






# Villages at Mt Hood - 2011 Community Survey





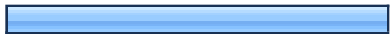


## 1. Do you

		Response Percent	Response Count
Live here full time and own your home		42.1%	59
Live here full time and rent		7.1%	10
<b>Live here part time and own your home</b>		<b>50.7%</b>	<b>71</b>
Live here part time and rent		0.0%	0
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>140</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>7</b>



## 2. How long have you lived within the Villages at Mt Hood?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Less than 1 year		0.7%	1
1-5 years		19.1%	27
5-10 years		23.4%	33
10-20 years		28.4%	40
over 20 years		28.4%	40
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>141</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>6</b>







### 3. What is your age group

		Response Percent	Response Count
Younger than 25		0.0%	0
25-35		9.2%	13
36-45		14.1%	20
<b>45-55</b>		<b>33.1%</b>	<b>47</b>
56-65		28.2%	40
Older than 65		15.5%	22
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>142</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>5</b>

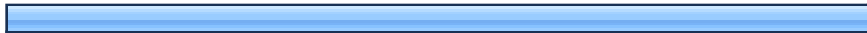

### 4. Do you have Children in our local school or Sandy High School

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		24.8%	35
<b>No</b>		<b>75.2%</b>	<b>106</b>
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>141</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>6</b>

## 5. How should local groups communicate plans, ideas, events etc to you ?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Mountain Times		70.0%	98
<b>E-mail</b>		<b>74.3%</b>	<b>104</b>
Facebook		24.3%	34
Twitter		5.0%	7
Posting on community bulletin boards		29.3%	41
Other		5.7%	8
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>140</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>7</b>

**6. Do you feel the name "Villages at Mt Hood" is appropriate for our community ?**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		75.2%	103
No		24.8%	34

Do you have ideas for a name ? 26

answered question	137
skipped question	10

**7. What questions do you have about the idea of incorporation that could be answered by a Town Hall panel of regional experts ?**

	Response Count
	40
answered question	40
skipped question	107

## 8. Tell us what you think about economic development

	Very Important	Moderately Important	No opinion	I don't want this	Response Count
More emphasis on tourism-related services	<b>45.8% (55)</b>	38.3% (46)	6.7% (8)	9.2% (11)	120
More business development on Hwy 26	25.4% (30)	<b>33.1% (39)</b>	11.0% (13)	30.5% (36)	118
Improve job opportunities on the mountain	<b>44.4% (52)</b>	33.3% (39)	15.4% (18)	6.8% (8)	117
Build a "brand" or theme for our communities	23.5% (27)	<b>31.3% (36)</b>	24.3% (28)	20.9% (24)	115
				<b>answered question</b>	<b>123</b>
				<b>skipped question</b>	<b>24</b>

## 9. Is there anything else you would like to say about economic development ?

	Response Count
	26
<b>answered question</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>skipped question</b>	<b>121</b>

## 10. How can we maintain our "Mountain" Character

	Very important	Moderately important	No Opinion	I don't want this	Response Count
More Hiking trails	<b>46.6% (55)</b>	31.4% (37)	11.9% (14)	10.2% (12)	118
More Biking opportunities	<b>35.1% (40)</b>	<b>35.1% (40)</b>	13.2% (15)	16.7% (19)	114
Trails on the Salmon River	34.5% (39)	<b>44.2% (50)</b>	12.4% (14)	8.8% (10)	113
Building design standards for business	<b>47.9% (57)</b>	21.8% (26)	16.0% (19)	14.3% (17)	119
Limits on population growth	31.9% (38)	<b>32.8% (39)</b>	19.3% (23)	16.0% (19)	119
				<b>answered question</b>	<b>121</b>
				<b>skipped question</b>	<b>26</b>

## 11. Is there anything else you would like to say about maintaining our "Mountain" Character

	Response Count
	32
<b>answered question</b>	<b>32</b>
<b>skipped question</b>	<b>115</b>



## 12. What additional or enhanced services does our communities need

	Very important	Moderately important	No Opinion	I don't want this	Response Count
Community Center	<b>35.9% (42)</b>	34.2% (40)	23.1% (27)	6.8% (8)	117
Pharmacy	36.4% (43)	<b>39.0% (46)</b>	15.3% (18)	9.3% (11)	118
More activities for children	<b>36.4% (43)</b>	32.2% (38)	23.7% (28)	7.6% (9)	118
Sidewalks on Welches Road or other roads	23.0% (26)	27.4% (31)	<b>30.1% (34)</b>	19.5% (22)	113
More police presence on the Highway	<b>33.3% (39)</b>	31.6% (37)	21.4% (25)	13.7% (16)	117
More recycling and other green services	39.7% (46)	<b>41.4% (48)</b>	12.1% (14)	6.9% (8)	116
Assisted living and retirement facility	16.7% (19)	32.5% (37)	<b>38.6% (44)</b>	12.3% (14)	114
				<b>answered question</b>	<b>121</b>
				<b>skipped question</b>	<b>26</b>

**13. Is there anything else you'd like to say about services in our communities ?**

		Response Count
		25
answered question		25
skipped question		122

**14. Are you interested in learning, with the Villages Board, about the pros and cons of incorporating our Communities as a City**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		58.7%	64
No		41.3%	45
answered question			109
skipped question			38

**15. Pat Sharp is concerned and will continue to educate herself & share with the community environmental issues such as ODOT's paving improvements between Rhododendron and Government Camp, the impact of Timberline's bike terrain proposal, invasive plants on the mountain, and the potential decommissioning of the Miller Road Quarry. Please list additional areas of environmental concern:**

	Response Count
	23
answered question	23
skipped question	124

**16. Shirley Dueber is dedicated to the task of deciphering what can be done along Welches Road between Highway 26 and The Resort to improve the safety of pedestrians and bikers. She has met with and obtained information from county traffic engineers and the director of Transportation and Development. There are some very tricky issues that are going to be of concern including the fact that it is a very narrow road with utility poles installed, leaving very little room to provide community / tourist access. She is currently in the process of obtaining plot maps along this corridor to help decipher the centerline of the road and continue with the informative process. Any tidbits of information/ advice/ ideas for Welches Road:**

	Response Count
	15
answered question	15
skipped question	132

**17. Great strides have been made by Doug Saldivar in receiving the first grant ever for a Village or Hamlet in order to help fund the highly successful Green Scene event. The annual event's activities included information & demonstrations on green living, activities for children, student displays, as well as serving up music and food. The end result was a whopping 3.5 tons of recycling collected, many used books recycled/ resold, and a great turn-out of both attendees and volunteers. Doug is a wealth of information regarding sustainable business practices, alternative energy sources, and is currently chasing the idea of obtaining an electrical car charging station for the Villages area. This year's Green Scene will take place on Saturday, May 14th. Volunteers/ ideas/ additional recycling concerns:**

	Response Count
	18
answered question	18
skipped question	129

**18. Not to be overlooked is the continued service of MEL (Mountain Express Line). Bob Reeves pushes onward with the collection of monies through grants, donations and matching fund opportunities to keep up this service which promotes easier access to our amenities without excess carbon footprint. The funding of Saturday service is in the works, and will be a great addition for our community. Concerns/ input on bus service/ willing to contribute funds?**

	Response Count
	14
answered question	14
skipped question	133

**19. What amenities do you feel the Villages area is most in need of:**

	<b>Response Count</b>
	41
<b>answered question</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>skipped question</b>	<b>106</b>

**20. To better help us understand the interests of the community, please select the following option that best reflects your level of interest in the following services/spaces to be included in the new center.**

	Very Important	Moderately Important	No Opinion	Response Count
Community Room(s) available for rent for meetings, weddings, parties, etc	<b>35.9% (37)</b>	35.0% (36)	29.1% (30)	103
A space for Community College classes and other workshop opportunities	<b>42.9% (45)</b>	35.2% (37)	21.9% (23)	105
A specially designed space to relocate the Hoodland Library	<b>39.2% (40)</b>	<b>39.2% (40)</b>	21.6% (22)	102
A dedicated space for the Senior Center	36.0% (36)	<b>38.0% (38)</b>	26.0% (26)	100
Office spaces for County and State use (i.e. Sheriff, Health Department, etc)	27.3% (27)	<b>36.4% (36)</b>	<b>36.4% (36)</b>	99
A new space for children's programs (i.e. pre-school, after school programs, etc)	<b>38.0% (38)</b>	33.0% (33)	29.0% (29)	100
			<b>answered question</b>	<b>106</b>
			<b>skipped question</b>	<b>41</b>

**21. Other ideas you might have:**

	Response Count
	13
answered question	13
skipped question	134









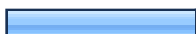

**22. A number of individuals have already donated to this project. Would you join them in supporting the new community center? If so, would you consider:**

	Yes	No	Perhaps later	Response Count
Donating between \$25 and \$100?	10.1% (9)	36.0% (32)	<b>53.9% (48)</b>	89
Donating Between \$100 and \$500?	1.7% (1)	<b>76.7% (46)</b>	21.7% (13)	60
Donating more than \$500?	1.7% (1)	<b>82.8% (48)</b>	15.5% (9)	58
			answered question	91
			skipped question	56

### 23. Currently I participate in Senior Center activities

		Response Percent	Response Count
2-3 days a week		0.0%	0
1 day a week		0.0%	0
A few times a month		1.0%	1
A few times a year		5.0%	5
<b>Never</b>		<b>94.0%</b>	<b>94</b>
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>100</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>47</b>




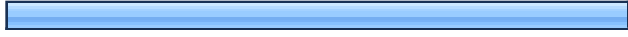
## 24. I would participate in a new center for these reasons

		Response Percent	Response Count
Volunteer job: Driver, Meals on Wheels, Receptionist, congregate dining		32.7%	16
Socializing		28.6%	14
Health related		16.3%	8
Lunch		6.1%	3
Services		14.3%	7
Recreation		36.7%	18
Pool Tables, Cards, Day Trips		18.4%	9
Meetings		36.7%	18
Support group		16.3%	8
<b>Classes, lectures, presentations</b>		<b>71.4%</b>	<b>35</b>
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>49</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>98</b>

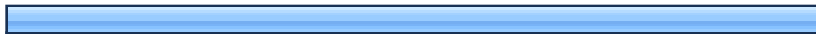

**25. I would like the following activities in addition to the above and I will participate**

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answered question	8
skipped question	139


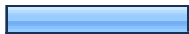




**26. I like to attend activities that are held**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Morning		20.8%	10
Afternoon		22.9%	11
<b>Evenings</b>		<b>56.3%</b>	<b>27</b>
Weekends		54.2%	26
		answered question	48
		skipped question	99

**27. If classes and activities were held in the evening or on the week end I would go.**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		70.8%	46
No		29.2%	19
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>65</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>82</b>







**28. IF there is a charge for a class or activity, I would be willing to pay:**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Can't pay anything		5.7%	4
\$5		15.7%	11
\$10		10.0%	7
\$11-\$20		1.4%	1
\$21 or more		4.3%	3
<b>Depends on the activity</b>		<b>62.9%</b>	<b>44</b>
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>70</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>77</b>





**29. What would you like to see offered in the new community center?**

	<b>Response Count</b>
	23
<b>answered question</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>skipped question</b>	<b>124</b>



**30. What do you think about our extreme reliance on oil based fuels for energy needs in the USA ? Check as many answers as you think apply.**

		Response Percent	Response Count
It may be causing Global Climate change		62.0%	57
It is draining our economy and affects our national security due to our reliance on foreign sources		76.1%	70
<b>Oil based fuels are becoming more and more expensive</b>		<b>77.2%</b>	<b>71</b>
We should slowly change to alternative energy sources		39.1%	36
We should change to alternative energy as soon as we can		64.1%	59
Oil will last a long time - there is still a huge supply and i am not worried		10.9%	10
	Other comment		16
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>92</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>55</b>

**31. Packaging for the food and other things we buy costs about 9% of the prices we pay - this means that for every \$11 we spend - the packaging cost about \$1. But the cost of waste is not over - because after buying the packaging we then pay to have it hauled away with the garbage and buried somewhere. What can we do about this ?**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Try to buy things with minimum packaging		85.9%	79
Buy things with recyclable packaging		79.3%	73
Write letters to manufacturers asking them to reduce packaging		41.3%	38
Ask the county to improve our recycling opportunities		68.5%	63
		Other comments	14
		<b>answered question</b>	<b>92</b>
		<b>skipped question</b>	<b>55</b>

**32. All things equal - would you be more willing to support businesses that had some kind of meaningful "Green" or sustainable certification than a business without certification ?**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		80.2%	73
No		19.8%	18
	Other comments		5
	answered question		91
	skipped question		56

**33. Any other comments about sustainability in our community ?**

	Response Count
	11
answered question	11
skipped question	136

**Page 1, Q6. Do you feel the name "Villages at Mt Hood" is appropriate for our community ?**

1	Villages of Mt. Hood	Jul 5, 2011 6:45 AM
2	Committee for a Better Mt Hood	Jun 24, 2011 11:54 AM
3	Villages of Mt Hood Hoodland	Jun 20, 2011 8:13 PM
4	Wyeast West	Jun 19, 2011 4:32 PM
5	Return to the individual names of the small communities and disband your committee.	Jun 8, 2011 4:28 PM
6	no	Jun 3, 2011 7:26 AM
7	Welches, Wemme, Faubian, Rhododendron, Brightwood, Akder Creek, etc. "Villages" is a dumb idea, we are all] separate and very different communities with our own unique qualitys and identities.	Jun 2, 2011 9:48 PM
8	The communities of Mt hood	Jun 1, 2011 1:14 PM
9	Hoodland	May 27, 2011 1:55 PM
10	I don't really think it was necessary, but if people think it was, fine?	May 26, 2011 5:25 PM
11	How about Brightwood, Welches, Rhododendron, Zig Zag, etc.	May 18, 2011 11:48 AM
12	Hoodland was just fine. Why was it ever needing to be changed?	May 12, 2011 9:53 AM
13	Not as of now	May 11, 2011 9:32 AM
14	Villages at Mt. Hood sounds like a new property being developed. I envision little town homes. The name should focus more on community.	May 9, 2011 1:57 PM
15	Citizens of theMount Hood Community.	May 9, 2011 11:22 AM
16	Hoodland Villages	May 9, 2011 10:28 AM
17	Hoodland	May 9, 2011 10:24 AM
18	West Flank Canton The Hood The 45MPH Zone.	May 9, 2011 6:56 AM
19	Hoodland	May 9, 2011 1:39 AM

**Page 1, Q6. Do you feel the name "Villages at Mt Hood" is appropriate for our community ?**

20	it is important that each village not lose it's identity. as such no collective name is required. no need for a few individuals to profit requires the loss of history and identity	May 8, 2011 10:04 PM
21	Mt. Hood Communities	May 8, 2011 9:39 PM
22	Highway 26 chainup	May 8, 2011 7:18 PM
23	Hoodland	May 7, 2011 2:37 PM
24	Communities of Mt Hood	May 5, 2011 4:17 PM
25	Wy'East	May 3, 2011 8:00 AM
26	No name needed, we don't need the "Villages at Mt Hood". Please leave our community alone, stop messing with something that isn't broken. You will raise taxes, increase crime, and piss people off if you turn this QUIET area into a CITY!	May 2, 2011 5:04 PM

**Page 1, Q7. What questions do you have about the idea of incorporation that could be answered by a Town Hall panel of regional experts ?**

1	Incorporate	Jun 24, 2011 11:54 AM
2	When the idea was discussed 20 yrs ago, rummored to be approached as a way for the resort to gain sewer lines- it was found we do not have a large enough tax base to fund services.	Jun 20, 2011 8:13 PM
3	WE NEED MORE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION! WE NEED MORE BUSINESSES ATTRACTED TO OPEN HERE!	Jun 19, 2011 4:32 PM
4	Interested to hear more pros/cons	Jun 18, 2011 12:55 PM
5	Incorporation should not occur.	Jun 8, 2011 4:28 PM
6	We don't need any more layers of radical progressive govt. in this over regulated state.	Jun 2, 2011 9:48 PM
7	What incentives do we have to incorporate? How would it effect me & my family?	Jun 1, 2011 1:14 PM
8	Will it raise taxes? Will this area be given more money for our school which really needs it!!!!	Jun 1, 2011 7:21 AM
9	many questions. i would like to be part of many discussions (pro/con). i would like to hear from communities that have inc. to see what they would do different or if they would do it again....i believe the general public is too unaware to make a decision for or against incorporation.	May 27, 2011 10:38 PM
10	Avoid incorporation.	May 27, 2011 1:55 PM
11	who will be in charge of the monies and priorities? and what are some best practices they can provide to help us avoid classic pitfalls?	May 24, 2011 11:21 AM
12	would we be more effective by incorporating than we are at present? Would we have greater influence on matters that are most inportant.	May 22, 2011 9:49 AM
13	Incorporation??? Regional Experts??? If I wanted to live in a city I would move to Portland.	May 18, 2011 11:48 AM
14	How can you realistically predict the cost of various services to this area?	May 16, 2011 3:05 PM
15	advantages red tape that would be required going forward process perspective from communities who have done it	May 15, 2011 6:05 PM
16	What are the benefits of being incorporated?	May 14, 2011 12:13 PM
17	Why?	May 12, 2011 8:38 AM

**Page 1, Q7. What questions do you have about the idea of incorporation that could be answered by a Town Hall panel of regional experts ?**

18	I am not sure what incorporation would entail, nor the advantages or disadvantages so I am unable to provide an informed comment on this topic.	May 11, 2011 12:50 PM
19	What would the pos and neg be on the issue?	May 11, 2011 9:32 AM
20	Lots of questions. What would it mean to my family and school? Additional taxes? Advantages?	May 11, 2011 8:27 AM
21	Why do we have to incorporate? Will it make things, or like most bureaucratic growth, more complex and difficult to accomplish goals?	May 10, 2011 9:22 AM
22	What tax issues would arise?	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM
23	How will incorporation help growth? How will you maintain each village's autonomy and prevent sprawl between the villages?	May 9, 2011 10:40 AM
24	Would incorporation help get better highway speed monitoring and enforcement?	May 9, 2011 10:28 AM
25	Implications for property values and taxes.	May 9, 2011 10:14 AM
26	Why would you want to ruin a perfectly great area???	May 9, 2011 8:04 AM
27	What would be the advantages of incorporation?	May 9, 2011 8:02 AM
28	What are the advantages? Disadvantages?	May 9, 2011 6:56 AM
29	how would the changes affect Clackamas Co. taxes?	May 9, 2011 6:50 AM
30	How will it affect taxes and what is the point of incorporation?	May 8, 2011 8:46 PM
31	What would the impact be on taxes?	May 8, 2011 8:43 PM
32	What is a regional expert other than someone who wishes to make a buck?	May 8, 2011 7:18 PM
33	What are the planning regarding density? Is all the growth on private lands? What public services will increase to handle growth and density?	May 8, 2011 5:41 PM
34	How would it affect taxes	May 8, 2011 5:11 PM
35	we need a community center	May 7, 2011 2:37 PM

**Page 1, Q7. What questions do you have about the idea of incorporation that could be answered by a Town Hall panel of regional experts ?**

36	I am against incorporation of all the villages of Mt. Hood. Each area is unique unto itself and should remain so.	May 5, 2011 3:15 PM
37	WHAT ARE THE "PRO'S" AND "CONS"?	May 4, 2011 11:40 AM
38	What benefit(s) would the area gain by incorporation?	May 4, 2011 10:19 AM
39	How much additional taxes would be needed ?	May 3, 2011 8:00 AM
40	Who exactly is talking about incorporating?	May 2, 2011 5:04 PM

**Page 2, Q2. Is there anything else you would like to say about economic development ?**

1	The Villages at Mt Hood's board has almost no local business experience or voice. Public safety and economic development are the 2 most important items the Villages board should focus on.	Jul 5, 2011 6:46 AM
2	Get rid of corrupt Mt hood chamber of commerce. Their officers' unethical behavior and physical threats of violence toward several community members cannot be tolerated.	Jun 18, 2011 1:09 PM
3	Do not incorporate the area. If you do, you will simply add more layers of regulation on businesses.	Jun 8, 2011 4:31 PM
4	any time someone comes up with a good idea, the local good-do groupes try to shut them down.	Jun 2, 2011 10:00 PM
5	The school needs painting and landscaping on the outside, the inside needs updating - it is still stuck in the 70's! We needs money to keep the teachers we have even if class sizes drop, . . .	Jun 1, 2011 7:26 AM
6	more appropriate signage. more lights on hwy. 26	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
7	Most of us "old timers" moved up here to avoid the city and people telling us what to do and how to do it...I like my personal freedom.	May 26, 2011 5:29 PM
8	avoid filling spots with fast food - creating businesses that serve locals as well as tourists is key. Also, more services for part-timer/vacation rental market would be nice.	May 24, 2011 11:28 AM
9	Development and change is bound to come, but it should be controlled to fit the community. Would like to see a more mountain theme to structures.	May 22, 2011 10:00 AM
10	We need to find better ways to get travelers to think of stopping in our community.	May 17, 2011 3:10 PM
11	The economy is crashing. How do you develop something non-existent? Let's become the community that came together! We need the community to come together and get real. Grow food. Protest the loss of our Constitution. Protest the chemtrail spraying going on in our skies. Protest the poisoning of our sir and water.	May 15, 2011 1:26 PM
12	This area if "vacation/recreation" area. I would like to see it stay that way.	May 14, 2011 12:17 PM
13	In and by itself economic development needs tourism related services in order to flourish which brings with it employment.. Business development will only bring additional traffic (Sandy) to the mountain area and defeat the purpose of the "Brand". The Brand is about a place to recreate (Mt. Hood activities), commune with nature (hike, fish, relax, walk,) pass thru on the way to Central Oregon or Hood River. What is needed is not more business environment scattered along the hwy. but a place for an incorporated town where commerce is centralized and easy to leave behind. A purpose is served with an incorporated township, leaving the surrounding area true to why it is there-to recreate and relax free from the encumbrances of the business environment.	May 9, 2011 11:51 AM

**Page 2, Q2. Is there anything else you would like to say about economic development ?**

14	This area is unique in that it is quite most of the time, and a bit busy on the weekends when mountain visitors pass through. I think it is important to create ways to capture economic opportunities during busy seasons, while maintaining the quite, remote character of the area.	May 9, 2011 10:47 AM
15	This region is economically tied to the natural beauty of the area. Any "development" should be carefully integrated so that enhances that experience, or at the least doesn't spoil it.	May 9, 2011 10:36 AM
16	A balance of economic opportunities, ie, tourist related as well as general businesses, would be the ideal since it would be less impacted by recessions, etc.	May 9, 2011 10:22 AM
17	Development along Highway 26 should pay more attention to aesthetics. Preserve roadside tree canopy. Parking lot native landscaping should be required.	May 9, 2011 7:51 AM
18	We should work to use the retail infrastructure we have, not build more. This should be done with sensitivity to the historic and rural character of the zone. It would be wonderful to generate more jobs for residents.	May 9, 2011 6:59 AM
19	recreational opportunities, trails connecting communities, sidewalk appeal (like Government Camp has done)	May 9, 2011 6:56 AM
20	You have a built in traffic flow of mountain and wilderness enthusiasts... How do you fit into there entertainment plans?	May 8, 2011 11:46 PM
21	if 'brand' means a collective aggregation at th expense of village identity...no. There are many businesses that come and unfortunately go. In most cases there is sufficient client density to support the businesses but the lack of marketing dooms the effort. Assist the local businesses in marketing aside from a collective brand.	May 8, 2011 10:09 PM
22	As long as economic development does not have a negative affect on the natural resources of the mountain, I'm supportive.	May 8, 2011 8:52 PM
23	Planning with zoning is important so small town atmosphere isn't lost. Emphasis should be on the strengths of the area; not imported things like casinos or clubs...	May 8, 2011 5:47 PM
24	I would like to see the businesses that exist receive help. I am against additional development of the area.	May 5, 2011 3:21 PM
25	Better support for tax paying business who also employ local citizens. Don't be negative towards local businesses.	May 4, 2011 7:09 AM
26	The whole reason most people move up here is to get away from the city. While it is nice to have some local buisnesses, most of the residents that I know do not want this area to become another Sandy, which has become another Gresham, which has become another Portland, etc.. If we wanted to live in a congested area with all of the so called "conveniences" we would move to the city.	Apr 30, 2011 11:51 AM

**Page 2, Q4. Is there anything else you would like to say about maintaining our "Mountain" Character**

1	This is supposed to be a Resort Community, so let's make it look and live up to it's name	Jun 24, 2011 12:03 PM
2	This is a wonderful place to live and work. It's a shame that the board has been so corrupt in the past with so many obvious conflicts of interest. We're looking forward to a new era when the guard changes and more of our community members feel comfortable with the leadership.	Jun 18, 2011 1:09 PM
3	clean up signage on hwy 26, we are beginning to look like lowera Burnside.	Jun 2, 2011 10:00 PM
4	Again . . . school is important! Create a school that reflects the mountain community.	Jun 1, 2011 7:26 AM
5	i think trails are important as long as we respect nature. i wouldn't want to see paved trails but i like the idea of pathways. i am not sure about the bike trail issue, i would want to hear more before voting. these are very difficult questions to answer. i don't believe they are cut and dry. building design standards scare me. i wouldn't want someone to tell me how my restaurant should look, yet i wish as a community we would put more emphasis on artistic design	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
6	Most of us "old timers" moved up here to avoid the city and people telling us what to do and how to do it...I like my personal freedom.	May 26, 2011 5:29 PM
7	I move here to live in a rural mountain community, I want it to stay that way. I do not want our community to become a city.	May 26, 2011 5:09 AM
8	It is about having a clear point of view about who we are and how we want it to be -- not keeping people (growth) out/away/restricted. Access to wilderness is going to be our lure, point of difference and lifeblood. Make these opportunities sing and the money will follow!	May 24, 2011 11:28 AM
9	This is a state of mind for all of us and visitors to our community. We pride ourselves on what we have and how to maintain the quality of living.	May 22, 2011 10:00 AM
10	We need to value and cultivate unique, local businesses and a welcoming attitude to visitors and travelers. No big box stores!	May 17, 2011 3:10 PM
11	Junky businesses and homes need to clean up their premises and make frontage look inviting. Keep lot size at least a one acre minimum!!!!!!!!!!	May 16, 2011 3:08 PM
12	Same as above. It's not about "mountain" character, whatever that is. It's about our character. We, the people, are losing our rights and our very way of life while we diddle around talking nonsense! Let's become the villages that came together and took a stand against "Big Borther"!	May 15, 2011 1:26 PM
13	Limit the continuing of building houses, The intense logging that is occuring in several places really detracts from the Mountain feel. I moved up here to live in the Mountains not a town or city and it is becoming more and more urbanized.	May 11, 2011 12:51 PM

**Page 2, Q4. Is there anything else you would like to say about maintaining our "Mountain" Character**

14	I would never want our area to try to set limits on others moving to our area. The snobbish attitude of what happened in Cannon Beach should not be repeated...	May 11, 2011 8:30 AM
15	Hiking & biking available further up the mountain. Concerned about garbage left by these people (enough is already left by people just passing through!)	May 10, 2011 10:26 PM
16	The more you add, the more congestion you will have on the roads. Given that it is forest area, widening the roads may not be an option. Without increasing traffic efficiency, growth should be considered carefully.	May 9, 2011 2:01 PM
17	Incorporate the villages and develop a growth and design plan. Concerned about sprawl and fast food chains developing along Hwy 26.	May 9, 2011 1:02 PM
18	Campaign to clean up some cabins primarily on north side of US 26.	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM
19	See above comments. Character can be maintained if a separation between mountain and commerce is kept-allowing both to feed off of one another and flourish.	May 9, 2011 11:51 AM
20	We should try to prevent sprawl and keep the highway from becoming one strip mall after another. I think maintaining autonomy of each village is important, keeping green corridors between them. I am supporting of economic development and attracting businesses which will stay for more than a year or so, but it should be done in a way which is respectful of the mountain environment and people who choose to live and recreate here because of the remoteness and quite atmosphere	May 9, 2011 10:47 AM
21	see #2	May 9, 2011 10:36 AM
22	A large part of the "mountain" feel is the rural atmosphere. If the area became a city, it would be important to avoid a formal feel.	May 9, 2011 10:22 AM
23	Leave it alone.	May 9, 2011 8:06 AM
24	avoid allowing certain types of businesses from locating to the area	May 9, 2011 6:56 AM
25	Keep businesses back further with more "pull off" room. More clear speed warnings as apposed to the shocking \$400 ticket new comers to the mountain get for driving speeds higher then the lowered safety zone limits.	May 8, 2011 11:46 PM
26	marketing and pursue an appropriate diversity of businesses. Help businesses understand, as appropriate, the opportunities of Internet against mortar. Heart of the mtn comes to mind as an example of a business that could. have prospered with assistance	May 8, 2011 10:09 PM
27	I want to see the natural, cultural and historic resources of the area preserved and protected.	May 8, 2011 8:52 PM

**Page 2, Q4. Is there anything else you would like to say about maintaining our &quot;Mountain&quot; Character**

28	The answers differ if you don't say 'where.'	May 8, 2011 6:10 PM
29	Very important to do it.	May 8, 2011 5:47 PM
30	It feels as though there is a desire to suburbanize the Villages of Mt Hood. I would recommend those individuals who encourage development should move to another urban or suburban area to research and develop their business ideas. Let the Forest Remain the Forest of Mt Hood!!!	May 5, 2011 3:21 PM
31	Get rid of the name "Hoodland" That is not particularly appealing to out-of-staters.	May 4, 2011 7:09 AM
32	Hiking trails are nice, but the ones we have are not maintained properly. Until the old trails are maintained properly why would anybody even consider adding more?	Apr 30, 2011 11:51 AM

**Page 2, Q6. Is there anything else you'd like to say about services in our communities ?**

1	Start in our own backyard, by taking care of the people that live here from day to day. Then begin by making it a tourist attraction. Have waiver fees for going to the parks for us that live here. Otherwise, make tri-met have a full-time bus service here, because we pay takes for that.	Jun 24, 2011 12:03 PM
2	Cleaning up the look and feel of the hood land corridor, signage rules, etc. would go a long way toward improvement for both residents and visitors attitudes about the community. Also, the bigotry and misinformation (lies), and intolerance coming from hadit.org make us look bad as a community.	Jun 18, 2011 1:09 PM
3	forget all the speed traps and lets have a real sheriffs dept. that protects property and might even respond to grand theft calls	Jun 2, 2011 10:00 PM
4	More activities for children especially afterschool & during summer would be great!	Jun 1, 2011 1:19 PM
5	Bring back the tennis court. Work with SkiBowl for deals for locals on the summer park? Biking trails/walking trails to connect communities, does not need to be paved in my opinion.	Jun 1, 2011 12:20 PM
6	get rid of neighborhood association boards that control in a very biased way	Jun 1, 2011 7:26 AM
7	i would like to see a skate park for the kids. i would like to see any free services for kids.	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
8	I would like to see more after school activities for the children. a place for the younger children to get together and play during the winter.	May 26, 2011 5:09 AM
9	Sandy is close enough for pharmacy (delivery service could work) and assisted living...a local pool and meeting spot for all ages (locals and tourists) would be lovely.	May 24, 2011 11:28 AM
10	As a community we need quality services for both locals and visitors. Support local businesses.	May 22, 2011 10:00 AM
11	We especially need additional services for aging community members. A pharmacy is an important start.	May 17, 2011 3:10 PM
12	Yes. It seems to me that we all have our heads stuck in the sand. Our country is turning into a police state, we are being poisoned, our children are being dumbed down and poisoned, and we spend time talking nonsense! I don't get it!	May 15, 2011 1:26 PM
13	There is nothing up here for our youth. It would be beneficial if something were available for our teenagers and young adults to do or hang out.	May 11, 2011 12:51 PM
14	Would like to see a larger/better grocery store. Commercialization would be ok as long as a "mountain" design theme was integrated.	May 10, 2011 10:26 PM
15	County takeover of Stage Stop Road to provide maintenance.	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM

**Page 2, Q6. Is there anything else you'd like to say about services in our communities ?**

16	These "village" communities need to keep their independence and brand and a central city needs to be established-leaving the highway strip as is with some needed improvements but a central city/town/township better serves the needs of growth, commerce, tourism needs etc.	May 9, 2011 11:51 AM
17	urgent care services	May 9, 2011 6:56 AM
18	Summer camps for kids. "Welcome" rest / bathroom stop for tired drivers with clear community info and expectations. (snow permits, hotels and food)	May 8, 2011 11:46 PM
19	LEnforcement does a great job.	May 8, 2011 10:09 PM
20	As a cabin owner who pays annual fees, property taxes, water and electricity, I own on the mountain because of the nature and beauty it provides. I am totally against major development on the mountain as it will impact the wildlife and lifestyles of "all" residents, including cabin owners. We eat at the establishments, support the mountain community by buying on the mountain, and pay for the enjoyment of mountain living and recreation. We are residents too., I see many more cons of incorporating our community as a city.	May 8, 2011 6:29 PM
21	Emergency center would be very valuable.	May 8, 2011 5:47 PM
22	Remember the key here is to "enhance" the existing community services, not add more...	May 5, 2011 3:21 PM
23	Require that all board members either vote yes or no on all issues brought before them. NO ABSTENTIONS !	May 4, 2011 7:09 AM
24	The services we have in place are just fine!!! Please stop messing with something that isn't broken!	May 2, 2011 5:07 PM
25	More activities for children? Are you joking? We live next to a huge forest with limitless opportunities for recreation. This is crazy. Any child that gets bored up here has a lack of imagination and/or parents that just don't care.	Apr 30, 2011 11:51 AM

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1	Abusive comment deleted	Jul 5, 2011 6:48 AM
2	Regular recycling opportunies, it will cut down on people just dumping their crap on the highway.	Jun 24, 2011 12:16 PM
3	Continual refusal to participate in recycling efforts by Mt Hood Village RV Resort. It's a county ordinance now, let's make them recycle!	Jun 18, 2011 1:20 PM
4	Stay out of the way of business. Allow development of the bike terrain park etc.	Jun 8, 2011 4:35 PM
5	What qualifications does she have in any of thes areas????	Jun 2, 2011 10:11 PM
6	Green is good, beer is great and people are crazy. Many green ideas have failed there are basic environmental guidelines that we can follow.	May 22, 2011 10:07 AM
7	Contamination from aging septic systems. Many small water districts and shared wells with old piping.	May 17, 2011 3:17 PM
8	I'm extremely concerned about the chemtrails that appear (when the sky is visible) all over our community. We are being literally poisoned with nano-particles of alluminum and other toxins. Shouldn't we wonder where it's coming from? We are also being fed with genetically modified organisms daily in food that is unlabeled. Shouldn't we demand to know which foods are GMO? We are poisoned by the toxic chemicals used all over the mountain and getting into our water supply. Shouldn't we demand that the use of these toxins be stopped?	May 15, 2011 1:34 PM
9	Bike Terrain will bring many tourists...Double edged sword when thinking about the environmental impact though. That will be a tough decision.	May 11, 2011 8:36 AM
10	There are many homes in complete states of disrepair with trash, abandoned vehicles, and misc. junk discarded outside. These are horrible eyesores for the community and don't set the tone for what I think the "Villages" are trying to accomplish. The owners should be held responsible for cleaning up their properties or having them destroyed at their expense (Hoodland FD would love the experience!!)	May 10, 2011 10:45 PM
11	We support the Timberline bike park.	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM
12	protection of all tributaries to the Sandy river	May 9, 2011 10:51 AM
13	Ask ODOT about their plans to remove 117 trees along this corridor. Ask them to identify/mark which trees and why.	May 9, 2011 10:39 AM
14	Septic field loading to the watershed, emergency services, energy efficiency, recycling, climate change projections and analysis, mitigating impact of route 26 on the environment and air quality.	May 9, 2011 7:03 AM

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15	balance of odot work vs forest and character	May 8, 2011 10:12 PM
16	PLEASE slow down the traffic on highway 26, as we all hear and smell the traffic noise/fumes and trucks air brakes as the come off the mountain into Rhody. This impacts our wildlife and serenity of our community. Please slow the traffic down way before reaching Rhody and enforce stricter fines.	May 8, 2011 6:40 PM
17	Let's go back to dirt roads and horse drawn wagons. No environmental issues and no carbon footprint! Or, let's improve the paving between Rho and GC. Hmmmmm.	May 8, 2011 6:28 PM
18	Fishing should be all catch and release until runs are restored.	May 8, 2011 5:52 PM
19	No concerns. Do the Timberline bike terrain trail!!	May 5, 2011 4:25 PM
20	Noise levels and particulates from traffic passing through the valley on Highway 26.	May 5, 2011 3:24 PM
21	Pat Sharp's "agenda" is very negative and unhelpful to the needs of the corridor.	May 4, 2011 7:14 AM
22	Use of pesticides	May 3, 2011 8:03 AM
23	Pat Sharp shouldn't have anything to do with Timberline's bike terrain proposal as she is biased against the project. The meeting minutes clearly show this.	Mar 14, 2011 10:58 AM

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1	I think this is a very important topic. I love to walk and ride my bike but I worry I am going to get hit by a car so I avoid doing it on many of the paved roads in our community. I end up having to drive to a trail head or park just to feel safe walking or biking. Can we somehow create a closer to home option. I live on Barlow Trail and don't feel remotely safe walking because there is not even a shoulder on the sides of the road in many areas.	Jun 15, 2011 7:09 PM
2	It will be wonderful to hav a sidewalk on that road for the locals as well as tourists	Jun 3, 2011 7:36 AM
3	The current walk way on Welches Rd. is seldom plowed in winter. In the fall and winter the walk is dangerous and grade and middle school children should not be allowed to transit the road without parents,;	Jun 2, 2011 10:11 PM
4	Perhaps some signage could be considered alerting drivers to pedestrians. Several crosswalks could be considered at key intersections.	May 17, 2011 3:17 PM
5	would like to see sidewalks (use for walkers/bikes)	May 14, 2011 12:19 PM
6	Clean it up first off. Consider continuing the paved path as it exists up by Page's all the way to the school. A few benches and further natural plant life would help too. Keep is simple...	May 11, 2011 8:36 AM
7	Support a 30 MPH speed limit on Welches Road. Suppert walking/bike lane on both sides of WR. Utility poles can be moved.	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM
8	Tell the utility companies to move their poles.	May 9, 2011 12:07 AM
9	don't create issues where none really exist. the roads are really pretty safe for ped/bike traffic. There is a balance between the need to provide access and the ability of people to use it. If folks cant ride the existing roads safely...maybe they shouldn't.	May 8, 2011 10:12 PM
10	Slow the traffic down!	May 8, 2011 6:40 PM
11	Put utilities underground. Solves all he problems except for how to pay for the change.	May 8, 2011 6:28 PM
12	What about making the back road from Vine Maple through to Trillium lake a bike trail / or at least bike friendly???	May 8, 2011 5:52 PM
13	How can she be trusted when she will not vote yes or no on issues important to local businesses?	May 4, 2011 7:14 AM
14	Sidewalks definitely needed	May 3, 2011 8:03 AM

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15 We need to develop a groomed bike/walking path along hwy 26 from Mt. Hood Resort to Welches (initially). Burying utilities in that area (power) would be a benefit to the community. Mar 14, 2011 10:58 AM

**Page 3, Q3. Great strides have been made by Doug Saldivar in receiving the first grant ever for a Village or Hamlet in order to help fund the highly successful Green Scene event. The annual event's activities included information & demonstrations on green living, activities for children, student display...**

1	Great initiative for community awareness. We'd like to see the same ethic on recoiling year-round, especially by the larger business like MHV Resort.	Jun 18, 2011 1:20 PM
2	Go green energy. We need to make sure we're taking care of mother earth so future generations can enjoy it. We live in a very beautiful area and I want to see it stay that way. Why not reduce, reuse, recycle. It just makes scene and should be a major concern for our local residents.	Jun 15, 2011 7:09 PM
3	If you received a government grant your are the enemy. What a waste of tax payer money.	Jun 8, 2011 4:35 PM
4	Happy we are starting our own programs like this to be less reliant on having to go to somebody elses community for theses services	Jun 3, 2011 7:36 AM
5	Good work:: The Sandy Recycle center is a huge rip-off and most of us go all the way to Gladstone rather than use it.	Jun 2, 2011 10:11 PM
6	A yearround recycling center is needed	Jun 1, 2011 4:31 PM
7	i attended the green scene event and thoroughly enjoyed what i saw. i was only able to stay a few minutes because my restaurant was participating in The Bite of Mt. Hood and i had to get my restaurant open. i felt spread thin that day and would've liked to have hung out at the green scene and enjoyed the music and art and new information. i hope next year The Bite and Green Scene event wont happen on the same day. both events were very good and i hope to be a part of both events next year. luckily one of our employees was able to set up a table with some of the products we use. good job with this event, very cool....	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
8	Doug is doing a tremendous job with this initiative.	May 17, 2011 3:17 PM
9	Host a recycling day every year. Host the Green Scene vendor booths every other year. Not enough new stuff to attend yearly.	May 16, 2011 3:10 PM
10	Sorry. I think recycling is great, but global warming is absolutely not a proven and is being used as another ploy to tax us into further debt!	May 15, 2011 1:34 PM
11	Definately come speak to the Welches PTCO. The parents involved in this group have great contacts in the community to younger families.	May 11, 2011 8:36 AM
12	We support an electrical charging station.	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM
13	I support his efforts and will be there for Green Scene.	May 9, 2011 7:03 AM

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14	Slow the traffic down. We can smell the fumes and hear the traffic, especially the trucks air brakes....	May 8, 2011 6:40 PM
15	Is this Oregon or what?	May 8, 2011 6:28 PM
16	Super. Get the word out as services are available.	May 8, 2011 5:52 PM
17	This whole global warming thing is bogus. The money allocated to this cause should go to the local schools for their dire needs.	May 4, 2011 7:14 AM
18	Need a permanent recycling center	May 3, 2011 8:03 AM

**Page 3, Q4. Not to be overlooked is the continued service of MEL (Mountain Express Line). Bob Reeves pushes onward with the collection of monies through grants, donations and matching fund opportunities to keep up this service which promotes easier access to our amenities without excess carbon footprint. T...**

1	A public shuttle service to all business on the Mtn Only.	Jun 24, 2011 12:16 PM
2	It would be extremely helpful if this bus travelled to Government Camp to assist the local youth working at Mt. Hood Skibowl. It is great that SkiBowl hires our teens and we should embrace that resource; however, the amount of hitchhiking that occurs on our mountain highway is rather disturbing.	Jun 22, 2011 1:57 PM
3	If we want more folks to retire here public transportation and health care are a must!	Jun 19, 2011 4:36 PM
4	Having a public transportation system is a must. If you don't have a running vehicle it's very hard to get around up here. Sometimes the amenities we need are located in Sandy and without a bus service many of our local residents are just out of luck. Hitch hiking isn't a good option so keep a public transportation system for those who need it.	Jun 15, 2011 7:09 PM
5	Same comment as issue #3.	Jun 8, 2011 4:35 PM
6	I have seen lots of unsupervised groups of under high sch. aged kids get off the buss Fri. & Sat. nights with their backpacks headed for the Salmon River. Is this one source of break-ins in the area.	Jun 2, 2011 10:11 PM
7	Excellent	May 22, 2011 10:07 AM
8	Let's work toward a shuttle service to Ski Bowl, Government Camp, Timberline and Mt Hood Meadows. Shuttles for visitors should also be considered. A Park and Ride should be developed.	May 17, 2011 3:17 PM
9	If the bus ran earlier, my husband would be willing to ride. He has to leave the area at 5:30 a.m. and comes back into the area around 6:30 p.m.	May 12, 2011 9:59 AM
10	Again, I think lots of teens could use this service. It should be promoted at the high school level and high school academic and sports schedules should be considered to maximize ridership.	May 11, 2011 8:36 AM
11	We have a distorted idea of what excess carbon footprint it. Easier access from where to where? Been on HWY 26 on Friday pm or Sunday pm? How is a bus going to impact that carbon footprint?	May 8, 2011 6:28 PM
12	Regular transportation to all 3 Ski Resorts. Make our resources available and accessible to vacationers and guest.	May 5, 2011 4:25 PM
13	Who pays for all this?	May 4, 2011 7:14 AM
14	Park and Ride to ski areas	May 3, 2011 8:03 AM

**Page 3, Q5. What amenities do you feel the Villages area is most in need of:**

1	We need a community park.	Jul 5, 2011 6:48 AM
2	A public health club, including tennis, raquetball ect., A community service to assist our youth on GED's and furthering their education, not hanging out, outside the video store all day.	Jun 24, 2011 12:16 PM
3	Public Transportation	Jun 19, 2011 4:36 PM
4	A grocery provider who doesn't disadvantage local residents with tourist prices on food. A natural food coop could be interesting too. An automated police speed sign/sensor west of Welches and perhaps between rhody/zigzag to slow down crazy drivers.	Jun 18, 2011 1:20 PM
5	A pharmacy! I lived in a small tourist town in N. Michigan for 10 years where 70 percent of the population left in the winter and we were still able to provide local pharmacy services to the full time residents. There are senior citizen and young folk alike who need to be able to have easier access to medications and pharmacy goods without having to figure out a way to get into Sandy. More opportunities and events for young children. There is quite a large population of people under 18 so being able to provide them with fun opportunities will keep them out of trouble and provide them with a more exciting future.	Jun 15, 2011 7:09 PM
6	Absolutely nothing that is payed for by tax payer dollars. If you want to improve thing, do it with your own money out of your own wallet.	Jun 8, 2011 4:35 PM
7	I would love to see more historical items pointed out and have the history of the community more up front, ie ..historical places , buildings	Jun 3, 2011 7:36 AM
8	A real live Sheriff;s Dept. with competent deputies.	Jun 2, 2011 10:11 PM
9	Walmart- would be a lot of new jobs & reasonably priced food/clothing & other items closer to home	Jun 1, 2011 4:31 PM
10	Biking/walking trails to connect communities. Tennis court (public). Classes for adults/kids at a community center.	Jun 1, 2011 12:23 PM
11	Pharmacy and would love a Legacy Medical Clinic up here.	Jun 1, 2011 11:45 AM
12	A city park we don't have to pay to play in, we can go to the school yard, butother than that we have to pay to go to Wildwood - locals should not have to do this	Jun 1, 2011 7:27 AM
13	public bathroom rest area lighting on the hwy. for safety activities for kids	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
14	more recycling centers or free collections	May 26, 2011 5:31 PM
15	sidewalks/trails to connect our areas in non-auto ways	May 24, 2011 11:29 AM

**Page 3, Q5. What amenities do you feel the Villages area is most in need of:**

16	Pharmacy, another bank	May 22, 2011 10:07 AM
17	Privacy	May 18, 2011 11:51 AM
18	More quality retail stores.	May 17, 2011 3:17 PM
19	mercantile shops	May 16, 2011 3:10 PM
20	Greenhouses and gardens, private and community, so that we can feed ourselves healthy food. Also more community meetings with real agendas. I certainly have a good collection of movies to share that will assist in awakening those who are willing to learn the truth.	May 15, 2011 1:34 PM
21	pharmacy	May 14, 2011 12:19 PM
22	Limitations on continuous building and urbanization of our mountain area, prevent further logging and desimation of our lands. The logging that ocured on Lolo pass between Michigan ave and Briarwood is deplorable and offensive and should not have been allowed. Something put into place for our teenagers and young adults.	May 11, 2011 12:51 PM
23	A pedestrian bridge over the Sandy River somewhere approximately halfway between Lolo Pass and Brightwood Bridge. Also, better sidewalks and bikeways along hwy 26. It would be nice to have a "town square" where people could gather rather than the Thriftway Plaza parking lot being the center of town.	May 11, 2011 11:07 AM
24	Community Center, Music/arts concert venue, public tennis courts	May 11, 2011 10:30 AM
25	A COMMUNITY CENTER WITH YOUTH PROGRAMS. There is just nothing to do up here...	May 11, 2011 8:36 AM
26	A small mounain-themed shopping mall (smaller version of the old Sunriver Mall).	May 10, 2011 10:45 PM
27	library and pharmacist	May 9, 2011 3:15 PM
28	A pharmacy in Welches would be good.	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM
29	businesses that can last more than a year or two.	May 9, 2011 10:51 AM
30	A place to buy basic clothing & household goods/decorative items.	May 9, 2011 10:25 AM
31	Pedestrian activated cross walk (across hwy 26) in the area of the building supply store.	May 9, 2011 9:29 AM
32	Sidewalks or trails parallel to H26.	May 9, 2011 7:52 AM

**Page 3, Q5. What amenities do you feel the Villages area is most in need of:**

33	Paved bike path... Off the road running from Brightwood to Government Camp.	May 9, 2011 12:07 AM
34	Pedestrian safety and bike/walking trails	May 8, 2011 8:50 PM
35	Better communication via cell service for the communities! In the event of emergency, we need the ability to communicate effectively. There should be a VISITOR center. We NEED slower traffic and better traffic control. The communities would all benefit from slowed traffic. You can hear and smell highway traffic/noise which impacts the wildlife and the serenity of the communities. Stricter speed enforcement needs to be considered and the traffic, especially the trucks with their air brakes need to be slowed down way before coming off the mountain at Rhody. Please consider these areas to be residential and enforce a slower speed limit.	May 8, 2011 6:40 PM
36	Interpretive center showing the history of the Mt. Hood corridor. It's a fascinating story and hardly anyone knows it. More places for picnics and overviews. This area could be a magnet for folks all over the world. As it is, the place hasn't changed in 40 years and is still as seedy as ever. Our last move toward development was a trailer park. Look what's been done in like areas in Colorado and Utah, for example. We need a new upgraded look and some nice businesses. As of now we've only created an environment for goofy looking people who don't bathe and look like hippies. Check out the Woodland store...	May 8, 2011 6:28 PM
37	Emergency Medical Center - Pharmacy	May 8, 2011 5:52 PM
38	Skate Park, Public Pool and Park for our Kids	May 5, 2011 4:25 PM
39	GOOD TAXI SERVICE, MORE FREQUENT BUS SERVICE, WITH BETTER BUSES	May 4, 2011 11:42 AM
40	Enthusiastic support for local anniversaries and community events.	May 4, 2011 7:14 AM
41	NONE! People want to be left alone up here. If you want a city, move back to one!	May 2, 2011 5:08 PM

**Page 4, Q2. Other ideas you might have:**

1	Let's start using the field behind church on the mtn for softball and activities again. Let the Church know it would be a great gesture on their behalf, being that they only use it 2 x's a year. It would cut down on the transients going down to the water and camping, as well.	Jun 24, 2011 12:21 PM
2	Do we really need office space for police up here?	Jun 16, 2011 10:38 AM
3	these questions are loaded. you don't give the option to state "We should not have this" consider all my NO OPINON answers as such.	Jun 8, 2011 4:36 PM
4	Why can't the Seniors meet at the current Womens Club or at any of the many restraurants	Jun 2, 2011 10:15 PM
5	The afterschool/summer children's programs/activities would be a very great asset for our family!	Jun 1, 2011 4:35 PM
6	If we MUST replace the Dorman(?) Center, I really hope it won't be with a generic building.	Jun 1, 2011 12:27 PM
7	park area	Jun 1, 2011 7:28 AM
8	Activities for teenage kids to keep them out of trouble. Skate park, arcade, ?	May 31, 2011 2:59 PM
9	unfortunately, i don't know enough about these issues. i do believe we should always try to use buildings that are available instead of building new. Too many empty buildings with new buildings being built. i would love to see any kind of free activities for kids. is the library too big for its current space?	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
10	Medical clinic.	May 9, 2011 12:17 AM
11	need a not important category or your survey is totally invalid. the school can provide space and other specialized programs may not have the 'ideal' space of a larger city but balance is required.	May 8, 2011 10:14 PM
12	Why is their no column for "No in favor"?	May 4, 2011 7:16 AM
13	Why is there no option for "do not want"???	May 2, 2011 5:09 PM

**Page 5, Q3. I would like the following activities in addition to the above and I will participate**

1	evening dance lessons. I look to be employed again, and noticed when I was working a lack of evening activities for learning and having fun. Also, a Tai Chi and Karate class here on the Mtn.	Jun 24, 2011 12:29 PM
2	clothing drives	Jun 19, 2011 4:39 PM
3	Classes for kids, tutoring.	Jun 1, 2011 12:30 PM
4	i would like to host a fundraiser at The Skyway. i don't know who would have the time and energy to organize the fundraiser but i would love to donate our space. as a business owner i have a hard time to committing myself because i might need to work and i believe i could be unreliable. someday i would like to volunteer at the senior center	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
5	exersize classes, craft activities, educational opprotunities	May 26, 2011 5:35 PM
6	Art classes	May 9, 2011 12:22 AM
7	community pool	May 7, 2011 2:41 PM
8	Yoga classes	May 5, 2011 3:26 PM

**Page 5, Q7. What would you like to see offered in the new community center?**

1	A gardening class, Taekwondo class, GED class for the youth, dance classes, cooking classes ect.	Jun 24, 2011 12:29 PM
2	Yoga; space for community functions tennis court rebuilt	Jun 20, 2011 8:19 PM
3	Hosted speaking engagements by ecomnomists, local politicians, business pitches, programs for kids	Jun 19, 2011 4:39 PM
4	We are very in favor of the 'idea' of a community center in the long-term, but feel perhaps other more important basic needs/issues should be addressed. Honestly, we don't have a good feel for what effects a new center would have, and wonder if the way it will be used represents a good decision for community funds. More public info would help...	Jun 18, 2011 1:27 PM
5	art, crafts, and gardening classes	Jun 16, 2011 10:40 AM
6	Nothing that costs any taxpayer dollars.	Jun 8, 2011 4:38 PM
7	Day care, adult education, Zumba	May 31, 2011 3:01 PM
8	i do like the idea of seminars and classes	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
9	informational classes on various interests and activities	May 26, 2011 5:35 PM
10	a pool - classes on bats, flowers, invasive weeds, etc.	May 24, 2011 11:32 AM
11	Historical exhibits of the area.	May 22, 2011 10:12 AM
12	Flexible spaces for meetings and classes. Kitchen to support activities. Permanent library space.	May 17, 2011 3:21 PM
13	I would like to see something offered for our teenagers and Young adults.	May 11, 2011 12:54 PM
14	I hope the empahsis will be on both senior and youth services. There should be a balance there...	May 11, 2011 8:38 AM
15	Gardening classes	May 9, 2011 12:23 PM
16	As a primarily weekend homeowner, I would most likely not be using the new center.	May 9, 2011 10:29 AM
17	family friendly events/festivals	May 9, 2011 7:03 AM
18	Painting, iron smithing, crafts	May 9, 2011 12:22 AM
19	classes	May 8, 2011 8:56 PM
20	swimming	May 8, 2011 7:05 PM

**Page 5, Q7. What would you like to see offered in the new community center?**

21	We would not use the community center at this time.	May 8, 2011 6:43 PM
22	An opportunity to discuss the kind of things covered in this survey. Trails, roads, permits for construction. Classes and activities for kids.	May 8, 2011 5:55 PM
23	Art Classes	May 5, 2011 4:27 PM

**Page 6, Q1. What do you think about our extreme reliance on oil based fuels for energy needs in the USA ? Check as many answers as you think apply.**

1	We need more economical engine conversation choices.	Jun 19, 2011 4:43 PM
2	Build more nuclear power plants.	Jun 8, 2011 4:41 PM
3	Our only problem with our ability to be energy self-reliant is the current Federal Administration and it's mis-guided and indecisive and silly policies.	Jun 2, 2011 10:35 PM
4	We need to start using the oil that is found in our own country and not rely upon other countries when we can provide for ourselves	May 31, 2011 3:08 PM
5	this will improve our environment and create jobs	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
6	We have an alternative to foreign oil that this survey ignored, it's call domestic oil.	May 27, 2011 2:05 PM
7	Things done in haste often have hidden concerns.	May 26, 2011 5:37 PM
8	There's enough oil located under the US to last for centuries - long enough to figure out alternatives. It's just that the globalists and corporatocrcy wants it for themselves. Hence, we're not allowed to drill here...	May 15, 2011 1:41 PM
9	Big government is finding ways to penalize people as soon as they switch over to other alternatives. Is it really that important to do so if you are just going to get your hands slapped?	May 12, 2011 10:04 AM
10	Obviously Grren energy is a partial answer to the dependence problem. We need to go with more Gas, clean coal, wind, solar or do all of these in combination with our own development of our oil reserves.	May 9, 2011 12:05 PM
11	We have a very short-sited view in this country of energy use. We have already seen a dramatic effect of global warming here at home with the shrinking of the glaciers on Mt. Hood and other environmental effects of fossil fuel emissions. It is very important that any new buildings constructed be energy efficient. Any opportunities to rely on alternative energy should be considered as well.	May 9, 2011 10:58 AM
12	create a survey that generates valid responses. spend a little money on survey design. leading questions and responses generate worthless results.	May 8, 2011 10:16 PM
13	We need to be more smart about using (wasting) engergy today. Do businnesses need all the fancy lighting (other than what is needed for security), doors open to draw in customers, thus wasting energy in heating.	May 8, 2011 7:25 PM
14	We've got plenty of oil and natural gas in this country if we have the foresight to develop the industry responsibly. We should move to reduce our reliance on foreign oil and increase our use of domestic resources. Alternate energies sources should be considered and adopted only when they clearly provide a economically responsible alternative. We could start by getting a president in place that has a comprehensive energy policy - or any workable policy for that matter.	May 8, 2011 6:38 PM

**Page 6, Q1. What do you think about our extreme reliance on oil based fuels for energy needs in the USA ? Check as many answers as you think apply.**

15	not nuclear energy	May 5, 2011 4:29 PM
16	This has no place in this survey. You are not a "city club" but rather an elected civic do-gooder organization who should support positive development on behalf of the local communities.	May 4, 2011 7:22 AM

**Page 6, Q2. Packaging for the food and other things we buy costs about 9% of the prices we pay - this means that for every \$11 we spend - the packaging cost about \$1. But the cost of waste is not over - because after buying the packaging we then pay to have it hauled away with the garbage and buried somewher...**

1	Require Bliss to make recycling easier and to provide recycling containers and systems for both residential and commercial customers.	Jul 5, 2011 6:49 AM
2	Businesses that use plastic and styrofoam for to go items should be made to go green, otherwise suffer an additional tax. This applies to our Country.	Jun 24, 2011 12:35 PM
3	They shouldn't produce it if it can't be recycled.	Jun 19, 2011 4:43 PM
4	Don't apply for a grant to solve this. Leave the county out of it. Count on citizens to think for themselves and act responsibly.	Jun 8, 2011 4:41 PM
5	recycling works in a robust and growing economy bit it works not al all in a weak and colapsing one. The greenies don't understand that there is no market for most of the recycled products. We have one of ;the best garbage collection firms I have ever seen. We should leave them alone.	Jun 2, 2011 10:35 PM
6	Local anti-littering campaign, local "clean up days" (4xyear?)	Jun 1, 2011 12:33 PM
7	if we don't buy it then they won't make money on it and will switch to do more things that are making them money.	May 31, 2011 3:08 PM
8	i am happy this is a question.....this is a big irritation of mine.....	May 27, 2011 10:39 PM
9	a bulk section in thriftway would help also	May 24, 2011 11:34 AM
10	Seldom do I buy food that comes in packages. Real food doesn't come in boxes and heavy plastic. As for all the other "stuff" - we mostly don't need it anyway!	May 15, 2011 1:41 PM
11	Get totally rid of plastic bags for a starter. If plastic manufactureres like Helix want to sell plastic then they should have recycling capabilities available in every community that they sell into.	May 9, 2011 12:05 PM
12	grocery stores should offer bulk products and should reduce or completely remove the use of plastic bags. Provide incentives for people who bring in their own bags	May 9, 2011 10:58 AM
13	We bring recyclables and garbage to our home for disposal. We don't dispose of anything in The Villages.	May 9, 2011 9:34 AM
14	Again, this questionnaire should not deal with these type of issues.	May 4, 2011 7:22 AM

**Page 6, Q3. All things equal - would you be more willing to support businesses that had some kind of meaningful "Green" or sustainable certification than a business without certification ?**

1	It depends, because I don't want to cut out our small and middle class business. We need to offer them Tax incentives.	Jun 24, 2011 12:35 PM
2	Thriftway is way too expensive, so if we had an "outlet" I'd shop there.	Jun 19, 2011 4:43 PM
3	A center for recycling drop-off would be nice.	May 17, 2011 3:24 PM
4	this label of "Green" is silly. I am all for reducing,reusing, recycling as much as possible. The important thing is to find a balance in all that is done.	May 12, 2011 10:04 AM
5	My choice of local businesses is based on service, variety and price - not whether they waste their time being "green."	May 4, 2011 7:22 AM

**Page 6, Q4. Any other comments about sustainability in our community ?**

1	More choices creates more healthy competition.	Jun 19, 2011 4:43 PM
2	Force business to recycle, at the very least force them to adhere to existing regulations on recycling	Jun 18, 2011 1:29 PM
3	It is a feel good concept. Resposible people don't need the gobbledegook. It's a bunch of hooley.	Jun 8, 2011 4:41 PM
4	I would be very proud to from a very green community and am happy that we have started !	Jun 3, 2011 7:42 AM
5	If we have all these in place statutory regulations, they should be forced on everyone and not just randomly enforced on a few.	Jun 2, 2011 10:35 PM
6	I can't afford to shop for groceries at the local store - is there a way that locals could have a discount so I don't have to spend my money in Gresham?	Jun 1, 2011 7:33 AM
7	Make recycling on the mountain easier. Require Bliss to take our recycles without all of the qualifications for it to be taken. They leave it more times than not.	May 27, 2011 2:05 PM
8	we should follow timberline's lead - we should seek to preserve more than others because it's our lifeblood	May 24, 2011 11:34 AM
9	I believe that our community is very receptive to environmental concerns.	May 17, 2011 3:24 PM
10	In order for sustainable programs to be successful it is important to share information with the community and visitors about the programs and how they affect them	May 9, 2011 10:58 AM

**Page 6, Q4. Any other comments about sustainability in our community ?**

11 These 4 survey questions seem completely out of context.

May 9, 2011 7:55 AM