



## Survey for Cabot Square (Pigeon Park)

We are looking to find a solution for Cabot Square as the Special Planning Program (SPP) of the “Quartier des grands jardins” plans on revitalizing the Western Downtown sector. The Justice sub-committee of the Social Services Working Committee of the NETWORK is concerned that there will be a problem about the implication of this new development as Cabot Square is seen negatively. Therefore, please fill out this survey before May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011 to try to find solutions for Cabot Square.

### 1. Why do you go to Cabot Square? (several answers possible)

- To meet other Aboriginals
- Sense of community
- Lack of Aboriginal community space
- Like the park
- Spend time when children are at the Montreal Children’s Hospital
- Other:

### 2. Why don’t you go to Cabot Square? (several answers possible)

- Drug abuse
- Alcohol abuse
- Unsafe
- Crime associated with the square
- Other:

### 3. What do you think Cabot Square needs to be more welcoming? (several answers possible)

- Have Aboriginal outreach workers stationed at the park
- Aboriginal resource kiosk
- Have Aboriginal art work
- Small child playground section
- Other:

**4. How can Cabot Square be more inviting? (several answers possible)**

- More green space
- Cultural activities
- Poster board (cultural activities, events and announcements)
- Gazebo
- Other:

**5. If we could have cultural activities at Cabot Square what would interest you? (several answers possible)**

- Aboriginal Day
- Musical quartet
- Weekly activities on week-ends to enhance Aboriginal culture and awareness
- Throat singing demonstrations and teaching
- Pow Wow dancing and teaching
- Workshops for children (painting, etc.)
- Soap stone sculptures lessons
- Feasts
- Other:

**6. How would Cabot Square be safer?**

- Aboriginal security guard
- The Westmount Public Safety agents
- SPVM police officers
- Other:

**7. If you were to feel pressured to not go to Cabot Square where would you go?**

Please send the completed survey to the Coordination Office of the NETWORK:

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Thank you for your participation!