

# Altrincham Leisure Centre Redevelopment

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Consultation Summary July 2022

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# Background

- Consultation took place using the Council's Citizen Space portal between the 12<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> January 2022 on the proposed facility mix.
- The output have been used to inform the RIBA Stage 3 designs for Altrincham Leisure Centre (ALC)
- The consultation asked 26 questions were asked relating to respondents and the proposals and was promoted via social media and at local venues in Altrincham from schools to supermarkets.
- There were four online open sessions which attracted around 30 residents.
- Several stakeholders were also contacted and participated in a focused discussion on their area of interest. These included local sports clubs, national sporting bodies and local public groups.

# Responses - 576 people responded

## Gender



Male

Female

43%

53%

4% not answering

## Age



Under  
35

Between  
35 and 54

Over  
54

12%

66%

18%

1% not answering

## Activity levels



>150 mins a  
week

<150 mins a  
week

54%

45%

1% not answering

# Analysis – Reasons for not using ALC

- 70% of respondents used ALC
- 16% didn't use a 'Trafford Leisure' centre

Main reasons: - 56%

- Condition
- Lack of Facilities
- Cleanliness
- Parking

Other key factors: - 23%

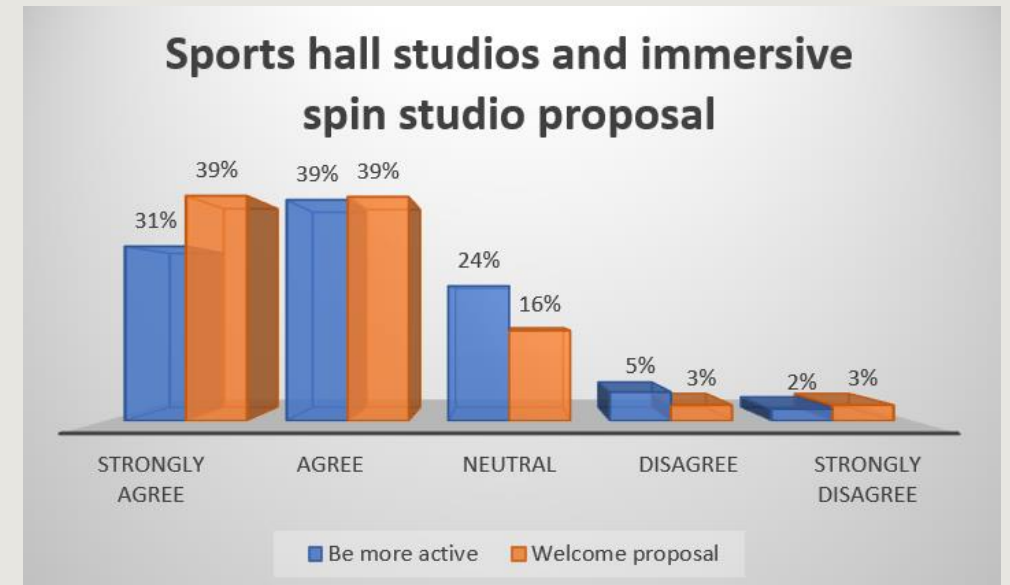
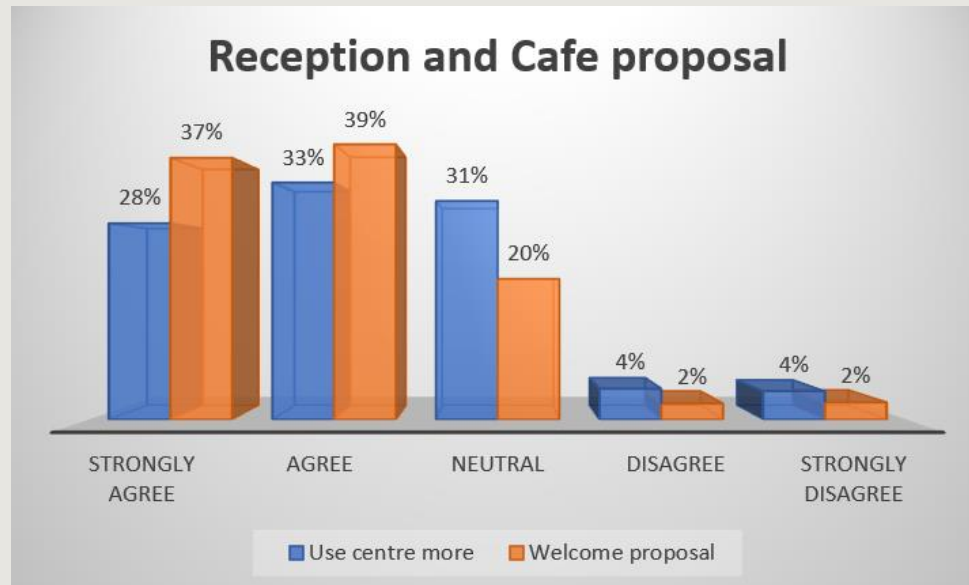
- Location
- Changing options
- Availability



# Reception / Café & Studios / Halls proposals

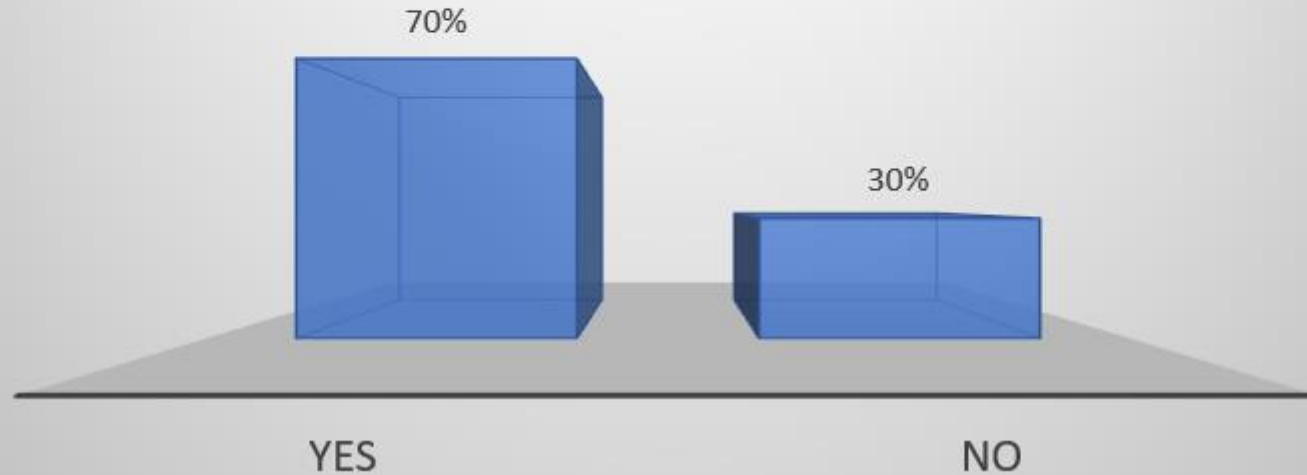
- 61% Would use the centre more
- 76% Welcome the proposal
- 8% Would not use the centre more
- 4% Don't welcome the proposal

- 70% Would be more active
- 78% Welcome the proposal
- 7% Would not be more active
- 6% Don't welcome the proposal



# Analysis – Squash

**Do you agree with the proposal to introduce an immersive spin studio in to the squash space?**

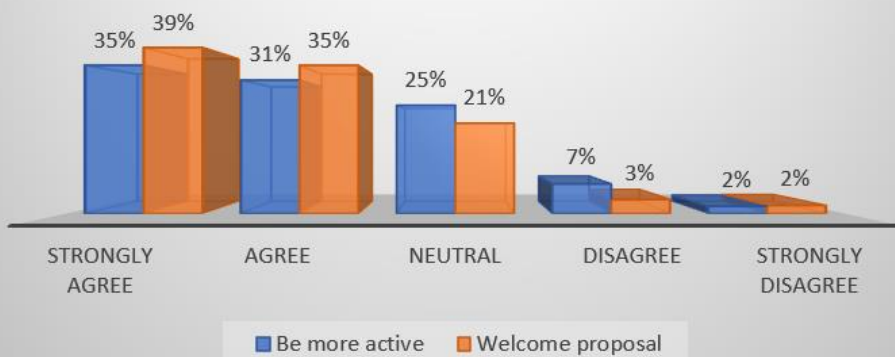


# Fitness Suite & Changing options proposals

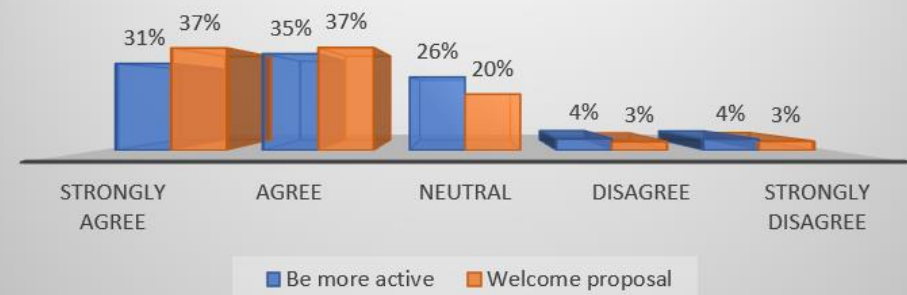
- 66% Would be more active
- 74% Welcome the proposal
- 9% Would not be more active
- 5% Don't welcome the proposal

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**Proposal to increase the size of the fitness suite / gym up to 100 stations with new state of the art equipment.**



**Proposal to have a flexible suite of changing options to allow the centre to accommodate lessons as well as single sex and gender neutral change.**

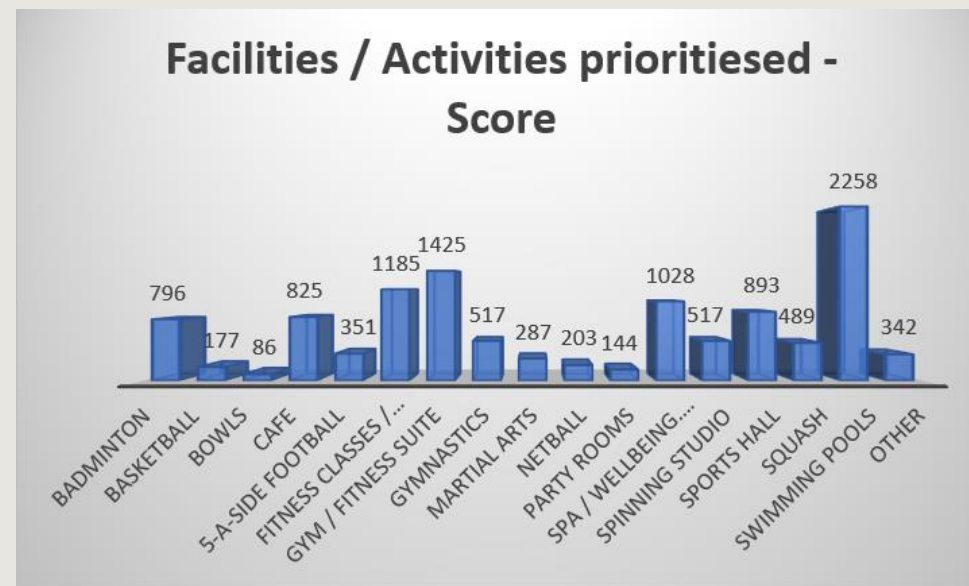
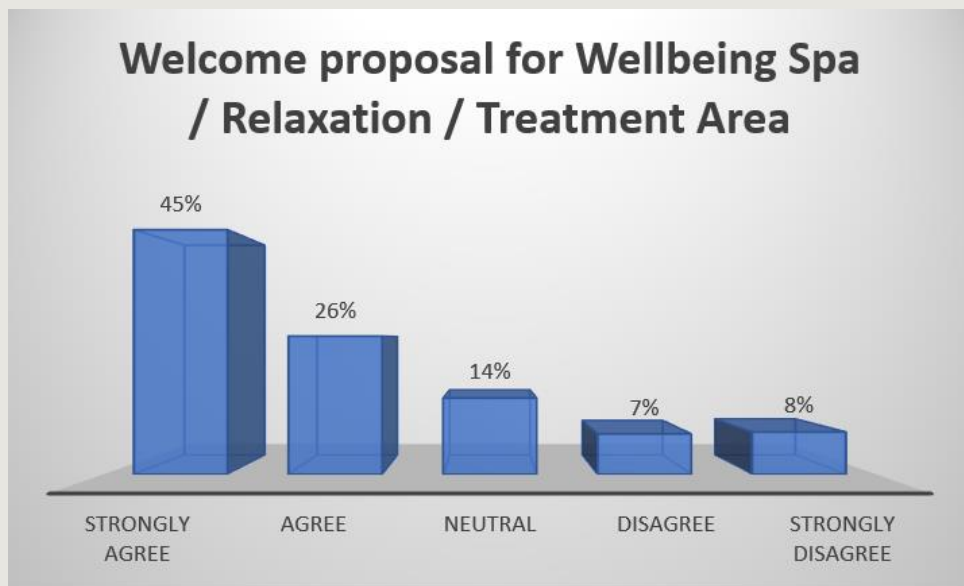




# SPA / Wellbeing proposals and Facilities

- 71% Welcome the proposal
- 15% Don't welcome the proposal

- Swimming pools are wanted followed by:
- Fitness suite and Fitness classes
- SPA / Wellbeing area
- Indoor hockey option in sports hall



# Travel – Intended method & Daily commute

Intend to travel to ALC by:

- 52% - Personal motor vehicle
- 41% - Walking or cycling
- 4% - Public transport



Using ALC as part of daily commute

- 45% - Yes
- 53% No

