

2025 Budget Engagement

SURVEY RESPONSE REPORT

24 September 2024 - 12 November 2024

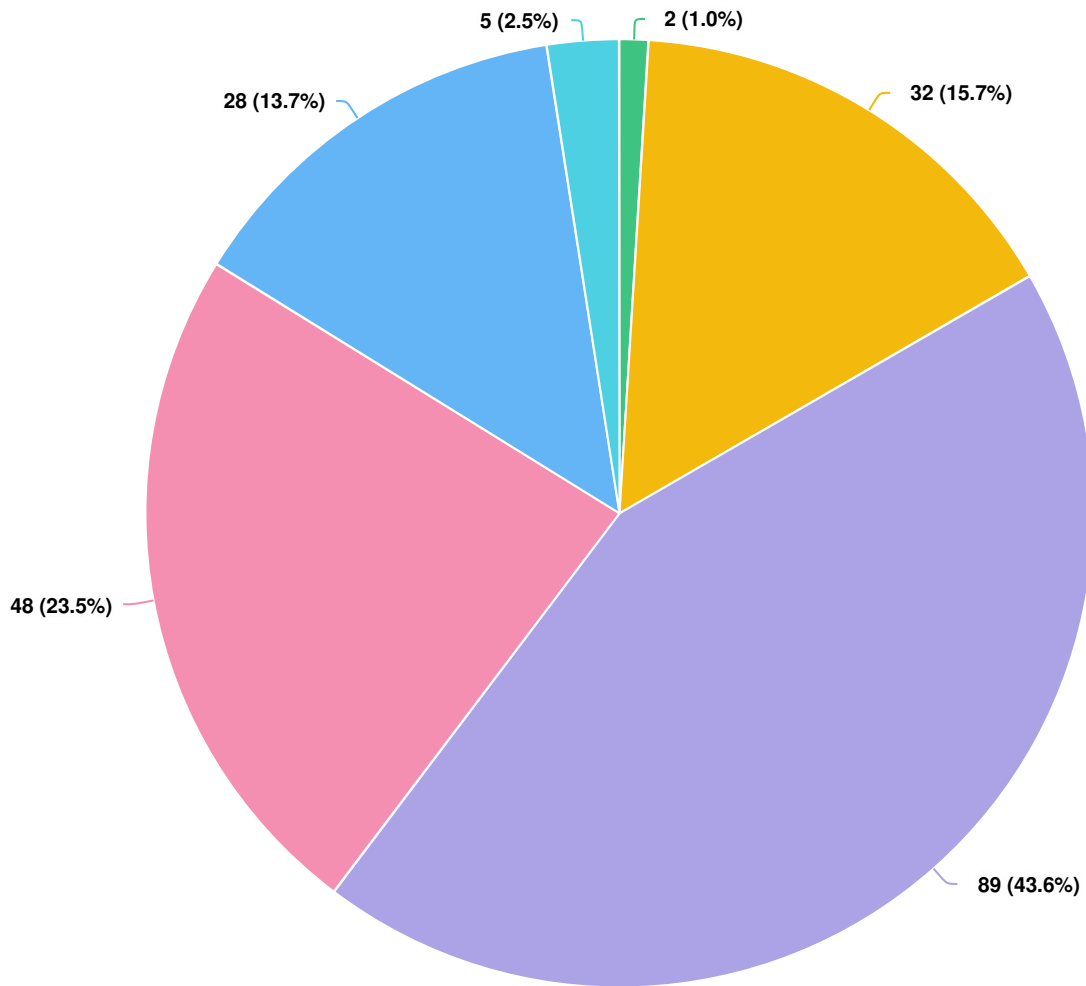
PROJECT NAME:

2025 Budget and Business Plan



SURVEY QUESTIONS

Q1 How would you rate the overall value of services you get for your tax dollars?

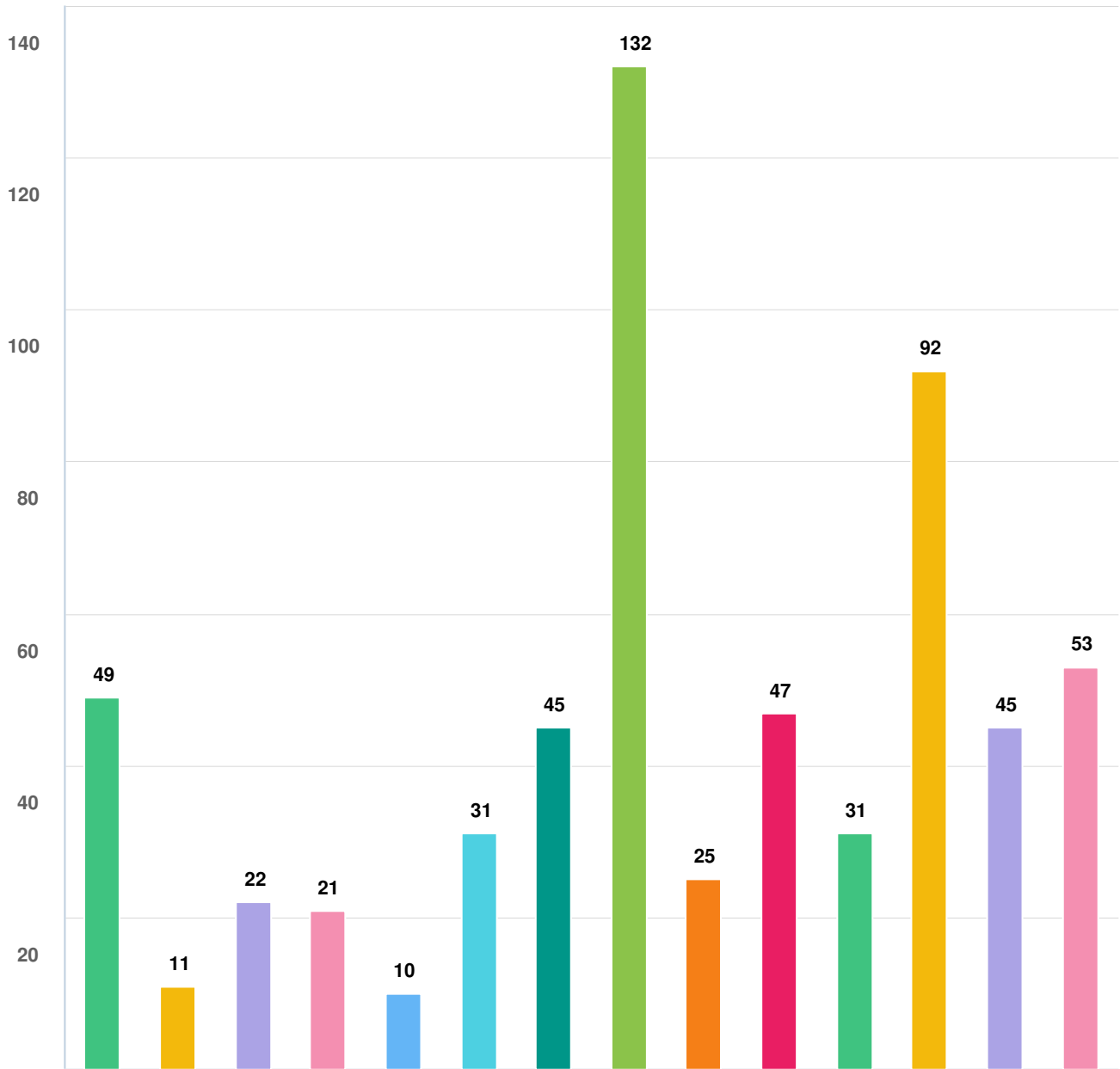


Question options

Very Good Good Fair Poor Very Poor Not Sure

Optional question (204 response(s), 3 skipped)
Question type: Radio Button Question

Q2 For the following list, what are your top 3 priorities?

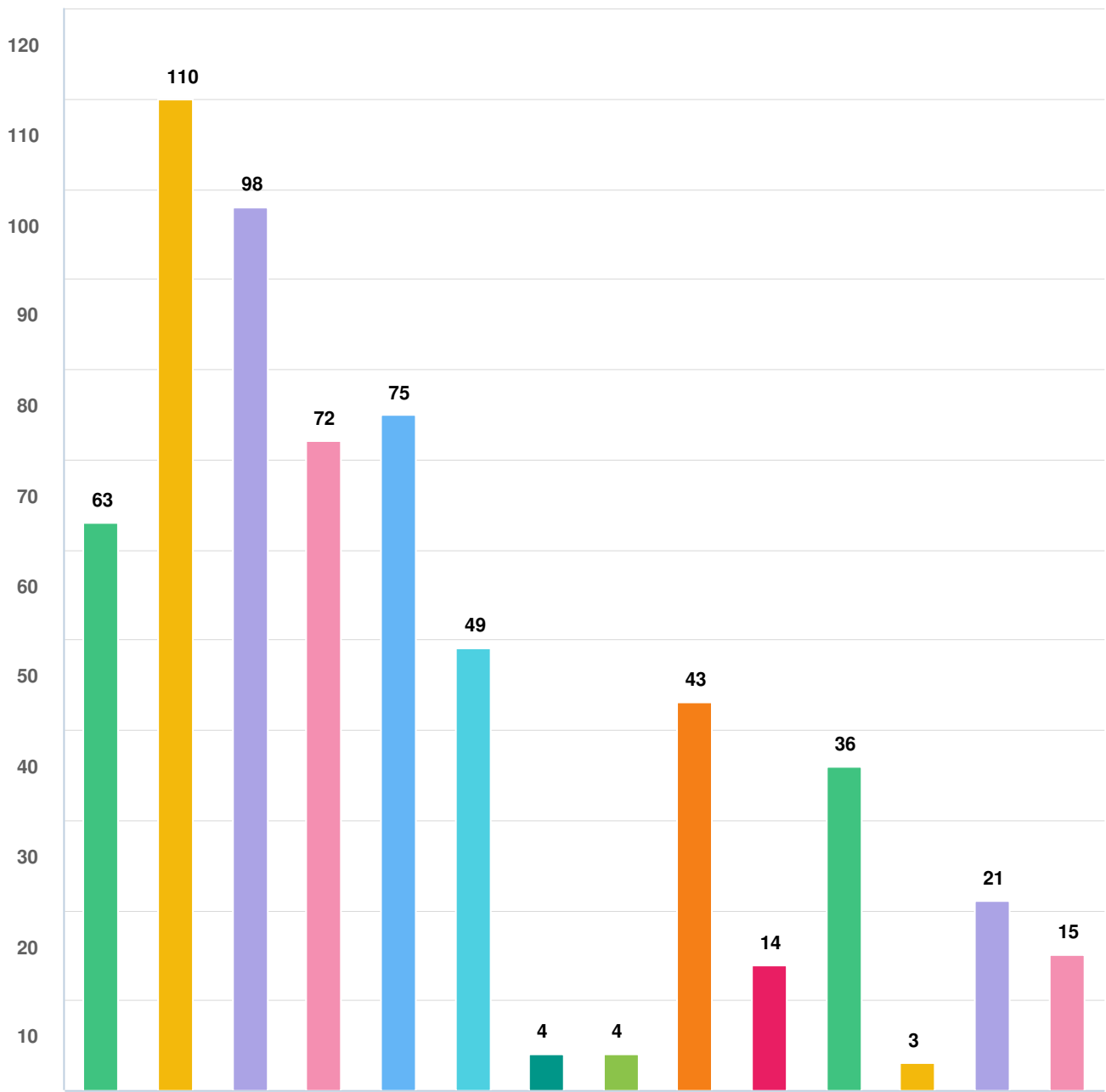


Question options

- Affordable Housing ● Art, Culture and Community Events ● By-law and Parking Compliance
- Economic Development and Tourism
- Communication and Customer Service (access to staff, online services, engagement, etc.) ● Environment and Sustainability
- Fire Services ● Infrastructure (roads, bridges, facilities, playgrounds, etc.)
- Planned Development (planning, zoning, and building) ● Parks and Trails
- Recreation Programs (swimming, sports, summer camps, etc.) ● Roads and Winter Maintenance
- Traffic, Transportation, and Parking ● Water and Wastewater

Optional question (206 response(s), 1 skipped)
Question type: Checkbox Question

Q6 For the following list, what are your bottom 3 priorities?

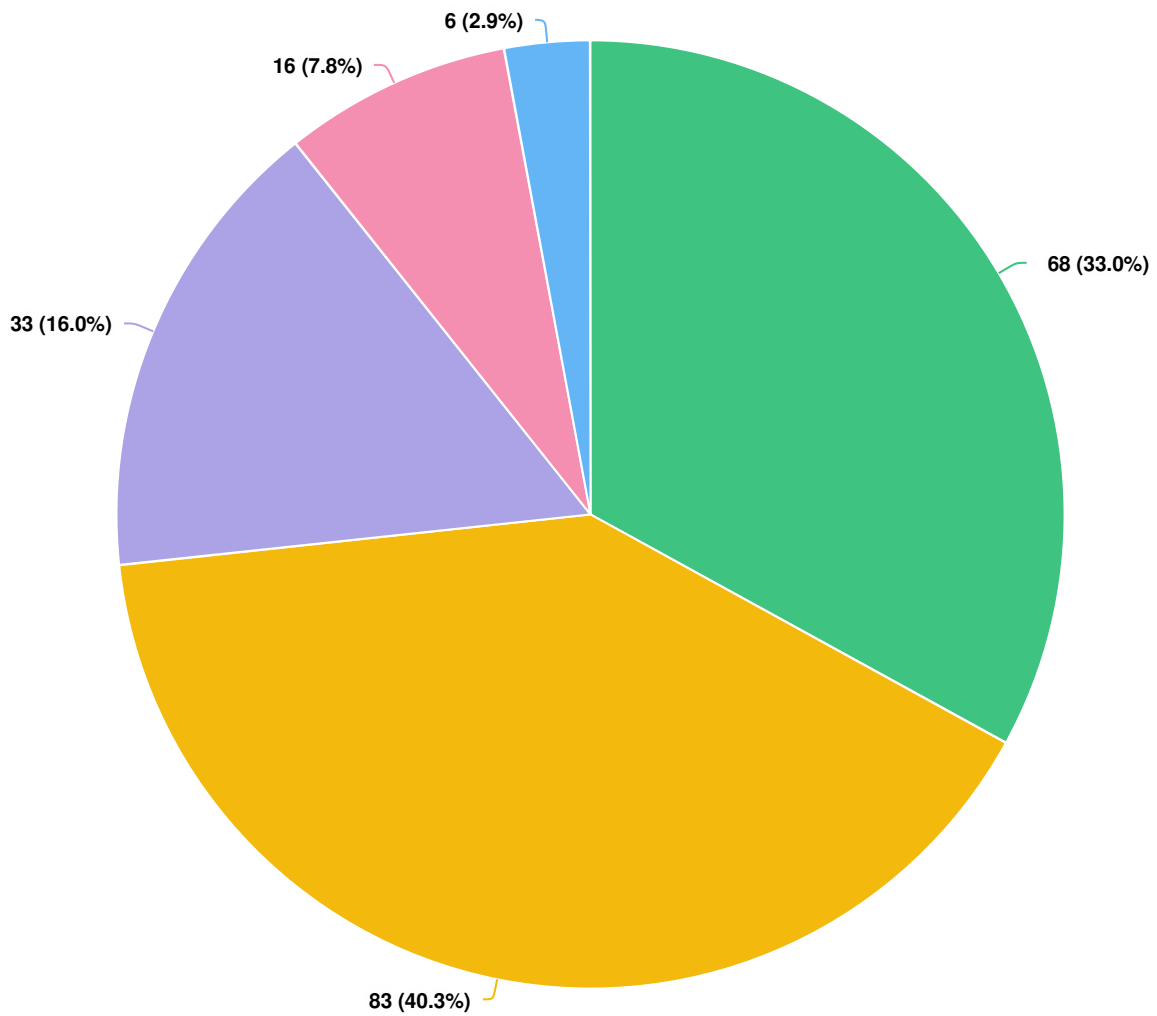


Question options

- Affordable Housing
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*Optional question (204 response(s), 3 skipped)
Question type: Checkbox Question*

Q3 | The infrastructure levy was established in 2012 to increase funding for infrastructure like roads, bridges, stormwater, facilities, playgrounds, vehicles, equipment and technology upgrades. How important is it for you to continue putting money away...

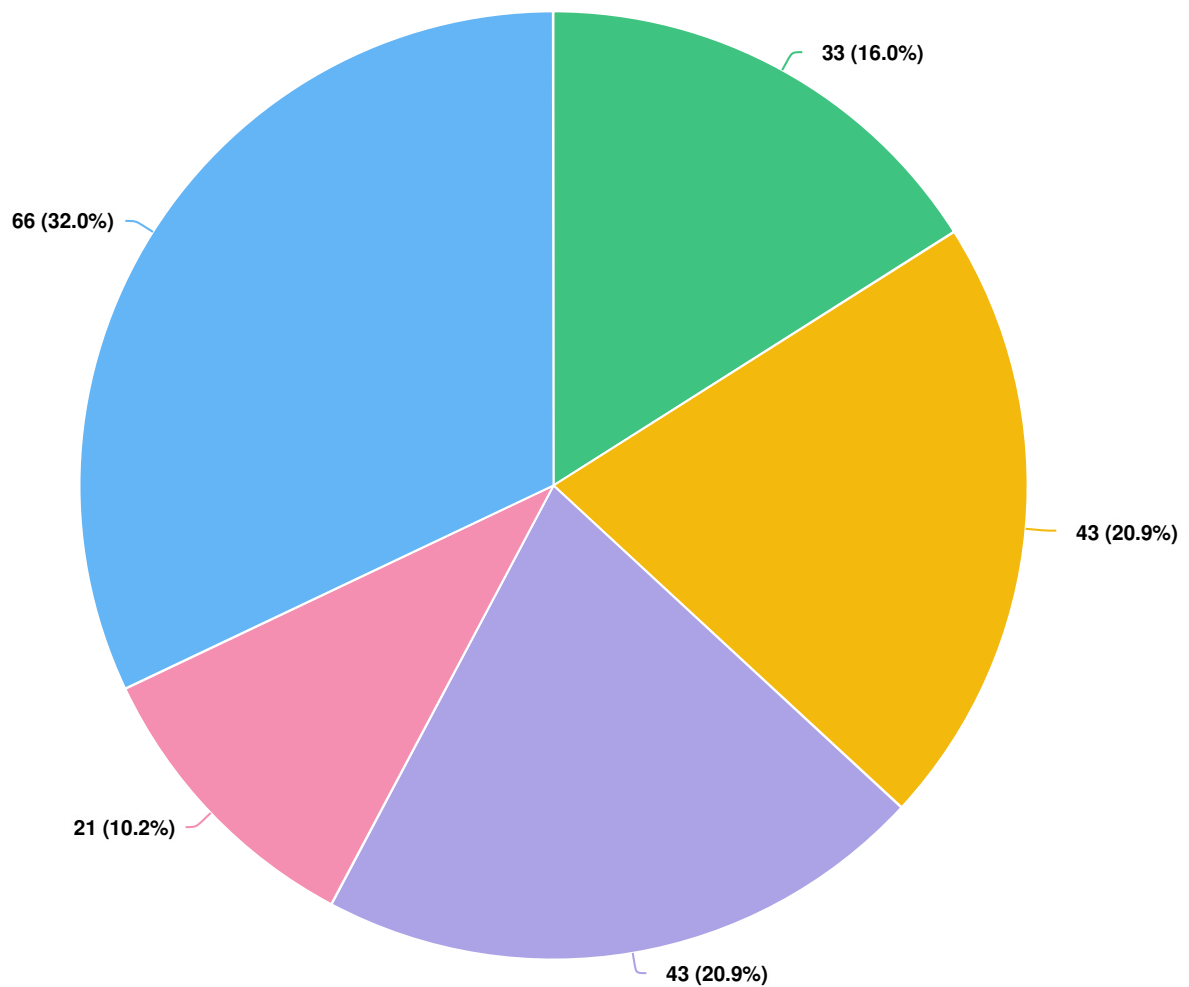


Question options

- Very Important
- Important
- Neutral
- Somewhat Important
- Not Important

Optional question (206 response(s), 1 skipped)
Question type: Radio Button Question

Q4 | The Township established a climate action/greening levy in 2019 for initiatives like tree planting, electric vehicle charging, building upgrades, and other sustainability initiatives included in the TransformWR strategy that will make the Township m...

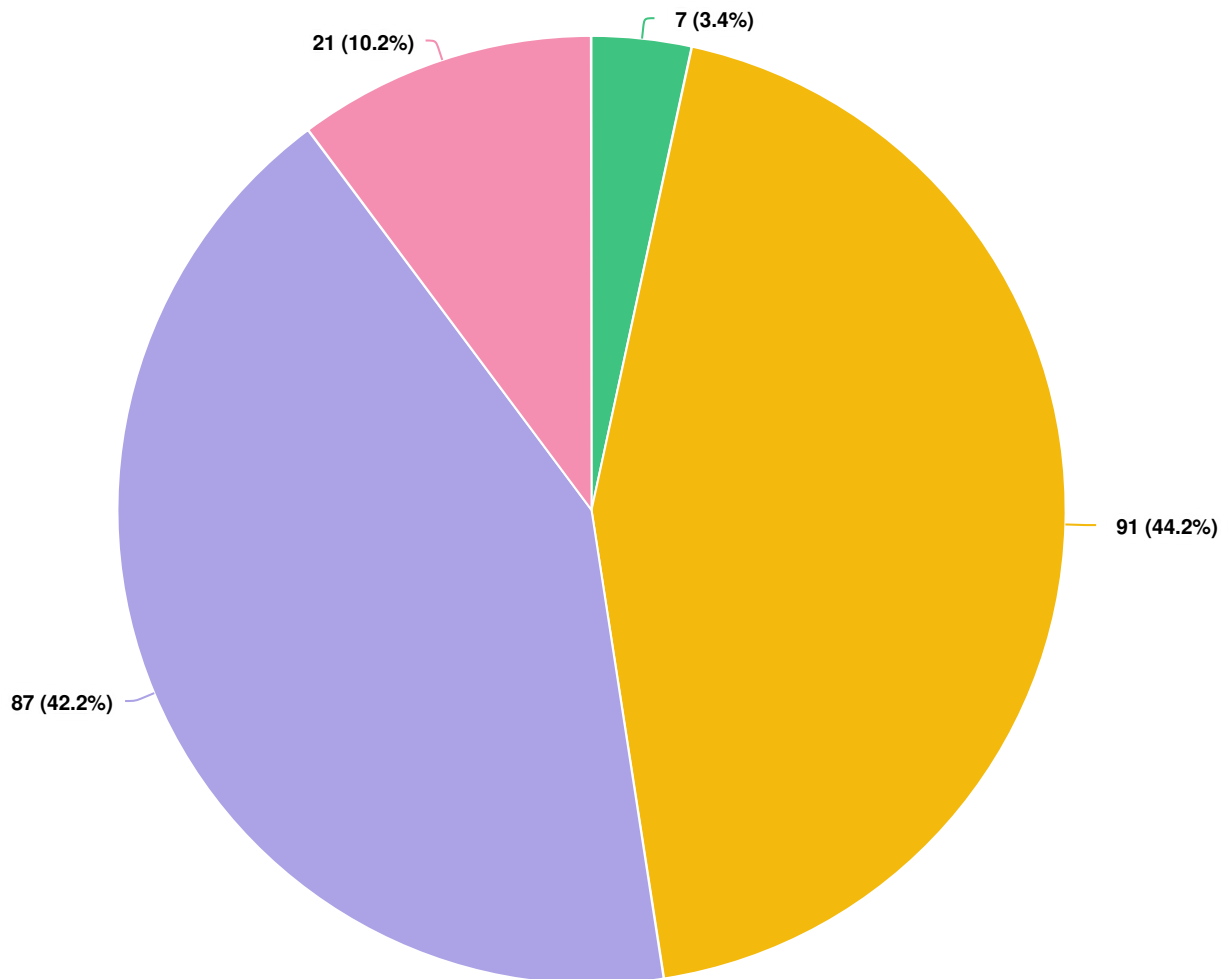


Question options

- Very Important
- Important
- Neutral
- Somewhat Important
- Not Important

Optional question (206 response(s), 1 skipped)
Question type: Radio Button Question

Q5 | The Township charges user fees to keep taxes low and cover the cost of providing some services to residents (swimming fees, room rentals, building permit fees, etc.). How do you feel about user fees and taxes?

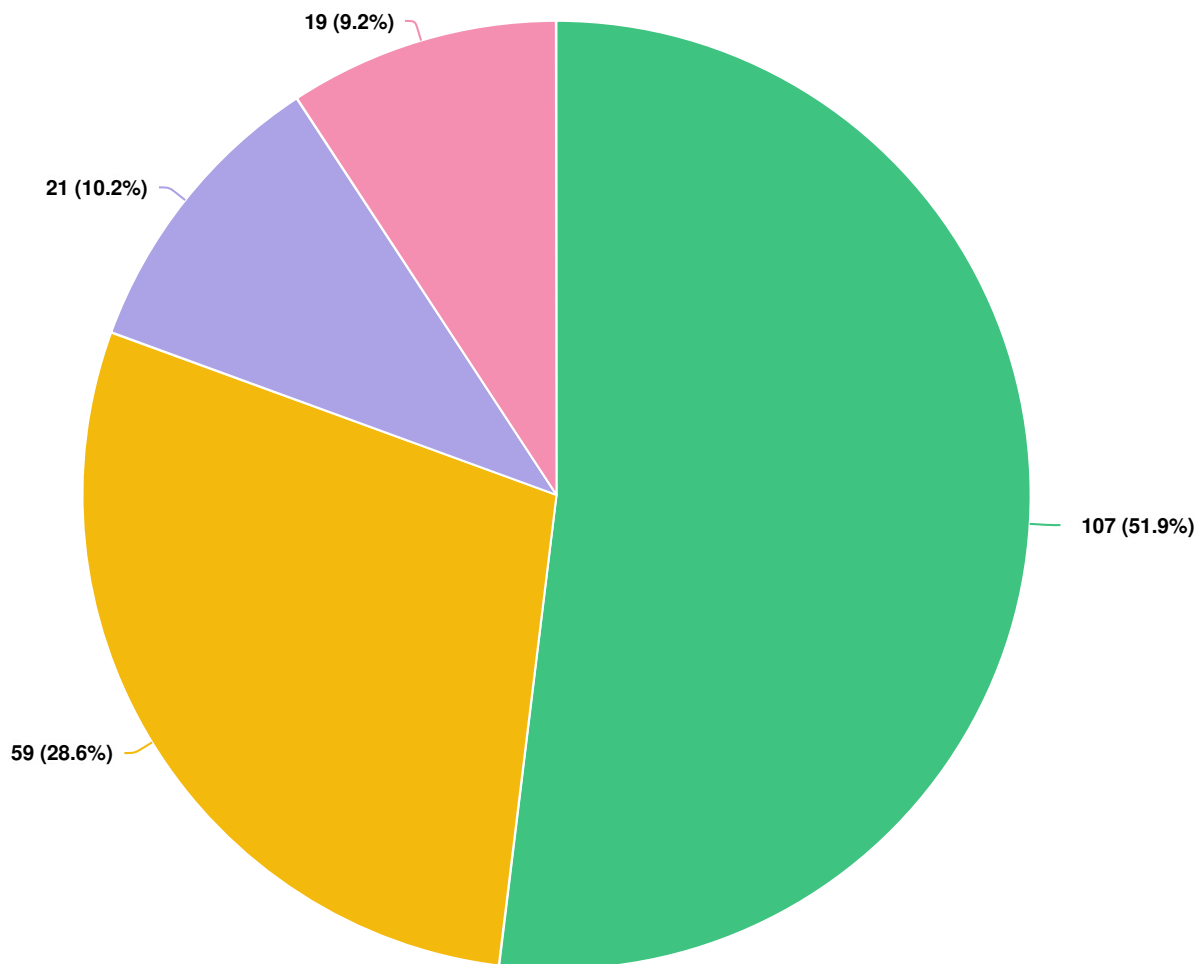


Question options

- Fees are too high, taxes should increase to reduce user fees
- User fees are about right
- Taxes are too high, fees should be increased to reduce taxes
- Not sure

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Question type: Radio Button Question

Q7 | When setting the budget, the Township tries to balance taxes and service levels. How should the Township set the annual tax increase for 2025?

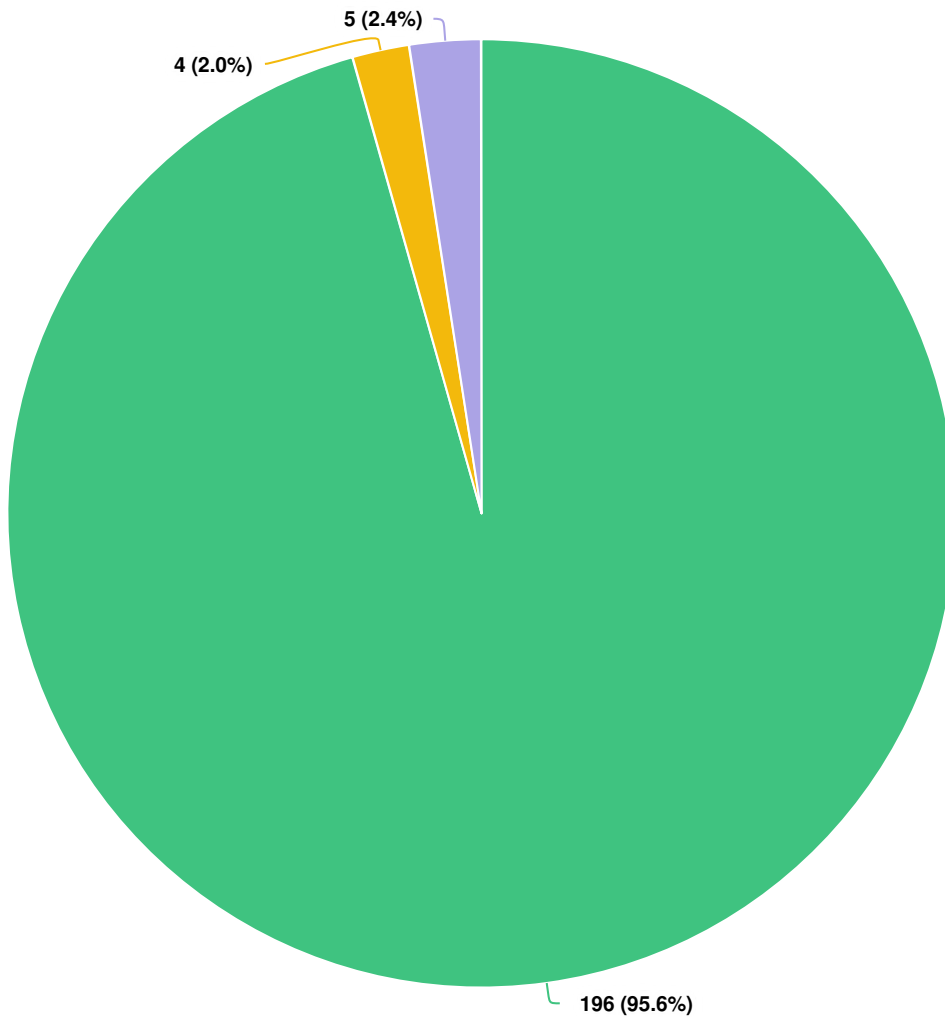


Question options

- Limit the tax rate increase, even if services decline
- Set a tax rate increase that maintains existing services
- Increase taxes to provide more or improved services
- Not sure

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Question type: Radio Button Question

Q8 Which of the following statements describes your relationship to the Township of Woolwich



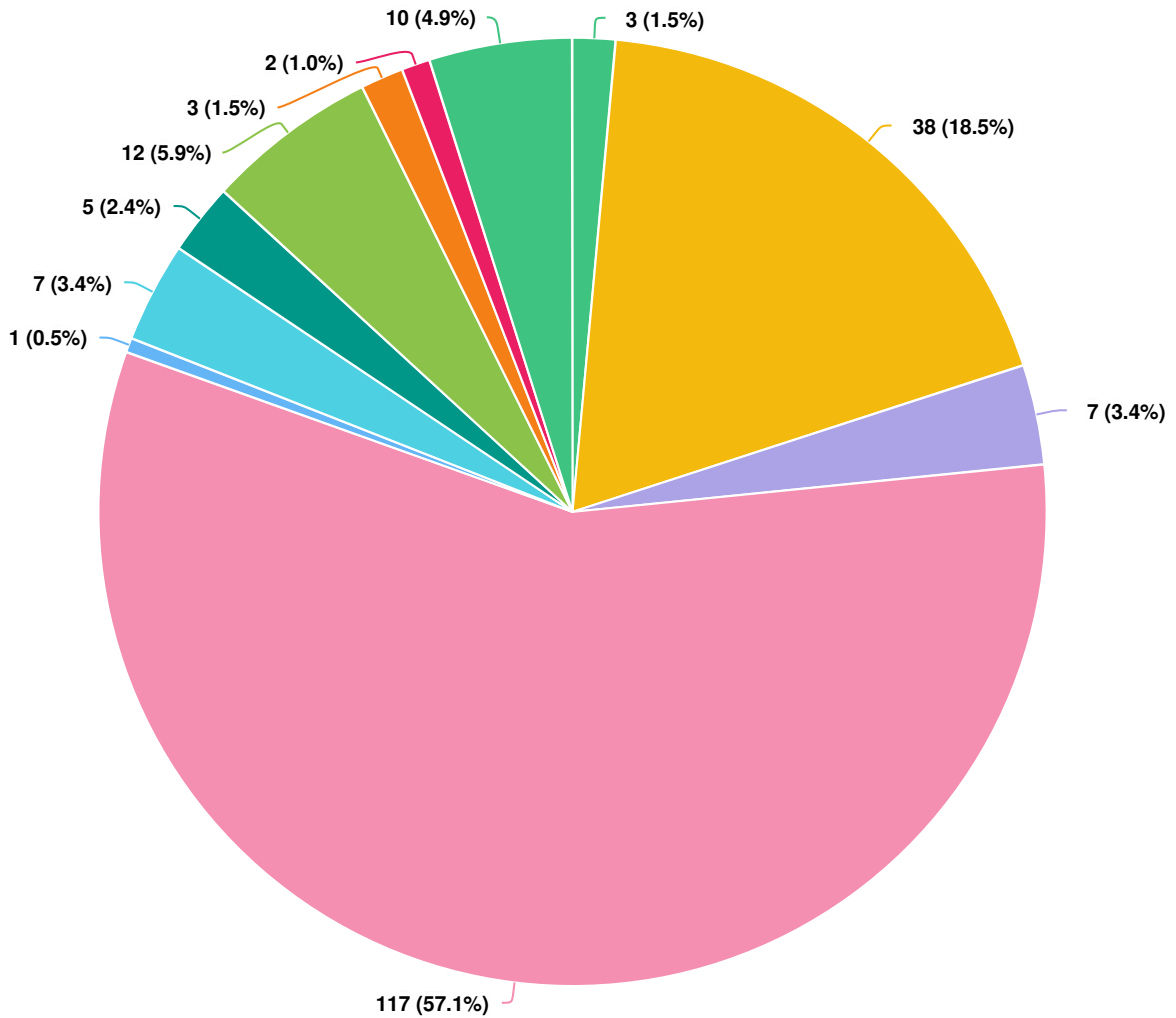
Question options

- Resident
- Operate a business
- Live nearby and use municipal services (e.g. recreation facilities)

Optional question (205 response(s), 2 skipped)

Question type: Radio Button Question

Q9 Which Settlement do you live in?

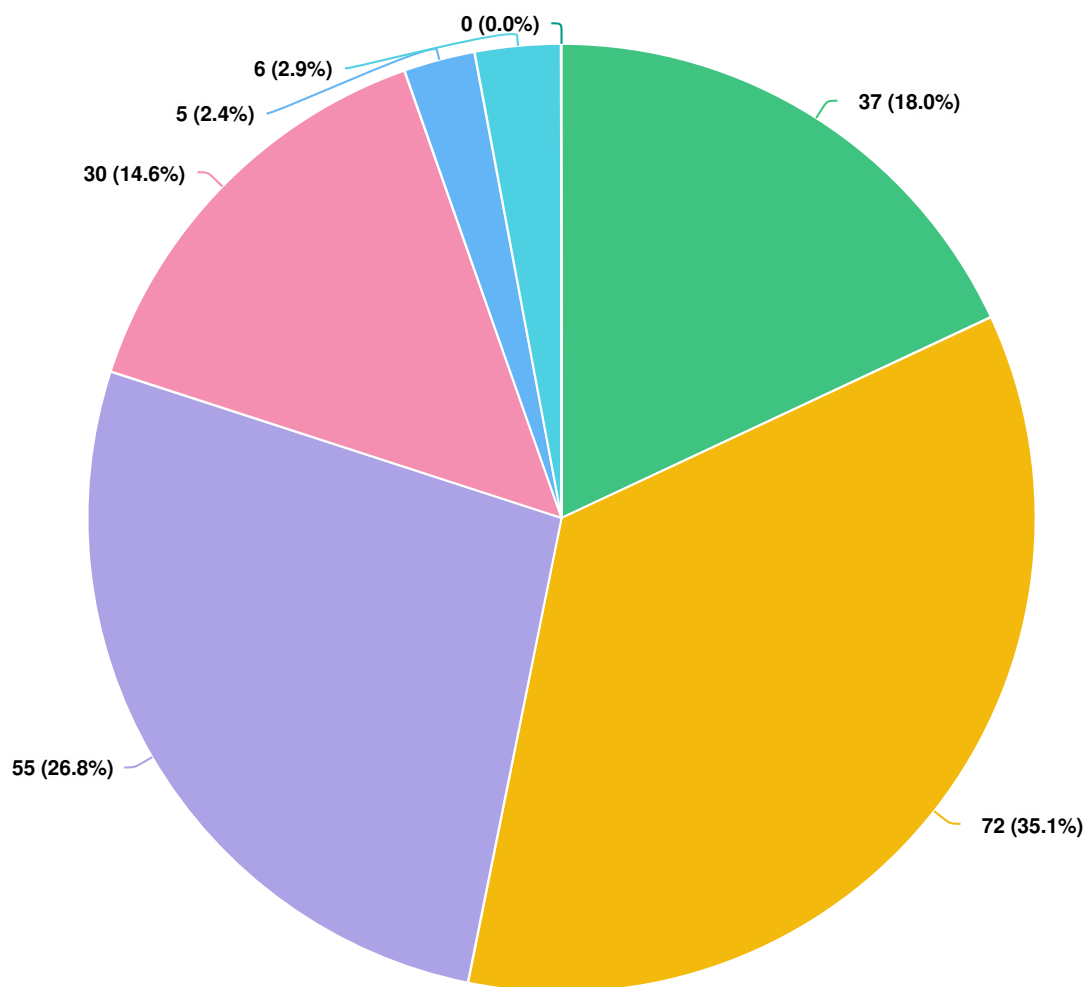


Question options

- Bloomingdale
- Breslau
- Conestogo
- Elmira
- Floradale
- Heidelberg
- Maryhill
- St. Jacobs
- West Montrose
- Winterbourne
- Rural or other settlement

Optional question (205 response(s), 2 skipped)
Question type: Radio Button Question

Q10 | The Township provides programs and services to all ages. Please indicate your age range.



Question options

- 19-34 years of age
- 35-49 years of age
- 50-64 years of age
- 65-79 years of age
- 80+ years of age
- Prefer not to say
- Under 18 years of age

Optional question (205 response(s), 2 skipped)
Question type: Radio Button Question