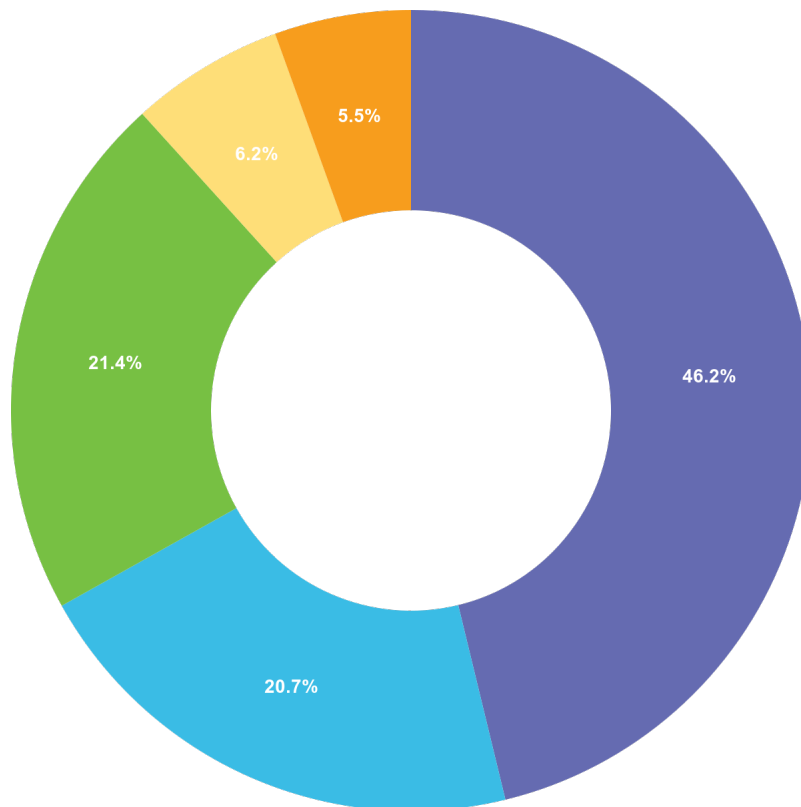







Recreation Plan 2023-2028

Please take my survey - thanks!

Q1 Where is your primary residence?



Answered: 145 **Unanswered:** 2

Choice	Total
 Village of Ontonagon	67
 Elsewhere in Ontonagon Township	30
 Elsewhere in Ontonagon County	31
 Elsewhere in the state	9
 Other State	8

Q2 What are the ages of the members living in your household?

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34, 33

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52 & 79

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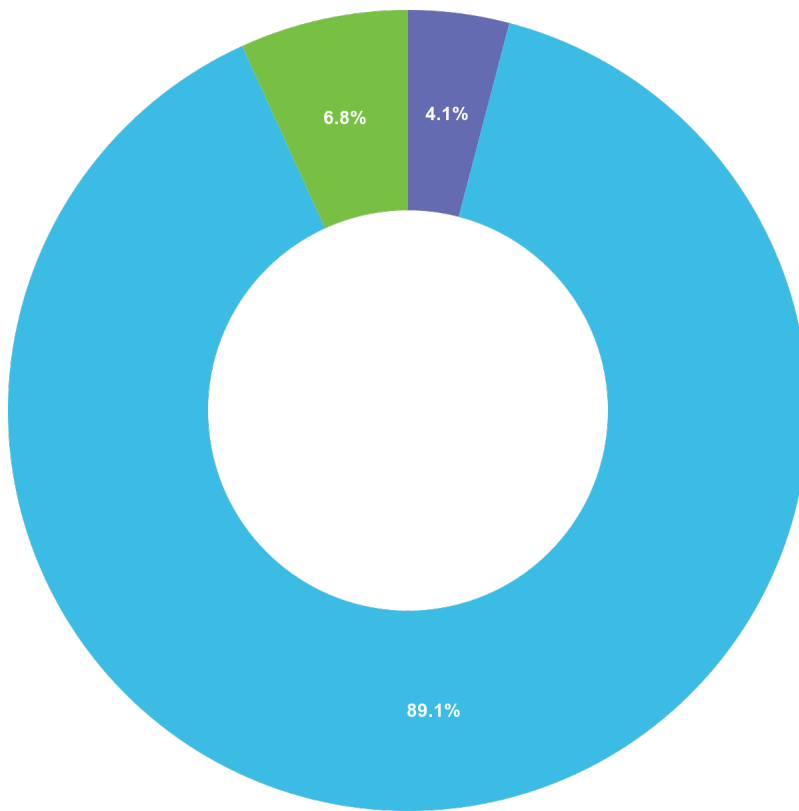
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Answered: 145 Unanswered: 2

Q3 Does anyone in your household have a disability or require specialized recreation?

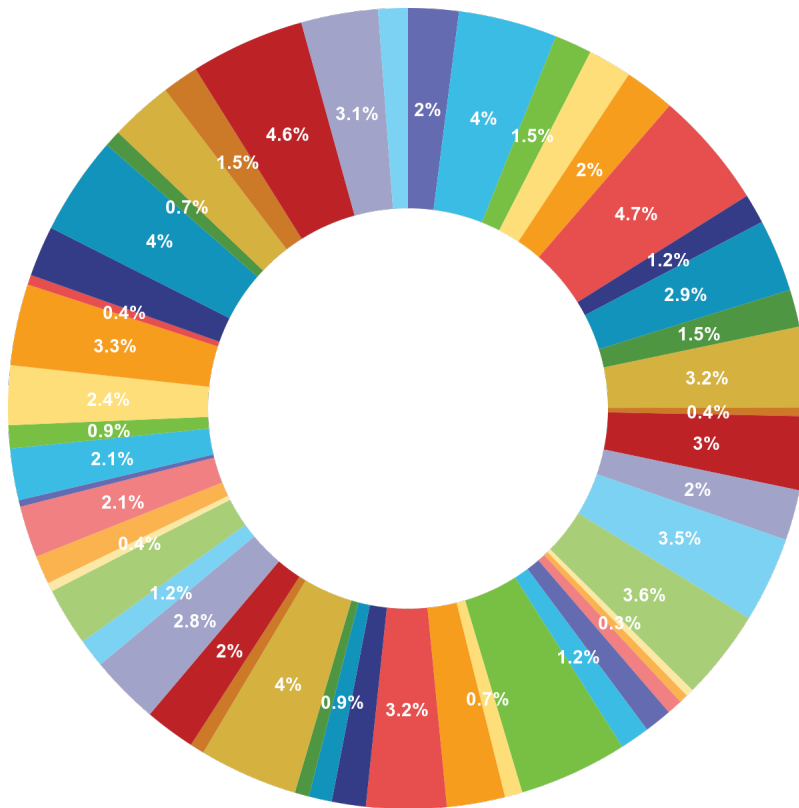


Answered: 146 Unanswered: 1

Choice	Total
<input type="radio"/> Yes	6

Choice	Total
No	131
If yes, please explain below	10

Q4 Does anyone in your household use or take part in any of the following? (check all that apply)



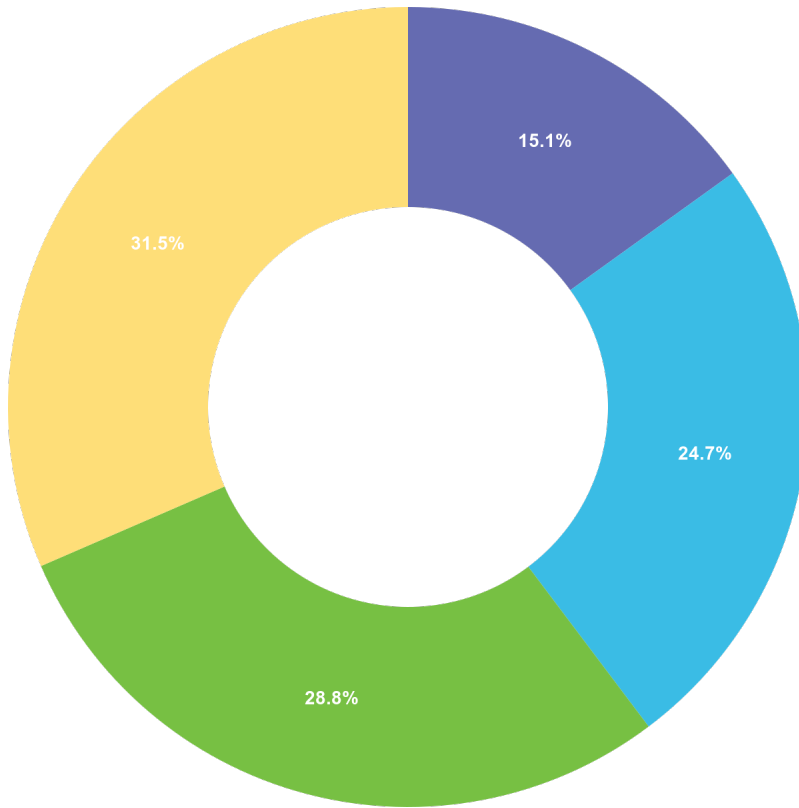
Answered: 146 Unanswered: 1

Choice	Total
 Archery	46
 ATV/ORV Trails	90
 Backpacking	34
 Baseball/Softball	40
 Basketball	46
 Beach Activities	107
 Bicycling - Mountain	27
 Bicycling - Leisure	66
 Bird Watching	34
 Boating - Motorized	73
 Boating - Sailing	8
 Camping - RV	67
 Camping - Tent	46
 Campgrounds	78
 Canoeing/Kayaking	82
 Climbing - indoor	7
 Climbing - Outdoor	8
 Dance	14
 Disc Golf/Frisbee	25
 Exercise Classes	27
 Fishing	99
 Geocaching	16
 Golf	53
 Hiking	73
 Hockey	31
 Horseback Riding	21
 Horseshoes	13
 Hunting	90
 Pickleball	13

Choice	Total
 Picnicking	46
 Playgrounds	63
 Running/Jogging	26
 Shooting - Leisure	53
 Skateboarding	8
 Skiing - Cross Country	26
 Skiing - Downhill	47
 Shuffleboard	6
 Sledding - Sleigh	47
 Snowboarding	21
 Snowmobiling	54
 Snowshoeing	74
 Soccer	9
 Swimming - Indoor	46
 Swimming - Outdoor	90
 Tennis	15
 Visiting Historical Sites	57
 Volleyball	33
 Walking	104
 Yard Games	70
 Yoga	27

Q5 Township Park (located along Lakeshore Drive in the Village)

How many days a year do you use this facility (choose 1)?

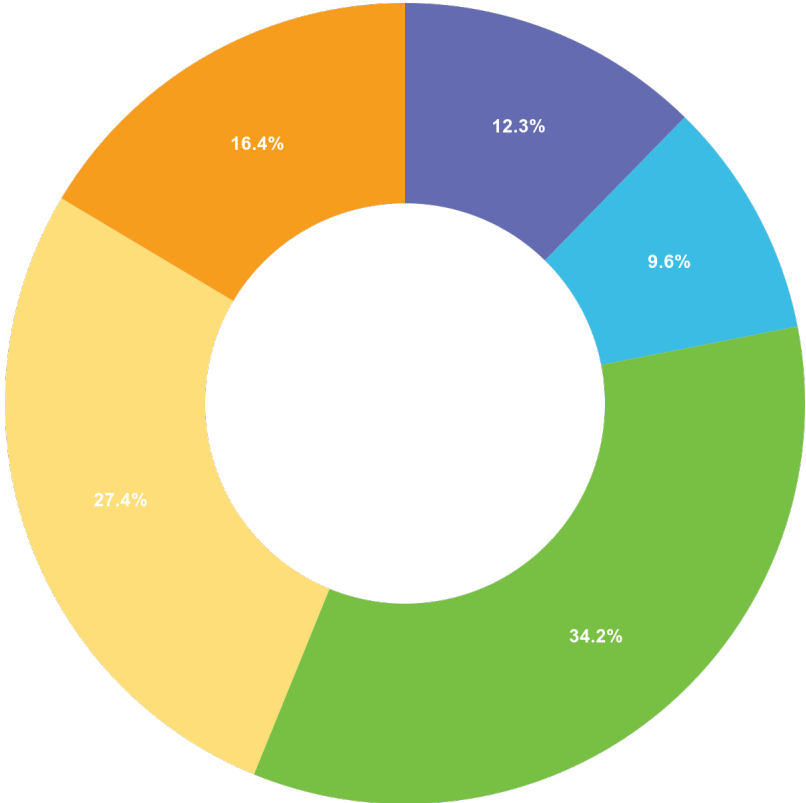


Answered: 146 Unanswered: 1

Choice	Total
Less than 1	22
1-5	36
6-20	42
21+	46

Q6 Choose 1 response to following statement: “The Township should improve beach access within the park and construct a beach observation platform in the existing

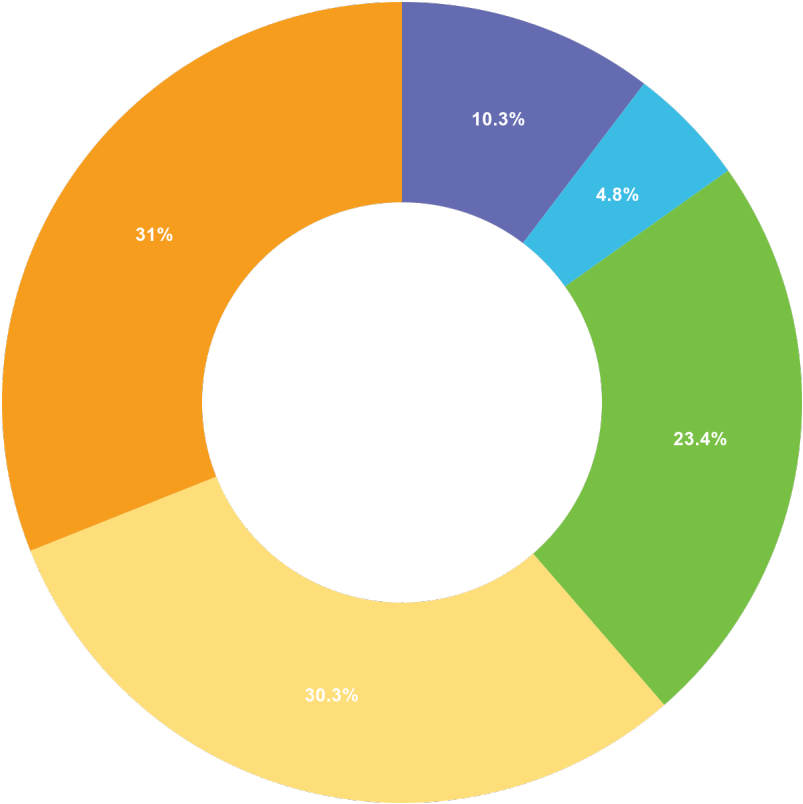
camping area”




Answered: 146 Unanswered: 1

Choice	Total
Strongly Disagree	18
Somewhat Disagree	14
Neutral	50
Somewhat Agree	40
Strongly Agree	24

Q7 Choose 1 response to the following statement: “The Township should construct a new public pavilion (with restroom facilities) at the south end of the park.”



Answered: 145 **Unanswered:** 2

Choice	Total
 Strongly Disagree	15
 Somewhat Disagree	7
 Neutral	34
 Somewhat Agree	44
 Strongly Agree	45

Q8 Comments about the previous Township Park statements:

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

Depending on environmental repercussions

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 2:52 PM UTC

People travel to camp to get away from public gatherings and want to enjoy their vacation time either alone or with friends and family. They do not want to be disturbed by public intoxication/ music

Monday, November 14, 2022, 2:48 PM UTC

There is only one modern restroom facility in the entire Township park for campers, tenters, visitors and daily attendees. The so called Pavilion needs running water for food prep.

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We regularly walk the Wilderness Trail at the TWP Park - it is a great asset within the village. There should be Lake viewing areas within the campground and the shoreline not all campsites,

Thursday, November 10, 2022, 1:57 AM UTC

An observation platform would be nice but maybe to costly to do

Answered: 48 **Unanswered:** 99

Q9 What changes would you like to see made to the park, or what ideas do you have with regard to its use?

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quit times after 10 pm. No Keg parties! No local residents camping more than 30 days. Reservations like State Parks online. ORV hour restrictions, NOISE - DUST - EXHAUST

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 1:52 PM UTC

New toilets

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 1:58 AM UTC

Less camping spots

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More tent sites on the Lake. Better facilities at pavilion inc. restroom and kitchen sink.

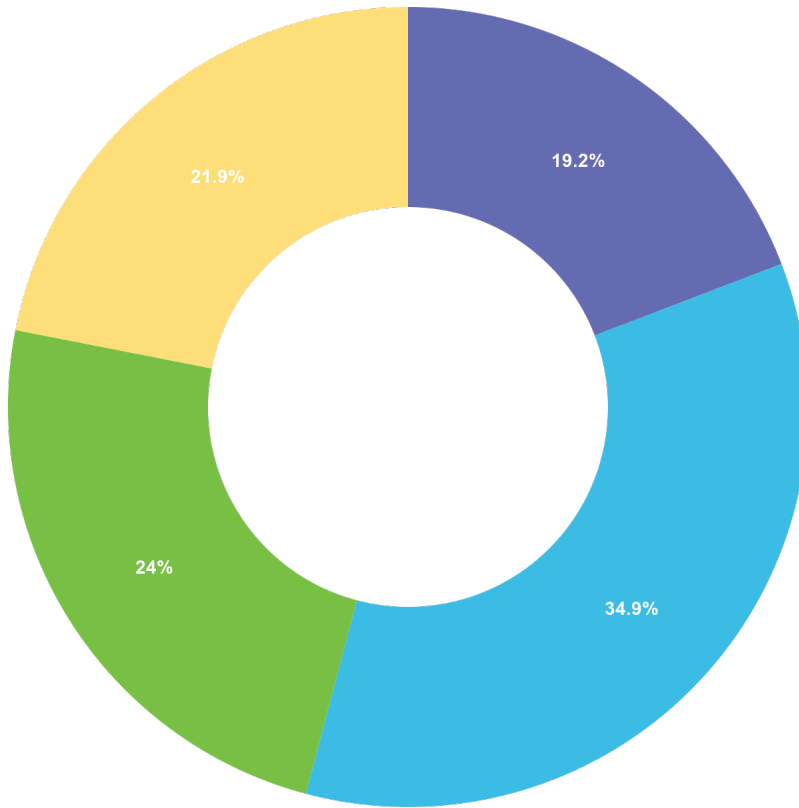
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Upgrade the old outhouses to new vault toilets. Sidewalk or paved area for bikes and walking along the north side of the road.

Answered: 65 **Unanswered:** 82

Q10 Lakefront Sidewalk/Pathway to Township Park

How many days a year do you use this facility (choose 1)?



Answered: 146 Unanswered: 1

Choice	Total
Less than 1	28
1-5	51
6-20	35
21+	32

Q11 What changes would you like to see made to the Lakefront Sidewalk/Pathway to Township Park?

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

Opportunities for Public art/ history

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 2:52 PM UTC

No bicycles

Monday, November 14, 2022, 2:48 PM UTC

More workers to keep lanes clear for all.

Friday, November 11, 2022, 8:46 PM UTC

Remove the hazardous trees (Aspen) between the sidewalk and roadway. Plant native trees to replace. Restore the dunes with native plants. More beach mat access to lake view benches. Connect the walking/ biking between the sidewalk and park - safety!

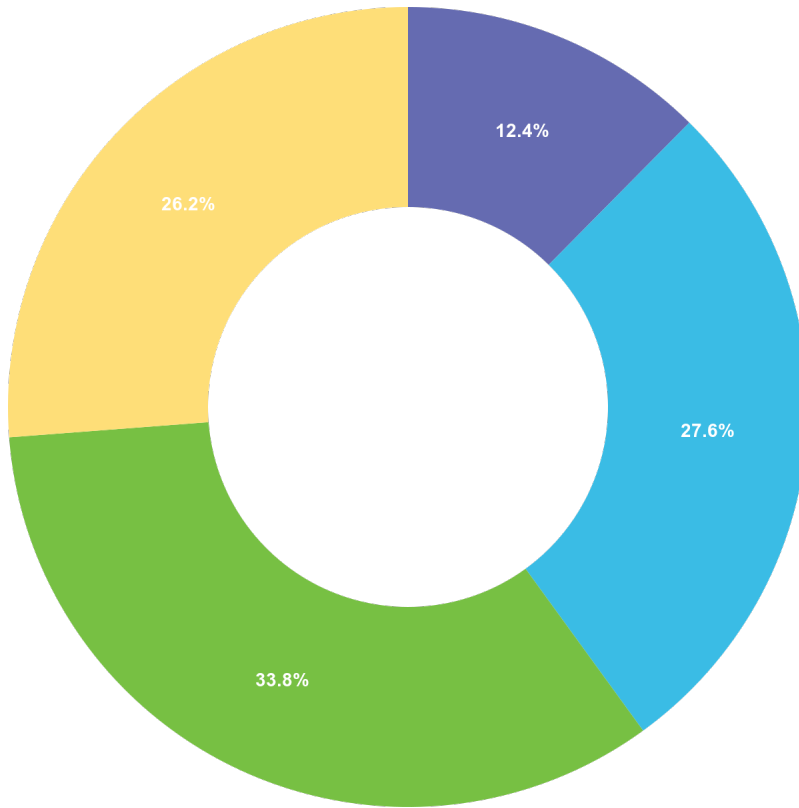
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People need to: a - dispose of their trash
b - pick up after their dogs

Answered: 44 **Unanswered:** 103

Q12 Village Beach (along Lakeshore Drive)

How many days a year do you use this facility?



Answered: 145 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
Less than 1	18
1-5	40
6-20	49
21+	38

Q13 What changes would you like to see at the Village Beach?

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

Garbage collection stations (limit size to prevent proper use? Locking lids)

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 2:52 PM UTC

No glass bottles containers

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Keep it open to all. no fireworks.

Friday, November 11, 2022, 8:46 PM UTC

Removal of hazardous trees along walkway. Remove non-native plants along walkway that require mowing. Paved or harden surface from Pine St. to Lakeshore Dr. Plow the walkway if possible. Build no structures or playground in this area.

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people need to : a - dispose of their trash

b - pick up after their dogs

People are piggish

Answered: 48 **Unanswered:** 99

Q14 Lakeshore Park, do you have any suggestions on what can be improved at this facility?

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

garbage collection & common sense reminders. Disc golf? Outdoor art fair @ park or similar to art on the rocks & outback art fair in Mqt. (Last weekend in July) Maybe coordinate w/ music festival.

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More Parking Portapotty? Restrooms

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 1:52 PM UTC

no

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 1:58 AM UTC

Don't spend money on a sidewalk

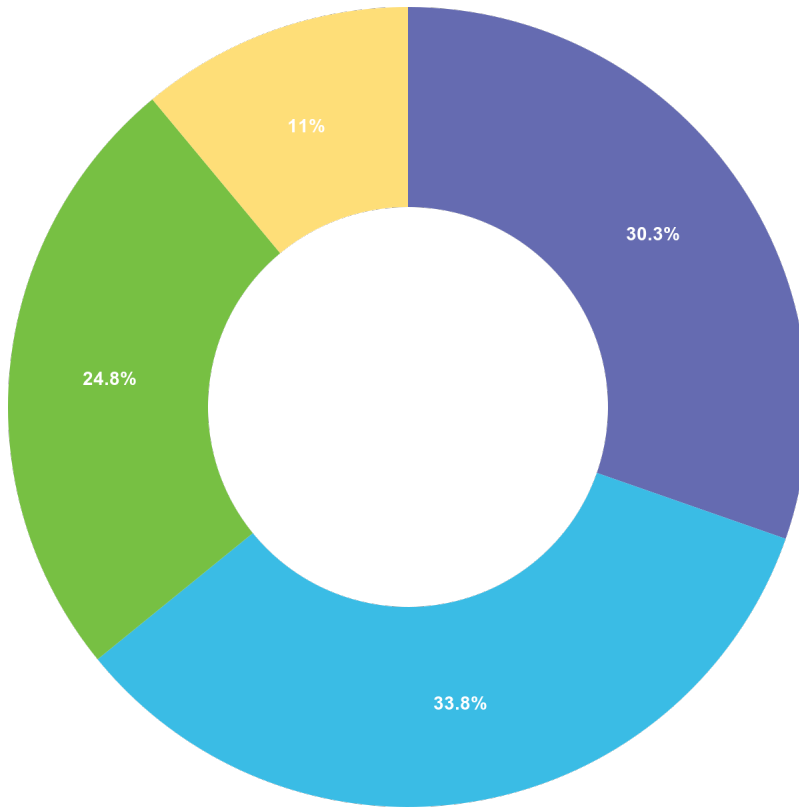
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more workers to keep clean and ensure no overnight camping. need restroom facility nearby

Answered: 34 **Unanswered:** 113

Q15 Village Marina

How many days a year do you use this facility (choose 1)



Answered: 145 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
Less than 1	44
1-5	49
6-20	36
21+	16

Q16 What upgrades would you like to see at the Village Marina?

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General upkeep. Consistently self- funding. also opportunities for public art &/or craft fairs

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 2:52 PM UTC

No overnight Parking

No Glass Containers

No camping

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more benches

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secure berths. secure shower facilities. wifi. limited drinks and food machine. security.

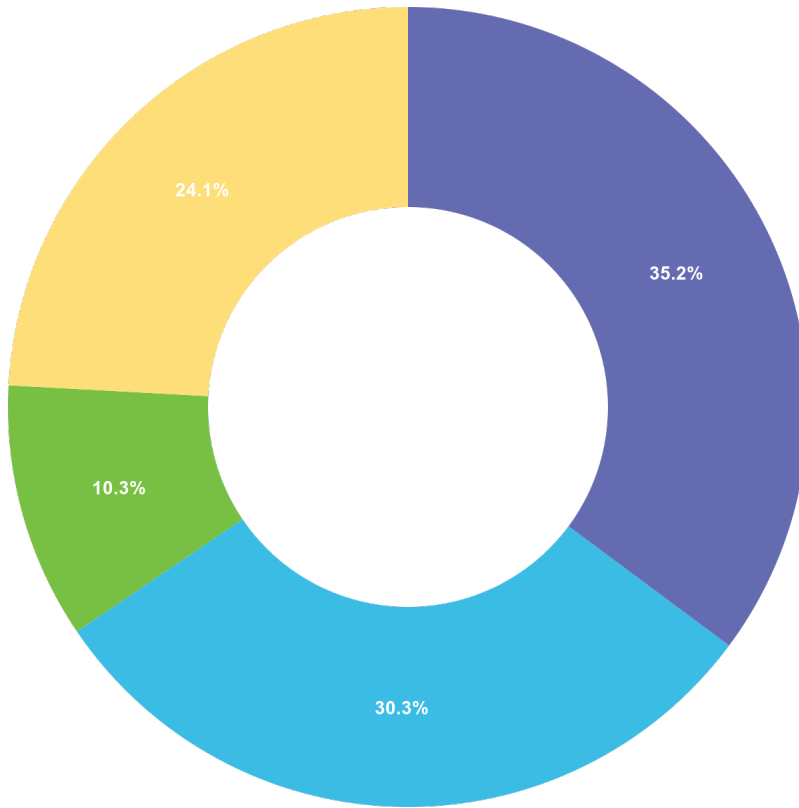
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fish docks NEED to be put out each year

Answered: 58 **Unanswered:** 89

Q17 Village Recreation Facility (Hockey Arena/Sports Field)

How many days a year do you use this facility?



Answered: 145 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
Less than 1	51
1-5	44
6-20	15
21+	35

Q18 What changes would you like to see made to the Recreation Facility?

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

more accessible internet presence for announcements, calendar, rates, etc. Not everyone can see facebook.

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 2:52 PM UTC

No public intoxication 2-3 times year

Monday, November 14, 2022, 2:48 PM UTC

everything. It needs entire updating in restrooms, food facilities seating and tables.

Tuesday, November 8, 2022, 7:43 PM UTC

Have no changes in mind at this time.

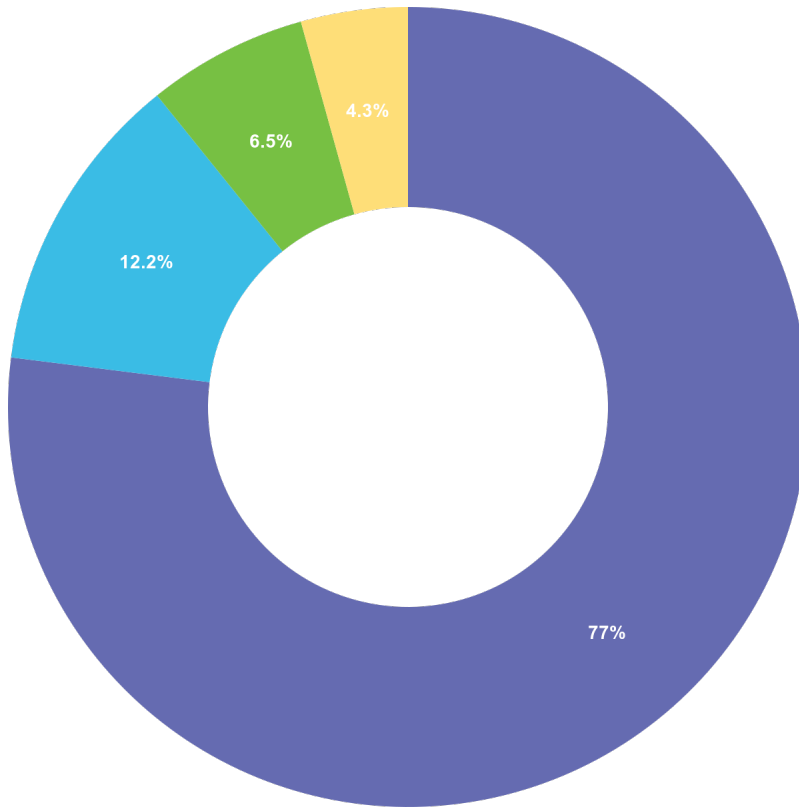
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It looks neglected like nobody cares about it. The sign is old, broken in two with half hanging on the building the other half lying on the ground. Get the school woodworking class to build a new sign at least.

Answered: 66 **Unanswered:** 81

Q19 Village Dog Park “Bark Park”

How many times a year do you use this facility?



Answered: 139 Unanswered: 8

Choice	Total
Less than 1	107
1-5	17
6-20	9
21+	6

Q20 Comments on how the dog park can be improved:

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

Didn't know there was one

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 2:52 PM UTC

Less dogs barking!!!!!!

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 1:58 AM UTC

Section off for different size dogs charge a fee for entry

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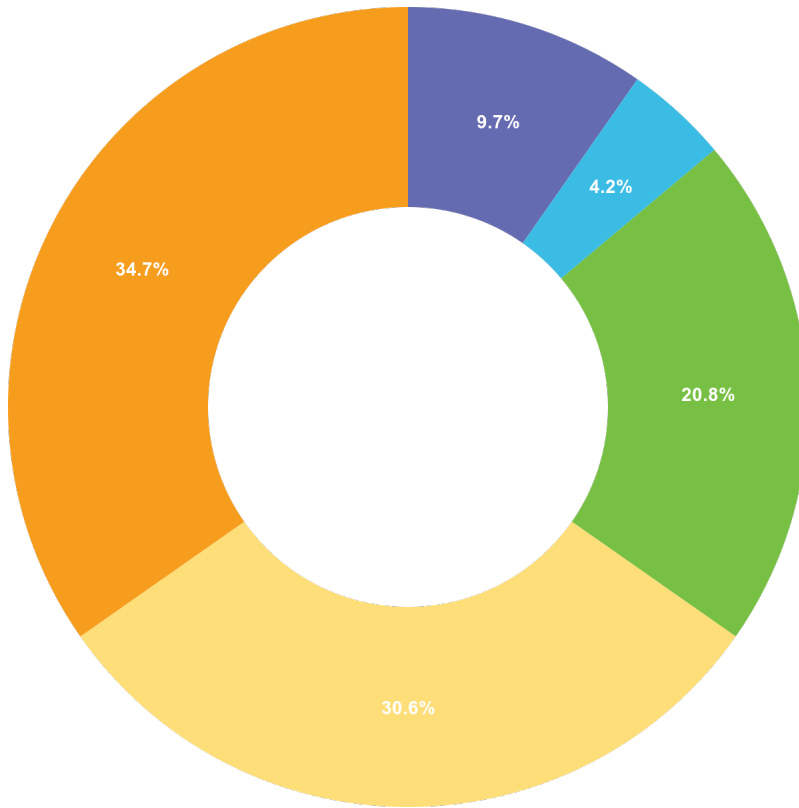
not a priority for me. many more important things to be done than take care of dogs.

Tuesday, November 8, 2022, 7:43 PM UTC

Have none at this time.

Answered: 47 **Unanswered:** 100

Q21 The Village should construct a hiking/biking/cross-country ski trail through the Village (choose 1)



Answered: 144 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
Strongly Disagree	14
Somewhat Disagree	6
Neutral	30
Somewhat Agree	44
Strongly Agree	50

Q22 Comments on a hiking/biking /cross-country ski trail:

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

Noquemanon Trail network is very popular in Marquette County. Opportunities to expand & Collaborate.

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Those activities can be done elsewhere already

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 1:58 AM UTC

Waste of money

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I did not know this was an option.

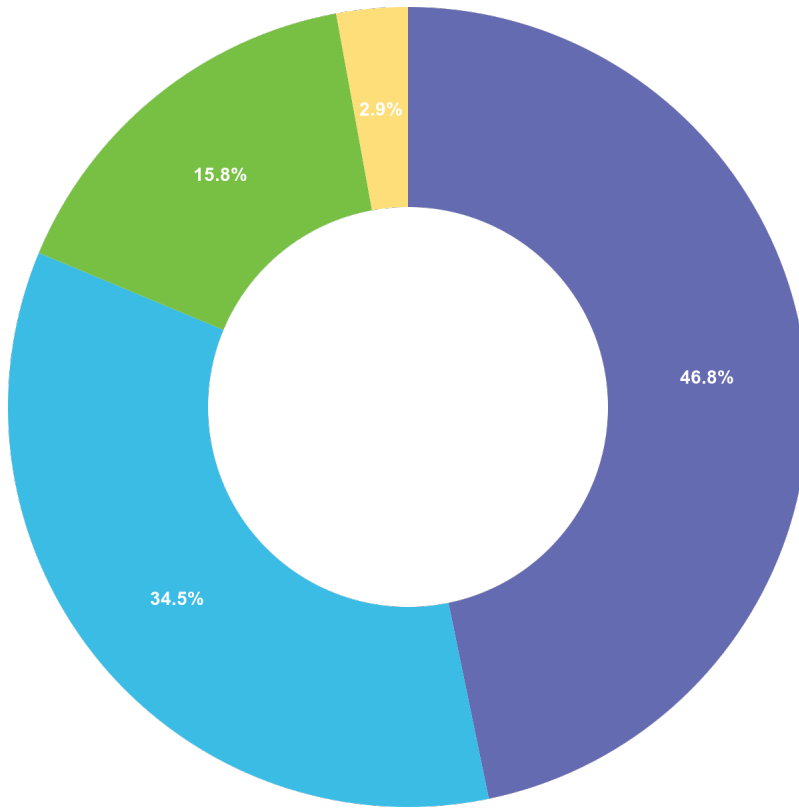
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Using the existing TWP park trails and the OAS trails connection came be made from the beach to the school area.

Answered: 58 **Unanswered:** 89

Q23 Blanksvard Landing, Township property located on the Flintsteel River - possible boat launch, kayak landing and campground.

How often would you use this facility?



Answered: 139 Unanswered: 8

Choice	Total
Less than 1 time per year	65
1-5 times per year	48
6-20 times per year	22
21+ times per year	4

Q24 Comments on the Blanksvard Landing located on the Flintsteel river:

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

Mark areas of private property or public property so users dont conflict with owners. Or signage reminding users to the rules

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Better boat launch, more parking, NO CAMPING

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Would use this as a picnic site if possible.

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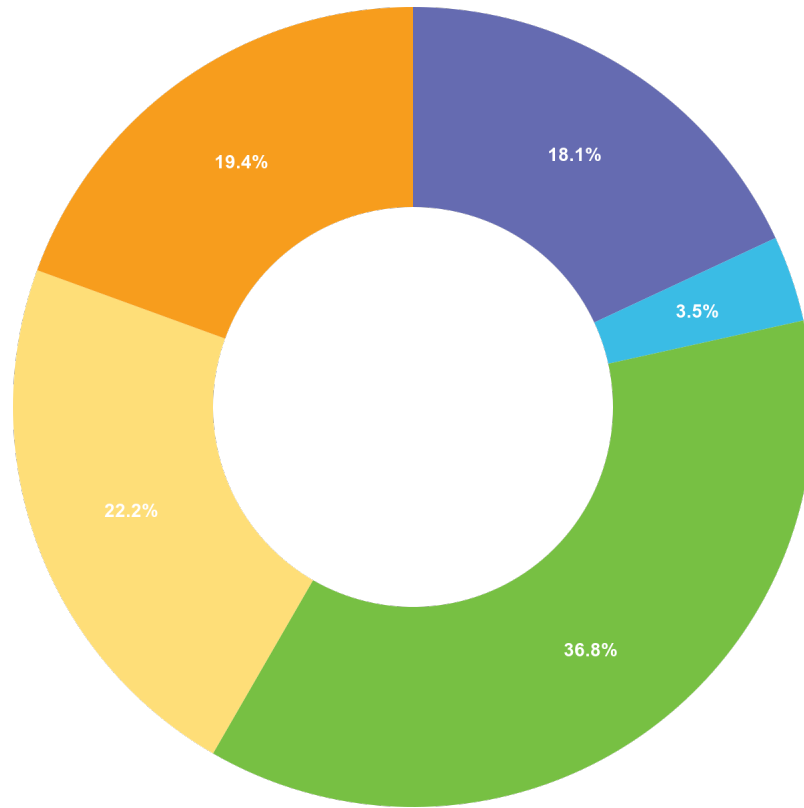
Develop the area keeping it as natural as possible. Campsite should be primitive and a small number.

Thursday, November 10, 2022, 1:57 AM UTC

Nice addition for public use

Answered: 39 **Unanswered:** 108

Q25 The Village should construct a skate park at a desirable location (choose 1)



Answered: 144 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
Strongly Disagree	26
Somewhat Disagree	5
Neutral	53
Somewhat Agree	32
Strongly Agree	28

Q26 Comments on a skate park:

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 3:45 PM UTC

its a little niche when other existing opportunities can be focused on. Disc gold would be my preferred focus before a skate park

Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 2:52 PM UTC

great for young and old to enjoy more recreation

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Many more important improvements than this one.

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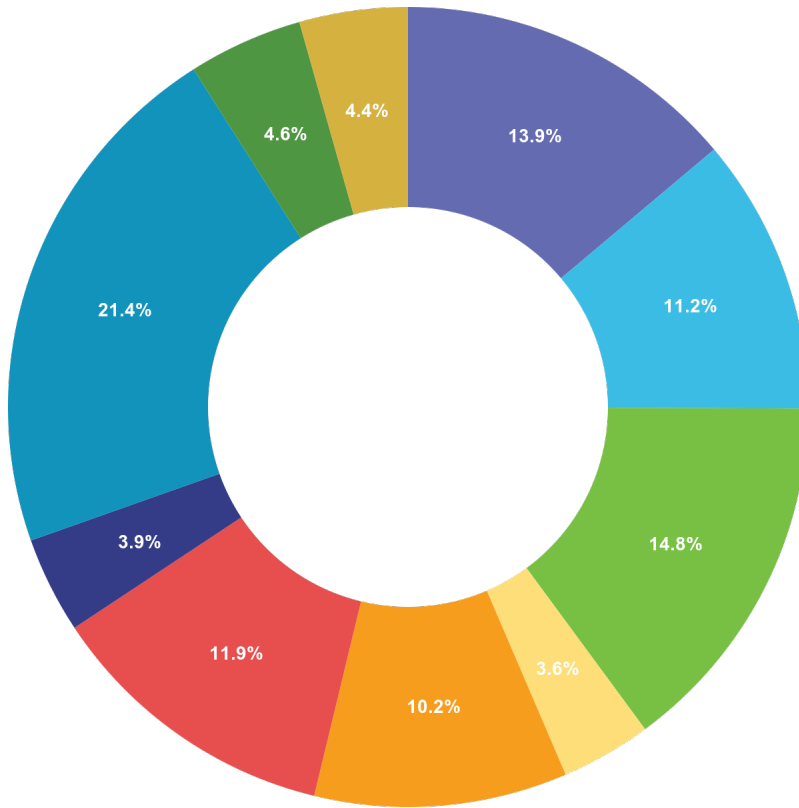
Do not see a need plus time and money to maintain while having money issues already would not be responsible. Things like this should be privately funded by interested groups.

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Kids could benefit from it but from my experience adult supervision would benefit the village property. Vandalism is common in this demographic.

Answered: 47 **Unanswered:** 100

Q27 Please rate the top 3 items you find most important:



Answered: 142 Unanswered: 5

Choice	Total
River Front Park Upgrades	57
Hiking Trails	46
East Pier Public Access Repair	61
Cross Country Trails	15
Biking Trails - Leisure	42
Marina Upgrades	49
Biking Trails - Mountain	16
Recreation Center Upgrades	88
Skate Park	19
Dog Park Upgrades	18

Q28 If you are interested in volunteering to assist with local recreation projects, please leave contact information.

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Additional Information: Grass roots organizer

Thursday, November 3, 2022, 8:56 PM UTC

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Thursday, November 3, 2022, 5:49 PM UTC

Name: Greg

Phone: Yanke

Email: gregocrc@yahoo.com

Address: 17218 Lakeshore Dr

Answered: 65 Unanswered: 82