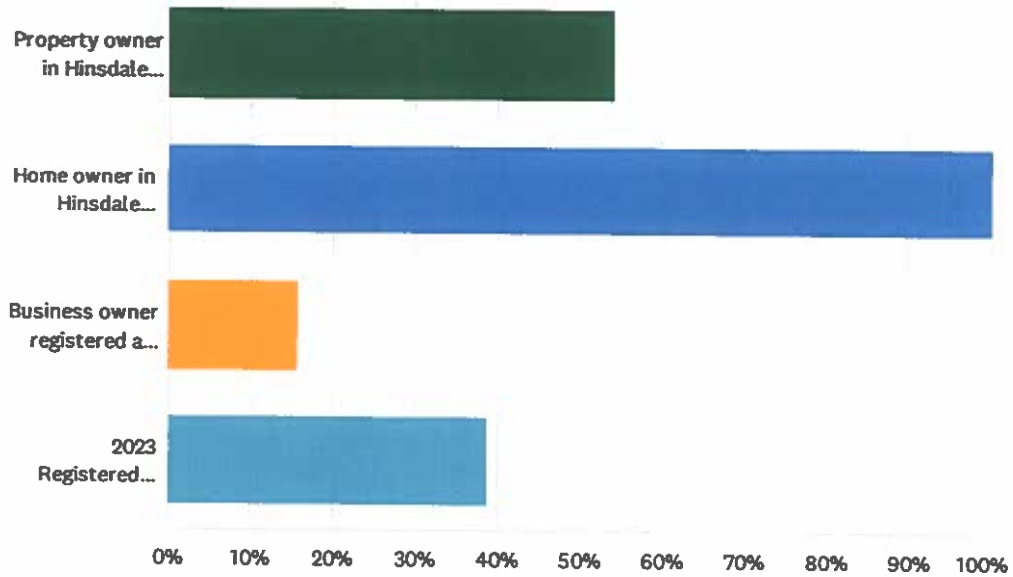


Hinsdale County OHV Program Survey

Q1 In order to participate in this survey you must qualify for, at least, one of the follow categories. Please check all that apply.

Answered: 607 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES

RESPONSES

Property owner in Hinsdale County, CO	54.20%	329
Home owner in Hinsdale County, CO	100.00%	607
Business owner registered and operating in Hinsdale County, CO	15.82%	96
2023 Registered voter in Hinsdale County, CO	38.88%	236
Total Respondents: 607		

Q5 Physical Address in Hinsdale County

Answered: 558 Skipped: 49

ANSWER CHOICES

RESPONSES

Address 1

100.00%

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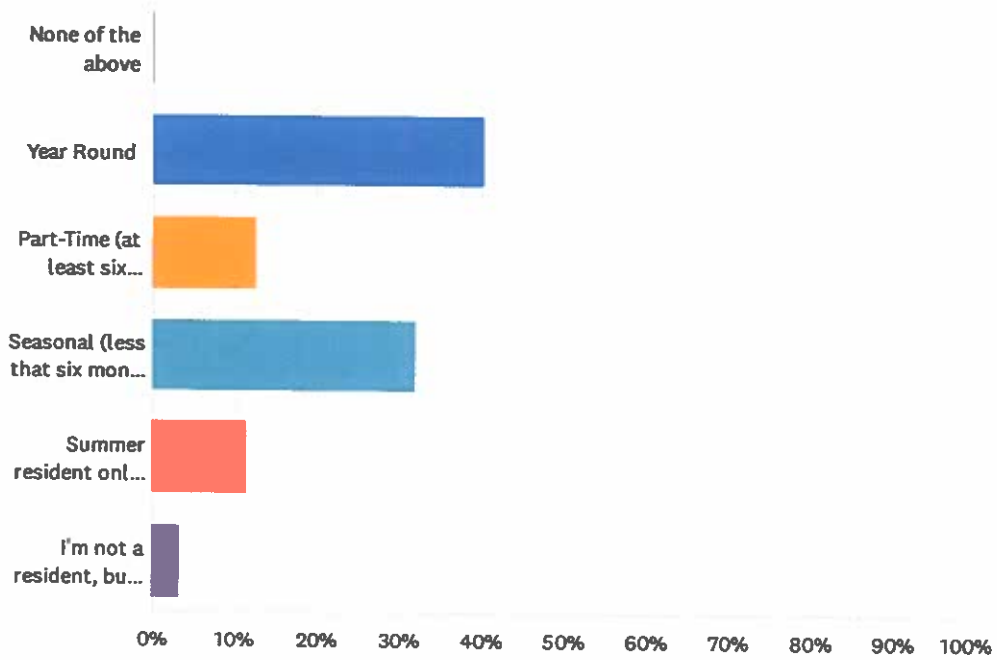
Address 2

22.94%

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Q8 Type of Resident

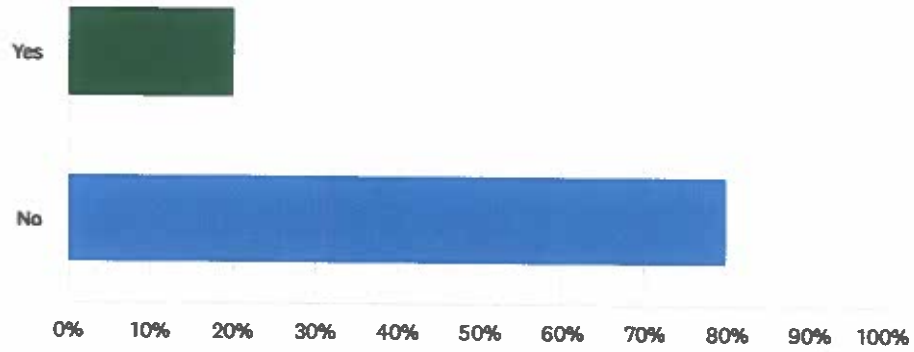
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None of the above	0.18%	1
Year Round	40.32%	225
Part-Time (at least six months of the year)	12.54%	70
Seasonal (less than six months of the year)	32.08%	179
Summer resident only (only from June to September)	11.47%	64
I'm not a resident, but I manage my Hinsdale County, CO property, home, or business from another location.	3.41%	19
TOTAL		558

Q9 Are you a business owner in Hinsdale County, CO?

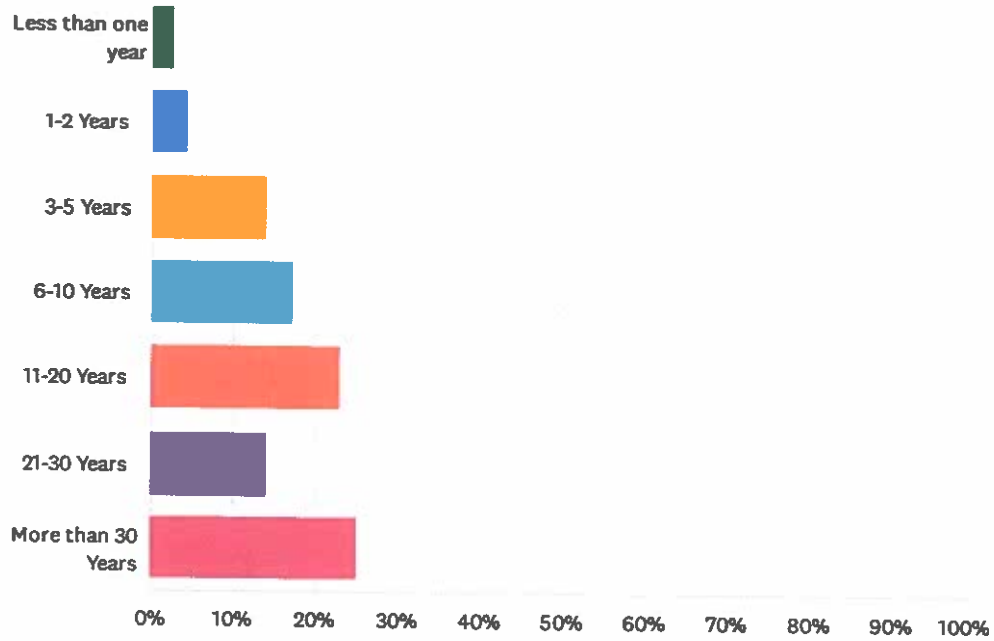
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	20.07%	112
No	79.93%	446
TOTAL		558

Q11 How long have you lived in Hinsdale County, CO?

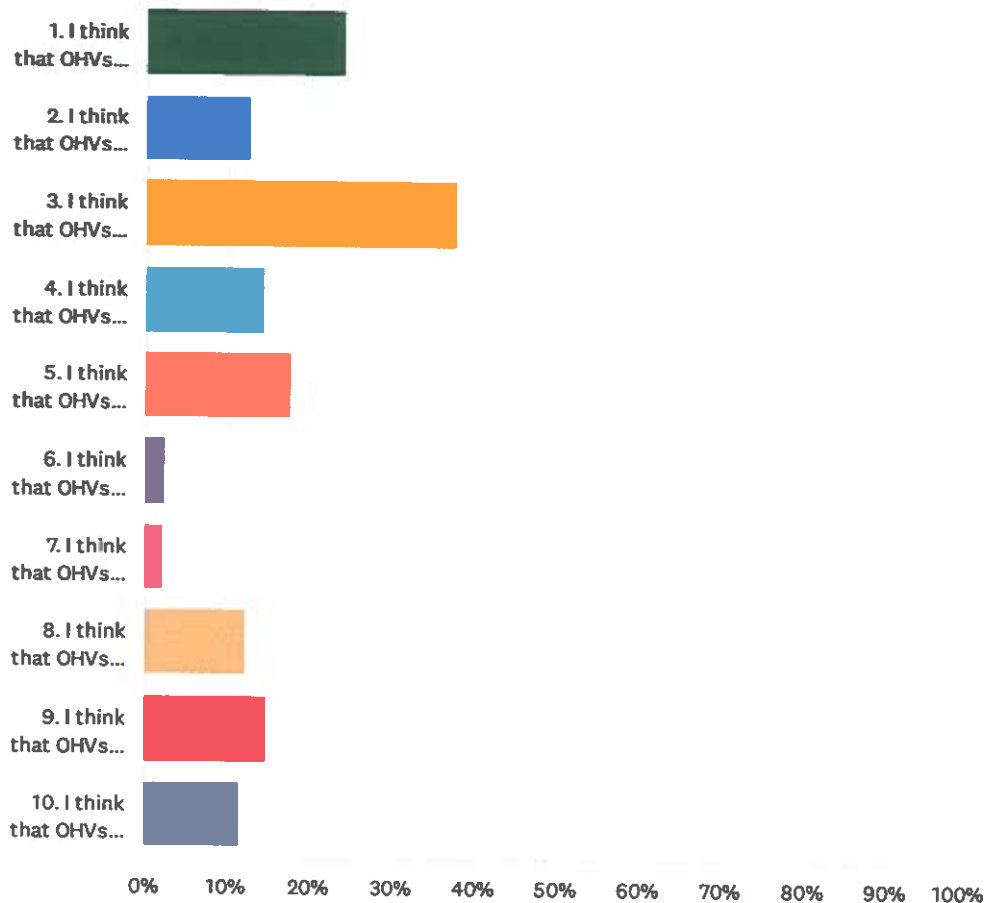
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Less than one year	2.51%	14
1-2 Years	4.30%	24
3-5 Years	13.80%	77
6-10 Years	17.20%	96
11-20 Years	22.94%	128
21-30 Years	14.16%	79
More than 30 Years	25.09%	140
TOTAL		558

Q12 Locate yourself on the following positional scale. You may select all that apply:

Answered: 551 Skipped: 56

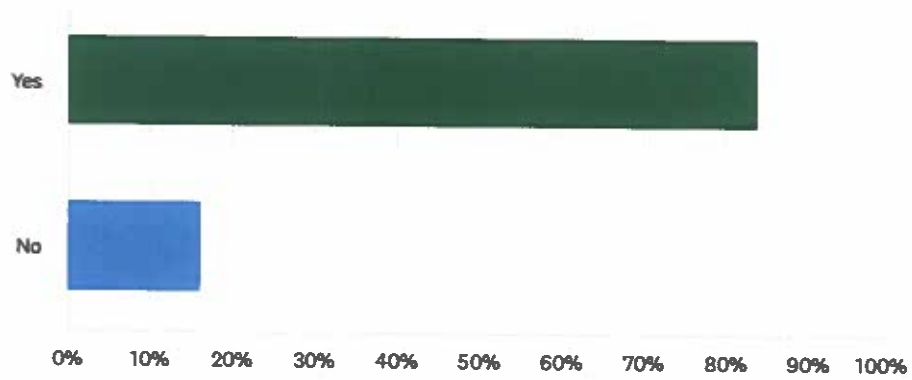


Hinsdale County OHV Program Survey

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1. I think that OHVs should be permitted on all Hinsdale County roads including those in the Town of Lake City at ALL times of the year without restriction.	24.14%	133
2. I think that OHVs should be permitted on State Highway 149 without restriction all year long.	12.52%	69
3. I think that OHVs should be permitted on State Highway 149 between the Toy Wash and Woodlake Park for the tourist season (this would extend the boundaries on both ends).	37.75%	208
4. I think that OHVs should be permitted on State Highway 149 between Ocean Wave Drive and County Road 30 as it existed during the pilot program for the tourist season.	14.34%	79
5. I think that OHVs should be permitted on State Highway 149, but with more restrictions related to weeks and hours of operation.	17.60%	97
6. I think that OHVs should NOT be permitted anywhere on State Highway 149 at any time of the year (but still permitted in the Town of Lake City and on other county roads).	2.36%	13
7. I think that OHVs should NOT be permitted anywhere on State Highway 149 or on the roads that encompass Lake San Cristobal (but still permitted in the Town of Lake City and on other county roads).	2.18%	12
8. I think that OHVs should NOT be permitted in the Town of Lake City, on State Highway 149, or on the roads that encompass Lake San Cristobal at any time of the year, but still permitted on other county roads.	12.16%	67
9. I think that OHVs should NOT be permitted in the Town of Lake City, on State Highway 149, or on county roads other than those designated for such vehicles (e.g., Nellie Creek, Sawmill, Wager Gulch).	14.70%	81
10. I think that OHVs should NOT be permitted on any Hinsdale County roads including those in the Town of Lake City at any time of the year.	11.43%	63
Total Respondents: 551		

Q13 Do you think that OHVs should have access to the Alpine Loop?

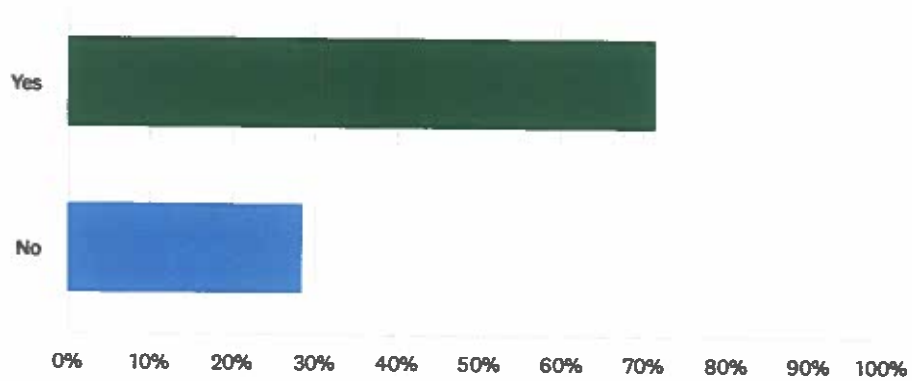
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	83.71%	447
No	16.29%	87
TOTAL		534

Q14 Do you think that the current rate, set by Colorado Parks & Wildlife of \$25.25 for an annual permit sticker to operate an OHV in Colorado is reasonable?

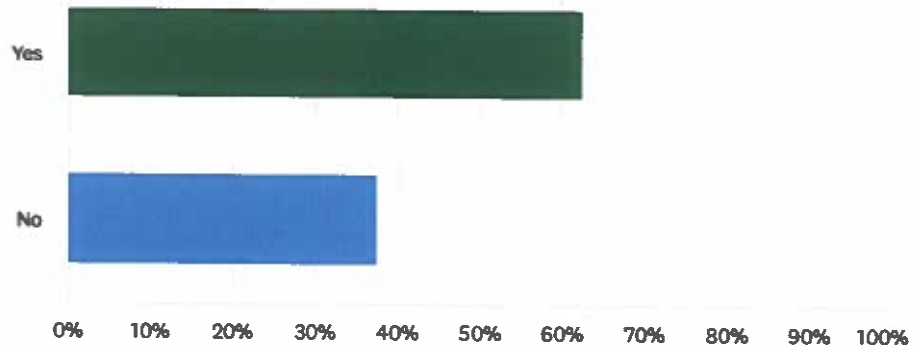
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	71.35%	381
No	28.65%	153
TOTAL		534

Q15 If possible, do you think Hinsdale County should implement an additional permit to operate OHVs on our county roads?

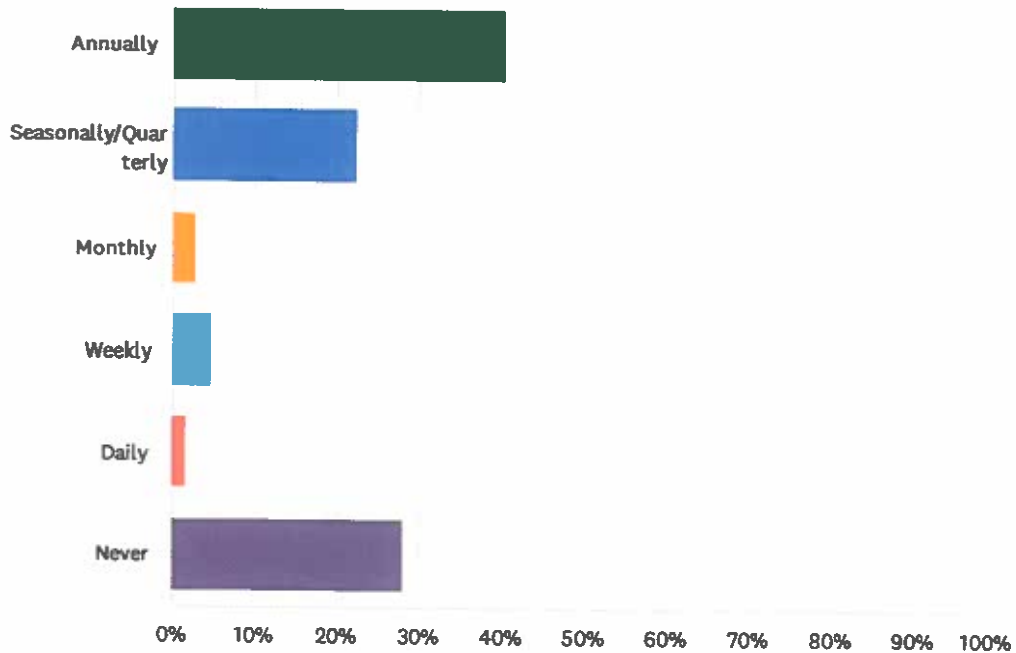
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	62.55%	334
No	37.45%	200
TOTAL		534

Q16 If it were possible, for what duration do you think that Hinsdale County should implement additional permits to operate OHVs on county roads?

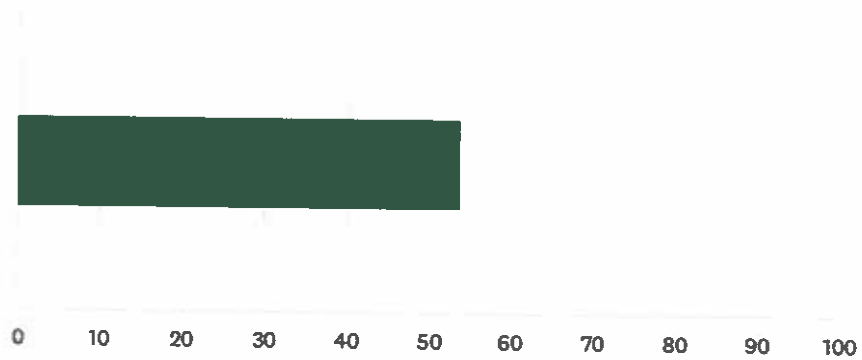
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Annually	40.26%	215
Seasonally/Quarterly	22.47%	120
Monthly	2.81%	15
Weekly	4.68%	25
Daily	1.69%	9
Never	28.09%	150
TOTAL		534

Q19 Recreation Opportunities

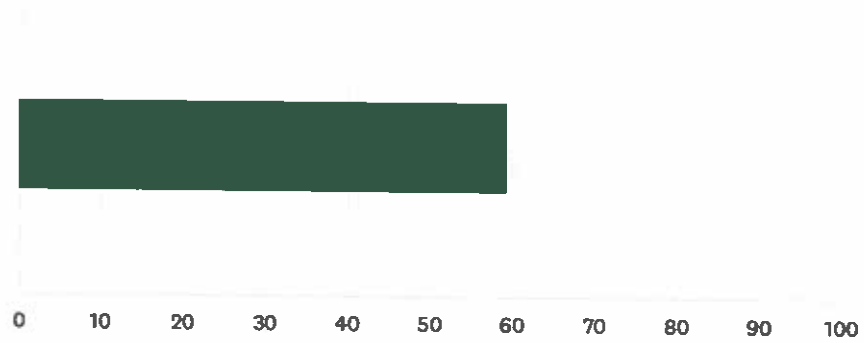
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534		54	28,692

Q20 Access to the Alpine Loop

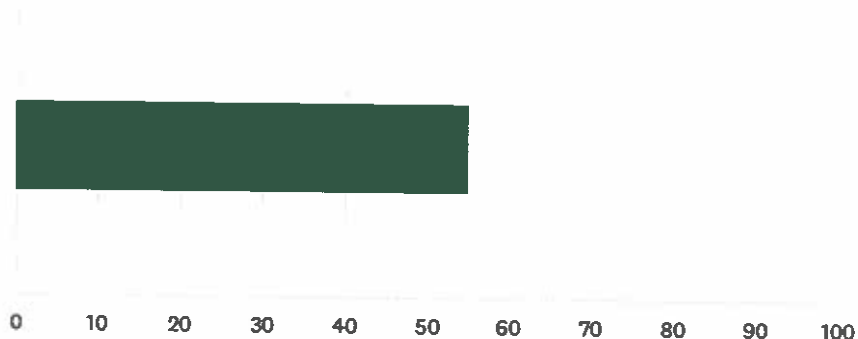
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534	59	31,678	534

Q21 Increased Tourism

Answered: 534 Skipped: 73



ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534	55	29,361	534

Q22 Tax Revenue

Answered: 534 Skipped: 73



ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534		58	30,780
			534

Q23 Stronger Economy

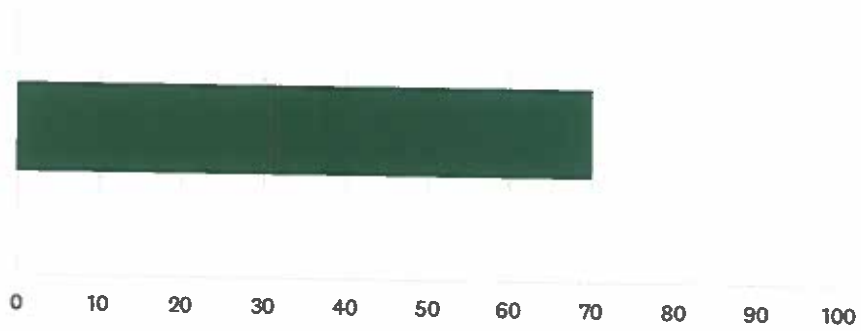
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534		62	33,240
			534

Q24 Increased Noise

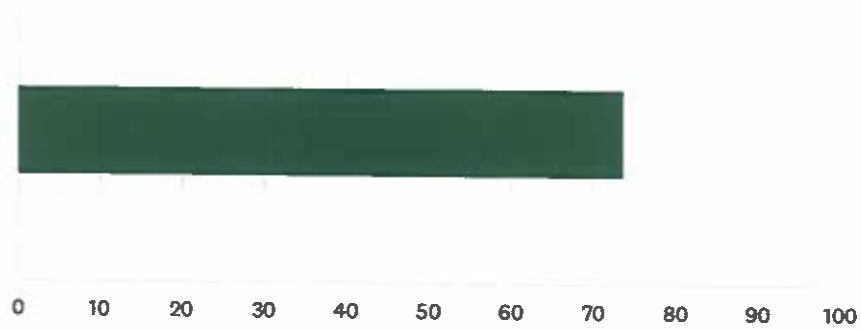
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534		70	37,359
			534

Q25 Deterioration of the Roads

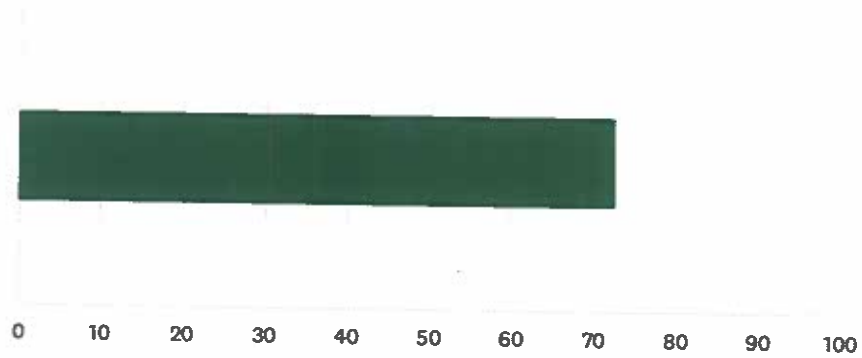
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534		74	39,274 534

Q26 Impact on Wildlife

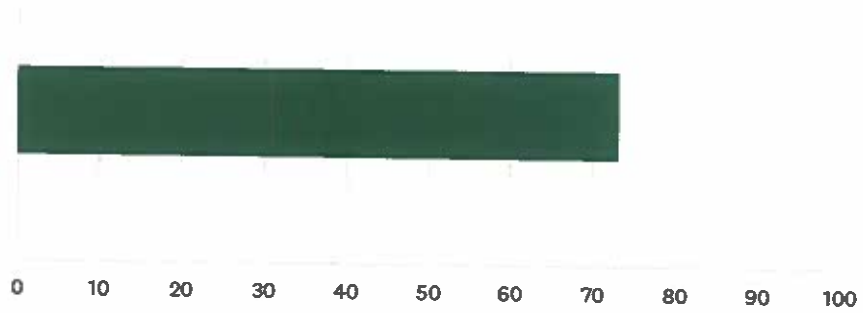
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534		73	38,760 534

Q27 Safety Concerns

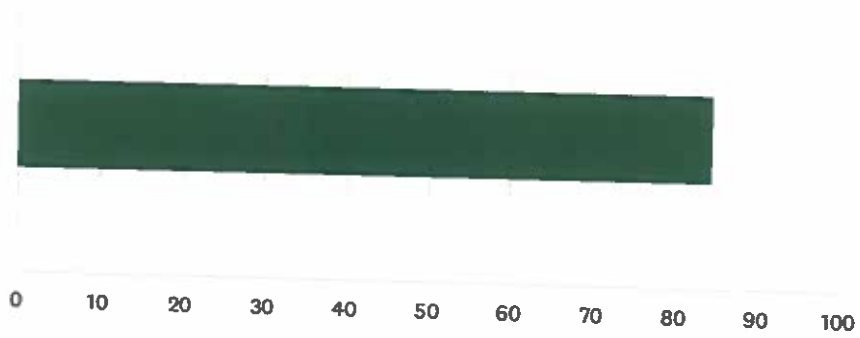
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534		73	39,073

Q28 Enforcement of Regulations and Laws

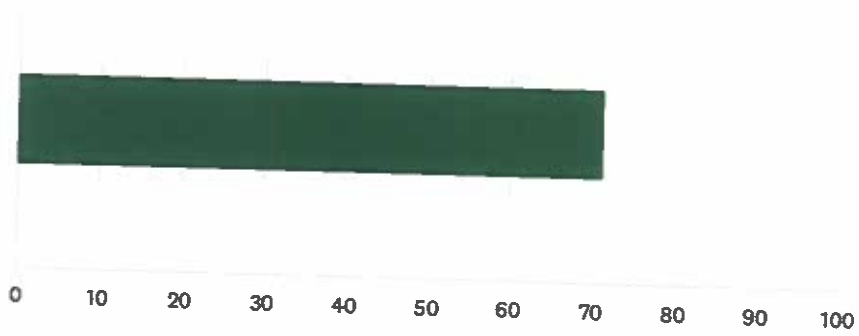
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534	84	45,088	534

Q29 Increased Dust

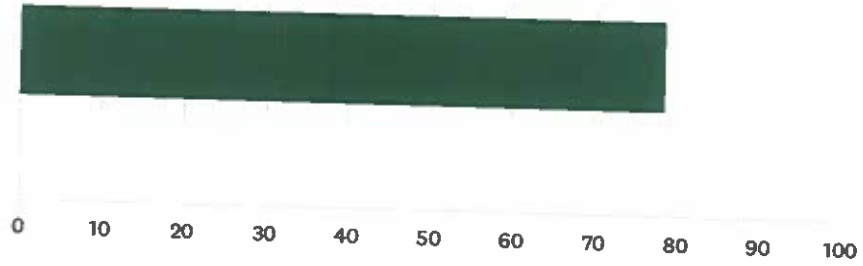
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534	71	38,080	534

Q30 Environmental Preservation

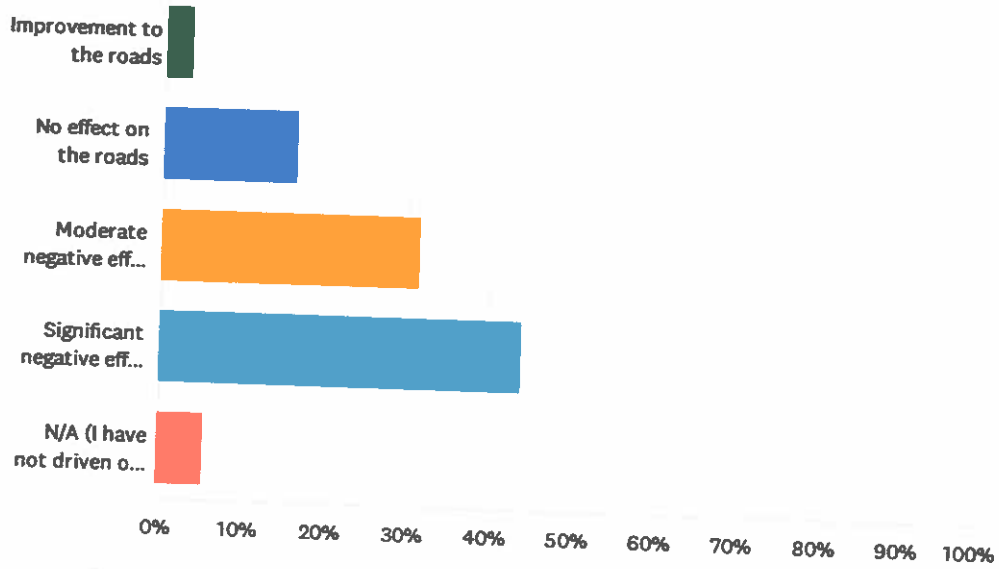
Answered: 534 Skipped: 73



ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 534	79	41,948	534

Q32 How do you believe the OHV program has affected the county roads that make up the Alpine Loop?

Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



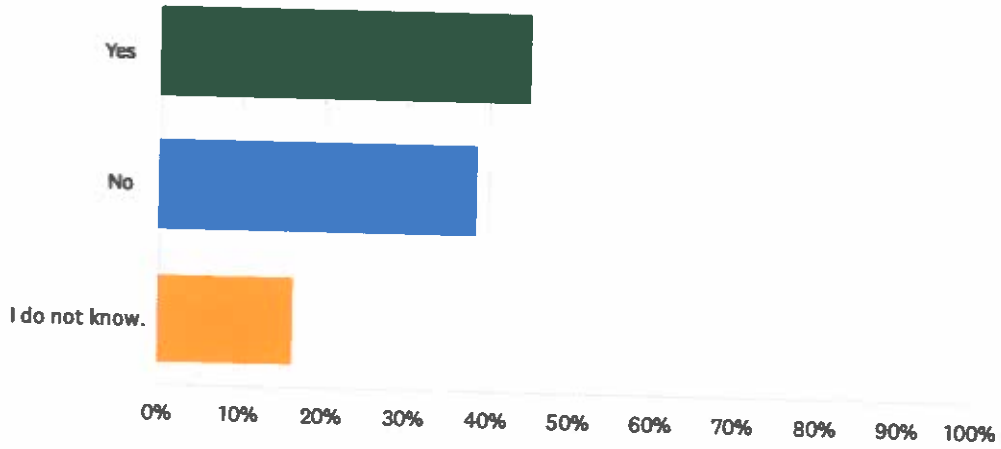
ANSWER CHOICES

RESPONSES

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	Count
Improvement to the roads	3.20%	17
No effect on the roads	16.20%	86
Moderate negative effect on the roads	31.26%	166
Significant negative effect on the roads	43.88%	233
N/A (I have not driven on the county roads that make up the Alpine Loop.)	5.46%	29
TOTAL		531

Q33 Do you think that the Hinsdale County Roads and Bridges department is maintaining the roads satisfactorily?

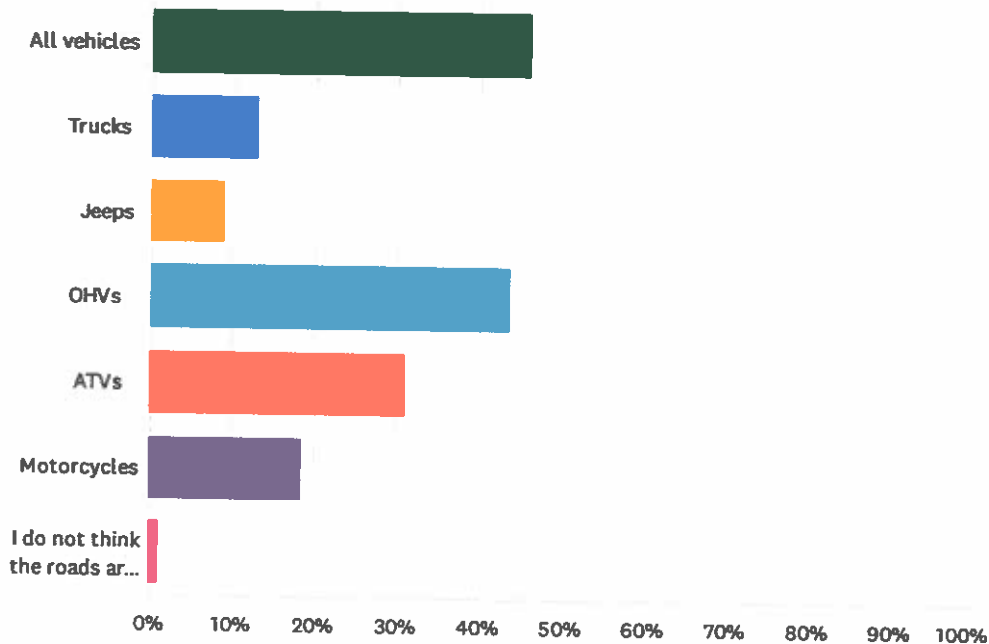
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	45.01%	239
No	38.61%	205
I do not know.	16.38%	87
TOTAL		531

Q34 Which vehicles do you believe are affecting the unpaved county roads the most?

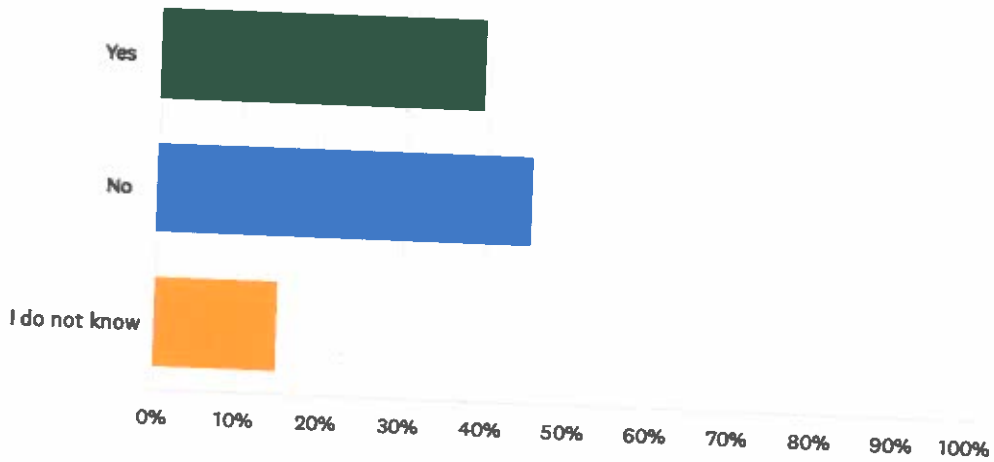
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
All vehicles	46.14%	245
Trucks	12.99%	69
Jeeps	9.04%	48
OHVs	43.69%	232
ATVs	31.07%	165
Motorcycles	18.64%	99
I do not think the roads are affected by any vehicles.	1.32%	7
Total Respondents: 531		

Q35 Do you think we have enough signage in the county to help OHV drivers understand the laws and regulations surrounding OHV usage in Hinsdale County?

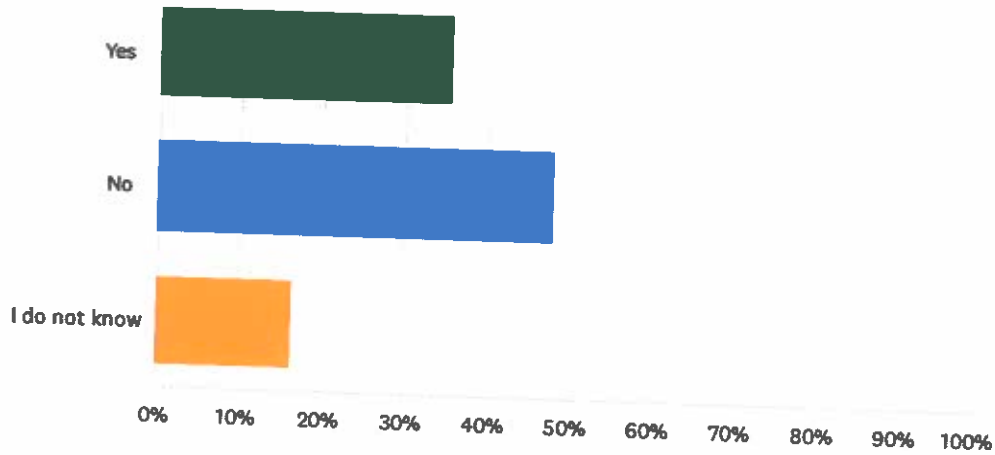
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	39.55%	210
No	45.57%	242
I do not know	14.88%	79
TOTAL		531

Q36 Would you support a tax increase to help fund increased maintenance for Hinsdale County roads?

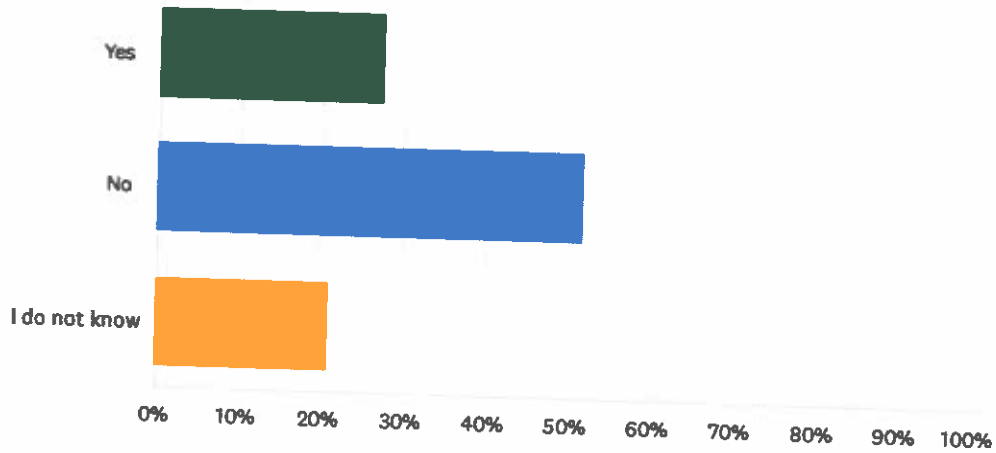
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	35.40%	188
No	48.21%	256
I do not know	16.38%	87
TOTAL		531

Q37 Do you think that OHV drivers are informed and educated on the proper use of OHVs?

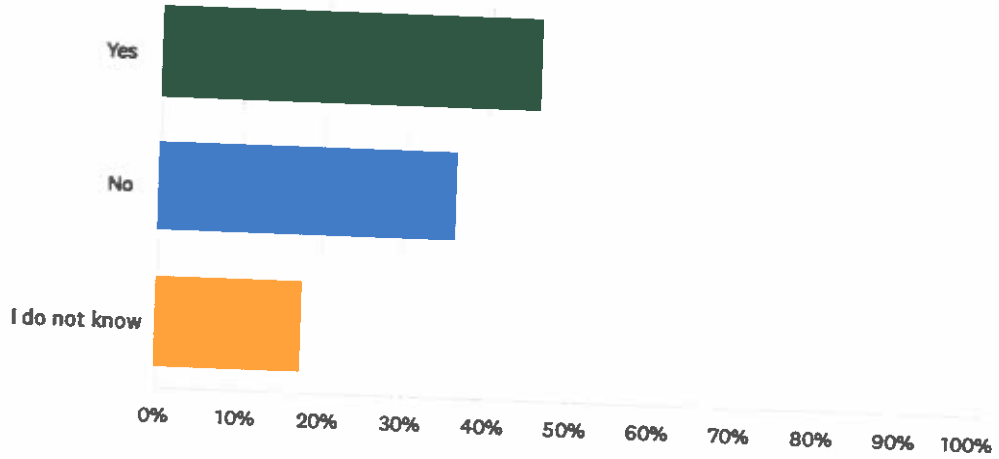
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	27.31% 145
No	51.79% 275
I do not know	20.90% 111
TOTAL	531

Q38 Do you think that more education for OHV drivers will reduce the number of infractions?

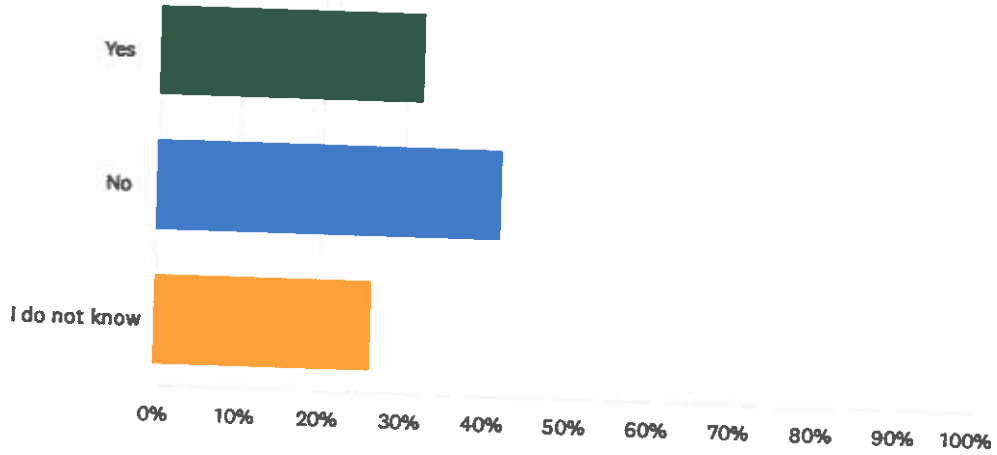
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	45.95%	244
No	36.35%	193
I do not know	17.70%	94
TOTAL		531

Q39 Do you think that the Hinsdale County Sheriff's department enforced the county regulations and ordinances satisfactorily?

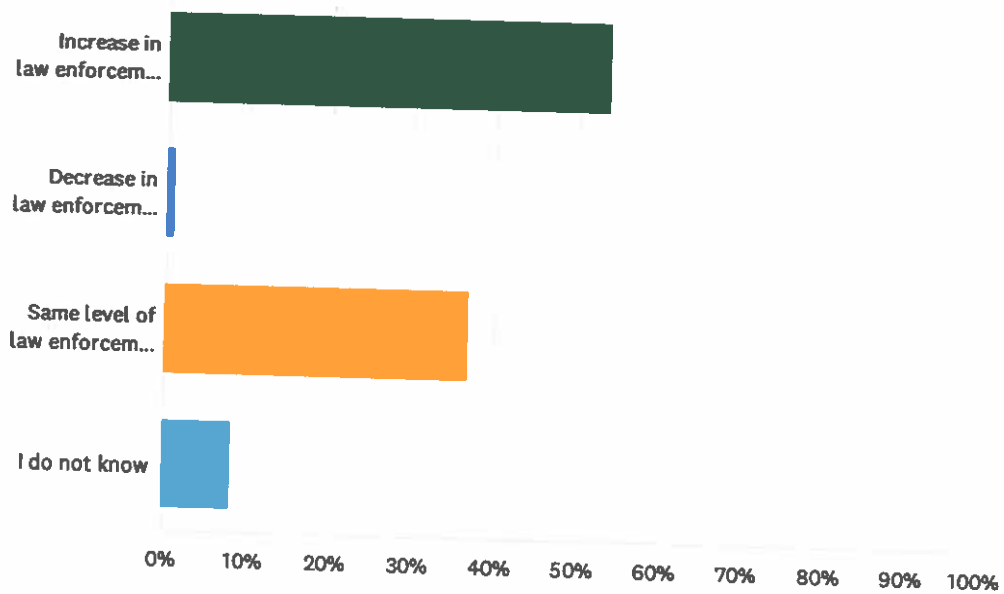
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	32.02%	170
No	41.81%	222
I do not know	26.18%	139
TOTAL		531

Q40 If an OHV program is implemented for 2024, would you like to see an increase, decrease, or the same level of law enforcement in the Town of Lake City.

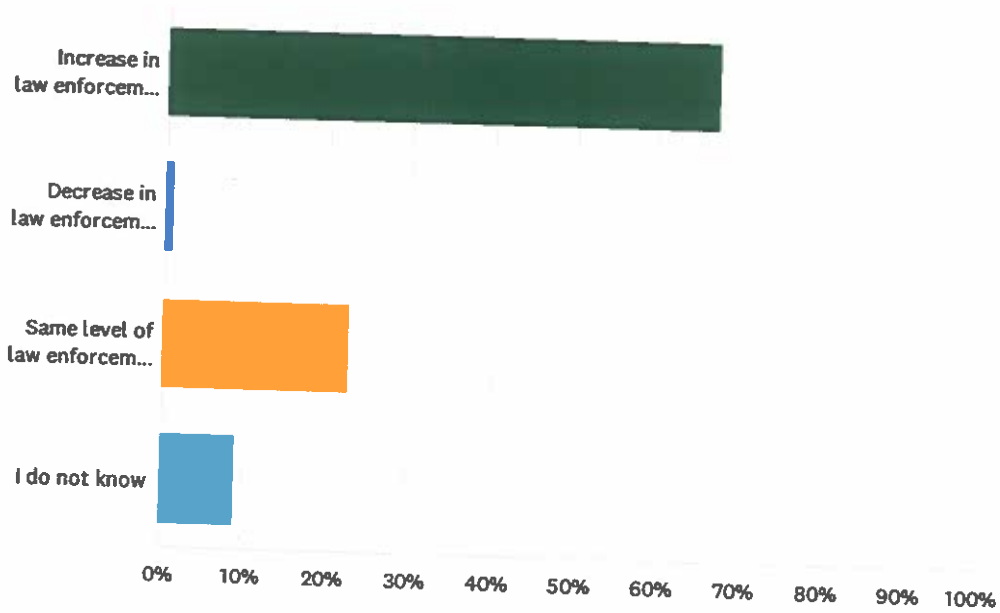
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Increase in law enforcement in the Town of Lake City	53.67%	285
Decrease in law enforcement in the Town of Lake City	1.13%	6
Same level of law enforcement in the Town of Lake City	36.91%	196
I do not know	8.29%	44
TOTAL		531

Q41 If an OHV program is implemented for 2024, would you like to see an increase, decrease, or the same level of law enforcement on the Alpine Loop.

Answered: 531 Skipped: 76

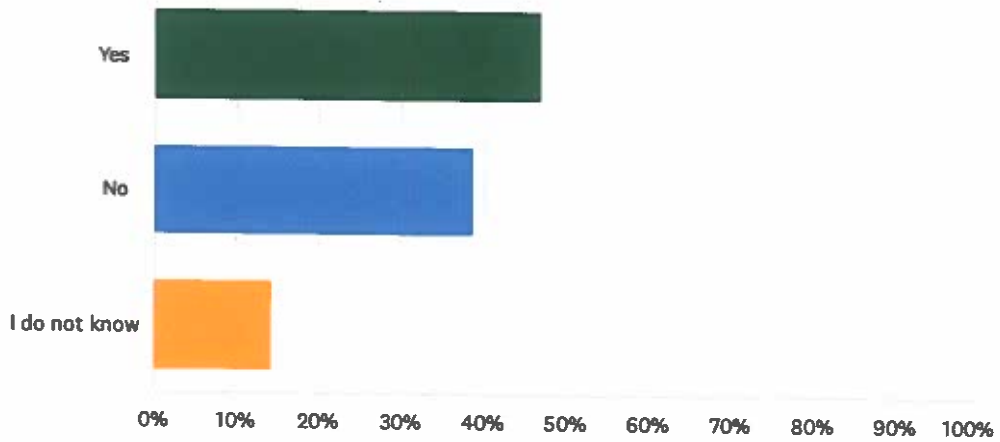


ANSWER CHOICES

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Increase in law enforcement on the Alpine Loop.	67.23%	357
Decrease in law enforcement on the Alpine Loop.	1.13%	6
Same level of law enforcement on the Alpine Loop.	22.60%	120
I do not know	9.04%	48
TOTAL		531

Q42 Would you support a tax increase to fund additional support for the Hinsdale County Sheriff Department?

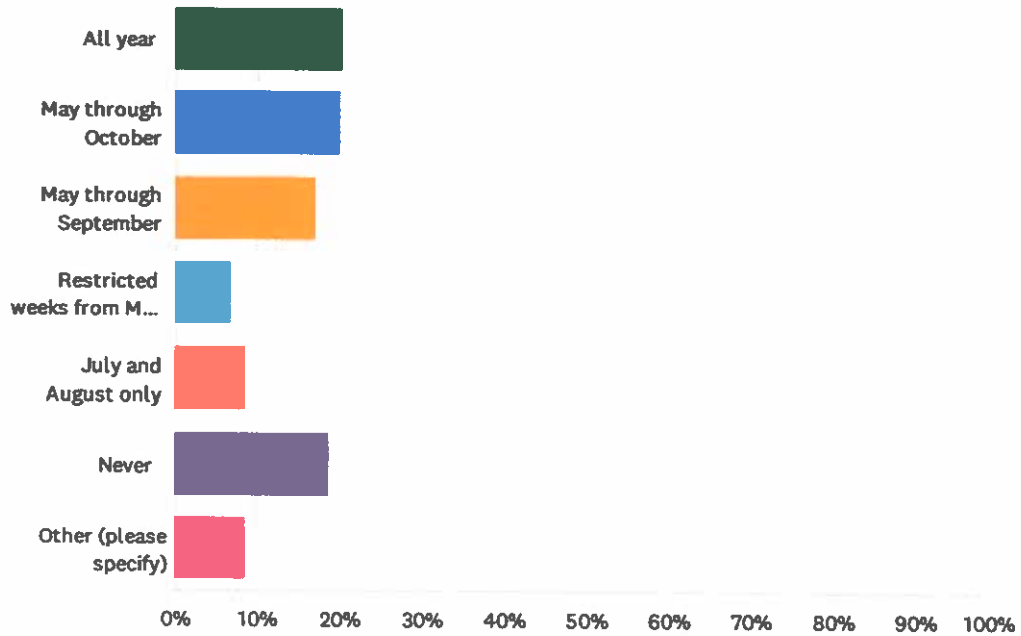
Answered: 531 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	46.89%	249
No	38.79%	206
I do not know	14.31%	76
TOTAL		531

Q43 If permitted, what weeks would you prefer to have OHVs on the roads?

Answered: 528 Skipped: 79



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
All year	20.27%	107
May through October	20.08%	106
May through September	17.05%	90
Restricted weeks from May through September	6.82%	36
July and August only	8.52%	45
Never	18.75%	99
Other (please specify)	8.52%	45
TOTAL		528

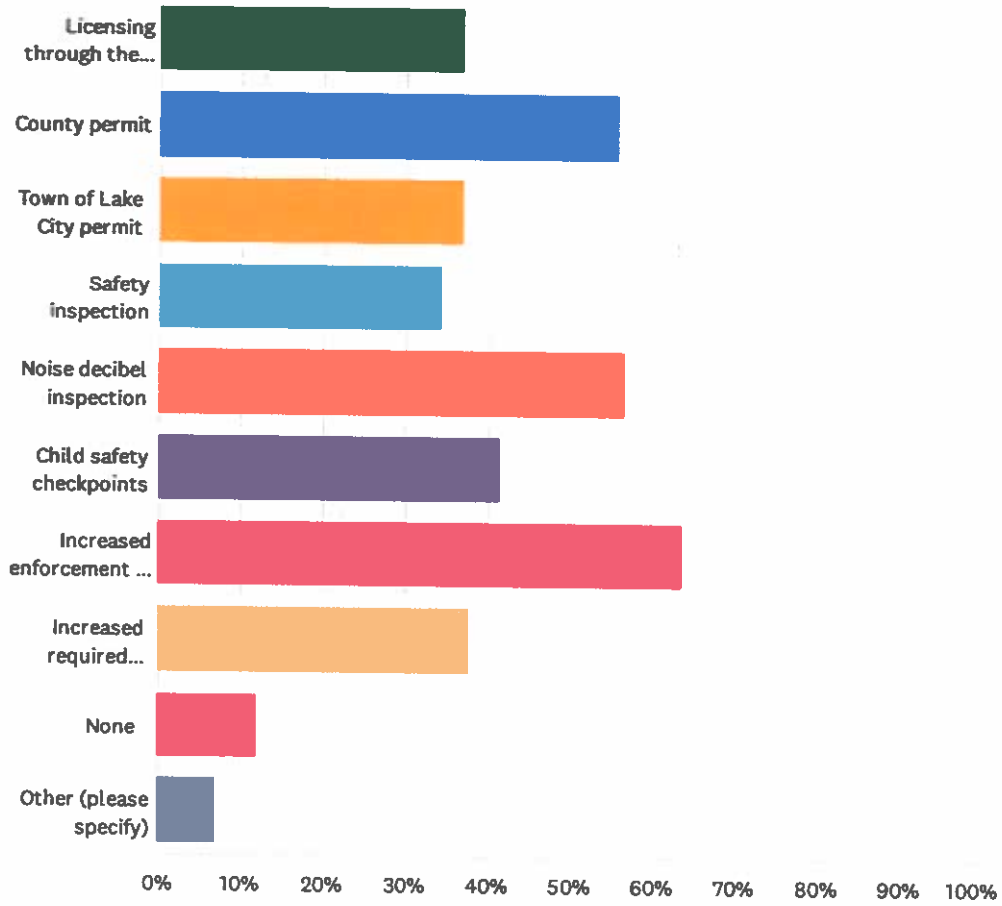
Q44 If permitted, what hours would you prefer to have OHVs on county roads including Highway 149? (Please use whole number and include AM and PM, e.g., Beginning at: 6AM and Ending at: 8PM.) (You may input "All hours" or "No hours" in both boxes.)

Answered: 492 Skipped: 115

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Beginning at:	100.00%	492
Ending at:	96.14%	473

Q45 If permitted, which of the following would you like to see implemented.

Answered: 528 Skipped: 79

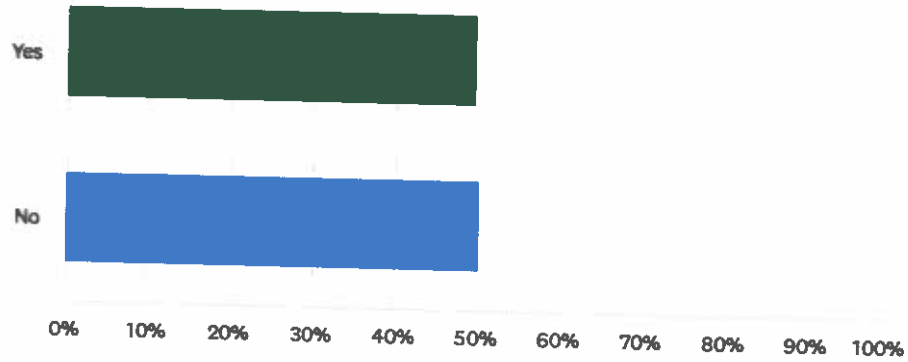


Hinsdale County OHV Program Survey

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Licensing through the State of Colorado	36.93%	195
County permit	55.87%	295
Town of Lake City permit	36.93%	195
Safety inspection	34.28%	181
Noise decibel inspection	56.82%	300
Child safety checkpoints	41.67%	220
Increased enforcement of regulations	63.83%	337
Increased required education	37.69%	199
None	12.12%	64
Other (please specify)	7.01%	37
Total Respondents: 528		

Q46 Do you think that OHVs should be inspected to be permitted on the county roads or highway?

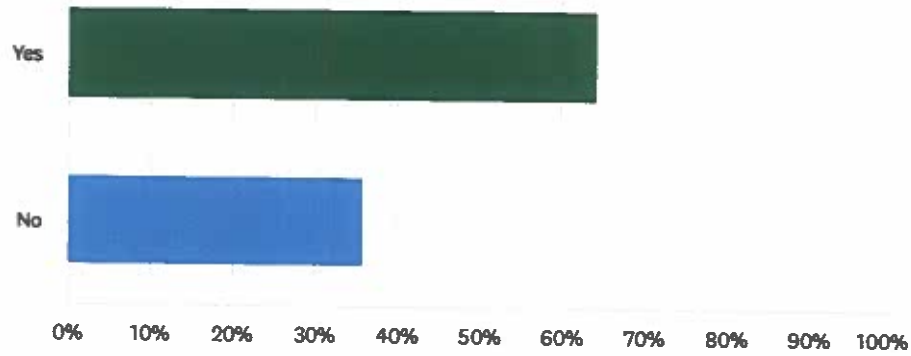
Answered: 528 Skipped: 79



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	49.62%	262
No	50.38%	266
TOTAL		528

Q47 Do you think that all recreational vehicles should pass a sound decibel test to be permitted on the county roads or the highway?

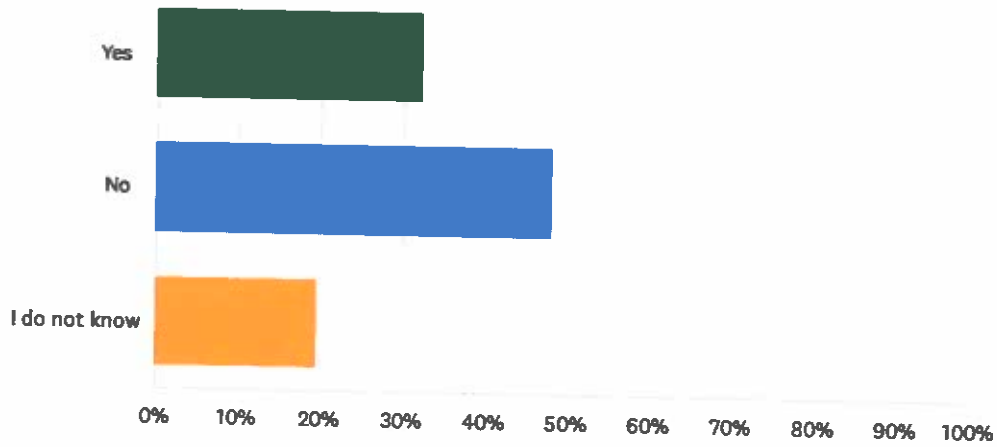
Answered: 528 Skipped: 79



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	64.20%	339
No	35.80%	189
TOTAL		528

Q48 Do you think that Hinsdale County should limit the total number of vehicles permitted on the Alpine Loop each year?

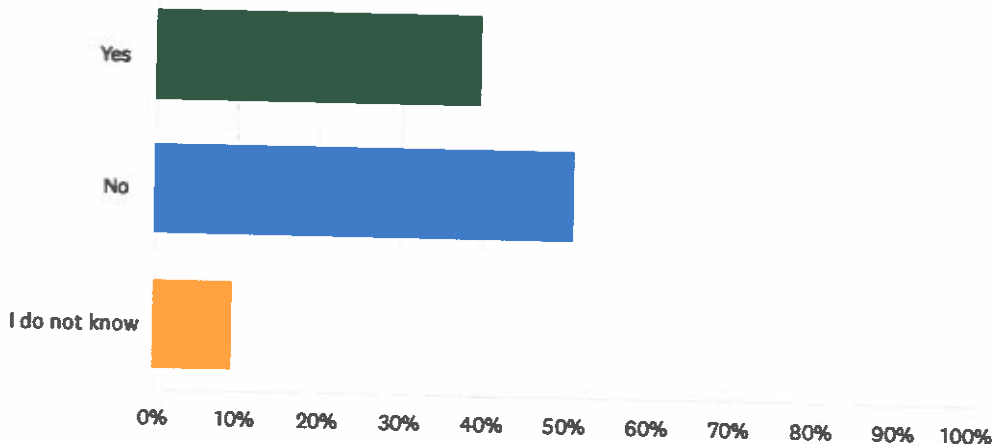
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	32.20%	170
No	48.11%	254
I do not know	19.70%	104
TOTAL		528

Q49 Would you prefer to see OHVs use the existing staging/loading area outside of town instead of giving OHVs access to Highway 149?

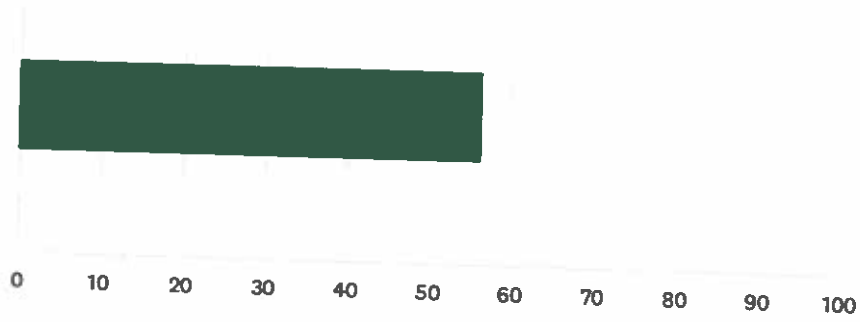
Answered: 528 Skipped: 79



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	39.39%	208
No	50.95%	269
I do not know	9.66%	51
TOTAL		528

Q50 In general, how supportive are you of the OHV program that was implemented in Hinsdale County during the pilot program?

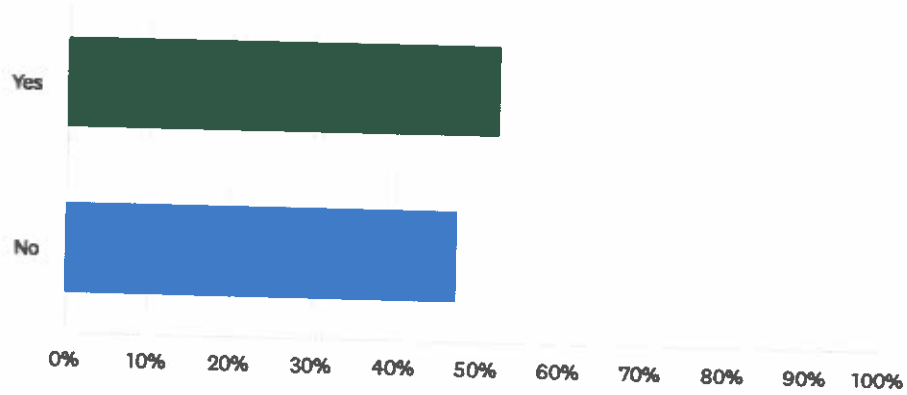
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ANSWER CHOICES	AVERAGE NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	RESPONSES
Total Respondents: 525	56	29,539	525

Q51 If you had to choose today, would you renew the OHV program as it was implemented in the pilot program?

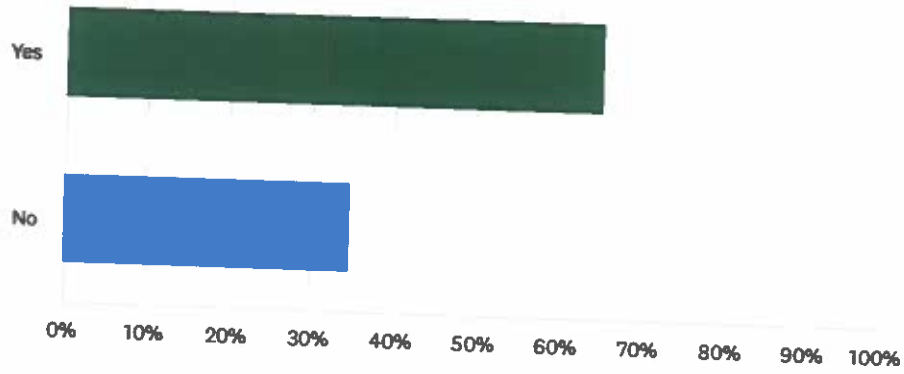
Answered: 525 Skipped: 82



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	52.38%	275
No	47.62%	250
TOTAL		525

Q52 If you had to choose today, could you support the renewal of the OHV program if it included restrictions?

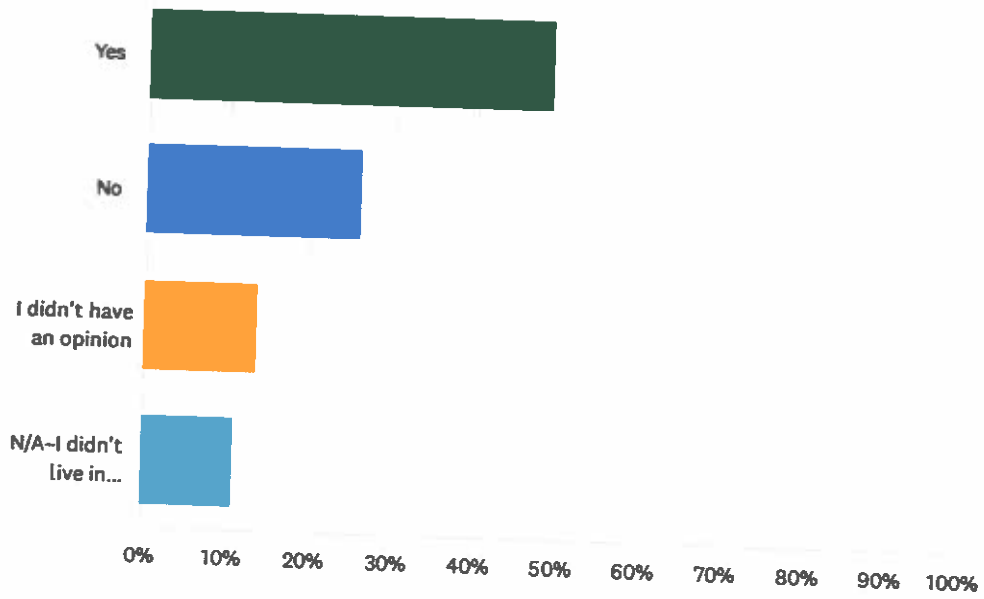
Answered: 525 Skipped: 82



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	65.33%	343
No	34.67%	182
TOTAL		525

Q53 Were you in support of the 149 pilot program that began in 2019?

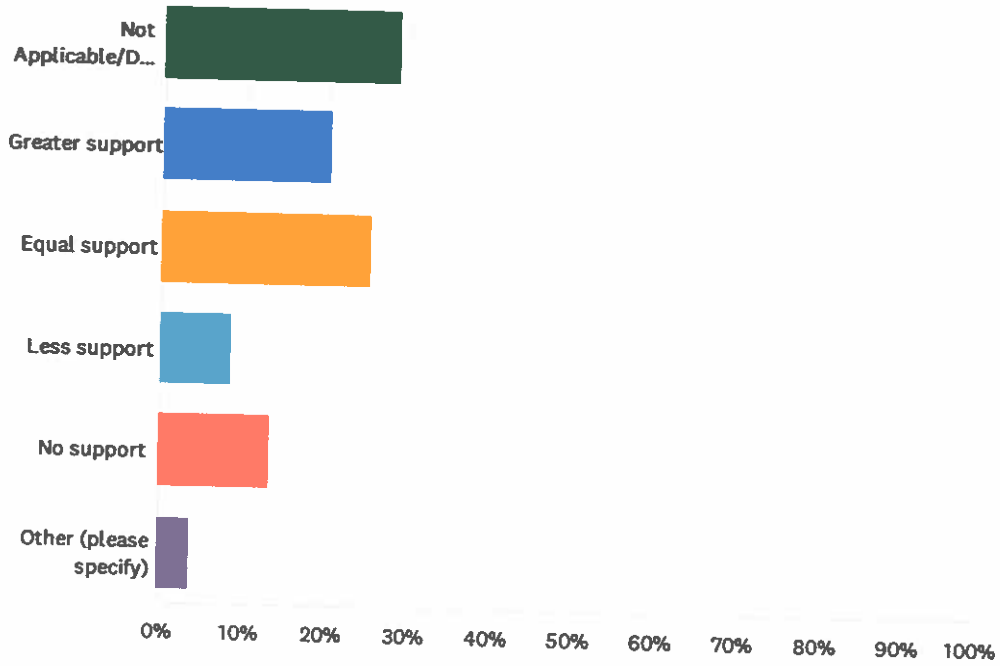
Answered: 525 Skipped: 82



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	49.14%	258
No	26.10%	137
I didn't have an opinion	13.71%	72
N/A-I didn't live in Hinsdale County at that time	11.05%	58
TOTAL		525

Q54 If you supported the OHV pilot program in 2019, what is your level of support today?

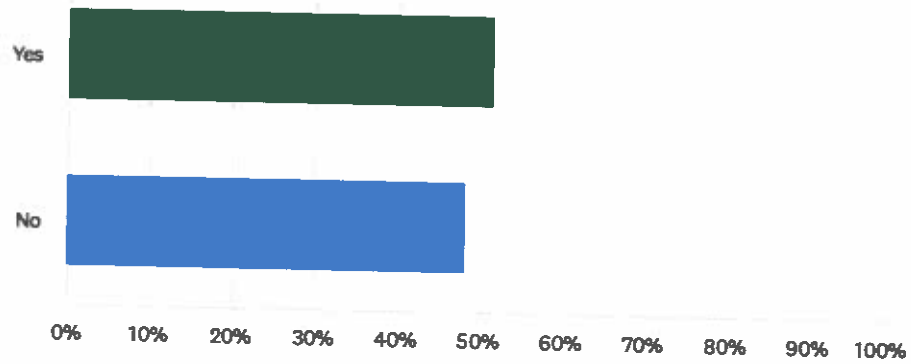
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Not Applicable/Did not support at that time	28.57%	150
Greater support	20.38%	107
Equal support	25.33%	133
Less support	8.57%	45
No support	13.33%	70
Other (please specify)	3.81%	20
TOTAL		525

Q55 Do you believe a formal study of the economic benefits and impacts that an OHV program has on businesses and organizations would be beneficial to conduct?

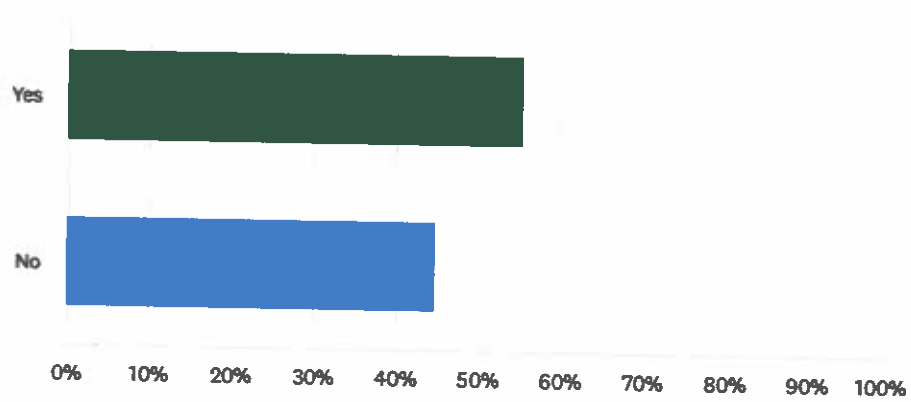
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	51.62%	271
No	48.38%	254
TOTAL		525

Q56 Do you believe a formal study on the impact that an OHV program has on the environment and wildlife would be beneficial to conduct?

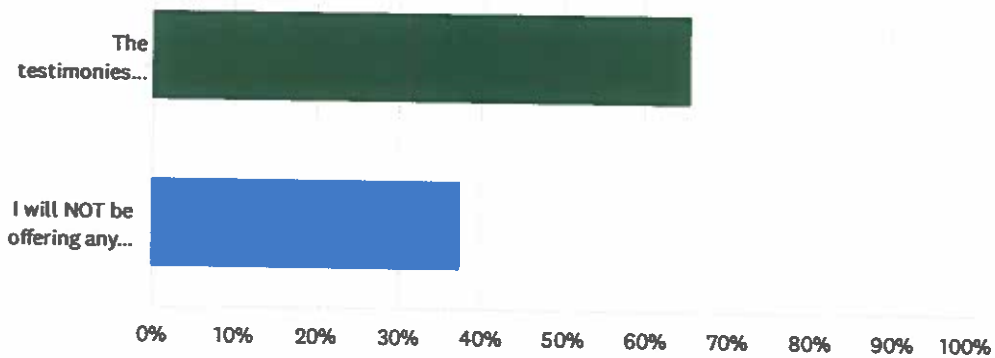
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	55.24%	290
No	44.76%	235
TOTAL		525

Q57 By checking the box below, you are indicating that all testimonies and/or narratives offered are true and accurate accounts based on your personal experience. If you're not participating in the narrative section please select "NEXT" below.

Answered: 523 Skipped: 84



ANSWER CHOICES

RESPONSES

The testimonies and/or narratives offered in the narrative sections below are true and accurate accounts based on my personal experience.

65.39% 342

I will NOT be offering any personal narratives or comments.

37.48% 196

Total Respondents: 523