |
| Proximity to housing. Westerly winds. Bike path. My home is along 9th avenue between 21 and 22nd street. Winds are primarily from the West Southwest - which means the scent of smoke will be a huge issue. I have no problem with these proposals, but within 100 meters of housing is a ridiculous idea.   |





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| Yes, families, athletes and nature lovers use this area all the time.  |
| Too remote   |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Lack of communication with communities re approval of the idea of pot parks and selection of sites</li> <li>2. Health air pollution &amp; 2nd hand smoke affecting humans &amp; animals</li> <li>3. Safety</li> <li>4. Cost how much to build and maintain</li> <li>5. Parking &amp; Traffic</li> <li>6. Liability</li> <li>7. Effects on the Wildlands veg animals</li> </ol> |
| Parks, especially inner-city ones, are often used by families and seniors as a way to get outdoors when living in multi-family/condo environments - do we know the demographics who frequent this park?  |
| Concentrating users in a locations that isn't a place people would otherwise go to recreate or shop seems like it's inviting trouble. This location is very isolated. Why are we intentionally concentrating users? I disagree with the concept of consumption site.   |
| It's my understanding this location already has issues with homeless camps. Wouldn't this just further ghettoize this area?  |
| These designated pot smoking areas are a ridiculous idea!  |
| Isolated area - increased opportunity for crime and illicit activity. Close to a nature reserve, away from the public eye. People would likely have to drive there and be driving impaired from the site.  |
| More people coming to the area to light up... near the river where families, bikers, walkers want to enjoy the area â€¦. Public spaces have no place for pot consumption   |
| Do do it!!! GCC has approved stores then smoking areas encouraging too much high risk activity in the community encouraging intoxicated individuals to drive or roam the streets.  |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. This is unenforceable. Police do not arrest anyone publicly smoking. Why have a designated area?</li> <li>2. The area is across the street from my house and I have asthma. Already, I cannot go outside if my neighbors smoke cigarettes, but that is only occasionally. This designation will affect my health.</li> </ol>   |
| Having a public consumption area only impacts Calgary's youth in negative ways. This gives young kids easy access to something they don't need.  |
| Yes. People will be free to consume cannabis in their homes. Why should the rest of us be subjected to their bad habit? This is a slippery slope and will ruin the character of Inglewood.   |
| Why can't people smoke under their own roofs or in their yards? We do not need this and their [sic] are no benefits to having a designated cannabis consumption area.  |



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| There is negative impact on the property values in this neighbourhood. It took decades to gentrified [sic] this neighbourhood and it will be destroyed in a couple of months. This is a family neighbour hood.       |
| Why Inglewood? We are a family neighbourhood!  |
| Was it ever considered what the 'sober living' [sic] house and support senters [sic] that deal with people going through will be affected given this in the neighbourhood. Potential for crime to increase.          |
| Nobody here wants or needs this type of park. Combined with the moronic safe injection bus this area will be known as a [langauge removed], drug infested dung heap once again.                                      |
| Consider that the councillor for this ward will NEVER hold office again & will lose his lucrative and cushy job. Nobody wants this and it will ruin Inglewood.   |
| What is the cost to the neighbourhood? Rather than adding a pot park, why don't you increase the number of police in the neighbourhood so that I don't have to worry about being rob [sic] or my house being robbed. |
| This is a family area and we do not want an area for smoking weed. This is completely inapropriate [sic] and will drastically bring down our neighbourhood.  |
| Very small designated area.  |

## 1. Do you have any other questions or comments regarding the proposed location?

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| It is nice to have the option of walking around the bird sanctuary after consuming cannabis   |
| Make it bigger  |
| Again not a big benefit to cannabis users outside the neighborhood  |
| I feel like this location is a cursory second option and that the first option will go through regardless of public input. Maybe instead the city should look at selling edibles which are less of a public nuisance? |
| Great spot, great idea  |
| Will I need a wristband to get in? Is there enough seating for everyone? Will I be able to access this space 24/7 and if so have we considered citizen safety? There are sooo many flaws with this proposed plan.     |
| Are you doing this just to make people question if you even know what the hell you're even talking about?   |
| If it is used as designated will other activity follow that may disrupt the area and especially residential.  |



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| Just because it is legal why are we provided designated green space? The same isn't true for alcohol or cigarette users. Fine if it is legal designating space for its use is ridiculous.   |
| It would be nice if it was closer to spaces where more people actually spend time.  |
| The separation of cannabis sites will encourage reckless consumption and continue to promote negative public opinion of cannabis. This is especially dangerous for medicinal cannabis users, whose social standing will only depreciate despite their need. |
| Don't do it.  |
| Will the city be adding seating?  |
| If someone wants to smoke, find a place where others aren't affected by the cancer second hand smoke can cause. I will never be able to use this large green space if this location allows users to smoke here.   |
| Move further west?  |
| I hope this location is reconsidered and relocated into the more densely populated areas  |
| Again this idea seems like a joke.  |
| Unsuitable location   |
| nothing good will come from having an area where people congregate in public and get high   |
| I believe we need consumption sites and this would be a good location.  |
| Same comments as above  |
| I will not be frequenting any businesses in those neighborhoods now...  |
| Why here? why not closer to downtown. Central Memorial Park?  |
| This is hypocritical and irresponsible. Neither Alcohol or Cannabis should be permitted   |
| Don't do it.  |
| No public consumption sites.  |
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| Unlike alcohol consumption, smoke is not something that stays in a particular place. How can you designate any public space and not adversely affect non drug users   |
| 2 of 4 proposed places are in Inglewood - how come we're so lucky? SARCASM. Let's just restart the media spots about how smarmy our area is.  |
| People gathering to party and the smell of cannabis should not be a burden to the adjacent residents  |
| Why have a public site in the first place? If people choose to smoke or use marijuana they can do it at home  |
| Again I say, [bad data transfer] Let people smoke where they do [bad data transfer] and quit trying to regulate everything.   |
| We don't allow public consumption of alcohol. Don't need to provide public space for consumption of cannabis. Legalizing it is one thing, we don't need to encourage it. And certainly don't need to spend public funds or dedicate public spaces to it.    |
| Pot is not like alcohol - if I am drinking, it doesn't affect others, but if someone is smoking pot, the fumes drift and DO affect others. Unless these parks are going to have walls and a roof I don't think they are a good idea.                        |



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| The City should not be providing consumption sites. Our tax dollars should be spent on more in-need people and social problems like low-cost housing. Get your heads out of the cannabis haze.  |
| Noise? Smoker safety with vehicles? Transportation to and from? Parking?  |
| I don't think it is fair that all four proposed zones are in "trendy" locations, yet the mass public is unable to easily access them. Should I really have to take a bus/train for ONE HOUR just to do something LEGAL? I suggest rethinking this strategy  |
| you have to have the same for alcohol - you can't have this for one thing and not the other.  |
| Pot should be treated the same as alcohol, not to be consumed in public   |
| Smoke at home   |
| i like it   |
| This is near the bird sanctuary and a protected area! A dog park was not allowed but allow this??? There is families living near here, terrible idea!   |
| Why chose this site?  |
| How are eating edibles going to be illegal? Will police have power to search or harass anybody eating food in public?   |
| THIS IS IRRESPONSIBLE. THE AWFUL SMELL OF SMOKED MARIJUANA WILL NOT BE CONTAINED IN A PARK AND WILL DRIFT TO ALL AREAS AROUND. YOU HAVE NO CONTROL ON WIND DO YOU?  |
| Yes if you plan to open up smoking parks why not open parks to buplic drinking it's still a substance   |
| WHY should tax payers pay to have parks to encourage people to be stoned in public?? Is this what we really want??  |
| If you have to have them - this one is the dumbest. You're telling me people will leave their hotel & drive down here to smoke dope? How do they get back to the hotel?   |
| I do not support public consumption sites for Cannabis. I believe that consumption should be in private or in licensed establishments.  |
| I don't think we need public spaces for cannabis.   |
| I thought that cannabis consumption rules and designated areas had to mirror alcohol consumption rules and designated areas. Since public consumption of alcohol is not permitted in parks why is cannabis being permitted?                                 |
| Public consumption of alcohol should be used as a trial before public consumption of alcohol. This is the opposite of what I picture when I think of Calgary as a clean, safe, healthy, family friendly city.   |
| do a better job getting public feed back . this is a terrible attempt and even with rhis inout youll still [offensive language removed] it up . why not get overall community involvement from as many neighbourhoods in calgary who actually welxome pot . |
| I think the concept of permanently designated areas is a bad one, unless they are in an area where the public can safely and responsibly enjoy cannabis. For example a section of prince's island park.   |
| don't do it, i am opposed to this proposal.   |
| Bad idea  |



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| Calgary's Parks and Rec website which states, "Calgary's parks and pathways - yours to enjoy" will need to have a caveat stating, " .. yours to enjoy only if you are fine with exposing your children to "legalized" pot consumers and the subsequent issues. |
| Why isn't there more consumption sites??   |
| It is ridiculous to have cannabis legalized, but not have anywhere to consume it.  |
| why this one?  |
| Agree that we need legal consumption sites for all, but not random green spaces that impact neighbors with partying and people potentially driving under the influence after using them.   |
| How did you choose this location? Why do you think this is a good idea? If people can smoke weed in parks, why not drink beer? Absolutely terrible rationale on this!  |
| This is very nonsensical.  |
| What about the potential fire hazard?Who's responsible for drug intoxicated individuals and public disorder?Who will keep my kids, pets & home safe from wandering drug induced users. USE THE MUNICIPALPARK ON SOUTH SIDE OF CITY HALL FOR A CONSUMPTION SITE |
| Why are you so [offensive language removed] stupid.  |
| What type of monitoring or supervision is proposed in these areas?   |
| Why are all 4 sites in ward 9???   |
| Why are all the locations in ward 9? Spread them to other neighbourhoods! What about downtown? Belt line? Please do not congregate them primarily in Inglewood and other ward 9.   |
| Is it just going to be an open field?  |
| As I said I will fight this with all I got as I don't want anyone smoking weed near my kids. It's like 20 meters from my house!!!  |
| only three communities?  |
| Good location  |
| why here when 90% of Calgary's population doesn't live here. Why are proposed sites not even distributed based on population density. why has the city got it in for the Ramsay/Inglewood community?   |
| Get your head out of your butt [personal information removed]!   |
| Please find alternative locations; this is the only way to access the bird observatory, so it won't be possible to avoid passing by this proposed consumption site   |
| This is stupid and offensive, do you permit drinking in public places?   |
| Do not go forward with this proposal. Kids and school trips go to the bird sanctuary. The homeless camps along the river are already a problem and this proposal to place drug consumption site in the area will exacerbate the problem                        |
| What about the people who live near here? Second hand smoke and exposing youth under 25? As a Calgary citizen I don't want this liability.   |
| The smoking locations should be indoor outside of great neighborhoods, even better if outside of the city similar to some malls.   |
| We are trying to revitalize the community and the city keep throwing us [offensive language removed] projects to deal with. New trains, increased road traffic, reduced road access,   |



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| bridge re-routing, and yrs of constructions to live among. Cut us a break. Gian-Carlo do your job.  |
| Winter  |
| You are choosing a very quiet area of town enjoyed by nature lovers and frequented by all sorts of city wildlife to instead be littered, vandalised and then just left to be looked after by residents. Totally the wrong place! Have it where it can be police |
| Reasonable location   |
| The decisions were supposedly made on it not being close to a school or nature area- it's close to both of those things! Saying "by the wildlands" is clue enough that it's in a nature area. It will stop me, my family & neighbours being able to enjoy it.   |
| When are you legalizing alcohol consumption sites?! What have Colorado and Washington states done ?   |
| Has the Inglewood Wildlands steering committee been approached regarding this? No. Why not?? Why consistently propose options at conflict with community enhancement? You realize the site is closed to public access at night, right??                         |
| Nor acceptable.   |
| If you are going to allow this sort of thing, why not designated alcohol drinking areas? Parks are public and this restricts the use of others who may not want to have this sort of activity in a public place.  |
| Isn't there a law stating how far liquor stores or cannabis stores can be from schools? This is too close!  |
| if you are going to allow consumption of cannabis in this area will you consider allowing drinking as well then? I would hate to see people getting intoxicated in an open area as there would be no control as there is in a bar were people drink.            |
| 4 place to smoke stupid need more free range  |
| Why is Council making this so complicated?  |
| This is comparatively unsupervised and may encourage larger gatherings which could be problematic.  |
| I do not agree with the proposal  |
| When will silly hall host the first TOKE party with my tax dollars  |
| Again I need to ask, why are tax payer funded properties going to support the use of pot? this should be done in paid establishments with no exposure to the public or children that may be in the area.  |
| Cannabis should not be consumed in public areas   |
| This entire idea is ridiculous. No public spaces just like we don't have public alcohol parks.  |
| Our society does not need to see public cannabis consumption sites.   |
| What about MY rights as a birder and educator to breath fresh clean air while wandering this area teaching children how to care for nature? This is not the place for a cannabis consumption site. We teach our kids say NO to drugs, except in this spot?      |
| Why are you allowing public consumption of the intoxicating substance Cannabis, but not alcohol?  |
| Find another area. Like west of Balzac or a remote area   |





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| <p>Too close to tourists, family and others coming to enjoy the bird sanctuary and wildlands. The community school and school programs use the pathway next to the site for field trips.<br/>Already a parking lot with its own issues</p>                         |
| <p>Are there going to be set hours, or can people just wander in during the evening and night, and into the parkland, disturbing wild life that is nocturnal? Another example of human needs superceding wild life protection.</p>                                 |
| <p>How would this affect the wildlife from the bird sanctuary next door?</p>   |
| <p>again, you cannot sit on a bench and drink or smoke and condos/hotels you cannot smoke tobacco so it makes sense that you cannot consume cannabis</p>   |
| <p>Making cannabis consumption legal is a terrible idea.</p>   |
| <p>Beltline would seem to be the best place to pilot a site -- it has the density and with the amount of condo dwellers, I would imagine has the highest need? Inglewood has some condos, but it's mostly single-family, so not a high need for outdoor sites.</p> |
| <p>locations need to be further away from rail roads major roads, and public places</p>  |
| <p>How fast are calgarys bylaw officers? People are going to smoke wherever they please and just walk away from any officers trying to waste their time with this beauracracic Trainwreck of a consumption solution.</p>   |
| <p>Totally against this. Tax payers money can be spent else where.</p>   |
| <p>should be treated the same as alcohol in public areas</p>   |
| <p>public cannabis consumption is a terrible idea, we do not allow public alcohol consumption, why would we allow this??</p>   |
| <p>This would be fine as a secondary location, but would be unsuitable as the only location. It would give the (unpleasant) impression that consumers must be out of sight and removed from the community in this isolated end of the neighbourhood.</p>           |
| <p>More locations will be needed</p>   |
| <p>i love this location</p>  |
| <p>While not exactly in my community, I do frequent the area at times for various reasons and it is JUST PLAIN WRONG !!!!</p>  |
| <p>Activity on public land should not be allowed to infringe on enjoyment of the land or surrounding area - this is the basis for many bylaws.</p>   |
| <p>Again, don't be idiots. Nobody wants these. Follow Edmonton's lead.</p>   |
| <p>Is there public transit (buses) available to transport safely to that location?</p>   |
| <p>Why are you trying to control cannabis consumption? I see nothing but a plan to monetize consumption through punishment of use outside of designated areas through ticketing/policing.</p>  |
| <p>There should be locations throughout the city including cafes</p>   |
| <p>No, there should be some spaces for consumption until cafes or lounges become legal.</p>  |
| <p>The remoteness of this site also could lead to increase in other undesirable activities (which the other site would not experience due to higher traffic).</p>  |
| <p>I strongly disagree with any consumption sites. Further, consumption on private property should be subject to containment of smoke and odour on that property.</p>  |
| <p>Just a dumb idea for many reasons fights robbing party time...</p>  |



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| we really dont need these public consumption sites. look at allowing condos to allow smoking within a dedignated area on their sites.   |
| I think this is a very inappropriate location to even consider and should not be even open to discussion. It may a distance from the school and child care but the children utilize the wild lands and pathways right there. Children first!                    |
| No  |
| Please don't move forward with this site.   |
| I would not support any sites in ward 9. For the same reasons I have given.   |
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| What fire protections do you have? What if someone leaves the space and goes for a toke in the wildlands? How will you police this? I personally don't mind the smoking in the wildlands if it werent for the fire concerns for this lovely area.               |
| Many more are great.  |
| Can it be made into a grown-up playground?  |
| What are the hours of operation?  |
| Terrible idea, so disgusted that this is even being proposed and considered. I have always held the city counselors in high regard until this proposal was suggested. I am very dissappointed   |
| Why does there have to be public consumption areas at all? You can't drink alcohol in public, but it must be a licensed or private space.. Why not the same for pot?  |
| Do not approve  |
| Public consumption rules should be the same as alcohol.   |
| Keep illegal to consume cannabis in any form (smoking, vaping, or edibles) in public places.  |
| Why contribute to making this area more dangerous than it already is ?  |
| Maybe if some thought was put into this to keep it away from residences with children it might help. The idea of having people drive to this location past an elementary school is absolutely idiotic.  |
| There is no transit service to this area. Some people using the site will be walking past Colonel Walker school.  |
| Nope, its great!  |
| already many of our dog friendly parks are being whittled away, our golf courses are being built on.. how about making the golf course into dog parks, you could even do a fenced space for smokers, but not downwind of any reasonable recreational or work pl |
| No!   |
| What is the rationale for putting it here. This is the dumbest place. Take a portion of Pearce estates park by the fish hatchery instead.   |
| This is a private property issue and not a public property issue with a controlled substance. Even a campground you must stay and not leave your campsite if drinking alcohol.  |
| Random driving tests by police for intoxication   |
| Why two spots in inglewood? Not sure how the locations were selected. No spots in Kensington, bankview, mountroyal etc. Please do not proceed with this decision. We already have problems with undesirable behaviour in the neighbourhood.                     |





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| to relax and smedge of a parking lot is not a solution to hose that don't have their own yard- an embarrassing example of green space. The public space plan will only work if ALL of Calgary participates. Think of how many Will you install porta potties? |
| Why is ward 9 the only one with sites. [personal information removed] did not consult his employers ( residents of ward9)   |
| This is a family neighbourhood, with children frequenting within 10s of metres of this proposed location: not the best location.  |
| From the parking lot there entrance into the Inglewood Wildlands is via gate at the south edge of the parking lot, precisely where proposed activity is to take place. Currently there is hole ripped in fence to west side, this is not official entrance.   |
| It would be inappropriate to locate a cannibus consumption site with closure hours.   |
| Adding lighting would cause negative impact to adjacent Inglewood Bird Sanctuary.   |
| Why just pick on older established areas  |
| This is a terrible location for a terrible idea. Making a family park a legalized drug zone. Why not move this location to 60 New Street SE?  |
| Why pick older established areas only   |
| I am concerned with all public consumption sites that are not monitored like a beer garden. We need to keep the area clear of minors. How will they be policed and how often? How to users get to and from the sites? There is an issue of smell.             |
| Why do we need to provide public consumption sites just because Gian Carlo has made these suggestions. Other councillors aren't feeling a need to offer up green space in their community.  |
| This is the stupidist location you could have chosen. Put the park within 10 minute walking distance of a large concentration of apartment buildings so people can walk there.  |
| Not very well thought out location.   |
| Dumb idea. Live and let live.   |
| It should not be that close to a school or a family use area such as the bird sanctuary. Nor should it be in a park where you are trying to protect the health and safety of wildlife!  |
| Consumption of alcohol is prohibited in public areas as it is an intoxicant. Cannabis is also an intoxicant, why is consumption of Cannabis considered to be acceptable when alcohol is not?  |
| While I hold a neutral opinion about the legalization of marijuana, I am VEHEMENTLY opposed to the idea of a "pot park" anywhere in the city. Public consumption bylaws for marijuana should restrict its use to where tobacco AND alcohol are allowed.       |
| Is it indoors and vented? I smell pot on macleod from cars now. Western high kids are now greening out as they move to easy pot sales from buddies or classmates! They still drink  |
| Same comments as above. This program could promote a) stoned people hanging out near a residential neighbourhood or wandering around until they sober up enough to drive  |
| Should be temporary & time limited. Should be reviewed every 3 months. Should expire when edibles & cafes come to the market. Then there will be no need to smoke in public.  |
| Why two locations in Inglewood? Why not one in Ramsay? Why did no other Councillors step up? Inglewood is not high density so it doesn't make sense to propose it. How about Vic Park?  |



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| <p>This is a neighbourhood of a lot of children. We have enough troubles educating our children already. Please don't bring more bad things to us.</p>   |
| <p>The number of homeless camps and street persons who are in/ live in this area.</p>  |
| <p>If the point of this is to provide people who live in apartments and condos a place to smoke marijuana, shouldn't the designated place be closer to apartment and condo buildings? This seems like a strange place to put this.</p>   |
| <p>Please do not proceed with this pilot it is a very bad idea, and extremely poor use of tax dollars. It will be a huge set back to revitalization and creating a safe walking neighbourhood.</p>   |
| <p>What is the draw other than an open piece of grass? Wouldn't people be cold traveling out here to smoke in the middle of winter?</p>  |
| <p>Fire danger in a large grassy area is a concern, also when the near vicinity often has rail cars which have contained nasty chemicals. I also worry this will lead to illegal drug dealers and prostitution re-occurring in this dark out of the public eye location, like there was 15 years ago.</p>    |
| <p>Yes, Do you realize how big Calgary is?? You are proposing spots in 4 zones.. Do you really think people are going to travel all over the city to get to a permitted smoking zone? There is no way in hell, No one will be able to drive to these places because of the new BS cannabis driving laws.</p> |
| <p>You should contact Suncor regarding their views on having the proposed location so close to their property.<br/>[personal information removed]</p>  |
| <p>No there should be no public consumption allowed. Just like alcohol this should not be allowed publicly. I do not want my kids to see public consumption of pot or alcohol. Neither is acceptable publicly.</p>   |
| <p>I hope the city at least puts some effort into beautifying the space so that it's not just seen or felt as where the 'druggies' go to hang out.</p>   |
| <p>Who is the driving force behind this ludicrous plan? Who wants this to go through in this area? Why was this particular area chosen? Who is going to clean up the mess this creates for the entire neighborhood.<br/>Who will want to move their families INTO this neighbourhood?</p>                    |
| <p>Please put the kibosh on this one.</p>  |
| <p>The Inglewood wildlands does not satisfy the criteria for a cannabis consumption site.</p>  |
| <p>The city &amp; P.government need to stay out of the debate as they have no clue, as with the fed's!</p>   |
| <p>Why is [personal information removed] offering this to all Calgary's when he represents only 1/14 of the wards?! This is not a well thought out suggestion.</p>   |
| <p>Why would the city build a place like [personal information removed] for the mentally ill and brain injured and then turn around and try to put a "pot park" directly behind it. This location is a very bad choice. [personal information removed] Please reconsider</p>                                 |
| <p>This idea makes me so angry. I bought my place here to enjoy raising a child, not to be part of a beer district and pot smoker party zone. We don't allow people to drink in parks, why are we treating another mood altering drug any different? What is the motivation behind this project?</p>         |
| <p>NO NO NO</p>  |



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| Why can there not be a designated spot that has proper ventilation so the general public are not exposed? Like a smoking room(s) gathering area. Why subject children and others to this smell when trying to enjoy nature?  |
| How would this area be monitored?  |
| I understand that is 100m from private residences, but how close is it to the bird sanctuary... where kids go on tours all the time?   |
| This designated area is a parking lot. What are the implications for drugged driving?  |
| I am opposed   |
| No   |
| Smoke your weed, eat your brownies, drink your booze- in your home, the bar. Have a bar that allows weed use, where people are together, enjoying food being civilised. Why an isolated parking lot at the end of a road where people will sit in their cars getting stoned, idling their cars, then drive s       |
| Could his potentially become a haven for homeless people.  |
| Love that it is on land undergoing reclamation from fossil fuel contamination.   |
| Please see my comments for Proposed Area #1  |
| This location is surrounded by wildland with grass that could easily catch on fire. It could also be a place that people could easily congregate for parties with alcohol.   |
| Public consumption stops shouldn't even be considered in any residential location. My concern is the crime element that could potentially come to the community; Inglewood had to be cleaned up in the 90's and I don't want to go through that again.   |
| There is a lot of homeless people living in and around the wild land park area, will this give them a legal place to hang out?   |
| These spaces are all open to children - it is agreed that consumption should not be supported where underage have access or be visible to them.  |
| See above comments. This is a terrible choice as a consumption site. The dial a dopers will use this as a trafficking site for certain. Find a nice park that has great traffic flow and is easily monitored instead... like Olympic Plaza. The Wildlands and Bird Sanctuary are protected areas- a poor fit       |
| will this mean that we can expect to see a higher concentration of police in our neighbourhood?  |
| It is quite remote and should not be a disturbance to the community.   |
| NO NO NO to any consumption in public spaces   |
| Keep it in the household like alcohol.   |
| What were the criteria used to determine the Wildlands Parking lot?<br>Why is that these consumption sites would never be proposed for Mount Royal?<br>Who would get in their car, drove from Tuscany, to smoke weed in the Wildlands parking lot?<br>WHO does this even serve?<br>What about all the encampments? |
| How about Olympic Plaza. Good Transit access for users, and City Hall can keep an eye on the area to check if things get out of hand.  |



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| No.  |
| Can cannabis be kept illegal?  |
| Cannabis users have found ways to consume it for DECADES, just as users of alcohol, and now tobacco, have. Once you've designated areas for cannabis, the city will then be responsible for designating areas for alcohol and tobacco.   |
| Consumption of cannabis should be treated the same way as alcohol or cigarette smoke. No public consumption of cannabis.   |
| Issue 2: This is an ecologically sensitive area. The plan earmarks the paved parking lot as the designated smoking area. How can you guarantee pot smokers won't go for a leisurely stroll, drop their butts, and start a grass/wildfire. This site is ludicrous - what are you city people smoking? (ha ha) |
| This is just not a central location at all, and maybe that's the point however I'm sure local residents would be disappointed to see throngs of people flock (in cars) to the end of their quiet street to consume.  |
| There is one road to the Wildlands, which passes the school. What is the plan to ensure the safety of students as a result of cannabis consumption and increased traffic? Have you considered the proximity to Col. Walker and Piitoayis and the impact (safety, enrollment, access to natural areas) ?      |
| None I think its a fine location   |
| People walking to or around the park, parking there and driving past to the bird sanctuary, including kids, will see this. I don't think they should. Do I drive to this site in my car and drive home, after I'm not high?  |
| Why aren't other city neighbourhoods offering up their green spaces? Will there be resources to patrol and maintain it? How could it possibly benefit the area? This is an AWFUL proposed site and I'm shocked that our Councillor would unilaterally offer it up to the city's pot smokers. Appalling!      |
| Do not have public land and spaces set aside anywhere in Calgary for pot smokers. Pot smokers already toke up and haven't needed us to help them find a place. Just because it is legal, why would that change?  |
| This area is known for large stretches of natural grasses. Smoking should not be encouraged in this environment for risk of grass fires, particularly with proximity to the rail tracks where flammable materials are transported.   |
| No   |
| I think there should be other ideas that will benefit your constants that could use your attention.  |
| lets hope residents remember this dumb idea at our next election.  |
| How are you going to ensure that minors cannot access this area?   |
| Public consumption of cannabis should not be considered in Inglewood . Cannabis bars are a more appropriate option.  |
| Do not see why pot smoking should have special treatment. It should be governed the same way alcohol consumption is  |



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| Traffic down this dead-end street is already a nuisance, as vehicles do not adhere to the playground zone near Colonel walker school. This area would only promote additional traffic and put children at greater risk with increased, and potential under the influence, vehicles.                                 |
| Let them smoke in their damned backyards, like i have to do with a cigarette. Why do we have to have designated areas for pot, but not for tobacco use? Can i go have a cigarette there, or is that still banned in parks and public places?  |
| The wildlands already has issues with homeless camps and illegal activities. I am not sure setting up a cannabis consumption site will help. People will most likely drive to get to this site then consume and likely drive a vehicle under the influence.   |
| how will this be monitored ? Who will monitor this ?  |
| Citizens who live in this area (myself included) do not want our neighbourhood becoming a destination for cannabis consumption. This is a quiet, residential area. An appropriate site should be more central and in a commercial area.   |
| This location is a huge risk for kids.  |
| How about somewhere not adjacent to housing. It seems to me you're ignoring the people who have purchased land in these areas. Find some spots in Fish Creek park. Or at the airport. In Inglewood - Pierce Estate park.  |
| Often people parked there late at night, early in morning...some are definitely up to something sketchy   |
| It's ridiculous. Don't put it here  |
| Refer Question 2<br>1. Why were only 3 communities in Ward 9 chosen?<br>2. Why 2 sites in Inglewood & not 1?<br>3. What is the likelihood of the chosen sites being used even if the community rejects the proposal & no other community volunteers a site?<br>4. How many requests have there been for a pot park? |
| Alcohol is not allowed in any public park - why should cannabis?? While I feel that a designated area may have to be considered, I feel public parks are NOT the right location. And if so, who is monitoring these sites for adherence to bylaws and overall safety of everyone exposed/involved?                  |
| Let people smoke pot where people are allowed to smoke cigarettes   |
| Terrible idea, all of these sites... hasty suggestion, poorly planned, poorly timed and poorly communicated. Short window for public engagement that will likely mean nothing in the end. Council and the Ward 9 Councillor in particular disregards community input and treats opponents with disdain.             |
| Get rid of it   |
| Move it somewhere else outside of the community that our counsellor wants to densify. Or maybe move it to the end of his street at the off leash park so his family can be exposed to it first hand.  |
| This is beside the bird sanctuary and likely harmful to the birds. School children come to the area on field trips. The handibus is often in the parking lot for the brain-injured rehabilitation facility on 9th, and the handicapped have to breathe the smoke, too.  |



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| I have nothing against people consuming weed in their own home but it does not need to be in public.   |
| Pretty sneaky giving minimal time for input. This is a truly stupid idea and if it goes ahead we will make sure our councillor loses his cushy job.  |
| Why does this need to take place in a public environment / space. The needs of a small number of people seem to be overshadowing the needs of the majority. The park/public space will change the landscape and what make [sic] Inglewood special.   |
| No research was provided as other countries and neighbourhood benefits having these types of parks in the neighbourhoods. [Very] disrespectful that the neighbourhood was not engaged in this proposal. Very little public notice was provided.  |
| No other ward in this city volunteered for this stupid idea because the councillors know that they'll never hold public office again. If this proceeds it will ruin the neighbourhood & will be remembered as the beginning of a very bad time. (hate the leading questions BTW)   |
| Don't throw away decades of progress in Inglewood! There are already enough degenerates [...] here causing trouble without attracting more from around the city. Pull your heads out of your collective [language removed]. Not enough notice / leading questions  |
| What research was provided to be reviewed? Very little public notice was provided? What is the rush? It took years to clean up Inglewood, and I am concerned what's going to happen to the neighbourhood. Inglewood is already dealing with drug issues from East Village. My concern is where does this end, are we going to have heroin [sic] parks in my neighbourhood next? Pot has been indicated as a potential gateway drug for people of addiction. Where is the support for them? No other councillor provided support for this. Re-evaluating this councillor and their decision making capabilities. No public notice was provided to the residence [sic], only park signage. Never new disloyal, and shows a complete lack of respect for the neighbourhood. The essence of the neighbourhood will be lost. Good to know that the interests of the neighbourhood and potential development are being ignored. Social economical interests are being ignored. Minimal notice provided. The first question is very leading and shows how little respect the City of Calgary has for the interests of others. |
| You can't go have a beer or a glass of wine out in public why can you smoke weed in front of our children.   |
| Alcohol designation areas?   |

**Question 3: Do you have any other questions or comments regarding the proposed location?**

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| How will the risk of fire be dealt with? What does the plan include in terms of setup beyond a bench and a garbage? Will the ground of the area be gravel or concrete |
| We don't need public spaces for cannabis.   |





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| Why are we supporting increasing air pollution through public consumption of Cannabis?  |
| Why is this allowed but alcohol is not?   |
| To close to general public and shopping areas.  |
| Councillor [personal information removed] we expect you to represent us at the City level. How could you end up with the 4 proposed sites in your ward. Simply ridiculous. Be FAIR and spread the sites in 4 equal quadrants of the City.                       |
| I don't think we should do this. People should consume these products at home, not driving to a park. Putting people at risk.   |
| This area, and the area across from it, had been reviewed as a possible soccer field location. This would be a much better use of this area.  |
| why Ogden? industrial area, and beside a bottle depot. area is already seedy enough. make it somewhere further south.   |
| Nil   |
| These proposals are absolutely ridiculous. Do you really think that a person is going to get on a bus, ride across town stand in a field and get high. You people are clearly already higher than any of us. Ridiculous. Absolutely ridiculous.                 |
| How will these people get there? Driving and then driving home? Ogden road has a lot of cut thru traffic now they will be under the influence???  |
| I am strongly opposed. Especially with that area being largely renter dominant, I don't want to drive by teenagers smoking in various forms with my kids everyday. It's a very high traffic road as well.   |
| This is not something that would benefit the people of this community   |
| How was this site chosen. It seems like a some what random area to me.  |
| Smoking weed has been done in basements and the corner of parks for years. This doesn't provide positive change for the community. Make a large area, a park maybe, where people can smoke and be social.   |
| How will you prevent underage youth from getting into these open locations?   |
| Why not other areas closer to downtown and not an area that is try to turn around ?   |
| Why so little spaces ? There are more than 3 communities that have cannabis consumers   |
| I think it's all absurd, really. But there is nothing I can do about this decision. I'm one person. But, let's try and protect our children from being exposed! I can see this how situation going south quickly for children with parents smoking, with access |
| Please don't waste ant more time or money on this project   |
| Shelters ?  |
| I'm sure it's the smell that puts people off the most, how about open up public consumption to vaping and edibles only. Modern form of consumption along with modernized legalization laws  |
| More sites would be a good idea   |
| Just in general it seems like there should be more locations to encourage people walking to these spots instead of driving.   |
| Legal liability is something he citizens of Calgary are not interested in. Second hand smoke and exposing youth under 25 to it? No thanks!!   |





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| The city requires a more detailed organized program to deal with the effects of cannabis approval.   |
| How about other areas in the City, not just SE and NE  |
| this seems like the best of the options being proposed   |
| I propose that the city designates [personal information removed] back yard as a consumption site since he is the only one who desires these sites. So much for his "Great Neighbourhoods" platform!   |
| Why only the three neighbourhoods there are over 1 million people in this city.  |
| Reasonable location  |
| Please leave it inside Bars, like alcohol  |
| This idea should be squashed for all public areas as what is done for alcohol.   |
| if drinking is allowed in bars and home then maybe consider cannabis to be allowed on the exterior of the bars as then we know there are no children to be influenced and then it would be a choice for adults to go in or not.                            |
| If these locations have been designed for tourists and people living in apartments I suggest you put them downtown where tourists and many apartment dwellers would actually be. This seems like an out of the way spot near a lower income neighbourhood. |
| Cannabis should not be allowed to be consumed in public areas  |
| If the city of calgary permits the use of public consumption sites, are the considering the risks that this may bring more explicit drug use into these communities posing a threat to residences.   |
| This entire idea is ridiculous. No public spaces just like we don't have public alcohol parks.   |
| Why can't marijuana be consumed in areas that are the same as alcohol and cigarettes?  |
| Please stop this!  |
| Public consumption of cannabis in any neighbourhood will cause problems to addicts as well as the residents of the neighbourhood.  |
| Was this space going to be used for a kids lacrosse club? Maybe not ideal bedfellows, and a real shame if this kind of "healthy" sports project gets left by the wayside as a result of further degeneration of the area.                                  |
| The City should not be wasting Tax Payers Money on this Give your heads a shake.   |
| if you are treating it the same as alcohol and tobacco then do that, no special benches, there are valid reasons you cannot smoke tobacco or consume marijuana in shared places such as condos and hotels  |
| Odgen is a lower income area already challenged in many ways. Mount Royal would not be considered and Calgarian's living across the City deserve the same levels of respect, care and services.  |
| Legalization of cannabis consumption is a bad idea to start with.  |
| confining it to only 3 locations, and I find the choice of the three to be concerning, is unfair to those communities. either public places be designated in ALL communities or none and comply with the rules and laws that apply to liquor.              |



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| <p>Just to reiterate same as alcohol not in public places. This proposed place is frequented by many pedestrians including youths as a walk through area. There is a well worn path and has been that way for many years.</p>  |
| <p>Again, why do this in ANY area? We don't provide parks for people to drink alcohol in, it's the same idea....dumb!</p>  |
| <p>should be treated the same as public consumption of alcohol</p>   |
| <p>It is a joke to think that only cannabis will be the only type of drug consumed at these "consumption sites:. How will you have the manpower to police these sites?</p>   |
| <p>Cannabis legalization is terrible and this is just worsening the issues that will unfold.</p>   |
| <p>Bridgeland and Inglewood and further along in their re-vamp. Ogden is just starting and still have a bad reputation. I would hold off on Ogden for something like this for a few more years.</p>  |
| <p>Liquor laws have licensed bars and restaurants to consume and to ensure people do not overindulge. Implement licensed smoking lounges where people can go and not expose anyone that doesn't want to be exposed to the effects of a narcotic drug.</p>              |
| <p>Alcohol is not allowed to be consumed in public, outdoors, except for some festivals/Stampede. People should smoke cannabis in their own backyards/property. VERY much against this idea!!</p>  |
| <p>Add a 7-Eleven nearby for munchies</p>  |
| <p>Why was this location choosen. It appears previous enegement was not listen to as this space would not have been choosen</p>  |
| <p>Why is [personal information removed] allowed to once again force his wishes upon the HUGE majority of Calgarians who are non pot smokers ?</p>   |
| <p>There should be more</p>  |
| <p>There are a dozen parks in this area and many more across the city that need playground, picnic and other family facilities installed or improved before this idea is implemented</p>   |
| <p>I'd just want to ensure it doesn't turn into a night time hub where it's uninviting for casual cannabis users. You know, the Hollywoodified inner city slum with burn barrels and other congregating for less than honourable purposes. I have faith it won't</p>   |
| <p>Will the area be fenced off? Will you need ID to provr youre over age?</p>  |
| <p>Please reconsider public consumption and look into using the same laws as cigarettes. This will have the least effect on home values, wont require people feeling unsafe by going to designated sites.</p>  |
| <p>it wouldn't. I need a consumption point but all of the proposed are too far. Am I expected to drive to and from intoxicated? because I highly disagree with driving under the influence</p>   |
| <p>I strongly disagree with any consumption sites. Further, consumption on private property should be subject to containment of smoke and odour on that property.</p>  |
| <p>Everybody smokes weed at home or just when out and about. This isnt heroin where you need safe injection sites. People arent gonna drive all the way there just to smoke their weed. They smoke their weed all day. If anything a weed bar might be interesting</p> |
| <p>Residential areas adjacent may lose resale value with a designated marijuana consumption site adjacent. Also the potential to bring a "rougher crowd" to the area is a concern.</p>   |
| <p>This site is proposed to be a community recreation site for the soccer/lacrosse leagues. These folks have been working with the city for a couple of years and are just working on funding . Also this location is located to a major safety hazard GL CP rai</p>   |



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| I would hate to live in any areas in Calgary that have these pot smoking sites. If cigarette smoking is deemed harmful, why isn't marihuana smoking reported as harmful too. Politicians should do their research on what has happened in Colorado. |
| Why the three areas? Bridgeland, Inglewood and Ogden???? Why arent you targeting other areas???   |
| Please provide appropriate lighting to ensure safety and proper access to cross Ogden to take the bus south (or come from the north)  |
| Glad it's not in my neighborhood!!  |
| Back to the drawing board. Rethink locations.....   |
| Addicts are dangerous to the the normal people  |
| Should be zero public consumption locations   |
| This extremely blank slate of land needs help. Not at all an attractive location for public cannabis consumption. Add some trees, shrubs and the proposed general equipment to make it actually useful.   |
| I think city council can do way better coming up with a solution for where to smoke pot. It seems to say you are second class loser citizen's and you do not deserve anything better than piece of undeveloped land.                                |
| This idea will generate another cost/tax burden with no positive effect or benefit.   |
| Not in support of the idea.   |
| Keep illegal to consume cannabis in any form (smoking, vaping, or edibles) in public places.  |
| Yes it's not a good idea scrap it. How us it going to be policed and making sure no illegal activities going on.  |
| This is nuts. A stupid idea!  |
| Why is this needed. Smoking is almost impossible in public anymore. Drinking in public and public intoxication is illegal. So why the hell should we as a society promote someone smoking pot and becoming stoned in public?                        |
| Don't use this space for this proposal  |
| We do not have public alcohol consumption sites so why start with cannabis? I think this idea of public cannabis consumptions sites is ludicrous.   |
| Will it be monitored and/or maintained? Will there be lighting for safety?  |
| Cancel this.  |
| This is a private property issue and not a public property issue. Please do not pander to a minority.   |
| Why was this location chosen as an option?  |
| Why are the purposed sites only in ward 9? For years we have been trying to shake off a negitive imagine that this is not a positive step in the right direction even if it will become legal. I do not support this prosal.                        |
| This goes for all thee proposed locations and any other public site offering- why? Do we offer alcohol consumption parks? Geez get real. It's legal, smoke it at home!  |
| Big area and next to a hotel. Tourists can use here.  |



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| <p>This is a terrible idea, driving to a park to get stoned, then drive back home? Seriously which idiot thought of this imbacilic idea? This is a terrible idea, for any park, anywhere. I will sue the city if I get hurt from a person coming from this park!</p>   |
| <p>Maybe consider a safe injection site with the cannabis lounge as it would provide that extra harm reduction factor and public safety.</p>   |
| <p>While I hold a neutral opinion about the legalization of marijuana, I am VEHEMENTLY opposed to the idea of a "pot park" anywhere in the city. Public consumption bylaws for marijuana should restrict its use to where tobacco AND alcohol are allowed.</p>   |
| <p>all the proposed sites area joke</p>  |
| <p>It will get used. Rather remote though. A second location may be required. Closer to Boardwalk apartments but then families live there &amp; there are playgrounds. What about near Ogden Road &amp; Milican Road, by the CN Raul bridge?</p>   |
| <p>Let people smoke as same as cigarettes locations to smoke idiots.</p>   |
| <p>I hope council will reconider where people can smoke marajuana and move towards and utilize the by law of where you can smoke cigarettes and make it the same as with smoking marijuana.</p>  |
| <p>Who was the idiot who proposed this area?</p>   |
| <p>Stupid laws are stupid laws.</p>  |
| <p>I support these sites, as I support the legalization of cannabis.</p>   |
| <p>Since there are sites proposed in only one ward, most will have to drive there. The fact that people will have to drive home after consuming cannabis, it is very concerning that these people will be on our roads and in many cases, driving past homes and schools.</p>  |
| <p>I think this is a [offensive language removed] stupid idea. Bare field in the middle of nowhere. The field is full of gopher holes &amp; uneven ground. Terrible for people with mobility issues. So you [offensive language removed] want us to drive there, get high &amp; then wait there for a few hours before we drive home. WTF are you [offensive language removed] smokin?</p> |
| <p>Whose half-baked idea is this? Will you also provide outdoor parks for the consumption of alcohol? Open some weed bars, it's the obvious solution, this has got to be one of the silliest ideas I've ever heard of.</p>   |
| <p>No, keep marijuana use in the confines of that individuals home. I don't want their decisions forced on me. This is similar to asking for designated public parks to be for drinking. Silly.</p>  |
| <p>If pot smokers can consume in open areas, will these same areas be allowing consumption of beer, without having to get a permit? Equal and just consideration for others must be weighed, I don't smoke or drink beer, so can I now drink my scotch in these areas without being prosecuted</p>   |
| <p>There should be zero consumption sites in this city. Let them smoke their crap in their own home and that's it. The rest of the city doesn't want to smell that crap, it will make me avoid that area even more than I do already. Hey lets throw some money at it too to revitalize the area! Bad idea!!!</p>  |
| <p>Completely against it.</p>  |
| <p>Who is going to be responsible for keeping area clean? Thought this was designate for LRT. Who is going to monitor for illegal activity? Our police are already overworked. What about my rights as someone who hates the smell or gets nausea at the smell?</p>  |



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| This will not stop people from smoking it in Public. As they already do   |
| Great move by the City.   |
| nasty locations. why not pick the land for the park-like atmosphere (sarcasm)   |
| No there should be no public consumption allowed. Just like alcohol this should not be allowed publicly. I do not want my kids to see public consumption of pot or alcohol. Neither is acceptable publicly.   |
| Why are you making ANY proposals for ANY public location to be used for people to become PUBLICLY intoxicated? What is the benefit to the City of Calgary for this proposal? NOTHING positive has been indicated yet!!  |
| Why is cannabis being regarded as an illegal substance still regardless of the fact that is becoming legal?   |
| Everyone is entitled to smoke free environment. Smoke knows no boundaries. Smoke â€œinâ€• your home. If you are not home and not taking public transit, odds are you are driving.   |
| I hope they really reconsider make any consumption sites the idea is a terrible and not beneficial to the community. Will home owners be given tax breaks as it drives the property values down.  |
| The city needs to get thier heads out the proverbial A** on this file!!   |
| It's a waste of tax money   |
| We will ALWAYS continue to use where we please and will continue to purchase where affordable and NOT the bunk government garbage!<br>Theres also a playground just north of the so called smoking area in Ogden that will easily have smoke blowing to it when wind is blowing from south, but the industrial  |
| You need more   |
| Put it in one if your new communitys not all the old communities u alway propose these things in older communities like they have nothing else to compeate with give this area something good - why disnt we get the lacrosse centre or the something more child friendly                                       |
| Who is going to regulate behavior? Who is going to make sure people don't drive away from these sites completely impaired? The proposed one for Ogden is very, very close to residential. Who is going to keep our people safe? People in this neighborhood are bad enough for running stop signs ahead         |
| Yes - the site is designated for the development of an indoor recreation facility [lacrosse] which is currently in the planning stages. Will a cannibus consumption designation block the development of the lacrosse facility. Also the escarpment is used as a toboggan hill.                                 |
| No location is necessary, this is a waste of council's time   |
| Bad idea overall why do people need a designated space to smoke pot in public. they should use in their own homes. You can not walk around with alcohol in public so why pot. How are you going to keep children and teens out of the area?<br>Garbage left around  |
| personal information removed]promotes Great Communities and community consultation - how did he get away with giving away Ogden space without community consultation. Simply unacceptable. Need to retract his offer of giving up our community as guinea pigs. No need as cannabis lounges are soon to appear. |



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| There should be no public consumption areas for cannabis.  |
| Be patient. Cannabis bars will happen if it proves to be lucrative. Let the entrepreneurs provide solutions to this supposed problem. It should not be the city's responsibility.  |
| This process is completely flawed. There are no citizens who are going to think it is a good idea to send all of the citizens to four parks to smoke a legal substance. Please advocate with the provincial government to change the rules. This is not enforceable. Treat it like alcohol or tobacco.     |
| Rethink this idiocy.   |
| Why is this an option. The proposed area(s) should be centrally located or near the river for easy consumption.  |
| None, I support this location  |
| How are you going to regulate the use to people?   |
| Is anybody welcome to enter the park?  |
| "Green space" appears to be a shipping container storage lot.  |
| I do not think a public cannabis consumption site is good idea anywhere in the city. There are liabilities that I am not sure the city should or wants to take on.   |
| As per above, the thought of condoning public consumption of a legal, but noxious substance is abhorrent! I get headaches from the slightest whiff of pot. I'm very concerned about it becoming legal and if might mean I have to sell my house if neighbours smoke...never mind encouraging mass smoking! |
| Why have these designated areas? Stupid idea! I doubt people will use them. Just let pot smokers smoke wherever cigarette smokers are allowed to light up.   |
| This is a poor working class neighbourhood. People are going to smoke pot, and can't afford to feed their kids. Have to use food bank. We have to get rid of [personal information removed]. He's a [language removed].  |
| Why not have drinking so we can have one big party?  |