

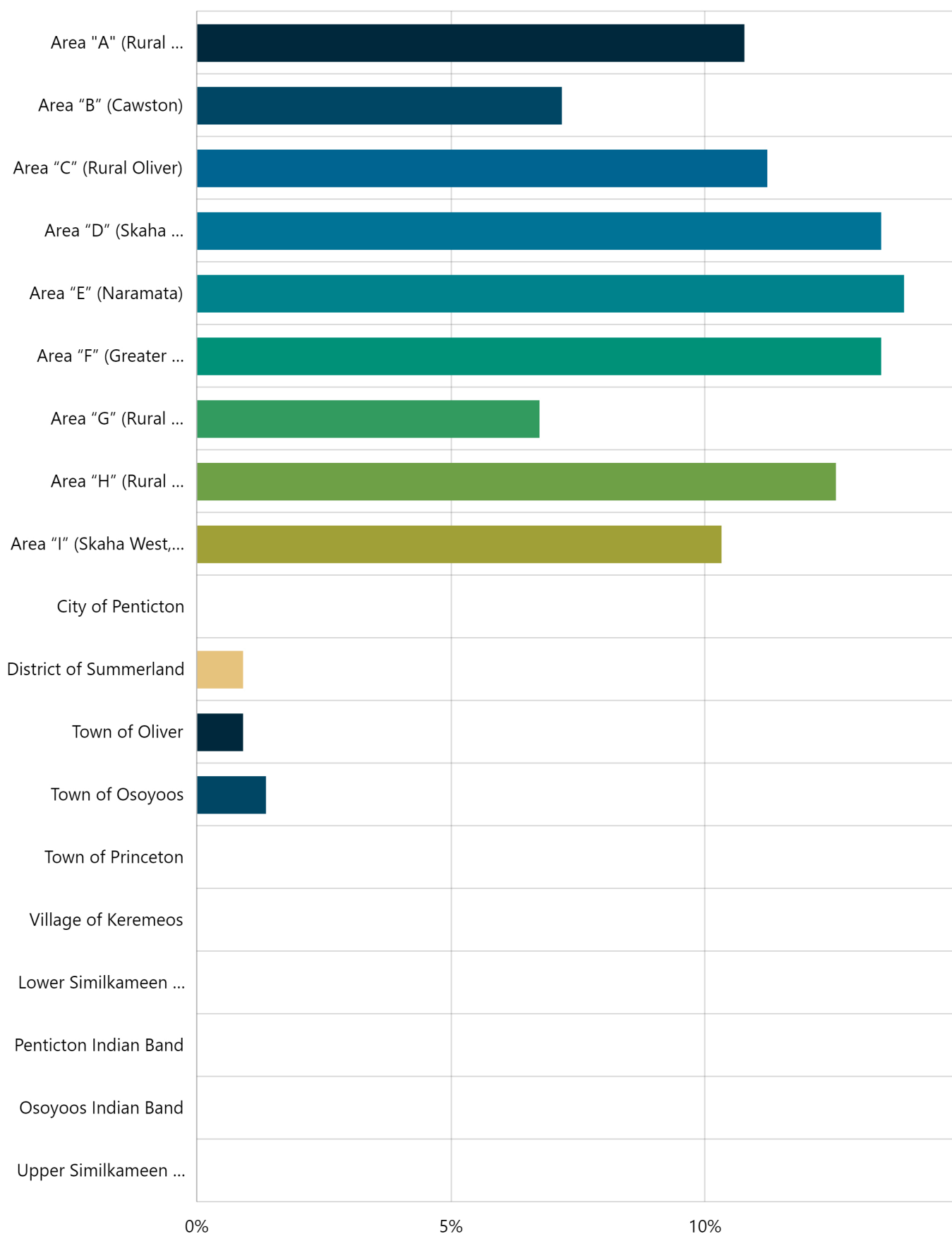
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Regional Survey 2024 Regional Surveys		220 Contributors
		224 Contributions

Contribution Summary

1. ENTER PASS CODE Required Short Text Skipped: 0 Answered: 224 (100%)
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2. Which electoral area, municipality or syilx Okanagan community do you reside or own property?

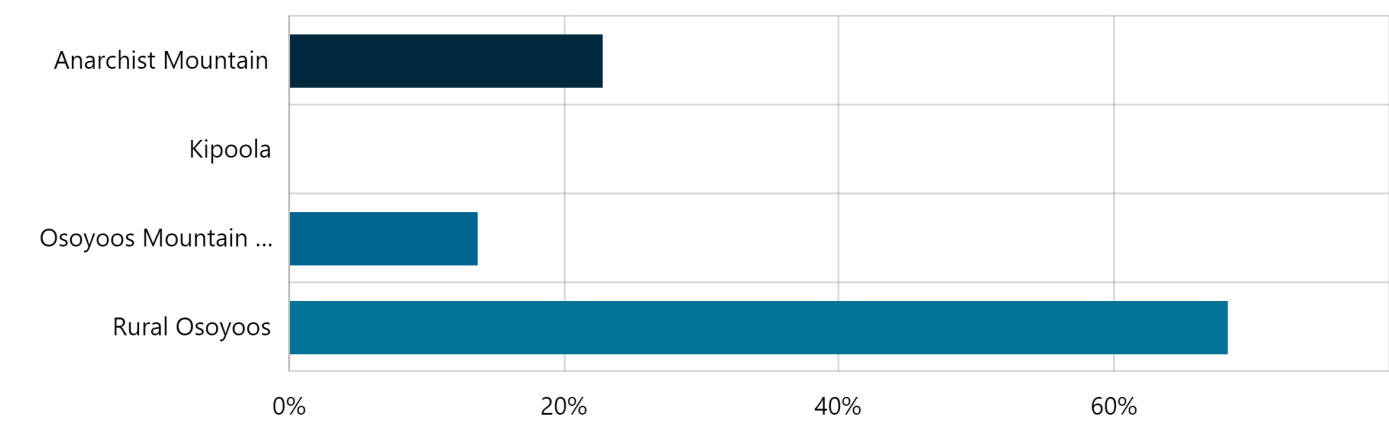
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Area "A" (Rural Osoyoos)	10.76%	24
Area "B" (Cawston)	7.17%	16
Area "C" (Rural Oliver)	11.21%	25
Area "D" (Skaha East, Okanagan Falls)	13.45%	30
Area "E" (Naramata)	13.90%	31
Area "F" (Greater West Bench, Rural Summerland, Okanagan Lake West)	13.45%	30
Area "G" (Rural Keremeos, Hedley, Olalla)	6.73%	15
Area "H" (Rural Princeton, Tulameen, Coalmont, Eastgate)	12.56%	28
Area "I" (Skaha West, Kaleden, Apex)	10.31%	23
City of Penticton	0%	0
District of Summerland	0.90%	2
Town of Oliver	0.90%	2
Town of Osoyoos	1.35%	3
Town of Princeton	0%	0
Village of Keremeos	0%	0
Lower Similkameen Indian Band	0%	0
Penticton Indian Band	0%	0
Osoyoos Indian Band	0%	0
Upper Similkameen Indian Band	0%	0

3. Which community best describes the area where you live?

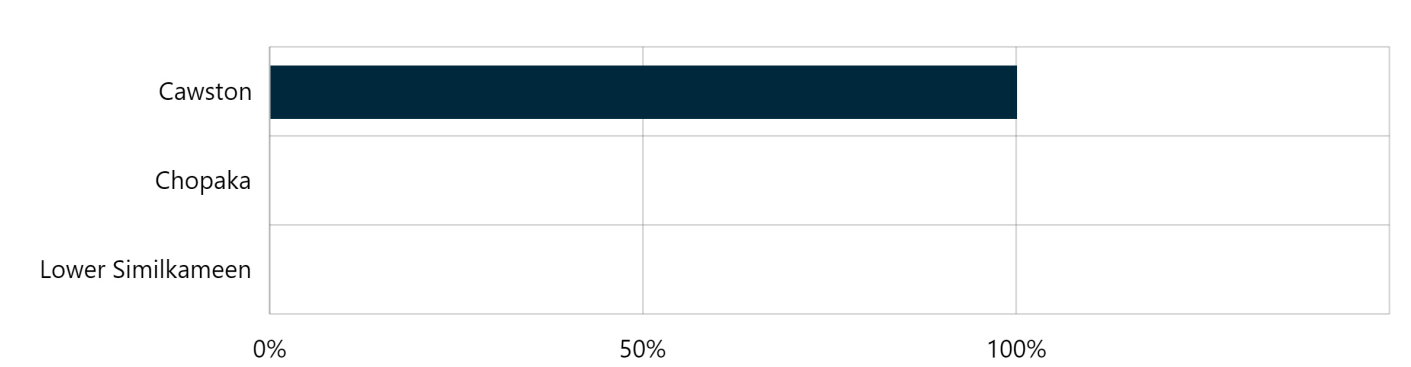
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Anarchist Mountain	22.73%	5
Kipoola	0%	0
Osoyoos Mountain Estates	13.64%	3
Rural Osoyoos	68.18%	15

4. Which community best describes the area where you live?

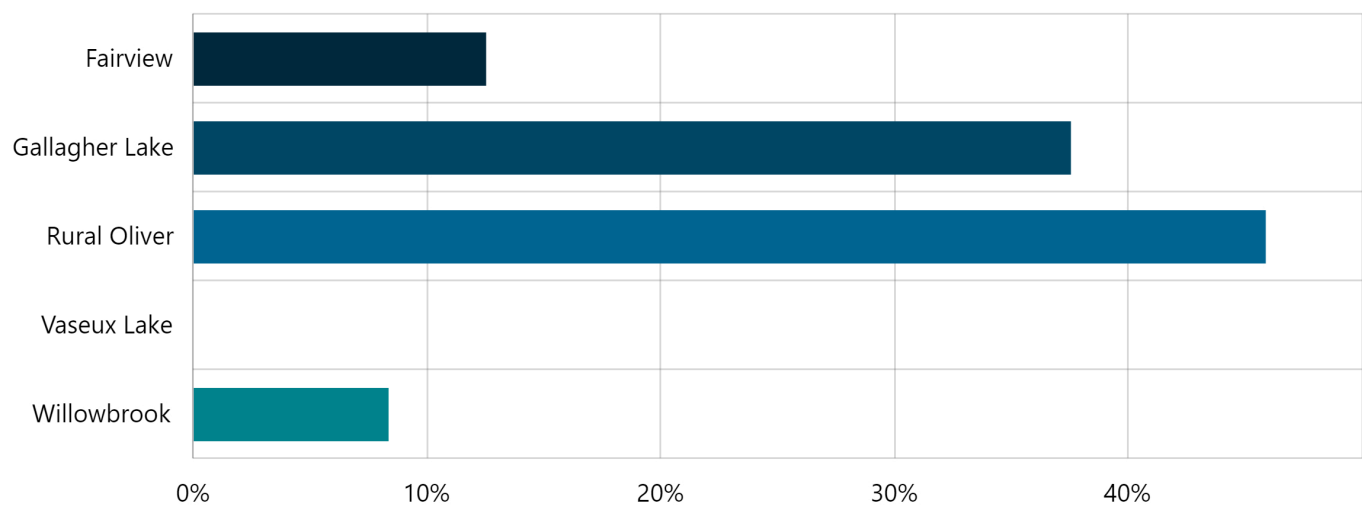
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Cawston	100.00%	16
Chopaka	0%	0
Lower Similkameen	0%	0

5. Which community best describes the area where you live?

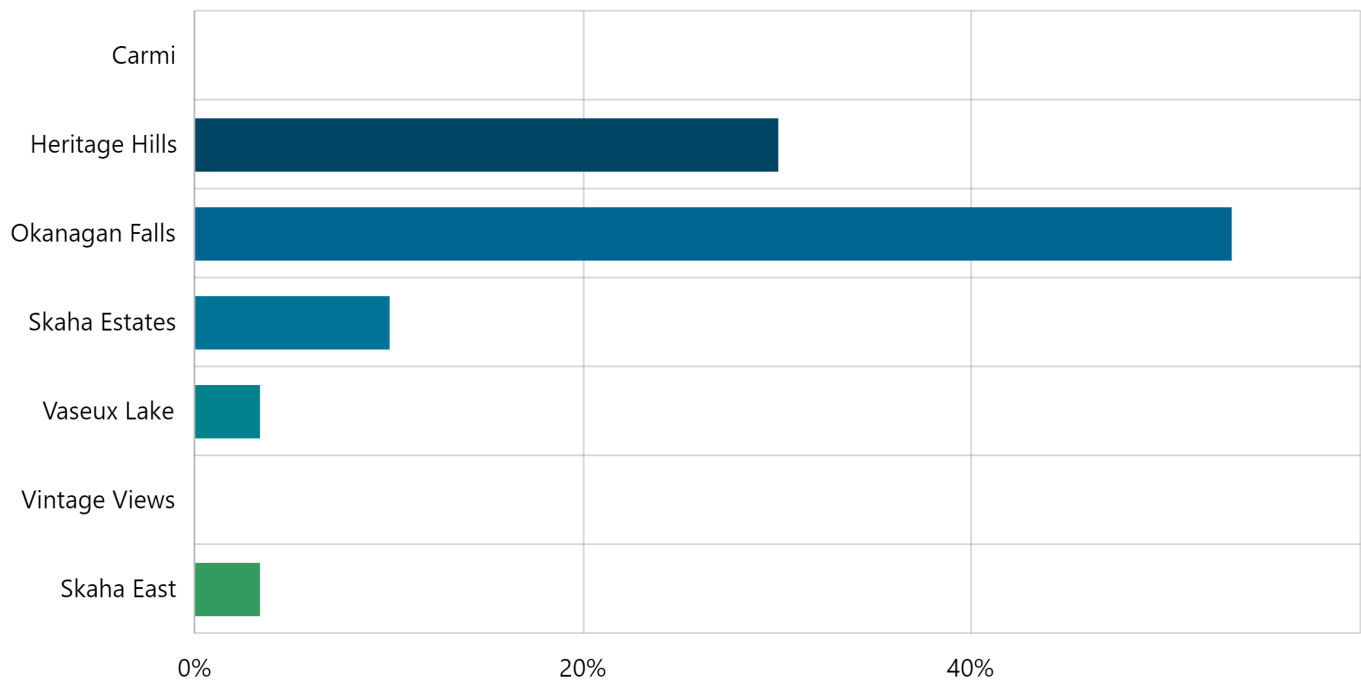
Multi Choice | Skipped: 200 | Answered: 24 (10.7%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Fairview	12.50%	3
Gallagher Lake	37.50%	9
Rural Oliver	45.83%	11
Vaseux Lake	0%	0
Willowbrook	8.33%	2

6. Which community best describes the area where you live?

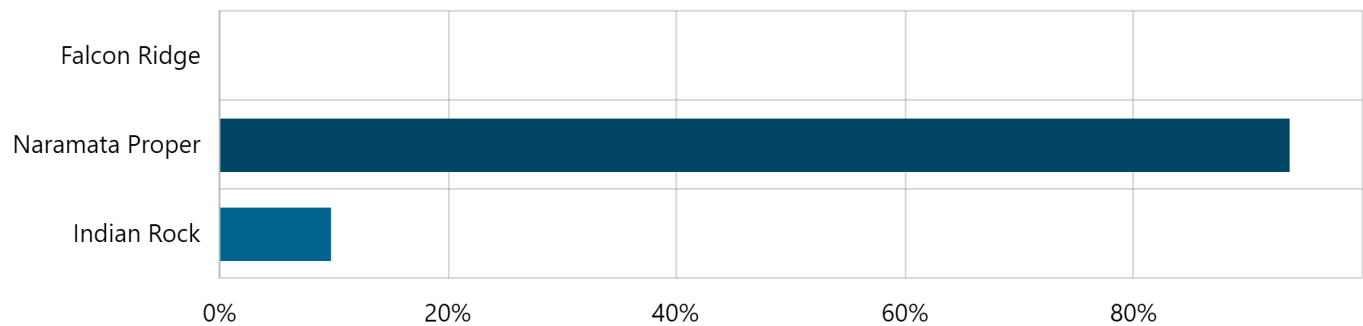
Multi Choice | Skipped: 194 | Answered: 30 (13.4%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Carmi	0%	0
Heritage Hills	30.00%	9
Okanagan Falls	53.33%	16
Skaha Estates	10.00%	3
Vaseux Lake	3.33%	1
Vintage Views	0%	0
Skaha East	3.33%	1

7. Which community best describes the area where you live?

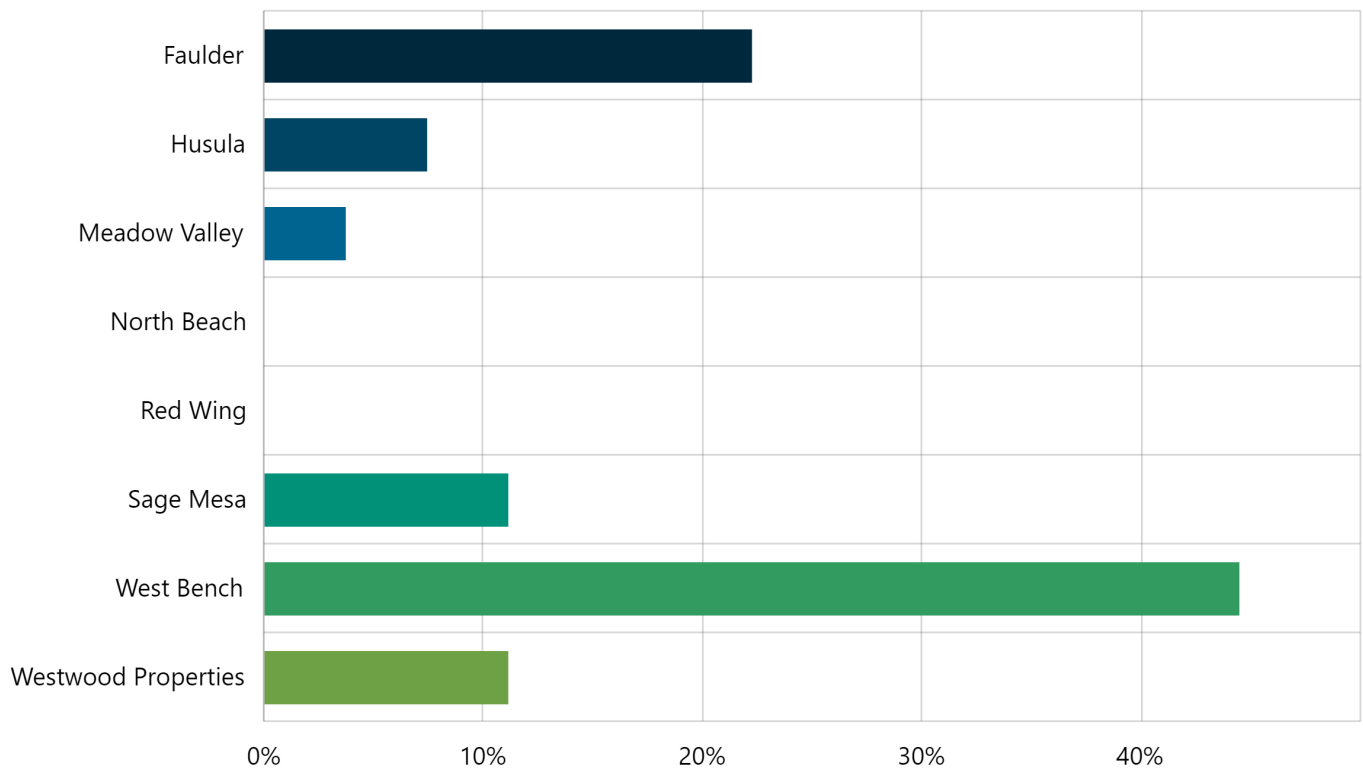
Multi Choice | Skipped: 193 | Answered: 31 (13.8%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Falcon Ridge	0%	0
Naramata Proper	93.55%	29
Indian Rock	9.68%	3

8. Which community best describes the area where you live?

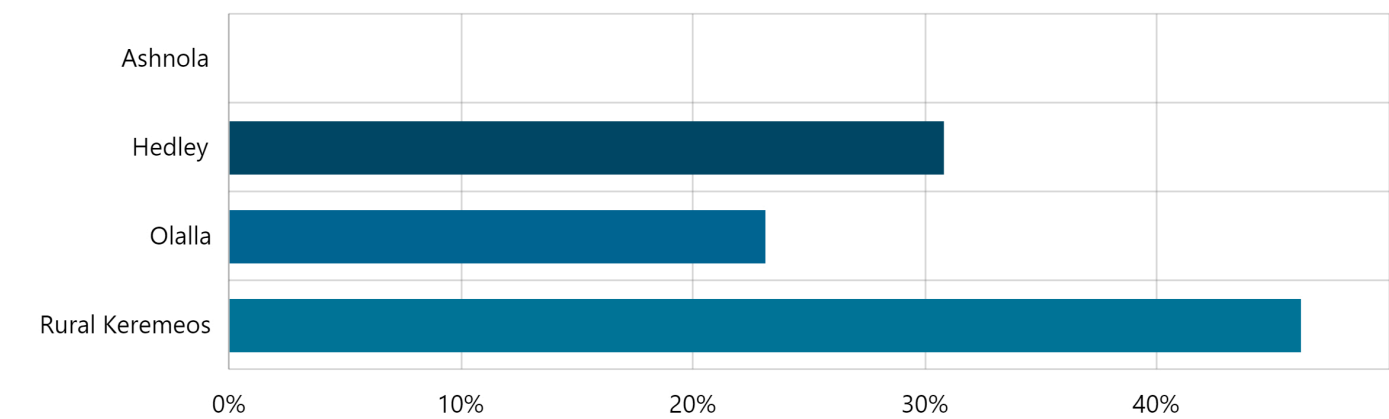
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Faulder	22.22%	6
Husula	7.41%	2
Meadow Valley	3.70%	1
North Beach	0%	0
Red Wing	0%	0
Sage Mesa	11.11%	3
West Bench	44.44%	12
Westwood Properties	11.11%	3

9. Which community best describes the area where you live?

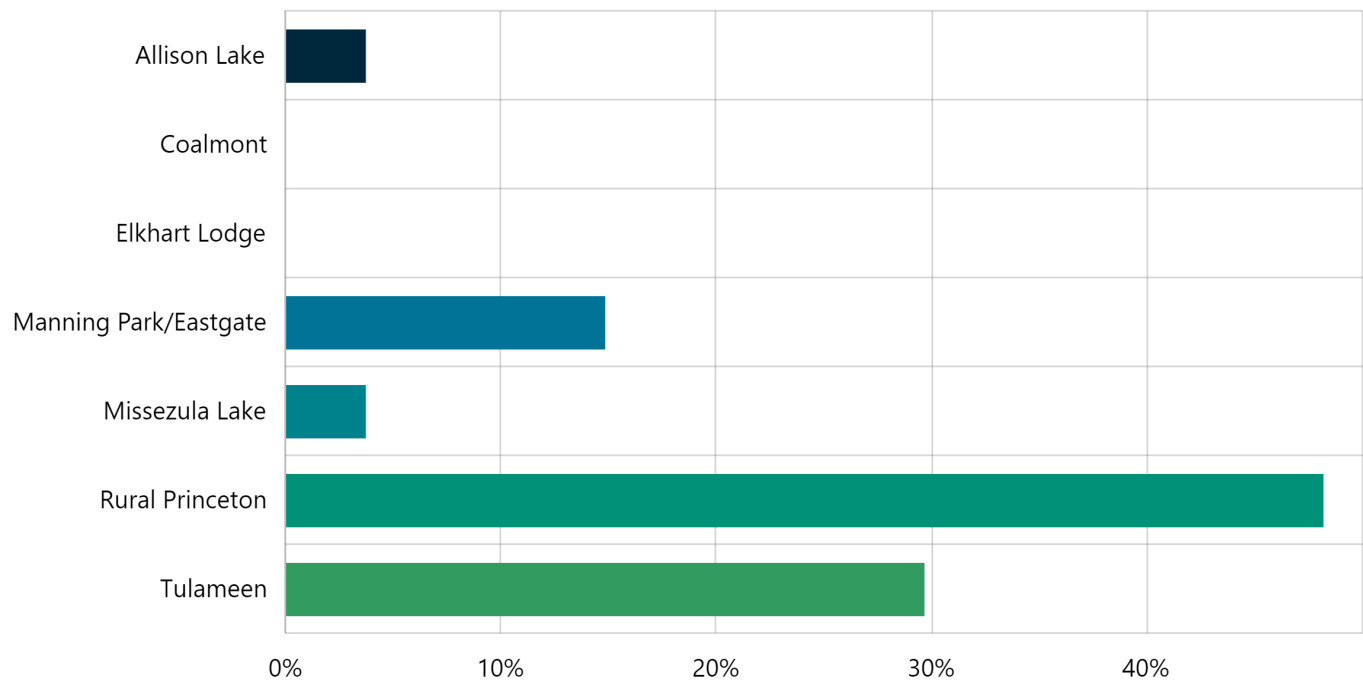
Multi Choice | Skipped: 211 | Answered: 13 (5.8%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Ashnola	0%	0
Hedley	30.77%	4
Olalla	23.08%	3
Rural Keremeos	46.15%	6

10. Which community best describes the area where you live?

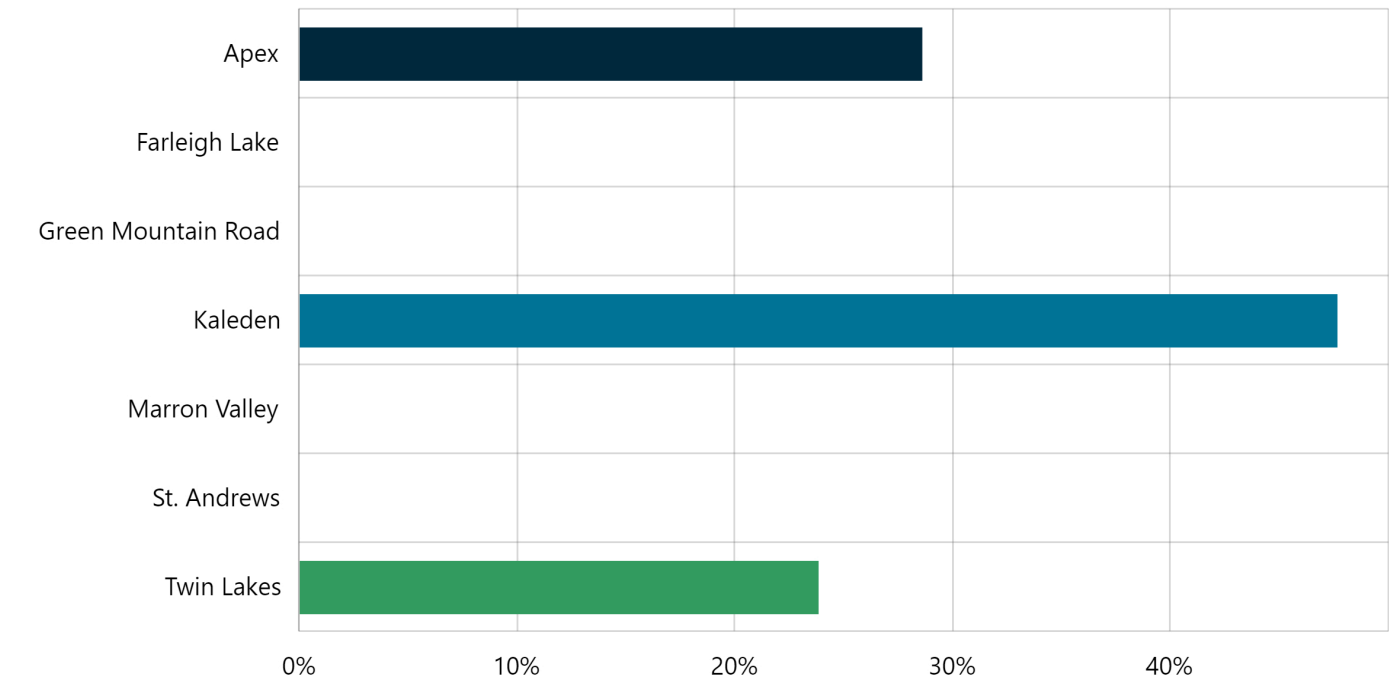
Multi Choice | Skipped: 197 | Answered: 27 (12.1%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Allison Lake	3.70%	1
Coalmont	0%	0
Elkhart Lodge	0%	0
Manning Park/Eastgate	14.81%	4
Missezula Lake	3.70%	1
Rural Princeton	48.15%	13
Tulameen	29.63%	8

11. Which community best describes the area where you live?

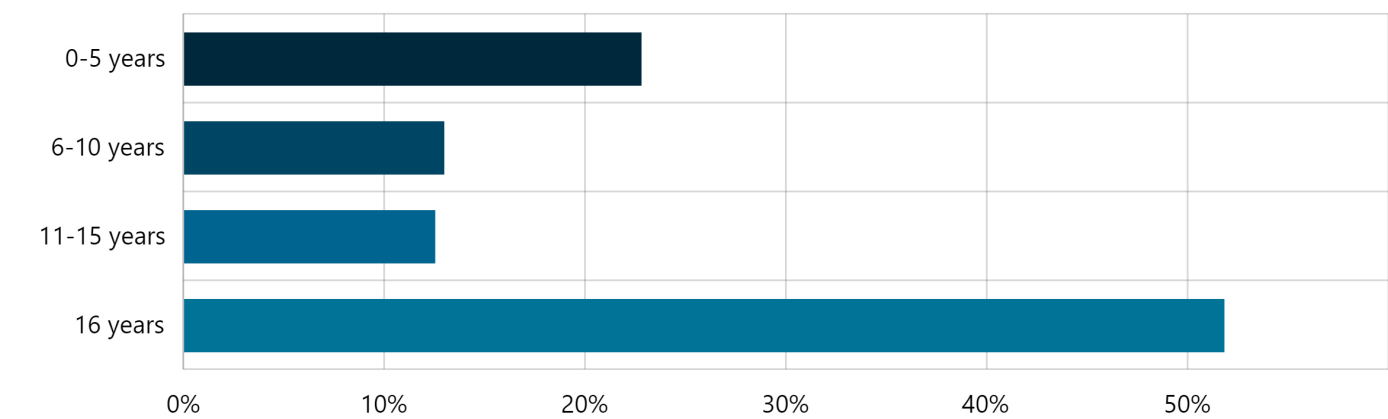
Multi Choice | Skipped: 203 | Answered: 21 (9.4%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Apex	28.57%	6
Farleigh Lake	0%	0
Green Mountain Road	0%	0
Kaleden	47.62%	10
Marron Valley	0%	0
St. Andrews	0%	0
Twin Lakes	23.81%	5

12. How long have you lived or owned property within the RDOS region?

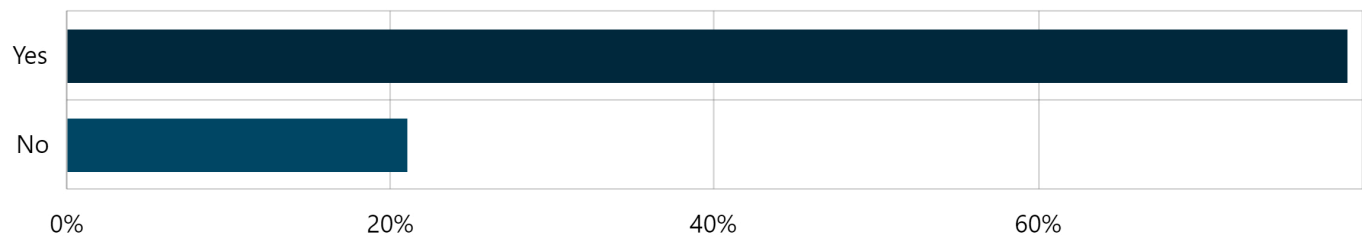
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
0-5 years	22.77%	51
6-10 years	12.95%	29
11-15 years	12.50%	28
16 years	51.79%	116
Total	100.00%	224

13. Is your principal residence within the RDOS region?

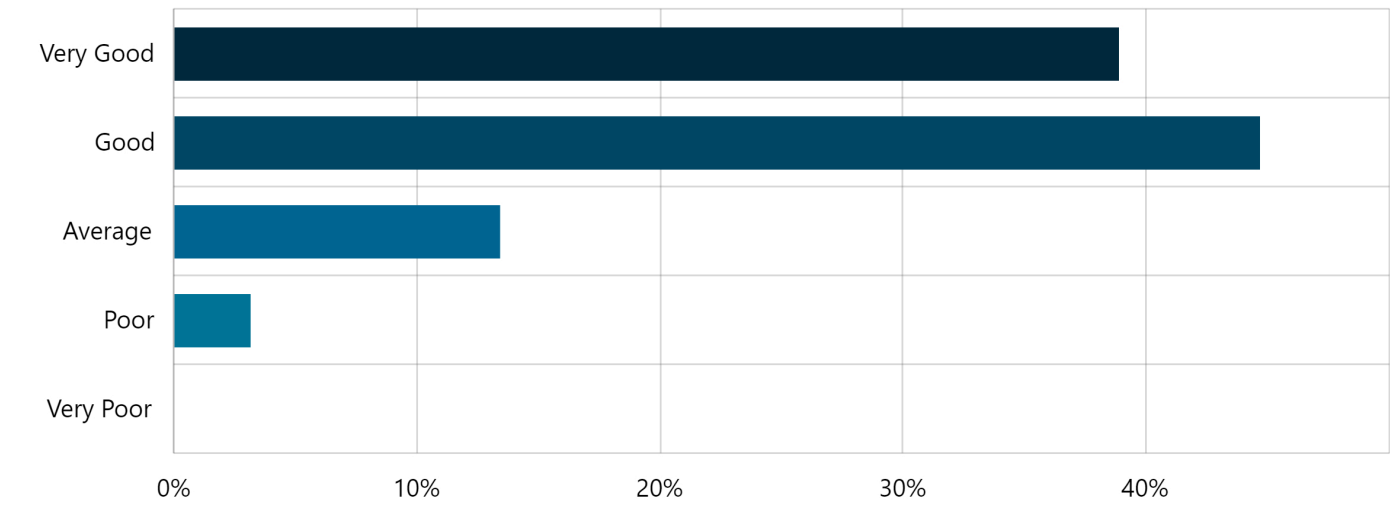
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	79.02%	177
No	20.98%	47
Total	100.00%	224

14. How would you rate your overall quality of life in your community?

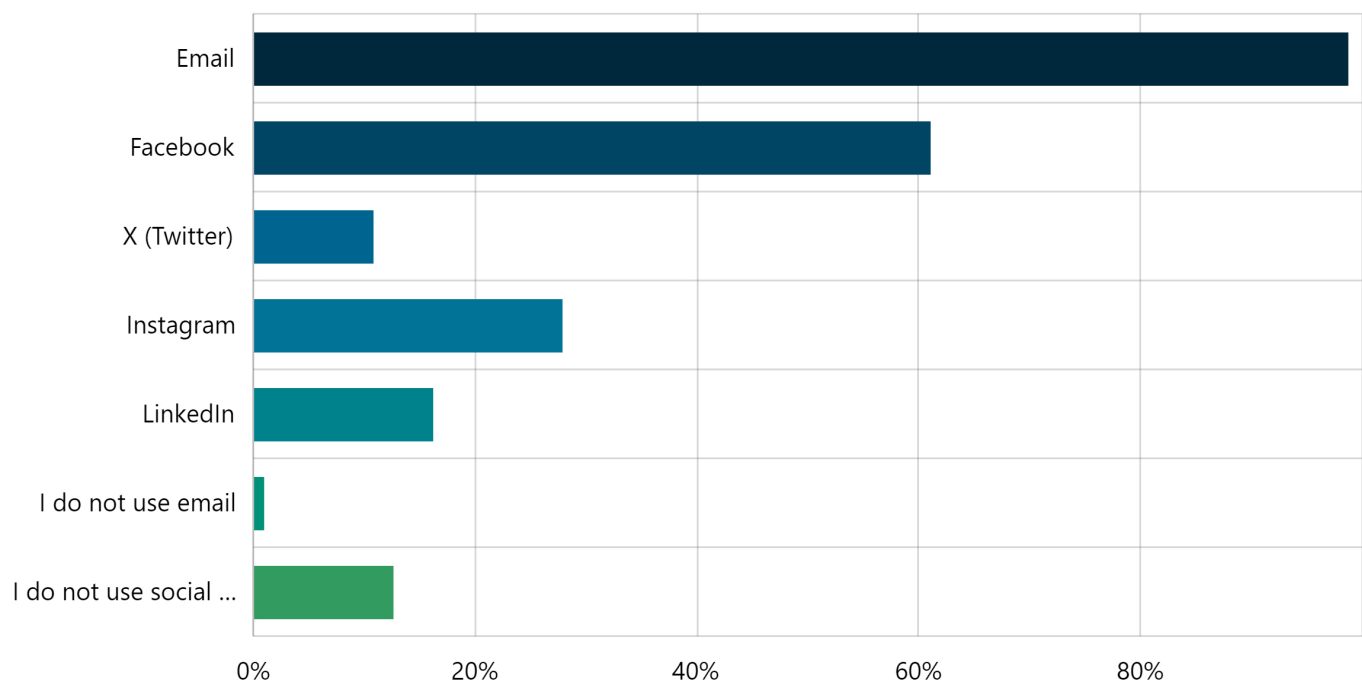
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Very Good	38.84%	87
Good	44.64%	100
Average	13.39%	30
Poor	3.13%	7
Very Poor	0%	0
Total	100.00%	224

15. Do you use email and/or social media? Please select all that apply.

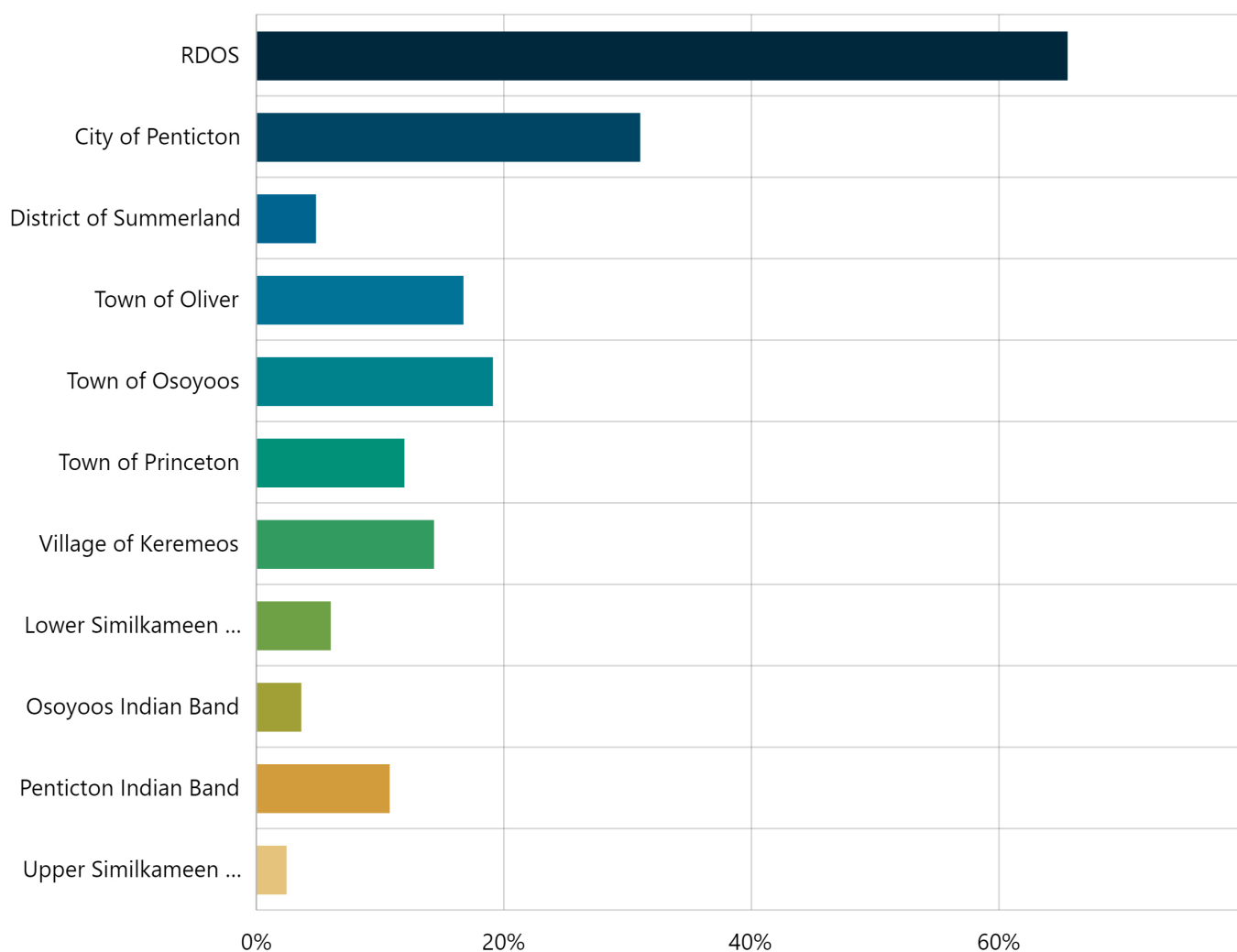
Multi Choice | Skipped: 1 | Answered: 223 (99.6%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Email	98.65%	220
Facebook	60.99%	136
X (Twitter)	10.76%	24
Instagram	27.80%	62
LinkedIn	16.14%	36
I do not use email	0.90%	2
I do not use social media	12.56%	28

16. Do you follow any of the following on social media? Please select all that apply.

Multi Choice | Skipped: 140 | Answered: 84 (37.5%)

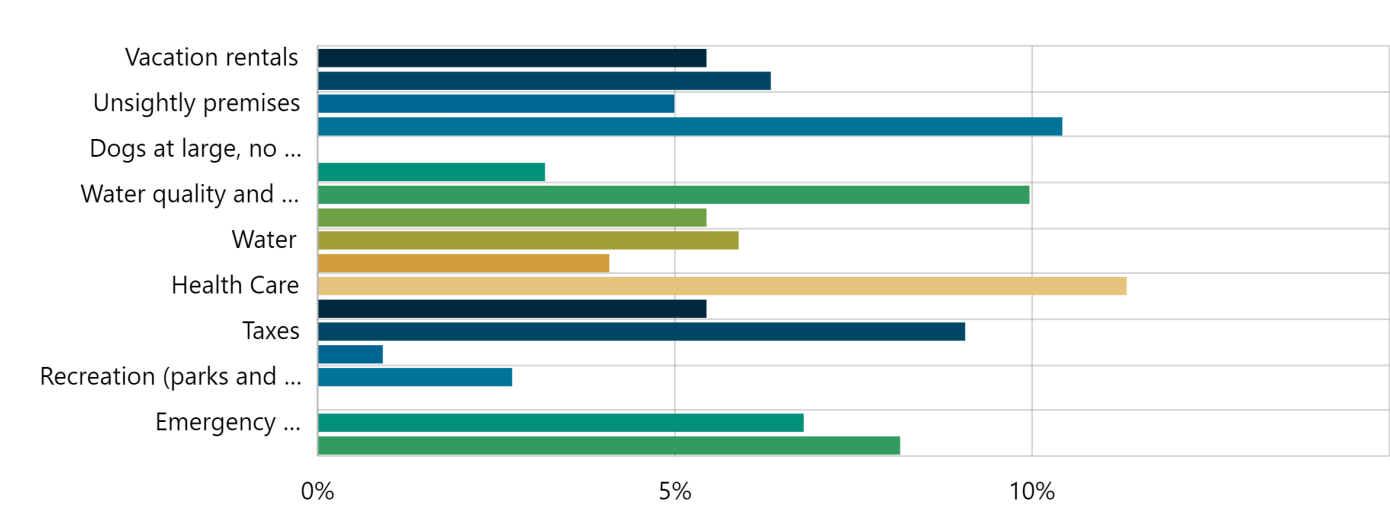


Answer choices	Percent	Count
RDOS	65.48%	55
City of Penticton	30.95%	26
District of Summerland	4.76%	4
Town of Oliver	16.67%	14
Town of Osoyoos	19.05%	16
Town of Princeton	11.90%	10
Village of Keremeos	14.29%	12
Lower Similkameen Indian Band	5.95%	5
Osoyoos Indian Band	3.57%	3
Penticton Indian Band		
Upper Similkameen Indian Band		

Penticton Indian Band	10.71%	9
Upper Similkameen Indian Band	2.38%	2

17. In your opinion, what is the single most important issue facing your local government; that is, the one issue you feel should receive the greatest attention or advocacy from local elected officials to the provincial or federal governments?

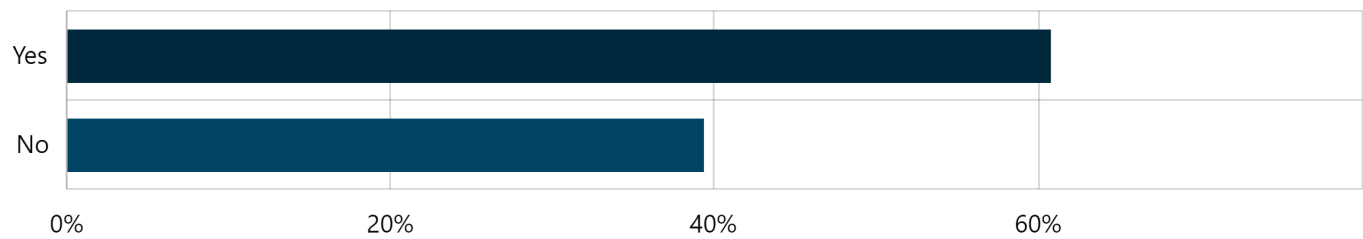
Multi Choice | Skipped: 3 | Answered: 221 (98.7%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Vacation rentals	5.43%	12
Climate change	6.33%	14
Unsightly premises	4.98%	11
Homelessness	10.41%	23
Dogs at large, no clean up, barking	0%	0
Residential growth	3.17%	7
Water quality and protection	9.95%	22
Crime prevention	5.43%	12
Water	5.88%	13
Sewer	4.07%	9
Health Care	11.31%	25
Land preservation/agriculture	5.43%	12
Taxes	9.05%	20
Environment	0.90%	2
Recreation (parks and trails)	2.71%	6
Recreation (programs)	0%	0
Emergency preparedness, planning, response	6.79%	15
Other	8.14%	18
Total	100.00%	221

18. I am aware of the mass notification system Voyent Alert!

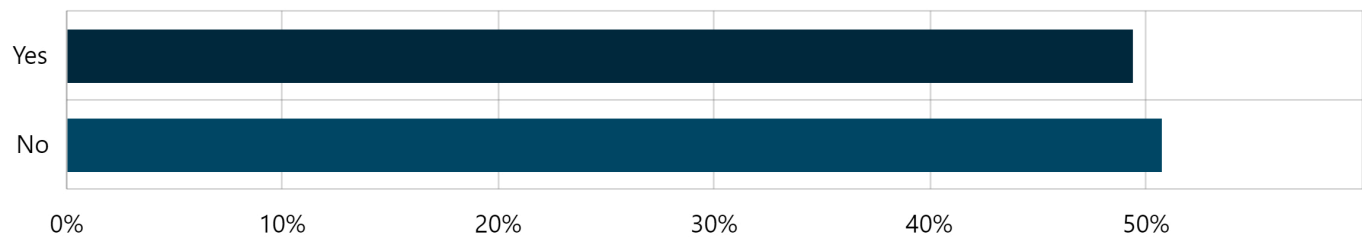
Multi Choice | Skipped: 0 | Answered: 224 (100%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	60.71%	136
No	39.29%	88
Total	100.00%	224

19. I have signed up with Voyent Alert! to receive informational and emergency notifications

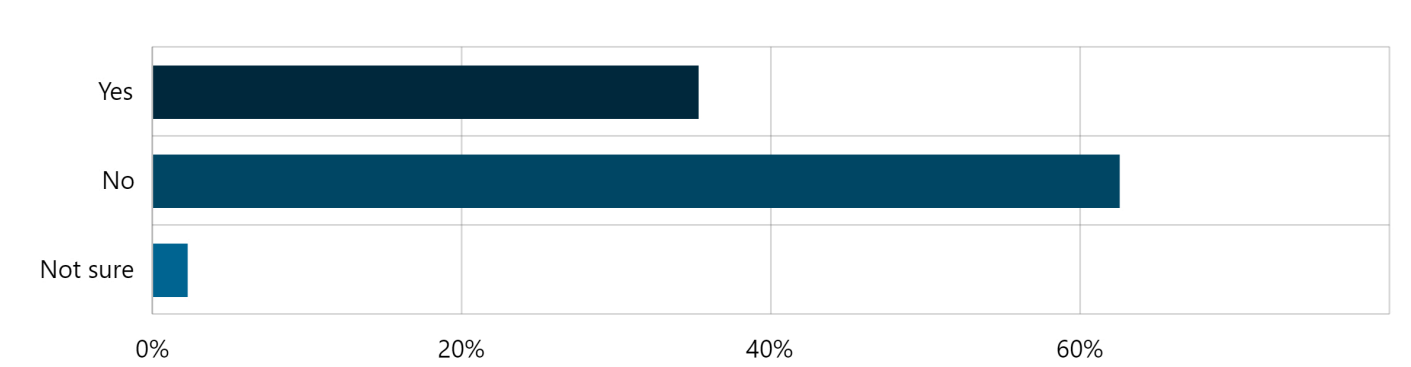
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	49.33%	110
No	50.67%	113
Total	100.00%	223

20. Have you contacted local government staff or an elected official within the last 12 months?

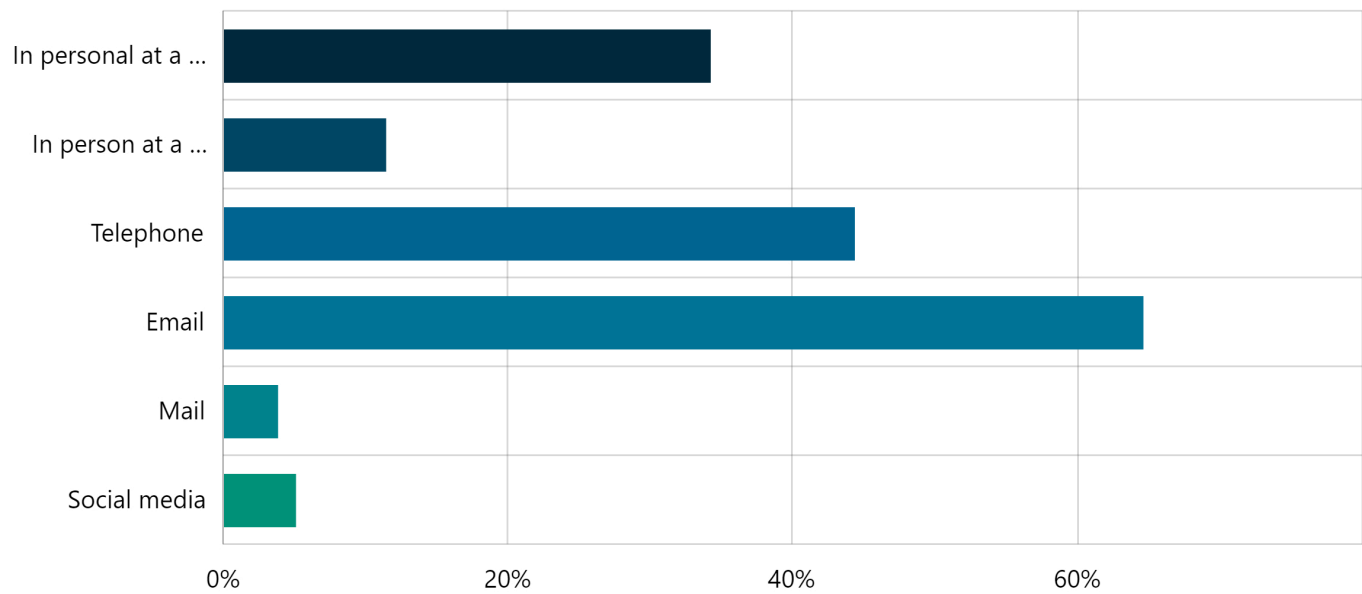
Multi Choice | Skipped: 0 | Answered: 224 (100%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	35.27%	79
No	62.50%	140
Not sure	2.23%	5
Total	100.00%	224

21. How did you contact your local government?

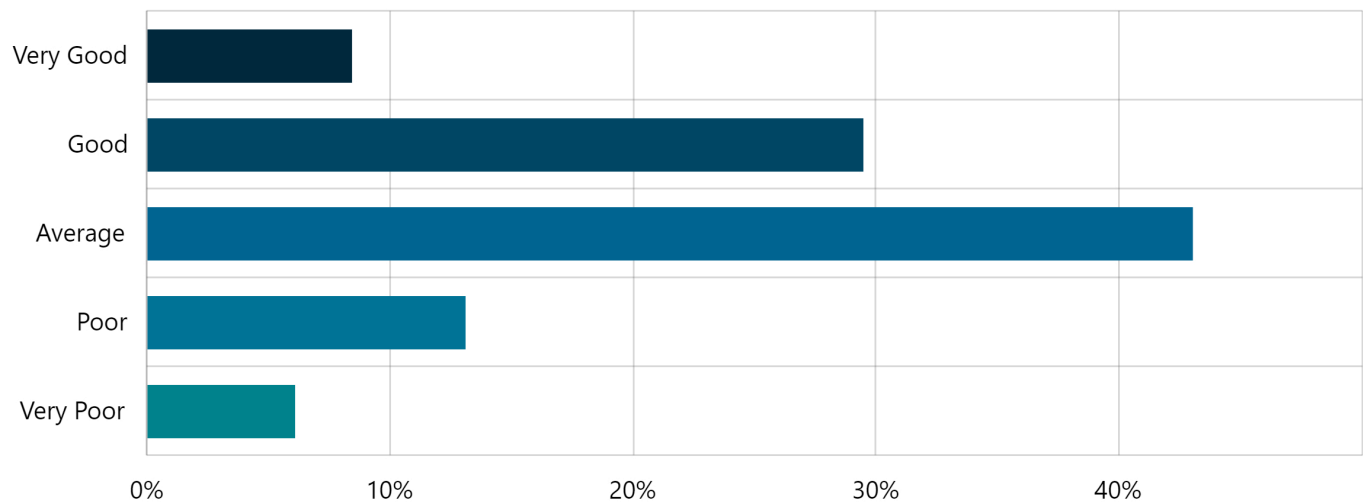
Multi Choice | Skipped: 145 | Answered: 79 (35.3%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
In personal at a local government office	34.18%	27
In person at a community event	11.39%	9
Telephone	44.30%	35
Email	64.56%	51
Mail	3.80%	3
Social media	5.06%	4

22. How would you rate the level of service provided by staff at your local government?

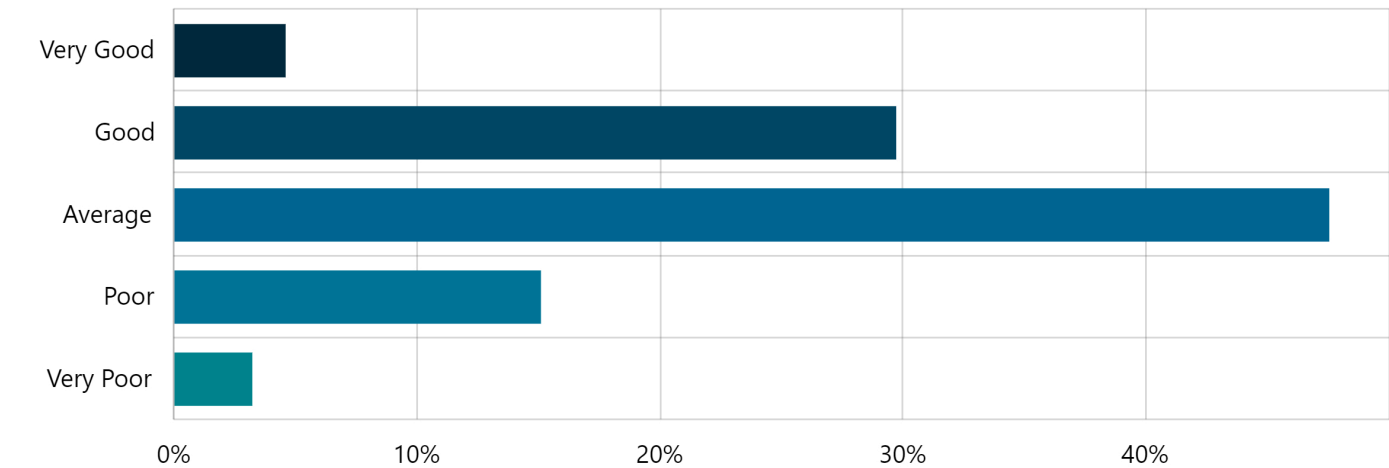
Multi Choice | Skipped: 10 | Answered: 214 (95.5%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Very Good	8.41%	18
Good	29.44%	63
Average	42.99%	92
Poor	13.08%	28
Very Poor	6.07%	13
Total	100.00%	214

23. How do you rate the level of programs and services provided by your local government?

Multi Choice | Skipped: 5 | Answered: 219 (97.8%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Very Good	4.57%	10
Good	29.68%	65
Average	47.49%	104
Poor	15.07%	33
Very Poor	3.20%	7
Total	100.00%	219

24. Please provide any additional comments about programs or services.

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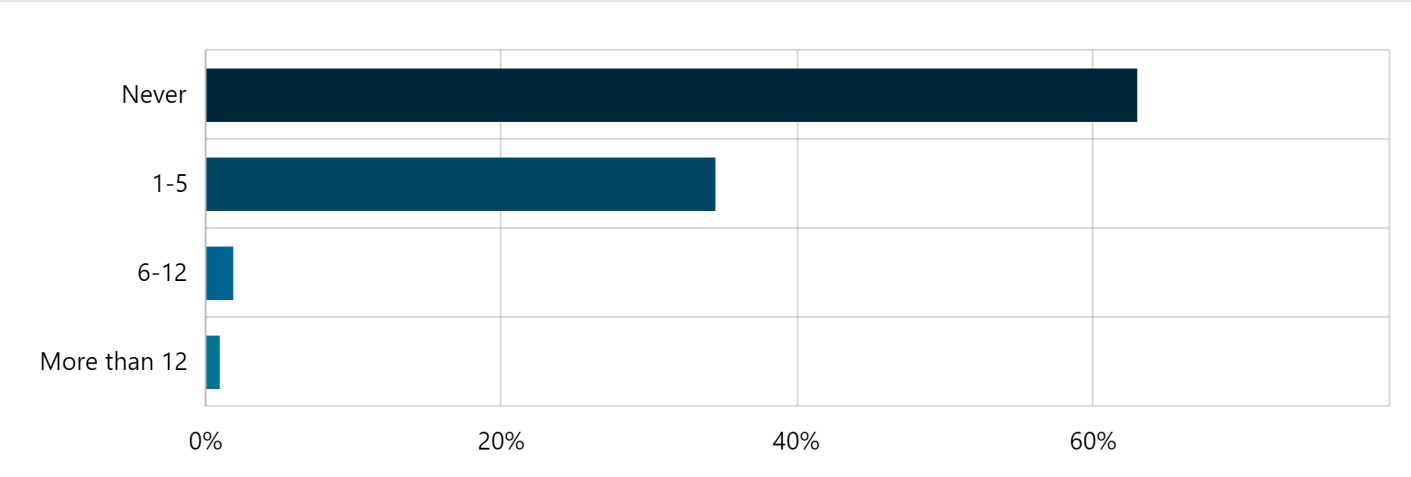
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25. How many times have you attended a public meeting about local government matters within the last 12 months?

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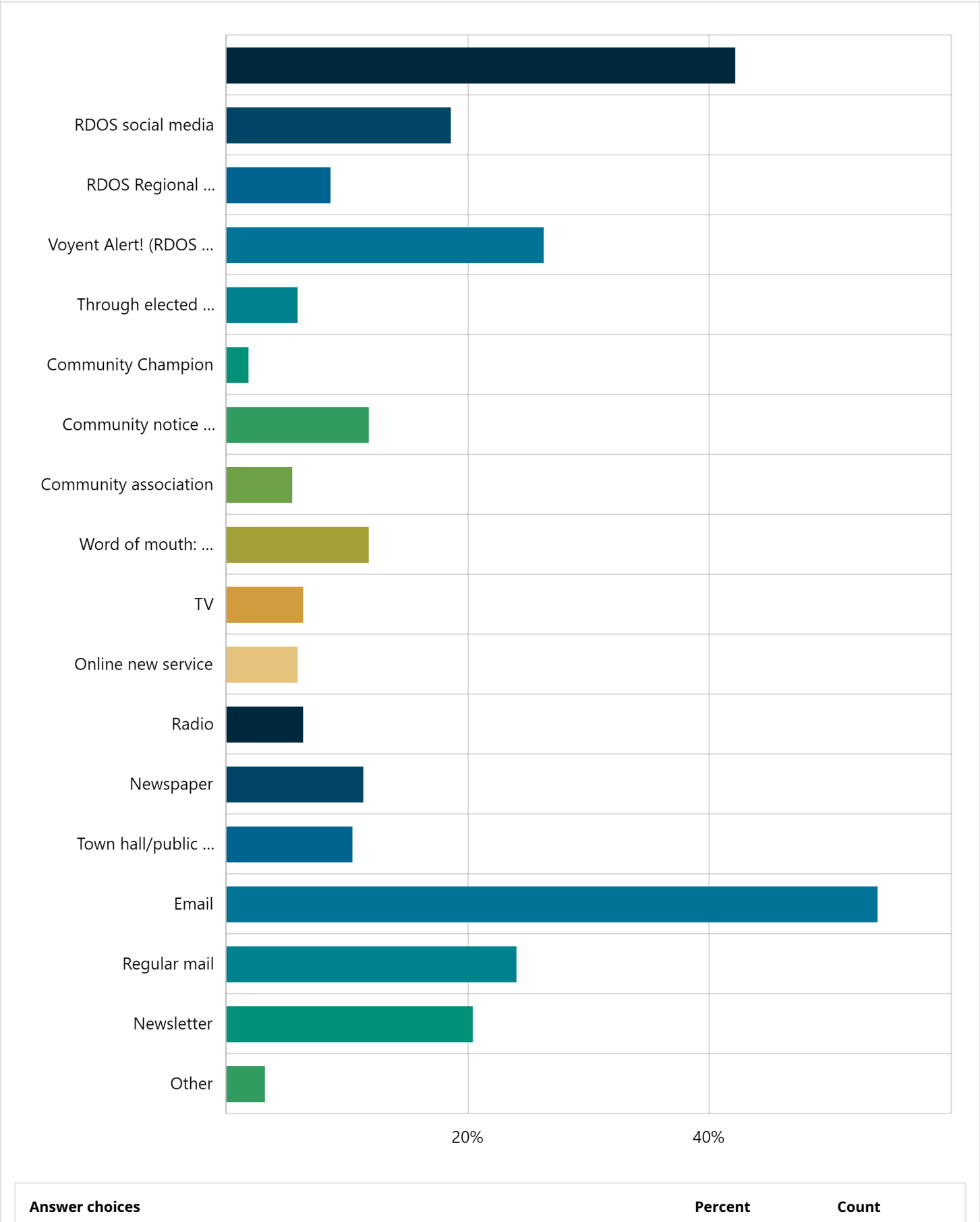


Answer choices	Percent	Count
Never	62.90%	139
1-5	34.39%	76
6-12	1.81%	4
More than 12	0.90%	2
Total	100.00%	221

26. How do you prefer to receive information about local government services, projects, and initiatives?

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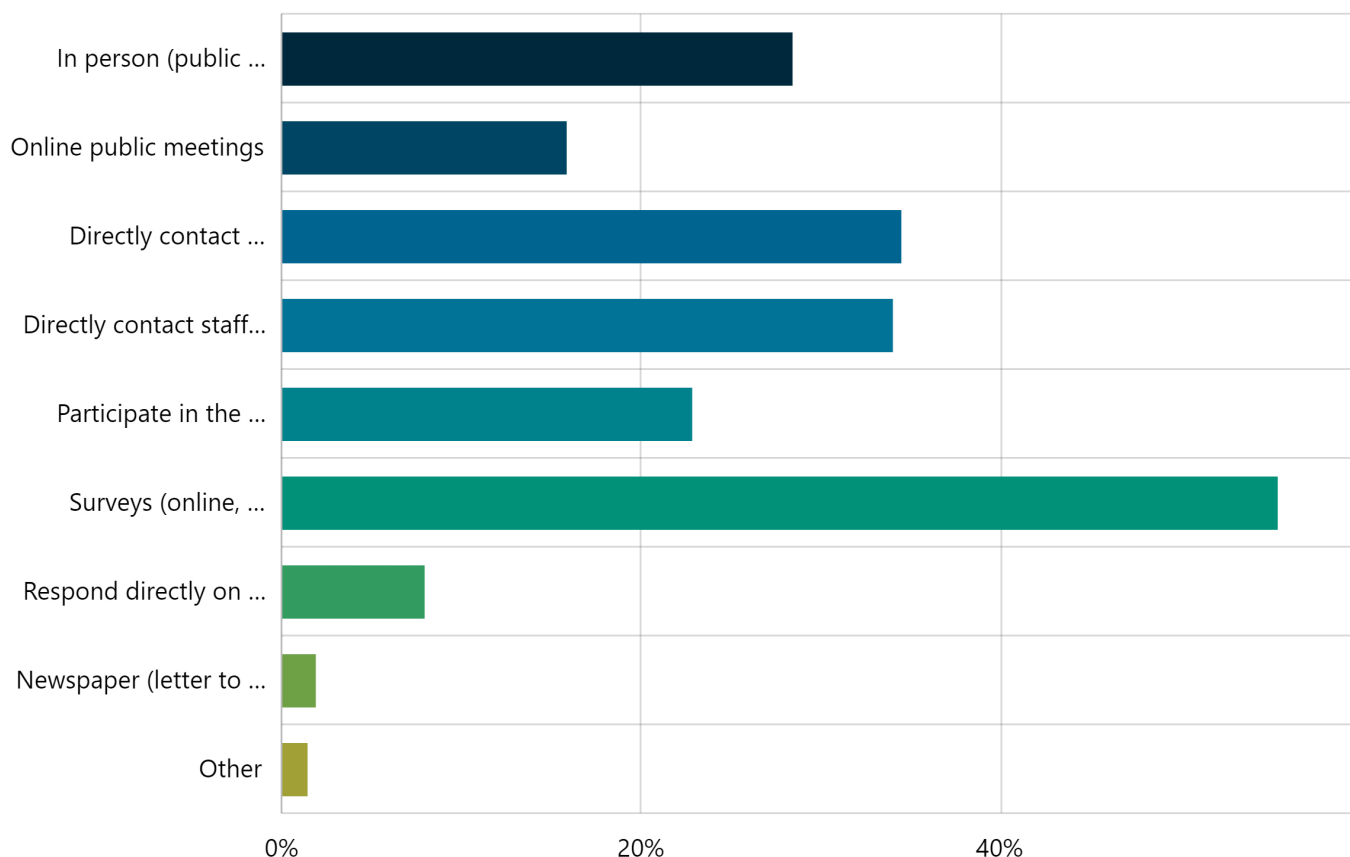
Multi Choice | Skipped: 3 | Answered: 221 (98.7%)



RDOS website	42.08%	93
RDOS social media	18.55%	41
RDOS Regional Connections (https://rdosregionalconnections.ca)	8.60%	19
Voyent Alert! (RDOS informational and emergency notification system)	26.24%	58
Through elected official personal web page or blog/social media	5.88%	13
Community Champion	1.81%	4
Community notice board	11.76%	26
Community association	5.43%	12
Word of mouth: neighbours, friends	11.76%	26
TV	6.33%	14
Online new service	5.88%	13
Radio	6.33%	14
Newspaper	11.31%	25
Town hall/public meetings	10.41%	23
Email	53.85%	119
Regular mail	23.98%	53
Newsletter	20.36%	45
Other	3.17%	7

27. How do you prefer to share your feedback or ask questions about local government services, projects, and initiatives?

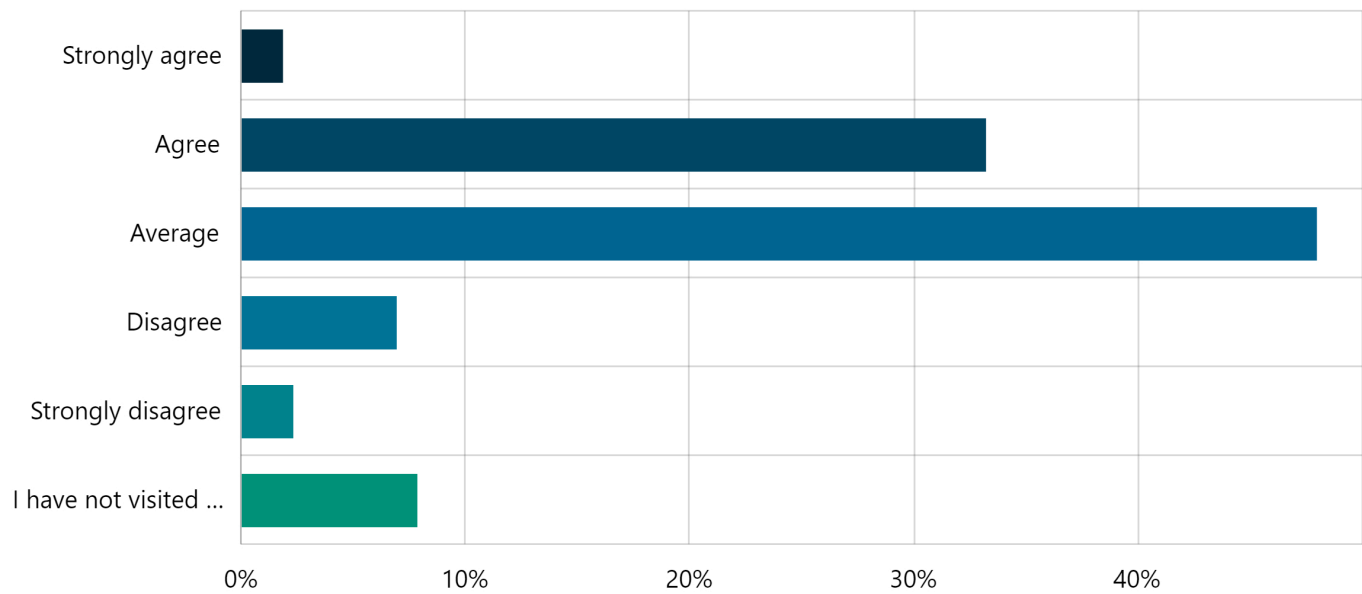
Multi Choice | Skipped: 9 | Answered: 215 (96%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
In person (public meetings, open house events)	28.37%	61
Online public meetings	15.81%	34
Directly contact elected official (phone, email, in person)	34.42%	74
Directly contact staff person (phone, email, in person)	33.95%	73
Participate in the official website or interactive public engagement website: www.rdosregionalconnections.ca	22.79%	49
Surveys (online, phone, paper copies)	55.35%	119
Respond directly on social media	7.91%	17
Newspaper (letter to the editor)	1.86%	4
Other	1.40%	3

28. Your local government website is easy to navigate

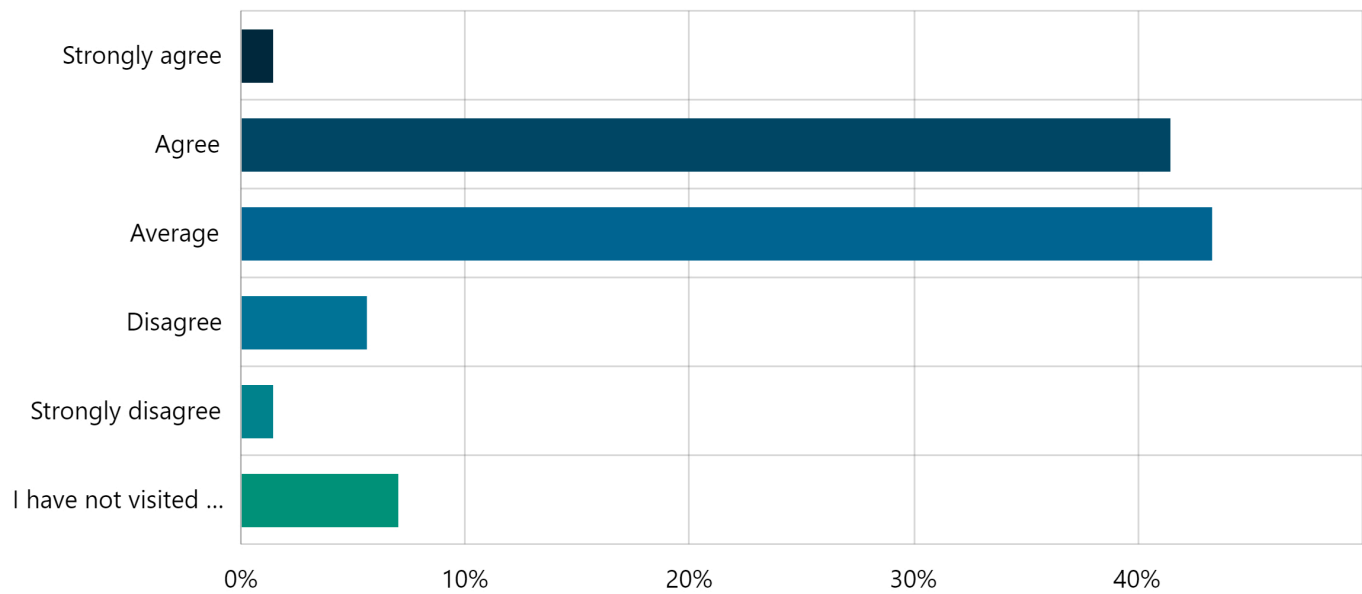
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	1.84%	4
Agree	33.18%	72
Average	47.93%	104
Disagree	6.91%	15
Strongly disagree	2.30%	5
I have not visited my local government's website before	7.83%	17
Total	100.00%	217

29. The information on your local government website is useful and relevant

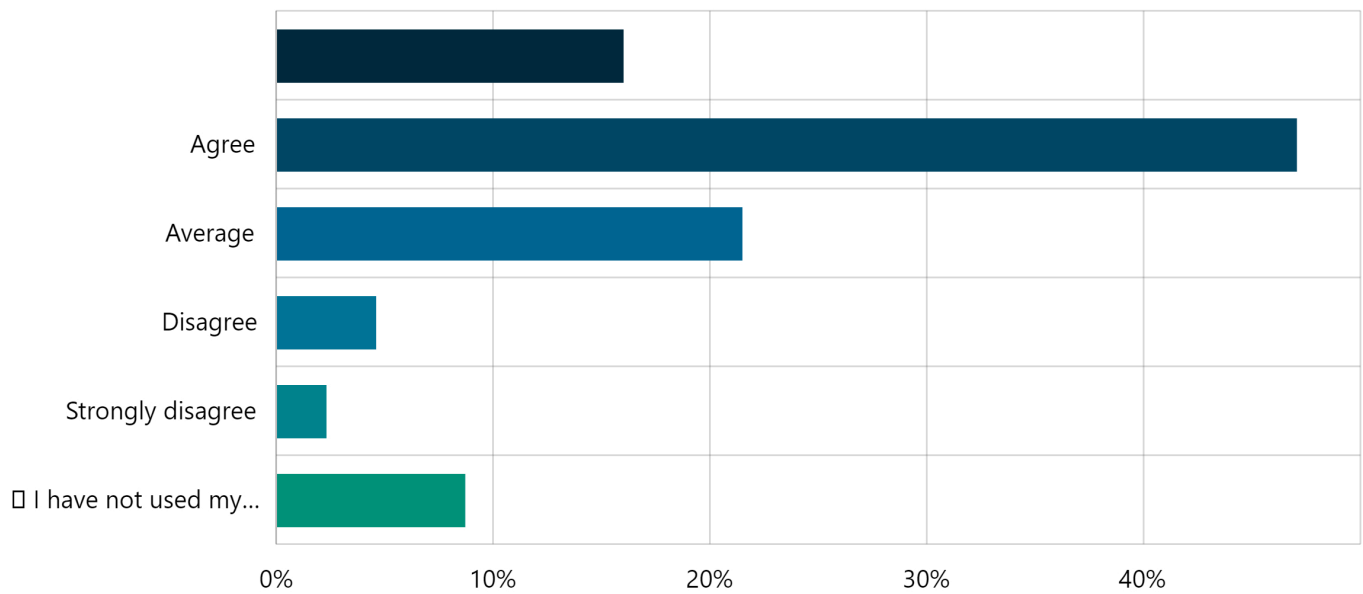
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	1.40%	3
Agree	41.40%	89
Average	43.26%	93
Disagree	5.58%	12
Strongly disagree	1.40%	3
I have not visited my local government’s website before	6.98%	15
Total	100.00%	215

30. The online payment system is an easy and convenient option to pay my bills, taxes, other

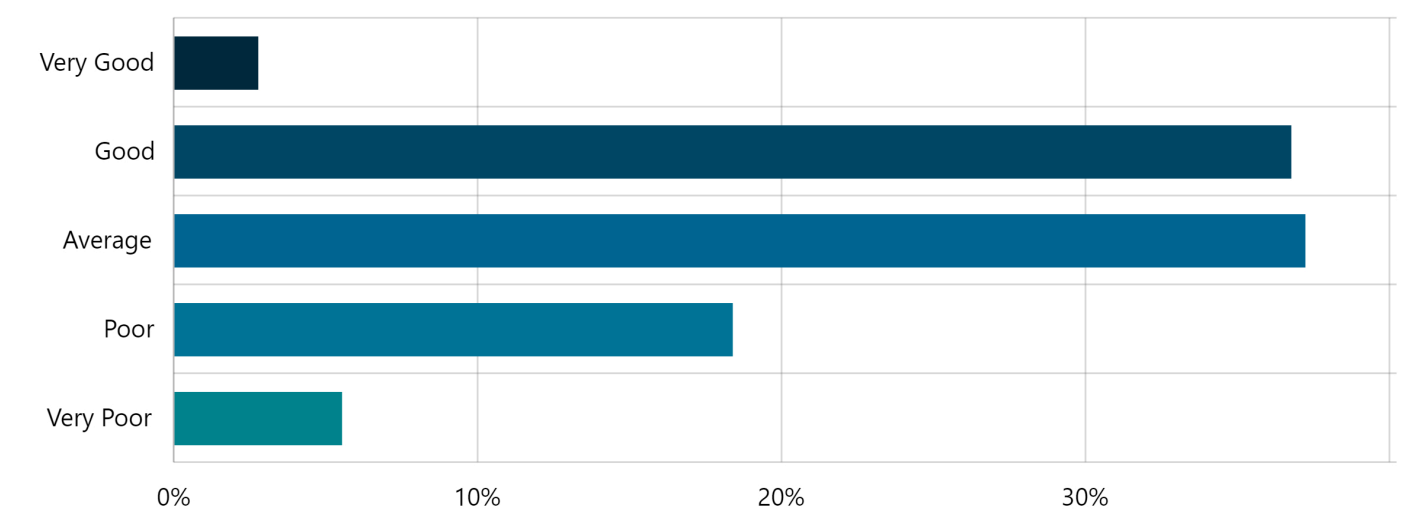
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	15.98%	35
Agree	47.03%	103
Average	21.46%	47
Disagree	4.57%	10
Strongly disagree	2.28%	5
<input type="checkbox"/> I have not used my local government's online payment system before	8.68%	19
Total	100.00%	219

31. Informing you of important information and decisions

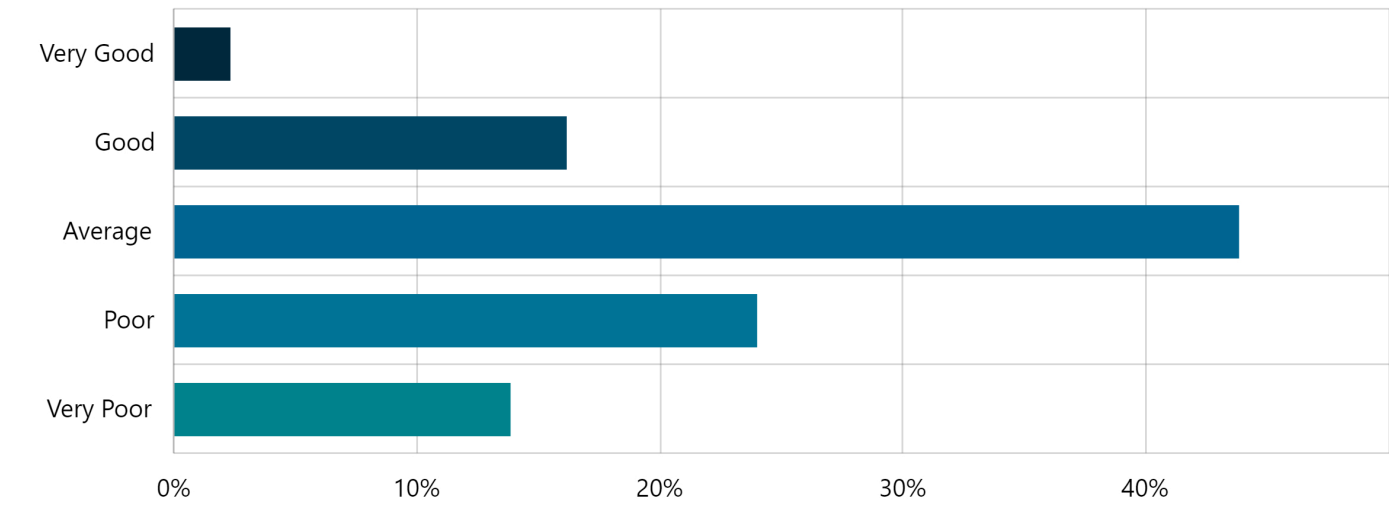
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Very Good	2.74%	6
Good	36.53%	80
Average	36.99%	81
Poor	18.26%	40
Very Poor	5.48%	12
Total	100.00%	219

32. Involving you in the decision making process

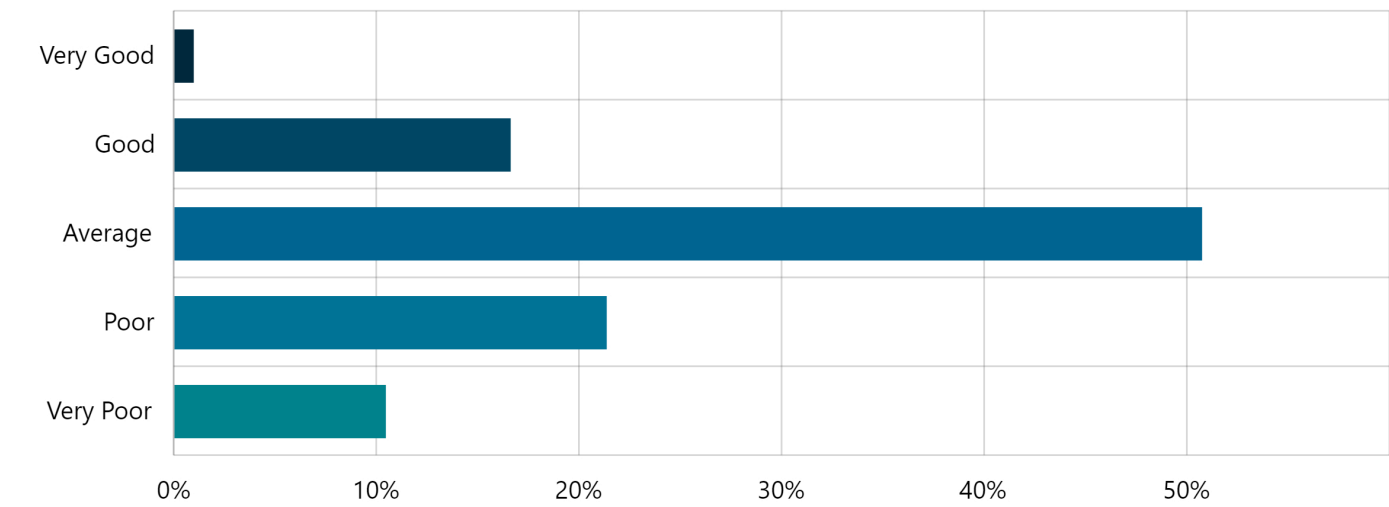
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Very Good	2.30%	5
Good	16.13%	35
Average	43.78%	95
Poor	23.96%	52
Very Poor	13.82%	30
Total	100.00%	217

33. Responding to your feedback on topics and decisions

Multi Choice | Skipped: 13 | Answered: 211 (94.2%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Very Good	0.95%	2
Good	16.59%	35
Average	50.71%	107
Poor	21.33%	45
Very Poor	10.43%	22
Total	100.00%	211

34. Please provide any additional comments you would like to share.

Long Text | Skipped: 152 | Answered: 72 (32.1%)

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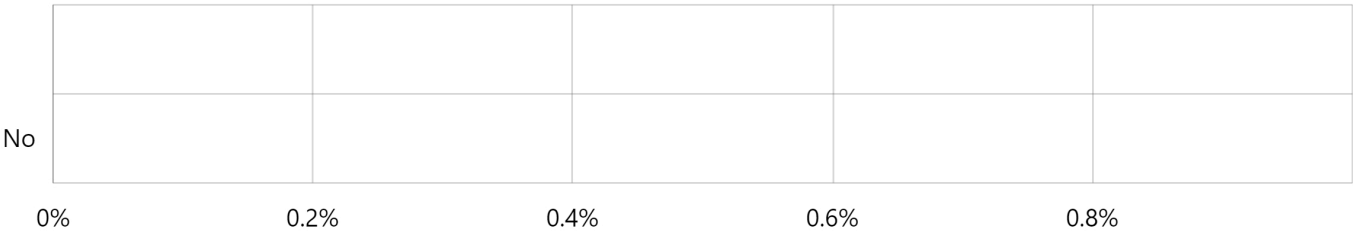
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35. Continuing to prohibit short term rentals where the property owner is not on site

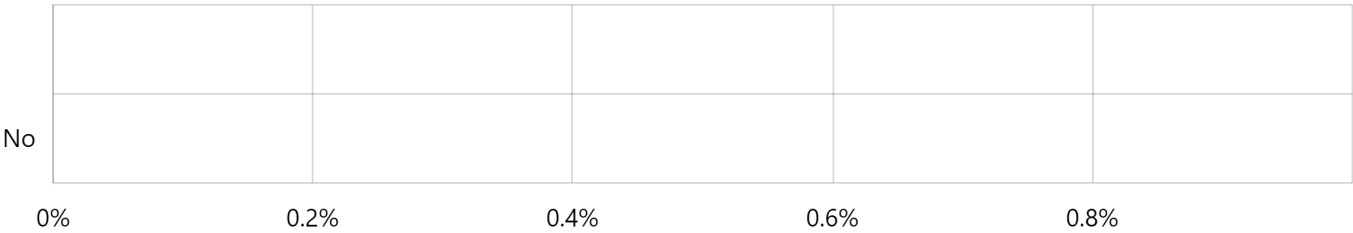
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	0%	0
No	0%	0
Total	0%	0

36. Imposing penalties for vacant storefronts in commercial areas

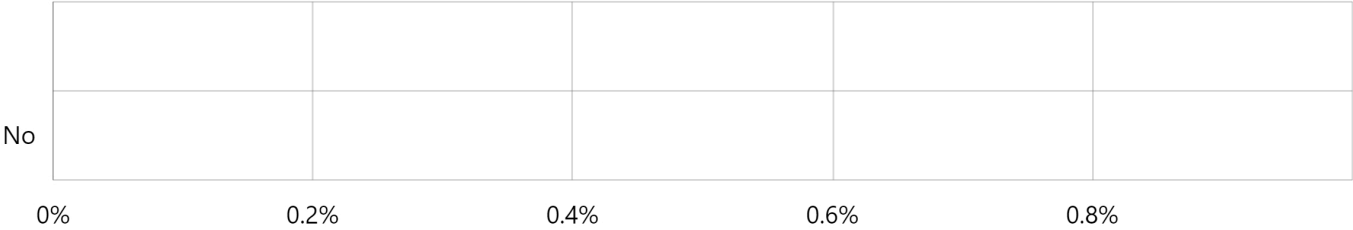
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	0%	0
No	0%	0
Total	0%	0

37. Investing in heritage preservation

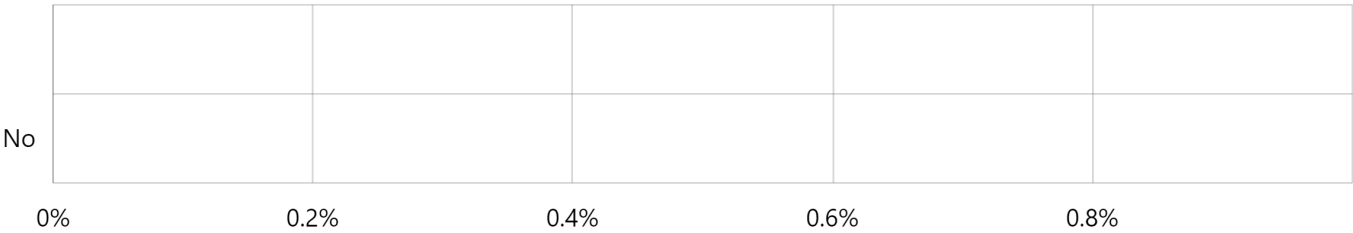
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Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	0%	0
No	0%	0
Total	0%	0

38. Investing in civic facilities for dogs, including dog waste stations and supplies

Multi Choice | Skipped: 224 | Answered: 0 (0%)



Answer choices	Percent	Count
Yes	0%	0
No	0%	0
Total	0%	0

39. Please provide feedback for the Village of Keremeos

Long Text | Skipped: 224 | Answered: 0 (0%)

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