



MetroWest Town Meeting Survey – Natick

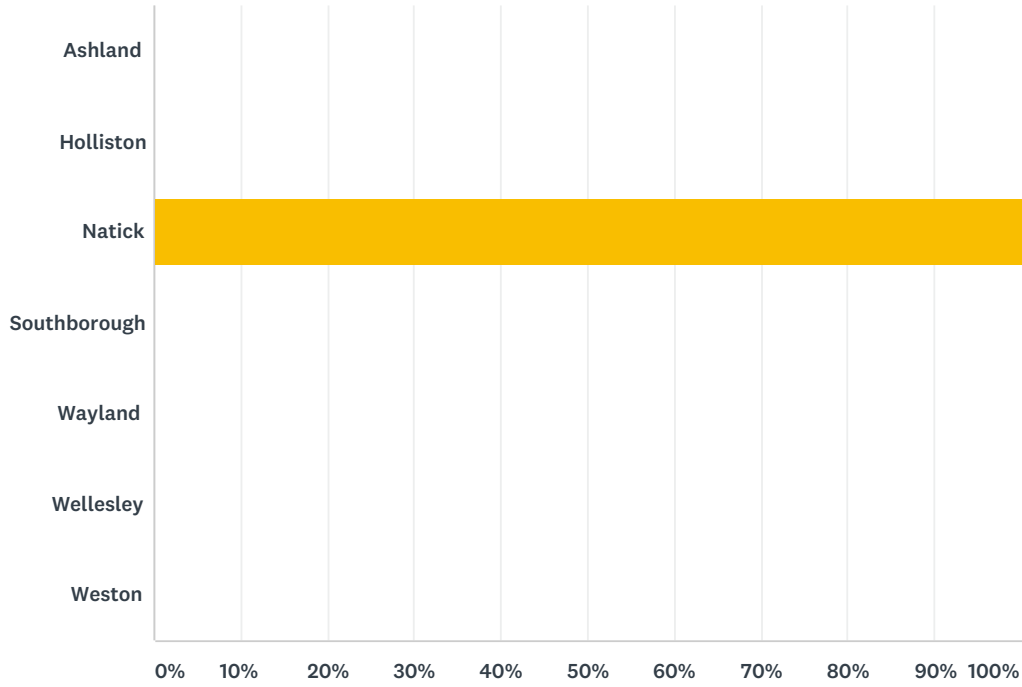
Monday, July 02, 2018

- 142 questions in total:
 - Q1 asked of everyone
 - Q2 - Q73: Open Town Meeting only, with Q6 – Q11 for “Rarely/Never” only
 - Q74 - Q142: Representative Town Meeting only, with Q75 - Q85 for current non-members only
- Not everyone fully completed the survey
- The results represent a small sampling, not a full cross-section
- Wellesley and Natick surveys open only a few weeks

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Q1 What town do you live in?

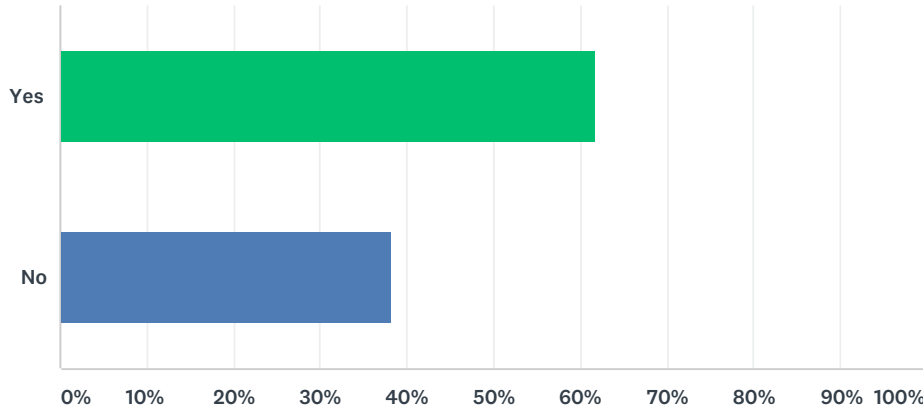
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Ashland	0.00% 0
Holliston	0.00% 0
Natick	100.00% 55
Southborough	0.00% 0
Wayland	0.00% 0
Wellesley	0.00% 0
Weston	0.00% 0
TOTAL	55

Q74 Are you a current Town Meeting member?

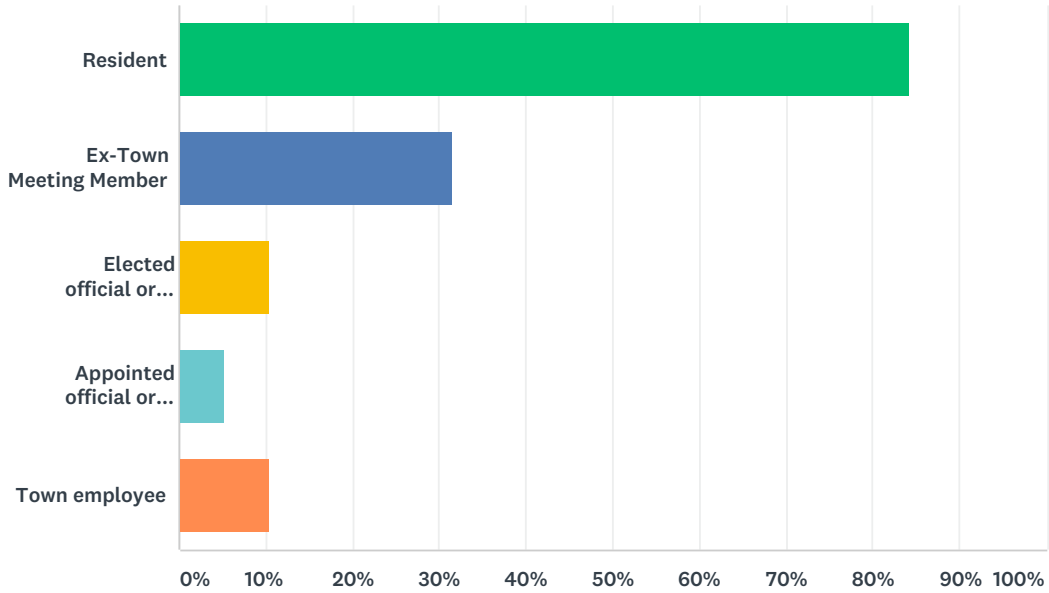
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	61.82%	34
No	38.18%	21
TOTAL		55

Q75 Which of the following best describes you? (check all that apply)

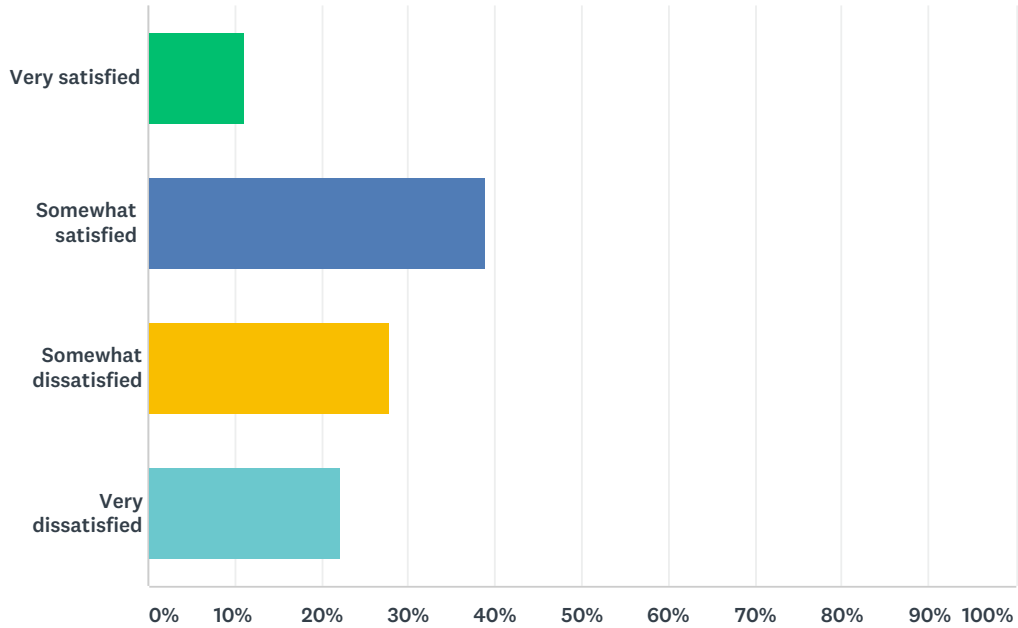
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Resident	84.21%	16
Ex-Town Meeting Member	31.58%	6
Elected official or town board/committee member	10.53%	2
Appointed official or town board/committee member	5.26%	1
Town employee	10.53%	2
Total Respondents: 19		

Q76 Overall, how satisfied are you with the way Town Meeting operates?

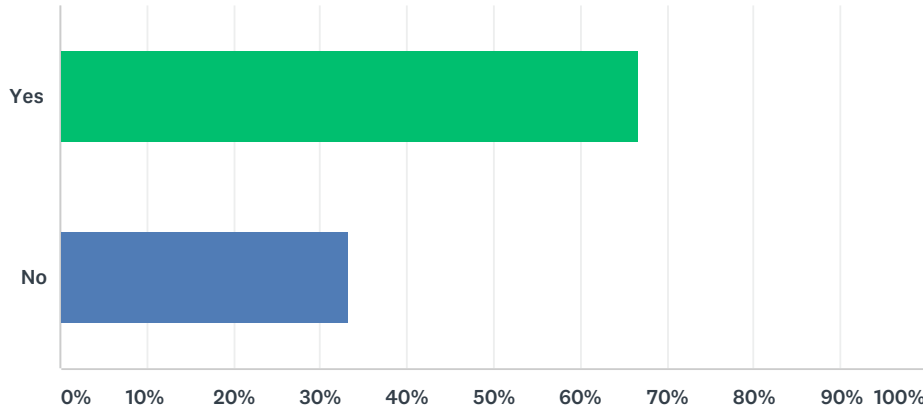
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	11.11%	2
Somewhat satisfied	38.89%	7
Somewhat dissatisfied	27.78%	5
Very dissatisfied	22.22%	4
TOTAL		18

Q77 Do you think Town Meeting is an effective form of government?

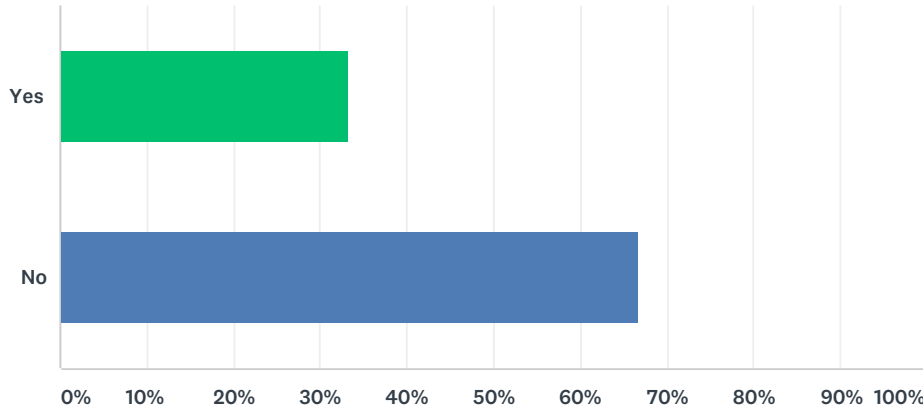
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	66.67%	12
No	33.33%	6
TOTAL		18

Q78 Do you think Town Meeting is an efficient form of government?

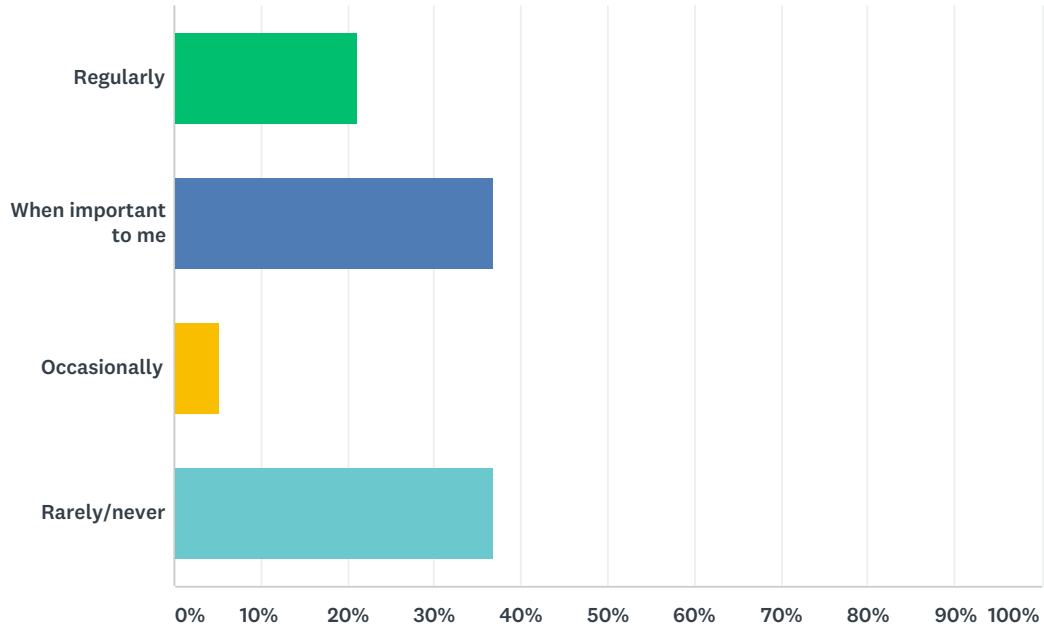
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	33.33%	6
No	66.67%	12
TOTAL		18

Q79 How often do you attend Town Meeting in person?

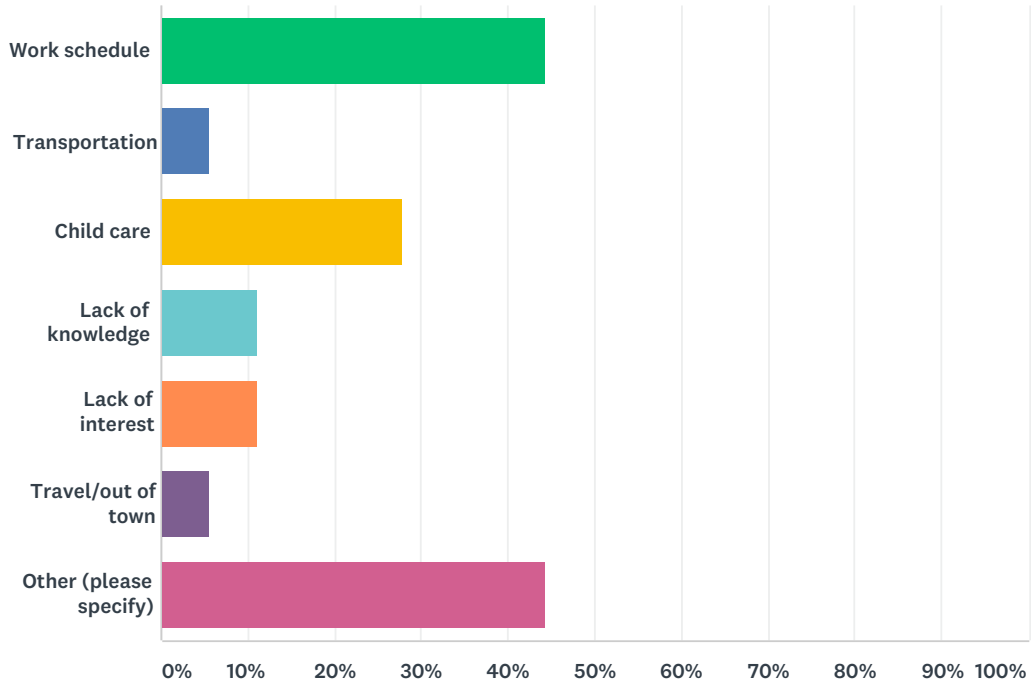
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Regularly	21.05%	4
When important to me	36.84%	7
Occasionally	5.26%	1
Rarely/never	36.84%	7
TOTAL		19

Q80 Why don't you attend? (check all that apply)

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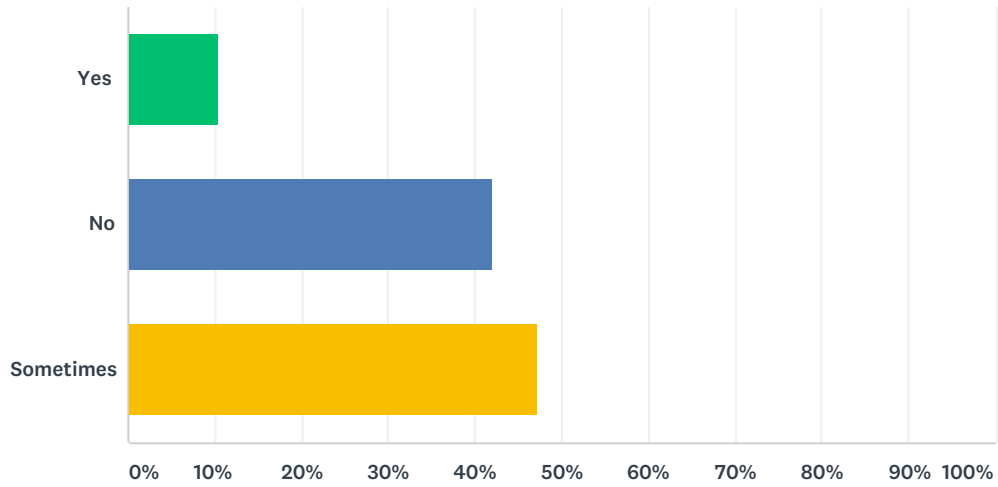


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Work schedule	44.44% 8
Transportation	5.56% 1
Child care	27.78% 5
Lack of knowledge	11.11% 2
Lack of interest	11.11% 2
Travel/out of town	5.56% 1
Other (please specify)	44.44% 8
Total Respondents: 18	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Not knowing how late it will go, or what agendas will be	6/11/2018 9:28 PM
2	Meetings are so tedious and speakers are so repetitive. The moderator allows too much repetitive discussion.	6/11/2018 4:06 PM
3	Issues on warrant that aren't relevant to my position	6/11/2018 3:36 PM
4	Sick	6/11/2018 11:28 AM
5	Does not seem like the most welcoming space for minority residents.	6/11/2018 11:01 AM
6	I attend regularly	5/31/2018 11:12 PM
7	The time of day	5/15/2018 5:51 PM
8	Just really busy with life. Same conversation lasts hours.	5/15/2018 9:21 AM

Q81 Do you watch Town Meeting via webcast or TV if you don't attend in person?

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	10.53%	2
No	42.11%	8
Sometimes	47.37%	9
TOTAL		19

Q82 What would make you more likely to attend or watch Town Meeting, if you don't?

Answered: 14 Skipped: 41

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	An issue I felt strongly about	6/15/2018 7:21 AM
2	More info about when where	6/12/2018 8:17 AM
3	Getting emails with agendas, and a summarized 'highlighted' version	6/11/2018 9:28 PM
4	Rarely watch TV	6/11/2018 8:36 PM
5	Better notification when meetings are and when they will be televised	6/11/2018 5:31 PM
6	Having them shorter and earlier	6/11/2018 4:59 PM
7	If town meeting moved through its agenda more efficiently, I would run for town meeting representative again.	6/11/2018 4:06 PM
8	If it were shorter and if it were on a weekend vs. at night	6/11/2018 3:36 PM
9	Greater diversity both in terms of people, and opinions that are being voiced	6/11/2018 11:01 AM
10	Subject matters that directly affect my financial position or personal property.	5/31/2018 11:12 PM
11	This is a tough one to answer. Basically the same people have control the town meeting and Natick for decades	5/15/2018 5:51 PM
12	more publicity, knowledge of agenda for that day	5/15/2018 10:35 AM
13	make it a podcast to listen to during free time	5/15/2018 9:21 AM
14	topics of interest to me	5/15/2018 5:37 AM

Q83 What would make others more likely to attend or watch Town Meeting?

Answered: 14 Skipped: 41

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	More efficiency, important issues	6/15/2018 7:21 AM
2	More info about when where	6/12/2018 8:17 AM
3	I don't know	6/11/2018 9:28 PM
4	If they knew areas under discussion	6/11/2018 8:36 PM
5	See response #10	6/11/2018 5:31 PM
6	Easier to find info about issues on the table	6/11/2018 4:59 PM
7	Same as above	6/11/2018 4:06 PM
8	If it was shorter	6/11/2018 3:36 PM
9	Town Meeting members doing there homework	6/11/2018 11:28 AM
10	If clear and concise descriptions where provided to residents, it is more likely that they would better understand how Town Meeting Actions affect their daily lives.	5/31/2018 11:12 PM
11	Changing composition of town meeting members with more representatives from the middle age and younger age community.	5/15/2018 5:51 PM
12	?	5/15/2018 10:35 AM
13	if a point has been made write it down on whiteboard and nobody else needs to speak on that same point.	5/15/2018 9:21 AM
14	urging from neighbors/friends/family to do so	5/15/2018 5:37 AM

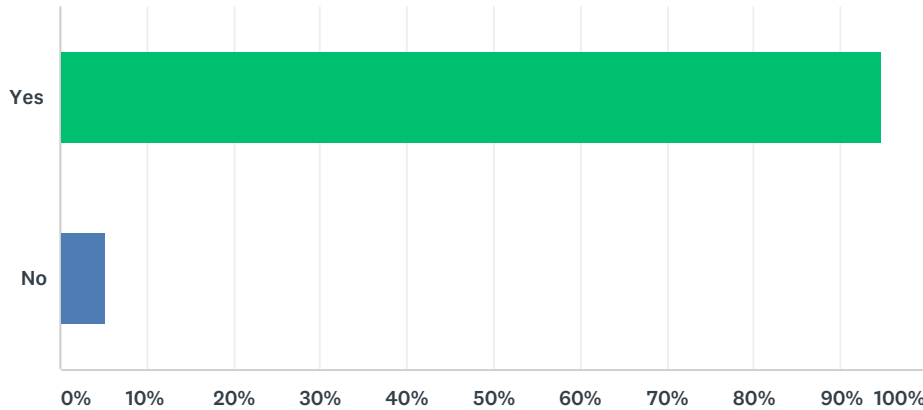
Q84 What would make you more likely to run for Town Meeting, if you're not a member?

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#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	A more manageable schedule	6/15/2018 7:21 AM
2	More info	6/12/2018 8:17 AM
3	Making the meetings run less late.	6/11/2018 9:28 PM
4	Impossible with current employment	6/11/2018 8:36 PM
5	Time	6/11/2018 5:31 PM
6	An easier schedule	6/11/2018 4:59 PM
7	The moderator needs to control discussion so that members are not repeating each other. The moderator needs to look for new views instead of repetitive views.	6/11/2018 4:06 PM
8	If it was shorter and if it were not on multiple weeknights. Town meeting is not conducive to engaging adults who are parents in young families.	6/11/2018 3:36 PM
9	I was a member but am now the town clerk	6/11/2018 1:32 PM
10	If a prospective action(s) were before Town Meeting that directly affected me and the timing to run for Town Meeting was right, I'd run for a seat in my precinct.	5/31/2018 11:12 PM
11	I was a member but I would run again if the format change somewhat to allow all members a chance to speak	5/15/2018 5:51 PM
12	n/a	5/15/2018 10:35 AM
13	need to be shown the value	5/15/2018 9:21 AM
14	if asked by an existing member	5/15/2018 5:37 AM

Q85 Is it your understanding that Town Meeting is the legislative branch of your town and that only Town Meeting can approve a town’s annual operating budget and enact town bylaws relating to zoning and general operations of the town?

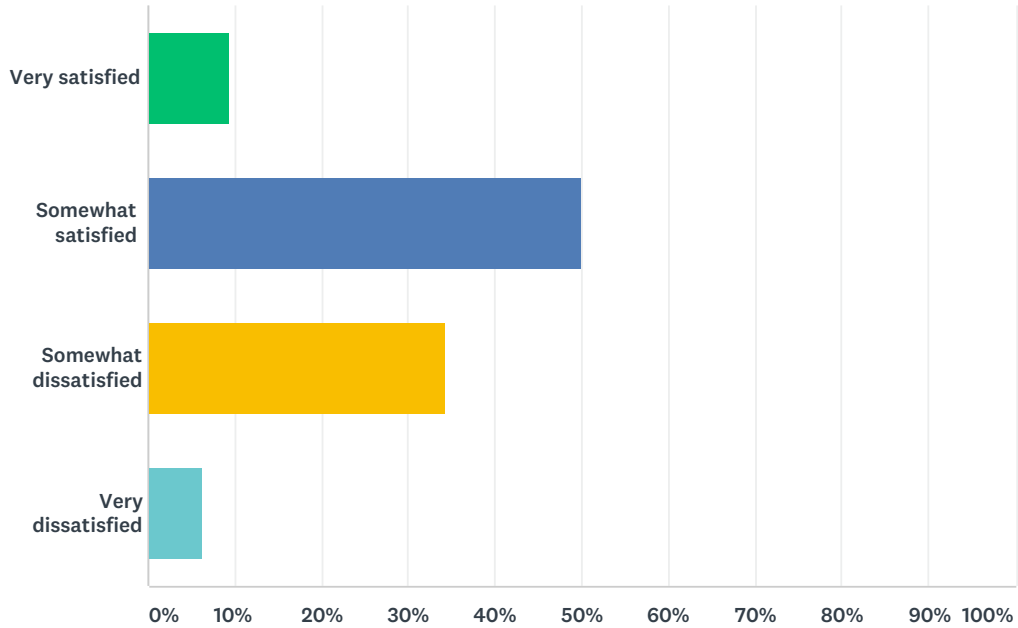
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	94.74%	18
No	5.26%	1
TOTAL		19

Q86 Overall, how satisfied are you with the way Town Meeting operates?

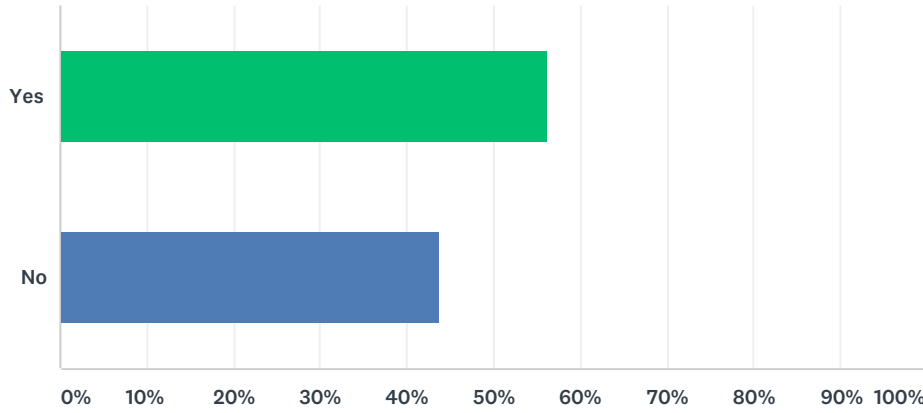
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Very satisfied	9.38% 3
Somewhat satisfied	50.00% 16
Somewhat dissatisfied	34.38% 11
Very dissatisfied	6.25% 2
TOTAL	32

Q87 Do you think Town Meeting is an efficient form of government?

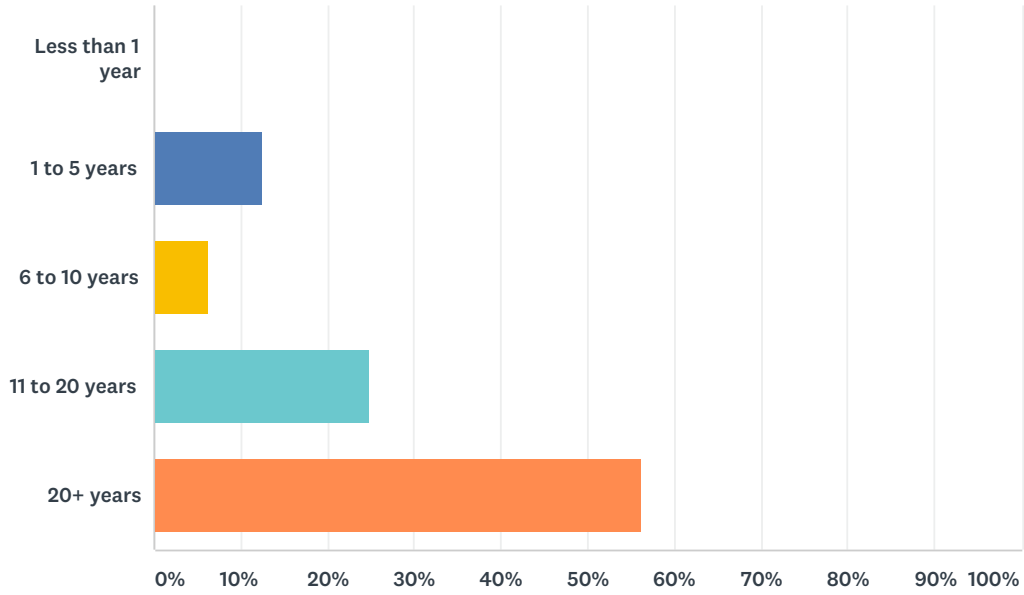
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	56.25%	18
No	43.75%	14
TOTAL		32

Q88 How long have you lived in your town?

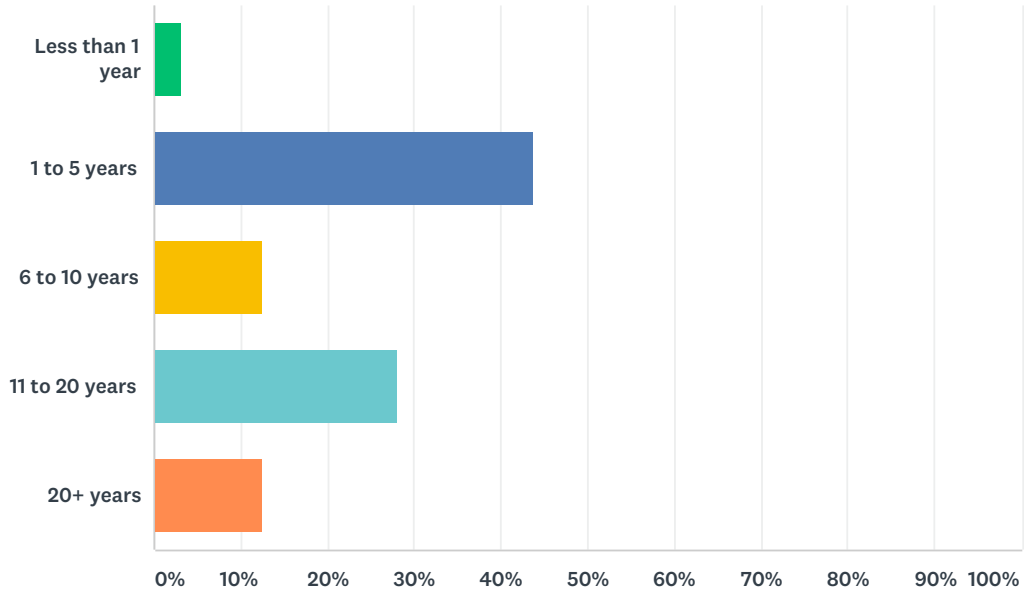
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Less than 1 year	0.00%	0
1 to 5 years	12.50%	4
6 to 10 years	6.25%	2
11 to 20 years	25.00%	8
20+ years	56.25%	18
TOTAL		32

Q89 How long have you been a Town Meeting member?

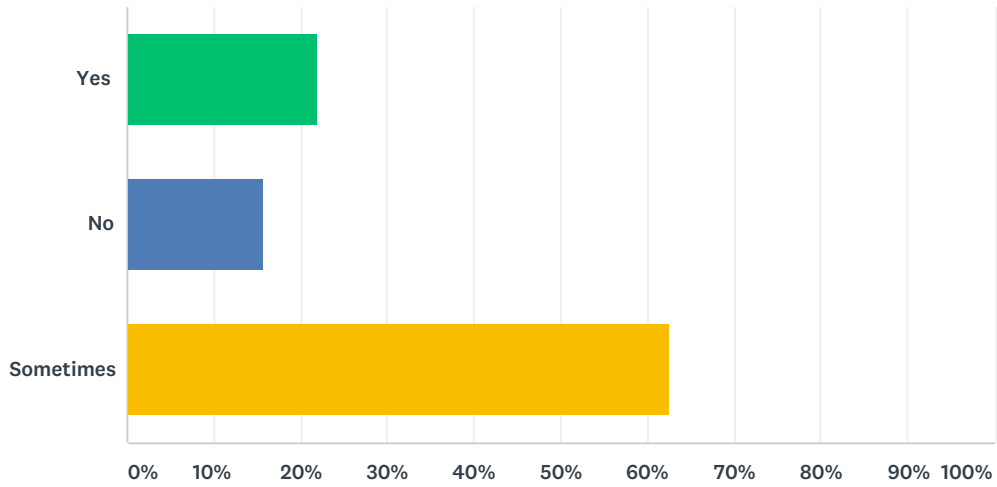
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Less than 1 year	3.13% 1
1 to 5 years	43.75% 14
6 to 10 years	12.50% 4
11 to 20 years	28.13% 9
20+ years	12.50% 4
TOTAL	32

Q90 Special town meetings – do you feel that Special Town Meeting articles substantially are of an urgent nature?

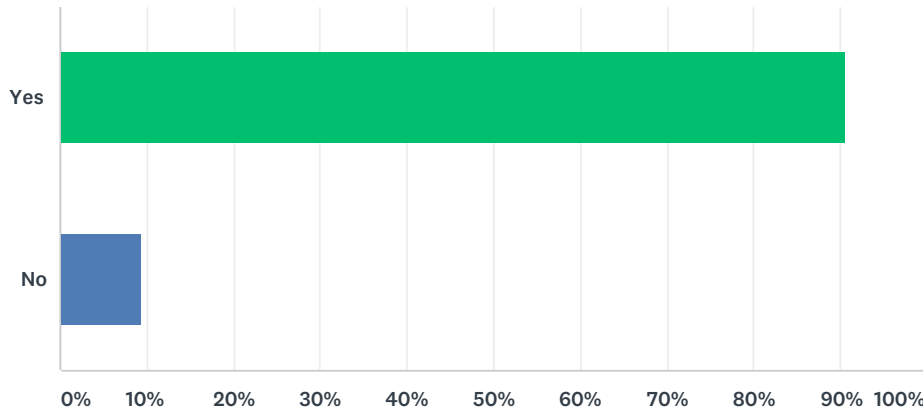
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	21.88%	7
No	15.63%	5
Sometimes	62.50%	20
TOTAL		32

Q91 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, are you satisfied with the date of Town Meeting?

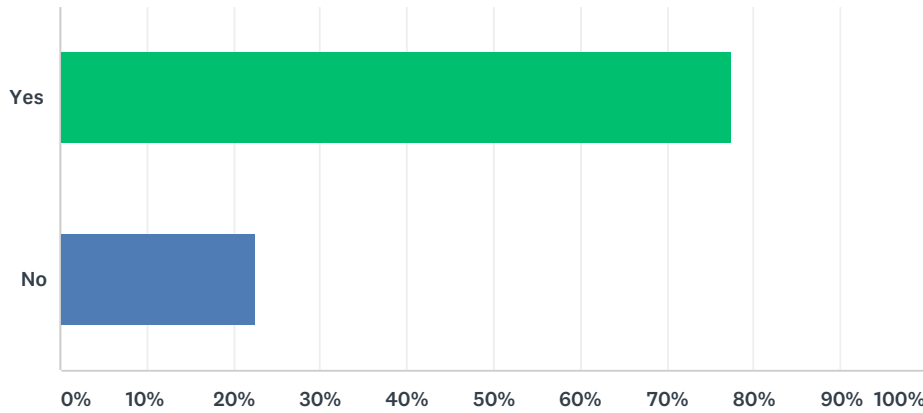
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	90.63%	29
No	9.38%	3
TOTAL		32

Q92 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, are you satisfied with the time of Town Meeting?

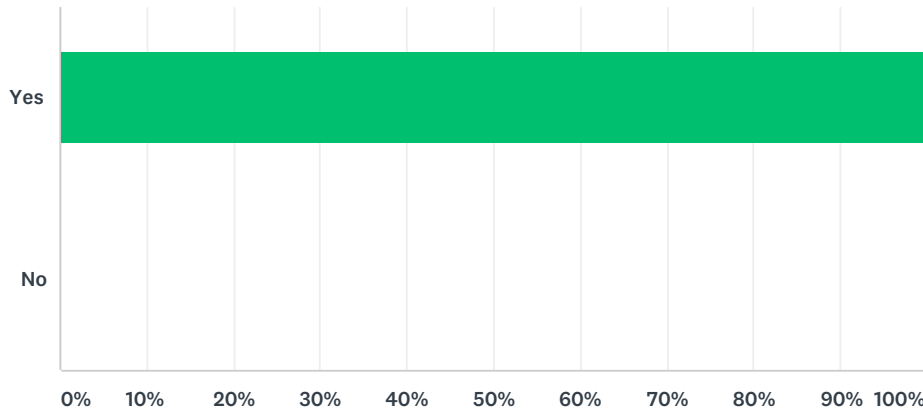
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	77.42%	24
No	22.58%	7
TOTAL		31

Q93 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, are you satisfied with the location of Town Meeting?

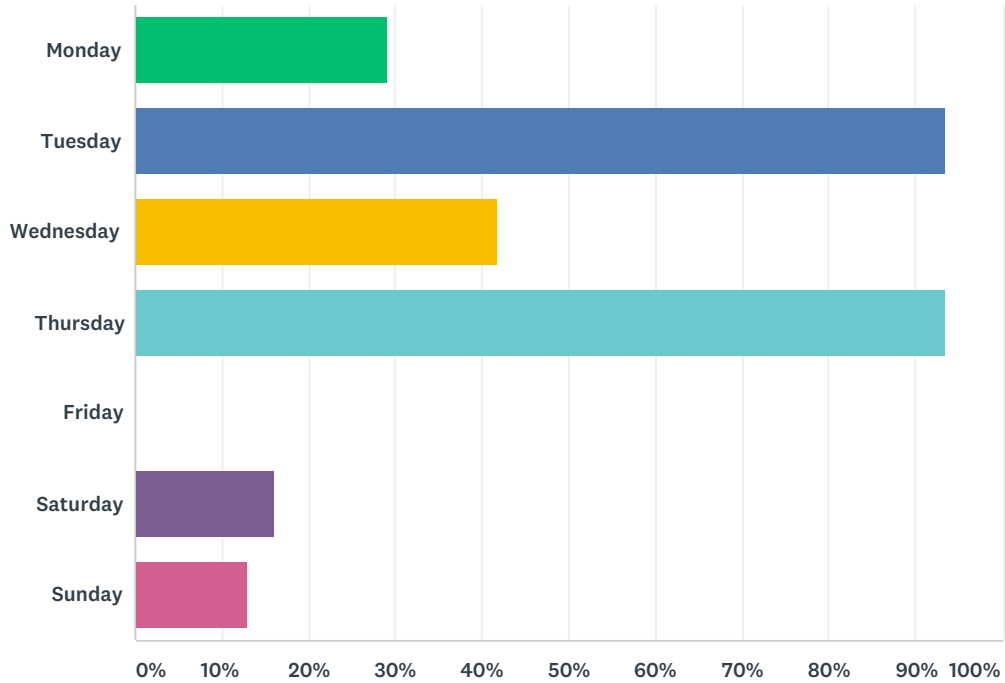
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	100.00%	32
No	0.00%	0
TOTAL		32

Q94 What days of the week do you prefer that Town Meeting be held? (select all that apply)

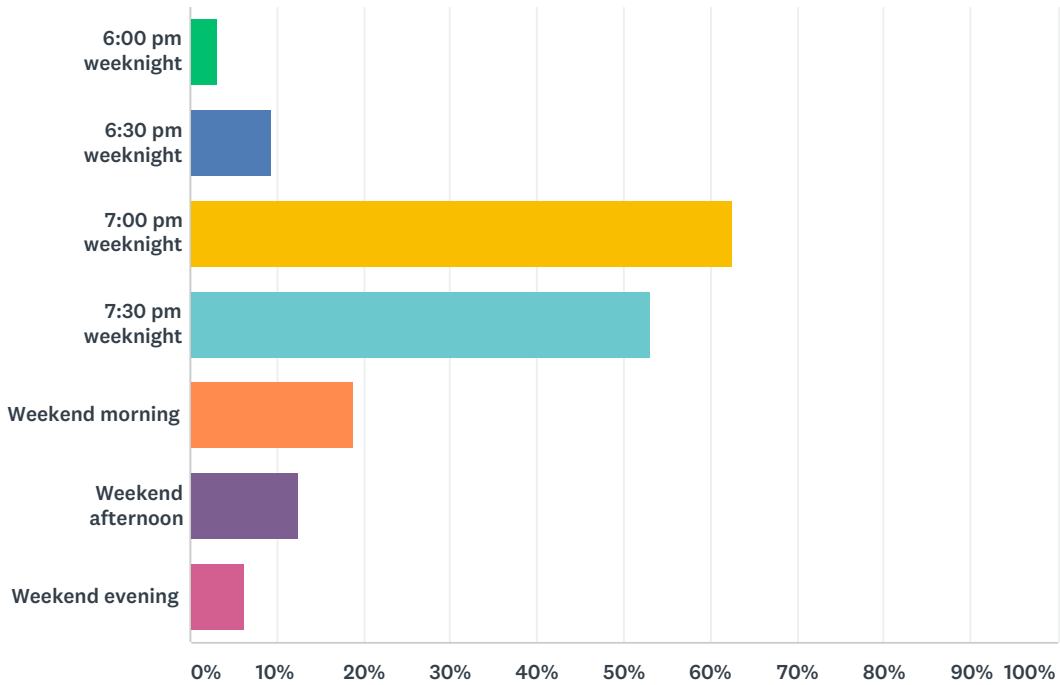
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Monday	29.03%	9
Tuesday	93.55%	29
Wednesday	41.94%	13
Thursday	93.55%	29
Friday	0.00%	0
Saturday	16.13%	5
Sunday	12.90%	4
Total Respondents: 31		

Q95 What time do you prefer Town Meeting to start? (check all that apply)

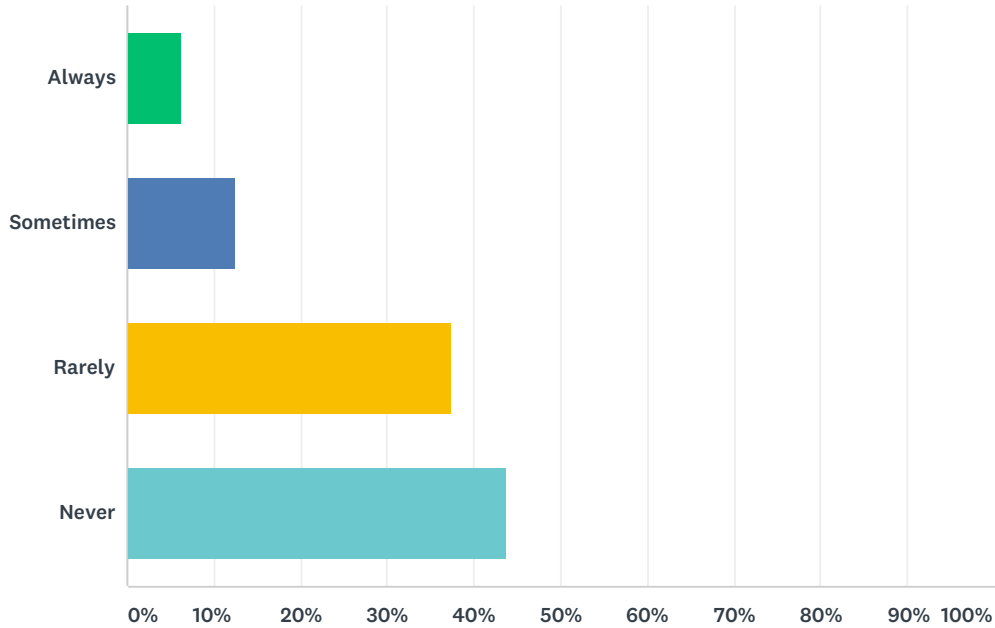
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
6:00 pm weeknight	3.13%	1
6:30 pm weeknight	9.38%	3
7:00 pm weeknight	62.50%	20
7:30 pm weeknight	53.13%	17
Weekend morning	18.75%	6
Weekend afternoon	12.50%	4
Weekend evening	6.25%	2
Total Respondents: 32		

Q96 How often do you leave Town Meeting early?

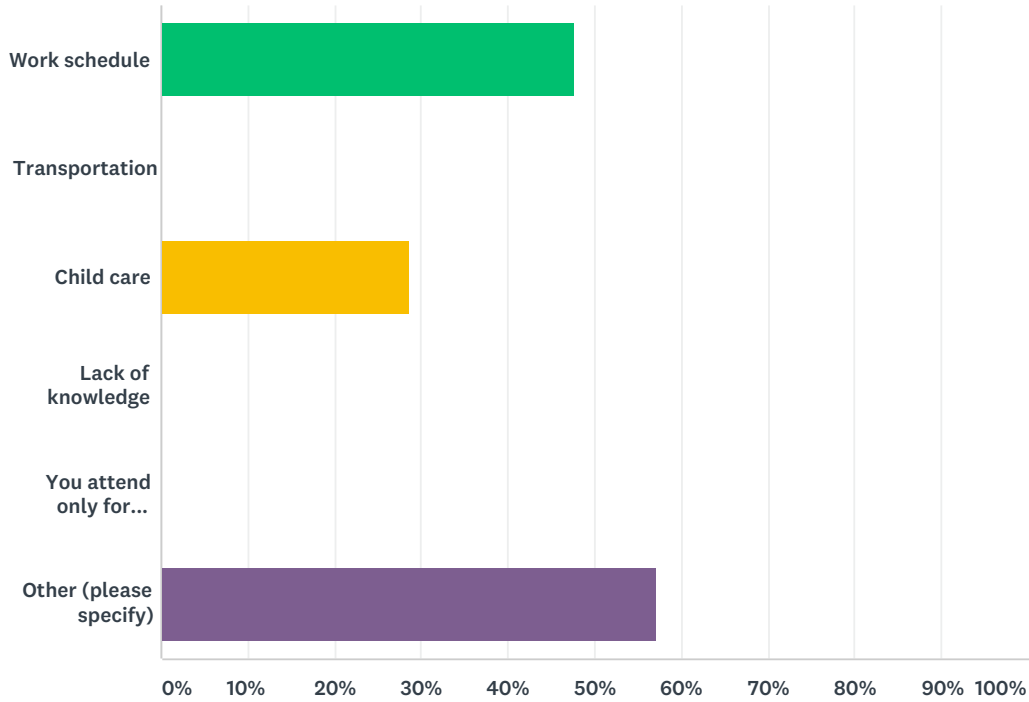
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Always	6.25% 2
Sometimes	12.50% 4
Rarely	37.50% 12
Never	43.75% 14
TOTAL	32

Q97 If you do leave early, it usually is due to: (check all that apply)

Answered: 21 Skipped: 34



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Work schedule	47.62%	10
Transportation	0.00%	0
Child care	28.57%	6
Lack of knowledge	0.00%	0
You attend only for articles important to you	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	57.14%	12
Total Respondents: 21		

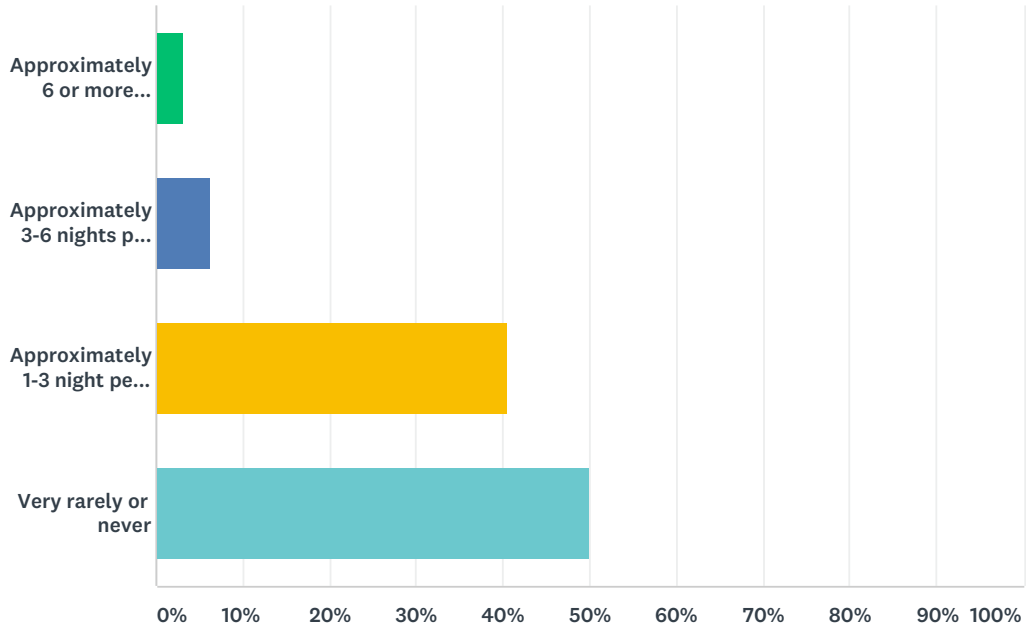
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1	n/a	6/14/2018 6:17 PM
2	Merdical	6/11/2018 4:46 PM
3	Boring and I'm tired	6/11/2018 4:25 PM
4	i don't leave early	6/11/2018 2:15 PM
5	Just find it drags along too slowly.	6/11/2018 1:40 PM
6	usually ends too late and I have to work in the morning	6/11/2018 1:20 PM
7	Personal wellbeing - need to go bed early to get enough sleep before waking up to go to work/be a parent	6/11/2018 12:11 PM
8	We run so late sometimes and my kid will wake me up early no matter what	6/11/2018 11:31 AM
9	I have to rise early for my job and must tend to a good nights sleep	6/11/2018 11:17 AM

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10	Health	6/11/2018 11:12 AM
11	It's so late I'm worried about not getting enough sleep before work the next day	6/11/2018 10:56 AM
12	I tend to leave when debate & motions get out of hand.	5/17/2018 11:41 AM

Q98 How often do you miss nights of Town Meeting?

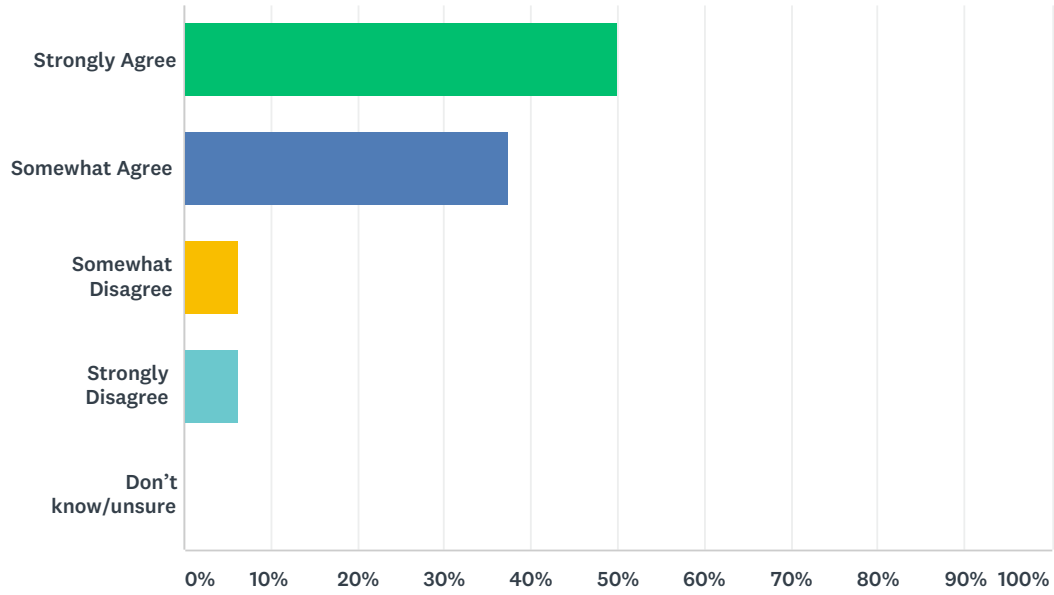
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Approximately 6 or more nights per year	3.13%	1
Approximately 3-6 nights per year	6.25%	2
Approximately 1-3 night per year	40.63%	13
Very rarely or never	50.00%	16
TOTAL		32

Q99 Town Meetings are too long:

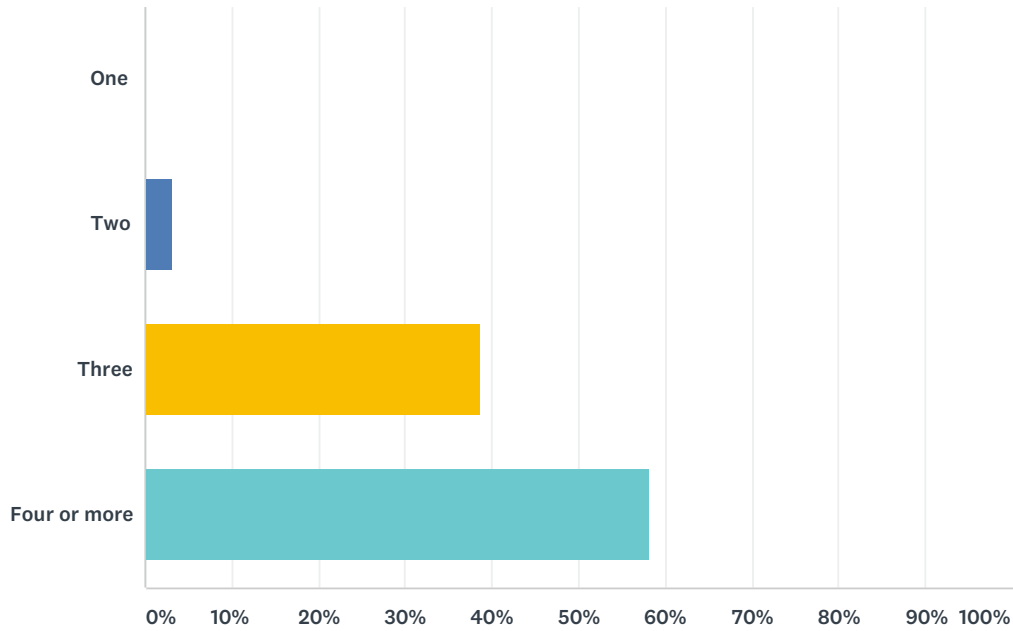
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Strongly Agree	50.00%	16
Somewhat Agree	37.50%	12
Somewhat Disagree	6.25%	2
Strongly Disagree	6.25%	2
Don't know/unsure	0.00%	0
TOTAL		32

Q100 What is the maximum number days that you consider to be reasonable for a session of Town Meeting?

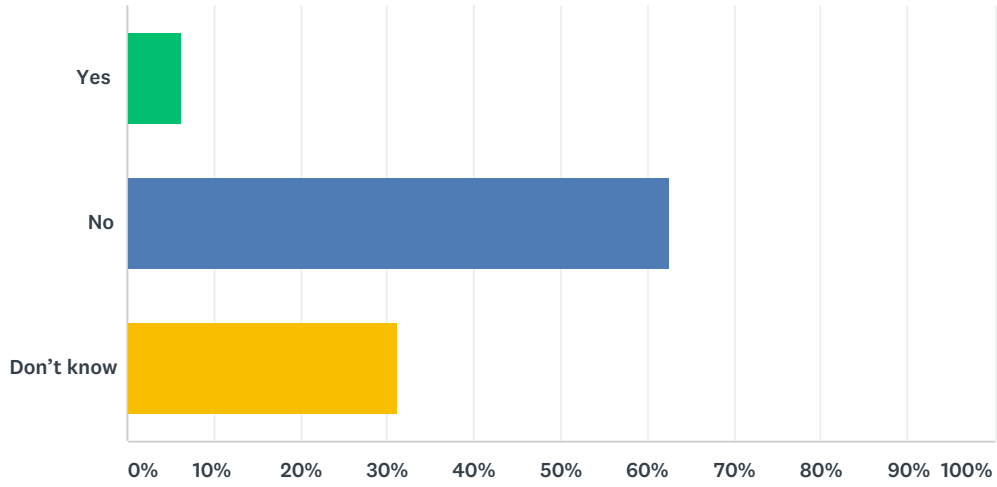
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
One	0.00%	0
Two	3.23%	1
Three	38.71%	12
Four or more	58.06%	18
TOTAL		31

Q101 Is a lottery system for the order of warrant articles a good idea?

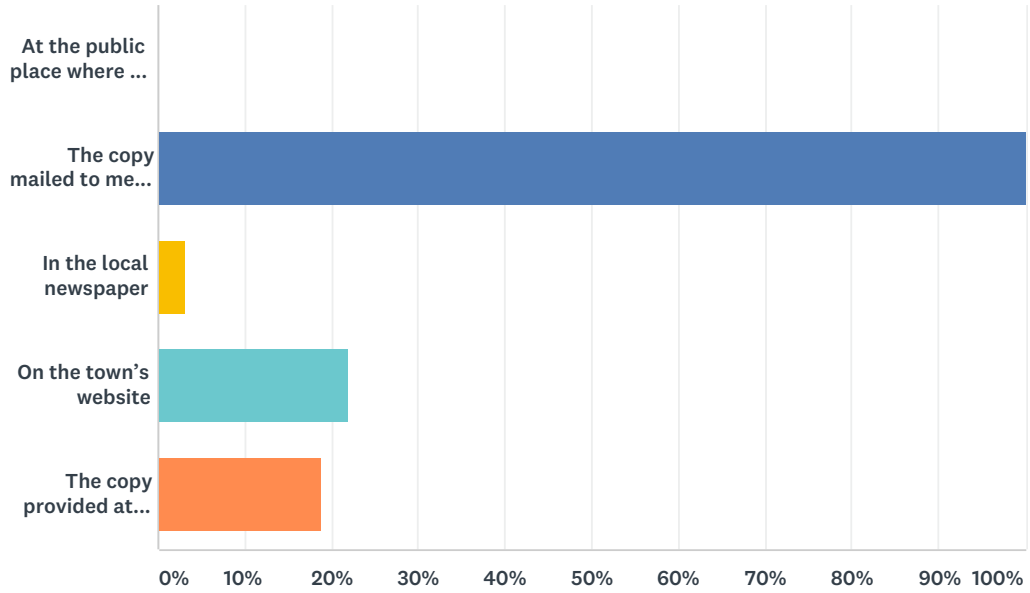
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	6.25%	2
No	62.50%	20
Don't know	31.25%	10
TOTAL		32

Q102 Where/how do you review the Town Meeting warrant/Finance Committee book? (check all that apply)

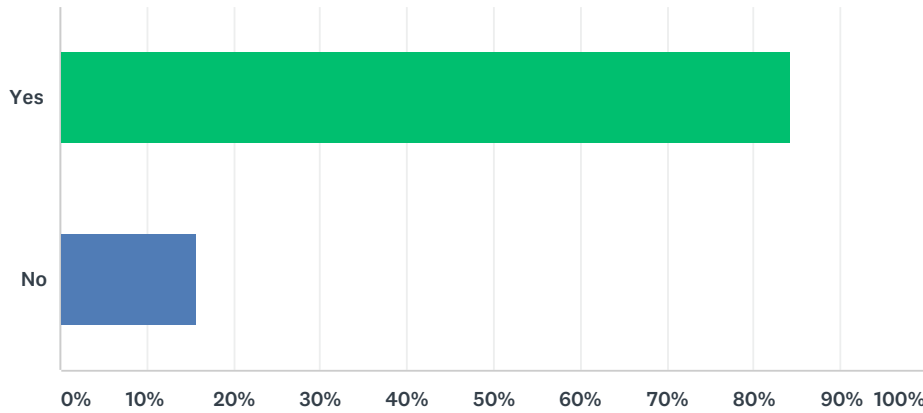
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
At the public place where it is posted	0.00%	0
The copy mailed to me as a Town Meeting Member	100.00%	32
In the local newspaper	3.13%	1
On the town's website	21.88%	7
The copy provided at Town Meeting	18.75%	6
Total Respondents: 32		

Q103 Do you usually read the Town Meeting materials before you come to Town Meeting?

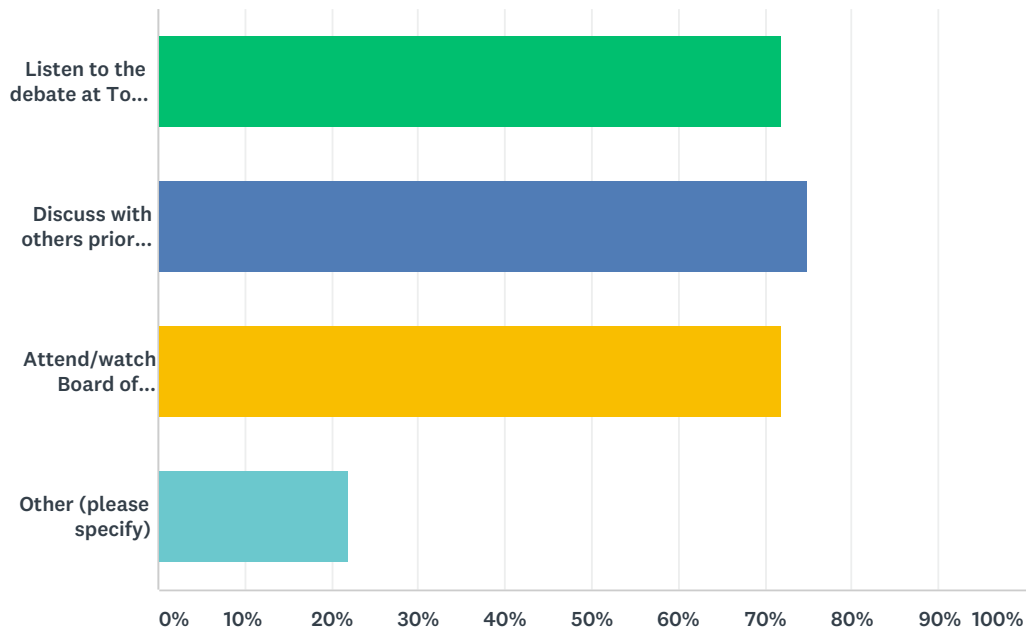
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	84.38%	27
No	15.63%	5
TOTAL		32

Q104 Other than reading the Town Meeting materials, how do you learn about the issues in front of Town Meeting? (check all that apply)

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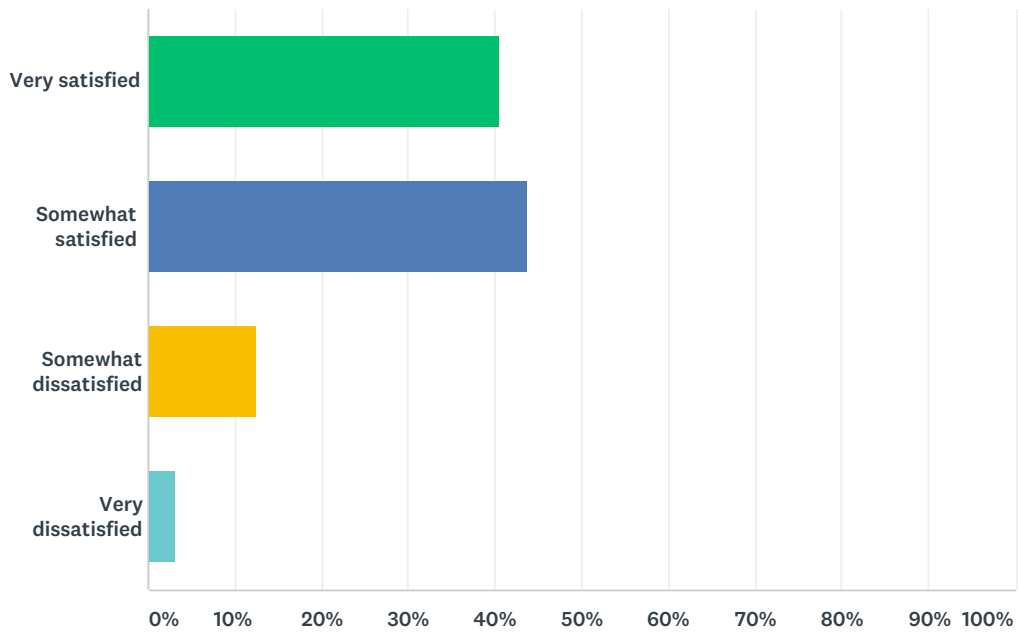


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Listen to the debate at Town Meeting	71.88%	23
Discuss with others prior to Town Meeting	75.00%	24
Attend/watch Board of Selectmen/Finance Committee or other meetings	71.88%	23
Other (please specify)	21.88%	7
Total Respondents: 32		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Discussion with town residents	6/12/2018 8:18 PM
2	Talk to friends & neighbors	6/11/2018 4:50 PM
3	social media	6/11/2018 12:13 PM
4	Read local media online if and when they cover issues.	6/11/2018 11:16 AM
5	Monitor social media groups	6/11/2018 11:02 AM
6	TM facebook page	6/11/2018 11:00 AM
7	Speak to sponsors	6/11/2018 10:54 AM

Q105 How satisfied are you that the materials you receive to prepare you for Town Meeting arrive in sufficient time for you to prepare?

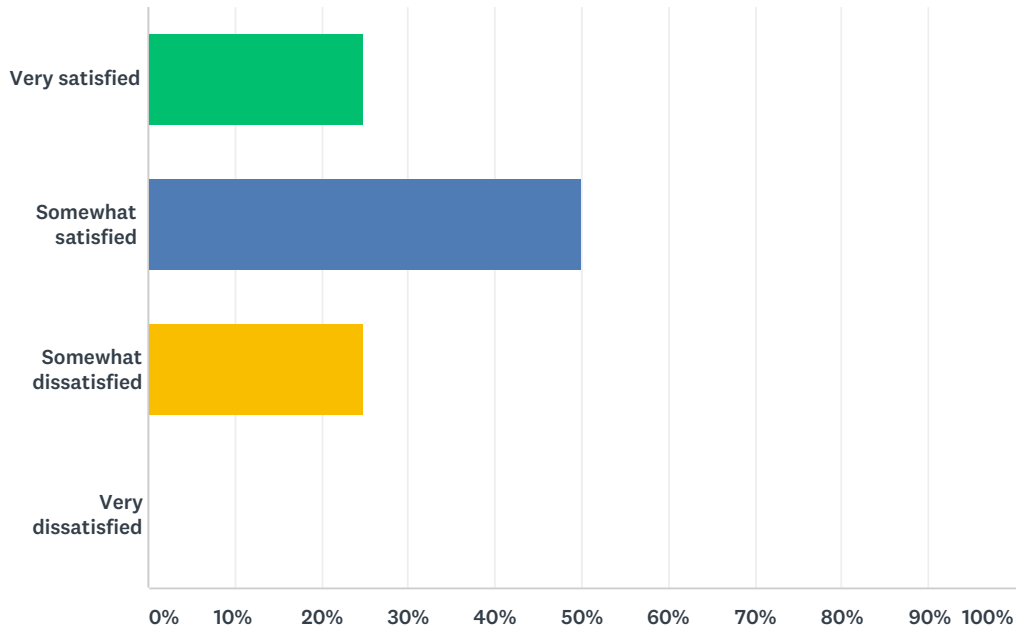
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Very satisfied	40.63%	13
Somewhat satisfied	43.75%	14
Somewhat dissatisfied	12.50%	4
Very dissatisfied	3.13%	1
TOTAL		32

Q106 How satisfied are you that the materials you receive to prepare you for Town Meeting are complete and informative?

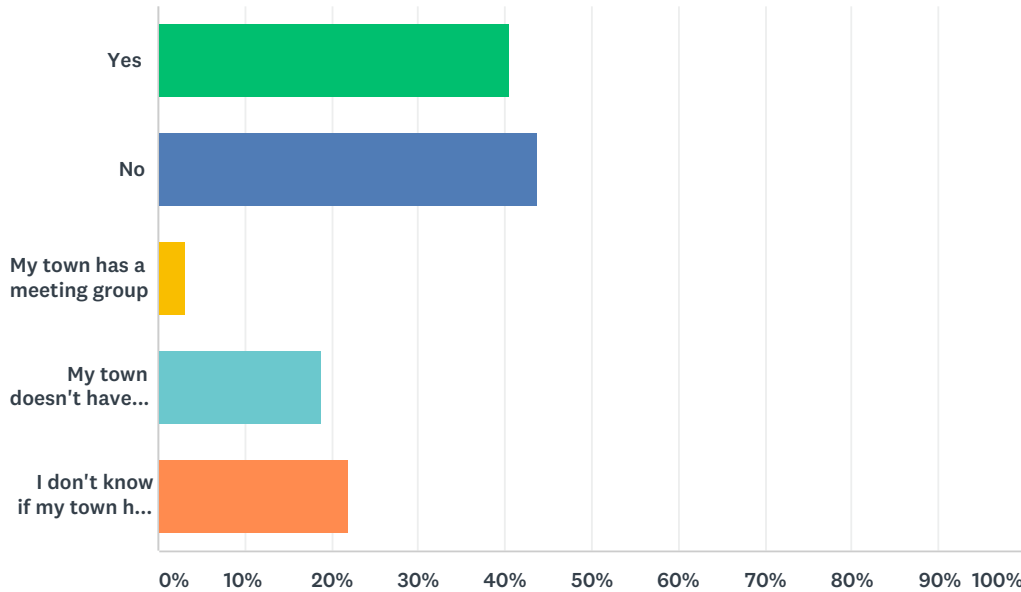
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	25.00%	8
Somewhat satisfied	50.00%	16
Somewhat dissatisfied	25.00%	8
Very dissatisfied	0.00%	0
TOTAL		32

**Q107 Would you be interested in participating in a Town Meeting association to meet periodically and suggest ways to improve Town Meeting and communication about Town Meeting to town residents?
(check all that apply)**

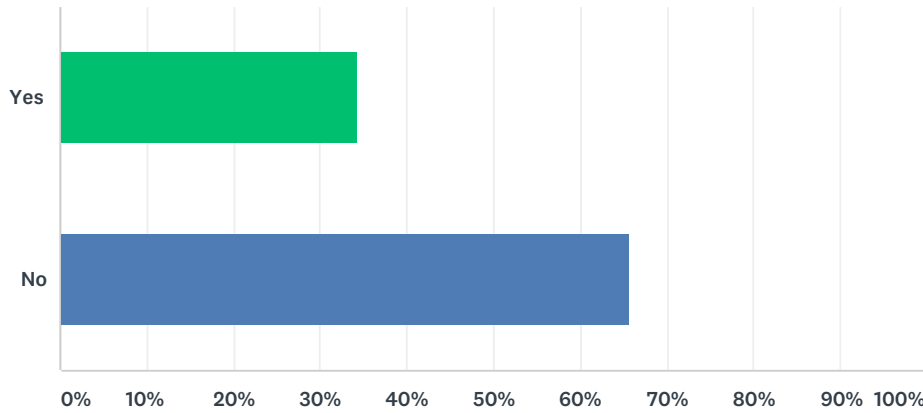
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	40.63%	13
No	43.75%	14
My town has a meeting group	3.13%	1
My town doesn't have a meeting group	18.75%	6
I don't know if my town has a meeting group	21.88%	7
Total Respondents: 32		

Q108 Do you thinkl that warrant article information/data changes too much between the date it is published and the day of Town Meeting?

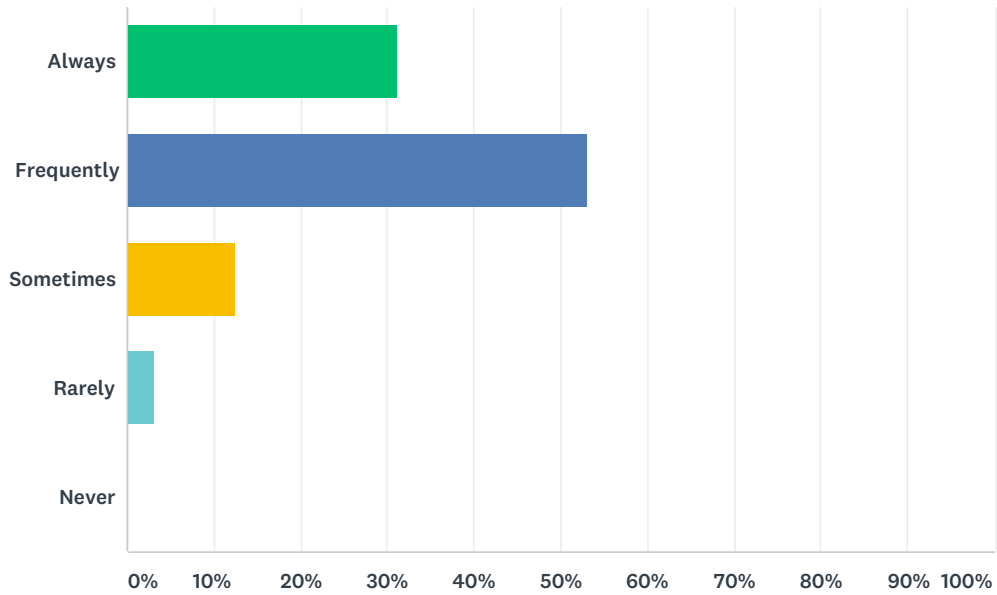
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	34.38%	11
No	65.63%	21
TOTAL		32

Q109 I come prepared for every Town Meeting to vote on all articles presented:

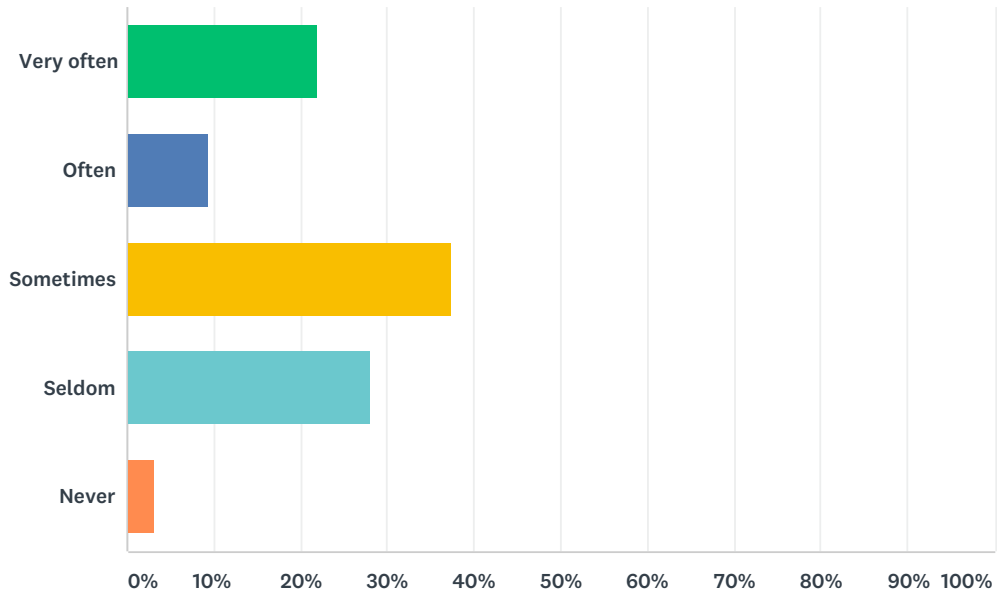
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Always	31.25%	10
Frequently	53.13%	17
Sometimes	12.50%	4
Rarely	3.13%	1
Never	0.00%	0
TOTAL		32

Q110 How often do you attend or watch on TV/video meetings or hearings of the Board of Selectmen in preparation for Town Meeting?

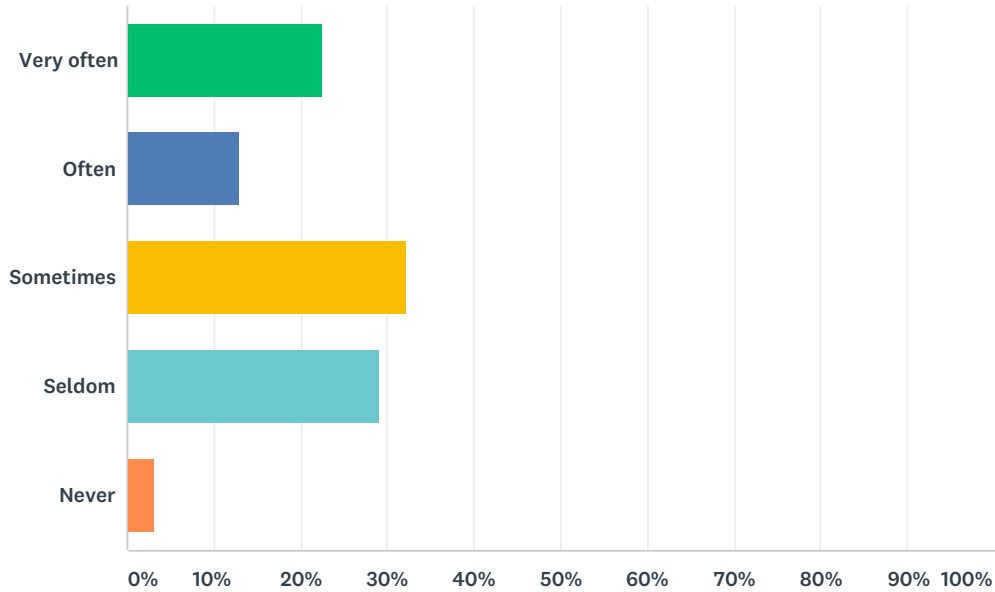
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very often	21.88%	7
Often	9.38%	3
Sometimes	37.50%	12
Seldom	28.13%	9
Never	3.13%	1
TOTAL		32

Q111 How often do you attend or watch on TV/video meetings or hearings of the Finance/Advisory Committee in preparation for Town Meeting?

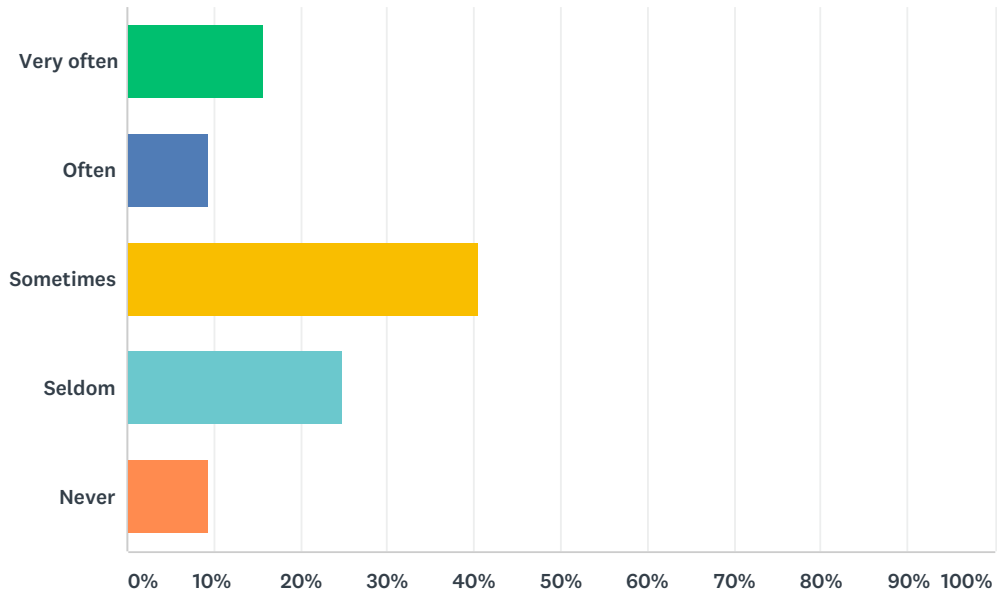
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very often	22.58%	7
Often	12.90%	4
Sometimes	32.26%	10
Seldom	29.03%	9
Never	3.23%	1
TOTAL		31

Q112 How often do you attend or watch on TV/video meetings or hearings of the Planning Board in preparation for Town Meeting?

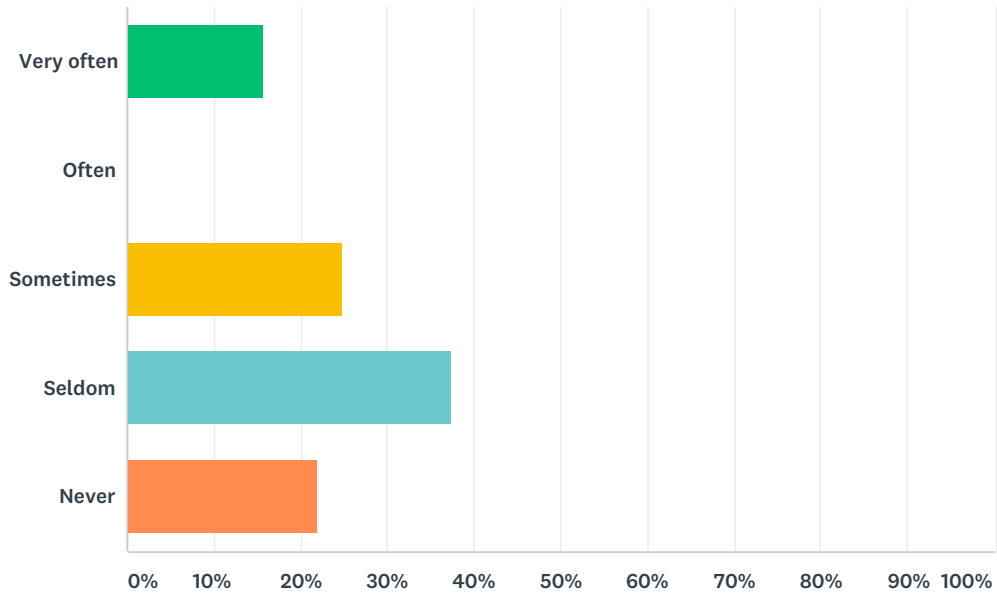
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very often	15.63%	5
Often	9.38%	3
Sometimes	40.63%	13
Seldom	25.00%	8
Never	9.38%	3
TOTAL		32

Q113 How often do you attend or watch on TV/video meetings or hearings of the School Committee in preparation for Town Meeting?

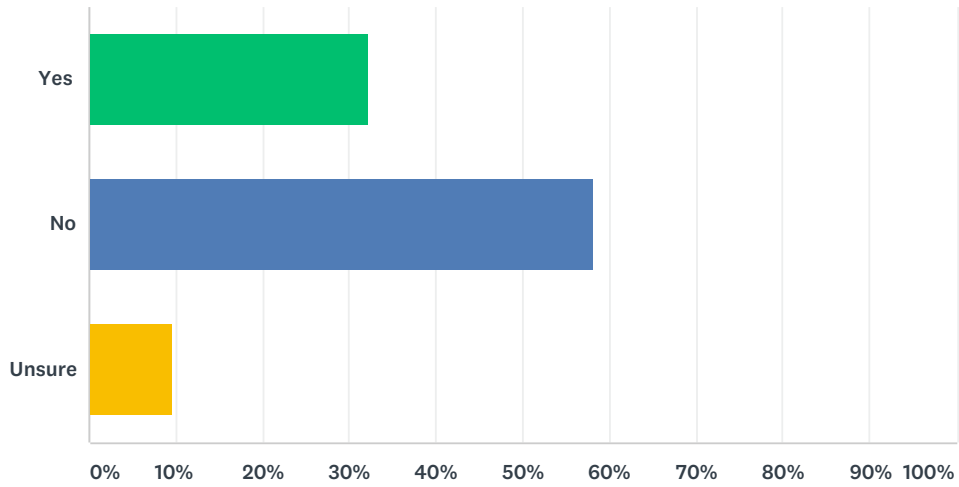
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very often	15.63%	5
Often	0.00%	0
Sometimes	25.00%	8
Seldom	37.50%	12
Never	21.88%	7
TOTAL		32

Q114 Have you ever read a copy of the Secretary of State’s “Citizen’s Guide to Town Meetings”?

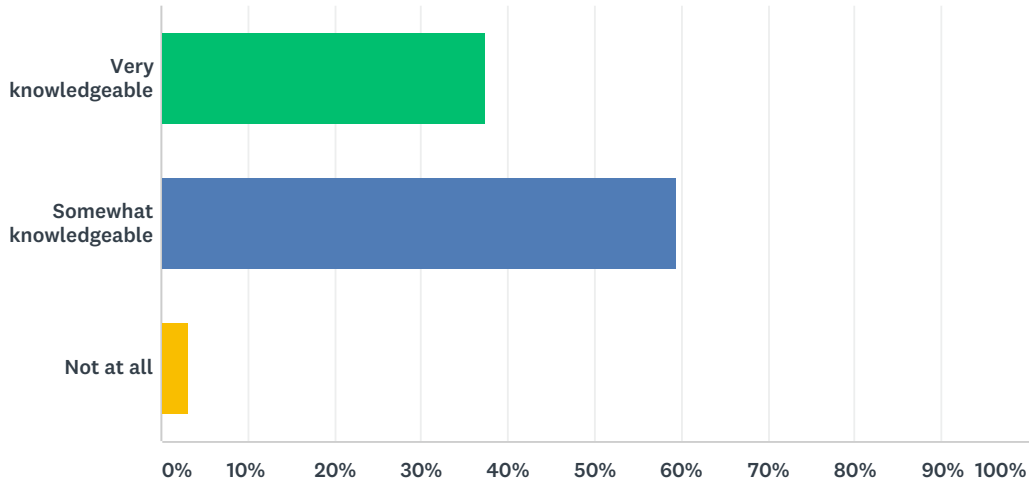
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	32.26%	10
No	58.06%	18
Unsure	9.68%	3
TOTAL		31

Q115 How well do you understand Town Meeting parliamentary procedure (for example, moving the question, a point of order, reconsideration)?

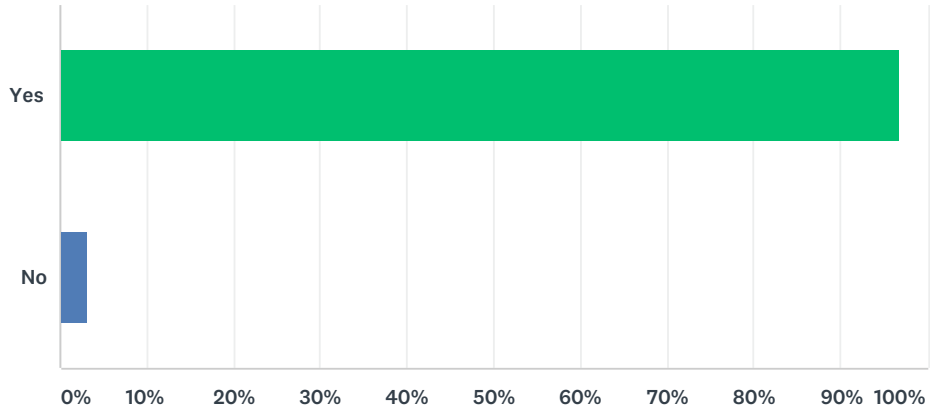
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very knowledgeable	37.50%	12
Somewhat knowledgeable	59.38%	19
Not at all	3.13%	1
TOTAL		32

Q116 Are you satisfied with the Moderator’s explanation of the procedural rules of Town Meeting?

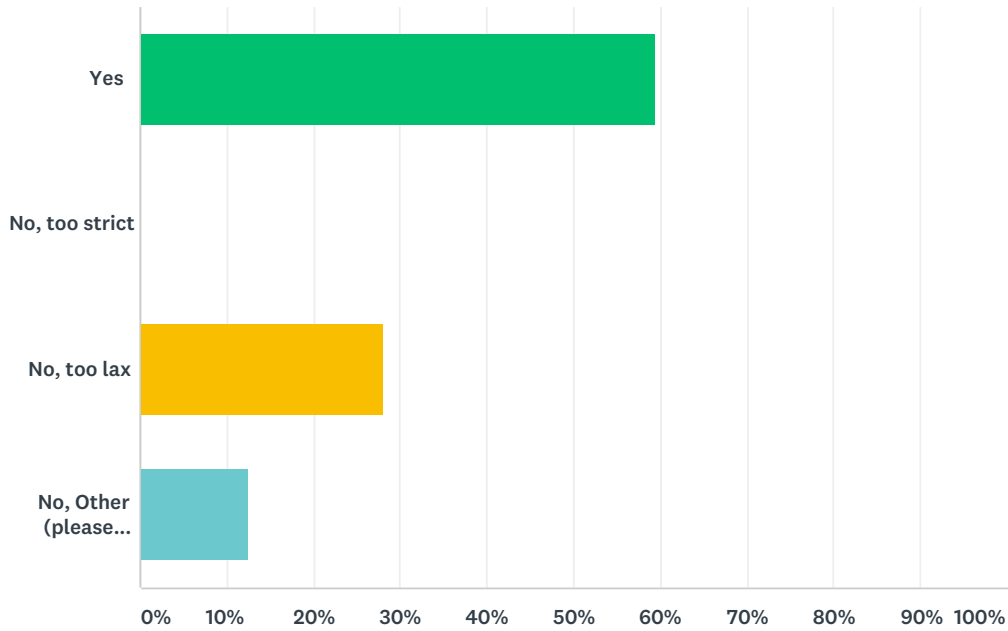
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	96.88%	31
No	3.13%	1
TOTAL		32

Q117 Are you satisfied with the rules for Town Meeting members to speak at Town Meeting?

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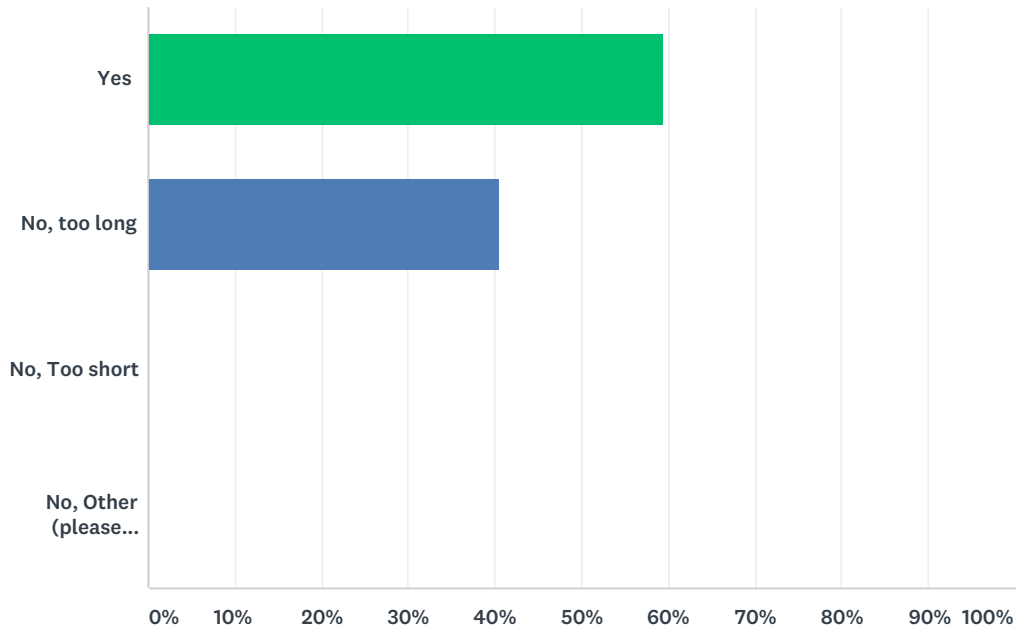


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	59.38%	19
No, too strict	0.00%	0
No, too lax	28.13%	9
No, Other (please specify)	12.50%	4
TOTAL		32

#	NO, OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	some talk too much, only to hear themselves think	6/11/2018 9:04 PM
2	don't like 3 question rule	6/11/2018 12:15 PM
3	In some instances, too lax (and points get repeated ad nauseum) and in other case, too strict (and questions should be allowed to help explore/explain)	6/11/2018 11:37 AM
4	I feel the amount of debate (usually by the same few people) should be limited.	5/17/2018 11:49 AM

Q118 Are you satisfied with the time allowed for Town Meeting members to speak at Town Meeting?

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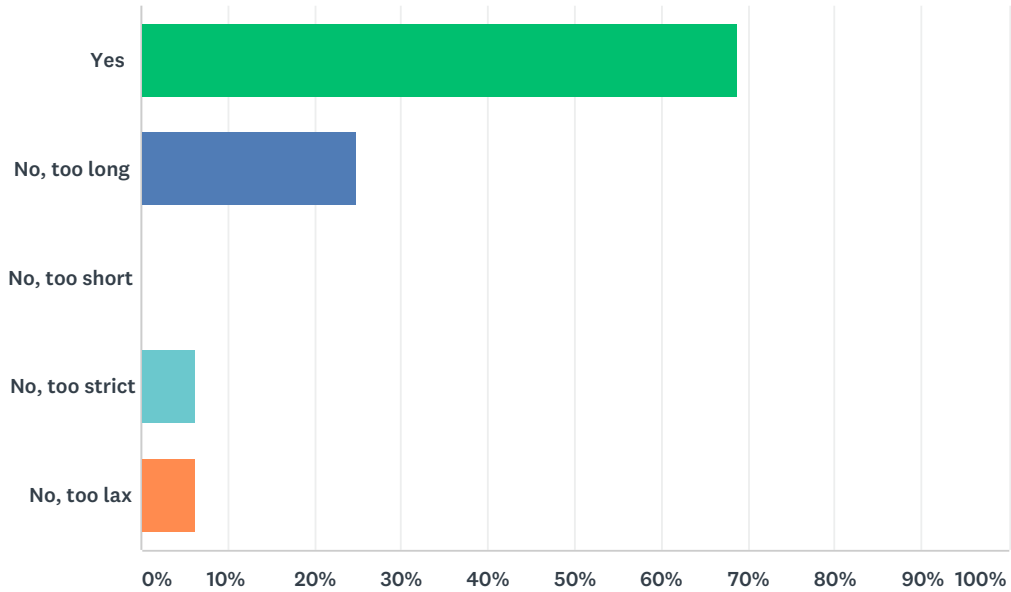


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	59.38%	19
No, too long	40.63%	13
No, Too short	0.00%	0
No, Other (please specify)	0.00%	0
TOTAL		32

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	There are no responses.	

Q119 Are you satisfied with the opportunity and rules for formal presentations by sponsors and opponents of warrant articles at Town Meeting? (check all that apply)

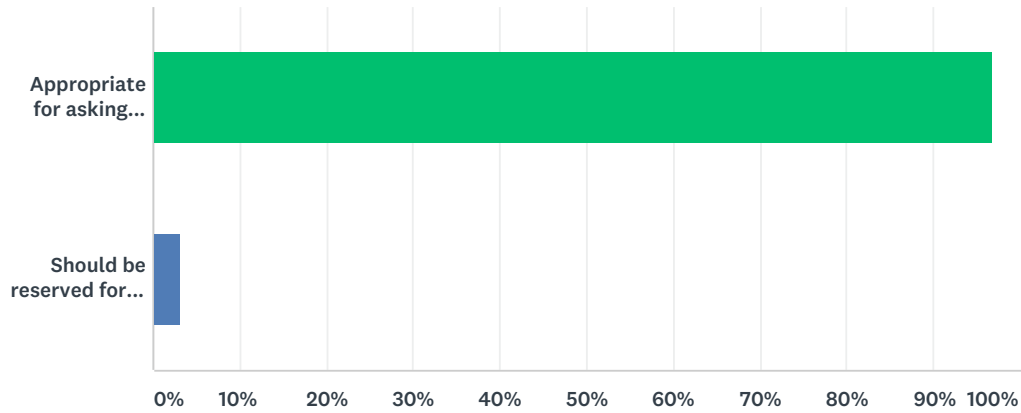
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	68.75%	22
No, too long	25.00%	8
No, too short	0.00%	0
No, too strict	6.25%	2
No, too lax	6.25%	2
Total Respondents: 32		

Q120 Is Town Meeting the appropriate time to ask questions or should Town Meeting be reserved for opinions?

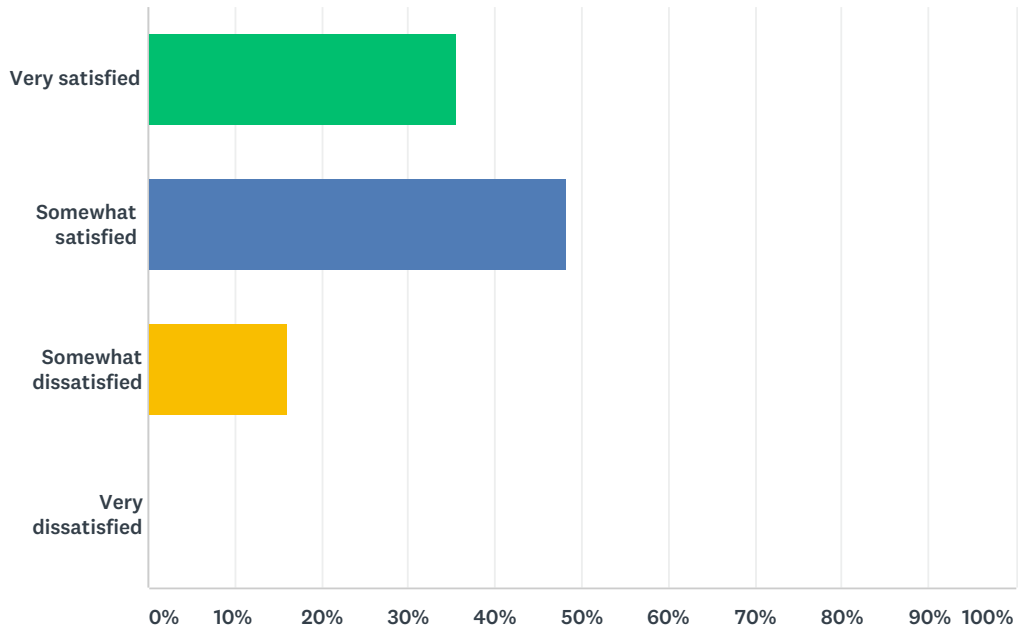
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Appropriate for asking questions	96.77%	30
Should be reserved for opinions	3.23%	1
TOTAL		31

Q121 How satisfied are you with the clarity of the information in the Finance/Advisory Committee presentations at Town Meeting?

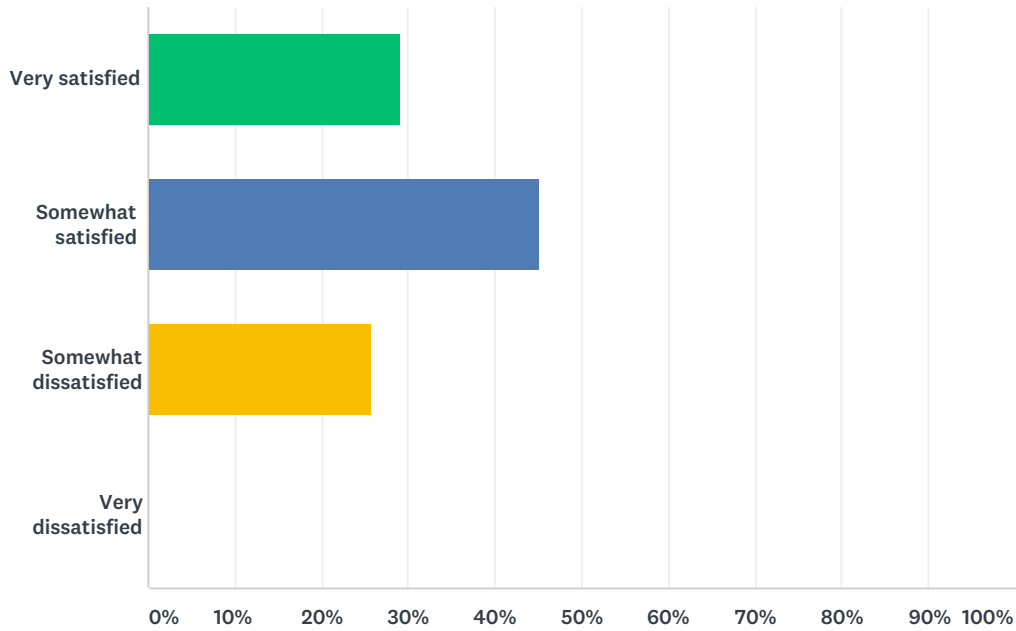
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	35.48%	11
Somewhat satisfied	48.39%	15
Somewhat dissatisfied	16.13%	5
Very dissatisfied	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q122 How satisfied are you with the clarity of the information in the Planning Board presentations at Town Meeting?

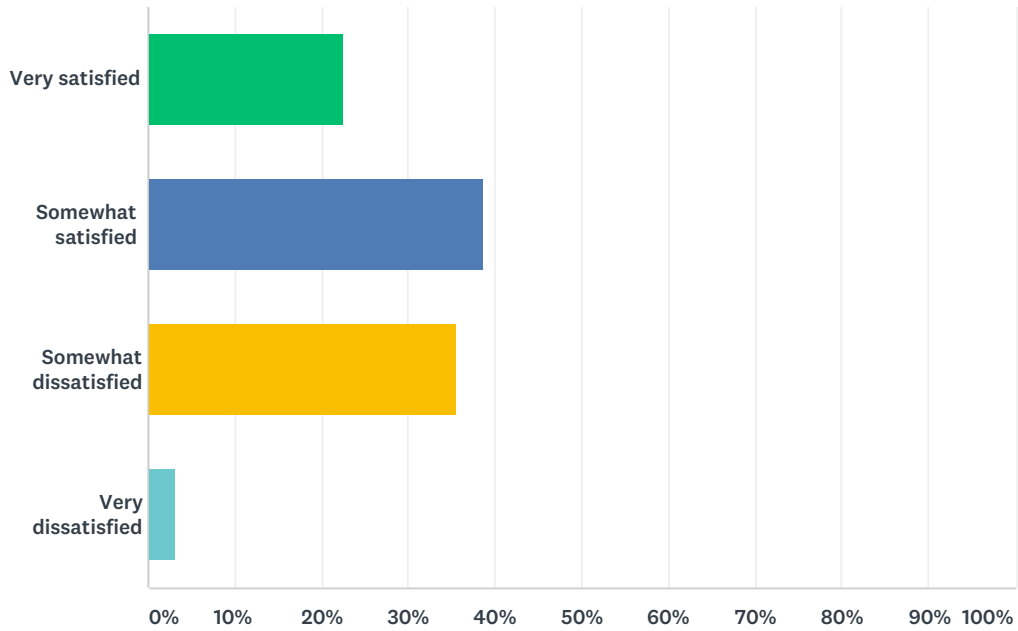
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	29.03%	9
Somewhat satisfied	45.16%	14
Somewhat dissatisfied	25.81%	8
Very dissatisfied	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q123 How satisfied are you with the clarity of the information in the Personnel Board presentations at Town Meeting?

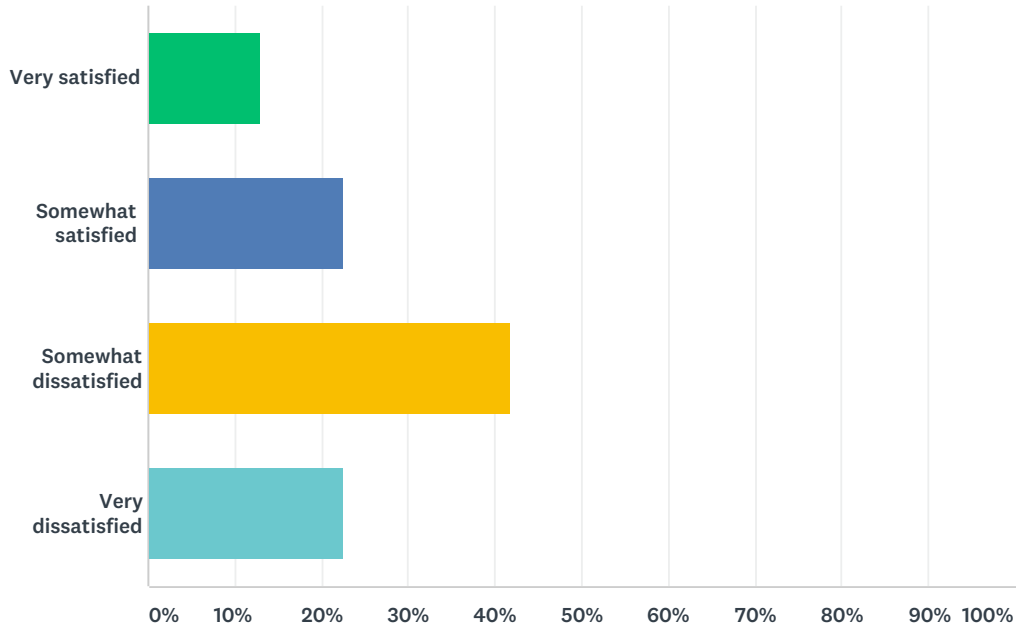
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	22.58%	7
Somewhat satisfied	38.71%	12
Somewhat dissatisfied	35.48%	11
Very dissatisfied	3.23%	1
TOTAL		31

Q124 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you that the meeting begins promptly at the designated time.

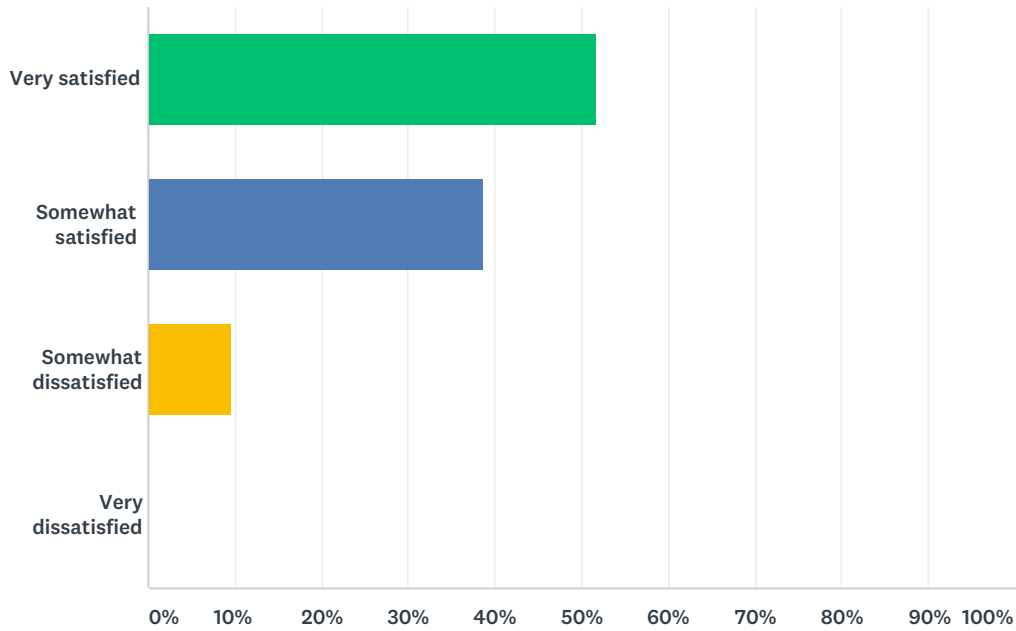
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	12.90%	4
Somewhat satisfied	22.58%	7
Somewhat dissatisfied	41.94%	13
Very dissatisfied	22.58%	7
TOTAL		31

Q125 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you that the meeting is run in an organized fashion.

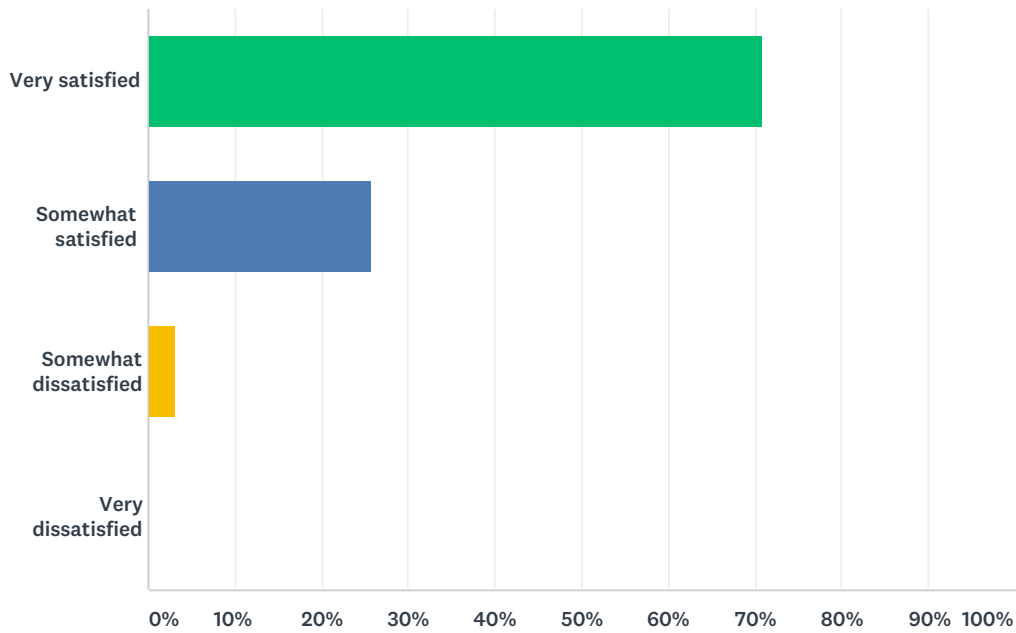
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	51.61%	16
Somewhat satisfied	38.71%	12
Somewhat dissatisfied	9.68%	3
Very dissatisfied	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q126 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you are with the quality of the audio system.

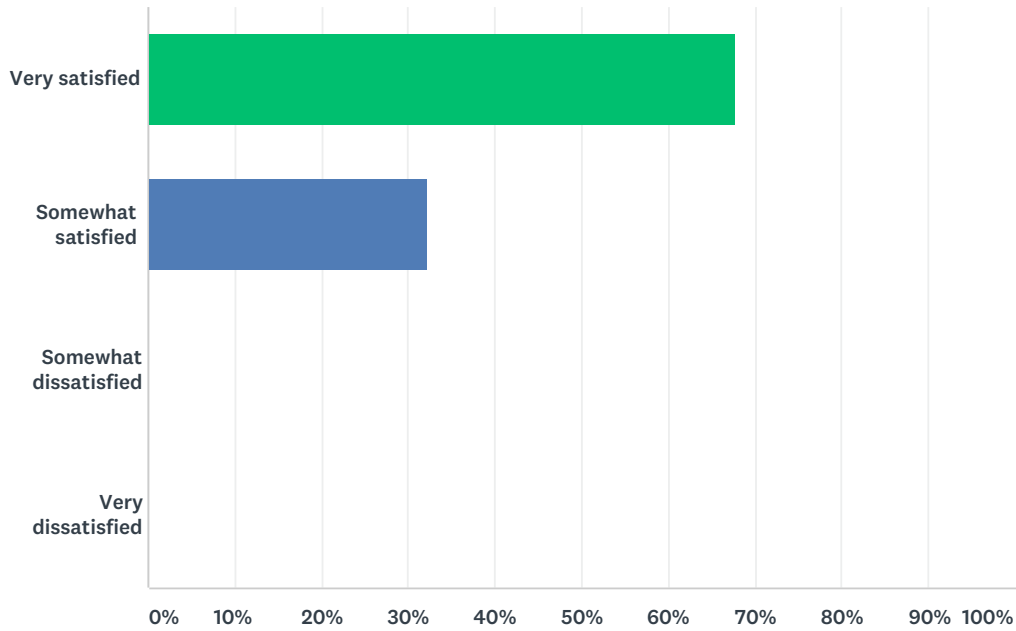
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	70.97%	22
Somewhat satisfied	25.81%	8
Somewhat dissatisfied	3.23%	1
Very dissatisfied	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q127 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you are with the quality of the visual presentations.

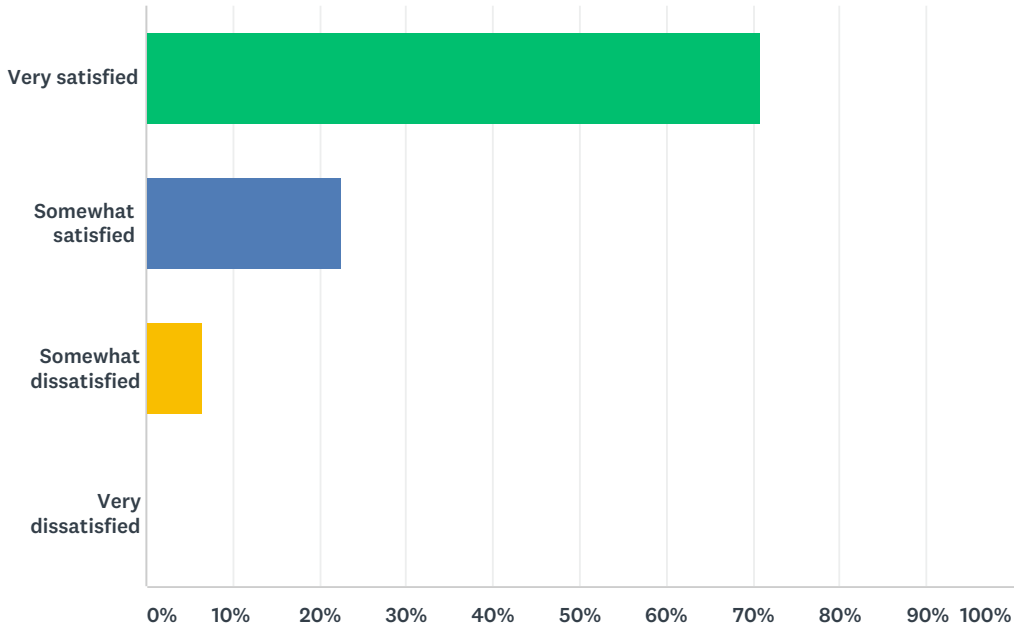
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	67.74%	21
Somewhat satisfied	32.26%	10
Somewhat dissatisfied	0.00%	0
Very dissatisfied	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q128 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you with the voting process (standing to vote, voice votes, etc.)

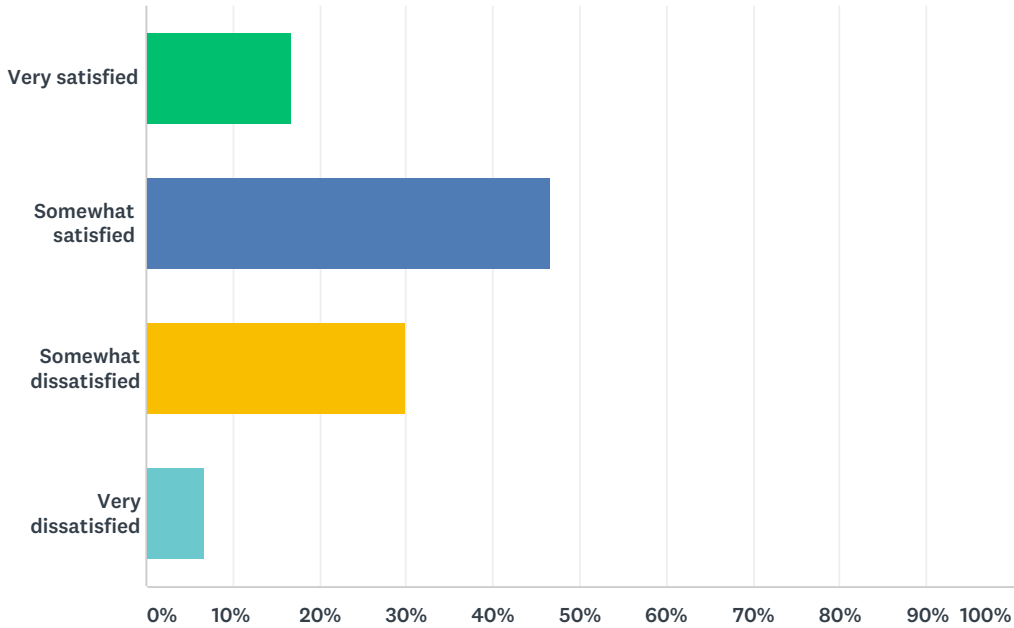
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	70.97%	22
Somewhat satisfied	22.58%	7
Somewhat dissatisfied	6.45%	2
Very dissatisfied	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q129 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you with the process to make amendments to motions at Town Meeting.

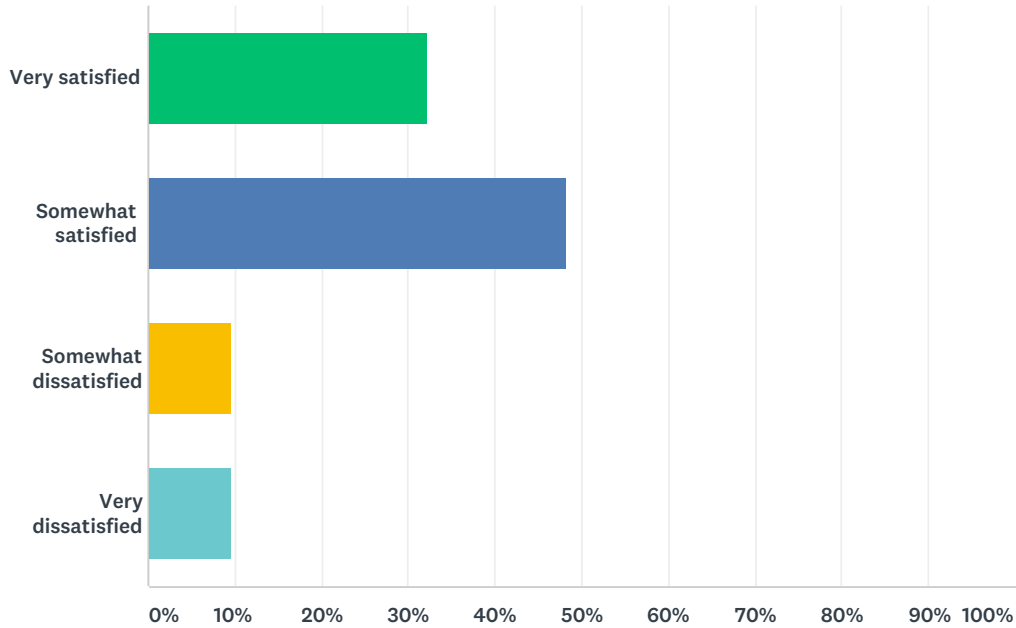
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	16.67%	5
Somewhat satisfied	46.67%	14
Somewhat dissatisfied	30.00%	9
Very dissatisfied	6.67%	2
TOTAL		30

Q130 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you are with the way in the Town Budget is presented, discussed and approved.

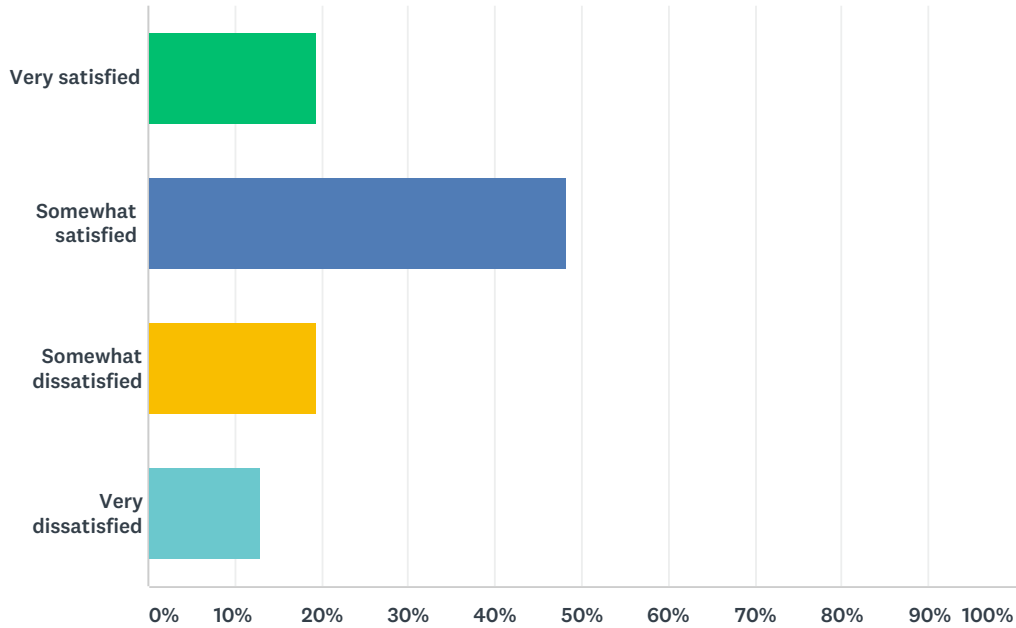
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	32.26%	10
Somewhat satisfied	48.39%	15
Somewhat dissatisfied	9.68%	3
Very dissatisfied	9.68%	3
TOTAL		31

Q131 In thinking about the most recent Town Meetings, please indicate how satisfied you are with the way in which Zoning and Land Articles are presented, discussed and approved.

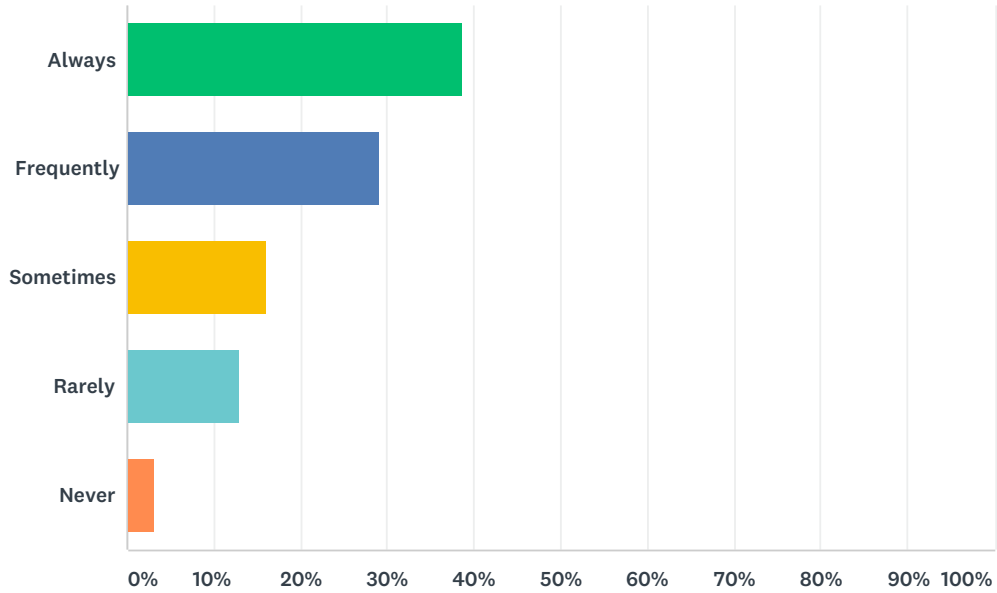
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very satisfied	19.35%	6
Somewhat satisfied	48.39%	15
Somewhat dissatisfied	19.35%	6
Very dissatisfied	12.90%	4
TOTAL		31

Q132 I feel comfortable participating at Town Meeting:

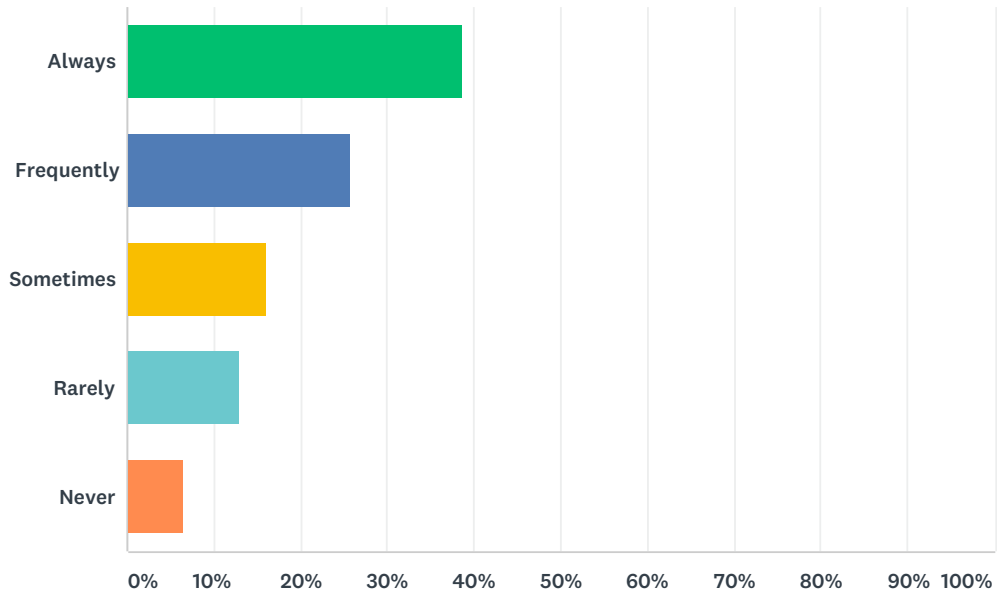
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Always	38.71%	12
Frequently	29.03%	9
Sometimes	16.13%	5
Rarely	12.90%	4
Never	3.23%	1
TOTAL		31

Q133 I feel comfortable expressing an opposing or minority view at Town Meeting:

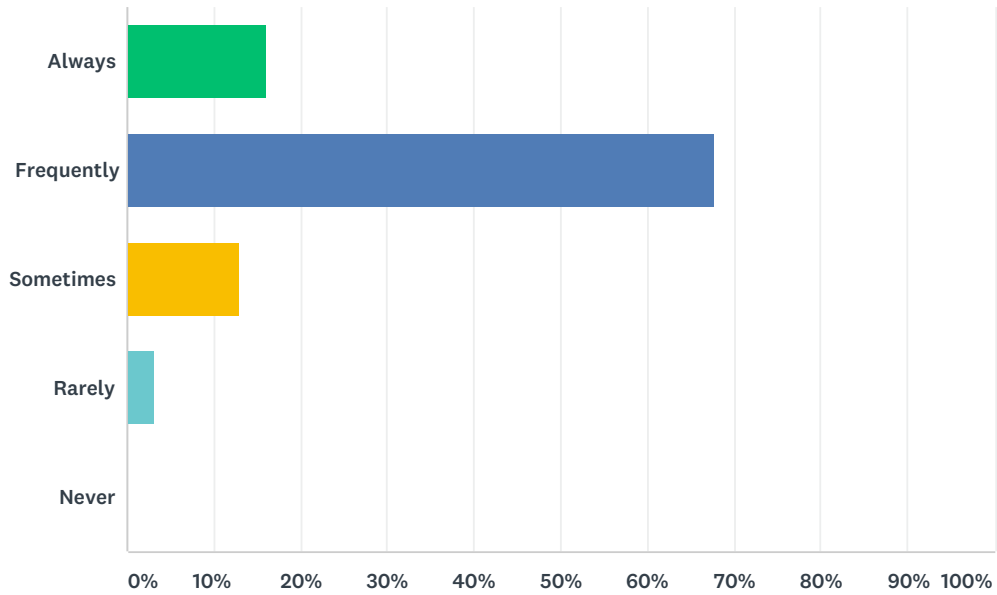
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Always	38.71%	12
Frequently	25.81%	8
Sometimes	16.13%	5
Rarely	12.90%	4
Never	6.45%	2
TOTAL		31

Q134 I feel Town Meeting Members are respectful and listen to others' comments:

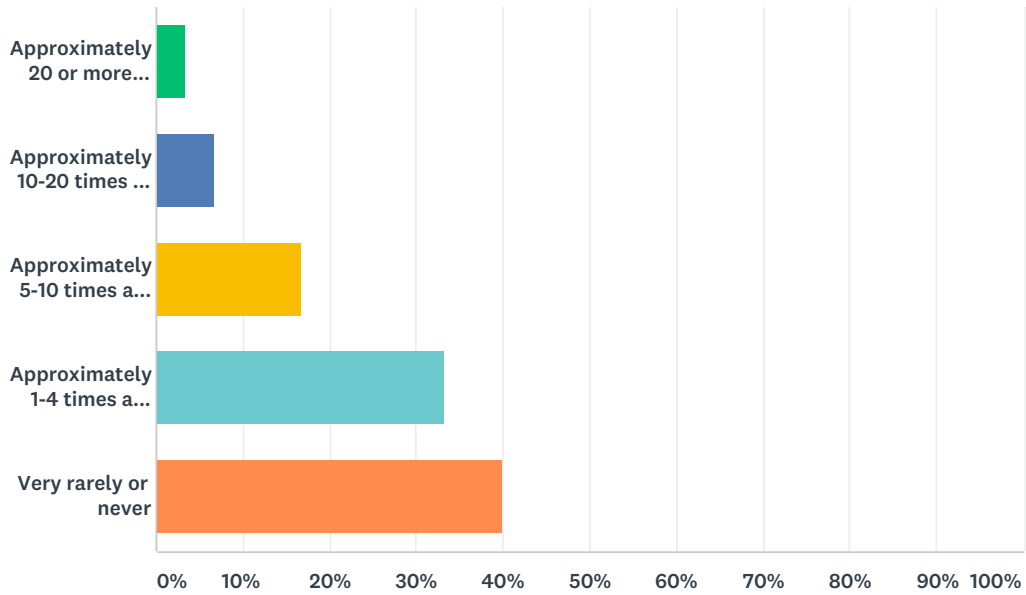
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Always	16.13%	5
Frequently	67.74%	21
Sometimes	12.90%	4
Rarely	3.23%	1
Never	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q135 How often do you speak at Town Meeting in support or opposition to an article?

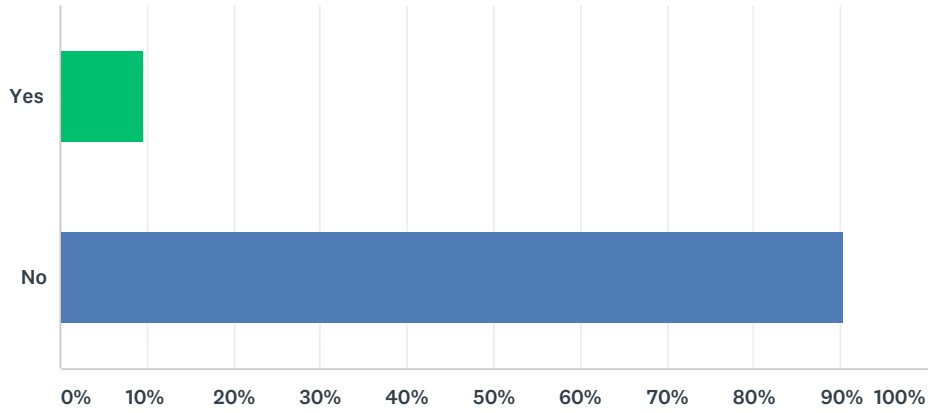
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Approximately 20 or more times a year	3.33%	1
Approximately 10-20 times a year	6.67%	2
Approximately 5-10 times a year	16.67%	5
Approximately 1-4 times a year	33.33%	10
Very rarely or never	40.00%	12
TOTAL		30

Q136 Have you ever attended Town Meeting but did not vote?

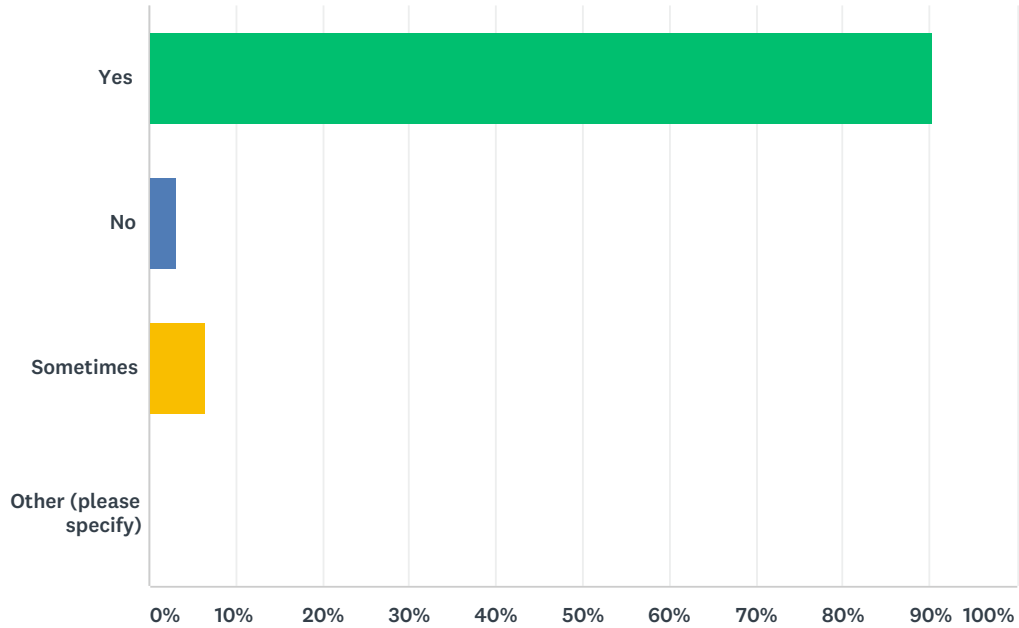
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	9.68%	3
No	90.32%	28
TOTAL		31

Q137 Do you feel qualified to vote?

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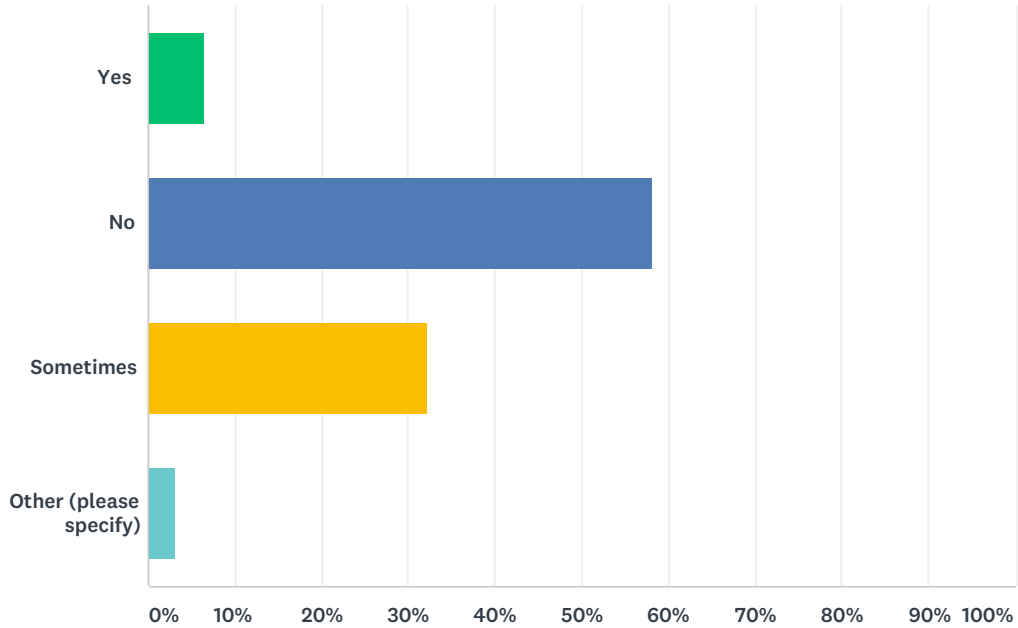


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	90.32%	28
No	3.23%	1
Sometimes	6.45%	2
Other (please specify)	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
	There are no responses.	

Q138 Are the subjects too complex?

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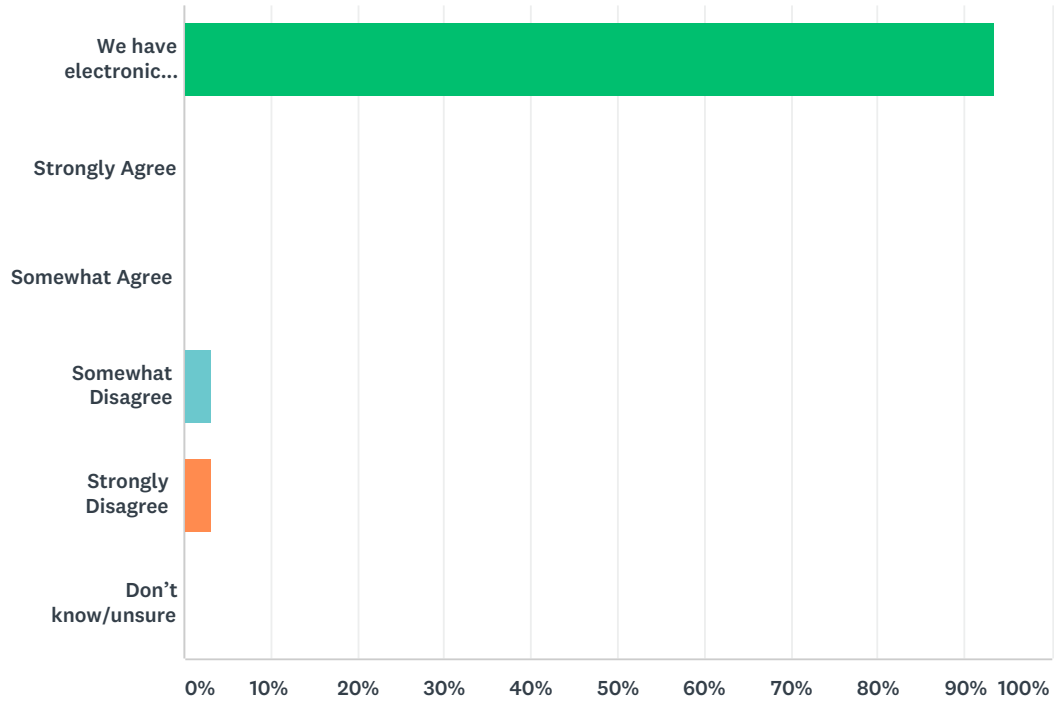


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	6.45% 2
No	58.06% 18
Sometimes	32.26% 10
Other (please specify)	3.23% 1
TOTAL	31

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Some Items could be better explained prior to voting	6/11/2018 4:56 PM

Q139 Electronic voting should be investigated for use at Town Meeting:

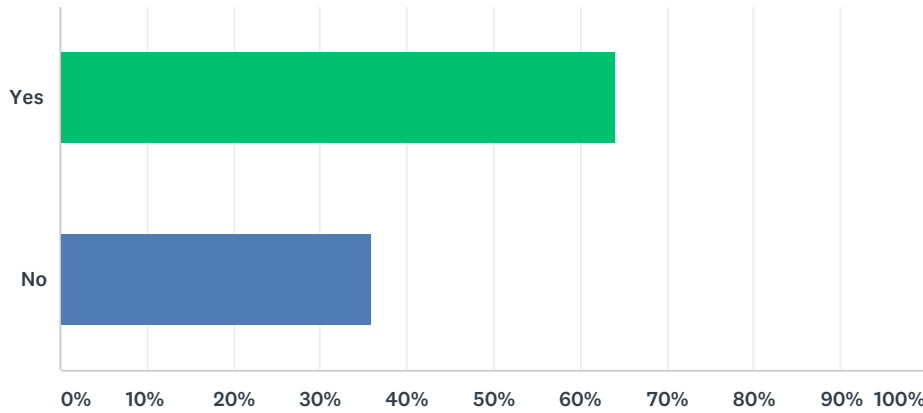
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
We have electronic voting	93.55%	29
Strongly Agree	0.00%	0
Somewhat Agree	0.00%	0
Somewhat Disagree	3.23%	1
Strongly Disagree	3.23%	1
Don't know/unsure	0.00%	0
TOTAL		31

Q140 Would you be more likely to vote if electronic voting were used at Town Meeting?

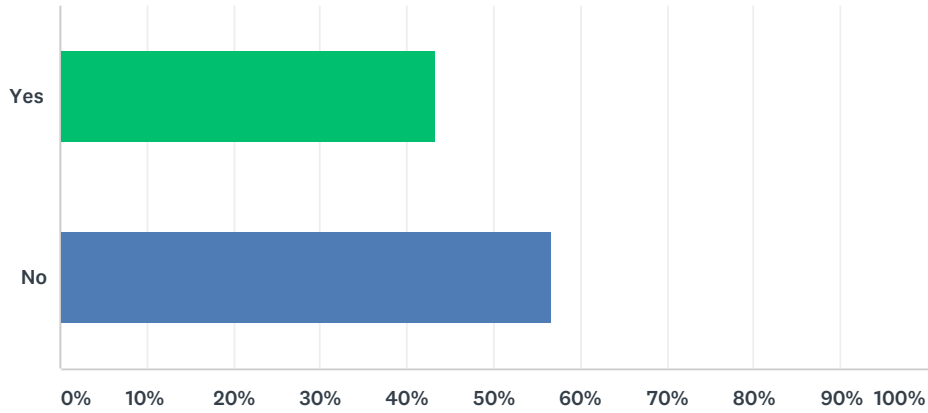
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	64.00%	16
No	36.00%	9
TOTAL		25

Q141 If remote internet-voting were available for Town Meeting Members (from your home or anywhere) while viewing town meetings live via a webcast or TV, would you be more likely to vote?

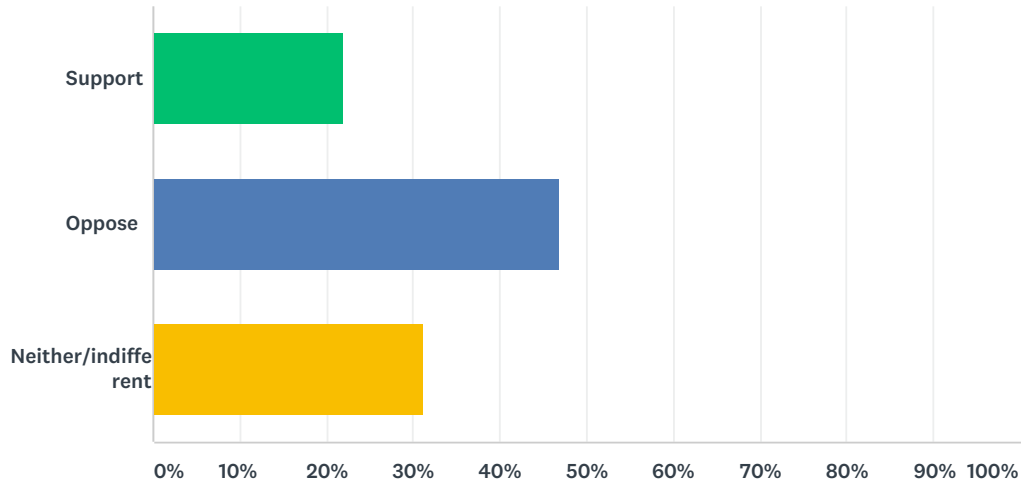
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	43.33%	13
No	56.67%	17
TOTAL		30

Q142 Would you be willing to support or oppose the town or residents seeking changes in state law and town bylaws, and taking other necessary steps, to allow remote internet-voting while viewing Town Meeting live via a webcast or TV?

Answered: 32 Skipped: 23



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Support	21.88%	7
Oppose	46.88%	15
Neither/indifferent	31.25%	10
TOTAL		32