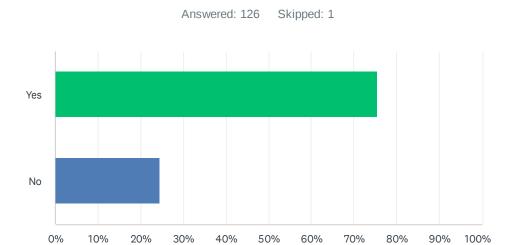
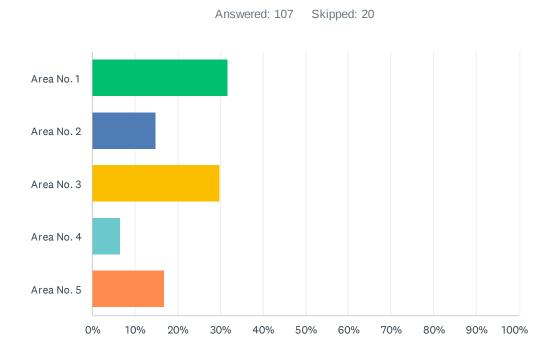
Q1 Are you currently a resident in the Township?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	75.40%	95
No	24.60%	31
TOTAL		126

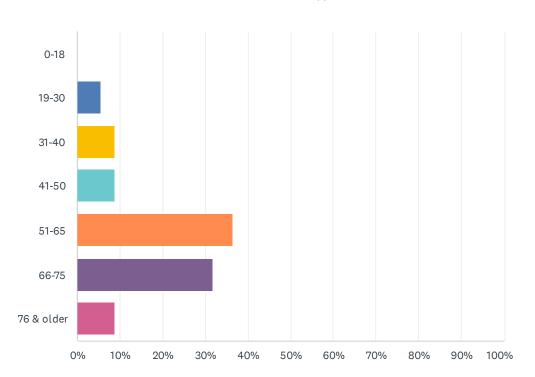
Q2 Which part of the Township do you reside? (circle one – see map)



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Area No. 1	31.78% 34
Area No. 2	14.95%
Area No. 3	29.91% 32
Area No. 4	6.54%
Area No. 5	16.82%
TOTAL	107

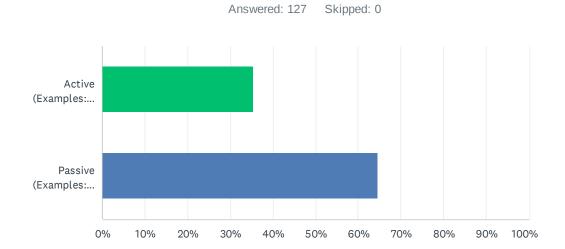
Q3 Please identify your age group.

Answered: 126 Skipped: 1



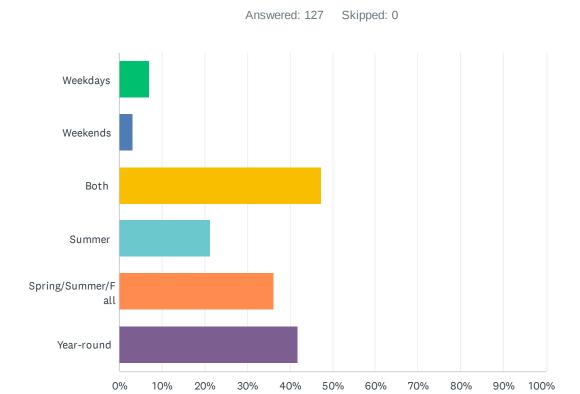
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
0-18	0.00%	0
19-30	5.56%	7
31-40	8.73%	11
41-50	8.73%	11
51-65	36.51%	46
66-75	31.75%	40
76 & older	8.73%	11
TOTAL		126

Q4 Are your primary recreational activities passive or active?



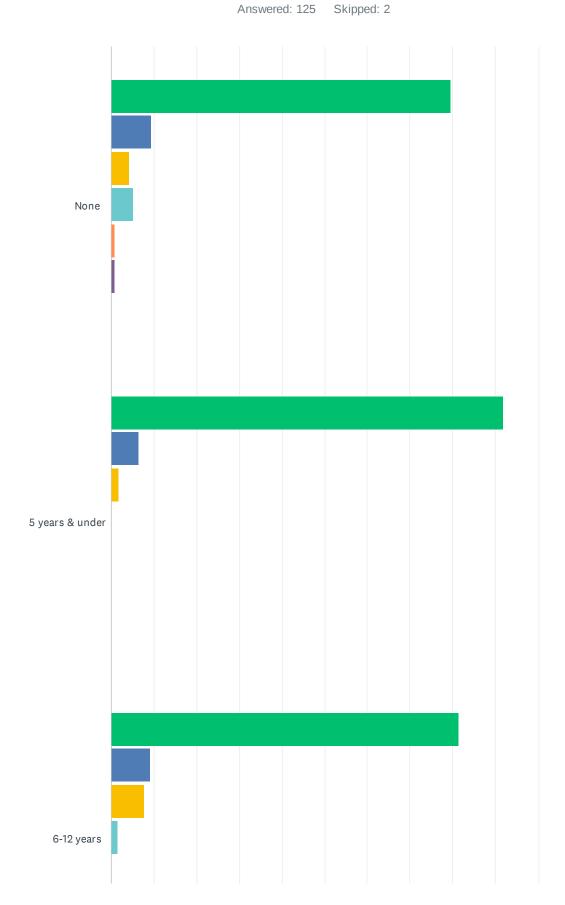
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Active (Examples: Running, Bicycling, swimming, pickleball)	35.43%	45
Passive (Examples: Walking, picnicking, nature/bird watching)	64.57%	82
TOTAL		127

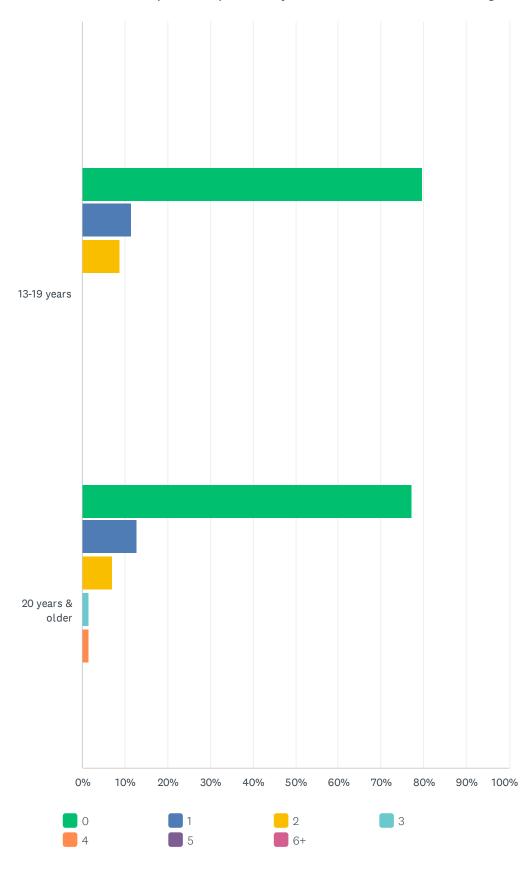
Q5 Generally, when would you use recreational facilities? (Please pick 1 time of week & 1 season)



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Weekdays	7.09%	9
Weekends	3.15%	4
Both	47.24%	60
Summer	21.26%	27
Spring/Summer/Fall	36.22%	46
Year-round	41.73%	53
Total Respondents: 127		

Q6 How many children, by age, currently live in your household?

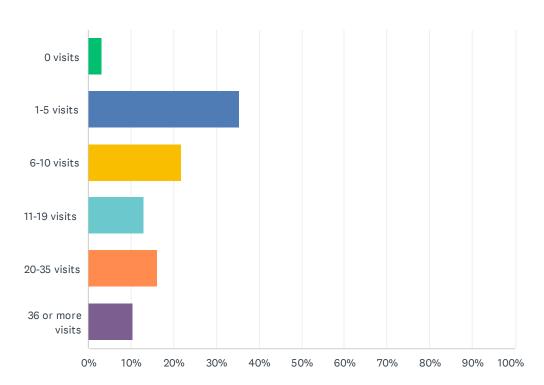




	0	1	2	3	4	5	6+	TOTAL
None	79.49%	9.40%	4.27%	5.13%	0.85%	0.85%	0.00%	
	93	11	5	6	1	1	0	117
5 years & under	91.94%	6.45%	1.61%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
	57	4	1	0	0	0	0	62
6-12 years	81.54%	9.23%	7.69%	1.54%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
	53	6	5	1	0	0	0	65
13-19 years	79.71%	11.59%	8.70%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
	55	8	6	0	0	0	0	69
20 years & older	77.14%	12.86%	7.14%	1.43%	1.43%	0.00%	0.00%	
	54	9	5	1	1	0	0	70

Q7 How often have you visited the various parks/facilities in the City in the past 12 months?

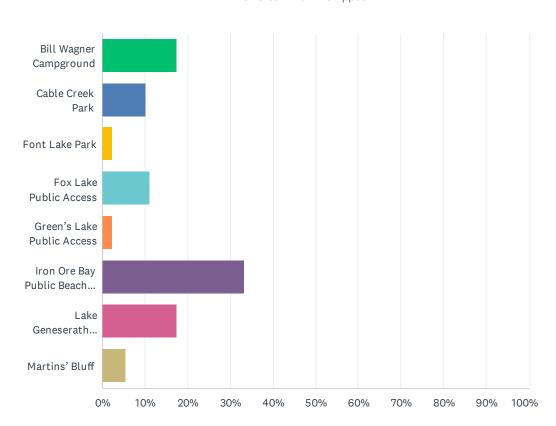




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
0 visits	3.23%	4
1-5 visits	35.48%	44
6-10 visits	21.77%	27
11-19 visits	12.90%	16
20-35 visits	16.13%	20
36 or more visits	10.48%	13
TOTAL	1	124

Q8 In order of 1st highest use, which park/facility did you attend the most?

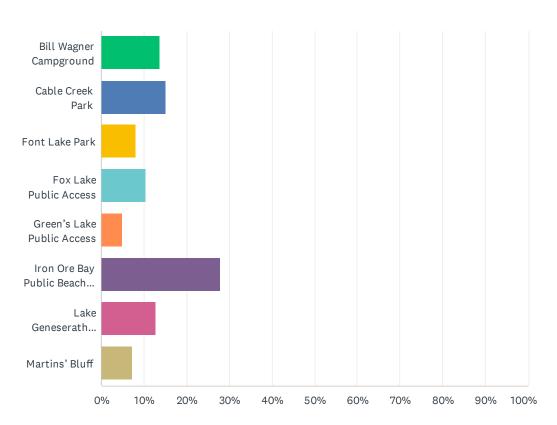
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Bill Wagner Campground	17.46%	22
Cable Creek Park	10.32%	13
Font Lake Park	2.38%	3
Fox Lake Public Access	11.11%	14
Green's Lake Public Access	2.38%	3
Iron Ore Bay Public Beach Access	33.33%	42
Lake Geneserath Public Access	17.46%	22
Martins' Bluff	5.56%	7
TOTAL		126

Q9 In order of 2nd highest use, which park/facility did you attend the 2nd most?

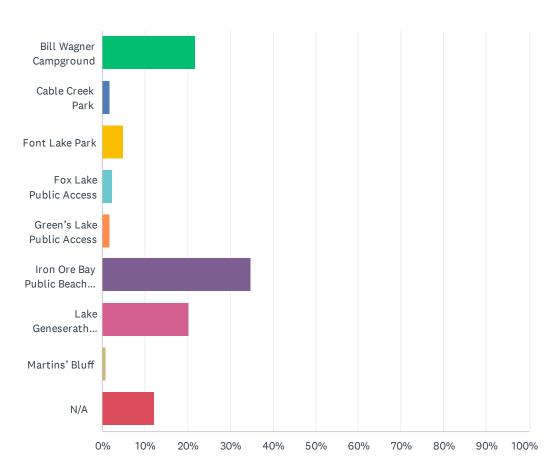




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Bill Wagner Campground	13.60%	17
Cable Creek Park	15.20%	19
Font Lake Park	8.00%	10
Fox Lake Public Access	10.40%	13
Green's Lake Public Access	4.80%	6
Iron Ore Bay Public Beach Access	28.00%	35
Lake Geneserath Public Access	12.80%	16
Martins' Bluff	7.20%	9
TOTAL		125

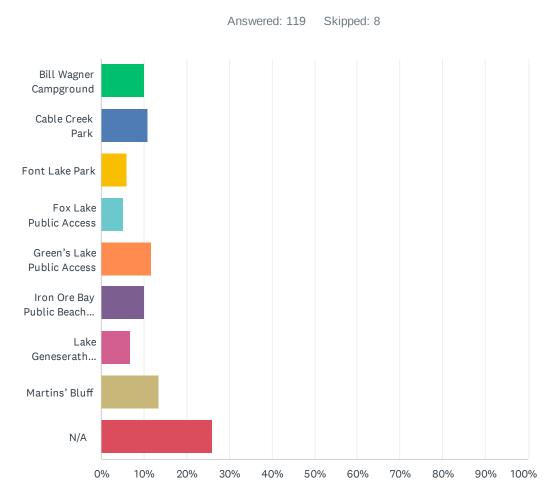
Q10 Based on your observations, which park/facility is the best utilized to its fullest potential?





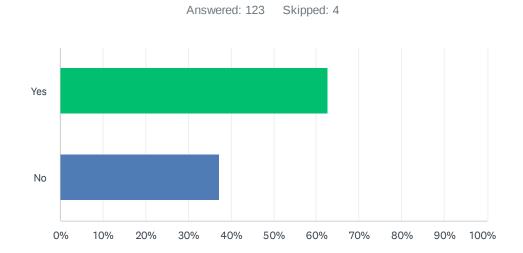
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Bill Wagner Campground	21.77%	27
Cable Creek Park	1.61%	2
Font Lake Park	4.84%	6
Fox Lake Public Access	2.42%	3
Green's Lake Public Access	1.61%	2
Iron Ore Bay Public Beach Access	34.68%	43
Lake Geneserath Public Access	20.16%	25
Martins' Bluff	0.81%	1
N/A	12.10%	15
TOTAL	1	.24

Q11 Based on your observations, which park/facility is the most underutilized and falling short of its potential?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Bill Wagner Campground	10.08%	12
Cable Creek Park	10.92%	13
Font Lake Park	5.88%	7
Fox Lake Public Access	5.04%	6
Green's Lake Public Access	11.76%	14
Iron Ore Bay Public Beach Access	10.08%	12
Lake Geneserath Public Access	6.72%	8
Martins' Bluff	13.45%	16
N/A	26.05%	31
TOTAL		119

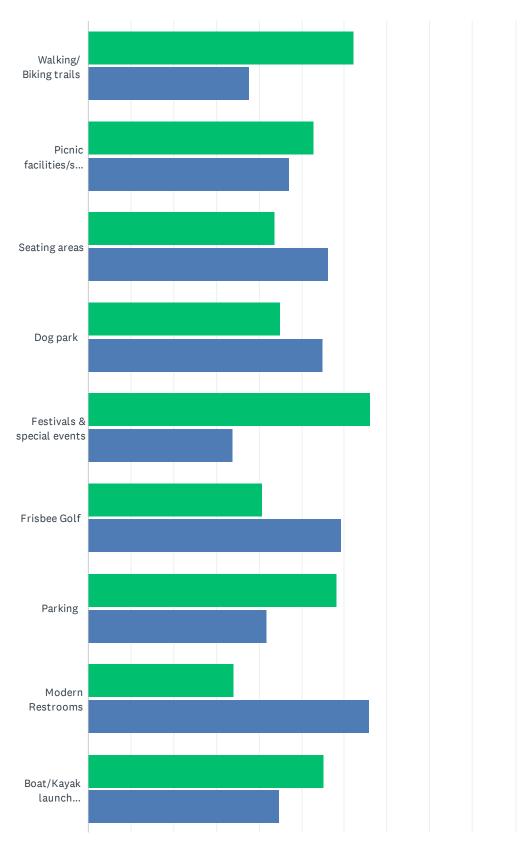
Q12 Do you feel that there are adequate park facilities that you can walk or bicycle to, and not drive?

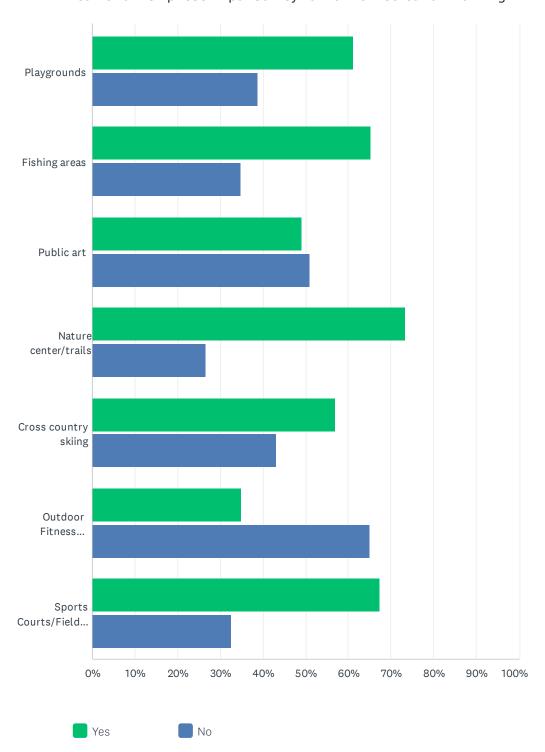


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	62.60%	77
No	37.40%	46
TOTAL		123

Q13 Do you believe the communities needs are being met with these facilities?







	YES	NO	TOTAL
Walking/ Biking trails	62.30% 76	37.70% 46	122
Picnic facilities/shelters	52.94% 63	47.06% 56	119
Seating areas	43.70% 52	56.30% 67	119
Dog park	45.05% 50	54.95% 61	111
Festivals & special events	66.09% 76	33.91% 39	115
Frisbee Golf	40.78% 42	59.22% 61	103
Parking	58.12% 68	41.88% 49	117
Modern Restrooms	34.17% 41	65.83% 79	120
Boat/Kayak launch facilities	55.17% 64	44.83% 52	116
Playgrounds	61.26% 68	38.74% 43	111
Fishing areas	65.18% 73	34.82% 39	112
Public art	49.09% 54	50.91% 56	110
Nature center/trails	73.28% 85	26.72% 31	116
Cross country skiing	57.01% 61	42.99% 46	107
Outdoor Fitness stations	34.95% 36	65.05% 67	103
Sports Courts/Fields (Tennis, baseball, soccer, basketball, etc.)	67.27% 74	32.73% 36	110

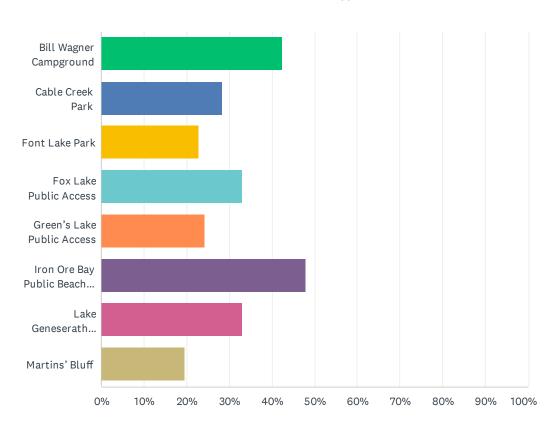
#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Need options for boat launching, at minimum need Wagner ramp in, shame to have that beautiful lake and only one crowded launch site on north end	8/29/2023 11:35 AM
2	More ORV trails. Not DNR trails made into walking paths.	8/22/2023 12:27 PM
3	Handicap mats to beach access	8/22/2023 8:53 AM
4	There is no need for a dog park or disc golf. Another township waste of resources. Stop destroying mother nature. This isn't suburbia!	8/22/2023 4:41 AM
5	Need trails for motorized bikes, atv	8/21/2023 11:22 PM
6	Pickleball	8/21/2023 10:44 PM
7	more mtn bike trails	8/10/2023 11:21 AM
8	Dark Sky Areas	8/10/2023 11:05 AM
9	Lack of a fitness center for year round residents. The roads aren't plowed when the public can	8/10/2023 9:00 AM

use the school. Hours are too limited at the school.

10	Dark Sky Viewing areas	8/10/2023 8:40 AM
11	please restore boat launch at wagner campground	8/9/2023 9:02 AM
12	Campsites on inland lakes	8/8/2023 2:27 PM
13	The township still needs to improve parking and access	8/6/2023 8:23 PM

Q14 Please check the three priority parks facilities that you would like to see improved? (Check no more than 3)

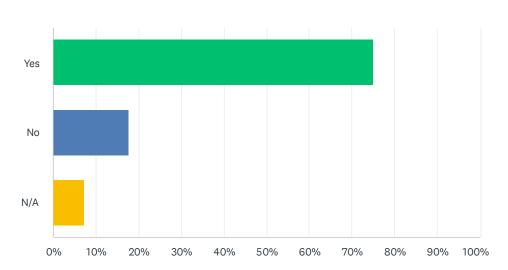




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Bill Wagner Campground	42.52%	54
Cable Creek Park	28.35%	36
Font Lake Park	22.83%	29
Fox Lake Public Access	33.07%	42
Green's Lake Public Access	24.41%	31
Iron Ore Bay Public Beach Access	48.03%	61
Lake Geneserath Public Access	33.07%	42
Martins' Bluff	19.69%	25
Total Respondents: 127		

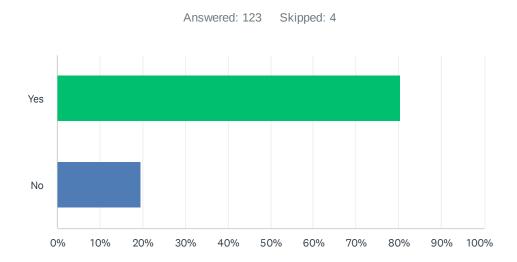
Q15 Do you believe the Township has adequate park acreage to meet community needs?





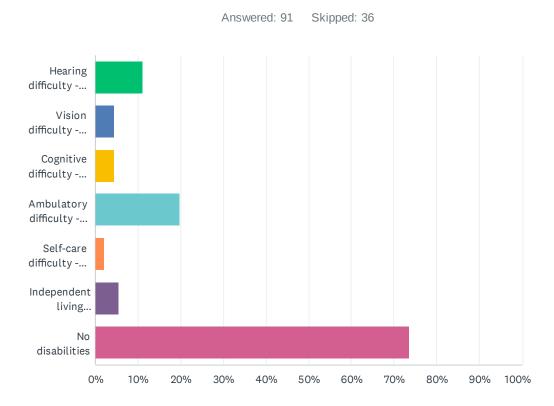
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	75.00%	93
No	17.74%	22
N/A	7.26%	9
TOTAL		124

Q16 Do you believe the Township should pursue acquisition, lease agreements and/or conservation easements to preserve and protect areas and natural resources?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	80.49%	99
No	19.51%	24
TOTAL		123

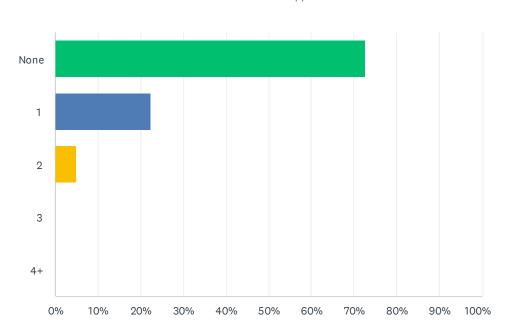
Q17 Do you or members of your family have one or more of the following disabilities that may limit your use of recreational facilities? (Check all that apply).



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPON	ISES
Hearing difficulty - deaf or having serious difficulty hearing (DEAR).	10.99%	10
Vision difficulty - blind or having serious difficulty seeing, even when wearing glasses (DEYE).	4.40%	4
Cognitive difficulty - because of a physical, mental, or emotional problem, having difficulty remembering, concentrating, or making decisions (DREM).	4.40%	4
Ambulatory difficulty - Having serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs (DPHY).	19.78%	18
Self-care difficulty - Having difficulty bathing or dressing (DDRS).	2.20%	2
Independent living difficulty - because of a physical, mental, or emotional problem, having difficulty doing errands alone such as visiting a doctor's office or shopping (DOUT).	5.49%	5
No disabilities	73.63%	67
Total Respondents: 91		

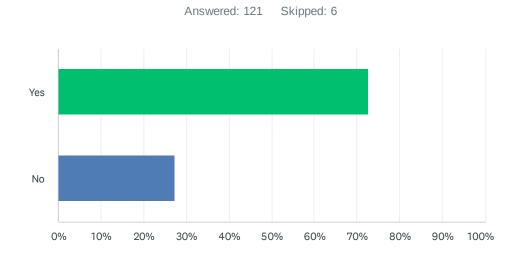
Q18 How many members of your household have some form of disability





ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None	72.73%	88
1	22.31%	27
2	4.96%	6
3	0.00%	0
4+	0.00%	0
TOTAL		121

Q19 Does the Township need to focus on the development of a non-motorized path system?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	72.73%	88
No	27.27%	33
TOTAL		121

Q20 List your Top 3 priorities in park & recreation outdoor improvements or areas of need:

Answered: 89 Skipped: 38

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Better playgrounds for the kids Better basketball courts Tennis ball machine for courts	8/30/2023 8:43 AM
2	Non motorized path is nice but road dust control or the lack of is a huge issue, safety concern as well	8/29/2023 11:35 AM
3	We would LOVE and I think many others would love to see dedicated bike pathswe bought combo pedal/electric bikes to ride so we could enjoy the beautiful outdoors and not rely on our vehicle and trying to get from our location to anywhere is so incredibly bumpywe bought our bikes to be able to travel throughout the island but it's so jarring that's it's impossible. Please add a plan for bike paths! Plus it's so much safer than riding on the roads. I think vacationers could love it too!	8/24/2023 5:31 PM
4	More no orv signs, orv education, limit orv numbers on BI, two supervisor with time in the summer	8/23/2023 8:42 AM
5	Boat ramp Wagner Campground!!! Shower area Wagner campground	8/22/2023 3:56 PM
6	Fishing peir at Fox lake. More picnic areas at Cable Creek along with restrooms. More parking at Cable Creek	8/22/2023 3:50 PM
7	1.) trails for walking/biking/hiking (Kuebler Trail, Buffalo's Camp Trail) 2.) access to existing state land (Bonner's Landing, South Greenes' Bay, McFadden's Point, French Bay) 3.) maintain charm and uniqueness of Beaver Island - don't become "too mainland".	8/22/2023 3:36 PM
8	bike/walk pathways mountain bike trail improved restrooms	8/22/2023 3:04 PM
9	Mountain bike trail! Bike repair kiosk Tables at Iron Ore Beach	8/22/2023 12:38 PM
10	More ORV trails	8/22/2023 12:27 PM
11	Handicap accessible	8/22/2023 11:45 AM
12	Font lake observation Deck is a total joke. Shouldn't be a sign until you can actually observe the lake	8/22/2023 11:09 AM
13	1. Maintaining trails 2. availability of bathrooms 3. Improved bathrooms/consider shower facilities at Wagner	8/22/2023 10:38 AM
14	Public restrooms in town on beach and some type of bathroom at Iron Ore Bay	8/22/2023 10:21 AM
15	Fix the beach stairs at the south end lighthouse. It's a disgrace that this beautiful beach is not accessible.	8/22/2023 10:15 AM
16	Get the bikes and e-bikes off of kings highway before some gets splattered.	8/22/2023 10:12 AM
17	Bike path Making improvements without compromising the simplicity and natural beauty of these sites Cross country ski grooming	8/22/2023 9:58 AM
18	More seating, more trails, more camping areas.	8/22/2023 9:41 AM
19	Improve the marina with st James. Boaters spend money. Wagner campground should stay as is since it is barely used.	8/22/2023 9:37 AM
20	Maintain current trails Provide trail maps and improve trail signage Maybe a small boat, kayak launch at S End	8/22/2023 9:19 AM
21	The biggest concern is the sudden influx of ORV issues on the beach as well as ripping down roads such as Hannigan and Fox lake . Major signage and possibly adding into the mix, while on the boat having an announcement about the ORV protocol. There are going to be major	8/22/2023 9:09 AM

	confrontations over this issue. 2nd, removing the so-called art from Little Sand bay. Not sure how this was allowed. I love this Island and for the past 50+ years The ORV issue is #1 in my opinion, we need to get a grip on this. I also think the M-live person was a mistake.	
22	The snakes need to be gotten under control. They are ruining the enjoyment of the entire island because they are so aggressive.	8/22/2023 8:56 AM
23	Handicap access (beach mats to water) More restrooms More seating benches along pathway for resting	8/22/2023 8:53 AM
24	Non-motorized safety, appropriate facilities, habitat protection.	8/22/2023 8:50 AM
25	Improve trail system, loops, signage and conditions Designated ORV trails Better trail maps	8/22/2023 8:37 AM
26	Bike/walking path beside East side drive, repair or replace steps to beach from Martins Bluff, improve parking at Lake Geneserath	8/22/2023 7:41 AM
27	Disability access to beaches Another campground with modern facilities If ORV's are here to stay, give them an off road trail. But I'd rather not have them here at all.	8/22/2023 7:31 AM
28	Thank you for asking about disability access! The townships are both doing such a fantastic job of keeping the island "wild" and yet giving residents the opportunity to get outside and have fun, or just be active.	8/22/2023 5:55 AM
29	Preserve nature. Stop development. People live and come here for natural beauty, not manmade dog parks and disc golf. Also, the wording of the questions is somewhat biased toward development and "improvement". There is n option for not needed on question 14. An answer must be given even if one does not believe that ANY improvement needs to be made.	8/22/2023 4:41 AM
30	Bathroom, parking and trails	8/21/2023 11:30 PM
31	Need better trail maps printed and available at all trail sites.	8/21/2023 11:29 PM
32	1. Increased access for elderly and limited mobility persons. 2. Increased trail systems for motorized vehicles (ebikes, ATV (low impact use)) 3. Improvements focused on residents use.	8/21/2023 11:22 PM
33	Safer walking, biking around the island	8/21/2023 11:06 PM
34	More paved walking paths	8/21/2023 10:51 PM
35	Restroom areas Signage	8/21/2023 10:44 PM
36	Restrooms Shelters Parking	8/21/2023 10:40 PM
37	Bathroom facilities do need to be improved upon at many of the parks. There are many people who would love to partake in some walking trails, but there are no benches or seats throughout the walk to help them if they need to rest along the way at some locations (I do recommend a bench every 1/4 mile). It would be good to have more parking at certain locations in the summer; however, in the winter parking was always fine. Adding some internet hub with cellphone booster at certain parks is recommended if at all possible to boost the signal. I'm sure there are more ideas, but that's all I can think of for now.	8/21/2023 10:04 PM
38	Bike path Rain shelters More camping areas	8/16/2023 2:14 PM
39	bike paths, protection of public lands, maintenance of current parks	8/14/2023 7:51 AM
40	1) People on the island including people with disabilities enjoy riding in a car through the beautiful island areas. However, due to dust and the poor quality of roads, enjoyment and safety are affected. More frequent dust control is needed as well as grading. 2) More fishing sites on land that have docks. Unless you have a boat, it's hard to fish. 3) winter rentals for snow shoes and cross cross country skiing near trails such as Kuebler's Trail, as well as insuring long term public use of those lands.	8/11/2023 10:01 PM
41	More signage regarding restrictions for ORV traffic on beaches and state land. Resident DNR OFFICER needed.	8/11/2023 5:27 PM
42	More bike/walking trails along major roads Kings Highway & East Side Dr Physical fitness stations lograde playgrounds and equipment	8/11/2023 2:49 PM
43	orvs get rid of jet skis - do not allow on inland lakes	8/10/2023 11:32 PM
44	boat launch at Bill Wagner campground	8/10/2023 8:00 PM

45	More adequate trail clearing Rest rooms, and signage.	8/10/2023 6:31 PM
46	I would love to see the road from town to Lake G improved. We tried to ride our electric bikes to town one day and blew out two tires. The road isn't great for biking, and I would love to see an electric bike charging station at Bill Wagner campground. It would also be nice to have showers/toilets at Bill Wagner.	8/10/2023 5:47 PM
47	outdoor fitness station organic community-built playgrounds childrens nature trail camps / four season	8/10/2023 4:02 PM
48	rideable bike trails, no chunks of gravel, vault toilets where there is now none	8/10/2023 4:02 PM
49	NEED BOAT LAUNCH AT WAGNER. Leave Wagner Campground as primitive. Maybe a large dog park.	8/10/2023 3:10 PM
50	Enforcement, edication	8/10/2023 11:57 AM
51	Boat launch at Bill Wagner.	8/10/2023 11:50 AM
52	non-paved, singletrack Mtn bike trails on south half of island	8/10/2023 11:21 AM
53	Allocate Dark Sky Preservation Funding Improve ALL Outdoor Lighting Create Light Pollution & Dark Sky Preservation Education Areas and Programs & Events	8/10/2023 11:05 AM
54	Boat Launch Fishing Pier Development of the Light House Property	8/10/2023 10:01 AM
55	Loop Trails ATV restrictions Trails maintenance	8/10/2023 9:51 AM
56	1. An extension of the bike path in town to some additional areas of the island would be nice. Even if it were compacted gravel vs black top. It would make riding more accessible and safer. Perhaps build out to Barney's Lake / Angeline's Bluff on the west side and down east side to little sand bay, or the golf course (a stretch would be to Lake G or the Lighthouse). 2. It would be nice to have fishing platforms at the inland lakes or a pier for fishing in Lake Michigan. A pier is a pretty big ask, fishing platforms inland would be great. 3. I'd love to see a public disc golf course.	8/10/2023 9:13 AM
57	Fitness center-year round and open day and evenings. Enforcement of recreational activities-camping, ORVs, and dune protection. Visitor information regarding access and use of parks and recreational opportunities in township.	8/10/2023 9:00 AM
58	Darksky viewing Areas Linked, looped, or destination trails Endangered species and invasive species education	8/10/2023 8:40 AM
59	ADA upgrades, parking access for people with disabilities, potable water sources.	8/9/2023 6:11 PM
60	NO improvements to wagner campground Limit use of ORV's Stop sign pollution	8/9/2023 9:02 AM
61	Full season dust control -May to September Trail maintenance Park clean up	8/9/2023 7:47 AM
62	1. Balance recreational activities with info and respect for environmentally sensitive areas. 2. Evaluate the impact of the current recreational uses/areas on the island's special places. Can any negative impacts be turned into positives? 3. The word "improvement" was concerning, but thank you for offering a questionnaire!	8/8/2023 9:45 PM
63	Extend Donegal Bay bike trail. Campsites on inland lakes. Cross country skiing.	8/8/2023 2:27 PM
64	Dog park, picnic areas/pavilions and interactive activities	8/7/2023 9:25 PM
65	Toilet and showers at Wagner. Better boat launch at Wagner. Better toilets at Iron Ore beach	8/7/2023 6:33 PM
66	Pickle ball Court sealed with asphalt. Fix stairs at south lighthouse . Keep the campground rustic please.	8/7/2023 3:10 PM
67	Keep the parks as natural as possible	8/7/2023 11:53 AM
68	Designated atv trail to keep outsiders off critical dune areas	8/7/2023 11:52 AM
69	Campground shower facilities. Safe parking space off the roadside. Preserve as much land and shoreline as possible for public use and access.	8/7/2023 8:18 AM

71	ADD a NEW park for Access to Lake Michigan beach on Greene's BAY. IMPROVED FRENCH BAY ACCESS, needs better parking and trail	8/6/2023 8:23 PM
72	Limit or eliminate ATVs. Better parking at Font Lake public access.	8/6/2023 1:56 PM
73	Playground at iron ore bay and bathroom Playground area near township airport More garbage cans on Playground areas	8/6/2023 11:15 AM
74	Bike & walking trails Updates restrooms	8/6/2023 10:15 AM
75	Bike and walking to get to parks Parking Trash removal	8/6/2023 9:20 AM
76	Bathrooms, but we need one at the baseball park!	8/6/2023 8:50 AM
77	Bike trails beside main roads for safety Toilets at the parks A dog Park	8/6/2023 8:46 AM
78	Separate motor and walking trails established. Two tracks/logging roads should not be hiking only trails so perhaps hiking trails established next to them and possibly horse trails on the other side. To keep Wagner campground rustic and not overdeveloped. Fix the Fox Lake boat launch and runoff area issue.	8/6/2023 8:25 AM
79	Boat launching! Getting bikers off the roads and on to paths	8/6/2023 7:14 AM
80	A non-motorized path system would be amazing. A few more benches and/or picnic tables at some of the areas. (ie Cables Bay, closer to the water). Making public spaces and easements accessible and known.	8/6/2023 6:47 AM
81	Trails	8/6/2023 3:35 AM
82	Pickleball, camping, parking	8/5/2023 5:27 PM
83	Stop destroying nature areas to enlarge campgrounds!	8/5/2023 5:06 PM
84	Actual stairs with landings and benches at Martin's Bluff, updated restroom/outhouses, water and electric service in Font Lake Park.	8/5/2023 2:28 PM
85	Modern restrooms. Less road dust. Fewer tourists.	8/5/2023 12:35 PM
86	Boat launch at Bill Wagner Campground at Lake Geneserath ADA modern Outhouses	8/5/2023 9:17 AM
87	Acquisition of more park areas especially in the Greenes Bay area. There will not be be enough beach front park area anywhere on the island, especially moving forward into the future. I believe overcrowding and parking will be the biggest issues as we move forward into the future. If that is not addressed the other issues will be irrelevant.	8/4/2023 7:08 AM
88	Better trail support Better signage Access to water, toilet, communication	8/4/2023 3:20 AM
89	Need boat ramp at Bill Wagner campground. Need boat and fishing dock at Fox Lake.	8/3/2023 1:35 PM