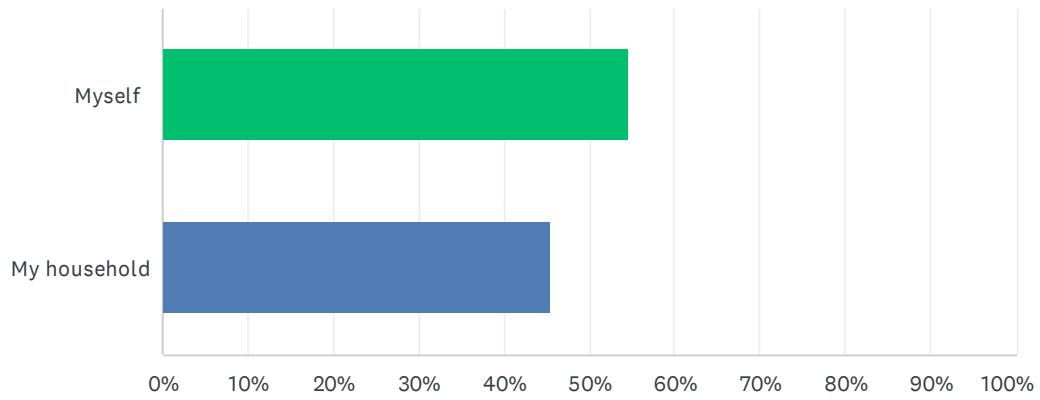


APPENDIX A

2022 Survey Results

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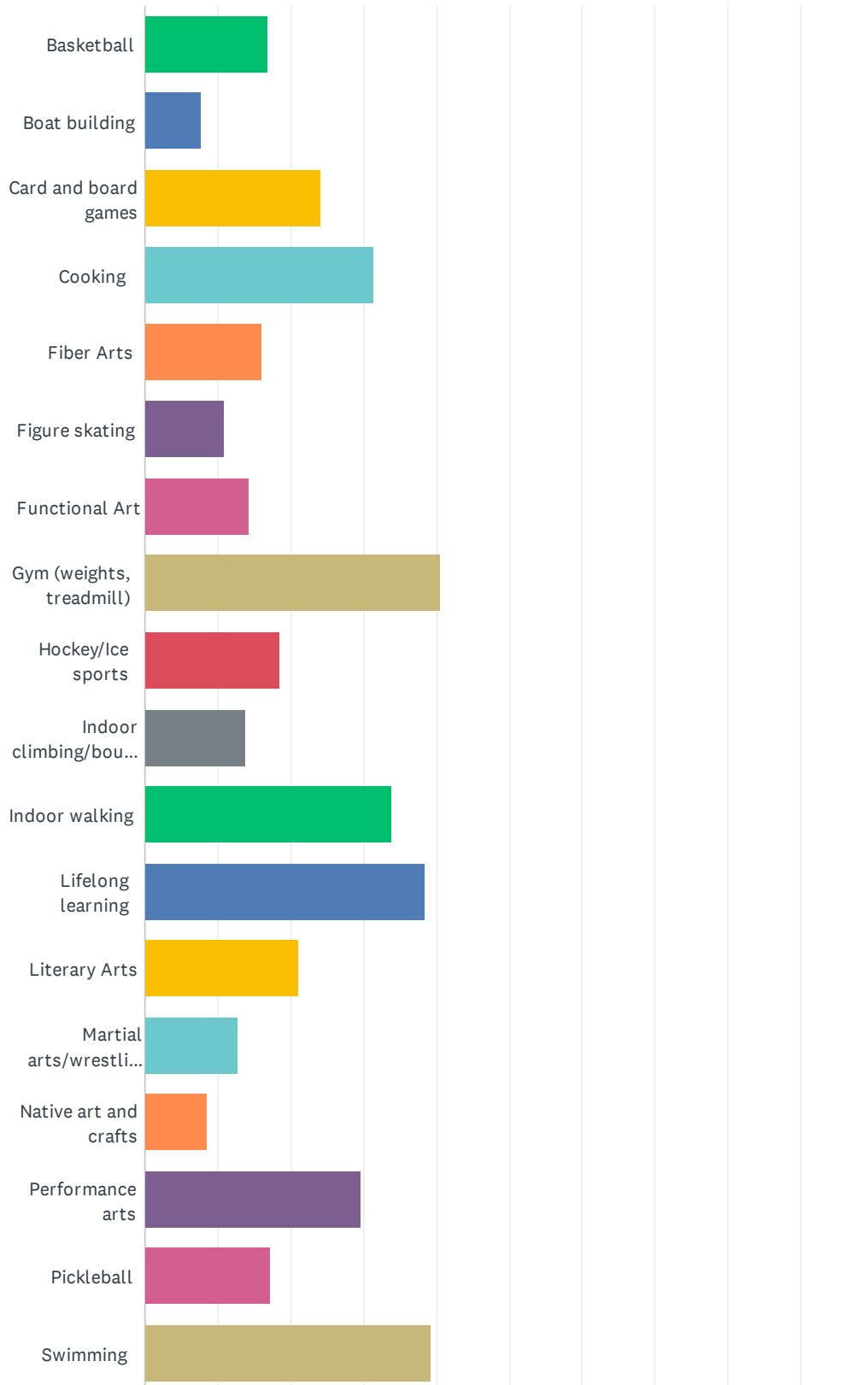
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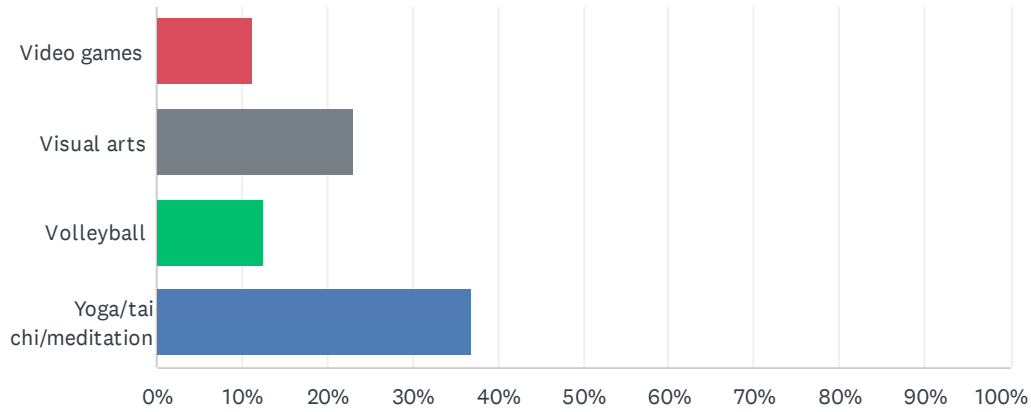
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Myself	54.49%	261
My household	45.51%	218
TOTAL		479

Q2 What INDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities do you currently participate in in Homer? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 430 Skipped: 50



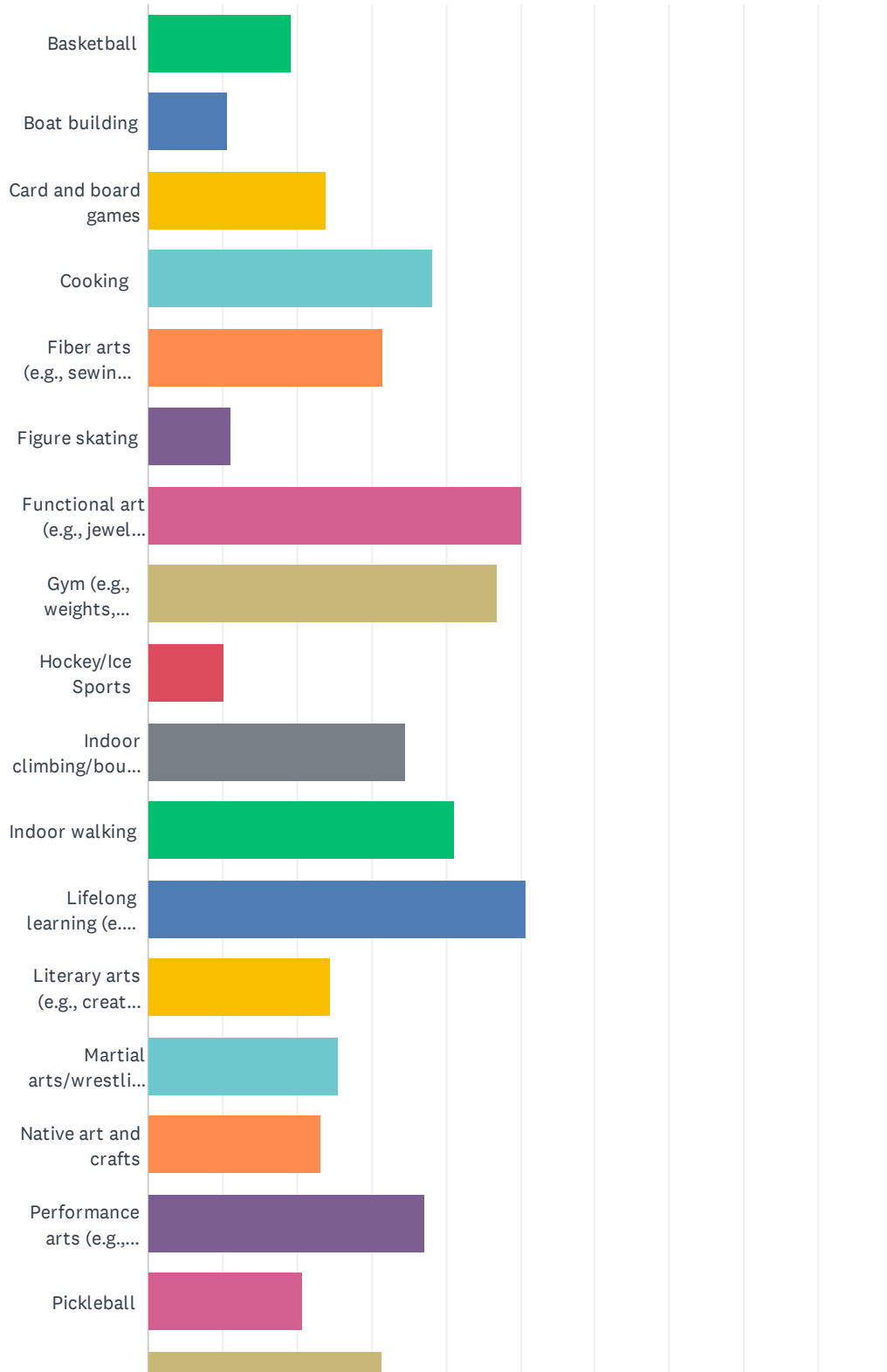
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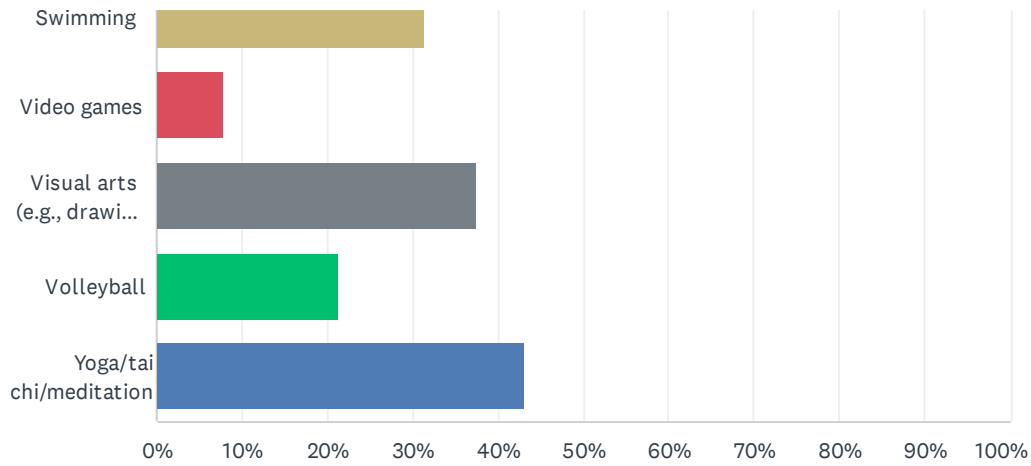
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Basketball	16.74%	72
Boat building	7.67%	33
Card and board games	24.19%	104
Cooking	31.40%	135
Fiber Arts	16.05%	69
Figure skating	10.93%	47
Functional Art	14.19%	61
Gym (weights, treadmill)	40.47%	174
Hockey/Ice sports	18.60%	80
Indoor climbing/bouldering	13.95%	60
Indoor walking	33.95%	146
Lifelong learning	38.37%	165
Literary Arts	21.16%	91
Martial arts/wrestling/gymnastics	12.79%	55
Native art and crafts	8.60%	37
Performance arts	29.53%	127
Pickleball	17.21%	74
Swimming	39.30%	169
Video games	11.40%	49
Visual arts	23.02%	99
Volleyball	12.56%	54
Yoga/tai chi/meditation	36.98%	159
Total Respondents: 430		

Q3 What desired INDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities would you like to do more of, or in addition to what you currently do? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 448 Skipped: 32



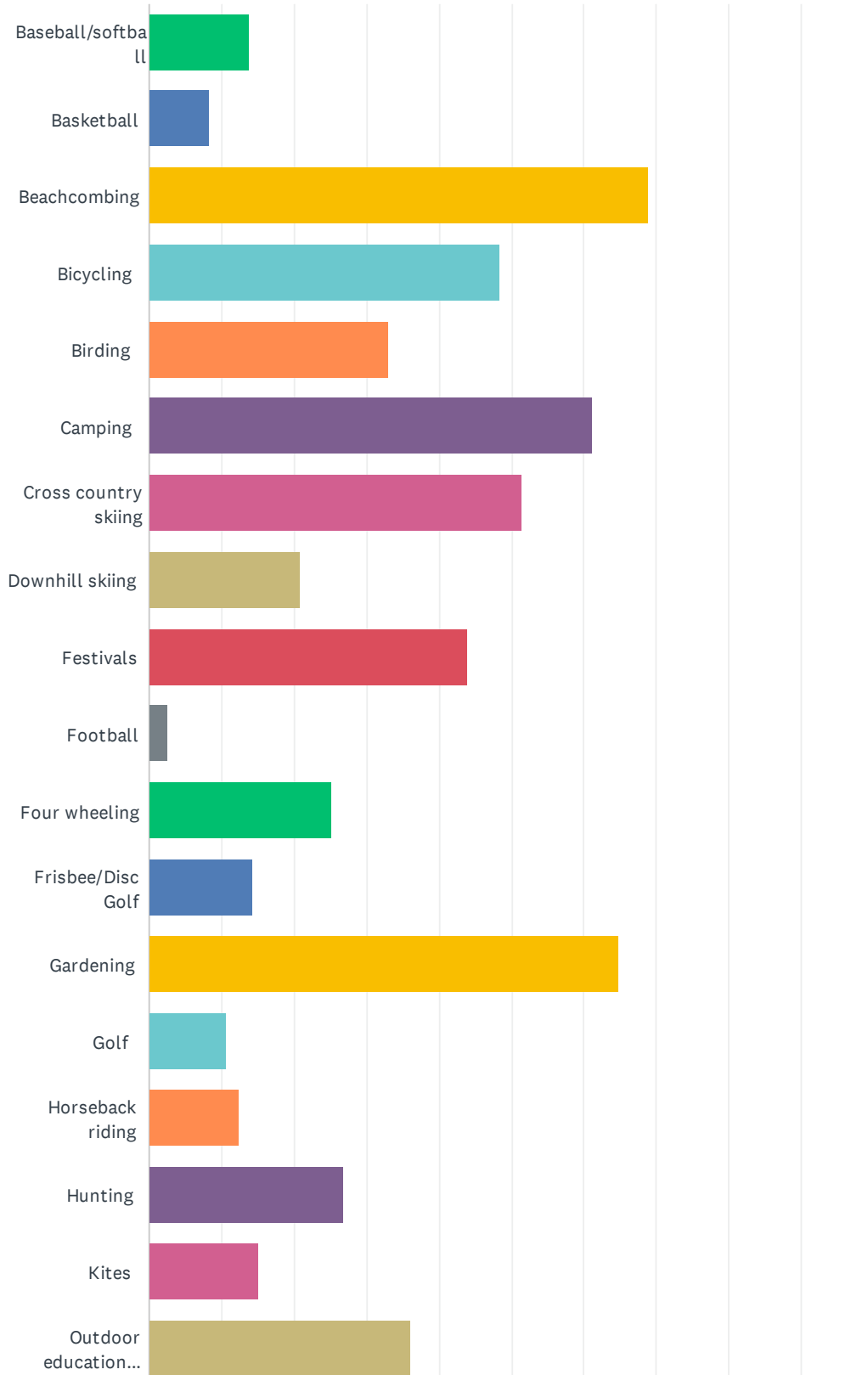
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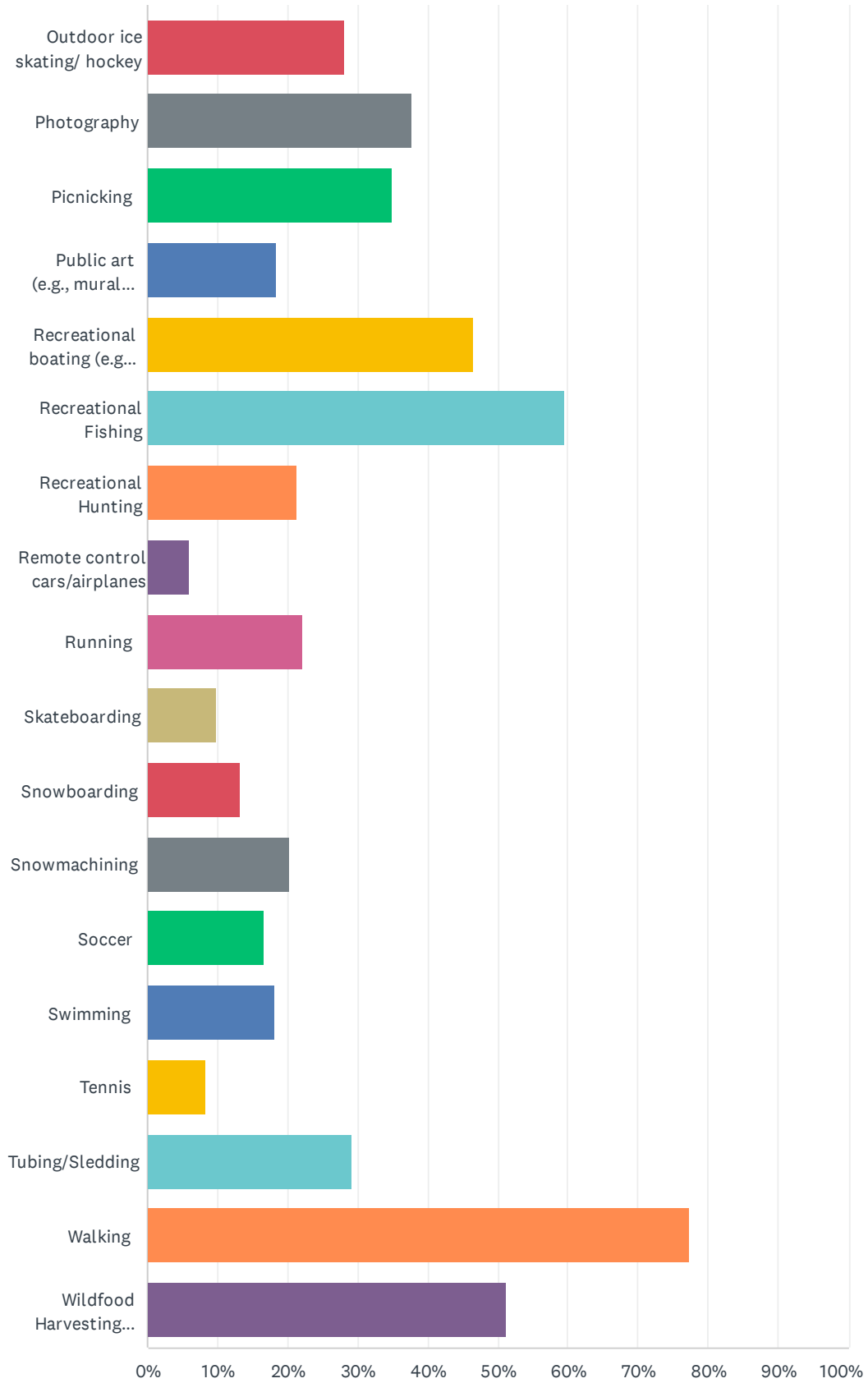
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Basketball	19.20%	86
Boat building	10.71%	48
Card and board games	23.88%	107
Cooking	38.17%	171
Fiber arts (e.g., sewing, knitting, quilting)	31.47%	141
Figure skating	11.16%	50
Functional art (e.g., jewelry, pottery, stained glass)	50.00%	224
Gym (e.g., weights, treadmill)	46.88%	210
Hockey/Ice Sports	10.27%	46
Indoor climbing/bouldering	34.60%	155
Indoor walking	41.07%	184
Lifelong learning (e.g. college, folk school, workshops)	50.67%	227
Literary arts (e.g., creative writing, poetry)	24.55%	110
Martial arts/wrestling/gymnastics	25.67%	115
Native art and crafts	23.21%	104
Performance arts (e.g., music, dance, theater)	37.05%	166
Pickleball	20.76%	93
Swimming	31.25%	140
Video games	7.81%	35
Visual arts (e.g., drawing, painting)	37.50%	168
Volleyball	21.43%	96
Yoga/tai chi/meditation	43.08%	193
Total Respondents: 448		

Q4 What OUTDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities do you currently participate in in Homer? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 470 Skipped: 10



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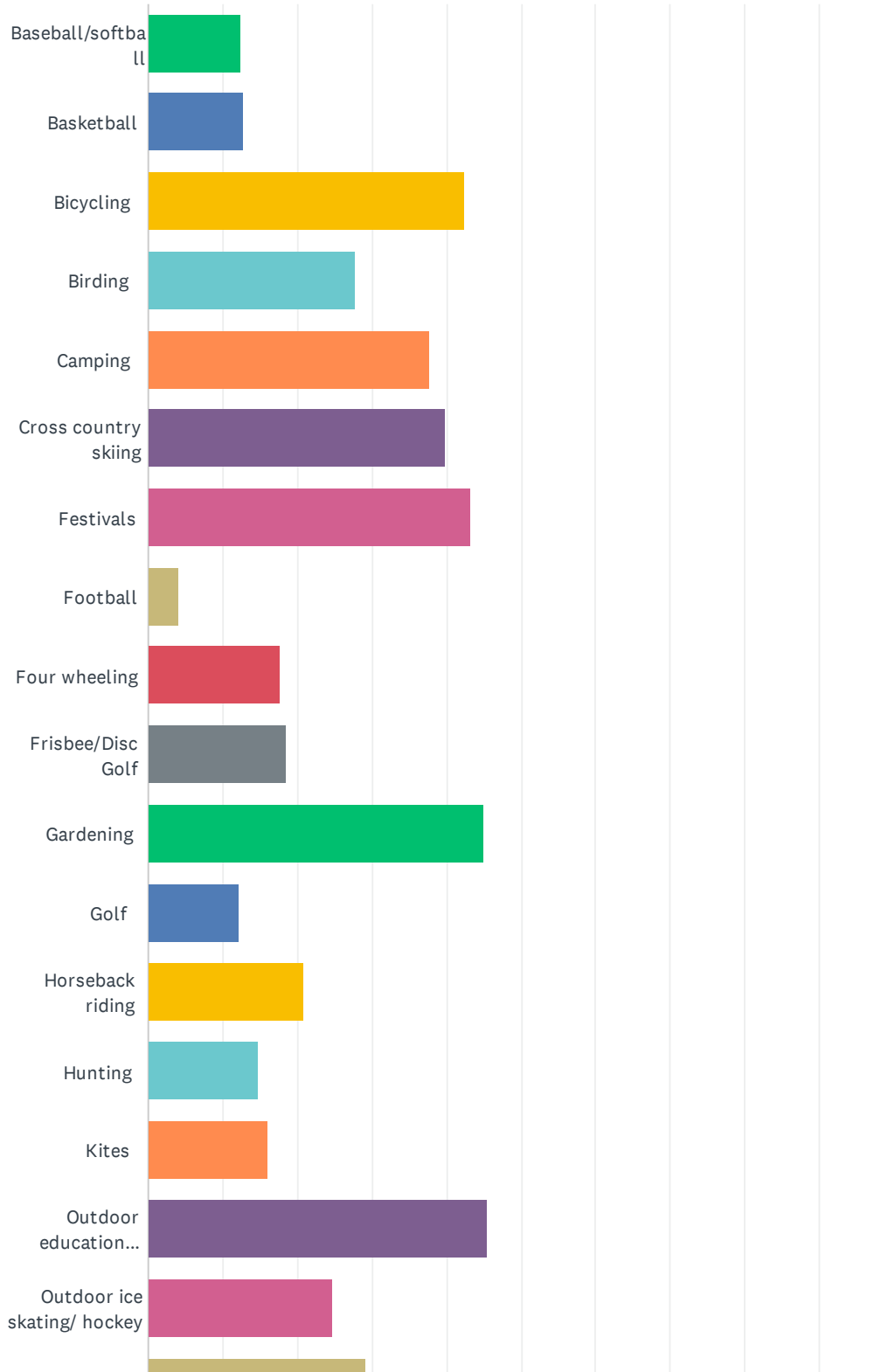
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Baseball/softball	13.83%	65
Basketball	8.30%	39
Beachcombing	68.94%	324
Bicycling	48.30%	227
Birding	32.98%	155
Camping	61.28%	288
Cross country skiing	51.49%	242
Downhill skiing	20.85%	98
Festivals	43.83%	206
Football	2.55%	12
Four wheeling	25.11%	118
Frisbee/Disc Golf	14.26%	67
Gardening	64.89%	305
Golf	10.64%	50
Horseback riding	12.34%	58
Hunting	26.81%	126
Kites	15.11%	71
Outdoor education (e.g., natural science)	35.96%	169
Outdoor ice skating/ hockey	28.09%	132
Photography	37.66%	177
Picnicking	34.89%	164
Public art (e.g., murals, sculpture and conceptual art)	18.30%	86
Recreational boating (e.g., canoeing, kayaking, sailing, motorboats)	46.38%	218
Recreational Fishing	59.57%	280
Recreational Hunting	21.28%	100
Remote control cars/airplanes	5.96%	28
Running	22.13%	104
Skateboarding	9.79%	46
Snowboarding	13.19%	62
Snowmachining	20.21%	95
Soccer	16.60%	78
Swimming	18.09%	85

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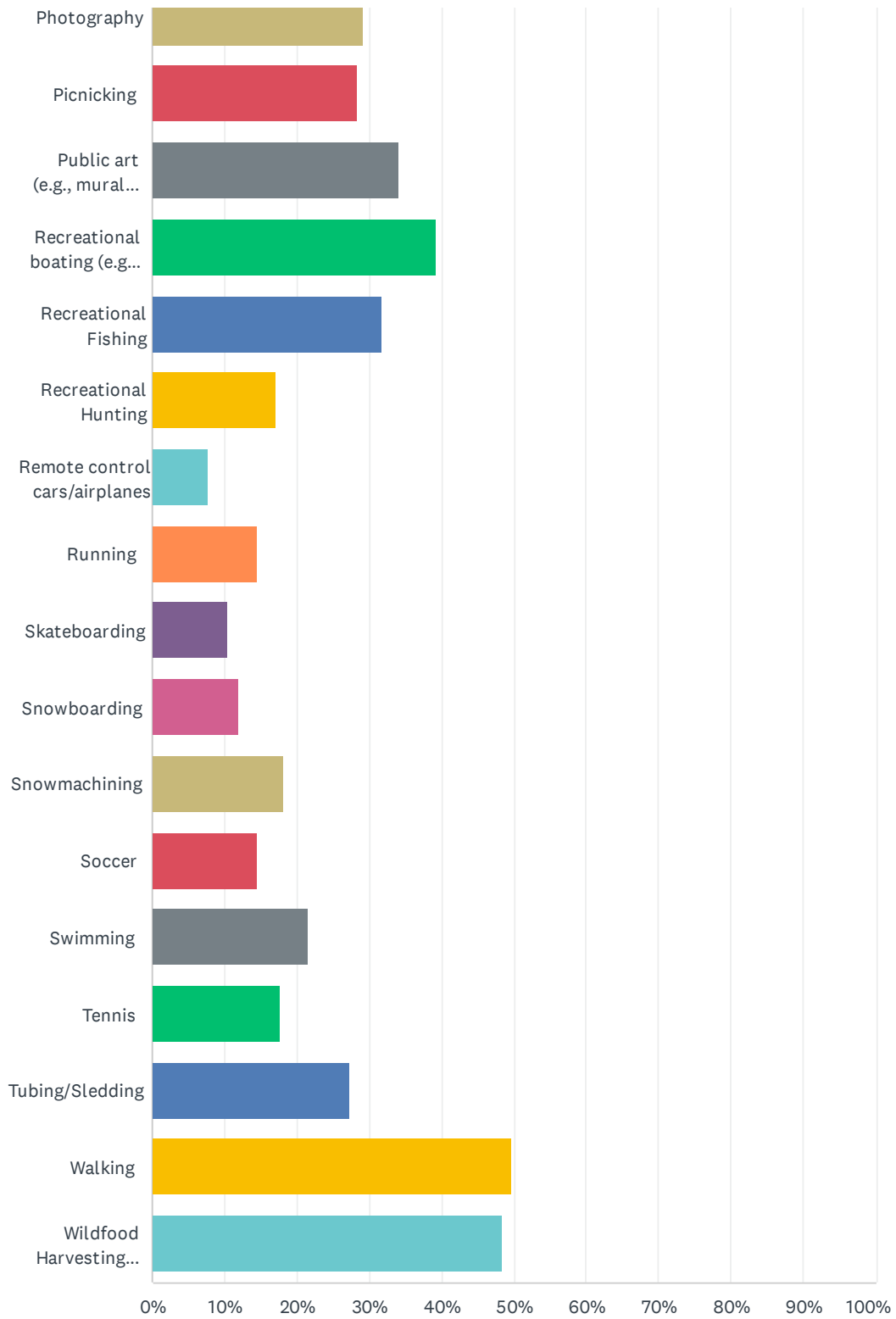
Tennis	8.30%	39
Tubing/Sledding	29.15%	137
Walking	77.45%	364
Wildfood Harvesting (e.g. mushrooms, berries)	51.28%	241
Total Respondents: 470		

Q5 What desired OUTDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities would you like to do more of, or in addition to what you currently do ? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 430 Skipped: 50



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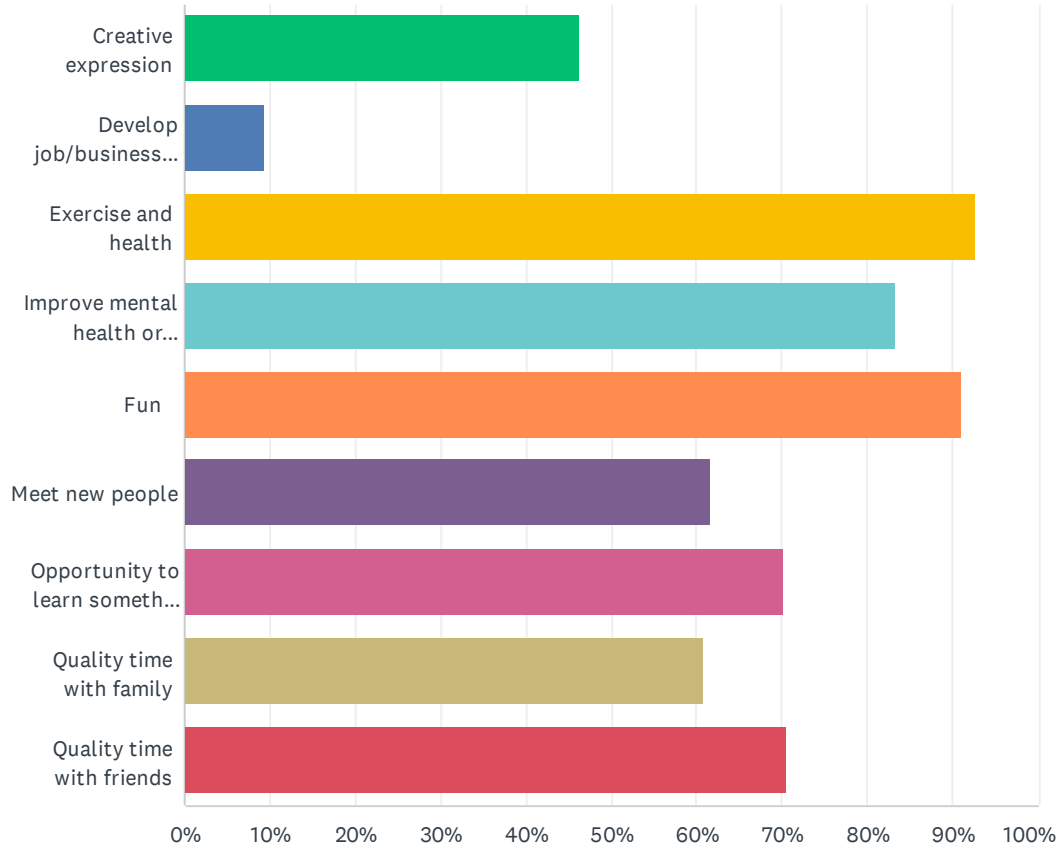
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Baseball/softball	12.33%	53
Basketball	12.79%	55
Bicycling	42.33%	182
Birding	27.67%	119
Camping	37.67%	162
Cross country skiing	39.77%	171
Festivals	43.26%	186
Football	3.95%	17
Four wheeling	17.67%	76
Frisbee/Disc Golf	18.60%	80
Gardening	44.88%	193
Golf	12.09%	52
Horseback riding	20.93%	90
Hunting	14.65%	63
Kites	16.05%	69
Outdoor education (e.g., natural science)	45.35%	195
Outdoor ice skating/ hockey	24.65%	106
Photography	29.30%	126
Picnicking	28.37%	122
Public art (e.g., murals, sculpture and conceptual art)	34.19%	147
Recreational boating (e.g., canoeing, kayaking, sailing, motorboats)	39.30%	169
Recreational Fishing	31.86%	137
Recreational Hunting	16.98%	73
Remote control cars/airplanes	7.67%	33
Running	14.42%	62
Skateboarding	10.47%	45
Snowboarding	11.86%	51
Snowmachining	18.14%	78
Soccer	14.42%	62
Swimming	21.63%	93
Tennis	17.67%	76
Tubing/Sledding	27.21%	117

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Walking	49.77%	214
Wildfood Harvesting (e.g. mushrooms, berries)	48.37%	208
Total Respondents: 430		

Q6 What is your motivation for participating in these PARC activities? (check all that apply)

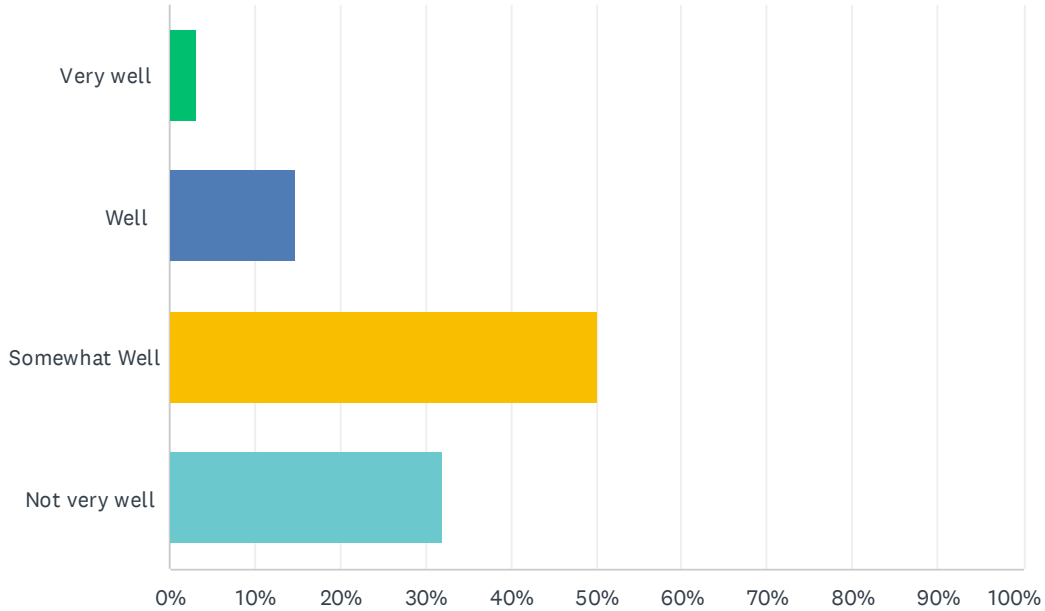
Answered: 468 Skipped: 12



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Creative expression	46.37%	217
Develop job/business skills	9.40%	44
Exercise and health	92.74%	434
Improve mental health or mental well being	83.33%	390
Fun	91.03%	426
Meet new people	61.54%	288
Opportunity to learn something new	70.09%	328
Quality time with family	60.68%	284
Quality time with friends	70.51%	330
Total Respondents: 468		

Q7 How well do Homer’s facilities and services meet the needs of your household?

Answered: 472 Skipped: 8



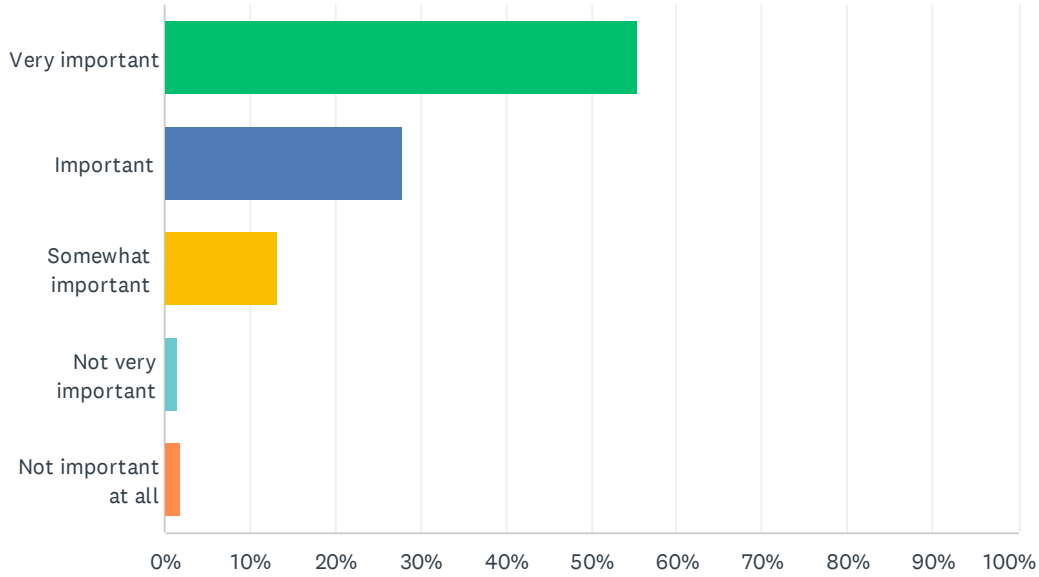
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very well	3.18%	15
Well	14.62%	69
Somewhat Well	50.21%	237
Not very well	31.99%	151
TOTAL		472

Q8 What INDOOR facilities did your household use? (pre-pandemic?)

Answered: 421 Skipped: 59

Q9 How important are the availability of accessible recreation activities to you and your immediate family/friends?

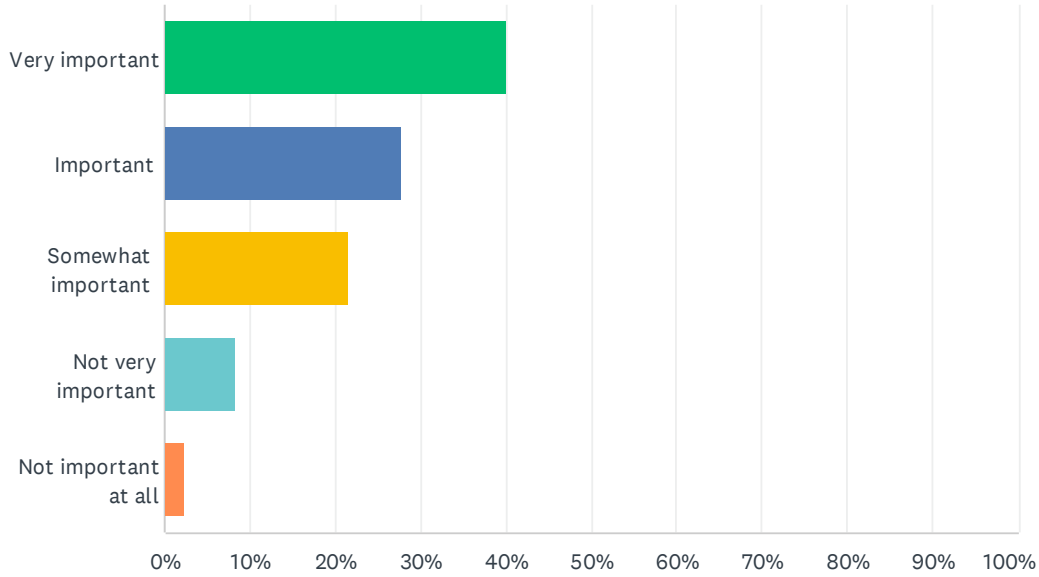
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very important	55.37%	263
Important	28.00%	133
Somewhat important	13.26%	63
Not very important	1.47%	7
Not important at all	1.89%	9
TOTAL		475

Q10 How important are the availability of accessible arts activities to you and your immediate family/friends?

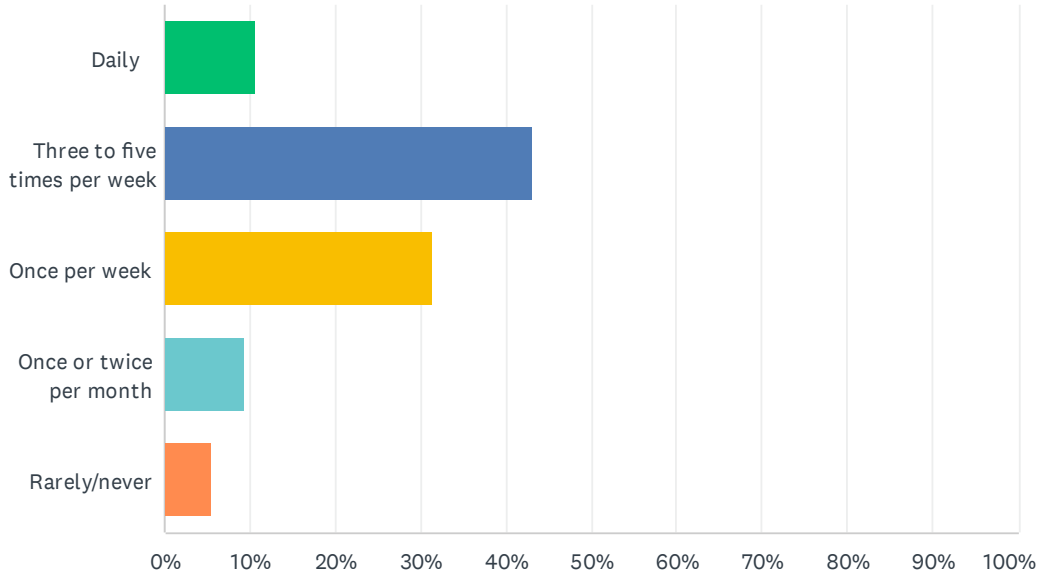
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very important	40.00%	190
Important	27.79%	132
Somewhat important	21.47%	102
Not very important	8.42%	40
Not important at all	2.32%	11
TOTAL		475

Q11 How often would you like to participate in art or recreation activities after the pandemic?

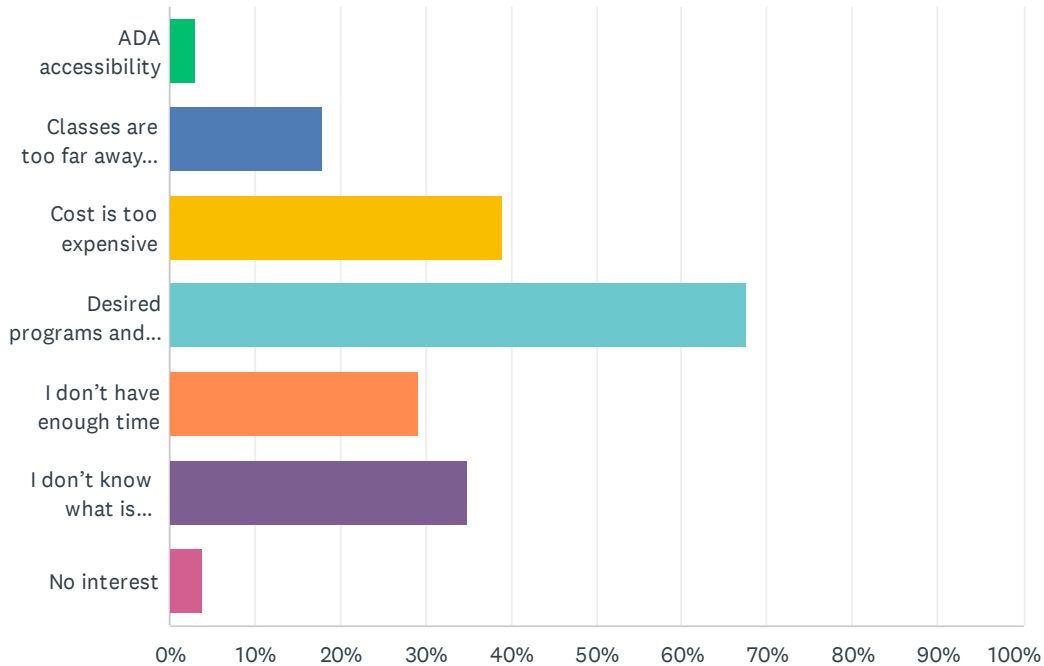
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Daily	10.71%	51
Three to five times per week	43.07%	205
Once per week	31.30%	149
Once or twice per month	9.45%	45
Rarely/never	5.46%	26
TOTAL		476

Q12 What prevents you from RECREATING more/more often? (check all that apply)

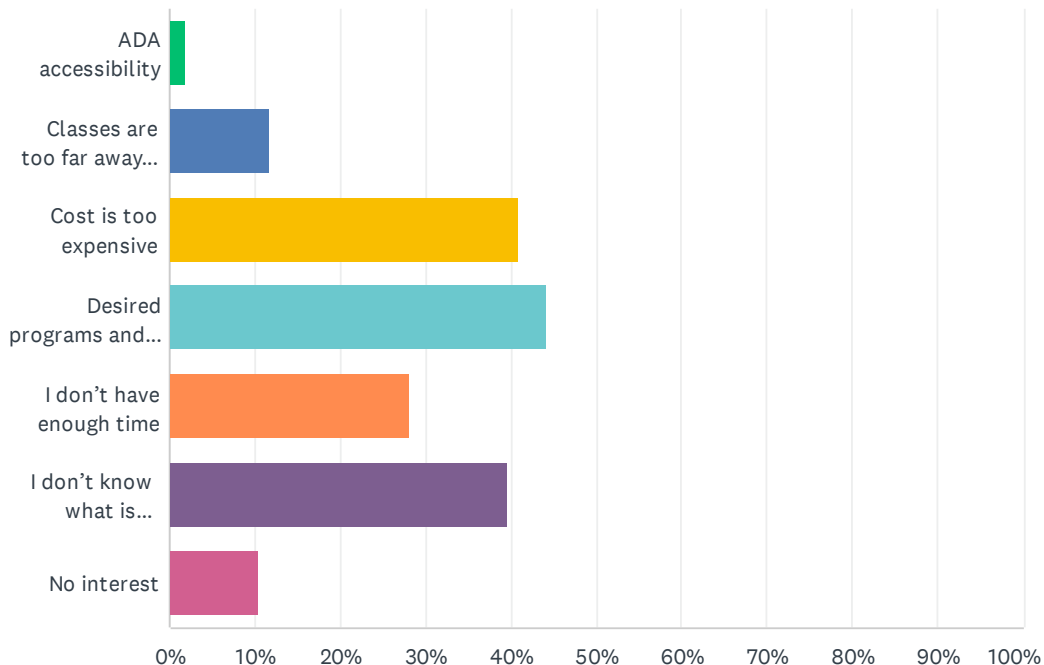
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
ADA accessibility	3.02%	14
Classes are too far away or too hard to get to	17.93%	83
Cost is too expensive	39.09%	181
Desired programs and facilities do not currently exist in the greater Homer area	67.60%	313
I don't have enough time	29.16%	135
I don't know what is available	34.99%	162
No interest	3.89%	18
Total Respondents: 463		

Q13 What prevents you from participating in ARTS ACTIVITIES more/more often? (check all that apply)

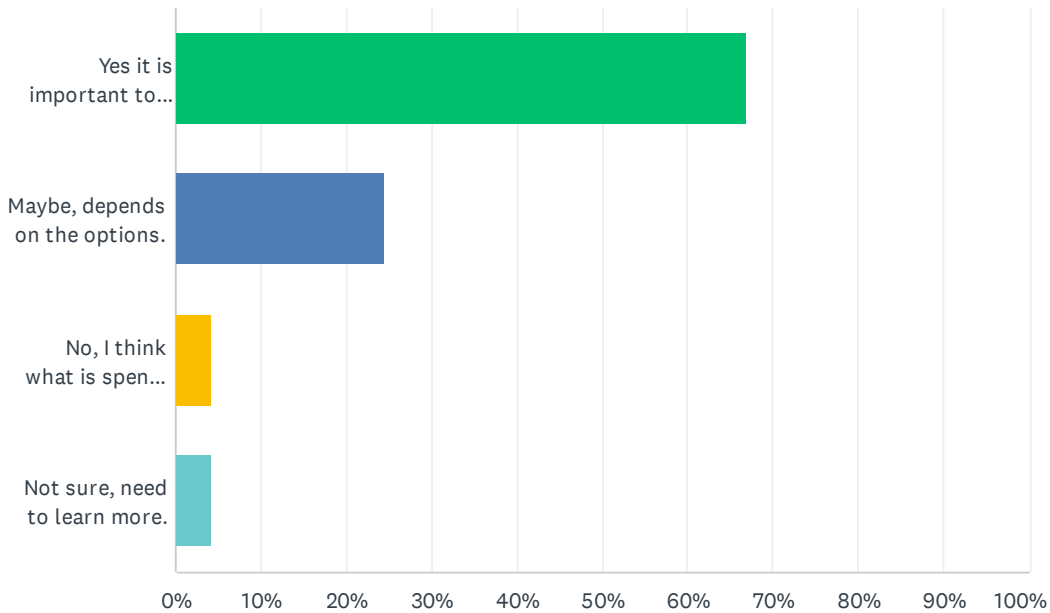
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
ADA accessibility	1.96%	9
Classes are too far away or too hard to get to	11.74%	54
Cost is too expensive	40.87%	188
Desired programs and facilities do not currently exist in the greater Homer area	44.13%	203
I don't have enough time	28.04%	129
I don't know what is available	39.57%	182
No interest	10.43%	48
Total Respondents: 460		

Q14 Maintaining and/or improving PARC opportunities requires funding and other forms of support. Do you support exploring new strategies to maintain and/or expand PARC opportunities in the greater Homer area?

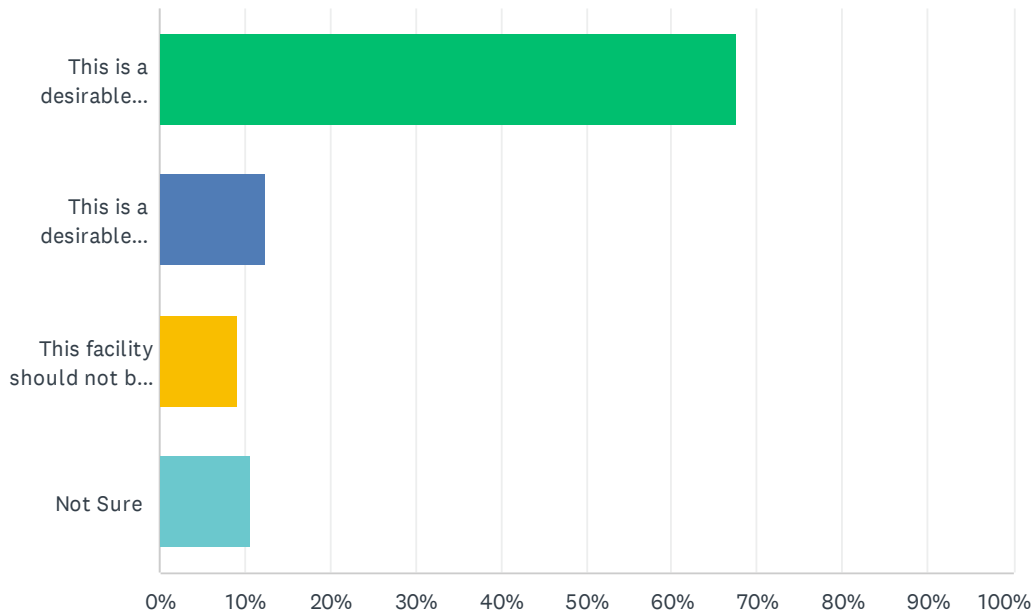
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes it is important to explore new resources.	66.95%	316
Maybe, depends on the options.	24.58%	116
No, I think what is spent today is adequate or more than adequate.	4.24%	20
Not sure, need to learn more.	4.24%	20
TOTAL		472

Q15 One proposal is to build a multi-purpose community center in Homer to provide a year-round facility for indoor activities like recreation, performing arts, community gatherings, education, birthdays, and specialty activities. Funding would come from several sources but may require area residents to contribute, on average, several hundred dollars a year per household through both user fees and increased taxes. Which of the following statements best matches your views?

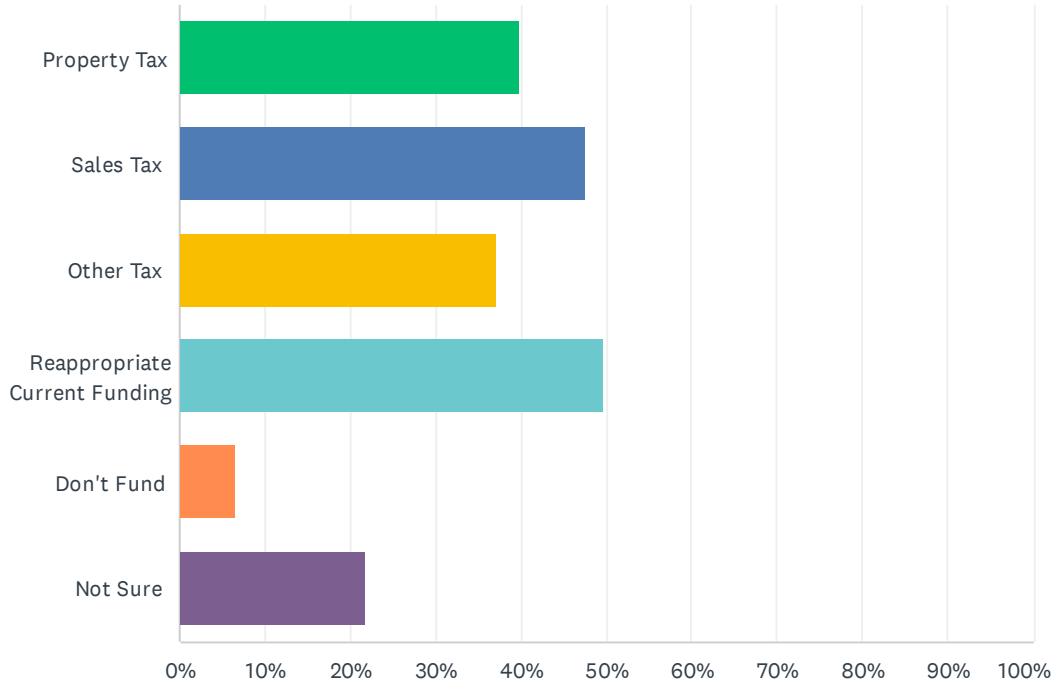
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
This is a desirable facility, it should be a priority within the next 5 years, and I would be willing to contribute to support its development.	67.58% 321
This is a desirable facility, but it should be a priority 5-10 years from now, providing time for the community to grow and increase the tax base.	12.42% 59
This facility should not be a priority, and I would not be willing to contribute any amount of additional taxes to support its development.	9.26% 44
Not Sure	10.74% 51
TOTAL	475

Q16 Which funding sources would be acceptable to use for funding? (check all that apply)

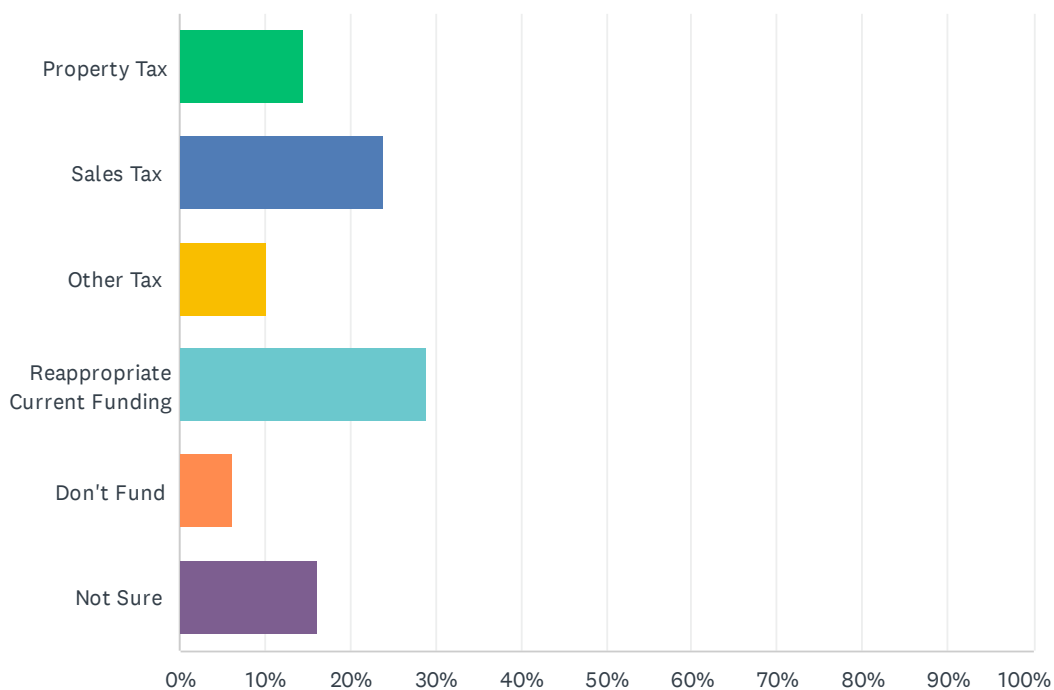
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Property Tax	39.96%	189
Sales Tax	47.57%	225
Other Tax	37.00%	175
Reappropriate Current Funding	49.68%	235
Don't Fund	6.55%	31
Not Sure	21.78%	103
Total Respondents: 473		

Q17 Of the acceptable funding sources, which do you prefer?

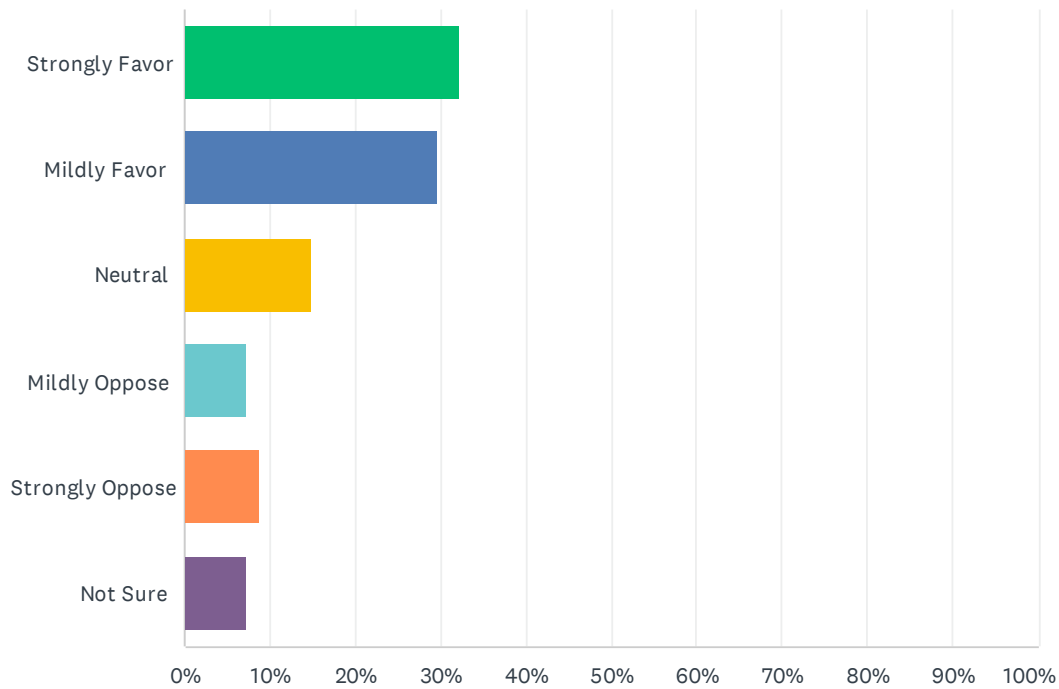
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Property Tax	14.53%	69
Sales Tax	23.79%	113
Other Tax	10.32%	49
Reappropriate Current Funding	29.05%	138
Don't Fund	6.11%	29
Not Sure	16.21%	77
TOTAL		475

Q18 One funding option used in the Kenai Peninsula Borough to pay for a desired service is the creation of a service area. Nikiski and Seldovia, for example, both have recreational service areas that pay for services provided in their communities. These service areas use property taxes to pay for local services like, for example, a community center. Generally speaking, do you support:

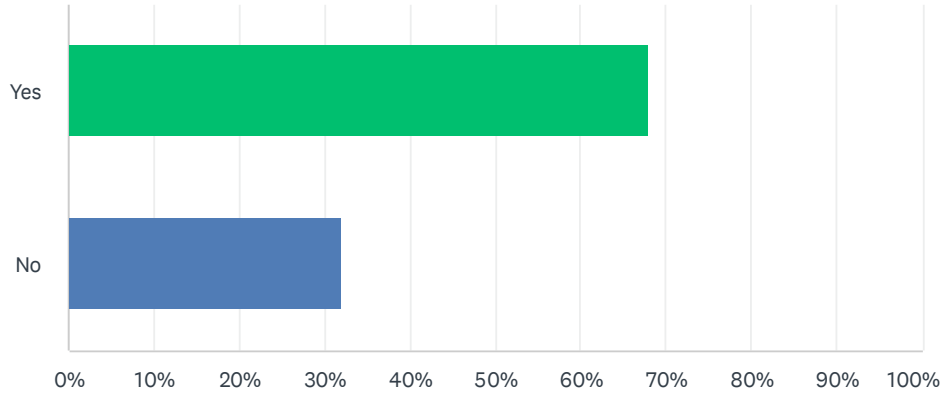
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly Favor	32.21%	153
Mildly Favor	29.68%	141
Neutral	14.95%	71
Mildly Oppose	7.16%	34
Strongly Oppose	8.84%	42
Not Sure	7.16%	34
TOTAL		475

Q19 Would you rent an event space that allows catering for local special events such as weddings, family reunions or company parties?

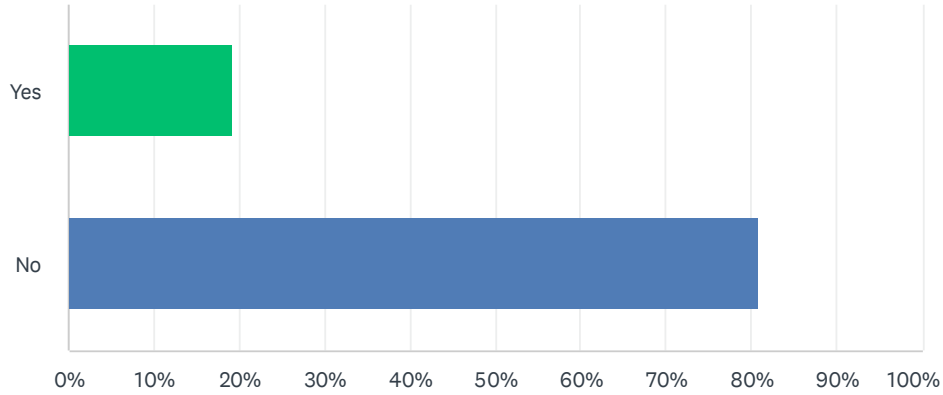
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	68.09%	320
No	31.91%	150
TOTAL		470

Q20 One method to leverage funding is to partner with private businesses.
Do you own or manage a business that would pay to use/lease/rent space?

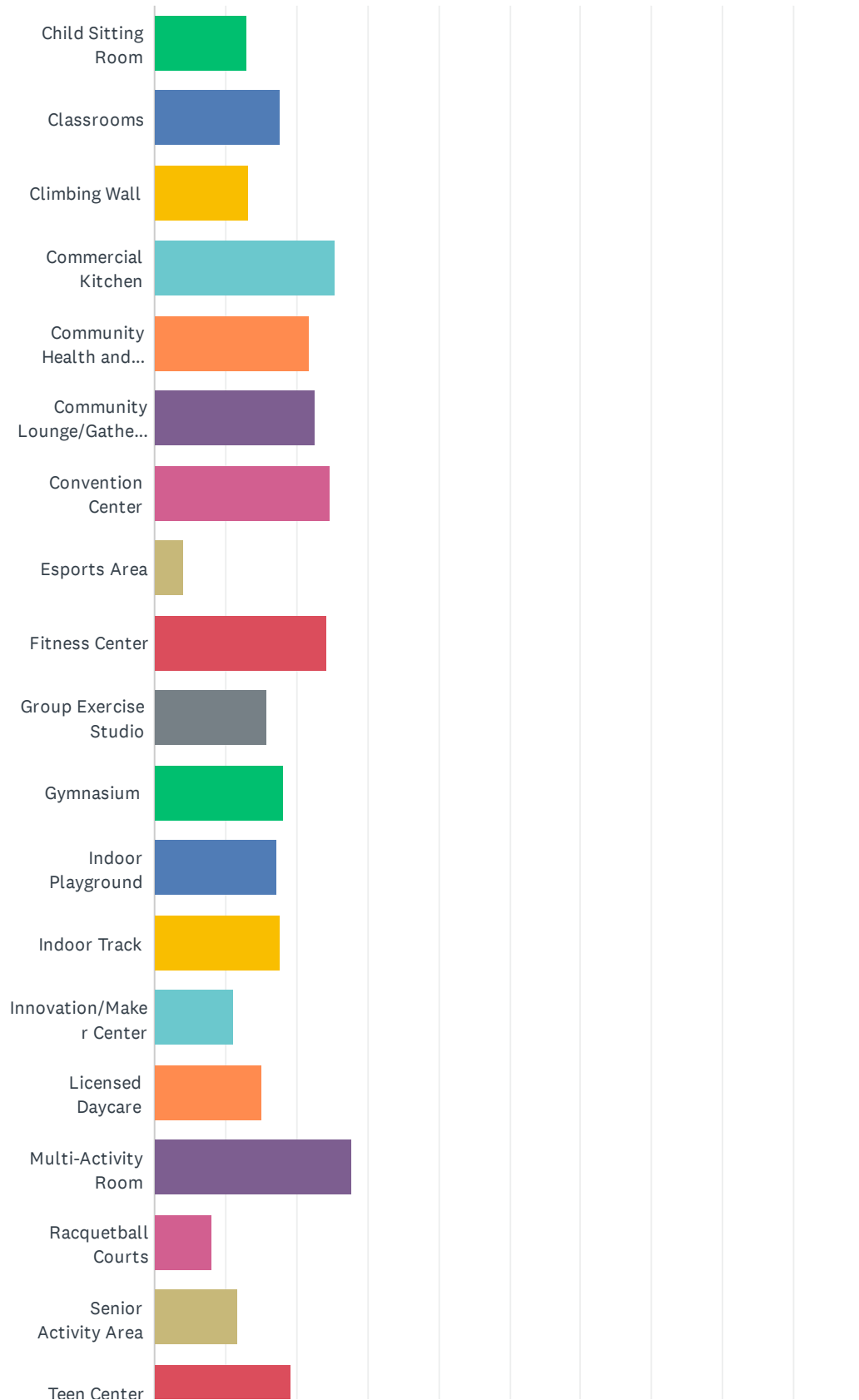
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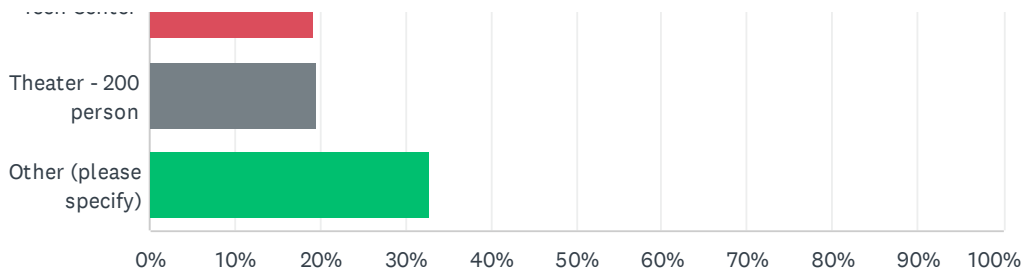
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	19.12% 91
No	80.88% 385
TOTAL	476

Q21 What features would your business pay for?

Answered: 271 Skipped: 209



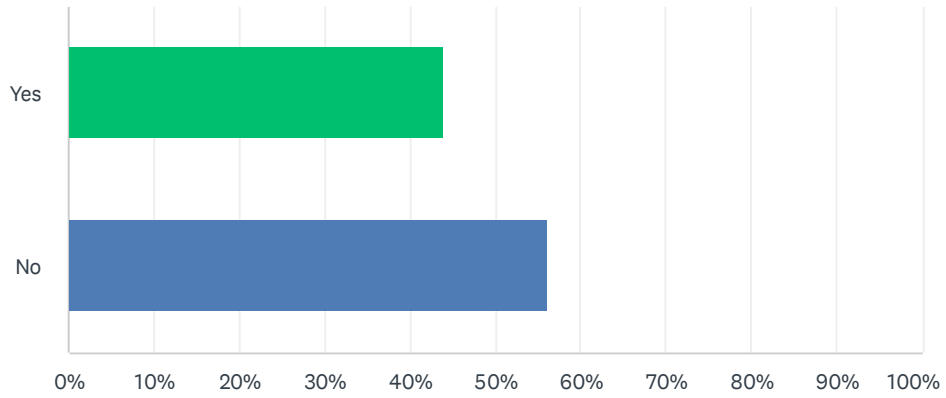
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Child Sitting Room	12.92%	35
Classrooms	17.71%	48
Climbing Wall	13.28%	36
Commercial Kitchen	25.46%	69
Community Health and Wellness	21.77%	59
Community Lounge/Gathering Area	22.51%	61
Convention Center	24.72%	67
Esports Area	4.06%	11
Fitness Center	24.35%	66
Group Exercise Studio	15.87%	43
Gymnasium	18.08%	49
Indoor Playground	17.34%	47
Indoor Track	17.71%	48
Innovation/Maker Center	11.07%	30
Licensed Daycare	15.13%	41
Multi-Activity Room	27.68%	75
Racquetball Courts	8.12%	22
Senior Activity Area	11.81%	32
Teen Center	19.19%	52
Theater - 200 person	19.56%	53
Other (please specify)	32.84%	89
Total Respondents: 271		

Q22 Would you pay to use a commercial kitchen?

Answered: 445 Skipped: 35



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	43.82%	195
No	56.18%	250
TOTAL		445

Q23 Other features/amenities that your business would use? (Fill In)

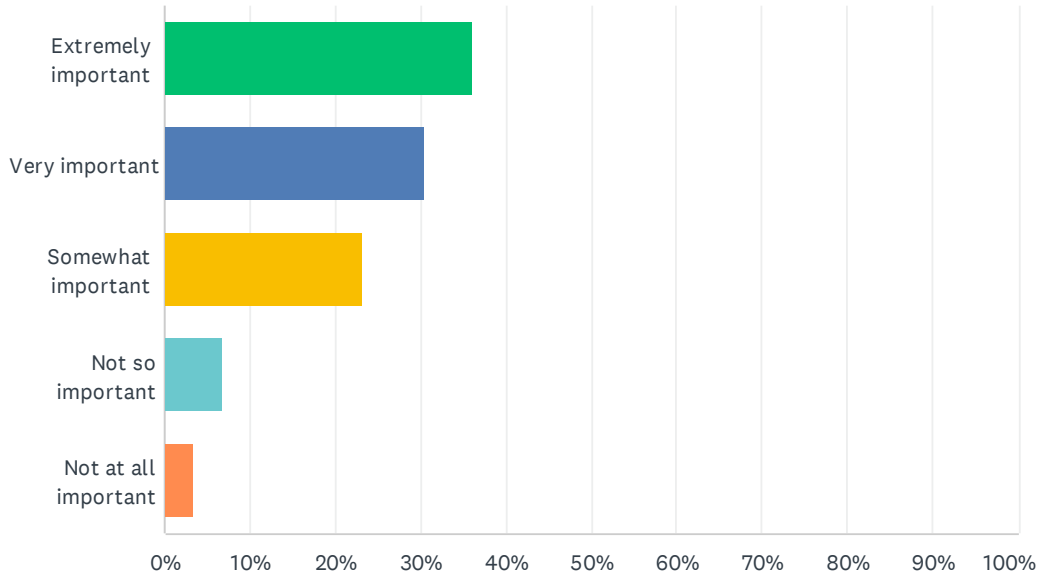
Answered: 166 Skipped: 314

Q24 Can we contact you for more information on business use? If yes, provide contact information

Answered: 146 Skipped: 334

Q25 Thinking about tourism: Larger scale events - how important do you think a multi-use facility is for bringing tournaments, small-scale conventions, expos, art exhibitions, learning series, family reunions or weddings?

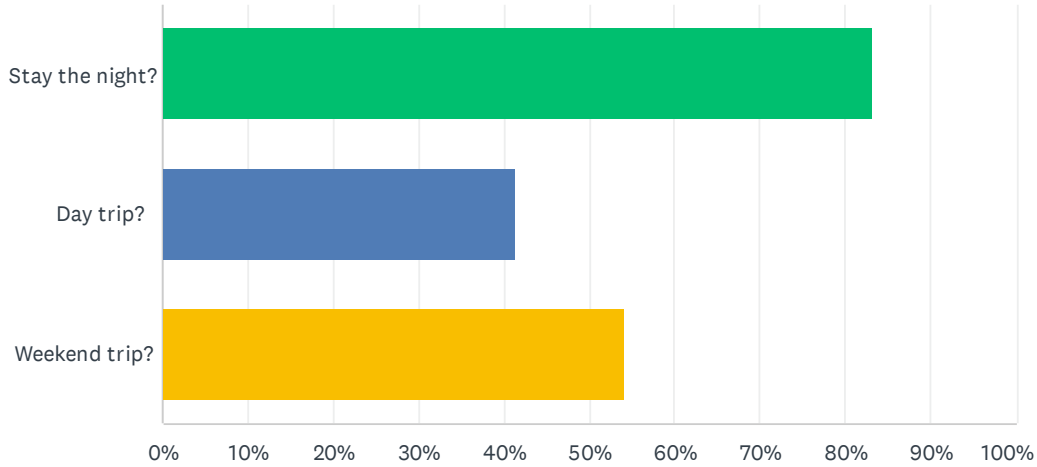
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Extremely important	36.05%	168
Very important	30.47%	142
Somewhat important	23.18%	108
Not so important	6.87%	32
Not at all important	3.43%	16
TOTAL		466

Q26 When you travel to events outside the Homer area do you: (check all that apply)

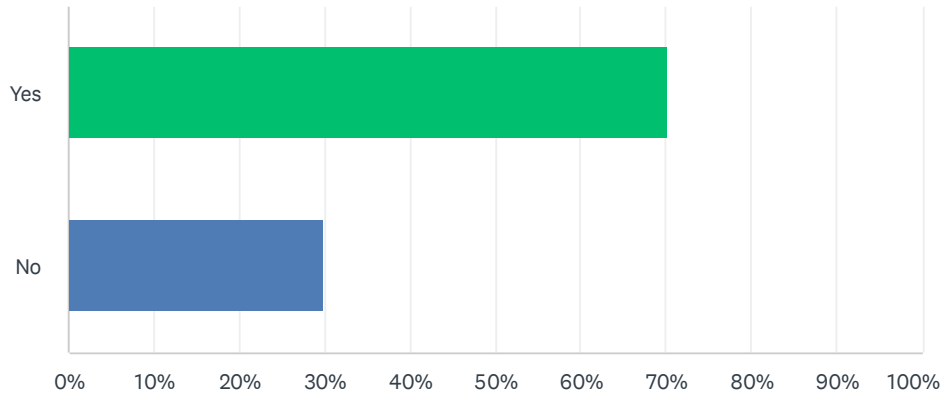
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Stay the night?	83.26% 388
Day trip?	41.42% 193
Weekend trip?	54.08% 252
Total Respondents: 466	

Q27 Thinking about tourism: Are there events you attend elsewhere that you would like to see happen in Homer?

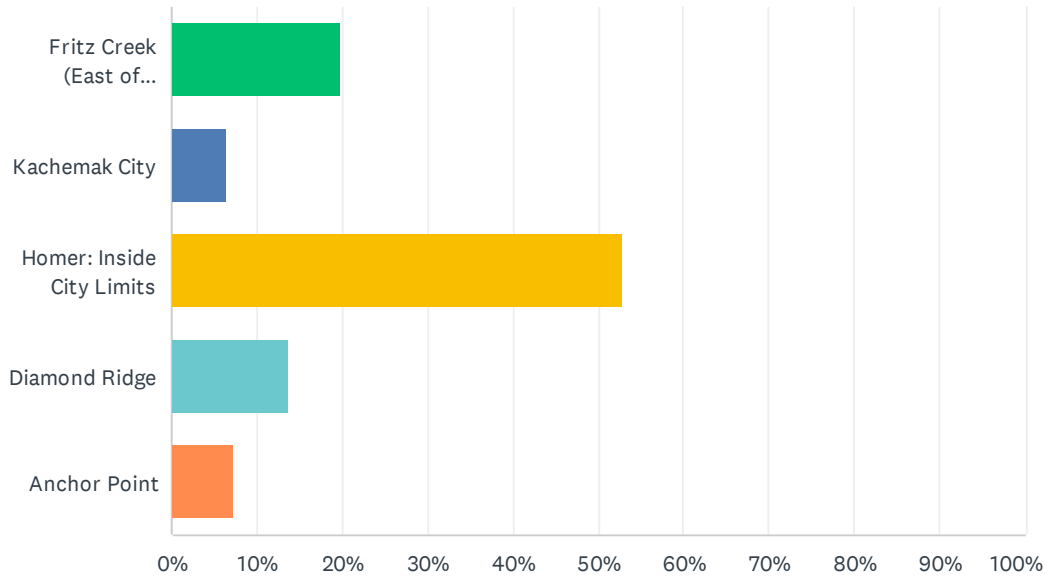
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	70.05%	290
No	29.95%	124
TOTAL		414

Q28 Where do you live?

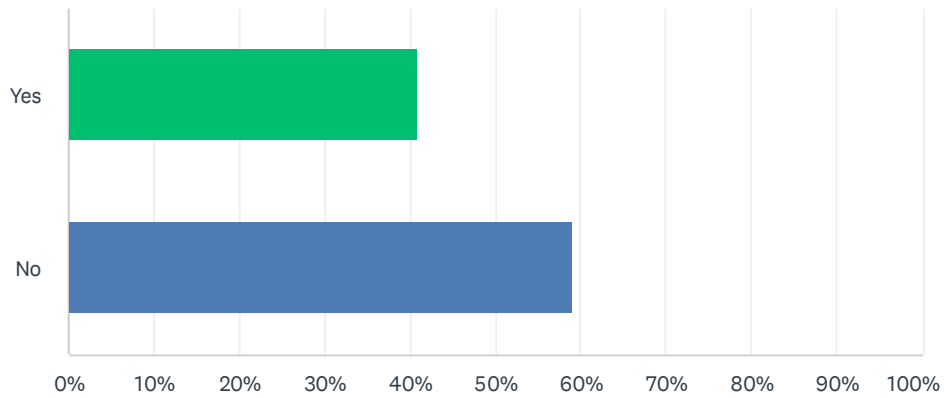
Answered: 473 Skipped: 7



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Fritz Creek (East of Kachemak City)	19.87%	94
Kachemak City	6.34%	30
Homer: Inside City Limits	52.85%	250
Diamond Ridge	13.74%	65
Anchor Point	7.19%	34
TOTAL		473

Q29 Do you have anyone under 18 currently living in your home?

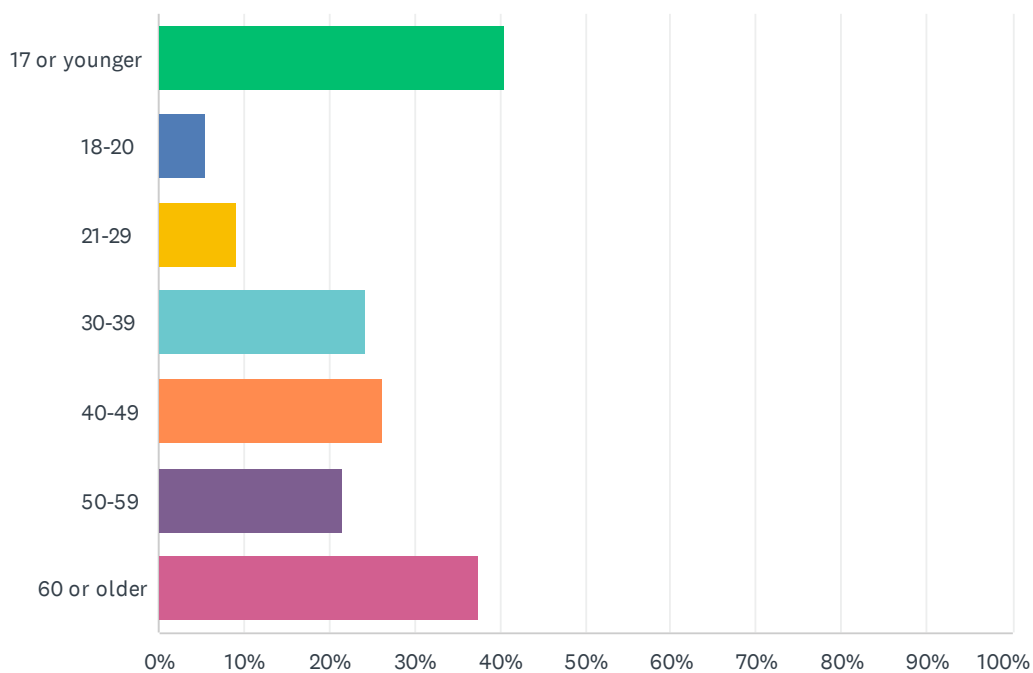
Answered: 475 Skipped: 5



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	40.84%	194
No	59.16%	281
TOTAL		475

Q30 What are the ages in your household? (check all that apply)

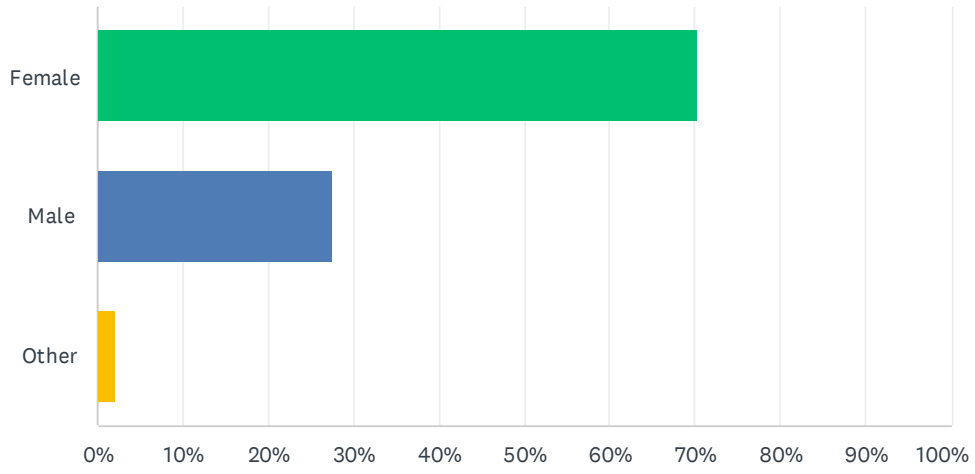
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
17 or younger	40.42%	192
18-20	5.47%	26
21-29	9.26%	44
30-39	24.21%	115
40-49	26.32%	125
50-59	21.47%	102
60 or older	37.47%	178
Total Respondents: 475		

Q31 What is your gender?

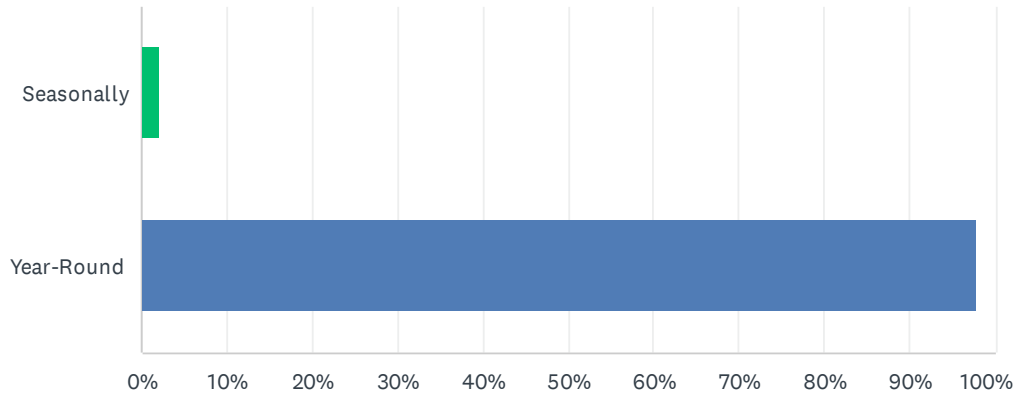
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Female	70.46%	334
Male	27.43%	130
Other	2.11%	10
TOTAL		474

Q32 Do you live in the Homer area:

Answered: 476 Skipped: 4

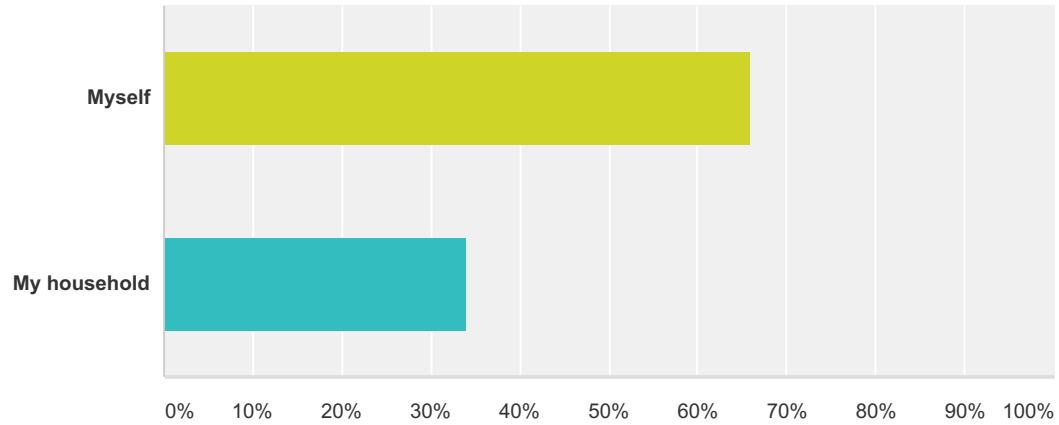


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Seasonally	2.10%	10
Year-Round	97.90%	466
TOTAL		476

APPENDIX A
2015 Survey
Results
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Q1 I am responding for:

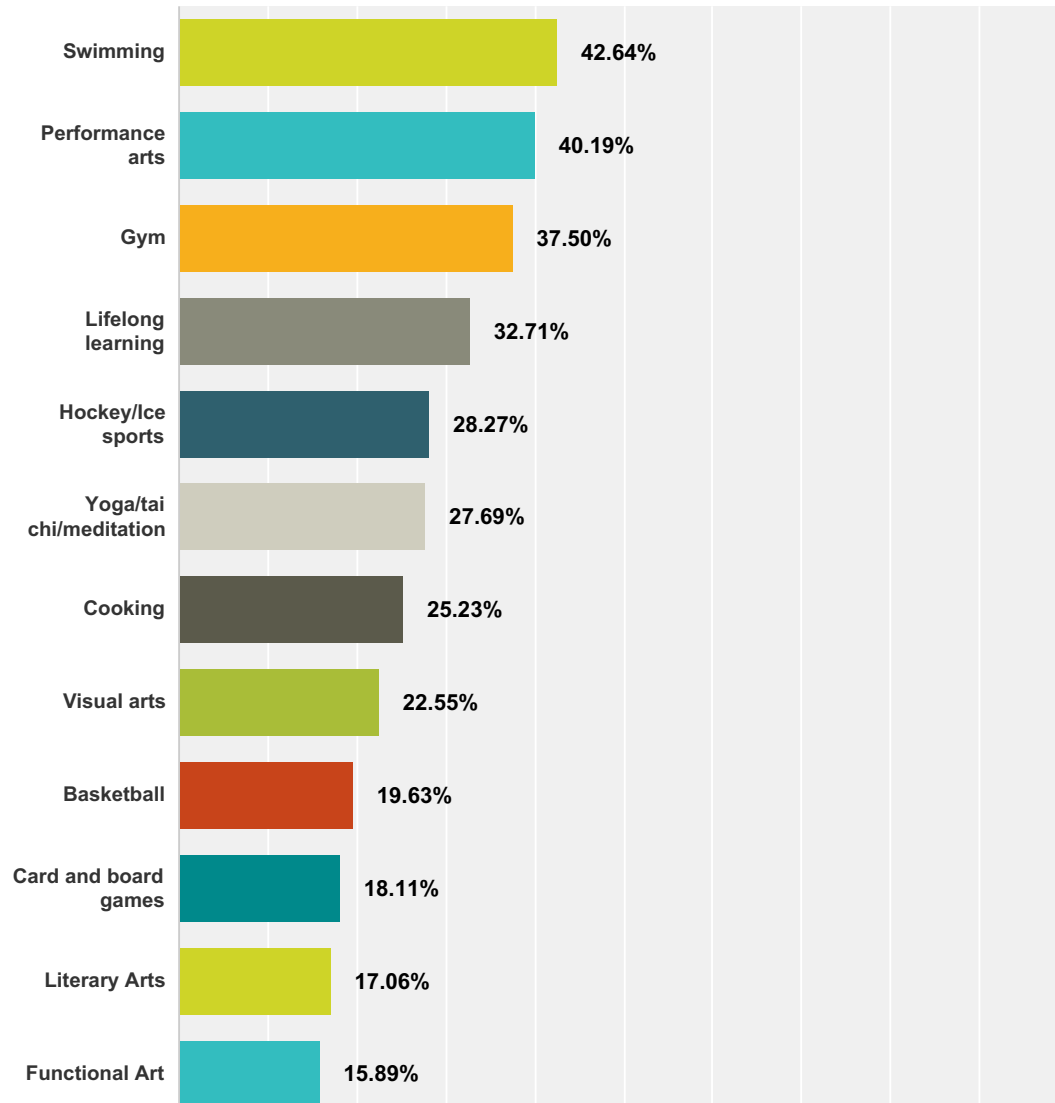
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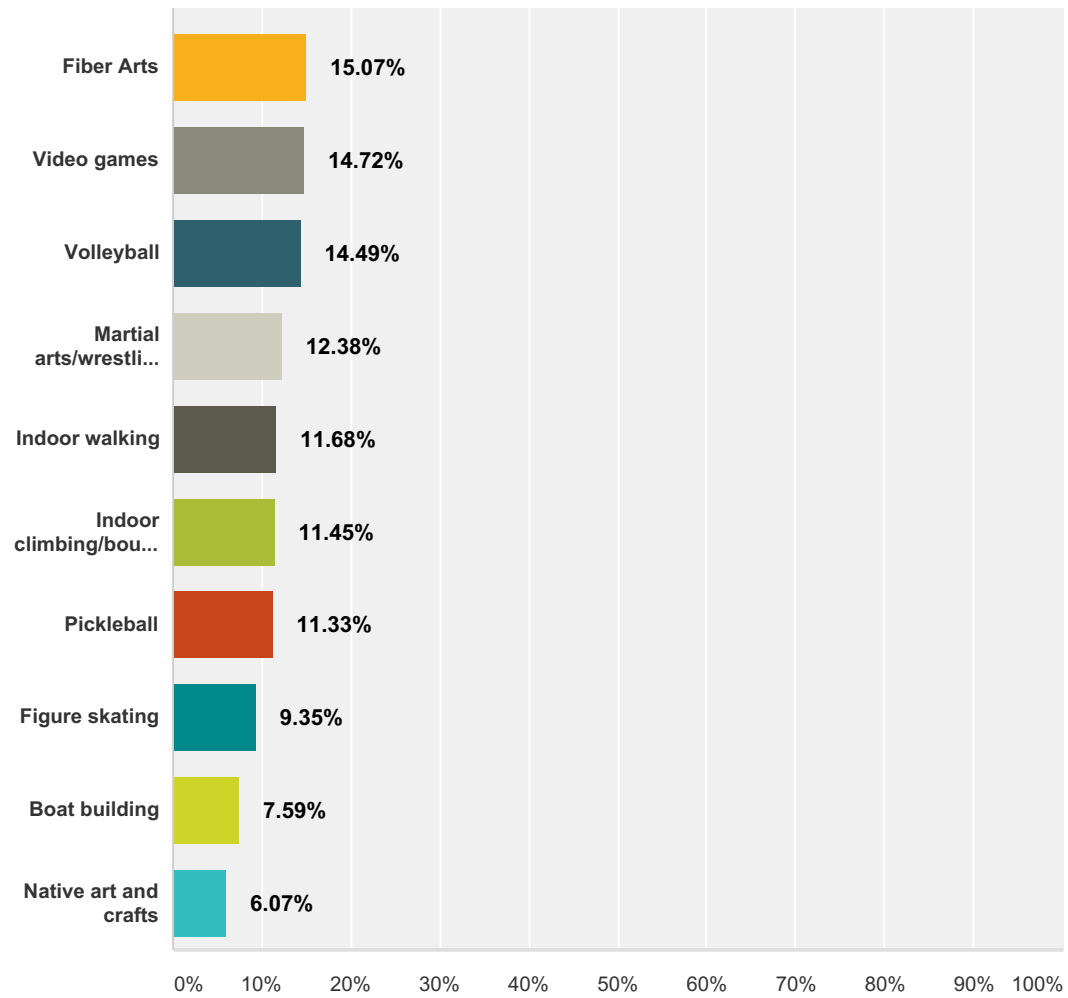
Answer Choices	Responses
Myself	65.88% 643
My household	34.12% 333
Total	976

Q2 What INDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities do you currently participate in in Homer? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 856 Skipped: 133



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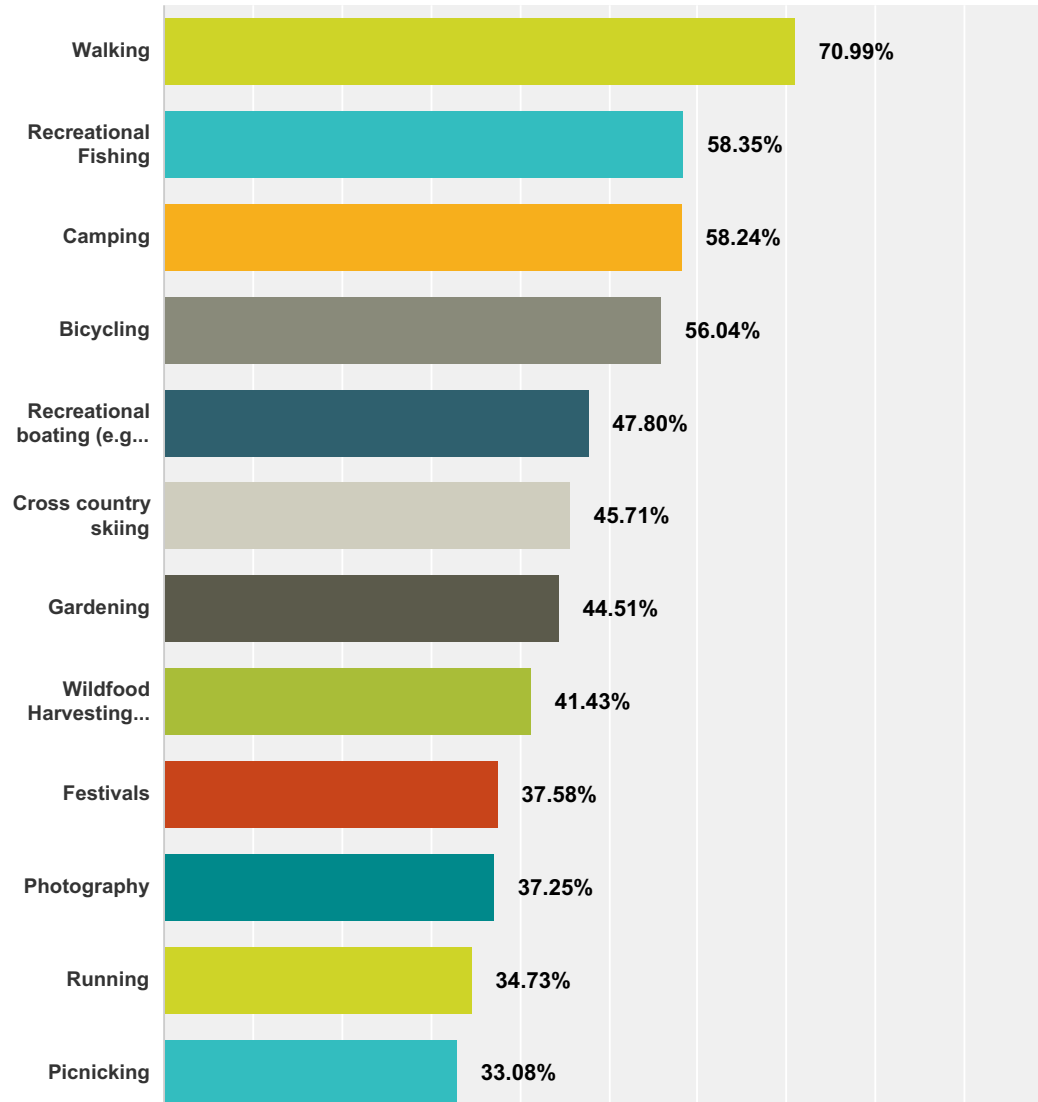
Answer Choices	Responses	Count
Swimming	42.64%	365
Performance arts	40.19%	344
Gym	37.50%	321
Lifelong learning	32.71%	280

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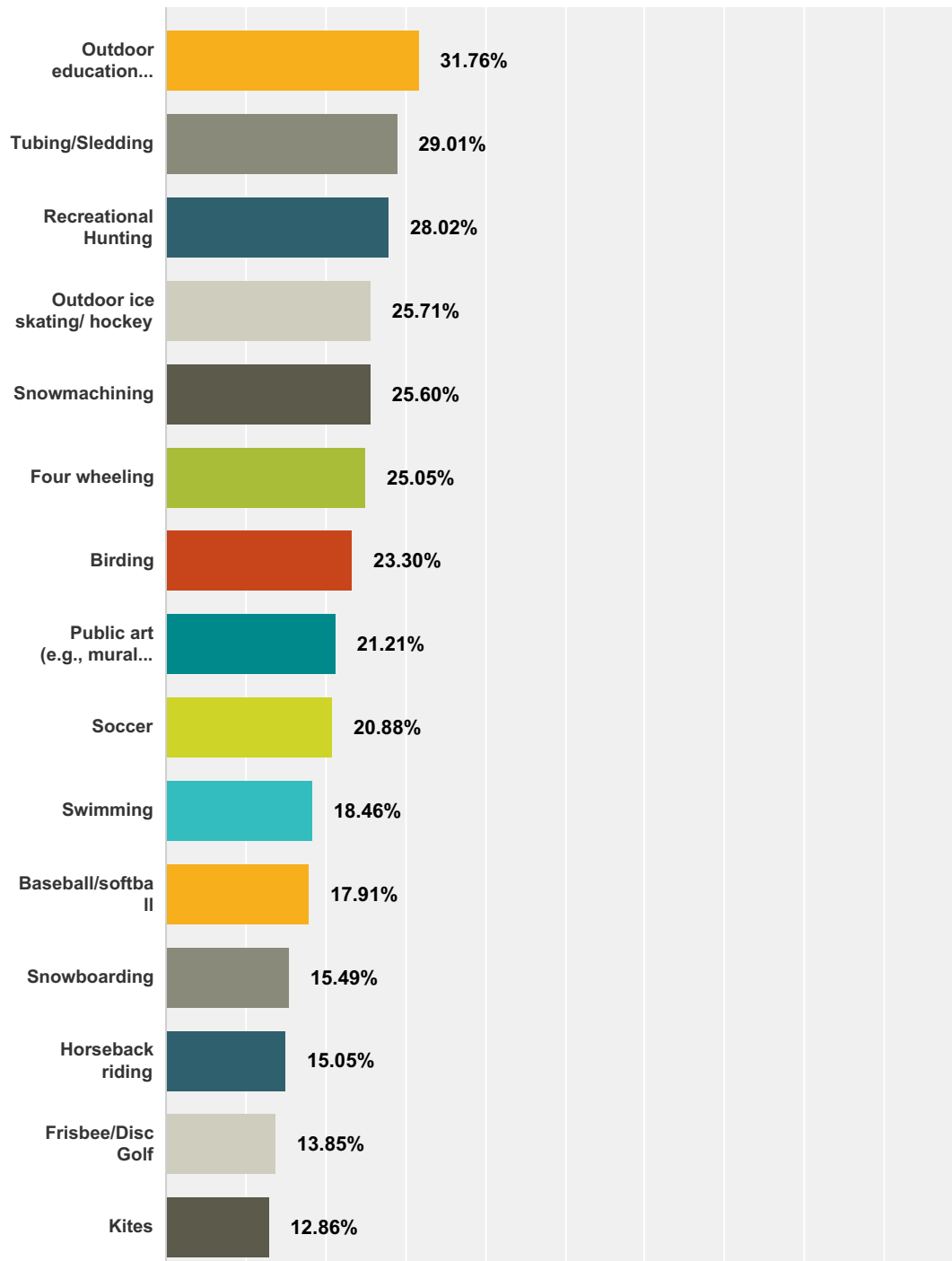
Hockey/Ice sports	28.27%	242
Yoga/tai chi/meditation	27.69%	237
Cooking	25.23%	216
Visual arts	22.55%	193
Basketball	19.63%	168
Card and board games	18.11%	155
Literary Arts	17.06%	146
Functional Art	15.89%	136
Fiber Arts	15.07%	129
Video games	14.72%	126
Volleyball	14.49%	124
Martial arts/wrestling/gymnastics	12.38%	106
Indoor walking	11.68%	100
Indoor climbing/bouldering	11.45%	98
Pickleball	11.33%	97
Figure skating	9.35%	80
Boat building	7.59%	65
Native art and crafts	6.07%	52
Total Respondents: 856		

Q3 What OUTDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities do you currently participate in in Homer? (Check all that apply)

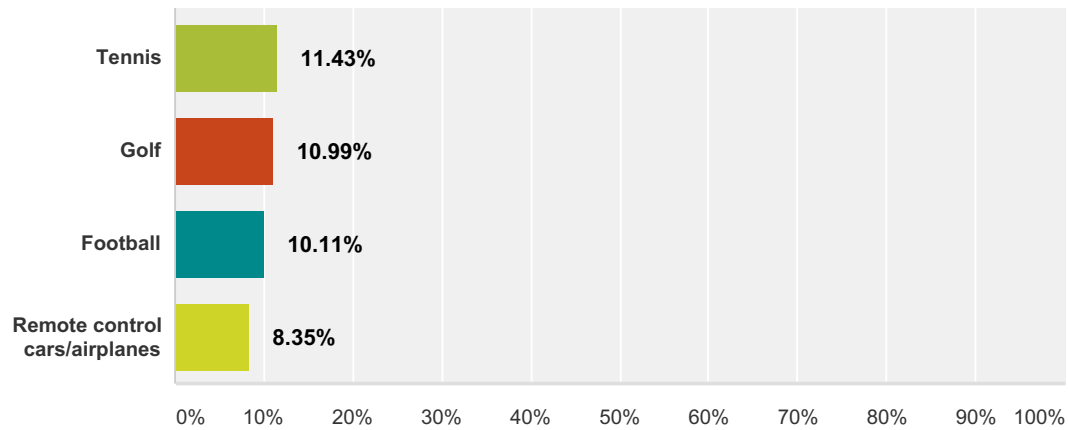
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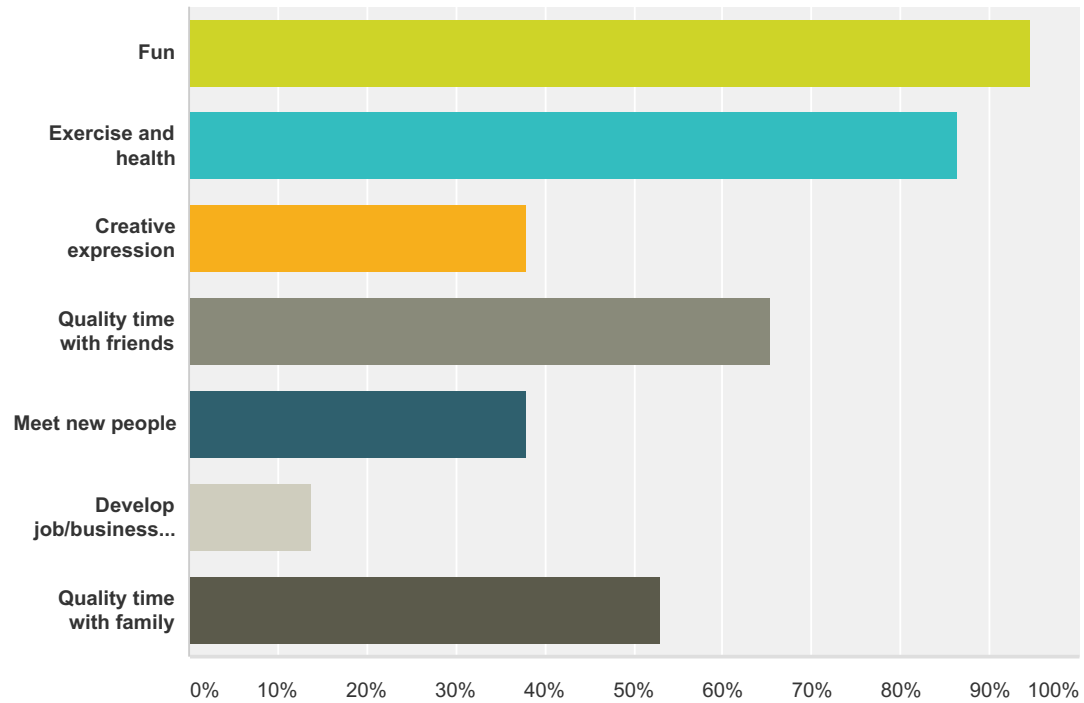
Answer Choices	Responses	
Walking	70.99%	646
Recreational Fishing	58.35%	531
Camping	58.24%	530
Bicycling	56.04%	510
Recreational boating (e.g., canoeing, kayaking, sailing, motorboats)	47.80%	435
Cross country skiing	45.71%	416
Gardening	44.51%	405
Wildfood Harvesting (e.g., mushrooms, berries)	41.43%	377
Festivals	37.58%	342
Photography	37.25%	339
Running	34.73%	316
Picnicking	33.08%	301
Outdoor education (e.g., natural science)	31.76%	289

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Tubing/Sledding	29.01%	264
Recreational Hunting	28.02%	255
Outdoor ice skating/ hockey	25.71%	234
Snowmachining	25.60%	233
Four wheeling	25.05%	228
Birding	23.30%	212
Public art (e.g., murals, sculpture and conceptual art)	21.21%	193
Soccer	20.88%	190
Swimming	18.46%	168
Baseball/softball	17.91%	163
Snowboarding	15.49%	141
Horseback riding	15.05%	137
Frisbee/Disc Golf	13.85%	126
Kites	12.86%	117
Tennis	11.43%	104
Golf	10.99%	100
Football	10.11%	92
Remote control cars/airplanes	8.35%	76
Total Respondents: 910		

Q4 What is your motivation for participating in these PARC activities? (check all that apply)

Answered: 917 Skipped: 72



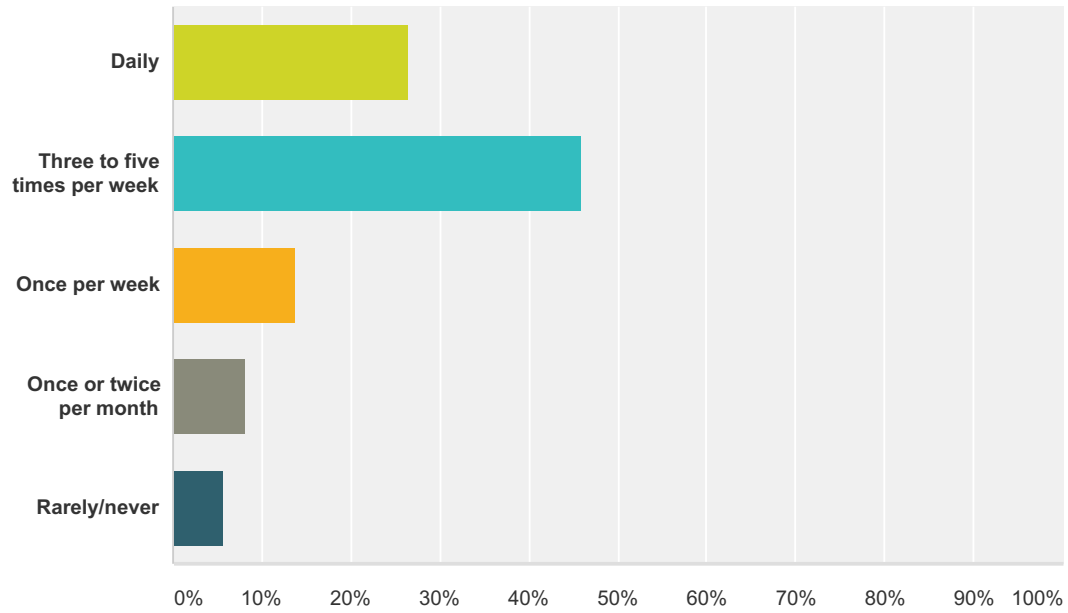
Answer Choices	Responses
Fun	94.55% 867
Exercise and health	86.48% 793
Creative expression	38.06% 349
Quality time with friends	65.43% 600
Meet new people	38.06% 349

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Develop job/business skills	13.85%	127
Quality time with family	53.00%	486
Total Respondents: 917		

Q5 On average, how often do you participate in these activities as a participant?

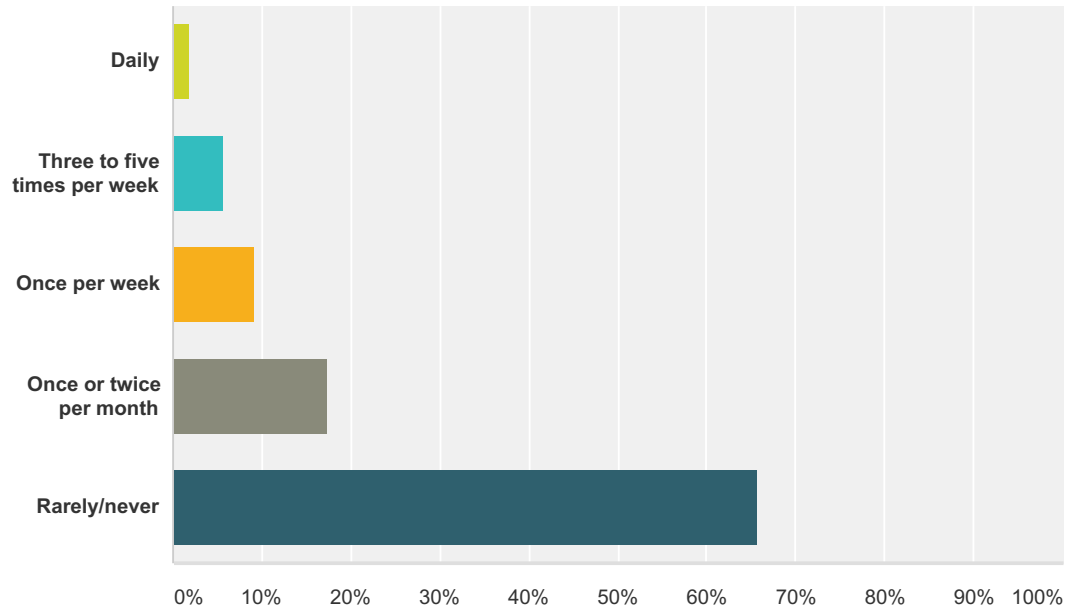
Answered: 930 Skipped: 59



Answer Choices	Responses
Daily	26.45% 246
Three to five times per week	45.91% 427
Once per week	13.87% 129
Once or twice per month	8.17% 76
Rarely/never	5.59% 52
Total	930

Q6 On average, how often do you volunteer at PARC programs or facilities?

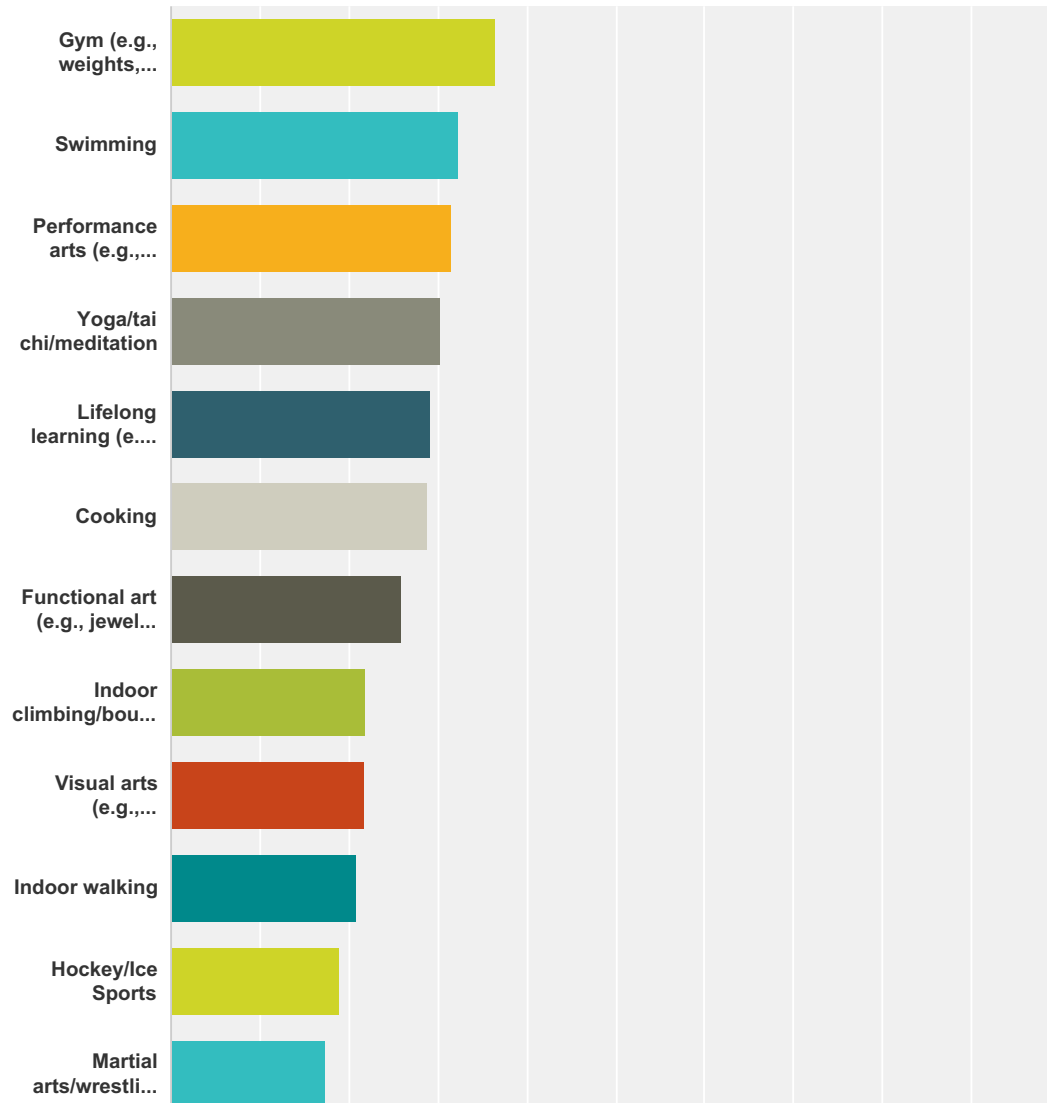
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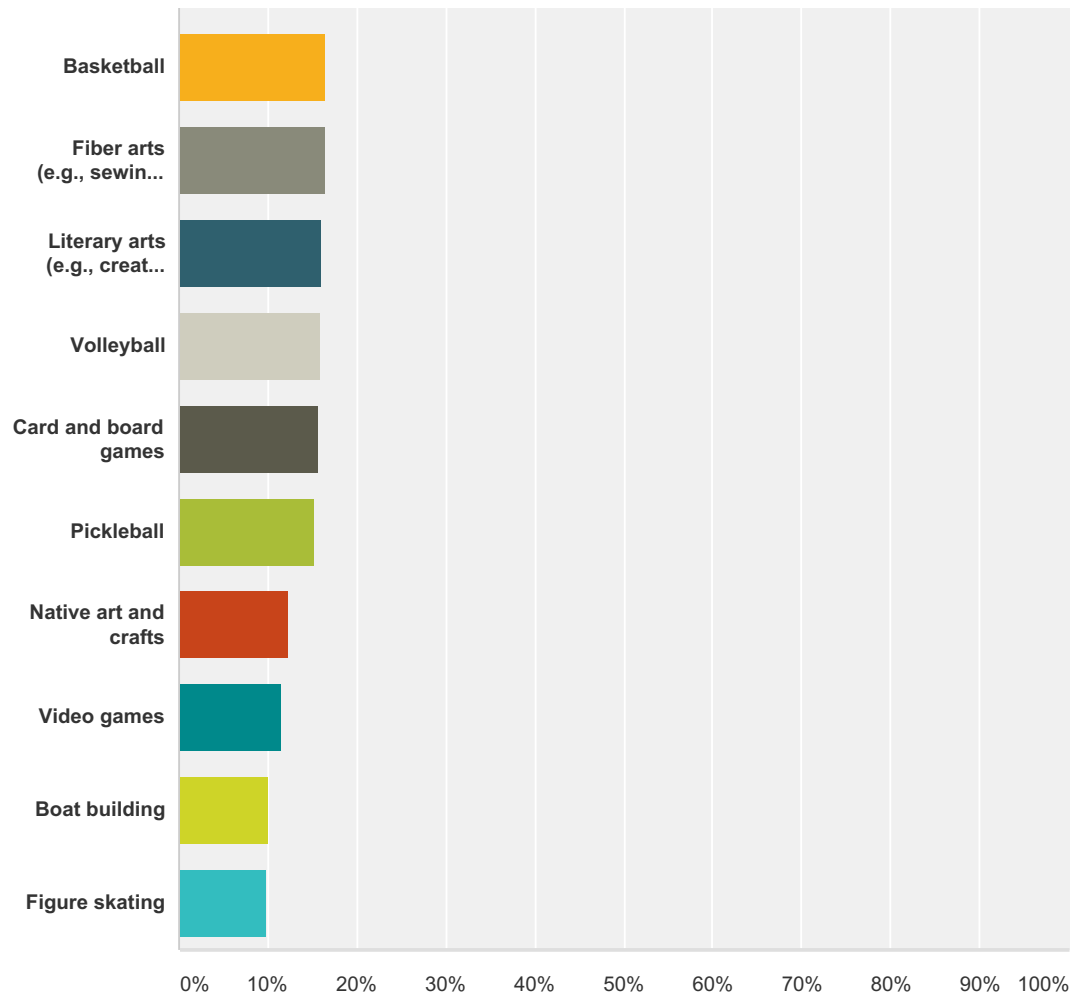
Answer Choices	Responses
Daily	1.95% 18
Three to five times per week	5.63% 52
Once per week	9.20% 85
Once or twice per month	17.42% 161
Rarely/never	65.80% 608
Total	924

Q7 What desired INDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities would you like to do more of, or in addition to what you currently do? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 798 Skipped: 191



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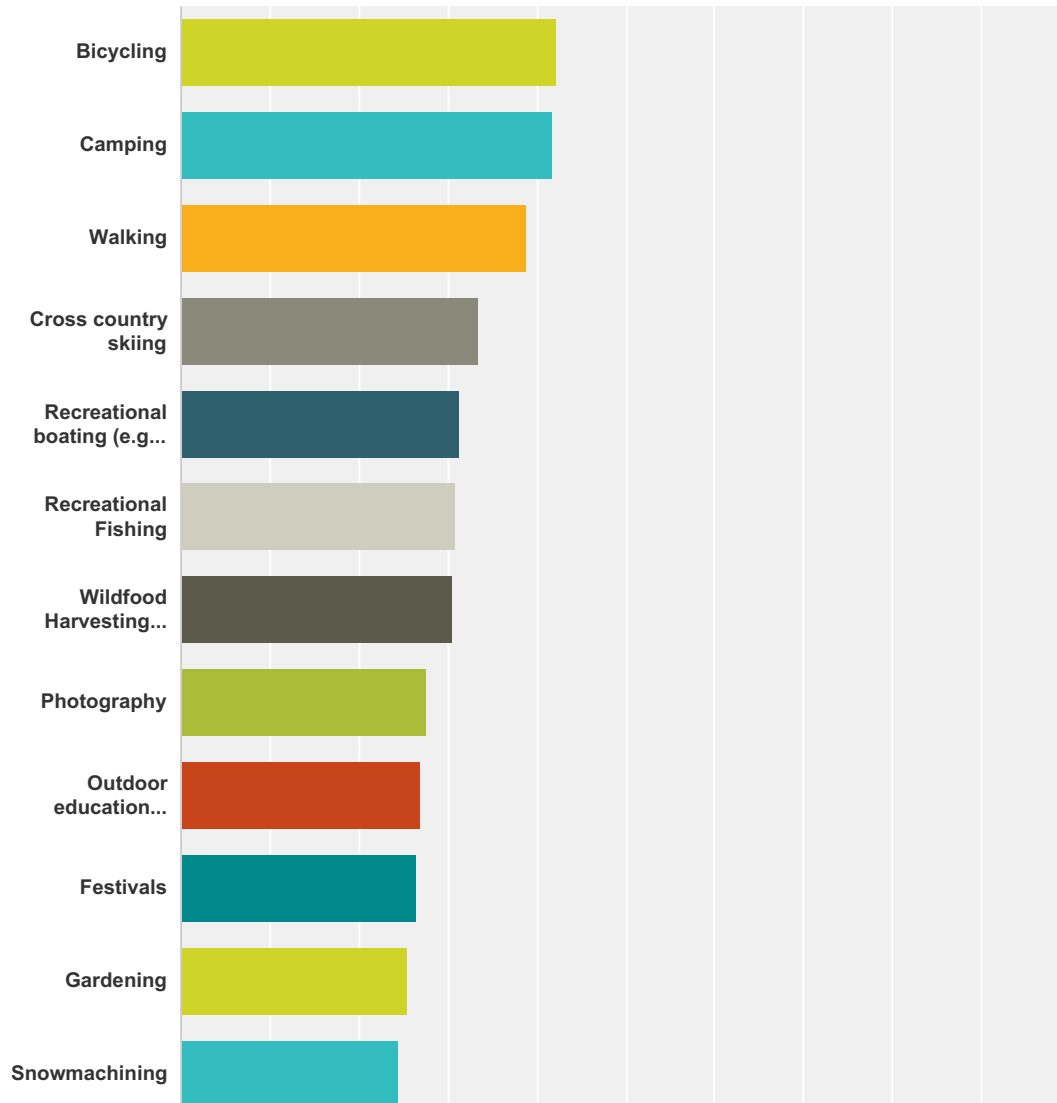
Answer Choices	Responses
Gym (e.g., weights, treadmill)	36.59% 292
Swimming	32.46% 259
Performance arts (e.g., music, dance, theater)	31.45% 251
Yoga/tai chi/meditation	30.33% 242

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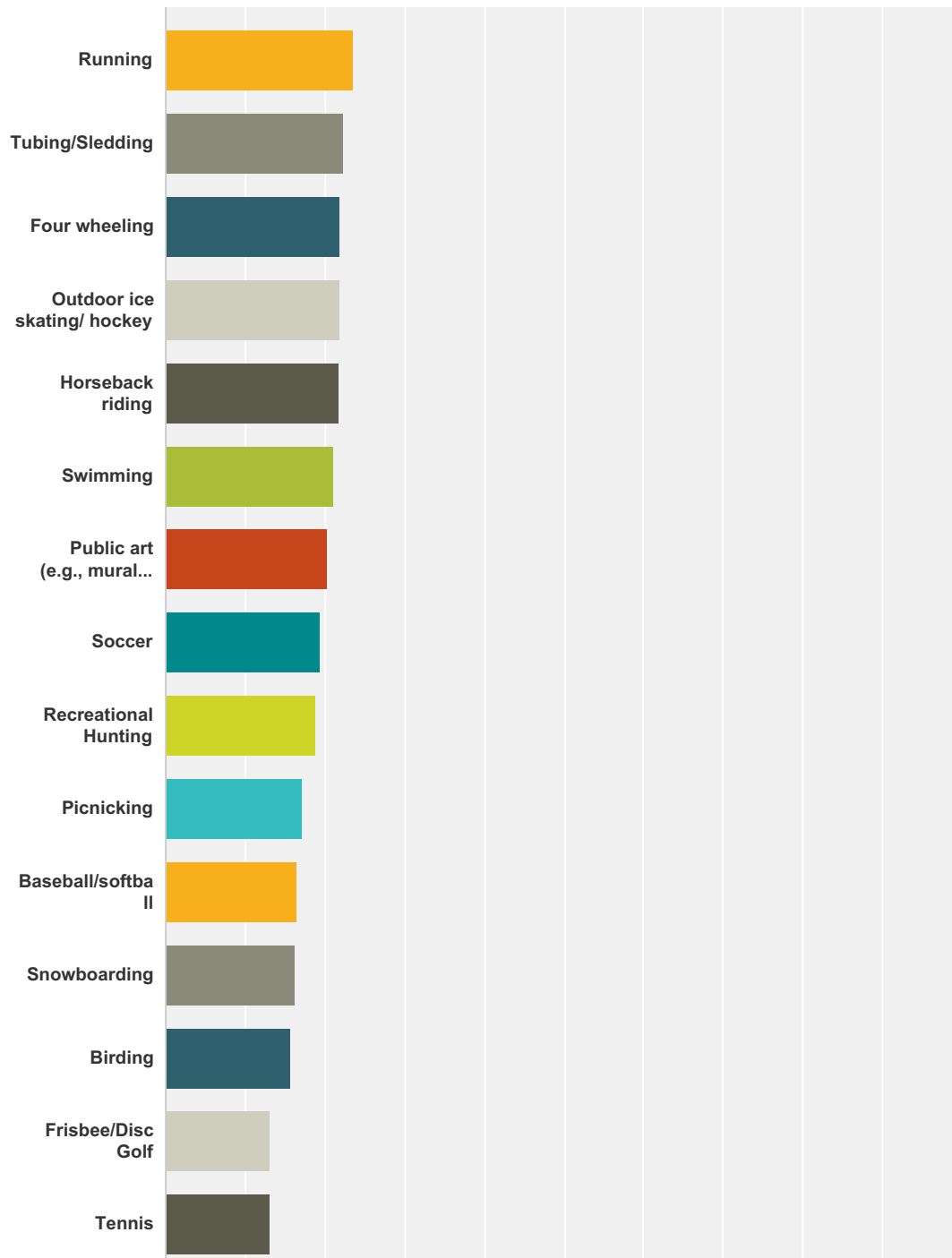
Lifelong learning (e.g. college, folk school, workshops)	29.20%	233
Cooking	28.82%	230
Functional art (e.g., jewelry, pottery, stained glass)	25.81%	206
Indoor climbing/bouldering	21.93%	175
Visual arts (e.g., drawing, painting)	21.68%	173
Indoor walking	20.93%	167
Hockey/Ice Sports	19.05%	152
Martial arts/wrestling/gymnastics	17.42%	139
Basketball	16.54%	132
Fiber arts (e.g., sewing, knitting, quilting)	16.42%	131
Literary arts (e.g., creative writing, poetry)	16.04%	128
Volleyball	15.91%	127
Card and board games	15.66%	125
Pickleball	15.29%	122
Native art and crafts	12.28%	98
Video games	11.53%	92
Boat building	10.03%	80
Figure skating	9.77%	78
Total Respondents: 798		

Q8 What desired OUTDOOR Parks, Art, Cultural and Recreation activities would you like to do more of, or in addition to what you currently do ? (Check all that apply)

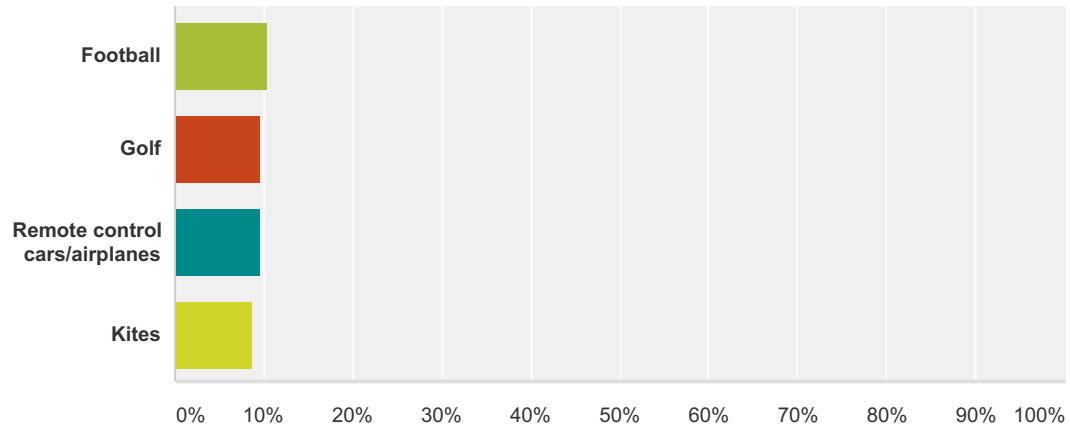
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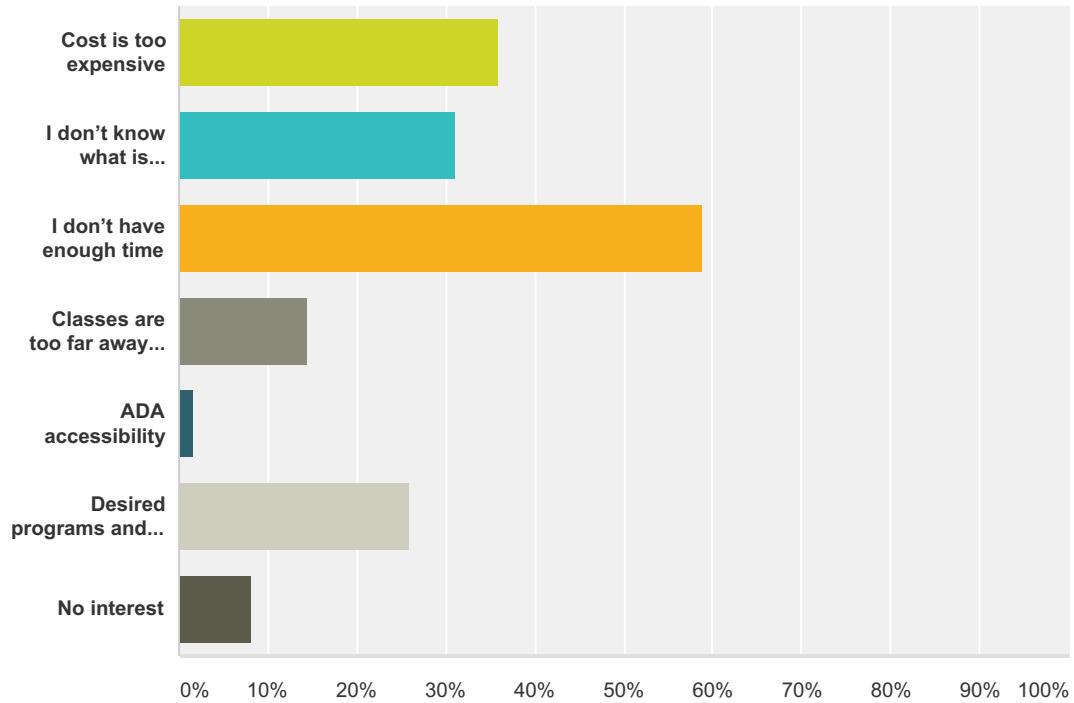
Answer Choices	Responses	
Bicycling	42.11%	328
Camping	41.72%	325
Walking	38.77%	302
Cross country skiing	33.50%	261
Recreational boating (e.g., canoeing, kayaking, sailing, motorboats)	31.32%	244
Recreational Fishing	30.94%	241
Wildfood Harvesting (e.g., mushrooms, berries)	30.42%	237
Photography	27.60%	215
Outdoor education (e.g., natural science)	26.83%	209
Festivals	26.44%	206
Gardening	25.42%	198
Snowmachining	24.39%	190
Running	23.62%	184

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Tubing/Sledding	22.34%	174
Four wheeling	21.95%	171
Outdoor ice skating/ hockey	21.82%	170
Horseback riding	21.69%	169
Swimming	21.05%	164
Public art (e.g., murals, sculpture and conceptual art)	20.28%	158
Soccer	19.51%	152
Recreational Hunting	18.87%	147
Picnicking	17.20%	134
Baseball/softball	16.43%	128
Snowboarding	16.30%	127
Birding	15.66%	122
Frisbee/Disc Golf	13.22%	103
Tennis	13.22%	103
Football	10.40%	81
Golf	9.50%	74
Remote control cars/airplanes	9.50%	74
Kites	8.86%	69
Total Respondents: 779		

Q9 What prevents you from RECREATING more/more often? (check all that apply)

Answered: 823 Skipped: 166



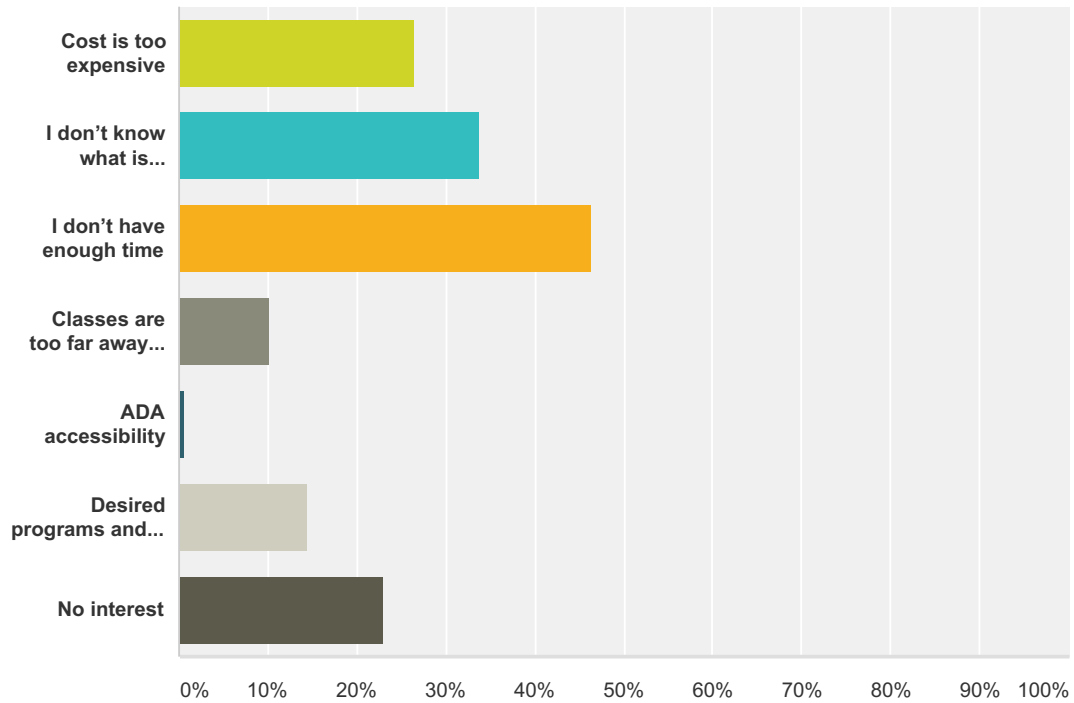
Answer Choices	Responses
Cost is too expensive	35.97% 296
I don't know what is available	31.11% 256
I don't have enough time	58.81% 484
Classes are too far away or too hard to get to	14.34% 118
ADA accessibility	1.70% 14
Desired programs and facilities do not currently exist in the greater Homer area (please specify)	25.88% 213

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No interest	8.14%	67
Total Respondents: 823		

Q10 What prevents you from participating in ARTS ACTIVITIES more/more often? (check all that apply)

Answered: 788 Skipped: 201



Answer Choices	Responses
Cost is too expensive	26.52% 209
I don't know what is available	33.88% 267
I don't have enough time	46.32% 365
Classes are too far away or too hard to get to	10.28% 81
ADA accessibility	0.63% 5

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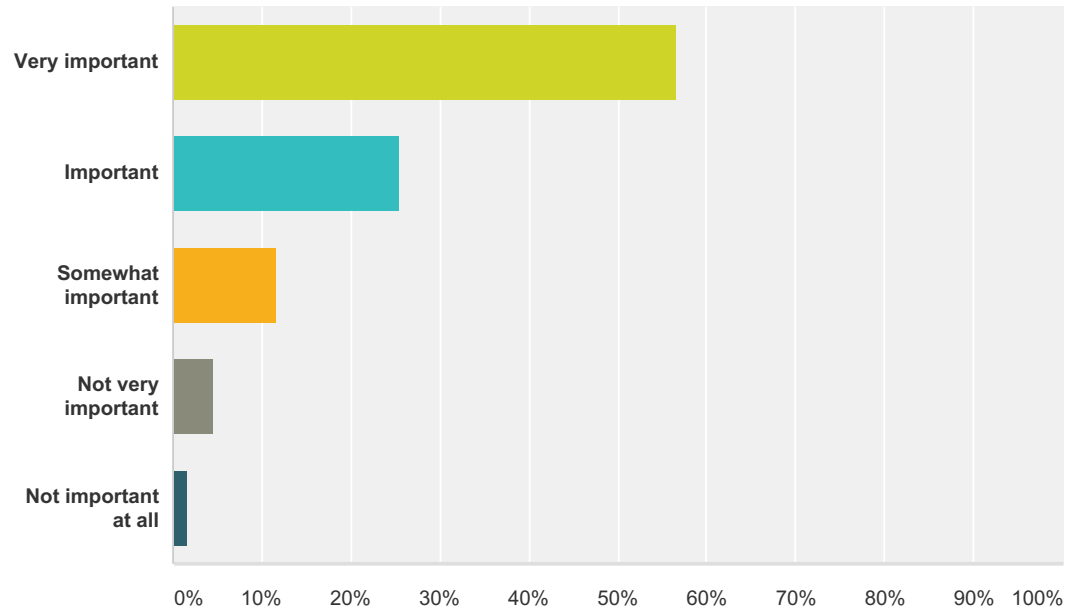
Desired programs and facilities do not currently exist in the greater Homer area (please specify)	14.34%	113
No interest	22.97%	181
Total Respondents: 788		

Q11 Consider your answers in questions 9 and 10. If you could overcome one problem, what would it be? How would you solve it?

Answered: 607 Skipped: 382

Q12 How important are the availability of recreation activities to you and your immediate family/friends?

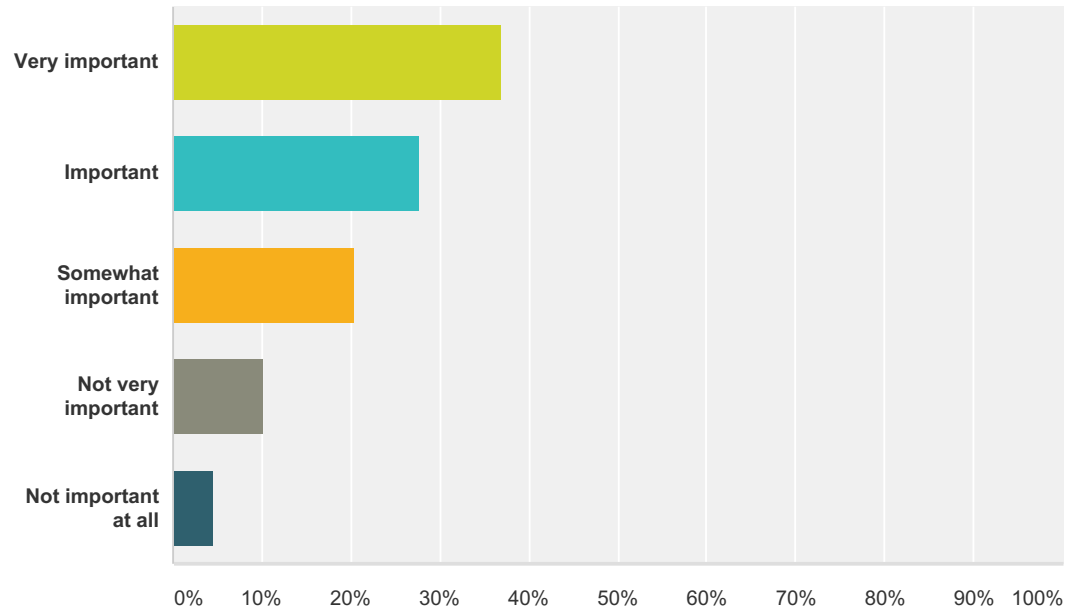
Answered: 886 Skipped: 103



Answer Choices	Responses	Count
Very important	56.66%	502
Important	25.40%	225
Somewhat important	11.74%	104
Not very important	4.51%	40
Not important at all	1.69%	15
Total		886

Q13 How important are the availability of arts activities to you and your immediate family/friends?

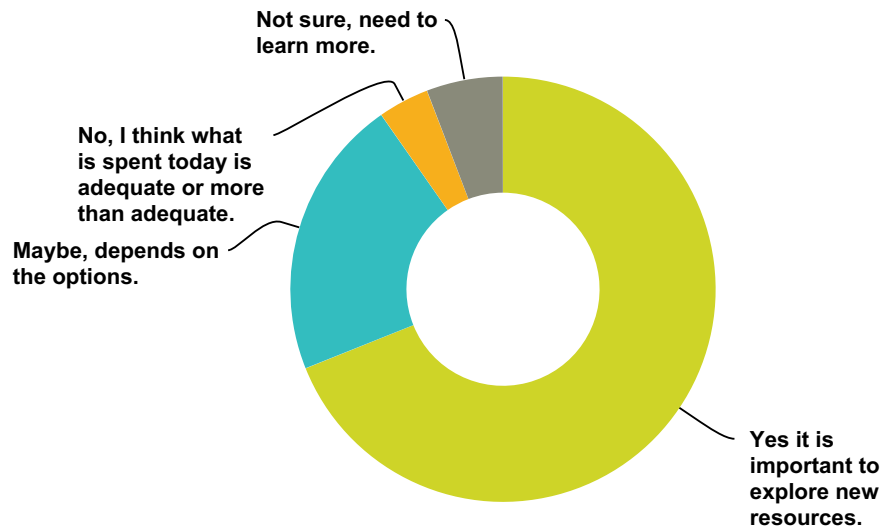
Answered: 884 Skipped: 105



Answer Choices	Responses	Count
Very important	36.88%	326
Important	27.71%	245
Somewhat important	20.48%	181
Not very important	10.29%	91
Not important at all	4.64%	41
Total		884

Q14 Maintaining and/or improving PARC opportunities requires funding and other forms of support. Do you support exploring new strategies to maintain and/or expand PARC opportunities in the greater Homer area?

Answered: 876 Skipped: 113



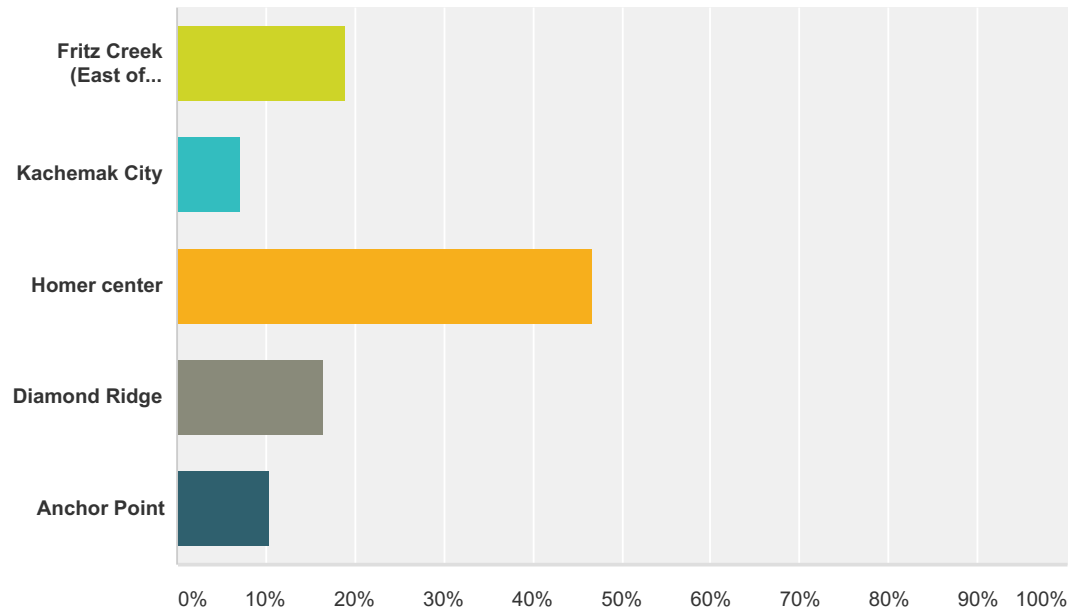
Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes it is important to explore new resources.	69%	604
Maybe, depends on the options.	21%	187
No, I think what is spent today is adequate or more than adequate.	4%	34
Not sure, need to learn more.	6%	51
Total		876

**Q15 Any other comments about the PARC
Needs Assessment?**

Answered: 266 Skipped: 723

Q16 Where do you live?

Answered: 792 Skipped: 197



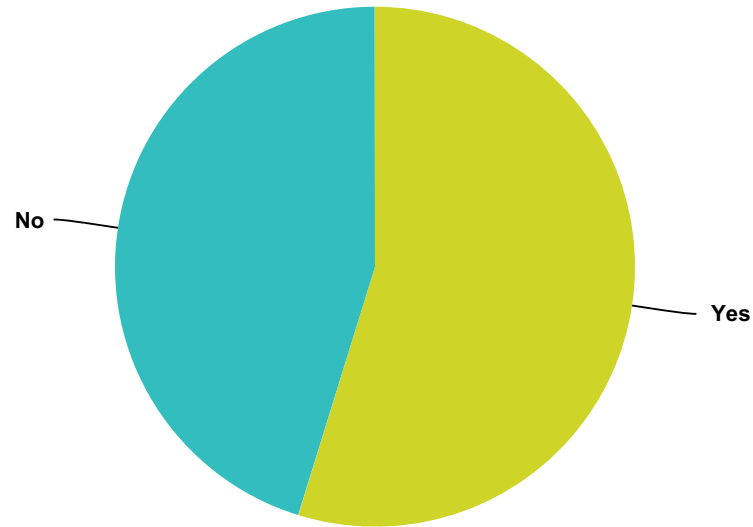
Answer Choices	Responses
Fritz Creek (East of Kachemak City)	19.07% 151
Kachemak City	7.20% 57
Homer center	46.84% 371
Diamond Ridge	16.41% 130
Anchor Point	10.48% 83
Total	792

Q17 How many people currently live in your household?

Answered: 851 Skipped: 138

Q18 Do you have anyone under 18 currently living in your home?

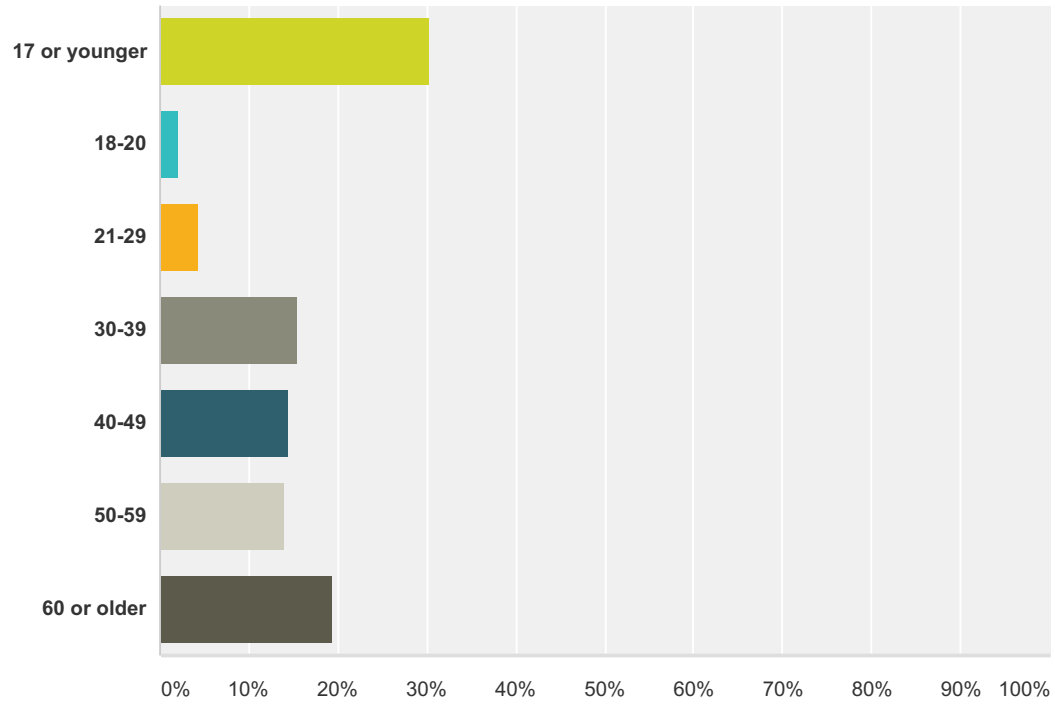
Answered: 869 Skipped: 120



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	54.78%	476
No	45.22%	393
Total		869

Q19 What is your age?

Answered: 873 Skipped: 116



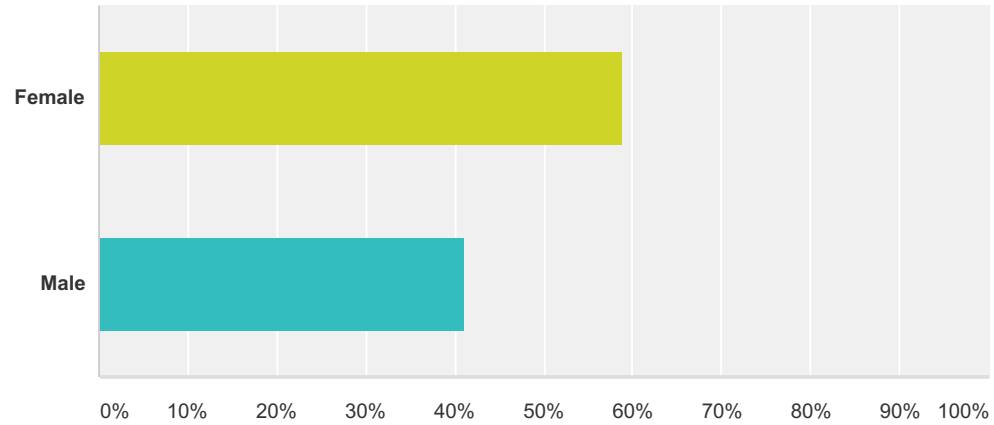
Answer Choices	Responses	Count
17 or younger	30.24%	264
18-20	2.06%	18
21-29	4.47%	39
30-39	15.35%	134
40-49	14.32%	125
50-59	14.09%	123

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60 or older	19.47%	170
Total		873

Q20 What is your gender?

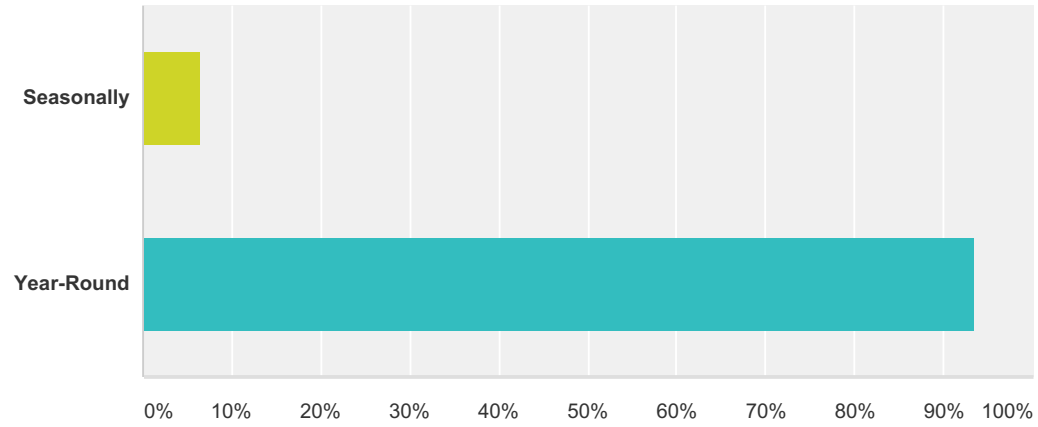
Answered: 869 Skipped: 120



Answer Choices	Responses
Female	58.92% 512
Male	41.08% 357
Total	869

Q21 Do you live in the Homer area:

Answered: 850 Skipped: 139



Answer Choices	Responses
Seasonally	6.47% 55
Year-Round	93.53% 795
Total	850