

2018 Town Survey Results

Q1 *Refer to Planning Commission Results on Town Website*

Q2

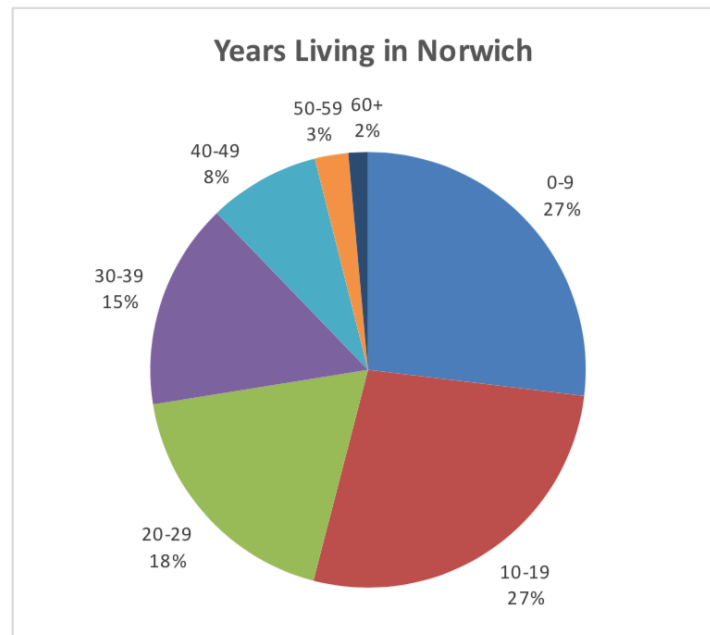
How long (in years) have you lived in Norwich?

Answered **483** Individuals

Average **20.4** Years

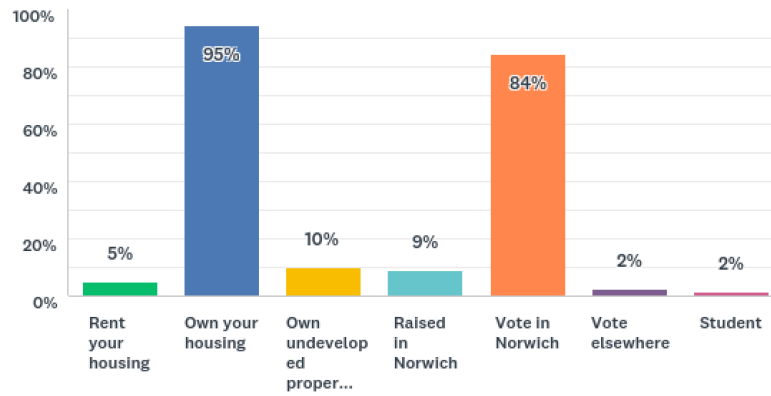
Median **18** Years

Years	0-9	10-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+
Survey Takers	130	131	89	74	40	12	7
Percentage	27%	27%	18%	15%	8%	2%	1%



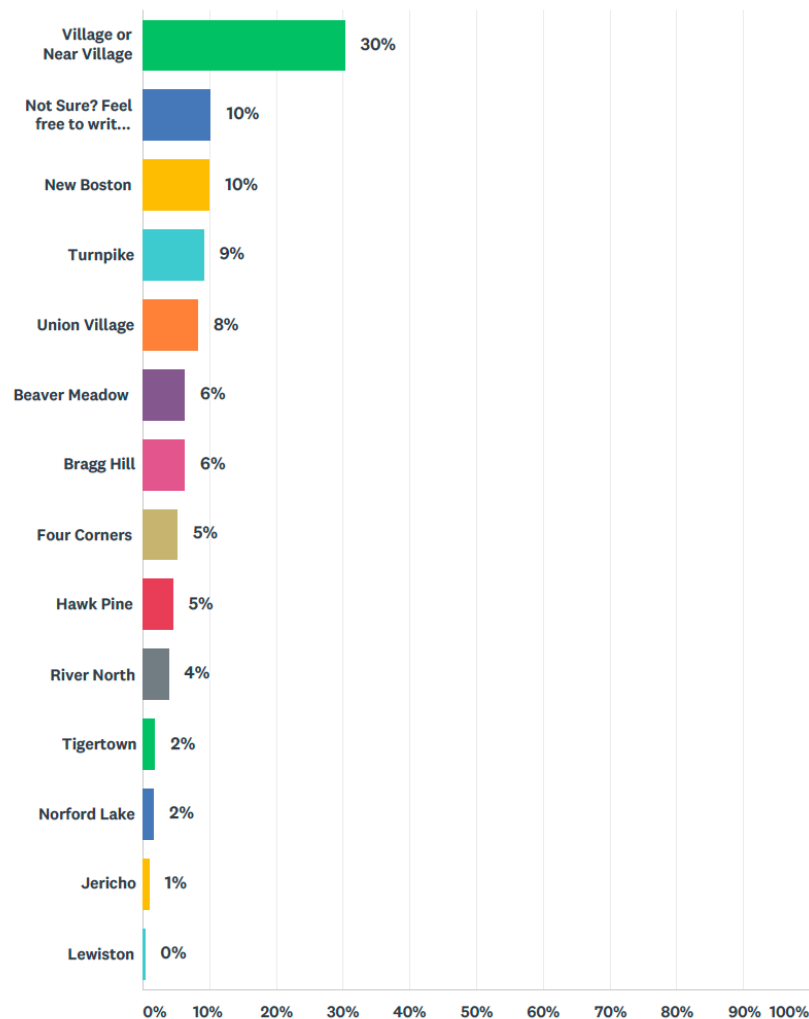
Q3 Addresses not disclosed

Q4 Please check all of these that apply to you:



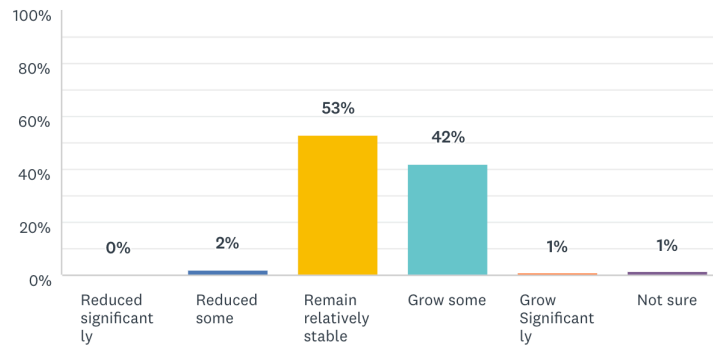
Q5 What "neighborhood" (approximately, to best of your knowledge) is your primary property interest in? (Feel free to write your street name in below if you aren't sure)

Answered: 475 Skipped: 9



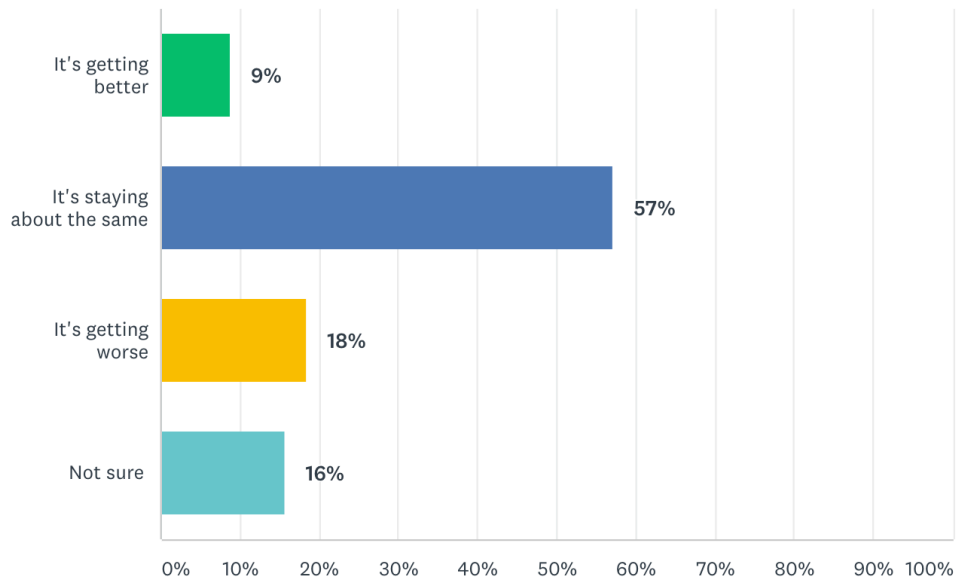
Q6 The population in Norwich is currently approximately 3,400 people. What would you like to see happen to the population of Norwich?

Answered: 472 Skipped: 12

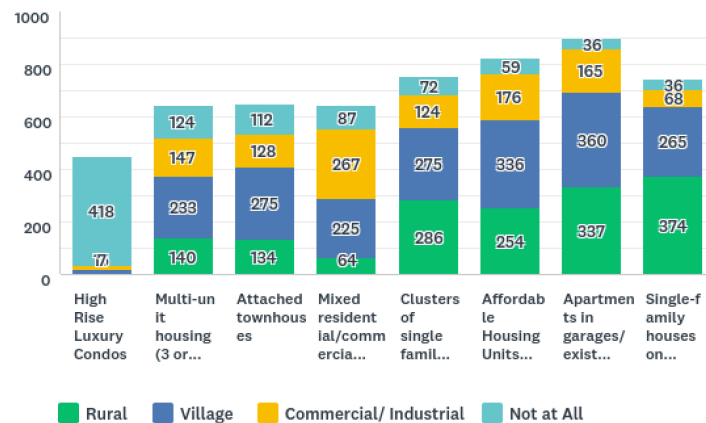


Q7 How do you view the quality of life in Norwich compared to times past?

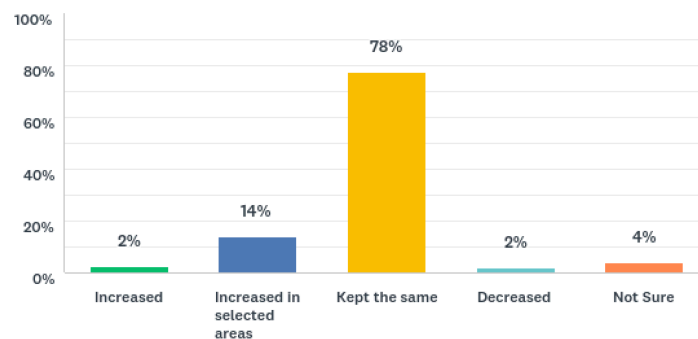
Answered: 474 Skipped: 10



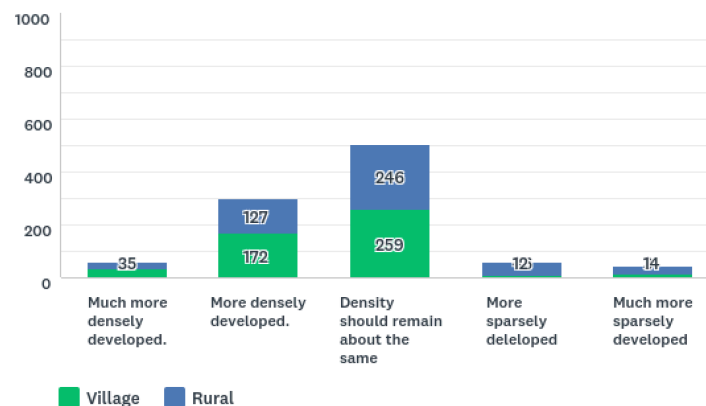
Q8 What types of housing should Norwich encourage in the different zoning districts in the town?



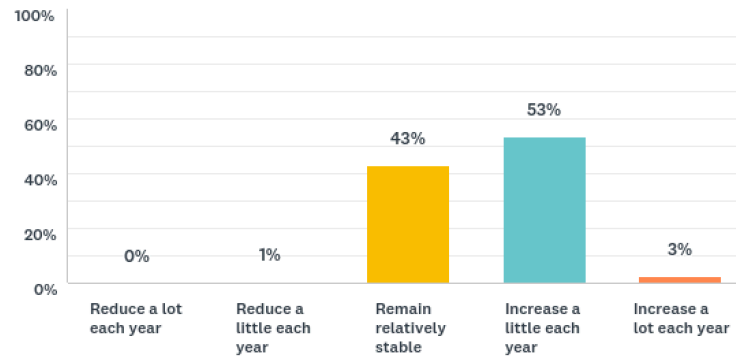
Q9 The maximum height for buildings in Norwich is 35 feet (2-3 stories). You would like to see this height _____



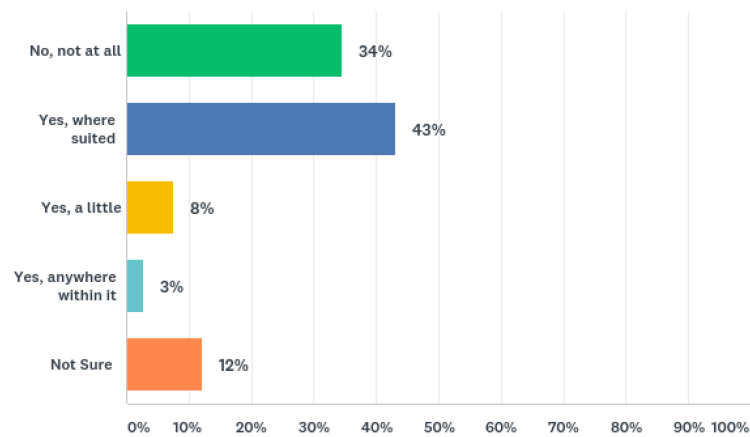
Q10 In the future, should development be more dense or less dense in the Village and Rural zones? (In each column check only ONE (1))



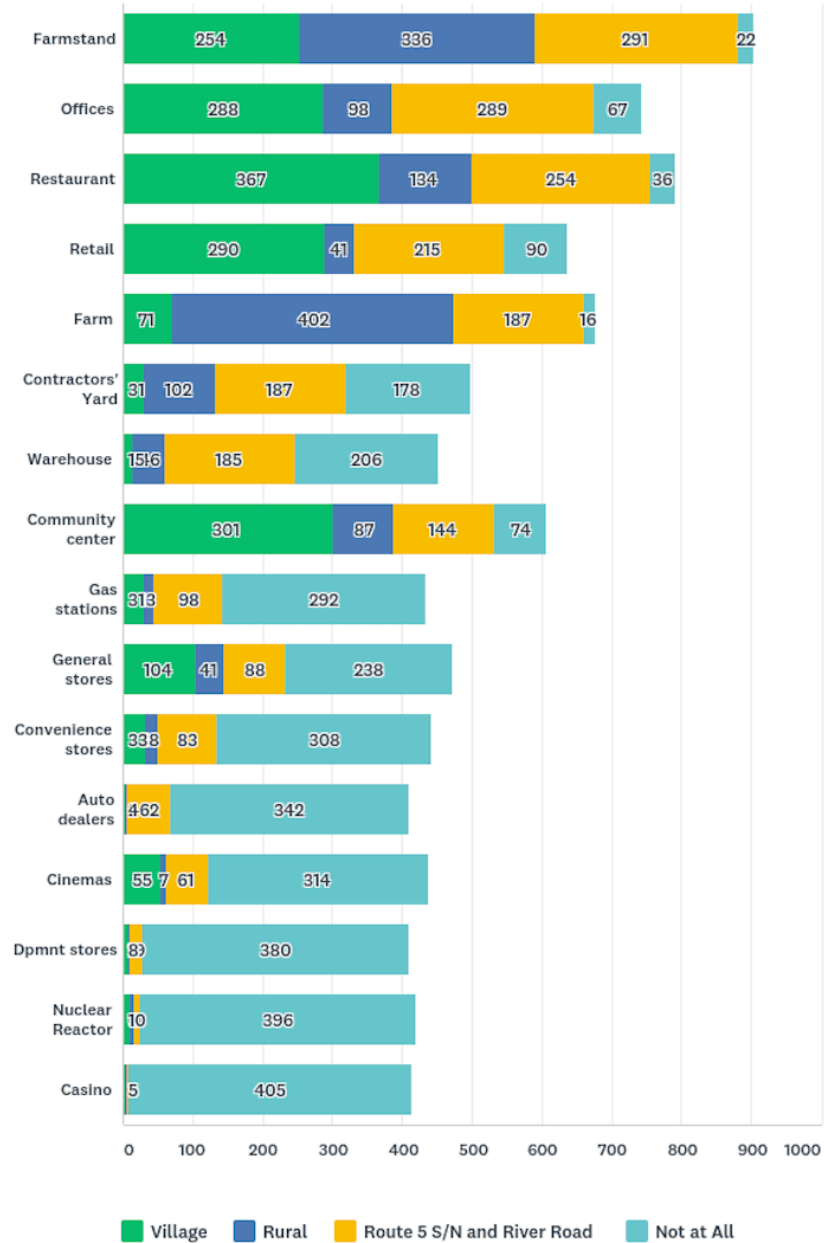
Q11 What would you like to see happen to the amount of commercial and business activity in Norwich? (pick one)



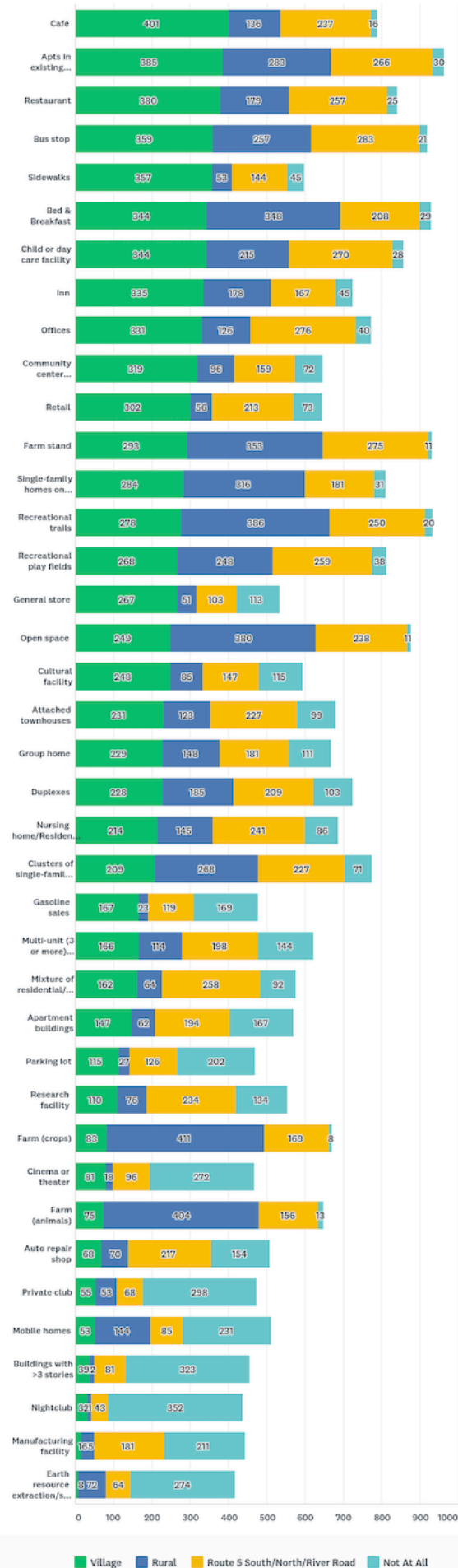
Q12 Should commercial developments (those that are larger than home businesses or home occupations) be permitted in a Rural Residential zoning district of town? (Please check only one.)



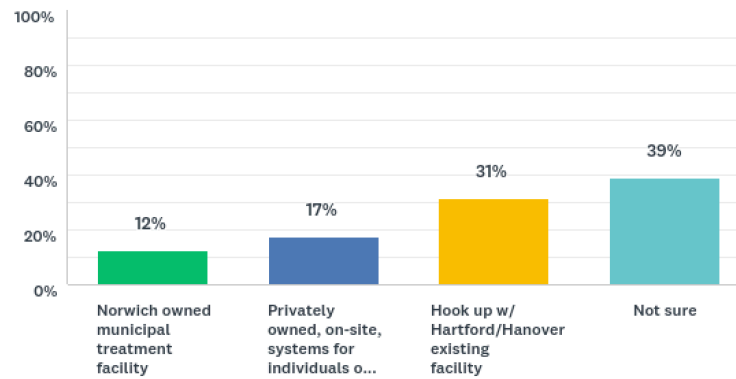
Q13 If you would like more commercial growth in town, what would you like and where would you like to see it occur? (Check all that apply)



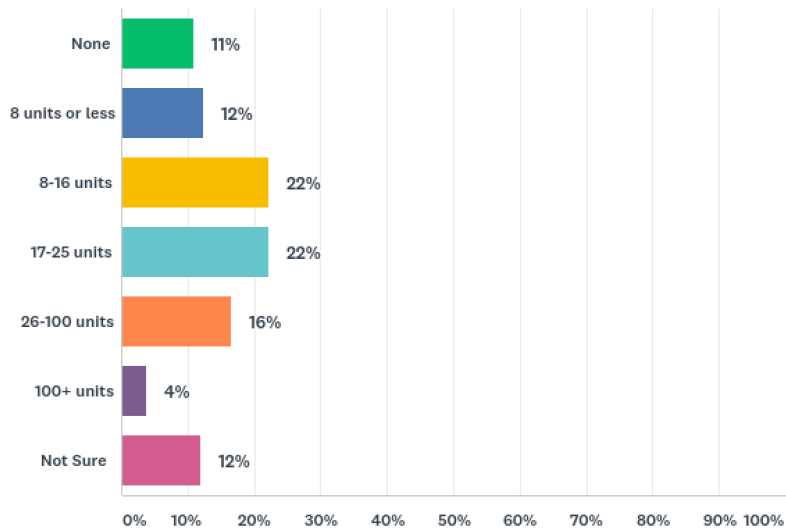
Q14 Which of these would you like to have in each area of town?



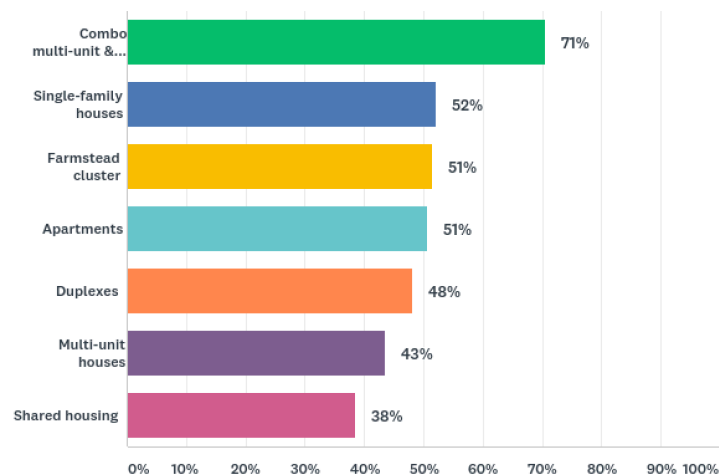
Q15 For the treatment of wastewater in parts of Norwich, which do you prefer?



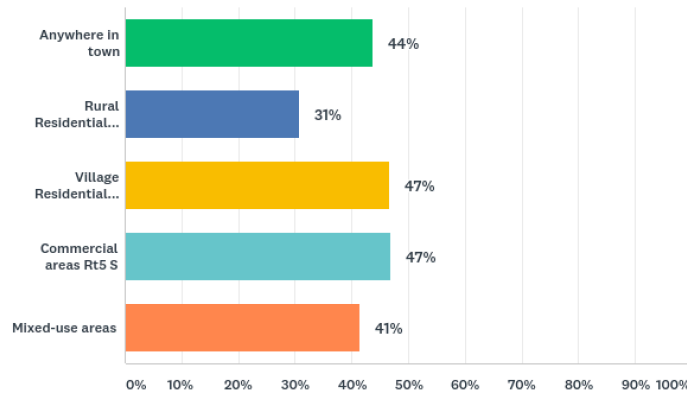
Q16 How many affordable housing units should be built in the next 5 years?



Q17 If affordable housing is developed, what types of housing units would you like to see?

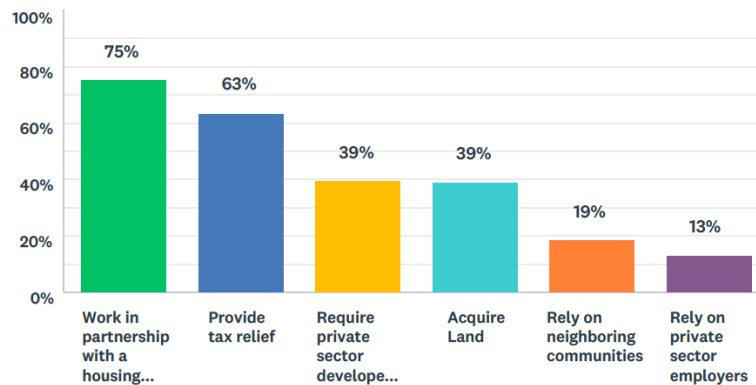


Q18 If affordable housing is developed where should it be constructed?



Q19 To increase the supply of affordable housing, the Town should:

Answered: 427 Skipped: 57



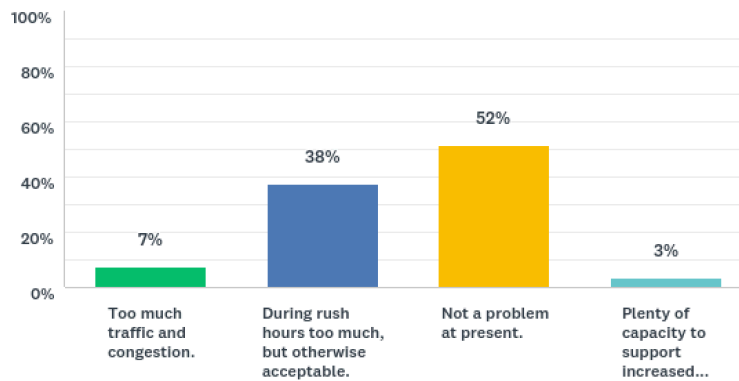
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Work in partnership with a housing trust.	75%	322
Provide tax relief	63%	271
Require private sector developers to include...	39%	168
Acquire Land	39%	166
Rely on neighboring communities	19%	80
Rely on private sector employers	13%	56
Total Respondents: 427		

Q20 Skipped Intentionally (Hamlets)

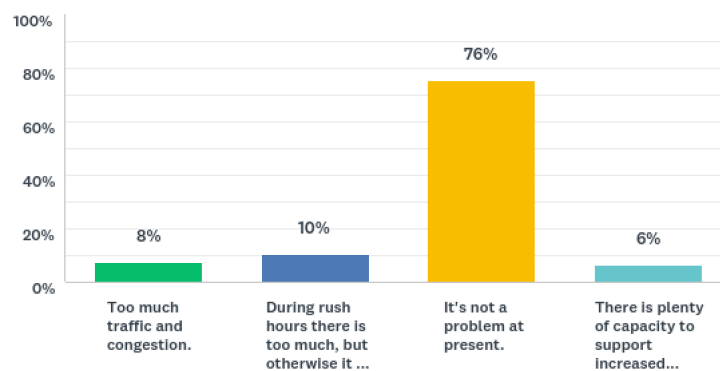
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Q23 How do you feel about the current amount of automobile traffic in the center of town?



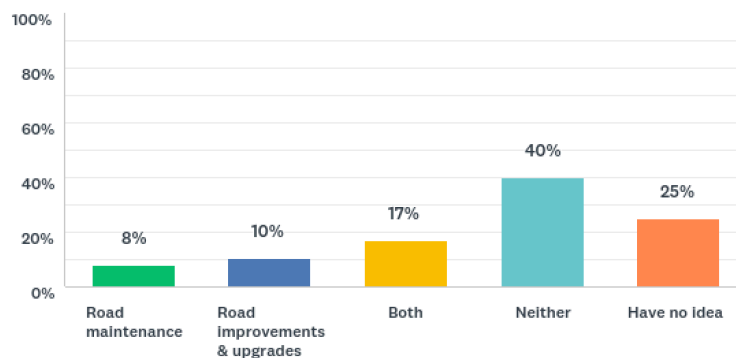
Q24 How do you feel about the current amount of automobile traffic in your neighborhood?



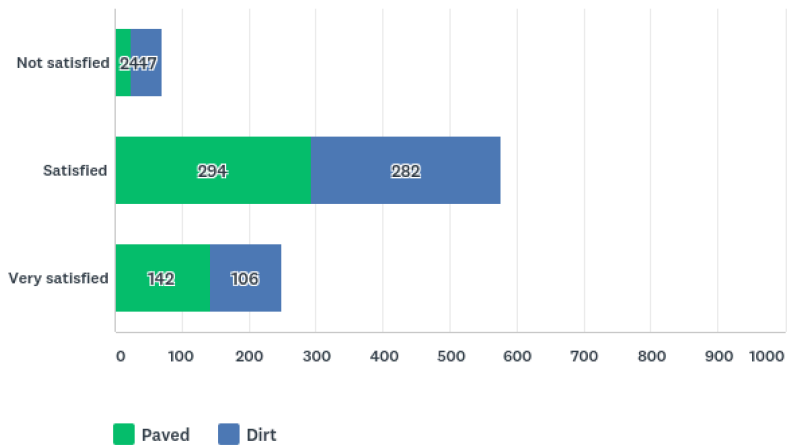
Q25 Skipped Intentionally – No new data (Park & Ride)

Q26 Skipped Intentionally – No new data (Park & Ride)

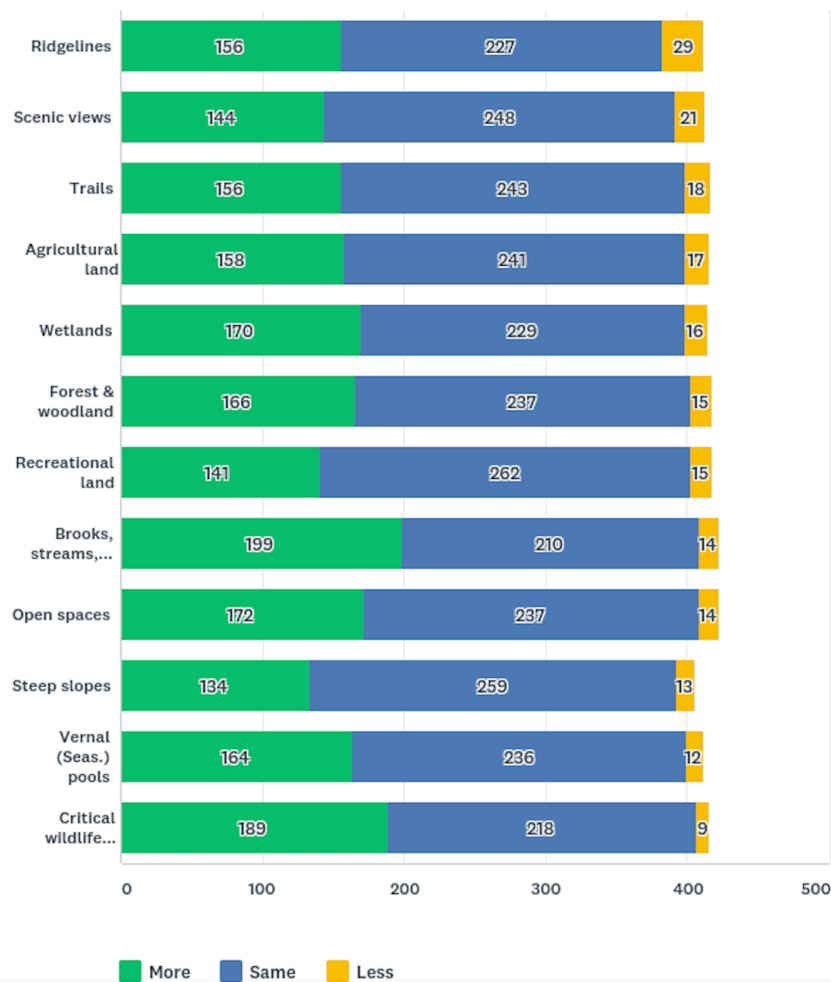
Q27 Should the town spend a greater share of the town budget on?



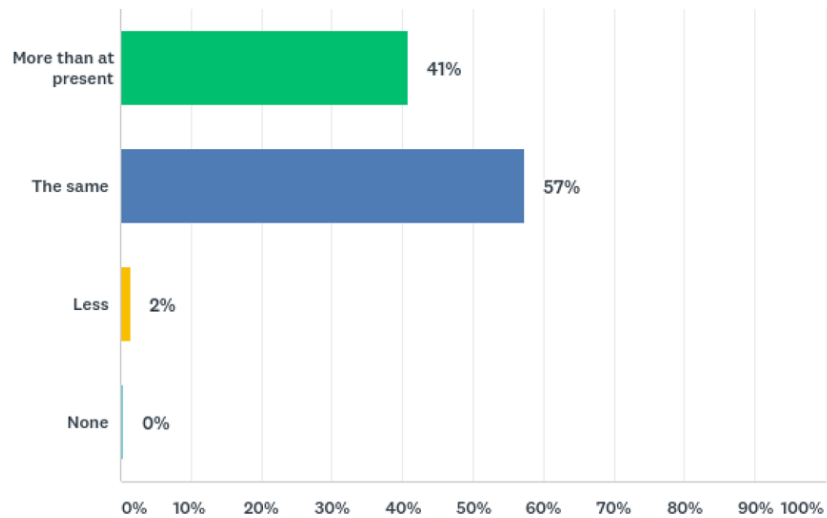
Q28 How satisfied are you with the condition of our roads?



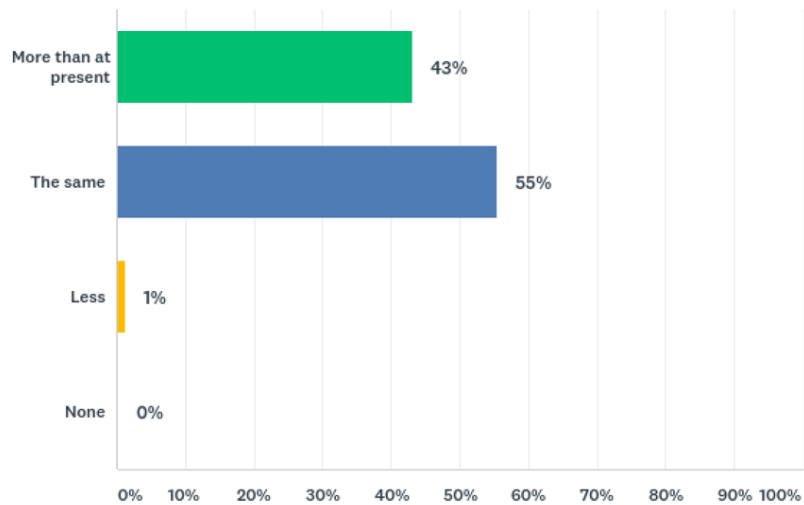
Q29 Should the town protect these resources with more, the same, or less regulations?



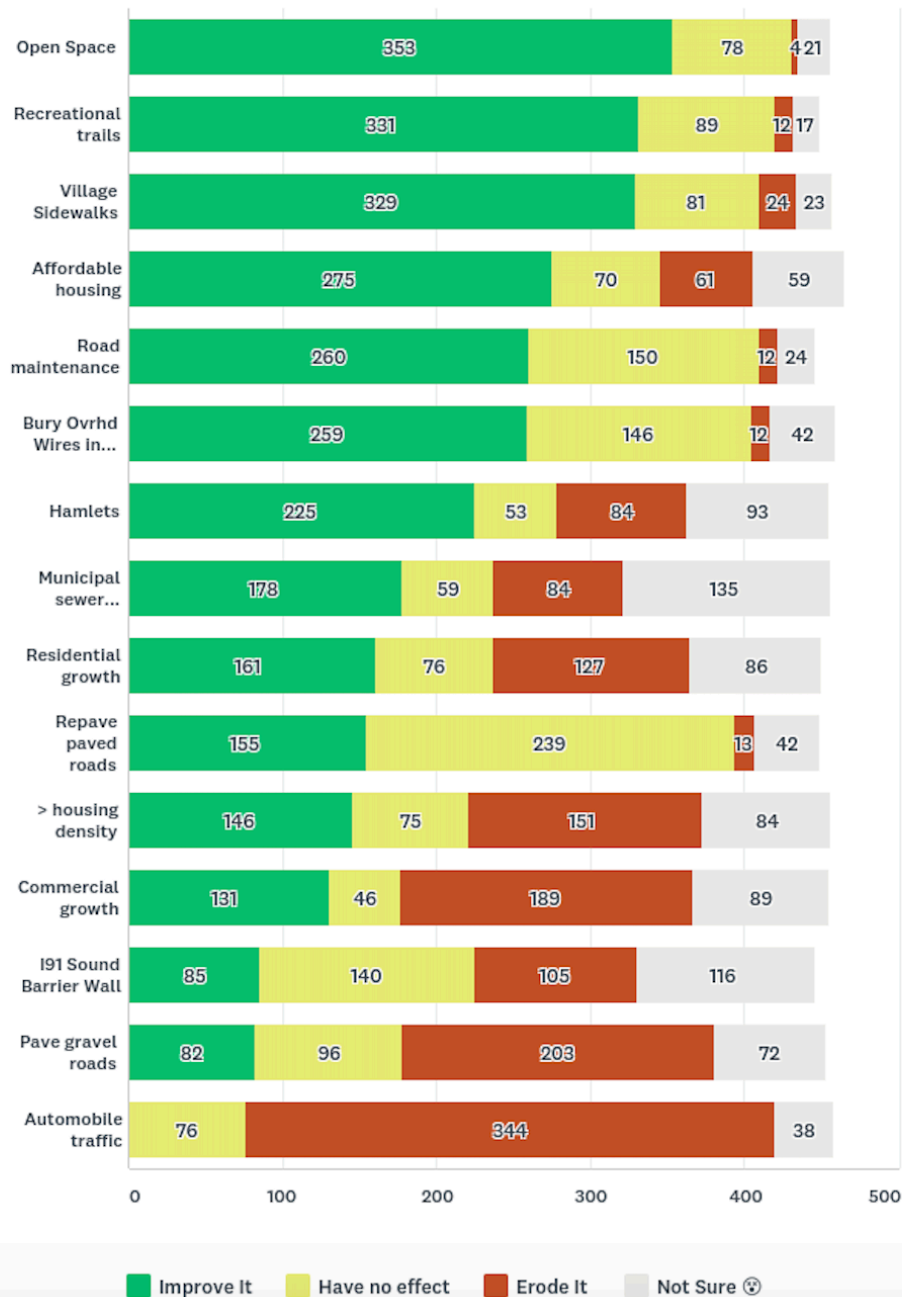
Q30 How many hiking and recreational trails should Norwich have?



Q31 How much public conservation and recreation land should Norwich have?



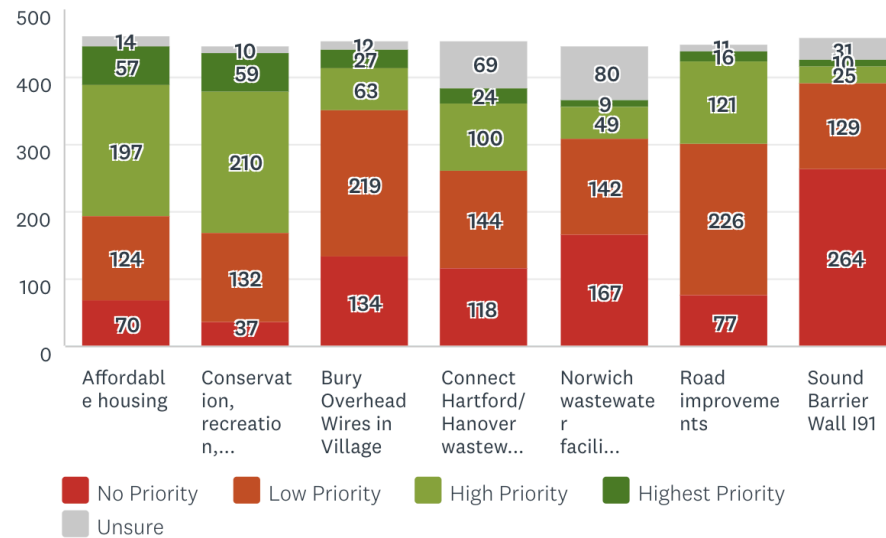
Q32 What effect do you think an increase of the following will have on the quality of life in Norwich?



Q33

How do you prioritize investment in the following community resources, as relates to increases in your taxes?
(RED = NO/LOW PRIORITY, GREEN = HIGH/HIGHEST)

Answered: 462 Skipped: 22



	High/Highest Priority		Low/No Priority		Unsure		Total
Affordable housing	56%	254	43%	194	3%	14	452
Conservation, recreation, and trails	60%	269	38%	169	2%	10	446
Burying Overhead Wires in Village	20%	90	78%	353	3%	12	450
Connecting to Hartford or Hanover's municipal wastewater facilities	28%	124	58%	262	15%	69	449
Norwich municipal wastewater facility	13%	58	70%	309	18%	80	442
Road improvements	31%	137	68%	303	2%	11	448
Sound Barrier Wall on Interstate 91	8%	35	87%	393	7%	31	453