

Davilak Park Upgrades – Phase Two

Community Insights Snapshot

In August 2024, the City consulted residents and sporting groups on their aspirations for the proposed upgrades to Davilak Park. This feedback assisted the City in developing new draft concept plans, and in July 2025, the City sought community and key stakeholder feedback on the drafts.



The three overall outcomes for the upgrade to Davilak Park are:

- To develop a community parkland space, consisting of recreational elements
- To expand the community facility and clubrooms, and include a hireable community space
- To redevelop the oval space and surrounds, to incorporate a second oval.

How we promoted the consultation



Comment on Cockburn
webpage and online survey



Signs around Davilak Park



Chats at our Community
Open House



Letters to residents within
400m of Davilak Park



E-newsletters to residents and
various community groups

Who we heard from



957

visits to Comment
on Cockburn



73

people provided feedback
via the survey and 4
people responded via email



19

people attended the
Community Open House

What we heard

Overall draft concept plans:



67%

Satisfied or very
satisfied



16%

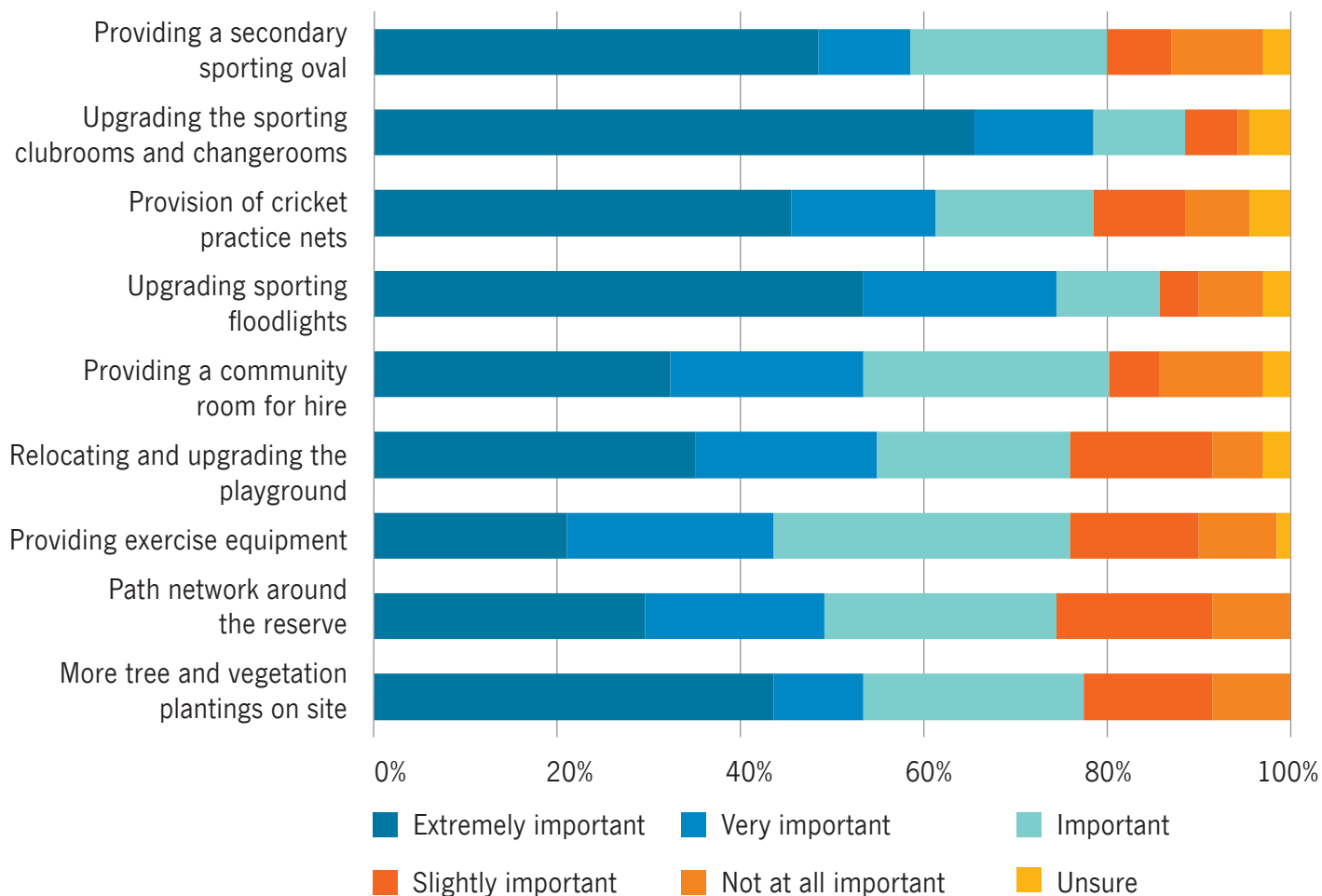
Neutral



17%

Dissatisfied or very
dissatisfied.

How important do you believe each of these concept plan elements are to the community?



Draft concept plan for the proposed sporting and community building:



58%
satisfied or
very satisfied



22%
neutral



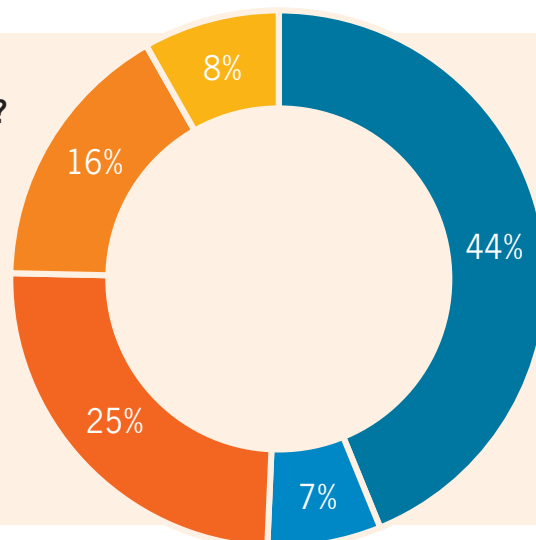
19%
dissatisfied or
very dissatisfied



1
person
unsure

If this new building was built, how would you use it?

- I will use the sporting club spaces
- I will use the community space
- I plan to use both spaces
- I have no need for the building
- Unsure



Proposed play area layout and positioning



61%
satisfied or
very satisfied



17%
neutral

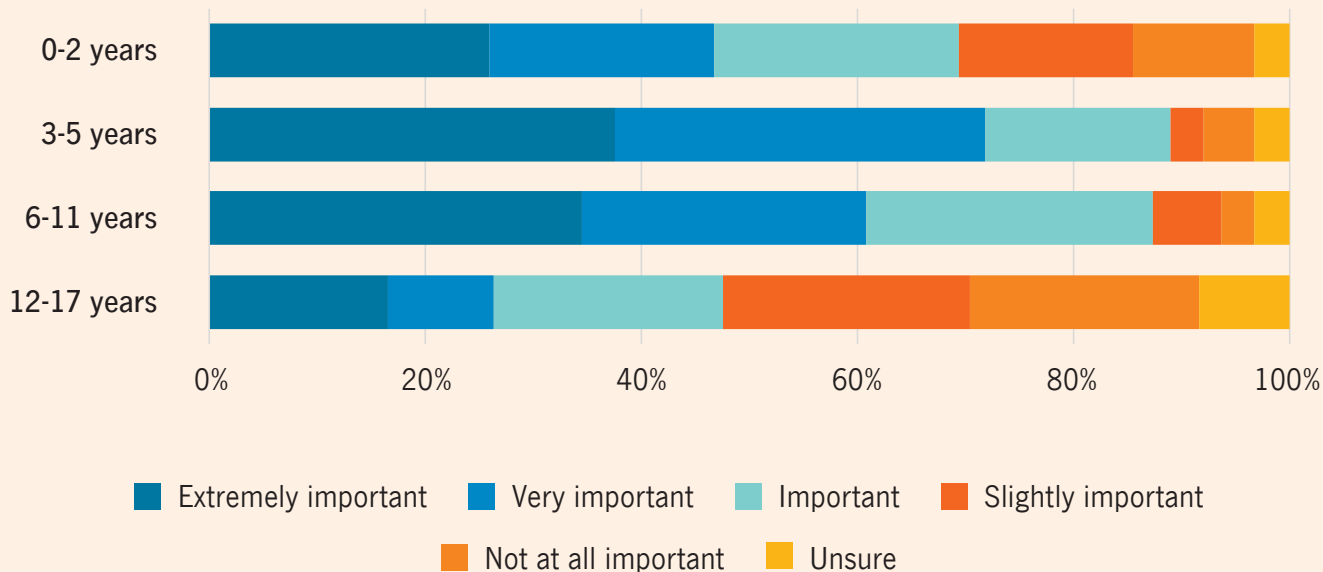


19%
dissatisfied or
very dissatisfied



2
people
unsure

How important is it for the new playground to have areas specifically designed for the following age groups?



Proposed landscaping*:



67%
Satisfied or
very satisfied



16%
Neutral



16%
Dissatisfied or
very dissatisfied

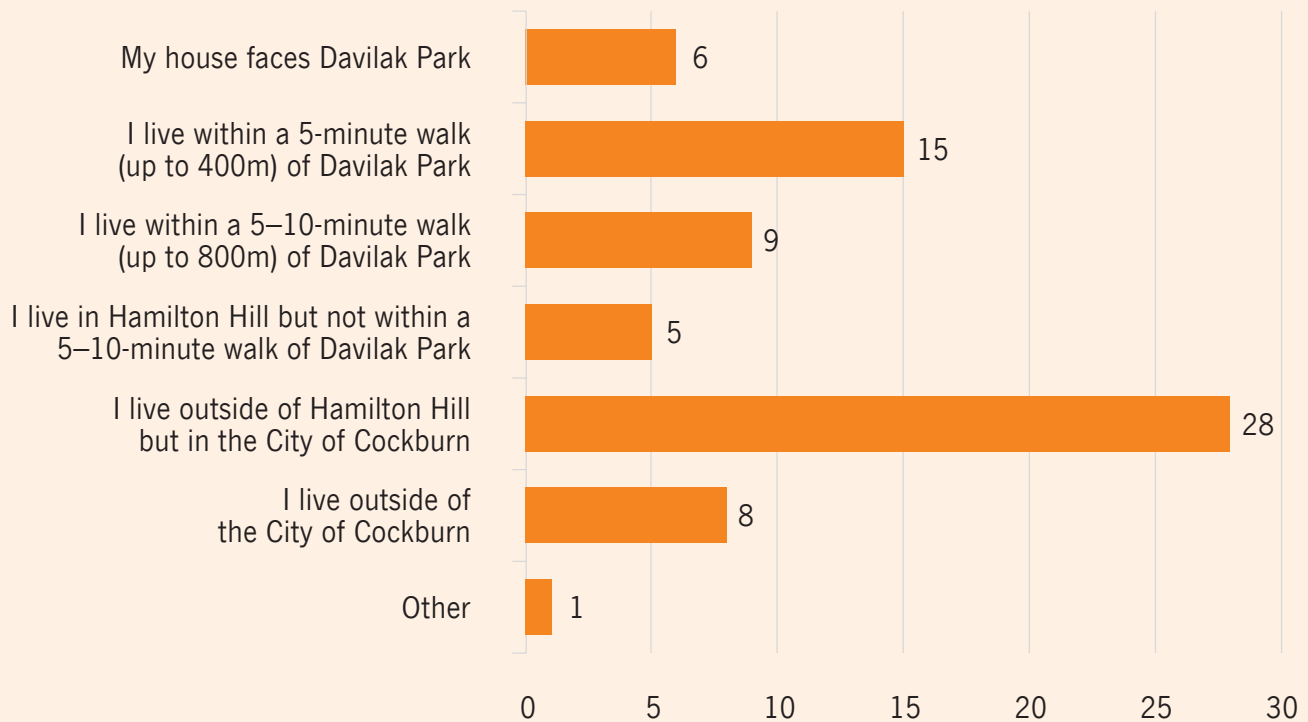


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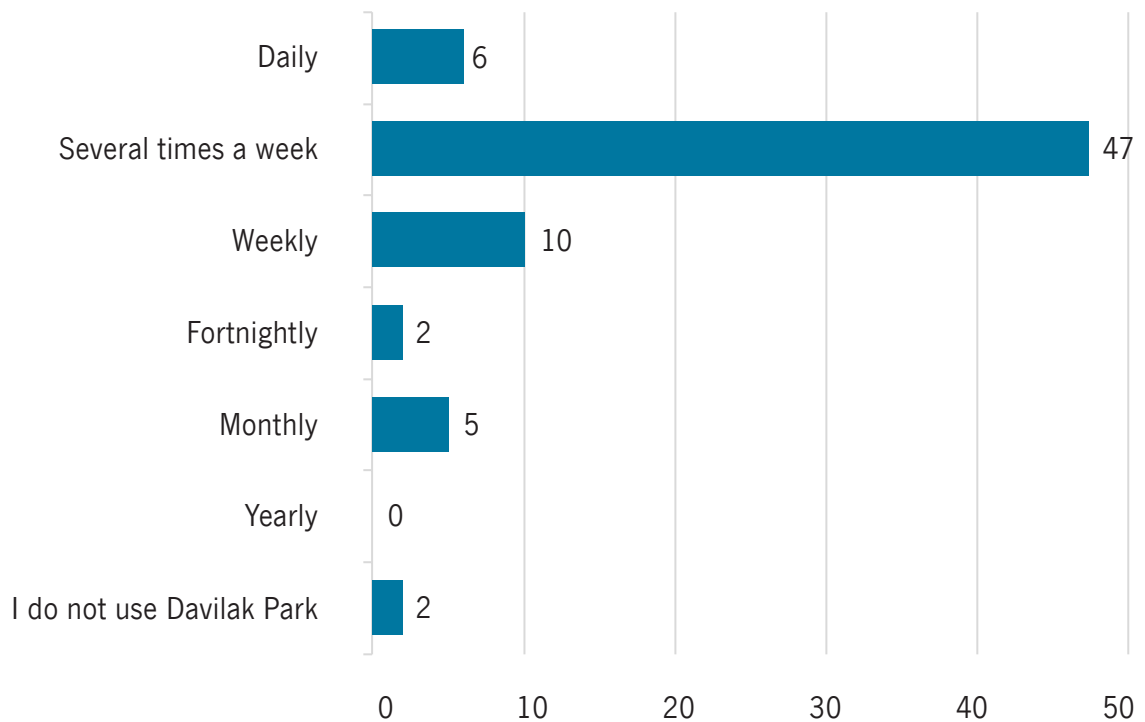
*To meet the needs of the growing community, the proposed upgrades to Davilak Park incorporates a second sporting oval. After careful consideration of all location possibilities to avoid unnecessary tree removal, the positioning of the second oval results in 31 trees and shrubs, proposed for removal. A tree survey has been undertaken and the trees proposed for removal are not veteran or significant trees. The City plans to achieve an overall increase in canopy cover through a planting program to counteract the initial loss and to ensure the redevelopment improves the overall natural environment of Davilak Park.



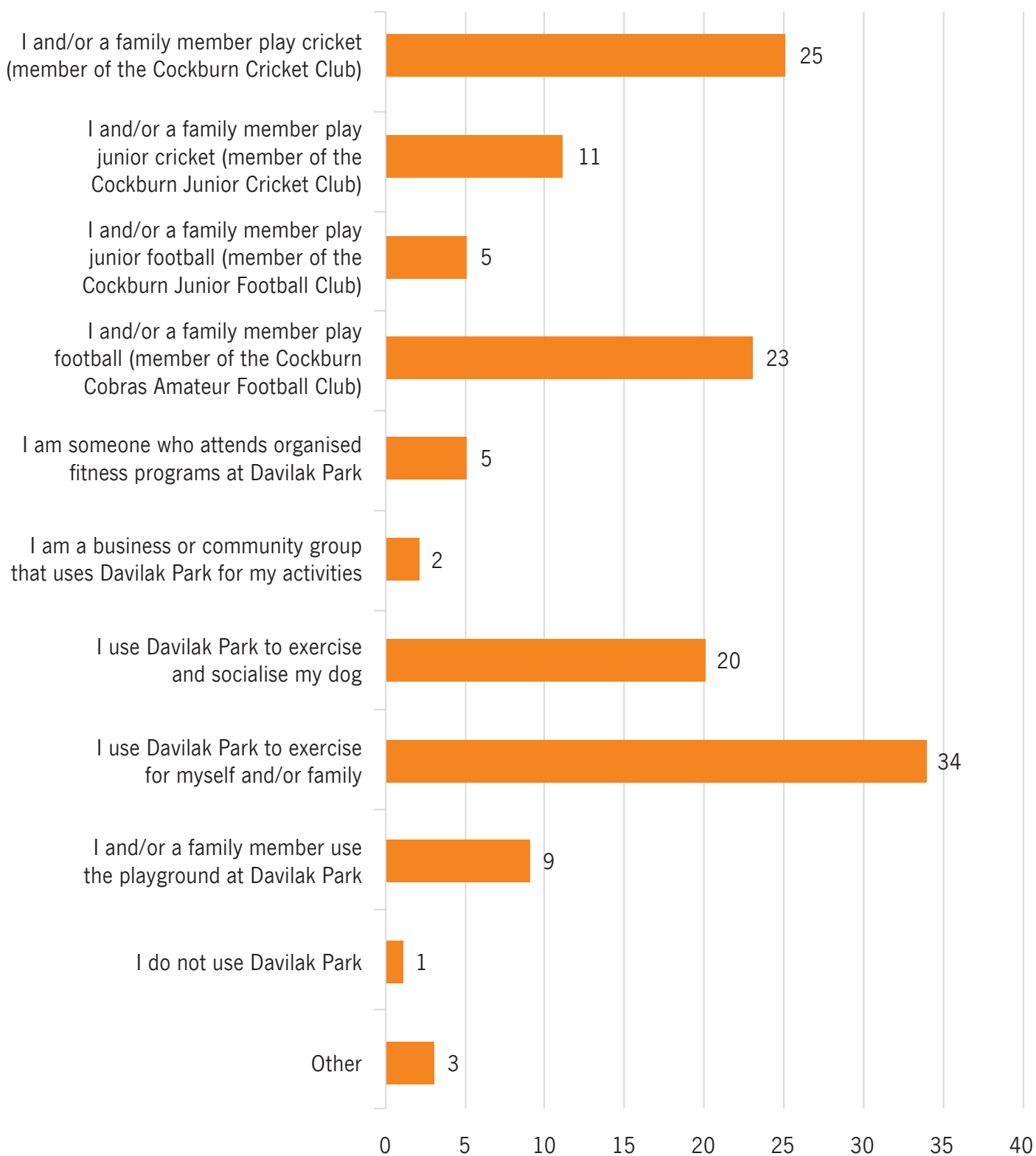
Relationship to Davilak Park



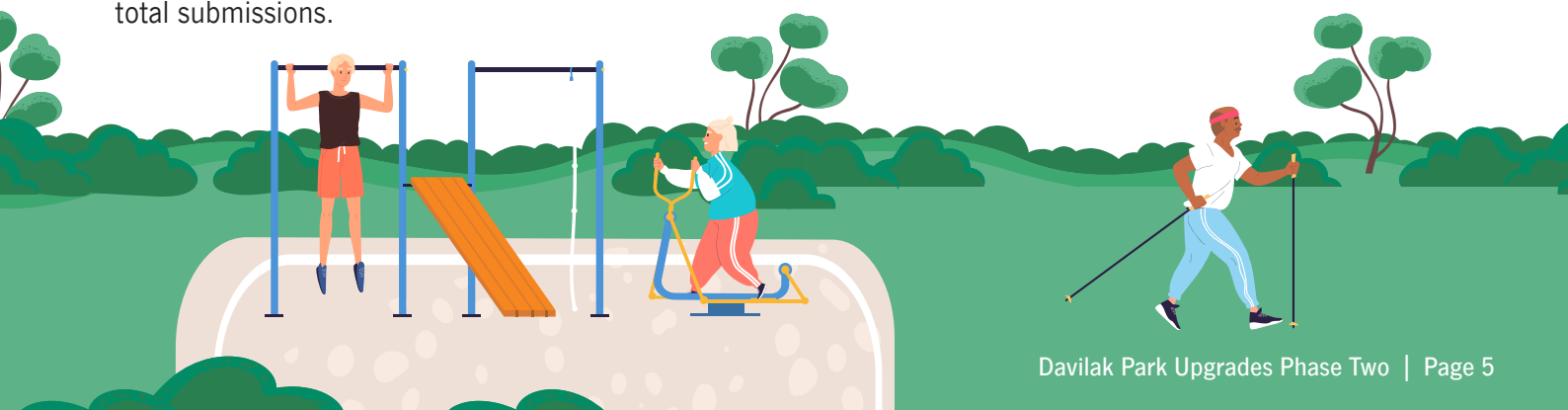
How often do you use Davilak Park?



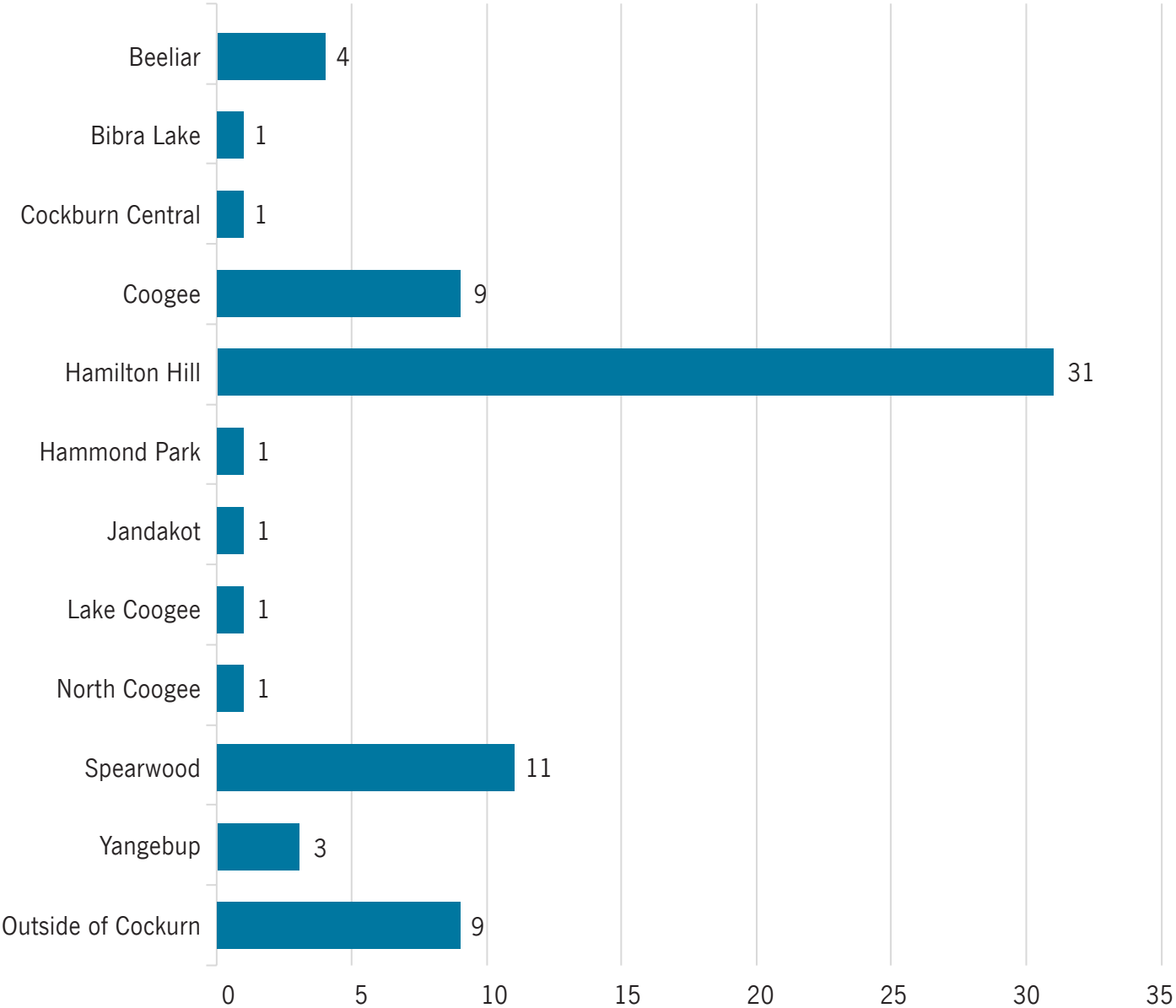
How do you currently use Davilak Park? *



*Some responders indicated more than one use of the area and therefore total responses does not equate to total submissions.



Suburb



Further Information and Next Steps

Thank you to everyone who provided feedback on the draft concept plans for the Davilak Park Upgrades. The City has used this feedback to refine the concept plans and presented a report to Council at the December 2025 Ordinary Council Meeting (OCM) for consideration. Council endorsed the concept plans for the Davilak Park Upgrades. The finer details of the project will be determined and further refined during the detailed design phase. To keep informed of progress on this project, please follow the project page on Comment on Cockburn.

For further information, please contact the City of Cockburn **08 9411 3444** or email **comment@cockburn.wa.gov.au**

