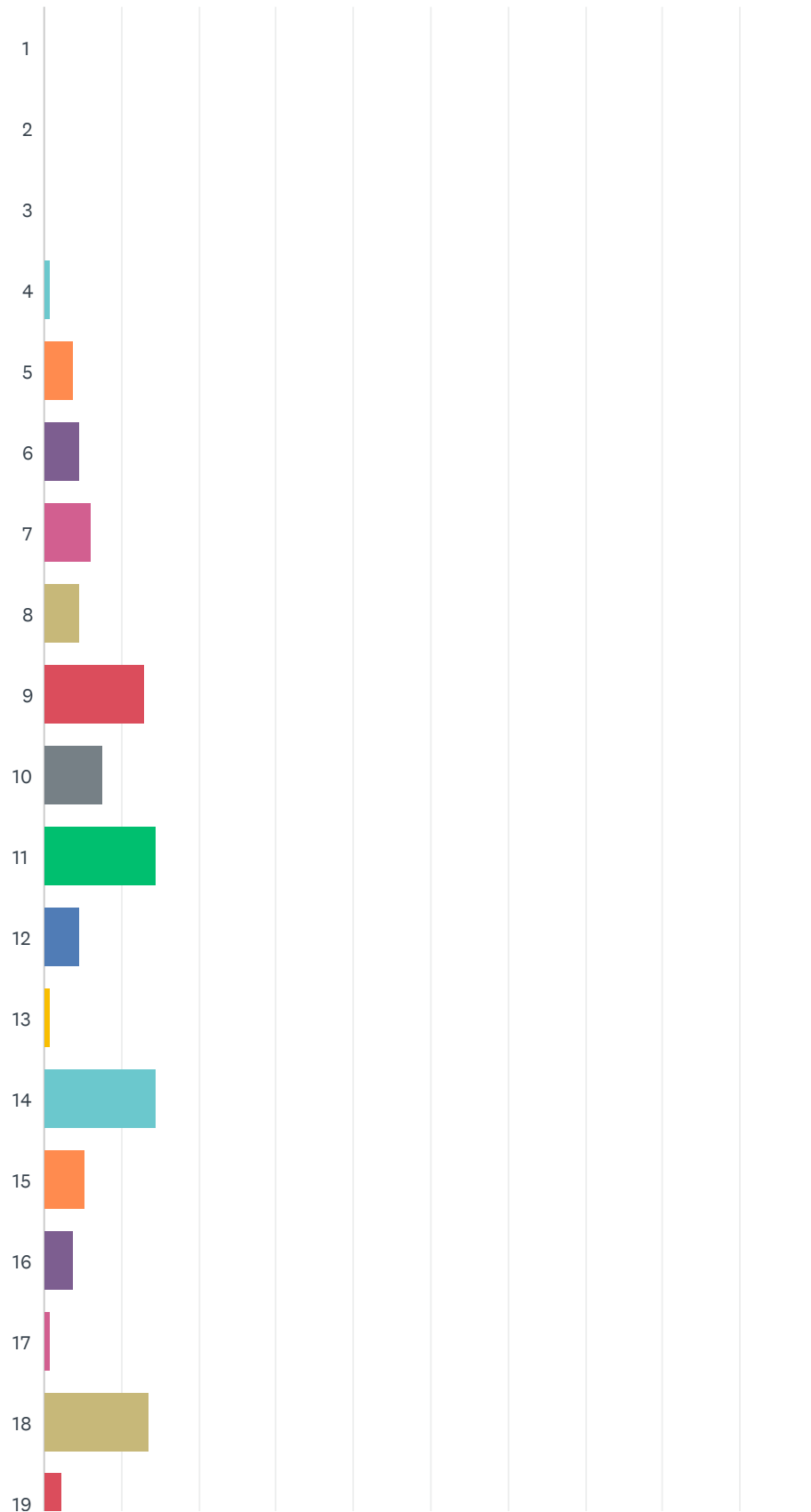
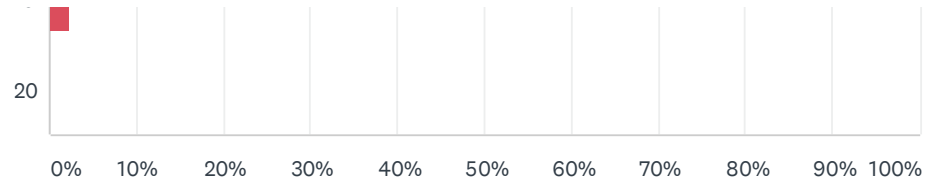


# Q1 Please select the number on the map according to where you reside

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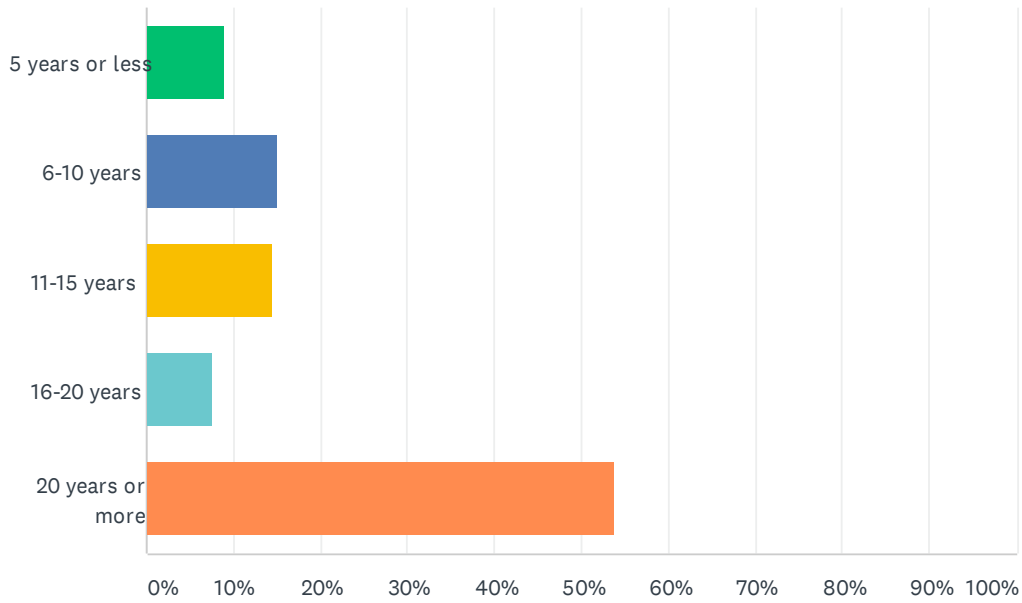




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1	0.00%	0
2	0.00%	0
3	0.00%	0
4	0.76%	1
5	3.79%	5
6	4.55%	6
7	6.06%	8
8	4.55%	6
9	12.88%	17
10	7.58%	10
11	14.39%	19
12	4.55%	6
13	0.76%	1
14	14.39%	19
15	5.30%	7
16	3.79%	5
17	0.76%	1
18	13.64%	18
19	2.27%	3
20	0.00%	0
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>132</b>

## Q2 How long have you lived in Bradford Woods?

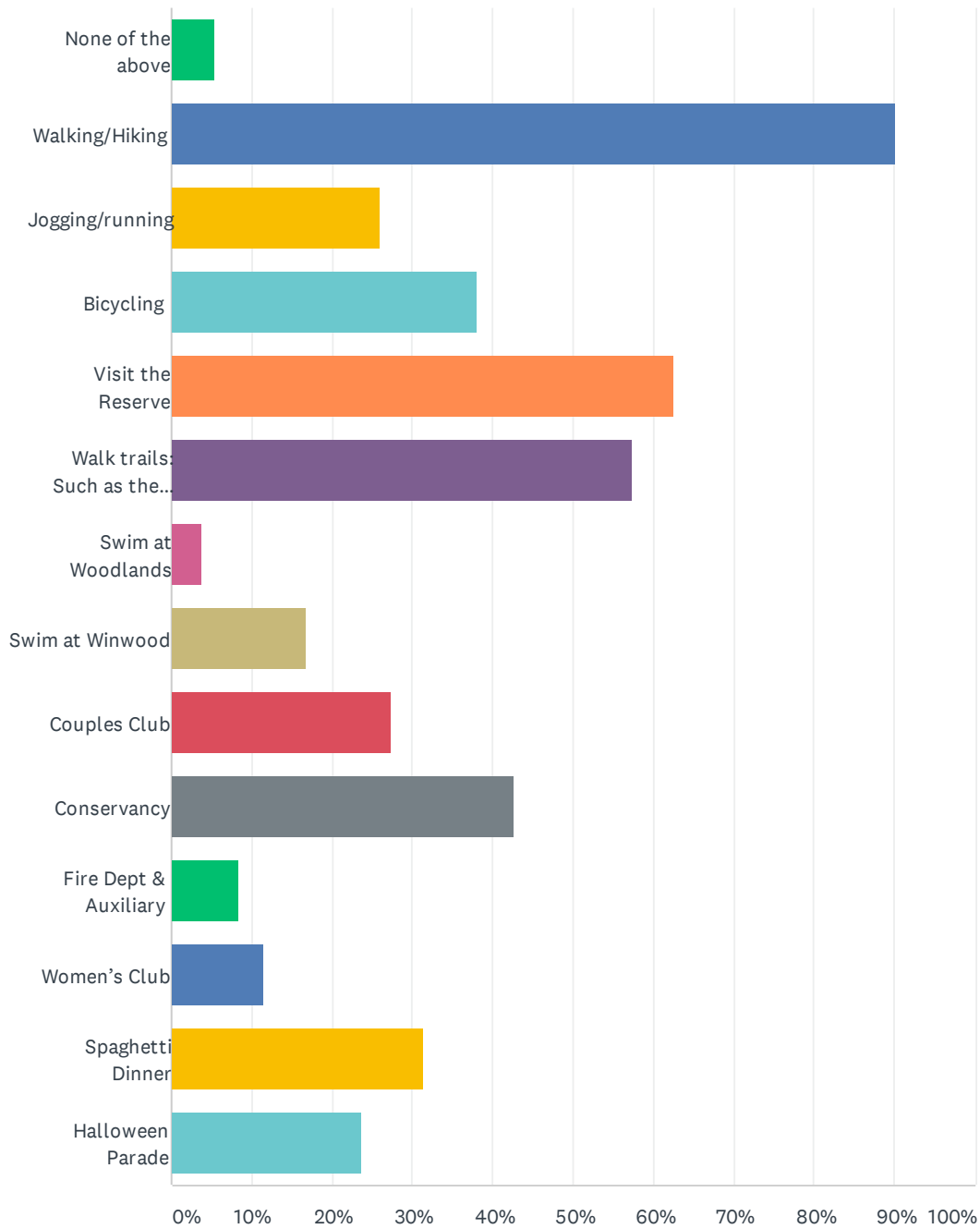
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
5 years or less	9.09%	12
6-10 years	15.15%	20
11-15 years	14.39%	19
16-20 years	7.58%	10
20 years or more	53.79%	71
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>132</b>

### Q3 Do you participate in any of the following activities in the Borough? (Pick all that apply)

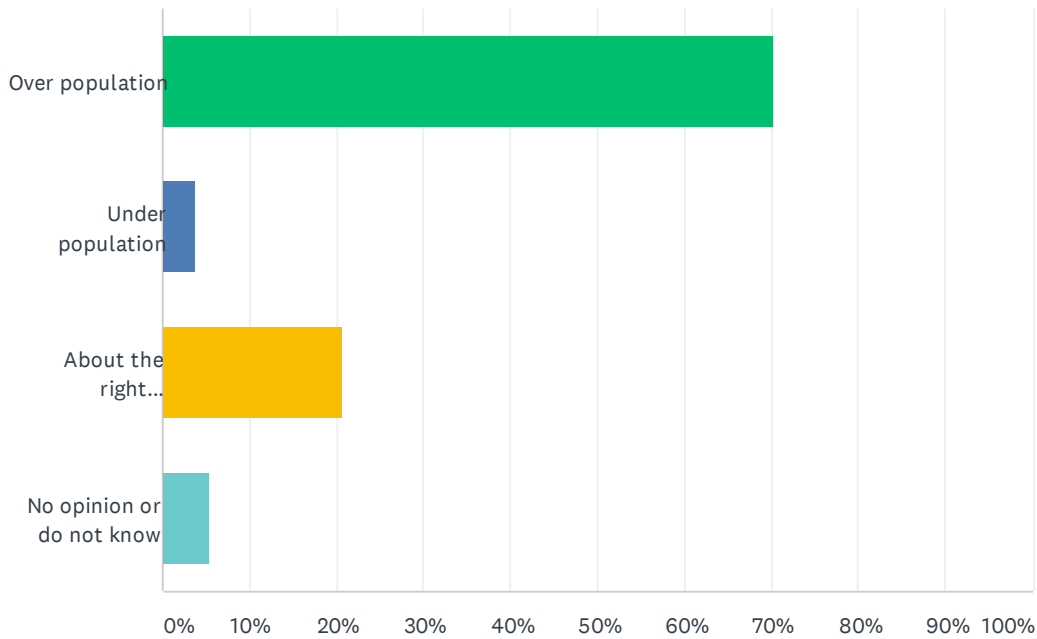
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None of the above	5.34%	7
Walking/Hiking	90.08%	118
Jogging/running	25.95%	34
Bicycling	38.17%	50
Visit the Reserve	62.60%	82
Walk trails: Such as the Lake loop	57.25%	75
Swim at Woodlands	3.82%	5
Swim at Winwood	16.79%	22
Couples Club	27.48%	36
Conservancy	42.75%	56
Fire Dept & Auxiliary	8.40%	11
Women's Club	11.45%	15
Spaghetti Dinner	31.30%	41
Halloween Parade	23.66%	31
Total Respondents: 131		

# Q4 What is your sense about the population of deer currently in Bradford Woods?

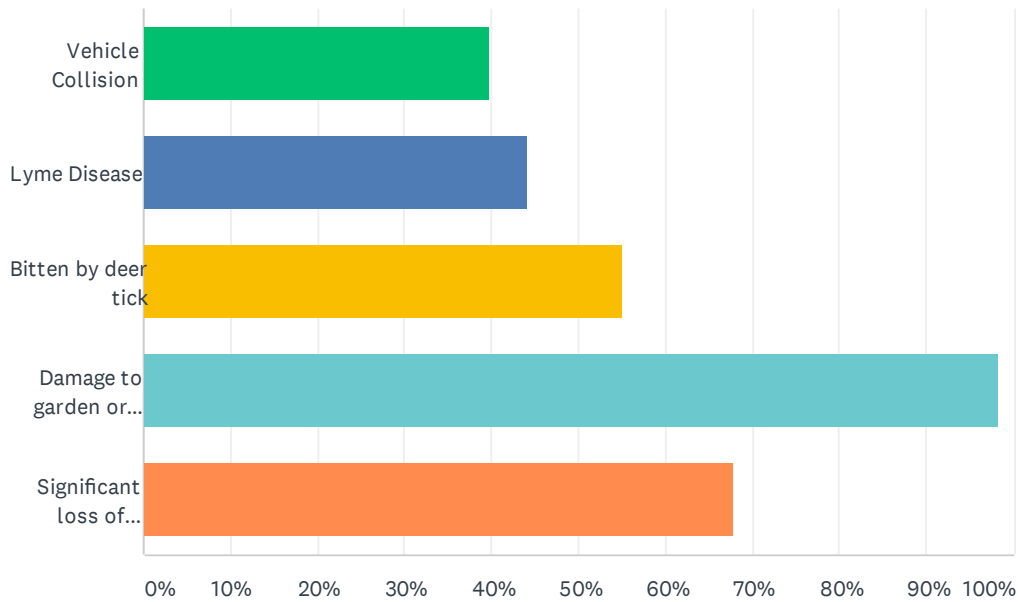
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Over population	70.23%	92
Under population	3.82%	5
About the right population	20.61%	27
No opinion or do not know	5.34%	7
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>131</b>

### Q5 Have you, or anyone you know, had direct experience of any of these kinds of deer damage? (Pick all that apply)

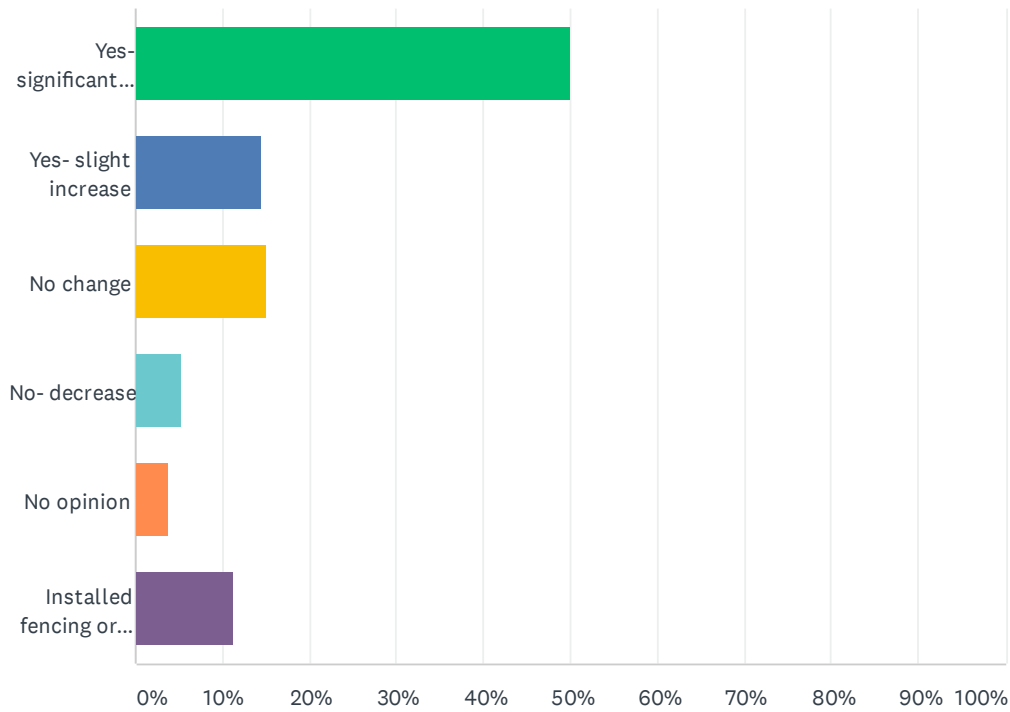
Answered: 118 Skipped: 18



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Vehicle Collision	39.83%	47
Lyme Disease	44.07%	52
Bitten by deer tick	55.08%	65
Damage to garden or landscape plants	98.31%	116
Significant loss of wildflowers, shrubs, or small trees	67.80%	80
Total Respondents: 118		

## Q6 Have you noticed an increase in damage to your garden or landscape plants in the recent years?

Answered: 132 Skipped: 4

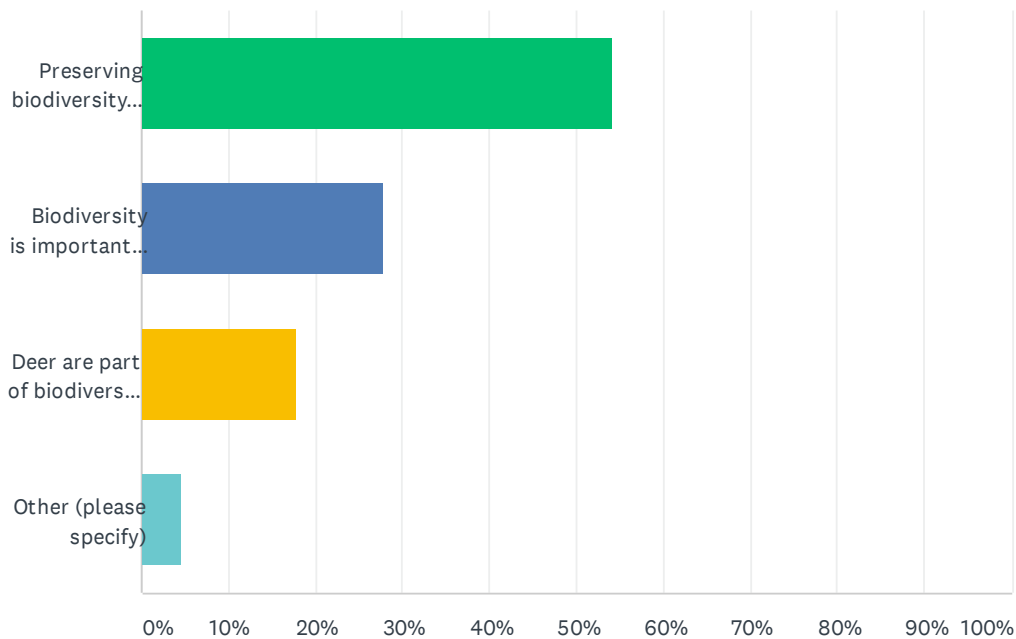


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes- significant increase	50.00%	66
Yes- slight increase	14.39%	19
No change	15.15%	20
No- decrease	5.30%	7
No opinion	3.79%	5
Installed fencing or other deterrents	11.36%	15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>132</b>



## Q7 How important to you is preserving a rich diversity of plants in Bradford Woods, enabling tree saplings to survive and replace our aging trees, and providing habitat for animals such as nesting birds?

Answered: 129 Skipped: 7

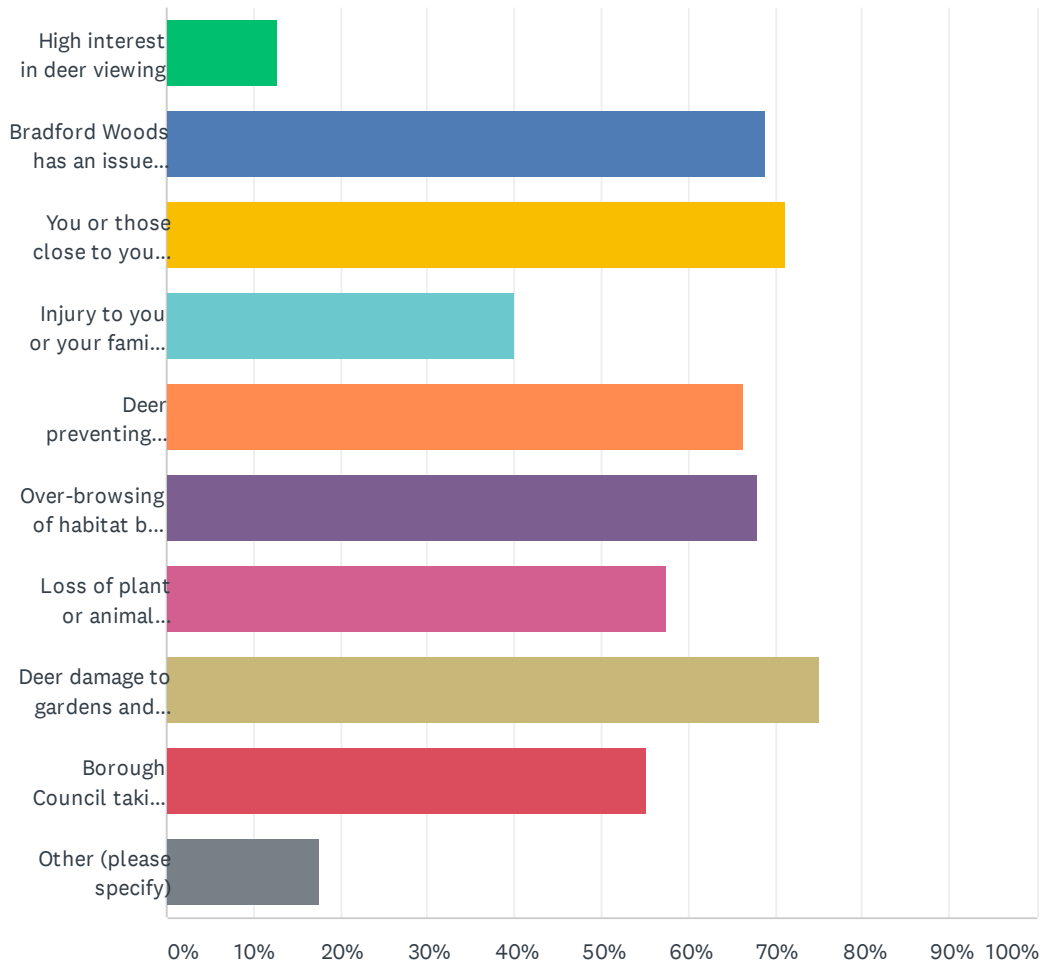


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Preserving biodiversity is a top priority for me.	54.26% 70
Biodiversity is important for Bradford Woods, but no more so than opportunities for recreation,	27.91% 36
Deer are part of biodiversity and their numbers should be allowed to grow without human interference.	17.83% 23
Other (please specify)	4.65% 6
Total Respondents: 129	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	I think deer are a problem, but I don't want them to be killed	5/3/2021 9:24 AM
2	This is called Bradford"woods". Wildlife are a part of living in the "woods"	4/21/2021 9:44 PM
3	I don't understand why biodiversity would be impacted by the type of recreation currently in the borough	4/16/2021 2:49 PM
4	Very important but with appropriate balance.	4/15/2021 3:21 PM
5	Not sure I completely agree with any of the options... biodiversity is important, and it's obvious there are more deer now with no natural predators here. We should be doing more to encourage seasonal culling. I dont think it is reasonable to try and discourage deer to be in the area.	4/15/2021 9:26 AM
6	We have more of a "human problem" than a "deer problem". They are innocent- we are not..	4/15/2021 8:54 AM

### Q8 Please select all that you are concerned with

Answered: 125 Skipped: 11



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
High interest in deer viewing	12.80%	16
Bradford Woods has an issue with deer overpopulation	68.80%	86
You or those close to you getting Lyme or tick-borne disease	71.20%	89
Injury to you or your family members from a deer-vehicle collisions	40.00%	50
Deer preventing natural regrowth of native trees, shrubs, wildflowers	66.40%	83
Over-browsing of habitat by deer	68.00%	85
Loss of plant or animal diversity due to deer feeding activity	57.60%	72
Deer damage to gardens and plantings around your home	75.20%	94
Borough Council taking action to reduce the problems caused by the deer population	55.20%	69
Other (please specify)	17.60%	22
Total Respondents: 125		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	I am concerned with people hurting or killing the deer. We enjoy them and do not want hunting or human interference.	5/5/2021 10:55 AM
2	Resident at corner of Bellaire & Glenmore continuing to feed the deer.	5/5/2021 6:12 AM
3	enforcement of ordinances	5/4/2021 10:35 AM
4	deer are not the primary source of tick transmission	5/3/2021 12:31 PM
5	human overpopulation	5/3/2021 11:14 AM
6	Transmission of the wolly adelgid by deer	5/3/2021 9:53 AM
7	I support actions the council may take to reduce the deer population.	4/26/2021 12:59 PM
8	how about getting neighbors to stop planting invasion species of plants that attract deer, and learn to live with them and not attract them? if they eat tulips,then don't plant tulips.	4/24/2021 7:52 AM
9	Pedestrian safety and damage to property/fences	4/23/2021 9:48 AM
10	If people would stop feeding the deer, that would be a good start.	4/22/2021 5:48 PM
11	We thoroughly enjoy watching the deer from our windows. If the deer bother you, maybe get a house in the city or put a fence around your yard. Maybe plant things deer don't like to eat	4/21/2021 9:44 PM
12	This is a horribly slanted/biased questionnaire. Therefore results are unsubstantiated.	4/17/2021 5:22 PM
13	Significant increase in deer dung in my yard.	4/17/2021 8:39 AM
14	Taking action depends on what that means. I don't want anyone shooting the deer. If you are suggesting archery, I would not want to witness an injured nor dead deer in my yard.	4/16/2021 2:49 PM
15	Control the overpopulation of deer.	4/16/2021 10:51 AM
16	Deer Poop In Yard all the time	4/15/2021 9:03 PM
17	Concerned if borough does NOT take action to control deer.	4/15/2021 7:59 PM
18	Against professional culling	4/15/2021 3:21 PM
19	We love having deer in Bradfordwoods! They are part of the charm of living in a wooded area. DON'T CURB THE HERD.	4/15/2021 12:47 PM
20	Defecation all over property	4/15/2021 12:46 PM
21	I am concerned with any Borough Council action to interfere with the deer population. This is a personal agenda that the community chose to stop, but individual Council members have decided to disregard.	4/15/2021 9:43 AM
22	Overpopulation also leads to unhealthy animals.	4/15/2021 9:28 AM

## Q9 Please add additional comments

Answered: 58 Skipped: 78

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Has any done a deer study to truly see what are deer population is,maybe look at this before killing the deer	5/5/2021 11:23 PM
2	I believe in school and church we were taught to value living creatures, I believe that is more important than any plant life. Sound like a bunch of eco nuts saying kill all the deer	5/5/2021 11:16 PM
3	We moved here for the beauty of the woods and to be close to nature. We LOVE to see the deer and have no problem with the population. Of course we also want the woods/trees to remain healthy too.	5/5/2021 10:55 AM
4	Regularly have 4 to 6 deer in proximity to my home on Elm Road. When moved to the borough from Ohio, could easily grow hosta, azalea and other plants without too much concern that they would survive in this area. Last year I planted \$600 worth of shrubs which were considered deer resistant. All have either disappeared due to deer feeding or will have to be removed as there is little left of them to salvage.	5/4/2021 4:10 PM
5	I have a neighbor who feeds the deer twice a day everyday and at approximately the same time. The deer know when he will show up and are there anticipating being fed. They will show up in groups of 3-6 usually, but 8-12 are not unusual. (I have counted as many as 20 in a herd) He has removed his deer feeding stand, since the Ordinance was published. He now deposits the feed directly on the ground. Since he does not live at the property, he feeds them when he is leaving from his daily visit. (so it's not like he enjoys watching them eat.) Another interesting fact is he was away for about 10 days straight recently and the deer did not show up at all.....no feed, NO deer!	5/4/2021 11:24 AM
6	I have a neighbor who feeds the deer twice a day everyday and at approximately the same time. the deer know when he will show up zt	5/4/2021 10:35 AM
7	My yard is over run with ticks ...I contracted Lyme last fall and have already had 3 on me this year...embedded while I was out working in the yard. I'm 100 times more fearful of Lyme than Covid	5/3/2021 7:08 PM
8	My husband and I, while walking through the Woodlands, came upon a deer that was bedded down, alone, and really skinny. The deer did not move, even though we were walking towards it with our dog, until we were about 15 feet away. Then it slowly stood, ran a couple steps, stopped and then slowly walked away. The deer was totally alone, appeared sickly, and was not concerned that we were walking towards it with a big dog (120 lbs.).	5/3/2021 6:06 PM
9	deer are not the primary source of tick transmission. action regarding deer population cannot be rationalized on tick/lyme disease risk. deer are not the primary carrier of ticks, mice are. Let's do something about mice.	5/3/2021 12:31 PM
10	We need to treat the deer over population like we treat other invasive species.	5/3/2021 11:27 AM
11	Keep up your good work	5/3/2021 10:02 AM
12	I think we can strike a balance between controlling deer population and giving them a nice habitat. I am not opposed to a controlled hunt, we do it in that state of PA all the time!	5/3/2021 9:57 AM
13	People should be penalized for feeding deer. I believe Ross Township has imposed penalties.	5/3/2021 9:46 AM
14	Communities continue to destroy habitat. Plant deer resistant plants or use liquid fence for deer repellent. Take proper precautions when you're outside.	5/1/2021 2:42 PM
15	No deer hunting in the borough!!!	5/1/2021 12:00 AM
16	I am highly concerned with the liability implications and safety issues for children and pets that can arise with deer population control measures. My family and I stand firmly opposed to this proposal. Thank you -Jim	4/29/2021 11:08 PM

17	(please see above comment)	4/29/2021 9:29 PM
18	With children outside playing and residents enjoying the community, deer hunting or other population control measures are very concerning for my family and do not want them in our area.	4/29/2021 2:19 PM
19	Rarely do I see deer when frequently walking or driving in the Borough - no action is needed to control their population in our Village!	4/28/2021 9:37 PM
20	My wife and I moved to Bradford Woods to be closer to wildlife like deer. My neighbors (also 15+ year residents) and I have never experienced any adverse issues with the deer population in our many years living in the borough.	4/28/2021 9:04 PM
21	I have lived in Bradford Woods for 42 years and the deer population gets worse each year. I sustained \$ 12 K DAMAGE TO MY AUTO last december due to a deer collision. I am worried about LYMES disease and our vegetation has been destroyed by deer. dgets worse every year. When we first moved here we eie not worry about deer damage to our habitat or property. With the urban sprawl coming our way the deer are concentrated in certain areas. i SUSTAINED 12,000 \$ of deer damage to last december. I am worried when my grandchildren our auto	4/27/2021 10:32 AM
22	I do not support deer population control measures like hunting in the borough. Instead, greater enforcement should be placed on motorists to abide by posted speed limits in the borough that would greatly reduce deer-vehicle collisions. I routinely see vehicles traveling in excess of 20 miles above the posted speed limits on main roads like Neely School and Wexford Run which gives motorists no time to react when animals cross the road.	4/26/2021 6:58 PM
23	I also lived here in the 50's to 70's and problems with collisions, ticks, garden damage and Lyme disease were much less, and the quality of life relating to these issues was better.	4/26/2021 12:59 PM
24	Leave the deer alone we all moved hear after the deer. You don't like the deer move out	4/25/2021 7:58 PM
25	People are a bigger problem when it comes to habitat destruction than deer. While it may be necessary to limit deer, it would be more important to learn to live with them. In developing any kind of control program most municipalities stop at the first step--eradicating the deer. The program must continue to educate the residents, replant trees and shrubs, then create protective measures. Just reducing the doesn't bring the landscape back. It may even allow for invasive plant species to thrive. In the questions above Lyme Disease is mentioned or referenced. While deer do transport the ticks it is the White Footed Mouse that causes the ticks to be infected. do we next eliminate the mice? To truly think we can control the deer without extensive measures is wishful thinking.	4/25/2021 1:57 PM
26	This is a bit of a biased survey. Clearly whoever wrote this is affected by deer eating their plants and wants to rouse community support for their side of the argument. this survey really didn't accomplish anything	4/24/2021 7:52 AM
27	I've lived in Bradford Woods for 50 years. The deer are a big reason I stay here. The population has grown some over 50 years but not significantly enough to cause alarm or reasons for killing them. If they eat your plants spray with Deer Off. It WORKS! f	4/23/2021 12:44 PM
28	Its like ringing a dinner bell. They see the truck in the drive, and here they come running. You can almost set your watch to the sprinting of the deer to the corn..	4/22/2021 5:48 PM
29	I cannot express enough my support for controlling (eliminating if I had my choice!) the deer population. It's not their fault, but they are simply nuisance animals providing no benefits to our community, but rather bringing with them all of the negatives that have been listed. I have planted 600 perennials in my yard over the last several years, including \$600 in rhodedendrons last year and they have eaten those to sticks already during the winter. I can only hope they come back! I dodge deer every day in my car and pick ticks from the dog constantly. I fear Lyme Disease, which is extremely serious based upon friends' encounters. Finally, I see the woods disappearing. As the large trees begin to die and fall, there is nothing coming up behind them any longer. It will take 30 years even if we do something now to replenish our forests before it is too late!!! Please do the right thing and let people hunt and/or use some form of birth control, which I'm sure must be possible. If not, I will start dropping them myself -- it is very frustrating. Thanks	4/22/2021 11:45 AM
30	Development along Brennan road in Wexford is pushing more deer into Bradfordwoods.	4/22/2021 10:20 AM
31	I believe residents should be given permission and priority to use archery hunting to control the deer population. I am not in favor of hired hunters. Either way, concerned residents will have to	4/22/2021 10:08 AM

	give permission for hunters to be on their property, so why not give that permission to other residents/neighbors? I also believe that the "no feeding" ordinance is good.	
32	The white footed mouse is the first host of the tick that causes Lyme's disease. *** Also, people can choose where they live; deer cannot. I personally wish the deer didn't eat the flowers I plant, but that comes with the territory of living in the woods. I would vote in favor of a contraception; not culling	4/22/2021 12:26 AM
33	I find it ironic that people live in a community like this where wildlife abounds and then complain about their bushes and flowers getting eaten. That just seems silly. We have to share this planet!	4/21/2021 9:44 PM
34	We are in favor of culling/managing the deer	4/21/2021 5:40 PM
35	Unfortunately, we've had over population of deer in Bradford Woods for some time now with the direct result being a very unhealthy and potentially dangerous situation for the deer and the residents. It is past time to act so I hope we will take some action before fall. Thank you for the opportunity to participate in this survey.	4/21/2021 4:28 PM
36	Of course the deer are magnificent creatures, however, we have changed their habitat far too much --- there can never be a healthy deer population while there are far too many deer for the available remaining land. Our trees are aging and in poor health. Because of deer browsing, there are no saplings to replace them.	4/21/2021 1:41 PM
37	A no-feeding ordinance is a good first step, but only the first of several steps that should be implemented by the Borough. Hopefully this isn't the only action taken to simply check off a box and give Borough council or EPAC the ability to say "look, we did something". Also ordinances need to have some level of enforcement which historically has not been done on anything in the borough except as related to building permits.	4/19/2021 8:30 AM
38	I counted and documented 26 deer on my property at 1 time together. Currently have 5-10 daily visitors both doe and bucks. Frequently encounter deer on the road late at night. Had a deer jump out of woods and damage my car. Have lost 1k in new tree plantings in a decade. Pick up so much deer poop in my yard, it fills half a 5 gallon bucket every 2 weeks in summer. A safe and professional culling must be done immediately. What parent wants ticks on their children playing in their own yard ?	4/17/2021 9:21 AM
39	I try to dress to avoid the ticks while working in the yard. It is next to impossible to avoid the ticks. I worry for my dog, myself and my grandchildren. We have problem that we have never had before this. I don't want to spray, but this year I am tempted. I have taking the antibiotic three time in the past five years due to digging out a tick on my body. .	4/17/2021 8:39 AM
40	With no natural predator deer have become like vermin - disease bearing and destructive. They serve no useful purpose. No longer safe to consume. Get rid of them!	4/16/2021 10:51 AM
41	I fully support an organized hunt for deer using bow and arrow managed by a hunting group that has documented experience to control the number of hunters and provide safety to residents.	4/16/2021 10:03 AM
42	Deer are a nuisance in Bradford Woods	4/15/2021 9:03 PM
43	The Boro has been talking about this issue for years as the deer population continues to grow and destroy the natural vegetation and landscaping. You can see the damage everywhere you look and they are taking a toll on our woodlands. I find it very discouraging that the Borough has yet to take any action to cull the herds but just continues to gather public opinion.	4/15/2021 7:40 PM
44	Now that some of the surrounding municipalities are taking a proactive approach to culling the deer population, I think BW should consider joining in as well.	4/15/2021 7:09 PM
45	We have seen as many as 30 deer on our property at one time, and this herd has caused significant damage to our shrubs and plantings. We do use a natural, herb-based repellent spray, but sometimes even that is ineffective in preventing grazing damage, esp. in winter months.	4/15/2021 4:47 PM
46	Deer seem to be less afraid of human every year. I can go outside and yell at them from a distance and they will sometimes just keep eating.	4/15/2021 4:20 PM
47	The deer. Are NOT the main carriers of ticks. This whole issue was completely looked into and researched several years ago and a community meeting was held discussing this led by	4/15/2021 3:24 PM

	George Beckman I believe. Killing is not the answer. Sterilization is for population. Not ticks problem.	
48	A group of 6 to 8 deer all over the property	4/15/2021 12:46 PM
49	I think BW council should look into QDM - Quality Deer Management. I also think that council should recognise that allowing neighbors to clear cut properties is just as bad to our biodiversity as deer browsing.	4/15/2021 12:13 PM
50	thanks for asking	4/15/2021 12:02 PM
51	Even though the deer have always been beautiful to look at I feel we need to control the population so whatever means you decide is best. We have too many deer bradfordwoods thanks for doing the survey	4/15/2021 11:44 AM
52	Field mice are the largest carrier of deer ticks, to try to blame deer for lyme disease is just fear mongering and there are simple, inexpensive solutions to keep deer from eating landscaping. Get over it.	4/15/2021 10:34 AM
53	This survey is very poorly constructed, as well as transparent.	4/15/2021 9:43 AM
54	An archery season would be great if a landowner would volunteer their land.	4/15/2021 9:15 AM
55	I don't believe in feeding the deer, but they should be left to live their lives without our interference	4/15/2021 9:03 AM
56	People feeding deer is a major problem.	4/15/2021 8:49 AM
57	The ticks are out of control. We conduct twice daily tick checks on the kids, and pull 20 a day off the dog.	4/15/2021 8:45 AM
58	These survey questions are biased toward a conclusion of addressing the deer population. Almost every question is leading	4/15/2021 8:42 AM