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Comparisons by Demographic Subgroups

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About

The National Community Survey™ (The NCS™) is a collaborative effort between National Research Center, Inc. (NRC) and the International City/County Management Association (ICMA). The survey and its administration are standardized to assure high quality research methods and directly comparable results across The NCS communities. Communities conducting The NCS can choose from a number of optional services to customize the reporting of survey results. Middletown’s Comparisons by Demographic Subgroups is part of a larger project for the Town and additional reports are available under separate cover. This report discusses differences in opinion of survey respondents by education level, housing tenure (rent or own), monthly housing cost, annual household income, and age.

Understanding the Tables

For most of the questions, one number appears for each question. Responses have been summarized to show only the proportion of respondents giving a certain answer; for example, the percent of respondents who rated the quality of life as “excellent” or “good,” or the percent of respondents who participated in an activity at least once. It should be noted that when a table that does include all responses (not a single number) for a question that only permitted a single response does not total to exactly 100%, it is due to the common practice of percentages being rounded to the nearest whole number.

The subgroup comparison tables contain the crosstabulations of survey questions by selected respondent characteristics. Chi-square or ANOVA tests of significance were applied to these breakdowns of survey questions. A “p-value” of 0.05 or less indicates that there is less than a 5% probability that differences observed between groups are due to chance; or in other words, a greater than 95% probability that the differences observed in the selected categories of the sample represent “real” differences among those populations. As subgroups vary in size and each group (and each comparison to another group) has a unique margin of error, statistical testing is used to determine whether differences between subgroups are statistically significant. Statistical testing was not performed on multiple response questions.

Each column in the following tables is labeled with a letter for each subgroup being compared. The “Overall” column, which shows the ratings for all respondents, also has a column designation of “(A)”, but no statistical tests were done for the overall rating.

For each pair of subgroups ratings within a row (a single question item) that has a statistically significant difference, an upper case letter denoting significance is shown in the cell with the larger column proportion. The letter denotes the subgroup with the smaller column proportion from which it is statistically different. Subgroups that have no upper case letter denotation in their column and that are also not referred to in any other column were not statistically different.

For example, in Figure 1 below, respondents age 55 and over (C) gave significantly higher rating to the overall quality of life than those age 18 to 34 (A) and 35 to 54 (B), as denoted by the “A B” listed in the cell of the ratings for those 55+. This was also true of women (A) over men (B); people who were white alone, not Hispanic (A) over those who were Hispanic and/or other race (B); homeowners (B) over renters (A); and those living in detached housing (A) over those living in attached housing (B).

Figure 1: Community Characteristics – General (Example Only)

	Age			Sex		Race/ethnicity		Housing tenure		Housing unit type		Overall
	18-34 (A)	35-54 (B)	55+ (C)	Female (A)	Male (B)	White alone, not Hispanic (A)	Hispanic and/or other race (B)	Rent (A)	Own (B)	Detached (A)	Attached (B)	
Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)												
The overall quality of life in ABC	76%	78% A	82% A B	79% B	77%	81% B	71%	73%	81% A	79% B	76%	78%
Overall image or reputation of ABC	69%	69%	73% A B	71% B	69%	72% B	64%	68%	71% A	69%	71% A	70%
ABC as a place to live	81%	84% A	87% A B	85% B	83%	86% B	78%	79%	86% A	85% B	82%	84%

Findings

Notable differences between demographic subgroups included the following:

- Respondents who had completed some college or a college degree (Associate, Bachelor's, graduate or professional) were more likely to participate in activities within the facets of Mobility), Recreation and Wellness, and Education and Enrichment when compared to respondents who had completed high school/GED or less education. Furthermore, residents who had completed high school/GED or less education were more likely to be under housing cost stress than residents who had completed higher levels of education.
- When differences were significant, renters gave less favorable reviews to the overall feeling of safety in Middletown, police/sheriff services, fire services and ambulance or emergency medical services than residents who owned their home. Renters were more likely to indicate that the overall feeling of safety in Middletown was an important focus area for the Town in the coming years than residents who owned their home. Conversely, respondents who owned their home were more likely to plan to remain in Middletown for the next five years and to have contacted the Town of Middletown for help or information.
- Patterns for differences based on monthly housing costs were difficult to discern; however, community members with monthly housing costs of less than \$999 assigned more positive scores to opportunities to participate in community matters than those who had monthly housing costs of \$1,000 or more. Respondents with less than \$999 of monthly housing costs also awarded higher marks to some aspects of government performance, including the value of services for the taxes paid to Middletown, overall confidence in Middletown government, being honest, and treating all residents fairly.
- When differences were noted by annual household income, residents with an annual household income of \$50,000 or more were more likely to have used Middletown recreation centers or their services, eaten at least 5 portions of fruits and vegetables a day, participated in moderate or vigorous physical activity, and reported being in very good or excellent health than residents with an annual household income of less than \$50,000. Furthermore, residents with an annual household income of less than \$50,000 gave lower ratings to health and wellness opportunities in Middletown than residents with a higher annual household income.
- Residents aged 55 or older tended to give higher marks to some aspects within the facets of Economy, Recreation and Wellness, and Education and Enrichment compared to residents aged 18-54. Additionally, residents aged 55 or older assigned more favorable ratings to the sense of community in Middletown and were more likely to plan to remain in Middletown for the next five years than younger residents.

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Table 1: Community Characteristics - General

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
The overall quality of life in Middletown	85%	79%	95% B	80%	84%	86%	74%	83%	82%	86%	83%	83%	76%	81%	87% A	82%
Overall image or reputation of Middletown	84% B	65%	73%	68%	70%	79%	65%	67%	68%	73%	68%	70%	52%	69% A	78% A	69%
Middletown as a place to live	82%	90%	100% A B	92%	90%	91%	86%	92%	90%	88%	91%	92%	86%	91%	93%	91%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	83%	84%	91%	82%	88% A	85% B	68%	89% B	90% B	77%	88% A	82%	84%	82%	89%	85%
Middletown as a place to raise children	83%	79%	88%	78%	82%	70%	79%	86% A D	75%	84%	81%	71%	69%	78%	89% A B	80%
Middletown as a place to retire	68% B	46%	57%	54%	49%	59%	43%	47%	55%	62% B	46%	48%	42%	40%	65% A B	52%
Overall appearance of Middletown	63%	63%	65%	70% B	60%	73% B	52%	64%	66%	70%	64%	66%	50%	63% A	74% A B	65%

Table 2: Community Characteristics - Safety

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Overall feeling of safety in Middletown	97%	91%	100% B	90%	96% A	98% B C	88%	90%	98% B C	97% B	90%	100% B	78%	98% A	96% A	93%
In your neighborhood during the day	91%	96%	100% A	97%	96%	95%	97%	96%	97%	96%	96%	100%	94%	99%	95%	96%
In Middletown's downtown/commercial area during the day	94%	93%	93%	94%	92%	96%	95%	91%	95%	95%	91%	97%	83%	97% A	93% A	93%

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Table 3: Community Characteristics - Mobility

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Overall ease of getting to the places you usually have to visit	67%	74%	82%	76%	75%	74%	71%	74%	79%	73%	74%	82%	76%	74%	76%	75%
Traffic flow on major streets	42%	35%	33%	32%	39%	33%	29%	34%	42%	46% B	31%	42%	26%	33%	43% A	35%
Ease of public parking	47%	56% C	34%	53%	51%	40%	48%	60% A	51%	60%	54%	49%	62% B	47%	53%	52%
Ease of travel by car in Middletown	50%	54%	54%	51%	54%	40%	51%	59% A	50%	60%	52%	56%	56%	48%	56%	53%
Ease of travel by public transportation in Middletown	48%	30%	34%	40%	29%	32%	45% D	36%	19%	33%	39%	22%	56% B C	24%	33%	33%
Ease of travel by bicycle in Middletown	31% B	16%	24%	20%	17%	16%	38% A C D	15%	13%	30% B C	18%	12%	18%	16%	22%	18%
Ease of walking in Middletown	46% B	26%	29%	34% B	24%	29% D	35% D	33% D	15%	35% C	31% C	13%	21%	26%	35% A B	28%
Availability of paths and walking trails	36%	38% C	24%	28%	43% A	48% D	38%	38% D	25%	40%	38%	30%	30%	31%	47% A B	37%

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Table 4: Community Characteristics - Natural Environment

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Quality of overall natural environment in Middletown	75%	77%	84%	72%	82% A	86% C	72%	70%	85% B C	78%	75%	87% B	68%	73%	87% A B	78%
Air quality	71%	81%	92% A B	80%	84%	87%	74%	78%	90% B C	82%	81%	94% A B	74%	82%	86% A	82%
Cleanliness of Middletown	62%	70%	72%	67%	73%	84% B C	62%	64%	76% B C	71%	68%	84% B	49%	72% A	79% A	70%

Table 5: Community Characteristics - Built Environment

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Overall "built environment" of Middletown (including overall design, buildings, parks and transportation systems)	51%	41%	36%	48% B	35%	46%	43%	38%	40%	44% C	43% C	29%	51% B	31%	45% B	41%
Public places where people want to spend time	42%	57%	56%	57%	56%	60%	51%	58%	57%	50%	59%	62%	57%	55%	57%	56%
Variety of housing options	47% B	30%	41%	27%	37% A	32%	32%	30%	37%	30%	30%	40%	37%	27%	36%	33%
Availability of affordable quality housing	30% B	13%	25% B	16%	17%	18%	18%	16%	15%	19%	16%	16%	20%	12%	20%	17%
Overall quality of new development in Middletown	32%	29%	36%	38% B	25%	25%	26%	36%	28%	32%	32%	30%	44% B	26%	31%	31%

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Table 6: Community Characteristics - Economy

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Overall economic health of Middletown	63%	55%	67%	61%	54%	56%	52%	55%	62%	63%	55%	63%	56%	45%	70% A B	57%
Middletown as a place to work	70%	56%	64%	58%	59%	75% B C	53%	46%	70% B C	63%	59%	49%	45%	49%	74% A B	59%
Middletown as a place to visit	78%	64%	73%	60%	74% A	75%	61%	63%	72%	71%	63%	77% B	49%	64% A	81% A B	68%
Employment opportunities	37%	32%	29%	40% B	25%	45% D	29%	34% D	17%	25%	37% C	17%	41% B	17%	42% B	32%
Shopping opportunities	61%	46%	47%	46%	50%	53%	44%	48%	44%	54%	48%	40%	38%	45%	56% A B	48%
Cost of living in Middletown	30%	18%	43% B	24%	22%	33% C	25%	14%	28% C	25%	19%	28%	21%	20%	27%	23%
Overall quality of business and service establishments in Middletown	46%	54%	70% A B	57%	54%	50%	59%	57%	53%	55%	54%	63%	55%	53%	59%	55%
Vibrant downtown/commercial area	33%	21%	23%	33% B	14%	27%	15%	19%	30% B C	37% B C	19%	21%	23%	21%	25%	23%

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Table 7: Community Characteristics - Recreation and Wellness

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Health and wellness opportunities in Middletown	62%	65%	66%	72% B	60%	75% C	76% C	56%	65%	78% B C	63%	58%	54%	62%	74% A B	65%
Fitness opportunities (including exercise classes and paths or trails, etc.)	52%	57%	58%	57%	56%	71% C	54%	48%	62% C	62%	55%	64%	45%	54%	66% A B	57%
Recreational opportunities	36%	54% A	65% A	50%	59%	60%	45%	56%	57%	49%	54%	67% A B	52%	51%	60%	55%
Availability of affordable quality food	67%	58%	80% B	59%	66%	76% C D	61%	60%	59%	68%	60%	72%	56%	50%	78% A B	63%
Availability of affordable quality health care	51%	60%	67%	65% B	55%	63%	53%	58%	63%	57%	60%	62%	48%	52%	70% A B	60%
Availability of preventive health services	52%	59%	70%	60%	58%	63%	53%	58%	60%	59%	59%	60%	49%	51%	70% A B	59%
Availability of affordable quality mental health care	42%	50%	58%	56%	44%	47%	43%	50%	49%	47%	47%	60%	38%	50%	53%	49%

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Table 8: Community Characteristics - Education and Enrichment

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Overall opportunities for education and enrichment	62%	48%	53%	52%	48%	50%	61% C	46%	46%	63% B C	49%	39%	42%	39%	63% A B	50%
Availability of affordable quality child care/preschool	46% C	29%	11%	20%	34% A	50% B C D	19%	28%	22%	36%	23%	36%	5%	24% A	54% A B	29%
K-12 education	52%	57%	59%	48%	58%	44%	58%	60%	46%	70% C	55%	49%	46%	49%	66% A B	55%
Adult educational opportunities	48%	38%	35%	45% B	31%	34%	39%	37%	38%	49%	34%	37%	34%	36%	41%	38%
Opportunities to attend cultural/arts/music activities	29%	35%	30%	38%	33%	44%	36%	35%	29%	43% C	37%	26%	27%	32%	42% A	35%

Table 9: Community Characteristics - Community Engagement

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Opportunities to participate in social events and activities	32%	48%	52%	56% B	41%	58% B	39%	47%	47%	46%	48%	48%	45%	46%	50%	47%
Opportunities to volunteer	43%	61%	68% A	57%	59%	55%	52%	60%	60%	58%	58%	62%	46%	59%	63% A	58%
Opportunities to participate in community matters	44%	49%	57%	49%	52%	71% B C D	48%	44%	51%	55%	50%	52%	35%	48%	60% A B	51%

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Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good, very/somewhat safe)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Openness and acceptance of the community toward people of diverse backgrounds	46%	55%	69% A	55%	55%	48%	59%	52%	60%	60%	53%	61%	63%	47%	61% B	55%
Neighborliness of residents in Middletown	64%	59%	68%	61%	59%	52%	55%	57%	70% A C	58%	60%	68%	58%	57%	65%	60%

Table 10: Governance - General

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
The Town of Middletown	62%	71%	81% A	66%	77% A	75%	65%	73%	72%	76%	73%	73%	65%	70%	78% A	72%
The value of services for the taxes paid to Middletown	46%	40%	40%	54% B	36%	61% B C D	41%	42%	34%	59% B C	41%	40%	40%	37%	49% B	43%
The overall direction that Middletown is taking	38%	44%	51%	51%	41%	58% C D	50%	43%	39%	56% B	41%	56% B	52%	40%	48%	46%
The job Middletown government does at welcoming resident involvement	34%	39%	43%	50% B	32%	57% B D	36%	42%	30%	44%	42%	36%	62% B C	31%	40%	40%
Overall confidence in Middletown government	43%	37%	45%	45%	38%	55% B C D	33%	40%	38%	42%	42%	43%	42%	37%	45%	41%

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	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Generally acting in the best interest of the community	43%	43%	51%	49%	43%	60% B	33%	46%	45%	46%	46%	50%	44%	44%	48%	46%
Being honest	51%	46%	51%	53%	46%	67% B C D	41%	47%	45%	56%	45%	57%	50%	44%	54%	49%
Treating all residents fairly	54%	48%	55%	58% B	45%	67% B C D	48%	46%	50%	62% B	46%	58%	56%	45%	55%	51%
Overall customer service by Middletown employees (police, receptionists, planners, etc.)	76%	75%	73%	72%	79%	80%	68%	78%	76%	77%	76%	80%	77%	71%	80% B	76%
The Federal Government	39%	40%	37%	47% B	33%	41%	33%	44%	35%	44%	38%	40%	51% B	32%	42%	39%

Table 11: Governance - Safety

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Police/Sheriff services	91%	84%	92%	80%	92% A	89%	78%	89%	87%	97% B C	85%	86%	83%	82%	93% B	87%
Fire services	100% B	91%	99% B	88%	98% A	92% B	82%	97% B	94% B	100% C	94%	92%	92%	88%	99% A B	93%
Ambulance or emergency medical services	100% B	89%	96%	85%	97% A	96% B	81%	93% B	93% B	99% B	91%	91%	80%	88%	98% A B	91%
Crime prevention	83%	86%	82%	82%	88%	79%	76%	91% B	83%	87%	88%	84%	100% B	79%	89% B	85%

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Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Fire prevention and education	83%	82%	78%	83%	81%	69%	76%	91% A B D	78%	84%	85%	78%	100% B C	75%	85% B	81%
Animal control	57%	64%	52%	67%	58%	52%	60%	65%	60%	70%	61%	62%	64%	58%	65%	62%
Emergency preparedness (services that prepare the community for natural disasters or other emergency situations)	69%	71%	67%	77% B	64%	60%	61%	76% A	70%	74%	70%	69%	77%	64%	73%	70%

Table 12: Governance - Mobility

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Traffic enforcement	66%	56%	65%	63%	55%	46%	63%	63% A	55%	70% C	58%	53%	56%	52%	67% B	59%
Street repair	29%	20%	26%	21%	24%	25%	18%	26%	17%	25%	22%	21%	18%	18%	28% B	23%
Street cleaning	41%	41%	36%	37%	46%	50% B D	31%	48% B D	32%	47%	41%	39%	33%	35%	52% A B	42%
Street lighting	48%	50%	40%	48%	48%	44%	49%	53% D	40%	46%	48%	50%	45%	41%	58% A B	49%
Snow removal	55%	65%	72%	66%	65%	77% B	60%	64%	62%	67%	65%	66%	58%	57%	76% A B	66%
Sidewalk maintenance	36%	29%	29%	33%	29%	31%	30%	36% D	23%	44% B C	31% C	13%	29%	26%	36%	31%
Traffic signal timing	40%	38%	57% B	41%	41%	34%	41%	40%	45%	55% B	37%	42%	46%	35%	43%	41%
Bus or transit services	56%	46%	37%	50%	44%	33%	46%	49%	50%	43%	50%	53%	70% B C	43%	42%	47%

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Table 13: Governance - Natural Environment

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall (A)
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Garbage collection	76%	79%	70%	70%	83% A	77%	65%	79% B	81% B	76%	79%	81%	67%	77%	83% A	78%
Recycling	71%	74%	83%	65%	82% A	80% B	59%	74% B	81% B	68%	76%	84% A	75%	71%	79%	75%
Yard waste pick-up	64%	78%	80%	74%	77%	81% B	64%	76%	79% B	77%	75%	83%	74%	74%	79%	76%
Drinking water	51%	57%	63%	56%	61%	67% B	47%	59%	60%	59%	58%	66%	64%	55%	59%	59%
Preservation of natural areas such as open space, farmlands and greenbelts	70%	64%	70%	68%	65%	75%	63%	66%	61%	66%	67%	68%	74% B	58%	71% B	66%
Middletown open space	71%	56%	62%	55%	62%	65% B	45%	63% B	57%	57%	59%	61%	54%	56%	64%	59%

Table 14: Governance - Built Environment

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall (A)
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Storm drainage	59%	53%	69% B	50%	60%	48%	47%	54%	65% A B	56%	51%	68% B	69% B	47%	59% B	56%
Sewer services	67%	69%	74%	68%	72%	69%	63%	68%	76%	69%	69%	78%	75% B	60%	78% B	70%
Power (electric and/or gas) utility	78%	63%	64%	61%	68%	69%	70%	57%	69% C	73% B	60%	70%	48%	61% A	77% A B	65%
Utility billing	69%	56%	67%	56%	59%	60%	49%	51%	70% B C	55%	54%	70% B	68% B	52%	60%	58%
Land use, planning and zoning	24%	26%	35%	27%	27%	33%	24%	28%	23%	25%	28%	28%	28%	22%	32%	27%

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Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Code enforcement (weeds, abandoned buildings, etc.)	38%	34%	52% B	41%	36%	38%	35%	40%	37%	50% B	34%	43%	52% B	28%	40%	38%
Cable television	63% B C	36%	39%	45%	37%	47%	37%	33%	48% C	46%	37%	43%	43%	39%	42%	41%

Table 15: Governance - Economy

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Economic development	48% B	28%	49% B	30%	34%	39%	33%	29%	34%	40%	28%	40%	38%	23%	41% B	32%

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Table 16: Governance - Recreation and Wellness

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Town parks	57%	64%	58%	62%	65%	83% B C D	52%	64%	59%	70%	64%	57%	54%	63%	71% A	64%
Recreation programs or classes	51%	49%	51%	54%	48%	73% B C D	36%	45%	50%	49%	54%	40%	50%	48%	54%	51%
Recreation centers or facilities	38%	48%	56%	56%	45%	62% D	47%	50%	41%	46%	55%	41%	57%	46%	50%	50%
Health services	53%	65%	63%	62%	61%	69%	62%	59%	58%	68%	57%	73% B	70% B	53%	67% B	62%

Table 17: Governance - Education and Enrichment

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Public library services	66%	81% A	81%	79%	79%	84% B	66%	81% B	82% B	70%	83% A	86% A	75%	75%	86% B	79%
Town-sponsored special events	54%	52%	61%	56%	53%	61%	48%	54%	51%	57%	50%	63%	58%	49%	57%	54%

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Table 18: Governance - Community Engagement

Percent rating positively (e.g., excellent/good)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Public information services	60%	60%	61%	65%	60%	60%	44%	67% B	68% B	59%	64%	64%	69%	57%	64%	62%

Table 19: Participation General

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Sense of community	66%	53%	57%	59% B	50%	50%	56%	51%	59%	63%	52%	53%	41%	51%	66% A B	54%
Recommend living in Middletown to someone who asks	81%	85%	93%	85%	88%	84%	84%	89%	83%	88%	86%	84%	81%	84%	91% A	86%
Remain in Middletown for the next five years	96% B	79%	83%	68%	92% A	93% B C	78%	74%	85% C	97% B	74%	91% B	64%	78% A	93% A B	81%
Contacted the Town of Middletown (in-person, phone, email or web) for help or information	31%	52% A	62% A	33%	65% A	61% B	37%	48%	57% B	40%	52%	64% A	51%	48%	53%	51%

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Table 20: Participation - Safety

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Was NOT the victim of a crime	91%	93%	98%	93%	94%	93%	98%	92%	93%	94%	93%	93%	100% B	87%	96% B	93%
Did NOT report a crime	79%	84%	90%	84%	83%	87%	85%	79%	88% C	90%	83%	79%	83%	78%	89% B	84%
Stocked supplies in preparation for an emergency	44%	44%	33%	45%	38%	60% C D	45%	38%	35%	57% B C	41%	31%	39%	34%	48% B	41%

Table 21: Participation - Mobility

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Walked or biked instead of driving	30%	52% A	64% A	51%	54%	45%	65% A C	51%	54%	44%	48%	73% A B	60% C	59% C	44%	53%
Carpooled with other adults or children instead of driving alone	22%	46% A	58% A	45%	46%	52%	52%	41%	46%	36%	49% A	53% A	52% C	51% C	37%	46%
Used bus, rail, subway or other public transportation instead of driving	19%	14%	12%	22% B	8%	24% C D	18%	13%	11%	28% B C	13%	8%	20% B	11%	16%	15%

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Table 22: Participation - Natural Environment

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Recycle at home	78%	93% A	96% A	88%	96% A	98%	94%	92%	91%	92%	92%	96%	93%	91%	94%	93%
Made efforts to make your home more energy efficient	81%	76%	85%	67%	85% A	85% C	81%	72%	81%	62%	78% A	87% A	74%	76%	79%	77%
Made efforts to conserve water	86%	82%	92%	81%	85%	90%	89%	81%	79%	84%	80%	89%	92% B	72%	89% B	83%

Table 23: Participation - Built Environment

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
NOT under housing cost stress	34%	53% A	77% A B	41%	67% A	85% B C D	62% C D	47%	46%	20%	52% A	100% A B	45%	66% A C	49%	55%
Did NOT observe a code violation	61%	60%	64%	67% B	58%	64%	69%	60%	57%	63%	60%	61%	66%	56%	66%	62%

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Table 24: Participation - Economy

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall (A)
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Purchase goods or services from a business located in Middletown	94%	97%	99%	96%	98%	100%	99%	96%	98%	98%	97%	99%	93%	99% A	98% A	97%
Economy will have positive impact on income	27%	23%	20%	29% B	20%	34% B C	10%	18%	34% B C	15%	21%	45% A B	26%	26%	21%	24%
Work in Middletown	48%	36%	33%	37%	37%	37%	26%	42% B	36%	28%	43% A	32%	63% B C	37% C	23%	37%

Table 25: Participation - Recreation and Wellness

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall (A)
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Used Middletown recreation centers or their services	28%	52% A	55% A	42%	59% A	40%	46%	50%	61% A	37%	51% A	70% A B	54%	55% C	44%	51%
Visited a neighborhood park or Town park	65%	73%	71%	70%	73%	64%	65%	75%	75%	69%	74%	78%	89% B C	78% C	57%	72%
Eat at least 5 portions of fruits and vegetables a day	78%	87%	95% A	89%	87%	81%	81%	90% A B	92% A B	75%	90% A	93% A	95% C	93% C	79%	88%
Participate in moderate or vigorous physical activity	70%	88% A	93% A	85%	89%	76%	88% A	89% A	90% A	67%	90% A	97% A	93% C	90% C	81%	87%
Reported being in "very good" or "excellent" health	39%	67% A	81% A B	60%	72% A	45%	53%	69% A B	81% A B C	43%	68% A	86% A B	76% C	75% C	53%	66%

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Table 26: Participation - Education and Enrichment

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Used Middletown public libraries or their services	44%	66% A	68% A	67%	60%	74% D	71% D	62%	53%	66% C	66% C	51%	66%	64%	62%	63%
Attended a Town-sponsored event	26%	46% A	49% A	38%	50% A	49%	44%	41%	50%	43%	41%	57% B	44%	50% C	40%	44%

Table 27: Participation - Community Engagement

Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Campaigned or advocated for an issue, cause or candidate	17%	26%	14%	19%	26%	19%	29%	18%	30% C	22%	22%	28%	12%	28% A	22%	23%
Contacted Middletown elected officials (in-person, phone, email or web) to express your opinion	14%	24%	24%	17%	27% A	20%	20%	18%	33% A B C	20%	21%	32% B	1%	31% A	24% A	22%
Volunteered your time to some group/activity in Middletown	14%	32% A	24%	23%	35% A	36% B	18%	28%	36% B	20%	30%	39% A	21%	37% A C	27%	30%
Participated in a club	20%	23%	21%	20%	27%	30%	23%	20%	25%	23%	20%	27%	13%	24%	29% A	24%
Talked to or visited with your immediate neighbors	78%	96% A	99% A	90%	96% A	93%	90%	92%	98% B C	86%	95% A	99% A	100% B C	91%	92%	93%
Done a favor for a neighbor	64%	89% A	93% A	88%	86%	86%	83%	91% D	83%	80%	88% A	92% A	79%	92% A	87%	87%

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Percent rating positively (e.g., always/sometimes, more than once a month, yes)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Attended a local public meeting	17%	28%	26%	16%	35% A	22%	17%	24%	38% A B C	28%	24%	36% B	16%	26%	31% A	26%
Watched (online or on television) a local public meeting	29%	27%	18%	19%	29% A	25%	36% C	20%	24%	28%	25%	22%	13%	21%	34% A B	25%
Read or watch local news (via television, paper, computer, etc.)	91%	88%	79%	85%	90%	92%	92%	85%	87%	92%	86%	85%	77%	84%	96% A B	88%
Vote in local elections	70%	81%	88% A	72%	88% A	82%	90% D	80%	76%	76%	79%	91% A B	57%	80% A	93% A B	81%

Table 28: Community Focus Areas

Percent rating positively (e.g., essential/very important)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Overall feeling of safety in Middletown	92%	85%	92%	91% B	83%	89% B	77%	89% B	88% B	77%	89% A	85%	84%	86%	89%	87%
Overall ease of getting to the places you usually have to visit	96% B C	81%	73%	88% B	75%	88% D	78%	84%	75%	80%	83% C	73%	75%	81%	84%	81%
Quality of overall natural environment in Middletown	96% B	83%	98% B	85%	88%	87%	91%	82%	91% C	86%	84%	93%	78%	88% A	90% A	87%

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Percent rating positively (e.g., essential/very important)	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Overall "built environment" of Middletown (including overall design, buildings, parks and transportation systems)	84%	82%	90%	84%	84%	80%	90%	80%	87%	79%	83%	86%	76%	87% A	84%	84%
Health and wellness opportunities in Middletown	93% B C	74%	76%	81% B	72%	87% B	66%	76%	76%	84% C	75%	68%	68%	74%	82% A	76%
Overall opportunities for education and enrichment	94%	85%	93%	92% B	82%	90% B	78%	90% B	84%	90%	88%	80%	97% B C	84%	84%	87%
Overall economic health of Middletown	95%	90%	99% B	93%	91%	91%	91%	93%	94%	90%	95%	89%	92%	92%	92%	92%
Sense of community	88% B	72%	88% B	75%	77%	80%	69%	75%	80%	81%	73%	79%	62%	81% A	80% A	76%

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Table 29: Importance of Adding a Dog Park to Middletown

	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Please rate how important, if at all, you think it is for the Town to add a dog park to Middletown?	41%	42%	33%	45%	38%	39%	44%	40%	39%	52% C	40% C	26%	48%	39%	38%	41%

Table 30: Households with Students in Middletown Public School System

	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Within the past three years, have you had or do you currently have a student in the Middletown Public School system?	24%	36% C	6%	26%	31%	11%	13%	37% A B	36% A B	21%	31%	38% A	22% C	53% A C	9%	29%

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Table 31: Quality of Middletown Public Schools

Please rate each of the following regarding Middletown Public Schools: (Percent rating as "Excellent" or "Good").	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	(A)
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
The quality of teachers/instructors in Middletown Public Schools	71%	80%	100%	73%	84%	29%	91% A	87% A	71% A	66%	85%	72%	100% B	74%	84%	80%
The academic achievement of students in Middletown Public Schools	71%	76%	100%	83%	71%	25%	79% A	80% A	75% A	64%	77%	79%	100% B C	70%	74%	76%
Fair treatment of all students	63%	77%	100%	77%	75%	47%	75%	74%	82% A	75%	72%	88%	100% B C	72%	69%	76%
Respectfulness of teachers toward students' parents and families	68%	81%	100%	66%	89% A	47%	89% A	86% A	73%	70%	85%	72%	100% B C	77%	74%	80%
The reputation of Middletown Public Schools	61%	64%	100%	68%	62%	25%	91% A D	69% A	55%	75%	69% C	49%	89% B	58%	69%	65%
The quality of curriculum	68%	58%	100%	52%	66%	25%	76% A	69% A D	47%	48%	65%	56%	64%	56%	73%	60%
Academic rigor	68%	57%	64%	50%	64%	25%	91% A D	62% A	47%	48%	63%	52%	75% B	50%	75% B	58%
Buildings and grounds	71%	50%	64%	64% B	45%	25%	44%	55%	55%	48%	55%	49%	64%	48%	63%	53%
Special education	52%	67%	100%	67%	67%	30%	91% A D	70% A	51%	66%	67%	58%	100% B	55%	75%	66%
Guidance	68%	56%	100%	64%	55%	81%	91% C D	52%	52%	73%	58%	46%	85% B	52%	64%	58%
Communication	64%	65%	64%	75% B	58%	100% C	76%	57%	67%	69%	63%	64%	89% B	58%	67%	64%
Extracurricular activities – athletic	52%	70%	43%	76%	62%	100%	89%	66%	58%	53%	69%	69%	71%	64%	75%	67%
Extracurricular activities – non-athletic	45%	60%	43%	75% B	50%	26%	87% A D	66% A D	39%	53%	65% C	42%	100% B C	46%	63%	58%

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Please rate each of the following regarding Middletown Public Schools: (Percent rating as "Excellent" or "Good").	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Access to technology	37%	61%	28%	68%	52%	82%	56%	61%	47%	67%	63% C	40%	100% B C	50%	65%	58%
Arts and music programs	45%	55%	64%	66% B	46%	29%	64%	50%	65%	69%	45%	65%	67%	49%	72%	55%

Table 32: Sources of Town Information

Please indicate how much of a source, if at all, you consider each of the following to be for obtaining information about the Town government and its activities, events, and services: (Percent rating as "Major source" or "Minor source").	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)
Town website (www.middletownri.com)	62%	87% A	91% A	82%	90% A	83%	93% C	83%	92% C	78%	87% A	94% A	78%	91% A	84%	86%
Town communications via social media (i.e., Facebook, Twitter, YouTube or other)	53%	66%	64%	70% B	61%	58%	78% A C	63%	69%	49%	69% A	68% A	73% C	72% C	54%	65%
Local media outlets (newspapers, radio)	79%	89%	88%	86%	89%	90%	98% C D	86%	82%	92%	84%	92%	77%	87% A	94% A B	88%
Online media posted by individuals or local organizations, including newsletters, blogs or regular email notices	44%	67% A	73% A	67%	66%	63%	84% A C	58%	72% C	61%	65%	71%	65%	68%	64%	66%
Televised meetings on the Cox local channel	55%	44%	41%	47%	42%	54% C	60% C D	37%	41%	48%	44%	34%	27%	39%	58% A B	44%
Online streaming of town meetings	53%	44%	47%	44%	46%	43%	63% A C D	40%	45%	44%	41%	54% B	22%	49% A	53% A	45%
Word of mouth	67%	78%	91% A B	72%	85% A	84%	85%	76%	78%	71%	78%	88% A	84%	76%	80%	79%

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Table 33: Line Item Additions to Question 6

Please rate each of the following characteristics as they relate to Middletown as a whole: (Percent rating as "Excellent" or "Good").	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Availability of affordable senior housing	26%	20%	20%	20%	21%	22%	20%	22%	13%	20%	20%	25%	26%	21%	21%	21%
Youth wellness programs	27%	40%	45%	32%	42%	30%	25%	44%	33%	37%	40%	34%	40%	36%	41%	38%
Opportunities for youth leisure-time activities	20%	35%	21%	27%	36%	34%	23%	35%	30%	30%	37%	26%	45% B	22%	40% B	33%

Table 34: Line Item Additions to Question 11

Overall, how would you rate the quality of the services provided by each of the following? (Percent rating as "Excellent" or "Good").	Education Level			Housing Tenure		Monthly Housing Cost				Annual Household Income			Age			Overall
	HS/GED or less	Some college or college degree	Graduate/professional degree	Rented	Owned	Less than \$999	\$1,000 to \$1,499	\$1,500 to \$2,499	\$2,500 or more	Less than \$49,999	\$50,000 to \$149,999	\$150,000 or more	18-34	35-54	55 or older	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(C)	
The State of Rhode Island	34%	30%	25%	35% B	25%	38%	31%	25%	31%	51% B C	24%	27%	28%	26%	34%	30%