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1. Kristin Acker
2. Seattle
3. (o) Not Applicable

5. 12/10/2018
6. Swimming Pool
7. In a world of increased inactivity and obesity, you have a once-in-a-generation opportunity to work against that. Please find a way to include in the new Shoreline Community Center an awesome pool that can be a great place for everyone-not just the lap swimmers - to be more active

My son swam at Shorecrest and competed at Shoreline Pool. I have been a regular lap swimmer at that pool for years.

I realize this means added fundraising, but it's worth it. Please hold out for the bigger vision to create a state-of-the-art pool that supports Shoreline and the adjacent communities in the North End. Clearly the swimming community wants to help. Thank you.

8. (o) Support

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1. Bradley Hoff
2. Shoreline
3. (o) Richmond Beach

5. 12/10/2018
6. Public Comment on New Pool
7. I am an attorney who was raised and educated in Shoreline and have returned to reside in Shoreline with my wife and three children. I was a competitive swimmer (Innis Arden, Cascade Swim Club, Shorewood HS) throughout my youth, and a private club and public high school coach during college and graduate school. I consider competitive swimming to have been the most positive formative experience of my younger life, and the source of many of the skills and attributes from which I have most benefited as a parent and as a practicing attorney for nearly 25 years. Over the years I have found that competitive swimming -- and the various activities that go with it -- is the ultimate community "leveler" and thus builder. As one indicator of that, there is no other sport in which the "stars" on a team spend more time watching and cheering for the "non-stars." Swimming is also the ultimate meritocracy; the stopwatch does not play favorites. And the resulting assurance that maximum effort will improve competitive results, and the fact that that maximum effort usually happens in obscurity, is the ultimate character builder for a young competitor. That is the primary reason why I find so much value in spending my evenings and weekends volunteering for various competitive swimming events and shuttling my three children to and from practices and competitions. It is also the reason I so enthusiastically support the funding and development of a

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new Shoreline pool that will provide those same benefits to ALL children (and adults and families, for that matter) in Shoreline. Put simply, the currently envisioned six lane lap pool will deprive some children of the benefits of swimming. The experienced, highly competitive swimmers with access to private pools or training programs will be fine -- they will continue to have access to their private pool time and make the cut on any high school or public swim team regardless of its size (which is a function of available pool size/capacity). But the children who stand to benefit most from the swimming experience -- beginners and those without alternative pool access -- will be at substantial risk of missing out on the competitive experience because there simply won't be enough room for them in a six-lane pool (that would reduce to four lanes on a team that also has a diving program). The best WAY for the Council to deliver value to the ENTIRE community is to build an eight-lane pool with an adjacent dive tank. And given that the marginal cost of adding those elements during original construction is substantially less than the estimated cost of adding those elements later, the best TIME to include those elements is now, while planning for original construction. In addition, doing so now will also enable the tightly-knit, networked, and enthusiastic swimming community -- accustomed to traveling long distances on weekends to sit indoors all-day together in support of their competing children, and most aware of the benefits swimming brings to an individual and community -- to rally in support of the vote to approve a higher bond amount than initially/currently envisioned for a smaller lap pool. As a member of Shoreline's swimming community, I would relish the opportunity to work alongside the Council to fund and build a pool that will benefit all Shoreline residents. Thank you.

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1. Kris McRea
2. Shoreline
3. (o) Richmond Highlands
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5. 12/10/2018
6. Aquatic center
7. I implore the council to pause the timeline on the aquatic center, to allow more dialogue with community partners and funders, to find a more strategic vision for this important project. It is possible to consider a capital campaign for a segment of the funding, thus involving your local business and community to have ownership and pride. This center needs a kitchen, a competition pool with 8 lanes and a dive tank, seating, and less fancy design.
Thanks for considering.
8. (o) Oppose

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1. Amber Clark
2. Shoreline

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3. (o) North City

5. 12/04/2018

6. New Swimming Pool

7. It has come to my attention that the city intends to build a pool that would not be sufficient to support even the current competitive swim programs that the city and the High Schools hold.

Those programs are near and dear to my family. My kids swim every summer in the Shoreline Pool Gators program. It is a fabulous and affordable program that inspires not just excellent swimming competency, but also a love of swimming. One of my children loved the program so much, she continued to compete competitively through the Cascade Swim team, which practices at the Shoreline pool. This year, she competed on the Shorecrest High School Swim team as well, which also practices at the Shoreline pool. The Shoreline pool has a wonderful staff that facilitates this beautiful swim community in all its forms. Our family has become a member of this community and are so grateful for it.

The new pool that the city is building should at the very least be able to support the current programming, but a trip to the pool will show that even the current pool is drastically insufficient. The lessons are crowded, there are not enough unisex fitting rooms for parents who are supporting children of opposite genders. You will find a 30min wait line after every lesson. Our pool can only host swim competitions during the summer because the spectators have to sit outside (where they are unable to spectate). As it is, we have to rely on the resources of our surrounding cities to hold our competitions.

We need to do better. We need to support this beautiful swimming community with sufficient resources and stop being a burden to our surrounding pools. We need an 8 lane pool with an end deep enough to support dive programs. We need room for spectators to sit. We need more unisex changing spaces.

This swim community is a beautiful part of our life. Please support us.

8. (o) Support

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1. Sarah Rivera

2. shoreline

3. (o) Richmond Highlands

4.

5. 12/10/2018

6. Shoreline Aquatic Center

7. Please build a competitive pool in Shoreline with a diving platform. It is such a boon to residents of all ages. The private pools (both have waiting lists and are expensive to join) provide swim

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opportunities for their members but that is only about 250 families. The waiting list at Wedgewood is over ten years. A new pool will be a draw to new community members.

Thank you,

Sarah Rivera

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This is a shortsighted plan on too many levels.

The size is too small for real diverse use. With the potential expansion of services and demands for growth of this community, we need a bigger pool and we need a hot tub.

The senior center needs to expand. AND FYI the classroom space has been under used because it is too expensive to rent.

Warmest regards,
Lynnea Jardine

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Phone Number	Not answered
Email Address	Not answered

4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

We need at least 8 lanes and dive well and a large spectator area. If included we could rent our pool for meets and other events that could make money.

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

The new aquatic center should be able to allow our community to grow. The planned facility cannot accommodate the groups we want to keep in our area as currently designed: the pool should be able to support the local high school teams, the organized exercise programs and the events for our diverse needs. The Council should use all the property for the pool and center rather than trying to add green space, too. The parks in Shoreline can provide the green space. The aquatics center should accommodate the greatest number of swimmers to allow Shoreline to attract continued growth.

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(o) No

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Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

I would like to encourage the City of Shoreline to think about the long term importance of a pool that serves all groups in the community. I was involved in the swim community for 16 years. My kids participated in Lessons at SL Pool, swam Club at SL pool, and swam HS at SL pool. I was an active parent and official in the swim community all as a volunteer. Swimming is a wonderful bond for kids and parents. It is a most valuable resource for saving a kids life thru lessons and life guarding certification, giving the feeling of being a part of a team, and the summer programs that encourage kids to make friends. I ask that you look into your own lives and see the value that a swimming pool has provided you. But not just a pool that serves a small percentage of the population. One that will serve the entire population. The City of Shoreline can get it right at the start of this process...but you must consider all the groups a pool will serve.

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Last Name RICE

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3. Contact Information (optional)

4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

WHAT WOULD BE THE POSSIBILITY OF MAKING THE POOL A SALTWATER POOL? IT WOULD BE HEALTHIER FOR ALL CONCERNED. CHLORINE IS VERY TOXIC.
I THINK A SALTWATER POOL, WOULD BRING PEOPLE FROM ALL OF THE SURROUNDING AREAS TOO, GENERATING A SOURCE OF INCOME FOR THE CITY OF SHORELINE.

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I HAVE BEEN A LIFELONG SWIMMER BUT DON'T LIKE SWIMMING IN POOLS THAT HAVE LOTS OF CHLORINE. MY SKIN SMELLS LIKE CHLORINE FOR DAYS AFTER JUST ONE VISIT.

THINK ABOUT IT.
THANK YOU.

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Last Name Rutherford

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

Please make sure that the new aquatic center has enough space to host swim meets, both for the high school teams, as well as the recreational leagues. To accommodate this need, the proposed pool needs to have at least a couple of more lap lanes, as well as space for spectators. The new center is going to be around for many years, and it needs to be able to meet the needs of our growing community. I would love to see something along the lines of the Snohomish Aquatic Center, which has both a wonderful family oriented recreational area (e.g. lazy river, slides, wading area, etc.), as well as a fantastic lap pool/diving area. Our family goes to the Snohomish Aquatic Center to be able to take advantage of both areas. We would love to stay local.

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First Name Julia
Last Name Shin

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

I am a mom of 3 children. Two which are currently on a swim team and another that will join as soon as he is old enough. It would be amazing to have a swim facility here in Shoreline that can meet their needs as competitive swimmers. Here are my following requests for Shoreline's new pool:

**8 lane competition pool – this will attract users! And ultimately increase commerce and substantially off-set the cost of operating a city pool

**Separate Diving well – allows for diving, warm-up and cool-down capacity (key to a competitive pool and to our high school programs)

**Robust Viewing Area and deck space – minimum of 500 person spectator capacity

**Adequate depth – which allows for starts, turns, and water polo

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

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6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

Hello,

I support the 8 swim lane concept. I think its also important to have a swimming area for kids. Please also include a gym and work out room as my family use these facilities a lot at the spartan gym.

Thank you for the oppportunity to comment.

Jason

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1. Name (optional)

First Name Janet
Last Name Shin

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

I have three children ages 6, 9, and 11 who are very active in the competitive swim community. They swim year around and during the summer on a team. I think it important for Shoreline to continue to support the swim community with a design that fits many uses. I agree that the following should be included in the design of the new pool.

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Last Name Round

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

We have the opportunity to build a pool which will handle the growth for the City of Shoreline and also generate revenue with pool designed for competitive swimming events. An 8 lane pool combined with spectator seating is essential. The architect needs to consult with competitive swimmers for input on the design.

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Last Name Blau-Marshall

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

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5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

I am concerned that the planned facility seems small. Our community is getting larger with every month that goes by. Lynnwood and Mountlake Terrace have such great aquatic centers - especially Lynnwood. This plan doesn't seem competitive with those facilities. We already lose a lot of pool traffic to those other cities. If we build an aquatic center that is too small to begin with, that problem will only increase as our population grows. With 2 light rail stations going in and many, many more people expected to move here it doesn't make sense not to build for the future. It will only cost more to remodel or rebuild, why not build it right, from the beginning?

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Last Name Duncan

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

As I understand it, the new Shoreline pool is being designed with not nearly enough space for even it's current needs, let alone the quickly growing needs of the community. That doesn't make any sense. Please consider this.

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1. Name (optional)

First Name Susie

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	(o) No
5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?	
	Not answered
6. We welcome your comments in the space below.	
	We need a larger pool than we have now!! A dive tank/warm up pool would make the pool capable of holding swim meets and generating revenue. We also need at least 8 lanes to accommodate all the swimmers. The current pool is overcrowded. It would also make swim meets shorter and the pool more desirable for hosting them-more revenue. Don't build a pool that can't serve the community- that would be a waste of money. Build it right or don't build it at all.

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Last Name	Petrone
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	(o) No
5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?	
	Not answered

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6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

I would like to see a bigger pool that can be used for meets and has enough lanes to accommodate swimming lanes for different skill swimmers. If you are going to invest for the future, do it so it last for a good long time. Please provide more ventilation and more outdoor visibility- it can get very dank if the pool is not well ventilated

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

1. It does not appear that anyone had asked swimmers or coaches of swim organizations what is needed for pool space. Why not?

2. Shoreline will do nothing but grow over the next several years. Let's build a facility that actually meets that growth.

3. Lets not just meet the needs of the architects. Let's build something that actually WORKS!

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1. Name (optional)

First Name Kristina
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5.	If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?
	Not answered
6.	We welcome your comments in the space below.
	I would recommend you look more closely at adding a wellness pool similar to the one at Lynnwood pool. That pool seems to get more use by a wider range of people (disabled, kids, elderly) as it's warmer and shallow. I noticed you have no hot tubs on your plan, the family hot tub at the Lynnwood pool is heavily used as kids get cold quickly due to lower body fat and often want to warm up a little before going back in the leisure pool.

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1.	Name (optional)
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Last Name	Ngan
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	(o) No
5.	If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?
	Not answered
6.	We welcome your comments in the space below.

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I am commenting on the proposed Community and Aquatics Center. I am a senior and a lifelong swimmer who depends on swimming for pain relief. The Shoreline Pool is an excellent facility that has served us well, and I would prefer that the City purchase and renovate it. However, if for true reasons of economics the City decides to build a new pool, the new pool should have a large water capacity. I would prefer a pool with a deep water end like the Shoreline Pool. The reason for this preference is that shallow pools tend to have more chlorine chemicals which make them unsuitable for people who are sensitive to these chemicals. I am able to swim regularly in the Shoreline Pool because it has less chlorine pollution than shallower pools.

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1. Name (optional)

First Name Gary
Last Name Lyons

2. Address (optional)

Street Number
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3. Contact Information (optional)

4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

Absolutely need 8 lap lanes, a dive well and a 10+ person hot tub with a reasonable viewing bleacher area for swim meets. Anything less is a waste of taxpayer money.

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(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

As a resident in Shoreline, a parent of swim team kids, and a swimmer myself, I feel it is imperative that we have an aquatics center that is sized appropriately for our growing city.

6 lanes is very small size to build a new pool to. With all the density coming in the future it would be crazy to squander an opportunity to build a bigger facility that can accomodate Shoreline residents.

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1. Name (optional)

First Name Lynn
Last Name Holmes

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

I am a devoted user of the Shoreline Pool. I swam for exercise before teaching in The Shoreline Schools, and now that I am retired, I continue to swim 3 mornings a week. I am inspired by the seniors who faithfully attend the morning aerobics classes.

The meeting last week drew many people who are very invested in creating a next aquatic center. As a member of a growing city, it is paramount that the new Aquatic Center serves the needs of families and

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children as well as students, athletes and seniors who are learning to swim, swimming competitively, staying fit or rehabilitating.

I recommend that the community builds an aquatic center that serves the needs of those you use it now and the future population that will continue to grow and change as the Light Rail connects us, and makes us more accessible.

Thanks,
Lynn Holmes

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1. Name (optional)

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Last Name Kirkpatrick

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

I heard that the current plan is for a 6-lane pool. I feel strongly that this pool needs to be large enough to accommodate the needs of the community now and years into the future. Community pools built 50 years ago in the neighborhood are typically 6 lanes. This is old model that is outdated and not adequate for a growing population. Please expand the width of the pool to AT LEAST 8 wide lanes. Also consider the width of the lanes to accommodate big adults and the need for more than one person to swim in a lane.

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First Name Lee
Last Name Lambert

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5.	If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?
	Not answered
6.	We welcome your comments in the space below.
	I would like to see a large pool with at least 8 lanes and a dive tank. These features would expand access for shoreline residents to participate in a wide array of sports that are not currently in close proximity to the city and would be a driver for economic devolment for the city.

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Last Name	LaBore
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Email Address	Not answered
4.	Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?
	(o) No
5.	If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?
	Not answered
6.	We welcome your comments in the space below.
	I would like to know if the Snohomish Aquatic center and Lynnwood facility are revenue neutral. People say they are very popular. Is a complete duplication of the Snohomish center feasible. It looks like they

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have some specialist areas. Is there another facility like it in seattle. If not I am sure we would pull people North. I would think of it as a private facility. If I was building it as a for profit center what would it look like? Part Great Wolf Lodge and part high school swim facility?

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Last Name Borgida

2. Address (optional)

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4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

Adjusting the proposal to include additional lanes and dive well is prudent and best for our growing city. An expanded pool can better service our future population which includes families moving to the area for schools as well as an aging population who can access the pool/facilities for fitness and relaxation. In addition, an expanded facility can rent to teams that otherwise would not fit in a smaller non-competitive pool and generate revenue. Please find a way to propose an expanded option to the community of Shoreline.

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Last Name Franklin

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(o) Yes

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

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6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

The current plans for a new pool in Shoreline are not adequate for the communities future. We need a deep water competition 8 lane pool. One that can be used by the community for 50 plus years. A pool that will draw the surrounding region to Shoreline. Why build a pool that is substandard to the one we already have? There must be a better solution. Lets put something of real substance to the voters.

Sincerely,

Aaron

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5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

After attending the latest community meeting last week, I would like to see an enhanced pool area and consideration for more parking (although I know multilevel or underground parking is much more expensive, it will be needed). Lots of people mentioned that an enhanced competitive pool could be a

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revenue earner-someone should actually talk with Snohomish and Lynnwood and get some hard numbers to see if that is the case, and if so, what the revenue potential can be.

While I applaud the idea of making this more than a rec space into more of a "civic" space", I believe that the pool space is not adequate and I don't believe the areas for things such as pickleball, jazzercise, line dancing tai chi etc is going to be large enough. I would prefer to see the emphasize on maximizing recreational space (perhaps also with a kitchen to help partner with senior center lunch programs).

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Email Address Not answered

4. Do you represent an official neighborhood group or organization?

(o) No

5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?

Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

My son has worked and coached at the Pool & with Cascade swim for 10 years and knows very well that what we have now is horribly not fulfilling the needs of swimmers and community - and this plan is even worse than what we have now. Please don't waste taxpayer money for something that doesn't meet our needs and wishes. Having an overcrowded pool is a giant safety hazard and the pool as is now is overcrowded.

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Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

Hi, Thanks for all the work being done as the city looks at our new aquatic facility. I wanted to express what I believe many have expressed already which is the desire for our facility to be sufficient for swim programs at our High School level as well as be able to be rent out for meets and other events. The aquatic facility is a major investment and now is the time to make sure we are investing in our future. I was at the Snohomish aquatic facility for the first time this summer and it was an amazing facility. I'm not sure whether or not we can duplicate that but let's at least make sure we have the basics that will let our children grow in an environment where they have swimming opportunities. This includes the ability to learn to dive and have enough lanes. I also appreciate the desires of some of our seniors to have facilities that meet their needs. I am a mother of elementary age and a middle school age children. I have been in Shoreline since 1998 and believe our city is a great one and this aquatic facility should help support our city. As a voter I am ready to help support an appropriate facility but it needs to be one that meets our cities needs.

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I believe that the facility should support a high school team practice space, the hs doesn't have a pool. It is important to support no-cut sports, therefore we need 8 lanes, and ideally a good spectator area and dive tank

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Not answered

6. We welcome your comments in the space below.

As a resident in Shoreline, a parent of swim team kids, and a swimmer myself, I feel it is imperative that we have an aquatics center that is sized appropriately for our growing city.

6 lanes is very small size to build a new pool to. With all the density coming in the future it would be crazy to squander an opportunity to build a bigger facility that can accomodate Shoreline residents.

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5. If you answered, "yes" to the question above, what organization do you represent?	Not answered
6. We welcome your comments in the space below.	<p>I take intermediate/advanced swim lessons. I am learning to dive. I am an adult who love swimming. I am a senior and I want a facility for our young people to have meets and a place for spectators. I want (8) lanes and I want a dive tank. Our community need this.</p> <p>Let us please not build a facility that has to last (50) plus years and is totally inadequate below we break ground. This would be very bad for our community.</p>

I would also recommend a "kiddie" pool for the very young citizens...and cost effective admission fees... Thank you for asking for advisory.comments..

Gary Lyons

Thank you for responding to my comments to the survey. I understand the issue of limited budget for improvements, however I hope that the committee keeps in mind that we only have one pool in our city and may warrant specific prioritization. We have many parks with a variety of features, it seems that additional opportunities for improvements may become available in the future whereas once the pool is built it will presumably be expected to function as is for several decades, it would be much easier to add additional lanes when it is built and couldn't be added later.

Please consider the opportunity that presents at this time alone. There are other places to play basketball or other sports, a pool is a unique resource not available for most people outside of this center, without traveling to another municipality.

Thanks,
Melanie

Dear Shoreline schools,

It has come to my attention that the City of Shoreline is in the process of designing a new Community &

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Aquatics Center and initial designs of the center have been shared with the public. I would like to share with you the importance of building an Aquatic Center that features:

- Eight lanes that are not too shallow
- A pool that supports large swim & dive teams and efficient, fast swim meets
- A robust viewing area – to support the revenue potential that comes with the ability to host club swim & dive meets
- A pool that allows for multi-use and increased lesson capacity
- A pool that supports water polo teams/clubs
- A dive tank – to support high school swim & dive teams, and allow as many student athletes as possible to participate in non-cut teams

I also believe that the City of Shoreline and Shoreline Public Schools should work in partnership to build a state of the art facility that supports the current and future needs of our students and families. Shoreline, Lake Forest Park, and North King County need a facility that can comfortably host regional swim meets, maximize participation of year-round swimmers, support the non-cut swim & dive teams from both high schools, and attract an increasingly diverse population into the swim community.

I have 3 children who very likely will be swimming on Shorecrest swim teams in the coming year as they are swimming now at Sheridan Beach club. It seems very short-sighted to not build a pool that can accommodate an important part of our school sports activities. Please consider making this pool work for the school's swim teams!

Thank you for considering!

Naomi Halset

Planning committee, please make sure you reference the deep diving and racing format that Snohomish utilized in building their athletic pool. Their pool accommodates a full deep water polo set up - crucial to the development of all aquatic sports. The revenue opportunities for the city will be significant with a full water polo set up, as the growth of the sport continues to accelerate.

From: Leslie Klahn

Sent: Thursday, December 6, 2018 5:07 PM

To: ShorelineParks <shorelineparks@shorelinewa.gov>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] senior center needed

I am writing because I recently learned that your planned Community and Aquatics Center will not include a Senior Center. I would like to notify the Shoreline Parks and Recreation Council and Advisory Board that many in the community would like to have a Senior Center included in your plans.

Please consider this request.

Thank you, Leslie Klahn

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1. Lindsey Amtmann
2. Shoreline
3. (o) Meridian Park
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6. Pool
7. Light rail is coming, our population is growing, and we need to get the pool right the first time. Please build an 8-lane competition pool with a diving well and large viewing area. If we have a competition pool we can bring in revenue AND serve Shoreline residents further into the future. Thank you.
8. (o) Support