

# Summary Report

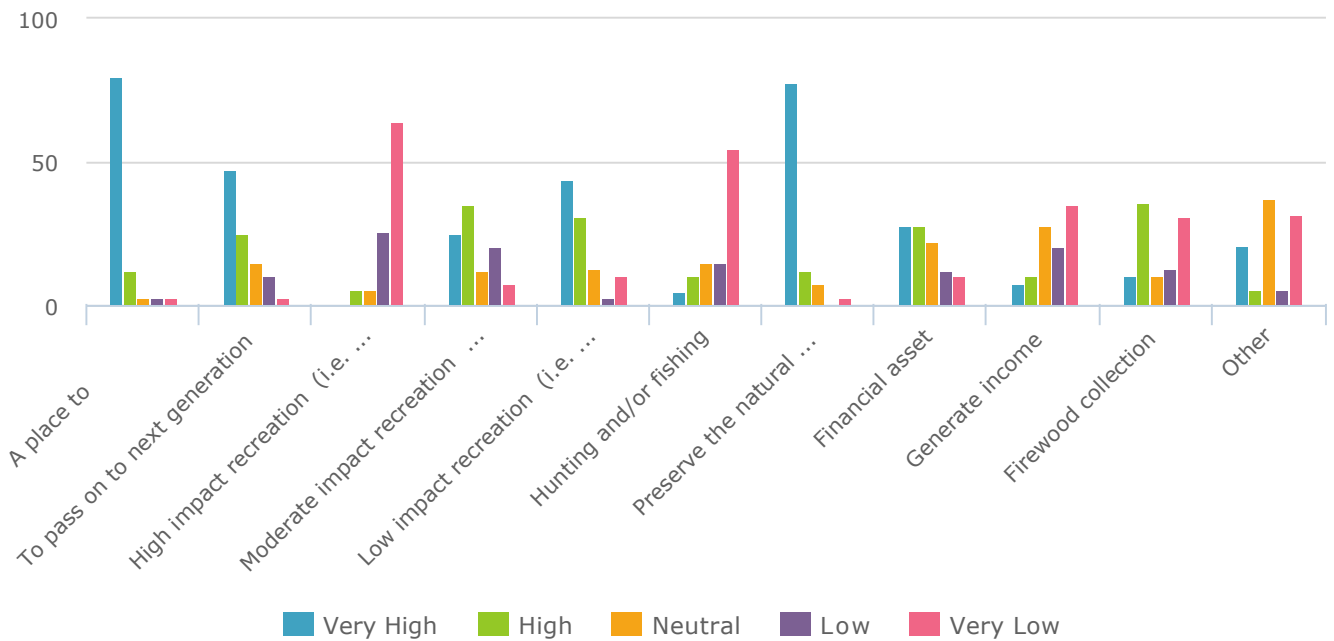
## Landowner Questionnaire

1. Name:

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2. Indicate the importance to you about each of the following regarding your property. Please select one response for each.



	Very High	High	Neutral	Low	Very Low	Responses
A place to live or visit	32 80.00%	5 12.50%	1 2.50%	1 2.50%	1 2.50%	40
To pass on to next	19	10	6	4	1	40

generation	47.50%	25.00%	15.00%	10.00%	2.50%	
High impact recreation (i.e. ATV, snowmobile)	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>2</b> 5.13%	<b>2</b> 5.13%	<b>10</b> 25.64%	<b>25</b> 64.10%	39
Moderate impact recreation (i.e. hiking, cross-country skiing)	<b>10</b> 25.00%	<b>14</b> 35.00%	<b>5</b> 12.50%	<b>8</b> 20.00%	<b>3</b> 7.50%	40
Low impact recreation (i.e. photography, bird watching, art)	<b>17</b> 43.59%	<b>12</b> 30.77%	<b>5</b> 12.82%	<b>1</b> 2.56%	<b>4</b> 10.26%	39
Hunting and/or fishing	<b>2</b> 5.00%	<b>4</b> 10.00%	<b>6</b> 15.00%	<b>6</b> 15.00%	<b>22</b> 55.00%	40
Preserve the natural landscape and setting	<b>31</b> 77.50%	<b>5</b> 12.50%	<b>3</b> 7.50%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 2.50%	40
Financial asset	<b>11</b> 27.50%	<b>11</b> 27.50%	<b>9</b> 22.50%	<b>5</b> 12.50%	<b>4</b> 10.00%	40
Generate income	<b>3</b> 7.50%	<b>4</b> 10.00%	<b>11</b> 27.50%	<b>8</b> 20.00%	<b>14</b> 35.00%	40
Firewood collection	<b>4</b> 10.26%	<b>14</b> 35.90%	<b>4</b> 10.26%	<b>5</b> 12.82%	<b>12</b> 30.77%	39
Other	<b>4</b> 21.05%	<b>1</b> 5.26%	<b>7</b> 36.84%	<b>1</b> 5.26%	<b>6</b> 31.58%	19

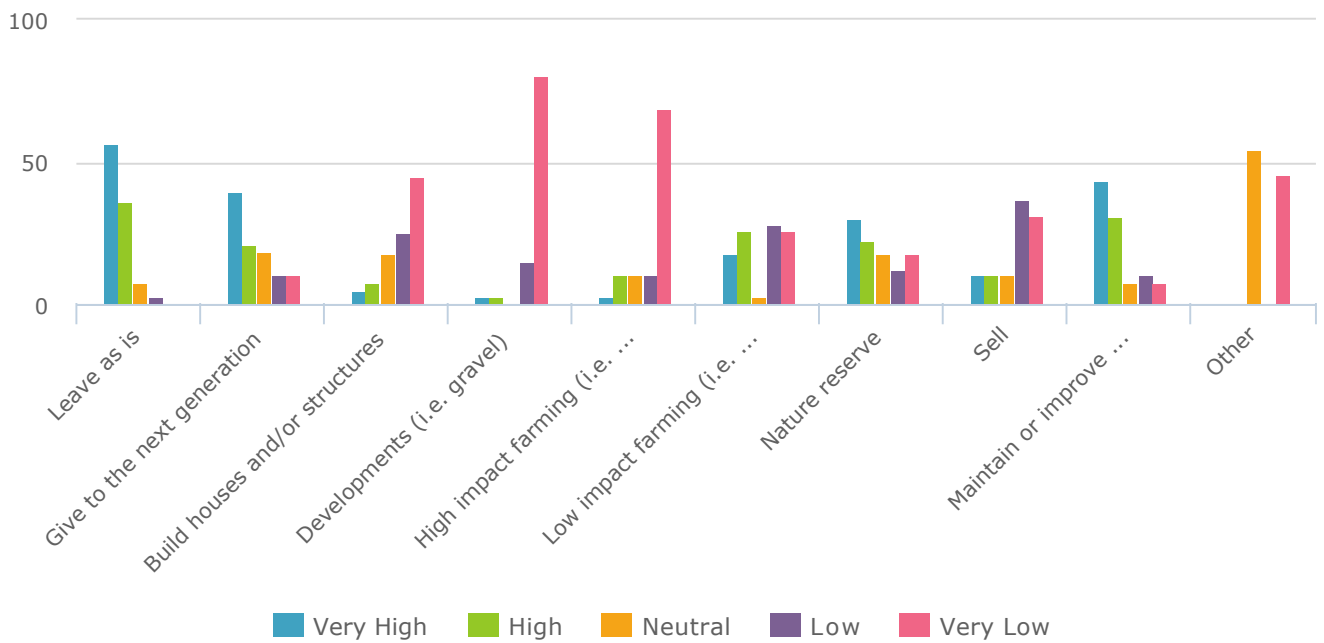
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3. What is the probability you would use your property in the next 20 years for each of these activities?

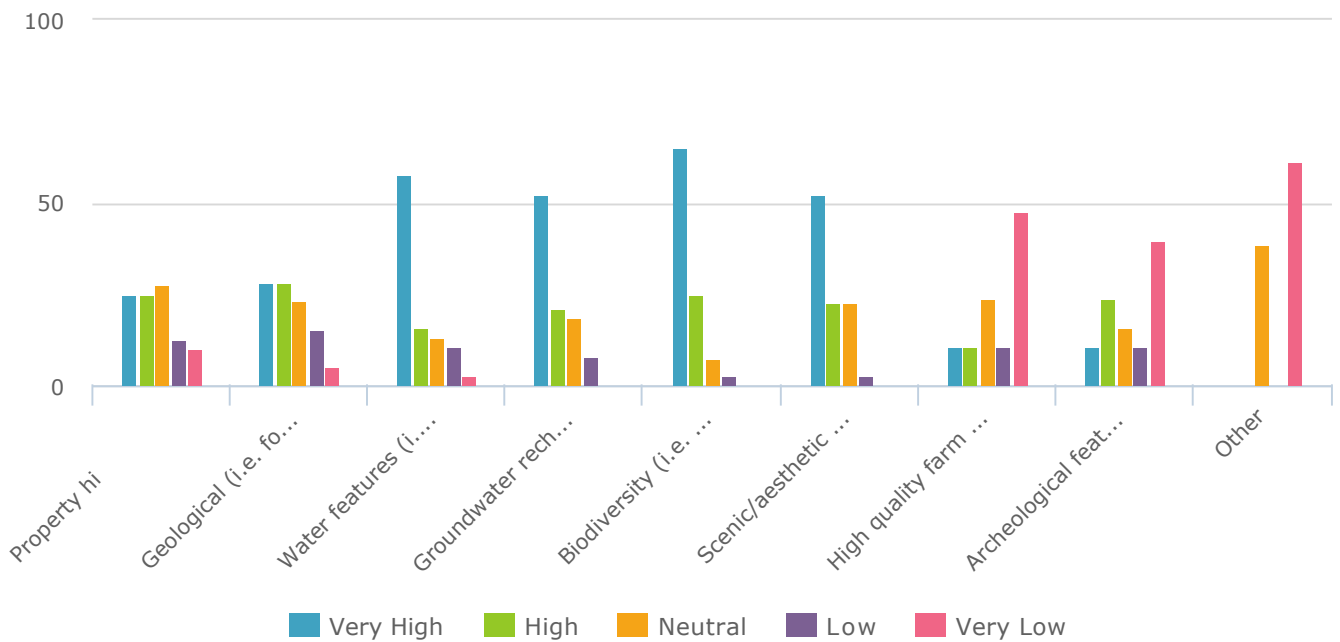


	Very High	High	Neutral	Low	Very Low	Responses
Leave as is	22 56.41%	14 35.90%	3 7.69%	1 2.56%	0 0.00%	39
Give to the next generation	15 39.47%	8 21.05%	7 18.42%	4 10.53%	4 10.53%	38
Build houses and/or structures	2 5.00%	3 7.50%	7 17.50%	10 25.00%	18 45.00%	40
Developments (i.e. gravel)	1 2.50%	1 2.50%	0 0.00%	6 15.00%	32 80.00%	40
High impact farming (i.e. cash crops, livestock)	1 2.63%	4 10.53%	4 10.53%	4 10.53%	26 68.42%	38
Low impact farming (i.e. maple syrup, bees, hay)	7 17.95%	10 25.64%	1 2.56%	11 28.21%	10 25.64%	39
Nature reserve	12 30.00%	9 22.50%	7 17.50%	5 12.50%	7 17.50%	40
Sell	4 10.53%	4 10.53%	4 10.53%	14 36.84%	12 31.58%	38
Maintain or improve biodiversity (variety of species)	17 43.59%	12 30.77%	3 7.69%	4 10.26%	3 7.69%	39
Other	0 0.00%	0 0.00%	6 54.55%	0 0.00%	5 45.45%	11

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4. Identify the importance of protecting the following special features of your property.



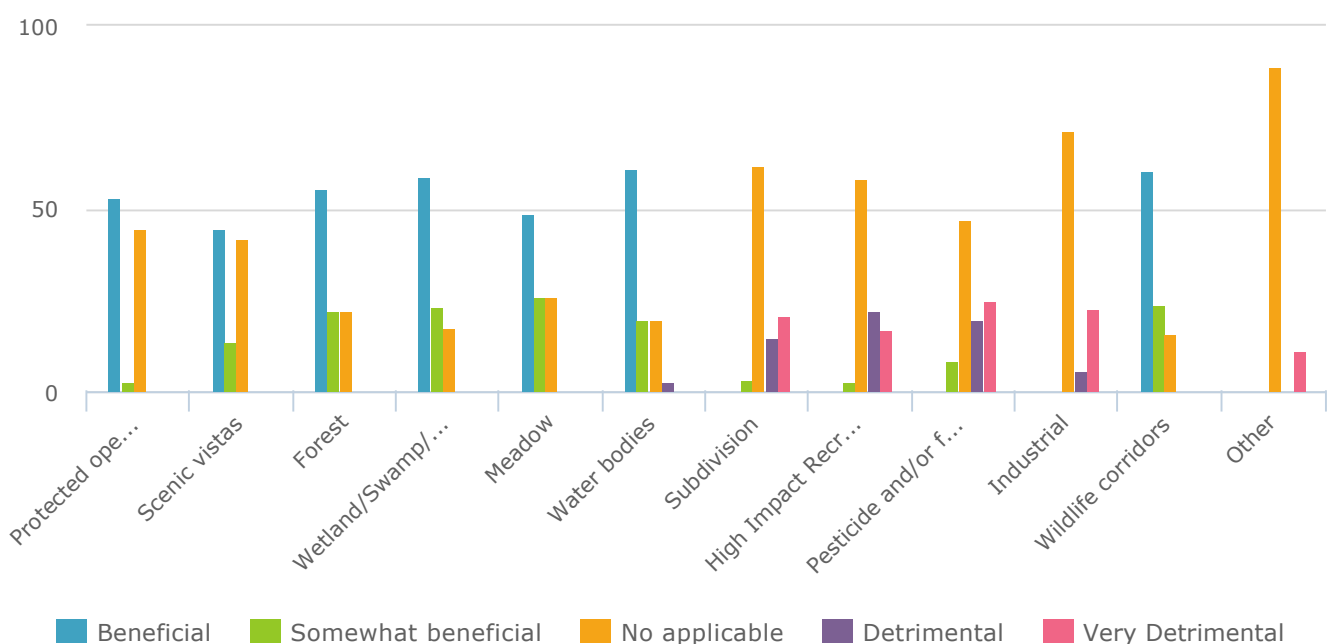
	Very High	High	Neutral	Low	Very Low	Responses
Property history (i.e. dams, fence rows, buildings)	10 25.00%	10 25.00%	11 27.50%	5 12.50%	4 10.00%	40
Geological (i.e. fossil shorelines, glacial till, terrain)	11 28.21%	11 28.21%	9 23.08%	6 15.38%	2 5.13%	39
Water features (i.e. streams, ponds, wetlands, springs, etc.)	22 57.89%	6 15.79%	5 13.16%	4 10.53%	1 2.63%	38
Groundwater recharge	20 52.63%	8 21.05%	7 18.42%	3 7.89%	0 0.00%	38

Biodiversity (i.e. variety of plant and animals in meadows, forest, etc.)	<b>26</b> 65.00%	<b>10</b> 25.00%	<b>3</b> 7.50%	<b>1</b> 2.50%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	40
Scenic/aesthetic values	<b>21</b> 52.50%	<b>9</b> 22.50%	<b>9</b> 22.50%	<b>1</b> 2.50%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	40
High quality farm land (i.e. Class 1-3)	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>9</b> 23.68%	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>18</b> 47.37%	38
Archeological features (i.e. burial ground, artifacts, outlooks)	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>9</b> 23.68%	<b>6</b> 15.79%	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>15</b> 39.47%	38
Other	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>5</b> 38.46%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>8</b> 61.54%	13

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5. If any land(s) near your property have any of these features or activities, indicate how beneficial or detrimental each is to you and your land.

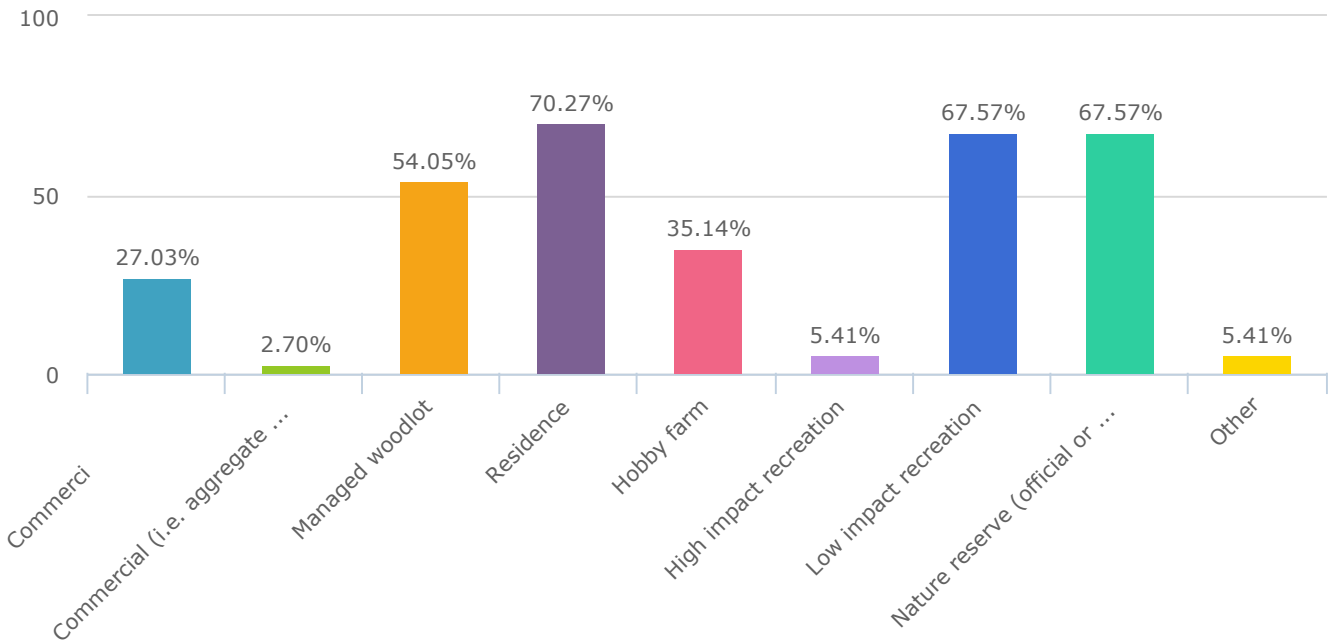


	<b>Beneficial</b>	<b>Somewhat beneficial</b>	<b>No applicable</b>	<b>Detrimental</b>	<b>Very Detrimental</b>
Protected open space (i.e. a conservation area, park, etc.)	<b>19</b> 52.78%	<b>1</b> 2.78%	<b>16</b> 44.44%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%
Scenic vistas	<b>16</b> 44.44%	<b>5</b> 13.89%	<b>15</b> 41.67%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%
Forest	<b>5</b> 55.56%	<b>2</b> 22.22%	<b>2</b> 22.22%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%
Wetland/Swamp/Marsh	<b>20</b> 58.82%	<b>8</b> 23.53%	<b>6</b> 17.65%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%
Meadow	<b>17</b> 48.57%	<b>9</b> 25.71%	<b>9</b> 25.71%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%
Water bodies	<b>22</b> 61.11%	<b>7</b> 19.44%	<b>7</b> 19.44%	<b>1</b> 2.78%	<b>0</b> 0.00%
Subdivision	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 2.94%	<b>21</b> 61.76%	<b>5</b> 14.71%	<b>7</b> 20.59%
High Impact Recreation	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 2.78%	<b>21</b> 58.33%	<b>8</b> 22.22%	<b>6</b> 16.67%
Pesticide and/or fertilizer use	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>3</b> 8.33%	<b>17</b> 47.22%	<b>7</b> 19.44%	<b>9</b> 25.00%
Industrial	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>25</b> 71.43%	<b>2</b> 5.71%	<b>8</b> 22.86%
Wildlife corridors	<b>23</b> 60.53%	<b>9</b> 23.68%	<b>6</b> 15.79%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%
Other	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>8</b> 88.89%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 11.11%

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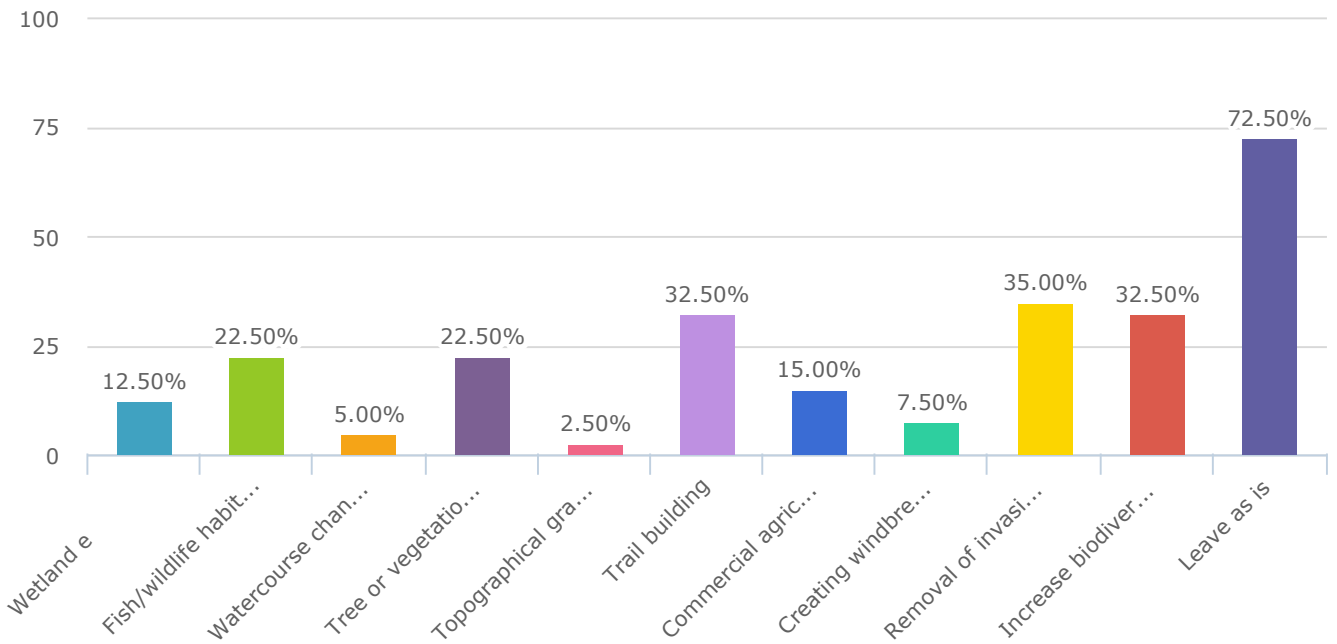
6. Do you now, or in the future, plan to use your property for any of the following?



Commercial agriculture	27.03%		10
Commercial (i.e. aggregate extraction)	2.70%		1
Industrial	0.00%		0
Managed woodlot	54.05%		20
Residence	70.27%		26
Hobby farm	35.14%		13
High impact recreation	5.41%		2
Low impact recreation	67.57%		25
Nature reserve (official or unofficial)	67.57%		25
Other	5.41%		2
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7. Do you now, or in the future, plan to alter your property in the following

# ways?

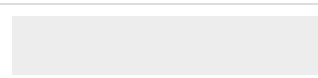


Wetland enhancement/pond creation	12.50%		5
Fish/wildlife habitat enhancement	22.50%		9
Watercourse channeling	5.00%		2
Tree or vegetation clearing	22.50%		9
Topographical grading	2.50%		1
Aggregate extraction	0.00%		0
Creating landing pad or airstrip	0.00%		0
Trail building	32.50%		13
Commercial agriculture (i.e. farming, ginseng, syrup)	15.00%		6
Creating windbreaks and/or hedgerows	7.50%		3
Removal of invasive species	35.00%		14
Increase biodiversity	32.50%		13
Leave as is	72.50%		29
Subdivide	0.00%		0



Other

0.00%



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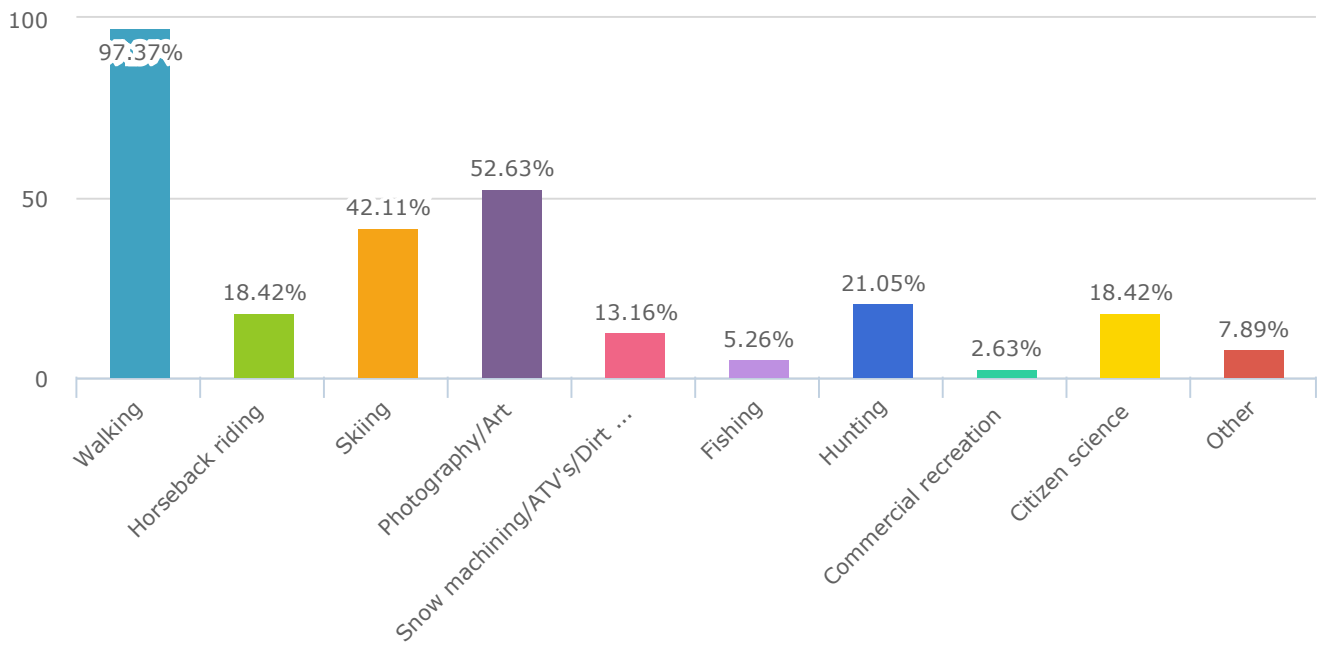
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8. Do you now, or in the future, plan to use your property for any of the following recreational activities?



Walking

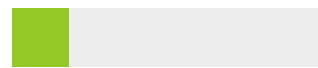
97.37%



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Horseback riding

18.42%



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Skiing

42.11%



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Photography/Art

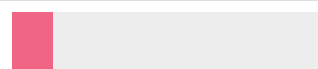
52.63%



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Snow machining/ATV's/Dirt bikes

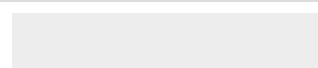
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Large group tours

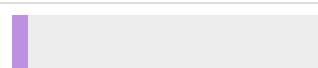
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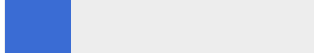
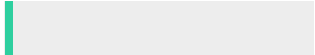
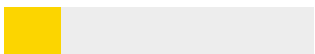
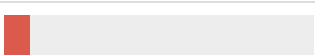
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Fishing

5.26%



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Hunting	21.05%		8
Commercial recreation	2.63%		1
Citizen science	18.42%		7
Other	7.89%		3
Total Responses			38
Skipped			2

9. What are some of your favourite mammals/trees/birds/amphibians/reptiles/wildflowers/fish/insects you have found on your property?

Total Responses	34
Skipped	6

10. On your property what are the rarest, least often seen by you (mammals, trees, birds, amphibians, reptiles, wildflowers, fish, insects)?

Total Responses	31
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11. What changes have you observed on your property in the last 5, 10, 20, +years?

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12. Tell us briefly your two favourite stories of encounters with nature on your land.

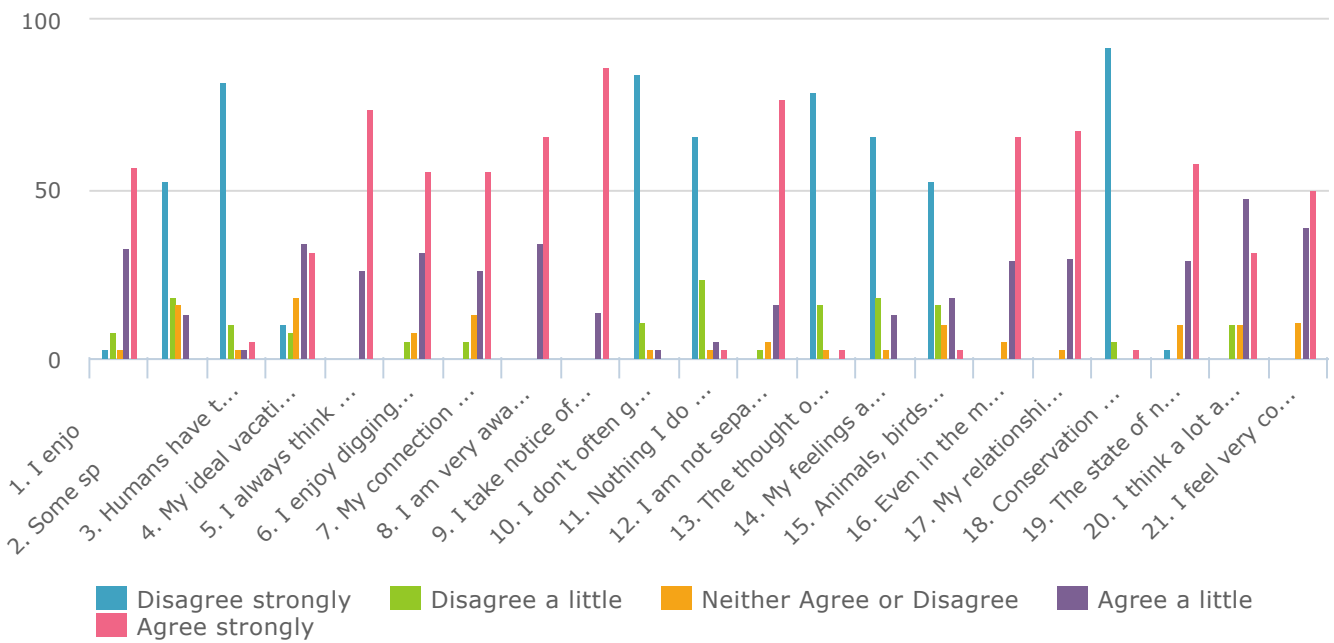
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13. The following questions are from the Ontario Trillium Foundation (OTF), the funder of this project. Huronia Land Conservancy is required by OTF to get as many participants as possible to complete these questions, in order to help OTF evaluate their impact. As with the rest of the questionnaire, your responses are completely confidential. You can also go directly to their site if you prefer

([https://otf.forumresearch.com/Survey/GP\\_P/b3f57817-7116-48e4-99ba-9adc2119b271/1?lang=en](https://otf.forumresearch.com/Survey/GP_P/b3f57817-7116-48e4-99ba-9adc2119b271/1?lang=en)) otherwise, we will input the answers on their site.



	Disagree strongly	Disagree a little	Neither Agree or Disagree	Agree a little	Agree strongly	Responses
1. I enjoy being outdoors, even in unpleasant weather.	1 2.70%	3 8.11%	1 2.70%	12 32.43%	21 56.76%	37
2. Some species are just meant to die out or become extinct.	20 52.63%	7 18.42%	6 15.79%	5 13.16%	0 0.00%	38
3. Humans have the right to use natural resources any way we want.	31 81.58%	4 10.53%	1 2.63%	1 2.63%	2 5.26%	38
4. My ideal vacation spot would be a remote, wilderness area.	4 10.53%	3 7.89%	7 18.42%	13 34.21%	12 31.58%	38
5. I always think about how my actions affect the environment.	0 0.00%	0 0.00%	0 0.00%	10 26.32%	28 73.68%	38
6. I enjoy digging in the earth and getting the dirt on my hands.	0 0.00%	2 5.26%	3 7.89%	12 31.58%	21 55.26%	38
7. My connection to	0	2	5	10	21	38

nature and the environment is a part of my spirituality.	0.00%	5.26%	13.16%	26.32%	55.26%	
8. I am very aware of environmental issues.	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>13</b> 34.21%	<b>25</b> 65.79%	38
9. I take notice of wildlife wherever I am.	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>5</b> 13.51%	<b>32</b> 86.49%	37
10. I don't often go out in nature.	<b>31</b> 83.78%	<b>4</b> 10.81%	<b>1</b> 2.70%	<b>1</b> 2.70%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	37
11. Nothing I do will change problems in other places on the planet.	<b>25</b> 65.79%	<b>9</b> 23.68%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	<b>2</b> 5.26%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	38
12. I am not separate from nature, but a part of nature.	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	<b>2</b> 5.26%	<b>6</b> 15.79%	<b>29</b> 76.32%	38
13. The thought of being deep in the woods, away from civilization, is frightening.	<b>30</b> 78.95%	<b>6</b> 15.79%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	38
14. My feelings about nature do not affect how I live my life.	<b>25</b> 65.79%	<b>7</b> 18.42%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	<b>5</b> 13.16%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	38
15. Animals, birds and plants should have fewer rights than humans.	<b>20</b> 52.63%	<b>6</b> 15.79%	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>7</b> 18.42%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	38
16. Even in the middle of the city, I notice nature around me.	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>2</b> 5.26%	<b>11</b> 28.95%	<b>25</b> 65.79%	38
17. My relationship to nature is an important part of who I am.	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 2.70%	<b>11</b> 29.73%	<b>25</b> 67.57%	37
18. Conservation is unnecessary because nature is strong enough to	<b>35</b> 92.11%	<b>2</b> 5.26%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>1</b> 2.63%	38

recover from any human impact.

19. The state of non-human species is an indicator of the future from humans.	<b>1</b> 2.63%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>11</b> 28.95%	<b>22</b> 57.89%	38
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20. I think a lot about the suffering of animals.	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>4</b> 10.53%	<b>18</b> 47.37%	<b>12</b> 31.58%	38
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21. I feel very connected to all living things and the earth.	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>0</b> 0.00%	<b>4</b> 11.11%	<b>14</b> 38.89%	<b>18</b> 50.00%	36
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