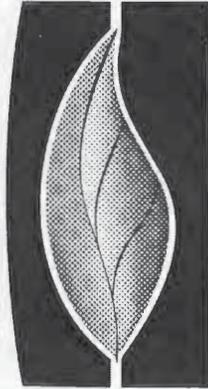


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APPENDIX



- Committee meeting minutes and sign-in sheets
- Public meeting minutes and sign-in sheets
- Online survey results data
- Telephone survey summary presentation
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- Email letter to local sports organizations
- Woolwich Regional Center layout plan

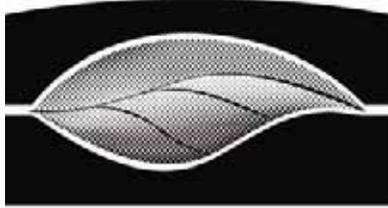


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Project: Woolwich Twp. Open Space & Rec. Plan Project: SC:14023.10
 Location: Woolwich Twp Building Date: 5/20/2014
 Topic: Committee Meeting #1 Time: 6:30 PM

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MEETING NOTES

Project: **Woolwich Township/Borough of Swedesboro Open Space & Recreation Plan** Project No.: **14023.10**

Location: **Woolwich Township Building** Meeting Date/Time: **5/20/2014 6:30 pm**

Topic: **Committee Meeting #1** Issue Date: **6/13/2014**

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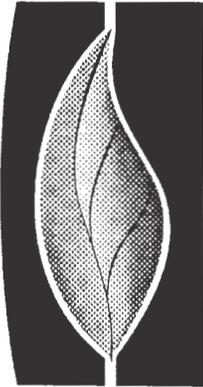
1. The telephone survey will begin after the June 16th meeting. **Committee to provide any comments or suggestions on the survey at the June 16th meeting. SC to coordinate with Reed Group to include Woolwich Township and Borough of Swedesboro residents.**
2. Woolwich Township is growing extremely fast as shown by the DVRPC *Regional, County, and Municipal Population forecasts, 2010-2040*. This information is available on the DVRPC website.
3. **Beckett Golf Club**
 - a. The acreage is around 210 acres (5 contiguous lots). Three adjacent parcels not part of Beckett Golf Club (owners: Eisner and Fichera) should also be considered for this plan.
 - b. One possibility is that the Township purchases the parcels east of Kings Highway of the two parcels for the residual value once the TDR credits have been removed from the property. The parcels west of Kings Highway could potentially remain as a golf use.
 - c. The eastern side of King's Highway has more gentle slopes that could be a good option for active recreation fields. There is also an existing irrigation system installed.
 - d. It may be a possibility to purchase the parcel and allow it to naturalize until there is enough demand to build active recreation fields in this location. The committee generally agreed that they would like to see golf continue at this location.
 - e. NJDEP does not have any remaining Green Acres funds for the purchase of golf courses.
4. **Maccarone Farm parcel**
 - a. The Township does not currently own the parcel however it is part of a proposed land swap deal with NJDEP whereby Woolwich Township would purchase the Maccarone Farm and trade it to NJDEP for Block 5, Lot 6.07 located on High Hill Road. Lot 6.07 would help create an complete interconnected park system with compatible uses along High Hill Road.

- b. NJDEP has confirmed their support for this land swap and are interested in the Maccarone Farm to create an access to Pedricktown Marsh and Oldmans Creek.
 - c. A goal would be to continue farming at the Maccarone Farm location.
- 5. Indian Branch parcels**
- a. The Township does not currently own these two parcels however they have been endorsed by the Township for purchase this year.
 - b. One possibility for these parcels is active recreation fields along Township Line Road frontage. The parcels are across the road from Beckett Park (Logan Township) active recreation fields.
 - c. Connections to the adjacent Weatherby development should be considered.
- 6. Palladino Fields**
- a. Recently acquired by Township.
 - b. Potential interior trail system?
- 7. Lapalamento parcels**
- a. Potential put in/take out spots for water trail?
 - b. Currently used for agriculture
 - c. An existing pond is used for irrigation.
- 8. Locke Ave/High Hill Park**
- a. One option for this location would be an artificial turf field.
 - b. The committee mentioned that these parcels have drainage issues and further investigation is needed to determine the cause.
 - c. Block 5, Lot 11.01 has been considered for a YMCA. This idea has previously been made public.
- 9. NIKE Missile Base**
- a. Access is currently provided through an easement.
 - b. The Missile Control site on Swedesboro Paulsboro Road is to be redeveloped.
10. The Township will need to advise SC during the course of this study as to how to handle certain private parcels such as the Indian Branch parcels in terms of releasing information to the public.
11. The Township does not currently have a park with a pond that would provide easy fishing access for residents or a location for picnicking. The County owned parcels/parks with these uses are extremely popular.
- a. Porches Mill Pond (Porches Mill Rd) is a privately owned pond in the Twp
12. SC to contact Ken Atkinson with Gloucester County office of Land Preservation and Michelle Young at Kernan Engineers about obtaining additional GIS data.
13. The Township could possibly use an Official Map to designate open space. SC to investigate as to whether the process in New Jersey is the same as in Pennsylvania. The TDR ordinance may also have similar language.
14. SC will provide a draft press release for public meetings to be distributed by the Township. *The draft was sent to the Township 5/21/14.*

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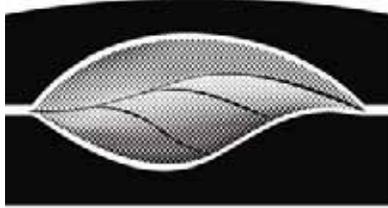
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 Committee Meeting #2 Penn
 June 16, 2014

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MEETING NOTES

Project:	Woolwich Township Open Space & Rec Plan	Project No.:	14023.10
Location:	Woolwich Township Building	Meeting Date/Time:	5/20/2014 6:30 pm
Topic:	Committee Meeting #1	Issue Date:	10/3/2014

NOTES:

1. Woolwich is growing extremely fast—as shown by the DVRPC data
 - a. Median age is extremely young, as mentioned by Jane Debella. The median age is believed to be +/-37 years old.
2. **Beckett Golf Club** is a sensitive parcel. The owner asked the Twp. to keep their talks quiet.
 - a. The acreage is smaller than we listed in the presentation.
 - b. Matt Blake mentioned that he included a few parcels that are not officially part of the golf course.
 - c. It was reiterated that the Twp. Would be interested in purchasing the 'flatter' of the two parcels for the residual value once the TDR credits were 'stripped' off.
 - d. The 'flatter' of the two parcels would be good for active recreation fields because of existing irrigation.
 - e. MB is interested in a XC Ski trail there.
 - f. Possibly purchase the parcel and allow it to naturalize until there is enough demand to build active recreation fields there.
 - g. The committee generally agreed that they would like to see golf continue there.
 - h. The state does not have any more Green Acres money to purchase golf courses-every course in South Jersey has been offered up.
 - i. Is the county owned course breaking even?
3. **The Maccarone Parcel**
 - a. Sensitive parcel-owned by the Mayor's family-could be a perception issue
 - b. The Twp. does not own the parcel currently.
 - c. This is the parcel that the NJDEP is interested in for the land swap.
 - d. The Twp. offered several parcels to the DEP for a land swap-the DEP said they wanted this one specifically.
 - e. Important because of the location to Pedricktown Marsh and the deep water of Raccoon Creek.
 - f. The plan would be to continue farming on this location.

4. Matt Blake mentioned that the entire Twp. has soils that are of statewide importance.
5. It is important that SC works closely with the Twp. to not release any information that is not ready for public consumption dealing with possible parcel acquisition.
- 6. Indian Branch Parcel**
 - a. This is another parcel that the Twp. has not acquired yet. Not as sensitive.
 - b. This parcel has been okayed for purchase
 - c. The question of whether this is a good parcel for active rec was brought up by SC, as it is directly across from Twp. Line Park (Logan Twp.)
 - d. PS mentioned that people might go to that park regardless; mainly because of its convenient proximity to the Weatherby development.
- 7. Palladino/Lapalamento Parcel**
 - a. Twp. does not own these parcels yet.
 - b. Farming would be of importance on these parcels
 - c. Residential lot is sensitive, though the owner has expressed interest in selling the property to the Twp.
- 8. Locke Ave/High Hill Park**
 - a. Important to focus immediate development here
 - b. The artificial turf field idea seemed to be popular
 - c. MB mentioned that these parcels have drainage problems—further investigation is needed in order to nail down why.
 - d. The parcel that is a proposed home to a YMCA is not considered to be sensitive. That has been in the open.
9. Matt Blake mentioned that the Twp. does not have a pond/park for residents to fish in.
 - a. The county owned parcels/parks with this activity are “almost loved to death”
 - b. Porches Mill Road and Porches Mill Pond was mentioned—currently a privately owned parcel—MB mentioned that things can change.
- 10. NIKE Missile Base**
 - a. Access is provided through an easement.
 - b. Could this be part of a trail?
 - c. SC will investigate other bases in order to see how others were remediated/repurposed.
 - d. MB mentioned the Twp. had a redevelopment plan for the site
11. SC mentioned the need for additional layers of GIS data to finish mapping
 - a. Where is all of the preserved farmland?
 - b. Which parcels are acquired/which parcels are in the process/which parcels are identified for acquisition currently?
 - c. Soil data
 - d. Utility ROW
 - e. MB mentioned that much of the data we need will be finalized in early to mid June
 - f. SC will create and provide a list of data needed
 - g. Ken Atkinson-county preservation—is a source of useful data
12. PS mentioned that the Twp. could possibly use an Official Map to designate open space.
 - a. Whether this is the same process as the MPC in Pa. instructs or if NJ has a different process needs to be investigate further.
 - b. MB did mention that he had heard something to this effect.

13. Alan Schwager questioned how Reed insures that they only get people from Swedesboro and Woolwich in the survey.
 - a. The first question is self selecting
14. Why the survey asks for the male head of household was discussed and how this plays into getting a survey that is not skewed.
15. SC explained the methodology of the online survey.
 - a. IP address restriction
 - b. Survey will be open to people of any age
 - c. Great companion to the phone survey because any one has access to it.
 - d. Historically, the results are very comparable to the phone survey
16. SC explained that the phone survey shouldn't be made much longer.
 - a. The attention span of the person on the phone is shorter than the person taking the online survey.
17. Can SC provide a priority list for parcel acquisition?
 - a. PS explained we can but this list is ever changing based on opportunities
18. SC will provide a draft press release notifying the public of the meeting.
 - a. Options/opportunities for getting the public meeting dates out were discussed
 - b. Focus on the local schools—Kingsway Regional might not be the best
 - c. PS explained that 20-30 people at a public meeting that would be a great turnout
 - d. PS explained the 'card method' to the committee
19. Matt Blake mentioned that the residents of the Twp. really love trails.
20. Main newspapers:
 - a. Woolwich—New Town Press—monthly
 - b. Gloucester Town Press- Daily

This report represents the Professional's summation of the proceedings and is not a transcript. Unless written notice of any correction or clarification is received by the Professional within ten days of issue, the report shall be considered factually correct and shall become part of the official project record.

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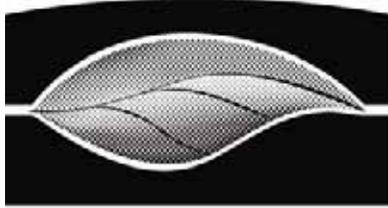
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Woolwich Township & Borough of Swedesboro

Open Space & Recreation Plan

Committee Meeting 3
July 15, 2014

Name	Attendance (Please check) ✓
Michelle Blair	✓
Matthew Blake	✓
Jane DiBella	✓
Ann Dorsett	
Alex Elefante	
Sam Maccarone	✓
Nattalie Matthias	✓
Kristina Merola	✓
Alan Schwager	✓
Charles Wells	
Patrick Wilbraham	✓
Peter Simone	✓
Jared Lowman	✓



MEETING NOTES

Project: **Woolwich Township / Borough of Swedesboro Open Space & Recreation Plan** Project No.: **14023.10**

Location: **Woolwich Township Building** Meeting Date/Time: **7/15/2014 6:30 pm**

Topic: **Committee Meeting #3** Issue Date: **10/3/2014**

NOTES:

1. Prior to the Committee meeting SC met with Jim Miller of Summit Ventures to discuss the future Weatherby Development plans.
2. Township goals are to create a tourism industry in Woolwich and add value to residential developments.
3. **SC will send Matt Blake a copy of the telephone survey results, the online survey results to date, and a copy of the email that was sent to area sports groups. These items were emailed on 7/16/14.**
4. Natalie Matthias has sent out an email on 7/15/14 to all the area sports groups requesting information about existing and projected participation, facility use and demand, etc. The email requested responses by July 31. To date, SC has received two responses.
5. According to the telephone survey only 16% of the respondents felt that swimming was well provided for in the Township/Borough. Lake Narraticon currently does not permit swimming and there are no swim clubs in the Township. This should be considered when examining options for new recreational facilities.
6. SC has GIS information for existing soil types and will add this to the Township mapping for site analysis purposes in the areas of potential future recreational facilities.
7. DVRPC has forecasted Woolwich's population to be around 23,000 in 2040. As part of the level of service, SC will benchmark recreation facilities of other northeastern communities with a similar population to help determine future Township facilities.
8. Better access is needed to cross Township Line Road and access Beckett Park in Logan Township.
9. There is an existing sidewalk on the Weatherby side of Center Square Road that does not extend to Township Line Road. The area between this sidewalk and

- Township Line Road contains wetlands. A boardwalk path would be a possibility in this area to extend the sidewalk to Township Line Road.
10. There are also two existing parcels on Center Square Road adjacent to the Weatherby development where there is a gap in the sidewalk and people are forced to walk in the road.
 11. The proposed trail network within the Township should include High Hill Road and Township Line Road areas. Off road trails along these roads should also be strongly considered.
 12. There is a 1 acre solar farm at the municipal complex that is not shown on the SC mapping. **SC will revise the mapping to show the solar farm. Matt Blake to provide a plan or aerial photo of the solar farm.**
 13. 5 acres of the Municipal Complex are required as open space.
 14. The farm area in front of the Municipal Complex is to be future commercial development (Summit Ventures).
 15. The Municipal Complex would be ideal for passive use such as an amphitheater or dog park. A goal is for the Municipal Complex to help draw people to the town center.
 16. SC will produce concept plans as needed for the parcels of interest. Concept plans for properties that are not owned by the Township may be kept as internal documents until the properties are acquired.
 17. A trail along Oldman's Creek is a possibility but would require some property acquisition. A trail in this area could provide access from Oldman's Creek Road to Pedricktown Marsh.
 18. Oliphant's Mill Pond is one of the few ponds in the Township and its water quality is very good. The pond is currently privately owned, but would be an area of interest for the Township should it become available.
 19. Warrington Mill Pond in the northeast corner of the Township could also an area of interest. The area is designated as a natural heritage priority site which is a site designated by the NJ Parks & Forestry Office of Natural Lands Management as exemplary natural communities and critically important habitats for rare species. Several parcels that have access to the pond would be of interest to the Township.
 20. The proposed trail network within the Township should include High Hill Road and Township Line Road areas. Off road trails along these roads should also be strongly considered.
 21. The next committee meeting is on September 24th. SC may attempt to schedule an interim progress meeting prior to the next committee meeting.

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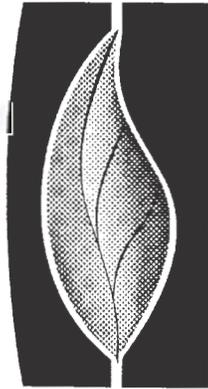
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Woolwich Township & Borough of Swedesboro

Open Space & Recreation Plan Committee Meeting 4 September 24, 2014

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Matthew Blake	✓
Jane DiBella	
Ann Dorsett	✓
Alex Elefante	✓
Sam Maccarone	✓
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Kristina Merola	✓
Alan Schwager	
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Patrick Wilbraham	✓
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 Project No.: SC:14023.10
 Location: Woolwich Township Building
 Date: 6/26/2014
 Topic: Public Meeting #1
 Time: 7:00 PM

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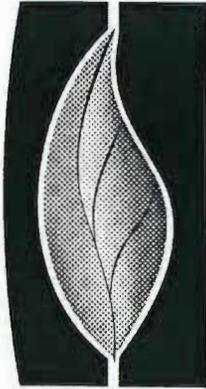
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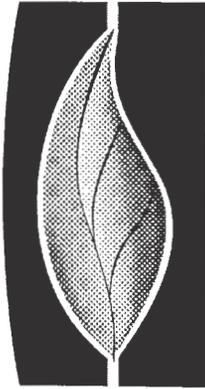
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Date: 6/26/2014

Topic: Public Meeting #1

Time: 7:00 PM

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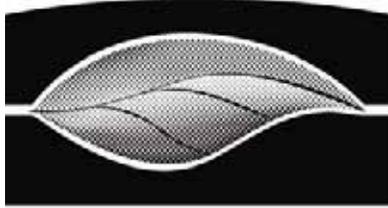


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MEETING NOTES

Project: **Woolwich Township and Borough of Swedesboro Open Space & Recreation Plan** Project No.: **14023.10**

Location: **Woolwich Township Building** Meeting Date/Time: **6/26/2014 7:00 pm**

Topic: **Public Meeting #1** Issue Date: **7/9/2014**

IN ATTENDANCE:

See attached sign-in sheet

BACKGROUND:

Matthew Blake, Director of Community Development for Woolwich Township, began the meeting by introducing the planning consultants and providing a general overview of the project. The planning consultants introduced the project committee, discussed the meeting schedule, project scope, and project purpose. The consultants then went through a series of Township and Borough inventory mapping that described existing features in the area. The consultants then discussed the telephone survey that would be conducted as well as an online survey that is available. The meeting was then opened up for comments and questions from the meeting attendees. Notes from the public discussion are below.

NOTES:

1. RiverWinds Community Center is a popular indoor / outdoor sports complex in West Deptford.
2. A community center should be considered. A potential YMCA has been discussed for the property adjacent to Locke Ave Park.
3. The Logan Township pool has a waiting list which indicates demand for this type of facility.
4. Most residents go out of town for gyms. There are existing gyms in Logan Township and Mullica Hill. There is also a private swim club in Logan.
5. Tennis courts are needed in the Township/Borough. There are existing tennis courts at Kingsway Regional which are not practical for some. Tennis courts at Township Line Park (Logan Twp) are often locked. There are also tennis courts in East Greenwich. Can tennis courts be constructed at Lock Ave Park?
6. A centerpiece baseball stadium with approximately field 15 rows of seating is desired.

7. A permanent stage is desired as there are many performing artists in the area. An outdoor amphitheater is an idea.
8. Williamstown, NJ has a family friendly swim club with a pool and lake that allows for paddle boats and picnicking. Could Woolwich/Swedeseboro have something similar?
9. Salem County Sportsman's Club also has a lake and beachfront. There is a waiting list which indicates a demand for this type of facility. Beach volleyball courts should also be considered.
10. Need to take advantage of tidal water for kayak access out to the bay. Now, residents have to go to Cape May County or Salem County to kayak due to lack of access in the immediate area.
11. There is a need off road trails and sidewalks to get to parks and make the community more walkable. Trails should be integrated with parks.
12. Youth field hockey in the area is growing. There are 130 participants this year and the program cannot find enough field space. Currently field hockey is played at High Hill Park and some at the Kingsway JV field. The program has had to turn away participants due to lack of fields. Field hockey could share with soccer as they are played in different seasons. A lighted field would also be useful.
13. Soccer is the highest year round participation with 1100 participants for both fall and spring seasons. The program does not have enough fields and the same fields are used repeatedly which makes it difficult to maintain good field conditions. Rotating fields or artificial turf fields would help solve this problem.
14. A hard surface for roller hockey is desired.
15. Ice hockey is growing in the area. There are currently 7 teams that play at the Ice Works skating complex in Aston, PA.
16. There is a need for a baseball complex. It makes sense to cluster similar fields together.
17. All sports leagues in the area should send Simone Collins a letter or email identifying current participation and needs. **Natalie Matthias will send SC a mailing list with contacts of local sports organizations. SC to send letter to these groups asking for formal input.**
18. Maintenance of Locke Ave Park and any new fields is a concern. The Township is unique since it has a 5 cent tax that can be used for maintenance needs as the Township inventory of parks expands.
19. High Hill Road is dangerous for walking, especially with young children.
20. This plan will help the Township determine how to phase future development.
21. The Township/Borough should look to bring in money from outside municipalities such as hosting tournaments.
22. Zip lining and a high ropes course is a possible facility for a park.
23. Lake Narraticon does not provide direct access to Raccoon Creek. There is often vandalism and people sometimes don't feel safe because the park is somewhat secluded. **SC can talk to Township/Borough police to discuss crime reports at the existing parks.**

24. Are winter sports such as sledding, cross country skiing, or ice hockey an option? Swedesboro has an ice skating rink (weather dependent) at the former auction site in winter and ice hockey is a popular activity.
25. Could a dog park be implemented at the Municipal Complex? Logan Township has the closest dog park. Carousel Park Dog Park near Pike Creek should also be looked at as a precedent. The Community garden at the Municipal building needs to be upgraded with running water and a shed. Plots have doubled since last year indicating demand. Suggestion that a dog park should not necessarily be a flat expanse of lawn. Trees & topography are good.
26. A variety of access points are needed for safe water trails so that users can get in and out of creeks when tired, due to inclement weather, etc.
27. Is a skateboard park a possibility? There is currently one in Logan Township.
28. A nice picnic pavilion is needed. There is currently just one located at Locke Ave Park.
29. Fishing spots along tidal creeks and ponds are needed.
30. Ecotourism and bird watching is an opportunity.
31. Is there a way to implement art as a means to represent the community? Art could be implemented in the round-about or integrated with school programs. Art could also be required as part of development if permitted under New Jersey land use law.
32. Dream Park in Logan Township should be looked at as a precedent for an entertainment and recreation park.
33. Preservation should also be considered to preserve what already exists.
34. Renewable energy and sustainability should be considered. One example of sustainability is an artificial turf field.
35. Additional restrooms, small playgrounds, and shade trees should be implemented at parks. A precedent is the Field of Dreams playground in Deptford.
36. Can a "buy a brick" program be implemented to represent ownership by residents?
37. Incorporate education with outdoor spaces for nature studies, classrooms, and/or a nature center.
38. Need to initially provide access for people to get to open spaces just to walk around and also a map for people to know where they can legally go.

The presentation from this meeting will be made available on the Township and Borough websites. The next public meeting will held on October 7, 2014 at 7pm at the Woolwich Township Municipal Building. The draft plan will be presented at this meeting. Residents are also invited to take the 22 question online survey available at the following link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Woolwich-Swedesboro-OSRP>

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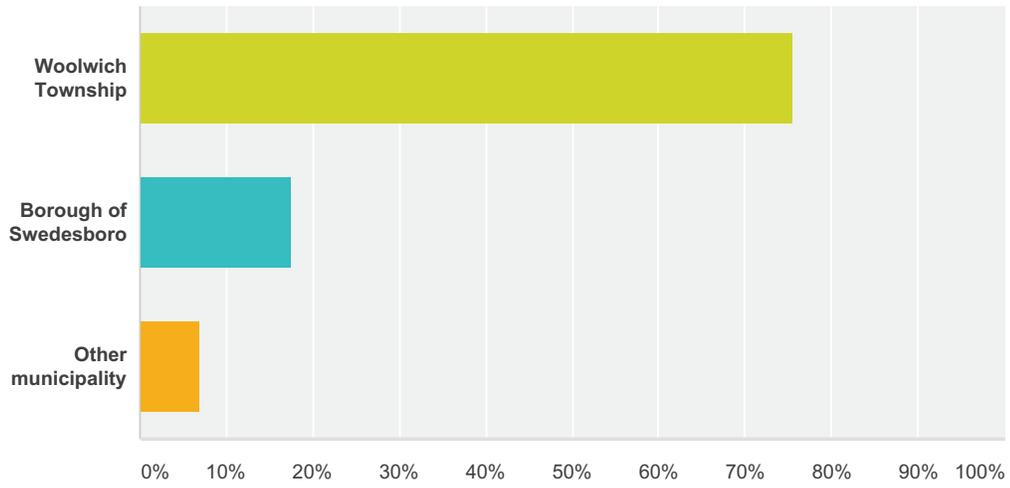
Sincerely,
SIMONE COLLINS, INC.
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Jared Lowman, RLA
Project Manager

Q1 What is the name of the municipality you live in?

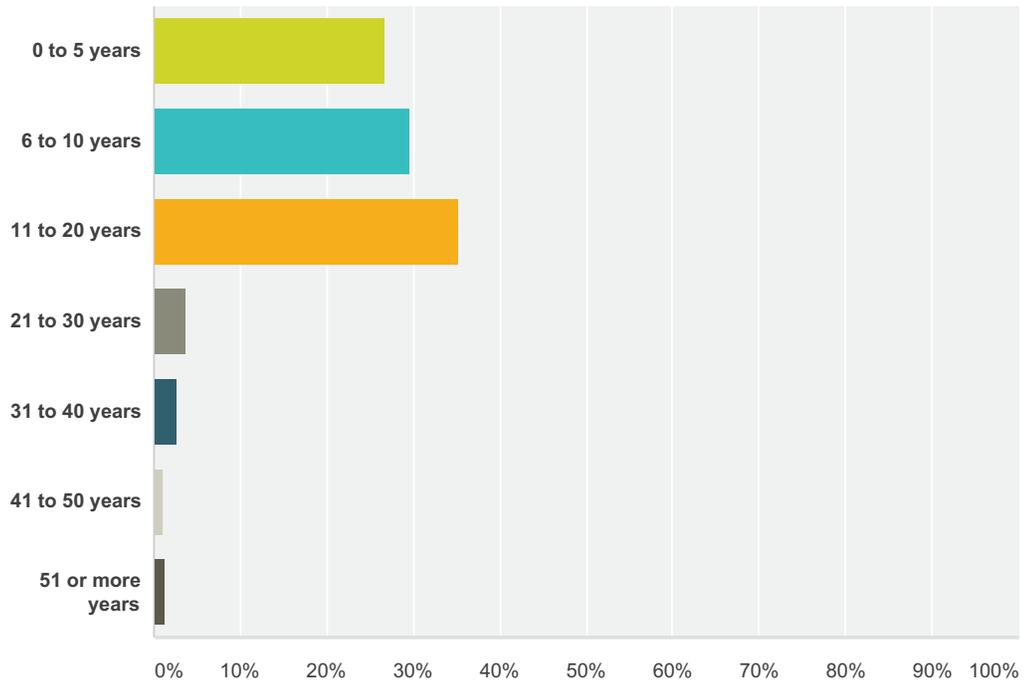
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Answer Choices	Responses
Woolwich Township	75.67% 311
Borough of Swedesboro	17.52% 72
Other municipality	6.81% 28
Total	411

Q2 How long have you lived in the municipality in which you live?

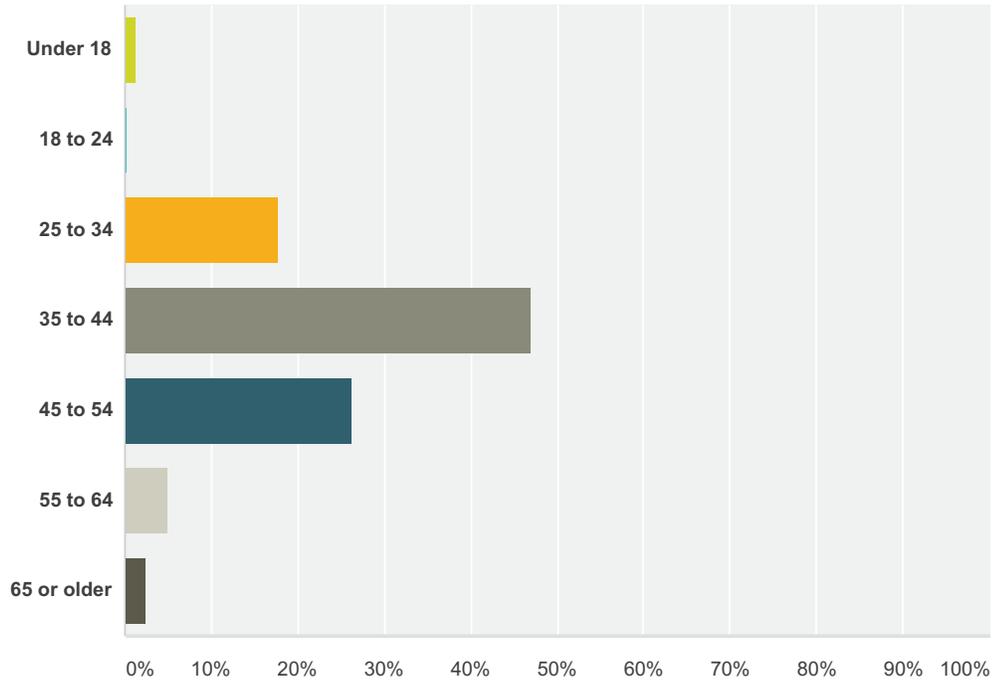
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Answer Choices	Responses	Count
0 to 5 years	26.65%	109
6 to 10 years	29.58%	121
11 to 20 years	35.21%	144
21 to 30 years	3.67%	15
31 to 40 years	2.69%	11
41 to 50 years	0.98%	4
51 or more years	1.22%	5
Total		409

Q3 What is your age?

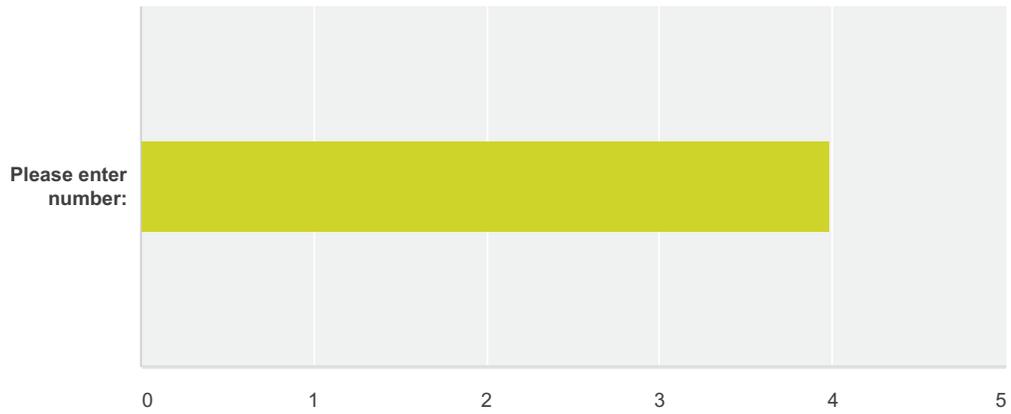
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Answer Choices	Responses
Under 18	1.22% 5
18 to 24	0.24% 1
25 to 34	17.76% 73
35 to 44	46.96% 193
45 to 54	26.28% 108
55 to 64	5.11% 21
65 or older	2.43% 10
Total	411

Q4 How many people currently live in your household?

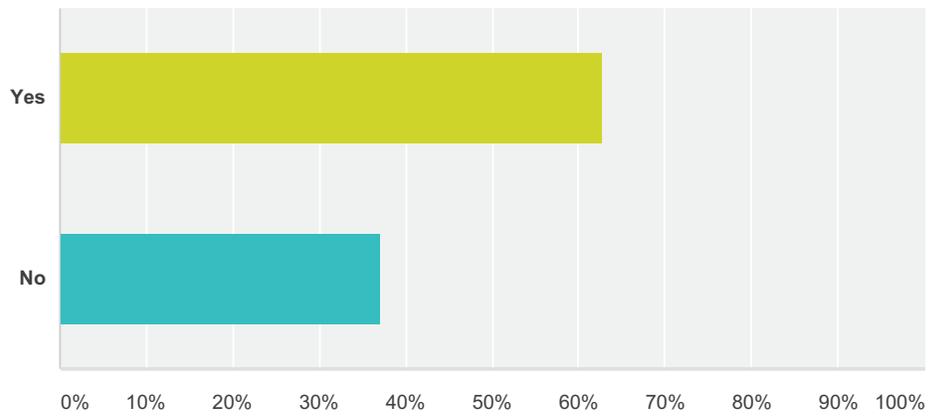
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Q5 Do you have any children under the age of 10 living in your household?

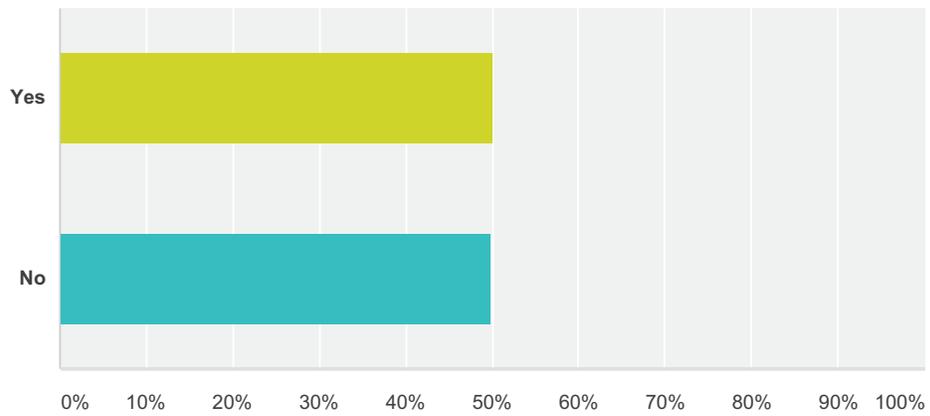
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Yes	62.78% 253
No	37.22% 150
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Q6 Do you have any children between the ages of 10 and 18 living in your household?

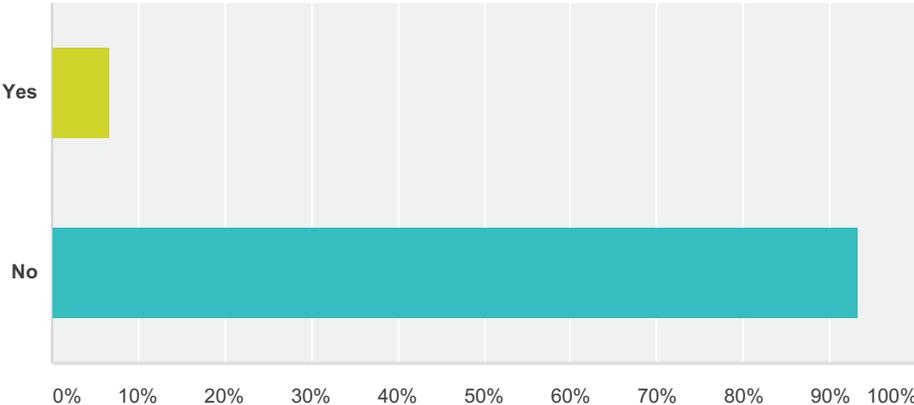
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Yes	50.12% 202
No	49.88% 201
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Q7 Are there any senior citizens, that is, adults over the age of 65, living in your household?

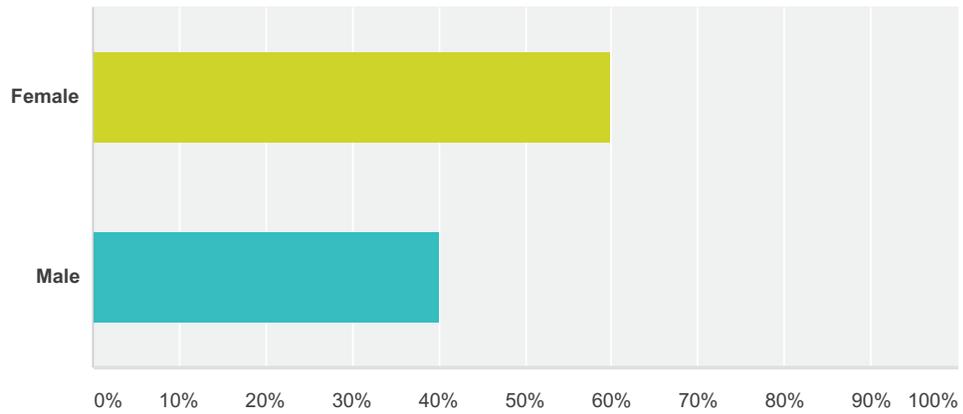
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	6.68% 27
No	93.32% 377
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Q8 What is your gender?

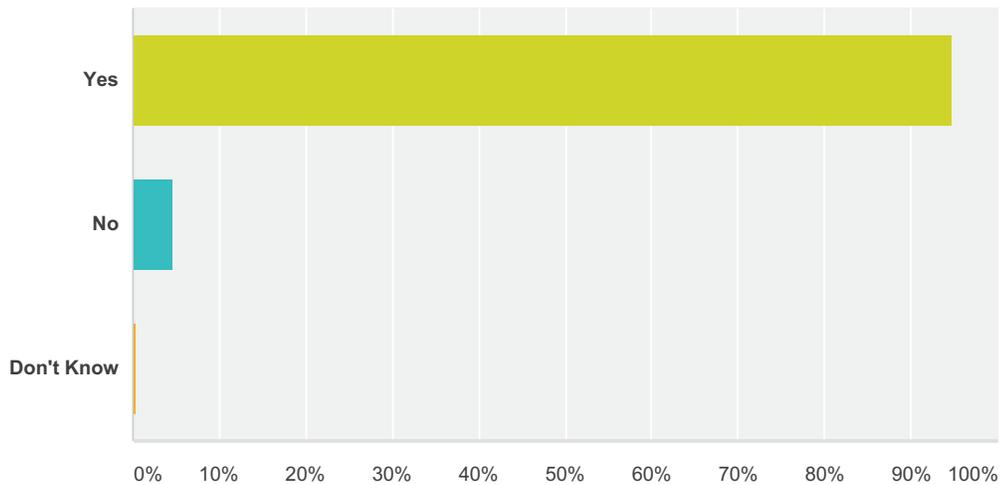
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Answer Choices	Responses
Female	59.90% 242
Male	40.10% 162
Total	404

Q9 In the past 12 months, has any member of your household participated in any activities in parks, natural areas, or open space areas in or around Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro? This would include any recreational activity, such as walking, biking, participating in team sports, swimming, bird watching, boating, etc.

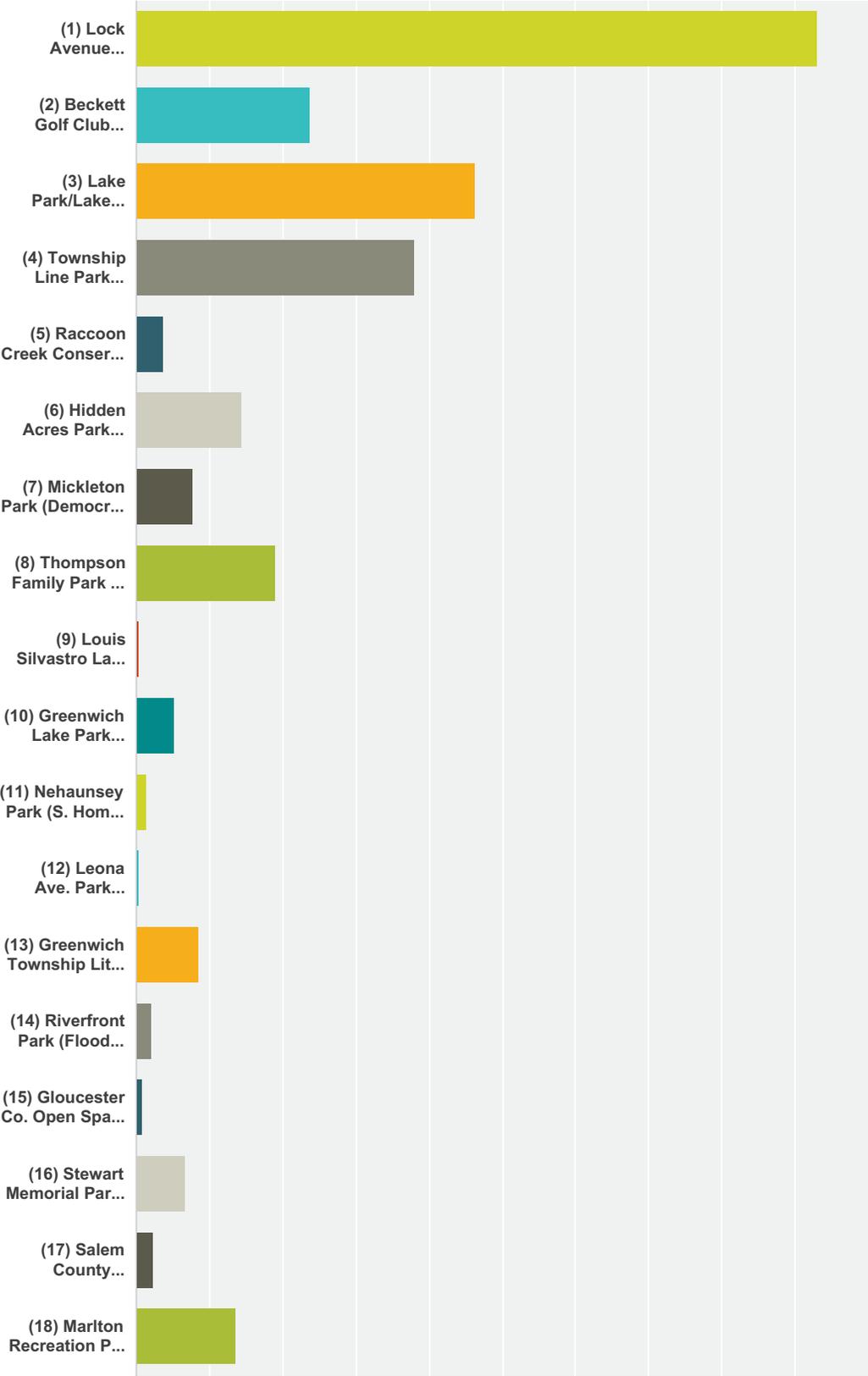
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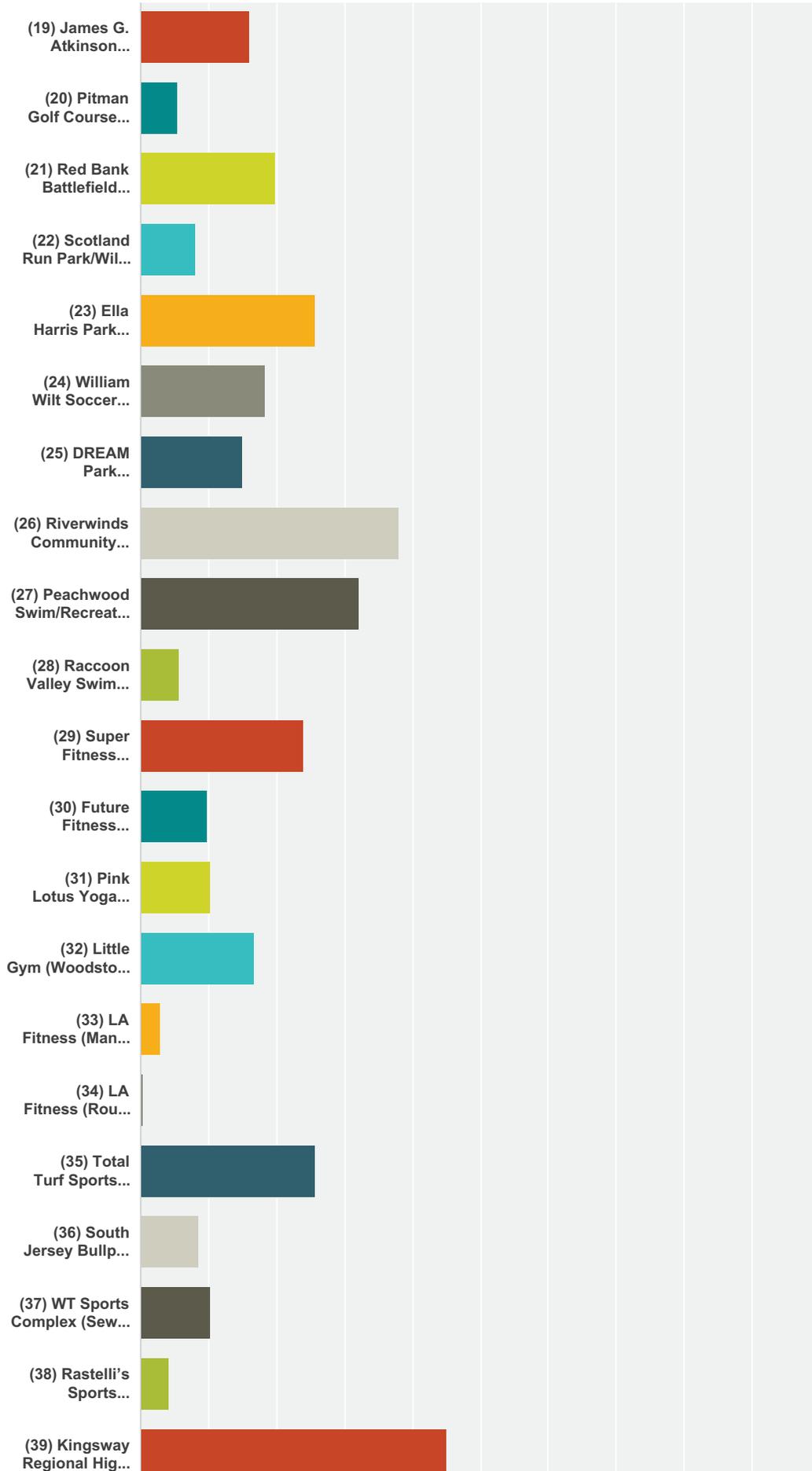
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Yes	94.86% 369
No	4.63% 18
Don't Know	0.51% 2
Total	389

Q10 Which parks, natural areas, open space areas, or schools do you visit for recreation purposes? (Please check all that apply)

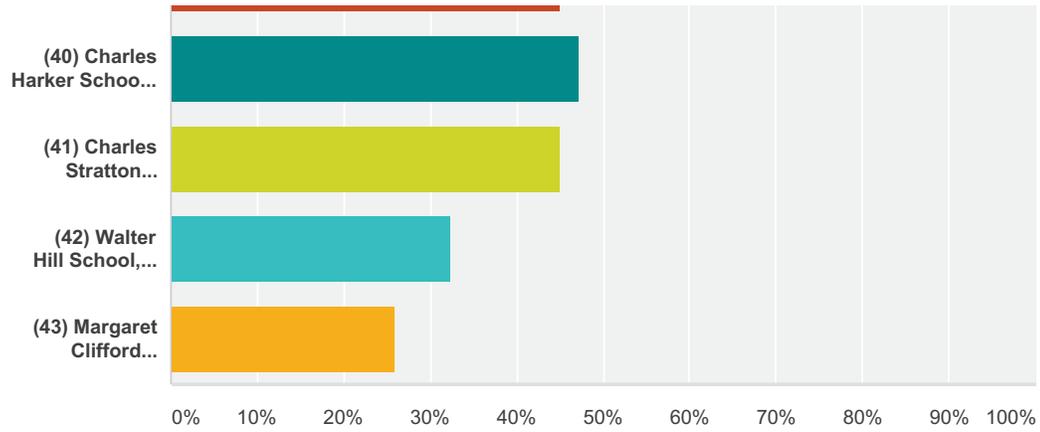
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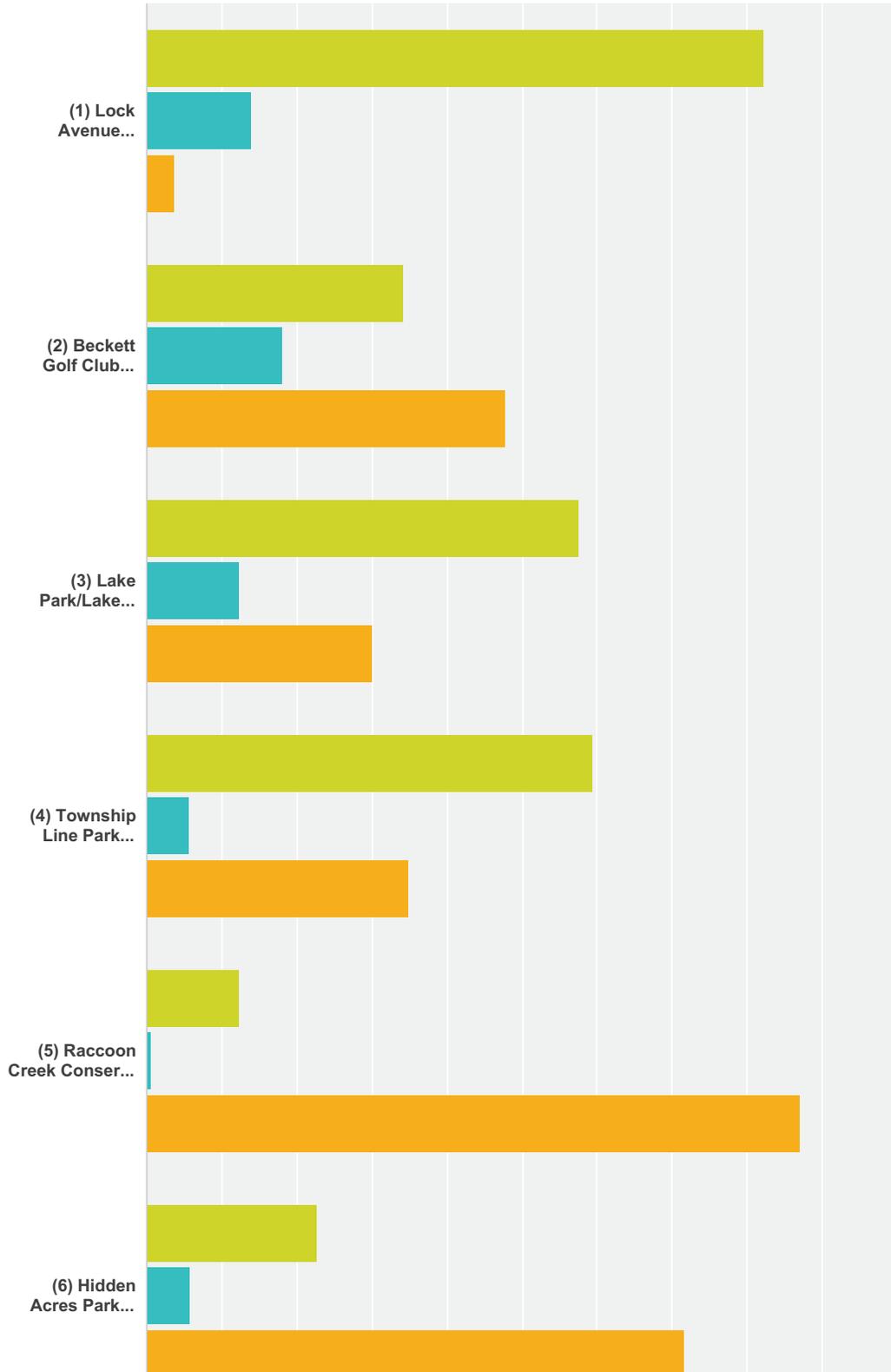
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(1) Lock Avenue Park/High Hill Park (Locke Avenue & High Hill Road, Woolwich Twp, NJ)	93.08%	363
(2) Beckett Golf Club (Kings Highway, Woolwich Township, NJ)	23.85%	93
(3) Lake Park/Lake Narraticon (Franklin Street, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	46.41%	181
(4) Township Line Park (Township Line Road, Logan Township, NJ)	37.95%	148
(5) Raccoon Creek Conserve (High Hill Road, Logan Township, NJ)	3.85%	15
(6) Hidden Acres Park (Jessup Mill Rd, Clarksboro, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	14.36%	56
(7) Mickleton Park (Democrat Rd, Mickleton, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	7.69%	30
(8) Thompson Family Park (E. Wolfert Station Rd, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	18.97%	74
(9) Louis Silvastro Lake Park (Tomlin Rd, Greenwich Township, NJ)	0.51%	2
(10) Greenwich Lake Park (Tomlin Rd, Greenwich Township, NJ)	5.13%	20
(11) Nehaunsey Park (S. Home Ave, Gibbstown, Greenwich Township, NJ)	1.54%	6
(12) Leona Ave. Park (Leona Ave, Greenwich Township, NJ)	0.51%	2
(13) Greenwich Township Little League Fields (N School Street, Greenwich Township, NJ)	8.46%	33
(14) Riverfront Park (Flood Gate Road, Greenwich Township, NJ)	2.05%	8
(15) Gloucester Co. Open Space (Memorial Ave, Greenwich Township, NJ)	0.77%	3
(16) Stewart Memorial Park (Ferrell Road, South Harrison Township, NJ)	6.67%	26
(17) Salem County Recreation Site (Perkintown Road, Pedricktown, Oldmans Township NJ)	2.31%	9
(18) Marlton Recreation Park (Marlton Road, Pilesgrove Township, NJ)	13.59%	53
(19) James G. Atkinson Memorial Park (Bethel Mill Rd. Washington Township, NJ)	16.15%	63
(20) Pitman Golf Course (County Road 624, Mantua Township, NJ)	5.38%	21
(21) Red Bank Battlefield Park (County Road 624, National Park Borough, NJ)	19.74%	77
(22) Scotland Run Park/Wilson Lake (Clayton Williamstown Rd, Clayton Borough, NJ)	8.21%	32

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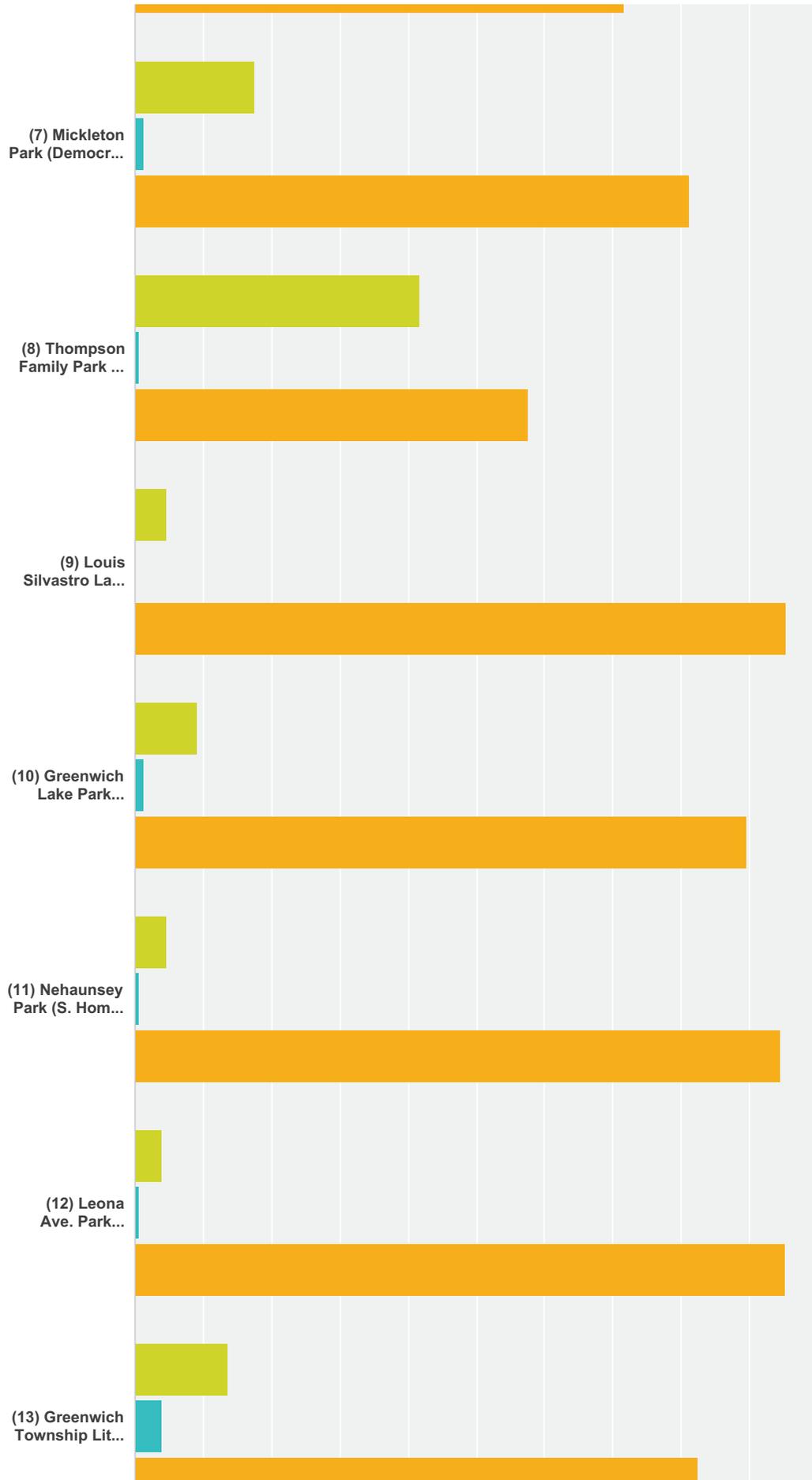
(23) Ella Harris Park (155 Commissioner Road, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	25.64%	100
(24) William Wilt Soccer Complex (Mullica Hill Bypass/Walters Road, Harrison Township, NJ)	18.46%	72
(25) DREAM Park (Equestrian Center) (460 U.S. 130, Logan Township, NJ)	15.13%	59
(26) Riverwinds Community Center (1000 Riverwinds Drive, West Deptford Township, NJ)	37.95%	148
(27) Peachwood Swim/Recreation Club (Peachwood Drive, Logan Township, NJ)	32.05%	125
(28) Raccoon Valley Swim Club (Eric Road, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	5.64%	22
(29) Super Fitness (Beckett Road, Logan Township, NJ)	24.10%	94
(30) Future Fitness (Bridgeton Pike, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	9.74%	38
(31) Pink Lotus Yoga (Kings Highway, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	10.26%	40
(32) Little Gym (Woodstown Road, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	16.67%	65
(33) LA Fitness (Mantua Pike, City of Woodbury, NJ)	2.82%	11
(34) LA Fitness (Route 42, Turnersville, Washington Township, NJ)	0.51%	2
(35) Total Turf Sports Complex (Lambs Road, Pitman Borough, NJ)	25.64%	100
(36) South Jersey Bullpen (Harmony Road, Mickleton, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	8.46%	33
(37) WT Sports Complex (Sewell Road, Sewell, Mantua Township, NJ)	10.26%	40
(38) Rastelli's Sports (Hurffville Road, Sewell, Mantua Township, NJ)	4.10%	16
(39) Kingsway Regional High School / Middle School, Kings Highway, Woolwich Township, NJ)	45.13%	176
(40) Charles Harker School, Oldmans Creek Road, Woolwich Township, NJ)	47.18%	184
(41) Charles Stratton School, Fredrick Boulevard, Woolwich Township, NJ)	45.13%	176
(42) Walter Hill School, Kings Highway, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	32.31%	126
(43) Margaret Clifford School, Auburn Road, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	25.90%	101
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Q11 Is the maintenance adequate at these parks, natural areas, open spaces, or schools? (Please disregard locations your household does not visit)

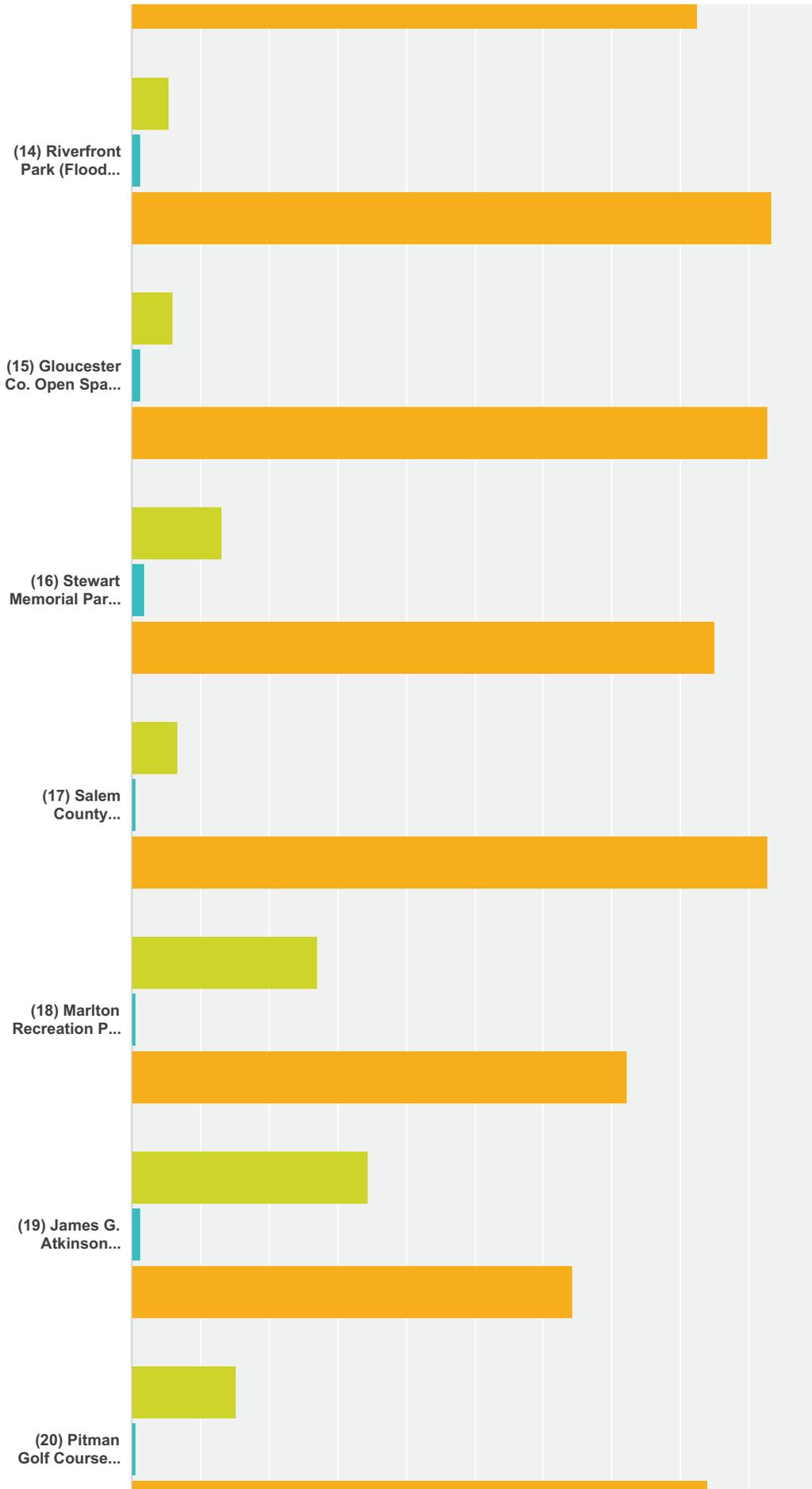
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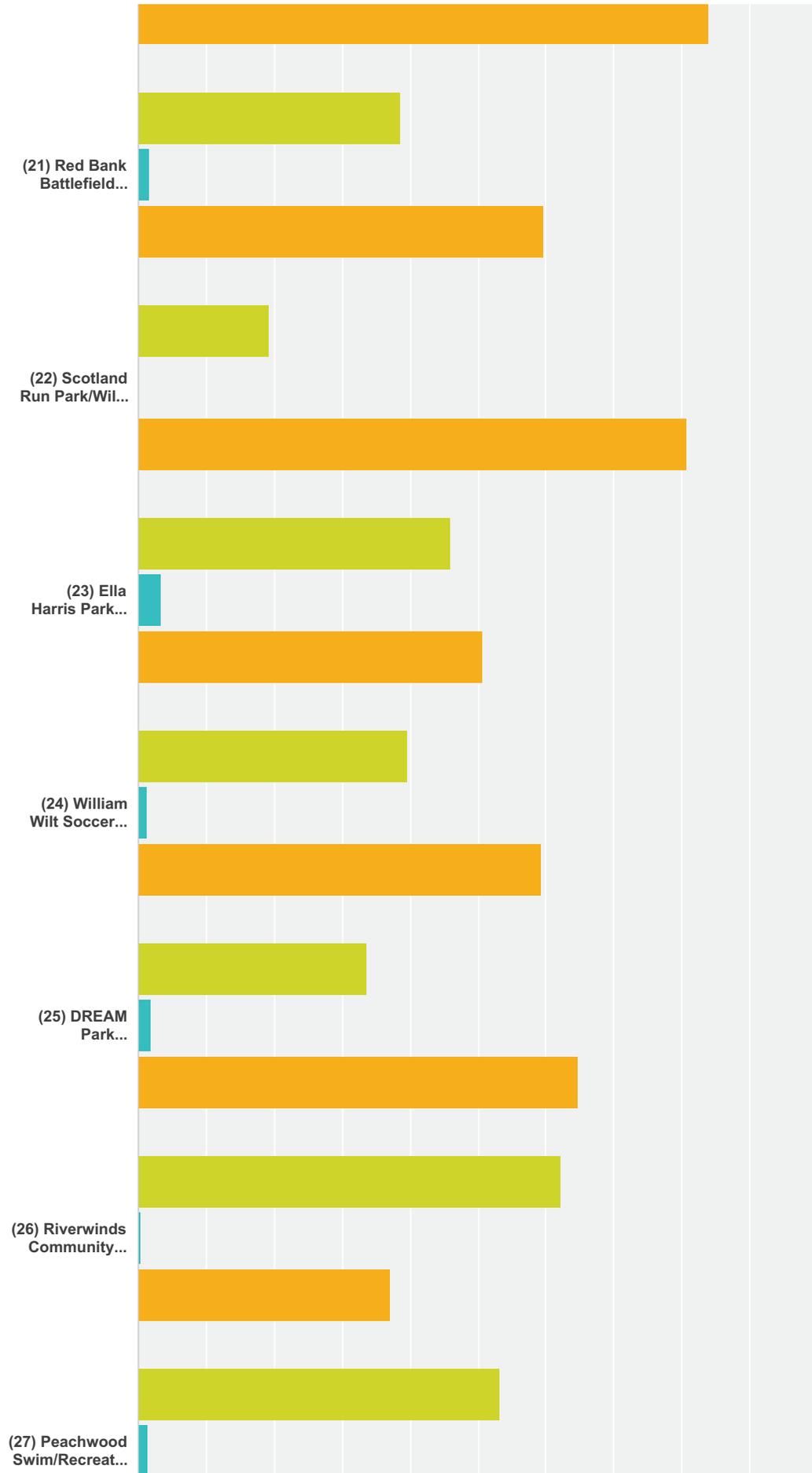
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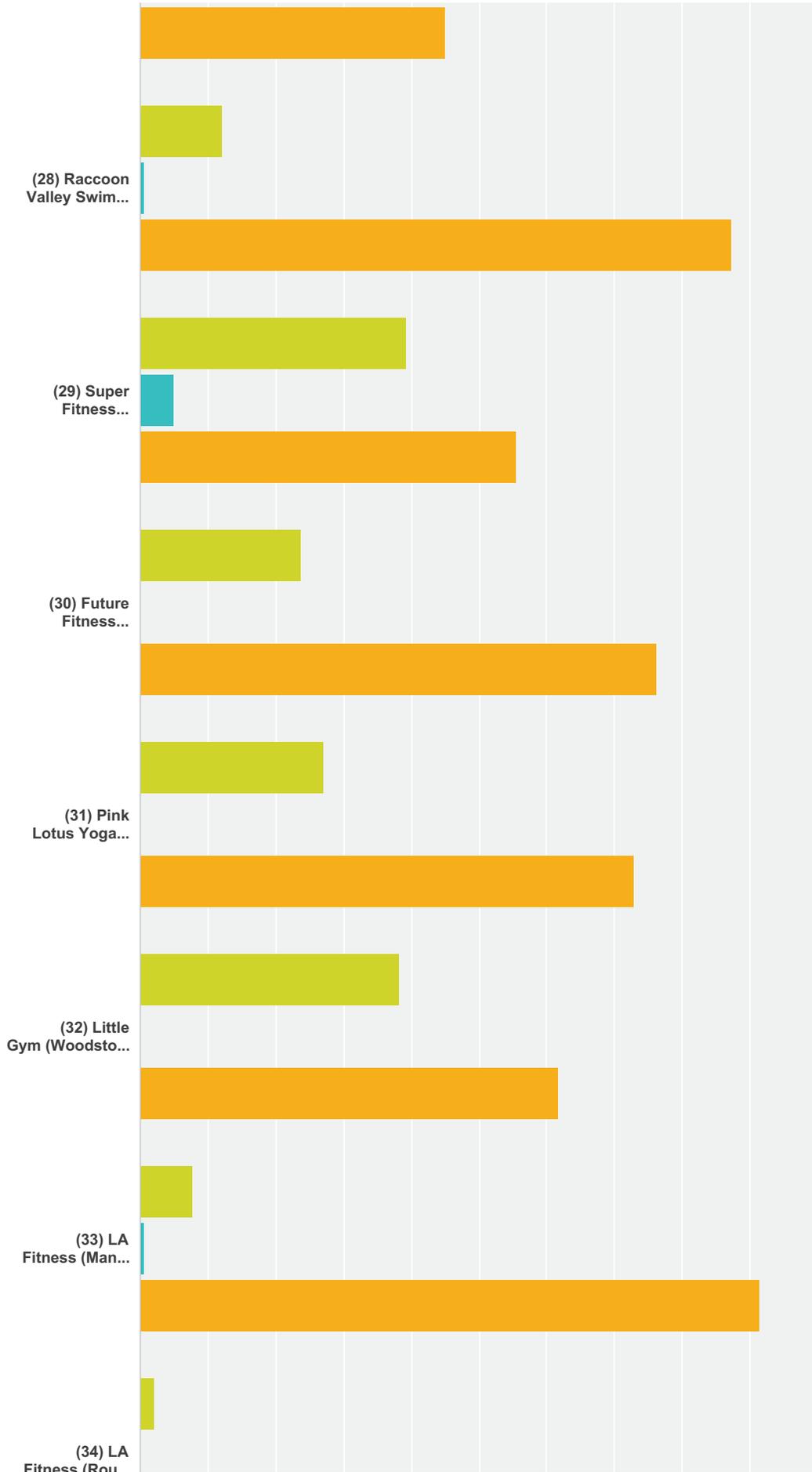
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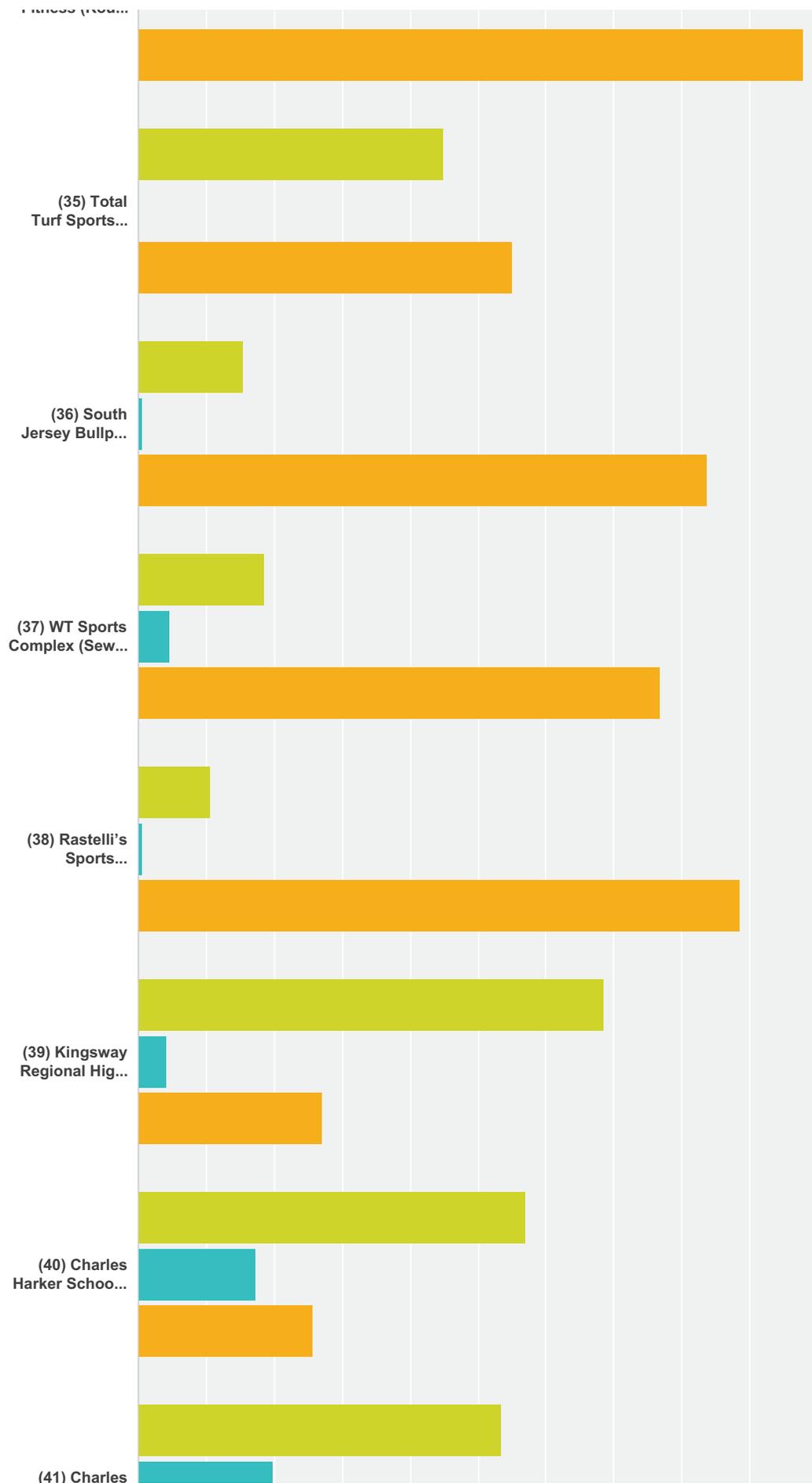
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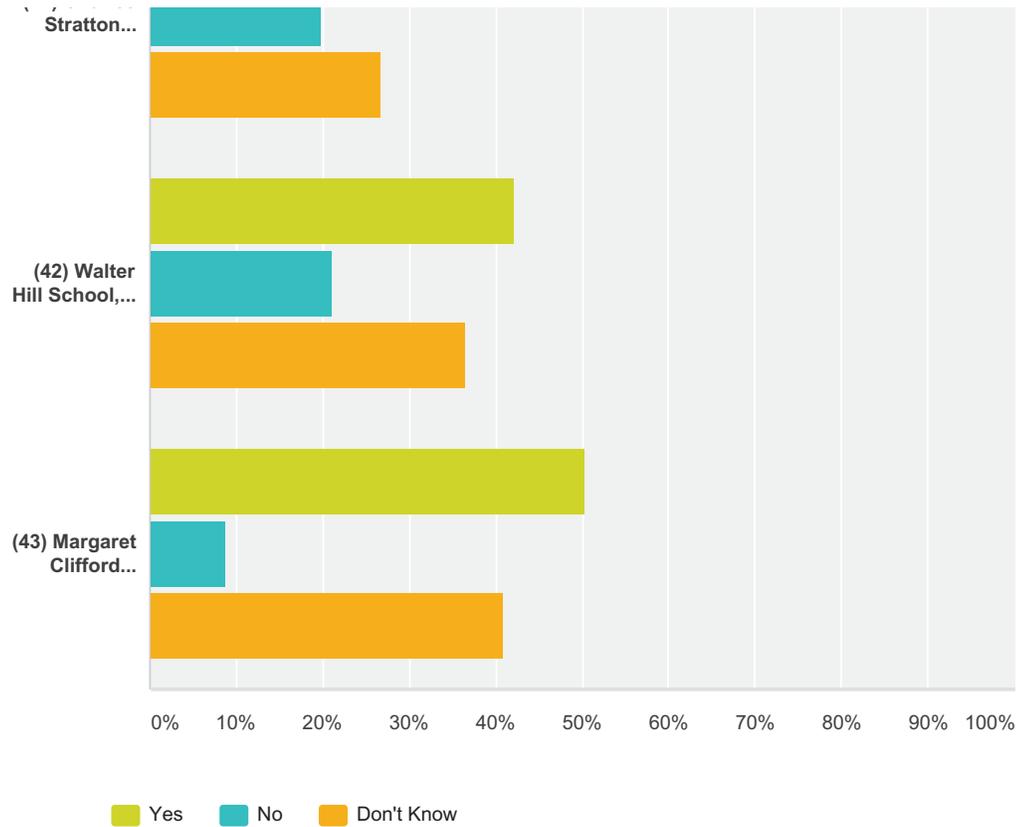
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(2) Beckett Golf Club (Kings Highway, Woolwich Township, NJ)	34.17% 68	18.09% 36	47.74% 95	199
(3) Lake Park/Lake Narraticon (Franklin Street, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	57.60% 144	12.40% 31	30.00% 75	250
(4) Township Line Park (Township Line Road, Logan Township, NJ)	59.43% 126	5.66% 12	34.91% 74	212
(5) Raccoon Creek Conserve (High Hill Road, Logan Township, NJ)	12.34% 19	0.65% 1	87.01% 134	154
(6) Hidden Acres Park (Jessup Mill Rd, Clarksboro, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	22.67% 39	5.81% 10	71.51% 123	172
(7) Mickleton Park (Democrat Rd, Mickleton, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	17.50% 28	1.25% 2	81.25% 130	160
(8) Thompson Family Park (E. Wolfert Station Rd, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	41.85% 77	0.54% 1	57.61% 106	184
(9) Louis Silvestro Lake Park (Tomlin Rd, Greenwich Township, NJ)	4.67% 7	0.00% 0	95.33% 143	150
(10) Greenwich Lake Park (Tomlin Rd, Greenwich Township, NJ)	9.15% 14	1.31% 2	89.54% 137	153
(11) Nehaunsey Park (S. Home Ave, Gibbstown, Greenwich Township, NJ)	4.67% 7	0.67% 1	94.67% 142	150
(12) Leona Ave. Park (Leona Ave, Greenwich Township, NJ)	4.05% 6	0.68% 1	95.27% 141	148

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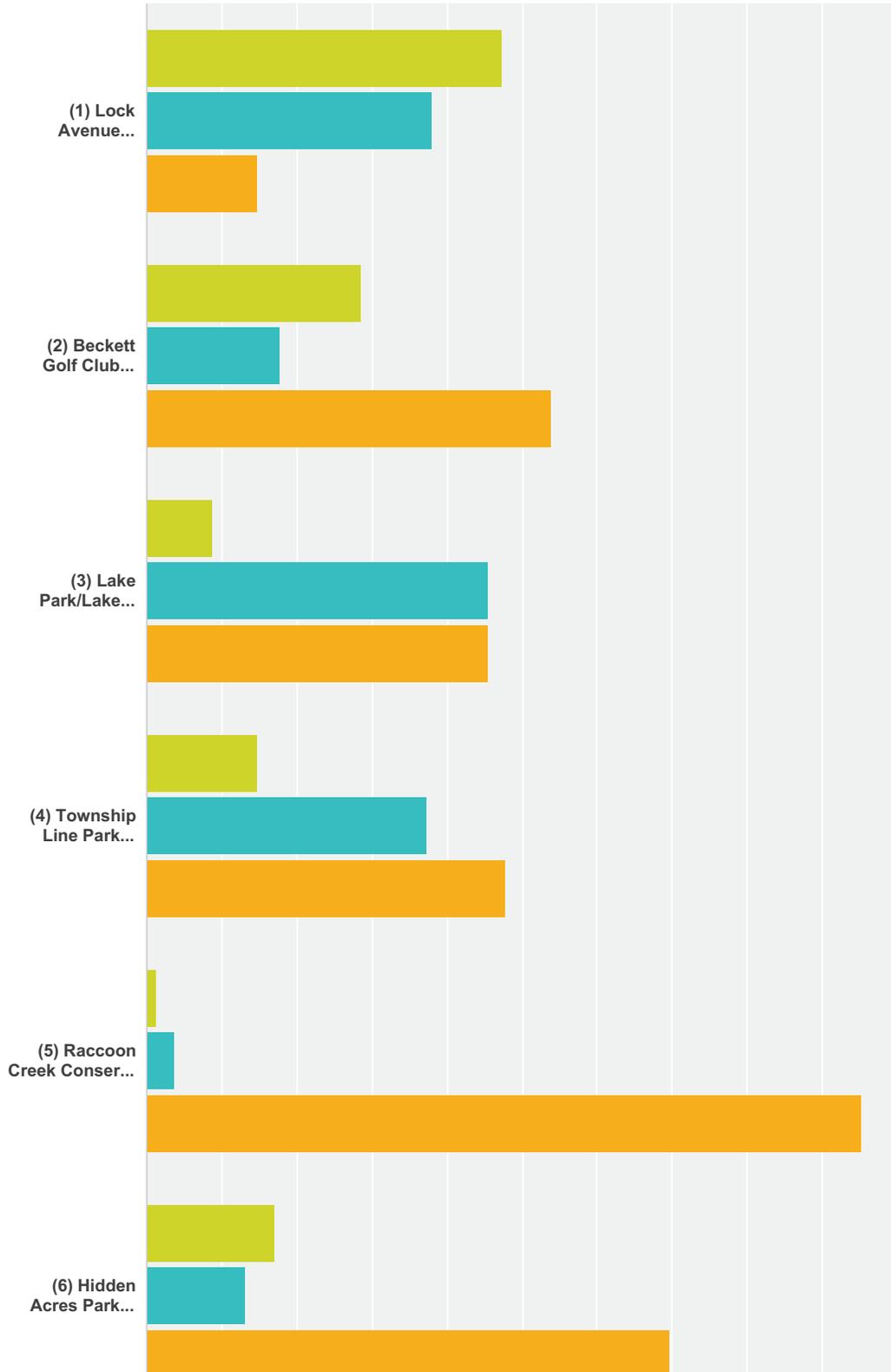
(13) Greenwich Township Little League Fields (N School Street, Greenwich Township, NJ)	13.64% 21	3.90% 6	82.47% 127	154
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(15) Gloucester Co. Open Space (Memorial Ave, Greenwich Township, NJ)	5.96% 9	1.32% 2	92.72% 140	151
(16) Stewart Memorial Park (Ferrell Road, South Harrison Township, NJ)	13.21% 21	1.89% 3	84.91% 135	159
(17) Salem County Recreation Site (Perkintown Road, Pedricktown, Oldmans Township NJ)	6.67% 10	0.67% 1	92.67% 139	150
(18) Marlton Recreation Park (Marlton Road, Pilesgrove Township, NJ)	27.11% 45	0.60% 1	72.29% 120	166
(19) James G. Atkinson Memorial Park (Bethel Mill Rd. Washington Township, NJ)	34.48% 60	1.15% 2	64.37% 112	174
(20) Pitman Golf Course (County Road 624, Mantua Township, NJ)	15.33% 23	0.67% 1	84.00% 126	150
(21) Red Bank Battlefield Park (County Road 624, National Park Borough, NJ)	38.64% 68	1.70% 3	59.66% 105	176
(22) Scotland Run Park/Wilson Lake (Clayton Williamstown Rd, Clayton Borough, NJ)	19.21% 29	0.00% 0	80.79% 122	151
(23) Ella Harris Park (155 Commissioner Road, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	45.95% 85	3.24% 6	50.81% 94	185
(24) William Wilt Soccer Complex (Mullica Hill Bypass/Walters Road, Harrison Township, NJ)	39.66% 69	1.15% 2	59.20% 103	174
(25) DREAM Park (Equestrian Center) (460 U.S. 130, Logan Township, NJ)	33.53% 56	1.80% 3	64.67% 108	167
(26) Riverwinds Community Center (1000 Riverwinds Drive, West Deptford Township, NJ)	62.31% 124	0.50% 1	37.19% 74	199
(27) Peachwood Swim/Recreation Club (Peachwood Drive, Logan Township, NJ)	53.33% 104	1.54% 3	45.13% 88	195
(28) Raccoon Valley Swim Club (Eric Road, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	12.08% 18	0.67% 1	87.25% 130	149
(29) Super Fitness (Beckett Road, Logan Township, NJ)	39.33% 70	5.06% 9	55.62% 99	178
(30) Future Fitness (Bridgeton Pike, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	23.90% 38	0.00% 0	76.10% 121	159
(31) Pink Lotus Yoga (Kings Highway, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	27.04% 43	0.00% 0	72.96% 116	159
(32) Little Gym (Woodstown Road, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	38.15% 66	0.00% 0	61.85% 107	173
(33) LA Fitness (Mantua Pike, City of Woodbury, NJ)	7.80% 11	0.71% 1	91.49% 129	141
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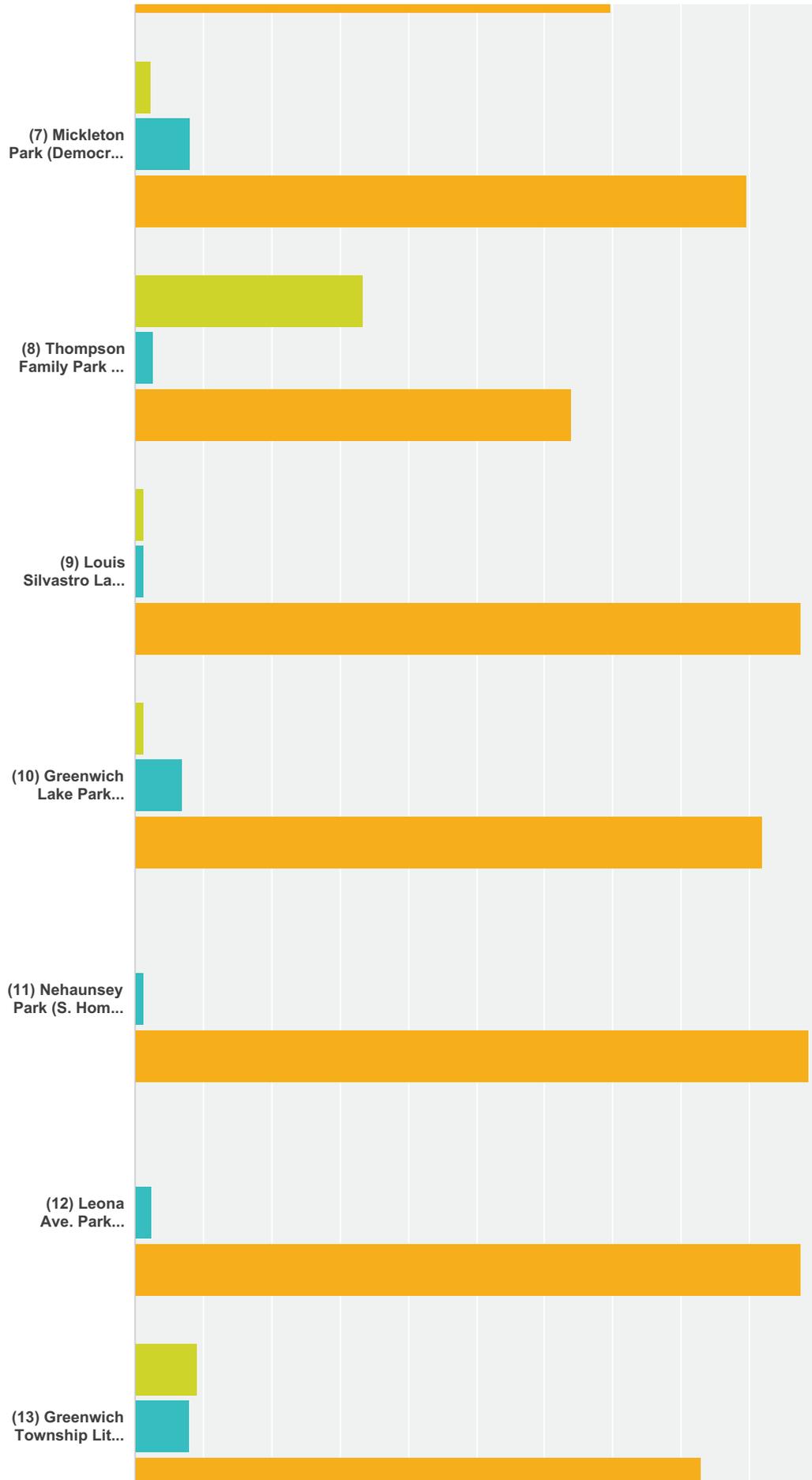
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(43) Margaret Clifford School, Auburn Road, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	50.28% 91	8.84% 16	40.88% 74	181

Q12 Are the restroom facilities (if any) adequate at the parks, natural areas, or open spaces you visit? (Please disregard locations your household does not visit)

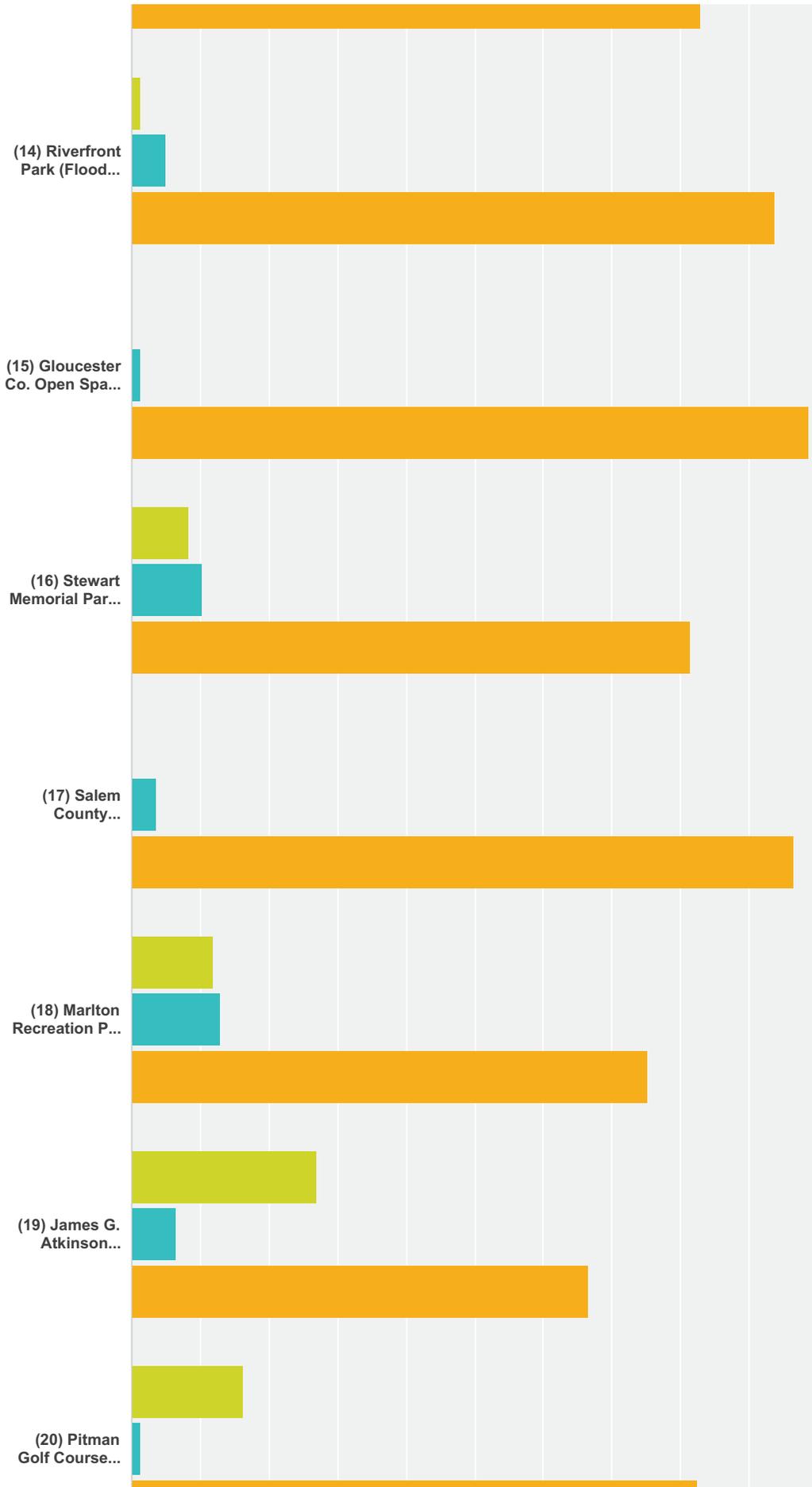
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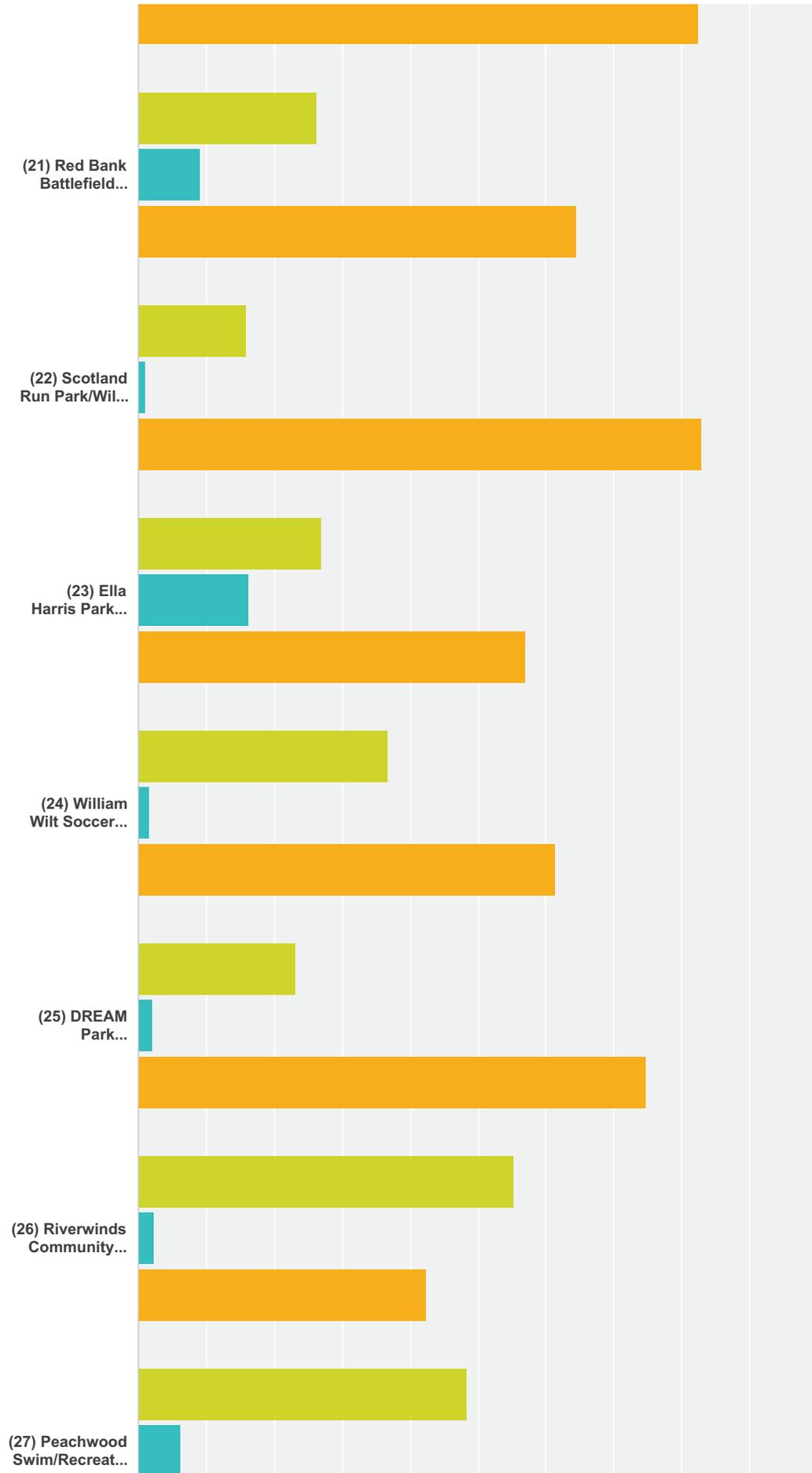
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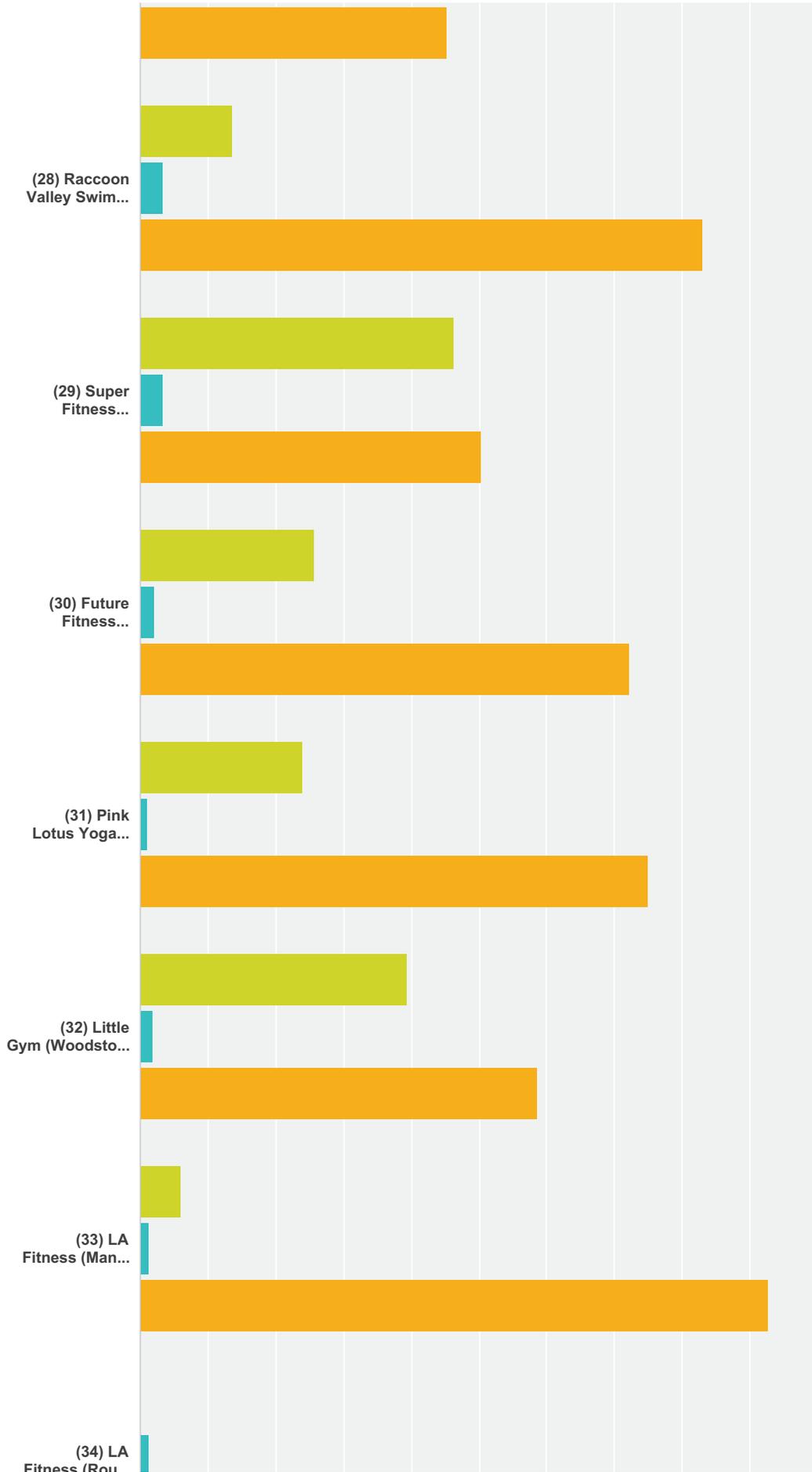
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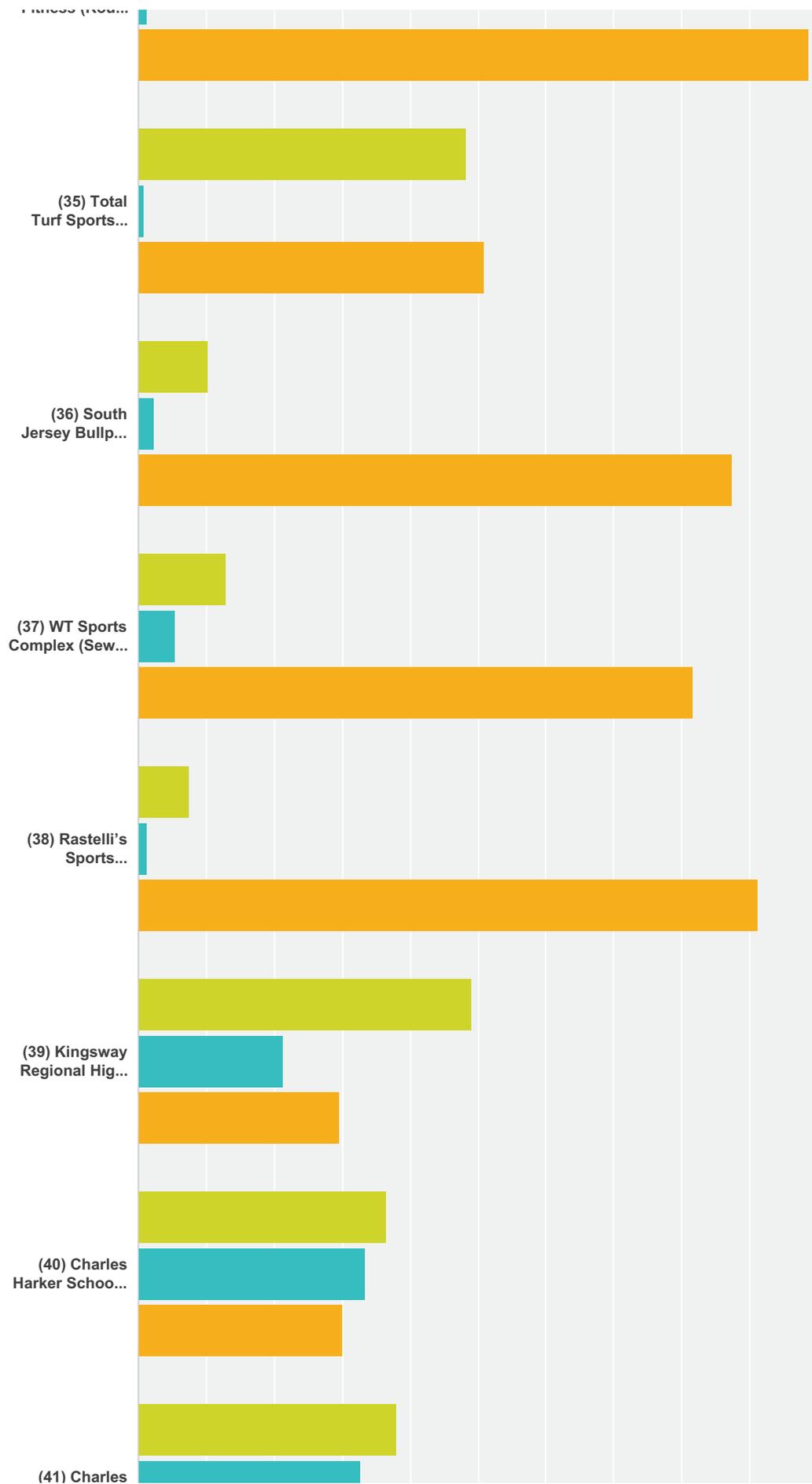
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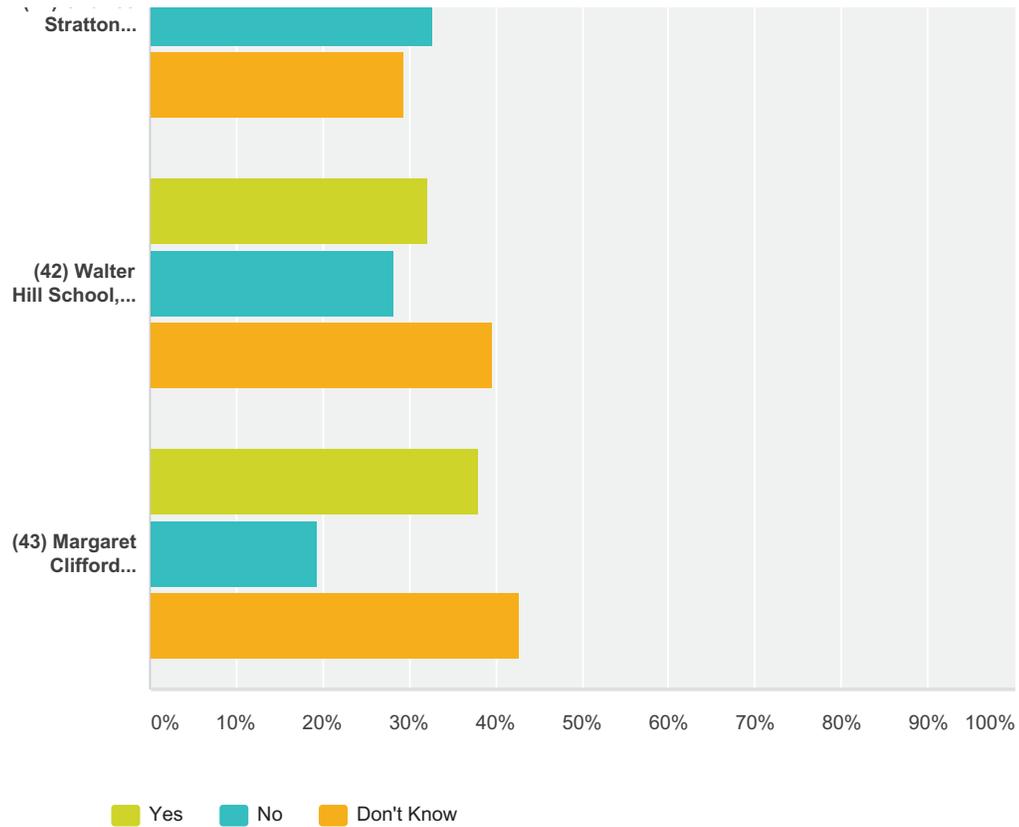
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(3) Lake Park/Lake Narraticon (Franklin Street, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	8.86% 14	45.57% 72	45.57% 72	158
(4) Township Line Park (Township Line Road, Logan Township, NJ)	14.79% 21	37.32% 53	47.89% 68	142
(5) Raccoon Creek Conserve (High Hill Road, Logan Township, NJ)	1.22% 1	3.66% 3	95.12% 78	82
(6) Hidden Acres Park (Jessup Mill Rd, Clarksboro, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	17.17% 17	13.13% 13	69.70% 69	99
(7) Mickleton Park (Democrat Rd, Mickleton, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	2.30% 2	8.05% 7	89.66% 78	87
(8) Thompson Family Park (E. Wolfert Station Rd, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	33.33% 37	2.70% 3	63.96% 71	111
(9) Louis Silvastro Lake Park (Tomlin Rd, Greenwich Township, NJ)	1.22% 1	1.22% 1	97.56% 80	82
(10) Greenwich Lake Park (Tomlin Rd, Greenwich Township, NJ)	1.16% 1	6.98% 6	91.86% 79	86
(11) Nehaunsey Park (S. Home Ave, Gibbstown, Greenwich Township, NJ)	0.00% 0	1.22% 1	98.78% 81	82
(12) Leona Ave. Park (Leona Ave, Greenwich Township, NJ)	0.00% 0	2.44% 2	97.56% 80	82

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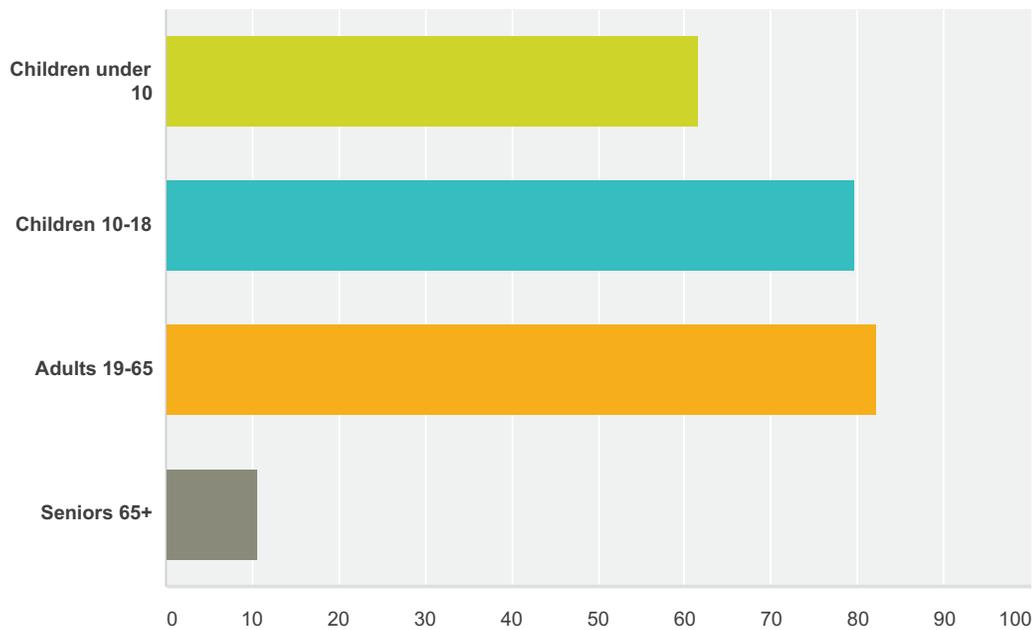
(13) Greenwich Township Little League Fields (N School Street, Greenwich Township, NJ)	9.09% 8	7.95% 7	82.95% 73	88
(14) Riverfront Park (Flood Gate Road, Greenwich Township, NJ)	1.25% 1	5.00% 4	93.75% 75	80
(15) Gloucester Co. Open Space (Memorial Ave, Greenwich Township, NJ)	0.00% 0	1.22% 1	98.78% 81	82
(16) Stewart Memorial Park (Ferrell Road, South Harrison Township, NJ)	8.25% 8	10.31% 10	81.44% 79	97
(17) Salem County Recreation Site (Perkintown Road, Pedricktown, Oldmans Township NJ)	0.00% 0	3.57% 3	96.43% 81	84
(18) Marlton Recreation Park (Marlton Road, Pilesgrove Township, NJ)	11.88% 12	12.87% 13	75.25% 76	101
(19) James G. Atkinson Memorial Park (Bethel Mill Rd. Washington Township, NJ)	26.85% 29	6.48% 7	66.67% 72	108
(20) Pitman Golf Course (County Road 624, Mantua Township, NJ)	16.28% 14	1.16% 1	82.56% 71	86
(21) Red Bank Battlefield Park (County Road 624, National Park Borough, NJ)	26.36% 29	9.09% 10	64.55% 71	110
(22) Scotland Run Park/Wilson Lake (Clayton Williamstown Rd, Clayton Borough, NJ)	15.91% 14	1.14% 1	82.95% 73	88
(23) Ella Harris Park (155 Commissioner Road, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	26.83% 33	16.26% 20	56.91% 70	123
(24) William Wilt Soccer Complex (Mullica Hill Bypass/Walters Road, Harrison Township, NJ)	36.84% 42	1.75% 2	61.40% 70	114
(25) DREAM Park (Equestrian Center) (460 U.S. 130, Logan Township, NJ)	23.23% 23	2.02% 2	74.75% 74	99
(26) Riverwinds Community Center (1000 Riverwinds Drive, West Deptford Township, NJ)	55.38% 72	2.31% 3	42.31% 55	130
(27) Peachwood Swim/Recreation Club (Peachwood Drive, Logan Township, NJ)	48.41% 61	6.35% 8	45.24% 57	126
(28) Raccoon Valley Swim Club (Eric Road, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	13.48% 12	3.37% 3	83.15% 74	89
(29) Super Fitness (Beckett Road, Logan Township, NJ)	46.28% 56	3.31% 4	50.41% 61	121
(30) Future Fitness (Bridgeton Pike, Mullica Hill, Harrison Township, NJ)	25.77% 25	2.06% 2	72.16% 70	97
(31) Pink Lotus Yoga (Kings Highway, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	23.96% 23	1.04% 1	75.00% 72	96
(32) Little Gym (Woodstown Road, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	39.45% 43	1.83% 2	58.72% 64	109
(33) LA Fitness (Mantua Pike, City of Woodbury, NJ)	6.10% 5	1.22% 1	92.68% 76	82
(34) LA Fitness (Route 42, Turnersville, Washington Township, NJ)	0.00% 0	1.25% 1	98.75% 79	80
(35) Total Turf Sports Complex (Lambs Road, Pitman Borough, NJ)	48.31% 57	0.85% 1	50.85% 60	118
(36) South Jersey Bullpen (Harmony Road, Mickleton, East Greenwich Township, NJ)	10.23% 9	2.27% 2	87.50% 77	88

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(37) WT Sports Complex (Sewell Road, Sewell, Mantua Township, NJ)	12.90% 12	5.38% 5	81.72% 76	93
(38) Rastelli's Sports (Hurffville Road, Sewell, Mantua Township, NJ)	7.50% 6	1.25% 1	91.25% 73	80
(39) Kingsway Regional High School / Middle School, Kings Highway, Woolwich Township, NJ)	49.03% 76	21.29% 33	29.68% 46	155
(40) Charles Harker School, Oldmans Creek Road, Woolwich Township, NJ)	36.54% 57	33.33% 52	30.13% 47	156
(41) Charles Stratton School, Fredrick Boulevard, Woolwich Township, NJ)	37.91% 58	32.68% 50	29.41% 45	153
(42) Walter Hill School, Kings Highway, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	32.06% 42	28.24% 37	39.69% 52	131
(43) Margaret Clifford School, Auburn Road, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ)	37.90% 47	19.35% 24	42.74% 53	124

Q13 Thinking about members of your household who are in the age groups listed below, how many trips in total have the members of your household made to parks, natural areas and open space areas in the past 12 months? For example, a family of 4 visiting a park equals 4 separate trips in the appropriate age groups below. (If certain age groups are not applicable, leave boxes blank.)

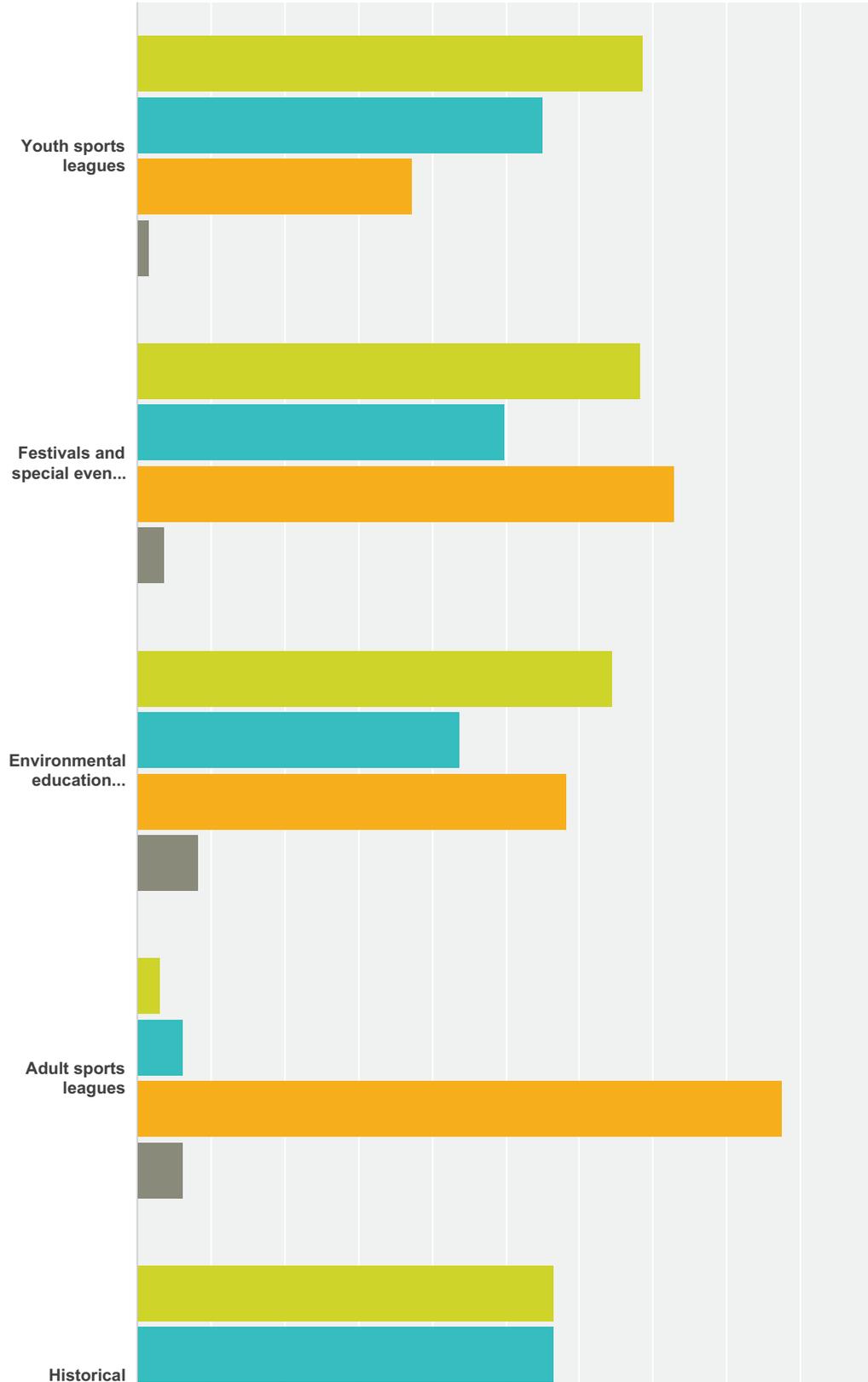
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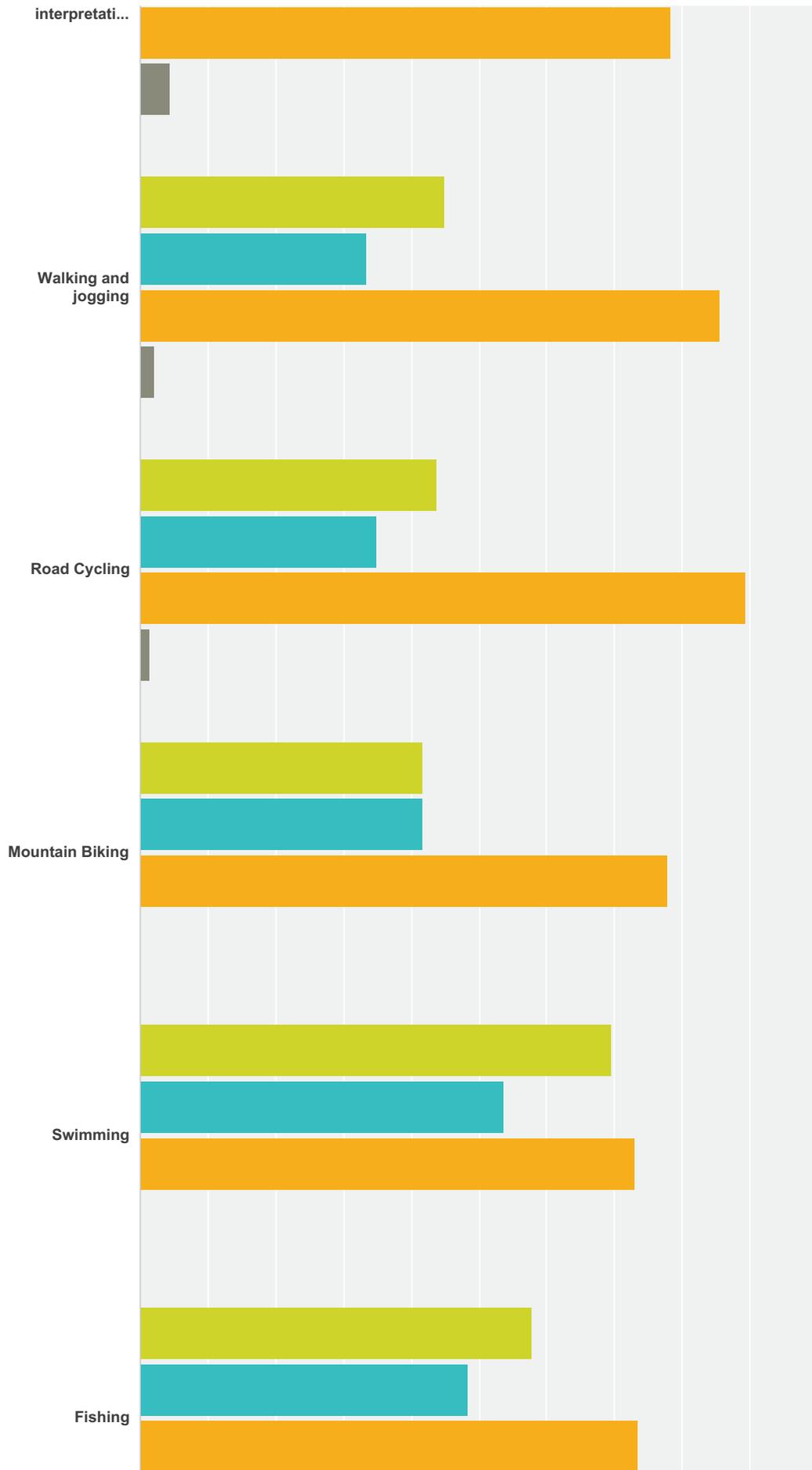
Answer Choices	Average Number	Total Number	Responses
Children under 10	61	11,682	190
Children 10-18	80	11,794	148
Adults 19-65	82	19,832	241
Seniors 65+	11	450	42
Total Respondents: 278			

Q14 What activities did each age group participate in at the parks, natural areas and open space areas you visit?

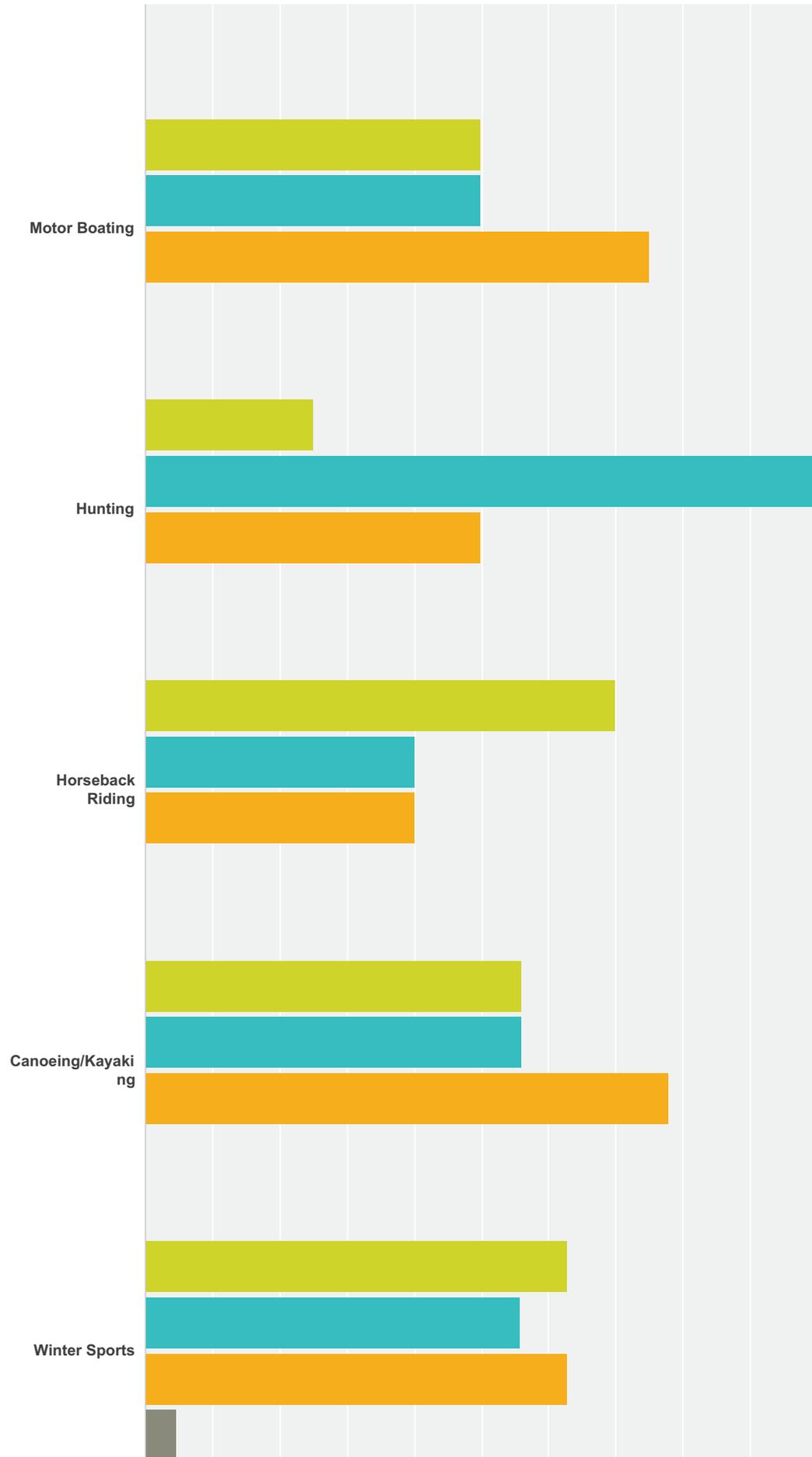
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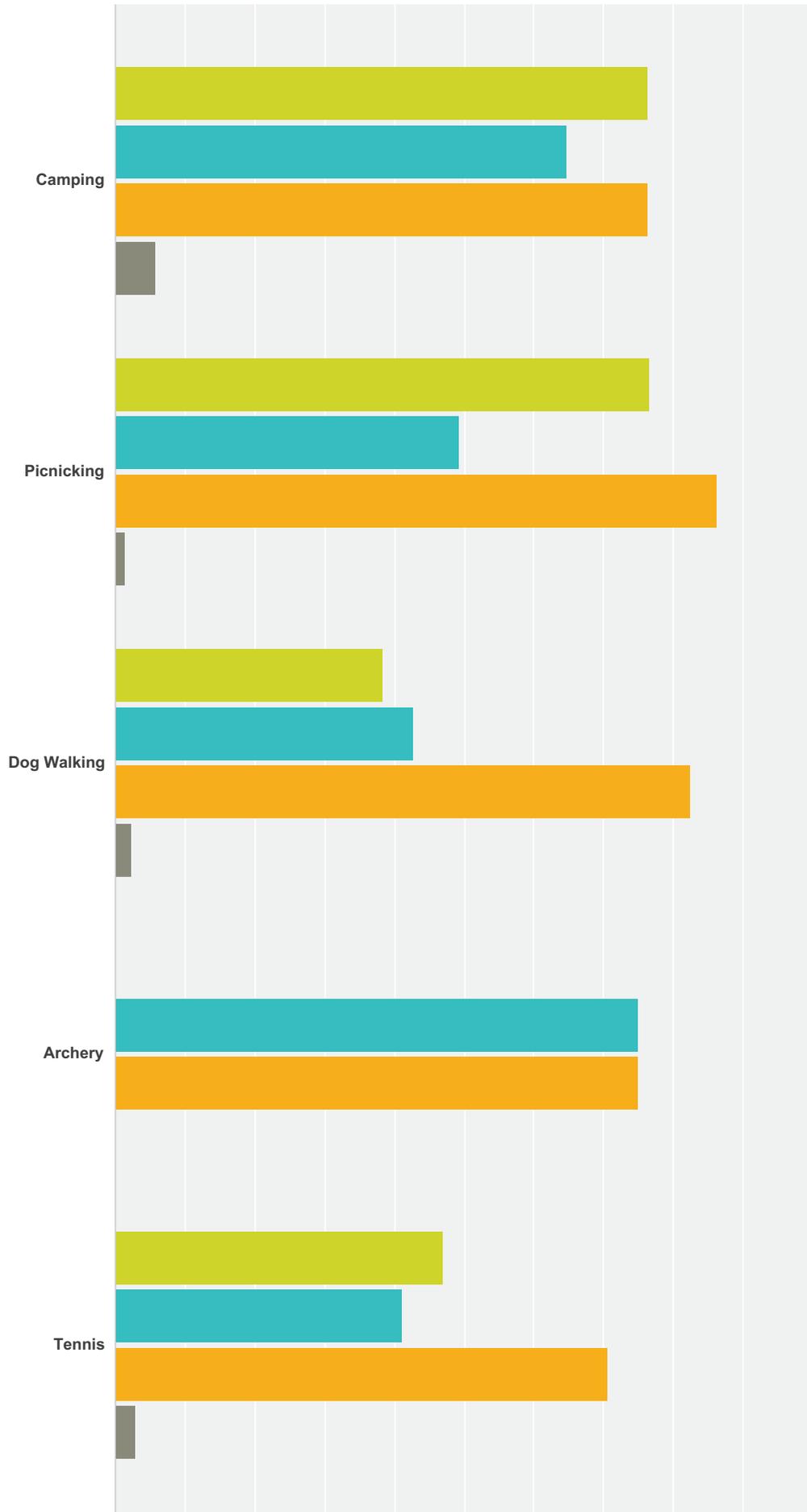
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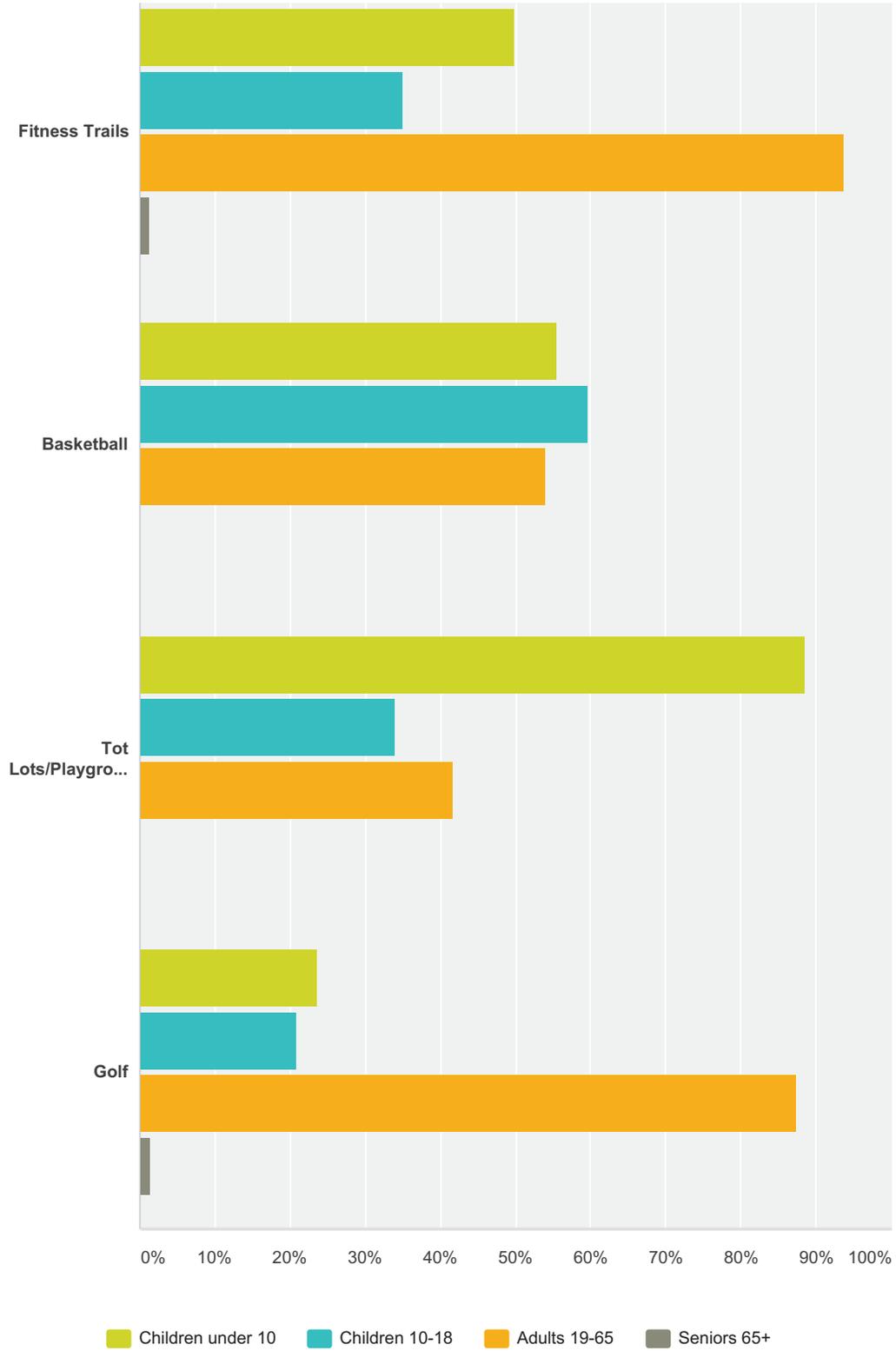
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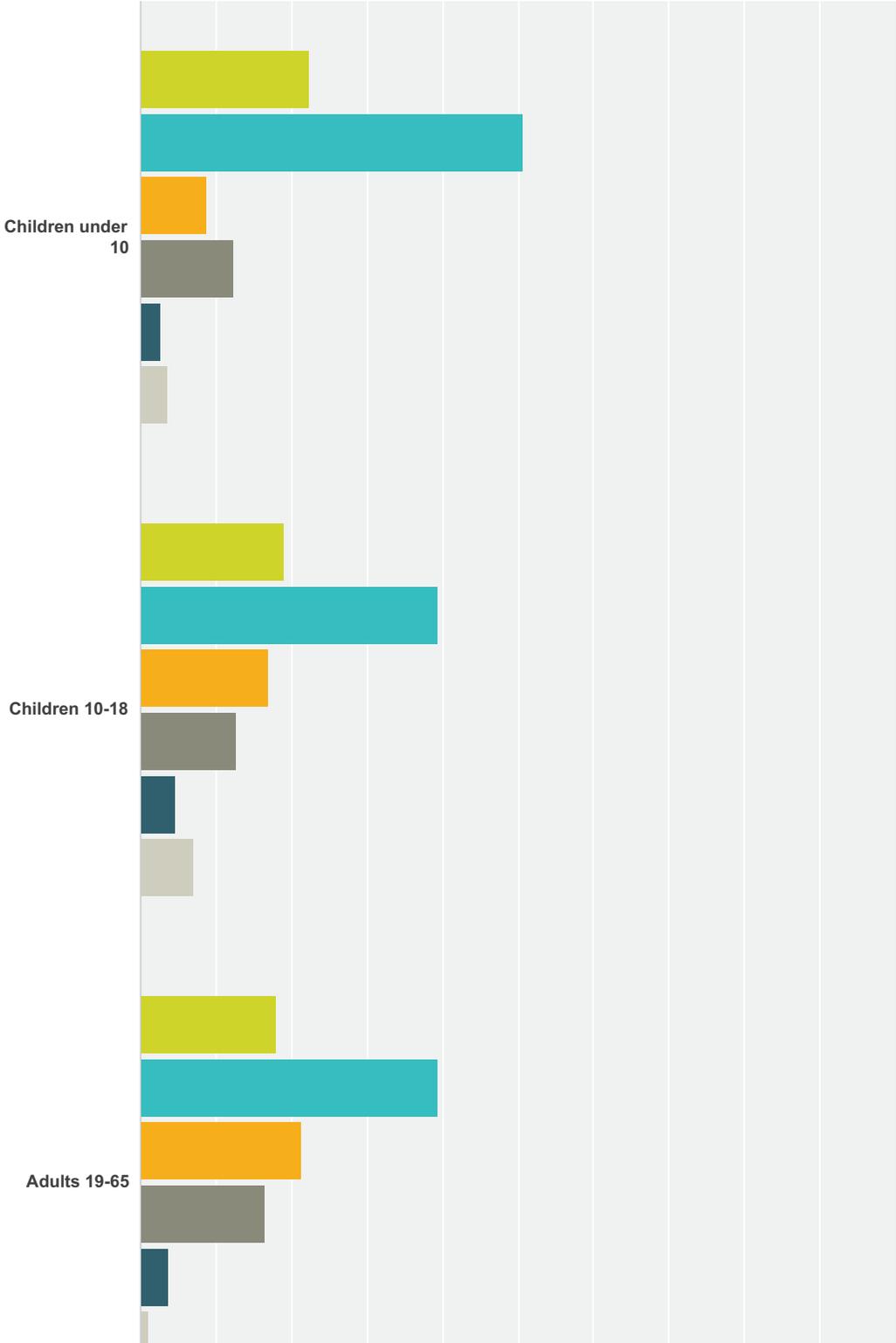
	Children under 10	Children 10-18	Adults 19-65	Seniors 65+	Total Respondents
Youth sports leagues	68.72% 156	55.07% 125	37.44% 85	1.76% 4	227
Festivals and special events (e.g., concerts, theater)	68.22% 161	50.00% 118	72.88% 172	3.81% 9	236

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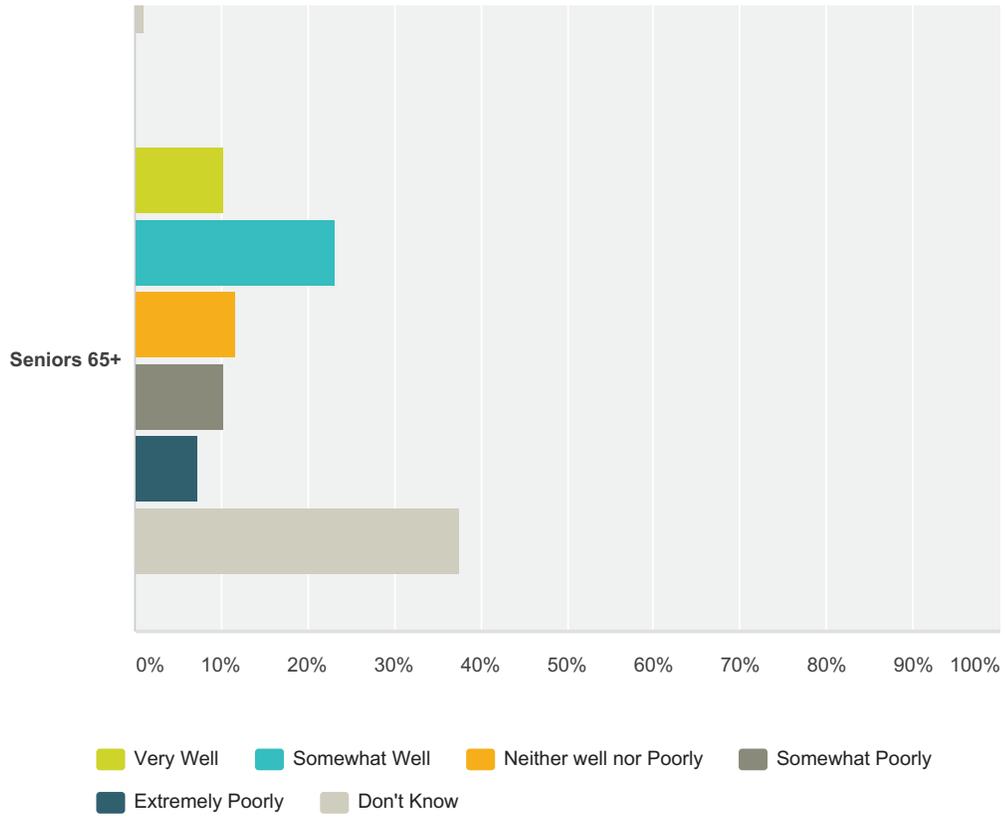
Environmental education (e.g., nature studying, bird watching)	64.58% 31	43.75% 21	58.33% 28	8.33% 4	48
Adult sports leagues	3.13% 1	6.25% 2	87.50% 28	6.25% 2	32
Historical interpretation (e.g., farmsteads, mills)	56.52% 13	56.52% 13	78.26% 18	4.35% 1	23
Walking and jogging	44.92% 106	33.47% 79	85.59% 202	2.12% 5	236
Road Cycling	43.94% 29	34.85% 23	89.39% 59	1.52% 1	66
Mountain Biking	41.67% 15	41.67% 15	77.78% 28	0.00% 0	36
Swimming	69.44% 75	53.70% 58	73.15% 79	0.00% 0	108
Fishing	57.81% 37	48.44% 31	73.44% 47	0.00% 0	64
Motor Boating	50.00% 2	50.00% 2	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	4
Hunting	25.00% 1	100.00% 4	50.00% 2	0.00% 0	4
Horseback Riding	70.00% 7	40.00% 4	40.00% 4	0.00% 0	10
Canoeing/Kayaking	55.93% 33	55.93% 33	77.97% 46	0.00% 0	59
Winter Sports	62.79% 27	55.81% 24	62.79% 27	4.65% 2	43
Camping	76.47% 13	64.71% 11	76.47% 13	5.88% 1	17
Picnicking	76.71% 56	49.32% 36	86.30% 63	1.37% 1	73
Dog Walking	38.46% 35	42.86% 39	82.42% 75	2.20% 2	91
Archery	0.00% 0	75.00% 3	75.00% 3	0.00% 0	4
Tennis	47.06% 16	41.18% 14	70.59% 24	2.94% 1	34
Fitness Trails	50.00% 40	35.00% 28	93.75% 75	1.25% 1	80
Basketball	55.56% 40	59.72% 43	54.17% 39	0.00% 0	72
Tot Lots/Playgrounds	88.46% 138	33.97% 53	41.67% 65	0.00% 0	156
Golf	23.61% 17	20.83% 15	87.50% 63	1.39% 1	72

Q15 In general, how well do you think the age groups in your household are served by parks, natural areas, and open space areas in or near Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro?

Answered: 308 Skipped: 105



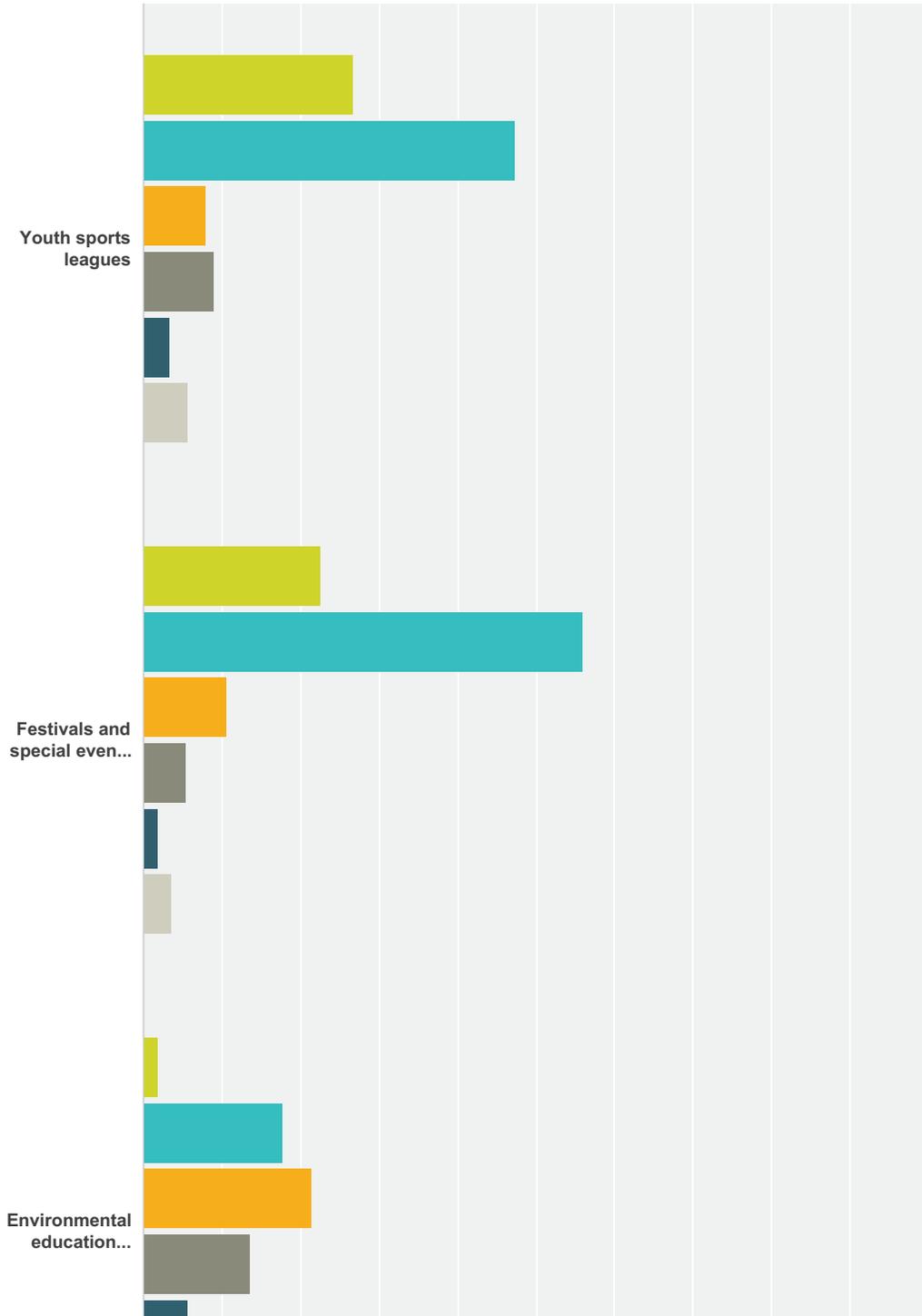
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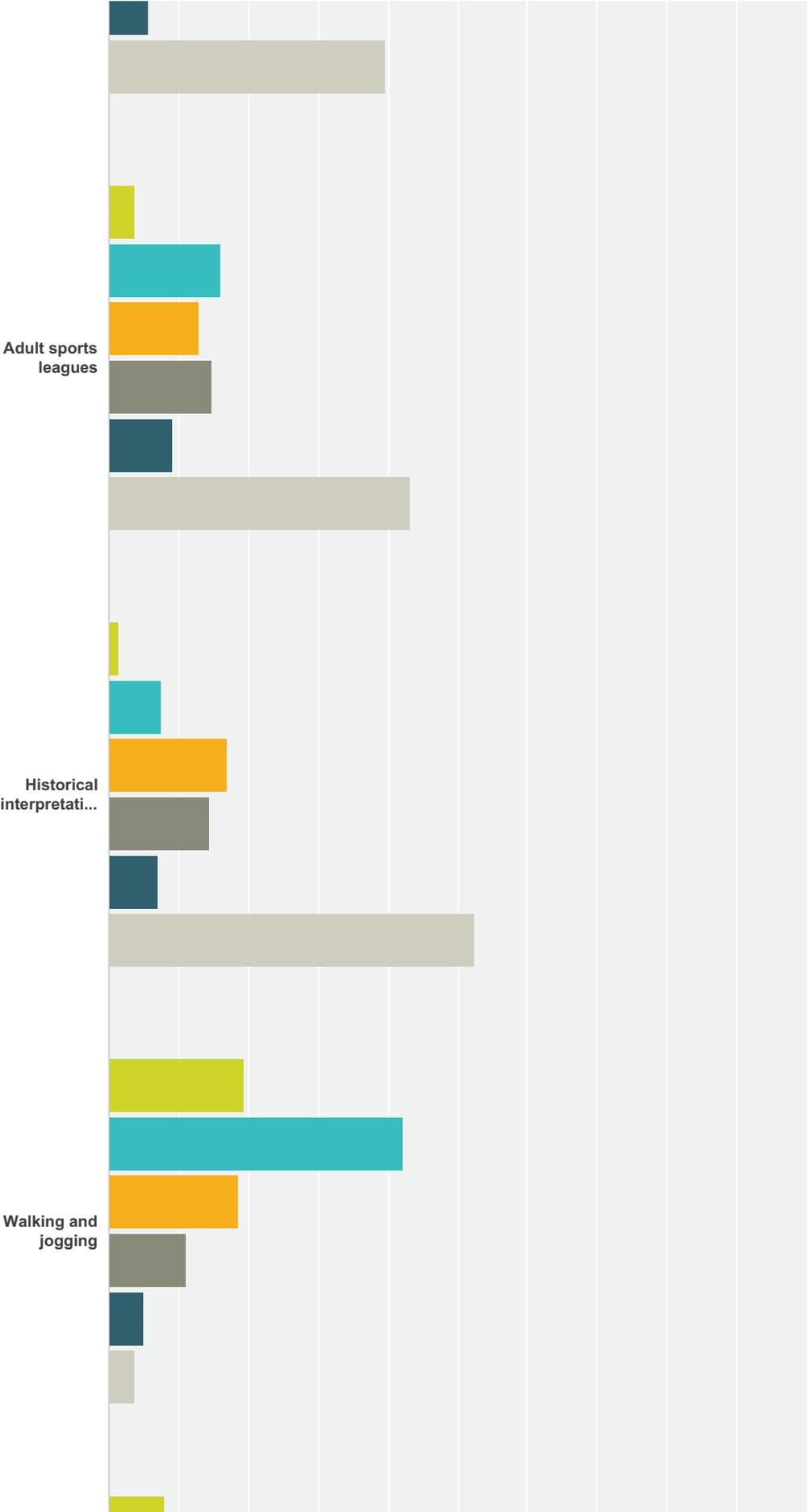
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Children under 10	22.27% 51	50.66% 116	8.73% 20	12.23% 28	2.62% 6	3.49% 8	229
Children 10-18	18.97% 37	39.49% 77	16.92% 33	12.82% 25	4.62% 9	7.18% 14	195
Adults 19-65	17.91% 48	39.55% 106	21.27% 57	16.42% 44	3.73% 10	1.12% 3	268
Seniors 65+	10.14% 7	23.19% 16	11.59% 8	10.14% 7	7.25% 5	37.68% 26	69

Q16 The following is a list of outdoor activities often found in parks, natural areas, open space areas or recreation facilities. How well is each activity provided for within Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro? (Please check below)

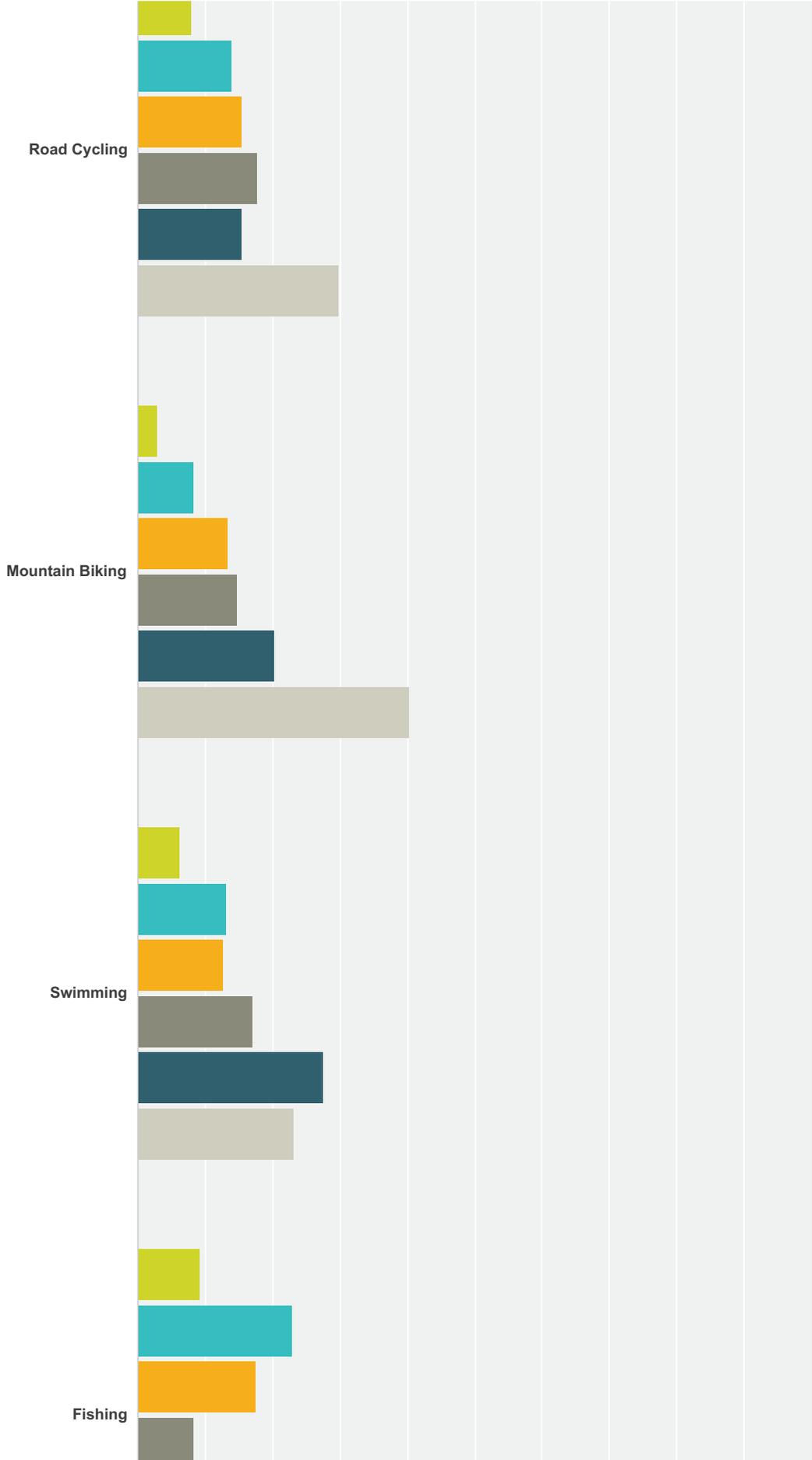
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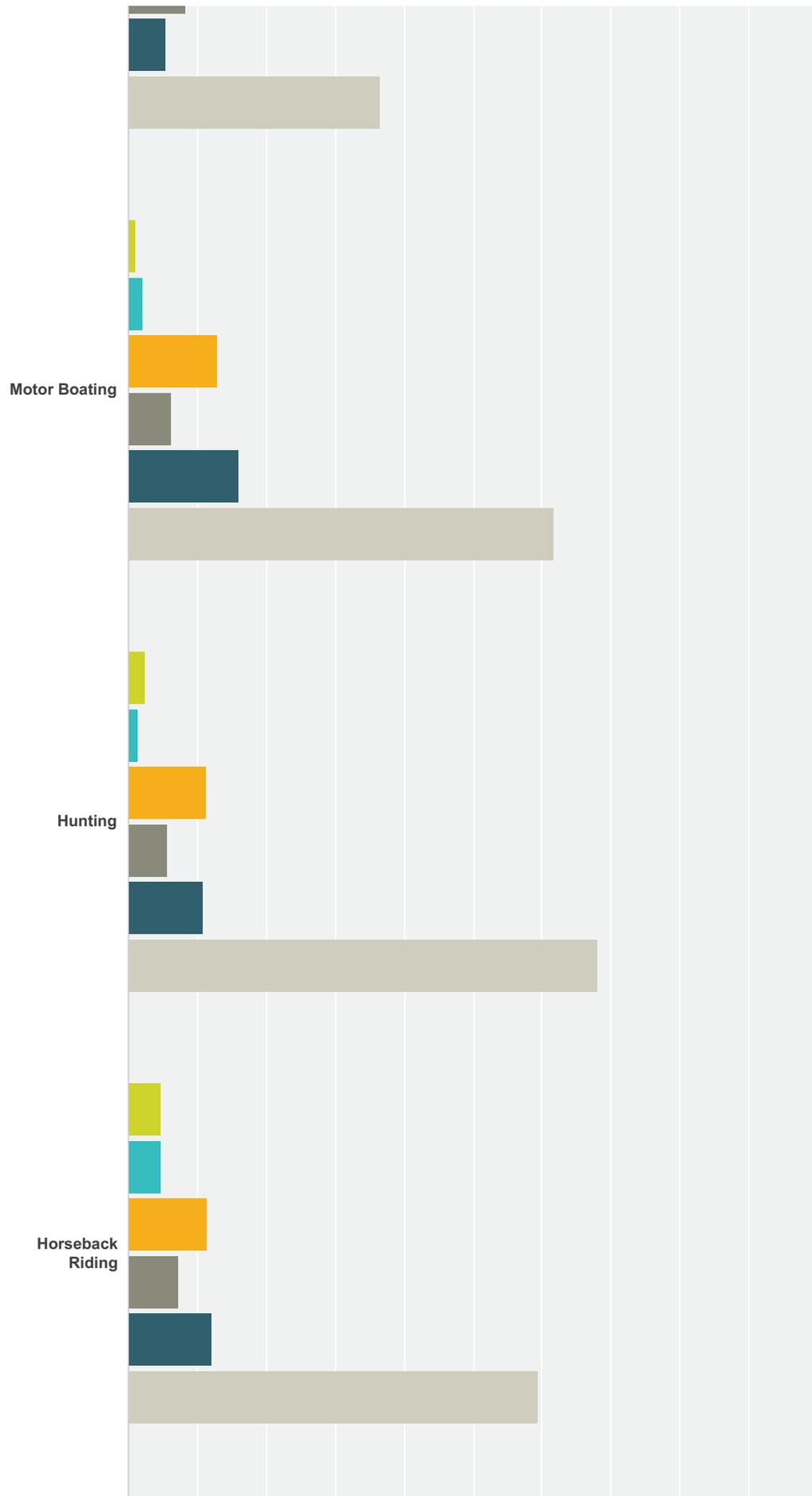
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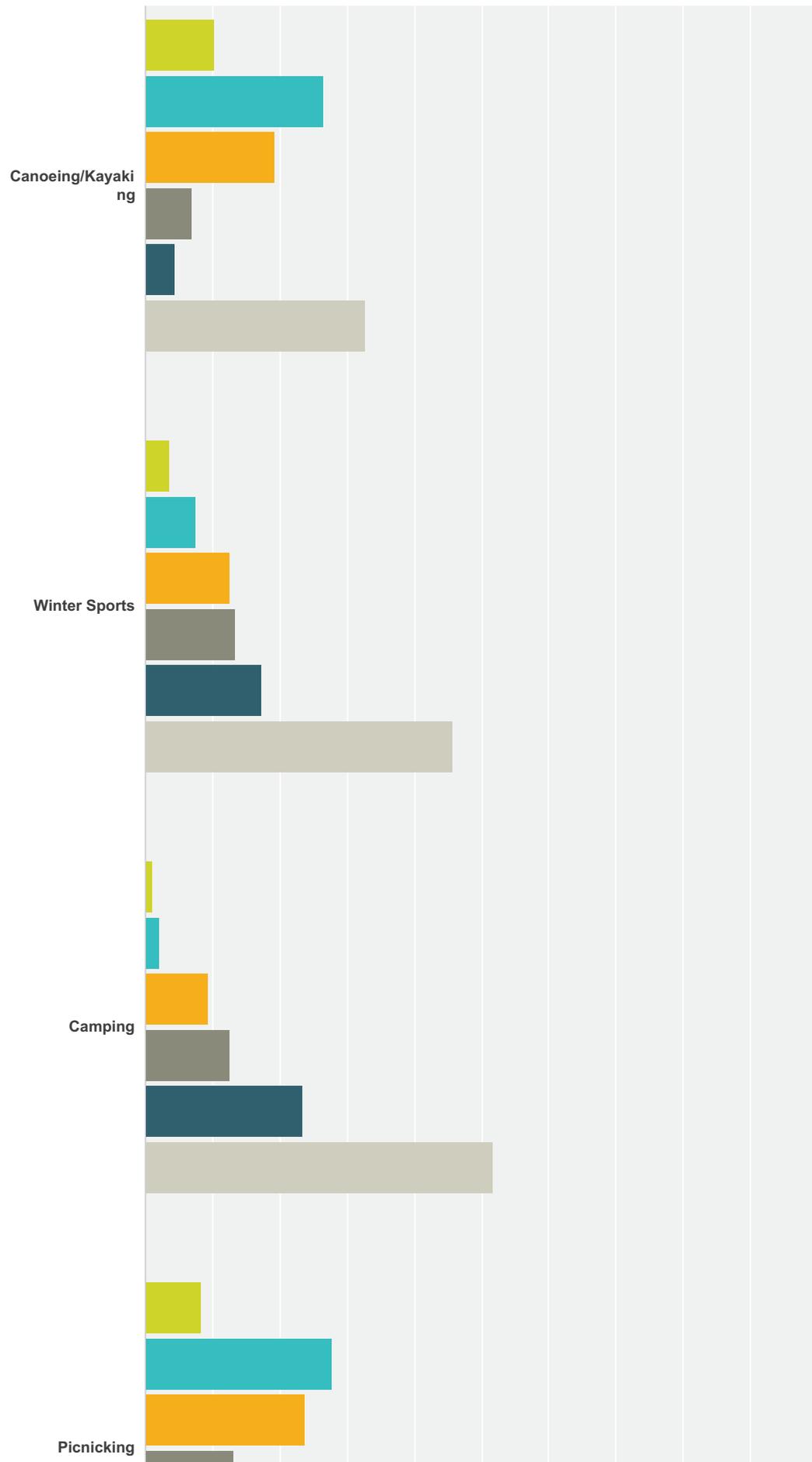
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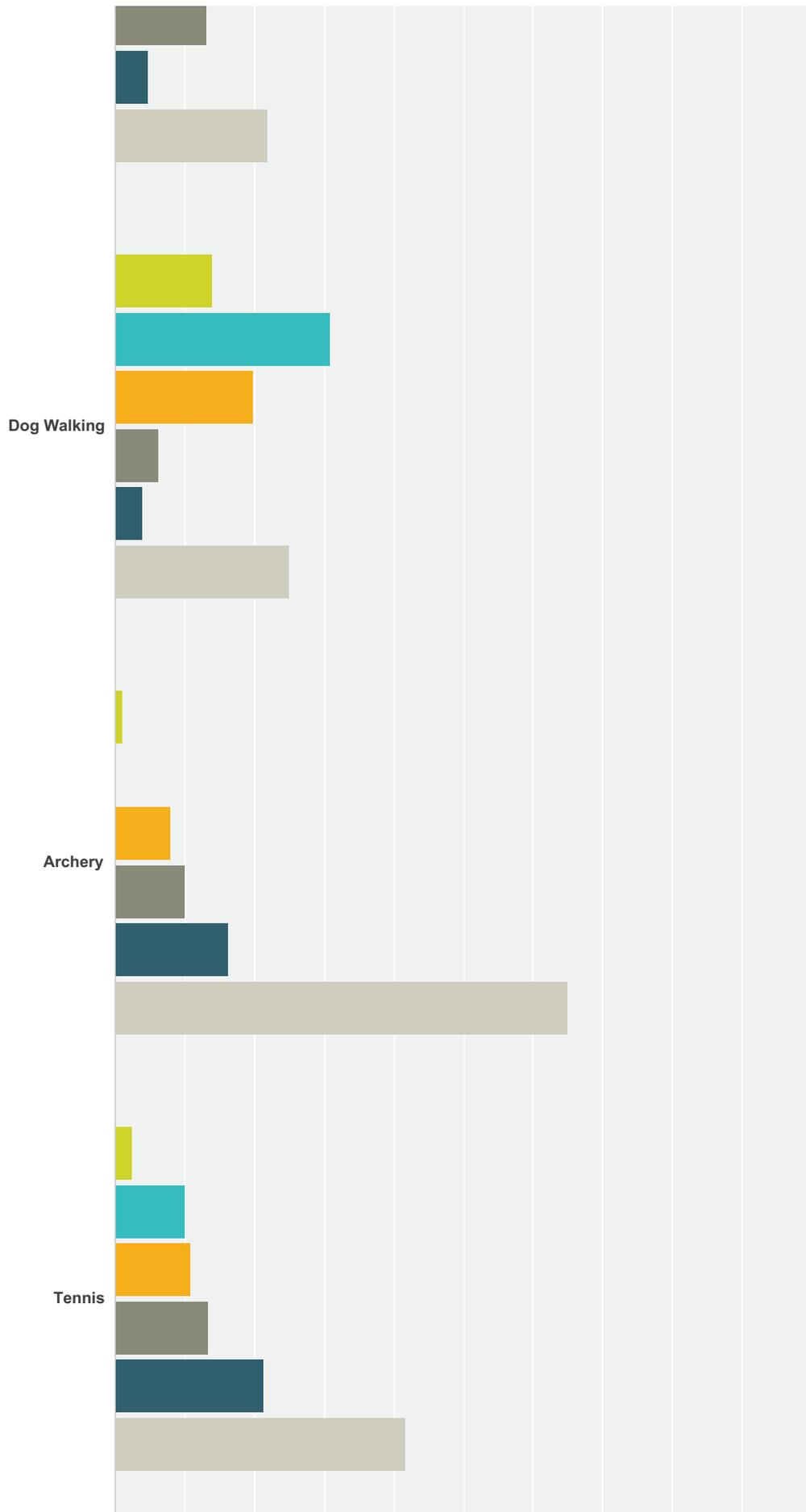
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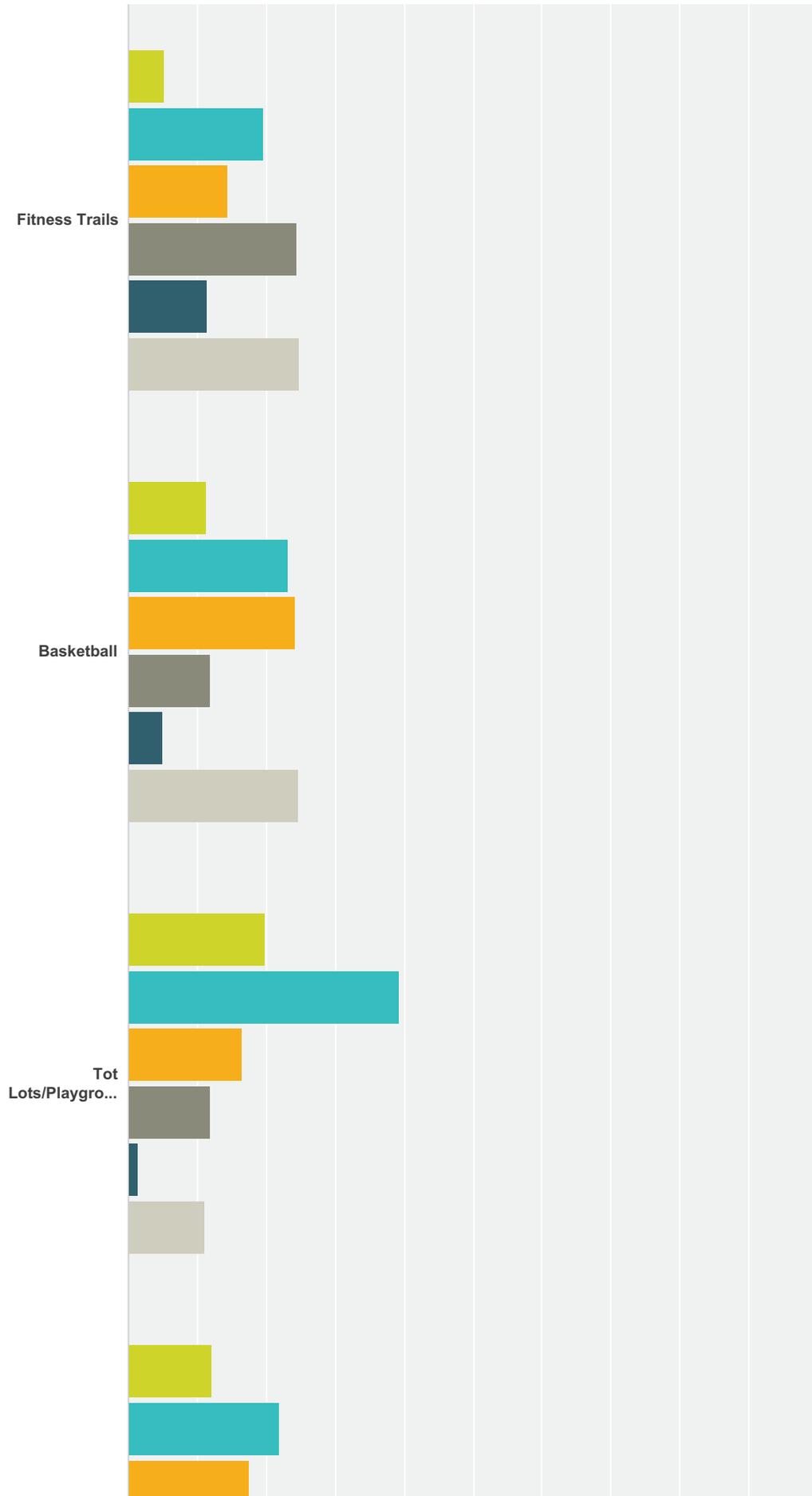
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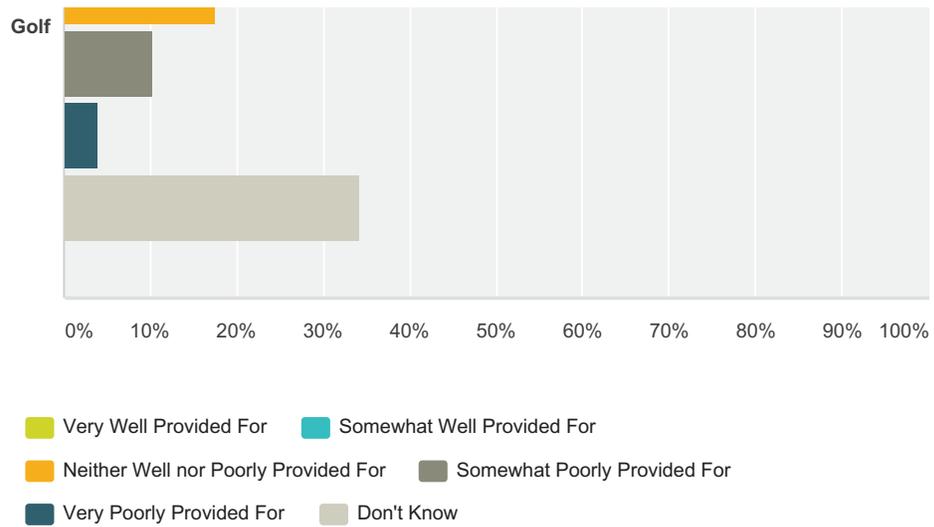
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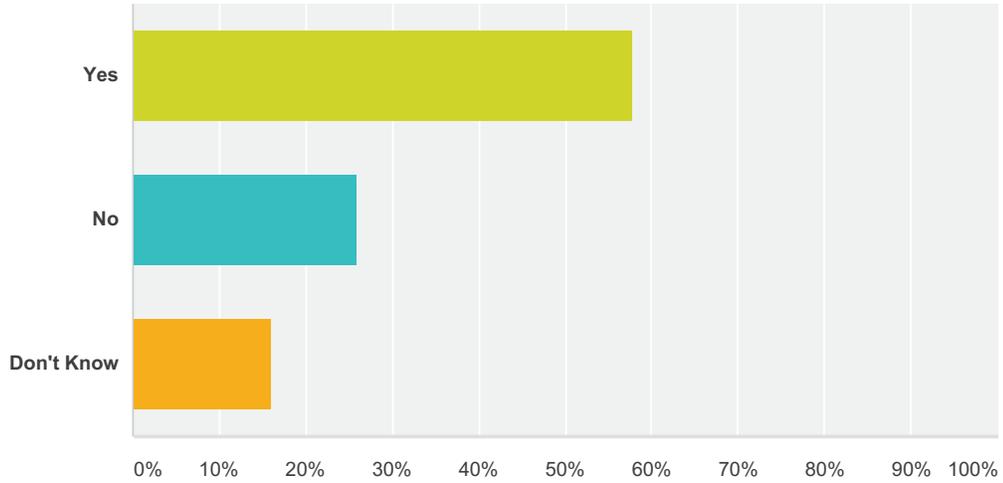
	Very Well Provided For	Somewhat Well Provided For	Neither Well nor Poorly Provided For	Somewhat Poorly Provided For	Very Poorly Provided For	Don't Know	Total
Youth sports leagues	26.69% 71	47.37% 126	7.89% 21	9.02% 24	3.38% 9	5.64% 15	266
Festivals and special events (e.g., concerts, theater)	22.61% 59	55.94% 146	10.73% 28	5.36% 14	1.92% 5	3.45% 9	261
Environmental education (e.g., nature studying, bird watching)	1.87% 4	17.76% 38	21.50% 46	13.55% 29	5.61% 12	39.72% 85	214
Adult sports leagues	3.69% 8	16.13% 35	12.90% 28	14.75% 32	9.22% 20	43.32% 94	217
Historical interpretation (e.g., farmsteads, mills)	1.50% 3	7.50% 15	17.00% 34	14.50% 29	7.00% 14	52.50% 105	200
Walking and jogging	19.42% 47	42.15% 102	18.60% 45	11.16% 27	4.96% 12	3.72% 9	242
Road Cycling	7.91% 17	13.95% 30	15.35% 33	17.67% 38	15.35% 33	29.77% 64	215
Mountain Biking	2.96% 6	8.37% 17	13.30% 27	14.78% 30	20.20% 41	40.39% 82	203
Swimming	6.33% 14	13.12% 29	12.67% 28	17.19% 38	27.60% 61	23.08% 51	221
Fishing	9.27% 19	22.93% 47	17.56% 36	8.29% 17	5.37% 11	36.59% 75	205
Motor Boating	1.03% 2	2.06% 4	12.89% 25	6.19% 12	15.98% 31	61.86% 120	194
Hunting	2.58% 5	1.55% 3	11.34% 22	5.67% 11	10.82% 21	68.04% 132	194
Horseback Riding	4.74% 9	4.74% 9	11.58% 22	7.37% 14	12.11% 23	59.47% 113	190
Canoeing/Kayaking	10.29% 21	26.47% 54	19.12% 39	6.86% 14	4.41% 9	32.84% 67	204
Winter Sports	3.48% 7	7.46% 15	12.44% 25	13.43% 27	17.41% 35	45.77% 92	201

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Camping	1.00% 2	1.99% 4	9.45% 19	12.44% 25	23.38% 47	51.74% 104	201
Picnicking	8.29% 17	27.80% 57	23.90% 49	13.17% 27	4.88% 10	21.95% 45	205
Dog Walking	14.01% 29	30.92% 64	19.81% 41	6.28% 13	3.86% 8	25.12% 52	207
Archery	1.05% 2	0.00% 0	7.85% 15	9.95% 19	16.23% 31	64.92% 124	191
Tennis	2.49% 5	9.95% 20	10.95% 22	13.43% 27	21.39% 43	41.79% 84	201
Fitness Trails	5.26% 11	19.62% 41	14.35% 30	24.40% 51	11.48% 24	24.88% 52	209
Basketball	11.33% 23	23.15% 47	24.14% 49	11.82% 24	4.93% 10	24.63% 50	203
Tot Lots/Playgrounds	19.82% 43	39.17% 85	16.59% 36	11.98% 26	1.38% 3	11.06% 24	217
Golf	12.20% 25	21.95% 45	17.56% 36	10.24% 21	3.90% 8	34.15% 70	205

Q17 Do you think that Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro need more sports fields (soccer, baseball, football, etc.)?

Answered: 297 Skipped: 116



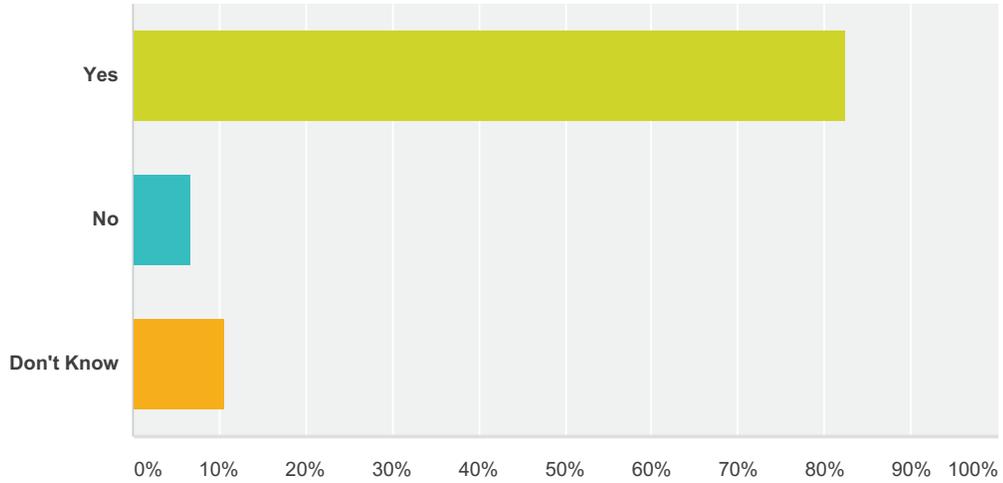
Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	57.91% 172
No	25.93% 77
Don't Know	16.16% 48
Total	297

Q18 If you answered yes on the previous question, which sports do you feel are in need of fields?

Answered: 169 Skipped: 244

Q19 Do you think that more public parks, natural areas, and open space areas should be preserved in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro?

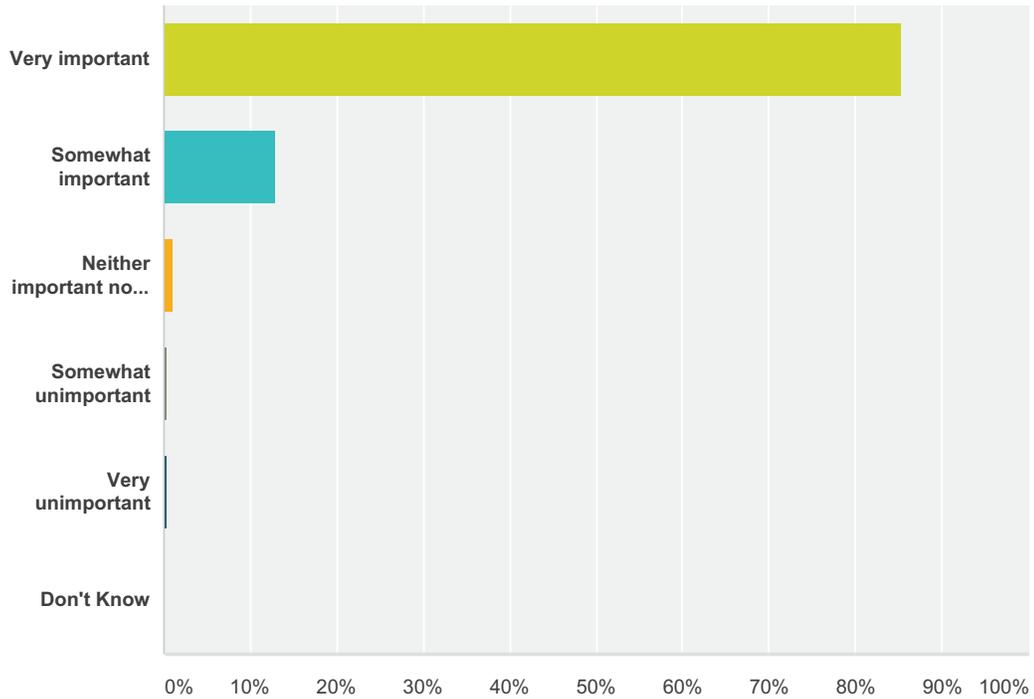
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	82.55% 246
No	6.71% 20
Don't Know	10.74% 32
Total	298

Q20 In general, how important do you feel public parks, natural areas and open space areas are to the well-being and quality of life in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro?

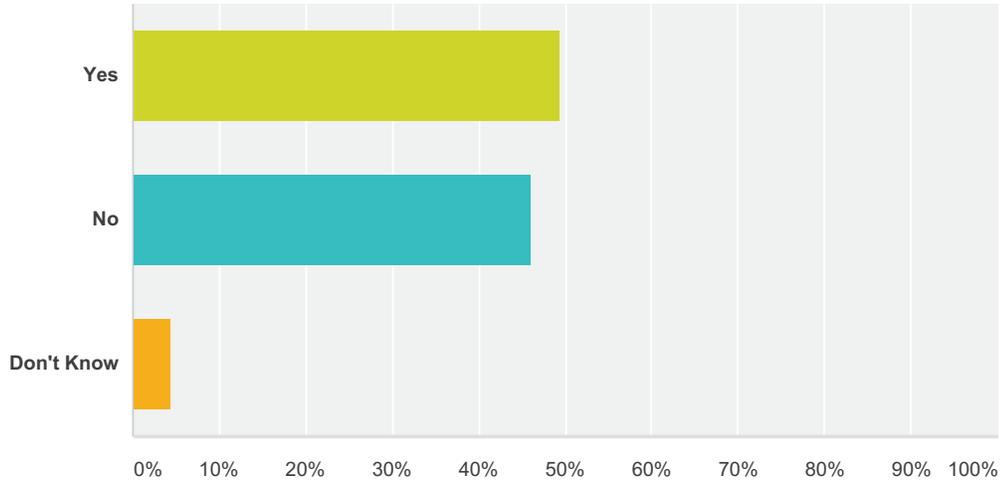
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Answer Choices	Responses
Very important	85.43% 258
Somewhat important	12.91% 39
Neither important nor unimportant	0.99% 3
Somewhat unimportant	0.33% 1
Very unimportant	0.33% 1
Don't Know	0.00% 0
Total	302

Q21 Generally, are your household's recreational needs being met in or around Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro?

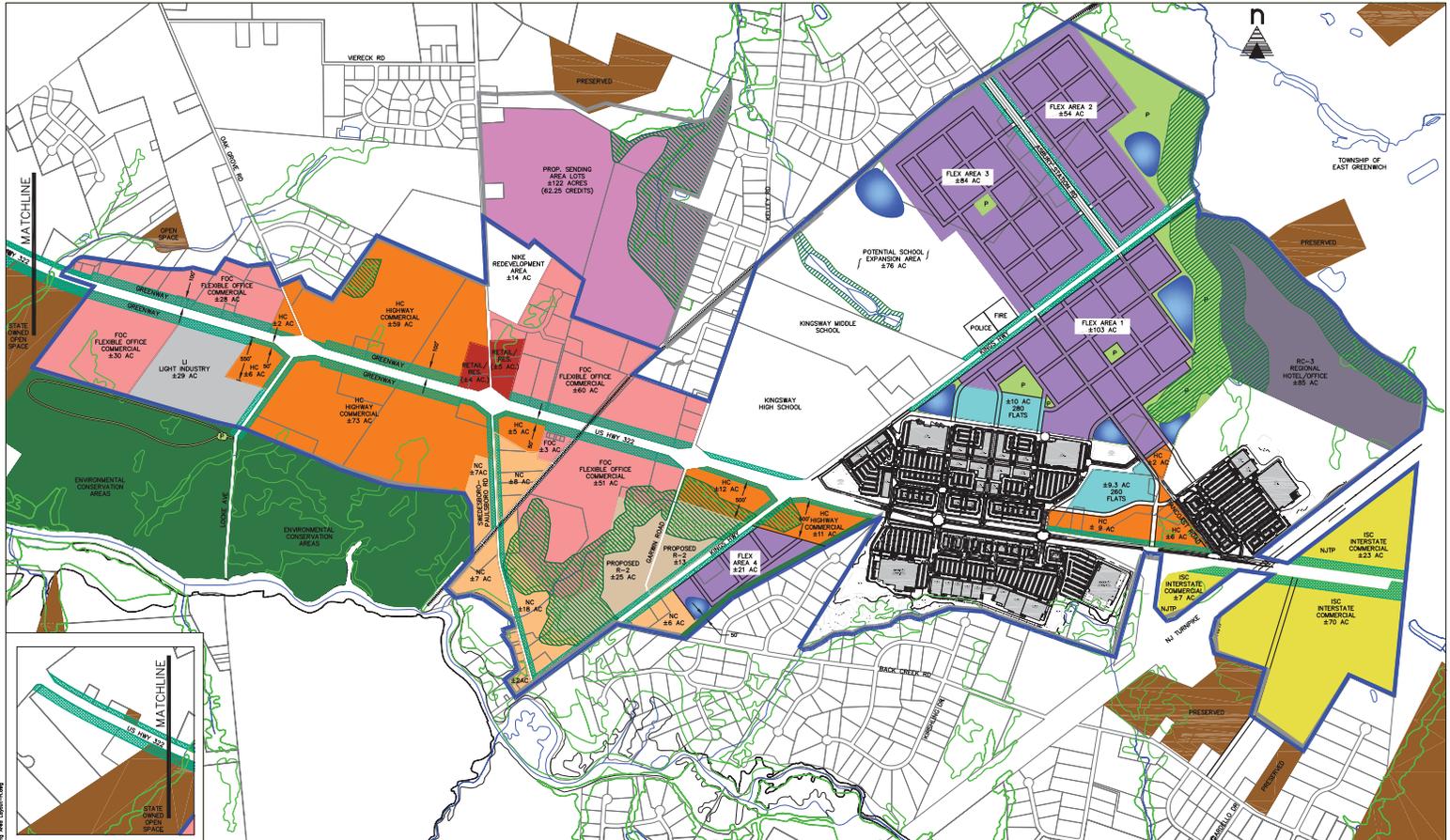
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	49.50% 149
No	46.18% 139
Don't Know	4.32% 13
Total	301

Q22 If you answered no to the previous question, how are your needs not being met?

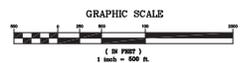
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	PROPOSED REGIONAL CENTER BOUNDARY		PROPOSED HIGHWAY COMMERCIAL ZONING (METAL WITH TRUCK)		PROPOSED FLAT LAND USE
	PROPOSED REGIONAL STORMWATER BASIN		PROPOSED NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL ZONING (RESIDENTIAL WITH TRUCK)		PROPOSED RETAIL/RESIDENTIAL (FLATS ABOVE RETAIL WITHOUT TRUCK)
	PROPOSED PARKS/PUBLIC OPEN SPACES		PROPOSED FOC ZONING		REGIONAL HOTEL/OFFICE (PER RC-3)
	PROPOSED GREENWAY		PROPOSED INTERSTATE COMMERCIAL ZONING		





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Executive Summary



Executive Summary (1)

- **Participation in park/natural area/open space activities**

About three quarters (74%) of the residents of the area report that they have participated in activities in parks, natural areas or open space areas in or around Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro within the last 12 months

- **Park usage**

Lock Ave Park/High Hill Park is by far the most used park among survey participants (80% have gone to this park)

Lake Park/Lake Narraticon (16% have visited this park in the last 12 months) and Township Line Park (7% visited in the last 12 months) are the only other two parks with visitation rates of greater than 5% of respondents

Executive Summary (2)

- **Park evaluations, from those who use them**

For High Hill/Lock Avenue Park. 93% report that maintenance is adequate and 61% report that the park has adequate restroom facilities

For Lake Park/ Lake Narraticon, 83% report that maintenance in the park is adequate and (17%) report that the park has adequate restroom facilities

For Township Line Park, 100% report that maintenance in the park is adequate and 40% report that the park has adequate restroom facilities

- **Frequency of Park Visitation**

Although there are differences in the average number of visits to these three parks by age groups (under 10, 10 – 17, 18 – 64 and 65+), none of these differences is statistically significant

Executive Summary (3)

- **How well do parks serve people of different ages in the community?**

Most residents surveyed think that area parks, natural areas and open spaces serve children (92%) and young people (86%) very or somewhat well

Three quarters (76%) of those surveyed think that adults 18 - 64 are very or somewhat well served by area parks, natural areas and open spaces

Respondents do not think that seniors (age 65+) are well served by area parks, natural areas and open spaces, with only 37% reporting that they are very/somewhat well served and almost one quarter (23%) reporting that they are very poorly or somewhat poorly served

Executive Summary (4)

■ How well does the community provide for various outdoor activities?

Activities most highly rated include:

- Youth Sports Leagues, 81%
- Walking and Jogging, 78%
- Festivals and Special Events, 73%
- Tot Lots/ Playgrounds, 71%

Outdoor activities most poorly rated include:

- Archery, 5%
- Motor Boating, 6%
- Camping, 9%
- Hunting, 15%
- Adult Sports Leagues, 15%
- Swimming, 16%

■ Are more sports fields needed?

A majority (57%) of those surveyed think that there is no need for more sports fields in the area

Executive Summary (5)

- **Should more parks, natural areas and open space be preserved in the area?**

85% of those surveyed think that more public parks, natural areas and open space should be preserved in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro

- **How important are public parks, natural areas and open space to the well-being and quality of life of area residents?**

94% of survey respondents think that public parks, natural areas and open space areas are very important (78%) or somewhat important (16%) to the well-being and quality of life of area residents

- **Are household recreational needs being met in and around Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro?**

Almost three quarters (72%) of survey respondents report that their household's recreational needs are being met in the area

Research Methodology



Research Methodology (1)

- Interviews were conducted with a random sample of telephone households (land lines only) in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro using an RDD (random digit dial sample methodology)

- Data Collection Methodology
 - Interviews for this research were conducted by telephone between June 24 and June 29, 2014
 - The data was gathered using a CATI (computer assisted telephone interviewing) survey in which interviewers enter respondent responses directly into the computer

Research Methodology (2)

- Sampling error intervals for survey results vary with sample size.
- Subgroup differences in survey results that are equal to or smaller than sampling error intervals are not statistically significant since these results are likely to be the result of sampling error rather than any significant change in the market

Selected Error Intervals at a 95% Confidence Level

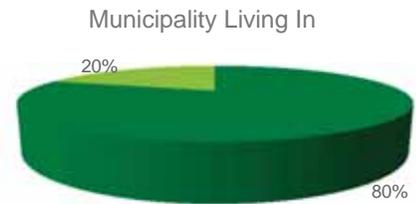
Sample/ Group Size	Error interval	Confidence Level
200	+/-6.93 %	95% level
150	+/- 8.0%	95% level
125	+/- 8.77%	95% level
100	+/- 9.8%	95% level
75	+/- 11.32%	95% level
50	+/- 13.86%	95% level
25	+/- 19.60%	95% level

Detailed Findings

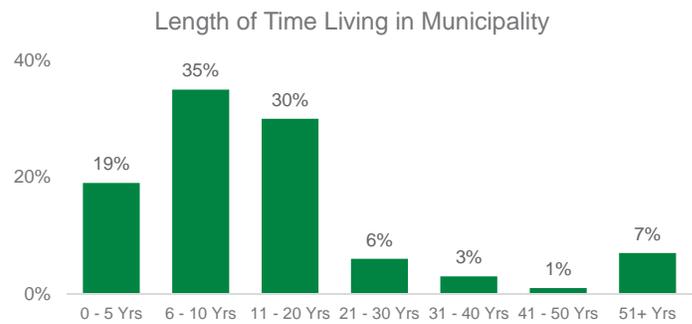


Demographics (1)

- The distribution of respondents between the township and the borough is roughly proportional to the populations of the two areas
- More than 80% of the population has lived in their municipality for less than 20 years, with the largest group (35%) living in the municipality between 6 and 10 years



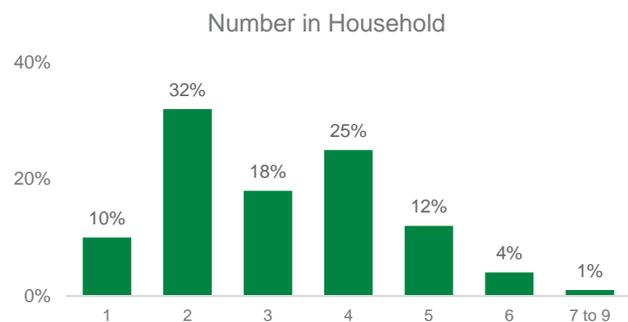
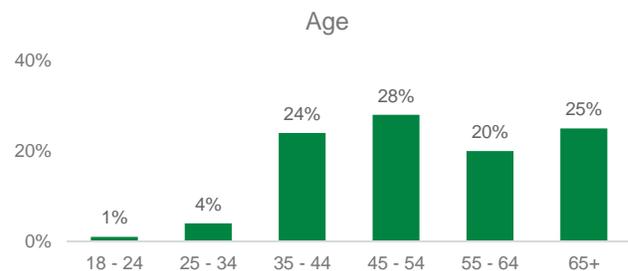
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SA. What is the name of the municipality where you live? n=200
SB. How long have you lived in that municipality? n=200

Demographics (2)

- Most of the respondents are age 35 or older, with roughly equal proportions in the 35-44, 45-54, 55-64 and 65+ age groups
- Few respondents fall into the 18-24 or 25-34 age groups
- Two person households make up almost one third of all respondents
- 85% of the households participating in the survey have four or fewer members



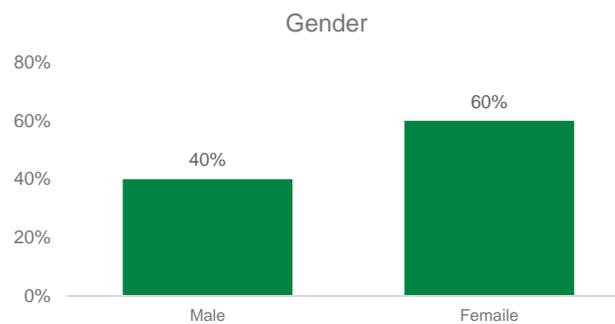
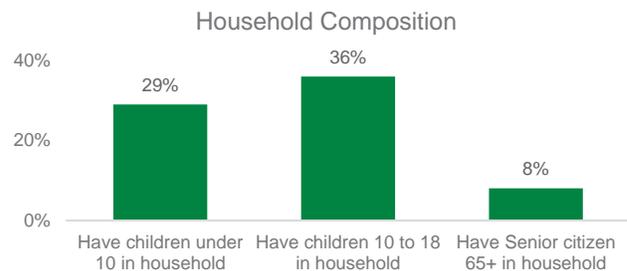
S1. What is your age? n=200

S2. And how many people live in your household? n=200

Demographics (3)

- More than ¼ of the households report having children under 10 years old, and more than 1/3 of the households report having children 10 – 18 years old
- 8% of the households include at least one senior citizen age 65+

- 60% of the survey respondents were female



S3. (If 1+ in S2) Do you have any children under the age of 10 living in your household? n=181

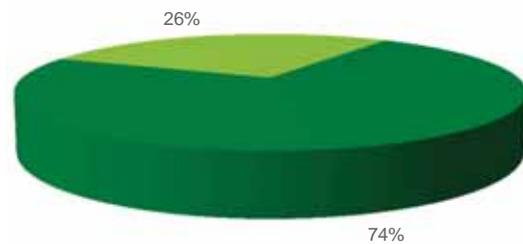
S4. (If 1+ in S2) Do you have any children between the ages of 10 and 18 living in your household? n=181

S5. (If 1+ in S2) And are there any senior citizens, that is, adults over the age of 65, living in your household? n=144

S6. Gender n=200

Participated in Activities

- Almost three quarters of all survey respondents (74%) report that they have participated in activities in parks, natural areas or open spaces in the area within the past 12 months

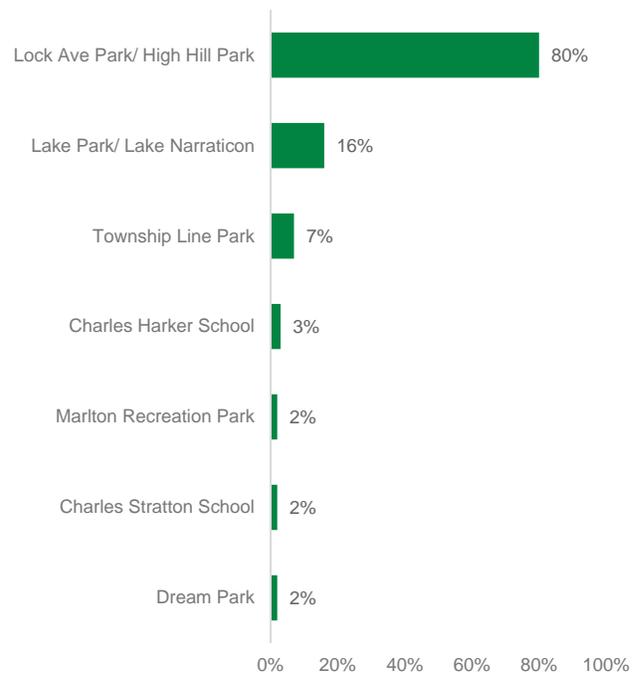


■ Yes ■ No

Q1. In the past 12 months, has any member of your household participated in any activities in parks, natural areas or open space areas in or around Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro? n=200

Parks, Natural Areas, Open Spaces Used (Top 10)

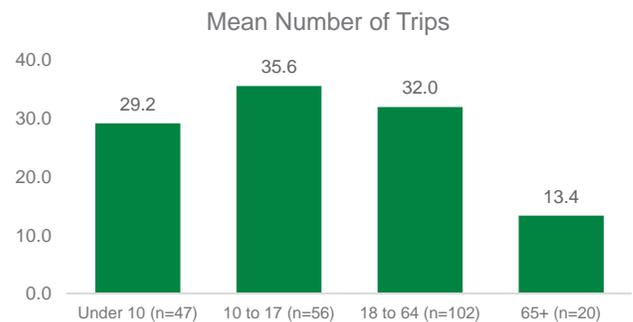
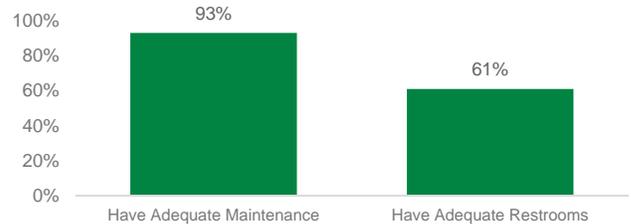
- Lock Ave Park/High Hill Park is by far the most used part among survey participants (80% have gone to this park)
- Lake Park/Lake Narraticon and Township Line Park are the only other two parks with visitation rates of greater than 5% of respondents



Q2. (If participated in park activities in Q1) Which parks, natural areas or open space areas do you go to? n=148

Lock Avenue Park / High Hill Park

- Almost all users of High Hill/Lock Avenue Park (93%) report that maintenance in the park is adequate
- Slightly fewer than two thirds of the users (61%) report that the park has adequate restroom facilities
- Although those ages 10 – 17 and those ages 18 - 64 visit the park more often than those age 65+, the differences are not statistically significant



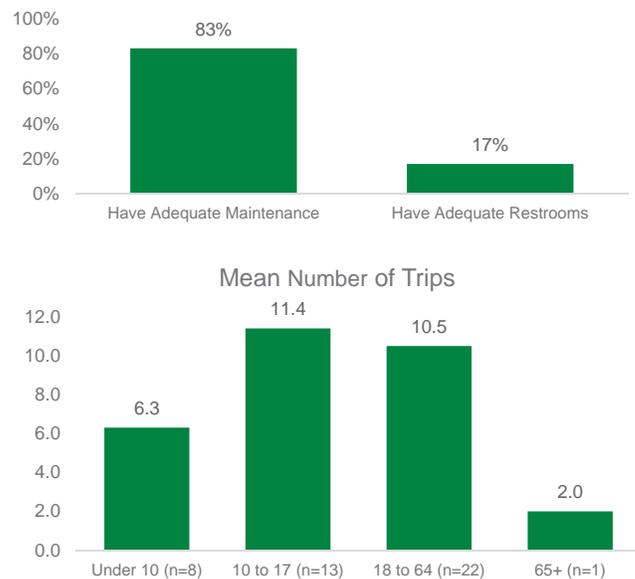
Q3. (If participated in park activities in Q1) Thinking about (PARK), is the maintenance adequate at this park, natural area or open space? n=118

Q4. (If participated in park activities in Q1) Again, thinking about (PARK), are the restroom facilities (if any) adequate at this park, natural area or open space? n=118

Q5. Thinking about members of your household who are (AGE), how many trips in total have the (AGE) members made to (PARK) in the past 12 months? n=varies

Lake Park / Lake Narraticon

- Most users of Lake Park/ Lake Narraticon (83%) report that maintenance in the park is adequate
- Very few of the users (17%) report that the park has adequate restroom facilities
- Although those ages 10 – 17 and those ages 18 - 64 visit the park more often than those age 65+ or those under age 10, the differences are not statistically significant

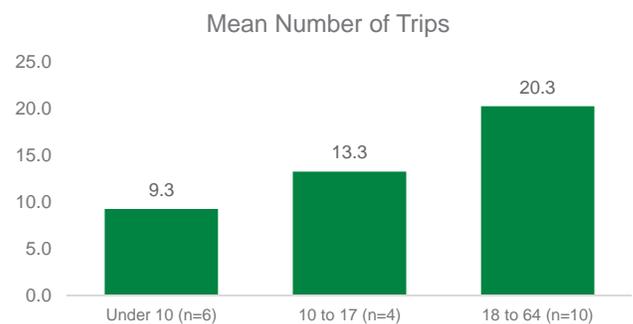
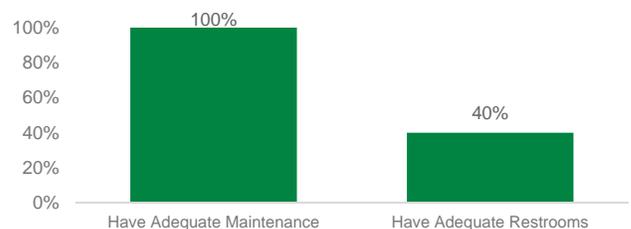


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Q3. (If participated in park activities in Q1) Thinking about (PARK), is the maintenance adequate at this park, natural area or open space? n=23
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 Q5. Thinking about members of your household who are (AGE), how many trips in total have the (AGE) members made to (PARK) in the past 12 months? n=varies

Township Line Park

- All the users of Township Line Park (100%) report that maintenance in the park is adequate
- Fewer than half of the users (40%) report that the park has adequate restroom facilities
- There are no statistically significant differences in the number of trips to the park for different age groups



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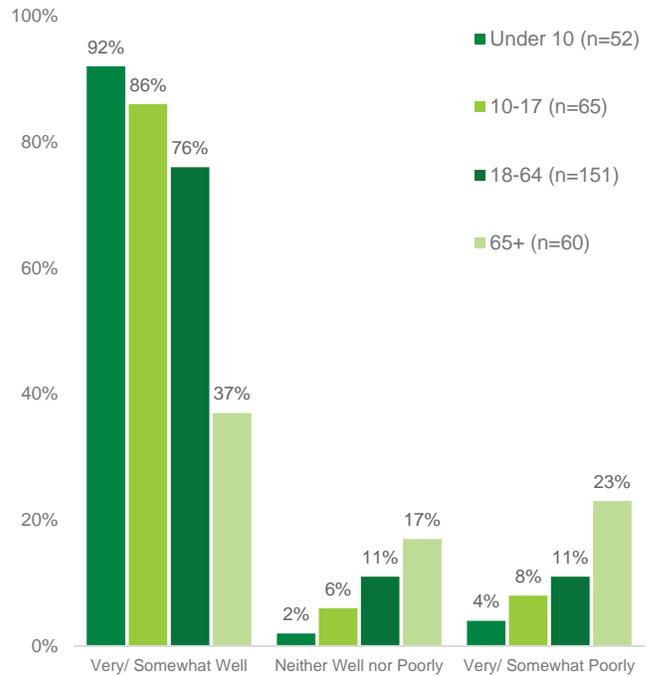
Q3. (If participated in park activities in Q1) Thinking about (PARK), is the maintenance adequate at this park, natural area or open space? n=10

Q4. (If participated in park activities in Q1) Again, thinking about (PARK), are the restroom facilities (if any) adequate at this park, natural area or open space? n=10

Q5. Thinking about members of your household who are (AGE), how many trips in total have the (AGE) members made to (PARK) in the past 12 months? n=varies

By Age, How Well Parks, Natural Areas, Open Space Areas Serve Community

- Most residents surveyed think that area parks, natural areas and open spaces serve children (92%) and young people (86%) very or somewhat well
- Three quarters (76%) of those surveyed think that adults 18 - 64 are very or somewhat well served by area parks, natural areas and open spaces
- These same respondents do not think that seniors (age 65+) are well served by area parks, natural areas and open spaces, with only 37% reporting that they are very/somewhat well served and almost one quarter (23%) reporting that they are very poorly or somewhat poorly served



Q7. In general, how well do you think (AGE GROUP) are served by parks, natural areas and open space areas in or near Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro? n=varies

How Well Outdoor Activities Are Provided For in Community

- The outdoor activities most highly rated by area residents include:
 - Youth Sports Leagues, 81%
 - Walking and Jogging, 78%
 - Festivals and Special Events, 73%
 - Tot Lots/ Playgrounds, 71%
- The outdoor activities most poorly rated by area residents include:
 - Archery, 5%
 - Motor Boating, 6%
 - Camping, 9%
 - Hunting, 15%
 - Adult Sports Leagues, 15%
 - Swimming, 16%

Activity	Very/ Somewhat Well	Activity	Very/ Somewhat Well
Youth Sports Leagues	81%	Historical Interpretation	36%
Walking and Jogging	78%	Tennis	28%
Festivals/ Special Events	73%	Winter Sports	24%
Tot Lots/ Playgrounds	71%	Environ Education	21%
Dog Walking	60%	Horseback Riding	21%
Basketball	56%	Mountain Biking	17%
Picnicking	53%	Swimming	16%
Fitness Trails	53%	Adult Sports Leagues	15%
Road Cycling	47%	Hunting	15%
Fishing	46%	Camping	9%
Golf	41%	Motor Boating	6%
Canoeing/ Kayaking	40%	Archery	5%

Q8. I am going to read you a list of outdoor activities that are often found in parks, natural areas and open space areas. As I read each one, would you tell me how well this activity is provided for in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro?. n=200

Age Differences Re: How Well Outdoor Activities Are Provided For in Community

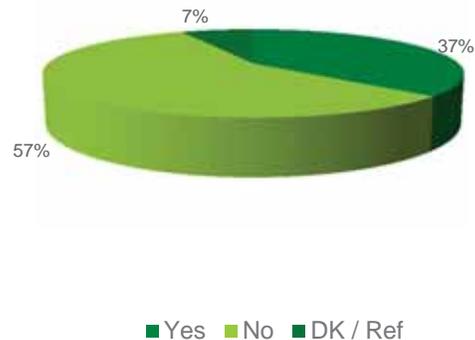
- There are statistically significant differences in some ratings by different age groups
- Overall, those age 65+ are more likely to give low ratings to how well outdoor activities are provided

Activity	Age Group(s) with Higher Ratings	Age Group(s) with Lower Ratings
Youth Sports Leagues	35-44, 45-54	65+
Walking and Jogging	35-44, 45-54	55 - 64
Tot Lots/ Playgrounds	35 - 44	65+
Dog Walking	35-44, 45-54	55 – 64, 65+
Basketball	35-44, 45-54	55 – 64, 65+
Picnicking	35 - 44	65+
Fitness Trails	35-44, 45-54	65+
Road Cycling	35 - 44	65+
Swimming	65+	35-44, 45-54, 55 - 64

Q8. I am going to read you a list of outdoor activities that are often found in parks, natural areas and open space areas. As I read each one, would you tell me how well this activity is provided for in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro?. n=200

Sports Fields

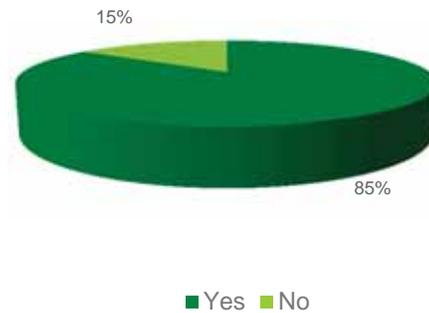
- Only about one third (37%) of survey respondents think that the area needs more sports fields
- A majority (57%) of those surveyed think that more sports fields are not needed in the area
- Respondents age 35 – 44 are significantly more likely (53%) to see a need for more sports fields than those age 55 – 64 (20%)



Q9. Do you think that Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro need more sports fields? n=200

Preserve More Public Parks, Natural Areas, Open Space Areas

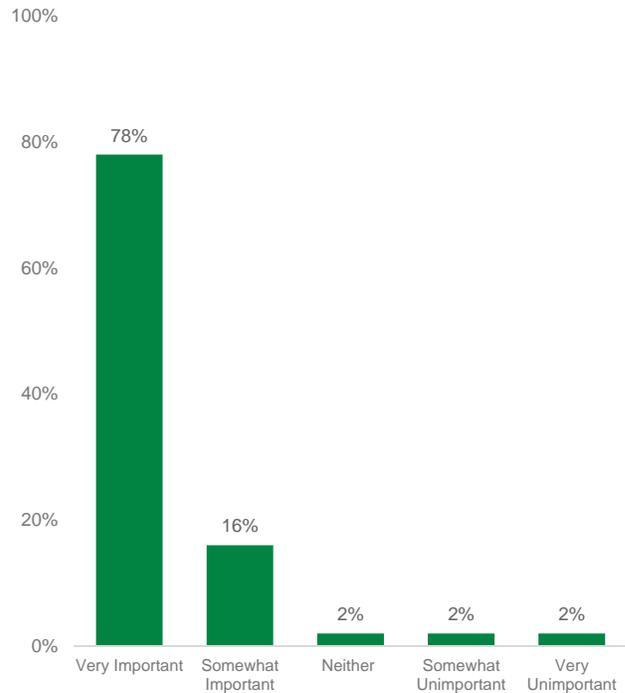
- A very large proportion of survey respondents (85%) think that more public parks, natural areas and open space should be preserved in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro
- Respondents age 35 – 44 and 45 – 54 are significantly more likely to seek more space preservation (98%) than those age 65+ (67%)



Q11. Do you think that more public parks, natural areas, and open space areas should be preserved in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro? n=200

Importance of Public Parks, Natural Areas and Open Space Areas

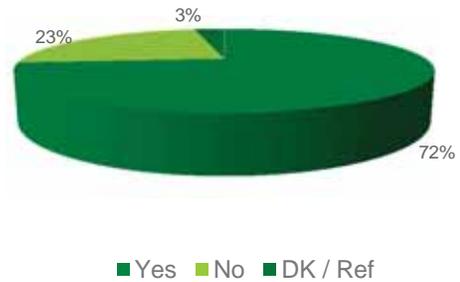
- More than three quarters of survey respondents (78%) think that public parks, natural areas and open space areas are very important to the well-being and quality of life of area residents
- An additional 16% think that public parks, natural areas and open space areas are somewhat important to the well-being and quality of life of area residents



Q12. In general, how important do you feel public parks, natural areas and open space areas are to the well-being and quality of life in Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro? n=200

Recreational Needs

- Overall, almost three quarters (72%) of survey respondents report that their household's recreational needs are being met in the area



Q13. Generally, are your household's recreational needs being met in or around Woolwich Township and the Borough of Swedesboro? n=200