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LYONS COMMUNITY SURVEY RESULTS

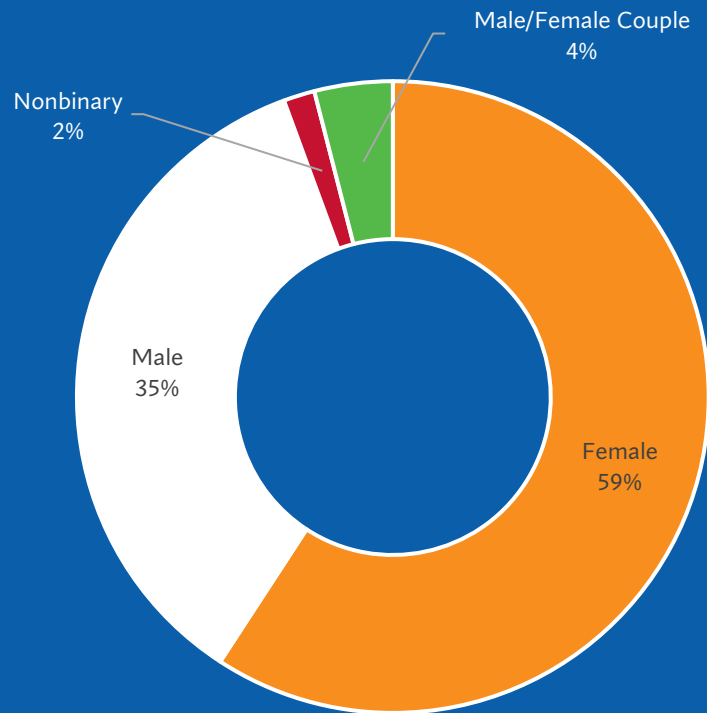
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RESULTS

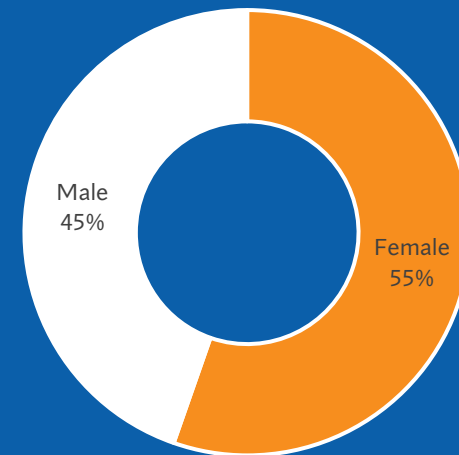
- TOTAL RESPONSES = 143
- COMPLETION RATE = 98%

GENDER

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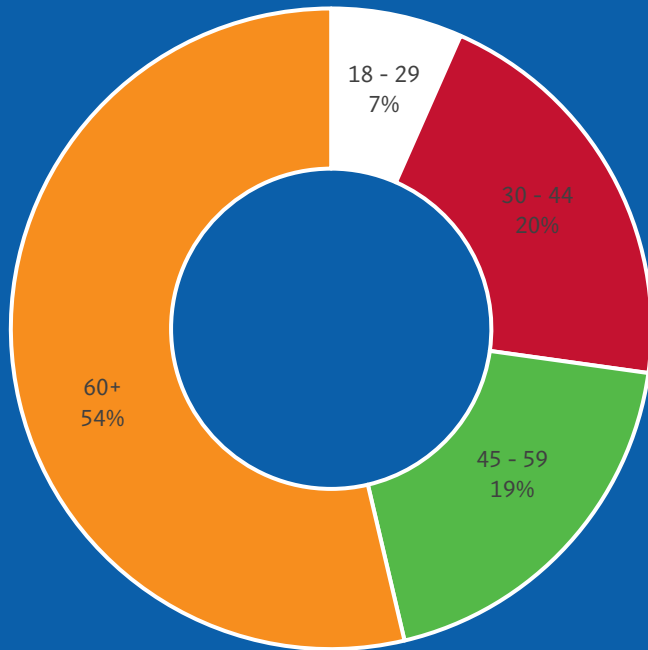


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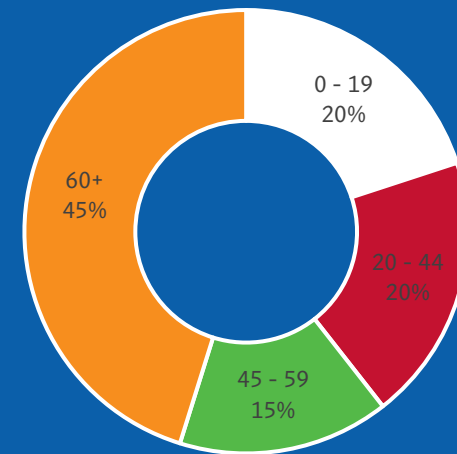


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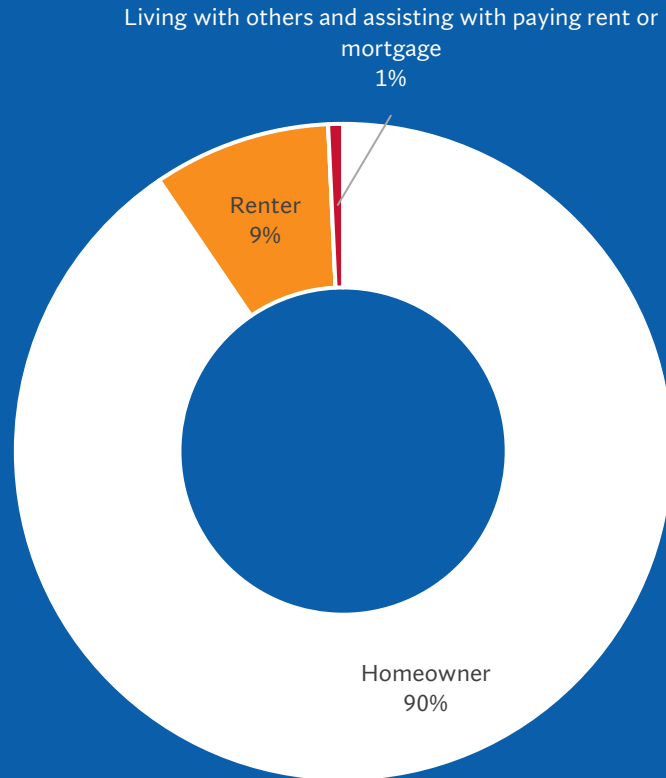


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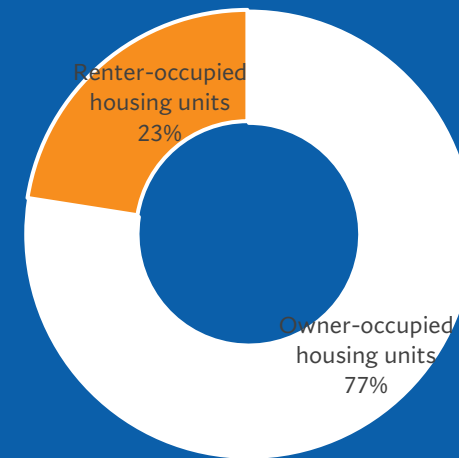


HOUSING STATUS

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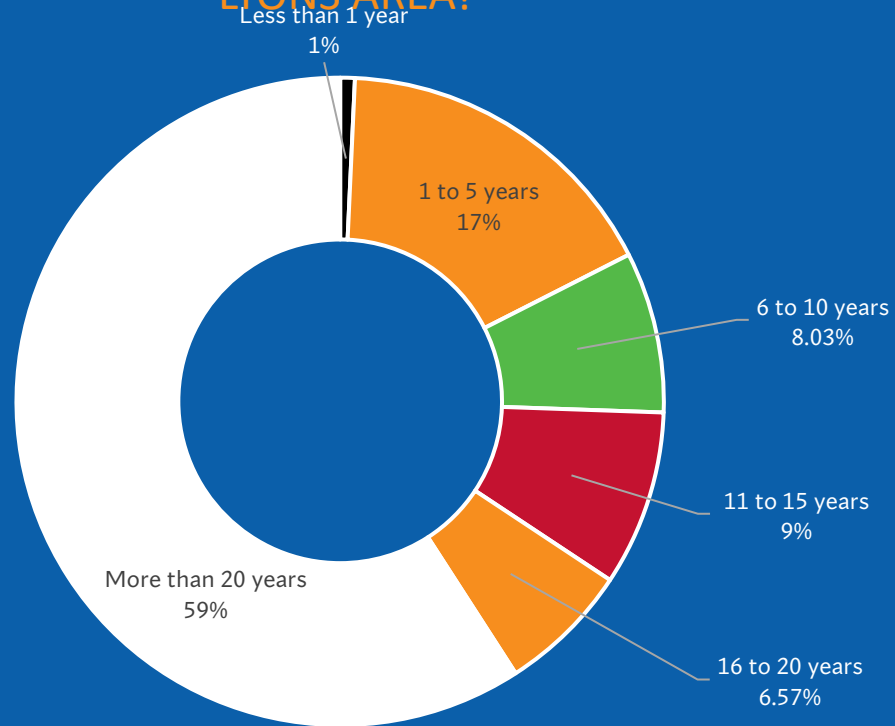
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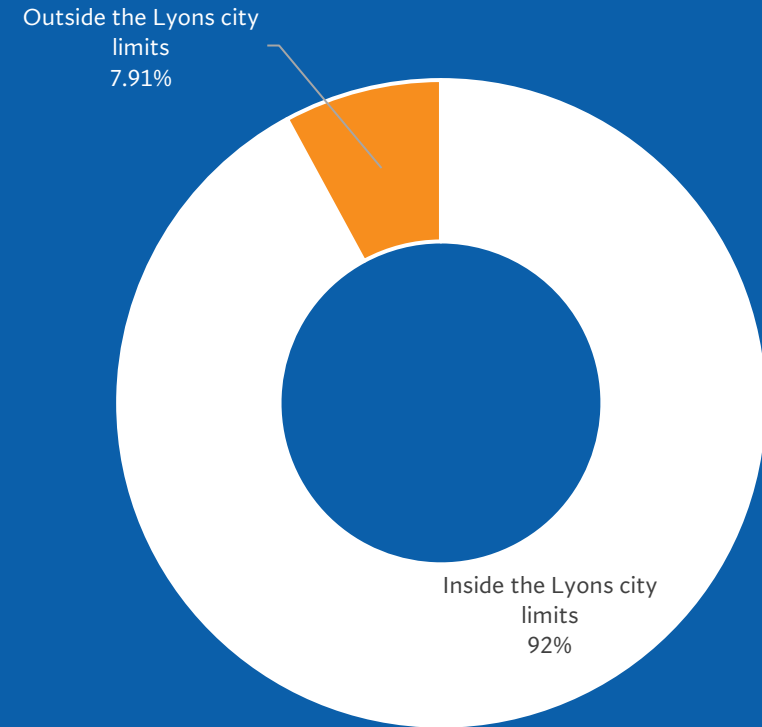
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HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU LIVED IN THE LYONS AREA?



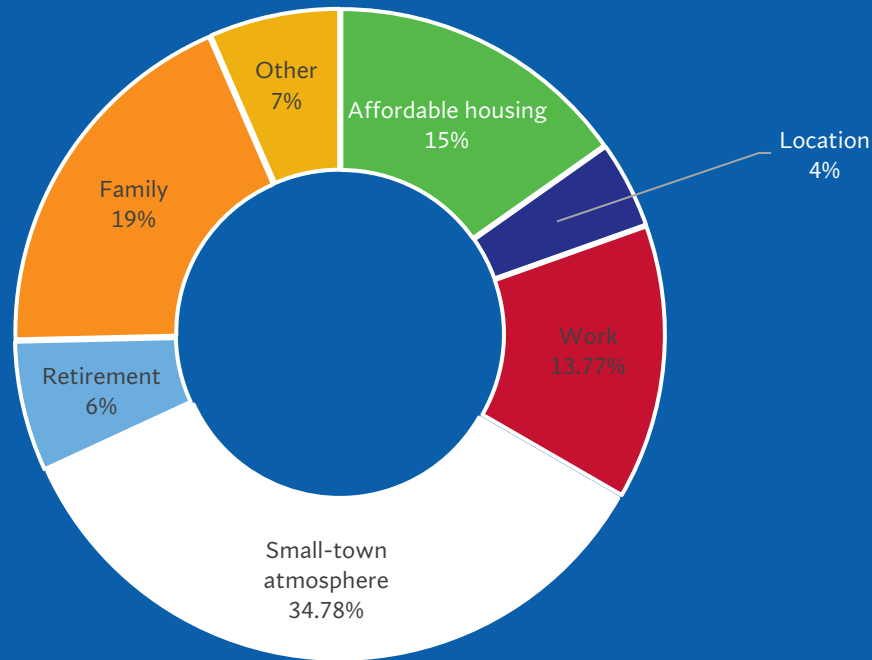
WHERE DO YOU LIVE?



WHY DO YOU LIVE IN THE LYONS AREA?

(SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)

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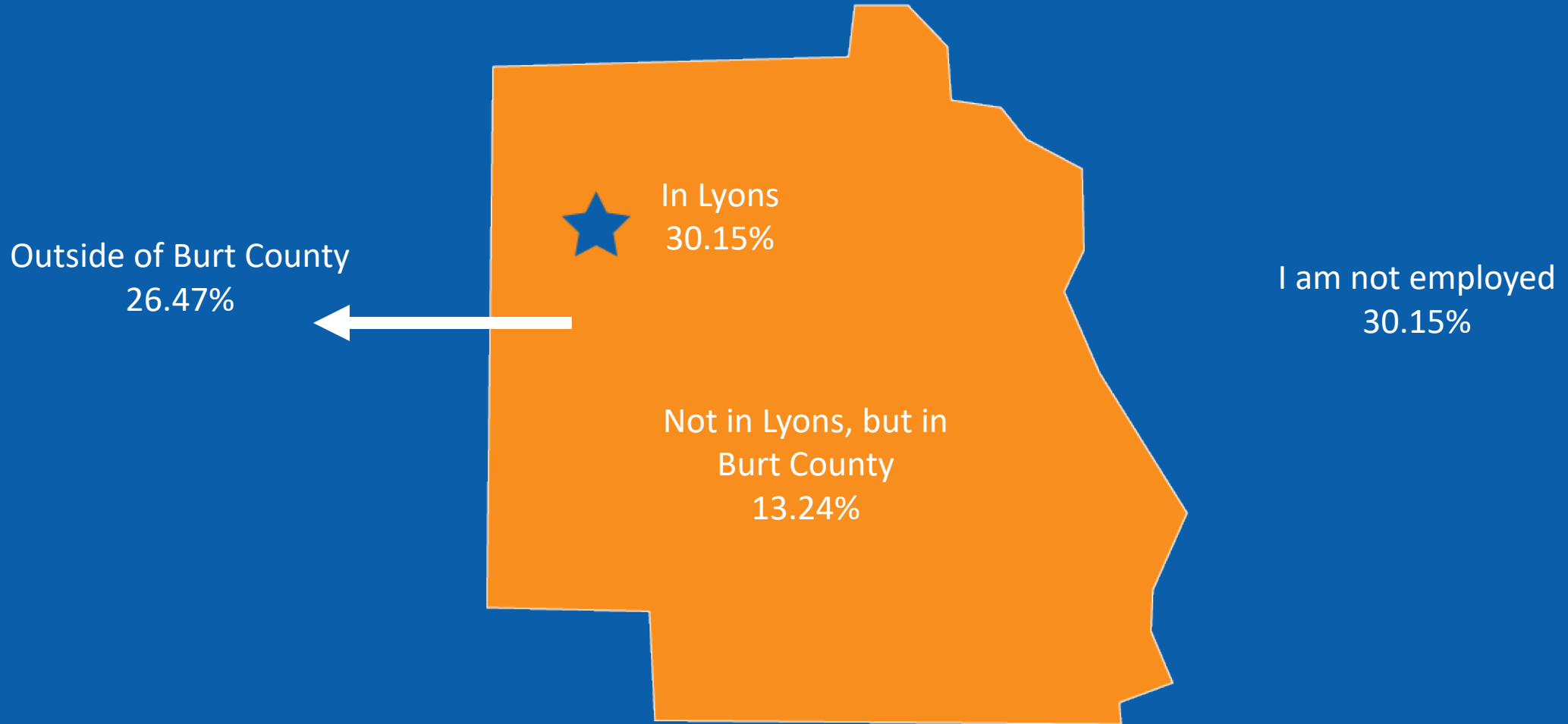


OTHER REASONS GIVEN

1. Stuck
2. Bought house here to take care my mom before she passed like Lyons Don't know very many people
3. Affordable housing, location, small-town atmosphere
4. Small-town atmosphere and family
5. Work, small-town atmosphere, family
6. Work, small-town atmosphere, retirement, family
7. Work, family, retirement
8. Affordable housing, location, work, small-town atmosphere

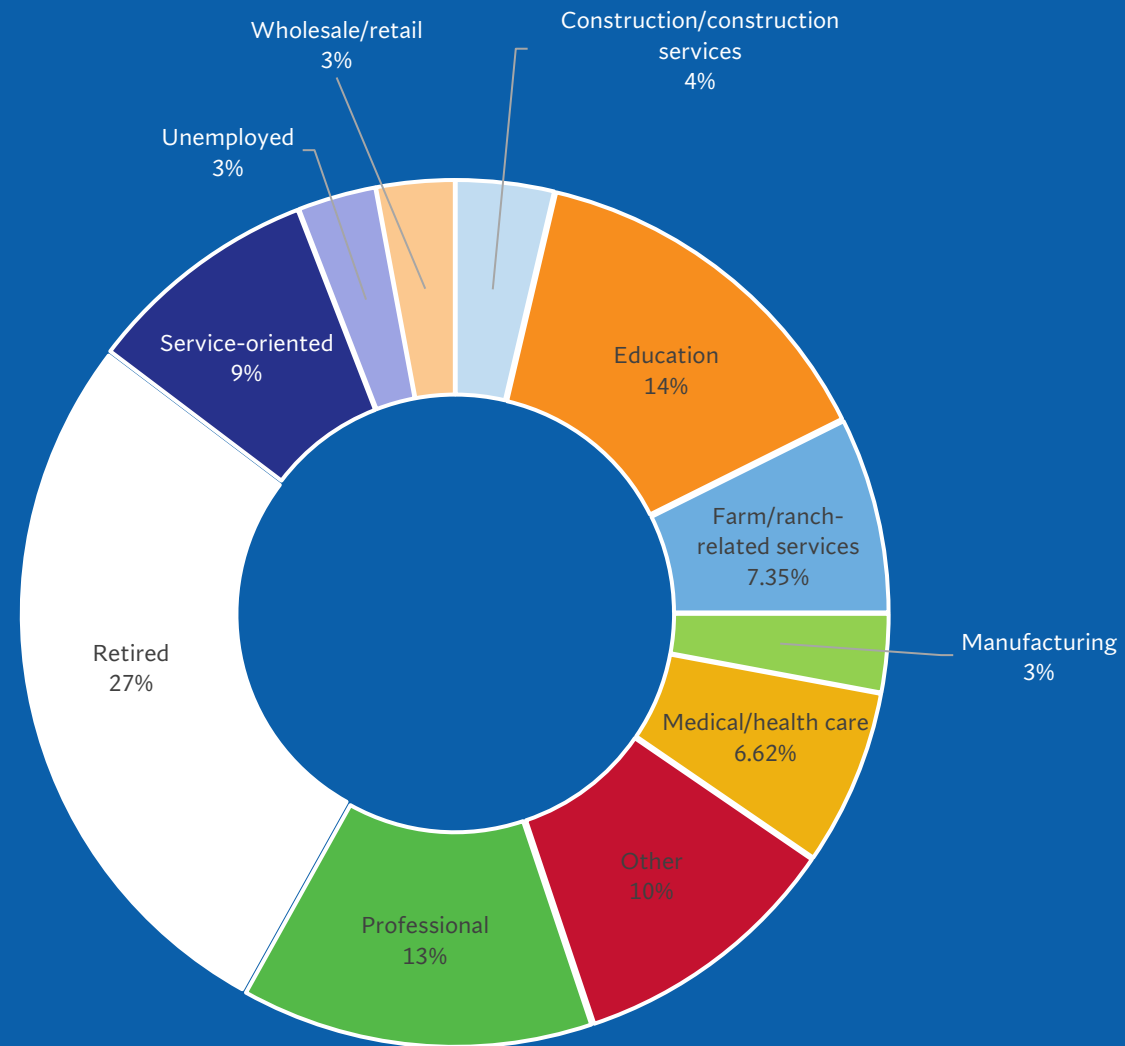
WHERE ARE YOU EMPLOYED?

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OCCUPATION

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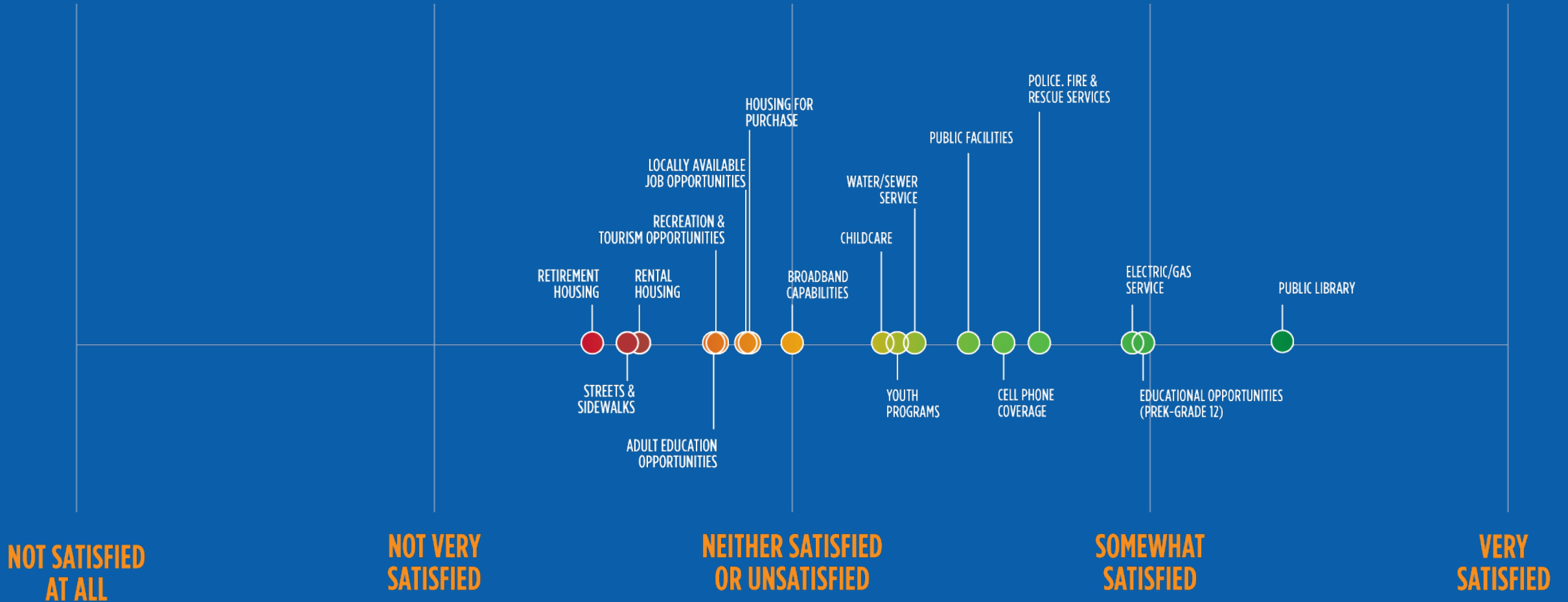
HOW SATISFIED ARE YOU WITH THE FOLLOWING?

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SERVICE	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Public library	4.37
Educational opportunities (PreK-Grade 12)	3.98
Electric/gas service	3.95
Police, fire and rescue services	3.69
Cell phone coverage	3.59
Public facilities	3.49
Water/sewer service	3.34
Youth programs	3.29
Childcare	3.25
Broadband capabilities	3.00
Housing for purchase	2.88
Locally available job opportunities	2.87
Recreation and tourism opportunities	2.79
Adult education opportunities	2.78
Rental housing	2.57
Streets and sidewalks	2.54
Retirement housing	2.44

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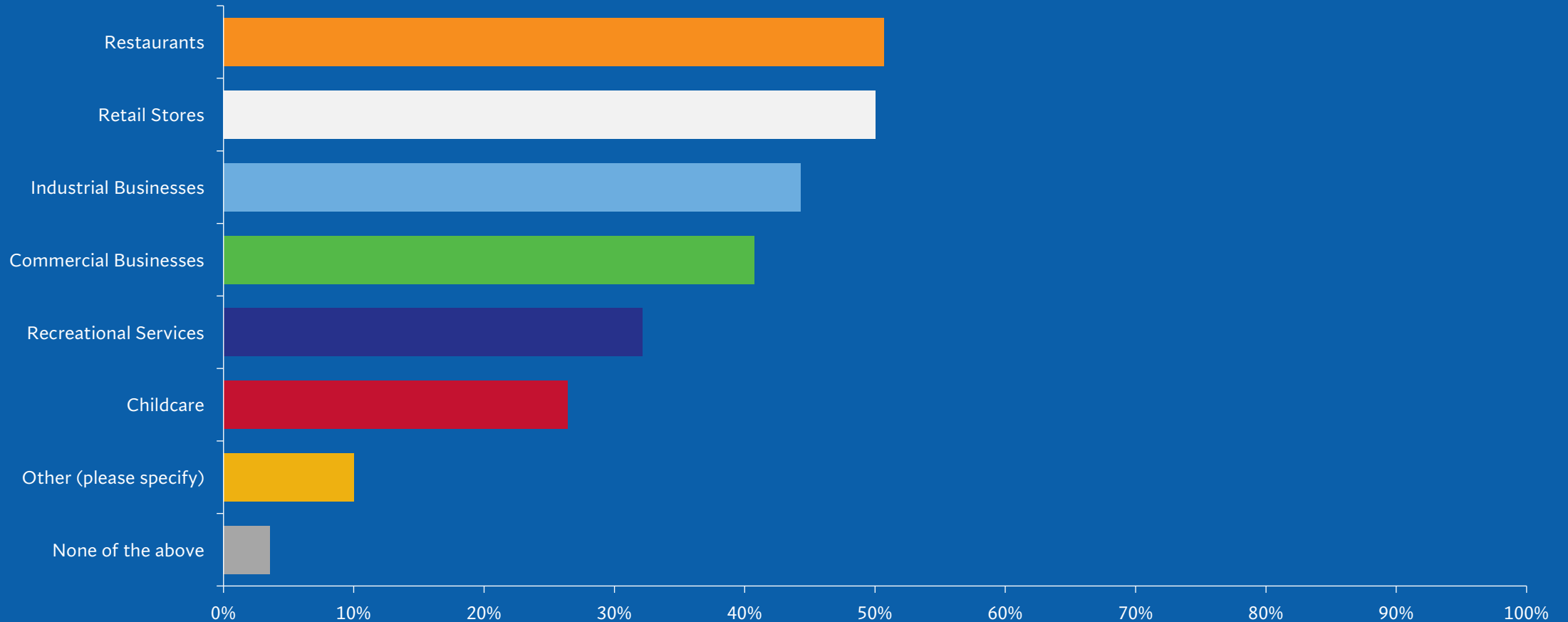
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WHAT TYPE OF BUSINESSES SHOULD LYONS FOCUS ON BRINGING INTO THE COMMUNITY?

CHECK ALL THAT
APPLY.

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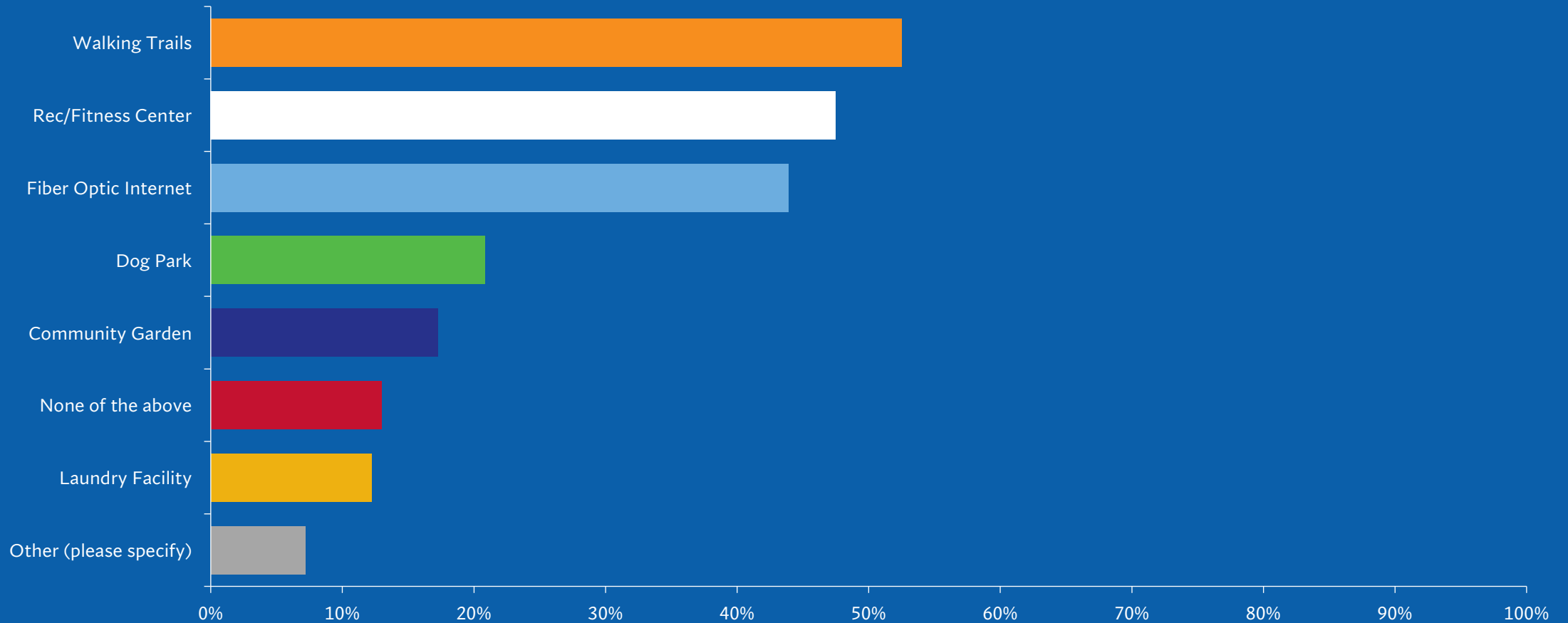
“Other” answers given:

- Tourism
- Park and camping
- Gas station (2)
- Drugstore (2)
- Senior services/Senior Center (Meals On Wheels)
- Dollar Store
- Snap business (fitness?)
- either something that provides jobs, or a business Lyons can support that doesn't take away from existing businesses
- Manufacturing
- Something to draw young families to live in and use our new school
- Affordable childcare
- Cop

WHAT AMENITIES WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE IN LYONS?

Answered: 139 | Skipped: 4 | Other Answers: 10

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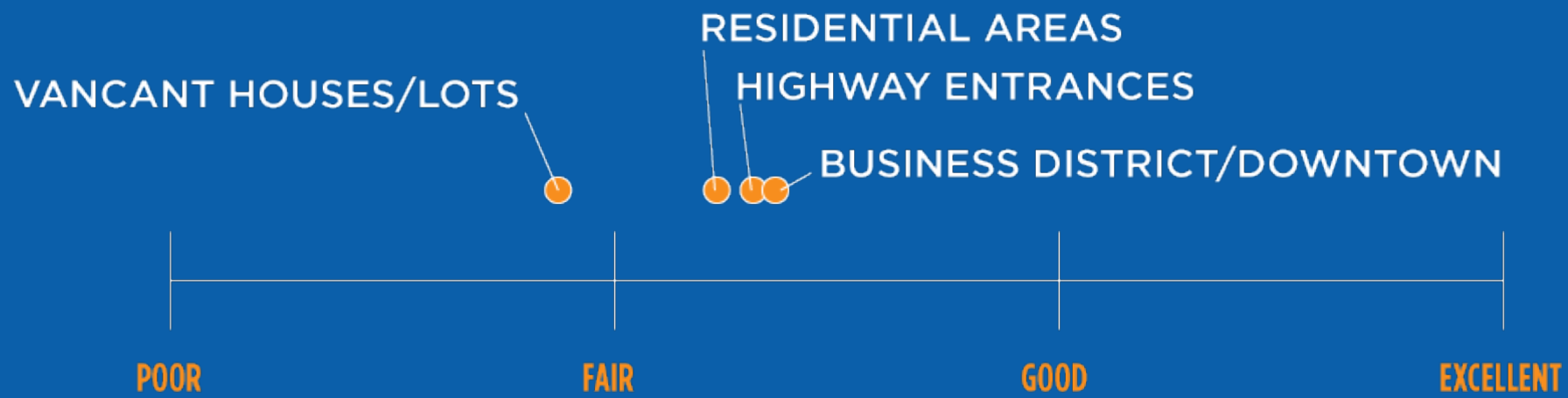
“Other” answers given:

- Sidewalks that aren't overgrown and/or falling apart - that you can actually walk on.
- Police department
- Adult education/life enrichment. Also maybe a community theatre group.
- Pool available more days/hours
- Community center
- Updated senior center
- Youth center
- Better cell phone service

RATE THE GENERAL APPEARANCE OF THE FOLLOWING ASPECTS OF OUR COMMUNITY

	POOR	FAIR	GOOD	EXCELLENT	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Business district/downtown	10.37% 14	54.81% 74	31.11% 42	3.70% 5	135	2.28
Residential areas	16.42% 22	48.51% 65	33.58% 45	1.49% 2	134	2.20
Highway entrances	28.89% 39	40.0% 54	27.41% 37	3.70% 5	135	2.06
Vacant houses/lots	61.07% 80	31.30% 41	6.87% 9	0.76% 1	131	1.47

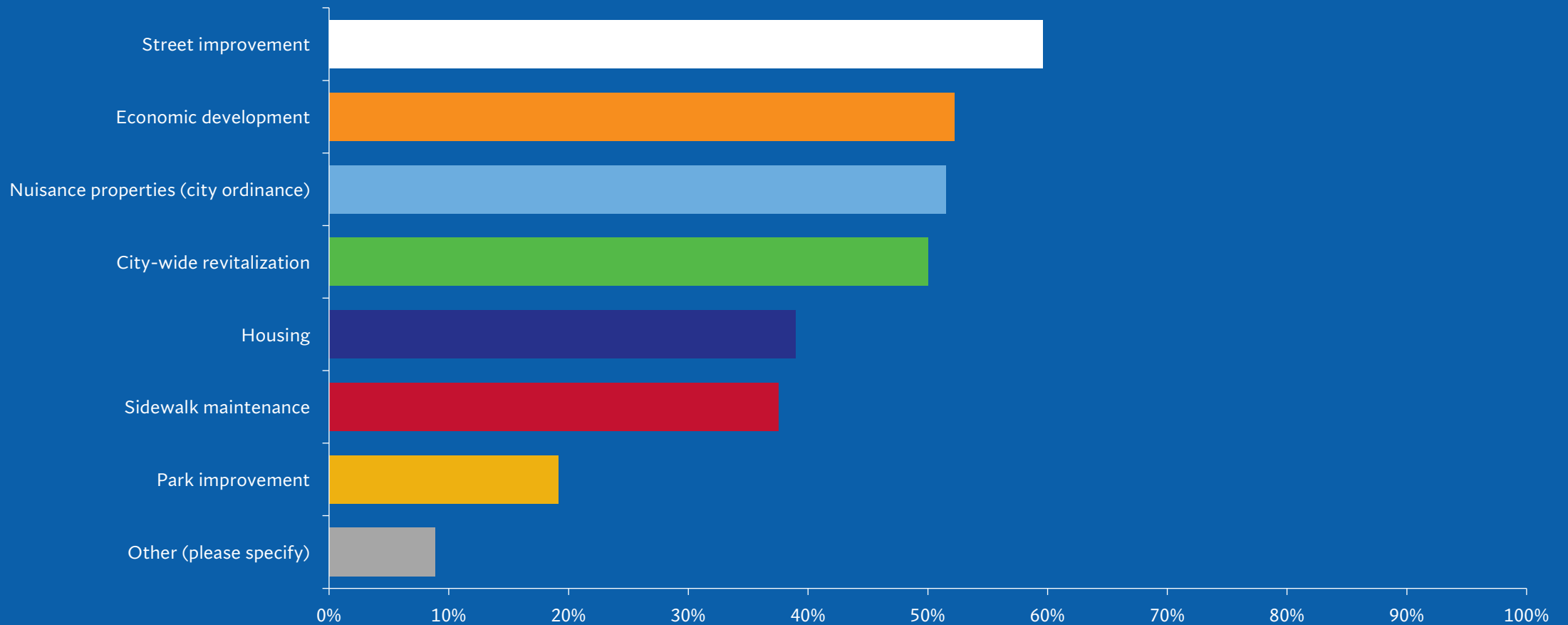
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WHERE SHOULD THE CITY FOCUS ITS PLANNING AND RESOURCES?

*SELECT UP TO FOUR CHOICES

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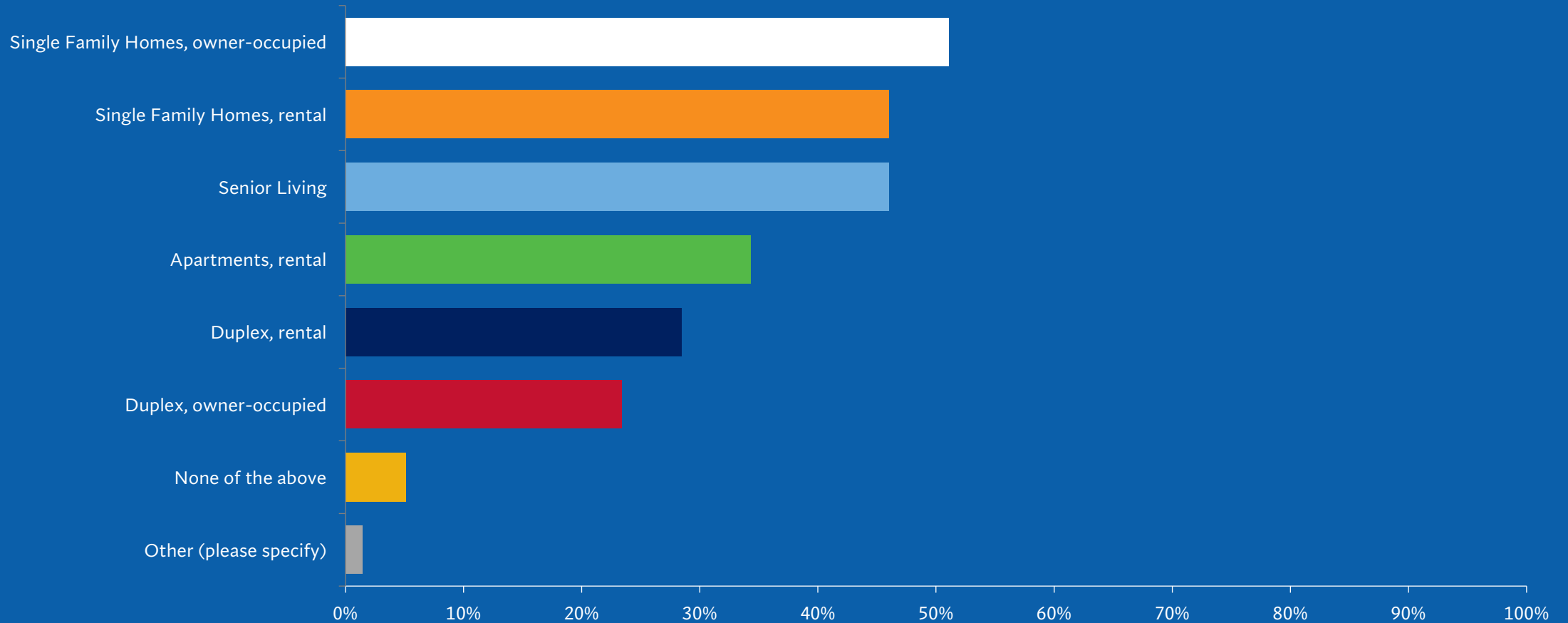
“Other” answers given, grouped by theme:

- Aesthetics and Infrastructure:
 - Get rid of the brick streets (3)
 - Clean up houses and tall grass
 - Clean weeds, grass, house yards, get rid of junk
 - People that don't mow their yards and have junk sitting around
- Law Enforcement:
 - Dog control
 - Feral cats
 - Police
 - Cop to patrol cemetery area
- Amenities:
 - Wheelchair swing at our park

WHAT TYPE OF HOUSING IS NEEDED

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY.

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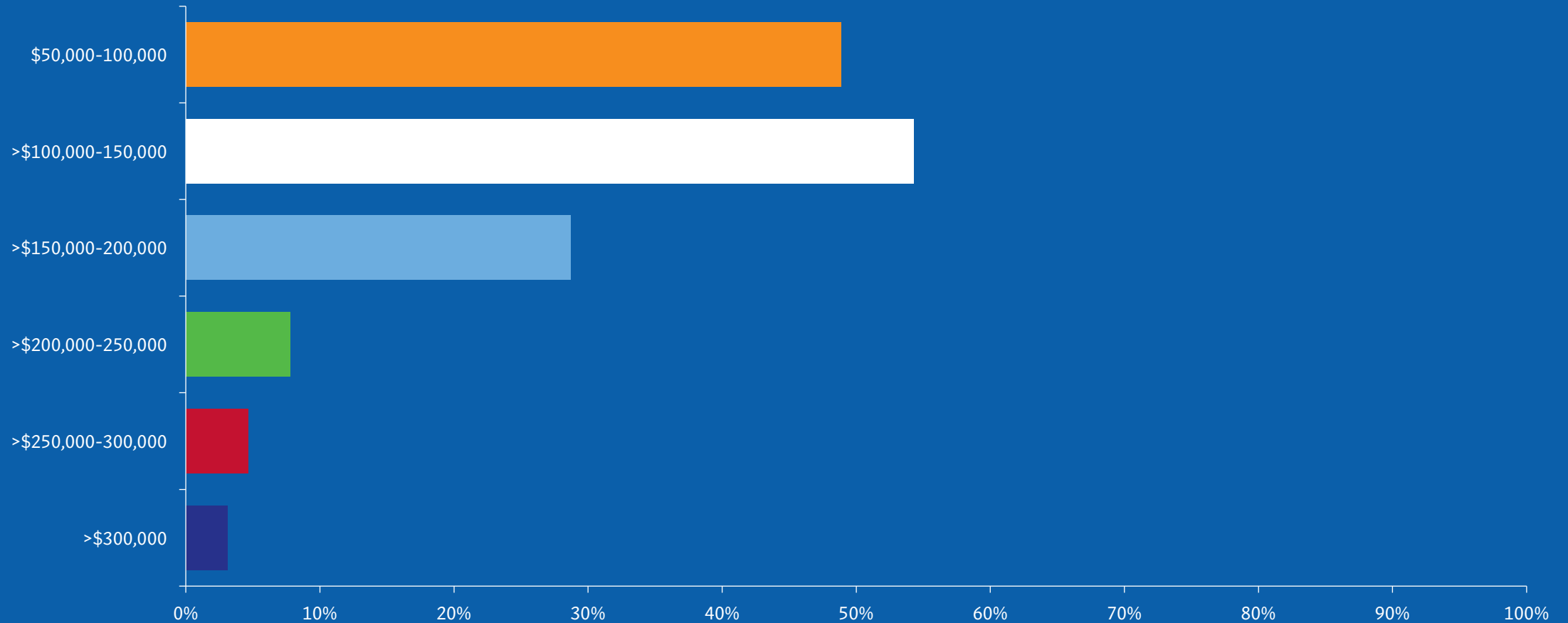
“Other” answers given:

- Duplex senior living with snow removal, lawn care
- Veterans

HOUSING PRICE RANGE

SELECT ALL THAT APPLY.

Answered: 129 | Skipped: 14



WOULD YOU SUPPORT AN ADDITIONAL 0.5% SALES TAX FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PURPOSES?

Answered: 132 | Skipped: 11

