

Summary of Community and Stakeholder Engagement

This section of the report summarizes key issues identified by the general public as well as a variety of individuals and groups which participated in the planning process. Based on the public input received, as well as an analysis of existing conditions and discussion with the Downtown Sub Committee, a vision statement and guiding principles were developed to guide plan development and implementation. A longer summary of community engagement results is provided in the Appendices.

Participation Methods

The foundation for developing the Comprehensive Plan, including Chapter 14, is grounded in the insights provided by the City's residents, as well as those who work and make investments in the community. Understanding how people perceive the City, as well as their hopes and concerns for the future, guide the development of an overall vision for the area. A robust public participation and stakeholder engagement process which generated over 2,000 unique comments and directly engaged over 1,500 people was used to inform the plan. Key issues and priorities were identified based on the results of the following activities:

- **Issues and Opportunities Community Workshops (March 14th, 16th)**
Two community workshops were held to formally introduce the project and provide participants an opportunity to share views in greater detail. Small groups of participants engaged in discussions concerning issues, opportunities and their vision for the City of Appleton.
- **Appleton Downtown Incorporated Annual Banquet**
The consultant team prepared a hands on mapping activity which was on display at the March 15th 2016 ADI annual banquet. Participants had the opportunity to chat informally with several members of the project team. Ideas were shared verbally, on sticky notes, and using formatted land use game pieces depicting different types of downtown development.
- **Downtown Design Charrette (May 16th-18th)**
A three day design workshop was conducted as a means of engaging key stakeholders and the broader public in focused design-based discussions and exercises to develop consensus around key land use, circulation, place-making, and redevelopment opportunities in the downtown study area and adjacent areas including the Fox River. The workshop included both a walking tour and bicycle tour of downtown and the Fox River.
- **Community Survey**
The purpose of the survey was to obtain a broad level of citizen input regarding community- wide and downtown issues and opportunities. (SEE APPENDICES FOR FULL RESULTS)
- **Interactive Website (<http://www.envisionappleton.org/>)**
Using an interactive website, the project team provided opportunities for 24-7 public input. The website was also used to communicate project status, post draft work products, and solicit input on alternatives. (SEE APPENDICES FOR FULL RESULTS)
- **Focus Groups and Key Stakeholder Interviews**
The project team met with key downtown stakeholders and city officials to discuss the current state of the downtown and issues and opportunities looking ahead. These sessions were conducted as small focus groups and individual interviews. key property and business owners including representatives of the development "delivery system" such as public officials, financiers, developers, property owners, brokers, institutional leaders and others in a round table (focus group) format. The purpose of these discussions was for the team to understand opportunities

and constraints to investment in the downtown from the unique perspectives of these individuals and organizations.

- **Focus Groups and Interviews – Arts, History, Culture and Sustainability**

The project team conducted two focus group meetings with key arts and culture, sustainability and historic preservation community leaders. The purpose of these discussions was to better understand opportunities and constraints to investment in the study area from the unique perspectives of these individuals and organizations.

- **Neighborhood Meetings**

In order to solicit input from neighborhood leaders and residents in and around the downtown study area City staff conducted a meeting in the box exercise with community leaders at the 2016 neighborhood academy training in April. The consultant team also presented an overview of the comprehensive plan update project to the neighborhood academy in May 2016, followed by discussion of key issues and opportunities related to neighborhood issues.

- **Meeting in a Box**

The consultant team will prepared a stand-alone public input activity called 'Meeting in a Box', which allowed to individual groups to brainstorm ideas for Appleton's future.

- **Comprehensive Plan Steering Committee Meetings (CPSC)**

The CPSC oversaw the project and met monthly (10 times). While the CPSC's purview included updating multiple elements of the City's Comprehensive Plan, the committee discussed the Downtown Plan element at two of its meetings.

- **Downtown Plan Sub-Committee**

The Downtown Plan Sub-Committee met seven times during Plan development to help guide the process and review and comment on draft concepts. Final Plan recommendations from the Downtown Plan Sub-Committee were recommended for approval to the CPSC.

- **Appleton Parks and Recreation Committee**

The Parks and Recreation Committee met once to review and comment on draft concepts related to downtown and near downtown parks and recreational facilities.

- **Draft Plan House**

An open house was conducted to review and comment on the draft updated Comprehensive Plan and Downtown Plan with community members.

- **Final Plan Open House**

An open house was conducted to review and comment on the draft updated Comprehensive Plan and Downtown Plan with community members.

Issues and Opportunities Workshops

Approximately 75 people attended one of two workshops, held March 14th at the Scheig Center and March 16th at the Reid Golf Course. Both workshops followed the same format. Results of the workshops are summarized below.

Participants were asked to look out twenty years into the future and describe their hopes and concerns for the future of Appleton. 374 individual ideas and comments were written down on sticky notes and clustered into themes at the front of the room. Participants were also asked to share their ideas for new taxable development (shops, businesses, other land uses which generate tax base) as well as their ideas

for non-taxable development (parks, trails, museums, other land uses which do not typically generate tax base). 260 individual ideas and comments were gathered, with a majority of them coded to specific locations on a city map using numbered sticky dots. Based on additional analysis comments were synthesized into the following issue categories related to downtown below.

Issue #1: Parks and Recreation

- Provide an enhanced experience at City parks by having more playground equipment for children, offering exercise equipment, or having ping pong tables set up throughout.
- Create more dog parks throughout City limits or reserve future opportunities for dog friendly parks into existing facilities.

Issue #2: Transportation & Access

- Connecting the existing trails and bike lanes throughout the City would help to promote a more walkable and bikeable community/lifestyles.
- The riverfront is an underdeveloped attraction that could benefit from an improved trail system surrounding the waterways.
- Increased traffic on main roadways, such as Memorial Drive and Oneida Street, are of concern to community members. The City should find ways to enhance the value of these corridors not only to motorists but to people that live adjacent to them.
- Expanding public transportation services throughout city and to other communities in the Fox Cities could help reduce the need for an automobile in the City.
- There is support for slowing down the traffic along bike routes and parks.
- Participants are concerned with the parking situation downtown: they feel there is not enough parking available.
- Future development options should consider mixed-use facilities including parking ramps in order to maximize development opportunities.
- There is concern regarding the lack of trees and greenery along some streets, in particular in the downtown area.

Issue #3: Economic Development

- The Fox Cities Exhibition Center is seen as an important asset for downtown, and should be designed in such a way that it embraces Jones Park and serves both visitors as well as residents.
- Faster elimination of condemned/non-occupied properties and quicker repairs to declining infrastructure could assist in attracting new businesses to the City.
- River Heath has been a great example of potential development at the river front for multi-use facilities.
- There is strong interest in adding more food and retail options both Downtown and along Wisconsin Ave.
- More neighborhood commercial nodes would make downtown and other neighborhoods more desirable, especially smaller grocery stores.

Issue #4: Natural & Cultural Resources

- Finding a new home for the library is important. It should remain downtown, with a preference for the bluff site.
- Develop a small theater, playhouse downtown for independent films and smaller live performances downtown.
- The loss of the Thompson Community Center has created a demand for a new Community Center for the aging baby-boomer population.

- Adding more green space throughout the City could be used for both public enjoyment and as community garden space.
- Preserving the historic areas of the City is important.

Issue #5: Housing

- Reduce the high percentage of rental properties in central city neighborhoods.
- More affordable and a greater variety of housing is desired in the downtown area.
- Introduction of pocket neighborhoods and other types of housing besides single family detached is desired.

Issue #6: Corridors

- More bike and pedestrian infrastructure is needed for non-vehicles to access corridor destinations. Corridors should be more walkable.

Issue #7: Safety & Livability

- There is concern over neighborhood safety, including crime and drugs, especially in the downtown neighborhoods.
- Citizens should become more engaged in neighborhood issues and organizations.
- Additional trail connections and “last mile” accessibility hurdles will make the City more livable for all ages and abilities.

Issue #8: Diversity

- Appleton should be a welcoming community for all people. There is a desire to fully embrace the growing diversity of the population. Sports, cultural programming, religion are all seen as opportunities to do so.
- There is some concern over the treatment of people of color in the community, including discrimination and how some Lawrence University students are treated in the downtown area.

Issue #9: Downtown Appleton

- The concentration of bars on College Ave causes concern for community members.
- Participants would like to see a greater variety of specialty restaurants and coffee shops mixed into the layout of Downtown.
- Introduction of more multi-story and multi-use facilities Downtown would attract a greater amount of businesses to the area. This would allow for better competition with the Fox River Mall.
- More specialty stores as well as stores serving daily needs would make downtown more attractive. For example, a grocery, bakery, butcher.
- The impression arriving into downtown from west College Ave should be enhanced.
- The overabundance of surface parking makes downtown Appleton, north of College, unappealing.

Issue #10: Parking

- Future parking ramps downtown should be mixed use, combined with housing, retail, office, and other uses.
- Parking for bikes should be considered.
- Steps should be taken to minimize surface parking and parking along the river.

Appleton Downtown Incorporated (ADI) Annual Banquet

Over 300 people attended the ADI annual banquet to share their ideas for enhancing downtown Appleton. An estimated 100 took the opportunity to chat informally with several members of the project team or participate in the hands on dot and sticky note exercises. Key findings include:

- Many participants would like to see more residential development downtown, including in higher story apartment buildings with views of the river and beyond.
- The intersection of N. Richmond St. and W. College Ave. should be re-imagined to provide a better gateway into downtown. Better signage and sculpture were both widely endorsed ideas.
- More mixed use redevelopment would help enliven the downtown. A grocery store is needed.
- The river could include a Riverwalk concept with some retail, more restaurants, and kiosks along East Water Street.
- The downtown should continue to invest in and leverage the success of Mile of Music including an amphitheater in Jones Park.
- More murals and public art downtown and along the river are desired.
- An off leash dog park should be considered downtown to encourage more people to live downtown and provide a destination for dog walkers who like to walk downtown. Dog parks can become important social meeting areas in a city.

Downtown Design Charrette

A 3-day design workshop was held focusing on the Downtown Plan (Chapter 14). Key issues explored included access and connectivity to the river, redevelopment opportunities, walkability, and streetscape.

May 16th Public Kick Off Meeting

The kick off meeting included small group exercises designed to solicit input into the downtown planning area as well as the City's bike and pedestrian network. A summary of ideas and comments were generated during the report out session at the end of the small group exercises and are listed below. Additional feedback was obtained on individual study area maps, and was used to help inform the 3-day design workshop.

1. Streetscape behind the Radisson needs improvement. Lawrence Street can be turned into a stronger asset with proposed mobility enhancements.
2. There should be better park development and use downtown.
3. New multi-family housing should be located downtown north of College Avenue, including at the west end of the street between Durkee and Drew.
4. A public market/arcade concept would work downtown, perhaps in the City Center Plaza.
5. The library should be part of a mixed use development.
6. Public access to the river is important. More stairs and bridges are needed.
7. There are significant opportunities to light up downtown/riverfront trails and bridges at night.
8. Wayfinding and beautification are needed to enhance river connectivity and downtown in general especially for pedestrians.
9. More winter activities are needed.
10. Connecting College Ave. to the river is critically important.
11. Library and housing should go on the bluff site.
12. The lighting at the Building for the Arts provides a good example of what can be done more broadly.
13. There needs to be space for a dog park downtown.
14. New downtown buildings should incorporate green roofs, patios, and rooftop dining.

15. Trails need to be connected beyond the river and downtown to encourage broader access via biking and walking.
16. The arrival sequences into downtown need improvement, including when one crosses into Appleton over the Richmond Street Bridge. Visitors need better orientation to downtown and the river.
17. Jones Park should be used to connect the river to downtown.

May 17th Walking Tour

Approximately 25 people participated in the walking tour, divided into two groups. Both groups explored downtown Appleton conducting and discussing a walkability audit.

May 17th Biking Tour

Approximately 20 people participated in the biking tour, which included a 9 mile loop along the Fox River and adjacent neighborhoods near downtown Appleton to discuss ideas for enhancing trail connections, trail access, and important bicycle and pedestrian nodes.

May 18th Open House

Approximately 75-100 people attended the May 18th open house, which included several display boards in the hall of the City Center Plaza. Two 30 minute presentations were provided to attendees. Written comments were solicited for the following four categories of key issues explored during the workshop. A summary of comments is shown below.

Access and Connectivity to the River

- Connect riverfront trails, better signage and connections (3)
- Love idea for boardwalks (3)
- Love the concept for Jones Park, additional ramp access and bikes (2)
- Like the concepts and ability to link Oneida Street to the river (2)
- Walking bridge connecting East John St. to other side of river.
- There is no bike access to river between State and Drew.
- Look to past to identify additional street connection to river/downtown.
- Use library to connect downtown to river.
- Lots of good ideas.

Redevelopment Areas

- Bluff site is perfect for library (2)
- Appleton needs great design like in presentation and investors willing to build.
- What role can the city take to make this happen? It is really private business development.
- If the Zuelke Building is renovated to apartments where is the best parking?
- Concerned with YMCA parking lot – what are alternatives when ramp comes down?
- Love the green space use in Soldier Square
- Wisconsin Ave. also needs to be addressed.
- Parking is a serious detriment to downtown business owners.
- We need a public market like in Milwaukee, however parking needs to be addressed first.
- Mixed use library.
- Would like a senior center, library with housing above, gym, small deli.
- Area north of College Ave. needs to be perked up – more housing.
- Concepts look great, will take time for city to embrace.
- Grocery stores!

- Lots of good ideas.

Walkability

- Lots of good ideas (3)
- Pet friendly spaces are needed including bags, dog baths/washes, on and off leash areas
- Keep in mind most people will only walk ½ the time in this climate.
- Encouraged by improvements which are occurring.
- Slow traffic and/or provide barrier to walkers and bicyclists on Oneida Street Bridge.
- Sidewalks are dirty on College Avenue.
- Love walkability ideas and bike lanes.
- Need to emphasize trails for both pedestrians and bikers.
- Is essential to future growth and accessibility.

Streetscape

- Like the A,B,C (street typologies) and definitely need more trees (2)
- Continue to expand beyond College into side streets (2)
- Concern for the YMCA parking if ramp is torn down and made into a green space.
- The dog park area may need to be larger.
- Fancy street lights not appropriate for residential areas.
- Open up Oneida Street again.
- Need more benches.
- Create a riverfront BID to create funding to support streetscape, walkability improvements.
- Recent updates are great.
- Support more tree planting, wider sidewalks.
- Continue using local artists.
- Build bike infrastructure and bikes will come. Seeing big increases in biking every year as trail network expands.
- Some kind of art on top level of ThedaCare offices in City Center facing College.
- What replaces tables and chairs in Houdini Plaza in winter?
- Install street lights which minimize light pollution.
- Good ideas.
- More plants, sidewalk cafes, bicycle parking.

Community Survey

An on-line survey was launched over the period May 4th to June 6th. A total of 1,098 participants responded to the survey, including 940 completed surveys and 158 partially completed surveys. A full digital copy of the results are available in the appendix. The majority (51.5%) of respondents were between 31 and 50 years old, followed by 51-70 year olds (28%), and 18-30 year olds (16%). Under 18 and over 70 age categories comprised less than 5% of the responses.

The survey was organized into three separate sections: 1) General questions, 2) Downtown Appleton questions, and 3) Parks and Recreation questions. A summary of key findings related to the downtown is presented below.

Transportation

Participants were asked to what extent they agreed with several statements regarding transportation. 77% of respondents agree or strongly agree that more off street bike and pedestrian trails are needed.

63% of respondents agree or strongly agree that streets in Appleton are generally well maintained. Sixty-one percent of respondents agree or strongly agree they can usually find parking downtown.

Development

Over 92% of respondents said that the re-use of existing properties and rejuvenation of existing commercial corridors should account for a significant share of future development in Appleton. When asked where redevelopment efforts should be concentrated the top three locations cited were Wisconsin Avenue (52%), followed by **Downtown Appleton (36%)**, and Richmond Street (24%).

Downtown Survey

- 97% of respondents indicated they visit downtown Appleton. For those that said no the biggest concern they had was parking.
- 81% of respondents indicated they did not live downtown.
- 94% of respondents indicated they did not own or operate a business or building downtown

Destination Frequency for Downtown Visits

The most frequently visited destinations by frequency of visit are bulleted below:

<p>Every Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workplace (21%) • School (14%) <p>Twice or more per week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Retail businesses (19%) • Parks (16%) • Restaurant (15%) <p>Once per week</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restaurant (20%) • Retail business (19%) • Parks (18%) <p>Once or twice per month</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restaurant (42%) • Retail business (36%) • Parks (28%) • Bars and taverns (28%) • The library (26%) 	<p>One to four times per year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fox Cities PAC (73%) • Other arts, entertainment, cultural venues (60%) • City Hall (60%) • Special events (60%) • Lawrence University (37%) • The library (33%) <p>Never</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Place of Worship (61%) • School (55%) • YMCA (54%) • Lawrence University (41%)
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Perceptions of Downtown

When asked to describe downtown Appleton the most frequently used words were:

- 82% of respondents indicated they felt safe downtown, while 3.3% disagreed with the statement "I feel safe downtown."

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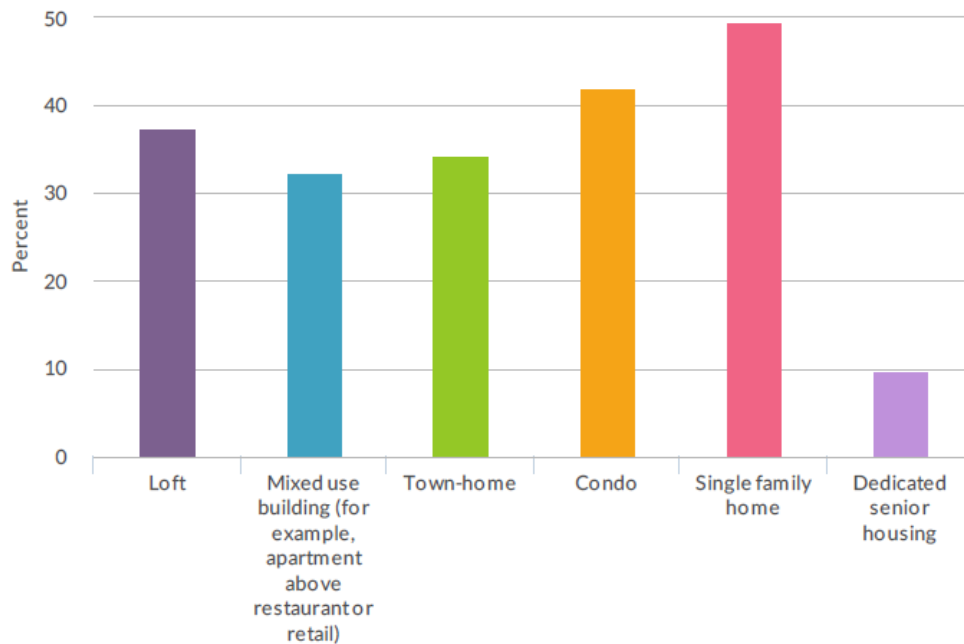
What People Value about Downtown

When asked what they value about downtown the most commonly cited factors were:

- Farmer's Market (85%)
- Walkability; interesting places to walk and explore (80%)
- Special events (80%)
- Historic buildings (56%)
- Access to riverfront and trails (56%)
- People and activity (61%)
- Unique shops (60%)
- Cultural opportunities (57%)

Downtown Living

Respondents were asked if they would consider living downtown. Over half (53%) indicated yes. For those answering yes the top preferred housing types include single family home (50%), followed by condo (42%), loft (37%), and town home (34%), mixed use building (32%), and dedicated senior housing (10%)



Direction Downtown is Heading

When asked if they felt downtown was heading in the right direction 63% said yes, 32% were unsure and 5% said no.

Interactive Website

Over 250 general and location specific comments were received via an interactive website, providing opportunities for 24-7 public input. Key feedback themes for downtown included:

- Community Facilities – desire for a senior center, new library
- Economic Development – desire for grocery store, coffee shops
- Housing – desire for more housing options, in particular downtown
- Parking – desire for more convenient parking
- Parks and Recreation – desire for well-connected trails, dog parks
- Public Art and Placemaking – support for public art
- Transportation/Mobility – support for more transportation options, greater connectivity, more streets, complete streets

Focus Groups and Interviews

Commercial Real Estate Focus

Commercial real estate interests were contacted to discuss issues and opportunities. Key findings include:

- Commercial brokers report that 95% of Class A office space is occupied in downtown Appleton. Existing rents for existing office space range from \$18-20 psf gross to \$22 psf for new space. The last two years in the commercial real estate market have been good.
- Downtown businesses are stable and rents are relatively low.
- The transit center/library area can be problematic from a security standpoint.
- Housing, another office building, and more utilization of Jones Park are areas for opportunity.
- Commercial brokers realize there are significant limitations on the City for gap assistance (due to the distressed TID) and this is a problem which needs to be addressed.

Retailers

Several downtown retailers were contacted to discuss issues and opportunities. Key findings include:

- Business operators who have been in business for a significant number of years like the way programming has drawn more people into the downtown but not necessarily during their operating hours.
- Parking was mentioned repeatedly as a challenge. Some retailers believe the difficulty/lack-of-convenience around parking keeps people away. They believe new signage would be helpful. They also recommend change machines, credit card payment options, and attendants in ramps who can process payments and give change.
- There was some criticism about the lack of attraction of more retail where service related businesses or office uses fill retail spaces.
- The retailers we spoke with love Appleton and love downtown but say it's missing a grocery store and department store.
- The retail environment in general has changed due to the growth of online shopping.

Developers, Higher Education, and Like Organizations

Key findings from interviews suggest the following:

- Downtown is on the cusp of greatness.
- Other organizations can exist in their own world but would like to collaborate more with the City on all levels, including innovation/entrepreneurship.

- There is an appropriate role for each organization and the City has specific things it can offer that other organizations cannot, so the City should focus on those. This is including but not limited to providing incentives and offering a smoother regulatory/approval process (there are reports these items are challenging for Appleton and work to their detriment in the larger market).
- Other communities in the region have a more streamlined process and it puts Appleton behind the 8-ball when it comes to a prospect's interest in the area.
- Specifically related to downtown, it was noted that parking is "strategic, but not obvious", so better signage could help in this area.

When asked **what could be better downtown**, participants from the three focus group/interview categories described above provided the following comments:

1. **Security** – More security is desired for shoppers, patrons, visitors as well as shop owners/operators.
2. **Parking** – Related to ease of payment; parking should not be majority coin operated meters, only one attendant in one ramp, some retailers think parking perception keeps people away.
3. **Housing** – Respondents would like to see more housing options downtown. Many of the second story units above retail on College Ave. are not attracting high net worth residents. Need higher end higher density housing downtown.
4. **Grocery Store** – Many respondents would like to see a grocery store downtown but realize there is not the customer base living in the core of the city to support it (yet).
5. **Library** – Respondents would like to see the plans finalize and a new library built
6. **Blue ramp** - ideas for property where Blue ramp will come down include housing, office, and other uses.
7. **Transit** – There was some discussion about transit, various social service providers clustered downtown, and the YMCA. Most respondents understand downtown is a melting pot of different users.
8. **Financing** – There is concern over distressed TID #3 and lack of possible incentives for larger scale redevelopment.
9. **Lawrence University** – Respondents wish there was more positive customer/\$\$ impact from Lawrence students.

The list of top comments related to **what is great about downtown Appleton** included:

1. Like the work ADI is doing related to events, involvement of various shops and working relationship with City.
2. Excited about being in downtown Appleton.
3. Looking forward to the future, only going to get better.
4. Even though nature of the business has changed over the years, wouldn't want to be located anywhere else in the City.

Arts, History, Culture and Sustainability

The project team conducted two focus group meetings on April 7th with key arts and culture, sustainability and historic preservation community leaders. Follow up interviews were held to solicit input from individuals unable to make the meetings. Individual artists, arts and history organizations, as well as other arts and culture curators participated in the discussions. Key findings are presented below organized using a SWOT framework to summarize feedback related to the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats related to Appleton's arts and culture scene.

Strengths

- In the past few years there has been an uptick in community dialogue around the arts.

- Downtown provides entertainment, a place to go out at night with friends and socialize
- Downtown arts and history events and programs draws from a wide trade area. For example, over 50% of visitors to the History Museum come for the Houdini exhibit from over one hour away
- Current efforts are underway to restore existing and bring additional sculpture into the downtown.
- Several wall painted signs still exist downtown (however, they are covered up)
- The Mile of Music had a great smartphone application last year
- Performing Arts Center starting to do more local programming
- African Heritage has been a great partner with the History Museum.
- Participation of diverse populations is slowly growing.
- City has taken positive steps including free parking after 6pm downtown.
- Artistic manhole covers downtown.
- Lawrence University offering class on public art.
- City, ADI working with school on utility box wraps downtown.

<https://www.codaworx.com/> website is a good resource.

- Renaissance is a local art focused charter high school. May provide good collaboration opportunity.

Weaknesses

- Communication to the general public is critical to growing the audience for arts and culture in downtown Appleton, however many non-profits do not have an adequate marketing budget
- Visitors arriving to downtown Appleton via the airport have a poor image of the City
- There is no single, central source for variety of arts/culture opportunities in the Fox Cities
- Many arts organizations are not financially sustainable.
- It is increasingly difficult to attract good board members to provide strategic direction to arts and culture organizations.
- Lack of cultural diversity, including few non-whites auditioning for performances.
- There is not enough being done to celebrate different ethnic events and cultures.
- The scale of what we are capable of has not been realized.
- Native American heritage not recognized adequately.

Opportunities

- Create more awareness of the diversity of arts, culture opportunities downtown.
- Smaller arts and culture organizations could collaborate more including shared governance structures. There is a European model for shared governance which is being used in South Bend, IN and Cincinnati, OH to learn from.
- Better define who we want to attract downtown. It needs to be a two pronged approach focused on both out of town and local visitors.
- Place information about downtown arts, culture events at the airport
- Package individual destinations to draw from a wider region
- Make the Fox Cities a destination for arts/culture visitors by building off of Mile of Music including performance and visual arts
- Effectively engage more of the business community to promote and support the arts
- Embrace “the weird” aspects of downtown. For example, the walking tours conducted through the History Museum are very popular. More efforts such as these help people think more creatively about what downtown is and can be in the future. Strive to create other funky, creative activities and events downtown.

- Develop more collaboration between various organizations in order to support one another. For example, how can the success of the Fox Cities Performing Arts Center be leveraged to support all arts organizations in the City?
- Create a balanced Preservation Plan to guide how the City and others maintain and preserve public art.
- Build a small downtown theater to add vitality to area.
- Continue doing more pop-up events downtown.
- Build off of existing Art Markets.
- More housing downtown would provide more of a built in audience to support local arts and culture programs.
- Would like to see more adaptive re-use (for example façade renovation) versus wholesale redevelopment in order to preserve few remaining historic structures downtown
- Pro-actively embracing diversity and inclusion is critical to successful arts/culture scene. Diversity is becoming more and more central in terms of drawing and retaining diverse employee talent with businesses desire.
- Developing a more pro-active stance to attract diverse people to the arts, culture scene.
- Provide more local funding, including for on-going sculpture maintenance.
- Public/private partnerships are needed to fund higher impact projects.
- Create an ethnic market place downtown. Consider night market concept to create a party-like environment including food, dance, and vendors.
- Conduct more historic walking tours downtown and in adjacent neighborhoods.
- More strongly embrace and celebrate existing public art including:
 - Glass restoration projects
 - Butterfly mosaic
- Create a 1% for the arts funding mechanism. For example, consider allocating a percent of new building valuation or TIF investment to original art that enhances new investments downtown.
- Add more public art into parks downtown. Replace missing sculpture pieces in Soldier Square.
- Consider adding murals which celebrate the city's history.
- Identify opportunities for cross genre collaboration.
- Guerrilla art should have a place in downtown Appleton. Not all art needs or should be serious in nature.
- How do we increase the perception regarding the value of art?
- Create more temporary display opportunities.
- Embrace key gateways into downtown including Badger/College and Richmond/College.
- Place old, wooden gargoyles on buildings downtown.
- Engage more diverse audiences to contribute to arts, culture scene downtown including celebration of Native American heritage and history.
- Fox Valley Technical College – opportunity to create cross connections with artists to work on technical projects.
- Podcast walking tour of downtown showcasing history, arts.

Threats

- The conversation about shared governance can be challenging. Roles must be clearly defined in order to avoid perception of duplication of effort.
- There is no public art plan in place to maintain existing works, thereby threatening the future of these assets.
- Lack of more diverse, attractive venues inhibits growth of arts, culture scene.

- Wisconsin is woefully behind on arts funding compared with other states.
- De Pere is building a large cultural center which will draw resources.
- The City has been supportive of many arts, culture initiatives but there are still red tape/bureaucracy issues which make hosting arts, culture events more difficult than it should be.
- Some regulations (including signage) still inhibit size of murals.
- Low perception of value of the arts.
- Lack of appreciation and awareness for the arts among youth.

Neighborhood Academy Meeting

A meeting in a box exercise was conducted at the May 26, 2016 Neighborhood Academy meeting. 80 comments were collected identifying individual hopes and concerns for Appleton's future. Key issues identified included:

Issue #1: Trails, walkability, and riverfront connections

- A downtown connection to the Appleton riverfront via special buildings, walkways, and recreational areas should be considered for the future.
- Neighborhoods and downtown should be more bicycle and pedestrian friendly.
- In general, safer and bike and pedestrian routes are needed connecting downtown to adjacent neighborhoods and the river.

Issue #2: Housing

- Participants would like to see housing in downtown improve, especially on College Avenue. Improvements noted include better maintenance of buildings, clearer communication on rental opportunities.
- More market rate housing should be promoted in and adjacent to downtown in addition to the affordable housing market.
- The neighborhoods in and surrounding the downtown are critically important to the future of downtown and appropriate investments should be made to make/keep them safe, attractive to families and other homeowners.
- There is too much urban sprawl occurring, it would be good to encourage more people to live in and closer to downtown versus on the periphery.

Issue #3: Neighborhoods

- Neighbors need to work together more proactively to address local issues and concerns versus solely relying on the city.
- Neighbors should spend more time outside, getting to know and looking after one another.
- Wisconsin Ave. should be more walkable and bicycle accessible, a place to come to in order to enjoy cultural events and food from other cultures.
- Crime is a concern.

Issue #4: Community Gardens & Sustainability

- More community gardens and green space is needed downtown, including support facilities such as composting
- The City should become a leader in sustainable practices such as green infrastructure.

Issue #5: Diversity and Inclusiveness

- The community should find ways to embrace and celebrate the growing diversity in the community. The police should continue to make efforts to build trust with the community.

Issue #6: Image & History

- No longer be in top 20 of alcohol consumption list
- Blight should be eliminated
- Historic properties should be protected

Summary of Key Issues Impacting Downtown Appleton

Short summaries of the following key issues impacting downtown are provided below, based on community engagement activities:

- **Housing**
- **Parking**
- **Circulation and Access**
- **Walkability**
- **River Connectivity**
- **Green Space including Trails, Parks**
- **Library & Senior Center**
- **Safety**
- **Maintenance**
- **Fox Cities Exhibition Center/Tourism Experience**
- **City Center Plaza**
- **Creative Culture and Public Art**
- **Diversity**
- **Quality of Life Amenities - Small Theater, Downtown Grocery**
- **Sub-Areas**
 - **West College Ave**
 - **Richmond & College**
 - **North of College Ave**

Housing

- A variety of different types of housing products (both market and affordable) should be introduced downtown including row houses, pocket neighborhoods, and mid to higher density apartments.
- There is strong interest in maintaining healthy neighborhoods in and adjacent to downtown, including through home repair programs and encouraging more home ownership.
- Housing in fill should be looked at in the context of mixed use including potential public uses.
- Many of the second story units above retail on College Ave. are ripe for housing

Transportation, Walkability

- The mobility study identified several issues:
 - Lack of pedestrian/bike accommodation on streets leading into and out of downtown
 - Stoplights which can be removed north of College Ave. to improve traffic flow.
 - Northbound routing is very confusing for drivers heading across Oneida Street into downtown.
- Increased traffic on main roadways, such as Memorial Dr. and Oneida St., are of concern to community members.
- Connecting the existing trails and bike lanes along the river and to downtown.

- The impact of the train on surrounding neighborhoods is a concern to residents.

Parking

- Future parking structures should be mixed use.
- Related to ease of payment, parking should not be majority coin operated meters, only one attendant in one ramp, some retailers think parking perception keeps people away.
- There is not enough parking available downtown and future options should consider mixed-use facilities to maximize development opportunities.
- Parking was mentioned repeatedly as a challenge. Some retailers believe the difficulty/lack-of-convenience around parking keeps people away. They believe new signage would be helpful. They also recommend change machines, credit card payment options, and attendants in ramps who can process payments and give change.

Grocery Store

- A grocery store should be considered for downtown to provide residents and office workers a convenient option for daily needs. Many residents also recognize there is not sufficient residential density to support a mid to larger format grocer.

Library

- The library project should move ahead and be located downtown, either in its current location or on bluff site or at location of former Thompson Center.

Development & Business Climate

- Concern over distressed TID #3 and lack of possible incentives for larger scale redevelopment.
- Faster elimination of condemned/non-occupied properties and quicker repairs to declining infrastructure could assist in attracting new businesses to the City.
- River Heath has been a great example of potential development at the river front for multi-use facilities.
- Downtown is on the cusp of greatness. Other organizations can exist in their own world but would like to collaborate more with the City on all levels, including innovation/entrepreneurship. Also, there is an appropriate role for each organization and the City has specific things it can offer that other organizations cannot, so the City should focus on those.

Security

- Several people feel security is an issue for shoppers, patrons, visitors as well as shop owners/operators.

Organization and Marketing

- People are excited about the future of downtown Appleton and feel it is heading in the right direction.
- Business owners and visitors the work ADI is doing related to events, involvement of various shops and working relationship with City.
- Business operators who have been in business for a significant number of years like the way programming has drawn more people into the downtown but not necessarily during their operating hours.
- There is concern about the lack of attraction of more retail where service related businesses or office uses fill retail spaces.

- Retailers love Appleton and love downtown but say it's missing a grocery store and department store.
- The retail environment in general has changed due to the growth of online shopping.

Richmond and College Avenue Area

- The physical entrance to downtown and north/south connections leave a poor impression on visitors arriving from the west, north, and south.

West College Entertainment Area

- The existing amount of bars on College Ave causes concern for community members because they would like to see a greater variety of specialty restaurants and coffee shops mixed into the layout of Downtown.

Creative Culture and Public Art

- There is strong support for continuing to support a wide variety of both informal and formal entertainment and arts/cultural programs and activities and installations downtown.
- There is an opportunity to do a better job connecting the resources and success of the PAC with the broader arts/culture/music community to make both stronger.
- There is a lack of cultural diversity represented when it comes to planning and delivering culture and arts programming downtown.
- Embrace “the weird” aspects of downtown. For example, the walking tours conducted through the History Museum are very popular. More efforts such as these help people think more creatively about what downtown is and can be in the future. Strive to create other funky, creative activities and events downtown.

River, Connectivity, Trails, Parks

- The riverfront is an underdeveloped attraction that could benefit from an improved trail system surrounding the waterways.
- The Ellen Kort Peace Park should be designed for passive recreational, wildlife watching, nature based activities. Also an opportunity to celebrate cultural diversity.
- Dogs should be allowed in parks. A dog park should be located in or near downtown.
- A Riverwalk should be extended along the Fox River

Diversity

- Pro-actively embracing diversity and inclusion is critical to successful arts/culture scene.
- Diversity is becoming more and more central in terms of drawing and retaining diverse employee talent which businesses desire.

Senior Center

- The loss of the Thompson Community Center has created a demand for a new Community Center for the aging baby-boomer population.

Small Theater

- A small independent theater should go in downtown, for hosting films and live performances and creating alternative social gathering space.

North of College Ave.

- The area a few blocks north of downtown between Oneida and State Street is full of concrete surface parking or vacant lots. Many of these blocks seem like great locations for new urban housing. They are walking distance from downtown and could spur additional economic development in an area that now feels ugly and almost abandoned.
- Large swaths of parking make the northern portion of downtown very inhospitable.
- Work to recreate urban fabric and make policies that encourage redevelopment of land while working with current land owners

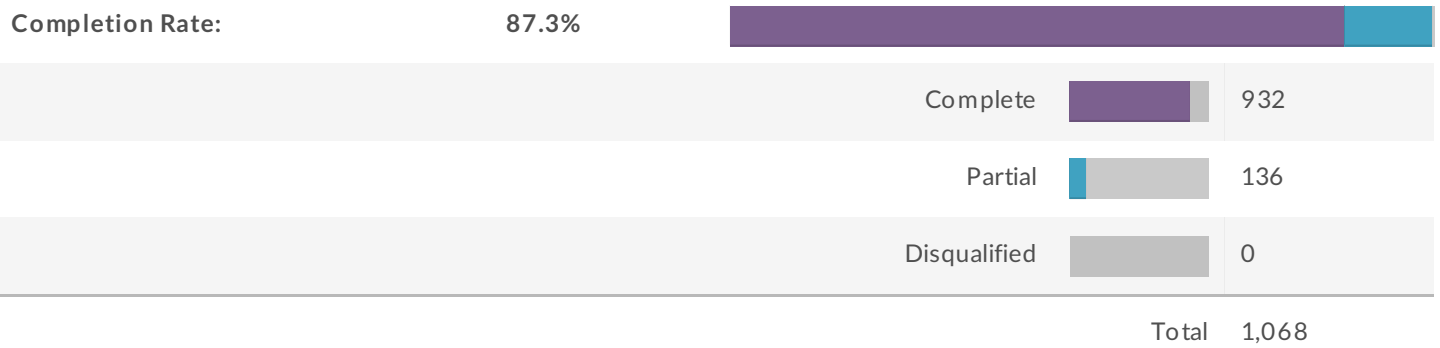
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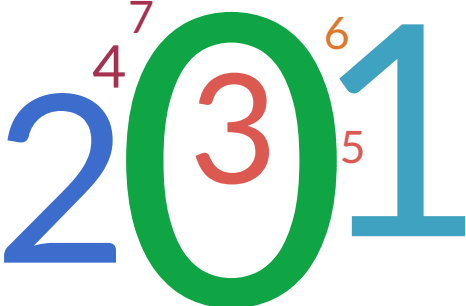
RESULTS OF INTERACTIVE WEBSITE

Report for Appleton Comprehensive Plan Update Survey

1. Response Counts



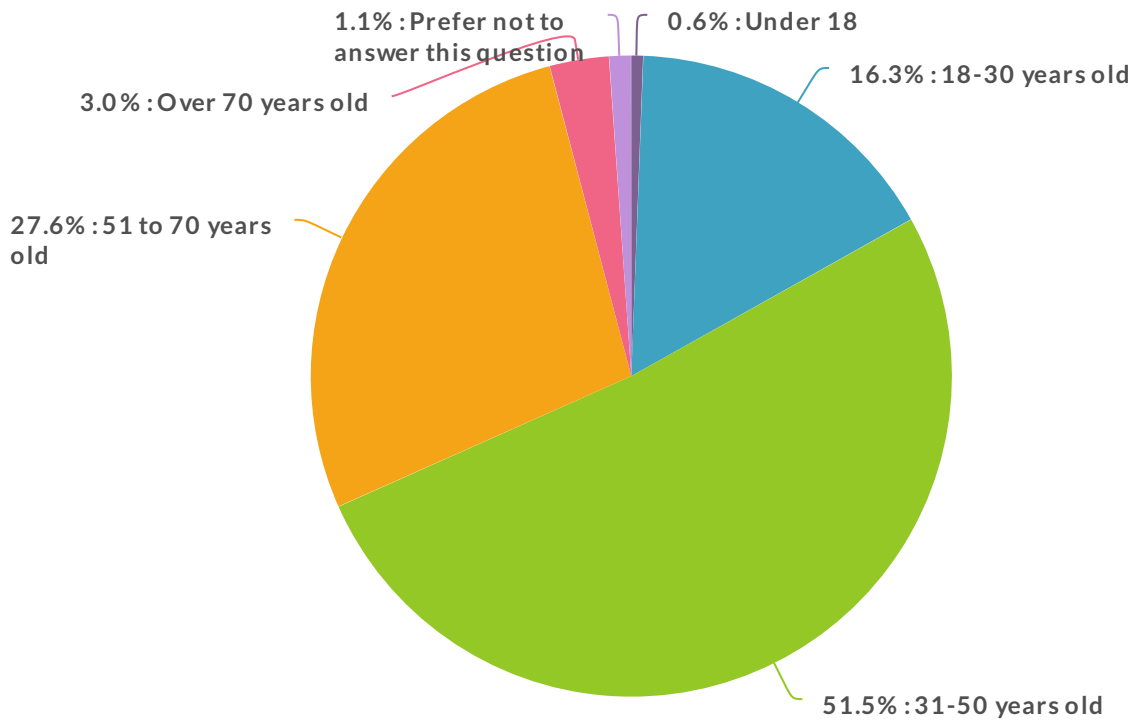
2. What is your zip code?



Count	Response
368	54911
255	54915
199	54914
117	54913
25	54952
10	54956
9	54130
9	54140
6	54136
6	54942
3	54113
2	54901
1	53911
1	54129
1	54165
1	54169

Count	Response
1	54170
1	54199
1	54227
1	54304
1	54311
1	54811
1	54912
1	54915-1310
1	54915-3446
1	54915-4250
1	54915-7095
1	54916
1	54923
1	54931
1	54944
1	54981
1	55911
1	64141

3. What is your age?



Value	Percent	Count
Under 18	0.6%	6
18-30 years old	16.3%	170
31-50 years old	51.5%	537
51 to 70 years old	27.6%	288
Over 70 years old	3.0%	31
Prefer not to answer this question	1.1%	11
Total		1,043

4. Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not applicable
I feel safe in my neighborhood	423 40.7%	500 48.1%	69 6.6%	36 3.5%	8 0.8%	3 0.3%
My neighborhood is walkable	513 49.4%	399 38.4%	55 5.3%	50 4.8%	17 1.6%	4 0.4%
My neighborhood is bike friendly	275 26.5%	451 43.4%	166 16.0%	114 11.0%	27 2.6%	6 0.6%
I know many of my neighbors	210 20.3%	402 38.9%	195 18.9%	170 16.4%	53 5.1%	4 0.4%

5. In your own words, please share any other additional comments related to your neighborhood



Count	Response
1	Disrespectful neighbors in apartment building; neighborhood children have no guidance and tasks to do; can skip school no consequences; law enforcement take at least 45 mins to respond to physical atrications; at risk children gather where there is little no adult suo ervision; neighbors drive drunk/stoned wreak other vehicles etc o
1	I live on a cul-de-sac and the snow removal always box me in. There is also a slice of city property adjoining mine where there is a rotten fence that leads down a gully... it is very dangerous since if you slip anywhere near that area which is 3 feet away at the most from my driveway, you'll slide right down there to the street below. It's DANGEROUS an eyesore. Please fix it before someone gets hurt
1	2 bike lanes on East Fremont deny on street parking on this street, served by city buses, as a major ambulance route to St. E's ,as a major fire truck, as a fast track east from Lawe st. Many still use sidewalks to bike..much safer.
1	A rash of car thefts as well as other illicit activities on near by blocks has made us question the overall safety of the area. This in addition to heavy traffic (speeding) due to our home's location near a traffic light make it so we have to be extra careful with the kids outside.
1	A stop sign on Alton Street that slowed traffic going up or down that road would make the streets safer for bikes and for the growing (once again) number of young children who live there. There is a stop sign on Rankin but as there is virtually no traffic on Rankin that sign is meaningless.
1	Although I am not close friends with my neighbors, they are all friendly.
1	Arbutus Park should have the basketball hoops reinstalled. Additional APD presence could prevent the previous problems.
1	Area parks are nice. It would be nice to see less traffic. W Glendale Ave is a fairly busy street the closer you get to Mason St. I think this prevents a close knit community.

Count	Response
1	As a business, I appreciate the partnerships with other local business owners/operators.
1	Bike paths for busy streets would make getting to the park easier. Prospect Ave is too busy to ride bikes with my kids, but the park is over 1 mile away.
1	Broadway Drive is not safe. Vehicles travel too fast and most don't slow down for pedestrians. People use this road as a short cut and drive wayyyy too fast.
1	Busy street but quite neighborhood
1	Cars drive too fast down the street. Too many people let their dogs outside unleashed.
1	Cozy
1	Don't like people parking in the street overnight. Wish police or public safety could drive down the side streets more often to gauge noise from homes. Roads themselves are bad- bumps, cracks in the pavement etc.
1	Downtown neighborhood
1	Drivers on the busy road don't seem to understand rules for bike riding and how the bike lanes operate. Sometimes it can be scary taking small kids biking in a trailer for this reason.
1	Even with bike lanes I would not feel safe riding in my neighborhood because of the high traffic volume.
1	Fix the streets.
1	For a city our size, I think neighborhood safety and crime levels continue to be something we should all be proud of, and strive to maintain.
1	For the most part my neighbors take pride in how their home looks (from the outside at least). But I have one neighbor who leaves junk, trash bags and random things out. They also rarely mow their yard. Not sure what options I have, just live with the public display of crap outside my window :(
1	Gets plowed too late in the day.
1	Had many vehicle break ins, police are constantly at two of neighboring homes. Would never leave doors unlocked.
1	Hardly see police in my neighborhood. Seems the downtown area gets all the attention on weekend nights. I am a tax payer also and if I am not getting police patrol as much then lower my taxes.
1	Has a close connection to the ce trail and is walking distance to 1000 islands
1	Housing codes are not being enforced, there is a concentration of sex offenders, too many rental properties and absentee landlords
1	I am a bit concerned as crime seems to be working it's way toward my neighborhood, though the past 8 years I've lived there I have felt safe.

Count Response

- 1 I am comfortable walking one direction (away from the questionable housing) in my neighborhood; however that is the direction to get to the nearest park. In walking from my house to the park, I pass no less than THREE registered sex offenders. One a child molester. So, while I understand they are not re-offending, it is unnerving to be forced to choose sex offenders or very rough, sketchy neighborhoods in both directions. I hope to sell our house and move soon....
- 1 I am concerned about how car traffic on Roeland seems to accelerate once it turns into Gladys Ave. We have all ages of kids on the block and I'm afraid someone will be hit by a car.
- 1 I am very worried about the usage of the former Thompson Center.
- 1 I believe the city needs to clean up the neighborhoods a little some of the areas are just so dirty and junky looking. I also think that there should be more neighborhood watch programs available .
- 1 I bought a house in Appleton last year, moving from Kaukauna. I loved my old neighborhood in Kaukauna & I am happy to say that I feel very comfortable & safe in my new neighborhood.
- 1 I could really do without the rentals on our street that are in such terrible condition. Those rentals often get questionable people in them, and with an elementary school right here, I sometimes worry. There is also a hoarder a few houses down from me whose yard and house need some help.
- 1 I currently live at homeless connections and so far its been a safe neighborhood
- 1 I feel "disagree" is appropriate for my answers above because parts of my neighborhood does not have sidewalks.
- 1 I have easy walkable access to the west side of downtown; however, I would love to have bike access to the shops and establishments on the east part of College Ave
- 1 I like Appleton a lot. It's a great place to raise kids. Not moving anytime soon. Couple negatives. Could you fit another bar downtown? Geez if I was a shop owner I wouldn't want to be there? Unless I'm selling beer goggles. Can someone do something about the traffic lights on Wisconsin Ave? I drive that road everyday and they are set up for inefficiency. It needs to be looked at. College Ave. is good.
- 1 I live 2 blocks north of Wisconsin Avenue. I would like to see continued improvements to encourage use by more folks in the neighborhood.
- 1 I live at Richmond Terrace condominiums on Richmond Street, and although it is a very diverse neighborhood which I like I wish that there were fewer rental homes because they are not well maintained.
- 1 I live at Ridgeview Highlands. Sometimes I wish I lived in Appleton
- 1 I live downtown! I love it here but know that we have not scratched the surface of opportunities to leverage the assets of a city our size. I believe that we should be like an Eastside MKE or an Austin, TX but we are risk averse and not easy to "do business" with.
- 1 I live in a residential neighborhood. Everyone is very nice, but they keep to themselves.
- 1 I live in a very nice neighborhood.
- 1 I live in little chute but work in downtown appleton.

Count Response

1 I live in some nicer apartments and feel that little community is very safe. Neighbors (including myself) keep to themselves mostly so missing that friendly neighbor feel but aw well

1 I live in the McCarthy Creek apartment complex. It is as if we are on an island because there are no sidewalks, bike lanes, or pedestrian friendly roadways which allow for safe and easy access out of the triangle formed by Wisconsin Ave, Greenville Drive, and Mayflower Drive. I would love to be able to walk/bike to work (on Communication Dr < 1.5mi away), to the mall (also < 1.5mi away), and to the inside of the 41/441 circle.

1 I live near City Park and enjoy the diversity.

1 I live on Mueller St., the street that comes directly out of Pierce park. The intersection at the end of the street on Prospect is extremely unsafe and the cars are going 10-15 MPH over the limit most days.

1 I live on the College Avenue corridor and absolutely love it. My only complaint about a controllable noise nuisance is motorcyclists revving their engines well above permissible levels, especially at stop lights. Yes, noise comes with the territory when you live in a city and I accept that, but this is beyond normal levels and an intentional effort by some motorcyclists to create noise above those levels. I'd love to see some enforcement to abate the nuisance.

1 I live within a mile of 4 schools and near Appleton East. Transportation is terrible and dangerous for children. Very little open space for walking or relaxing besides kids parks.

1 I think most neighborhoods are falling apart with the exception of the very wealthiest. It has changed dramatically over the past 10 years all over Wisconsin. There is litter everywhere, drug use is way up and people just don't care.

1 I walk/bike frequently, although I do not feel particularly safe doing these activities on South Oneida (the bridge updates have helped, however).

1 I wish some homes in my neighborhood were better kept and I could safely bicycle on Prospect Avenue.

1 I wish there were more sidewalks on oneida, I live by 441, and anytime I want to walk anywhere on oneida, I have to go on the grass, and the drivers don't pay attention to people crossing the street.

1 I wish we had a park closer and I wish the main streets, like Northland, near us had sidewalks

1 I would like to see more pressure placed on landlords to take care of rented home.

1 I would like to have sidewalks in the Seminole Drive neighborhood.

1 I would like to see the river public access point be more user friendly. Just a simple stepped or switchback path would make a world of difference. I think we need a noise ordinance. Commercial lawn services have incredibly loud machinery. Also, it is hard to enjoy being outdoors because of near constant noise from leaf blowers and lawn mowers. Wish we could establish quiet hours. I would like to see the city convert parks to no-mow lawns to save energy, money, and cut down on noise. I would also like to see the city use native plants for city plantings to support pollinators, birds, and butterflies. I would like the city to cut down on light pollution. I would like the city to have a campaign to educate citizens about riding bikes like vehicles rather than pedestrians and educate people about walking safely by facing traffic where there are no sidewalks.

1 I would love to see a walking/biking path/trail and a playground close to my house. It would be nice to have somewhere safe to let my kids play and ride bikes. Our closest playground is Lions Park, and I'd love to have one closer!

Count Response

- 1 I would love to see more community effort to clean up west College Ave. maybe increase the retail, arts or restaurant business close to the PAC. There are way too many bars in one area which in turn becomes a Mecca for crime. Your survey asked about safety. I answered it based on day time. I would never feel safe walking alone in Appleton at night. I'm a runner and even during the day there has been increasing numbers of transients that hang out at the parks & various areas that are public. The noise pollution from the train is so loud that living close is not very comfortable. There many communities in Wisconsin that have quiet time for the trains in place. I enjoy the friendliness of Appleton but fear it's become dated. It could use a facelift to attract families & visitors. I'm all for the bike trails that have been proposed. Not only will that increase families but a healthier clientele will come downtown.
- 1 I would prefer that it gets plowed earlier in the day so I can get to work.
- 1 I would really like there to be more safe biking options available.
- 1 I wouldn't say it's bike unfriendly, but there are no designated biking lanes. There are no signs to yield for bikers, and in general biking is not well tolerated.
- 1 I'd like to see a grocery store downtown.
- 1 I'd love a better bike/walking lane on North Ballard (north of JJ). It could bring more people to Plamann Park. I also hope that as the area around JJ and North High is developed, leaders consider beauty and walking and don't just create another Darboy/east Calumet. Think of Cedarburg as a model of walkable commerce. Thank you.
- 1 I'm a small business owner on West Wisconsin Ave. I would really like to see this part of town revitalized. Make this the new Uptown area so as to attract more business to the area.
- 1 I'm a widow in a young neighborhood. Families here are so busy that they don't have time for the older folks.
- 1 I'm in Eagle Flats. Over the winter, city workers started cleaning up a small section of the south shore of the navigation canal between Lawe and Olde Oneida. I wish they would finish what they started! That entire stretch should be cleared.
- 1 I'm in a newer part of town and in an apartment complex
- 1 I've lived in many other states and Wisconsin has been the first one where we don't have a sidewalk for my kids to bike on or walk on
- 1 Impossible to walk to run basic errands. There is no grocery store, pharmacy, etc. within walking distance from my house. Problem is, if I were to move closer to any of these services I wouldn't be able to walk downtown, which is 90% of the reason I choose to live where I do. Walkability is the future, and Appleton needs to provide those essential daily services.
- 1 In the past, there has been drug activity in the neighborhood. There is a mix of renters and elderly so it is not a young, safe, thriving neighborhood. There have been police chases (on foot) through our yard in the past so that doesn't feel safe either. There are no bike paths or trails nearby for my children to learn to ride their bikes.
- 1 It is generally safe, but the last few months we have had someone going through our garbage on a regular basis.
- 1 It would be great to have more ways to bike and/or walk safely within and between communities.
- 1 It's a joke!

Count Response

- 1 It's apartment buildings and there are no sidewalks out by my house, or bike lanes but I'm sure that is the town of Grand Chutes problem, not Appleton. The one thing that is a huge deal is my children are very much involved in park and rec activities and I no longer qualify for any assistance due to my low income. I have to pay prices as a non-resident and that makes it very difficult... Also grand chute doesn't have pools for swim lessons or softball and dance only boys baseball... I believe Grand chute citizen should get some kind of help or discount similar to menasha and neenah kids getting resident prices, they do not live in Appleton, why then and not us just outside the border? We need to keep all kids busy and having fun... Thanks
- 1 It's isn't lit up enough.....and parking only on one stretch of it.....not where we need it.....we need neighborhood watches to o....better to be safe these days.
- 1 It's nice and quite. A good area within a short drive's distance to downtown appleton.
- 1 It's one of the first streets plowed after snow storms.
- 1 Its a nice neighborhood, but in todays society few people reach out to each other. We know our immediate neighbors barely. With all of our beautiful parks, it would be nice to see more involvement there, to bring neighbors together.
- 1 Just moved in so need to meet people
- 1 Keep making the city more bike friendly green bay is a great example
- 1 Lack of sidewalks, would like to have a more dog-friendly community (ex. dogs in parks, off-leash dog parks)
- 1 Lawsburg area- It is a nice area. but there are many homes that do not upkeep their yard or house well enough.
- 1 Less corporate chains (food especially)
- 1 Live close to downtown and Lawrence. Walkable to the post office and library and the farmers market. Wish there was a grocery store close.
- 1 Live downtown, many drunk people at night.
- 1 Lots of fenced in yards and not as much socializing.
- 1 Love being so close to erb park.
- 1 Love the old houses, but some slum lords, lazy tenants with yards out of control. Have had problems on and off with housing partnership house nearby (drugs). House next door under appraised at 40,000, bringing down values in the neighborhood. It was vacant for a while, I'm assuming the assessor will catch this...
- 1 Many of the homes in my neighborhood are rentals, so I feel that it's hard to meet neighbors when they're changing frequently.
- 1 Many rental homes owned by absentee landlords. Lawns and sidewalks are not cared for.
- 1 Motorcycle traffic and loud motorcycles that the police do not enforce. Pit bulls , people walking in the middle of the street cursing. Drug deals on the corners.
- 1 Moved here a year ago. Very happy.

Count	Response
1	Moved recently, so still getting to know people. Wish we had a neighborhood association.
1	My "neighborhood" is Union Square apartments. Police are here everyday, so I guess it's safe.....or maybe not.....depending how you look at it.
1	My family and I love our City Park area neighborhood. We know many people, and continue to become more and more connected through neighborhood activities and groups like Nextdoor.com.
1	My neighborhood is OK but most keep to themselves.
1	My neighborhood is awesome because of the people that live there. The bike/walk ability could be better...a lot better
1	My neighborhood is on a busy four lane highway. The other side of our block is a quiet residential area. We have a lot of walker's, runners, bicycles and vehicle traffic on a well maintained boulevard. Nice area.
1	My neighborhood is safe and nice but it does not have a sense of a "neighborhood community" where neighbors might interact and know each other.
1	Near City Park and within walking distance of downtown.
1	Need a sidewalk on French Road and intersection lights or another round about.
1	Need more bikes intersecting the ones that currently exist!
1	Need to keep sidewalks as a choice among those who live in a neighborhood.
1	Neighborhood is between Lawrence and the YMCA. The YMCAs letting all the houses that they bought rot. Between Lawrences reconstruction in the wise reconstruction it is noisy loud filthy air and extremely irritating. But no one really seems to care
1	Neighborhood is really on the down slide. Very hard hit post economic crisis. Lots of foreclosures. Character of neighborhood is changing. I would have said very safe and very walkable 5-6 years ago.
1	Neighborhood sidewalks not so great. Bus lines need to operate more frequently for people that need it (1 trip per hour is way too long)
1	Neighborhood very nice. Some people boarder on hoarders and would like to see an effort to clean up yards and stop using yard for trailer storage. Very unattractive. Not sure what can be done to get people to clean up property. My concern is that if left unattended property values will fall.
1	Neighbors are not very friendly and not ideal for a neighborhood with children.
1	New to the area. Outdoor areas are fine within one mile area of fox river mills.
1	No
1	No sidewalks in our neighborhood by Janet Berry Elementary.
1	No sidewalks, so not very walkable.

Count Response

1	Not a friendly neighborhood-- I am lucky if I get a hi or a wave from our neighbors. The unfriendliest neighborhood I have ever live in :(
1	Not that safe in downtown area after dark
1	Our neighborhood is becoming more and more trashy looking, which has been a concern to us. Can something be done to limit the cars crossing sidewalks, crazy parking on the streets and Hmong parties that go on for days, the large trash piles that sit for days and overflow that sits for weeks? I live in the Gillett Highlands neighborhood and we have been thinking of moving due to the state of the neighborhood decline. Thank you
1	Our neighborhood is easily accessible for bikes, however there is not any street parking because both sides are bike lanes without parking space. Having elderly grandparents and family over means they have to walk a block or two because of restricted driveway space.
1	Our neighborhood would be much safer for walking, biking, and children if we had sidewalks.
1	Our street is very narrow, especially in winter with plowing, which also makes it unsafe for biking.
1	People from Milwaukee and Chicago are moving up here bringing more crime with them.
1	Peter Street & Midpark Ave, nice area. The alleys could use some work though.
1	Recently moved.
1	Road is very busy. Cars go too fast down the street.
1	Sidewalks would make our neighborhood so much safer for our kids. Especially to give them a safe route to our neighborhood park. Also it would be great to see a roundabout go in at Kennsington and Newberry.
1	Streets need repaving with added bike lanes.
1	The Fox Valley is still very non-bike friendly outside of the CE trail.
1	The city services like trash and leaf collection have always been timely and good. Midway Road traffic is increasing and may need addressing as far as safety and lighting.
1	The foot traffic into the Kwik Trip next to my condo (Richmond Terrace) has increased significantly since it changed from Express, which has meant a lot more folks that seem to have no where to go, loitering, standing around, and watching people. It makes me nervous. Many more incidents of crime as well. It's sad to see so many sexual predators in my neighborhood, and I don't know why. I am considering a move to a more rural area, even though I love my condo life.
1	The owner of the rental unit next door doesn't take as good of care of his property as the previous owner. The tenants are not considerate and the landlord doesn't seem to care.
1	The park (Kiwanis) abd street is usually over run with unsupervised preteen kids.
1	The park is nice. Some of the crime is an issue.
1	The parks don't feel as safe anymore and the robberies make me feel very unsafe after dark

Count Response

1 The questions were answered based on daytime. Nighttime, the neighborhood is a little less enjoyable as we have people that have been coming into the area for breakins, graffiti, etc.

1 The recent Habitat for Humanity activity in our neighborhood really did make quite an improvement, hoping more work in this area could be done. I answered the questions above about our neighborhood being walkable and bike friendly as disagrees because of the following: at least 3-5 different house's sidewalks will be scattered with dog poop that has not been picked up. Also, at least one homeowner parks vehicles over the sidewalk, causing you to walk in the street to get around to the other side of the side walk. Lawn maintenance in our neighborhood is also not very good. Most of these issues are probably personal accountability issues, so I'm not even sure anything can be done. I would like to say that I am proud to live in this neighborhood, but I am far from it and have intentions to move. Neighborhood concerns are at the top of the list as to way we will be happy to buy a home in a different neighborhood. Love Appleton in general, just not this area. Lastly, we do live cl

1 The swing sets at Pierce park seem dangerous, looks like they will break when older kids swing on them. How old are they and can they be replaced with newer ones? Thanks.

1 The tornado that struck brought us closer together.

1 Theft. Lots of hills and frequently obstructed bike lanes.

1 There are busy streets and no suitable places to walk to even reach a "walkable" trail. I was spoiled after living in Minneapolis for a decade where bike lanes and beautiful trails are everywhere. It would be wonderful to have a similar environment here in Appleton.

1 There are many houses that appear un-cared for and have poorly maintained yards. There is constantly trash out front, from food wrappers to cans and cups. These same homes do not cut back their vegetation overgrowth that tumbles out on to the sidewalks or take care of their snow and ice. Despite calls to the city to report the impassable sidewalks.

1 There are no grocery stores or department stores within walking or biking distance. Some streets don't have enough trees for shade. City Park is beautiful. The train horns are extremely disruptive to sleep especially during the summer with the windows open (would love to make Appleton a quiet zone!). There are some really great restaurants and shops downtown, but would like to see more practical stores mixed in. Also, it's very, very difficult to find affordable and quality residential rentals in the downtown area.

1 There are no sidewalks in our neighborhood so when walking with young children it is very hard. This is the same for bikes. Cars fly up and down Harvest Drive and Perkins daily. They need to slow down!! Sidewalks would be nice.

1 There are no sidewalks on many of our neighborhood streets. Shoulders are gravel and traffic is too fast to feel real safe while walking and biking.

1 There are quite a few low income homes in my neighborhood that the neighbor's don't pick up their yard or watch their children very closely. It makes me a little uncomfortable to have my 3 year old around them!

Count Response

- 1 There is more & more crime moving in to the City Park neighborhood every year. I have lived on the corner of North & Durkee streets since 1996. I used to feel very safe here. Now I do not. There was a reported arrest at a drug house in my block. I just recently read of a dangerous sex offender being released as a homeless man in this part of town. There was also a man arrested last year who broke in to a woman's apartment & attempted to sexually assault her. This is so sad because this is still a beautiful part of town. I know WHERE people move cannot be controlled & I SEE a lot of low income & gang related people moving downtown. There HAS to be something that can be done. This is supposed to be a historical district & that cannot be when there are so many criminals living in this area.

- 1 There is not enough police presence in my neighborhood as well as a lack of code enforcement leading to excessive noise, drug and alcohol issues, out of control parties and vandalism.

- 1 There is open drug use and sales.

- 1 Too many bike riders on the sidewalks in the Downtown....an accident if waiting to happen! Please at least consider signage on the pavement corners saying it is illegal and what the fine is!

- 1 Vehicles drive by too fast. Heavy foot traffic and bike traffic by Erb park

- 1 Very accessible to school, playgrounds, AMC hospital, Fire Dept. Overall good service - garbage pick-up, mail etc.

- 1 Very safe and inviting area.

- 1 We are Village of Little Chute, but Appleton schools. Some may not apply to what you're really looking for...

- 1 We bought our home to later find out that next door is a transitional housing unit. We homeschool our children, so they are out a lot during day time hours. For the second time in a year, there is a person who is a sex offender listed as a sexually violent person next door. It is appalling that we bought this home with no way to have uncovered that information before we were living here. The city needs to address this.

- 1 We don't even have fire numbers near the road, we are rural Appleton.

- 1 We have always loved the easy access to the elementary school, the Y, the library, small businesses, the parks, entertainment. As someone about to retire, and thinking about aging, the walkability is critical.

- 1 We have lived at this location for 17 years and are sad to see an increase in vandalism and poorly-kept properties in our neighborhood. We worry about property values declining.

- 1 We have many rentals that don't bother keeping their homes up. You can never open your windows in the summer because the train horns are so loud. The railroad seems to think they never have to cut the property they own which makes our areas look like slums! All they can do is lay on the horn so nobody gets any sleep at night.

- 1 We have no sidewalks, you have to walk on the street when you do walk somewhere. I don't think my neighbors are very welcoming to anyone that looks different from the majority in this area. I don't really care about this b/c my purpose to live there is for my kids to have access to better schools.

- 1 We have young kids, (many in the neighborhood) and no sidewalks. We live on north Rankin street just north of Capital, south of hwy 41 and cars go so fast in our neighborhood. Dangerously fast and it's only a matter of time before something awful happens. Neighbors thought about petitioning for a speed bump? Sidewalks would be safer for kids too but likely not going to happen at this point. Any suggestions? "Slow down" signs do not work.

Count	Response
1	We live in a neighborhood without sidewalks. I think sidewalks would add to walkability and to an increased friendliness among neighbors.
1	We live on N. Gillett Street and there are no sidewalks and the road is not big enough to walk or bike safely on the side of the road as people rarely move over if they are able and do not go 25 mph.
1	We need more bike lanes please! A lot of us commute to work using bicycles.
1	We need physical barriers between motorized traffic and bicyclists and pedestrians. Texting and hurried, intolerant drivers make cycling seem so much more risky than it once did. The Dutch offer a safer approach to cycling friendly infrastructure. I live near the CE trail, but getting there feels risky.
1	We recently moved to the neighborhood.
1	We're very near a walking /biking trail, but because we have no direct way to walk to it, we have to drive 1/2 mile to get to it to walk. It would be nice to connect our neighborhood to the others nearby
1	While I don't know many neighbors personally, I feel our street is friendly and respectful of one another.
1	While I mostly feel safe in my neighborhood during the day, I sometimes get nervous in the evening/at night with the bus station and Salvation Army soup kitchen being so close to my house.
1	While my neighborhood is just peachy (Johnston elementary), I have a broader issue with the clustering of businesses away from neighborhoods. Basically I'd like to see more small shops interspersed within neighborhoods like Jacob's or the salons by Glendale & Oneida. I think an effort to introduce more of these would really help increase a sense of community within the various areas and give them a little character - and maybe a destination.
1	While my neighborhood is safe and bike friendly, I don't consider it walkable because there are no destinations in walking distance. It may be fine to take a stroll in the neighborhood for exercise, but I'd rather live in a neighborhood where I can walk to stores, shops, etc.
1	Wisconsin Ave needs to be revitalized. I was fortunate to be a part of the discussion during Pulse week regarding this issue. Looking forward to seeing some forward motion breathing new life into Wisconsin Ave.
1	With the amount of rental houses - the quality of people, and care on the outside look brings concern on the activities going on. Hard to draw on a sense of community and neighborhood pride.
1	Would like bike paths especially around popular destinations on college avenue
1	Would like biking paths around the south side. I feel riding my bike on the street isn't safe.
1	You can walk around in my neighborhood, but there isn't really anywhere to go. Would be nice if there were local spots to walk to where people hang out.
1	love it!

Count Response

1 my neighbor hood has had many traumas occure during the 5 years I've lived here including many broken homes, burglaries, suicides, a police shooting and so on. while I love the downtown appleton vibe, I think one of its biggest hurdles is attracting stable families or individuals in order to downsize on the number of rental properties which make for unstable/unsafe/disconnected neighborhoods. this atmosphere seems to invite crime and a feeling of depression around parts of town. I would love to be a part of this or hear more about plans for downtown. how can we make downtown a place people with kids don't want to avoid?

1 my neighborhood is nice. there are a few mishaps but it happens. I feel safe for the most part but I do see alot of people jogging and walking/running through my neighborhood so it's nice. my son and I play outside in it.

1 prefer to have sidewalks

1 west college ave. is completely unwalkable/bikeable. I would like to see bike lane/path that links from the the CB trail by the airport, all the way down college to the CE trail.

6. In your own words, please share any other additional comments related to your neighborhood - Text Analysis

No data: No responses found for this question.

7. Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Not applicable
Public transit meets my needs	64 6.2%	189 18.3%	294 28.4%	101 9.8%	44 4.3%	343 33.1%
More on-street bicycling lanes are needed	218 21.0%	309 29.8%	198 19.1%	152 14.7%	144 13.9%	16 1.5%
More off street dedicated bike and pedestrian trails are needed	404 39.0%	389 37.5%	138 13.3%	60 5.8%	38 3.7%	8 0.8%
I can usually find adequate parking downtown	120 11.6%	515 49.7%	126 12.2%	191 18.4%	64 6.2%	20 1.9%
Streets in Appleton are generally well maintained	114 11.0%	541 52.2%	167 16.1%	155 15.0%	58 5.6%	1 0.1%

8. In your own words, please share any other additional comments related to your transportation needs



Count	Response
4	None
4	Some roads have been going down hill with potholes.
2	I do not shop or visit downtown much because there are no handicap parking spaces on college avenue. I think there should be 4, one on each corner at every intersection on college ave. I drive a van and cannot get into the ramps. The end spot on each block would be easy to get in and out of.
2	I enjoy bike lanes, but if they are going to be added to additional roads, please make sure there is at least one side of the street designated for parking as well.
2	N/A
2	The transit system is not very well run. It needs a complete re-vamp.
1	
1	No more bike lanes, especially downtown, it would hurt too many small business owners. Also if we have the need for the bike lanes then the bicyclists should have to pay a fee just as the cars are mandated to do so, they also use all the streets.
1	City streets are in dire need of repair. Both biking and driving, you have to negotiate potholes and cracks....
1	I don't use public transit, but more bike lanes especially downtown would be helpful
1	People need to be OK with walking. If the city works to make the walkways and parking structures downtown nice to look at maybe people would enjoy the walk more
1	1) The more pedestrian and bicycle friendly the downtown is the safer people would feel. 2) Parking is inconvenient, sparse and costs money.

Count Response

- 1 A bike path/lane exists from Kimberly's Sunset Park to Appleton's Telulah Park, follows the river but then ends abruptly at Oneida St. Since Riverview CC is no longer a functional golf course could that path be extended? Or, could a path connect Pierce Park alongside the railroad tracks down to Water St?
- 1 A hot line number to reports pot holes would be nice
- 1 All in all the streets and side walks are very well maintained. This is a great city with many opportunities to be discovered. If anything more attention could be given to advertise the city's great parks and trails.
- 1 Although I am not certain how this could happen due the lack of extra street, I think it would be a really good idea to somehow have bike lanes downtown.
- 1 Although patches were just placed on Prospect Ave between Mason St and Douglas St, the holes have already reappeared. For someone who travels that stretch 5-6 days a week, it is wearing on my vehicle and uncomfortable to drive over. However my own personal neighborhood seems to have little issues.
- 1 Appleton Roads need attention
- 1 Appleton has a nice selection of bicycle lanes and bike/pedestrian trails, and I would love to see this continue to grow.
- 1 Appleton has some good trails, but they could be updated or kept better. I think the riverfront could also be used in a better way.
- 1 Appleton is great for drivers, getting significantly better for bikers, still not so great for walkers. Public transit is ok, but because driving/parking is so easy I've never felt the need to use it. With Uber, I can get to and from the bars if its too cold to walk, which is wonderful.
- 1 Appleton needs more biking lanes and scenic trails walking trails that are well marked and known.
- 1 Appleton needs to have a plan for long-term secure funding for public transit.
- 1 Appleton parking is plentiful. I have little need for public transportation. Perhaps bus routes should concentrate on neighborhoods where there are a greater concentration of lower income individuals.
- 1 Appleton residents need only visit other like-sized cities in Wisconsin to realize how well our streets are maintained! City or Chamber of Commerce should encourage / reward businesses to install bike racks. Large employers should reward employees who ride bus or carpool. INSTALL SIDEWALKS in high-pedestrian areas that don't have them, like Prospect near the county building
- 1 Appleton seems to think that the roads are properly maintained simply because we have construction all the time and the new roundabouts and roads; the reality is that there are TONS of of potholes and damaged train tracks/roads all over town that remain neglected until the last possible moment. I think there should be a little bit more temporary filling in of some sort.... you certainly have enough cops patrolling the streets to spot them!!
- 1 As far as parking downtown goes, our needs start and stop with our kiddos. When we go to the children's museum it is often for more than 2 hours, and I never have change. So, do I park in the free lot and hoof it with kids in tow in crummy weather (because we'd play outside if it were nice, right?), or do I bring enough change but have to bring my kids in and out of the building to refill when time is up? Do I just accept a ticket is inevitable? I've tried all these options and none are great. I love that there's a ramp, but I still need change and it's still a short limit. I would love to have a closer parking option that doesn't involve quarters. I have no problem paying for my parking at all, but I'd be downtown more often if there were more payment options.

Count	Response
1	As to bicycles maybe the rules need to be published like riding two or three across is illegal. Using hand signals and riding close to curb unless a car is parked there u go around. No need for bike lanes.
1	Being able to use credit cards at all parking meters would be great.
1	Better timers on stop lights, some are way longer than others. Need more turn signals/lanes, specifically the Northland/Mason St intersection.
1	Better ways to get around via bike and/or walking trails would be amazing!
1	Bicycle lanes in the downtown area (College Ave, Appleton St.) are going to cause a problem for businesses in that area. I just read about Fat Girlz Baking - they will be forced to close or move if they can't have parking in front of their shop! That's totally unacceptable! In most of Appleton, there are streets parallel to our main streets that are safer for bicyclists even without bike lanes. Our city council needs to realize that Appleton is not Portland. Our bicycling season here is limited. While some people choose to ride in the winter, there are alternative streets which can be used. BTW, the Mason St. bike lanes were mostly snow covered for much of the winter. Not much use for the few people who choose to ride them in winter.
1	Bike and pedestrian lanes are needed - it will also promote a healthy lifestyle by encouraging biking and walking.
1	Bike lanes and bike friendly streets are clearly needed.
1	Bike lanes, especially on Mason St., are a safe, welcome addition that I use several times a week. Do more!
1	Bike trails are decent but the major downfall is they are not connected
1	Bike trails! We moved here from Eau Claire, WI and definitely miss the bike trails the most. We could get anywhere in EC on trails. It was very convenient and safer!
1	Bikes need to stay out of traffic. They always seem to think they have the right of way--they want to ride in the street but do not obey traffic laws and are cutting in and out of traffic.
1	Biking preference when weather permits. I'd like to feel safe while riding.
1	Biking to the downtown area with young children can be tricky as there aren't bike lanes and/or many places to park and lock up bikes.
1	Bus service would be nice on Sundays
1	Business to business needs are not being met. Think if local, community-centered businesses having more access to each other.
1	Calumet Street needs to be redone between 441 and John St. I have watched for the last 5 years patch work done on it. Patch work is clearly not an adequate solution, especially on a heavily traveled street. I pay \$20 additional on my registration fee and am discouraged with the use of the money not going toward projects that need to be done!
1	Calumet street near Family Video has horrible road conditions. You need to avoid the right lane if you don't want your car bouncing around hitting pot holes.
1	Capitol drive from McDonald st. to Ballard Rd. Scrub the bike lanes and return parking to the residents.

Count Response

- 1 City buses do not come to my neighborhood.
- 1 Closest bus route from our house right off Oneida St is 2 miles away. It's so inconvenient because I would ride the bus much more often.
- 1 College Ave east of College Ave bridge is residential AND extremely dangerous to cross. It needs cross walks, signs telling motorists to stop for pedestrians and much better control of traffic. Cars are often going at least 10-15 miles over the speed limit, and rarely slow down for people attempting to cross the road.
- 1 County LP needs to be finished as well as the sidewalk path plans. There is so much traffic there someone will be maimed or killed soon walking or biking on the current road.
- 1 Cross town travel is too slow. I can get from Appleton to Oshkosh faster than east to west college. So I avoid going there. That and the pay for parking downtown
- 1 Currently, public transportation is not considered "reliable transportation" by many employers due to the limited routes and hours of operation. Ridership may not warrant it, but if buses ran more frequently it would be a more realistic option. Or what about a version of the "Zip car" type model for those who need reliable transportation, but can't afford all of the costs involved with owning a vehicle.
- 1 Definitely need more bike lanes or trails to connect the Valley. I still have people yelling out their windows or honking, when I have every right to be on the road also.
- 1 Do not like FREE parking on streets after 6 PM. All spots are parked up at 4 PM. Discourages turn over of stalls bad for our retail business. Too many "reserved" spaces for the two hotels on Superior street.
- 1 Don't put bike lanes on College Ave. run them on Washington and Lawrence.
- 1 Downtown Appleton NEEDS more free parking. I used to work on college ave and my coworkers and I had nowhere to park & received tickets constantly. Lawrence claimed the last of the free parking left downtown last year which was upsetting. I get far too many parking tickets and have paid far too much to park downtown over the years.
- 1 Downtown has no parking, and business are losing money. Is it Appleton's plan to purge the downtown of retail and go strictly to bars and restaurants? The change to 6pm parking meters was a huge detriment to downtown retail.
- 1 Downtown is filthy
- 1 Downtown is very unfriendly for bikes, especially young families. Sidewalks are off limits and no lanes
- 1 Downtown main events leave a lot of trash in downtown areas; beer cans, trash, liter, puke, etc.
- 1 Downtown needs to be more bike-friendly.
- 1 Enough bike lanes. Otherwise start enforcing bike laws. So sick of bikers flying through stop signs/red lights and not staying in bike lanes and not moving over. Roads need upgrading. Seems like the only time we upgrade roads is so we can put a bike lane in the road. We pay a wheel tax for the roads, not for bikers or because of people being confused downtown.
- 1 Excited to see have some great bike routes here. I use the bike lanes on a daily basis. Would like to see bike lanes on spencer at some point; I bike on Spencer st to get to work and run errands.

Count	Response
1	Finish John street please!
1	Fix John st please
1	GET RID OF THE WHEEL TAX!!!! Why punish those that live here with a tax? We aren't the ONLY people to use these roads! I avoid going downtown because of having to pay to park. I avoid using the library because of the panhandlers who accost my child.
1	Generally, yes. But south Oneida St is a disaster.
1	Hate one way streets. Round-about's are very dangerous for pedestrians and bicycles, and drivers don't know how to use them.
1	I am disturbed by the lack of compliance by motor vehicles and bicycles in regards to stop signs and traffic lights, no one obeys the signs, very disturbing! Also the total disregard to speed limits!
1	I am fortunate to live very close to college avenue and be able to walk most places I want to go. However, parking on the west side of College Ave tends to be a little tougher, especially when there's a show at the PAC or other large event.
1	I am lucky enough to provide for my own transportation and that of my family. I fully support our public transport system, however, because I also stand with those less fortunate than myself who rely on this for their daily needs.
1	I am strongly in favor of more bike lanes and multiuse trails.
1	I avoid downtown because of paid parking, so a bike safe route from south of 441 would get me there much more often
1	I bike commute from the Telulah Park area to downtown for work. Bike lanes in downtown would be greatly appreciated!!!! I don't feel comfortable biking on the street. There could definitely be more bike locks in the downtown area especially near the Houdini Plaza. There are some but they're usually full!
1	I bike to work from 606 E. Brewster St to 4033 Towne lakes Ave in grand chute and the only actual bike path is on Capitol.
1	I can find parking for my car downtown, but not my bike!!
1	I commute 11 miles one way to Neenah, Appleton streets are the best, adding bike lanes will make them even better
1	I commute every day on my bike all year including winters. It would be great if the streets that intersect railroads were better maintained for bike use and families with strollers. For example, Lawrence and badger next to the boys and girls club is terrible.
1	I did blow a tire in a pothole on Badger Ave before the road was repaired. Both Wisconsin Ave and College Ave have traffic issues and I avoid going into the city of Appleton because of the long time it takes to get from the west side of 41 to the east side. There should be dedicated local mall traffic lanes, lights should be timed to reduce time waiting, and there should be a road with no on/off access to 41 and no traffic lights (other than 25mph Spencer St) which crosses 41. I know this is all technically Grand Chute, but it is the Grand Chute roads that deter me from going downtown.

Count Response

1 I do agree that the bike lanes are a good source of commuting, but I disagree with them due to parking restrictions on streets in front of residential houses. My other complaint about the bike lanes is when the biking clubs use the streets, apparently those bike lanes do not apply to them because they still use the entire side of the street.

1 I do not feel that additional bike lanes are needed. I believe both motorists and cyclists need to be better educated about where to ride (not on sidewalks/with traffic) and how to be visible (lights/reflectors). I do not believe that adding bike lanes makes sense or is fiscally prudent when it comes to maintenance cost to usage of the roadway.

1 I do not feel the bus operates the kind of routes and schedules that would benefit me. I cannot take it to the airport. I cannot take it to my job in the Greenville Business Park north of the airport. And 30-minute waits are a bit long.

1 I don't care to pay for parking downtown and even though I like to support local small businesses, I have gone elsewhere for services so I don't have to pay the extra few dollars.

1 I don't feel safe biking on College or Wisconsin Avenues, although I like to patronize businesses on those streets.

1 I don't like all the added roundabouts we have added to the area. They are dangerous.

1 I don't think that on-street bicycling lanes need to be on the "main" streets; parallel, less busy streets would be a better route for bikes.

1 I don't use public transportation but I know people who do & are very happy with it. I think the streets/park in my neighborhood are very well maintained.

1 I enjoy biking, however the designated bike lanes in Appleton are sporadic and not well connected. As roads are re-paved, it would be great to see some of the main streets (Richmond/Memorial) have designated bike lanes incorporated.

1 I feel fortunate to have access to a car, but would love to travel more by bike. Improvements have been made over the last ten years, but I still feel it is not necessarily safe to commute many places (north/south, northland to college) by bike. I have never utilized the local transit system.

1 I feel many drivers in Appleton ignore the law to yield to pedestrians in crosswalks. I live by one of our great parks and constantly have to wait to cross the street at the crosswalk while drivers obviously drive by. More signage, especially around parks, might help pedestrian safety. Also, some of the roads, especially around railroad tracks, are awful. As well as many others in deteriorating condition. Very hard on cars, and especially with the wheel tax in effect I shouldn't cringe while driving down some of Appleton's roads worrying how much my front end will cost to rebuild.

1 I feel that bike lanes should be not on Main thoroughfares if possible. Side streets would be ok. I'm glad you are taking Transportation seriously. Alternative transportation that is. I wish they would be more bus usage.

1 I feel that public transportation is much easier to use with a bicycle but we lack secure bike storage near the bus station, and we have a long way to go to complete trail systems integrated with public transportation that would allow people to use them in combination safely.

1 I hate parking ramps and will often just not go to where I planned on if parking is not available on a side road or on the main drag. I love the new rule that allows me to not have to pay after 6!

Count	Response
1	I have a car so fine.
1	I have non
1	I have troubles when I need to park at pecific places downtown, such as my bank. There are only a certain number of parking places for my bank, with signs that the parking is only for bank patrons, but people who are downtown for shopping etc, park there, which makes it difficult for me. This happens too when I am trying to get close to a restaurant or store on college avenue.
1	I know that Appleton is taking steps to become cleaner. Some days, I have a hard time walking my dog because of the food and vomit on the College Ave sidewalks.
1	I like that the city of Appleton had sidewalks in most areas. I like that there are more and more bike lanes being created.
1	I like the concept of "complete streets" where all modes of transportation can safely transit. I love to walk on the trails along the river and wish there were more connections to get there.
1	I love this city. I'd like my bike lanes and trails. Also more riverfront development and a new public library.
1	I love to bike (as transportation) and pull my kids behind in a bike carrier, and I think more dedicated trails would be an outstanding addition to the area (and I don't think Appleton alone should shoulder this, I think all of our communities can).
1	I need to be able to where I want to shop
1	I often have problems finding a parking spot downtown Appleton.
1	I park in a ramp whenever possible. There is always enough parking!
1	I recently visited Austin, TX and became aware of how beautiful of a resource a river can be for a city. Better access to the river has become a huge priority to me.
1	I tend to bike or walk to most local activities, so parking downtown is not needed for me. I would like to see an effort to get more people to use the parking ramps rather than needing more street parking. Bike lanes should be better connected to each other currently they start and stop in what looks like a random fashion that is directed by street reconstruction and not by a bike plan.
1	I think Appleton does a decent job with transportation.
1	I think I got spoiled by going to college in Milwaukee and getting used to their bus system. Nothing personal but the Appleton one comes far less often that would be useful (every 30 min as opposed to the every 15 min that the Milwaukee one does). It frequently wouldn't get me to the places that I need to and/or would take far to long to get where I need to go to be reliable.
1	I think having parking meters downtown is not very welcoming to visitors or local residents
1	I think more mass transit or bike options are helpful.
1	I think the state of Wisconsin, in general, needs to be more educated about the importance of bicycle friendly streets in addition to dedicated bicycle lanes.

Count Response

1	I think there should be more signs of where business are located. Maybe even on trial ,parks, down town a kiosk board of u are here and where u can find something located.
1	I travel by car 99% of the time, but am also an avid biker. I usually drive outside of city limits to bike on less traveled country roads. However, I'd love if there were more bike paths and bike friendly areas around town.
1	I use Valley Transit for both personal and work needs. It would be better if it were connected out to different locations and had more than one 'hub' downtown.
1	I usually try to commute on foot or by bike.
1	I walk everywhere and would like to see Appleton become more pedestrian friendly.
1	I was very thankful when they finally fixed the roads where the railroad tracks cross near the post office. I messed up the front end of my car having to take the work mail everyday. I know there are weather limitations to fixing roads & it accounts for much of the problems but Calumet & Oneida area are bad with potholes & wide cracks. Although the on-road bike lanes may help, I don't think people pay attention when they're driving or biking & it's dangerous.
1	I wish that the recreational trails near my home (off French Road) were accessible by sidewalk on BOTH sides of the street.
1	I wish that there were more bussing options just for kids to get to /from school.
1	I work downtown and see the work our city crews do. I am very pleased with the level of dedication I see from the guys who shovel sidewalks, the guys who water flowers, park workers, parking ramp attendants, even the OCD Meter Man. Appleton has done a great job making sure this is a great place to live. My only concern is the Wisconsin Ave corridor. Sidewalks are old and uneven, it's not particularly easy for bikes, pedestrians or wheelchairs.
1	I work downtown. It's hard to find parking and will become even more burdensome once the expo center is opened.
1	I would LOVE to see more dedicated bike paths and trails in Appleton. My family would definitely make frequent use of them.
1	I would like additional bike and ped facilities. I would like to be able to bike and walk everywhere in the city without fear.
1	I would like to bike more, but I do not feel safe at all riding on Memorial Drive / Appleton rd. I work in Menasha so a decent route into Menasha would go a long way for me. Right now I get the choice of running people over on the sidewalk or getting honked at by every car riding a bike on that street. Past Calumet st you need to cross every 100ft because the sidewalk is an odd patchwork. I know much of the issue is Town of Menasha not making improvements, either.
1	I would like to have more bike friendly streets and side walks that actually connect to each other.
1	I would like to see development on the bluff site and a wide sweeping walk down the hill to Water St from the bluff site.
1	I would like to see more advocacy for bike riders in our city. In addition to more bike lanes we could also paint streets with a bike logo reminding them to share the road.

Count Response

- 1 I would like to see more public transit to newer suburb areas such as the north side and Far East side.
- 1 I would like to see more streets repaired decently instead of quick fixes. Northland Avenue and Glendale between (Richmond and Mason) are terrible. There are others, but I can't think of street names off the top of my head. These are just 2 I travel frequently.
- 1 I would like to see the city continue to expand bicycle and pedestrian related or focused lanes, trails and paths that everyone can enjoy. As a bike commuter, I very much appreciate having a "dedicated" space for riding to work or to shop. As a parent of an elementary aged child however, I wish we would be far more aggressive in installing pedestrian friendly crossings like we see on College Ave on the Lawrence campus. If grown adults can enjoy the luxury of bright flashing lights warning drivers that they are crossing the street, why are school zones only equipped with one small light to alert drivers to the presence of elementary aged children? Our son has to navigate Freemont and S. Oneida street to get to and from school and both streets are increasingly difficult to cross and dangerous. Rather than making the Freemont/Oneida intersection safer when the street was repaired and modified a few years ago, we did the opposite by cutting the corners along the hospital back further allow
- 1 I would like to see the city offer recreational walking in a different park each week, led by someone from the rec department.
- 1 I would love Appleton to be more walkable - like, I could walk to a grocery store, restaurants, convenience stores, etc. I think more streetlights in the neighborhoods would be a good idea.
- 1 I would love the opportunity to explore more green space and update our parks a bit. We drive to Sherwood regularly for wanick choute park.
- 1 I would love to see trails going around the whole fox city area I love walking and biking for fun and transportation what an awesome why to bring people together while they are out moving around town on bikes or foot
- 1 I would rather purchase a sticker annually than pay meters.
- 1 I'd like to see more bike racks downtown; when we go for the farmer's market or Mile of Music or anything else we always end up parking bikes at the Library. I know there is a rack by Just Act Natural, and maybe I'm just missing other ones, but perhaps adding something to Soldiers Square would be nice. When I'm biking with kids, I don't necessarily want to look for bike racks on College Ave, but rather a block on either side so we can get to it via a side route.
- 1 I'd love to see better bikeable routes between Appleton and Neenah. I have one favored route that I like, but is often affected by construction. The alternative are either too indirect or more bike-unfriendly as they are high car traffic areas.
- 1 I'm all for more off-street bike and pedestrian trails, especially within the city proper.
- 1 If better and more public transportation were available I would use it. It would help reduce traffic congestion.
- 1 It would be great to see passenger trains make their way to Appleton and beyond.
- 1 It would be helpful to have both transportation in and around Appleton, but also to have a bus/train that goes to Milwaukee and Chicago.
- 1 It would be nice to get more biking and walking trails put in throughout the city.

Count	Response
1	It would be nice to have a green arrow option for turning left onto Story St. at the light on College Avenue/Badger/Story heading west.
1	It would be nice to have a trolley like motive transportation going down College Avenue all year long
1	It'd be awesome to see a downtown area more focused on non motorized vehicles and pedestrians.
1	It's a bigger joke
1	It's of paramount importance that we make our city more walkable. This means more mixed use pockets and less sprawl. But most of all, more affordable housing downtown for families and working class people. We need to focus less on building a grid for cars and more on spaces for humans.
1	It's the right decision to continue facilitating alt. transportation, like bicycling, with lanes and off-road paths that lead to destinations, and not end at a busy street/location.
1	Just drive around. It is self explanatory.
1	Keep expanding the off street bike trails! Please
1	Late night buses to get home from bars at night
1	Left turn arrows should be activated every time. Badger and Mason intersections needs left turn arrows.
1	Let me count the potholes, gator-cracks, and repair projects that take two years. Roads live for 50 years. That means 2% must be done every year.
1	Like to walk everywhere I can in Appleton from my house.
1	Live about a mile from the only bus stop. When I lived in the middle of town I did use the bus along with my children
1	Live in Waupaca but work and play in Appleton and will be moving in the year. Love the city and youth movement. Art and culture are slowly coming and it is exciting to be a part of it.
1	Lots of pots holes, and bumps that need repairing. Usually they are located in the residential area.
1	Make this a top tier bicycling town.
1	Make treat parking at night legal during the non-winter months. Tear open Avenue mall for Oneida St to go thru again.
1	Many railroad crossings need to be repaired.
1	Many streets; most notably Drew Street (Wisconsin Ave north), is filled with pot holes and sunken manholes. It is also a designated bike route and is unsafe for bicyclers. Large potholes and cracks are commonly filled with asphalt repair which doesn't last and makes a gravelly mess on the road. We have noticed some epoxy-type patchwork (Glendale just west of Oneida) that has been done and has been holding up well throughout the years!
1	More bike lanes are absolutely needed. Also, complete connections between them are virtually nonexistent.

Count	Response
1	More bike lanes near Wisconsin Ave, please, as well as the areas down near the flats on the fox river.
1	More bike lanes please! Many of us commute by bicycle now.
1	More bike lanes please.
1	More bike lanes would be great! I would love to bike to work, but I'm too fearful when biking down certain roads.
1	More bike lanes!
1	More bike racks downtown, please. :-)
1	More bike trails!!
1	More bus routes for kids attending schools outside their district. More bike lanes. More sidewalks in suburban areas.
1	More bus stops and routes
1	More maintenance needed on west end of College
1	More maintenance on all roads in the city of Appleton are needed.
1	More meter friendly parking. Like free. This is why I go to the mall.
1	More mountain bike trails and dirt jumps
1	More multi use trails are needed that run between all of the Fox cities. There also need to be bike lanes on some of the higher traffic roads that sometimes are the only route to get over the Fox River, mainly on Memorial Street.
1	More overnight parking for those of us who drive downtown, have a few drinks, and decide it would be safer to get a ride or taxi home than driving ourselves would be greatly appreciated!!!
1	More public transportation would be great. I believe skateboarding or long boarding in downtown appleton is illegal, I think this should be changed do to the fact many people use these as forms of transportation, not just to be hooligans.
1	More riverfront attractions and dog friendly zones are needed!
1	More trails around the river would be fantastic
1	My children do not have safe bike access to Erb park/North high school. North expects many middle schoolers and most high schoolers to attend summer activities at the high school, but Northland/Capitol/Ballard is not a safe passage.
1	My husband and I bike around town a fair amount. The poor road conditions are even more evident when biking
1	My needs are mer

Count Response

1	My spouse and I walk daily around SE Appleton. Crossing Calumet St by Lions park or college Ave. at Mathias St. is always an adventure and few drivers actually yield to us when we walk through roundabouts.
1	My transportation needs are great. The bus system is very good. We have taxis companies in the valley and rides for the disable.
1	Need more bike lanes!!!
1	Need more green infrastructure to facilitate non auto travel (like other cities)
1	Need to upgrade ramp payment methods. No machine will take anything other than the exact amount when no attendant. Please do a better job of clearing snow and ice.
1	No bike lanes
1	No comment
1	No more roundabouts.
1	None at this time
1	None, other than I wish that there was not metered parking downtown or especially at the library
1	None- love living walking distance to downtown!
1	North Meade Street is a race track. Especially between Wisconsin and Northland Avenues. I would love to see done to Meade St the same thing that was done to Ballard Rd between Wisconsin and Northland Avenues. Just two lanes, one north, one south and a turning lane in the middle with bike lanes on both edges.
1	Off street dedicated bike and pedestrian trails not just for recreational use, but as part of an alternative transportation infrastructure connecting to meaningful destinations or other bike lanes.
1	On street or close to retail locations no - parking ramps, yes
1	One way streets are confusing, easier on-street payment parking. I don't want to rush back to my parking meter if I'm parked on the opposite end of College ave. I like the payment kiosks in Soldier Square - do that in all of Downtown.
1	Oneida Street curve to Lawrence Street is a disgrace for many years now. How can the city fathers not fix it?
1	Our bus system is really great. Unfortunately it isn't used like you see in larger cities. We always thought it was such a waste, to see those large busses empty. A smaller bus seems more friendly in a town our size.
1	Our roads are in the worst shape I have seen in the 34 years I have lived here. Poor reconstruction, repairs, etc. Poor coordination of roads running the same direction being repaired causing long detours. We do not need anymore bike lanes downtown!
1	PAC needs handicap accessible parking other than valet. Do not use parking ramp behind City Center at night due to safety concerns.
1	Parking by schools is often a problem. Hours posted don't work for attending events right after school. Drop off zones congested and unsafe. Yet you charge \$40 if you try to safely drop off your kid past the marked sign

Count	Response
1	Parking can sometimes be an issue around the PAC on event nights.
1	Parking downtown for park and recreation programs in the city center and parking for the library is a problem. Rushing your children out of the library because you might get a ticket is not cool. Paying to park to take your child to dance or preschool also gets expensive.
1	Parking downtown is horrible. I don't bother to go downtown any more. The hassle of trying to find a parking spot is useless and waste of my time.
1	Parking downtown is not child friendly.
1	Parking is atrocious downtown. Thankfully I usually walk, but when I do have my car finding adequate parking near my shop of choice is not found. Many times I park my car at home then walk back.
1	Parking lots in Appleton are horrible There are so many huge potholes
1	Parking meter rates are discouraging downtown revenue.
1	Pay stations that accept credit/debit cards in more areas would be great.
1	Please don't add any more bike lanes.
1	Please have more city leaders (I consider myself a role model and leader) show their use of bicycling and bus riding!
1	Please separate biking and pedestrian walking. Downtown area should be used for pedestrians, not bikers. There should be bike parking nearby so people can bike to downtown, but NOT biking on main downtown streets such as college ave.
1	Potholes all around us.
1	Potholes are a big problem!
1	Potholes are horrible! Teach people how to drive next to bike lanes and not in them along Mason St. by Northland.
1	Public transit is always empty. This needs to be assessed for reduced cost investment.
1	Rail crossing and Northland are a mess.
1	Rail service would be exceptional for the city connecting green bay to chicago
1	Rail system from Appleton to connect to Milwaukee & Chicago. Have options like the Connector that are greatly needed.
1	Rather than bike lanes on the road on the city, what about trails through the city. People don't know how to stay out of the bike lanes with their cars..
1	Really need to expand bike lanes. My wife is physically disabled but bike. These lanes makes getting around much safer.
1	Roads are better. Traffic lights need to be reworked. Inefficient.

Count Response

- 1 Roundabouts are horrible!
- 1 Seeing people publicly overreact about bike lanes is kind of sad and disheartening. Having an active lifestyle community is attractive for visitors, the younger generation, and employers who want to be downtown.
- 1 Seems the city has been lethargic on addressing care for roadways. So many streets need updating for potholes, pavement breaks, etc.
- 1 Sidewalks are a main source of my transportation. A lot of sidewalks are in need of being kept clear after snow storms. There's also quite a bit of garbage in the downtown area which is mainly cigarette butts. The city would look more appealing with a cleaner environment.
- 1 Sidewalks are key to making a neighborhood pedestrian and bike friendly!
- 1 Snow removal could be better.
- 1 Some of the poorest road conditions I've seen which is okay with the winters we get here but personally like to see more getting the roads back up
- 1 Some of the railroad crossings need to be repaired. I know this is not the City of Appleton's responsibility, but it's quite unsafe and not healthy for cars or bikes.
- 1 Some of the residential streets can use some maintenance.
- 1 Some of the roads in Appleton could be managed better. There are many potholes that could be filled.
- 1 Some of the sidewalks need to be repaired or maintained better for walker/runners.
- 1 Some roads are really in need of repair. I am hoping the wheel tax will move projects along more quickly
- 1 Some roads need maintenance and it seems like there's a ton of potholes or ruts before anything is done. I do not want Midway Road to be 25 mph. Improvements to Oneida St bridge was done well and planned out great! Looking forward to having some improvements made near the underpass at Oneida. Wonderful job keeping up with the roads in the winter.
- 1 Some streets are in major disrepair, but understandably so after strange winters. Some crossings may need to look into turn only lanes being added or ensuring there are green arrows with sensors for safety reasons.
- 1 Speed enforcement on College Avenue east of the bridge is inadequate. This is a residential area with an ostensible speed limit of 30mph but woe to anyone who tries to drive that speed. The heavy traffic also makes it difficult to cross College Avenue, particularly with vehicles well in excess of the speed limit. There are only two marked pedestrian crossings east of the bridge: at the Walter Avenue roundabout at the east end of the bridge, and then fully two miles east at Buchanan Street. Pedestrians and cyclists take their lives in their hands trying to cross between these points.
- 1 Still too many streets with potholes and terrible RR crossings.
- 1 Street maintenance could be improved. It seems like too many short-term solutions (patches) are used and then the streets need to be repaired again in 1-2 years. Can this be solved with a longer horizon, more flexible capital budget?

Count Response

1	Streets are patched and rough instead of being fixed correctly the first time. Parking downtown is never easy and to spend any length of time downtown during the day only causes anxiety while shopping etc for fear your meter runs out before you get there to feed it again.
1	Streets could use maintenance, too many pot holes, dangerous when biking
1	Streets just north of college ave Franklin, Packard are confusing.
1	Strongly dislike the one-way streets downtown.
1	Strongly support more off road and on road biking trails
1	TOO MANY ROUNDABOUTS
1	Terrible parking options downtown. No where near enough especially when there are outdoor events
1	Thank you for seeking input!
1	The City enlarged the width of Fremont some years ago at a high cost to us home owners, and now has reduced parking in front of home ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ENLARGED ST. How is this fair?
1	The John Street construction is taking too long to complete.
1	The Transit needs to run past 9-10pm on weekends(Friday, Saturday). Preferably until bar close or until midnight
1	The Trolley should run through October fest, and start in May (vs June)
1	The best entry level to middle income jobs in the area are manufacturing jobs. Most of these are shift work that start early than the busses run for first shift or end after for second shift. Although the connector helps alleviate this issue it is not visible enough as a bus route and most people in need of these services are not aware of the connector. Longer bus hours at least into the evening so second shifters can get home would be helpful.
1	The biggest problem I face is the lack of a grocery store or department store downtown. Most of my transportation issues would be resolved with this.
1	The bus station is a joke. I will not let my kids ride the bus if it has to stop at the bus station. The bus station is a hangout for all the drug dealers and hoodlums. Can't go to the library either because the scum from the bus station is too close.
1	The bus station is scary. Something needs to be done about the people who spend their day down there.
1	The city does a pretty decent job at most things, but it is often woefully bad at keeping city-owned sidewalks clear in the winter. The Memorial Street Bridge can be especially dangerous in the winter, because the plows cover the sidewalk with snow and the guard-rail is already pretty low. The sidewalks next to city parks are also sometimes unaddressed for a while. I should mention that these problems were less noticeable this past winter. I don't know if this reflects a concerted effort to do a better job or if it was just a coincidence, but it was better than it has been in the past.

Count Response

- 1 The city should invest in gated railroad crossings that would allow trains to pass through town without blowing their horns. Also, we need to stop blocking off main thoroughfares (think Superior Street) along the railroad corridor. Additionally, there's a general lack of pedestrian awareness by most drivers downtown, not surprising in a city that isn't a heavily walked one. I'm not sure what the solution is, but perhaps a public education or enforcement effort.
- 1 The main a
- 1 The one way streets can be confusing for visitors or individuals who don't drive downtown often. Parking is generally good, except for Friday and Saturday nights. Efforts to discourage drinking and driving/providing public transportation options that appeal to bar-goers would be great!
- 1 The parking downtown is not the greatest and we could use more of it. The Y ramp is old and in need of repair, the ramp at the city center is extremely outdated, we could really use some more parking downtown.
- 1 The parking garage next to the downtown YMCA is used by me 3 times a week, it seems to be in disrepair, is often full to the top, and missing an elevator on the east side, which is a bit difficult for me as I don't do stairs very well.
- 1 The parking ramps need some serious updates.
- 1 The potholes really need to fixed. They are rally a hazard to driving your car and riding a bicycle around town.
- 1 The roads could be better taken care of. I live on John St. And with that quick patch job work they did on it to let the soils settle ruined my car. I bought a brand new car that I take damn good care of and I have had to put over two grand work of work put into my suspension and it still needs work done to it. And it's not like I was flying up and down this road. I would take it easy because I knew how bad it really was. I just think it's a little ridiculous that a quick patch job ruined my car.
- 1 The roads in Appleton are a joke. Visitors used to tell me about how great the roads were. You don't hear that anymore. Spend some money on infrastructure. Also, I avoid your downtown because of parking meters.
- 1 The roads in Appleton are terrible! I unfortunately have to drive on Oneida Street (south of the river) on a daily basis. It's horrible! There are numerous streets that are in urgent need of repair.
- 1 The roads need a lot of work. Time for a tire tax.
- 1 The roads on and around calumet, onida and badger are in desperate need of redoing
- 1 The streets are in horrible shape.
- 1 The traffic light cycle times needs to be re-thought. Too much priority is given to side streets, so you hit every other light when you are on a major road. And the highway interchange traffic light strategy doesn't work very well. We should look at how other cities flow traffic for guidance, because what we have seems like it was set up without much thought being put into it.
- 1 The walk from the parking ramp to work is not always the most comfortable walk.
- 1 There are a few roads that are in horrible condition on the east side of Appleton.
- 1 There are a lot of streets that were torn up and then patched, but not fixed. S. Oneida Street near Riverview has a huge hump in the road from a manhole cover not seated correctly.

Count Response

1	There are blacktop improvements needed around railroad tracks on Prospect Ave and Spencer St. Many cars slow down, creating opportunities for accidents.
1	There are many areas in the city that are well connected by bike routes but many more that have very limited or no access to these areas. (West side) I would also like to see more off street connecting trails and loops.
1	There are not enough bus lines it will take you from Appleton to Menasha Oshkosh and back. Many people like students who cannot afford a car really are limited to where they can go on public transportation
1	There are so many roads that are crumbling that need to be fixed. Lots and lots of potholes.
1	There are too many streets in town that are in terrible shape.
1	There is never enough parking available and now the ramps will cost more? I work downtown and shouldn't have to pay that much to park my car. On street parking is hardly ever an option any time of the day.
1	There is room for additional parking downtown. The PAC should not take up parking on College Avenue.
1	There should be a bike licensing fee to help pay for bike lanes. Also bicyclist should have to follow the same rules as motorists or pay fines (get tickets) when they don't
1	Though I have a car, as much as time permits, I walk to go downtown. Don't have to worry about expensive parking - or like yesterday, got a parking ticket because the meeting I attended went extensively overtime.
1	Too many bike lanes...useless in winter months
1	Too many potholes on the roads. Need more pedestrian crossings with flashing lights like the one on N Meade.
1	Trains! Why can't I take a train to Oshkosh say, or Milwaukee? While serving our country I had the pleasure of living in Europe for a while. We need trains. Sunday bus service would also be really nice.
1	Trying to find parking downtown along College Ave is quite difficult at times. Unless I am with a guy, I don't feel safe using the parking lots. Streets have pot holes from the weather.
1	Updated parking ramps would be nice, for example more lighting, cameras and easy access to leave the ramp with addition elevators and stairways.
1	Valley Transit II has some rules that make it difficult for the intended disabled user to make it fully useful. EG: go to pick up prescription, driver wouldn't wait, so a 5 minute stop turned into 50. But they will wait when you're at a doctor's appointment, tying up driver for 50 minutes while the prescription guy is waiting. Duh?
1	Valley transit should consider having bus stops near schools in the valley. Closest stop is about 1/2 mi, but I live directly across from an elementary school. I also would encourage/require my kids to use the bus for library, ymca, pool, etc....if they had a closer pickup point or if the stop was farther away, a place to lock bike instead of taking with them
1	Valley transit would probably be used more if ticket costs were more comparable to the cost of gas.

Count Response

- 1 Very large pot holes where bicycle riders travel need to be filled. They are extremely dangerous. Westbound Prospect at the intersection with Richmond needs to be painted with sharrows in the middle of the lane and posted "Bicycles may use full lane" I use this road at least once per day and am squeezed into the curb or passed by crossing the double yellow line more often than not, typically when coming from directly across the intersection. At least twice a week I feel extremely unsafe in this very short lane. Please help me and other cyclist before it is too late.
- 1 Ways to ensure cars respect crosswalks. I've almost been hit so many times while walking or biking in a crosswalk. Also signage to stop for pedestrians at the intersection of morrison and wisconsin would be great. There used to be a light there, and since it's removal watching people cross there is dangerous. It's state law to stop, but i think people need reminders. Many cross there for church and school.
- 1 We chose to live near downtown Appleton so could walk to events in downtown, farmers market, music. Love not having to drive but definitely need trails to connect as has been planned on trestles for over 10 years. Also, bike parking not friendly at all establishments downtown. Need more bike racks at Houdini park.
- 1 We definitely need more bike lanes in and around downtown Appleton. The proposal for Appleton St and College Ave are great ideas. The more people that can bike to events downtown will free up parking for those who choose to take their cars.
- 1 We don't really need public transport but there are no buses available in our area.
- 1 We have children and often bike around town with them, either for recreation or to get to Houdini Plaza or a downtown business. Generally, we feel safe, but we often resort to biking on the sidewalk on busy streets that don't have a bike lane. I know that's really not allowed, but sometimes it feels like the only safe place for the kids. More bike lanes downtown, please!
- 1 We live close to Midway road. It is scary at 35mph and having children. I wish there was more patrol to catch speeders. My kids and I look carefully before we cross the street and low and behold cars are about to hit us going very fast!
- 1 We need better parking downtown.
- 1 We need better public transit and more bicycle lanes.
- 1 We need easier ways to pay for parking or just make it free.
- 1 We need more neighborhoods that are pedestrian and bike friendly. We need to lobby the state for regional transit authority. Transit system is not adequate for those who need it to get to jobs. I realize this is due to the state crater than the city or Valley Transit.
- 1 Well more sidewalks are needed.....and roads need fixed and railroad crossing are awful.....
- 1 Well we could use high speed rail but Walker screwed us on that. Otherwise, locally more busing would be helpful.
- 1 When DPW starts street jobs, it would be better for them to finish one street before starting some rather one, rather than working 2 days on 1, then 3 weeks later coming back and doing 2 more days. I know concrete has to cure, etc, but when they don't work on a graded, graveled street and people drive on it, it has to be re-graded, besides limiting street use for that much longer

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| 1 | While I'm sure it's related to budgeting issues, there are a number of streets that have potholes in need of filling, or just need to be re-surfaced due to age. I sometimes take alternate routes to avoid certain streets. |
| 1 | While adding bike lanes is a very good thing, addressing any potential lost parking at the same time is needed to counter the valid complaint of those affected. I don't have a proposed solution to offer but I do believe waiting until someone does is better than completing the projects and telling those negatively affected by it to just deal with it. |
| 1 | While the City has increased the number of bike lanes, they still exist as bits and pieces here and there. There needs to be a more connected comprehensive system, and drivers need to give bikes more respect. |
| 1 | While the bus system is useful during the winter, I have found that it usually takes roughly the same amount of time to walk to my destination as to take the bus because the lines only run once an hour. If the buses ran more often it would be more convenient to use the bus. |
| 1 | Why don't bike's follow same rules as cars. Like stopping at stop signs. |
| 1 | Why do we continue to handicap business downtown by making people pay for parking? Have limits but make parking free so the people will visit and spend money. I own a small business and we looked at bringing downtown and there is just no way we could make it. |
| 1 | Wish we had train service as well as more intercity / regional bike routes. |
| 1 | Would be beneficial to have bike stations around neighborhoods- rent a bike and be able to drop it off at the next bike station along the trail. |
| 1 | Would be nice to park overnight without calling in |
| 1 | Would be nicer to access mall area and grocery stores more by bike/walking. Would make it easier to be one car family |
| 1 | Would like train service, bus 7 days/wk |
| 1 | Would love more bike trails in the area! And while we have several bike lanes, there's still too many routes that don't and it's scary and uncomfortable to bike as a commuter. |
| 1 | Would love to see College Ave be more for pedestrians and bikes, redirect the east/west traffic to other streets |
| 1 | Would love to see a better way to get down to Lutz Park from Prospect Ave for bikers and walkers. Overall love the direction the city is headed! |
| 1 | Would visit downtown more if parking was more convenient, closer, and not on a count down meter, even count up would be better. Traffic coming off Oneida bridge heading north is a nightmare. It doesn't bring people downtown, it routes them to a mess and they just want to quickly get out of there or avoid downtown completely. But parking is number one problem, has been for years. |
| 1 | always finding it hard to park downtown |
| 1 | certain roads, for example John Street by Richmond Elementary has been under construction recently and yet its bumpy and uneven as ever. |

Count Response

1 get rid of all bike lanes, they are not being used, if they are needed than bicyclists should be paying a fee to use just as cars are mandated

1 handicapped parking is a joke~ not adequate~bus stops have no shelter/benches if one can stand for over 1/2 hr; where transfers occur not safe no supervision etc

1 it would be nice to have transportation times reduced on the waiting time by adding more pickup Times

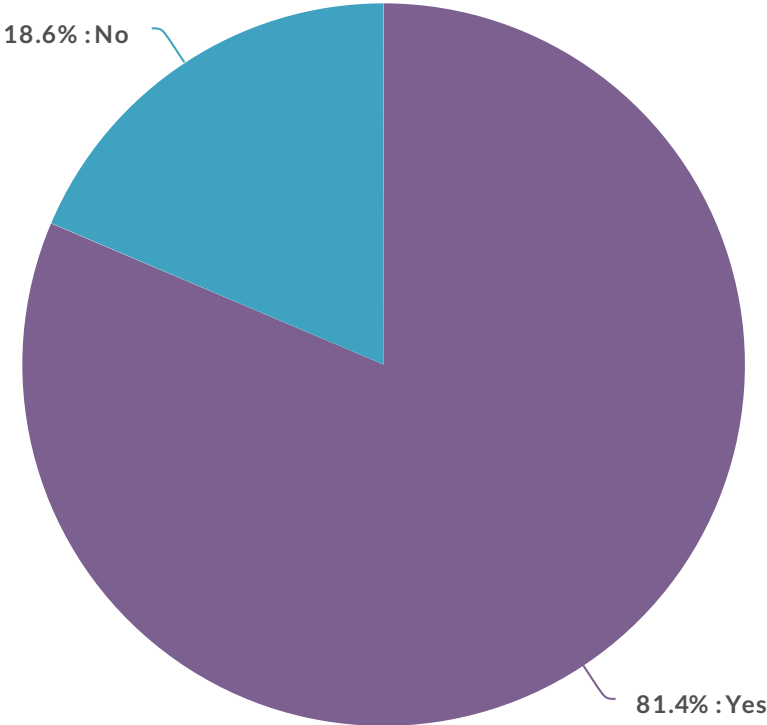
1 love it!

1 pot holes are horrible, many uneven streets.

1 stop spending money on useless bike lanes and fix up our streets they are terrible also if you want bike lanes so bad start licensing the bikes i have to have a license to drive my car on city sts so should the bikes period

1 too many potholes and bumpy roads

9. Do you feel Appleton has the right mix of different housing types?

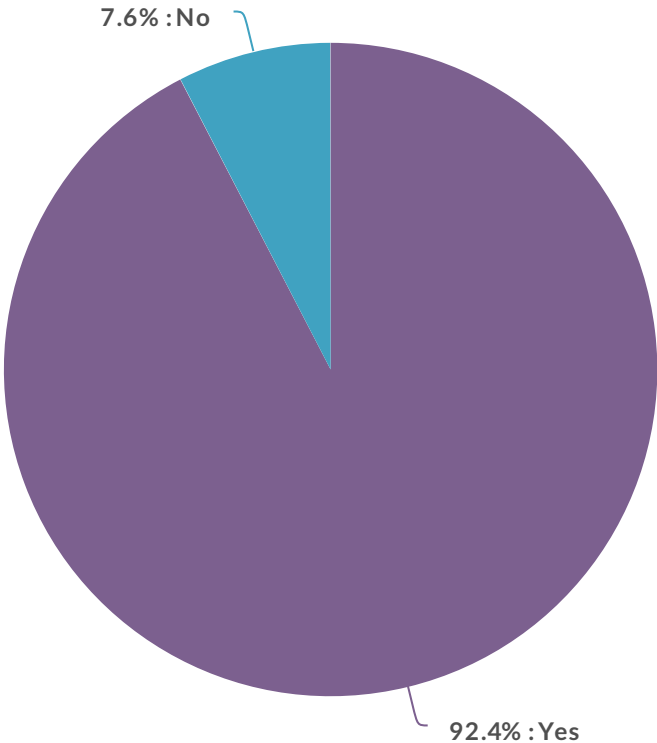


Value	Percent	Count
Yes	81.4%	842
No	18.6%	193
Total		1,035

10. Please indicate to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about housing in Appleton

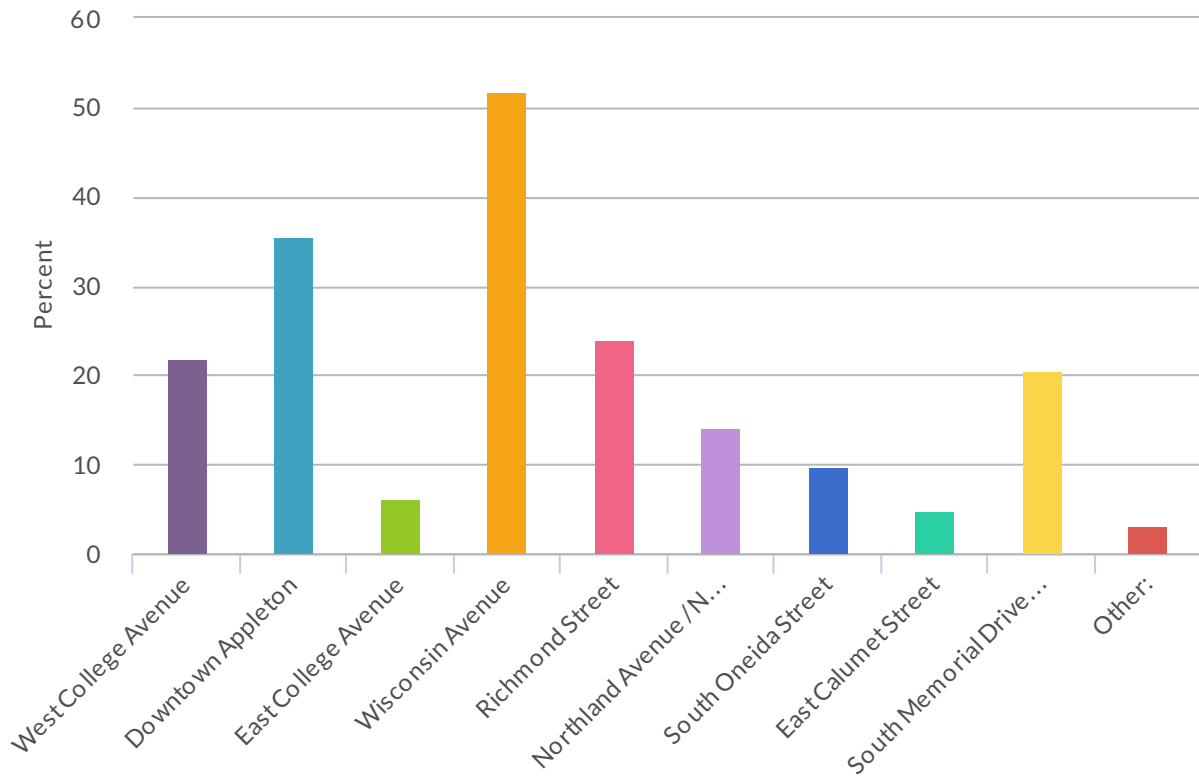
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
More single family homes are needed	21 11.2%	52 27.7%	56 29.8%	52 27.7%	7 3.7%
More multi-family apartments are needed	24 12.6%	77 40.5%	43 22.6%	24 12.6%	22 11.6%
More condos are needed	34 17.7%	73 38.0%	50 26.0%	24 12.5%	11 5.7%
More town homes are needed	29 15.2%	76 39.8%	55 28.8%	25 13.1%	6 3.1%
More housing is needed which meets the needs of elderly and disabled people	59 30.7%	78 40.6%	46 24.0%	7 3.6%	2 1.0%

11. Should re-use of existing properties and rejuvenation of existing commercial corridors account for a significant share of future development?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	92.4%	952
No	7.6%	78
Total		1,030

12. If yes, where should that redevelopment be concentrated (pick two)?



Value	Percent	Count
West College Avenue	21.8%	206
Downtown Appleton	35.5%	335
East College Avenue	6.2%	58
Wisconsin Avenue	51.9%	489
Richmond Street	23.9%	225
Northland Avenue / Northland Mall	14.1%	133
South Oneida Street	9.9%	93
East Calumet Street	4.8%	45
South Memorial Drive / Former Valley Fair Mall	20.5%	193
Other:	3.1%	29

Other:	Count
Riverfront	2
All areas	1
All over. In general I think it's wiser to renovate existing structures rather than raze them and rebuild. It's better for the environment and preserves our history.	1
Along the river	1
Appleton Library	1
Appleton Memorial Park	1
Central city	1
Downtown but north of college ave! Rebuild/repurpose existing buildings and spaces! Washington Street and north is currently disconnected from downtown excitement and seems forgotten and ignored. It is ridiculous that we propose tearing down a church and Michaels banquets for a library when we could build something fantastic north of college ave! !!!!!	1
Eagle Flats/Water St	1
Flats	1
Fox River Front property needs to develop a river front like green bay	1
Fox River flats	1
Neighborhoods just north of downtown.	1
Newberry St.	1
North Appleton	1
Northern part of the city. near appleton north	1
Nowhere, if this entails public funds.	1
River Front	1
Riverfront	1
Waterfront	1
"The Flats" area along the river	1
any	1
by Fleet Farm	1
Total	28

Other:	Count
new senior center	1
river development	1
river front	1
the old Kmart lot	1
Total	28

13. What are your top three concerns for the future of Appleton?

1:



Count	Response
32	Safety
29	Crime
11	Taxes
10	safety
9	crime
7	Safety
6	Drugs
5	Jobs
4	Some of our departments are understaffed like APD and health and have many uses if they could hire more people.
3	Affordable Housing
3	Affordable housing
3	Crime
3	Education

Count	Response
3	Public safety
3	Roads
3	taxes
2	Better mass transportation options
2	Bike lanes
2	Convention Center
2	Downtown parking
2	Downtown parking
2	Education
2	Gangs
2	Housing
2	Library
2	Parking in downtown
2	Poverty
2	Retaining talent
2	Revamping Wisconsin Avenue
2	Schools
2	Taking away swimming pools
2	The Library
2	Too many bars
2	Traffic
2	bicycle lanes
2	crime increase
2	diversity
2	drug use
2	parking

Count	Response
2	safe biking
1	increase of crime
1	strengthening downtown College Avenue local businesses
1	2 hour parking on the streets
1	55 and older neighborhoods
1	A city council that fails to take action to move Appleton forward
1	A modern library
1	A safe place to live.
1	Abandoned buildings, esp. Downtown and along the river
1	Abandoned gas stations (Richmond) should be removed
1	Ability to evolve
1	Able to park overnight without getting a ticket
1	Access and repurposing of River area
1	Access to better quality fishing spots on the shoreline
1	Activities being affordable for Grand Chute residents
1	Addressing racism
1	Affordable housing
1	Affordable housing for seniors
1	Affordable housing for those who have low incomes.
1	Against New library
1	Age of downtown
1	Agenda 21/30 BS infiltration
1	Air and water pollution from local industry
1	Allowing dogs to the farmers market and other downtown activities
1	Allowing people to come here without jobs
1	Amount of homelessness in our area.

Count	Response
1	Appleton is stagnant when it comes to development, especially downtown. The a rejuvenation of businesses needs to occur otherwise the areas around Appleton see development.
1	Areas are becoming run down
1	Areas of crime/unsafe neighborhoods
1	Areas of the downtown area, especially around the post office, are becoming kind of scary.
1	As an adult I can't "play" in Appleton
1	Attracting new business, industries.
1	Attract new residents/young business owners
1	Attracting & retaining talent
1	Attracting and keeping professionals
1	Attracting new businesses to the area
1	Attracting talent to the area
1	Attracting young professionals
1	Availability of living wage jobs
1	Available forms of entertainment
1	Badly maintained roads and sewers
1	Bars continuing to be in neighborhoods where they don't belong (Richmond St Pub, Grumpys)
1	Becoming Global
1	Becoming more diverse
1	Becoming more environmentally conscious
1	Being safe in the city.
1	Being too frugal
1	Better education programs
1	Bicycle infrastructure to keep people safe
1	Bicycle safety
1	Bike lanes for commuting

Count	Response
1	Bike lanes through downtown connecting with bike lanes outside of town
1	Bike lanes.
1	Bike off-road trails.
1	Bike/walk trails-connected to existing trails. Plans have been in place for a long time.
1	Biking
1	Biking Paths
1	Broken families
1	Build a north side pool
1	Build excellent library
1	Building a 21st century library
1	Business development
1	CAREFULLY planned development
1	Calumet St needing to be replaced
1	City being able to accommodate growth
1	City spending on unneeded projects - ie, new library, convention center
1	City's support and best interest of small businesses is everely lacking
1	Clean neighborhoods
1	Commerce
1	Commercial development
1	Competive schools
1	Connecting our children to our community
1	Connecting to waterfront
1	Conservation of historical buildings/areas
1	Continually a safe place to raise a family
1	Continue to not be a welcoming place to ethnic minorities
1	Continue to provide great parks, a real win by the city in my book.

Count	Response
1	Continued Safety and having the appropriate police officer to citizen ratio
1	Continued economic growth (specifically the arts)
1	Continued quality PreK-12 education
1	Continuing urban sprawl
1	Control Growth
1	Convention center
1	Cost friendly to young people
1	Create more jobs
1	Creating a great downtown area
1	Creating a vibrant community that attracts younger, diverse people
1	Creating bike lanes
1	Creating more mixed use neighborhoods
1	Crime
1	Crime Increase
1	Crime moving from larger cities to here.
1	Crime prevention
1	Crime rate
1	Crime rate going up
1	Crime rate increases
1	Crime rate increasing
1	Crime rate/theft/sex offenders
1	Criminal Activity Increase
1	Cultural Stagnation
1	Cultural opportunities- varied, low cost/free
1	Cutting down branches that hang over the wires
1	Decent Low income housing

Count	Response
1	Decent, affordable housing
1	Declination of small businesses
1	Deteriorating infrastructure
1	Deterioration of older neighborhoods
1	Develop riverfront with emphasis on public access and green spaces.
1	Development in the downtown to Wisconsin Ave.
1	Discussions about closing Reid Golf Course
1	Diversity and inclusiveness
1	Diversity
1	Diversity
1	Do not let neighborhoods become rundown.
1	Dog friendly parks and events are not available
1	Don't let downtown die out
1	Down town parking
1	Downtown development
1	Downtown further development
1	Downtown has too many bars and attracts bad people from all over. There needs to be more retail and good restaurants
1	Downtown housing
1	Downtown keeping up with filling in surface lots that are just being unused
1	Downtown neighborhood safety
1	Downtown parking being taken away by bicycle lanes
1	Downtown rejuvenation
1	Downtown revitalization
1	Downtown traffic congestion and Lack of downtown parking
1	Drug activity

Count	Response
1	Drug activity/movement of gangs from the south of Wisconsin
1	Drug problems
1	Drug trafficking, primarily Heroin
1	Drug trafficking
1	Drug usage
1	Drug use and crime
1	Drug use leading to more robberies
1	Drugs and crime
1	East High School and Pool
1	Economic pressures putting strain on local establishments
1	Education (both in school & out)
1	Education funding
1	Employer attraction downtown
1	Ensure a strong and diverse mix of office and retail (food and shops) in an accessible downtown
1	Ensuring access to mental health care (in particular, attracting and retaining psychiatrists)
1	Environmental responsibility/sustainability
1	Erb Park pool friendly outcome for my small children
1	Excellent schools
1	Expanding bike and pedestrian infrastructure.
1	Expo Center success
1	Expo center
1	Failure to build a new library
1	Faith Communities Staying Strong
1	Falling behind as a regional leader
1	Family-supporting jobs
1	Filling vacant storefronts with viable business

Count	Response
1	Fixing the current north-south traffic flow issues in the downtown area.
1	Flight of the younger demographic which keeps towns relevant and fresh
1	Flourishing for small biz owners
1	For those who don't drink there's not much to do
1	Friendliness to new residents
1	Gaining support for new Library
1	Gang related issues that seem to be making their way into our city more often
1	Gangs/crime
1	Getting high paying jobs from tech companies like Tesla, Apple, Google..etc (Tesla is massively expanding would be great for them to open a store here)
1	Getting people off the streets esp near library and bus station
1	Getting rid of buildings that are worn down - like Richmond Street
1	Getting run down
1	Growing economy
1	Growing number of bikes on the roads need facilities
1	Growing population of unemployed and unemployable which leads to...
1	Growing taxes
1	Growth
1	Growth - diversity (getting to crowded)
1	Growth of industry
1	Gullible people who insist on PC nonsense.
1	Guns
1	Handicap accessibility
1	Hard for a small business to deal with
1	Having equally good schools.
1	Having too much debt

Count	Response
1	Health of downtown
1	Heroin and other drug issues
1	High property taxes
1	Historic preservation - like not tearing down a beautiful church for a library when there are other sites available.
1	Homeless proximity to parks, the library, and family areas. Especially those who use Drugs/Alcohol
1	Hoping schools remain great despite Walker's education cuts
1	How can we develop the riverfront area & connect it to downtown?
1	How dirty/littered the downtown sidewalks are
1	I am concerned that unneeded changes - such as splitting City Center so there is road access down the middle. I support needed spending; mindful and wise spending.
1	I am not in favor of the new Library
1	I believe there needs to be more connection to Lawrence U
1	I feel like we are lacking in recreational activities for adults other than outdoor activities and bars.
1	I want the city to be progressive in all aspects--development, inclusiveness, and revitalization.
1	Illegal drug dealing & use
1	Illegal drugs
1	Implosion of downtown
1	Impossible to fund needed public works due to "no tax" pledges
1	Improve Wisconsin Ave
1	Improvement
1	Inadequate library and, therefore, public services
1	Inclusion
1	Income/poverty levels job opportunity
1	Increase in crime
1	Increase of crime
1	Increased Crime/Drugs

Count	Response
1	Increased Violent Crime
1	Increased access to the riverfront
1	Increased crime
1	Increased crime and poorly maintained property
1	Increased crime levels (or perception of)
1	Increased/higher quality biking and hiking paths
1	Increasing crime
1	Increasing crime rates
1	Investing in a library that isn't suited for long-term succes
1	Is the Exhibition Center necessary, especially with the in-progress Lambeau Field area development?
1	Job retention
1	Jobs that pay more
1	Josh Dukelow
1	Keep and expand the current Library, do not build a new Library!
1	Keep busy traffic out of neighborhoods.
1	Keep drugs out
1	Keep it safe
1	Keep young people here
1	Keeping Appleton safe
1	Keeping PAC alive and well
1	Keeping crime low
1	Keeping crooks out.
1	Keeping downtown Appleton active
1	Keeping it family friendly
1	Keeping it open, friendly and affordable.
1	Keeping neighborhoods safe.

Count	Response
1	Keeping older kids entertained
1	Keeping on street parkingg
1	Keeping rental properties in good shape
1	Keeping the community safe
1	Keeping the downtown vibrant
1	Keeping the older neighborhoods well maintained and looking nice
1	Keeping the small town feel but having larger city amenities
1	Keeping the town alive year round
1	Keeping unemployment low
1	Keeping Appleton safe and crime down
1	Kids
1	Lack of Diversity
1	Lack of a city minimum wage
1	Lack of activities and incentives for Millennials
1	Lack of aid for Public Education
1	Lack of creative technology companies
1	Lack of development north of college ave
1	Lack of family focus
1	Lack of neighborhood development
1	Lack of new/modern development downtown
1	Lack of progress
1	Land use - not turning the surrounding areas of Appleton into solely apartment complexes
1	Landlords/rental properties
1	Leadership
1	Leadership
1	Learning opportunities for the underprivileged

Count	Response
1	Less traveled roads repaired
1	Library
1	Library expansion or relocation
1	Library/community center
1	Long term education funding
1	Losing Appleton Medical Center/ThedaCare on Meade Street.
1	Loss of historic neighborhoods
1	Loud Trains
1	Low income housing from Oshkosh
1	Low-income families and new Appletonians aren't getting the support and welcome they need to help improve their situation
1	Lower taxes
1	Maintain and grow green space
1	Maintain low crime rate.
1	Maintaining and developing high quality public school choices - PUBLIC schools
1	Maintaining and improving traffic flow
1	Maintaining properties
1	Maintaining strong neighborhoods in the core of the city
1	Maintaining the quality of our schools
1	Maintaining vibrant downtown
1	Maintenance
1	Make downtown more livable with increased density and amenities
1	Making home owners keep their property up
1	Making the bus station area downtown safer
1	Managing growing traffic efficiently like thru roundabouts
1	Mayor is not listening to the taxpayers comments. Only the select few he chooses

Count	Response
1	Meeting the needs of the people, parks, library, etc.
1	Millenials and aging boomers are just 2 groups wanting to live downtown and there aren't enough options
1	Mmore access to the river
1	More and more homeless people.
1	More bike/waking lanes. Downtown shoud be more pedestrian friendly like other big cities.
1	More businesses/tall buildings downtown. (Follo wmenesha and Neenah)
1	More crime prevention
1	More dog friendly
1	More parks spending/rec opportunities
1	More senior apartments
1	More trails
1	More trails and sidewalks
1	More use of the riverfront
1	More/better street lights in older neighborhoods.
1	Municipal gigabit internet service would be highly welco me for the city and the fox valley, not to mention a huge boon for local businesses and would bring some nice high tech jobs to the area.
1	Na
1	Need to build new library / community center. Reconsider the bluff site.
1	Need to update library
1	Need trains on the river from lutz to all other trails
1	Needing a new library
1	Neighborhood Safety
1	New Library
1	New leadership
1	New library
1	New library

Count	Response
1	New library desperately needed
1	New library that is not needed.
1	New library we don't need.
1	No Expo center
1	No growth in quality restaurants and shopping.
1	No plan
1	No plan for downtown parking needs/development
1	No programs for the elderly/disabled - Thompson Center closign and dispersing to multiple buildings
1	Not being safe at night
1	Not bike friendly
1	Not enough diversity
1	Not enough tourism
1	Not starting too many projects that need to be funded by taxing the citizens
1	Not the friendliest and welcom ing to new people
1	Offering adequate recreational opportunities/spaces
1	Old buildings going unutilized
1	Outdated library building
1	Over policing /under cover cops /poor treatment of citizens
1	Overpopulation
1	Panhandling by poorer residents
1	Parks safety
1	Parking
1	Parking access downtown
1	Parking/Tickets
1	Parks
1	Parks/activities far southeast Appleton

Count	Response
1	Planned convention center will be idle most of the time. The reason Appleton is great is because there are not a lot of folks her...it does not need to be tourist destination.
1	Planning codes for building
1	Police need better technology
1	Poor long term vision and planning
1	Potholes!
1	Practical decision making! Avoid another avenue mall
1	Preserve green space and trails
1	Problems with crime in the downtown area
1	Proper zoning
1	Property taxes
1	Property taxes are too high already
1	Proposed relocation of AMC and distance to care as well as what will happen with that location
1	Proximity of library to bus station
1	Public Safety
1	Public education being more expensive but alot less quality.
1	Public park safety
1	Public transportation
1	Qualified individuals for Employment
1	Quality Education
1	Quality education
1	Quality of life sustaining jobs. Call centers are nice but do not pay a living wage
1	Quality of schools
1	Quality public education for all ages
1	Quality schools
1	Quality schools despite budget cuts

Count	Response
1	Racism/discrimination
1	Ratio of rental properties to owned home seems to be rising.
1	Re-creation of a senior center/community center
1	Re-use of existing structures for future development vs. building new structures.
1	Recreational activities
1	Redevelopment of Wisconsin Ave
1	Redevelopment of aging buildings and communities
1	Reduce number of taverns/bars
1	Reducing train whistles/noise in town.
1	Rental properties not being taken care of
1	Resident safety
1	Retail explosion in Grand Chute
1	Retaining millennials
1	Reusing abandoned commercial buildings
1	Rigid regulations
1	River flats development
1	River is not developed quickly enough with a balanced, not oversaturated housing options that can cause safety concerns with heavy traffic.
1	Riverfront Development
1	Road maintenance
1	Road repairs
1	Road upkeep
1	Roundabouts
1	Run down neighborhoods
1	Rushed development that doesn't preserve green spaces for the community; non-sustainable development
1	Safe Parks

Count	Response
1	Safe biking
1	Safe neighborhoods
1	Safe spaces/events/activities for my children
1	Safety (crime)
1	Safety and perception
1	Safety around the public library
1	Safety at night
1	Safety first thanks to our police dept esp with gangs and recent burglaries
1	Safety for walking in neighborhood
1	Safety near downtown
1	Safety of downtown areas
1	Safety on the streets at night
1	Safety with the growing economy
1	Safety- specifically downtown and Wisconsin ave
1	Safety-the way it feels in my neighborhood
1	Safety.
1	Saftey
1	Save places nearby for my child to play outdoors
1	School Distribution of wealth
1	School System Funding
1	School district not providing superior education.
1	School updates.
1	Scott walker
1	Seems to be more minority's. They may not be much of a problem yet, but that usually gets worse with time and numbers
1	Segregation

Count	Response
1	Senior center in downtown
1	Slow pace of development
1	Small businesses closing
1	Some neighborhoods are less than desirable
1	Some people feel that downtown is unsafe
1	Sorting of residential housing: affluent families are separated from low income families.
1	Spending
1	Sprawl
1	Sprawl/loss of green space
1	Sprawling development
1	Stagnancy - people against change win & the city suffers for it.
1	Stop and get rid of bike lanes. To "maybe" keep a few bicycle people happy and the cost of the larger auto use in Appleton is not good
1	Street maintenance
1	Street safety around schools
1	Streets/construction
1	Strong public schools
1	Strong retail development
1	Suburban sprawl
1	Suburban sprawl as opposed to focused downtown development
1	Support Small Business
1	Sustainability
1	Sustainability of small businesses
1	Sustainability through climate change
1	Tax increases
1	Taxed to death for those that live in Appleton

Count	Response
1	Taxes
1	Taxes are too high.
1	Taxes to stay at roughly the same rate.
1	Taxpayers will be burdened with the cost of maintaining a failing convention center, which has been the trend nationally for many years.
1	Tea Party
1	That a whole plan for the downtown be considered in planning where the library will be
1	That it continues to be a safe city and not like Green Bay
1	That it will lose its charm
1	That there will be less Mfg jobs
1	That we don't attract business
1	The Decreasing budgets for our public schools
1	The Drug Problem
1	The amount of low income households in the area
1	The amount of sex trafficking
1	The beautification and maintenance of areas OTHER than downtown and the riverfront
1	The city growing faster than the infrastructure can accommodate (eg. East Calumet & 441 area)
1	The current library area looks like "skid row"
1	The cutting off of N/S streets north of College Ave is confusing
1	The increasing crime rate.
1	The mall area getting too congested
1	The need for a new library
1	The waste of money on a new library.
1	There isn't a lot to do if you are not a drinker and don't go to bars.
1	To keep trouble makers out of the parks
1	To many bars

Count	Response
1	Too high of property taxes
1	Too many "event" focused projects
1	Too many apartment buildings
1	Too many bars downtown
1	Too many bars in downtown Appleton
1	Too many bike lanes
1	Too many horrible round A-bouts. Hate them. People don't know how to use them and they rush into the circle with an "I was here first" attitude.
1	Too many low income families moving in from Milwaukee
1	Too many people with too little space
1	Too many taverns
1	Too many un kept rental housing
1	Too many vacant buildings / plots of land
1	Too much concert noise after reasonable hours. (Is the mayor on call at 11 p.m.?)
1	Too much concrete, not enough green space and trees
1	Too much downtown focus by Mayor
1	Too much focus on the development of areas west of 41
1	Too much focusing on Downtown and not other areas of Appleton.
1	Traffic
1	Traffic Control
1	Traffic congestion
1	Traffic management
1	Traffic on east Calumet is out of control.
1	Traffic patterns
1	Traffic patterns on eastside are too busy during peak hours
1	Traffic/Stoplights (i.e. keeping the traffic flowing)

Count	Response
1	Transgender bathrooms - disagree with the idea for those who might abuse it
1	Transportation
1	Trash
1	Turn waterfront into usable space
1	UNDERFUNDED SCHOOLS
1	Un-rented buildings
1	Underfunded schools
1	Up keep of old homes/neighborhoods
1	Update old Parking Ramps
1	Upkeep of businesses
1	Urban flight, especially north of College Ave and south of Wisconsin Ave
1	Urban sprawl with the older, more central residential and commercial areas deteriorating
1	Use of river front
1	Use of taxpayer funds
1	Vacant Downtown Stores
1	Vacant lots loss of business
1	Vacant properties
1	Vehicle space and parking
1	Very few dog friendly (off leash) areas for dogs.
1	Vibrant and commercially successful downtown
1	Vibrant downtown
1	Walkability/biking, alt transit of Appleton & valley
1	Walkable streets
1	Walking/Biking Trail Systems
1	Water
1	Waterfront development

Count	Response
1	We don't have enough police officers per number of residents
1	We don't need a bigger, better library. They are becoming obsolete. Unless the homeless need better facilities...
1	We get to big. I like our small city feel.
1	We need a library makeover, possibly a couple different sites.
1	We need to rejuvenate downtown
1	We won't be able to handle the traffic in years to come.
1	Welcoming environment for diverse populations
1	Welcoming to all
1	What will happen with AMC once new hospital is built
1	Wisconsin Ave
1	Wisconsin Ave redevelopment
1	Wisconsin Ave. development
1	Wisconsin Ave. will fall into further disrepair and the remaining local businesses there will close/move.
1	Wisconsin Avenue
1	Wisconsin ave improvement
1	Workforce
1	Worried about increased crime. Look at area around library. Do not feel safe here with group that hangs around bus station. So much influx from bigger cities! Drugs, etc. isn't like it used to be in Appketon. Would not let children okay outside unsupervised every minute like we did years ago!
1	Worried about stagnating growth - that we won't move on big projects that will do us good like the convention center.
1	Young people don't want to move here
1	Younger Mayor
1	Youth crime
1	access to river should be improved
1	addiction
1	adequate policing

Count	Response
1	affordable housing for ALL who are in need at all income levels
1	affordable housing for all
1	aging in place
1	aging population
1	almost no shopping downtown
1	attracting and sustaining small businesses and larger corporations
1	bad schools
1	bad sts
1	bike lanes
1	blighted property
1	brain drain, i.e. best and brightest move to Milwaukee, Madison, Chicago, Twin Cities, coasts
1	cleanliness
1	commercial vacancies /viability in downtown
1	community resources going to 'richer' neighbors
1	community urban spaces
1	concentration of slum lord housing
1	condition of houses in areas close to downtown Appleton
1	contain the sprawl
1	continue a viable downtown
1	continue being safe
1	continue your great schools
1	crime
1	crime from Milwaukee
1	crime is getting worse
1	crime levels on the rise
1	crime prevention

Count	Response
1	crime/safety in rental neighborhoods
1	cultural diversity
1	development of "ghettos"
1	diversity and inclusion should be made a priority
1	diversity relations
1	downtown dirtyness (tavern area vomit piles)
1	downtown grocery store is needed
1	downtown parking
1	downtown retail
1	drinking problem
1	drugs
1	drugs iillegal sales
1	drugs moving in
1	ease of development projects vis-a-vis neighboring municipalities
1	economic development
1	economic inequality
1	economy
1	education
1	eliminate parking meters
1	embrace diversity
1	entertainment
1	environmental friendliness
1	eroding safety
1	expanded, attractive meeting places for teenagers/ better use of current facilities?
1	hateful conservatism
1	high taxes

Count	Response
1	higher taxes
1	housing decay downtown
1	housing downtown, not "affordable" with strict qualification. Nice, but not super expensive
1	housing, nice house next to worn down house
1	illegal substances
1	increased crime
1	increasing crime
1	influx of riffraff for the sake of diversity
1	it's not a place that can sustain safety/peaceful environments with the amount of rentals/rundown areas
1	keep investing in revitalization south and East of college
1	keep parks nice (They are now)
1	keeping Appleton a safe place to live and raise a family
1	keeping crime away from city
1	keeping schools well financed
1	lack of infrastructure maintenance
1	lack of public art.
1	lack of racial diversity
1	less bike lanes on streets
1	less taxes
1	library
1	library
1	maintain parks and neighborhoods
1	maintaining quality K-12 education
1	making sure our public schools are well funded.
1	neighborhood safety
1	new business incentives

Count	Response
1	new library
1	new library-NO
1	no more bars
1	no walkability
1	normalization of sodomy
1	not enough young people
1	outdoor activities for teens
1	overall safety in the community
1	overdeveloping the river with retail
1	pedisttrain stop light signs and buttons
1	people not caring for their property
1	people's safety
1	poor internet access options limiting tech startups
1	poor road conditions
1	preserving City Park area and maintaining the other city parks
1	prioritizing private over public good when a good mix is needed to be sustainable
1	public library needs to be built not renovated
1	quality public education
1	quality public school education
1	racism
1	racism/diverstiy tolerance
1	remaining riverfront should be public space and not condos/apartments
1	retail development to fill exsisting empty businesses
1	rising crime
1	roads to many potholes
1	safe neighborhoods

Count	Response
1	safety for children
1	safety for diverse population
1	safety on the roads
1	safty
1	school overcrowding not enough choices
1	single family housing being rezoned for multi family
1	some streets neglected
1	sprawl
1	sprawl - don't want it
1	stagnation
1	staying progressive
1	support of Lawrence University Social Concerns
1	support of public education
1	sustainable housing
1	tax increases
1	taxes are very high in comparison to neighboring cities/towns
1	teachers leaving
1	tech industry jobs
1	the homeless
1	the safety of me and my children
1	to many robberies
1	to many roundabouts
1	too many apartment buildings too class together, creating BAD little neighborhoods encouraging crime and games.
1	too many bars downtown
1	too many charter schools

Count	Response
1	too many multi family facilities
1	traffic
1	traffic congestion
1	transgender bathrooms
1	unintended segregation
1	unsafe neighborhood
1	unwillingness to act
1	upgrade single family homes in older neighborhoods
1	upper-middle class flight
1	urban decay - factories and housing
1	urban sprawl
1	varied housing options
1	viable living spaces
1	wasteful spending
1	water
1	water quality
1	water table/accessable clean water
1	we need less bars on college avenue..
1	we will stop looking to the future
1	welcoming to all
1	young people might move away

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public safety

lib crime city housing

Count	Response
8	Safety
7	Crime
7	Schools
3	Drugs
3	Education
3	Excessive use of alcohol by people living here and hanging out here.
3	Parking
3	Traffic
3	crime
3	education
3	safety
2	Accessibility
2	Affordable housing
2	Allowing Dogs in City Parks
2	Being able to age in place
2	Bike lanes
2	Cleanliness
2	Downtown
2	Focus on activities for the kids
2	Lack of downtown development
2	Library

Count	Response
2	N/A
2	Not enough biking areas
2	Poverty
2	Roads
2	Safety
2	Taxes
2	Transportation
2	expansion
2	gangs
2	homeless population
2	increased crime
2	schools
2	small businesses leaving
2	taxes
2	too many bike lanes
1	more efficient land use
1	441 never being finished
1	A declining education system
1	A potential increase in crime
1	AASD north side crowding (Huntley)
1	AMC hospital moving out of the area. No hospital in north Appleton
1	Ability to attract and support and retain diverse community members (think broadly about definition of diversity)
1	Acceptance
1	Accesible Library
1	Accessibility to city leaders

Count	Response
1	Accessibility to trails
1	Addressing alcoholism/binge drinking
1	Addressing current rampant cultural issues around racism and bigotry
1	Adequate parks or areas for outdoor recreation
1	Adequately addressing the needs of refugees
1	Affordability for all
1	Affordable Housing
1	Affordable childcare
1	Affordable housing
1	Affordable housing for disabled
1	Affordable housing for first time buyers
1	Affordable private school options
1	Affordable taxes
1	Against new Convention center
1	Aging Buildings
1	Aging downtown
1	Allowing suspicious activity to go unchecked
1	Alternative transportation expansion (other than car)
1	Another lane on I-41 from OO/15 and north
1	Apartments that allow pets only 1-2 companies available
1	Appleton public library
1	Areas that are difficult to access safely on a bike like Northland Avenue.
1	Arts and culture
1	Available grocery stores / low cost shopping in areas where those without personal vehicles tend to live.
1	Avoid more public housing or apartments.
1	Bars with outdoor patio

Count	Response
1	Beautification
1	Become a walkable city
1	Becoming to big. We don't need to be like Green Bay.
1	Being more green
1	Better code enforcement
1	Better maintained roads
1	Better public transit
1	Better selection of stores downtown
1	Better traffic control. Live near East and walking/biking is hazardous before/after school.
1	Better use of riverfront
1	Better use of vacant businesses
1	Bicycle awareness
1	Bicycle lanes downtown
1	Bike and walkways
1	Bike friendly
1	Bike/walking trail development
1	Blight
1	Blight - Run-down/vacant buildings
1	Bridge upkeep
1	Bringing businesses downtown
1	Bringing in business
1	Buildings/businesses that are unoccupied; it looks bad is not safe
1	Business
1	Business turnove on college ave
1	Captivating young professionals
1	Care of older homes

Count	Response
1	Central city decay.
1	Central-city neighborhoods becoming rundown
1	Certain areas becoming inner city
1	Challenges Facing Next Generation
1	Child friendly- programs, trails, schools
1	Children's/family activities
1	City govt. is unfriendly to businesses
1	City should re-evaluate how the library is used and consider a community center.
1	Clean environment
1	Clean up areas of disinterest
1	Cleaning up Wisconsin avenue
1	Cleaning up of the Fox River
1	Clearly communicating a master vision for the downtown
1	Close off college ave for foot traffic only
1	Commendable schools
1	Commerce
1	Community building activities, including diversity, neighborhoods, affordable housing.
1	Community revitalization
1	Connect downtown to riverfront
1	Connect trails in the city
1	Connecting people of different cultures/socioeconomics in neighborhoods. We are starting to sort geographically in ways that are unhealthy
1	Continued expansion of bike lanes /bike access
1	Continued over-reliance on autos
1	Continuous Safety
1	Convention Center

Count	Response
1	Cost of living
1	Cost of living increasing
1	Creating a solar panel program or something maybe something where the city builds a plant and sells out solar panels
1	Crime
1	Crime rate increasing
1	Crime rate increasing.
1	Crime rise
1	Crime, drugs, homelessness, and...
1	Crime, vagrancy and vandalism near the bus stop and library
1	Crime/drugs
1	Crime/hard drugs
1	Cuts to the street department
1	Dangerous drivers
1	Decreasing crime-increasing safety
1	Deteriorating neighborhoods.
1	Deterioration of public schools; particularly possibly dismantling of charter school system
1	Develop downtown and surrounding areas to attract people and businesses to Appleton.
1	Develop the riverfront better (look at Dubuque Iowa river walk)
1	Develop ways to combat empty sites in the city versus spawl. Shuttered, unused buildings are undesirable
1	Development of businesses on waterfront areas
1	Development of city center areas
1	Development will stay concentrated downtown (it's great, let's branch out now!).
1	Disorganized growth
1	Diversifying the police force to reflect the diversified population

Count	Response
1	Do not let developers tear down anymore old buildings!!! What's left MUST be preserved. Appleton has done an atrocious job of this in the past, our most beautiful landmarks have been bulldozed. When new buildings go up don't allow them to be so god damn ugly, i.e. Radisson
1	Dog friendly parks
1	Dog parks of dogs in parks
1	Downtown
1	Downtown Appleton needs more diverse stores. Grocery, affordable clothing, non-bar restaurants.
1	Downtown Appleton needs to continue to revitalize and reuse vacant commercial lots and buildings for new public and business opportunities
1	Downtown Appleton parking
1	Downtown activities
1	Downtown dying out because of the parking meters and expensive ramps.
1	Downtown is very confusing and unorganized to travel through north and south.
1	Downtown neighborhood property values
1	Downtown use - finding a way to continue downtown development such as a new library, changes to city center, changes to city hall, utilizing the bluffs
1	Downtown will die because of expensive parking
1	Drinking and drug use in downtown
1	Drivers carelessness regarding crosswalks
1	Drug control
1	Drug crimes
1	Drunk driving
1	East/West traffic downtown
1	Ecological preservation - not uprooting established trees and terrace areas for bike lanes.
1	Economic Development
1	Economic development
1	Economic recession
1	Economy

Count	Response
1	Education - school districts losing so much funding due to governor. How do we maintain excellency?
1	Education - schools keeping up/getting outdated
1	Education and family activities at resonable costs. Swimming at the pools, museum , ect.
1	Eliminating panhandling and providing resources for those who are homeless
1	Employment
1	Employment
1	Employment Opportunities
1	Empty houses/fo reclosures
1	Empty storefronts look bad
1	Encourage housing for people near downtown
1	Encouraging cycling
1	Enforce current laws in regards to arterials and speed limits!
1	Entertainment
1	Entertainment
1	Environmental Concerns
1	Environmental degradation
1	Environmental development
1	Erb Park pool and the need for more evening swim lessons
1	Erb park renovation
1	Erb pool & park
1	Expand green space
1	Expansion of library locatio ns
1	Failure to invest in new library, downtown and education system
1	Family friendly
1	Fear to take on new projects. Analysis Paralysis.
1	Finding oppourtunities for the homeless population

Count	Response
1	Focus on non-downtown development
1	Future Business development
1	Future of City Center
1	Gaining support for Convention Center
1	Gang activity/violence
1	Gangs
1	Gangs
1	Get the word out better of things to do!
1	Getting credit card readers for parking
1	Getting more parking in the downtown area
1	Getting rid of grey space
1	Getting to know local fire departments
1	Good turnover of neighborhoods
1	Government waste
1	Great schools
1	Green Bay development effects
1	Green Transportation
1	Growth by tax affordability
1	Growth of business (using abandoned spaces) that draw revenue, most major spending is in grand chute
1	Guns
1	Happy with the decision to keep Erb pool. Not a concern, just wanted to note.
1	Health of watershed due to residential and commercial chemical use
1	Help for others-housing, food, medical care
1	Heroin
1	Heroin use
1	High Poverty rate among children and overall

Count	Response
1	High taxes
1	Homeless
1	Homeless
1	Homeless population
1	Homeless population growing (violent)
1	Homelessness
1	Hopscotch city borders
1	Hoping for the continued development of the arts
1	Housing for young professionals and active retirees
1	How can we make Appleton more bike-friendly - for kids and adults?
1	I don't like the idea of splash pads instead of pools, like Erb Park pool. There will not be as many openings for swimming lessons with Meade being the only outdoor
1	I think that the city has not done a good job of incentivizing businesses to come downtown.
1	I want the city to serve the needs of the people.
1	I want the library relocation and update
1	I would like more diverse options for secular, private schools.
1	I would like to see more of the inner Appleton homes rejuvenated as opposed to all the building the city further out.
1	I'm concerned people won't think far enough in the future to invest in our community - the library, schools, police officers, etc.
1	Impose a ban on trains blaring their horn from 10pm-6am
1	Improve pedestrian/bike safety on bridges, people are rude and toss things at pedestrians walking Oneida st bridge
1	Improved waterfront
1	Improving downtown
1	Inattentive Driving/ Fast Traffic Flow
1	Increase in burglaries and drug-related social problems
1	Increase in drugs

Count	Response
1	Increase of crimes.
1	Increased drug activity
1	Increased taxes
1	Increasing crime
1	Increasing the compensation of the APD and AFD to maintain and attract personal
1	Indoor public park (it's cold so long here that an indoor play area would be fantastic. The mall one is pathetic.
1	Infrastructure debilitation
1	Infrastructure improvements not being made
1	Install solar panels on city buildings
1	Integrating new demographics
1	Integration for special needs
1	Intolerance towards any ethnic/racial/sexual orientation/religious groups.
1	Investing in programs that promote health
1	It saddens me that there is a stigma to using the library as I feel it is a wonderful resource.
1	It's not bike friendly (in the city)
1	Job and industry growth in tech. fields
1	Job development
1	Job opportunities
1	Jobs
1	Jobs that pay a living wage
1	Keep Government Open
1	Keep crime low
1	Keep crime rate down
1	Keep downtown alive and vibrant
1	Keep neighborhoods safe
1	Keep the beauty

Count	Response
1	Keep the existing library and update if needed... It is in an accessible area for bus riders, disabled, etc.
1	Keeping a nice library
1	Keeping area safe
1	Keeping bees!
1	Keeping crime down
1	Keeping crime from increasing unlike nearby cities a half hour or more away
1	Keeping crime rate low
1	Keeping drugs out of the community
1	Keeping high paying jobs in the area
1	Keeping it business friendly
1	Keeping it clean (aesthetics)
1	Keeping our schools great
1	Keeping parks in the downtown are safe.
1	LACK OF APPRECIATION FOR DIVERSITY
1	Lack of adequate housing proximate to downtown
1	Lack of bike lanes
1	Lack of commitment to neighborhoods
1	Lack of corporate office buildings
1	Lack of development in the inner city
1	Lack of dog-friendly parks
1	Lack of employment growth.
1	Lack of good, local restaurants and other businesses
1	Lack of pedestrian walk ways
1	Lack of quality infrastructure
1	Lack of safe spaces for lbgt and "at risk" youth
1	Lack of short term convenient parking

Count	Response
1	Lack of startup culture
1	Late Night Crowd Fights
1	Lawrence Students not looking up from their phones before crossing College Ave
1	Leadership
1	Less bars
1	Library
1	Library conference center developments
1	Library we dont need
1	Library/senior center combination building located downtown. New location-proudly displayed on bluff or near River.
1	Linking these trails to other Fox City Communities
1	Livability for baby boomers
1	Living wage job growth/development
1	Local businesses
1	Local law enforcement working with top attractions/gathering spaces to coordinate disaster response planning
1	Long term road/highway work.
1	Lose the bike lanes
1	Losing our history
1	Loss of Green space
1	Loss of business
1	Loss of green space
1	Loss of large employers and jobs
1	Low income and families from outside of the country getting free resources without paying taxes
1	Lowering taxes
1	Maintain strong public schools
1	Maintaining downtown hotels

Count	Response
1	Maintaining family safe community
1	Maintaining good safe neighborhoods in central Appleton.
1	Maintaining neighborhoods
1	Maintaining our low crime rates
1	Maintaining tax levels
1	Maintaining the quality of our other public services
1	Maintaining vitalization of downtown
1	Make Appleton small business friendly
1	Making Appleton a quiet zone for trains
1	Making Richmond more walkable
1	Making bike trails more accessible to get to by bike (not have to enter near a highway or have to get bikes to a trail by car)
1	Making it a safer place to live (Less fights downtown at night)
1	Managing tax increases
1	Many homes near the middle of Appleton continually turn to low-income housing
1	Marketing downtown
1	Mayor Hanna
1	Mayor's library fetish
1	Mayor's ofc needs an expiration date
1	Mental Health
1	Militarization of police
1	Modern development to attract/maintain future professionals
1	More alternative education opportunities
1	More and more potholes...need to increase road maintenance!
1	More arts esp music venues (affordable)
1	More bicycle friendly accommodations around Appleton

Count	Response
1	More bike and nature trails
1	More bike friendly routes and lanes
1	More ecologically conscience
1	More food specialty stores esp organic
1	More outdoor activities--trails, hiking, kayaking
1	More panhandling turning into Milwaukee
1	More police/safety focus
1	More public transportation options
1	More recreation programs
1	More trails to stay active and family friendly
1	More walking areas that are dog friendly
1	More walking or biking trails throughout city
1	More waterfront development
1	Motorists DUI
1	NA
1	Need Better quality stores in downtown Appleton
1	Need a Senior Community Center or just Community Center for all.
1	Neenah and Menasha ar both attracting new construction of multi-story buildings downtown. Why isn't this occurring in Appleton?
1	Neglected business corridors
1	Negligent landlords
1	Neighborhoods in the southwest area of town will become more unsafe.
1	New businesses - trader joes & chickfila
1	New library connected to city hall/children's museum/parking
1	Night Parking
1	No community partnerships to mitigate costs to city

Count	Response
1	No good way for kids to get around on bikes independently
1	No growth in the community, being behind other communities in terms of development
1	No more franchise
1	No need to redo downtown college age.
1	No new library
1	None
1	Not allowing drunk people to drink in the parks
1	Not changing to be better
1	Not enough Police Officers.
1	Not enough for 18-30yr olds to do
1	Not enough general stores downtown
1	Not enough green space close to the river
1	Not enough high paying jobs way too much retail. I want our paper industry back.
1	Not enough housing
1	Not enough nice housing
1	Not enough public space on the river, etc
1	Not enough shopping on north side
1	Not enough sustainable employment --- too many trinket shops on College Avenue. The farmers' market is nice, but Appleton shouldn't cater to the "barista economy."
1	Not getting new businesses quickly enough
1	Not re-using or improving upon older facilities and structures rather than bulldozing and making brand new.
1	Office space for new start up business
1	Oneida street
1	Only project benefitting busines are considered
1	Open the parks for leashed dogs.
1	Opened mindedness to change

Count	Response
1	Outdated library
1	Outside recreation
1	Over regulation
1	Overcrowded private schools
1	Overdevelopment/overpopulation
1	Overpopulation
1	Overpopulation
1	Overpopulation/crowding
1	PAC events less costly besides the great choices for yearly members
1	Panhandlers
1	Panhandlers, crime, drugs
1	Parking
1	Parks
1	Parks/pools
1	Pedestrian and bike trails
1	Pedestrian friendliness
1	Pedestrian friendly downtown
1	Persuading downtown homeless and local business, community at large to find a functional symbiosis
1	Pet Friendly to attract more people
1	Places for kids to hang out
1	Politicians focusing on stupid projects like the library and expo center instead of the city as a whole
1	Poor Zoning (ex. River Heath Courtyard by Marriot)
1	Poor condition of Wisconsin Avenue
1	Poor road conditions in older areas
1	Population growth
1	Possibility of running out of space

Count	Response
1	Prioritizing decisions to benefit the city as a whole vs a small group
1	Private Enterprise
1	Problems with homes not being maintained in the downtown area
1	Progressive education options
1	Promote small business
1	Property taxes staying relatively stable
1	Property value
1	Property value saleability with no on street parking due to bike lanes
1	Property values
1	Protection
1	Public Safety
1	Public Safety
1	Public Transport
1	Public policy. If there is a health need please use the trail system now in place that has very little impact on the auto flow.
1	Public recreation
1	Public safety
1	Public transit
1	Public transportation options, bike lanes, paths
1	Public use/access for riverfront
1	Public works planning (street lights, road upkeep)
1	Quality of school system
1	Quality of life is more important than business development.
1	Quality of the school district
1	Quality parks
1	Quality/well maintained housing

Count	Response
1	Questionable people living in rental property
1	Re-growth of vacant buildings
1	Re-purpose empty buildings
1	Rebuilding vacant homes as rentals
1	Rec Complex Center - add it
1	Redevelopment
1	Rejuvenate existing housing stock in existing areas
1	Rejuvenated downtown, more activities etc
1	Rejuvenation of vacant space before new construction
1	Rental houses in our neighborhood
1	Repurposed older buildings downtown
1	Repurposing beautiful architecture
1	Repurposing vacant properties
1	Restaurants seem to open and close at an alarming rate. Places seem to open and then go out of business after only a few years
1	Restrictive muni code impediments to residential gardens & small animal food production
1	Retail area around the mall has remained the same for years-nothing new/trendy
1	Retention of millennials
1	Revamping Wisconsin Ave.
1	Revitalizing old buildings/businesses as opposed to building more
1	Revitalizing the "inner city"
1	Rising Crime Rates
1	Rising criminal/apparant drug use in Appleton or Fox Cities (Robberies in the area around my business)
1	River development
1	Road conditions
1	Road maintenance.

Count	Response
1	Road rehab
1	Road repair
1	Roads & transit
1	Roads need repair throughout city
1	Roads with railroad crossings
1	Robberies
1	Run down streets
1	Rundown rental properties
1	Running trails
1	SAfety
1	Safe Housing
1	Safe biking and pedestrian infrastructure
1	Safe neighborhoods
1	Safe neighborhoods
1	Safe neighborhoods, streets & parks
1	Safer downtown
1	Safety and lighting at night
1	Safety around the library, College Avenue and Spencer St
1	Safety for kids
1	Safety for young kit
1	Safety in parking ramps
1	Safety of children with retention ponds at Memorial Park
1	Safety, both on the roads and in the homes
1	Same mayor, same ideas (not that he's done a bad job)
1	School improvements
1	School safety

Count	Response
1	School system
1	Schooling
1	Schools
1	Senior housing upscale
1	Sense of community as population continues to diversity (culturally, economically, etc.)
1	Sex trafficking
1	Short sightedness
1	Sidewalks in our neighborhood
1	Slum lords
1	Small business growth
1	Small business support
1	So many apartments going up
1	Solution to senior center
1	Some neighborhoods which seem a little cruddy now not getting a good mix of residents to help maintain those neighborhoods
1	Specific to SE Appleton, the traffic noise from 441 has made this area of town less desirable. When we built our house 26 years ago, before the highway, we were told 441 would have sound barriers but they were never built.
1	Spending funds on a new library when existing building could be revived
1	Sprawl
1	Staying relevant enough to attract new tech companies.
1	Stop discriminating against families with dogs.
1	Stop train horns
1	Stopping the spread of human trafficking
1	Stopping urban sprawl
1	Stores moving out of mall being replace by lower end quality. Shocked we can not support a kids gap at the mall.
1	Street Repair
1	Street and bridge maintenance

Count	Response
1	Strong downtown
1	Strong school system
1	Supporting business development in current spaces.
1	Sustainability
1	Sustainable development BS
1	Sustainable tax base
1	Tax Base
1	Taxes
1	Tearing down building and church's for a new library
1	Teen drugs and alcohol
1	Teenage violence / drugs - see some sketchy kids in our neighborhood
1	That Appleton isn't dog friendly
1	That buildings sit open
1	That it can stay family friendly with growth
1	That small businesses will not be able to sustain themselves
1	That they will be mixed use of commercial and residential
1	That we have an empty industrial park on the SE side (behind Walmart)
1	The building and programming at a new library/meeting center that is easily accessible to people of all ages, education levels and economic levels.
1	The crime rate raising
1	The number of sex offenders
1	The planning of projects that are an advantage to one segment of the city, without taking into account how it impacts neighbors and city residents.
1	The riverfront/downtown area needs work to be more "cool" and useable. We don't need more low income housing in prime locations.
1	The transient people hanging around the current library site.
1	Too many homeless shelters drawing in out of town and out of state criminals

Count	Response
1	Too many sexual predators
1	Too many taverns / bars downtown
1	Too many transient housing properties
1	Too much building in small area
1	Too much focus on Downtown may slow development of other business districts
1	Too much focus on the "traditional" family model
1	Too much money being spent on expo center and library
1	Too much vomit on downtown sidewalks.
1	Traffic
1	Traffic flow-Richmond/00, Darboy 441 area
1	Traffic flows
1	Traffic safety. Round about in front of elementary school
1	Traffic will be a issue if public transit isnt at least improved, For example longer bus times, shorter wait on times
1	Trail system is not connected like other comparable areas such as boulder, co
1	Trails and easy access to the trails
1	Transient population
1	Transit options
1	Transportation through city
1	Turning Houses in busy areas in businesses
1	Unaffordable housing
1	Updating the school athletics. I strongly believe that athletics brings out so much good in kids.
1	Urban sprawl
1	Use improvements to traffic flow strategies to shorten commutes and ease congestion in busy areas/on major thoroughfares.
1	Use of the Fox river and surrounding area
1	Using old buildings or spaces

Count	Response
1	Vacant buildings
1	Vagrants
1	Vision
1	Visual inspiration/plan of the future
1	Vital Downtown
1	Walkability
1	Walkability
1	Want to keep all areas if Appleton maintained and safe! Area south of Wisconsin Ave. and between Mason and Mead and north of College! Some of these areas are really safe anymore to walk in especially at night. Need to keep the friendly, safe feeling if our community!
1	Wasteful Government Spending
1	Water bills too high
1	We do not develop into a pedestrian friendly community
1	We need MORE public art,sculptures, fountains, etc
1	We need a better solution for mall traffic around the holidays
1	We need an exercise park like Fritsch Park in Menasha
1	We should create better access (for recreational purposes) along the Fox River
1	We should seriously explore combined Metro Area fire dept.
1	We won't embrace the diversity of people.
1	West WI Ave has looked like a hell hole for many years. It needs to be cleaned up in general and add more restaurants along the drive home
1	Why are taxes so high
1	Wisconsin Ave. and other areas with vacant storefronts
1	Young people don't want to stay here.
1	ability to navigate the city without having a car
1	acceptance of diversity
1	activities for seniors

Count	Response
1	add green space
1	adequet parking all the time
1	affordability
1	affordable housing for all of our residents
1	affordable/elderly housing
1	ample parking
1	attracting and retaining businesses with family supporting jobs
1	better traffic flow in downtown area
1	bikes
1	bringing young people here
1	business development
1	businesses
1	businesses in walking distance
1	car-dominant planning: not enough other transportation options
1	children have lack of adult supervision
1	cities walkabilty and accessiablity
1	closed storefronts
1	closing of businesses
1	conference center on the fox river to bring people to Appleton
1	continued safety as the community continues to grow
1	convention hall underutilized - loses money
1	crime rate
1	crime/drugs
1	cultural experiences
1	custom homes being built on the "donut" ring around Appleton. Draws people and weath out of Appleton
1	decline of school system

Count	Response
1	declining older neighborhoods
1	depleted infrastructure
1	developemnet
1	diversity
1	downtown
1	downtown housing
1	downtown interest
1	downtown neighborhoods falling into disrepair
1	downtown parking
1	downtown safety
1	drinking culture
1	drug activity
1	drugs
1	eco conscious development & public art
1	economic
1	economic development
1	empty buildings cause issues
1	empty buildings downtown
1	empty businesses - moving to other municipalities
1	enforce laws on loitering
1	entertainment
1	erb pool
1	escesses in road maintenance
1	eventual departure of Appleton Paper
1	family events
1	family focused neighborhoods where people know each other

Count	Response
1	find ways to attract outside companies (non manufacturing)
1	gang activity
1	good honest government
1	good parking
1	good schools
1	growth areas and incorporations of neighboring communities
1	have drivers be more aware of walkers and bikers
1	having enough job opportunities for people in the area
1	homeless in the library
1	homelessness
1	homelessness
1	human trafficking
1	improved infrastructure
1	inclusivity
1	increase of crime traffic from milwaukee, green bay, chicago, in the bus station area of the neighborhood
1	infrastructure in decline
1	keeping up with the whole city's needs, maintaining streets
1	keeping business thriving
1	lack of community resources in older neighborhoods
1	lack of manufacturing and production jobs
1	lack of mid-level housing
1	less strict parking enforcers
1	library upgrade - use existing property and temporarily location during construction
1	library with meeting space
1	litter on streets/highways
1	live, work, play areas

Count	Response
1	location of library
1	location of the library
1	locked entrance for childcare at downtown YMCA
1	loss of affordable kids programs
1	loss of downtown businesses
1	loss of good paying jobs
1	loss of green spaces
1	loss of manufacturing jobs
1	maintaining a progressive and inclusive culture.
1	maintaining green space
1	maintaining roads
1	minimize sprawl
1	more leisure activities
1	more use of old buildings
1	multi-modal transportation
1	need large grocery store downtown area.
1	normalization of sexual perversion
1	not enough high paying part time jobs
1	not having enough community centers
1	offer programming for people in poverty
1	old housing
1	opio id use
1	opposition to Forward thinking
1	over crowding
1	over population
1	overnight street parking rules pose problems for the lawrence students

Count	Response
1	overspending on library
1	panhandling/transient population
1	parks aren't located near where I live. Calmes drive
1	parochialism (regional and within areas of the City)
1	pockets of neighborhoods becoming dilapidated
1	prices of things stay at an affordable price
1	pride in ownership
1	property values going down
1	providing affordable housing, including high density housing options
1	public library renewal
1	public school funding cuts
1	reduce junky rental properties
1	resistance to growth/change
1	restrictions to car traffic downtown and wis. ave (Pedestrian crosswalks are bad!)
1	revitalization of Wisconsin Ave
1	ridiculous roundabouts
1	riverfront accessibility
1	roundabout safety
1	safe places for people to access if and when in need
1	safety of youngsters with incoming gangs
1	segregation
1	small businesses will not be sustained with inconvenient parking
1	speed limits are way too fast.
1	stable public school funding
1	strengthen the downtown
1	strengthening Wisconsin Avenue businesses

Count	Response
1	suburban sprawl
1	tax increase
1	tax rate
1	taxes
1	the amount of heroin use
1	the library
1	too little density to support walkability
1	too many bars
1	too many muslim & anti-Christian refugees
1	too many restaurants
1	traffic
1	traffic improvement
1	ugliness and unused building and signs
1	underpaid alderpersons
1	unnecessary library project
1	unsafe neighbors
1	upgrade library
1	urban decay of inner city areas. It makes Appleton look shabby.
1	urban sprawl
1	utilize existing commercial areas
1	vibrant downtown without too many bars
1	violence/drugs
1	walkability - enliven neighborhoods so there are more small groceries, coffee shops, etc in neighborhoods (not just downtown)
1	wasteful spending
1	we don't care about wellness infrastructure (biking and walking)

Count Response

1 will grow too large

3:

A word cloud featuring the following terms in various colors and sizes: 'development' (dark red), 'safety' (green), 'crime' (yellow), 'city' (green), 'schools' (purple), 'appleton' (red), and 'community' (light green).

Count Response

8 Safety

5 safety

4 Crime

3 Education

3 Getting rid of the truancy court that APSB oversees (Judge McGinnis) and having the schools provide alternatives for students who are truant. They have many issues that are made worse when he locks them up and/or puts them on the electronic monitoring bracelet. So punitive. Awful.

3 Green space

3 Homeless

3 Taxes

3 taxes

2 Cost of living

2 Good schools

2 High taxes

Count	Response
2	Homelessness
2	Improve coordination with Grand Chute
2	N/A
2	Not enough high end retail
2	Parking
2	Safety
2	School funding
2	Senior Center, kids center, library
2	Traffic
2	crime
2	decrease in quality housing areas
2	diversity
1	Non-sustainable planning and green designing
1	Structural racism - We need to be a more welcoming community.
1	\$
1	A new Theda Care regional hospital to replace AMC and Theda Clardk hospitals.
1	Abbility to run a home based business
1	Accessible and affordable housing
1	Accessible downtown
1	Activities (affordable) for TEENS, as there is NOTHING for our teens to do.
1	Adding a parking lot to the grassy area between Ferber/Classical fence to separate from playground would be great
1	Adding more officers
1	Additional dedicated bike lanes needed
1	Addressing Social Issues - Mental Health and addiction, youth suicides
1	Addressing the current shortage/lack of places for people under 21 to socialize in a safe environment

Count	Response
1	Adequate free parking for public services
1	Affordable and quality housing downtown
1	Affordable housing
1	Aging of population
1	All talk no action
1	Alternative activities downtown that do not involve alcohol
1	Alternative transportation, including bike lanes & trails, regional initiatives, rail.
1	An indoor mall, that is really a mall!
1	Apathy - It's good enough why do we need to improve
1	Appleton can use more places for younger folks to hang out
1	Appleton needed to great a compelling reason to settled here. Schools are not top performing and there is little value on the cultural arts and architecture in the city. We are a wasteland of cheap poorly designed strip malls
1	Appleton should communicate more than the bare legal minimum with plans and progress of projects.
1	Area around the library feels unsafe
1	As the town grows, so will crime rates.
1	Assimilation of people groups
1	Attracting new residents /business
1	Auto centricity
1	Automobile traffic
1	Available help for homeless and needy
1	Available housing
1	Bar close
1	Be attractive for new business
1	Become more vibrant
1	Better/cleaner parks
1	Bicycle and pedestrian safety

Count	Response
1	Bike lanes
1	Bike rollerblade trails
1	Bike/walking trails
1	Blight
1	Boring
1	Budget
1	Buildings getting old/falling apart
1	Business Development
1	Business and restaurant hours to encourage people to shop and eat out on weekends (and weekdays)
1	Business growth
1	Businesses and jobs leaving
1	Businesses closing too much
1	Bustling downtown
1	Car accidents - I see so many on college Ave and I was hit once by a teenage driver looking at his cell phone while driving.
1	Care/support for families and the elderly
1	Children's safety in neighborhood
1	Class size at Huntley is way too large for students to do well
1	Clean
1	Clean rivers & lakes
1	Clean up Fox River
1	Cleanliness
1	Close up businesses on the west End of downtown before Richmond Street and businesses that do not follow rules such as cleaning, noise Etc
1	Closure of Erb and a city this size only having one
1	Community Within Neighborhoods
1	Community activities

Count	Response
1	Community centers
1	Community organization
1	Community safety
1	Community safety as population grows
1	Community togetherness
1	Competition and cost of health care
1	Concentrating on improving areas that really need it. Outside of blocks north of Washington St. I think downtown does not need any immediate changes.
1	Condos in the downtown River area.
1	Continue supporting downtown development
1	Continue to redevelop downtown and stop urban sprawl.
1	Continue to show Appleton as a destination
1	Continue with the lively arts atmosphere
1	Continued \$support/upkeep of parks, libraries, fine arts, etc.
1	Continued commercial growth in downtown Appleton
1	Continuing to be progressive
1	Continuing to bring in young professionals
1	Continuing to have strong schools
1	Convention center will destroy this city
1	Corporate-owned chains overtaking the city
1	Cost of Living
1	Cost of living
1	Cost of living/utilities
1	Cost of water and added fees
1	Cracking down on crime in the area, specifically relating to drug abuse
1	Creating a safe, welcoming, inclusive community

Count	Response
1	Creating an inner-city feel to downtown neighborhoods
1	Creating desire for others to come here to keep the economy healthy
1	Creating more varied housing options and density downtown
1	Creating reciprocity for neighboring cities/towns who contribute to appleton businesses success. Specifically regarding parc & wreck.
1	Creation of good paying jobs.
1	Crime - Drugs
1	Crime - downtown - especially near library/transit impeding potential growth.
1	Culture
1	Cutting edge relevant technology jobs just don't exist here.
1	DETERIORITING NEIGHBORHOODS
1	Decline in neighborhoods
1	Degradation of old neighborhoods because of poor maintenance
1	Degradation of tax base
1	Deteriorating downtown.
1	Deterioration of old neighborhoods.
1	Develop a Senior Center in the center of Appleton!
1	Develop and educate on Co-Housing developments
1	Developing Wisconsin Avenue
1	Developing a variety of night time activities, so people of all ages feel safe and welcome.
1	Development
1	Development of new more permanent stores downtown
1	Disconnected youth
1	Diversity
1	Diversity and inclusion
1	Diversity awareness

Count	Response
1	Diversity/inclusion
1	Dog friendly parks
1	Dog park on the south side.
1	Don't forget to embrace the beautiful nature we have here/i.e. Too much concrete and steel, overdevelopment. Make is a destination, retain the quaintness and stay a step ahead of the other communities, but do it so that our tax base does not suffer the burden.
1	Don't like to hear about building a new library and tearing down perfectly good properties to do so. I agree that area is going down the tubes as far as being safe for children.
1	Down Syndrome help
1	Downtown Development
1	Drinking and driving
1	Drivers who are jerks and idiots and think they are NASCAR mooks whenever they get into a car.
1	Drug dealing
1	Drugs
1	Economic development
1	Economic growth
1	Economy
1	Education - ensuring that all schools are promoted and assisted, move away from the feeling that Appleton North is the best because it is the richest
1	Education/class size/homework load
1	Education/high quality schools
1	Eliminate the wheel tax.
1	Embracing the downtown/river
1	Employment
1	Encourage and respect cultural diversity
1	Encouraging diversity in all aspects of community life.
1	Ensure ongoing activities for young professionals - for ex., the Artery.
1	Ensuring safety for all citizens

Count	Response
1	Ensuring strong public education
1	Environmental sustainability
1	Erb Park
1	Erb park
1	Erb park pool
1	Exib Ctr. Parking, where?
1	Expand mass transit
1	Expanding bike lanes in a way that makes sense for residents on those roads and for bicyclists.
1	Failure to push "New Urbanism"
1	Family activities
1	Family friendly
1	Family friendly areas i.e. Parks, pools
1	Family/community events
1	Find use for old K-Mart land
1	Food establishment tenure
1	Food resources downtown
1	Fox river mall. We should be attracting more stores and retail not losing them!
1	Free-riding by neighboring municipalities
1	Friendly to diverse people
1	Funding public events, projects and places that benefit ALL community members.
1	Future quality maintenance
1	General safety
1	Get rid of parking meters downtown
1	Good economy for small business
1	Good paying jobs
1	Government doing private sector work

Count	Response
1	Government waste
1	Green space development.
1	Greenspace development
1	Growing concern of APD culpability with stupid national headlines about surrounding area departments creating terrible stigmas. Hire a freaking PR(a competent one if you currently have one) and learn how to talk in front of a freaking camera, you dolts! You make us all look stupid!!
1	Growing drug problem
1	Growing economic divide
1	Growing out instead focusing on what exists
1	Growing the economy
1	Growth
1	Growth & expansion
1	Harrison, Grand Chute, Buchanan absorbing new growth instead of Appleton
1	Having a variety of things to do with families
1	High property taxes
1	Higher density housing downtown to support growth downtown and walk ability
1	Higher taxes
1	Homeless panhandling
1	Homeless transients need to be discouraged from coming here
1	Housing prices
1	How can we keep Appleton safe for our families?
1	How many tax dollars are put towards schools
1	I can't think of a third one... Criminal mischief and safety are my top concerns
1	I guess property taxes are rather high, but I don't own yet
1	I hope that the citizens are welcoming to diverse new populations
1	I think that Appleton Downtown has really gotten better from just being a bar area. However, I would like to see more shopping and restaurants. I remember when downtown was a beautiful place to walk around and shop. I'd like to see more of that come back.

Count	Response
1	I want residents to take pride in their property--taking "care" serves everyone.
1	I would like to see a bike/walking trail on JJ to go with expansion of that area. could link with AAL trail.
1	Improved public transportation & routes that are offered
1	Improvement of traffic flow downtown
1	Improving the look of our city before it gets out of hand.
1	Inability to attract diversity to our city and employers
1	Inclusivness
1	Income separation of upper, middle and lower class
1	Incoming families who do not value education and know, understand and work the system.
1	Incorporation of adjoining communities
1	Increase and improve festivals
1	Increase parking options throughout downtown
1	Increased crime with population growth
1	Increased gang activity
1	Increasing crime in downtown
1	Increasing pan handlers
1	Ineffective use of resources
1	Infrastructure - a lot of poor roads
1	Innovation
1	Integrate diverse population
1	Integrating minorities into our community
1	Invasive species
1	Is anyone reading this? williamamys@gmail.com
1	It never hurts to have more green space. I was very disappointed when the old Peirce site on Spencer was slated for development.
1	Job creation

Count	Response
1	Job opportunities
1	Jobs
1	Jobs
1	Juvenile delinquency
1	Keep State out of our city
1	Keep downtown vibrant
1	Keep our city clean
1	Keep taxes reasonable
1	Keep the small town feel
1	Keeping a focus on Montessori schools and expanding the charter program? And a tag along to that, for adults continuing to expand classes offered
1	Keeping a variety of shops & businesses downtown
1	Keeping chickens!
1	Keeping downtown vital
1	Keeping home value high
1	Keeping recreation (parks, sidewalks, pools) a priority.
1	Keeping the approachable feel
1	Keeping the city clean and easy to travel.
1	Keeping the friendly feeling of the city
1	Keeping the unique qualities of appleton
1	Keeping up schools/quality education
1	Keeping young adults in the area to raise their families
1	Lack of affordable housing for low income residents
1	Lack of awareness of family activities.
1	Lack of care for roadways
1	Lack of citizen engagement in community

Count	Response
1	Lack of diversity
1	Lack of draw for next generation
1	Lack of historic preservation
1	Lack of jobs that will attract people and keep Appleton growing.
1	Lack of resources for mental health/ AODA for teens
1	Lack of understanding of the many different diversity issues by a majority of citizens
1	Leadership
1	Library
1	Library expansion
1	Library needs to stay where it is --- or at least be accessible, not on the river where it's impossible to get to.
1	Library/parking ramps
1	Limiting of access to health care for women (but I worry about that for everywhere)
1	Livability (parks and rec)
1	Living near the Train
1	Loitering at public library parking lot/bus station
1	Loosing good education
1	Losing business investment to neighboring communities
1	Loss of good paying full time jobs ^ \$12/hr
1	Lots of growth in North Side of City, but no new schools to keep pace
1	Low income housing
1	Lowwaged in the service industries
1	Lower taxes
1	Maintain green space
1	Maintain history and architecture
1	Maintain public safety in tge future
1	Maintain strong schools

Count	Response
1	Maintaining Excellent City Services (aka new library)
1	Maintaining an overall healthy community paying close attention to not allow financially challenged areas to dip beyond repair.
1	Maintaining our great police and fire departments in times of budget crunches.
1	Maintaining parks and updating them
1	Maintaining property taxes
1	Maintaining quality of life
1	Maintenance of existing developed areas
1	Maintenance of inner city housing and neighborhoods
1	Maintenance of public properties
1	Make city more bike friendly to encourage this mode of transport
1	Making new residents, especially those from other countries or ethnicities, feel welcome and included.
1	Making out of town landlords not let their properties get rundown
1	Making pockets of neighborhoods near downtown safer
1	More 3 bedroom rental properties, whether it be apartment buildings or duplexes, and requiring landlords to accept section 8 vouchers that way more place will be kept up to code rather than run down house with landlords who won't do things
1	More affordable housing for homeless people
1	More bike paths
1	More communication (i.e. Weekly email sign u)
1	More dog friendly parks
1	More family friendly downtown area
1	More green spaces
1	More innovation, expansion, connection of parks and trails
1	More investment in schools
1	More outdoor events in summer
1	More places to just hang out/let kids play downtown

Count	Response
1	More recreational trails
1	More senior friendly restaurants
1	More specialty shops in downtown Appleton
1	More things for families with small children to do on Sunday's and Monday's
1	NA
1	Need more low-income housing
1	Need of designated drivers
1	Need to draw college grads to Appleton
1	Needs more police as deterrent to crime
1	Neighborhood blight
1	New business
1	New/modern development seems to occur only on the outskirts of the city (Mall area/ 441) falling into disrepair
1	Nightlife other than drinking
1	No chemicals/pesticides on public green spaces
1	No concern for the city outside of College Avenue
1	No expo Center in the middle of downtown.
1	No more bike lanes
1	No more condos/apartments on the riverfront-this should be a space for all people to enjoy.
1	No more ugly strip mall development
1	No other concerns
1	None
1	Not enough activities for teens
1	Not enough apartments and mixed-use space downtown
1	Not enough cultural offerings
1	Not enough daytime police car patrolling while home break-ins seem to be increasing
1	Not enough diversity in the police department

Count	Response
1	Not enough low income housing
1	Not enough parking access
1	Not moving people with violent criminal past out of the city
1	Not much focus on renewable energy
1	Not resolving the drug issue
1	Old plumbing in old neighborhoods
1	Once again safety!!!!
1	Open Oneida Street
1	Our library needs help.
1	Outdated Building for Kids
1	Outward spread/growth while leaving many existing areas defunct and rundown
1	Over development
1	Over development of new buildings vs abandoned old
1	Over regulation
1	Over spending.
1	Over-gentrification and outpricing of the arts and culture (unaffordable experiences are creating a class divide)
1	Overtaking of big businesses
1	Panhandlers
1	Paper Valley Hotel
1	Parking and surveillance for safety & crime prevention
1	Parking downtown
1	Parking downtown.
1	Parking meters removed
1	Parks
1	Parks and activities for children
1	Parks and recreation programs--costs and options

Count	Response
1	People can build fences
1	People moving here for benefits
1	People say Appleton is a great place to raise a family... To which I respond (when empty nesters), "then what?"
1	Plant more trees
1	Police patrol of College Ave.
1	Positive experiences available for our children
1	Possibly more round-a-bouts for entrance/exit ramps along 41 and 441. (The one at Appleton St. and 441 has eased traffic flow, thankfully.)
1	Poverty and homelessness has increased
1	Preservation and repurposing of historic properties
1	Preservation of land
1	Preserving historic neighborhoods and commercial properties
1	Prices
1	Proliferation of radar at intersections. Why?
1	Promotion of downtown area diversity, events, public art
1	Promotion of local products
1	Property taxes
1	Property upkeep/values (neglected, rundown, abandoned residential and commercial properties)
1	Property values
1	Prostitution
1	Providing support for the homeless/mentally ill in our community
1	Public transit
1	Public transport
1	Public transportation
1	Purposeful growth of transportation network as city grows
1	Push for technical education

Count	Response
1	Quality of life
1	Quit spending money like a drunken sailor
1	RR street crossing repairs
1	Rapid population growth
1	Recognizing and preserving our community history and historical buildings.
1	Recreation
1	Recreation
1	Recreational facilities
1	Redevelop old or unused buildings, parking lots, etc for new developments
1	Redevelopment Needed and rental slums
1	Reducing cost of street repairs to homeowners.
1	Rejuvenating existing buildings
1	Rejuvenation of City Center
1	Renovate library
1	Residents' objections to progress
1	Resources for those in need
1	Respect for the environment. I love the community garden.
1	Retaining talent
1	Reuse of abandoned areas especially Wisconsin Ave & old KMart
1	Revitalization instead of expansion of development is what we need. Preserve natural areas by concentrating on revitalizing previously developed areas.
1	Revitalization of declining areas
1	Revitalizing empty businesses
1	Richmond and Wisconsin Improvements - Old and unattractive
1	Richmond and Wisconsin are looking worse
1	Rising crime rates

Count	Response
1	Rising crime rates in general
1	Road are not safe for bikes
1	Road maintenance/congestion concerns
1	Run down properties driving out respectful homeowners
1	Run down properties make it less attractive for businesses to want to be in Appleton, you are competing because of being afraid of tearing down "historical" buildings - a building is a building and when it's old and outdated it needs to be replaced, nothing lasts forev
1	Rundown houses and building's not attended to
1	Safe pathways for cyclist & pedestrian
1	Safety downtown
1	School System
1	School classroom sizes
1	Schooling
1	Schools
1	Schools
1	Schools being maintained
1	Schools being to full
1	Sewer house connections
1	Sex trafficking
1	Shopping
1	Skateboard regulations becom ing too strict.
1	Slightly worried about uptick in crime
1	Slum lords and quality of rental properties
1	Small businesses
1	Small businesses
1	Snow Removal
1	Socialist agenda, taking away rights of the majority

Count	Response
1	Spend more money on FVTC's computer and manufacturing areas rather than culinary arts
1	Spending money on things to try and look good.
1	Sprawl
1	Spreading the downtown rehabilitation to other parts of the city
1	Stagnant Wages at Rust Belt Industries
1	Stagnation on prime multi story Condo and Multi family mixed Residential/ commercial opportunities in the DownTown areas. mainly off of Lawrence Street, Washington, and Franklin streets as well as in the Valley fair mall area
1	Steril white non culture environment
1	Still continuing to be the loving community and outdoor friendly town it hasn't been lately
1	Stop the bike lanes
1	Stop the public library from being a homeless hangout.
1	Street lights and crime due to street lights
1	Stricter landlord laws to eliminate "slumlords"
1	Strong Businesses
1	Stupid wheel tax
1	Suburban sprawl and urban blight
1	Support for downtown retailers
1	Support quality public education
1	Sustainable retail
1	TAMC will relocate completely to Neenah and the current building will go unused or be negatively repurposed.
1	Tax increase
1	Tax rate
1	Taxes being too expensive
1	Teen violence
1	That agencies and resources for various ages will be part of this
1	That house sit in disrepair

Count	Response
1	That small businesses will not be able to sustain themselves that there is more crime drug dealing etc. all around the Appleton area
1	That we don't maintain roads or city properties
1	That we keep Enough green space for activities in all seasons
1	That we will really push to make this not a good place but a great place
1	That we'll lose some amazing resources, like the Building for Kids and other family friendly venues.
1	The Fox River Mall is pretty lame. There should be better food and better stores and more stuff to do in the mall. It could be a destination for people in the winter. On below zero days you should be go to the mall and spend the day
1	The ability to go to an area and walk to more places
1	The ability to maintain quality Choice Schooling
1	The crime rates
1	The new library
1	The rise of drugs and gang violence in the area.
1	Theft
1	Thefts
1	There are not many vegetarian/vegan/organic restaurants in our area. SAP is great. I wish our area would attract more progressive types.
1	Thompson center
1	To many bars
1	Too many bike lanes
1	Too many empty storefronts downtown.
1	Too many handouts vs training and development
1	Too many low income housing areas drawing in criminals and welfare minded people
1	Too many misplaced/homeless/indigent folks
1	Too many regulations for business and home owners to remodel
1	Too much focus on the arts
1	Too much influence on City by suburban politicians

Count	Response
1	Too much of a tax burden for a homeowner.
1	Top paying jobs
1	Top-down development decisions without comprehensive impact analysis
1	Traffic congestion
1	Traffic congestion
1	Traffic control
1	Traffic from airport to downtown on College Avenue
1	Traffic is a concern. Our roadways were not built with having a city as large as Appleton has become
1	Trails, like the CE, are bare.
1	Transit for children
1	Transportation accommodations i.e. Bike locks
1	Transportation options that do not involve riding in a car. Especially in the outskirts of town.
1	Trying to be too big
1	Unbounded development of river development
1	Unfair tax on condo owner for water run off
1	Unify the Fox Cities. The communities compete with each other and rarely collaborate on anything.
1	Updating infrastructure
1	Updating roads.
1	Urban Sprawl
1	Urban decay
1	Urban sprawl
1	Urbanization of the northland mall area
1	Use of empty buildings
1	Utilization of the river downtown
1	Utilizing and cleaning up river
1	Varied physical activities - golf, swim, walk

Count	Response
1	Vibrant "central city" (the area between Wisconsin Avenue and College Avenue
1	Vital downtown entertainment culture
1	Want big indoor/outdoor waterpark.
1	Wasteland between Appleton & Menasha
1	Wasting time and money on the removal of the city center when I feel there are larger and more pressing issues
1	Water and air quality
1	We do not embrace diversity enough
1	We don't have a senior center paid for with city money!!!!
1	We help our schools help our children excel to the best of their abilities
1	We lack loft style (trendy, stylish) apartments/condos near downtown
1	Welcoming diverse populations
1	Why are we making so many programs to attract people who require more programs
1	Wisconsin Ave lack of businesses
1	Wisconsin Avenue development
1	Wiser use of riverfront with more public access.
1	Work to lower taxes
1	Working with community members to ensure we are a welcoming place for all
1	Would love more cultural opportunities free to the public
1	Youth. There needs to be more services/programming get geared toward troubled youth.
1	a bureaucracy that can be difficult for small business to work with/restrictive to innovation
1	access to downtown parking
1	accessibility
1	affordable housing both apartments and single family homes
1	aggression/discrimination toward minority & LGBT residents
1	aging infrastructure
1	appreciation of nature with parks, walking trails, biking for work and play

Count	Response
1	attracting and retaining talent
1	attracting businesses
1	attracting great businesses that attract great people
1	attracting millennials
1	attractive to people considering relocating to the area
1	bike/walking user friendly
1	building projects when there are vacant properties that can be used, instead of new construction
1	business wanting new and custom buildings, outside the City limits because WI has the "farm" land for it. We need to keep the big business close by
1	care for current infrastructure
1	child "trafficking" at the mall
1	city needing to catch up with such things as adding necessary police officers, firefighters, public works staff, etc.
1	city projects
1	common core curriculum
1	community events
1	constantly try to improve our city in every way for our children. schools neighborhoods jobs for example
1	continuation of our tradition of urban/suburban sprawl
1	continued success
1	continuing to get better in regard to diversity issues, maintaining a welcoming community
1	convention center
1	corruption
1	cost
1	cost of living
1	crime growth
1	crimes and drugs
1	curfew for kids is needed...

Count	Response
1	damaged roads
1	debts
1	decline of air quality
1	decreasing safety
1	delapidated areas
1	deteriorating streets
1	development of the river property
1	development of trails and green space
1	diversity of commercial interests downtown
1	diversity of companies
1	diversity without education
1	dogs in parks
1	downton is not safe after dark
1	downtown
1	downtown parking
1	drinking culture is too strong
1	drug crimes
1	escalating crime rates
1	economic development
1	economic growth
1	economic segregation
1	education funding/lack of
1	employment
1	entertainment along the river- not just Jones Park
1	environmental sustainability
1	get the population to starting following traffic laws

Count	Response
1	good paying jobs
1	growing population
1	high volume of traffic
1	homeless sitting around in kid-friendly events (Thursday Music)
1	homeless/low income issues
1	homelessness
1	inattentative driving
1	income inequality impacts some neighborhoods greatly
1	increasing crime
1	increasingly welcoming diverse people
1	infrastructure including sidewalks, trails, and bike lanes.
1	innovative traffic design
1	jobs and economic development
1	keep Appleton safe-Appleton police seem to be doing a great job
1	keeping it to be rest friendly
1	keeping the city looking well cared for
1	keeping up with recreational programming for children
1	lack of affordable housing
1	lack of culture that attracts professionals and family
1	lack of public involvement
1	lack of support for poor
1	library
1	library stays where it is
1	low-income housing
1	maintain art/cultural centers
1	maintaining large employers

Count	Response
1	maintenance of older, historic buildings downtown (Pferle should step it up)
1	maintenance of our fantastic parks
1	minimal parking meters
1	more use of transit
1	new business growth
1	not changing where we should be changing
1	not enough family friendly places
1	not enough walking paths
1	not many free activities to do in downtown appleton
1	not subsidizing big box stores
1	open spaces for public use
1	parkin
1	parking affecting the shopping climate
1	parking availability
1	parks
1	property taxes
1	public education
1	public safety
1	public transportation
1	quality of schools
1	racism
1	railroad noise nuisance
1	recognition of the common good
1	reduce the low end bars on college ave
1	rehab of existing housing
1	rejuvenation of older buildings to house arts/cultural

Count	Response
1	reliance on major employers
1	rising tax rates
1	riverside development
1	safe school neighborhoods
1	safe schools
1	safety on the roads
1	school system
1	school
1	schools
1	senior citizens unaccommodated
1	small business friendly
1	so much construction
1	sometime at the PAC churches should schedule an evening of their special music
1	state cuts
1	state funding cuts leave streets in need of repair
1	state of infrastructure
1	stop bicycle lanes
1	that my kids and all kids will have the best possible education and educational opportunities
1	that too much focus has shifted to the mall area
1	the city council needs to get their head out of the sand, invest in projects like the new library, and MAKE A DECISION once and a while !!!!
1	the continued heavy herbicide use all over Appleton including green spaces used by waterfowl raising their young and where our children walk and play also getting exposed. Bring prisoners out to weed by hand.
1	the uptick in drug related issues
1	there is not enough affordable non-single family home housing
1	too many assisted living facilities being built
1	too many bars & littering downtown

Count	Response
1	too many bars downtown
1	traffic congestion
1	traffic is not responsive to pedestrian and bike flow
1	traffic jams
1	traffic off of 441 at Calumet and College
1	transition toward green alternatives
1	transportation
1	trying to rebuild downtown
1	turning ghetto ~ nasty living quarters
1	two family homes make for less congregating and gang and drug activity
1	urban sprawl
1	use land wisely
1	vacant buildings in downtown
1	wasteful unnecessary spending
1	white flight
1	winter indoor outdoor activities
1	wisconsin avenue

14. What are your top three hopes for the future of Appleton?

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Count	Response
9	New library
6	new library
5	Less crime
5	Lower taxes
4	Growth
4	More bike lanes
3	Keep building neighborhoods.
3	diversity
3	safety
2	Allow dogs in parks
2	Better roads
2	Continued economic growth
2	Diversity
2	Dogs in parks

Count	Response
2	Keeping it safe
2	Lower property taxes
2	More affordable housing
2	More biking/walking trails
2	More cultural diversity
2	More local businesses
2	New Library
2	New inclusive senior center
2	Safe
2	Safe community
2	Safety
2	more bike lanes
2	new public library
2	safe place to live
1	Fix parking issue so downtown can THEN have a market with delis, fresh salad bars, fresh seafood store, and eateries
1	increased diversity
1	(Oops, I think I was thinking along these lines for the previous question). Wisconsin ave improvement
1	(See concerns list on previous page)
1	A desirable downtown at all hours
1	A bulldozer through Dorothy's deam
1	A city we can all be proud of
1	A design plan will be fore the whole downtown before a new library location is approved
1	A downtown that is home to a wide variety of people
1	A dynamic community where people of all ages want to live

Count	Response
1	A future public library facility. Whether it is brand new or if it moves into another building.
1	A hip downtown
1	A library location where I don't have to PAY to park.
1	A library that is an actual multi-use Center for Families
1	A more pedestrian friendly town
1	A more vibrant cultural scene
1	A new library in a better location
1	A new library with financial support to make it more of a community hub
1	A park and recreation building with space for classes and an indoor park (think
1	A safe community to raise a family
1	A safe place to raise a family
1	A thriving downtown district
1	A variety of safe family spaces, indoor&outdoor
1	A vibrant and cohesive Wisconsin Avenue
1	A vibrant downtown
1	A walkable and bike-able city
1	Active downtown
1	Adding more green spaces and walking/biking areas
1	Affordable attractions. Lord knows the PAC is not affordable.
1	Affordable housing
1	Alcohol free family events
1	All schools to have top education
1	Allowing dogs to use our parks
1	Always remains accepting
1	An improved downtown (parking, library, convention center)
1	Another public pool option, West and East pools are very cold during winter months

Count	Response
1	Appleton North level education for all
1	Appleton actively promotes cultural diversity
1	Appleton remain welcoming to refugees, immigrants, people of color, and LGBT community
1	Appleton roads can get better
1	Appleton we need to become the Santa Fe of the b Appleton we need to become the Santa Fe of the big glass mid west
1	Appleton will be a city known for paying all works (public and private) a living wage
1	Arts
1	Arts & education-oriented
1	Attract young professional families
1	Attracts boutique shopping
1	Beautiful new pulpit library
1	Become a truly welcoming city for everyone.
1	Become attractive to recent college grads as a place to live
1	Become more family friendly for kids of all ages
1	Become more of an outdoors community
1	Become/Continue to be a destination for tourism & business
1	Becoming a more family-friendly environment
1	Becoming a welcoming community for diverse populations
1	Being more green
1	Better Entertainment
1	Better downtown traffic flow.
1	Better engagement with community
1	Better parking downtown.
1	Better parking.
1	Better planning and vision

Count	Response
1	Better preparation for heavy snowfall.
1	Better realtors
1	Better road conditions
1	Better schools
1	Better side streets
1	Better trail system
1	Bigger Museum
1	Bigger airport-more destinations
1	Bigger library
1	Bike and walkways
1	Bike friendly city
1	Bike lanes
1	Bike trails along the fox
1	Boost graduate numbers in Technical and science areas of FVTC.
1	Bring back a senior center
1	Bring in a Trader Joes
1	Bringing higher paying jobs. Employers should be offering adults more than \$10-\$12 an hour.
1	Build excellent library
1	Build that convention center
1	Build up along the river near the locks....this would be a wonderful area for people to walk and enjoy music/meals
1	Building a large fieldhouse capable of hosting large sporting events
1	Building interconnected green spaces that incorporate the riverfront
1	Building of industrial districts
1	Business growth
1	COMPLETE TRESTLE BRIDGE TRAILS

Count	Response
1	Car and bike safety...more law enforcement for no driving and texting.
1	Chickens
1	Citizen safety
1	City minimum wage
1	Clean communities
1	Clean safe neighborhoods
1	Clean up downtown trouble areas.
1	Clean up the rental slums
1	Clean-up water areas
1	Cleaning up some of the neighborhoods-like the Habitat projects
1	Cohesiveness
1	Community
1	Community unity
1	Complete Streets
1	Continue to support and Increase number of small business
1	Conference center on the fox river
1	Coninuation of vital downtown
1	Connect trail systems in North Appleton to rest of Fox Cities
1	Connecting all sides of the city with trails
1	Continuation of good public / police relations
1	Continue a conservative approach to taxation.
1	Continue great education in our schools
1	Continue high quality of life for all residents (crime/services/costs/jobs/businesses/recreation)
1	Continue improving
1	Continue moving forward as you have been doing.
1	Continue to be a Safe City to raise a family in

Count	Response
1	Continue to be a great place to raise a family
1	Continue to be a safe community
1	Continue to be a safe place, great to raise children.
1	Continue to build arts and culture to keep appleton appealing to younger generations
1	Continue to focus on education to sustain future
1	Continue to grow
1	Continue to grow as safe place to live
1	Continue to grow festivals in downtown area
1	Continue to keep our downtown vibrant
1	Continue to maintain its reputation as a great, safe community to live in!
1	Continue to provide good schools.
1	Continue to see downtown blossom into a thriving arts/dining/retail center
1	Continue to stay ahead of the curve when addressing aging utility infrastructure (so far, so good)
1	Continued BUSINESS growth to being in new jobs
1	Continued Focus on revitalization efforts
1	Continued Safety
1	Continued development of the arts
1	Continued downtown events
1	Continued great schools
1	Continued growth
1	Continued growth and economic activity in downtown Appleton with the development of the convention center
1	Continued growth of cultural and educational opportunities
1	Continued growth of the farmers market
1	Continued importance on the arts
1	Continued living-wage employment opportunities

Count	Response
1	Continued quality parks
1	Continued quality public schools
1	Continued safety
1	Continued safety for all
1	Continued small business strength
1	Continued small business success
1	Continued strong public schools
1	Continued use of Downtown
1	Continued/expanded focus on unique art and multicultural experiences, especially downtown
1	Continues to be a place people want to come
1	Continues to be family friendly with free or low cost kids/family activities
1	Continues to boom in South appleton
1	Continuing development focused on keeping young talent in Appleton
1	Continuing low crime rate
1	Continuted Safe Neighborhoods
1	Convention center
1	Create more jobs within local businesses
1	Creating a safe, welcoming, inclusive community
1	Creative housing options for middle/high income retired baby boomers
1	Crime rate reduction
1	Crime rates stay low
1	Crime stays low.
1	DESTINATION choice for retail!
1	Decrease the focus on drinking as a social activity in downtown Appleton
1	Decreased medical costs
1	Denser residential population downtown

Count	Response
1	Develop Wisconsin Avenue!
1	Development
1	Developing along the Fox River for families to enjoy. (A lot more developing.)
1	Development near the river
1	Development of convention center
1	Development of tourism
1	Diverse and inclusive
1	Diversity
1	Diversity being fully recognized and accepted
1	Diversity education/be more welcoming.
1	Diversity without racism
1	Diversity/Inclusion
1	Dog friendly parks
1	Dogs allowed in all parks
1	Dogs allowed in public parks
1	Don't want it to get so big
1	Downtown situation is settled
1	Dramatically increased representation of people of color and LGBTQ+ in the populace.
1	Easier public transit
1	Economic growth
1	Economic growth (employers, jobs, population).
1	Educating Community thru multi cultural events
1	Emergence of identity based and nurtured on local culture
1	Emphasis on visual arts and architecture
1	Employment
1	Enough affordable housing for everyone

Count	Response
1	Entrepreneurship encouraged.
1	Equalized public school quality
1	Equity of opportunity
1	Erb park pool to continue its current plans
1	Erb pool - include rentalable spaces for bday parties etc
1	Establish (German type) Christmas market downtown
1	Everyone feels welcome
1	Excercise trails throughout downtown area
1	Expand cultural offerings
1	Expansion of Downtown both North and South to the River (beyond College Avenue)
1	Family Friendly
1	Feel safe
1	Feeling a sense of community
1	Filling the empty store fronts/businesses throughout the city.
1	Fix many more roads
1	Flourishing entertainment district
1	Flourishing small businesses
1	Focus on micro business
1	Focus on safety first
1	For Everyone to have an Advance Directive.
1	For an outdoor gym park to be built (like fritsch park in Menasha)
1	For it to retain the friendly, small-town feel.
1	Forward thinking
1	Fox Cities PAC continues to offer a wide variety of programs.
1	Fox River area rejuvenation
1	Fox river locks development completed

Count	Response
1	Free Wifi city wide
1	Free city buses
1	Free city-wide wifi
1	Friendly, safe, inviting community
1	Gangs gone
1	Gay friendly city
1	Get rid of the drug problem
1	Get rid of the round a bouts
1	Get rid of wheel tax
1	Give creative professionals live/work space
1	Go down W. College or W. Wisconsin Ave without stopping at every stoplight
1	Great neighborhood
1	Great quality of life continues
1	Great schools
1	Greater access and use of river
1	Greater diversity representation
1	Greater inclusivity
1	Growing community
1	Growth
1	Growth as a destination for music and the arts
1	Growth of manufacturing jobs
1	Having a beautiful facility for all the programs for aging/disability
1	Having an infectious community feel
1	Healthy population
1	Help for those struggling
1	High community engagement (farmers market, fireworks, mile of music, etc.)

Count	Response
1	Higher ends foods
1	Homeless off the streets
1	Hope it stays competitive in commercial areas
1	Hope to keep bringing festivals and culture to the area.
1	Housing
1	I have access to daily needs either by walking or biking
1	I hope crime does not increase. Seems like we are getting more criminal activity here.
1	I hope the Appleton and the surrounding communities can continue to work together to develop the Fox Valley
1	I hope the city continues to expand in the arts.
1	I hope the convention center is not a disaster
1	I hope to see a rejuvenation of businesses
1	I hope to see more public art.
1	I visual and inspirational plan of what's possible used to attract people and business
1	I want the city to create a balance among residential, retail, and recreation.
1	I would like to see more of the residents gravitate back towards downtown and away from the box stores by the highway.
1	I'm hoping it can be a more pleasant and fun city
1	Improve school system and lower class size
1	Improved Bike Trails
1	Improved Park Safety - I've found needles under benches...
1	Improvement to parks
1	Inclusion
1	Inclusive community
1	Inclusive for all types of people
1	Increase in small business development and usage
1	Increase in the number of non-alcoholic community events

Count	Response
1	Increased Arts and Cultural Opportunities
1	Increased Downtown Development
1	Increased biking accessibility
1	Increased development downtown (convention center, library, businesses, etc)
1	Increased diversity
1	Increased growth
1	Increased population
1	Increased tourism
1	Independent restaurants - I'd love to see me unique offerings
1	Integrate/repurpose existing beautiful buildings into future development
1	Investment in Parks
1	It continues to be a growing and prosperous city
1	It continues to develop as an art and music mecca in the midwest, a destination.
1	It's Perfect
1	It's hopeless
1	Keep Small Town Atmosphere.
1	Keep crime rate low
1	Keep it going, I love living here.
1	Keep renewing as properties decline
1	Keep safe. Crime seems to be rising.
1	Keep strong schools
1	Keep the friendly atmosphere among city employees
1	Keep the high standard of education
1	Keeping city safe
1	Keeping honey bees in city limits
1	Keeping the small town feel

Count	Response
1	Large convention center
1	Larger attractions
1	Larger integration of the natural elements (River, woods, etc)
1	Less Criminal activity
1	Less bars
1	Less emphasis on bar culture in downtown
1	Less growth (stay small)
1	Less low income housing/run down rentals
1	Less welfare programs
1	Library
1	Library & meeting/rec space
1	Library on the plot of land they voted not to allocate for it
1	Lock system fully operational
1	Long time residents accept newcomers
1	Lots of citizens getting involved in the community
1	Low cost of living for all families
1	Low crime
1	Lower Taxes
1	Lower crime
1	Lower crime
1	Lower crime rates
1	Lower crime, graffiti, etc (add cameras on trails, foot bridges, etc)
1	Maintain charms while becoming more vibrant
1	Maintain crime rate and security.
1	Maintain eclectic mid size city feel
1	Maintain full occupancy on College Avenue.

Count	Response
1	Maintain level of safety (downtown, neighborhoods, etc)
1	Maintaining a clean and progressive place to live
1	Maintaining our quality of life as we grow
1	Maintaining schools
1	Maintaining the natural beauty and cleanliness of the city
1	Maintains the old homes
1	Medical Marijuana decriminalization and tolerance
1	Mixed-use Development downtown
1	Morality
1	More Communication and involvement with citizens
1	More Summer Concerts
1	More Tall buildings downtown
1	More access to the riverfront
1	More accessible for when live music at bars and stuff is going on
1	More activities for family
1	More activities, events
1	More and more personal neighborhood connections
1	More areas like Houdini Plaza
1	More art
1	More art opportunities/exposure
1	More bike and ped infrastructure
1	More bike lanes and trails
1	More bike lanes in town and biking and walking trails along the river
1	More bike lanes!
1	More biking/walking
1	More bus routes outside of the city limits

Count	Response
1	More business
1	More businesses
1	More collaboration
1	More community events. Like waterfest in Oshkosh
1	More companies headquartered in downtown appleton
1	More culture
1	More density
1	More diversity
1	More dog friendlgy events
1	More dog friendly parks
1	More dog friendly parks/locations
1	More downtown develolment
1	More downtown development
1	More downtown/neighborhood retail
1	More eat outs
1	More events
1	More events and things to do
1	More family events
1	More focus on Downtown
1	More good paying jobs
1	More good paying jobs return
1	More high paying jobs.
1	More housing options for low income.
1	More integration of art throughout the city, like murals
1	More job growth
1	More kid friendly activities

Count	Response
1	More kids outside and independent
1	More locally owned businesses and less chains on the south side
1	More major employers within the city (so people aren't leaving Appleton to go to work)
1	More mixed use neighborhoods
1	More music
1	More natural and health food stores such as whole foods
1	More neighborhood shops/grocery stores
1	More of a hip feel with Wisconsin avenue
1	More offerings for senior citizens - especially near downtown
1	More open acceptance of LGBT community members
1	More open community space
1	More parking
1	More parks on East side
1	More pedestrian and bicycle friendly areas
1	More physical fitness orientation
1	More recreational trails
1	More senior housing
1	More shops, restaurants
1	More small businesses
1	More sustainable
1	More swimming pools
1	More tourism. Love seeing everything we have for out of towners
1	More trails throughout city
1	More unique food options
1	More unique small businesses
1	More walking areas w/shoppes

Count	Response
1	More welcoming. "Welcome to Appleton, don't park here."
1	Mountain bike trails and jumps.
1	NEW LIBRARY!
1	NO MORE BIKE LANES
1	Neighborhood development and connection
1	New Erb Pool
1	New Library
1	New business opportunities
1	New businesses
1	New direction in the athletic departments at both East and West.
1	New high school for Appleton East
1	New library on the bluff site including a downtown that attracts Millennials.
1	New library/exhibition center/ and more trees
1	New mayor
1	No more bike lanes
1	No parking meters downtown
1	North side pool in addition to Erb and Mead, not a replacement
1	Not to be known as drunkest city
1	Old houses to be restored
1	One of the top places to live in the nation. Clean, healthy, entertaining, and proud to call home.
1	Options for rental and condos within walking distance of downtown
1	Our downtown will continue to thrive and attract a variety of businesses.
1	Overall safety
1	Parks
1	Parks continue to be well-kept for families
1	Pesticide/Herbicide elimination in parks

Count	Response
1	Political civility
1	Pools
1	Population
1	Population growth
1	Positive community connections
1	Positive growth
1	Preservation of historical buildings
1	Preservation of land
1	Primarily for our police dept to keep Appleton safe. They are doing a great job and as our city grows we still feel like we are generally safe living here.
1	Progress
1	Progressive library services and building
1	Progressive public transit
1	Quality of Life
1	Rebuild the trust and safety of the city.
1	Rec Complex Center
1	Recognize that historic neighborhoods need to preserved and prokoted
1	Recognizing LU for the gem it is
1	Redevelopment
1	Redevelopment of Paper Valley hotel
1	Reduce crime
1	Reduce homelessness
1	Reinvestment in "green" water front public spaces.
1	Rejuvenate declining neighborhoods
1	Rejuvenate older neighborhoods
1	Rejuvenate the flats

Count	Response
1	Rejuvenation of the downtown
1	Remain a safe community
1	Remains safe for all citizens
1	Remodel some grade schools
1	Remodel the old library.
1	Repurposing what we already have
1	Retains a small city "feel"
1	Reuse old buildings
1	Revamp Wisconsin Ave to be a place to go
1	Revitalize
1	Revitalize downtown.
1	River Walk development
1	River front development
1	Riverfront
1	Riverfront development
1	Safe Community
1	Safe clean public spaces
1	Safe for my children to play
1	Safe neighborhoods
1	Safer downtown
1	Safer infrastructure to WELCOME AND ENCOURAGE active transportation
1	Safer, lower crime rate
1	Safer/nicer Wisconsin ave
1	Safety continues
1	Safety for my children
1	Safety in certain neighborhoods

Count	Response
1	Safety in downtown and surrounding areas
1	Safety! Gun control laws.
1	Saftey
1	Same as above
1	Same as concerns
1	Sare at night
1	See more visible warning signs in school zones
1	See residents take better advantage of the unbelievable arts and cultural opportunities of Lawrence
1	Senior center
1	Senor Center development
1	Shiny new library as community center
1	Sidewalks
1	Small neighborhood libraries (good use of empty retail space)
1	Small retail business support and expansion
1	Smart spending to bring more people to downtown
1	Someone fixes inefficient street light timing
1	Special Ed in schools
1	Stay inclusive and diverse like we are
1	Stays beautiful
1	Stays safe, low crime
1	Steady, smart growth.
1	Stop train horns
1	Strong educational system
1	Strong property values
1	Strong property values in older neighborhoods around downtown
1	Strong schools

Count	Response
1	Stronger downtown
1	Stronger sense of community
1	Stronger young professionals community
1	Success of small businesses
1	Successful Expo Center
1	Support senior centers/programs.
1	Sustainability
1	Take care and upkeep of the water,sewer,road/street and power systems now in place
1	Taxpayers being truly listened to.
1	Tech hub
1	Technology related companies will start or re-locate here.
1	Tennis court Highview park
1	That Appleton becomes more eclectic and has more to offer
1	That a competent person with a differt vision than Hanna will run for Mayor
1	That diversity continues to grow and be honored
1	That drugs do not become as bad here as in other near cities.
1	That everyone will receive an education that has the potential to Improve their economic status
1	That it doesn't go down the same path that happened to Milwaukee.
1	That it is Welcoming, just and inclusive
1	That it stimulates my mind, more arts
1	That it will become a more cosmopolitan area
1	That it will continue to grow in diversity
1	That it will stay as safe as it is.
1	That more neighborhoods will contain a mix of housing for affluent and low income families.
1	That my kids will want to live here when they grow up.
1	That our downtown area spreading outwards looks classy Not like a ghetto of Chicago

Count	Response
1	That people recognize how unique and great this city is
1	That the arts are a big focus
1	That the city will be mindful of the residents and residential areas and not just the economic development, i.e. development of projects without looking at the impact it has on surrounding neighborhoods and it's residents.
1	That the restrictions on raising chickens, bee's and rabbits be changed to allow people to be more self-sufficient.
1	That vacant, unused buildings around town would be repurposed for local businesses.
1	That we can be a model community of how to help children get a good early start. We cannot tolerate the high rate of poverty in early childhood.
1	That we continue to be a diverse welcoming city
1	That we will become a leader in environmental sustainability
1	That we will soon see our new library
1	That we would not be the top drinking city in America !
1	The Portland of the Midwest
1	The citizens may someday realize the value of a state of the art Library
1	The city begins to support public art including more murals..
1	The city will continue to be a fine place to live and raise children
1	The clean up and restoration of empty buildings
1	The commercial and recreational zoning in the Eagle flats to actually break ground soon.
1	The downtown continues to be a primary focus
1	The same as my only concern. If Appleton got its own gigabit broadband service, it'd both help citizens and businesses escape the monopoly that is cable companies which have zero incentive to upgrade their services dramatically due to the lack of competition. Having an affordable option will also help bring money into the city over time.
1	Thriving downtown
1	Thriving downtown that includes major employers (like in City Center), not just small businesses
1	Thriving welcoming diversity
1	To be more liberal/less classism and racism.
1	To grow into a larger city

Count	Response
1	To keep crime down in area
1	To keep everything clean
1	To keep the hometown feel
1	To keep up with the tech sector to keep Appleton on the forefront
1	To maintain its safety.
1	To remain one of the best places to raise a family because of the affordability, the safety, and the community/programs available
1	To see a local grocer in the downtown area
1	Top medical care for the area
1	Traffic congestion
1	Trails
1	Trails/paths
1	Transition to sustainable business and infrastructures
1	Unique events
1	Up-to-date and state of the art library that can focus on community learning and engagement productively
1	Urban sprawl will be stopped
1	Viable, vibrant downtown
1	Vibrant and commercially successful downtown
1	Vibrant community with amenities
1	Vibrant restaurant area
1	Waterfront development
1	Wayfindings
1	We can focus less on cars and more on people
1	We can regionalize area emergency services, ie, fire
1	We develop into a pedestrian friendly community
1	We see more diversity in our community

Count	Response
1	We will continue to develop local businesses first and huge chain retailers come last
1	We will continue to develop the river to bring in tourism, housing and recreation.
1	We will finally get a convention center
1	We will lead the way in permanent solutions for these concerns based on collaborations and partnerships between business, social service agencies and government
1	Welcoming environment
1	Welcoming environment for all
1	Whole Foods store
1	Wisconsin Ave gets rejuvenated
1	Wisconsin Ave. developed as secondary gathering place (like Brady St. in Milwaukee or Willy St. in Madison)
1	Without my concerns being addressed not much hope.
1	Would like even more community events
1	You can live here without using a car.
1	Young people living in downtown brings more amenities
1	Young people will choose to move here
1	Youth
1	a better "business sense" within Community Development Department
1	a community center that is welcoming and affordable
1	a community garden downtown
1	a neighborhood park
1	a new library
1	a place with good jobs
1	active bustling downtown
1	adequate police and fire protection
1	anti-racism
1	apartments/condos downtown

Count	Response
1	appleton begins to make decisions that are as forward thinking as we like to think we are
1	appreciation of diversity
1	arena
1	assimilation by emigres
1	attract diverse families
1	be a destination for art/culture/business
1	better infrastructure
1	better roads
1	better street system
1	bigger and become more of a destination
1	bike trail from north appleton to downtown
1	bring tech / new business through incubation efforts
1	build convention building
1	build up college ave
1	city keeps getting more ethnically diverse
1	clean water to drink
1	consistency in building
1	continue to prosper
1	continued growth of public charter schools
1	continued park programs
1	continued safety
1	continued vitality of downtown
1	continues to be a safe community to live, work and play
1	create a riverwalk and bike trail system intergrated throught the valley
1	creating job opportunities that attract young professionals
1	curb gangs

Count	Response
1	decreased wasteful spending
1	developed school areas
1	diversity/acceptance
1	downtown
1	downtown businesses will thrive
1	downtown stays united
1	education
1	enhance/maintain downtown
1	enviromental sustainability
1	equality
1	erb park pool
1	expansion of farmers market
1	family friendly
1	feeling safe on trails
1	filled buildings
1	fox river development
1	free parking at the library
1	future technology
1	get drug dealers off the streets
1	good honest police dept
1	greater alignment between non-profits
1	grows more diverse
1	growth
1	growth witho ut sprawl
1	i hope for responsible spending
1	improve ease of new business development

Count	Response
1	improve public transport
1	improved racial relations
1	improvement in downtown neighborhoods
1	increased integration of all races and religions
1	increased understanding and priority of diversity
1	keep downtown Appleton vital
1	keep downtown growing and the business choices varied
1	keep taxes low
1	keep the small town feel
1	keeps its identity
1	leadership
1	less bike lanes
1	less crime
1	less non profits
1	less political correctness
1	library
1	limited growth
1	lively downtown
1	lower crime
1	lower taxes
1	lower taxes
1	maintain neighborhoods
1	maintained quality of schools
1	maintaining or improving our school system
1	more art
1	more attractions

Count	Response
1	more bike friendly
1	more bike lanes/path connections
1	more biking lanes
1	more concerts
1	more diversity in population
1	more dog friendly
1	more downtown businesses
1	more events like Mile of Music that bring people together - parades do that too. Would love to see a 4th of July celebration downtown.
1	more family friendly
1	more family friendly events
1	more friendly
1	more green space
1	more growth
1	more healthy restaurants
1	more help for disable/elderly
1	more housing options downtown
1	more is done for the safety of the future
1	more more frequent outside drinking fountains, outdoor recreation options
1	more nature-based recreational outlets
1	more neighborhoods for middle class
1	more public art
1	more shops and restaurants on the river
1	more small business
1	more socially conservative government
1	more walking/bike paths

Count	Response
1	new expo center
1	new library on the bluff
1	new library/community center
1	new/updated library
1	no more panhandling, illegal activity by the transit center
1	no more traffic circles
1	people trying to start new businesses
1	pocket neighborhoods
1	progressive
1	public resources of the highest level for all
1	public schools remain high quality
1	redevelopment near downtown
1	redo school districting
1	reduced taxes
1	rejuvenation of small business
1	remains vibrant
1	renovated downtown library
1	reuse library or city center-YES library!
1	revitalization of downtown
1	riverfront accessibility
1	riverfront development
1	safe place to raise children
1	safe, connected neighborhoods
1	safer
1	safer streets
1	seeking and celebrating diversity

Count	Response
1	shopping dining destination in NE WI
1	stay a nice place to live
1	steady taxes
1	stop rsil noise
1	strong development
1	strong downtown
1	strong local businesses
1	strong support of public schools
1	sustainable practices
1	taxes held in check
1	that ALL the peoples feel safe
1	that it continues to be a community that strives for safety.
1	that our city will not have troubles with homelessness
1	that the downtown remains economically vibrant
1	that we be a lively connected community looking to help and serve our neighbors
1	to be prosperous
1	to grow
1	to not get too big
1	to remain a safe community
1	turn lawrence into uw appleton
1	understanding mental illness
1	updated library
1	very limited vacancies downtown
1	we stop fearing new development

2:

friendly
 city public
 library
 continued
 community

Count	Response
3	Better roads
3	Reduce the availability of alcohol in public places and around young people.
3	new library
2	Diversity
2	Don't take away downtown parking
2	Economic growth
2	Library
2	Lower taxes
2	More bike lanes
2	More family activities
2	More green spaces
2	Safety
2	Trader Joes
2	less new land development
2	safety
1	The community that is tolerant and embraces diversity
1	a court system where judges are held accountable and monitored to ensure they follow judicial code and wisconsin and state constitution in their rulings and treatment of families and individuals seeking justice.

Count	Response
1	55 and older neighborhoods
1	A community less dependent on cars
1	A distinct focus on battling systemic racism in the community and attracting diverse community members to the area, enriching our lives and our cultural expressions and heritage
1	A downtown that encourages active lifestyles and making everything walkable and bikeable
1	A larger variety of things to do
1	A more sustained economic landscape
1	A new library downtown with mix-use; store, office, etc.
1	A new library in central downtown
1	A new library that meets community needs
1	A new showcase library
1	A place for local and small business to thrive
1	A place that stays safe and community oriented.
1	A place to raise a family safely
1	A regionally- or nationally-recognized beautiful, new public library.
1	A safer area for the library
1	A safer, updated library - Can be greatly improved by relocating the bus route or by relocated the library away from the main bus stop
1	A transit system that useful for all
1	Ability for them to walk freely to school without the fear of those around her
1	Acceptance
1	Active riverfront with retail, residential & recreational options
1	Additional schools or remodels to accommodate
1	Adequate police for population
1	Affordable summer daycare when school is out of session.
1	Allowing Grand Chute to become resident price, like menasha and neenah already are considered and get resident prices.

Count	Response
1	An outdoor Olympic size pool
1	An upswing in neighborhoods - taking care of lawns and repairs needed
1	Animal friendly
1	Annexation of the other Fox Cities
1	Appleton dog park
1	Appleton will continue to be a family friendly city
1	Appleton will restore most of it's older homes and use them for a variety of purposes
1	Appleton would be more dog friendly
1	Arts & Culture
1	At least five more bars downtown. 289 isn't enough
1	Attract Quality health care providers
1	Attract high level jobs
1	Attract new companies with young employees.
1	Attract young talent
1	Attracting more young people and families to the area
1	Attracting national chain stores to boost economy
1	Avoiding bad areas of the city/drugs...letting some neighborhoods go to pot
1	Be mindful of history and historic buildings
1	Be the flagship city of the Fox Cities, bringing together communities and being recognized more nationally.
1	Beautification of city
1	Beautiful corridors leading to our downtown
1	Become a city that attracts young professionals.
1	Become more pet friendly and current
1	Become walkable city, pedestrian friendly
1	Becomes known for Mile of Music
1	Becoming more bike friendly

Count	Response
1	Being a safe city to live
1	Better business incentives
1	Better care for the poor
1	Better diverse food
1	Better downtown parking
1	Better employment opportunities
1	Better entertainment
1	Better land use
1	Better maintenance/hours of operation of pools
1	Better parks
1	Better planning for pedestrian and bicycle traffic, less emphasis on cars
1	Better police force
1	Better public transit
1	Better rated schools.
1	Better road conditions
1	Better school options without common core and private schools having smaller class sizes
1	Better school ranking
1	Better shopping
1	Better streets
1	Better use of riverfront
1	Better utilization of the river
1	Better/eclectic stores
1	Bigger city amenities
1	Bigger, better library
1	Bike friendky
1	Bike friendly destination.

Count	Response
1	Bike/walking trail upgrades
1	Bring in new businesses.
1	Build a new library. Think about the Thompson center location, but with a new building
1	Build that library
1	Building revitalization & building upgrades/ clean up downtown storefronts
1	Business growth
1	Business strength
1	Cheaper housing
1	Clean
1	Clean up West College Ave
1	Clean up the Fox River.
1	Clean up the cheap housing and apartments. These attract trouble people. We don't need "slums".
1	Clean water ways
1	Cleaner streets and sidewalks, especially downtown
1	Closer ties between Lawrence and Appleton
1	College Avenue has less traffic and more pedestrian activity, even some patios in front of current restaurants
1	Compassionate city
1	Connect more to the riverfront.
1	Connected and expanding hiking/biking trails to neighboring cities
1	Connecting parks along the river with trails.
1	Connecting the river corridor/parks
1	Connection between the river and college ave
1	Connections across cultures, socioeconomics, ages, levels of educational attainment and politics
1	Construction goes faster
1	Continue Resident Input

Count	Response
1	Continue the high level of resident involvement in the community (we have so many individuals who take personal responsibility to improve the community)
1	Continue the mile of music event
1	Continue to Increase arts and community events
1	Continue to attract contemporary entertainment to tavern district
1	Continue to be a hot spot for healthcare leaders from around the country and world to learn about lean in healthcare
1	Continue to be an affordable place, relative to other popular urban areas throughout WI
1	Continue to be family friendly
1	Continue to bring big city life to our small city
1	Continue to evolve downtown Appleton
1	Continue to focus on the environment and having shared public spaces that are safe and accessible
1	Continue to provide good parks.
1	Continue to work on Wisconsin Ave to rejuvenate that area.
1	Continued Growth of Downtown Business & Events
1	Continued Support for the Arts
1	Continued business development
1	Continued dedication to improving downtown
1	Continued desire for millennials to reside and move here
1	Continued development of an Appleton cultural scene
1	Continued development of the arts
1	Continued downtown rejuvenation
1	Continued downtown shopping events.
1	Continued emphasis on "destination" development (e.g. Mile of Music)
1	Continued emphasis on arts and music
1	Continued excellent education
1	Continued excellent park system

Count	Response
1	Continued family friendly community
1	Continued great parks
1	Continued growth of arts and culture events throughout the city
1	Continued growth of diverse arts & culture
1	Continued growth of entertainment/cultural/arts programs
1	Continued improvement of public use of the waterfront areas
1	Continued investments reduce poverty
1	Continued involvement in Appleton festivals, i.e., Mile of Music, Octoberfest, etc.
1	Continued low crime
1	Continued more mile of music type of festivals
1	Continued park and rec quality
1	Continued positive development along riverfront
1	Continued promotion of healthy lifestyles and outdoor activities
1	Continued safety
1	Continued support for and success of PAC
1	Continued support of education
1	Continued trail connections and more access to them
1	Continues to be safe and secure
1	Continuing an emphasis on the arts
1	Continuing strength and excitement around downtown
1	Continuing to expand on the "things to do" in Appleton-have seen great improvements in recent years and love it!
1	Continuing to have safe neighborhoods especially for our children
1	Continuing to promote local business
1	Convention Center
1	Create a more appealing public transportation option (not just the Valley Transit which is dirty and for the most part transports homeless and less fortunate).

Count	Response
1	Culture
1	Culture and Arts - I'd love to see continued developments. The Fox Cities P.A.C. is such a valuable asset!
1	Cut the City spending money we don't have
1	Develop more green spaces
1	Develop the riverfront, do away with the old generalization that the Fox River is yucky
1	Develop year round (indoor) swimming pools.
1	Develop/add bike rental stations
1	Development in the flats (by the bottom of Tallulah) to bring more business to that area
1	Development of river corridor
1	Diverse, accepting & family-friendly.
1	Downtown housing is maintained
1	Downtown continues to have attractive events in warmer seasons, some businesses offer great options in winter months
1	Downtown remains a destination and upkeep well
1	Downtown to be kept up & empty stores reused
1	Easier parking in downtown
1	Economic Development Projects
1	Economic growth
1	Economic prosperity
1	Education levels improve
1	Educational standards raised
1	Embrace diversity
1	Emphasis walking trails along the river
1	Enabling out teachers to give our kids the best education possible
1	Enhance schools
1	Entertainment

Count	Response
1	Entertainment/nightlife
1	Erb park pool to be built successfully
1	Erb park pools AND splash pad
1	Exits off of Interstate 41 need to be changed. Oshkosh seems to be more progressive than Appleton and we are a larger, more progressive city than Oshkosh.
1	Expand diversity
1	Expand downtown (More restaurants and businesses spread from College Ave)
1	Expand highway 41 on north part of Appleton to green bay
1	Expand the existing Library!
1	Expansion of Appleton's in town business
1	Fairer cost allocation for street improvements
1	Family friendly
1	Family friendly restaurants
1	Fewer gangs and less drugs
1	First class schools
1	Fix roads
1	Focus on the quality education system we have and support its efforts to be the best it can be
1	Foot traffic friendly areas
1	For people of other cultures to feel safe and appreciated in Appleton
1	Free downtown parking all the time
1	Free parking
1	Free parking downtown to encourage shoppers & diners
1	Friendlier community leaders
1	Friendly bike paths
1	Future airport development.
1	Get drugs off of the street

Count	Response
1	Good education
1	Good schools
1	Great place for people to move to
1	Great public schools
1	Great reputation for place to live
1	Greater diversity and support for people from diverse cultures/ethnicities
1	Greater sense of community, pride across borders
1	Greatly expanded bike/rec trails
1	Green infrastructure
1	Green space
1	Green space and a continual commitment to the parks department
1	Grocery store in downtown Appleton
1	Grow but not lose the friendly neighborhoods
1	Grow the arts and music
1	Growing job opportunities
1	Grows
1	Growth of downtown new large business building
1	Growth, but maintaining a small town feel
1	Guarantee of clean air and water
1	Harmony among diversity
1	Healthy downtown
1	High appreciation of the arts
1	High quality public education
1	Highlight of location on river
1	Hope Appleton has not been outpaced by smaller communities in making downtown vibrant a
1	Hope we have a convention center to draw bigger meetings, conferences and attractions.

Count	Response
1	Hopeful that the city addresses the growing elder population; health and fitness activities for seniors
1	Hopefully parks are updated with bigger and better playground equipment
1	Hospitals and EMS continues to be strong, and police cooperate with neighboring police
1	Housing for active retirees
1	I hope the city gets more diverse.
1	I hope the investment in the community continues to be a priority and we move away from the idea that a city government should not spend any money
1	I hope to see thriving businesses looking to come downtown
1	I hope to see unused eyesore buildings be revamped for community uses.
1	I want the city to build a new library that is responsive to the needs of users.
1	I would love a concert hall like The Rave in Milwaukee.
1	Improve our schools with the best teachers available
1	Improve partnership between local universities and colleges to embrace innovation and millennials in the workplace.
1	Improved Public transit to facilitate longer bus line hours of operation.
1	Improved Wisconsin Avenue business district
1	Improved transportation/streets
1	Improving our public school with EQUAL treatment for all the schools.
1	Inclusive of neighborhoods, livability beyond college ave
1	Incorporation of surrounding communities
1	Increase in entertainment venues
1	Increase public access to water areas
1	Increased diverse business owners
1	Increased school funding
1	Increased tolerance for diversity
1	Increased transportation
1	Increased walkability/parking

Count	Response
1	Indoor park. McDonalds and the mall are terrible options for kids and winter is long.
1	Interesting music venues
1	Is attractive to employers
1	It doesn't grow too big and lose its' appeal
1	It gains more recognition amongst other midwestern cities
1	It will have more growth for jobs
1	Jobs
1	Keep gang warfare out of area
1	Keep it a safe city.
1	Keep neighborhoods beautiful. Promote individual responsibility and self-motivation.
1	Keep offering all we offer (park and rec etc
1	Keep parks, both large & small, with various activities & not just green space
1	Keep rejuvenating downtown
1	Keep small town feel
1	Keep traffic reasonable
1	Keep up properties
1	Keeping chickens in city limits
1	Keeping crime low
1	Keeping crime to a minimum
1	Keeping the music & art scene alive
1	Land on Water St.(by the river) be make into park/green space area
1	Large city amenities, small city atmosphere
1	Larger effort to maintain historical character.
1	Law enforcement remains at a professional level
1	Less 'sports bars'
1	Less bars and more sober entertainment

Count	Response
1	Less crime
1	Less emphasis on drinking and bars in downtown appleton
1	Less focus on alcohol
1	Less homelessness
1	Less homelessness
1	Less reliance on personal vehicles
1	Less suburban areas and more urban ones
1	Less transients
1	Less union involvement with public education.
1	Less violence
1	Liberal mayor
1	Library and senior center combo
1	Library that is in a safe easy to access location.
1	Library update
1	Limit growth.
1	Living wage jobs
1	Locally sourced food options and small business
1	Lose the focus on bars and drinking, and embrace the cultural art scene
1	Lots of opportunity
1	Love the downtown
1	Love the small town feel even though we are getting bigger
1	Low crime rate
1	Low income housing
1	Lower healthcare costs
1	Lower water bills
1	Maintain good parks

Count	Response
1	Maintain library plant area
1	Maintain or increase diversity
1	Maintain parks
1	Maintain the small town feel despite being a big town
1	Maintaining a safe environment
1	Maintaining our property tax levels
1	Maintaining parks and trails
1	Maintaining the existing housing stock south of Wisconsin --- it's becoming dilapidated fast. If you want a vibrant downtown, you need to keep this area up.
1	Make our city beautiful again
1	Make the entire city looking as nice as downtown.
1	Making Appleton a quiet zone for trains
1	Making it easy to live without a car
1	Maybe more grants or loans to incentivize them improving their property/business. Have you seen the trashy trash buildings on Wisconsin Avenue? Most of those family businesses have no idea the resources available to them to help their businesses (SCORE, for example). It is my hope that someday Appleton is beautified and economically strong business to business (Support local business WAAAAYYY more)
1	Mayor Hanna Rocks
1	Min wage rate hike to \$15.
1	Minimum wage keeps moving forward and up
1	More Greenspace
1	More Parks/Recs activities
1	More Revitalization of downtown - housing, grocery, shopping
1	More Small Business
1	More active downtown
1	More activities
1	More affordable private school options
1	More and better mental health services

Count	Response
1	More art
1	More available transportation options
1	More beauty
1	More bicycle/public work commute from community
1	More bike lanes and bike parking downtown
1	More bike lanes downtown
1	More bike options
1	More bike trails and lanes
1	More bike trails, lanes
1	More bike trailshop on East side
1	More bike walking trails
1	More businesses locating in downtown
1	More careers
1	More childcare options - including drop-in options that are sorely lacking right now
1	More community involvement
1	More condo housing near downtown for empty nesters
1	More convenient parking
1	More conventions
1	More creative "trendy" housing
1	More development along the river front
1	More development along the water
1	More development of business and housing
1	More dining choices on College closer to Lawrence University
1	More diverse business's downtown
1	More diversity and culture
1	More dog friendly

Count	Response
1	More economic development
1	More efficient services for yard and home waste and recycling
1	More emphasis on utilizing the River as a place to learn, enjoy and entertain
1	More events at PAC
1	More events like the art walks, etc.
1	More family activities
1	More festivals-make Appleton a destination place for visitors
1	More fitness trails for walking, jogging, or biking.
1	More free events for families
1	More gated housing complexes
1	More growth
1	More help for the homeless .
1	More incentives for businesses
1	More involvement in local government
1	More knowledge of any event last going on
1	More large parks for entire family
1	More local shops/restaurants
1	More music, large/medium acts come
1	More off leash parks
1	More off street trails for walking/biking
1	More open air markets with downtown having a groce
1	More parking
1	More parking for downtown
1	More public art (See Ooh Shiny Art Glass LLC)
1	More recreation areas/bike trails
1	More riverfront development

Count	Response
1	More roundabouts
1	More running paths
1	More shopping north side
1	More small businesses
1	More sustainable transit
1	More targeted activities and programs for youth to provide an alternative to crime.
1	More to do along river (restaurants/bars/trails/etc)
1	More to less manufacturing based economy
1	More trails
1	More trees along Wisconsin Ave, and everywhere
1	More unique restaurants and things to do to get more young professionals wanting to stay
1	More urban farming, including backyard chickens and bees
1	More walkability
1	More winter activities
1	More SECULAR private school options!
1	Na
1	Need a more liberal council willing to make changes.
1	New Convention Center
1	New businesses
1	New city council
1	New convention center
1	New convention center and library downtown with renovated parking ramps
1	New library
1	New library
1	New library facility
1	New senior center

Count	Response
1	Newer playgrounds where needed
1	No bike lanes downtown. It's already congested enough during rush hour.
1	No metered parking on College ave
1	No more Mexican restaurants
1	No more bike lanes.
1	No run down areas
1	Not build convention center
1	Not letting slum areas start
1	Ongoing community events
1	Open (summer) Beer Garden, similar to Estabrook Park Bier Garden in Whitefish Bay or Tge Landing in Wauwatosa
1	Openness to residential development of food production
1	Overlook
1	Park in the flats
1	People able to be helped
1	Playground closer to home
1	Police can adapt to changing crime/drug activity
1	Preservation of historic buildings and neighborhoods
1	Prioritization of education
1	Progressive business
1	Promote and increase small business
1	Promotion of pride of home ownership
1	Prosperity
1	Provide more public transportation
1	Public Spaces
1	Public art and lower cost cultural experiences

Count	Response
1	Public safety
1	Public schools and library be well funded
1	Re-use of existing buildings
1	Really like the Downtown Activities.
1	Reasonable taxes
1	Redevelopment of areas that are starting to look run down: Wisconsin Ave, Richmond, West College
1	Redevelopment of run down properties
1	Reduce Homelessness
1	Reduce crime rate
1	Refresh
1	Relocating Homeless shelters to the outer limits of the City
1	Relocation and expansion of library
1	Relocation of the jail and sex offenders
1	Removal parking meters
1	Repurposing of historic structures
1	Residential roads repaired
1	Retention of unique festivals and parades
1	Reuse of old industrial properties
1	Revamped library
1	Revenue generating library- include rentable space for weddings, etc
1	Revised library space to allow for meeting spaces
1	River utilization
1	Riverfront condo development
1	Riverfront development
1	Safe biking
1	Safe communities

Count	Response
1	Safe library
1	Safe place for people to live
1	Safe place to live
1	Safe, healthy place for families
1	Safe/green/responsible riverfront development
1	Safer library
1	Safer neighborhoods
1	Safer neighborhoods near wisconsin Ave
1	Safer pedestrian and bicycle routes
1	Safer streets
1	Safer traveling or better drivers
1	Safety at open-air public events.
1	Safety for my family
1	Safety for our kids
1	Safety-
1	Saftey
1	Schools
1	Significant Investment by outside companies
1	Significant growth downtown - like Green Bay is doin
1	Slow down traffic on city streets
1	Small(ish) population/size
1	Solve the library issue so it can end
1	Something get done with the old Kmart property
1	South Oneida repavement
1	Splash pads at the parks would be awesome.
1	Stable property taxes

Count	Response
1	Standing water issues, need drainage
1	Staying a family-friendly community
1	Stop concentrating halfway houses, sex offenders, etc in older neighborhoods
1	Stop so much expansion outward
1	Street vendors downtown
1	Strength of Education
1	Strive to be a more green city/reduce carbon footprint
1	Strong community values
1	Strong public schools
1	Strong sustainability program
1	Stronger community
1	Summer activities for kids
1	Superior school system
1	Support for urban food forests to increase fresh food accessibility
1	Support of a diverse population
1	Sustained growth
1	Take care of the health and safety in Appleton before we sink into a "ghetto "
1	Tax rates go down
1	Taxes/spending under control
1	That Appleton copies the success's of other destination cities like Madison or Minneapolis
1	That a list of all city officials be sent to all residents and updated after elections.
1	That a new park would be established on the south side.
1	That community continues to thrive
1	That it be intergenerational
1	That it is seen as a positive example of a community in the state.
1	That mile of music continues and improves each year.

Count	Response
1	That our city will become more environmentally friendly.
1	That our downtown grows to include more arts and museums.
1	That safety will be a priority
1	That the Expo center works out for the Appleton area.
1	That the city will ignore Downtown for a while and focus on developing other areas of the city
1	That the city's website could be made user friendly
1	That the downtown and Wisconsin Ave corridors are eclectic and a draw lzed
1	That we become known for having neighborhoods where the residents actually know each other and live in community
1	That we will build and open a beautiful new library
1	That we will utilize empty existing building
1	The Austin of the Upper Midwest
1	They don't expand more houses by me
1	Thompson center
1	Thriving downtown
1	Thriving downtown with mix of businesses (not just bars)
1	Thriving economy
1	Thriving, young community drawn to our progressiveness.
1	To continue providing parks, pools, and other family friendly areas and activities.
1	To grow
1	To stay safe
1	Trader Joe's will locate here.
1	Trail connectivity
1	Trails
1	Update Erb Park pool per the communities wishes
1	Update Wisconsin avenue between Mead and Calumet

Count	Response
1	Updated electrical lines
1	Updates to historic neighborhoods
1	Use of bldg. and property we have
1	Use our waterfront
1	Useful shopping downtown & not just way out on the edges of town
1	User friendly parking,, similar to downtown neenah
1	Uses existing business areas to create new business
1	Using up old/abandoned lots/buildings
1	Uuse existing buildings for library
1	Valuing ethnic and cultural diversity
1	Vibrant downtown
1	Walkability
1	Walkable places to shop
1	Walkable/bikeable neighborhoods with neighborhood markets and retail (we have Jacobs, and it is WONDERFUL to have a neighborhood market)
1	Walking Trails
1	Walking and biking trails continue to be developed.
1	Walking/biking trails
1	We continue to prioritize investing in education for our youth
1	We don't end up with ghettos
1	We take care of the homeless
1	We will continue to have plenty of affordable housing
1	We will continue to keep Appleton a safe, family-friendly city.
1	We will develop the waterfront and downtown areas to be connected through walking and bicycling trails
1	Welcoming to diverse people
1	Why if the was neighborhood type policing. Like beat cops walking the neighborhoods interacting with people they protect and serve.

Count	Response
1	Wisconsin Avenue can be redeveloped into something appealing
1	Work on our roads
1	Work with landlords to make housing affordable to low income residents
1	Would like it to be a fun and safe place not just a place for bar hoppers.
1	Youth Culture
1	a better library
1	a place with superior public education
1	affordability
1	affordable childcare
1	apartments/condos on riverfront
1	attention to public art and aesthetics
1	attracting large, well paying employers
1	bad areas get cleaned up
1	be a city my kid will love to grow up in and have their own family in
1	be attractive to all age ranges
1	become defined as a city of culture through music and sports
1	becoming a vibrant center of visual and performing arts
1	better access to St. Eliz Hospital from the North.
1	better control of commercial building facades
1	better mental health options
1	better multi modal transportation options
1	better school system across all schools
1	better streets
1	better use of existing vacant properties
1	better utilization of urban commercial property
1	bike friendliness

Count	Response
1	bike friendly
1	bike lanes/trails-a connected system
1	bike/pedestrian friendly
1	bikes
1	bring in more business and manufacturing
1	buildingrenovations around dt
1	business growth on east side
1	care of homeless
1	clean & safe downtown that attracts families
1	cleaniness
1	cleaning of river area for recreation
1	community
1	community centers
1	continue to be welcoming
1	continue to grow
1	continue to grow our tax base
1	continued community events
1	continued growth
1	continued growth in downtown events/development
1	continues to be walkable
1	continuing a fine police department & staying a safe city with low crime
1	continuing to be a community where kids are safe to go outside and play all over the neighborhood
1	control taxes
1	convention center
1	crime held in check
1	cultural center

Count	Response
1	cultural experiences
1	decent affordable housing
1	develop downtown housing (aka apartment/condos)
1	development of downtown
1	diversity in policing
1	downtown rejuvenation
1	downtown that is cultural, family & visitor friendly
1	expanded public transportation
1	fewer opportunities for low income earners
1	fix more streets
1	food stores downtown
1	force property maintenance
1	fox river development between downtown and the Fox River
1	free parking
1	free parking
1	get rid of that damn smell!
1	get the diverse population working
1	get the drug dealers out
1	good jobs
1	good representation and appearance
1	good shows for PAC
1	great trail system
1	green spaces
1	growth
1	growth of things to do, museums, music and theatre
1	happiness

Count	Response
1	healthy neighborhoods
1	help the elderly
1	helping neighborhoods to stay proud
1	hi tech companies retain young talent locally
1	higher end retail
1	i hope city gov't will stop wasting our tax \$\$
1	improve walkability/biking
1	improved infrastructure
1	improvement of older neighborhoods reputations and appearances
1	inclusive city planning
1	increase shared services with bordering communities
1	increased free parking
1	increasing urban food production
1	invest in strategic area's of development and do it well
1	involved tax payers
1	keep costs down
1	keep historical buildings
1	keep our wonderfule parks cared for and safe
1	keep the city clean
1	keep the parks nice
1	keeping enough green space
1	less gang activity
1	less retail and more commercial businesses
1	limited bars
1	little to no crime
1	low crime

Count	Response
1	lower speed limits
1	lower taxes
1	lowers its energy use
1	maintain bus system
1	maintain small town feel
1	major employers locate in the downtown
1	manufacturing & IT jobs in balance
1	minimal use of cars
1	more attention to outlying areas instead of downtown
1	more culture
1	more dedicated bike lanes & trails.
1	more employers attracted to area
1	more entertainment venues (live music, plays, etc) that are affordable and accessible to all
1	more family friendly events
1	more funding for the arts in schools
1	more green space
1	more is done to keep trouble makers and sex offenders out of Appleton
1	more jobs/businesses
1	more local stores, less chains
1	more minority owned businesses
1	more music
1	more nature preserves and parks
1	more police presence
1	more politically conservative government
1	more public arts and events
1	more small businesses and mixed housing

Count	Response
1	more space for downtown farmers market (outside)
1	more top rated retail stores
1	more use of clean energy sources like hydro, solar, wind
1	moving forward
1	municipal fiber broadband
1	neighborhood pools
1	no slums
1	non-College Ave sections of downtown grow denser and "cooler"
1	not enough alternative energy sources
1	offer small business opportunities
1	older housing revitalization
1	parking
1	parks/pools/families
1	progressive development
1	prosperity
1	protected bike lanes
1	provide adequate experiences for those visiting from out of town
1	redeveloped riverfront with a mix of greenspace and tax paying businesses
1	redevelopment
1	reduced crime
1	remain stable
1	replace pool with pool not just a splash pad
1	restaurant and small business development
1	river developments
1	safe from crime violence, visible police and neighbors that watch out for each other
1	safe place for children

Count	Response
1	skywalk system downtown
1	splash pads added to parks
1	strong recreational Park areas
1	successful downtown
1	successful programs with Lawrence
1	support for ex-cons
1	that Appleton becomes bike and pedestrian friendly, including increased use of traffic calming measures throughout the community
1	that diversity isn't the focus but proud citizenship is
1	that the crime rates will be low and that we will truly have a safe community to live in
1	that we can be pivotal in assisting those in need to invest in their futures long term as opposed to short term help programs
1	the convention center coming to fruition
1	the library
1	top in medical care
1	trails/paths along the river (significant expansion of existing)
1	update for Downtown
1	upkeep of older neighborhoods/homes
1	use 20.00 fee to actually fix streets~
1	user friendly facilities
1	waterfront development
1	we get our act together regarding wellness or we'll all be sick and/or obese
1	we support private and public development without viewing them as opposing forces
1	wisconsin ave to become more people friendly and active
1	work on racism

continued
 continue
 city
 people
 businesses

Count	Response
6	Safety
3	Great schools
3	Keep the positive interaction with City Hall and giving everyone a chance to know what is going on.
3	new library
2	Better streets
2	Dogs allowed in parks
2	Less crime
2	Low crime
2	More entertainment
2	Na
2	New library
2	Safety
2	more bike friendly
2	more cow bell
2	safety
1	
1	A community with a sustainable and healthy economy
1	community support of sports for kids

Count	Response
1	?
1	A ban on assault weapons at all city events.
1	A bustling downtown
1	A community with a vibrant new business & arts base - build on success of MOM
1	A convention center in downtown Appleton
1	A destination.
1	A great convention center/expo center
1	A greater sense of community
1	A long term plan for the downtown development
1	A more qualified City Council
1	A more transparent police force, more school choice, better involvement of citizens in all government and community meetings, beeping crosswalks for the many disabled and blind residents of appleton.
1	A place that millennials call home
1	A sense of humor and humility about the city
1	A strong downtown
1	A strong, connected neighborhood for everyone
1	A tourist area with festivals and events to keep people coming back.
1	A vibrant Community Center building to replace Thompson
1	A vibrant Wisconsin Avenue
1	Accessible and well maintained parks where families and the community can gather
1	Accessible community programs/activities
1	Activities for 13-17 year olds to keep them active
1	Add various festivals downtown besides what we have so any weekend tourists feel Appleton is place to be
1	Additional bike lanes
1	Additional cultural experiences
1	Additional off street trails

Count	Response
1	Advertise the gappenings in the area better.Don't always know what is going on until too late.
1	Affordable quality of life
1	An energetic downtown
1	An excellent, small, simple authentic Italian restaurant, and a fabulous breakfast joint.
1	An exciting downtown area
1	An inclusive community. More action and less lip service from our Aldermen
1	Appleton actually becomes dog friendly
1	Appleton remains a safe place
1	Appleton will restore most of it's older homes and use them for a variety of purposes that Appleton would become much more bike and multi modal friendly
1	Appleton would have an incredible senior center funded by city money
1	Arts and culture abound
1	Attract the return of manufacturing business to the city
1	Attracting intelligent citizens
1	Be a place to showcase our talents, whether it's Artistic through our beautiful street murals or musically During the
1	Be known as a great place to raise a family
1	Beautifyc
1	Becomes a national destination for arts & culture tourism
1	Being able to drink in parks
1	Better and better downtown experience, better use of city center and better library
1	Better eateries
1	Better leadership
1	Better newspaper
1	Better night life
1	Better parking ramps
1	Better paying jobs

Count	Response
1	Better police force
1	Better produce in grocery stores
1	Better quality of life
1	Better relations with bordering cities/towns
1	Better resources for schools
1	Better restaurants
1	Better use of riverfront areas
1	Better waterfront access
1	Better, more accurate event listings
1	Bigger is not always best
1	Bike lane removal or make parking seasonal
1	Bike lanes and trails NEED to be expanded.
1	Bike-friendly routes and driver awareness
1	Bring more opportunities for younger generation
1	Building a more vibrant downtown
1	Business growth/expansion
1	Caring people
1	City center does not continue to deteriorate (neighborhoods)
1	City parks that are friendly to all species
1	City-owned dog park, why does it seem like Appleton isn't dog friendly?
1	Clean & Friendly
1	Clean up decaying neighborhoods
1	Clean up the walking trails on the Oneida St Trails-too much overgrowth prevents nice river views. More walkable retail shops down by the river.
1	Cleanness
1	Commercial airline such as southwest at airport

Count	Response
1	Commercial growth
1	Community brought together
1	Community center/senior center, library perhaps in one buildingh
1	Community engagement
1	Community events that celebrate culture and diversity
1	Community fine arts festivals/support
1	Community is able to come together and grow
1	Connection to the river
1	Consolidate Parking - We have a LOT of parking, but instead of more lots, we need larger parking structures downtown. take 3 single level lots, make them 1 triple level lot and use the other two lots for something more useful/attractive
1	Continue academic growth in schools
1	Continue quality school system
1	Continue to advance educational opportunities for all
1	Continue to develop the arts in the city. Finally adding the PAC in 2002 was incredible for our downtown. Mile of Music was a great addition to Octoberfest and the Farmer's Market. Please continue to develop more events. A lot of us miss "Celebrate" that took place on Memorial Day weekend.
1	Continue to develop the riverfront!
1	Continue to drive economic growth to sustain a high level workforce and standard of living.
1	Continue to grow with affordable medical resources
1	Continue to have a family oriented events to attend
1	Continue to have outdoor events the whole city can enjoy
1	Continue to hold progressive events - i.e. MoM & the Artery.
1	Continue to keep our community a safe place to reside
1	Continue to update the older parts of town
1	Continue/improved support for (non-bar) businesses in downtown Appleton (I have nothing against the bars, just think we have plenty already)
1	Continued Neighborhood development to celebrate the distinct areas of Appleton
1	Continued diversity of downtown development

Count Response

- 1 Continued diversity work and education to keep the community strong
- 1 Continued economic growth - people wanting to move here & stay here
- 1 Continued emphasis on events like Mile of Music.
- 1 Continued excellence in police and fire service and better road conditions (non highway)
- 1 Continued excellence in public education
- 1 Continued excellent winter maintenance
- 1 Continued good public education no matter what neighborhood the school is in.
- 1 Continued growth
- 1 Continued growth of the Arts
- 1 Continued improvement to 441 corridor
- 1 Continued increase in house values
- 1 Continued innovative and creative ideas
- 1 Continued large events downtown to keep tourism high
- 1 Continued opportunities for Economic development to attract employers
- 1 Continued public education excellence
- 1 Continued safety - police, fire
- 1 Continued spirit of corporate investment & generosity regarding city ventures
- 1 Continued upkeep on neighborhood parks
- 1 Continuing the awesome "fests" (oktober fest, mile of music, etc)
- 1 Continuing to draw attention to the riverfront areas
- 1 Continuous Growth
- 1 Controlled Growth
- 1 Convention Center
- 1 Convention Center Completion
- 1 Cost of Living

Count	Response
1	Council that supports new ventures
1	Create a district plan where areas become known for something such as ethnic business area, art/mural district....
1	Create neighborhoods, like Milwaukee has. Brewer's Hill, Third Ward, The Highlands etc.
1	Crime doesn't not become a real concern
1	Cultural sensitivity training for city officials/police
1	Culturally diverse.
1	Culturally sensitive area
1	Culture
1	Curb nightlife activities downtown- quieter early morning hours.
1	DT development
1	Deal with the history of urban sprwal
1	Decrease in poverty, homelessness. Free early childhood care.
1	Develop a Olympic Pool at Erb Park!
1	Develop a park with exercise equipment (like Fritsch park in Menasha)
1	Develop existing abandoned properties
1	Development of cycling & pedestrian infrastructure that feels safe to all and creates access to businesses, recreation areas, and community sites
1	Development of impoverished areas
1	Development of riverfront and continued maintenance of the locks
1	Diverse business opportunities
1	Diversity
1	Diversity
1	Diversity of businesses
1	Dog friendly parks
1	Downtown draws more stores and restaurants rather than taverns.
1	Downtown living

Count	Response
1	Easier and safer options for commuting or recreational biking for bikers
1	Eco-friendly
1	Economic Redevelopment
1	Economic strength
1	Educated kids
1	Education
1	Education scores high, unemployment rate low, opportunities for all.
1	Encourage rehab of rental & owner occupied housing
1	Encourage entrepreneurship, especially in the home. Home started businesses can many times lead to a healthy growing business outside of the home. Give people a place to start. A small lighted sign wouldn't hurt anymore then Christmas lights.
1	Encourage more civic pride
1	Enhanced urban green space
1	Enjoy the activities that are provided to attend.
1	Entertainment district down town
1	Environmental Improvements
1	Erb Park Developments
1	Erb Park Pool revamped
1	Erb Park keeps its current usefulness and persona-- don't need another Mead Pool, we already have one
1	Erb park pool
1	Establish additional bike lanes/trails to encourage people to get out and exercise
1	Excellent teachers and curriculum in public schools
1	Expand Downtown
1	Expand public parks over condo development, it's elitism
1	Expand public transportation to fit ALL people in city.
1	Expanded downtown
1	Family friendly

Count	Response
1	Family friendly activities downtown
1	Farmers market and Riverview Garden and Goodwill continue to thrive
1	Fewer bars downtown
1	Fewer condos and town-houses--the riverfront isn't nearly as enjoyable with all those ugly apartments along it
1	Fewer regulations
1	Fewer traffic signals downtown
1	Fix the Memorial Dr. left leaning Doe Boy
1	Focus on the local economy
1	For the downtown area to become more thriving on a daily basis - not just for weekends and festivals
1	Fostering cooperation
1	Fox River Revitalization
1	Free parking downtown during events such as the Farmer's Market
1	Full properties- businesses and homes
1	Fully funded services for people in need-both public and private
1	General growth
1	Generally, becoming the "Madison of NE WI"
1	Get rid of Mayor Hanna
1	Give a tax break to parents that send children to private schools.
1	Good parks/downtown
1	Good school system
1	Good schools
1	Good schools continue
1	Great place for businesses to move to or expand
1	Great place for my kids to grow up
1	Greater focus on clustering housing and services/commercial to increase walkability
1	Greater link between Appleton activities and Lawrence activities

Count	Response
1	Greatly improved Wisconsin Ave
1	Green energy (one of the first for electric, lets continue the trailblazing!)
1	Green space
1	Grocery store downtown
1	Grow Lawrence University and Timber Rattlers' presence
1	Growth
1	Growth of Mile of Music and other large festival draws
1	Growth without a plan
1	Happy teachers who are respected and well treated
1	Has more things to do besides bars!
1	Have useful local businesses
1	Having a safe community for all
1	Healthy community
1	Help for the needy-supply jobs
1	Help keep our streets safe. Too much crime appearing along Richmond corridor
1	High speed passenger trains connecting nearby cities
1	Higher paying jobs
1	History, character
1	Hope we continue to be a great place to live, work, and play.
1	Hospitality for refugees
1	I don't have to move away
1	I hope that Appleton continues to set itself apart with attractions like Mile of Music, Oktoberfest, Convention places, the development of the PAC and other things that transformed the feeling of the Fox Valley! I love Appleton and I will live here forever (in spirit, given that I am not eternal hahah)!
1	I hope that we can find a way to upgrade blighted neighborhoods
1	I hope they avoid any public/private business deal (convention ctr)
1	I hope to see Appleton prosper and grow and not stay a status quo municipality.

Count	Response
1	I hope to see more trails integrated throughout the greenspaces.
1	I see a good artist vibe gaining strength. I want the city to grow that.
1	I truly hope for a Beer Garden to be established near the Fox River adjacent to a recreational trail
1	I'd love to see the Oneida Street/Calumet Street area cleaned up. The roads are horrible and businesses need to be cleaned up.
1	Improve areas along Wisconsin Avenue and Richmond St.n
1	Improve quality of trails.
1	Improved historic City Park area - safety & beautification
1	Improved parking ramps
1	Increase low income housing options
1	Increase recreation
1	Increase the green spaces
1	Increase tourism with Arts/PAC and Convention business
1	Increase/coordination of recreation trails
1	Increased community events
1	Increased diversity
1	Increased dyslexia awareness in schools
1	Increased manufacturing tax base
1	Increased natural spaces amongst development
1	Increased support for and growth of independent businesses
1	Indoor concert events
1	Investing in Parks
1	Investing in existing buildings
1	It continues to become more diverse
1	It is equally important to support the arts. Good jobs get people to move here. The arts get people to stay.
1	It keeps finding ways to entertain people. Like mile of music, or the city band.

Count	Response
1	Job opportunities will be available to young people so that they don't have to move away for job opportunities
1	Jobs that pay more than minimum wage
1	Jones Park will be site of new library
1	Keep crime down
1	Keep growing bigger and better.
1	Keep having a great school system.
1	Keep offering things like farmers market for citizens
1	Keep pace with other communities outside the valley and Wisconsin to ensure future viability
1	Keep promoting and building our beautiful downtown and supporting local businesses
1	Keep property taxes low
1	Keep taxes reasonable
1	Keep the City out of private development
1	Keep the riffraff out
1	Keeping balance between small-town ambiance and "big city" opportunities.
1	Keeping kids off the street and cutting down on drugs in the city.
1	Keeping quality parks around for future kids
1	Keeping the eclectic feel
1	Keeping the parks safe for the children
1	Keeping up the uniqueness of downtown.
1	Lack of (or minimal) homeless population
1	Lawrence and Appleton become better friends - do things together often! make plans for the future!
1	Leaders that care for the good of the community
1	Less bars
1	Less crime
1	Less criminal activity, there have been way too many robberies and violence in the area... I hope we can clean it up!

Count	Response
1	Less diversity
1	Less government
1	Less homelessness
1	Less taverns
1	Less tourism
1	Library accessibility
1	Library in a safer location.
1	Library upgrade
1	Local Market Store
1	Local shop events
1	Look forward instead of remembering what once was.
1	Look to Twin Cities and Milwaukee and Chicago to see how they do it.
1	Lots of activities for young and old
1	Low Crime rate continues
1	Low property taxes
1	Low unemployment rates
1	Lower property tax for the homeowner.
1	Lower taxes?
1	Maintain good mix of fun activities and festivals.
1	Maintain our vibrant community
1	Maintain the quality of schools.
1	Maintenance of historical areas
1	Make all roads safer for bicycles.
1	Make it safe again!
1	Making Appleton one of the best destinations in Wisconsin
1	Making Wisconsin Avenue a vibrant corridor

Count	Response
1	Making parks where dogs can go so we can bring our kids to play and have the dog with us-doesn't have to be ALL parks as I respect that some people don't like that idea-but maybe a few of the parks could be dog friendly.
1	Making sure Appleton can become more attractive, doesn't get any uglier with more poorly designed buildings, tree-less developments, cell towers, etc.
1	Many people stay in the area
1	Mixed used buildings
1	Model composting in businesses and dining Establishments
1	More "retail" downtown
1	More (thriving) local businesses
1	More Good Paying Jobs
1	More Mom & Pop stores
1	More activities/events
1	More art murals/sculptures
1	More attention to abandoned buildings
1	More bicycle lanes
1	More bike lanes and trails
1	More build up in the flats
1	More businesses near Oneida St. area
1	More city wide activities
1	More city-wide fun like the music in the park
1	More classrooms
1	More commercial development
1	More connected trails along river
1	More development of waterfront while still respecting historical areas
1	More diverse entertainment options for adults, such as a pool hall, recreational facility, etc.
1	More dog friendly businesses and events
1	More downtown activities during the winter months

Count	Response
1	More downtown attractions
1	More downtown community events
1	More family friendly events.
1	More free fun activities for families
1	More friendliness toward young families
1	More fun
1	More funding for schools
1	More green space trails.
1	More green space, art installations better retail and good restaurants.
1	More green spaces, trees planted
1	More intervention services for teens and young adults
1	More jobs
1	More kid orientated areas
1	More open mindedness
1	More organic/fresh restaurant options in the Appleton area
1	More outdoor music/performance venues
1	More outside entertainment
1	More parks and trails on river
1	More police coverage
1	More police patrol
1	More public art and music, take some cues from Madison or Minneapolis
1	More public pools instead of splash pads because kids outgrow those quick
1	More public transportation opportunities
1	More recreation
1	More recreation trails
1	More relevance placed on the majority vs the minority

Count	Response
1	More representation
1	More restaurants and family friendly activities on the river
1	More street lights in residential neighborhood
1	More streetlights
1	More things for families with small children to do on Sunday's and mondays
1	More to bring businesses to town
1	More trails
1	More trails/green space
1	More trees and greenery mixed in to the urban areas
1	More vibrancy
1	More vibrant area from downtown to Wisconsin ave.
1	More walking trails nearby.
1	More walking/running trails
1	More work just north of College. A lot of downtown was gutted in the 1980s --- redevelopment should be there---plenty of space for an office building there.
1	Mountain bike trails
1	Municipal broadband
1	My daughter born with Down Syndrome to be in regular classes
1	NA
1	Ned a grocery store in dpwntown area
1	New leadership with new ideas. Appleton seems very status quo and unchanged
1	New library!
1	New voices. They same people have worked for the city forever. They have no fresh ideas
1	No more empty buildings
1	No urban sprawl
1	Nordstrom's will locate here.

Count	Response
1	North Appleton businesses (wine bar, restaurants, etc.)
1	One big project at a time not two or more
1	Opportunities for local businesses
1	Outdoor farmers market would begin sooner outside
1	Outdoor patios
1	Pedestrian and Bike Friendly
1	Pedestrian friendly
1	Police and Citizens working together
1	Preservation of the history of the city
1	Preserving our history better. Save old buildings, don't tear them down.
1	Proliferation of locally-owned businesses
1	Promotion and use of Fox River
1	Property tax - allocation of tax dollars that continue to address the beautification & safety of our city
1	Prospering businesses.
1	Prosperity
1	Public Safety services are eager to engage with the community in a variety of ways outside their primary work function.
1	Public art
1	Put a limit on noise (boomer cars, loud music, domestic disturbances)
1	Rational and environmentally-conscious development
1	Reasonable taxes
1	Recreation-trails
1	Recreational/event attractions
1	Redevelopment of vacant buildings
1	Reduced crime rate
1	Reduction in crime and violence.

Count	Response
1	Referendums on major projects, especially controversial ones
1	Regarded as a safe city to live in
1	Rejuvenates older neighborhoods
1	Rejuvenation of community spaces
1	Remain low crime rates and a prestigious reputation
1	Renew
1	Retains and attracts people and businesses.
1	Retain our young people
1	Revitalization of "inner city" communities
1	Revitalize areas in south/east Appleton
1	Revival of wis ave
1	Roads maintained better
1	Roads that you don't have play avoid the potholes
1	Safe Community parks.
1	Safe for pedestrians
1	Safer parking ramp experiences aka less vandalism
1	Safety for kiddos
1	Safety in parks
1	School districts get better funded somehow
1	Schools that don't "teach to the test" and let children learn skills like problem solving instead of just memorization
1	Schools that remain competitive
1	Self sustaining services
1	Sending my child to a low income school and her receiving the same quality education as those with more parental involvement and wealth
1	Sense of pride in our community
1	Sensible government spending

Count	Response
1	Serve the Fox Valley without splitting hairs. (Example: Neighboring communities must "pay their share" if a city park is close to a border and may be used by non-residents)
1	Shopping
1	Single Use Plastic Bag Ban
1	Single family affordable homes
1	Skyline comedy club moves to a location on college ave.
1	Smaller recycle bins. The huge ones take up too much room and are very heavy
1	Solid infrastructure
1	Some grocery options near downtown
1	South side dog park - I know it wouldn't be city run, but it would be wonderful to have a dog friendly park in the south side of Appleton. The northside by French Road is amazing, just a bit of a drive.
1	Stability amongst community
1	Steady growth and innovation for independent businesses inside and outside of downtown. Wisconsin Avenue, in particular, can house many of these start-ups and rejuvenate that area
1	Stop adding roundabouts to major roads like "OO"
1	Street condition get better
1	Streets meeting traffic needs
1	Strong schools
1	Study air quality. Ban wood burning fire pits and home heating . A person should be able to be outside without choking on wood smoke.
1	Successful business downtown, Wisconsin avenue, etc.....fewer closed buildings
1	Support for aging citizens
1	Support for small business owners
1	Sustainable "green" programs
1	That Downtown Farmers Markets continue on
1	That I will continue to feel at home in my neighborhood. (Pierce Park area)
1	That a new senior citizen center would be established to provide a space for those that were affected by the closing of the Thompson Community Center
1	That it will grow economically so that my kids and young people can find jobs here

Count Response

- 1 That it will incorporate environmentally sound principles
- 1 That it would be cleaner.
- 1 That the Fox River riverfront develops not only housing but commercially and recreationally.
- 1 That the city fathers and powers to be keep in mind Appleton is a wonderful back water town and not a Green Bay.
- 1 That the color of your skin or your faith background no longer has an impact on your ability to receive a good education, purchase a home, or be welcomed into a community.
- 1 That the convention center succeeds
- 1 That the people of Appleton become more inclusive and more diverse.
- 1 That the police continue to keep crime in check.
- 1 That we keep the wheel tax and handle other homeowner costs similarly. I don't know what appletons plans are for checking lead piping - for example - but I would hope there would be some incentive/assistance to help people 'do the right thing'.
- 1 That we will be a hub of the arts
- 1 That we will detour trains outside the city and setup a rails to system within the city.
- 1 That we would have true equal opportunity--living wages, affordable housing, good education, jobs, access to the arts.
- 1 The Madison of northern Wisconsin
- 1 The our commitment to quality education will continue.
- 1 The quality of water remains High
- 1 Thriving community
- 1 To be good community for all.
- 1 To become THE place to live in Wisconsin
- 1 To continue to have safe neighborhoods
- 1 To foster a culture of artists, visionaries and go getters!
- 1 To stimulate the job market
- 1 Tourism
- 1 Transplants sense a "I'm home..!" Feeling

Count Response

1 Treat Appleton and surrounding communities as a cohesive entity as opposed to disparate communities

1 Trees

1 Update schools...many are old and need some work

1 Update/modernize Appleton Library

1 Updated plumbing

1 Updated/new library

1 Use or rebuild abandoned buildings

1 Use the top floors of the city center as a new library

1 Using the river for more businesses

1 Utilization of our incredible financial position for future development

1 Utilizing old buildings for businesses along college and Wisconsin avenues

1 Variety of park and rec programs for adults at various times to accommodate all shift working adults

1 Variety of restaurants

1 Vibrant economy

1 Vibrant programs to engage youth and help them feel connected to their neighborhoods and communities

1 Visitor growth

1 Walking & Bike friendly

1 Walking trail similar to high line in New York City make a fun trail thru flats in Appleton

1 Water quality improves in lakes/river

1 We adequately fund our schools

1 We are seen as a leader in creative, dynamic community building

1 We could have better roads

1 We elevate the river to a status deserving of the lifeblood that it is to our community

1 We have the best schools for the future of our area and people

1 We need a youth and family shelter and center

Count Response

1	We need to embrace new ideas and people and if Appleton and the Fox Cities are going to keep up with an ever changing world. Ideally I see all of our small communities becoming one. This would save cost and put us on the map with employers. It would also bring additional retail to the area. It is a lot easier to sell a community of 300,000 people versus a multiple small communities.
1	We will be able to grow our tax base
1	We will invest in public resources like a new library, bike lanes, and safe public spaces along the river.
1	Wiconsin ave business move streetside with parking in back to facilitate pedestrian interest
1	Work to reduce taxes
1	a more vibrant volunteer center that is viewed as an excellent resource for non profits to partner with.
1	a place with interesting activities
1	a strong police force
1	actual revitalization on the city center mall, (attaction of Fox River mall businesses Downtown)
1	affordable housing for the homeless
1	affordable shops
1	arena for top concerts
1	beautiful streets through the entire city
1	becomes more divergent
1	better education within standard schools - fewer charter schools taking the revenue
1	better initiative/developments for the parks.
1	better lakes
1	bike and pedestrian advances
1	biking and walking made more safe
1	breath vitality to downtown
1	build convention center
1	caring neighborhoods
1	clean streets
1	community cohesiveness

Count	Response
1	community involvement stay strong
1	connect S. Oneida northbound to Appleton St. with bike lanes
1	continue Mile of Music
1	continue the strong park and rec association
1	continue to development riverfront
1	continue to improve "bad" areas
1	continued community events for families
1	continued riverfront development (mixed use)
1	cost of air travel
1	creation centers
1	decent people
1	develop the river front
1	develop the riverfront
1	development
1	development
1	development of river property
1	diversity
1	do not move safety and justice and court buildings further west. keep downtown
1	don't go crazy with a new library
1	downtown
1	education for a lifetime
1	emphasis on restoration and not new building or retrofitting older buildings
1	encourage more people
1	even more fine arts opportunities
1	families going to city activities, YMCA
1	family friendly

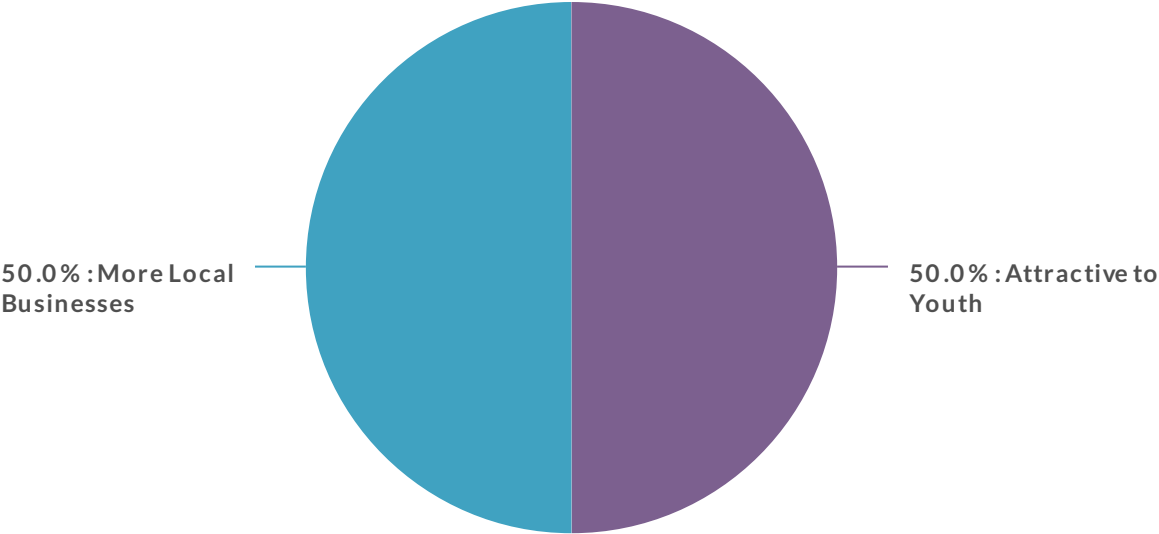
Count	Response
1	flourishing downtown
1	get bike lanes off busy streets like Drew
1	getting drugs off the street
1	getting slumlords to fix properties, major blight all over the city. these low rent run down buildings equal problems with drugs/police involvement
1	good restaurants
1	great schools
1	greater recreational, dinin access to the river
1	grocery store/pharmacy downtown
1	growth
1	growth in the arts
1	healthy lifestyles
1	housing which is handicap accessible/affordable
1	improved school rankings
1	improved use of the river corridor
1	increase bike access
1	increase property values
1	increased tourism
1	invest to update current green spaces
1	just make it a better place like it use to be...
1	keep crime rate low
1	keep ponds clean, maybe give neighborhood control to beuatify
1	keep the place clean
1	keep young families here.
1	less crime
1	less welfare

Count	Response
1	low crime
1	low taxes
1	lower tax rates
1	lower taxes
1	lower the number of homeless
1	maintain a wealth of jobs and keep things affordable
1	maintain family friendly focus
1	modernization of downtown buildings
1	more "not chain" restaurants
1	more bike trails
1	more bike trails
1	more citizens serving on committees
1	more downtown housing
1	more entertainment options
1	more housing for vets
1	more independent "arty" retail/fewer "big box" stores
1	more interactive safe community areas
1	more jobs
1	more middle-class job opportunities
1	more natural type walking paths
1	more neighborhood shops
1	more opportunities for outdoor recreation and transportation
1	more options for adults that are not about the bar scene
1	more police
1	more progressive minds
1	more real stores downtown - small grocery, natural foods, etc.; fewer bars

Count	Response
1	more support from local and government agencies for us entrepreneurs that we only try to create more jobs in our beautiful city more licor licences
1	more sustainable responsible uses of resources such as in recycling and reusing and refusing. making people pay for the use of plastic bags instead of rewarding them for bringing bags to merchants
1	more trails and outdoor activities
1	more trails without intersections
1	more use of bicycles/buses
1	multi generational opportunities
1	new library, education resources, and surrounding neighborhood
1	no meters (pay annually)
1	no more housing offenders
1	opportunity for families--work and play activities
1	organic recycling
1	parks
1	people wanting to come to the City - feeling safe
1	prosperity and affordable housing
1	provide a safe city for all
1	public schools
1	public transit and non-motorized transportation support
1	quality of life
1	reducing crime rates/improving mental health services
1	reinvestment in existing neighborhoods
1	responsive council
1	revitalize College Ave
1	safe
1	safe community
1	safe community

Count	Response
1	safe offerings for teens
1	safe pedestrian walways
1	safer walking on river paths
1	safety of its citizens
1	stay affordable
1	stays a diverse and accepting place
1	strong downtown
1	substantial decreases in substance abuses
1	support for young men
1	tax breaks to bring in business to fox valley
1	that green development becomes a priority
1	that the hospitals remain; no centralization as is currently being discussed.
1	that the next major business expansion (like Community First) is done in the City, instead of outside
1	that there will continue to be lots of this for everyone to participate in and be involved in the community
1	that we utilize river space more and promote nature
1	the Arts keep growing
1	to become a music and art place to go
1	trees and Patio areas - not cement
1	urban hip town
1	utilizing the Fox River corridor
1	vibrant culture
1	we renovate Wisconsin Ave.
1	welcoming & inclusive
1	well funded schools

15. What are your top three hopes for the future of Appleton? - Text Analysis



Value	Percent		Count
Attractive to Youth	50.0%		1
More Local Businesses	50.0%		1
Total			2

16. What types of “taxable development” would you like to see in Appleton? Examples include, but are not limited to different types of housing, retail, restaurants, industry, etc.

downtown retail area businesses

Count	Response
8	Industry
6	Retail and restaurants
5	Not sure
5	Retail
5	industry
3	Industry
2	?
2	Because of the limited space, this is tricky. Low income housing for sure.
2	More industrial jobs would bring more people to the valley.
2	None
2	Restaurants
2	Restaurants
2	Retail and industry
2	Retail, restaurants

Count	Response
2	Senior citizen center
2	Trader Joes
2	Unsure
2	restaurants
2	restaurants
1	we need to stop with the nonprofits and enabling all the government funded handout programs that allow the people being helped not to have to earn the products and services
1	I think that Lawrence University in the YMCA should be taxed. The checks burdens have enough on people who live here and work here it's time for the big organizations in the big institutions to pay their fair share. Even though they are nonprofits I think that there should be some sort of payment and keep their size to city government. Rather like compacts between tribes in states which is really tax but she's called something else you should be contact between the large institutions and corporations reside here in the city for very specific purposes.
1	less subsidies to big box stores
1	- Full grocery downtown - Hip housing downtown to attract millennial and empty nesters
1	-More apartments that offer sliding scale rent to benefit low incomes -More single family homes that are low-middle income -More downtown businesses to tie the East and West ends together
1	-Outdoor water rental downtown (kayaks, canoes, bikes) -Trader Joes like retail stores -permanent food truck eatery -global market/cookery
1	1) If we move forward with convention center, then also improve and grow library. As unrelated as they may seem to be, the two should be linked, both physically (eg: walkways) and financially. 2) Don't let water plant and supply become outdated. Stay ahead of the game, don't put off til tomorrow. 3) Neighborhood road rebuilds: there are problems with design, standards, Forestry Dept, & construction practices. Many people will also complain about funding, but I understand how we've dealt with that.
1	3 and 4 bedroom apartments, more shops downtown instead of dozens of bars
1	???
1	??? This is an odd question.
1	A "hub" downtown for software developers and creatives to work and network.
1	A Sports complex. Central Appleton NEEDS a place like the Heart of The Valley YMCA gymnasium, for kids and teens.
1	A blues music club;
1	A healthy mix of retail, industry, and restaurants.
1	A mall on the east side.

Count	Response
1	A vibrant waterfront with restaurants, retail and housing.
1	A waterpark/splash pad or amusement park for children would be wonderful. Or more kid friendly amusement that is more focused outdoors. Possibly a public amphitheater.
1	ANY
1	Activities /entertainment complexes that provide visitors with something to do. Examples include A whitewater park (for profit) in the flats for paddlers. A Rock Climbing center, Indoor Karting, Indoor Skydiving, Roller Rink, Mini Golf NEAR DOWNTOWN. Industries would be STEM focused programming, robotics, and other automation, green energy, and the manufacturing to support those fields.
1	Activity based shops, climbing walls , parasailing, hang gliding. Ect...
1	Additional restaurants and retail in an expanded downtown would be beneficial
1	Address Wisconsin Ave and Richmond Street.
1	Affordable condos for the average middle class family. There are none!
1	Affordable housing for disabled
1	Affordable housing, restaurants, grocery stores in more residential areas to make it easier for those without cars to get healthy food
1	Affordable housing, with housing for larger families included. Retail
1	Airport development
1	All
1	All of the above
1	All of the above, but especially industry. If you bring industry, the rest will follow.
1	All of the above. Develop industry and more jobs to attract people to the area, good restaurants and retail to keep people here.
1	All of the examples listed are and will be needed as Appleton continues to grow: different types of housing, retail, restaurants, and industry.
1	All of the examples listed.
1	All three items listed above in top three hopes.
1	All. More retail and housing downtown
1	Amphitheater, conference center
1	An Arena. We already have an acceptable library.

Count	Response
1	An indoor open air market similar to the Nashville Farmers Market or Market in the 3rd Ward of Milwaukee - a venue accessible all year round with a wine bar, a few restaurants, local arts vendors.
1	Another concert venue
1	Any and all that will bring a young diverse work force to the area.
1	Any in vacant locations
1	Any industry with manufacturing and production jobs
1	Any is good.
1	Any types of development which bring spending money to the area to help commerce.
1	Anything but "adult" bookstore types.
1	Anything local to help build quality relationships and encourage craftsmanship. Quality housing is always in need. Let's rejuvenate some of the dingy neighborhoods.
1	Anything that helps downtown be more active. I would like to see downtown Appleton somewhat mirror State St. in Madison WI. Shops and restaurants are always nice.
1	Anything that would bring manufacturing jobs back to the area would be a major boost for everyone.
1	Arts Development Insurance Industry Healthcare
1	As much as possible
1	Attract more manufacturing, conference center to compete with GB, Milwaukee and even Oshkosh.
1	Better quality and more homeless shelters. More urban farming/gardening opportunities. Expansion of the farmer's market.
1	Big name retail stores that build in Appleton rather than Green Bay or Milwaukee such as IKEA or Cabella.
1	Bike trails and/or walking paths between and within the Fox Cities communities.
1	Boutique retail
1	Boutique retail along Wisconsin Ave. e.g., Ten Thousand Villages, local restaurants (fewer chains), good paying manufacturing jobs
1	Breweries
1	Bring a low cost airline (Frontier/Southwest/Jet blue) to our airport to attract travelers outside our immediate area to use ATW for their travel.
1	Bring back more retail options in Appleton versus Grand Chute. Develop old Kmart lot. More jobs in Appleton proper versus surrounding areas. More affordable nice studio/1BR apartments. Find a way to bring back a downtown bookstore.

Count	Response
1	Bring in Graphic design, architect, Ad agencies, film, to this area more.
1	Bring in Trader Joes!! STOP the convention center.
1	Bring restaurants like SAP and Carmellos downtown.
1	Broader selection of ethnic restaurants. More larger employers that will attract a more highly educated workforce.
1	Business growth of any type
1	Business owners decide where to locate, not the government. Make this place business friendly, and the jobs will come.
1	Businesses with good paying jobs.
1	Child friendly indoor play spaces, something needs to go in the old kmart lot
1	Clean industry
1	Coffee shops on Wisconsin Ave Ethnic restaurants
1	Commercial and mixed use development along West College Avenue corridor. This needs a BIG VISION to fundamentally change the whole look of the 1-2 mile stretch.
1	Commercial nodes with retail and services that appeal on the neighborhood scale and that help create more walkable, social places. Also: start-ups, entrepreneurial ventures.
1	Commercial, Industrial, Entertainment venues
1	Condos of low and medium price points In a good location, not above a gas station as Richmond Terrace is.
1	Conference center, to bring in groups of people for business, education and other groups. i.e. sporting conferences.
1	Connecting downtown to the surrounding neighborhoods, specifically less parking lots to the north of downtown. Mixed used developments with commercial/retail on lower level and residential on upper floors to make the area more walkable and more population dense and more desirable to be.
1	Continue to encourage "necessity businesses" (like groceries and clothes) and other family-supporting employment close to people's homes, especially downtown to cut down car traffic going in/out of the city for necessities, and so bike use can be more realistic/purposeful.
1	Continued addition of local restaurants and stores (not chains) Organic/allergy-friendly restaurants and grocery stores Food trucks Mixed-income housing that fits into the existing structure of Appleton
1	Continued partnership with agencies that serve the down and out to improve quality of housing and life and in turn make Appleton a better place for everyone.
1	Continued waterfront development, adding small local retail to waterfront area
1	Convention Center

Count	Response
1	Convention Center & more Multinational businesses
1	Convention center
1	Convention center, fox river development to bring business to River front
1	Convention center, an alternative for a big group.
1	Convention center, keeping small businesses and keeping out big box stores, a tasty burger place on northland around oneida st not the crappy fast food that's there, more vegetarian places, more places offering recycling of products the city doesn't collect.
1	Convention center, riverfront restaurant/entertainment & housing
1	Convention center/Expo center. More affordable housing downtown - walkable to Aldi, library, etc. - for people who don't drive or can't afford a car.
1	Conversion of at least part of the downtown College Avenue into a pedestrian-only area, with more options for outdoor seating for restaurants, along with kiosks/stalls, etc- kind of like an all week farmer's market. Also, quality of life businesses such as grocery stores in the downtown area.
1	Cooperative art and business incubators, young professional housing and recreation, environmentally friendly industry (and retrofitting)
1	Costco was a nice addition. Business like that are always nice to see.
1	Creative housing, retail that we are missing are Create and Barrel, IKEA, Trader Joe's, Whole Foods,
1	Definatly housing. I think that there is a need for different housing types as well as low income family homes. Also for small businesses!
1	Definitely don't need more commercial development on E Calumet in the 441 area. The existing infrastructure already cannot handle the traffic.
1	Definitely would like to see an effort to renovate older properties as a housing alternative. A better mix of retail to bring people back downtown.
1	Develop ecologically clean and future minded industry.
1	Develop larger retail stores downtown. It will draw business to local retail. I would like to see Oneida Street reopened.
1	Develop the ghost town on West college Ave. More retail...
1	Develop the river. You are wasting prime land
1	Development for safe and user-friendly recreation opportunities.
1	Development in the form of waterfront venues (coffee shops, live music venue, outdoor markets, boardwalk area, etc) to capitalize on the locks being open and encourage more water use.
1	Development of Wisconsin Ave. with more restaurants and retail.

Count	Response
1	Development of the river front - more restaurants and housing
1	Development of walkable communities much like Middleton in which housing, retail, industry are planned to promote a sustainable community accessible by walking or biking.
1	Do not know. I agree with the increase in my vehicle registration fee.
1	Dog park
1	Don't know
1	Downtown convention center
1	Downtown grocery store
1	Downtown grocery, shopping areas with more diverse stores...as an alternative to going to the mall. Neenah has a nice downtown with a great mix of retail, restaurants/bars, office space, and green space. All walkable.
1	Downtown housing, specialty shops including food shops and ethnic restaurants, possibly temporary kiosks in Houdini Square
1	Downtown retail, Erb park, library, Wisconsin avenue
1	Downtown retail, downtown restaurants, and downtown housing
1	Downtown retail, tiny home community, riverfront access
1	Drawing more companies to the area
1	East Wisconsin seems to have untapped potential for (better) retail and restaurants
1	Efficient small homes / tiny home communities.
1	Elderly care, grocery store
1	Entertainment for kids and all ages
1	Entertainment venues, retail, industry, small business development, affordable housing, restaurants (no more bars -we have enough to choose from)
1	Establish industries / businesses which will attract young people to move/stay in the Valley.
1	Ethnic restaurants, affordable and easily maintained housing, permanent farmers market
1	Expand "downtown" beyond College Ave. Add more residential downtown. No more bars. Bring retail back. Emphasize local business. Remember Conkeys? Shannons? No one will ever miss OfficeMax
1	Expansion of the mall area, to mimic the mall of America
1	Expo Center
1	Expo center

Count Response

1 Fabric stores

1 Family activities. Trader Joes

1 Family attractions

1 Fewer bars. More entertainment options that are not bars.

1 Fewer restaurants, more actual things to do type businesses

1 Fff

1 Fresh food offerings, upscale townhouses.

1 Gambling, Entertainment (large concerts, sports events, etc.) Industry,

1 Get some low cost/no cost entrepreneurship programs started to give new business startups (mom and pop businesses) a great chance to succeed.

1 Greater mix of commercial development downtown

1 Grocers and other retail in downtowns and neighborhoods -- don't put everything "out by the mall."

1 Grocery downtown or a market area like the 3rd ward in Milwaukee, housing downtown.

1 Growth in all these areas would be great

1 Healthy fast food places.

1 Help Wisconsin Ave get a business redo/refresh

1 Heritage tourism, outdoor boating/hiking/biking tourism, retail tourism, restaurants

1 Higher end retail, farm to table restaurants, indoor recreation (rock climbing, simulated golf)

1 Honestly, I think the bike bars like they have in Milwaukee would be a big hit. I would love another museum of any kind!

1 Hotel with Water Park, Large mini golf like Pirates Cove in WI Dells

1 Hotels, trail use donations (or use the county money saved for park and rec trails), housing, water taxi fees, restaurants,

1 Housing

1 Housing Events Major retail Make the City Center better. Parking lot on new green space next to City Center North side!!!!

1 Housing Restaurants

Count	Response
1	Housing
1	Housing Rehab Programs, Education, and Aquatic Development!
1	Housing and commercial spaces that not only gets built but enhances the area aesthetically. Our city SERIOUSLY lacks a "cool" factor that is needed to attract people in.
1	Housing and industry.
1	Housing could really ramp up downtown, maybe an apartment complex. Would like to see restaurants with outdoor atmosphere along the river. Welcome more industry.
1	Housing coupled with parks within walking distance of trails, public transportation
1	Housing downtown Appleton that is nice, refurbished, new, and affordable - but without the "affordable housing" stipulations. We want young workers that make \$30k-\$45K to choose to work and live downtown. Right now, in my opinion, there are no hip, cool, trendy, or reasonable options. If you want to live somewhere nice downtown, basically is the flats apartments that have very steep rent. Or random hold houses that are rented out by questionable landlords. The new affordable housing projects by the river are very attractive, but the qualifications rule out too many that we want to encourage to work and live downtown.
1	Housing for different income levels, more restrictions on non-profits like churches that pay less taxes,
1	Housing for section 8 vouchers, it's difficult to find 3 bedroom apartment with a nice area for kids to play. Or maybe several townhomes or duplexes(3 bedroom). More swimming pools!
1	Housing!
1	Housing, Industry
1	Housing, Retail, Restaurants
1	Housing, convenience stores, evening entertainment.
1	Housing, industry
1	Housing, local restaurants and retail. Yoga and alternative healthy living options. Makers space and art options.
1	Housing, restaurants
1	Housing, restaurants
1	Housing, restaurants, grocery, shops
1	Housing, retail, restaurants
1	Housing, retail, restaurants, offices, commercial arts development. Coffee house or two in the flats.
1	Housing, retail, restaurants, tavern, hotels, any corporation
1	Housing, so that it is walkable/bikeable for downtown.

Count	Response
1	Housing/rejuvenate current properties
1	How about taxing the "side" businesses such as food trucks, farmers market vendors, etc., who use the resources but do not pay property taxes already
1	How about this, Close off College Avenue somewhere downtown and make it a walk/bike only zone? It would absolutely kill.
1	I actually think Appleton has a good variety already.
1	I am not sure
1	I believe downtown is our future. In general I would like to see downtown be more upscale and have more restaurants with fresh, local, food prepared by skilled pros (not more grills and fryers).
1	I believe there is already a wide variety in Appleton. But feel free to join the market if you'd like.
1	I believe we need more industry in Appleton I think we have adequate housing but it doesn't meet the needs of the disabled when it comes to the cost of rent.
1	I can't think of any.
1	I do like that we are not removing the pool at Erb park. I'd like to see more family fun areas. I love the idea of splash pads, but am also aware that's a seasonal attraction. Developing the river front in huge in my eyes. That area is soo gorgeous and under used. I can't wait to see what's in store for that area. And opening up the locks to get more boat traffic.
1	I don't feel like I have enough knowledge in this area to respond.
1	I don't know..... retail, restaurants, industry. I like the repurposing of buildings, in Appleton, for housing.
1	I don't particularly care about the type, but I prefer smaller instead of larger. I'd rather have a few restaurants and retail along the river than a ton of housing jammed in there. I would like whatever comes in to be clean and attractive and run by people who respect their surrounding neighbors and care about the community and Appleton as a whole.
1	I don't quite understand this question
1	I don't really understand what this means.
1	I enjoy retail independent businesses
1	I go to school in Appleton, but I do not live here, so I cannot adequately answer this question
1	I like the mix we have currently, it is one of my favorite things about the area
1	I really don't have enough knowledge to make an intelligent choice.
1	I think industry development in technology and software could really bring new life to the community. We have an established paper product economy, already, and new technology-oriented businesses can thrive in the same way.

Count Response

1 I think neighborhood identification would be great, maybe with signage or some unique streetscaping. Even if just in a few areas to start, so each area gets its own unique identity and so people know what to look for between each area.

1 I think that by bringing businesses downtown you promote the others. The current trend is for people to live and work near each other. The millennial generation has a different mindset of life and it is not suburbia centered. So you develop business which then drive the need for retail and multifamily housing. In these area are restaurants and shops.

1 I think we have a lot of great businesses. Keep attracting small business owners vs conglomerate franchises.

1 I think we have enough chain stores and restaurants. I would love to see more small industry/small business. I would love to see Appleton become a hub for a new wave of "makers" and innovative entrepreneurs. The creative scene here has really burgeoned in our 12 years here, and I love it.

1 I would have to think about this.

1 I would like to see 20 years from now that we have the same balance of industry/commerce/and residential. It is a good mix. Personally, I would love to see another music-only venue for regional/national touring bands to perform at. Something similar to Barrymore/Orpheum theatre in madison..

1 I would like to see a little more variety in restaurants and entertainment options.

1 I would like to see continued support of Mile of Music and the Farmer's Market. I would like to see Wisconsin Avenue developed and improved. I would like to see Northland Avenue developed and improved.

1 I would like to see more green technology in all buildings and in the restoration of existing buildings

1 I would like to see more improvements in the public schools. A lot of the buildings are older and need updates. There were some security updates done recently at our children's elementary school but that should always be monitored. Also continued improvement in the type of technology offered to students in school.

1 I would like to see some good sized businesses and industries locating in Appleton.

1 I would like to see something done with the old Valley Fair theater and the old Kmart building on college.

1 I would like to see specialty shops, which include restaurants, along Wisconsin Avenue. I would like to see Richmond Street housing and business fronts IMPROVED.

1 I would like to see the empty retail spaces on Wisconsin Avenue and on College as you head out to the mall filled. I would also like to see more neighborhood beautification projects funded by the city.

1 I would love a Chic Fil A in Appleton

1 I would love to see a building in the downtown where many small businesses could rent out offices and collaborate together. As someone with a home/office, I am struggling to find an affordable office space that is in great condition. I would be happy to be a multi-tenant building, but I can't afford some of the high rental prices currently in the large buildings downtown.

Count Response

1 I would love to see a creative use of the Foremost Dairy site along the river. One thought I have had is creating a unique development for the active baby-boomers. I envision small, high quality homes (perhaps 700 to 800 sq feet) with a central building for larger events along with a couple hotel-like rooms for visitors. A close relationship could be developed with Lawrence allowing for visiting faculty to live there (perhaps house share for homeowners who spend the winter trimester in the south), I see a well developed path to the Werch Center where homeowners could get a reduced price at the cafeteria and audit classes. I see these as individual homes with small amount private outdoor space for flower and/or vegetable gardens. I've thought perhaps some version of a "cohousing community" would be interesting. I have seen a trend with others in their 50's and 60's selling their large home and moving into smaller places such as the Richmond Terrace apartments or the Fox River Mill

1 I would love to see more development along the Fox River in terms of quaint shops, restaurants and park-like areas.

1 I would love to see more unique retail, housing for the homeless, and industry that brings jobs to the city.

1 I would love to see something like semi pro hockey or soccer in downtown Appleton

1 I would need to know more.....But I definitely support the library. I love our variety of restaurants. I would support industry that provided good jobs.

1 I'd leave that up to people much smarter than I.

1 I'd like to see investment in the flats - it could be an amazing area for retail and more housing. Get rid of parking meters and rethink parking for downtown.

1 I'd like to see more Habitat for Humanity projects, like what is occurring on Spencer St. along with the neighborhood revamp.

1 I'd like to see more tech in the valley that gets away from standard manufacturing

1 I'd like to see the manufacturing industry expand in our area.

1 I'd like to see town homes or some sort of development in some of the areas around downtown that are now homes that are attracting low income occupants. The area near Franklin and state street for instance. A whole foods would be wonderful. Wisconsin avenue is in desperate need of new retail or housing. The entire area from bagger street to Meade street is being under utilized.

1 I'd love to see more shopping and restaurants that are not of the chain variety. Small specialty shops, specialty grocers, cafes, etc.

1 I'm all for building up the cultural offerings of Appleton - more performance space, retail, restaurants. I'm a late-20 something, and would love to make Appleton desirable for new talent and families.

1 I'm fairly sick of chain restaurants, so I would lean more towards retail and industry. However, the north side of Appleton is sorely lacking restaurants.

1 I'm not sure.

1 I'm okay with any of them.

Count	Response
1	I'm unsure what taxable development means, but I would love for there to be more local restaurants, space for arts (drawing/painting/sculpting, music, dance) spaces available, more community supported agriculture (like Riverview Garden), and more low income housing.
1	IKEA
1	If there is a market for it, anything.
1	In downtown area, Upscale restaurants. Local retail stores Breweries Large downtown events/conferences/concerts
1	In this economy more industry would be good so there would be more good paying jobs available.
1	Increased diversified housing types in areas around the downtown.
1	Independent bookstore (still sad about Conkey's) Cafe on Wisconsin maybe near Oneida
1	Independent small businesses Restaurants
1	Industrial clean industries. Continue renovation of old mill areas
1	Industrial development and housing (condos)
1	Industrial plants better jobs with higher pay
1	Industries that provide family-supporting wages. Green energy development.
1	Industry retail
1	Industry
1	Industry and commercial
1	Industry and housing
1	Industry and restaurants
1	Industry and tourist attractions
1	Industry of any type is needed to provide more jobs for people. Development of the side streets in downtown Appleton. Develop
1	Industry that pays more than minimum wages forcing people to work 2 jobs to eek by a living. Affordable housing for those making less than \$20000/year that isn't rundown and doesn't cost another \$200/month for heat, water and electric.
1	Industry to encourage more jobs.
1	Industry to keep people working
1	Industry would be cool, perhaps in the high tech industries. I like our restaurants.

Count	Response
1	Industry would be great to bring in higher paying jobs for skilled workers
1	Industry, especially green technology businesses
1	Industry, restaurants
1	Industry, restaurants, parks and more trails for running, walking and biking.
1	Industry, retail
1	Industry, retail, restaurants.
1	Industry.
1	Industry.
1	Industry. Let's keep our college graduates wanting to live and work here.
1	Industry. More wheel type taxes.
1	Industry...Industry...Industry. Hope about trying to attract some business to the area. Especially the south side of town.
1	Information technology business's, server farms, etc., with a high speed internet corridor to support such. Attractive apartments complex's that are not ugly vinyl sided boxes with cheapo drywall interiors.
1	Is Trader Joe's too specific? We are set up pretty well here for our needs, so I guess that's all I can think of now.
1	It would be great to have water recreation opportunities such as kayak rentals in the river.
1	It would be nice for more development of non-franchised businesses since we're flooded with them, but I realize that is not realistic. Giving more resources or making people aware of the programs available to them when starting a business SBA loans, grants, and free services like SCORE would help not only the owner but the consumer as well. Well rounded businesses help the Valley, and to be honest, existing businesses around the valley could use the knowledge too since there are LOTS of places in the area behind simply due to technology and inexperience or inability to implement essential competitiveness. It takes the money out of the pocket of the business owner and into the pocket of national branding like Walmart or Amazon. I can think of several businesses that are going under simply because there is no one to be a successor! (appliance store, retail, automotive service)
1	Jobs with a living wage (not minimum wage) along with benefits.
1	Just fine where we are
1	Keep the incentive for new business healthy. downtown restaurants etc.
1	Knowledge based and light manufacturing businesses using sustainable approaches, development of code requiring new buildings to incorporate photovoltaic electricity, passive solar and geothermal heat. Think of the advantage Appleton would have if we get ahead in our transition.
1	Large indoor mall that could compete with Mall of America. Ikea, Bealls stores to come in.

Count	Response
1	Large, big-name employers with a range of employment opportunities. Medical offices; financial institutions
1	Less housing developments. Continue to grow local small businesses and restaurants and make it affordable for them to thrive
1	Less surprises regarding sudden new developments, like the library. Public disclosure is important. More waterfront housing would do well. I love the fact that Riverheath is expanding, and that a Courtyard Marriot is being built.
1	Let the chips fall where they may. Rather than picking the winners and blowing public funds on government-initiated planning, provide more/cheaper parking downtown and let businesses grow around that organically. If there was enough parking to make it free, more business would return from Darboy and Grande Chute.
1	Let the private sector decide.
1	Library
1	Library
1	Library and water-access for the public (ability to rent paddle boards and bicycles is ideal). We could also clean up the parks (removal of geese), addition of events for adults or music options and food truck options. The farmers market is good, but could it stay open later?
1	Library, recreation.
1	Light industrial and retail
1	Local (not chain) establishments - restaurants, shops, etc. Mile of Music
1	Local product retail -especially locally grown food; more farm to table restaurants; fewer chains and more locally-owned businesses; stores offering fair trade items. Affordable housing---If The daCare abandons Appleton Medical Center, could it be converted to low-income housing? Could Appleton embrace the "housing first" approach to addressing homelessness through redevelopment efforts or through tiny houses?
1	Local restaurants, housing, retail
1	Locally owned unique restaurants and stores and industry Affordable housing (small homes gathered around a common green space or apartments with common green space - and HIGHLY tax the mansions).
1	Love our restaurant mix, would love to see more great options! Would love more unique shops, with longer, more varied hours. Current shopping always feels limited to standard business hours, and not when people are off work to be able to shop.
1	Low income housing, continued development of downtown, free parking downtown, attract and retain more businesses
1	Low income housing. Like the one that was developed in town by the drew st fire station. Help with our schools.
1	Low-income housing, neighborhood definition/connection and dedicated spots in each neighborhood for people to hang out and meet each other, I would love a soup/salad bar restaurant and/or a Panera Bread on the east side of town.

Count	Response
1	Lower tax rates for restaurant and housing
1	Maintain full occupancy on College and Wisconsin Avenues.
1	Make Appleton an industry friendly city so that more business and manufacturing move in, which creates jobs, which invites more people to move in, which grows the city for everyone.
1	Making sure all the historic homes by the river and city park be maintained. They're part of Appleton's history and they are gorgeous
1	Manufacturing and paper.
1	Manufacturing and tech industries
1	Manufacturing businesses
1	Manufacturing like Saris bike company or shoe companies. Small retailers Small restaurants Less big box and more family owned Revitalized central city and historic city park neighborhoods with less rentals and more owner occupied.
1	Manufacturing,
1	Maybe more refurbishing of the wonderful historic buildings we have downtown. Also see if one of the longed for businesses (Ikea, Whole Foods, Trader Joes) would be interested in southside business park behind Wal-Mart area. That area still empty & easy on/off 441.
1	Medical Marijuana
1	Medium-density housing (townhomes, condos, etc, especially reuse of existing buildings where practical), larger commercial/industrial users.
1	Mixed housing and retail development in highly needed areas of revitalization
1	Mixed use buildings commercial on ground floor business and residential on upper floors.
1	Mixed use buildings- residential with commercial.
1	Mixed use buildings: condos/ family friendly restaurants/offices/retail etc. Non-polluting small industry
1	Mixed use housing and retail
1	Mixed use parking ramp in downtown
1	Mixed use properties, more technology based firms offering higher level pay.
1	Mixed use retail on first floor, apts above. Artist live / work studio space.
1	Mixed-use apartment/condo/retail downtown. Grocery stores. Tech industry space.
1	Mixed-use development downtown. Let's attract larger businesses downtown as opposed to building on the outskirts of town.

Count Response

1	Modern multi family and mixed use type properties which create their own small neighborhoods within the city. For downtown a Trader Joes or similar type destination/draw type retail store would be great. Walking distance for people - maybe where the library is now?
1	Modest condo options, making downtown Appleton more friendly to younger people via updated parking meters, and more outdoor seating for the restaurants downtown. We would see less complaining about parking, if it were easier to pay. Credit cards at the meter or pay station AND the ability to get a text or reminder when meter is running low. We are connected to our phones 24/7 let's take advantage of it. Lawrence students think a parking ticket is "optional" and are surprised when they get towed. Kids don't get it!
1	More "white collar" jobs
1	More Apts centrally located, most on fringes, more mixed development....stores, groceries outside of malls
1	More Live music venues, more local shops
1	More NEW lower income homes/apartments.
1	More Restaurants
1	More Retail/Restaurants
1	More affordable housing
1	More affordable housing for the middle class
1	More affordable housing, city center mall has unused potential. Condo building on Richmond and Packard has unused potential as well
1	More apartments in the under 700 range.
1	More bike trails and outdoor activities
1	More bistro-style restaurants downtown, as well as a bookstore, good coffee shops, more retail shopping.
1	More bookstores!
1	More business ventures equals more jobs
1	More cafes with on street dining on Wisconsin Ave and other auxiliary streets. More nice loft or condo style housing downtown on College Ave Neighborhood grocery stores
1	More city parks off the beaten trail, more good preschool and early education options that are affordable,
1	More community centers or things for teens and young adults to do.
1	More corporate offices (hey this is a great place to live... Corporations wld be lucky to headquarter here), and small businesses
1	More crafting places on the north end of Richmond.
1	More criminal free, affordable housing & neighborhoods - condos, apartments & houses.

Count	Response
1	More developement so everyone can enjoy the river more. We have plenty of detail..
1	More dining choices near Lawrence. Downtown Segway tours of Lawrence, the flats, college ave.
1	More diversity in restaurants
1	More downtown housing - condos, town homes, designed neighborhoods. Restaurants - waterfront and rooftop dining More boutique retail downtown
1	More downtown restaurant and stores.
1	More entertainment venues, like museums, art, music. There are enough bars/places to drink already!
1	More environmental jobs
1	More ethnic restaurants, repurposed spaces for housing,
1	More family friendly businesses downtown. Improvement to the Building for Kids.
1	More far northside restaurants, Ballard, JJ, Evergreen, etc
1	More fresh fast meals. More community centers for presentations and seminars.
1	More growth of housing/retail along the river and in the downtown area.
1	More healthy food restaurants, more events that encourage physical exercise regardless of financial ability, music venues, bring library to modern times and prepared for future development, attractive venues to pull city together socially.
1	More high density housing projects with green space.
1	More high-end jobs. This will translate to greater demand for more commercial taxable development.
1	More hotels in the downtown district
1	More housing and restaurant development.
1	More housing rehabilitation. More low-income housing support. More restaurants downtown. Convention Center.
1	More industry
1	More industry and less restaurants and retail
1	More industry and manufacturing A national athletic event (i.e.: bicycle race)
1	More industry and retail. Example Trader Joe, Mimi's, PF Chang. Maybe manufacturing.
1	More industry because we need good jobs to draw more people to the community so many college graduates leave the area. My two sons fine example, one in Chicago and one in Milwaukee, they had many more options in their new locations

Count	Response
1	More industry but of varied types so we can weather down periods hopefully better
1	More industry so there are more jobs
1	More industry, technology and manufacturing. Perhaps exploring a one year "free water/sewer" credit plan for businesses that employ over 60 people locally that relocate to or start up a new location within city limits. They need to commit to a certain length of time here (3 or 5 years?) otherwise that credit needs to be repaid. We have a great hospitality industry. Please don't screw it up by trying to micromanage it or by blaming a few small problems on the establishments that they happen at. It is PEOPLE that cause the problems. Deal with those individuals that cause problems swiftly and severely. Continue/expand low or no interest loans or grants for small businesses to refurb their facades. A beautiful city will attract people to small businesses.
1	More kid friendly indoor spaces as in smaller versions of building for kids
1	More large music venues and a nice organic grocery store downtown
1	More local restaurant choices, outdoor activity businesses
1	More local retail and less chain stores and restaurants.
1	More locally owned everything. Manufacturing business and jobs.
1	More low income housing. More local stores such as Jacob's Meet Market. More on Wisconsin Avenue.
1	More manufacturing companies, more locally owned restaurants and stores.
1	More non-franchise retail stores and restaurants
1	More one story condos with small independent yards
1	More options for teenage recreation, arcade/cafe near telulah park and the new skate park would be a hit.
1	More options for things to do in town. I know that's super vague but I don't drink at all so that cuts out what I feel is about 70% of things to do in town. I can only go bowling or to Badger Sports Park so many times.
1	More outdoor dining experiences for the summer days.
1	More public access to water/river areas and business development in these areas.
1	More quality affordable housing. Retail to return to the downtown area.
1	More restaurants downtown, convention center, more concerts at PAC, fully developed riverfront
1	More restaurants or recreational activities. Renovated buildings for new businesses.
1	More restaurants with healthy food options.
1	More restaurants, more stores, especially downtown.
1	More restaurants, upper-scale apartment housing downtown
1	More restaurants.

Count	Response
1	More restaurant and ANYTHING that will provide job growth!!
1	More restaurants, small businesses, and affordable housing near downtown. Creating an area of increased foot traffic
1	More retail
1	More retail
1	More retail downtown, maybe. But also high tech industries would be very welcome as they would draw a new type of people to the area and promote Appleton as even more of a hub city in Wisconsin.
1	More retail downtown, more adaptive reuse of old or historic buildings, more "traditional neighborhood design" development around downtown, more restaurants
1	More retail downtown, we are forced to go to the east or west sides for any sort of retail shopping
1	More river front venues
1	More small business
1	More small manufacturers.
1	More stores downtown. Develop west appleton
1	More upper class restaurants, new condo developments, grocery store west College, more parking downtown appleton
1	More upper-scale apartment housing in the downtown area, preferably complementing the turn-of-the-century/prairie style aesthetic of our beautiful downtown. This would drive a lot of business downtown, too. Wisconsin Ave has a lot of potential with all the housing nearby. Right now there are a lot of professionals (lawyers, dentists, etc.) but those kinds of businesses don't bring foot traffic. Something as simple as a good coffeehouse could drive a lot of business to that area and hopefully some restaurants can expand from there.
1	More varied housing that includes a range affordable to young people and attractive for higher-income people in the downtown area.
1	More variety of restaurants and retail. Don't want to travel to larger metropolitan areas for these
1	More variety of restaurants, better rental properties. Many rental homes attract crime.
1	Much more industry, as much as possible and less of a focus on retail.
1	Multi family, redevelopment of brownfield sites, in fill of existing lots
1	Municipal broadband creation, numerous cities have rolled out significantly better services than existing private incumbents provide. This would be a major selling point for new residents. Office space in downtown Appleton to support the city center area.
1	N/A
1	NO CONVENTION CENTER! WHAT A SINKHOLE!

Count	Response
1	Na
1	Need to attract high-paying industrial jobs.
1	Need to continue developing a variety of mixed uses.
1	Need to encourage manufacturing operations to build and grow in the city limits of Appleton
1	Neighborhood grocery stores, more downtown restaurants, condos downtown and on riverfront, reuse of existing old buildings
1	New beautiful library on the bluff site. Free parking for library users. Fixing parking around Lawrence University. More up scale rental spaces around College Ave. Continued investment in the river/flats area. Investment in improving housing north of College Ave. through grants, etc. Investment in number of teachers per classroom and especially Media Specialists, Art Teachers and Gym Teachers.
1	New business, industry
1	New businesses with jobs Retention of existing business Inviting storefronts
1	New downtown buildings on the Ave must be "taxpayer"- retail space below, condos/rentals above
1	New downtown library. Convention center downtown. Outlet stores.
1	New facilities should be encouraged with tif incentives, but at a lesser rate/shorter term. Revitalization and building rehabs should be tif funded as well & encourage clean up efforts to aging storefronts. Encourage downtown retail to move into rehabbed buildings. Professional services & other small businesses as well. Some properties could become housing units- rentals or condo 's; loft apartments.
1	New shopping mall, downtown.
1	Nice yet reasonable housing for our older/snowbird population. Some retail. Definitely restaurants, especially non-chain. Some industry as long as it increases job availability for our Appleton residents.
1	No more ugly housing by the river. Let's get some good jobs in here!
1	No opinion.
1	Non-industrial River front development which include walkable and usable parks and greenspace. When Mead Pool is replaced in a couple years, it should be relocated next to the river rather than tucked away.....
1	None- stick to a budget
1	Northside restaurants; indoor water park
1	Not sure
1	Not sure!
1	Not sure....more grocery stores located near downtown would be helpful

Count	Response
1	Open more organic and fresh restaurant options within the Appleton area which can open job opportunities as well as offer better eating options and improved health for local folks.
1	Outdoor amphitheater, pedestrian street like pearl st in Boulder, state Street in Madison.....
1	Outdoor areas for restaurants - more on the river
1	Outlet mall like Oshkosh. There's a big space next to Experience Fitness on Wisconsin Ave or the space left by the former Fox Valley Mall.
1	Parking lots next to businesses not ramps
1	Perhaps more apartments
1	Pet friendly housing, Local grocery stores
1	Private businesses that do not require taxpayer money to develop and support. Growth is less important than improving what we currently have.
1	Promote downtown businesses and make it easier for them to thrive by making downtown parking free or have a two hour limit.
1	Promote healthcare businesses as the population ages. Appleton has a very high quality level of services for its size. This will attract surrounding visitors and encourage a high retention of talent. Other large businesses? I fear what could happen if one large employer like Kimberly-Clark were to relocate its offices.
1	Public Market similar to that of Milwaukee with many local restaurants, in an open air concept. As many things that could keep our riverfront growing. I'd love to see Appleton become the stylish small city it could be.
1	Public library Small retail support
1	Public library, developing Northland Mall and surrounding area.
1	Pulling various business into the area would help the tax base.
1	Quaint shops around Northland mall
1	Raise sales tax .5% so it is the same as Brown County. Amusement park/family fun areas Industries Housing that could combine apartments/condos within Senior Assisted/Nursing home areas (Mixed ages) Childcare centers within nursing homes/assisted living centers (Mixed ages) Medical industry
1	Really nice big coffee shop like a colectivo in the downtown area with nice big windows and lots of seating indoors and outside people could bike trails then go for coffee
1	Rec Complex Center Middle School North Appleton - highest taxed area of city... current public middle schools are falling apart
1	Redevelopment of Valley Fair area as well as old K-Mart site.
1	Redevelopment of vacant properties into mixed use- stores, ethnic restaurants and housing.
1	Refurbishing current buildings to create a new offering. Like the Draw on Lawe St.

Count	Response
1	Rehabilitate/Reuse/Repurpose empty warehouses & buildings.
1	Restaurant, retail
1	Restaurants Shops
1	Restaurants (the more diverse the better); decent, affordable housing (Single family homes that are affordable to the average single person. A \$150,000 home is too much for one individual). Appleton doesn't support affordable housing for those in the 'doughnut'. Not low income, not high income, generally a little older with a good salary but can't or doesn't want to spend half their paycheck on a mortgage. Everything seems to be centered on low income or high income (Apple Hill Farms, Clearwater Creek, north side of town)). Any kind of industry that will maintain jobs and bring more.
1	Restaurants and independent retail, particularly on Wisconsin Ave
1	Restaurants and modernized office space to draw outside companies to Appleton
1	Restaurants and more in South Appleton area
1	Restaurants and retail
1	Restaurants and retail expansion on Wisconsin Ave.
1	Restaurants and variety of retail
1	Restaurants downtown and fixing up vacant business (i.e. The old Kmart on college ave and that whole strip by big lots.)
1	Restaurants of different types, industry, service businesses like accounting firms or software companies
1	Restaurants on Wisconsin ave
1	Restaurants on the north side of Appleton, Businesses (manufacturing) to entire area
1	Restaurants shopping
1	Restaurants with different ethnic foods
1	Restaurants!
1	Restaurants! We need more decent restaurants. There needs to be more development by the river. We have this beautiful feature of nature but not a lot of ways to enjoy it.
1	Restaurants, Unique retail stores, More outdoor things to do in the different seasons
1	Restaurants, entertainment industry, convention business, upscale condos
1	Restaurants, family friendly locations
1	Restaurants, industry
1	Restaurants, malls

Count	Response
1	Restaurants, retail
1	Restaurants, retail, entertainment/activities
1	Restaurants, river walk and shopping in the fox river area.
1	Restaurants, specifically a Chick-fil-A
1	Restautants
1	Retail A grocery chain that specializes in organic foods More shopping options in the downtown area
1	Retail (more variety outside of the mall), and more options for multi family homes besides apartment buildings (i.e. Townhomes)
1	Retail and Industry
1	Retail and more "non-chain" locally owned restaurants. More events like Mile of music and octoberfest
1	Retail and more dense housing
1	Retail and restaurant
1	Retail and restaurant downtown (no chains!) Nicer low income housing..I realize this is a can of worms... Drawing larger Corp. To our area to support viable job growth
1	Retail and restaurants
1	Retail and restaurants are both sadly lacking in Appleton itself, as is a centrally located supermarket, which is a scandal! .A downtown cinema would be nice. Clean industrial development in appropriate setting is welcome, particularly high tech industries which need skilled labor and pay decent wages. If you want folks to keep up their houses, shop in nice stores and dine in nice restaurants, they have to make a living wage! Minimum wage employers attract minimal employees who make marginal citizens.
1	Retail and restaurants, locally owned
1	Retail and restaurants, no more bars.
1	Retail away from frm and East Calumet street
1	Retail back to downtown - reasonable prices - catering to all
1	Retail brands that bring people (money) into Appleton. Caribou Coffee Trader Joe's Ross
1	Retail development in the city vs out of town. Treat businesses as priority when planning, not as an after thought to accommodate a minority group.
1	Retail expansion. Nicer apartments would be nice also
1	Retail in terms of novelty shops, neighborhood markets, and niche locations.
1	Retail industry restaurants

Count	Response
1	Retail near north end of 441/41
1	Retail restaurants
1	Retail that is not nail/hair/tattoo shops, auto dealers etc. Restaurants in the city. IT and bio tech based offices.
1	Retail, 90% of retail outlets are in Grand Chute & Darboy
1	Retail, arts
1	Retail, factories other than paper
1	Retail, restaurants
1	Retail, restaurants and industry
1	Retail, restaurants etc. We do not need anymore subsidized low income housing
1	Retail, restaurants,
1	Retail, restaurants, corporate offices for local companies, condominiums
1	Retail,restaurants, industry
1	Retail- nordstrom 's, nordstrom 's rack Restaurant-PF Changs, Cheesecake Factory, Flemings
1	Retail. Restaurant, offices,
1	Retirement housing
1	Revitalization of River area,
1	Revitalization of Wisconsin Avenue, new library, sliding scale housing (like Fox River Mills or the Wire Works).
1	Revitalized Fox River area housing
1	River front development Trader Joe's
1	River walk development, business and entertainment
1	Riverfront Development, and Downtown Sustainability.
1	Riverfront retail, entertainment, restaurant developments
1	Rooftop restaurant in downtown Appleton!
1	Rooftops and/or outdoor patios
1	See above.
1	Senior Citizen community center.s

Count	Response
1	Senior housing for the "new" senior profile. Activities, safe environment, close to retail, etc.
1	Sidewalk cafe's where pets can be included (Switzerland has so many of them.) Love the idea of Row houses close to downtown and rooftop restaurants
1	Small business and entrepreneur growth with tax breaks and incentives.
1	Small business and environment sustainability focus
1	Small business, rentals, condos
1	Small locally owned restaurants and retail shops.
1	Small retail/restaurants within existing neighborhoods.
1	Small to medium manufacturing company. Need to keep the business we have and add more
1	Some of the burden of taxation needs to be lifted off of the shoulders of homeowners. Does industry really pay its fair share right now?
1	Some sort of Amphitheater - Similar to Oshkosh's Leach Amphitheater. Could be used for a multitude of events. Music appears to be a significant draw for the city
1	Southpoint Industrial Park and related infrastructure should create jobs and tax base. Total failure on part of the City government at this point. Also fight to keep good employers like Secura and Community First, make it a high priority for them to stay.
1	Sporting complexes. And redo or create new parks. Redevelop the Fox River area.
1	Stage to bring in larger acts and bike trails
1	Stand alone retail stores
1	Sustainable restaurants and local owned businesses.
1	Sustainable retail businesses- too many have come and gone. Continued development of AFFORDABLE housing along the river
1	Tech businesses, retail
1	Tech manufacturers and machining businesses that supports businesses like Kimberly Clark, Pierce and some of the other large industries already present in the Fox Cities.
1	Tech stores/industry, 3-4 bedroom houses, gyms(24 hour fitness like the one in Parker Colorado)
1	Technology business e.g. IT, Software, etc. Manufacturing
1	Teen activity center
1	The Fox River Mall needs an upgrade. The stores downtown should stay open better hours so that people could shop after work

Count	Response
1	The Meijer project and shopping and restaurants around it at Evergreen/47 would be fantastic!!
1	The conference center (if there is adequate data to support it will do well). hotels, restaurants, entice businesses to come to Appleton
1	The less taxable developments the better. How can we get businesses to invest in the area in their own? TESLA.
1	The mall has empty stores often & they should be leased. New restaurants would be good.
1	There is enough.
1	These sound great! Need to make Appleton more attractive to young professionals so we can get bigger companies here. Make downtown millennial friendly- active, pet friendly, and busy!! More restaurants, things to do!
1	To be honest, I'm not sure what taxable development means! I even tried Googling it. I'm not comfortable giving an opinion on this. If this means taxing projects that are happening in this city than definitely tax industry.
1	Trader Joe's
1	Trader Joe's
1	Trader Joe's more ethnic restaurants
1	Trader Joe's. Locally owned restaurants and small retail especially along riverfront.
1	Trader Joes!
1	Trader Joes, Whole Foods
1	Trader joe's
1	Unsure
1	Unsure
1	Update plumbing and electrical near the downtown area
1	Upscale dining and housing
1	Upscale retail, upscale groceries
1	Use of river as asset. More opportunities for public along river.
1	Use of the Fox River waterfront DO NOT REPLACE OUR LIBRARY BUILDING, INSTEAD REMODLE THE EXSISTING LIBRAY
1	Utilize former K-Mart lot for something useful.
1	Variety of restaurant venues, coffeehouses, bistros, etc.

Count Response

- 1 Vegan/vegetarian restaurants. Large concert venue to attract high profile musicians/bands. Something like Milwaukee's Public Market.
- 1 WI Ave needs to be redeveloped similar to College Ave. West WI Ave should have more restaurants, retail and industry. In general for Appleton, more small business developments would be nice and should be promoted besides the downtown area.
- 1 Waterfront eateries set up along a walking trail
- 1 We are too highly taxed as it is compared to any other community, and not really seeing results of the current taxation.
- 1 We definitely need more industry since the paper industry is gone.
- 1 We have many restaurants in Appleton but seeing more retail stores would be nice.
- 1 We need a serious music venue downtown that is different from the PAC...something more accessible for more people.
- 1 We need more low to moderate income housing options. Working in non profit I get numerous calls with all different situations and the only thing I can do is refer to other agencies that have lengthy waiting lists. When you're a family in crisis facing eviction, loss of a job, health issues, there are very few places to go. Maybe incentives to companies that pay liveable wages, or bringing in new companies to the area. I don't know what though?
- 1 West College development would be great. That whole stretch for the most part is an eye sore & needs a major face-lift. Perhaps an indoor/outdoor Waterpark combo with lodging/resort of some type in the old K-Mart lot. Otherwise I feel investing in repairing all the streets in poor conditions would be huge!
- 1 What does "taxable development" mean???
- 1 What ever someone wants to invest in.
- 1 What ever someone wants to invest in. What makes me mad is paying developers or businesses to put up buildings or businesses with taxpayer money. If you are going to support one developer or business then you are discriminating by not helping everyone who starts a business or currently runs one.. If anyone wants to invest in a Appleton property or start a business they should do it with their own money.
- 1 Where the current library is, the city needs to clean that area up. I can see replacing the library with a mix development condo/retail building. Higher end rent/prices that would bring people with money to spend downtown.
- 1 Why not continue with the wheel tax idea and assess vehicles which get < 35 mph more.
- 1 Wisconsin Ave needs a business upgrade. Downtown has become the enteranment area Wisconsin Ave should be soliciting businesses that are currently building in strip malls that are generally not in Appleton.
- 1 Wood fired pizza restaurant
- 1 Would LOVE to have a Trader Joe's. Any development/improvement on Wisconsin Ave is welcome. Some businesses are improving their look but there are far too many vaping lounges & tattoo shops. More family friendly businesses would be great.

Count	Response
1	Would LOVE to see the continued growth of independent dining and retail options. Maintain but not grow chains and big-box stores. More apartment living. And let's keep focusing on arts and culture for entertainment attractions. We are doing a great job and going in the right direction!
1	Would have to give this some thought...
1	Would like to see a variety of development that would provide a variety of employment opportunities -- so that job opportunities are available for all who want to work (professional, hospitality, industry, service, etc.)
1	Would love for Appleton to have more small stores downtown, and maybe a "fresh produce or grocery store "
1	Would love to see a Trader Joe's, Whole Foods or another upscale grocery store like that..
1	Would love to see a mixed-use development downtown with upscale urban housing.
1	Would love to see more layered development - retail, residential and parking in the same facility.
1	Would love to see new industrial business that create jobs in Appleton.
1	Yeah, all those sound good
1	Young professional housing, active retiree housing, grocer, office space.
1	a grocery store in the downtown area a book store in the downtown area
1	a mix of housing, including high density housing in and near downtown; a strong retail presence downtown; arts and art related projects & development; one of our greatest needs is for a grocery store in the downtown area - perhaps a Trader Joe's or even Whole Foods
1	affordable housing
1	all
1	all of the above
1	all the above - more development centered around the river rather than suburbs
1	an archery field; a senior center in downtown; a Trader Joe grocery store; driver education as part of the schools' curriculum; a Steak and Shake restaurant; maps available of Lawrence campus and especially of the Tech's campus--such confusing places. Also of course, the hospitals; a map of how to get around in those would be a big boon.
1	anchor retailer in downtown appleton
1	apartments, industry
1	better diversity of down to wn businesses, not as many bars. potential downto wn living opportunities
1	bike licensing to those in helmets and speedos on bike lanes; no charge to sidewalk bikers. What is the ordinance, anyway?
1	business incubators, leading edge infrastructure

Count	Response
1	clean industry
1	development along the river!! user tax for bicycles..(.that use city streets.)... or mandatory License plates for bikes like back in the 1960's.
1	development along the water like fratellios . look at the park in Neenah.
1	different types of housing new business development on the river
1	different types of housing, retail, restaurants, industry, etc.
1	downtown grocery store more senior housing communities public "kitchen" to rent for small businesses
1	downtown grocery store river development mixed use BUT while maintaining sounds, sights, everything must be maintained well, while developing
1	downtown grocery; health-conscious restaurant options
1	downtown style shops on East Wisconsin Avenue
1	downtown we need more businesses serving "daily needs" (pharmacy, dry cleaner, doctors and dentists) condos and town homes we certainly don't need more bars dance studios, yoga, art galleries light industry creating jobs
1	ethnic restaurants, Viable retail (Trader Joes, Organic Healthy food stores)
1	fewer TIF's, and more commercial business similar to what Neenah has done in their downtown.
1	higher end restaurants, event/recreational attractions
1	historic restorations and more green spaces
1	housing
1	housing school
1	housing, industry, commercial (offices, etc)
1	housing, retail, corporations, grocery, restaurants
1	housing,retail,industry
1	indoor/outdoor water parks, more things for kids to do to keep out of trouble
1	industry housing
1	industry and housing
1	industry and retail
1	industry will help with tax base.

Count	Response
1	keep the industry and businesses going strong and make housing more affordable and easy to obtain
1	large employers
1	less bars in downtown more shops try for major dept store
1	local retail including restaurants and river development
1	manufacturing operations that provide good paying jobs for people at all levels,
1	minority owned businesses
1	mixed housing
1	mixed use residential/commercial/housing continued commercial investment along riverfront
1	mixed-use residential/commercial buildings in downtown; high-density residential developments in downtown; small-scale commercial nodes within established neighborhoods.
1	mixed-use, high-density multifamily housing downtown/on Wisconsin/Richmond/Oneida/riverfront; amend zoning code to allow townhomes to be constructed within single family neighborhoods as of right; grocery store/pharmacy in downtown core; reduced parking minimums to accommodate denser development without the need for expensive structured parking
1	more affordable rental housing
1	more condo development, especially on the south side Trader Joes
1	more condos/townhouses in the downtown area
1	more lower income housing, strict policies on food stamps, drug testing, etc.
1	more manufacturing - higher paying jobs for people. loss of paper industry jobs hurting our area.
1	more national retail chains and restaurants
1	more restaurants with out door seating, bakeries,
1	more restaurants/shops on northside- Northland/Meade/Ballard/Wisconsin ave. areas
1	more shops downtown, less empty buildings
1	more small business like unique places and antiques. More events not involving alcohol.
1	more support to help keep private retailers, restaurants in business
1	new business / employment centers other than restaurants; more 'young professional' housing downtown and along the riverfront
1	no more taxes
1	no opinion

Count Response

1 not sure - industry, Trader Joe's :)

1 not sure at this time

1 not sure how to comment~ pay fair share

1 park on the lines of bay beach. A large stadium to bring in music of big stars and sports. large water park things to draw more people to our area all year long a place that will draw families at a price that it can afford

1 pocket neighborhoods and other community-based living situations

1 remodeling or building well maintained single family homes in the downtown area

1 rentals/housing that are able to offer at least for some time some kind of subsidy for those who cannot afford our fair market rent

1 restaurant tax hotel tax apartment tax

1 restaurants - NOT CHAINS, small shops, technology based companies.

1 restaurants that can cater to high needs people, ie, those with many food allergies. mom and pop shops, local businesses

1 restaurants, better retail

1 restaurants, non-chain retail

1 restaurants, shops, and, retail located in the downtown area

1 retail

1 retail and restaurants

1 retail, restaurants

1 retail, restaurants, art/gardening industry on West & East Wisconsin Ave

1 retail, restaurants, entertainment

1 retail, restaurants, entertainment. Similar to KK/CE

1 retail/housing combo

1 river front restaurants, seating, trails, etc....similar to what they have in depere along the river

1 riverfront development downtown, more small businesses, more mixed housing and retail

1 riverside dining

Count	Response
1	road improvements, bike lanes and bike paths, parks developed in old run down areas like the old Kmart on W. College
1	senior housing
1	small business friendly, and single family housing.
1	small businesses and housing
1	small delis and other food retailers book store apartments over shops small businesses
1	small independently owned stores, affordable restaurants, low rent apartments
1	small shops and markets river property commercial use but BEAUTIFUL-restaurants and boutiques-flowers and greenery. Too much cement everywhere has created ugliness. Parking lots should never be built without trees required.
1	support quality local journalism - PostCrescent
1	technology companies, live entertainment
1	tiny house communities retail with local products
1	try to get more "destination" retail and restaurants. Years ago, Appleton was a great destination for shopping weekends, restaurants and bars. Now I would much rather go to Brookfield Square area or Mayfair.
1	varieties of multi-family housing options that don't sacrifice aesthetics yet maximize land use. Indoor market (similar to Milwaukee Public Market), more locally owned businesses from diverse business owners
1	we don't really need more restaurants more cultural activities
1	we have great restaurants & entertainment venues now. perhaps more housing downtown, expanded retail
1	☒Open air markets ☒Small businesses that produce something

17. What types of non - “taxable development” would you like to see in Appleton? Examples include but are not limited to parks, trails, museums, etc..



Count	Response
17	Trails
12	Parks and trails
9	trails
6	Museums
5	Trails
4	Parks, trails
3	More walking trails
3	Parks
3	Trails and museums
3	Trails, museums
3	parks and trails
2	Connecting trails that are well signed and promoted.
2	I would like to see more walking trails for people to get out and exercise.
2	More trails

Count	Response
2	Museums!
2	Not sure
2	Parks and trails
2	Trails and parks
2	Trails, museums.
2	Trails, parks
2	walking trails, community reads, education opportunities
1	Fox River History Center/Aquarium / Natural Resource Center, Automotive museum/gallery (Bergstroms?), additional Mountain Bike trails, improvement in the quality of the Paper Discovery Center, Better marketing for the Trout Museum (people think it's a museum about the fish), grow a section of Wisconsin Avenue to make it a more "walkable" entertainment district
1	I would like to see a lot more greening of the city of Appleton Moore gardens Public Gardens more trees more emphasis on Putting more trees and flowerbeds along public streets not just College Avenue and not just the four blocks on Oneida Street
1	#1 City Bike Trail system. #2 The Parks need to be reviewed for safety and usable life... I think the Pierce park equipment is too old....
1	(1) Further development of "off road" bike/foot trails. (2) A formal coalition of museums - an "art district" if you will.
1	* More river trails
1	- More opportunity for public art - Free wifi in downtown parks and outdoor gathering places
1	- New OR improved Library - Round-a-bouts on Wisconsin and College so it doesn't take 20 minutes to drive 2 miles across town.
1	-More support for improvements at our Children's Museum. -Indoor winter play options for families/kids - Public splash pad/s -More trails and/or bike lanes are always a plus -Invest in the lower income housing areas - Roundabouts at the mall to ease traffic burden during busy shopping season!
1	1) Continue to use what we have for culture, arts, and family. eg: Art In the Park, parades, Farmer's Market. 2) Expand bike trails (not bike street paths) in cooperation with neighboring communities.
1	?
1	A cafe within the Trout, with seasonal outdoor tables, protected trails to the waterfront, a new library within a park with small ethnic restaurants or kiosks w/ outdoor seating when possible, or coffee shops
1	A city-owned off-leash rec area that would compliment the Outagamie County Dog Park (which is too small for the number of people/pets who use it) would be great!
1	A fully connected system of trails and paths that connect the city

Count	Response
1	A huge, beautiful library can be a hub of community interaction and a jewel in our crown.
1	A larger art museum with expanded permanent displays would be nice, but there seem to be plenty of parks, etc. Maintaining the quality of the parks should be a priority.
1	A library site accessible to all even those without a car, but not next to the bus station because the loiterers can be foul-mouthed and I don't like hurrying my grandchildren past them
1	A museum network so patrons can have one membership to all the museums in the Fox Valley Area.
1	A new "Thompson Center"
1	A new library, a senior center
1	A new park on Appleton's south side has been a long-recognized need in the city. Also, continued development and enhancement of our trail system, for both walkers and cyclists.
1	A outside gym park (like Fritsch park in Menasha)
1	A park that is dedicated to natural wildlife growth. Sports park (lot of basket ball courts, baseball fields, tennis courts, adding in summer horse shoe, bad mitton nets, ping pong tables etc
1	A senior center, parks open to leashed dogs, lots of walking trails.
1	A splash pad at one of the parks.
1	A traditional art gallery would be a wonderful addition for the downtown area, and always more parks/green space.
1	A trail connecting Neenah to Appleton utilizing the river as much as possible - Part natural/ part city and retail. Splash pads in more places. A museum complex connecting multiple organizations into a more concentrated area
1	Access to healthy soil for children in their playgrounds and parks. Think of the money we would save in our educational, health care, and social systems if our children were healthy instead of suffering from so many chronic illnesses that keep increasing. Incorporate a complete cycling infrastructure and a whitewater park along the river corridor. Think of the young talent that loves the vibe of adventure sports, recreation trail systems, etc.
1	Again safety at parks and public areas for children.
1	Again, more parks and attractions- trails, outdoor theatre, something!
1	Again, not sure what taxable development means! Trails & parks are extremely important to the community! I love the Telulah Trail!
1	All is good in this category, Appleton, your doing great keeping up city parks and trails.
1	All is good there

Count	Response
1	All of the above! I love parks and green space (family related and not), trails and hiking like offered at High Cliff, as many museums as you can bring me. I noted above, but I would also love to see a dog friendly park on the south side of Appleton, similar to what is on the north side on French Rd.
1	All of the above. This brings revenue to the rest of the area
1	All of the above. Parks, trails, bike lanes...
1	All of the examples listed
1	Allow leashed dogs in city parks and add cleanup cans/bag stations to encourage responsible use.
1	Already feel Appleton does a great job with this. Although, do agree w/ need to re-do Erb park pool
1	Always more parks and trails; more cultural is great too.
1	Amphitheater, botanical garden, river walks
1	An aquarium would be nice or a zoo
1	An expanded and updated library building (downtown).
1	An outdoor ampetheatre at Downtown parks for community theatre and concerts.
1	Another dog park, more trails, a history museum.
1	Another museum would be great. Anything to help seniors out too
1	Another park similar to Memorial parks play area for all children.
1	Another sheet of skating ice. Park on the south side. Trails to link neighbors with downtown. Bike paths that do not consist of a line of paint on pavement. Green walls. White roofs.
1	Anything affordable
1	Anything that contributes to the Common Good. Churches...non-profit hospitals ; non-profit assisted living and nursing homes; pre-K non profit schools.
1	Appleton has fantastic parks, we could always use more. However a couple more museums would be awesome as would more community theater.
1	Aqarium
1	Art museums/exhibits/murals and parks/green space.
1	Arts Development Healthcare Education
1	Arts, library, trails
1	As little as possible

Count Response

1 At least a couple of our larger city parks to allow leashed dogs. Perhaps even a dog run in large parks where dogs can exercise, one at a time. More bike lanes and trails. A walking mall on College Ave (no cars at all - only bikes and trolley)

1 Attractions that will draw others in the community to the area!

1 Baseball fields and another sheet of ice at AFIC

1 Beeping crosswalks. Other helpful transportations for disabled people in Appleton, like walkers and wheelchairs that can be checked out around Appleton for an exhausted person. I am very concerned about the minimal drinking fountains around our city. There needs to be many more, starting with the skate area of Telulah park and at points along the trails.

1 Better connection between trails, mountain bike trails, and better use of parks for events

1 Better disc golf parks.

1 Better downtown outdoor music venue.

1 Better parks, connected trails, outlets

1 Better pools

1 Better/more trails along the river. Improvements to Memorial Park including Appleton Family Ice Center.

1 Bigger library with better parking Free chess at parks Winter Carnival Street Festivals

1 Bigger museum. Larger downtown area

1 Bike Trails and Lanes

1 Bike and running trails. Dog friendly ordinances including allowing dogs in parks, downtown and at events. Public plazas. A new library.

1 Bike lanes and trails

1 Bike lanes and trails!

1 Bike lanes, more public space on the river. Hold off on all the new river front apartments. Kayak park similar to Wausau area one.

1 Bike lanes, trails, waterfront

1 Bike shed, where people could learn to fix their own bikes and get parts/bikes for a great deal. Great place for volunteers and center for many community programs. Trails to connect Lutz Park with Water St Trails to connect communities along the river Urban camping, youth hostels New library/community center Better community table options, check out Lentils as Anything, Melbourne, Australia

1 Bike trails

1 Bike trails I don't have to drive miles to get to & connected to statewide trails. Current parks are great

Count	Response
1	Bike trails connecting the valley, using old rail systems (rail to trails)
1	Bike trails to get from north side to downtown for farmers market. No easy/safe way to downtown
1	Bike trails, further park development
1	Bike trails, low income and senior housing
1	Bike trails, nature preserves, technical offerings in schools
1	Bike trails, new library, increased hiking/walking opportunities
1	Bike trails. Parking garages.
1	Bike trails/lanes that connect to other nearby trails
1	Bike/walking trails, parks, library, youth resource center
1	Biking and walking paths
1	Biking and walking trails are always great. I use and love the ones we already have. I'd love to see more public square type spaces (protected from cars) that restauranters can use to put tables. Perhaps green spaces interspersed in the urban areas.
1	Biking and walking trails,
1	Bird refuges, Milkweed gardens, youth sport/activities facilities.
1	Bring back neighborhood watch
1	Churches, Artsy places, Social Agencies that are helping people.
1	City pool or beach, bike trails, parks, splash pad
1	City wide art venues
1	Clean up the parks we have! Safer walking/bike trails
1	Close Oneida St between Lawrence St and College Ave to create a urban outdoor market(an everyday farmers market).
1	Community garden space, bike trails. The parks are great, so I don't know if more of those are needed (seriously, awesome job on the parks).
1	Completed and functioning convention center asap,
1	Connect existing trail systems, upgrade existing parks, restore the street grid downtown
1	Connecting Fox River trail system to state trail system
1	Continue to build and enhance parks, trails and green space.

Count	Response
1	Continue to invest in bike lanes and paths, so bike use can be more realistic, purposeful, and safer. Mason, Drew, Fremont, and future John St. are good starts. Work with other area leaders to improve Appleton residents' quality of life - like the idea for a pedestrian/bike tunnel (like the ones under E. College) under 441 from Kensington (west) to Lamers / Festival / Breadsmith / Pick N Save on the east side - that would reduce Appleton traffic and road costs by Menards and Pick N Save intersections.
1	Continue to update parks. Peabody park is completely ignored. Every other park is having work done except Peabody. So much potential for a fishing pier, a river walk, a better shelter, ice rink. Needs sidewalks.
1	Continue to work on trails along the river.
1	Continued connection of bike trails....facilities at parks....expansion/improvement of ice skating facilities!
1	Continued development of the recreational trail system, expansion of the public library and more funding for the museums. I LOVE the more recent offerings at the History Museum!
1	Continued development of trails and parks -- but not an over extension of bike lanes. There is a bike lane on Franklin there does not need to be one on College. If more N/S bike lanes are needed pick a street like Division not Appleton.
1	Continued maintenance of existing bike trails, a solution to our library issue, addition of more bike routes. Continued Saturday am Farmers Market and other events that bring people out into our parks and downtown such as Yoga in City Park.
1	Continued river trail development
1	Create a more appealing public transportation option especially for downtown so business individuals and families have a comfortable and safe way to travel within the downtown area. Suggestion: Maybe Valley Transit is for lower income travel and a fashionable "trolley" would be more appealing to business individuals for travel within the downtown area.
1	Create off street biking for actual commuting not just for recreation. Create a bus loop for Wisconsin Ave, College Ave, Appleton Airport, Lawe St. and go in a circle.
1	Dedicated bike trails, trestle trail connecting Peabody with Tellulah
1	Definitely like another dog park
1	Definitely trails and museums and stuff to do if you aren't into drinking
1	Develop the riverfront for Public Use. Build the new Library.
1	Developing the museum(s) we have, more biking and walking trails and developing the ones we have or making one unified trail system?
1	Development along the river that would bring people to the river - not just those who live along the river.
1	Diversity in the parks, development of river recreation
1	Do not know.
1	Dog friendly parks

Count	Response
1	Dog friendly parks!
1	Dog park closer to downtown
1	Dog park.
1	Dog parks
1	Dog walking trails
1	Don't feel like we need more parks but need to continue to maintain those we have - I live near Erb and love the new plans for it.
1	Don't know
1	Don't know. Appleton has just about everything.
1	Don't need new parks. Take care of the ones we have.
1	Downtown walk way
1	Educational resources like adult learning centers, literacy services, senior center,
1	Elder care housing in downtown, connecting ped trails on river corridor, Continued river front development
1	Enhance parks, many more trees on boulevards/terrace strips.
1	Enough with the bike lanes. They are under utilized just like the bus.
1	Erb Park should be upgraded nicely, but leave it mostly open space. The parks make Appleton nice. A trail along the river would be good too. Bike lanes are a waste of money --- have you done a traffic count on them? They are on streets dangerous to bike on to begin with.
1	Erb park, improved building for kids museum
1	Erb upgraded or replace with family aquatic center, more recreation along the river, multi-generation community center
1	Event venues, trails, aquarium
1	Exactly! Parks! Trails! As many as possible! I would love to see a splash pad or two in the city. Every parent I know has driven to the Sherwood splash pad at least once. They are wonderful. the children's museum is amazing.
1	Expand the riverfront recreation and opportunities for wellness in the parks, trail, and bike system and you will increase tourism and the desire of educated, talented individuals who will want to call Appleton home.
1	Expanded FISC outreach. Continue plans to expand/connect bike trails. It would be neat to have a mini "domes" here (think milwaukee). More healthy living education.
1	Expanded footprint of downtown YMCA and improved trail system for walking/running/biking

Count	Response
1	Extend the bike trail system.
1	Extended recreational trails between Pierce Park and the Fox River
1	Family oriented areas: parks, trails
1	Far southside of Appleton a larger park with tennus courts. Lacking courts on southside at moment. Cheaper & more available transportation of our elderly, especially those in assisted living to get around to appointments to help families not equipped. Should not be so much red tape for this.
1	Finish the County LP sidewalks as planned long ago. Do not build the fancy library that Hanna tried to shove down our throat last year.
1	Finish the trail from the Flats to Lutz Park
1	Free busses- more accessible public transportation that is full instead of empty.
1	Funding for community organizers who can mentor neighborhood leaders into building active neighborhood groups.
1	General park improvements, walking trails. More disc golf courses.
1	Get on the ball and finish the library project. This is ridiculous that such a widely-used resource is being allowed to languish.
1	Get rid of one way streets downtown but not for bike lanes. (I am a biker) We need parking spaces. Water Park?
1	Gondolas connecting the mall with downtown.
1	Green space by the river. Need not always add some type of development.
1	Green space walking biking trails
1	Green space. Community gardens.
1	Help fund the History Museum.
1	Hiking/mountain biking trails
1	History trails, better thought out River trail system, new landmarks/art installations
1	Hotels, housing, enforce developers like Riverheath to follow through with trails, roads etc
1	How about a riverwalk?
1	I LOVE the arts projects that have been taking place downtown. I would love to see further city-supported pop-up galleries, community art projects, and the like. I am 100% in favor of our neighborhood pools and parks. More--and connected--trails would be wonderful. I would also favor housing for our homeless neighbors in a neighborhood/village model.

Count Response

- 1 I am satisfied with the non-taxable development that we currently have. New trails are always nice, but I really want our city to be responsible with its money and I'd rather we focused on fixing our roads and sewers right now instead of adding parks and trails.
- 1 I can't think of any.
- 1 I enjoy trails museums and parks, but only if needed.
- 1 I feel as though we already have wonderful parks and trails, although I can't comment on the Paper museum, I haven't been yet.
- 1 I feel like we have ample parks and museums.
- 1 I love our parks so the upkeep for those is important to me.
- 1 I love our trail system and would like to see more scenic/trail areas. My favorite times are spent walking the trails close to downtown.
- 1 I love the different trails and would love if some water fountains could be added for drinks
- 1 I prefer quality over quantity and would like to see upgrades to parks as needed vs creating more. I do think walking and bike trails are a huge asset in making Appleton desirable. I would love to see even more development in the Locks. So amazing how that is coming alive!
- 1 I support adding more trails/pedestrian experiences along the riverfront. The Fox River is a central part of our history in Appleton and it is time for us to embrace that area. We should be proud of all of our parks/common spaces in the City of Appleton. Those serve as places to connect with each other and learn from each other.
- 1 I think it would be great to add to the existing off street trail network or even a system that connects each of some of the parks in the city together in some way.
- 1 I think that the riverfront needs to be developed from at least a walking path perspective to start. Appleton does very little to promote this resource as far as I can tell. Other cities I have been in around the country have river walks, shopping, restaurants and housing on the river banks.
- 1 I think that these areas are plentiful in the city. I would like to feel more secure and safe when using the trails/parks alone
- 1 I think the whole downtown needs to take on a different vibe playing off of some of the great renovations that already exist. I think that College Ave should be blocked off from Durkee to Walnut. Ressurect the brick road underneath and the rail to run a trolley up and down those blocks. Design the area "old school" . Add heat under those bricks and on the sidewalk with piped in smell and music like in Holland, MI. Make this an area that is different than the mall. Maybe entice a store like the old Woolworths to have a Malt shop. Make this a family orientated location. I lived in Appleton my whole life except for about 10 yrs. There are some features the youth have missed out on such as the Prange windows at Christmas. We need some of those kinds of items brought back to Appleton. This can then extend down to the river to have a river walk.
- 1 I think we have a great park system in town. I agree completely with keeping the pool at Erb Park but think some splash pads at several parks (esp parks in the downtown area ie. Jones and City) would be great. I have a daughter that lives in Oak Park II. Oak Park is a similar size city with 2 city swimming pools as well as 4 or 5 splash pads. I truly think splash pads would bring families to the downtown area (esp if there is adequate parking in the area).

Count Response

1	I used to live in Bloomington, Indiana, and, when I was there, their Council voted to change the routes of the trains so that they ran around the city and not through it. Then, the city transformed the existing tracks into a trail system. I would love to see that done here.
1	I would like to limit the amount of real estate that the Y can buy, take off the tax rolls and left to rot
1	I would like to see a bigger museum.
1	I would like to see a continuous trail that loops the entire valley completed. I would like to see the library updated and developed.
1	I would like to see continued development/improvement/cleanup all along the Fox River including trails, lighting, fishing & rest areas etc. In addition more designated Dog parks/areas as well.
1	I would like to see more paved recreation trails for walkers and bikers particularly in south Appleton
1	I would like to see more trails and continue to keep up the parks that are already here.
1	I would love more trails. I enjoy walking them. Also bike trails that would connect to different cities.
1	I would love more walking trails
1	I would love to see Appleton do maintenance on some of the parks, add more trails in the city that are accessible by foot or bike, and more affordable community activities for children.
1	I would love to see a continuation of the trails system to connect some of our area parks and recreation spots to one another. I would also like to see more of the bike lanes and safe walking spaces connect to areas of retail and restaurants
1	I would love to see more museums!!!
1	I would love to see us develop a trail, path, or route system that connects all of our parks and green spaces.
1	I'd like for more off street trails for bikes and walking south of Calumet St. I would love for a natural history museum in the area. Woodlawn Park along with Horizons Elementary playground needs to be expanded. I appreciate the recent updates to that park but it's not enough for the children in the neighborhood, as I'm sure is the case for other playgrounds.
1	I'd like to see more access to the Fox River--for everyone, not just for those who can afford waterfront property.
1	I'd love to see more museums. Especially natural history, science, and environmental.
1	I'm very happy with the excellent museums we have in downtown Appleton. It would be nice to develop the riverfront and connect it to College Avenue. Hiking and biking trails along the river would be a big plus.
1	I've never seen a trail or park that doesn't get used as long as it is maintained...so those are always my vote
1	If a new library is built, that the site is accessible, has adequate parking and I do support it to be in the downtown area. Kaukauna using a repurposed mill has produced a beautiful site and has added a very usable and inviting area to the riverfront. I am paying attention to areas in Appleton, but don't have any brilliant suggestions yet.

Count	Response
1	Improve trails. Women's History Museum or a Women's Wing to the Castle.
1	Improvement to Jones Park. Improvement to Building for Kids. Better/easier options to pay for parking. Trails for biking and walking. More bike lanes.
1	Improvement to our parks with more playgrounds
1	Increase the number of walking and biking trails.
1	Increased education funding Connecting bike trails along the river
1	Increased green space around college ave
1	Indoor community center space that can be rented similar to parks/pavilions for small parties and gatherings
1	Indoor park!
1	Intentional green spaces to break up the concrete feel of Wisconsin Ave, providing workers the same opportunity to take a lunch or break in a pleasant location as in Downtown
1	Interactive museums and activities for families
1	It would be great to get the trails in the fox cities connected and better marketed with signs, names and maps. As many as we can along the river would be great. Also, a city dog park as opposed to just the one "county park" that is outside the city limits. A milwaukee like summer beer garden in one of the parks.
1	It would be great to have a botanical garden!
1	It would be nice to have a downtown park on the riverfront.
1	It would be wonderful to connect all city parks via bike/walking trails. I truly don't know how feasible that would be.
1	Keep developing and maintaining the sports complexes. Try to bring in more youth and recreational tournaments.
1	Keep existing parks GREAT, museums?
1	Keep the parks clean and safe Make trails accessible from neighborhoods Better use of the avenue mall space! Safer options for biking, esp with kids
1	Keeping the park system updated and beautiful. More bike trails.
1	Keeping trail development going like by the river. Park system is excellent - keep the city band concert going.
1	Keeping up on the parks s huge. I was at Tellulah with my daughters and found a pot pi pie on th playground. I know police can't be there all the time, but I know that's a park that should have more police presence
1	Large "community park" on the south side, better trail connectivity,
1	Large fieldhouse with a 200m indoor track.

Count	Response
1	Large southside park
1	Leashed dogs allowed in parks Senior playground
1	Libraries, parks, multi-use green space
1	Library
1	Library in a beautiful building and safe neighborhood! Parks, walking and biking trails. Remove parking meters downtown! This deters people from wanting to go there!!
1	Library, hiking and biking trails
1	Library, library, library
1	Library, library, library. Parking ramp replacement. Paved trails. 18 hole disc golf course.
1	Library, senior center, trails, parks
1	Library, swimming pools, parks
1	Library/Community Center, subsidized, affordable housing, senior programs, youth programs through Park and Rec.
1	Library/community center. Trails. Parks with arts potential (think Shakespeare on the river in the amphitheater of the Ellen Kort park). More trails.
1	Look at the city of Marquette, MI and copy it. It was a failing city and they invested in mountain bike trails. They have people coming from all over the country to ride bikes. I'm one of them and I spend a lot of money there.
1	Looking forward to a revamped Erb Park & Pool. This is an absolute necessity. Also would like more trails in central/north central Appleton. Everything seems to be on the outskirts of town. We definitely need to focus on a new library as well. This town doesn't realize what an important resource the library is - library is vital to maintaining Appleton as a thriving community.
1	Lots more trails parks and would love a world class museum
1	Love parks and trails, things to do through the winter.
1	MUSEUMS!!!!!!
1	Maintain our current parks and trails. Trail development near the riverfront should continue. Trails to connect parks would be great, especially on the north side and perimeter of Appleton.
1	Maintaining and keeping parks clean and drug free makes the area beautiful and promotes healthy living with children. I would love a history museum or a larger art museum to add more culture to the area. The best ones are in Milwaukee or Chicago and I think having something like that would bring positive tourism
1	Maintenance of Appleton's wonderful parks Adding more bike and walking trails
1	Making sure our parks have updated equipment to play on and keeping up tennis courts, basketball courts and other sports

Count	Response
1	Maybe a zoo or a water park.
1	Maybe next time don't cal, it a short survey if it takes longer than five minutes to complete on a tablet
1	Mile of Music, concerts at the baseball park. Fox River development,including housing,boating,restaurants.
1	Montessori schools, expansion of the ymca or city gym/activity center like 24 hour access
1	More parks, hiking, walking trails.
1	More Park improvement
1	More activities in the parks
1	More and Larger Parks
1	More bike access to the downtown area, specifically form the south. Continued investment in driving development along the riverfront
1	More bike and walking trails
1	More bike lanes and paths. A hiking trail from Lutz Park past downtown on the river.
1	More bike lines and bike storage throughout the city. Would love to see the city further cultivate it's image as an arts town. Build on the momentum of Mile of Music, Trout Museum, PAC, etc.
1	More bike paths and bike-friendly streets; modest improvement at river public access points; more utilization of native plants and no-mow lawns in city plantings and parks.
1	More bike paths that are not on roads.
1	More bike paths, we should encourage Appleton residents to bike as much as possible. not only would it make for a healthier community but it will also cut down on road congestion and pollution.
1	More bike trails
1	More bike trails
1	More bike trails and lanes, more sculpture and public art.
1	More bike trails, into. Mountain bike trails, similar to Reforestation station near the New Zoo in Green Bay.
1	More bike trails, new library
1	More bike trails, park improvement. More tennis courts at parks would be amazing!
1	More biking /walking trails
1	More biking trails
1	More biking trails.... Additional parks in North Appleton... new developments

Count	Response
1	More biking/walking trails.
1	More community celebrations- special events
1	More connect trails
1	More contiguous biking/hiking trails. For a good example, refer to the Green Circle Trail in Steven Point.
1	More culture always good for a community
1	More dog friendly trails more nature trails
1	More dog-friendly parks and trails. Dogs aren't even allowed to walk through the downtown Appleton Farmer's Market-- which we have found that in many other cities is a dog-friendly event.
1	More dog-friendly parks, trails that cyclists can use that are NOT on roadways, museums would be a great addition, and a library that is not in one of the worst neighborhoods in the city.
1	More entertainment venues, like museums, art, music. There are enough bars/places to drink already! The river should be an attraction but there are no businesses, all old falling apart buildings blocking access to view the river
1	More flowers/plants and or botanical garden
1	More low income housing.
1	More mountain bike trails
1	More museums
1	More museums and culture
1	More museums and education related venues
1	More museums and educational friendly things for homeschoo lers.
1	More museums and trails in the area
1	More museums, and more trails for walking.
1	More museums, mostly art
1	More museums, soccer areas, and basketball courts.
1	More museums, things for people to do on the cheap.
1	More natural play areas, such as wooded areas, that are left in their natural state, for children to play in.
1	More nature trails that connect to one another Non-profit performing arts venues and galleries
1	More off street walking/bike trails would be very nice.

Count	Response
1	More parks
1	More parks and green space along river
1	More parks and trails
1	More parks and trails definitely. Especially near the river
1	More parks and trails. More kid friendly things to do indoors and outdoors!
1	More parks is always good. A park doesn't have to have a playground or Pavilion, just nature.
1	More parks off the beaten trail, fixing up the building for kids (update and expansion and open for longer hours),
1	More parks with trails and activities for all age ranges, more winter activities/indoor parks, more secular day care/preschool options. A natural history museum--a good one--is sorely needed, and a kids' museum.
1	More parks would be great, and definitely bike trails. Anything to promote healthy living. Perhaps community gardens too.
1	More parks, trails, and other free family activities.
1	More parks, trails, etc. along the Fox River.
1	More parks, trails, museums are always great improvements!
1	More parks. Especially in the "older parts of town". The new subdivisions have plenty. Inner city kids [often living in houses with very small lots] need somewhere to play.
1	More parks/green space/Pow Wow facility More permanent gallery space for The Artery. (Note above, re-purpose empty buildings!) Native American Museum & activities
1	More places to take pre-teens and teens that don't cost \$10/hour that everyone can afford. Museums & parks are a good start. I was disappointed when the senior center closed. I am at the age where I could enjoy it. Now because it left downtown I have to travel all the way across town. Why can't the city provide a central place closer to Oneida Heights. This would be a great use for the old library if it is moved.
1	More public space by the river.
1	More quality hotels
1	More riverfront attractions. Utilize and connect what we have
1	More riverfront development that is pedestrian friendly would be great - similar to what Green Bay did downtown.
1	More riverfront trails and ways to get from one side of town to the other Amphitheatre style music venue!!!! Our city could support this
1	More riverfront trails, dog friendly leash areas. More garbage cans and pet waste bags in existing heavy traffic areas.

Count	Response
1	More runnings trails
1	More safer walking trails.
1	More shoreline fishing access. Better hiking trails. More riverfront parks and access.
1	More small parks w tennis courts. A larger brighter public library
1	More swimming pools
1	More trails & family-friendly walking areas, Gardens
1	More trails around the river, more art, music and dance spaces, new library
1	More trails for walking/biking and perhaps some that are maintained throughout the winter months for cross country skiing and snowshoeing
1	More trails linking the cities that make up the Fox cities.
1	More trails that connect the Fox Cities
1	More trails that you can feel safe riding on as a single woman. I also really like going Art in the Park.
1	More trails to connect existing trails! I love cycling but will not cycle on country roads.
1	More trails, and a much more effective link of the downtown to the river and of College Avenue and Wisconsin Avenue.
1	More trails, expansion of the Children's Musuem
1	More trails.
1	More treeso and bike and walking trails
1	More walking and biking parks/trails
1	More walking and biking trails.
1	More walking trails and biking trails
1	More walking trails, especially toward the Darboy area. There are no sidewalks or parks on this end of calumet.
1	More walking trails, handicap accessible parks, schools/businesses with more accessible features such as automatic outside/bathroom doors,
1	More walking trails. We love Riverview Gardens!
1	More walking/biking trails
1	Most are OK as is

Count	Response
1	Mountain bike trails that are not located along busy roads such as 441, 41, or College Ave.
1	Multi-use trails Maintained tennis courts at parks Outdoor and indoor fitness-related activities for seniors and others
1	Museum, aquarium, aquatic center
1	Museums
1	Museums & trails
1	Museums and educational developments
1	Museums and trails
1	Museums are a great idea, planetarium? Aquarium?
1	Museums for sure.
1	Museums would be great.
1	Museums would be nice. I don't know of much in Appleton. Something of a good size, not just little shops, downtown would be nice to see.
1	Museums! I think we have a nice selection of parks, trails, etc already.
1	Museums, B-corporations, non-profit companies working on community development and innovation.
1	Museums, art galleries
1	Museums, learning opportunities, parks
1	Museums, more hiking trails
1	Museums, more things for kids to do to stay out of trouble
1	Museums, parks and trails.
1	Museums, parks that are dog friendly,
1	Museums, tax incentives for downtown neighborhood revitalization, riverfront access and trail development.
1	Museums, trails, parks
1	Museums. Senior Community Center!
1	Musuems
1	N/A

Count	Response
1	Nature preservation, off-street ped/bike trails, neighborhood-level community amenities like small volunteer-run community centers, community gardens.
1	Nature spaces, family areas, library, recreation, trails,
1	Nature/wilderness trails, dog-friendly parks
1	Neighborhood parks and trails
1	New library and community center.
1	New library, connections to the river, bike and pedestrian infrastructure
1	New library, trails, shelter for homeless
1	New park equipment, and new biking/walking trails
1	New pool at Erb Park
1	New public library for the 21st century. Enhanced public school facilities open to the public.
1	No comment
1	No new library--not justified Trails or sidewalks on County LP all the way to 114 East Wisconsin Ave--anything to shine up area east of Appvion Slow down traffic on E Calumet Street near East property
1	No new parks, necessarily, but maintenance is crucial. I especially think of parks with very little new materials, such as Pierce Park, and Erb Park, that can use funds to stay open and continue to serve their communities. An extension for the already wonderful county historical museum would be a blessing. Perhaps even a satellite location to display travelling exhibits outside of downtown.
1	Non road Bike trails
1	Non-taxable development should include more non-motorized vehicle trails i.e. walking/biking.
1	None
1	None we can't continue to spend
1	None, Appleton has plenty amenities already.
1	Not sure
1	Nothing comes to mind
1	Off road trails
1	Off street bike/pedestrian trails
1	Off-road cycling trails, on-street bike lanes, paved multi-use paths

Count Response

1	Old paper mill could become a museum or more loft apartments. Trails & parks could pass thru downtown areas as well. An assortment of specialty shops could bring more revenue in. Milwaukee's Public Market is an interesting place that draws good crowds for shopping, eating, browsing. Residence of Appleton (and around the Valey) would make a Public Market place thrive.
1	Our parks and trails are vital to maintaining our culture
1	Outdoor 2500-5000 seat Amphitheater for performances, perhaps down in the flats or Riverview Gardens. We need to draw in bigger bands. We really need a dog park within on of our central city parks- Erb, City Park or Pierce. Don't tell me it can't be done, other cities have done it all across the country.
1	Outdoor activities
1	Outdoor parks/trails
1	Outdoor theater (like American Players Theater in Spring Green); Kort Peace Park on the riverfront; large park on the south side.
1	Outside, entertainment
1	PARKS!!! Trails!!! We have many awesome community events on the weekends, but more cant hurt. Appleton Downtown Inc is great at this!
1	Park Enhancements.
1	Park improvements, more free days museums
1	Park with exercise equipment (like Fritsch park) and trails.
1	Parks Maintain museums already here Library as a priority
1	Parks Museums Kid friendly activities
1	Parks
1	Parks and Trails
1	Parks and bike trails
1	Parks and museums
1	Parks and museums.
1	Parks and trail
1	Parks and trail system, great for all families
1	Parks and trails are good. More of those would be nice.
1	Parks and trails which utilize the waterfront. This is the most underutilized recreational resource we have in Appleton.

Count	Response
1	Parks and trails!
1	Parks and trails, particularly included in riverfront development
1	Parks and trails. Especially a trail with art (sculpture) going from Michaels' parking lot to Water St. What problem do you want to solve? What is life asking of you? What do you have to give? How can you add value in a given context? What are the needs or opportunities around you? What are you being summoned to do? Ater
1	Parks and walking trails.
1	Parks are always a great investment as are trails.
1	Parks are always great!! Walking trails scare me because of the woman who got jumped and what happened on the tressel trail
1	Parks are good .. Trails are good Take care of Appleton's day to day needs and stop trying to be something we (Appleton) are not
1	Parks devoted to contemplative experiences rather than sports, particularly ones engaging the river. The Foremost Dairy site comes to mind. How much better to save this space than give it away to developers for a use that could go anywhere including the many sad vacant downtown blocks! A centrally-located library, not one tucked away on the edge of downtown, A year-round pool and year-round skating rink, A resident theater company. And most certainly, not wasting money re-opening Oneida, but rather do something smart with moribund City Center Plaza. That library, or theater, or ice rink comes to mind.
1	Parks in Appleton with splash pads and more green space
1	Parks with facilities for young children (0-4) and trails
1	Parks, bike and walking trails, we have enough museums, but more public support of the current ones would be appreciated.
1	Parks, bike trails, science museum, walking trails WITH shade, safe cross walks, community gardens
1	Parks, dog parks
1	Parks, educational centers
1	Parks, infrastructure, clean water, roads.
1	Parks, nature preserves
1	Parks, trails
1	Parks, trails for biking and running.
1	Parks, trails, and museums
1	Parks, trails, and museums are all valid parts of a vibrant community.
1	Parks, trails, and public library along riverfront.

Count	Response
1	Parks, trails, biking, hiking, update tennis courts at parks
1	Parks, trails, community centers, theaters and cultural hubs offering alternative and more diverse options.
1	Parks, trails, fine arts
1	Parks, trails, library improvement
1	Parks, trails, more cultural things, health
1	Parks, trails, museums, Splash pads
1	Parks, trails, museums, and bike lanes.
1	Parks, trails, road updates
1	Parks, trails, library programs
1	Parks. ...museums...
1	Parks. Pool. Library.
1	Parks. Trails. Museums.
1	Pavilion upgrades. Bathroom at EVERY appleton city park.
1	Pavilions at patks
1	Pedestrian system that physically connects the parks and other community spaces. Stop turning back on the Fox River and embrace/connect to it.
1	Pedestrian trail by the river; more river development for public use
1	Preserve history where we can (buildings, landmarks, etc.)
1	Preserving natural elements.
1	Private owned non-profit Natural History Museum Senior Center Resource center for low income, homeless, etc.
1	Promotion and encouraging of non profitable/charity events while using the City's parks
1	Protect the parks and continue support of museums/arts related programs
1	Public Swimming Pool, Senior Center, in Central City!
1	Public art, riverside trails and parks. Milwaukee holds an event called Doors Open Milwaukee ,a version of that would be awesome!
1	Public art/ music

Count	Response
1	Public parks and trails (outdoor activities) are my must haves.
1	Public parks not shared with the school district.
1	Put money towards public parks BUT ASK THE TAXPAYERS WHAT THEY WANT IN A PARK. I love all the trails we have in Appleton. Could we ever have too many trails?
1	Rails to trails, riverfront park development, more use of the locks, canoe and kayak rental
1	Really nice earthy visitor center by a water way near the flats with nice signs for birds that live in the area
1	Recreation space, trails, green space, waterfront development
1	Recreation trails
1	Redevelop waterfront for use by citizens, i.e. parks and light mixed-use development.
1	Rejuvenated Children's Museum. Indoor play spaces for winter time. Water park.
1	River access, a connected trail system, mountain bike park, art scene with removal of city restrictions.
1	River walk.
1	Riverfront development should involve a diverse mix of dining/retail/parks/trails/etc.
1	Riverfront parks/trails and fishing and boating access. Library!! And new parking ramps with retail on first floor
1	Roads
1	SE Appleton could benefit from a large park like Memorial Park.
1	Safe Bike trails
1	Safe trails, parks, and interesting museums are welcome, but we don't need many more of those since we have a good amount already.
1	Safe, lighted trails with emergency beacons
1	Safer parks and trails. More police patrol if these areas. Afraid to go to some parks. Worry about gangs!
1	School improvements, park improvements.
1	Schools, parks
1	Senior center - we need to come up with a solution for long term use, that is free and accessible.
1	Senior center, trails (walking), skateboard park
1	Shelters, housing, anything education centered and we love museums.
1	Small businesses and revamping Wisconsin ave

Count Response

1	Some attractions to develop the riverfront area with hotels, parks, museums. Or family entertainment/relaxation areas (i.e. for picnics, outdoor games, family outings, etc. We could use all those spaces to attract visitors to our area and keep residents here. Inform residents of how city is planned out to help them better navigate. The random one-way streets downtown are confusing to people, and cause many turns or almost turns down those streets. For example, Appleton St. on the north side of College Ave. where it is only one way for half the block. The City Center ramp (not East ramp) has too many blind turns that cause a lot of slamming breaks and when exiting you are blind to pedestrian it is especially concerning when it is right by The Building for Kids.
1	Somehow connect Pierce Park with Lutz Park so pedestrians can move between the two without walking on roads that have no sidewalks!
1	Something botanical.
1	South side park.
1	Splash Pad / wet park
1	Splash pad
1	Splash pad at the parks! Walking trails.
1	Sporting events
1	TRAILS
1	TRAILS!!!
1	Take down the Avenue ramp and Washington Building. Build a new library and Senior center there and on the Conway Hotel Property. Put a new ramp in the current Library location. With City Hall, Childrens Museum, and the Library and Senior center in one location, it would make a great community center for all Appleton residents.
1	Taxable businesses that provide a benefit to the community such as expo center, theatres etc.
1	The Appleton library always seems like a dark and dreary place to me. I would love to see it updated to include more natural light like the Neenah library.
1	The city needs more hockey rinks
1	The expanded Telulah trails is great if there are more opportunities in the city.
1	The history museum is a cultural hot spot and would love more art. Would love an art museum dedicated to lgbt. Keeping the parks we have with continued investment
1	The library. An ice-skating rink at Houdini plaza (with a warming hut) during the winter.
1	The only thing missing is a straight science museum otherwise I think we truly have tons to do and use our space wisely
1	The riverfront between Old Lawe Street (behind the Lawrence University Warch Center) and Peabody Park (including the old dairy) needs to be developed as a better trail. There is already a trail, but it needs improvement. Then continue the trail between Peabody Park and FREEA behind the cemeteries.

Count	Response
1	The splash pad idea was great but on a small scale in parks on the outer areas of town. Keep the large pools though.
1	There are a few parks.. Jones Park and Peabody Park in particular that I feel could use a little more care given to.
1	There are more than enough parks and recreation possibilities within the city limits so we need to continue to support and develop those instead of looking to add more.
1	There are so many dog owners, Appleton should have more dog/people parks.
1	There is enough.
1	There is so much that could be done for more trails and activities along the river. We don't need a new Library.
1	Think I answered before 😊
1	Trail network
1	Trail that runs north/south through Appleton
1	Trails Landscaping
1	Trails FREE museums Second/additional library (don't get rid of the current one because it's by the bus stop; don't move a church just to have a 'scenic' location for a bigger library) ESPECIALLY needed on the north side of Appleton
1	Trails Parks
1	Trails & parks
1	Trails along river, more parks with soccer nets, basketball courts, green space along Wisconsin Avenue. Promote historic areas.
1	Trails along the river
1	Trails along the river (Peabody park to Lawrence/Water St for example), Paving the trail in Peabody park (increased river access), Redevelopment on College Ave from I41 to Linwood Street. Sidewalks on all major roadways.
1	Trails along the river front and connecting the downtown to the river front.
1	Trails and Parks
1	Trails and bike lanes
1	Trails and museums, family entertainment that doesn't cost a lot.
1	Trails and off street paths for bikes and walking
1	Trails and parks
1	Trails are great but could be extended. A better (well-lit) staircase down to the riverfront.

Count	Response
1	Trails are nice, but I would like more parks.
1	Trails around the river.
1	Trails connecting existing trail systems.
1	Trails for bicycling, meaningful exhibits at the Houdini museum, community boards in select areas on College Ave for posters for events that are happening and improved park shelters.
1	Trails for both walking and biking
1	Trails for running and biking! And connections between existing trail systems
1	Trails for walking and biking
1	Trails for walking and biking, library, Northside park
1	Trails for walking and biking.
1	Trails for walking, biking, rollerblading, etc. Adding or updating parks that are already in place.
1	Trails for walking/ biking museums and the library would be great for kids/families
1	Trails for youth that are off-road. Neighborhood parks with sledding hills and wooded areas to play.
1	Trails linking the parks along the river
1	Trails that actually lead to places people want to go and support. We have plenty of parks, I would just like to see better ways to get there safely
1	Trails that are "in town" more.
1	Trails that are maintained in winter. More off road paths along major streets.
1	Trails that are safe
1	Trails that connect around the city but not on major roads and definitely not on college avenue.
1	Trails that you don't cross busy streets
1	Trails to highlight the river.
1	Trails with a purpose. Like historical out self guided walking tours.
1	Trails!!!
1	Trails,
1	Trails, Education- post secondary
1	Trails, Parks With Family events

Count	Response
1	Trails, city wide celebrations,
1	Trails, community plaza
1	Trails, dog friendly areas
1	Trails, dog friendly parks
1	Trails, dog friendly parks, and a public amphitheater.
1	Trails, extend CE trail
1	Trails, non-manicured parks, without sport facilities where people can relax and enjoy nature, more nature centers and museums, library, neighborhood community centers
1	Trails, parks with dog access
1	Trails, parks, museums, and a better public library (as in renovated)
1	Trails, parks, museums, entertainment/activities
1	Trails, parks, music, support for our current places like the history museum at the castle, the PAC, the Trout, Children's Museum, and the Draw.
1	Trails, pet friendly areas
1	Trails, trails, trails.
1	Trails, updates to parks
1	Trails, ventures such as river view gardens.
1	Trails-bike, river walk
1	Trails. Outside community center for farmers market, festivals, etc.
1	Trails...
1	Trails...for bicyclists! I drive to Green Bay, Milwaukee, Madison, Chicago, Door County, and Minneapolis to bike. It would bring in msny \$\$\$\$\$
1	UPAF to support the Arts.
1	Unique outdoor features that attract people. A nice area to sit and take a break during the work day (like Houdini Plaza) is such a great idea. I love how those adiro ndack chairs are out there because it makes me think of vacation in Door Cty! I like the space next to Copper Rock too, just a great place to hang out.
1	Update the kids museum
1	Upkeep and improvement of parks (Colony Oaks tennis courts). More off-street trails.
1	Urban food forest development, community garden access. Splash pad.

Count Response

- 1 Urban green space should be preserved and expanded, especially by the river.
- 1 Using empty retail rental locations (with tax relief to owners in exchange for reduced cost and will bring more business to other spaces) as small library locations, even limited hours.
- 1 Vegetable garden space in appropriate areas, something unique that would be a "destination" thing to bring visitors to Appleton whether it be a museum or arts-related project...
- 1 Walk and bike paths along the river connecting our heritage places and important businesses and parks.
- 1 Walking trails
- 1 Walking trails that are pet friendly...senior activities.
- 1 Walking trails, pet friendly parks, museums
- 1 Walking/Biking trails Dog friendly areas for walking
- 1 Walking/bike trail, parks
- 1 Walking/biking trails
- 1 Walking/biking/running trails, parks, music/entertainment
- 1 Walking/running trails
- 1 We absolutely need a paved bike trail along the river that could (future) connect to Little Chute trails and expand towards Neenah/Menasha/Oshkosh.
- 1 We do NOT need a bluffside or riverside library!!!! A new library should be easily accessible to the Valley Transit terminal and downtown. If the city is hellbent on taking the current library for offices, build a library on the west side of Appleton Street where that giant parking lot is. Include a multi-story parking ramp which can serve the library, city offices, city center and the PAC. Connect those places and the parking ramp by a skyway system. Stop building just to build. Incorporate multiple projects. A dog park on the south side would be nice, but PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW DOGS IN CITY PARKS! Something should be done with the old water plant facility area on water street. I feel that a Riverfront park with some rentable facilities and alcohol allowed is a much better idea than another housing development. Trails along the entire riverfront would be awesome.
- 1 We have adequate museums and parks as a rule. Integrating them for more accessibility would be great. Consider buying a block of older homes in poor condition and totally redevelop similar to Richmond Terrace type project. Then promote upgrading the neighborhoods around it.
- 1 We have all of those things in abundance (which is lovely), but maybe implementing or encouraging more businesses like the Stone Cellar's involvement with Riverside and the community garden etc. that sort of thing. I know there is a growing number of drug addicts and criminals but that more reflects the growing economic divide in households. Perhaps getting ahead of that issue with places for them to go or be treated or seen would be a better investment in order to maintain the beauty of the Valley.
- 1 We have enough non-taxable.

Count Response

1	We have enough of all of these. Keep keep the ones we have beautiful, clean. Maybe open the bathrooms sooner.
1	We have great parks! Continue this! Love having walking and biking trails available in the community. Not sure if this goes here, but we value the excellent library we have and all the resources available there; sure want to see that well-supported in the future.
1	We have great parks- I'd love more botanical garden type arrangements. I'd like to see less Round Up being sprayed in them, exposing our children to poison. I hope for a well marked trail system that feel "wild", and art galleries. I hope the park and rec dept. opens a kayak rental place on the Fox River.
1	We have many beautiful parks, would love to see the "trails" connect the parks. A history of the Fox Valley museum would be amazing more pet friendly walking trails in wooded areas
1	We have more than enough bike lanes. The one on Franklin Street is difficult to ride because of the condition of the patches where the street has been "fixed." Before building more, care for what we have.
1	We have plenty of parks. Most of the ones we have are not overutilized, to say the least. Bike lanes are fine when they don't interrupt parking and the flow of traffic. I like trails for walking. I find many bikers careless about yielding to pedestrians on mixed trails.
1	We have plenty of parks. More trails would be nice.
1	We may have several walking and biking trails in the area - at least according to the maps on the city website. Since I'm fairly new in town, I checked out some of them. Biggest problem is finding them. I think I find them, but there are no signs to verify that and there are times when I didn't end up where the map said - so I'm not sure I was there.
1	We need a good Art Museum, and more support for visual arts education and galleries - the Trout is severely disappointing, and isn't even a visual art museum any more, with its focus on costumes, Christmas trees, etc.
1	We need dog parks throughout Appleton.
1	We need more parks and trails for walking or riding bikes. The parks with the spongy ground instead of wood chips are very nice, more of those would be cool...
1	We seems to have a lot of those, I don't know that we need to spend additional on this.
1	Well lit trails that connect to marketplaces and restaraunts.
1	What does "non-taxable development" mean???
1	Whatever you have to do, keep the ice rink at Jones Park. Maybe get rid of the jungle gym crap and redevelop it.
1	While I have been very happy with the programming offered by the library, I really would like to see a new library. The space in the current library, particularly in the children's section, is inadequate. Some of the children's programming is hard to attend due to the lack of space.
1	World history museum

Count	Response
1	Would LOVE more bike and walking trails, there's not many places I feel safe biking with my kids (roadway bike lanes are NOT safe for under 10 year olds). Would also really love more parks in neighborhoods without any currently.
1	Would like to see more off road recreational trails for walking and biking.
1	Yes--parks, trails, museums, art venues (art/music)
1	Youth park for skateboarding, roller blading, etc. bike paths botanical garden....Riverview garden area?
1	a natural history museum; increased parking at Erb Park; perhaps a "CarTour" route of pleasant places in Appleton for our disabled/non-walking people;
1	a new library a linked trail system especially along the river a more nimble public transportation system
1	a new library on the site overlooking the river more connected bike trails
1	adding some small parks on Wisconsin Ave were some vacant lots or really run down vacant buildings are would be really nice.
1	all of the above
1	another dog park
1	bicycle and walking trails OFF THE STREET
1	bike lanes
1	bike trails
1	bike trails and bike lanes
1	bike trails; green space along the Fox River; well maintained parks
1	bike/walking trails community garden spaces
1	connecting trails
1	continue green spaces in the new subdivision areas
1	develop the river front
1	dock area for fishing and boating more use of river more pavilions in large parks pavilions by waterfront so if i take kids fishing there is a place to use bathroom
1	dog friendly parks and trails
1	expanding public buildings such as libraries, museums, parks, public education
1	family oriented events, bike trails, green space

Count	Response
1	farm market on south side, concert series on south side (Telulah Park?), community park on southeast side (cost shared w Harrison), new downtown library, trestle trail across the river
1	fees for annual park/trails/museum x1 year to families/friends of Appleton for people who do not live in Appleton~
1	free art museum
1	free public wifi throughout the city
1	historic restorations and more green spaces
1	improve trails along the river, maximize the river front
1	indoor kids activities for winter time, like indoor park besides kids museum
1	keep as much taxable property on the tax rolls.
1	library in center of town but never on the river-(total waste) Pubic boat rides with No noise Have many unused parks-maybe business could help
1	library, park improvement, green space by the river
1	library, parks/trails
1	library, trails, bike lanes, green spaces, river access
1	maintain some public access to riverfront extend trail system combine Childrens Museum and Paper Discovery Center in one location (riverfront)
1	manufacturing industry more good paying jobs
1	more access to trails in residential areas, etc.
1	more development along the river
1	more housing for disabled vets and senior citizens, less handouts and more programs that people being help have to give back by earning these services
1	more museums
1	more museums, more community spaces
1	more natural habitat
1	more off road trails with separate pedestrian and bicycle facilities
1	more parks and trails that encourage/allow residents to experience nature, increase the opportunities for exercise and use modes of transportation that reduce our carbon footprint.
1	more parks and trails!

Count	Response
1	more parks, more SAFE running and walking trails, more museums
1	more public art, pocket parks downtown, interactive water features
1	more trails connecting the Downtown to the Riverfront.
1	more trails for biking and running
1	more trails, art museum
1	more us of what we have, south side park, connect the trails
1	more walking trails in the north end of appleton
1	more walking trails off the street.
1	music venue areas in outdoor setting - music in the park or near the water similar to what Oshkosh offers.
1	nature trails
1	new public library, bike and hike trails, bmx park, community kitchen (for canning, preserving, small bakery business)
1	no changes -
1	open spaces for gatherings horticultural pairings that would include trees and flowers in clusters
1	parc art/craft places cooking places
1	park and swim pool street repairs
1	park improvements - fences around parks where it's possible
1	parks
1	parks biking and walking trails
1	parks and trails are important. Maybe use a few more attractions for the city
1	parks, bike trails
1	parks, outdoor concert venues, lake and river clean up projects
1	parks, trails
1	parks, trails and museums are very important for this area and keeping them nice and accessible to everyone is great. It is nice to have a lot of options for families with children of all ages.
1	parks, trails,
1	parks, trails, and museums

Count	Response
1	parks, trails, connections between.
1	parks, walking trails with biking
1	parks, walking trails, museums,
1	parks- huge step forward was when Erb Park won the battle to keep a pool
1	places for teens to gather in friendly, safe environment. Some academic and some athletic settings.
1	pop up parks and art
1	renovate the public library downtown; new parks and nature preserves and trails
1	river walk development
1	river walk trail w/ bike lane, more musuems
1	safe walking and bike trails
1	small business incubator excellent schools protected
1	splash pads, more universal parks besides just memorial park. trails
1	splashpad on the river --down by fratellos
1	spruce up existing parks. The older ones have a lot of potential.
1	taxable development that focuses on health and connecting people from various parts of the fox valley
1	trail corridor along the river and a south side and east side park
1	trails I think we do fairly well with these kinds of amenities given our size
1	trails recreational programming for children
1	trails and parks, particularly bike paths. More snow bike and cross country courses in winter.
1	trails which are connected inner city and with other cities.
1	trails without intersections on busy streets
1	trails, parks, botanical garden
1	update to parks
1	walkable trails next to river
1	walking trails
1	walking trails, parks

Count Response

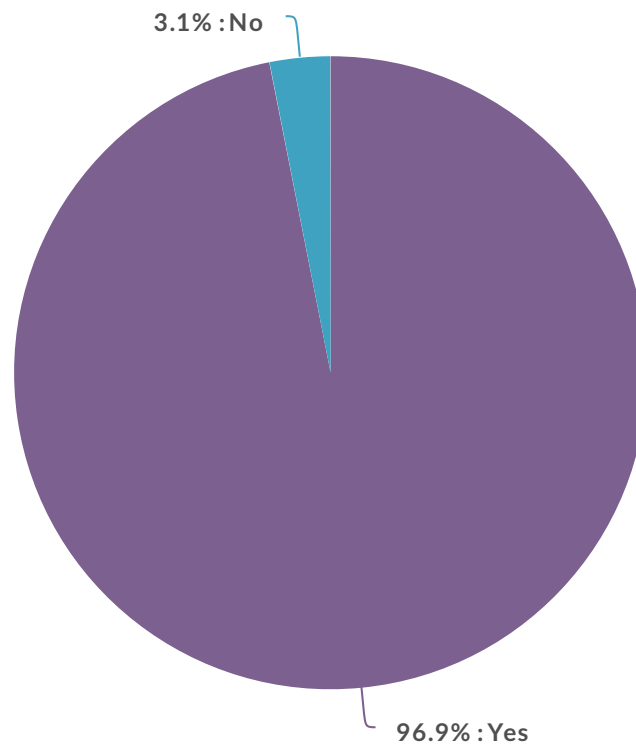
1 walking trails/biking park improvement- like Erb library expansion

1 we have enough

1 well-kept outdoor spaces in nature

1 yes, we like parks and trails

18. Do you visit downtown Appleton?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	96.9%	990
No	3.1%	32
Total		1,022

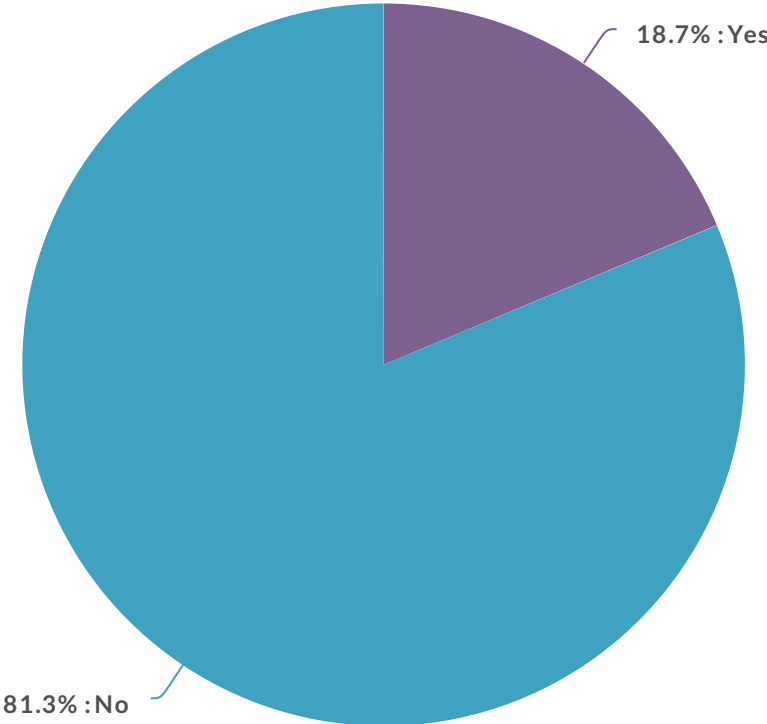
19. Why don't you visit downtown Appleton?



Count	Response
1	Crowded and hard to find parking
1	Filthy and was harrassed by the homeless
1	I don't care for the businesses locate there
1	I only visit for farmers market. I hate the non free parking
1	I'm not a drunk. Sometimes I'll hit the Cozy.
1	Inconvenient parking.
1	It's nuts on the weekends
1	Lack of handicap street parking
1	Little there interests me.
1	Local stores are too pricey.
1	No need to go to the bars downtown, favoriate restaurants are in Grand Chute
1	Not much that I am interested in down town anymore.
1	PARKING METERS
1	Parking is expensive.
1	Parking issues
1	Parking terrible, prices too high

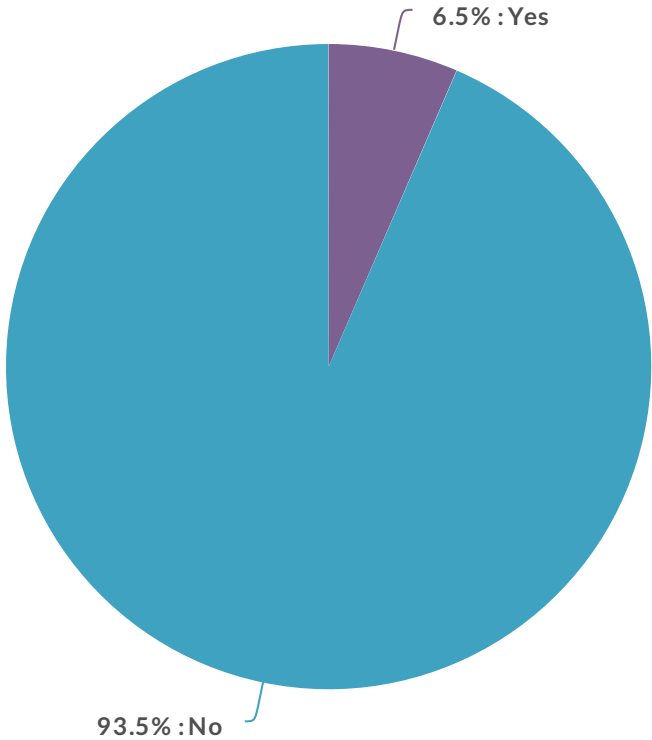
Count	Response
1	To close to city hall, don't want the dumb to rub off
1	To many bars.
1	Too hard to get around due to my handicap.
1	Too many bars resulting in unpleasant people and not enough shops worth visiting.
1	dont need to
1	no parking
1	nothing that interests me
1	nothing there
1	parking
1	parking is inadequate for handicap
1	parking meters, loitering issues
1	too crowded, what is there to shop for and do?

20. Do you live in downtown Appleton?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	18.7%	190
No	81.3%	828
Total		1,018

21. Do you own or operate a business or building downtown?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	6.5%	66
No	93.5%	950
Total		1,016

22. How frequently do you visit the following destinations downtown?

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
Workplace or work related meeting	192 20.6%	84 9.0%	72 7.7%	115 12.4%	149 16.0%	318 34.2%
The library	9 1.0%	65 7.0%	124 13.3%	245 26.2%	311 33.3%	180 19.3%
School (including Fox Valley Technical College, grade school, high school)	132 14.2%	46 4.9%	32 3.4%	53 5.7%	155 16.6%	513 55.1%
Lawrence University	57 6.1%	29 3.1%	40 4.3%	78 8.3%	349 37.2%	384 41.0%
Parks	34 3.6%	153 16.4%	167 17.9%	266 28.4%	271 29.0%	44 4.7%
Place of worship	5 0.5%	51 5.5%	135 14.5%	69 7.4%	101 10.9%	567 61.1%
Retail business	39 4.2%	175 18.8%	181 19.4%	333 35.7%	187 20.1%	17 1.8%
Service business (including but not limited to personal care, legal, accounting, yoga, etc...)	23 2.5%	69 7.5%	91 9.8%	194 21.0%	309 33.4%	240 25.9%
Restaurant	14 1.5%	136 14.6%	188 20.1%	394 42.2%	192 20.6%	10 1.1%
Bars and Taverns	3 0.3%	61 6.6%	113 12.2%	245 26.3%	322 34.6%	186 20.0%
City Hall	6 0.6%	8 0.9%	15 1.6%	64 6.9%	552 59.2%	287 30.8%
The Building for Kids (Children's Museum)	1 0.1%	6 0.6%	15 1.6%	66 7.1%	369 39.8%	470 50.7%
Fox Cities Performing Arts Center	1 0.1%	4 0.4%	9 1.0%	111 12.0%	678 73.1%	124 13.4%
Other Arts/Entertainment/Cultural Venues	1 0.1%	22 2.4%	27 2.9%	170 18.5%	550 59.8%	149 16.2%

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YMCA	32 3.4%	89 9.6%	48 5.2%	82 8.8%	177 19.0%	502 54.0%
Special events	5 0.5%	16 1.7%	61 6.6%	264 28.5%	549 59.3%	31 3.3%
Riverfront and Trails	41 4.4%	108 11.6%	100 10.8%	247 26.6%	300 32.3%	133 14.3%
...	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
1	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
2	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 33.3%	2 66.7%
AASD admin	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Acoca	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Angels Forever Windows of Light	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Anywhere I can run with my dog	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Aprd classes	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Art gallery	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Art making studio	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Art studio	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Bagelicious	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Bagelicious	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
Bank	0 0.0%	1 33.3%	1 33.3%	1 33.3%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Bike lanes	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Bus station	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Bus terminal	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Central Bus Station	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
City Center	2 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
City Park	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
City building	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
City center	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
City park	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Coffee Shops	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Coffee shop	1 33.3%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 33.3%	1 33.3%	0 0.0%
Coffee shops	0 0.0%	2 50.0%	0 0.0%	2 50.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Coffee shops	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Coffee shops/coworking space	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Coffee/tea shop	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

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Coffeehouse	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
College Avenue by bicycle	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Conferences/meetings at the Radisson	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Copper Rock Coffee Co	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Dance Studio	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Dance studios in City Center	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Doctor	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Doctor office	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Downtown College Avenue	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Downtown Farmers Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Downtown Farmers Market (outdoor)	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Drive through downtown and through the flats	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Driving through	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Erb Pool (when open)	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farm Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farm market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	2 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
Farmer market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmer's Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmer's Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	4 66.7%	2 33.3%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmer's Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmer's Market (in season)	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmer's market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmer's market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmer'so Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmers Market	0 0.0%	1 7.7%	7 53.8%	3 23.1%	2 15.4%	0 0.0%
Farmers Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmers Market (summer)	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmers market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	9 50.0%	6 33.3%	3 16.7%	0 0.0%
Farmers market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%
Farmers mkts	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmers' Market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Farmersmarket	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

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Fast food	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Food market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Food pantry	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Fox River	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Fox Valley Tech Walking Trails	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Fox valley grappling club	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Fratellos	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Friend's Home	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Friends	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Gas stations	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%
Grand Ave Mall	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Heid	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	2 100.0%	0 0.0%
Heid Music for music lessons	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Historical housing districts	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
History Museum at the Castle	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Hotels	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%

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Houdini Plaza	0 0.0%	1 33.3%	1 33.3%	1 33.3%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Houdini Plaza/Jones Park concerts	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Houdini Square	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Houdini park	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Houdini plaza	1 25.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 25.0%	2 50.0%	0 0.0%
Houdini plaza concerts	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
JD's	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Just being a pedestrian	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Kwik trip	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Lawrence	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Literacy council or other volunteer opportunities	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Local farmers market	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Lutz park	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Mall	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%
Medical facility...clinic,hospital,etc	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Mile of Music	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
Morgan bldg	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Murals	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Museum at the castle	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Museums	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Music	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Music on Thursday	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Music on Thursdays/Mile of Music	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
N.a.	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
N/A	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
N/a	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	3 100.0%
NA	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	2 100.0%
No where	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
None	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 14.3%	6 85.7%
Office	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Outdoor entertainment	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Outdoor farmers market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
Outdoor flea market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
PAC	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Parade	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Parades	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Park and Rec classes	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Park ramp	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Parking Ramps	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Parking lots	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Parking ramps	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Pavana Spa	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
People living in the downtown area	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Pop-up Art Galleries	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Post Office	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%
Post Office	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Post office	0 0.0%	1 20.0%	1 20.0%	3 60.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Postoffice	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	3 75.0%	1 25.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
Preschool	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Radisson	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
Refugee	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Restaurant	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Restaurants	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Restaurants and small businesses	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Retail	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	2 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Retail clothes and shoes	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Retail storefronts	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Retail/Walgreens	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Run/walks	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Saturday market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Second hand Shop	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Services (bank, hair cut, groceries)	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Small business	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Special events - octoberfest, mini golf pub crawl, soup walk, chalk drawings, etc	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

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Surfing Bird skate shop	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Tattoo Parlor	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
The Draw	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Thur night music	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Trails	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Transitcenter	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Transit station	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Trout	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Trout Museum	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Trout Museum of Art	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Urban food stores	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Use the area for walking with my children.	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Valley Transit Center	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Valley transit	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Visit husband at work.	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Void	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
Walking and hiking trails	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Walking downtown	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Wercher hall	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
Window shopping	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Work	1 50.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Work@ the justice center	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Yoga	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Yoga in the park (summer)	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
Zulkey building	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
angels forever	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
building for the arts	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
business	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
coffee houses	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
county buildings	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
downtown events	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
farmer's market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%

	Every day	Twice or more per week	Once per week	Once or twice per month	One to four times a year	Never
farmers market	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	2 66.7%	1 33.3%	0 0.0%
postOffice	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%
post office	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	1 50.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
stores	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%
walking trails	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%
why does the same question keep coming up?	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	1 100.0%

23. What words would you use to describe downtown Appleton?

1:

safe fun bars
vibrant

Count	Response
31	Vibrant
30	Fun
25	Clean
22	Busy
22	Friendly
22	Safe
13	Growing
12	Diverse
10	Historic
10	Unique
9	Inviting
9	Lively
8	Nice
8	friendly

Count Response

7 Bars

7 Quaint

7 Walkable

7 fun

7 vibrant

6 Alive

6 Expensive

6 Improving

5 Eclectic

5 Small

5 clean

5 quaint

4 Accessible

4 Community

4 Old

4 Thriving

4 Very nice

4 active

4 eclectic

3 Active

3 Beautiful

3 Charming

3 Cute

3 Energetic

3 Entertaining

Count	Response
3	Hip
3	Interesting
3	Quaint
3	Too many bars
3	Unique
3	cute
3	diverse
3	growing
3	too many bars
2	Artistic
2	Artsy
2	Blossoming
2	Clean
2	Cozy
2	Dated
2	Developing
2	Dirty
2	Eclectic
2	Evolving
2	Family friendly
2	Fun
2	Great
2	Growing
2	Improving
2	Interesting
2	Liberal

Count	Response
2	Potential
2	To many bars
2	Up and coming
2	User friendly
2	Vibrant
2	Vibrant!
2	Vital
2	Walkable
2	Welcoming
2	alive
2	attractive
2	bars
2	energetic
2	exciting
2	getting better
2	inviting
2	lively
2	mediocre
2	nice
2	quiet
2	safe
2	welcoming
1	"Wanna Be" Cool
1	10:00 pm destination
1	A little rundown
1	A lot of bars

Count	Response
1	A place that hasn't changed in a very long time
1	Accessible
1	Alive!
1	Alive; interesting shops;
1	Alot of Potential
1	Appealing
1	Art focused
1	Arts
1	Artsu
1	Arty
1	Asthetically pleasing
1	Awesome
1	Awesome
1	Bar Scene
1	Bar heavy
1	Bar heavy, too many
1	Bar scene
1	Bar-dependent
1	Bar-oriented
1	Bars bars and more bars
1	Basic
1	Beautiful
1	Boring
1	Business by day, social by night
1	Bustling
1	Busy with traffic

Count	Response
1	Busy/Many Options
1	Car centric
1	Car city
1	Central location where many needs can be met.
1	Centralized
1	Changing
1	Charming during the day
1	Clean and attractive
1	Cluttered
1	College Ave-centric
1	College Bar
1	Colorful
1	Comfortable
1	Comfy
1	Community
1	Compact
1	Compelling
1	Comprehensive
1	Congested
1	Cool
1	Cool place to hang out.
1	Could be better
1	Could have greater variety, some beautiful garden areas, compared to the olden days there doesn't seem to be as much focus on beauty and attractiveness rather than stark functionality, book stores able to make it on the Ave again and really miss Conkey's
1	Crowded
1	Culture

Count	Response
1	Cultured
1	Current
1	Dated
1	Days/pleasant nights/not so much
1	Depressing
1	Developing
1	Difficult parking
1	Downtown city
1	Drab
1	Drinks
1	Easily accesible
1	Eclectiv
1	Effort
1	Emerging
1	Engaged
1	Engaging
1	Enjoyable
1	Entertaining
1	Entertainment
1	Evolving with terrific po tential
1	Excellent area for walking and shopping!
1	Exciting
1	Family Orientated
1	Family Oriented
1	Family friendly
1	Family-owned

Count	Response
1	Far to many bars
1	Farmer's Market - full
1	Focused on college students (not positive)
1	Food
1	Friendly
1	Friendly environment
1	Full of potential
1	Fun events
1	Fun-events for all ages
1	Getting better
1	Good
1	Good mix of businesses
1	Good shops
1	Great historic architecture
1	Great potential
1	Great small business
1	Great small businesses
1	Hanging on by a thread
1	Hard to find parking
1	Hard to navigate
1	Has alot of potential
1	Has potential to be more
1	Historical
1	Home
1	Hometown feel
1	Hopeful

Count	Response
1	Human Scale
1	I enjoy the family evenrs
1	If you are talking about College Avenue, it is welcoming and inviting for pedestrians.
1	Improved
1	Improving, but still behind
1	Inviting
1	It's fines, leave it alone.
1	Jekyll and Hyde some nice, some not
1	Just fine
1	Just the right size
1	Kid Friendly
1	Lack of identity
1	Lacking in retailers
1	Laid back
1	Limited
1	Linear
1	Local
1	Lots of potential
1	Lots of vacant stores
1	Lots of variety in businesses and restaurants
1	Love it
1	Love the year round farmers market especially in summer time
1	Main Street USA
1	Missed opportunity
1	Modern
1	Mostly bars and clubs

Count	Response
1	Mostly small businesses
1	Multi-functional
1	Musical
1	Neat
1	Needs better parking options
1	Needs less bars
1	Nice but some areas are shady
1	Nice people
1	Nice size
1	Nifty
1	Nightlife for everyone
1	No longer quaint
1	Not dead like some people say
1	Not safe
1	Not-bad
1	Ok
1	Okay
1	Old & New
1	Old aged
1	Old looking
1	Old-looking
1	Older
1	One great place!
1	Outdated
1	Outdated
1	Parking

Count	Response
1	Parking Meters
1	Parking charge machine
1	Parking fees keeps people away
1	Parking meter hassle
1	Pleasant
1	Poor parking
1	Poor planning
1	Poor traffic patterns
1	Popular
1	Potential
1	Potentially vibrant
1	Progressing
1	Progressive
1	Progressive small town
1	Promising
1	Quite vibrant and attractive
1	Rejuvenated
1	Relaxed
1	Resilient
1	Restaurants
1	Rising star
1	Room for Growth
1	Rowdy
1	Safer than major cities
1	Scenic
1	Shoddy

Count	Response
1	Simple
1	Simple navigation, facilities for travel
1	Single strip
1	Sketchy with homeless
1	Sleepy
1	Small
1	Small but disjointed and spread out along college
1	Small town
1	Small town
1	Small town vibe, big town choices
1	Small town.
1	Snall
1	Solid
1	Special
1	Starting to become unique
1	Starting to feel dated
1	Stimulating
1	Struggling but
1	Surviving
1	Terrible parking
1	The Ave
1	The ave
1	The bar section - disgusting
1	The buildings are stunning
1	The mighty Fox!
1	There is alot of restaurant's and hotels

Count	Response
1	Too much traffic on College
1	Traffic
1	Underutilized
1	Unfavorable for free parking
1	Unorganized for travel.
1	Unsafe
1	Up & coming
1	Up and coming
1	Upcoming
1	Vacant
1	Varied
1	Variety
1	Variety
1	Variety- something for everyone
1	Very active
1	Very organized
1	Very well maintained
1	Walking friendly
1	Weather dependent...bustling.
1	Welcoming feeling from businesses
1	Well-maintained
1	With potential
1	Wonderful
1	Young
1	a nice downtown area
1	accessable

Count	Response
1	aging
1	art-friendly
1	artsy
1	bar scene
1	bars and coffee shops
1	bars and drinking
1	beautiful
1	boring
1	busy
1	car-centric
1	central
1	chaotic
1	charming
1	cheap
1	colorful
1	congested
1	crowded
1	cultural
1	destination
1	dirty
1	don't know
1	easily accessible
1	entertainment
1	evolving
1	expanding
1	fine during the day

Count	Response
1	food
1	freindly
1	frustrating parking
1	full of potential
1	funky
1	generally family friendly
1	great farmers market
1	hard to find parking
1	has potential, need to upgrade the bars and connect to riverfront with walking trails.
1	high energy
1	high-potential
1	historic
1	historic (parts of it)
1	historical
1	interesting
1	irrelevant
1	keeping up
1	lacking art
1	linear
1	lovely
1	mixed use
1	much parking
1	needs attention
1	needs bike lanes
1	needs revitalization
1	nice during the day

Count	Response
1	nice mix
1	no where to park
1	non business friendly
1	ok
1	out-dated
1	perky
1	plain
1	pleasant
1	pretty
1	quaint
1	rather drab
1	rebound
1	retail closes too early
1	searching for purpose
1	slow
1	small town
1	surprisingly cool
1	too barcentric
1	too drunken
1	too many bars
1	too many empty spaces
1	under occupied
1	undervalued
1	uneven
1	unique
1	varied

Count	Response
1	very nice place to visit
1	vibrant
1	vintage
1	walkable
1	worriesome

2:

great fun
clean bars

Count	Response
32	Clean
28	Fun
24	Friendly
19	Safe
9	Busy
8	Diverse
8	Vibrant
7	Accessible
6	Eclectic

Count	Response
6	clean
6	safe
5	Attractive
5	Entertaining
5	Interesting
5	Inviting
5	Unique
5	Variety
5	Walkable
5	Welcoming
5	diverse
5	friendly
5	fun
5	welcoming
4	Bars
4	Quaint
3	Alive
3	Artsy
3	Beautiful
3	Community
3	Cool
3	Cultural
3	Cute
3	Energetic
3	Friendly
3	Great restaurants

Count	Response
3	Growing
3	Interesting
3	Nice
3	Too many bars
3	busy
3	interesting
3	quaint
3	vibrant
2	Artistic
2	Character
2	Clean
2	Creative
2	Crowded
2	Crowded
2	Cultural
2	Drunk
2	Engaging
2	Eventful
2	Family friendly
2	Historic
2	Historical
2	Improving
2	Lively
2	Outdated
2	Pay to park
2	Potential

Count	Response
2	Progressive
2	Small
2	Thriving
2	Varied
2	active
2	alive
2	beautiful
2	convenient
2	eclectic
2	growing
2	lively
2	potential
2	small
2	too many bars
2	up to date
2	variety
1	innovative
1	(Avenue mall) wasted space
1	1-dimensional/long
1	A central hub of appleton
1	A lot of bars
1	A lot of vacant stores
1	A place with a ton of untapped potential to become a great business hub
1	A small city feeling
1	Abandoned
1	Accessable

Count	Response
1	Accessible
1	Active
1	Aging
1	Ahead of the curve
1	Alcohol fueled
1	Alot of choices
1	Always changing
1	Arts
1	Arts and culture
1	Arts loving
1	Awesome in the summer
1	Bar scene
1	Bare
1	Bars
1	Bars, bars, and bars
1	Beautiful city
1	Better than Green Bay
1	Big-small town
1	Bland
1	Blend
1	Boring
1	Bright
1	Business district
1	Bustling
1	Busy/populated
1	Center of Activity (farmers mkt, bars, etc)

Count	Response
1	Charming
1	Close
1	Collegiate
1	Commercial
1	Compact
1	Complex
1	Congested
1	Congested
1	Congested - due to traffic
1	Conservative
1	Convenient
1	Cool place to hang out
1	Could be cleaner
1	Crazy on Fri/Sat nights
1	Current
1	Cute
1	Cute retail shops
1	Depressed
1	Developing
1	Difficult to drive through
1	Difficult to park
1	Dirty by the library
1	Diverse array of businesses, art space community space
1	Diversified
1	Diversity
1	Drink Prices are way too expensive

Count	Response
1	Easy to access
1	Eclectic!
1	Energetic
1	Energized
1	Entertaining
1	Entertainment
1	Entertainment
1	Everything you need
1	Evolving (for the better!!)
1	Exciting
1	Expanding
1	Expensive
1	Expensive
1	Expensive parking
1	Failing
1	Fairly active
1	Family
1	Family Friendly
1	Fantastic
1	Fantastic Farmer's Market
1	Farmer's Market
1	Farmer's Market is one of the best in the area.
1	Farmers Market
1	Farmers market
1	Few Restaurants
1	Food

Count	Response
1	Food-heavy
1	Fragile
1	Friendly retail establishments
1	Frustrating
1	Full of Potential
1	Full of bars
1	Fun
1	Fun events
1	Fun festivals
1	Fun in the summer
1	Fun nightlife
1	Fun, lively
1	Good Music
1	Good PAC Venue
1	Good shops
1	Good times
1	Great community events
1	Great dining and entertainment options
1	Great family events
1	Great food
1	Great host for Mile of Music
1	Great in the day, not so great at night
1	Great music events
1	Grew big too fast
1	Growing
1	Growing pains

Count	Response
1	Happening
1	Happy
1	Hard to find parking
1	Hard to park
1	Has greater potential
1	Heart
1	Heart of the city
1	High Turn-Over in Shops
1	Historic
1	Historic yet fresh
1	Home
1	Home to great festivals
1	Hopeful
1	Hours of retailers
1	Hub
1	Impressive
1	Improving
1	In progress
1	Inclusive
1	Inconvenient
1	Increasingly diverse
1	Inexpensive living
1	Intimidating
1	Invest in riverfront and upgraded retail
1	It is getting better
1	Just fine

Count	Response
1	Lack shopping
1	Lacking comfortable green space. Houdini Plaza is unappealing.
1	Lacking in retail
1	Lacking in retailers and restaurants
1	Like the family events like ice carving meet Santa one
1	Linear
1	Live music
1	Lively
1	Losing its top spot to surrounding communities
1	Lots of activity
1	Lots of bars
1	Lots of events
1	Lots of great eating spots
1	Lots of people!
1	Lots of things to do for kids, most schools are amazing!
1	Lots to do
1	Loud
1	Love hanging out there. Would probably hang out more if there was more green space. Too many bars to go there at night.
1	Mid-sized
1	Mile of Music
1	Modibund
1	Multicultural
1	Music
1	Need free parking!
1	Needing a little facelift.

Count	Response
1	Needs better traffic flow (left turning vehicles back up traffic during peak times)
1	Needs more landscape and green
1	Needs more variety
1	Needs to embrace and preserve rather than tear down
1	New and old mix
1	Nice hotel -Paper Valley
1	Nice place to shop
1	Nice variety of shopping options
1	Night-life oriented
1	No grocery stores
1	No parking
1	Not a lot of parking
1	Not enough retail
1	Not filled with people walking
1	Not very bike friendly
1	Not well maintained/unclean
1	Ok
1	Old-fashioned
1	Open
1	Opportunity
1	Outdated
1	Outdated facades
1	Outskirts of downtown seem to have more visible problems than College Ave
1	Over emphasized
1	Parking
1	Parking Ned's updating

Count	Response
1	Parking is a joke
1	Parking is expensive
1	Parking is horrific
1	Parking issues
1	Parking nightmare
1	Parking problem
1	Party town
1	Perfectly located
1	Place of gathering
1	Pleasant
1	Poor neighborhood around downtown
1	Popular
1	Potential
1	Pretentious
1	Pretty
1	Pretty in places but a little old looking in others
1	Prosperous
1	Quaint
1	Quiet
1	Rejuvenate
1	Relatively safe
1	Relaxed
1	Relevant
1	Restaurant-dependent
1	Restaurants
1	Revitalizing

Count	Response
1	Revival
1	Reviving
1	Revolving door
1	Room for Improvement especially on the riverfront
1	Run down
1	Rundown facades
1	Sadly under-used
1	Safe (not as much on weekends @ bar time, though)
1	Safe during day.
1	Safe.
1	Safety becoming an issue
1	Seems like a lively area.
1	Selective
1	Semi interesting
1	Shopping, but not my needs
1	Should be expanded a street or two north
1	Small Businesses
1	Small business
1	Small shops
1	Small town
1	Small town living
1	Social
1	Some great small businesses
1	Some success
1	Somewhat dated but pleasant
1	Somewhat old

Count	Response
1	Sparse
1	Special occasions
1	Sporadic
1	Stagnant
1	Struggling
1	Suffering under antiquated ideas
1	Tacky
1	The heart and soul of the city
1	The small business section - charming
1	Too Car focused
1	Too many One-way streets
1	Too many bars too many drunk people walking on the street late at night
1	Too many businesses not enough retail
1	Transitional
1	Trendy
1	Unappealing
1	Unattractive shopping options
1	Underdeveloped
1	Underdeveloped
1	Underutilized
1	Unique opportunity
1	Unique places
1	Unique shops
1	Unkempt
1	Upscale
1	Vacant

Count	Response
1	Variety
1	Variety of things to do without much travel.
1	Very clean
1	Vitality
1	Warm
1	Well kept
1	Well maintained
1	What shopping there is is worth it
1	With signs of life
1	Worn
1	a few cute shops
1	a mixture
1	accessible
1	aggravating
1	appealing
1	attractive
1	bar heavy
1	bars
1	best of all down town arround
1	booze
1	business-friendly
1	character
1	clean and safe
1	clean and safe before the drunks get out
1	close to home/walkable
1	comfortable

Count	Response
1	coming back alive
1	congested
1	convenient
1	cramped
1	cultural
1	cultural centers
1	culture
1	dangerous at night (harrassment)
1	different types of people
1	difficult parking
1	dirty
1	ecclectic
1	emerging
1	energizing
1	entertaining
1	entertainment
1	entertainment friendly
1	eventful
1	evolving
1	exceptional
1	festivals
1	filth on sidewalks
1	fresh
1	full of potential
1	generally open to all kinds of people
1	good vibe

Count	Response
1	great concerts
1	great farmers market
1	great farmers markets, indoor and out
1	great place for music
1	growing
1	happy
1	historic
1	inconvenient
1	inventive
1	laid back
1	last year during the xmas parade I thought it was sad that the street wasn't as decorated as in past years
1	lit
1	little shopping
1	little shops
1	local
1	locally owned businesses
1	lots of event options
1	lovely
1	many small businesses
1	mixed-use
1	modern
1	need nicer hotel in place of Radisson
1	needs buildings occupied
1	needs polishing
1	nice
1	no idea

Count	Response
1	non consumer friendly
1	not its full potential
1	not overwhelming in size (a good thing)
1	not safe at night
1	old & tired
1	options
1	outdated
1	painful parking
1	parking issues
1	parking meter haven
1	poor parking
1	primed for revitalization
1	promising
1	renewed
1	run-down
1	small town nice
1	spotty commitment to downtown by business owners
1	too confined to a small area
1	too many alcohol businesses
1	too many cars
1	too many drunks after dark
1	trendy
1	un-green
1	unbikeable
1	unique
1	useless buildings

Count	Response
1	varied
1	varied businesses
1	variety of options
1	versatile businesses
1	walkable
1	wasted spaces
1	well-maintained
1	worth visiting
1	young people take ave. over on weekends

3:



Count	Response
26	Fun
13	Diverse
12	Clean
12	Safe
11	Busy

Count	Response
11	Friendly
9	Active
9	fun
7	Vibrant
6	Walkable
5	Welcoming
4	Alive
4	Local
4	Nice
4	Variety
4	clean
4	friendly
3	Cute
3	Dirty
3	Enjoyable
3	Eventful
3	Exciting
3	Family friendly
3	Historical
3	Inviting
3	Pleasant
3	Potential
3	Progressive
3	interesting
3	upbeat
2	Accessible

Count	Response
2	Accessible
2	Boring
2	Charming
2	Clean
2	Community
2	Confusing
2	Cramped
2	Creative
2	Developing
2	Drunk
2	Entertaining
2	Evolving
2	Farmers market
2	Good restaurants
2	Great restaurants
2	Hip
2	Improving
2	In progress
2	Inviting
2	Lively
2	Old
2	Restaurants
2	Retail
2	Safe
2	Special
2	Variety

Count	Response
2	Welcoming
2	Well kept
2	beautiful
2	cultural
2	nice
2	pleasant
2	potential
2	safe
2	shopping
2	small
2	unique shopping
2	vibrant
2	walkable
2	welcoming
1	1990
1	A good size
1	A great place to live but not a lot of newer properties or options to choose from.
1	A happy place during the Farmers Market on Saturdays
1	A hidden gem
1	A little boring
1	A little outdated architecturally. The giant tower of photos on the corner by the Trout Museum is heinous.
1	A place where one can see quality live performances of a variety of sorts almost every night
1	Abundant
1	Accessable
1	Accessible by foot/bike
1	Activity

Count	Response
1	Adaptable
1	Adult-friendly
1	Alcohol
1	Alive
1	Annoying to walk and expensive to park
1	Artful
1	Artistic
1	Artsy
1	Attractive
1	Authentic
1	Average
1	Bar heavy
1	Bars
1	Beautiful
1	Beautiful during Christmas
1	Beautiful little city
1	Behind the Times
1	Better than Most:-)
1	Blocked off
1	Booze corridor
1	Busy
1	Busy traffic
1	Busy traffic
1	Busy weekend nightlife
1	Cars
1	Catching up

Count	Response
1	Center of homelessness
1	Central
1	Close
1	Colorful
1	Comfortable
1	Comfortable
1	Committed
1	Confusing
1	Confusing traffic design
1	Connected
1	Connections
1	Convenient
1	Convenient
1	Convenient
1	Cool
1	Cool shops
1	Could be prettier
1	Cultural
1	Cultured
1	Cute and interesting shops
1	Cute shops
1	Dangerous
1	Dark at Night - poor nighttime ambiance
1	Destination
1	Difficult to see/hear entertainment in Houdini Plaza-too much cement-need more cute green spaces
1	Dirty (how about a street sweeper?)

Count	Response
1	Diverse compared to other cities
1	Diverse restaurants
1	Doesn't have cohesive vision
1	Don't like to walk too far at night or in ramp to get to my car
1	Dynamic
1	Early
1	Easy
1	Eating destination
1	Eclectic
1	Empty gaps to be filled
1	Empty mall
1	Endless opportunities
1	Enjoyable
1	Entertaining
1	Entertainment
1	Entertainment
1	Everything is within a distance everyone can get to
1	Everything you could want in one mile
1	Evolving
1	Excessive tax money spent poorly
1	Exciting
1	Exciting events
1	Failing
1	Family Oriented
1	Family friendly
1	Family-friendly

Count	Response
1	Farmer's Market
1	Fit for all ages
1	Freindly
1	Fresh
1	Friendly
1	Friendly neighbors/people
1	Frustration (with parking)
1	Full of potential
1	Fun
1	Fun special events
1	Gateway to LU
1	Gathering
1	Good Food
1	Good coffee shops
1	Good place
1	Good values
1	Good variety of businesses
1	Good variety of restaurants
1	Good variety of shops
1	Great landscape
1	Great mix of shops.
1	Great restaurants
1	Great shopping
1	Green
1	Growing
1	Happy

Count	Response
1	Has Potential
1	Has a small town feel with urban options
1	Has local character
1	Heart and hub of city
1	Heart of the Community
1	Heavy on the bars.
1	Heavy traffic at night
1	Hidden Parking Options
1	High Traffic
1	Historic
1	Hopeful
1	Horrible parking
1	Hub
1	Hub to fox cities entertainment
1	Important
1	Improving
1	Improving Bit by Bit
1	Incomplete
1	Inferior to neighboring downtowns
1	Innovative
1	Interesting
1	Interesting shops and restaurants
1	Interesting!!!
1	Invigorated by outdoor market in summer
1	It's a small town atmosphere in a bigger city
1	Just ok

Count	Response
1	Just the sight size
1	Kinda boring
1	Lack of parking
1	Lacking diversity
1	Lacking major employers to bolster retail and restaurants
1	Larence campus adds to the quality of the downtown area
1	Late-Night Hot Spot
1	Less cars
1	Like to explore
1	Limited
1	Limiting
1	Little window shopping
1	Long
1	Looking nicer
1	Lots of entertainment
1	Lots of events
1	Lots to do
1	Loud
1	Love the coffee scene
1	Love the variety of restaurants.
1	Making a comeback
1	Manageable
1	Many offerings
1	Many options
1	Meters
1	Mile of Music

Count	Response
1	Mile of Music - fun
1	Modern
1	Music
1	Music
1	Musical
1	Narrow
1	Nazi meter maids
1	Needing more diverse places
1	Needing more restaurants and retail. Less bars
1	Needs culture
1	Needs more draw
1	Needs more events and culture
1	Needs more seating/rest areas
1	Needs more trails
1	Nice Environment
1	Nice mix of business, not just bars
1	Night Life
1	Night life
1	Noisey
1	Nostalgic
1	Not bicycle friendly
1	Not enough dry establishments for entertainment
1	Not enough events
1	Not fun in winter
1	Not much activity after approx. 9pm
1	Not safe at night.

Count	Response
1	Not very useful for daily life
1	Octoberfest
1	One dimensional
1	One of the few places in Appleton that I gravitate to and enjoy
1	Opportunity
1	Optimistic
1	Outdoor entertainment
1	PAC
1	Parking
1	Parking can be difficult
1	Parking issues
1	Parking meters suck
1	Past its prime
1	Pedestrian friendly
1	Pedistrian unfriendly
1	Possibilities
1	Potential
1	Potential not yet met.
1	Potential!
1	Potential- with respect to re-purposing older buildings.
1	Pricey shops
1	Promising
1	Proud
1	Quiet
1	Reasonably clean
1	Relatively diverse

Count	Response
1	Relatively safe
1	Relaxing
1	Reputation tainted by Diversity Director support of Lawrence students lies
1	Ripe for opportunity
1	Ripe with potential
1	Run down on the side streets
1	Sleepy
1	Slick
1	Small
1	Small town
1	Some fun shops and restaurants
1	Somewhat safe.
1	Specialty
1	Spacious enough parking available near or at downtown
1	Stagnant
1	Starting to trend towards an artistic culture.
1	Storefront unattractive
1	Strong
1	Stuck
1	Taken up by a dead mall
1	The grownup part of appleton
1	The parks - fun, but usually dirty/littered
1	Thriving
1	Timeless
1	To many bars
1	Too collegey tho

Count	Response
1	Too many bars
1	Too many cars on College Ave
1	Traffic
1	Typically busy (in a good way-I'm from MPLS like city atmosphere)
1	Un-inventive
1	Underused
1	Undiscovered
1	Unessential
1	Unique
1	Unique
1	Unique and my destination of choice.
1	Unsettling late at night
1	Upbeat
1	Varied
1	Very long
1	Very slow progress
1	Vibrant
1	Vital
1	Walkable
1	Walking friendly
1	Way too many police
1	We need more vegan-friendly food
1	West end needs help
1	Where can you buy groceries?
1	Windy
1	Worth visiting

Count	Response
1	Would be there more except for parking
1	YMCA parking ramp makes me nervous, but can't see paying for parking when the other area Y's have free easy parking.
1	a little grimy
1	accessible
1	active
1	artistic
1	assessible
1	attractive
1	available
1	better parking...
1	bustling
1	busy
1	can't say
1	changing
1	charming
1	closed-in
1	comfortable
1	community
1	comprehensive
1	convenient
1	cool
1	creative
1	cusine
1	dangerouse after dark
1	devoid of stores that have all moved to city perimeters

Count	Response
1	dirty, unsafe at night
1	diverse
1	diverse
1	easy
1	easy parking
1	eclectic
1	embarrassing notoriety/ city for drinking
1	energy
1	engaged
1	event-friendly
1	everything is closed on Mondays
1	evolving
1	excellent
1	exciting
1	falling short of potential
1	family
1	filthy
1	frequent turnover in establishments
1	fun and alive
1	fun to walk
1	good good entertainment, but not so much for small business
1	great
1	great farmer's market
1	great food
1	great start
1	green

Count	Response
1	growing
1	grwoing
1	high quality streets and sidewalks
1	hip
1	hopeful
1	impossible to bike down college ave
1	inadequate parking
1	inconvenient
1	interesting activities
1	intursive
1	inviting
1	keep surrounding housing from further deterioration
1	kid friendly
1	lack of aesthetics and unity
1	lacking in retail options, especially a grocery
1	lacks appeal
1	little
1	live music
1	lots of potential
1	magical place
1	masonry
1	multidimensional
1	need an uptown
1	needs more people
1	needs to decrease homeless population there, especially near the library
1	needs to meet peoples needs

Count	Response
1	no parking
1	not diverse in interests
1	not enough bike parking
1	not enough parking
1	not living up to it's potential
1	not really accepting and integrating of poor people, homeless, or mentally disabled.
1	off putting to many segments of our community
1	our future
1	pleasant
1	quaint, but could be better
1	racist
1	recovering
1	sincere
1	small businesses
1	some need of upgrade
1	somewhat bland
1	tavern themed
1	tipsy
1	too many bars
1	too many cat calls
1	trying to be hip
1	under appreciated
1	unimaginative
1	unique
1	unsafe
1	up and coming

Count Response

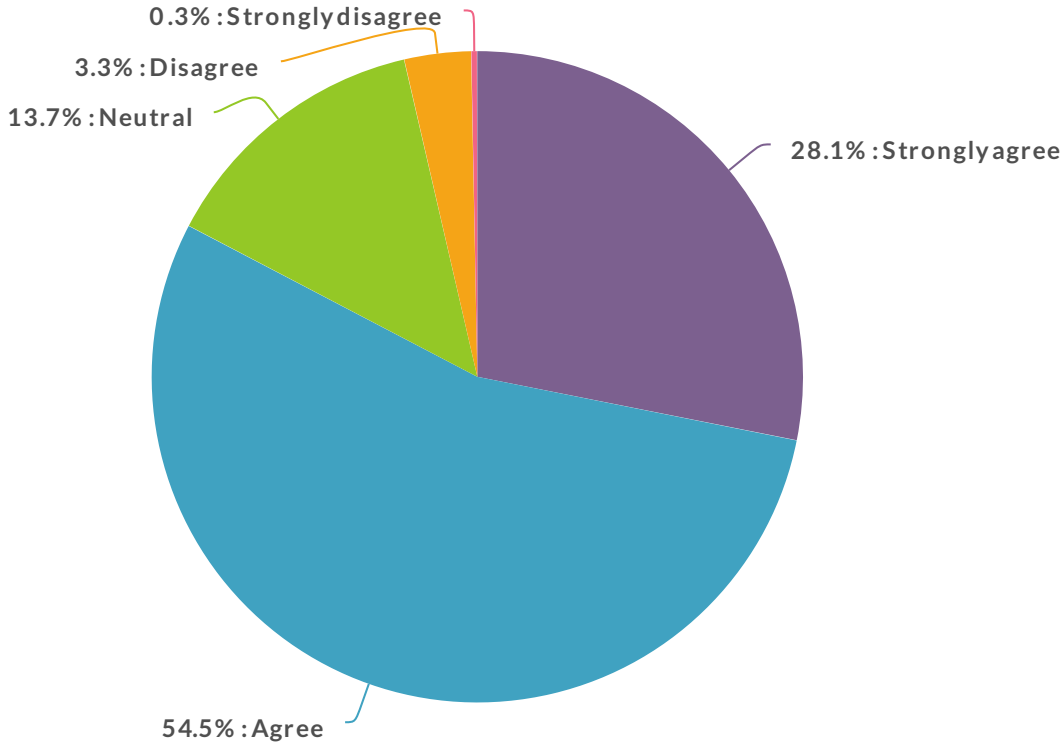
1 varied

1 watch your back

1 welcoming

1 youthful

24. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the statement “I feel safe downtown.”



Value	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	28.1%	262
Agree	54.5%	508
Neutral	13.7%	128
Disagree	3.3%	31
Strongly disagree	0.3%	3
Total		932

25. If No, please explain:

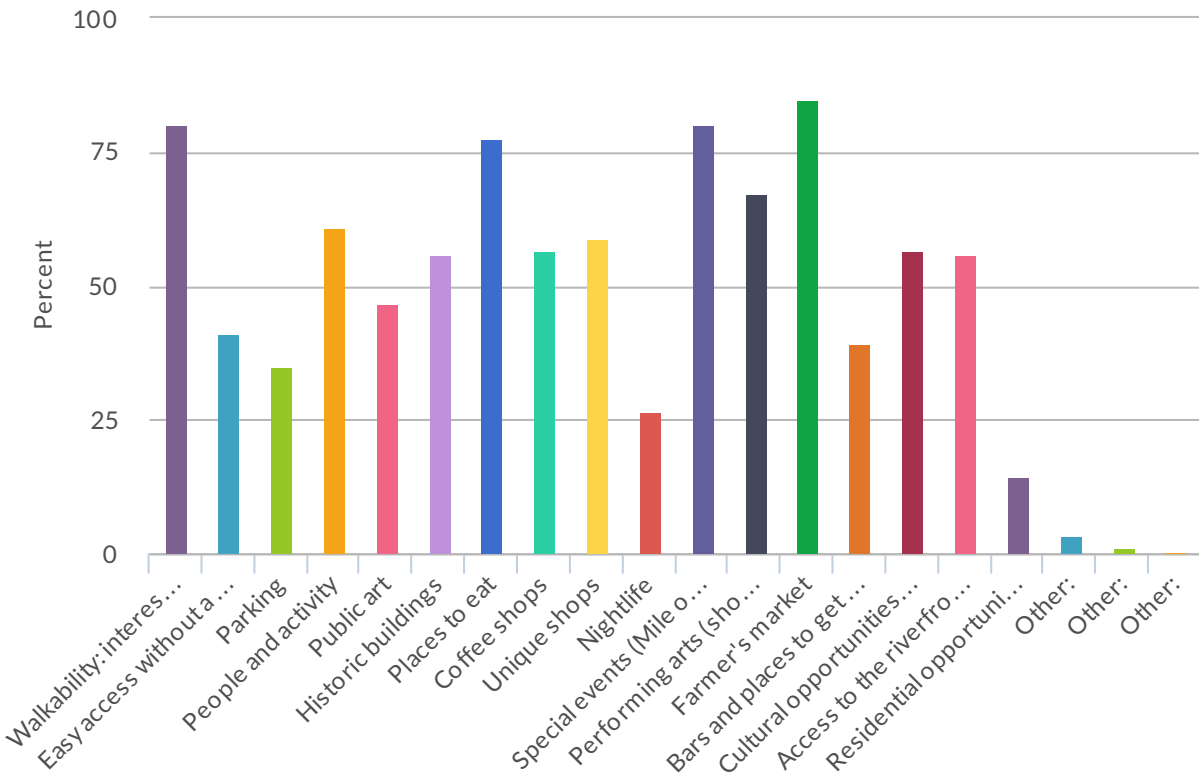
bars safe
feel
ave

Count	Response
1	As a rule I feel safe downtown but not around the public library in the evening. I would never park in the ramps alone
1	As of recent in the evening there have been much more crimes downtown... especially if people ever go out drinking at the bar.
1	College Ave is nice but within two blocks in all directions it is filled with decaying neighborhoods.
1	During the day I would but at night no I wouldn't especially walking to and from establishments to our vehicle blocks away.
1	I am a girl, I feel unsafe anywhere, especially when there are crowds of men that are outside that have been drinking.
1	I don't feel safe in the ramps at night so I just avoid downtown such as YMCA, PAC and restaurants.
1	I don't go there at night I don't feel safe.
1	I feel safe downtown during the day, most of the time, but at night, people often harass me and have occasionally thrown things at me from cars.
1	I feel safe downtown on college ave. during the day. It is not very comforting to see the enormous police presence downtown at night. I do not feel safe riding my bike downtown.
1	I feel safe, however for my family, I become more sensitive in certain parks, on certain streets, and would not let my kids be downtown alone because of the amount of substance abuse that takes place downtown
1	If you go by the library there are a lot of shady homeless people just hanging around and sometimes say rude things to you. My mom works downtown and has to park and pay everyday and it's a huge hassle. She walks on her lunches and has walked down to the park and has seen drug deals going down.

Count Response

- 1 It really depends on the area and time of day. I used to live above a coffee shop on College Ave (2009) and going to and from the parking garage by Solider Square was pretty frightening at night. I also worked nights at the Copperleaf from 2005-2008 and also parked in the parking garage, but felt pretty safe there even with all the bar activity.
- 1 Lots of folks hanging out near bus station and library which is near where I need to park everyday. Never leave work after dark!
- 1 Minority specific clubs cause divisiveness.
- 1 Poor neighborhoods
- 1 There are drunks and drug dealers down there. It gets worse at night. There are bikes constantly on the sidewalks and no one does a thing about it.
- 1 There are weird crowds that hang out there and not enough safer neighborhoods around the college ave area.
- 1 Too many bars and don't feel safe even after attending the PAC
- 1 Too many things happening at bars downtown
- 1 Too much crime on weekends (bars/alcohol related)
- 1 Too much homelessness, crime, drugs, gang related teens wandering. Not a visible police force on duty. Would be great to see some officers patrolling on foot everyday.
- 1 in the evening, the bar scene sets the stage for some behaviors that are concerning. Also, areas in downtown that are not habited and not well lit.... recent info is that the incident of rape in Appleton has increased...
- 1 too many bars with over served patrons. The west end of College Ave, west of the PAC, looks like a war zone. Empty buildings many for years. Businesses that come and go and nothing to offer

26. Which of these do you value about downtown Appleton (choose all that apply):



Value	Percent	Count
Walkability: interesting places to walk and explore	80.4%	745
Easy access without a car (for example bike or public transportation)	41.0%	380
Parking	34.8%	323
People and activity	60.7%	563
Public art	46.6%	432
Historic buildings	55.9%	518
Places to eat	77.7%	720
Coffee shops	56.7%	526
Unique shops	59.1%	548
Nightlife	26.8%	248
Special events (Mile of Music, Octoberfest, Parades)	80.4%	745
Performing arts (shows and live music)	67.4%	625
Farmer's market	84.9%	787
Bars and places to get a cocktail	39.1%	362
Cultural opportunities like museums, galleries and the library	56.5%	524
Access to the riverfront and trails	55.8%	517
Residential opportunities	14.5%	134
Other:	3.5%	32
Other:	1.1%	10
Other:	0.4%	4
Other:		Count
YMCA		2
Churches		1
Total		32

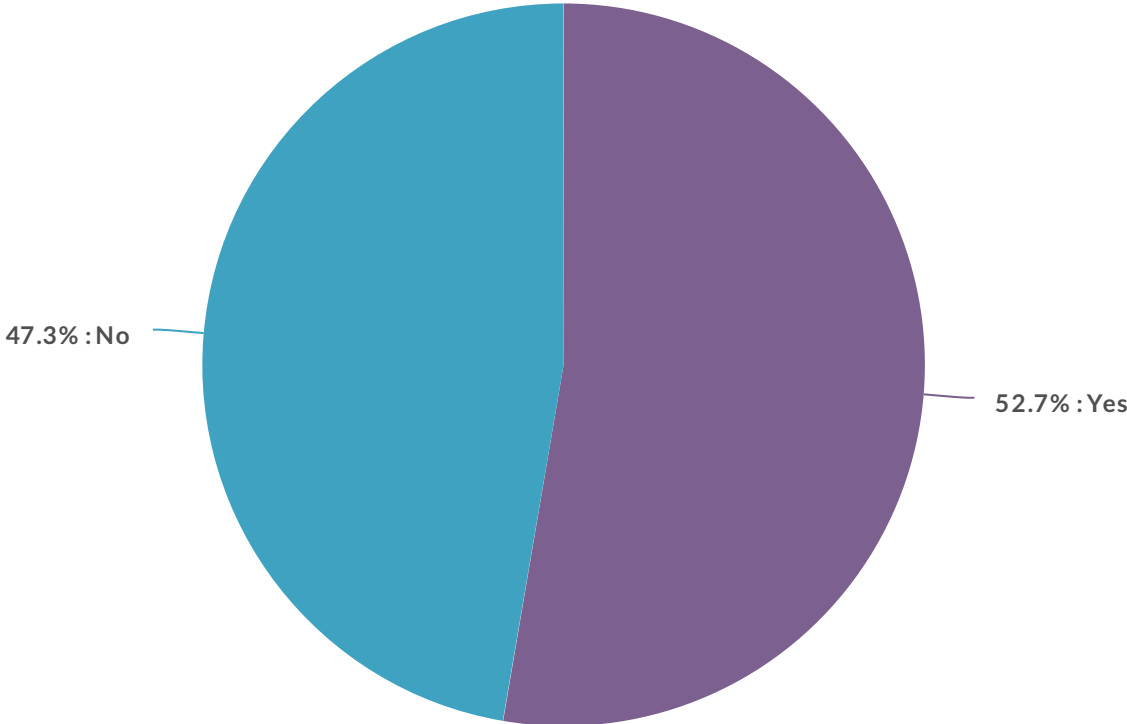
Other:	Count
City Park	1
Close proximity to home, easy access	1
Commercial businesses (tall buildings)	1
Exercise - YMCA/Yoga	1
Family friendly	1
Great fire/police depts	1
Greater sense of community	1
Grocery Store	1
Lawrence University	1
Library	1
Need more residential opportunities	1
Opportunities to see other cultures reflected in community spaces	1
Public spaces - benches, the Plaza	1
Regular presence of Police patrolling on foot or bike.	1
Service providers	1
St. Therese community garden and think we need one in the empty green space by bus station that everyone can use and gather from	1
There still are a few professional firms there, although most left because the city dissed them	1
Trees, flowers, green space	1
Up cycling	1
We need a grocery store with produce, otherwise it will remain a food desert	1
Worship opportunities	1
Ymca	1
a grocery store	1
businesses	1
Total	32

Other:	Count
churches	1
more public spaces	1
outdoor events	1
public gathering spots like Houdini plaza and City Park	1
state of the art library	1
Total	32

Other:	Count
Cleanliness	1
More safe cross walks, cars simply speed through even with paint on the pavement.	1
Nice trees	1
Plants/Trees - beauty of downtown	1
a variety store	1
bank	1
farmer's market	1
parades	1
riverside gardens, but it needs more community exposure	1
Total	9

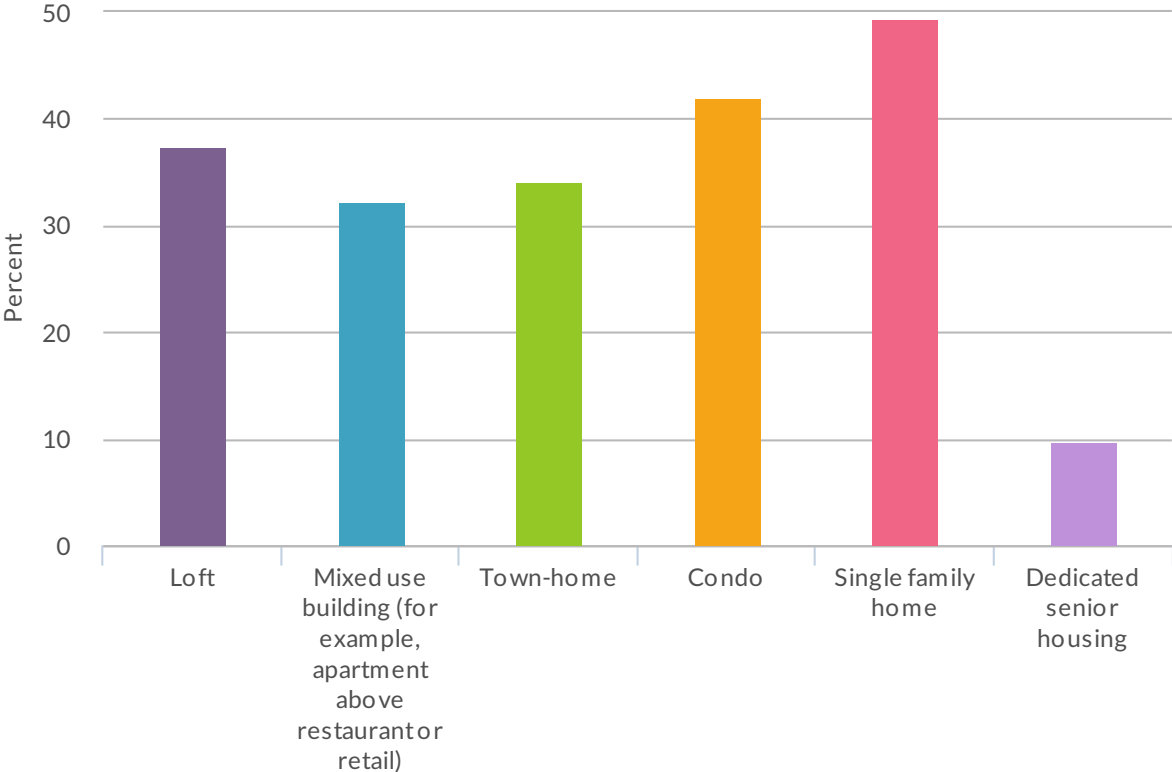
Other:	Count
Hotels/Spas	1
Library	1
Traffic slowing or limit traffic on College Ave, they are not stopping at businesses anyway if they are driving that fast	1
a drug store	1
Total	4

27. Would you consider living downtown?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	52.7%	491
No	47.3%	440
Total		931

28. If Yes, which type of housing would you prefer?
(Check all that apply)



Value	Percent	Count
Loft	37.4%	180
Mixed use building (for example, apartment above restaurant or retail)	32.2%	155
Town-home	34.1%	164
Condo	42.0%	202
Single family home	49.5%	238
Dedicated senior housing	9.8%	47

29. If No, please explain:



Count	Response
4	Too busy
2	Not my lifestyle
1	I enjoy living away from downtown
1	It's too busy at times.
1	Wouldn't like the busyness & traffic all the time.
1	A lot of people complain about the lack of parking downtown and I don't want to move somewhere where I can't invite someone over because there is nowhere for them to park. I'm also not a fan of the bar scene so wouldn't like that on a Friday or Saturday night.
1	Already have a home in Appleton.
1	Because I can not take my dog to the parks and enjoy the grass. This is ridiculous. Punishing everyone instead of enforcing the few with dog "problems" Not nice enough housing, neighbors
1	Because I love owning my house and having a yard for my kids
1	Busy area
1	Can walk to downtown from our home near Erb Park
1	City is less inviting at night.
1	Content with my home on Lindbergh St.
1	Country girl

Count	Response
1	Criminal activity has caused me to hesitate about having my family in the area for long periods of time.
1	Dogs need room to run
1	Don't want to raise our family there, but will visit.
1	Enjoy current area in South appleton
1	Enjoy my location now.
1	Enjoy residential living.
1	Family of 5 and we need a traditional house with a yard.
1	Family of 6--we need space
1	Family-need yard and to stay at Ferber school :)
1	For single family homes, the overall neighborhoods North of College are not maintained as well as other areas. This lends itself to an overall negative impression of the residential areas of downtown.
1	Happy where I am
1	Happy where I currently live....easy to bike or walk downtown.
1	Have 2 small girls..too much traffic
1	Have home east of fox river off college ave which works well for me
1	Have house already elsewhere
1	Have kids
1	Have kids and need a quieter area
1	Have small children, houses and yards, are smaller and neighbor hoods can be transient and less safe. If I was a single person or young adult I would.
1	Houses are too small
1	I am close enough
1	I absolutely love the North side, and living in a subdivision. I did live downtown and loved being close to so much but I wanted more of a neighborhood.
1	I already live close --- I wouldn't go any closer because of the noise. Isn't there an ordinance about noise curfews? I don't mind 9 p.m., but after that is TOO late. They destroy the value of property down there.
1	I already live within easy travel distance to downtown
1	I already love my neighborhood that is close to, but not in, downtown.

Count Response

1	I am a home owner, like to keep downtown as a destination, if I were younger I would definitely live downtown
1	I am already in my own home with green grass.
1	I am happy and safe where I am now
1	I am not a city person
1	I am only 1 mile from downtown currently.
1	I avoid drunk people. I just want to say I'm not a prude. Just with the drinking culture in this state I've had some issues with alcoholics in my family and I know there's an issue with that in the state.
1	I currently live walking distance from downtown and enjoy the neighborhood I am in.
1	I do not like living in cities and downtown areas, more rural areas suit me.
1	I do not like the hustle down there. I prefer my own space, especially having children and dogs.
1	I do not like to look out my window and see a business.
1	I don't believe we will move our family out of Little Chute.
1	I don't enjoy hustle and bustle.
1	I don't like the hustle and bustle. I'd prefer to live a couple blocks away from downtown at minimum.
1	I don't think living downtown meets the needs of my family. I would definitely consider it if I didn't have children.
1	I don't work downtown, so it's easier to be on the outskirts of Appleton.
1	I enjoy living in the country!
1	I enjoy my current neighborhood
1	I enjoy my home on the north side of Appleton and plan on living there for at least 30 more years.
1	I enjoy my house and wouldn't want to move.
1	I enjoy my suburban home
1	I enjoy where I live now which is a short drive to downtown and I enjoy living in a house with a yard which I expect would be harder to find and more expensive downtown.
1	I feel safe during the day (usually) but not as much at night. There is too much crime in the areas just beyond College ave
1	I have 2 young children who need neighborhood friends, and to be able to ride their bikes around the neighborhood. As an empty nester, or if I didn't have kids, I would absolutely consider living downtown.
1	I have 4 kids...we need a yard.

Count Response

1	I have 4 small children.
1	I have a 9 year old daughter. It just doesn't seem residential enough to raise a family.
1	I have a dog and would love to continue having the space/yard for her.
1	I have a family and I would not want to live downtown right now. When I was younger, I would have loved it!
1	I have a family and living downtown is not practical for that. I want my kids to have a yard to play in.
1	I have a family and prefer a sub burb with more green space for my kids.
1	I have a family with 4 children at home and own a home in a lovely older neighborhood near West HS. We don't ever plan to leave.
1	I have a home in Appleton and I'm 62 years old.
1	I have a home near the highway for commuting. Downtown is too far from highway access
1	I have a nice house in a nice neighborhood, so I don't need to move. If I was a single guy or was looking for a new house, I'd consider it.
1	I have children and I prefer a safe neighborhood with a backyard they can play in.
1	I have four children, so I need space...
1	I have four young kids. When I'm older and retired that may be very fun!
1	I have kids and garden, so I need a yard. I also don't want to be near traffic and late-night weekend noise. I would gladly live downtown if I was in my 20s.
1	I have kids and need yard space.
1	I have kids and would like a larger yard.
1	I have kids in school and want them to have a big yard
1	I have kids. I must have a yard! If I was retired or childless I would love it.
1	I have lived in a neighborhood in Appleton for 29 years. No intention of moving at this time.
1	I have lived in downtown for many years. I sold my house to my neighborhood slowly declining. It no longer felt safe for my young child.
1	I have small children and need a yard for them to play in.
1	I have small children and prefer to be in a different school district right now.
1	I have young children and I wouldn't want to raise them downtown. If it was just me or just my husband and me, sure!
1	I have young children, backyards and safety are a concern of mine.

Count Response

1 I have young kids and like our yard. Plus, Houdini elementary school is worth staying here for.

1 I have younger children and different priorities right now.

1 I like a more spacious quiet place to live

1 I like a neighborhood with space

1 I like a quiet residential neighborhood.

1 I like being a part of a neighborhood that's within walking distance of downtown. The nightlife would make it challenging to live downtown, and I'd miss having my own yard.

1 I like downtown as a place to work, eat, and visit, but I like a quieter place to live.

1 I like having a large yard.

1 I like having a small yard...

1 I like having a yard and being part of a neighborhood.

1 I like it quiet. We live near downtown, near Lawrence, walking distance to downtown, and that's perfect for us.

1 I like living in a house

1 I like living near downtown ...

1 I like lots of yard and land personally

1 I like more open spaces for children to run around and be free and safe from traffic.

1 I like more space, such as a large yard

1 I like my area of town.

1 I like my home

1 I like my house and my neighborhood.

1 I like my neighborhood

1 I like my neighborhood.

1 I like neenah

1 I like space around my home.

1 I like the community activities where I live

Count	Response
1	I like the country to live, I like a large yard.
1	I like the neighborhood where I live and I have a big yard for my small children to play in. If I did not have small children and pets then I would love to live downtown
1	I like the quiet residential area better.
1	I like to be on more quiet areas for my son to play
1	I like to live close to downtown, but since I have a family I like having more space and a yard.
1	I like to live nearer my son's school.
1	I like where I am located. I am only 5 minutes from downtown.
1	I like where I live now. Downtown is conveniently close.
1	I like where I live. Close to three schools, a hospital, and a golf course.
1	I live approx. a mile from downtown and that is close enough to experience it while still being able to have green space and a little privacy.
1	I live by Erb park and do not want to move.
1	I live close enough to it I don't need to live right in it. Besides who wants to live by a bunch of bars?
1	I live close enough to walk downtown, but I'd prefer to live in more of a residential area.
1	I live in the Erb Park neighborhood. I enjoy the my homes' yard and proximity to Erb Park with my children more than any residence in the downtown area would likely provide.
1	I live in the country, but I like to Visit the city. :-)
1	I live just south of the river in Appleton and love it there. The location is close enough without being too close.
1	I live near Telulah Park and that's plenty close to downtown! I like my quiet court.
1	I live near peabody park. I wouldn't want to be much closer to heavy traffic than that.
1	I live near, if not in, downtown already. I'd much rather be on the edge of town or out of town completely to avoid the crime, noise (TRAINS!!! Trains ALL NIGHT LONG), traffic, close quarters with neighbors, and other downfalls of living downtown.
1	I live very close to downtown and don't envision moving
1	I live very close to downtown so see no reason to move downtown
1	I live very close to the downtown.
1	I lived on old oneida in the historic river mills apartments but I have a dog so had to move
1	I love my house and downtown is only a 20 min walk if that

Count Response

1 I love to garden, need a big yard.

1 I need more room - like room for my dog to run. But I do like to be close to downtown.

1 I need quiet space and don't think I could get it living downtown.

1 I need space

1 I need space.... downtown is for a younger crowd

1 I need to have the green space and like working in my yard.

1 I own a home in Appleton that I am very happy with.

1 I own a home in Neenah.

1 I own a home with access to 72 acres to walk around on, lots of wildlife, peace.

1 I own a home.

1 I own a house and don't want to move.

1 I own my home which is close to downtown. No need/desire to move.

1 I own my own home and am not ready to move anytime soon.

1 I own my own home, but if I were to chose an apartment, I would prefer more green space nearby.

1 I prefer a neighborhood that's quieter.

1 I prefer a residential neighborhood.

1 I prefer a single family homes

1 I prefer having a large backyard as to city life

1 I prefer having a little more space and having a neighborhood with less activity

1 I prefer less traffic

1 I prefer living in a traditional neighborhood without the hubbub of downtown activity, traffic, etc.

1 I prefer more space and a yard

1 I prefer quiet.

1 I prefer the green space of my yard

1 I prefer the northside-zoned schools in Appleton.

Count	Response
1	I recently built on 2 acres in the country so I like space. I like going downtown for lunch, activities, but not my choice of where to live.
1	I think it might be too small for a family on what I would possibly be able to afford.
1	I think the noise level would be too distracting for us.
1	I want a house in a quiet neighborhood with a large yard, preferably on the outskirts of the city with less congestion and more wildlife.
1	I want green space of my own for my family.
1	I will not live downtown because of the school district that my children would have to go. We chose to live on the North side of town specifically because of the public schools and it being a nicer area in town.
1	I work downtown so it's nice to live elsewhere.
1	I would like my own yard at this point in my life.
1	I would live out in the county if possible. Downtown living would be stressful for me.
1	I would rather live outside of the downtown area with a yard and more space, less noise, easier parking, access to grocery stores, etc.
1	I wouldn't really want to have an apartment downtown. But a house near downtown is a definite yes.
1	I'm establish where am
1	I'm retired - house is paid off so no moving for me!
1	If downtown means in the shopping area ie college ave then I would prefer to live outside of the shopping area
1	If you mean actually downtown, too much noise. crappy parking.
1	In general, housing downtown is run-down. Noise of living downtown and lack of immediate parking to residence would be a deterrent. No yard, open space.
1	In my opinion there's not enough "updated" living spaces, most of the living areas right downtown that I've seen are above existing shops are usually worn down and not up to date. With the exception of the Richmond terrace, which to me is near downtown, but not a part of it.
1	It doesn't fit my current lifestyle with children. I would rather be close to their school.
1	It is important for our family to have a large yard. I don't see where in downtown we would have the opportunity.
1	It would feel like I have no privacy. Too many people, just too busy
1	It wouldn't be fitting for a family.
1	It's Too small and the places are not good condition
1	It's boring

Count	Response
1	It's built up to profit not explore the area
1	It's just not the part of town that I would choose to live in with children. The North Appleton area is my preference.
1	It's not developed enough at all to live downtown. The type of residential areas downtown and surrounding downtown are very low-class so it tends to mean more crime and disorderly conduct. The traffic flow downtown and near downtown is also a cluster. Not to mention the crappy parking situations downtown and around downtown.
1	It's not safe anymore
1	It's the opposite of what I consider a place to live. I want trees, and a garden.
1	It's too overwhelming and congested for my preference.
1	Just not my thing
1	Lack of parking near buildings. Would not feel safe in a ramp if had to be out later in the evening
1	Like a quiet surrounding
1	Like a yard and green space
1	Like having a yard and doesn't fit my lifestyle due to parking, lack of bike lanes, and not cultural enough
1	Like quick access to highway
1	Like the neighborhood lifestyle.
1	Like where I am now
1	Like where I live
1	Live close to downtown now
1	Live in Erb Park, close to where I work. Downtown is still accessible by walking.
1	Love having a large yard.
1	Love where I live now
1	Many of the homes in the downtown area have not been kept up over the years. They turn into rental properties and the crime rate goes up.
1	Maybe in my much younger days. Maybe if I owned a business downtown. It wouldn't make sense for me.
1	My business keeps me in the suburbs and I do not want to commute.
1	My family prefers to not be that close to action. Also, need a yard.
1	Need a single story living arrangement not a walk up or two story

Count Response

1 Need a yard as we have a young family

1 Need easy access to hwy, currently work in oshkosh

1 Need land.

1 Need more room

1 Need space and yard and garage.

1 Nice to visit but not where I would consider having my residence.

1 No need to move in foreseeable future. When need arises likely to move closer to our children in a different city. Appleton has been our home for decades, so don't like the idea of leaving.

1 No outdoor space for kids

1 No place for dogs

1 No real good options

1 No yard

1 No yard area

1 Not a city person

1 Not as safe as we thought.

1 Not big enough houses and they lack yard/or lack of easy access to park

1 Not conducive to my personal life.

1 Not dog friendly

1 Not enough amenities close by to make it convenient. Too much of a transient population loitering around the public areas.

1 Not enough green space for someone with multiple pets

1 Not enough parking downtown for me to live and too busy of an area for my liking.

1 Not enough yard space

1 Not enough space to raise a family

1 Not family oriented living

1 Not for a family

Count	Response
1	Not for a family.
1	Not going to raise a family downtown
1	Not interested in the downtown neighborhood. They are somewhat trashy and run down in areas.
1	Not my style
1	Not my style, not family friendly
1	Not possible with a family
1	Not right for me.
1	Not right now, because my family is settled and I don't wish to move, but if I were newly relocating I would certainly consider it. I could see myself living in downtown Appleton in ten or twenty years. I would hope for easy access to fitness trails and private parking.
1	Not safe
1	Not set up for families and not in a good price range
1	Not sure what the limits are for "downtown" if it is just college ave the reason is no backyard for kids and pets. If it extends outside of college ave i.e. City park then my answer would be yes great historic homes and easy to walk to restaurants but no close by grocery stores.
1	Not to raise a family. If I were single or married without kids I would definitely consider it!
1	Not very nice looking.
1	Not with amount of violent homeless happening.
1	On College Ave no because of the bar noise. On one of the side streets possible depending upon noise level and accessibility.
1	Our family values having a larger backyard for our 3 kids
1	Own a home 6 blocks from downtown
1	Own a home and no need to live downtown.
1	Own a home and would not consider giving up privacy
1	Own my home, happy here
1	Parking
1	Parking, not without a real plan for extensive development.
1	Parking, safety.
1	Personal preference of liking rural more. Too noisy

Count Response

1 Poor parking and not enough green space

1 Prefer a quieter area!

1 Prefer country living.

1 Prefer living outside of downtown area

1 Prefer more of a country feel

1 Prefer right where I am.

1 Prefer sidewalk and driveways for my children to play on

1 Prefer the suburbs just outside of downtown, but I enjoy visiting and utilizing downtown Appleton.

1 Prefer to be on the outskirts of town with easier access to HWYs 41/441. Downtown is easy enough to get to when I want to go there.

1 Prefer to have a yard

1 Prefer to live just on the periphery.

1 Prefer to own more land

1 Prefer visiting downtown with a family rather than living downtown with a family.

1 Probably be pricey.

1 Seems for the younger crowd, not for families

1 Space

1 Suburb

1 The apartments are expensive and mostly above bars which is fine if you are a night owl and don't want to sleep until 2 in the morning.

1 The current state of downtown is mostly bars and as such, it doesn't seem like the kind of place I would want to live.

1 The downtown area is too loud on the weekends. The housing is either run down or too expensive.

1 The neighborhoods close to downtown do not seem the greatest

1 The school districts are poor downtown.

1 There is not adequate housing to my taste.

Count	Response
1	There is not enough adequate housing
1	There would be nowhere to park and no backyard or it would be too expensive.
1	There's too much traffic and noise for me to want to live in a house. I feel safe when I go downtown because I don't go down there at night, but the truth is that people have been flat out shot dead at night downtown, and all sorts of unsavory people go barhopping. Tons of sketchy people hang out by the library. It's kind of dirty downtown and littered with cigarette butts. And the noise from all the events that go on would drive me nuts.
1	To busy for me and there are people there that don't share my views of homeschooling and one example was the YMCA
1	To expensive or poor quality apartments
1	To loud.
1	To many bars and bad neighborhood
1	Too big a move for such a small distance from where I already live
1	Too busy and congested. Run down, old.
1	Too busy and lack of parking
1	Too busy and loud.
1	Too busy for my family and not enough yard space.
1	Too busy with people and cars
1	Too busy, I prefer a quiet neighborhood for my home.
1	Too busy, don't want to be bothered by the nightlife when I want to sleep
1	Too busy. Bad parking options
1	Too busy. I like a quiet neighborhood with very little traffic so my kids can play outside more safely.
1	Too busy. Too close to work.
1	Too congested
1	Too congested and too much loud partying on weekend evenings
1	Too hard to park downtown and doesn't feel safe
1	Too many bars and drinking
1	Too many bars.
1	Too many panhandling musicians.

Count	Response
1	Too many people
1	Too many people, just not me
1	Too many people, too much noise.
1	Too much crime now a days
1	Too much day traffic and night life to leave near
1	Too much noise and activity.
1	Too much noise at night
1	Too much noise, not enough space for a family.
1	Too much of a bar scene; not the higher-end type of housing I'd consider when I'm ready to move into a condo. I wouldn't by a house downtown because there are too many unkempt rentals.
1	Too much riff raft people. Poor people live there.
1	Too noisy for me. I like living in residential or rural areas.
1	Too noisy to be right downtown.
1	Too noisy, busy, restricted parking.
1	Too noisy, parking
1	Too old. If younger, then yes!
1	Too small of a downtown
1	Traffic
1	Unsafe "urban" decay. Single family housing turning into two family units. People moving in and out.
1	Used to live downtown-was fun at that time
1	Value a yard/play space for kids/garden space.
1	Want to have a garden
1	Want to stay in North side
1	Way to much traffic
1	Way to rowdy
1	Way too loud, too many kids hanging around all night.

Count Response

1	We are older and looking at retirement--don't want to have to do a 'fixer upper' again! Also, I love to garden, need more yard for that. One last thing--certain areas of the downtown area have become a bit blighted and I would not feel comfortable there safety wise after daylight.
1	We bought a house
1	We built a home in the past two years, and are to tally in love with it! But we LOVE downtown.
1	We built a new home about 11 years ago...no desire to move.
1	We like have grass and a yard for the kids. Also, the lots downtown are smaller and the very nice houses are too expensive.
1	We like having a house with a yard and our neighborhood.
1	We like to have more yard space.
1	We like where we live now. Our children attend Horizons Elementary and love that school.
1	We live close enough to get to downtown in 5 minutes. No need to move. But if we were to move, we wouldn't choose downtown because the buildings are too old.
1	We live in a house in a quiet neighborhood.
1	We live near downtown and are very happy. We hope to always live in our home on the river.
1	We looked at homes near City Park when we were looking to buy a home but it was more expensive and now we own a home that has more space (both land and home size) for our family and was a smarter economic purchase.
1	We need a bigger house.
1	We own a home
1	We own our home and are not interested in moving.
1	We've owned our home on Clara St. on the SE side for 19 years, but would consider living downtown if starting over new to the area.
1	Where we live now (Riverview) makes downtown very accessible in all ways (walking, biking, public transit, or driving).
1	Where would I park and how long would it be before someone robbed me for hero in?
1	Why? there is no access to the waterfront as the above question asks. Nothing to offer except a few shops that for thwe most part sell niche items ie rugs, pens, musical instruments, hair salons etc.
1	Will not go slumming in upper flats
1	With children, I'd want to continue to live in a neighborhood with larger yards.

Count	Response
1	Within the last 6 years I moved to a condo community on the north side of Appleton and I could't be happier any other place!
1	Would be too loud and I want a nice backyard
1	Would live near downtown(we do now) but need to be far enough away for kids to be safe away from the busy streets and night life
1	Would prefer to live just outside Appleton with a bigger lot and more green space. Don't think I would like the noise of downtown.
1	filthy sidewalks (litter, vomit, etc.), loud, too many bars
1	happily settled north of town
1	have a family with small children and a dog --need space
1	homes are too old.
1	i need a subdivision for my kids with a nice yard
1	i own a home
1	lack of parking, difficulty navigating due to one way streets, and a perception of crime, drugs, alcohol, homelessness concentrated in pockets of the downtown area make it undesirable to live in.
1	like having a lawn and places for the kids to play
1	like living outside of downtown with kids and a dog.
1	need nature around
1	not a downtown type of person rather visit but not live
1	not safe
1	prefer not to live downtown with a family
1	seems too congestive
1	the development of the downtown is uninspiring...
1	to old in 70,s
1	too much traffic for my pets
1	too noisy to actually live down there
1	we are very happy with the neighborhood we are in (around AMC)
1	while it is safe during the day the night can be another different. Also, I prefer a backyard.

30. What new activities, attractions, or events (which do not currently exist) would you like to see happen downtown or along the river?

art orevents river downtown

Count	Response
5	Not sure
2	
2	?
2	Can't think of any
2	Live music
2	More festivals
2	None
1	(See also earlier comments): Christmas market and beer garden.
1	- Increase river access for canoes/kayaks. - Not for profit nature center located directly on river - Increase schools located downtown - Increase historical/preserved areas - Increase recycling/composting bins on public sidewalks
1	- Restaurants (Similar to Milwaukee river restaurants) - Improved or new Library - Parks
1	- Paddleboat tours along the Fox River - Public Auctions - Close the street permanently like they do on State St in Madison - Put in a rail trolley that just goes up and down downtown College Ave - Carnivals - Cultural festivals other than Oktoberfest

Count Response

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| 1 | 1. A beautiful library. Lots of cities distinguish themselves with architecturally amazing libraries (Kansas City, Cedar Rapids, Salt Lake City, Seattle, Minneapolis, and many smaller cities too). With community rooms, a gallery, lecture hall, maybe even a small theater room for plays and movies. 2. We have so much great food, especially ethnic, that you can only get in big cities. I know we have Restaurant Week, but maybe we could have some kind of downtown food festival? |
| 1 | 2 day Oktoberfest or a spring fest with car show |
| 1 | 20 somethings need more cultural opportunities in Downtown Appleton besides usual clubs and cocktail bars. The city could really attract more young adults by decriminalizing marijuana in the city like Madison has done recently and focusing law enforcement efforts on real dangers. |
| 1 | 4 of July fire works instead of the park by northland |
| 1 | 4th of July Activities |
| 1 | ??? |
| 1 | A real boardwalk with restaurants, bars, shops, entertainment. Dog parks. |
| 1 | A German Christmas Market (downtown or near an outdoor skating area during the holidays. A Beer Garden in the summer (please see The Landing in Wauwatosa OR Estabrook Park Biergarten in Whitefish Bay for examples) |
| 1 | A REAL Deli is needed. Use the old imax theatre that is abandoned. Farmers market got too popular and busy too many vendors is overkill I stopped going. Grocery store. Beercade. BYOB restaurants. |
| 1 | A Riverfest where downtown merchants set-up by the Fox to show appreciation of our riverside. A fair with kiddie rides and food. A Celebrate the Arts Day with live theater, classical music, ballet, and poetry all along College Avenue. |
| 1 | A bakery such as Great Harvest or an ice cream shop. Better restaurants. |
| 1 | A beer garden More outside venues for music and entertainment |
| 1 | A boat parade (sailboats, canoes - no motors), food truck location at least once a week, bicycle parade, outdoor concerts for local choirs. |
| 1 | A community picnic or BBQ would be fun. |
| 1 | A dedicated Senior Center! |
| 1 | A fair or carnival |
| 1 | A few more festivals besides Oktoberfest would be nice. Years ago there was Celebrate in May. It wasn't as large as Oktoberfest so other mini-fests that only close off a few blocks during the event would be nice. |
| 1 | A gay pride weekend. |
| 1 | A green quiet zone with trees for peaceful gathering. Not a park with playground equipment and picnic tables. The area between Fratellos and The Mills is perfect. |

Count	Response
1	A large sports venue
1	A location like harmony cafe reopened.
1	A lot of great things are happening - we need to continue to invest in them to keep them growing
1	A milwaukee like beer garden open during the summer.
1	A more public space to make art, a square along the river, something like the High Line to take you from one end of the river to the other
1	A movie theater, a safer park for children with activities for teens/adults (outdoor exercise/fitness equipment), fewer parking meters so that parking is easier and more convenient. We don't do as many activities in the City Center anymore (or go to the library as much) because parking is expensive.
1	A museum would be nice or outdoor cafe space that's not right on the street.
1	A nature center in Appleton like 1000 islands nature preserve in Kaukauna? More trails.
1	A new library. The Kaukauna library is excellent. Appleton needs to update its library specifically the children's area.
1	A park along the river!!!! Better and easier access to trails and businesses along river front
1	A river walk, similar to the one in Little Rock Arkansas- get down there and check it out, it's great.
1	A river walk/boat ride, perhaps with shops/eateries to stop at from time to time.
1	A riverwalk
1	A walk or trolley ride with info about the history of the buildings.
1	A walking trail along the river with shops and restaurants. Trolley or bike pub tours.
1	A walkway or something along the river. I don't even know if you can do that right now because I've never heard about opportunities by the river. Like I've mentioned, a dog park would be great as well.
1	AQS quilt show
1	Access by means other than automobile. Celebrations that acknowledge the nature and animals that live along the river.
1	After riverfront rejuvenation, any activities, attractions, or events that are currently held downtown, utilize waterfront areas for events as well.
1	Again, more art, museums and specialty shops.
1	Amphitheater in Ellen Kort Park
1	An amphitheater for music. A Saint Patrick's Day parade. Mardi Gras events/parades. An Amusement park like Bay Beach. An indoor/outdoor water park. Paddle Boats on the river.

Count	Response
1	An open air pavilion for special events and concerts.
1	Any live music is always good. Family-fest??
1	Anything
1	Anything
1	Anything active / bike rides / more for kids / families
1	Anything along the river: concerts, events, etc.
1	Appleton offers so many downtown opportunities throughout the year--I cannot think of any additional ones right now.
1	Aquarium, more festivals
1	Art fair. River walk. Free public concerts.
1	Art festivals or music events.
1	Art galleries
1	Art galleries, not museums, but galleries with art for sale.
1	Art walks on week nights
1	Art, music, wine, beer festivals
1	As stated before, we need more bars/restaurants and unique dining opportunities downtown and along the river. Right now we have Pullman's, which is awful. We need more to attract people to that space.
1	Beer Garden! Milwaukee County Parks has an exquisite Beer Garden located near running trails, a disc golf course, and a natural waterway at Estabrook Beer Garden. Cultural, Recreational, Social, and PROFITABLE!
1	Beer garden like in MKE, culture events, more art events,
1	Beer garden.
1	Better access to the riverfront
1	Better connection to river. More trails. Fun places to go along river (e.g. art space, restaurants, bars).
1	Better farmers market, restaurants on the water, more trails
1	Better trails and fishing spots
1	Bigger music events
1	Bike races

Count	Response
1	Bike races
1	Bike races. Triathlons. "Downtown Block Party" as a family-friendly opportunity for businesses that does revolve around music (Mile of Music) or drinking (Oktoberfest).
1	Biking and walking trails. Pull people out with community events, art, music, animals, active transportation, bike share. Create a community who cares about each other and has a sense of pride by basing decisions on what is first best for the city as a whole, then for a zip code, then neighborhood, then street, then block, then homes. If the city doesn't manage itself this way, the residents will tend to be self centered and wont be proud to live here. Also harder to attract new, young talent who choose a community, then look for a job.
1	Bird sanctuaries along the river.
1	Boat cruises with beer/wine tastings
1	Boat excursions Water activities Summer sports activities - similar to golf on the town - only outdoors and whatever else someone can dream up outdoors
1	Boat excursions, more places to have a cocktail on the water
1	Boat races, operating locks
1	Boat rides rentals
1	Book sales - swap sales flea markets art sales
1	Bring back a piano bar. A rooftop bar/restaurant would be nice.
1	Bring back the city wide ice skating races.
1	Bring back the riverboat rides.
1	Build more downtown/riverfront connections -- ensure that hills are walkable and bike-able. Incentives for businesses to maintain property. More commercial, restaurant, park, trail. and arts development on the riverfront.
1	Build up around the Newberry trail with coffee shops restaurants and small shops
1	Can any kind of boating activities happen? Maybe kayak rentals?
1	Can we get a weekly flyer (online) with all the places with live music happening which days and times? Would definitely help get more people to those businesses if there was a central location to know what and when that was happening
1	Can't put my finger on it, but downtown events seem geared toward soccer moms (farm market, Thursday night music, etc). These events elicit a yawn from plenty of Appleton residents. Can there be some events that don't interest or even freak out the typical Appleton resident? I don't know what these would look like. Just sayin', sometimes College Ave feels has a very "mom & dad pushing strollers" vibe.
1	Can't think of anything
1	Can't think of anything, but I love the farmer's market

Count	Response
1	Cannot think of any
1	Children's events
1	Chili festival(food trucks, local bands, little home made shops etc), corn maze?
1	Chinese Dragon Races, Rental Shops,
1	Circus, a Big family friendly Halloween party (party for all ages) or downtown trick or treating like Trick or Treat DePere, a downtown Christmas event like they have in downtown Neenah, carriage rides, events or a fun place for teens.
1	Clean it up so people want to be there.
1	Close off from Drew Street to State Street and make it pedestrian only paving like State Street in Madison. Increase outdoor living space or dining space at all shops restaurants etc. downtown Appleton by increasing pedestrian traffic would make a business like ours open a retail store on College Avenue with the current conditions we are just now able to do that
1	Comedy festival, support of local comedy
1	Community Center that would include library and activities that had been held at Thompson Community Center.
1	Community Theatre Also A movie house to celebrate drag shows, rocky horror picture show, concerts, and other cult classics that give the alternative crowd a place to call home.
1	Community groups, classes or artwork. Promote urban recreation not just business. That makes a community enjoyable.
1	Concert venue like The Rave in Milwaukee.
1	Concerts
1	Concerts &/or public events promoting the arts
1	Concerts on the river frontage Access to sports venues on river like LU tennis Cts (which are private). Concentrated shopping or restur in cluster settings with surface parking. Make the River Front like a College Ave with mixed use
1	Condos and a developed park with play equipment and gardens east of the Atlas Mill building
1	Connect flats and downtown for bike and pedestrian (other than Jones Park). Connect Newberry/old Oneida bike route to downtown. New park in flats that highlights waterfront.
1	Continue the path that you are on.
1	Continue to focus on family friendly events and get away from the alcohol related functions.
1	Continued expansion of non-chain dining and independent retail. Continued expansion of live music. More dining/bar/cafe venues with outdoor space!!
1	Convention Center Shows and Events

Count	Response
1	Convention business, more stuff at PAC
1	Convention center
1	Craft and art fairs
1	Culinary classes?
1	Cultural events (germanfest, hmong festivals, etc)
1	Cycling races.
1	Development along the river definitely should continue with easy access to places to eat, shop, have live music, and live without having to go outside the city for necessities.
1	Development of the old water treatment site into a community park.
1	Do not know
1	Dog friendly events.
1	Dog friendly trails
1	Dog park
1	Dog park, leash or not
1	Dog-friendly events
1	Downtown needs to work on accessibility for the disabled
1	Downtown walking tours for tourists, canoe and kayak rental, locks open for tours, more restaurants and shops, riverfront park development of Ellen Kort Park, riverfront festival. Bring back Celebrate the Fox. Lawrence festivals like they used to
1	Ethnic food festival
1	Events on a Tuesday or Wednesday night. Stop competing with all the other Thursday events.
1	Events to raise awareness & money for such things as animal welfare, cancer, Multiple Sclerosis & other disabling diseases.
1	Exercise equipment park, splash pads for children that are FREE, walking paths, flower gardens, building art
1	Family Fun activities
1	Family activités, ie bike rides.
1	Family attractions? Parking facilities at reasonable cost. Downtown. River? Entirely different but lay off the bar scene.Thoughtful parking plans!
1	Family friendly activities

Count Response

- 1 Farm to Fork type event or Taste of Appleton/Downtown Ability to explore by the river where it currently appears to be industrial. So much history there!
- 1 Festival of some sort
- 1 Fireworks
- 1 Fireworks along the river
- 1 Fireworks during 4th of July
- 1 Fireworks, events by the river
- 1 Fishing events, culture events, carnival, kids events, boat show
- 1 Fists off there is not an area along the river to have an event. The river is not an asset that can be exploited, fix downtown.
- 1 Flea markets Rummage sales Student art music performances Educational demonstrations
- 1 Food Festival
- 1 Food tours!
- 1 Food truck park.
- 1 Free parking.
- 1 Green space along river rather than too much development Trails
- 1 Hiking trail from Lutz park along the river past downtown, new park in the flats, more bike access. Don't lose Mile of Music. Build the convention center.
- 1 Historic walks.
- 1 Historical trail along the river- College Avenue Bridge
- 1 Hotel
- 1 I always felt that a trolley car going from one end of College Avenue to the other would attract people to downtown Appleton.
- 1 I didn't know we had access to trails downtown? Better signage would help!
- 1 I don't have any good ideas right now. There's seems to be a great mix already. I like to run downtown about once a week. There's always interesting things to look at.
- 1 I don't have anything specific but would welcome family oriented events
- 1 I don't know what should happen on the river but I think that it deserves a lot more attention.

Count Response

1 I don't know where this river walk is! I would like more info and signage!

1 I don't know, it seems like we have a pretty good variety of activities and events.

1 I like diverse gatherings similar to Milwaukee's Ethnic Festivals; German Fest, Festa Italiana, Polish Fest; Irish Fest, Mexican Fiesta, Indian Summer Festival; etc.

1 I love all of the events we have - I would love even more of them! More music, more farmers markets (I love green bays Wednesday night farm market..something similar to that would be great), more trails, more public art in open spaces. I am opposed to anything "big business" as I think One of Appleton's greatest assets is the grand diversity and amount of local businesses. Big name singers, chain restaurants, or Whole Foods type grocery stores would all hurt our local businesses and diminish our unique culture.

1 I love all the activities for kids and would certainly welcome more.

1 I love art, but I feel the Trout Museum is a little small and limited, but given our city size I understand. I would love a larger art venue or showing. I would love to see a wine bar (something similar to red & white or uncorked in Neenah), Pinot's Palette is amazing - more fun, interactive locations like that. I love the summer concert series, but has there every been conversation about doing something like that with the Fox Valley Symphony? Symphony park concerts would be fantastic. I'd also love to see an Appleton Beer Festival or Wine Tasting.

1 I miss Lawrence University's CELEBRATE.

1 I miss having a department store downtown.

1 I think the new idea for the library would be cool. I'd like to see an event like "Ride the Drive" that happens in Madison (maybe to cap off Bike to Work week). I'd like to see more community events downtown - some bigger events, perhaps, like some of the bigger cities have).

1 I think there are already many great activities

1 I think with the building of the Expo Center, we will have more events that are educational ("how to) and available year-round in the downtown.

1 I would like it if the Farmer's Market could be expanded to include more farmers. I mean, it is a farmer's market after all.

1 I would like more popular musicians/concerts, and a terrace on the river (like the UW-Madison Memorial Union).

1 I would like to have a beautiful public library on the riverfront so that the community has a place to gather and enjoy the view. I like the idea of having a library garden or green space that leads down a path to Jones Park. I also like the idea of having more special events in Jones Park.

1 I would like to see a hydroelectric celebration of history. A weekend devoted to Appleton's historic sites and opportunities.

1 I would like to see a lot more activity down by the river with access for all Kama maybe some more parts, areas to walk your dog, an art

Count Response

1	I would like to see a non-profit program replace Harmony Cafe.
1	I would like to see a riverfront patio (similar to the CityDeck in Green Bay). I think it would be great to make more use of the river front or have easier access to it especially during the Summer months.
1	I would like to see activities/entertainment and restaurants focused on adults. More friendly for date night with my spouse or mom's night out. Billards, lounge,
1	I would like to see more diversity programming in the Parks everything from dances and food to powwows I'd like to see a history of American Indians in the Appleton area in a public place that honors the tribe that used to live here, the Menominee Tribe with a native sculpture/ art work (done by an American Indian artist) that educates the people of Appleton and visitors about the native people in this area who are still here. There should be a native indigenous art show of a variety of media at the Trout at least once a year
1	I would like to see more ethnic festivals (similar to what they have in Milwaukee). The Leech in Oshkosh is a great venue - it'd be nice to have a better venue for music outside, and I'd like to see more genres of music coming to Appleton and bigger names.
1	I would like to see more music less drinking
1	I would like to see plans progress for riverfront trails/access. I would like to see these plans include safety options such as lighting, call boxes etc. as it can feel/be unsafe to walk/run alone in more isolated sections of existing trails.
1	I would love more things to do with children. The kids museum is expensive. The old harmony cafe was nice for kids and adults.
1	I would love to see added paved pathways to utilize and take dogs for a walk on. It would also be nice to see these marked with signs pointing to how to get to the trails, as college ave isn't directly against the river.
1	I'd like to see more big name music acts come to Appleton. Once in awhile there is at the PAC, but not often and usually it's geared toward the older crowd. Why can't we get Justin Timberlake, or Maroon 5?
1	I'd like to see more events that are designed for older adults, and other events designed for children. I'd like to see more family friendly events that do not include alcoholic beverages.
1	I'd love to see development on the riverfront along Water Street. The geese are cute, but I feel we could do more.
1	I'm not sure.
1	Ice-skating rink at Houdini plaza.
1	Indoor public play area for families... especially for winter time and rainy days
1	Indoor water park with a view of the river
1	International and independent film series or festivals, similar to the wonderful Latin American and Spanish Film Fest at Lawrence.

Count	Response
1	It would be nice to see some more activities that are family friendly by not selling alcohol. Not all of us think the only way to have a good time is to get wasted. I also feel that it sets a bad example for our children when they see a beer wagon at every event in town.
1	Jazz festival, more and better coffee shops, more and easier access to the riverfront from downtown for pedestrians, renewal of the west end of College Ave. (State St.-Richmond), more river-based festivals or special events
1	Kayak or canoe rental, walking tours, new library
1	Kayak park
1	Kayak rentals
1	Kayaking, beach, more restaurants
1	LGBT Pride Festival/Parade
1	Lantern Festival
1	Large music venue
1	Like many others I'd like to see downtown have some good usable walking links to the river and trails that use some of the abandoned railroad bridges. The neighborhood north of college needs some rejuvenation -- too many cement surface parking lots. Why not use these for new urban style residences? I'd like to see a new library which acts as a community center for all ages and I loved the bluff site overlooking the river.
1	Live music at the river
1	Local theater events similar to Art in the Park or Mile of Music. Possibly theater in Houdini Plaza similar to the music that is on Thursdays.
1	Longer outdoor farmers market, more coffee shops and restaurants, better shops, more art fairs or street fairs, trails, things for kids
1	Look at what Madison has, restaurants, trails, bike rentals, paddle board etc.
1	Mainly trails, cafes, and public green space.
1	Maybe a weekly concert series.
1	Maybe more riverfront activities for families.
1	Metal music festival
1	Mid-week farmers market on the river Kayak rentals Biking/walking along river Rooftop restaurants
1	Mixed use buildings and more coffee shops and hangouts
1	Monthly themed events that attract visitors (and potential customers), permanent outdoor music venue that can be booked by artists and event coordinators

Count	Response
1	More Festivals
1	More Fun Runs/Walks or races. More of the arts and cultural events.
1	More art or history related events. I feel like Appleton could become much more of an art hub if there were more activities related to it. Also I feel like we have such a rich history here that could be tapped into more.
1	More art related walks or history tours
1	More artery shows! Music festivals, kids activities
1	More arts related activities, more walking trails near the river
1	More bike and pedestrian trails, perhaps more restaurants along the river, using it more for social activity, like city deck in green bay.
1	More bike trails. Terrace.
1	More car shows, education events for kids outside instead of always inside at the library, more art
1	More clothing shops
1	More concerts.
1	More cultural events
1	More cultural events not centered on drinking
1	More cultural events. Loving the food truck rally. Family events
1	More culture, more trails and more restaurants. One trail has been lost to us since the Neenah Paper warehouse has gone up. Appleton needs to protect its green spaces. In the case of the warehouse, Neenah Foundry should be responsible for producing and maintaining a barrier, both visual and audible so the trail is not affected. Appleton caters too much to business while not maintaining some benefits it already provides.
1	More daytime fun events like the mini golf. Maybe a scavenger hunt or something.
1	More development near river and better utilization of the waterfront
1	More development!!! With the river clean up well underway, its a wonderful amenity. Don't let the slow moving townhouse sales under the College Ave bridge scare you away from approving more development, and don't let the upper-middle class professional NIMBYs that currently occupy some choice historic neighborhoods downtown prevent you from doing what's right for Appleton.
1	More dining outside and on the riverfront.
1	More eateries, bars, galleries on the river to encourage use of trails. A huge downtown spring event like Octoberfest to kick off Summer
1	More eating and drinking establishments. Culture.

Count	Response
1	More ethnic festivals, maybe tied to farmers market once a month like greek one month, hmong, latin american, etc. Give more chances for community to celebrate & be educated on the various ethnicities in our wonderful city.
1	More events in parks and along the river.
1	More events in which we can see the river while participating in the activity. Jones park is nice, but I feel confined and tucked away. A band she'll on the river like Oshkosh would be amazing!
1	More events like Mile of Music which are great for the businesses AND the community. Non-alcohol based nightlife. More affordable housing for low-mid income folks who depend on busses for transport.
1	More events like octoberfest and mile of music
1	More events on/near the water.
1	More events such as Mile of Music and Octoberfest.
1	More fairs/festivals like Art in the Park and Octoberfest. Why not do something on the river featuring the Locks now that they are fully restored.
1	More family activities for free!
1	More family festivals
1	More family friendly events. We love the parades!
1	More family-oriented activities in the parks
1	More festivals
1	More festivals and special events. More great PAC shows.
1	More festivals, an truly amped up art walk (it is a bit lacking).
1	More fitness activities (yoga, boot camps, runs, organized bike rides), pub crawls, pedal pubs, national level music acts, food festivals (cultural food, not just typical fair food) movies in the park, not only family friendly activities: focus on young adults/professionals
1	More focus on history, more focus on locks and river recreation
1	More food trucks would be cool.
1	More food-specific fairs. Like Oktoberfest for food. Taste of Appleton kinds of things.
1	More hiking along river. Modestly improved public access points in neighborhood like mine-Colony Oaks.
1	More kid activities. More festivals. More live music.
1	More kid friendly events

Count	Response
1	More kid-friendly activities, color run/walk (where you paint yourself and others), doggy daycare for those who work downtown, splash pad near river/street for kids to relax maybe near a coffee shop for the adults with outdoor seating surrounding. (Thinking of GB by the river board walk where the bike trail runs by)
1	More kids stuff
1	More live music
1	More of the same
1	More opportunities for visual artists
1	More outdoor activities in the summer, carnivals, live music, wine tastings, athletic events
1	More outdoor eating and trails and or event space along the river.
1	More outdoor eating venues. Free parking. Better mix of businesses within the restaurants/bars. It seems skewed right now.
1	More outdoor music festivals.
1	More parades, block parties, And more carnivals
1	More parks
1	More places to eat with outdoor dining. Kid friendly areas. Music venues! More and safer areas to walk.
1	More police during events...
1	More public art
1	More public art or experiential installations
1	More public art or installations
1	More public art possibly including interesting nighttime illumination. (love what is on the Trout) We really need a better nighttime ambiance - maybe just changing the spectrum of the streetlights to a warmer tone - adding some accent lights here and there. Also we really need to connect downtown to the river - we don't need another stairway - even though I normally push for pedestrian and bike access - this time I believe we actually need a road. I love the idea of returning Appleton street to two way traffic through downtown. With this we should tear down the S Onieda bridge that the northbound traffic used to use and utilize that easy grade to connect E Lawrence to S Rocky Bleier Run. (With a two lane traffic road with wide pedestrian and bike lanes of course!) This seems like the only option to really open up downtown to the river. No more stairs/ramps or driving to the extreme east or west of downtown to get down to the river. Just imagine driving down College Av appro
1	More public music education events!
1	More restaurants
1	More restaurants and trails along river so that people can enjoy the views

Count	Response
1	More restaurants, trails, and dog-friendly parks/trails.
1	More restaurants/bars along the river More trails/parks
1	More retail, continued improvements to make it look nicer, continue the Saturday Farmer's Market.
1	More riverfront access/public trails and parks. Marina.
1	More riverside dining.
1	More senior activities
1	More small scale festivals and art shows- I'd like the city to encourage these types of things, instead of making them difficult. A kayak rental stand. More public art.
1	More star-up and entrepreneurial driven events and attractions.
1	More street art!!
1	More tapas/wine tasting restaurants, jazz club, piano bar, more patio (street side) seating at restaurants. Bigger city feels, for example restaurants that you may see walking down state street in Madison!
1	More things related to Appleton's history. Perhaps more things partnering with the History Museum at The Castle or partnering with the Appleton Historical Society. More outdoor related events that promote the riverfront, perhaps involving the trails and businesses around the riverfront. I also think it would be cool to actually have some events an activities downtown that aren't so heavily reliant on live music because not everyone cares about live music.
1	More tie in of the river with downtown as a whole somehow. It's not really highlighted and it should be
1	More trail/riverfront access.
1	More trails along the river
1	More trails along the river with signage.
1	More trails and green spaces. Many of the spaces are very underutilized...even Tellulah Park doesn't really have well-utilized trails along the river. What about the vacant land at the end of John St and connections across the trestle?
1	More trails and options for crossing the river. And waterfront restaurants!
1	More trails and physical activity events to promote healthy lifestyles.
1	More trails for biking/walking/running, more art and cultural events, an emphasis on live music other than during Mlle of Music, and a larger music venue for the many talented local artists- almost every venue in town is very small.
1	More trails to connect the river front access.
1	More use of the riverfront areas.

Count	Response
1	More walking /biking trails along river that are well marked.
1	More waterfront dining/bars, trail connections
1	Movie night at Houdini Plaza or Jones Park; any type of regular outdoor event at Jones Park to make it a focal point for the edge of the downtown.
1	Multi-use. Think San Antonio Riverwalk
1	Music along the river, festivals
1	Music district
1	Music on the River
1	Music or movies in the park during the summer
1	Music other than The Mile of Music type....Big Band, Blue Grass Maybe a canal days...something to celebrate Appleton's history with
1	Music venue
1	Music venues
1	Music, art/craft shows, maybe a 5k or biking event.
1	Music. More outdoor events. More family activities.
1	N/A
1	Native plantings, enhanced green space. Food forests
1	Natural history museum (a proper one). Winter park (indoors, for kids) International festival/diversity festival.
1	Nature lessons, planned walks, community get togethers
1	Nature preserves, gambling, historical tours
1	Need a grocery store downtown if you want people to live there.
1	New lunch and brunch places
1	New museum
1	Night lights festival on the river
1	No
1	No car days, when College Ave is closed to cars and walking or biking is encouraged. Many large cities around the world do this on a regular basis. Appleton does this for the farm market or festivals, but it should be do with focus on the existing businesses.

Count	Response
1	No ideas right now.
1	No ideas.
1	Non-Drinking activities. Car-free day(s), running races, bike races, Gus Macker, street hockey, etc.
1	None i can think of currently
1	None that comes to mind but seeing what Milwaukee does in the riverfront might offer some great ideas.
1	None.
1	None...
1	Not sure if this exists or not, but I'm always a fan of live music . Outside music along the river would be appealing to me.
1	Not sure.
1	Nothing I can think of
1	Nothing comes to mind
1	Nothing comes to mind at the moment.
1	Nothing really.
1	Old building such as conkeys renovated. An alternative to Harmony Cafe which was such a loss to the area. Legit concert venue to attract popular bands. A drugstore (even a chain like Walgreens) in the downtown area...maybe even in City Center.
1	Old water treatment plant developed for Public use.
1	Once a month free concerts like in Green Bay
1	Open the locks to boat traffic I know it's in the works
1	Opportunities for kayaking, canoeing, or similar activities for families. Perhaps some type of rental business that offers lessons and/or tours
1	Outdoor "Taste of Appleton", Brat Fest, like Madison (brats, bands and amusements for kids), outdoor/indoor water park
1	Outdoor Movies, checker tables, large chess set (on the ground)
1	Outdoor amphitheater for live music?? Houdini plaza is nice but another venue by the river might be nice. People travel and spend money to see the music they like and with the Marriot going in by the river might help be a draw to fill rooms at hotels in Appleton and give us additional tax revenue.
1	Outdoor concerts, outdoor movies
1	Outdoor dining options, more arts and crafts fairs

Count	Response
1	Outdoor theater, boating festival, fireworks over river, link downtown to riverfront
1	Paddle board rentals
1	Paddle boarding, canoeing, beaches
1	Paddle sports rental; peddle-pubs
1	Park directly on the river. - see voyager park in DePere. Why not incorporate jones park into the river trail system somehow? Walking trail across the river- easier access to banta bowl area and coming retail/restaurants- tie this all into downtown.
1	Park space for picnics or whatever
1	Park with natural playground elements riverfront.
1	Park, nature center, trails.
1	Parks
1	Parks, drama, concerts, boat rental
1	Permanent installations of Public Art.
1	Pet friendly activities /spaces
1	Pet friendly options/activities/events/etc.
1	Places to rent canoes/kayak & bikes, more nature planned activities for families
1	Plant trees and make a park out of the area just east of the old Atlas mill.
1	Public Market. More music venues. Carnival that spans the entire riverfront trail, showcasing businesses along it from Stone Cellar to the Banta Bowl. Have food, and games, and a Ferris wheel beautifully lit in an open area.
1	Refer to Green Bay activities. There is often something going on there.
1	Regatta.
1	Restaurants and parks along the River.
1	Restaurants on the river, amphitheater on the river. Parking meters that actually accept credit cards
1	Restaurants, Coffee shop, Trails
1	Restaurants, cultural events
1	Revitalization of area next to paper discovery center with outdoor coffee shop seating and acoustic music venues with views of the river. Trail access to this location as well.
1	River Boardwalk with shops/restaurants/etc.

Count	Response
1	River Races
1	River boat rides
1	River boat, kayaking rental
1	River cruises
1	River front concerts similar to Oshkosh
1	River front festivals and possibly tours via water.
1	River front festivals, Beer/Wine tasting outdoor. Rooftop lounge
1	River front trails that connect. Trellis crossings. Trader Joes or grocery store. Art galleries and artist studios. More street art.
1	River races
1	River tours
1	River walk and bike trails along river
1	River walk with restaurants and entertaining new venues, outdoor theatre concert venue in riverfront. Long lasting market area during spring summer and fall.
1	Riverboat River front trails expanded
1	Riverboat tours.
1	Riverfront access
1	Riverfront park with amenities, mixed-use housing/retail development, new library, other music festivals
1	Riverside Boardwalk. Nature center. Historic signs/plaques designating paper industry and interesting Appleton facts along paths.
1	Riverside fest, international fest
1	Riverwalk(similar to Dubuque and lacrosse) Taller buildings (build office tower to attract new businesses) convention center and updated raddison, new hotel, parking ramps with retail on first floor
1	Rooftop or outdoor dining
1	Satisfied as is
1	Sculpture art on the sidewalks
1	See above
1	Segway rentals to take on the trails

Count	Response
1	Shops
1	Sidewalk Cafe's pet friendly
1	Slow down on the proposed convention center. A different site with a new hotel may be something to be seriously considered. The selected site is too small to accommodate a decent convention center with adequate semi truck loading/staging area. The Paper Valley is a third rate hotel. Why throw good money after bad? The proposed center and neighboring/abutting amenities have to be obviously better and offer more than what the competition offers in neighboring locales, and the proposed one will not offer that. The question that needs to be answered is 'why would someone want to host an event in the planned center when there are better ones close by'?
1	Small boat rentals (ie small motorboats and kayaks/canoes)
1	Small concerts. Bike events.
1	Some winter activity's would be nice. Maybe a sleigh ride / winter carnival or something?
1	Something along the lines of the Harmony Cafe or Juneteenth - diversity days once a month at least - get adults together, leaving prejudice at the door.
1	Something like craft fairs, or vendor malls
1	Sophisticated events available to public like jazz in the park where I lived in Milwaukee. Or more time where is geared to for for traffic. Like pedestrian streets, not geared around alcohol. October fest is almost embarrassing to the city
1	Splash Pads
1	Splash park...more community service and police servalence..
1	Spring Celebrate
1	Street festival with carnival rides - like when I was kid back home in my small town. A genuine city festival.
1	Sumner Carnival with rides
1	The July 4th carnival & bands is something I miss.
1	The down the middle of the road long water slide thing would be cool ha ha
1	The riverfront between Old Lawe Street (behind the Lawrence University Warch Center) and Peabody Park (including the old dairy) needs to be developed as a better trail. There is already a trail, but it needs improvement. I'd also like to see the Newberry Trail extended west of Olde Oneida Street into Riverview Gardens.
1	The young teen people in Appleton would like to see Maker Space areas where you can come in or under sun shelter and build electronics, work on technology, experiment and have fun and learn. There are a lot of expensive places/events/things geared to families or singles on the art/play side, but nothing for teens who don't have much money to come in and enjoy also. We need a downtown outdoor skating rink for inline and roller skating just for summers at our parks in the current ice areas possibly. More water fountains. Inexpensive bike and scooter rentals so you can grab one for an hour or the day.

Count	Response
1	Theater.
1	Theater/music space for concerts Green space Splash pads
1	There is nothing downtown currently that needs to be downtown for me to enjoy it. I could just as easily go to the library elsewhere as downtown. As I did mention elsewhere, I would prefer a constrained number of restaurants and retail establishments along the riverfront instead of the excessive amount of (ugly) housing that is being squeezed in there.
1	This is tough because there are already so many!! I cannot think of an event that doesn't already exist. Between Pulse, Chamber of Commerce, and Downtown Appleton - there are so many great musical, cultural, educational, and tasty events!! Keep it up!
1	Trader Joe's
1	Trader Joes
1	Trails, more kayak entry points/ramps
1	Trails, music stage, seasonal events
1	Trails, possibly music, retail, character housing.
1	Trails, restaurants, bars, housing
1	Trails.
1	Triathlon
1	Unknown
1	Updated library. More interconnected, enclosed walkways. Consider PAC to City Center/City Hall to Paper Valley to new convention center with a branch to Library & bus depot
1	Use the open space under Oneida St bridge for wildlife (other than geese) water related activities. Current is pretty strong!
1	Walk/jog/bike paths along the river. Public restrooms and seating. Access for disabled.
1	Walking groups
1	Walking trail along the river
1	Walking/biking trail and public green space extending along both sides of river
1	Water access activities
1	Water sport rentals.
1	Waterfront development that includes retail, housing and food/beverage. Like the deck in Green Bay. A better permanent outdoor music venue. Something better connecting downtown to the waterfront. An elevator like they have in Pittsburgh, for example

Count	Response
1	We do not need any more bars on College Avenue. Jacob's Market is great, but I'd love to see a grocery store in the downtown area with more substantial variety that I could regularly walk to from my home near Downtown Appleton. Would also love a European style bakery.
1	We enjoy the way it is
1	Weekend outdoor concerts, more emphasis on biking activities, pub on wheels
1	Wifi.
1	Winter activities
1	Winter events such as snow sculptures, Winter fest in Houdini square. There are a ton of activities to do in the Summer but nothing in the Winter! Museum /Art Gallery walk...historic talks, architectural walks, etc.
1	Would like a river walk with a small ampitheatre and night life.
1	Would like to see further development potential along the river. Would love to see the city partner with the Building For Kids to find a new home. I believe there are more spaces to build diverse housing in the "flats" area (between Memorial Dr. bridge and Lawe St. bridge).
1	Would love a coffee shop by River Heath. Not enough on the water.
1	Would love live music along the riverfront
1	You are doing great in special events
1	a board walk style amusement area. Al a Bay Beach. Bicycle race/rides, through
1	a nice restaurant/banquet hall along the river
1	arena in Appleton for top music concerts, not the PAC.
1	bigger names for summer concert series, beer festivals, food festivals, carnival,
1	bike lanes
1	boat, kayak rentals Historical walking tours along river Fun events around use of locks Scavenger hunt along river
1	bookclub at the parks
1	cool resturant and dining mixed with housing
1	define where downtown is - do you consider where I live downtown? people have different definitions. start there. I would love to see Door Open Appleton (like Doors Open Milwaukee.)
1	directions on how to get to the river, possible trails, and things to explore
1	family friendly entertainment - places adults and children enjoy
1	free boat launch

Count	Response
1	i would like to see non-alcohol (dry) restaurants and dry places to dance and socialize (all age groups).
1	i would love to see a splash park, Boardwalk, connected to library and senior center next to river or easy access down to River via people mover etc. Also connect new convention center with lots of glass walls to green space of jones park and new library, senior center, community center.
1	improved use of the river corridor, an affordable downtown grocery store
1	kayak or paddle board rentals
1	link bike/walking trails to CE trail, develop riverfront for pedestrian access
1	more accessible to boating, more residential development near river and less industrial use. More recreational opportunities downtown
1	more activities down by the river.
1	more concerts
1	more docks and maybe fishing tournament areas for fishing with bathrooms
1	more family oriented evening and weekend entertainment
1	more housing, more special events/live music,
1	more kid friendly things.
1	more walking path from downtown to river
1	museums, shops
1	na
1	naked sunbathing
1	not sure
1	parks along the river with events planned on weekends events at the new library Council needs to vote for a new library now not later
1	please see my answers above regarding waterfront development
1	public boating
1	restaurants, outdoor seating with fire pits, music, a space to sit back and relax
1	restraruants
1	river walk
1	roof top dining, bier gardens patterned after Wauwato sa and Milwaukee, biking trails that are CONNECTED!

Count Response

1 safe trails music food festivals 5K nature walks with guide art fair food fairs

1 sculpture garden

1 something without alcohol

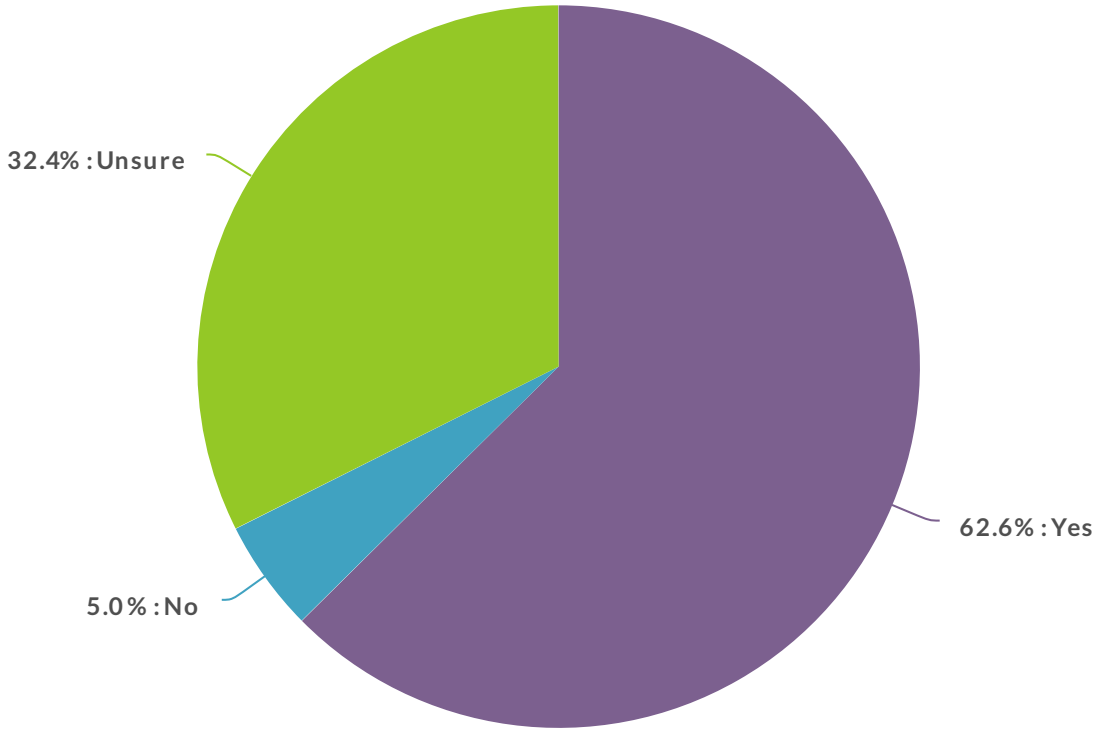
1 swimming! kayak/canoe livery!

1 theater for the public story telling and sharing of historical facts and myths of appleton poetry readings

1 trails & eating places

1 weekly live music along the river would be great; instrumental/vocal anything

31. Do you feel that downtown Appleton is headed in the right direction?



Value	Percent		Count
Yes	62.6%		584
No	5.0%		47
Unsure	32.4%		302
Total			933

32. If you said No, please explain:

downtown bars other

Count	Response
1	eliminate parking meters at all times.
1	Again, violent homeless population.
1	Bike lanes
1	Does anyone think downhill is the right direction?
1	Except for one or two annual events (like Oktoberfest and Mile of Music), numbers of visitors and related business are down by over half versus five years ago.
1	Growing number of bars.
1	I feel that Appleton was at the peak of its success with local paper company, it has shifted to a focus on education which is good however without more tech companies in the area Appleton will be left behind as places like greenbay nab those opportunities....I think heart is in the right place but educating all these people and then not having a spot to work is just asking for the right people to leave.
1	I think if it continues on this same path of doing nothing, you will soon see nothing being downtown and all the typical 8-5 M-F businesses bail out to business parks. It just seems so stagnant down here, when was the last substantial project downtown the last I remember is the PAC which was how many years ago now. That is not a great rate of progress in my mind.
1	I think passing on the new library on the bluff site was a tremendous loss and an incredibly missed opportunity. I worry that this signifies that we are not properly willing to invest what it takes to make Appleton truly great. Cutting corners will not bring a thriving Appleton into a competitive and flourishing future.
1	I think the bar scene needs to change and there needs to be a place for homeless people to live. They shouldn't have to hang out on the streets and library because they have no place to go. I've seen other cities build housing for them. Most have disabilities and can't work. Surely there are rich folks and companies in this area that can build something so they have a place to be, to call home, especially in the winter.

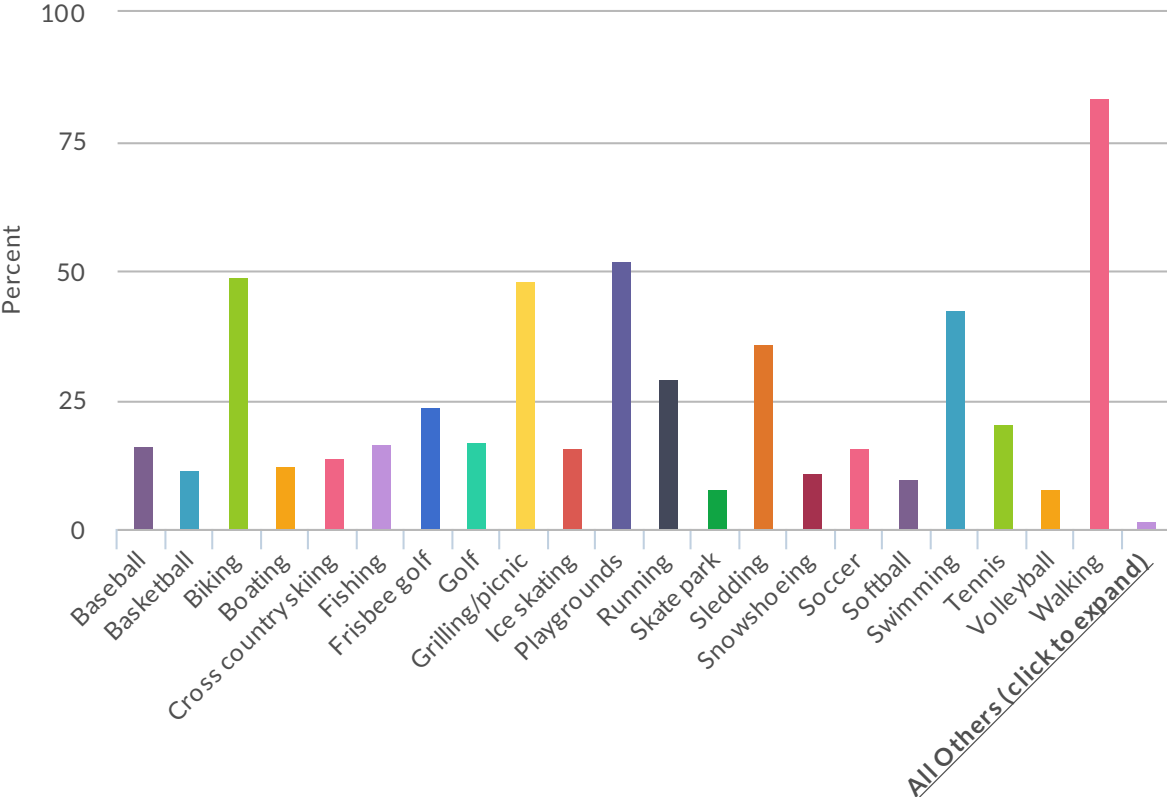
Count Response

- 1 I think too much attention is paid to downtown versus the rest of the city. Downtown is mostly a transient restaurant strip with a mostly-vacant enclosed mall. There ARE nice things about downtown, but Appleton is much bigger than that. Appleton should ensure that it pays attention to amenities away from College Ave.
- 1 It used to be a nice place to go on Friday night when the stores were open and walk from one end to the other with my kids. Now if you aren't going to a bar or work in an office there is no point in going downtown. Parking is not convenient when just want to run into a specialty shop.
- 1 It's been the same since I can remember and it seems rundown
- 1 Keeps destroying and going modern there us some much beauty, embrace that and keep in mind when developing! Fratellos and Atlas are great examples of doing it right, Riverheath and destroying the cobblestone soldiers square are great examples of doing it wrong.
- 1 Like i stated clean up the bars
- 1 No effort by City Council to restore street grid, bars too concentrated near PAC (need to be more spread out and interspersed with retail, services), not enough new multifamily development to attract the density necessary for vitality...but my guess is that because you're sending out this survey you're trying to build momentum for density/redevelopment, which does make me happy :)
- 1 Not cultural and nit artistic enough. Looks dated and feels dated. Paper valley needs an extreme makeover due to how much frontage it has
- 1 Not happy about the proposed new library location. More study needs to be done on street flow, parking, etc.
- 1 Nothing doing on library and radison, Lots of talk, no shoves. The company I work for moved our annual convention ti Milwaukee from the paper valley as it could not handle our IT and meeting needs. 500 visitors and 100 staff moved 100 miles because it was an embarrassment.
- 1 Paying for parking is a huge turnoff to many people I know
- 1 People can't park there the way it is so close the street and have people walk
- 1 Poor planning, poor access, too many one way streets.
- 1 Public safety is important and some places seem dangerous
- 1 Reduce bars, taverns - we do not need to be known as most drunk city in America.
- 1 Seems to be headed towards all arts. That is not a good balance. Mile of Music is only folk music & "hippies" for lack of a better term. It seems to be turning into a big money maker and not geared towards everyone. There are other types of art & entertainment that people in Appleton like. Everything in this town seems centered around Lawrence University. That doesn't come close to representing the hardworking, down to earth people I know here.
- 1 The city's plans for a new, unneeded library and a convention center are WASTEFUL.
- 1 The focus is on the "entertainment" district, meaning bars, instead of on shops, museums and other family destinations.

Count Response

- 1 The library and transit area is a pit. Over run by transients and vagrants. Stop the "build it and they will come" mentality for shelters. If you want to be a first class city, cater to a first class city crowd.
- 1 There are too many bars too many drunk people wandering around on College Avenue and there is more lawyering and more unsavory characters about
- 1 There needs to be more options downtown for restaurants or places to gather other than bars. Places that are open past 8pm and that can accommodate family friendly activities.
- 1 To many bars
- 1 To much money spent on Studies
- 1 Too many bad new ideas. Exhibition center, tearing down historical buildings. Pricey parking and too many bars.
- 1 Too many bars and bars ultimately result in problems. BTW, bars don't make the downtown an "entertainment district". Reminds me of my days in Madison on State St. I've done that, don't need to do it again.
- 1 Too many bars. To many drunk people lingering on corners.
- 1 Too many times the streets are blocked off for activities.
- 1 Until people can safely ride bikes on the road and can park without being harassed by meter nazis it won't get better.
- 1 Very similar to my previous comments. We need to stay far ahead of the curve and I believe having downtown pedestrian traffic in the form of a paved pedestrian only College Avenue from Drew Street to State Street would help improve that significantly
- 1 We have too many cars flying through downtown. We need College Ave to be a destination not a highway. Everyday people are afraid to step into the crosswalks on Appleton St and College Ave and many others. Do not build more parking garages down town, open this space up and provide safe bicycle routes. Check the air quality for a baseline and work to improve it.
- 1 We've been here 10 years and it hasn't really improved - we go to Wausau, Madison, Chicago for better shopping.
- 1 With as many complaints of drunk people who stay at the warming shelter, they need to permanently stay off the streets and parks

33. Which of the following activities do you engage in at park facilities? (pick as many as apply)



Value	Percent		Count
Baseball	16.0%		142
Basketball	11.5%		102
Biking	49.0%		434
Boating	12.4%		110
Cross country skiing	13.8%		122
Fishing	16.5%		146
Frisbee golf	23.8%		211
Golf	17.1%		151
Grilling/picnic	48.2%		427
Ice skating	15.7%		139
Playgrounds	51.9%		459
Running	29.0%		257
Skate park	7.9%		70
Sledding	35.7%		316
Snowshoeing	11.1%		98
Soccer	15.6%		138
Softball	9.7%		86
Swimming	42.5%		376
Tennis	20.6%		182
Volleyball	7.8%		69
Walking	83.6%		740
<u>All Others (click to expand) ▶</u>	1.7%		15

34. What specific park amenities or trails do you feel are needed (and where) within the City?



Count	Response
6	Not sure
5	Dog park
3	?
3	not sure
2	None
2	Unsure
1	we need to get the parks to be used instead of skateboards and loitering being done in streets and in our business districts. If the parks do not get better use, lot them off and build that we could get taxes off the land
1	"Memorial Park" type of park on the south side of the city.
1	(1) Complete trails targeted through Riverview Gardens (2) Complete a "trestle trail" or two in the flats area of the river
1	- Fitness Course - Expanded walking/running trails
1	- 'Workout' areas similar to what Menasa put into Fritsch Park. Erb and Appleton Memorial Parks would be ideal. - Paved bike/walking trails in Plamann park - Appleton needs a dedicated N/S bike lane across the city. Oneida St is ideal. - Appleton needs a few dedicated N/S bikes lanes on both sides of the river (Mason is great!), Drew from Wisconsin to OO would be a great addition. On the south side Telulah would be great - Appleton needs a few E/W bike route with dedicated lanes across the city on both sides of the river; Capitol Drive, Glendale, Spencer, and Prospect on the north side are ideal. Valley Road and Roeland need a dedicated lane on the south side. - Connect the river way parks/paths into continuous walkways on both sides of the river.

Count	Response
1	1) Formalize trail from Peabody to Wisconsin Ave. 2) Improve Gazebo/bathrooms at City Park.
1	18 hole disc golf. More biking along river
1	50 Meter pool in Erb Park! Thank you
1	??
1	???
1	A Water park would be ideal if we had the space for it and the parking needed for it.
1	A better river walk trail.
1	A few more tennis courts on southside of Appleton
1	A large loop type trail that takes the rider through varying neighborhoods. Trail should be a complete loop so the rider doesn't have to back track. Again, refer to the Green Circle trail in Stevens Point.
1	A place to play Frisbee golf, soccer, and basketball. Specifically in the inner city. More green space, especially on the boulevards.
1	A rugby field! Trails to connect multiple parks. Planned recreational activities.
1	A small area to park near veterans park, more adult activities near playgrounds like volleyball, tennis etc but overall good!
1	A trail connecting Neenah to Appleton that doesn't just follow a road like the CE trail.
1	A trail connecting the Telulah park bike trail along the river and the trail by the Banta bowl.
1	A unique all-ages web-like playground and outdoor fitness park like Fritsch Park in the Town of Menasha. Trails that allow walking along the length of the river, from Lutz Park to Peabody Park.
1	Access for dogs in all parks
1	Access to bathrooms (sometimes they are locked and kids can't wait to go).
1	Access to pools; trails connecting to other trails.
1	Access to trails from anywhere instead of having to drive to a parking spot to hop on a trail so you can walk.
1	Access to water for kayaks.
1	Access to water on River trail
1	Accessible walking and biking trails connecting to various state trails.
1	Additional Sand Volleyball courts - City Park, Memorial Park, Erb Park
1	Additional medium sized shelters available for rent would be welcome at 2-3 more parks in each quadrant of the city. These would be built where there is space available or a smaller shelter could be expanded.

Count Response

- 1 Additional trails, particularly with safe and easy road crossings.
- 1 Adult exercise equipment north west side of the city
- 1 Adventure playgrounds, improve the safety of Arbutus park, reopen Badger pool for open swim in the summer.
- 1 Again, dog parks are needed throughout.
- 1 All city parks should have playground surfaces like Memorial & City Park for access for all. MUST put a gated fence around Universal Playground at Memorial Park. Great park but sight lines are very poor and the park is too close to the pond for safety. I have a child with autism that wanders. It takes only a moment for a child to be out of a parent/caregiver's sight. We are quite lucky no one has drowned! I know there have been close calls in recent years.
- 1 All parks need more sporting/recreational facility.
- 1 Allow dogs at parks.
- 1 Allow dogs in All Appleton parks for walks.
- 1 Allowing dogs.
- 1 Along the Fox River Trail, from Peabody Park up to College Ave
- 1 Along, across the Fox River under Oneida Bridge - how about an edible garden (not for the geese) - for people
- 1 An aquatic center - north side or a pool
- 1 Any family recreation along the Fox River would be nice. This might include new parks, beaches, more trails, etc.
- 1 Anything pet friendly- the sidewalk is bussy with people walking dogs. It would be nice to have other areas with trails bridges and resting areas built into community. The dog park sucks! Aesthetically pleasing areas with plants and design. Activity water fountain Why not build the library close to a park area and rent equipment for community activity. Examples snow shoes, gardens, bikes.
- 1 Appleton does a pretty good job with its parks. We need to look for any place that can be used for green space. The park along South Kensington Drive is a good example. This is a very new park, as parks go and it is very popular. What a shame if it had never been conceived.
- 1 Appleton parks are good. Maybe more green space in general.
- 1 Arbutus needs more police patrol and supervision. I know that is not the questions, but a simple walk through is more than enough to just show that someone is watching the ravine. The over growth that provides secrecy for unsavory activity should also be addressed. We rented a home off of Wis. Ave for 5 years and played there often. Our son was 3 weeks old when we moved in. I never felt comfortable enough to go alone with my son. I always had my husband along.
- 1 Areas to have family gatherings such as places to grill or play, and bike trails.

Count	Response
1	Art public art and gardens not just flowers – gardens of sustainably grown fruits and vegetables
1	BASKETBALL COURTS. There isn't really a good spot to play basketball in Appleton. I usually leave town to play at either the heart of the valley ymca or the civic center in Kimberly.
1	Basketball court at Arbutus park.
1	Basketball courts, soccer feild,
1	Bathrooms open year round.
1	Bathrooms. Not Porta potties.
1	Be nice to have the river bike trail connect to the CE more practically. Memorial Park is wonderful. like the way that park is set up.
1	Benches for trails, better signage
1	Better and more trails along the river. New park equipment at Jaycee park. Or at least clean it up a bit and make the area more decent
1	Better baseball and restroom facilities at Plamann park. Additional ice sheet at Memorial park (and maybe a bar/restaurant)...lets complement Cornerstone in Green Bay and draw more tournament visitors!
1	Better bike/walking access from South Onieda St. to the downtown area.
1	Better trails along the riverfront.
1	Bike improvements across the board. Adult playground space (near downtown - look to Davis, CA for inspiration), better parking at trail heads, more grilling and spread out small gathering spaces
1	Bike paths that connect to other trails, parks, connectivity that avoids busy streets
1	Bike trails
1	Bike trails and lanes
1	Bike trails so you aren't just biking on the roadways next to cars.
1	Bike trails that lead to downtown. Bike trails that lead to mall area, on college or wisconsin
1	Bike trails. Dog trails. Dog run in larger parks.
1	Biking and walking trails
1	Biking and walking trails. Maybe connecting the Friendship trail to CE or Newberry trails.
1	Biking trails.... North Appleton!!!!!! Expand the current trail all the way to Purdy Preserve! The opportunity exists and likely could be funded privately
1	Biking, kayak

Count	Response
1	Both sides of the Fox.
1	Bubblers and allow dogs.
1	Camping Swimming obsticol courses Panic area to alert police
1	Camping- Memorial Park
1	City Park needs a kitchen,
1	Clean bathrooms and water. A bike/walk trail along the river is needed. Splash pad right downtown.
1	Clean bathrooms.
1	Clean restrooms
1	Community gardens in all the parks.
1	Competitive pool at Erb Park Trails that connect various amenities throughout the city so biking is more feasible and safer
1	Complete the trail that goes next to Thrivent. Make it stretch all around the city.
1	Connect Pierce Park to Lutz Park! I am very uncomf ortable letting my kids ride bikes (or even walk) down the Pierce Street hill or (very narrow) Cedar Street hill to get there!!! No sidewalks!
1	Connection between existing trails. Newberry Trail and Downtown, Connection between Apple Creek and Downtown.
1	Connection between trails and residential areas for walking and biking. Getting from north side to downtown.
1	Connections of the various trails within the city
1	Continuous and accessible river trail, additional boat access, boat docks to tie up and go to shop or eat. Heritage trails and walking/driving tours.
1	DOG PARK in river flats or city park
1	Develop the riverfront below the Fox Banquets site.
1	Do not kniw
1	Do not know.
1	Dog Parks. Also trestle bridge completions for trails. I do not trust city of Appleton to ever complete the trestle trails. This has been talked about for years meanwhile Neenah and menasha trails circling lake. Kim berly downtown more progressive with downtow n plans and actually follow through with their trails too. Appleton has the money but too frugal;cheap)"Pennie saved and a pound fool ish"
1	Dog access at all parks. Biking/running trails along the river and through the surrounding countryside.
1	Dog friendly

Count	Response
1	Dog friendly areas.
1	Dog friendly parks (Appleton is one of FEW in the country that don't allow leashed dogs - what century is this??) Trails for pedestrians and bikes so that bikes can get off the roads.
1	Dog friendly parks and trails
1	Dog friendly parks everywhere.
1	Dog friendly parks to walk though, all through the city. More waste receptacles through out the city.
1	Dog friendly walking paths
1	Dog friendly--everywhere
1	Dog park, south side probably.
1	Dog park. Esp at green meadows park!
1	Dog walking.
1	Dog-friendly trails
1	Dogs allowed areas at all parks. Beach areas for swimming hiking trails
1	Dogs allowed in parks!!
1	Dogs allowed on trails or at least to walk through.
1	Drinking fountains
1	Drinking fountains, safety features-good lighting
1	East side
1	Easy access from college ave downtown
1	Erb Pool development, ice rinks and warming shelters
1	Erb park renovation with pools and splashpad, improved playground (like at memorial park)
1	Erb pool is very important to my family. We spend every morning at swim lessons there in the summer.
1	Erb pool. :)
1	Erb pool. An actual pool
1	Every park should have a bathroom
1	Expand and connect the bike trail system

Count	Response
1	Extend Newberry trail along river also add public bathrooms and shops.
1	Extend the Newbury Trail beyond Olde Oneida St.
1	Extend the riverfront trail connect with other trails
1	Extension west of trail that terminates on E South River by Between the Locks. No where to go but down into the flats on sidewalk.
1	Finish the Lutz to Vulcan Heritage Park connection! Horseshoe pits in some parks are welcome. Why not Bocci Ball?
1	Fitness trail stations along the water
1	Fitness walks. Better access points and parking by walks.
1	Frisbee golf course on the north side. Plamann park is the only one I know of on the north side and it is PACKED!
1	Frisbee golf near college campus. Mini golf. Cross country skiing path for winter use.
1	Frisbee golfing near downtown.
1	General updates in lighting, landscaping and trails
1	Grand chute connecting to Appleton trails
1	Green space connections between parks and along the river.
1	Grills and picnic tables at park on Railroad Street many many people use the park and more like to picnic near the playground
1	Groomed cross country ski trails would be nice but I'm not sure where. Kayak rentals would be great
1	Hiking trail from Lutz Park past downtown on the river. A new park in the flats to take advantage of the river.
1	Historic and eco friendly trails for the little ones
1	Hoops for basketball. Bike racks to lock your bike. Benches
1	I am concerned about the plan to replace the Telulah Park soccer field with tennis courts. This field is used almost continuously in season, with soccer, ultimate frisbee, etc. drawing many people to the park. I don't think tennis courts could draw as many people. In any case, tennis courts could be constructed on the site of the parking lot at the corner of Weimar and Newberry, if desired.
1	I am glad they are making the 50m pool again at Erb. Nicer bathrooms would be good. Maybe family bathrooms at parks.
1	I am happy with current trails and parks. Just want them to continue to be maintained and open bathrooms sooner.

Count	Response
1	I am not sure that we need to add anything, but we need to maintain what we have. The various buildings, picnic tables, grills, etc, should be maintained or replaced, if needed.
1	I don't even know what pickleball is. More connected bike trails. I know there is a plan for this, just needs to be executed.
1	I don't use city parks
1	I feel like there's everything I need and want
1	I feel that trails are needed in the northland avenue area. And I also feel that all parks should have areas for children 3 and under to play in.
1	I feel there is a shortage for swimming lessons for working families in the evenings or on weekends
1	I have no answer for this one.
1	I like all the ones Appleton currently has. Versatile uses for parks
1	I like the decisions that have been made about Erb Park. Bravo for listening to the voice of the people! I would like to see fountains where kids can play on a hot day like in larger cities near downtown.
1	I like the idea of splash pad at pierce park. Updated or repairs to equipment at Alicia Park. Hands on exploration such as overlooking the river at Alicia Park. Organic style interactive play.
1	I love the neighborhood parks with playgrounds for my grandchildren. I wish we dog-walkers didn't need to circumvent parks when our dogs are on a leash. Trails need to connect - they're great but sometimes they just stop. Trails along the river are especially attractive.
1	I love the walking paths created in the City parks such as Linwood but to save money I don't think they should be shoveled and plowed in the winter.
1	I really don't understand what's happening near Telulah Park with the Riverheath and construction. Public access to the water, and trails along the water, and preservation of green space is important.
1	I specifically bought a house near Erb Pool.
1	I think an off street paved trail would be nice connecting the trails near Ballard to the Plamann Park area.
1	I think there are a lot of great parks in Appleton and they get used very well.
1	I think water pad for younger kids and more bike lanes/paths to get to downtown
1	I think we have a great selection of trails and amenities. Some of them are not the easiest to find parking though.
1	I think what really makes a city special is that there are places where people can meet. I have heard this about Erb Park. Not sure how to make a park a place where people can meet, but that would be special.
1	I walk the city streets. I'm not a park walking person
1	I wish City Park had a nice sharing rink with a concession stand.

Count	Response
1	I would like more trails going through neighborhoods of north Appleton
1	I would like to see a more connected bike/walking trail throughout the city. And more hiking trails along the river.
1	I would like to see a nordic ski center with miles of trails.
1	I would like to see more trails near the riverfront, ideally connected to downtown and that lead to restaurants/bars - so a destination is possible.
1	I would love to see a park that offers outside exercise equipment like Fritsch park in Menasha.
1	I would love to see a small water feature near the playground in City Park. They exist in many urban New York City parks, and they are popular and fun.
1	I would love to see some tennis facilities on the Northeast end of town.
1	I would say making more trails along the river and making them safer. As a woman I would never walk down them by myself.
1	I'd like to walking/biking trails connected and safe.
1	I'm not sure
1	I'm pretty comfortable with what's currently there
1	I'm satisfied with what we currently have.
1	Ice skating rink and pools are a must. As are empty spaces.
1	Ice-skating rink. Erb park pool needs to be expanded. More rails-to-trails.
1	If web is closing, there needs to be another pool. Not splash pads. Swimming lessons will be harder with only Meade being the only outside pool. Acceptance of Grand Chute into resident prices.
1	Improvements could be made to ball diamonds at local schools with minimal expense. They are sub-par. Leashed dogs should be allowed in some areas.
1	Indoor water park-type facility; trails along the river (connecting Lutz Park with the rest of the city).
1	Interactive playground equipment similar to Memorial Park.
1	Interconnected bike trails, as in Minneapolis
1	Is it feasible to create a trail system to connect some/many of our parks?
1	It is difficult to skateboard in Appleton. It is restricted downtown and there really are no other places to skateboard safely.
1	It was a good decision to invest in the Erb pool and also need to maintain or expand Meade pool facilities. Bike lanes within certain proximity to all parks should be a goal.

Count Response

1	It would be GREAT if all the various trails were connected somehow!
1	It would be amazing to have a walking trail/foot bridge across the river. I realize that it's probably not realistic expense-wise, but Eau Claire has some and they are great additions to the community.
1	It would be great if there was a bike trail system that you could ride through out the whole city.
1	It would be nice to have a dedicated bike trail that connects the city parks.
1	It would be nice to have more nature preserves and parks. It would be nice to have a climbing wall. It would be nice to have ice skating rinks devoted to beginners only (it is hard to bring children to the rink when hockey players are practicing-- the hockey players come during open skate periods and it is too chaotic sometimes for small children).
1	It would be really nice to have some green space west College pass PAC
1	It'd be great to be able to run through the some of the parks with a dog - staying on a designated trail.
1	It'd be nice to see more green spaces and squares mixed in the downtown area. Also, more connectivity between trails.
1	It's hard to get to most of the bigger trails. Need to cross very busy intersections.
1	Jones park needs more equipment for ages 5+ as it seems to mainly be for toddler preschool aged children. The pavilion there feels unsafe and hidden, would like to see it changed or perhaps turned into a stage for music or other activities. Peabody park riverfront seating (ie..swings) could use updating and added benches. A path or sidewalk in that area would also allow for easier access as its currently a muddy, shallow grass area. Personally that area could be beautiful and functional with some much needed landscaping and updating work.. The under bridge area also is rather dirty area, perhaps added trash cans to the walking path would help this.
1	Jumps and pump tracks
1	Just a bike trail that's Downtown.
1	Just a good place to relax
1	Just safer
1	Keep Reid golf course and listen to its users, apologize for the way you treated Mr. Gassner.
1	Keep Telulah park baseball in place--nice for South and East side kids
1	Keep bathrooms open more.
1	Large park on the south side similar to Memorial Park
1	Lawe street hill wheelchair and stroller access. You cannot get from neighborhood on top of hill down to tge riverfront trail via lawe street due to stairs.
1	Lights on trails. Many parks aren't connected to each other. Would be nice if trails or paths connected them. vs running on sidewalk or the street.

Count	Response
1	Linwood needs to be freshened up with playground Peabody trails ruts filled in Erb pool fixed properly
1	Longer trail connections along the river!
1	Love memorial park offerings along with fishing options
1	MIT trails branching out off the CE trail into the downtown area and more going over the river
1	Major park on the south side
1	Maybe a drinking fountain along the river walking trails. Also, finish the walking/biking trail from the boathouse at Telulah past the new Riverhealth development. As I'm assuming the developer is getting some sort of financial assistance from the city, have this trail finished sooner than later.
1	Memorial Park
1	Might as well make the trail from Rankin street to the river and Peabody/cemetery an official trail. I would use it 20-25 years ago.
1	More Waterfront usage
1	More access to trails along river Park and playground along the river to showcase its beauty
1	More bike trails
1	More bike trails... would be nice to bike through downtown and along the river. Restore the history of downtown.
1	More bike trails/lanes.
1	More bike/running trails along the river
1	More bike/walking trails in north Appleton.
1	More biking and hiking trails
1	More canoe/kayak friendly landings
1	More cc skis trails possibly at Erb and Memorial parks.
1	More connected trail system.
1	More connected trails
1	More connectivity from downtown to riverfront
1	More continuous river side trails. Trail connecting Plamann and Buboltz Nature Center.
1	More cross country ski trail options
1	More cross country skiing-not sure where

Count	Response
1	More disc golf areas in more parks in the city
1	More disc golf in all parks
1	More frisbee golf courses. And refurbishing existing courses.
1	More garbage cans
1	More ice skating and hockey rinks, ice skating paths and lighted tennis courts. All at neighborhood parks.
1	More in pierce park and Lutz. They need more safe trails
1	More kids playground items scattered throughout Appleton
1	More lap/adult swim times at mead pool. A golf pro at Reid.
1	More mountain bike trails
1	More opportunities for golf. More opportunities for trails for walking, running, strollers, bikes, rollerblades. More opportunities for off-road mountain bike trails. More opportunities to connect trail systems within the city and surrounding areas.
1	More parks that are handicap accessible. We could use more volleyball courts and disc golf. Parks located are more scarce on the North side of Appleton than on the South side. Most parks on the north side require children to cross busy streets.
1	More parks would be wonderful especially in areas along the riverfront. I've always felt that the Foremost Diary site could become a great city park.
1	More places to get water while on trails
1	More playground equipment and better shelter amenities at current parks is needed.
1	More playground equipment at Highview Park
1	More playground equipment for children. More biking trails.
1	More pleasant places to sit and talk- gazebo type areas with tables and comfortable seats, etc. Many areas could benefit from this, especially Vulcan park.
1	More pools they get too busy
1	More pools: one more on the south side and one on the north side. Some parks need updated and more equipment.
1	More publicity about parks that do exist
1	More restrooms along trails
1	More riverfront trails and additional tennis courts throughout the city.
1	More riverside trails, more bike trails

Count	Response
1	More running trails and bike lanes in orders part of Appleton
1	More signaled cross walks on busy intersections. Ensuring sidewalks or paths are connected so you aren't forced to be on the street.
1	More smaller parks would be nice
1	More stroller friendly paths and bathrooms open at the parks before may!
1	More swings at parks; more toddler swings and at least one adult/child swing (like at Memoria Prk) at every park would be awesome!
1	More tennis courts
1	More tennis courts and bike trails would be great
1	More tennis courts with lights so you can play at night.
1	More things for pre-teen and teenage children. Exercise equipment for parents to use while their children play.
1	More trails
1	More trails
1	More trails along the water and around Memorial Park.
1	More trails and parks developed at the River level going all the way to Little Chute and all the way to Stroebe Island.
1	More trails by water
1	More trails connecting the cities that make up the Fox Cities
1	More trails connecting to neighboring towns - ie one connecting directly to wiowash trail on the north side of town, etc. Paved not gravel.
1	More trails in the north central area. Most are concentrated along the river.
1	More trails north of the river, more garbage cans/pet waste bags
1	More trails so people can safely ride bikes the center of the city...
1	More trails that are biker/walker/dog friendly
1	More trails that loop and /or lead to other trails. These trails need to be well marked and promoted. Less typical, predictable, safe playground equipment- more like Fritch park in Menasha. Less chemicals being sprayed.
1	More trails, cleaner public bathrooms
1	More trails, especially along the riverfront
1	More trails. More shelters.

Count Response

1	More trash cans, bike rentals at various downtown to major streets and/or trails with drop off and pick up locations, outdoor exercise equipment at various parks, equipment for the differently abled at many parks.
1	More use of the river front More tennis courts Permanent bathroom facilities at Veteran's Park
1	More walkability and biking trails connecting all Appleton to help make it a safer place for recreation and transportation on a bike or walking.
1	More walking and biking trails (off of city streets).
1	More walking and biking trails. Also, free wifi in the parks- they do this in bigger cities and my family and I would love to see it here!!
1	More walking trails (at all parks, if possible). Indoor parks for winter.
1	More walking trails < 3
1	More walking trails near the river.
1	More walking trails that are safe to walk..more trails like the Apple Creek trail. Updated playground equipment. Memorial is so much fun but gets so crowded
1	More walking/biking by the river
1	More water fountains all over and particularly more at Memorial Park playground, at Telulah Park by skate park, around the down town and trails areas.
1	Most everything we need is here or could be made available easily
1	Mountain Bike Trails
1	Much better links between College Avenue and Wisconsin Avenue and between College Avenue and the river.
1	My son uses some playground equipment...otherwise, I don't use the parks.
1	N/A
1	N/a
1	NO woodchips/rocks on playgrounds
1	Natural parks along river and in ravines
1	Need a nice peaceful park where the elderly can walk "slowly" and be able to sit and rest many spots as needed. Drinking fountains would be nice
1	Needed on the south side-see other answers
1	New Erb Pool!

Count	Response
1	New play grounds more disc golf
1	Newberry Trail could be cleaned up a bit. Would be nice to see water while walking. Safety rails for kids along New berry Trail by the condos too (area under bridge). Edge of grass drops right into river. Would be devastating to see a small child in a bike go off the edge.
1	Newer swing sets at Pierce park
1	Nicer basketball courts
1	Nicer trails on the riverfront.
1	None at this time
1	North side of Appleton.
1	Northland Mall area needs to get linked to Thrivent & the other trails. It's dangerous crossing Northland & Richmond today
1	Northwest side of Appleton/Grand Chute.
1	Not applicable
1	Off road Trail connection From Lutz/Alicia Park Area to the CE Trail. Revamping of Erb Pool area. Efforts to connect Pierce, Lutz and Alicia areas with trails, creation of park next to River accessible from downtown.
1	Off-leash park for people/dogs. Not sure where.
1	On-leash, dog friendly parks!
1	Open spaces for special vents along the river We need a plan to encourage people to check out the river
1	Our parks are great as is
1	Our parks are somewhat tired, need freshening up. more trail connectivity, particularly the riverfront
1	Outdoor swimming for all ages
1	Paddle boats in Memorial Park
1	Parks are actually pretty damn good!
1	Parks need to be cleaned up.....and dogs should be allowed in all parks with leash and doggie dropping picked up by owner or pay a fine...
1	Parks that are different from each other, they tend to be all the same
1	Parks where people can bring dogs. Everywhere. If you want happy families out having fun, include the whole family. More bike infrastructure making bicycling more convenient than driving if you live within 3 miles of downtown. Parklets and green space on Wisconsin Ave with cafes and less traffic

Count Response

1 Parks with trails you can take your dog on, downtown/near downtown or Wisconsin Avenue between Calumet and Ballard splash pad or fountain you can actually play in downtown/near downtown or Wisconsin Avenue between Calumet and Ballard

1 Peabody Park- Many times have seen glass shattered off of the Pacific St. bridge on the ground below. More maintenance needed there. The park overall seems a bit sketchy later in the evening. Jones Park feels somewhat unsafe to me. Probably the worst of any park in Appleton because of proximity to the jail/Huber release workers coming and going. Have seen vagrants here/ public urination/ teenagers drinking and smoking drugs in the middle of the day. Both Peabody and Jones being down in a valley area make them harder to enforce via sight lines from any road and it feels like drugs/ alcohol use/ teenage crime exist there. Perhaps officers could walk these parks on occasion?

1 People love pickleball, I'd like to see more pickleball courts. I don't really use the parks much, but I like to walk once in awhile. Could we get a community garden in one of the parks?? Or do more with the Scheig Center gardens??

1 Pet friendly options - somewhere other than just the county park (i.e. closer to downtown)

1 Pickleball

1 Pickleball courts not shared with tennis courts

1 Pickleball is the fastest growing sport in the U.S. right now, but there are almost no courts in Appleton. I would love to see either one extensive complex or courts located throughout the city.

1 Pierce Park trail along the railroad tracks down to the riverfront

1 Pierce Park, specifically, seems like it needs updates to trails and lounge areas. There are very few places to picnic or take a rest, etc.

1 Play areas access by all children handicap or not.

1 Playground equipment for older children at Jones Park.

1 Playground equipment for young children (0-4).

1 Playgrounds are great. Especially with the new turf-like city park got last year. Awesome. There seem to be a number of trails that don't really go anywhere and aren't that long. Lutz park is in an amazing location and has a nice dock type area, but there isn't much there. Couldn't there be a trail along the river somewhere in that area? It would be nice if there was an area people could rock boats and have food and cocktails somewhere too. Downtown Green Bay is accessible in this way. A lot of parks need more baby swings. Memorial park only has one now that there is the parent\child swing.

1 Please don't pave Erb Park with gratuitous trails that wreck things for those who cross country ski in the winter. Arbutus Park needs rec staff.

1 Pools, tennis courts, golf courses, etc. that allow neighborhood kids to get out and exercise, experience nature, build skills, etc are a great addition to the city, even if I don't use them myself. I want to live in a city that provides positive opportunities for our youth.

1 Portable potties

Count	Response
1	Possible trail along the north side of the river.
1	Private pavilions
1	Provisions for cyclists along college ave beyond downtown.
1	Remove wood chips from existing parks, splash pad @ memorial park and/or highview Park,
1	Renovated tennis courts (Colony Oaks)
1	Repairs (tennis courts in Colony Oaks) Trails (along the riverfront)
1	Restrooms
1	River front And I am completely against allowing dogs in parks. There was just a huge dog bite in the paper today at a dog park. We can't risk hurting children!!! Nor do we wanted to be stepping in dog poop.
1	River front. A connects loop of trails around appleton that connect to the rest of the fox cities
1	River trails, regional connection
1	River walk Outdoor ampetheatre Incorporate art/sculpture in our parks
1	Riverfront access
1	Riverfront more parks and trail access direct from downtown
1	Riverfront park development, more off street trails, take that would connect to other municipalities
1	Riverfront parks and trails
1	Riverfront trails that are clearly marked (signage) and fishing piers. I would also like to see kayaks that are available for rent similar to the program available in Omro.
1	Safe trails free of the homeless
1	Security at Pierce Park
1	Security, workout equipment, geese reduction
1	See previous answers
1	Skate board park is very good
1	Skate skiing trails
1	Sledding hills in neighborhoods Trails through wooded areas Sensory playground (feel the dirt, dig, get wet, build a fort, climb a tree, etc.) Trails where people are watching for children and expect them on bikes. More things for tweens/early teens
1	Snowshoe and cross country trails along the river.

Count	Response
1	So glad we get to keep the pool at Erb and not get stuck with just a splash pad!
1	Some concert like area near river and seating, either grass or benches at the very least
1	Some parks need a little TLC like the park over by horizons school is Schaefer circle
1	Some trails running along the railway corridors would be nice. There are very few pleasant ways of running or riding bikes from the downtown area that don't cross tons of side streets, and getting to Grand Chute/Northwest Appleton is extremely unpleasant from downtown. Throwing down an 8 foot wide strip of asphalt along the corridors that cross at Memorial/College and Badger/Bluemound could provide some great diagonal ways to get around.
1	Some walking trails that allow leashed dogs
1	Splash pad
1	Splash pad, more trails
1	Splash pad, walking trail/bike lane
1	Splash pads
1	Splash pads (water activities without a pool) - Erb Park.
1	Splash pads :)
1	Splash pads in the bigger parks. More walking trails by river. Ping pong table and fire pit as found as Fritsh Park in Menasha. Rope climbers as found in parks in Neenah and Menasha. Signs prohibiting smoking on and near playgrounds. Recycling bins.
1	Sure there's qualified people to figure that out
1	Swimming and playgrounds are my top picks.
1	Talks need to be connected
1	Tandem swing for parent and small child near east high school
1	Tellulah park needs more attraction
1	Telulah Park has become very developed. I am very worried about the plan to add tennis courts in the open space where many people (and many people from under represented minorities) for soccer, rugby, football, kite flying, ultimate frisbee, etc. We not need tennis courts!
1	Telulah park seems to have potential for development for outdoor concerts, etc.
1	Tennis Courts at city park. Why'd they get removed anyways? More parks.
1	Tennis court Highview
1	Tennis courts in City Park.

Count	Response
1	Tennis courts we will wait for courts at Erb and always have others waiting for us. More usable courts would be great.
1	Tennis courts, dog park
1	Thank you for the skatepark!
1	The Newberry Trail is nice, but could be updated. The trail under the College Avenue bridge could be updated. Memorial Park trails are great.
1	The bike trails need to be better connected throughout the city. There are good stretches of trail but in between are roads and busy streets
1	There doesn't seem to be any good walking areas over by the Valley Fair Mall area
1	They fine right now.
1	Think it's good oh maybe water park in area
1	Trail along the river on the south side is Great! I walk/run there almost every day. I appreciate how it is maintained.
1	Trail at Telulah Park (by the Boathouse) needs lighting and connection to Newberry Trail along the River. Right now it's a dark dead end in the woods. Kayak/canoe launch at Peabody or Telulah.
1	Trail on the north side of the river, and better develop the trail on south side as in better lighting, clearing brush along river, adding more rest stops along river with a drinking fountain or two.
1	Trailheads connecting to micro businesses local small business and other parks is a necessity
1	Trails NE Appleton/Little Chute < -> Downtown
1	Trails along the water
1	Trails and park near riverfront with housing and restaurants
1	Trails connecting existing trail systems throughout Fox Cities
1	Trails for pedestrian and bikes to access west College, Northland area, new Meijor area development, etc
1	Trails off road from busy streets
1	Trails that connect parks to each other and that connect walkers or cyclists to retail and restaurants.
1	Trails that lead from downtown to the waterfront would be lovely. There's no good (and safe) way to get from downtown to the riverfront by foot. It would be nice to be able to have a nice meal at a restaurant downtown and be able to take a stroll down by the river.
1	Trails to connect the residential communities with the downtown to make it easy for people to commute downtown without a car to work.
1	Trails with public restrooms, coffeeshops, unique restaurants

Count	Response
1	Trails, sidewalks, and parks on the east side.
1	Trestle trail, trails on riverbanks (what we have is great -- want more), more arts (City Band concerts are great -- what about jazz, symphony, drama?), giant chessboards, Tai Chi, creative landscaping -- put a couple hills into City Park to create zones. Send park designers to Shanghai & Lucerne for ideas. :-)
1	Unsure.
1	Updated Erb
1	Updated tennis facilities and adding a park closer to Richmond/41 area
1	Upgrade to pierce. City park is great now
1	Volleyball courts - sand at Erb park
1	Walk/run/bike trails hat connect our community. Today we are pockets of things. Some good trails but no connection to things. Would be good to add outdoor exercise equip to parks like pull up bars.
1	Walking
1	Walking "trails" with nature markers (trees, plants, birds, etc) at larger parks like Telulah, Pierce, Memorial, Erb. Trails could also include "workout" markers for fitness activities (lunges, stretches, etc).
1	Walking and running trails
1	Walking biking trail from city to dog park. More trails along the river
1	Walking trail in pierce park so that you don't have to walk in the road when entering the park on foot. One of the parks with a pool to have some really fun water slides. Might help people stay in Appleton for the weekend rather than going to the Dells.
1	Walking trails along river. Extending the present ones
1	Walking trails near Oneida St area
1	Walking trails that allow dogs, clean bathrooms, all parks
1	Walking trails that provide easy access to the riverfront
1	Walking trails, Jones Park cleared of homeless. Pioneer park should have included Electricity, Maybe a small pavilion and permanent tables.
1	Walking/bike trails throughout. Public grills and places to sit/gather in central areas.
1	Water Park at Memorial Park
1	Water activities, walking trails
1	Water fountains, bubblers.
1	Water fountains. Running in the heat, downtown, can be rough with limited water fountains.

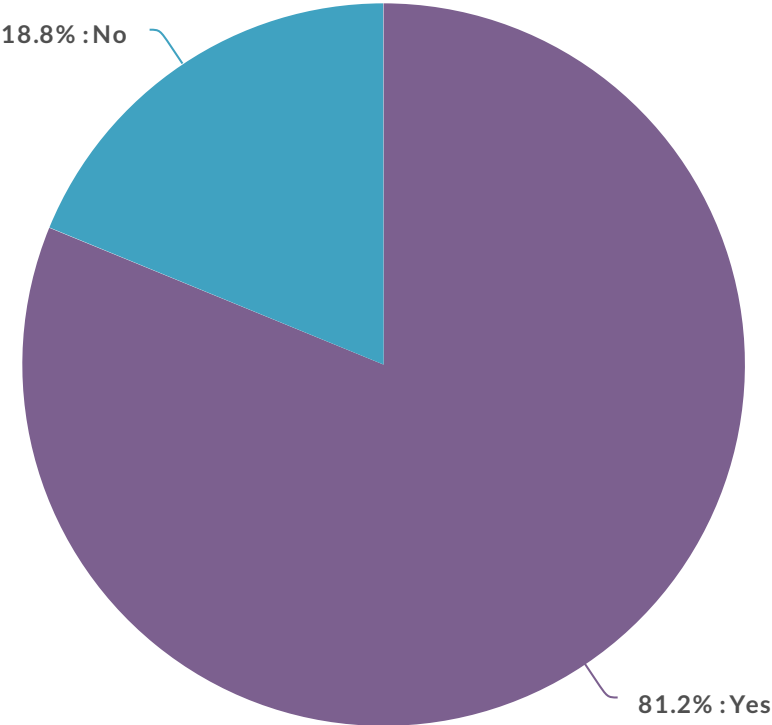
Count Response

1	Wayfinding for trails needs to be easier to find; many "trails" marked on the map are actually busy arterials such as Richmond street...not exactly a 'trail'! A dog park would be nice but I'm not holding my breath
1	Ways to get around within communities (I.e. no way to safely walk to Walmart, Festival or Menards on East side or Westside of Appleton.
1	We could really use a splash pad or 2 in the city. I think City Park, Pierce Park, or Memorial Park would be good locations.
1	We have enough parks. We need more manufacturing jobs. People can enjoy the park more if they can afford to buy food to bring on their picnic.
1	We need another sheet of ice at AFIC. Improvements need to be made on the fields at Memorial Park. It would be nice for the City to allot dollars to assist to the improvement to Scheels USA Youth Sports Complex.
1	We need more off-road/mountain biking opportunities. With new snow bikes rising in popularity, mountain biking is becoming a year round sport. Cutting more such trails in along the river would be perfect.
1	We need to let dogs in parks. Small parks are often unused or underused.
1	We seldom use the parks, except when grandkids are around.
1	We should have a much better and extended trail system. One should be able to ride their bike from Green Bay to Fon Du Lac.
1	We use the parks on a quite limited basis, so for us, things are adequate.
1	We would like to see more opportunities to ice skate outdoors during the winter.
1	Well maintained restrooms. Family programs in summer. Consistent police or community service supervision or inspection.
1	West Appleton lacks access and Parks.
1	Whitewater kayak/canoe access points, removal of hazards like unused train trestles and old supports with rebar, etc. We have a lot of potential water activity that would create a spectacle for people to enjoy if some attention were paid to it. The paddlers who live here are driving elsewhere.
1	Would be great if we could connect all the trails in the valley from Neenah to Kaukauna.
1	Would be nice if the bathrooms at parks could be open more so like a family with little kids who have to go pretty often could enjoy them longer. Oh also if there was soap by the sinks.
1	Would be nice to have a dog park in the downtown area
1	Would love longer biking/walking trails. And didn't realize we had all these other amenities - don't know where to find them?! We have pickleball?? Are there leagues? I want a field hockey league, and a frisbee league. Just saying.
1	Zip line - John park Bean bag toss games at veterans park
1	a trail that connects downtown with North Appleton

Count	Response
1	allow leashed dogs in parks
1	along the river walkway
1	bathrooms open sooner. More pickle ball courts
1	better access to Memorial Park from the south for walkers and bikers
1	bier garden (Tosa and Estabrook Park, MKE) model
1	circuit training in city park
1	connect trails with outlying trail system (ie, CE trail)
1	drinking fountains closer to the playgrounds at all parks.
1	feel like there are many already
1	fishing piers
1	longer trails that are connected, more groomed cross country trails, maybe a place to rent good kayaks to paddle on the river - all throughout the area.
1	more benches along the walking trails
1	more bike and walking trails, especially near the river and through historic neighborhoods. I didn't check those sorts of things previously because I don't think we have enough to say they are things I "value" about the downtown.
1	more disc golfing, the kids love that stuff.
1	more garbage containers
1	more trails
1	more trails by the river and lakes
1	more trails connecting college ave to the river
1	more water fountains
1	neighborhood park. Calmes drive
1	not sure of all the possibilities
1	not sure right now
1	off street trails from neighborhoods to downtown, connections between existing trails
1	old fashioned teeter totters. The new ones are boring to even the youngest kids. Otherwise, the playground equipment at most parks is good.

Count	Response
1	outdoor pool walking/running trails
1	pet friendly areas
1	restrooms
1	restrooms during winter months
1	sad to see tennis courts go from downtown (City Park)
1	safe biking lanes on streets. Expand and connect river trails into a complete, connected system.
1	scenic walking and biking trails that are well light, safe and integrated.
1	small parks on Wisconsin Ave trails that connect Fox West to Greenville
1	specialty - ie. skate park at Tellulah, more indoor facilities at parks to bring the community together during indoor seasons
1	splash pad, expanded playground equipment, additional biking trails
1	swimming pools biking trails
1	tennis courts at Memorial Park
1	trails/bike lanes from other parts of the city to facilitate non-vehicle transportation to and from downtown for various events
1	walk or bike trails on the southeast side without sidewalks
1	walking and cycling paths/lanes to connect west to east and north to south
1	water pads more advertising on kid events, not only to our area but also to the surrounding to attract more
1	waterfront boat docks.
1	work out stations
1	would like a lighted walking path along the river
1	~ Would love to see tennis courts at Hoover Park (please) ~ More flower/plant gardens in smaller parks

35. Do the existing parks offer equipment that satisfies the needs of all age groups?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	81.2%	717
No	18.8%	166
Total		883

36. If No, please describe why:

park
parks
or

Count Response

1 Older kids and adults don't have playground equipment at that suits their needs. Fritsch Park in the Town Of Menasha is a great example of an all-ages park.

1 A large park would be beneficial south of the river

1 Accessibility

1 Add to the mix more for old persons: Parcours, etc.

1 Appleton could use more physical challenges or adventures for teens

1 Areas to focus on younger children and toddlers

1 At pierce (the park by my home) it would be nicer to have a larger play space, for the volume of people at that park at one time, there needs to be more there.

1 Because adults can't drink

1 Body fitness equipment would be greay

1 Could add the exercise based outdoor equipment to more parks, such as the ellipticals, etc (like the park in Menasha)

1 Could use more equipment for tween age kids.

1 Could use more park areas for handicap & wheelchair bound people on the South side (Pierce Park).

1 Dog friendly areas

1 Each park has to be updated

Count	Response
1	Erb pool needs work.
1	Good for kids. No adult space(pull up bars,)
1	Great for young kids. Older kids aren't inspired to go to parks from what I've experienced. More places to sit would be good for adults as well
1	How about some equipment for older folks - there's some neat stuff available that keeps people active.
1	I do not frequent parks on our walk cause dogs are not allowed. They are not a destination.
1	I feel some of it is outdated and unsafe. Plamann park has a tremendously high, metal slide that is truly a death trap for young children.
1	I have 2 small children that love the parks but I've noticed that there are times that the middle school/high school kids come and play on the same equipment as the kids. It might help if there were something for the older kids. Possibly a fitness course (along the river?) or something that caters more toward older kids.
1	I have only seen equipment for children & some parks have old, outdated equipment. There are not many parks with good sized, well kept pavilions.
1	I have seen adult equipment in other cities. A place along a trail where there is equipment for pull ups, balancing exercises etc
1	I have to drive to the park.
1	I think making the trails especially running and biking more fitness friendly with sponsored local business stations to do specific things to engage people as they're walking through the area would significantly improve the numbers on the trails and parks systems
1	I think older kids need a place because they come on the younger kids play areas and are too aggressive for them
1	I think we need more equipment aimed at older kids
1	I would like more for older kids. My older two are almost 11 and soon to be 9. They are starting to outgrow the parks.
1	I would love to see a park with grown up size playground equipment including some of the special contoured chairs as swings that are usually used for children with disabilities.
1	I'm concerned with the handicapped accessible equipment that is being put in everywhere. At least by my park, it's ostensibly for 6-12 year olds, but it's really more appropriate for toddlers and little kids. We've ended up with a situation where all the little kids flock to the equipment for the big kids and the big kids aren't necessarily always careful around them. The kids also regularly ride their bikes, skateboards, and rollerblades down the handicapped ramp. The equipment is also not as durable--all the built in activities (the piano, the spinny ball thing, etc...) break down and fall apart on a regular basis, so it requires more upkeep. I've also heard some of the other kids say, "This is for little kids. I liked the old (non-handicapped accessible) equipment better." I feel like we're failing 99 percent of our kids to serve the 1 percent who are handicapped.
1	I'm not a senior citizen but I don't think we have anything specifically for seniors.
1	I'm really not sure if all the parks do.

Count Response

1	Improvements could be made to allow older individuals safer access to walking paths, but I am not sure what they would need. So many walk at the malls.
1	In every park I've been to there are play areas for children 3 and up. I want play equipment that would be safe for children under the ages of 3 to play on.
1	It would be awesome to have outdoor exercise for adults
1	It would be good to see Chess offered for older folks. A giant jenga would be fun for younger kids.
1	It would be great to have geriatric swings/equipment.
1	It's all little kids stuff it's not anything for adults and there is no comfortable safe place for people to rest or read a book or enjoying the green space
1	It's geared mostly to young children.
1	It's geared toward small kids.
1	Jones- seems only to offer preschool-toddler equipment and the basketball court provides for teens lacking equipment for school aged children. City Center- offers toddler-school aged but seems to lack things for pre-teens and teens.
1	Lack of tennis courts in City Park.
1	Limited handicap access and features
1	Many cities now offer parks that have exercise equipment specifically designed for senior adults - this would be a welcome addition in Appleton.
1	Many of the playgrounds are geared for older (7+) children. Finding a toddler-friendly playground can be challenging.
1	Many parks need updated equipment
1	Maybe some things for seniors would help.
1	Memorial Park is great but no pool.
1	More adult and dog friendly
1	More baby
1	More benches and places to sit for older people
1	More equipment for special needs at each park would be nice.
1	More equipment needed for older kids (8 & up)
1	More gliders or swings for older adults to sit and relax. Like at Lutz and Peabody Parks.
1	More handicapped accessible playgrounds

Count	Response
1	More needed for young adults
1	More places for adults to sit and enjoy the outdoors
1	More teen friendly attractions. Maybe a zip line, tennis courts
1	More things for ages newborn-3.
1	Most park equipment is geared for young kids
1	Most parks just have playgrounds
1	Most playground equipment is made for toddlers so older kids get bored fast
1	Mostly centered on small children.
1	Mostly for little children.
1	Mostly for little kids
1	My kids feel the playgrounds are for little kids.
1	Need more beauty, flowers, landscaping, sculpture. The older parks really could use "beauty upgrades". Parks should be gems and attract people.
1	Need more bike trails, incl. Maintain bike trails
1	Need more disabled equipment
1	Need more for older children and exercise equipment
1	Need scenery and place to relax safely
1	Need something that young adults and adults can participate in and with.
1	Need things for the older kids
1	No enough access to indoor, year round adult swimming venues. All high schools should be available for this instead of just the oldest one.
1	Not all do. Some do but a lot don't
1	Not all parks do - hence you have to drive to parks that offer various equipment such as tennis courts
1	Not all the parks have handicap accessible
1	Not as much for pre-teens/teens.
1	Not enough safe options to use bike, walking or running to go into and out of Downtown.

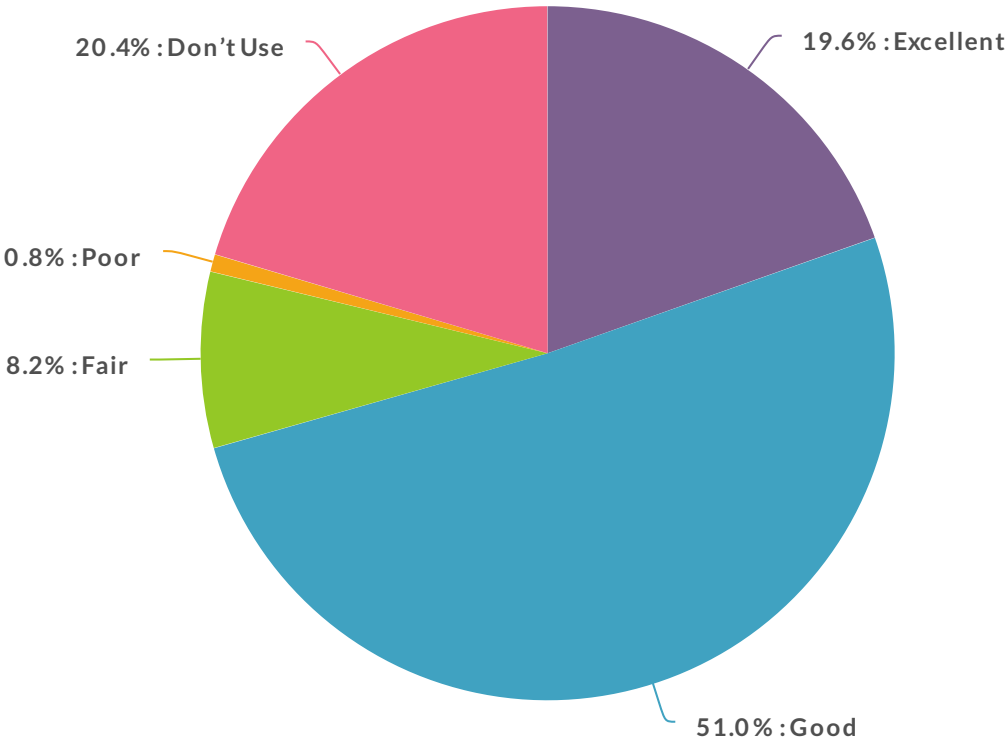
Count	Response
1	Not enough- small parks along a walking path or Boardwalk. Open areas where possible for ball games, frisbee golf, etc.
1	Not much for adults. Climbing wall or athletic courses would be great.
1	Only one handicap park and you have to walk quite a distance to get to it?
1	Park structures could be geared to the 5 and over group
1	Parks are geared for kids
1	Peabody park seems more to accommodate children 6 or under for playground equipment. And then teenagers for basketball hoops.
1	Playgrounds are geared for younger children. I want my older child to participate in a meaningful way, not loitering
1	Relatively few parks offer activities for grown-ups, though most have play equipment.
1	Seem many citizens set up their own soccer goals or volleyball nets
1	Seems challenging for the older population to get around.
1	Senior citizens and middle age folks are pushed out of the parks by the kids hanging out and the drunks
1	Should have handicapped swings
1	Skate boarding and other activities for HS population
1	Some aren't age appropriate
1	Some equipment is geared for toddlers but not enough equipment is provided. Some equipment is too high off the ground and could use more safety features. It would be nice for ALL parks to have the soft, rubberized ground around the equipment.
1	Some good for little ones, others older kids
1	Some of the equipment is old.... need more tennis courts and pavilions need to be updated.
1	Some of the parks don't have equipment for toddlers
1	Some of the parks only cater to smaller children.
1	Some parks are better than others. Memorial Park is good for all ages. Erb is good for all ages but needs serious updating & maintenance. It seems most of the parks either cater to little guys or big ones --- not many take care of both.
1	Some parks only focus on the very young
1	Some playgrounds are designed for young children, others have equipment that doesn't challenge or interest older children.

Count	Response
1	South side of city (south of river) offer very little to a large population. Bring back ice skating rinks to neighborhood parks (and maintain them). How about more places for volleyball or disc golf?
1	Teenagers need skateparks or something for them to do rather than hanging out by their cars.
1	Teens are overlooked
1	The majority of parks have equipment for little kids or for a group of people for sports. If you don't fit either of those categories then most parks have little to offer.
1	The park off Railroad street is geared for small children only
1	The parks are different and that is good. If all the same it would be boring. For example, Pierce Park and Memorial Park both have good qualities. I could visit both and enjoy them. If they had the exact same equipment, neither would be as interesting.
1	The parks in general appear to be missing the 25-45 group in facilities (workout facilities).
1	The very young and older adults need more
1	There is very little for young children.
1	There needs to be a plan to allow dogs on leashes and with license to be allowed present. It's archaic that this is not allowed.
1	There should be greater development in the flats of Appleton. It could be a center with a lot of hip bars and parks for local musicians to play. Right now it is underutilized. The parking lot next to Jone's park is also an eyesore and is not properly utilized.
1	There should be more table and structures that promote social interaction. Public art, Chess tables, park vendors.
1	There's done enough places to picnic or sit and meditate. It be nice to have a park dedicated to yoga or tai chi and meditation
1	They are all too similar and don't have much to offer
1	They're almost entirely geared towards children.
1	This should not be a yes/no question. It's a "maybe" for some parks. There could be more focused activities within appropriate parks, i.e., bird watching walks, naming trees and flowers (which would also bring people together), geologic formations
1	Trails are not complete
1	Updated playground facilities
1	Very young children and 40+ seem covered. Little to no use for 20-40 year olds.
1	Want fewer facilities in some parks; should have some more natural
1	Wheelchair bound, and short kid consideration,

Count Response

1	Why would a person without children go to a park except for a special event?
1	You need a water facility similar to OSHKOSH
1	additional parks in the south and east sides there could also be some exercise equipment added to the parks, Town of Menasha has an example just south of UW Fox
1	good for younger kids (under 10). older kids use the equipment in unsafe ways to make it a challenge
1	more playground equipment
1	more tennis courts
1	most tennis courts have been taken out
1	not enough events places for picnics kid stuff
1	not many benches to sit and relax, restrooms are not always open or clean
1	not welcoming to older or special needs individuals
1	restrooms; no thing for disabd
1	skewed to younger children/families
1	we need more pool space during the summer.

37. How would you rate the overall quality of recreational programs that you and members of your household have participated in?



Value	Percent	Count
Excellent	19.6%	178
Good	51.0%	464
Fair	8.2%	75
Poor	0.8%	7
Don't Use	20.4%	186
Total		910

38. How would you rate the overall quality of recreational programs that you and members of your household have participated in? - comments

Combine the rec with Appleton Little League.

Count	Response
1	
1	I do not use Appleton library because I refuse to pay a meter to use something that I already help to pay for. I can go to Menasha or Neenah and not plug a meter.
1	After what I experienced last year, I stopped signing my son up for recreational programs. The high school students spend more time on their damn phones than interacting with the children.
1	Appleton tall was bad so I left and we use grand chutes which is awesome. I recommend everyone to grand chute baseball and wish they had more sports.
1	Both my husband and I have participated in the Learn To Row program offered through the Parks department. It was a great opportunity for the 2 of us.
1	Combine the rec with Appleton Little League.
1	Did one swimming class but water was too cold for small children and nothing was done. Had to stop classes but like all the different options of classes
1	Have not found anything offered to try
1	I am a single person without kids. If I had a family I am sure I would take advantage of city parks and rec.
1	I am pleased that interest is taken regarding these questions.
1	I coached my daughter's tball team last year through APRD and it was a good experience with Nate, the program director.

Count Response

- 1 I don't believe I've been in any official programs
- 1 I hope the Rec Department can join in with the plans for a combined new library/senior center/meeting room area/civic center, whatever you want to all it. The rec department rents spaces for some dance classes and other activities. If it was all in the same building, it would be cool.
- 1 I know my husband would say you can never have enough bike trails
- 1 I travel out of the area to ride my mountain bike as do many. I ride my road bike on the roads and I'm constantly harassed by drivers of cars.
- 1 I use the parks and trails, but haven't participated in any actual programs.
- 1 I would say that the actual programming is of great quality but we technically live in Grand Chute so have to pay non-resident fees which are typically double what residents pay and it seems unreasonable considering the town of Grand Chute doesn't offer the same amount, type or age appropriate programming for our family (we have a 4 and 3 year old).
- 1 I've only done CPR and enjoyed it!
- 1 In the past the coordinated park use with Little League
- 1 Just recently moved here - not very familiar with the programs and amenities.
- 1 Kids love the parks program in the summer
- 1 LOVE the Unity Dance Academy!
- 1 Little League and Reid Golf--although a lot of people left when you screwed Stacy Gassner and won't return. Pitiful.
- 1 Love Angie & the water fitness program at Erb Pool!
- 1 Love Mile of music. Please use the new Pioneer Park as a venue.
- 1 Loved the laid-back nature of PR summer sports when my kids were in grade school but that is decades ago.
- 1 More focus on concussion prevention by enforcing use of concussion headbands for sports for youngsters, and making them reasonable to buy or rent by parents. Would like to see very affordable kayaks/canoes available for use at accessible river locations in Appleton.
- 1 More support and guidelines should be provide to volunteer youth sports coaches. Had an excellent TBall coach (Mochinski), had a less that excellent soccer coach for the 5 year old group. Please offer sports for younger kids too.
- 1 Music is offensive at the pools. Our girls are no longer in the dance program due to the graphic moves/music in some of the classes.
- 1 My family loves the skate park.

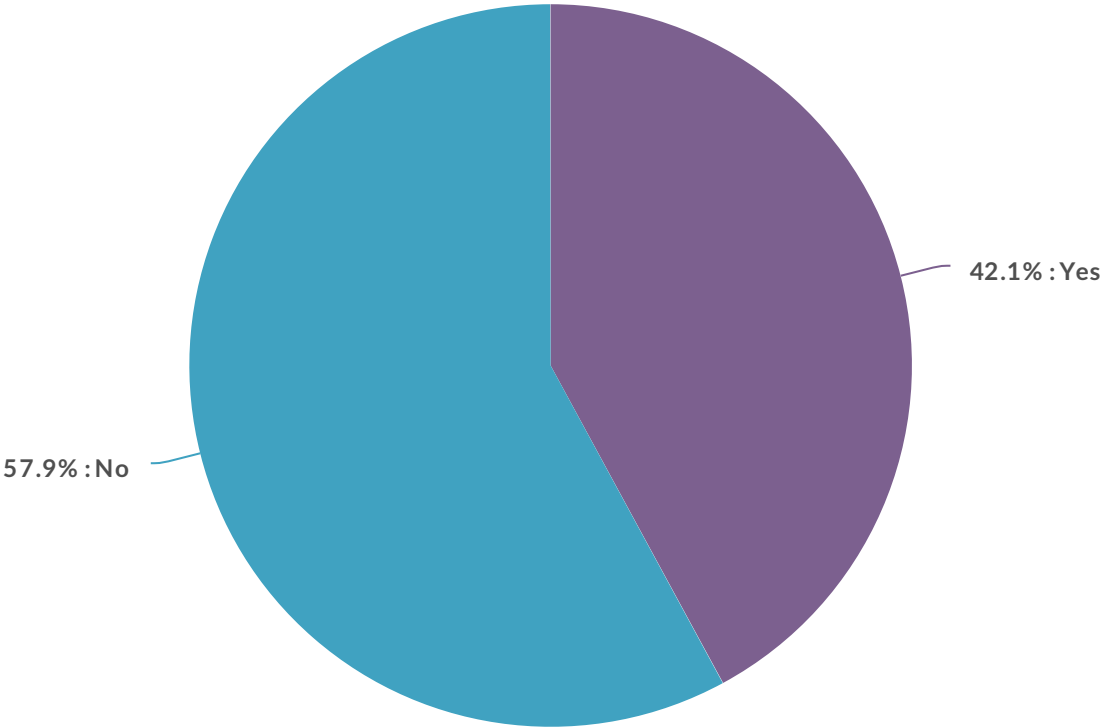
Count Response

1	My kids LOVE swimming lessons at Erb. The instructors are outstanding. All of the Parks and Rec programs in which we have participated (including swim lessons, archery, preschool park activities, bike safety, and others) have been outstanding.
1	No children in our home, I think families with kids use the programs more. Maybe an outdoor yoga or tai chi class would be used by adults
1	Options are too few
1	Our children are all grown, but when they were younger they all participated in park programs at Pierce and Alicia Parks. My husband and I walk for an hour daily through Alicia, Lutz, and Pierce Park and the surrounding neighborhood. There are always other walkers, and I am constantly amazed at the number of people playing frisbee at Pierce's course. The playground equipment is usually being used by families, too.
1	Our family LOVES Memorial Park the best, especially the playground there and ice skating rink!
1	Our son used to participate in summer Park & Rec programs, but has aged out. Lack of programming for "tweens".
1	Parks and Rec soccer was not good both times - mostly due to coaches and other kids involved. We had a great Baseball coach last year though. Swim class is hit and miss. We had one bad year with teachers, but I complained and then it got much better.
1	Parks program for kids is excellent
1	Plastic colored furniture is a turn off!
1	Played softball at Memorial for 20 years. Love the bandshell at Pierce. Enjoy walking on the river where I can.
1	Softball at Memorial park is quite expensive. Especially if your team is playing to have fun in a lesser competitive league. Somewhat pushes more casual players to play in different cities
1	Specifically, the APRD swim instructors are all fabulous - has been a great experience for our family.
1	Swim lessons at Erb park were a wonderful experience for my family when my kids were a little bit younger.
1	Swimming lessons at Erb Pool are superb every summer.
1	Thank you, Mayor Hanna and the Parks and Recreation Dept
1	Thanks for offering a wide variety of programs!
1	The offerings are great, especially swim classes, however many swim instructors do not have adequate training in teaching.
1	The softball fields at memorial need work, the outfields are terrible and uneven which causes a concern for injuries
1	The softball program was much better under city and Fox Valley Recreation Association management than now. I no longer participate.
1	Unity Dance has a wonderful family oriented program for dancers of all ages!

Count Response

1	We do a lot of the park and rec classes for our kids a little more supervision of the kids running the programs is needed. Swimming has been great but soccer last year the kids running the program were pretty disinterested in being there
1	We do use Mead Pool quite a bit - son used the swim program that was offered.
1	We eventually will need more tennis courts with Pickleball lines painted as the sport grows.
1	We have a disabled son and enjoyed Challenger league type activities. Please support those.
1	We have had issues with summer park programs ... mostly the young people "running" the classes don't seem very engaged or don't relate to young children.
1	We have lived in 6 states and 4 countries. Appleton has the best park and rec department for families!
1	We have participated in run/walks and other organized events on College Ave but not sure about programs.
1	We haven't used a rec program yet. I hope we might be interested in some in the future. I am interested in archery being added to another park.
1	We haven't used them yet, but with a child turning 4 very much expect to use them.
1	We travel and often feel as if we are missing out and our children are limited in some degree here in Appleton
1	We've done Park & Rec swimming lessons for years and think they're fantastic. Open swim is also fantastic. Our children have been involved with the Appleton Soccer Club for years and it's got an amazing program.
1	When my kids were young we participated in Little League, Babe Ruth, swimming, football, etc.
1	When our children were young we used the park and rec department classes for sports and dance quite often!
1	With the YMCA and Appleton Parks and Rec, we have access to so many options for activities!
1	glad to see Erb pool getting an upgrade
1	some of the instructors need to be more experienced and have better knowledge of how to deal with children and want to be doing their job
1	summer camps for teens would be welcome, the age before they can drive and go to jobs, 12-16 ages
1	would like to see more zumba and yoga, or maybe just better advertising of the options they do have?

39. In the past 12 months, have you or members of your household participated in Appleton Parks and Recreation programs?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	42.1%	384
No	57.9%	529
Total		913

40. If no, please describe why

activities kids interest

Count	Response
5	No time
4	No interest
3	Busy
3	No kids
2	Busy with other activities
2	Cost
2	No children.
2	None of interest
2	Too busy
2	Too busy.
2	time
1	
1	.
1	?
1	Adult programs I haven't really looked at. Healthy cooking would be nice.. But maybe I will look into more..

Count	Response
1	After participating in Appleton softball programs for 20 years I and most of my teammates either went elsewhere or no longer play because of the way the program is currently administered.
1	Age of teenager.
1	Age.
1	All children moved to different cities.
1	Baby
1	Basketball league
1	Because I don't care to.
1	Because of a sports injury, I dropped out of the Rec Dept's tennis league. I will participate this year.
1	Been too busy with my personal life.
1	Being older, all of my participation activities are at the Appleton YMCA.
1	Belong to the Y, and all our needs are met there
1	Both retired....what would you suggest?
1	Busy
1	Busy and distracted
1	Busy enough with current activities
1	Busy with high school and college kids
1	Busy with other things.
1	Busy with work and the events we do.
1	Cant afford and two busy for that
1	Children are grown now. They used the programs extensively growing up (1992-2013)
1	Children are in college. My husband and I use the parks and pools for fitness and recreation. A structured class is not our style.
1	Children are not old enough
1	Children are now in college. We did when they were younger.
1	Children are too young
1	Children too young

Count	Response
1	Choose to move out to kaukauna
1	Couldn't afford it because I'm considered a non resident... My kids are in t-ball, softball, swim lessons and fall dance because my parents are paying otherwise my kids would have a pretty boring summer ahead
1	Currently do not have time with our work schedules.
1	Currently too busy
1	Daughter still too young and timing hasn't worked well for adult programs
1	Did not fit with work schedule
1	Do not have school age children
1	Do not have children that young anymore
1	Do not have kids
1	Does not apply.
1	Don't have children for parks programs anymore.
1	Don't hear about them.
1	Don't know about them
1	Don't know what is going on. Need to get program out to the public.
1	Don't know what programs are offered
1	Don't know what this includes, haven't seen what programs are available
1	Don't need them to organize tennis with a friend, but I remember them fondly from when I was a child
1	Don't need.
1	Don't offer enough for adults
1	Don't see anything for me
1	Dont have the ability to transport my child for only half day programs
1	Employed by the Y so utilize Y programs
1	Enrolled this summer
1	Expense
1	Extended travel during summer months.

Count	Response
1	Family members are getting older.
1	Few options for older kids and adults
1	Go on my own
1	Go through the ymca
1	Grandkids do, but we dont
1	Handicap
1	Have been told by many people about the race discrimination and prejudice by staff
1	Have not found anything of interest
1	Have not wanted to to pricey since our mailing address is Appleton but technically we live in Grand Chute we would have to pay higher price
1	Have other interests and the kids have grown up and moved away.
1	Haven' seen any offerings
1	Haven't found the time or interest.
1	Haven't had time, but planning on checking out programs now that time has freed up some
1	Haven't heard about them
1	Haven't lived in the city long enough (been here approx. 3 months) to "investigate".
1	Haven't made the time for it.
1	Haven't needed, but will be doing swimming lessons next month with our 2 year old.
1	Haven't really seen or noticed offerings for adults and not sure we would use them even if they existed. But with a child turning 4 very much expect to use them.
1	Havn't seen any of interest to me
1	Health issues tend to limit us on occasion
1	I am a bachelor.
1	I am a member of the Y, so I haven't engaged in P&R programs since it's an added cost for many of the same things I can engage in through the Y.
1	I am active in recreational groups that the city does not offer
1	I am an empty nester. I am sorry that the Thompson Center closed. I am not in the loop of what is currently available at ST Bernards.

Count	Response
1	I am disabled & not many parks are disabled friendly.
1	I am not sure what is offered
1	I am single, no kids. If I had kids, I'd consider the programs.
1	I belong to a private club
1	I did when I was a child but my child right now at the moment is not old enough to do that we will engage this coming summer however I think the team at the Appleton Parks and rec led by Nikki Wendt do a fantastic job
1	I didn't know programs existed.
1	I do not do many sports being empty nesters
1	I don't have children
1	I don't know about them.
1	I don't live in Appleton plus I'm not an active person.
1	I don't use the Park programs
1	I find it sad that although we have an Appleton address we are technically in the village of Kimberly and aren't able to participate for the resident prices.
1	I grew up with them, but as a senior there isn't much involvement
1	I guess I need to seek out information on what is available to senior-type folks.
1	I guess we don't know what's offered.
1	I have 2 very young children. We will absolutely be participating in the near future.
1	I have a gym membership so my exercise either happens there or on public trails throughout the city. I think once my husband and I have children we will utilize the park and rec programs.
1	I have no children, I recreate independently.
1	I have not looked into what is offered.
1	I have personally been away at college
1	I haven't decided which programs would best suit my needs to join.
1	I haven't lived here a year--and now you probably know who I am!
1	I hope to soon
1	I prefer my own schedule

Count	Response
1	I prefer to do activities on my own and not be tied down to a once-a-week thing. I do get involved in activities but usually only the "one time" events.
1	I recently moved to Appleton - need more time.
1	I take my grandkids to parks and activities
1	I use the pools but not specific classes. My kids played soccer and basketball, did gymnastics when they were younger, took swimming lessons. I play tennis or pickle ball on my own, not organized.
1	I used to go to a senior women's exercise class at the library but now have an advantage card and use the YMCA.
1	I wish there were opportunities for kids in middle school and high school who are not athletic enough to play for their school teams but still enjoy sports. A basketball league for high school age would be wonderful!
1	I work for a living
1	I'm a senior. My grandkids might be involved. Unsure if their activities are city programs.
1	I'm busy and my kid's only 2.
1	I'm not aware of any for seniors. I'm happy taking my daily 1 hour walk in the parks.
1	I've been busy
1	I've found more expensive classes more organized and valuable
1	I've had difficulty signing up
1	I've not been informed of any that pertain to my interests.
1	It seems like they are for children
1	It's just me, and I honestly haven't researched much what's out there.
1	Just been busy working
1	Just haven't gone. The kids are too old. We go to the YMCA
1	Just married, pregnant with first child. Too busy with work and travel for now.
1	Just moved here
1	Just moved here. Don't know what is available.
1	Just moved in back in March
1	Kayaking classes at Erb Park, to improve my skills.
1	Kid are older and we belong to the Y

Count	Response
1	Kids are growing up and they participate more in their school programs. Didn't have a lot of time to purchase the City pool pass last year.
1	Kids are grown now
1	Kids are grown up
1	Kids are grown up.
1	Kids are grown. We used to participate all the time. Not much of interest to someone my age 50's.
1	Kids are not old enough yet
1	Kids are older. They participated at a high level when they were younger.
1	Kids are too old for the Park And Rec programs.
1	Kids are too old now.
1	Kids are too young
1	Kids are very young.
1	Kids gone....we are past that. Played softball, soccer and volleyball when younger
1	Kids have aged out of recreational level sports and we are too busy with club and school activities presently. Wish I had time for more.
1	Kids have grown and are using school programs and more intense private lessons. I have been meaning to check out fitness for myself but it's hard to find time in my schedule.
1	Kids have outgrown the city programs.
1	Kids not old enough. Planning to participate this summer.
1	Kids were in other activities
1	Lack of availability during the day, too restrictive of ages (very little offered for preschoolers), very little if anything offered for 20-50 year olds.
1	Lack of information on what is available
1	Lack of time
1	Lack of time.
1	Lack of time. Busy with work and moving into first home.
1	Limited free time. Son participates in soccer through Appleton Soccer Club.
1	Limited time.

Count	Response
1	Little information about programs, geared toward small kids, or expensive
1	Live alone, working full time and no grandchildren yet to entertain.
1	Live in menasha...if there was morE reciprocity for pools, etc
1	Most of the programs I see listed in the city's newsletter are for children/young adults. I do attend various events in the parks.
1	Mostly, ignorance of them.
1	My child is going to be 4 and he will start shortly. But we have been watching baseball at Memorial park from the playground.
1	My children are grown. It was much more of a need when they were growing up.
1	My children do activities through private organizations like the Fox Cities Racquet Club and Heart of the Vally Dance Studio
1	My family doesn't have interest in it or it is too much money.
1	My husband tried to play softball but hasn't been able to find a team to play on.
1	My kids are grown and I work too much to have time to do all the things I would like to do.
1	My kids are grown now, but were involved in City rec programs on a regular basis.
1	My kids are just now getting old enough to do some of them, but we are mostly busy with activities through other groups and the YMCA.
1	My kids are swamped with work, school, marching band, music lessons and Scouts.
1	My kids use to play rec ball. They are all older now.
1	My schedule has been hectic lately.
1	My son wanted to do the Parkour program last summer, but we didn't sign up in time and it was full.
1	My son was too young yet and we are just starting into using park and rec activities
1	N/A
1	NA
1	NO time at the present
1	Need more choices for seniors.
1	New baby
1	No children

Count	Response
1	No children and dogs not allowed :)
1	No children at home anymore.
1	No children in household and I use planet fitness for exercise
1	No children in our home
1	No children in the household
1	No children yet.
1	No children, participate in my own personal activities
1	No current need
1	No information
1	No interested
1	No kids old enough yet.
1	No kids, busy schedules, we do really enjoy the parks but just don't participate in programs although the I do appreciate their importance.
1	No kids/other interests
1	No need at this time.
1	No need or interest.
1	No one in the household to use the programs.
1	No programs for older people.
1	No programs relevant to my interests and I tend to pursue solitary activities.
1	No time or money for it.
1	No time.
1	No times work for me.
1	No use
1	No, because we all unfortunately do not have enough time.
1	None applicable
1	None for our age group.

Count	Response
1	None of us are old enough. I did when I was younger though and it was fun
1	Not always fitting into schedule.
1	Not applicable to our ages.
1	Not applicable to us for the most part
1	Not aware of too many adult-centered programs in the Parks and Rec. department. But, we're also just not seeking them out at this time.
1	Not city resident
1	Not enough programs (athletic) that appeal to me.
1	Not from are
1	Not good times
1	Not in the community yet
1	Not interested
1	Not interested
1	Not interested in types of events ive seen.
1	Not interested,
1	Not interested.
1	Not interested. Also, not aware of programs.
1	Not interested. But I participated as a child and loved the activities and have many friends whose children participate now! Keep up the good work.
1	Not interstellar at the time
1	Not necessary
1	Not needed
1	Not organized enough.
1	Not publicized well or it doesn't interest me
1	Nothing has been of interest, or it's rather expensive
1	Nothing interesting
1	Nothing interesting or at a time I can enjoy

Count	Response
1	Nothing of interest
1	Nothing of interest to me personally
1	Nothing particularly appeal to me and no time
1	Only me! And I am too busy working
1	Other commitments. When our kids were growing up, we participated in MANY of the activities all the time.
1	Our children are too young < 2
1	Our children are still teeny weeny, so not yet.
1	Our children didn't want to participate in organized sports this past fall and winter.
1	Our children participated in many Park and Rec activities but they are grown
1	Our daughter is older and time is filled with school, clubs, etc Family time is full with child commitments, work, volunteering, etc
1	Our family has been in the middle of a move
1	Our kids are teenagers - not much for them once they get into high school.
1	Our kids have aged out of the programs
1	Our son is signed up for t-ball, but it hasn't started yet.
1	Out of town very often
1	Out of town; elderly.
1	Part of other programs such as YMCA rec sports
1	Participate mostly through schools.
1	Scheduling
1	Scheduling conflicts
1	Scheduling issues with activities available
1	Senior
1	Swimming lessons
1	The hours aren't compatible with a working parents
1	The programs that are of interest are at odd times for our family. Many seem to run during mealtime hours or at same hours school related activities go on.

Count	Response
1	The times don't typically work, and I already belong to Empower yoga.
1	There are no programs I'm currently interested in
1	They need updating
1	Time
1	Time and location are not conducive to my schedule.
1	Time constraints
1	Time doesn't allow. We go to yoga in City Park and golf at Reid
1	Time for activities. Work days and most of the time activities that interest me take place then.
1	Time just bought house
1	Time/money
1	Timing is off. We only have certain days of the week to participate and the programs that are offered are on different days.
1	To be honest I think I forget. We do alot through the Y. But I'm looking forward to putting my daughter in a dance class this fall
1	To expensive
1	Too busy
1	Too busy or not interested in offerings
1	Too busy w other commitments
1	Too busy with other things. No interest in what they offer.
1	Too busy with regular school activities
1	Too busy.
1	Too many other things to do.
1	Too young kids
1	Tore my Achilles :(
1	Transitional period in our lives (job changes, pregnancy)
1	Unaware of programs
1	Unsure of what's available

Count	Response
1	Use other local programs
1	Use ymca
1	Used to attend a belly dance class, the time conflicted with other events.
1	Usually geared towards the 9-5 crowd.
1	Very busy with other commitments. Belong to YMCA.
1	Very few options for adults.
1	We are Y members
1	We are busy
1	We are retired no children are here any longer
1	We didn't do swimming last year because it filled up so fast, and this is our first year doing tball which hasn't started yet
1	We didn't find anything in the guides that we wanted to sign up for.
1	We didn't get information early enough to register.
1	We don't have children, and I believe most programs are geared towards children.
1	We don't have people in our family that are young
1	We don't live in Appleton.
1	We either haven't been aware of programs or haven't seen any of interest to us.
1	We either haven't pursued programs or they are not readily available to us.
1	We enroll our kids in little chutes summer programs while mom and dad work. Grandparents live there.
1	We have a YMCA membership.
1	We have adult children who have moved out of Appleton. They used to be involved in programs.
1	We have no children living at home
1	We have no small children and go to the parks when there's a family event or cultural event
1	We have property out of town and spend much free time there. Our children are married and live in other cities
1	We live out in the country in kaukauna and participate in Kaukauna park and rec activities
1	We prefer to do activities at our own pace when it's convenient for us. Many rec activities I have found in the past was during my work hours. At the time my work was not flexible and I couldn't just leave to bring my child.

Count	Response
1	We probably will in the coming years, our son is only 2 so not old enough for most programs yet.
1	We used them frequently when our children were young. I have gone to the pools and parks with my grandchildren in the past year and have frequently walked and biked through the parks and trails. One of our new favorite "stops" when using the playground or biking is to watch the kids at the Telulah Skate Park. Although I don't (and never will!) participate, I appreciate that this park was developed and love watching the kids and adults using it.
1	We used to be in dance but left long ago due to poor management.
1	We very rarely do as the cost we have to pay as out of towners (Grand Chute) is ridiculous and frustrating
1	We will, but my kids are still too young
1	We've been too busy.
1	We've only been here a year & are busy restoring the house we bought.
1	With all our other stuff going on we haven't made time, although a few are on our list to do.
1	Work travels
1	Wrong ages. We work uneven schedules
1	Y membership
1	YMCA programs
1	age and disability
1	age, kids gone
1	busy with other things
1	busy with work and family
1	children grown
1	do not know what is out there for the elderly. Joined the YMCA due to the fact the City does not cater to aging/disabled (at least as far as I know).
1	don't apply to me
1	i don't have kids
1	kids are at college and I haven't had a need
1	kids are older
1	kids are too old now.
1	kids are too young

Count Response

1 lack of advertising, locations/parking

1 lack of time but I think the offerings look great.

1 last year was the breaking point. Due to the above issues.

1 lifestyle is different

1 my child wanted to take a break from swimming lessons.

1 my kids are grown but may be utilizing some this summer with grandkids

1 my kids are too old for some of the programs or it doesn't fit in our schedule

1 new

1 no kids

1 no kids at home no appropriate dance classes for adults

1 no need

1 no need.

1 no programs that interest me

1 no specific reason

1 no time

1 no time; children are grown

1 no young children

1 not accomidaing

1 not interested at this time (no kids)

1 park and rec is for the kids.

1 pursue own activities

1 really don't know what is available for older adults

1 schedule

1 time and age

1 time commitment

Count Response

1 to old in 70,s

1 unable to because of temporary health reasons.

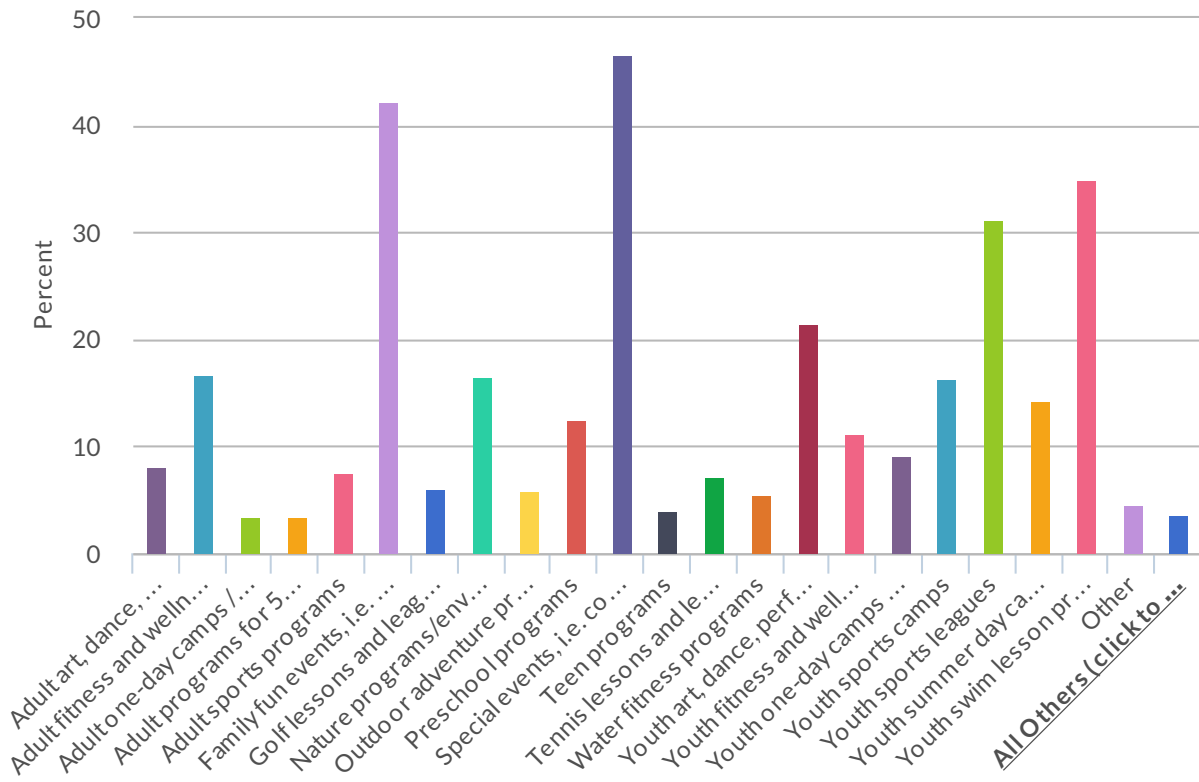
1 unaware of everything offered and not always at convenient times.

1 usually held in the AM...I need more PM things!

1 we do unstructured activities

1 you did no thing to address the senior center

41. If yes, which programs do you or members of your household participate in? (check all that apply)



Value	Percent	Count
Adult art, dance, performing arts	8.1%	31
Adult fitness and wellness programs	16.8%	64
Adult one-day camps / workshops	3.4%	13
Adult programs for 50 years and older	3.4%	13
Adult sports programs	7.6%	29
Family fun events, i.e. movie on the hill, fun runs, playground fair	42.3%	161
Golf lessons and leagues	6.0%	23
Nature programs/environmental education	16.5%	63
Outdoor adventure programs, i.e. kayak, scuba, fishing	5.8%	22
Preschool programs	12.6%	48
Special events, i.e. concerts in the park, etc.	46.5%	177
Teen programs	3.9%	15
Tennis lessons and leagues	7.3%	28
Water fitness programs	5.5%	21
Youth art, dance, performing arts	21.5%	82
Youth fitness and wellness programs	11.3%	43
Youth one-day camps / workshops	9.2%	35
Youth sports camps	16.3%	62
Youth sports leagues	31.2%	119
Youth summer day camp/ playground programs	14.2%	54
Youth swim lesson programs	34.9%	133
Other	4.5%	17
All Others (click to expand) ▶	3.7%	14

42. What recreational programs, leagues, and educational opportunities would you like to see offered by the Parks and Recreation Department?

activities
 classes
 dance yoga
 or kids

Count	Response
6	Not sure
5	NA
4	N/A
4	None
3	n/a
2	?
2	???
2	I don't know
2	Softball
2	Yoga
1	'Senior' yoga and/or meditation classes in Memorial Park Gardens
1	- Tball - Golf - Dance - Soccer
1	.
1	1) Open to public pools: Meade & Erb 2) More programs of interest through library. eg: genealogy and history.

Count	Response
1	??? We're too busy to participate in anything most of the time. Maybe yoga if it were on an evening I was free?
1	A free, public yoga class in parks would be nice.
1	A kickball league could be fun
1	A not so serious coed softball league on the east side of town
1	Activities for homeschooled kids throughout the year.
1	Activities for those over 40 only. Like Bocci ball, tennis, ping pong, horseshoe, archery, etc
1	Additional Archery classes.
1	Additional programs for children that are offered on weekends or nights for parents who work and aren't able to attend those that are held primarily during the working hours.
1	Adequate offerings currently
1	Adult day trips. Milwaukee, Green Bay, Waupaca
1	Adult kickball and soccer teams
1	Adult rec leagues
1	Adult volleyball league in a gym setting
1	An indoor baby toddler play area, baby dance and music activity. Family dine and dance event
1	Any educational stuff for kids like growing your own garden or taking care of birds or anything really. We homeschool and take advantage of lots of other learning opportunities.
1	Any kind of art, exercise or community projects
1	Anything
1	Anything that is partially supported by the user, and not by tax dollars.
1	Anything youth related, and sports.
1	Art, badminton, health/nutrition/cooking, childhood development
1	As a grand chute resident in the Appleton school system, I would love a little less disparity in resident vs non resident pricing. I'm excited to see STEM support through partnership with backyard hackers.
1	Ballroom dance , different foreign language classes.
1	Ballroom dance for kids and adults
1	Baseball

Count	Response
1	Baseball & basketball programs for kids past 6 grade.
1	Baseball, softball, ice hockey! Current hockey offerings are far too slim and many of us can't get in
1	Basketball leagues for adults
1	Basketball/volleyball for 30+ women
1	Bicycle repair for women and children separately
1	Can't think of any
1	Can't think of more. Park and Rec does a good job.
1	Canoe and swimming
1	Check other cities for ideas and then offer these to citizens for their input
1	Continue the current activities such as the fireworks on July 3, music and movies.
1	Continue with Spanish. Social dance for adults. Golf lessons by pro at Reid.
1	Continued support of ice arena, USA Youth and the arboretum site. Make as much of these sites as possible
1	Cooking classes
1	Cooking classes, photography, more exercise classes, ARCHERY..
1	Create more events for teens and/or club for ages 15 to 18 like Brooklyn's used to be?
1	Cycling programs Running programs
1	Dance classes for my daughter not only on a Saturday! I'd like them during the week in the evening.
1	Dance programs for adults.
1	Day trips
1	Dog training and other dog friendly events
1	Dog training classes Yoga for adults offered outside of the 8-5 work day
1	Don't have any
1	Don't know.
1	Dragon boat racing
1	Existing programs are sufficient.
1	Feel there is good offering now

Count	Response
1	Field hockey and frisbee at the club levels.
1	Foot golf.
1	Foreign language courses, cooking classes
1	Frisbee Golf League
1	Gardening, harmonica
1	Get togethers for kids, Football, wrestling, math club, basketball, movie nights
1	Golf for teens
1	Golf lessons
1	Golf lessons for both adults and children
1	Golf lessons, swimming lessons and maybe nature recognition lessons be it tree and plant identification or wildlife identification.
1	Grilling, cooking, wine tasting events or classes
1	Historical programs are my favorite, so anything involving history.
1	Horse shoe pits.
1	Horse shoes leagues
1	Houdini plaza music, ice sculptures, parks with grandkids are current but not enough
1	I believe the options are sufficient
1	I can't say
1	I don't know what they currently offer
1	I don't know.
1	I don't need them but many people do.
1	I have always thought they had a pretty good assortment of things.
1	I liked that you had skateboarding, but I wish it was cheaper.
1	I think a program educating why the parks are important and also education and prevention of littering as well as park safety.
1	I think it's pretty well covered.
1	I think old people leagues (baseball for over 50, for example, during the day) would be well received.

Count	Response
1	I think there's already a TON of awesome programs! Can't wait to partake in more.
1	I think they gave a great variety.
1	I think they offer quite a wide range of activities and at reasonable prices
1	I think we need to take a look at it either reality shows or you have competitions etc. I think a community versus community would engage people a lot more in the Funway of course I think there's a lot of opportunities to engage community members that otherwise would not look to the parks and rack for the opportunity like
1	I think you offer a good variety.
1	I would like to take some running, walking, yoga, stretching, breathing, boot camp classes. Again they may already have these but finding time is the issue.
1	I would love to see some shooting programs available to the public. Not only would it make our residents safer and strengthen our 2nd Amendment rights it would remove some of the stigma of lawful gun ownership.
1	I would love to take art,music or exercise classes through parks and rec.
1	ldk
1	Instead of more opportunities, do better, more visible and accessible advertising/marketing of the current offerings. Suggest MUCH more use of social media for this purpose.
1	Judo, dog training.
1	Junior golf at Reid.
1	Kayaking canoeing
1	Kayaking/Paddleboarding or other water related sports/activities
1	Kickball
1	Kickball leagues for kids.
1	Kickball or welding or sewing. Needs to be advertised more for adults and at decent times (after 6)
1	Kickboxing and weight loss groups
1	Kids yoga,
1	Lacrosse
1	Languages other than Spanish
1	Leagues for 13-17 year olds
1	Lectures, Performances by classical groups, Chess or Card Games.
1	Ledger of programs seems thorough and diverse enough to me.

Count Response

1	Like what we have
1	Little learners program for children starting at the age of 3 instead of 3 1/2.
1	Live monopoly
1	Many- I have not checked them out in years, but when I retire in June, I will.
1	Martial arts, dance for preschoolers, LEGO league, robotics.
1	Maybe more for retired people
1	More activities for midaged adults
1	More adult education programs
1	More adult learning topics. Add some non-traditional sports to the lineup (lacrosse, rugby, ice hockey).
1	More adult swim time at the pools.
1	More affordable educational programs for younger children
1	More art, language, nature related
1	More classes or opportunities for young adults, intramural leagues etc for opportunities to meet other people
1	More concerts and arts. Get Lawrence involved in Appleton Parks activities. So much talent, built in audience.
1	More dance and gymnastics. Self defense courses
1	More dance, meditation, yoga and gymnastics classes for children
1	More education and alliances for environmental causes
1	More evening/weekend based activities and programs for preschool age children. Most are in the morning or during the day, and many parents work
1	More fine arts
1	More for seniors
1	More high school age sports.
1	More hobby related activities as needed
1	More information on sustainability and the history of Appleton
1	More kids programs

Count	Response
1	More mom&me stuff
1	More nature walks, moonlit cross country ski and snowshoe events.
1	More of the same!
1	More opportunities for younger children. 2-5 yrs
1	More preschool/play schools/kids' activities.
1	More programs for 60 plus. I would like to see bus trips.
1	More programs for girls. Gymnastics
1	More programs for kids with special needs. Utilize old gardens building for more programs.
1	More programs for kids....and family timeswhere it's a day only families can use c park...
1	More programs for our TEENAGERS
1	More programs geared to children so they have better opportunities within the community.
1	More programs toward 8-14 year old... many programs for the young, but not many for older kids. Also more times than not, over the years, it is useless to put my name on a waiting list, you never call when there are open spots.
1	More special needs programs. I had to sign my daughter up through Neenah's special needs softball program. Would be nice if Appleton offered something to support our community.
1	More survival guidance.
1	More things for adults
1	More tumbling classes. Better summer swim class availability
1	More walking programs, more tours of interesting/historic Appleton locations
1	More winter activities
1	More yoga
1	More yoga and "natural well-being" classes.
1	More yoga opportunities
1	More young adult leagues and sports, more water safety and training for infant-100, a collaborative senior + preschooler athletic program to benefit both populations
1	Most offerings are too expensive for an entire family anyway so I have no suggestions.
1	Mostly, access points to the whitewater river with a simple changing room at put-ins and take outs.

Count	Response
1	My husband currently goes to the Thompson Center for a program called Mindworks Mondays & Wednesdays 11-3. Thrivent is a major contributor to this program. It would be nice to have some type of programs for him to participate in on the other days --
1	N/A to me
1	N/a
1	Na
1	Nature oriented
1	Nature adventure education
1	Nature programs, biking programs.
1	Nature walks showing edibles and animals living with us there.
1	Need more programming for those who are not children or have no children and are also not a senior/retired.
1	Neighborhood get togethers
1	New ones targeting low income families and culturally diverse (Hmong led, or Latino led?). It gives those kids the chance to create their own sense of belonging in the community. I think it's often felt that things like that are not "for them", creating a bigger cultural divide in adolescents in schools, etc. My family is bi racial and we see that poorer kids in our child's school are very seriously struggling while the rest of Appleton thrives. These problems exist whether the wealthier residents want to acknowledge them or not. It exists in every community! We should more actively engage with one another!
1	No answer.
1	No answer.
1	No comment.
1	No opinion
1	No suggestions
1	No suggestions.
1	None
1	None additional
1	None in particular.
1	None that I am aware of.
1	Not sure.
1	Nothing coming to mind at the moment.

Count	Response
1	Offerings specifically for seniors, especially since the senior center will be closing.
1	Outdoor ti chi
1	Outdoor Rollerskating opportunities Iceskating opportunities Night sky / amateur astronomy event Use of the river - paddling - activities that involve the waterfront. Not geared only for kids but engaging all ages of adults also.
1	People need transportation to these activities, especially for people that can't drive themselves, like children whose parents work during the day. Would like to see offered: Teens on the college process, how to prepare for college, application process, teach freshman what colleges want on a transcript. Field trips to visit colleges to receive more information when starting college decision/application process. Life development, finding out who you want to be, what you love doing, etc. "how to adult" classes (how to change a flat tire, sew a button, tie a tie, pay bills, what do all the terms mean on the taxes, basic survival skills, grow your own food, approach and meet new people, self-defense, budget money, navigate around without using a GPS, write professionally research efficiently, clean properly, etc.) Art/writing classes Finding your family's genealogy Computer programs (photoshop, powerpoint, excel, word, also using google alternatives, slides, docs, sheets) fin
1	Perhaps more organized bus trips for shopping in Milwaukee/Chicago?
1	Photography Lessons ?
1	Pickle ball instruction/league, alternative to Zumba for us older people, exercise classes held in other places than the lower level of the library.
1	Pickleball
1	Pickleball clinics, lessons and leagues
1	Pickleball league
1	Playgroups for infants/toddlers, especially in Winter
1	Possibly public workout sessions, but low priority for me
1	Pre-teen & Teen friendly activities
1	Programs for 3 and under
1	Programs that might help bring adults together - lessons to learn something new or to promote active lifestyles and socializing (tennis, golf, grilling/cooking, outdoor yoga, open mic, jam sessions, etc.)
1	Put more money into trails, maintenance of existing plantings, dog parks, more tennis courts especially at telulah park
1	Put together areal plan for elderly community center and activities.
1	READING community cleanups
1	Rugby, judo, continue soccer program, dance, a workout gym? continue golf opportunities. Honestly, the parks department does a great job. Our family would benefit for more offerings, not in diversity of programs, but more times available

Count	Response
1	Running classes, boot-camp style classes
1	Running races, groups that are more affordable
1	See above.
1	Senior Softball
1	Soccer and ultimate Frisbee
1	Some affordable rowing, kayak rental, canoe rental, rowboat or paddleboat rentals in the IN-Appleton area that is affordable for families who really don't have extra money to spend. There are so many offerings in Appleton that are geared for upper income, and a huge part of our population is not upper income.
1	Spanish or language classes for adults. Barre classes for adults. Cooking classes for adults.
1	Special needs
1	Sporting Leagues that utilize the parks
1	Sports and dance from other cultures that are represented in Appleton (Hmong, Mexican, Somali, Congolese, etc.)
1	Sports for kids 3-4 years old. Gymnastics.
1	Spthe selection is good I'd love to see golf during times summer school is not in session
1	Summer basketball youth
1	Supported but unorganized softball games at Pierce Park.
1	Sustainable gardening, creation of public art, American Indian history culture and arts
1	Swimming
1	Swimming lessons. CPR and first aid.
1	Tai chi
1	Team sports for all ages. Nature and history education as well
1	Tennis courts More like art in the park type things. Sand volleyball
1	The ones previously described. Also more music in the parks during the summer.
1	Theater programs.
1	They offer many.
1	Think there are good choices just not a lot of time choices

Count	Response
1	Think they cover a good variety now
1	Toddler sports/activities/dance and maybe some educational classes for toddlers also that are affordable
1	Toddler swimming lessons
1	Tutoring for students possibly
1	Ultimate frisbee, walking clubs
1	Unknown
1	Unsure
1	Unsure
1	Unsure at this time.
1	Unsure at this time. There seems to be a good variety of things offered.
1	Unsure!
1	Use of the outdoor space at the scheig center. Nature/garden programs.
1	Volley ball leagues
1	Volleyball (everything is offered through bars in the valley), Adult lap swimming
1	Volleyball, softball leagues
1	We have a nice variety.
1	We need a YMCA or exercise building on the Northwest/Grand Chute area of Appleton.
1	What you have is fine.
1	Would like to do more youth programs but always conflict with swimming dates and times.
1	Would like to see department partner with other local providers so that programs (ie. soccer, dance, yoga, etc) are not duplicated
1	Yoga Skate boarding (classes?)
1	Yoga and mindfulness programs for youth and teens.
1	Yoga at a lower price
1	Yoga for kids
1	Yoga in the park

Count	Response
1	Yoga, Tai Chi, meditation etc. in Houdini plaza
1	Yoga, tai chi, badmitten
1	Yoga, zumba, meditation
1	Young adult activities
1	Younger than 3 activities and times that work for work in people
1	Youth disc golf leagues
1	Youth rugby
1	a computer class for kids?
1	activities for senior citizens as practiced in other countries which contribute to their general health
1	adult ballroom dancing, adult soccer
1	arts programing
1	assisted for those who need i
1	ballroom dancing
1	classes for seniors
1	continue with the special events
1	craft classes , trips to Madison or Chicago, for Adults
1	dance classes for adults besides tap dancing
1	field hockey
1	karate, dance, music lessons
1	kids fishing / boat safety programs that teach our kids to be safe. and it would be nice if this is cheep or free because every child should know safety practices.
1	like to see more free or low cost childrens - teens exercise type programs offered.
1	mens basketball ... what happened to that?
1	mindfulness meditation crew (used to have a class)
1	more for 2-4 year olds.
1	more lanes for swim in open swim times

Count	Response
1	more swimming lessons options.
1	nature talks and walks yoga meditation stress reduction
1	none
1	none.
1	not sure, something for young people
1	offer for 3-4 year old, baseball, soccer, flag football
1	only those with high demand Golf should stay--Reid is a jewel
1	option for martial arts that makes it more affordable for families vs what the valley offers now. Academic leagues (ie, math competitions)
1	parent/child yoga, summer softball for middle school girls for those who may not be high-school caliber/competitive, but want to still have fun.
1	pingpong tables/leagues
1	social opportunities for singletons in their 30s
1	some more exercise programs educational
1	swimming lessons for little ones in a more appropriate pool (schools are too deep). And more evening programs for parents that work
1	things to do for ages 12-16 yrs
1	trendy exercise classes, rock wall, paddle board, rowing,
1	unsure
1	winter bb league referees were not providing good education to young players
1	yoga in the park
1	yoga, zumba and art for kids

43. Please provide any additional comments on the City Parks and Recreation Department that you may have.



Count	Response
11	None
4	n/a
3	N/A
2	NA
1	sad sad
1	"Kids" working at the pool should not be the ones choosing the music.
1	???
1	A few more police patrols in parks near the downtown area
1	Add a splash pad area for children downtown near library and senior center. Follow through and complete trestle trail bridges with connections. Add lights to trails.
1	Again, more dog-friendly places outside. We have a hard time enjoying the beautiful outdoors/parks in the area because many of them are restrict dogs. We'd happily keep them on a leash in certain areas but well-behaved dogs should be able to enjoy a walk through a park. Offer a fine for those people who do not pick up dog waste or abuse this privilege. Moving here from Southern California, we've found Appleton to be VERY UNFRIENDLY towards dogs. In other cities we are able to bring our dogs everywhere and in Appleton, there are very limited areas where dogs are allowed, which is sad.
1	Allow Dogs in Appleton Parks on Leash!
1	Allow dogs in parks

Count	Response
1	Allow dogs in parks and my family would use them
1	Allow dogs on leash! And have a dog park.
1	Allowing dogs to walk though out parks leashed do no damage, and less then unruly children or disrespect adults.
1	Appleton has great parks.
1	Appleton parks are clean, groomed and readily available, keep up the great work
1	Appreciate all you have done for this great city! LOVE living here!
1	Appreciate the low cost of adult fitness classes.
1	Bathrooms should open earlier in the year
1	Beautiful place to live & work.
1	Beautiful. Really enjoy all of them.
1	Bicycle safety, repair
1	Bring back 18 holes to telullah!
1	Camp APRD is great! I also love the Unity Dance Academy. Miss Lisa is awesome; so inspirational!
1	Care of the environment should be a priority...I hope you are not treating the grass in local parks with harmful chemicals...recycling should be widely available.
1	City tries hard to meet needs of all of us
1	Classes need to be scheduled outside of the 9-5 timetable. It's frustrating that my daughter can't do certain classes through the park and rec because she has two working parents
1	Clean up pierce park. Too many adult men parked in cars just watching children
1	Congratulations on having the foresight to build the great skate park!
1	Cost of programs is a bit high, especially for nonresidents.
1	Disappointed that the tennis courts were removed from City Park.
1	Doing great with what is provided ! Keep up the great work! Thanks for all you do for all of us!
1	Don't do away with swimming, diving, and lesson spaces, or open swim spaces. A splash pad isn't a substitute even if it is a place to cool off or will save money.
1	Focus on neighborhood programs for kids and families. Encourage the use of parks to build strong communities where people come together to play, to picnic, and to relax in a safe and well maintained area of natural beauty.

Count	Response
1	Generally do a good job. They should be commended.
1	Go look at Lake Butte de Morts causeway American Indian team and it's educational kiosks etc. All of it was all my idea. I think that Appleton should create something in downtown Appleton and elsewhere in the city that reflect that kind of American history and art and architecture.
1	Good job keep it up
1	Great job... hope you can continue this!
1	Great staff. Thanks for the pleasant experiences.
1	Have had many positive experiences in the past.
1	Homeless loitering in park MUST BE STOPPED. Gay men having sex in park bathrooms and homeless people defecating in parks is appalling. At this point, I don't consider our parks safe for children, and I don't feel safe in them alone.
1	Hope you continue the band concerts in Pierce Park. I have taken my grandsons as young as 4 and they really enjoy them.
1	I am super excited to see the changes that happen with Erb pool. The residents in the neighborhood love the pool. It is in a beautiful park.
1	I believe the lack of parking is a huge issue for the future of the golf course.
1	I disagree with the no alcohol policy at parks. Our family use to go to Peabody park with friends every weekend the kids played parents cooked out and had a few drinks. As an adult we continued the tradition to create memories for our kids. In my opinion just because a few adults are not responsible you have taken away casual get togethers for all!
1	I don't have kids so this isn't really my area.
1	I enjoy the programs, especially for my young child, but the downtown City Center is inconvenient in terms of accessibility, parking, cost, etc.
1	I enjoy their adult walking tours
1	I have a strong concern for the use of pesticides/herbicides and any other chemicals being sprayed down on public lands where our kids play. There are alternatives to controlling invasive weeds and pests that don't have detrimental health side affects. Plus, there are so many medicinal herbs growing in our parks that many would love to feel good about wild crafting... or educating others about!
1	I have none.
1	I like all the parks. Love them.
1	I like the Appleton parks, and would consider them to be a strong point.
1	I look forward to the expansion of rugby in our community!

Count Response

1	I love our parks and wish I could walk in them more, but I can't bring the dog so I stick to streets or go to High Cliff
1	I love what the Parks & Rec dept. does for our community!
1	I loved yoga in the park last year!
1	I really think the P&R department is doing a fine job. We just need to keep it going, especially for the younger generations.
1	I think APRD does a great job and offers a lot of fine programs. We'd take part in more, we just have young children - once they get older, we certainly will take part in more. My wife is very interested in paddleboard yoga. Perhaps a city-wide sports Olympics would be cool? More things to get more people into the parks (which are great)? Also, doing a great job of getting the word out on all the programs would be great - Facebook is good, but if there's a way to post a community calendar with everything (emphasis on EVERYTHING) going on in the area (if there's not already), that would be cool.
1	I think Appleton has a stellar Parks and Rec Dept. I'm from the Milwaukee area and moved here only 2 years ago. I was to tally amazed by all Appleton has to offer.
1	I think Appleton should have a public shooting range.
1	I think Park & Rec does a wonderful job. As a resident, need to make sure I find out about all the programs offered.
1	I think for our existing programs and leadership they work hard, really listen, and implement well.
1	I think it's great!
1	I think park maintenance is really important for safety reasons and for recreation reasons. I think our parks are in pretty good shape, but there is always room for improvement. A park along the riverfront would be so wonderful. Jones Park is nice but it doesn't really have a view of the river.
1	I think the park & rec dept does a fine job for the children of Appleton.
1	I think they do an AMAZING job!
1	I think this is one of our key benefits within Appleton and at the very least, I don't want to see the benefits reduced through park closures or reduction in usage.
1	I think we're very fortunate to have such a great program in our area.
1	I wish the parks would be cleaner. It breaks my heart to go to parks and they are covered in trash. I know that none of your fault but it just looks so bad.
1	I would like the river to be more accessible and have more activities available to enjoy it
1	I would like to be able to walk my dog or allow him to be (responsibly) off leash in city parks.
1	I would like to see Parks and Recs sponsor a community garden program.
1	I would like to see community gardens stressed more.

Count Response

1 I would like to see the flag raised again at Alicia Park for Alice Conkey Reid. It would be great to partner with Appleton Historical Society to get that done.

1 If the taxes go up from all of this so called improvements I will leave the state.

1 If this a short survey, what is a long survey? I want to give good feedback, but man this was LONG. Sorry I gave some crap answers, but I need to get on with my day.

1 In general, I am happy with the quality and quantity of city parks. I am glad that Appleton offers a variety of venues and programs for families and individuals.

1 In what we pay in property taxes, should doesn't show in the recreation part of the department. You work force of high school students is pathetic... not good with children... they do not interact, just sit on their phones and whittle the time away, collecting their pay check while my child gets NOTHING out of the class.

1 Increased and early advertising.

1 Install AED's

1 It is truly fantastic! I should probably take advantage more....

1 Just a thank you for all the work done in our behalf

1 Just consider adding grand chute as a resident price, the kids out there are offered nothing really.

1 Keep costs down for classes.

1 Keep eyes out for litter and drinking in City Park

1 Keep the neighborhood baseball fields and tennis courts. Don't turn Lions Park into a retention pond. Need more parks.

1 Keep things clean and updated

1 Keep up the good work

1 Keep up the good work!

1 Keep up the good work.

1 Keep up the work.

1 LOVE the Friday kids sessions, children's carnival, park week. Wish Grand Chute had reciprocity.

1 Let us bring our dogs for goodness sake.

1 Love Memorial Park

1 Many unique parks of all sizes scattered around appleton. Neat to discover.

1 Maybe more activities for retired people?

Count	Response
1	More dedicated running paths. I don't feel safe running on the road or stopping at each traffic light. The river has more potential.
1	More diversity than just sports. Not enough music, literature, arts, natural world non-competitive opportunities for kids. If they don't have access to appreciating the natural world, what are we teaching?
1	More hockey rinks and winter activities
1	More open swim for adults
1	More playgrounds with turf surface under the playground equipment
1	Most parks are kept clean and appealing.
1	Move park and receive classes out of the cm city centre, not convenient to have to pay for parking and climb stairs.
1	My son is part of a group that meets most Sunday afternoons in Peabody park and they often find the bathrooms are locked. They hop in a car and come to my house a few blocks away to use my facilities, but others simply pee in the bushes. Please keep bathrooms unlocked during the daytime when folks will be using the parks. Thanks!
1	Needs more police officers driving through them...
1	Niki Wendt is a tremendous ambassador for the Park and Recreation Department
1	No answer.
1	No comment
1	No more drinking in the parks without a permit! Scared in the early am to go to park
1	None
1	None
1	None at this time
1	None.
1	Not to charge Grand Chute as a nonresident to participate in programs
1	Nothing
1	Nothing comes to mind.
1	Open the parks for leashed dogs with responsible owners.
1	Out of town residents should not have to pay way more money for things
1	Overall great

Count	Response
1	Overall parks are done well.
1	Overall, I love the parks, especially for young kids. I think some improvements can be made to help cater to older kids and to help keep park goers safer from people who do not appear to be there for use of the park so much as to sell/consume drugs/alcohol
1	Overall, the city parks are pretty nice. Erb is the best kept and the nicest.
1	Overall, they offer a lot. Probably have not taken full advantage of what can be used.
1	PLEASE go back to another option for winter swimming. Appleton West pool sucks!! We used to have both north and east as options. PLEASE reconsider!!!
1	Park and rec are have great programs for kids. We enjoy what they have to offer and it is reasonable to join(if you live in the city).
1	Parks and Rec seems to be good use of money. It gives back to EVERYONE in the community should they want a place to go.
1	Pay more attention to young professionals and the new way we do business - the old ways of doing things are working less and less. Change ahead of the curve.
1	Peabody Park needs to be more accessible. Handicap people cannot get to the river, there are no sidewalks, so dangerous with cars parked, cars driving and people walking on the road. No canoe or kayak access. Except for lights no updates have been done to Peabody Park.
1	Please consider working families and have more opportunities on weekends.
1	Please continue to maintain them at the level that's behind done now
1	Please find a way to keep some sledding at Erb Park and not have a possibly dangerous storm water retention pond within the park.
1	Please give more hockey opportunities
1	Please keep Erb pool
1	Please keep it active and affordable for young families!
1	Please lower the cost for Grand Chute residents
1	Please, no pesticides or chemicals. We are poisoning the children of this city who play in that grass.
1	Pools should be open longer! Close too early in August. They should be open until Labor Day. Difficult to get a hold of Parks & Rec. City seems to give this dept short end of the stick - taking away offices, etc. We VALUE recreation & parks in this community!! Please fund accordingly!
1	Programs sound good.
1	Really do not use since not a resident of Appleton
1	Reasonable prices for activities at this time. I like that

Count Response

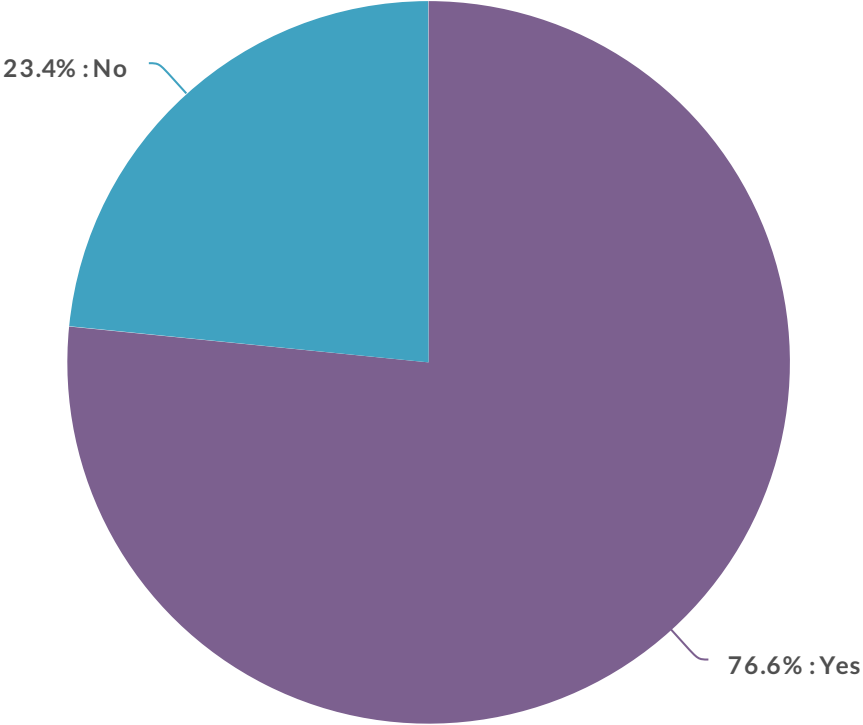
- 1 Regarding the recently remodeled Banta Bowl: (not sure if this is the right place to post this). The new PA system they installed is obnoxiously loud. I never noticed it in the 20 years we've lived in this neighborhood, but now it is a nuisance. People living in River Heath or along the river near there probably hate it. If the Foremost site gets redeveloped into residences, they'll hate it too. I know some downtown bars have had to re-adjust with reasonable noise ordinances for outdoor live music, perhaps this place needs to be looked at as well.
- 1 Reid is a gem. I hope it runs better this year.
- 1 Safety is an issue. Hoover Park has large groups of teens present frequently.
- 1 Seek the opinion of those closest to the action. Survey, question and talk to those currently using your programs on how to improve. Don't worry about what other communities are doing.
- 1 Seriously. We have catered to the very few bike riders enough.
- 1 So pleased with the improvement and growth of the Baseball/ Softball program last year!
- 1 Some of the parks are old and in need of repair
- 1 Some parks are never visited. Close them and add more to the parks that are visited more.
- 1 Stop park names after real people!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
- 1 Thank you for all of your creative ideas and hard work for us! We appreciate you!!! :-)
- 1 Thank you for allowing me to share my wishes for Appleton!
- 1 Thank you!
- 1 Thank-you for listening to the community on the Erb Park pool project !
- 1 Thanks for the people who work at the department with their great communication skills
- 1 The Gassner fiasco requires an apology, even if not public. To lose that many happy, loyal customers is a tragedy.
- 1 The Green Bay area has 5 very active ice rinks with hockey boards in the winter and takes very good care of the ice. the entire Fox cities really only has one - Jones park - which by far has the most ideal location for outdoor ice but does not seem to get the resources and attention it needs to really be a great community asset.
- 1 The Reid changes a few years back were handled poorly and many citizens are angry.
- 1 The abundance of parks in Appleton is a very good thing. It's a shame they're not used more.
- 1 The bathrooms need to be updated and open for more of the year
- 1 The city parks I have used are very well maintained and serve a variety of ages.
- 1 The dance program was a little too watered down for our little one so we switched to ultimate fusion. Would like to see a higher level of training in all of the sports and fitness programs.

Count	Response
1	The kids need to get out more and be active, but society says its not safe.. more marketing toward the Park & Recs Dept. would encourage parents to get involved. have like an opening week to meet the counselors.
1	The more trails and outdoor spaces to relax, the better!
1	The playground program is such an amazing community program. I hope it continues forever!
1	The popular programs seem to fill up very quickly.
1	The website is not very friendly to navigate. The visual layout can be confusing.
1	The workers do a great job. We could use more direction (like this survey) in the future.
1	There are lots of verbal hate/prejudice statements that is aimed at Hmong patrons. Many feel powerless and do not use these facilities.
1	There should be at least an hour per day of lap swimming at the 2 outdoor pools.
1	They do a good job of maintaining facilities and grounds and the people are friendly when I see them.
1	They do an excellent job of offering a variety of programs at an affordable price.
1	They need to do a better job with social media.
1	They seem to be kept up nicely
1	Though things can always be improved, the parks are wonderful. Thank you for your hard work.
1	Unsure
1	Very easy to work with when needing to adjust classes.
1	Want more information on programs currently offered. I feel like we don't have enough information to fully participate.
1	We actually have a City of Menasha address, but home is in the Appleton School District attendance area. We have to pay out of city fees for our children to participate in activities with their friends from school. I wish this could change.
1	We have been happy with everything we have ever done through park and rec... Great job!!
1	We have been very impressed with the programming offered by the City Parks and Recreation Department. We especially enjoy the summer fun runs and the movies on the hill.
1	We like the outdoor movies and Ice skating during the holidays. There are events which we go to that we aren't sure it APR is in charge of. Someday I would like to take park in the Travel adventures, but I have to work.
1	We need more opportunities to stay and get active in the cool parts of the year. Generally, the weather from November to April is not very conducive to playing outdoors at the parks with small children and I don't feel there are a lot of great options, other than ones that cost families too much for it to be a regular activity.
1	Website for registration is a little clunky.

Count Response

1	Wish tennis doubles league didn't have to be mixed. Would also be cool if they somehow partnered up with racquet clubs to offer discounted indoor court rental or something like that.
1	Would be nice to have bathrooms at the parks open during the winter months, especially for runners.
1	Would like to be able to walk my dog through the parks, Riverside Park in Menasha has dog bags throughout that help those who forget a bag to clean up after their dogs
1	You do a great job.
1	You guys are doing a good job
1	You guys do a great job!
1	You need to allow people to bring their dogs on leash to the parks.
1	build the new library. Have council and library board visit a new library in cities the size of Appleton so they can understand the value for the community
1	i am low income so finding cheap entertainment is hard. i would get my kids involved in summer activities if i could afford it. britten beach is free concerts are free, I like palman park play area, talulas water area for fishing, we like the water front and seeing the new residents(pelicans) but there is much of the river that we can not go too. like under collage ave bridge on the west side. as a kid we use to go fishing there all the time. now it is closed off. I would love to be part of a group talk on Appleton possibilities
1	never should have left Witzke
1	not applicable
1	opportunities need to be better advertised--often hear of things after the fact
1	see above
1	smaller class sizes in swimming lessons
1	uninspired...stuck due to budget constraints
1	use dollars wisely
1	very impressed with the soccer and basketball programs so far. Don't love that the parks are leaning to the "fake" turf. Prefer the playgrounds with woodchips and "old school" playground equipment.
1	we are excited about the new erb pool!
1	we have always had a great experience with park and rec activities

44. Would you like to leave your email or phone number and be automatically entered into a drawing to win a \$100 gift certificate from Appleton Downtown Incorporated?



Value	Percent	Count
Yes	76.6%	698
No	23.4%	213
Total		911

45. Please leave your phone number or email address below



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1	(608)347-8665, Davis.force@gmail.com
1	(920) 460-1428
1	(920) 841-0356
1	(920) 993-0330
1	(920)574-6327 brennen_ward@aol.com
1	1-920-615-5773
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1	1cdstorm@ameritech.net
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1	920 739 2870 (call or text)
1	920 843 4698
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