



# Yarmouth Community Visioning

Setting Our Course • Charting Our Future

## Introduction

The first phase of the Yarmouth Community Visioning process included a community survey and three public workshops. Both strategies asked residents the same three questions:

- What are Yarmouth's strengths and assets? What about Yarmouth do you value the most and want to preserve for future generations?
- What are Yarmouth's challenges today and in the future? How do they impact life in Yarmouth? Where could the Town be serving the community better and why?
- What is your future vision of Yarmouth? What are the opportunities that exist to reach that vision? What are the barriers that need to be overcome?

The survey was available online and paper copies by request from November 2020 through the end of January 2021. They were available in three languages: English, Portuguese, and Spanish. A total of 382 surveys were received, all in English.

Due to public gathering restrictions associated with COVID-19, the public workshops were held virtually. Each was held at different times of day to accommodate varying schedules. During the workshop, participants were randomly assigned to virtual breakout rooms of six to eight people. In these small groups, participants were led through the three questions by a facilitator with the assistance of a note taker. The note taker recorded the conversation on worksheets. Participants also used worksheets to write down their ideas during the small groups. The Town asked participants to submit these worksheets to document ideas that were not recorded during the small group discussions.

	Date/Time	Number of Participants	Submitted Participant Worksheets
<b>Workshop 1</b>	November 18, 2020, 5:30-7:30 pm	20	7
<b>Workshop 2</b>	December 7, 2020, 9-11 am	30	6
<b>Workshop 3</b>	December 15, 2020, 2-4 pm	32	6
	<b>Totals:</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>19</b>

The Town also held a virtual roundtable meeting on January 27, 2021 with six (6) members of the Yarmouth Business Community. The three questions above were consolidated and slightly reworded to understand issues and needs of local businesses. They were:

- What are Yarmouth's strengths and why did you choose Yarmouth for your business?
- What are our challenges and what could the Town do to make your business better and more sustainable?

Survey responses, worksheets for both participants and facilitators of the public workshops, and a summary of the Yarmouth Business Community roundtable are attached.

## Themes

A wide range of topics and ideas were provided on the surveys and during the public workshops. It should be noted that these themes are not mutually exclusive, and ideas will typically overlap topics and would fall under more than one theme. They are organized under the following themes (presented in no particular order):

**History and Culture:** Responses focusing on historic and cultural resources and village centers in Yarmouth.

**Recreation:** Responses focusing on the public and private recreational opportunities available in Yarmouth.

**Natural Areas, Open Space, and Conservation:** Responses focusing on Yarmouth's beaches and ocean access, open and green spaces, and protection of natural areas.

**Social Networks:** Responses focusing on Yarmouth's community networks and celebrations.

**Affordability and Housing:** Responses focusing on affordable and workforce housing, the cost of living, and the available housing options.

**Age-Friendly Community:** Responses focusing on the Yarmouth as a community that can be more welcoming and livable for older residents with access to needed services and support.

**Municipal:** Responses focusing on services, infrastructure, and programs of the different Town departments, including, Planning, Public Works, Police and Fire, and the Town Libraries.

**Location on Cape Cod:** Responses focusing on Yarmouth's location on Cape Cod.

**Land Development/Town Center:** Responses focusing on land development patterns and density throughout Yarmouth and a more central location that defines Yarmouth.

**Economic Development:** Responses focusing on businesses and commercial areas in Yarmouth.

**Technology/Broadband Access:** Responses focusing on technology improvements in Town.

**Sustainability:** Responses related to sustainability, impacts of climate change, drinking water supply and quality, and renewable energy.

**Connectivity and Mobility:** Responses focusing on walking, biking, driving, and other forms of transit in Yarmouth.

**Public Health:** Responses focusing on public health and medical resources in Yarmouth.

**Education:** Responses focusing on the Town's Public Schools and other educational opportunities for all residents.

## What We Heard

Given the large volume of input, summaries provided in this report offer highlights from commonly expressed ideas. The following table summarizes responses to the survey and discussions during the public workshop. It is followed by highlights of residents' views and ideas.

Number of Responses for Each Theme

Theme	Question 1 (Strength)	Question 2 (Challenge)	Question 3 (Important to the Vision)
<b>Historic and Culture Assets</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>30</b>
Historical Society/Historic Character/Preservation	50	5	18
Route 6A	24	4	2
Cape Cod Cultural Center/Arts and Culture	42	1	4
Beauty Aesthetics of Town	33	1	6
<b>Recreation Spaces and Facilities</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Natural Areas, Open Space, and Conservation</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>83</b>
Parks/ Open Space/Green Space	99	4	44
Beaches/Ocean	219	17	2
Conservation/Protection	86	39	37
<b>Social Networks</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>114</b>
Small Town Feel	17	0	23
Young People/Families	17	44	41
Town Celebrations/Events/Festivals	76	0	2
Diversity/Inclusion/Equity	6	8	35
Community/People of Yarmouth	40	21	13
<b>Affordability and Housing</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>33</b>
Housing/Affordable/Workforce Housing	12	96	29
Quality of Life/Cost of Living	10	16	3
Types of Housing	6	2	1
<b>Age Friendly Communities</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>9</b>
Accessibility	0	6	1
Senior Center	58	3	7
Services/Resources for Seniors	1	14	1
<b>Municipal</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>87</b>
Utilities, Infrastructure	18	16	17
Police/Fire	111	4	9
Sewer/Wastewater	1	78	38
Town Leadership/Communication	46	11	5
Municipal Programs/Services	21	8	4
Taxes	1	26	2
Libraries	60	15	12

Theme	Question 1 (Strength)	Question 2 (Challenge)	Question 3 (Important to the Vision)
Location on Cape	59	0	0
Land Development/Town Center	1	58	62
Economic Development	101	164	162
Business Development and Growth	29	68	97
Route 28	12	95	62
Restaurants	44	0	1
Tourism	16	1	2
Technology/Broadband Access	0	15	3
Sustainability	7	89	58
Climate Change	0	21	8
Water Quality/Supply	2	59	35
Renewable Energy/Green Communities	5	9	15
Connectivity and Mobility	109	115	51
Bike/Pedestrian Infrastructure	47	47	44
Hiking/Walking Trails	59	2	5
Traffic and Road Quality	3	53	1
Access to Transit	0	13	1
Public Health	9	39	1
Social Services/Substance Abuse	0	30	1
Public Health/Medical Resources	9	9	0
Education	32	54	45

Below provides a brief description of how people answered these questions within each theme.

**History and Culture**

Strength: Participants expressed their love of the Historical Society of Old Yarmouth, the Cultural Center of Cape Cod, the historic character of the buildings along Route 6A, Captain’s Mile and the Bass River Historic District, historic sites such as the Judah Baker Windmill, Taylor Bray Farm and the recently improved Baxter Grist Mill, and the overall beauty and aesthetics of much of the Town.

Challenge: New development and redevelopment can put pressure on historic and cultural assets. Participants recognize this as a challenge, and we should find ways to balance new opportunities with existing resources.

Vision: Participants stressed the importance of continuing to preserve and promote our Town’s history and historic areas and buildings to keep the Town’s character and Cape Cod feel. There is also a desire to maintain and expand on our cultural assets, including the arts community and educational programs for all ages.

**Recreation**

Strength: A significant number of participants voiced their love for the recreational facilities and opportunities, citing local parks and playgrounds, facilities at Flax Pond and Sandy Pond Recreation

Areas, recreation programs for kids (day and sailing camps), boat launches and fishing piers, and the public golf courses.

Challenge: Some participants expressed concern about the heavy usage and overcrowding at Grays Beach/Bass Hole area, which impacts the ability for residents to enjoy this area and creates safety issues.

Vision: Some participants expressed a future vision for Yarmouth that continues to have great recreational opportunities and expands the opportunities available to all age groups, such as a through a community center, indoor swimming pool, and development of the Riverwalk Park.

### ***Natural Areas, Open Space, and Conservation***

Strength: A significant number of participants are very happy with Yarmouth's beaches and ponds and see them as the defining features of the Town. Other areas valued are Swan Pond, Bass River, Parkers River, the cranberry bogs, and the numerous walking/mountain biking trails in Town. Many participants also voiced their support for the Town land that has already been conserved as open space.

Challenge: Some participants mentioned the importance of continuing and expanding the protection of the Town's natural areas and resources. In addition, some participants voiced concerns about the need for better maintenance and clean up in the Town's conservation and open space areas.

Vision: Many participants want to see well maintained open spaces in Yarmouth and continued conservation and protection initiatives of the Town's natural resources.

### ***Social Networks***

Strength: A significant number of participants voiced their love of the Town's celebrations, events, and festivals throughout the year noting the Seaside Festival, St. Patrick's Day Parade, concerts at the beach and sand sculpture trail, the small town feel of the community, quiet safe neighborhoods, and the kindness of residents living in Yarmouth.

Challenge: A significant number of survey participants stressed the need to encourage and welcome more young people and young families to settle down in Yarmouth. Some participants expressed that the Yarmouth community should make sure it is inclusive and welcoming for all.

Vision: A significant number of participants expressed a future vision of Yarmouth that includes keeping the small town character, attracting more young people and families, celebrating the Yarmouth community, and a strong push to increase diversity, inclusion, and equity for all living in Yarmouth. Participants expressed a wish to maintain and expand on events and festivals that are enjoyed by residents but also serve as a draw for tourists.

### ***Affordability and Housing***

Strength: Some participants applauded the new affordable housing that is being built in Town and felt Yarmouth was relatively affordable in comparison to other Cape Towns.

Challenge: A very significant number of participants stressed the need for more affordable and workforce housing in Yarmouth, especially for full-time residents (seniors, families, and veterans), lower-income residents, young people, and seasonal workers. Participants noted how the second homes/seasonal homes impact pricing and availability for year-round housing, which has worsened during COVID. Some participants questioned converting too many motel properties into housing. In addition, there were many participants who also voiced concerns that the cost of living in Yarmouth is

increasing too quickly for residents to keep up and noted the number of people in need in our community.

Vision: Some participants expressed a vision of Yarmouth that is affordable for all and where we look out for each other.

### ***Age Friendly Communities***

Strength: A significant number of participants mentioned their love for the Senior Center and all the programs and activities that are available.

Challenge: Some participants voiced the need for more accessibility and amenities for those with disabilities and a worry about community isolation for some seniors.

Vision: Some participants expressed a vision of Yarmouth that continues its support and investment in spaces and services for older residents and encourages multi-generational programs.

### ***Municipal***

Strength: A significant number of participants are happy with the work of all the Town departments, but specifically praised the Police and Fire Departments, the Transfer Station, Senior Center, Town Libraries and Public Works. Some participants also mentioned that Town leadership and communication have been excellent, especially the messages sent out during the COVID-19 pandemic and all year long through the Code Red system.

Challenge: Participants expressed the need to better maintain town buildings and facilities. Many noted seeing litter throughout the community. Participants also vocalized support for expanding available resources, such as upgrading the Town Libraries' infrastructure and building a community or multi-generational center. However, some participants noted concern over the current tax rate, and if too high, it will be a challenge for older residents on limited incomes, especially as the Town moves forward with new infrastructure projects such as the middle school, municipal sewer, and possible improvements to the Town Libraries. Some residents felt the Town website could be easier to navigate and more informative.

Vision: Participants would like to see a Town that maintains strong community policing and public safety, is clean, maintains its municipal assets (buildings, parks, beaches, etc.), and communicates effectively with residents. The Town should be fiscally responsible, balancing needed municipal projects, services, and expenses with an affordable tax base. Participants would like to see the Town move forward with municipal wastewater to preserve our natural resources and stimulate economic development to provide additional revenues to the Town.

### ***Location on Cape Cod***

Strength: A significant number of participants enjoy the Town's mid-Cape location because of the easy access to various areas on the Cape, specifically mentioning its proximity to Cape Cod Hospital, Nantucket Sound, and Cape Cod Bay. Its location is considered to provide easy access to Boston. This is not only advantageous for residents, but attracting visitors to the Cape as well.

Challenge and Vision: No responses.

### ***Land Development - Town Center***

Strength: Many participants expressed gratitude for open space and recreation areas preserved throughout the Town, as discussed earlier.

Challenge: Many participants noted the biggest challenges for Yarmouth are its high density of land development, poor aesthetics along Route 28, vacant and blighted properties, and the limited types of businesses in Town. Participants voiced their support for the creation of a Town Center as a place to gather as a community and to incentivize small business development. A Town Center can strengthen and build an identity, which several felt Yarmouth lacked.

Vision: A significant number of participants expressed interest in development and investments in the Town that maintain its Cape Cod, small town feel with a focal point that brings the community together. There is a balance of growth and redevelopment in the right locations while preserving our natural areas. The business corridor is attractive and inviting and presents a positive image for the Town.

### ***Economic Development***

Strength: Many participants voiced their love for the Town's restaurants and small businesses, Town's tourism, and the beginning stages of redevelopment on Route 28. They noted there are many family friendly activities and businesses that bring people to Town, including mini-golf, the pirate museum, and the inflatable water park.

Challenge: Many participants specified a need for future business initiatives to bring more companies to Yarmouth that do not focus on tourism, that will diversify the economy and provide year round jobs. Many participants stressed the need for continued redevelopment along the Route 28 corridor, the redevelopment of old buildings, and to balance increasing tourism with the needs of year-round residents. Many participants were looking for more year round dining and shopping opportunities.

Vision: A community with a thriving, diverse economy and business community that is not overdeveloped. Jobs that pay a livable wage so people can afford to live and work on the Cape. A municipal tax rate that balances services with affordability. A Town that is known and promoted for its family friendly activities. Participants considered a municipal wastewater system a critical component for business development and economic growth, especially along Route 28. It will also help improve and maintain water quality and protect our natural resources, which are critical for our tourism economy.

Business Community Roundtable: Local businesses expressed similar strengths and challenges. In addition, its future vision looks to improve the working relationship and communication between Town Hall, the Chamber of Commerce, and the overall business community to foster a more business-friendly environment, including a more simplified permitting process and regulations.

### ***Technology/Broadband Access***

Strength: No responses.

Challenge and Vision: Some participants stressed the importance for making internet and broadband widely available in Yarmouth to attract young adults and families who may switch to working remotely, but also for business attraction and retention. There was a desire to provide an alternative to Comcast.

### ***Sustainability***

Strength: Participants were in support of energy efficient efforts taken by the Town and its Green Community initiatives, as well as the development of renewable energy, specifically solar.

Challenge: A significant number of participants stressed the importance of protecting Yarmouth's water supply and the quality of water, both its drinking water and surface water. There were also some residents that mentioned the Town should be focused on the threat of climate change, including sea level rise and beach erosion.

Vision: Many participants expressed a future vision where the Town prepares for the impacts of climate change, reduces its carbon footprint by being more energy efficient, and secures the safety and quality of the Town's water supply and waterways. A municipal wastewater system and fertilizer reduction were seen as important actions to maintain clean water.

### ***Connectivity and Mobility***

Strength: A significant number of participants expressed their support for the Cape Cod Rail Trail extension and the available hiking and walking trails throughout the Town's natural areas.

Challenge: A significant number of participants stressed the need for more pedestrian and bicycle infrastructure like sidewalks and bike lanes/paths, more ride programs for seniors, and for easier access to public transit. Many also expressed concern for the increasing amount of vehicle traffic year-round and speeding.

Vision: Many participants want to see more multi-modal transportation alternatives with investments in non-vehicle travel (sidewalks, bike lanes, and shared use pathways), new opportunities with regional bus service, and safety improvements for all modes.

### ***Public Health***

Strength: Some participants voiced support for Yarmouth being close to many medical facilities, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Challenge and Vision: A significant number of participants mentioned a need for increased social services for those struggling with substance abuse and homelessness, along with easier access to doctors, especially primary care physicians.

### ***Education***

Strength: Some participants expressed their love for the Town's Public Schools and the important work they are doing for Yarmouth's youth.

Challenge: A significant number of participants voiced support for investing more into the Public School's systems resources and infrastructure to raise education standards and attract more families and reduce the number of students going to charter schools. There were also some participants who voiced concerns over tensions between Yarmouth and Dennis in relation to the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School.

Vision: A significant number of participants expressed that one of the highest priorities should be the continued investment into the Town's Public Schools, as well as also opportunities for adult education and continued learning.



## A Note About Question 3

Many respondents to the survey and during the public workshop created visionary statements that encompassed many of the themes above. The following are some examples of how residents expressed the future of Yarmouth.

*... Food for all, housing, clean water, and good karma between us, that is what we need...*

*I hope our town's natural resources and historic sites are still here for citizens and visitors to enjoy and learn from. -- I hope our school system is producing graduates who will find interesting and good paying jobs so that young people will stay on the Cape. -- I hope we have clean water and a healthy environment. -- I hope that there are plenty of people of good will around who will figure out ways that towns can cooperate to take advantage of economies of scale.*

*A beautiful clean town with thriving businesses, well maintained homes and apartment complexes, recreational opportunities and beautiful beaches. That would be ideal!*

*My hope is to bring Yarmouth citizens together. What better way to teach our children to give back to their local community than to be at a playground and explain to them what buying a simple snack or beverage can mean to a family that needs a home (or something on that idea) :)*

*I would hope for young people and families to stay in Yarmouth. I would like it to retain its charm, while remaining friendly to local businesses. I would like to see an increase in diversity.*

*A welcoming and tolerant community that balances a wide variety of wants and interests from different groups and community members within finite financial resources in a respectful and thoughtful way. A community that preserves and maintains our historic, environmental and water resources while promoting responsible and sustainable redevelopment in appropriate locations to foster economic growth and financial stability for our community. A community that we can be proud to call our home and makes a good impression on visitors and residents. (Route 28 provides a bad first impression of a Town with so much to offer.) A community that retains its Cape Cod charm and does not allow itself to get over built which will impact our desirability as a place to live, work and vacation. Redevelop, reuse, repurpose, or improve existing rather than expanding outward and increasing density and land disturbance. A community that is walkable and bikeable. We need to have safe ways for residents, vacationers and workers to get around our town without the use of a car. A community that is affordable to people working full-time through a more diverse economy/longer tourism season and year-round benefitted jobs that pay a livable wage.*

*A town where each person is valued for their skills and wish more people would get involved.*

*I envisioned Yarmouth being a community for all ages with a strong economy based in ecotourism and the small businesses needed to support that. It would be a community that values public transportation, walking, and biking over cars. There would be increased affordable housing on property that is being poorly utilized while open space is preserved. Efforts would be made to mitigate the threats of climate change through careful nourishing of our marshes and*

*tidal rivers as well as providing opportunities for more residents to install solar panels or purchase renewable energy in other ways.*

*I dream of Yarmouth as a place where a multicultural, multigenerational community lives, works, learns, and plays in a safe, inclusive, inspiring, environmentally friendly and cooperative way.*

*I dream of Yarmouth as a place that protects, celebrates, and questions its history.*

*I dream of Yarmouth as a place that values accessibility.*

*I dream of a Yarmouth that embraces change and innovation.*

*I dream of Yarmouth as a place where new family histories are made.*

*Maintain and build a tradition of enjoying a safe, affordable, and friendly Yarmouth for myself and future generations.*

*...civic engagement and diversity, identity common places for that engagement, encouraging multi-generational experiences and community building, maintaining our diversity, and our caring, expand the wonderful examples...*

## Participants

The following demographic questions were asked of survey takers and participants in the public workshops. Some survey takers may have skipped selected questions.

*Do you live in Yarmouth?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
I live full-time in Yarmouth.	294	78%	16	80%	23	82%	26	84%	4	67%
I live part-time in Yarmouth (Yarmouth is not your permanent residency).	61	16%	4	20%	2	7%	2	6%	-	-
I do not live in Yarmouth.	21	6%	0	-	3	11%	3	10%	2	33%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>376</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*Where do you live in Yarmouth?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
Yarmouth Port	111	31%	7	35%	7	25%	11	35%	-	-
West Yarmouth	112	32%	4	20%	7	25%	8	26%	1	17%
South Yarmouth	131	37%	9	45%	11	39%	9	29%	3	50%
N/A	-	-	-	-	3	11%	3	10%	2	33%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>354</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*Do you rent or own your home?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
Rent	22	6%	1	5%	0	0	3	10%	-	-
Own	332	94%	19	95%	24	86%	24	77%	4	67%
N/A	-	-	-	-	3	11%	4	13%	2	33%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>354</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>27</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*How long have you lived in Yarmouth?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
Less than 5 years	61	17%	5	25%	5	18%	4	13%	-	-
5 - 10 years	75	21%	4	20%	5	18%	5	16%	1	17%
11 - 20 years	72	20%	6	30%	5	18%	8	26%	-	-
More than 20 years	146	41%	5	25%	10	36%	10	32%	3	50%
N/A	-	-	-	-	3	11%	4	13%	2	33%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>354</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*I own a business in Yarmouth.*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Yes</b>	37	10%	-	-	1	4%	5	16%	4	67%
<b>No</b>	338	90%	20	100%	27	96%	26	84%	2	33%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>375</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*How long have you owned your business in Yarmouth?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Less than 5 years</b>	4	11%	-	-	-	-	1	3%	1	17%
<b>5 - 10 years</b>	13	35%	-	-	1	100%	3	10%	-	-
<b>11 - 20 years</b>	10	27%	-	-	-	-	1	3%	1	17%
<b>More than 20 years</b>	10	27%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	33%
<b>N/A</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	84%	2	33%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>37</b>		<b>0</b>		<b>27</b>		<b>30</b>		<b>6</b>	

*How else do you experience Yarmouth?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Work in Yarmouth</b>	95	27%	3	15%	6	21%	9	29%	3	50%
<b>Visit Yarmouth</b>	56	16%	2	10%	3	11%	5	16%	-	-
<b>Other</b>	197	57%	15	75%	19	68%	17	55%	3	50%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>348</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

Other:

- Sell real estate in Yarmouth
- Retired in Yarmouth (several responses)
- Golf, beaches, hiking, recreation (several responses)
- Visit libraries
- Shop and dine (several responses)
- Live part time
- Work from home (several responses)
- Volunteer for local nonprofits and town committees
- Live in Yarmouth (several responses)
- Grew up in Yarmouth

*How old are you?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Under 18</b>	2	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>18 - 24</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>25 - 34</b>	10	3%	-	-	1	4%	-	-	-	-
<b>35 - 44</b>	33	9%	2	10%	1	4%	2	6%	1	17%
<b>45 - 59</b>	79	23%	3	15%	5	18%	14	45%	4	66%
<b>60 - 74</b>	184	53%	13	65%	16	57%	8	26%	1	17%
<b>75+</b>	40	11%	2	10%	5	18%	7	23%	-	-

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Answered</b>	<b>348</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*Do you have children under the age of 18 in your home?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Yes</b>	62	18%	2	10%	4	14%	4	13%	3	50%
<b>No</b>	286	82%	18	90%	24	86%	27	87%	3	50%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>348</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*What is your gender?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Female</b>	192	57%	9	45%	14	50%	17	55%	3	50%
<b>Male</b>	123	36%	10	50%	9	32%	8	26%	2	33%
<b>Other</b>	1	0.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Prefer not to answer</b>	22	7%	1	5%	5	18%	6	19%	1	17%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>338</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*What is your race?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>White or Caucasian</b>	295	88%	17	85%	24	86%	23	74%	4	67%
<b>Black or African American</b>	2	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Hispanic or Latino</b>	2	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Asian or Asian American</b>	0	0.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Native American or Alaska Native</b>	0	0.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander</b>	0	0.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Middle Eastern</b>	2	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Prefer not to answer</b>	26	8%	3	15%	4	14%	8	26%	2	33%
<b>Other Race</b>	7	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Answered</b>	<b>334</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*Do you participate in a local community organization or sit on a Town board or committee? (Survey)*

Survey		
<b>Yes</b>	117	34%
<b>No</b>	231	66%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>348</b>	

*Do you participate in a local community organization? (Workshops and Roundtable)*

	Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Yes</b>	12	60%	21	75%	25	81%	3	50%
<b>No</b>	8	40%	7	25%	6	19%	3	50%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*Do you sit on a Town board or committee? (Workshops)*

	Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Yes</b>	6	30%	10	36%	13	42%	-	-
<b>No</b>	14	70%	18	64%	19	58%	6	100%
<b>Answered</b>	<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

*How did you hear about this survey/public workshop?*

	Survey		Workshop 1		Workshop 2		Workshop 3		Business Roundtable	
<b>Town's website/Community Visioning page</b>	116	33%	8	40%	10	36%	7	23%	-	-
<b>Emailed newsletter</b>	104	30%	4	20%	8	29%	5	16%	4	67%
<b>Local paper</b>	22	6%	1	5%	2	7%	3	10%	-	-
<b>Town's social media</b>	48	14%	1	5%	2	7%	3	10%	-	-
<b>Word of mouth</b>	39	11%	4	20%	4	14%	8	26%	2	33%
<b>Announced at a Town board/committee meeting</b>	21	6%	2	10%	2	7%	4	13%	-	-
<b>Other (please specify)</b>	72	21%	-	-	-	-	1	3%	-	-
<b>Answered</b>	<b>348</b>		<b>20</b>		<b>28</b>		<b>31</b>		<b>6</b>	

Other:

- Phone message
- Email/School email
- Board at the old police station
- Text
- Cape and Island Association of Realtors
- Yarmouth Port, South Yarmouth Library
- Radio
- Flyer sent by rental agency
- Card in mail
- My teacher
- Beach association
- Twitter
- Work
- Chamber of Commerce
- Rex Building sign
- Planning Board
- Other social media page
- School PTO
- Hyannis Park Association
- Next Door App
- Sign at the town dump
- Flyer at local park
- Historic Commission