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Executive Summary

Survey Design

The Littleton Resident Survey remains a key source of insight for decision-making at the City, giving residents across the community a consistent and representative channel to share their views with staff and officials. Conducted about every two years since the 2012 baseline, the 2026 survey represents the eighth wave of this research. This year's survey underwent a more significant update than in past cycles: retaining the core trendlines that allow for comparison over time, while introducing a substantial number of new questions designed to capture emerging priorities in the community. Together, this research offers valuable data on how residents' perceptions of City service quality and community life have shifted over time and provides a means of gathering input to support planning and service implementation.

The survey was administered using scientifically sound, rigorous methods to ensure unbiased, statistically valid, representative results for the City of Littleton. The best survey research practices were used for the resources spent to reduce possible sources of error (e.g., sampling error and non-response error). These practices included selecting all households to participate, contacting potential respondents multiple times and weighting the data to reflect the demographic profile of adults in Littleton.

Residents of 6,391 residential addresses within the city boundaries were invited to take the survey in June 2026. Of the 6,391 invites, 4% were returned because the housing unit was vacant or the postal service was unable to deliver the survey as addressed. Of the 6,148 households that received an invitation to take the survey, 788 completed the survey providing an overall response rate of 13%.

It is customary to describe the precision of estimates made from surveys by a level of confidence and accompanying confidence interval (or margin of error). The traditional level of confidence, and the one used here, is 95%. The 95% confidence interval quantifies the sampling error or imprecision of the survey results because some residents' opinions are relied on to estimate all residents' opinions. The margin of error is no greater than $\pm 4\%$ around any given percent for all survey respondents (788 surveys).

In addition to the address-based survey, the City also conducted an open participation survey that was open to those who did not receive a mailed invitation. A total of 268 residents completed this survey, and results for this survey are provided under separate cover.

Survey Highlights

The 2026 Littleton Resident Survey surfaced a wide range of findings, from residents' everyday satisfaction with their neighborhoods and city services to their perceptions of safety, governance, and the community's overall direction. These highlights summarize the most notable results.

Quality of Life Remains High, Supported by Parks, Neighborhoods, and Community Feel

Littleton residents continue to rate their overall quality of life highly, with about 9 in 10 giving positive marks - a level of satisfaction that has held steady for 14 years. That sense of satisfaction extends to how residents view the city as a place to live and raise children, and to their own neighborhoods, both of which also received excellent or good ratings from roughly 9 in 10 respondents.

When asked why they choose to live in Littleton, residents pointed to a consistent set of reasons:

- Parks, trails, and open space, and satisfaction with their neighborhood - each cited by about 7 in 10 respondents
- Downtown Littleton, feeling safe in the community, and the city's small-town feel - each cited by more than half

Residents Continue to Feel Safe in Littleton, with Strong Ratings Across Key Areas

Safety remains one of Littleton's strongest suits. About 8 in 10 residents rated overall safety as excellent or good, and nearly all reported feeling safe in Downtown Littleton and in their own neighborhoods during the day. Confidence extends to the outdoors as well, with about 9 in 10 residents feeling somewhat or very safe in parks, trails, and natural open space areas. All of these measures held steady compared to previous survey years.

Littleton also outperforms its peers on this front: perceptions of safety in Downtown Littleton exceeded both the national and Front Range benchmarks, while safety ratings for parks, trails, and open space areas topped the national benchmark and matched peer communities along the Front Range.

The Littleton Police Department earned generally strong marks in 2026, with the highest ratings for assisting fire responders, responding to emergency calls, and maintaining public order - and most performance measures were stable or improved between 2024 and 2026.

City Services Receive Strong Ratings, Though Key Areas Still Need Attention

Residents remain satisfied with the overall quality of city services, with about 8 in 10 rating them excellent or good - consistent with 2024 and 2022 results and closely aligned with how residents nationwide and across the Front Range view their own services.

Residents assessed the quality of 25 specific city services, and most received favorable ratings. At the top of the list:

- Littleton Museum, parks and trails, Bemis Library, and the Town Hall Arts Center - all above 90% positive
- City appearance, recreation opportunities, city-sponsored events, and open space areas - all above 85% positive

At the other end, traffic flow, job opportunities, and street resurfacing/pavement management were the lowest-rated services (below 50%), pointing to where residents see the greatest need for improvement. Compared with 2024, most ratings held steady, though economic development dipped modestly while code compliance and snow plowing rose noticeably.

Residents also weighed in on how important each of these 25 services is, and nearly all were seen as essential or very important. Parks and trails topped the list, followed by the Littleton Police Department, open space areas, street resurfacing, the sewer system, traffic flow, and the stormwater system - each viewed by a large majority as critical to the community's well-being.

Cross-referencing importance against quality highlights the city's clearest priorities for improvement: environmental sustainability, snow plowing, traffic flow, street resurfacing/pavement management, and the sewer system (South Platte Renew) all rank as highly important but comparatively lower-rated in 2026.

Museum and Library Services Receive Exceptional Ratings in 2026

The Littleton Museum had an outstanding year, with every aspect evaluated receiving excellent or good ratings from at least 90% of respondents. Three areas - the Museum research center, art shows in the galleries, and rotating exhibits - showed statistically significant improvement over 2024.

Bemis Library fared just as well, with nearly all respondents rating its overall performance, programs, and services favorably. A new item added this year, Mobile Library, received strong support out of the gate, with 9 in 10 respondents rating it positively - on par with ratings for internet and computer services, online services at www.littletongov.org/bemis, materials and collections, and the library building and grounds.

Residents View City Governance Positively, with Mixed Perceptions of Influence and Direction

Residents generally view the City's performance positively across most measures of government effectiveness. Customer service from City employees earned the strongest ratings, with 86% agreeing that staff provide first-rate service, and about 7 in 10 agreeing that the city manager is successfully running city operations and that the City follows through on what it says it will do. Ratings were similarly favorable for how the City uses its limited resources, its operational efficiency, and its efforts to involve residents before decisions are finalized, with around two-thirds agreeing the City plans carefully, thinks ahead, and is prepared for future challenges.

That said, perceptions grow more mixed on questions of broader governance and community influence. About 6 in 10 residents agreed that the City is moving in the right direction, works in residents' best interests, explains its decisions, and makes transparent, community-centered choices - and a similar share agreed that elected officials are capable partners in helping residents understand complex decisions. The statement that drew the least agreement was "My voice matters in shaping Littleton's future," though a majority of residents (56%) still agreed with it.

Background and Methods

Survey Purpose

The City of Littleton partnered with Polco to conduct the eighth administration of its community-wide resident survey, continuing a research effort that began with the 2012 baseline. The Littleton Resident Survey functions as a kind of consumer report card for the city, giving residents a structured opportunity to rate city services, local government performance, community amenities, and overall quality of life. It also gives residents a direct channel to tell the city what's working, what isn't, and what they see as priorities for future planning and resource allocation.

By focusing on both the quality and the importance of city services, the survey helps council members, staff, and the public identify budget priorities and establishes a consistent baseline for tracking resident opinion on the core functions of city government over time – supporting the city's ability to maintain strong service quality year after year.

This approach mirrors the customer feedback surveys many private-sector companies rely on to catch service or product weaknesses early, before dissatisfied customers walk away or problems compound. Because this kind of survey captures resident perceptions rather than operational metrics, it offers a different lens on performance than standard measures like service response times - one grounded in how residents actually experience city services and community life.

Survey Methods

The 2026 survey was mailed to 6,391 Littleton households in June 2026. Each household received a postcard invitation, with a link to complete the survey online, followed by a reminder postcard one week later. Completed surveys were collected over a six-week period. Of the 6,391 invitations mailed, 4% were returned because the housing unit was vacant or the postal service was unable to deliver the survey as addressed. A total of 788 residents completed a survey for a response rate of 13%.

The survey results were weighted by respondent gender, age, tenure (rent or own), housing unit type (attached or detached), ethnicity, and council district to ensure that the results were representative of the entire adult population in Littleton. For more information on the methodology see *Appendix E: Survey Methodology* and for a copy of the survey see *Appendix F: Survey Materials*.

How the Results Are Reported

In the body and narrative of the report, the results for each question are presented using either the full set of response frequencies or the “percent positive.” The percent positive is the combination of the top two most positive response options (i.e., “excellent” and “good,” “strongly agree” and “somewhat agree,” or “essential” and “very important,” etc.).

On many of the questions in the survey, respondents could give an answer of “don’t know.” The proportion of respondents giving this reply is shown in the full set of responses included in *Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions* and is discussed in the body of this report if it is 30% or greater. However, these responses have been removed from the analyses presented in the body of the report, unless otherwise indicated. In other words, the majority of the tables and graphs in the body of the report display the responses from respondents who had an opinion about a specific item.

For some questions, residents were permitted to select multiple responses. When the total exceeds 100% in a table for a multiple response question, it is because some respondents are counted in

multiple categories. When a table for a question that only permitted a single response does not total exactly 100%, it is due to the customary practice of rounding values to the nearest whole number.

Precision of Estimates

It is customary to describe the precision of estimates made from surveys by a level of confidence (or margin of error). The 95% confidence interval for this survey is generally no greater than plus or minus four percentage points around any given percent reported for the entire sample (788 completed surveys).

Comparing Survey Results by Respondent Subgroups

Selected survey questions were compared by certain respondent demographic characteristics as well as the City council district of residence and are discussed in *Appendix C: Comparisons of Select Survey Results by Respondent Subgroups*.

Comparing Survey Results over Time

The 2026 survey represents the eighth administration of the Littleton Resident Survey. Results from the 2026 wave are presented alongside findings from prior years when the same question is repeated in multiple years. Differences between the 2026 and 2024 survey results can be considered “statistically significant” if the difference is 5% or more. Trend data for Littleton represent important comparison data and should be examined for improvements or declines. Deviations from stable trends over time especially represent opportunities for understanding how local policies, programs or public information may have affected residents’ opinions.

Comparing Survey Results to Other Communities

Polco’s comparative database is built from resident perspectives collected through community surveys conducted in more than 400 jurisdictions nationwide. Each survey typically includes responses from at least 400 residents per community, creating a dataset designed to reflect the views of more than 30 million Americans.

This report includes National and Front Range benchmark comparisons wherever a comparable question has been asked in at least five other jurisdictions; in practice, most items are benchmarked against more than five peer communities nationally or along the Front Range. Some survey items did not have a match in the benchmark database, and those are omitted from the benchmark tables.

Where comparisons for quality ratings were available, Littleton’s results are noted as being “higher” than the benchmark, “lower” than the benchmark, or “similar” to the benchmark. In instances where ratings are considerably higher or lower than the benchmark, these ratings have been further demarcated by the attribute of “much” (for example, “much lower” or “much higher”). Additional information on NRC’s benchmarking database, including jurisdictions to which Littleton was compared nationally and in the Front Range can be found in *Appendix D: Detailed Benchmark Comparisons*.

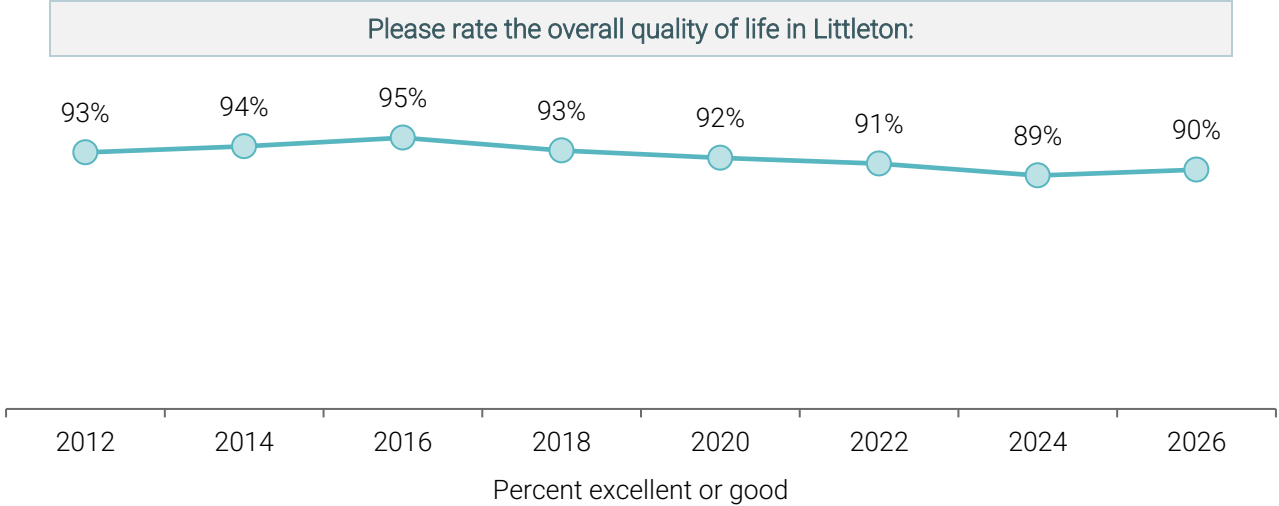
Resident Survey Results

Quality of Life and Community

Overall Quality of Life

A large majority of survey respondents (9 in 10) rated Littleton's overall quality of life as "excellent" or "good," a level of satisfaction that has held steady over the years. This puts Littleton in line with both the national benchmark and other Front Range communities, where residents offered comparably positive assessments of their own quality of life (see Appendix D: Detailed Benchmark Comparisons).

Figure 1: Overall Quality of Life Compared by Year



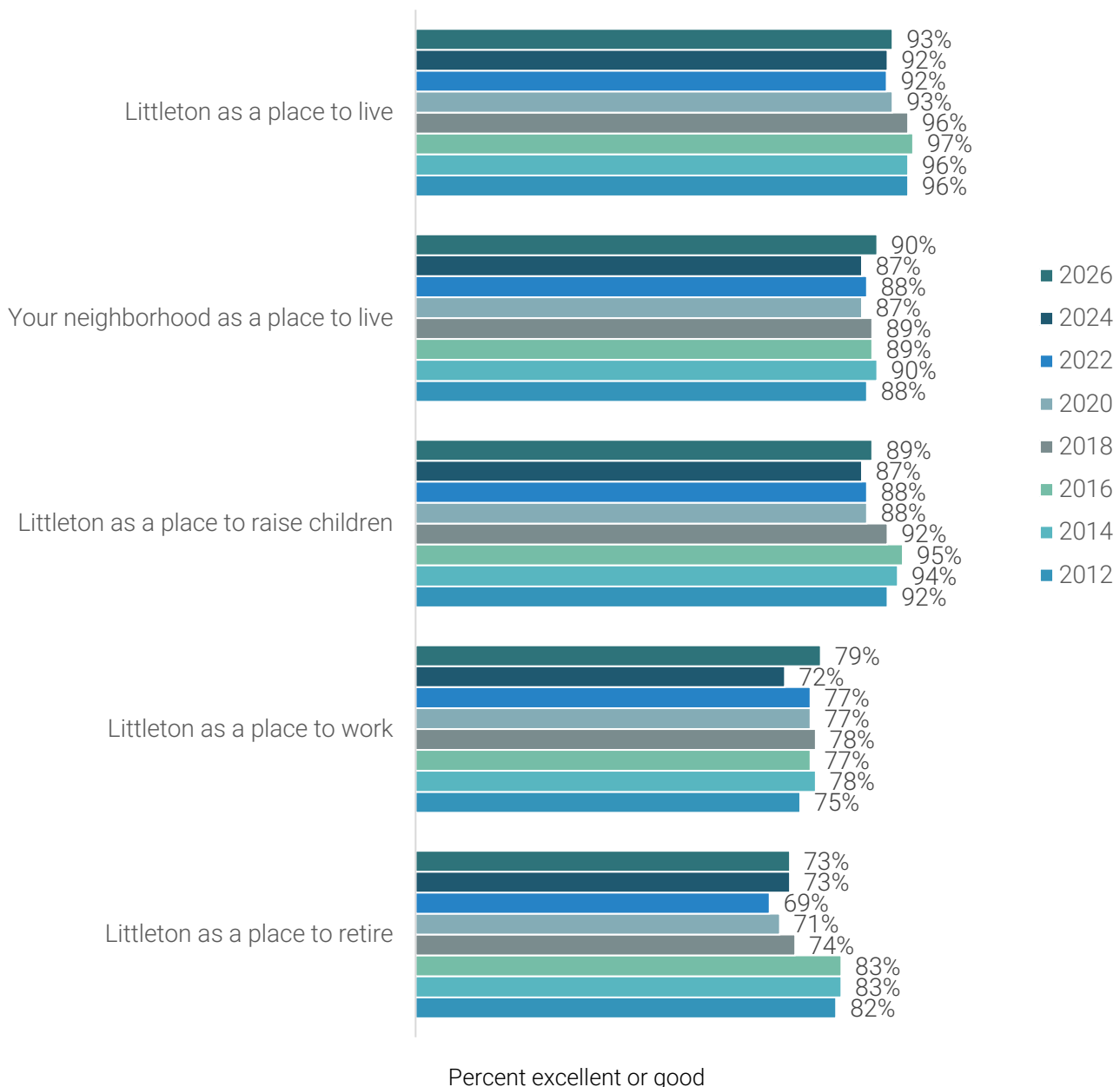
Aspects of Quality of Life

About 9 in 10 residents also gave positive evaluations to Littleton as a place to live, a place to raise children, and to their neighborhood as a place to live. Meanwhile, 8 in 10 rated Littleton positively as a place to work, and about 7 in 10 did so for Littleton as a place to retire. All ratings were consistent with 2024 results, with one exception: ratings for Littleton as a place to work increased by seven percentage points (from 72% in 2024 to 79% in 2026).

Nationally, Littleton's quality-of-life ratings were largely in step with those of comparable communities across most measures. Along the Front Range, though, two areas set Littleton apart: residents rated it more favorably than peer cities as a place to work and as a place to retire, while its remaining characteristics landed in line with the regional benchmark.

Figure 2: Community Aspects of Quality of Life Compared by Year

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton.



Living in Littleton

As in past years, the survey asked respondents to share their main reasons for living in Littleton. For 2026, the response options were reorganized: "The location in general" was dropped, and two new choices—Littleton is welcoming and I like Littleton's small-town feel—were added. Most other options were reworded for clarity without changing their underlying meaning. Given these changes, results from 2026 should be compared to prior years with some caution.

Respondents could select multiple reasons for choosing to live in Littleton. The most frequently cited reasons were the city's parks, trails, and open space (71%) and residents' satisfaction with their neighborhood (68%). More than half of respondents also highlighted Downtown Littleton (57%), feeling safe in the community (52%), and Littleton's small-town feel (51%) as key reasons for living in the city.

Connections to family and friends were important for 45% of respondents, while 36% pointed to Littleton's sense of community. About one-third indicated that Littleton is welcoming (33%). Practical considerations also played a role: 26% said they live in Littleton because it is close to where they work, and 23% cited available transportation options.

Other reasons were mentioned less frequently. Seventeen percent reported they have always lived in Littleton, and an equal share said affordability was a reason for living in the city. Fifteen percent selected the quality of their children's school, and 10% noted Littleton's diverse housing types. Smaller proportions indicated they attend school in Littleton or appreciate living in a college town.

Figure 3: Reasons for Living in Littleton Compared by Year

What are your reasons for living in Littleton? (Please select all that apply.)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
I like the parks, trails, and open space*	71%	70%	3%	1%	4%	.	.	.
I like my neighborhood	68%	59%	61%	57%	58%	59%	62%	58%
I like the Downtown*	57%	52%	.	.	.	.	.	.
I feel safe here	52%	60%	57%	59%	61%	65%	65%	61%
I like Littleton's small-town feel	51%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
I have friends and family in the area	45%	44%	42%	41%	43%	43%	38%	42%
I like Littleton's sense of community*	36%	29%	30%	27%	30%	35%	33%	31%
Littleton is welcoming	33%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
I am close to where I work*	26%	29%	3%	4%	4%	.	.	.
I have transportation options*	23%	23%	2%	.	.	.	.	.
I've always lived here	17%	14%	16%	13%	15%	16%	17%	15%
It is affordable to live in Littleton*	17%	12%	14%	22%	20%	26%	30%	30%
I like the school my children attend	15%	15%	23%	26%	26%	25%	29%	27%
Littleton has diverse types of housing*	10%	8%	9%	16%	14%	20%	21%	20%
I attend school in Littleton*	3%	5%	1%	0%	1%	.	.	.
I like living in a college town	2%	2%	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%	3%
Other	8%	5%	9%	4%	6%	3%	6%	11%
I like the location in general	.	79%	77%	81%	80%	82%	78%	78%

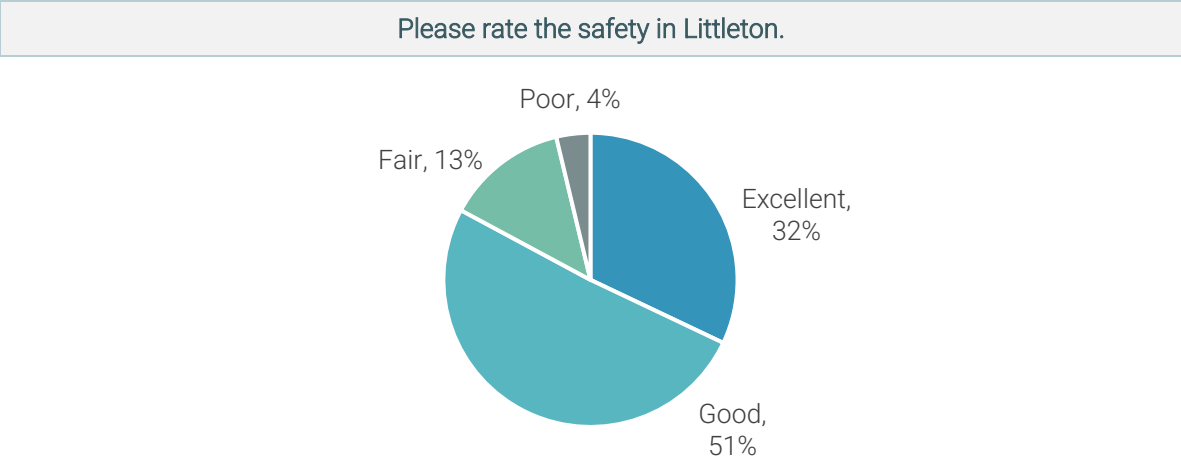
In 2026, several revisions were made to this question. The option "The location in general" was removed, and two new options—"Littleton is welcoming" and "I like Littleton's small-town feel"—were added. Most of the remaining options (indicated with an asterisk) were reworded for clarity while retaining their original meaning. Previous to 2024, "Parks, recreation and open space", "Proximity to work/work here", "Transportation options", and "Attending school in Littleton" were not response options included on the survey, but were categories created from the "other" written-in responses. Previous to 2024, 'Housing diversity' used to be 'Housing and rental rates are affordable'. Verbatim responses can be found in *Appendix B: Verbatim Responses to Open-ended Survey Question*.

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could choose more than one answer.

Safety in Littleton

Littleton residents continue to feel good about safety in their community. About 8 in 10 rated overall safety as either excellent (32%) or good (51%), while 13% rated it as fair and just 4% considered it poor. Taken together, these results point to a community where confidence in safety remains strong and widely shared.

Figure 4: Overall Safety in Littleton, 2026



Residents were also asked how safe or unsafe they feel in specific areas of Littleton. Nearly all respondents reported feeling safe in Downtown Littleton and in their neighborhood during the day. A large majority, about 9 in 10—felt somewhat or very safe in parks, trails, and natural open space areas. All three measures remained consistent with previous year’s results.

Perceptions of safety in Downtown Littleton exceeded both the national and Front Range benchmarks. Safety in parks, trails, and natural open space areas was rated higher than the national benchmark and similar to ratings in peer communities along the Front Range (see Appendix D: Detailed Benchmark Comparisons).

Figure 5: Feelings of Safety in Littleton Compared by Year

Please tell us how safe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
Downtown Littleton during the day	99%	98%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Your neighborhood during the day	98%	96%	96%	97%	98%	98%	99%	99%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	91%	89%	86%	87%	90%	93%	90%	92%

Most Pressing Issues Facing the City

As in past survey years, Littleton residents were asked to choose up to three issues they see as most pressing for the city over the next two years. The 2026 list introduced several new options—Main Street Improvements, Community Engagement, Sewer & Stormwater System Projects, and Tourism—while dropping four items from prior years: Traffic light synchronization, Trails, Community image, and City services/infrastructure.

Affordable housing and the cost of living topped the list of concerns in 2026, cited by 41% of respondents, followed by general traffic issues at 35%. Street resurfacing and pavement management came in at 29%, while homelessness and concerns about too much growth were each named by 27% of respondents.

Safety and mobility issues also featured among residents' top priorities: 17% pointed to bike and pedestrian safety, and 10% flagged crime reduction. Economic concerns drew smaller but still notable shares, including business retention (10%), business attraction (7%), and workforce attraction (4%). Environmental sustainability rounded out the list in double digits, at 10%.

Figure 6: Most Pressing Issues in Littleton Compared by Year

Please identify up to three issues you believe are the most pressing issues facing Littleton in the next two years.	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
Affordable housing/cost of living	41%	38%	9%	5%	7%	.	.	.
Traffic in general	35%	33%	45%	61%	60%	48%	40%	29%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management*	29%	29%	41%	39%	31%	37%	28%	23%
Homeless population/homelessness	27%	33%	4%	2%	.	.	.	.
Too much growth	27%	20%	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bike and pedestrian safety (Safer Streets)*	17%	17%	.	.	.	.	.	.
Crime reduction	10%	18%	29%	18%	16%	11%	9%	13%
Business retention	10%	12%	18%	14%	17%	22%	29%	29%
Environmental sustainability	10%	11%	.	.	.	.	.	.
Aging or outdated commercial areas	8%	14%	22%	26%	34%	30%	31%	.
Parking	8%	9%	0%	1%	2%	.	.	.
Open space	7%	9%	16%	16%	19%	19%	11%	15%
Business attraction	7%	7%	13%	14%	12%	19%	22%	26%
Main Street Improvements	7%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Neighborhoods	5%	6%	12%	10%	11%	11%	12%	14%
Workforce Attraction*	4%	3%	9%	10%	10%	19%	29%	33%
Community Engagement	4%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sewer & Stormwater System Projects	3%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Maintenance of city properties and buildings	2%	3%	8%	8%	6%	6%	6%	7%
Tourism	2%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other	12%	7%	7%	5%	8%	7%	8%	6%

In 2026, several revisions were made to this question. The options “Traffic light synchronization”, “Trails”, “Community image”, and “City services, infrastructure” were removed, and four new options—“Main Street Improvements”, “Community Engagement”, “Sewer & Stormwater System Projects” and “Tourism”—were added. Three other options (indicated with an asterisk) were reworded for clarity. Prior to 2024, “Parking”, “affordable housing/cost of living,” “city services, infrastructure,” and “homeless population/homelessness” were not included as response options but created from the “other” written-in responses. Verbatim responses can be found in *Appendix B: Verbatim Responses to Open-ended Survey Question*. Total may exceed 100% as respondents could choose up to three responses.

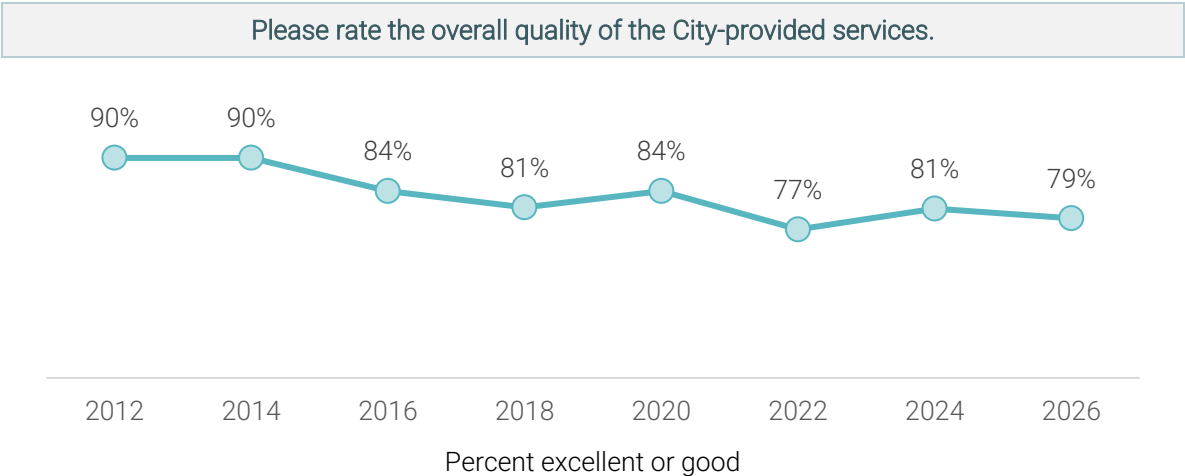
City Services

Delivering quality services is one of the most fundamental roles of local government, and it directly shapes residents' quality of life. As part of the survey, residents rated both their satisfaction with, and the importance of, 25 specific city services and services overall.

Overall Quality of Services

About 8 in 10 residents rated the overall quality of Littleton's city services as excellent or good, consistent with results from 2024 and 2022. These evaluations also closely mirror those of residents in other communities nationally and across Colorado's Front Range.

Figure 7: Overall Service Quality Compared by Year



City Service Quality and Importance

Littleton residents assessed the quality and importance of 25 specific City services (see Figure 8 below), and most received favorable marks overall. At the top of the list were the Littleton Museum (96%), parks and trails (93%), Bemis Library (93%), and the Town Hall Arts Center (91%). A cluster of other community features—the city's appearance, recreation opportunities, city-sponsored events, and open space areas—also performed well, each earning ratings above 85%.

Operational and infrastructure-related services landed in more moderate territory. Municipal Court (79%), the Littleton Police Department (78%), historic preservation (76%), and the stormwater and sewer systems (72% and 71%, respectively) still earned majority approval. Ratings dipped somewhat further for shopping opportunities (69%), neighborhood parking (65%), snow plowing (63%), economic development (62%), environmental sustainability (61%), and code compliance (59%).

Public transit, traffic enforcement, and climate resiliency each drew positive ratings from just over half of respondents. At the bottom of the list, traffic flow, job opportunities, and street resurfacing received the lowest marks—signaling the areas where residents feel improvement is most needed.

Figure 8: Quality of Services Provided by Littleton Compared by Year

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton: (Percent excellent or good)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
Littleton Museum	96%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Parks and trails	93%	91%	88%	89%	91%	92%	91%	91%
Bemis Library	93%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Town Hall Arts Center	91%	92%	86%	84%	84%	82%	83%	83%
Appearance of city	89%	85%	84%	87%	88%	89%	90%	89%
Recreation opportunities	87%	89%	83%	83%	85%	83%	83%	81%
City-sponsored special events	86%	88%	80%	81%	83%	.	.	.
Open space areas	85%	87%	81%	81%	84%	81%	83%	85%
Municipal Court	79%	82%	75%	68%	70%	76%	71%	75%
Littleton Police Department	78%	77%	77%	83%	85%	89%	79%	84%
Historic preservation	76%	78%	80%	81%	83%	83%	82%	84%
Stormwater System	72%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	71%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Shopping opportunities	69%	66%	66%	68%	67%	71%	63%	64%
Neighborhood parking	65%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Snow plowing	63%	53%	58%	32%	61%	50%	58%	50%
Economic development	62%	68%	59%	62%	58%	62%	60%	58%
Environmental sustainability	61%	63%	55%	57%	67%	66%	66%	67%
Code compliance	59%	52%	60%	56%	62%	62%	63%	66%
Public transit services	56%	55%	58%	65%	72%	74%	78%	74%
Traffic enforcement	54%	52%	58%	64%	63%	71%	70%	74%
Climate Resiliency	52%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Traffic flow	45%	41%	44%	34%	41%	46%	51%	59%
Job opportunities	44%	43%	46%	45%	41%	38%	38%	34%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	39%	40%	44%	45%	47%	44%	56%	66%

For several services (e.g. Municipal Court, Job opportunities, Code compliance, Climate Resiliency) between 30% and 75% of respondents selected “don’t know”. The full set of responses, including “don’t know,” can be found in *Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions*. Prior to 2022, “code compliance” was “code enforcement”.

Compared with 2024, ratings for most services remained stable. A few exceptions emerged: evaluations of economic development declined by 6 points, while ratings for code compliance and snow plowing increased by 7 and 10 points, respectively.

When compared with national and Front Range benchmarks, Littleton’s service ratings generally aligned with or exceeded those of other communities.

- Shopping opportunities, public transit services, recreation opportunities, open space areas, code enforcement, Municipal Court, and City-sponsored special events stood out as areas where Littleton outperformed national benchmarks.
- Several others –shopping opportunities, job opportunities, economic development, and code enforcement–also rated higher than the Front Range benchmark.
- Most other services, including the appearance of the city, parks and trails, traffic flow, snow plowing, police services, and traffic enforcement, were similar to both comparison groups.

Figure 9: Quality of Services Provided by Littleton Compared by the National and Front Range Benchmarks

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton:	Comparison to the National benchmark	Comparison to the Front Range benchmark
Appearance of city	Similar	Similar
Shopping opportunities	Higher	Higher
Job opportunities	Similar	Higher
Economic development	Similar	Higher
Public transit services	Higher	-
Traffic flow	Similar	Similar
Snow plowing	Similar	Similar
Parks and trails	Similar	Similar
Recreation opportunities	Higher	Similar
Open space areas	Higher	Similar
Littleton Police Department	Similar	Similar
Traffic enforcement	Similar	Similar
Code enforcement	Higher	Higher
Municipal Court	Higher	Similar
City-sponsored special events	Higher	Similar

Residents also weighed in on how important these same 25 services are, and nearly the entire list was seen as essential or very important by a majority of respondents. Parks and trails ranked highest in importance, followed by the Littleton Police Department, open space areas, street resurfacing, the sewer system, traffic flow, and the stormwater system—each rated essential or very important by more than 8 in 10 respondents.

A second tier of services—Bemis Library, recreation opportunities, snow plowing, the appearance of the city, environmental sustainability, traffic enforcement, climate resiliency, and the Municipal Court—was viewed as at least very important by 7 to 8 in 10 respondents.

Town Hall Arts Center, city-sponsored special events, neighborhood parking, job opportunities, and shopping opportunities ranked somewhat lower in perceived importance, though at least half of respondents still considered each essential or very important.

Importance ratings held largely steady across survey years, though a handful of services saw a decline in 2026 compared with 2024: economic development, shopping opportunities, the appearance of the city, job opportunities, historic preservation, public transit services, and snow plowing all registered fewer residents rating them as essential or very important.

Figure 10: Importance of Services Provided by Littleton Compared by Year

Please rate how important, if at all, each is to you. (Percent essential or very important)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
Parks and trails	88%	92%	88%	88%	89%	86%	86%	83%
Littleton Police Department	83%	87%	84%	94%	96%	96%	91%	95%
Open space areas	83%	86%	87%	82%	85%	79%	80%	76%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	83%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	83%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Traffic flow	82%	82%	85%	87%	90%	88%	87%	85%
Stormwater System	81%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bemis Library	79%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Recreation opportunities	79%	78%	81%	79%	80%	78%	81%	75%
Snow plowing	78%	83%	84%	87%	81%	85%	86%	86%
Appearance of city	74%	81%	83%	85%	86%	88%	88%	90%
Environmental sustainability	73%	77%	79%	81%	79%	78%	73%	75%
Traffic enforcement	72%	73%	69%	74%	78%	70%	69%	75%
Climate Resiliency	72%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Municipal Court	71%	74%	75%	72%	73%	72%	77%	71%
Code compliance	67%	66%	70%	69%	73%	69%	66%	69%
Littleton Museum	65%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Economic development	63%	74%	75%	77%	78%	77%	81%	82%
Public transit services	62%	67%	72%	77%	79%	80%	77%	77%
Historic preservation	58%	64%	67%	73%	70%	69%	65%	62%
City-sponsored special events	54%	55%	60%	68%	66%	.	.	.
Neighborhood parking	53%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Job opportunities	53%	60%	62%	66%	68%	70%	67%	74%
Town Hall Arts Center	52%	56%	64%	64%	63%	61%	56%	57%
Shopping opportunities	50%	59%	62%	66%	64%	69%	73%	68%

Prior to 2022, "code compliance" was "code enforcement".

Balancing Quality and Importance

Comparing importance ratings against quality ratings helps City staff and officials prioritize decisions about future resource allocation. While most government services are seen as important, when limited resources force choices about efficiencies or cutbacks, it becomes essential to know not just which services matter most to residents' quality of life, but which of those high-importance services are perceived as falling short on quality. These are the services—rated highly important but delivered with comparatively lower quality—that warrant the most immediate attention.

To pinpoint these services, all 25 were ranked twice: once from highest to lowest perceived quality, and once from highest to lowest perceived importance. This produced four distinct groups: services in the top half of both rankings (higher quality and higher importance); services in the top half of quality but the bottom half of importance (higher quality, lower importance); services in the bottom half of quality but the top half of importance (lower quality, higher importance); and services in the bottom half of both rankings (lower quality and lower importance).

Services were classified as “more important” if they were rated as “essential” or “very important” by 72% or more of respondents. Services were rated as “less important” if less than 72% of respondents rated them as “essential” or “very important.” Services receiving quality ratings of “excellent” or “good” by 71% or more of respondents were considered of “higher quality” and those rated “excellent” or “good” by fewer than 71% were considered to be of “lower quality.” This classification created four quadrants based on the ratings of quality and importance for each service.

Services that receive **higher importance ratings but lower quality ratings** typically represent potential priority areas for improvement. In 2026, these included environmental sustainability, snow plowing, traffic flow, street resurfacing/pavement management, and the sewer system (South Platte Renew).

Conversely, several services were rated **high in both importance and quality**, such as the appearance of the city, recreation opportunities, Bemis Library, the stormwater system, the Littleton Police Department, open space areas, and parks and trails.

Lower-importance and lower-quality services—areas where residents expressed less urgency but still noted room for improvement—included shopping opportunities, job opportunities, neighborhood parking, public transit services, economic development, code compliance, climate resiliency, and traffic enforcement.

Finally, some services were rated **lower in importance but higher in quality**, including the Town Hall Arts Center, city-sponsored special events, historic preservation, the Littleton Museum, and the Municipal Court.

All four quadrants are shown in the visualizations presented in Figures 11–14 on the next two pages.

Figure 11: Services Rated Lower in Importance and Higher in Quality

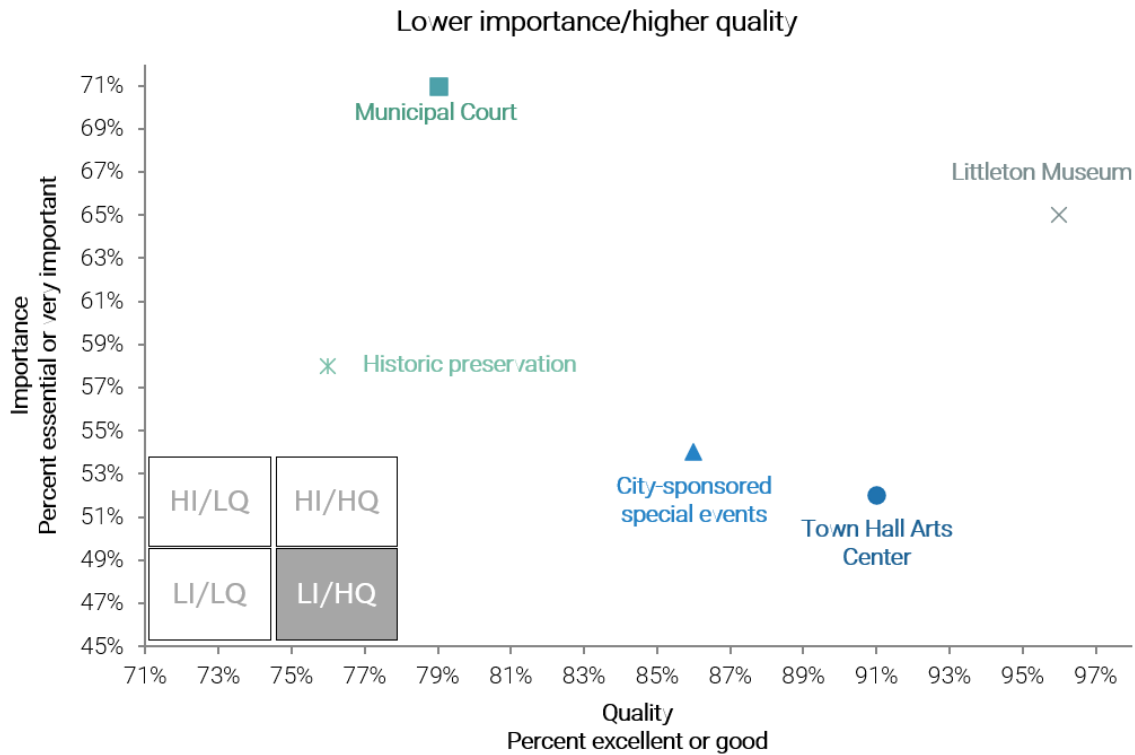


Figure 12: Services Rated Higher in Importance and Higher in Quality

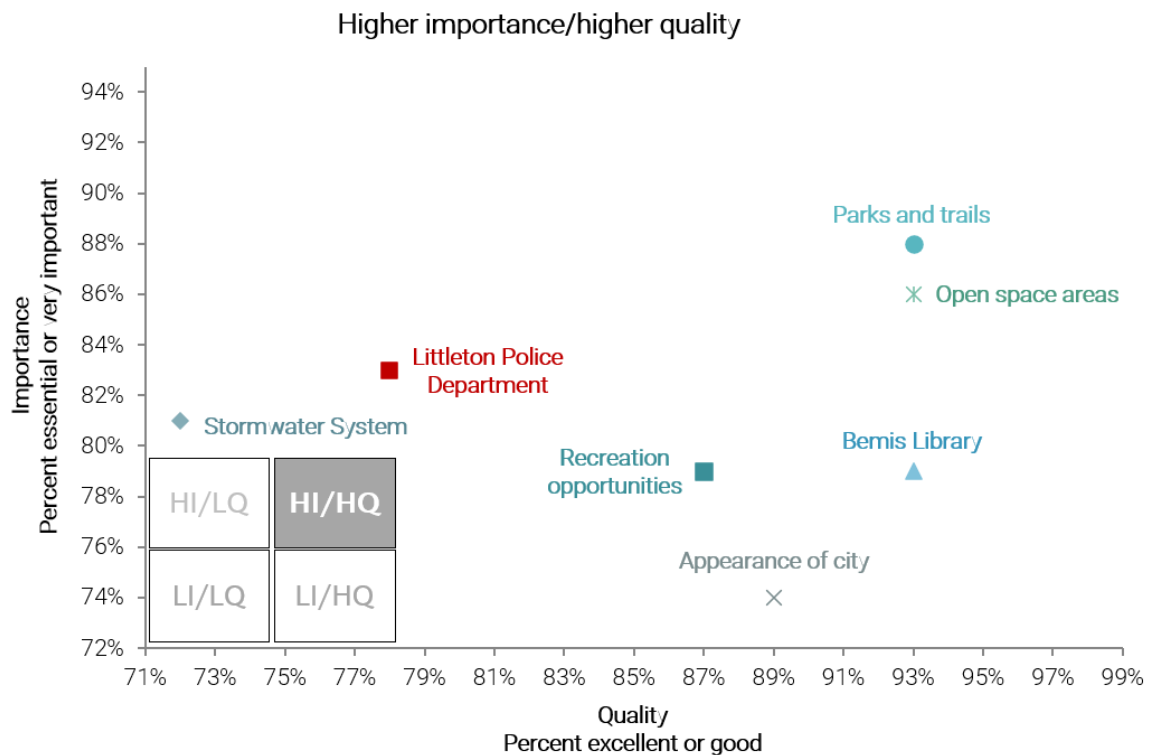


Figure 13: Services Rated Lower in Importance and Lower in Quality

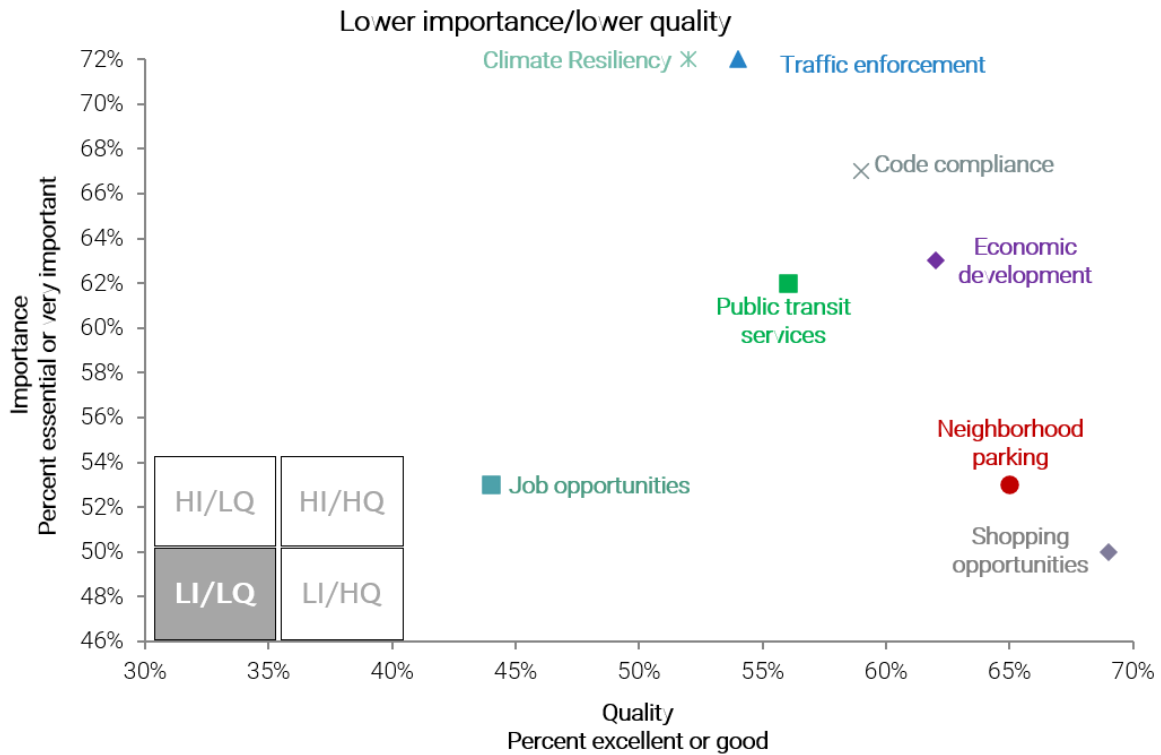
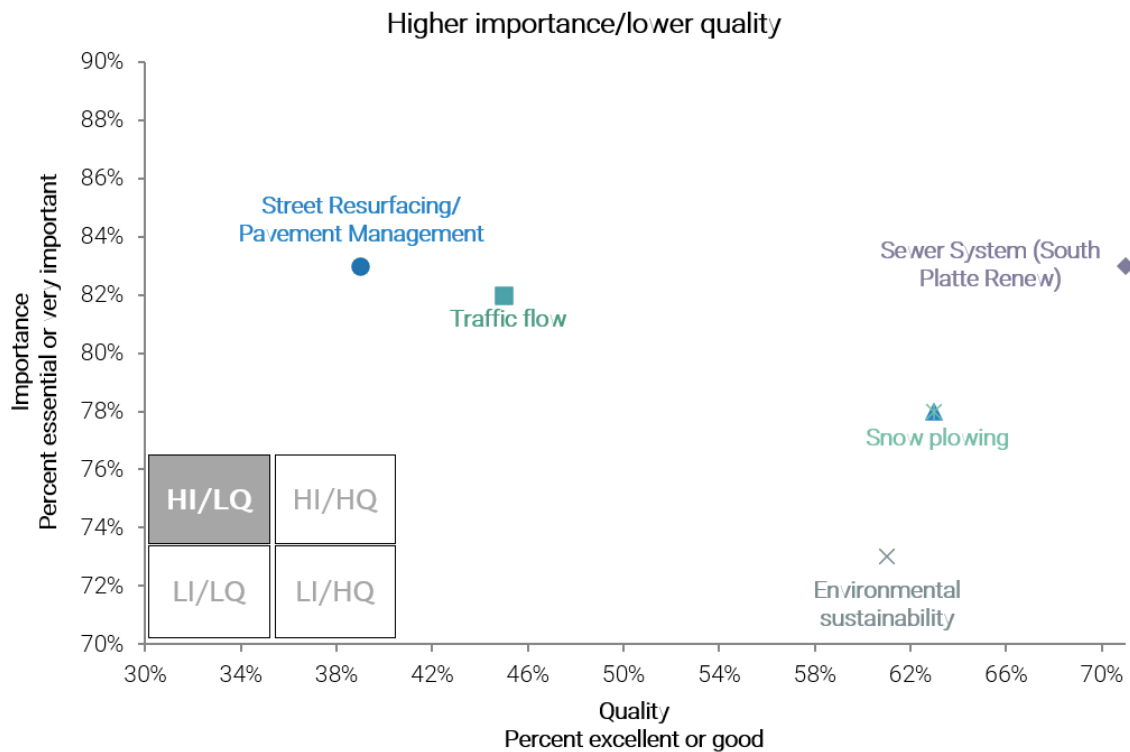


Figure 14: Services Rated Higher in Importance and Lower in Quality



Transportation in Littleton

Residents gave generally positive marks to transportation options in Littleton. About 7 in 10 said driving, walking, and bicycling around the city were easy, pointing to favorable day-to-day mobility experiences. Light rail access rated somewhat lower, with 63% describing it as excellent or good, while bus service trailed the rest, with just 37% rating it positively, suggesting transit remains an area with room to grow.

Two transportation measures improved between 2024 and 2026: ease of bicycle travel rose by six points, and ease of bus travel (RTD) climbed by nine points.

As in past years, most transportation measures that could be benchmarked tracked closely with national and Front Range averages, with two notable exceptions: ease of light rail travel rated well above both benchmarks, and ease of bicycle travel exceeded the national benchmark.

Figure 15: Aspects of Transportation Compared by Year

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
Ease of driving	71%	72%	74%	67%	70%	75%	72%	80%
Ease of walking in the city	71%	71%	73%	77%	79%	82%	84%	84%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	70%	64%	72%	72%	78%	76%	76%	77%
Ease of traveling by light rail	63%	61%	68%	72%	82%	83%	84%	89%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	37%	28%	41%	54%	58%	62%	66%	62%

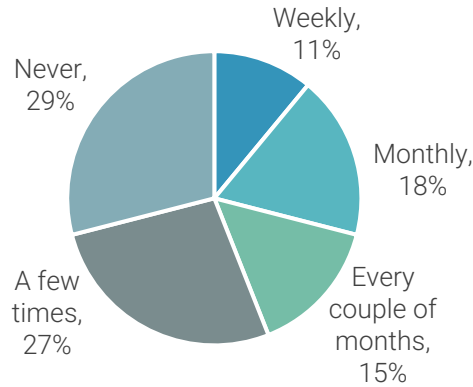
When evaluating the ease of traveling by bus (RTD), 56% of respondents selected “don’t know,” and 30% did so for the ease of traveling by bicycle. The full distribution of responses, including “don’t know,” is available in Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions.

Bemis Public Library

Most respondents (71%) visited Bemis Library at least once during the past year. The largest user groups were those who visited a few times (27%) or monthly (18%), while 11% reported weekly visits. About 3 in 10 respondents (29%) had not visited the library in the previous 12 months.

Figure 16: Bemis Library Frequency of Use, 2026

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?



Respondents were asked to evaluate seven aspects of the Bemis Public Library and its services. Between 22% and 71% of residents selected “don’t know” when rating these items (see *Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions* for a full set of responses including “don’t know”).

Of those who provided an opinion, most offered highly positive assessments across all library services. Nearly all respondents rated the overall performance of the Bemis Library, its programs, and its services favorably. A new item—Mobile Library—received strong recommendation, with 9 in 10 respondents rating it positively, a proportion similar to ratings for internet and computer services, online services at www.littletongov.org/bemis, materials and collections, and the library building and grounds.

Ratings for all aspects of the Bemis Public Library remained stable compared with previous survey iterations.

Figure 17: Aspects of Bemis Public Library Compared by Year

Please circle the number that comes closest to your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out)	96%	97%	94%	93%	93%	95%	94%	93%
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	95%	96%	94%	91%	93%	96%	96%	94%
Overall performance of the library	94%	95%	93%	92%	94%	93%	93%	91%
Internet and computer services	92%	93%	91%	87%	92%	89%	92%	87%
Online services at www.littletongov.org/bemis accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	91%	88%	93%	85%	86%	90%	89%	83%
Mobile Library	90%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Materials and collections	90%	87%	89%	85%	85%	84%	84%	81%
Library building and grounds	88%	88%	88%	86%	90%	89%	89%	88%

Littleton Museum

The quality of various services and programs provided at the Littleton Museum was also assessed. Between 33% and 70% of residents selected “don’t know” when rating these items (see Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions for a full set of responses including “don’t know”).

Among those with an opinion, ratings of the Littleton Museum were exceptionally positive in 2026, with every aspect evaluated receiving an excellent or good rating from at least 93% of respondents. Museum programs and the Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters earned the highest ratings (97%), followed closely by the Museum research center (97%) and the overall performance of the Littleton Museum (96%). The Museum building and grounds also received strong marks (95%), while the Wednesday evening free summer concerts (94%), art shows in the galleries (94%), and rotating exhibits (93%) were all viewed favorably by more than 9 in 10 respondents. Altogether, these results point to consistently high satisfaction across the Museum's facilities, programming, exhibits, and visitor experience.

Compared with 2024, three areas showed statistically significant improvements: ratings for the Museum research center increased from 91% to 97% (+6 points), art shows in the galleries rose from 87% to 94% (+7 points), and rotating exhibits improved from 86% to 93% (+7 points).

Figure 18: Aspects of Littleton Museum Compared by Year

Please circle the number that comes closest to your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018	2016	2014	2012
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events –Holiday’s Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	97%	96%	90%	96%	90%	95%	92%	93%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	97%	96%	91%	92%	92%	94%	94%	91%
Museum research center	97%	91%	87%	90%	85%	88%	87%	87%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	96%	96%	89%	96%	93%	95%	94%	92%
Museum building and grounds	95%	95%	90%	93%	93%	94%	96%	94%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	94%	92%	92%	95%	90%	93%	92%	92%
Art shows in the galleries	94%	87%	86%	86%	85%	93%	88%	84%
Museum rotating exhibits	93%	86%	88%	88%	87%	90%	86%	84%

Littleton Police Department

Survey respondents were asked to assess the quality of 13 specific services provided by the Littleton Police Department. However, between 24% and 56% of respondents said “don’t know” when asked to evaluate these services. The full set of responses, including “don’t know,” can be found in *Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions*.

Of those who had an opinion, ratings of the Littleton Police Department were generally very positive in 2026, with the highest marks awarded for assisting fire responders (92%), responding to citizens' emergency calls for service (88%), and maintaining public order (87%). More than 8 in 10 respondents also rated the department positively for caring about the well-being of the people they deal with, being trustworthy, and acting in the best interest of the community. Approximately three-quarters or more gave favorable ratings for being sensitive to residents' concerns, crime prevention, and protecting individual civil rights. Lower, though still majority-positive ratings were given for working with people to solve neighborhood problems, providing public information and education, crime solving, and communicating regularly with community members.

Most performance measures were stable or improved between 2024 and 2026 - statistically significant increases were observed for responding to citizens' emergency calls for service (+6 points), maintaining public order (+5 points), being sensitive to residents' concerns (+8 points), crime prevention (+10 points), crime solving (+7 points), and communicating regularly with community members (+10 points).

Of these measures, only crime prevention could be compared to external benchmarks, and Littleton evaluations were similar to those across the nation and among communities in the Front Range.

Figure 19: Quality of Services Provided by the Littleton Police Department

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	2026	2024	2022	2020	2018
Assisting fire responders	92%	92%	92%	94%	90%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	88%	82%	72%	83%	80%
Maintaining public order	87%	82%	85%	91%	87%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	82%	79%	80%	92%	88%
Being trustworthy	81%	81%	82%	90%	85%
Acting in the best interest of the community	81%	83%	81%	87%	84%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	79%	71%	72%	83%	80%
Crime prevention	78%	68%	73%	83%	81%
Protecting individual civil rights	77%	74%	76%	83%	74%
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	72%	70%	78%	86%	81%
Providing public information and education	71%	75%	70%	75%	73%
Crime solving	66%	59%	55%	72%	66%
Communicating regularly with community members	63%	53%	67%	74%	73%

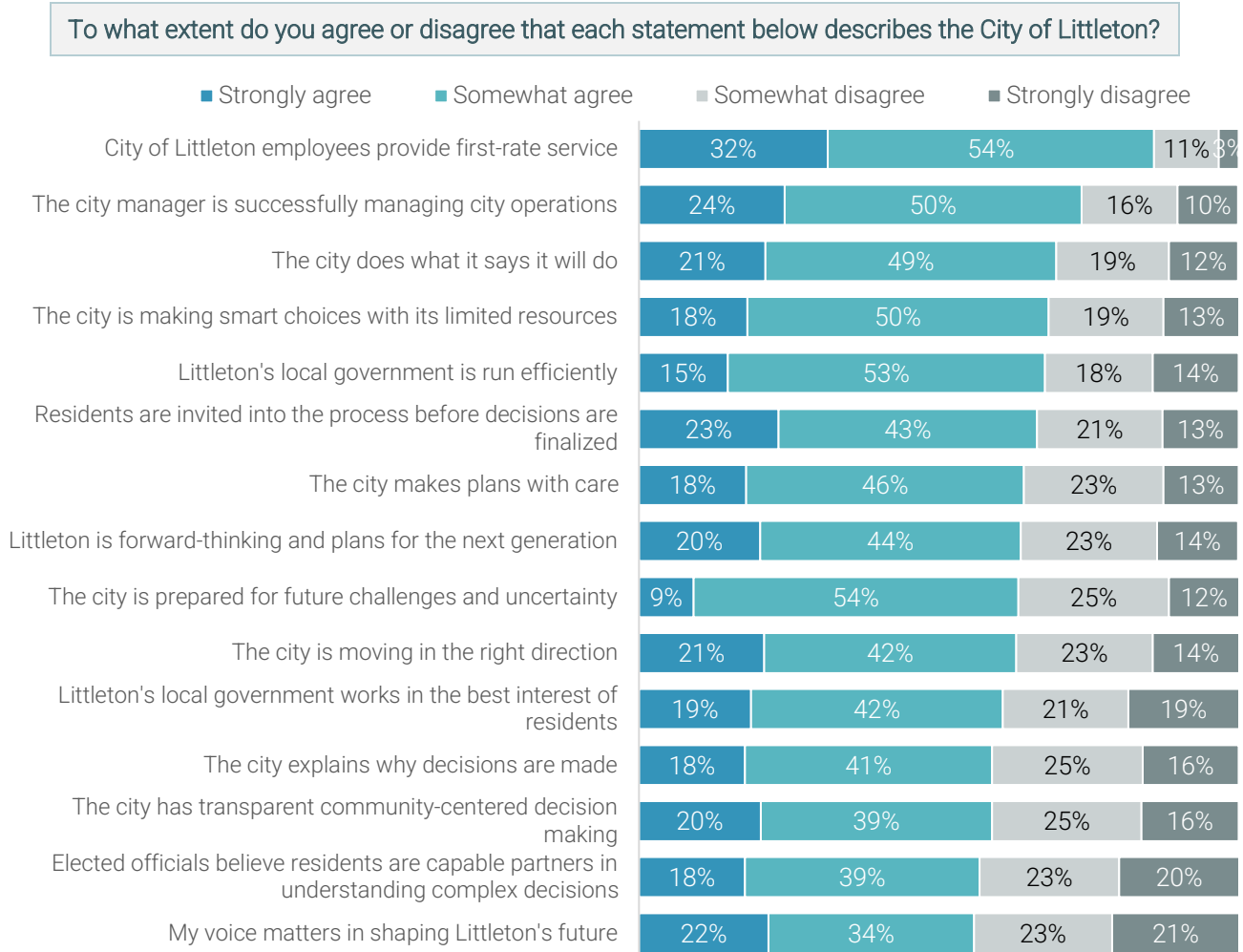
City Government Performance

Residents generally view the City's performance positively across most measures of government effectiveness. The strongest ratings were for customer service provided by City employees, with 86% of respondents agreeing that employees provide first-rate service. About 7 in 10 residents also agreed that the city manager is successfully managing city operations and that the City does what it says it will do.

Ratings were also very favorable for the City's use of limited resources, operational efficiency, efforts to involve residents before decisions are finalized. Around two-thirds of respondents agreed that the City plans with care, is forward-thinking, and is prepared for future challenges.

While positive ratings outweighed negative ratings across all measures, perceptions were somewhat more mixed regarding broader governance and community influence. About 6 in 10 residents agreed that the City is moving in the right direction, works in residents' best interests, explains why decisions are made, and makes transparent, community-centered decisions. Similarly, about 6 in 10 agreed that elected officials are capable partners in helping residents understand complex decisions. The lowest level of agreement was for the statement, "My voice matters in shaping Littleton's future," although a majority (56%) still expressed agreement.

Figure 20: Government performance, 2026



* When evaluating how the city manager is managing city operations, 37% of respondents selected "don't know."

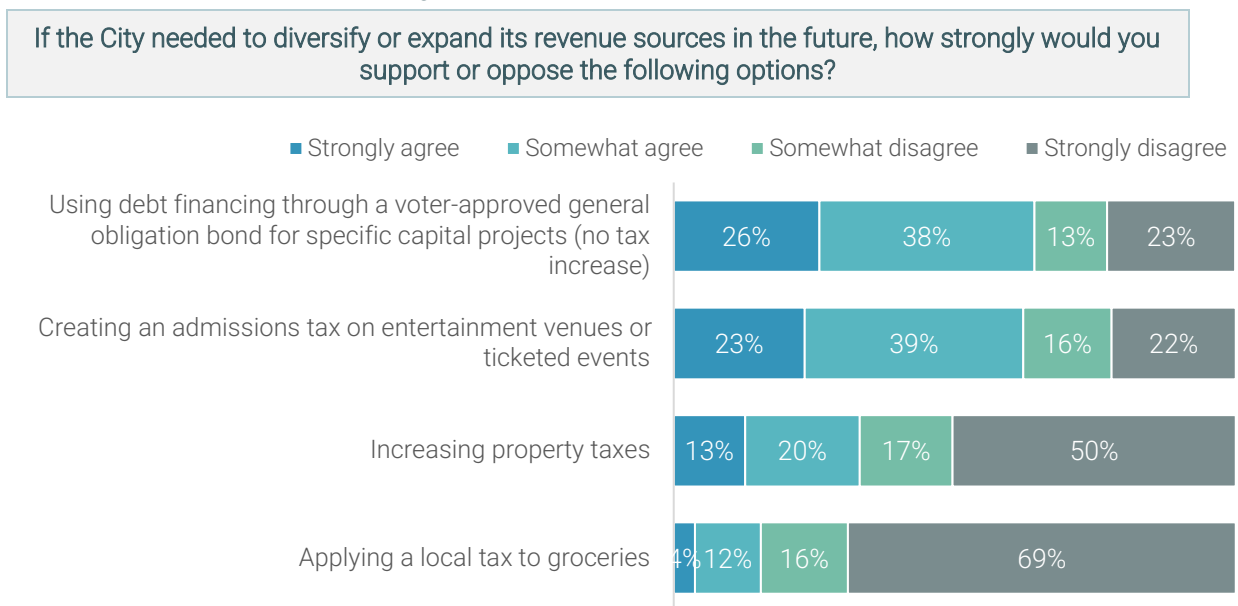
Revenue Sources

Residents expressed varying levels of support for potential revenue options should the City need to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future. The most supported options were using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects that would not increase taxes (64% support) and creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events (62% support).

In contrast, residents were generally opposed to broad-based tax increases. Only one-third (33%) supported increasing property taxes, while two-thirds (67%) opposed the idea. Opposition was even stronger for applying a local tax to groceries, with just 16% expressing support and 84% indicating opposition.

Overall, the results suggest that residents are more receptive to targeted or project-specific funding mechanisms than to revenue options that would increase the ongoing tax burden on households.

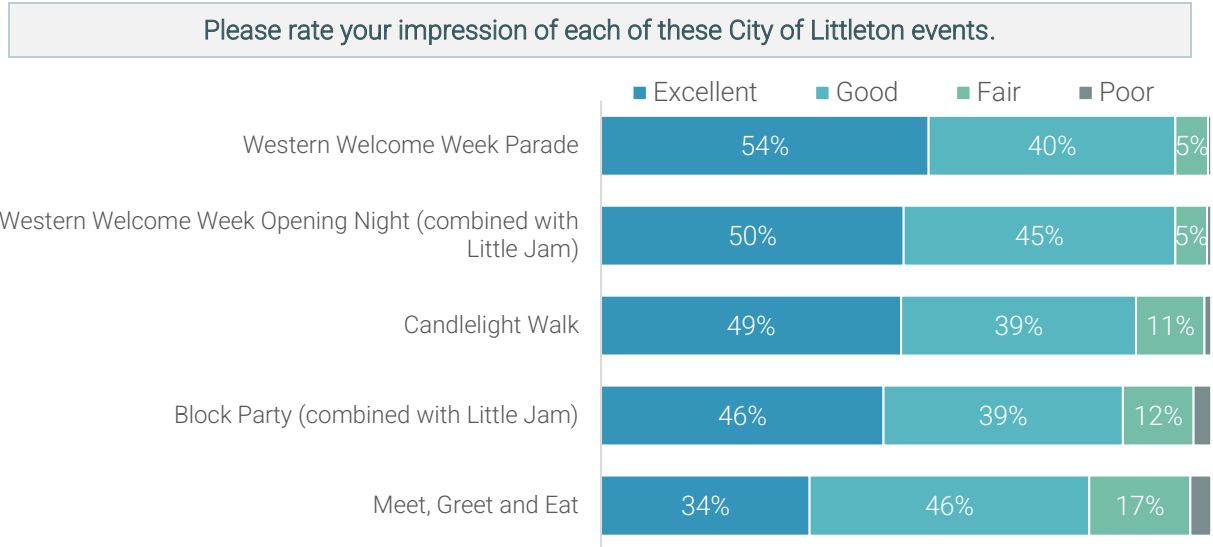
Figure 21: Revenue Sources, 2026



Community Programs and Events

Survey data reveals high community satisfaction with the City of Littleton’s local programming. All local events secured an approval rating of 80% excellent/good or higher. The Western Welcome Week Opening Night and Parade registered the highest positive evaluations at 95% and 94% respectively. Strong public approval also extended to the Candlelight Walk (88%) and the Block Party (85%). The Meet, Greet and Eat event concluded the assessment with an 80% satisfaction rate. Conversely, truly unfavorable feedback remained statistically negligible, with "Poor" ratings capped at a maximum of 3% across all evaluated categories.

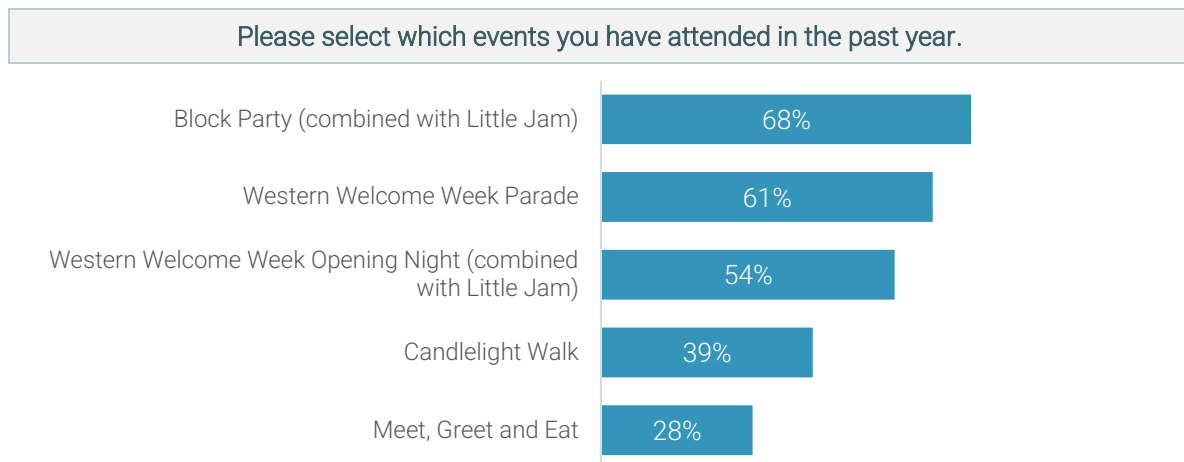
Figure 22: Quality of Local Events, 2026



* When evaluating the quality of local events, between 32% and 53% of respondents selected “don’t know.”

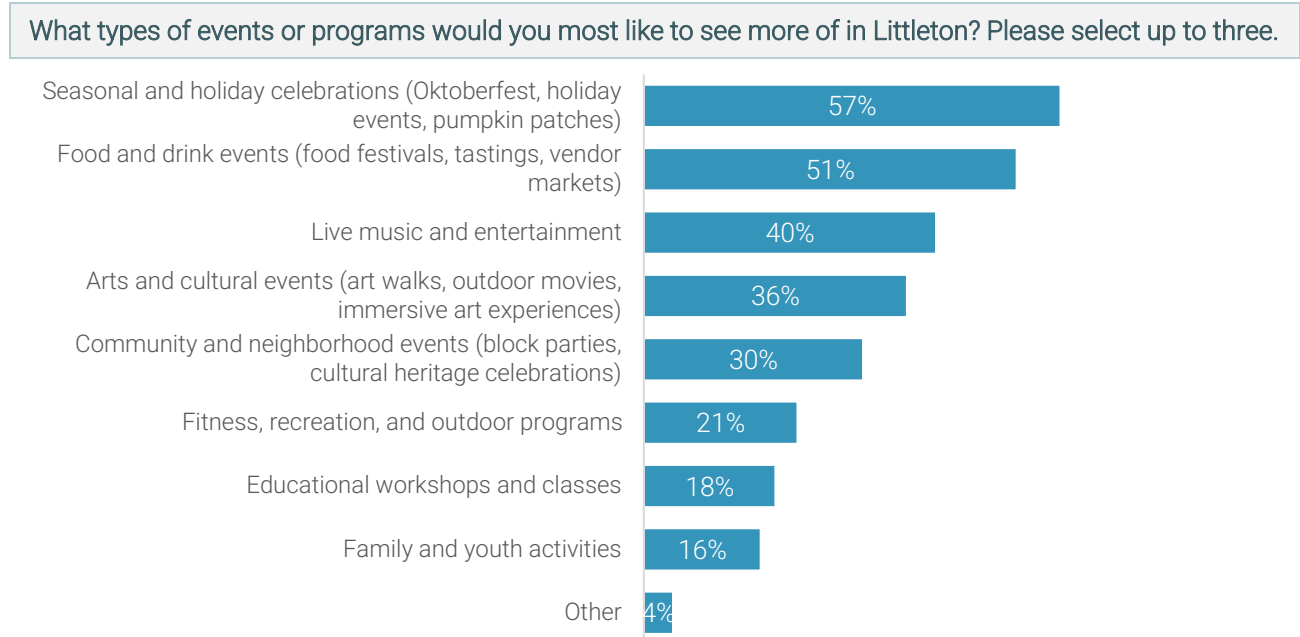
When asked about attendance at local events, participation varied across the different activities offered in Littleton. About 7 in 10 respondents reported attending the Block Party in the past year, and 6 in 10 attended the Western Welcome Week Parade. Roughly half of residents said they took part in the Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam). The Candlelight Walk drew about 4 in 10 respondents, while Meet, Greet & Eat attracted around three in ten.

Figure 23: Local Events Attendance, 2026



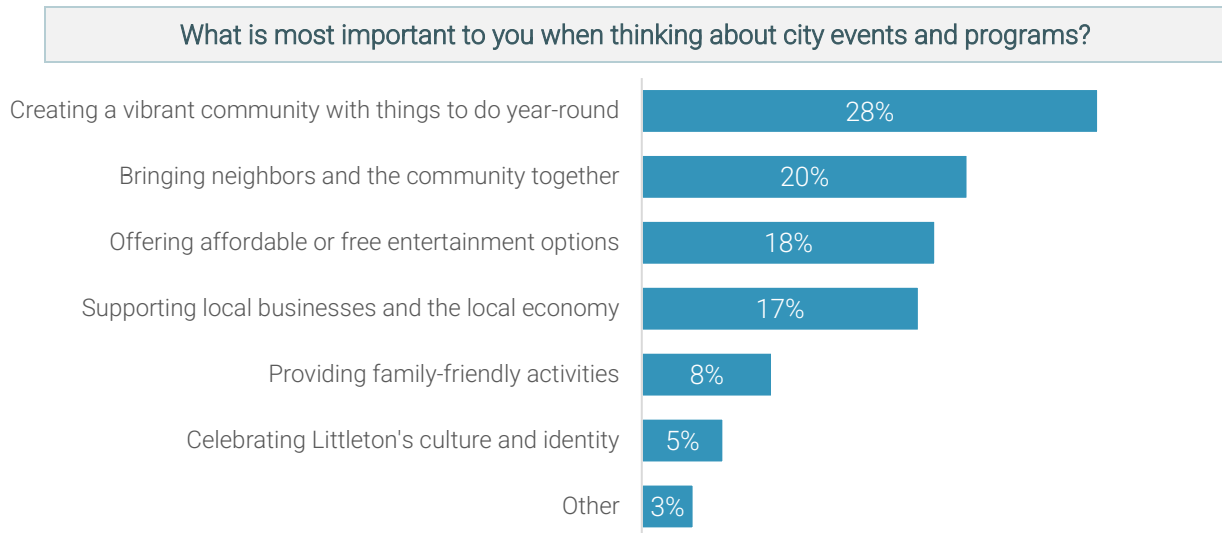
When respondents were asked about the types of events they would most like to see more of in Littleton, seasonal and holiday celebrations emerged as the top preference, selected by 57% of participants. Food and drink events followed closely at 51%, reflecting strong interest in festivals, tastings, and vendor markets. Interest in live music and entertainment (40%) and arts and cultural events (36%) was also substantial, suggesting that residents value opportunities for social gathering and creative engagement. Community and neighborhood events were selected by 30% of respondents. Lower but still meaningful levels of interest were expressed for fitness and outdoor programs, educational workshops, and family and youth activities.

Figure 24: Desired Type of Events, 2026



Later, when asked about the goals of local events and programs, about a fourth of respondents mentioned creating a vibrant community, while about a fifth emphasized bringing neighbors and the broader community together. Other frequently mentioned priorities included offering affordable entertainment and supporting local businesses.

Figure 25: Preferred Characteristics for Events, 2026



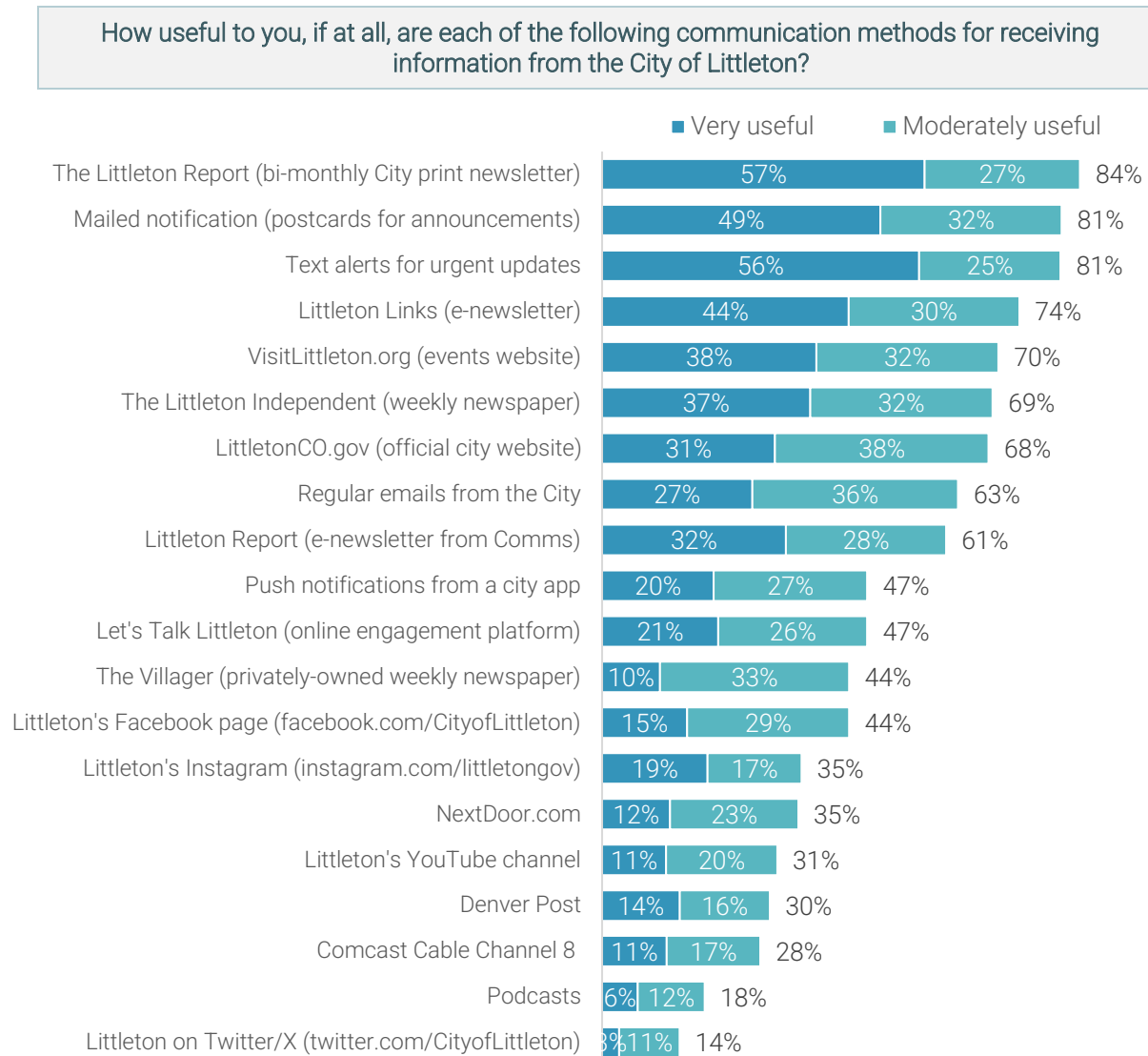
Information Sources

Respondents rated a wide range of communication channels used by the City of Littleton, with several traditional methods standing out as particularly effective. The Littleton Report (the City's bi-monthly print newsletter) was viewed as the most useful source of information, with 84% of respondents rating it as very or moderately useful. Mailed notifications and text alerts for urgent updates followed closely at 81% each.

Digital channels showed more variation. City emails, the City website, and Facebook were rated as useful by a majority of respondents, while platforms such as Instagram, Nextdoor, and YouTube received more moderate levels of usefulness. At the lower end of the spectrum, podcasts (18%) and Twitter/X (14%) were least often named as useful communication methods.

Overall, the results indicate that residents rely most heavily on direct, official, and easily accessible communication formats, while newer or more specialized digital platforms play a more limited role in how people receive city information.

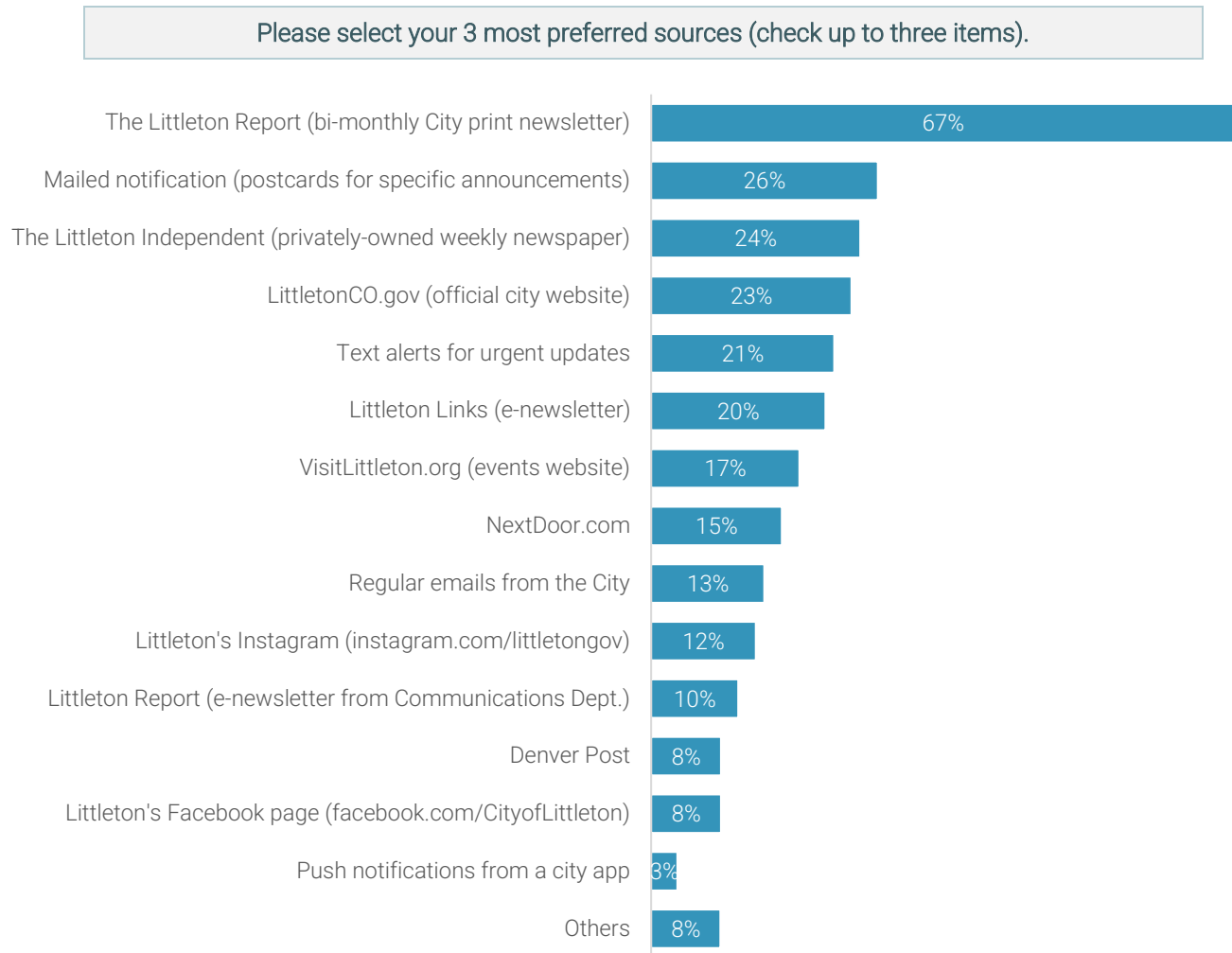
Figure 26: Usefulness of Littleton Communication Methods, 2026



When asked to select their three preferred sources for receiving City information, respondents overwhelmingly favored The Littleton Report, the bi-monthly print newsletter, chosen by 67% of participants. A second tier of preferences included mailed notifications (26%), The Littleton Independent (24%), and the City's official website (LittletonCO.gov, 23%). Digital options such as text alerts (21%), Littleton Links (20%), and VisitLittleton.org (17%) also received notable levels of interest.

Social media platforms and general email communications were selected less frequently, with preferences ranging from 15% for Nextdoor to 8% for Facebook. Only 3% of respondents chose push notifications from a city app.

Figure 27: Preferred Communication Methods, 2026



When asked what types of information they would most like to receive from the City of Littleton, residents clearly prioritized city events and road closures and construction updates, with 75% and 67% of respondents, respectively, identifying these as topics of greatest interest.

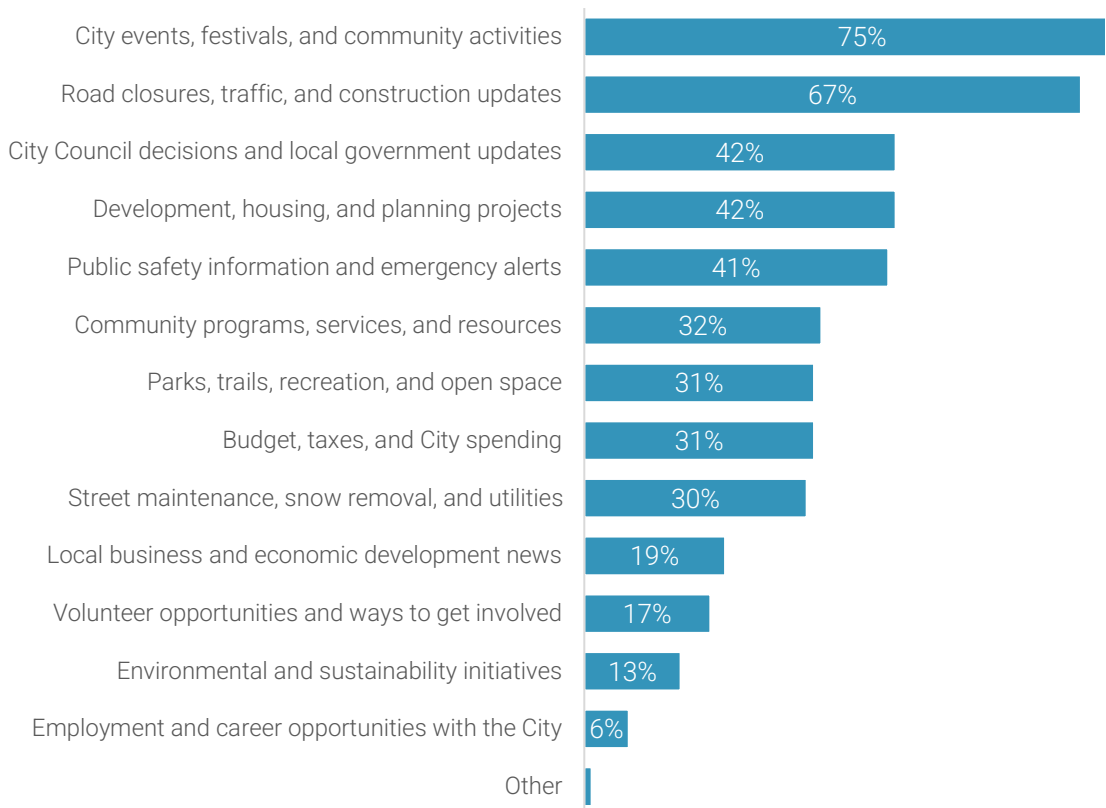
A second tier of priorities included City Council decisions, development, housing, and planning projects, and public safety information, all of which were selected by a substantial share of respondents.

Interest was somewhat lower for a third group of topics, which included community programs, parks and recreation, and street maintenance, snow removal, and utilities.

The least requested types of information were local business news, volunteer opportunities, sustainability initiatives, and career opportunities with the City.

Figure 28: Desired type of information to receive, 2026

What types of information would you most like to receive from the City of Littleton? Please select up to five.



Respondent Characteristics

Characteristics of the survey respondents are displayed in the following tables.

Table 1: Length of Residency

How many years have you lived in Littleton?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Less than 1 year	5%	N=37
1-5 years	28%	N=220
6-10 years	14%	N=107
11-15 years	9%	N=66
More than 15 years	44%	N=343
Total	100%	N=772

Table 2: Number of Household Members

How many people (including yourself) live in your household?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
1	22%	N=168
2	47%	N=350
3 or more	31%	N=229
Total	100%	N=746

Table 3: Number of Household Members Age 12 or Younger

How many children 12 or younger live in your household?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
0	82%	N=583
1	8%	N=55
2	6%	N=45
3 or more	4%	N=29
Total	100%	N=712

Table 4: Number of Household Members Ages 13 to 17

How many teenagers ages 13 to 17 live in your household?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
0	85%	N=588
1	9%	N=63
2	3%	N=23
3 or more	2%	N=16
Total	100%	N=690

Table 5: Number of Household Members Age 55 or Older

How many people (including yourself) age 55 or older live in your household?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
0	43%	N=306
1	22%	N=154
2	32%	N=226
3 or more	4%	N=27
Total	100%	N=713

Table 6: Housing Unit Type

Which best describes the building you live in?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
One family house detached from any other houses	53%	N=412
House attached to one or more houses (e.g., a duplex or townhome)	15%	N=117
Building with two or more apartments or condominiums	29%	N=224
Mobile home	2%	N=12
Other	1%	N=5
Total	100%	N=771

Table 7: Housing Tenure (Rent vs Own)

Do you rent or own your home?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Rent	33%	N=254
Own	67%	N=519
Total	100%	N=773

Table 8: Total Household Income for Current Year

How much do you anticipate your household's total income before taxes will be for the current year? (Please include in your total income, money from all sources for all persons living in your household.)	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Less than \$24,999	4%	N=26
\$25,000 to \$34,999	3%	N=22
\$35,000 to \$49,999	4%	N=28
\$50,000 to \$74,999	14%	N=102
\$75,000 to \$99,999	16%	N=117
\$100,000 to \$149,999	23%	N=166
\$150,000 to \$199,999	12%	N=90
\$200,000 or more	23%	N=168
Total	100%	N=719

Table 9: Respondent Level of Education

What is your level of education?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
0-11 years	0%	N=1
High school graduate	2%	N=17
Some college, no degree	14%	N=107
Associate degree	5%	N=41
Bachelors' degree	42%	N=317
Graduate or professional degree	36%	N=276
Total	100%	N=759

Table 10: Respondent Ethnicity

Are you Spanish, Hispanic or Latino?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
No, not Spanish, Hispanic or Latino	90%	N=662
Yes, I consider myself to be Spanish, Hispanic or Latino	10%	N=74
Total	100%	N=736

Table 11: Respondent Race

What is your race?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
American Indian or Alaskan Native	2%	N=14
Asian, Asian Indian or Pacific Islander	1%	N=8
Black or African American	2%	N=11
White	95%	N=692
Other	5%	N=35

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 12: Respondent Age

In which category is your age?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
18-24	1%	N=8
25-34	21%	N=162
35-44	16%	N=122
45-54	13%	N=102
55-64	16%	N=119
65-74	20%	N=147
75+	13%	N=95
Total	100%	N=755

Table 13: Respondent Gender

What is your gender?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Female	53%	N=395
Male	47%	N=349
Identify in another way	0%	N=2
Total	100%	N=746

Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions

The following pages contain a complete set of responses to each question on the survey. The percent of respondents giving a particular response is shown followed by the number of respondents. When a question includes a “don’t know” response option, the first table displays the results excluding the “don’t know” responses and the second table displays the results with the “don’t know.”

Table 14: Question 1 without don't know responses

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton.	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Total	
Littleton as a place to live	49%	N=385	44%	N=344	6%	N=49	1%	N=6	100%	N=784
Your neighborhood as a place to live	51%	N=402	39%	N=304	8%	N=59	2%	N=15	100%	N=781
Littleton as a place to raise children	48%	N=302	41%	N=255	9%	N=55	2%	N=13	100%	N=625
Littleton as a place to retire	34%	N=212	39%	N=240	19%	N=120	8%	N=51	100%	N=622
Littleton as a place to work	27%	N=139	52%	N=268	18%	N=92	4%	N=19	100%	N=519
Overall quality of life in Littleton	37%	N=287	53%	N=412	8%	N=62	2%	N=13	100%	N=774
Safety in Littleton	32%	N=248	51%	N=393	13%	N=104	4%	N=29	100%	N=773

Table 15: Question 1 with don't know responses

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton.	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Don't know		Total	
Littleton as a place to live	49%	N=385	44%	N=344	6%	N=49	1%	N=6	0%	N=0	100%	N=784
Your neighborhood as a place to live	51%	N=402	39%	N=304	8%	N=59	2%	N=15	0%	N=0	100%	N=781
Littleton as a place to raise children	39%	N=302	33%	N=255	7%	N=55	2%	N=13	20%	N=156	100%	N=782
Littleton as a place to retire	27%	N=212	31%	N=240	15%	N=120	7%	N=51	20%	N=154	100%	N=776
Littleton as a place to work	18%	N=139	35%	N=268	12%	N=92	2%	N=19	33%	N=256	100%	N=775
Overall quality of life in Littleton	37%	N=287	53%	N=412	8%	N=62	2%	N=13	0%	N=0	100%	N=774
Safety in Littleton	32%	N=248	51%	N=393	13%	N=104	4%	N=29	0%	N=3	100%	N=776

Table 16: Question 2

What are your reasons for living in Littleton? (Please select all that apply.)	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
I feel safe here	52%	N=401
Littleton is welcoming	33%	N=257
I like the Downtown	57%	N=439
I've always lived here	17%	N=128
I am close to where I work	26%	N=202
I attend school in Littleton	3%	N=21
I like my neighborhood	68%	N=526
I have transportation options	23%	N=175
It is affordable to live in Littleton	17%	N=132
I like Littleton's small town feel	51%	N=398
I like living in a college town	2%	N=14
I like the parks, trails, and open space	71%	N=552
I have friends and family in the area	45%	N=346
I like Littleton's sense of community	36%	N=280
Littleton has diverse types of housing	10%	N=78
I like the school my children attend	15%	N=116

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 17: Question 3

Please identify up to three issues you believe are the most pressing issues facing Littleton in the next two years. (Select up to 3 items)	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Workforce Attraction	4%	N=28
Traffic in general	35%	N=277
Business retention	10%	N=80
Neighborhoods	5%	N=41
Trails	3%	N=21
Community Engagement	4%	N=32
Parking	8%	N=66
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	29%	N=229
Aging or outdated commercial areas	13%	N=102
Crime reduction	10%	N=79
Business attraction	7%	N=51
Tourism	2%	N=14
Open space	7%	N=57
Sewer & Stormwater System Projects	3%	N=27
Main Street Improvements	7%	N=56
Affordable housing/cost of living	41%	N=317
Too much growth	27%	N=212
Homeless population/homelessness	27%	N=211
Maintenance of city properties/buildings	2%	N=12
Bike and pedestrian safety (Safer Streets)	17%	N=133
Environmental sustainability	10%	N=82
Other	12%	N=96

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 18: Question 4 without don't know responses

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton.	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Total	
Ease of driving	17%	N=131	54%	N=419	22%	N=168	7%	N=55	100%	N=773
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	9%	N=30	28%	N=95	38%	N=129	25%	N=84	100%	N=338
Ease of traveling by light rail	25%	N=164	38%	N=249	31%	N=206	6%	N=38	100%	N=656
Ease of walking in the city	25%	N=182	46%	N=344	22%	N=160	7%	N=55	100%	N=741
Ease of traveling by bicycle	22%	N=119	49%	N=265	25%	N=134	5%	N=27	100%	N=545

Table 19: Question 4 with don't know responses

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton.	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Don't know		Total	
Ease of driving	17%	N=131	54%	N=419	22%	N=168	7%	N=55	0%	N=1	100%	N=773
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	4%	N=30	12%	N=95	17%	N=129	11%	N=84	56%	N=436	100%	N=774
Ease of traveling by light rail	22%	N=164	33%	N=249	27%	N=206	5%	N=38	14%	N=108	100%	N=764
Ease of walking in the city	24%	N=182	45%	N=344	21%	N=160	7%	N=55	3%	N=27	100%	N=768
Ease of traveling by bicycle	15%	N=119	34%	N=265	17%	N=134	3%	N=27	30%	N=232	100%	N=777

Table 20: Question 5 without don't know responses

Please tell us how safe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton.	Very safe		Somewhat safe		Somewhat unsafe		Very unsafe		Total	
Downtown Littleton during the day	84%	N=641	15%	N=111	1%	N=6	0%	N=2	100%	N=761
Your neighborhood during the day	81%	N=637	16%	N=129	1%	N=11	1%	N=5	100%	N=782
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	53%	N=397	38%	N=285	7%	N=54	2%	N=15	100%	N=751

Table 21: Question 5 with don't know responses

Please tell us how safe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton.	Very safe		Somewhat safe		Somewhat unsafe		Very unsafe		Don't know		Total	
Downtown Littleton during the day	82%	N=641	14%	N=111	1%	N=6	0%	N=2	2%	N=19	100%	N=780
Your neighborhood during the day	81%	N=637	16%	N=129	1%	N=11	1%	N=5	0%	N=0	100%	N=782
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	51%	N=397	37%	N=285	7%	N=54	2%	N=15	4%	N=30	100%	N=781

Table 22: Question 6 - Quality without don't know responses

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton:	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Total	
Appearance of city	26%	N=197	64%	N=490	8%	N=63	3%	N=22	100%	N=772
Shopping opportunities	15%	N=114	54%	N=412	24%	N=185	7%	N=52	100%	N=763
Job opportunities	6%	N=22	39%	N=150	42%	N=162	14%	N=54	100%	N=388
Historic preservation	24%	N=160	52%	N=344	19%	N=128	4%	N=29	100%	N=661
Economic development	6%	N=36	56%	N=344	29%	N=179	8%	N=50	100%	N=609
Public transit services	13%	N=78	43%	N=253	33%	N=191	11%	N=65	100%	N=587
Traffic flow	4%	N=32	40%	N=304	39%	N=295	16%	N=124	100%	N=753
Snow plowing	16%	N=115	47%	N=340	27%	N=192	10%	N=76	100%	N=723
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	6%	N=43	33%	N=243	34%	N=248	28%	N=205	100%	N=739
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	17%	N=72	54%	N=230	27%	N=115	2%	N=10	100%	N=428
Stormwater System	16%	N=79	56%	N=287	25%	N=126	4%	N=18	100%	N=510
Neighborhood parking	18%	N=135	47%	N=343	26%	N=189	9%	N=63	100%	N=731
Parks and trails	45%	N=328	48%	N=352	7%	N=49	1%	N=6	100%	N=734
Recreation opportunities	42%	N=309	45%	N=332	11%	N=79	3%	N=20	100%	N=741
Open space areas	40%	N=289	45%	N=322	13%	N=94	2%	N=16	100%	N=721
Environmental sustainability	12%	N=64	49%	N=267	31%	N=166	8%	N=45	100%	N=543
Climate Resiliency	10%	N=42	42%	N=186	38%	N=166	11%	N=48	100%	N=441
Littleton Police Department	31%	N=194	47%	N=289	19%	N=115	3%	N=21	100%	N=619
Traffic enforcement	14%	N=89	40%	N=259	29%	N=187	17%	N=111	100%	N=646
Code compliance	13%	N=56	46%	N=200	26%	N=112	16%	N=67	100%	N=435
Municipal Court	27%	N=55	52%	N=108	19%	N=38	3%	N=5	100%	N=207
Bemis Library	55%	N=328	38%	N=230	6%	N=33	1%	N=9	100%	N=599
Littleton Museum	56%	N=321	40%	N=229	3%	N=20	0%	N=1	100%	N=571
City-sponsored special events	34%	N=224	51%	N=333	13%	N=84	1%	N=9	100%	N=650
Town Hall Arts Center	47%	N=216	45%	N=206	8%	N=35	1%	N=4	100%	N=463
City-provided services overall	20%	N=134	59%	N=400	18%	N=122	3%	N=20	100%	N=677

Table 23: Question 6 - Quality with don't know responses

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton:	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Don't know		Total	
Appearance of city	26%	N=197	64%	N=490	8%	N=63	3%	N=22	0%	N=0	100%	N=772
Shopping opportunities	15%	N=114	54%	N=412	24%	N=185	7%	N=52	1%	N=5	100%	N=769
Job opportunities	3%	N=22	20%	N=150	21%	N=162	7%	N=54	50%	N=381	100%	N=769
Historic preservation	21%	N=160	46%	N=344	17%	N=128	4%	N=29	12%	N=90	100%	N=751
Economic development	5%	N=36	45%	N=344	24%	N=179	7%	N=50	20%	N=149	100%	N=758
Public transit services	10%	N=78	34%	N=253	25%	N=191	9%	N=65	22%	N=169	100%	N=756
Traffic flow	4%	N=32	40%	N=304	38%	N=295	16%	N=124	2%	N=12	100%	N=766
Snow plowing	15%	N=115	45%	N=340	25%	N=192	10%	N=76	5%	N=36	100%	N=759
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	6%	N=43	32%	N=243	33%	N=248	27%	N=205	3%	N=21	100%	N=760
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	9%	N=72	30%	N=230	15%	N=115	1%	N=10	44%	N=331	100%	N=759
Stormwater System	11%	N=79	39%	N=287	17%	N=126	2%	N=18	31%	N=233	100%	N=743
Neighborhood parking	18%	N=135	45%	N=343	25%	N=189	8%	N=63	4%	N=29	100%	N=760
Parks and trails	43%	N=328	46%	N=352	6%	N=49	1%	N=6	4%	N=34	100%	N=769
Recreation opportunities	40%	N=309	43%	N=332	10%	N=79	3%	N=20	4%	N=30	100%	N=771
Open space areas	38%	N=289	42%	N=322	12%	N=94	2%	N=16	6%	N=43	100%	N=764
Environmental sustainability	8%	N=64	35%	N=267	22%	N=166	6%	N=45	28%	N=216	100%	N=759
Climate Resiliency	6%	N=42	25%	N=186	22%	N=166	6%	N=48	41%	N=309	100%	N=750
Littleton Police Department	26%	N=194	38%	N=289	15%	N=115	3%	N=21	18%	N=133	100%	N=751
Traffic enforcement	12%	N=89	34%	N=259	24%	N=187	15%	N=111	15%	N=116	100%	N=762
Code compliance	7%	N=56	26%	N=200	15%	N=112	9%	N=67	43%	N=329	100%	N=763
Municipal Court	7%	N=55	14%	N=108	5%	N=38	1%	N=5	73%	N=548	100%	N=755
Bemis Library	43%	N=328	30%	N=230	4%	N=33	1%	N=9	21%	N=159	100%	N=759
Littleton Museum	42%	N=321	30%	N=229	3%	N=20	0%	N=1	25%	N=189	100%	N=760
City-sponsored special events	29%	N=224	44%	N=333	11%	N=84	1%	N=9	14%	N=109	100%	N=759
Town Hall Arts Center	28%	N=216	27%	N=206	5%	N=35	1%	N=4	39%	N=298	100%	N=761
City-provided services overall	18%	N=134	53%	N=400	16%	N=122	3%	N=20	11%	N=84	100%	N=761

Table 24: Question 6 - Importance without don't know responses

Please rate how important, if at all, each is to you.	Essential		Very important		Somewhat important		Not at all important		Total	
Appearance of city	21%	N=155	54%	N=401	25%	N=189	0%	N=3	100%	N=747
Shopping opportunities	11%	N=81	39%	N=299	44%	N=337	6%	N=44	100%	N=761
Job opportunities	18%	N=119	35%	N=230	34%	N=222	14%	N=91	100%	N=662
Historic preservation	21%	N=156	37%	N=280	34%	N=257	8%	N=57	100%	N=750
Economic development	22%	N=165	41%	N=302	30%	N=222	6%	N=47	100%	N=735
Public transit services	30%	N=223	31%	N=230	29%	N=213	9%	N=67	100%	N=732
Traffic flow	32%	N=240	50%	N=381	17%	N=126	1%	N=9	100%	N=756
Snow plowing	38%	N=285	40%	N=300	21%	N=159	0%	N=2	100%	N=747
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	38%	N=290	45%	N=341	16%	N=126	1%	N=5	100%	N=762
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	42%	N=260	41%	N=256	16%	N=101	1%	N=4	100%	N=621
Stormwater System	40%	N=265	41%	N=269	18%	N=118	1%	N=5	100%	N=656
Neighborhood parking	17%	N=128	36%	N=261	37%	N=271	10%	N=71	100%	N=731
Parks and trails	46%	N=342	42%	N=316	12%	N=91	0%	N=1	100%	N=749
Recreation opportunities	31%	N=237	48%	N=362	19%	N=141	2%	N=16	100%	N=754
Open space areas	40%	N=303	43%	N=324	16%	N=119	1%	N=8	100%	N=754
Environmental sustainability	40%	N=289	33%	N=236	19%	N=140	8%	N=56	100%	N=721
Climate Resiliency	43%	N=292	29%	N=200	18%	N=124	10%	N=71	100%	N=687
Littleton Police Department	55%	N=411	29%	N=217	12%	N=92	4%	N=33	100%	N=753
Traffic enforcement	32%	N=239	40%	N=296	23%	N=170	5%	N=33	100%	N=738
Code compliance	25%	N=171	42%	N=281	31%	N=207	2%	N=15	100%	N=674
Municipal Court	26%	N=150	45%	N=260	25%	N=146	3%	N=19	100%	N=574
Bemis Library	45%	N=320	34%	N=246	20%	N=140	1%	N=10	100%	N=716
Littleton Museum	30%	N=212	35%	N=242	32%	N=224	3%	N=24	100%	N=702
City-sponsored special events	19%	N=138	35%	N=260	40%	N=293	7%	N=49	100%	N=740
Town Hall Arts Center	19%	N=131	32%	N=218	43%	N=288	5%	N=36	100%	N=673

Table 25: Question 6 - Importance with don't know responses

Please rate how important, if at all, each is to you.	Essential		Very important		Somewhat important		Not at all important		Don't know		Total	
Appearance of city	21%	N=155	53%	N=401	25%	N=189	0%	N=3	0%	N=4	100%	N=751
Shopping opportunities	11%	N=81	39%	N=299	44%	N=337	6%	N=44	1%	N=4	100%	N=765
Job opportunities	16%	N=119	30%	N=230	29%	N=222	12%	N=91	13%	N=102	100%	N=764
Historic preservation	21%	N=156	37%	N=280	34%	N=257	8%	N=57	1%	N=8	100%	N=758
Economic development	22%	N=165	40%	N=302	29%	N=222	6%	N=47	3%	N=23	100%	N=759
Public transit services	29%	N=223	30%	N=230	28%	N=213	9%	N=67	3%	N=25	100%	N=758
Traffic flow	32%	N=240	50%	N=381	17%	N=126	1%	N=9	0%	N=3	100%	N=759
Snow plowing	38%	N=285	40%	N=300	21%	N=159	0%	N=2	0%	N=3	100%	N=750
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	38%	N=290	45%	N=341	16%	N=126	1%	N=5	0%	N=0	100%	N=762
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	34%	N=260	34%	N=256	13%	N=101	1%	N=4	18%	N=138	100%	N=759
Stormwater System	35%	N=265	36%	N=269	16%	N=118	1%	N=5	12%	N=90	100%	N=747
Neighborhood parking	17%	N=128	35%	N=261	36%	N=271	9%	N=71	3%	N=19	100%	N=750
Parks and trails	45%	N=342	41%	N=316	12%	N=91	0%	N=1	2%	N=13	100%	N=762
Recreation opportunities	31%	N=237	47%	N=362	18%	N=141	2%	N=16	1%	N=7	100%	N=761
Open space areas	40%	N=303	43%	N=324	16%	N=119	1%	N=8	0%	N=4	100%	N=758
Environmental sustainability	38%	N=289	31%	N=236	18%	N=140	7%	N=56	5%	N=37	100%	N=759
Climate Resiliency	38%	N=292	26%	N=200	16%	N=124	9%	N=71	10%	N=73	100%	N=760
Littleton Police Department	54%	N=411	28%	N=217	12%	N=92	4%	N=33	2%	N=12	100%	N=764
Traffic enforcement	32%	N=239	39%	N=296	22%	N=170	4%	N=33	3%	N=21	100%	N=759
Code compliance	23%	N=171	37%	N=281	27%	N=207	2%	N=15	11%	N=83	100%	N=758
Municipal Court	20%	N=150	34%	N=260	19%	N=146	2%	N=19	24%	N=184	100%	N=759
Bemis Library	42%	N=320	33%	N=246	19%	N=140	1%	N=10	5%	N=39	100%	N=755
Littleton Museum	28%	N=212	32%	N=242	30%	N=224	3%	N=24	8%	N=57	100%	N=759
City-sponsored special events	18%	N=138	34%	N=260	38%	N=293	6%	N=49	3%	N=24	100%	N=764
Town Hall Arts Center	17%	N=131	28%	N=218	38%	N=288	5%	N=36	12%	N=93	100%	N=766

Table 26: Question 7 without don't know responses

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services:	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Total	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	65%	N=279	30%	N=131	4%	N=16	2%	N=7	100%	N=432
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	62%	N=328	33%	N=176	3%	N=16	1%	N=6	100%	N=525
Internet and computer services	55%	N=205	37%	N=136	5%	N=18	3%	N=11	100%	N=370
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	57%	N=243	33%	N=141	9%	N=37	1%	N=3	100%	N=424
Materials and collections	46%	N=225	44%	N=217	7%	N=34	3%	N=13	100%	N=488
Library building and grounds	43%	N=247	45%	N=258	11%	N=62	1%	N=7	100%	N=574
Mobile Library	58%	N=123	33%	N=69	9%	N=19	1%	N=2	100%	N=213
Overall performance of the library	53%	N=289	41%	N=225	5%	N=26	1%	N=6	100%	N=546

Table 27: Question 7 with don't know responses

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services:	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Don't know		Total	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	37%	N=279	17%	N=131	2%	N=16	1%	N=7	43%	N=320	100%	N=752
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	44%	N=328	24%	N=176	2%	N=16	1%	N=6	29%	N=219	100%	N=745
Internet and computer services	27%	N=205	18%	N=136	2%	N=18	2%	N=11	50%	N=374	100%	N=744
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	32%	N=243	19%	N=141	5%	N=37	0%	N=3	43%	N=325	100%	N=749
Materials and collections	30%	N=225	29%	N=217	5%	N=34	2%	N=13	34%	N=252	100%	N=740
Library building and grounds	33%	N=247	35%	N=258	8%	N=62	1%	N=7	22%	N=165	100%	N=739
Mobile Library	17%	N=123	9%	N=69	3%	N=19	0%	N=2	71%	N=531	100%	N=744
Overall performance of the library	39%	N=289	31%	N=225	3%	N=26	1%	N=6	26%	N=188	100%	N=734

Table 28: Question 8

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Weekly	11%	N=83
Monthly	18%	N=141
Every couple of months	15%	N=121
A few times	27%	N=208
Never	29%	N=226
Total	100%	N=780

Table 29: Question 9 without don't know responses

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services:	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Total	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events - Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, spring planting)	55%	N=222	41%	N=165	3%	N=11	1%	N=2	100%	N=400
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	49%	N=176	45%	N=159	6%	N=22	0%	N=0	100%	N=356
Museum research center	53%	N=113	44%	N=94	3%	N=7	0%	N=0	100%	N=215
Museum rotating exhibits	45%	N=165	48%	N=180	7%	N=24	0%	N=2	100%	N=371
Art shows in the galleries	48%	N=165	46%	N=158	6%	N=21	0%	N=0	100%	N=344
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	60%	N=254	37%	N=160	3%	N=13	0%	N=0	100%	N=426
Museum building and grounds	55%	N=268	40%	N=196	5%	N=25	0%	N=1	100%	N=490
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	56%	N=264	41%	N=192	3%	N=15	0%	N=2	100%	N=473

Table 30: Question 9 with don't know responses

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services:	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Don't know		Total	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events - Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, spring planting)	30%	N=222	22%	N=165	2%	N=11	0%	N=2	46%	N=335	100%	N=735
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	24%	N=176	22%	N=159	3%	N=22	0%	N=0	51%	N=372	100%	N=728
Museum research center	16%	N=113	13%	N=94	1%	N=7	0%	N=0	70%	N=507	100%	N=721
Museum rotating exhibits	23%	N=165	25%	N=180	3%	N=24	0%	N=2	49%	N=350	100%	N=721
Art shows in the galleries	23%	N=165	22%	N=158	3%	N=21	0%	N=0	52%	N=379	100%	N=723
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	35%	N=254	22%	N=160	2%	N=13	0%	N=0	41%	N=300	100%	N=727
Museum building and grounds	37%	N=268	27%	N=196	3%	N=25	0%	N=1	33%	N=237	100%	N=727
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	36%	N=264	26%	N=192	2%	N=15	0%	N=2	36%	N=264	100%	N=737

Table 31: Question 10 without don't know responses

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following.	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Total	
Crime prevention	22%	N=123	56%	N=320	18%	N=105	4%	N=22	100%	N=570
Crime solving	27%	N=88	39%	N=129	21%	N=67	13%	N=43	100%	N=326
Maintaining public order	34%	N=195	53%	N=310	10%	N=57	3%	N=18	100%	N=581
Providing public information and education	26%	N=117	45%	N=203	19%	N=88	10%	N=44	100%	N=452
Protecting individual civil rights	30%	N=106	47%	N=164	15%	N=52	8%	N=29	100%	N=351
Assisting fire responders	45%	N=154	47%	N=162	6%	N=22	2%	N=6	100%	N=344
Being trustworthy	34%	N=176	47%	N=239	10%	N=50	9%	N=45	100%	N=510
Acting in the best interest of the community	35%	N=179	46%	N=239	13%	N=69	6%	N=32	100%	N=519
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	34%	N=155	45%	N=203	14%	N=62	8%	N=34	100%	N=455
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	48%	N=203	39%	N=164	9%	N=37	4%	N=15	100%	N=420
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	39%	N=172	43%	N=192	11%	N=50	6%	N=28	100%	N=443
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	36%	N=123	36%	N=124	12%	N=42	15%	N=52	100%	N=340
Communicating regularly with community members (e.g., websites, emails or public meetings)	26%	N=100	37%	N=140	17%	N=66	20%	N=76	100%	N=381

Table 32: Question 10 with don't know responses

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following.	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Don't know		Total	
Crime prevention	16%	N=123	43%	N=320	14%	N=105	3%	N=22	24%	N=176	100%	N=746
Crime solving	12%	N=88	17%	N=129	9%	N=67	6%	N=43	56%	N=421	100%	N=747
Maintaining public order	26%	N=195	42%	N=310	8%	N=57	2%	N=18	22%	N=161	100%	N=741
Providing public information and education	16%	N=117	28%	N=203	12%	N=88	6%	N=44	39%	N=286	100%	N=738
Protecting individual civil rights	15%	N=106	23%	N=164	7%	N=52	4%	N=29	52%	N=377	100%	N=729
Assisting fire responders	21%	N=154	22%	N=162	3%	N=22	1%	N=6	54%	N=399	100%	N=743
Being trustworthy	24%	N=176	32%	N=239	7%	N=50	6%	N=45	31%	N=226	100%	N=736
Acting in the best interest of the community	24%	N=179	32%	N=239	9%	N=69	4%	N=32	30%	N=225	100%	N=743
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	21%	N=155	27%	N=203	8%	N=62	5%	N=34	39%	N=288	100%	N=743
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	27%	N=203	22%	N=164	5%	N=37	2%	N=15	43%	N=320	100%	N=740
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	23%	N=172	26%	N=192	7%	N=50	4%	N=28	41%	N=303	100%	N=746
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	16%	N=123	17%	N=124	6%	N=42	7%	N=52	54%	N=406	100%	N=746
Communicating regularly with community members (e.g., websites, emails or public meetings)	13%	N=100	19%	N=140	9%	N=66	10%	N=76	49%	N=364	100%	N=745

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Table 33: Question 11 with don't know responses

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton?	Strongly agree		Somewhat agree		Somewhat disagree		Strongly disagree		Don't know		Total	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	16%	N=123	45%	N=341	17%	N=130	11%	N=86	10%	N=75	100%	N=754
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	7%	N=55	43%	N=329	20%	N=152	9%	N=71	20%	N=151	100%	N=759
The city does what it says it will do	17%	N=127	39%	N=290	15%	N=113	9%	N=69	20%	N=153	100%	N=752
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	17%	N=127	32%	N=243	21%	N=157	14%	N=102	16%	N=122	100%	N=751
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	20%	N=149	37%	N=276	18%	N=133	11%	N=81	14%	N=107	100%	N=746
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	14%	N=101	30%	N=225	18%	N=134	15%	N=115	23%	N=171	100%	N=746
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	17%	N=129	37%	N=277	19%	N=145	11%	N=86	15%	N=117	100%	N=754
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	15%	N=113	31%	N=230	10%	N=75	6%	N=47	37%	N=279	100%	N=743
City of Littleton employees provide first-rate service	23%	N=172	40%	N=297	8%	N=59	2%	N=18	27%	N=197	100%	N=743
The city makes plans with care	15%	N=109	38%	N=283	19%	N=142	10%	N=76	18%	N=131	100%	N=741
The city explains why decisions are made	15%	N=111	35%	N=258	21%	N=158	13%	N=100	16%	N=116	100%	N=744
Littleton's local government is run efficiently	11%	N=79	38%	N=284	13%	N=96	10%	N=77	28%	N=207	100%	N=744
Littleton's local government works in the best interest of residents	15%	N=112	34%	N=252	17%	N=126	15%	N=111	19%	N=138	100%	N=739
My voice matters in shaping Littleton's future	18%	N=132	28%	N=210	19%	N=141	18%	N=130	17%	N=126	100%	N=739
The city is moving in the right direction	18%	N=137	37%	N=276	20%	N=150	13%	N=95	12%	N=92	100%	N=750

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Table 34: Question 11 without don't know responses

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton?	Strongly agree		Somewhat agree		Somewhat disagree		Strongly disagree		Total	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	18%	N=123	50%	N=341	19%	N=130	13%	N=86	100%	N=679
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	9%	N=55	54%	N=329	25%	N=152	12%	N=71	100%	N=608
The city does what it says it will do	21%	N=127	48%	N=290	19%	N=113	12%	N=69	100%	N=599
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	20%	N=127	39%	N=243	25%	N=157	16%	N=102	100%	N=628
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	23%	N=149	43%	N=276	21%	N=133	13%	N=81	100%	N=639
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	18%	N=101	39%	N=225	23%	N=134	20%	N=115	100%	N=575
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	20%	N=129	44%	N=277	23%	N=145	14%	N=86	100%	N=638
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	24%	N=113	49%	N=230	16%	N=75	10%	N=47	100%	N=465
City of Littleton employees provide first-rate service	32%	N=172	54%	N=297	11%	N=59	3%	N=18	100%	N=546
The city makes plans with care	18%	N=109	46%	N=283	23%	N=142	12%	N=76	100%	N=610
The city explains why decisions are made	18%	N=111	41%	N=258	25%	N=158	16%	N=100	100%	N=628
Littleton's local government is run efficiently	15%	N=79	53%	N=284	18%	N=96	14%	N=77	100%	N=537
Littleton's local government works in the best interest of residents	19%	N=112	42%	N=252	21%	N=126	18%	N=111	100%	N=601
My voice matters in shaping Littleton's future	22%	N=132	34%	N=210	23%	N=141	21%	N=130	100%	N=613
The city is moving in the right direction	21%	N=137	42%	N=276	23%	N=150	14%	N=95	100%	N=658

Table 35: Question 12 with don't know responses

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Don't know		Total	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	30%	N=228	26%	N=193	8%	N=57	2%	N=14	35%	N=263	100%	N=756
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	32%	N=237	29%	N=213	3%	N=25	0%	N=3	36%	N=268	100%	N=746
Western Welcome Week Parade	37%	N=272	28%	N=204	4%	N=27	0%	N=3	32%	N=234	100%	N=740
Candlelight Walk	27%	N=204	21%	N=160	6%	N=47	1%	N=4	45%	N=342	100%	N=757
Meet, Greet and Eat	16%	N=121	22%	N=162	8%	N=58	2%	N=12	53%	N=399	100%	N=752

Table 36: Question 12 without don't know responses

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year	Excellent		Good		Fair		Poor		Total	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	46%	N=228	39%	N=193	12%	N=57	3%	N=14	100%	N=493
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	50%	N=237	45%	N=213	5%	N=25	1%	N=3	100%	N=477
Western Welcome Week Parade	54%	N=272	40%	N=204	5%	N=27	1%	N=3	100%	N=506
Candlelight Walk	49%	N=204	39%	N=160	11%	N=47	1%	N=4	100%	N=415
Meet, Greet and Eat	34%	N=121	46%	N=162	17%	N=58	3%	N=12	100%	N=353

Table 37: Question 12

Please select which events you have attended in the past year.	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	68%	N=371
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	54%	N=293
Western Welcome Week Parade	61%	N=332
Candlelight Walk	39%	N=215
Meet, Greet and Eat	28%	N=156

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 38: Question 13

What types of events or programs would you most like to see more of in Littleton? Please select up to three.	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Arts and cultural events (art walks, outdoor movies, immersive art experiences)	36%	N=269
Food and drink events (food festivals, tastings, vendor markets)	51%	N=375
Seasonal and holiday celebrations (Oktoberfest, holiday events, pumpkin patches)	57%	N=422
Community and neighborhood events (block parties, cultural heritage celebrations)	30%	N=225
Family and youth activities	16%	N=115
Live music and entertainment	40%	N=294
Fitness, recreation, and outdoor programs	21%	N=152
Educational workshops and classes	18%	N=132
Other	4%	N=29

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 39: Question 14

What is most important to you when thinking about city events and programs?	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Providing family-friendly activities	8%	N=63
Bringing neighbors and the community together	20%	N=154
Attracting visitors to Littleton	1%	N=5
Offering affordable or free entertainment options	18%	N=137
Creating a vibrant community with things to do year-round	28%	N=211
Supporting local businesses and the local economy	17%	N=131
Celebrating Littleton's culture and identity	5%	N=34
Other	2%	N=19
Total	100%	N=753

Table 40: Question 15 without unsure responses

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton?	Very useful		Moderately useful		Slightly useful		Not at all useful		Total	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	57%	N=381	27%	N=183	12%	N=81	4%	N=24	100%	N=669
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	43%	N=198	30%	N=137	17%	N=76	10%	N=44	100%	N=455
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	30%	N=172	38%	N=213	24%	N=136	8%	N=44	100%	N=566
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	20%	N=54	26%	N=69	19%	N=50	34%	N=89	100%	N=261
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	38%	N=152	32%	N=129	20%	N=79	11%	N=42	100%	N=403
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	15%	N=54	29%	N=103	14%	N=51	42%	N=152	100%	N=359
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	3%	N=8	11%	N=30	14%	N=40	72%	N=201	100%	N=279
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	19%	N=62	17%	N=55	20%	N=68	45%	N=149	100%	N=334
NextDoor.com	12%	N=56	23%	N=105	23%	N=108	42%	N=196	100%	N=465
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	11%	N=31	20%	N=54	21%	N=59	48%	N=132	100%	N=276
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	37%	N=170	32%	N=150	16%	N=75	15%	N=69	100%	N=464
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	10%	N=29	33%	N=94	15%	N=41	42%	N=118	100%	N=282
Denver Post	14%	N=61	16%	N=70	21%	N=91	50%	N=220	100%	N=442
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	11%	N=36	17%	N=52	17%	N=55	55%	N=172	100%	N=314
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	32%	N=121	28%	N=106	20%	N=75	19%	N=72	100%	N=374
Text alerts for urgent updates	56%	N=236	25%	N=106	11%	N=48	8%	N=33	100%	N=423
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	49%	N=303	32%	N=197	14%	N=86	5%	N=30	100%	N=616
Push notifications from a city app	20%	N=59	27%	N=81	16%	N=48	37%	N=112	100%	N=300
Podcasts	6%	N=18	12%	N=33	13%	N=35	69%	N=195	100%	N=281
Regular emails from the City	27%	N=116	36%	N=158	22%	N=97	15%	N=65	100%	N=436

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Table 41: Question 15 with unsure responses

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton?	Very useful		Moderately useful		Slightly useful		Not at all useful		Unsure		Total	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	51%	N=381	25%	N=183	11%	N=81	3%	N=24	10%	N=72	100%	N=741
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	27%	N=198	18%	N=137	10%	N=76	6%	N=44	39%	N=286	100%	N=741
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	24%	N=172	29%	N=213	18%	N=136	6%	N=44	23%	N=167	100%	N=733
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	7%	N=54	9%	N=69	7%	N=50	12%	N=89	64%	N=466	100%	N=728
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	22%	N=152	19%	N=129	11%	N=79	6%	N=42	42%	N=292	100%	N=695
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	8%	N=54	14%	N=103	7%	N=51	21%	N=152	50%	N=357	100%	N=717
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	1%	N=8	4%	N=30	6%	N=40	29%	N=201	60%	N=426	100%	N=706
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	9%	N=62	8%	N=55	10%	N=68	21%	N=149	53%	N=379	100%	N=712
NextDoor.com	8%	N=56	15%	N=105	16%	N=108	28%	N=196	33%	N=234	100%	N=699
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	4%	N=31	8%	N=54	8%	N=59	18%	N=132	61%	N=437	100%	N=713
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	24%	N=170	21%	N=150	11%	N=75	10%	N=69	34%	N=243	100%	N=707
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	4%	N=29	13%	N=94	6%	N=41	17%	N=118	61%	N=433	100%	N=715
Denver Post	9%	N=61	10%	N=70	13%	N=91	32%	N=220	36%	N=251	100%	N=693
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	5%	N=36	7%	N=52	8%	N=55	25%	N=172	55%	N=381	100%	N=695
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	17%	N=121	15%	N=106	11%	N=75	10%	N=72	48%	N=340	100%	N=714
Text alerts for urgent updates	34%	N=236	15%	N=106	7%	N=48	5%	N=33	40%	N=278	100%	N=701
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	42%	N=303	27%	N=197	12%	N=86	4%	N=30	14%	N=102	100%	N=718
Push notifications from a city app	8%	N=59	11%	N=81	7%	N=48	16%	N=112	58%	N=415	100%	N=715
Podcasts	3%	N=18	5%	N=33	5%	N=35	28%	N=195	60%	N=423	100%	N=704
Regular emails from the City	16%	N=116	22%	N=158	14%	N=97	9%	N=65	38%	N=273	100%	N=710

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Table 42: Question 15

Please select your 3 most preferred sources (check up to three items).	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	67%	N=489
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	20%	N=148
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	23%	N=166
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	1%	N=9
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	17%	N=122
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	8%	N=57
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	2%	N=12
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	12%	N=86
NextDoor.com	15%	N=106
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	2%	N=13
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	24%	N=174
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	2%	N=13
Denver Post	8%	N=55
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	1%	N=11
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	10%	N=71
Text alerts for urgent updates	21%	N=154
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	26%	N=190
Push notifications from a city app	3%	N=22
Podcasts	0%	N=0
Regular emails from the City	13%	N=94

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 43: Question 16

What types of information would you most like to receive from the City of Littleton? Please select up to five.	Percent of respondents	Number of respondents
Road closures, traffic, and construction updates	67%	N=511
City events, festivals, and community activities	75%	N=569
Development, housing, and planning projects	42%	N=320
Budget, taxes, and City spending	31%	N=232
Community programs, services, and resources	32%	N=242
Employment and career opportunities with the City	6%	N=48
Local business and economic development news	19%	N=140
Street maintenance, snow removal, and utilities	30%	N=230
City Council decisions and local government updates	42%	N=320
Public safety information and emergency alerts	41%	N=314
Parks, trails, recreation, and open space	31%	N=234
Environmental and sustainability initiatives	13%	N=99
Volunteer opportunities and ways to get involved	17%	N=130
Other	1%	N=6

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 44: Question 17 - Importance without don't know responses

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options?	Strongly agree		Somewhat agree		Somewhat disagree		Strongly disagree		Total	
Increasing property taxes	13%	N=91	20%	N=146	16%	N=118	50%	N=362	100%	N=718
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	23%	N=172	39%	N=287	16%	N=116	22%	N=163	100%	N=737
Applying a local tax to groceries	4%	N=28	12%	N=86	16%	N=114	69%	N=507	100%	N=735
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	26%	N=172	38%	N=255	13%	N=86	23%	N=152	100%	N=665

Table 45: Question 17 - Importance with don't know

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options?	Strongly agree		Somewhat agree		Somewhat disagree		Strongly disagree		Don't know		Total	
Increasing property taxes	12%	N=91	20%	N=146	16%	N=118	49%	N=362	3%	N=25	100%	N=743
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	23%	N=172	38%	N=287	15%	N=116	22%	N=163	2%	N=13	100%	N=751
Applying a local tax to groceries	4%	N=28	12%	N=86	15%	N=114	68%	N=507	1%	N=10	100%	N=745
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	23%	N=172	34%	N=255	11%	N=86	20%	N=152	12%	N=87	100%	N=752

Appendix B: Verbatim Responses to Open-ended Survey Question

All write-in responses are presented below verbatim, meaning spelling and grammar has not been corrected. Comments are sorted alphabetically.

Question 2. What are your reasons for living in Littleton? (Please select all that apply.) ("Other" responses.)

- Abundance of parks
- Activities and entertainment available
- All of the Trees
- Amenities and close proximity to everything
- Arts and culture
- Attached to doctors
- Buck and Goodson Recreation centers, Community traditions (Western Welcome Week, Littleton Historial Museum concerts in summer, sense of older areas being revitalized by young people fixing up small h
- Care for mother
- central to biking routes and easy access to mountains
- Close to church
- close to my church
- Close to spouses family. Spouse refuses to leave.
- Convience that is failing
- Ease of transportation to other parts of Denver metro area
- FYI Littleton no longer has a "small town feel." A massive Costco on the neighborhood street, Mineral Avenue? Massive development along the S. Platte River? Nope.
- General comfort of living in this town and the same home for 53 years.
- Great Place to Live
- Grew up here
- I grew up in Littleton and wanted to come back. Not as safe as it used to be, but better than other locations. Definitely not the safe feel as it used to have - grown too much.
- I grew up in the area and my family have lived in the same home since it was built in 1953.
- I have a ranch style home that I feel comfortable in.
- I have lived in and around Littleton for about 35 of the 60 years I've lived in CO, it is as close to a hometown as I've ever had.
- I like access to great restaurants and entertainment close to home.
- I like being close to all that Denver has to offer. I wish light rail was safer.
- I like School District6
- I live in a 55+ community that City of Littleton understands our needs and they are very supportive.
- I love historic downtown Littleton and the stores, restaurants and bars that are a walking distance from my house.
- I own my home and my children live in Littleton and Colorado
- I really like the open spaces near my neighborhood. I do not like the continued large condo/apartment developments targeted at low-income residents on Santa Fe.

- Inherited parents house
- It has a good reputation, is convenient to Denver, and we are South-Denver people.
- It is close to my church - strange that wasn't included above
- It is near many bike trails and river
- It is where we bought our house 27 years ago. It worked because it was close to my work and was affordable back then.
- It's been our home for 26 years and other good places to live probably aren't better they are just different
- It's close to all conveniences.
- It's close to the non-denominational Bible believing church we attend
- Law enforcement enforces law.
- Littleton had good transportation to my work and the house I located to when we moved here was in Littleton
- Littleton has history and identity
- Littleton Resident for 35 years
- Littleton Resident since 1998. Formerly Littleton in Unincorporated Jeffco, Arapahoe since 2017.
- Littleton's easy access to I70 and I25 offer a multitude of options for in-state visits west to the mountains, and all other directions.
- Love being able to walk to my church!
- Love the direction of Art and Culture!
- Mature trees...established town
- Me gusta vivir en Littleton ademas ac es donde mis hijos an vivido Dios bendiga a la comunidad de Littleton
- Moved in decades ago, it is NOT affordable to live here. This is not living with a sense of community, it no longer has a small town feel.
- Moved into Littleton from conifer Colorado
- My grandchild lives here
- No specific reason
- originally, 13 years ago it was because of the low level of urban development which gave it an uncrowded feeling.
- Quiet, peaceful, some wildlife, low-medium traffic. (Littleton will lose all that as all the buildup occurs to bring in thousands more people.)
- Raised children here and own nice home.
- Rented a home from a family friend that I eventually bought
- retired costs too high here will be moving out of Colorado
- Small town feel, but easy access to Denver and surrounding areas, mtns, plains, etc.
- South Metro area is nicer- Highlands ranch too red
- St Mary's church community
- Stuck here.
- The Roads in the City of Littleton are Horrible. When is the last time anyone saw a Littleton City or a City Contractor Resurfacing or Replacing a City Stree? That's right, you can't. Embarrassment to the cities of little things in the residence, such as myself since 1950!
- The small town feel has disappeared
- The view
- There are not as many beggars as other places in the metro area

- there is still old town charm - in some neighborhoods where City council has not allowed mega developers to scrape and destroy what is left
- Very special 1917 farm house!
- Walkable to shopping & healthcare
- We chose LPS when we moved here from California in 2007
- We found a house to fit our specific needs
- We moved here for the schools, at the time housing was more affordable than Denver
- We were able to buy a home here.

Question 3. Please identify up to three issues you believe are the most pressing issues facing Littleton in the next two years. ("Other" responses).

- A growing dependence on the government to provide for things that people should choose for themselves.
- a. Stopping prioritizing bike traffic over car traffic on our streets; b. Council's obsession with high-density housing
- Abandoned private properties that are neglected and unruly
- Aging population
- Asphalt. Our streets are in dire need of restoration.
- Attracting young people affordably with diverse housing options (repealing the state law for zoning was a failure and waste of tax dollars)
- better diversity of restaurants
- Bike lanes narrowing driving lanes
- Children on motorized bicycles, not following rules/laws of streets, sidewalks, parks, etc. So worried lives will be lost.
- City Council and South suburban ruining nature by adding concrete and man-made structures
- City Council seems interested increasing tax base by adding more dense housing plans. Littleton is special because it hasn't played the game that so many smaller towns have. When low income housing is added new problems seem to soon arise.
- City council trying to change single family neighborhoods into dense housing/multi family areas
- Creating unnecessary bike lane where there are no bike riders
- Crime HAS INCREASED NOT reduced
- Data centers
- Decisions on multi family homes
- e-moto problems
- ENOUGH of the more more more more housing, we do NOT need 10000 more apartments and condos!!! Downtown is nothing but a shell overrun with apartments, Broadway is nothing but car dealers and apartments, STOP BUILDING MORE!!!
- Ensuring we have enough water for the next 50-100 years.
- excessive housing development - apartments and housing developments have taken over, littleton govt has been too permissive for whatever reason but it has reduced property values and increased traffic - harming locals who have been here and invested in the community
- EXCESSIVE PROPERTY TAXES FIRST AND FOREMOST.
- family friendliness/LGBTQ promotion
- Geese- They have taken over Sterne Park destroying the grass on the North side
- Getting electric powered scooters, bikes, and "motorcycles" driven by juveniles at breakneck speeds off the streets, trails, and sidewalks.

- Governmental control not aligning with residents wishes. Elected leaders wanting to create a community that we are not (Liberal Boulder).
- High city taxes
- Hostility towards Conservative families
- I do not see ANY street maintenance!! Also the white poles put up are dangerous and serve no purpose. Note: how will your plow with them!! Also money spent on the signs 'school route' are also a waste of our money! No purpose. Also open areas...where r they? Every bit of space you are building condos or apts!! Like we don't have enough traffic! Also the intersections on Santa Fe are very confusing! Is Costco being built? All I see in condos and dirt moved around! Main concern...FIX OUR ROADS!!!!
- I think Littleton is trying too hard to imitate surrounding communities; primarily Denver. Littleton is not Denver; stop trying to follow Denver's lead. We need better enforcement of existing laws (e.g., traffic) and city codes. Cost of living, but not specifically affordable housing; it's a much broader issue than housing.
- I would love to see Main Street blocked from traffic and become a more walkable downtown
- Improve roadways, too many pot holes!!
- Investing in art infrastructure
- It is beyond unconscionable the unsustainable, out of control amount of building and traffic destruction foisted on us; Littleton is being totally Destroyed!!!
- Ketrin Lake and all the dead wood in the park poses a fire hazard
- Ketrin lake, large amounts of overgrowth deadwood surrounding. Potential fire hazard for surrounding neighborhoods.
- Lack of housing diversity resulting in older generations retiring in houses meant for entire families but only housing one or two people
- lack of timely response from some city staff; no sense of pride in Littleton
- Lack of visible police presence and state patrol of 470- street racing
- Maintenance of trees, run down properties - lack of owner care/responsibility. I find it difficult to send information/concerns to the city such as the condition of a road. I have sent three such concerns and never heard back from the city. Thanks!
- Managing water resources in the face of rampant uncontrolled growth
- Mayor/council disregarding desires of voters - review of implementing ADU's for example
- Muslim/Sharia/Terrorism infiltration supported by political leaders
- New businesses in downtown Littleton
- No affordable way for seniors to downsize (purchase not rent w/o huge HOA)
- Noise from continual increase on Santa Fe, Light Rail and train
- Overbuilding in an effort to address housing but ignoring the question...Where is the water coming from? All this building is stressing systems that are already old not to mention the poor road conditions. I question the focus of the city council and whether it is in touch with the majority of citizens. The "small town feel" is disappearing and will cost the residents in higher taxes.
- Overbuilding- too many apartments for the current market
- Overcrowding - Littleton is losing its small town appeal and the housing being built is ugly and wrecking our wildlife attractions
- Park maintenance
- Paving streets
- Property & zoning upkeep (nuisance unkept properties, overnight camping parking on streets)
- Property taxes

- Property taxes have increased \$400/month in 2 years on my house since we moved here. I have never experienced this rate of increase and this might force us to see our house.
- Public education funding
- Public Transit
- public transportation (lack of bus routes)
- Quality of schools
- Road maintenance
- Run all illegals out of town.
- Safer light rail service
- School closures
- School Safety
- Schools have so little funding for a nice city!
- Screen use in public schools particularly for elementary and middle school
- Slow down in developing dense housing projects like the Columbine Square redevelopment. This will increase traffic on roadways not designed for the increased volume.
- Southbridge Pool and Rec center its derelict and condemned and a fire hazard.
- Speeding - I live on Caley Ave (25 mph speed limit) and you have don't nothing to respond to persistent issues around speeding.
- Squeezing driving lanes for unused bike paths. Makes driving hazardous.
- Stop panhandling in intersections.
- Sufficient tax revenue
- tax and financial management; improved snow plowing on residential streets would be nice
- taxes
- The city spending money unwisely due to added revenue from increased sales taxes, for example Safer Streets
- The Costco in Mineral that will ruin my neighborhood, the new Denver-style apartments on Mineral and Santa fe, the increase in homelessness. This place is really losing its charm for whatever the **** is going on. I moved out of Denver to get away from chaos and enjoy my life but all this useless construction that is happening is ruining this area. SERIOUSLY I moved here for the small town community and its going away really fast
- The deterioration of safe streets by all the barricades, white posts, speed bumps, etc. that have been installed. They make it very difficult to see because of their height and number. They also make it difficult to make turns especially if there's a car in the oncoming lane. Not enforcing the usage of ebikes and mini-bikes whose riders often just shoot across trail crossings without hesitating for pedestrians and cars. Not listening to all of your residents' opinions and suggestions. There's a niche-group that has the city council's ear and whose recommendations are held in the highest regard (Vibrant Littleton). The way the city council has handled the Littleton Brewery's over-taking of the neighborhood its near is shameful. I am glad I don't live in that area because the lack of parking allowed for that business should be considered a crime. I won't ever patronize that business because of this reason. It has, however, made me pay much closer attention to what the city is permitting and what the requirements for parking are.
- The homeless being on the bike trails. I don't feel safe and they occupy the rest areas where I can't use the restroom if I want. I feel this will bring my home price down if it continues
- The increased development of open space properties like Costco, the farm now condos on Santa Fe, etc is an ongoing concern for street safety, traffic, and small town feel as well as environmental concerns (taking out the large swale to build a costco).

- The Summit Riverside Apartments has a tract of land to the south of it that they neglect. It is tied to the Storquest RV and Boat Storage. It has 5 foot tall weeds and it littered. Neither one of them will take responsibility for it. The City of Littleton ignores my request.
- the work being done at 85 and Mineral Ave. is being done with the citizens of Littleton having to take a very back of the bus position compared to the DougCo N/S flow. This is an insult to all the people of Littleton that live E and W of this intersection.
- Thought it was a affordable to retire in. (need to cap rent and lot fees)
- too many democrat communists
- Too many new apartment complexes being built
- Too many new apartments instead of owner-occupied condominiums and townhomes for people to build equity and wealth
- Too many stupid pylons in the streets making driving unsafe and stressful.
- Too much "development" will destroy Littleton's charm.
- Too much apartment development
- Too much in the way of apartment construction leading to Littleton becoming overcrowded and the volume of traffic not only becoming much worse it already is..
- too much money being spent on crosswalks and sticks; need to fix streets that have been in need for 3 or more years
- Too much multifamily housing
- Traffic due to overbuilding
- Treatment of fixed income seniors is unfair
- Waste of taxpayer money on safety projects on Lake and Spotswood St - replacing safety fence on Prince St over RR tracks and Main St over RR tracks - square mesh isn't even the same size of squares - looks like a half *** job by the contractor
- water supply
- Way more issues to resolve other than just picking three
- What are you doing with Geveva Village??
- Wildfire prevention and safety.

Question 13: What types of events or programs would you most like to see more of in Littleton? Please select up to three. ("Other" responses).

- better study and implementation of trail needs and benefits. Far too much being/been done that uses a great deal of resources and provides no benefit or improvement to what was there.
- Bicycle Criterium
- Bike Race
- Concerts back in Sterne Park
- demolish the SOUTHBRIDGE Pool and Rec center
- Due to lack of resources (e.g., a job, high cost of necessities, etc.) my participation in pay-for events is limited.
- Farmer's market.
- farmers market
- Host more races! Running and biking
- I don't expect the city to provide events or programs if it is going to be funded by the taxpayers.
- Independence Day community celebration
- Keep doing what you're doing.
- Keep the parks and trails safe and stop wasting money on the other city sponsored activities. More important to maintain roads and keep property taxes low.

- More focus on schools, not events
- More free music and similar events
- More meetups with our council reps at better times
- More Rock Bands in Vega Park. I've lived in the City for Littleton since 1950. Always enjoyed downtown and Minerals Bakery Long Gone
- Need to consider local residents more when closing down streets and planning events
- No datacenters
- No more events that draw crowds to Littleton
- None of the above seem like a good way to spend tax dollars
- None. Do not waste taxpayer money on these events.
- None. Don't waste my taxpayer dollars. None of these events are the government's responsibility.
- Parades
- rebates for zeroscaping residents properties, especially front yards. Better enforcement of neighbors keeping up their property appearances
- Service events
- Small Community theater venues in parks
- Weekly concerts return to Hudson Gardens - apply pressure to SSPRD.

Question 14: What is most important to you when thinking about city events and programs? ("Other" responses).

- All of the above!
- All of the above.
- Attracting young people. It's always about the families and elderly.
- Couldn't select just one. Bringing neighbors and the community together, while offering affordable or free entertainment options, and supporting local businesses and the local economy.
- Council & Executives: get beyond perfunctory listening and treat citizen homeowners with the respect you demand from them. That's now non-existent.
- Get the roads fixed first.
- keeping crime low
- More focus on schools, not events and programs
- Paying my high taxes
- safety
- That they are funded privately.

Question 16: What types of information would you most like to receive from the City of Littleton? Please select up to five. ("Other" responses).

- A new commitment to actually welcome and respond to residents as if they are your stakeholders (that perspective is flipped on its head by City Hall's allegiance to developers) AND Word on realignment of Municipal Spending (that's a big problem; not more revenue needed)
- All of the above
- Emergencies in my area
- I appreciate this survey. I have missed out on so many of the avenues on being connected. Sometimes you don't know where to start. Thank you
- I like the Littleton Links newsletter and the city website in general. I don't have cable/satellite. I'm not on any of the typical social media sites (e.g., Facebook, Twitter/X, Instagram, NextDoor,

etc.) and don't want to be. I'm generally opposed to countless platforms that require login primarily because I don't trust them to keep information private and secure, and to not share it with others. I'm generally opposed to countless apps because most of them collect excessive amounts of data and share it with others. I'm not entirely opposed to online platforms/apps, but many (probably most) are terrible with respect to data collection, sharing, privacy, and security. The City uses too many independent platforms/apps. I realize there isn't a single platform/app that does it all, but the number of platforms/apps required to interact with the City is too high. Most involve some combination of an app, an account, a Terms of Service, a Privacy Policy, etc. It's a huge burden on residents to install the apps, create accounts, and review the continually changing Terms of Service and Privacy Policies, sometimes several layers deep because of inter-company/platform/app dependencies. Each platform/app used is another potential threat to the privacy and security of residents' data and another potential avenue of collection and sharing of unnecessary data associated with residents. I doubt the City places enough (if any) effort into researching/vetting the platforms/apps it uses for their effectiveness at protecting residents' privacy and security, or protecting residents from the unnecessary collection and sharing of data. Does anyone at the City of Littleton know what all data is collected by the numerous platforms/apps it uses, where it is stored, how it is protected, who has access to it, who it is shared with, etc? In any case, I shouldn't need to sign-up for a dozen plus continually changing platforms to interact with the City. I'd like to see more transparency from the C

- Matters coming under consideration and recommendations to Council by Littleton Committees, Boards and Commissions
- Police performance
- Understanding why there's no cap on rent ,retirement / manufactured home.

Appendix C: Comparisons of Select Survey Results by Respondent Subgroups

For ease of comparison between subgroups, most of the questions show summarized responses for only the proportion of respondents giving a positive answer; for example, the percent of respondents who strongly or somewhat supported a sales and use tax or percent of respondents who rated an item as excellent or good.

The subgroup comparison tables contain the cross tabulations of survey questions by selected respondent characteristics. Chi-square or ANOVA tests of significance were applied to these breakdowns of survey questions. A “p-value” of 0.05 or less indicates that there is less than a 5% probability that differences observed between groups are due to chance; or in other words, a greater than 95% probability that the differences observed in the selected categories of the sample represent “real” differences among those populations.

For each pair of subgroups that has a statistically significant difference, an uppercase letter denoting significance is shown in the category with the larger column proportion. The letter denotes the category with the smaller column proportion from which it is statistically different. Differences were marked as statistically significant if the probability that the differences were due to chance alone were less than 5%. Categories were not used in comparisons when a column proportion was equal to zero or one.

Items that have no uppercase letter denotation in their column and that are also not referred to in any other column were not statistically different.

For example, in Table 46 on page 63, 96% of respondents who had lived in Littleton for 10 years or less (A) rated the city as a place to live as excellent or good. This proportion of respondents was statistically significantly higher than those who had lived in Littleton for more than 10 years (B), as denoted by the letter B.

Select Questions Compared by Length of Residency

Table 46: Question 1 by Length of Residency

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Littleton as a place to live	96% B	90%	93%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	91%	89%	90%
Littleton as a place to raise children	90%	89%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	82% B	66%	73%
Littleton as a place to work	80%	78%	79%
Overall quality of life in Littleton	95% B	86%	90%
Safety in Littleton	89% B	77%	83%

Table 47: Question 4 by Length of Residency

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Ease of driving	79% B	64%	71%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	43% B	32%	37%
Ease of traveling by light rail	62%	64%	63%
Ease of walking in the city	67%	76% A	71%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	70%	71%	70%

Table 48: Question 5 by Length of Residency

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Downtown Littleton during the day	100%	98%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	99% B	97%	98%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	93% B	88%	91%

Table 49: Question 6 by Length of Residency

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Appearance of city	95% B	84%	89%
Shopping opportunities	76% B	63%	69%
Job opportunities	46%	42%	44%
Historic preservation	75%	78%	76%
Economic development	67% B	58%	62%
Public transit services	58%	56%	56%
Traffic flow	50% B	39%	45%
Snow plowing	68% B	58%	63%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	46% B	32%	39%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	74%	70%	71%
Stormwater System	78% B	67%	72%
Neighborhood parking	66%	65%	65%

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Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Parks and trails	94%	92%	93%
Recreation opportunities	89%	85%	87%
Open space areas	89%	81%	85%
Environmental sustainability	63%	60%	61%
Climate Resiliency	47%	56%	52%
Littleton Police Department	75%	80%	78%
Traffic enforcement	58%	50%	54%
Code compliance	68%	53%	59%
Bemis Library	93%	93%	93%
Littleton Museum	95%	97%	96%
City-sponsored special events	89%	83%	86%
Town Hall Arts Center	90%	92%	91%
City-provided services overall	84%	75%	79%

Table 50: Question 7 by Length of Residency

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	95%	95%	95%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	96%	96%	96%
Internet and computer services	90%	93%	92%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	88%	92%	91%
Materials and collections	92%	89%	90%
Library building and grounds	91%	86%	88%
Mobile Library	93%	88%	90%
Overall performance of the library	95%	93%	94%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	64%	78% A	71%

Table 51: Question 8 by Length of Residency

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	64%	78% A	71%

Table 52: Question 9 by Length of Residency

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	98%	96%	97%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	96%	93%	94%
Museum research center	100%	96%	97%
Museum rotating exhibits	93%	93%	93%
Art shows in the galleries	95%	93%	94%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	98%	96%	97%
Museum building and grounds	94%	95%	95%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	96%	97%	96%

Table 53: Question 10 by Length of Residency

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Crime prevention	77%	78%	78%
Crime solving	65%	67%	66%
Maintaining public order	85%	88%	87%
Providing public information and education	64%	76% A	71%
Protecting individual civil rights	72%	80%	77%
Assisting fire responders	92%	92%	92%
Being trustworthy	77%	84% A	81%
Acting in the best interest of the community	75%	84% A	81%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	75%	81%	79%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	88%	87%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	80%	83%	82%
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	72%	73%	72%
Communicating regularly with community members	62%	63%	63%

Table 54: Question 11 by Length of Residency

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	82% B	58%	68%
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	70% B	58%	63%
The city does what it says it will do	82% B	61%	70%
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	71% B	49%	59%
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	77% B	59%	66%
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	69% B	49%	57%
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	68%	61%	64%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	85% B	66%	74%

Table 55: Question 12 by Length of Residency

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	89%	83%	86%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	97% B	92%	94%
Western Welcome Week Parade	97% B	92%	94%
Candlelight Walk	93% B	84%	88%
Meet, Greet and Eat	88% B	75%	80%

Table 56: Question 15 by Length of Residency

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	86%	83%	84%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	76%	72%	74%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	59%	75%	68%
		A	
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	49%	45%	47%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	73%	67%	70%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	42%	45%	44%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	8%	19%	14%
		A	
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	36%	35%	35%
NextDoor.com	24%	42%	35%
		A	
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	28%	33%	31%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	62%	73%	69%
		A	
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	37%	48%	44%
Denver Post	27%	31%	30%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	21%	34%	28%
		A	
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	58%	63%	61%
Text alerts for urgent updates	81%	81%	81%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	81%	81%	81%
Push notifications from a city app	43%	49%	47%
Podcasts	14%	22%	18%
Regular emails from the City	68%	59%	63%

Table 57: Question 17 by Length of Residency

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Length of residency		Overall (A)
	10 years or less	More than 10 years	
	(A)	(B)	
Increasing property taxes	42% B	26%	33%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	62%	62%	62%
Applying a local tax to groceries	16%	15%	15%
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	63%	66%	64%

Select Questions Compared by Tenure (Rent vs Own)

Table 58: Question 1 by Tenure

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Littleton as a place to live	93%	93%	93%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	88%	91%	90%
Littleton as a place to raise children	83%	91%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	70%	74%	73%
Littleton as a place to work	82%	77%	79%
Overall quality of life in Littleton	89%	91%	90%
Safety in Littleton	87%	81%	83%
	B		

Table 59: Question 4 by Tenure

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Ease of driving	78%	68%	71%
	B		
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	43%	33%	37%
Ease of traveling by light rail	59%	65%	63%
Ease of walking in the city	69%	73%	71%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	69%	71%	70%

Table 60: Question 5 by Tenure

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Downtown Littleton during the day	99%	99%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	98%	98%	98%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	92%	90%	91%

Table 61: Question 6 by Tenure

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Appearance of city	96% B	86%	89%
Shopping opportunities	70%	68%	69%
Job opportunities	49%	40%	44%
Historic preservation	70%	80% A	76%
Economic development	66%	60%	62%
Public transit services	53%	58%	56%
Traffic flow	53% B	40%	45%
Snow plowing	72% B	58%	63%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	51% B	32%	39%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	70%	71%	71%
Stormwater System	72%	72%	72%
Neighborhood parking	60%	68%	65%
Parks and trails	92%	93%	93%
Recreation opportunities	79%	90% A	87%
Open space areas	84%	85%	85%
Environmental sustainability	58%	63%	61%
Climate Resiliency	46%	54%	52%
Littleton Police Department	65%	84% A	78%
Traffic enforcement	54%	54%	54%
Code compliance	69% B	55%	59%
Bemis Library	91%	94%	93%
Littleton Museum	95%	97%	96%
City-sponsored special events	82%	87%	86%
Town Hall Arts Center	91%	92%	91%
City-provided services overall	81%	78%	79%

Table 62: Question 7 by Tenure

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	96%	94%	95%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	94%	97%	96%
Internet and computer services	88%	94% A	92%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	83%	94% A	91%
Materials and collections	86%	93% A	90%
Library building and grounds	91%	86%	88%
Mobile Library	94%	88%	90%
Overall performance of the library	94%	94%	94%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	66%	74% A	71%

Table 63: Question 8 by Tenure

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	66%	74% A	71%

Table 64: Question 9 by Tenure

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	98%	96%	97%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	95%	94%	94%
Museum research center	100% B	95%	97%
Museum rotating exhibits	93%	93%	93%
Art shows in the galleries	93%	94%	94%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	98%	97%	97%
Museum building and grounds	96%	94%	95%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	100% B	95%	96%

Table 65: Question 10 by Tenure

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Crime prevention	70%	82% A	78%
Crime solving	61%	70%	66%
Maintaining public order	82%	89% A	87%
Providing public information and education	65%	74% A	71%
Protecting individual civil rights	68%	82% A	77%
Assisting fire responders	92%	92%	92%
Being trustworthy	66%	89% A	81%
Acting in the best interest of the community	66%	87% A	81%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	72%	82% A	79%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	84%	90%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	71%	88% A	82%
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	70%	74%	72%
Communicating regularly with community members	66%	62%	63%

Table 66: Question 11 by Tenure

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	80% B	63%	68%
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	68%	61%	63%
The city does what it says it will do	83% B	64%	70%
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	74% B	52%	59%
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	77% B	62%	66%
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	69% B	52%	57%
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	70% B	61%	64%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	85% B	69%	74%

Table 67: Question 12 by Tenure

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	86%	85%	86%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	96%	93%	94%
Western Welcome Week Parade	96%	93%	94%
Candlelight Walk	85%	89%	88%
Meet, Greet and Eat	83%	79%	80%

Table 68: Question 15 by Tenure

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	86%	83%	84%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	77%	72%	74%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	67%	69%	68%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	57%	41%	47%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	73%	68%	70%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	58%	37%	44%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	20%	11%	14%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	44%	31%	35%
NextDoor.com	31%	36%	35%
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	35%	30%	31%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	70%	69%	69%
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	51%	40%	44%
Denver Post	35%	28%	30%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	30%	27%	28%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	60%	61%	61%
Text alerts for urgent updates	81%	81%	81%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	83%	80%	81%
Push notifications from a city app	49%	46%	47%
Podcasts	22%	16%	18%
Regular emails from the City	57%	65%	63%

Table 69: Question 17 by Tenure

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Rent or own home		Overall (A)
	Rent	Own	
	(A)	(B)	
Increasing property taxes	55% B	23%	33%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	55%	66% A	62%
Applying a local tax to groceries	15%	16%	15%
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	59%	67% A	64%

Select Questions Compared by Age

Table 70: Question 1 by Age

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Littleton as a place to live	100% B C	90%	92%	93%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	91%	90%	90%	90%
Littleton as a place to raise children	94%	87%	89%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	83% B	67%	74%	73%
Littleton as a place to work	87% B	73%	78%	79%
Overall quality of life in Littleton	99% B C	87%	89%	90%
Safety in Littleton	94% B C	81%	80%	83%

Table 71: Question 4 by Age

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Ease of driving	86% B C	74% C	64%	71%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	40%	34%	39%	37%
Ease of traveling by light rail	56%	61%	70% A	63%
Ease of walking in the city	56%	73% A	78% A	71%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	58%	74% A	75% A	70%

Table 72: Question 5 by Age

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Downtown Littleton during the day	99%	100%	98%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	99%	98%	97%	98%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	94%	90%	90%	91%

Table 73: Question 6 by Age

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Appearance of city	96% C	90%	86%	89%
Shopping opportunities	77% B	66%	68%	69%
Job opportunities	53%	42%	40%	44%
Historic preservation	78%	73%	79%	76%
Economic development	76% B C	59%	58%	62%
Public transit services	46%	59%	62% A	56%
Traffic flow	52% C	46%	39%	45%
Snow plowing	76% B C	61%	58%	63%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	51% C	41%	33%	39%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	78%	71%	69%	71%
Stormwater System	75%	71%	72%	72%
Neighborhood parking	66%	70%	63%	65%
Parks and trails	98% B	90%	92%	93%
Recreation opportunities	86%	84%	90%	87%

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Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Open space areas	89%	83%	85%	85%
Environmental sustainability	69%	51%	64%	61%
Climate Resiliency	B		B	
	48%	45%	59%	52%
Littleton Police Department			B	
	72%	76%	83%	78%
Traffic enforcement				
	58%	55%	53%	54%
Code compliance				
	65%	65%	54%	59%
Bemis Library				
	93%	92%	94%	93%
Littleton Museum				
	93%	96%	97%	96%
City-sponsored special events				
	91%	82%	87%	86%
Town Hall Arts Center				
	93%	91%	92%	91%
City-provided services overall				
	97%	74%	76%	79%
	B C			

Table 74: Question 7 by Age

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	98%	93%	95%	95%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	100%	95%	95%	96%
Internet and computer services	90%	92%	92%	92%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	88%	88%	93%	91%
Materials and collections	94%	88%	91%	90%
Library building and grounds	96%	84%	88%	88%
Mobile Library	100% B C	88%	86%	90%
Overall performance of the library	96%	94%	94%	94%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	64%	73%	73%	71%

Table 75: Question 8 by Age

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	64%	73%	73%	71%

Table 76: Question 9 by Age

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	100%	98%	95%	97%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	98%	94%	94%	94%
Museum research center	100%	99%	96%	97%
Museum rotating exhibits	100%	91%	93%	93%
Art shows in the galleries	100%	93%	93%	94%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	100%	97%	97%	97%
Museum building and grounds	95%	93%	96%	95%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	93%	97%	97%	96%

Table 77: Question 10 by Age

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Crime prevention	77%	74%	81%	78%
Crime solving	59%	59%	72%	66%
Maintaining public order	90%	84%	88%	87%
Providing public information and education	68%	66%	76%	71%
Protecting individual civil rights	72%	70%	82%	77%
Assisting fire responders	88%	92%	93%	92%
Being trustworthy	60%	82%	89%	81%
		A	A	
Acting in the best interest of the community	64%	81%	86%	81%
		A	A	
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	69%	79%	82%	79%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	81%	88%	90%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	67%	81%	89%	82%
		A	A	
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	61%	75%	74%	72%
Communicating regularly with community members	54%	66%	65%	63%

Table 78: Question 11 by Age

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	94%	69%	59%	68%
	B C			
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	79%	61%	60%	63%
	B C			
The city does what it says it will do	92%	73%	60%	70%
	B C	C		
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	82%	64%	48%	59%
	B C	C		
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	82%	74%	58%	66%
	C	C		
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	77%	60%	50%	57%
	B C			
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	72%	60%	66%	64%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	86%	79%	69%	74%
	C			

Table 79: Question 12 by Age

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	92%	84%	85%	86%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	100% C	94%	92%	94%
Western Welcome Week Parade	100% B	91%	94%	94%
Candlelight Walk	89%	90%	86%	88%
Meet, Greet and Eat	92% B C	76%	78%	80%

Table 80: Question 15 by Age

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	93% B	76%	85% B	84%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	87% B C	70%	73%	74%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	63%	59%	76% A B	68%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	59%	46%	44%	47%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	80%	67%	70%	70%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	45%	51%	39%	44%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	4%	25% A C	10%	14%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littleongov)	43% C	52% C	19%	35%
NextDoor.com	17%	37% A	39% A	35%
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	36%	28%	33%	31%

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How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	79%	63%	70%	69%
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	52%	34%	46%	44%
Denver Post	34%	31%	29%	30%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	31%	24%	31%	28%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	63%	62%	61%	61%
Text alerts for urgent updates	86%	84%	78%	81%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	84%	83%	79%	81%
Push notifications from a city app	29%	60% A C	44%	47%
Podcasts	19%	23%	15%	18%
Regular emails from the City	69%	55%	67%	63%

Table 81: Question 17 by Age

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Age			Overall (A)
	18-34	35-54	55+	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Increasing property taxes	49% B C	35%	26%	33%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	68%	61%	60%	62%
Applying a local tax to groceries	16%	19%	13%	15%
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	49%	64% A	73% A	64%

Select Questions Compared by Gender

Table 82: Question 1 by Gender

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Littleton as a place to live	95%	92%	93%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	91%	90%	90%
Littleton as a place to raise children	94%	85%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	77%	70%	73%
Littleton as a place to work	85%	74%	79%
Overall quality of life in Littleton	93%	89%	90%
Safety in Littleton	86%	81%	83%

Table 83: Question 4 by Gender

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Ease of driving	76%	68%	71%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	46%	29%	37%
Ease of traveling by light rail	66%	62%	63%
Ease of walking in the city	76%	67%	71%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	77%	65%	70%

Table 84: Question 5 by Gender

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Downtown Littleton during the day	99%	98%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	98%	98%	98%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	91%	91%	91%

Table 85: Question 6 by Gender

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Appearance of city	92% B	87%	89%
Shopping opportunities	71%	67%	69%
Job opportunities	48%	43%	44%
Historic preservation	83% B	71%	76%
Economic development	68% B	56%	62%
Public transit services	63% B	52%	56%
Traffic flow	48% B	41%	45%
Snow plowing	61%	66%	63%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	43% B	35%	39%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	70%	72%	71%
Stormwater System	70%	75%	72%
Neighborhood parking	67%	65%	65%
Parks and trails	94%	91%	93%
Recreation opportunities	90% B	84%	87%

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Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Open space areas	87%	84%	85%
Environmental sustainability	64%	58%	61%
Climate Resiliency	56%	47%	52%
Littleton Police Department	80%	78%	78%
Traffic enforcement	63%	46%	54%
Code compliance	B 62%	58%	59%
Bemis Library	94%	93%	93%
Littleton Museum	96%	98%	96%
City-sponsored special events	87%	86%	86%
Town Hall Arts Center	B 95%	89%	91%
City-provided services overall	B 83%	77%	79%

Table 86: Question 7 by Gender

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	98% B	91%	95%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	97%	95%	96%
Internet and computer services	93%	90%	92%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	90%	91%	91%
Materials and collections	93% B	88%	90%
Library building and grounds	91%	86%	88%
Mobile Library	95% B	86%	90%
Overall performance of the library	98% B	91%	94%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	76% B	65%	71%

Table 87: Question 8 by Gender

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	76% B	65%	71%

Table 88: Question 9 by Gender

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	97%	97%	97%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	96%	93%	94%
Museum research center	99%	96%	97%
Museum rotating exhibits	95%	92%	93%
Art shows in the galleries	95%	92%	94%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	98%	96%	97%
Museum building and grounds	96%	93%	95%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	98%	95%	96%

Table 89: Question 10 by Gender

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Crime prevention	77%	79%	78%
Crime solving	69%	63%	66%
Maintaining public order	87%	88%	87%
Providing public information and education	72%	70%	71%
Protecting individual civil rights	78%	76%	77%
Assisting fire responders	94%	89%	92%
Being trustworthy	81%	82%	81%
Acting in the best interest of the community	80%	81%	81%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	80%	77%	79%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	89%	87%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	86%	78%	82%
	B		
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	79%	66%	72%
	B		
Communicating regularly with community members	65%	61%	63%

Table 90: Question 11 by Gender

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	71%	70%	68%
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	66%	64%	63%
The city does what it says it will do	76%	67%	70%
	B		
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	61%	59%	59%
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	72%	64%	66%
	B		
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	60%	56%	57%
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	68%	63%	64%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	79%	73%	74%

Table 91: Question 12 by Gender

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	88%	83%	86%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	96%	92%	94%
Western Welcome Week Parade	95%	93%	94%
Candlelight Walk	88%	86%	88%
Meet, Greet and Eat	88%	70%	80%

Table 92: Question 15 by Gender

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	89%	80%	84%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	78%	72%	74%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	71%	66%	68%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	49%	46%	47%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	78%	60%	70%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	54%	35%	44%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	17%	13%	14%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	48%	24%	35%
NextDoor.com	38%	31%	35%
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	37%	28%	31%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	73%	67%	69%

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How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	46%	42%	44%
Denver Post	32%	30%	30%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	38% B	21%	28%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	66%	57%	61%
Text alerts for urgent updates	89% B	74%	81%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	85% B	78%	81%
Push notifications from a city app	55% B	42%	47%
Podcasts	23%	15%	18%
Regular emails from the City	69% B	58%	63%

Table 93: Question 17 by Gender

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Gender		Overall (A)
	Female	Male	
	(A)	(B)	
Increasing property taxes	34%	35%	33%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	61%	64%	62%
Applying a local tax to groceries	14%	17%	15%
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	67%	65%	64%

Select Questions Compared by Household Income

Table 94: Question 1 by Income

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Littleton as a place to live	92%	95%	96%	93%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	89%	93%	90%	90%
Littleton as a place to raise children	83%	93%	95%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	72%	76%	77%	73%
Littleton as a place to work	82%	78%	78%	79%
Overall quality of life in Littleton	88%	95%	93%	90%
Safety in Littleton	81%	86%	88%	83%

Table 95: Question 4 by Income

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Ease of driving	69%	76%	78%	71%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	38%	38%	37%	37%
Ease of traveling by light rail	61%	65%	71%	63%
Ease of walking in the city	76%	68%	68%	71%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	77%	68%	68%	70%

Table 96: Question 5 by Income

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Downtown Littleton during the day	98%	100%	99%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	98%	99%	97%	98%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	90%	91%	93%	91%

Table 97: Question 6 by Income

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Appearance of city	91%	92%	88%	89%
Shopping opportunities	67%	72%	72%	69%
Job opportunities	41%	43%	56%	44%
Historic preservation	76%	75%	84%	76%
Economic development	61%	64%	69%	62%
Public transit services	55%	58%	63%	56%
Traffic flow	44%	43%	49%	45%
Snow plowing	60%	72%	57%	63%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	47%	A C 34%	36%	39%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	70%	69%	80%	71%
Stormwater System	71%	75%	77%	72%
Neighborhood parking	64%	63%	75%	65%
Parks and trails	92%	92%	94%	93%
Recreation opportunities	82%	90%	90%	87%
Open space areas	83%	A 87%	88%	85%
Environmental sustainability	66%	B 54%	67%	61%
Climate Resiliency	56%	43%	59%	52%
Littleton Police Department	77%	82%	82%	78%
Traffic enforcement	55%	56%	58%	54%
Code compliance	60%	61%	60%	59%
Bemis Library	95%	C 96%	89%	93%
Littleton Museum	96%	C 97%	97%	96%
City-sponsored special events	83%	89%	91%	86%
Town Hall Arts Center	91%	93%	94%	91%
City-provided services overall	77%	84%	83%	79%

Table 98: Question 7 by Income

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	96%	96%	95%	95%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	95%	99%	97%	96%
Internet and computer services	93%	93%	92%	92%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	90%	91%	92%	91%
Materials and collections	90%	93%	92%	90%
Library building and grounds	89%	93%	83%	88%
Mobile Library	91%	93%	91%	90%
Overall performance of the library	95%	97%	94%	94%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	74%	67%	71%	71%

Table 99: Question 8 by Income

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	74%	67%	71%	71%

Table 100: Question 9 by Income

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	98%	98%	98%	97%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	94%	98%	92%	94%
Museum research center	98%	100%	96%	97%
Museum rotating exhibits	94%	94%	97%	93%
Art shows in the galleries	94%	94%	97%	94%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	96%	98%	98%	97%
Museum building and grounds	95%	95%	96%	95%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	98%	96%	96%	96%

Table 101: Question 10 by Income

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Crime prevention	74%	77%	88% A	78%
Crime solving	67%	66%	65%	66%
Maintaining public order	85%	91%	88%	87%
Providing public information and education	65%	77%	74%	71%
Protecting individual civil rights	75%	77%	81%	77%
Assisting fire responders	93%	93%	91%	92%
Being trustworthy	78%	83%	85%	81%
Acting in the best interest of the community	77%	82%	87%	81%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	77%	80%	85%	79%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	86%	88%	91%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	78%	85%	84%	82%
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	72%	72%	79%	72%
Communicating regularly with community members	66%	63%	63%	63%

Table 102: Question 11 by Income

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	68%	69%	78%	68%
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	66%	60%	72%	63%
The city does what it says it will do	71%	71%	78%	70%
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	57%	60%	70% A	59%
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	68%	64%	79% B	66%
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	58%	56%	66%	57%
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	67%	64%	66%	64%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	76%	76%	79%	74%

Table 103: Question 12 by Income

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	84%	87%	92%	86%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	93%	97%	98%	94%
Western Welcome Week Parade	95%	95%	97%	94%
Candlelight Walk	88%	87%	92%	88%
Meet, Greet and Eat	82%	78%	87%	80%

Table 104: Question 15 by Income

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	83%	87%	85%	84%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	75%	78%	72%	74%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	66%	74%	62%	68%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	47%	53%	45%	47%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	71%	72%	70%	70%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	51%	42%	42%	44%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	19%	16%	8%	14%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	33%	38%	39%	35%
NextDoor.com	42%	35%	24%	35%
	C			
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	37%	28%	32%	31%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	69%	76%	60%	69%
	C			
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	44%	49%	38%	44%
Denver Post	30%	33%	28%	30%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	35%	22%	32%	28%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	61%	57%	72%	61%
Text alerts for urgent updates	76%	87%	86%	81%
	A			
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	80%	84%	79%	81%
Push notifications from a city app	44%	54%	46%	47%
Podcasts	23%	15%	19%	18%
Regular emails from the City	66%	59%	67%	63%

Table 105: Question 17 by Income

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Household income			Overall (A)
	Less than \$25,000	\$25,000 to \$99,999	\$100,000 or more	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	
Increasing property taxes	36%	35%	30%	33%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	60%	63%	67%	62%
Applying a local tax to groceries	16%	14%	20%	15%
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	69%	65%	63%	64%

Select Questions Compared by Race/Ethnicity

Table 106: Question 1 by Race & Ethnicity

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Littleton as a place to live	93%	97%	93%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	89%	94%	90%
Littleton as a place to raise children	91%	85%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	73%	81%	73%
Littleton as a place to work	79%	77%	79%
Overall quality of life in Littleton	91%	91%	90%
Safety in Littleton	85%	80%	83%

Table 107: Question 4 by Race & Ethnicity

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Ease of driving	74% B	64%	71%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	36%	37%	37%
Ease of traveling by light rail	67% B	50%	63%
Ease of walking in the city	73% B	64%	71%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	73% B	60%	70%

Table 108: Question 5 by Race & Ethnicity

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Downtown Littleton during the day	98%	100%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	98%	99%	98%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	91%	94%	91%

Table 109: Question 6 by Race & Ethnicity

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Appearance of city	90%	89%	89%
Shopping opportunities	70%	66%	69%
Job opportunities	46%	37%	44%
Historic preservation	78%	70%	76%
Economic development	63%	59%	62%
Public transit services	59%	50%	56%
Traffic flow	46%	40%	45%
Snow plowing	63%	64%	63%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	40%	41%	39%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	70%	79%	71%
Stormwater System	74%	69%	72%
Neighborhood parking	68%	58%	65%
Parks and trails	93%	91%	93%
Recreation opportunities	90%	74%	87%
	B		
Open space areas	86%	83%	85%
Environmental sustainability	63%	52%	61%
	B		
Climate Resiliency	54%	37%	52%
	B		
Littleton Police Department	80%	69%	78%
	B		
Traffic enforcement	55%	52%	54%
Code compliance	62%	47%	59%
	B		
Bemis Library	93%	92%	93%

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Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Littleton Museum	96%	96%	96%
City-sponsored special events	87%	83%	86%
Town Hall Arts Center	94%	84%	91%
City-provided services overall	B 82%	70%	79%

Table 110: Question 7 by Race & Ethnicity

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	97% B	92%	95%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	97%	94%	96%
Internet and computer services	93%	91%	92%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	92%	86%	91%
Materials and collections	93%	86%	90%
Library building and grounds	90%	88%	88%
Mobile Library	93%	90%	90%
Overall performance of the library	96%	92%	94%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	69%	77%	71%

Table 111: Question 8 by Race & Ethnicity

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	69%	77%	71%

Table 112: Question 9 by Race & Ethnicity

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	98%	98%	97%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	95%	97%	94%
Museum research center	98%	97%	97%
Museum rotating exhibits	93%	97%	93%
Art shows in the galleries	94%	96%	94%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	97%	97%	97%
Museum building and grounds	95%	97%	95%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	97%	97%	96%

Table 113: Question 10 by Race & Ethnicity

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Crime prevention	82%	62%	78%
Crime solving	67%	65%	66%
Maintaining public order	89%	81%	87%
Providing public information and education	74%	56%	71%
Protecting individual civil rights	78%	64%	77%
Assisting fire responders	93%	84%	92%
Being trustworthy	82%	74%	81%
Acting in the best interest of the community	84%	66%	81%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	80%	72%	79%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	89%	81%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	87%	59%	82%
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	74%	63%	72%
Communicating regularly with community members	65%	56%	63%

Table 114: Question 11 by Race & Ethnicity

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	71%	68%	68%
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	66%	65%	63%
The city does what it says it will do	73%	74%	70%
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	61%	60%	59%
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	68%	71%	66%
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	60%	53%	57%
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	67%	61%	64%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	77%	72%	74%

Table 115: Question 12 by Race & Ethnicity

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	89%	74%	86%
	B		
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	94%	95%	94%
Western Welcome Week Parade	94%	93%	94%
Candlelight Walk	87%	92%	88%
Meet, Greet and Eat	80%	82%	80%

Table 116: Question 15 by Race & Ethnicity

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	86% B	76%	84%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	75%	78%	74%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	71% B	56%	68%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	48%	44%	47%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	69%	77%	70%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	43%	50%	44%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	14%	10%	14%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	39% B	18%	35%
NextDoor.com	35%	29%	35%
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	31%	33%	31%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	69%	65%	69%
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	46%	32%	44%
Denver Post	32%	28%	30%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	29%	29%	28%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	65% B	42%	61%
Text alerts for urgent updates	84% B	73%	81%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	83% B	74%	81%
Push notifications from a city app	49%	40%	47%
Podcasts	15%	33% A	18%
Regular emails from the City	63%	66%	63%

Table 117: Question 17 by Race & Ethnicity

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Race/ethnicity		Overall (A)
	White alone, not Hispanic	Hispanic and/or other race	
	(A)	(B)	
Increasing property taxes	34%	39%	33%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	64%	56%	62%
Applying a local tax to groceries	16%	14%	15%
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	67%	59%	64%

Select Questions Compared by Council District

Table 118: Question 1 by Council District

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Littleton as a place to live	96% C	96% C	88%	94%	93%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	96% B	81%	91% B	94% B	90%
Littleton as a place to raise children	89%	88%	87%	92%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	78%	65%	70%	77%	73%
Littleton as a place to work	83%	83%	72%	79%	79%
Overall quality of life in Littleton	95%	88%	87%	92%	90%
Safety in Littleton	88%	85%	79%	83%	83%

Table 119: Question 4 by Council District

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Ease of driving	75%	80% C	67%	68%	71%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	45%	44%	32%	30%	37%
Ease of traveling by light rail	57%	66%	59%	72% A	63%
Ease of walking in the city	72%	76%	66%	72%	71%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	69%	66%	69%	75%	70%

Table 120: Question 5 by Council District

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Downtown Littleton during the day	100% C	100% C	97%	99%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	99%	98%	96%	99%	98%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	91%	92%	91%	91%	91%

Table 121: Question 6 by Council District

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Appearance of city	93%	90%	87%	88%	89%
Shopping opportunities	72%	69%	68%	69%	69%
Job opportunities	42%	51%	48%	41%	44%
Historic preservation	75%	86%	76%	71%	76%
Economic development	60%	67%	64%	60%	62%
Public transit services	51%	59%	51%	64%	56%
Traffic flow	49%	56%	36%	41%	45%
Snow plowing	73%	61%	56%	64%	63%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	50%	40%	35%	34%	39%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	73%	66%	66%	75%	71%
Stormwater System	76%	66%	69%	76%	72%
Neighborhood parking	66%	60%	73%	63%	65%
Parks and trails	97%	89%	95%	91%	93%
Recreation opportunities	82%	82%	91%	91%	87%
Open space areas	85%	84%	87%	85%	85%
Environmental sustainability	63%	63%	57%	63%	61%
Climate Resiliency	52%	53%	50%	49%	52%
Littleton Police Department	77%	78%	74%	82%	78%
Traffic enforcement	63%	55%	44%	53%	54%
Code compliance	63%	64%	49%	68%	59%
Bemis Library	98%	92%	90%	92%	93%
Littleton Museum	92%	96%	99%	97%	96%
City-sponsored special events	85%	82%	86%	90%	86%
Town Hall Arts Center	90%	97%	90%	92%	91%
City-provided services overall	90%	73%	75%	80%	79%

Table 122: Question 7 by Council District

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	99%	97%	93%	94%	95%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	100%	96%	96%	94%	96%
Internet and computer services	91%	94%	95%	89%	92%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	94%	91%	93%	86%	91%
Materials and collections	93%	94%	88%	87%	90%
Library building and grounds	93%	89%	82%	87%	88%
Mobile Library	99%	98%	78%	88%	90%
Overall performance of the library	99%	93%	92%	94%	94%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	67%	82%	68%	66%	71%
	C	A C D			

Table 123: Question 8 by Council District

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	67%	82%	68%	66%	71%
		A C D			

Table 124: Question 9 by Council District

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	98%	95%	99%	97%	97%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	96%	90%	97%	94%	94%
Museum research center	97%	98%	100%	95%	97%
Museum rotating exhibits	97%	91%	95%	93%	93%
Art shows in the galleries	98%	92%	94%	95%	94%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	96%	98%	96%	97%	97%
Museum building and grounds	96%	95%	94%	94%	95%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	96%	94%	98%	97%	96%

Table 125: Question 10 by Council District

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Crime prevention	72%	76%	81%	81%	78%
Crime solving	65%	61%	57%	80% C	66%
Maintaining public order	86%	87%	84%	91%	87%
Providing public information and education	64%	74%	67%	73%	71%
Protecting individual civil rights	75%	77%	68%	86% C	77%
Assisting fire responders	93%	91%	88%	97%	92%
Being trustworthy	71%	78%	84% A	87% A	81%
Acting in the best interest of the community	69%	83%	83% A	88% A	81%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	74%	76%	80%	83%	79%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	89%	82%	85%	94%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	76%	70%	85% B	92% A B	82%
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	75%	65%	70%	80%	72%
Communicating regularly with community members	61%	72%	58%	62%	63%

Table 126: Question 11 by Council District

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	86% C D	71%	62%	62%	68%
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	77% C D	71% D	57%	54%	63%
The city does what it says it will do	81% C D	78% C	62%	66%	70%
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	71% C D	65%	54%	55%	59%
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	74%	79% C D	62%	61%	66%
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	73% C D	57%	55%	51%	57%
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	73%	68%	59%	61%	64%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	85% C	80%	68%	70%	74%

Table 127: Question 12 by Council District

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	92% B	77%	88%	84%	86%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	97%	94%	92%	93%	94%
Western Welcome Week Parade	99% B	90%	94%	93%	94%
Candlelight Walk	88%	88%	85%	90%	88%
Meet, Greet and Eat	81%	84%	81%	77%	80%

Table 128: Question 15 by Council District

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	90%	89%	82%	80%	84%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	73%	74%	66%	79%	74%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	54%	81%	70%	65%	68%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	32%	A D 67% A C	42%	45%	47%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	75%	74%	62%	70%	70%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	49%	C 57%	34%	39%	44%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	5%	A C D 32%	10%	12%	14%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	30%	A C D 55%	26%	34%	35%
NextDoor.com	32%	31%	33%	37%	35%
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	35%	37%	27%	26%	31%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	66%	76%	68%	68%	69%
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	36%	60%	40%	40%	44%
Denver Post	29%	C D 45%	26%	23%	30%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	21%	35%	28%	25%	28%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	46%	A 73%	57%	59%	61%
Text alerts for urgent updates	78%	81%	79%	83%	81%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	76%	A 90%	79%	80%	81%
Push notifications from a city app	39%	58%	43%	46%	47%
Podcasts	18%	C D 33%	13%	12%	18%
Regular emails from the City	68%	57%	64%	59%	63%

Table 129: Question 17 by Council District

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Council District				Overall (A)
	District 1	District 2	District 3	District 4	
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
Increasing property taxes	38%	46% C D	28%	28%	33%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	55%	63%	66%	67%	62%
Applying a local tax to groceries	13%	18%	17%	15%	15%
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	62%	64%	62%	67%	64%

Appendix D: Detailed Benchmark Comparisons

Comparing Littleton's Results to the Benchmarking Database

Polco's database of comparative resident opinion comprises resident perspectives gathered in surveys from over 400 communities whose residents evaluated the same kinds of topics on the City of Littleton Community Survey. The comparison evaluations are from the most recent survey completed in each community; most communities conduct surveys every year or in alternating years. Polco adds the latest results quickly upon survey completion, keeping the benchmark data fresh and relevant. The communities in the database represent a wide geographic and population range. National benchmark comparisons and Front Range benchmark comparisons have been provided when similar questions on the City of Littleton Community Survey are included in Polco's database.

Interpreting the Results

Ratings are compared when there are at least five communities in which a similar question was asked. Where comparisons are available, four columns are provided in the table. The first column is Littleton's "percent positive." The percent positive is the combination of the top two most positive response options (i.e., "excellent" and "good," "very safe" and "somewhat safe," "essential" and "very important," etc.), or, in the case of resident behaviors/participation, the percent positive represents the proportion of respondents indicating "yes" or participating in an activity at least once a month. The second column is the rank assigned to Littleton's rating among communities where a similar question was asked. The third column is the number of communities that asked a similar question. The final column shows the comparison of Littleton's rating to the benchmark.

In that final column, Littleton's results are noted as being "higher" than the benchmark, "lower" than the benchmark or "similar" to the benchmark, meaning that the average rating given by residents is statistically similar to or different (greater or lesser) than the benchmark. Being rated as "higher" or "lower" than the benchmark means that Littleton's average rating for a particular item was more than 10 points different than the benchmark. If a rating was "much higher" or "much lower," then Littleton's average rating was more than 20 points different when compared to the benchmark.

National Benchmark Comparisons

Table 130: Aspects of Quality of Life

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Littleton as a place to live	93%	143	363	Similar
Your neighborhood as a place to live	90%	147	346	Similar
Littleton as a place to raise children	89%	148	365	Similar
Littleton as a place to retire	73%	89	362	Similar
Littleton as a place to work	79%	90	362	Similar
Overall quality of life in Littleton	90%	137	370	Similar

Table 131: Community Safety

Please tell us how safe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Safety Downtown Littleton during the day	99%	15	326	Higher
Safety in neighborhood during the day	98%	71	335	Similar
Safety in parks, trails, natural open space areas	91%	4	22	Higher

Table 132: City Services

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton:	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Appearance of city	89%	100	338	Similar
Shopping opportunities	69%	75	333	Higher
Job opportunities	44%	99	345	Similar
Economic development	62%	91	328	Similar
Public transit services	56%	2	14	Higher
Traffic flow	45%	149	342	Similar
Snow plowing	63%	155	278	Similar
Parks and trails	93%	84	343	Similar
Recreation opportunities	87%	54	335	Higher
Open space areas	85%	30	318	Higher
Littleton Police Department	78%	194	366	Similar
Traffic enforcement	54%	159	352	Similar
Code enforcement	59%	63	350	Higher
Municipal Court	79%	2	10	Higher
City-sponsored special events	86%	50	329	Higher

Table 133: Aspects of Transportation

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Ease of driving	71%	181	343	Similar
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	37%	4	10	Similar
Ease of traveling by light rail	63%	12	320	Much Higher
Ease of walking in the city	71%	107	347	Similar
Ease of traveling by bicycle	70%	49	342	Higher

Table 134: Police Services

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Crime prevention	78%	155	343	Similar

Table 135: Overall Service Quality

Overall, how would you rate the quality of services provided by the City of Littleton?	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
City-provided services overall	79%	123	361	Similar

Front Range Benchmark Comparisons

Table 136: Aspects of Quality of Life

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Littleton as a place to live	93%	10	31	Similar
Your neighborhood as a place to live	90%	9	30	Similar
Littleton as a place to raise children	89%	9	32	Similar
Littleton as a place to retire	73%	5	32	Higher
Littleton as a place to work	79%	5	32	Higher
Overall quality of life in Littleton	90%	9	32	Similar

Table 137: Community Safety

Please tell us how safe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Safety Downtown Littleton during the day	99%	2	26	Higher
Safety in neighborhood during the day	98%	7	27	Similar
Safety in parks, trails, natural open space areas	91%	2	6	Similar

Table 138: City Services

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton:	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Appearance of city	89%	6	26	Similar
Shopping opportunities	69%	3	28	Higher
Job opportunities	44%	5	28	Higher
Economic development	62%	2	22	Higher
Traffic flow	45%	8	27	Similar
Snow plowing	63%	13	30	Similar
Parks and trails	93%	8	25	Similar
Recreation opportunities	87%	10	28	Similar
Open space areas	85%	9	25	Similar
Littleton Police Department	78%	12	31	Similar
Traffic enforcement	54%	7	31	Similar
Code enforcement	59%	4	29	Higher
Municipal Court	79%	1	5	Similar
City-sponsored special events	86%	6	25	Similar

Table 139: Aspects of Transportation

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Ease of driving	71%	11	31	Similar
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	37%	3	5	Similar
Ease of traveling by light rail	63%	4	27	Much Higher
Ease of walking in the city	71%	11	31	Similar
Ease of traveling by bicycle	70%	10	31	Similar

Table 140: Police Services

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following in Littleton.	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Crime prevention	78%	11	29	Similar

Table 141: Overall Service Quality

Overall, how would you rate the quality of services provided by the City of Littleton?	Percent positive	Rank	Number of communities in comparison	Comparison to benchmark
City-provided services overall	79%	9	31	Similar

Appendix E: Survey Methodology

The City of Littleton 2026 Resident Survey was developed to provide an accurate assessment and interpretation of resident opinion about important community issues. Results offer insight into residents' perspectives about the quality of life in the community and local government performance and are intended to help city leaders with strategic planning and communication with residents. The City of Littleton funded this research. Please contact Kathleen Osher at the City of Littleton at (303) 795-3755 if you have any questions about the survey.

Survey Validity

The question of survey validity has two parts: 1) how can a jurisdiction be confident that the results from those who completed the questionnaire are representative of the results that would have been obtained had the survey been administered to the entire population? and 2) how closely do the perspectives recorded on the survey reflect what residents really believe or do?

To answer the first question, the best survey research practices were used for the resources spent to ensure that the results from the survey respondents reflect the opinions of residents in the entire jurisdiction. These practices include:

- Using a mail-out methodology, which typically gets a higher response rate than phone for the same dollars spent. A higher response rate lessens the worry that those who did not respond are different than those who did respond.
- Selecting all households within the jurisdiction to receive the survey ensures that the entire population is represented.
- Contacting potential respondents two times to encourage response from people who may have different opinions or habits than those who would respond with only a single prompt.
- Soliciting response on jurisdiction-branded mailers, signed by the highest-ranking elected official or staff member, thus appealing to the recipients' sense of civic responsibility.
- Using the most recent available information about the characteristics of jurisdiction residents to weight the data to reflect the demographics of the population.

The answer to the second question about how closely the perspectives recorded on the survey reflect what residents really believe or do is more complex. Resident responses to surveys are influenced by a variety of factors. For questions about service quality, residents' expectations for service quality play a role as well as the "objective" quality of the service provided, the way the resident perceives the entire community (that is, the context in which the service is provided), the scale on which the resident is asked to record his or her opinion and, of course, the opinion, itself, that a resident holds about the service. Similarly a resident's report of certain behaviors is colored by what he or she believes is the socially desirable response (e.g., reporting tolerant behaviors toward "oppressed groups," likelihood of voting a tax increase for services to poor people, use of alternative modes of travel to work besides the single occupancy vehicle), his or her memory of the actual behavior (if it is not a question speculating about future actions, like a vote), his or her confidence that he or she can be honest without suffering any negative consequences (thus the need for anonymity) as well as the actual behavior itself.

How close survey results come to recording the way a person really feels or behaves often is measured by the coincidence of reported behavior with observed current behavior (e.g., driving habits), reported intentions to behave with observed future behavior (e.g., voting choices) or reported opinions about current community quality with objective characteristics of the community (e.g., feelings of safety correlated with rates of crime). There is a body of scientific literature that has investigated the

relationship between reported behaviors and actual behaviors. Well-conducted surveys, by and large, do capture true respondent behaviors or intentions to act with great accuracy. Predictions of voting outcomes tend to be quite accurate using survey research, as are predictions of reported behaviors that are not about highly sensitive issues (e.g., family abuse or other illegal or morally sanctioned activities). For self-reports about highly sensitive issues, statistical adjustments can be made to correct the respondents' tendency to report what they think the "correct" response should be.

Developing the Questionnaire

General resident surveys, such as this one, ask recipients for their perspectives on policy issues facing the city and their assessment of city service delivery, the quality of life in the city and their use of city amenities. The 2026 survey instrument for Littleton was developed through an iterative process that started with the 2024 resident survey. Through this iterative process between city staff and Polco staff, a final five-page questionnaire was created.

Selecting Survey Recipients

"Sampling" refers to the method by which survey recipients are chosen. The "sample" refers to all those who were given a chance to participate in the survey. All households located in the city boundaries were eligible for the survey. Because local governments generally do not have inclusive lists of all the residences in the jurisdiction (tax assessor and utility billing databases often omit rental units), lists from the United States Postal Service (USPS), updated every three months, usually provide the best representation of all households in a specific geographic location. A list of all households within the zip codes serving Littleton was purchased from a vendor based on updated listings from the USPS.

A larger list than needed was selected so that a process referred to as "geocoding" could be used to eliminate addresses from the list that were outside the city's boundaries. Geocoding is a computerized process in which addresses are compared to electronically mapped boundaries and coded as inside or outside desired boundaries; in this case, within the City of Littleton. All addresses determined to be outside the study boundaries were eliminated from the list. To permit comparisons of the survey results by geographic area of residence, the city council district also was identified for each selected household. In this case 6,391 residential addresses confirmed to be in Littleton were selected to receive a mailed invitation.

Mail Survey Administration and Response

Each household was contacted two times. Households were first mailed a survey invitation postcard informing the household members that they had been selected to participate in the Littleton survey. Approximately one week after, a second postcard was mailed to all 6,391 households. Both postcards were signed by the Mayor.

The mailings were sent beginning June 15, 2026 and completed surveys were collected over six weeks. About 4% of the 6,391 survey invitations mailed were returned because the housing unit was vacant, or the postal service was unable to deliver the survey as addressed. Of the remaining 6,148 households, 788 completed the survey, providing an overall response rate of 13%. The response rate was calculated using AAPOR's response rate #2¹ for mailed surveys of unnamed persons. The response rates appear in Table 142.

Table 142: Survey Response Rate

	Overall
Total sample used	6,391
Undeliverable postcards	252
Completed surveys	788
Response rate	13%

Confidence Interval and Margin of Error

It is customary to describe the precision of estimates made from surveys by a "level of confidence" and accompanying "confidence interval" (or margin of error). A traditional level of confidence, and the one used for this report, is 95%. The 95% confidence interval quantifies the sampling error or imprecision of the survey results because some residents' opinions are relied on to estimate all residents' opinions. The margin of error for the City of Littleton 2026 Resident Survey is no greater than plus or minus four percentage points around any given percent reported for all respondents (788 completed surveys).

A 95% confidence interval indicates that for every 100 samples of this many residents, 95 of the confidence intervals created will include the "true" population response. This theory is applied in practice to mean that the "true" perspective of the target population lies within the confidence interval created for a single survey. For example, if 72% of residents rate a service as "excellent" or "good," then the 4% margin of error (for the 95% confidence interval) indicates that the range of likely responses for the entire jurisdiction is between 68% and 76%. This source of error is called sampling error. In addition to sampling error, other sources of error may affect any survey, including the non-response of residents with opinions different from survey responders.

For subgroups of responses (e.g., gender or age), the margin of error increases because the sample size for the subgroup is smaller. For subgroups of approximately 100 respondents, the margin of error is plus or minus 10 percentage points.

Survey Processing (Data Entry)

Polco administered the survey using its online platform. Because responses were submitted electronically, all data were captured directly into the dataset at the time of completion. Skip logic was programmed into the instrument, automatically directing respondents to the appropriate questions based on their prior answers. The online format also enforces consistent data entry and response structure, reducing the need for extensive post-collection data cleaning.

¹ See AAPOR's Standard Definitions here: <https://aapor.org/standards-and-ethics/standard-definitions/> for more information

Weighting the Data

The demographic characteristics of the survey respondents were compared to those of the 2020 Census and the American Community Survey 2024 5-year estimates. The primary objective of weighting survey data is to make the survey respondents reflective of the larger population of the community. The variables used for weighting were respondent gender, age, tenure (rent or own), housing unit type (attached or detached), and ethnicity. No adjustments were made for design effects.

Table 143: Littleton Resident Survey Weighting Table

Characteristic	Population Norm ¹	Unweighted Data	Weighted Data
Housing			
Rent home	39%	10%	33%
Own home	61%	90%	67%
Detached unit ²	50%	74%	55%
Attached unit ²	50%	26%	45%
Race and Ethnicity			
White	83%	94%	92%
Not white	17%	6%	8%
Not Hispanic	88%	95%	90%
Hispanic	12%	5%	10%
Sex and Age			
Female	52%	54%	53%
Male	48%	46%	47%
18-34 years of age	27%	8%	23%
35-54 years of age	30%	26%	30%
55+ years of age	42%	66%	48%
Females 18-34	13%	4%	12%
Females 35-54	15%	15%	16%
Females 55+	23%	35%	25%
Males 18-34	14%	4%	11%
Males 35-54	15%	11%	14%
Males 55+	19%	31%	22%
Council District ³			
District 1	24%	19%	23%
District 2	23%	17%	21%
District 3	26%	33%	27%
District 4	27%	31%	28%

¹ Source: 2020 Census ² ACS 2024 5-year estimates ³ Source: List of households identified as in the City boundaries, purchased on June 2026.

Analyzing the Data

The electronic dataset was analyzed by Polco staff using IBM's Statistical Package for the Social Sciences (SPSS). For the most part, frequency distributions or the percent positive (i.e., "excellent" or "good," "strongly agree" or "somewhat agree," "essential" or "very important") are presented in the body of the report. On many of the questions in the survey, respondents could give an answer of "don't know." The proportion of respondents giving this reply is shown in the full set of responses included in *Appendix A: Responses to Survey Questions* and is discussed in the body of this report if it is 30% or greater. However, these responses have been removed from the analyses presented in the body of the report, unless otherwise indicated. In other words, the majority of the tables and graphs in the body of the report display the responses from respondents who had an opinion about a specific item.

Appendix F: Survey Materials

The following pages contain the mailing materials and survey instrument for the 2026 Resident Survey.