



## Westside Roundtable Results

Westside Solutions has now completed its 3 roundtables, with each focused on a different theme. Participants were highly engaged and informed on the issue and their opinions may not necessarily reflect all of the views of the general public.

### Siting and Community Integration, May 6 (40 participants)

High-level Comments:

- Many participants felt that the design of the site and the wastewater treatment system was more important than the proximity to residents.
- There was a focus on what the facility could bring back to the community – make it desirable.

### Resource Recovery, May 9 (26 participants)

High-level Comments:

- High resource recovery, including reuse of water, was favoured by most participants.
- There was a preference noted for the system to be scalable and adaptable in order to incorporate new technologies, and population growth.

### Cost and Level, May 13 (31 participants)

High-level Comments:

- Most of the participants wanted a higher level of treatment rather than what was called “conventional” – or just meeting the current regulations.
- Many felt that life-cycle costs should be considered with a priority towards resource recovery and revenue generation (discussion around the lowest cost over 50 years with lower lifecycle costs due to resource recovery revenue).

Information from these roundtables will be used to inform the conversation with a broader audience.

