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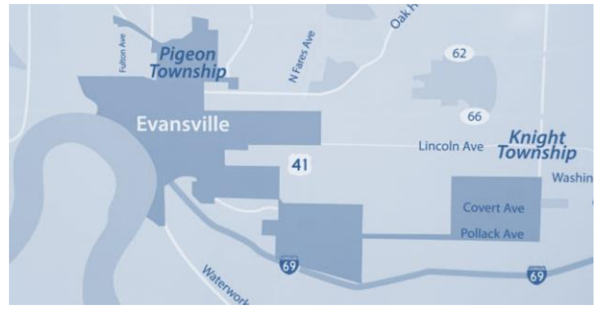


2021 Evansville Promise Zone Community Survey

Data Collection Period: September 29, 2021 through January 15, 2022 (April 2022)

In June 2016, Evansville, Indiana was awarded a 10-year Promise Zone (PZ) designation by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). ECHO Housing Corporation serves as the lead organization, and the City of Evansville Department of Metropolitan Development is the lead partner. Additionally, 27 Implementation Partners have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) committing to support the goals and activities of the Promise Zone plan, and various other organizations throughout the community are working to support these efforts.

Evansville Promise Zone serves the city's highest poverty, yet most promising, neighborhoods included within the following census tracts: 10, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 25, and 37.02. The primary challenges include poverty, low educational attainment, low-performing schools, blight, high crime, and limited access to health care and healthy foods. In response, partners are convening through work groups to increase community engagement and address six primary goal areas:

(1) Increasing jobs
(2) Improving economic activity
(3) Improving educational opportunities
(4) Decreasing violent crime
(5) Promoting health and access to healthcare
(6) Increasing access to quality affordable housing

A comprehensive outcome evaluation is being conducted to gauge progress toward goal areas. While the evaluation plan draws on a variety of existing data sources to track progress, a community survey that examines community perceptions is distributed every two years throughout the 10-year Promise Zone designation. The community survey was first distributed in fall 2017, again in fall 2019, and again in fall 2021. This report summarizes key findings from the fall 2021 administration and provides an update on progress made towards the six primary goals since the 2017 survey.

Report Layout/Interpretation

This report summarizes key findings associated with community engagement and Promise Zone goal areas measured within the survey. Key considerations include:

→ Findings represent the overall Evansville Promise area defined by **census tracts 10, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 25, and 37.02**.

→ When comparing current survey results to prior years, differences in sample size and margin of error between survey administrations should be considered. In 2017, 387 individuals (**+/- 5%**) responded to the survey, 596 responded in 2019 (**+/- 4%**), and 450 responded in 2021 (**+/- 4%**). Margin of error for individual items may vary based on available data for each item, so the overall margin of error should be considered as a general guide for interpretation.

→ Descriptions of key findings presented in this report focus on the most recent survey administration. Inferential testing was also conducted (Z-test with finite population correction). In cases where statistically significant differences (not likely due to random chance alone) between survey years were found, comparisons are provided and differences noted.

Approach

The Evansville Promise Zone Community Survey was collaboratively developed to address specific outcomes for each goal area, as well as examine aspects of community engagement. Diehl Consulting Group (DCG) developed and coordinated survey administration with feedback from Promise Zone goal-area work groups and Evansville Promise Zone Governance Committee members.

Procedures: Survey procedures were consistent with prior survey administration with some exceptions. In 2017, a stratified random sample of households from each of the ten primary census tracts encompassing Evansville Promise Zone boundaries was used (represented about 70% of households). In 2019, Promise Zone partners requested further disaggregation by census clusters. Therefore, all households with a valid mailing address were included in the 2019 survey to increase sample sizes for supplemental census cluster analyses (not included in this report). The approach used in 2021 was consistent with 2019 survey methods.

Specifically, for the 2021 survey, DataMail, Inc. identified and distributed surveys to a total of 7,504 valid household mailing addresses within the designated census tracts. After the initial distribution, two separate follow-up methods were utilized. First, a second wave of surveys were administered by DataMail, Inc. During that process, 4,171 surveys were mailed to addresses that had already received but not responded to the survey during the first survey administration. Surveys were sent only to areas with lower participation rates. Following this second mailing, Evansville Promise Zone volunteers conducted door-to-door surveying in a portion of census tracts with lower response rates.

Participants: A total of **450 individuals** completed the 2021 Evansville Promise Community Survey. Using a confidence level of 95%, this reflects a margin of error rate of +/- 4%. To ensure representation across the service area, respondents' census block group was tracked. All block groups in the area had representation among the survey responses. In addition, data were weighted by key demographic characteristics including age, gender, White/NonWhite, education, poverty status, and census tract. As shown to the right, the weighted sample closely approximates distributions from the most recent version of the American Community Survey (2020).

Further, participants reported living in their current neighborhood an average of 12 years (range <1 year to 75 years), while residing at their current address an average of 10 years (<1 to 62 years). Forty-five percent (45%) reported owning their home.

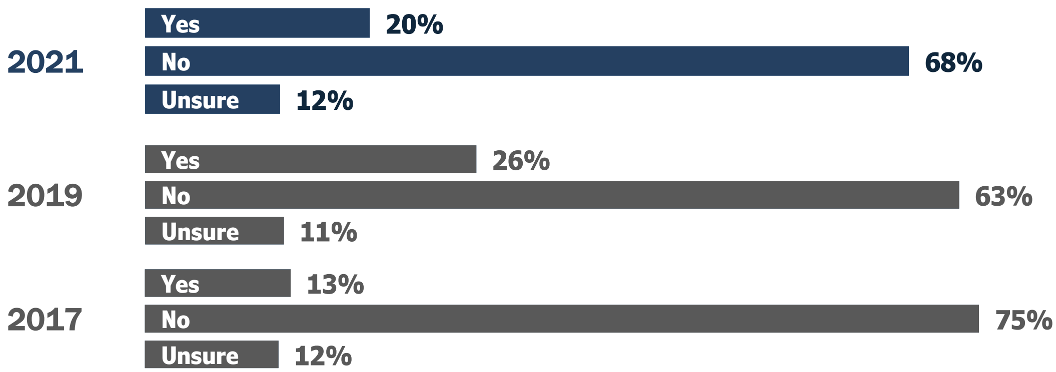
Overall PZ Demographic		% from ACS 5-Year 2020 Estimates[a]	Unweighted Responding Sample (%)	Weighted Responding Sample (%)
Age	18 to 44	42.6%	23.4%	42.4%
	45 to 54	21.6%	10.9%	21.6%
	55 to 64	17.5%	27.4%	17.6%
	65 to 74	9.6%	26.6%	9.7%
	75 and over	8.7%	11.7%	8.8%
Gender	Female (18+)	54.5%	62.2%	53.7%
	Male (18+)	45.5%	36.3%	44.9%
Race/ Ethnicity	White/Non-Hispanic	59.2%	73.3%	59.2%
	Non-White/Hispanic	40.8%	26.7%	40.8%
Education	Less than high school graduate	19.3%	10.0%	19.3%
	High school graduate (includes equivalency)	38.5%	27.4%	38.4%
	Some college or Associate's degree	29.4%	38.1%	29.5%
	Bachelor's degree	8.6%	11.9%	8.7%
	Graduate or professional degree	4.1%	12.6%	4.1%
Poverty	< 100% poverty level	35.0%	27.9%	35.0%
	100% to 149% poverty level	15.4%	16.3%	15.4%
	>=150% percent of poverty level	49.5%	56.0%	49.6%
Census Tract	10	20.1%	15.6%	20.1%
	12	8.2%	8.9%	8.2%
	13	9.7%	7.4%	10.0%
	14	7.0%	8.5%	6.9%
	17	9.8%	12.7%	9.8%
	18	3.4%	2.9%	3.4%
	19	4.5%	7.6%	4.6%
	20	4.1%	5.1%	4.2%
	25	7.7%	8.5%	7.4%
	37.02	25.5%	22.8%	25.2%

[a]American Community Survey (ACS) 5-Year estimates were used. Like 2019, gender was based only on 18+ and race/ethnicity included multi-racial for more precise population estimates for the 2021 survey. All other variables were derived using identical procedures as in 2017.

Key Findings

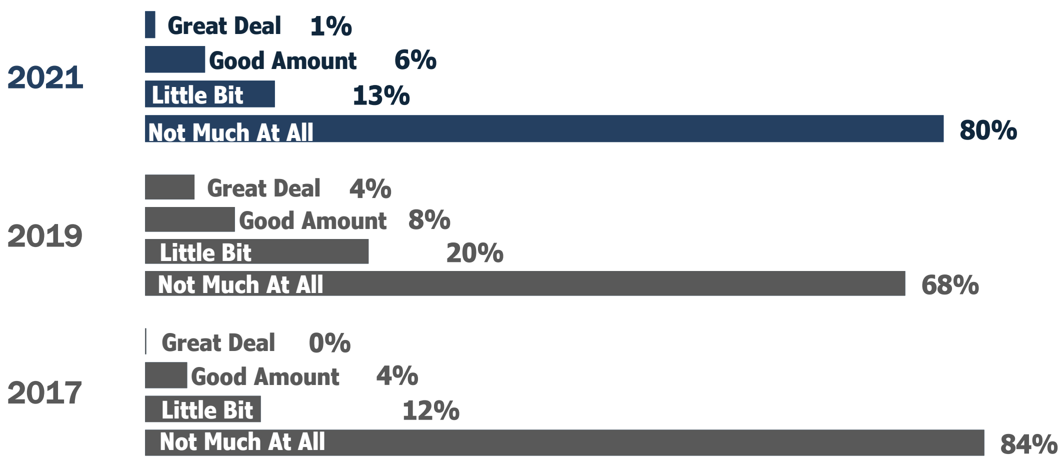
Increasing Community Engagement

Have you heard of Evansville Promise Zone?



***20%** reported awareness of the Promise Zone in 2021, compared to **26%** in 2019 and **13%** in 2017.*
(Note: Significant difference across all time periods)

How much do you understand the purpose of Evansville Promise Zone?

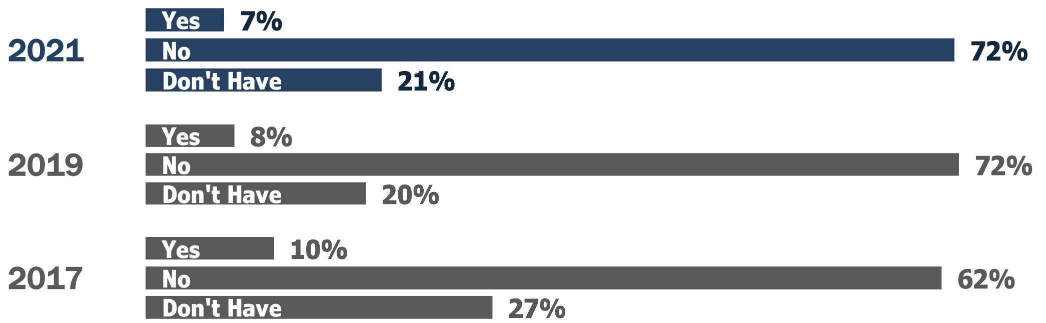


***7%** reported a good or great understanding of the purpose of the Promise Zone in 2021, compared to **12%** in 2019 and **4%** in 2017.*
(Note: Significant differences between 2021 & 2019, and between 2019 & 2017)

Have you attended a Promise Zone event?

***2%** reported attending an Evansville Promise Zone event in 2021, compared to **4%** in 2019. (Note: Significant differences between 2021 & 2019)*

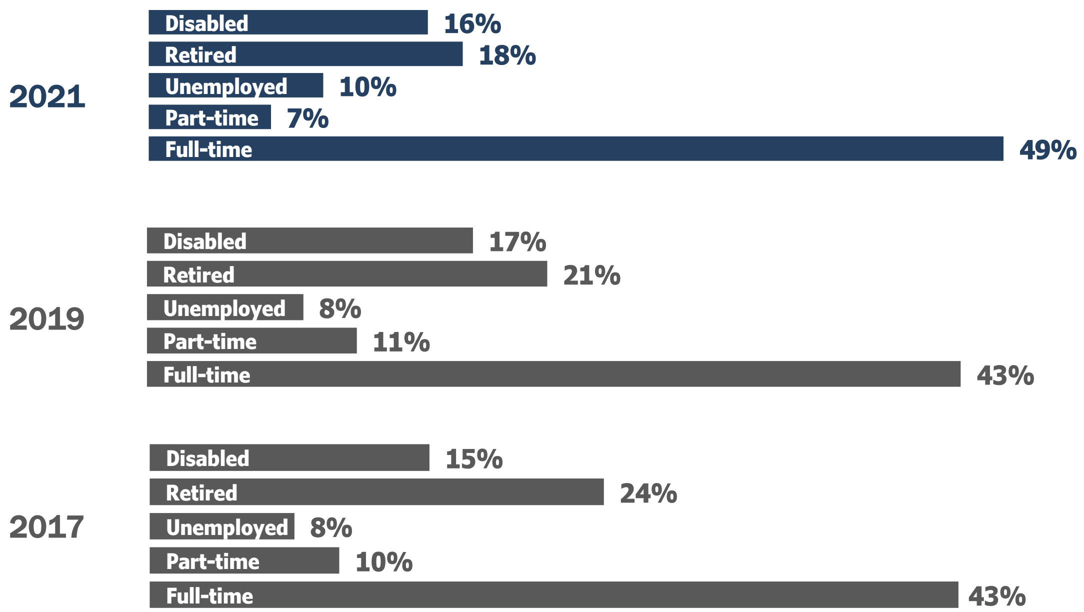
Are you involved in your neighborhood association?



***7%** reported involvement in their neighborhood association in 2021, compared to **8%** in 2019 and **10%** in 2017.*
(Note: Significant differences between 2021 & 2017)

Increasing Jobs

What is the employment status of the head of household?



***55%** reported the employment status of the head of household as either part-time or full-time. Of these participants, **approximately 52%** reported that their current job met their financial needs.*

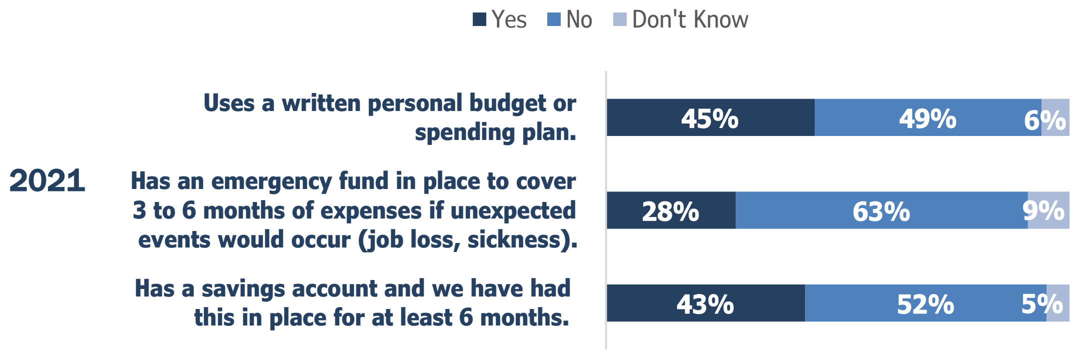
Of those participants reporting being employed part-time or full-time…

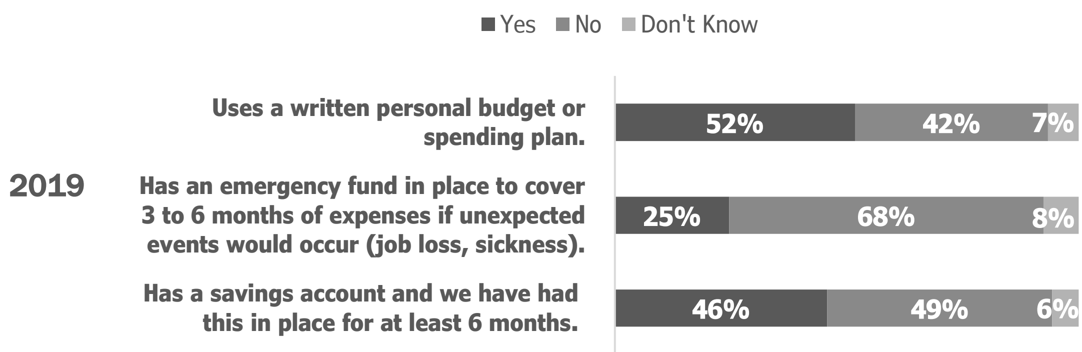
- → **17%** had more than one job for pay in 2021 (**19%** in 2019; **15%** in 2017)
- → **15%** are currently looking for a different job in 2021 (**28%** in 2019; **18%** in 2017)
- → **52%** agreed that their current job met their financial needs in 2021 (**46%** in 2019 & 2017)

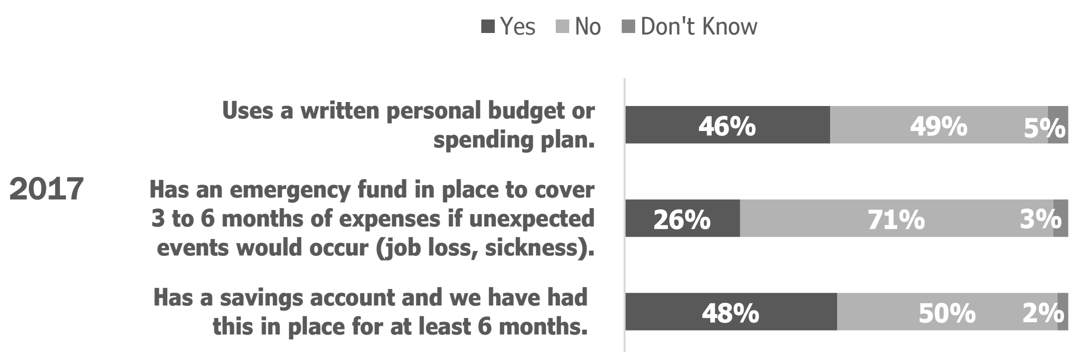
When asked to consider all people employed in the household…

- → **49%** agreed income from employment met financial needs in 2021 (**42%** in 2019; **47%** in 2017)

What percent of households have a budget, emergency fund, and savings account?







***45%* reported using a written personal budget or spending plan in 2021, compared to *52%* in 2019.**

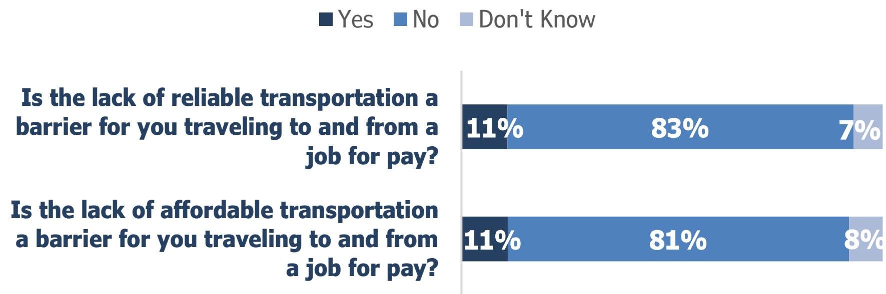
(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019)

***28%* reported having an emergency fund.**

***43%* reported having a savings account.**

Is transportation a barrier traveling to and from a job for pay?

2021



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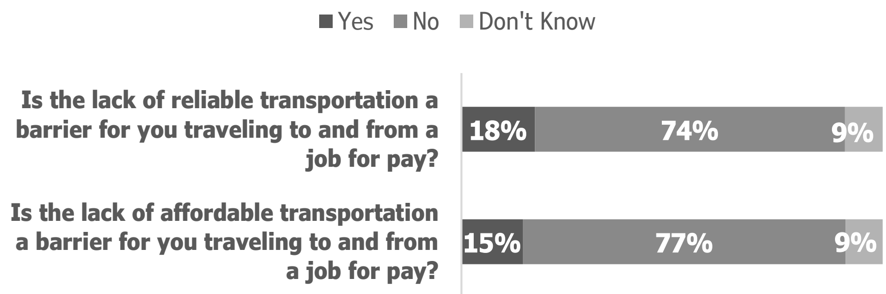

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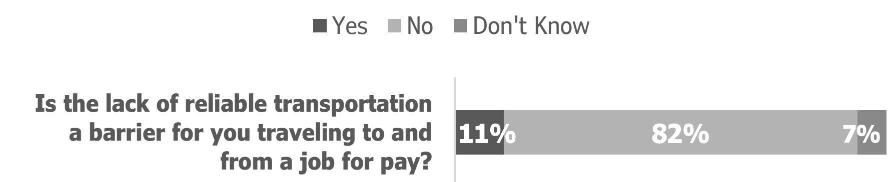
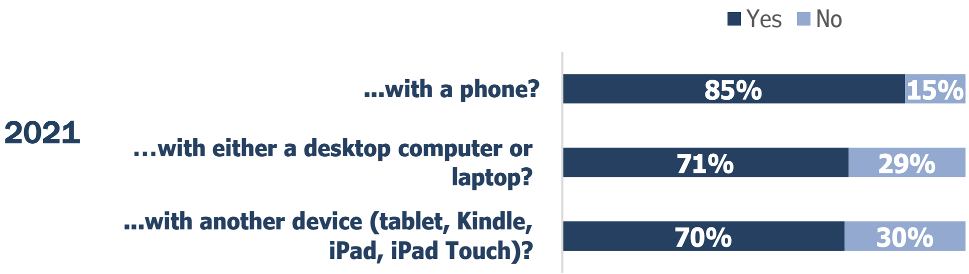
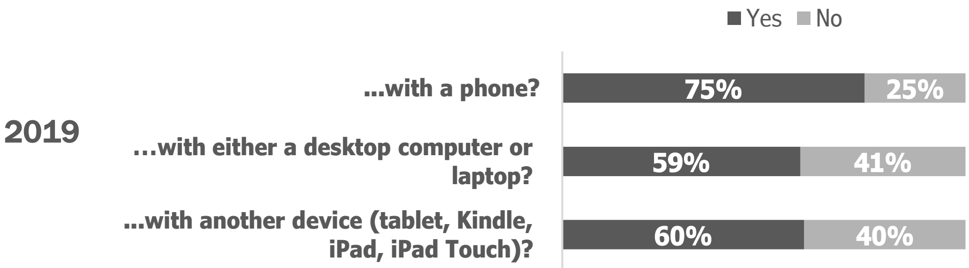


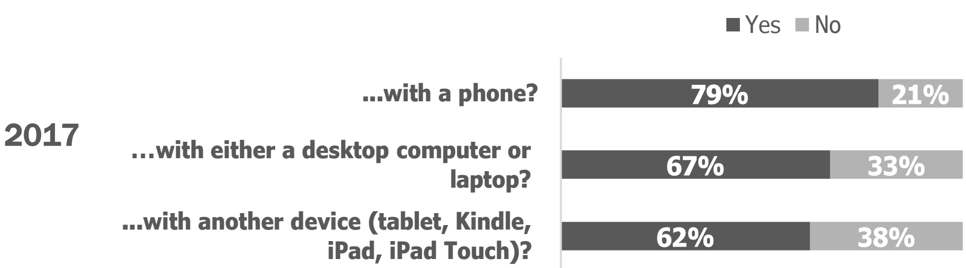
***11%** reported reliable transportation as a barrier to traveling to and from a job for pay in 2021, compared to **18%** in 2019.*
(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019)

***11%** reported affordable transportation as a barrier to traveling to and from a job for pay.*

Can you access the internet at home?







***85%** reported being able to access the internet with a phone in 2021, compared to **75%** in 2019 and **79%** in 2017.*

(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019, and between 2021 & 2017)

***71%** reported being able to access the internet with either a desktop computer or laptop in 2021, compared to **59%** in 2019 and **67%** in 2017.*

(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019, and between 2019 & 2017)

***70%** reported being able to access the internet with another device in 2021, compared to **60%** in 2019 and **62%** in 2017.*

(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019, and between 2021 & 2017)

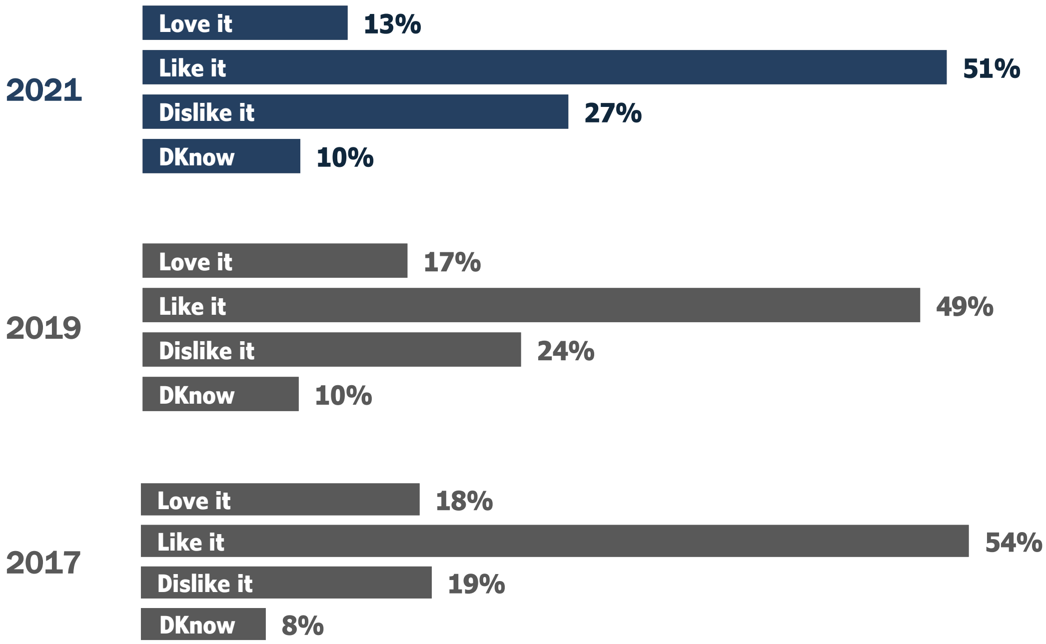
Of those reporting being able to access the internet at home with a device other than a phone…

- → **54%** reported that the connection is fast (DSL, Broadband, or cable), compared to **54%** in 2019 and **60%** in 2017.
- → **25%** reported that the connection is slow (dial-up), compared to **22%** in 2019 and **20%** in 2017.
- → **21%** did not know in 2021, compared to **25%** in 2019 and **20%** in 2017.
- → **82%** reported having unlimited data limits in 2021, compared to **78%** in 2019 and **82%** in 2017.

Note: **10% reported not being able to access the internet at home (to use a device other than a phone) in 2021, compared to **17%** in 2019 and **19%** in 2017.*

Increasing Economic Opportunities

How much do residents love/like their neighborhood?

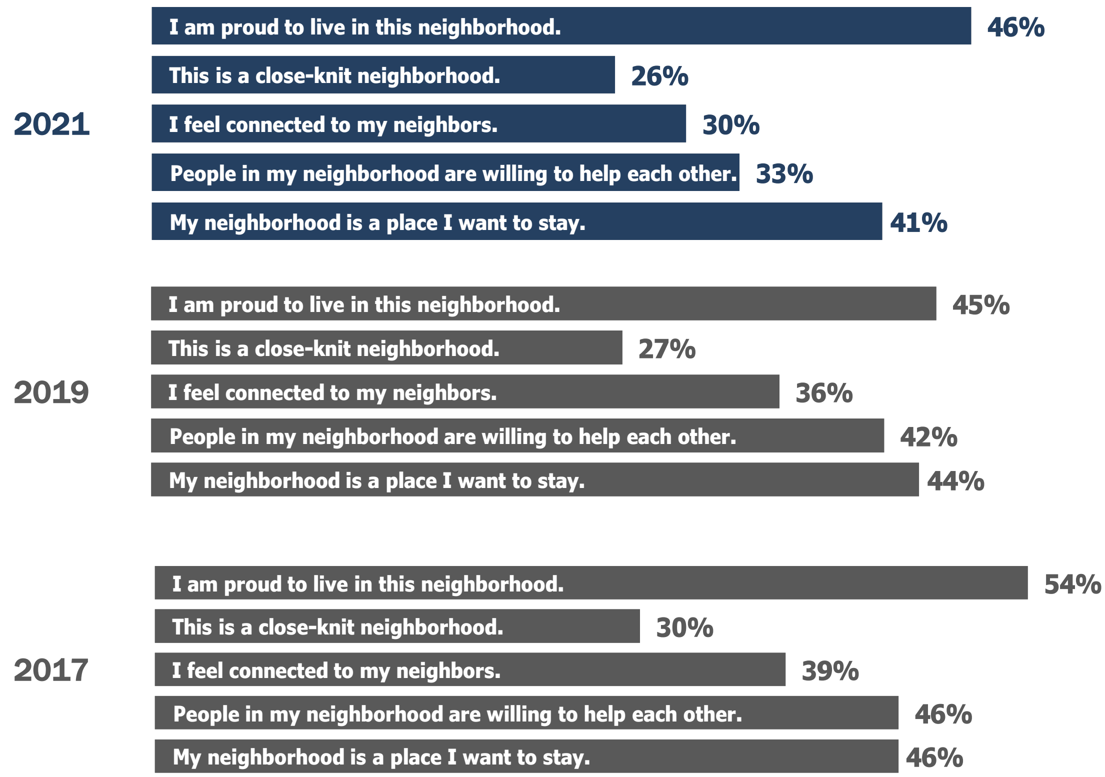


***64%** reported "liking or loving" their neighborhood in 2021, compared to **66%** in 2019 and **73%** in 2017.*

(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017 and between 2019 & 2017)

What are residents' perceptions of neighborhood pride and connectedness?

*Overall, resident agreement with neighborhood pride and connectedness items ranged from **26%** to **46%**.*



***46%** reported being proud to live in their neighborhood in 2021, compared to **45%** in 2019 and **54%** in 2017.*

(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017, and between 2019 & 2017)

***30%** reported being connected to neighbors in 2021, compared to **39%** in 2017.*

(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017)

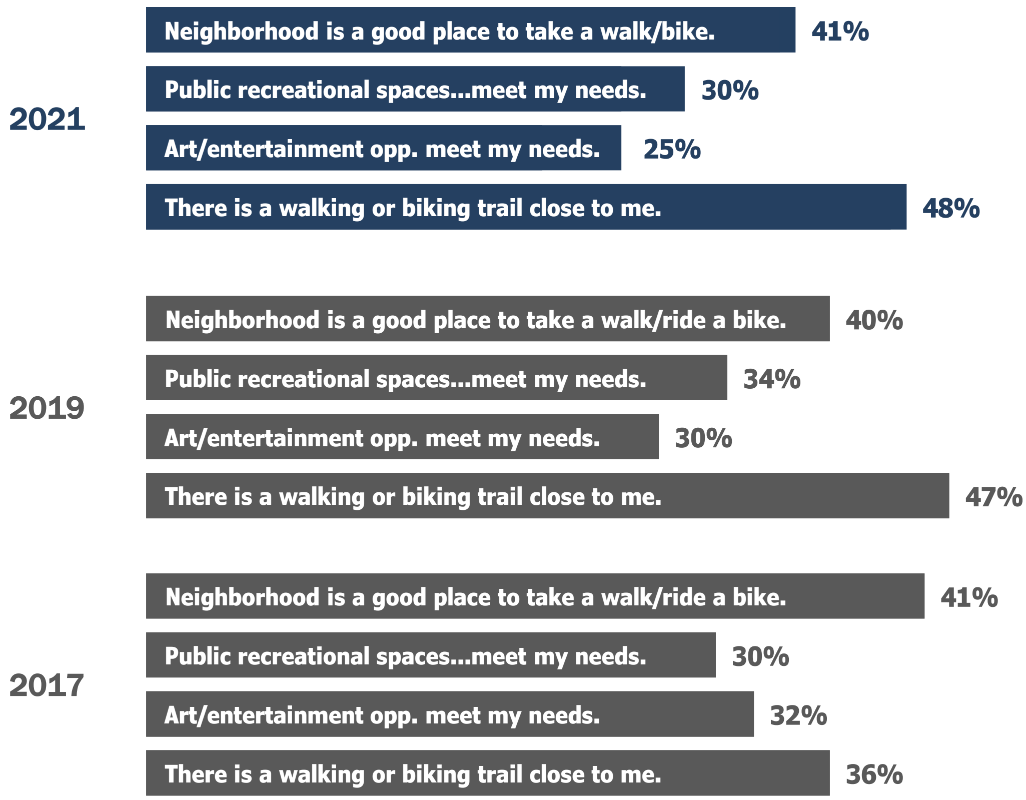
***33%** reported neighbors willing to help in 2021, compared to **42%** in 2019 and **46%** in 2017.*

(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017, and between 2019 & 2017)

Neighborhood Pride	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	In the Middle	Agree	Strongly Agree	Agree/ Strongly Agree
2021						
I am proud to live in this neighborhood.	9%	12%	33%	30%	16%	**46%***
This is a close-knit neighborhood.	16%	29%	30%	17%	9%	**26%**
I feel connected to my neighbors.	12%	29%	29%	21%	9%	**30%***
People in my neighborhood are willing to help each other.	14%	16%	38%	23%	9%	**33%***
My neighborhood is a place I want to stay.	18%	11%	29%	24%	18%	**41%**
2019						
I am proud to live in this neighborhood.	14%	12%	29%	23%	22%	**45%***
This is a close-knit neighborhood.	16%	26%	32%	18%	9%	**27%**
I feel connected to my neighbors.	12%	20%	32%	25%	11%	**36%**
People in my neighborhood are willing to help each other.	10%	17%	31%	29%	13%	**42%***
My neighborhood is a place I want to stay.	18%	11%	28%	24%	20%	**44%**
2017						
I am proud to live in this neighborhood.	9%	13%	25%	34%	20%	**54%***
This is a close-knit neighborhood.	13%	22%	35%	21%	9%	**30%**
I feel connected to my neighbors.	11%	16%	35%	26%	13%	**39%***
People in my neighborhood are willing to help each other.	9%	14%	31%	32%	14%	**46%***
My neighborhood is a place I want to stay.	14%	15%	25%	28%	18%	**46%**

Significant difference.

What are residents' perceptions of neighborhood infrastructure?



*Overall, resident agreement with aspects of neighborhood infrastructure ranged from **25%** to **48%**.*

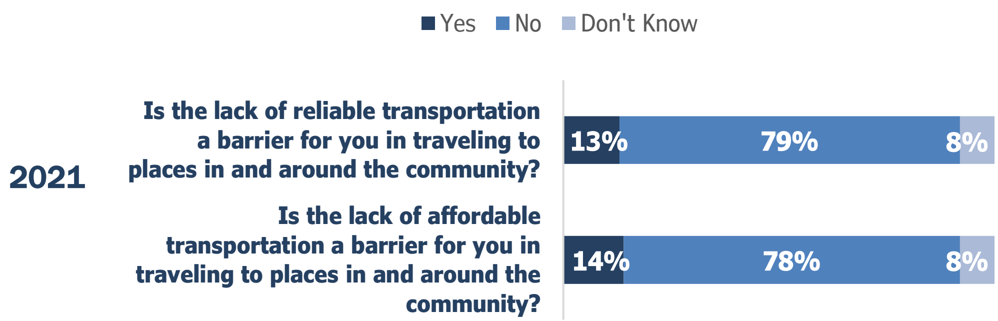
***48%** reported that a walking or biking trail was close to them in 2021 and **47%** in 2019, compared to **36%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017, and between 2019 & 2017)*

***25%** reported art/entertainment opportunities met their needs in 2021, compared to **32%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017)*

Neighborhood Infrastructure	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	In the Middle	Agree	Strongly Agree	Agree/ Strongly Agree
2021						
My neighborhood is a good place to take a walk or ride a bike.	15%	13%	30%	35%	6%	**41%**
Public recreational spaces (parks, trails) in my neighborhood meet my needs.	12%	25%	33%	23%	7%	**30%**
Art and entertainment opportunities meet my needs.	19%	29%	27%	20%	5%	**25%***
There is a walking or biking trail close to me.	10%	20%	22%	34%	14%	**48%***
2019						
My neighborhood is a good place to take a walk or ride a bike.	16%	16%	29%	29%	11%	**40%**
Public recreational spaces (parks, trails) in my neighborhood meet my needs.	16%	23%	28%	26%	8%	**34%**
Art and entertainment opportunities meet my needs.	14%	27%	29%	22%	8%	**30%**
There is a walking or biking trail close to me.	16%	18%	20%	30%	17%	**47%***
2017						
My neighborhood is a good place to take a walk or ride a bike.	7%	16%	36%	32%	9%	**41%**
Public recreational spaces (parks, trails) in my neighborhood meet my needs.	16%	21%	34%	24%	6%	**30%**
Art and entertainment opportunities meet my needs.	18%	25%	25%	24%	8%	**32%***
There is a walking or biking trail close to me.	24%	25%	15%	25%	11%	**36%***

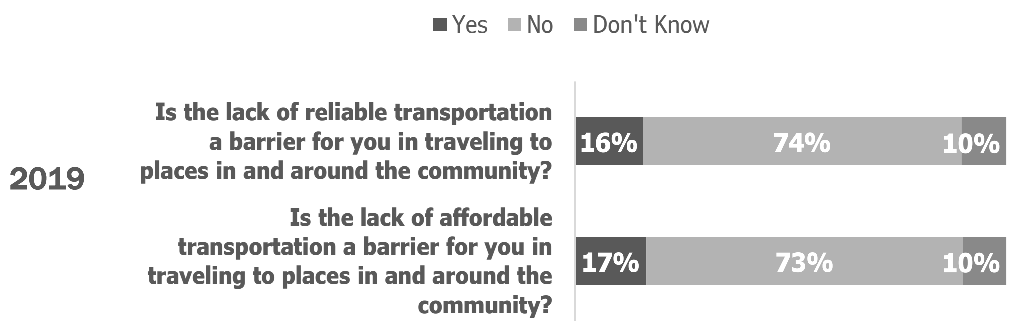
Significant difference.

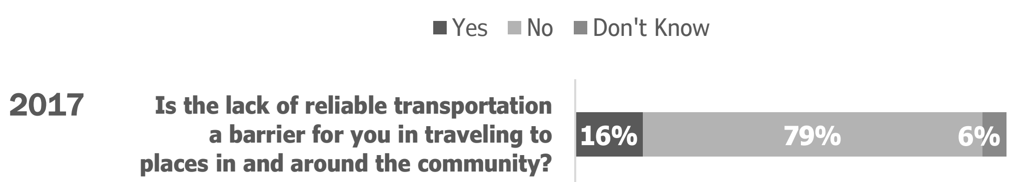
Is transportation a barrier traveling to places in and around the community?



***13%** reported <u>reliable transportation</u> as a barrier to traveling to places in and around the community in 2021.*

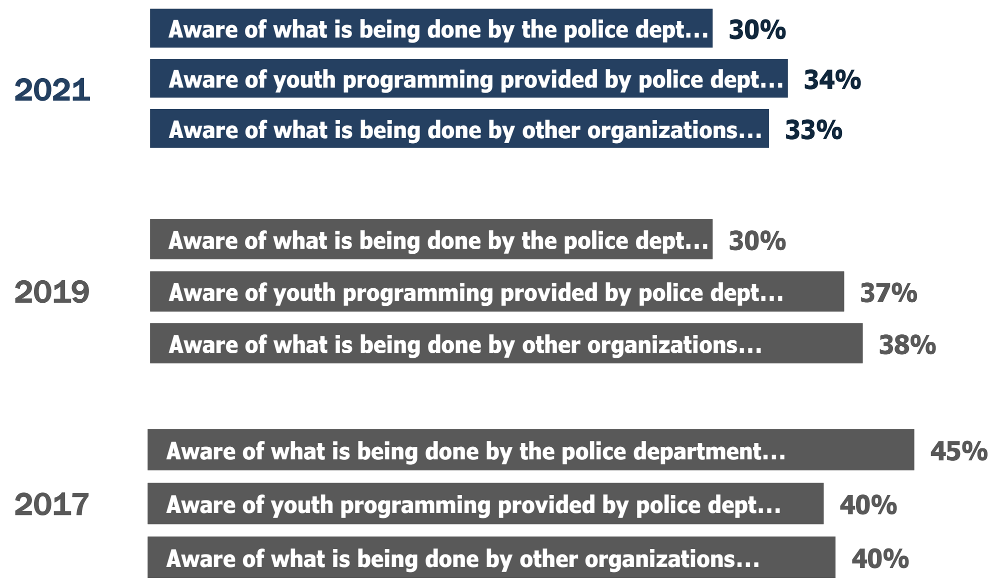
***14%** reported <u>affordable transportation</u> as a barrier to traveling to places in and around the community in 2021.*





Decreasing Crime

To what extent are residents aware of crime and safety efforts?



***30%** reported awareness of police department's crime and safety efforts in 2021 and 2019, compared to **45%** in 2017.*
(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017, and between 2019 & 2017)

***34%** reported awareness of youth programming provided by the police department in 2021.*

***33%** reported awareness of crime and safety efforts of other organizations and people in 2021, compared to **40%** in 2017.*
(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017)

Awareness (I am aware of…)	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	In the Middle	Agree	Strongly Agree	Agree/ Strongly Agree
2021						
…what is being done by the police department (e.g., education, crime prevention, community outreach events) to reduce crime and improve safety in my neighborhood.	19%	226%	25%	17%	13%	**30%***
…youth programming provided by the police department (e.g., Cops Connecting with Kids, Choose Not to Lose Camp).	19%	26%	21%	24%	11%	**34%**
…what is being done by other organizations and people (e.g., neighborhood association, churches, community groups) to reduce crime and improve safety in my neighborhood.	19%	24%	24%	20%	13%	**33%***
2019						
…what is being done by the police department (e.g., education, crime prevention, community outreach events) to reduce crime and improve safety in my neighborhood.	19%	23%	28%	17%	13%	**30%***
…youth programming provided by the police department (e.g., Cops Connecting with Kids, Choose Not to Lose Camp).	14%	23%	27%	25%	12%	**37%**
…what is being done by other organizations and people (e.g., neighborhood association, churches, community groups) to reduce crime and improve safety in my neighborhood.	13%	24%	25%	25%	14%	**38%**
2017						
…what is being done by the police department (e.g., education, crime prevention, community outreach events) to reduce crime and improve safety in my neighborhood.	15%	16%	25%	31%	14%	**45%***
…youth programming provided by the police department (e.g., Cops Connecting with Kids, Choose Not to Lose Camp).	19%	18%	23%	27%	12%	**40%**
…what is being done by other organizations and people (e.g., neighborhood association, churches, community	16%	16%	28%	26%	14%	**40%**

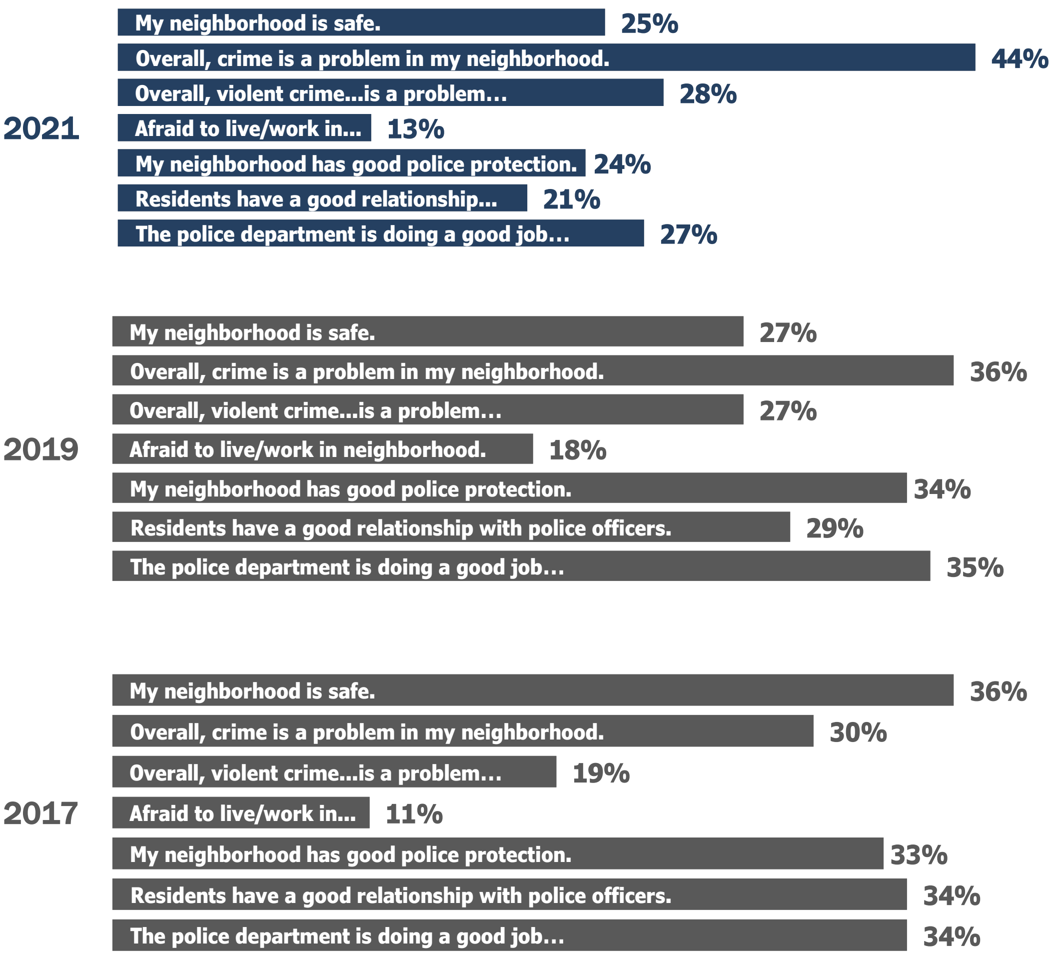
Significant difference.

What are residents' perceptions of crime and safety in their neighborhood?

***25%** reported their neighborhood is safe in 2021 and **27%** in 2019, compared to **36%** in 2017.*
(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017 and 2019 & 2017)

***44%** reported crime as a problem in 2021, compared to **36%** in 2019 and **30%** in 2017.*
(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019 and 2021 & 2017 and 2019 & 2017)

***28%** reported violent crime specifically as a problem in 2021 and **27%** in 2019, compared to **19%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017 and 2019 & 2017)*



***13%** reported being afraid to live in or work in the neighborhood in 2021, compared to **18%** in 2019 and **11%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019 and 2019 & 2017)*

***24%** reported that their neighborhood has good police protection in 2021, compared to **34%** in 2019 and **33%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019 and 2021 & 2017)*

***21%** reported good relations with police officers in 2021, compared to **29%** in 2019 and **34%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019 and 2021 & 2017)*

***27%** reported that the police department is doing a good job of dealing with problems in the neighborhood, compared to **35%** in 2019 and **34%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019 and 2021 & 2017)*

Awareness (I am aware of…)	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	In the Middle	Agree	Strongly Agree	Agree/ Strongly Agree
2021						
My neighborhood is safe.	18%	17%	41%	21%	4%	**25%***
Overall, crime is a problem in my neighborhood.	7%	23%	26%	28%	16%	**44%***
Overall, violent crime specifically is a problem in my neighborhood.	14%	32%	26%	14%	14%	**28%***
I am afraid to live or work in this neighborhood.	23%	41%	24%	6%	7%	**13%***
My neighborhood has good police protection.	17%	18%	41%	18%	6%	**24%***
Residents have a good relationship with police officers.	15%	17%	48%	17%	4%	**21%***
The police department is doing a good job of dealing with problems that really concern people in my neighborhood.	18%	15%	41%	22%	5%	**27%***

2019	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	In the Middle	Agree	Strongly Agree	Agree/ Strongly Agree
My neighborhood is safe.	19%	21%	33%	20%	7%	**27%***
Overall, crime is a problem in my neighborhood.	6%	29%	29%	23%	12%	**36%***
Overall, violent crime specifically is a problem in my neighborhood.	16%	33%	25%	20%	7%	**27%***
I am afraid to live or work in this neighborhood.	24%	32%	27%	12%	6%	**18%**
My neighborhood has good police protection.	11%	16%	40%	26%	8%	**34%**
Residents have a good relationship with police officers.	9%	20%	43%	22%	7%	**29%**
The police department is doing a good job of dealing with problems that really concern people in my neighborhood.	9%	17%	39%	24%	11%	**35%**
2017						
My neighborhood is safe.	11%	22%	31%	29%	6%	**36%***
Overall, crime is a problem in my neighborhood.	9%	25%	35%	18%	12%	**30%***
Overall, violent crime specifically is a problem in my neighborhood.	23%	35%	23%	12%	7%	**19%***
I am afraid to live or work in this neighborhood.	29%	36%	25%	8%	3%	**11%**
My neighborhood has good police protection.	7%	18%	43%	27%	6%	**33%**
Residents have a good relationship with police officers.	9%	14%	44%	29%	5%	**34%**
The police department is doing a good job of dealing with problems that really concern people in my neighborhood.	8%	16%	43%	25%	9%	**34%**

Significant difference.

Are residents' needs being met by available services?

Services In or Near Your Neighborhood	Do you have access to the following services in or near your neighborhood?			If yes, do the services meet your needs?		
	Don't Know	No, but not needed	*No, but needed	*Yes, and meets needs	*Yes, but does not meet needs	Yes, but I don't need this
2021						
Banking	5%	9%	26%	54%	3%	3%
Childcare	44%	14%	12%	15%	2%	14%
Healthcare	11%	8%	20%	56%	3%	3%
Public Transportation	9%	2%	2%	46%	5%	36%
Youth Programs (afterschool, summer)	48%	9%	21%	12%	2%	8%
Food (grocery)	2%	3%	43%	41%	11%	1%
Shopping (clothing, personal items)	4%	6%	44%	34%	11%	2%
2019						
Banking	4%	11%	19%	57%	5%	4%
Childcare	43%	14%	12%	15%	3%	13%
Healthcare	11%	9%	18%	55%	5%	2%
Public Transportation	9%	4%	6%	47%	6%	28%
Youth Programs (afterschool, summer)	44%	9%	17%	18%	2%	10%
Food (grocery)	2%	4%	45%	42%	7%	0%
Shopping (clothing, personal items)	6%	12%	39%	36%	6%	2%
2017						
Banking	6%	9%	18%	56%	6%	5%
Childcare	44%	10%	9%	9%	5%	23%
Healthcare	12%	6%	19%	53%	7%	3%
Public Transportation	7%	3%	4%	46%	3%	38%
Youth Programs (afterschool, summer)	44%	5%	22%	15%	1%	14%
Food (grocery)	2%	1%	29%	61%	7%	1%
Shopping (clothing, personal items)	3%	11%	36%	43%	6%	1%

Selected response options suggest that the service is a need for the resident.

Proceeding table includes only those indicating that service is a need for the resident

Services In or Near Your Neighborhood	FOR RESIDENTS IDENTIFYING SERVICE AS A NEED *Note: Does not include those who reported "Don't Know," "No, but not needed," and "Yes, but I don't need this"*				
	No, but needed	Yes, but does not meet needs	Yes, and meets needs	No, but needed/ Yes, but does not meet needs	
				n	%
2021					
Banking	32%	4%	64%	290	**36%**
Childcare	41%	8%	51%	110	**49%**
Healthcare	25%	4%	71%	267	**29%**
Public Transportation	4%	10%	86%	167	**14%**
Youth Programs (afterschool, summer)	60%	6%	34%	138	**66%***
Food (grocery)	45%	12%	43%	328	**57%***
Shopping (clothing, personal items)	50%	12%	38%	315	**62%***
2019					
Banking	23%	6%	71%	358	**29%**
Childcare	41%	11%	49%	146	**51%**
Healthcare	23%	6%	71%	354	**29%**
Public Transportation	11%	10%	80%	252	**20%**
Youth Programs (afterschool, summer)	47%	5%	48%	187	**53%**
Food (grocery)	48%	8%	44%	441	**56%***
Shopping (clothing, personal items)	49%	7%	44%	374	**56%**
2017					
Banking	22%	7%	71%	251	**30%**
Childcare	38%	23%	39%	75	**61%**
Healthcare	25%	8%	67%	245	**33%**
Public Transportation	7%	6%	87%	150	**13%**
Youth Programs (afterschool, summer)	57%	3%	39%	119	**61%**
Food (grocery)	30%	8%	63%	298	**37%***
Shopping (clothing, personal items)	43%	7%	50%	270	**50%**

Of those saying that the need for the service existed…

- → ***More than half** identified youth programming, food (grocery), and shopping as needed in 2021.*
- → ***57%** reported a need for food (grocery) in 2021 and **56%** in 2019, compared to **37%** in 2017. Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017 and 2019 & 2017)*
- → ***62%** reported a need for shopping in 2021, compared to **50%** in 2017. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2017)*
- → ***66%** reported a need for youth programs in 2021, compared to **53%** in 2019. (Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019)*

Significant difference; Note: Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.

Promote Health and Access to Healthcare

What are residents' perceptions of healthcare and healthy food access?

*In 2021, **12%** reported delaying medical care due to not having transportation and **29%** reported not having access to fresh fruits and vegetables. Additionally, **16%** reported not having health insurance at some point within the past 12 months in 2021 compared to **21%** in 2019. (Note: Signifcant difference between 2021 and 2019 for health insurance)*

Access to Healthcare/Healthy Food	Yes	No	Don't Know	Yes (Don't Know Excluded)
2021				
In the past 12 months, have you delayed getting needed medical care because you did not have transportation?	12%	87%	1%	**12%**
In the past 12 months, was there any time when you did not have any health insurance or coverage (includes private insurance and/or Medicaid/Medicare)?	15%	82%	3%	**16%***
During the past 30 days, did you ever want to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables but were unable?	29%	69%	3%	**29%**
Do grocery store promotions/sales/coupons motivate your purchases of fruits and vegetables?	47%	46%	7%	**50%**
Are canned and frozen vegetables/fruits equally as healthy as fresh produce?	28%	57%	15%	**33%**
2019				
In the past 12 months, have you delayed getting needed medical care because you did not have transportation?	11%	87%	1%	**12%**
In the past 12 months, was there any time when you did not have any health insurance or coverage (includes private insurance and/or Medicaid/Medicare)?	20%	76%	5%	**21%***
During the past 30 days, did you ever want to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables but were unable?	32%	64%	4%	**33%**
Do grocery store promotions/sales/coupons motivate your purchases of fruits and vegetables?	48%	47%	5%	**51%**
Are canned and frozen vegetables/fruits equally as healthy as fresh produce?	28%	57%	15%	**33%**
2017				
In the past 12 months, have you delayed getting needed medical care because you did not have transportation?	9%	91%	1%	**9%**
In the past 12 months, was there any time when you did not have any health insurance or coverage (includes private insurance and/or Medicaid/Medicare)?	18%	81%	1%	**18%**
During the past 30 days, did you ever want to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables but were unable?	28%	70%	2%	**29%**

About how long has it been since you last visited a doctor for a routine checkup? (A routine checkup is a general physical exam, not an exam for a specific injury, illness or condition.)	2017	2019	2021
Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago)	73%	71%	73%
Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago)	9%	11%	13%
Within the past 5 years (2 years but less than 5 years ago)	7%	4%	5%
5 or more years ago	8%	6%	6%
Never	1%	3%	---
Don't Know	2%	5%	3%

***73%** reported receiving a routine checkup within the past year in 2021.*

Would you say that in general your health is…	Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor	Fair/ Poor
2021	8%	25%	37%	24%	6%	**30%**
2019	9%	23%	39%	22%	8%	**29%**
2017	10%	25%	34%	23%	7%	**30%**

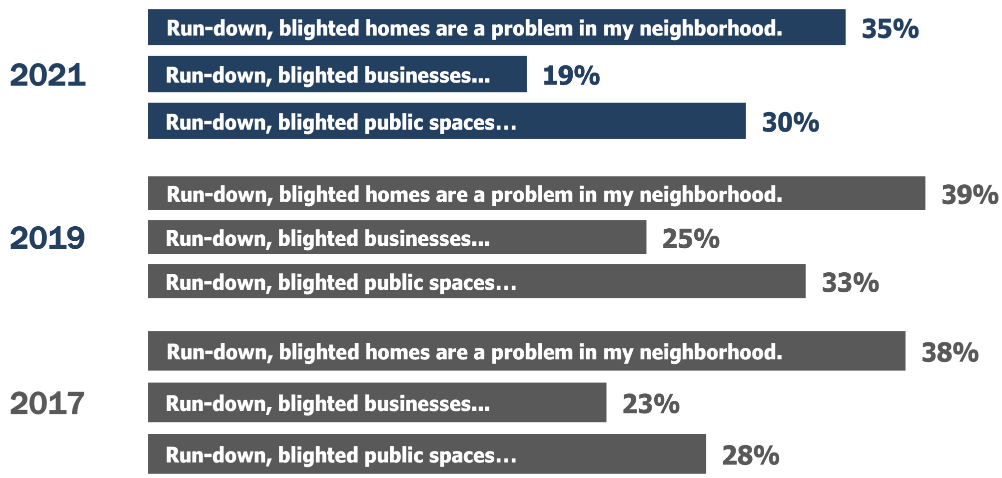
***About a third** reported that their general health was fair or poor in 2021.*

If you experience physical pain that requires attention, where would you __first__ seek care?	2019	2021
Emergency Room	17%	16%
Urgent Care	18%	18%
Community Health Clinic (CHC)	5%	3%
Primary Physician (other than a CHC)	40%	44%
Self-Treatment	14%	17%
I would not seek care	6%	3%

***44%** of respondents would first seek care from a primary physician if they experienced pain requiring attention in 2021.*

Increasing Access to Quality Affordable Housing

What are residents' perceptions of housing conditions?



***35%** identified blighted homes and **30%** blighted public spaces as a problem in their neighborhood in 2021.*

***19%** reported blighted businesses as a problem in their neighborhood in 2021, compared to **25%** in 2019.*
(Note: Significant difference between 2021 & 2019)

Awareness (I am aware of…)	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	In the Middle	Agree	Strongly Agree	Agree/ Strongly Agree
2021						
Run-down, blighted __homes__ are a problem in my neighborhood.	12%	31%	23%	19%	16%	**35%**
Run-down, blighted __businesses__ are a problem in my neighborhood.	16%	40%	25%	12%	7%	**19%**
Run-down, blighted __public spaces__ (e.g., parks, parking lots, sidewalks, roads) are a problem in my neighborhood.	14%	31%	25%	19%	11%	**30%**
2019						
Run-down, blighted __homes__ are a problem in my neighborhood.	16%	27%	19%	22%	17%	**39%**
Run-down, blighted __businesses__ are a problem in my neighborhood.	16%	40%	19%	17%	9%	**25%**
Run-down, blighted __public spaces__ (e.g., parks, parking lots, sidewalks, roads) are a problem in my neighborhood.	12%	29%	26%	21%	13%	**33%**
2017						
Run-down, blighted __homes__ are a problem in my neighborhood.	15%	29%	18%	22%	16%	**38%**
Run-down, blighted __businesses__ are a problem in my neighborhood.	21%	39%	16%	14%	9%	**23%**
Run-down, blighted __public spaces__ (e.g., parks, parking lots, sidewalks, roads) are a problem in my neighborhood.	19%	31%	22%	18%	10%	**28%**