



ADDITIONAL IDEAS

What ideas do you have that we could use to have informal public conversations?

Other ideas to facilitate public conversations that we have recieved through feedback include:

FORMAL DEBATE

Dialogue and/or presentations between individuals or groups to discuss the pros and cons of a particular subject matter

PROS	CONS
<p>Opportunity for a detailed dialogue on topic matters from both sides.</p> <p>Keeps the discussions topic-based.</p>	<p>Minimal participation by others / no collective discussion.</p> <p>No solutions reached.</p> <p>Could lead to one-sided debates from those with the "louder voice".</p>

DATA COLLECTION SOFTWARE

Technology used to collect feedback and complaints from various sources, including social media, and summarize the findings into a comprehensive data set.

PROS	CONS
<p>Provides feedback reflective of the general public opinion and tone from across a number of online sources</p> <p>Opportunity to address concerns in a timely manner, as they are identified and brought to Council & staff</p>	<p>One-sided dialogue that presents no solutions / no collective discussion</p> <p>Potentially high expenses associated with software purchase & staff time/resources required</p>