

Respectfully submitted for committee consideration by
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My number, if you have questions or want to suggest further changes prior to our next meeting:
207-370-2634

Note: I will be traveling Tue, 2/3, in the afternoon, and Thu, 2/5, in the morning, and I will be in
the Pacific time zone on Wed, 2/4.

See Open Issues on last page for numbers in angle brackets, e.g., <1>.

Thank you for completing this survey! While it is completely voluntary and anonymous, it is necessary to meet the state's requirements for comprehensive planning, and it is extremely important to help your Comprehensive Planning Committee understand details about the current state of the town and about your needs and desires for the future of the town that we love and live in. <1>

To complete the survey:

1. Circle the letter next to, put a check in the box or space closest to, or include the number (if requested) in the space that is closest to your response.
2. Skip any questions that you feel are inappropriate, or that you prefer not to answer.
3. <2>

Remember: This is an anonymous survey, so do not include your name, address, or telephone number.

1. Your age:

- A. Under 18
- B. 18-29
- D. 30-39
- E. 40-49
- F. 50-59
- G. 60-69
- H. 70-79
- J. 80-89
- K. 90 or more

2. Your household lives in Lamoine as:-

- A. Year-round residents
- B. Seasonal residents

3. If seasonal, how many months per year:

- A. 1-2 months

- B. 3-6 months
- ~~B.C. 7-11 (this is considered year-round)~~

4. If seasonal, do you have any plan to move to Lamoine year-round?

- A. Yes
- B. No

~~4. If yes (you plan to move to Lamoine year round), in what time frame?~~

- ~~A. Immediately; actively moving~~
- ~~B. In the next year~~
- ~~C. 2-5 years~~
- ~~D. 5-10 years~~
- ~~E. More than 10 years from now~~

5. How many adults reside in your household:

- A. One
- B. Two
- C. Three
- D. Four
- E. Five
- F. Six

6. Do you own or rent your residence?

- A. Own
- B. Rent

7. How do you heat your home?

<u>Primary heating system:</u>	<u>Secondary heating system:</u>
<u>A. Oil</u>	<u>A. Oil</u>
<u>B. Propane</u>	<u>B. Propane</u>
<u>C. Electric</u>	<u>C. Electric</u>
<u>D. Wood</u>	<u>D. Wood</u>
<u>E. Other (specify)</u>	<u>E. Other (specify)</u>

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8. If you are a *seasonal* home owner, how long have you owned your home?

- A. 1-4 years
- B. 5-8 years
- C. 9-12 years
- D. 13-16 years
- E. 17-20 years
- F. More than 20 years

9. How long have you lived in Lamoine?

- A. 1-4 years
- B. 5-8 years

- C. 9-12 years
- D. 13-16 years
- E. 17-20 years
- F. More than 20 years

10. Do you feel safe in Lamoine (check all that apply)?

- A. In your home
- B. On the roads
- C. Walking
- D. Biking

11. If you own land, approximately how much land do you own? (If you own more than one lot, combine them to get one total.)

- ~~A. None~~
- ~~B. Less than 1 acre~~
- ~~B. 1-5-6 acres~~
- ~~C. 6-10 acres~~
- ~~C. D. More than 10 acres~~

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12. Is your household located on a lot that is (at least in part) within the shoreland zone (250 feet of the ocean)?

- A. Yes
- B. No

13. Where do the adults in this household work? (Indicate number who work in each location.)

- A. ___ Lamoine
- B. ___ Ellsworth
- C. ___ MDI
- D. ___ Bangor
- E. ___ Downeast
- E. ___ Other (specify) _____

14. How many miles do you travel to work each day?

- A. 0-5
- B. 5-10
- C. 10-15
- D. 15-25
- E. 25-50
- F. More than 50

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15. Are you self-employed?

- A. Yes
- B. No

16. If you are self-employed, is your work primarily in Lamoine, or outside Lamoine?

A. In Lamoine

B. Outside Lamoine

17.2 If your work is primarily outside Lamoine, within how many miles?

A. 0-5

B. 5-10

C. 10-15

D. 15-25

E. 25-50

F. More than 50

18. Do you telecommute?

A. Yes

B. No

19. In what industry are you employed?

A. Hospitality, Restaurant/food service, tourism

~~B. Retail~~

~~C. Education, government, public utilities~~

~~D. Contracting, construction, and excavation~~

~~E. Biotechnology, information technology~~

F. Manufacturing (cabinetmaking, boatbuilding), automotive services (sales, services)

G. Professional services (legal, health care/medical)

H. Fishing (lobster, commercial fishing, shellfish aquaculture), agriculture (farming)

~~I. Other (specify) _____~~

20. If your place of business is located in Lamoine, how many clients visit your business (on average) weekly?

A. 0-5

B. 6-10

C. 11-20

D. 21-50

E. Over 50

21. How likely ~~are you~~ would you be you to utilize a Park and Ride arrangement (carpooling with others from a central location) to work, shop, or take kids to school?

A. Very likely

B. Likely

C. Somewhat likely

D. Unlikely

E. Already participate in an informal arrangement like this

22. How do you typically travel from Lamoine to work or shop?

A. Douglas Highway (Route 184)

B. Buttermilk Road

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- C. Mud Creek Road
- D. Through Trenton (Route 204 to Route 3)

23. What, in your opinion, are the three highest transportation related priorities for Lamoine?
(Indicate priorities 1, 2, and 3.)

- A. ___ Road quality (potholes, etc.)
- B. ___ Plowing (timeliness, quality)
- C. ___ Seasonal traffic volume
- D. ___ Lack of routes in/out of town
- E. ___ Lack of pedestrian walkways
- F. ___ Lack of bike lanes
- EG. ___ Other (specify) _____
- FH. ___ Other (specify) _____
- GI. ___ Other (specify) _____

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24. How important to you is a school physically located in Lamoine?

- A. Very important
- B. Important
- C. Somewhat important
- D. Unimportant
- E. No opinion

25. How important is it to you for Lamoine to promote affordable housing for young families with children?

- A. Very important
- B. Important
- C. Somewhat important
- D. Unimportant
- E. No opinion

26. Do you favor attempts to cut costs through regionalization or county-wide consolidation of any of the following services? (Check any that you favor.)

- A. ___ Schools
- B. ___ Waste management
- C. ___ Fire protection
- E. ___ Other (specify) _____
- F. ___ None

27. ~~To maintain or improve, For~~ For which of the following would you be willing to fund maintenance or improvements through additional taxes? (Check all that apply.)

- A. ___ School improvements
- ~~AB.~~ ___ Waste management
- ~~BC.~~ ___ Fire protection
- ~~CD.~~ ___ Law enforcement
- ~~DE.~~ ___ Improved road maintenance

- F. Protection of open space and environmental protection
- ~~DG.~~ ___ Other (specify) _____
- ~~EH.~~ ___ None

28. How concerned are you about the future quality and quantity of your drinking water?

- A. Very concerned
- B. Concerned
- C. Somewhat concerned
- D. Unconcerned
- E. No opinion

29. How important to you is the protection of open space and environmental protection of land in Lamoine?

- A. Very important
- B. Important
- C. Somewhat important
- D. Unimportant
- E. No opinion

30. Would you support the acquisition of land for the following uses? (Check any that you favor.)

- A. Public recreation
- B. Public shore access points
- C. Landscape protection easements

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31. Do feel that the current recreation opportunities in Lamoine are adequate?

- A. Excellent
- B. Adequate
- C. Not adequate
- D. Don't know

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32. If you selected "Not adequate," how could they be improved?

33. Your primary reasons for moving to or staying in Lamoine are (indicate reasons 1 and 2)

- A. ___ Convenient to work
- B. ___ Affordable cost of housing
- C. ___ Beauty of woods and sea
- D. ___ Quality and size (student-teacher ratio) of the schools

- E. ___ The small town atmosphere
- F. ___ Family connection
- G. ___ Reasonable taxes
- H. ___ Other (specify) _____

34. Are there any additional items of concern to you that we did not cover in the survey questions?

Open issues

<1> I don't think we ever decided whether we want to include how many surveys we're distributing and to whom? Everyone? And what is distribution process, so everyone's clear on it?

<2> Need instructions for submission/collection.