

Help Define Township Priorities. Take this Survey!

September 5, 2018, 8:08 AM

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Introduction

The Plainfield Township Board is developing a Strategic Plan to guide staff and decision making in the coming years. As a part of this process, the Board conducted a brainstorming session to identify projects, services, and issues to be addressed in 2019 and beyond.

This is not an inclusive list of the current issues and services that are already underway, including addressing water quality concerns that have been a primary focus of our community over the past year. The Township will continue to provide high-quality municipal water to our residents and businesses. This commitment has been evident since the discovery of trace levels of PFAS in municipal water, and our efforts have been substantial to address this issue. The Township Board has committed to making water quality a priority now and in future years.

However, other issues also need to be addressed in our community. Please take a moment to help prioritize the projects that are listed. If you have other ideas, please feel free to include those in your response.

Thank you for taking the time to provide this important feedback!

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Summary Of Township Priorities

As of September 5, 2018, 8:08 AM, this forum had:		Topic Start
Attendees:	221	August 13, 2018, 4:17 PM
Township Priorities:	182	
Hours of Public Comment:	9.1	

QUESTION 1

The Township partners with the Road Commission for road repairs and maintenance. In 2018, the Township will spend \$500,000 for road maintenance, which is matched dollar-for-dollar by the Road Commission. How important is Road Repair and Maintenance?

Road Repair and Maintenance



QUESTION 2

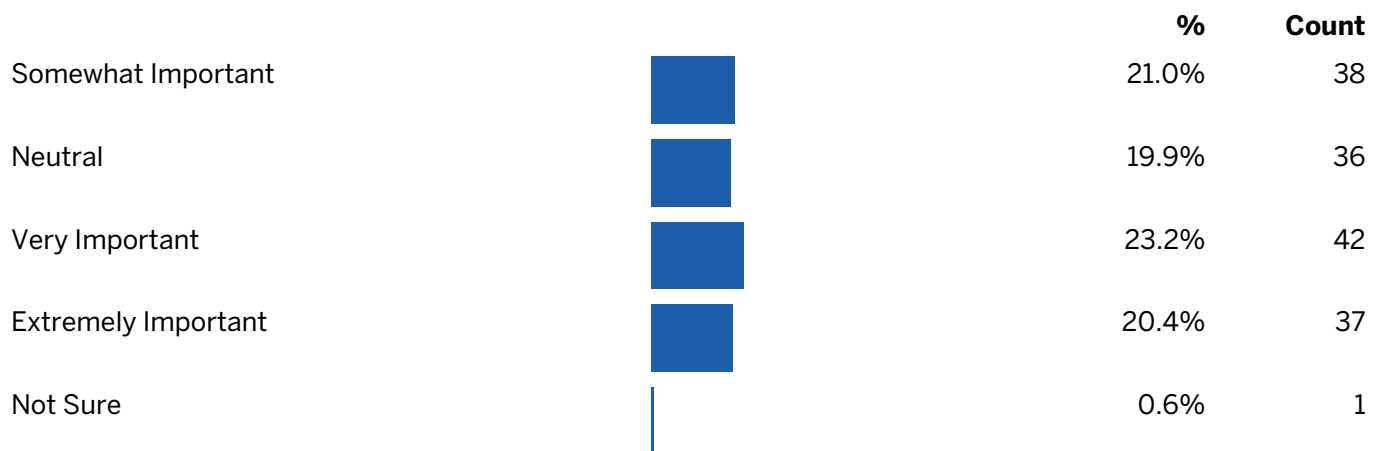
Some areas of Plainfield Township have great sidewalks while other areas have none at all. How would you rank the importance of improving the residential sidewalk network in the Township?

Improving the Residential Sidewalk Network



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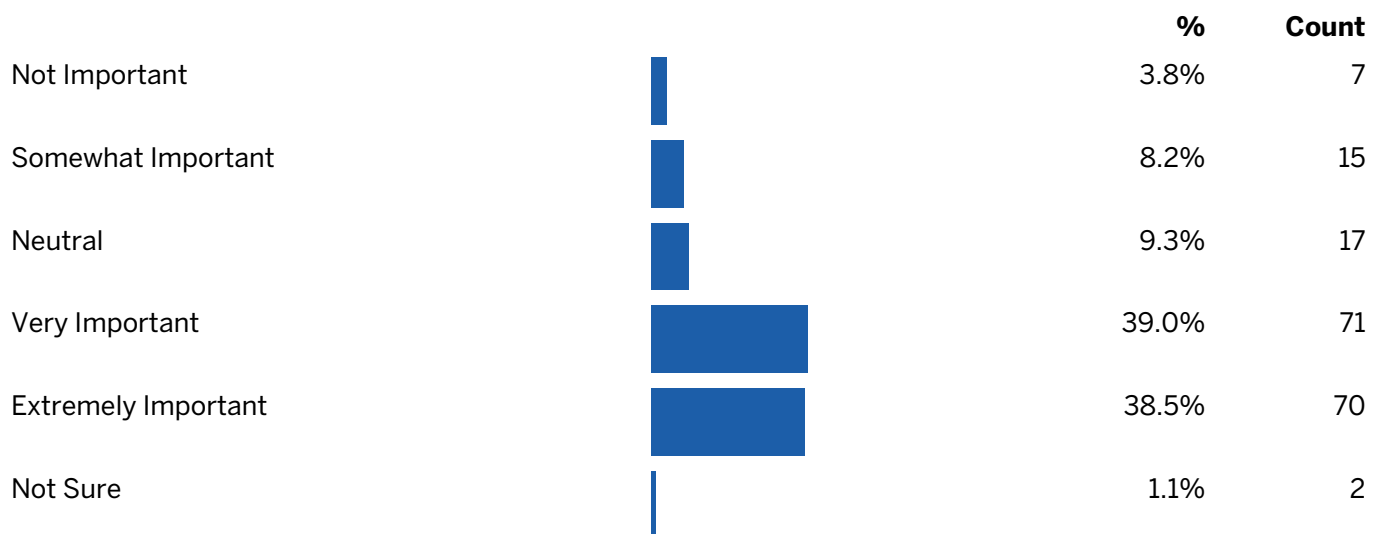
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QUESTION 3

Plainfield Avenue is a major corridor through Plainfield Township, connecting Grand Rapids to communities to the north and east. It is home to retail, restaurants and service providers. How important is it that the Plainfield Corridor have a plan for redevelopment?

Redeveloping the Plainfield Corridor



QUESTION 4

Historically, the Township has not had organized large community events, like many neighboring communities have done. How important to you is it that the Township establish a Community Event or Festival?

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Establishing a Community Event or Festival



QUESTION 5

The Township is interested in understanding the wants and needs of residents as well as communicating upcoming projects and initiatives. How important is it that these services be enhanced and continued?

Enhancing Public Engagement



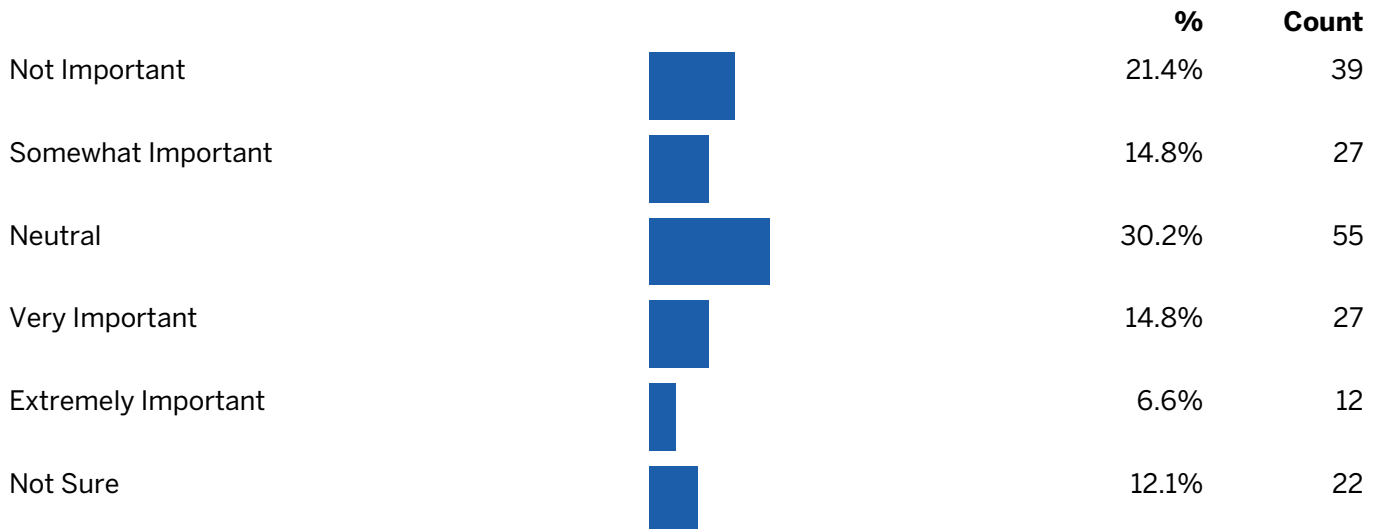
QUESTION 6

Many years ago, the Township constructed sewer services to homes along the Grand River that experience significant and destructive flooding. How important is it that the Township purchase these homes from voluntary home owners to avoid a sewer expansion project and further residential destruction?

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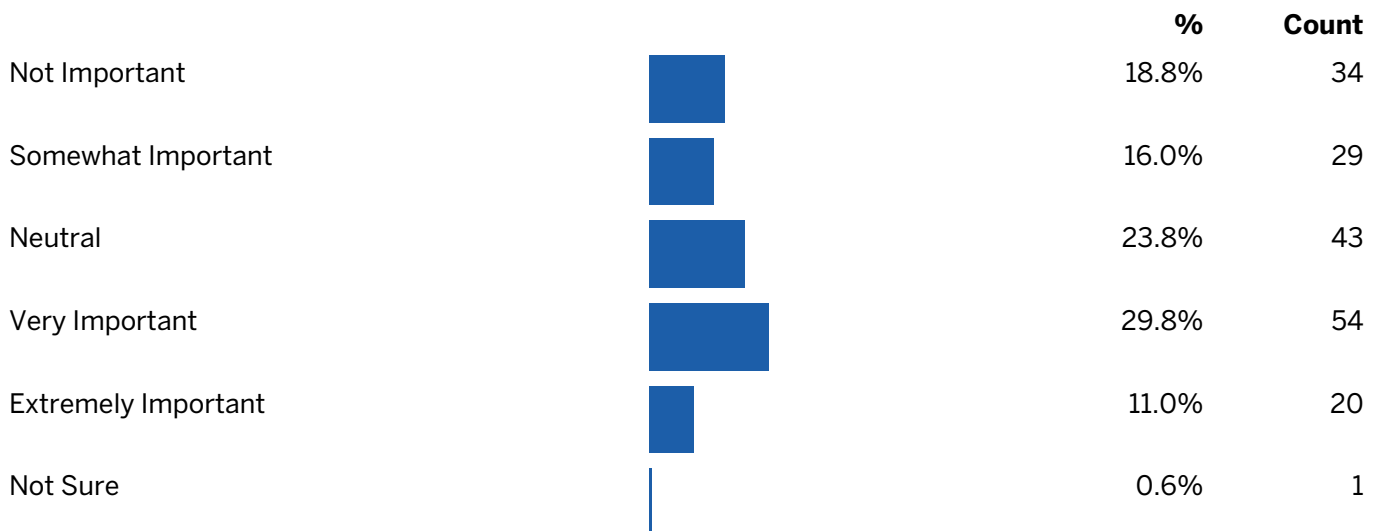
Purchasing Homes in Flood Zones



QUESTION 7

The Senior Center offers a range of programming from weekly classes to monthly activities and special outings. Over the past few years, the programming and services have outgrown the space available for senior programming. How would you rank the importance of constructing a new Senior Center?

Constructing a New Senior Center



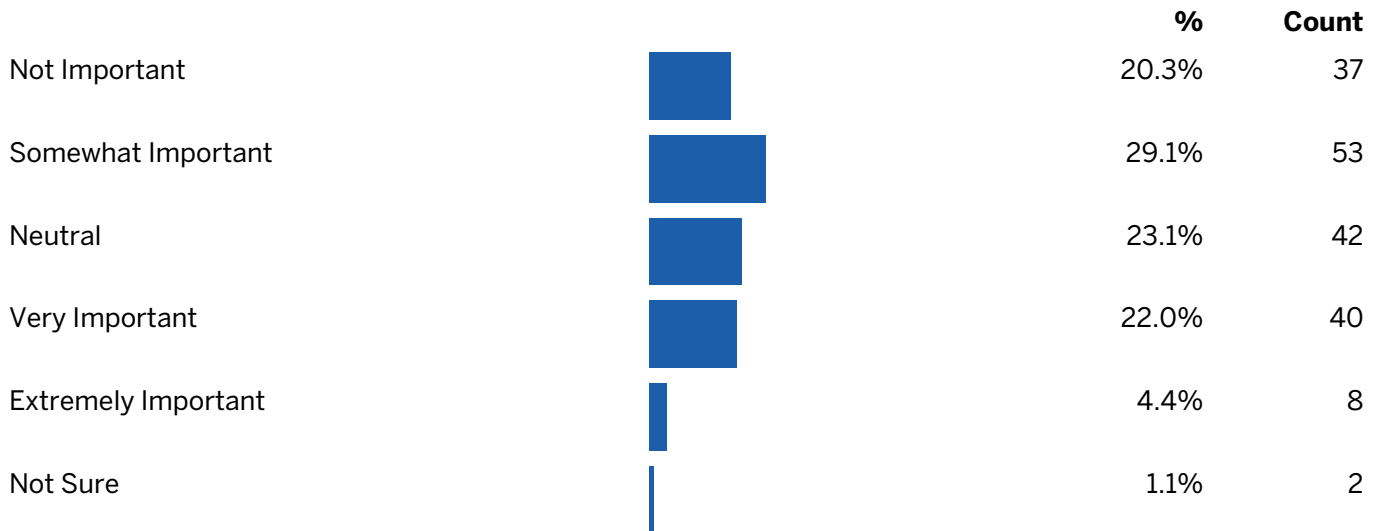
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The Township has worked to place signage throughout the community. However, over the years the Township's signs have begun to look tattered and faded. How important is it to you that Township signage be improved?

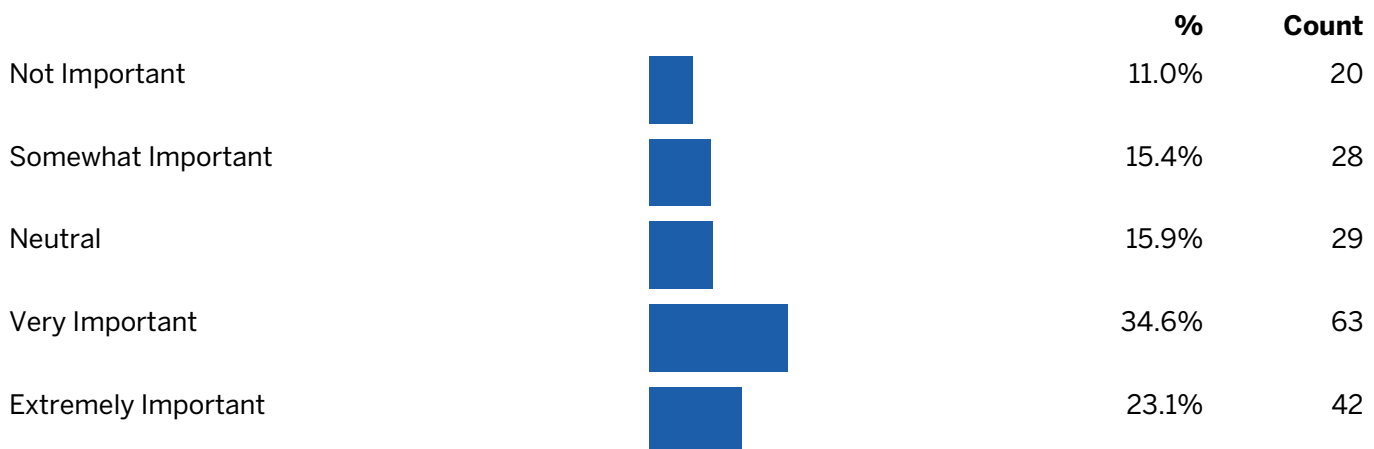
Improving Township Signage



QUESTION 9

The Township maintains several parks and has also received State grants to acquire more park space along the Grand River including the Grand Rogue Campground which will be acquired in 2018. How important is it to you that park properties be developed?

Developing Public Parks Property



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QUESTION 10

Please rank the following topics and issues in order of importance/priority to you.

(Click on a topic/issue for a description)

- Road Repair and Maintenance
- Redeveloping the Plainfield Corridor
- Developing Public Parks Property
- Enhancing Public Engagement
- Improving the Residential Sidewalk Network
- Constructing a New Senior Center
- Improving Township Signage
- Purchasing Homes in Flood Zones
- Establishing a Plainfield Community Event or Festival

QUESTION 11

Is there a different project or priority the Township should consider? If so, please describe.

Answered	81
Skipped	101

all **along better** bike building buildings community development **do** don down **from** grand how into **like more** need **needs new** now
 one **people plainfield** plan **priority** property **river** road roads s safe see **sidewalk sidewalks** t township up
water what