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Complete Streets Survey - Prioritizing What We Want

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ANALYTICS

Tell us about your connection to Wellesley.

409 of 409 Answered (100.0%)

Radio Buttons

I don't live or work in Wellesley but travel to destinations in Wellesley. (9 responses, 2.2%)

I live or go to school in Wellesley. (375 responses, 91.7%)

I travel through Wellesley. (2 responses, 0.5%)

I work in Wellesley (23 responses, 5.6%)

How often do you WALK to get around Wellesley?

407 of 409 Answered (99.5%)

Radio Buttons

1-3 days a month (33 responses, 8.1%)

1-3 days a week (106 responses, 25.9%)

4-7 days a week (227 responses, 55.5%)

Less than once a month / Never (41 responses, 10.0%)

How often do you DRIVE or RIDE IN A CAR to get around Wellesley?

409 of 409 Answered (100.0%)

Radio Buttons

1-3 days a month (5 responses, 1.2%)

1-3 days a week (57 responses, 13.9%)

4-7 days a week (343 responses, 83.9%)

Less than once a month / Never (4 responses, 1.0%)

How often do you BIKE to get around Wellesley?

409 of 409 Answered (100.0%)

Radio Buttons

1-3 days a month (50 responses, 12.2%)

1-3 days a week (34 responses, 8.3%)

4-7 days a week (28 responses, 6.8%)

Less than once a month / Never (297 responses, 72.6%)

Radio Buttons

1-3 days a month (5 responses, 1.2%)
 1-3 days a week (0 responses, 0.0%)
 4-7 days a week (4 responses, 1.0%)
 Less than once a month / Never (398 responses, 97.3%)

How often do you take the MBTA Commuter Rail from a Wellesley station?

407 of 409 Answered (99.5%)

Radio Buttons

1-3 days a month (66 responses, 16.1%)
 1-3 days week (45 responses, 11.0%)
 4-7 days a week (17 responses, 4.2%)
 Less than once a month / Never (279 responses, 68.2%)

How do you usually get to/from the commuter rail station?

129 of 409 Answered (31.5%)

Checkbox

By Bicycle (11 responses, 2.7%)
 By Car (53 responses, 13.0%)
 By Catch Connect (1 response, 0.2%)
 By MWRTA Bus (1 response, 0.2%)
 By Walking (89 responses, 21.8%)

School-aged students in my household attend: please check all that apply.

393 of 409 Answered (96.1%)

Checkbox

Elementary School in Wellesley (93 responses, 22.7%)
 High School in Wellesley (54 responses, 13.2%)
 Middle School in Wellesley (58 responses, 14.2%)

There are no students in my household. Or, my students are home schooled or attend school outside of Wellesley. (235 responses, 57.5%)

My high school student usually travels to/from school:

54 of 409 Answered (13.2%)

Radio Buttons
 By Bike (12 responses, 2.9%)
 By Car (26 responses, 6.4%)
 By School Bus (6 responses, 1.5%)
 By Walking (10 responses, 2.4%)

My middle school student usually travels to/from school:

59 of 409 Answered (14.4%)

Radio Buttons
 By Bike (10 responses, 2.4%)
 By Car (16 responses, 3.9%)
 By School Bus (20 responses, 4.9%)
 By Walking (13 responses, 3.2%)

My elementary school student usually travels to/from school:

91 of 409 Answered (22.2%)

Radio Buttons
 By Bike (10 responses, 2.4%)
 By Car (34 responses, 8.3%)

In thinking about your student's route to/from school or bus stop. What is the most difficult part of the journey?

0 of 409 Answered (0.0%)

Long Answer

0 of 409 Answered (0.0%)

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What would make your student's trip to/from school or the bus stop safer or easier?

0 of 409 Answered (0.0%)

Long Answer

0 of 409 Answered (0.0%)

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If your students don't take the school bus, why?

58 of 409 Answered (14.2%)

Long Answer

58 of 409 Answered (14.2%)

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While driving or riding as a passenger of a motor vehicle in Wellesley, are there areas where it is difficult to see or avoid pedestrians and/or bicyclists due to poor lighting, lack of sidewalk or bike lane, difficult line-of-sight or other? Please explain where you think it is unsafe for pedestrians and bicyclists.

305 of 409 Answered (74.6%)

Long Answer

305 of 409 Answered (74.6%)

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What are top FIVE desired destinations you would like to walk or bike to?

386 of 409 Answered (94.4%)

Checkbox

Centennial Woods (56 responses, 13.7%)

Commercial Areas (Wellesley Square, Linden Square, Wellesley Hills, Fells) (282 responses, 68.9%)

Fuller Brook Path (201 responses, 49.1%)

Libraries (Main, Fells Branch, Hills Branch) (267 responses, 65.3%)

Morses Pond Beach (106 responses, 25.9%)

Places of Worship and other Religious Institutions (52 responses, 12.7%)

Pre-schools or Daycares (30 responses, 7.3%)

Private schools in Wellesley (6 responses, 1.5%)

Tolles Parsons Center (53 responses, 13.0%)

Town Hall (57 responses, 13.9%)

Trail Heads/Entrances to Conservation and Recreation Lands (175 responses, 42.8%)

Warren Building (35 responses, 8.6%)

Wellesley MBTA Commuter Rail Stations (167 responses, 40.8%)

Wellesley Public Schools (176 responses, 43.0%)

Are there other destinations in Wellesley or just outside of Wellesley that you want to walk or bike to?

102 of 409 Answered (24.9%)

Short Answer

<p>Where new sidewalks conflict with existing trees, how would you like the Town to resolve this issue?</p> <p>Radio Buttons</p> <p>Add sidewalks only where adequate tree replacement can be identified (87 responses, 21.3%)</p> <p>Preserve all non-invasive trees over 10" diameter (87 responses, 21.3%)</p> <p>Prioritize sidewalks over trees (153 responses, 37.4%)</p> <p>Prioritize trees over sidewalks (54 responses, 13.2%)</p>	381 of 409 Answered (93.2%)
<p>Are you willing to remove trees to make room for a bike lane?</p> <p>Radio Buttons</p> <p>Depends (120 responses, 29.3%)</p> <p>No (139 responses, 34.0%)</p> <p>Yes (141 responses, 34.5%)</p>	400 of 409 Answered (97.8%)
<p>What does it depend on?</p> <p>Long Answer</p> <p>109 of 409 Answered (26.7%)</p> <p>See All Responses</p>	109 of 409 Answered (26.7%)
<p>When building new sidewalks, should the Town prioritize sidewalks on streets currently with no sidewalks on either side over streets that have sidewalk on one side?</p> <p>Radio Buttons</p> <p>Depends (73 responses, 17.8%)</p> <p>No (28 responses, 6.8%)</p> <p>Yes (293 responses, 71.6%)</p>	394 of 409 Answered (96.3%)
<p>What does it depend on?</p> <p>Long Answer</p> <p>69 of 409 Answered (16.9%)</p> <p>See All Responses</p>	69 of 409 Answered (16.9%)
<p>Wellesley has limited on-street parking but it exists in all commercial districts and is considered essential to our merchants. How important is on-street parking to you when shopping or dining in Wellesley?</p> <p>Radio Buttons</p> <p>Important, but I am willing to walk from nearby lots (190 responses, 46.5%)</p> <p>Not important and I would prefer to walk or bike if there were dedicated accommodations (67 responses, 16.4%)</p> <p>Very important (144 responses, 35.2%)</p>	401 of 409 Answered (98.0%)
<p>Are there places in town where bicycle racks are needed?</p> <p>Short Answer</p> <p>94 of 409 Answered (23.0%)</p> <p>See All Responses</p>	94 of 409 Answered (23.0%)



tunding for projects? Pick up to FIVE criteria. Fund

projects:

Checkbox

Near K-12 schools (246 responses, 60.1%)

Near a trail head/entrance to recreation or conservation area (83 responses, 20.3%)

Near areas of town that have a high density of residents (117 responses, 28.6%)

Near areas of town that have a high density of workers (49 responses, 12.0%)

Near areas with a high number of reported crashes involving cars, pedestrians or bicyclists. (326 responses, 79.7%)

Near senior housing (93 responses, 22.7%)

On busy streets that have a lot of traffic. (280 responses, 68.5%)

That connect people where they live to where they want to go (176 responses, 43.0%)

That connect residential and commercial areas (158 responses, 38.6%)

Would you rather the Town: (pick one)

343 of 409 Answered (83.9%)

Radio Buttons

Complete a few major improvement projects over a long time (85 responses, 20.8%)

Complete several smaller projects that can be done relatively quickly (258 responses, 63.1%)

**Is there anything else you want to share about
driving, walking, or bicycling around Wellesley?**

216 of 409 Answered (52.8%)

Long Answer

216 of 409 Answered (52.8%)

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If you would like updates on this Complete Streets

148 of 409 Answered (36.2%)

Prioritization Plan, please provide your email

address:

Long Answer

148 of 409 Answered (36.2%)

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