Perrysburg Land Use Plan - 2020

STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING 3 - DECEMBER 17TH





Agenda

- ▶ 1. Project Overview (Scope and Schedule)
- ▶ 2. Public Engagement Review
 - Stakeholder interviews
 - Online Survey
 - Statistically Valid Survey
 - Community Meetings 1 and 2
- ▶ 3. Develop Preliminary Planning Principles
- ▶ 4. Identify and Confirm Land Use Focus Areas
- ▶ 5. Next Steps



Project Scope and Schedule



Approach

TASK 1:



PHASE 1: PREPARING FOR THE PLAN



PHASE 2: UNDERSTANDING THE CONTEXT



PHASE 3: COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT



PHASE 4: DEVELOPING THE PLAN



PHASE 5: FINALIZING THE PLAN, SETTING UP IMPLEMENTATION



Project Approach

- Prepare a test group (YOU!) and project website to provide info;
- Understand the context of the plan and the city;
- Test the key themes of the plan with the public;
- Illustrate plan elements with maps & graphics; and,
- Finalize the plan with the public and kickoff implementation!





Phase I

Task 1.1 – Getting Organized

Task 1.2 - Develop Project Brand and Website

Task 1.3 – Assemble Mapping Data and Prepare Maps

Task 1.4 – Review Current Plans and Policies

Task 1.5 - Project Kick-Off (Steering Committee Meeting 1)





Task 2.1 – Existing Condition Analysis

Task 2.2 – Existing Conditions Presentation and Preparing for

Community Outreach (Steering Committee Meeting 2)





Task 3.1 – Small Group Meetings (up to 3)

Task 3.2 - Public Meeting 1

Task 3.3 – Online Engagement

Task 3.4 – Phone Survey





Task 4.1 - Creating the Plan Goals and Objectives / Identifying Priority Development Areas (Steering Committee Meeting 3)

Task 4.2 - Understanding Options for Growth and the Fiscal Impacts of Growth

Task 4.3 - Creating and Testing the Plan Framework and Priority Development Area Concepts (Steering Committee Meeting 4)





Task 5.1 – Finalize the Land Use Plan, Develop Code Recommendations, and Create an Implementation Matrix

Task 5.2 – Prepare and Review the Draft Plan

Task 5.3 – Public Meeting 2/Online Review

Task 5.4– Finalize and Prepare for Implementation (SC 5)

Task 5.5 - Final Plan Deliverables



MEETING SCHEDULE - DRAFT

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PERRYSBURG LAND USE PLAN UPDATE - UPDATED 11/24/2020

Client Kick-Off Meeting
Project kick-off with the client to orient the team to the process

Tuesday, May 26th, 2020 11am - Zoom Call

and establish the project schedule.

Steering Committee Meeting 1
Review project purpose, scope, schedule, and conduct goal setting/idea generation activities.

Tuesday, September 1st 2020 10am - Perrysburg City Hall

Steering Committee Meeting 2

Review and validate existing conditions key findings, outline additional research as needed and prepare for Public Meeting 1. Friday, October 9th, 2020 10am - Perrysburg City Hall

Small Group Meetings

Meet with local stakeholders to gather ideas on issues and opportunities within the study area and prioritize for the future. October 28th - 30th, 2020 Noon and 5pm - Virtual Zoom Meetings

Public Meeting 1

Community meeting to gather ideas on issues, opportunities, and priorities within the study area. Community Survey available online. Thursday, December 3rd, 2020 5:30pm - Virtual Zoom Meeting

Steering Committee Meeting 3

Review community engagement, discuss initial framework plan with the committee and gather feedback. Identify objectives to meet the plan goals. Thursday, December 17th, 2020 10am - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

Steering Committee Meeting 4

Review draft plan framework including phasing, and priority public and private projects and develop specific strategies to guide the implementation of the Plan and priority projects. Thursday, February 4th, 2021 10am - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

Virtual Plan Review (2 Zoom Meetings)

Present document to the client and steering committee for comments. The comments will be addressed and the draft will be prepared for presentation at the second public meeting. February 25th & March 18th, 2021

Time TBD - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

Public Meeting 2 - Open House

Provide an overview of the planning process and key findings, present plan framework and recommendations, and engage the public in a series of activities to gain input/feedback on the plan elements.

Thursday, April 1st 2021 Time TBD - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

Steering Committee Meeting 5

Present input from Open House and present the final plan for final feedback

Thursday, April 22nd, 2021 10am - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

DRAFT SCHEDULE





The City of Perrysburg has initiated the process to update their Land Use Plan. The planning process will allow community members and local leaders to realize ambitions and make more informed decisions regarding land use and policy.

This project site is intended to provide additional opportunities for public engagement and inform the Perrysburg community of important meeting dates and projects throughout the planning process.

Please check back often and stay engaged!



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Public Engagement Review



By the numbers



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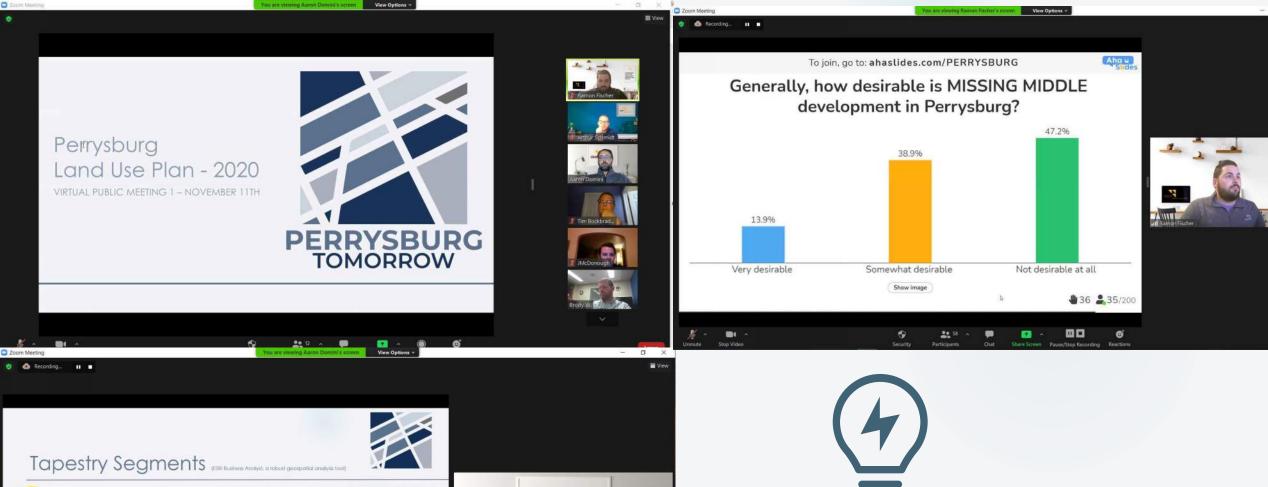
- 2 Community Meetings...+/- 50 participants
- 5 Stakeholder meeting...+/- 30 participants
- 2 community surveys...+/- 700 participants

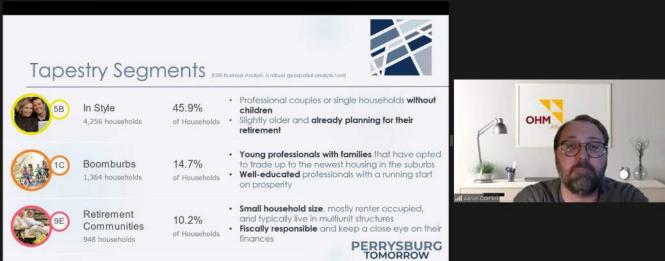
1,000s of ideas, comments, and visions for the future





Community Meetings







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Community Meetings

- 2 public meetings conducted before and after thanksgiving
- Over 50 participants over the two sessions
- Participated in live polling exercises
- Conducted an issues, opportunities, and future growth desires of participants





Community Meeting - Issues

- underutilizing downtown some higher and better uses? Losing its character?
- not enough space for events and entertainment
- **gaps in green space, parks, trails, etc.** not enough river access
- Taxes and cost of living are high
- lack of transit no commuting options
- "perfectsburg"
- housing market limits diversity
- Rapid growth of the population and the effects on the schools
- Old infrastructure aging & need to be replaced/addressed





Community Meeting - Opportunities

- natural assets river, wildlife, trails, parks, open space, etc.
- small town charm with a great downtown, wonderful schools
- growing commercial/industrial base to offset tax revenue
- ▶ Route 25 Corridor growth for income generating uses
- Intersection of 1475 & River Road could be developed
- opportunity around Route 20 different business opportunity.



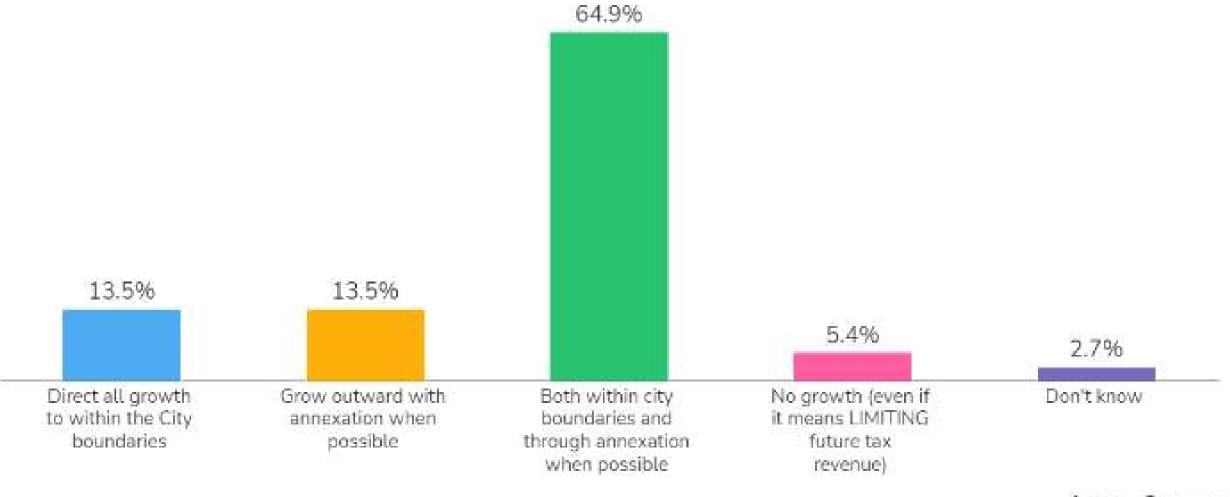


Community Meeting – Ideas for Growth

- growing up perhaps some resistance to that, but need to compete
- be mindful of character educate public on what the character could be
- recreation! trails and parks
- more affordable housing young families, downsizing, missing middle?
- new development should be connected more community oriented "centers"
- offer more diverse housing choices
- growth, with conservation and community amenities
- increase density in an appropriate scale grow inward and up
- maintains history of town, but grow into the future

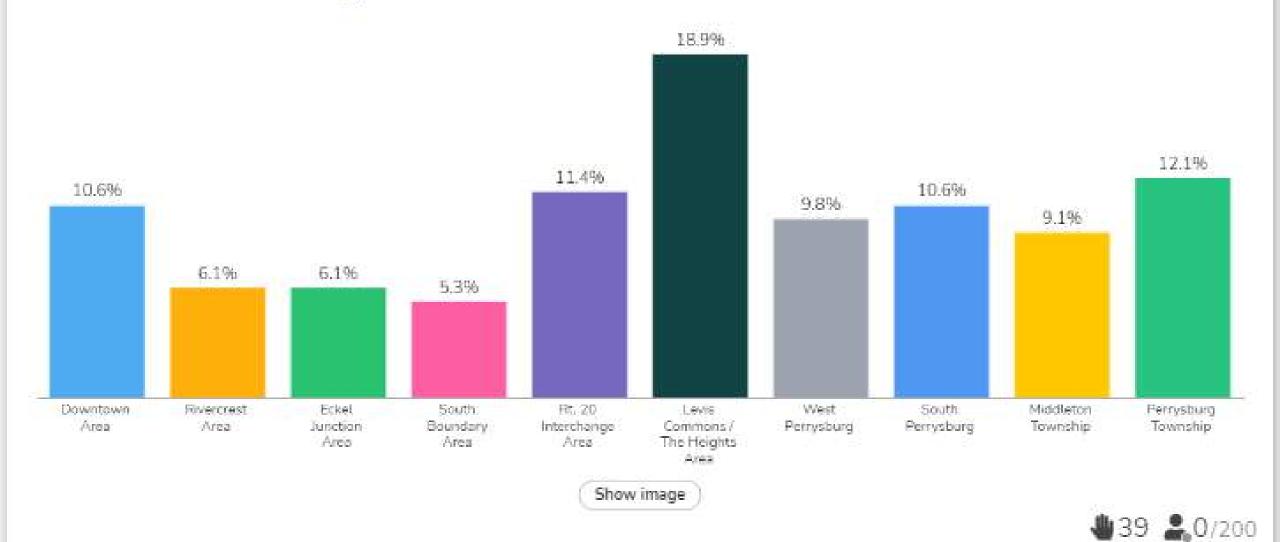


Looking ahead to the next ten years, how do you think the City should grow?





Select which areas in which you think development and future growth should be accommodated.



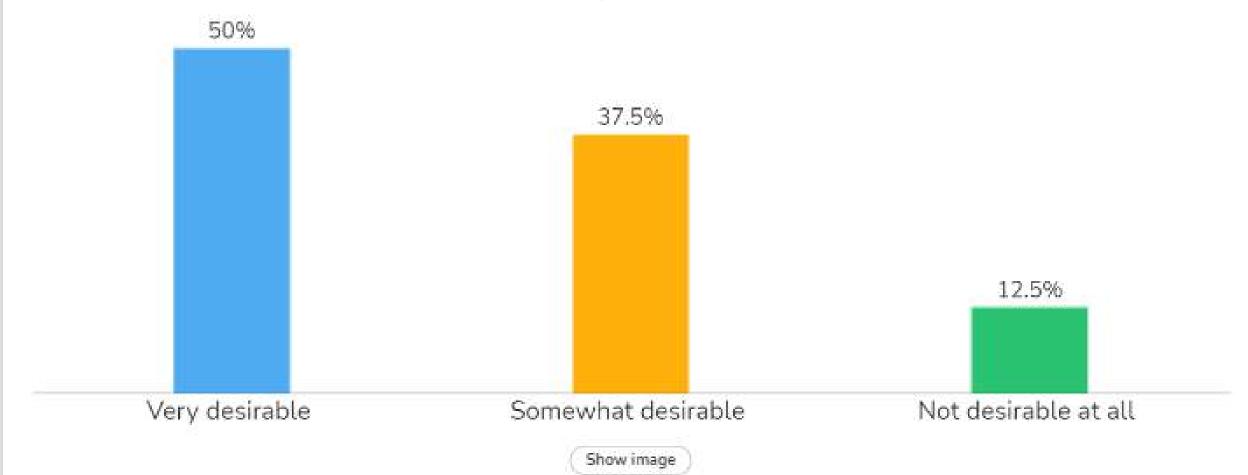


Character Impressions

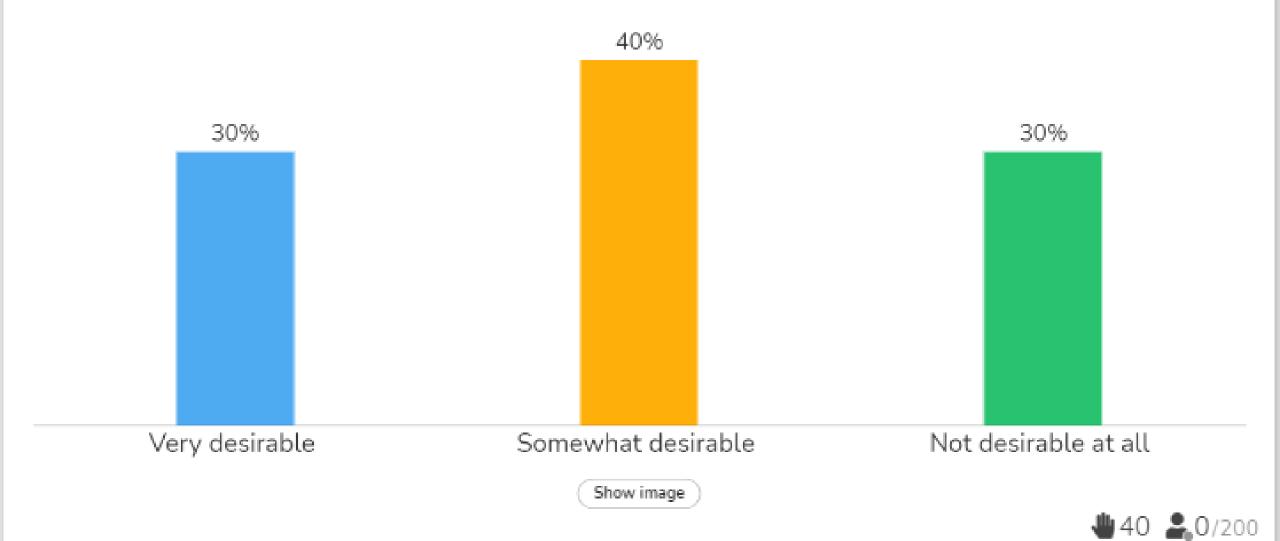
- A live polling exercise was conducted during the Community meeting where participants could rank if a development type was...
 - Very desirable
 - Somewhat desirable
 - Not desirable at all
- The development types were...
 - Mixed use development
 - Multi family urban infill
 - Multi family greenfield
 - Traditional Neighborhood Development (TND)
 - Missing middle housing
 - Low-Density Single-family housing



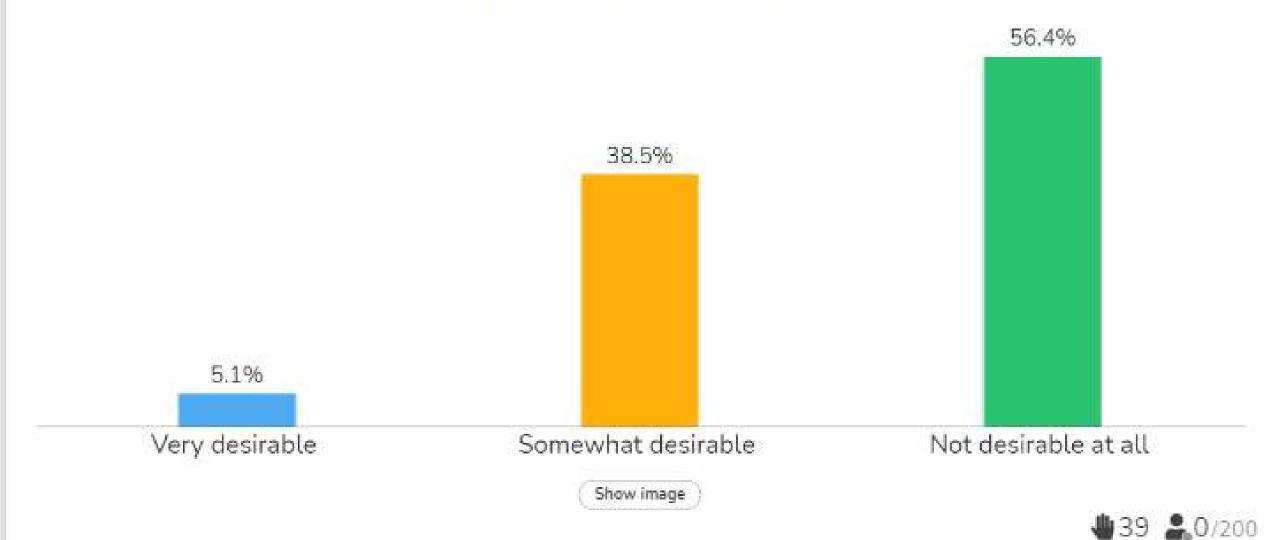
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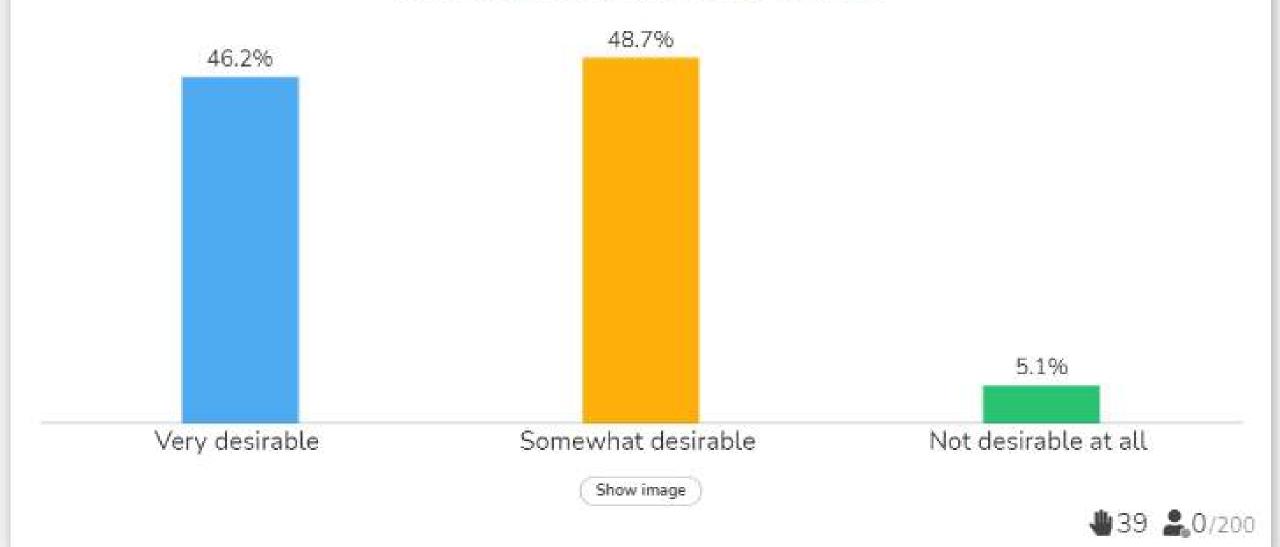
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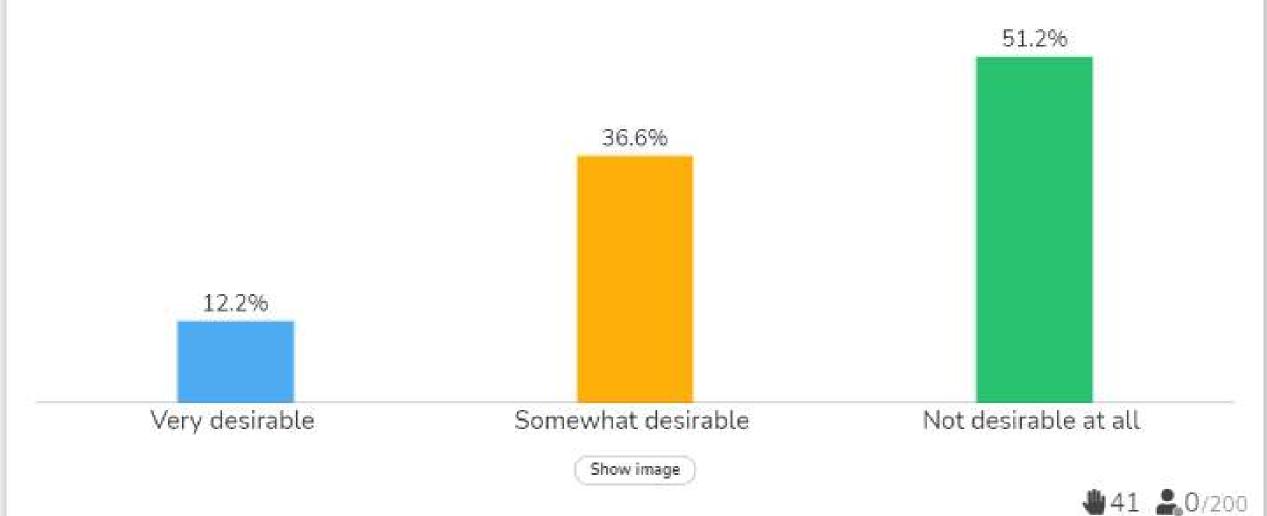
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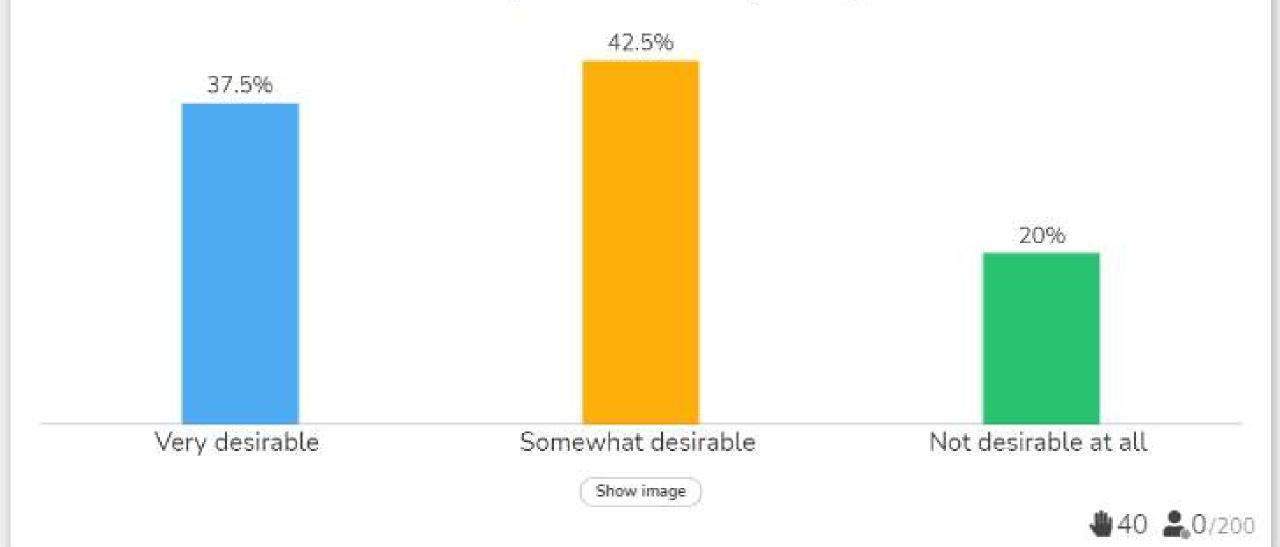
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Generally, how desirable is MISSING MIDDLE development in Perrysburg?



Generally, how desirable is LOW DENSITY SINGLE FAMILY development in Perrysburg?





Stakeholder Interviews



Stakeholder Interviews

- 5 meetings across 3 days that reached close to 40 key stakeholders in your community
- Performed a similar activity to the steering committee to get an understanding of the issues, opportunities, and future growth desires of participants





Stakeholder - Issues

- maintaining infrastructure and traffic as we grow
- high cost of living taxes
- perception is that Perrysburg is a 'no growth' community, that growth is out of control today, and as a whole, is resistant to change
- having space for students as growth continues a need for new community school(s)
- zoning and approval process needs to be updated
- need to be more developer friendly/easier to do business
- need to take competitive approach to compete with neighboring communities
- ▶ lack of recreation open space, events space, parks, trails and non-motorized network





Stakeholder - Opportunities

- great schools and small-town feel great place to raise a family!
- create more jobs businesses want to move here!
- opportunity to grow vertical
- regional partnerships with townships
- rt 25 has potential to grow economic sector
- ▶ invest in waterfront! public space
- sports complex and other recreational and events facilities
- 3 freeway interchanges in town, a lot of developable land





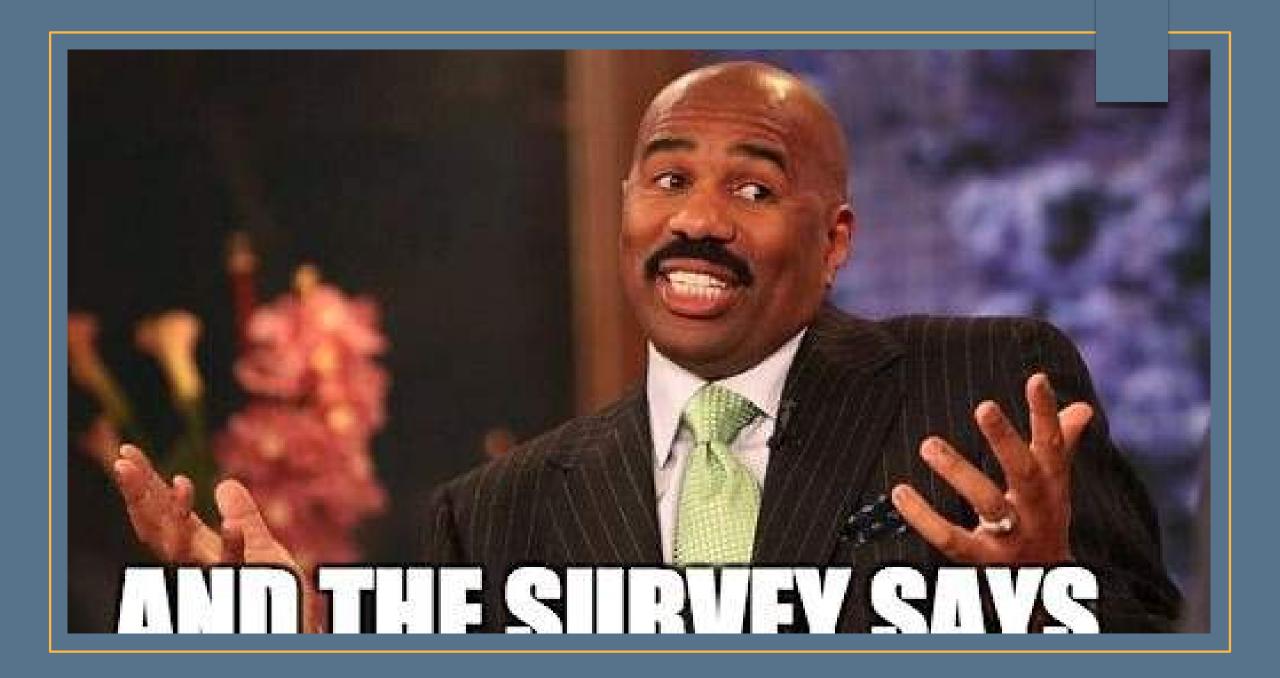
Stakeholder – Ideas for Growth

- thoughtful growth at current rate sustainable, green, quality of life
- growth needs to include neighborhood amenities such as schools, trails, parks, open space, etc.
- inward growth and upward incentivize commercial growth and diverse housing options, adaptive reuse?
- promote and grow arts, culture, athletics, and events
- attract younger generations with diverse housing options that also give elderly residents ability to age in place
- need to compete with neighboring communities, but maintain the small-town feel that makes us special and unique





Surveys online / statistically valid





Research Approach



1 33.4% / 227 resp.
2 Taxes 41.5% / 170 resp.
3 Traffic 33.7% / 138 resp.
4 School district 30.0% / 123 resp.
5 Infrastructure conditions 22.0% / 90 resp.





Phone interviews with c

City of Perrysburg residents
who are NOT an elected official
or employed by radio/TV
station or newspaper/
magazine publisher



Online survey developed by OHM, and administered by Typform. Housed on project website and distributed by the City of Perrysburg

Interviewed 11/5/20 – 11/16/20

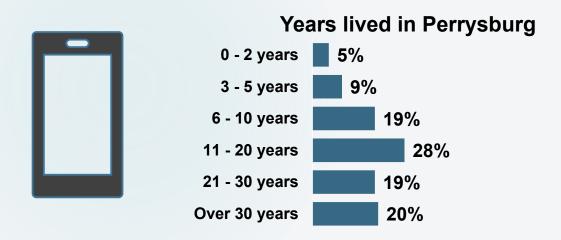




Research Approach

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Online Survey Graphs Look Like This





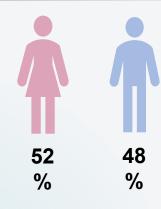


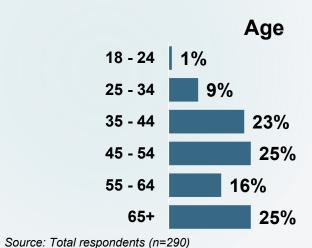


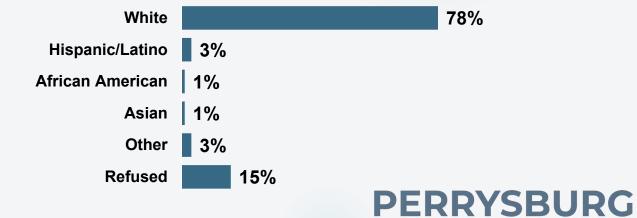


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Respondent Profile



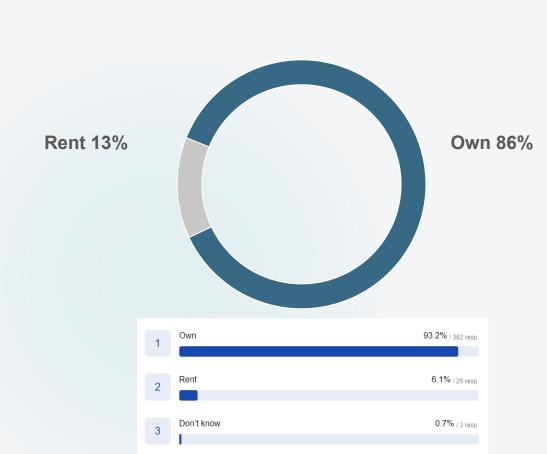




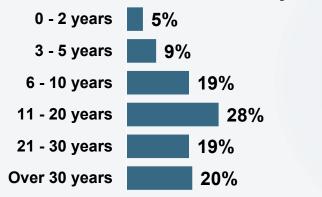
42% children in household



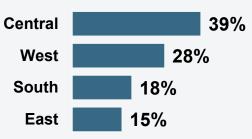
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Years lived in Perrysburg



Where reside in Perrysburg





Source: Total respondents (n=290)



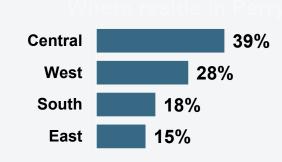
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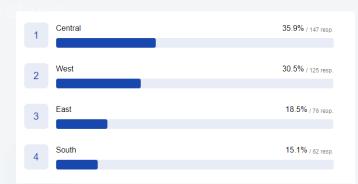


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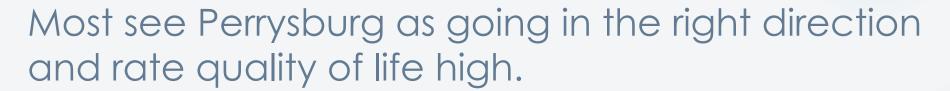






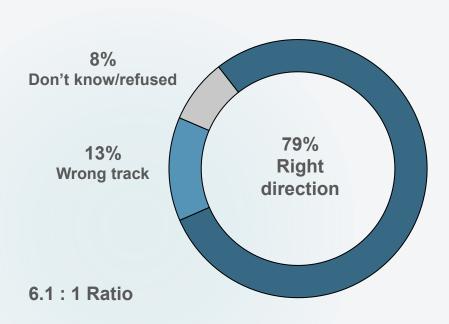


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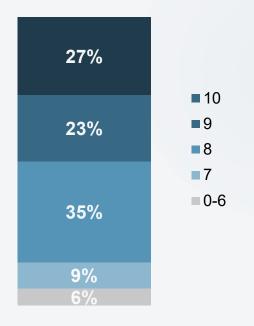




Perrysburg direction



Quality of life in Perrysburg







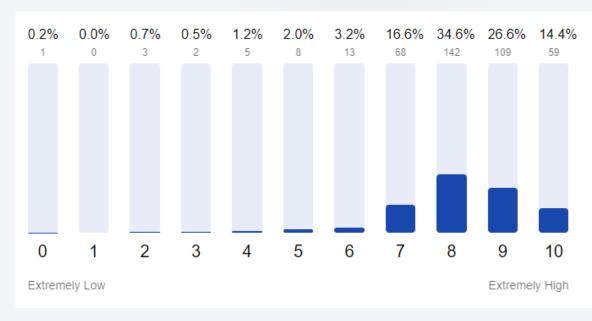


Most see Perrysburg as going in the right direction and rate quality of life high.

Perrysburg direction

1 Right direction 54.6% / 224 resp. 2 Wrong track 29.0% / 119 resp. 3 Don't know 16.3% / 67 resp.

Quality of life in Perrysburg

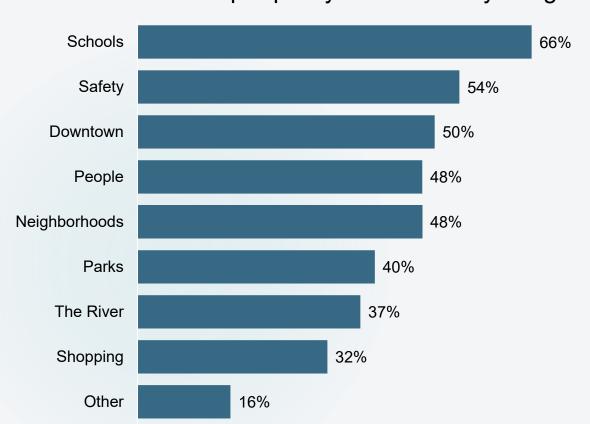


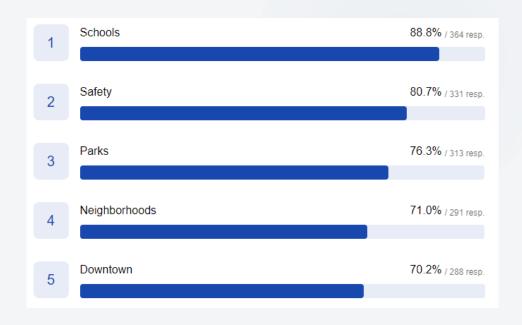


Schools are the top element that shapes the quality of life in Perrysburg followed by safety, downtown, people, and neighborhoods.



Elements that shape quality of life in Perrysburg







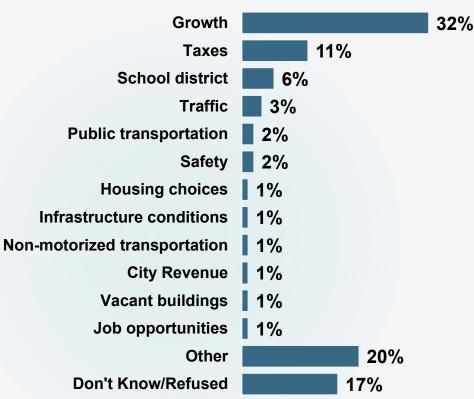
What elements in the community do you believe shape the quality of life in Perrysburg?



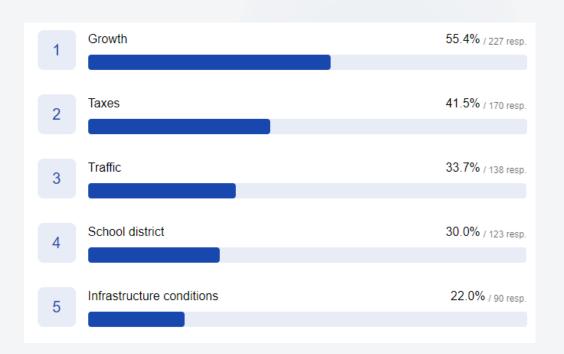




Most significant challenge facing City of Perrysburg



Source: Total respondents (n=290)
What is the most significant challenge facing the City of Perrysburg?





Residents are most satisfied with access to healthcare facilities and the beauty of the city but are less satisfied with city communication, traffic flow, and multi-purpose trails.



Satisfaction with services & characteristics (averages on 0-10 scale)



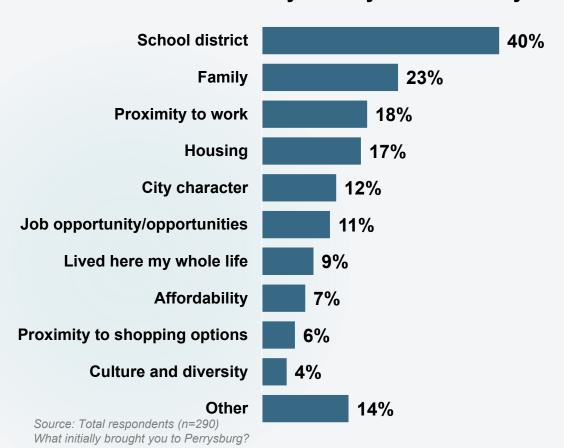
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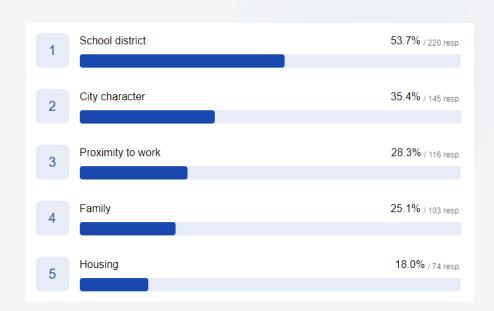


The school district is a strong draw for many new residents.



Why initially came to Perrysburg

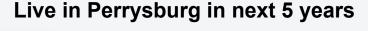


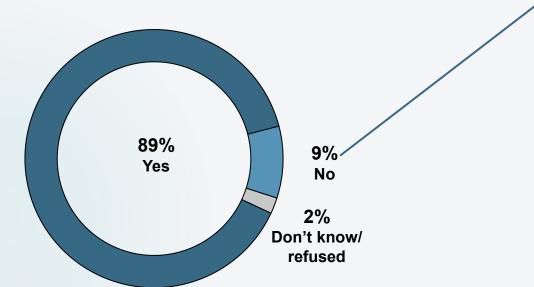




Most expect to continue living in Perrysburg. Taxes and cost of living are a key reason for the few who don't expect to continue living in Perrysburg.







Why won't be living in Perrysburg in next five years

- Taxes (10)
- Personal reasons for moving (6)
- Cost of living (5)
- Lack of diversity/culture (4)
- Family (2)
- Too much growth (2)
- Job opportunities (1)
- Entertainment (1)
- Other (4)
- Don't know/refused (2)

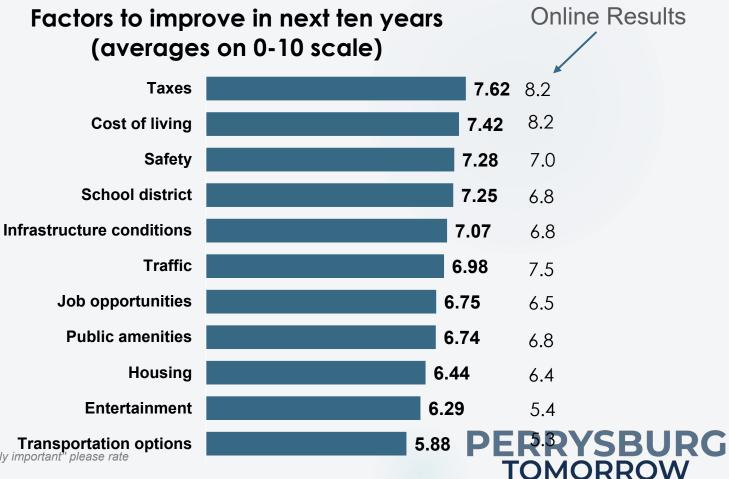
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Factors that impact residents' pocketbooks are at the top of the list as the most important factors to improve in the next ten years.







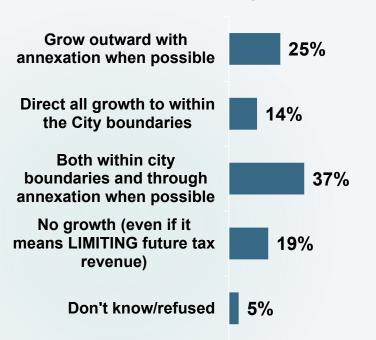
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Transportation
Using a scale of 0-10, with 0 being "not at all important" and 10 being "extremely important" please rate how important it is to improve the following factors in the next ten years.

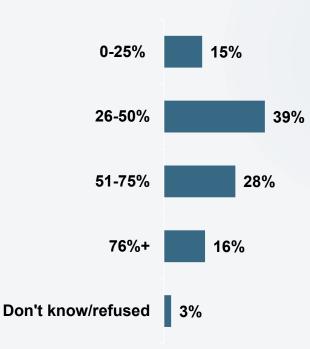








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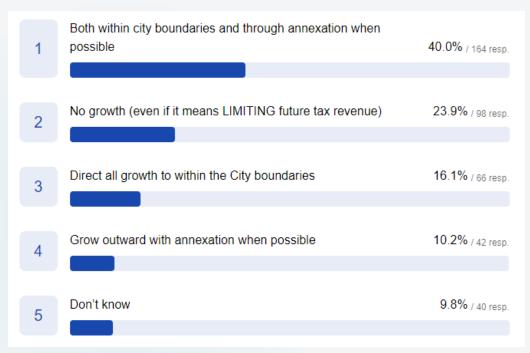
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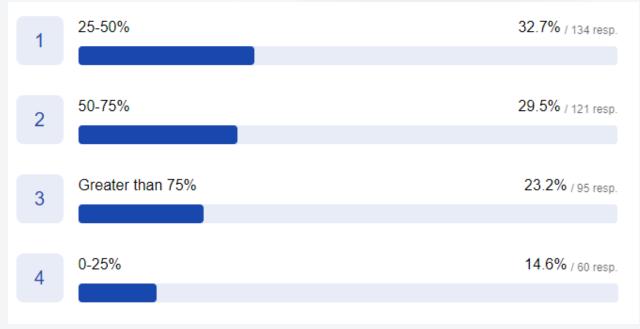
There are a variety of opinions on how Perrysburg should grow. Most believe at least some of the water/sewer land should be conserved.



How should Perrysburg grow in next 10 years



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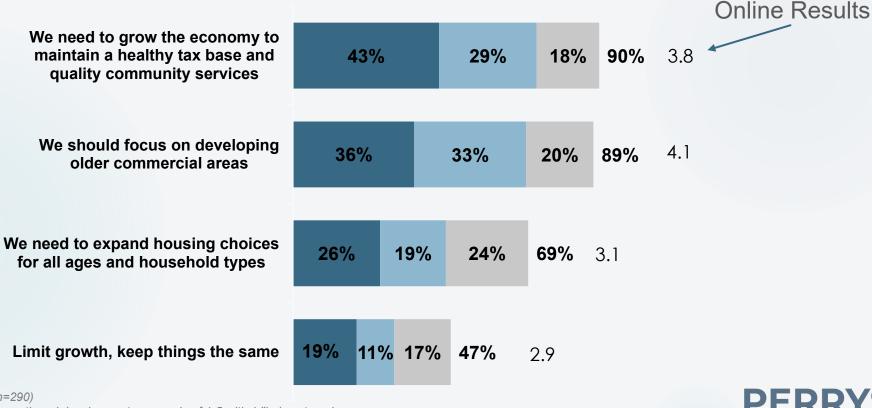
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Most residents feel there is a need to grow the economy and focus on developing older commercial areas. Fewer see a need to expand housing choices.



Desired future growth and development





■ 5 - Strongly Agree ■ 4 ■ 3



Again developing commercial areas rises to the top while developing farmland is at the bottom. Nearly half believe new development in the downtown area should be accommodated.





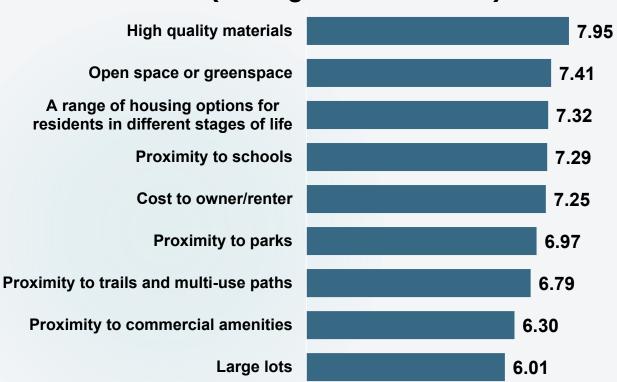


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The most important housing characteristic is high quality materials. Although large lots aren't as popular, residents do want open space and parks.



Importance of housing characteristics (averages on 0-10 scale)



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On a scale of 0-10 with 0 being "extremely unimportant" and 10 being "extremely important," please rate how important each of the following housing characteristics are when thinking about future residential growth.

Families with children are the most often mentioned group that might potentially need more housing in the next ten years.





Young Adults 14%



Families with Children 46%



Families without Children 4%



55 and older 29%

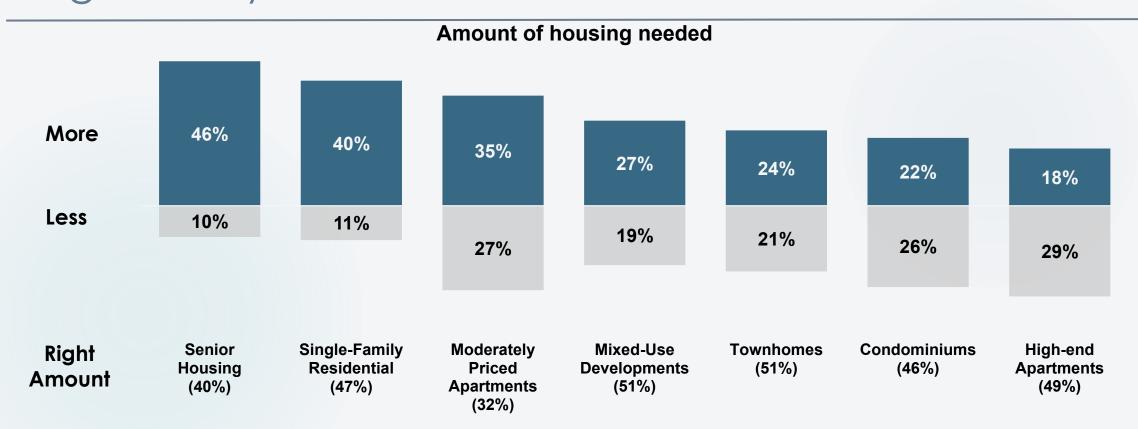






However, when asked about specific kinds of housing senior housing is slightly higher than single family residential.





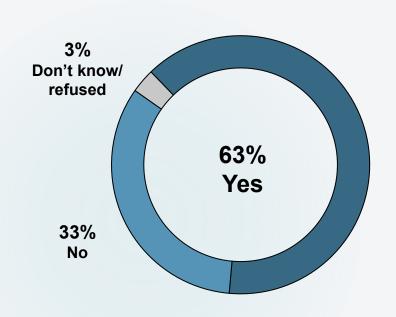
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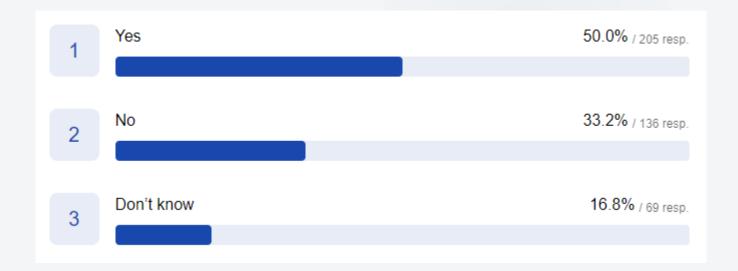


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Perrysburg should expand boundaries for new income uses



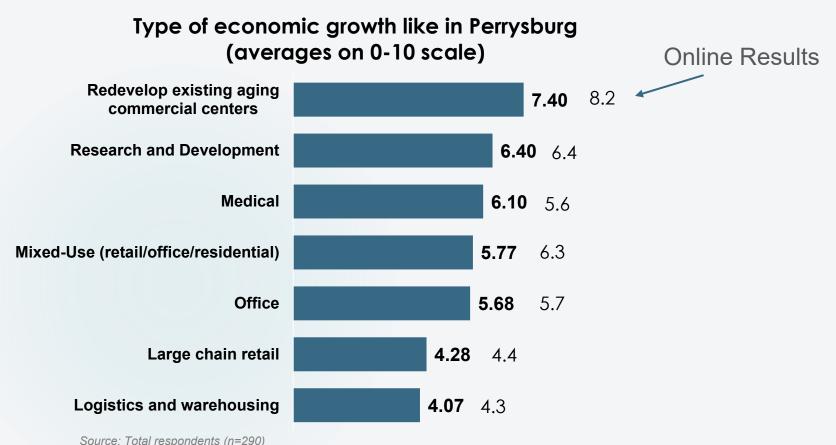






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Stakeholder Interviews

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Public Input Key Findings



- 1. The school district continues to be a strong community factor, and the predominant reason residents initially came to Perrysburg
- 2. Schools are the top element that shapes the quality of life in Perrysburg followed by safety, downtown, people, and neighborhoods.
- 3. Growth and taxes are the biggest challenges facing Perrysburg.
- 4. There is a strong desire among residents to improve the non-motorized connectivity in the city
- 5. Factors that impact residents' pocketbooks are at the top of the list as the most important factors to improve in the next ten years.
- 6. Residents have a balanced opinion of growth, and believe some should be directed within the City limits, and some through annexation





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- 2. Residents are favorable toward redeveloping older commercial areas and areas in and around downtown
- 3. A range of housing that is high-quality, integrates open space and neighborhood characteristics is important
- 4. There is a deferring of opinion in growth being a top concern, and its impacts on schools, with residents still having a high preference for housing that serves families with children
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Plan Framework Develop Preliminary Planning Principles



Plan Framework

Public Input

Surveys

Stakeholder Meetings

Public Meeting

Public Open House

Existing Conditions

People, Place, and Land

Best Practices

Local and National





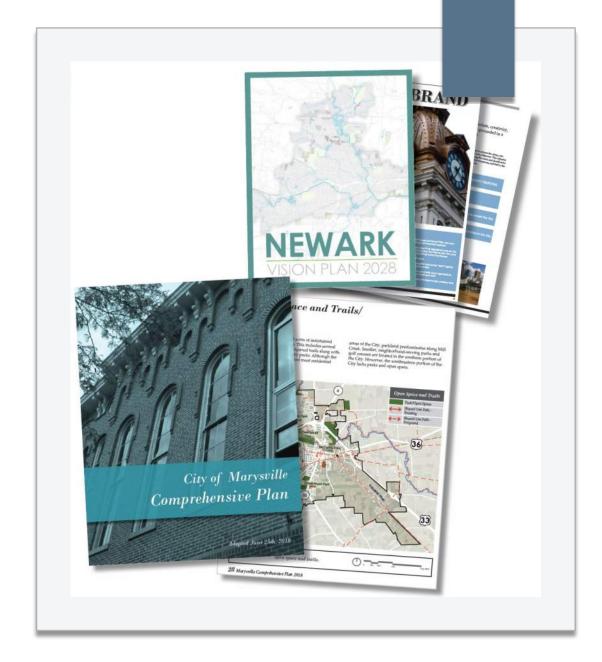


THE PLAN



DRAFT Plan Sections

- Community Profile and Public Engagement
- Image and Brand
- ► Housing, Economy, and Land Use
- Mobility and Infrastructure
- ► Parks & Open Space
- Downtown
- Implementation





Plan Framework



LAND USE PRINCIPLES

The desired outcome expressed in simple terms.

GOALS + OBJECTIVES

Statements of purpose.

ACTIONS

Programs, policies, or projects to support the strategies.





Plan Framework

- Overview
- Existing Conditions
- Public Input
- Future Land Use Plan
 - FLU Principles
 - FLU Map
 - Land Use Matrix
 - Description
 - Densities
 - Character

- Goals & Objectives
 - Land Use
 - Housing
 - Mobility
 - Quality of Life
 - Image & Brand
- Focus Areas
 - Land Use
 - Character
 - Connectivity
 - Quality of Life

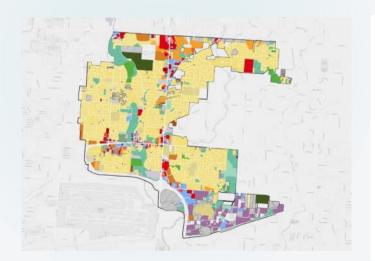
Create
Development
Principles for
each Focus Area





Our Work

- Plan Framework: Development Principles & Goals
- Draft Future Land Use Options
- Land Use Character Matrix



2015 zoning	B-1
gress density	8,000 - 12,000 sf / acre
building coverage	30%-40% (min / max)
front setback	20 ft.
max, height	35 ft
parking	Placed to the rear or side of the building.
Permitted uses	Retail Commercial Service Office











Our Work – Creating Draft Principles



As a group we will be sharing the draft principles



The principles will be recorded and reviewed



OHM with the client will review and refine



The principles will inform the development of the Future Land Use Map (presented at SC 4)



Our Work

- ► Take 5 min and write down statements that describe how you would like to see future growth in Perrysburg.
- Example: A community that is connected through a network of trails and pathways and places that promote social gathering and interaction
- Example: A community that values and protects open spaces and valuable natural resources.



Focus Areas



Focus Areas

An area that has been identified as an important parcel or collection of parcels that are appropriate for redevelopment or infill, and can dramatically shape the quality of life and economic success of the community in the future.



What Do Focus Areas Do?

- Identify areas that will advance the goals and objectives of the plan.
- Create opportunities for development that will be a catalyst for the development of the district, neighborhood or community
- Provide a direction for how **public dollars and projects** could be used to advance private sector investment in these areas.
- Identify the types of **public projects** that will support private sector investment in the focus area.
- Identify areas to 'preserve' with the greatest development opportunity . . . foregoing efforts to preserve the best development sites can result in a lost opportunity!



Focus Area Criteria

- Contiguous parcels with similar land ownership (Ease of Acquisition & encumbrances)
- Areas that do not conform/advance the community's plans
- Remediation of blighted areas that impair growth or impedes progress, or is not at the highest and best use
- Areas identified by the public as areas that should be enhanced preserved or transformed



What Do They Not Do?

- Rezone property
- Take property
- Provide a silver bullet to promote development

What Might They Look Like?



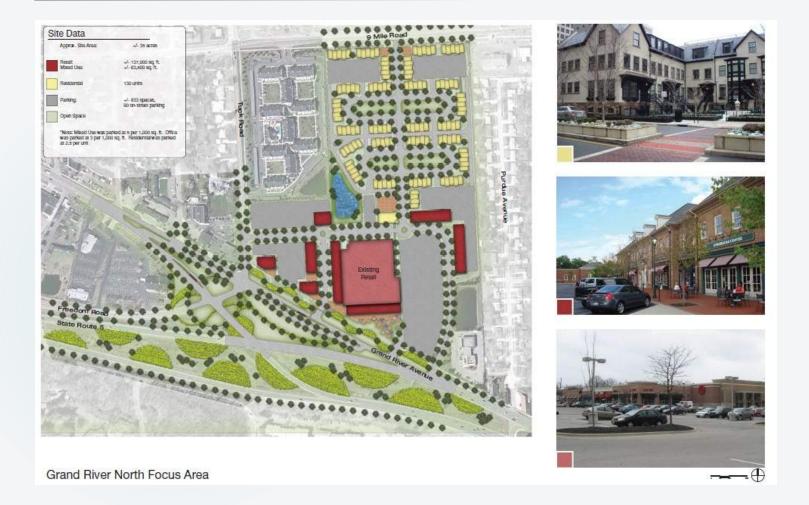








What Might They Look Like?





Draft Focus Areas





Next Steps

MEETING SCHEDULE - DRAFT

PERRYSBURG TOMORROW

PERRYSBURG LAND USE PLAN UPDATE - UPDATED 11/24/2020

Client Kick-Off Meeting

Project kick-off with the client to orient the team to the process and establish the project schedule. Tuesday, May 26th, 2020

11am - Zoom Call

Steering Committee Meeting 1

Review project purpose, scope, schedule, and conduct goal setting/idea generation activities. Tuesday, September 1st 2020

10am - Perrysburg City Hall

Steering Committee Meeting 2

Review and validate existing conditions key findings, outline additional research as needed and prepare for Public Meeting 1. Friday, October 9th, 2020

10am - Perrysburg City Hall

Small Group Meetings

Meet with local stakeholders to gather ideas on issues and opportunities within the study area and prioritize for the future. October 28th - 30th, 2020

Noon and 5pm - Virtual Zoom Meetings

Public Meeting 1

Community meeting to gather ideas on issues, opportunities, and priorities within the study area. Community Survey available online Thursday, December 3rd, 2020

5:30pm - Virtual Zoom Meeting

Steering Committee Meeting 4

Review draft plan framework including phasing, and priority public and private projects and develop specific strategies to guide the implementation of the Plan and priority projects.

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Virtual Plan Review (2 Zoom Meetings)

Present document to the client and steering committee for comments. The comments will be addressed and the draft will be prepared for presentation at the second public meeting. February 25th & March 18th, 2021

Time TBD - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

Public Meeting 2 - Open House

Provide an overview of the planning process and key findings, present plan framework and recommendations, and engage the public in a series of activities to gain input/feedback on the plan elements.

Thursday, April 1st 2021 Time TBD - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

Steering Committee Meeting 5

Present input from Open House and present the final plan for final feedback.

Thursday, April 22nd, 2021 10am - Virtual (unless decided otherwise) DRAFT CCHEDULE

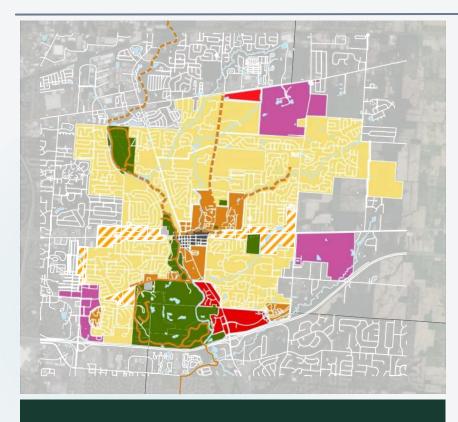
Thursday, February 4th, 2021

10am - Virtual (unless decided otherwise)

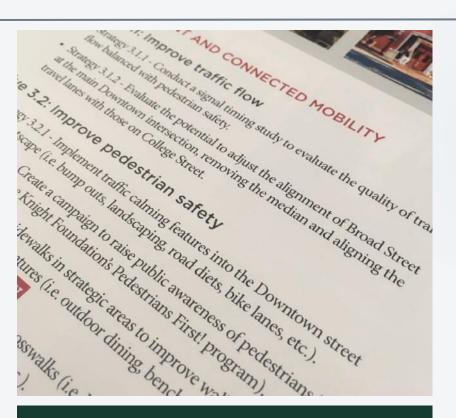




Next Steps



Land Use Chapter: Future Land Use Map



Draft Principles, Goals and Objectives

