

Onaway Master Plan Public Input Survey

General

The City of Onaway is currently working to update its Master Plan. We hope you will take the time to fill out the survey in order to participate in the public input portion of the plan. The Planning Commission highly values the opinions of those who choose to live here full-time or part-time. From your opinions, we will update our goals, objectives and action strategies for our City. Gathering public input is vital to the planning process, so we thank you for your time! **Paper copies of the survey can be picked up at and returned to the City Offices at 20774 State Street, P.O. Box 761, Onaway, MI 49765. The deadline to complete the survey is August 15, 2020.**

1. Please indicate your residency status:

- Year-Round City Resident
- Seasonal City Resident
- Non-Resident

If non-resident, indicate place of residence

2. Please indicate your property interest in the City of Onaway (mark all that apply):

- Own Home
- Rent Home
- Own Property
- Own Business/Business Property

Other (please specify)

3. How long have you lived or owned property in the City of Onaway?

- 0-5 years
- 6-10 years
- 11-20 years
- More than 20 years
- Entire life
- Do not live or own property in the City

4. What is your age group?

- 0-19
- 20-29
- 30-39
- 40-49
- 50-59
- 60-69
- 70-79
- 80-89
- 90-99
- 100+

5. What is your primary occupation?

- Professional/Managerial
- Salesperson
- Clerical
- Service Worker
- Skilled Trade/Craft
- Laborer/Industrial
- Farmer
- Self-Employed
- Military Service
- Student
- Unemployed
- Retired
- Homemaker
- Disabled

Other (please specify)

6. If working, where do you work?

- City of Onaway
- Presque Isle County (outside of the city)
- Outside of Presque Isle County
- Work at home (telecommute)

Other (please specify)

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Quality of Life

7. Generally speaking, how satisfied are you with the City of Onaway as a place to live or own property?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Dissatisfied

8. What 3 things do you like most about the City of Onaway (3 biggest assets)?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

9. What 3 things do you dislike most about the City of Onaway (3 biggest problems)?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

10. How do you find out about what's going on in the City of Onaway?

- Newspaper
- Other printed materials such as flyers and brochures
- Networking events
- Internet
- Email
- Social media (Facebook, Twitter)
- Radio
- TV
- Friends/Family

Other (please specify)

11. How much of a problem are these issues in the City of Onaway ? Check one choice for each item.

	Not a problem	Small problem	Medium problem	Big problem
Water quality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Air quality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Unightly or unsuitable business operations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Lack of affordable housing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Condition of roads	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Lack of employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Decreasing property value	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Property taxes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of medical services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of services for seniors	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of recreational opportunities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

12. I am satisfied with the general appearance of the City.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- If you are not satisfied, please comment here.

13. I am satisfied with the general appearance of my neighborhood.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- If you are not satisfied, please comment here.

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Land Use & Development

14. What is your opinion of the quality and range of options for housing in the City?

- Excellent
- Good
- Moderate
- Poor
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

15. Should the City encourage residential growth?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Why or why not?

16. If you answered yes to the previous question, what kind of residential growth would you like to see (check all that apply)?

- Single-family homes on large residential lots
- Single-family homes clustered together, leaving open space undeveloped
- Senior housing
- Manufactured/mobile homes
- Duplexes and Townhomes
- Apartments
- I prefer no new residential development
- Other (please specify)

17. Should the City encourage/allow more attached housing (apartments, townhouses, etc)?

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know/Neutral

18. Should the City allow accessory dwelling units (garage apartments, guest houses, granny flats (homes for 1-2 people on the same property as an existing primary residence), etc.)?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

19. Do you think more low-cost housing for low-income families should be available in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

20. Do you think more low-cost housing for senior citizens should be available in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

21. Do you support the development of "Tiny Houses" within the City (as primary residences).

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know/Neutral

22. Should the City encourage commercial development?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Why or why not?

23. If you answered yes to the previous question, what kind of commercial development would you like to see (check all that apply)?

- Retail businesses (food, hardware, furniture, clothing, etc.)
- Personal Service Establishments (repair shops, barber and beauty shops, dry cleaners. etc.)
- Office Establishments (financial institutions, insurance offices, doctor offices, etc.)
- Theaters and Assembly Halls
- Restaurants
- I prefer no new commercial development
- Other (please specify)

24. Do you support the idea of neighborhood businesses locating within residential areas?

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know/Neutral

25. Do you think the City should continue its efforts to improve the downtown?

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know/Neutral

26. Should the City encourage industrial development?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Why or why not?

27. If you answered yes to the previous question, what kind of industrial development would you like to see?

28. Should the City promote tourism/recreation?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Why or why not?

29. Do you think blight is a problem in the City of Onaway? (Blight refers to unsightly or inadequately maintained properties)

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Indicate area of blight:

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Community Services

30. What is the quality of services provided by the City government?

- Excellent
- Good
- Adequate
- Poor
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

31. Are there additional services you would like to see the City offer?

32. Do you feel there are adequate services for the elderly in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

33. Are you satisfied with law enforcement in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

34. Are you satisfied with fire protection in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

35. Are you satisfied with medical facilities in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

36. Are you satisfied with emergency medical services in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

37. Do you feel the cellular network in the City is adequate?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

38. Do you feel high speed internet access in the City is adequate?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

39. Should the City help protect the community's cultural and historic resources?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment

40. Are you satisfied with the solid waste disposal methods available to you in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

41. Do you recycle?

- Yes
- No

Explanation or comment:

42. Are you satisfied with road maintenance, road construction, and road conditions in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

43. Are there roads or road segments you would like to see improved? Please list:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

44. Are you satisfied with snow removal within the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

45. Do you feel public transportation is adequate in the City of Onaway?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

46. Do you feel additional wayfinding signage is needed in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

47. What traffic concerns, in general, do you have in the City?

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Economy & Business

48. What is your perception of the current real estate market in the City?

- Stronger
- Stable
- Weaker
- Don't know/neutral

49. Do you feel there are adequate job opportunities in the City?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

50. Do you favor partial tax abatements to attract and retain new jobs and businesses?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know/neutral

Explanation or comment:

51. How often do you leave the City for shopping?

- Never
- Rarely (1-2 times per year)
- Sometimes (1-2 times per month)
- Often (1-2 times per week)

52. How often do you leave the City for entertainment?

- Never
- Rarely (1-2 times per year)
- Sometimes (1-2 times per month)
- Often (1-2 times per week)

53. How often do you leave the City for medical care?

- Never
- Rarely (1-2 times per year)
- Sometimes (1-2 times per month)
- Often (1-2 times per week)

54. Please use this space to make any additional comments which may help City officials plan for the community's future: