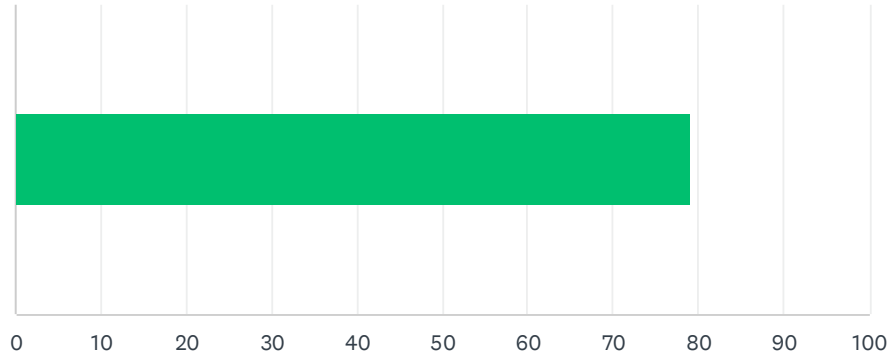


Q1 How much value do you believe a new trail connecting the community of Gerlach to Highway 34 would bring?

Answered: 107 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
	79	8,459	107
Total Respondents: 107			

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Q2 If you believe a Gerlach community trail would add value to the community, please share the reason(s) you think the trail should be constructed:

Answered: 83 Skipped: 24

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	There is a lot of culture, history and interesting spots along the proposed trail. But it's hard to get to know about them unless you are in the know already. This trail would bring connectedness and accessibility to the already existing great things in the community and in the Black Rock Desert.	2/3/2023 1:48 PM
2	Getting out in nature is fun!	2/2/2023 5:14 PM
3	There is a great deal of tourism occurring on the playa and this could be a good attraction that keeps people from getting stuck on wet playa in their vehicles. aka something else to do!	2/1/2023 4:00 PM
4	Eco Chic Experience	2/1/2023 7:22 AM
5	I think it would be a nice way to give back to the community and for the landscape to be more connected. Provide something significant for the community members	1/31/2023 7:17 PM
6	More things to do in Gerlach year-round.	1/31/2023 5:13 PM
7	amazing opportunity to create a new sustainable way to experience the area	1/31/2023 10:54 AM
8	Bring visitors and thus needed commerce to the community outside the annual deluge of people associated with Burning Man.	1/31/2023 8:34 AM
9	I totally believe it would. I visit Gerlach several times a year and would love to be able to use this trail.	1/31/2023 6:42 AM
10	Easy access	1/30/2023 10:30 PM
11	Because right now it is a bit confusing if you can go out there safely. If there was a set dirt road, upon which all amateur folks/tourist/explorers could travel, I think a majority would. Sort of like the one strip of road in Death Valley. It makes the harsh dangerous area accessible to the average person. And the cool thing is, that 99% of people then stay on that one track, and it keeps human wear-and-tear to a small area. Sort of contains the tourists. But if you are knowledgeable and have a kick-ass vehicle, you can access much more off that track. It's a win-win. Have a rest stop halfway, some water, toilets, EV charging station and educational stuff. yay!	1/30/2023 9:18 PM
12	Increase cultural awareness.	1/30/2023 4:52 PM
13	To bring awareness to the ecosystems and biodiversity of the area. Bring in non burner tourism year round. Support the town with infrastructure and resources.	1/30/2023 4:39 PM
14	Promote non-motorized transportation options! Encourage health and fitness!!	1/30/2023 2:06 PM
15	Adventure, learning and exercise	1/30/2023 1:29 PM
16	Connecting the community to nature, highlight art and provide an avenue for exercise and exploration.	1/30/2023 12:36 PM
17	The town always needs fun things to do besides going to the bar. Also there are no sidewalks, so it would be nice to have somewhere to walk that wasn't in the road.	1/30/2023 12:07 PM
18	It would be nice to have a designated place to walk and learn about the playa. I think sometimes people are unsure about where they are allowed to be, so a designated area with environmental information would be nice.	1/30/2023 11:58 AM
19	Increased tourism and a better quality of life for the current residents	1/30/2023 11:39 AM

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20	Expand awareness of the Black Rock Desert in yet another sustainable way.	1/30/2023 11:24 AM
21	For art's sake, to bring more people out to respectfully engage with the ecosystem, to bring more business to Gerlach	1/30/2023 11:23 AM
22	Further preservation and engagement with the historic and natural setting by visitors from near and far. Protect and share Guru Road, and engage further with options for recreation and creative expression in the area.	1/30/2023 11:22 AM
23	It depends: we need to see the proposed route(s). Assume thru southern Blck Rk playa? Also, strongly suggest the community must include input/decisions with the Pyramidlake Paiute Tribe and or other locals. I would like to see access for bikes, but how do locals feel about it? Does it cross/enter any sacred areas? I'm familiar with "controversial" petroglyphs in the region. The tribe (and otherhistorical agency?) may request protection.	1/30/2023 11:22 AM
24	This question is really confusing...34 starts in Gerlach. If you had noted where you expect the trail to begin and end I could answer ore clearly.	1/30/2023 11:09 AM
25	Recreational learning opportunity for people to be engaged in the historical relevance of people, geology, and land ownership/uses of the area.	1/30/2023 10:59 AM
26	Investment in the area, beautification, learning, increasing health.	1/30/2023 10:56 AM
27	Many people ride bikes out there. I think this will give people more opportunities to connect and share that gorgeous area.	1/30/2023 10:49 AM
28	I/WE STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY SUCH "TRAIL" ON OUR BELOVED OPEN LAND	1/30/2023 10:46 AM
29	There is nothing to do in Gerlach... a trail leading out might entertain some people.	1/30/2023 10:22 AM
30	Lessening the number of internal combustion engines anywhere is a noble goal. With this trail, burners could arrive otherwise.	1/29/2023 6:59 PM
31	Trails are great ways to open up access to wild and beautiful lands for all to explore.	1/29/2023 5:18 PM
32	Any safe and self directed outing in the Black Rock would be enjoyed by many people. I think many somewhat inexperienced people like having a signed and easy to follow trail that will allow them to come out and enjoy the Black Rock Desert.	1/29/2023 1:30 PM
33	Most anything to enhance the relationship btwn BRC and Gerlach community is for the good for so many reasons.	1/29/2023 11:04 AM
34	less solution	1/29/2023 11:01 AM
35	A trail that is non-fossil-fuel oriented would be good for health, such as hiking and biking; safety - away from cars and trucks, especially the 18-wheelers; and resource interpretation such as geomorphology, ecology, prehistory and history (the earthen mounds at 3 mile are actually target berms built by the U.S. Navy, there are prehistoric shelter in sites near Gerlach, there's a 19th Century military outpost between 3 Mile and 8 Mile not far from Doobie Lane (The actual name of Guru Lane), UP Railroad Jungos - division sites like the Trego Hotel where hobos could get water and food; and there is virtually nothing anywhere explaining the Paiute relationship to this area	1/29/2023 10:59 AM
36	I am always a fan of more trails because community-nature interaction connects people to the land and it's always healthy to take a nice walk	1/28/2023 11:03 PM
37	It would show case the beauty and mystic energy of the area. A designated trail would help reduce the environmental impact to the sensitive areas, and help keep the region as pristine as possible.	1/28/2023 11:14 AM
38	Information sharing, exercise, public space, education	1/28/2023 10:47 AM
39	Gets people outside, provides a physical activity, serves as an alternate access.	1/28/2023 9:58 AM
40	always a leisure walking somewhere that is unique	1/28/2023 9:22 AM
41	Adding outdoor options for the community and visitors, making it a destination outside of BM time slot.	1/28/2023 9:19 AM
42	Friends of black rock high rock and the community can use the trail	1/28/2023 5:29 AM
43	Art and exploration taken to a new element.	1/28/2023 3:19 AM

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44	educating people about respect for the land, not just a place to party	1/28/2023 2:12 AM
45	I think it would be valuable to have a foot route that isn't a road. That sounds really simple but there's something kind of special about that. It makes walking into the desert not just a matter of getting lost. Exciting!	1/28/2023 1:46 AM
46	Maybe the start of a trail that could circle the entire Black Rock, like Tahoe Rim? I'm a 5th generation Nevadan who has explored the area for decades-it's full of wonders!	1/27/2023 9:21 PM
47	To give people a taste of the art and freedom of Burning Man and a desire to go to That Thing In The Desert. Also, to be an opportunity to relax and take in some nature.	1/27/2023 9:18 PM
48	To increase and excite interest and care for the Black Rock area outside of Burning Man participants and throughout the seasons.	1/27/2023 9:05 PM
49	Foster further sense of stewardship for the area.	1/27/2023 7:24 PM
50	Generally, people who come to BM aren't couch potatoes. We're active and love the outdoors. Many, I'm sure are "hikers". Being able to "get away from it all" is a good thing for a lot of us. A nice hiking trail, as part of the BM experience would add yet another dimension to the wonderful adventure that is Burning Man!	1/27/2023 6:09 PM
51	Affords the opportunity to be in awe of the sublime	1/27/2023 4:48 PM
52	Access to and education about the area.	1/27/2023 3:24 PM
53	The value of the surrounding miles of land around Gerlach is that is inhabited mainly by coyotees.	1/27/2023 3:22 PM
54	To provide a clear path from one point to another that mimics trails in parks and forests to help keep the environment intact.	1/27/2023 3:01 PM
55	Connecting the area residents AND visitors to the natural beauty of Gerlach	1/27/2023 2:57 PM
56	Low-impact transport and communication possibilities.	1/27/2023 2:23 PM
57	Creates an attraction to bring more people to Gerlach thru-out the whole year.	1/27/2023 2:02 PM
58	There is a few reasons to hold hesitations upon development of land, although time has shown development is inevitable. I firmly believe in a safe space to have recreational adventures throughout the world, including amazing trails. This project will help deliver the community and the ever growing interest into nature, a safe space. The opportunity to see the local land while providing a safe place for people and plants is immensely important in today's ever growing world. The value of the land is ever growing and the opportunity for these types of projects are becoming ever slimmer.	1/27/2023 1:49 PM
59	It would be spectacular to be able to bike and hike safely all the way from one end of the playa/fly ranch to Gerlach and right now biking/walking on that road is so lethal! Also it would allow understanding of the transition of landscapes.	1/27/2023 1:36 PM
60	Safe environment for bikes and pedestrians	1/27/2023 1:36 PM
61	The Gerlach area is very unique and having a trail would allow both permanent residents of the area and visitors an opportunity to enjoy the interface between the playa and the adjacent hills.	1/27/2023 1:28 PM
62	Reduce vehicle traffic	1/27/2023 1:13 PM
63	Multi use trails benefit any community! The physical use is great for the community and offers an opportunity to experience the specific nature this part of the country can offer.	1/27/2023 1:09 PM
64	Anything that helps people explore, see, and learn the rustic beauty of Nevada in a leave-no-trace-focused way adds value to the community, culture, and visitors.	1/27/2023 1:06 PM
65	I think a Gerlach trail would help connect rural parts of Nevada with the municipal resources being afforded to larger cities due to tech companies moving to the area. Many of these individuals attend BM on an annual basis and growing up in Reno we were often witness to minimal care being paid to locals or their small businesses: the goal has always been to zip through the desert and mountains to BRC without much consideration paid to what or who lives there year round. I think installing a trail would be a tremendous gesture of goodwill, generate business opportunities, and create a more positive culture surrounding BM in an era where it is	1/27/2023 12:59 PM

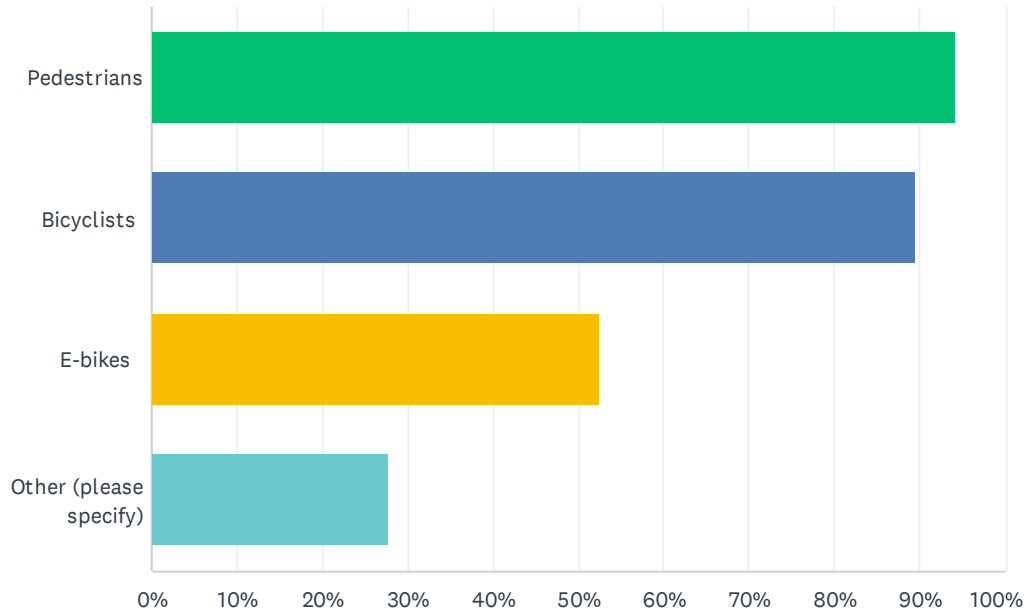
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perceived as selfish escapism. It would be cool to teach others about sustainability around the campgrounds, communal support, and the year long activities promoted by this event to inspire confidence from locals for long term growth.

66	This would be another way for people to experience the area. It's not just Burning Man and parties.	1/27/2023 12:58 PM
67	As naturally as possible, signs that fit in with the surroundings	1/27/2023 12:57 PM
68	would make the offroad route standard to avoid cars and reduce destruction of the environment from people bushwacking it	1/27/2023 12:51 PM
69	No carbon emissions	1/27/2023 12:46 PM
70	Outside outdoors	1/27/2023 12:46 PM
71	It should not be constructed	1/27/2023 12:45 PM
72	It would be a value add for the community to give visitors an activity to do in town that doesn't require a vehicle	1/27/2023 12:45 AM
73	trails provide connection to nature. Essential for mental health for a lot of people.	1/25/2023 5:42 PM
74	I believe that this trail would attract many people that might not otherwise visit the town. Which is a major economic opportunity. It also provides people with the ability to experience a small portion of the incredible art that the Burning Man event brings to Gerlach every year without actually going to the event.	1/25/2023 9:02 AM
75	I think the trail will not only be a great attraction for desert supporters, it will be used by local school children and their teachers as well as the local population for education and stress relief.	1/25/2023 8:47 AM
76	I think trails are an excellent way to promote outdoor activities and engagement within the community. Especially during lockdown times, I know I greatly enjoyed my outdoor walks. A trail in Gerlach only adds to the amazing outdoor activities this area of Nevada has to offer.	1/25/2023 8:30 AM
77	Trails are an integral part of our natural environment and can be used as a tool for conservation. Trails assist with preserving important natural landscapes, providing necessary links between fragmented habitats and providing tremendous opportunities for protecting plant and animal species	1/25/2023 6:37 AM
78	It would be wonderful for connectivity generally through town and the nearby hills and playa. So much nicer than walking, driving, or riding on the road.	1/24/2023 5:23 PM
79	It has it's own history and flavor, is an integral part of Washoe County, so should be included.	1/23/2023 12:57 PM
80	Access for all to view the Playa, non-roadside walking access, mud-free biking/walking, could be an added reason for visitors to come to Gerlach - more revenue for locals, opportunity for environmental education with interpretive signs.	1/23/2023 11:10 AM
81	It would give residents easier access to art, exercise, and nature in the area.	1/22/2023 7:18 PM
82	I'm not sure about the community at whole, but I'm sure the burning man staff and visitors to the area will use it frequently.	1/21/2023 6:31 PM
83	It would provide unique and universal access to the provided destinations.	1/20/2023 2:42 PM

Q3 I think this trail should be designed for and open to (check all that apply):

Answered: 105 Skipped: 2



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Pedestrians	94.29% 99
Bicyclists	89.52% 94
E-bikes	52.38% 55
Other (please specify)	27.62% 29
Total Respondents: 105	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	ATV	2/4/2023 8:19 AM
2	Horses	1/31/2023 7:17 PM
3	E bikes with posted speed limit	1/31/2023 5:13 PM
4	regular 2WD street cars/electric vehicles	1/30/2023 9:18 PM
5	No bikes (especially e-bikes) or vehicles	1/30/2023 4:52 PM
6	Dogs	1/30/2023 1:29 PM
7	Mobility assistance vehicles	1/30/2023 11:23 AM
8	I/WE STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY SUCH "TRAIL" ON OUR BELOVED OPEN LAND	1/30/2023 10:46 AM
9	All vehicles	1/30/2023 10:39 AM
10	horses	1/30/2023 10:22 AM

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11	wheelchairs (also, motorized); skaters	1/29/2023 6:59 PM
12	definitely ebikes. With Nevada senior popular, ebikes have become very popular and people are looking for places to ride.	1/29/2023 1:30 PM
13	NO E-BIKE!!!	1/29/2023 11:04 AM
14	Horse	1/29/2023 10:59 AM
15	Wheelchair and walker accessable.	1/28/2023 3:19 AM
16	dogs on leash only	1/28/2023 2:12 AM
17	Adaptive Mobility Devices	1/27/2023 10:37 PM
18	Autos, with speed restrictors	1/27/2023 9:18 PM
19	Wheelchair and other assistive device users. (Yes, that includes more and more current and future Burners!)	1/27/2023 9:05 PM
20	Equestrian	1/27/2023 7:24 PM
21	All animals living in the area and opossibly to extraterrestrials	1/27/2023 3:22 PM
22	horses, donkeys, sheep and camels	1/27/2023 1:36 PM
23	Horses	1/27/2023 1:14 PM
24	persons with disabilities	1/27/2023 1:06 PM
25	Disabled individuals	1/27/2023 12:59 PM
26	horses	1/27/2023 12:57 PM
27	roller blades (random), skateboards	1/25/2023 8:30 AM
28	Longboards, roller blades, side by sides, golf karts, and motorbikes	1/21/2023 6:31 PM
29	People with disabilities	1/20/2023 2:42 PM

Q4 Other thoughts about proposed uses:

Answered: 39 Skipped: 68

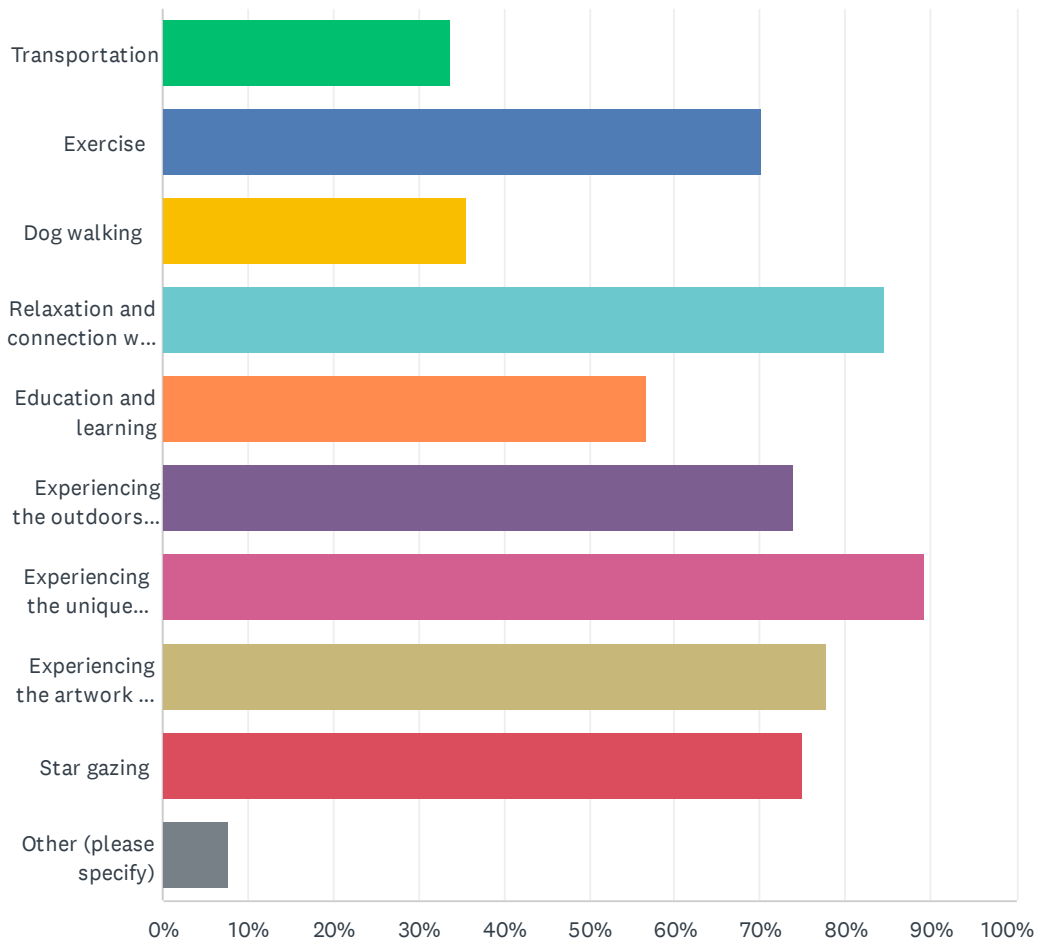
#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Needs a fire pit	2/4/2023 8:19 AM
2	I love as much art and history as possible. Also good sitting spots with some shade.	2/3/2023 1:48 PM
3	Maybe art along the trail?	2/2/2023 5:14 PM
4	Bio Water Fresh eco fruits	2/1/2023 7:22 AM
5	No	1/31/2023 7:17 PM
6	BM history plaques	1/31/2023 5:13 PM
7	This is a different idea for community	1/30/2023 10:30 PM
8	hiking, running: pedestrian only	1/30/2023 4:52 PM
9	Art along the trail - will be appreciated. Will old railway beds be utilized? Would a future portion include a trail (along the old railway bed) to Sutcliffe/Pyramid NV etc?	1/30/2023 11:24 AM
10	Seems like a great opportunity to teach people more about the local environment!	1/30/2023 11:23 AM
11	If it becomes a public trail, a fee might be appropriate to maintain it, ensure that motorists do not abuse. Signs should indicate where gas-powered motorists and gun shooters can go legally. Consider e-vehicles on certain days for the disabled.	1/30/2023 11:22 AM
12	Horses	1/30/2023 11:09 AM
13	Anything that gets people outside is good. Also ways to get people of all ages outside is great.	1/30/2023 10:56 AM
14	Would be great to have a couple stops along the way, like a couple park benches or even a pull up bar or some type of exercise equipment or art pieces.	1/30/2023 10:49 AM
15	I/WE STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY SUCH "TRAIL" ON OUR BELOVED OPEN LAND	1/30/2023 10:46 AM
16	No ebikes please!	1/30/2023 10:39 AM
17	nope	1/30/2023 10:22 AM
18	PARADES!!!	1/29/2023 6:59 PM
19	interpretaive/educational/history/etc.	1/29/2023 11:04 AM
20	1. Put QR interpretive codes on a separate pedestal from interpretive signs such that when the signs get vandalized, which they will (vandalism is also part of Playa history), the interpretive message may get preserved. 2. When vandalism occurs, don't let it go, but do rescue maintenance immediately.	1/29/2023 10:59 AM
21	Not ATVs or dirt bikes- it's hard to walk with the brap brap	1/28/2023 11:03 PM
22	Give an added benefit for locals compared to tourists--they already get hit with BM chaos a few days a year, it'd be nice they don't feel like it is another thing for mostly everyone else but them (request for donations for books at trail entrance? fee for non-NV residents? etc)	1/28/2023 9:31 AM
23	Barrier free for disabled users in wheelchairs	1/28/2023 9:19 AM
24	Being in nature and reduce petrol	1/28/2023 5:29 AM
25	Travel in pairs rather than large groups.	1/28/2023 3:19 AM
26	n/a	1/28/2023 2:12 AM
27	Interactive art pieces, explanatory signage	1/27/2023 9:18 PM

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28	Good signage, while possibly intrusive, does help people understand why some areas are protected, some open, etc.	1/27/2023 9:05 PM
29	N/A	1/27/2023 6:09 PM
30	Still learning the "why" of this trail system but in general I am a proponent of trail systems being implemented and believe they almost always add value. Would this trail ever be available for participants to use to enter or exit Black Rock during the event? Additional parking lots and bicycle entry could help with exodus, and that could add a ton of value.	1/27/2023 3:27 PM
31	To protect nature means not fucking with it. I would fence it and mine the fence so that human infestation could not trespass. Humans breed like rats and desecrate every nich of this planet. That has to stop.	1/27/2023 3:22 PM
32	Charity runs, national trail system connection, school field trip point of interest, history of burning man, history of Gerlach, fitness education	1/27/2023 1:49 PM
33	No vehicles!	1/27/2023 1:13 PM
34	While e-bikes and scooters are amazing, one of the most brilliant ways to soak in the beauty of the high desert is to let your senses be undistracted - listen to the sounds of the wind, wildlife, and dust; and, just embrace it.	1/27/2023 1:06 PM
35	Local flora installations for environmental preservation, partnership with indigenous tribes and tribal casino operations, leveraging regional veteran talent for job training and coaching opportunities with wider BM professional network	1/27/2023 12:59 PM
36	Horses?	1/27/2023 12:46 PM
37	Kinetic Sculpture machines	1/27/2023 12:45 AM
38	I think as inclusive as you can make it you should.	1/25/2023 8:30 AM
39	Please add speedbumps to help regulate E-bike speeds	1/23/2023 11:10 AM

Q5 I would use a Gerlach community trail for (check all that apply):

Answered: 104 Skipped: 3



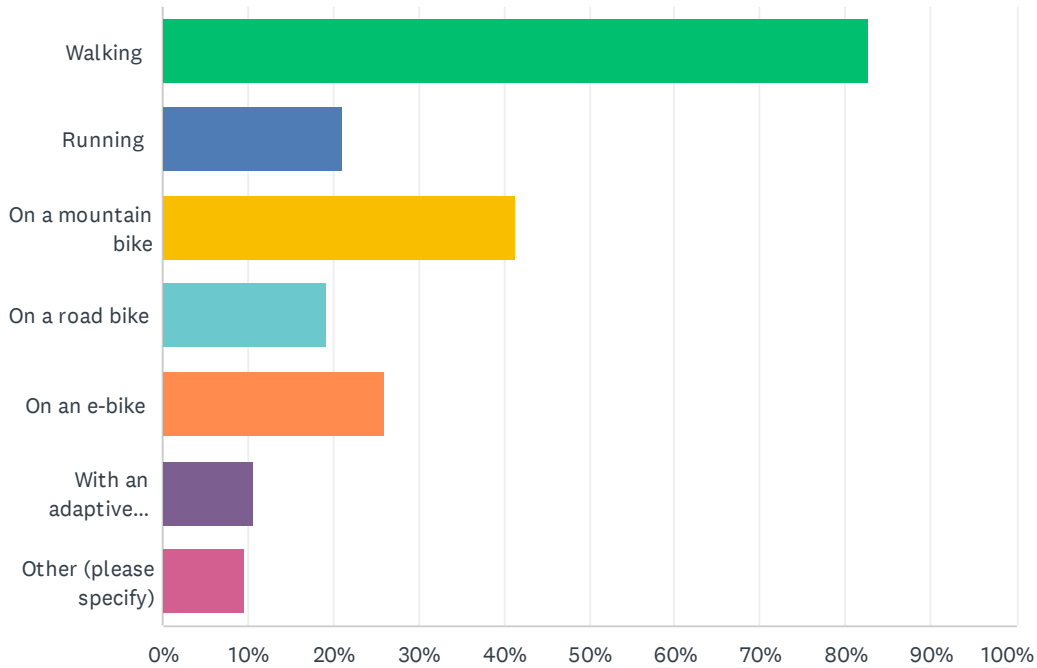
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Transportation	33.65%	35
Exercise	70.19%	73
Dog walking	35.58%	37
Relaxation and connection with the outdoors	84.62%	88
Education and learning	56.73%	59
Experiencing the outdoors with family and friends	74.04%	77
Experiencing the unique environment of the southern playa	89.42%	93
Experiencing the artwork and educational materials that may be placed along the path (benches, signage, etc.)	77.88%	81
Star gazing	75.00%	78
Other (please specify)	7.69%	8
Total Respondents: 104		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Anything	1/31/2023 7:17 PM
2	Keep it natural only. no art needed.	1/30/2023 4:52 PM
3	I/WE STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY SUCH "TRAIL" ON OUR BELOVED OPEN LAND	1/30/2023 10:46 AM
4	Family time exploration	1/28/2023 3:19 AM
5	Tripping Balls	1/27/2023 9:21 PM
6	Decompressing after TTITD	1/27/2023 9:18 PM
7	Observing the plant, animal and insect life.	1/27/2023 9:05 PM
8	I'm	1/27/2023 12:46 PM

Q6 I would be most likely to use the trail (check all that apply):

Answered: 104 Skipped: 3



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Walking	82.69% 86
Running	21.15% 22
On a mountain bike	41.35% 43
On a road bike	19.23% 20
On an e-bike	25.96% 27
With an adaptive mobility device, such as a walker, wheelchair, three- or four-wheeled bicycle, etc.	10.58% 11
Other (please specify)	9.62% 10
Total Respondents: 104	

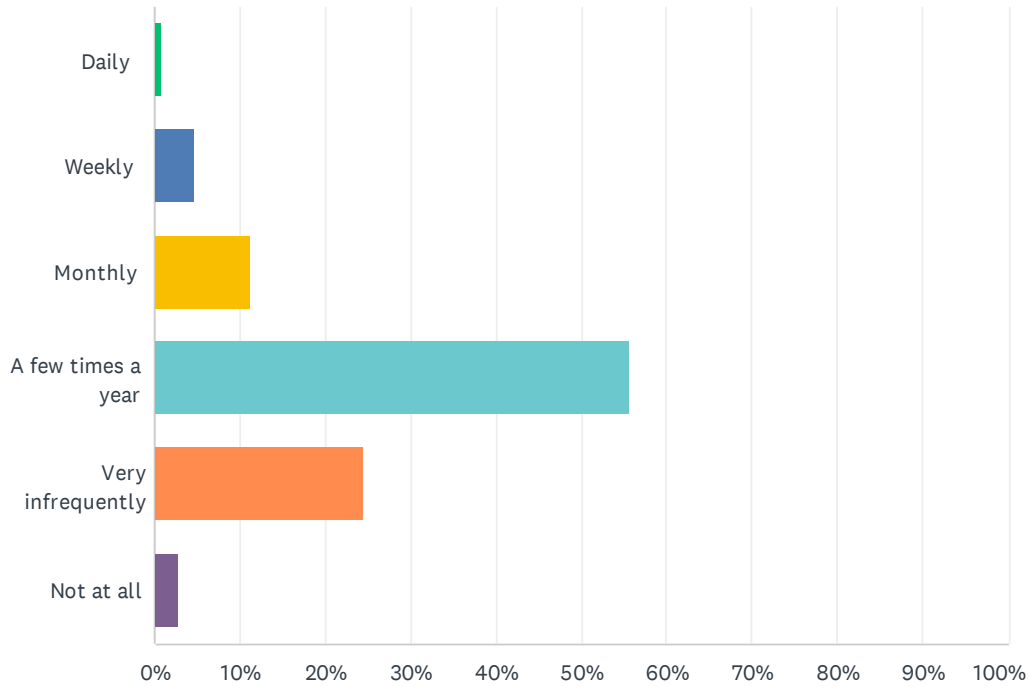
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	ATV	2/4/2023 8:19 AM
2	cars	1/30/2023 9:18 PM
3	no vehicles including all bicycles	1/30/2023 4:52 PM
4	If ok, mtn bike & class 1 e-bike where allowed.	1/30/2023 11:22 AM
5	I/WE STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY SUCH "TRAIL" ON OUR BELOVED OPEN LAND	1/30/2023 10:46 AM
6	All vehicles	1/30/2023 10:39 AM
7	not sure	1/29/2023 6:59 PM

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8	In a slow-moving car	1/27/2023 9:18 PM
9	Humans should not build any trails that are enough trails engineered by more intelligent entity, the deer and the cow. These animals will graciously allow us to walk on their trails.	1/27/2023 3:22 PM
10	Long board	1/21/2023 6:31 PM

Q7 I expect I would use the trail:

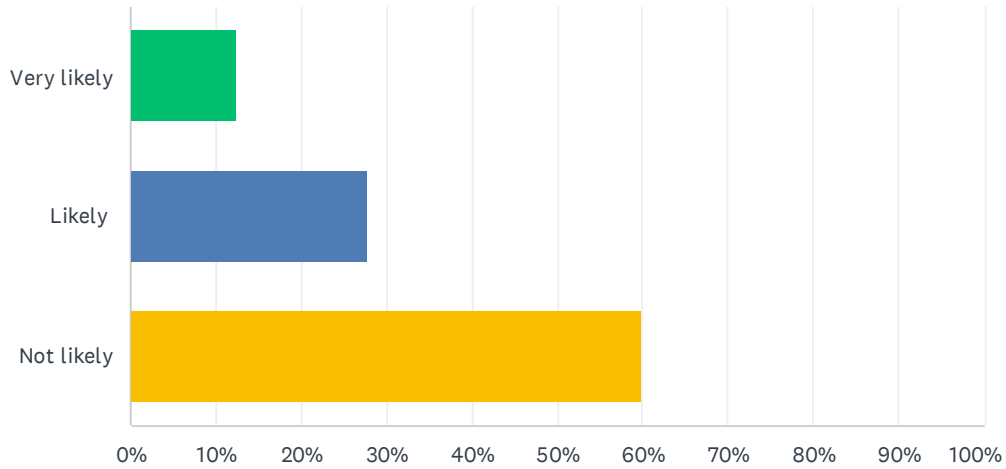
Answered: 106 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Daily	0.94% 1
Weekly	4.72% 5
Monthly	11.32% 12
A few times a year	55.66% 59
Very infrequently	24.53% 26
Not at all	2.83% 3
TOTAL	106

Q8 How likely are you to utilize a Gerlach community trail in the winter months?

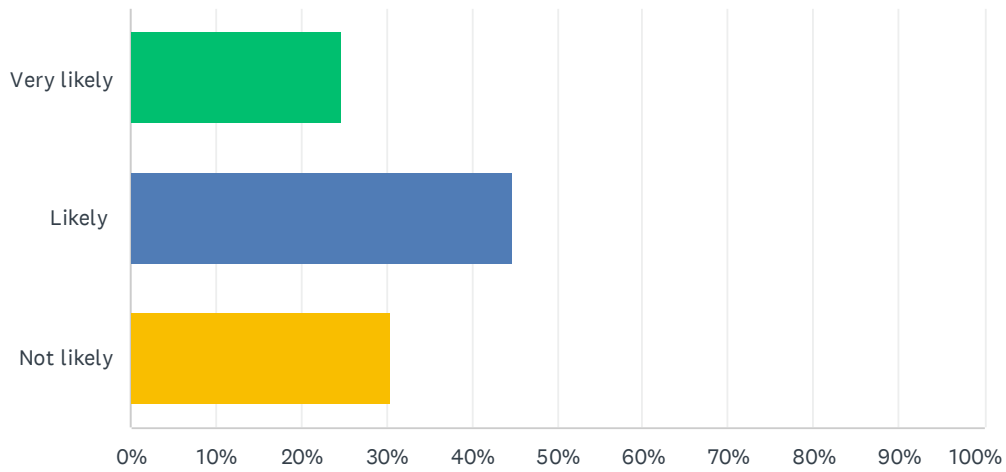
Answered: 105 Skipped: 2



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very likely	12.38%	13
Likely	27.62%	29
Not likely	60.00%	63
TOTAL		105

Q9 How likely are you to utilize a Gerlach community trail at night?

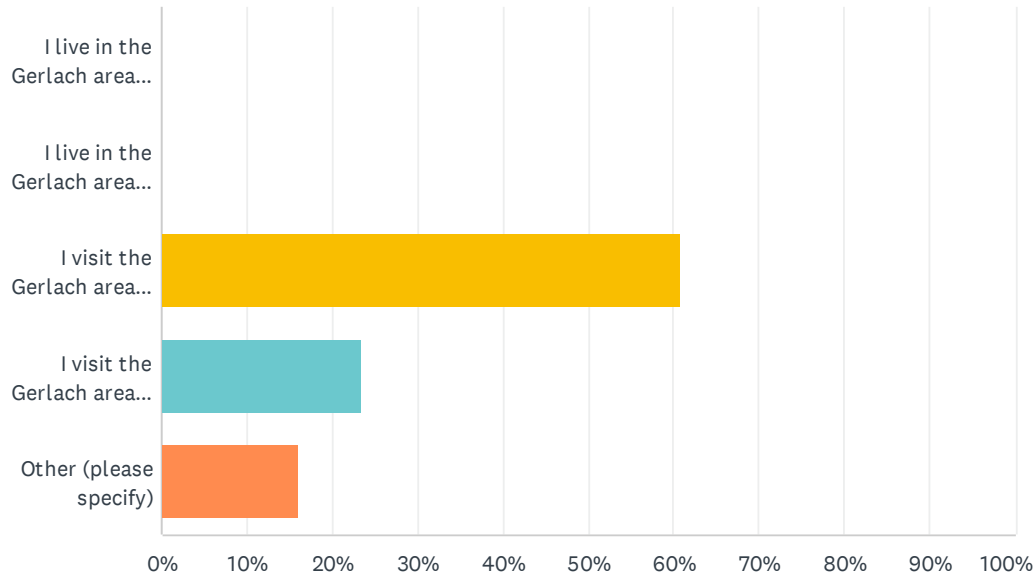
Answered: 105 Skipped: 2



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very likely	24.76%	26
Likely	44.76%	47
Not likely	30.48%	32
TOTAL		105

Q10 How often do you visit Gerlach?

Answered: 107 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
I live in the Gerlach area full time	0.00%	0
I live in the Gerlach area part time (roughly half the year or less)	0.00%	0
I visit the Gerlach area frequently (once a year or more on average)	60.75%	65
I visit the Gerlach area infrequently (less than once a year on average)	23.36%	25
Other (please specify)	15.89%	17
TOTAL		107

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	I live in Fernley and have friends who live in Gerlach. Visit often	1/31/2023 6:42 AM
2	I live in Reno	1/30/2023 9:18 PM
3	during burning man	1/30/2023 4:52 PM
4	This would encourage me to come off season.	1/30/2023 10:56 AM
5	I/WE STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY SUCH "TRAIL" ON OUR BELOVED OPEN LAND	1/30/2023 10:46 AM
6	I would visit the guerlach area more often than I do currently, I have not visited lately due to disabilities	1/30/2023 10:39 AM
7	Never	1/30/2023 10:22 AM
8	I attend Burning Man but also visit the Playa in one or two times additionally each year	1/29/2023 10:59 AM
9	5-6 times a year in the winter and 8-10 in the spring, summer, and fall	1/28/2023 11:14 AM
10	I live in Reno and visit 2-3 x p.a.	1/28/2023 9:19 AM

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11	Fly guardian and fly stewardship days	1/28/2023 5:29 AM
12	Live in Reno, go up a lot	1/27/2023 9:21 PM
13	For Burning Man	1/27/2023 9:18 PM
14	A couple times a year	1/26/2023 8:48 PM
15	I'm there weekly in the spring and summer, less often in the winter	1/24/2023 5:23 PM
16	I live in the Gerlach area for about 8 months a year	1/22/2023 7:18 PM
17	8 months every year since 2016	1/21/2023 6:31 PM

Q11 Do you have other ideas about activities or facilities related to the trail (trailheads & access points, special uses, destinations, etc.):

Answered: 39 Skipped: 68

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Open the hot springs to the public	2/4/2023 8:19 AM
2	Maybe art along the trail?	2/2/2023 5:14 PM
3	More Eco	2/1/2023 7:22 AM
4	No	1/31/2023 7:17 PM
5	Maybe a plaque welcoming folks to remember to be clean	1/30/2023 10:30 PM
6	I live in Reno and want to be able to see more of the area, but I don't have a big fancy 4-wheel drive. I need sort of a safe road to be able to get out there to experience the big sky and whole area. Like some kind of State campground would be nice. With some water and toilet access, so you can camp in a tent and not need a big RV.	1/30/2023 9:18 PM
7	Keep signage simple and unobtrusive	1/30/2023 4:52 PM
8	Could be fun to have minimal exercise tools- such as a pull up bar- pieces that are not blatant- but also can enhance a fitness trail	1/30/2023 11:58 AM
9	Wanted to highlight some federal funding available for trail creation. https://www.railstotrails.org/policy/funding/	1/30/2023 11:39 AM
10	Perhaps future - e-bike charging stations as a plan.	1/30/2023 11:24 AM
11	Yes, need more info per below.	1/30/2023 11:22 AM
12	Provide shaded seating, shade w/ solar panels to provide on-demand lighting for art and interpretive signage. Don't just leave lights on 24/7 - Gerlach is famous for dark skies!	1/30/2023 11:09 AM
13	Good solar lighting would be great for night use.	1/30/2023 10:56 AM
14	I/WE STRONGLY OPPOSE ANY SUCH "TRAIL" ON OUR BELOVED OPEN LAND	1/30/2023 10:46 AM
15	camping?	1/29/2023 6:59 PM
16	Trail up some of the canyons would be nice to get up and have views.	1/29/2023 1:30 PM
17	If the trail is along the west shoreline of the Playa, that's actually a good place to have a trail and and aide trips off it can lead to the prehistoric shelter sites, Navy Target Berms at 3 Mile, 19th Century Army Outpost and the 1997 Land Speed Record pit stations of Breed love and Noble.	1/29/2023 10:59 AM
18	Having some walk in camping with a maintained outhouse would be a great way to encourage star gazing trips and would encourage more overnight stays from reno-locals. I often camp on the playa but managing human waste is a pain.	1/28/2023 11:03 PM
19	Names of mountain peaks and ranges.	1/28/2023 11:14 AM
20	depending on length, there may need to be bathroom facilities or people will have to go in the desert	1/28/2023 9:58 AM
21	keep the landscape bare, for its beauty!	1/28/2023 9:31 AM
22	A trail all the way to rock creek	1/28/2023 5:29 AM
23	Sculpture Garden with permanent structures agreed with the community.	1/28/2023 3:19 AM
24	photo workshops	1/28/2023 2:12 AM

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25	Suggestions for physical activities to do at various points along the trail (exercise, meditation, etc.)	1/27/2023 9:18 PM
26	Information from Dave Cooper, senior ranger Black Rock, retired, Gerlach resident, would be invaluable. He loves the area deeply and knows it intimately. Wildflower seasons, springs and water sources, weather patterns, rock formations, geology, geography, etc.	1/27/2023 9:05 PM
27	I have concerns about the planned geothermal wells and plant that looks like it would be in this area.	1/27/2023 7:24 PM
28	Not my field of expertise. It just sounds like a nice idea.	1/27/2023 6:09 PM
29	10 principles portrayed	1/27/2023 4:48 PM
30	Do not build any trails, do not make it easier for human species to infest the desert!!	1/27/2023 3:22 PM
31	Fun, Geological facts signage	1/27/2023 3:03 PM
32	Shoe brushes to minimize invasive species. Native plant and mineral identification (where applicable). Mike markers.	1/27/2023 1:49 PM
33	If there was a significant elevated section one could use it in winter	1/27/2023 1:36 PM
34	Will need bathrooms or outhouses	1/27/2023 1:13 PM
35	Virtual education materials if broadband ever expands throughout Nevada...	1/27/2023 1:06 PM
36	Don't tame the landscape or overdevelop the facilities, so many look like pork barrel spending gone wild	1/27/2023 12:57 PM
37	Poop bags for dogs is a plus. Areas to break off from the trail and rest on a bench or such is great as well.	1/25/2023 8:30 AM
38	It would be wonderful to have destination art installed there - several pieces dotted along the trail as visual interest. Even better if they could be large pieces from Burning Man.	1/23/2023 12:57 PM
39	Restrooms or showers would be nice	1/23/2023 11:10 AM