

Legacy Square Online Community Mapping

Summary of Results

Dec 2021

Online Community Mapping Overview

The survey, conducted in November and December of 2021, included the following questions:

Neighborhood Orientation

- Indicate your **most typical / frequent entry point** into Hollingsworth Park.
- Indicate the **most common entry point into Hollingsworth Park for visitors.**
- What landmarks do visitors use for orientation** and knowing where to go when visiting your home or a Legacy Square business?

Sense of Place

- Indicate **popular places, destinations, or areas that add** to Legacy Square & Hollingsworth Park's **unique sense of place.**
- Indicate **any locations you avoid** or areas that detract from the Legacy Square & Hollingsworth Park sense of place.
- Describe your special / unique / favorite views within and around Legacy Square.** For example, a particular tree near the playground or the sunset over the park.

The survey received over 840 responses! The following pages provide a summary of and key-takeways from these responses.

Common entry points into Hollingsworth Park for residents and business owners



- Most residents and business owners enter the neighborhood via **Rocky Slope Rd at Woodruff Rd or Verdae Blvd**
- **Secondary entry** points are located along Verdae Blvd and Woodruff Rd
- **Rocky Slope Road is the primary thoroughfare** in the neighborhood
- Based on the density of pins, **key neighborhood gateways** are:
 - Rocky Slope Rd @ Verdae
 - Rocky Slope Rd @ Woodruff
 - Southern end of Legacy Park

Common entry points and orientation landmarks for visitors



- Key gateway entry points are located along **Rocky Slope Rd** at **Woodruff Rd**, **Verdae Blvd**, and at **Legacy Park**
- **Common landmarks** visitors use for orientation:
 - The Sumerel Building
 - Keith Tower
 - Legacy Square businesses (Stella's, Holliday Dental)
 - Roundabout
 - Legacy Park
 - Embassy Suites

Areas that ADD to the Legacy Square & Hollingsworth Park sense of place



- **The Legacy Park pond, garden, playground, and pavilion** as well as the **Legacy Square businesses** are the most commonly identified locations for adding to the sense of place
- **Algonquin pond, Ruskin Square, Braydon neighborhood park, and the Brownstones** are also commonly identified locations for adding to the sense of place

Areas that DETRACT from the Legacy Square & Hollingsworth Park sense of place



- Existing Legacy Square parking lots and undeveloped lots are the most commonly identified locations that detract from the sense of place
- Areas around Algonquin Pond were also identified as detracting from the sense of place

Special/Unique/Favorite Views within and around Legacy Square

Sampling of responses:

“Kids **playing in the playground.**”

“**Brownstones** in the **evening light**”

“Enjoying **cookouts at the Legacy park shelter**”

“I love seeing **people walking, children playing, people from different cultures, family celebrations, etc.**”

“The...Sumerel building lends itself to **great views of Greenville** from the upper floors...”

“**Sunsets** from our driveway when Legacy Park is **full of visitors.**”

“The **Cherry Trees** in bloom.”

“...**Sitting on the hill** at the park...**deer by the Belhaven retention pond**, clear view of the **evening sky.**”

“...**Panoramic views** from the higher elevation of rocky slope - always beautiful seeing the **sunrises/sunsets...**”

“**Rolling hills** in the park.”

“...**beautiful sunset**, sitting on the swings in front of the **fountains and Legacy Pond** and walking my dog around it.”

“...being able to **walk to businesses/restaurants in Legacy Square.**”

“...**live music at Stellas...**adds such a happy vibe. I love the look of the **event space about Holliday Dental** and wish we did **more community events there.**”

“The wooded area along Algonquin has **beautiful Redbud trees** and shade...”

“**tree in park ...**with several leaf colors at the same time...”