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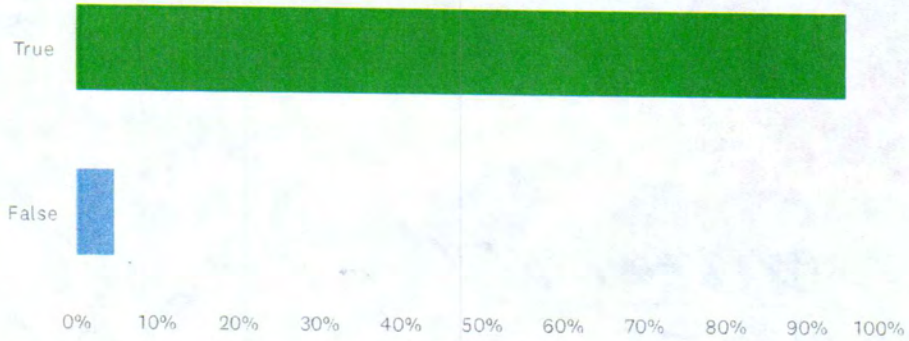
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Q1 Are you a resident of the City of Rawlins?

Answered: 221 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES

True

False

TOTAL

RESPONSES

95.02%

4.98%

210

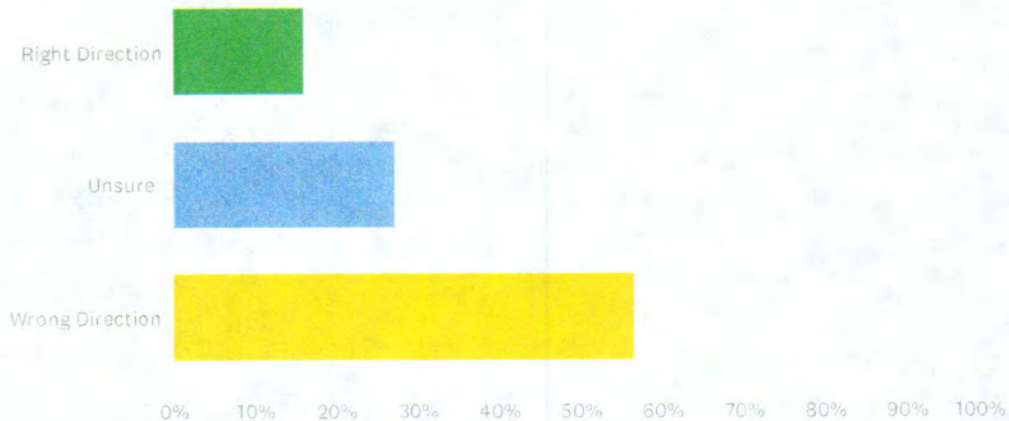
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Q2 Thinking back over the past 12 months, would you say the City of Rawlins is headed in the right or wrong direction?

Answered: 217 Skipped: 4



ANSWER CHOICES

Right Direction

Unsure

Wrong Direction

TOTAL

RESPONSES

16.13%

27.19%

56.68%

35

59

123

217

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	need to define direction, since economy and drought are driving factor	12/16/2022 3:44 PM
2	but has a chance to change now	12/16/2022 2:03 PM
3	no direction at all	12/16/2022 1:47 PM
4	We are going the right direction. However, some things need to be improved.	12/15/2022 10:53 PM
5	Government is for the people not over the people. The approach should mirror that. Lean and Efficient and the will of the community.	12/13/2022 9:01 AM
6	With the city manager gone. The mayor seems to be running things. Huge mistake	12/12/2022 9:43 PM
7	Had options to get water pipes fixed at no cost to the city but didn't take it. Why?	12/12/2022 9:38 PM
8	The current council has been completely disrespectful to people that go before them. I'm not politically driven but what I have seen from the past months meetings is embarrassing. An ethics policy is the bare minimum that needs to happen to bring respect back to the council.	12/12/2022 9:34 PM
9	City council misbehavior	12/12/2022 9:29 PM
10	Fired effective city manager	12/12/2022 8:43 PM
11	Not much has changed in 23 years I'm glad things are changing but the town needs growth some how. The city workers rock at there jobs though!!	12/12/2022 3:23 PM
12	I believe that the water situation could have been prevented, with ongoing routing maintenance	12/11/2022 11:01 AM

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and planned upgrades. Also, the abandoned, dilapidated and unsightly buildings around town have not been addressed, and this problem continues to worsen.

13	large water issue yet resolved	12/11/2022 5:23 AM
14	Fix our water problems first, before anything else	12/10/2022 10:46 PM
15	I just think overall the city is all talk and has perfected the art of saying a lot but if you listen closely saying absolutely nothing at all. Very few minor improvements have been actually made over the last two years.	12/10/2022 3:06 PM
16	DRiving a private small business out of business is not good business	12/5/2022 9:03 AM
17	see #3	12/4/2022 1:42 PM
18	The town is very safe and family friendly (rare gold in many parts of the country), economic growth focus seems promising, but results remain to be seen. Also hope shared values will not be drastically compromised in the process either.	12/4/2022 12:05 PM
19	I think the City Council needs to listen to what the people want.	12/4/2022 9:41 AM
20	Our water system issues are ridiculous. We get no discounts on our water bills when we don't have service, yet we are expected to pay our bills promptly. Also, businesses are closing and it seems people are moving away.	12/2/2022 9:58 PM
21	Water trash west side of Rawlins	12/1/2022 9:32 PM
22	I think more effort is needed in upholding ordinances as far as unsafe and trashy properties	12/1/2022 8:31 PM
23	I did think that the City of Rawlins was heading in the right direction until the City Manager resigned.	12/1/2022 12:25 PM
24	20 years of neglect of water maintenance was a problem	12/1/2022 8:56 AM
25	██████████ has Narcissistic personality disorder in which he has an unreasonably high sense of his own importance. He needs and seeks too much attention by talking about issues he is very uneducated about, biased about and/or acts very petulant about.	11/28/2022 1:49 PM
26	They should not have chased off a city manager that was actually getting things done.	11/28/2022 11:32 AM
27	Nothing has improved in the past year. It has been revealing to see how quickly the city can go downhill and to see how immature the city council is.	11/27/2022 10:50 PM
28	see some good, but too much neglect	11/27/2022 10:00 PM
29	Get rid of ██████████ and rehire ██████████ he was the one who had this city on track!!	11/26/2022 12:02 PM
30	Top management should be held accountable for the city failures	11/26/2022 11:13 AM
31	Lost a good city manager and our council is the worst I've seen in 30 years	11/26/2022 9:32 AM
32	They "spin their wheels" on decision making and have been the 20 years I've lived here	11/25/2022 2:55 PM
33	I thought so but then we had the water issues this year with no end in sight along with our city manager leaving	11/24/2022 9:14 PM
34	Water situation. Why didn't the city begin correcting the water lines when the city had the money just for that	11/23/2022 7:20 PM
35	The water situation is a disaster and the roads are constantly tore up to fix it	11/23/2022 2:50 PM
36	With the departure of the City Manager I really don't know if the City is going in the right direction anymore	11/22/2022 12:17 AM
37	Leadership must promote positive attitudes with the water situation.	11/21/2022 6:57 PM
38	After living in Rawlins over 55 years I understand many businesses have been stopped from coming to town or have had to shut their doors. Rawlins is it's own worst enemy, those with power are the reason!	11/17/2022 1:58 PM
39	Letting our water and trash services decline	11/17/2022 1:27 PM
40	Fired ██████████ now trying to get rid of a decent trash hauling company!!	11/17/2022 1:05 PM

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41	Until we lost [REDACTED]	11/17/2022 12:53 PM
42	it seems as though major infrastructure issues have not been resolved in addition to key staff members being unable to complete their position duties. On the other end, several programs that bring vigor to the city are maintained well.	11/17/2022 2:54 AM
43	Horrible water service and how the trash hauling controversy	11/18/2022 10:50 PM
44	There are some horrible people on the city council who don't care about this town! There are zero opportunities other than leaving this place.	11/18/2022 10:55 PM
45	With the exit of [REDACTED] I am not sure. The council seems unprofessional.	11/18/2022 10:49 PM
46	Seems to me city council is running off every good thing Rawlins gets. Or won't allow a good thing in. Good or any days are over, do what best for the community or you will not have one.	11/18/2022 9:50 PM
47	I thought we were and they fired one of the best city managers this town could have had. [REDACTED] is a psychopath that's off his rocker. Everyone sees it.	11/18/2022 9:03 PM
48	[REDACTED] has single handedly ruined our	11/18/2022 8:26 PM
49	City is a disaster.	11/18/2022 7:45 PM
50	Too many businesses going out of business. We should be trying to bring more business not trying to take away a local business. Dirty Boys. We will not go with Wyoming Waste if Dirty Boys is run out of business.	11/18/2022 7:19 PM
51	Blaming citizens for the water crisis and blaming dirty boy 2 issue while preparing to Wyoming waste.	11/18/2022 7:00 PM
52	I as resident in the city has a say in the happenings. Closed door sessions taking business hostile, spending of funds and tax money is far from appropriate.	11/18/2022 6:23 PM
53	Officials have their heads in the sand and fighting with private entities is in their rear end.	11/18/2022 6:08 PM
54	City Council is close minded and doesn't open their eyes.	11/18/2022 4:32 PM
55	Trying to get rid of Dirty Boy 2 is not good for Rawlins.	11/18/2022 4:31 PM
56	Water issues and how dirty Boy 2 is such	11/18/2022 3:48 PM
57	The council is a joke.	11/18/2022 3:43 PM
58	A government system with no accountability by which punish the elected officials when they commit acts of negligence, use their position for personal sentiment or consolidation of power etc is a system destined to fail.	11/18/2022 3:39 PM
59	There are a lot of abandoned businesses.	11/18/2022 3:38 PM
60	The recent removal of Dirty Boy 2 should be license is with grace, when the City of Rawlins made no efforts to complete or negotiate. The City of Rawlins has dived in random small businesses for years and has no to go with water problems and now for correct trash service, the City of Rawlins is going in the wrong direction.	11/18/2022 3:33 PM
61	Can't manage the water situation and not out of the only good trash service in town.	11/18/2022 2:53 PM
62	The City Council does not represent the people that elected it. The City also has a lot of good employees such as [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]. The Council needs to learn to defer to the people that actually know how to run the City.	11/18/2022 2:49 PM
63	Where are then new businesses?	11/18/2022 2:47 PM
64	Complete joke. Water situation is a mess, how the trash handling situation with dirty boys. City Manager leaving all these issues going on. City government is corrupt.	11/18/2022 2:47 PM
65	The city can't manage to get the water issues fixed. The city just retook a trash service because [REDACTED] and his minions threw a fit. The citizens are NOW paying more for water because of people negligence and NOW we citizens will pay MORE for the landfill or TCR if losing our trash service because ONCE again the city dropped the ball and needs the dump lined with clay. I thought my family and I moved to improve our lives... but with the mess we see with water crisis, city can't now leaving due to hostile work environment or second guessing this??? Shame on the good old boy club this town has!!!!	11/18/2022 2:38 PM

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66	Poor leadership and one sided agendas	11/16/2022 2:37 PM
67	Before [REDACTED] left as manager everything was running very smoothly	11/16/2022 10:59 AM
68	There have been great things happening but it's always up and down	11/16/2022 7:31 AM
69	Some elected council members do not want better for our community nor do they want our town to grow. Dog park okay. Splash pad that can't be used. cool. Skate park better than nothing. Our town needs more support and need opportunities to grow without jumping throw a million hoops to satisfy the people that don't want our town to change. Soon Rawlins will be a ghost town.	11/16/2022 12:32 AM
70	Definitely WRONG direction to try and get rid of Dirty Boyz	11/15/2022 11:32 PM
71	I think the former City Manager was moving us in the right direction. we will see what happens in the future.	11/15/2022 8:07 PM
72	However with the city manager's resignation I fear we will fall back again.	11/15/2022 7:25 PM
73	Water system	11/15/2022 4:42 PM
74	Need new business and water	11/15/2022 1:33 PM
75	The city is definitely moving in the right direction under the leadership of [REDACTED]. Hopefully it continues to do so.	11/15/2022 1:22 PM
75	This city is dying and it is largely due to the city council.	11/15/2022 12:49 PM
77	Sad performance	11/15/2022 12:40 PM
78	Chasing off the City Manager who was finally making a difference was a mistake. Council Members who attributed to that need to be held accountable.	11/15/2022 12:27 PM
79	The great things that city has done in just the last year has been great. Especially the rec center.	11/15/2022 12:15 PM
80	Running off the city manager trying to destroy local businesses	11/15/2022 12:10 PM
81	Haven't had updates about water situation. no work on the roads over the summer no word on new city manager.	11/15/2022 12:04 PM
82	Not enough information	11/15/2022 10:28 AM
83	Need more stores and food places	11/15/2022 4:32 AM
84	Can't afford to have businesses closing	11/14/2022 11:19 PM
85	Not since they got rid of [REDACTED]	11/14/2022 9:03 PM
86	City council is destroying our community	11/14/2022 9:02 PM
87	Until [REDACTED] fired	11/14/2022 7:12 PM
88	I feel there is a lot of unanswered money questions and organization doesn't seem to happen	11/14/2022 4:09 PM
89	I am glad to see progress on the decades old water problems.	11/14/2022 2:59 PM
90	Certainly not with the help of certain council members.	11/14/2022 2:49 PM

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Q3 If you were on Rawlins City Council, where would you focus your efforts in the upcoming year?

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Want to share these ideas - there should be a group of volunteers to help paint businesses and homes that need work - City should hire an arborist for beautification of the main areas where the trees look bad	12/17/2023 12:46 PM
2	I would focus on fixing the water and stopping the killing of ANK animals in Rawlins!!!!	12/21/2022 11:22 AM
3	for sure water downtown economy	12/16/2022 3:44 PM
4	finishing the water supply stop spending money on projects	12/16/2022 3:40 PM
5	work on water problems paint stripes for parking and a mess	12/16/2022 3:36 PM
6	infrastructure	12/16/2022 3:27 PM
7	getting city bus pass started and not making bad	12/16/2022 3:19 PM
8	get a city manager shut up and get out of their hair	12/16/2022 3:16 PM
9	water pipeline repair hiring a city manager who is competent and wants to be here	12/16/2022 3:13 PM
10	during these difficult times my efforts to make rawlins better made by the work was	12/16/2022 3:09 PM
11	covering fire fees	12/16/2022 3:05 PM
12	water	12/16/2022 3:01 PM
13	Make roads better and fix potholes more often	12/16/2022 3:00 PM
14	water	12/16/2022 2:57 PM
15	It's water situation in the situation with trash haulers create a code of ethics that is for all council members to treat other council members and the public with respect	12/16/2022 2:16 PM
16	probably the senior center	12/14/2022 2:40 PM
17	Could add more skate parks	12/13/2022 2:27 PM
18	water. Everyone find a way to get things right for everyone. I don't see any of the council members	12/16/2022 2:13 PM
19	water. Stop the water bill from being too high. get the city out of the situation where they are not able to pay their expenses	12/16/2022 2:10 PM
20	water water water that's all that's all that's all	12/16/2022 2:47 PM
21	water issue first health care support water businesses - covered works pay	12/16/2022 2:41 PM
22	Reform city leadership contribution to the community	12/16/2022 2:37 PM
23	get the trailers off the streets - get work on infrastructure	12/16/2022 2:31 PM
24	The city's water system. Reopening the Small Business Community of our businesses and lower. Planting more trees around the city. Investing businesses in the city's economy. Creating a city. Traffic. Study like a grocery outlet.	12/16/2022 12:53 PM
25	Water infrastructure	12/16/2022 12:25 AM
26	Work on creating a preventative maintenance plan for all city equipment buildings and grounds and things such as water lines sewers and landfill	12/14/2022 4:59 PM
27	I would focus on the reduction of overlapping and excessive spending. We are a small	12/13/2022 9:01 AM

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community and have a small tax base. Our policy decisions should focus on that. I understand the mineral wind, royalties etc., but our policies should be based on the tax base not the revenue generated on good years and those incomes. I would focus on resolving the water issues and ensuring our fundamental purposes of government are fulfilled. We spend money on a vast array of stuff the city at times enjoys, but not a purpose of government. I would focus on ethics and transparency. The city is up in arms. There is not a public group or outing you go to now that the populace isn't up in arms about city council and its governance. In 16 years, I have never seen it like this. Personal relationships, overspending, growing government, over enforcement, and talking down to the citizens. I've been in war zones whereas the locals were happier with governance. I would focus efforts on cleaning up our city and trying to make it a place that attracts business and people. The above discourages these things. After the basics are taken care of, we need to focus on infrastructure, old buildings and incentivize growth. We need to tax and or fine business properties heavily until they are no longer a dump. Especially since many of the owned properties are from The fines need to increase incrementally over noncompliance and used to restore places the city owns, or to provide grants to encourage an entrepreneur to do it. Finally, I would focus on how to improve the government's image with the people. The government will never be able to please everyone, but it can make most everyone feel like the government hears them and respects them. These decisions like doubling the price of water at the corals and placing the blame back on the people both in they should have read between the lines and known, as well as, they are responsible for the breaks that are not on their property. Imagine being told when you have a break on your property you have to pay to have it fixed. Then being told when there are breaks not on your property and you have never had a break on your property you have to pay more for the breaks the city neglected via old infrastructure etc. So you now have to pay an increased price due heavily on poor governance over the last few decades. Then told you have an equal share because you have a tap. Even though you may not even have animals and do not use that water or use is very limited while someone with 14 cows and 14 horses pay the same price. We are not a socialist country and our governance should not reflect equality in sacrifice with inequality in consumption or contribution.

28	Increased infrastructure improvements and cleaning up all the run down abandoned areas. Bring in jobs and new housing opportunities. Clean up the glen edition.	12/13/2022 5:41 AM
29	Implementation of a code of ethics and ability to remove any member for misconduct.	12/12/2022 9:43 PM
30	Water issues and getting businesses into town. Truly, how does a town operate without a shoe shop or a clothing shop?	12/12/2022 9:38 PM
31	Focus on your attitude to your residents especially who ask questions. Stop treating residents as your enemy or punishing people for trying to avoid the past issues of failing to maintain our water and streets. Stop behaving with personal bias, prejudice and vendettas. People have the right to question their government for answers and the more you shut down public comment you make everyone worried about what you are hiding. Be open, talk about all public matters in the public so it can be researched and proved what was said. Know your facts and don't mistake or exaggerate just to hide the ball from the residents. If you are in the right the truth will only prove your words and actions. We no longer take the city for their word we now must have proof. All credibility has been lost. I've never seen it this bad ever.	12/12/2022 9:34 PM
32	I would focus on the critical infrastructure and ways to better manage the budget.	12/12/2022 9:29 PM
33	Water Sewer Streets and Emergency Services	12/12/2022 9:07 PM
34	Water, roads, attracting diverse jobs	12/12/2022 8:43 PM
35	Saving money, repairing water and taking amazing care of its people	12/12/2022 8:11 PM
36	Water issues. Vetting information thoroughly prior to making decisions. Auditing priority list. Seeking and identifying waste/poor choice spending in the budget. Cleaning up image of Council.	12/12/2022 7:03 PM
37	FIX THE WATER ISSUE!!!	12/12/2022 6:07 PM
38	Community events, town beautification, supporting small businesses. I miss that carbon buck or something for raffles we used to do. Keeping businesses that fail to comply with laws in business ones cameras never work and they "forget" to pay their required license fees, and another takes money from the town out of state but they get 3rd chance and slap on the wrist those things need to be thought about. If this really the way Rawlins needs to be seen?	12/12/2022 3:23 PM

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39	On fixing the water issues	12/11/2022 12:47 PM
40	Need to be more supportive of local businesses	12/11/2022 1:22 PM
41	Fund levies where the budget goes. What the real issue is that we aren't funding the problem before the need.	12/11/2022 12:48 PM
42	More on the water infrastructure and how to keep our money from the increased water rates and not donating 10,000 for abandoned buildings because that money is what we as citizens of Rawlins has probably paid for. Ethics because this is something that is learned and not brought and if you don't have this by the time your a certain age then you'll never have it. Listening to our citizens and their concerns rather than acting like your god like [REDACTED] is doing and speaking to our citizens with respect instead of laughing and smirking at us like your better. Now I have lots of ideas and way too many to list however these are a few.	12/11/2022 11:57 AM
43	Continue to do what the Council has started in the past year i.e. concentrate on the water & system upgrades. It seems like there is a solid plan. It also seems to me that getting the pre-treatment plant online is a key short term positive solution to many water & sewer problems. Is this a priority? Concentrate on planned long term maintenance of water, sewer, and streets to ensure that crises do not occur. Continue to support police and fire departments. Continue to support parks and recreation opportunities for all ages of Rawlins Residents. These programs are important to the mental health of all citizens. Implement a plan to remove dilapidated buildings throughout the city. Implement and stress business recruitment to the city.	12/11/2022 11:01 AM
44	Water infrastructure	12/11/2022 8:03 AM
45	Water project priority management	12/11/2022 6:26 AM
46	Lowering the cost of living in this city	12/11/2022 12:56 AM
47	1. Fixing the water issues. A LOT OF THEM! Get it important [REDACTED] who is [REDACTED] the money needed for the water without paying the citizens to pay for it. 2. Fixing the streets right now just with patches. 3. Stop trying to put Dirty Bess out of business.	12/11/2022 10:46 PM
48	Encouraging people to not call, want to live here. It's an embarrassing situation. I'm trying to get involved and serve on committees with the city but I still lack confidence and don't enough to give me with a clear direction to live here. It's hard and it's VERY frustrating.	12/11/2022 3:06 PM
49	Employee retirement (displacement Salary Study). Continue moving forward on water situation. Develop a plan for failing sidewalks throughout town. Develop a plan for dilapidated buildings hotels on the west end of town. This is one main access to Rawlins and it looks terrible.	12/11/2022 9:24 AM
50	water	12/8/2022 1:05 PM
51	1. WATER 2. WATER 3. TREES - serious drought-trees like cottonwoods and think you should not remove the trees 4. ENFORCING ZONING REGULATIONS - TEAR DOWN EYESORES LIKE THE OLD MURPHY ST BIKE SHOP AND THE LONG-CLOSED ASIAN RESTAURANT ON THE BYPASS AND THE PINK HOTEL ON THE WEST END.	12/5/2022 6:03 AM
52	I am a lifelong resident of Carbon County presently living in Saratoga. I've been aware of the issues facing the City Council. Except for the water problems Rawlins has faced I was somewhat disappointed to know that the outcome was to pass on the fees to make the residents pay instead of having a savings account earmarked for this purpose. For whatever reason the City seems to grow the employees and payroll without accountability. If there were to bring a proactive program then departments fixing things as they break down. Rather than wait until there is a catastrophic failure that is much harder and more expensive to deal with. Having to replace major equipment and infrastructure. Furthermore, the property owners are penalized by the higher water rates through an unfair tax. You and they have suffered losses of landscaping trees, grass and bushes and that are hard to grow at Rawlins and hard to make the new look inviting and well kept. In the long run other proactive decisions regarding water usage could be a program to help residents install more drought tolerant plants and do more xeriscaping as Wyoming is a desert and wasting precious water in lawns needs to be minimized.	12/5/2022 10:00 AM
53	at the very top of the list is to expedite getting the water system fixed and as soon as possible. It is unreasonable that the city officials have let the system deteriorate to this point over the years and not one person has ever been held accountable. Clean running water is one	12/4/2022 1:42 PM

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of the absolute basic infrastructure items necessary for a decent community, also, despite all the saber rattling about dealing with watering scofflaws, I would bet a paycheck that not one resident got fined. While some of us had our yards nearly destroyed, there were plenty of nice green lawns all around the neighborhood I live in.

54	Resolving water system deficiencies. Increasing downtown shopping/eateries. Reducing some of the blight on Spruce St.	12/4/2022 12:05 PM
55	Look at where the money is being spent. maybe there is items that are not needed. Need to get the water line fixed and running as it should.	12/4/2022 9:41 AM
56	Our water issues	12/3/2022 10:05 PM
57	Getting our hospital to actually help people. get our water lines fixed instead of just putting a bandaid on it. bring in businesses people need such as clothing store, shoe store, jewelry store etc. Also getting Rawlins to look better, not beat down.	12/3/2022 2:35 PM
58	Fix and update the water delivery system. Last Summer was terrible.	12/3/2022 1:15 PM
59	Focus on fixing our water issues and figure out a way to make Rawlins an enjoyable place to live in order to attract more people to move/stay here. There are not many good paying jobs here either.	12/2/2022 9:58 PM
60	Integrity	12/2/2022 10:53 AM
61	The main focus for the coming year should be directed towards the city fixing and maintaining the water lines. Along with the water lines needing a extreme need to be properly fixed the city should also look into the council members including the mayor. I have noticed over the last few weeks how poorly our governing body has faced any obstacle that they have encountered. Lastly I feel the city of Rawlins needs to become more open minded when it comes to new business in the community.	12/2/2022 7:56 AM
62	Not going over the budget. stay fiscally responsible. Bring new business into community. Crime is going unchecked with all this probation. Fight drugs harder.	12/1/2022 10:46 PM
63	Better budgeting and explanation of expenses. Better and more mature handling of City "drama" in all capacities. I'd like to see actual solutions to the water issues and see the City call in actual experts and follow their advise and guidelines to fix the problems. Same with the City dumps. Beautification efforts on the West side of town too. It's completely ignored and is a hideous eye sore to those who live here and those passing through. I'd like to see the Council members stop shooting business ideas down so we can have more thriving. There's been some improvement in several things, but still has a LONG way to go.	12/1/2022 9:32 PM
64	Improving the overall appearance of the city.	12/1/2022 8:31 PM
65	Water issues & supporting local businesses	12/1/2022 7:32 PM
66	Water fixes	12/1/2022 7:14 PM
67	Water Infrastructure and Zoning Commission	12/1/2022 12:25 PM
68	Promotion of Rawlins as the Wind Capital. Developing Old Prison as an attraction, education, and helping children at risk, and Attracting new industries.	12/1/2022 8:56 AM
69	Getting rid of the corrupt members who do nothing for this community and get regulations into place to make them accountable for their words and actions.	11/28/2022 1:49 PM
70	Getting the water infrastructure repaired and/or replaced. Getting the City Employees a livable wage increase that is way over due and needs to be more competitive with other cities in Wyoming.	11/28/2022 11:32 AM
71	Focus on listening to the people of Rawlins instead of what your agenda might be. You are in that office because of us.	11/28/2022 10:47 AM
72	Listening to the city staff more. Those in certain positions "know" more then council does. Be more open to the staff professional advice, rather than trying to get reelected. That is the main reason we are in the situations that we are in now.	11/28/2022 8:45 AM
73	Find ways to bring people together to improve the community instead of destroying it. Stop BROWBEATING and DEMEANING city staff, city residents and stop playing favorites.	11/27/2022 10:50 PM

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74	Beautification of property, private and public. Plastic bags everywhere! If on public property have city employees gather them to recycle. If on business or private property request through public notification (water bill or newspaper) with a cute notification stating that "land is a plastic bag's best friend as it shows these bags everywhere, that's how it ended up on your property and please pick them up and recycle them!" I'm sure it's going to take legal action, but get rid of eye-sore physical property, especially abandoned or condemned buildings (often motels) and unlivable houses/housing. I know it's been before city council several times but try again, get RVs, motor homes, idle trailers carrying boats, RVs, and snowmobiles off the city streets. Personal property other than household vehicles should not be parked on city streets. There are plenty of storage places for personal property whether it's a dump of gold or a speed boat. The city shouldn't have the responsibility of guarding them simply because they're parked on the city street causing congestion and an eye-sore. The quarterly newsletter was nice communication effort, but was the cost worth it since the city struggles with finances? Perhaps a monthly update from the city manager placed in the water bill on brightly colored paper could suit inform the residents at a lesser cost. Lastly, this might be way out there in possible, but have each city council or a member personally advise a constituent from his/her ward to attend a board meeting. I think the board members have other than complainers. Each request will be introduced and thanked for their attendance.	11/20/2022 10:50 PM
75	Assure the citizens that we will have a sufficient water supply. Start efforts to clean up Rawlins. The council should get on the City Bus where you are all together in a closed situation and look at the various areas of the town at the same time. See what the city looks like to outsiders. Comments are not good.	11/27/2022 9:50 AM
76	Decreasing the attackiveness of the community.	11/28/2022 8:30 PM
77	1. Recreational situation 2. Make it illegal to park trailers, camp and store on city streets, sidewalks or on sidewalks.	11/28/2022 10:21 PM
78	Starting a new [REDACTED]	11/28/2022 12:46 PM
79	Whether it takes to get this water is the decisive. I thought completely, and upgrade the way you have allowed city the day a week watering and to extend for two weeks a month. Enactment of city residential codes. Why should my property be valued less because of city residents property is unkempt when there is a weed ordinance and vehicle abandonment. Re-evaluate the cost of city programs and decide what is left include over usage and popularity. Make the city can create a program to help the small to residential property owners through contractors to maintain and gutter that is in each program.	11/28/2022 11:07 AM
80	Empty where a council member shy to for is their attitude. By listening to the wants and needs of our constituents and reaching them to an excellent situation. Would focus on economic vision from the side of the residents all the way to the leading tasks for the town including the maintenance and treating projects. I would focus on working with all local businesses as well as being on the front row.	11/28/2022 11:37 AM
81	Plasma for water is sure as soon as possible. Since I have moved here in 2013 there have been water shortages every year. We the people pay a great deal of money to keep our kids to stay in our properties and having water. Allow growth this city will not be able to survive the path it is traveled with lack of support for individual needs to come on. The city will have to meet just small businesses. We will need to try and attract additional large companies to stay in the city. The water is basing on the few companies we do have. Although this City is not Shoshone for example. We had an abundant amount of growth these companies have to come and sustain here. As it stands if something were to happen to the reservoir system, would all our be shut down. We need more to attract, maintain, and sustain the companies and organizations here in Payson.	11/28/2022 6:14 PM
82	Upgrading infrastructure away from residents. Bridge over businesses and uplinking everything that needs to be built. Less in Payson.	11/28/2022 6:09 PM
83	Eliminating all the dangerous and dangerous buildings. The old abandoned ones on the east end. The abandoned KFC on the east side. It makes a mess. Most cities throughout the country give notice to the owners to bring the property up to code or demolishing. If they like no take no action within time frame. If they state that the city has the buildings demolished and all the front corner and if the landowners don't pay then the city takes ownership of the property.	11/28/2022 3:55 PM
84	The water infrastructure has to be top priority. We need to stabilize our economy and bring in businesses. We also need to know where our workforce has gone.	11/28/2022 9:14 PM

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35	Getting the water issue covered	11/24/2022 5:02 PM
86	Water lines, changing the city ordinance to vote for a city major, increase businesses in Rawlins to promote growth, get rid of the abandoned building in Rawlins, apartment complexes	11/23/2022 7:26 PM
87	Fixing problems with water shortage, and the trash service. Also having enough service technicians, who follow current guidelines in making or doing repairs or upgrades.	11/23/2022 7:17 PM
88	Repair and replacement of the Rawlins water pipelines from all sources, refitting and modernize water treatment plants, modernize and update wastewater plant. Reestablish a working landfill full service. Sell or close golf course to limit losses and help pay for other programs.	11/23/2022 4:53 PM
89	City infrastructure, replacing water lines, taking responsibility for sewage problems.	11/23/2022 2:50 PM
90	Bringing in more small business for shopping so we don't have to go out of town, or to Walmart. It would make Rawlins a tourist destination. Cleaning up the town, weeds, vacant lots, abandon buildings, trailers all over the streets.	11/23/2022 1:42 PM
91	Water infrastructure	11/23/2022 10:42 AM
92	Institute a code of ethics for City Council, including punishments for being corrupt. We've seen so much of that this year, something needs to be done. [REDACTED] is the worst one. He's the biggest loser I've ever seen.	11/22/2022 12:17 AM
93	Fixing the water situation. Promote new businesses coming into town. It just seems the city makes it too difficult for businesses to come in and make a success. New branding of city and possibilities is essential.	11/21/2022 6:57 PM
94	Beautification of the city and infrastructure. [REDACTED] both are a mess!! I'm embarrassed for tourists to see our town. The sidewalks at the Old Pen on 7th Street? WHAT sidewalk? It's a crumbled mess. Really, the list goes on and on. I don't have a week to write out all of the things that need improvement in Rawlins.	11/18/2022 9:32 PM
95	Getting a code of ethics put into place for city council and all boards. Changing ordinances that have not reviewed in decades and bring them up to date. Repairing the damage done by the [REDACTED] with his bullying and vindictiveness. Treat city employees as equals and not as underlings.	11/17/2022 9:01 PM
96	Water treatment	11/17/2022 7:08 PM
97	Water Commerce—encouraging outside growth and expectations of local business (regular hours)	11/17/2022 4:38 PM
98	Building opportunities for growth, revenue and business growth. More opportunities to keep shopping more local even if it is a chain like Ross, Boot Barn, Cabelas etc. We need a variety of businesses so we don't have to drive 2+ hours to do real shopping. Focus and listen to what our town needs are and take action on them. This use to be a place I loved growing up in. Now it's a little run down small town with less opportunities and more run down, vacant buildings everywhere.	11/17/2022 4:10 PM
99	Focus on what need immediate attention, water, sewer and why not take advantage of what has been researched at the Expense of Dirty Boyz? Seriously. They did the leg work and the council spit all that out the door. How disrespectful.	11/17/2022 1:58 PM
100	Fixing our water treatment plant/water supply. Instead of patching a very old system. Not only does that let more breaks happen, but charging us more and more just to watch it decline anyway. Taking choices away from citizens, like currently with the trash collection issues.	11/17/2022 1:27 PM
101	Be honest! Consider the community and not their own way! Community should & vote for their Mayor.	11/17/2022 1:05 PM
102	Infrastructure!!!	11/17/2022 12:52 PM
103	Cleaning up eyesores in the community like junk cars, properties with excess junk that needs hauled away, stricter enforcement to force people to clean up their property. There are too many junk yards by the airport that should not be allowed.	11/17/2022 9:24 AM
104	Infrastructure, beautification, staff compensation increases, position audits, and performance based review.	11/17/2022 8:54 AM
105	Focus on going through with what you say your going to do. Keep ALL parts of Rawlins.	11/17/2022 8:45 AM

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	important instead of stereotyping and showing citizens of Rawlins your bias. Follow through with your code enforcer: great example All council members need to go look at 316 E Center neighbors told on it looks better NO the junk just got moved around and now it is a dump held. Told were working on it as the single wide trailer was demolished and dumped there by that Tenant. Start following through and stop making your long term residence feel unsafe.	11/17/2022 7:39 AM
106	Water line repair, treatment center repair, infrastructure repair, and of course community relations repair.	11/16/2022 10:53 PM
107	Get grants to make sure we have water from our south pits. Also last year we had numerous water breaks on south side. Last year winter we were with no water 4 times with breaks in our alley. The alley was left a mess- plus our fence was damaged in the repair with the dirt work. Then the garbage issue: We haul our own trash, but some people can't do that. Only 1 garbage hauling company is an issue. I feel also that many are not keeping junk and garbage out of their yards which makes for our city looking trashy in my opinion. People need to take pride in their property.	11/16/2022 10:53 PM
108	Getting dirty Boys their license back and going toward a more green effort so our children have a planet to live on! Finding money for our water structure having the snow plow people plow to keep the build up at bay instead of wait till it stops snowing and it gets rutted and slick! Encouraging more businesses to come to give our residents reason to stay in town to spend money entertaining their families.	11/16/2022 10:55 PM
109	1. Fixing the water lines. 2. Fixing the sewer lines.	11/16/2022 11:43 PM
110	A strong protest where people be the 1st Monday. Follow through on the things that get adopted. But too many times I have seen things that get approved, not followed up, and then they magically disappears when someone asks questions about it.	11/16/2022 9:50 PM
111	Reelecting new council members getting rid of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]	11/16/2022 9:53 PM
112	Infrastructure.	11/16/2022 9:57 PM
113	Help dirty boys to get back to dealing with trash and also get dumping and resources of their with the water line which where and prevention of what happened earlier this year.	11/16/2022 8:41 PM
114	By removing [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] that they are dishonest people that the people want to this city for their unethical behavior seen for over 2 years in council.	11/16/2022 9:23 PM
115	Fixing the water infrastructure problems. Tearing down All businesses that have been abandoned more than 10 years. And repeal any laws and ordinances that make it hard to have a business here in town. Also fix the WOPR water business it already paid to work the inner city. How about watering the trees before (inverse revolution) September, or when the wind blowing them get killed. The city should take the streets. Elected.	11/16/2022 8:21 PM
116	Fasten any ill service people providing to their yards.	11/16/2022 7:57 PM
117	Street repair.	11/16/2022 7:46 PM
118	And making their business work on the water system and other infrastructure.	11/16/2022 7:21 PM
119	Repeal any laws, move the small and medium business and fix up the small business being a threat to the future of the city. Take care and protect the the future vision. Take and maintain existing trees in town instead of wasting funds on new trees that will soon be neglected. Institute the "death" having code of ethics to insure paths are upheld. Institute a plan for concentrated building removal and set up a fund to aid and modernize private property owners to update as best as.	11/16/2022 7:01 PM
120	Supporting community based businesses.	11/16/2022 6:37 PM
121	Bring back the 1950s Era way more restrictions for alcohol.	11/16/2022 6:35 PM
122	Repealing any business commercial areas other than the downtown district. Opening up the COA budget and allocating the money to support the rest of the businesses that with a 12 block radius. This could be a possible solution to keep more of our small businesses open and having a better local economy. Encouraging more public involvement within local government and nonprofits to help remove the negative attitudes of Rawlins sucks attitude to nonfull convince more of our community members to stay and bring new people in. Finding grants for businesses, electric and landscaping needed all in the west end of town, and bringing in	11/16/2022 6:34 PM

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assist residents in creating more environmentally friendly landscaping (clover lawns, gravel, etc.)

- 123 Ensuring the resident's of the city of rawlins are heard. Ensuring we the people of the city know and approve of what is planned for us. No one under any circumstance should sit as a council member as an active vote on issues or items that directly effects a business they or a family member owns or operates. This is a direct relationship to the current issues with Dirty Boyz Sanitation. I am in no way affiliated with the family other than paying them for the services they provide to me and my family. You have failed Rawlins and surrounding communities. We are being charged for a recycling center that is trash and an eye sore looks terrible and really a waste of money. Charging citizens for the use of the landfill monthly and then charging when taking a load to it is theft. The city in my opinion is crooked and has shown time and time again that it only has its agendas in mind not it's people. I hope as a citizen the protests and plans being set in place as I type achieve great numbers and movement. We will be heard and our numbers as citizens are stronger than yours of the current board members. Stop your theft and overlooking the needs of our community 11/16/2022 5:28 PM
- 124 People in violation of the law needs charged and Rawlins needs to produce a better environment for the folks that live here. What is going to happen when public is informed about the city paying for [REDACTED] water and sewer lines to be installed [REDACTED] and it was a very large bill 11/16/2022 5:08 PM
- 125 Make it so elect the mayor and close the money pit of a golf course 11/16/2022 4:55 PM
- 126 Working on all the trashy abandoned buildings. Give us back dirty boyz 11/16/2022 4:48 PM
- 127 Focus on following what the majority of the citizens of Rawlins want, not just what the favorites of the council want 11/16/2022 4:31 PM
- 128 Water infrastructure, enticing people to actually want to live there 11/16/2022 3:52 PM
- 129 Water issues and now Dirty Boyz issues 11/16/2022 3:49 PM
- 130 More items for kids. NEW businesses!! NO MORE MEXICAN FOOD!! I HATE Mexican food, and that is all this town is made of and allowed to have and it's bullshit. Why did we get rid of KFC, but keep Taco Bell? We should've gotten rid of Taco Bell and KFC so there's options for white people to eat. Stop being such a pain and rejecting any food or other business that's trying to make our town better. Leave the trailers ALONE unless you want to provide FREE trailer storage. You are running a town full of hunters and people who love camping, boating, 4-wheeling ect. It's not right to force people to pay a monthly fee at some lot when they can park at their homes for free. I for one own several trailers and a camper and I had to put my lawn in half just to find storage for fear that this bullshit law goes into effect. I REFUSE to put someone else's pockets for something I can do for free. With that said, STOP worrying about people's PERSONAL property. The city does NOT own our houses, our lawns, our vehicles, etc. Not one of you council people pay our bills. Until you take care of the disgusting business buildings and city lots AND start paying everyone's property taxes and mortgages and vehicle payments, leave the hard working people ALONE!! Take raises and paychecks away from city managers, council people, whoever it may be before charging the community STUPID ones!! I can barely afford to live as it is and you have now raised our city water (for issues we the people did NOT cause). I don't care what kind of excuses you come up with. An increase that high is uncalled for. Once the grants come in and you guys actually fix the water issues, I fully expect that increase to disappear because that's the right thing to do. With that said, increasing the landfill fee is also completely uncalled for. \$60 a month? Are you [REDACTED] people on fixed incomes that are barely surviving as it is? What are they supposed to do? What about low-income families that can't even afford to feed their kids or themselves? What are they supposed to do? People can't afford to pay that shit and it's very clear that nobody gives a rat's ass. Now, with the issue with Dirty Boyz, I understand that they broke the contract or whatever the deal is. However, you guys have now left hundreds of people stranded. The elderly can't haul their own trash. Wyoming Waste doesn't come up driveways to retrieve the can. If it's not out first thing in the morning or the night before (which is a joke in the wind this town gets), they completely skip you and don't come back. The elderly can't do that in the winter. Wyoming Waste also won't come to Rawlins if the roads are closed or bad. So who takes care of the people then? Will the city be held responsible since they're the ones that have forced this issue? Will the dump be open later for those that work all the time at NO extra cost to the citizens? Last but not least, STOP PLAYING FAVORITES!!! 11/15/2022 3:43 PM

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131	Cleaning up the ordinances and bureaucratic nonsense that prevent businesses from operating and benefiting the town.	11/16/2022 3:39 PM
132	Water infrastructure, waste management, expand recycling.	11/16/2022 3:36 PM
133	The city needs to figure out how to get spending under control. Currently the city seems to worry more about fancy signs, beautifying a the eye soar of a golf course and other things rather than fixing the water pipes, putting in a river water processing center so, get in line with the water agreement with Sinclair. Now they feel the need to claim everyone's trash belongs to them to hold pay for a dump that is not even trying to meet the needs of the community, or help protect the planet's future. This city council needs to wake up and get their head out of the their tunnel point of contact. Work with everyone around in a proper way. It is obvious after the posting by [REDACTED] showing the how well the city wanted to work with her, that the city has wants it their way, or the high way! Yes I think it is time for a special election to get a new City Council. Enforcing the laws you create. Chmn seems a bit fishy to me and many other people in the area. I am really glad I am not a resident of Rawlins, unfortunately I do work in Rawlins.	11/16/2022 3:35 PM
134	Elm's infrastructure Income for Rawlins Healthy activities	11/16/2022 3:17 PM
135	1. Water issue 2. Helping new businesses come to Rawlins. 3. Recycling 4. City Beautification	11/16/2022 3:15 PM
136	Business and economic growth. This means stop picking on businesses. Opening discussions about violated ordinances or policies is one thing -- outright ignoring discussions and negotiations is a completely different thing. For is on making amends with your citizens, and focusing on Council members specifically, be more open and transparent about EVERYTHING. LISTEN to your people and not other City Council members, and refocus your efforts from there that serve the people, not yourself or your friends. Rawlins is known as a "don't show up" many people who live outside the city, and with good reason -- the reason is all lays pointed at the City Council. Their actions and decisions are made from selfish and self-serving agendas without consequences. You already missed the people off with exposing the water situation and the situation with the failure creating a trash monopoly with a non local business is making it worse. Fix the City Council. We expect the situation to be trained. The only good thing to come out of the Rawlins City Council in the last 5 years is the City Council Park.	11/16/2022 2:59 PM
137	Water and basins	11/16/2022 2:58 PM
138	Get rid of the water. Dealing with all the abandoned buildings in town and getting the neck out of the way by small businesses to grow in town.	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
139	Creating a vision for economic growth for our community. I would work on supporting rather than undermining small businesses in this town. I would work to create a place that visitors would want to do business here. For I would focus on the water and fix it, etc.	11/16/2022 2:52 PM
140	I would work to learn being more transparent with the public. While technically, most things are publicly available, it is confusing and difficult to access. Residents should have information readily available to them, not having to beg to find it. Second, I would prioritize the needs of residents and the spirit of the community. For example, while City Boy, who, have violated the letter of the law, it is clear that they, and the community, wanted solutions from City Council and government. The Council should work on being more open and adaptive. The city, if may, projects such as the water upgrade problem instead of the air things like trailers, and others, but this may or this is solved, the Council needs to take the air things.	11/16/2022 2:49 PM
141	Get businesses	11/16/2022 2:47 PM
142	The water situation for a few.	11/16/2022 2:47 PM
143	Doing better with now a unique location and 30 mi. other towns in the state has chosen to our advantage. Build up LOCAL businesses and create NEW businesses. an idea that a few city council members can wrap their heads around. all the while outsiders gain their monopoly, walk and raise their rates after acting like a station. TIME NOT JUST FOR CHANGE BUT FOR A) CYPHER4U -- THIS IS OUR FUTURE WE HAVE A SAY.	11/16/2022 2:43 PM
144	Getting the water situation under CONTROL and FIXED!! And by fixed I mean no water restrictions this up coming summer. And not having to worry if we will have drinking water. Maybe I don't know, by working with local companies instead of having vendors and shutting them down, but most importantly, Fix the WATER. ALL THE WATER.	11/16/2022 2:33 PM
145	First and foremost fix the water situation. Second, get rid of the town's illegal parking on sidewalks and get all the trailers and stuff off of the streets. They are everywhere and	11/16/2022 2:33 PM

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	impede safety. not to mention the trailers with extension cords running to homes. it looks ghetto. There is a huge trailer parked on the corner of Colorado and Daley that makes it impossible to see oncoming traffic, it needs to go	
146	I would focus on getting our community back to where it should be and not be worried about a political agenda or vendettas to people who wronged you. The council was elected by us and they need to remember that	11/16/2022 2:37 PM
147	Attract new business	11/16/2022 12:29 PM
148	I would focus efforts on maintaining the town we have while doing research on average salaries for the jobs that are filled. I feel everyone should be payed what they are worth. I also believe if there were more tourist stops we would be able to draw more revenue in order to pay employees as they should.	11/16/2022 10:59 AM
149	Rawlins fire department has been in need of equipment and supplies to keep the department functioning.	11/16/2022 10:56 AM
150	Working with dirty boyz sanitation service instead of just revoking their haulers license. You cannot say you care about your community and pull a business license when liquor license 99 was in debate for months. You already set a precedence on how you handle ordinance violations. The mayor and city council came to revoke no one had a plan to offer. The city is still out the money, and now how many customers are stuck with trash? If I were on city council my first thought would Be how can I work with this company	11/16/2022 7:18 AM
151	Bringing businesses to our town! Removing abandoned buildings! Making this town a place to be proud to live in and visit! People passing through or visiting always say what an awful place to live! Actually it's a wonderful place that just needs some TLC! The west end is the first place to start! It's an awful sight to see and that is an exit that gives the first impression for many! I've heard a lot of talk about taking down the buildings but I've yet to actually see one go down. It's time to clean up the west end.	11/16/2022 6:14 AM
152	Continuing to expand activities for kids.	11/16/2022 5:18 AM
153	Focusing on how to better our town and better managing our finances so there isn't one thing after another that drags our town down.	11/16/2022 12:32 AM
154	Water infrastructure and building better relationships with local businesses	11/15/2022 10:58 PM
155	The water infrastructure, and leave some of the issues that could be dealt with later alone ie. trash haulers, dog park, skate park. we need more matching monies for the government grants not wants for the citizens	11/15/2022 8:11 PM
156	Offering incentives for larger outside companies to come to Rawlins. We are in need of many conveniences of larger cities and in the perfect location on the interstate to attract more infrastructure. Most other cities offer incentives, we should too. Help make Rawlins a better place that people want to stay in.	11/15/2022 8:07 PM
157	Cleaning up run down buildings and focus on growth of small business. Focus on things for the kids to do and be apart of.	11/15/2022 7:51 PM
158	Working for people. Cleaning up our city. Starting with old abandoned buildings.	11/15/2022 7:25 PM
159	Community trust Fixing roads More places for kids to plays Get rid of the current hospital board Raise more money for the police Raise more money for the town workers. Make all of the judges go through a community wide review each year to see if they are doing their job right.	11/15/2022 5:59 PM
160	Voting no confidence [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and get them off the council. Work with local businesses instead of hindering any progress because of some petty ego.	11/15/2022 5:03 PM
161	Fixing our water situation. Repairing our city roads	11/15/2022 4:42 PM
162	Trying to ensure that the residents feel like they are getting the appropriate bang for their buck as far as the water and city appropriated repairs. Knowing full and well that residents are getting fed up with it's previous administrations fault excuses it's time for action on issues that directly effect the living conditions in Rawlins.	11/15/2022 4:25 PM
163	Water and streets	11/15/2022 3:51 PM

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164	Clean the town up. Especially clean Spruce and Cedar streets	11/15/2022 2:11 PM
165	WATER	11/15/2022 1:33 PM
166	Continuing to move forward with the City's Strategic Plan, improve the City's ability to recruit, hire, and retain employees, and additional investment in public safety.	11/19/2022 1:22 PM
167	I would fix the water issues. Water is a necessity and it must be addressed now, not later. I would hire experts to come in and help us with this, and I would follow what they have to say as I am not the expert they are. I would work to get the North Platte water we were getting. I would fix the water treatment center for this project, no matter the cost, as this will provide the most water for our community. I would work on the economic climate of the city. Downtown is desperate for businesses, and the city is entirely desperate for businesses. I would not fight businesses that are coming in by the ways they plan to get business in town, such as the billboard for Maverick, as this is entirely against the betterment of the community to fight these things that will bring MORE. I would listen to the voters as they are my boss, they are the ones I need to listen to and discuss issues with. I would not ruin businesses that have been a wonderful thing in this community and are owned by ONE OF OUR PEOPLE. I would listen to the advice that business owner is giving because, once again, that person is an expert in their field. I am not an expert in that field, but they are, so I would attentively listen and then conduct my research into the subject and consult with other experts in the field before I form an opinionated idea. I would take a long hard look at the community and realize that it has so much to offer, and I would work to expand the offerings of this fantastic city instead of keeping a small town my benefit. I would work with the ALREADY existing economic development corporation instead of making a new one out of not wanting to work with anyone but our city officials so that I have a big say over what they do. I would work on improving the largest eyesore in this city, Spruce street, as it is the one that everyone going to Casper sees and the reason people speak so badly about our community. I would work with the community to figure out how best to address this issue. I would work with the brownfield project to fix ALL of the old school buildings we have. This will improve the community's feel and look and make room for more amazing businesses to come into this community. I would support the IMPACT byT Casper County project with everything I have and even look into offering incentives for the businesses that will this corporation to get more businesses into our community. I would work on making Pawnee a place people live to visit because it can have somewhere people love to visit, you have a place where people love to LIVE. I would work with the Wyoming Business Council to get grants for existing businesses to improve their buildings, staff training, and online presence to get our amazing community out for the world to know about and make people want to come in. I spend their money here. I would hire an amazing city manager with experience. I would LISTEN to EVERYTHING they say, they have the experience, but I do not. I am not going to go into their office and act like I know so much more than them and bully them into believing and doing what I want, as I do not have the experience this person has. I am not an elected official only in place to represent the people, not myself. I would eliminate every double standard that has been allowed to pass so far, what is the purpose of fines and ordinances if we allow those that like to rent to break them and not others? I would also look into putting an elevated living community within our community and make sure that the business had everything it needed to succeed here, if I can help.	11/15/2022 1:05 PM
168	Water	11/15/2022 1:01 PM
169	Water	11/15/2022 12:57 PM
170	Water, infrastructure and stop [REDACTED] over locally owned businesses	11/15/2022 12:46 PM
171	Water and sewer mains. The City of Pawnee doesn't give a damn about our lives. Lack of maintenance is pathetic.	11/15/2022 12:40 PM
172	Water. Getting new business into town. Changing your attitudes to be more open to ideas and really hear people. Stop spending money on salaries for positions that are already available in the county.	11/15/2022 12:38 PM
173	Water & Sewer Line Breaks/Backups and the financial impact this has on the residents. Being a community people want to stay and participate in.	11/15/2022 12:29 PM
174	Focusing less on destroying businesses in town out of petty vendettas and focus more on growing businesses.	11/15/2022 12:27 PM
175	Cleaning up the city. Needs sidewalks, falling down buildings, driving around it very discouraging. Especially driving from the west. Make one way street where is almost for two	11/15/2022 12:21 PM

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	cars to pass. Look into assisting in providing more facilities: long term care, assisted living units, with grants to organization that would provide such services. Land to build on, etc. Better medical facilities	
176	Water infrastructure so we can get away from water restrictions. It's ridiculous that our population is at an all time low and all of a sudden we don't have enough water????	11/15/2022 12:17 PM
177	Stop dwelling on the past. Have a open eye for new ideas. Even if maybe didn't work in the past doesn't mean it can't work now. Positive people is who make or break a town. would like to see positivity in the council and not be so difficult to change or improvement to the city. We need to stop running the good people out of town. let new people with there new ideas come to town and not make it so difficult	11/15/2022 12:15 PM
178	Bringing my diverse business to the city. If we keep having the same business Rawlins will never grow and will die off in the next 10 years.	11/15/2022 12:13 PM
179	Infrastructure. Without it, we can't attract new businesses and grow.	11/15/2022 12:10 PM
180	Water	11/15/2022 12:04 PM
181	I would focus on getting the water infrastructure fixed	11/15/2022 11:13 AM
182	Beautification and getting the water and garbage stress cleaned up. Having the city come together as a community and highlight events that are well advertised and community committed. Stay ahead of the snow plow issue. Encourage county and city to work together. Capitalize on assets and leverage organizational skills. Protect public from nasty smells from Oil refinery. Encourage economic growth including becoming a destination city for charter flights and recreational activities. Encourage cleaning up ugly old dilapidated hotels on West end. Encourage rebuild of West end. Encourage remodeling of older houses and building low cost family housing where possible. Rawlins has a good foot print for success, but the "kicking" it down the road mentality and the we hate new people and new ideas fear is holding this whole city back from even getting out of the current mess. Look at cities all over that successfully were able to transition from unclear nasty, poor infrastructure to thriving, well adjusted cities.	11/15/2022 10:28 AM
183	Intercity works	11/15/2022 10:22 AM
184	The west end of town needs improvement. tear down derelict motels, improve landscaping, have more restaurants available for travelers coming into town from that end of town.	11/15/2022 10:00 AM
185	Abandoned buildings	11/15/2022 9:40 AM
186	I would let this city grow, put in a mall, and different fast food places. So we didn't have to drive 2 hours away. It would bring in lots of revenue.	11/15/2022 4:32 AM
187	Bringing in businesses. A department store such as Kohls. More places to eat.	11/14/2022 11:19 PM
188	On being an honest council person	11/14/2022 9:03 PM
189	Start by implementing an ethics policy, allowing staff to do their jobs and knowing my limitations. Drop the egos.	11/14/2022 9:02 PM
190	Fixing the water infrastructure	11/14/2022 8:19 PM
191	Pay your staff better. Better pay will keep existing staff and allow for better quality of workers to be hired. Stand your ground on Dirty Boys. Rules are rules no matter who or what they do.	11/14/2022 7:12 PM
192	-Salary study to support staff and retain employees	11/14/2022 6:20 PM
193	New businesses instead of driving away business. Repairing and maintaining infrastructure. Ridding the leaders of our community who have a me first mentality instead of what's best for Rawlins.	11/14/2022 5:29 PM
194	•stringently continue improving our water transport & delivery efforts-including the quick response & fixing of broken water lines •continue beautification projects •continue soliciting and bringing new businesses in & recreational opportunities •continuing snow removal efforts •continue road improvements especially on those in serious need of partial or full repaving •continue transparency of council meetings and city department work plans •working together for best interest of whole	11/14/2022 4:49 PM
195	Rebuild Repair Expand (the skate and dog parks are awesome!) Look into reopening bowling	11/14/2022 4:09 PM

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alley, or buying out empty areas and bring in more business. Dialysis centers / clinics are good but *we* need something for those who are sick and in our community let the money stay in our community!! Assisted living or new and improved nursing home facilities bring in more health care jobs.

146	Obviously to continue work on the water pipeline. Perhaps replace water lines in areas of town that consistently break. Fill vacancies in the police force, etc. Assign someone to maintain the area by the underpass that Mr. Espinoza worked on. And beautification! (assist the code enforcement officer enforce the laws or whatever to make people cleanup their property. This town is an embarrassment with all the potholes and unkempt property. There does seem to be any community pride. If there has to be water restrictions next year, I hope people that don't follow it are fined. It doesn't take a rocket scientist to know who is not following them.	11/14/2022 2:59 PM
147	-Economic Development -Dangerous Buildings -Code Enforcement	11/14/2022 2:49 PM
148	Community growth and change	11/14/2022 2:46 PM

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Q4 The City of Rawlins has focused on five areas. Please share any comments regarding:- beautification- community and economic development- community trust and engagement - employees- infrastructure

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	There is not ONE area that is important to Rawlins except infrastructure!	12/21/2022 11:03 AM
2	have abandon motels torn down	12/16/2022 3:40 PM
3	water sewer and streets	12/16/2022 3:27 PM
4	poor job. very difficult to do business you have no trust	12/16/2022 3:15 PM
5	water line	12/16/2022 3:13 PM
6	the employees are amazing	12/16/2022 2:40 PM
7	employess need more money on christmas	12/16/2022 2:27 PM
8	in crisis	12/16/2022 2:19 PM
9	Not important at this time. need work. most employees are good. infastructure needs a lot	12/16/2022 2:03 PM
10	look at our cemetery. seen none. infrastructure some efforts were made here	12/16/2022 1:47 PM
11	beautification- seriously. and the rest how??	12/16/2022 1:41 PM
12	needs community participation. mixed feelings. employees most great. infrastructure needs more reconsideration. off set neglat	12/16/2022 1:37 PM
13	beautification, and infrastructure	12/16/2022 1:31 PM
14	We could definitely plant more trees around the city. Rawlins used to be called "tree city". We need to get back to that. Douglas has many trees. and it looks beautiful because of that. And the city's water system needs to be updated. We have wooden pipes in some places. We need to fix this immediately.	12/15/2022 10:53 PM
15	Not sure why infrastructure is last since the others all depend on it as well as the tax paying residents	12/15/2022 12:25 AM
16	Main infrastructure needs more attention. We need to know how what needs addressed with in the next 10 years for budgeting and any grants. We need to work on being pro-active vs reactive. When the water issue has been addressed the parks will need work. I think this should take a back seat to the infrastructure issues.	12/14/2022 4:59 PM
17	I think great things have been done recently all around	12/14/2022 3:07 PM
18	Beautification is necessary but is also not a government primary purpose. So this should be done simplistically with the ideals of simple, low cost, and necessity to target growth. Community and Economic development should be focused on the old properties we have to incentivize their sale and being restored. We are a small town and do not have a strong pull or economy that will substantially pull or grow our city. So our intent should be to increase value and wealth within the community by supporting the infrastructure and people in it. Trust and engagement should be shaken to its core. The public is in arms and has such a disdain for our current government it's ridiculous. Ethics, transparency, and investigations into personal gains and relationships need to restore faith in the city's leadership and higher infrastructure. Employees need to be treated with respect and valued while being held accountable to performance standards and goals. We need city employees to fulfill our goals and visions. But we should always run lean and take very good care of those we expect so much from. I've already discussed infrastructure and those goals. The only thing I would add is focusing on	12/13/2022 9:01 AM

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	affordability and high-speed internet access. I would focus on water as already mentioned, I would focus on restoration and removal depending on the specific property discussed.	
19	Community trust is non-existent now	12/12/2022 9:43 PM
20	See 2 above	12/12/2022 9:38 PM
21	Obviously community trust and engagement should be the council's number one priority until they can hear our residents without being disrespectful, rude and deplorable. The administration needs to focus on infrastructure, period!	12/12/2022 9:34 PM
22	Please focus on creating and maintaining community trust and positively engaging community engagement by hearing residents out fully, not making up your mind before you are presented the issue and most importantly representing the city especially during meetings, with courtesy and respect for others. Next work on infrastructure repair and replacements across the city.	12/12/2022 9:07 PM
23	All important	12/12/2022 8:43 PM
24	community trust and engagement needs work	12/12/2022 8:11 PM
25	Good goals. Please keep personal agendas at home as well as keep an open mind. Seek solutions to problems before they become issues.	12/12/2022 7:03 PM
26	infrastructure!	12/12/2022 6:07 PM
27	Community trust is a joke as well as the infrastructure. There is no trust within our community at all because we're being lied too about everything and being stolen from and frankly, we all as citizens are pissed and we should be taken seriously at this point and time and we're not!	12/11/2022 11:57 AM
28	I agree with all as indicated above in item 3. Especially recruitment and treatment of exceptional employees.	12/11/2022 11:01 AM
29	We need to really focus on water infrastructure and my big concern is the bulldozing the condemned buildings just when I know the city is trying to work on.	12/11/2022 5:23 AM
30	beautification is a joke my word and most residents look terrible, grass or green spaces require water.	12/11/2022 5:20 AM
31	Beautification is fast becoming a joke with the money spent when you have to apply for government assistance just to pay for water. Community & economic developers all are in agreement that high cost of living will stunt growth. Trust requires transparency.	12/11/2022 12:58 AM
32	infrastructure should be at the top of the list get that right and the rest should go well afterwards.	12/10/2022 10:46 PM
33	The only thing I have seen in forward motion is the park's efforts at beautification. I still don't trust the city, the employees still feel under valued, the infrastructure is a joke. We still know where we are losing water after TWO seasons of restrictions with a third on the way, it's still a nightmare to try doing a business here and gets fought at every turn. Thank God for parks and the	12/10/2022 10:06 PM
34	Good progress on beautification, improvements to green ways on the west end are noticed. Extra focus should be on the dilapidated buildings west end of town. Employee retention should be a huge source of wage survey.	12/7/2022 8:34 AM
35	Trust is crucial how they behave and with on things.	12/6/2022 1:16 PM
36	It would be really nice if some of the old hotels/structures that are abandoned be taken care of.	12/5/2022 9:54 PM
37	Employee, community, employees, infrastructure, water, development, beautification.	12/5/2022 5:27 PM
38	NOT DOING SO HOT ON BEAUTIFICATION. TEAR DOWN ABANDONED BUILDINGS. NOT DOING SO HOT ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TRYING TO SHUT A PRIVATE BUSINESS PROVIDING A VALUABLE SERVICE. NOT DOING SO HOT ON EMPLOYEES WITH CITY ATTORNEY FIRED AND CITY MANAGER FLED FOR GREENER PASTURES.	12/5/2022 9:03 AM
39	Beautification is key to promoting Raymuns, drawing tourism traffic to the downtown business district. Both entrances to Raymuns look unkempt and forlorn with trash entangled in bushes and trees needing trimmed, removed if dead and replanted. Couldnt a part time summer position be made available from existing Parks and Rec employees or others already employed? Take turns and go around to the blighted areas in the mornings before it gets too hot and	12/5/2022 9:00 AM

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spend a few hours cleaning trash out of bushes and trimming dead tree limbs from existing trees. This small thing would go along way in making the entrances to the city look more inviting and cared for. On the west end of Rawlins are several blighted motels that have been abandoned for years. If the nuisance code for derelict properties were enforced, the city could begin taking measures to take the properties through eminent domain, razing the buildings and offering the real estate for sale. Years ago the building department was enforcing this on historical buildings in the downtown, thankfully they were saved from demolition (as they should be) and remain a part of the historic fabric of the Rawlins downtown. If the building department could enforce the nuisance code for those buildings, then surely they could and should begin the process of removing the blighted and dangerous old motels that plague the west end of Rawlins.

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| 40 | See #3. The rest of that means nothing to me until basic infrastructure has been secured and is running and maintained at a high level. If those people attempting to do that now can't cut it fire every person leading the departments starting at the top and get people in there who know how to work. | 12/4/2022 1:42 PM |
| 41 | Sidewalks are mostly dreadful or nonexistent in much of the town--Rawlins is not as walkable as it could be (also presents many trip and fall hazards--ESPECIALLY for aged residents). Replace some of the tree stumps with new trees. Continue the fun community activities which do seem to foster good community engagement. Try to employ retirees and long time residents in museums, visitors centers, and other roles where they can readily share historical information about Rawlins (knowledge and experience are FAR MORE important than congeniality and quirkiness in these roles and the elderly also need engagement and can be valuable resources in conveying town pride). | 12/4/2022 12:05 PM |
| 42 | With out employees the City will not run. We need to appreciate what they do and help them to get the job completed in a timely manor. Need water before beautification. | 12/4/2022 9:41 AM |
| 43 | If someone is working on these it does NOT show. Our town looks humble and city council talks trash around town. | 12/3/2022 2:35 PM |
| 44 | We need water to produce food in our gardens. The fear and distrust during this time hurt our city. We don't need beautification until needs are met. Trust and negative attitude with the city has hurt our relationship. I'm not sure much is getting any better. | 12/3/2022 1:15 PM |
| 45 | Focus more on economic development and jobs that pay well and the others will fall into place. The "solash part" sounds like a good idea if it ever gets finished. | 12/2/2022 9:58 PM |
| 46 | Community trust and engagement are vastly improved, but City Council needs to be held to a level of integrity. The water issues were handled well. Dirty Boyz - not so much. Losing [REDACTED] was a major disappointment and city council should be embarrassed. I appreciate the newsletters that tell me what city employees are doing. | 12/2/2022 10:53 AM |
| 47 | Infrastructures need to be top priority and the neglect of these infrastructures have lead to numerous problems that our city is not capable of handling properly. | 12/2/2022 7:56 AM |
| 48 | I've addressed all of these things in the previous questions. In my opinion, they ALL share equal importance and not enough efforts are being made in any of these categories. | 12/1/2022 9:32 PM |
| 49 | I think the city has fallen short on all five areas. | 12/1/2022 8:31 PM |
| 50 | A lot more important issues to focus on in my opinion. | 12/1/2022 7:32 PM |
| 51 | I believe that when the City Manager was here, he did an amazing job in developing community trust and engagement. However, since he has left I am not seeing much trust or engagement. | 12/1/2022 12:25 PM |
| 52 | Economic increase is the core to making the other areas happen. | 12/1/2022 8:56 AM |
| 53 | What beautification has actually happened in this town for the past 20 years? | 11/28/2022 1:49 PM |
| 54 | Water infrastructure and employee appreciation / wages should be at the top of this list. Any of our people could go elsewhere and make more than they do here. | 11/28/2022 11:32 AM |
| 55 | All these are good except from what I see you are not focusing on community trust and in fact from my point of view it is the opposite. | 11/28/2022 10:47 AM |
| 56 | Infrastructure. Something needs to be done with the old water infrastructure in town, before things get worse. | 11/28/2022 8:45 AM |

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57	Honestly I don't feel like the city council cares about any of these topics. [REDACTED] did but the council did not.	11/27/2022 10:50 PM
58	I think I commented on three of these already. I don't know enough about employees or infrastructure to write other than commenting on the previous poor handling of the water situation.	11/27/2022 10:00 PM
59	you can not look separately at the five areas. They are all together. In order to have any development we have to have pride in ourselves (beautification), we have to have new businesses and people become involved but there has to be an incentive for them to do so and when you hear of misunderstanding, harsh feelings and questionable leadership one probably does not want to join that "family". Of course we need dedicated employees and good streets etc. but until we clean up our act it is going to always be an uphill battle.	11/27/2022 9:50 AM
60	The city needs a landscaping ordinance so we don't end up with a bare bones Wal-Mart.	11/26/2022 5:39 PM
61	Beautification starts with enforcing the zoning codes.	11/25/2022 11:13 AM
62	Beautification = Hold ALL businesses accountable to the standards and policies already on the books. If you did that the businesses would look much better.	11/25/2022 9:31 AM
63	See above comments.	11/25/2022 6:14 PM
64	Infrastructure is years behind maybe even decades and should be priority number 1.	11/25/2022 6:09 AM
65	The beautification was good, well then the water issues came up. The manager was building trust with the community until he was run off. These are all good areas to work on.	11/24/2022 6:14 AM
66	community trust and engagement is a joke.	11/23/2022 7:30 PM
67	Orin, I looked here a few months ago.	11/23/2022 7:11 PM
68	Rawlins is and will remain a transient energy town and there are a lot more other things to spend our money on than beautification. Restrictive government management will be resisted at all costs. We do not want failure in Colorado. Rawlins is not a destination, just a gas stop. The hidden agenda power then must stop, the back room leadership killing Rawlins must go.	11/23/2022 4:53 PM
69	Beautification: focus on empty buildings and hotels on west end of town: fine people with trash, a few fenced yards, infrastructure, water and sewerage and on regular basis. Trust and engagement: more transparency and take responsibility when issues affect the residents - a sewage, water shortage.	11/23/2022 3:50 PM
70	No evidence of the abuse.	11/23/2022 1:43 PM
71	It was pretty crazy seeing the 4 city council members try and shut down a local business. That was so quickly it's like they had some vendetta or something. They're being willing to work through other issues with other businesses, just not that business. Again, corrupt council [REDACTED] did such a good job with employee and community trust and engagement. I've never seen anything like that and I've lived here my entire life.	11/22/2022 12:15 AM
72	Have you been to West Cedar? East? Both? That section looks like a shit area. How can you say you have focused on beautification? It's that shit ass line. How can you get the community as much as you can you fear and trust when you are making it not cut the messes to remain? For example is Dirty Boy? The amount of trouble you are giving them leads to the same matter that city government is receiving kick backs from Wyoming Waste.	11/21/2022 8:39 AM
73	Kind of a joke.	11/18/2022 3:30 PM
74	Trust and engagement needs lots of work and probably won't get better with the current mayor is gone.	11/17/2022 8:01 PM
75	Beautification of parks including the dog park looks great.	11/17/2022 4:11 PM
76	Nothing seems to get done they have a new governing body, taxes change. How sad.	11/17/2022 1:53 PM
77	beautification: this means what? The plants on the Historic signs that replaced the ones that were perfectly fine on our town, no less. Perhaps this means the amount of closed down buildings that continue to rot away? Community trust? Please, don't be ridiculous.	11/17/2022 1:21 PM
78	The council needs to be vigilant in hiring a new city manager with experience. The last one	11/17/2022 9:24 AM

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seemed like a nice guy but was not good at being honest with employees or citizens. Council can do better at this too. They have too much contempt for good city employees and good citizens.

79	please see above	11/17/2022 8:54 AM
80	You need to take a look at ALL of your community. You lost trust. Beautification only for areas North side of the tracks. Yes you had dead trees planted at Bolten Park thanks	11/17/2022 8:45 AM
81	We need to revitalize the visual aspect of the city. Too many derelict buildings. It looks, and is, trashy. We want to attract people into Rawlins, but when they leave and talk to others about Rawlins they are going to talk about how trashy it is. Empty, boarded up buildings, with unkempt grounds. It's an eyesore in a big way and unfortunately for the town that is what people visualize when they think of Rawlins.	11/17/2022 7:39 AM
82	Fine people who keep trash and garbage in their yards. Develop our water system to peak performance	11/16/2022 10:59 PM
83	What's the point of the beautification when we have vacant buildings that have been such for as long as I can remember. And nothing to do here.	11/16/2022 10:55 PM
84	Infrastructure, employees and trust. Stop messing with the city code [REDACTED] too focused on subjects that are irrelevant.	11/16/2022 10:49 PM
85	Is beautification where? Community and economic development by kicking out the people that do a good job bringing things in and companies that do great service for our community?	11/16/2022 9:50 PM
86	The parks ans rec has done an awesome job of bringng in things the kids love	11/16/2022 9:03 PM
87	Economic development?? Forgiving a business cause they didn't make sure they re ducks in a row?? I have to laugh.	11/16/2022 8:41 PM
88	It's all failing. You had a chance when the council first started ans they had energy and [REDACTED] but now with all the negative being generated by [REDACTED] and the loss of [REDACTED] this town will implede	11/16/2022 8:35 PM
89	Your all about employees well keep dirty boys as a trash company they are employees to	11/16/2022 7:57 PM
90	1. infrastructure 2. employees	11/16/2022 7:45 PM
91	None of the above. Rawlins just seems to not want any growth or listen to the people who live here	11/16/2022 7:28 PM
92	I really haven't seen any improvements in these areas	11/16/2022 7:19 PM
93	Beautification hasn't been noticed. Community and economic development, if the goal is to tear this down to start fresh then your succeeding. Community trust and engagement, Trust is at an all time low. Negative engagement has increased substantially	11/16/2022 7:01 PM
94	Community development is failing	11/16/2022 6:00 PM
95	See previous comments	11/16/2022 5:54 PM
96	Every aspect in these 5 areas are failed. No great plan for water issues. shutting down dirty boyz will lead to illegal dumping south of town making rawlins ugly. You have los, the trust of thousands. You do have a few select good employees and those you have are leaving due to treating them poorly.	11/16/2022 5:28 PM
97	The honest people of Rawlins sit back and watch our town go to hell. The fools running this town are driving the hell wagon. We are doomed	11/16/2022 5:08 PM
98	Beautification has been focused on? It needs way, way, way more work. I'm embarrassed to have family travel into town	11/16/2022 4:48 PM
99	Infrastructure needs to be first	11/16/2022 4:32 PM
100	You have a long way to go to regain the community's trust	11/16/2022 4:31 PM
101	No faith in the water or trust of the local city government	11/16/2022 3:52 PM
102	Water issues and now Dirty Boyz issues	11/16/2022 3:49 PM

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103	See previous question. I addressed it all there. Bottom line, the city is doing a piss poor job and it's absolutely pathetic.	11/16/2022 3:43 PM
104	Infrastructure needs to be number 1	11/16/2022 3:36 PM
105	Beautification, quit worrying about beauty if you don't have infrastructure you will soon lose the trust from the community causing a drop in the economy. The city is on a slippery slope.	11/16/2022 3:35 PM
106	There is NO community trust. Glad [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] are out. Can wait till we can vote out [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]	11/16/2022 3:15 PM
107	Beautification doesn't work when the city inspectors are friends with the worst offenders of junk cars. Beautification also doesn't work when the entire city's water system is standing on twigs. Fix your infrastructure first before attempting ANYTHING else. Stop worrying about picking outflashes at the same small businesses and focus on the town. The community doesn't trust you and it won't for a long time. No one wants to engage when the City doesn't listen and blatantly ignores what the people want.	11/16/2022 2:59 PM
108	I don't think a dog park gets rid of the eye sore of all the abandoned buildings. It doesn't create community trust to block good businesses who provide a valuable service from doing business here.	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
109	There is much work to be done in the area of beautification. Supporting code enforcement is a place to start there. Economic development won't happen again unless there is a good solid infrastructure such as the water situation. I am not sure about the City Employees as I haven't had much interaction, but I am sure they are good people. Our City Council needs to work on community trust.	11/16/2022 2:52 PM
110	The City has done a terrible job with economic development by actively defunding businesses such as Starbucks, Mave's, and Dirty Bays. These are more examples of where the Council should have tried to change things rather than let overly written ordinances shut down economic development. Additionally, several Council members [REDACTED] have all made it clear that they have taken on Council positions for personal gain rather than to serve their community. This has eroded the public's trust in the City.	11/16/2022 2:47 PM
111	Again, the water infrastructure should be the first and foremost issue. Economic development and city beautification would be next in line.	11/16/2022 2:47 PM
112	A few council members are unable to understand what the community needs and wants because they refuse to listen or give anything a chance.	11/16/2022 2:43 PM
113	We need water to beautify the town, dead lawns, and half-dead trees and not a job lock. Get city council to act like adults and get problems solved instead of passing more negligence on to the citizens. Water costs increase and NOW costs increased.	11/16/2022 2:39 PM
114	Community trust and engagement is a job that comes to certain members of the Council.	11/16/2022 2:37 PM
115	Community trust is important in development.	11/16/2022 2:29 PM
116	Things had progressed well in all categories the past year, hopefully, the new city manager will continue the progress if he/she is allowed to.	11/16/2022 1:58 AM
117	Infrastructure not good enough, you MESSED UP big time, in the water system, heads need to roll, and so on.	11/16/2022 8:29 AM
118	If you want to improve development STOP defunding businesses that support it.	11/16/2022 7:19 AM
119	I addressed the first two issues. I've not seen much happening. I think our cars and city hall has worked to beautify, but the west end is as awful. We are grateful to see Starbucks make its way here, but let's keep it going. Don't get hung up on an oversized billboard for Mave's. I promise the oversized billboard will not bother people as much as the look of the west end. I'm not if they are worried about the abandoned buildings than a billboard. I think the city should be more transparent. Now with [REDACTED] gone I hope he keeps it up. [REDACTED] does a good job, nothing everyone.	11/16/2022 6:14 AM
120	Beautification only goes as far as code enforcement. Can go, our neighborhoods are full of trashed lots and condemnable buildings. Community engagement is doing fabulous. [REDACTED] is very good at keeping us updated as much as possible. Limiting and closing small local businesses will kill the economy and/or decrease a likelihood of people staying.	11/16/2022 6:14 AM

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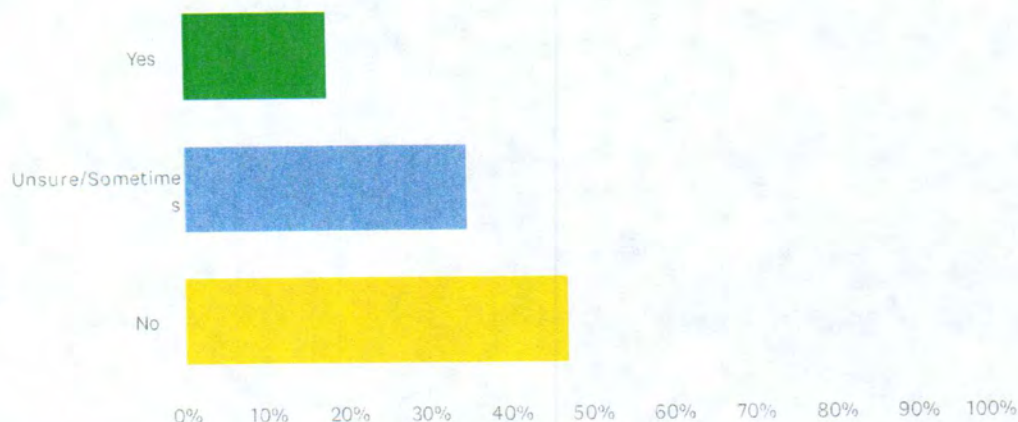
121	Community trust is basically non-existent at this point. Infrastructure seems to be the main issue now. Let's focus there so we can move on. Employees = great. Can't focus on beautification without water and having a dozen abandoned, ugly buildings.	11/16/2022 12:32 AM
122	As a business owner here, something needs to be done with the west end of town. It gives a horrible impression for travelers exiting the Interstate with all of the condemned motels and buildings.	11/15/2022 8:07 PM
123	Beautification	11/15/2022 7:51 PM
124	The west end of town can use some serious clean up. Reinstate free dump days the voucher is not enough.	11/15/2022 7:25 PM
125	The green belts along our main streets are as welcoming as they are deterring. Beautification needs to continue.	11/15/2022 4:25 PM
126	Nothing has been done.	11/15/2022 3:51 PM
127	Economic development and infrastructure	11/15/2022 1:33 PM
128	The City has made good efforts on beautification, but there remains considerable work to be done. More work needs to be done on attracting additional businesses and an increased workforce. The Council's treatment of [REDACTED] was disgraceful and damaged trust.	11/15/2022 1:22 PM
129	Beautification - needs significant work. I have yet to see much of this. Community and Economic Development - needs even more work than beautification. The current economic climate here is non-existent and destructive. I have seen more trying to keep businesses out than bringing them in. Community Trust and Engagement - this needs much work. We have seen our elected officials bullying one of the most influential people to get our community on track, and they have been allowed to get away with it. Employees - I would suggest you start treating them right and get rid of those who think bullying is okay. Infrastructure - still determining where this has been happening.	11/15/2022 1:05 PM
130	Without infrastructure nothing else matters! Start with the basic needs of your Community.	11/15/2022 12:57 PM
131	Nothing in this town has improved for years. The city council stops any potential improvement every single time.	11/15/2022 12:49 PM
132	Rawlins is a fuel stop. Always has been, always will be. You need a competent and available work force to attract business.	11/15/2022 12:40 PM
133	They all need work. But everyone needs to work together and quit stonewalling businesses and community members.	11/15/2022 12:30 PM
134	Infrastructure	11/15/2022 12:21 PM
135	Economic development would be great to have new things come to Rawlins.	11/15/2022 12:15 PM
136	Bring in different businesses/restaurants especially on the west end of town.	11/15/2022 12:13 PM
137	The current council gets failing grades for Community & Economic Development as well as Trust & Engagement. [REDACTED] didn't last 6 months. Was he not vetted well enough before hiring or issues with the council not letting him do the job he was hired for? Trust considering how the council is going after a local business AGAIN they have lost all credibility.	11/15/2022 12:10 PM
138	I have seen nothing done for beautification.	11/15/2022 12:04 PM
139	See above comment.	11/15/2022 10:28 AM
140	Some Employees are crooked and falsehoods.	11/15/2022 10:22 AM
141	Definitely need to upgrade our water infrastructure. Try for development on the west of town.	11/15/2022 10:00 AM
142	I am sad to see [REDACTED] leave. He was an asset to the city.	11/15/2022 9:40 AM
143	Beautification is fine. Community and economic development needs more food and shopping places, because when they close the roads in the winter, we have no places to go. Employees- need to up the minimum wage around here. Infrastructure is fine.	11/15/2022 4:32 AM
144	I moved back to Rawlins a year ago and it is not the same place I was born and raised in. The	11/14/2022 11:19 PM

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	city looks run down and horrible. So much blight all over	
145	Trust? This could be a joke	11/14/2022 9:02 PM
146	We need to continue to support new businesses. The west side of town needs work to make it more appealing for visitors and residents. Council needs to work towards trust and healthy relationships with employees	11/14/2022 8:10 PM
147	Keep making updates to beautify our city. Don't let the old loggies get in the way. Pay your employees better. Show appreciation. Keep updating infrastructure. Keep growing more things for our community to do. Skate park roller skating and park. Good stuff. Keep bringing more businesses to Raylins. Make sure we have the funds to pay for any newer positions at city hall before adding more. Keep the focus on the huts on the ground first	11/14/2022 7:12 PM
148	All great ideas, just need more follow through	11/14/2022 5:29 PM
149	The city has done great with down town but what about the other ends weeding and applying landscape paint rocks or making symbols out of rocks (of course utilizing what's not as expensive) making it look clean and inviting for visitors and travelers	11/14/2022 4:09 PM
150	Looks like what I commented on	11/14/2022 2:59 PM

Q5 Would you recommend our City to your friends and family as a place to work and live?

Answered: 218 Skipped: 3



ANSWER CHOICES

Yes

Unsure/Sometimes

No

TOTAL

RESPONSES

17.89%	39
34.86%	76
47.25%	103
	218

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	If there the infrastructure is improved I will say yes	12/15/2022 12:25 AM
2	Overall we have a great community. We have pulled apart on some issues and our local government is responsible for much of that. Business do not like authoritarian governments who believe the people answer to them.	12/13/2022 9:01 AM
3	There are some good things but there are a lot of land lock poor snow plow planslack of good shopping	12/13/2022 5:41 AM
4	The current council needs retraining about their role as elected officials not showing personal bias, prejudice or vendettas. They work for us we don't have to be disrespected when we come before them or disagree with them!	12/12/2022 9:34 PM
5	I would recommend our community but not the current behavior of a majority of the city council.	12/12/2022 9:07 PM
6	I know this place has potential and there are things changing the skate park rocked!! And dog park! But let's stop letting prominent family's walk all over the town and make it harder for us to grow. They clearing aren't all they have acted to be... enough is enough	12/12/2022 3:23 PM
7	The reason for this response is because we are a laughing stock of Wyoming due to the asininess	12/11/2022 11:57 AM
8	Who wants to live some place where you have to boil your water and have dead grass for a lawn.	12/10/2022 10:46 PM
9	Absolutely not. I try to be happy here but we are definitely stuck here with work and home	12/10/2022 3:06 PM

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	ownership and I can't encourage other people to love here	
10	NEW DOG PARK AND SKATEBOARD PARK BY CEMETERY IS BRILLIANT THANK YOU	12/5/2022 9:03 AM
11	Not until the the city starts taking responsibility for their failures and start resolving the problems instead of worry about covering their own tails	12/4/2022 1:43 PM
12	Finding adequate housing would be too great an obstacle. renters rights are virtually nonexistent. Contractors, plumbers, electricians, handymen and other repairmen are too few even if one does find a home (which would probably be in dire need of these services)	12/4/2022 12:05 PM
13	I used to	12/3/2022 2:35 PM
14	I like our community and how small it is but there's nothing to do here on a whim for kids. Not many good paying jobs either. No tech companies or big brand businesses. McDonalds and the other fast food places don't count.	12/2/2022 9:58 PM
15	If they could handle the climate	12/2/2022 10:53 AM
16	The city has many areas that they need to focus on fixing first	12/2/2022 7:56 AM
17	Our City is great about pulling together in times of need, but there's not enough things for families to do, activities to keep our youth busy and to keep more shopping local	12/1/2022 9:34 PM
18	I feel the city of Rawlins has a very friendly community. I feel there has been a problem with the grand old boy syndrome in the City government. I see a lot of empty hotels in the west end of town and a lot of very old town and parks properties all over town. I am aware there are ordinances in place that had correct this problem, with the right leadership in place.	12/1/2022 8:31 PM
19	Just with the refinery down	12/1/2022 7:14 PM
20	I was born and raised here. I love this town. But we have a lot of work to do.	11/28/2022 11:32 AM
21	I do not encourage anyone to move here. I am going away as soon as possible.	11/27/2022 10:50 PM
22	That's why I moved here, but how to encourage businesses?	11/27/2022 10:00 PM
23	I have been a resident of Rawlins for more than 60 years and for the first time in many years I would like to live somewhere else as have many of my friends.	11/27/2022 9:50 AM
24	It's a dirty little town where as the city refuses to enforce residential codes, no weed control unless called. Most property owners are able people.	11/26/2022 11:13 AM
25	There is SO much potential here.	11/26/2022 9:02 AM
26	See above until these changes are addressed I would not	11/25/2022 6:14 PM
27	Rawlins is dying and has been for 10+ years.	11/25/2022 6:09 PM
28	No funding for healthcare	11/20/2022 4:30 PM
29	Not are the current city council needs to go NOW. Humanity is a horrible human being.	11/23/2022 12:47 AM
30	See above	11/21/2022 6:57 PM
31	I would recommend the people here, but not the ability to have gainful employment	11/17/2022 7:39 AM
32	My property taxes are high for city, water and town upkeep	11/16/2022 10:50 PM
33	This isn't a good place for anyone but maybe single men as there are plenty of bars and gyms. They want you to keep our. Obey local, but run out any small business trying to move.	11/16/2022 10:56 PM
34	City council needs to focus on basic needs	11/16/2022 10:49 PM
35	I have lived here for my entire life, but the way the city is being run I'm looking for a way to leave Rawlins.	11/16/2022 9:50 PM
36	I've lived here 35 years and this is the first time I've thought I can't get out of here fast enough	11/16/2022 9:03 PM
37	Absolutely not unfortunately. Major council changes need to happen	11/16/2022 8:41 PM
38	I would of a year ago. Now my family is looking to go elsewhere. We were all born and raised	11/16/2022 8:26 PM

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here 4 generations and every single one looking for a new place to call home because this is not it anymore

39	This is the most unfriendly place I've ever lived. As soon as a somebody has a problem, they are ostracized.	11/16/2022 8:21 PM
40	place is a shit hole	11/16/2022 7:45 PM
41	When we first moved here I would have but no longer. I can't wait until we can move out of this town and out of Wyoming.	11/16/2022 7:19 PM
42	Current state of Rawlins is the joke of the state	11/16/2022 7:01 PM
43	It's difficult to sell Rawlins to others. The negative mindset that greets them when they arrive tends to skew their thoughts of our community.	11/16/2022 5:54 PM
44	Fix your issues remove incompetent people and move your focus back to serving our community.	11/16/2022 5:28 PM
45	Hell no don't even drive by. Crap splatters if you get close.	11/16/2022 5:08 PM
46	Never in a million years. This town is a [REDACTED] joke.	11/16/2022 3:43 PM
47	Cost of living has skyrocket here, middle class has been run over	11/16/2022 3:36 PM
48	The town is a shit show and I'm not looking forward to moving back. This city doesn't deserve my tax revenue. Rawlins is known as one of Wyoming's worst towns, and it's not from nature's wind.	11/16/2022 2:59 PM
49	I moved to Rawlins 5 years ago. I have always said that I see so much potential in Rawlins, but the last year has shown me that it is not a place that I would recommend anyone move to.	11/16/2022 2:49 PM
50	No progress in the half decade I have lived here.	11/16/2022 2:47 PM
51	If it weren't for the job I have, I would not be here. Once I retire, I am leaving. My children all went through school here and the school system is a joke too. RAWLINS has so many issues right now that I would not want any of my friends or family to have to move here unless major changes/improvements are made.	11/16/2022 2:47 PM
52	I have never lived somewhere with the problems I have seen in this town. Once again the way the water situation was neglected for SO long we the citizens have suffered and with the trash situation now. Dang I think the city is trying to drive people away with rate increases. I have fun paying for your incompetents!!!	11/16/2022 2:38 PM
53	The way it's going NO	11/16/2022 2:37 PM
54	I was born and raised here and will be leaving within the next year because of the state of our town.	11/16/2022 7:31 AM
55	Rawlins is a great small town, with effort this could be a great place. It seems to me that there are people who don't want to change. And without minimal change this town will die.	11/16/2022 7:18 AM
56	Rawlins will not allow people to grow at this point. People don't want to work. You have to travel 2 hours to get A LOT of needed things. The list goes on.	11/16/2022 12:32 AM
57	I would have in the past but no longer. I can't wait to move out of here.	11/15/2022 11:32 PM
58	I love our community, but nothing changes for the better when it comes to the city government.	11/15/2022 7:25 PM
59	Most of the time no because we aren't growing.	11/15/2022 3:51 PM
60	I would, but it needs help. I would suggest it because the newer people that come in and bring their ideas the better off we will be.	11/15/2022 1:05 PM
61	I hate it here.	11/15/2022 12:49 PM
62	After 67 yrs here, I'm moving to Laramie. Not going to die in this sad excuse for a hospital.	11/15/2022 12:40 PM
63	too often must drive for medical care at another community.	11/15/2022 12:21 PM
64	Summer time yes I would recommend our city. Winter I would not.	11/15/2022 4:32 AM
65	Depends on the new council members behavior.	11/14/2022 9:03 PM

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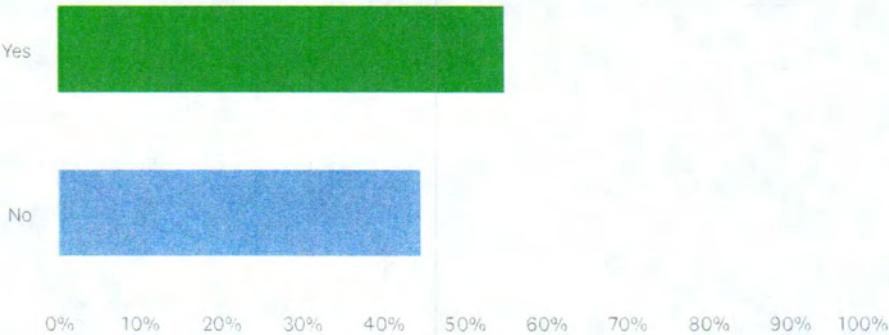
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I have always said Rawlins people are friendly but comments on Facebook don't always prove this to be true. Rawlins has a hard time filling job vacancies for some reason. I just don't know how I feel about it but I am very thankful for the businesses we have.

11/14/2022 2:50 PM

Q6 Thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had contact with the Rawlins City Hall Admin Services and Finance Departments? (For example if you have come to pay your water bill, pay a court fine, or meet with staff).

Answered: 208 Skipped: 13



ANSWER CHOICES

Yes

No

TOTAL

RESPONSES

55.29%

44.71%

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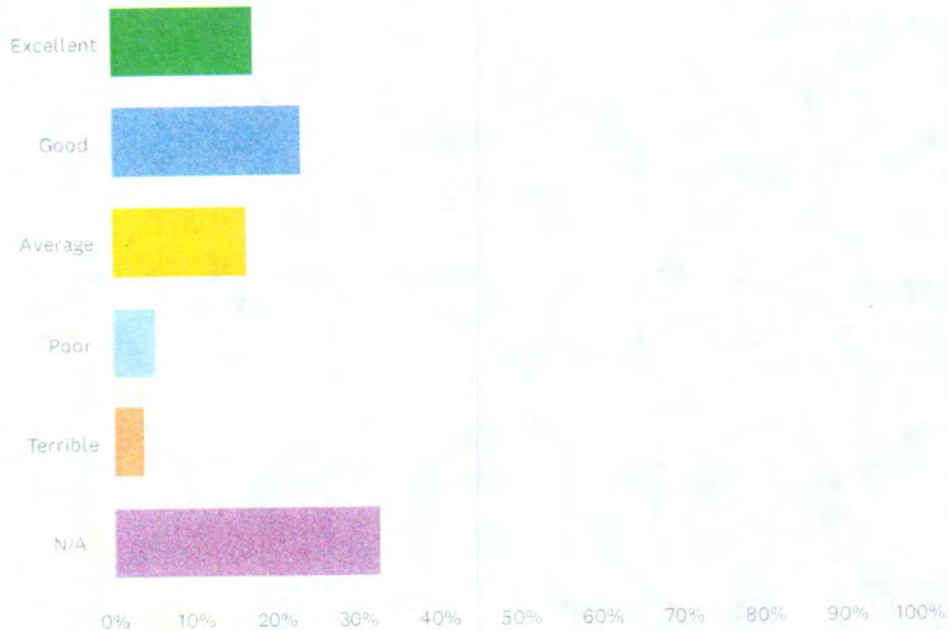
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Q7 How would you rate your experience with the City Hall Admin Services and Finance Departments?

Answered: 204 Skipped: 17



ANSWER CHOICES

Excellent
Good
Average
Poor
Terrible
N/A

RESPONSES

17.65%
23.53%
16.67%
5.39%
3.92%
32.84%

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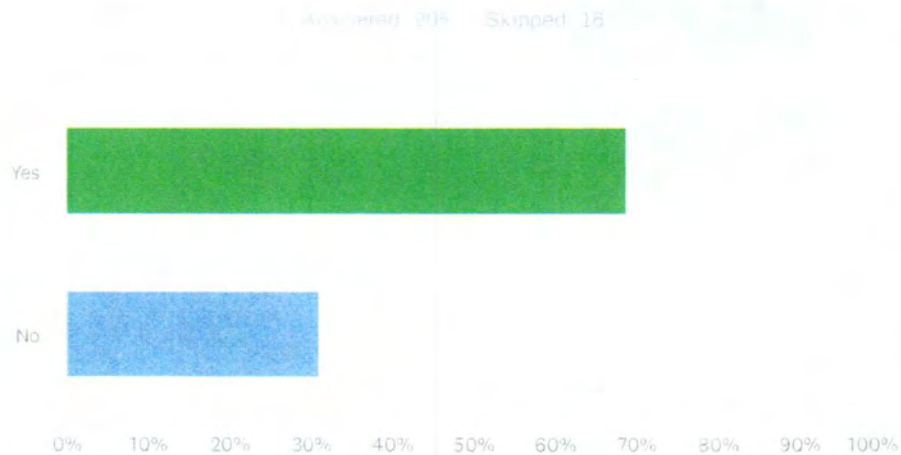
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#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	██████ is a gem! I almost always deal with her and couldn't ask for a better experience.	12/14/2022 3:08 PM
2	Required multiple calls to correct.	12/12/2022 9:13 PM
3	Was told water would not go up then it did i ask why and was told "because"	12/12/2022 8:13 PM
4	I feel like when I walk In I am a burden.	12/11/2022 12:52 PM
5	Called 3x asking when or if rates will go up all said idk then get 2 huge bills b4 xmas	12/11/2022 12:59 AM
6	All I hear about city hall is you can cut the tension with a knife and they have so many people they've run out of offices yet field works keeping getting positions cut.	12/10/2022 3:11 PM

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7	Mostly minor bureaucrats punching the timeclock	12/4/2022 1:50 PM
8	I do not use them. I currently use their app to pay my water bill.	12/2/2022 8:06 AM
9	Most staff are friendly and helpful	12/1/2022 8:39 PM
10	Sometimes a person paying a water bill has to wait while employees gossip	12/1/2022 9:04 AM
11	Paying my bill is easy of course. That's all the city wants is my money. they don't want to be accountable for what those dollars are spent on or how the city can be improved. The city wants federal grant funds to bail them out of their poor governance	11/27/2022 11:08 PM
12	Finance Dept great people	11/26/2022 12:04 PM
13	Super nice and helpful	11/23/2022 2:53 PM
14	Great.	11/22/2022 12:27 AM
15	My concern is to the commissioners. they did wrong to Dirty Boyz and all their customers. They should look into where Dirty Boyz are able to haul trash cheaper and save Rawlins residents money!!!	11/17/2022 1:18 PM
16	Finance/water dept employees are great. I didn't have the same experience with [REDACTED], [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]	11/17/2022 9:31 AM
17	They said they were going to help with a serious matter I was lied to I NEVER received a call back. I felt like I was bothering them and was only passified so I would leave. Never received a call as I was promised. Then when I called the matter was passed off onto another department no resolution was or has EVER happened	11/17/2022 8:59 AM
18	[REDACTED] was excellent. Rest of staff seemed stressed and needed training.	11/16/2022 10:56 PM
19	The working people are not the problem. Its the micro management by a select few that are the problem.	11/16/2022 9:58 PM
20	Wonderful people.	11/16/2022 8:32 PM
21	I rented the depot for an event months in advance of the date of the event. I was told there are problems with the heating and cooling system but it would be fixed by then. Paid the whole fee plus deposit for both sides of the building. Never given a call before the event so we could make other arrangements. the heat still hadn't been fixed! Went and spent HUNDREDS on space heaters that barely helped. We tried to get part of the fee reduced and the city wouldn't work with us AT ALL. We were told we already paid a reduced fee for the rental of the building which is NOT TRUE	11/16/2022 8:30 PM
22	[REDACTED] is a great employee and always helpful	11/16/2022 7:50 PM
23	The city uses a 3rd party billing website and when issues arise, don't hold any accountability. But instead, would rather pass the blame and punish the customer.	11/16/2022 3:49 PM
24	I make sure to not go to city hall because you can cut the tension at that building with a knife. It's not a welcoming place.	11/16/2022 6:20 AM
25	The attitudes of the ladies there were very inviting.	11/15/2022 4:35 PM
26	The form to change services needs to be able to edit on phone or tablet devices. To make it quick and easy for someone moving to town.	11/15/2022 12:19 PM
27	Ladies that take payments are wonderful	11/14/2022 9:06 PM
28	i pay my bill through the xpress service but when we had the water situation and i called the city hall they were not friendly and quite rude I understand they may have had a lot of things going on but there seems to not be friendly people and maybe that can be fixed with more training.	11/14/2022 4:16 PM
29	I pay my water bill online. I appreciate the convenience	11/14/2022 3:08 PM

Q8 Thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had contact with the Rawlins Parks and Recreation Department? (For example if you have visited city parks, recreation center, gun range, or attended a special event).



ANSWER CHOICES

Yes

No

TOTAL

RESPONSES

68.78%

31.22%

141

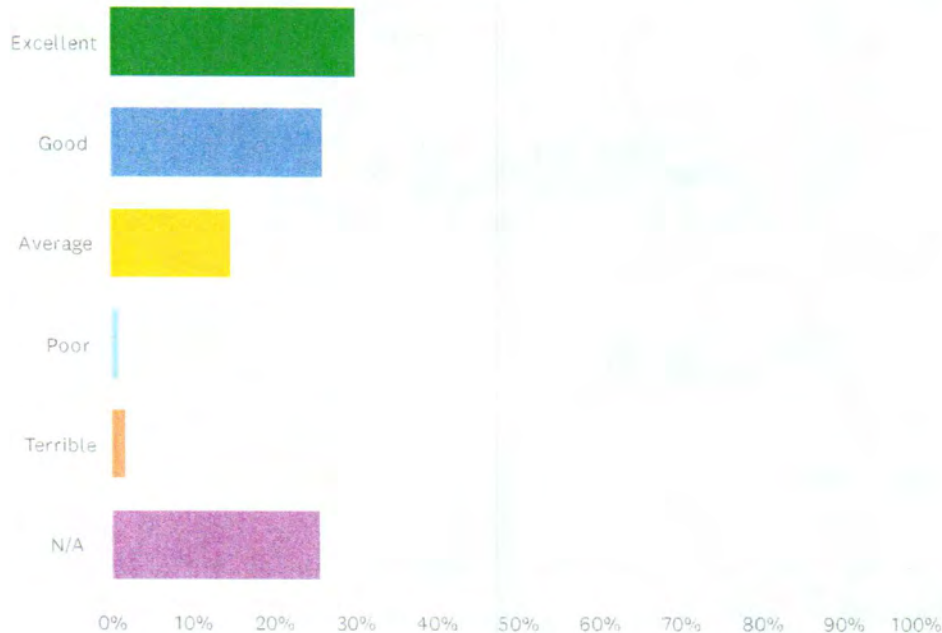
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Q9 How would you rate your experience with the Rawlins Parks and Recreation Department?

Answered: 202 Skipped: 19



ANSWER CHOICES

Excellent
Good
Average
Poor
Terrible
N/A
TOTAL

RESPONSES

Excellent	30.20%	61
Good	26.24%	53
Average	14.85%	30
Poor	0.99%	2
Terrible	1.98%	4
N/A	25.74%	52
TOTAL		202

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	20 years ago the City stopped us from cutting down THEIR trees in front of our home. They told us the trees belonged to the city. They told us to call when they needed trimming. Funny things is when we called we were told there was no longer an arborist in Rawlins, so no one could do anything with the trees. A year, or so, ago, they finally came and looked at the trees. They saw our sidewalk and all the damage the CITY'S trees did to our side walk over 20 years. We needed all 3 trees cut down and the stumps removed, so we could fix our sidewalk. One tree was cut down, and the stump was left. We are still waiting on the other 2 trees being completely removed, so we can fix our sidewalks.	12/21/2022 11:09 AM
2	Love what the rec center is doing!!	12/14/2022 5:03 PM

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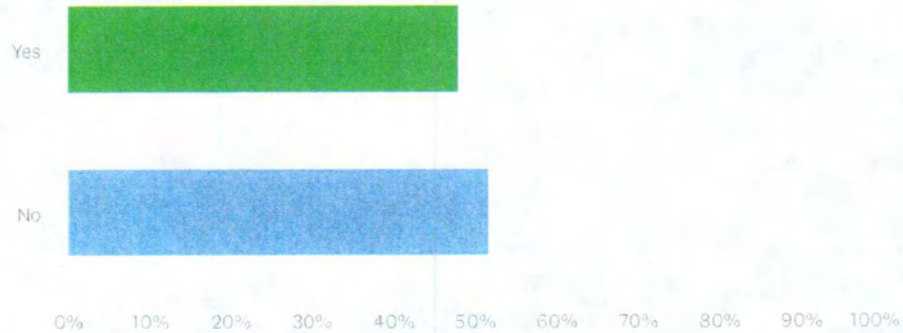
3	Have had incidents where groundskeepers give the impression you are an inconvenience and burden by using these resources and try to micro manage its use within the authorized uses.	12/13/2022 9:02 AM
4	Like the parks but would like open waterways	12/13/2022 8:43 AM
5	I love the new offerings and programs from the rec center! Great job being creative and making it fun.	12/12/2022 9:13 PM
6	Love the people & I was in a jam with a helmet situation & they stepped up without any issues	12/11/2022 12:52 PM
7	frequent visitor to the rec center great staff and facilities have been upgraded very nice	12/11/2022 5:27 AM
8	I think Parks and Rec is the only functional department. They take public comment seriously and are making positive adjustments.	12/10/2022 3:11 PM
9	Recreation Center looks great with all the new improvements (carpet, weight room, gym floor). Lots of new recreation offerings lately. Love the roller skating. Staff is always extremely helpful.	12/7/2022 8:26 AM
10	██████ is the best, most professional director yet. All the staff are helpful and competent.	12/5/2022 5:32 PM
11	It seems the parks and walking trails are well cared for and kept up. See previous comments for other areas of town.	12/5/2022 5:07 AM
12	Expectations include ██████ at the golf course and a couple people who work at the Rec Center.	12/4/2022 1:50 PM
13	Rec center staff seemed friendly and no mission parks department was hard to get it through with.	12/4/2022 12:15 PM
14	I live across from one of the parks in town. When I heard the water line broke I called immediately to have someone come look at the situation and the individual they sent was not prepared for the situation at hand. No tools, not really sure how to handle the situation, not properly trained. We ended up shutting down where the shut off was located for the park so he was able to shut the water off. The break on all the parks have been horrible. Most of the park is a great thing for the community however the tons that is left behind (mud, dirt, the neighboring houses yards) unable to park at their homes, fire hydrants, the loudness, these are things that were not thought of when deciding to hold this function at one park or at one park only. We have numerous parks in town and while Washington is the biggest there are numerous houses that get affected by this function.	12/3/2022 8:06 AM
15	The golf range closed several weeks early. This is the type of service most golfers are not happy with.	12/2/2022 8:39 PM
16	Parks are under utilized. That is a problem of the people and not the Recreation Dept. Need to brainstorm how to increase Parks and Recreation usage.	12/1/2022 3:04 AM
17	New dog park is already finished, splash pad at dog park completed. Dog park was not built outside help for MTP every year.	12/1/2022 11:23 PM
18	██████ and her staff are outstanding.	11/27/2022 9:54 AM
19	The parks are in good shape.	11/26/2022 8:46 AM
20	They've done a great job for this year with the skate park and dog park. I loved the water skating.	11/23/2022 1:02 PM
21	I see them working hard trying to keep parks nice while the city lets the water leak.	11/19/2022 1:33 PM
22	The members of parks and recreation are wonderful.	11/17/2022 8:50 AM
23	Rockledge Ranch Golf Course was not mentioned above. Golf course. But what a great asset to the city.	11/17/2022 7:43 AM
24	It's nice they have skating for the kids now.	11/16/2022 11:03 PM
25	The equipment needs updated or replaced.	11/16/2022 9:58 PM
26	The improvements to everything the past 2 years have been wonderful. Our kids, teens and neighbors have loved all the changes and increases in things to do.	11/17/2022 2:32 PM
27	The golf range is fantastic. The current range master has put a lot of work into making it great despite not having the funds to keep it up the way it should be and needs to be.	11/15/2022 7:22 PM

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28	I love that the rec center listened to the community and found a way to bring back roller skating!	11/16/2022 5:54 PM
29	goes above and beyond. Really you made the golf pro paint the pro shop?	11/16/2022 3:53 PM
30	The fairgrounds are amazing	11/16/2022 3:49 PM
31	I love the rec center!	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
32	The Rec department is one of the few good things about Rawlins. They have actively worked to improve the services for our community.	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
33	There is no leadership or direction on the REC board.	11/16/2022 2:51 PM
34	Washington park is where I've visited and it looks nice! Considering the water shortage I felt like the park's looked good! I'm grateful that the city recognizes the importance of green spaces!	11/16/2022 6:20 AM
35	is doing a wonderful job increasing rec center programs and visibility. she has always had a smile on her face and knows kids by name.	11/16/2022 5:20 AM
36	Our city parks are seriously neglected.	11/15/2022 7:27 PM
37	Rawlins Parks and Rec has made excellent progress and provide many opportunities for residents and visitors.	11/15/2022 1:27 PM
38	Good people at the range.	11/15/2022 12:44 PM
39	Outstanding program. Love all the new programs and activities the rec center is doing for kids. Absolutely fantastic 10/10.	11/15/2022 12:19 PM
40	has taken this department to new heights.	11/14/2022 9:06 PM
41	Great people	11/14/2022 9:05 PM
42	I personally have not had issues I do think it's odd I see a lot of driving when there can be more maintenance with roads shrubs and as mentioned before weeding and landscaping specifically in front of rp lumber that area is always full of weeds where the side hill is as you drive by maybe the city can help or since they deal with landscaping a little maybe use rocks to make their rp lumber name or something to stand out same for the outskirts of town get the manure from dump or corals and use some seeds and make it pretty and inviting.	11/14/2022 4:16 PM
43	Great staff	11/14/2022 3:08 PM

Q10 Thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had contact with the Rawlins Police Department? (For example if you have filed a police report or called to report a problem).

Answered: 205 Skipped: 16



ANSWER CHOICES

Yes

No

TOTAL

RESPONSES

48.29%

51.71%

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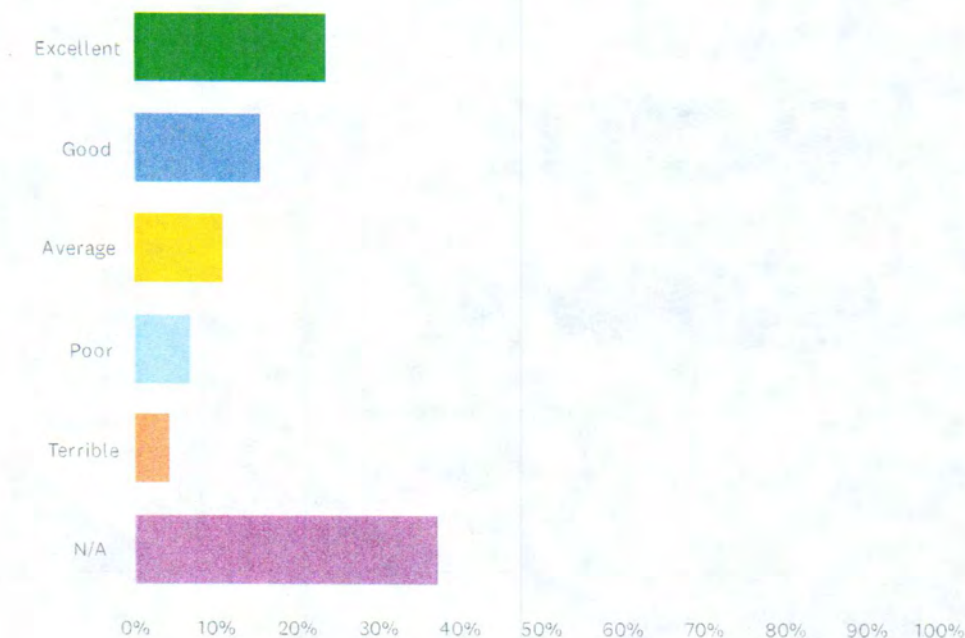
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Q11 How would you rate your experience with the Rawlins Police Department?

Answered: 197 Skipped: 24



ANSWER CHOICES

Excellent
Good
Average
Poor
Terrible
N/A
TOTAL

RESPONSES

23.86%	47
15.74%	31
11.17%	22
7.11%	14
4.57%	9
37.56%	74
	197

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	Great department with committed officers, sorry we lost some of the best ones before the new chief.	12/12/2022 9:36 PM
2	Our RPD is outstanding from the dispatchers, staff, officers, administration and chief. We have a proven leader that is supportive of our law enforcement officers as a whole, just what we need.	12/12/2022 9:13 PM
3	They are okay, they did their job when needed but I have a feeling some cops get victims in trouble just for power grabs.	12/12/2022 3:24 PM
4	It seems to be a good olé boys club always rember the guy you arrested on Friday night might just be the guy that could save you're life on Saturday night	12/12/2022 12:52 PM

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5	They show up when needed and aren't jerks	12/11/2022 12:52 PM
6	I tried three times to have an inspection at my property for an animal permit and three times the animal shelter no call no showed so I gave up	12/10/2022 3:11 PM
7	I ONLY WALK MY DOG IN THE CEMETERY AFTER DARK	12/5/2022 9:07 AM
8	See #10	12/4/2022 1:50 PM
9	To focused on where people park	12/4/2022 9:44 AM
10	The police department is a buddy system- they allow things to slide for certain individuals but will harass others. There is never two sides to one story they are one sided depending on the individuals involved	12/2/2022 3:06 AM
11	Hard working.	12/1/2022 10:45 PM
12	Havent seen much from RPD. There is some here stolen vehicles, drugs, etc. No news outlets with resources to report locally anywhere. Hard to know what's really happening	11/27/2022 11:08 PM
13	If animal control is part of the police department then also yes, excellent	11/26/2022 12:08 PM
14	I really like [REDACTED] he's such a great police chief	11/22/2022 12:37 AM
15	In the years 2001-2006 the police department was not reliable. I hope this will get better	11/17/2022 2:06 PM
16	When I was stopped the officer was polite and professional. I like that all police officers are frequently if not better than all kinds. Great work	11/17/2022 9:31 AM
17	Unfortunately our law enforcement has a rough time with individuals who work from home. I am a great Police force	11/15/2022 9:59 AM
18	Didn't expect much from them	11/15/2022 10:54 PM
19	The level of police has been a constant decline to just community. In very serious cases an increase and staff and think the officers seem less stressed than years before	11/10/2022 7:32 PM
20	They came over to ask about my neighbors as a welfare check. The officers were very professional	11/29/2022 8:30 PM
21	Officers of Police Department are not interested [REDACTED] for a candidate for [REDACTED]	11/16/2022 7:50 PM
22	Show very little interest to the citizens.	11/16/2022 8:53 PM
23	Independent of this is a local cop. [REDACTED] needs to be fired and since we keep a log of time spent on the job most of which is on the job but instead the cop just sits at home. He has to provide his own police. SPEEDS, etc. where he goes, and if he is not completely satisfied with every day in his contact in contact with	11/16/2022 3:49 PM
24	I don't trust the Rialto Police department. I avoid calling them at all costs. I have never been on the receiving end of an encounter with them, but my experiences with them is demonstrated that they are callous and their attitude is a great reflection of their lack of interest to say about WHEEL and the Sherris. Our Rialto law enforcement is great to see	11/16/2022 2:50 PM
25	My vehicle got damaged. The person said it did it result. Witnesses saw it happen. I was in my vehicle and cops were called. He got nothing and no fines were given. I was told that I wasn't paid enough damage to do anything about it. Now I have a cracked back door. I am a bumper that looks like shit	11/15/2022 12:51 PM
26	I have been a witness with the City law enforcement. I have had positive experiences and also seen them doing so much good. Thank you to them	11/16/2022 8:26 AM
27	It's OK that we can't have a deer kill because [REDACTED] decided that the department would not be involved and he would not be a active and effective police member	11/15/2022 3:16 PM
28	At times the officers are respectful. Other times they are very arrogant	11/15/2022 4:35 PM
29	Arrogant and unwilling to cooperate with County law enforcement	11/15/2022 1:00 PM
30	I think our Police Force has improved. They're not hanging out at each other's house. I don't get that feeling they are in every corner of the city watching anymore. My interaction with	11/15/2022 12:30 PM

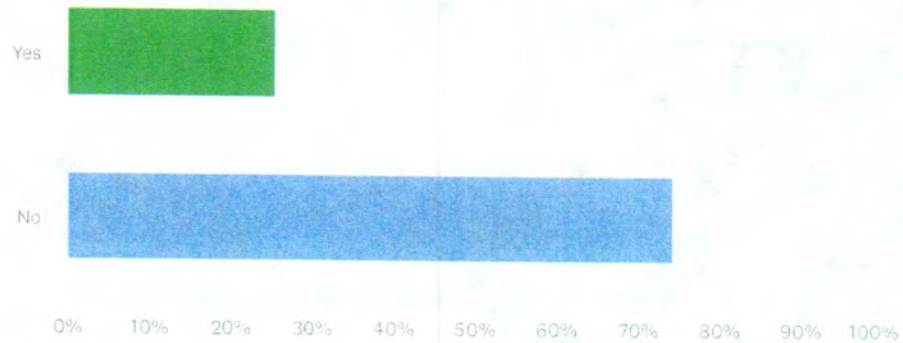
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	██████ has been less than. He is arrogant and thinks his stuff does not stink	
31	There are a few officers who believe they are above reproach	11/15/2022 12:22 PM
32	They work long hard hours and days. Appreciate all there work keeping our town safe	11/15/2022 12:19 PM
33	██████ and 2 officers responded when my husband passed away. They could not have been more compassionate	11/15/2022 12:13 PM
34	They get here in a reasonable time	11/15/2022 4:37 AM
35	Much improved over the last administration	11/14/2022 9:05 PM
36	There's a lot of bad with our pd unfortunately unprofessional as well	11/14/2022 4:16 PM
37	Called and tried to make a report. No follow up from depr	11/14/2022 2:47 PM

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Q12 Thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had contact with the Rawlins Fire Department? (For example if you have had an incident which involved a fire or medical call).

Answered: 203 Skipped: 13



ANSWER CHOICES

Yes

No

TOTAL

RESPONSES

25.62%

74.38%

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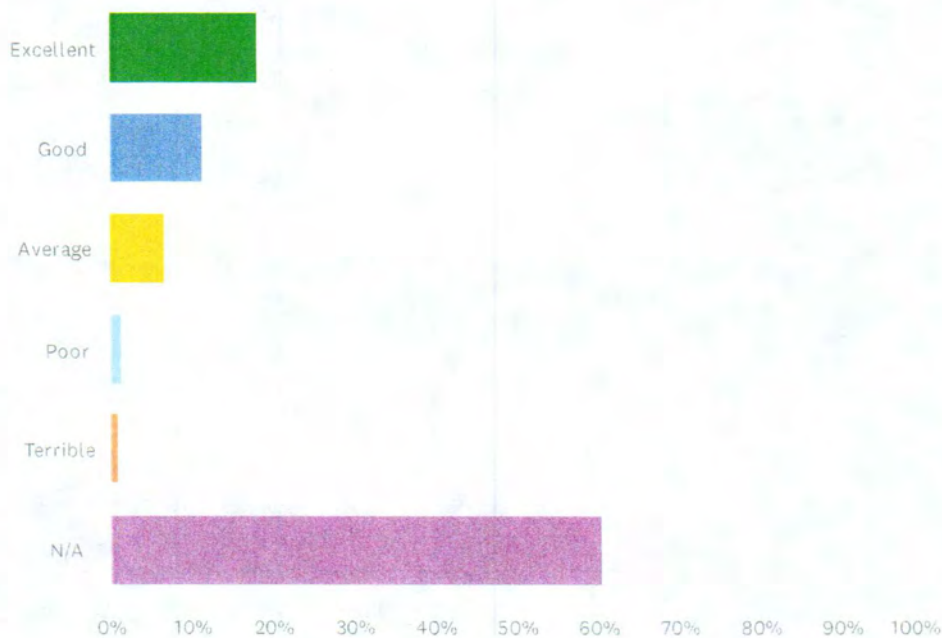
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Q13 How would you rate your experience with the Rawlins Fire Department?

Answered: 190 Skipped: 31



ANSWER CHOICES

Excellent
Good
Average
Poor
Terrible
N/A
TOTAL

RESPONSES

Excellent	18.42%	35
Good	11.58%	22
Average	6.84%	13
Poor	1.58%	3
Terrible	1.05%	2
N/A	60.53%	115
TOTAL		190

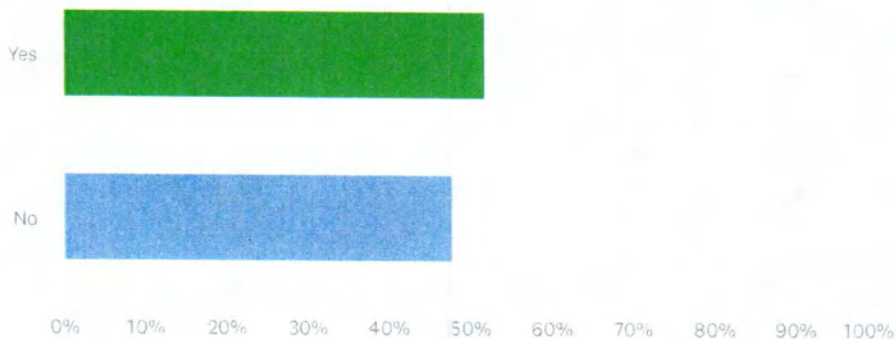
#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	Very kind and caring department with knowledgeable leadership.	12/12/2022 9:36 PM
2	It's very apparent RFD has undertaken incredible challenges to become a more cohesive group. Staff appears to be happier as they interact more and more with the community. We have a solid [REDACTED] that has gone above and beyond to improve the department and our community.	12/12/2022 9:13 PM
3	Always awesome always professional and always kind!!	12/12/2022 3:24 PM
4	See #12	12/4/2022 1:50 PM
5	Their EMTs are top notch and absolutely amazing.	11/28/2022 11:35 AM

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6	Amazing group of people	11/10/2022 12:27 PM
7	They helped address a water flooding issue in my basement directly caused by the city workers.	11/17/2022 4:41 PM
8	Again they can apparently only do so much when your neighbor doesn't comply with their suggestions and breaks the law. The response time is terrible even when you live across the street from the fire department.	11/17/2022 8:59 AM
9	██████████ was fantastic in his professional duties. Was a great help and understanding. Seems like a great group of folks.	11/16/2022 10:56 PM
10	These guys are wonderful. Their new leadership has an amazing energy that just makes everyone around him happy.	11/16/2022 8:32 PM
11	██████████ has no comparison for time and history of department.	11/16/2022 7:50 PM
12	We have had to call 911 for my mom a couple times. The medics were awesome and very helpful with my mom's dementia.	11/16/2022 7:28 PM
13	They're the only ones who helped us with our basement.	11/16/2022 4:52 PM
14	The fire department are a bunch of self-serving asses.	11/16/2022 3:53 PM
15	Ton Raylins Fire Department is a great agency, full of dedicated professionals. The fire department needs to be larger.	11/15/2022 1:27 PM
16	Shouldn't take 15 minutes for a fire engine to respond.	11/15/2022 12:51 PM
17	██████████ is paying nothing but the soda was only a \$1.00 for kids stuff.	11/15/2022 12:52 PM
18	Thank you for all your hard work.	11/15/2022 12:19 PM
19	Two of the paramedics responded when my husband passed away and they were extremely helpful and polite.	11/15/2022 12:13 PM
20	These guys are the real heroes there's never been a complaint against them, however.	11/14/2022 4:18 PM

Q14 Thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had contact with the Rawlins Public Works Department? (For example if you have interacted with Streets, Utilities, Water Treatment, Wastewater Treatment or Administration).

Answered: 204 Skipped: 17



ANSWER CHOICES

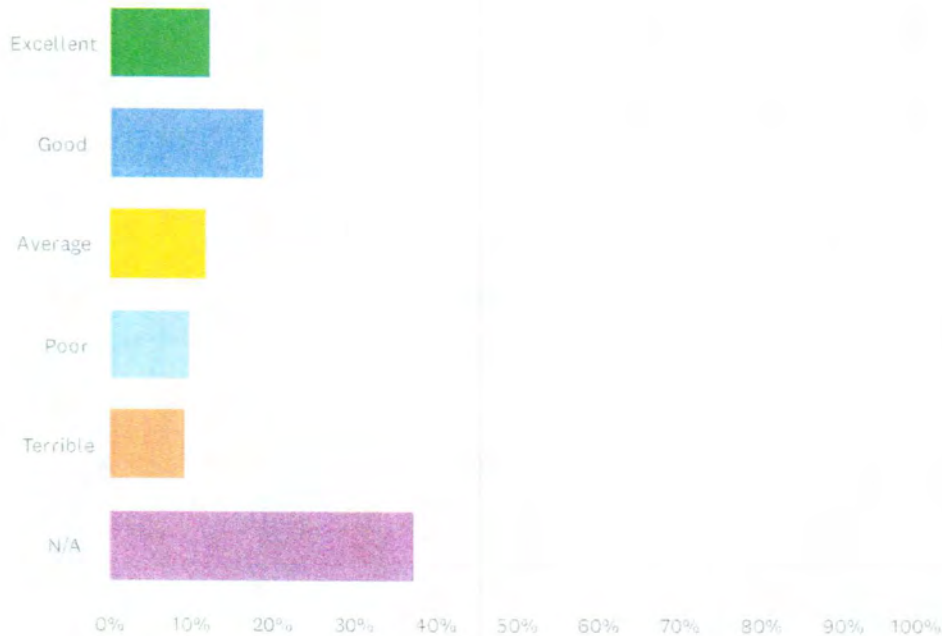
Yes	51.96%	106
No	48.04%	98
TOTAL		204

RESPONSES

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Q15 How would you rate your experience with the Rawlins Public Works Department?

Answers: 121 Skipped: 27



ANSWER CHOICES

Excellent
Good
Average
Poor
Terrible
N/A
TOTAL

RESPONSES

Excellent	12.37%	24
Good	19.07%	37
Average	11.86%	23
Poor	9.79%	19
Terrible	9.28%	18
N/A	37.63%	73
TOTAL		194

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	they shut water off at the corrals 0 warning	12/12/2022 8:13 PM
2	They have went above and beyond helping and answering questions	12/11/2022 8:24 AM
3	[REDACTED] at the water department thinks he must be public relations he just needs to do his job he's got plenty to di	12/11/2022 5:27 AM
4	The people are fine, the water lines are not.	12/10/2022 10:49 PM
5	What a joke! This water situation is insane and they don't even know where the leaks are because nothing is metered. They took a stab in the dark at wood stave and the flow stayed the same. I just doubt abilities and knowledge.	12/10/2022 3:11 PM

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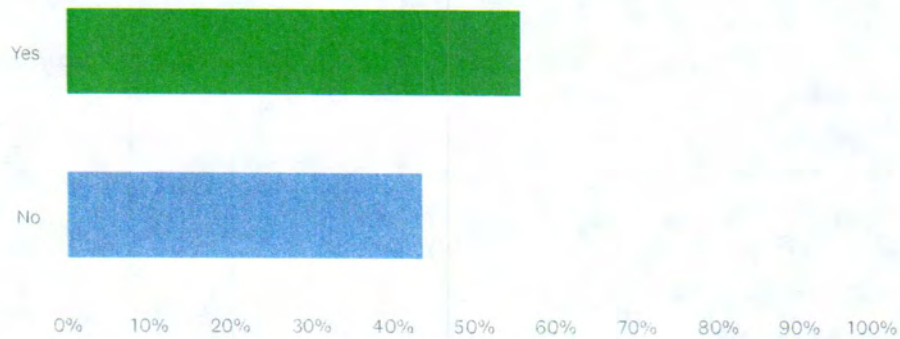
6	CITY IMMEDIATELY RESPONDED TO A NEIGHBORHOOD SEWAGE ISSUE AND FIXED IT QUICKLY LOVE THE RECYCLING CENTER. GREAT CUSTOMER SERVICE THERE LOVE THE DUMP AGAIN. GREAT CUSTOMER SERVICE	12/5/2022 9:07 AM
7	See previous comments	12/5/2022 9:07 AM
8	See #3	12/4/2022 1:50 PM
9	These individuals do not seem like they are properly trained for all situations. I have noticed they are getting better at fixing water line breaks, but if they were properly trained on the system itself I feel there could have been better up keep on the system in general and we would not necessarily be in the situation we are in.	12/2/2022 8:06 AM
10	Hard working. But we need to stop wrecking the street after we have it paved. Plan ahead do work before paving otherwise we wasted the penny tax.	12/1/2022 10:49 PM
11	Promptly turned residential water on and off when requested	12/1/2022 9:04 AM
12	This department...so many things to fix. So much poor governance. These guys are on the line and dealing with the many poor decisions from past council decisions. I really feel sorry for them but applaud all their efforts to provide water and sewer services to residents in the town.	11/27/2022 11:08 PM
13	The fact that our water situation has gone as far as it has makes me sick. I am not convinced that any of this would have even been brought to light now if it was not completely forced to be brought to the attention of the Rawlins Citizens.	11/25/2022 6:17 PM
14	Water issue speaks for itself	11/25/2022 6:10 PM
15	Nothing was resolved and city did not take responsibility for sewage damage to our house and multiple neighbors.	11/23/2022 2:53 PM
16	Great staff. They've been through a lot this year. Council's fault for not raising water rates for so long.	11/22/2022 12:27 AM
17	They stated they had turned the water off to the house but did not do due diligence to insure it was off. This resulted in \$25000 worth of damage to my home.	11/17/2022 4:41 PM
18	When pipes break and the entire community is jeopardized, that's an issue.	11/17/2022 4:13 PM
19	We cannot guarantee we will adequate water next year. If the city cannot guarantee a basic human right, why should we be paying for such?	11/17/2022 1:32 PM
20	Bad job not working on the pipe line years ago.	11/17/2022 1:18 PM
21	Had a water leak this past year thank God the employee for water works lived close and came to shut off our water immediately.	11/17/2022 8:59 AM
22	There are some very dedicated staff that are ready to respond to emergencies at any time, day or night. Hot days or frigid winters.	11/17/2022 7:43 AM
23	Alley left in poor repair. Numerous breaks. They did arrive fast, but always worry of when things will break again.	11/16/2022 11:03 PM
24	No personal experience but I appreciate the folks on the ground fixing our water lines and putting in the hard work.	11/16/2022 10:56 PM
25	We don't see these guys often but honestly, we know how hard they are working and we appreciate everything they do and hope they keep their heads up during this mess they are dealing with. That goes for all departments.	11/16/2022 8:32 PM
26	Streets department can not fix a sign, patch a pothole, has any supervision.	11/16/2022 7:50 PM
27	Again, I only work with the individuals I know, will try and help. I have them saved directly in my phone. I will not contact the yes men and women of the town.	11/16/2022 5:33 PM
28	City water came out to turn off my water so my husband could fix a pipe in the basement. They knocked on my door and told me they got the water turned off. Much to our surprise when my husband started replacing the pipe in the basement, the water was NOT turned off. Flooded our whole basement.	11/16/2022 4:52 PM
29	Water issues non stop.	11/16/2022 3:53 PM

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30	██████████ is the best employee you guys have	11/16/2022 3:49 PM
31	water infrastructure is in serious disarray	11/16/2022 3:39 PM
32	The City constantly does work on people's private property (such as trying to locate water shut offs) without telling the owner. Then the department is very rude when the person inquires about the work. Additionally I blame Public Works for the current water crisis. Anyone that has been there for more than five years should have stepped up to make sure issues were being addressed!	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
33	I hope the communication between Local governments and the City increases regarding local government jobs	11/16/2022 5:29 AM
34	Water	11/15/2022 4:46 PM
35	The water issue was inherited as a result of decades of neglect. The current staff have done an excellent job of addressing the issues and moving forward!	11/15/2022 1:27 PM
36	Harvest we all had contact with Public Works Department. How frustrated they must be with the ongoing problems.	11/15/2022 1:00 PM
37	I think the employees in this department need to get real about the water problem. Not just show it under the rug or sugar coat it.	11/15/2022 12:34 PM
38	Took care of sewer line	11/15/2022 12:14 PM
39	See previous comment on our water situation. Nothing wrong and asking those who have an finger there for help and guidance.	11/15/2022 12:03 PM
40	They are supposed to come fix our road. And haven't done it yet. We had our sewer lines fixed. And we are still waiting on them to fix the road. When I called, they said they would call me back and never did.	11/14/2022 4:37 AM
41	██████████ does a great job of some of the issues he handles	11/14/2022 3:45 PM
42	I honestly think they need better training and the issues we have. What's happening since our last City manager left?	11/14/2022 2:11 PM
43	Also, what they have been working had in all of the water problems would be great	11/14/2022 3:08 PM

Q16 Thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had contact with the Rawlins Community Development Department? (For example if you have interacted Landfill, Recycling, Permits, Zoning or Administration).

Answered: 207 Skipped: 14



ANSWER CHOICES

Yes

No

TOTAL

RESPONSES

56.04%

43.96%

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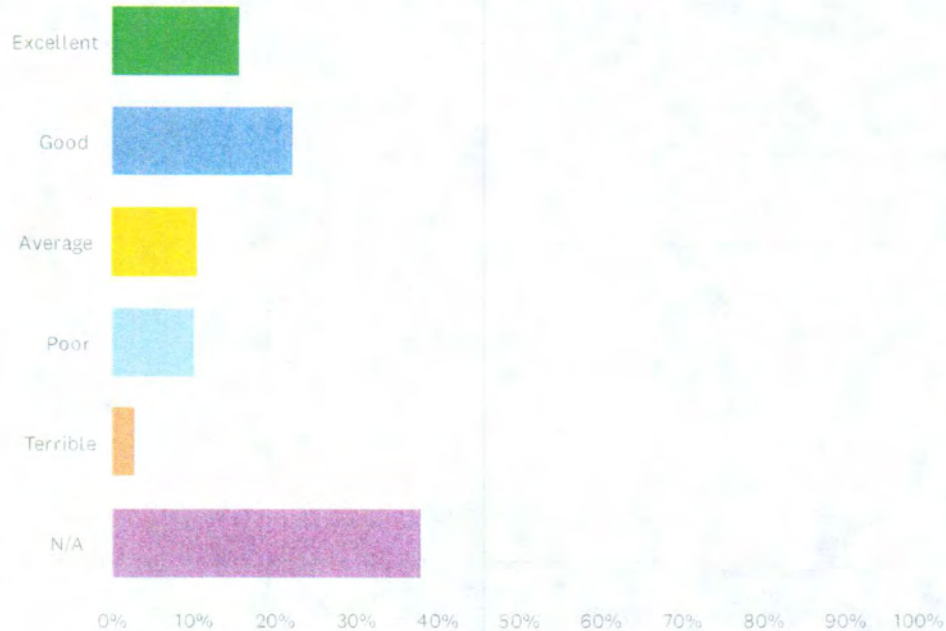
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Q17 How would you rate your experience with the Rawlins Community Development Department?

Answered: 197 Skipped: 24



ANSWER CHOICES

Excellent
Good
Average
Poor
Terrible
N/A
TOTAL

RESPONSES

15.74%	31
22.34%	44
10.66%	21
10.15%	20
3.05%	6
38.07%	75
	197

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	generally good	12/16/2022 1:38 PM
2	We pay sales taxes, then I pay a landfill fee and I also pay someone to haul my garbage then I have to pay another fee if I take a trip to the landfill. Rawlins gets paid 3 times for our waste removal... its wrong and needs to be fixed.	12/15/2022 12:31 AM
3	Everyone at the recycling center is wonderful. I appreciate their willingness to always help.	12/14/2022 5:03 PM
4	Landfill is a joke a big expensive bad joke	12/12/2022 8:13 PM
5	They are great when I had to go to the dump just not sure of the fees	12/11/2022 12:52 PM

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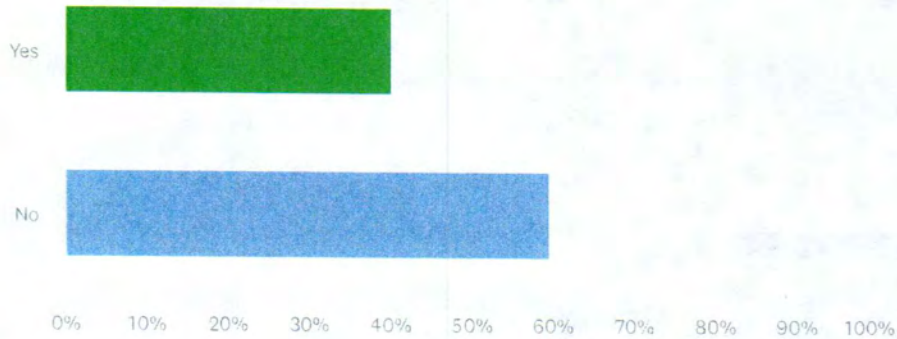
6	Landfill is a huge money pit	12/11/2022 12:59 AM
7	I THOUGHT RECYCLING AND LANDFILL WERE PUBLIC WORKS	12/5/2022 9:07 AM
8	See #16	12/4/2022 1:50 PM
9	Recycling has always been on-task, helpful, and friendly. Landfill is very straightforward and easy to deal with (and doesn't stink).	12/4/2022 12:16 PM
10	I only interact with them when I have to haul anything to the landfill, and each time they are respectful and most of the time knowledgeable of everything going on.	12/2/2022 8:06 AM
11	Lack of desire or support in upholding ordinances for abandoned structures and trashy properties	12/1/2022 8:39 PM
12	Landfill closed Day after Thanksgiving????	11/26/2022 12:04 PM
13	Love the landfill employees	11/22/2022 12:27 AM
14	I love them. They are so friendly and helpful.	11/17/2022 4:41 PM
15	Should have fixed the problem instead of hauling our trash to Casper!	11/17/2022 1:18 PM
16	Too bad this position was eliminated	11/17/2022 9:31 AM
17	They helped me by staying open an extra few minutes to unload a whole mess of cardboard. They did not complain and I was so grateful because my car was loaded. Thank you Rawlins recycle	11/17/2022 8:59 AM
18	Free demo days are appreciated	11/16/2022 11:03 PM
19	Planning on zoning office folks were very good. The planning and zoning board had individuals who were very unprofessional, violated the rules of the board and were very detrimental to the process. Also it appeared that the council had not provided any leadership to the planning and zoning group. Making it very difficult for the city manager and planning and zoning group to convey what is expected to applicants. Overall good folks working for the city but a lack of good leadership from the council and zoning commission.	11/16/2022 10:56 PM
20	The working people are great.	11/16/2022 9:58 PM
21	Great people but this area seems to need a lot of work. The professionals here should be doing a better job at bringing in new business. The need for economic development is key and we need to get that position back.	11/16/2022 8:32 PM
22	Recycling employees are friendly. Landfill employees are rude would rather pay dirty boys to take my trash so I don't have to deal with the rude employees.	11/16/2022 8:01 PM
23	poor leadership	11/16/2022 7:50 PM
24	Nothing against the employees, this is strictly terrible due to the way the city has propped the landfill up as a cash cow and demonize small business that are trying to do what's best for their customers (citizens of Rawlins).	11/16/2022 7:05 PM
25	I took cardboard to recycle bins and the trash was strong all over and blowing down Daily street.	11/16/2022 6:40 PM
26	Landfill looks like hell. Not kept up on the amount of garbage sent to them. How could they keep up with dirty boyz addition of customers. There is no way it would work be thankful they took trash elsewhere. The city would be fined by environmental and should be already with its conditions.	11/16/2022 5:33 PM
27	Depends on who is working. The one lady is amazing but the other one refuses to let me dump when I need to because my husband is on the house, even though I am out there all the time with him and can give her the accurate address.	11/16/2022 3:49 PM
28	The employees of the landfill are wonderful to work with.	11/16/2022 3:41 PM
29	Recycling is under staffed	11/16/2022 3:39 PM
30	Sometimes I avoid dropping off cardboard for recycling because the recycling bins outside the facility are always full.	11/16/2022 3:01 PM

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31	Why ask the question clearly Rawlins has a monopoly here one that threatens to wipe out the competition after city council meetings	11/16/2022 2:45 PM
32	The cardboard recycling center is great!	11/16/2022 7:20 AM
33	After taking cardboard to drop off locations around town that were full, I took it to the dump. Was told I couldn't dump and had to recycle it. This was during covid when you couldn't go to the center. The dump sent me to the recycle center and said they had called and that I could dump my cardboard there. They said I couldn't.	11/15/2022 3:19 PM
34	the landfill and recycling center are extremely well run and the employees are consistently friendly and helpful	11/15/2022 1:27 PM
35	Love the recycling center and staff. Although they're not real eager to jump on you help. All in all have had good interactions	11/15/2022 12:38 PM
36	Don't charge me twice on my landfill bill. Either charge me on my water bill or at the gate. But don't do both	11/15/2022 12:22 PM
37	There have been false stories told - improper disposal of hazardous materials in the city landfill areas, ect	11/15/2022 10:25 AM
38	Guys at recycling center are nice guys [REDACTED] & [REDACTED] a great job	11/14/2022 9:06 PM
39	Most have no idea what they are doing	11/14/2022 9:06 PM
40	I spoke [REDACTED] about possible fencing options and she was very helpful. The employees at the landfill and recycling center are the best. Friendly and helpful. In my opinion, the recycle center has never been as organized as it is now. And employees go out of their way to be helpful.	11/14/2022 3:46 PM

Q18 Thinking back over the past 12 months, have you had contact with the Rawlins Downtown Development Authority (DDA)/Main Street? (For example if you have attended a class, special event, walking tour, or volunteered with DDA/Main Street). Note: DDA/Main Street is a Special District and not a department of the City.

Answered: 204 Skipped: 17



ANSWER CHOICES

Yes

No

TOTAL

RESPONSES

40.20%

59.80%

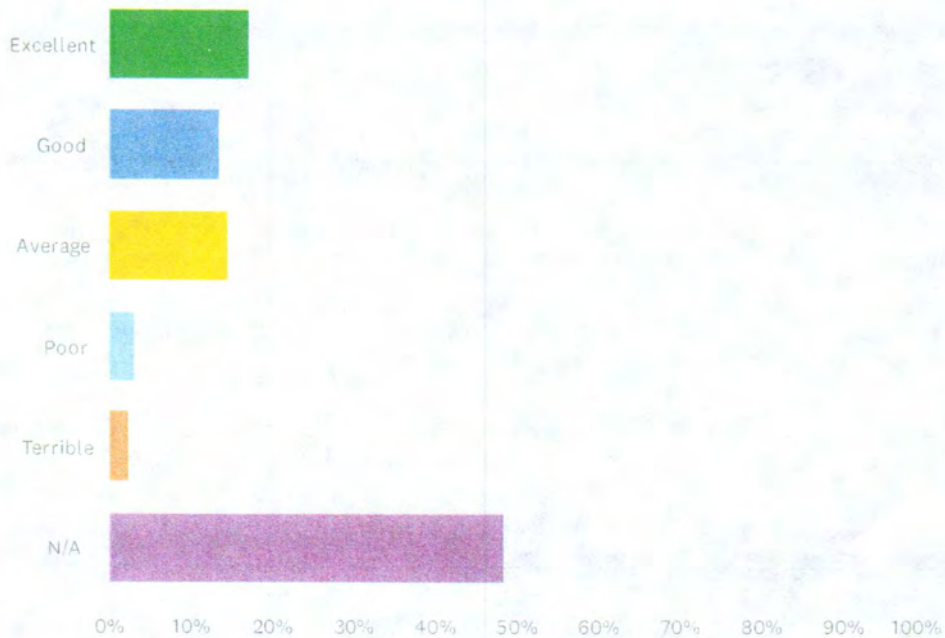
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Q19 How would you rate your experience with the Rawlins Downtown Development Authority (DDA)/Main Street?

Answered: 191 Skipped: 30



ANSWER CHOICES

Excellent
Good
Average
Poor
Terrible
N/A
TOTAL

RESPONSES

Excellent	17.28%	33
Good	13.61%	26
Average	14.66%	28
Poor	3.14%	6
Terrible	2.62%	5
N/A	48.69%	93
TOTAL		191

#	COMMENTS:	DATE
1	there are some statements I keep hearing around the city "its just rawlins" "thats the way it is in rawlins" "Rawlins is the armpit of wyoming" we need to fix the citizen attitude and pride in the city	12/16/2022 2:12 PM
2	get the trailers off the streets	12/16/2022 1:33 PM
3	Summerfest was a big hit and we always enjoyed downtown trick or treating. Good job!	12/14/2022 5:03 PM
4	halloween was ok	12/12/2022 8:13 PM
5	They are always trying to do better & aren't jerks	12/11/2022 12:52 PM

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6	I have had some good conversations with [REDACTED]	12/11/2022 8:24 AM
7	HIGH ENERGY, POSITIVE VIBES, PARTICIPATED IN COMMUNITY CLEANUP DAY AND IT WAS A BLAST	12/5/2022 9:07 AM
8	The Rawlins DDA has done an outstanding job revitalizing and beautifying the downtown. They go the extra mile to promote/provide activities and entertainment downtown throughout the year. We are fortunate to have the DDA/Main Street organization in Rawlins.	12/5/2022 9:07 AM
9	See #18	12/4/2022 1:50 PM
10	DDA tries	11/27/2022 11:08 PM
11	I am impressed by [REDACTED] and her staff. They would very hard.	11/27/2022 9:54 AM
12	[REDACTED] da bomb dot com	11/22/2022 12:27 AM
13	Most people I know avoid driving down town because of the sidewalks sticking out in the street.	11/17/2022 1:18 PM
14	DDA seems like a lot of talk with out substance. Our downtown is still a bunch of empty buildings and few businesses. Thank goodness for Rasmussen's and Bi-Rite.	11/17/2022 9:31 AM
15	Loved helping with community clean up. I had the best time having a day with grand kids and made it possible to show them how to come together to complete a task. Even cleaning up someone else's task. Showed them about humility and humble themselves helping others and themselves.	11/17/2022 8:59 AM
16	Poor delivery on events and lack of advertising them. Social media is the future no one get mail flyers and the ones that do throw them away before they are opened. Do better it's 2022 not 1992.	11/16/2022 5:33 PM
17	Who puts downtown truck or treating in the middle of [REDACTED] of doing it the Sat before or going until 6 pm. they held it 3-5 pm on a MONDAY. People have JOBS they have to work and 99% of the people work until 5. So that was the biggest disappointment and such bullshit!	11/16/2022 3:49 PM
18	Lots of empty businesses	11/16/2022 3:39 PM
19	I think the DDA could do more for the city.	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
20	I think if we could make the west end look as good as our downtown district we would have people stopping to visit and stay a lot more!	11/16/2022 6:20 AM
21	They are very helpful and assisted me in the purchase of my business and marketing. Always great.	11/15/2022 8:09 PM
22	Not interested in downtown development at this time. More important matters to attend to.	11/15/2022 4:46 PM
23	[REDACTED] is an excellent leader. She and her staff have made the most significant improvements in Rawlins' beautification efforts.	11/15/2022 1:27 PM
24	Our downtown needs improvement.	11/15/2022 12:51 PM
25	All those statues, and no respect for our vets, 1st responders, or law enforcement. I never shop downtown. DDA is a scam.	11/15/2022 12:44 PM
26	There's more to Rawlins than downtown and businesses that bring money to the community. Help should be given to all. Also, Rawlins as a whole isn't very new business friendly.	11/15/2022 12:22 PM
27	ArtBeat is always a fun event.	11/15/2022 12:13 PM
28	They focus on downtown way too much and neglect the other ends of the town.	11/14/2022 4:16 PM

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Q20 What other comments or insights would you like to share with the City as a whole?

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Stop killing the wildlife here.	12/21/2022 11:12 AM
2	childrens water park by depot. not practical in this location. put rawlins on the map. how about rail service for passengers from cheyenne to mcksprings. And all stops. add 2 more weeks for hiking in the park	12/16/2022 3:48 PM
3	please paint stages on parking downtown	12/16/2022 3:32 PM
4	If I didn't like it here I shouldn't stay!	12/16/2022 3:29 PM
5	fast row	12/16/2022 3:26 PM
6	city factor tend to be up there	12/16/2022 3:17 PM
7	what is the city going to do with the eyesore apartment hotels. have the city buy it. or make one of	12/16/2022 3:12 PM
8	city factor is completely dead	12/16/2022 3:08 PM
9	they need to deal with asbestos buildings	12/16/2022 3:02 PM
10	[REDACTED] has not been conducting in a professional manner at council meetings. I was at one meeting where he was rude to everyone in the audience and made threats about closing down this meeting	12/16/2022 2:51 PM
11	Rawlins is awesome. Everyone is so nice	12/16/2022 2:43 PM
12	the primary attraction of what's called by the city we so helpful and informative in 2022. without a daily newspaper we really do miss a lot. Thank you for the efforts with on line tv and radio and news alerts	12/16/2022 2:28 PM
13	water a lot	12/16/2022 2:17 PM
14	in such respect I would like to see the cemetery cleaned up and some sort of gift to it. fill in the graves that are sinking and perhaps some water for the grass. I realize the water problem but I think that sort of thing. When the river is going to be supplied to the cemetery, any effort could be made there	12/16/2022 1:51 PM
15	Thank you for the city employees who work hard. The city doesn't always seem to do they make the best choice of the city. I think makes that all makes better	12/16/2022 1:46 PM
16	Thanks for the skate park. dog park. And ice in the area	12/16/2022 12:31 PM
17	I shared with the city. May have been better than the city. I think they would be better	12/13/2022 9:34 AM
18	The mayor needs to be removed asap	12/12/2022 9:45 PM
19	Please get through to the council we are not a democracy. It takes a majority of the council not just [REDACTED]. Start treating everyone with respect. Don't talk down to residents. Put people off. say rude comments during the meeting and outside of the meeting and know what you are saying. Stop blaming staff for what's going wrong and do more than say you are doing everything possible when in fact there is no evidence you are doing just that. The facts don't hold up your statements or arguments. Just stop! Please before our community indicates stop your negative hate filled leadership or resign so the council can be led by those who are not interested in serving their own interests but steps to the community and puts the community first	12/12/2022 9:43 PM
20	The city could benefit from focusing their attention on priorities, versus operating our city as usual even during the recent crisis situations over the last year. City council should not make	12/12/2022 9:21 PM

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waited five months to create a working water committee. city should have put everything into the recent SLIB grant and there should be a quicker response to emergent issues. Having [REDACTED] has been a positive let her post notices without notifying city council and awaiting a response. Let her do her job and get out of her way [REDACTED] appears to be a great addition to the city.

21	The counsel needs to listen to people	12/12/2022 8:15 PM
22	FIX THE WATER ISSUE!!!	12/12/2022 6:09 PM
23	That this survey will be read but made fun of behind closed doors	12/11/2022 12:54 PM
24	It's a damn mess and we the citizens of rawlins are angry and mad at the way our community is being ran. This isn't a communist community and that's how [REDACTED] is trying to throw his weight around and we're not taking it anymore. So get ready because if we all in the community stands together it's definitely gonna be bad news for [REDACTED]	12/11/2022 12:01 PM
25	I feel that the city is trying to fix problems that have been going on for over 40 years and it will take time	12/11/2022 8:26 AM
26	City council is a joke hopeful after new people are installed things get better	12/11/2022 5:29 AM
27	Is there anything happening with the cemetery water line? What's up with the golf course restaurant?	12/7/2022 8:29 AM
28	None	12/5/2022 5:34 PM
29	Thanks to all for your hard work, dedication and effort in all that you do everyday to make and keep Rawlins a great town to live and do business in. I'm grateful for all you have done and continue to do and the commitment and team effort it takes to keep Rawlins going and prosperous	12/5/2022 9:13 AM
30	I LOVE LIVING HERE. I JUST WISH THE TOWN WASN'T SO UGLY WITH ABANDONED BUILDINGS WAITING FOR FALL DOWN AND DYING TREES IN THE GREEN PLACES	12/5/2022 9:10 AM
31	I think the City needs to upgrade the quality of the maintenance of the golf course. With access to the river water, there is no excuse for the condition of the course through most of the summer. By the time it started coming around, the season was mostly over. Because of the condition the we lost the opportunity to host the Class 3A state tournament, the courses in surrounding communities such as Casper, Laramie, Rock Springs, Cheyenne and even Saratoga were in much better shape. It is a disgrace to waste a gifted resource through incompetence and neglect.	12/4/2022 2:01 PM
32	All residents are not on Facebook (some choose not to be). Many visitors do general web searches (and not necessarily on Google) to find local businesses. Took many months and in some cases a little over a year to learn of various businesses and community offerings in the town. Think the city and its businesses could do a better job of advertising Rawlins offerings. Seems there could be more signage in town and on the I80.	12/4/2022 12:25 PM
33	Keep the parks and Cemetery clean and green	12/4/2022 9:46 AM
34	Rawlins is a nice small town and place to live but there isn't much to do for kids and has daily just bars and drinking for adults. Very few restaurant choices.	12/2/2022 10:02 PM
35	Things are a lot better than they were 33 years ago when we moved here. Sometimes the last 10% of improvement is harder than the first 10% because it's more nuanced and requires really deep thinking.	12/2/2022 10:53 AM
36	The water situation- I think having properly trained individuals to do routine inspections on the water line is a great start to fixing and maintaining any further incidents. The council members- I personally feel like if a better election, or even better manner individuals who are not one-sided would be best for this position. There are a lot of individuals who have personal vendettas against others in this town and they should not be allowed to hold any seat. Higher Taxes, increased billing- These are a great way to make up with the short comings of the financial situation that the city itself has put us in, however if these keep increasing and individuals are no longer able to pay then this city will become another ghost town on the maps. Increasing the cost for failure to maintain the city should not be put on the individuals who are already struggling in a town that has the highest cost of living, and the least amount of	12/2/2022 8:14 AM

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good paying jobs. Closed Minded- The city needs to allow growth in this town. the cost of living is already high. even if they allowed more companies to open up it would allow for more jobs more tourist and more income.

37. A little pride in the town of Rawlins from the overall state of Rawlins from the mayor down while making some efforts to enforce some of the codes would go a long way to making this nice little town a great community. 12/1/2022 8:45 PM
38. As the wind capital Rawlins needs start Wind Art Projects on roads approaching Rawlins and in Rawlins. Have an art contest that features wind, flag and hay bale sculpture art. An easy way to start is to put flags on the roads and in the town. Each flag would advertise Rawlins attractions. Business could pay for flags and advertise their business. 12/1/2022 9:19 AM
39. City counsel should strive to get facts straight before they open their mouths at city council meetings. 11/28/2022 2:34 PM
40. I think [REDACTED] needs to be removed - demoted from our council. He has shown how immature and elitist he is during our council meetings. I regret having ever voted for [REDACTED]. 11/28/2022 11:39 AM
41. Work on making this town a town where we want people to come to and be a part of. Don't make it a town where people are ashamed of the community. 11/28/2022 10:50 AM
42. Rawlins is just like any other City. It may not be perfect and has its flaws, but the city does come together when it matters. No matter what the city does, you will still have that 15% that will disagree with everything, even when the city does something great. 11/28/2022 8:53 AM
43. I believe in our city and its people. Thank you for letting me express what I have done already. 11/27/2022 11:28 PM
44. Quit playing the blame game. Look at Rawlins as being united and maybe it will become that way. No matter why we live here we must take pride in ourselves and our neighbors. Make sound decisions when looking to the future - listen, think and make those decisions based on facts, not good old boy sentiments. Keep you feet to the fire and make Rawlins the first priority. This can be done if it is with good strong leadership. 11/27/2022 12:04 AM
45. It would be great if the city council could all work together for Rawlins with no class. 11/26/2022 12:29 PM
46. I believe the city police department does a wonderful job. What I believe is that the citizens of Rawlins are kept informed is a weekly published online report of crime that occurs in the city and where within the city crimes are reported so that we can watch and help the police department. How else can we help the police and sheriff's department with citizens being informed? 11/26/2022 12:23 PM
47. We need to start electing council members and have the community as a whole rather than interest. To start, at the last were voted for the special interests for themselves or family members. The current council is a good example. If true. 11/26/2022 9:51 AM
48. If it wasn't for the refinery Rawlins would be a ghost town. Contractors would increase revenue tremendously. We are waiting to move forward. Where you don't know if you will be able to shower or do laundry next week. 11/26/2022 6:12 PM
49. Couple that in January the city council can work together to accomplish good things for Rawlins. Our town has a lot of things to offer. We need to develop, grow, and change with the times. Burying our head in the sand isn't working when it's so easy for them to see it's not possible anymore. 11/24/2022 3:25 PM
50. Not sure what else to say. 11/23/2022 7:10 PM
51. We must not let this slip out just like it. 11/23/2022 4:57 PM
52. Would like the city to fix this water issue. There is no state or federal funds to help bring Rawlins into the 21st century. 11/23/2022 1:42 PM
53. Really just out of the mud [REDACTED] On ya and [REDACTED] nes [REDACTED] puppet s [REDACTED] he needs to go. Thank god the [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] is gone. They were horrible. Have you seen the comments [REDACTED] put on facebook? She's a terrible person. It all makes why they didn't want a code of ethics. Our town is doomed with them in charge. 11/22/2022 12:35 AM
54. Promote. Promote. Promote. 11/21/2022 7:01 PM

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55	City council is not something you get paid for just to show up twice a month and vote on a few things. Act like it	11/17/2022 9:09 PM
56	Finally making Dirty Boyz accountable for their actions that they have done for years and got away with it	11/17/2022 7:12 PM
57	I am very concerned the value of my home will disappear due to the collapse of utilities and commerce v	11/17/2022 4:44 PM
58	Bring in more businesses	11/17/2022 4:16 PM
59	Rawlins is a great community that supports each other. Seems to be those in power don't pay attention to what I d needed	11/17/2022 2:02 PM
60	We should not be paying for the city's inability to figure out our water issues. Stop raising our bills for water we can't use! Let us choose who services us, don't force us to pay higher prices to a company that doesn't help our community. People chose Dirty Boyz for a reason. Fix the things we can hardly use! For example: our water, our dump	11/17/2022 1:38 PM
61	More transparency and council needs to really communicate with each other, department needs, and businesses	11/17/2022 12:58 PM
62	I am saddened that when I had my home appraised I was told I automatically get \$10,000.00 docked due to living on Southside I was amazed because I was not given what my home was worth again ALL of Rawlins citizens should be treated equal no matter where you live however stereotypes and bias opinions are what judge our community	11/17/2022 9:04 AM
63	I know it is hard to manage so much with little income, but you are doing an ok job. While I am not a resident I spend a good amount of time in the city and will continue to do so. I'd like to see a less combative city council. It seems like economics is a perpetual argument rather than a symbiotic relationship, which leads me to believe that enterprise will look away	11/17/2022 9:00 AM
64	Focus on working together as a council to: 1. Fix the water situation 2. Fix the sewer system 3. Fix roads. People want you to work together to solve issues. [REDACTED] is a good example of this	11/16/2022 11:14 PM
65	We need more things in this town and better employees	11/16/2022 11:00 PM
66	Been there done that, with the good ol' boy system we have had for so many years. I have given up. Fall on far to many deaf ears. [REDACTED] is the only council member that puts the community 1st, listens to all ideas and does what's best for the community	11/16/2022 10:08 PM
67	This council is a joke and someone needs to take control of it from the mayor and his sneed	11/16/2022 9:06 PM
68	Do not agree with the withdrawal of Dirty Boys license. I had difficulties getting building inspections done. My remodeling project was held up since the building inspector was unavailable for a long time period	11/16/2022 8:56 PM
69	My suggestion is listen to citizens. Try to be more accommodating to businesses coming into here and if there is only TWO places that deal with a specific task. Take in to consider how can we handle if one of these can't do this. I am very disappointed to hear your decision with dirty boys	11/16/2022 8:45 PM
70	City officials are a joke	11/16/2022 8:38 PM
71	Good luck	11/16/2022 8:34 PM
72	I understand that changes to our town are pass due but jumping everything so high is crazy. You think we have all this money. You need to keep the people in our town happy find away not to get rid of dirty boys	11/16/2022 8:06 PM
73	get rid of all the extra employees that [REDACTED] hired	11/16/2022 7:52 PM
74	I would like to see more improvements on the water structure here in town. Have never had to deal with such crazy and awful experiences with the water infrastructure. My mom has dementia and is incontinent and we need to be sure we have the amount of water to properly care for her. And after a few years of taking a lot of time and money to get our yard looking amazing it was just sad to see it look so terrible. Two days a week watering won't be enough to get to where it was last summer. One reason we are wanting to leave this town	11/16/2022 7:27 PM
75	Thank you to all the city employees and I am truly sorry if the actions of city council has	11/16/2022 7:09 PM

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	inadvertently cast negative shadows over you. Please know all the citizens outrage is pointed at [REDACTED]. Employees of the city are hard working and honest with the city's best interest at heart. Thank you.	
76	In my opinion the standards and pride we had in Rawlins was bigger than the entire town. I was proud to say I was from Rawlins. Now you couldn't pay me to mention this hell hole. From lazy police to liars that say one thing and do nothing about it. We have thieves that you can't trust that are neighbors and town officials. I am ashamed of the town and the people that live here. I feel enraged about the city taking apart our parks and turning them into a place that dogs crap in. As well as taking out a beautiful fountain and calling it progress.	11/16/2022 6:56 PM
77	I do love my community but sometimes I get frustrated with the actions from people in public office, mostly the City Council. I would like to see a much higher level of professionalism from them. This should reduce the 'drama' caused when they react poorly to the public's emotions. In my experience, I've been witnessing this for a number of years starting when [REDACTED]. I don't understand why this continues as we add new people to the council. I was also impressed with the changes [REDACTED] was making and am concerned that we will lose the momentum that he was creating now that he is gone. I would also like the city to efficiently use their resources to make new changes and improvements and stop spending time/funds on addressing the same issues. Most recently, the trailer parking issue. I want to see our community boom and not bust. As a lifelong Rawlinsite I believe we need to change the mindset as a whole and move our entire community forward. I believe this has to start with those in power and work its way down. I have seen great changes, especially the skate park and dog park, and hope we continue with these small ideas until Rawlins becomes a place every one feels proud to love.	11/16/2022 6:09 PM
78	Stop destroying local businesses	11/16/2022 6:02 PM
79	Leave the deer alone	11/16/2022 4:53 PM
80	Stop running a local Business in the ground and using a non local Business that doesn't even have an office here. The city can't call the kettle black if they are both wrong you have to hold them both accountable for past ones. YOU ARE RUINING OUR CITY.	11/16/2022 4:06 PM
81	Past council members are self serving conduct	11/16/2022 3:55 PM
82	Start working FOR the citizens of Rawlins. NOT for each other. NOT for your friends. NOT for your family. The citizens as a WHOLE. Actually listen to them and do everything it takes power to give RAWLINS what RAWLINS wants. Not your own selfish wants.	11/16/2022 3:55 PM
83	Serve your people, not yourselves. Over the past 15 years, growing up in Rawlins, I listened to reports and suspicious activity. These activities were never from Fire Departments, Police, EMS, public works, etc. It was ALWAYS been between groups of boys in the City Council. You claim the residents' trash is yours, but fail to realize the trash has always been in Council seats. You have purposefully created a monopoly, and the worst part, the City of Rawlins isn't going to benefit from this monopoly. In the famous words from Johnny D, "Why living? The world needs more cowboys." City Council, get off your high horse, serve your people, and start embracing ethics and values. You have clearly shown these are things you all lack: honesty, integrity, compassion, empathy, and ears. You pretend to listen to what people want. You continue to follow the good ol' boys' system. Karma will get you, and she's known as a bitch for a reason.	11/16/2022 3:08 PM
84	I think the City government and its employees are doing the best they can. I feel like their hands are tied because of some members of the City Council. I want our city to move ahead but there really is nothing for them. It's sad.	11/16/2022 2:54 PM
85	I think a majority of the City employees are fantastic, with a few exceptions. I think the Council needs to rethink their positions. I think we need mechanisms to be able to remove council members.	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
86	I feel the city has too many good ol' boys. There is no leadership. I've seen a lot of the direction the Mayor and council want it to go. The water situation is a complete mess and people have offered to give ideas and feedback and it goes nowhere. The citizens of this town are fed up.	11/16/2022 2:54 PM
87	I was excited to move here, after one summer with water restrictions that only seemed to apply to certain people. The dead lawns and trees with no end in sight. I say this because I believe the water infrastructure is still not fully taken care of, and with the city's ponds display	11/16/2022 2:53 PM

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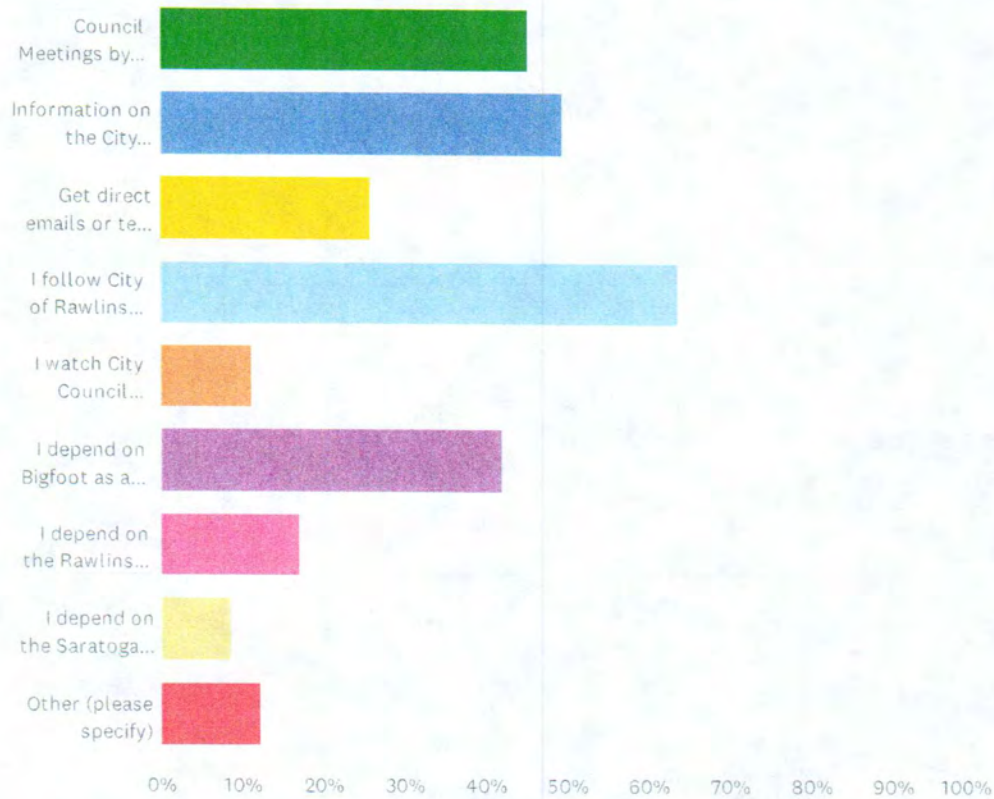
	of unprofessionalism with the local trash services that will affect many citizens! I would have never chose to live here. I can not believe how the city keeps increasing the costs to live here. I really feel for people who are on a very limited budget. not only do they have to deal with bidens inflation, we all get to enjoy rawlins city governments gross negligence and highly incompetent leaders poor choices and pay for their mistakes! Thanks a lot!!	
88	City departments good. Leadership? Why did you wait till after the election to trash dirty boyz?	11/16/2022 2:50 PM
89	TIME TO MAKE CHSNGES TO CITY COUNCIL!	11/16/2022 2:50 PM
90	None	11/16/2022 2:41 PM
91	Our mayor and some of the city council members need to be removed. They do not treat people with respect. That is a very hard position to be in, but if you cannot treat people with respect, do not do the job.	11/16/2022 7:34 AM
92	I haven't lived here long but I see great potential. This community doesn't have the crime or drugs a lot of cities I've lived in have. I can take my kids to a parade and they can sit on the curb. I would like to see a mayor and council not be so adverse to ideas. Just because one was not born and raised in Rawlins does not mean one doesn't appreciate the ideas and lifestyle here. My husband has a great job here and I think that this is a great place to live. I'm discouraged to see a council in place that seems to play favorites and a mayor who is willing to talk with media but not a local business owner.	11/16/2022 7:24 AM
93	As a longtime resident I have seen some growth and some shrinkage in the community. Some areas are getting better and other areas are climbing uphill battles to get there. I want my children to have fond memories of Rawlins, but worry the current government upheavals will be a detriment to them growing as a community member.	11/16/2022 5:24 AM
94	The city needs to put its focus and effort into our water issues. When I worked for the city they allowed Wyoming waste to get a way with things they could have revoked their license over. For example them not having an office here in town. To hear the city is trying to revoke a local business license is sad. You have personal issues within the council and its very unprofessional.	11/15/2022 11:06 PM
95	Bring in businesses and the rest will fall into place. Tax revenue for infrastructure repairs, job as well as new residents. make it more convenient for people to live here and they will want to stay.	11/15/2022 8:12 PM
96	Basically pushing [REDACTED] out the door not only harmed the functioning of the city but harmed the reputation and confidence in the council and city management as a whole. If I had my choice I'd clear the council of all the dead weight, completely replace all city management. And do everything possible to move this city forward into the future instead of dwelling in the past. This city is the only city in the state of Wyoming with a population over 5000 that is not growing and with us being on a crossroad north east and west and all the tax money and money in general that should be coming to our city it is inexcusable that we are not growing and moving into the future.	11/15/2022 5:10 PM
97	Rawlins has several core businesses that feed the economy (Union Pacific, State Prison, energy sector) but could use an economic boost by additional businesses.	11/15/2022 1:29 PM
98	This city needs help and fewer elected officials that think they know everything.	11/15/2022 1:10 PM
99	As a whole the entire city of Rawlins lacks tremendously. Abandoned building need to be torn down and the property owners need to be held responsible for the associated fees. The city council needs to get off their asses and stop attacking locally owned companies.	11/15/2022 12:52 PM
100	Terrible place to work, government has mismanaged for years. After 67 yrs I'm gone.	11/15/2022 12:47 PM
101	Rawlins is dying on the vine. I used to be proud of this community. Now I can't wait to be able to leave. Unfortunately my career right now is hindering any moves. But I will not retire here.	11/15/2022 12:24 PM
102	Rawlins is overall a great town to live in. We have our weakness but we are overcoming those. Everyone keep up the hard work.	11/15/2022 12:21 PM
103	It's nice to have a professional and efficient [REDACTED] does an excellent job of keeping the public informed.	11/15/2022 12:15 PM
104	I would like to see the same enthusiasm for city events as school events.	11/15/2022 10:36 AM

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105	Just more things to do in this town. Bring more revenue to our small town.	11/15/2022 4:41 AM
106	Make Rawlins what it once was. Attract businesses and enforce City Codes to get the city cleaned up. I was told a condition in the contract for the old Fox Theater was it would be restored. What happened?	11/14/2022 11:25 PM
107	Get the council in check before they get us sued	11/14/2022 9:06 PM
108	We need good decent intelligent folks to run for city council. How do we recruit those to run? How do we weed out the loazies? The ones who have ulterior motives for their family or who are just bad people?	11/14/2022 7:19 PM
109	Bring in more business. More surveys help get answers. Utilize what we have around us and make the outer ends and the town by auto parts etc stand out. Landscape something. Community bring back flood banks, soup kitchen etc. community green house gardening etc. We need a manager like the last one who was informative and got stuff done! Stop lying to the citizens and before we have another catastrophe with (water) communicate information!	11/14/2022 4:21 PM
110	I felt there was a lot of improvements being made when we had our previous city manager. Water pipeline leaks being addressed. A dog park and skate park. I hope this will continue. Our entrances to the city should be a priority. Does anyone ever drive into Rawlins and think to themselves, "oh what a pretty town"? I was in Ft Collins yesterday. It IS pretty there. Nice landscaping and vibrant businesses. We don't need lawns and grass but should make sure the few trees we have on Cedar and Spruce are trimmed and watered. There is no excuse for letting them die.	11/14/2022 3:16 PM
111	Losing [REDACTED] as the city manager will have a negative impact on our community.	11/14/2022 2:52 PM

Q21 How do you prefer to stay informed with what is happening in the City of Rawlins? Please select all that apply.

Answered: 185 Skipped: 36



ANSWER CHOICES

Council Meetings by reviewing information on BoardDocs and/or viewing meetings (either YouTube or Channel 191)

Information on the City Website

Get direct emails or texts about news and more from rawlinswy.org/notifyme

I follow City of Rawlins Facebook Pages: Government, City of Rawlins Public Works, Rawlins Police Department, Rawlins Rochelle Animal Shelter, Rawlins Fire Department, Rawlins Family Recreation Center, Rawlins Shooting Ranges and/or Rochelle Ranch Golf Course.

I watch City Council meetings and general announcements on Cable Channel 191.

I depend on Bigfoot as a local news source.

I depend on the Rawlins Times as a local news source.

I depend on the Saratoga Sun as a local news source.

Other (please specify)

Total Respondents: 185

RESPONSES

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49.73% 92

25.95% 48

63.78% 118

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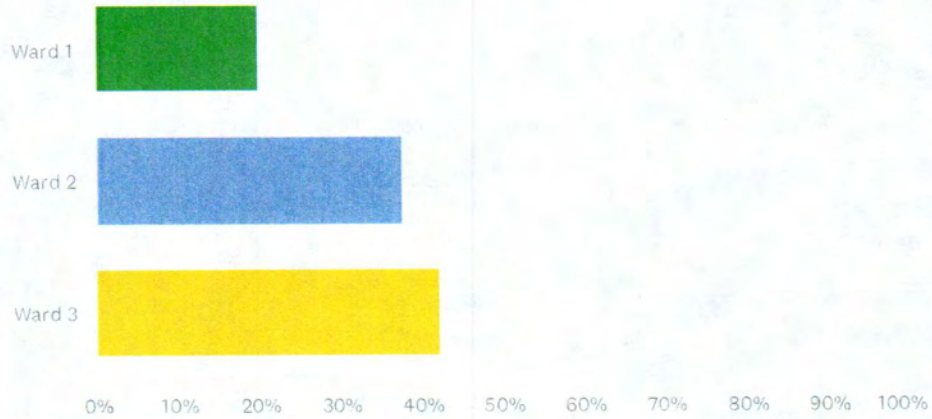
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#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	the book they put out every 3 months	12/16/2022 3:32 PM
2	facebook	12/16/2022 2:43 PM
3	facebook	12/16/2022 1:45 PM
4	word of mouth	12/16/2022 1:39 PM
5	Information on the water bills should be reserved the sharing fee changes. Water shortages and event advertising last. It seems the opposite is true	12/12/2022 9:11 PM
6	wherever I can get the info	12/11/2022 6:19 AM
7	Newspaper	12/11/2022 1:01 AM
8	I MISS A LOT BECAUSE I AM NOT AN ACTIVE SOCIAL MEDIA PERSON. THE RAWLINS TIMES NEEDS A LOCAL REPORTER	12/5/2022 9:10 AM
9	Folks gabbering	12/2/2022 12:53 AM
10	I prefer not to know what is going on. this is a great way to not be disappointed. However I do follow all the social platforms and stay informed that way	12/3/2022 8:14 AM
11	Speaking with my council member	11/29/2022 3:50 AM
12	I would like to see a touring Rawlins Times agent to get local information	11/27/2022 10:06 PM
13	Facebooked	11/16/2022 11:14 PM
14	I may never watch another council meeting again after watching the last one. What happened there was the most pathetic thing I have seen. They are council members elected to represent us and they were so nervous about their jobs. Sucks	11/16/2022 8:34 PM
15	Facebook pages	11/16/2022 7:27 PM
16	None of the above are good listed info and one sided	11/16/2022 5:34 PM
17	Rawlins News and Chapter	11/16/2022 3:55 PM
18	Rawlins News and Chapter Facebook page	11/16/2022 3:48 PM
19	Facebook	11/16/2022 2:58 PM
20	I'd love to see the city put up a post on their Facebook after city council meetings with bullet points of what was discussed and what the city is doing	11/16/2022 6:00 AM
21	Too bad the Rawlins Times is not able to cover stories and events	11/15/2022 12:23 PM
22	I wander around as city businesses and see what is going on and hope I can remember. Being reliant on Facebook has not served this city well. Facebook often does not share the info in a timely manner. I agree all this info that the city has it put very well organized	11/15/2022 10:36 AM
23	Facebook	11/14/2022 4:01 PM

Q22 Please review the map above. Which ward do you live in?

Answered: 185 Skipped: 36



ANSWER CHOICES

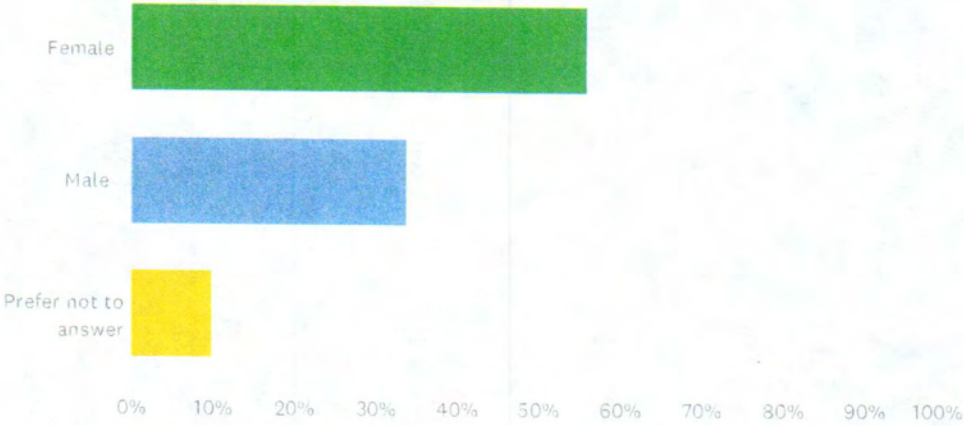
Ward 1
Ward 2
Ward 3
TOTAL

RESPONSES

20.00%	37
37.84%	70
42.16%	78
	185

Q23 What is your gender?

Answered: 189 Skipped: 32



ANSWER CHOICES

Female
Male
Prefer not to answer

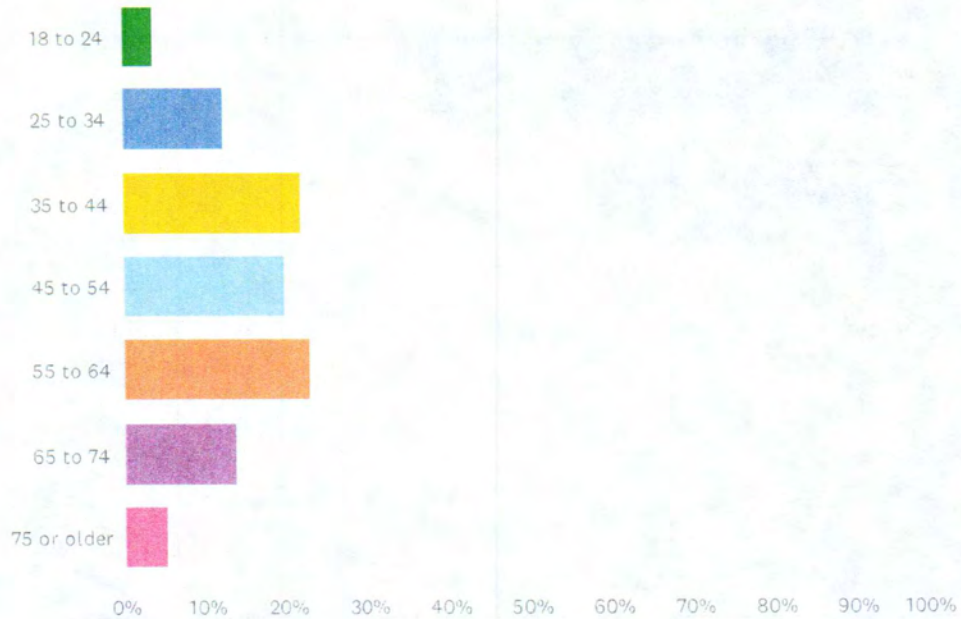
TOTAL

RESPONSES

56.08%	106
33.86%	64
10.05%	19
	189

Q24 What is your age?

Answered: 187 Skipped: 34



ANSWER CHOICES

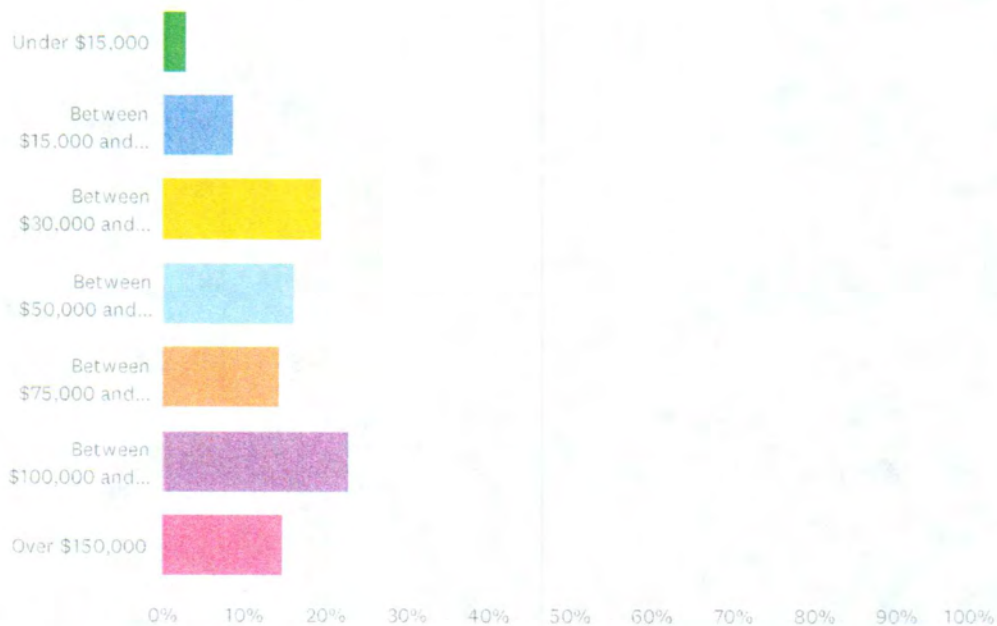
18 to 24
25 to 34
35 to 44
45 to 54
55 to 64
65 to 74
75 or older
TOTAL

RESPONSES

3.74% 7
12.30% 23
21.93% 41
19.79% 37
22.99% 43
13.90% 26
5.35% 10
187

Q25 My total family income last year was:

Answered: 173 Skipped: 48



ANSWER CHOICES

Under \$15,000
Between \$15,000 and \$29,999
Between \$30,000 and \$49,999
Between \$50,000 and \$74,999
Between \$75,000 and \$99,999
Between \$100,000 and \$150,000
Over \$150,000

TOTAL

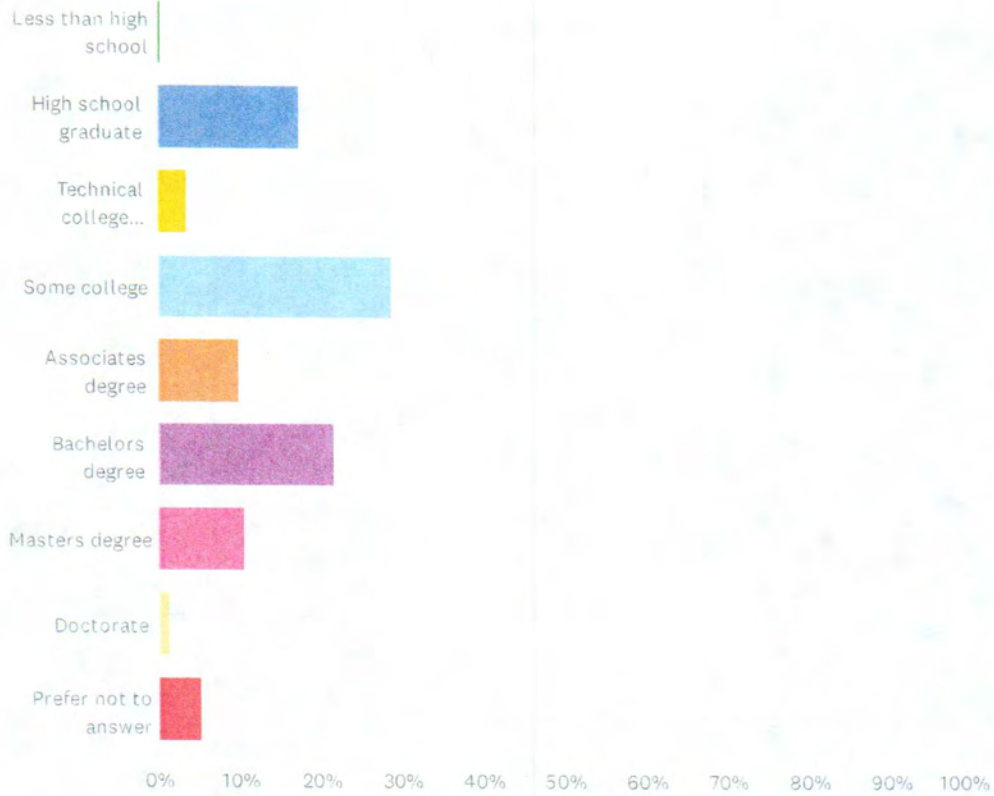
RESPONSES

2.89% 5
8.67% 15
19.65% 34
16.18% 28
14.45% 25
23.12% 40
15.03% 26

173

Q26 What is your highest level of education?

Answered: 188 Skipped: 33



ANSWER CHOICES

Less than high school

High school graduate

Technical college certificate

Some college

Associates degree

Bachelors degree

Masters degree

Doctorate

Prefer not to answer

TOTAL

RESPONSES

0.53%

1

17.55%

33

3.72%

7

28.72%

54

10.11%

19

21.81%

41

10.64%

20

1.60%

3

5.32%

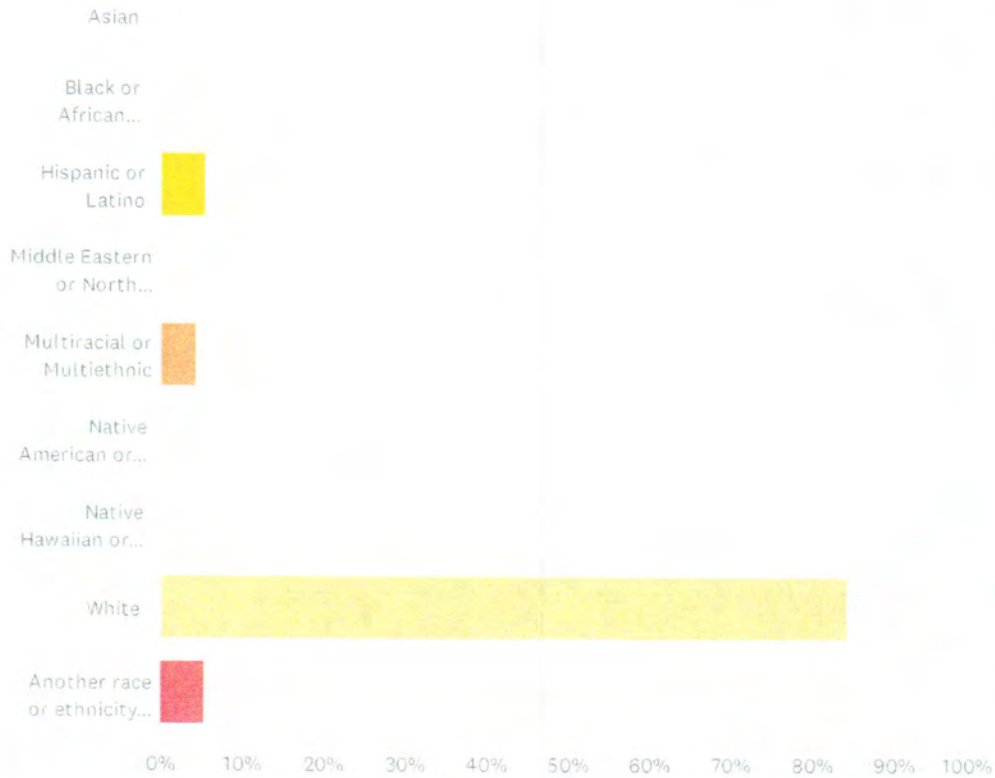
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Community Feedback Survey

Q27 What is your race or ethnicity?

Answered: 181 Skipped: 40



ANSWER CHOICES

RESPONSES

Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	0.00%	0
Hispanic or Latino	5.52%	10
Middle Eastern or North African	0.00%	0
Multiracial or Multiethnic	4.42%	8
Native American or Alaska Native	0.00%	0
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	84.53%	153
Another race or ethnicity, please describe below	5.52%	10
TOTAL		181

SELF-DESCRIBE BELOW:

DATE

1 this question should not be asked everybody is suppose to be the same

12/16/2022 2:17 PM

Community Feedback Survey

1	Fantastic human being	12/15/2022 12:34 AM
3	RETIRED BUT ENGAGED. WILLING TO HELP	12/5/2022 9:10 AM
4	American	12/4/2022 2:01 PM
5	Im someone that wants to get all the facts before voicing my opinion	11/28/2022 8:53 AM
5	Human race	11/26/2022 9:39 AM
7	Caucasian /Asian	11/17/2022 4:16 PM
8	Caucasian: white is a color not a race	11/17/2022 9:32 AM
9	prefer not to answer	11/17/2022 9:00 AM
10	Color is none of your business. I resent you even asking me	11/16/2022 6:56 PM
11	Human	11/16/2022 6:09 PM
12	Prefer not to answer	11/16/2022 4:53 PM
13	white is not a race it is a color, I am Euro American	11/16/2022 3:38 PM
14	Human	11/16/2022 2:53 PM
15	Caucasian American	11/16/2022 11:29 AM
16	Human	11/15/2022 6:02 PM
17	Literally a melting-pot	11/15/2022 1:10 PM
18	Adopted, not sure	11/15/2022 12:47 PM

Jason Sehon
Director

Hello Jason,

Thank you for taking a few minutes to share thoughts on Rawlins past, present and future! In our conversation, you asked if I had participated in the current community survey. I have and as a result of our brief conversation and suggestion, I am adding this supplement for future thought.

Rawlins, I think we agree, has great unfulfilled potential across the spectrum of recreation, innovation and entrepreneurship, community growth and civic improvement. Your comments certainly indicate that our thoughts align on several paths. My comments here should be considered blue-sky observations and speculations, nothing substantial.

I am a strong advocate for prosperity and security via growth from within the community. My generation of boys and girls grew and learned mostly through physical activity, by doing, building, experimenting, repairing, innovating, achieving small successes and suffering small failures. Here in Wyoming, much of that quality remains on our farms and ranches and in our small town lifestyles, but change in the direction of passive participation is obvious in our community.

Some of the activities you and I discussed included to expand upon the ice-rink activities included ideas for simple things, such as downhill sledding in winter on a suitable street. A variation could be "soap-box racer" events on similar streets in good weather. You suggested that some elements of existing activities could be shared in unrelated events, mentioning using hay bales from one event for safety barriers for the sledding and soapbox racers. This kind of thinking brings with it the hands-on education, experience, learning and organizational processes to kids and adults . . . experiences which, over time, aggregate to help form a self-reliant quality in the community.

The city has very active spontaneous community participation and good a participation level for a small community. I am learning how extensive that list may be. One thing that I do note is that among the activities, most are "social" or "charitable/public benefit" (essentially passive entertainment). In my small opinion, we have lost most of the skill, adventure, preparedness type activities the city's resident enjoyed in year past. Perhaps some ideas could be revisited for today's relevance.

We used to have a mud event accompanying the demolition race during the annual Fair? I understand that was terminated due to the logistics and cost of creating and re-filling the mud pit.

We used to have a vey popular vehicular race track at the city's border. The facility still exists(?), but has been deactivated for many year.

We still have a motocross site near the town periphery.

I am ignorant of most opportunities that exist now, in the past or that might have future potential.

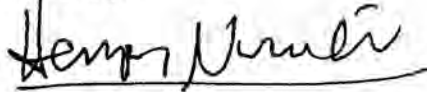
My personal participatory interests include advocacy for increased and improved citizen participation in city and county government activities; instigating and promoting grassroots innovation and entrepreneurship; building cross-cultural/cross-interest/cross-institutional cooperation, communication and collaboration, where potential exists to benefit community building and prosperity.

I am considering re-structure of the Rawlins-Carbon County Chamber of Commerce to function as its purpose is defines, as broad spectrum community unifying influence.

At the core of all of my comment for the purpose of this survey is the simple recommendation that we find more and better ways to communicate between government and population, to replace dependency with self-sufficiency, return government functions to civic necessities, promote spontaneity in and by the community.

This note has rambled around, but I hope it has been useful at some level.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Henry Nicolle", written over a horizontal line.

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