

Kitsap County Department of Community Development 2019 Zoning Use Table Update Summary of County-wide Survey

In June 2019, Kitsap County Department of Community Development conducted a survey for a project that will update the County's allowed land use tables. The purpose of the survey was to understand what people that live, work, or visit Kitsap County would like to see built in their communities. The survey contained ten questions that focused on:

• Participants relationship with Kitsap County (resident, business owner, developer, or visitor);



- the level of support participants have for the project goals;
- what participants would like to see built in the communities they live, work, or play in; and
- general demographic questions.

The survey was distributed to approximately 22,000 individuals via the County's GovDelivery electronic notification system, Nextdoor, Facebook and public meetings held throughout June, July, and August. The survey was open for six weeks. A total of 530 responses were received.

The major themes that emerged from the county-wide survey include:

- Most participants live in unincorporated Kitsap County: Approximately 83% of respondents reported that they live in unincorporated Kitsap County.
- Most participants live in Urban Growth Areas: Approximately 66% of respondents reported that they live in Urban Growth Areas in Kitsap County (Bremerton, Central Kitsap, Gorst, Kingston, Port Orchard, Poulsbo, and Silverdale).
- Most participants support project goals:
 - 32% of respondents expressed support for adding new land uses in appropriate zones.
 - 48% of respondents were supportive of adding neighborhood businesses and services in rural areas to meet the needs of area residents.
 - 58% of respondents were supportive of reducing level of permit review to remove barriers to investment.
 - 75% of respondents expressed support for changes that would reduce surprises in the permit review process.
 - 74% of respondents were supportive of changes that would promote predictability and streamline existing regulations, and lastly.
 - 48% of respondents support changes that would promote diverse housing options.
- Most participants want to see single-family housing, neighborhood businesses and services, and less industrial uses where they live: Respondents reported that they would like to see more single-family housing, mother-in-law units, tiny homes, live-work units, and less of or no townhomes, apartments, and mobile homes where they live. Respondents reported that they would like to see more businesses and services such as restaurants, coffee shops, bakeries, grocery stores, daycares, healthcare services, and tourism facilities and less of or no professional offices and home improvement stores where they live. Additionally, most respondents reported that they would like to see less of or no industrial uses such as assembly and packaging services,



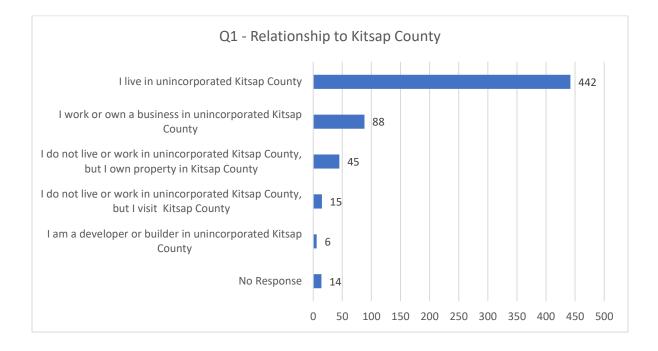
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- Most participants want to see less industrial uses where they work: Most respondents did not provide a response for what type of housing they would like to see where they work. Those who did respond reported that they would like to see more single-family housing, apartments, condos, mother-in-law units, live-work units, and less of or no townhomes and mobile homes. Similarly, most respondents did not provide a response for what types of businesses and services that they would like to see where they work. Those who did respond reported that they would like to see where they work. Those who did respond reported that they would like to see where they work. Those who did respond reported that they would like to see where they work. Those who did respond reported that they would like to see more restaurants, coffee shops, bakeries, arts & crafts shops, grocery stores, drinking establishments, daycares, healthcare services, fitness centers, marine supply stores, and tourism facilities where they work. Respondents reported they would like to see more assembly and production facilities and food production facilities and less of or no contractor storage yards, indoor storage facilities, and distribution where they work.
- Most participants would like to see a variety of businesses and services where they visit:
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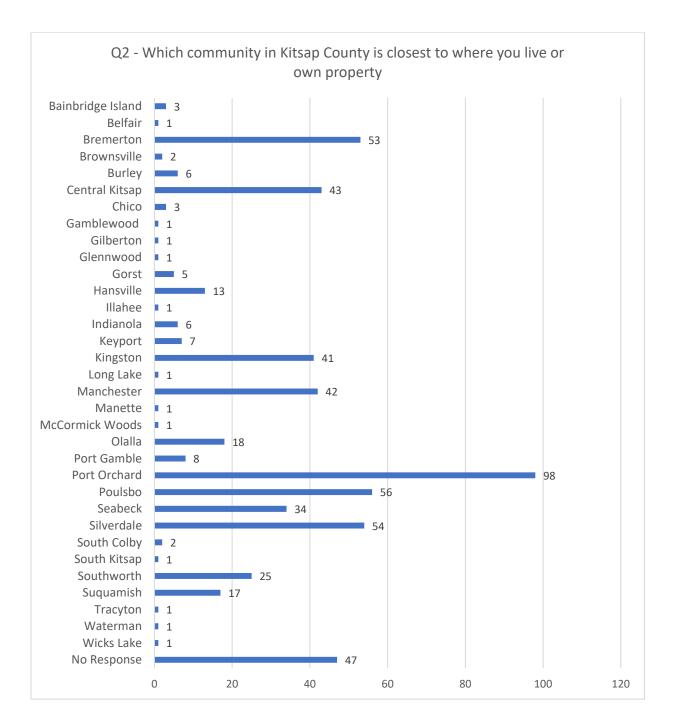
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The graphs that follow display the responses to questions asked in the county-wide survey.

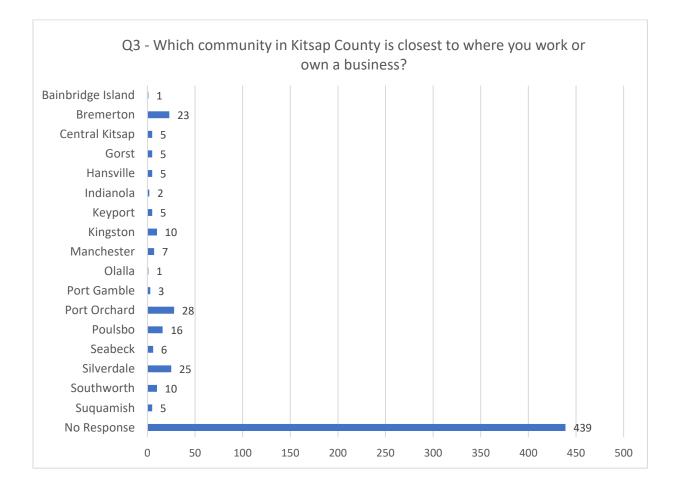
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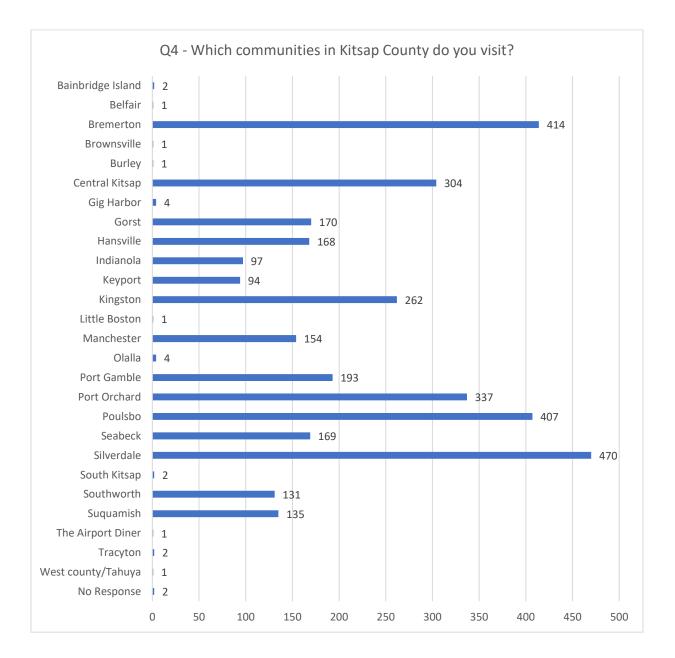
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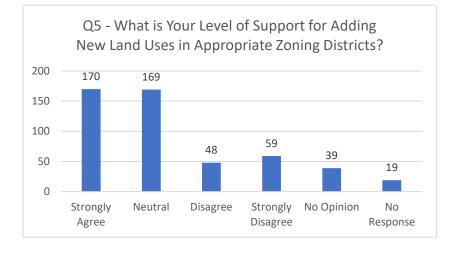
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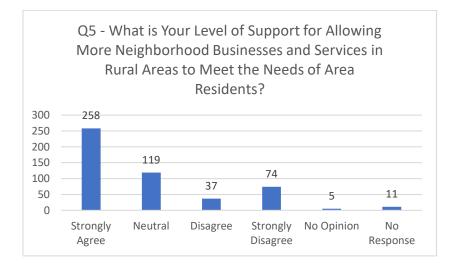


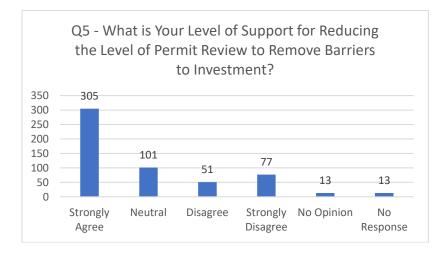
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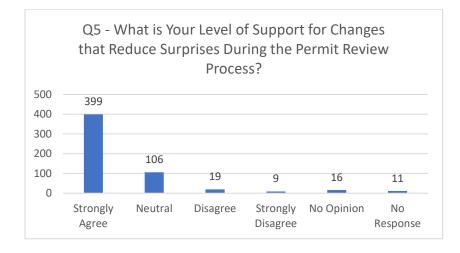


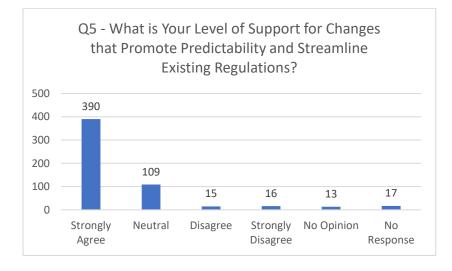
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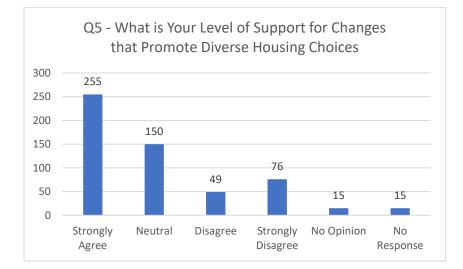




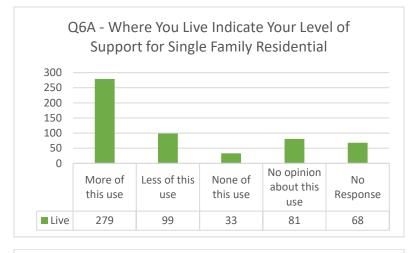


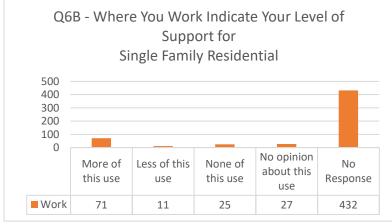


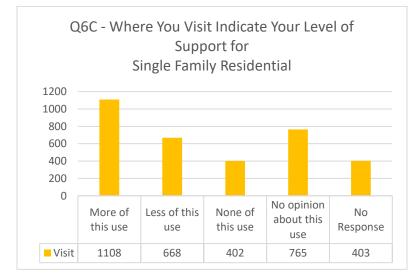




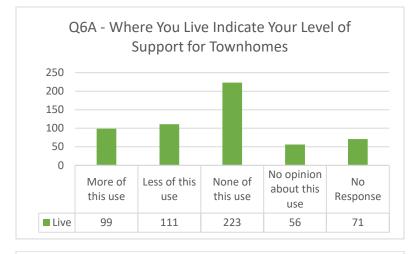
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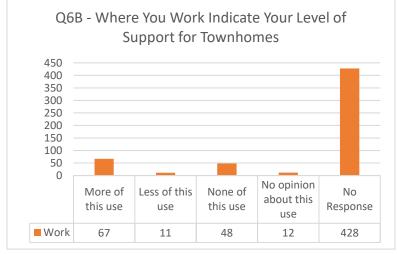


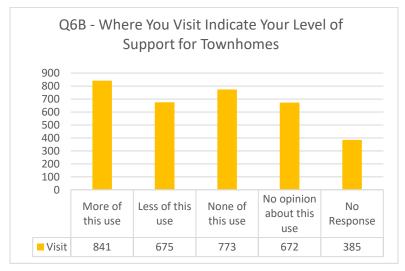




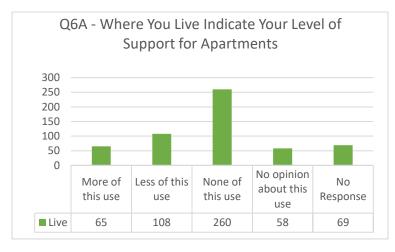
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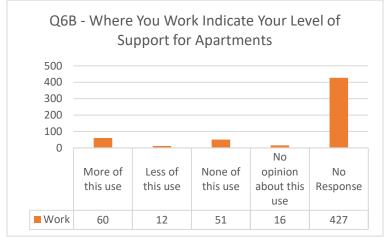


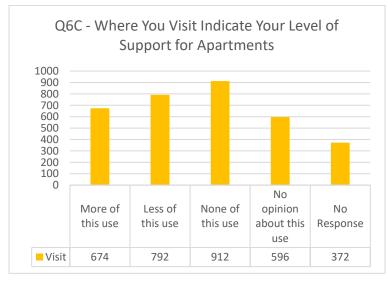




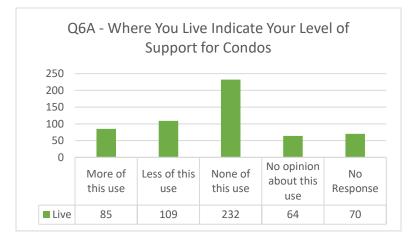
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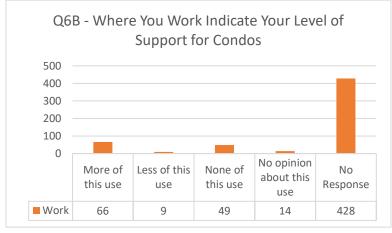


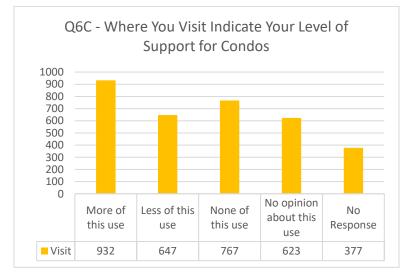




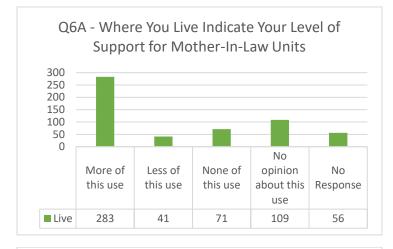
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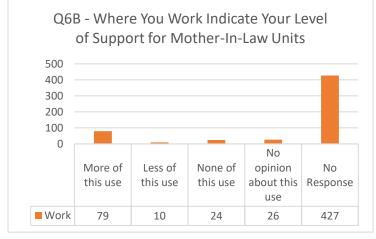


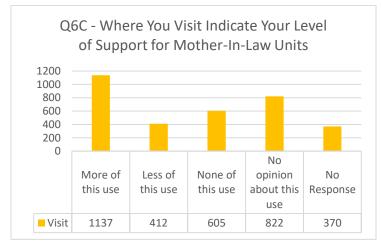




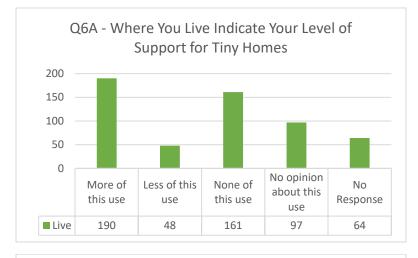
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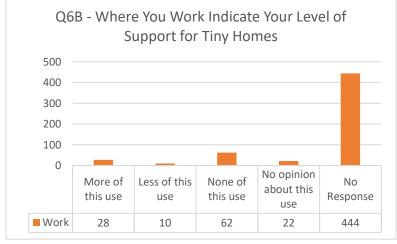


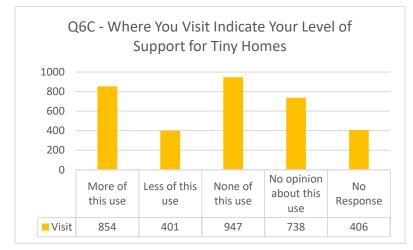




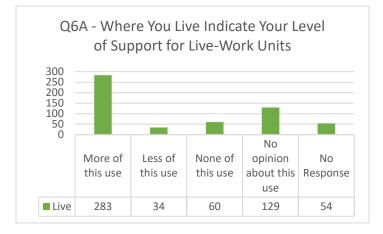
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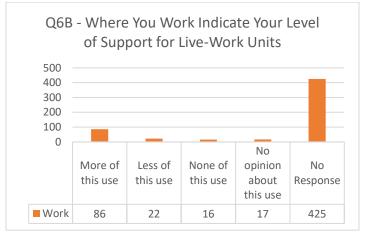


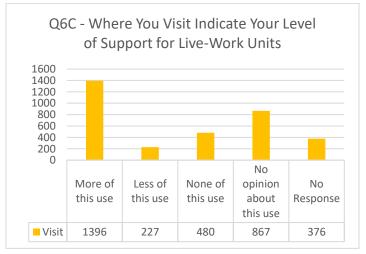




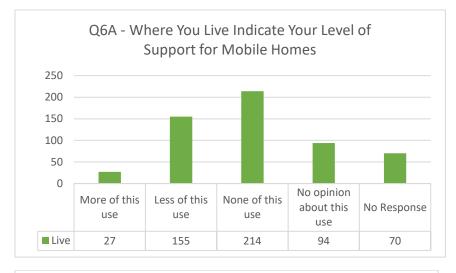
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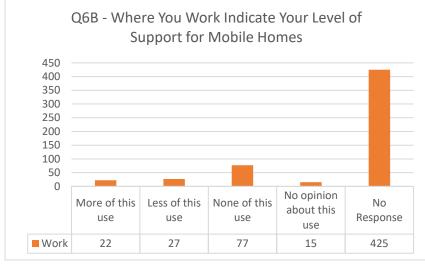


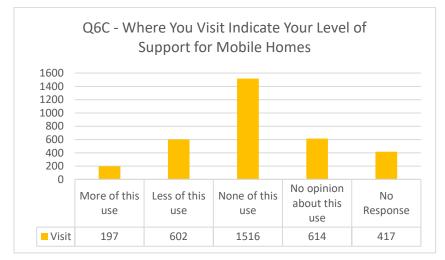




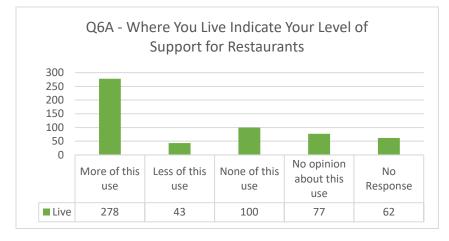
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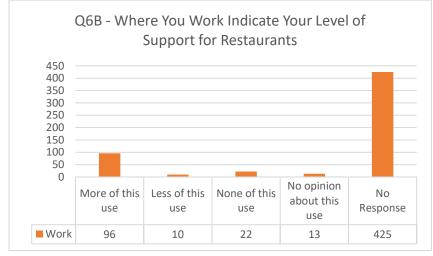


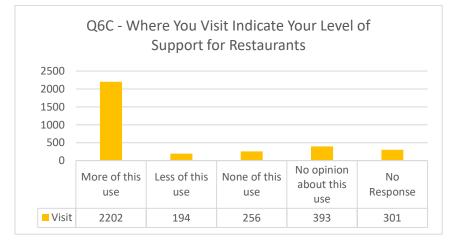




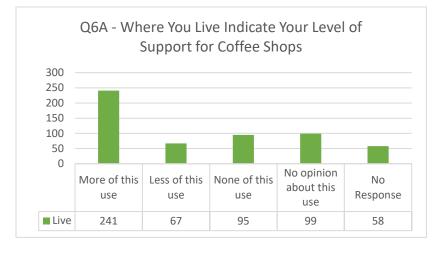
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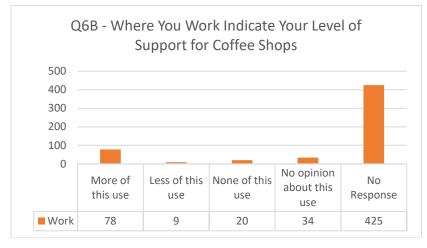






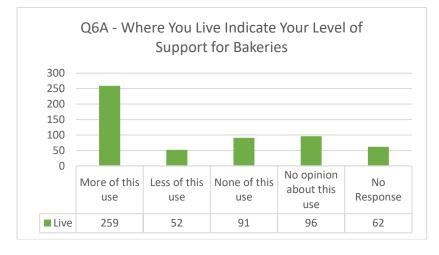
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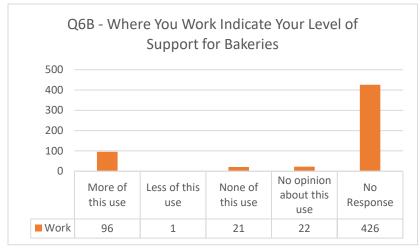


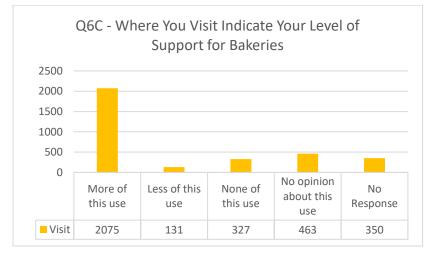




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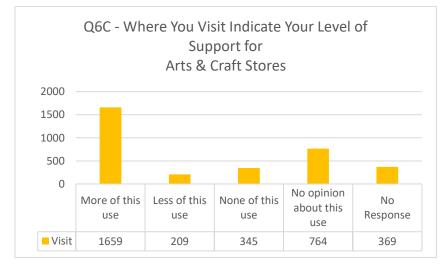




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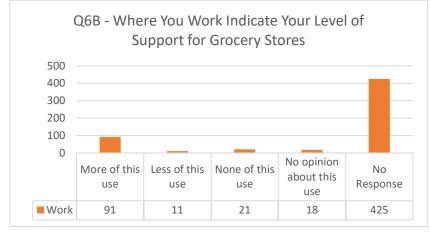






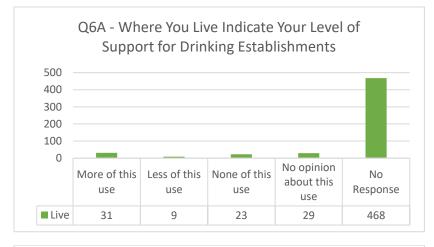
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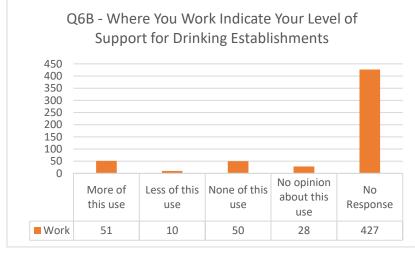


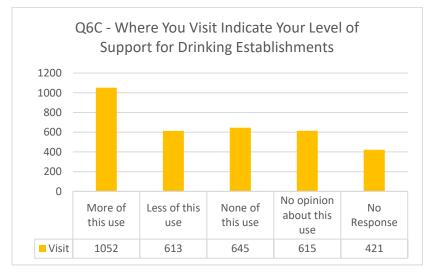




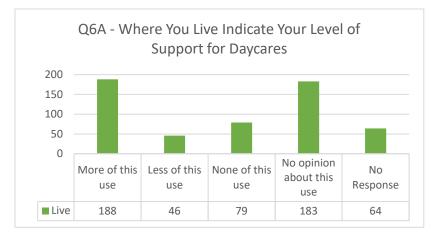
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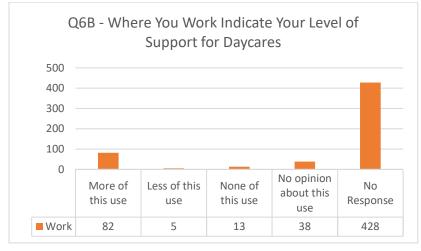


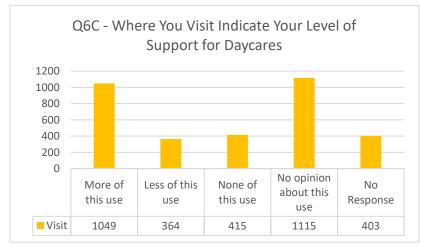




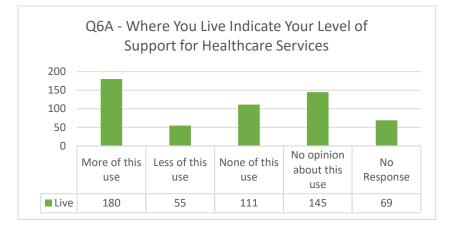
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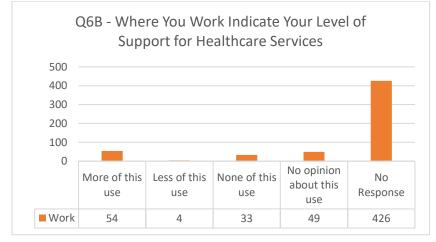


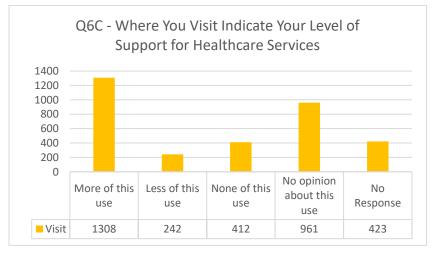




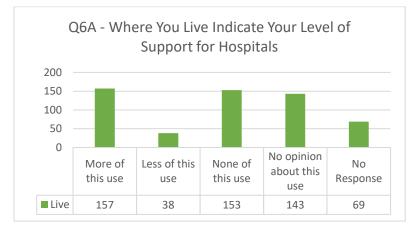
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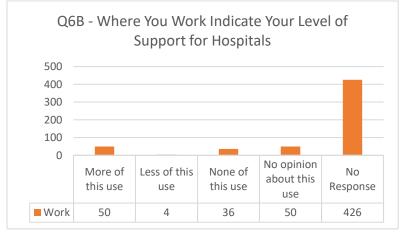


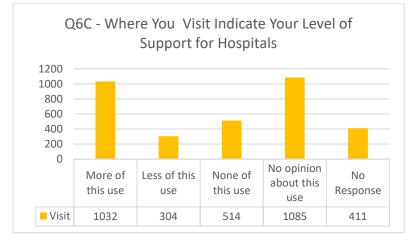




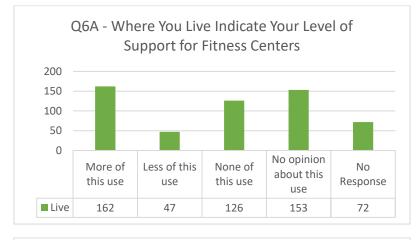
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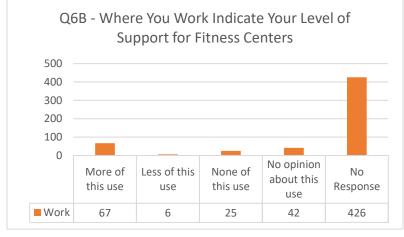






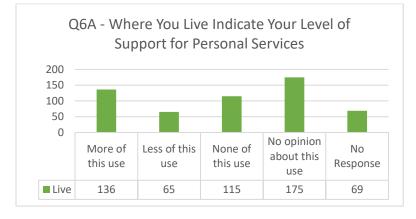
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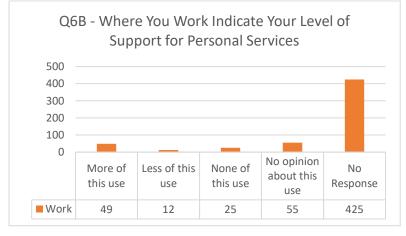


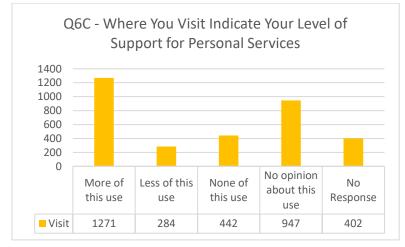




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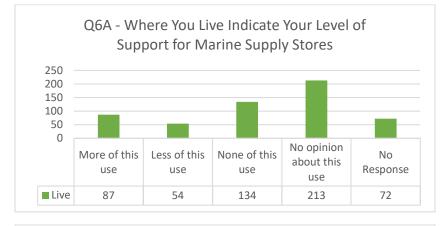
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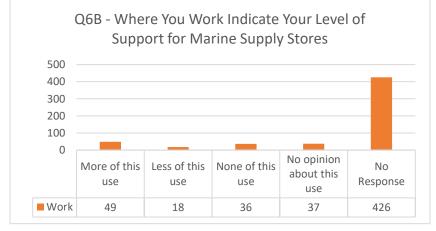






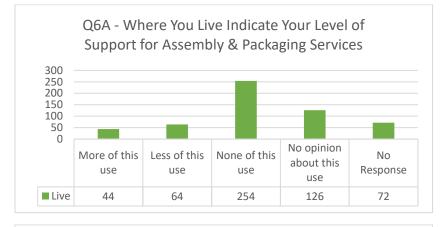
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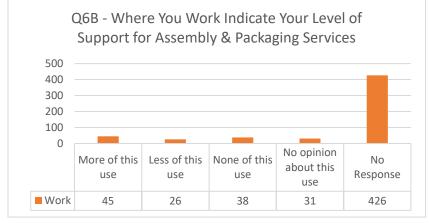


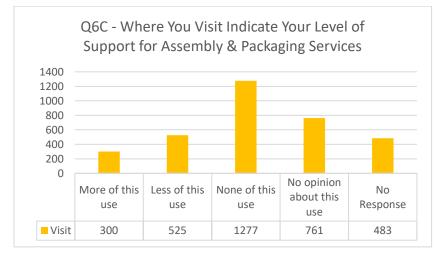




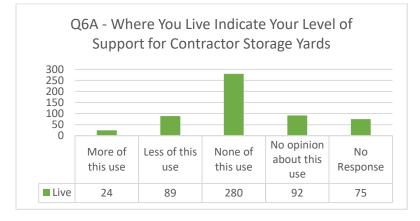
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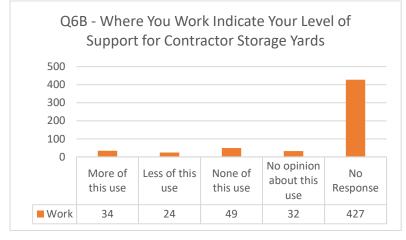


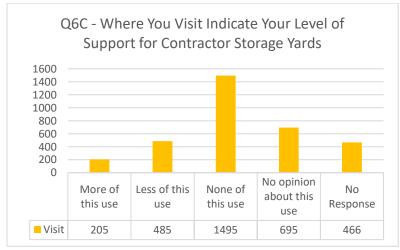




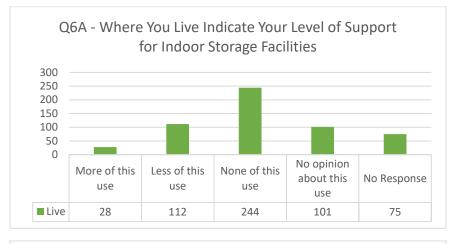
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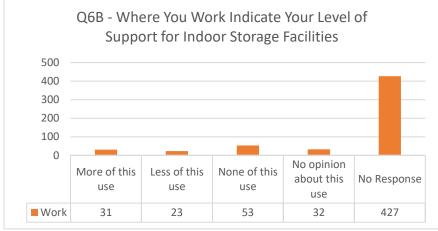


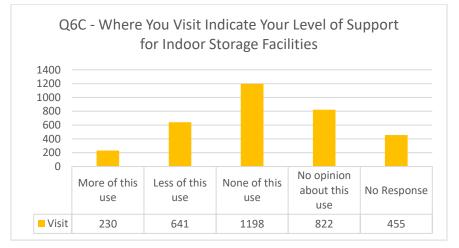




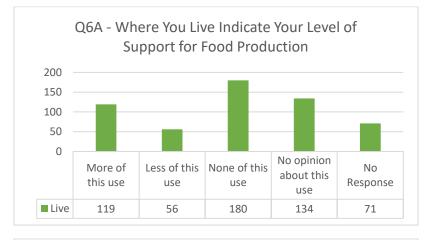
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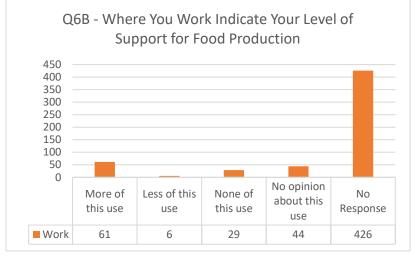


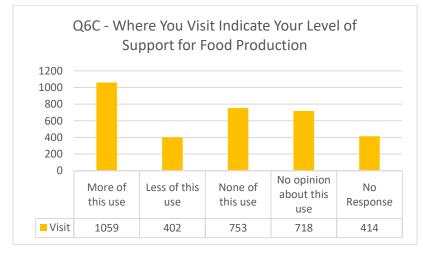




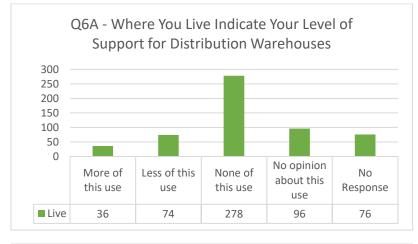
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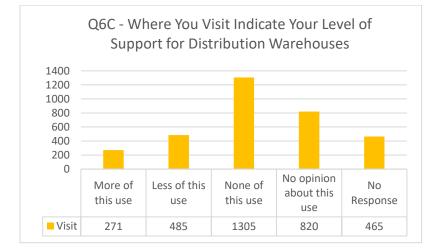




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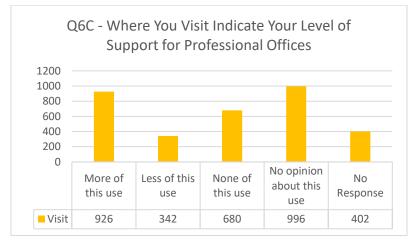




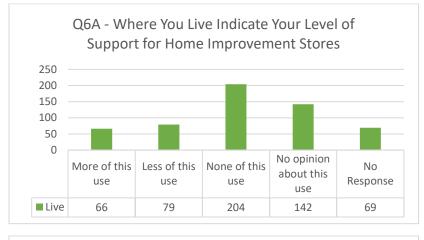
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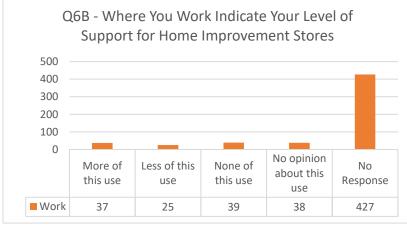


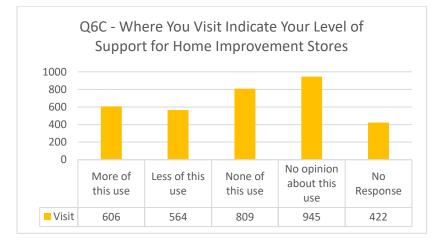




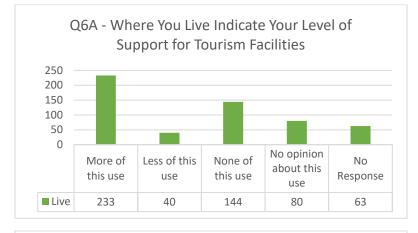
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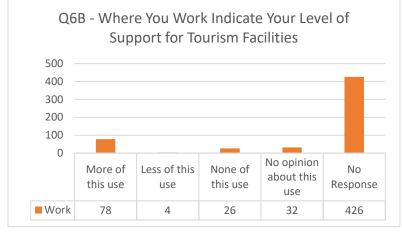






Level of Support for Tourism Facilities







General Questions

