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Town Releases Community Survey Results

The results of the Town of Cedarburg's Community Survey were released Monday night at a public hearing on the Town's comprehensive plan. The survey was mailed with the Town's spring newsletter to 2,098 Town residences and businesses in April. Nearly thirty-three percent (32.5%) of the surveys were completed, resulting in a higher than anticipated response rate.

The results of the survey will be incorporated into the Town's ongoing comprehensive plan update. Some of the survey results are as follows:

- Rural living (73%), small town atmosphere (56%), safety/low crime (55%), and lower taxes/cost of living (35.7%) were the primary reasons why residents live in the Town of Cedarburg
- Other than single-family detached housing, respondents were most interested in the Town allowing or encouraging the development of senior housing (65.7% either strongly agree or agree)
- Sixty-six percent of respondents favor the continuation of conservation subdivisions
- Many respondents and their families never use the shared services with the City of Cedarburg, including the senior center (87.7%), fire & emergency medical (87%), recreation programs (57%), and pool (49.3%)
- Respondents would most like to see sit-down restaurants (46%), grocery (39.7%), hardware/home improvement (24.2%), and clothing stores (16.3%) develop or expand in the Town
- A majority of respondents (56.6%) are satisfied with the current level of police protection
- More than three-fourths (76.3%) of all respondents opposed City annexation of Town land; fourteen percent had no opinion on City annexation of Town land
- A majority of respondents (55.1%) support investigation of incorporation
- To prevent annexation of Town land, a majority of respondents (50.5%) said the Town should negotiate a boundary agreement, incorporate (32.4%), buffer itself by purchasing land (26.2%) or challenge annexations in court (16.7%)

Click here for the complete survey results.

Town of Cedarburg, Wisconsin

The Town of Cedarburg, a historically rural community, is located in a rapidly developing portion of Ozaukee County. The town, which is home to Wisconsin's last covered bridge, strives to maintain its rural charm and high-quality of life while balancing growth and progress. For more information, log on to www.town.cedarburg.wi.us