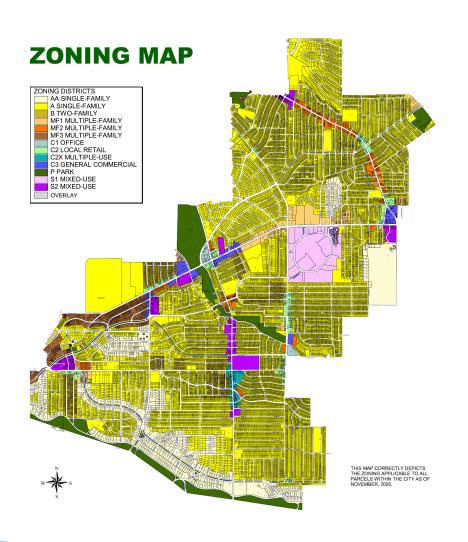
Noble Branch Survey Results



Winter 2021

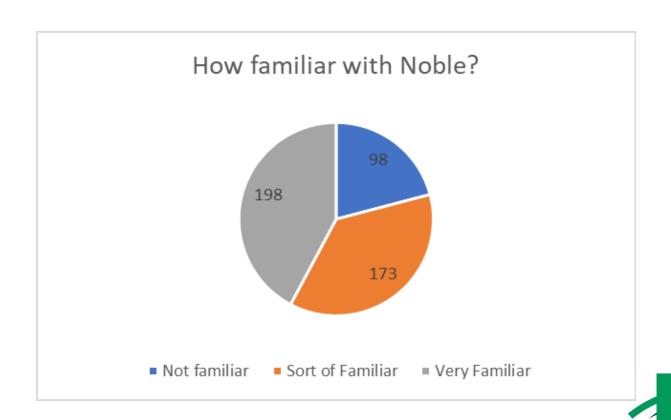


Noble Branch in CH city





Survey received 468 responses



Opening Doors, Opening Minds

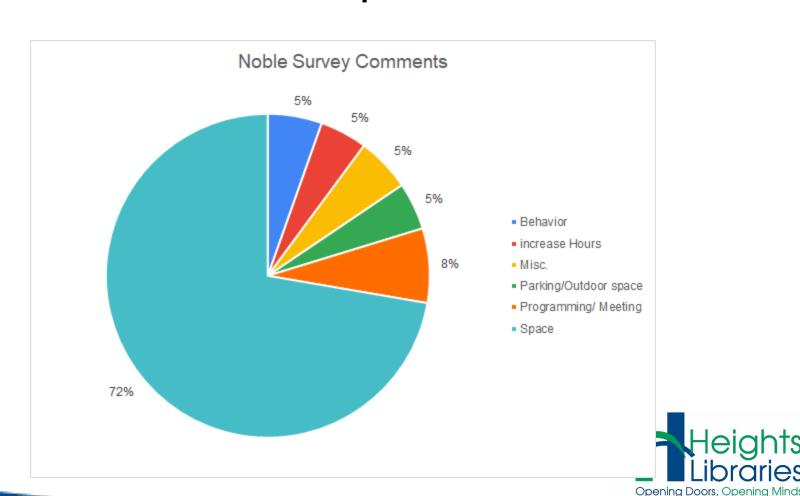
Survey

How did you use the branch pre-COVID?

- Checking out materials 308 (66%)
- Reading/browsing 220 (47%)
- Attending adult programs 84 (18%)
- Attending kids or teen programs 47 (10%)
- Attending baby/toddler/preschool programs – 30 (6%)
- Using the computers 113 (24%)
- Doing research or writing 61 (13%)
- Relaxing/spending time someplace other than home – 112 (24%)



Responses indicate we need more space



Comment specifics

- Great staff
- Heart of neighborhood
- Outdoor space to sit
- More computers
- Age appropriate service areas

- More programs needed
- Classroom (ESL)
- Business support
- Accessibility-without stairs/elevator
- Can we have a drive up book pick-up?



Need separate spaces for early childhood, school age, and teens

- Important place for children of Noble,
 Oxford, and Monticello schools, home-schooled
- Computers too
- Refugee hub/ESL



Concerns from comments

- Taxes
- Lose hub of neighborhood -don't close
- Lose warm cozy
- Behavior

- Noise-separate quiet space
- Computers
- Need more books
- Not enough parking



Keep historic character

- Built in 1937, designed by Walker and Weeks
- Warm, cozy







Currently have money saved

- No new taxes needed
- Building and Repair Fund
- Applying for grants
- More space=more staff but we are very efficient.



Neighborhood-Noble Corridor

- Very important to keep Noble Road vibrant
- North of Mayfield needs computer access
- Walkable
- Economic Development
- Meeting/gathering indoors and out
- Placemaking



Future Heights study

- See 91 page study from Future Heights
- http://www.futureheights.org/programs/plan ning-and-development/noble-roadcorridor-planning-project/



Recommendations from Noble Corridor study

- Civic Life-a place for people
- Attractive, enticing, vital
- Serve all ages
- Meeting, voting, learning, celebrating, growing



Now what?

- In negotiations to buy more property
- Library will keep listening
- Stop by Noble Neighborhood branch or watch library website for new information
- Next step: Visioning with community
- Any questions?
- Contact: director@heightslibrary.orgHeights Libraries