

**Department of Municipal Affairs and Environment
Municipal Legislation Review
Polling Data: Regional Sessions May – June 2018**

Total Sessions
10*

Total Participants
129

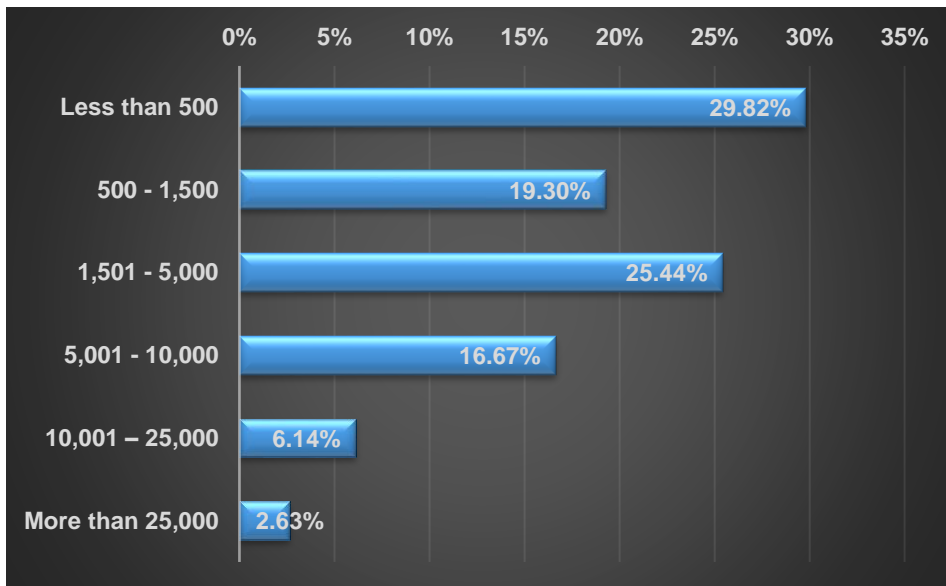
Questions
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Notes for understanding data:

- Raw polling data from all sessions* were merged thus the summaries presented below represent combined results.
 - The percentage reported reflects the percentage of votes, which is not necessarily the same as the percentage of participants.
 - Not all participants answered all polling questions
 - Some questions allowed for multiple responses and participants could select as many options as they feel apply.
 - Priority Ranking (used for question 4) uses weighted data (i.e. the first answer selected is worth more votes than the second answer selected and so on).
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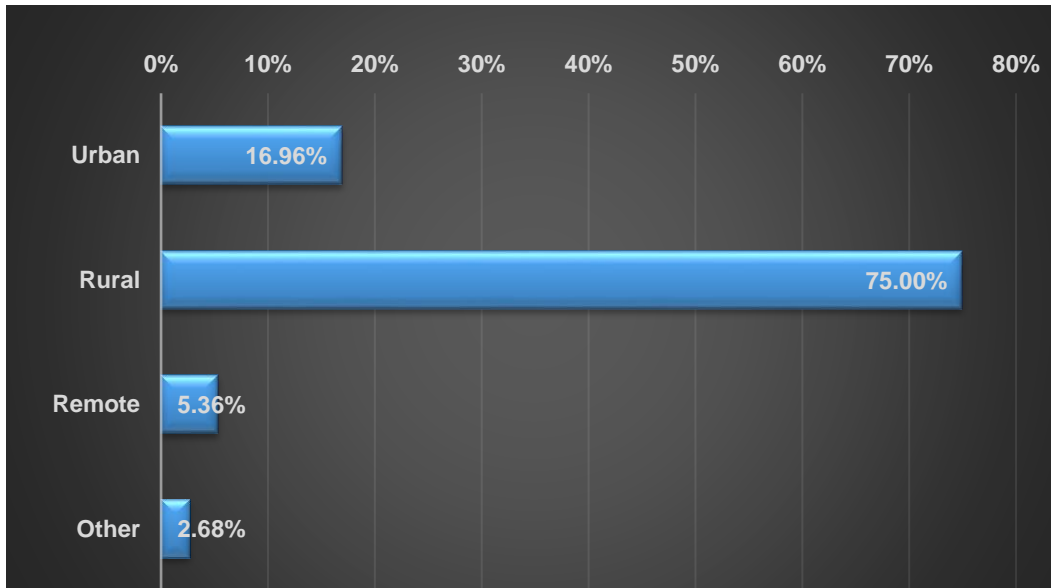
Results by Question

1. The community I live in has a population of about:

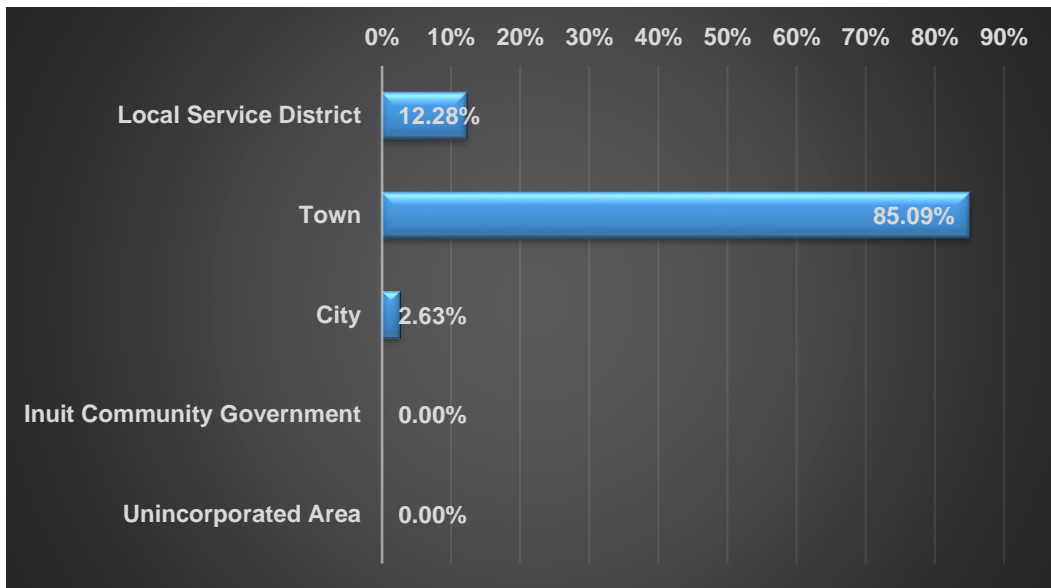


* Due to technical issues, raw polling data from the St. Anthony session are unavailable and cannot be merged with the data from other sessions. As a result, the St. Anthony session is excluded from this report. The department does, however, have summarized polling results from this session which will be considered during the review process.

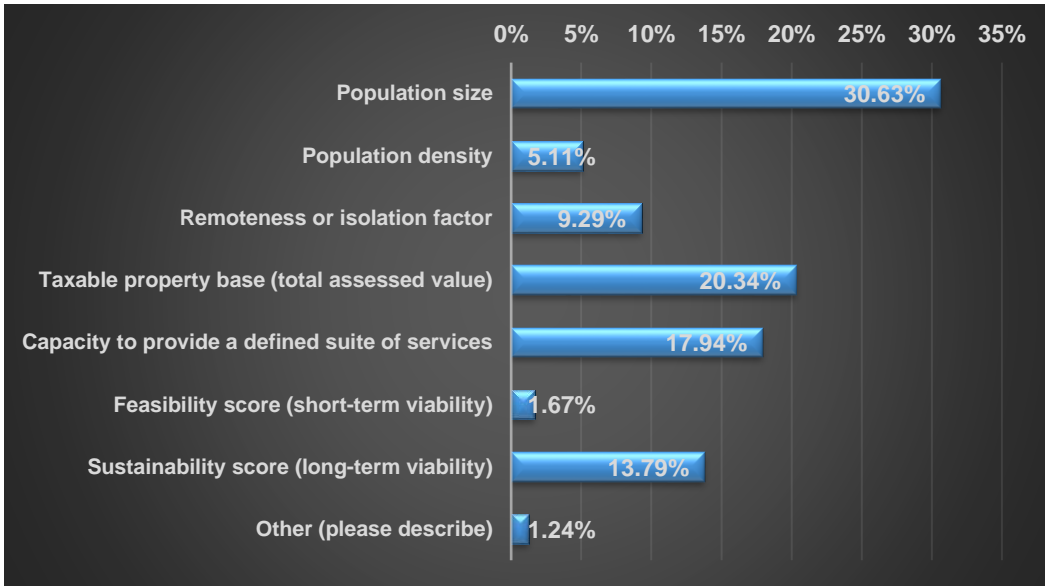
2. I would describe my community as:



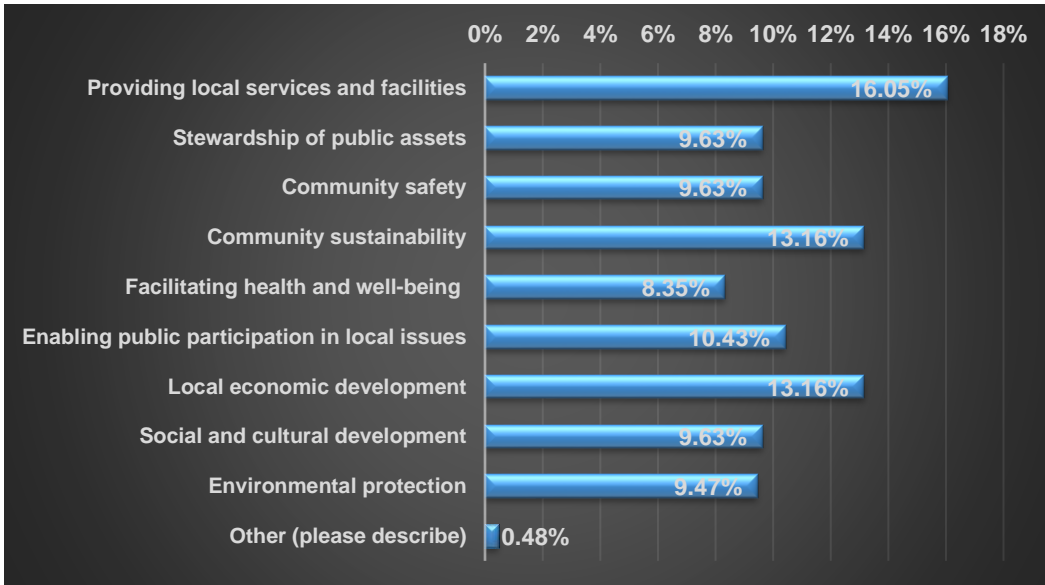
3. My community is designated as a:



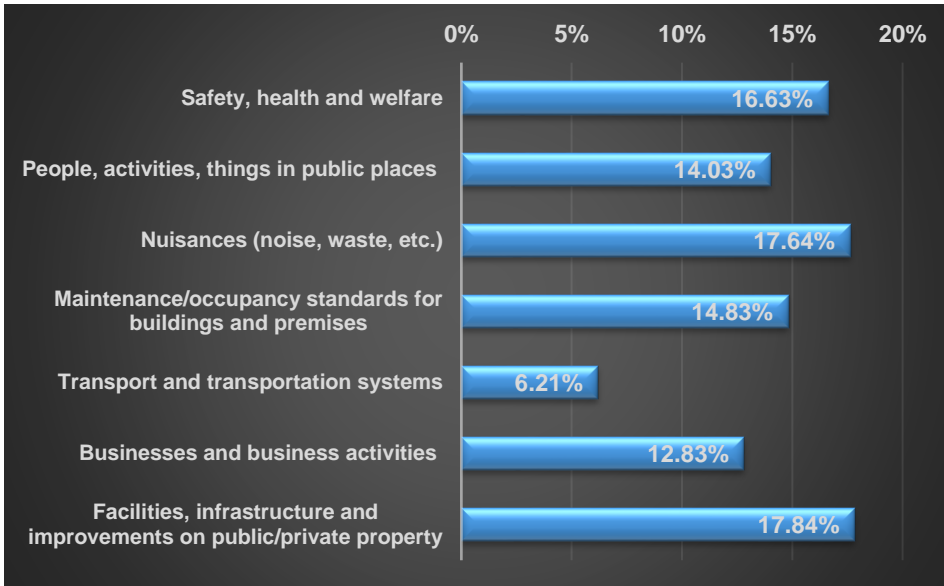
4. If municipal designations (e.g. city, town, local service district) were defined by criteria, what would be the most useful measures? (Pick top 3) (Priority Ranking)



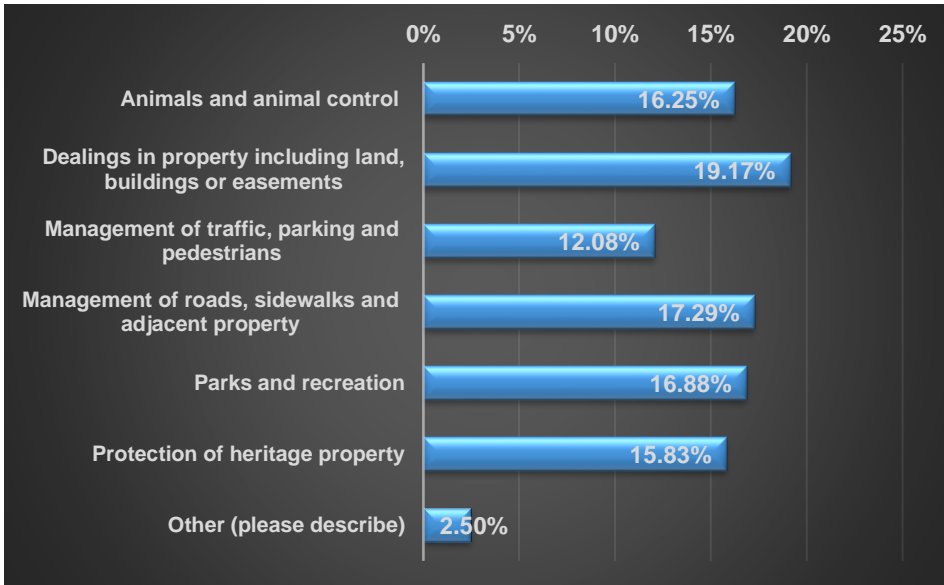
5. In addition to providing good governance, what should be used to define municipal purposes in NL? (Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)



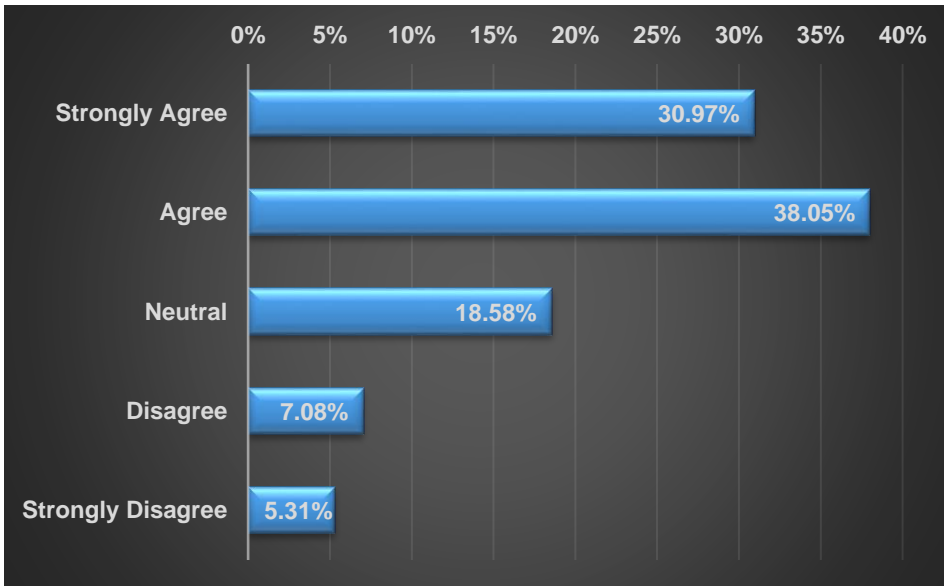
6. Broad powers in the following areas would be valuable to my community: (Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)



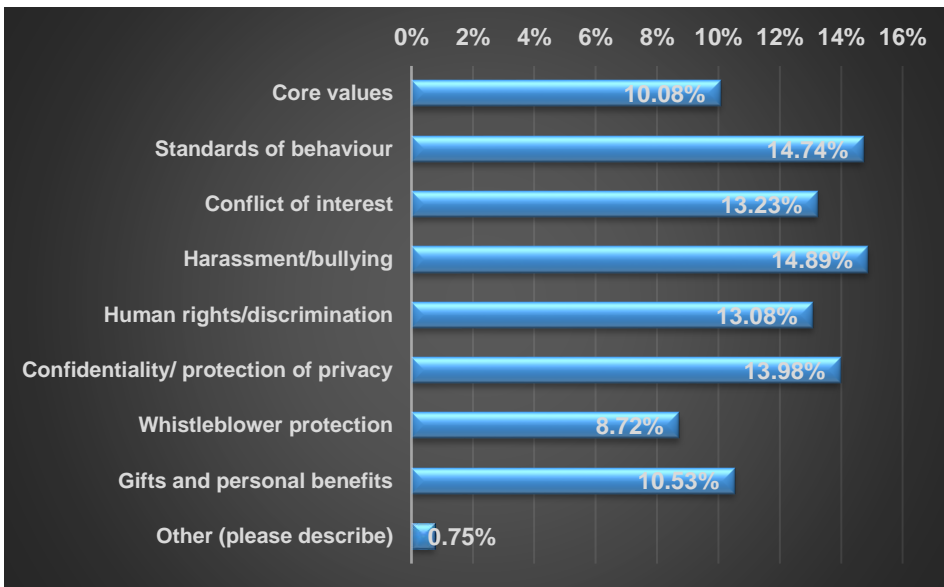
7. Broad powers in the following areas would be valuable to my community: (Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)



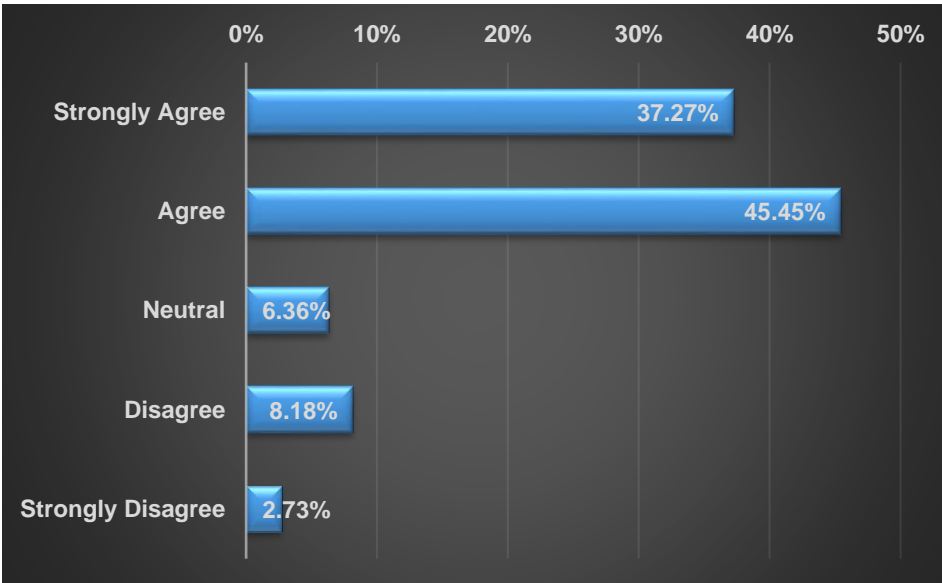
8. My community has the capacity to accept more flexibility and autonomy.



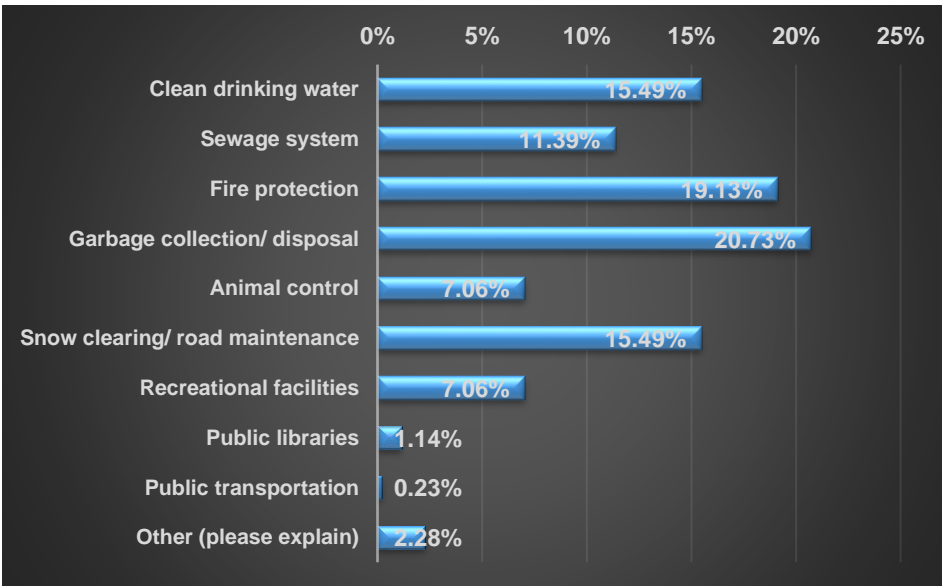
**9. What topics should be included in a Code of Conduct? (Select all that apply)
(Multiple Response)**



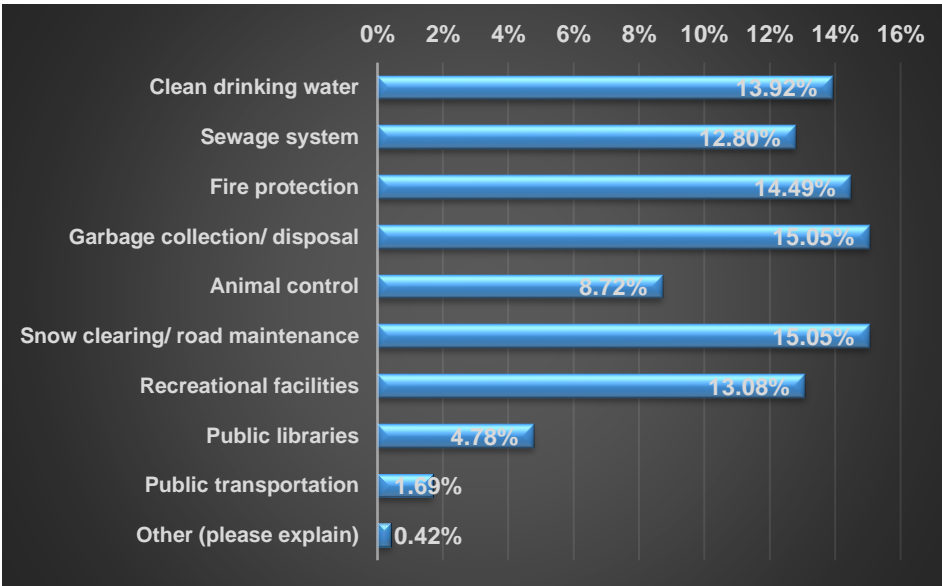
10. Minimum standards for services should be established to improve consistency of service delivery throughout the province.



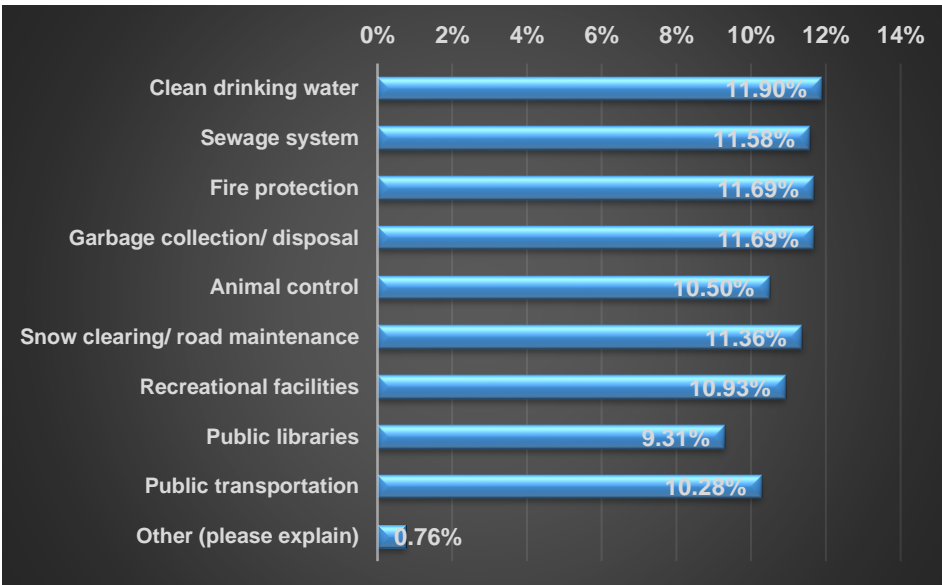
11. What minimum core services should residents be able to expect from a LOCAL SERVICE DISTRICT? (Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)



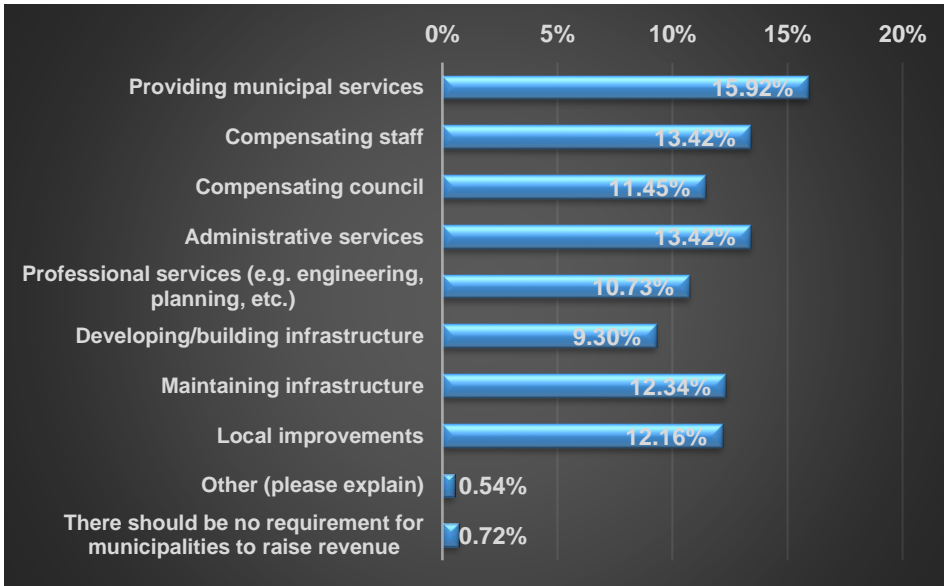
**12. What minimum core services should residents be able to expect from a TOWN?
(Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)**



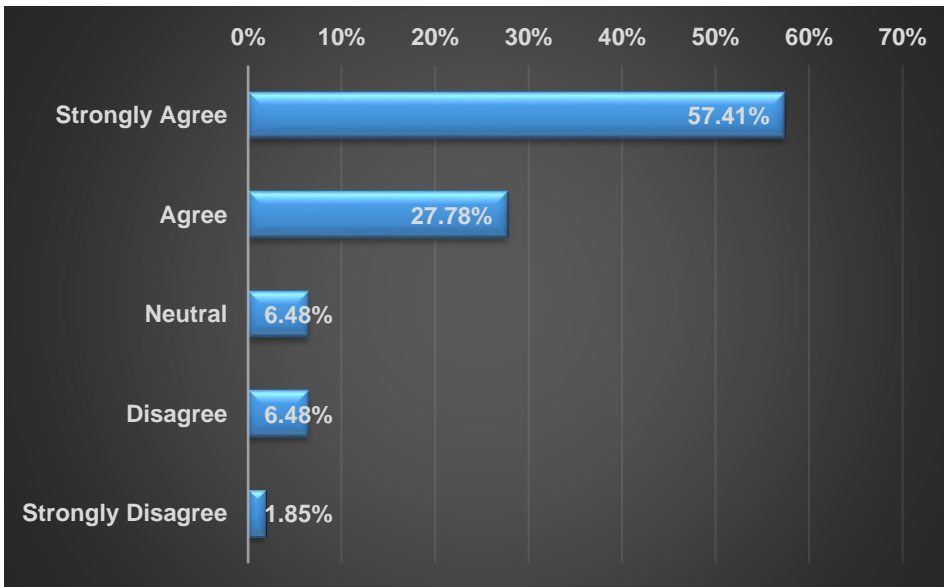
**13. What minimum core services should residents be able to expect from a CITY?
(Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)**



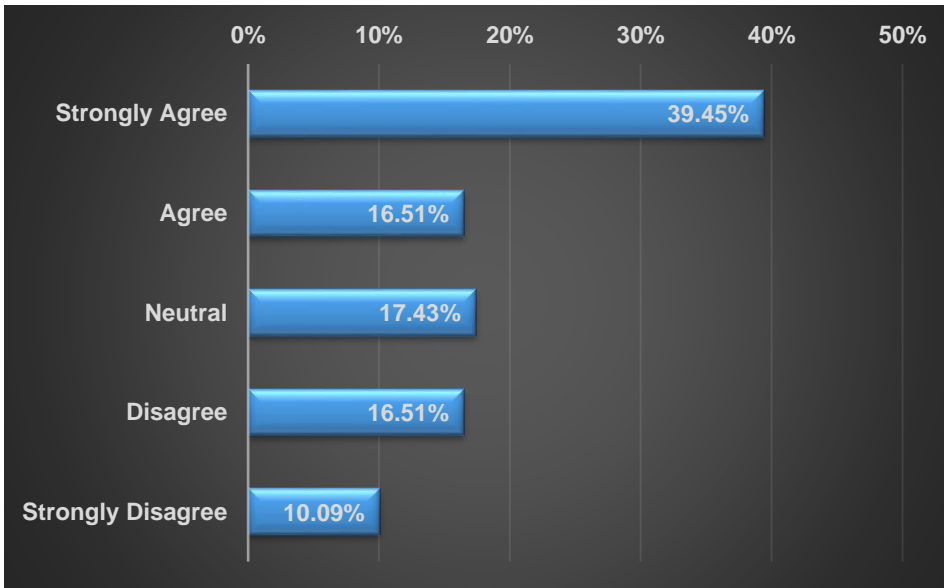
**14. Municipalities should be required to raise own-source revenues adequate for:
(Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)**



15. Municipalities should be required to collect property taxes.



16. The option to collect poll taxes should be eliminated.



17. Municipalities should have the authority to apply tax exemptions or discounts for: (Choose all that apply) (Multiple Response)

