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## 1. Key Takeaways

Between May and June of 2021, community members, business owners, and visitors of South Lynnwood were invited to take the South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan Survey as part of the South Lynnwood Neighborhood Planning effort. This survey was designed to supplement and build upon prior community engagement events and surveying conducted in 2019, the Existing Conditions Report completed in June 2020, and ongoing conversations with the South Lynnwood Co-Design Committee. Participants had the option of responding to the survey online or in paper format. Questions covered respondents' 20-year vision of the neighborhood, and asked about opinions on housing, jobs, parks, transportation, culture, and identity.

Of the 210 respondents participating in this survey, 74.4% identified as White, 16.9% as Hispanic, 16.28% as Asian (disaggregated as Chinese, Korean, Indian, or Other), 3.49% as Black or African American, 2.33% as American Indian or Alaskan Native, 1.74% as African, and 1.16% as Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander.

Over 90% of respondents completed the entire survey; 10 people took the survey in Spanish and 200 people took the survey in English. Key takeaways include:

- Survey respondents were not perfectly representative of South Lynnwood's demographic. Older, White stakeholders were overrepresented; younger individuals and those identifying as Black, African American, and Hispanic were underrepresented. Renters were similarly underrepresented.
- Stakeholders are unified on business support, pedestrian safety, improved parks, more gathering spaces, affordability, and concerns of displacement.
- Stakeholders are divided on cultural diversity and access to jobs. These values are stronger among renters and people of color compared to homeowners.
- Parks, gathering spaces, community collaboration, and thriving businesses were most important to respondents when envisioning South Lynnwood in 20 years.
- Improved pedestrian safety, parks, affordable housing, and safety were among the top values expressed throughout the survey.
- Economic development values include small, pedestrian-friendly, women- and minority-owned businesses and restaurants.

What follows is a description of survey methodology, a detailed summary of participant demographics, and a question-by-question summary of the 33 questions involved.

## 2. Survey Methodology

The South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan Survey was conducted between May and June of 2021 as part of the public engagement phase for the South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan. This survey follows years of targeted outreach, community trust building, pre-engagement, and a series of events designed to involve the public in the South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan. A high-level summary of past engagement is below.

- March 2017 – September 2018: Community outreach to build trust, identify community leaders, strengthen social connections, and understand neighborhood needs and concerns.
- June 2019 – August 2019: Pre-engagement strategies, interviews, and community events.

- June 2020: Existing Conditions Report based on surveys and community events.
- February 2020 – June 2021: Co-Design Committee Meetings.

A Co-Design Committee comprised of community leaders, residents, business owners, service providers, and Lynnwood staff was established in early 2020 and has since developed options and recommendations for the future of South Lynnwood. After evaluating existing conditions and early community feedback, the committee created the 2021 South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan Survey in April 2021. Community members, business owners, and other individuals affiliated with South Lynnwood were encouraged to take the survey between May and late June.

Unlike the Existing Conditions Survey conducted in late 2019, the 2021 South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan Survey was administered primarily online due to COVID-19 limitations. Both English and Spanish versions were created in Survey Monkey, which included identical questions about the neighborhood vision and personal opinions about elements like housing, transportation, jobs, and parks (see Appendix A for a full list of questions). Abbreviated paper surveys were directly delivered to households within South Lynnwood to augment the online version and to provide a tech-free opportunity to share feedback. Of the approximately 200 paper copies distributed in Spanish and English, 49 were completed and returned.

The online open house was advertised as follows:

- 132 fliers, surveys and addressed stamped envelopes were hung on doors at HASCO properties and the Medo Lynn Mobile Home Park.
- 450 fliers were distributed through the neighborhood by Co-Design Committee members.
- 200 fliers distributed through the Edmonds School District food distribution program.
- 160 fliers were distributed through the neighborhood by City Staff.
- Email notifications were sent to a 500-member email list on May 18, May 25, June 3, June 9, and June 14.
- City Staff presented the project and survey to the Chamber of Commerce on May 27 and Cops and Clergy on June 3.
- Advertisement on City social media on June 14.
- City Staff distributed surveys to individuals picking up meals from the Edmond School District food distribution sites on June 3.

### **3. Survey Participant Profile**

The demographics of survey participants were not perfectly reflective of South Lynnwood described in 2019 Census data. Relevant demographic trends and comparisons to Census data and those of community members involved in prior engagement efforts are described below.

#### ***3.1 Age, Race, and Ethnicity***

Survey respondents were generally older and whiter compared to the demographic composition of South Lynnwood and community members engaged during the existing conditions phase in 2019. The average age of respondents was 49.1 years old—over 10 years older than the average determined by 2019 Census data (for Census Tract 514). Underrepresented individuals include those between the age of 18 and 24; community members over the age of 55 are overrepresented.

Respondents identifying as White were similarly overrepresented in the survey. While feedback from American Indian, Alaska Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander individuals was successfully captured, those identifying as Black or African American, African, and Hispanic were not represented accurately. Other races/ethnicities represented by survey takers included Filipino (2), Vietnamese (2), Laotian (1), Cambodian (1), Mongolian (1), and Middle Eastern (1).

	2021 Survey	2019 Existing Conditions Survey	2019 ACS (Tract 514)
<b>RACE/ETHNICITY</b>			
American Indian or Alaska Native	2.3%	0.0%	0.3%
Asian (Aggregate)	16.3%	7.5%	15.5%
Asian - Chinese	4.1%	-	0.8%
Asian - Korean	3.5%	-	2.2%
Asian - Indian	1.7%	-	1.4%
Asian - Other	7.0%	-	11.1%
Black or African American	3.5%	7.5%	8.3%
African	1.7%	-	-
Hispanic	16.9%	37.5%	27.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1.2%	2.5%	0.3%
White	74.4%	27.5%	51.8%
<b>AGE</b>			
18 to 24 Years	0.6%	7.5%	10.7%
25 to 34 Years	17.8%	27.5%	20.7%
35 to 44 Years	23.6%	30.0%	21.3%
45 to 54 Years	19.5%	15.0%	19.0%
55 to 64 Years	19.5%	11.2%	13.1%
65 Years and Over	19.0%	8.8%	15.1%
Average Age	49.5	34.1	37.2

**3.2 Tenure and Relationship to South Lynnwood**

The survey adequately captured responses from legacy South Lynnwood residents. The average time spent living, working, or being involved in South Lynnwood was 18 years among respondents and a large majority (62.4%) identified as homeowners. **Renters were substantially underrepresented (9.9%) compared to the 2019 Census data estimate of 65.4 percent.** Most respondents indicated they shop, do business, and use parks and trails in South Lynnwood.

<b>Time lived, worked, or involved in South Lynnwood</b>	<b>2021 Survey</b>	<b>2019 Existing Conditions Survey</b>
Less than 1 year	3.7%	8.8%
1 to 4 years	12.7%	20.9%
5 to 10 years	21.6%	13.2%
11 to 15 years	11.2%	11.0%
15+ years	53.0%	29.7%
<b>Relationship to South Lynnwood</b>	<b>2021 Survey</b>	<b>2019 Existing Conditions Survey</b>
Homeowner	62.4%	45.8%
Renter	9.9%	47.0%
Business owner	11.4%	-
Landlord	6.4%	-
Service provider	3.6%	-
Elected official	1.4%	-
I shop or do business here	69.5%	-
I use the parks or trails here	66.7%	-
I attend school here	12.8%	-
My place of worship is here	9.2%	-
I use the social services here	7.8%	-

## 4. Survey Results

Respondents were asked a wide range of questions covering their personal perspective on a 20-year vision of South Lynnwood and neighborhood elements like housing, jobs, parks, transportation, culture, and identity. Survey results are highlighted below. Question-by-question summaries can be found in Appendix B.

### 4.1 Reactions to Goal Statements

The following Future Conditions Statements were developed by the Co-Design Committee:

1. Economic development progresses through employment opportunities and access to jobs and social services.
2. Households, families, and businesses are preserved and stable.
3. Residents, businesses, and community partners work together to create a vibrant community which celebrates diversity.
4. The neighborhood is home to safe walking networks, parks, open spaces, and gathering places.

Each of the above was broken into simpler sub-statements based on discrete goals and values and posed to survey respondents. When asked how important each statement was when envisioning South Lynnwood in 20 years, respondents marked parks and gathering spaces as the top priority (weighted score 4.47 out of 5), followed by collaboration among residents, businesses, service providers, and the City (weighted score 4.38), and successful businesses (weighted score 4.24). Scores for each statement are found in Figure 4-1.

When filtered by homeowners and renters, respondents identified safe sidewalks and walkways (weighted score 4.8) as the most important factor to South Lynnwood’s future. Renters also highly prioritized affordable living and business opportunities (weighted score 4.6).

Responses disaggregated by race (below) show close alignment in priorities.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Hispanic**:

- Safe sidewalks and walkways
- Parks and gathering spaces that meet the community’s needs
- What’s missing: affordable housing, homeownership opportunities, and playgrounds

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Black or African American**:

- Safe sidewalks and walkways
- Parks and gathering spaces that meet the community’s needs

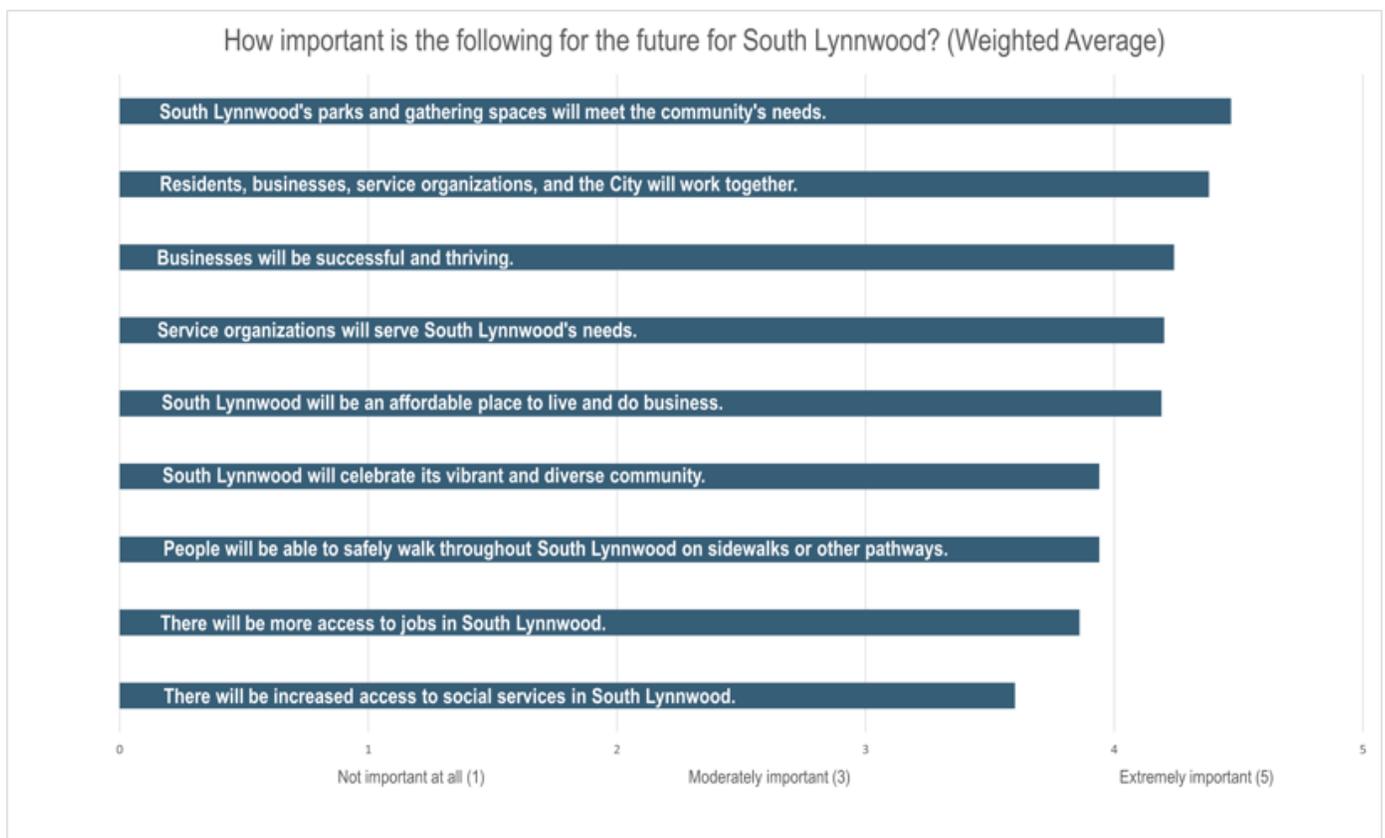
Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Asian**:

- Safe sidewalks and walkways
- Residents, businesses, service organizations, and the City will work together.
- What’s missing: affordable housing, slower streets, downtown/light rail access, and less homeless

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **White**:

- Safe sidewalks and walkways
- Parks and gathering spaces that meet the community’s needs

**Figure 4-1 Reactions to Goal Statements**



Group Name	Tags	Count	Group Count
Pedestrian Safety & Access	Better walkways	16	40
	Slower streets	11	
	Bike trails	4	
	Downtown/Light rail access	4	
	Less traffic	5	
Parks, Green Space, & Landscape	Parks and green space	13	20
	Better landscaping	5	
	Playgrounds	2	
Affordable Housing	Affordable Housing	15	15
Community Building	Community building	8	14
	Community events	4	
	Community space	2	
Safety, Crime, & Graffiti	Safety	5	13
	Less crime	5	
	Less graffiti	3	
Homelessness	Homeless services	6	12
	Less homeless	6	
Parked Cars & Trailers	Fewer unused parked cars, trailers, and car mechanics	9	9

The tags listed above are meant to summarize the responses received. Full responses can be found in Appendix B.

## 4.2 Housing

Survey respondents were asked several questions about housing security and the future of housing in South Lynnwood. When asked about potential displacement, over 42-percent (66 respondents) indicated they agreed or strongly agreed with the statement “I worry myself or my community will have to move out of Lynnwood.” Renters responded most affirmatively with 21.4-percent strongly agreeing.

Respondents rated the importance of four policy statements from the Lynnwood Housing Action Plan. Increasing the safety and livability for renters was ranked highest (weighed score 4.02 out of 5) followed by increasing opportunities for homeownership (weighted score 3.76). Scores for all policy statements are illustrated in Figure 4-2.

Priorities among homeowners tracked with the results above. Renters, however, also ranked the policy statement “preserve or increase the amount of housing that is affordable” highly (weighted score 3.5). It should also be noted that the online survey did not allow respondents to rank more than one statement with the same priority. Many respondents admitted confusion and indicated they wanted to rank all four statements as “extremely important.”

Responses disaggregated by race (below) show close alignment, although those identifying as Hispanic expressed heightened interest in the preservation and creation of affordable housing.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Hispanic**:

- Safety and livability for renters
- Preserve or increase the amount of housing that is affordable
- What's missing: security, affordability, and environmental protection and congestion relief from big apartment complexes.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Black or African American**:

- Opportunities for homeownership
- Safety and livability for renters

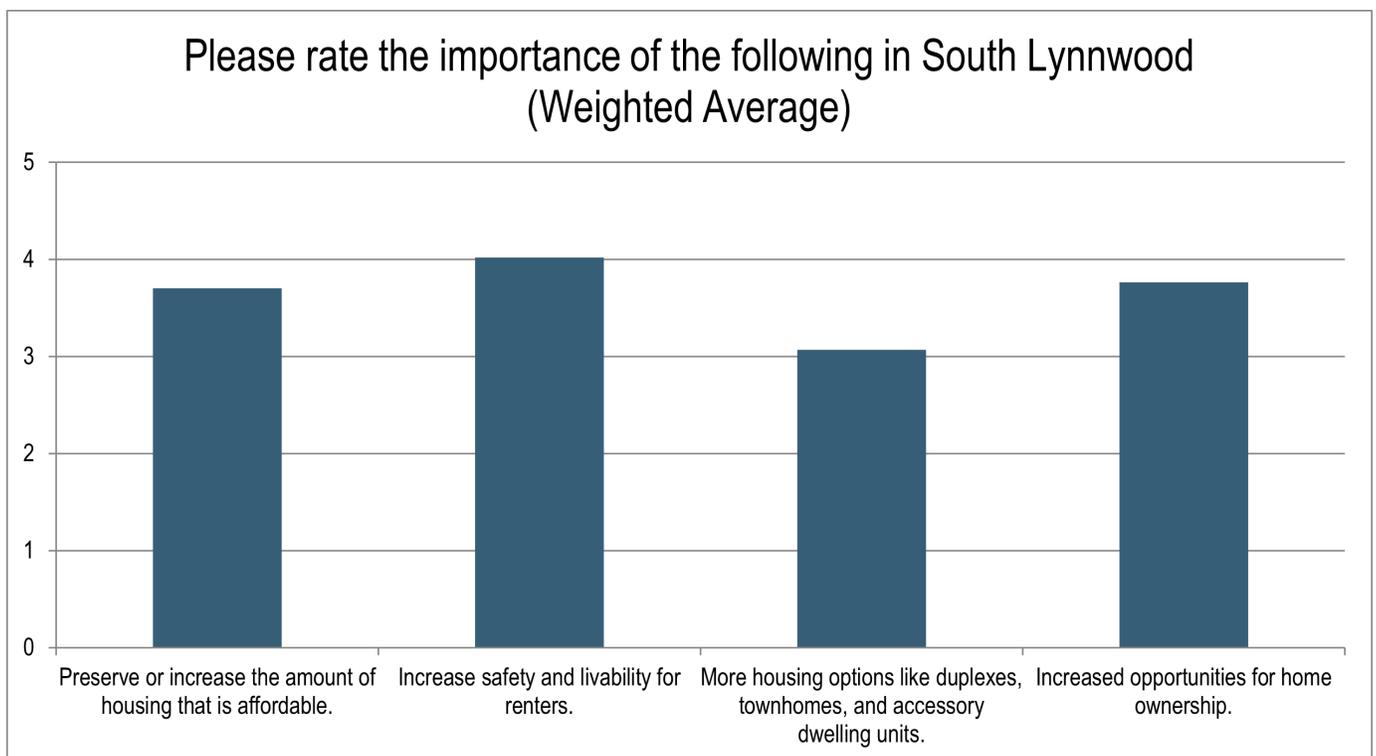
Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Asian**:

- Safety and livability for renters
- Opportunities for homeownership
- What's missing: affordability, homeowner support, and homeless support.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **White**:

- Safety and livability for renters
- Opportunities for homeownership

Figure 4-2 Housing Priorities



**Question: What else would you like to share about housing in South Lynnwood?**

Group Name	Tags	Count	Group Count
Housing Choice & Affordability	More affordable housing	21	37
	More flexible zoning	3	
	Smaller diverse housing	13	
Property Maintenance & Support	Property Maintenance	10	19
	Homeowner support	9	
Anti-Displacement	Anti-displacement	3	10
	Lower property taxes	3	
	Light rail mitigation	4	
Safety	Safety	8	8
Less High-Rise Apartments	Less high-rise apartments	7	7
All Important	All options equally important	5	5
Preservation	Too much housing now	3	5
	Preservation	2	
Access	Accessible to amenities	4	4
Homelessness	Homeless support	3	3

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**4.3 Jobs and Economic Development**

South Lynnwood stakeholders were asked to share their opinions about jobs and economic development in the neighborhood with a particular focus on light industrial uses. Respondents were most supportive of increased support for small, women- and minority-owned businesses (weighted score 4.02 out of 5) followed by programs that connect residents with jobs (weighted score 3.98). Scores for all statements are illustrated in Figure 4-3.

Among renters, the statement “I would like to see programs that connect residents with jobs in South Lynnwood” ranked highest (weighted score 4.2) and homeowners were most supportive of preserving and protecting manufacturing and production jobs (weighted score 3.9) and increased support for small, women- and minority-owned businesses (weighted score 3.9).

Responses disaggregated by race (below) show close alignment, although those identifying as Hispanic and Black or African American expressed interest in the preservation of manufacturing and production jobs.

**Top priorities of respondents identifying as Hispanic:**

- Preserving and protecting manufacturing and production jobs
- Support for small, women- and minority-owned businesses
- What’s missing in Light Industrial areas: food/dining and convenience stores.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Black or African American**:

- Support for small, women- and minority-owned businesses
- Preserving and protecting manufacturing and production jobs

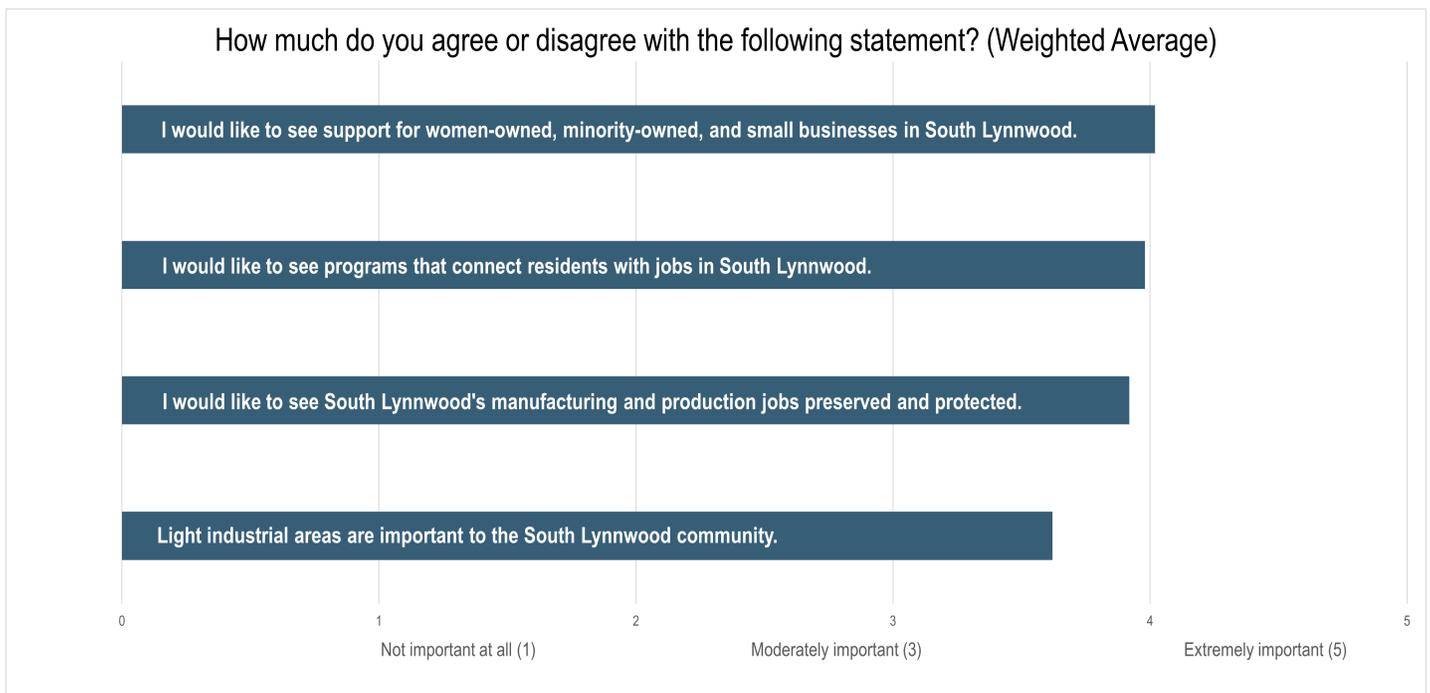
Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Asian**:

- Support for small, women- and minority-owned businesses
- Programs that connect residents with jobs
- What's missing in Light Industrial areas: youth employment, volunteer opportunities, and more manufacturing.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **White**:

- Programs that connect residents with jobs
- Support for small, women- and minority-owned businesses

**Figure 4-3 Economic Development Statements**



**Question: Are there other businesses, spaces, or opportunities would like to see in the Light Industrial areas in South Lynnwood?**

Group Name	Tags	Count	Group Count
Better Design	Better appearance	6	15
	Pedestrian-friendly	4	
	Mesh with residential	3	
	More on-street parking	2	
Community-Oriented Commercial	Restaurants	7	14
	Brewery	2	
	Coffee shops	2	
	Gathering space	3	
Small & Local Businesses	Small business	3	7
	Locally-owned	2	
	Local resident priority	2	
Diversity	Business diversity	4	4
Tech	Tech	4	4
Recreation	Recreational	3	3
No More Businesses	No more businesses	2	2
Youth Employment	Youth employment	1	1
Lower Taxes	Lower taxes	1	1

The tags listed above are meant to summarize the responses received. Full responses can be found in Appendix B.

**4.4 Parks and Trails**

Survey respondents ranked their top three priorities for parks and trails in South Lynnwood. The preservation of natural areas, improvement of walking and biking paths on existing streets, and improvement of existing parks were among the highest ranked. Similar priorities were found among homeowners and renters, although renters expressed a higher appreciation for preserving existing tree canopy (50%).

Preserve natural areas	<b>58.11%</b>
Improve walking and biking networks on existing streets	<b>51.35%</b>
Improve existing parks	<b>48.65%</b>
Preserve existing tree canopy	<b>43.92%</b>
Improve existing trails	<b>41.22%</b>
Expand trail networks	<b>34.46%</b>
Expand size of existing parks	<b>16.89%</b>

Responses disaggregated by race (below) show close alignment, although those identifying as Hispanic expressed the preservation of existing tree canopy as a top priority.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Hispanic**:

- Preserve existing tree canopy
- Preserve natural areas

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Black or African American**:

- Improve walking and biking networks on existing streets
- Improve existing parks

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Asian**:

- Improve walking and biking networks on existing streets
- Improve existing parks

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **White**:

- Preserve natural areas
- Improve walking and biking networks on existing streets

**4.5 Mobility and Light Rail**

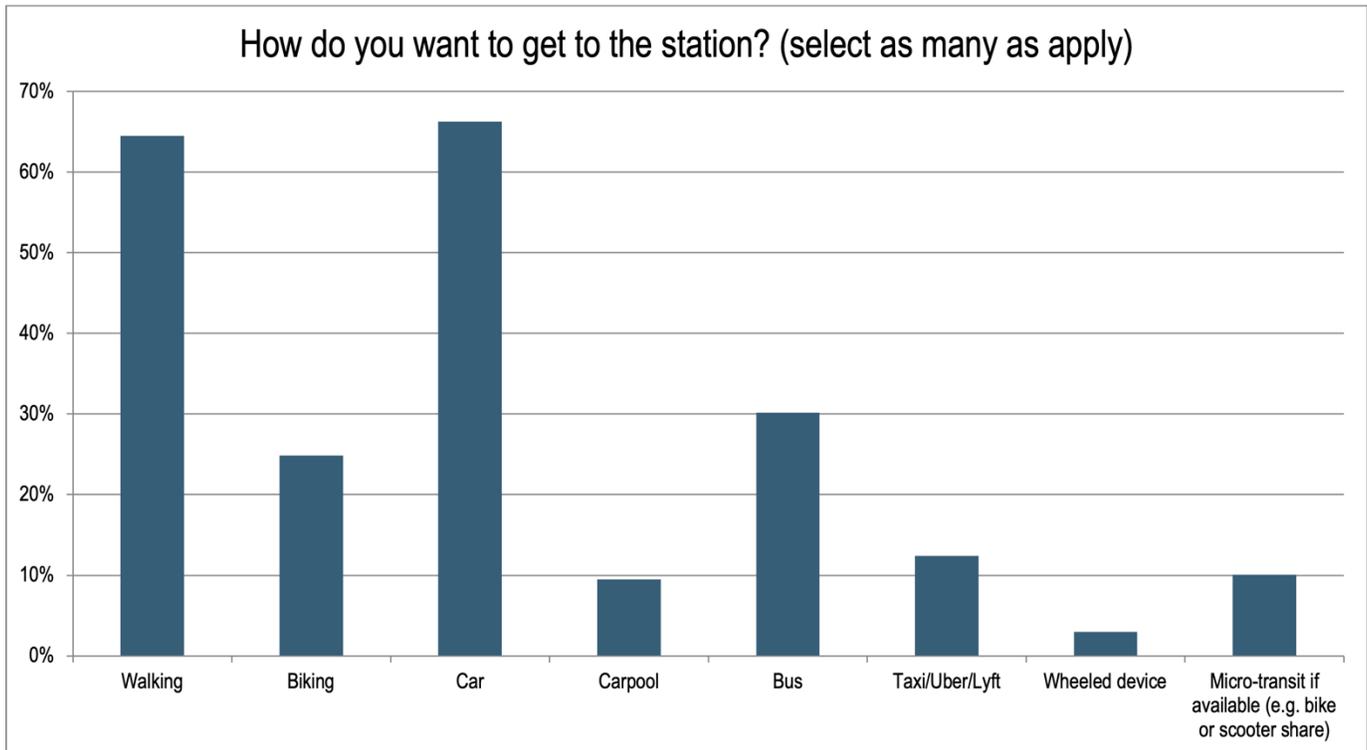
A large majority of residents, business owners, and visitors of South Lynnwood primarily navigate the city in a personal automobile. When asked how they currently get around the neighborhood, renters indicated higher amounts of bus use, walking, and biking, yet overwhelmingly default to their cars (92.9%) much like homeowners (100%).

Survey respondents also indicated high anticipation for the forthcoming light rail service. Seventy-nine percent of homeowners and 77 percent of renters expressed commitment to using the light rail when it opens in Lynnwood. Figure 4-4 displays stakeholders’ preferences for getting to and from the light rail. Mode share primarily remains car-centric with increasing amounts of respondents planning to use other forms of transportation. Responses did not vary when disaggregated by race.

**Question: How do you currently get around South Lynnwood? (check all that apply)**

Car	<b>96.35%</b>
Walking	<b>58.33%</b>
Biking	<b>20.31%</b>
Bus	<b>16.15%</b>
Taxi/Uber/Lyft	<b>6.77%</b>
Carpool	<b>6.25%</b>
Wheeled device (wheelchairs, walkers, strollers, etc)	<b>3.65%</b>

Figure 4-4 Planned Light Rail Access



Respondents were also asked to elaborate upon their plans to access the light rail station. The following concerns emerged:

- Bus service needs improvement to be a viable means of accessing the station.
- There needs to be a safe place to store bikes and scooters at the station.
- Walking to and from will not be appealing until pedestrian safety improves.
- The station needs to be accessible by those who cannot walk or bike.

#### 4.6 Public Spaces

South Lynnwood stakeholders evaluated several types of public spaces when considering the future of the neighborhood. Top priorities among respondents included recreation centers, community gardens, and locally owned businesses. Results were similar among homeowners and renters.

Responses disaggregated by race (below) show close alignment among those identifying as Hispanic, Black, African American, and Asian. Respondents identifying as White expressed interest in community gardens and locally owned businesses.

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Hispanic**:

- Recreation centers
- Cultural spaces

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Black or African American**:

- Recreation spaces
- Youth organizations

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **Asian**:

- Recreation spaces
- Cultural spaces

Top priorities of respondents identifying as **White**:

- Community gardens
- Locally owned businesses

**Question: Which places would you like to see in South Lynnwood? (select your top 3)**

Recreation Centers (examples: Lynnwood Rec Center, YMCA)	55.43%
Community Gardens	47.83%
Locally owned businesses	44.02%
Youth organizations (example: Boys & Girls Club, YMCA)	42.39%
Cultural Spaces (examples: library, artist studios)	39.13%
Business Support (examples: business incubator spaces, trades training, community kitchens that can support food truck businesses)	34.24%
Co-located Spaces (flexible spaces that accommodate a combination of the uses above)	32.61%
Public Art and/or Cultural Exhibits located in parks and other outdoor spaces	30.43%

Respondents were asked to provide additional examples of inclusive, public spaces that they would like to see. The following were popular:

- Playgrounds
- Dog parks
- Community plazas and performance space

**4.7 Neighborhood Safety**

Nearly 130 survey respondents shared their thoughts on neighborhood safety, or lack thereof, in South Lynnwood. **Over 70 percent expressed concern for pedestrian safety.**

Responses disaggregated by race (below) show shared concerns about speeding vehicles, unlit pathways, and otherwise unsafe pedestrian conditions. Expressions of fear related to theft, the homeless, substance abuse, gang violence, and other societal factors also emerged across races. Respondents identifying as Black or African American and Asian indicated a strong distrust in police and interest in establishing a system of surveillance and safety that doesn't make them feel targeted by the police.

Top tags of respondents identifying as **Hispanic**:

- Slower streets and better lighting
- No vandalism/graffiti or crime
- No fear

Top tags of respondents identifying as **Black or African American**:

- Trustworthy community policing
- No fear

Top tags of respondents identifying as **Asian**:

- Slower streets and better lighting
- No vandalism/graffiti, crime, or homeless
- No fear
- Trustworthy community policing

Top tags of respondents identifying as **White**:

- See table below

Question: We have heard from community members who want South Lynnwood to be a safe neighborhood. What does a safe neighborhood mean to you?

Group Name	Tag	Count	Group Count
Pedestrian Safety	Better walkways	45	89
	Lighting	29	
	Slower streets	15	
No crime, homelessness, vandalism, drugs, or excessive parked cars/trailers	No crime	20	67
	No homeless	19	
	No vandalism/graffiti	8	
	No drugs	12	
Trustworthy, anti-racist community policing	No trailers or RVs on street	8	35
	Alternative community policing or police that can be trusted	20	
	Community care	10	
No fear of theft, violence, or vehicles	Anti-racism	5	33
	No fear of theft, violence, or vehicles	33	
More police patrols	More police patrols	9	9
Youth independence	Youth independence	3	3

The tags listed above are meant to summarize the responses received. Full responses can be found in Appendix B.

#### *4.8 Culture and Diversity*

South Lynnwood stakeholders shared their opinions on cultural diversity in the neighborhood. Eighty-seven percent of respondents indicated this topic was very to extremely important when asked about the significance of celebrating South Lynnwood’s vibrancy and diversity at the beginning of the survey.

**Question: What else would you like us to know about culture and diversity in South Lynnwood?**

Tag	Count	Group Count
Preserve diversity	6	16
More cultural expression	6	
Diverse restaurants	2	
Diverse businesses	1	
More public art	1	
Community support	4	13
Community building	5	
Need community gathering places	4	
Increase diverse community engagement	2	2

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**APPENDIX A**  
**SURVEY SAMPLES**

## South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan

### Imagining the Future in South Lynnwood

The Co-Design Committee has been thinking about how the South Lynnwood neighborhood could be in 20 years. Imagine your neighborhood in 20 years: how important is the following for the future of South Lynnwood?

1. Residents, businesses, service organizations, and the City will work together.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure



2. Businesses will be successful and thriving.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure



3. Service organizations will serve South Lynnwood's needs.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure



4. South Lynnwood will be an affordable place to live and do business.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure



5. South Lynnwood will celebrate its vibrant and diverse community.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure



6. People will be able to safely walk throughout South Lynnwood on sidewalks or other pathways.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure



7. South Lynnwood's parks and gathering spaces will meet the community's needs.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure



8. There will be more access to jobs in South Lynnwood.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure

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9. There will be increased access to social services in South Lynnwood.

Not important at all   Slightly important   Moderately important   Very important   Extremely important   I'm not sure

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10. Is there anything missing? What else would you like to see in the South Lynnwood neighborhood in 20 years?

## South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan

### Housing in South Lynnwood

**A Housing Action Plan is being completed for the City of Lynnwood. Please share your opinions about housing in South Lynnwood.**

11. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: **"I worry myself or my community will have to move out of Lynnwood."**

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure
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12. Please rate the importance of the following in South Lynnwood:

	Not at all important	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure
Preserve or increase the amount of housing that is affordable.	<input type="radio"/>					
Increase safety and livability for renters.	<input type="radio"/>					
More housing options like duplexes, townhomes, and accessory dwelling units.	<input type="radio"/>					
Increased opportunities for home ownership.	<input type="radio"/>					

13. What else would you like to share with us about housing in South Lynnwood?

## South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan

### Jobs in South Lynnwood

**South Lynnwood has a substantial business environment. All of the City's land zoned for Light Industrial uses are located in South Lynnwood. Many jobs for these uses pay living wage and have low turnover. Please share with us your opinions about jobs and economic development in South Lynnwood.**

14. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: **"I would like to see South Lynnwood's manufacturing and production jobs preserved and protected."**

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure
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15. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: **"I would like to see programs that connect residents with jobs in South Lynnwood."**

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure
					<input type="radio"/>

16. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: **"I would like to see more support for women-owned, minority-owned, and small businesses in South Lynnwood."**

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure
					<input type="radio"/>

17. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: **"Light Industrial areas are important to the South Lynnwood community."**

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure
					<input type="radio"/>

18. Are there other businesses, spaces, or opportunities you would like to see in the Light Industrial areas in South Lynnwood?

## South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan

### Parks and Transportation

19. What is most important to you for parks and trails in South Lynnwood? (please select your top 3)

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preserve existing tree canopy | <input type="checkbox"/> Improve existing trails                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preserve natural areas        | <input type="checkbox"/> Expand trail networks                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Expand size of existing parks | <input type="checkbox"/> Improve walking and biking networks on existing streets |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improve existing parks        |  |

20. How do you currently get around South Lynnwood? (check all that apply)

- |                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Walking | <input type="checkbox"/> Bus   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biking  | <input type="checkbox"/> Taxi/Uber/Lyft  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Car     | <input type="checkbox"/> Wheeled device (wheelchairs, walkers, strollers, etc) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpool |  |

Other (please specify)

21. Do you plan to use light rail when it opens in Lynnwood?

- Yes
- No

22. If so, how do you want to get to the station? (select as many as apply)

- |                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Walking | <input type="checkbox"/> Bus   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biking  | <input type="checkbox"/> Taxi/Uber/Lyft  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Car     | <input type="checkbox"/> Wheeled device (wheelchairs, walkers, strollers, etc) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Carpool | <input type="checkbox"/> Micro-transit if available (example: bike share)      |

Other (please specify)

## South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan

### Culture and Identity

23. The Co-Design Committee discussed public spaces where everyone belongs. Which of these types of places would you like to see in South Lynnwood? (select your top 3)

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth organizations (example: Boys & Girls Club, YMCA)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Support (examples: business incubator spaces, trades training, community kitchens that can support food truck businesses) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation Centers (examples: Lynnwood Rec Center, YMCA) | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Art and/or Cultural Exhibits located in parks and other outdoor spaces  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Gardens  | <input type="checkbox"/> Locally-owned businesses   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural Spaces (examples: library, artist studios)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Co-located Spaces (flexible spaces that accommodate a combination of the uses above)   |

Other (please describe)

24. We have heard from community members who want South Lynnwood to be a safe neighborhood. What does a safe neighborhood mean to you?

25. Who are the leaders and organizers in South Lynnwood? If you think we should reach out to them for input on this Plan, can you please provide their information?

26. What else would you like us to know about culture and diversity in South Lynnwood?

## South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan

### Demographic Questions

**These questions help us make sure we've heard from a representative sample of South Lynnwood residents. Responses are optional.**

Map of the South Lynnwood neighborhood

27. What is your relationship to the South Lynnwood neighborhood? (select all that apply)

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Home owner       | <input type="checkbox"/> I attend school here (you or your family) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Renter           | <input type="checkbox"/> I shop or do business here                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Landlord         | <input type="checkbox"/> I use the parks or trails here            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business owner   | <input type="checkbox"/> My place of worship is here               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service provider | <input type="checkbox"/> I use the social services here            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elected official |  |

Other (please specify)

28. How long have you lived, worked, or been involved in the South Lynnwood neighborhood?

29. Which of the following best describes your race or ethnicity? Please choose all that apply.

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native      | <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Chinese                       | <input type="checkbox"/> African                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Korean                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Indian                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian - Other (please indicate below) | <input type="checkbox"/> White                               |

Other race (please specify)

30. How old are you?

31. Zip code

32. If you would you like to receive project updates, please enter your email address

Email Address

**APPENDIX B**  
**SURVEY RESPONSES**

South Lynnwood Neighborhood Plan

**Q1. Residents, businesses, service organizations, and the City will work together.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
star	0.99% 2	1.97% 4	11.82% 24	27.59% 56	56.16% 114	1.48% 3	203	4.38
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>203</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>7</b>

**Q2. Businesses will be successful and thriving.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
star	1.45% 3	3.38% 7	10.14% 21	39.13% 81	45.41% 94	0.48% 1	207	4.24
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>207</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>3</b>

**Q3. Service organizations will serve South Lynnwood's needs.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
star	0.62% 1	4.32% 7	14.81% 24	32.72% 53	44.44% 72	3.09% 5	162	4.2
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>162</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>48</b>

**Q4. South Lynnwood will be an affordable place to live and do business.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
star	2.90% 6	3.86% 8	16.43% 34	24.15% 50	51.21% 106	1.45% 3	207	4.19
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>207</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>3</b>

**Q5. South Lynnwood will celebrate its vibrant and diverse community.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
star	7.25% 15	5.80% 12	15.46% 32	25.60% 53	43.00% 89	2.90% 6	207	3.94
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>207</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>3</b>

**Q6. People will be able to safely walk throughout South Lynnwood on sidewalks or other pathways.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
star	0.61% 1	0.00% 0	4.91% 8	16.56% 27	77.91% 127	0.00% 0	163	4.71
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>163</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>47</b>

**Q7. South Lynnwood's parks and gathering spaces will meet the community's needs.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
star	0.61% 1	1.84% 3	7.36% 12	30.06% 49	60.12% 98	0.00% 0	163	4.47
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>163</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>47</b>

**Q8. There will be more access to jobs in South Lynnwood.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average						
star	3.92%	8	8.82%	18	17.65%	36	34.80%	71	33.33%	68	1.47%	3	204	3.86
													<b>Answered</b>	<b>204</b>
													<b>Skipped</b>	<b>6</b>

**Q9. There will be increased access to social services in South Lynnwood.**

	Not important at all	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average						
star	6.13%	10	11.66%	19	22.70%	37	31.29%	51	25.77%	42	2.45%	4	163	3.6
													<b>Answered</b>	<b>163</b>
													<b>Skipped</b>	<b>47</b>

**Q10. Is there anything missing? What else would you like to see in the South Lynnwood neighborhood in 20 years?**

**Answered 110**  
**Skipped 100**

Response Date	Responses
Jun 24 2021 10:54 AM	More affordable housing
Jun 24 2021 10:47 AM	Make the rent more affordable since it's very expensive in the City.
Jun 24 2021 10:42 AM	More games in the parks for children to play outside
Jun 24 2021 10:34 AM	Opportunities to own your own home
Jun 24 2021 10:13 AM	More playgrounds
Jun 23 2021 12:19 PM	I would like on 54th ave west a speed sign posted at 25-30 mph. Less noise, respect for homeowners and people who walk their dogs. I save poop bags for us to clear up!
Jun 23 2021 12:07 PM	I hope the City will work with us. Re: question #5: Already a diverse community
Jun 23 2021 11:52 AM	All cultures should be celebrated, not just a few
Jun 17 2021 03:46 PM	Consideration for the houses whose driveways face 200th 204th 208th 212th especially due to light rail
Jun 14 2021 09:42 PM	I would like people to know their neighbors more.
Jun 14 2021 09:12 PM	Less homeless parking on the streets such as 204th and 60th Ave. west on the east side of the road
Jun 14 2021 09:01 PM	Walkways and commuter routes through the area away from busy roads.
Jun 14 2021 03:56 PM	Diverse housing is very important. We don't want our lovely older homes to be bulldozed and million dollar monstrosities to be put in their place.
Jun 14 2021 02:23 PM	Traffic remediation is very urgent as gridlock will hammer growth.
Jun 14 2021 01:08 PM	Providing more places and ways for the unhoused to get housing and access to services they need.
Jun 14 2021 12:06 PM	If not allowed already, allow multi generational, non related families live in the same single family residence, along with mini housing like mother in law housing be allowed regardless of parking issues. Also Make sure there are local buses like King County Metro and Seattle has, which threading and linking the neighborhood with other parts of the Lynwood area. Can get a bus every 30 - 40 minutes or better. Allow neighbor hood mon-pop stores, in the neighborhood. Like revise your NC zone to be really "Neighborhood Commercial". It is currently more geared to commercial only and institutional investor projects. i.e. BIG. We need true urban infill that will fit on a standard 8000sf lot. That is true "Neighborhood Commercial" Not just monochromatic monster projects that take 2-3 acres.
Jun 13 2021 12:06 PM	A mixed use of residential and business land use with an emphasis on the residential to create an actual 24/365 community that is rooted, safe and vibrant.
Jun 12 2021 03:05 PM	I very much like the aim for community events and cultural knitting of the local community. That's what will make this neighborhood more than a place to live or work Halls lake access at the new development on the east side should be limited. Water treatment for that development should be strict. Homeowners should not be allowed to use chemicals for insect and weed control as it will feed directly into the lake. I live west of the lake with the stream flowing through my property. I regularly see native turtles, cascadian frogs, otters, Douglas and gray squirrels, crayfish, fish and larvae for dragonflies and other insects. Blue herons, cormorants, eagles, osprey, several variety of ducks, kingfishers, and many others nest here. The water quality must be protected from homeowners who do not care about the environment and only want to see green grass. The borders of the interurban should be allowed to regrow vegetation. And police should make their presence know so those walking and cycling feel safe, and to prevent homeless from setting up living quarters off the trail. I have had homeless set up camp in my yard (5827 212th). Trash bins should placed so that at least some won't throw their trash anywhere.
Jun 12 2021 08:12 AM	

Jun 11 2021 01:02 PM Not planning to live in Lynnwood for the next 20 years, it's becomeing a third world rats nest.

Jun 11 2021 10:23 AM More places to walk and neighborhood businesses.

Jun 11 2021 10:21 AM More affordable housing

Jun 11 2021 09:22 AM Attention to the development of the mixed and undeveloped and underdeveloped land between 204th & 208 and 56th and 60th. This includes Lynnwood facilities headquarters.

Jun 10 2021 05:16 PM Safety, walking friendly and better landscaping on trails, parks, side walk, roads

Jun 10 2021 04:54 PM I would like our green spaces to stay intact and for the light rail to not effect residents (noise , pollution, increased transient population). I would also like there to be more social services for our homeless neighbors.

Jun 10 2021 12:47 PM Less Construction :)

Jun 10 2021 10:01 AM Ample street parking for both residents and businesses. Many residents reside in multi family or multi generational homes or apartments and often require more than two parking spaces for households. Businesses need to reserve up front parking for customers and it is not ideal for employees to have to park blocks away or on busy main streets in order to get to work.

Jun 10 2021 10:00 AM Keeping trees in the neighborhood. New building no higher than 3 or 4 stories. Financial incentives to contractors to build small (1,000 to 1,200 square feet) single family homes. Tiny home lots.

Jun 09 2021 06:27 PM More rules about parking that keep the streets clear of wrecked vehicles on trailers, semi trucks parked for weeks, and motorhomes that are inhabited.

Jun 08 2021 02:37 PM I grew up in Lynnwood (Alderwood Manor). What I don't want to see are a bunch of high rise buildings or trying to be a big city like Bellevue.

Jun 08 2021 10:51 AM Tagging, there needs to be a strong response to Taggers. Currently there are hundreds if not a thousand tags in South Lynnwood, I take care of many but the city needs to STEP UP BIGTIME. I have studied Tagging, it needs to be removed within HOURS not months or left forever. Taggers understand one thing, if I paint it will be removed immediately so why bother. Tagging hurts homeowners, it hurts property values when homes sell. It hurts the city collect taxes when a home sells which hurts potential jobs in Lynnwood. Currently I take photos and send them in but SILENCE please don't give me the Covid 19 excuse (I have heard "we cant do it right now becasue of Covid" because I am out there cleaning them up the city can also. Its outdoors cleanup and a least likely activity to catch Covid. The Light Rail construction crew applauded me when I cleaned up around 52nd and I-5 of course 1 week later Tagged again. People HATE Tagging and most of it is done by the same 5 or 6 individuals over and over. It is NOT free speech to tag "Yummy" or "Vandal" there is no message that can be called free speech. Many tags are Gang related such as XV3 and 18th St. It is Property Damage and should be aggressively chased down, the least is to send these individuals out on work crews cleaning up their own mess and not for a week more like a year or more. One can of \$4 paint can make a terrible mess that takes hours to cleanup. Help out by stepping up!

Jun 08 2021 10:32 AM happy people!

Jun 08 2021 09:12 AM More space and opportunities for community events (farmers' markets, festivals, parades, etc.).

Jun 07 2021 09:50 PM I have lived here a very long time and would like to see the neighborhoods preserved but would love new business around 99. There are a lot of abandoned areas where new businesses can thrive. We also need to make sure we manage the traffic flow too.

Jun 07 2021 05:44 PM Decrease in rent for the minorities

Jun 07 2021 04:58 PM More community events and celebrations. We feel more a part of the MLT community because they have more family friendly events and festivals.

Jun 07 2021 10:54 AM Quick access to airport malls downtown and affordable housing to rent and purchase must be available to all

Jun 06 2021 04:19 PM Yes - Ideas about increasing density don't seem to be mentioned. Opening up easy oppourtunities for ADU's or decreased lot sizes or ability to build 0 clearance townhomes would increase the ability to add quality housing opportunities to the community.

Jun 06 2021 06:45 AM Lots of walking trails

Jun 06 2021 06:42 AM Safe and clean parks, green belts and waterways. Measures to address crime, vandalism, and the homeless crisis.

Jun 05 2021 04:36 PM Non

Jun 05 2021 09:59 AM clean, low crime

Jun 04 2021 06:22 PM Dog parks, bike trails, no traffic

Jun 04 2021 05:21 PM Micro-studio apartments

Jun 04 2021 04:39 PM Safer neighborhoods.

Jun 04 2021 04:38 PM I'd like there to be some trees left. You sure are open to the deforestation of Lynnwood, based on liberal tree permits.

Jun 04 2021 11:25 AM N/A

Jun 04 2021 08:31 AM More sidewalks and walkable areas, slower traffic on 212th street

Jun 04 2021 08:11 AM Make sure there is no home less people camping after train station opening. Please Keep like Bellevue, not like Seattle. This is very important than other stuff.

Jun 03 2021 09:52 PM Less homeless drug addicts

Jun 03 2021 07:10 PM Street development need improvement and the area needs to be safer, reduce the rate in crime

Jun 03 2021 01:49 PM There is too much property devoted to light industrial purposes. Who ever did the zoning in south lynnwood applied a "Hodge-Podge" approach to this planning to begin with. Mixing all of this with multiple and single family dwelling was a bad idea to begin with.

Jun 03 2021 01:48 PM Big trucks parked on the street obstructing views with broken down cars on a trailer behind it have got to go. They can't operate a mechanic shop out of their residence. RVs being lived in just parked on the side of the road. Let the police do their jobs and help keep these people honest and abide the law.

Jun 03 2021 11:02 AM As a business owner, I want to make sure the city is in support of businesses to help them survive. This is what makes a strong community. Keeping taxes under control is a big part of this to help companies hire people instead of having to lay off due to high expenses. We don't want it to turn into a Seattle that seems to not care about businesses. That is why we moved to Lynnwood and have thrived here and increased employment. For the most part the city has been an advocate for business which in turn brings people together to make a strong community.

Jun 03 2021 10:18 AM Farmers markets, food trucks, music, you know, fun stuff and don't make it a stuffy "we have to be careful" plan

Jun 03 2021 07:38 AM I'd like to see a vibrant south Lynnwood community. With clean streets, without motor homes, mowed green belts and manicured lawns. There are pockets of south Lynnwood that are in bad shape and can use some tlc.

Jun 02 2021 07:21 PM Ensure that residents have easy access to and from the light rail stations. I'm a strong believer that making it easy for nearby residents to bus to and from the transportation hubs will allow more parking for residents who live further away and helps to manage traffic levels. I would also love to see South Lynnwood create opportunities for more small restaurants in the area, I would love to see many more locally owned small businesses than another national chain.

Jun 02 2021 03:25 PM We need a community effort to restore pride and a presentable aesthetic. Too many neighbors with junk, too many cars on their property. Poor landscaping and property maintenance. Too much graffiti and trash. Maybe more community cleanup events and non punitive reminders for people to clean up their property. Petty crime punishment of community service to clean up these concerns. More police presence to deal with Lynnwood's high crime rate.

May 31 2021 05:40 PM Safety

May 31 2021 05:35 PM Safety, good parks and activities outside

May 31 2021 12:34 PM No high density housing

May 30 2021 06:34 PM haveva plan for the homeless

May 30 2021 05:10 PM Dont' make it to expensive & don't raise out taxes. They are too high now.

May 30 2021 05:05 PM Don't make us to expensive to live here.

May 29 2021 11:15 AM Truck routing. Too many large trucks drive on and speed through neighborhood streets.

May 29 2021 06:16 AM More community events and gatherings such as farmers markets, festivals, car shows, fairs. Outdoors in the summer so people can get out and meet each other and enjoy the city.

May 28 2021 08:05 PM Good traffic flow. Security - we have multiple times had people break into are cars.,

May 28 2021 07:51 PM Houses cleaned up and yards maintained. Junk cars towed off the streets. Apartments renovated.

May 28 2021 07:19 PM We have wonderful trails, but the litter and water quality of streams, ponds, etc. is not welcoming.

May 28 2021 06:28 PM Affordable housing options found in diverse housing options - multi-family homes, single family residences, habitat for humanity homes. Clear out the vehicles that line the streets for weeks and/or months. These vehicles sit on the back of car trailers, etc. get moved when the city comes to clear them out and are back within 24 hours. Purchase the Kaiser woods area to save as a park. It is beautiful, very diverse bird species including pileated woodpeckers, downy woodpeckers and other small species of animals. Preserve the walkability of the neighborhood. Slow traffic on 200th, moving toward the transit center.

May 28 2021 05:54 PM Clean streets and yardsNo graffiti on fences, abandoned cars and RV's in the road. More police presence patrolling and holding criminals accountable. Quiet. The amount of noise in general, and noise from the roads (loud music, huge engine noise as in perhaps no working muffler, racing or racing like behavior)

May 28 2021 02:22 PM is out of hand. You can hear it all the way across entire parks. Also, continued EXTEMELY fair police activities/enforcement equally kind and fair to all, and continued excellent parks services. both shot through with kindness. I see those behaviors frequently from both Parks and Police. Keep on rockina folks.

May 26 2021 07:41 PM Rec center.Less homelessness, less abandoned cars, less trash

May 26 2021 04:11 PM Interconnected network of Sidewalks, walking and biking trails to safely move around the neighborhood without a car.

May 26 2021 03:25 PM More section 8 or low income housing like culdesacs, trailer homes, and project. Buildings

May 25 2021 08:07 AM Access to quality schools and early education.

- May 24 2021 03:17 PM This neighborhood needs more commitment from local law enforcement to slow the amount of crime. It also needs public works to encourage better maintenance of privately owned spaces by cleaning up and beautifying the public spaces. If we live in a pretty neighborhood, people try harder to have pretty yards. Clean up the industrial sites between HWY 99 and 52nd Avenue west. Upgrade sidewalks from narrow and broken to wide and strollable. This is such a forgotten area in terms of commitment from public services.
- May 23 2021 09:28 PM South Lynnwood has the potential landscape to accommodate future population growth. My biggest fear is central planning figures of government who think that they know best how to allocate resources. Rather, work with businesses and development companies to meet market demand.
- May 23 2021 12:13 PM Less abandoned cars parked on the streets. Less homeless people living in the bushes. Stop the rise of graffiti everywhere. No more high density
- May 23 2021 10:51 AM Better transportation and better traffic control
- May 23 2021 09:21 AM I'd like to see the neighborhoods be more walkable, particularly across busy streets (like Hwy 99) where even stop lights don't make pedestrians safe.
- May 22 2021 08:44 PM That property taxes will be reasonable. The way they have been going up, I fear that when I retire and have a lower income, I will have to move away because the property taxes could be too high to manage.
- May 22 2021 07:01 PM Flower hanging baskets, more security for Scriber Lake trails and lights in the Scriber Lake trails
- May 22 2021 03:56 PM Community spaces for teens
- May 22 2021 02:51 PM Reducing the homeless population & drug addicts in the street.
- May 22 2021 02:37 PM Less homeless
- May 22 2021 01:18 PM The sidewalks are super cracked so it's hard to ride a bike in them or walk without really paying attention to not trip. I am excited about the park upgrades!! I am concerned about some of the houses that look like they are slums, with overgrown yards, and neglect. These decrease the value of other homes. What can we do about this?
- May 21 2021 11:16 AM Affordable rental property And Holmes
- May 20 2021 07:28 AM I know the city is working hard to do this, but I'd like to commend the work already done and echo other community support for prioritizing strategies that keep the cost of housing for median and lower income individuals in check. Keep up the hard and unfortunately too often thankless work. Your efforts do not go unnoticed.
- May 19 2021 09:49 PM More walkable areas, open space, community events to bring people together.
- May 19 2021 07:19 PM In City of Kirkland, the city has provided a bicycle lane along side of the main roads. I wonder if it is feasible to have that in Lynnwood along side of the 196th St. It would help to ease the traffic and very helpful for people wanting to catch the light rail. In Paris they also have bicycle rental service where by credit card payment a bicycle is released for a citizen's use and dropped off at the other end of the road.
- May 19 2021 03:26 PM Benches along trails and walkways for those that need to rest
- May 19 2021 02:50 PM More park area and community cohesion. Safer sidewalks, both in terms of the sidewalk itself and lighting. More crosswalks on 208th.
- May 18 2021 08:06 PM Would like to see improvement on the bathroom in the parks in south of Lynnwood and lock them during after hours to keep it clean and safe.
- May 18 2021 06:32 PM Affordable housing. When there is change like this, you always eliminate affordable housing. If you can't have affordable housing, don't do it.
- May 18 2021 06:08 PM Open space for children play, picnics,
- May 18 2021 06:08 PM Less apartments and multi family housing
- May 18 2021 05:30 PM Nice community parks
- May 18 2021 04:31 PM I don't have anything to add right now
- May 18 2021 03:16 PM Making builders/ developers responsible for mitigating traffic impacts.
- May 18 2021 03:13 PM I would like to see the residential areas better connected to central/downtown Lynnwood business district. I would like to see more sidewalks and wider/safer roads to accommodate the increased traffic arising from the increased population and dense residential areas.
- May 18 2021 12:13 PM More police patrols.
- May 18 2021 11:00 AM It is important that it be an affordable place to live, but it is not important it be an affordable place to do business. Businesses exist to serve the residents, not the other way around.
- May 18 2021 10:06 AM More art and also better upkeep if the shared green spaces along streets in the neighborhood. More crosswalks and cleaner sidewalks (less broken glass) so people and pets are safe
- May 18 2021 09:59 AM More celebration of diversity in a meaningful and inclusive way
- May 18 2021 09:49 AM As a member of the Lynnwood Elks, it's my sincere hope that they will be building on the Scriber Lake Property where they will continue to serve our underprivileged community.
- May 18 2021 08:58 AM If you upgrade the South Lynnwood Neighborhood park, please make sure there is parking like there is up at North Lynnwood Neighborhood Park.

**Q11. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: "I worry myself or my community will have to move out of Lynnwood."**

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
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thumb	12.99%	20	20.78%	32	20.13%	31	29.22%	45	13.64%	21	3.25%	5	154	3.1
												<b>Answered</b>	<b>154</b>	
												<b>Skipped</b>	<b>56</b>	

**Q12. Please rate the importance of the following in South Lynnwood:**

	Not at all important	Slightly important	Moderately important	Very important	Extremely important	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average						
Preserve or increase the amount of housing that is affordable.	7.02%	8	12.28%	14	19.30%	22	22.81%	26	35.96%	41	2.63%	3	114	3.7
Increase safety and livability for renters.	3.79%	5	12.12%	16	9.09%	12	26.52%	35	46.21%	61	2.27%	3	132	4.02
More housing options like duplexes, townhomes, and accessory dwelling units.	18.75%	27	16.67%	24	20.14%	29	18.06%	26	21.53%	31	4.86%	7	144	3.07
Increased opportunities for home ownership.	4.30%	8	13.98%	26	17.74%	33	24.73%	46	35.48%	66	3.76%	7	186	3.76
												<b>Answered</b>	<b>205</b>	
												<b>Skipped</b>	<b>5</b>	

**Q13. What else would you like to share with us about housing in South Lynnwood?**

**Answered** 79  
**Skipped** 131

Response Date	Responses	Tags
Jun 24 2021 10:49 AM	More security	
Jun 24 2021 10:45 AM	Owners should make apartments more affordable	
Jun 24 2021 09:53 AM	Preserve it	
Jun 23 2021 02:36 PM	INCREASE the amount of affordable housing	
Jun 23 2021 12:19 PM	Preserve homes, increase safety	
Jun 23 2021 12:08 PM	too many duplexes, townhomes, and ADUs now!	
Jun 23 2021 11:58 AM	We have many types of housing already	
Jun 14 2021 09:44 PM	The logic on question 12 was confusing because I could only rank each question as one response, so I could not say multiple were extremely important.	
Jun 14 2021 09:15 PM	The concern that there is any quality in the zoning laws for properties East versus West of 60th Ave., West on 208th St. SW. If you live on the west side you can subdivide your lots into smaller lots. Because they have some kind of waiver? But if you live on the east side of 60th you have to have to wait for a year to get someone to sign off on the zoning laws and size of your lot.	
Jun 14 2021 09:03 PM	More green space, community spaces and trails near housing.	
Jun 14 2021 02:31 PM	The lack of affordable housing in Seattle/Lynnwood stems from the Zoning Laws.	
Jun 14 2021 02:25 PM	Please increase homeownership and decrease apartments	

Jun 14 2021 01:15 PM I can only mark one of the options above as extremely important. Also, property and vehicular taxes need to stay flatter than sales taxes so that we don't overburden our residents and instead gain revenue from consumers using our retail, manufacturing and industrial businesses. Additionally, taxing chain businesses who will desire the accessibility of locations on HWY 99 and 196th street and are more able/willing to pay for that right could also increase revenue without overburdening residents.

Jun 14 2021 12:11 PM Check out what King County is doing in South Seattle, near the White Center area. They have taken these tracks of land and been developing some really nice affordable, diverse and affordable neighborhoods, with usable plazas, play grounds, gathering places. The " public space " at the corner of Lynn wood Crossroads is not usable public space and looks really silly, and no one uses it.

Jun 13 2021 12:12 PM Affordable SFR and apartments are the first step toward improving the south lynnwood community. Smaller mixed use is also a great option.

Jun 12 2021 03:09 PM Large condo, townhome, or high rise apartment complexes are often unseemly, lead to congestion, and don't provide the community with character that makes it desirable. A diversity of individual residence types and price points seems to provide a better community dynamic while serving a wide range of needs

Jun 12 2021 08:16 AM Increased housing will add to congestion problems. The area is limited on how much expansion it can accept. Additional apartment complexes are out of character for the area. More condensed housing will pressure unique areas such as Scriber lake, Halls Lake and the streams. We should be protecting those areas, not encroaching them and strangling them.

Jun 11 2021 01:05 PM Need to tax rental units fairly in comparison to stand alone homes. At this time Lynnwood is way out of wack being overly generous or supporting renters over homeowners.

Jun 11 2021 10:22 AM Provide more help for homeowners who can't afford home repairs

Jun 11 2021 09:36 AM It is inevitable that this neighborhood will be come more and more expensive for ownership. There are a great many Older houses on larger lots. These are often demolished and divided in new construction. Opportunities should be explored to increase density by allowing mother-in-law style sub-development. This might allow aging residents to remain in their homes without being forced too borrow against equity.

Jun 10 2021 05:18 PM Encourage for housing renovation, open for luxury housing communities

Jun 10 2021 04:56 PM I would like the light rail to not negatively effect housing (noise, pollution, transient individuals)

Jun 10 2021 12:48 PM It is so hard to travel within a 2 mile radius with all the conctruction near my home. Right now I couldnt even park in my own driveway after work because the area is blocked off.

Jun 10 2021 10:03 AM Change zoning of lot sizes so more small single family homes can be built and give incentives to contractors to build what used to be called starter homes.

Jun 08 2021 10:55 AM Increase lower income housing and crime increases, currently there are abandoned cars, motorhomes and tons of garbage in and around the low income housing. There is enough low income housing in South Lynnwood find another location.

Jun 08 2021 09:14 AM Need to create greater density adjacent to City Center West.

Jun 07 2021 09:53 PM While things have changed around the main busy roads like 196 I like that a lot of the surrounding neighborhoods are intact with a mixture of small local businesses like restaurants and dentists

Jun 07 2021 10:55 AM Affordable prices

Jun 06 2021 06:48 AM Keep housing prices high

Jun 05 2021 04:38 PM Non

Jun 04 2021 06:25 PM Trailer parks are dirty and it doesn't feel safe walking by them.

Jun 04 2021 05:22 PM Safe, affordable housing is lacking in Lynnwood in general.

Jun 04 2021 04:39 PM There's PLENTY of housing here.

Jun 04 2021 11:26 AM N/A

Jun 04 2021 08:31 AM I rated all four of the questions in #12 Extremely Important but only one of my answers shows up, and only after clicking "OK".

Jun 04 2021 08:13 AM No home less campaign

Jun 03 2021 09:55 PM N/A

Jun 03 2021 07:11 PM None

Jun 03 2021 01:53 PM No tiny village. No section 8 drug dens. Keep the inter urban trail safe. Homelessness is a problem because seattle enables it. And it spills into our community.

Jun 03 2021 11:50 AM I think there are too many high rise apartments being built in general in Lynnwood. Hopefully more duplexes and townhomes can be built and keep most of the housing that is currently here.

Jun 03 2021 10:21 AM Reality is the city can't control the costs. Lynnwood will quickly become expensive with the transit center and the big city falling apart

Jun 03 2021 07:44 AM For question #12, the survey would only let me choose two answers - For preserving housing I would say extremely important, same for increasing safety and livability for renters.

Jun 03 2021 07:43 AM I would like to see the landlords, tenants, as well as residents be held accountable for maintenance and upkeep of their property

Jun 02 2021 03:29 PM Local ordinance to keep out wall street investment firms and foreign investors. Housing should be for local residents. Investment speculation drives up prices.

May 31 2021 05:36 PM Needs to be safer

May 30 2021 05:12 PM Don't need a lot of new expensive home. This is suburban living.

May 29 2021 11:18 AM A way to stop homes from becoming dumpsites. Many non-running vehicles , garbage, sheds, broken fences etc in yards front and back.

May 29 2021 07:56 AM Help for existing homeowners with homes impacted by tree removal, light rail and construction

May 29 2021 06:20 AM More affordable single family homes. There are already too many apartments and condos. Those apartment areas are where I see a lot of police activity in my neighborhood. I think people should be able to achieve homeownership and not have to rent. Maybe we could have a neighborhood of small houses that could be affordable. Perhaps reserved for certain income levels.

May 28 2021 08:07 PM I love fast police and fire response but I can not understand why you drive 1/2 million dollar fire engine to all the aid calls. Is this a good use of resources?

May 28 2021 06:30 PM see previous page, but partner with organizations such as Housing Hope, Habitat for Humanity, and others to create affordable housing options.

May 28 2021 06:03 PM I am glad there are still nice small affordable starter homes for those who want to work hard to get themselves into one. All these nice fancy expensive homes

May 26 2021 07:43 PM Housing thoughts are great, but housing that is within walking distance to amenities is needed.

May 26 2021 03:26 PM Opportunities like owning a home should be presented to hasco renters

May 25 2021 08:09 AM Keep it diverse - not everyone wants to live in a townhome, condo or apartment.

May 24 2021 03:21 PM Apartments in this area need to clean up the junk around the dwellings and have derelict cars on the street impounded after serving notice to the owners. Be fair and give the owners a month to remove the cars.

May 23 2021 09:34 PM Housing affordability is best addressed by increasing supply of smaller housing units instead of artificially forcing lower rents. In planning development, the city's responsibility is not to keep everyone living here stay here. Rather, it is to make the most of the resources to benefit the greatest number of people who will live here now and in the future.

May 23 2021 12:26 PM No more low income housing or these mega apartment buildings that are going up everywhere. Property values are going up because people want to live here, but crime and homelessness are going up also. Let's not turn Lynnwood into Seattle! Property values are going up everywhere that it's desirable to live, all over the country. I have lived in Lynnwood 25 years and am thinking it's time to leave because of the reasons above plus traffic is getting really bad around the core of the city. The city is not a game of "SimCity", it was a nice suburb, but is going in the wrong direction!!!

May 23 2021 09:24 AM I'd like to see the houses in South Lynnwood taken care of better - there are many residences with overgrown yards, junk and debris laying around.

May 22 2021 08:47 PM Maintain affordability when light rail begins. Keep property taxes from increasing too much or too quickly.

May 22 2021 03:57 PM I want more affordable housing but I'm afraid of zoning changes that may force me out of my home.

May 22 2021 02:55 PM I don't want the light rail to make it more expensive to live in the area  
Can we do something about the houses and apartments that are Falling apart? I love the neighborhood but don't want lose house value because of neglectful

May 22 2021 01:23 PM Neighbors. Can we make people clean up their yards? All the houses around me have overgrown yards with rundown sheds, garbage, or clutter. :( I love to keep my yard nice, take care of my house, make home improvements while the others around me just let their places go. It's so sad. - Emily , 206-683-9448,

May 20 2021 05:32 PM I am unclear what is meant by livability for renters here, but it worries me a little. I think affordability has to be the main concern and this sounds like it may be add odds with that.

May 19 2021 09:52 PM Too many strip malls, construction and huge apartment complexes are creating big traffic problems. It feels like infrastructure hasn't caught up to the needs of the community.

May 19 2021 07:27 PM Affordable housing should be mixed with the moderately or high priced housing and not be separated.

May 19 2021 03:28 PM Is there a possibility of providing transitional housing for the homeless? Survey doesn't allow me to mark all 4 above.

May 19 2021 02:53 PM Housing should be more separated from the businesses.

May 19 2021 12:21 AM Right now my rent is relatively affordable because the owner chooses to charge less. He nor I am involved in any supplemental assistance program. The interior bathrooms and kitchen are 1970s era and I feel this is a major factor in the pricing. But that is the trade-off I endure.

May 18 2021 06:40 PM Increase of officers in the LPD

May 18 2021 04:47 PM Safety for our families

May 18 2021 04:33 PM It is important to me that the neighborhood does not become gentrified. We need to be home and hospitable to a diverse group of people. Affordable housing is critical for this to happen

May 18 2021 03:19 PM Seems the city caters to developers at the expense of the residents  
I think preserving the somewhat "quiet" residential feel of South Lynnwood is more important than encouraging mass multi-family redevelopment. Improving

May 18 2021 03:15 PM neighborhoods with sidewalks and safer roads is important. Allowing homeowners to develop ADU's will help provide affordable capacity to the housing market.  
It is important to balance public services with taxes to allow long-time homeowners the ability to continue living in the area.

May 18 2021 11:01 AM Too few residents own too much of the land area. We need apartments, not townhouses.

May 18 2021 10:09 AM Loans to update and fix houses, apartments  
 May 18 2021 10:03 AM Improved housing options will help with equity and preserving our cherished diversity.  
 May 18 2021 09:52 AM Community Services, transportation, and safety continue to be of utmost importance.

**Q14. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: "I would like to see South Lynnwood's manufacturing and production jobs preserved and protected."**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
thumb	3.33% 5	4.67% 7	20.67% 31	38.00% 57	32.00% 48	1.33% 2	150	3.92
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>150</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>60</b>

**Q15. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: "I would like to see programs that connect residents with jobs in South Lynnwood."**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
thumb	2.59% 5	3.63% 7	22.80% 44	33.16% 64	35.75% 69	2.07% 4	193	3.98
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>193</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>17</b>

**Q16. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: "I would like to see more support for women-owned, minority-owned, and small businesses in South Lynnwood."**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
thumb	4.17% 8	2.60% 5	22.92% 44	26.04% 50	42.19% 81	2.08% 4	192	4.02
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>192</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>18</b>

**Q17. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: "Light Industrial areas are important to the South Lynnwood community."**

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	I'm not sure	Total	Weighted Average
thumb	5.37% 8	6.71% 10	28.86% 43	36.24% 54	20.81% 31	2.01% 3	149	3.62
	<b>Answered</b>							<b>149</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>							<b>61</b>

**Q18. Are there other businesses, spaces, or opportunities you would like to see in the Light Industrial areas in South Lynnwood?**

**Answered 54**  
**Skipped 156**

Response Date	Responses	Tags
Jun 14 2021 09:44 PM	n/a	
Jun 14 2021 09:17 PM	Businesses that support a variety of physical activities at reasonable prices not your typical club like LA fitness	
Jun 14 2021 09:04 PM	Maker space and communal spaces.	
Jun 14 2021 12:12 PM	Don't worry about being "equitable"	
Jun 13 2021 12:25 PM	In order to create a better south lynnwood community the areas industrial land use should not be expanded. The focus should on cleaner and friendly uses such as tech and healthcare along with a residential base.	
Jun 12 2021 03:12 PM	Small businesses like restaurants, breweries, bars or ethnic food establishments (restaurants or grocery) are very desirable.	

Jun 12 2021 08:19 AM I feel there is sufficient business development. The area is small and has areas that should be protected, as i have addressed. Businesses put more pressure on those just as does multi-unit housing. It would also add to congestion which is already bad, and will get worse.

Jun 11 2021 01:10 PM Lynnwood does not appear to care about people in the Ghetto (south Lynnwood) parking commercial vehicles in residential streets. Also property maintenance if overlooked in the Ghetto, mid century homes are not being maintained. Place looks like Hell on some streets, cars parked in the yards, grass a foot high and junk stored outside.

Jun 11 2021 09:49 AM Businesses such as Brew-Pubs, Small wineries and and food producers with tasting rooms would encourage more local residents to walk. In the are east of 54th along 208th. This area is a 10 minute walk from the light rail station along the Inter-urban trail and could develop as a destination before individuals take the light-rail to Sports and Arts events. Allowing two to 4 person pedicabs would give the area a distinct identity to those who live outside the area.

Jun 10 2021 04:57 PM I would love to see breweries and places to eat in this neighborhood.

Jun 10 2021 10:04 AM No

Jun 10 2021 10:04 AM More street parking for businesses!!!

Jun 08 2021 09:16 AM The light industrial area is too close to the transit area - where residential density should be a priority.

Jun 07 2021 09:54 PM I like to see more of these small local owned businesses mixed with larger or chain businesses

Jun 07 2021 10:56 AM More manufacturing jobs

Jun 06 2021 06:48 AM More High tech companies and clean industries

Jun 05 2021 04:39 PM No

Jun 04 2021 06:25 PM IT offices

Jun 04 2021 05:24 PM Not sure

Jun 04 2021 04:41 PM Clean up the appearances of light industrial areas.

Jun 04 2021 11:27 AM N/A

Jun 04 2021 08:31 AM Whatever employs increasing numbers of people in livable wage jobs, higher than the minimum wage.

Jun 04 2021 08:14 AM Nop

Jun 03 2021 09:56 PM Nothing I. Can think of

Jun 03 2021 07:12 PM More shops and restaurants that is special, unlike typical brands in alderwood mall

Jun 03 2021 05:01 PM food/dining, convenience stores

Jun 03 2021 01:56 PM The zoning for light industrial purposes in south lynnwood is not properly interspersed with the residential areas. There seems to be no rhyme or reason to how these areas where created.

Jun 03 2021 01:55 PM Don't make COVID vaccines mandatory.

Jun 03 2021 10:23 AM Not really

Jun 03 2021 07:47 AM I like the idea of having jobs available for residents within the community

Jun 02 2021 03:32 PM I'm ok with our business and industrial areas, I think more focus on front landscaping to integrate business in mixed use residential areas.

May 30 2021 05:14 PM Too many businesses now, don't need any more. This is a funny area with everything all mixed together.

May 29 2021 06:24 AM Maybe a lighted walking trail through the area and some nice landscaping to make it more inviting for people. Maybe mix up the space with some restaurants so people can enjoy the area.

May 28 2021 08:07 PM Keep taxes down and support the business. Don't tax us out of town.

May 28 2021 07:21 PM Coffee shops, local hang outs, curb appeal to draw in business.

May 26 2021 07:44 PM I don't see a lot of opportunities to open a lot of new business in S. Lynn., but like the idea of living and working nearby.

May 26 2021 03:28 PM Openings in jobs for youth or volunteer work for youth. As well as youth safe spacws

May 25 2021 08:10 AM There needs to be a balance in buffering the uses to keep it walkable and compatible with adjacent residential uses.

May 24 2021 03:23 PM Recreational businesses would be nice, as well as stores and restaurants interspersed with the industrial businesses. Make it less ugly and more usable for everyone.

May 23 2021 09:42 PM Is there anyone who is able to predict the demand for Light Industrial space 10 years into the future? If not, I don't see the point of this question.

May 23 2021 12:31 PM Just don't turn the land into more apartments!! live and work in lynnwood, but don't feel we need more, there are plenty of jobs for people who want to get an education and work.

May 22 2021 07:05 PM More places to gather and affordable opportunities for new businesses

May 22 2021 03:58 PM Artist lofts/co-working spaces

May 22 2021 01:26 PM More Restaurants , coffee shops, and family-oriented businesses would be nice. I'd like to see it become a more upscale. Many businesses have old fences, unkept landscaping, and poorly maintained buildings which brings down the look and enjoyment of the cool neighborhood.

May 20 2021 06:27 PM Tech industries that can occupy office spaces.

May 19 2021 03:30 PM Businesses should provide services for multitudes of people, not just a select few.

May 18 2021 06:34 PM Children clubs like boys and girl clubs, recreation centers

May 18 2021 04:35 PM Local owned small businesses. Culturally diverse restaurants

May 18 2021 03:22 PM I do not see the City as the employment agent for its residents.

May 18 2021 03:17 PM Industrial sites are difficult to locate in dense Cities. I am in favor of encouraging the development of industrial business operations in South Lynnwood and improving the connectedness to residents. Jobs mean residents, residents means income and community.

May 18 2021 02:11 PM The businesses must be allowed to have on-street parking, 211th needs parking. The Interurban Trail no longer runs along the street, turn it into parking so that

May 18 2021 11:03 AM Businesses should not be the priority until there is enough affordable room for residents.

May 18 2021 09:54 AM Fraternal Organizations like the Elks, Community Services, Clubs that support the community

**Q19. What is most important to you for parks and trails in South Lynnwood? (please select your top 3)**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Preserve existing tree ca	43.92%	65
Preserve natural areas	58.11%	86
Expand size of existing p	16.89%	25
Improve existing parks	48.65%	72
Improve existing trails	41.22%	61
Expand trail networks	34.46%	51
Improve walking and biki	51.35%	76
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>148</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>62</b>

**Q20. How do you currently get around South Lynnwood? (check all that apply)**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Walking	58.33%	112
Biking	20.31%	39
Car	96.35%	185
Carpool	6.25%	12
Bus	16.15%	31
Taxi/Uber/Lyft	6.77%	13
Wheeled device (wheelcl	3.65%	7
Other (please specify)		5
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>192</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>18</b>

Response Date	Other (please specify)
Jun 24 2021 09:03 AM	DART
Jun 24 2021 08:58 AM	rollerblades
Jun 23 2021 03:07 PM	horse and buggy
Jun 14 2021 12:22 PM	UAS/EMS/AMBULANCE
Jun 14 2021 12:14 PM	Would like bus, but I can wqalk the 40 minutes faster than talking the bus 1 hr 10 min to get to Park and Ride. Usually just drive there, unfortunatly

**Q21. Do you plan to use light rail when it opens in Lynnwood?**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	78.62%	125
No	21.38%	34
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>159</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>51</b>

**Q22. If so, how do you want to get to the station? (select as many as apply)**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Walking	64.50%	109
Biking	24.85%	42
Car	66.27%	112
Carpool	9.47%	16
Bus	30.18%	51
Taxi/Uber/Lyft	12.43%	21
Wheeled device (wheelchair)	2.96%	5
Micro-transit if available (e.g., bike share)	10.06%	17
Other (please specify)		15
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>169</b>
	<b>Skipped</b>	<b>41</b>

Response Date	Response	Tags
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Jun 24 2021 09:03 AM	All will work	
Jun 23 2021 03:07 PM	horse and buggy	
Jun 23 2021 02:47 PM	Don't use	
Jun 23 2021 12:33 PM	Maybe carpool if going with others to store	
Jun 14 2021 12:22 PM	EMS Transport/Medical Transport/Amtrak Connect	
Jun 14 2021 12:14 PM	Bus service is really crappy	
Jun 11 2021 01:12 PM	Will not use light rail as we have no interest traveling on the Hobo Rail. (that's what it's going to become)	
Jun 11 2021 10:25 AM	I can't physically walk or bike to the station, so it would be great if there were easy and accessible community options!	
May 30 2021 05:16 PM	I don't need the transit system.	
May 29 2021 11:21 AM	Walking if trails are improved for safety. Biking if lock boxes are available for ebike batteries.	
May 25 2021 08:13 AM	Family friendly and safe options for bringing kids with bikes. Need safe connectivity routes to the south Lynnwood area from outside the immediate area. Think Meadowdale Playfield area to the transit station by bike or foot that isn't sited along Hwy 99	
May 21 2021 11:20 AM	What about bus service	
May 20 2021 07:34 AM	It would be great if there were secure parking for scooters (like electric mopeds) and places to charge them	
May 19 2021 03:01 PM	For my using the bus to the transit center it would require reinstating the bus route on 208th St. SW	
May 18 2021 06:41 PM	Need a lot of parking at the light rail stations	

**Q23. The Co-Design Committee discussed public spaces where everyone belongs. Which of these types of places would you like to see in South Lynnwood? (select your top 3)**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Youth organizations (example: Scouts, 4-H, etc.)	42.39%	78

Recreation Centers (exa	55.43%	102
Community Gardens	47.83%	88
Cultural Spaces (exampl	39.13%	72
Business Support (exam	34.24%	63
Public Art and/or Cultural	30.43%	56
Locally-owned business	44.02%	81
Co-located Spaces (flexi	32.61%	60
Other (please describe)		22
<b>Answered</b>		<b>184</b>
<b>Skipped</b>		<b>26</b>

Response Date	(please desc	Tags
Jun 24 2021 08:58 AM	Playgrounds	
Jun 23 2021 02:48 PM	All people no matter who they are	
Jun 23 2021 12:37 PM	Dog park next to Interurban Trail	
Jun 23 2021 12:33 PM	The Elks Club	
Jun 23 2021 12:10 PM	Dog parks	
Jun 23 2021 12:02 PM	dog park	
Jun 14 2021 02:31 PM	Need to encourage high tech companies to move to Lynnwood by building business park, not strip malls.	
Jun 12 2021 08:31 AM	This area is quiet. I don't believe adding elements such as above are necessary when all of those are readily available and close by. If such elements were to added, they should be concentrated at already established locations or current business locations, such as at the pool, Fred Meyer area, or abutting 196th where the light rail will be. Adding above to predominantly quiet home neighborhoods would detract from the area and strongly negatively impact the area.	
Jun 11 2021 01:21 PM	No recommendations	
Jun 06 2021 04:24 PM	Clean and safe to walk in	
Jun 02 2021 03:41 PM	All new retail spaces/plazas (like) James Village should incorporate outdoor community courtyards with free performances from local community college dance and drama classes to make shopping areas a place where people gather and interact.	
Jun 02 2021 03:17 PM	I find the membership for the swimming pool too expensive for my family so we can't use it.	
May 30 2021 05:21 PM	It is okay they way it is now, don't want higher taxes to pay for all of these things.	
May 28 2021 08:07 PM	Open business court yards that provide a place to hang out, shop and eat	
May 26 2021 03:33 PM	Community gardens	
May 23 2021 12:45 PM	It would be nice to have public fields for things like baseball,soccer, sand volleyball, tennis. Places like "Gold park" have turned into homeless camps and are scary to even walk thru. No more parks like that !	
May 22 2021 01:33 PM	Love these ideas! Plus requirements to keep them looking nice	
May 19 2021 03:38 PM	While I don't think Lynnwood needs another recreation center, I think that some type of gathering space that provides opportunities for youth and adults would be nice. Also, a space that accommodates a variety of year round food trucks with seating areas would be cool.	
May 18 2021 06:37 PM	How are Youth Organizations public spaces where everyone belongs? Once you hit a certain age you would no longer be welcome! Why not a senior center?	
May 18 2021 10:46 AM	These are all great ideas.	
May 18 2021 10:04 AM	Fraternal Organizations	

**Q24. We have heard from community members who want South Lynnwood to be a safe neighborhood. What does a safe neighborhood mean to you?**

<b>Answered</b>	<b>127</b>
<b>Skipped</b>	<b>83</b>

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Jun 24 2021 10:38 AM One that doesn't have vandalism and is safe for families

Jun 17 2021 03:55 PM Better lighting, more night time police patrols, better cross walks , and sidewalks

Jun 14 2021 09:47 PM Work on racism within police force for safety for all.

Jun 14 2021 09:27 PM Less graffiti. Crack down on those degrading our community appearances. Give the youth something positive to do. Being able to walk the streets safe after dark in the fall and summer.

Jun 14 2021 09:10 PM Freedom from fear of violence, accidents and theft.

Jun 14 2021 05:43 PM Being able to walk at night w/o worry. Being able to leave things around my property unsecured.

Jun 14 2021 04:01 PM Community care and mutual aid. People taking care of their neighbors

Jun 14 2021 02:38 PM Kids of middle school age or older should be safely autonomous. They can walk to school. They can bike to a pool or park.

Jun 14 2021 02:31 PM Increase police patrols. Target unsafe neighborhood. Do not copy what Seattle/Portland is doing in their cities.

Jun 14 2021 01:25 PM Policing by officers who are visible often in the community and connected with the neighborhood and are trained to in deescalation . Public and business

Jun 14 2021 12:18 PM Provide support programs that encourage kids to pursue other venues rather than crime. The signal box wrap was a good idea to get kids involvement on a

Jun 13 2021 12:51 PM A safe neighborhood means having a good community police relationship. It also is important to make the existing parks and trails safer (like the walking trail from the Transit station westbound by the apartment complex.

Jun 13 2021 12:35 PM Low crime, a police presence, a community of residents that lives in and is invested in their neighborhood.

Jun 13 2021 09:16 AM No stealing or fireworks or guns

Jun 12 2021 03:20 PM Comfortable walking around the trails (perhaps street and path lighting at night), safe traffic patterns and crossing areas

Jun 12 2021 08:31 AM Police presence especially on the interurban and 212th where cars frequently drive at 45-50 mph. Drug offender boot camp programs for the city as a whole which has proven to reduce drug addiction among young and aligned crime recidivism. Ticket cars and motorcycles with obtrusively loud exhaust, especially those that intentionally rev their engines to disturb homes.

Jun 11 2021 01:21 PM Crime free, no street camping, no camping in the parks. More Police operations especially on 208th. Running stop signs and speeding above 45 is an issue. Hwy 99 is beyond hope.

Jun 11 2021 11:08 AM Where residents and law enforcement trust each other and where no one feels threatened by law enforcement

Jun 11 2021 10:39 AM Clean, not being harassed for money or by men, walking paths that don't have tripping hazards or require walking in roads or puddles.

Jun 11 2021 10:04 AM Improved surfaces and lighting for walking and non-motorized wheeling around. The use of roundabouts to slow speeders and make traffic intersections safer particularly along 52nd at 204th and 208th

Jun 11 2021 08:21 AM No crime

Jun 10 2021 05:24 PM Family friendly neiborhood, no homeless

Jun 10 2021 04:59 PM Low crime and not a lot of transient individuals

Jun 10 2021 12:51 PM less graffiti, less damage to vehicles on owners property.

Jun 10 2021 10:11 AM The ability to walk safely through the neighborhood, to and from the store, no gangs, no open drug use or selling.

Jun 10 2021 10:10 AM Safe to walk including ample sidewalks and marked crosswalks, well lit, clean, having a united community feel, slower speed zones in residential areas, speed bumps if needed.

Jun 08 2021 02:43 PM Play's people and families can be without being molested by crime or other problems

Jun 08 2021 10:47 AM Healthy, nice and fun place.

Jun 08 2021 09:21 AM Well lit, walkable trails. An engaged and cooperative relationship between residents and Lynnwood police.

Jun 08 2021 09:17 AM My family and my property safe with reasonable precautions.

Jun 07 2021 10:03 PM People can walk around the area with no fear! Lots of street lights at night. Low crime. Lots of police patrols. No graffiti or trash. Lots of families taking walks. Neighborhood watch programs.

Jun 07 2021 05:05 PM Low crime, an observable police presence, safe and clean inter urban trail.

Jun 07 2021 10:58 AM You can walk any time on the streets without fear of being attacked or robbed

Jun 07 2021 07:57 AM Safe means cars aren't a danger to pedestrians or bikers and there are good side walks, clear crosswalks.

Jun 07 2021 12:08 AM A safe neighborhood is having to not feel like I have to watch my back or be afraid to walk on the sidewalks when walking my dogs.

Jun 06 2021 06:57 AM Clamping down on vandals, drug abusers, and addressing the homeless crisis

Jun 06 2021 06:54 AM help the drug addicts and homeless people so there not on the streets living in cars and campers.

Jun 05 2021 04:43 PM Control homelessness

Jun 05 2021 10:14 AM low crime, safe sidewalks

Jun 05 2021 09:27 AM Walking in the neighborhood, especially on the trails, without fear of being accosted. Control of vandalism.

Jun 04 2021 06:30 PM No mobile homes, trailer parks, and RVs along streets.

Jun 04 2021 05:32 PM where people can walk freely without neighbors calling the police on them. where people mind their business (to a certain extent)

Jun 04 2021 05:32 PM Lower speed limits, clean streets and sidewalks and trails, excellent lighting, well marked crosswalks with pedestrian signage, regular police presence (on bikes or on foot not just speeding by in a cruiser) interacting with residents and businesses, safe & spacious bike lanes, & pristine parks where residents can enjoy nature and outdoor activities.

Jun 04 2021 04:49 PM It means everything.

Jun 04 2021 04:44 PM No homeless people. No crime in parks.

Jun 04 2021 08:31 AM Bike patrols and emergency call boxes on the Interurban Trail, small community police station near South Lynnwood Park

Jun 04 2021 08:17 AM No home less campaign and no drugs

Jun 04 2021 08:15 AM Being able to walk safely on designated sidewalks with functional crossing points and lights.

Jun 03 2021 10:00 PM Less drug addicted homeless thieves.

Jun 03 2021 05:04 PM Well lit with sidewalks

Jun 03 2021 02:05 PM An space where young and old can recreate or just gather safely with out intimidation or fear of being impeded by motor vehicles or others

Jun 03 2021 01:59 PM Law and order!

Jun 03 2021 12:00 PM A safe neighborhood is one that doesn't allow homeless living on streets including motorhomes. An ample amount of police to be able to respond immediately in case of trouble. A neighborhood watch program. Not allowing repeat offenders to immediately be released.

Jun 03 2021 10:27 AM Keep homeless camps out at all costs. Have extremely good lighting and constant security

Jun 03 2021 08:52 AM Pedestrian access for all people to move about the area and I feel safe walking the streets.

Jun 03 2021 08:49 AM I think a safe neighborhood means safer parks, trails, and roads.

Jun 03 2021 07:58 AM To me personally safety is in perception. If you walk by a motor home with clutter all around, tells me that this isn't a safe space. I don't feel comfortable to have me kids going on walks with me through some parts of town. I would like to see improved lighting with street lights to keep spaces lit at night

Jun 03 2021 07:48 AM I can go to my place of business without having to scan the parking lot and bushes first for people lurking in there, or drug paraphernalia or toileting. I could be there by myself without keeping the door locked.

Jun 02 2021 07:28 PM Not being afraid to walk in the neighborhood because I'm not white. Feeling like I am safe from being targeted by law enforcement because I am not white. Feeling like our police have our best interests in mind and are serving our community with safety and protection of ALL at the forefront.

Jun 02 2021 03:41 PM Lynnwood has an extremely high crime rate. More police presence. Foot or bike patrols in parks and trails. Investment in a homeless center that can house many and provide mental health and drug counseling as well as streamline resources and job placement for those trying to get out of homelessness. Also community networking with religious and other groups already working on homelessness.

Jun 02 2021 03:17 PM That I can walk around Scriber lake park without being attacked

May 31 2021 05:52 PM No homeless encampments. No RV's or tents

May 31 2021 05:39 PM No drug houses, walkable with kids, my kids can ride a bike around neighborhood without fear

May 31 2021 12:37 PM Sidewalks and safe pedestrian access

May 30 2021 06:37 PM Being able to walk the neighborhood ant time of day

May 30 2021 05:21 PM No homeless people camping everywhere.

May 29 2021 11:23 AM It means not allowing drug houses to continue. Also it means not allowing homeless living along trails.

May 29 2021 07:59 AM Walk safely, feel safe in home, decreased crime, engaged community and responsive but accountable government services

May 29 2021 06:29 AM Low crime rate. I want to feel comfortable walking down the street. Sidewalks should be cleared from overgrowth.

May 28 2021 08:07 PM My car is not broke into every time I leave it unlocked. My children can play in neighborhood with out worry. Safety - No drug, needles and trash a long roads and parks.

May 28 2021 07:56 PM I don't need to worry about mail theft, car theft, and crime in general.

May 28 2021 07:24 PM Ability to walk without worrying about people living in bushes or off trail. Police working with community as outreach.

May 28 2021 06:37 PM walkable, free of trash and abandoned vehicles. Community policing (not a heavy presence but more a part of our community). South Lynnwood is relatively safe neighborhood. Slow speed of cars on residential streets by adding calming circles at intersections, or some other idea.

May 28 2021 06:18 PM Not worrying that my house or car will get broken into. Being able to walk the trails without encountering druggies.

May 28 2021 05:30 PM Being able to walk and not worry about someone jumping you.

May 28 2021 02:30 PM Ability to move around city, neighborhood, and parks without fear. I am unhappy how often someone asks me if it is safe to walk in a park. It should be an "absolutely yes" but it isn't always.

May 27 2021 02:52 PM Low crime and no homeless and drug dealers out on the streets. Be the opposite of Seattle.

May 26 2021 07:49 PM Not full of homeless, not full of garbage, decent lighting to walk, low theft, community and police presence.

May 26 2021 04:15 PM Pedestrian safety, well-lit sidewalks and parks. LGBTQ-friendly public spaces.

May 26 2021 03:33 PM Not being harassed or overwatched by police. Police to be involved with community and to not just punish people.

May 26 2021 09:38 AM Feeling that I could go anywhere at anytime

May 26 2021 07:36 AM Low traffic/pedestrian collisions, low property crime, low rates of domestic violence

May 25 2021 08:15 AM Safe means being able to walk and enjoy parks without fear of stepping on needles, encountering homeless people who may be having mental health crisis. Safety means infrastructure like sidewalks, curb and gutters and dark skies compliant lighting in public spaces.

May 25 2021 07:33 AM It means you trust your neighbours enough and you can walk anytime of the day with no fear. Means decrease stealing/damage your cars.

May 24 2021 03:31 PM Regular police presence, patrols and cc tv in problem areas. The police could actually try to get to know the residents.

May 23 2021 09:47 PM A safe neighborhood is a place where residents can live life without fear or worry of property crimes and gang activity.

May 23 2021 08:43 PM Low crime

May 23 2021 08:23 PM An area where residents can feel safe in their homes and on the streets at all hours of the day.

May 23 2021 12:45 PM More police! less abandoned cars or rotating motor home parking, all they do is stay a day and dump their trash on the street and leave. Graffiti is getting terrible. Finding needles when taking a walk. It all needs to be stopped. Lynnwood is turning into Seattle! That's why property values were going up because don't want to live with that in Seattle so they have moved to this area.

May 23 2021 10:57 AM Not having people camping/squatting in public spaces, not having people openly doing drugs and leaving needles in public spaces, not having panhandlers in the area. Having adequate sidewalk space for walking safely.

May 23 2021 10:11 AM Where people look out for each other and where we can move freely anywhere without fear of crime

May 23 2021 09:29 AM a safe neighborhood means there's no one lurking in hidden areas, crime is down, you can walk at night, you can come home late and not be afraid that someone could be waiting for you

May 22 2021 08:56 PM A neighborhood where I as a woman can feel comfortable going for walks by myself until dusk in the summer and until at least 7-8pm in the winter.

May 22 2021 07:10 PM Clean, good lighting on streets, and trails

May 22 2021 04:01 PM Defund the police for community outreach/mental health workers/social workers

May 22 2021 03:04 PM No sketchy people roaming the neighborhood. Safe to walk at night on a hot summer evening.

May 22 2021 02:43 PM Less homeless

May 22 2021 01:33 PM No more prowlers, speeding, drugged up people at the park, theft, and trailers parked on the street. Right now, I can't send my daughter to the park by herself. There was a woman almost naked coming out of the bathroom, we have recently had to put in a security system because of trespassers

May 21 2021 11:24 AM There would be no needles no garbage police walking in the communities so the community would know the police officer and the police officer with no the community

May 20 2021 06:31 PM No graffiti, low crime, where women can feel comfortable walking down the street alone, well lit streets at night.

May 20 2021 05:49 PM I personally feel safe here. I have seen a few sketchy people around over the years and some people driving too fast, but don't necessarily think there is a good way to eliminate that entirely. Stop light at the trail across 200th between Sprague's and Scriber lake would be nice.

May 19 2021 09:55 PM Well lit streets with sidewalks, a responsive police force.

May 19 2021 07:49 PM If a person can walk from one end to the other end of the city at any time during the day or night, that would mean safety.

May 19 2021 03:38 PM Lighted when dark. Sidewalks. No bushes along the walking area so people can see their surroundings.

May 19 2021 03:01 PM A place where people, including children, can walk and ride bikes safely on the street. A place where people can be out at night without worry. A place with no crime, especially that against other people.

May 19 2021 12:25 AM Low to no crime of course

May 18 2021 06:45 PM Increase in officers at LPD

May 18 2021 06:43 PM Open spaces, well lit sidewalks and spaces. Community patrol

May 18 2021 06:37 PM No druggies living on the streets, Housing that everyone can afford. Low crime

May 18 2021 06:13 PM Safe

May 18 2021 05:19 PM Personally safe to move around and shop or play. Also safe to have a business safe from crime or harassment.

May 18 2021 04:39 PM	Clean drinking water, low crime, respired roads and sidewalks, well lit parking lots, trust in police specifically around their bias training and de-escalation practices, slow cars in neighborhoods where we walk and ride bikes (separate bike lanes!)
May 18 2021 04:02 PM	Able to walk my neighborhood in the evening without fear, able to leave my home and not worry about a break in, able to leave my car in the driveway without worrying the catalytic converter will be cut off & that all residents can get along without regards to race, religion, political leaning, and sexual orientation
May 18 2021 03:21 PM	A safe neighborhood means good condition pubic improvements - good condition roads and sidewalks that connect business services to residential areas. Lighting, crosswalks, and necessary traffic control. Wide open roads with clear sidewalks.
May 18 2021 02:14 PM	It is imperative.
May 18 2021 02:01 PM	Safe walking at night, less mail theft
May 18 2021 01:42 PM	free from vandalism and other crime
May 18 2021 12:18 PM	More police presence!
May 18 2021 12:05 PM	Low crime rate and being able to walk or ride a bike safely
May 18 2021 11:30 AM	a woman walking home at 10pm at night without the fear of being assaulted.
May 18 2021 11:20 AM	No "Camper" long-term parking on the street, regular policing of the neighborhood and interaction with the community,
May 18 2021 11:07 AM	Fewer police and better sidewalks.
May 18 2021 10:46 AM	Better economic opportunity and inclusion will help to reduce crime. Policing should be without racist attitudes and profiling. Safety also needs to include well-functioning crosswalks.
May 18 2021 10:15 AM	Safe to walk without worry of being hit by cars, no glass in the sidewalks, good lighting for dusk and dawn
May 18 2021 10:04 AM	Police, Lighting, and regular Clean up
May 18 2021 09:03 AM	A place where kids can play

**Q25. Who are the leaders and organizers in South Lynnwood? If you think we should reach out to them for input on this Plan, can you please provide their information?**

**Answered 49**  
**Skipped 161**

Response Date	Responses	Tags
Jun 14 2021 09:27 PM	The Lynnwood Support Center used to bring families together at Trinity Lutheran church parking lot. Now where are they and others that build the family relationships?	
Jun 14 2021 09:10 PM	South snohomish county. PUD	
Jun 14 2021 12:18 PM	Local manufacturing and service ccompanies	
Jun 12 2021 08:31 AM	No idea	
Jun 11 2021 01:21 PM	No comment, as I have never been contacted by your elected officials in my 45 years in the Ghetto (South Lynnwood)	
Jun 11 2021 10:04 AM	I really do not know who they are.	
Jun 11 2021 08:21 AM	Don't know	
Jun 10 2021 04:59 PM	Unknow	
Jun 10 2021 10:11 AM	I have no idea.	
Jun 08 2021 10:47 AM	yes	
Jun 08 2021 09:21 AM	??	
Jun 07 2021 10:03 PM	My neighbor Nick Coelho!	
Jun 07 2021 05:05 PM	No clue!	
Jun 06 2021 04:24 PM	Building department - More ability to use land. ADU, townhomes, 0 clearance etc	
Jun 05 2021 04:43 PM	Don't know	
Jun 04 2021 05:32 PM	Not sure	
Jun 04 2021 04:49 PM	N/a	
Jun 04 2021 04:44 PM	You are	
Jun 04 2021 08:31 AM	Julieta Altamirano Crosby	
Jun 04 2021 08:17 AM	Mayor	

Jun 03 2021 10:00 PM Unknown  
 Jun 03 2021 02:05 PM I do not know any of these people  
 Jun 03 2021 12:00 PM The leaders are the City Council, Mayor, Fire Dept. and Police Department.  
 Jun 03 2021 10:27 AM Not sure  
 Jun 03 2021 07:58 AM Not sure. There are a few groups that have done some adopt a street to clean up. Maybe they can be contacted  
 Jun 03 2021 07:48 AM I only know of the mayor and this group.  
 Jun 02 2021 03:41 PM Unknown  
 May 31 2021 05:39 PM I don't know  
 May 30 2021 05:21 PM Have no idea who they are. The city needs to have a seperate rep for different areas to listen to its people.  
 May 28 2021 08:07 PM George Hurst  
 May 27 2021 02:52 PM I don't know  
 May 26 2021 03:33 PM Get in touch with the baptist church on 196. Ywca housing. There is no real community leaders if there are tell them to really get in touch with the community  
 May 25 2021 07:33 AM NA  
 May 24 2021 03:31 PM Unknown  
 May 22 2021 08:56 PM Leaders at Northwest Church / Community Life Center like Kent Landrum and Chris Goldman.  
 May 22 2021 01:33 PM Not sure  
 May 19 2021 07:49 PM I already did. Zainab Organization of Greater Seattle on 198th St.  
 May 19 2021 03:38 PM I think the Mayor, Council, Planning Board and Police are the leaders. Verdant.  
 May 19 2021 03:01 PM I am not sure. I don't know that there are leaders and organizers in South Lynnwood.  
 May 18 2021 06:43 PM Lynnwood police,  
 May 18 2021 06:37 PM I have no idea. They probably should be re elected for coming up with this plan.  
 May 18 2021 06:13 PM ldk  
 May 18 2021 04:39 PM I don't have a thought for that  
 May 18 2021 04:02 PM I do not know of any  
 May 18 2021 12:18 PM Ask the mayor.....  
 May 18 2021 10:46 AM Spritual Assembly of the Bahá'ís of LynnwoodP.O. Box 2494Lynnwood, WA 98036secretary@lynnwoodbahai.org(206) 228-8574  
 May 18 2021 10:04 AM I am the Exalted Ruler of Lynnwood Elks 2171, in the process of building in that area. Please call me, Julie Seeder 206-478-1638  
 May 18 2021 09:03 AM No idea

**Q26. What else would you like us to know about culture and diversity in South Lynnwood?**

**Answered 57**  
**Skipped 153**

Response Date	Responses	Tags
Jun 14 2021 09:27 PM	The last year has been Hell!!I hope things get better and back to normal soon.	
Jun 14 2021 09:10 PM	It had potential to be a integrated community if the area was not divided do much by busy roads.	
Jun 14 2021 01:25 PM	It comes with a cost, which may be that high end economics aren't the top priority. But I'd rather live with culture and diversity than a soulless city flush with cash.	
Jun 14 2021 12:18 PM	-	
Jun 12 2021 03:20 PM	Currently I don't personally experience much local culture or art, but I would love to! I like living here because it's quiet, beautiful, has great outdoor space that is accessible, and doesn't feel overcrowded or overly corporate Culture is important. And recognizing diversity is as well. But it can be overdone. Lynnwood as awhile also needs to help those from other cultures to assimilate. I myself am half Hispanic and recognize cultural importance. But at the same time, i recognize American culture is capable of embracing and growing culturally	
Jun 12 2021 08:31 AM	by helping others maintain their culture while teaching assimilation so that those new here are able to embrace their new culture and the benefits here.	
Jun 11 2021 01:21 PM	Really miss the old Lynnwood with the restaurants and night clubs, but that's the progress Lynnwood wants, more free stuff, shop on line with EBT, and depend on others for transportation.	
Jun 11 2021 10:39 AM	I appreciate how diverse the neighborhood is! I wish we had more diverse restaurants and businesses to represent that in the community!	

Jun 11 2021 10:04 AM There are not a lot of places to casually meet your neighbors except out in South Lynnwood or Scriber lake parks.

Jun 10 2021 10:11 AM It is important for all people to feel included. Also, there are a lot of senior citizens in this area. Please be mindful of our abilities or inability as we age further. We need to be able to live in neighborhoods that allow us to age in place.

Jun 10 2021 10:10 AM There is so much culture and diversity and south Lynnwood is often overlooked as a community because of the industrialized feel. We need to bring businesses and community members together in order to unite the two and bring cohesiveness to the community.

Jun 08 2021 10:47 AM Share and respect.

Jun 08 2021 09:21 AM N/A

Jun 07 2021 10:03 PM I moved here when I was 7 years old and I consider myself extremely lucky to have a chance to go to schools nearby and shop locally all over Lynnwood. I even stopped going Downtown. All the businesses are great around here and crime has never been bad. Thank you!

Jun 07 2021 05:05 PM More celebrations and festivals.

Jun 05 2021 04:43 PM Non

Jun 05 2021 10:14 AM should preserve the diversity and find ways to increase diverse community involvement.

Jun 04 2021 05:32 PM start including your East African community in things. Whether that's having more written documents in their languages and/or reaching out to schools so you can reach out to their parents. I notice a large number of East Africans moving to Lynnwood and we need to be sure to include them.

Jun 04 2021 05:32 PM Not sure

Jun 04 2021 04:49 PM Not sure

Jun 04 2021 04:44 PM Way more public art, please.

Jun 04 2021 08:31 AM Need more Spanish language civic information and notice about opportunities and services.

Jun 04 2021 08:15 AM More diverse than North Lynnwood.

Jun 03 2021 10:00 PM The drug addicted homeless people are ruining our city.

Jun 03 2021 02:05 PM Much like so much of modern suburbia there doesn't seem to be a town center that caters to pedestrians or people in general. Much like most of the Puget Sound everything seems to be centered around the automobile

Jun 03 2021 01:59 PM No critical race theory

Jun 03 2021 10:27 AM Don't over think it to be "politically correct" and listen to the people

Jun 03 2021 07:58 AM I hope that south Lynnwood doesn't become like burien, or white center neighborhoods in south Seattle. I would like to see a clean, affordable, and an accountable community. I would love to see more volunteers going through and helping clean the place up. It has to come from the community members. We can't rely on government to do it for us.

Jun 03 2021 07:48 AM I see a lot of people of color in my neighborhood, but don't feel they are represented equally in city government or decision making. I think more could be done to reach out to those communities and encourage/develop leadership and welcome.

Jun 02 2021 03:41 PM Nothing to add.

May 30 2021 05:21 PM It is already a mix of people.

May 28 2021 02:30 PM Inclusion, inclusion, inclusion. If no one volunteers up, seek them out, lure them out, welcome involvement.

May 27 2021 02:52 PM Nothing

May 26 2021 07:49 PM I'd like to learn more about it!

May 26 2021 03:33 PM Most of us are annoyed at the police

May 24 2021 03:31 PM We have ethnic diversity here. We need a space where ethnic groups can have space to share with all of us! All we have is the Grange, and it's mostly white.

May 23 2021 12:45 PM I feel lynnwood is pretty diverse already. Just look in the average classroom in a school.

May 22 2021 08:56 PM I love hearing so many languages spoken on the sidewalks and trails of South Lynnwood. I'm sad that Reggie's Tacos had to move. I hope we can get more food trucks and local restaurants or coffee shops within South Lynnwood.

May 22 2021 07:10 PM We would love to see a lynnwood pride and more LGBT/woman/black owned businesses and safe spaces

May 22 2021 04:01 PM It's important and valuable. Preserve and improve.

May 22 2021 03:04 PM I think if we make everyone feel welcome then it's okay.

- Bars, coffee shops, activities in the park, and a gym or things like that would help being people together. I love meeting the neighbors but the mexicans stick with the other Hispanics, the Chinese still with the Chinese, the Russians only hang out with other Russians, etc. I'd like to get to know my neighbors better. I feel sometimes like I am the only American and people don't say hi back when I try to be friendly. It's really too bad: anything you can do to help build this cool community would be great!
- May 22 2021 01:33 PM
- Schools should teach old history current history and include all there should be sex education in schools
- May 21 2021 11:24 AM
- Would be nice to have some open market locations where people can bye other people's art work, handcraft, sample foods of different cultures and so on.
- May 19 2021 07:49 PM
- Try to be inclusive.
- May 19 2021 03:38 PM
- There is a lot of culture and diversity in South Lynnwood. People must understand this when living here and be willing to do the work to get along with all of their neighbors.
- May 19 2021 03:01 PM
- Need to celebrate all holidays and traditions including European, not just BIPOC
- May 18 2021 06:45 PM
- Inclusion of all people
- May 18 2021 06:43 PM
- Idk
- May 18 2021 06:13 PM
- It's important and needs to be maintained. We cannot gentrify the diversity right out of the neighborhood. It is a big part of what our family values about this area.
- May 18 2021 04:39 PM
- Many people have lived in/near this area for many years. Residents may be hesitant to endorse large scale changes to the feel of this neighborhood. I think the best improvements would be to road and sidewalk connectedness, and trails. There are now MANY people that walk, run, and bicycle not only for exercise but to get to businesses and transit services. Please expand existing sidewalks and trails. Lynnwood is a very up and coming residential and business oriented community that fairly balances fees with development.
- May 18 2021 03:21 PM
- embrace other ways of life from a cultural perspective, not the good ole status quo. understand situations and stories from the "emotional intelligence"
- May 18 2021 01:42 PM
- Culture and diversity need to be preserved for everyone's personal growth and sense of belonging
- May 18 2021 12:05 PM
- Over the past decade or more, most of the members of our Bahá'í community in South Lynnwood community have moved elsewhere, largely due to economic reasons, almost all of whom were Persian refugees and immigrants, and people of color. Better management of housing costs and increased opportunies and services could have improved this situation. I hope to see beneficial conditions created and increased that could prevent this effect going forward.
- May 18 2021 10:46 AM
- I'm excited that we're considering honoring and highlighting this!
- May 18 2021 10:15 AM
- Providing services to our homeless, veterans, and children, increases their success in S. Lynnwood. The Elks does just that.
- May 18 2021 10:04 AM