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**COLUMBIA FALLS STUDY COMMISSION
AGENDA
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2025
COUNCIL CHAMBERS CITY HALL**

REGULAR MEETING – 5:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

CONSENT AGENDA:

- [1.](#) Approval of the February 12, 2025 Study Commission Minutes

VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT (Items not on agenda)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS/PUBLIC HEARINGS:

- Staff Report Regarding types of Local Governments in Montana - Presentation by Interim City Manager Shrives
- [3.](#) Review 2025 Survey Results
- Public Hearing - Work of Study Commission

NEW BUSINESS:

- Discuss Possible Collaboration with Whitefish Study Commission

MISCELLANEOUS

- Proposals for next agenda

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Next Scheduled Meeting:

Study Commission – Regular Meeting, **APRIL 9, 2025** – 5:00 PM



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COLUMBIA FALLS STUDY COMMISSION MINUTES WEDNESDAY, February 12, 2025

Roll Call – Meeting called to order at 5:00 pm. Present: Study Commissioners Hopkins, Konopatzke, Nicosia and Piper. Also present: Interim City Manager Shrives

Approval of Agenda – Motion to approve by Hopkins, second by Nicosia. Motion passed.

Public Comment (for Items not on the agenda)

– Scott Worchester commented that he is a member of the Whitefish Study Commission, and he was attending tonight to watch the Columbia Falls process and also wanted to make a recommendation that the Whitefish and Columbia Falls Study Commission might be able to collaborate.

Unfinished Business –

1. **Adopt Study Commission Bylaws** – Motion to pass bylaws as presented made by Nicosia second by Hopkins. During discussion it was noted that a correction needed to be made to the Procedures Section. It should be numbered as III. Motion passed noting correction to be made.
2. **Adopt Study Commission Timeline** – Motion to approve timeline made by Nicosia. Second by Konopatzke. Motion passed
3. **Review Historical Documents** – Documents from last Study Commissions were provided to the Commissioners. There was discussion regarding either minutes or the final report from the 1976 Study Commission. City staff was unable to find those documents. Staff will conduct another search before the next meeting. No further discussion regarding the historical documents.

New Business –

1. **Schedule Public Hearing for the March 12, 2025, meeting to receive public input** – Public Hearing was scheduled for March 12, 2025. Notice will be published in the newspaper and posted on the City Website. Prior to the Public Hearing, City Staff was requested to provide a report explaining the forms of government available for municipalities in Montana. Interim City Manager Mark Shrives noted he will provide that report at the next meeting.
2. **Review 2014 Survey Questions** – Commission reviewed the 2014 survey questions and made some modifications to the questions. Commissioners asked that a survey be prepared

and distributed for citizen input. Deadline for the survey to be returned to the City was set at March 3, 2025. Survey results to be provided and reviewed at the March 12, 2025, meeting. It was also asked that a separate survey using the same questions be provided to city employees and to also have those results available for review at the March 12, 2025 meeting.

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Next Agenda –

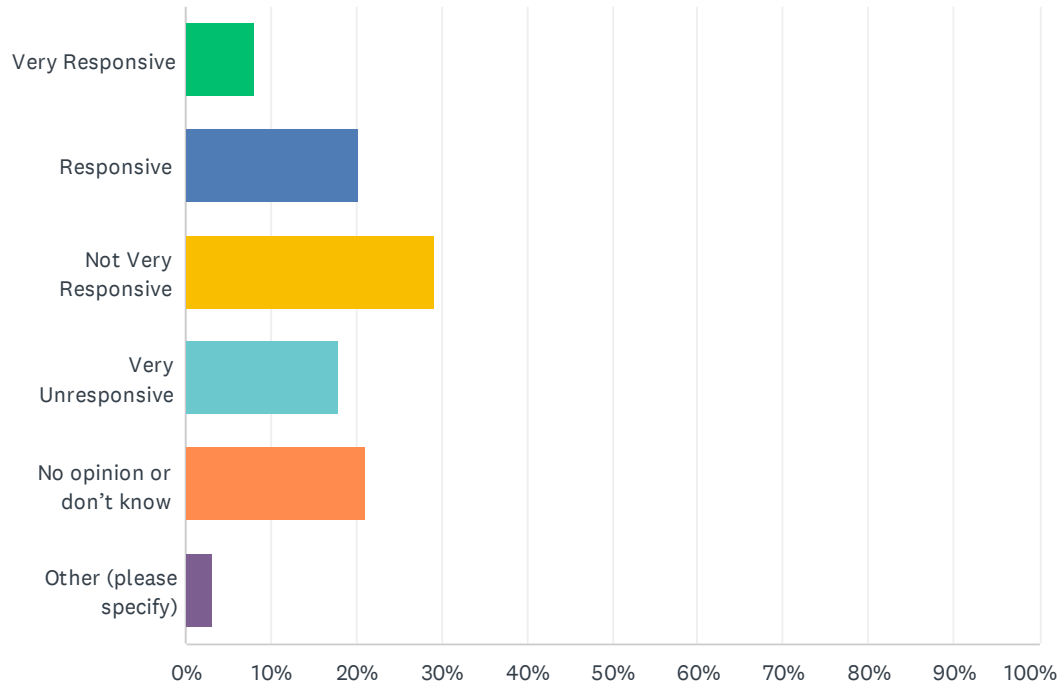
1. Hold Public Hearing for Citizen Input
2. Review Survey Results
3. Discuss possible collaboration with the Whitefish Study Commission.

Meeting duly adjourned at 5:35 pm.

Chairman

Q1 In general, how responsive is your Columbia Falls City government to your needs?

Answered: 123 Skipped: 0

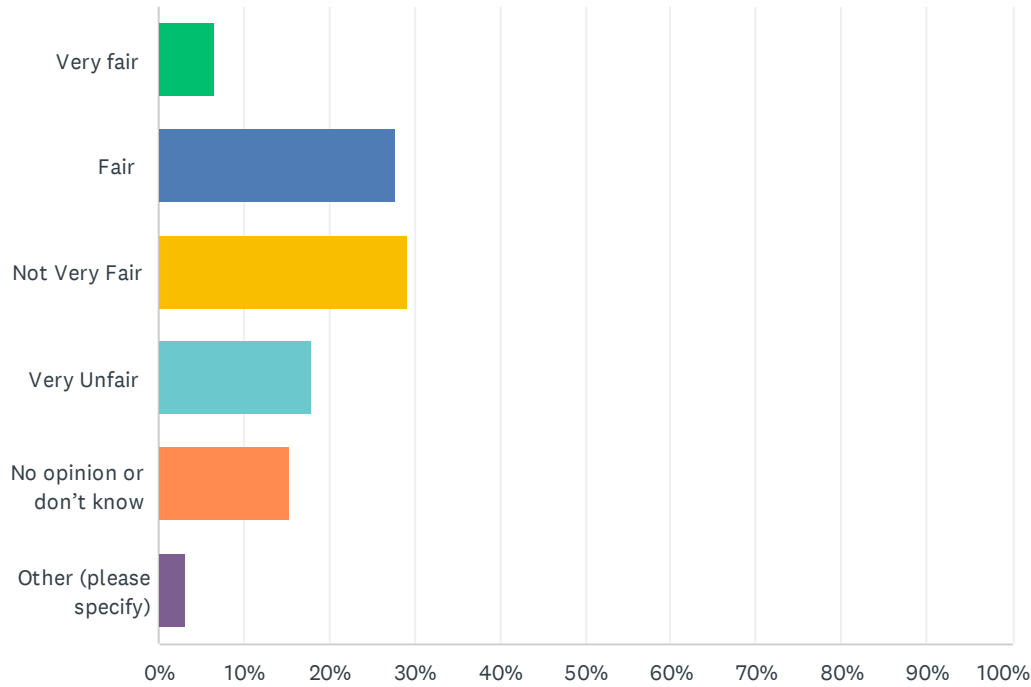


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very Responsive	8.13%	10
Responsive	20.33%	25
Not Very Responsive	29.27%	36
Very Unresponsive	17.89%	22
No opinion or don't know	21.14%	26
Other (please specify)	3.25%	4
TOTAL		123

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA	2/21/2025 7:01 PM
2	I have seen them be both unresponsive and responsive depending on what suits them	2/21/2025 5:28 AM
3	Crap shoot	2/20/2025 1:59 PM
4	When attempting to sell my house, it took 6 weeks to get a deed restriction released that was supposed to have been done 8 years prior.	2/20/2025 11:35 AM

Q2 In your opinion, how fair is your City government in dealing with all of the residents of the community?

Answered: 123 Skipped: 0

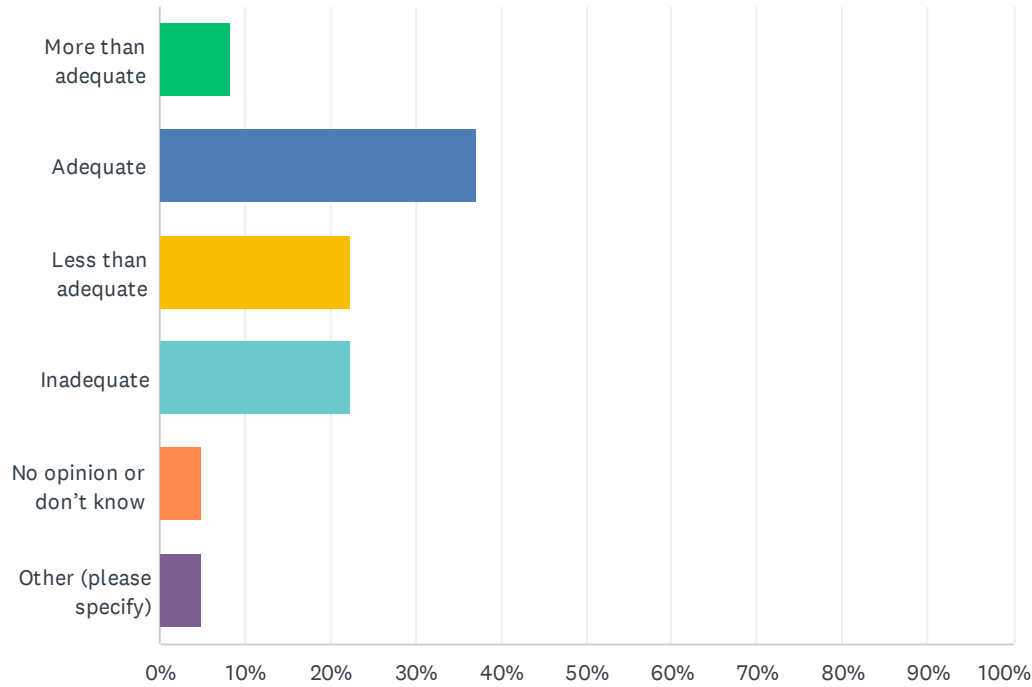


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Very fair	6.50% 8
Fair	27.64% 34
Not Very Fair	29.27% 36
Very Unfair	17.89% 22
No opinion or don't know	15.45% 19
Other (please specify)	3.25% 4
TOTAL	123

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Residents with public comments at city council meetings were sometimes dismissed/disrespected	3/3/2025 9:31 PM
2	I do think they cater too much to the known whiners and complainers. I think they should talk with neighbors to find out if the concerns are legitimate.	2/21/2025 8:43 PM
3	it's common knowledge that this town doesn't care about you unless you're rich	2/21/2025 7:01 PM
4	I don't share some of the complaints that I have heard from others. I feel the former city manager Susan Nicosia had her hands full and did the best she could with what she had. Also, I feel they need to find an experienced City Manager	2/21/2025 5:28 AM

Q3 I believe that City Administration (City Manager, Planning, City Clerk, Cashiers) in our community is:

Answered: 121 Skipped: 2



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	8.26%	10
Adequate	37.19%	45
Less than adequate	22.31%	27
Inadequate	22.31%	27
No opinion or don't know	4.96%	6
Other (please specify)	4.96%	6
TOTAL		121

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	excluding Clerk, Cashiers. Administration does not show transparency, accountability, honesty. Paper may say one thing then what happens is a not the same thing.	3/1/2025 5:45 PM
2	Useless	2/24/2025 7:04 AM
3	Laughable. They do what they want to do even when it harms neighborhoods and then they turn a blind eye to the damage they've causwd	2/21/2025 7:01 PM
4	Bought and owned by developers	2/21/2025 8:14 AM
5	The former Chief I am told is filling in as the interim manager and I feel they need to hire someone with experience	2/21/2025 5:28 AM

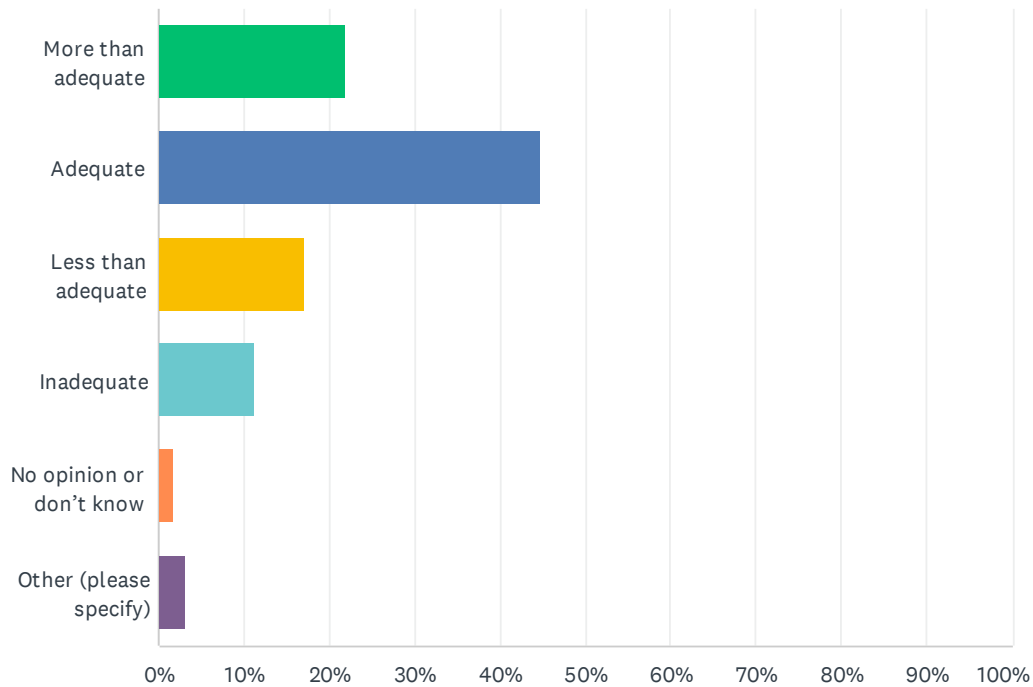
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We shouldn't rely on Whitefish's planning dept

2/20/2025 6:09 PM

Q4 I believe that Law Enforcement in our community is:

Answered: 123 Skipped: 0

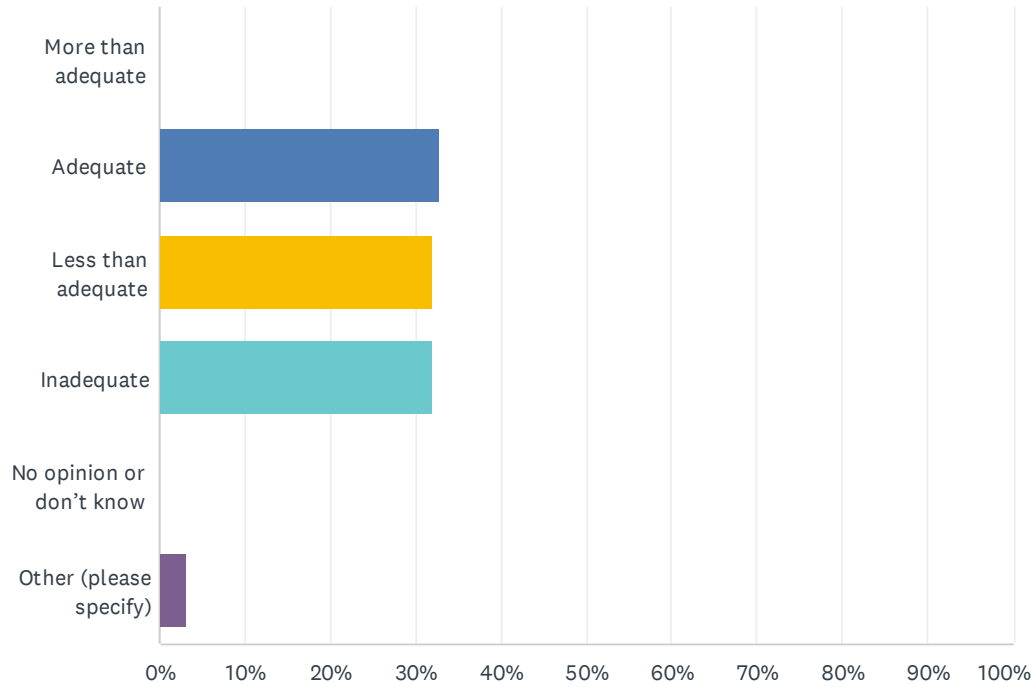


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	21.95%	27
Adequate	44.72%	55
Less than adequate	17.07%	21
Inadequate	11.38%	14
No opinion or don't know	1.63%	2
Other (please specify)	3.25%	4
TOTAL		123

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	We need more law enforcement, too much speeding and other crimes	2/28/2025 1:38 AM
2	They need more help	2/22/2025 12:28 PM
3	Needs severe work/ revamp	2/20/2025 9:34 PM
4	Much improved!	2/20/2025 11:17 AM

Q5 I believe that maintenance of the streets and sidewalks in our community is:

Answered: 122 Skipped: 1

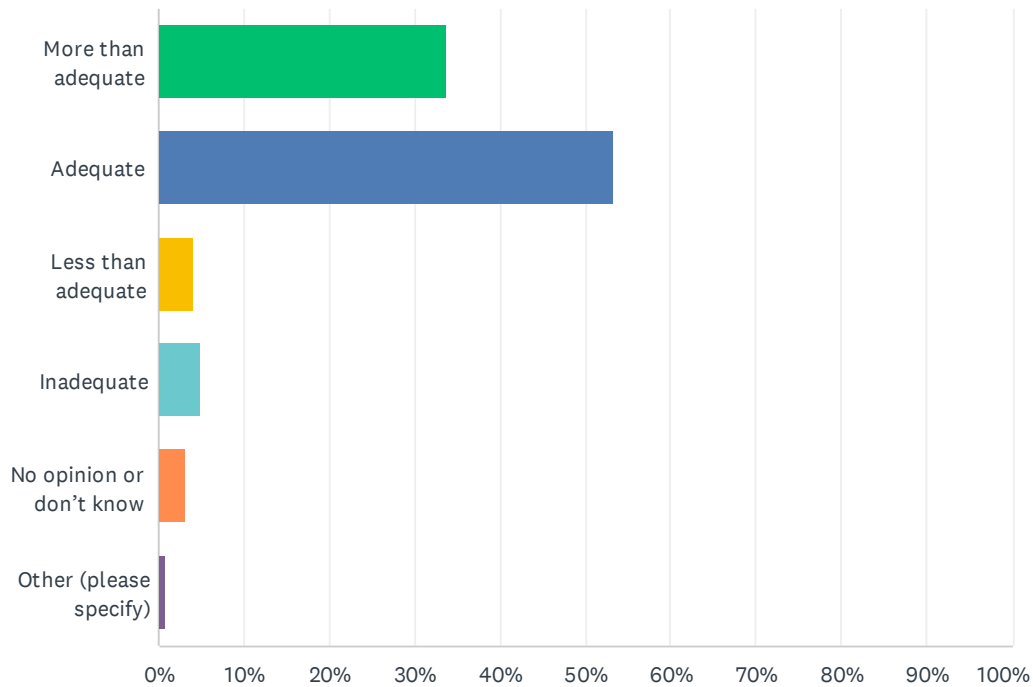


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	0.00%	0
Adequate	32.79%	40
Less than adequate	31.97%	39
Inadequate	31.97%	39
No opinion or don't know	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	3.28%	4
TOTAL		122

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Using a front-end loader is not the best way to plow snow.	3/4/2025 8:46 AM
2	inadequate- chuck holes not getting repaired, favoritism with snow plowing, avenues not getting plowed. sidewalk clearing is being abused. Traffic is a mess.	3/1/2025 5:45 PM
3	Sidewalks are fine, roads suck!	2/28/2025 1:38 AM
4	I think the guys who plow our cul-de-sac do an amazing job. I do wish they could leave the snow hills longer though for kids to play. (I do understand the safety concerns also but you just need to keep an eye on your kids)	2/21/2025 8:43 PM

Q6 I believe that the Fire Service in our community is:

Answered: 122 Skipped: 1

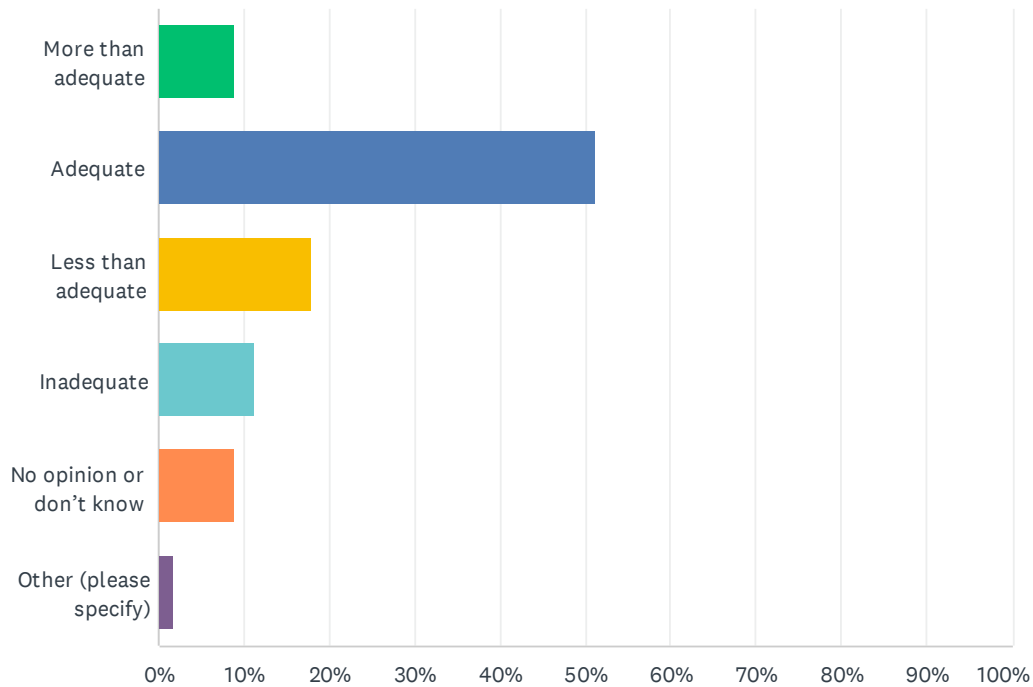


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	33.61%	41
Adequate	53.28%	65
Less than adequate	4.10%	5
Inadequate	4.92%	6
No opinion or don't know	3.28%	4
Other (please specify)	0.82%	1
TOTAL		122

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Needs more help	2/22/2025 12:28 PM

Q7 I believe that the water and wastewater utilities in our community are:

Answered: 123 Skipped: 0

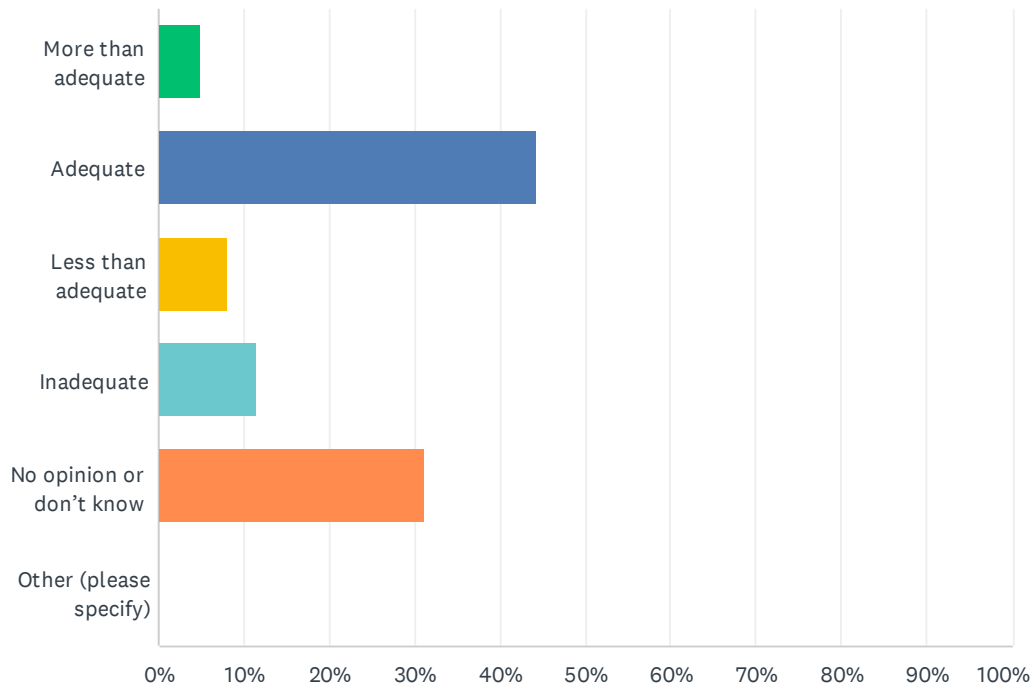


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	8.94%	11
Adequate	51.22%	63
Less than adequate	17.89%	22
Inadequate	11.38%	14
No opinion or don't know	8.94%	11
Other (please specify)	1.63%	2
TOTAL		123

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	adequate- it is with the planning and council showing poor planning on utilizing the existing utilities.	3/1/2025 5:45 PM
2	I think the yearly backflow check that almost costs as much as a new backflow valve is ridiculous. Maybe every 3 years I could see but there is far more risk for people with no backflow and a garden hose than someone who has a backflow valve.	2/21/2025 8:43 PM

Q8 I believe that the City Court in our community is:

Answered: 122 Skipped: 1

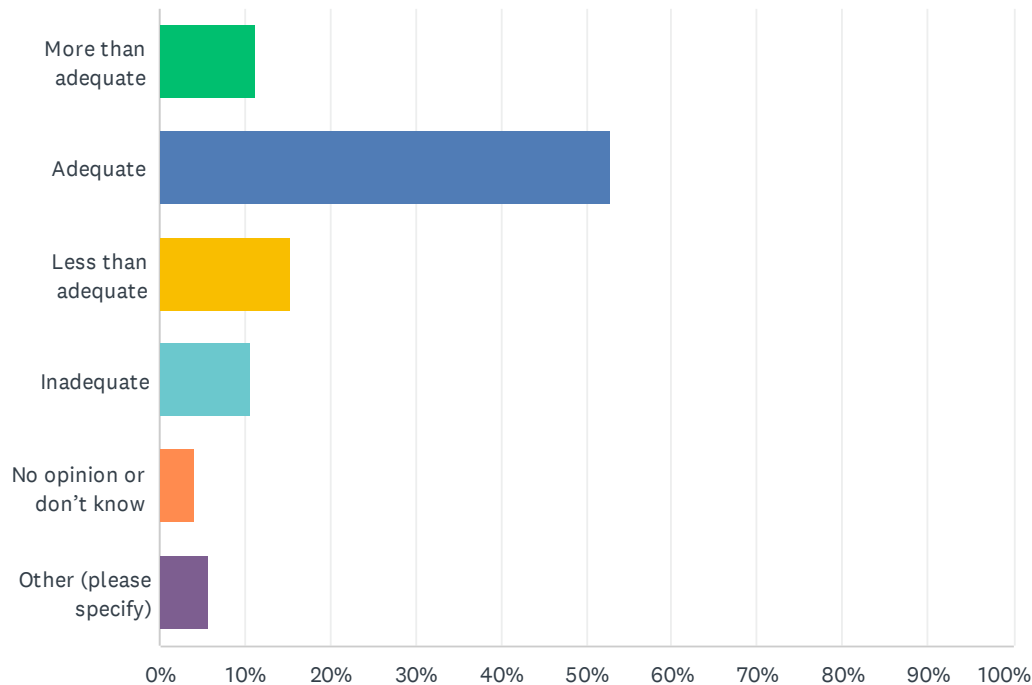


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	4.92%	6
Adequate	44.26%	54
Less than adequate	8.20%	10
Inadequate	11.48%	14
No opinion or don't know	31.15%	38
Other (please specify)	0.00%	0
TOTAL		122

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
	There are no responses.	

Q9 I believe that the City parks/pool in our community are:

Answered: 123 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	11.38%	14
Adequate	52.85%	65
Less than adequate	15.45%	19
Inadequate	10.57%	13
No opinion or don't know	4.07%	5
Other (please specify)	5.69%	7
TOTAL		123

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	less than adequate. without raising taxes, we need to establish a foot or bike park ranger/officer to stop loose dogs, vagrant campers. establish a dog park.	3/1/2025 5:45 PM
2	We need a bigger pool	2/28/2025 2:55 PM
3	The pool needs to be an indoor pool for year round use	2/27/2025 11:15 AM
4	Need to let the swim team have different hours	2/22/2025 12:28 PM
5	Adequate but would like to see more for kids to do. Maybe an indoor pool if that was ever something that could be done.	2/21/2025 8:43 PM
6	They destroyed the nice baseball field in front of the high school and gave it to the high school to use for tennis. Locals have nowhere to play tennis now because the students take up all the	2/21/2025 7:01 PM

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parking, laugh at people when the play, or the PE classes are using the court.

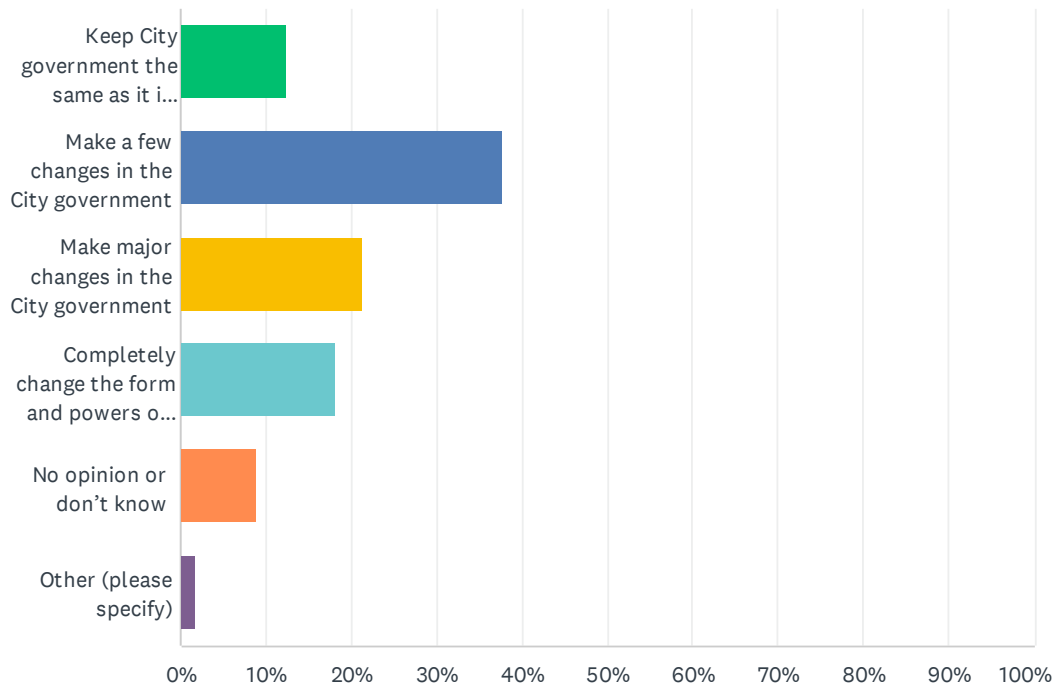
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Park maintenance is More than adequate, The parks being available to large community events is not adequate

2/20/2025 4:16 PM

Q10 If I had to vote tomorrow, I would vote to:

Answered: 122 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES	
Keep City government the same as it is now		12.30%	15
Make a few changes in the City government		37.70%	46
Make major changes in the City government		21.31%	26
Completely change the form and powers of the City government		18.03%	22
No opinion or don't know		9.02%	11
Other (please specify)		1.64%	2
TOTAL			122

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Change City Manager position to a City Administer position	3/4/2025 8:46 AM
2	Need qualified people in administrative positions	2/19/2025 2:50 PM

Q11 Do you have any other comments or recommendations for services that you would like the Study Commission to consider?

Answered: 49 Skipped: 74

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Places for people to set when we need to. They should be totally responsible for the watering and maintenance of our new sidewalk greenery.	3/4/2025 2:54 PM
2	The city needs a seasonal code enforcement officer. Numerous City code violations and no enforcement	3/4/2025 8:46 AM
3	Need to make sure that the officials don't play favorites with there friends and family	3/4/2025 12:08 AM
4	I lived in cfalls six years ago and recently moved back and i think the city has improved! I think that i would like better communication about city council and board meetings or at least have them recorded or able to be viewed in real time. I feel like zero outreach has been done about the growth plan required by the state.	3/3/2025 8:17 PM
5	Nearly everyone in local government is related, by blood or marriage, and often have conflicts of interests when making decisions about ...everything. I have researched the familial connections if local people, while doing genealogy on our own. I'd love to show you sometime. I'm located at 4 Diane RD in substandard, overpriced housing with "local" neighbors who display their entitlement and preferential treatment on the regular. It appears this neighborhood was sold and approved as a path to home ownership for low income, then most the building were sold to trust funds and corps. Nobody bothered to check if all the rezoning that was approved resulted in the intended consequences. The whole goverment is a fraud and deserves an audit.	3/3/2025 4:00 PM
6	How can this survey help being fair (non bias) to all of the city, when we have 2 PAST CITY MANAGERS, PAST CITY CLERK, AND CITY COUNCIL MEMBER recommending our future growth. When the problems the citizens are experiencing happened on your watch!	3/1/2025 5:45 PM
7	Stop letting developers ruin our town!!	2/28/2025 1:38 AM
8	Better communication with residents regarding city infrastructure plans	2/27/2025 5:28 PM
9	No	2/27/2025 11:15 AM
10	I think i would just like to see more ease of access to the various meetings that occur. For example, most of the time i cant make the city council or land planning meetings but i would like to know what is going on with them. It seems as if the website is never really updated either. I know it is probably due to staffing which i totally understand. It would just be nice to know what is going on!	2/27/2025 7:04 AM
11	Roadwork for a start for higher taxes and a resort tax feel that should be in great condition	2/26/2025 9:13 PM
12	I believe city planning should have new construction on bigger projects pay for things like traffic light and other services.	2/26/2025 1:46 PM
13	Please stop spraying toxic weed killer around town/in the parks, it is a waste of funds and causes disease.	2/26/2025 12:58 PM
14	More speed enforcement, especially residential streets	2/25/2025 8:36 PM
15	Follow city ordiances that are on the books.	2/25/2025 5:43 PM
16	Keep sidewalks clear on 4th for the kids walking to school. The road between the two tall buildings west of Smiths, Nucleus, needs to be ONE WAY.	2/24/2025 4:13 PM
17	Maintain the walking the trails just as the city expects residents to maintain their sidewalks. When water is over walking trails or snow remains on walking trails - the city should be liable for falls or accidents that occur. Enforce snow removal in residential areas.	2/24/2025 2:37 PM

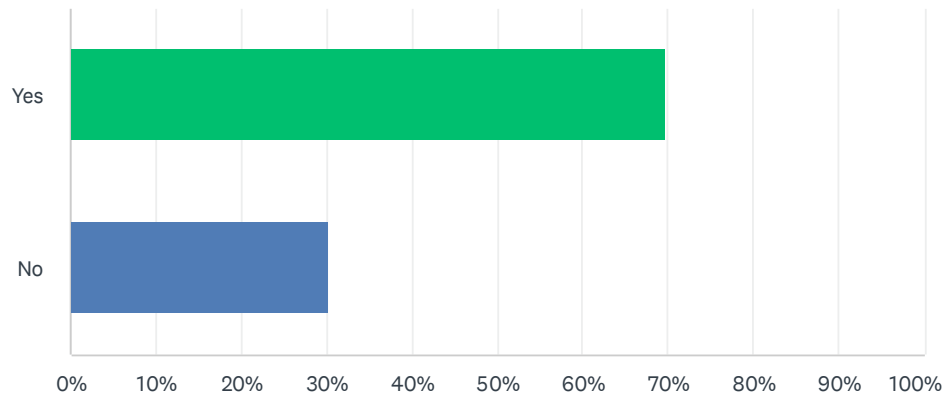
18	Stop trying to make us whitefish	2/24/2025 1:30 PM
19	No	2/22/2025 5:42 PM
20	Our town has grown beyond the traditional small town that we liked. We need more law enforcement and more opportunity beyond tourism.	2/22/2025 4:02 PM
21	Have council and mayor learn the make up of government they swear to uphold.	2/22/2025 2:51 PM
22	Community ice rink	2/22/2025 9:57 AM
23	Thank you to those that work and serve our city. Keep up the excellent work.	2/22/2025 9:44 AM
24	Look at restricting some of the outrageous building that's been going on. Look into limitations and restrictions for Airbnb and vacation rentals.	2/21/2025 8:43 PM
25	Do they consider everything? They pretend to care, then ignore people's concerns.	2/21/2025 7:01 PM
26	I went to a hearing about zoning. The zoning board completely ignored what the residents had to say and rammed another development down the citizens throats that went against the intent of what people were told when they previously purchased their property. I will vote against the public servants that allowed this to happen.	2/21/2025 1:02 PM
27	Stop giving developers reduced fees for hookups or PUDs to reduce setbacks, building heights, and parking requirements. They make money on it but we suffer. Not enough parking along Nucleus Ave - we need to implement parking requirements in the central business district.	2/21/2025 12:26 PM
28	Have the infrastructure in before you keep building and letting people move here. Have the police do their jobs and bust people for speed and traffic violations. there	2/21/2025 6:43 AM
29	No	2/21/2025 5:47 AM
30	Steadily increasing taxes with no accountability for spending.	2/21/2025 3:08 AM
31	Actually listen to the people who live here. OH AND TURN ALL THE DAMN TURN ARROWS ON IN TOWN	2/20/2025 10:20 PM
32	Kick out Mr. Ruiz and his crooked ways. Hold him accountable for his lies about adequate parking and make him move his scaffolding from the lot behind the old Columbia bar. Wasn't his building across the street approved by using the old Columbia parking lot?	2/20/2025 10:16 PM
33	Parking violations on nucleus Lack of law enforcement, and the lack of new buisness in town. We have have enough banks, auto parts stores and hardware stores.	2/20/2025 9:38 PM
34	No	2/20/2025 9:34 PM
35	Water sewer improvements	2/20/2025 9:19 PM
36	No sewer lines over the river. Slow down on development. Require more low income housing in all building projects.	2/20/2025 8:33 PM
37	Accountability in making decision that enhances the community not just building banks	2/20/2025 8:04 PM
38	Ban all vbos	2/20/2025 6:05 PM
39	Focus on kids and kids sports	2/20/2025 4:27 PM
40	Types of communication the city has with the public. I find that public outreach from the city is very minimal and could be greatly improved.	2/20/2025 2:19 PM
41	More bike lanes/wider streets	2/20/2025 1:59 PM
42	x	2/20/2025 1:01 PM
43	Reasonably priced housing	2/20/2025 12:07 PM
44	The problem with everybody speeding through town and police not doing anything	2/20/2025 11:36 AM
45	No	2/20/2025 11:35 AM
46	Ordinance enforcement would be nice.	2/20/2025 11:17 AM

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47	NO	2/19/2025 6:27 PM
48	You have GOT to do something about junk vehicles and other debris in yards!!!!	2/19/2025 2:15 PM
49	It seems as if the City has completely abandoned the concept of snow removal in the last few years.	2/14/2025 11:08 AM

Q12 Do you live within the City limits of the City of Columbia Falls?

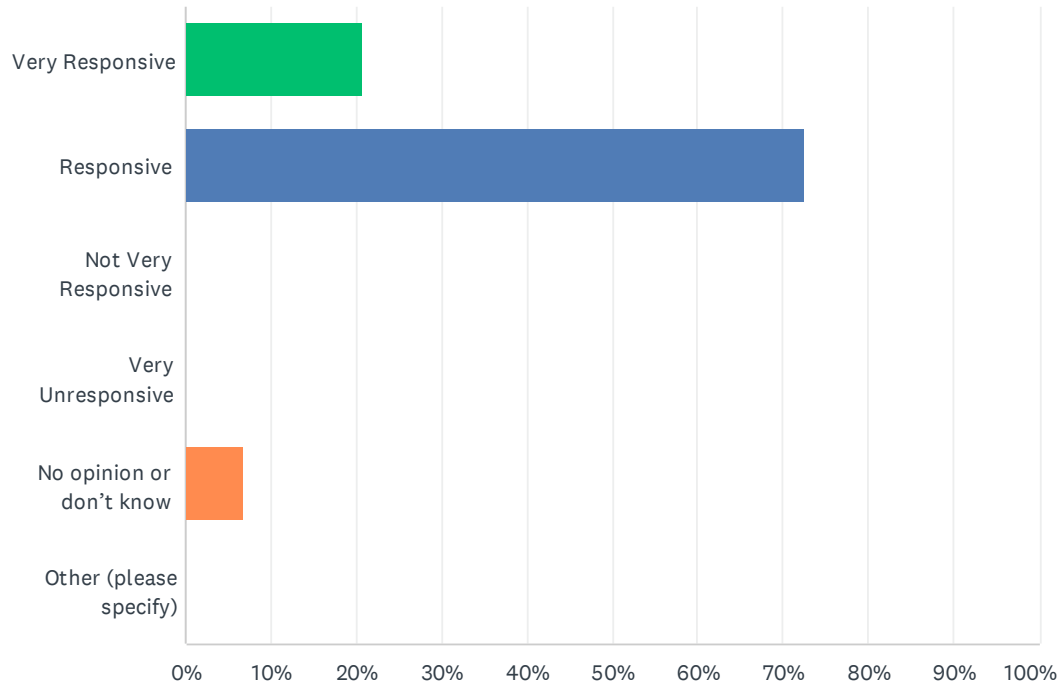
Answered: 122 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	69.67%	85
No	30.33%	37
TOTAL		122

Q1 In general, how responsive is your Columbia Falls City government to your needs?

Answered: 29 Skipped: 1

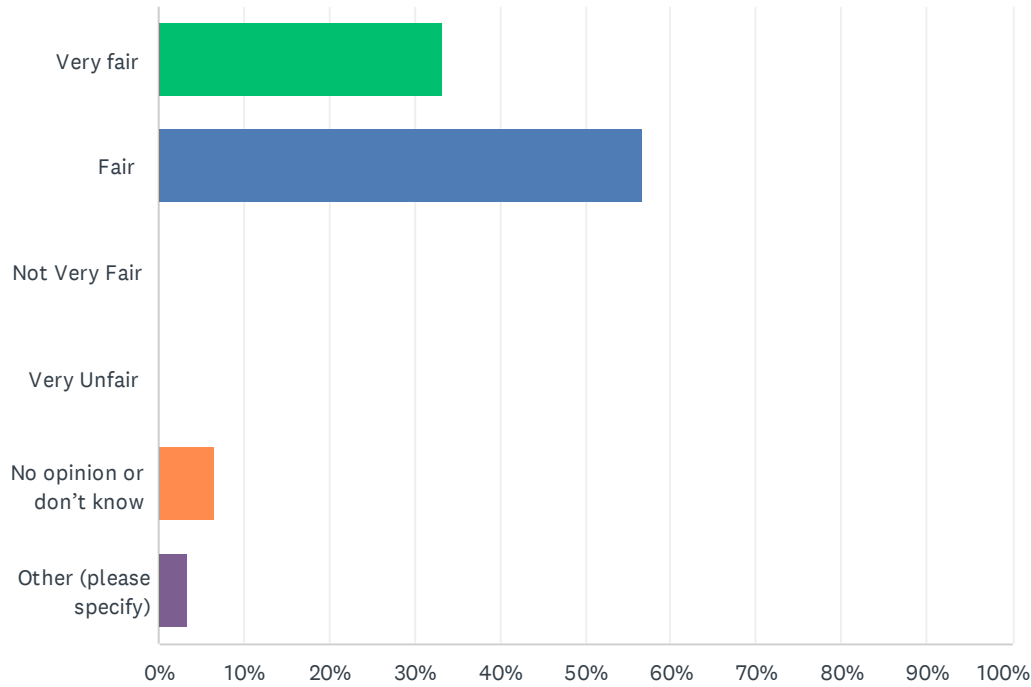


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very Responsive	20.69%	6
Responsive	72.41%	21
Not Very Responsive	0.00%	0
Very Unresponsive	0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know	6.90%	2
Other (please specify)	0.00%	0
TOTAL		29

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
	There are no responses.	

Q2 In your opinion, how fair is your City government in dealing with all of the residents of the community?

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

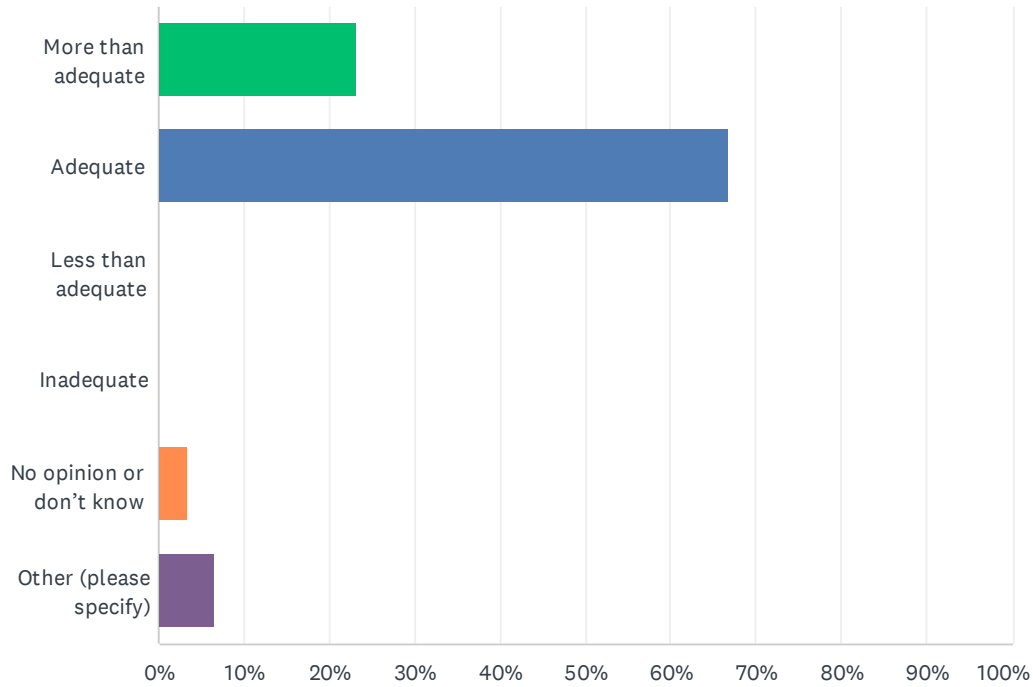


ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES	
Very fair		33.33%	10
Fair		56.67%	17
Not Very Fair		0.00%	0
Very Unfair		0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know		6.67%	2
Other (please specify)		3.33%	1
TOTAL			30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Very Fair: The folks that say "unfair" are more than likely unhappy with the answer rather than the service. This community is very closed-minded and stuck in the past. Then when the city deals with the community they get accused of various wrong-doings because of ignorant citizens.	3/5/2025 5:44 PM

Q3 I believe that City Administration (City Manager, Planning, City Clerk, Cashiers) in our community is:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

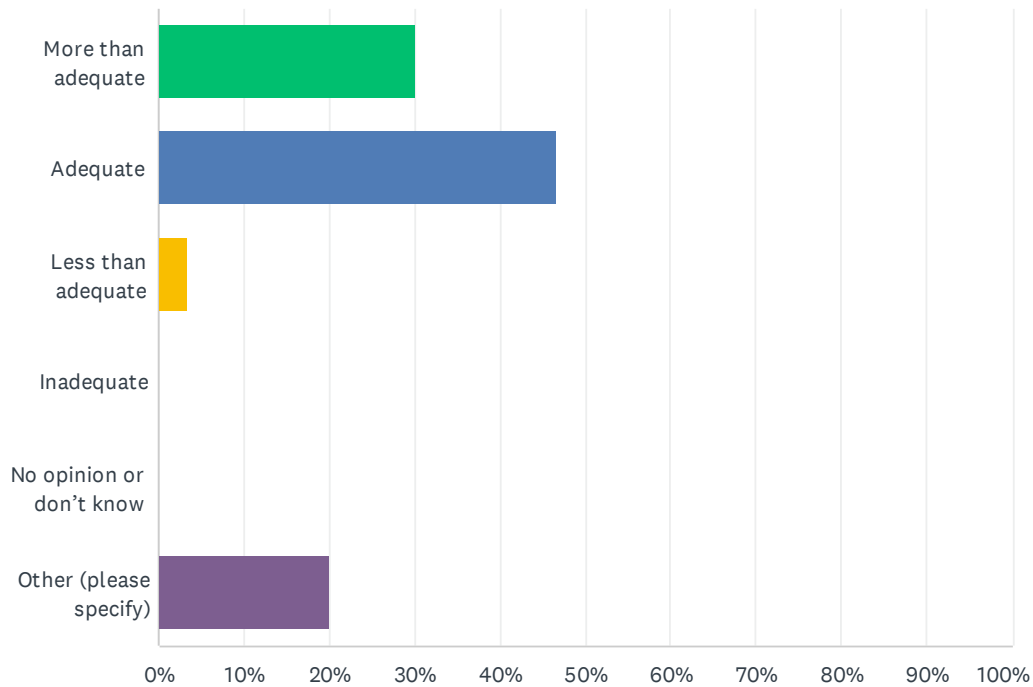


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	23.33%	7
Adequate	66.67%	20
Less than adequate	0.00%	0
Inadequate	0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know	3.33%	1
Other (please specify)	6.67%	2
TOTAL		30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Adequate: City Manager position up in the air for 8 months. Staffing has been an issue in the Finance Office. We are currently fully staffed and it should get better with proper training. Interim City Managers have helped out tremendously.	3/5/2025 5:38 PM
2	Less than Adequate: Need City Manager	3/5/2025 5:32 PM

Q4 I believe that Law Enforcement in our community is:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

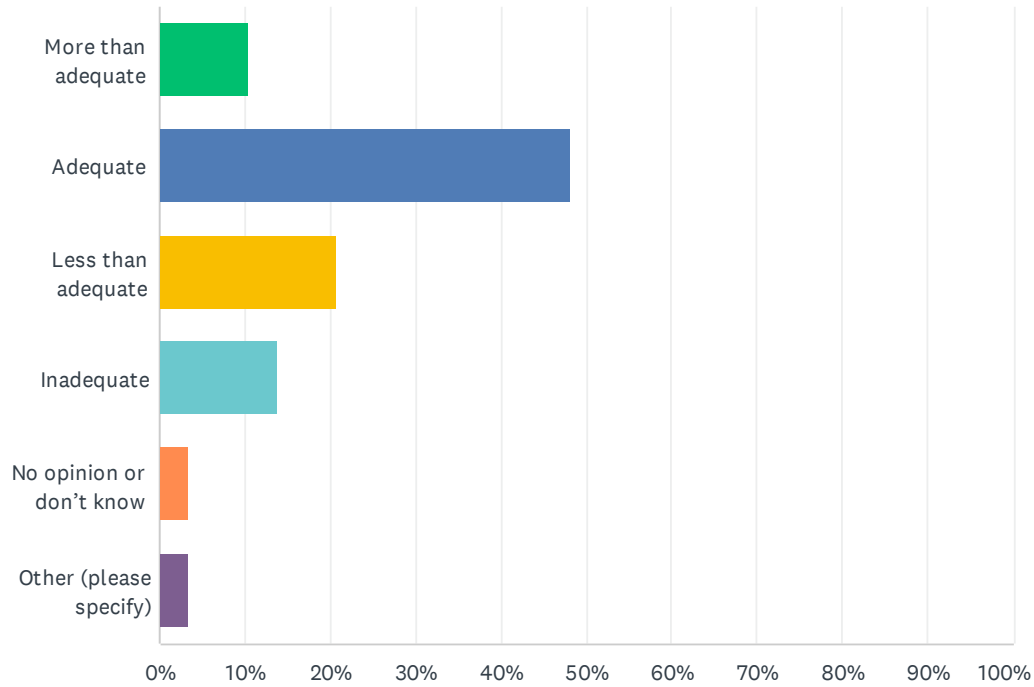


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	30.00%	9
Adequate	46.67%	14
Less than adequate	3.33%	1
Inadequate	0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	20.00%	6
TOTAL		30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Adequate: As far as I know, there is only 1-2 officers on a 12 hour shift, if one of them gets busy with a drunk driver for several hours that leaves one officer to respond to calls. This is unsafe and dangerous. Cfalls needs at least 14-15 officers.	3/5/2025 5:47 PM
2	Adequate: An extra officer or two would help on taking calls quickly and more productivity.	3/5/2025 5:44 PM
3	Adequate: New young staff at this time. When training is complete it will be a solid department.	3/5/2025 5:38 PM
4	Adequate: Could tag abandoned vehicles in right of way	3/5/2025 5:32 PM
5	No Opinion: Need to be better at calling in snow conditions.	3/5/2025 5:21 PM
6	Need additional Officers	3/5/2025 5:11 PM

Q5 I believe that maintenance of the streets and sidewalks in our community is:

Answered: 29 Skipped: 1

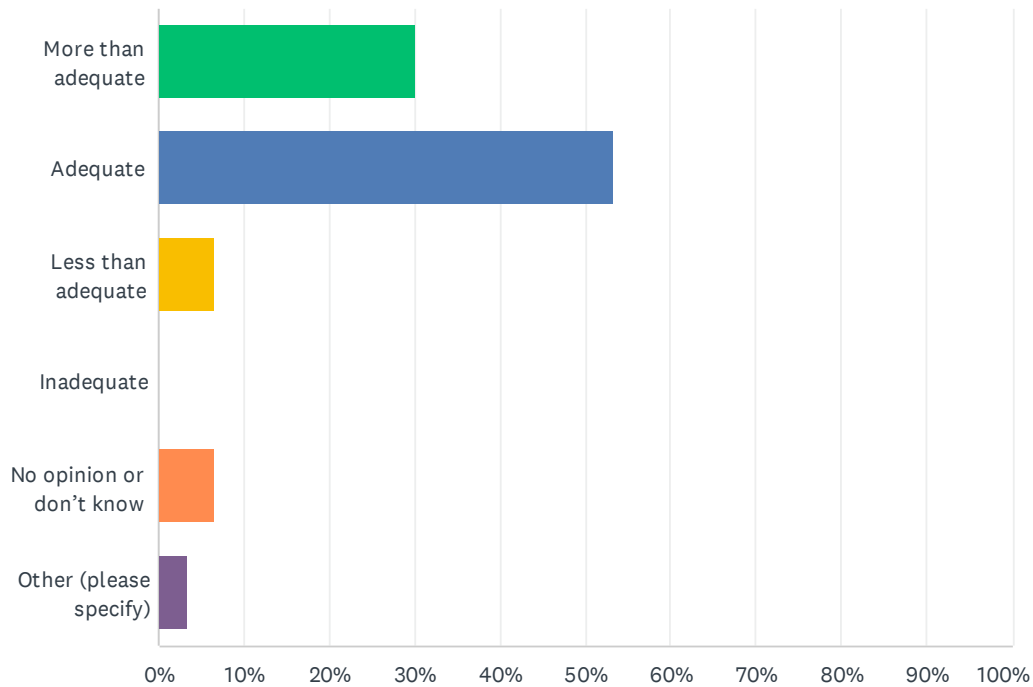


ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES	
More than adequate		10.34%	3
Adequate		48.28%	14
Less than adequate		20.69%	6
Inadequate		13.79%	4
No opinion or don't know		3.45%	1
Other (please specify)		3.45%	1
TOTAL			29

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Adequate: Need to follow code on all sidewalks.	3/5/2025 5:38 PM

Q6 I believe that the Fire Service in our community is:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

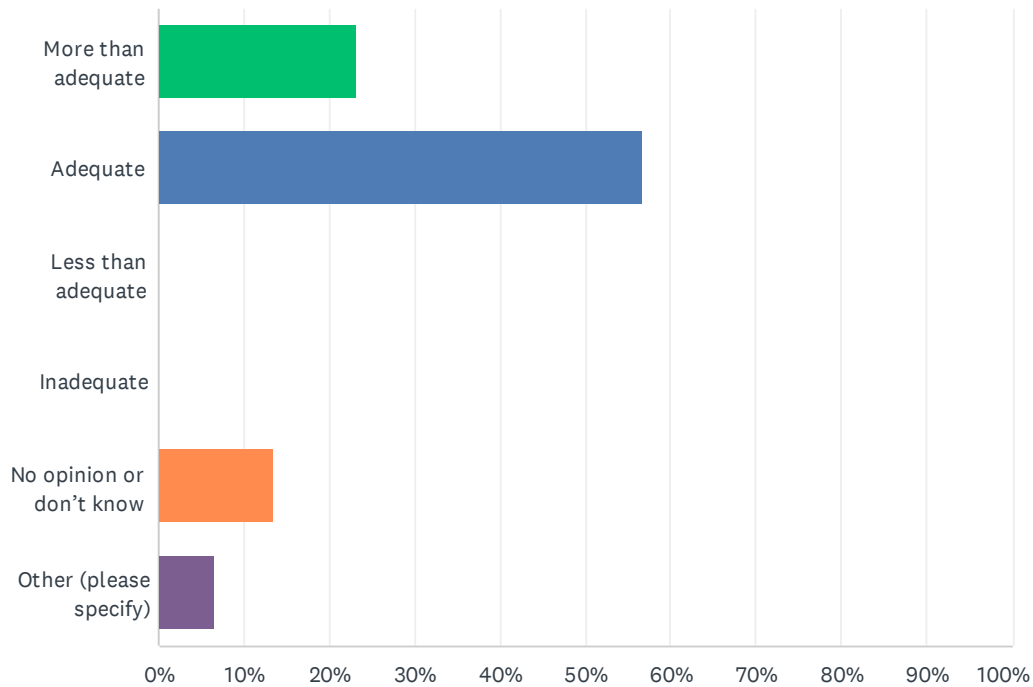


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	30.00%	9
Adequate	53.33%	16
Less than adequate	6.67%	2
Inadequate	0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know	6.67%	2
Other (please specify)	3.33%	1
TOTAL		30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	More than Adequate: City & Rural Fire work very well together. Volunteers are wonderful and happy to be on our fire depart. Paid staff responds within minutes of page.	3/5/2025 5:38 PM

Q7 I believe that the water and wastewater utilities in our community are:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

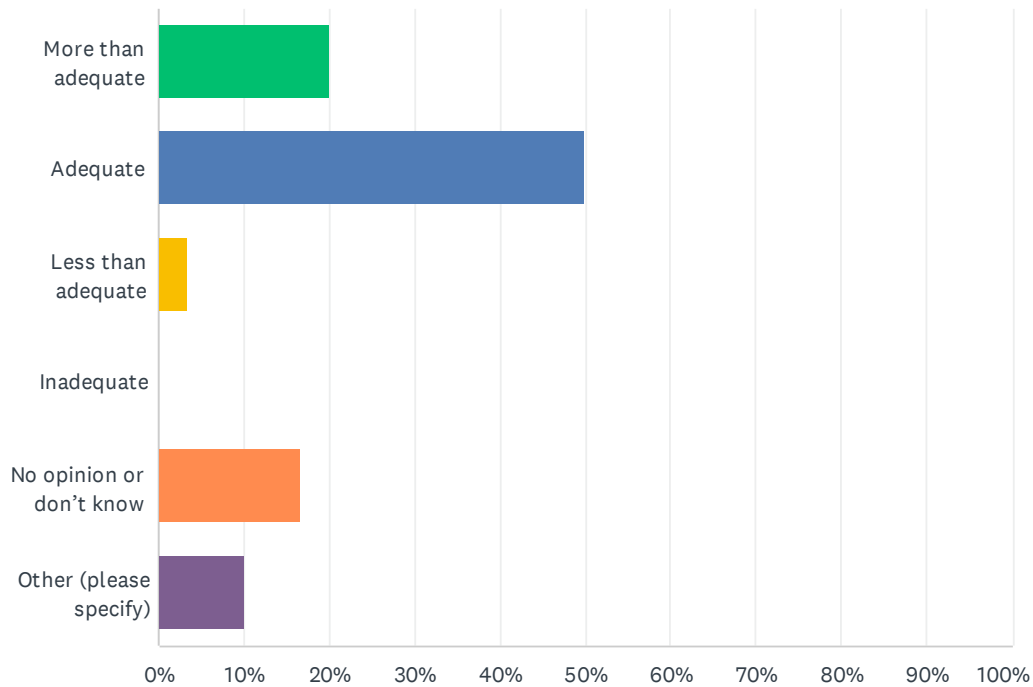


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	23.33%	7
Adequate	56.67%	17
Less than adequate	0.00%	0
Inadequate	0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know	13.33%	4
Other (please specify)	6.67%	2
TOTAL		30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Less than Adequate: Needs repair throughout the plant (stainless steel is expensive)	3/5/2025 5:21 PM
2	Adequate, but should be constantly looking at upgrades.	3/5/2025 5:15 PM

Q8 I believe that the City Court in our community is:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

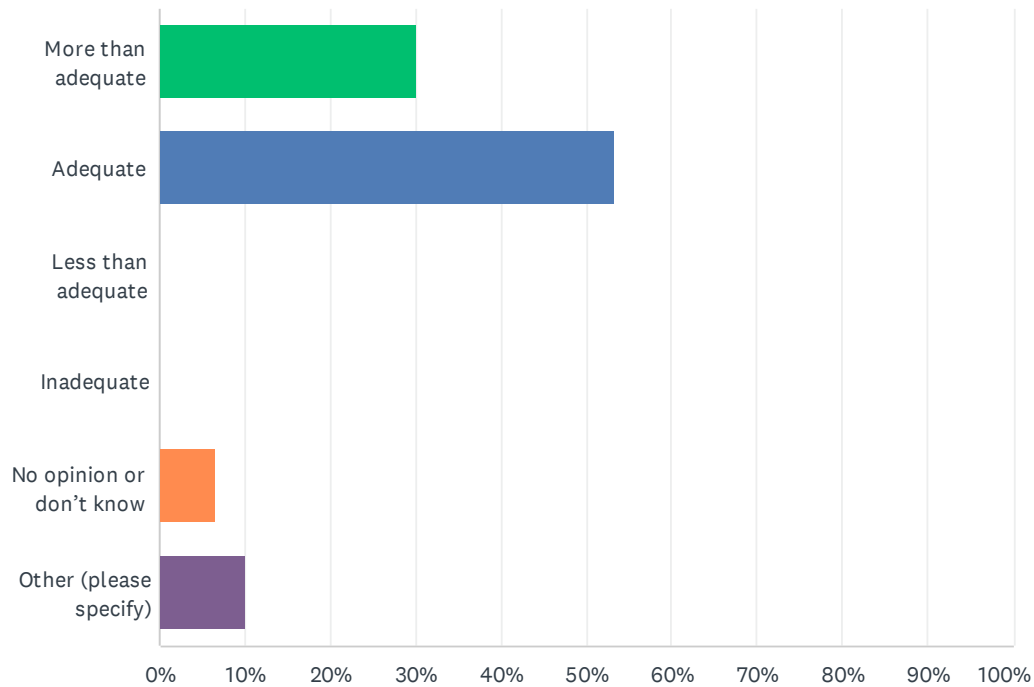


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
More than adequate	20.00%	6
Adequate	50.00%	15
Less than adequate	3.33%	1
Inadequate	0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know	16.67%	5
Other (please specify)	10.00%	3
TOTAL		30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Adequate: more funding and plastic chairs for the gallery would be safe and easier to clean up.	3/5/2025 5:44 PM
2	Adequate: Judge is not in the office at all times.	3/5/2025 5:38 PM
3	Less than Adequate: Prosecutor	3/5/2025 5:26 PM

Q9 I believe that the City parks/pool in our community are:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0

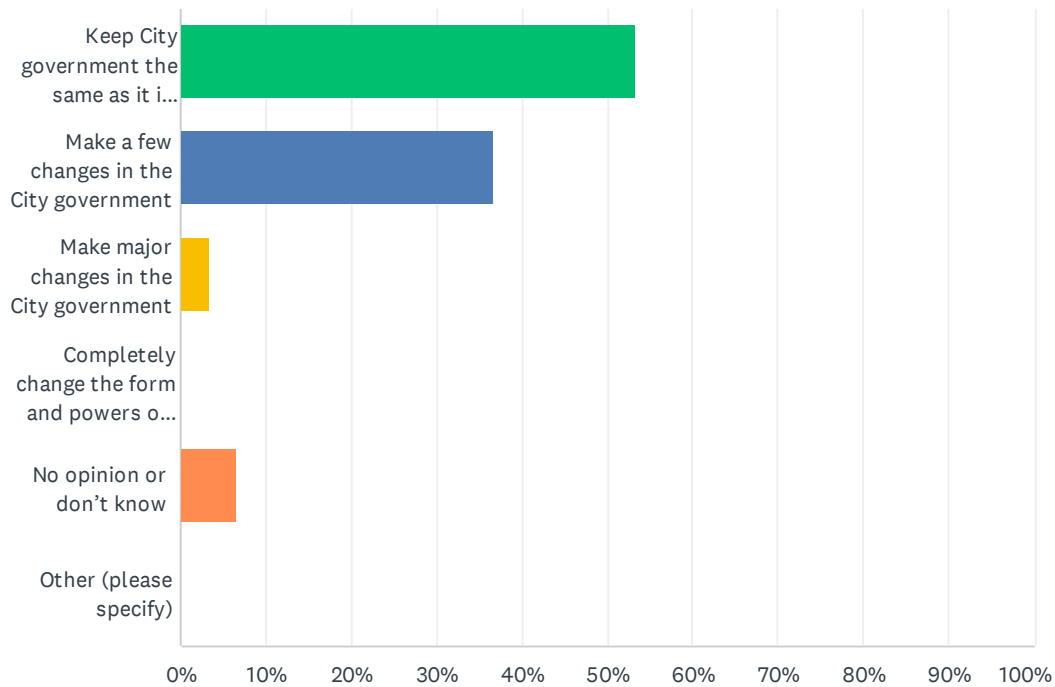


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
More than adequate	30.00% 9
Adequate	53.33% 16
Less than adequate	0.00% 0
Inadequate	0.00% 0
No opinion or don't know	6.67% 2
Other (please specify)	10.00% 3
TOTAL	30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Adequate: Parks. Less than Adequate: Pool needs help.	3/5/2025 5:38 PM
2	Waste of time/money	3/5/2025 5:28 PM
3	No Opinion: Rivers Edge Disc Golf Course	3/5/2025 5:21 PM

Q10 If I had to vote tomorrow, I would vote to:

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Keep City government the same as it is now	53.33%	16
Make a few changes in the City government	36.67%	11
Make major changes in the City government	3.33%	1
Completely change the form and powers of the City government	0.00%	0
No opinion or don't know	6.67%	2
Other (please specify)	0.00%	0
TOTAL		30

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
	There are no responses.	

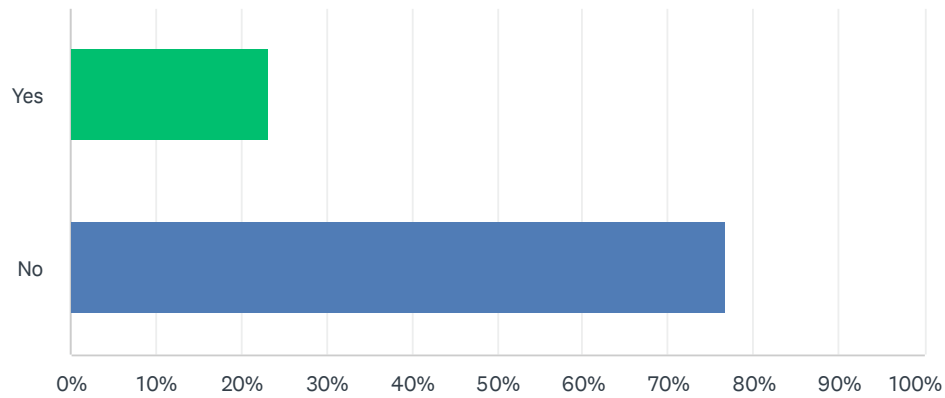
Q11 Do you have any other comments or recommendations for services that you would like the Study Commission to consider?

Answered: 7 Skipped: 23

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	We need a city code enforcement officer to effectively handle quality off life complaints and enforce city ordinances.	3/5/2025 5:44 PM
2	The study commission should not have ex parte communication with the public.	3/5/2025 5:38 PM
3	No	3/5/2025 5:31 PM
4	No	3/5/2025 5:28 PM
5	N/A	3/5/2025 5:24 PM
6	No	3/5/2025 5:17 PM
7	No	3/5/2025 5:12 PM

Q12 Do you live within the City limits of the City of Columbia Falls?

Answered: 30 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	23.33%	7
No	76.67%	23
TOTAL		30