

Tuggerah Lakes / Lake Macquarie Community Survey 2015 : Summary report

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Matrix 1 - Swimming	33
Matrix 1 - Cycling around the foreshore	33
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Question 1: What is your name?

Name

There were 128 responses to this part of the question.

Question 2: What is your email address?

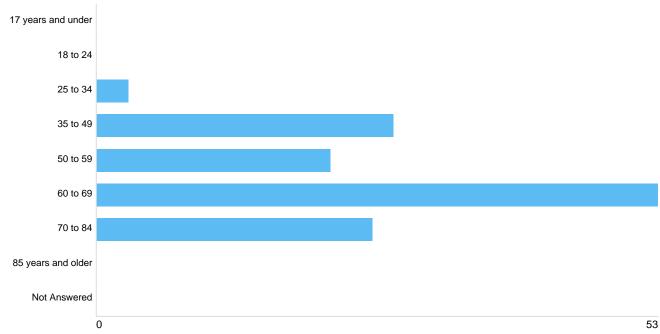
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There were 112 responses to this part of the question.



Question 3: What is your age?

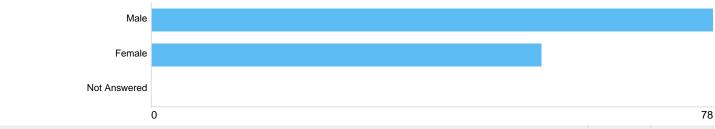
Age



Option	Total	Percent
17 years and under	0	0%
18 to 24	0	0%
25 to 34	3	2.27%
35 to 49	28	21.21%
50 to 59	22	16.67%
60 to 69	53	40.15%
70 to 84	26	19.70%
85 years and older	0	0%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 4: What is your gender?

Gender



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Option	Total	Percent
Male	78	59.09%
Female	54	40.91%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 5: What is your suburb?

Suburb

There were 132 responses to this part of the question.



Question 6: Do you work for Wyong Shire Council?

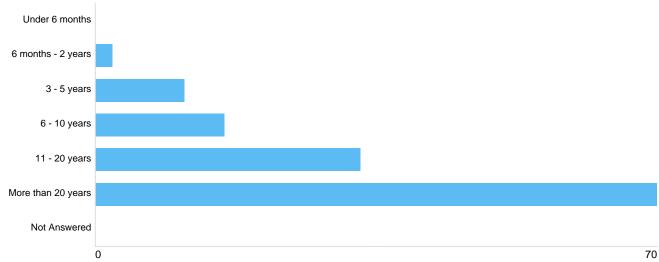
WSC staff



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Option	Total	Percent
Yes	4	3.03%
No	126	95.45%
Not Answered	2	1.52%

Question 7: How long have you lived in Wyong Shire?

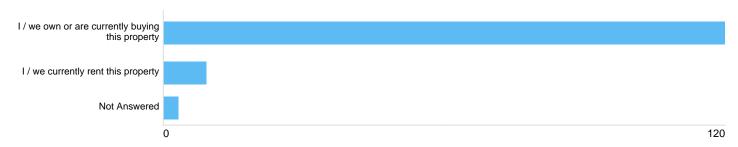
How long have you lived in Wyong Shire



Option	Total	Percent
Under 6 months	0	0%
6 months - 2 years	2	1.52%
3 - 5 years	11	8.33%
6 - 10 years	16	12.12%
11 - 20 years	33	25.00%
More than 20 years	70	53.03%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 8: Which of the following best describes where you are currently living?

Own or rent





Option	Total	Percent
I / we own or are currently buying this property	120	90.91%
I / we currently rent this property	9	6.82%
Not Answered	3	2.27%

Question 9: Are you able to name any of the large lakes that are in or near the Wyong Shire?

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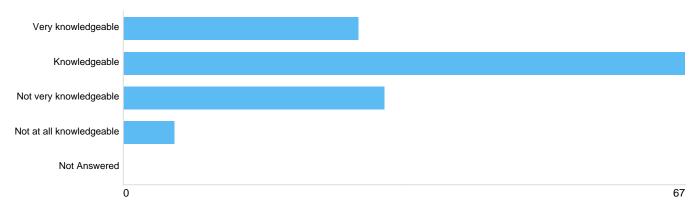
Option	Total	Percent
Yes	131	99.24%
No	1	0.76%
Not Answered	0	0%

If yes, please list

There were **131** responses to this part of the question.

Question 10: Thinking of the lakes closest to you, how knowledgeable do you believe you are in terms of their health and long-term sustainability?

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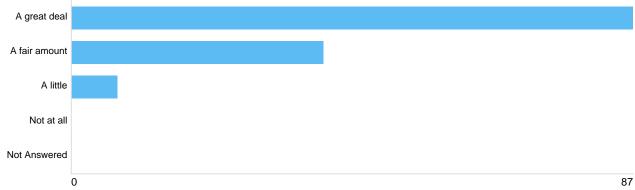




Option	Total	Percent
Very knowledgeable	28	21.21%
Knowledgeable	67	50.76%
Not very knowledgeable	31	23.48%
Not at all knowledgeable	6	4.55%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 11: Are you concerned about environmental and sustainability issues affecting the lakes?

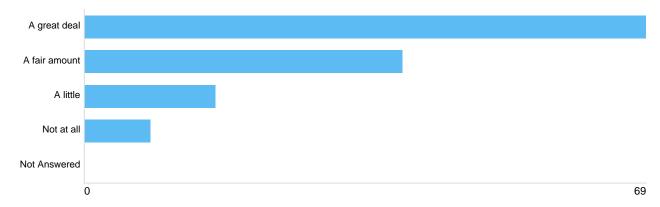
Are you concerned about environmental and sustainability issues affecting the lakes



Option	Total	Percent
A great deal	87	65.91%
A fair amount	39	29.55%
A little	7	5.30%
Not at all	0	0%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 12: Are you concerned about visual issues and impacts on aquatic recreation activities affecting the lakes?

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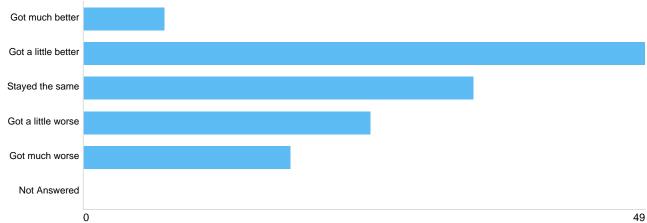




Option	Total	Percent
A great deal	69	52.27%
A fair amount	39	29.55%
A little	16	12.12%
Not at all	8	6.06%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 13: Looking back over the last 8-10 years, do you think that the quality of the lakes has:

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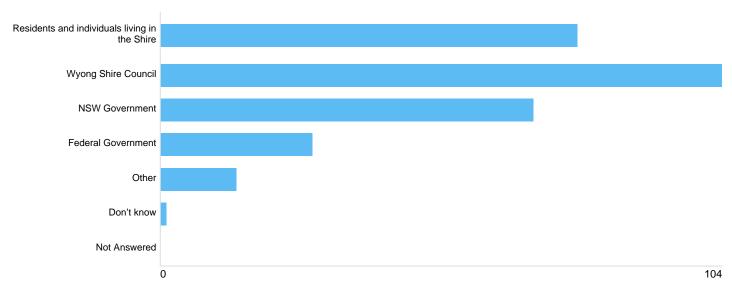
Option	Total	Percent
Got much better	7	5.30%
Got a little better	49	37.12%
Stayed the same	34	25.76%
Got a little worse	25	18.94%
Got much worse	18	13.64%
Not Answered	0	0%

If rated 'better' or 'worse', why do you say that?

There were 89 responses to this part of the question.

Question 14: Who do you believe is responsible for improving the quality of Tuggerah Lakes?

Who do you believe is responsible for improving the quality of Tuggerah Lakes?





Option	Total	Percent
Residents and individuals living in the Shire	77	58.33%
Wyong Shire Council	104	78.79%
NSW Government	69	52.27%
Federal Government	28	21.21%
Other	14	10.61%
Don't know	1	0.76%
Not Answered	0	0%

If 'other', who?

There were 23 responses to this part of the question.

Question 15: In order of importance, what are the 3 key things you believe need to be done to assist in maintaining healthy lakes?

1.

There were 132 responses to this part of the question.

2.

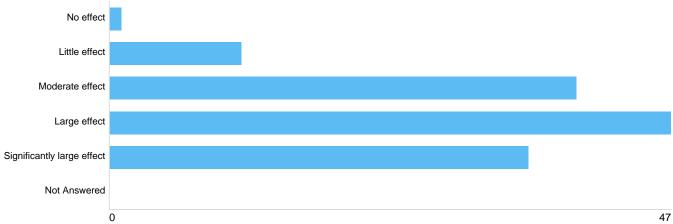
There were 113 responses to this part of the question.

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There were **110** responses to this part of the question.

Question 16: What effect do you think residents living and working in Wyong Shire have on the lakes?

What effect do you think residents living and working in Wyong Shire have on the lakes?



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Option	Total	Percent
No effect	1	0.76%
Little effect	11	8.33%
Moderate effect	39	29.55%
Large effect	47	35.61%
Significantly large effect	35	26.52%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 17: In order of importance, what are the 3 key things you believe that you and your household can do to assist in maintaining healthy lakes?

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There were 121 responses to this part of the question.

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There were ${f 103}$ responses to this part of the question.

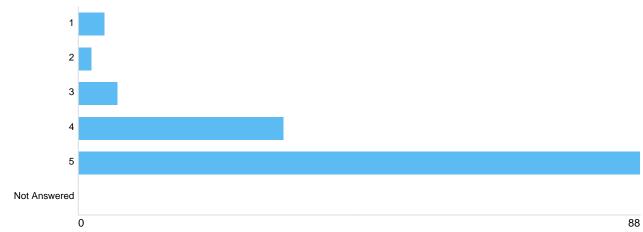


3.

There were 88 responses to this part of the question.

Question 18: Please rate the importance of 13 specific environmental and sustainability issues in the Wyong Shire Council area that have an impact on the lakes. Please rate on a scale of 1-5 where 1 is not at all important and 5 is very important.

Matrix 1 - Maintaining the health of underwater grass or plants in the lake. These are known as seagrasses.



Option	Total	Percent
1	4	3.03%
2	2	1.52%
3	6	4.55%
4	32	24.24%
5	88	66.67%
Not Answered	0	0%

Matrix 1 - Ensuring urban development is sensitive to the lakes





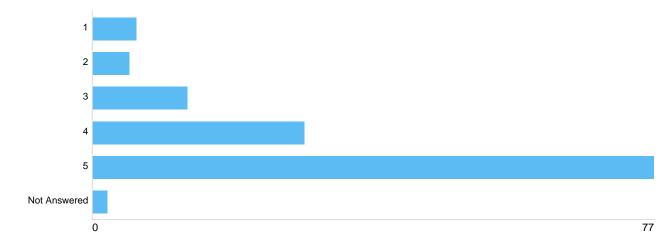
Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	3	2.27%
3	5	3.79%
4	18	13.64%
5	105	79.55%
Not Answered	0	0%

Matrix 1 - Ensuring that drainage and stormwater systems are environmentally sensitive



Option	Total	Percent
1	2	1.52%
2	0	0%
3	2	1.52%
4	17	12.88%
5	111	84.09%
Not Answered	0	0%

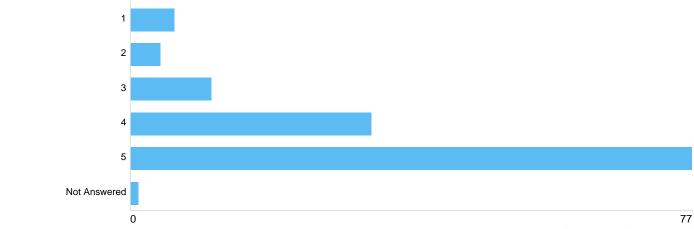
Matrix 1 - Maintaining and increasing natural vegetation around the lakes' foreshores





Option	Total	Percent
1	6	4.55%
2	5	3.79%
3	13	9.85%
4	29	21.97%
5	77	58.33%
Not Answered	2	1.52%

Matrix 1 - Maintaining healthy low growing lake foreshore vegetation. These are known as salt marshes.



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Option	Total	Percent
1	6	4.55%
2	4	3.03%
3	11	8.33%
4	33	25.00%
5	77	58.33%
Not Answered	1	0.76%

Matrix 1 - Ensuring that creeks in the area are clean and healthy





Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	0	0%
3	2	1.52%
4	12	9.09%
5	116	87.88%
Not Answered	1	0.76%

Matrix 1 - Ensuring excess nutrients from such things as lawn clippings, fertiliser, pesticides, detergents and dog droppings do not leach into the creeks and waterways



Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	0	0%
3	3	2.27%
4	14	10.61%
5	114	86.36%
Not Answered	0	0%

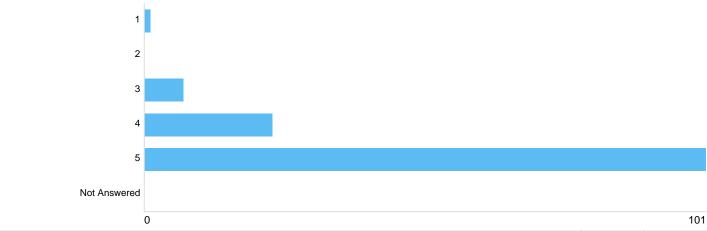
Matrix 1 - Ensuring that sediment from erosion and building sites does not leach into the creeks and waterways





Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	0	0%
3	5	3.79%
4	19	14.39%
5	107	81.06%
Not Answered	0	0%

Matrix 1 - Reducing litter around waterways



Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	0	0%
3	7	5.30%
4	23	17.42%
5	101	76.52%
Not Answered	0	0%

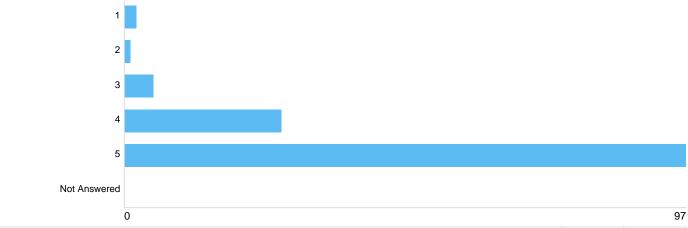
Matrix 1 - Regularly maintaining the litter traps at the end of big stormwater drains





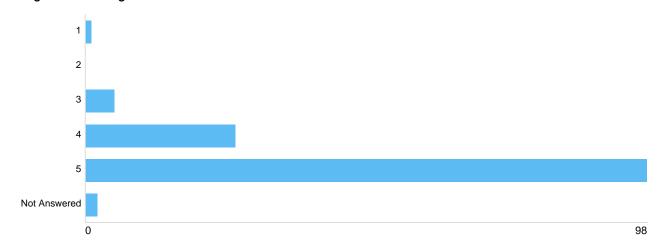
Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	0	0%
3	1	0.76%
4	16	12.12%
5	112	84.85%
Not Answered	2	1.52%

Matrix 1 - Improving the quality of creek and stream beds



Option	Total	Percent
1	2	1.52%
2	1	0.76%
3	5	3.79%
4	27	20.45%
5	97	73.48%
Not Answered	0	0%

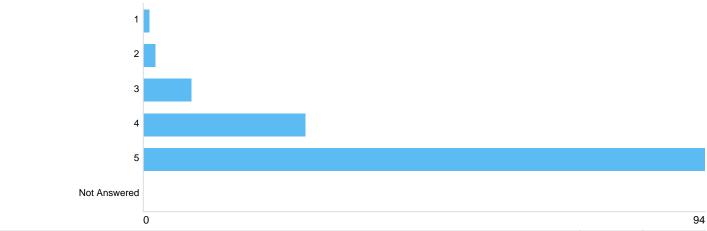
Matrix 1 - Protecting and enhancing the lakes and their catchments





Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	0	0%
3	5	3.79%
4	26	19.70%
5	98	74.24%
Not Answered	2	1.52%

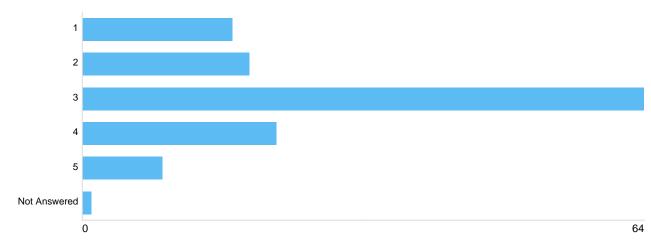
Matrix 1 - Protecting and enhancing other ecosystems in the Shire such as wetlands, forests and the coastline



Option	Total	Percent
1	1	0.76%
2	2	1.52%
3	8	6.06%
4	27	20.45%
5	94	71.21%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 19: Please rate your satisfaction with the current actions being taken for these issues. 1 is very dissatisfied and 5 is very satisfied.

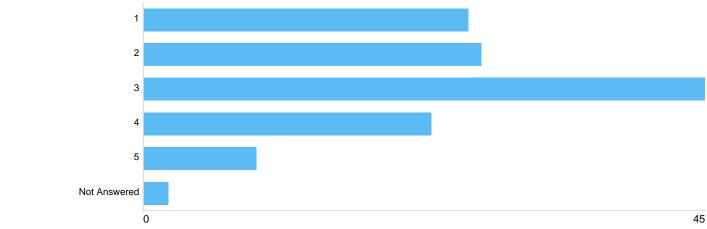
Matrix 1 - Maintaining the health of underwater grass or plants in the lake. These are known as seagrasses





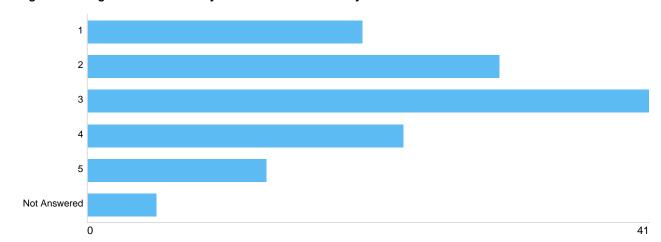
Option	Total	Percent
1	17	12.88%
2	19	14.39%
3	64	48.48%
4	22	16.67%
5	9	6.82%
Not Answered	1	0.76%

Matrix 1 - Ensuring urban development is sensitive to the lakes



Option	Total	Percent
1	26	19.70%
2	27	20.45%
3	45	34.09%
4	23	17.42%
5	9	6.82%
Not Answered	2	1.52%

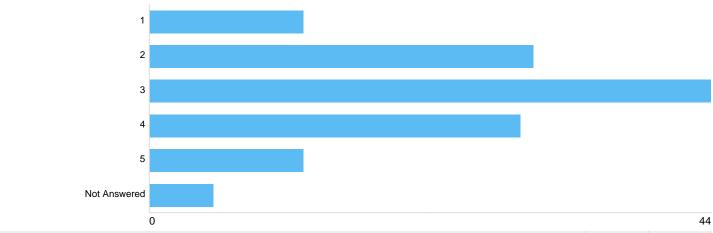
Matrix 1 - Ensuring that drainage and stormwater systems are environmentally sensitive





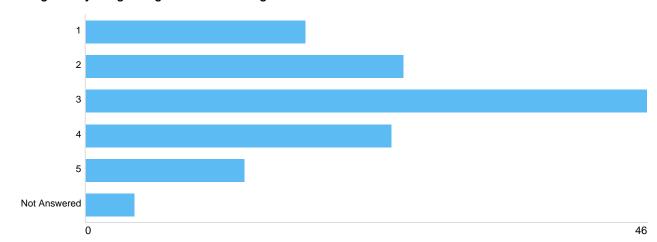
Option	Total	Percent
1	20	15.15%
2	30	22.73%
3	41	31.06%
4	23	17.42%
5	13	9.85%
Not Answered	5	3.79%

Matrix 1 - Maintaining and increasing natural vegetation around the lakes' foreshores



Option	Total	Percent
1	12	9.09%
2	30	22.73%
3	44	33.33%
4	29	21.97%
5	12	9.09%
Not Answered	5	3.79%

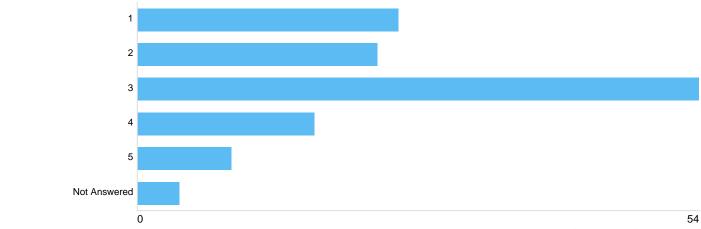
Matrix 1 - Maintaining healthy low growing lake foreshore vegetation. These are known as salt marshes.





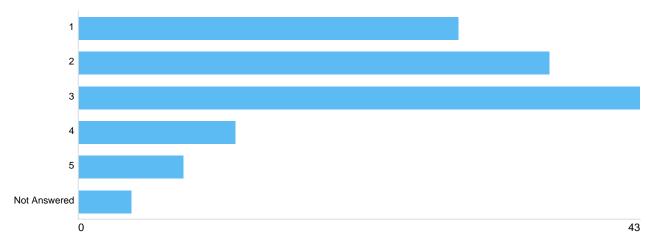
Option	Total	Percent
1	18	13.64%
2	26	19.70%
3	46	34.85%
4	25	18.94%
5	13	9.85%
Not Answered	4	3.03%

Matrix 1 - Ensuring that creeks in the area are clean and healthy



Option	Total	Percent
1	25	18.94%
2	23	17.42%
3	54	40.91%
4	17	12.88%
5	9	6.82%
Not Answered	4	3.03%

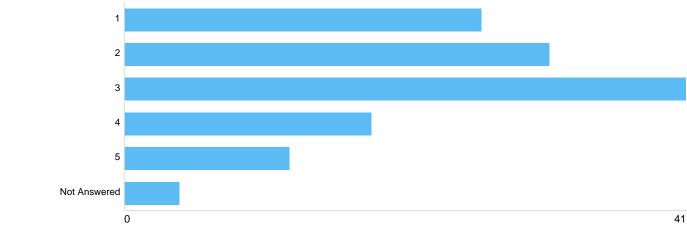
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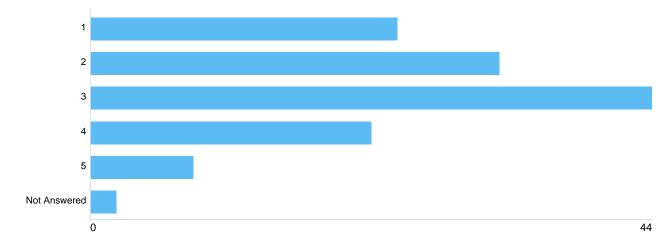
Option	Total	Percent
1	29	21.97%
2	36	27.27%
3	43	32.58%
4	12	9.09%
5	8	6.06%
Not Answered	4	3.03%

Matrix 1 - Ensuring that sediment from erosion and building sites does not leach into the creeks and waterways



Option	Total	Percent
1	26	19.70%
2	31	23.48%
3	41	31.06%
4	18	13.64%
5	12	9.09%
Not Answered	4	3.03%

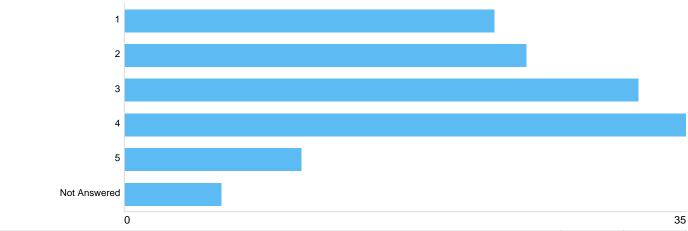
Matrix 1 - Reducing litter around waterways





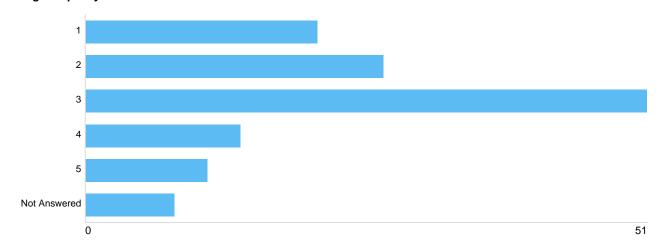
Option	Total	Percent
1	24	18.18%
2	32	24.24%
3	44	33.33%
4	22	16.67%
5	8	6.06%
Not Answered	2	1.52%

Matrix 1 - Regularly maintaining the litter traps at the end of big stormwater drains



Option	Total	Percent
1	23	17.42%
2	25	18.94%
3	32	24.24%
4	35	26.52%
5	11	8.33%
Not Answered	6	4.55%

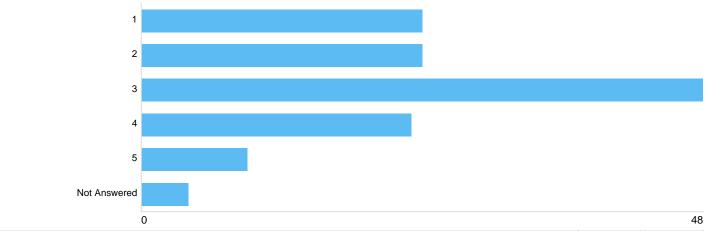
Matrix 1 - Improving the quality of creek and stream beds





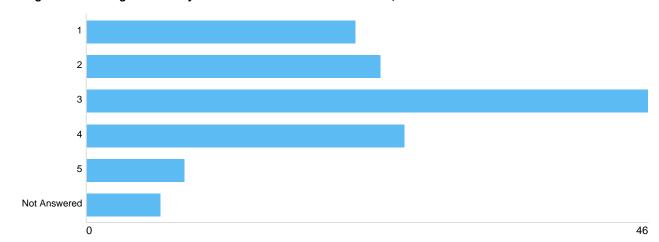
Option	Total	Percent
1	21	15.91%
2	27	20.45%
3	51	38.64%
4	14	10.61%
5	11	8.33%
Not Answered	8	6.06%

Matrix 1 - Protecting and enhancing the lakes and their catchments



Option	Total	Percent
1	24	18.18%
2	24	18.18%
3	48	36.36%
4	23	17.42%
5	9	6.82%
Not Answered	4	3.03%

Matrix 1 - Protecting and enhancing other ecosystems in the Shire such as wetlands, forests and the coastline





Option	Total	Percent
1	22	16.67%
2	24	18.18%
3	46	34.85%
4	26	19.70%
5	8	6.06%
Not Answered	6	4.55%

Question 20: Were you aware that water flowing down the rivers and creeks that drain into the lakes can dramatically affect the quality of the lakes?

Were you aware that water flowing down the rivers and creeks that drain into the lakes can dramatically affect the quality of the lakes?



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	132	100.00%
No	0	0%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 21: Before today, were you aware that the environmentally important seagrasses found in the lakes are a protected species and that approvals are required to remove even the dead weed (or wrack)?

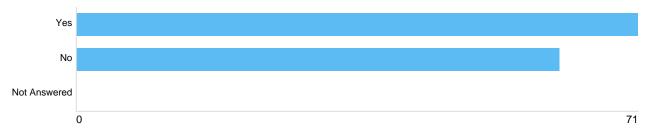
Before today, were you aware that the environmentally important seagrasses found in the lakes are a protected species and that approvals are required to remove even the dead weed (or wrack)?



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Option		Total	Percent
Yes		81	61.36%
No		51	38.64%
Not Answered		0	0%

Question 22: Did you know that the endangered salt marsh found around the edges of the lakes helps to dry out the dead seagrass leaves or wrack, which can help to alleviate the smell that can sometimes occur?

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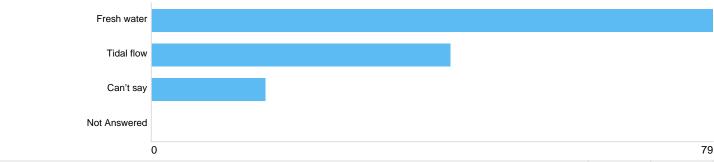




Option	Total	Percent
Yes	71	53.79%
No	61	46.21%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 23: What do you think has a greater effect on water quality in Tuggerah Lakes, fresh water flows from creeks and stormwater drains or tidal flow through the channel mouth at The Entrance?

What do you think has a greater effect on water quality in Tuggerah Lakes, fresh water flows from creeks and stormwater drains or tidal flow through the channel mouth at The Entrance?



Option	Total	Percent
Fresh water	79	59.85%
Tidal flow	42	31.82%
Can't say	16	12.12%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 24: After rainwater falls on your property, do you know where the run-off flows to?

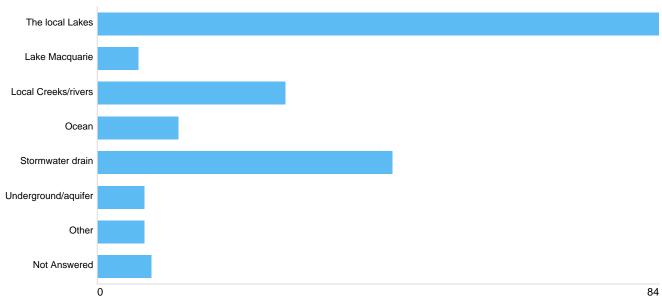
After rainwater falls on your property, do you know where the run-off flows to?





Option	Total	Percent
Yes	122	92.42%
No	10	7.58%
Not Answered	0	0%

After rainwater falls on your property, do you know where the run-off flows to?



Option	Total	Percent
The local Lakes	84	63.64%
Lake Macquarie	6	4.55%
Local Creeks/rivers	28	21.21%
Ocean	12	9.09%
Stormwater drain	44	33.33%
Underground/aquifer	7	5.30%
Other	7	5.30%
Not Answered	8	6.06%

If other please complete

There were 15 responses to this part of the question.

Question 25: Are you aware that the lakes of the Tuggerah Lakes estuary are, on average, less than 2m deep, whilst Lake Macquarie averages 8m deep?

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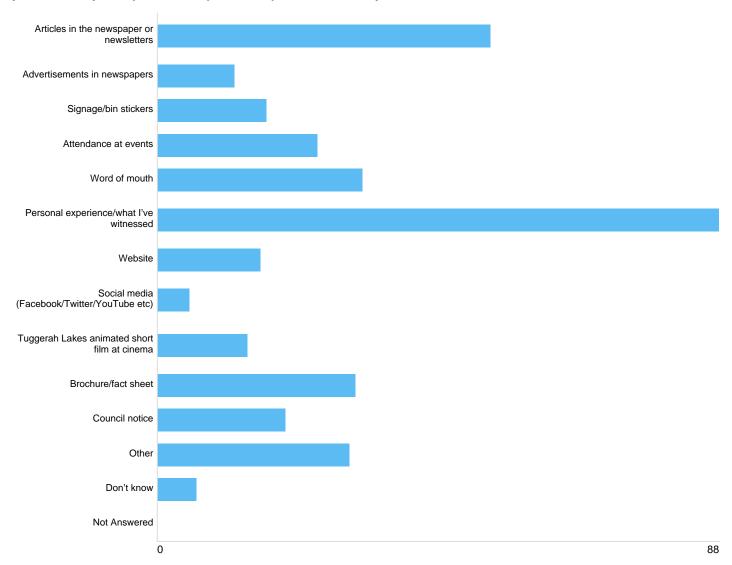




Option	Total	Percent
Yes	102	77.27%
No	30	22.73%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 26: If you answered yes to questions the previous 5 questions, how did you become aware of these facts?

If you answered yes to questions the previous 5 questions, how did you become aware of these facts?





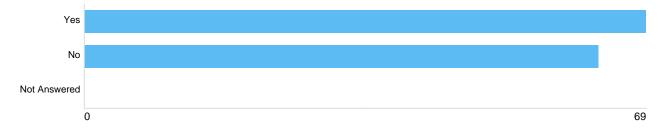
Option	Total	Percent
Articles in the newspaper or newsletters	52	39.39%
Advertisements in newspapers	12	9.09%
Signage/bin stickers	17	12.88%
Attendance at events	25	18.94%
Word of mouth	32	24.24%
Personal experience/what I've witnessed	88	66.67%
Website	16	12.12%
Social media (Facebook/Twitter/YouTube etc)	5	3.79%
Tuggerah Lakes animated short film at cinema	14	10.61%
Brochure/fact sheet	31	23.48%
Council notice	20	15.15%
Other	30	22.73%
Don't know	6	4.55%
Not Answered	0	0%

If other, please specifiy

There were 33 responses to this part of the question.

Question 27: Are you aware of the 'Love Our Living Lakes' campaign?

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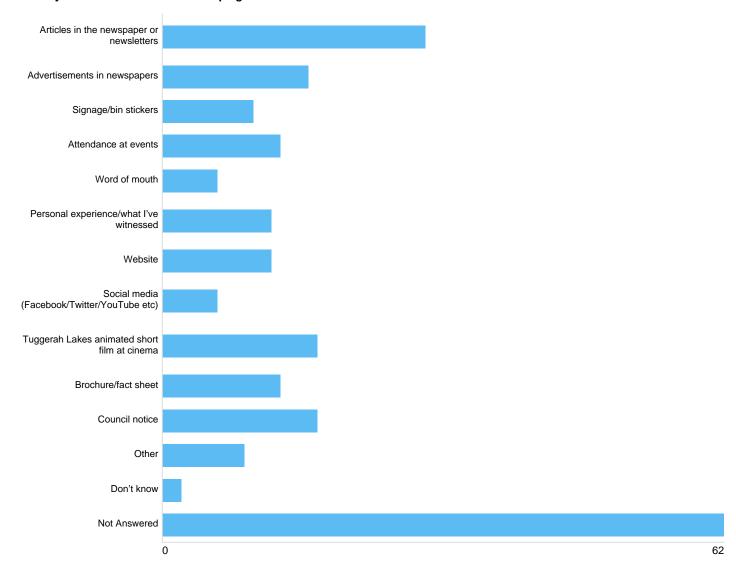




Option	Total	Percent
Yes	69	52.27%
No	63	47.73%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 28: How did you become aware of the campaign?

How did you become aware of the campaign?





Option	Total	Percent
Articles in the newspaper or newsletters	29	21.97%
Advertisements in newspapers	16	12.12%
Signage/bin stickers	10	7.58%
Attendance at events	13	9.85%
Word of mouth	6	4.55%
Personal experience/what I've witnessed	12	9.09%
Website	12	9.09%
Social media (Facebook/Twitter/YouTube etc)	6	4.55%
Tuggerah Lakes animated short film at cinema	17	12.88%
Brochure/fact sheet	13	9.85%
Council notice	17	12.88%
Other	9	6.82%
Don't know	2	1.52%
Not Answered	62	46.97%

If other, please specify

There were **10** responses to this part of the question.

Question 29: Over the last 12 months, the Lake Haven Metro and Westfield Tuggerah Event Cinemas have screened a short animated film on the Tuggerah Lakes estuary. Do you recall seeing this short animated film at all at the cinemas?

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Option	Total	Percent
Yes	27	20.45%
No	105	79.55%
Not Answered	0	0%

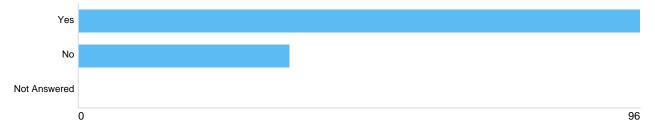
Question 30: What do you think were the main messages in the short animated film?

Please list

There were 27 responses to this part of the question.

Question 31: Did you know that Wyong Shire Council and its partners have implemented an extensive program of projects such as storm water treatment and stream bank rehabilitation over the last 8 years to improve the water quality in Tuggerah Lakes estuary?

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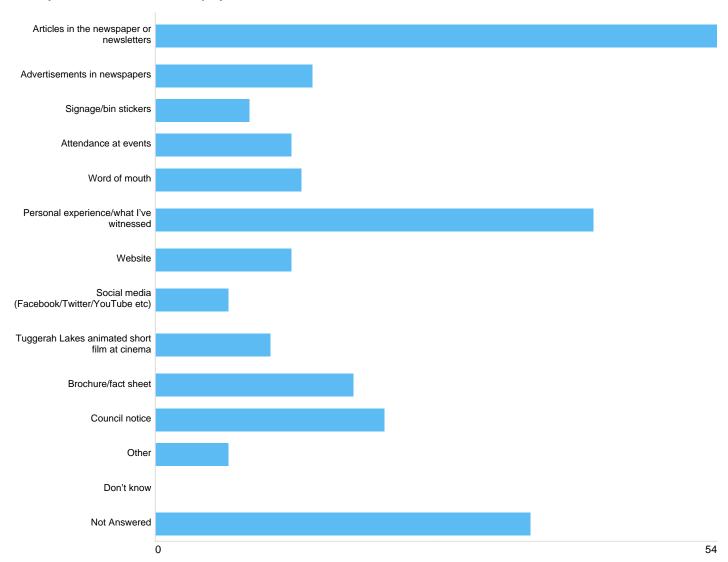




Option	Total	Percent
Yes	96	72.73%
No	36	27.27%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 32: How did you become aware of these projects?

How did you become aware of these projects?





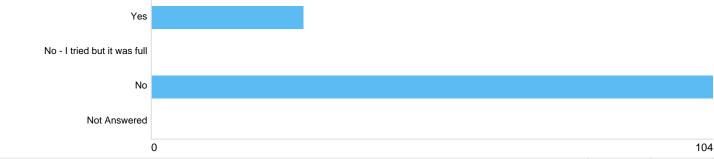
Option	Total	Percent
Articles in the newspaper or newsletters	54	40.91%
Advertisements in newspapers	15	11.36%
Signage/bin stickers	9	6.82%
Attendance at events	13	9.85%
Word of mouth	14	10.61%
Personal experience/what I've witnessed	42	31.82%
Website	13	9.85%
Social media (Facebook/Twitter/YouTube etc)	7	5.30%
Tuggerah Lakes animated short film at cinema	11	8.33%
Brochure/fact sheet	19	14.39%
Council notice	22	16.67%
Other	7	5.30%
Don't know	0	0%
Not Answered	36	27.27%

If other, please specifiy

There were **7** responses to this part of the question.

Question 33: Have you participated in any educational activities or workshops that have been conducted to raise awareness of the lakes?

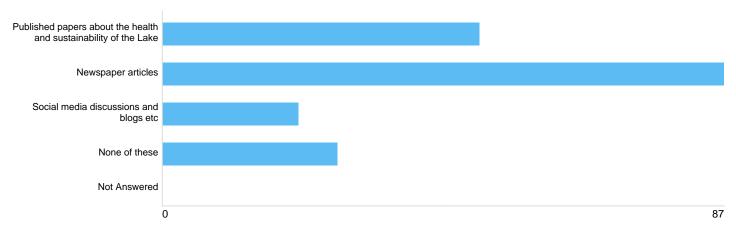
Have you participated in any educational activities or workshops that have been conducted to raise awareness of the lakes?



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	28	21.21%
No - I tried but it was full	0	0%
No	104	78.79%
Not Answered	0	0%

Question 34: Have you ever read any of the following sources specifically about the Tuggerah Lakes Estuary?

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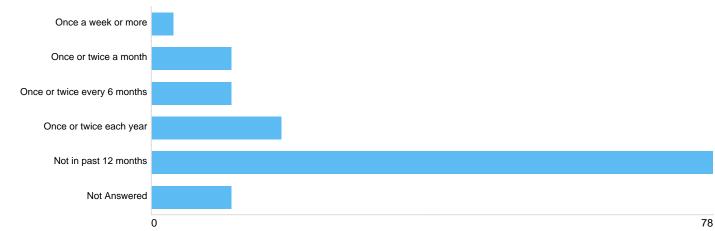




Option	Total	Percent
Published papers about the health and sustainability of the Lake	49	37.12%
Newspaper articles	87	65.91%
Social media discussions and blogs etc	21	15.91%
None of these	27	20.45%
Not Answered	0	0%

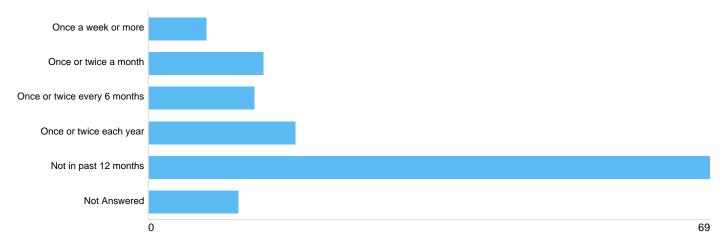
Question 35: How often, if at all, have you been involved in the following activities on any of the four large lakes in the past 12 months?

Matrix 1 - Recreational fishing



Option	Total	Percent
Once a week or more	3	2.27%
Once or twice a month	11	8.33%
Once or twice every 6 months	11	8.33%
Once or twice each year	18	13.64%
Not in past 12 months	78	59.09%
Not Answered	11	8.33%

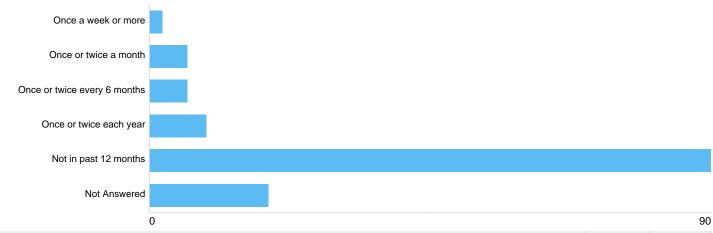
Matrix 1 - Boating





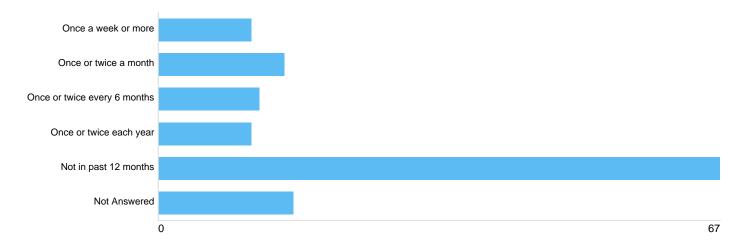
Option	Total	Percent
Once a week or more	7	5.30%
Once or twice a month	14	10.61%
Once or twice every 6 months	13	9.85%
Once or twice each year	18	13.64%
Not in past 12 months	69	52.27%
Not Answered	11	8.33%

Matrix 1 - Swimming



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Option	Total	Percent
Once a week or more	2	1.52%
Once or twice a month	6	4.55%
Once or twice every 6 months	6	4.55%
Once or twice each year	9	6.82%
Not in past 12 months	90	68.18%
Not Answered	19	14.39%

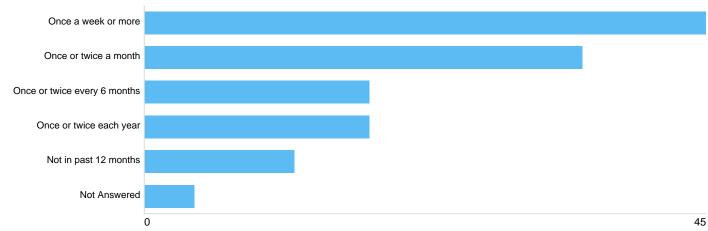
Matrix 1 - Cycling around the foreshore





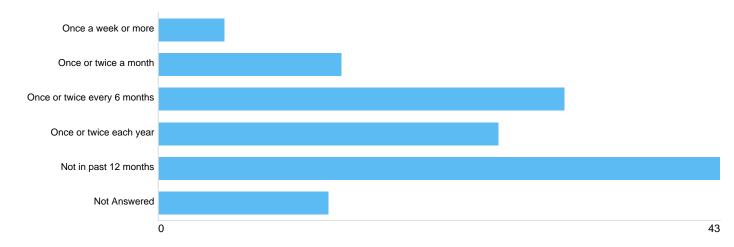
Option	Total	Percent
Once a week or more	11	8.33%
Once or twice a month	15	11.36%
Once or twice every 6 months	12	9.09%
Once or twice each year	11	8.33%
Not in past 12 months	67	50.76%
Not Answered	16	12.12%

Matrix 1 - Walking along the foreshore



Option	Total	Percent
Once a week or more	45	34.09%
Once or twice a month	35	26.52%
Once or twice every 6 months	18	13.64%
Once or twice each year	18	13.64%
Not in past 12 months	12	9.09%
Not Answered	4	3.03%

Matrix 1 - Picnicking on the foreshore





Option	Total	Percent
Once a week or more	5	3.79%
Once or twice a month	14	10.61%
Once or twice every 6 months	31	23.48%
Once or twice each year	26	19.70%
Not in past 12 months	43	32.58%
Not Answered	13	9.85%

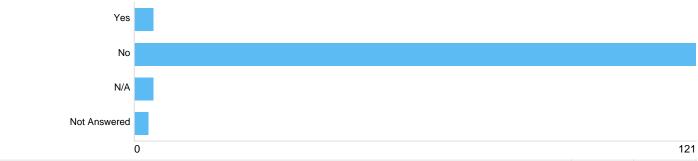
Question 36: In the past 12 months, have you done any of the following things?

Matrix 1 - Dropped litter?



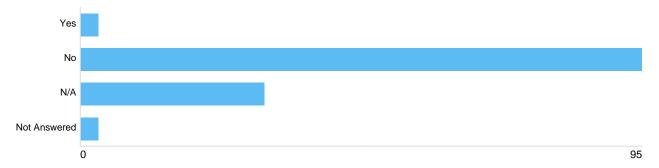
Option	Total	Percent
Yes	2	1.52%
No	125	94.70%
N/A	0	0%
Not Answered	5	3.79%

Matrix 1 - Blown/swept grass clippings/leaves into the gutter?



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	4	3.03%
No	121	91.67%
N/A	4	3.03%
Not Answered	3	2.27%

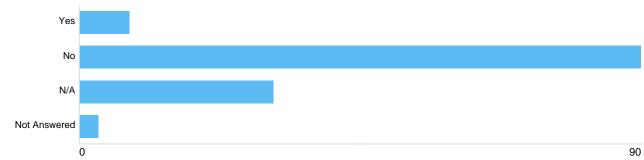
Matrix 1 - Not picked up your pet's droppings and disposed of them in the bin?





Option	Total	Percent
Yes	3	2.27%
No	95	71.97%
N/A	31	23.48%
Not Answered	3	2.27%

Matrix 1 - Mowed Council reserve down to the lake edge?



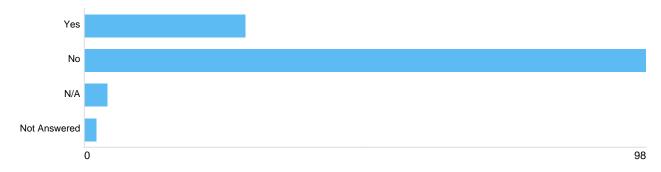
Option	Total	Percent
Yes	8	6.06%
No	90	68.18%
N/A	31	23.48%
Not Answered	3	2.27%

Matrix 1 - Washed your car on the street or driveway?



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	24	18.18%
No	102	77.27%
N/A	5	3.79%
Not Answered	1	0.76%

Matrix 1 - Volunteered with a local community/environment group?

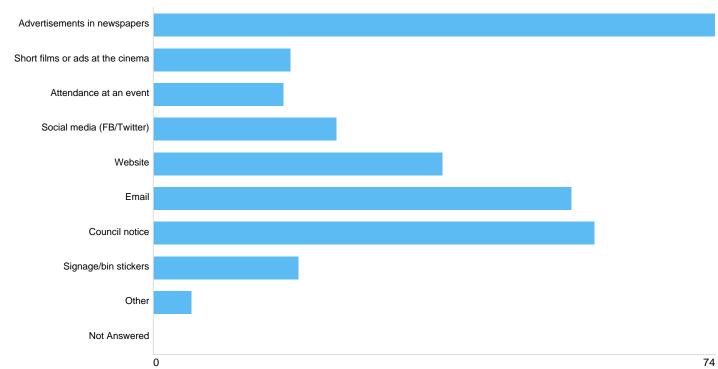




Option	Total	Percent
Yes	28	21.21%
No	98	74.24%
N/A	4	3.03%
Not Answered	2	1.52%

Question 37: How do you like to find out information about environmental activities at Council?

How do you like to find out information about environmental activities at Council?



Option	Total	Percent
Advertisements in newspapers	74	56.06%
Short films or ads at the cinema	18	13.64%
Attendance at an event	17	12.88%
Social media (FB/Twitter)	24	18.18%
Website	38	28.79%
Email	55	41.67%
Council notice	58	43.94%
Signage/bin stickers	19	14.39%
Other	5	3.79%
Not Answered	0	0%

If other, please specifiy

There were 6 responses to this part of the question.