24-110-CD - Appendix E – League Consultation Summary and Comments # Type Comment

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1	Email	With regard to Duke's Dugout and some of the parking lot being paved. A consideration to make is cleats on paved surfaces can be quite slippery, while the dirt and gravel currently in those heavy pathways isn't an issue. So long as that much is considered for the players using Kin 2 (who will be almost unanimously wearing cleats), the rest of this looks pretty good. Perhaps making a softer walkway or having an option for a grass walkway along the fence, would help that consideration?
2	Email	I haven't seen the scoreboards used on either Kin diamond in decades. I think the larger events (like world fastball champs) used to use them, but local leagues don't bother with that sort of thing normally.
3	Email	Scoreboard has always had issues over the years. For us anyway. Would never work.
4	Zoom Call	Excited to see improvements to baseball fields, it feels like we have been left behind in terms of capital improvements.
5	Pop-Up	Need for improved surfacing (not granular) down to the player / spectator area on Kin 1 Diamond – softness of the surface, rutting after rainfalls and steepness (slope) were noted as issues.
6	Pop-Up	No accessible washrooms located in the building.
7	Pop-Up	Condition of parking lot – potholes and water ponding – can make getting to the diamond difficult.
8	Pop-Up	Expansion of the patio area associated with Duke's Dugout – difficult to move around the space when multiple games have concluded.
9	Pop-Up	Suggestion was to push the patio eastward to the existing fence line.
10	Pop-Up	Remove all or a portion of the existing mounding located between Duke's Dugout and Kin #1 Diamond to improve sightlines from the patio to the ball field.
11	Pop-Up	Partially to raise awareness about the Buddy League and partially to provide an alternate viewing opportunity (people on the patio can see what is happening at the field).
12	Pop-Up	Improve circulation / wayfinding to the soccer field (Rogers Field) located south of Kin #1 Diamond.
13	Pop-Up	Soccer players often make it all the way to the ball diamond spectators' area before realizing they are in the wrong space.
14	Pop-Up	Could an alternate walkway connection be made along the south side of the Duke's Dugout patio area (internal to Kin #2 Diamond)?
15	Pop-Up	Could directional signage be added along near the parking lot.
16	Pop-Up	Increase the amount of room for spectators behind the backstop – currently very cramped unless using the hillside seating.
17	Pop-Up	Hillside seating / timber bleachers are uncomfortable and in a poor state of repair.
18	Pop-Up	Personal items being dropped / falling under the bleachers due to gaps in the wood.
19	Pop-Up	There is no accessible seating option behind the backstop area.
20	Pop-Up	Scoreboard does not function.
21	Pop-Up	Field does not drain properly – issues in both the infield and outfield areas.
22	Pop-Up	Request to keep the press box structure if possible.
23	Pop-Up	What is the timing for construction? Will the diamond be shut for a season?