



## Take Outs from 2021 Community Needs and Satisfaction Survey Results



Only 24 survey responses were received which equates to less than 7% of our population (350).

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### Our best facilities

1. Trayning Caravan Park
2. Trayning Park & Playground
3. Don Mason Community Centre
4. Public Toilets
5. Trayning Streetscapes
6. Health & Medical Services
7. Reserves & Bushland (Billyacatting, Yarragin etc)

### Our worst facilities

1. Yelbeni Streetscapes
2. Rural Gravel Roads
3. Refuse Sites
4. Rural Bitumen Roads
5. Trayning Town Hall

The only category where there were more negative than positive results was Yelbeni Streetscapes

### Our most important services

1. Roads
2. Local Shop
3. Medical Services
4. Employment
5. Safety and Security
6. Bush Fire Control/Emergency Services

### Our least important services

1. Library
2. Culture
3. Dog Control
4. Halls
5. Youth Facilities

### What do we need to focus on improving?

Our biggest priority for improvement needs to be our rural roads with the roads being identified as the most important service we provide and one of the areas of least satisfaction.

### Satisfaction with the Shire/Services

All categories received significantly more positive than negative responses.

### Sharing Information

The three main sources of information were the Ninghan News, word of mouth and facebook. The majority of people find information easy to get, the biggest improvement in communication people wanted is more substance in the Ninghan News.

### Community Connections

The majority of people felt strong connections to the community and were satisfied with their level of community involvement. Just over half of respondents felt strongly or very strongly that they were part of the community.

### Our biggest issues in next 5-10 years

1. Employment opportunities for young people
2. Maintaining numbers at the local primary school
3. Attracting more population to the area
4. Lack of services from local businesses

The majority of people thought that the Shire should incentivise new business/services and would be willing to pay more for improvements. The majority of respondents lived in the Trayning townsite or rural properties and owned the property they lived in.

*Thank you everyone who completed a survey!*

