

HNS Survey #2

From the menu below, please indicate the importance of the following options as ways the City can improve and enhance existing public spaces.							
	Very unimportant	Unimportant	Important	Very important	Don't know/no opinion	Rating Average	Res C
Increase the amount and/or quality of landscaping	2.7% (5)	4.9% (9)	50.8% (94)	40.5% (75)	1.1% (2)	3.31	
Widen sidewalks	2.2% (4)	25.5% (47)	43.5% (80)	25.0% (46)	3.8% (7)	2.95	
Add additional benches and seating	3.2% (6)	15.1% (28)	45.4% (84)	34.6% (64)	1.6% (3)	3.13	
Remove existing benches and seating	47.5% (84)	33.9% (60)	1.7% (3)	2.8% (5)	14.1% (25)	1.53	
Encourage installment of public art	7.1% (13)	19.0% (35)	44.6% (82)	22.3% (41)	7.1% (13)	2.88	
Provide additional bus shelters	3.8% (7)	18.4% (34)	47.6% (88)	23.2% (43)	7.0% (13)	2.97	
Remove existing bus shelters	48.3% (83)	29.7% (51)	3.5% (6)	1.2% (2)	17.4% (30)	1.49	
Other (please specify)							
answered question							
skipped question							

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1	create more smaller green space that can be enjoyed throughout the city	Feb 4, 2010 3:33 PM
2	Benches are nice in parks, but become an issue for homeless loitering	Feb 4, 2010 5:11 PM
3	public art would be vandalized	Feb 4, 2010 7:27 PM
4	Less pavement, more green. Foot access paramount.	Feb 4, 2010 10:01 PM
5	More trees! More budget for urban forestry.	Feb 5, 2010 4:43 AM
6	Provide access to the waterfront from Bayview Ave	Feb 6, 2010 4:09 AM
7	MORE TREES and gardens	Feb 6, 2010 2:04 PM

Other (please specify)		
8	I think art work would help. however make sure it is at the Toronto st/ Dunlop area also. not just the other end. However before one can stop and enjoy art and deigns one need to feel safe to stop, The lack of attention and low standards for multiply dweeling units all runned down could inhibit anyone to risk their lives to stop and view the art. it would be an amazing place to build low density townhomes that kkep the heritage look walking up from lakeshore on Toronto. I can picture how lovely and inviting it would be to go up Toronto to Dunlop and shop.....	Feb 7, 2010 12:51 PM
9	unfortunately enhancing public areas only provides a venue for vandals in a high density area.	Feb 8, 2010 11:14 AM
10	change bus lines to be more efficient and run along major roads	Feb 11, 2010 1:10 AM
11	Standardize benches. Some are too high and most are uncomfortable	Feb 14, 2010 5:33 PM
12	increase lighting	Feb 16, 2010 4:34 AM
13	Band Shell at Queens Park - lot's of local talent to fill it with - encourage Seniors at Vic village to participate	Feb 16, 2010 8:09 PM
14	as the city can afford it, make consistant attractive bus shelters through out the city	Feb 16, 2010 8:13 PM
15	consider increase use of motor scooters (elderly)	Feb 17, 2010 12:13 AM
16	installing steel benches anyway is not the answer.	Feb 18, 2010 1:59 AM
17	Black cast iron benches and bus stops - see the historic bus stop in Collingwood and black cast iron garbage bin surrounds	Feb 18, 2010 8:57 PM
18	Dont remove benches and seating or bu shelters	Feb 18, 2010 9:10 PM
19	More smaller parks, fix-up milligans pond - sadly neglected by the City!	Feb 22, 2010 2:14 PM
20	Clean them up, encourage neighbourhood involvement. Make them a place where people want to stop.	Feb 22, 2010 2:20 PM
21	spend money on keeping public spaces clean. some must have access to seating of some sort in order to be a part of the community.	Feb 22, 2010 7:22 PM
22	enforce property standards and create proper standards to include non developed properties. ie. ensure vacant/derelict land is cleaned up and paid for by owner. Not taxpayer	Feb 24, 2010 4:31 PM
23	Deal with lottering from "Street People"-especially in front of Busby Centre and Parkade	Feb 26, 2010 11:58 PM
24	Provide more recreation spaces to encourage health and fitness ie more water parks for children, track and field fields, another skating rink, more parks - nature trails	Mar 2, 2010 1:32 PM
25	More actively clean up the waterfront parks in the mornings	Mar 2, 2010 2:01 PM
26	Clean up the bus shelters. Some are disgusting inside with graffitti etc and cigarette butts. Need to improve the safety of these spaces at night	Mar 2, 2010 2:13 PM
27	Bus Shelters - do not remove what is there before installing new ones, very important for seniors to have this	Mar 2, 2010 2:23 PM
28	The above is oversimplified example bus shelters, sometimes there are a few of us inside and later there are too many of us. The new foolish benches you just slide off of. There are no places to widen sidewalks and sometimes no need to do so. Where do you put public art? Benches and seating - no room on Dunlop Street: would you like to sit breathing vehicle fumes?	Mar 2, 2010 6:54 PM
29	People sleep in bus shelters - this should not be necessary and should not be allowed	Mar 2, 2010 6:59 PM
30	Remove advertisements from bus shelters and replace then with historical information	Mar 3, 2010 3:47 PM