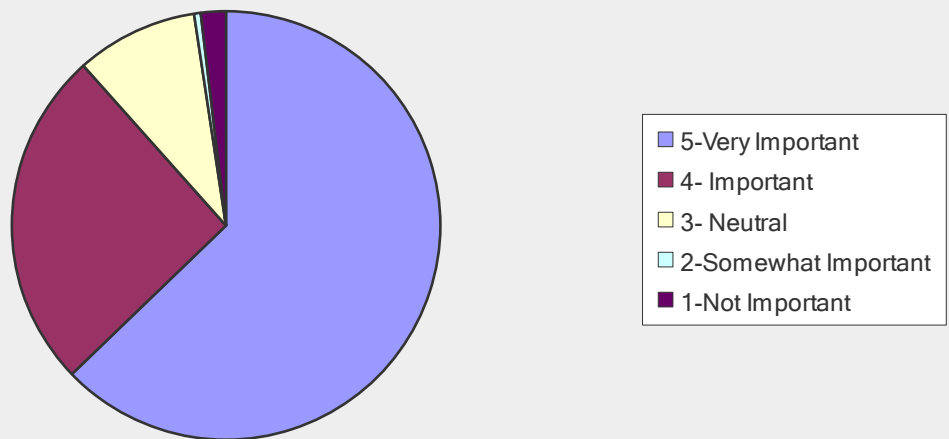


## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Committee is made of volunteers who represent various interests in the community. The Committee wants to focus the plan on the issues that are most important to the

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	62.8%	130
4- Important	25.6%	53
3- Neutral	9.2%	19
2-Somewhat Important	0.5%	1
1-Not Important	1.9%	4
<i>answered question</i>		<b>207</b>
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### What Are the Most Important Issues Facing Boothbay Over the Next Ten Years

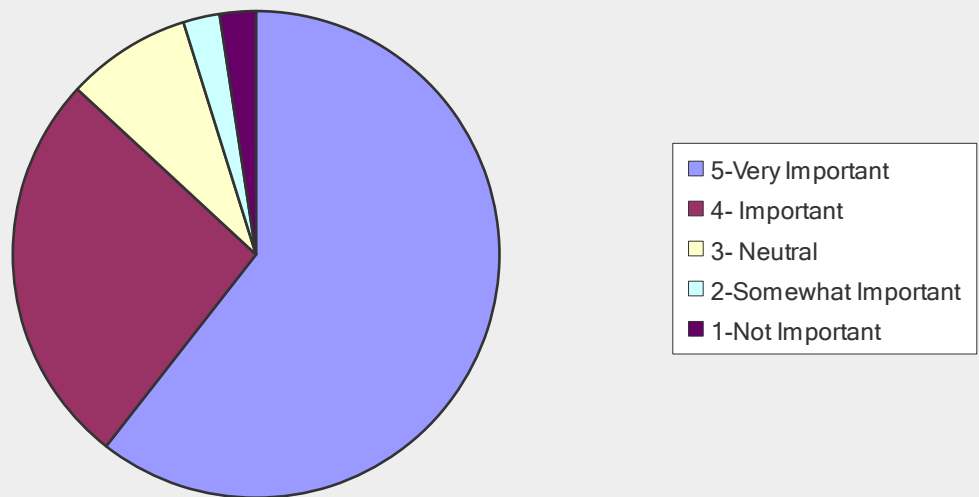




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Providing a high-quality, 21st Century school system		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	60.5%	124
4- Important	26.3%	54
3- Neutral	8.3%	17
2-Somewhat Important	2.4%	5
1-Not Important	2.4%	5
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**Providing a high-quality, 21st Century school system**



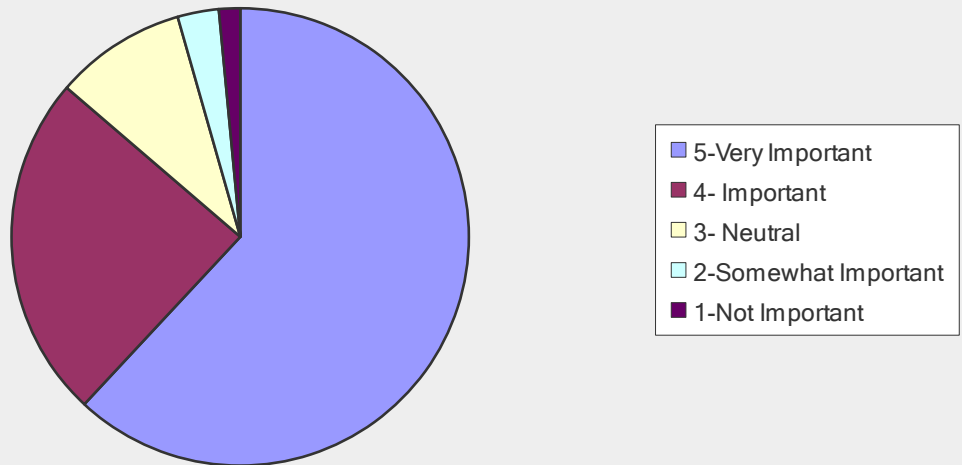


## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Protecting the quality and quantity of the groundwater that people tap for wells

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	62.0%	127
4- Important	24.4%	50
3- Neutral	9.3%	19
2-Somewhat Important	2.9%	6
1-Not Important	1.5%	3
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**Protecting the quality and quantity of the groundwater that people tap for wells**



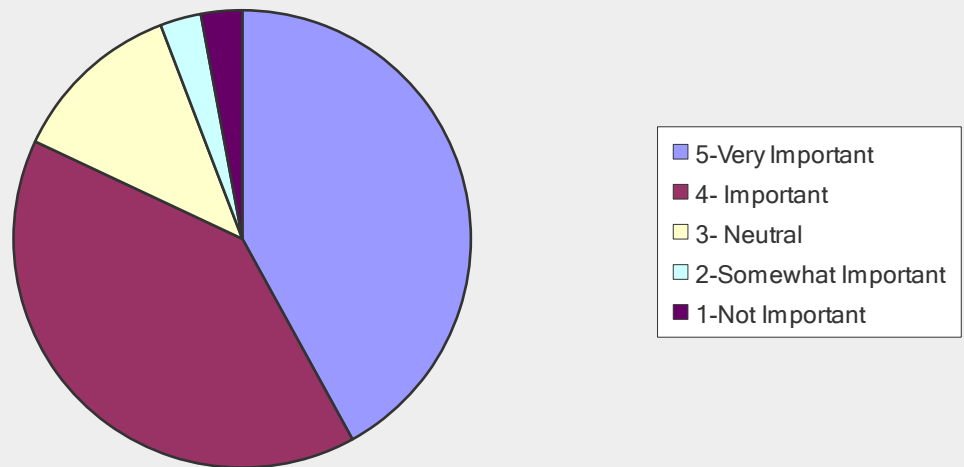


## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Assuring that there is housing available that is affordable for working families

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	42.0%	86
4- Important	40.0%	82
3- Neutral	12.2%	25
2-Somewhat Important	2.9%	6
1-Not Important	2.9%	6
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**Assuring that there is housing available that is affordable for working families**

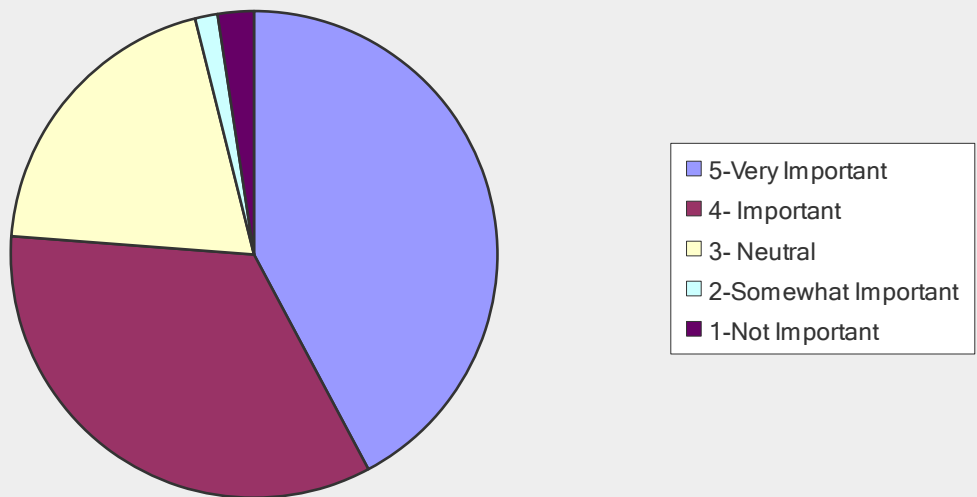




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Attracting young families to live in Boothbay		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	42.2%	87
4- Important	34.0%	70
3- Neutral	19.9%	41
2-Somewhat Important	1.5%	3
1-Not Important	2.4%	5
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### Attracting young families to live in Boothbay

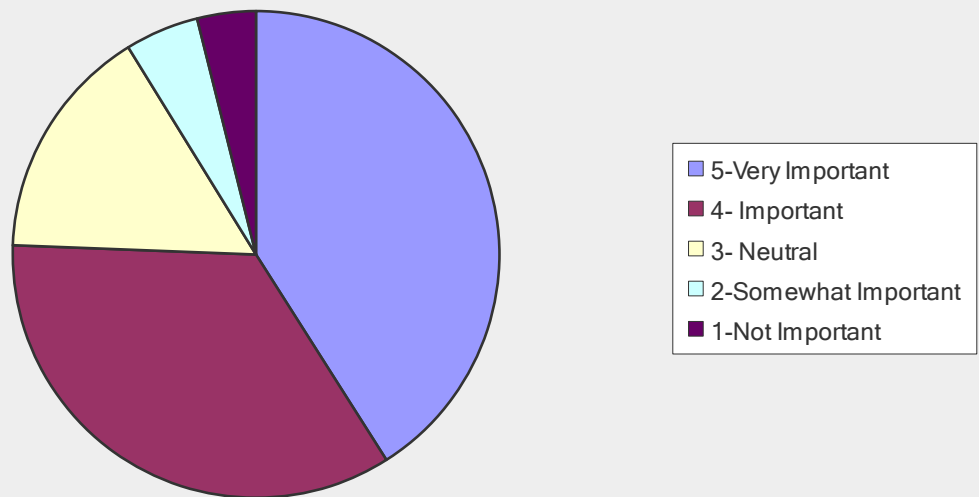




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Maintaining Route 27 as an attractive gateway to the community		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	41.0%	84
4- Important	34.6%	71
3- Neutral	15.6%	32
2-Somewhat Important	4.9%	10
1-Not Important	3.9%	8
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**Maintaining Route 27 as an attractive gateway to the community**

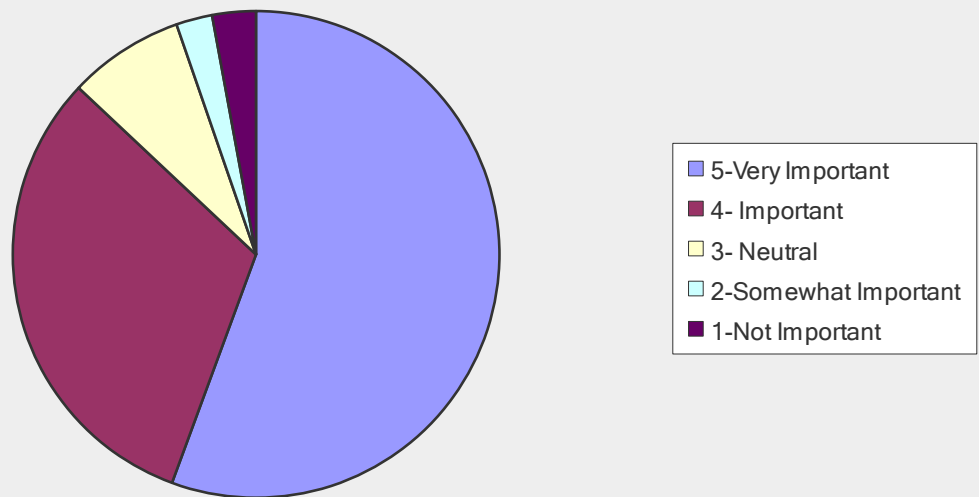




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Maintaining the coastal, New England character of the community		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	55.6%	115
4- Important	31.4%	65
3- Neutral	7.7%	16
2-Somewhat Important	2.4%	5
1-Not Important	2.9%	6
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**Maintaining the coastal, New England character of the community**

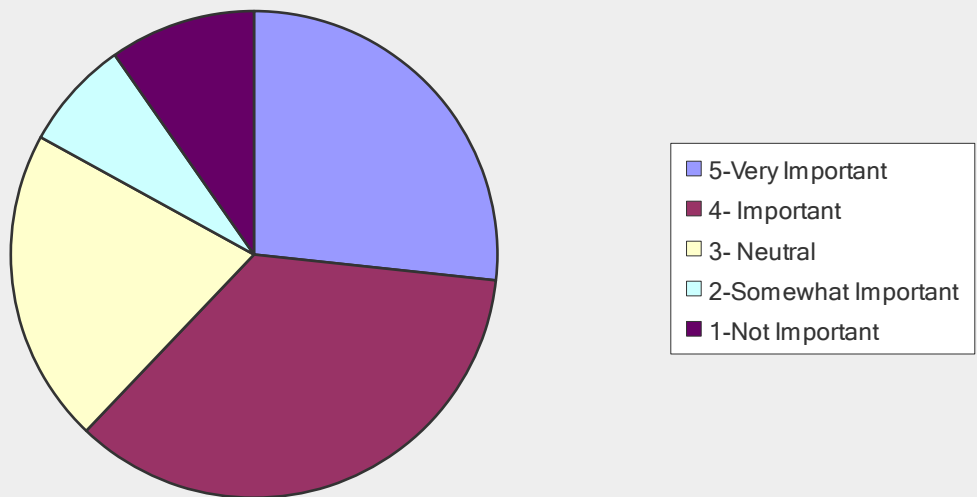




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Providing more pedestrian and bicycle trails		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	26.7%	55
4- Important	35.4%	73
3- Neutral	20.9%	43
2-Somewhat Important	7.3%	15
1-Not Important	9.7%	20
<i>answered question</i>		<b>206</b>
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### Providing more pedestrian and bicycle trails

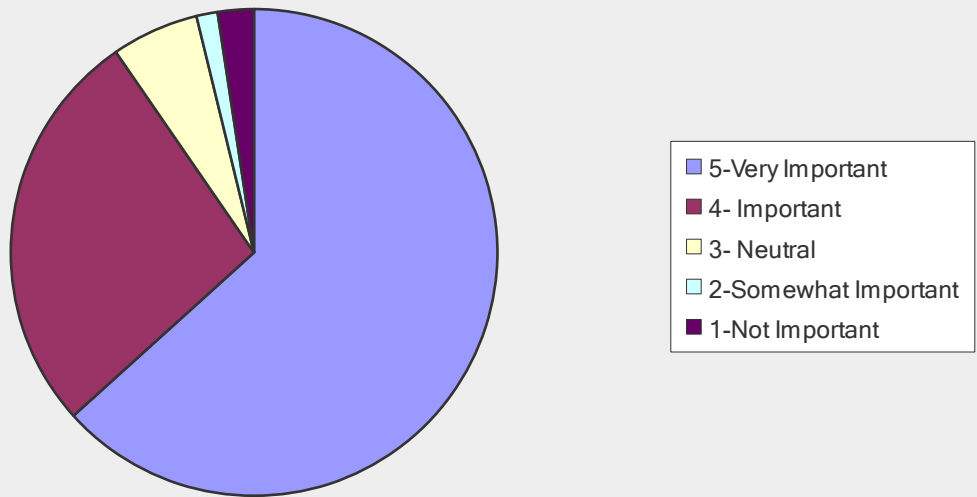




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Protecting the community's natural resources		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	63.3%	131
4- Important	27.1%	56
3- Neutral	5.8%	12
2-Somewhat Important	1.4%	3
1-Not Important	2.4%	5
<i>answered question</i>		<b>207</b>
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### Protecting the community's natural resources

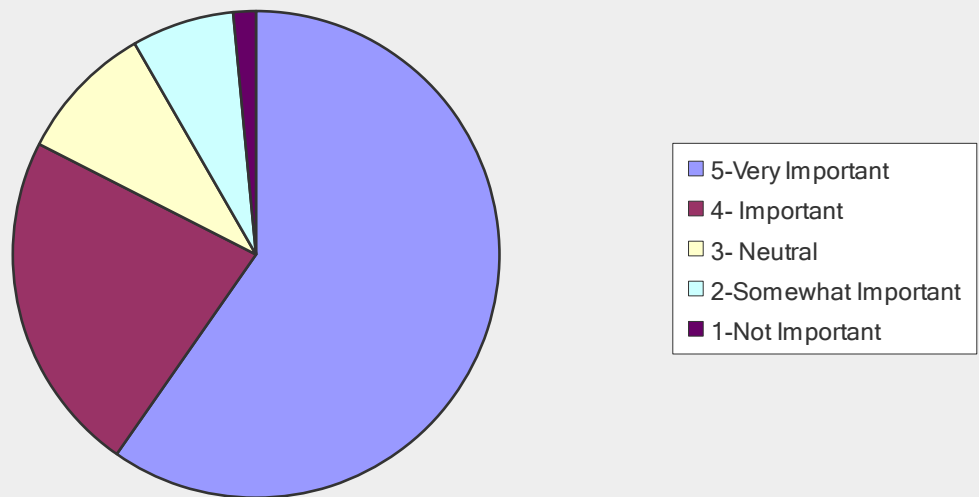




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Continuing to provide high-quality emergency medical services		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
5-Very Important	59.7%	123
4- Important	22.8%	47
3- Neutral	9.2%	19
2-Somewhat Important	6.8%	14
1-Not Important	1.5%	3
<i>answered question</i>		<b>206</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

**Continuing to provide high-quality emergency medical services**





## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

If you think there are other important issues that need to be addressed as we think about the future of Boothbay, please list them in the spaces below:

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Issue #1	100.0%	90
Issue #2	68.9%	62
Issue #3	45.6%	41
<i>answered question</i>		<b>90</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>117</b>

Number	Response Date	Issue #1	Categories	Issue #2
1	Jul 14, 2013 11:10 PM	jobs		protection i
2	Jul 14, 2013 10:22 PM	protect our fishing and clamming i		make sure
3	Jul 14, 2013 10:12 PM	Prevent Route 27 from looking like		Expand To
4	Jul 12, 2013 8:05 PM	Maintain a stable tax rate		Make sure
5	Jul 12, 2013 2:58 PM	Stop taxing long-time residents out of their ho		
6	Jul 11, 2013 5:01 PM	Tourism		Local Hosp
7	Jul 11, 2013 4:58 PM	Summer traffic will hinder ambular		taxes are h
8	Jul 11, 2013 4:41 PM	combine townships into one gover		replace sta
9	Jul 11, 2013 4:31 PM	Promote tourism..		individual t
10	Jul 11, 2013 2:00 PM	Keep St. Andrew's open in some capacity		
11	Jul 11, 2013 12:27 PM	loss of local control		high tax rat
12	Jul 10, 2013 8:59 PM	Make it easier for residents to do l		Please put
13	Jul 9, 2013 5:00 PM	Supporting fishing and boatbuildin		Working wi
14	Jul 9, 2013 4:28 PM	water quality drives quality of life f		seek longte
15	Jul 9, 2013 2:50 PM	limiting float plane access to small ponds		
16	Jul 9, 2013 11:24 AM	Updating of shoreline zoning ordir		Expanding
17	Jul 9, 2013 7:12 AM	PUBLIC ACCESS to marine and fi		Restricting
18	Jul 8, 2013 6:14 PM	Keeping property taxes under con		Improving c
19	Jul 8, 2013 5:47 PM	job increases are not in sector tha		planning, o
20	Jul 7, 2013 8:43 PM	maintain integrity of construction c		Keep buildi
21	Jul 5, 2013 4:08 PM	Avoid cut-rate chain stores		Cotinue to
22	Jul 5, 2013 4:01 PM	No more "dollar" type stores		Improving l
23	Jul 5, 2013 2:49 PM	Business Friendly Community		Providing Y
24	Jul 5, 2013 2:39 PM	schools - kids need to learn basic		Towns nee
25	Jul 4, 2013 5:11 PM	Resist the urge to over-develop th		Make bette
26	Jul 4, 2013 3:16 PM	cordinated planning and developm		increased j
27	Jul 4, 2013 11:19 AM	Fiber to the where cable is not an		More invol
28	Jul 3, 2013 8:23 PM	Keep a 24-hour emergency room-		Reduce ex
29	Jul 3, 2013 7:36 PM	Shoulders on the rural roads that		Slowing do
30	Jul 3, 2013 4:27 PM	Make the community people, pet f		maintain vi
31	Jul 3, 2013 3:53 PM	Be careful not to trash the area with things to		
32	Jul 3, 2013 2:26 PM	Lease small parcels for public par		Parking kic
33	Jul 3, 2013 1:55 PM	Emergency Acute Care 24 hours		Noire boxe
34	Jul 3, 2013 1:27 PM	Be able to play golf at the local course at an		
35	Jul 3, 2013 1:23 PM	seasonal one-way @ Ocean Point		

36	Jul 3, 2013 11:50 AM	more local activities year round.cookouts,skat
37	Jul 3, 2013 10:57 AM	Developing and maintaining pede!Encouragir
38	Jul 3, 2013 1:15 AM	Treating the rampant alcohol and drug proble
39	Jul 3, 2013 12:09 AM	Year-long tourism activities; winter (snow day
40	Jul 2, 2013 10:18 PM	medium density housing, ie, townl coordinate
41	Jul 2, 2013 10:11 PM	more business districts ordinance (
42	Jul 2, 2013 8:48 PM	Reducing cost of government by combining s
43	Jul 2, 2013 8:23 PM	Promoting the arts and culture in t Making the
44	Jul 2, 2013 8:21 PM	Joint planning with the Boothbay p Merging 4 (
45	Jul 2, 2013 7:47 PM	more activities for kids to do horseback riding
46	Jul 2, 2013 7:14 PM	The jobs and high quality education are partn
47	Jul 2, 2013 7:04 PM	creasing an accessible working wattracting li
48	Jul 2, 2013 6:55 PM	Shared services w/Boothbay HarbExpanded
49	Jul 2, 2013 6:06 PM	No more fluoride in drinking water
50	Jul 2, 2013 6:05 PM	allowing residents to own and operate busine
51	Jul 2, 2013 6:01 PM	Stop fluoridating the public water (Program to
52	Jul 2, 2013 5:42 PM	Save Saint Andrews!
53	Jul 2, 2013 5:31 PM	Roads need to have better mainteNeed more
54	Jul 2, 2013 5:26 PM	Town Beautification traffic patte
55	Jul 2, 2013 4:54 PM	Maintenance and proper pavement of second
56	Jul 2, 2013 4:40 PM	Provide Medical & Hospital in-pati Provide Bo
57	Jul 2, 2013 4:18 PM	Allowing business signs to be disp.Cleaning tr
58	Jul 2, 2013 4:17 PM	Stopping overdevelopment Tacky unke
59	Jul 2, 2013 4:08 PM	Providing regionalized school services instea
60	Jul 2, 2013 3:54 PM	Grandfathering long time resident!Maintainin
61	Jul 2, 2013 3:31 PM	maintaining working waterfront public acce
62	Jul 2, 2013 3:24 PM	keep the taxes lower will attract pe dont restric
63	Jul 2, 2013 2:54 PM	Changing the zoning ordinance to what const
64	Jul 2, 2013 2:34 PM	maintaining local control of governimprove pa
65	Jul 2, 2013 1:27 PM	As long as businesses shut down Its very diff
66	Jul 2, 2013 1:15 PM	less restrictive zoning laws less restric
67	Jul 2, 2013 1:09 PM	property taxes too high for native lcronyism ir
68	Jul 2, 2013 12:55 PM	Tourism is the backbone industry The reasor
69	Jul 2, 2013 12:27 PM	Water and sewer along 27 Develop In
70	Jul 2, 2013 12:24 PM	Make development easier, commercial and re
71	Jul 2, 2013 11:45 AM	Provide developable business siteProvide infi
72	Jul 2, 2013 11:23 AM	A CAP ON REAL ESTATE TAXESReduction (
73	Jul 2, 2013 4:07 AM	Working together as a region w/ nWayfinding
74	Jul 2, 2013 1:49 AM	salt water access
75	Jul 2, 2013 1:44 AM	remove barriers to businesses tryi reduce the
76	Jul 2, 2013 12:19 AM	Attract new businesses by having With the at
77	Jul 2, 2013 12:04 AM	Doing what the town can do to attract young f
78	Jul 1, 2013 11:52 PM	Support high quality arts Build the cr
79	Jul 1, 2013 10:55 PM	KEEP THE HOSPITAL OPEN - THAT IS DIFI
80	Jul 1, 2013 10:52 PM	Affordable Senior Housing
81	Jul 1, 2013 10:36 PM	making sure that comprehensive planning ha
82	Jul 1, 2013 10:02 PM	Enforce the town ordinances!!!
83	Jul 1, 2013 8:45 PM	Protecting the quality and quantityProtecting (
84	Jul 1, 2013 8:27 PM	making people clean up their properties. Ther
85	Jul 1, 2013 8:04 PM	Expansion of municipal water & sKeeping Ri

86	Jul 1, 2013 7:54 PM	Save the St. Andrews Hospital!
87	Jul 1, 2013 7:52 PM	clean up the Rt. 27 & 96 corridor activities fc
88	Jul 1, 2013 7:37 PM	Improving the Zoning Ordinance to Creating a
89	Jul 1, 2013 6:36 PM	Public Safety - Law Enforcement
90	Jul 1, 2013 6:20 PM	We all know that we will lose the hospital. Wh

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support Opera House, local theatre and movie theatre

Rt 27 gateway--limit number of business or have them make themselves more attractive

Year Round Seeking new opportunities while maintaining the uniqueness of the region

d to work to Medical care needs to be compatible in costs to other near by regions, That would keep people using

or use of revised Planning/Zoning Board regulations to protect the environment and small town coastal nature of th  
oint market work on joint services between towns to hold down taxes

ement from non-residents who own property

cess lighting Support natural environment that makes us a special place to live

wn the spe Acceptance of part-time residents by the full time residents. After all, most of the money given to the  
ews/vistas include horse trails in planning

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affordable rate for local residents that cannot afford or have time to become members.

If you think there are other important issues that need to be addressed as w



ing parties etc to bring locals together  
 ing higher density  
 ms in youth and adults that no one seems to want to discuss  
 ) mixture of outdoor and indoor activities on weekends  
 ideas with Edgecomb and Boothbay Harbor  
 clarity and water and sewer rt 27  
 services with Boothbay Harbor and Southport  
 gateway into the town evocative from signage to vegetation.  
 communities Developing comprehensive tourist destination plan, including buses to attractions  
 j, bowling, etc..  
 ers...can't have one without the other. Without these two along with affordable housing we also cannot attract your  
 ght manufacturing keeping taxes low  
 recreational Invest in Boothbay Common and Village of East Boothbay to attract businesses

sses from their home (that they pay taxes on) by vote of the people, not as a result of a blanket ordinance that was  
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 rking public access to ocean  
 icult to purchase anything in Boothbay that is not directed at tourists, provide more shopping variety (including gro  
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 the town of Boothbay is such a popular place to visit is because of it's GEMS. These include botanical gardens, or  
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era house,library,YMCA, Ocean point, scenic tours ,southport,the islands,and all the waterfront activities of the pe

reases in property taxes

3 for the 98% of people who do not own businesses.

e development, create a walkable/bike-able community, and minimize the potential for creating 'sprawl' along Route 1.  
tax dollars to help subsidise a top-quality rescue/ambulance service?

oorly by the full time residents.

rant to attract yearround families to the area, then we need to accomodate them and their needs. It's not easy sup

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supporting a family in this highly taxed State and not being able to supplement with out of the home businesses. VEF





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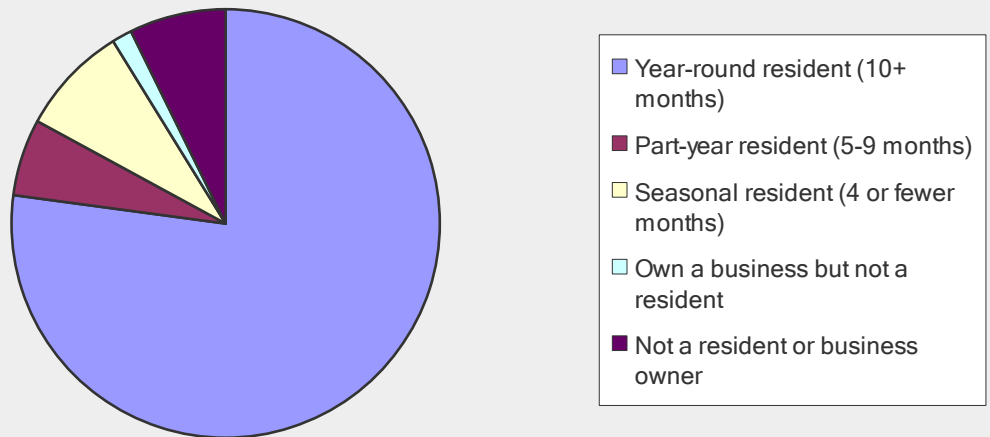


## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

To help us understand who completed this survey, please answer the following questions: Which of the following best describes your residency in Boothbay?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Year-round resident (10+ months)	77.2%	159
Part-year resident (5-9 months)	5.8%	12
Seasonal resident (4 or fewer months)	8.3%	17
Own a business but not a resident	1.5%	3
Not a resident or business owner	7.3%	15
<i>answered question</i>		<b>206</b>
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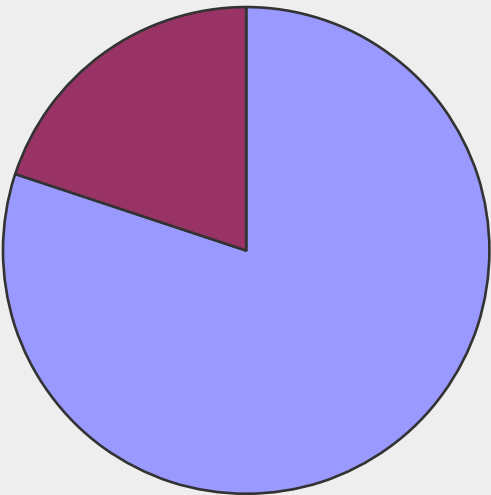




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Do you own property in Boothbay?		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	80.1%	165
No	19.9%	41
<i>answered question</i>		<b>206</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>1</b>

Do you own property in Boothbay?

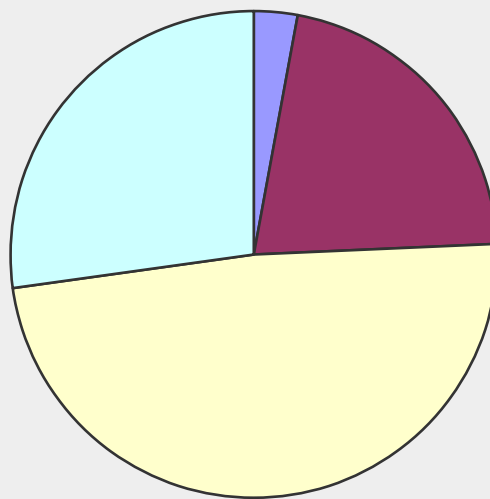




## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

How old are you?		
Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Under 25 years old	2.9%	6
25 to 44 years old	21.4%	44
45 to 64 years old	48.5%	100
65 years or older	27.2%	56
<i>answered question</i>		206
<i>skipped question</i>		1

How old are you?



- Under 25 years old
- 25 to 44 years old
- 45 to 64 years old
- 65 years or older



## Town of Boothbay-Comprehensive Planning

Do you have any children under 20 years old who live in your home all or most of the year?

Answer Options	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes, have children at home	26.6%	55
No, do not have children at home	73.4%	152
<i>answered question</i>		<b>207</b>
<i>skipped question</i>		<b>0</b>

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