

Ft. Getty – Summer 2004 Resident Survey Results

Personal Information

1) How long have you been a Jamestown resident?

- a. Less than 3 years (8%)
- b. 3 to 6 years (9%)
- c. 7 to 10 years (13%)
- d. 11 to 14 years (11%)
- e. more than 15 years (60%)

2) How close do you live to Fort Getty?

- a. less than 2 miles (33%)
- b. 2 to 4 miles (35%)
- c. 5 to 7 miles (27%)
- d. more than 7 miles (5%)

3) How many children do you have in your Immediate household?

- a. 0 (65%)
- b. 1 (9%)
- c. 2 (18%)
- d. 3 (5%)
- e. 4 (2%)
- f. 5 or more (1%)

Fort Getty Usage

**4) How often do you use Fort Getty :
summer**

- a. several times a week (10%)
- b. once or twice a week (8%)
- c. a few times a month (19%)
- d. rarely (39%)
- e. never (24%)

off season

- a. several times a week (13%)
- b. once or twice a week (12%)
- c. a few times a month (26%)
- d. rarely (33%)
- e. never (16%)

5) As a Jamestown resident have you or your family ever camped at Fort Getty?

- a. Yes (15%)
- b. No (85%)
- c. not sure

- 6) If you answered yes to question 5, what type of camping was it? Please circle one:
- a. tent (69%)
 - b. RV (31%)
- 7) Are you satisfied with the condition of the facilities at Fort Getty?
- a. yes (34%)
 - b. no (66%)
- 8) If you answered no to the previous question, where do you feel upgrades are needed within the park?
- a. pavilion facility (third choice)
 - b. campground facility (sixth choice)
 - c. restroom facility (First choice)
 - d. parking (fifth choice)
 - e. hiking/nature trails (forth choice)
 - f. boating/docking facility (second choice)
- 9) Have you ever rented the pavilion facility?
- a. Yes (23%)
 - b. no (77%)
- 10) If you answered yes to question 9, were you satisfied with the facility and if no, why not.
- a. Yes (69%)
 - b. no, (31%) why_____
- 11) If the pavilion facility was upgraded please indicate all the amenities you would like to see available.
- a. kitchen/cooking facility
 - b. clambake facility
 - c. multi-level pavilion rental facility
 - d. incorporated restroom facility
 - e. smaller pavilion facility (50 person capacity)
- 12) Have you ever used the boating/ docking facilities at Fort Getty?
- a. yes (41%)
 - b. no (59%)
- 13) If you answered yes to question 12, were you satisfied with the facilities and if no, why not.
- a. Yes (55%)
 - b. no, (45%) why_____

- 14) If the boating / docking facilities were upgraded, please indicate all the amenities you would like to see available.
- a. touch and go docks (second choice)
 - b. outhauls (forth choice)
 - c. recreational fishing pier (First choice)
 - d. kayak / dinghy storage (third choice)
 - e. launch service to mooring field (fifth choice)
- 15) If you answered in question 5 that you rarely or never use Fort Getty in the summer, Please tell us why. (circle all that apply)
- a. lack of parking (third choice)
 - b. feeling of intrusion on other park uses (first choice)
 - c. primarily use state parks (forth choice)
 - d. inadequate facilities (second choice)
 - e. others, please specify _____
- 16) With the knowledge that the Fort Getty Campground provides tax relief of about \$.16 per every \$1000 of valuation on you taxes (\$56 per year for a house valued at \$350,000), what would you like to see happen to the campground?
- a. remain the same (41%)
 - b. be reduced in size (19%)
 - c. be eliminated (30%)
 - d. not sure (11%)
- 17) Do you support user fees (resident stickers) to pay for improvements to Mackerel Cove and Fort Getty?
- a. yes (76%)
 - b. no (24%)

Amenities

- 18) From the list of amenities below, please circle all that you would like to see offered at Fort Getty for your family's use in the future.
- a. sailing school (fifth choice)
 - b. recreational fishing pier (second choice)
 - c. upgraded pavilion facility (forth choice)
 - d. upgraded parking facilities (seventh choice)
 - e. fulltime summer daycare program (twelfth choice)
 - f. increased small boat storage (ninth choice)
 - g. upgrade existing/additional restroom facilities (1st)
 - h. landscaping to buffer camping area (sixth choice)
 - i. access to mooring field (eleventh choice)
 - j. open space (third choice)
 - k. clambake facility (eighth choice)
 - l. enclosed dog park facility (tenth choice)