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Focus Group Findings

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A discussion with Floyd stakeholders





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Community leaders

Young citizens of Floyd

Local employers

Real estate experts

Experts in energy & finance

Housing needs are across the spectrum

"This is one of the biggest issues (in Floyd). I have watched housing go up in ways I cannot believe and I don't see incomes going up at all. I don't know how folks are dealing with this. It's important for everybody."

Community leader



"There are people working for me who are living in pretty decrepit situations, not because they can't afford it but because they cannot find anything."

Local employer

What kind of housing do Floyd residents Want & need?

"Mix of retirees wanting single floor living near downtown to walk as well as younger people ranging from \$500-\$1000 a month"

– Real estate expert

"Being able to be self-sufficient is important to me, so amenities in the home that will allow for that whether its solar or rain collecting for watering a garden, are all on my radar."

Young citizen

What types of Community amenities are important to Floyd residents?

"Community gardening and outdoor green spaces with porches and walking trails/areas seems to be a huge interest of people seeking to move here."

Real estate expert

"Whatever we do should fit well with Floyd the themes that Floyd are known for: friendly environment, arts and crafts, food - something that is Floyd. Make sure it is integrated well with the community."

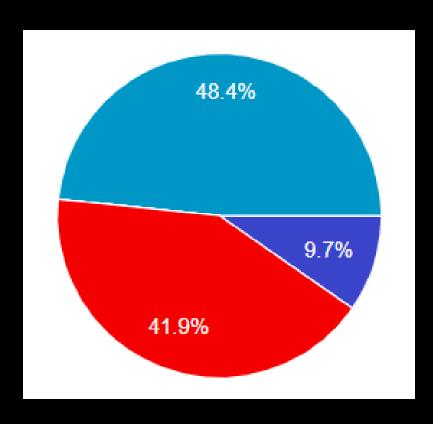
Local employer

Supplemental Survey

Small sample size – 31 individuals

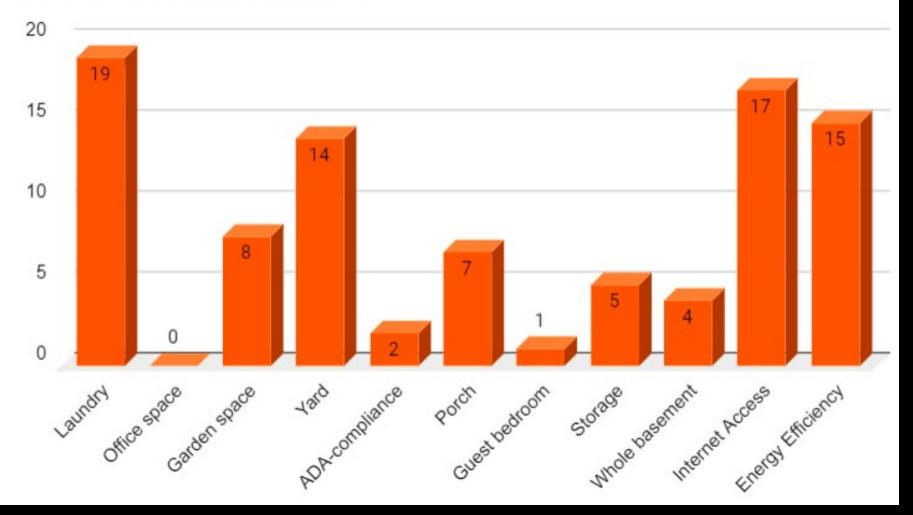


What housing type would be most appealing to you?



- Tiny home or yurt (under 400 square feet)
- Small cottage (around 1,000 square feet)
- Apartment (around 1,000 square feet)
- Duplex (1,200 to 1,800 square feet)
- Town home (1,200 to 1,800 square feet)
- Traditional single-family home (1,800 to 3,000 square feet)

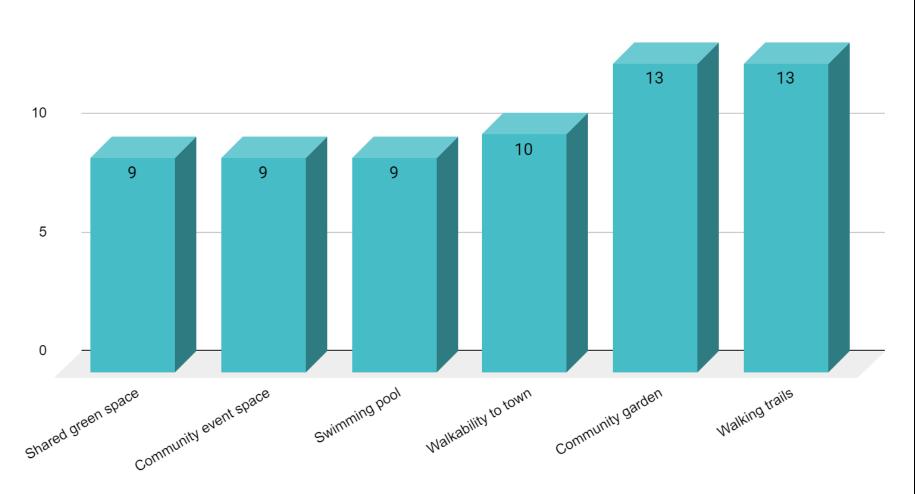






Preferred Community Amenities







Age of Participants

