

LLOYDMINSTER RECREATION FACILITIES STUDY

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT SURVEY SUMMARY

JUNE 16, 2020

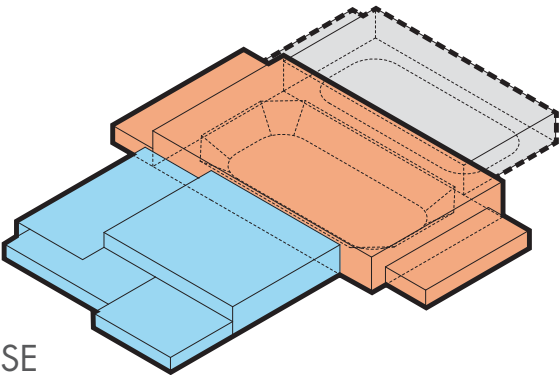
MEETING AGENDA

1. Public engagement overview
2. Facility options review
3. General question responses
4. Aquatics question responses
5. Arena question responses
6. Themes/Highlights
7. Recommendations/Next steps

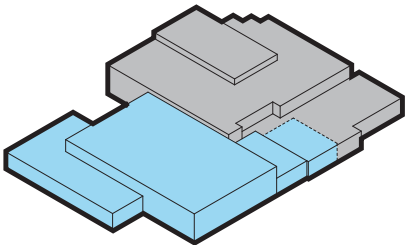
PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT OVERVIEW

- Online survey was open from May 15, 2020 to June 05, 2020
- 828 total responses (2.6% of population - according to 2015 municipal census)
- Question breakdown:
 - 4 general questions: respondent residence, household ages, facility useage, facility location
 - 3 aquatic centre questions: location, user amenities, spectator amenities
 - 3 arena questions: location, user amenities, spectator amenities
 - 1 open ended, written feedback opportunity

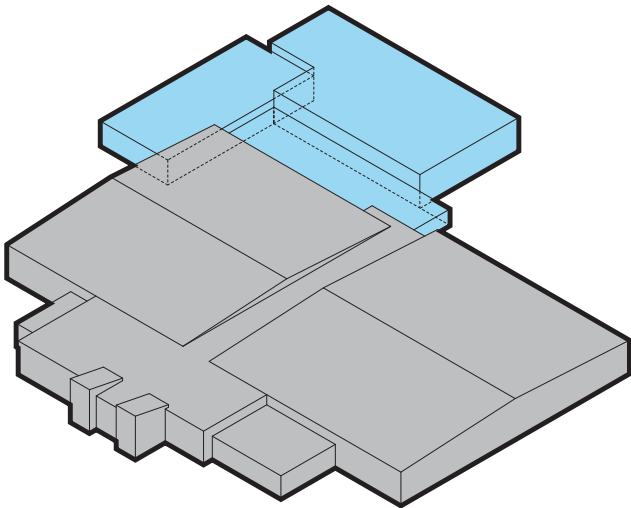
FACILITY OPTIONS REVIEW



A. NEW MULTI-USE FACILITY



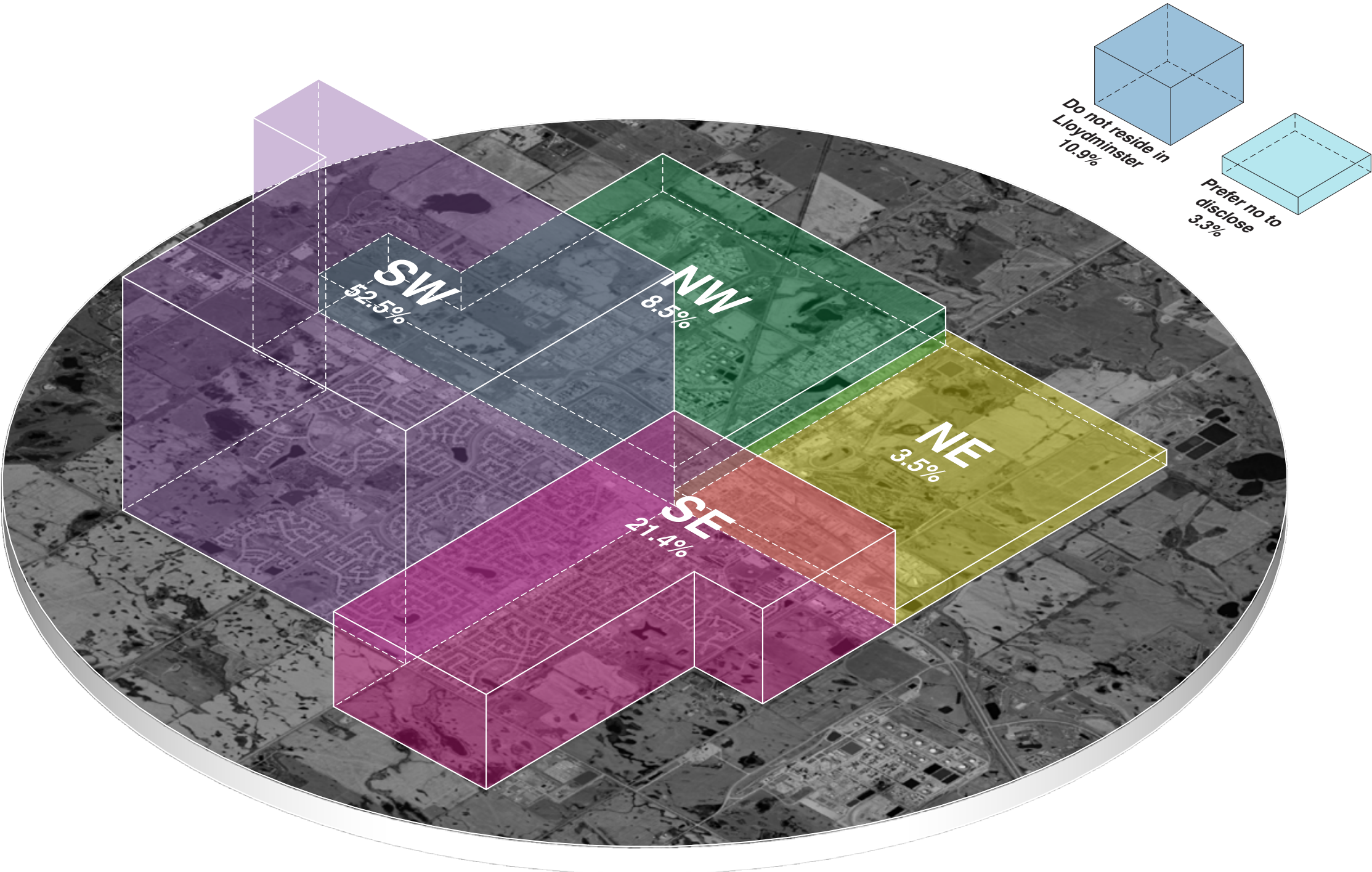
B. BIOCLEAN AQUATIC CENTRE EXPANSION



C. SERVUS SPORTS CENTRE EXPANSION

GENERAL QUESTIONS

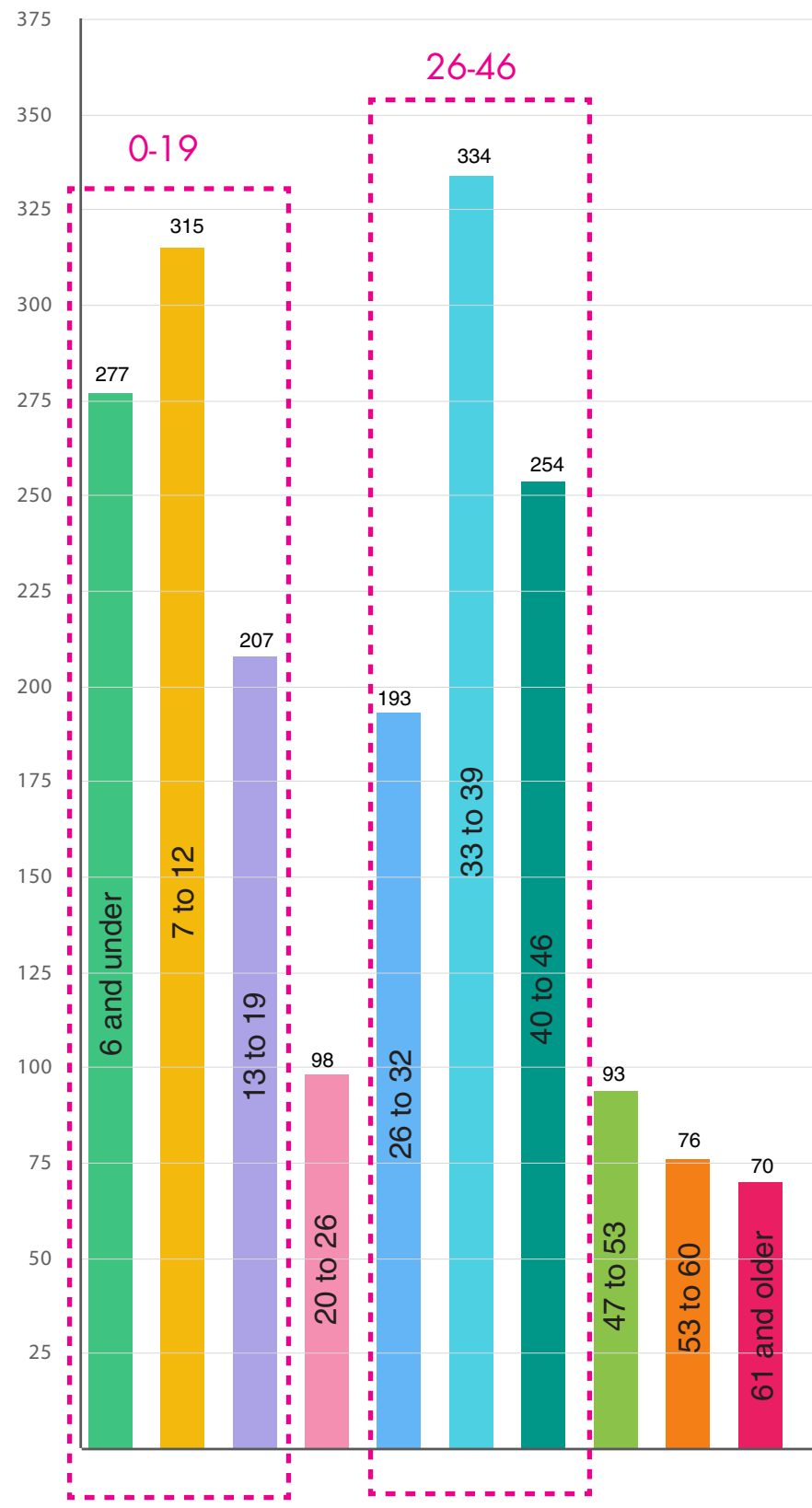
QUESTION 1 | WHAT QUADRANT OF THE COMMUNITY DO YOU RESIDE IN?



Quadrant	Population	Percentage
NW	3713	11.8
SW	16283	52.0
NE	1687	5.4
SE	9655	30.8
Total		31338
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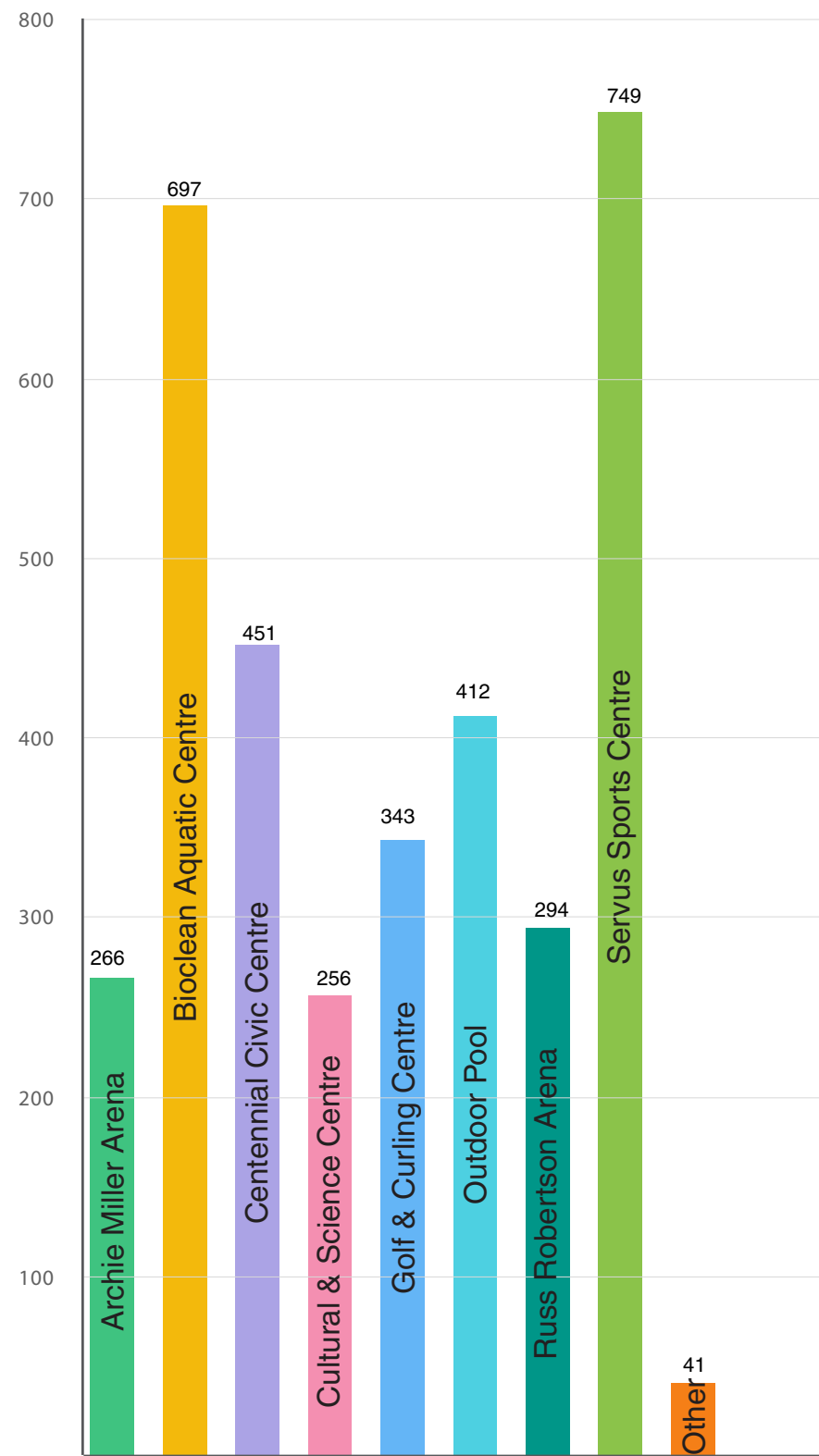
*Population data according to 2015 municipal census

QUESTION 2 | WHAT AGE GROUP(S) LIVE WITHIN YOUR HOUSEHOLD?



- Two significant age groups: 0-19 and 26-46
- Indicates generally that respondents are part of family household
- This is reflected in the written comments which show strong support for amenities such as family change rooms, toddler/kids pools and play areas, etc.

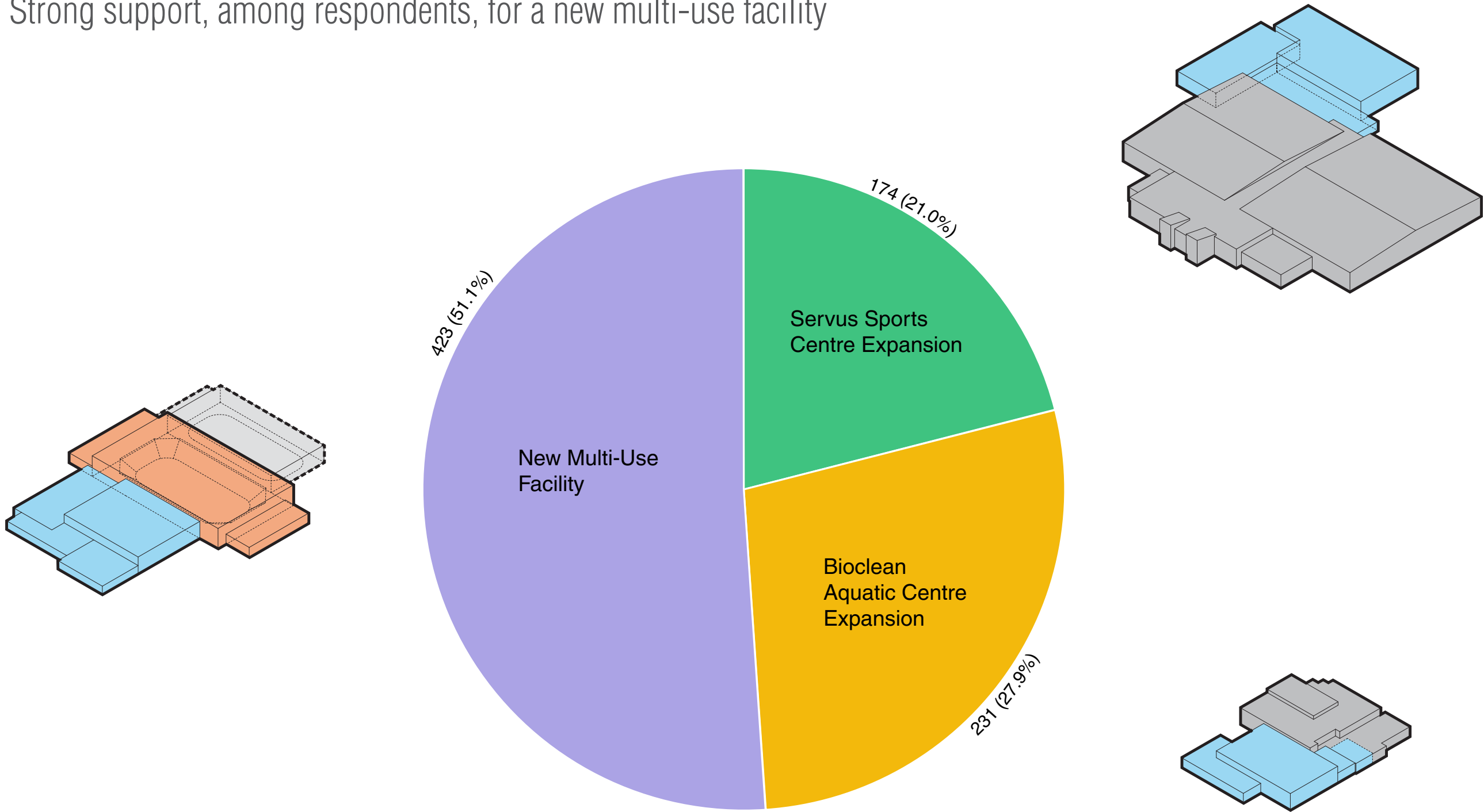
QUESTION 3 | IN THE LAST YEAR WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING RECREATION FACILITIES HAVE YOU USED?



- Strong useage, among respondents, of the Bioclean Aquatics Centre and Servus Sport Centre
- Supports the need/desire for more pool and ice space in Lloydminster

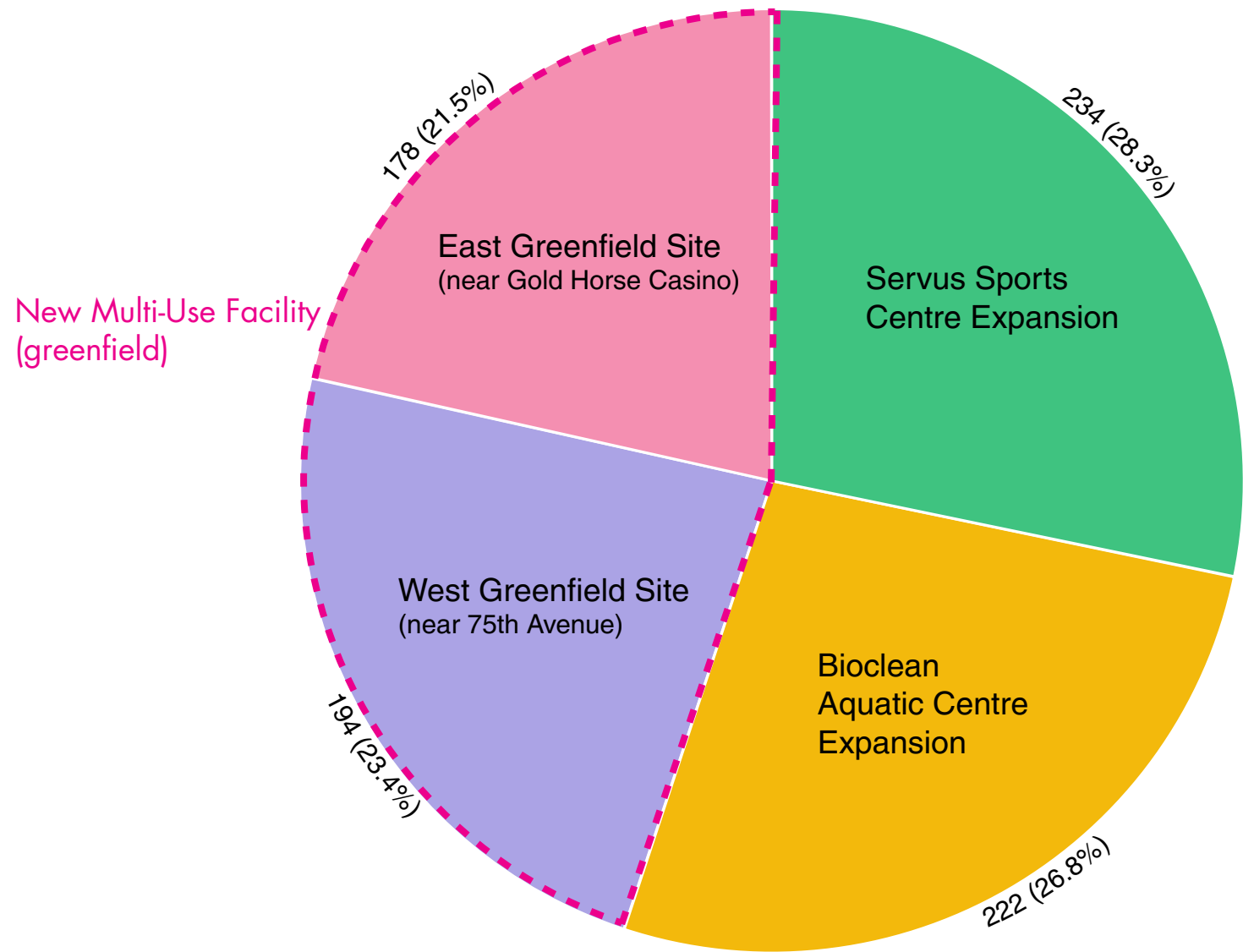
QUESTION 4 | WHICH OF THE FACILITY STRUCTURES DO YOU MOST PREFER?

- Strong support, among respondents, for a new multi-use facility



AQUATICS QUESTIONS

QUESTION 5 | WHAT IS YOUR MOST PREFERRED LOCATION FOR THE NEW OR ENHANCED AQUATIC CENTRE?

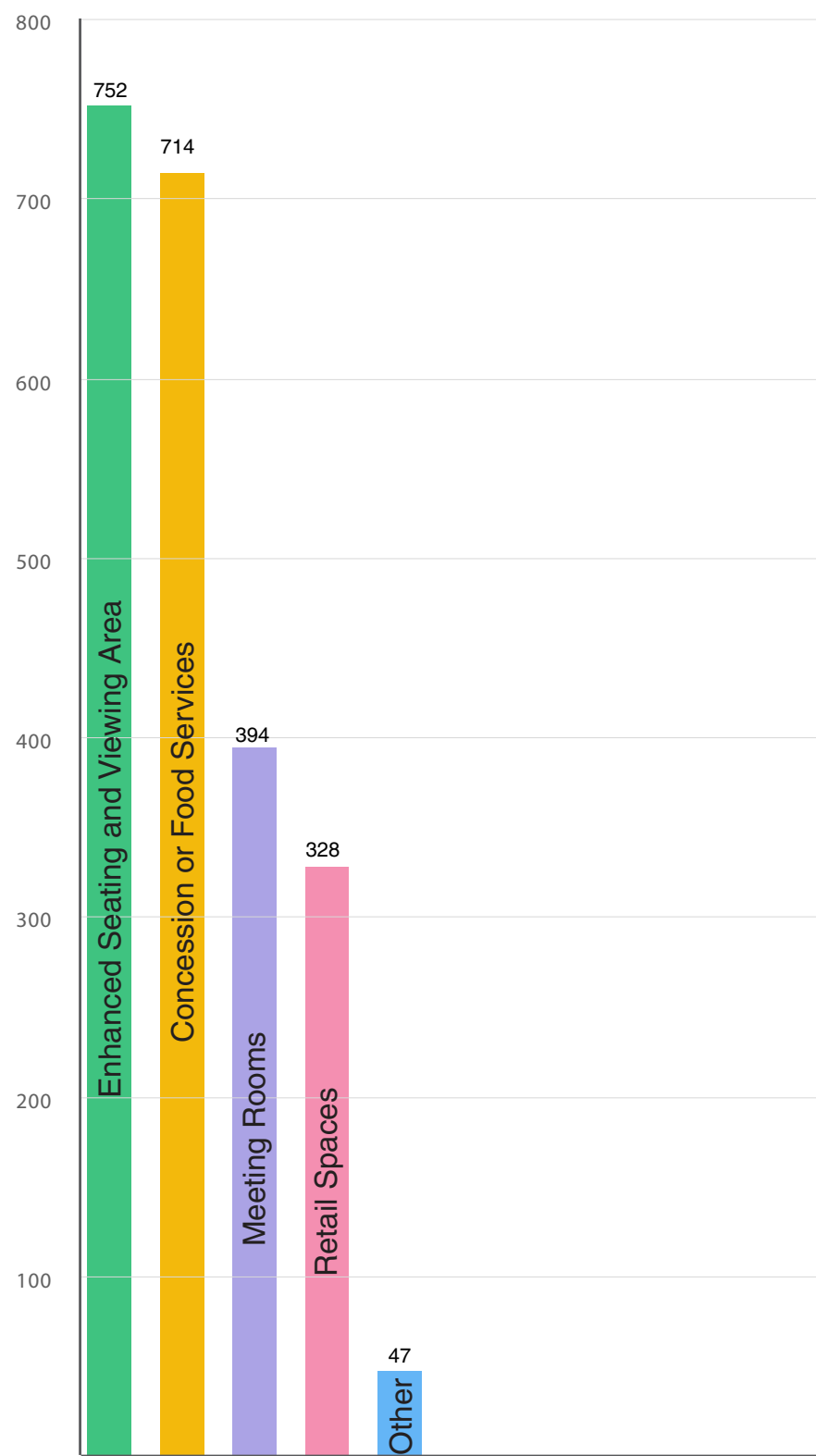


- Generally correlates to the previous question, with the location of a new pool as part of a multi-use facility favoured between the West and East greenfield locations
- West greenfield location is marginally preferred, with respondents citing visibility, proximity to retail, proximity to hotel, accessibility via highway as being attributes of the West site
- Desire to preserve Bud Miller Park as a cultural/recreation destination, but not necessarily as a location for the pool

QUESTION 6 | PLEASE RANK THE FOLLOWING USER AMENITIES BASED ON YOUR PRIORITIES. ONE BEING THE LOWEST PRIORITY, 11 BEING THE HIGHEST.

OPTIONS	AVG. RANK	
More space for dryland training and warm up	5.33	● Support for lap pool, dive tank, warm up space with event capability - spectator seating, concession
More accessible features such as zero depth beach entry	5.48	● Support for family oriented amenities - family change rooms, toddler/kid pools,
Additional amenities such as a sauna or steam room	5.63	● Support for lazy river, hot pools
Additional capacity for more aquatic sports with a new dive tank, boards or platform	5.76	● Accessibility a common theme - wheelchair accessible pools and change rooms
Enhanced locker facilities	6.04	● Enhanced/improved change rooms
Additional capacity for lane swimming, lessons and competitions	6.06	● More lane swimming is needed
Larger capacity whirlpool	6.15	
Additional play features like jungle swings or climbing walls	6.16	
More play water with a larger wave pool	6.35	
Additional recreation water such as slides	6.52	
Additional leisure water space such as a lazy river	6.53	

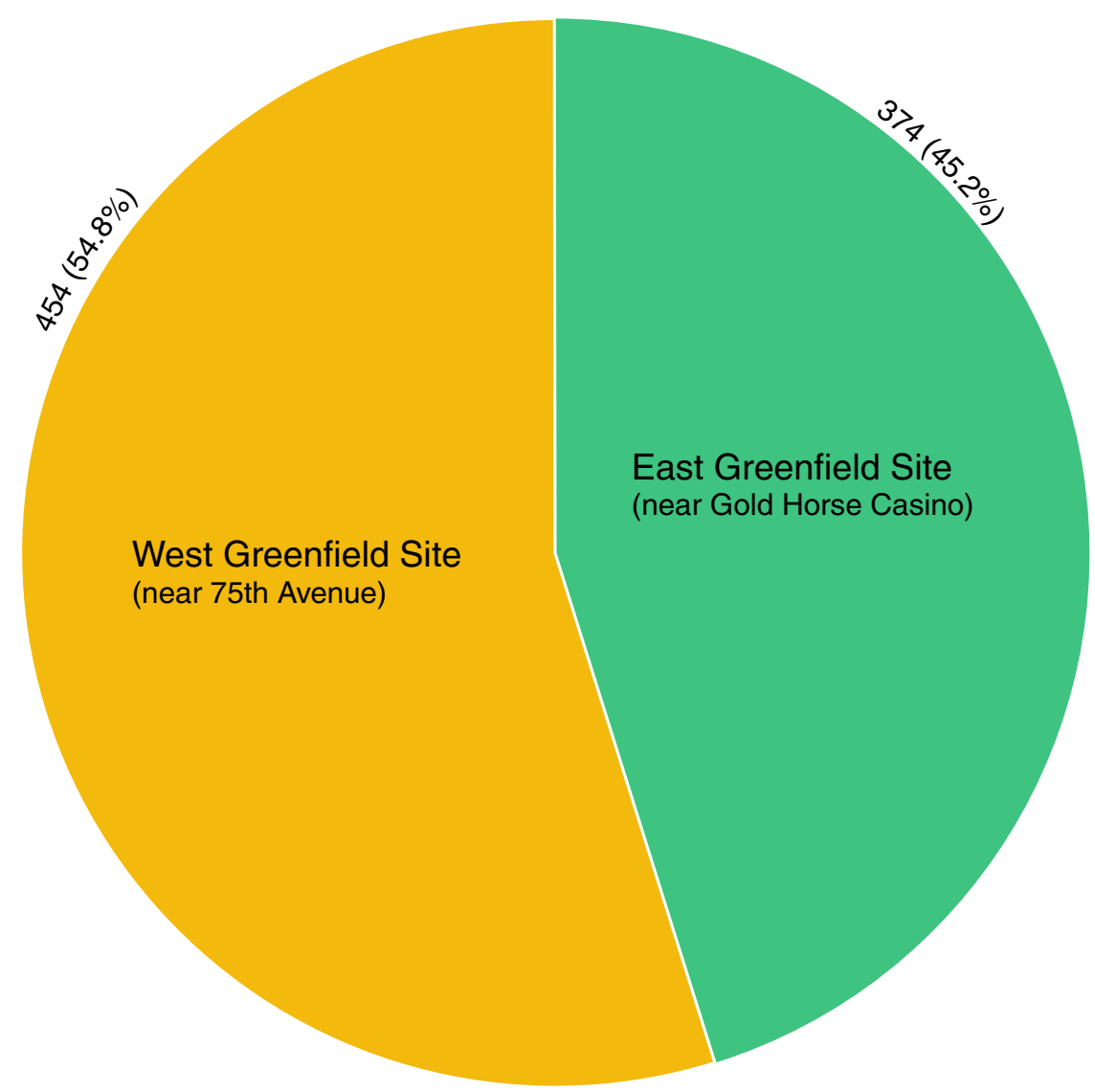
QUESTION 7 | PLEASE SELECT THREE (3) OF YOUR MOST
PREFERRED SPECTATOR UPGRADES FROM THE LIST BELOW.



- Support for event capability - spectator seating, viewing area and concession area

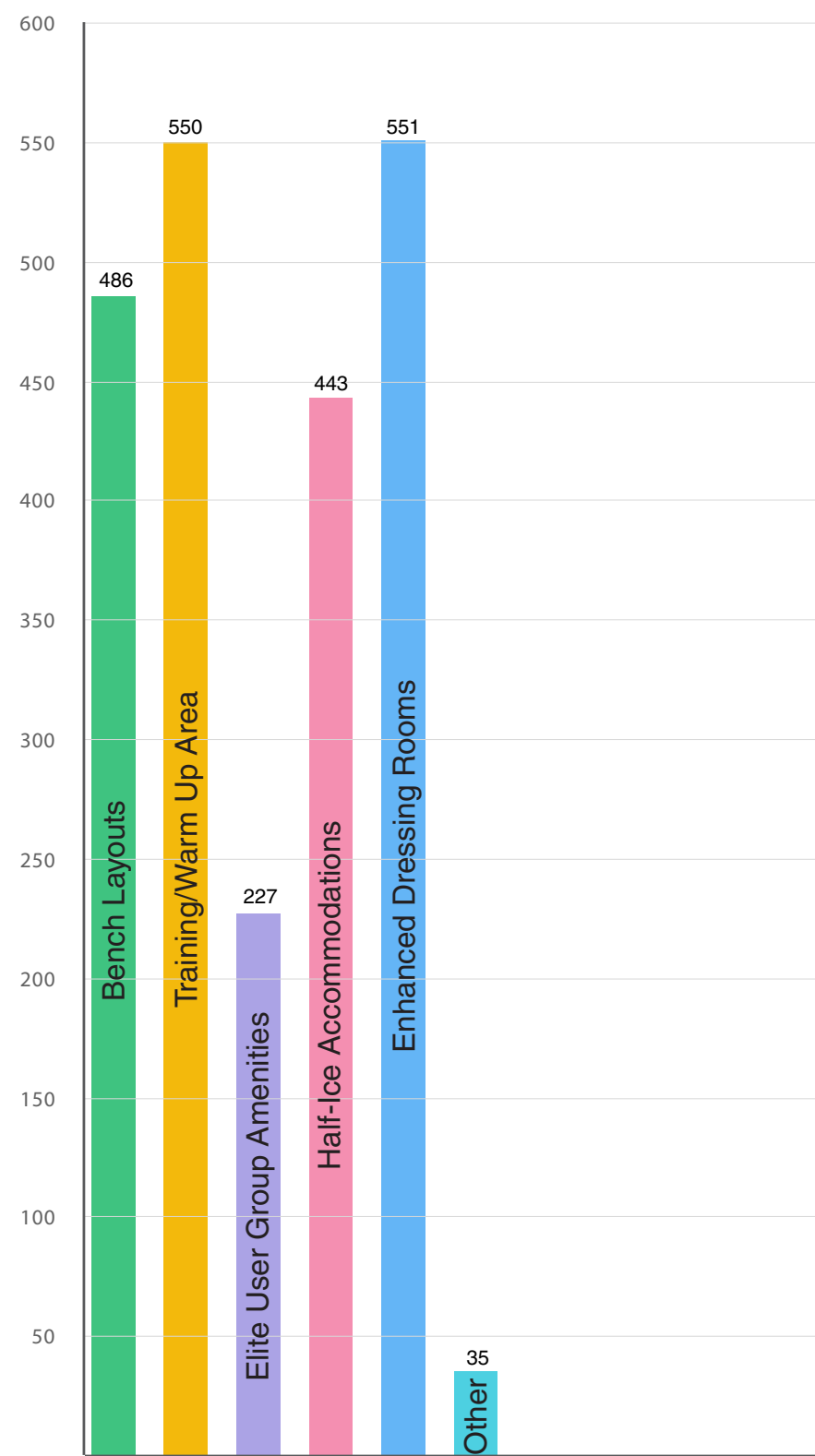
ARENA QUESTIONS

QUESTION 8 | WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING POTENTIAL ARENA LOCATIONS DO YOU FAVOUR THE MOST?



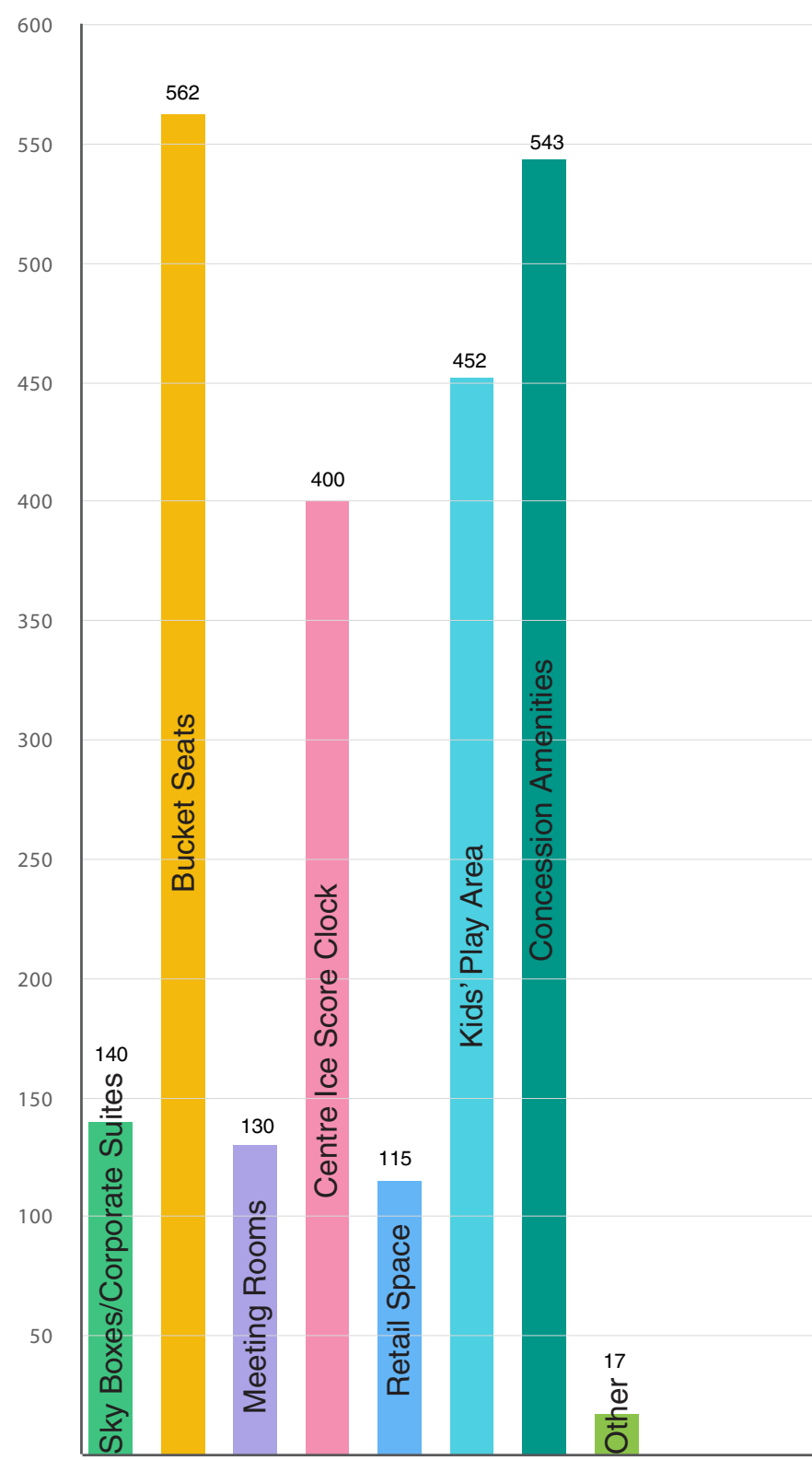
- West Greenfield site slightly preferred over the East Greenfield site
- Visibility, access, connection to surrounding community, proximity to retail and hotel noted as advantages of the West site.
- Some comments expressing the desire for a facility on the East (Saskatchewan) side of the City.

QUESTION 9 | PLEASE SELECT THREE (3) OF YOUR MOST PREFERRED USER UPGRADES FROM THE LIST BELOW.



- Strong support for bench layouts, training areas, flexibility of ice, enhanced dressing rooms
- Flexibility of facility to accommodate trade shows, oil shows, farmers markets, etc.
- Culture and entertainment themes from respondent comments
- Connection to surrounding development
- There is a perception that Lloydminster should build a facility large enough to support a WHL team

QUESTION 10 | PLEASE SELECT THREE (3) OF YOUR MOST PREFERRED SPECTATOR UPGRADES FROM THE LIST BELOW.



- Strong support for bucket seats, concession amenities, kids' play area and centre ice clock.
- Family oriented facility and amenities
- Support for an event capable facility - 1500+ spectator capacity, concert venue, trade shows

THEMES/HIGHLIGHTS - QUESTION 11

1. **Affordable**, cost effective, efficient
2. Single stop, new **multi-use facility** is the preferred option
3. **Family**, youth, child focused amenities
4. **Diversity** and **flexibility** of the facilities to create revenue through hosting meets, tournaments, trade shows, farmers markets, oil shows, etc.
5. **Consultation** - include communities, user groups, clubs, teams in the process
6. **Accessibility** for all ages and abilities wheelchair
7. **Connection** to the surrounding community - **trails, paths, walkability**, outdoor spaces as well as **impact on businesses** is important
8. **Bud Miller Park** is a valued community asset as a cultural/recreation destination, but not necessarily a pool
9. **Arts, culture, and heritage** are important - desire to consider/include the **library, museum** and **community centre** in planning the new facility
10. **More than one location** for sport and recreation is needed

RECOMMENDATIONS/NEXT STEPS

- Fiscal responsibility needs to be balanced with ongoing costs both operationally and in terms of capital
- A joint use facility is the preferred option and the west location is slightly preferred, but there is potential for equal support on the east side
- Consideration of other civic assets like the LCSC and future of Bud Miller Park is important and a plan should be developed in concert with the arena and pool plans
- **Aquatic program considerations:**
 - Equal emphasis on leisure and lane swim to accommodate demand
 - Strong desire to appeal to all age groups and abilities
 - Locker rooms with appropriate universal change rooms
 - Newer attractions in leisure space is preferred
- **Arena program considerations:**
 - Ability to do more than just hockey (ie. concerts)
 - Slightly higher end experience
 - Focus on family
- **Next steps:**
 - Develop multiplex facility and site plans for preferred site
 - Test the operational impact of potential aquatic and arena scenarios
 - Review the development impact potential of the two sites
- Final feasibility report – targeting **mid-July**