

Appendix A

Survey Results

Survey Respondents

- Who responded to the survey?
 - Kennebunkport residents older than 65 were polled
 - 435 residents responded, of whom 335 were full time residents, eligible to be counted in the 2010 census

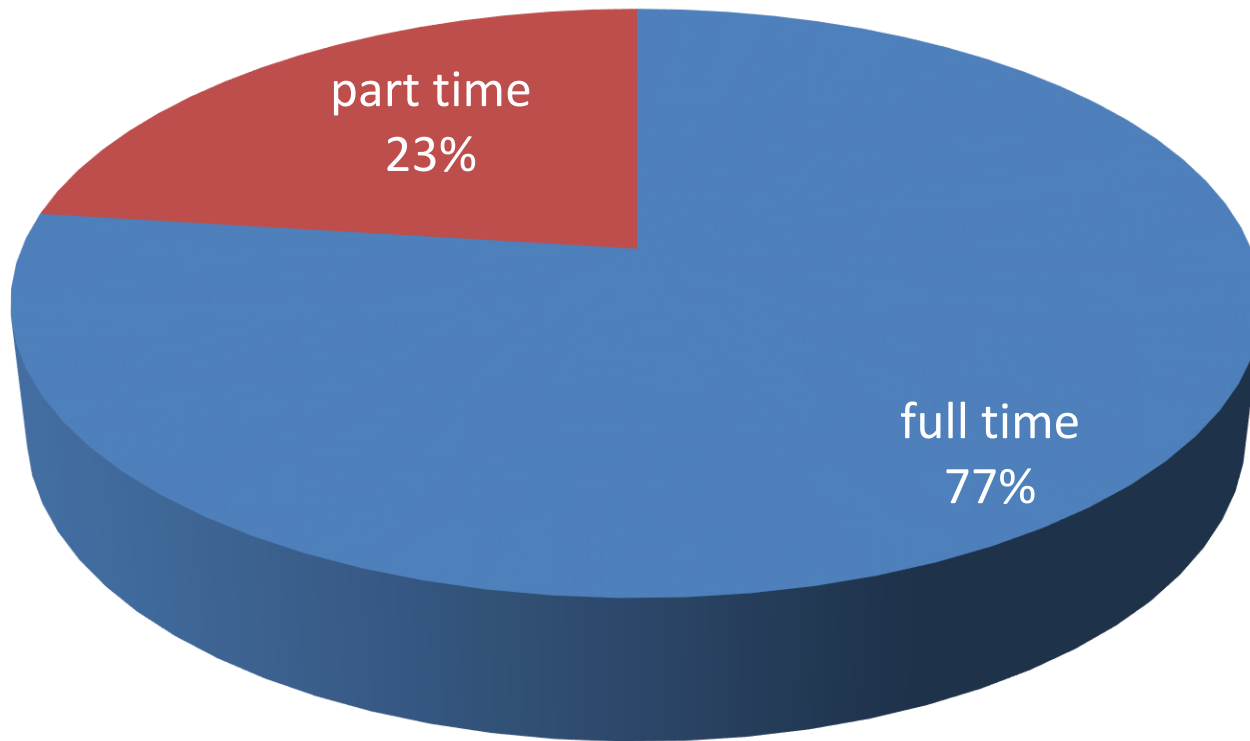
About You

Survey Questions

1. **Are you a full time resident of Kennebunkport?** ☐ yes ☐ no
 2. **How many years have you lived here?** ☐ 0-5 ☐ 6-20
☐ 21+ ☐ all my life
 3. **How do you identify yourself?** ☐ female ☐ male
☐ other _____
 4. **What is your age?** ☐ 65-74 ☐ 75-84 ☐ 85+
 5. **Which zone do you live in?** ☐ Village Residential (all)
☐ Dock Square ☐ Riverfront ☐ Cape Arundel
☐ Cape Porpoise (all) ☐ Goose Rocks ☐ Free Enterprise
☐ Farm and Forest ☐ Don't know, please list street
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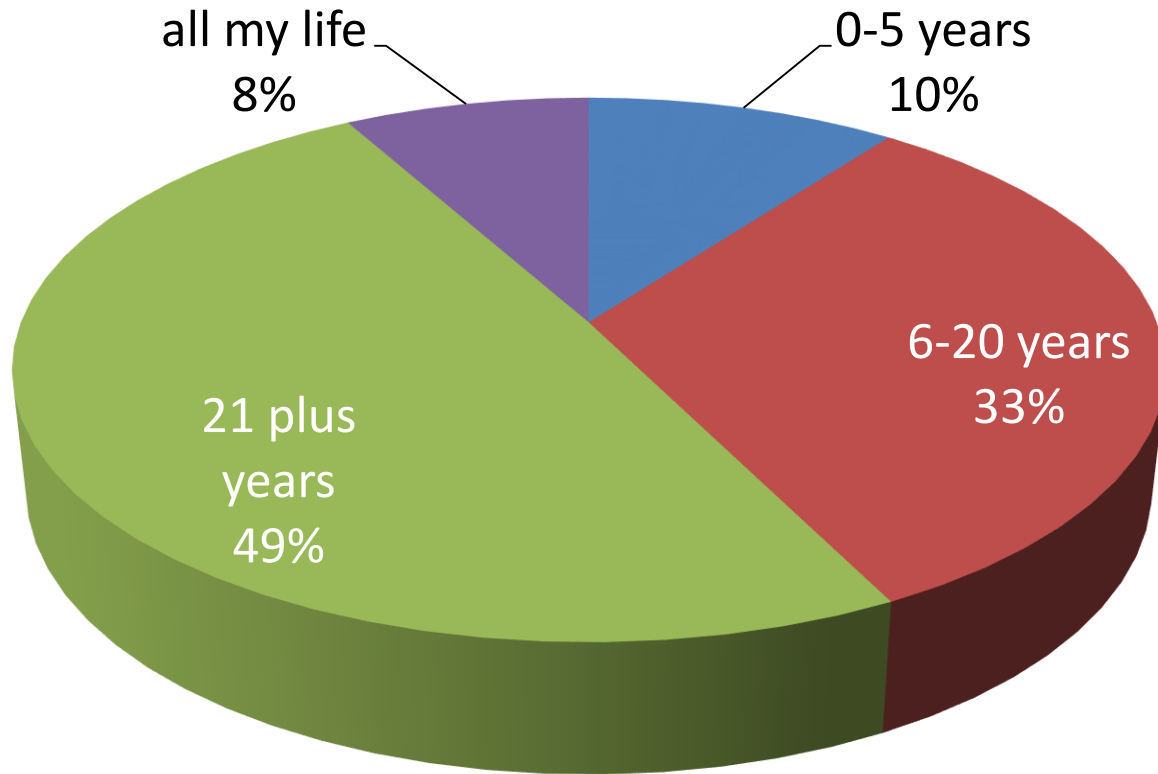
About You

- Are you a full time resident?



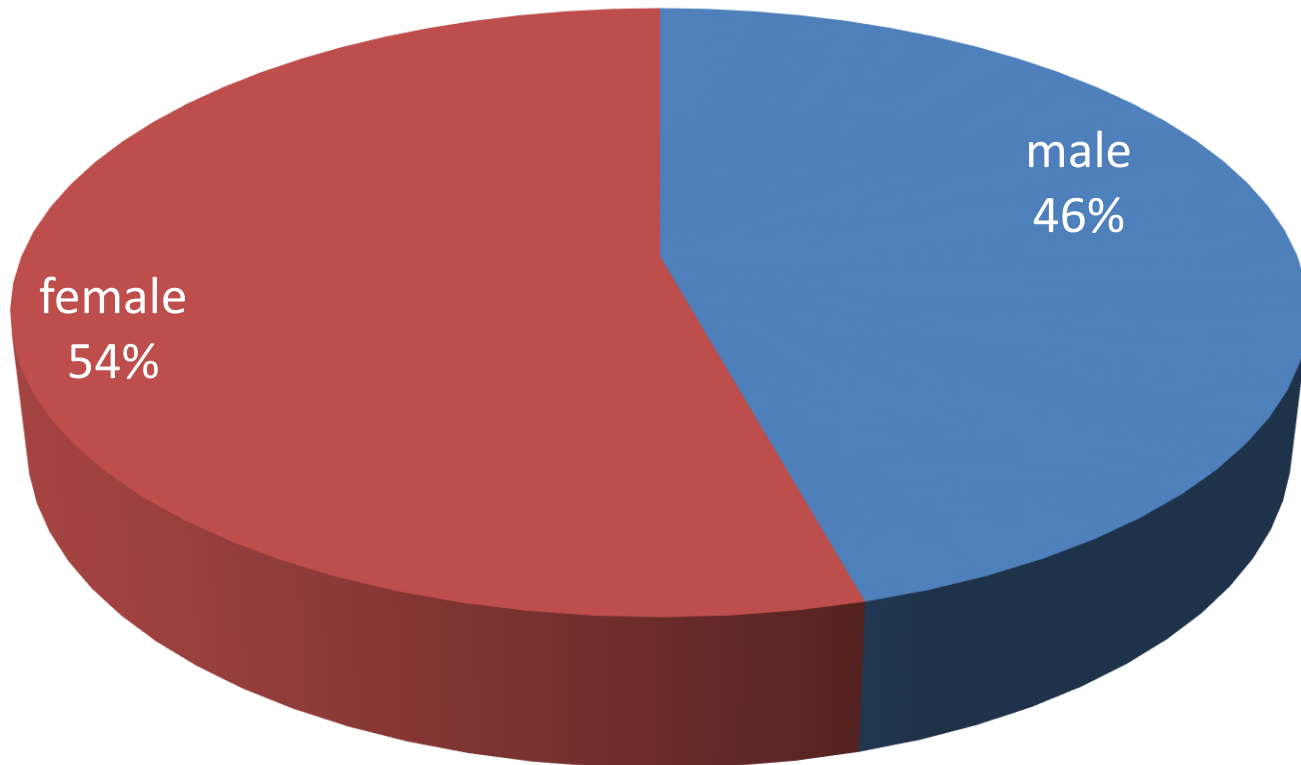
About You

- How many years have you lived here?



About You

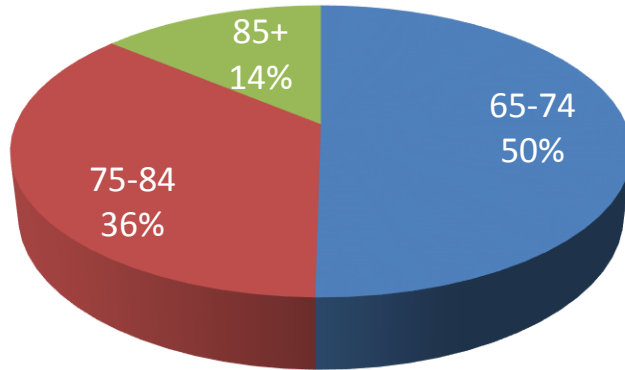
- How do you identify yourself?



Comparison with 2010, 2015 data

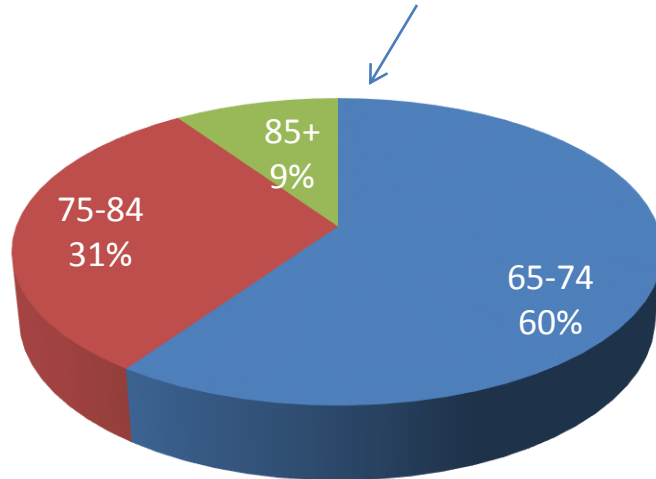
- How does the response compare to 2010 Federal Census Data?
 - An excellent rate of return was achieved ~33%
 - In 2010 Census 857 residents were older than 65
 - When 2010 Census data was updated by deaths and brought forward to 2015, 1037 were older than 65
 - Doesn't count residents who moved to assisted living, etc.

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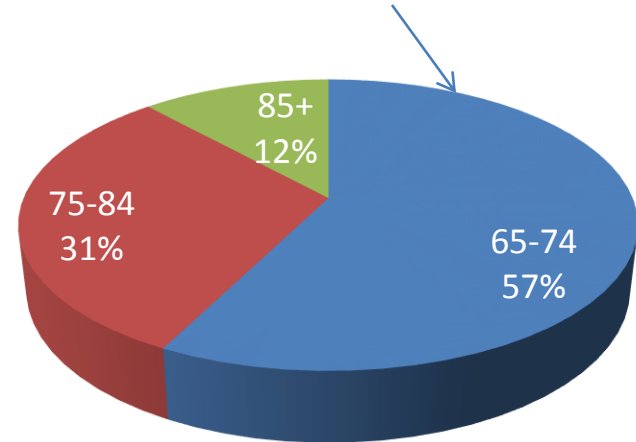


**Age from 2017 Survey
Response ~ 33%**

Town Population at 2010 Census

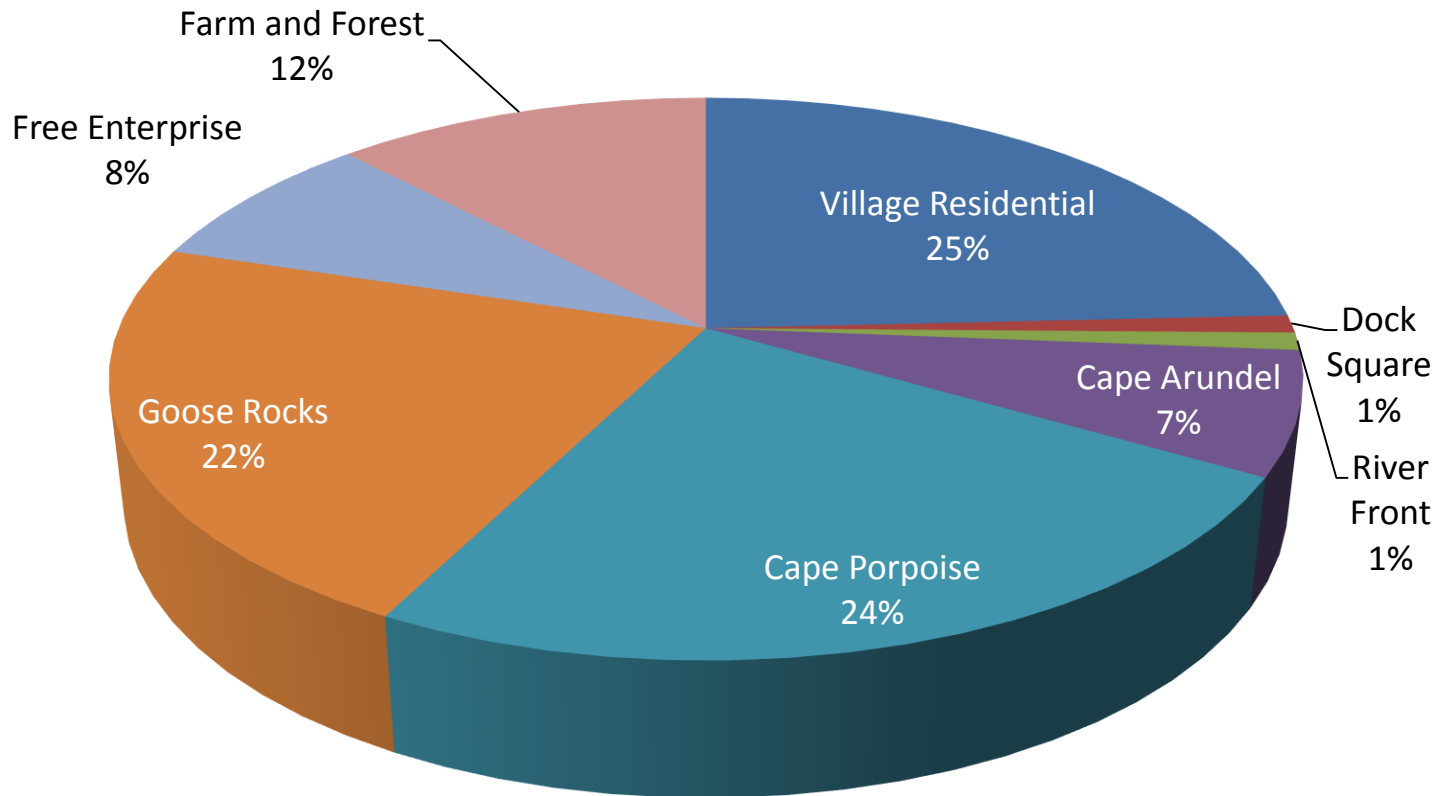


Estimate for 2015



About You

- Which zone do you live in?

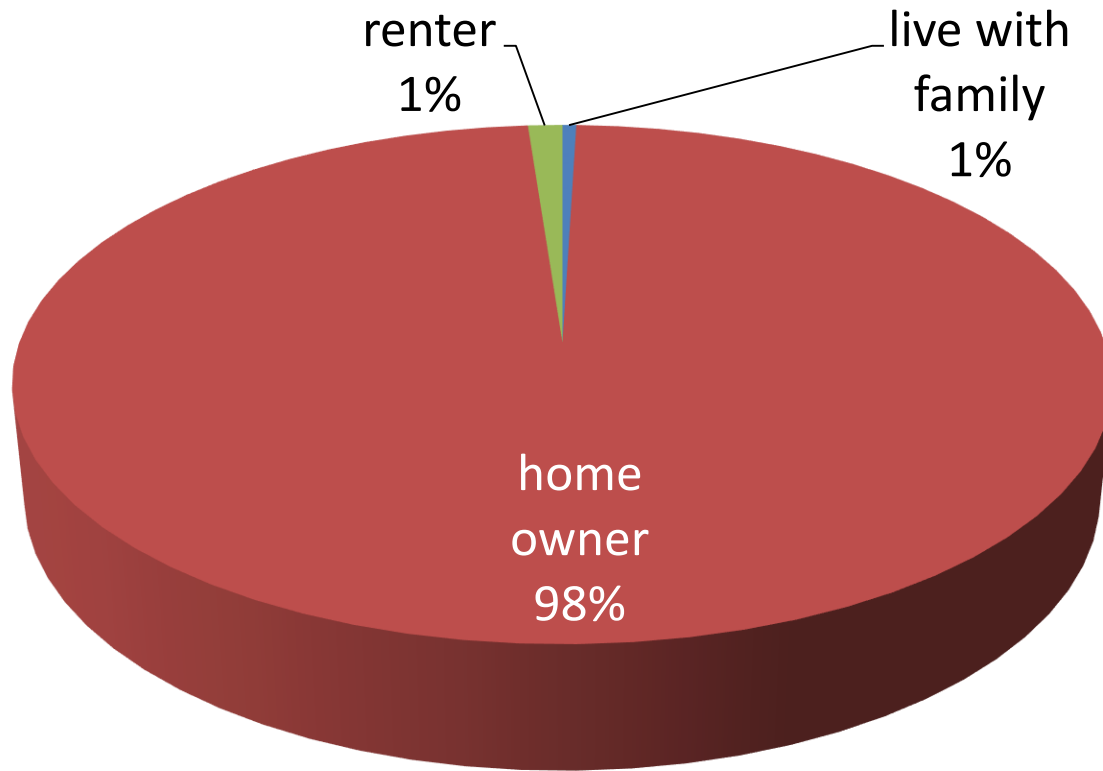


About your Housing Situation

Survey Questions

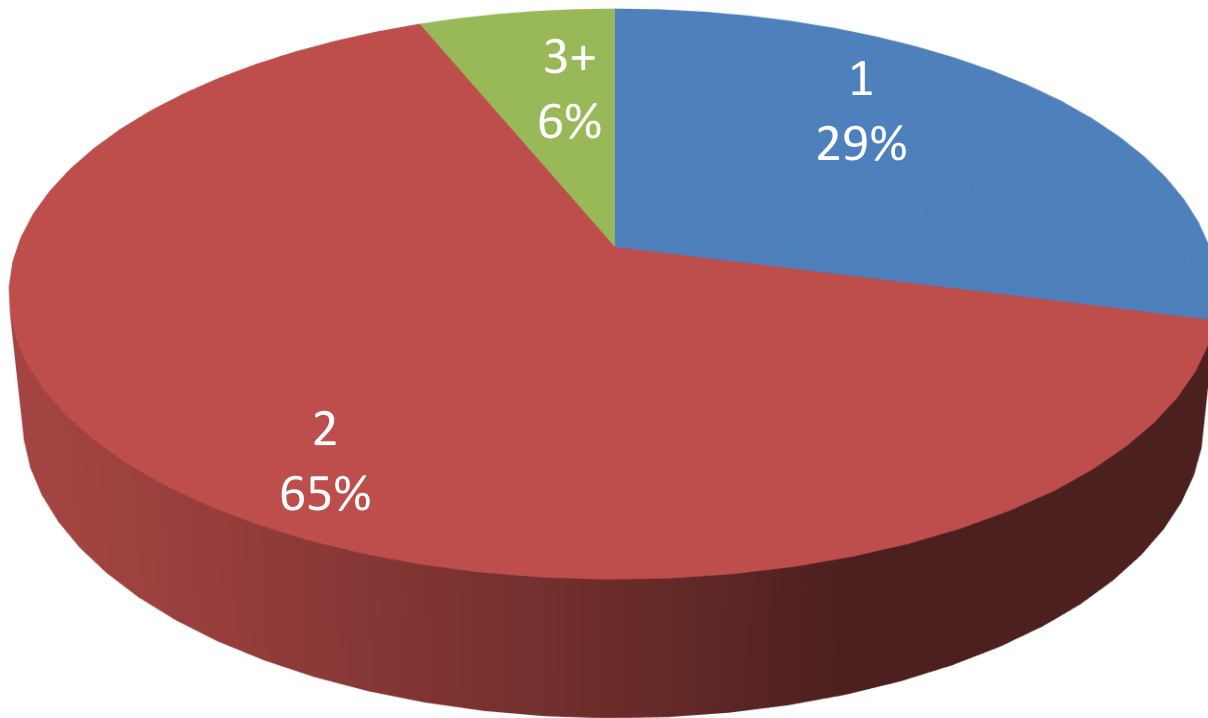
6. **Check all that apply:** ☐ homeowner ☐ renter ☐ group facility ☐ live with family
7. **How many people live in your household, including yourself?** ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3+
8. **If you do not live alone, with whom do you live?** ☐ spouse/partner ☐ younger relative(s)
☐ older relative(s) ☐ friend(s) ☐ other _____
9. **Are you able to take care of home maintenance and repairs or hire someone to do it for you?** ☐ yes ☐ no If no, check all that apply ☐ I am no longer able to do this work ☐ I don't know contractors who could provide these services ☐ I can't afford to pay for such services ☐ other _____
10. **Does your home need modifications for you to safely age in place?** ☐ yes ☐ no If so, what? _____
11. **Is your home warm and safe enough in winter?** ☐ yes ☐ no If no, please check your concern(s) ☐ paying for fuel ☐ poor insulation/drafts ☐ bringing firewood/pellets into my home ☐ loading my stove ☐ shoveling my walks/ drive ☐ other _____

About your Housing Situation



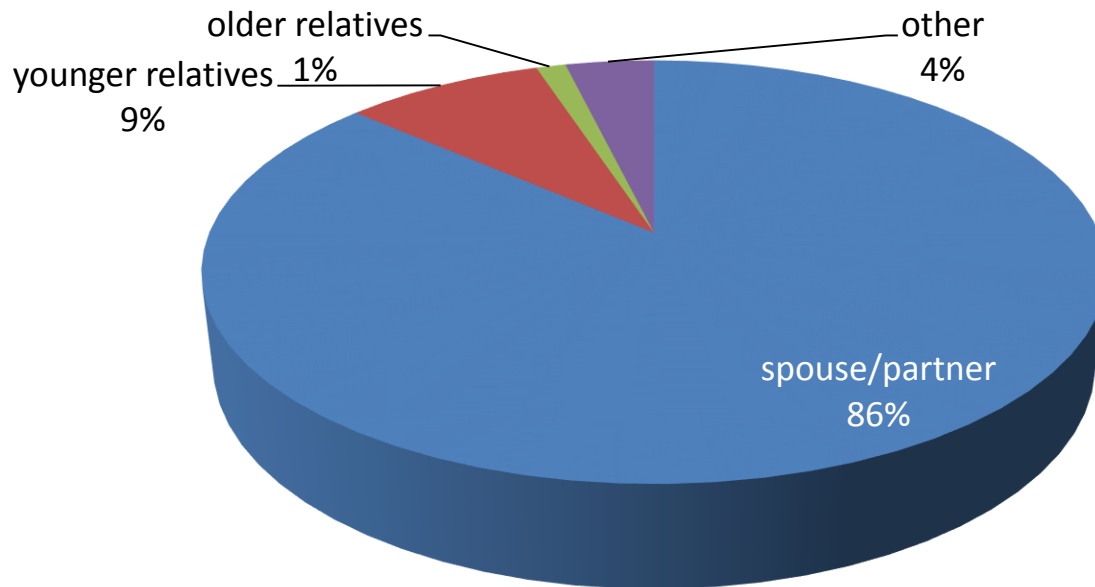
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- How many in your household?



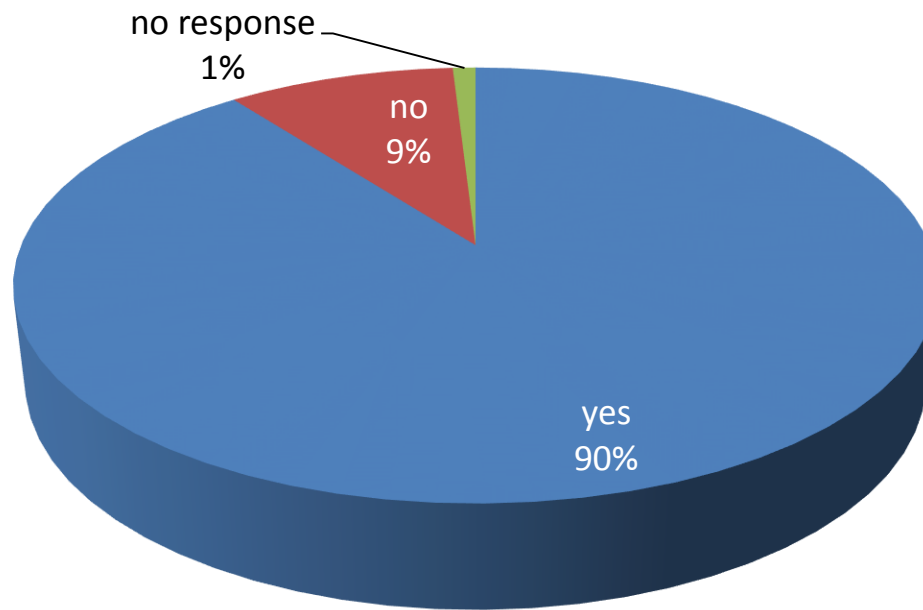
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- If you do not live alone, with whom do you live?



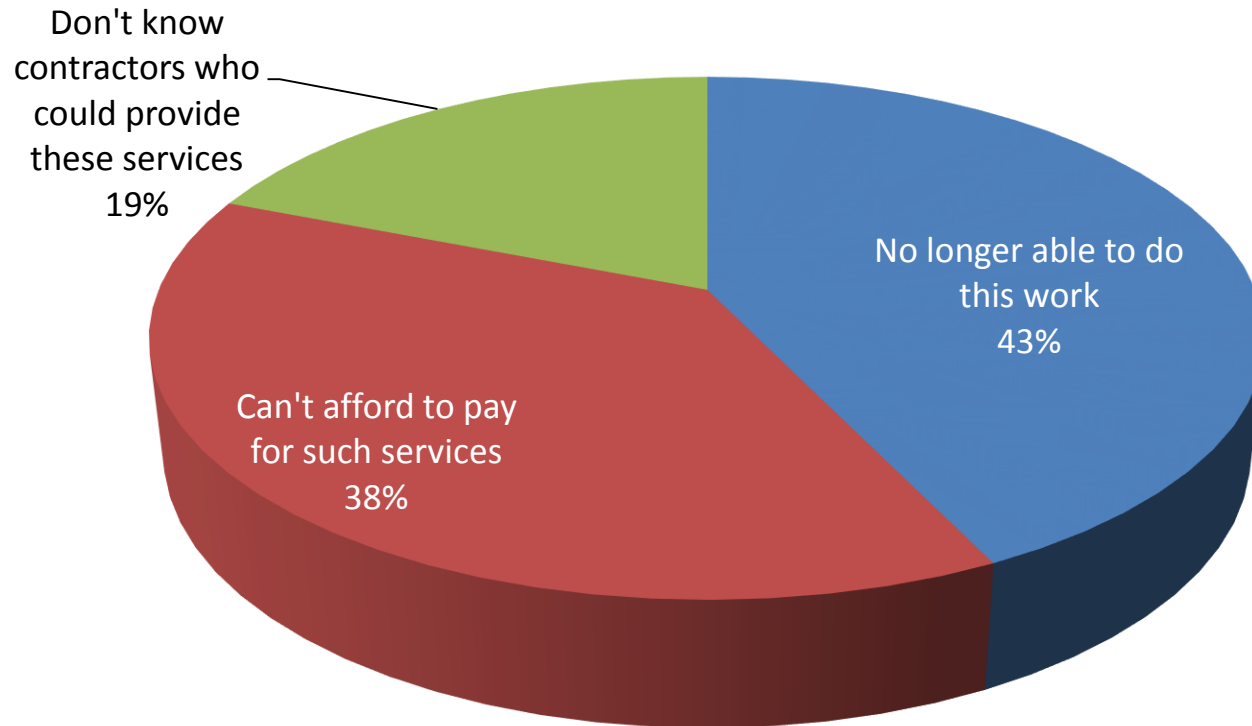
About your Housing Situation

- Are you able to take care of home maintenance and repairs or hire it out?



About your Housing Situation

- If can't take care of maintenance, why?

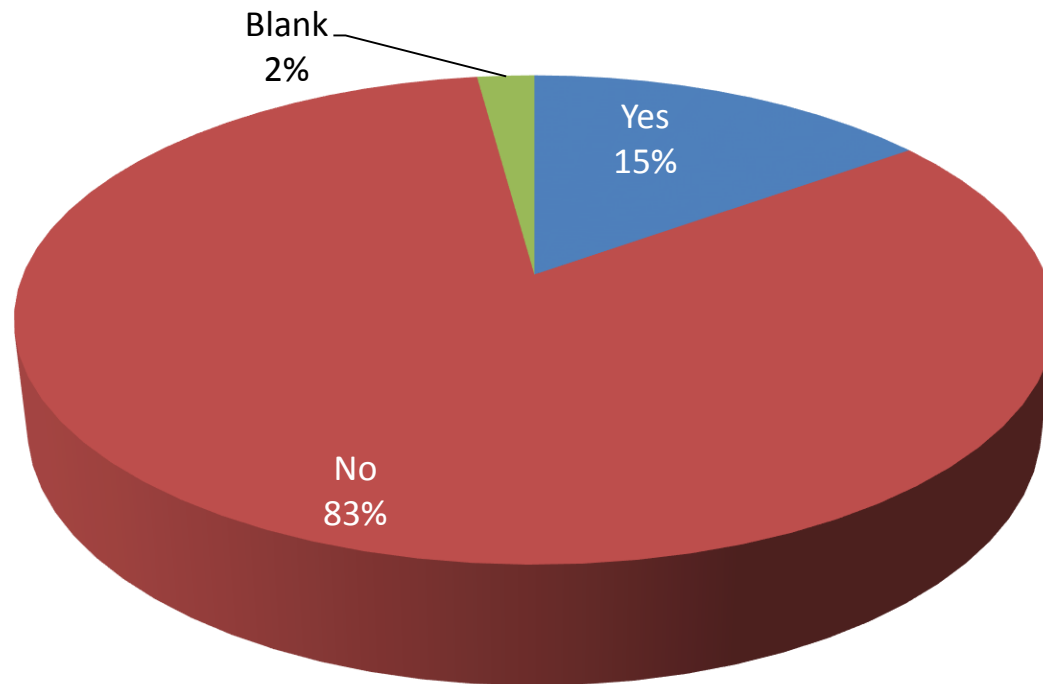


About your Housing Situation

- If can maintain, what concerns you?
 - Getting more difficult to pay now retired
 - difficult to find contractors for small jobs
 - so far able, but becoming more difficult and costly
 - I do some and hire others for what I don't do
 - take care of all I can and have been able to hire out
 - some minor- getting more difficult
 - some work myself
 - Will have to sell and move as too costly to maintain

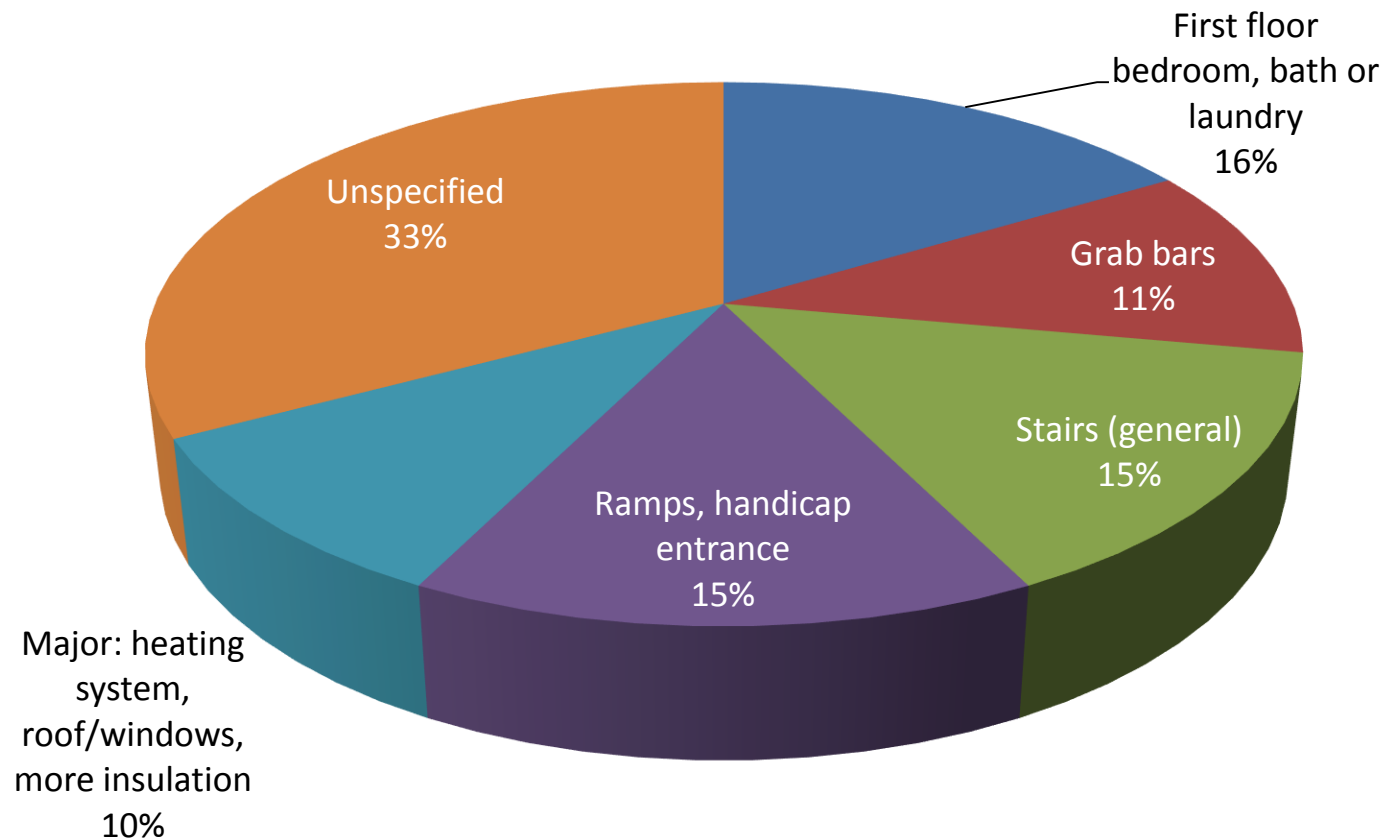
About your Housing Situation

- Does your home need modifications for you to safely age in place?



About your Housing Situation

- Planned modifications?

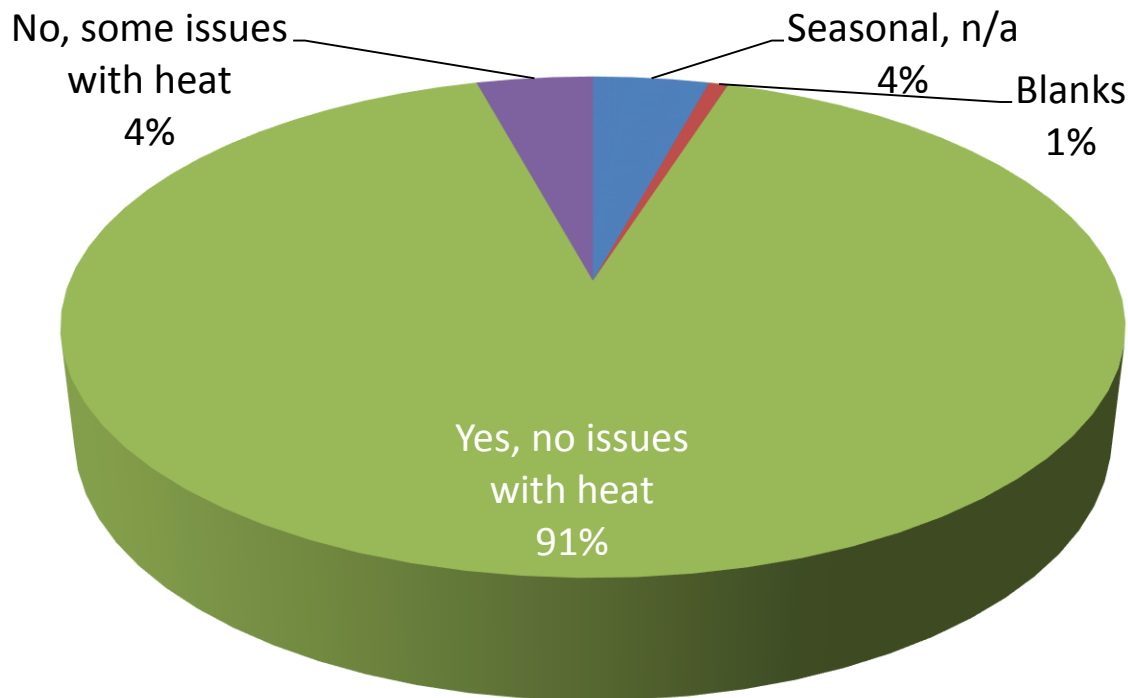


About your Housing Situation

- Personal Anecdotes regarding aging in place
 - We have hired help in the past, but small contractors = hard to find
 - By our appeal to the Maine Human Rights Commission and Brian Shaw of Kennebunkport code office, our condo association complied with ADA requirement for ramp.
 - House is handicapped accessible (already)
 - I will take care of it when I need to
 - Doing them – able to pay for them

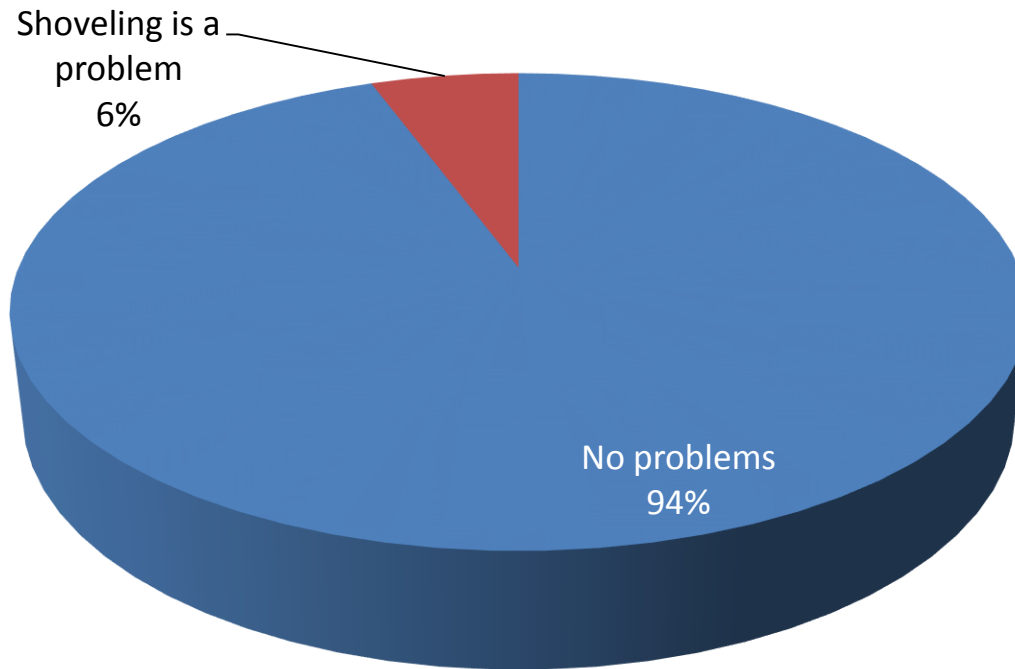
About your Housing Situation

- Is your home warm and safe enough in winter?



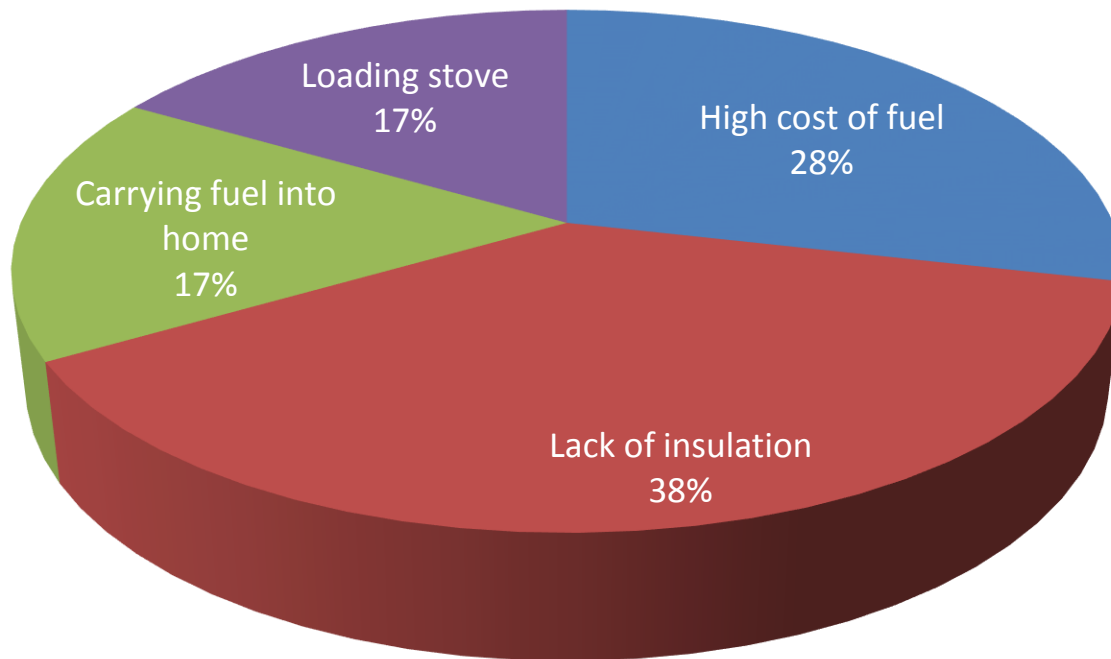
About your Housing Situation

- Are you able to shovel your walks?



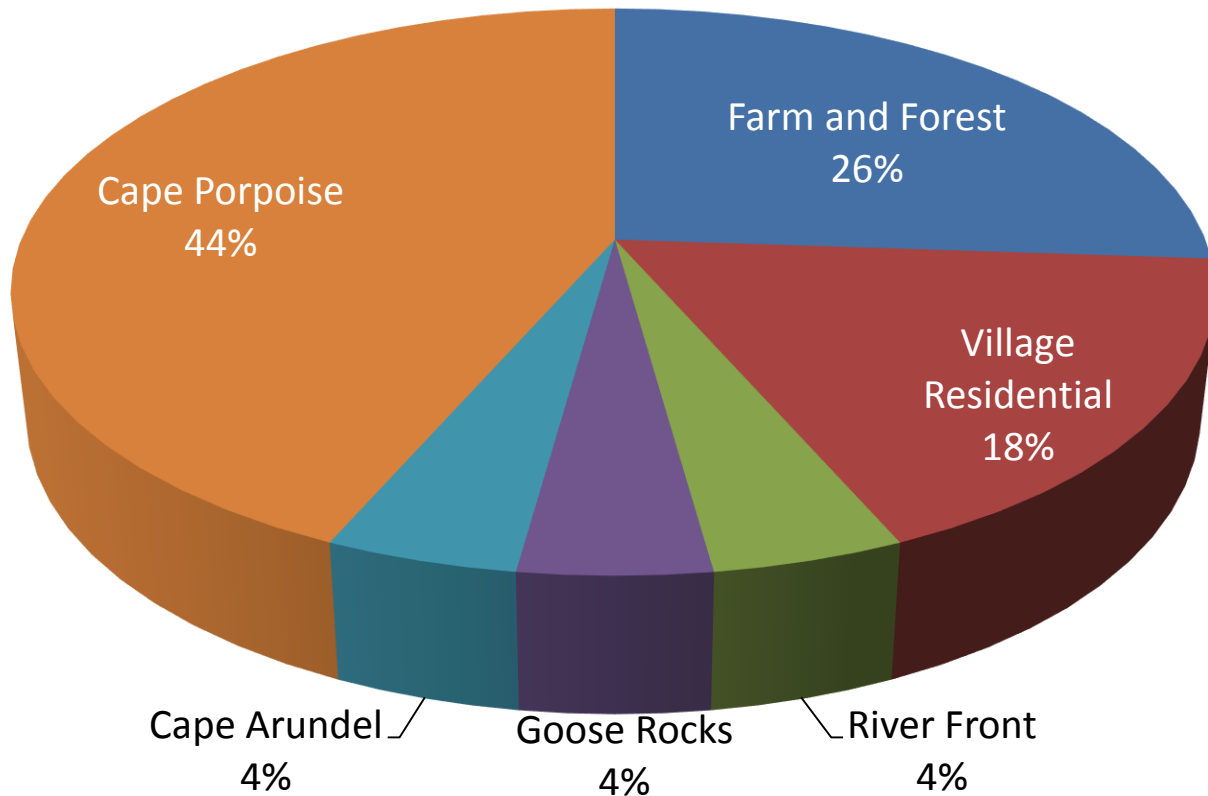
About your Housing Situation

- Factors affecting warmth



About your Housing Situation

- Warmth issues broken down by Zone



About your Housing Situation

- Personal anecdotes regarding winter
 - I worry about if I didn't always have money to buy fuel.
 - Power outages
 - Heating oil very expensive, no insulation
 - Yes but becoming more difficult
 - I need help in the winter
 - I have someone plow me out
 - I could use more insulation in front half of home
 - We are working on the insulation & storm doors
 - But trouble w/ wood burning stove. Can't regulate the flue - so smoke - so do not use.
 - Mostly warm
 - Fuel cost is a concern

How You Get from Here to There?

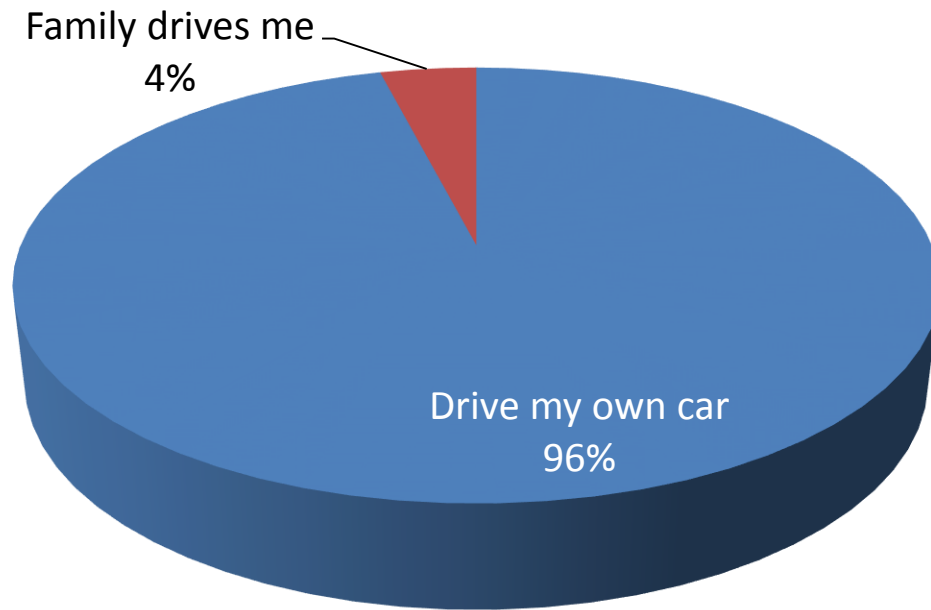
Survey Questions

12. How do you get around? Please check all that apply: ☐ my own car ☐ bike ☐ I walk ☐ family/friends take me ☐ spouse/partner takes me ☐ FISH from Senior Center (for medical appointments) ☐ homebound ☐ other

13. Are you able to drive after dark? Please check all that apply: ☐ yes ☐ no ☐ I prefer to drive in familiar areas ☐ I will drive at night only if no other option

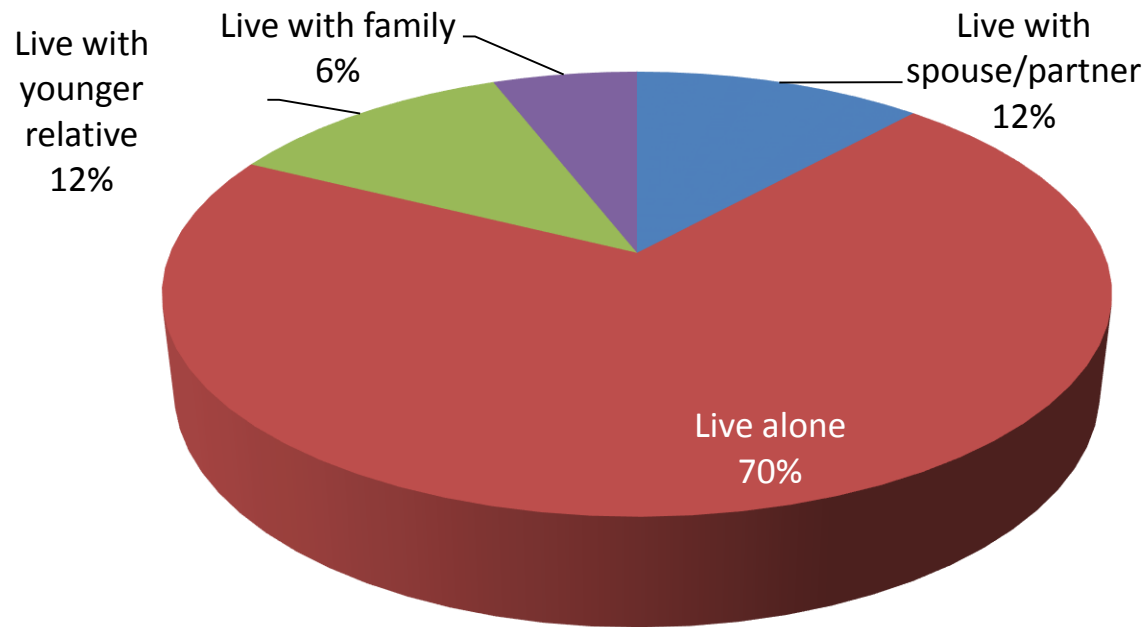
How You Get from Here to There?

- How do you get around?
 - Once you can't drive, options become much more restricted



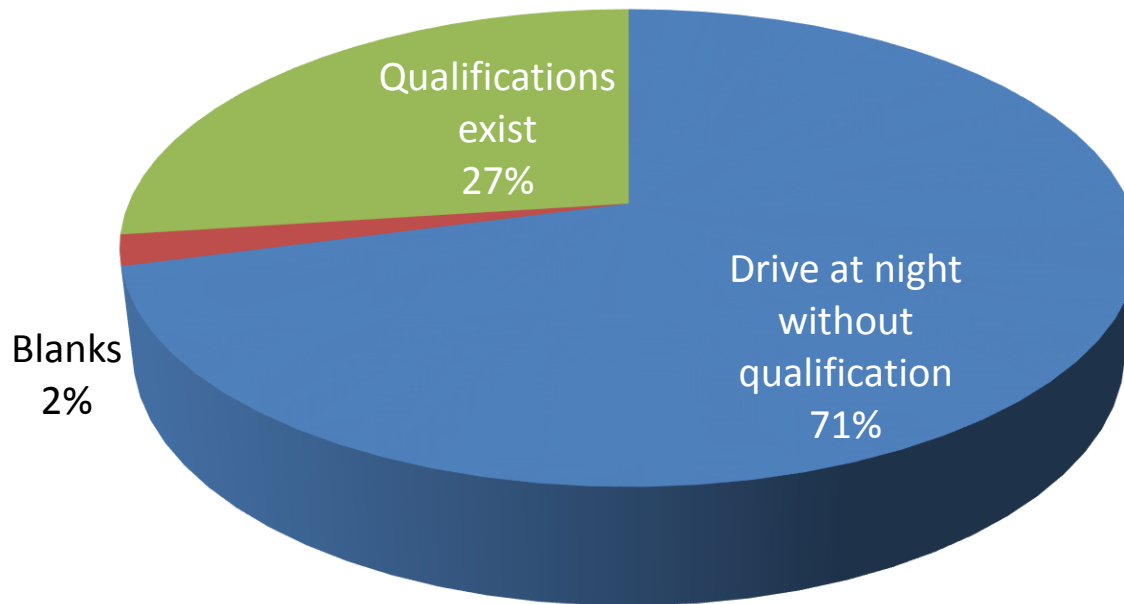
How You Get from Here to There?

- Of those who do not drive and are driven by family or spouse/partner



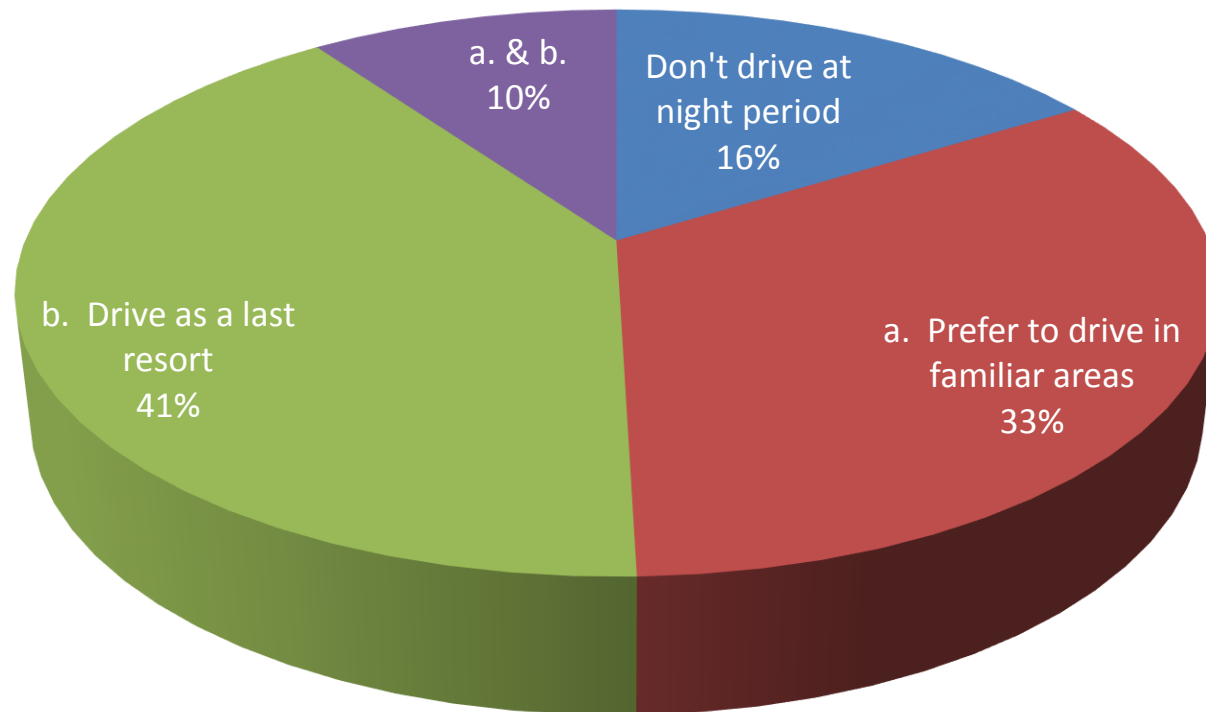
How You Get from Here to There?

- How many drive at night without qualification?



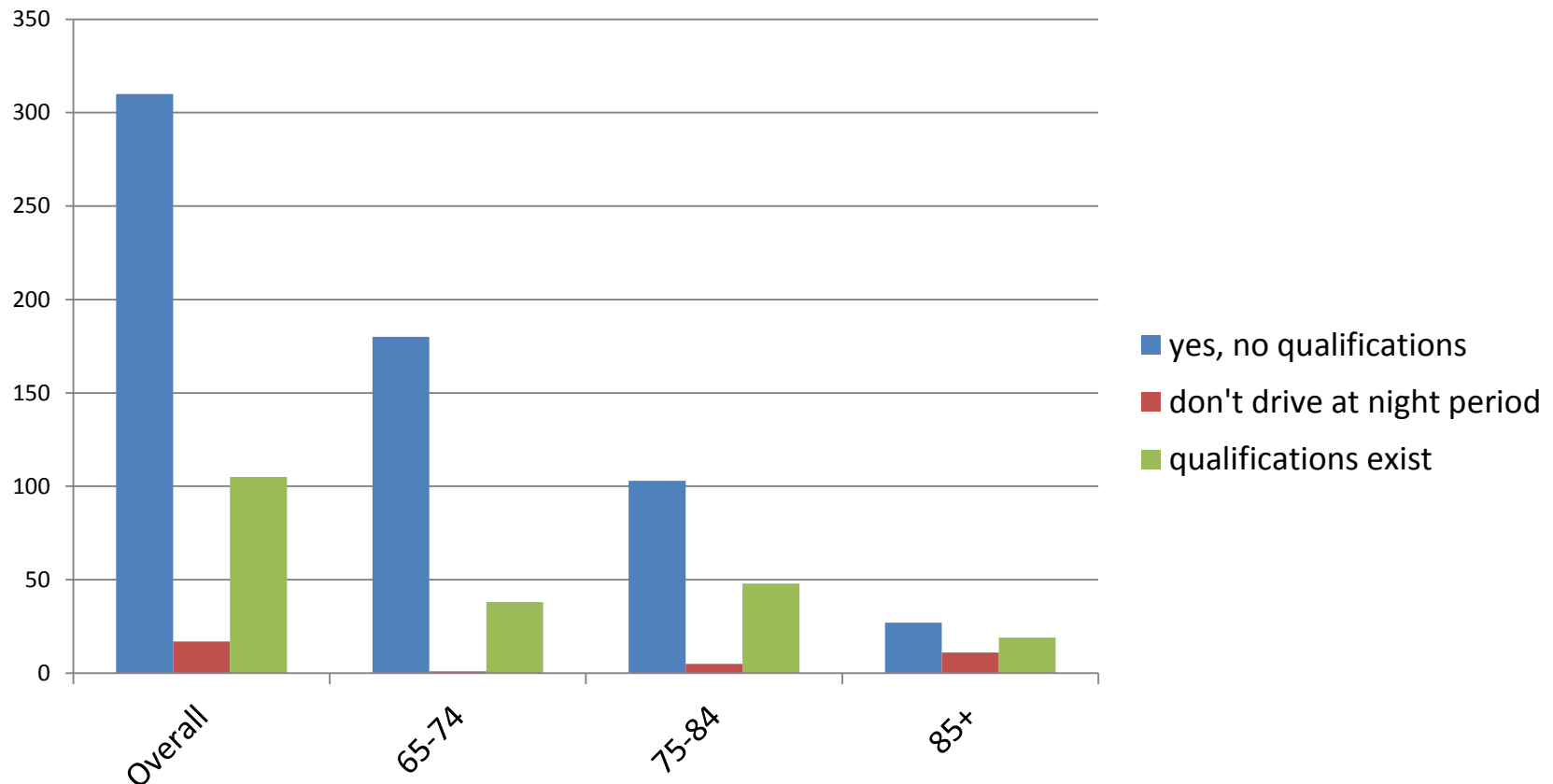
How You Get From Here to There

- Limitations on night driving



How You Get From Here to There

- All ages report qualifications for night driving



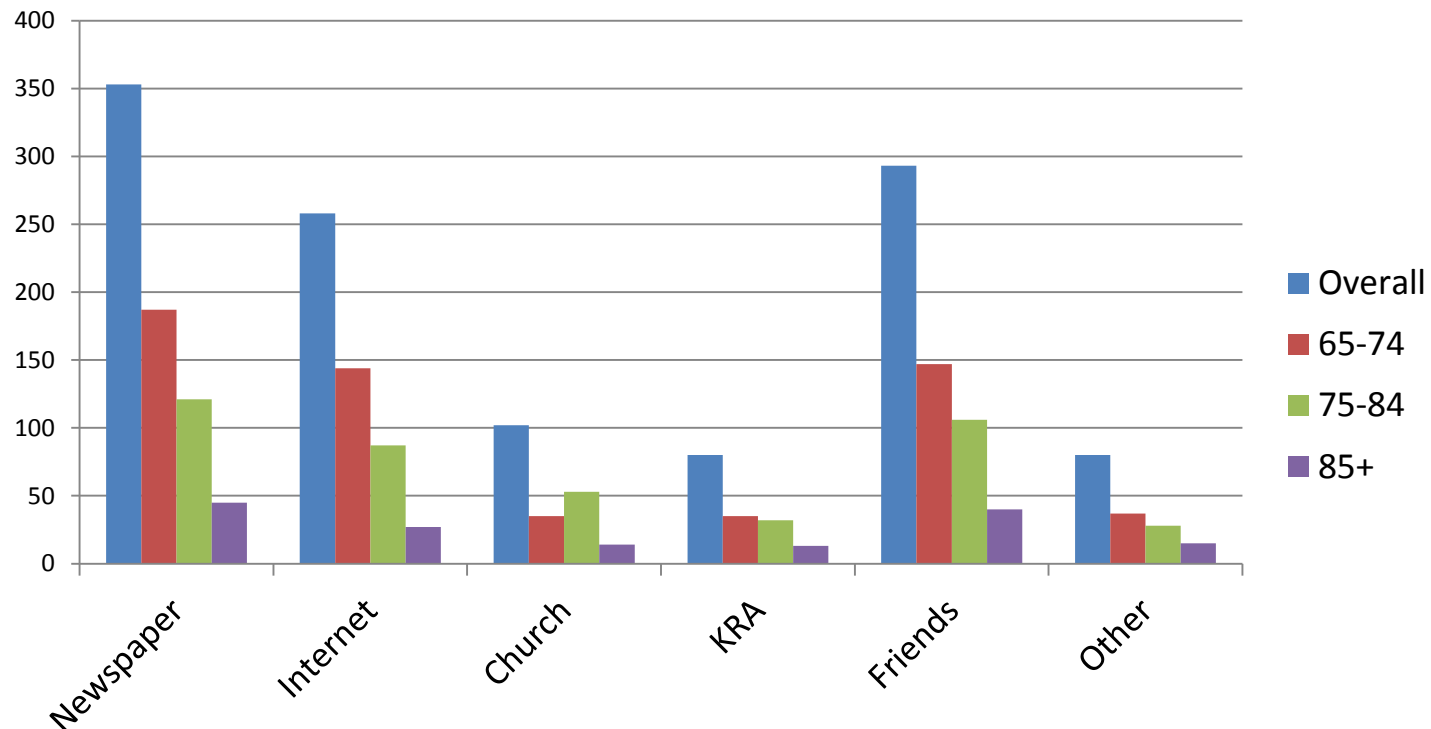
At Home in Your Community

Survey Questions

14. **How do you find out what's happening?** Please check all that apply:
☐ newspaper ☐ internet ☐ church ☐ Kennebunkport Residents Association
☐ talk to my friends ☐ other _____
15. **How many times a week do you go out?** ☐ every day ☐ at least five times ☐ at least three times ☐ one to two times ☐ I don't get out ☐ other factors _____
16. **How many times a week does someone come to visit?** ☐ every day ☐ at least five times ☐ at least three times ☐ one to two times ☐ I don't get many visitors
17. **Do you volunteer?** Please check all that apply: ☐ service organization ☐ social group ☐ church/synagogue ☐ political organization ☐ town committee ☐ I help others on my own ☐ I would like to do more ☐ I'm not able to volunteer ☐ other _____
18. **Are you as social as you want to be?** ☐ yes ☐ no If no, please check all issues that apply: ☐ no one to go with ☐ I can't afford to go out ☐ too far to drive ☐ no ride ☐ Don't like to go out after dark
☐ nothing to do ☐ I don't know what is going on ☐ other _____
19. **How often do you use the internet to stay connected?** ☐ every day ☐ several times a week ☐ when my family/grandchildren come to visit ☐ I don't have internet access ☐ other _____
20. **Which of the following do you use?** Please check all that apply: ☐ email ☐ smartphone ☐ texting ☐ Facebook ☐ Instagram ☐ Twitter ☐ other _____

At Home in Your Community

- How do you find out what's happening? Check all that apply

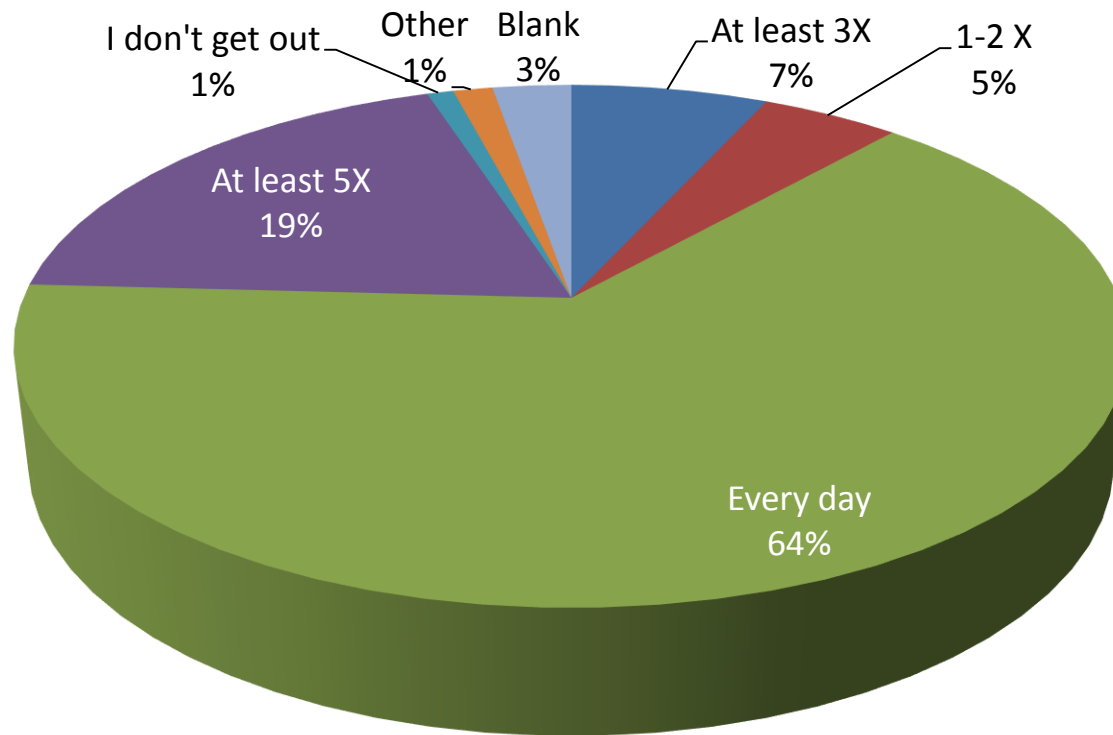


At Home in Your Community

- Other ways to find out what's happening
 - TV and radio (29)
 - Family (10)
 - Facebook (4)
 - Kennebunk Moms
 - Town Page – 3 towns, 1 community
 - Local organizations – library, Portside Rotary, Center
 - Chat
 - Daily meeting at McDonalds in Kennebunk from 4-5
 - Gossip at Bradbury's market

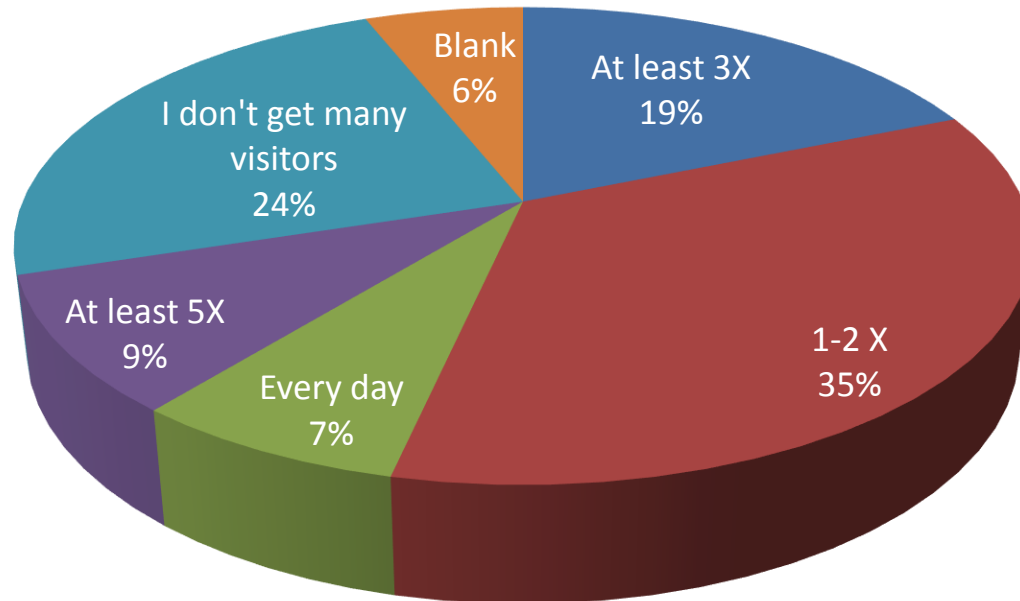
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- How many times a week do you go out?



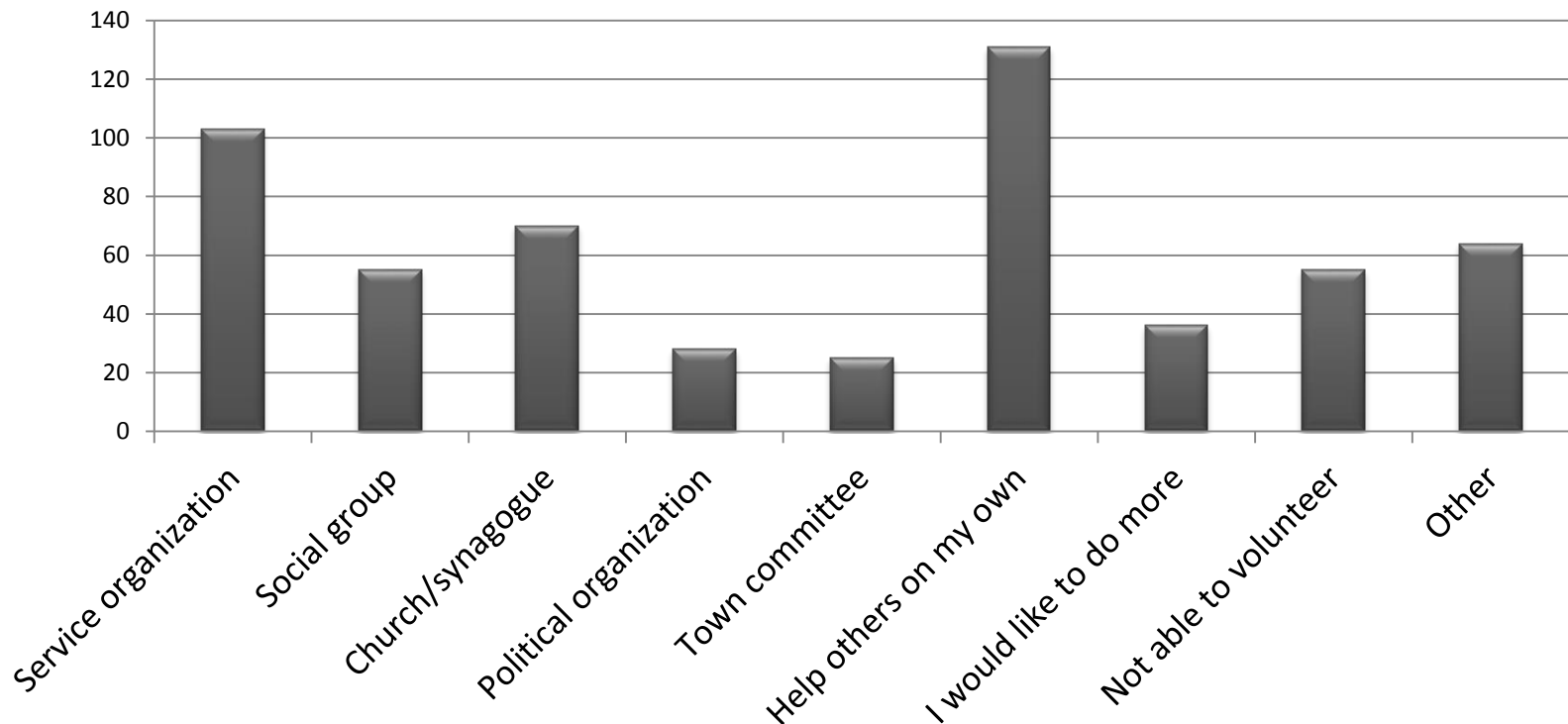
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- How many times a week does someone come to visit?



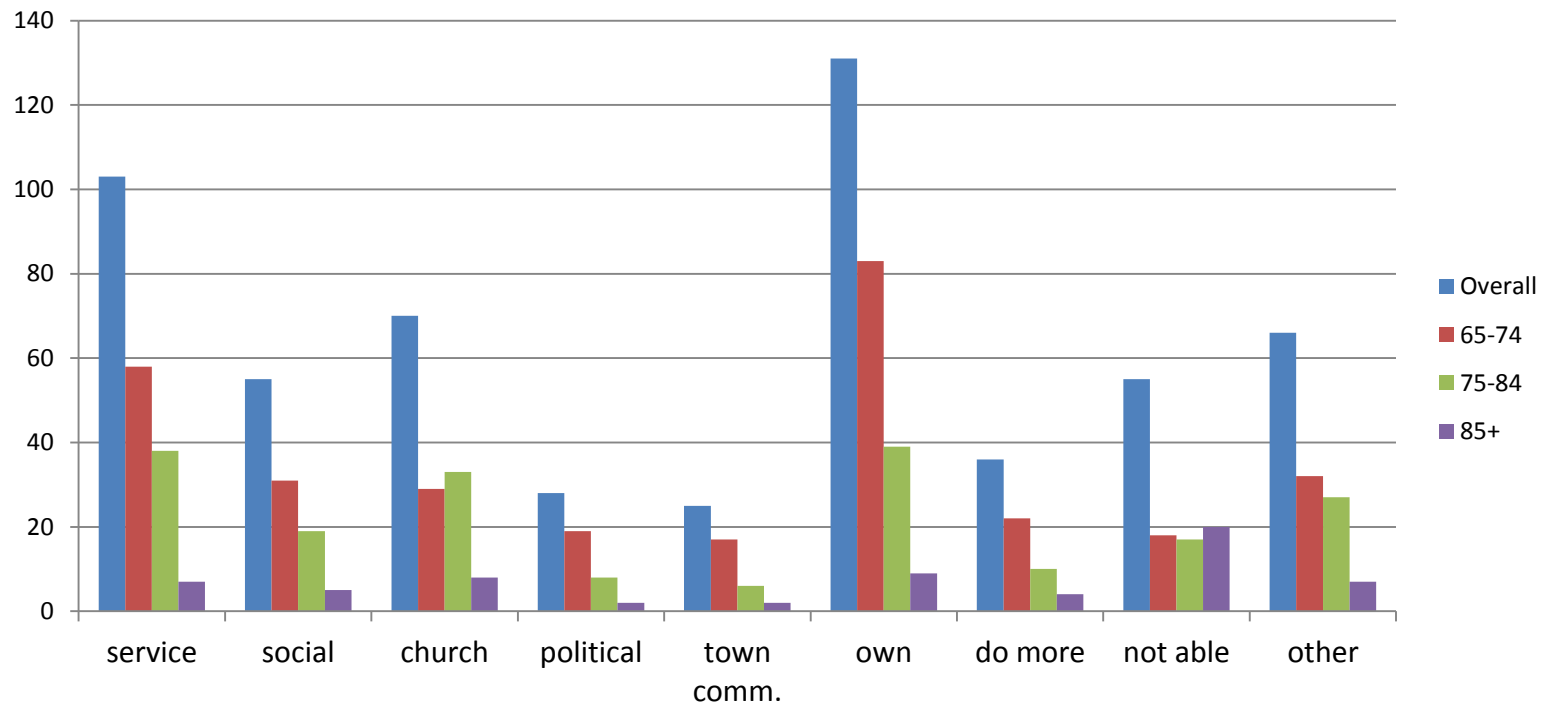
At Home in Your Community

- Do you volunteer? Check all that apply
 - Replies showed a caring community



At Home in Your Community

- All age groups showed active volunteers; most active were baby boomers 65-74

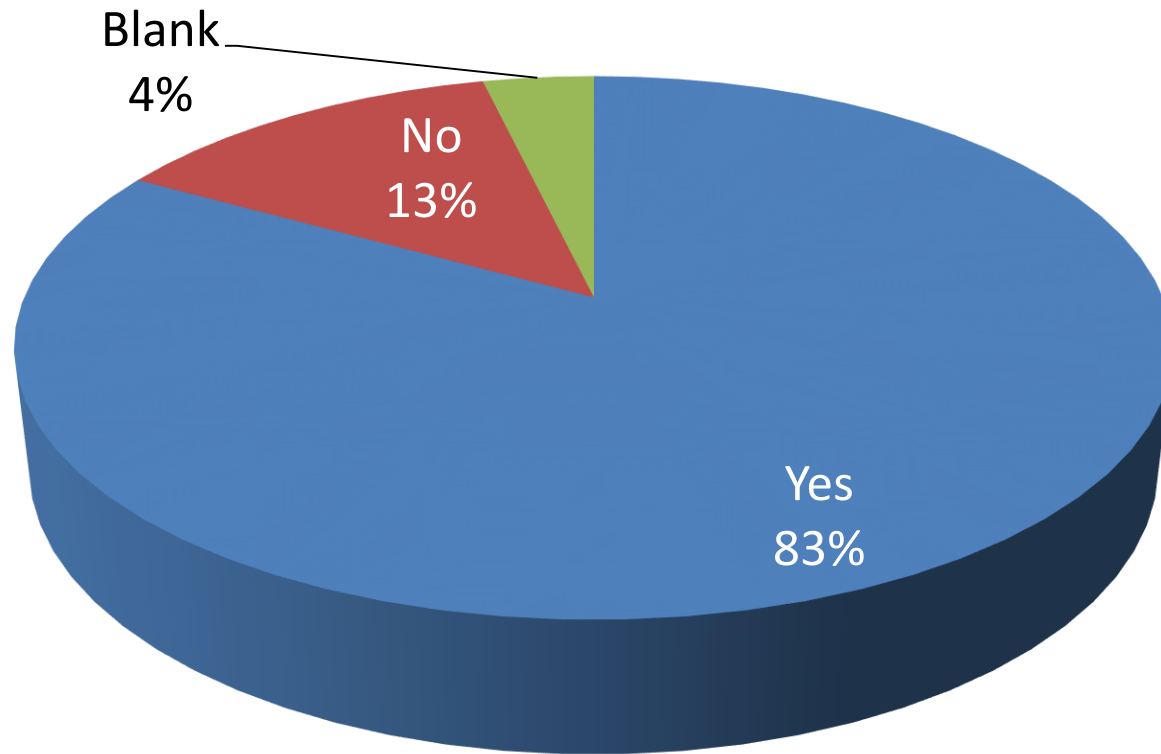


At Home in Your Community

- Personal notes regarding volunteering:
 - Still work (7)
 - Fire Department/KEMS (5)
 - Family obligations(4)
 - I am my handicapped daughter's caregiver
 - Caregiver and house husband – no time
 - Kennebunkport Conservation Trust (2)
 - Beach water testing (2)
 - Others
 - Teach at OLLI, Graves Library, Brick Store Museum, Hospice volunteer, USCG Auxiliary, Master Gardener, YCCC and United Way of York County, Senior Center, Helping Young Children to Read, Choral group, UNE mentor, Usher at Merrill Auditorium, Garden Club, Meals on Wheels, Animal Shelter, Drawing Group, Spatial Dementia
 - Not yet, just arrived

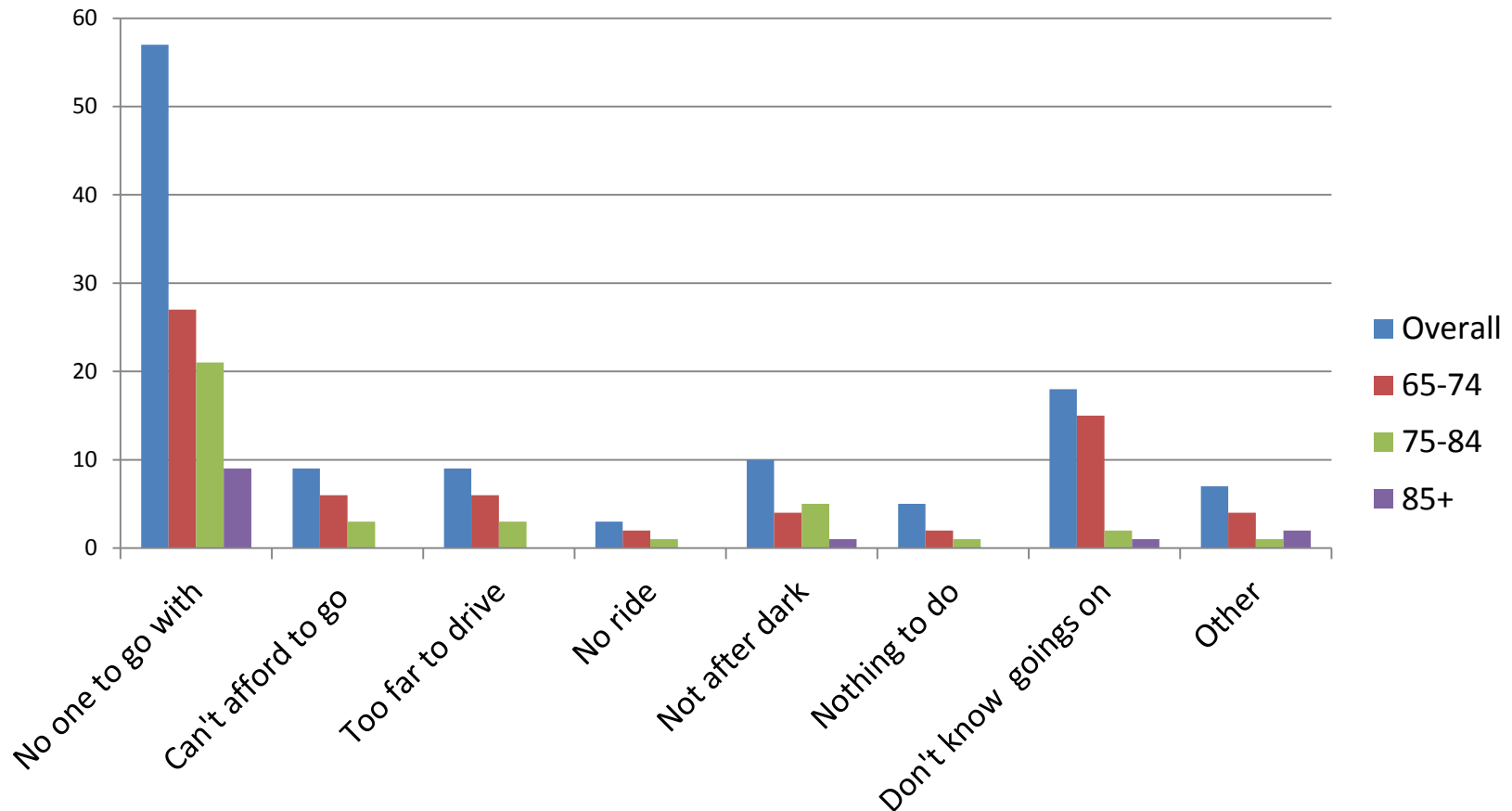
At Home in Your Community

- Are you as social as you want to be?



At Home in Your Community

- If not social enough, check all that apply

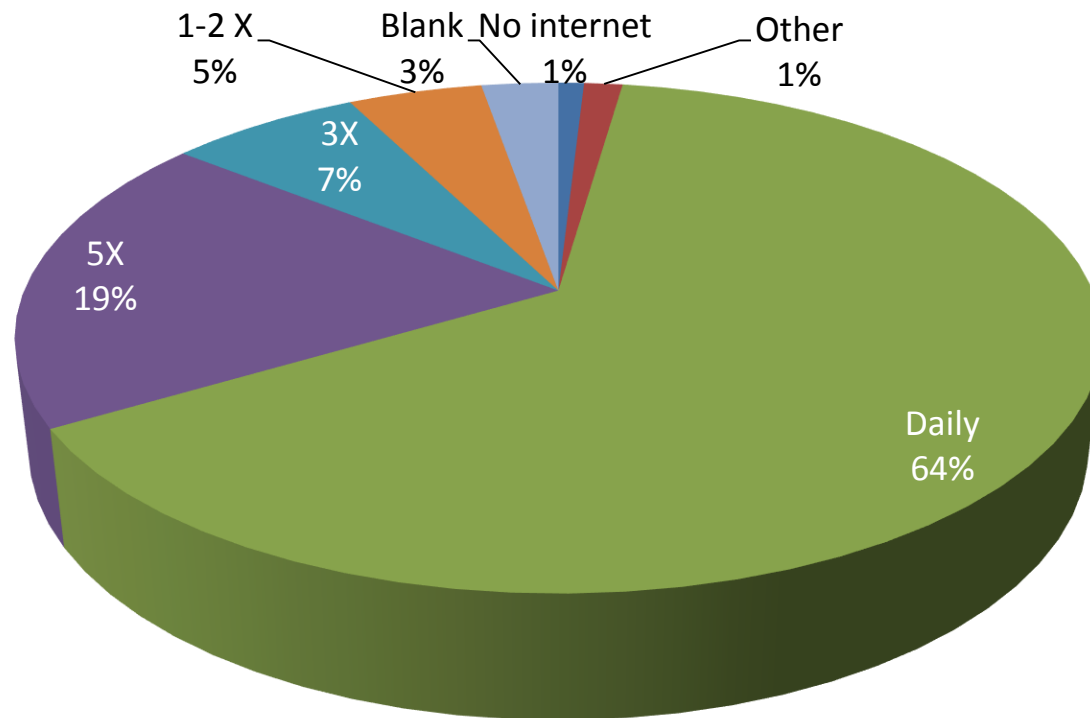


At Home in Your Community

- Other reasons for not social enough
 - Too busy, no time (3)
 - No friends in area
 - Choose not to go out at night
 - Tried the Senior Center but too much the clique!!!

At Home in Your Community

- How often do you use the internet during the week?



At Home in Your Community

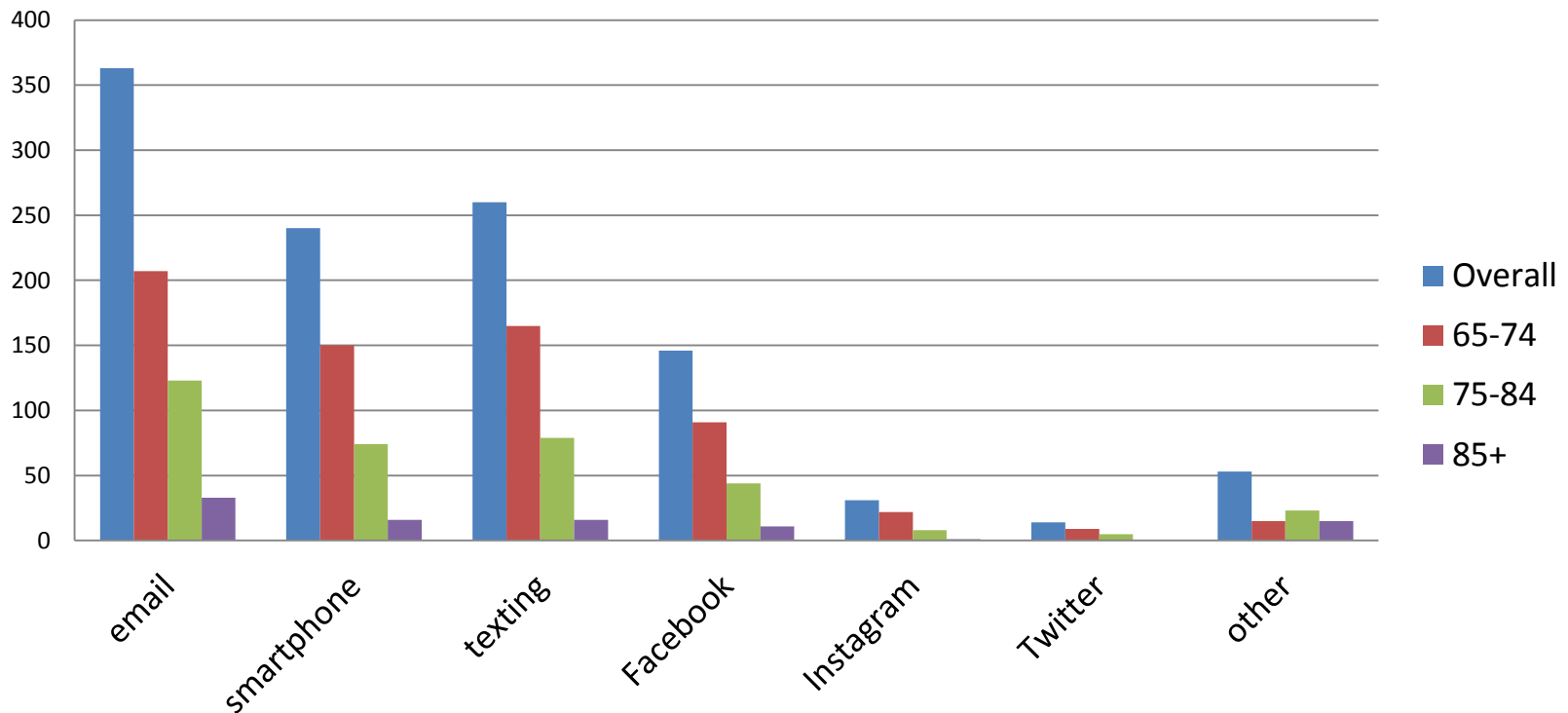
- Internet use for three age groups
 - 65-74
 - 93% use internet daily or several times a week
 - 5% do not have internet connection
 - 75-84
 - 82% use internet daily or several times a week
 - 11% do not have internet connection
 - 85+
 - 51% use internet daily or several times a week
 - 15% do not have internet connection

At Home in Your Community

- Other responses regarding internet
 - Use cell phone data (2)
 - Not able to use computer (2)
 - Use internet seldom or never (6)
 - Internet used in home by relative (2)
 - Don't want internet
 - Use it at library
 - Use it only when necessary
 - “When the spirit moves me”

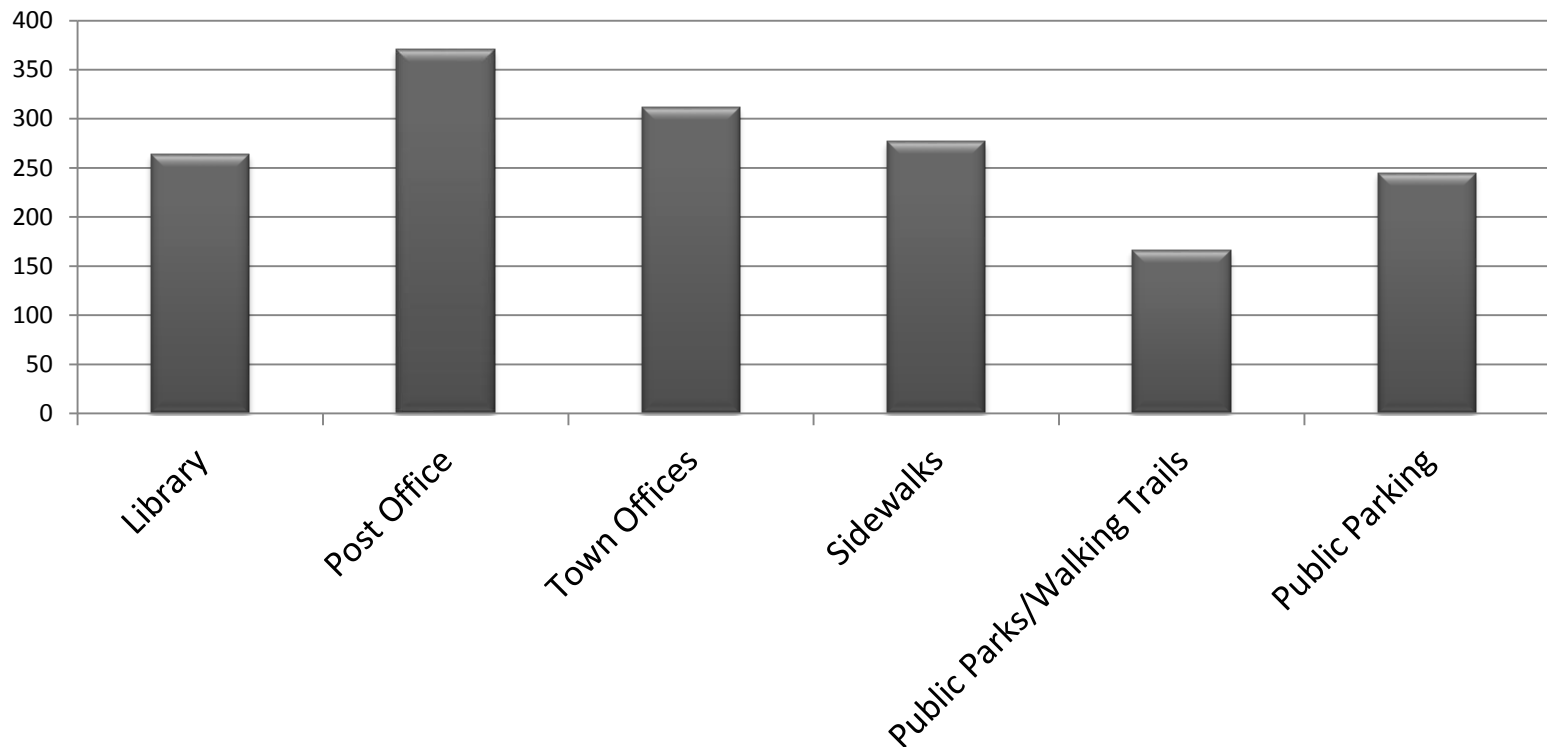
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- Which of the following do you use? Check all that apply



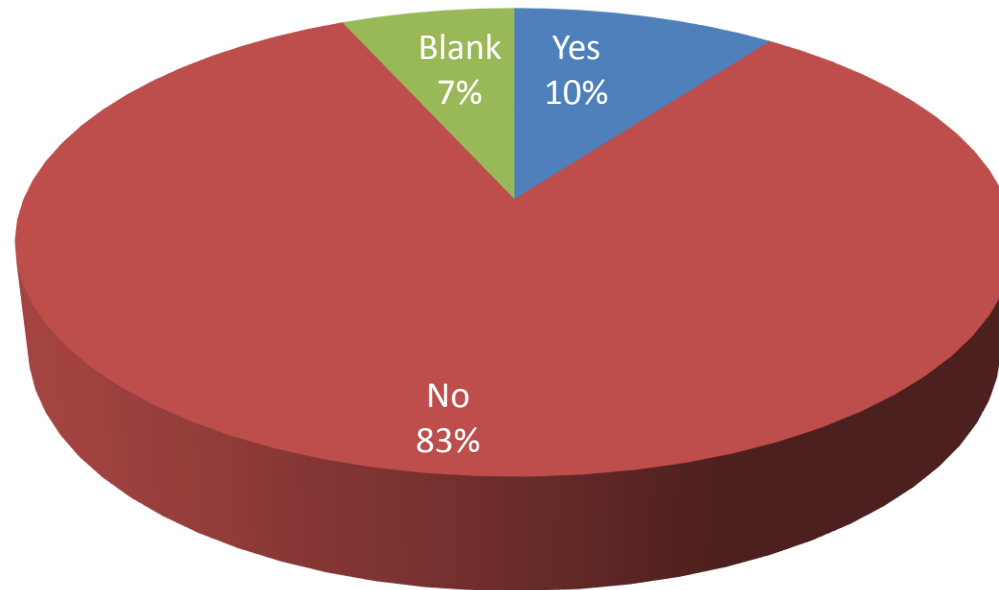
The Public Places You Visit

- Do you use these places? Check all that apply



At Home in Your Community

- Have you had difficulties using these public spaces?

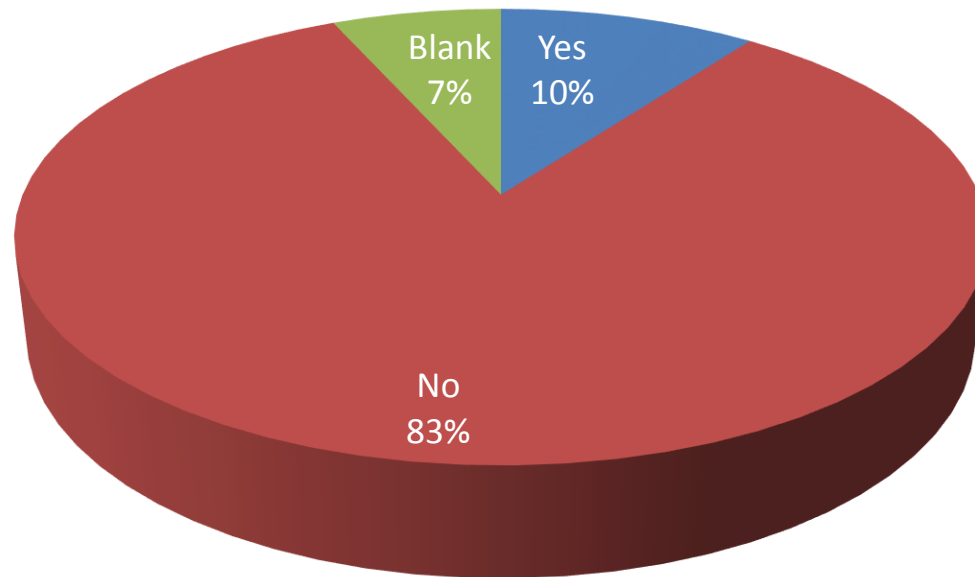


At Home in Your Community

- Reasons for difficulty using public spaces:
 - Dock Square
 - Parking crowded in summer (22)
 - Too expensive (2) and complex (2)
 - Limited handicapped spaces (4) and use by others (2)
 - Much traffic and difficulty walking in summer crowds
 - Post Office
 - Doors hard to open with walker (2)
 - Store, hotel employees, tourists use Post Office lot
 - Sidewalk by Post Office often icy, not cleared of snow very well
 - Graves Library
 - Parking is limited and difficult (2)
 - Hard to find books since have to turn head 90 degrees
 - Town offices
 - Lack of parking
 - General
 - When snow is plowed into handicapped parking spaces ☹️
 - Parking is difficult at beach, Cape Porpoise, Cape Porpoise Pier, kayak drop offs

At Home in Your Community

- Are there public spaces in town where you do not feel safe walking?



At Home in Your Community

- Personal anecdotes regarding walking safety
 - Granite outcroppings on several town streets (3)
 - including South Main and Maine. Have experienced near misses as cars whiz by. Children on bikes, mothers with baby carriages, all ages are put in danger here.
 - Narrow roads and speeding cars (5)
 - Wildes District Rd & Port Farm Rd, between Wakefield Pasture and Woodlawn
 - Drivers distracted/driving too fast/not enough space on roadside for safety
 - Lack of sidewalks (8)
 - Ocean Ave, South Main, Wildes District Road, Upper School St, Beechwood Ave, Maine St, Old Cape Rd, Walkers Rd
 - No sidewalks in our neighborhood and traffic is very fast
 - On the side of the roads, when walking
 - Lack of sidewalks/bike paths make some streets unsafe

At Home in Your Community

- Personal anecdotes regarding walking safety (continued)
 - Cape Porpoise in summer (5)
 - Terrible problem with speeding cars, Rt. 9, Main St CP, Crows Hill
 - Other (7)
 - Poor lighting on North St, cars flying, texting and driving, slippery in winter
 - Sidewalk maintenance – overgrown on Wildes District Rd, tripping hazard
 - Roaring motorcycles and trucks burning rubber make me concerned
 - Lack of restrooms
 - Too crowded in Dock Square
 - In front of Yacht Club – their bushes are too high
 - Brick sidewalks in town

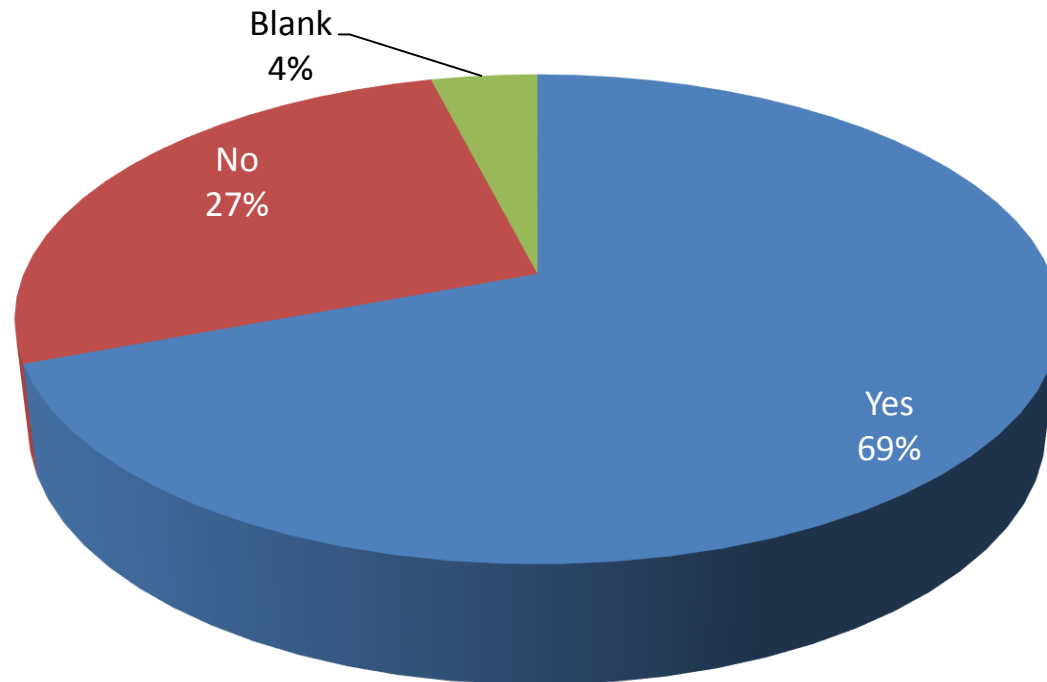
Health and Wellness

Survey Questions

24. Are you aware that Kennebunkport has a town nurse whose services are free to residents? ☐ yes ☐ no Have you ever used these services? ☐ yes ☐ no
25. Which best describes your refrigerator and pantry? ☐ chock-a-block full ☐ I have a week's worth of food ☐ I have enough food for two days ☐ I am worried about running out ☐ other
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25. What forms of exercise are part of your weekly routine? ☐ walking ☐ playing a sport ☐ gardening ☐ working out at a gym ☐ do not regularly exercise ☐ other _____

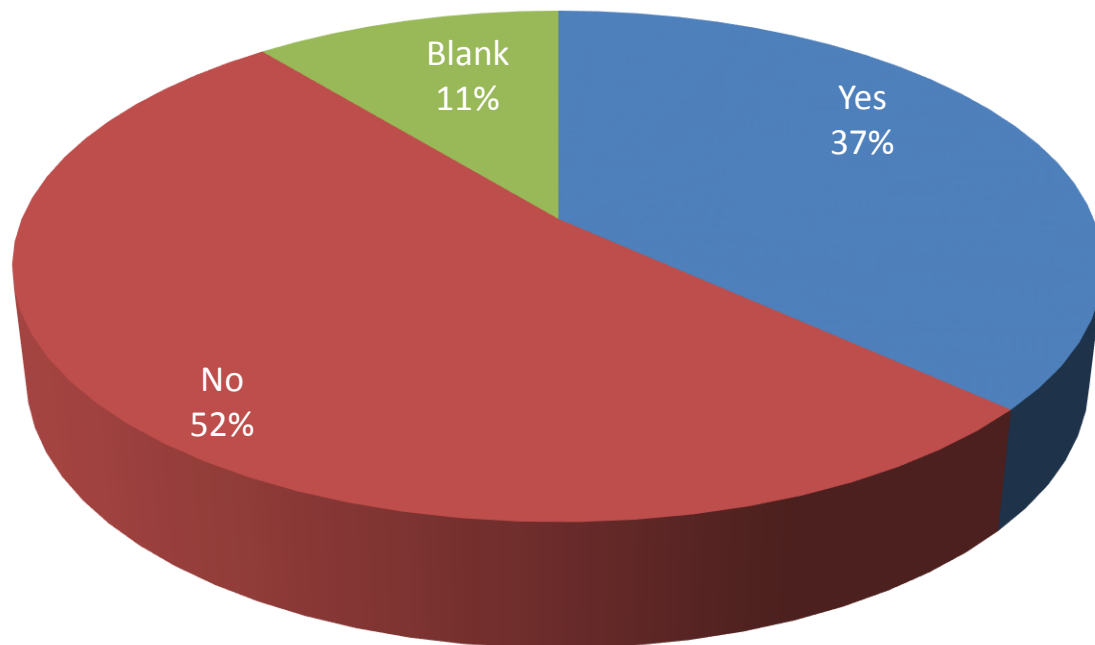
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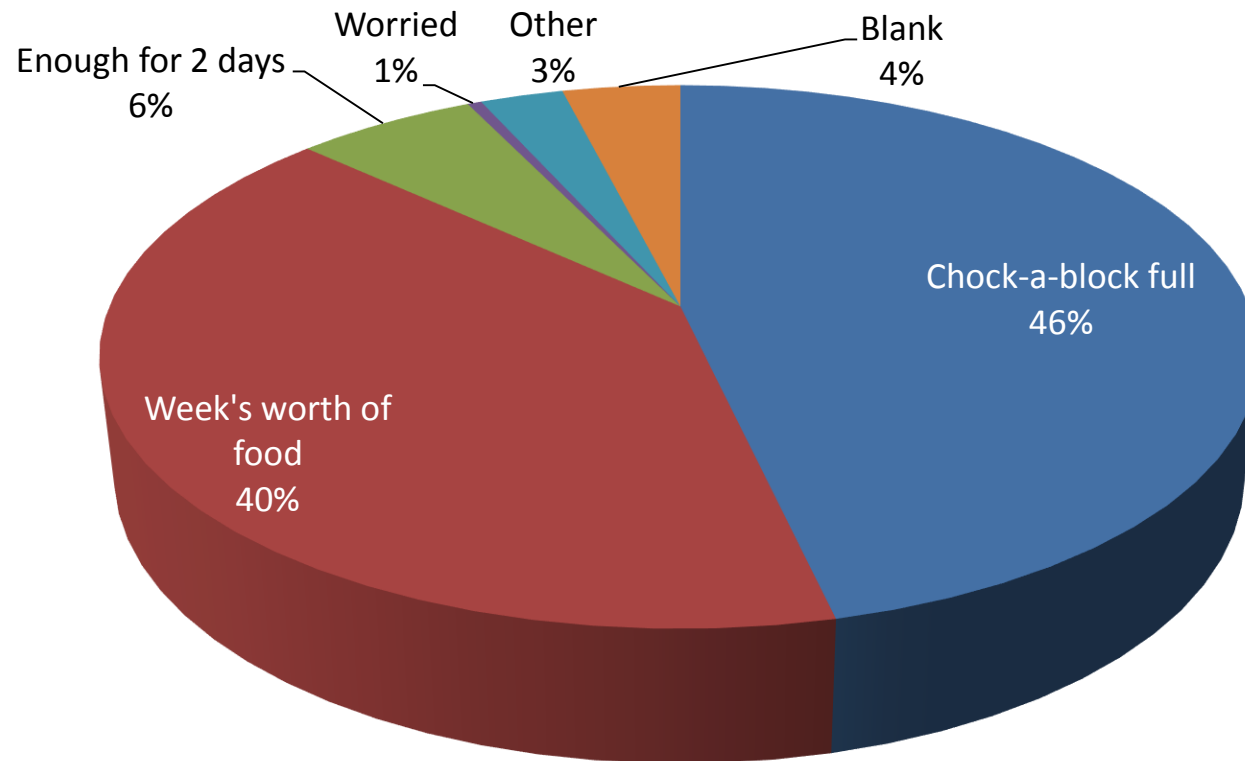
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- Have you ever used these services?



Health and Wellness

- Which best describes your fridge and pantry?

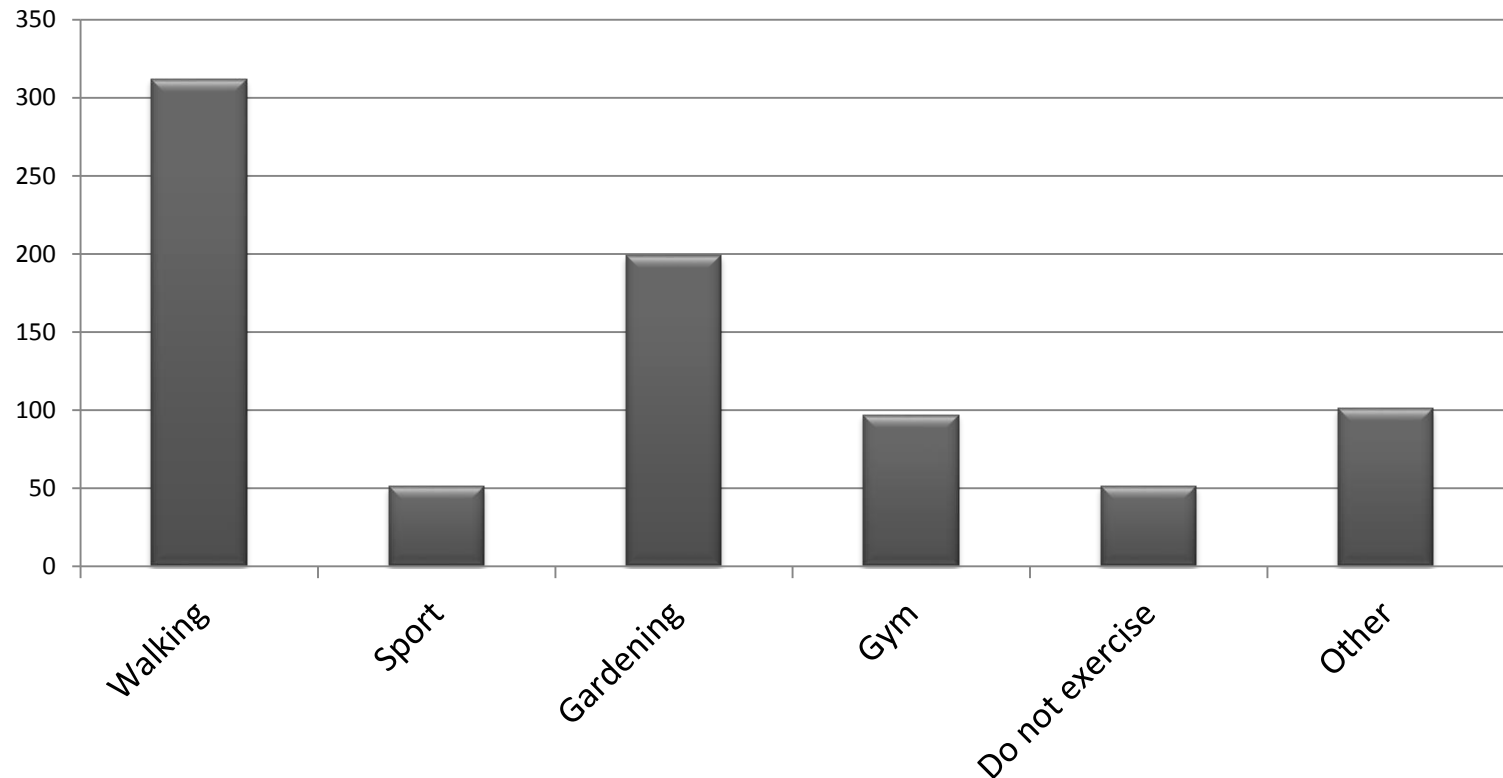


Health and Wellness

- Personal anecdotes regarding supplies
 - I can & store & grow a lot
 - I plan ahead. Visitors, weather dependent
 - As much as we need/plenty/sufficient (6)
 - Shop when needed (4)
 - Not at home a good deal, supply adequate

Health and Wellness

- What exercise forms your weekly routine?



Health and Wellness

- Personal anecdotes regarding exercise
 - Exercise at home (27)
 - Biking (21), Swimming (11), Running (7)
 - Yoga (9)
 - Yard and house work (5)
 - Water aerobics (4)
 - Kayaking (3)
 - Tai Chi (3)
 - Golf (2)
 - Motor cycling (2)
 - Wood splitting, stacking, moving and repairing fencing
 - Farming
 - Other programs
 - Dancing, Silver Sneakers Sports Saco, Biddeford YMCA, UNE gym
 - Limited mobility prevents exercise (8)
 - Work schedule prevents exercise (4)

As You Age...

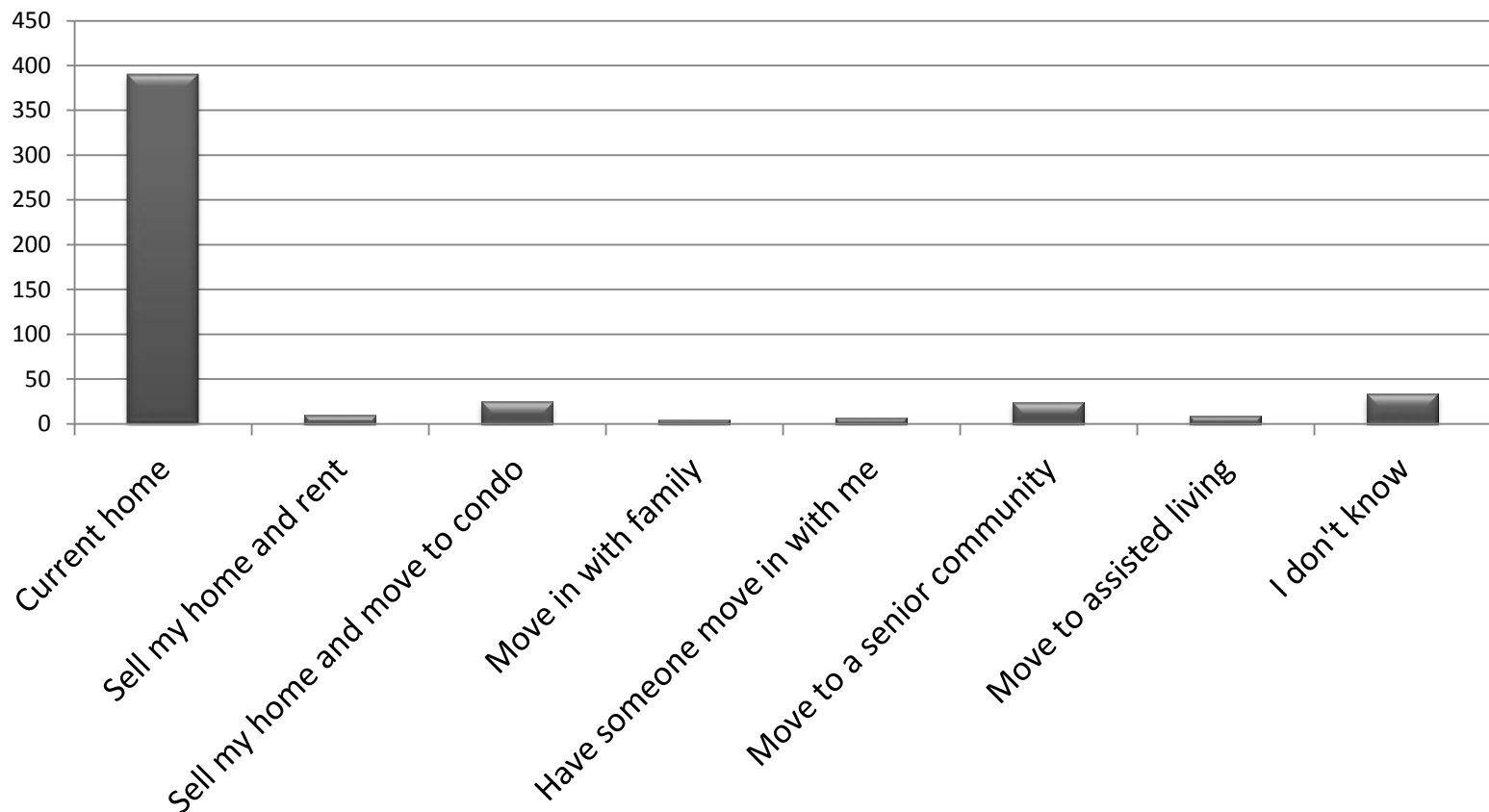
Survey Questions

- 27. Where do you want to live?** Please check all that apply. ☐ in my current home ☐ sell my home and rent ☐ sell my home and move to a condo ☐ go on renting ☐ move in with family ☐ have someone move in with me ☐ move to a senior community ☐ move to assisted living ☐ I don't know
- 28. How will you get to the places you want to go?** Please check all that apply. ☐ drive as long as I can ☐ family members will drive me ☐ FISH ☐ I don't know

Please use the space below to make any other comments you would like us to know, or attach a separate page. What is working for you in your community and what is not?

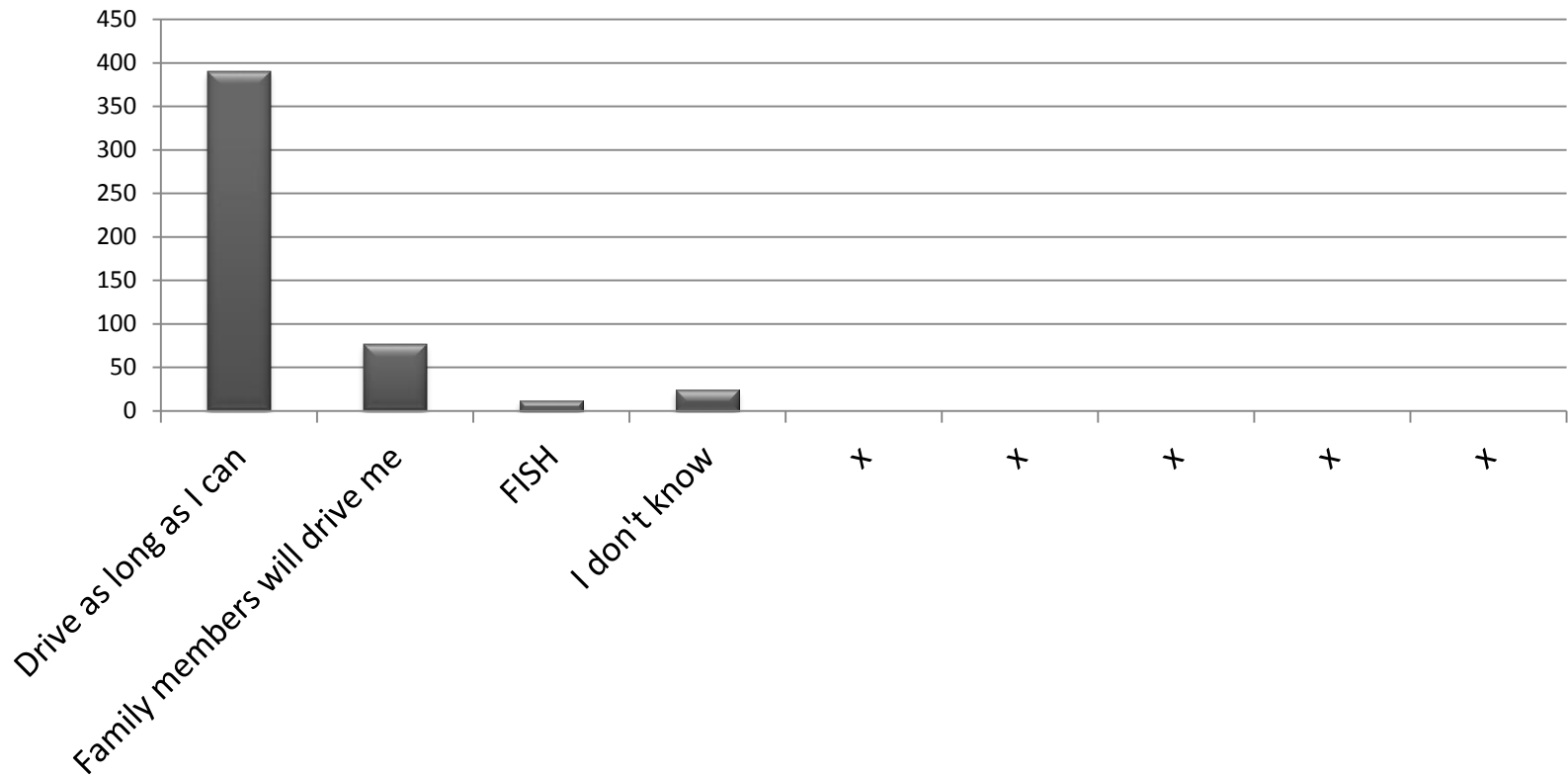
As You Age

- Where do you want to live? Check all apply



As You Age

- How will you get to the places you want to go?



As You Age

- Personal comments on aging
 - At 65 I love my current home. At 85 expect I will feel isolated.
 - Wish to live in the heart of Portland
 - May sell and move to a smaller house
 - Would like senior community transport
 - Possibly leave area to be closer to family
 - Move to senior community or assisted living if affordable
 - Current home first, then not sure, condo or assisted
 - Home for now. Who knows about my/spouses future needs?
 - Have already moved to senior community (seasonal res.)
 - Walk locally
 - What is FISH?(4)
 - Uber (2)

What is Working for You and Not?

Communication

1	Would be nice if someone would call or check on me to see if I am still alive.
2	I would like to have/would support an active “Kennebunkport neighbors” Facebook group. e.g. What’s going on, recommendations, lost pets, other (such) items of interest to residents.
3	As a relative newcomer to town, I now realize there are facilities and services of which I am unaware. Outreach, in the form of an information packet or something similar, to those new to the community would be a welcomed addition.
4	Would like to know where can donate food at the end of season (early October).
5	I am sure there are many people in town (seniors, ill, alone) who would benefit from a phone call when there is a snowstorm, no electricity, or hurricane or any kind of difficult situation. Just to see if the person is OK. I would be glad to do some calling!
6	Can the Town Nurse suggest resources for in-home assistance?
7	We need more in-home care options for dressing, assisted living. Places like Home Instead don’t help with the <u>person</u> , just the chores Better pet care help when I can’t take care of my pets as well
8	Not sure what is available at the Senior Center
9	Recently moved here and looking to get more engaged in community.

What is Working for You or Not?

Transportation

10	Transportation is an issue down the road
11	This may exist already, but it would be helpful to have a community of helpers for the elderly who want to age in place – drivers to take them to the store, appointments, leisure activities.
12	Lack of public transportation especially for grocery shopping and access to social events.
13	If I cannot drive – travel and errands will be a problem.
14	Lack of public transportation will make me move in the future.
15	Personally I can envision the need for public transport for seniors in the Kennebunks – from K'port/Cape Porpoise to supermarket, et al.

What is Working for You or Not?

Town Nurse

16	Kennebunkport is very fortunate to have the Public Health office and a town nurse. I fell in March and borrowed 2 walkers, a bath seat and a cane. The nurse also arranged home therapy for me. They are great! Thanks
17	<p>The town nurse is a great <u>town benefit</u>!</p> <p>As I said above, the town funding the town nurse program is just as important as ambulance, fire & police. A great service. Even better that not only see them in office – but they will come to our home.</p> <p>- OUTSTANDING -</p>
18	The Kennebunkport nurse has been a great help to me, my family and many friends for many years and is one of the most valuable services the town provides.
19	Trying to recover from Lyme disease
20	♥Very thankful for Judy, Alison and Angels.
21	<p>Alison is very understanding & solicitous!</p> <p>Thank you for your “caring”.</p>
22	I appreciate the Town Nurse - visits and seasonal gifts.

What is Working for You or Not?

Town Nurse (continued)

23	<p>Town nurse is TERRIFIC</p> <p>Life's getting harder, so much so, as I age & health is getting poorer, physically and NOW mentally – with oncoming dementia/Alzheimer's. Have daily aches, stiffness, memory loss, back knees & ON & ON, bad back, difficulty sleeping and often walking.</p> <p>But <u>YOUR NURSES & EMT'S are absolutely wonderful.</u></p>
24	<p>Resident with Alzheimers disease. Living with daughter and son-in-law.</p>
25	<p>The town nurses are wonderful. The town nurses services are really nice to have! Thank you.</p>
26	<p>Town nurse visits once a week</p>

What is Working for You or Not?

Housing

27	I would like to stay in town in a mixed age community with mowing and snow removal taken care of either by buying an affordable condo (my house is appraised at \$300,000.) or renting – one level down-sizing ideal. Where I live now – neighbors not friendly or not home during day or evening. I appreciate friendliness at library, post office, town hall, drug store. Also all centrally located.
28	I would like Kennebunkport (and Kennebunk) to have more affordable housing for 55+
29	Lack of affordable housing!!! Overdevelopment of pricy homes!!!
30	Is there an opportunity for a year round quality retirement community in Kennebunkport?
31	It would be great to have more condos in K'port area.
32	My neighborhood (Village Residential) has changed dramatically. There are virtually no year round residents. Instead all the houses are “summer camps”. There is no community. Very sad.

What is Working for You or Not?

Housing (continued)

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There is too much focus put on the aged segment of this community.

There are already plenty of resources: COS, food banks, ride shares, fuel assistance, church outreach, town health department, etc. Most of the elderly that I know in this town are financially stable (or better in most cases), own multiple homes, or own homes in KPT that are well above 500K in value, vacation abroad extensively or winter elsewhere. There may be a few native old salts, but they are surely the exception, and many of these have been here for generations and have family nearby.

Rather than focus on a non-issue, the community leaders and those who have the time and inclination to be involved should focus on recruiting younger people as full time residents to Kennebunkport. I have heard an argument that the cost of housing is prohibitive to young families. But I would argue that there are plenty of 2 income professional young families that would be thrilled to live in this community with our excellent schools, plenty of extracurricular activities for kids, safety, natural beauty and natural resources, and could afford it.

What is Working for You or Not?

Housing (continued)

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We need to market to these younger families, not to tourists and retirees. I thank that if the community ever agreed to affordable housing, less well-heeled retirees and investors would snap it up, instead of younger aged families doing so. Kennebunkport is where retired people come to die.

It's a marketing problem and it's a matter of what is important to the leaders of this community, in particular the select board which is heavily weighted by very elderly individuals and those that benefit directly from the tourist industry. Old folks and tourists seem to be their main concern. This town will die, if it doesn't change. Look at poor Cape Porpoise, it is a caricature of its real and former self. RIP.

Please publish the results of the questionnaire.

What is Working for You or Not?

Safety

34	I find that bicycle traffic is not safe. Bicycles have a free for all they don't follow the rules of the road & there is no law enforcement.
35	More sidewalks in Goose Rocks & Cape Porpoise area would be helpful.
36	Please update the lighting on North St and other town streets.
37	My land is posted, however, the hunting in my neighborhood continues. There are too many houses and children for hunting in this area! I have PTSD – hunting in this neighborhood & behind my house is inexcusable!
38	Wildes District Rd is dangerous for walkers! Sidewalks are going in all over town - why not Wildes District?
39	I live on Oak St. and I would like to see a cross walk either at the Lock or West St. crossings and a stop sign at Wallace Woods.
40	Please put more sidewalks in
41	No <u>real</u> sidewalk on Rt 9 in Cape Porpoise makes walking there quite dangerous.

What is Working for You or Not?

Recreational Trips

42	Would like to see daily bus trips to entertainment venues that we can't drive to after dark
43	Sign up for a bus trip with people my age once a month.

What is Working for You or Not?

Same – Same – Traffic & Taxes

44	The noise & number of motorcycles going through town is very annoying. Also, many people speed on Ocean Ave. which is very dangerous to walkers, runners and bicycle riders. The Sanitation Dept. does a great job with trash removal & clean up!
45	<p>I live just off Dock Square in the Maine St., Spring Street area. Many mornings around 4:00 – 4:30, town vehicles do something in the village with trucks that make repeated noise. I rent apartments and my guests have complained to me about being awakened early in the morning as well.</p> <p>This noise issue is not just a senior issue but an irritant to anyone living in the village. If the town could wait until at least 6:00 am, that would be helpful.</p> <p>I see a community police officer walking around town during the day. I wish they would address the vehicles looking for negative attention in the evening and night!</p>
46	Real estate taxes are too high at Goose Rocks Beach. The law suit is an incredible and unnecessary drain on resources.
47	I've paid taxes in this town for @ 40 years. I don't mind paying my share. I do have a problem with how much I have to continue to pay for schools. It seems like a lot.
48	Senior discount on real estate taxes

What is Working for You or Not?

Same – Same – Traffic & Taxes (continued)

49	Taxes should be frozen at a certain age and income. Taxes are out of control, especially as the school population is decreasing.
50	I do not feel our taxpayer dollars should support elders who choose to age in place, especially at Goose Rocks or Ocean Ave
51	I am proud to live in Kennebunkport. However, with an aging population the budget committee continues to cut funding to the lower Kennebunk Senior Center. We continue to pay our property taxes and this is not the time for the Town to turn their back on the Elderly! Other than the Town Health Department we have no services that most towns offer. I think we can afford \$5000 yearly.
52	As a senior I would like to get a reduced rate on my taxes. I am 75 and have paid for 30 years for a summer home with no voting power.
53	We are very concerned about the rising property tax rate!!
54	I am tired of my taxes keep going up and we don't make very much money. We worked all our lives and we still have to keep giving. Some time we don't have enough money for food. Our bills come first.
55	I have trouble paying my taxes

What is Working for You or Not?

Same – Same – Traffic & Taxes (continued)

56 Increasing real estate taxes every single year make it difficult to stay in my own home long term.

57 Property tax? Must stop increasing for 70+ group.

PROPERTY TAX

- Up another 5.4%
- Living on a fixed income, social security
- No SS increase in several years. The FED(s) say that there is no inflation! Medical and food have increased +++
- Now 70+ years old
- Why do we pay the school portion of tax bill? We had one child. To date we paid his K-12 education plus at least 1 or 2 other kids.

How about tax relief for the 70+ group? School portion or at least no more increases for the 70+ group.

Interesting that you questionnaire did not include property tax.

What is Working for You and What is Not?

Goose Rocks Beach Residents

58	The Goose Rocks Beach Association is a way of staying connected. Also love Goose Rocks General Store & Bradbury's mkt
59	Goose Rocks needs at least 2 additional handicap parking places near the mat walk way to the beach
60	I find the beach rules surrounding <u>permitting dogs on beach much</u> too restrictive (<u>especially</u> in summer). 6-7 am is inconvenient for me. Also would like off –season less restrictive too. It seems that other local communities have a <u>much</u> friendlier dog policy. A few “crabby” people have made it unreasonable.
61	Also I often use handicap parking spot on Jeffrey’s Way. Could we have 2 spots there?
62	<p>The summer traffic @ GRB has increased tremendously in the 27 years I have owned property. For safety reasons I would like to have the town address this. Some suggestions that might help –</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Perhaps “speed bumps” on Wildwood and Kings highway (Fortune Rocks has seasonal speed bumps) 2. Perhaps one way traffic on Kings Hwy during the summer. <p>Maybe these suggestions work to make GRB safer.</p>

What is Working for You and What is Not?

Senior Center

63	Senior Center in Lower Village! (is working for me)
64	What is FISH? (same question, six times)
65	I volunteer @ “The Center” now and will be using it more once I am not able to do the other volunteer services I am now doing.

What is Working for You and What is Not?

♥ Kennebunkport

66	Great place to live!
67	Great place to live & grow old (hopefully slowly & gracefully).
68	Kennebunkport is a <u>nice</u> community. I attend the Church on the Cape and it is a great source of comfort. There is <u>much</u> to like about K'port and I am happy I have a place here.
69	Spouse and I fully enjoy residing in Kennebunkport. A completely safe and easy place to live. The roads & sidewalks and public areas are in excellent condition and the Town deserves credit for the condition of public accommodations. Your survey is just an example of the level of concern for the wellbeing of the residents.
70	This is a wonderful town – we have been here almost 20 years.
71	At 82 years old, all is good! So far, so good!
72	A wonderful community to live in and we enjoy the services as a seasonal resident.
73	It is a wonderful community and could not wish to live anywhere else!
74	I love this beautiful town!!

What is Working for You and What is Not?

Comments to Committee

75	Excellent idea - at this time - easy for our news but great to know plans are in progress!
76	Thank you Senior Advisory Committee!! (five times)
77	I am very fortunate to live in such a caring community. This questionnaire shows you care!
78	This questionnaire is a great start in determining the needs of senior citizens in K'port. Thank you!
79	It all works for me! Thank you!!!
80	We are not at a point to where we need community services. We appreciate that you asked!
81	Is the Health Council involved with this project?
82	Please report results and actions planned or taken to address issues and concerns
83	I appreciate being asked these questions. Thank you!
84	We'll be interested in developments/programming/support for seniors, particularly since we'll be retiring here. This is nice of all of you. Thank you
86	Recommend you inquire about "working" not just volunteering. Inquire re interest/need for \$ assistance with heating, eating, health care, housing, resource information source.

What is Working for You and What is Not?

Anecdotes

87	My mother doesn't drive and my Dad just passed– we are in transition. I am the oldest daughter.
88	Currently working full time. Will retire within a year. Will look for part time work and volunteer.
89	No family in the area. Difficulty making friends to socialize with as my partner & I age we will be finding it harder to maintain my home & property.
90	Not sure of my plans, but I hope to be in KPT as much as I can until we move there. Planning to move to KPT full time in 2-3 years?
91	Doing OK so far. Feel much embraced by this community. Haven't needed senior services up to now, but when we do, we feel that we'll find the support we need.
92	When my family is able to be here, they are. Otherwise we have full time assistance 24/7 from "Home Instead" and "Community Caregivers".
93	We are in Maine May - Oct. All weekends and Jul & Aug more. My husband is retired. I still work in MA but we come and go. Still are both healthy and loving life.

What is Working for You and What is Not?

Anecdotes (continued)

94	At 73, I am quite able to take care of my home and my family and do so while my wife is the major breadwinner in this family - I do all housekeeping, maintenance, property management, caregiving to our adult disabled daughter. Also manage our finances, meals, and day-to-day life. Love Kennebunkport
95	Nothing!!!
96	What may require us to move out of our house, which was designed to age in place, is the lack of town water, sewer and road maintenance and snow plowing, which are getting harder to manage ourselves.
97	We don't get many visitors – this is not a negative
98	Senior discount for cable television and internet services would be extremely helpful. Remember when television service was free to all?
99	Convenient (easy to access) restaurants that are not tourist prices. Need local resident discounts for our community hotels/restaurants/stores.
100	summer home - drain pipes in OCT - grew up coming to Kennebunkport every July (mother is a Bush)
101	My husband and I are summer residents - Our home is year-round so we do come up from Massachusetts for weekends.