

## 2005 RESIDENT SURVEY

SENT OUT            1328  
**REPLIED**            **581**  
 NO RESPONSE      747

**44% RESPONDED TO THE SURVEY**

***Average number of years living in the Township= 19.5***

Under 10 years    162  
 Under 20 years   155  
 Under 30 years    71  
 Under 40 years    74  
 Under 50 years    34  
 50 + years        23  
 519 responded to this question (90%)

<b>PARKS AND RECREATION</b>	<b>VERY IMPORTANT</b>	<b>SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT</b>	<b>NOT IMPORTANT</b>
Belle River Canoe Livery 520 responded (90%)	76 15%	211 41%	233 45%
Recreation Center and Pool 539 responded (93%)	192 36%	204 38%	143 27%
Concession Sales in the Park 531 responded (91%)	56 11%	192 36%	283 53%
Park Maintenance 561 responded (97%)	435 78%	112 20%	14 2%

<b>GENERAL</b>	<b>VERY IMPORTANT</b>	<b>SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT</b>	<b>NOT IMPORTANT</b>
Water & Sewer Infrastructure <i>(expansion for new subdivisions)</i> 540 responded (93%)	228 42%	180 33%	132 24%
Historical – Red Brick School 483 responded (83%)	128 27%	213 44%	142 29%
Increasing Police Service 523 responded (90%)	226 43%	212 41%	85 16%
Summer Recreation Program 548 responded (94%)	217 40%	257 47%	74 14%
	<b>SATISFIED</b>	<b>NEEDS IMPROVEMENT</b>	<b>NOT SATISFIED</b>
Building & Zoning Issues 441 responded (76%)	287 65%	112 25%	42 10%
Cemetery Services 374 responded (64%)	337 90%	31 8%	6 2%

Current Police Service 530 responded (91%)	345 65%	159 30%	26 5%
Service by Township Staff 535 responded (92%)	475 89%	49 9%	11 2%
Park Pavilion Reservations 411 responded (71%)	366 89%	35 9%	10 2%
Ordinance Enforcement 480 responded (83%)	345 72%	100 21%	35 7%
Street Repairs 437 responded (75%)	234 54%	148 34%	55 13%

## WEBSITE INFORMATION

	SATISFIED	NEEDS IMPROVEMENT	NOT SATISFIED
Property Tax Information 403 responded (69%)	347 86%	47 12%	9 2%
Assessing Information 294 responded (51%)	220 75%	55 19%	19 6%
General Information 386 responded (66%)	346 90%	36 9%	4 1%
Do you visit the township website 493 responded (85%)	Yes 84 17%	NO 327 66%	sometimes 82 17%

## REFUSE COLLECTION

	SATISFIED	NEEDS IMPROVEMENT	NOT SATISFIED
527 responded (91%)	503 95%	23 4%	1 1%
	VERY IMPORTANT	SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	NOT IMPORTANT
Separate Fall Leaf Collection 523 responded (90%)	256 49%	177 34%	90 17%
Extending Yard Waste Collection 484 responded (83%)	224 46%	167 35%	93 19%
Annual Community Clean-Up Day 533 responded (92%)	370 69%	136 26%	27 5%
Read the Township Newsletter 530 responded (91%)	Yes 474 89%	No 14 3%	Sometimes 42 8%
Watch Cable Channel 6 542 responded (93%)	232 43%	165 30%	145 27%

Read the <u>Voice</u> Newspaper 550 responded (95%)	480 87%	20 4%	50 9%
Feel Township Board meetings should be televised 481 responded (83%)	263 55%	155 32%	63 13%
Raise taxes to fund water & water & sewer expansion for new subdivisions 514 responded (88%)	22 4%	465 90%	27 5%
Note: Many had multiple responses to this one Dispose of fall leaves by	<b>Yard Waste Collection</b> 310	<b>Burning</b> 195	<b>Composting</b> 120