

# Park drinking water survey

1. Name and address of park: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Name of county council/borough or district council/unitary authority: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Size of park:

- small (I could walk from one side to the other in two minutes or less)  
 medium (I could walk from one side to the other in five minutes)  
 large (it would take me more than five minutes to walk from one side to the other)

4. Is there a children's play area? **Yes / no**

5. Are there any drinking fountains in the park? **Yes / no**

If yes, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Do you think there are enough drinking fountains, given the size of the park? **Yes / no**

7. Are the fountains easy to find? **Yes / no**

8. Were all the fountains in working order? **Yes / no**

If no, how many had problems, and what were they? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

9. Would you be happy to use the fountains? **Yes / no**

If not, please say why \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

10. Was there anywhere else in the park to get free drinking water e.g. café is happy to provide free tap water? **Yes / no**

If yes please provide details \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

11. If you were thirsty at this park, where would you get a drink? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

12. Would you prefer children to quench their thirst free at the park, rather than pay for bottled drinks? **Yes / no**

**Thanks for taking part in the survey.** Please let us know what you found by filling in our online survey by 30th September 2009. Follow the link from [www.sustainweb.org/childrensfoodcampaign/waterinparks](http://www.sustainweb.org/childrensfoodcampaign/waterinparks). Alternatively you can post your completed questionnaire to Drinking Water in Parks, Children's Food Campaign, 94 White Lion Street, London, N1 9PF.

We will use this information develop a picture of drinking water provided in parks across the country. We hope to be able to highlight where councils are doing a good job, and explore the reasons why there is not better provision in some areas. This will help us to mount a national campaign to make sure drinking water is available in every public park across the country.