Chavis Park
COMMUNITY CONVERSATION

A Draft Vision for John Chavis Memorial Park

Word Cloud

- A word cloud was developed from the vision phrases provided by the PLG during meeting 4.
- The word cloud shows which words are most frequently mentioned in the PLG suggestions.

Sentiments

- Based on the word cloud, and the PLG vision phrases, the following sentiments taken as a whole seem to be resonating broadly within the PLG.
- The PLG is invited to add, cut and revise, as needed to arrive at a collective PLG vision for the future of the park.

John Chavis Memorial Park....

A. A favorite **regional destination** and **community center** that celebrates a **rich history**, **arts** and **culture**, and offers wonderful **public recreational** spaces and **programs** to support **community** life;

B. A place of **pride** and profound **historic** remembrance, celebrating the life and work of John Chavis, and honoring the significance of the park to the **African American** community during and following segregation;

C. Pulsing with **activity** – it is fresh, dynamic, alive, fun – Something is happening all the time!;

D. Promoting fitness, health and wellness by offering a range of **recreational** activities for **kids** and people of all ages;

E. A **safe** and **welcoming** gathering space where family and friends of all cultures come to play, relax, **learn**, and celebrate the big **events** and the small, significant moments of life; and

F. A sustainable, clean, and refreshing green refuge from everyday urban life, with access to the creek and an expansive view of the **downtown** Raleigh skyline.