

Titusville Stakeholders Visioning Session Exec Summary

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Activities

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Participants

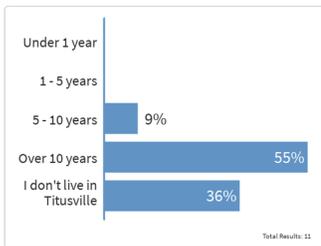
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Average responses



Average engagement

How long have you lived in Titusville?



Response options

Under 1 year

Count Percentage

0 0%

1 - 5 years

0 0%

5 - 10 years

1 9%

Over 10 years

6 55%

I don't live in Titusville

4 36%

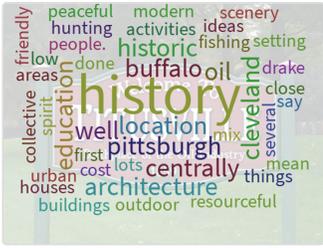


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Responses

What's unique about Titusville? (Up to 3)



Responses

- history fishing Lots of outdoor activities
- Very resourceful people. We get things done Hunting
- Location close to several urban areas
- Mix of history and modern buildings and ideas
- Beautiful houses and scenery in a peaceful setting
- Location centrally to Buffalo Cleveland and Pittsburgh
- Drake Well - First Oil Well Well-maintained historic green spaces.
- History History. Trails/outdoor recreation History
- Collective Spirit Low cost of living Architecture
- Centrally located between Cleveland, Pittsburgh and Buffalo Education
- Walkability Friendly people who smile and say hello and mean it
- A variety of Historic Architecture and well-preserved city-scape.
- Access to post secondary education architecture
- History more than just oil natural resources heritage & history



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Responses

What's missing in Titusville? (Up to 3)



Responses

- Water way Transportation Drake well
- Centrally located between Pittsburgh Buffalo and Cleveland Diversity
- College Lack of leadership Eateries
- Protections for historic buildings. Middle class amenities industry
- retail Chain stores and restaurants
- Digital conductivity. Reliable cell service. Eateries. Money staying local
- Shopping diversity Restaurants Cooperation
- Reliable transportation Cooperation Retail shopping
- Broadband internet Public housing transportation Amenities
- Internet access for all Public transportation



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Responses

Besides COVID-19 what is the greatest challenge facing Titusville? (Up to 3)



Responses

- Communication person to person
- Lack of diversity; open mindedness
- Accepting partners
- Development of historical buildings
- Economic decline
- Working together
- Media
- Retaining millennials who want to leave for bigger cities and more social life
- Having community buy in for maintaining and restoring properties.
- Small town mentality
- attracting businesses
- Volunteerism
- Economic opportunity; infrastructure issues; illegal drug issues
- Open-mindedness
- Abundance of low income housing but no interest in pursuing jobs
- Job creation. Entertainment.
- Communication
- Maintaining buildings with a cohesive design plan.
- Young people not staying in the community after high school
- intolerance
- Cooperation
- competitiveness
- Internet access
- Forward thinking
- accessibility
- Acceptance
- Cooperation
- Getting Broadband
- Lack of diversity in thoughts and people
- Poverty
- broadband

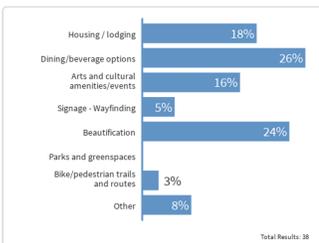


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Responses

What's missing or needs improvement downtown? (Up to 3)



Response options

- Housing / lodging
- Dining/beverage options**
- Arts and cultural amenities/events
- Signage - Wayfinding
- Beautification
- Parks and greenspaces
- Bike/pedestrian trails and routes
- Other

Count Percentage

Housing / lodging	7	18%
Dining/beverage options	10	26%
Arts and cultural amenities/events	6	16%
Signage - Wayfinding	2	5%
Beautification	9	24%
Parks and greenspaces	0	0%
Bike/pedestrian trails and routes	1	3%
Other	3	8%



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Responses

Let's get specific - what would you like to see downtown? (Up to 3)



Responses

- Nicer hotel
- Retail outfitter.
- A special place for photo. Lik
- bike shop
- All storefronts occupied
- Brewery
- outfitter
- Housing to attract a vibrant community.
- Ongoing issue of available parking
- Wine and candle shops
- Fill empty storefronts with creative occupants
- Restaurant with larger choice reasonably priced. Steak
- community event calendar
- safe, clean bar (somewhere to drink that is welcoming)
- More of a dining variety.
- More restaurants open more often.
- Businesses more welcoming to all
- Upscale dining
- more stores
- Art center
- somewhere to shop
- Beautification in sense of some tough looking places
- lodging business
- movie theater
- Clean up if downtown spaces
- recreational outfitter, including bike rental
- Clean sidewalks that are safe to walk on
- Canoe launch or more usage of creekside
- dining
- Beautification that follows historic preservation design guidelines.
- Restaraunt with outdoor eating
- Outdoor dining options
- Dog park
- Cultural center
- Family restaurant
- Movie Theater
- Movie or art gallery

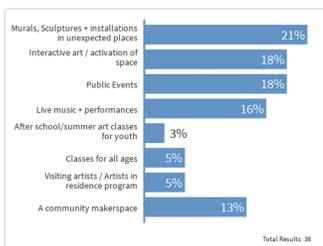


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Responses

What would you most like to see in a public art plan? (Up to 3 votes)



Response options

Count Percentage

Murals, Sculptures + installations in unexpected places

8 21%



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Interactive art / activation of space

7 18%

Public Events

7 18%

Live music + performances

6 16%

After school/summer art classes for youth

1 3%

Classes for all ages

2 5%

Visiting artists / Artists in residence program

2 5%

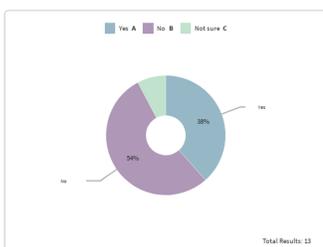
A community makerspace

5 13%

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Responses

Have you, or someone you know personally, struggled to find appropriate housing in Titusville?



Response options

Count Percentage

Yes

5 38%

No

7 54%

Not sure

1 8%



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Responses

What are the greatest HOUSING challenges in Titusville? (Up to 3)



Responses

- lack of bed and breakfasts Lack of quality hotels
- conditions of buildings (owner-occupied as well as rentals) vary widely currently
- Too many run down apartments.
- Blight encroaching on all neighborhoods
- Need more that physical-handicapped could conveniently use
- Not a lot of modern housing
- Lack of proactive landlords (re. beautification/maintenance of rentals).
- Lack of quality rentals getting people to maintain their homes or rentals
- Slumlords One story homes for elderly
- Reasonable housing that's less than a mortgages
- Challenge of buyers and maintaining "mansions"
- Run-down historic houses serving as rentals.
- Either poor housing or too much- no in between options
- Not many available homes for those with three bedrooms or more blight
- Availability of contractors to help with upkeep
- Having quality in the middle - plenty on low and upper levels.
- Need more one story homes for seniors Maintenance of older homes
- Blight in many neighborhoods Snow bird housing
- Need a great deal of work Apartments that are not low income
- bad landlords Availability of rentals Too many rundown homes
- Senior housing that's not a high rise or large apartment building

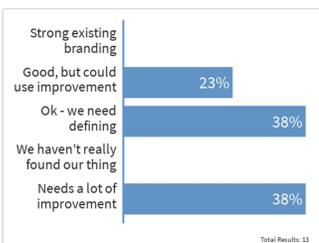


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Responses

How would you rate Titusville's current brand / identity?



Response options

- Strong existing branding
- Good, but could use improvement
- Ok - we need defining**
- We haven't really found our thing
- Needs a lot of improvement**

Count Percentage

Strong existing branding	0	0%
Good, but could use improvement	3	23%
Ok - we need defining	5	38%
We haven't really found our thing	0	0%
Needs a lot of improvement	5	38%



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Responses

What would you like the Queen City to be known for in 10 years?



Responses

- Successful post secondary and workforce education
- Welcoming
- Pride in a working community
- Friendly
- Vibrant, open community of diverse residents.
- Energy/energetic (play on oil/gas history and modern continuity and future-looking)
- The home of a John Heisman museum.
- Safe and drug free!!!
- art
- Capturing our moment in history (late 19th c.) in a non- Disney-like fashion.
- diverse population
- Clean residential areas
- Cultural acceptance
- Welcoming community with lots to offer for visitors
- Outdoor recreation
- Welcoming atmosphere
- community
- Melting pot of history and innovation
- Activities for everyone
- To recapture the label of Queen City. The city fit for a queen.
- Cool unique affordable historic housing
- Preservation of historic architecture, downtown, and streetscape.
- Nature - beauty
- Welcoming/Accepting/Diverse
- Great place to move back with my family where I grew up
- inclusiveness
- history
- Heritage



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Responses