



1. Are you completing the survey as a:

		Response Percent	Response Count
An individual		30.3%	93
A household		69.7%	214

of people in your household 231

answered question	307
skipped question	35

2. How often do you use each of the following County parks and recreation facilities?

	Often	Sometimes (several times/year)	Never	Response Count
Kaliseum	13.7% (25)	25.3% (46)	61.0% (111)	182
Kaliseum - pool	14.0% (42)	34.0% (102)	52.0% (156)	300
Kaliseum - ice rink	6.6% (19)	22.7% (65)	70.6% (202)	286
Kaliseum - fitness room	6.0% (17)	20.9% (59)	73.0% (206)	282
Kaliseum - multi-purpose room	3.0% (8)	23.8% (63)	73.2% (194)	265
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds	3.6% (6)	35.3% (59)	61.1% (102)	167
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Civic Center building	1.8% (5)	32.7% (93)	65.5% (186)	284
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Athletic fields (ball diamond, soccer field)	9.9% (28)	19.5% (55)	70.6% (199)	282
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Horse arena	0.7% (2)	10.8% (30)	88.5% (246)	278
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Event arena	1.1% (3)	26.4% (74)	72.5% (203)	280
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Pavilion	1.4% (4)	24.9% (69)	73.6% (204)	277
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Concession stand	2.5% (7)	26.2% (72)	71.3% (196)	275
KART Trail	21.5% (60)	25.1% (70)	53.4% (149)	279
Log Lake Campground	6.8% (16)	17.1% (40)	76.1% (178)	234
Log Lake Campground - Campsites	3.6% (10)	12.7% (35)	83.7% (231)	276
Log Lake Campground - Disc Golf	5.9% (16)	10.0% (27)	84.1% (228)	271
Log Lake Campground - Athletic field	1.1% (3)	10.4% (28)	88.5% (238)	269

Log Lake Campground - Boat launch	2.2% (6)	16.7% (45)	81.1% (219)	270
Log Lake Campground - Public beach	10.7% (30)	28.6% (80)	60.7% (170)	280
Rugg Pond Natural Area	12.1% (37)	39.2% (120)	48.7% (149)	306
Vacant County-owned forest land	13.8% (39)	31.6% (89)	54.6% (154)	282
			Comments	88
			answered question	330
			skipped question	12








3. How satisfied are you with each of the following parks and recreation facilities?

	Satisfied	Neutral	Not Satisfied	Response Count
Kaliseum	40.0% (62)	38.7% (60)	21.3% (33)	155
Kaliseum - Pool	55.2% (139)	31.7% (80)	13.1% (33)	252
Kaliseum - Ice rink	43.9% (101)	45.2% (104)	10.9% (25)	230
Kaliseum - Fitness room	32.6% (73)	49.6% (111)	17.9% (40)	224
Kaliseum - Multi-purpose room	28.1% (59)	58.6% (123)	13.3% (28)	210
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds	32.5% (52)	55.6% (89)	11.9% (19)	160
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Civic Center building	26.8% (60)	56.7% (127)	16.5% (37)	224
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Athletic fields (ball diamond, soccer field)	33.6% (75)	58.7% (131)	7.6% (17)	223
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Horse arena	20.2% (42)	70.7% (147)	9.1% (19)	208
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Event arena	24.9% (53)	66.2% (141)	8.9% (19)	213
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Pavilion	24.1% (52)	68.1% (147)	7.9% (17)	216
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds - Concession stand	25.0% (54)	66.7% (144)	8.3% (18)	216
KART Trail	52.6% (121)	38.7% (89)	8.7% (20)	230
Log Lake Campground	25.7% (48)	62.6% (117)	11.8% (22)	187
Log Lake Campground - Campsites	19.6% (41)	67.9% (142)	12.4% (26)	209
Log Lake Campground - Disc Golf	20.9% (44)	68.7% (145)	10.4% (22)	211
Log Lake Campground - Athletic field	14.0% (29)	73.9% (153)	12.1% (25)	207

Log Lake Campground - Boat launch	18.7% (39)	71.3% (149)	10.0% (21)	209
Log Lake Campground - Public beach	33.2% (74)	54.3% (121)	12.6% (28)	223
Rugg Pond Natural Area	46.5% (114)	45.7% (112)	7.8% (19)	245
Vacant County-owned forest land	39.5% (85)	53.0% (114)	7.4% (16)	215
			Comments	77

answered question	299
skipped question	43

4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Kaliseum		69.2%	162
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds		36.8%	86
KART Trail		38.5%	90
Log Lake Campground		35.9%	84
Rugg Pond Natural Area		37.2%	87
Vacant County-owned forest land		32.5%	76
Comments		26.1%	61
		answered question	234
		skipped question	108

5. How important are each of the following recreation opportunities in Kalkaska County?

	Important	Neutral	Not important	Response Count
Improvements to existing parks	59.2% (173)	28.8% (84)	12.0% (35)	292
Non-motorized trails (hiking, biking, dogsled)	61.2% (180)	26.2% (77)	12.6% (37)	294
Motorized trails (snowmobiling, ORV, etc.)	48.3% (140)	31.4% (91)	20.3% (59)	290
Regional or community trail connections	57.7% (169)	29.7% (87)	12.6% (37)	293
Fishing/hunting	65.8% (196)	25.5% (76)	8.7% (26)	298
Natural area parks or trails	69.5% (205)	22.0% (65)	8.5% (25)	295
Camping	53.7% (154)	35.9% (103)	10.5% (30)	287
Canoeing/kayaking/stand-up paddleboards	59.0% (171)	30.0% (87)	11.0% (32)	290
Boating	56.8% (162)	32.6% (93)	10.5% (30)	285
Playgrounds	62.6% (181)	27.7% (80)	9.7% (28)	289
Athletic facilities – basketball courts, baseball/softball, etc.	54.3% (152)	34.3% (96)	11.4% (32)	280
Swimming	62.5% (183)	27.3% (80)	10.2% (30)	293
Skateboard park	34.4% (97)	39.0% (110)	26.6% (75)	282
Community festivals	63.6% (185)	26.8% (78)	9.6% (28)	291
Performing arts events and venues (concerts, plays, etc.)	60.3% (176)	26.7% (78)	13.0% (38)	292
Horse arena/trails	32.6% (92)	46.5% (131)	20.9% (59)	282
Disc golf	31.4% (89)	42.8% (121)	25.8% (73)	283
Archery	37.9% (107)	43.6% (123)	18.4% (52)	282
Shooting range	47.2% (134)	34.5% (98)	18.3% (52)	284
Shooting sports (i.e. skeet)	41.1% (115)	37.1% (104)	21.8% (61)	280

Dog park	36.5% (105)	38.2% (110)	25.3% (73)	288
Library	80.1% (233)	11.3% (33)	8.6% (25)	291
			Other (please specify)	94
			answered question	321
			skipped question	21

6. What new or expanded recreation opportunities would you like to see in Kalkaska County in the future?



	Yes	No	Neutral	Response Count
Improvements to existing parks	58.2% (145)	13.3% (33)	28.5% (71)	249
Non-motorized trails (hiking, biking, dogsled)	55.0% (142)	15.5% (40)	29.5% (76)	258
Motorized trails (snowmobiling, ORV, etc.)	39.8% (102)	26.6% (68)	33.6% (86)	256
Regional or community trail connections	56.5% (143)	14.2% (36)	29.2% (74)	253
Fishing/hunting	51.6% (130)	15.9% (40)	32.5% (82)	252
Natural area parks or trails	58.6% (150)	13.7% (35)	27.7% (71)	256
Camping	44.7% (109)	16.0% (39)	39.3% (96)	244
Canoeing/kayaking/stand-up paddleboards	47.8% (117)	15.9% (39)	36.3% (89)	245
Boating	39.2% (96)	22.0% (54)	38.8% (95)	245
Playgrounds	49.6% (122)	15.9% (39)	34.6% (85)	246
Athletic facilities – basketball courts, baseball/softball, etc.	42.4% (103)	19.8% (48)	37.9% (92)	243
Swimming	48.5% (117)	18.3% (44)	33.2% (80)	241
Skateboard park	31.0% (77)	32.7% (81)	36.3% (90)	248

Community festivals	58.4% (146)	14.0% (35)	27.6% (69)	250
Performing arts events and venues (concerts, plays, etc.)	59.5% (153)	15.2% (39)	25.3% (65)	257
Horse arena/trails	21.9% (52)	28.7% (68)	49.4% (117)	237
Disc golf	27.5% (67)	31.6% (77)	41.0% (100)	244
Archery	37.9% (94)	20.6% (51)	41.5% (103)	248
Shooting range	44.9% (115)	19.9% (51)	35.2% (90)	256
Shooting sports (i.e. skeet)	39.1% (97)	23.0% (57)	37.9% (94)	248
Dog park	32.8% (81)	27.5% (68)	39.7% (98)	247
Library	72.2% (190)	8.7% (23)	19.0% (50)	263
			Other (please specify)	72
			answered question	302
			skipped question	40

7. What types of funding would you support for recreation improvements or activities?

	Yes	No	Neutral	Response Count
Grants	85.6% (244)	7.7% (22)	6.7% (19)	285
Millage	51.8% (145)	36.4% (102)	11.8% (33)	280
General Fund	53.9% (139)	26.4% (68)	19.8% (51)	258
Community endowment	64.5% (167)	13.9% (36)	21.6% (56)	259
Fees	56.5% (148)	29.0% (76)	14.5% (38)	262
			Other (please specify)	79
			answered question	305
			skipped question	37








8. Do you live in Kalkaska County?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Full-time resident		98.1%	305
Seasonal/part-time resident		1.9%	6
	Other (please specify)		19
answered question			311
skipped question			31

9. If not a full-time or seasonal resident, are you a...

	Yes	No	Response Count
Kalkaska County property owner	91.7% (143)	8.3% (13)	156
Kalkaska County business owner	28.2% (20)	71.8% (51)	71
Employed in Kalkaska County	57.1% (44)	42.9% (33)	77
Summer visitor	10.8% (4)	89.2% (33)	37
Winter visitor	13.2% (5)	86.8% (33)	38
		Other (please specify)	18
answered question			162
skipped question			180

10. What is your age?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Under 18		0.0%	0
19-24		0.3%	1
25-34		9.4%	30
35-44		12.5%	40
45-54		14.7%	47
55-64		28.1%	90
65-74		22.5%	72
75 and up		12.5%	40
answered question			320
skipped question			22

11. General Comments: Please use this space for any additional recreation comments, ideas, or suggestions you may have.

	Response Count
	146
answered question	146
skipped question	196

Q1. Are you completing the survey as a:

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2	9	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
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75	4	Dec 19, 2012 12:17 PM
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78	2	Dec 19, 2012 11:47 AM
79	3	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
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81	3	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM

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231	10	Nov 21, 2012 12:01 PM

Q2. How often do you use each of the following County parks and recreation facilities?

1	Rugg Pond: I'd go if I knew where it is!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
2	Sending out a quest in December is nota good idea-people are busy.	Jan 4, 2013 5:14 AM
3	Fitness room-Plan on using this year.	Dec 28, 2012 5:04 AM
4	I would use these facilities more if I had more time.	Dec 27, 2012 8:05 AM
5	Kaliseum Fitness Room 80/year Kalkaska County Civic Center soccer field 100/year Kart trail 6/year	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
6	Rugg Pond Natural Area: Where?	Dec 27, 2012 6:28 AM
7	Would like to see a paved bike trail from Kalkaska to Traverse City	Dec 27, 2012 5:53 AM
8	I use the Kart Trail all the time.	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
9	I love the trail. I use it 4 or 5 times a week when the weather is good. Please keep it up.	Dec 26, 2012 11:25 AM
10	The pool locker rooms need work.	Dec 26, 2012 10:51 AM
11	None of these but have attended craft shows etc. Log Lake Picnic Pavilion	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
12	We would attend the "never" check above when events are there that are in our interst. We live in Grand Traverse County (northern edge)	Dec 26, 2012 10:32 AM
13	Use North Country Trail which goes thru area	Dec 26, 2012 9:11 AM
14	Events should be publisized, Didn't know about boat launch.	Dec 26, 2012 9:04 AM
15	I use these facilities during fair and dogsled races-Trout Festival, avrage once a week for disc golf. Work for seeds-use Kaliseum often in winter. Love log Lake Camp, swim, disc golf, hike	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
16	We use the playground at Log Lake a lot and Chalker Park too.	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
17	Don't pave Rugg Pond its a NATURAL Area Do not pave around the pond. I am a Rugg.	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
18	We do attend occasional functions at Springfield township recreation area.	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM
19	Moved here in Oct. No chance to try anything yet.	Dec 26, 2012 6:43 AM
20	We need a Taco Bell, Walmart or Super Store of a sort. More jobs, People will spend more if they had jobs. This city is broke beyond collecting pop bottles.	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
21	I tried to find Questionaire on the website. It was not on www.kalkaskacounty.net	Dec 21, 2012 1:55 PM
22	Pool: I used it in the past 3x week Fitness Room: I used it in the past 3x week.	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
23	Those who use the facilities should pay for them not taxpayers.	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM

Q2. How often do you use each of the following County parks and recreation facilities?

24	Why should I pay taxes for recreational things I never use?	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
25	Who has time for these things when you are just trying to make ends meet?	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
26	I used o swim 3 or 4 times a week but, it got so dirty and moldy I had to stop	Dec 21, 2012 5:58 AM
27	County owned land should be indentified	Dec 21, 2012 5:50 AM
28	To have above available-great!!!	Dec 19, 2012 1:49 PM
29	Log Lake Park needs more full hookup sites.	Dec 19, 2012 1:17 PM
30	Kaliseum should not be on the tax pole	Dec 19, 2012 12:40 PM
31	Civic Center Building I used when there was archery.	Dec 19, 2012 12:17 PM
32	Multipurpose room--wate of tax \$	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
33	Would love to see extensions & improvement to Kart Trail	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
34	Why pay to use the Kaliseum when you have to pay taxes on it? Poor use of funds.	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM
35	Rugg Pond Natural Area Where?	Dec 19, 2012 10:45 AM
36	Love the pool and personnel	Dec 19, 2012 10:18 AM
37	Fitness Room Dirty	Dec 19, 2012 8:00 AM
38	When my son was younger, we used the icerink weekly	Dec 19, 2012 7:35 AM
39	We hike & snowmobile on forest land oops- not on County land!	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
40	Where is this county - owned forest land?	Dec 19, 2012 7:18 AM
41	Pool for water aerobics.	Dec 19, 2012 6:31 AM
42	Vacant Land Hunting	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
43	Boat Lauch too crowded with high end boats. Lets pave the roads fist! Then we will talk about recreation. Welifielm for starters.	Dec 19, 2012 5:58 AM
44	Civic Center- Lots of events (Weddings etc) Now has gone to hell. Looks terrible, kitchen is disgusting, why was this resource allowed to deteriorate!?	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
45	Unaware of the location of many items listed	Dec 18, 2012 12:37 PM
46	This isn't a proper needs assessment. You would have more information if you knew age groups with need? Kaliseum has too much unused space Didn't know log lake compground & rugg pond existed	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
47	Rugg Pond Natural area - never heard of this!!! I walk the Kart Trail Mon-Frid with a friend. When the weather is bad we walk around the perimeter of the Kaliseum Ice Rink.	Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM

Q2. How often do you use each of the following County parks and recreation facilities?

48	In winter snowshoeing	Dec 18, 2012 10:54 AM
49	Athletic fields bleachers to watch our grandsons	Dec 18, 2012 10:48 AM
50	I pay taxes but don't use facilities	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
51	Although I don't use arenas, fields, campsites, etc. They are important.	Dec 18, 2012 10:11 AM
52	I did much more before I was hurt and off work 4 3/4 yrs now. Dr's are limiting many of the items above.	Dec 18, 2012 9:12 AM
53	if we loose this place we would leave a second home	Dec 18, 2012 8:48 AM
54	single mom 2 middle/elementary kids 9-11 yrs	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
55	I have lived in Kalkaska for nearly 30 years for its beauty. If we could utilize its natural resources, we could get more people to step and stay here instead of going to Traverse City and Boyne-Shanty Creek, etc.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
56	We haven't used the above often, but we feel they are each an asset to the community.	Dec 17, 2012 12:14 PM
57	Will use the Kaliseum in the future. We did attend the outdoor theatre - Great!	Dec 17, 2012 11:46 AM
58	Kart trail is nice - just never used	Dec 17, 2012 11:20 AM
59	Building doesn't look old on outside. Looks 100 years old inside - what happened?	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
60	All workers need fair wages. You get what you pay for .	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
61	open swimming - hours too limited and too expensive per use.	Dec 13, 2012 11:49 AM
62	Need to inspect picnic tables yearly! Some need to be re-placed!	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
63	the Kaliseum to dirty!	Dec 13, 2012 11:30 AM
64	Handicapped. No Transportation	Dec 13, 2012 11:26 AM
65	We use (hike) state land daily, but I don't think it's owned by the county.	Dec 13, 2012 6:56 AM
66	Sometimes use the Pavilion at Log Lake Campground	Dec 12, 2012 1:40 PM
67	School Forest is a nice place to go for a walk.	Dec 12, 2012 1:26 PM
68	Use the pool 3 times a week for last 12 years. Aerobics class.	Dec 12, 2012 1:07 PM
69	Kaliseum once attended a gun show. Hunting several times @ Rugg Pond Natural Area	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
70	Kaliseum once attended a gun show. Hunting several times @ Rugg Pond Natural Area	Dec 12, 2012 10:43 AM
71	I live in Fife Lake & do not go to Kalkaska often. I sometimes use the pool. I do,	Dec 12, 2012 10:24 AM

Q2. How often do you use each of the following County parks and recreation facilities?

however, think the Kaliseum is a worthwhile facility for the community.

72	Wasn't aware of co-owned forest land	Dec 12, 2012 10:05 AM
73	I am a 95 year old, crippled resident in Kalkaska Memorial Assisted Living	Dec 12, 2012 9:52 AM
74	We have lake property on Bear Lake and haven't been to any of these facilities. We're to old for ice skating and we use the lake for boating and swimming. We were not aware that you had a fitness center. We will have to look into some of the others.	Dec 12, 2012 9:35 AM
75	Would like to use more but I've something to complete that due to health concerns limits amount of recreation time.	Dec 12, 2012 9:28 AM
76	Fairgrounds once a year - Boat lanch twice a year	Dec 12, 2012 9:19 AM
77	bike riding vacant couty-owned forest land	Dec 12, 2012 9:12 AM
78	When built the Kaliseum was not to be public funded!	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
79	You left out the Log Lake Pavilion & Picnic Tables.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
80	Too old to participate @ 80	Dec 11, 2012 12:02 PM
81	We do go to the Fairgrounds during the fair.	Dec 11, 2012 11:08 AM
82	I am 93 years old and seldom go outside my home.	Dec 11, 2012 7:37 AM
83	Unknown location of parcels	Dec 10, 2012 1:14 PM
84	I am 83 years old; not all facilities used at this time-many used in past. We live on a lake.	Dec 10, 2012 12:37 PM
85	My husband had a stroke so we are no longer able to do these things.	Dec 10, 2012 11:42 AM
86	I don't know how we did without the ice rink for we all enjoy the athletic fields so much as both our grandsons play baseball & soccer.	Dec 10, 2012 10:18 AM
87	Not able to take advantage of these placesnow, but hope to later	Nov 25, 2012 11:34 AM
88	I don't know where Log Lake is, nor do I know the difference between county-owned land and private, and THAT can be unsafe!	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM

Q3. How satisfied are you with each of the following parks and recreation facilities?

1	Kaliseum: Pool, Ice Rink, Fitness Room, Multi-purpose room are marked both Neutral and Not satisfied. rug Pond needs cleaned up more. Needs to be child friendly.	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
2	Would like to have more walking trails @ Rugg Pond	Dec 27, 2012 7:00 AM
3	Civic Center Building too run down. Log lake Campground more water hook-ups Vacant County-owned land Where is it? Better lights & music for teen skating & roller	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
4	It's too bad the pool wasn't oympic size-it would be more useable for competition.	Dec 27, 2012 6:28 AM
5	Kalieseum Fitness Room- I went to have a look and found it to be very dark and depressing. Civic Center Building Again, very depressing space	Dec 27, 2012 6:07 AM
6	Please pick up more abandoned trash on public lands ie couches & old boats	Dec 27, 2012 5:53 AM
7	Kaliseum- Love!! Kart trail-Long Lake Campground, Campsites Disc Golf, Athletic Field, Boat Launch, Public Beach, Rugg Pond Natural Area, Vacant County-owned forest land---Have not seen these yet	Dec 27, 2012 5:40 AM
8	Kaliseum-Waste of tax \$. Very bad decision. Should have been competition length. Athletic fields could be nicer. Event arena too small. Kart Trail the best idea for Kalkaska! Athletic field terrible shape- causes injuries.	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
9	Surveror answered both Satisfied and Neutral on questionnaire.	Dec 26, 2012 11:25 AM
10	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
11	Not applicable to us right now. But feel all are needed for Kalkaska	Dec 26, 2012 10:32 AM
12	Need dog Park.	Dec 26, 2012 9:04 AM
13	Civic Center Building looks old- Terrible run off from parking lot after heavy rains at Log Lake	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
14	Kaliseum- Waste of taxpayers \$. Horse Arena- Only for rich people. Event arean--What's that? Disc Golf- That is a good thing. Athletic field- Log lake has one? Why?	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
15	Have not used any of these	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM
16	Bathroom adjacent to pool rusted doors	Dec 26, 2012 6:56 AM
17	Long Lake Campground- Sex in the open for kids to see Really? Look @ Imagination Station, needles in the ship & Castle give us a Taco Bell, A Supermart-Jobs...So many hungry people.	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
18	I strongly support having these facilities for public use.	Dec 21, 2012 1:43 PM
19	Don't use any of them but wanted to go to x-county ski last winter couldn't find anything locally	Dec 21, 2012 12:32 PM

Q3. How satisfied are you with each of the following parks and recreation facilities?

20	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
21	Pool: changing rooms not clean Multi Purpose Room: Not clean Fairgrounds: Poor Civic Center Building: Not clean Log lake Campground: Poor Public Beach (Need police more often-supervised) Rugg Pond: Needs cleaning up-tree's falled Kaliseum & Parks are not kept up well-no pride in what we have.	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
22	We pay taxes to maintain these things so everything should be fee to residents.	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
23	Tax dollars should not tbe used to pay for these recreation facilites	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
24	Why should I pay taxes for things I'm not interested in?	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
25	Where I came from our Civic ctr & smae as Kaliseum paid for themselves & didn't cost the tax payer money. Our version of Kaliseum was a private one.	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
26	Very disappointed in Pool at Kaliseum that someone screwed up whn creating it that it can't be used for swim meets.	Dec 19, 2012 1:55 PM
27	Kaliseum Needs annual monies allocated to support needs always to be clean. Great to have & right temperature/ Rugg Pond Natural Area--keep it up & clean.	Dec 19, 2012 1:49 PM
28	Rugg Pond Natural Area (Drudge the Pond)	Dec 19, 2012 1:39 PM
29	We have a very nice campground at Log Lake with a few improvements it would be a lot busier.	Dec 19, 2012 1:17 PM
30	Kaliseum shuld not be on Taxes	Dec 19, 2012 12:40 PM
31	Swimming and Ice Rink should be free to kids and teens	Dec 19, 2012 12:32 PM
32	Kart Trail Would like to see it plowed more often for us winter walkers.	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
33	Would love to see improvements go to Kart and Rugg Pond	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
34	Concession stand -filthy	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM
35	Log Lake Campground Too many behovirs with the public-inappropriate language heard everywhere.	Dec 19, 2012 10:45 AM
36	We pick up the trash sometimes to help.	Dec 19, 2012 8:39 AM
37	Log Lake Campground Too many teens with drugs hanging out	Dec 19, 2012 8:00 AM
38	Better restroom facilities	Dec 19, 2012 7:39 AM
39	Was not aware county owned forest land! It wouldn't hurt the county to donate toward Garden Club - even just a little.	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
40	Dont know where county owned land is located	Dec 19, 2012 7:30 AM
41	Kaliseum Pool Water aerobics class too large	Dec 19, 2012 6:31 AM
42	Get rid of jet skis	Dec 19, 2012 5:58 AM

Q3. How satisfied are you with each of the following parks and recreation facilities?

43	Need new Library there if you are refering to county land behind Kaleseum	Dec 19, 2012 5:41 AM
44	Pool should have been built to standards so high school pool events could be held there.	Dec 18, 2012 1:46 PM
45	Just a tiny effort could make multi purpose room an attractive area. but clearly no-one cares to	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
46	Don't use	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
47	Kaliseum needs to be cleaner	Dec 18, 2012 11:57 AM
48	multi-purpose room should be finished civic center should be imporved up grade campsites	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
49	Safe + updated wheel chairs, new children life jackets, working toilets. (clean) I find the Kaliseum dirty	Dec 18, 2012 11:00 AM
50	Log Lk need improvements	Dec 18, 2012 10:34 AM
51	keep the trails open	Dec 18, 2012 10:28 AM
52	Pickle bass is popular in the Kaliseum	Dec 18, 2012 10:24 AM
53	Don't use it	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
54	Use the pool 3x a week. Locker facilites need upgrade	Dec 18, 2012 9:24 AM
55	Blank lines I'm not sure of	Dec 18, 2012 9:12 AM
56	Better habit for wildlife	Dec 18, 2012 8:48 AM
57	The Boat launch on aarwood trail and freedom park need restrooms with running water badly or porta johns tht are cleaned often	Dec 18, 2012 8:15 AM
58	never been to lake or rugg pond	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
59	We need more concessions, events, family oriented nature areas with ammenities.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
60	Kaliseum iin general needs a lot of work. You can't put kids, (hockey) in same locker room as a member	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
61	Workers need better wages and insurance and retirement benefits	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
62	Kaliseum changing area too dirty	Dec 13, 2012 11:30 AM
63	not available	Dec 13, 2012 11:26 AM
64	Maintenance required, invest in caretakers and support them!	Dec 12, 2012 1:40 PM
65	N/A BECAUSE WE DO NOT USE THEM	Dec 12, 2012 12:49 PM
66	We don't use them enough to have an opinion.	Dec 12, 2012 11:49 AM

Q3. How satisfied are you with each of the following parks and recreation facilities?

67	Needs more events	Dec 12, 2012 11:04 AM
68	got all we need	Dec 12, 2012 10:48 AM
69	Keep up the good work.	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
70	Athletic fields could be better	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
71	As an observer occasionally.	Dec 11, 2012 12:02 PM
72	Kaliseum costs to much!	Dec 11, 2012 9:52 AM
73	Does not apply.	Dec 11, 2012 9:43 AM
74	Log Lake campgrounds is DIRTY & so are people running	Dec 11, 2012 9:23 AM
75	They are wonderful facilities for visitors and people in our county.	Dec 10, 2012 11:42 AM
76	Pool-cold. Ice rink-Zamboni needs ran more often. Concession stand needs Pepsi products.	Dec 10, 2012 9:58 AM
77	Log Lake Campground is a wonderful asset but needs help	Nov 21, 2012 6:35 PM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

Kaliseum		
1	Publicize where these are!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
2	too expensive for low income Families	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
3	Great Complex but showers need work & Drsg.en. very cold.	Jan 4, 2013 5:14 AM
5	Just to make myself go use it.	Jan 3, 2013 6:22 AM
7	4-H should be able to use-it just sits empty	Jan 2, 2013 5:54 AM
9	Swimsuit dryer, warmer pool, more free swim hours	Dec 27, 2012 8:22 AM
11	Pool without Chlorine	Dec 27, 2012 8:05 AM
12	The pool area is outdated.	Dec 27, 2012 7:56 AM
13	Close	Dec 27, 2012 7:21 AM
15	More teen activities	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
17	A better Conditioning Center	Dec 27, 2012 6:20 AM
19	More cardio-machines in working order. Warmer pool area & water in the winter months. Lower in-county membership fees.	Dec 27, 2012 5:53 AM
20	This place is wonderful!!	Dec 27, 2012 5:40 AM
23	Pool schedule that doesn't change every week: Ability to reserve pickleball courts	Dec 26, 2012 11:50 AM
24	Sold/Pulverized	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
25	Possibly expand open swimtimes of pool	Dec 26, 2012 11:30 AM
27	Finish the multi-purpose room & update the gym to be more inviting & less dismal & bland	Dec 26, 2012 11:09 AM
28	Redo locker rooms	Dec 26, 2012 10:51 AM
29	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
32	None	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
33	Sound barriers in ice rink so can hear announcers or music or like when circus or meeting is in there.	Dec 26, 2012 8:31 AM
35	We enjoy our time there as is	Dec 26, 2012 7:48 AM
36	New weight equipment in the fitness room, temperature control in showers, general maintenance.	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

37	Burn it down. Waste of money The people voted against it and you did it anyway.	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
39	Locker room--Locers repaired, doors on bathrooms, cleaner showers	Dec 26, 2012 7:06 AM
40	Womens bathroom next to pool repair, replace stalls	Dec 26, 2012 6:56 AM
41	Expanded use	Dec 26, 2012 6:03 AM
42	Cleaner Fitness Room	Dec 26, 2012 5:53 AM
43	Its too far out for all to enjoy, gas prices are ridiculous	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
44	Pool warmer for senior exercise. More activities for teen agers.	Dec 21, 2012 1:55 PM
46	Nothing	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
49	Don't need any	Dec 21, 2012 12:39 PM
51	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
52	General Cleanliness-Restoom/locker rooms are in terrible condition. They smell awful, and are in need of repairs on doors, counters, etc.	Dec 21, 2012 12:18 PM
53	Repair workout machines in a timely fashion	Dec 21, 2012 11:36 AM
54	I would like to see it cleaner-	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
56	"Quality" activities, events (Cage fighting is at the bottom)	Dec 21, 2012 11:13 AM
57	Love "Movie Night" & free skate night. My kids love the concerts there!!	Dec 21, 2012 10:59 AM
58	The fitness center needs more small weights a woman could use. They had plenty of free weights for men, but few lighter weights a woman could use. Finish off the upstairs, install lighting so it's suitable for events.	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
59	Have the fee's less for property owners	Dec 21, 2012 9:40 AM
60	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
61	Exercise-zumba, step aerobics, dance	Dec 21, 2012 9:10 AM
62	Property free use for taxpayers	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
65	None	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
66	Locker room needs sprucing up	Dec 21, 2012 7:32 AM
67	When it is empty for cleaning & repainting sometims, knock out the one end to extend it & make it long enough to be a competitive size pool	Dec 21, 2012 7:25 AM
68	Privatize & stop stealing my \$'s to pay for it	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
69	An improvement would be to stop taxing for it. Sell it & privatize it or fundraiser	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

	to support it.	
71	clean pool/warmer water/clean showers	Dec 21, 2012 5:58 AM
73	I would like to see the deferred maintenance, roof, rust, mechanical systems taken care of. After that I believe the building needs to be repurposed possibly into a wellness center as well as have a professional management company run the facility.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
74	Fix the pool so it can be used for swim meets	Dec 19, 2012 1:55 PM
75	Cleanliness is most important for the pool, fitness rooms & locker rooms. Often they are dirty or feel that they are. Locker room updates would be appreciated.	Dec 19, 2012 1:27 PM
78	Off taxes	Dec 19, 2012 12:40 PM
79	More free programs for kid and teen	Dec 19, 2012 12:32 PM
81	better care of equipment, more exercise classes	Dec 19, 2012 12:17 PM
82	Perhaps combining Public Library into Kaliseum, good value facility	Dec 19, 2012 12:09 PM
83	Should never been built	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
84	A more diverse offering of events there and classes	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
85	Stop paying taxes of stop charging tax payers to use	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM
86	Close Remove from extra Taxes	Dec 19, 2012 10:52 AM
87	More lap times for working adults	Dec 19, 2012 10:45 AM
88	Knowledgable Staff	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
89	Reduce fees for seniors already payign property tax on it.	Dec 19, 2012 8:39 AM
90	Monitor fitness room use for unpaid quests and for abuse of the equipment. At least weekly wipe-down of equipment	Dec 19, 2012 8:15 AM
91	Cheaper prices for Karate, Dance Center, etc.	Dec 19, 2012 8:07 AM
92	Clean the facility Have outside company come in to clean bathrooms need fixing & outdating	Dec 19, 2012 8:00 AM
94	landscaping	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
96	Either make the use of the Kaliseum free to co residents or remove the tax assesment and make it pay for use	Dec 19, 2012 7:18 AM
97	More maintenance in locker room	Dec 19, 2012 7:11 AM
98	Beautiful Building	Dec 19, 2012 6:56 AM
99	Need supdating	Dec 19, 2012 6:31 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

100	More slides for pool area	Dec 19, 2012 6:21 AM
101	none	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
102	Again. fix the roads! The we will discuss the extras	Dec 19, 2012 5:58 AM
103	More work on locker room	Dec 19, 2012 5:41 AM
105	Used to use fitness area, had memberships 3-4 years too icky	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
106	The pool area is in need for improvemnet. Needs to be cleaned FINISH THE BUILDING Put in the ceiling tiles, very unprofessional	Dec 18, 2012 1:18 PM
107	More locers that function in womens locker room. Toilet doors that function and lock in womens locker room. More space for pickleball courts-with clean floors	Dec 18, 2012 12:37 PM
109	New manager -(No people skills at all) The facility isn't being taken care of.	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
110	better housekeeping, improve locker facilities	Dec 18, 2012 11:57 AM
111	outside looks bad with rust on buidling not finished up stairs stud walls no ceiling panels	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
112	Cleanliness Needs Air condidtioning	Dec 18, 2012 11:45 AM
113	shower room upgrades, more dance classes	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
114	Better maintenance of tread mills	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
115	Showers, shower heads & ventilation in lovker room, pool cleanliness	Dec 18, 2012 11:28 AM
116	I would like to see more open swimtime for the pool and the lights turned on in the Ice rink, when I walk in there, only 1/10 of the lights are on.	Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM
118	Just to have the pool a little cleaner	Dec 18, 2012 10:48 AM
120	locker rooms/showers - varied class schedule (evening workouts)	Dec 18, 2012 10:37 AM
122	Toilet area-door latches-womens locker room	Dec 18, 2012 10:24 AM
123	Locker rooms dirty and smelly need better cleaning and disinfectants	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
126	Showers are not consistently hot. Water flow not always great either.	Dec 18, 2012 9:48 AM
131	Hot Tub	Dec 18, 2012 9:02 AM
132	ice all year	Dec 18, 2012 8:48 AM
133	none	Dec 18, 2012 8:25 AM
134	Love going there AJ is the best	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
135	No tax money support there are far better uses	Dec 18, 2012 7:09 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

136	More open skate time, lower prices for food & drinks	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
137	more activities for families - like 'family night' or 'movie night'	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
138	Would like a larger outdoor theatre screen	Dec 17, 2012 11:46 AM
141	warmer water	Dec 17, 2012 11:10 AM
142	pricing	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
144	the fitness room is a complete mess. Dirty, old & broken, equipment. Not in the lease family oriented. Need all new modern eqp.	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
145	We are pleased with the progress that has been made getting more & more people & organizations to use the Kaliseum	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
147	Ladies locker room shower stall floors fixed so you aren't standing in other peoples shower water, why I don't go anymore	Dec 13, 2012 11:54 AM
148	fenced are for dogs	Dec 13, 2012 11:49 AM
149	air condition upstairs work out rm's are to hot in summer	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
151	lower rates for senior citizens. Even though there are senior rates they are still too much for so many of us.	Dec 13, 2012 11:34 AM
154	frfresh paint	Dec 13, 2012 7:23 AM
155	More events	Dec 12, 2012 1:49 PM
158	Continued support of the mechanical upgrades and of A.J.	Dec 12, 2012 1:07 PM
160	More open swimming	Dec 12, 2012 12:16 PM
161	New workout equipment	Dec 12, 2012 12:01 PM
162	Improve locker rooms, hair dryers, roller to wring out bathing suits.	Dec 12, 2012 11:56 AM
163	Better maintenance & cleaning of pool locker rooms	Dec 12, 2012 11:09 AM
164	more events/vendors	Dec 12, 2012 11:04 AM
166	shut down - make it senior housing (not on taxes)	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
167	NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
168	NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:43 AM
170	SHUT IT DOWN	Dec 12, 2012 10:16 AM
171	update pool - not appealing to look at while swimming	Dec 12, 2012 10:14 AM
172	continue to support & maintain Kaliseum	Dec 12, 2012 10:07 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

174	Its not very clean and not maintained!	Dec 12, 2012 10:01 AM
175	Swimming pool drained and cleaned every 3 months	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
176	Better workolut equipment - for the cost	Dec 12, 2012 9:47 AM
177	Tear it down	Dec 12, 2012 9:41 AM
180	Make it cleaner	Dec 12, 2012 9:29 AM
182	more swim lesson opportunities	Dec 12, 2012 9:25 AM
183	shut down	Dec 12, 2012 9:19 AM
185	Would like to see it took off county taxes	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
186	Needs to be painted inside - rust - can we get a big enough dehumitifier?	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
187	The local people should get discounted fee to use the facility as had been promised.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
188	Better lighting in the multipurpose room. Store unused equipment.	Dec 12, 2012 7:41 AM
189	Keep it cleaner!	Dec 11, 2012 1:51 PM
190	Keep clean, well lit.	Dec 11, 2012 1:43 PM
192	The fitness room needs newer, better maintained equipment. The yearly fees are too much. Gyms in Traverse City have lower rates and better equipment.	Dec 11, 2012 12:50 PM
193	A batting cage would be nice.	Dec 11, 2012 12:37 PM
194	Keep the restrooms clean.	Dec 11, 2012 12:21 PM
195	Better/newer equipment	Dec 11, 2012 12:16 PM
198	Art shows or fairs (not arts & crafts) Crafts have a tendency to dominate & crowd out art.	Dec 11, 2012 11:31 AM
201	Pilates classes	Dec 11, 2012 10:40 AM
202	Raquet Ball Court	Dec 11, 2012 10:09 AM
203	Reduce tax on us	Dec 11, 2012 9:52 AM
205	No idea at this moment.	Dec 11, 2012 7:59 AM
207	We really only use the pool-but it would be nice to see it "refreshed" get rid of all the rust like on the slide. Also, we need more classes available-yoga? Sign language?	Dec 11, 2012 7:17 AM
208	The pool painted and also the pool area walls.	Dec 11, 2012 6:45 AM
209	Maintain them	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

212	Better equipment, floor needs repair, kept cleaner, the maintenance is not at all good.	Dec 10, 2012 12:58 PM
213	No comment	Dec 10, 2012 12:47 PM
216	Neutral	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
217	Properly fund its operations.	Dec 10, 2012 11:59 AM
219	Cleaner/Better maintained fitness area.	Dec 10, 2012 11:25 AM
220	None	Dec 10, 2012 10:46 AM
221	A comfortable seating area for tired people that wait for hours and hours for the kids to skate! We don't leave ours.	Dec 10, 2012 10:18 AM
223	Pool heater needs fixed. Zamboni needs ran more often.	Dec 10, 2012 9:58 AM
224	Privatize the Kaliseum to reduce county expense	Dec 10, 2012 9:44 AM
225	Clean it up/I have heard it is filthy.	Dec 10, 2012 7:57 AM
226	Close down so I don't have to pay taxes on it	Dec 10, 2012 7:41 AM
227	More Community Events for Community, Dog Shows, Arts-Crafts, Bridal shows, etc.	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
228	Lower prices, will not go back an play hockey as long as AJ is running the place.	Dec 4, 2012 4:52 AM
230	A pool that was the correct size for meets. A 'Mommie & Me" pool that was extra warm, and pool just for seniors. A sauna. A rubber running track. Basketball courts. Rooms set aside for aerobics, yoga, and pilates - with regular classes.	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM
231	clean it up, need seating. update	Nov 21, 2012 6:58 PM
234	Some sort of Day Care for patrons. More machines and circulation of air in the work out room.	Nov 21, 2012 12:01 PM
Kalkaska County Civic Center/Fairgrounds		
1	Publicize where these are!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
4	Civic Center updated-Better lighting-skate park	Jan 3, 2013 6:36 AM
6	Better Parking	Jan 3, 2013 6:16 AM
11	More rabbit shows	Dec 27, 2012 8:05 AM
15	Too run down make it nice to hold wedding receptions at ect.	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
18	Nice start on the landscaping :) Need much more & trees to line the trail.	Dec 27, 2012 6:07 AM
20	Have never gone	Dec 27, 2012 5:40 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

22	Building Maintenance	Dec 26, 2012 12:02 PM
24	Cleaner more updated	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
27	Nice building, but it's a barn...not nice to hold receptions, etc.	Dec 26, 2012 11:09 AM
29	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
32	None	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
34	Facelift Inside	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
36	Never been to the civic center and the fairgrounds are plain.	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
37	Keep mowing	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
38	A real fair would be nice. Not just a 4-H fair	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM
42	Updated Building	Dec 26, 2012 5:53 AM
43	Once a year Trout Festival and its always too cold. change the date. And the expense, you will see less and less people	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
44	Better event advertising	Dec 21, 2012 1:55 PM
46	Nothing	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
49	Could be improved made larger	Dec 21, 2012 12:39 PM
51	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
52	It is a shame that restrooms are in poor repair and often filthy. Would be nice if open for 4-H Archery to us in winter.	Dec 21, 2012 12:18 PM
53	Open year round	Dec 21, 2012 11:36 AM
54	Building are in very poor shape and dirty	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
57	n/a	Dec 21, 2012 10:59 AM
58	Rundown floor & walls put archery outside or separately. If it looked better it would be more attractive for weddings, etc. Musers wreck floor with their cleated shoes--should not be allowed.	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
60	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
61	undecided	Dec 21, 2012 9:10 AM
63	Dog Park	Dec 21, 2012 8:35 AM
65	None	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
68	Privatize & stop stealing my \$'s to pay for it	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

69	None/Is a fairgrounds needed for a couple of functions a year?	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
73	I would like to see a complete review of the grounds, structures and roadways reviewed in hopes of a more orderly functioning and aesthetically pleasing campus.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
77	Closed	Dec 19, 2012 1:11 PM
80	Better Ground Maintenance	Dec 19, 2012 12:25 PM
83	nice	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
84	Neutral	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
85	Filthy, people leave junk that spoils in concession & they don't clean up after themselves.	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM
87	more family clubs or activities	Dec 19, 2012 10:45 AM
88	Billfields need better benches and dugouts	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
89	More trash cans during events.	Dec 19, 2012 8:39 AM
91	Needs to be cleaned up	Dec 19, 2012 8:07 AM
101	none	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
105	It is disgusting "criminal" that it was allowed to fall apart like it has. "wasted" resource	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
106	Better/more activities and entertainment for Trout Festival	Dec 18, 2012 1:18 PM
109	DPW needs to clean up their junk by the 4H area.	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
111	above - referring to Kaliseum coments	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
112	more landscaping building updates	Dec 18, 2012 11:45 AM
123	n/a	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
133	none	Dec 18, 2012 8:25 AM
134	more activities square dancing	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
136	Weekend concerts, nice powered, covered pavillions	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
137	It would be awesome to turn in cement floor upstairs into roller skating rink in winter	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
142	building need to have maintenance and repairs	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
143	When I've been there, cold and not very attractive	Dec 17, 2012 10:58 AM
145	same as above	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

149	Needs updating ugly inside	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
155	More events	Dec 12, 2012 1:49 PM
160	More in door sports besides wrestling	Dec 12, 2012 12:16 PM
166	fees	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
167	SAME AS ABOVE, NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
168	SAME AS ABOVE, NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:43 AM
171	At the baseball fields the bathrooms are HORRID	Dec 12, 2012 10:14 AM
183	a better 4-H fair & program	Dec 12, 2012 9:19 AM
185	Would like to see it used more.	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
186	It's fine	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
187	O.K.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
188	Cleaner and maintained bathrooms at ball field concessions.	Dec 12, 2012 7:41 AM
194	Civic Center area needs work	Dec 11, 2012 12:21 PM
196	Remodel buildings & pavillion	Dec 11, 2012 12:09 PM
201	N/A	Dec 11, 2012 10:40 AM
202	Ball fields need lights-better infield dirt/clay	Dec 11, 2012 10:09 AM
205	No idea.	Dec 11, 2012 7:59 AM
209	Maintain them	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
211	Warm up arena for horse shows, could be bigger for safety reasons.	Dec 10, 2012 1:14 PM
213	No comment	Dec 10, 2012 12:47 PM
216	Neutral	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
217	Refit / fix fans / Proper up keep & maintenance	Dec 10, 2012 11:59 AM
220	None	Dec 10, 2012 10:46 AM
221	Improvement of the grandstand. Fix lights at parking lot. More electrical outlets on grounds. Cleaner TOILETS! Better water system so it's drinkable.	Dec 10, 2012 10:18 AM
223	Concession stands should offer Pepsi Products.	Dec 10, 2012 9:58 AM
227	RV shows, Boat shows, Auto shows, Promoting Area Businesses	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
231	rough shape,	Nov 21, 2012 6:58 PM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

233	Civic Center updated	Nov 21, 2012 6:18 PM
234	My children use it for the concerts: I have no experience with it.	Nov 21, 2012 12:01 PM
KART Trail		
1	Publicize where these are!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
10	More trail developed-possibly to neighboring towns.	Dec 27, 2012 8:10 AM
15	Good!	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
17	Needs expanding	Dec 27, 2012 6:20 AM
19	Connect paved trail to Traverse City	Dec 27, 2012 5:53 AM
24	More of it! Excellent. Connect to Tart Trail.	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
26	Some lighting so you could walk in the evening.	Dec 26, 2012 11:25 AM
27	Love it!!	Dec 26, 2012 11:09 AM
29	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
32	None	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
36	Extend the length, add drinking fountains, post mile markers.	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
37	Who cares	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
42	Love This!	Dec 26, 2012 5:53 AM
46	Nothing	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
47	Lights Trash cans	Dec 21, 2012 1:19 PM
49	Could be made longer	Dec 21, 2012 12:39 PM
51	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
52	Looks nice	Dec 21, 2012 12:18 PM
53	Keep clean in winter	Dec 21, 2012 11:36 AM
54	Well used and appreciated by many	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
57	n/a	Dec 21, 2012 10:59 AM
58	Clear snow and ice in winter so people can walk safely	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
59	Trout Festival not beat up on the flower beds	Dec 21, 2012 9:40 AM
60	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

62	More advertizing on location.	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
65	None	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
67	Irrigation installed so the landscaping beds can be watered & flourish	Dec 21, 2012 7:25 AM
68	Privatize & stop stealing my \$'s to pay for it	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
69	Those that us it should pay or fund raise to support!	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
73	I wish for Kalkaska County to come under the administrative umbrella of the TARTT organization so that like in Grand Traverse and Leelanau Counties there are annual additions to the KARTT trail system.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
74	Connect it to TC Tart Trail also bring it into Rapid River Valley	Dec 19, 2012 1:55 PM
77	Closed	Dec 19, 2012 1:11 PM
81	Cleared in Winter	Dec 19, 2012 12:17 PM
83	It's a beautiful asset to Kalkaska, could use more plowing in winter.	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
84	Extensions to -paoved trails extend north to Rugg Pond	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
87	lights for night walks	Dec 19, 2012 10:45 AM
88	It could be bigger/longer	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
94	An organized effort to include businesses in upkeep (weeding, etc) with recognition for that business	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
101	none	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
103	Could use water system for berms	Dec 19, 2012 5:41 AM
105	Extend	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
107	Dog waste bags available at convenient intervals along with waste recepticals.	Dec 18, 2012 12:37 PM
109	It's great!	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
111	very nice we need more flowers & trees or more islands	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
116	Please keep the trail better groomed in the winter. last week 1/2 was a sheet of ice & the part from the end of Kalkaska rd & M-72 were not even cleared of snow.	Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM
123	needs to expanded into forest	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
126	connect with other towns	Dec 18, 2012 9:48 AM
127	Don't use these facilities to make any suggestions	Dec 18, 2012 9:29 AM
130	more info availability	Dec 18, 2012 9:07 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

133	none	Dec 18, 2012 8:25 AM
134	more activities	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
137	more benches - I think there is only one or two (to rest)	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
142	ok	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
144	don't have any idea where this is	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
145	same as above	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
149	love it	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
154	expand	Dec 13, 2012 7:23 AM
157	Perfect	Dec 12, 2012 1:26 PM
166	never	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
171	Keep up the good work here!	Dec 12, 2012 10:14 AM
174	Very nice!	Dec 12, 2012 10:01 AM
175	Stone & boarders on difficult paths	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
179	Grooming for snowmobiles	Dec 12, 2012 9:35 AM
182	Maybe an added bench or two	Dec 12, 2012 9:25 AM
185	Keep up Maintaince	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
186	garbage bags for dog poop & garbages	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
187	No opinion.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
188	More dog-bag dispensers and garbage cans.	Dec 12, 2012 7:41 AM
190	Connect to other communities or destinations	Dec 11, 2012 1:43 PM
192	The people who maintain the burms should be acknowledges with their names on the burms.	Dec 11, 2012 12:50 PM
193	Maybe a couple more benches? A BATHROOM!! (Porta-potty-anything :-) Possibly lighting? To provide better security if walking near dusk/dark.	Dec 11, 2012 12:37 PM
194	Forget it	Dec 11, 2012 12:21 PM
196	Lighted at night-	Dec 11, 2012 12:09 PM
199	More attention on grooming trails & maintenance	Dec 11, 2012 11:19 AM
201	N/A	Dec 11, 2012 10:40 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

202	LIGHTING!!!! Better maintenance in winter months. Snow and ice removal not being done.	Dec 11, 2012 10:09 AM
207	Beautiful-can everyone garden in that community garden area? If yes that should be advertised more.	Dec 11, 2012 7:17 AM
208	Exercise stops.	Dec 11, 2012 6:45 AM
209	Maintain them	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
213	No comment	Dec 10, 2012 12:47 PM
216	Neutral	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
217	?	Dec 10, 2012 11:59 AM
218	Connect to surrounding trails.	Dec 10, 2012 11:42 AM
220	None	Dec 10, 2012 10:46 AM
223	More of those beautiful flowers.	Dec 10, 2012 9:58 AM
227	Planned walking/running events for seniors, children, etc.	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
229	Trail should be extended to Rugg Pond and Seven Bridges	Nov 30, 2012 10:25 AM
230	Oh come on bring something West into the county that a parent can take a child on safely.	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM
231	needs to have the black top re coated	Nov 21, 2012 6:58 PM
234	I assume the KART trail is the paved one around the Kaliseum? If it is, I would suggest to not use the blacktop with the crushed glass. It ruins tennis shoes and for people that go barefoot, it can be rough.	Nov 21, 2012 12:01 PM
Log Lake Campground		
1	Publicize where these are!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
8	Seems to be getting "rougher crowd" In evenings lots of swearing teens and worry-some horse play.	Dec 27, 2012 8:29 AM
15	More H2o hook-ups	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
17	Never been there	Dec 27, 2012 6:20 AM
24	Fix athletic field area	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
27	Don't go often, but nicely maintained	Dec 26, 2012 11:09 AM
29	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
31	New/Improved caretakers (ones who care)	Dec 26, 2012 8:56 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

32	None	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
33	More clean up, cigarette butt containers,, recycle bin arund beach	Dec 26, 2012 8:31 AM
34	New Baskets for Disc Golf-Shrubs for a Hedge along fence at campground	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
36	More trees at campsite, make disc golf course better marked and mapped . Make it easier to book a pavillin	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
37	Who cares	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
43	This is the only place people can enjoy, but enjoymnet of the sexual variety. Cigarettes in the sand. Great for kids to pull up in theyre shovel of sand.	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
46	Cleaner lake...Gross, wouldn't ever swim in it	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
49	Ok The way it is	Dec 21, 2012 12:39 PM
51	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
52	Don't use	Dec 21, 2012 12:18 PM
54	I have experienced sexual predators there who prey on little ones. I take kids and go home--more police needed	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
57	n/a	Dec 21, 2012 10:59 AM
58	Fix up pick nic pavilions-pait, fix cracks in concrete, replace tables that tip over when people sit on just one side, gravel parking areas	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
60	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
61	lake water is gross	Dec 21, 2012 9:10 AM
62	Property free for taxpayers	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
64	I think the county could save money eliminate campground	Dec 21, 2012 7:59 AM
65	None	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
68	Privatize & stop stealing my \$'s to pay for it	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
70	Fee's for all-- no exceptions--include walk-in swimming	Dec 21, 2012 6:09 AM
71	Swim area improved	Dec 21, 2012 5:58 AM
73	I would like to see Log Lake Campground marketed better.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
77	Closed	Dec 19, 2012 1:11 PM
83	nice	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
84	never been there	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

88	n/a	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
95	Needs better management within the county-If at all possible thes needs better management - not just the people to run it.	Dec 19, 2012 7:30 AM
98	Recent improvements are great	Dec 19, 2012 6:56 AM
101	none	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
109	Managers don't clean up any more than they have to! Restrooms are terrible	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
111	day visits only never camped there	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
113	didn't know about it	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
116	Nasty little campground w/an extremely ever crowded beach & camping area during summer. Don't know how you can fix that.	Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM
118	He keep everything awesome	Dec 18, 2012 10:48 AM
123	n/a	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
127	Don't use these facilities to make any suggestions	Dec 18, 2012 9:29 AM
130	more info availability	Dec 18, 2012 9:07 AM
133	none	Dec 18, 2012 8:25 AM
134	more info	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
136	Disc Golf course needs better markings/reasonably priced disc golf supplies	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
137	None	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
142	ok	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
144	don't have any idea where this is	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
145	Pleased to see some imporvements Caretakers would do better if paid better wages	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
148	public bathroom, fenced are for dogs	Dec 13, 2012 11:49 AM
149	It could be a gem if imporved.	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
152	make it more attractive	Dec 13, 2012 11:30 AM
156	See above-Law enforcement needs to back caretakers so area is safe at all hours.	Dec 12, 2012 1:40 PM
157	Good as is.	Dec 12, 2012 1:26 PM
160	More outdoor activities	Dec 12, 2012 12:16 PM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

164	don't know	Dec 12, 2012 11:04 AM
166	fees	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
167	SAME AS ABOVE, NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
168	SAME AS ABOVE, NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:43 AM
169	Clean up drug activity and language used by gisc golfers	Dec 12, 2012 10:22 AM
171	Don't use	Dec 12, 2012 10:14 AM
174	fun place for family	Dec 12, 2012 10:01 AM
175	Irrigation System	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
182	No smoking on beach	Dec 12, 2012 9:25 AM
185	Satisfied as is	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
186	It's fine	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
187	More Restrooms.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
188	Improved beach area. The beach would attract use of the other facilities.	Dec 12, 2012 7:41 AM
191	Cable & WiFi hook ups	Dec 11, 2012 1:37 PM
196	Improve athletic field	Dec 11, 2012 12:09 PM
201	N/A	Dec 11, 2012 10:40 AM
202	N/A	Dec 11, 2012 10:09 AM
204	Has anyone went into camp store? Matteress on Floor Dirty!!	Dec 11, 2012 9:23 AM
209	Maintain them	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
213	No comment	Dec 10, 2012 12:47 PM
216	Neutral	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
217	?	Dec 10, 2012 11:59 AM
220	None	Dec 10, 2012 10:46 AM
227	More Promotion	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
231	drag the lake to clean the sand up. I know that is way to expensive	Nov 21, 2012 6:58 PM
232	Pavillion, ball diamond, disc course, campground and beach improvements.	Nov 21, 2012 6:35 PM

Rugg Pond Natural Area

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

1	Publicize where these are!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
2	needs to be more child friendly	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
11	Trails (not paved)	Dec 27, 2012 8:05 AM
14	Walking Trails	Dec 27, 2012 7:00 AM
15	OK	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
16	Not sure where this is.	Dec 27, 2012 6:28 AM
18	Love it! Would be nice if it had more of a hiking trail.	Dec 27, 2012 6:07 AM
21	Dock, Picnic tables, grills	Dec 26, 2012 1:54 PM
27	Love it!	Dec 26, 2012 11:09 AM
29	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
32	None	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
36	Never heard of it	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
37	Don't mess with Rugg Pond you idiots	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
43	Who can get there? Who are you people?	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
45	Improved access and facilities on South Shore Property	Dec 21, 2012 1:43 PM
46	Nothing	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
48	More walking trails in the area.	Dec 21, 2012 12:50 PM
49	Ok The way it is	Dec 21, 2012 12:39 PM
51	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
52	Restrooms would be nice-if maintained.	Dec 21, 2012 12:18 PM
54	Same tree's fell last spring still there in parking lot- no care-	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
55	More sitting area	Dec 21, 2012 11:16 AM
57	n/a	Dec 21, 2012 10:59 AM
58	What about draining it & letting it revert to a real natural area. The damn is not needed & requires maintenance	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
60	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
61	IDK (I don't know)	Dec 21, 2012 9:10 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

62	Nothing	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
65	None	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
67	Install a few benches	Dec 21, 2012 7:25 AM
68	Privatize & stop stealing my \$'s to maintain for it	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
69	Economy too poor to worry about this & Rugg Pond area! Or any other recreational things.	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
73	I would like to see the Rugg Pond Dam studied for its physical and ecological long term life and impact.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
74	Very good as is. Should be mowed more regularly.	Dec 19, 2012 1:55 PM
76	More full hook-up sites, New beach sand, Remodel showers & Bathrooms	Dec 19, 2012 1:17 PM
77	Passible	Dec 19, 2012 1:11 PM
83	?	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
84	Extend biking trail there! maybe tie in seven bridges	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
88	n/a	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
94	Did not know this was open to public - lived herer 30 years.	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
101	none	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
105	Make more accomodating for handicapped	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
108	Keep up on spillways clean up the area	Dec 18, 2012 12:25 PM
109	Beautiful!	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
110	Deepen pond	Dec 18, 2012 11:57 AM
111	looks good1	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
113	didn't know about it	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
116	Where is tghis? I have lived here for a 10 yrs. and I have never heard of this.	Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM
119	Nice spot	Dec 18, 2012 10:44 AM
123	n/a	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
127	Don't use these facilities to make any suggestions	Dec 18, 2012 9:29 AM
128	Remove silt from the pond - deepen water?	Dec 18, 2012 9:24 AM
130	more info availability	Dec 18, 2012 9:07 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

133	more benches & a few picnic tables	Dec 18, 2012 8:25 AM
134	more info	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
136	I take my family on picnics to Rugg Pond	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
137	None	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
140	none	Dec 17, 2012 11:13 AM
141	more trails	Dec 17, 2012 11:10 AM
142	neutral	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
144	don't have any idea where this is	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
147	tolit facility	Dec 13, 2012 11:54 AM
149	wonderful	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
157	More seats to rest and enjoy scenery on.	Dec 12, 2012 1:26 PM
160	OK	Dec 12, 2012 12:16 PM
164	more fishing opportunities	Dec 12, 2012 11:04 AM
167	Fine the way it is.	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
168	Fine the way it is.	Dec 12, 2012 10:43 AM
173	Picnic Tables	Dec 12, 2012 10:05 AM
174	Beautiful!	Dec 12, 2012 10:01 AM
184	dredge it	Dec 12, 2012 9:12 AM
185	Satisfied as is	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
186	I like it how it is. Is it ture they are taking out the damn?	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
187	Porta Johns.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
201	N/A	Dec 11, 2012 10:40 AM
202	N/A	Dec 11, 2012 10:09 AM
205	More bench seats & picnic tables.	Dec 11, 2012 7:59 AM
207	Beautiful!	Dec 11, 2012 7:17 AM
209	Maintain them	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
211	A small dock for fishing off of would be nice.	Dec 10, 2012 1:14 PM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

213	No comment	Dec 10, 2012 12:47 PM
216	Neutral	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
217	?	Dec 10, 2012 11:59 AM
220	None	Dec 10, 2012 10:46 AM
223	Could use marked hiking trails.	Dec 10, 2012 9:58 AM
227	More Promotion	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
229	Dam should be removed and area restored. Installing a kayak park might mitigate some of the cost of restoration.	Nov 30, 2012 10:25 AM
230	BATHROOMS & GARBAGE CANS!!!	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM
Vacant County-owned forest land		
1	Publicize where these are!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
7	List of where these are.	Jan 2, 2013 5:54 AM
8	More trails- c-county ski, snow shoe, walking, etc.	Dec 27, 2012 8:29 AM
15	Where is it & what can you use it for? I would use it if I knew about it.	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
18	Please, don't change a thing (unless its just improving the trail system	Dec 27, 2012 6:07 AM
27	Beautiful!!	Dec 26, 2012 11:09 AM
28	New Library	Dec 26, 2012 10:51 AM
29	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
30	Dog Park	Dec 26, 2012 9:04 AM
32	None	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
34	Hiking trails	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
36	Distribute maps for them-we don't know where to find these.	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
37	Plant some maple not scrubs	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
40	None	Dec 26, 2012 6:56 AM
43	Does anyone know its there or what its for? Everyone who lives in Kalkaska needs a job.	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
46	Nothing	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
49	Don't need to be improved	Dec 21, 2012 12:39 PM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

51	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
54	Dont go there--leave natural	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
57	n/a	Dec 21, 2012 10:59 AM
58	Not sure what this refers to or how big an area	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
60	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
62	More advertizing on location	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
65	None	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
68	Stop cutting the tree's. Where is that money going?	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
72	Property should be identified on site	Dec 21, 2012 5:50 AM
73	I would like a policy that maintains a zero loss range of public lands in the County.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
77	Passible	Dec 19, 2012 1:11 PM
84	work into the hiking/biking trails system	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
88	n/a	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
94	Don't know where this is!	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
96	Better or make announcement of where this land it.	Dec 19, 2012 7:18 AM
101	none	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
103	A new library would be a wonderful thing for county owned land behind Kaleseum	Dec 19, 2012 5:41 AM
109	Leave it vacant	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
111	I like trails	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
112	More connecting trails	Dec 18, 2012 11:45 AM
113	more locations signed for usage	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
123	n/a	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
124	Archery & shooting Range	Dec 18, 2012 10:14 AM
125	New library needed near schools, Kaliseum	Dec 18, 2012 9:52 AM
126	Add trails for hiking & biking	Dec 18, 2012 9:48 AM
127	Don't use these facilities to make any suggestions	Dec 18, 2012 9:29 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

128	Build new library newar (Kaliseum & water tower!	Dec 18, 2012 9:24 AM
132	Better marker bounty line	Dec 18, 2012 8:48 AM
133	sell it	Dec 18, 2012 8:25 AM
136	Garbage cans and picnic areas would be nice; more parks and recreation areas throughout the county.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
137	None	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
140	none	Dec 17, 2012 11:13 AM
144	don't have any idea where this is	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
149	?	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
150	Parcel near Kaliseum a good place for new Library!	Dec 13, 2012 11:37 AM
160	More camping area	Dec 12, 2012 12:16 PM
164	a map of vacant areas	Dec 12, 2012 11:04 AM
167	SAME AS ABOVE, NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
168	SAME AS ABOVE, NO TAX MONEY FOR THIS.	Dec 12, 2012 10:43 AM
175	Trash Dumpsters and clean up 1 week of year.	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
185	Satisfied as is	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
186	It's nice whenthey don't log everything	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
187	O.K.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
188	? I don't where this is.	Dec 12, 2012 7:41 AM
196	Cross country maintained ski trails	Dec 11, 2012 12:09 PM
201	None	Dec 11, 2012 10:40 AM
202	N/A	Dec 11, 2012 10:09 AM
209	Maintain them	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
210	We want to keep it.	Dec 10, 2012 1:18 PM
211	Don't know where any is and what I do know about is posted no trespassing as it is used by/for the road commission. No signs for information or parking areas.	Dec 10, 2012 1:14 PM
213	No comment	Dec 10, 2012 12:47 PM
215	Keep & maintain - don't sell or rent	Dec 10, 2012 12:37 PM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

216	Neutral	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
217	Where is it?	Dec 10, 2012 11:59 AM
220	None	Dec 10, 2012 10:46 AM
223	We often use the trails along old M-72 where the high school made bridges and pathways. Would like to see some more pathways down there.	Dec 10, 2012 9:58 AM
227	DNR Events, Archery Events, Wildlife Tours, etc.	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
229	More trails	Nov 30, 2012 10:25 AM
230	How 'bout telling us where it is, how to access it and what the rules are. Bathrooms are a good thing too. Signs to call in case of trouble	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM
Comments		
1	Publicize where these are!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
16	I'm fine with all.	Dec 27, 2012 6:28 AM
29	I am a very old lady and don't use most of these wonderful facilities. I wish I could.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
32	None	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
34	New Baskets-They are old, Home make, Not PDGA approved.	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
38	4-H is not important to our family. It seems as though the fair concept is designed for 4-H which should not be county funded	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM
40	Kalkaska needs to advertise its great recreational facilities to tourists also it is already a wonderful county to live in.	Dec 26, 2012 6:56 AM
42	We love what Kalkaska has to offer. More or updated would always be welcomed!	Dec 26, 2012 5:53 AM
43	Put a Taco Bell (people will over run the place) A job, A supermart. Jobs. There are so many 2nd hand stores only people who have \$money can go to those.	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
46	N/A	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
50	I would like to see decent groomed trails for x-county skiing in the Kalkaska area. Right now I have to drive to Grayling or Traverse City to get decent places to ski or snowshoe.	Dec 21, 2012 12:32 PM
51	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
54	I don't think the county cares for or appreciates what we have.	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM
57	n/a	Dec 21, 2012 10:59 AM
58	The Kaliseum pool should have been built high enough, deep enough, with	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

	viewing area so scuba training, swimming competitions could be held there.	
60	I would like lower taxes & less government	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
65	None	Dec 21, 2012 7:46 AM
69	Stop raping it by cutting down it's trees & leaving messes behind! Logging should be selective & clean up afterwards. Where does the money go for these trees? How is it used?	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
78	None	Dec 19, 2012 12:40 PM
91	More \$ needs to be put into animal shelter	Dec 19, 2012 8:07 AM
93	Better restroom facilities @ Fairgrounds & Kaliseum	Dec 19, 2012 7:39 AM
94	KART trail is great!	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
101	Fix our roads first!!!	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
104	Would like to see a bike path so people could bike from town to log lake park. For swimming etc.	Dec 18, 2012 1:46 PM
108	We like to take our kids there for walks	Dec 18, 2012 12:25 PM
110	Build a new library south of Kaliseum parking lot	Dec 18, 2012 11:57 AM
115	So humid in locker room you cant get dressed or prepare to go on to work more classes! At kaliseum and more convenient time like 4:30 or 5 right after the work day. Zumba, yoga, pilates, step aerobics anything!!!!	Dec 18, 2012 11:28 AM
116	I have a family of 5 and even at \$3-4 a person for swimming or skating is to expensive most months we have 3 children at home ages 15, 9, 5 who love to skate and swim - If you offered more attractive family passes we would go more.	Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM
117	I would like to see the upstairs open area updated to be more useable space	Dec 18, 2012 11:00 AM
119	what about 7 bridges/help conservancy	Dec 18, 2012 10:44 AM
121	all need to be kept up and taken care of!	Dec 18, 2012 10:34 AM
123	n/a	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
129	As i know they are ok.	Dec 18, 2012 9:12 AM
135	Fix our roads nd quit spending tax moeny on stuff very few use	Dec 18, 2012 7:09 AM
136	This would generate much needed revenue for county also.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
139	Don't know - don't go	Dec 17, 2012 11:20 AM
141	I would like to see a pickel ball court set up at the Kaliseum.	Dec 17, 2012 11:10 AM
144	No chance of getting couples let alone singel women in fitness room (worst I've	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM

Q4. What improvements would you like to see at each of the following recreation facilities?

	ever seen) Locker rooms a total embarrassment (disgusting)	
145	Small raises in taxes would help all of the above small raises in fees etc would help all of the above	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
146	Would like to see a connector trail between Blue Bear Snowbile trail & the Kalkaska trails	Dec 17, 2012 10:24 AM
153	transportation	Dec 13, 2012 11:26 AM
159	NONE BECAUSE TAXPAYERS CANNOT AFFORD IMPROVEMENTS; NO LESS THE MAINTENANCE OF THESE FACILITIES	Dec 12, 2012 12:49 PM
165	Nothing stop spending. Taxes too high!	Dec 12, 2012 10:48 AM
169	Tried to use ball fields twice both times was bullied into leaving.	Dec 12, 2012 10:22 AM
172	Kaliseum is a great facility	Dec 12, 2012 10:07 AM
175	Land maintainance	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
178	Satisfied	Dec 12, 2012 9:38 AM
181	At this time in all fairness I can't comment on improvements.	Dec 12, 2012 9:28 AM
185	Like to see all public property natrual as possible	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
197	Not qualified to have comments.	Dec 11, 2012 12:02 PM
199	Need public tennis courts	Dec 11, 2012 11:19 AM
200	Whatever you think needs to be done. Each of the following recreation.	Dec 11, 2012 10:56 AM
206	No suggestions for improvements	Dec 11, 2012 7:37 AM
209	We need all of these recreation facilities for our community.	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
212	The Kaliseum has received many complaints of these issues and nothing gets done.	Dec 10, 2012 12:58 PM
214	None / or tates might go up if improvements are made	Dec 10, 2012 12:42 PM
215	A park area like Springfield & Native American programs "Kalkaska" Chief...	Dec 10, 2012 12:37 PM
216	Neutral	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
222	Great as is.	Dec 10, 2012 10:05 AM
227	Revenue raised from Events could help sustain centers-business	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
229	Big fan of trails, motorized, non-motorized and waterways	Nov 30, 2012 10:25 AM

Q5. How important are each of the following recreation opportunities in Kalkaska County?

1	Lets have a dog park!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
2	Our entire community is vital to the Families in this area!!!	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
3	Skateboard Park and Dog Park are anwered both Important and Neutral	Jan 3, 2013 6:22 AM
4	Playgrounds: Safety for kids. Community festivals & Performing arts events-- Brings people/customers to our towns.	Jan 2, 2013 5:54 AM
5	We should expand & publish for vacationers- all our beautiful natural areas. All the lakes and rivers could have more hiking trails. Make us a destination!	Dec 27, 2012 8:29 AM
6	We enjoy using the imagination station	Dec 27, 2012 8:22 AM
7	Would like to see more hiking and X-county ski trails.	Dec 27, 2012 7:44 AM
8	The Library is very important! [Library]	Dec 27, 2012 7:17 AM
9	I think a skateboard park would be great for the kids of Kalkaska. I have taken my son and his friends to a few different skate parks in Michigan and my concern is they are not maintained well. There is litter laying around, grafitti, and then there is the disrespect some kids have for those around them with all the swearing and inappropriate behavior. Of course, this kind of stuff can happen at any public park or beach etc.	Dec 27, 2012 7:10 AM
10	These things are important for our citizens & guest (tourist) & future citizens	Dec 26, 2012 12:02 PM
11	Improve what we've got before adding anything	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
12	I think all of these are important because there are lots of differant people who like differant things to do I would like to see an outdoor community pool.	Dec 26, 2012 11:25 AM
13	Library Important!!! [Library]	Dec 26, 2012 11:09 AM
14	The Library is the most important facility to elders like myself. We most certainly need a bigger one. So many wonderful programs there for the whole family. Not all recreation is physical activity. Exercise for the mind is important too. This wonderful facility needs a new home. [Library]	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
15	I don not wish to pay taxes for other people recreational opportunities.	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
16	These all keep families together and active bring tourist or people moving to community. Keep people involv ed in positive activities and away from crime/drugs	Dec 26, 2012 8:31 AM
17	All Recreational Activities are important. Balancing Dollars Spent with Activities used can be difficult. We really could use a new Library. [Library]	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
18	Everyone enjoys differnt things to each his own.	Dec 26, 2012 7:48 AM
19	Outdoor activities and the survey I have marked bring tourism dollars to our county. Also, a shooting range is very needed. My family grew up going to turkey shoots-skeet shooting. I also believe that the Kaliseum should be contracted out- it is done this way in Wexford County. Matter of fact--there	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM

Q5. How important are each of the following recreation opportunities in Kalkaska County?

should be contracted service across the county-not just the Kaliseum.

20	The three biggest assets to Kalkaseum, Library, Hospital [Library]	Dec 26, 2012 7:06 AM
21	Kaliseum is a wonderful facility, needs more advertising & better bathrooms	Dec 26, 2012 6:56 AM
22	Dog Park--Where is that? The Pound!! Sounds like Shanty creek and that place is scary. Visitors robbing them. Everyone is without heat, food, transportation and it's getting worse day by day. Doctor Bills are hard to pay--Folks are getting sick and cannot go to Dr's because of this. No Money--help with that	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
23	Love movie nights. Maybe locl band (Rock, County, Fold) Concerts. Senior walk/run. Native American Pow Wow?	Dec 21, 2012 1:55 PM
24	We need a new Library and Animal Shelter [Library]	Dec 21, 2012 1:19 PM
25	GEO Tracking The younger generation does everything with their phone/computer. A community that gets them outside using their computer will be favored.	Dec 21, 2012 12:50 PM
26	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
27	We need to focus on putting resources to work on things that improve our local commerce. Look at things you see a lot of people using and focus on those ie Horse Arena. Also, Library needs improvment, but the old bank building would provide a nice home and more space & parking w/o the extra expense of a new building along with the Bullshit of leaving another empty building [Library]	Dec 21, 2012 12:18 PM
28	Horse Arena: Used by private group-they should invest it it/not public Disc Golf: We have one? The library jumps out of this list as the only facility that is widely used. Serves all ages and has not been updated. It needs a Top investment priority. I use the Kart 3-5 times a week even though we don't live in town. I would like to see it cleared of snow in the winter. Dog park: Dog seem to like, doesn't cost much	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
29	Really! The library is not recreational. This is part of the education of our Children. All of these recreational opportunities are important for tourism in the area and of course, for our local population.	Dec 21, 2012 9:31 AM
30	We need something for teens!	Dec 21, 2012 9:10 AM
31	A dog park would be beneficial to the community	Dec 21, 2012 8:35 AM
32	Would like to see a little culture	Dec 21, 2012 7:59 AM
33	Roads	Dec 21, 2012 7:37 AM
34	Apart from athletic ventures there needs to be places & ocassions for the community to gather to socialize. As for the skate park--lets pattern something "all weather" after the TC concrete model and buy the property north of town at the intersection of 72 and Birch, east of the MDOT Garage. The location is not in direct poximity to residential areas yet close enough to law enforcements "eye" to be watched. Located on 72 it would show tourists, travellers and locals	Dec 21, 2012 7:25 AM

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	alike that the community really does want to be a place to grow & is forward thinking & culturally relevant. (Just for informations sake--no one in my household skateboards. I respect the energy, athleticism and creatiity it requires and I think it is wise to channel the energy of youth to healthy active endeavours versus their societal tendency toward tv, computers & texting.)	
35	Let people that want these things pay for them.	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
36	Let people that use these things maintain them. They can fund raise or take donations but not taxes. Taxes are a form of theft! The library can charge for it's books, like Family video does. The Constitution doesn't say that we taxpayers need to pay for these things. Something is horrible wrong with the picture. Recreation, recreation...people working to survive don't have time for recreation. The economy is going to crash & this is what you guys think is important. Heaven help America	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
37	Playgrounds/ Rapid City	Dec 21, 2012 5:58 AM
38	I do not like the proposed location for the community library and would like to see factual study data for the possible use of Cherry Street Elementary School as a library location. [Library]	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
39	all the above important to have available if have enough participation	Dec 19, 2012 1:49 PM
40	natural Area Parks or trails "More would be nice" Library "Drains a lot of money for few users"	Dec 19, 2012 11:40 AM
41	I'm sure they're important: owever, most are poorly marked, poorly advertised or they don't exist. If they are here, they need better advertisement or signs.	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM
42	Safety! Phones for emergency!	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
43	Animal Shelter	Dec 19, 2012 8:07 AM
44	Since we are seen as a hunting/fishing paradise, I think these should be given an upper priority.	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
45	Rugg pond is one of the most beautiful parks we have in Kalkaska county. It needs to stay the way it is or to change maybe camping would be nice :)	Dec 19, 2012 7:30 AM
46	Shooting would be great	Dec 19, 2012 6:56 AM
47	No higher taxes please no more millage As in a restaurant or theater those who choose to use them should pay the bill	Dec 18, 2012 1:58 PM
48	It would be nice to have a shooting range for general use	Dec 18, 2012 1:46 PM
49	Lots of state land dont need to accommodate shooters or motorized vehicles. Do need to support infastructure. ie need a new library NO ROOM!!! Need to do basic upkeep on existing facilities!!! Why were existing facilities allowed to deteriorate? The archery people ruined both buildings, 1/4 of the lights didn't even work. Kitched is DISGUSTING WHY??	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
50	Pickleball Courts	Dec 18, 2012 12:37 PM

Q5. How important are each of the following recreation opportunities in Kalkaska County?

51	Summer outside movies	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
52	We badly need a new library. Current one is only 1/4 the size needed for its service population	Dec 18, 2012 11:57 AM
53	Library - Very Where is the skate park? performing arts concerts, plays, are they at the new school? or some other location? Can we get a bigger library soon? [Library]	Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM
54	shooting range & shooting sports - leave this to the state facilities Library but new facility as proposed is WAY out of the ballpark for our community. If they want a new location they need to look into existing facilities such as the old elementary school. Lots of funding (public & private) available. For facility renovation, energy efficiency upgrades - not new construction. Its the only way they will receive community support as a whole.	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
55	The imagination station is the local hang out for teens with nothing to do but get in trouble. I will not take my children there because 1. ground is littered with drug paraphernalia and used condoms etc. 2. The slides are steel and will burn your skin in the summer. 3. The rest is made of wood and after a day there, you have to pick out splinters all over your child's body. 4. Just not at all inviting, not cheerful or fun looking.	Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM
56	better facilities in the fair grounds upgraded	Dec 18, 2012 11:00 AM
57	Anything that will bring money to Kalkaska is a good thing!!	Dec 18, 2012 10:48 AM
58	Is there an area that could be used for pickle ball outdoors?	Dec 18, 2012 10:24 AM
59	Need to connect Kart with Traverse City Trail or Schuss/Shanty Creek	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
60	Library very important. Lack of understanding by commissioners as to its importance [Library]	Dec 18, 2012 9:48 AM
61	Would prefer to improve roads	Dec 18, 2012 9:33 AM
62	I don't think of the library as recreation. Why is it listed here? Library is an essential community service.	Dec 18, 2012 9:24 AM
63	We need a dog park	Dec 18, 2012 8:48 AM
64	Would love a bigger library more kid friendly activities for low income [Library]	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
65	Road Improvement School Bussing	Dec 18, 2012 7:09 AM
66	Emphatic IMPORTANT on Fishing/hunting. We have too much risk for a skate park. Plenty of land for dog owners. Adequate enough baseball, basketball opportunities already.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
67	Emphatic YES regarding library [Library]	Dec 17, 2012 12:14 PM
68	Need new library - no parking at existing site to see kids walking across US - 131 [Library]	Dec 17, 2012 11:20 AM

Q5. How important are each of the following recreation opportunities in Kalkaska County?

69	All these events allow for the growth and development of the community and youth in our village extremely important	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
70	I've been on snowmobile trails for 35 yrs. I haven't seen a new trail or trail improvement in this time. But they keep raising price of yearly pass. Also don't know of another state or country (Canada) that doesn't charge more for a tag for out of state riders.	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
71	Small raises in taxes etc would help all of the above. They all (employees) are doing great for what they are getting paid.	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
72	We need a new library behind Kalisuem near the water tower! I'm willing to pay increased in my taxes to build a new library! [Library]	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
73	The Library should not be lumped in with these kinds of "recreational" opportunities - it is far more important, on more levels, than these other things [Library]	Dec 13, 2012 11:37 AM
74	all are important	Dec 13, 2012 11:26 AM
75	Since I use mostly the Kalisium and Kart trail, I can't speak to the rest of the activities, but I know they are all important to all families and children.	Dec 12, 2012 1:07 PM
76	Historical Society	Dec 12, 2012 10:56 AM
77	No money, stop spending	Dec 12, 2012 10:48 AM
78	same as other side - page 4	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
79	All areas are important to the people who use them. Just don't need all the f-bombs around 12 year old girls.	Dec 12, 2012 10:22 AM
80	The old building downtown would make a great library	Dec 12, 2012 10:07 AM
81	Flea Markets/Important	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
82	The library has been very helpful in bringing us books on a regular basis and supplying resource material for our monthly "walk around the world" program [Library]	Dec 12, 2012 9:52 AM
83	I feel children need supervision in safety skills and getting them to love the outdoors and respect the land.	Dec 12, 2012 9:28 AM
84	Many recreation opportunities bring money to local businesses others should be maintained for local residents. Any activity which get people outside is good.	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
85	We would like to have a snowbile trail coming into Kalkaska from East, to connect to the Blue Bear & others	Dec 12, 2012 8:24 AM
86	Need better boat launches.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
87	Recommend art fairs & associations.	Dec 11, 2012 11:31 AM
88	It would be great to have a shooting range close to our area. We have to keep	Dec 11, 2012 11:08 AM

Q5. How important are each of the following recreation opportunities in Kalkaska County?

things exciting & engaging for our youths and to educate about the beauty around us and responsibility we have as humans & as a community.

89	I have relocated to Kalkaska because of work. Having lived in several communities/cities across the state, I can see that this community has the potential for so much more than it is currently offering. Why did the concerts go away during the County Fair? The County Fair in this community is a joke. So much effort is put towards the trout festival...seems the rest of the year is neglected.	Dec 11, 2012 10:09 AM
90	They our all important for the quality of life in Kalkaska.	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
91	Are there any? Other than school related? (Performing arts)	Dec 10, 2012 1:14 PM
92	More marked hiking trails that are kid friendly.	Dec 10, 2012 9:58 AM
93	Downtown improvements for tourism	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
94	two seperate areas, one for model planes and one for kites & kite festivals	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM

Q6. What new or expanded recreation opportunities would you like to see in Kalkaska County in the future?

1	A dog park would be great!	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
2	Natural area parks or trails is marked both yes & neutral.	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
3	Need to keep current parks & area's accessible & safe for all to use.	Jan 2, 2013 5:54 AM
4	A public shooting range would be very nice.	Dec 27, 2012 7:44 AM
5	They are doing a wonderful job with the Library and should be expanded.	Dec 27, 2012 7:17 AM
6	Need the shooting range back. Plant food plots on land for better deerhunting like pipelines & power lines	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
7	Disc golf- Archery-Shooting range--My adult children used these in their teens.	Dec 27, 2012 6:28 AM
8	Regional or Community Trail Connections Yes! Love the TC-K Trail. Dog Park Yes! We love Traverse City Dog Park. Would be great to have one closer to home :)	Dec 27, 2012 6:07 AM
9	We want snowmobiles allowed inside the village of Kalkaska	Dec 27, 2012 5:40 AM
10	Library YES!	Dec 26, 2012 12:02 PM
11	We have plenty of recreation-rivers to fish, lake to swim etc.	Dec 26, 2012 10:51 AM
12	Library is very important. What about seven bridges? Going there is like going to church. So serene and beautiful.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
13	The more we offer and the better kept they are the more involvement there will be as well as community pride and effort to maintain.	Dec 26, 2012 8:31 AM
14	Downtown Kalkaska needs new businesses to bring in new crowds	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
15	We can't afford anything else! Our county is broke.	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM
16	Kaliseum	Dec 26, 2012 6:56 AM
17	Performing arts--Not here-Traverse yeah Kalkaska-NOT Dog Park Need to know--does this really exist? Regional or community trail connections where? Canoeing/Kayaking/ stand-up paddleboards- where? Taco Bell (I've heard so many people say they get there. They are tired of Pizza and tired of driving to Traverse to Shope, Super Stores.. We need more jobs in Kalkaska	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
18	Activities for Teen Agers	Dec 21, 2012 1:55 PM
19	We need a new Library and Animal Shelter	Dec 21, 2012 1:19 PM
20	Groomed X-County Ski Trails!!!!	Dec 21, 2012 12:32 PM
21	Never used	Dec 21, 2012 12:22 PM
22	Athletic Facilities: Have this Horse Arena: Have this Archery: Return 4th Archery	Dec 21, 2012 11:30 AM

Q6. What new or expanded recreation opportunities would you like to see in Kalkaska County in the future?

23	If you build a skateboard park it should be in a highly visible location-on M72 or US131 where people will see what's going on. Canoeing/kayaking/stand-up paddleboards Is there a suitable location?	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
24	We desperately need a new Library. The existing building is 1/4 the size it should be for our population.	Dec 21, 2012 9:31 AM
25	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
26	Something for teens/ Business/Employment will recreation/ Movie theater would be nice.	Dec 21, 2012 9:10 AM
27	Swimming/free	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
28	We don't have the money to do any of these things! We are broke! Food will become all important!	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
29	Something in the Rapid City area	Dec 21, 2012 5:58 AM
30	Horse arena/trails should be self supporting	Dec 21, 2012 5:50 AM
31	Library is fine where it is	Dec 19, 2012 1:49 PM
32	Something for Veterans	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM
33	Safety! Phones for emergency Beach Volleyball courts by the kaliseum would be great!	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
34	Facility as part of Kaleseum	Dec 19, 2012 10:18 AM
35	I am not familiar with funding but feel the Kaliseum is an asset to Kalkaska. Many people, in today's economy cannot afford to go & pay. Shouldn't free sessions be offered more. the kaliseum is for all Kalkaska residents-not just the rich.	Dec 19, 2012 9:03 AM
36	Fix our roads first!!!	Dec 19, 2012 6:04 AM
37	No Jet ski's	Dec 19, 2012 5:58 AM
38	We dont need a dog park or a skate board park. Too much liability. We need a new library in the property designated for it	Dec 19, 2012 5:41 AM
39	Users should pay the cost please	Dec 18, 2012 1:58 PM
40	This community needs a library that has room for parking \$ events. It's a shame the former BOC was against it. It is past due.	Dec 18, 2012 1:40 PM
41	Pickleball Courts Maybe some outdoor courts-Tennis courts can be taped to be regulation pickleball courts	Dec 18, 2012 12:37 PM
42	Add to KART trail to Log Lake	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
43	Mostly as they become affordable Why is library "classed" as "recreation!?"	Dec 18, 2012 11:57 AM

Q6. What new or expanded recreation opportunities would you like to see in Kalkaska County in the future?

44	Improvements to existing parks - picnicking, green corridors, passive recreation, nature trail makers. Fishing pier & access Natural area parks or trails- ADA accessible Playgrounds - ADA assessible Swimming - Lake/river locations shooting range/sports- Your kidding, right? We couldn't afford the insurance - leave this to the state Library - What does this have to do with recreation? What about ADA accessibility? What accommodations are made for inclusive play - elderly, veterans, disabled, hearing imaped, visual impaired?	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
45	Pickle ball courts can be lined on asphalt with small net	Dec 18, 2012 10:24 AM
46	Library Definitely A larger library woluld be great.	Dec 18, 2012 9:48 AM
47	need wind breakers planted around soccer field please	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
48	Festivals, concerts, shooting, skeet shooting archery will all generate enormous cash flow. A state of the art movie theater would do very well. We also need a Wal Mart or Meijer or Kmart open late so our \$\$ stays here.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
49	Maybe combine dog park with playgrounds	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
50	We moved here from downstate and have not used all the facilities in area May 2011	Dec 17, 2012 11:46 AM
51	all things have room for imporvement	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
52	Kaliseum - new locker rooms for members only complete new weight rooms.	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
53	Small raise in fees & taxes would help all of the above.	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
54	New library	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
55	The Library is only 1/4 the recommended size for the population it serves.	Dec 13, 2012 11:37 AM
56	bring back bookmobile!!!	Dec 13, 2012 11:26 AM
57	Classes in Tai Chi & Yoga	Dec 12, 2012 12:31 PM
58	Need dog runs	Dec 12, 2012 12:16 PM
59	Historical Society	Dec 12, 2012 10:56 AM
60	fees - non-motorized trails, regional or community trail connections, playgrounds, atheletice facilities, community festivals Dog park - that spreads diseases	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
61	But with current economy we can't afford what we would like!	Dec 12, 2012 9:32 AM
62	I'm limited in what I can say about improvements because of financial things I am hoping to accomplish in my life time.	Dec 12, 2012 9:28 AM
63	COA - Yes Feel people of all ages should be part of expansion.	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
64	What we have is great. Think in this town it's hard to get folks wiling to pay for things. Example: Kaliseum, which is great for our town, but it could use some help. Really need to improve or make better with what we have. And expand	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM

Q6. What new or expanded recreation opportunities would you like to see in Kalkaska County in the future?

	slowly. I'm in for any improvements.	
65	Better boat launches.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
66	We don't utilize alot so I'm/we're not sure what the needs are for several areas. Things that keep people active, engaged and coming to our town are all important.	Dec 11, 2012 11:08 AM
67	Any and all I believe would be beneficial!	Dec 11, 2012 7:17 AM
68	Difficult to comment on.	Dec 10, 2012 12:37 PM
69	No new snowmobile trails in 42 years; no connection E to W. 15 to 25 miles apart	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
70	Emphasis on private investment & ownership, not burdening taxpayers.	Dec 10, 2012 9:44 AM
71	More access for elderly, handicapped, special olympics	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
72	model planes and kites	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM

Q7. What types of funding would you support for recreation improvements or activities?

1	Need to be more low income "Family Friendly"	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
2	Community endowment was answered both yes & neutral	Jan 3, 2013 6:16 AM
3	Millage: Deponds on amount & what for--Not for a skatepark that will not be monitored & destroyed, for example	Jan 2, 2013 5:54 AM
4	Have no idea--Have been unemployed over 2 years-can't contribute	Dec 28, 2012 5:04 AM
5	I do not agree with paying tax and paying a fee to use the Kaliseum! What can we do to get Plum Valley Road fixed?	Dec 27, 2012 7:56 AM
6	It really deponds on the specifics	Dec 27, 2012 6:45 AM
7	Fees would discourage low-income families from using the parks/trails etc.	Dec 27, 2012 6:07 AM
8	Fee's Perhaps	Dec 26, 2012 12:02 PM
9	Fee's if possible [fee]	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM
10	All of them	Dec 26, 2012 10:51 AM
11	Whatever you can do. Thanks for asking.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
12	Fees- within reason [fee]	Dec 26, 2012 8:56 AM
13	Let people pay for their own recreation apportunities.	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
14	Keeping things free or extremely affordable for our community should be a priority.	Dec 26, 2012 8:31 AM
15	Unlike a lot of people, we realize in order to get funding for the commuity our taxes will most likely go up unless we get grants. Nobody likes it, but we support it to better the community.	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
16	Seriously?? Our county is broke. we are not a welfare county. Our county needs to cut expenses.	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM
17	Milage to maintain Kaleseum	Dec 26, 2012 7:06 AM
18	Get jobs in this town. None of this makes sense, You will charge us more to live here to provide recreation that we cant afford!! Pay attention Kalkaska has a crime wave going on! Drugs are here so the brove ones can make money. they are so broke they are taking risks. Your Nuts All this is great, but ya'll have blinder's one! Protect our childen. Get us Jobs.	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
19	We would support all these	Dec 21, 2012 1:19 PM
20	General Fund:Currently at maximum challenge Community endowment: This is probably a pipe dream	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM
21	General Fund/ We need this for running our Government Community endowment/It would be nice These improvements will not be free obviously. We will have to pay one way or the other for them.	Dec 21, 2012 9:31 AM

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22	None	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
23	Fees/not for taxpayers [fee]	Dec 21, 2012 8:47 AM
24	Raise money or privatize	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
25	Fundraise, privatize or get rid of! No more taxes	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
26	user fee's [fee]	Dec 21, 2012 5:50 AM
27	I believe Public / Private partnerships need to be more seriously explored.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
28	Millage---a little	Dec 19, 2012 1:49 PM
29	Does anyone ever wonder why your taxes are so high & going. (think)	Dec 19, 2012 1:11 PM
30	I would support funding increases for what I believe are quality of life issues.	Dec 19, 2012 12:09 PM
31	Donations	Dec 19, 2012 11:44 AM
32	The gas & oil companies tht are exploiting our land should be the ones paying to restore or counterbalance damage	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM
33	Stop with the taxes. We pay for Kaliseum. We don't use & a school that we never had children attend. Properly use taxes.	Dec 19, 2012 11:18 AM
34	No Additional Taxes	Dec 19, 2012 10:52 AM
35	Fundraisers	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
36	Whatever you can get!	Dec 19, 2012 10:18 AM
37	What is a community endowment?	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
38	Fix the roads first	Dec 19, 2012 5:58 AM
39	No more taxing or millage	Dec 18, 2012 1:58 PM
40	Advertising Boards	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM
41	Grants - lots of public & private opportunities Millage - NEVER, we can't afford General fund/Community endowment - we need to focus on availble grants except fo rmatching funds Fees - loads of state & federal dollars are available for recreation. These opportunities should be exhausted first.	Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM
42	A lot of poor people live in Kalkaska and rent! They can't afford a fee..	Dec 18, 2012 10:48 AM
43	Make sure tourist pay higher taxes	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
44	fees if reasonable [fee]	Dec 18, 2012 10:14 AM
45	propety tax	Dec 18, 2012 9:12 AM
46	Paid by user Just like Business if it cant make enough money to support itself,	Dec 18, 2012 7:09 AM

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	there doing something wrong or people just plain dont want it	
47	If we offer recreation with low cost food and drinks, people will come and spend their money here. Kalkaska has a lot to offer. We need more campgrounds for public use and places for people to enjoy vacation time. Hunting, fishing and boating is only part of what we have to offer. We have so much more. I miss 7 bridges. If we had plays, concerts, arts related events, movie theater, etc, many people would attend during the long cold winter months.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
48	It for the future - it helps to improve and offer the youths and opportunity to better themselves, to develop and keep people involved in this community.	Dec 17, 2012 11:03 AM
49	You need to put money in programs that bring people to community first. (Kaliseum, snowmobile trails, corsscountrty trails, boating, horse arena & trails, dog park, library.	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
50	Benefits to raise money all workers & managers wold do better if they received higher fair wages. They all do great for what they are getting paid.	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
51	fees if necessary [fee]	Dec 13, 2012 11:43 AM
52	Support all of the above, except raising fees to much for the Kaliseum. We need to support families and their use of all opportunities.	Dec 12, 2012 1:07 PM
53	Fees at point of use. Fees may be appropriate if the item(s) ARE NOT already funded by taxpayer dollars [fee]	Dec 12, 2012 12:49 PM
54	Donations	Dec 12, 2012 11:42 AM
55	Business climate improvement	Dec 12, 2012 10:56 AM
56	You use it, You pay for it.	Dec 12, 2012 10:48 AM
57	It's all my tax money exept fees so none.	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
58	It's all my tax money exept fees so none. [fee]	Dec 12, 2012 10:43 AM
59	But only if conduct can be improved	Dec 12, 2012 10:22 AM
60	If you use the bike path or cross country skiing trails people should have to purchase a stamp or sticker as snowmobiles and ORV's	Dec 12, 2012 10:16 AM
61	Vollunteer workers for people who are on probation	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
62	It would be liminted and depend on the use.	Dec 12, 2012 9:52 AM
63	Due to the economy, I would hate to see the City charge for these facilities.	Dec 12, 2012 9:35 AM
64	Same as above.	Dec 12, 2012 9:28 AM
65	Fund raisers. Most people feel they are paying enough taxres, so will fight anything that raises millage.	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
66	I support helping this town and its people but there is a lot of folks that do not	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM

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	wnat to spend there money.	
67	Need community events and donations for parks.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
68	Take the money we have and put into what the majority wants. Cut things we don't use out.	Dec 11, 2012 11:19 AM
69	Community endowment-I don't know what this is?	Dec 11, 2012 11:08 AM
70	Taxes? Our taxes are a lot lower than surrounding counties example: Cadillac. We should all pitch in this city has so much potential/opportunity to be wonderful and its a drive though town. I don't know why this is not being taken advantage of!	Dec 11, 2012 7:17 AM
71	Volunteers/prisoner labor/fund raisers/material items donated to be auctioned off	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
72	If fee-per-use money is not enough to pay for maintenance of the activity area, maintenance should be halted.	Dec 10, 2012 1:14 PM
73	Not everyone can afford fees. We should accomadate all people. Refunding- don't know how types operate.	Dec 10, 2012 12:37 PM
74	Leave recreation to private interests.	Dec 10, 2012 9:44 AM
75	No	Dec 10, 2012 7:49 AM
76	No	Dec 10, 2012 7:41 AM
77	Revenue from active participants to show, sell their promotions, vender rental of spack, health incentives with funding from hospital, doctors, etc..	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
78	begging never hurt....	Nov 25, 2012 11:09 AM
79	Agree with fees within reason with out of county users being charged more than residents. [fee]	Nov 21, 2012 6:18 PM

Q8. Do you live in Kalkaska County?

1	I live just over the line in Grand Traverse County	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
2	Antrim County Full Time	Dec 28, 2012 5:04 AM
3	Visit from Grand Traverse County	Dec 26, 2012 10:32 AM
4	We live in Grand Traverse	Dec 26, 2012 9:11 AM
5	Spend Locally	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
6	Mom lives here	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
7	Spending most of time in the 2nd home	Dec 19, 2012 8:39 AM
8	Full Time Resident Retired	Dec 19, 2012 7:18 AM
9	Live in Missaukee County	Dec 19, 2012 5:45 AM
10	Born and Raised	Dec 18, 2012 12:25 PM
11	pay taxes here	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
12	Antrim county full time	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
13	visitor	Dec 13, 2012 11:57 AM
14	I live in Grand Traverse County but am in Kalkaska for most of my work and some retail purchasing.	Dec 12, 2012 12:49 PM
15	Business owner/property owner	Dec 12, 2012 10:56 AM
16	farm	Dec 12, 2012 10:48 AM
17	live in Fife Lake	Dec 12, 2012 10:24 AM
18	Wexford	Dec 7, 2012 5:55 AM
19	Just a few weeks each summer and some weekends year around	Nov 30, 2012 10:25 AM

Q9. If not a full-time or seasonal resident, are you a...

1	Rapid City Full time resident	Dec 28, 2012 5:04 AM
2	I live in Kalkaska County 9 months out of the year	Dec 27, 2012 7:00 AM
3	Live in Antrim Recreation in Kalkaska	Dec 26, 2012 11:50 AM
4	Volunteer	Dec 26, 2012 6:56 AM
5	Age comment: Why does this matter. Employment comment: Your envelope stated employment, that was so wrong!!	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
6	Renter	Dec 21, 2012 1:43 PM
7	Retired	Dec 19, 2012 11:51 AM
8	Retired	Dec 19, 2012 11:51 AM
9	Retired	Dec 18, 2012 1:46 PM
10	Wife is employed in Kalkaska County	Dec 18, 2012 8:48 AM
11	all year resident	Dec 17, 2012 12:09 PM
12	only live 10 miles from kalkaska	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
13	visitor	Dec 13, 2012 11:57 AM
14	Grand Traverse County Resident/Father of 6 Good Kids	Dec 12, 2012 12:49 PM
15	sometimes employed in Kalkaska County - I'm a retired tem worker	Dec 12, 2012 10:24 AM
16	Concerned	Dec 12, 2012 9:54 AM
17	Born & live here.	Dec 12, 2012 7:52 AM
18	Sorry, I'm not much help. I do attend events when the grandkids or friends are involved.	Dec 11, 2012 12:02 PM

Q11. General Comments:

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1	Survey return date should have been put on the first page.	Jan 4, 2013 5:40 AM
2	Entrance to the Kaliseum is rather pricey! Families on Welfare or @ a certain income level should be able to receive a discount. Especially for weight room and swimming to get these kids "moving" and healthy.	Jan 4, 2013 5:24 AM
3	Age is answered 55-64 & 65-74	Jan 3, 2013 6:22 AM
4	Would help if residents were aware of where these are located, what they entail, etc. Half we haven't even heard of. Kaliseum is well publicized. Activities tend to be pricey. Don't know where Kart Trail is, Rugg Pond Natural Area. You included library in #5, #6 but not #4. Library services and space should be improved. Are you coordinating with Township 5 year plans?	Jan 3, 2013 6:16 AM
5	Connecting trails from park to park all over the county and into others. A dog park would be a really wonderful addition.	Dec 27, 2012 8:05 AM
6	I used to go berry picking off W Bear Lake Road down the trail in my car. The trail can only be used by ORV's now! The trail used to be hard packed-now it's only sand!	Dec 27, 2012 7:53 AM
7	Pre-Paid (Return)	Dec 27, 2012 7:21 AM
8	Library! Library! Library! Our ages are 55-64 & 65-74 Should hve provided a retuen envelope. You would get more responses	Dec 27, 2012 7:17 AM
9	Please put wefare people to work on county parks and walking trails. As well as road side litter pick-up Thanks	Dec 27, 2012 7:00 AM
10	Just moved to this ares so have not had the opportunity to enjoy all the county has to offer	Dec 27, 2012 6:33 AM
11	With the current county commision nothing will ever get done. This branch of Government is entrenched in petty politics. It's direction comes from an individual who cares little about the county. He's on a power trip. Think of "Tea Party" and "Militia" and he is defined.	Dec 27, 2012 6:20 AM
12	My spouse is 41. I am 45	Dec 27, 2012 6:07 AM
13	This was filled out considering the age groups of all 3 residents in our home which are: 25-34 45-54 75 and up	Dec 27, 2012 5:40 AM
14	Interests Birds-small garden-flowers	Dec 27, 2012 5:20 AM
15	How about fixing the roads first? I use them every day and it's ruining my vehicles. See Arrwoud Rds West Plum- Prine Grue--etc. Kalkaska county	Dec 26, 2012 11:57 AM
16	The library needs a larger building or another building for computers.	Dec 26, 2012 11:55 AM
17	This has been a long time need survey. I hope this is taken very seriously & we will begin to see new & exciting changes soon. Hope to see the Kart Trail connect to TC someday very soon. Areas like snowmobile trailheads & boat launches are least important. People with the money for those toys should fund	Dec 26, 2012 11:43 AM

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	those with fee's. Things like the Kart should be expanded more healthy activities for free!!!	
18	ATV trails need to be expanded	Dec 26, 2012 11:19 AM
19	We truly need a new Library!! Sorry this is late. I got this at the Library. My only source of recreation.	Dec 26, 2012 10:41 AM
20	As former educators and living in Fife Lake we support many things in Kalkaska, as its the closet 'Big Town" to us. We use the facilities and Businesses in Kalkaska often an would like continual successes in the community	Dec 26, 2012 10:32 AM
21	We live in the village of Fife Lake & are in Grand Traverse County. We don't go into Kalkaska very often, Mostly to get our vehicles repaired at Midas and occasionally shop at Glens. We've hiked the NCT trail thru Kalkaska so that about all the recreation opportunities weve taken advantage of besides the Manistee River. We canoe very often on the Manistee in and around Kalkaska County	Dec 26, 2012 9:11 AM
22	Could use montly publication on events. Kaliseum schedule and general info on recreation areas. Discovered things I didn't know about just from questionnaire.	Dec 26, 2012 9:04 AM
23	The Kalkaska Log Lake Campgrounds caretakers are not doing their jobs. My neices and I walked in on a teenage girl and boys smoking pot and getting ready to have sex in the womens bathroom. The had put trash cans in front of the doors! When I moved the cans and told the boys to get out the girls told me they were just helping them with their bathing suits. I told the lady at the office and she just apologized to me. The next day the same girls were hanging out in the office with the office lady-laughing and giggling. And the girls (not the office lady) were high on pot again. I could smell it. I had gone in to ask for toilet paper for the bathroom an to let them know it was a mess again. The summer was chaotic as far as messy bathrooms.	Dec 26, 2012 8:56 AM
24	I do not wish to pay taxes for someones personal interest. Swimming, athletic facilities horse arena ect.	Dec 26, 2012 8:37 AM
25	To summerize all recreation is vital. Try to get the most bang for you buck. I'm biased towards disc golf because I put the course in a Log and 4 othe rcourses. The expense in not great. Disc golf uses park land not suitable for other purposes. Can be used by a few people or several at a time. It's a family activity and can still be played as you age.	Dec 26, 2012 8:16 AM
26	Please consider re-vamping downtown Kalkaska. Get some nice restaurants, some unique stores, etc. This town is dead and it has poor image. It would be nice to make Kalkaska a nice place to spend the day just like Frankfort, Leland, Manistee or even downtown Grayling. Tourism is gold.	Dec 26, 2012 7:42 AM
27	You make Rapid City People pay for your toys, that we have to drive 30 miles for. Do something in Rapid City for the kids you jerks	Dec 26, 2012 7:30 AM
28	Springfield Recreation area works ok, but it is volunteer run. We enjoy those activities and it is donation. When we do. Thos works out, and those who can,	Dec 26, 2012 7:20 AM

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pay more on volunteer. It is community based and is very popular. Still it could be better. The county cannot fund-all the extra's it is bad enough that we do not even get the benefit of what our millages already cover. We do not use the Kaliseum-but we pay for it. Same for the school, but the kids need to get their education. The schools can be used for basketball, etc, yet how many (what percentage) of students participate in extra curricular activities?

29	The Kaleseum is one of the biggest assets Kalkaska has for seniors and children. There is so little for teenagers that the Kaleseum, Library are very important.	Dec 26, 2012 7:06 AM
30	Your prisoners have more work then your cities people Help Us!!	Dec 26, 2012 5:45 AM
31	Send Survey with self addressed paid envelope	Dec 21, 2012 1:55 PM
32	We need a Meijer or Walmart, so people don't have to go shopping to TC. Less gas stations. There's too many downtown. Needs more stores	Dec 21, 2012 1:27 PM
33	I don't need any added taxes. Or increase in millage	Dec 21, 2012 1:06 PM
34	Keep our area natural and noise free! No motorized enhancement No shooting of any kind.	Dec 21, 2012 12:32 PM
35	I have lived in Kalkaska my entire life and I have seen our community turn down many opportunities for growth. I beleive our Parks & Recreation area's should be expanded "only" to grow our commerce continual to make improvement on thngs that cannot pay for themselves is financially irresponsible. we continue to see improvements to trails for walking & running, while they are nice things to have, we should focus on expanding things like horse arena and snowmobile trails that actually bring money into the community or pay for their own operation. As for the Library, while a nice new building would be nice to have we have too many empty buildings in our town. Now it would be nice to see the Library stay downtown and the vacant Bank building would provide a larger home with better parking and some room for expansion. Be responsible with the money used for projects	Dec 21, 2012 12:18 PM
36	Seeing more advertised & improved areas to bring more visitors and increase our community-as well as for enjoyment of this incredible area to elevate the lifestyle of our families and become more productive and communal would be gone.	Dec 21, 2012 11:13 AM
37	Fitness center needs air conditioning-without it a "year round" membership is worthless. It's stifling in there. Why don't you let Rugg Pond go back to a real natural area--take out the damn. See typed comments: We are please to see you included the library in your recreational plan, not just outdoor sports. In recent years we have attended various cultural programs at the library including authors, historians, musicians, artists, clowns, puppeteers, naturalists and more. No other organization is providing this kind of diverse programming to our community. The could do more if a better facility allowed people to count on a seat where they could see and hear. The propsed location by the water tower is convenient for kids coming from school, also parents waiting for kids participating in skating or swim activities at the Kaliseum or practicing at the ball	Dec 21, 2012 10:37 AM

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fields. Log Lake: When we've been to Log Lake Campground, going to the "office" made me feel like was in someone's house invading their living room where they live, smoke, lounge, sleep. Why not add a front desk area where a business-like atmosphere might prevail? A spot for business to be transacted could be enhanced by brochures from the area, a map of locals, trails, beach rules, and concessions. These kinds of things we see at other campgrounds that we visit. Updated signage would be a plus. Civic Center: The floors, walls, and ceiling here have taken a beating from the cleats and shooting of the snowmobilers and archery group. They are a private group and should be paying like anyone else to help defray the maintenance cost of their use. They leave things messy, dirty, smelly. Alternative Ed students playing without much supervision also cause plumbing issues and work for limited county staff. Your group should work more closely with Mayor about issues with various groups to try to solve problems. Ideally those athletic activities should be done in a separate place from a building that could be a more popular destination for weddings, receptions, etc. if it was more attractive. Kaliseum: As a woman at the fitness center, I was discouraged with the lack of pairs of weights that I could use. And other fitness centers offer classes---using an aerobics with light weights training routine. This is what I would be interested in. The upstairs needs to be air conditioned. It is useless all summer. The upstairs should be finished with decent lighting. At the craft fair you can barely see what is offered. If it looked better it would be more usable for performances, presentations, parties. A stage, drop-down screen, carpeting, attractive walls are other possible improvements. Kart: How about extending the trails through some forest, making a level walkable trail with mulch or crushed limestone. The village has almost no sidewalks that are inviting--they dead end after a couple blocks. This is what makes Kart so attractive to someone with bad knees--a smooth walkable surface. More trail length would be an asset. Recently Snyder announced his intentions to make Michigan the Trail State, so keep alert to grant opportunities. The lakes around here have many cottages which are inviting people to retire here, so recreational opportunities for aging people are as important as those for young folks.

38	More out door movies. More organizd activities outdoors for kids.	Dec 21, 2012 9:40 AM
39	We need less government, fewer government employee's and smaller taxes and we don't need three police departments. Village, County & State) in the villge of Kalkaska	Dec 21, 2012 9:19 AM
40	The park in town is often full of cigarette butts where our kids play.	Dec 21, 2012 9:10 AM
41	Just moved to this area and am having a hard time locating recreational areas. A dog park would be important.	Dec 21, 2012 8:35 AM
42	I don't use many of the things in this survey except linary and fitness center at Kaliseum so I don't have much of an opinion on most of it	Dec 21, 2012 7:32 AM
43	I would love to see our community grow and initiate oportunites, programs & facilities in the community that have been thought through from inception to sustaining itself. the longevity, non--consumable, enriching, healthy, and stimulating. Think about things that both draw new families and keep the existing ones. Consider ventures that engage ore than one generation's	Dec 21, 2012 7:25 AM

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	interests at a time.	
44	This is all part of Agenda 21 NW which we need to get rid of . It amazes me low the poorest communities think people have unlimited pockets for you people to rob. Taxes are too high already. Stop spending & reduce spending	Dec 21, 2012 7:01 AM
45	Kalkaska County is broke. Cut back drastically on expenditure & stop raising taxes. Property values are plumenting. Do you really think these things are important in the sceme of things. I sure don't. Stop trying to keep up with Traverse City. We don't have the money--. Get rid of the dog pound & close the recycling center if it cant support inself! This is probably a waste of my time because you will just go ahead & do as you please anyhow. I personally think there are more pressing issues that these. How about trying to get businesses to move into town so you can bring in revenue? How about cutting back on jail & stop arresting people every wip stichge. Trying cutting out unimportant things that waste our taxes. Maybe read the constitution & see what really should be provided. How many times a year do you use the fairgrounds? Is it always being used? I don't think so, so is it necessary or important? I don't think so. Same with the Kaliseum. Why can't people use unmaintained trails or get a group together to work on them? Why do taxpayers have to pay some one? It would be good the the community to work on these together. If you have no turn out of helpers, it isn't important to them. Stop the madness & wasteful spending.	Dec 21, 2012 6:46 AM
46	Log Lake is a "gold" mine in Kalkaska Co. I was caretaker in 1990 and again in 1995--Seventeen suggestions were given to board. None were adopted. Look @ one in Manton. US Kalkaska	Dec 21, 2012 6:09 AM
47	More attention to the Rapid City area. There is just nothing here for young people or adults.	Dec 21, 2012 5:58 AM
48	Kalkaska County is model for all that represents Northern Michigan. Its strategic location, small town atmosphere, traffic counts and natural resources position it to be a premier destination. It just need leadership that can dream, vision and persevere to achieve all the potential it holds.	Dec 20, 2012 10:17 AM
49	All the above only caters to the upper income not the middle & lower class! But of course thats how they wanted it in the first place. The planners got run out of there city & came up here for a change that they was running from in the first place. None of this will help because most planners are implants from a city that didn't suit them and probly couldn't control their kids & thought a little town like Kalkaska would solve any solution. And as quick as they get here settled, they want to buy, buy, buy & grant, grant, grant, just like what the left down state. Think about it!!	Dec 19, 2012 1:11 PM
50	Next Survey if you want it back try sending a self addressed stamped envelope.	Dec 19, 2012 12:40 PM
51	If this is county wide I'd like to see some Park improvement in South Boardman	Dec 19, 2012 11:51 AM
52	If this is county wide I'd like to see some Park improvement in South Boardman	Dec 19, 2012 11:51 AM
53	A postage paid or at least addressed envelope included in the survey would have increased the response. Would Love to see Kart trail expanded and	Dec 19, 2012 11:35 AM

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improved to include other areas Attributes and tie into Grand Traverse Trails. Why not run it North on Rice Rd to tie in Rugg Pond? Most of Rice Rd runs through Public Lands, If you stay to the east side of the road there are fewer property owners. A skate park will be a great way to give area teens something they like to do and place to hang out. Helping keep them off streets and out of trouble. Attention to our beautiful lands & resources of Kalkaska County will help counter balance some of the damage being done by gas & oil mining. The county should be compensated by these gas & oil companies...they should be the ones paying to correct some of the ugliness they bring with them and create! Charge them! Pool those funds into parks and rec!!

54	Close kaliseum no taxes for this insult to taxpayers. Charge fees if anyone want to go there for any use.	Dec 19, 2012 10:52 AM
55	I've lived here for 4 years now & used the ballfields this summer for the first time. It lacks careness! No benches for big crowds! Protection from vehicles being smacked w/balls is limited. Parking lot is too bumpy! Lighting is a must at the ball fields! Games have been cancelled based on no lighting.	Dec 19, 2012 10:31 AM
56	All I use and can speak to is the pool. Sorry-Pool is important to me. Think responses will be diminished by no return envelopes.	Dec 19, 2012 10:18 AM
57	As a "senior" I purchased yearly pass for many years. I finally stopped. The pool which was my recreational facility of choice, was never the same temp. Apparently, turned down at night & up in the morning. Cold many mornings for aerobics. Have you ever tried just leaving the setting the same. It seems to me that the syustem has to work harder bringing the water temp back up & cant be that much more cost effective. For a while there the heater was being repaired on a regular basis. Shower rooms are cold & in much need of a thorough cleaning & disinfecting yuck!! I use County Rd 612 a lot. Why is there no bike/walking path going to Logg Lake? In the summer kids have towels dangeling around their necks while rideing bikes to the lake & trying to manoever gravel, pavements & cars. Now with Disc Golf, more kids & adults alike are enjoying the area. I believe in safety.	Dec 19, 2012 9:03 AM
58	We are being feed and millaged to empty pockets in our retirement. Government neds to hear the plea of the people to stop raising revenues and spending levels. The problem is how waht you already take in is spent. Committe meetings, lunches etc. cost vulnerable citizens. I would exercise more at the Kaliseum if I did not have to pay fees on top of taxes.	Dec 19, 2012 8:39 AM
59	The Kaliseum is a great facility. Not only for our community, but surrounding areas as well. We will continue to support it. Expansion of our library would be supported as well. A shooting range (public) would be a nice addition to the county- even if a small daity fee or annual fee were required to maintain it/use it.	Dec 19, 2012 8:15 AM
60	Teenagers need to stay out of the Imagination Station!!	Dec 19, 2012 8:07 AM
61	Kaliseum priority to clean facility. Especially bathroom shower areas are filthy. Part time untrained employees can't keep a facility of this size clean. Daily cleaning yes but not deep cleaning that this facility needs. This facility should make our community proud.	Dec 19, 2012 8:00 AM

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62	Kalkaska County ia a Great Big Joke	Dec 19, 2012 7:44 AM
63	Why should this matter - asking age? I would hope that any "improvements" to lake parks would not follow in the footsteps of Coldsprings Twp - where the beach is kept to a minimum, the boat loading area is cramped (I am talking about Sands Park) and there are Nag signs everywrhere you look! It appears they really don't want anyone to use the park! Please don't use funds to "improve" in this manner! I think a new library would be a great thing - provided they don't go "top of the line" but a nicely improved situation where there is more space. Libraries are not going away with the technology age. They are as busy as ever, though being differently used. There must be a way to expand services that doens't require a huge investment. Have they thought of purchasing the quonset-style building next door? Just a thought...	Dec 19, 2012 7:31 AM
64	I have used the campgroud for many years. Then I took a break and when I decided to camp there again I was very disapointed. The bathrooms were dirty and stayed dirty the entire weekend. I use a tent and so I use the bathroom quite a bit. So i knew it was dirty. Told the manager at the time they gave us a free weekend pass. Well it was still not clean and it looked like hadn't been kept clean like it should. Not all of us who camp have our own bathroom facitlies with us so its always nice to have clean bathrooms.	Dec 19, 2012 7:30 AM
65	If we do use any of these venues, we go to Traverse City and do it with our children and grand children. Good Luck	Dec 19, 2012 6:51 AM
66	Live close to Springfield Township Park. It is not taken care of very will in my opinion. Did volunteer work there for a while, but it just became too much. Feel that we already pay toow much in taxes for very little service, especially the roads. Kalkaska county is not a very friendly county towards business or homeowners-everything is a battle.	Dec 19, 2012 6:31 AM
67	This has not been a good investment for Kalkaska. We cannot afford it~~	Dec 18, 2012 1:58 PM
68	Never knew about the other recreational facilities available. Are there tennis cours? Is there a brochure detailing all the wonderful facilities available and where to find them?	Dec 18, 2012 12:39 PM
69	The Kaliseum is one of the best befits of living in Kalkaska County. It does a great job of keeping things going and trying to please all interests. We will definitely be renewing our family memberships and continue to use the facilities.	Dec 18, 2012 12:37 PM
70	The big piture should be to take care of what we got then we can afford more	Dec 18, 2012 12:25 PM
71	Your Kaliseum director & his wife are thieves, TThey are taking the busiest time of the year (Trout Festival) to have a motorcycle show for their own peronal bank account! He charges her dba Directed Path Productions (very) minimal fees. Beer sales are also inclcled, as well as booth rentals. SHe even keeps the gate money - 6.00 per person. If Alan James can promote a motorcycle show, he can surely promote a boat, fishing, camping show during Trout weekend. That makes more sense to me that way the Kaliseum should be the benefactor. Take advantage of what you should have in place at the Kaliseum - (new manager that wants to promote the place for Kalkaska county) not the tax payer that has	Dec 18, 2012 12:02 PM

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to pay millage to support it!! This is all true! Look up dba - Directed Path Productions you'll find Judy James Look up - Cycle Moore dba - Judy James' parents sponsor for the motorcycle show L.O.L. *The records are at the courthouse. Alan James - does he have a job description? In closing, how many shows are you going to let him get away with this? The more people find about this, the worse its going to be in support of the Kaliseum!!!

72 I enjoy many outdoor activities & will support any improvement I support getting a bigger library are you thinking of a cultural center or the use of the auditorium at the High School? Dec 18, 2012 11:49 AM

73 I don't know what you are trying to accomplish, but htis is the WORSE survey I've ever seen regarding parks & recreation. You aren't going to generate any valuable info with this. I truly hope we didn't pay for this! Did you just copy this from another bad survey? This was a WASTE OF PAPER TIME, & A STAMP - poorly written! The survey is too vague. You can't possibly complete an accurate assessment of actural need from this. How do you know what age group of level of involvement is needed? What about our high population of disabled? underserved? What part of this survey relates to them? Where does it explain WHY you are requesting this information? Why don't you give the option for people to provide their contact information - to volunteer, to be updated on process. This appears to have been created by an outside organization with NO local experience who doesn't know or understand our community? Why? When we have local resources? What abolut connection of recreational spaces with trails? What about all the vacent parcels owned by county? How does this relate to township parks & recreational opportunities? Where is the coordination? If this really is for a 5 year paln, why isn't this included Thank GOODNESS I read the paper. Dec 18, 2012 11:37 AM

74 Belonged to Kaleseum for a long time, but work out area is cramped, think there is a lot of wasted space upstairs. It was difficult to find equipment to use...Elypticals, treadmills would attend instructed classes if they were after work 4:30--5 ish. Attend yoga at 4:30 at hospital and it is packed. Love the option of swimming, but facilities for leaving there to work are pretty much impossible with rediculous showerheads. Lack of privavcy and stifling locker room. Pool frequently full of gobs of hair and lots of sandy dirt. Dec 18, 2012 11:28 AM

75 I would like to see a place for the teenagers to go to from 3-6pm that is fun and safe - also some kind of program where you can drop in after school or on weekends where kids can play legos, board games, ping pong, trains etc. that is safe and fun. Kalkaska is in dire need of revitalization, this town and it's residents have been oppressed. We have a dying community with kids turning into drop outs and drug users. The Kaliseum is under used and over priced. Not everyone plays sports and there really isn't much for the kids to do that isn't sports related. We have 3 consignment stores and 2 dollar stores in a 2 1/2 miles radius - that should speak volums with the way our community is going. The County library has been deliberately kept small and under funded. Most new business' that come in are permitted and taxed to death that they to leave town. Small communitis are wonderful, but that doesn't mean we can't be vital and prosperous. We can have a rich vibrant community but change must happen. Kalkaska is a hard place to live, it is not inviting and doesn't offer much to families. We have so many vacant businesses on the main strip and people are Dec 18, 2012 11:08 AM

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	moving out in droves.	
76	I would like to see the space at the fairgrounds leased out during off times for storage use to go back into the fairground fund for improvements.	Dec 18, 2012 11:00 AM
77	We need to bring Kalkaska back to life. It have a negative vibe to it	Dec 18, 2012 10:48 AM
78	We LOVE the Kaliseum and use it as often as possilbe! With 2 small children, the pool nad ice rink are both wonerful. Having this facility close was one of the determining factors when purchasing our home in Kalkaska Co.	Dec 18, 2012 10:37 AM
79	I'm 85 yrs old. I live @ assisted living and try to be independant. I have good help also if needed	Dec 18, 2012 10:36 AM
80	From my comments you probably thnk I am a real scrodge. I think all this stuff is great if you have the money and all the necessary/important things are taken care of first. many of our roads are in terrible shape. We have very limited bussing for our kids to get to school. The lack of bussing lowers property values...who wants to buy a home where they have to drive 60 miles a day to school and back (or sit and wait for a bus at a stop womewhere)? I could go on but I think you know what I mean. Snowmobilers have evolved into one of the most inconsiderate groups of people I know. I would not do anything to encourage more of them coming here. They may be great for business but the average resident dreads what the first snow is sure to bring.	Dec 18, 2012 10:25 AM
81	We have used the pavilion at Log Lake but not other parks as we live on a lake. We appreciate the committee's interest in keeping the parks available and in good condition.	Dec 18, 2012 10:24 AM
82	Kalkaska will never be a tourist mecca stop trying to make it into something which it is not or never can be. For one thing the vs-131 thruway in central Kalkaska is very dangerous for pedestrians to cross over to the businesses on w side of downtown area. There is only one stop light and the speed limit is too fast . We need a push button crosswalk in center of block	Dec 18, 2012 10:18 AM
83	Neither my husband or I use any of facilities mentioned in this questionnaire. MY husband is 78 and I am 86. My health is bad so I don't parcpate in anything offered.	Dec 18, 2012 9:39 AM
84	I do wish Kalkaska had a movie theatre. But I understnad we probably couldn't support it. Also you should include a postage paid return envelope for this survey	Dec 18, 2012 9:29 AM
85	I voted for the Kaliseum and to hear that the county is trying to sell it pisses me off. We need it to help keep kids out of trouble	Dec 18, 2012 8:48 AM
86	No new Taxes	Dec 18, 2012 8:25 AM
87	Kalkaska is really developing we have been spending more time in Kalkaska than TC in past years need to continue Thank you AJ does a great job at the Kaliseum with the funding he has	Dec 18, 2012 7:56 AM
88	Anything that attracts visitors to step, helps downtown development; seems to be	Dec 17, 2012 12:57 PM

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a good focus for future improvement.

89	Continued comments from previous survey: Local farms could get involved via slabs of bacon or steaks or turkey for prizes for skeet shooting events; As a child we used to (as a family) go out to Willis and Whitaker Michigan to shoot skeet (for a fee) and sometimes go home with 100 lbs of meat. What an adventure! By nature, people love to compete. This would give everyone a chance to shine in their shooting abilities, and compete for something the whole family can use. The fun is a super bonus. Concession stands in summers at our community centers would create jobs and again, keep our \$\$ in our communities. Ice cream, hotdogs, chips, juice boxes, fruit cups, jello, lemonade, tea, burgers, the possibilities are endless. Let's get Kalkaska on the map as a family community; Ideas and input is only good when it is implemented. I have many more ideas. These are some basics from raising kids here and seeing all our revenue pour into neighboring counties for lack of mobility in our own county. Sad! Thank you for the opportunity to be heard. Longtime Kalkaska Resident, Donna Lawson	Dec 17, 2012 12:53 PM
90	Imagine the revenue a ski resort in the heart of Kalkaska would bring. All the jobs it would create. We are in the heart of the snow belt. Where better to have a ski/golf resort. This is an outdoor enthusiasts paradise. We hardly ever have to make snow. :) (like most ski resorts do). We desperately need a movie theater (again). I and many others would rather spend our \$\$ here than in Traverse City or Gaylord.	Dec 17, 2012 12:49 PM
91	The current campground staff have done a wonderful job in 2012. Very attentive!	Dec 17, 2012 12:37 PM
92	Could not find this survey on the website indicated at the beginning of the survey	Dec 17, 2012 12:14 PM
93	We would like to see a movie theatre in the downtown area also the Seeting Hotel to finished. We love it here!	Dec 17, 2012 11:46 AM
94	The Kart trail Was great Idea. Need more room at existing library. Be nice to have more community events	Dec 17, 2012 11:20 AM
95	I would like to see ordinance banning fire works except on 4th of July! There are way too many fire works all summer long & even in the fall!	Dec 17, 2012 11:10 AM
96	I do not support anything that costs the taxpayer until we get decent roads in Kalkaska County.	Dec 17, 2012 10:58 AM
97	We have owned our torch river property for fifteen yrs & have been dying for gym & fitness area the whole time. Trav cit to far to drive everyday. It;s a shame the Kaliseum is not used in away to attract members.	Dec 17, 2012 10:53 AM
98	The wages for recycling and animal control should be raised and all benefits should be included such as insurance & retirement same as County, Gov employees.	Dec 17, 2012 10:41 AM
99	I think a connector trail between the Blue Bear trail and the trails on the west side of town would greatly benefit both snowbilers and the businesses in the city of Kalkaska. As things are, it is hard to get in and out of town along County Rd 612. Vehicle traffic is quite steady and drivers don't pay much attention to	Dec 17, 2012 10:24 AM

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snowbiles. I also received a ticket from the Sherrifs dept coming into town from the east because i was on the south side of the road, 30 or 40 feet off the road as opposed to riding on the shoulder (nothing bjut dirt and ice) on the norht side of the road,. Needless to say, it was the last time I road my sled into Kalkaska.

100	Antything you can do to get people away from their comupters, games, & TV's will be helpful. Otherwise no matter how many recreational opportunities exist, these people will not use them. That is why the Kaliseum is not a sucess. The only way I can think of is have the Kaliseum turned into one big game room (like lucky Jack's in TC) that might be a draw for locals in the winter and tourists in the summer.	Dec 14, 2012 7:11 AM
101	Kalkaska County is a wonderful, small community. The Kaliseum could hav been built on a smaller scale. As it stands, when I call there regarding an event, the staff answering the phone typically does not know. I've used the gym on & off fo rthe entirety of its existence, NEVER has it been really cleaned and fully functional all at once. The bathrooms upstairs are disgusting! I've addressed this many times. AJ (the current director) is NOT qualified to run such a facility! Nor doe he staff accoordingly!	Dec 14, 2012 7:03 AM
102	A park area for dogs that is totally fenced in.	Dec 13, 2012 11:49 AM
103	Quite a few of my senior friends would love to go to the Kaliseum but just can't afford it. It would be nice to take a part in the activities they have there.	Dec 13, 2012 11:34 AM
104	I think it apalling the Kalkaska transit bus won't go into a handicapped person's driveway to provide transportation to and from kalkaska (city) thereby denying said persons access to Dr., stores, everything a normal person takes for granted. Shame.	Dec 13, 2012 11:26 AM
105	Kalkaska needs to improve opportunities for businesses to flourish. Be more reasonable and flexible with regulations that currently inhibit businesses to get established here. Offer tax incentives for new businesses. Their boards are difficult for reasonable business owners to work with. There is an almost mafia-style control of projects at times, especially new construction or bldg. remodels.	Dec 13, 2012 6:56 AM
106	Enjoy outdoors in summer with Grandkids.	Dec 12, 2012 1:26 PM
107	Since the morning aerobics classes have been my support as well as exercise home, since I retired 12 years ago, I hope for continued upgrades on the Kaliseum and support for it. Ann M. Kirtley 231-258-8278	Dec 12, 2012 1:07 PM
108	Note: I own my home and am completely debt free because I avoid 'playing' with expensive 'toys' when I became a man! Government should never overspend it's budget. Budgets should not be unreasonably projected. Recreation is not a nessesity for life, especially if it is funded through public revenue! Taxes should always be as low as possible.	Dec 12, 2012 12:49 PM
109	If I had a choice I would NOT live in Kalkaska Village. Kalkaska Village needs to be cleaned up. Yards in the village, their junk all over. People on the Village Council have yard that need cleaning up & their neighbors also. If I could live outside the village I would. That's why we have so many houses for sale in	Dec 12, 2012 12:26 PM

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Village. Water bill is not fair (very high). They want to do over Main Street but they need to clean up neighborhoods first. No one wants to buy a house in the village. I know I'm only one person but my families have been here for many years.

110	Business climate MUST be addressed to deal with local resident capability requirements. Educational improvements must be addressed (i.e. student base knowledge so the businesses countenplating building here) have the knowledge to be able to provide the work force necessary.	Dec 12, 2012 10:56 AM
111	What kind of profet has the Kaliseum brought into the county? They should of let the race track come into the county! They could of used that the year around and there would of been profet in the county. Motels would of made a profit. Stores would of made a profit etc. But instead it goes on our taxes for the Kaliseum. If they want sports let them all pay a fee not on our taxes.	Dec 12, 2012 10:44 AM
112	While i live in Gr Traverse County I'm more app to use facilities in Kalksaka. I don't use them often tho - I fully support the Kaliseum, library and any festivals, art, etc that would benefit the community	Dec 12, 2012 10:24 AM
113	You should at least enclose an envelope, it is your survey.	Dec 12, 2012 10:16 AM
114	Please take care of the Kaliseum. Please don't ask for a library that we can't afford. There are lots of empty buildings in this count that would work.	Dec 12, 2012 10:07 AM
115	To increase usage & support, perhaps recreational opportunities could be highlighted in the "Kalkaska Answer Book" or similiar publication.	Dec 12, 2012 10:05 AM
116	The Kaliseum is a burden to the taxpayers - as it stands, the economy is in bad enough shape! It's not used, promoted or staffed adequately!	Dec 12, 2012 10:01 AM
117	Kalkaska really needs a gunclub or at least some type of shooting rangs. Skeet and trap fields would be nice, as well as rifle and handgun range. I prefer to keep my money in Kalkaska, but I have to go to Travaerse City for my shooting time.	Dec 12, 2012 9:47 AM
118	Quit building crap that only a small amount of people in town use and rural people have to pay for.	Dec 12, 2012 9:41 AM
119	We have owned land in Kalkaska County for 35 years. We moved up here in 1998 full time. We live on the lake and that is where we spend our time. We also travel a lot and have grand children out of state. We do like to support facilities, etc even though we do not use them.	Dec 12, 2012 9:38 AM
120	My life is short, and I hope all of us can look at our children & grandchildren and say treat the earth well, it was not given to you by your parents, it was loaned to you by your children. Ancient Proverb.	Dec 12, 2012 9:28 AM
121	Quit taxes us for the Kaliseum. We voted for it to be built & then be self-sufficient. Quit wasting our tax dollars & get rid of all union requirements.	Dec 12, 2012 9:19 AM
122	We live on 40 acres and enjoy walking our own land, but would definitely use the parks and trails if we didn't. They are very important to the area.	Dec 12, 2012 9:12 AM

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123	Feel all efforts should be directed to bringing tourist and businesses in the area. Once we achieve that we can beautify and expand.	Dec 12, 2012 9:05 AM
124	Maintaining Kaliseum #3 - paint - humidity. #1 Would love to see some shade trees out by the baseball fields/soccer fields - need shade! #2 Maybe some dugout areas to keep kids out of the sun even a little bit. It was a hot summer. Same goes for soccer fields - take them from nice to nicer.	Dec 12, 2012 8:46 AM
125	We are new to the area & enjoy what Kalkaska County has to offer. We like to snowmobile & ride our ATV's on area trails & county roads but we live south east of Kalkaska (N. Sharon Rd S.E.). There is no easy way to get into town (Kalkaska) from the East or South. We would like to see a trail developed to connect with state trails to the East.	Dec 12, 2012 8:24 AM
126	No return envelope? Seriously?	Dec 11, 2012 1:51 PM
127	Until the downtown area in Kalkaska is made more inviting for visitors, I don't believe that our area can ever recover from all the poor management of current elected officials. Giving up our Chamber of Commerce is an example of these types of decisions. Kalkaska County officials must work harder to make our county a place that people want to live in. They also need to create jobs in our area to attract people. The poverty rate in our county is currently preventing much needed growth.	Dec 11, 2012 12:50 PM
128	Kalkaska is a growing community. I have lived here all my life (38 years) and have seen many positive changes. The addition of the Kaliseum was terrific. It offers many activities for young and old and I would like to see it expand to offer even more in the near future. Thank you.	Dec 11, 2012 12:37 PM
129	There are 8/10 talented fine art artists in the area. I cannot recall Kalkaska ever sponsoring or encouraging a local fine art (painting artists) (not crafts) show. I would be willing to help organize a fine art (painting only) organization or association here in Kalkaska. Bill Parsons 231-258-8255	Dec 11, 2012 11:31 AM
130	Keeping what we already have, in good shape, should be #1.	Dec 11, 2012 10:49 AM
131	My husband and I both thoroughly enjoy four-wheeling. My husband also enjoys hunting on public land. But both from metropolitan areas, we miss having easy access to high quality, affordable, fitness facilities. Living in Fife Lake, the Kaliseum is not very conveniently located. We would appreciate something closer to home, but understand the limitations.	Dec 11, 2012 10:40 AM
132	Our community needs to improve the National Trout Festival and the County Fair.	Dec 11, 2012 6:45 AM
133	Keep up the good work and have fun doing it.	Dec 10, 2012 1:27 PM
134	There is a huge lack of advertising for the things we do have available here in this county as it is. For example, I work in the horse industry and when I tell horse people I live on the shore to shore trail (which is open to all riders all year around), they say "you do??" Many would like to ride even a part of it if they knew where to go. There is more to horse camping in Michigan than the Pigeon	Dec 10, 2012 1:14 PM

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	River.	
135	Sports for children are important & young people.	Dec 10, 2012 12:37 PM
136	I am a snowmobiler, started in 1970. Drove here for weekends until retirement in 1990. Moved here full time. I do not believe there has been any more trails since 1970. No connects between east Kalkaska County to SW Kalkaska County. Why Kalkaska does not want it...nothing in town...I live NW Kalkaska I go to Mancelona but NOT Kalkaska. I can go to the "?" or points east Lewiston & south Houghton. My \$ is good in many towns but not Kalkaska. I would eat there and buy class. I've given up on any improvements for more trails & connections. I will not vote for any other programs that uses public money nor renewals. I've been waiting for 42 years. I think I'll move to the U.P.	Dec 10, 2012 12:25 PM
137	Properly fund the operations / maintenance and up keep of current facilities with in budget. The Kaliseum still isn't funded. Get budget straightened out on what we have instead of casting about on new ways to use limited taxpayer money.	Dec 10, 2012 11:59 AM
138	Due to current economy-parks should be kept clean/safe with no additional expansions. All boaters should be required to hose boats before entering water-eliminating the spread of milfoil. Park hours should be set & enforced. Library continued with possible expansion to larger facility.	Dec 10, 2012 10:46 AM
139	My daughter works on the fairboard and says they need good tasting water to use, they never have enough electrical outlets on the ground and the animal barns really need improvements-out by the animal barns there is never enough light to see by. The road between the barns and civic center make her nervous at night because they are dark.	Dec 10, 2012 10:18 AM
140	Recreation as such is not the right business of government. If private concerns find a profitable venture in it, fine, but applying taxpayer's funds is inappropriate! Government can help by loosening regulations that hinder private enterprize!	Dec 10, 2012 9:44 AM
141	Need to stop thinking of ways to wastefully spend and tax people who are already taxed enough for programs and facilities that are not used enough to justify their existance.	Dec 10, 2012 7:49 AM
142	I don't want any more things done to Kalkaska. There are people here who can't afford housing and yet we build a big arena/sports complex that tax payers who built it have to pay to use it. We don't need to build anything, lets focus on bigger problems at hand. Nat on making out small town look like Little Traverse.	Dec 10, 2012 7:41 AM
143	Many small communities have several festivals, bridal shows, senior and special need events promoting their towns and businesses. We need more of this and better far reaching advertising of such. Revenue from these events has been a blessing to many small towns and their business! We have the traffic, lets get them to stop and visist! P.S. Don't forget proper management of funds!	Dec 7, 2012 9:09 AM
144	Have recommended to everyone I know not to play hockey at the kaliseum, and will not play there again untill AJ is removed from managing the place	Dec 4, 2012 4:52 AM
145	Kalkaska has a ton of unrealized potential for outdoor recreation that if supported	Nov 30, 2012 10:25 AM

Q11. General Comments:

Please use this space for any additional recreation comments, ideas, or suggestions you may have.

could help with local redevelopment.

146	Kalkaska is a wonderful place to live, we need more caring people to help it grow and young people to get involved, with new ideas.	Nov 21, 2012 6:58 PM
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