

Additional Questions for the Millinocket Annual Survey DRAFT

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TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Open Response Questions (based on the 2019 open ended questions and data)

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

1) I would buy a coffee if there was a coffee house downtown in Millinocket.

Strongly agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly
Disagree

2) Would buy baked goods at a bakery in Town.

Same 5 point scale above

2) I would buy a movie ticket if there was a theater downtown.

Same

3) I would buy sports clothing in a shop.

4) I would buy clothing at a shop downtown.

5) I would buy food at a restaurant downtown.

TRANSPORTATION

Closed Response Questions

After transportation question (around town)

6) I am in need of transportation to Bangor.

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly
Disagree

7) I would buy a ticket to fly to other cities in Maine such as Bangor, Augusta, or Portland, if available.

Same selection answers as above

8) I would buy a train ticket to a local city like Bangor, Augusta, or Portland if it were available?

FOOD SUSTAINABILITY

After #5 food co-op question:

- 9) I think there should be a farmer's market in town.
- 10) I would purchase local produce or fruit at a farmer's market if there were one monthly in town.
- 11) I look for local produce/products to purchase when I shop at grocery stores or markets.
- 12) I am in need of food for myself/my family that I cannot afford to buy.
- 13) I am aware of community resources including Food Banks, Dinner at Pir2Peer Center, that I can use to help provide food.
- 14) I would like to learn about preparing seasonal produce through cooking videos or recipes if the library offered them.

PUBLIC HEALTH

- 15) I wear a mask to protect myself from contracting the Coronavirus.
- 16) I wash my hands frequently to prevent contamination of the Coronavirus.
- 17) I stay at least 6 feet away from people to prevent contamination of the Coronavirus.
- 18) I have participated in socializing with three or more friends or family members in my home?
- 19) I would get the Covid immunization if I had the opportunity to receive it?

DRUGS

- 20) What do you see as the main drug problems in Town? (open ended)

21) Would you participate on a committee to address drug problems if the Town received funding to address?

Yes No Maybe

If yes, please provide your name, email, and phone

COLLABORATION AND CONSOLIDATION

22) Do you support the effort to share resources between towns?

Yes No Maybe

23) Do you support efforts to merge resources and/or departments of towns?

Yes No Maybe

TOWN SERVICES (ORGANIZE BY ALPHA)

24) Are you satisfied with services provided by the **Airport?**

25) Are you satisfied with services provided by the **Animal Control Officer?**

26)**Code Enforcement** (planning board)

27) ...Public safety services provided by **East Millinocket Police Department?**

28) Are you satisfied with **Fire Service/Emergency Management Services/Public Health?**

29)General Assistance

30) Human Resources

31) Information Technology

32) ...**Public Works** (plowing, transfer center, cemetery)

- 33) Recreation (Recreation Commission)
- 34) Tax Collector
- 35) Tax Assessor
- 36) **Town Clerk** (front office, elections, Town Council support)
- 37) Town Council Chair
- 38) Town Councilors
- 39) Town Manager
- 40) Treasurer
- 41) Wastewater

EDUCATION & WORKFORCE READINESS

42) Are you satisfied with the level of School Services in terms of quality of education?

Elementary

43)Junior High

44) ...High School

Strongly Agree Agree Neutral Disagree Strongly Disagree

45) Has anyone in your home dropped out of high school?

Yes No Other _____

46) Is anyone in your household who is able to work, not working?

Yes No Other _____

47) If yes, how are you getting the financial resources to live?

48) Is anyone in your household enrolled in a college or university?

Yes No Other _____

49) Is there anyone in your household who has barriers to education?

Yes No Other _____

50) If yes, what are the barriers:

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