

# **VIBRANT COMMUNITY ROUNDTABLE SURVEY RESPONSE ANALYSIS**

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**DISCLAIMER:**

Non-response survey submissions were only included in response analyses if the respondent indicated at least one area or issue within the survey questions. Complete non-response were excluded from the data, and non-response for particular fields were also excluded in overall counts, ex, for issues or areas of focus. ‘Other’ responses were excluded from the totals and percentages for the categories of Stormont as well as respondent’s status.

691 total responses recorded in English, 10 in French. Data is intended as a general measure of community interests rather than a complete census survey.

# Survey Questions

## What option below best represents your situation?

- I am a business owner or work in the for-profit industry.
- I work or volunteer in the non-profit sector.
- I work in the health care sector.
- I am a government representative.
- I am an individual member of this community with lived experience. (I have faced challenges such as poverty, injustice, or abuse etc)

## What community do you live in?

- Akwesasne
- City of Cornwall
- Stormont
- Dundas
- Glengarry

## What 3 issues from the list below are most important to you?

- Abuse
- Access to Food (Including Food Literacy)
- Access to Health Services
- Access to Services (ex: Counselling, Legal Aid, Literacy, Etc)
- Addictions
- Community Safety (Policing)
- Early Childhood Development
- Education
- Environment
- Poverty - Financial Stability
- Safe Housing
- Support Networks
- Transportation
- Mental Health

Other:

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## Reflecting on your community, what 2 areas should be the focus to build a more vibrant community?

- Access to Physical Activity
- Reducing Social Isolation
- Focus on Environment/Green Space
- Increase Arts & Culture
- Development of Children and Youth

- Jobs & Poverty Issues
  - Other:
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## Overall Survey Results

The major issues identified in the survey responses were access to health services, poverty - financial stability, and mental health, which comprised 11.37%, 13.36%, and 10.60% of responses, and 34.01%, 40.38%, and 31.69% of respondents. There were variations across demographic groups and regions but overall results for these groups generally contained at least one of these responses. For areas of focus, the areas with the most responses were Development of Children and Youth and Jobs & Poverty Issues, accounting for 22.43% and 33.92% of responses and 42.40% and 64.11% of respondents. There was less variation with these responses across groups than for issues. Other areas of focus suggested in the survey responses included men's and women's shelters, emergency shelters, and affordable housing.

The French responses to the survey yielded slightly different results. Access to health services was the primary issue identified, accounting for 17.5% of responses and 70% of respondents. Poverty and access to food comprised the next issues, with 15% and 12.5% of responses and 60% and 50% of respondents. Reducing social isolation was the area of focus, with 41.18% of responses and 70% of respondents. Jobs and Poverty Issues and Access to Physical Activity had equal number of votes, accounting for 17.65% of responses and 30% of respondents. However, what should be noted is the low response rate for the French version of the survey, which affects analyses of the results.

## Results

### Area

Akwesasne - 5.35%  
 Cornwall - 52.97%  
 Dundas - 14.47%  
 Glengarry - 15.92%  
 Stormont - 9.99%  
 Non-Response - 1.30%

### Status

Business Owner/ Work in For-Profit Industry - 117 (16.93%)  
 Government Representative - 49 (7.09%)  
 Health care sector - 121 (17.51%)  
 Lived Experience - 233 (33.72%)  
 Non-profit sector - 157 (22.72%)  
 Non-response - 14 (2.03%)  
**Total - 691**

## Issues

Abuse - 88 - 4.26% of responses and 12.74% of respondents  
Access to food - 159 - 7.70% of responses and 23.01% of respondents  
Access to health services - 235 - 11.37% of responses and 34.01% of respondents  
Access to services - 139 - 6.73% of responses and 20.12% of respondents  
Addictions - 116 - 5.61% of responses and 16.79% of respondents  
Community safety (policing) - 95 - 4.60% of responses and 13.75% of respondents  
Early childhood development - 88 - 4.26% of responses and 12.74% of respondents  
Education - 209 - 10.12% of responses and 30.25% of respondents  
Environment - 140 - 6.78% of responses and 20.26% of respondents  
Mental Health - 276 - 13.36% of responses and 40.38% of respondents  
Poverty - Financial Stability - 219 - 10.60% of responses and 31.69% of respondents  
Safe Housing - 132 - 6.39% of responses and 19.10% of respondents  
Support Networks - 79 - 3.82% of responses and 11.43% of respondents  
Transportation - 91 - 4.40% of responses and 13.17% of respondents  
**Total - 2066**

## Area of Focus

Access to Physical Activity - 113 - 8.65% of responses and 16.35% of respondents  
Development of Children and Youth - 293 - 22.43% of responses and 42.40% of respondents  
Focus on Environment/Green Space - 160 - 12.25% of responses and 23.15% of respondents  
Increase Arts and Culture - 115 - 8.81% of responses and 16.64% of respondents  
Jobs and Poverty Issues - 443 - 33.92% and 64.11% of respondents  
Reducing Social Isolation - 182 - 13.94% of responses and 26.34% of respondents  
**Total - 1306**

## By Status

### Government Representative

#### Total - 49 Responses

Akwesasne - 9 (18.37%)  
Cornwall - 21 (42.86%)  
Dundas - 3 (6.12%)  
Glengarry - 9 (18.37%)  
Stormont - 5 (10.20%)  
Non Response - 2 (4.08%)  
N/A

## Issues

Abuse - 4 - 2.76% of responses and 8.16% of respondents  
Access to food - 6 - 4.14% of responses and 12.24% of respondents

Access to health services - 19 - 13.10% of responses and 38.78% of respondents

Access to services - 10 - 6.90% of responses and 20.41% of respondents

Addictions - 7 - 4.83% of responses and 14.29% of respondents

Community safety (policing) - 8 - 5.52% of responses and 16.33% of respondents

Early childhood development - 3 - 2.07% of responses and 6.12% of respondents

Education - 26 - 17.93% of responses and 53.06% of respondents

Environment - 14 - 9.66% of responses and 28.57% of respondents

Mental Health - 17 - 11.72% of responses and 34.69% of respondents

Poverty - Financial Stability - 9 - 6.21% of responses and 18.37% of respondents

Safe Housing - 9 - 6.21% of responses and 18.37% of respondents

Support Networks - 6 - 4.14% of responses and 12.24% of respondents

Transportation - 7 - 4.83% of responses and 14.29% of respondents

**Total = 145**

### Areas of Focus

Access to Physical Activity - 6 - 6.12% of responses and 12.24% of respondents

Development of Children and Youth - 23 - 23.47% of responses and 46.94% of respondents

Focus on Environment/Green Space - 14 - 14.29% of responses and 28.57% of respondents

Increase Arts & Culture - 12 - 12.24% of responses and 24.49% of respondents

Jobs & Poverty Issues - 29 - 29.59% of responses and 59.18% of respondents

Reducing Social Isolation - 14 - 14.29% of responses and 28.57% of respondents

**Total =**

## Works/Volunteers in the Non-Profit Sector

### 157 Total responses

Akwesasne - 4 (2.55%)

Cornwall - 93 (59.24%)

Dundas - 15 (9.55%)

Glengarry - 19 (12.10%)

Stormont - 26 (16.56%)

N/A - 0

### Issues

Abuse - 13 - 2.77% of responses and 8.28% of respondents

Access to food - 40 - 8.53% of responses and 25.48% of respondents

Access to health services - 51 - 10.87% of responses and 32.48% of respondents

Access to services - 38 - 8.10% of responses and 24.20% of respondents

Addictions - 10 - 2.13% of responses and 6.37% of respondents

Community safety (policing) - 26 - 5.54% of responses and 16.56% of respondents

Early childhood development - 26 - 5.54% of responses and 16.56% of respondents

Education - 51 - 10.87% of responses and 32.48% of respondents

Environment - 37 - 7.89% of responses and 23.57% of respondents

Mental Health - 55 - 11.73% of responses and 35.03% of respondents  
Poverty - Financial Stability - 64 - 13.65% of responses and 40.76% of respondents  
Safe Housing - 28 - 5.97% of responses and 17.83% of respondents  
Support Networks - 18 - 3.84% of responses and 11.46% of respondents  
Transportation - 12 - 2.56% of responses and 7.64% of respondents  
**Total = 469**

### Areas of Focus

Access to Physical Activity - 21 - 6.91% of responses and 13.46% of respondents  
Development of Children and Youth - 74 - 24.34% of responses and 47.44% of respondents  
Focus on Environment/Green Space - 43 - 14.14% of responses and 27.56% of respondents  
Increase arts and culture - 29 - 9.54% of responses and 18.59% of respondents  
Jobs & Poverty - 99 - 32.57% of responses and 63.46% of respondents  
Reducing Social Isolation - 38 - 12.50% of responses and 24.36% of respondents

## Health Care Sector

### 121 Total Responses

Akwesasne - 3 (2.48%)  
Cornwall - 64 (52.89%)  
Dundas - 10 (8.26%)  
Glengarry - 32 (26.45%)  
Stormont - 11 (9.09%)  
N/A - 1 (0.83%)

Abuse - 10 - 2.57% of responses and 8.26% of respondents  
Access to food - 25 - 6.43% of responses and 20.66% of respondents  
Access to health services - 51 - 13.11% of responses and 42.15% of respondents  
Access to services - 22 - 5.66% of responses and 18.18% of respondents  
Addictions - 27 - 6.94% of responses and 22.31% of respondents  
Community safety (policing) - 15 - 3.86% of responses and 12.40% of respondents  
Early childhood development - 19 - 4.88% of responses and 15.70% of respondents  
Education - 35 - 9% of responses and 28.93% of respondents  
Environment - 17 - 4.37% of responses and 14.05% of respondents  
Mental Health - 65 - 16.71% of responses and 53.72% of respondents  
Poverty - Financial Stability - 40 - 10.28% of responses and 33.06% of respondents  
Safe Housing - 30 - 7.71% of responses and 24.79% of respondents  
Support Networks - 16 - 4.11% of responses and 13.22% of respondents  
Transportation - 17 - 4.37% of responses and 14.05% of respondents  
**Total: 389**

### Area of Focus

Access to Physical Activity - 24 - 10.30% of responses and 19.83% of respondents  
Development of Children and Youth - 56 - 24.03% of responses and 46.28% of respondents

Focus on environment/Green Space - 20 - 8.58% of responses and 16.53% of respondents  
Increase arts/culture - 13 - 5.58% of responses and 10.74% of respondents  
Jobs & Poverty Issues - 80 - 34.33% of responses and 66.12% of respondents  
Reducing Social Isolation - 40 - 17.17% of responses and 33.06% of respondents  
**Total: 233**

## Business Owner/ Work in For-Profit Industry

### 117 Total Responses

Akwesasne - 10 (8.55%)  
Cornwall - 57 (48.72%)  
Dundas - 8 (6.84%)  
Glengarry - 27 (23.08%)  
Stormont - 13 (11.11%)  
N/A - 2 (1.71%)

### Issues

Abuse - 12 - 3.53% of responses and 10.26% of respondents  
Access to food - 34 - 10% of responses and 29.06% of respondents  
Access to health services - 44 - 12.94% of responses and 37.61% of respondents  
Access to services - 21 - 6.18% of responses and 17.95% of respondents  
Addictions - 16 - 4.71% of responses and 13.68% of respondents  
Community safety (policing) - 20 - 5.88% of responses and 17.09% of respondents  
Early childhood development - 15 - 4.41% of responses and 12.82% of respondents  
Education - 52 - 15.29% of responses and 44.44% of respondents  
Environment - 30 - 8.82% of responses and 25.64% of respondents  
Mental Health - 38 - 11.18% of responses and 32.48% of respondents  
Poverty - Financial Stability - 21 - 6.18% of responses and 17.95% of respondents  
Safe Housing - 9 - 2.65% of responses and 7.69% of respondents  
Support Networks - 9 - 2.65% of responses and 7.69% of respondents  
Transportation - 19 - 5.59% of responses and 16.24% of respondents  
**Total: 340**

### Areas of Focus

Access to Physical Activity - 27 - 12.05% of responses and 23.08% of respondents  
Reducing Social Isolation - 20 - 8.93% of responses and 17.09% of respondents  
Focus on environment/Green Space - 33 - 14.73% of responses and 28.21% of respondents  
Increase Arts/Culture - 20 - 8.93% of responses and 17.09% of respondents  
Development of Children and Youth - 54 - 24.11% of responses and 46.15% of respondents  
Jobs & Poverty Issues - 70 - 31.25% of responses and 59.83% of respondents  
**Total: 224**

## Individual Member of Community With Lived Experience

### Total 233 Responses

Akwesasne - 10 (4.29%)  
Cornwall - 123 (52.79%)  
Dundas - 64 (27.47%)  
Glengarry - 23 (9.87%)  
Stormont - 13 (5.58%)

### Issues

Abuse - 49 - 7.08% of responses and 21.03% of respondents  
Access to food - 51 - 7.37% of responses and 21.89% of respondents  
Access to health services - 67 - 9.68% of responses and 28.76% of respondents  
Access to services - 46 - 6.50% of responses and 19.74% of respondents  
Addiction - 54 - 7.80% of responses and 23.18% of respondents  
Community Safety - 21 - 3.03% of responses and 9.01% of respondents  
Early Childhood Development - 24 - 3.47% of responses and 10.30% of respondents  
Education - 43 - 6.21% of responses and 18.45% of respondents  
Environment - 38 - 5.49% of responses and 16.31% of respondents  
Mental health - 97 - 14.02% of responses and 41.63% of respondents  
Poverty - 83 - 11.99% of responses and 35.62% of respondents  
Safe Housing - 55 - 7.95% of responses and 23.61% of respondents  
Support Networks - 30 - 4.34% of responses and 12.88% of respondents  
Transportation - 34 - 4.91% of responses and 14.59% of respondents  
**Total: 692**

### Area of Focus

Access to Physical Activity - 33 - 7.75% of responses and 14.16% of respondents  
Development of Children and Youth - 81 - 19.01% of responses and 34.76% of respondents  
Focus on Environment/Green Space - 47 - 11.03% of responses and 20.17% of respondents  
Increase Arts and Culture - 37 - 8.69% of responses and 15.88% of respondents  
Jobs & Poverty - 158 - 37.09% of responses and 67.81% of respondents  
Reducing Social Isolation - 70 - 16.43% of responses and 30.04% of respondents  
**Total: 425**

### Not Available

Akwesasne - 1 (7.14%)  
Cornwall - 8 (57.14%)  
Stormont - 1 (7.14%)  
N/A - 4 (28.57%)

### Issues

Abuse - 0

Access to Food - 3 - 10% of responses and 25% of respondents  
 Access to Health Services - 3 - 10% of responses and 25% of respondents  
 Access to Services - 2 - 6.67% of responses and 16.67% of respondents  
 Addictions - 2 - 6.67% of responses and 16.67% of respondents  
 Community Safety (policing) - 6 - 20% of responses and 50% of respondents  
 Early Childhood Development - 1 - 3.33% of responses and 8.33% of respondents  
 Education - 1 - 3.33% of responses and 8.33% of respondents  
 Environment - 4 - 13.33% of responses and 33.33% of respondents  
 Mental Health - 3 - 10% of responses and 25% of respondents  
 Poverty - Financial Stability - 2 - 6.67% of responses and 16.67% of respondents  
 Safe Housing - 1 - 3.33% of responses and 8.33% of respondents  
 Support Networks - 0  
 Transportation - 2 - 6.67% of responses and 16.67% of respondents  
**Total - 30**

**Areas of Focus**

Access to Physical Activity - 2 - 11.76% of responses and 16.67% of respondents  
 Development of Children and Youth - 4 - 23.53% of responses and 33.33% of respondents  
 Focus on Environment/Green Space - 3 - 17.65% of responses and 25% of respondents  
 Increase Arts and Culture - 2 - 11.76% of responses and 16.67% of respondents  
 Jobs and Poverty Issues - 6 - 35.29% of responses and 50% of respondents  
**Total - 17**

## By Community

### Akwesasne

Total Responses from this area = 37

**Status**

Business owner/Work in For-Profit industry = 10 = 27.03%  
 Government Representative = 9 = 24.32%  
 Health care sector = 3 = 8.11%  
 Lived experience = 10 = 27.03%  
 Non-Profit = 4 = 10.81%  
 Non-Response = 1 = 2.70%

**Issues**

Abuse = 1 = 0.93% = 2.70% of Respondents  
 Access to food = 5 = 4.67% = 13.51% of Respondents  
 Access to health services = 14 = 13.08% = 37.84% of Respondents  
 Access to services = 8 = 7.48% = 21.62% of Respondents

Addictions = 7 = 6.54% = 18.92% of Respondents  
Community Safety = 7 = 6.54% = 18.92% of Respondents  
Early Childhood Development = 5 = 4.67% = 13.51% of Respondents  
Education = 13 = 12.15% = 35.14% of Respondents  
Environment = 13 = 12.15% = 35.14% of Respondents  
Mental health = 9 = 8.41% = 24.32% of Respondents  
Poverty = 7 = 6.54% = 18.92% of Respondents  
Safe housing = 7 = 6.54% = 18.92% of Respondents  
Support Networks = 4 = 3.74% = 10.81% of Respondents  
Transportation = 4 = 3.74% = 10.81% of Respondents  
Non-response = 0 = 0% = 0% of Respondents  
Other = 3 = 2.80% = 8.11% of Respondents (Quality Health Care / Meaningful Opportunities / Language & Cultural Revitalization)

#### **Area of Focus:**

Access to physical activity = 14 = 17.72% = 37.84% of Respondents  
Development of children and youth = 16 = 20.25% = 43.24% of Respondents  
Focus on environment/green space = 14 = 17.72% = 37.84% of Respondents  
Increase arts and culture = 9 = 11.39% = 24.32% of Respondents  
Jobs & Poverty = 19 = 24.05% = 51.35% of Respondents  
Reducing social isolation = 7 = 8.86% = 18.92% of Respondents

### **Cornwall (Excluding French Survey Results)**

Total responses from this area = 364

#### **Status**

Business Owner/Work in For-Profit Industry = 57 = 15.66%  
Government Representative = 21 = 5.77%  
Health Care Sector = 64 = 17.58%  
Lived Experience = 122 = 33.52%  
Non-Profit = 92 = 25.27%  
No-Response = 8 = 2.20%

#### **Issues**

Abuse = 44 = 3.99% = 12.09% of Respondents  
Access to food = 91 = 8.24% = 25% of Respondents  
Access to health services = 110 = 9.96% = 30.22% of Respondents  
Access to services = 77 = 6.97% = 21.15% of Respondents  
Addictions = 64 = 5.80% = 17.58% of Respondents  
Community Safety = 60 = 5.43% = 16.48% of Respondents  
Early Childhood Development = 44 = 3.99% = 12.09% of Respondents  
Education = 111 = 10.05% = 30.49% of Respondents  
Environment = 68 = 6.16% = 18.68% of Respondents

Mental health = 150 = 13.59% = 41.21% of Respondents

Poverty = 127 = 11.50% = 34.89% of Respondents

Safe housing = 73 = 6.61% = 20.05% of Respondents

Support Networks = 36 = 3.26% = 9.89% of Respondents

Transportation = 38 = 3.44% = 10.44% of Respondents

No-Response = 3 = 0.27% = 0.82% of Respondents

Other = 8 = 0.72% = 2.20% of Respondents

- Political Corruption
- Grief Support
- Inclusion
- Animal Welfare
- Need Overnight Rehab Centres
- Ontario Works
- Overpoliced
- Education has strict age limits and often cannot access, too many homeless people on the street

#### Area of Focus

Access to Physical Activity = 58 = 8.04% = 15.93% of Respondents

Development of Children and Youth = 150 = 20.80% = 41.21% of Respondents

Focus on Environment/Green Space = 82 = 11.37% = 22.53% of Respondents

Increase Arts & Culture = 68 = 9.43% = 18.68% of Respondents

Jobs & Poverty Issues = 235 = 32.59% = 64.56% of Respondents

Reducing Social Isolation = 87 = 12.07% = 23.90% of Respondents

No-Response = 1 = 0.14% = 0.27% of Respondents

Other Areas of Focus = 40 = 5.55% = 10.99% of Respondents

- A community center somewhere near Montreal road with activities for children after school parents at night and recreation for the elderly
- 24H shelters for women (more) + men
- Using old buildings to use for kids - recreation program or summer school
- Picking litter up
- Clean the city by removing addicts, need a homeless shelter for men
- Men or couple shelters needed here, people have to go to Ottawa if they need help!
- Housing homeless + program
- Accommodation geared income
- Mental health worker
- Men's shelter
- More men's/women's shelters
- Men's shelter
- Rehabilitation centre
- Men's shelter
- Free laundry facility
- Drug re-enforcement

- Much more trauma-informed healthcare and mental healthcare professionals; disability issues, access to more services including home care, and the poverty/disability intersection
- More and better social housing
- Crime is above average here
- Recreation activities geared for toddlers(2-5yrs)
- Better health care
- Emergency access to critical services (ie: food bank beyond 9-3, financial resources beyond the limitations of the Discretionary Benefits, safe emergency housing aside from motels)
- Affordable decent Housing
- Accountability from landlords
- Senior support system
- Support networks for mental well-being
- Safe Housing for Homeless Men
- Developing the waterfront
- Addressing addictions
- Addressing addiction problems
- Make this a « have » city that people actually want to visit or stay in once they are adults. Culture, arts, activities in general.
- Better coordination of social services available to reduce duplication and costs
- Reduce taxes
- More money for seniors
- Improvement to City Engineering department's response time, to support new housing
- Elderly
- Interfaith harmony
- Increase of general health of citizens
- Providing primary care to everyone
- Easy access to information about available support services
- Poverty is a separate issue

## Cornwall (French Survey Results)

### Status

Business Owner/Work in For-Profit Industry = 2 = 20%

Government Representative = 0

Health Care Sector = 1 = 10%

Lived Experience= 1 = 10%

Non-Profit = 6 = 60%

No-Response = 0

### Issues

Abuse = 0

Access to food = 5 = 12.5% = 50% of Respondents

Access to health services = 7 = 17.5% = 70% of Respondents

Access to services = 3 = 7.5% = 30% of Respondents

Addictions = 0

Community Safety = 0

Early Childhood Development = 4 = 10% = 40% of Respondents

Education = 3 = 7.5% = 30% of Respondents

Environment = 1 = 2.5% = 10% of Respondents

Mental health = 4 = 10% = 40% of Respondents

Poverty = 6 = 15% = 60% of Respondents

Safe housing = 1 = 2.5% = 10% of Respondents

Support Networks = 1 = 2.5% = 10% of Respondents

Transportation = 3 = 7.5% = 30% of Respondents

No-Response = 3 = 0.27% = 0.82% of Respondents

Other = 8 = 0.72% = 2.20% of Respondents

### Area of Focus

Access to Physical Activity = 3 = 17.65% = 30% of Respondents

Development of Children and Youth = 2 = 11.76% = 20% of Respondents

Focus on Environment/Green Space = 1 = 5.88% = 10% of Respondents

Increase Arts & Culture = 1 = 5.88% = 10% of Respondents

Jobs & Poverty Issues = 3 = 17.65% = 30% of Respondents

Reducing Social Isolation = 7 = 41.18% = 70% of Respondents

No-Response = 0

## Dundas

Total responses from this area = 100

### Status

Business owner/Work in For-Profit industry = 8 = 8%

Government Representative = 3 = 3%

Health Care Sector = 10 = 10%

Lived experience = 64 = 64%

Non-Profit = 15 = 15%

### Issues

Abuse = 19 = 6.38% = 19% of Respondents

Access to food = 23 = 7.72% = 23% of Respondents

Access to health services = 26 = 8.72% = 26% of Respondents

Access to services = 19 = 6.38% = 19% of Respondents

Addictions = 26 = 8.72% = 26% of Respondents

Community Safety = 6 = 6.38% = 6% of Respondents

Early Childhood Development = 13 = 4.36% = 13% of Respondents

Education = 17 = 5.70% = 17% of Respondents

Environment = 7 = 2.35% = 7% of Respondents

Mental health = 54 = 18.12% = 54% of Respondents

Poverty = 34 = 11.41% = 34% of Respondents

Safe Housing = 18 = 6.04% = 18% of Respondents

Support Networks = 15 = 5.03% = 15% of Respondents

Transportation = 19 = 6.38% = 19% of Respondents

Non-response = 0 = 0% = 0% of Respondents

Other = 2 = 0.67% = 2% of Respondents

- Shelters for men, Reduce waitlists for services, help people locate
- Access essential services (support networks))

### Area of Focus

Access to physical activity = 14 = 7.07% = 14% of Respondents

Development of children and youth = 48 = 24.24% = 48% of Respondents

Focus on environment/green space = 16 = 8.08% = 16% of Respondents

Increase arts and culture = 6 = 3.03% = 6% of Respondents

Jobs & Poverty = 73 = 36.87% = 73% of Respondents

Reducing social isolation = 31 = 15.66% = 31% of Respondents

No Responses = 1 = 0.51% = 1% of Respondents

Other = 9 = 4.55% = 9% of Respondents

- Public & Private Transportation across SDG & into large employment centres like Cornwall and Ottawa
- Healthy marriage and family
- Respite care Affordable housing
- Business-attracted
- Disabled adults care
- Waterfront revitalization, keep kids engaged, less apt to get into trouble!
- Tourism and events families can attend
- Access to primary care)

## Glengarry

Total responses from this area = 109

### Status

Business owner/Work in For-Profit industry = 27 = 24.77%

Government Representative = 9 = 8.27%

Health Care Sector = 32 = 29.36%

Lived experience = 23 = 21.10%

Non-Profit = 18 = 16.51%

## Issues

Abuse = 17 = 4.97% = 15.60% of Respondents

Access to food = 16 = 4.68% = 14.68% of Respondents

Access to health services = 51 = 14.91% = 46.79% of Respondents

Access to services = 21 = 6.14% = 19.27% of Respondents

Addictions = 14 = 4.09% = 12.84% of Respondents

Community Safety = 9 = 2.63% = 8.26% of Respondents

Early Childhood Development = 13 = 3.80% = 11.93% of Respondents

Education = 35 = 10.23% = 32.11% of Respondents

Environment = 33 = 9.64% = 30.28% of Respondents

Mental health = 42 = 12.28% = 38.53% of Respondents

Poverty = 28 = 8.19% = 25.69% of Respondents

Safe housing = 17 = 4.97% = 15.60% of Respondents

Support Networks = 13 = 3.80% = 11.93% of Respondents

Transportation = 25 = 7.31% = 22.94% of Respondents

Non-response = 1 = 0.29% = 0.92% of Respondents

Other = 7 = 2.05% = 6.42% of Respondents

- All intertwined, can't have one without the other. Lack of true community and empathy.
- Honestly these are all important
- Office for Ontario Works in Alexandria
- Affordable + variety restaurants
- Built environment
- Grocery store where seniors
- Youth Services

## By Area of Focus

Access to physical activity = 20 = 8.97% = 18.35% of Respondents

Development of children and youth = 43 = 19.28% = 39.45% of Respondents

Focus on environment/green space = 27 = 12.11% = 24.77% of Respondents

Increase arts and culture = 20 = 8.97% = 18.35% of Respondents

Jobs & Poverty = 66 = 29.60% = 60.55% of Respondents

Reducing social isolation = 35 = 15.70% = 32.11% of Respondents

No Responses = 1 = 0.45% = 0.92% of Respondents

Other = 11 = 4.93% = 10.09% of Respondents

- Built environment
- Develop waterfront with a public beach, better shopping e.g. outlets
- All intertwined, can't have one without the other. Lack of true community and empathy.
- Affordable housing
- Community development, access to community centers, cultural outreach, diverse representation, an eye on the future as demographics and ideologies are changing
- Public transportation to Cornwall
- Bathroom/public washroom by boat launch
- Food security

- Positive role models reflecting vibrant communities- examples of
- Economic development/CIP
- Volunteerism

## Stormont

Total responses in this area = 69

### Status

Business owner/Work in For-Profit industry = 9 = 18.75%

Government Representative = 4 = 8.33%

Health Care Sector = 6 = 12.50%

Lived experience = 13 = 27.08%

Non-Profit = 15 = 31.25%

Non-response = 1 = 2.08%

### Issues

Abuse = 5 = 3.36% (10.42% of Respondents)

Access to food = 15 = 10.07% (31.25% of Respondents)

Access to health services = 24 = 16.11% (50% of Respondents)

Access to services = 8 = 5.37% (16.67% of Respondents)

Addictions = 1 = 0.67% (2.08% of Respondents)

Community Safety = 9 = 6.04% (18.75% of Respondents)

Early Childhood Development = 6 = 4.03% (12.5% of Respondents)

Education = 20 = 13.42% (41.67% of Respondents)

Environment = 12 = 8.05% (25% of Respondents)

Mental health = 11 = 7.38% (22.92% of Respondents)

Poverty = 14 = 9.40% (29.12% of Respondents)

Safe housing = 12 = 8.05% (25% of Respondents)

Support Networks = 9 = 6.04% (18.75% of Respondents)

Transportation = 2 = 1.34% (4.17% of Respondents)

Non-response = 0

Other = 1 = 0.67% (2.08% of Respondents)

- Access to Active Lifestyle.

### Area of Focus

Access to physical activity = 5 = 5.26% (10.42% of Respondents)

Development of children and youth = 17 = 17.89% (35.42% of Respondents)

Focus on environment/green space = 15 = 15.79% (31.25% of Respondents)

Jobs & Poverty = 31 = 32.63% (64.58% of Respondents)

Reducing social isolation = 18 = 18.95% (37.5% of Respondents)

Increase arts and culture = 4 = 4.21% (8.33% of Respondents)

No Responses = 0

Other = 5 = 5.26% (10.42% of Respondents)

- Safe, affordable, housing
- I would love to see a system in place where rental units are inspected by a third party to make sure that the rental units are up to standards, ie, mold, unsafe living conditions. So that the landlords are renting clean units.
- Tax the rich feed the poor
- Stop Politicians who lie
- Teaching people to be self-sufficient - financial literacy, job skills, cooking/shopping skills, parenting skills.

## Observations/Summary

Respondents who identified as community members with lived experience and as health care workers were the only two groups for whom education did not present as one of the three major issues. Across all demographic groups and regions, only French respondents and respondents from Stormont identified areas of focus as a combination other than Jobs and Poverty and Development of Children and Youth, with Reducing Social Isolation replacing childhood development for Stormont and Access to Physical Activity replacing it for the French. However, Jobs & Poverty as an area of focus garnered the most or second-most amount of votes across all categories.

Other issues which frequently presented with many votes included Education, Access to Food, Access to Services, and Environment, which all accounted for 20% or greater of all respondents. Reducing Social Isolation was the third most voted area of focus, with 26.34% of respondents selecting this issue.