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Participatory budget: Four citizen projects put to the public vote

Vaudreuil-Dorion, November 4, 2024 – From November 4 to 22, citizens are invited to vote for their favorite project, as part of the 4th edition of the City of Vaudreuil-Dorion’s participatory budget. This is a unique opportunity to participate in the well-being of our community.

In the general section, four projects were selected from among the fifteen submitted, while in the youth section, no projects were submitted. The projects were analyzed by a coordinating committee made up of representatives from the Communications, Finance and Treasury, Recreation and Culture, Land Use Planning and Engineering and Environment departments. A total of \$65,000 is available for the project - the general section - that receives the highest number of votes.

The projects

Cycling education park

This project will give children aged 2 to 12 the chance to develop their cycling skills and learn the basics of road safety. With scooters, bikes and helmets on loan, the park will be accessible to all and encourage an active lifestyle.

Suggested by Annie Bouthillier

Participatory community orchard

The community orchard project aims to create a green space where citizens can grow and harvest fresh fruit, while promoting biodiversity and strengthening social ties within the community.

Suggested by Éric Jean

Batting cage - Cricket

Vaudreuil-Dorion has a growing cricket community. A batting cage will allow cricketers to improve their game in a safe, enclosed environment.

Suggested by Jaryal Pankaj

Accessible facility for all-season fishing

This project aims to make fishing more accessible by creating sustainable facilities that offer learning activities and an equipment loan service.

Suggested by Benoit Giguère

To submit a vote, you must :

- be a citizen of Vaudreuil-Dorion;
- be 16 years of age or older;
- complete the online form;
- vote only once;
- provide a valid e-mail address and information.

Plus...

- Each person living at the same address may vote, provided they have a separate e-mail address.
- Any votes submitted in duplicate will be eliminated.
- The City may cancel a vote that does not comply with the rules.

Citizens are invited to vote now by going to the City's website in the Information / Citizen Participation section. The citizens' favourite project will be unveiled on December 9, 2024 during the special 2024 budget session, which will be webcast on the CSUR la télé website. Information will also be posted on the city's Facebook page and website.