



East and North Union Townships Comprehensive Plan Community Survey

East and North Union Twps. are currently working with the community to shape the Comprehensive Plan.

The Comprehensive Plan will outline the existing conditions of East and North Union Townships, describe goals and objectives for the future, and a plan for how to achieve these goals and objectives. The Comprehensive Plan will address the following topics:

- **Natural Resources and the Environment**
- **Parks, Recreation and Open Space**
- **Housing**
- **Transportation and Mobility**
- **Community Facilities and Utilities**

We invite you to participate in the comprehensive planning process! The results of this survey will be compiled and documented for use in preparing the Comprehensive Plan. Your participation and input will be a valuable resource for your community. Please take the time to read each question and answer it as accurately as possible. Thank you!



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* 1. Do you live in East or North Union Township?

Yes

No



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* 2. How long have you lived East or North Union?

- Less than 1 year
- 1-5 years
- 6-10 years
- 11-20 years
- More than 20 years

* 3. Why did you move to East or North Union Township? Please select up to 5 choices that apply.

- Community character (rural, small town, historic)
- Public infrastructure (roads, sewer, etc.)
- Trail system
- Sense of community
- Business opportunities
- Parks and open space
- Community events
- Variety of housing options
- Walkability
- I was born here/family is located here
- Local restaurants and businesses
- Village downtown
- Other (please specify)



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* 4. What municipality do you live in?

* 5. What most often brings you to East or North Union Township? Please select all that apply.

- Shopping
- Work
- Visiting family
- Community events
- Parks and recreation
- Other (please specify)



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Natural Resources and the Environment

* 6. Which of the following environmental issues are you most concerned about in East or North Union Township? Please select your top 3 choices.

- Flooding and stormwater
- Climate change impacts
- Waste management
- Invasive species
- Pollution (air, water, noise, light)
- Overdevelopment
- Other (please specify)

* 7. Which of the following initiatives should East or North Union Township focus on regarding natural resources? Please select your top 3 choices.

- Tree replanting programs
- Flood mitigation efforts through collaboration with neighboring municipalities
- Preservation of open space
- Implementation of energy efficient upgrades in homes, businesses, and municipal buildings
- Environmental education programs, such as on the importance of water quality)
- Riparian buffer planting programs (planting trees and plants along waterways)
- Other (please specify)



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* 8. How often do you visit parks and recreation locations in East or North Union Township?

- Daily
- Multiple times per week
- Once a week
- Monthly
- Once in awhile
- Never



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Parks and Recreation

* 9. I would visit East or North Union Township parks more often if there were... (Please select your top 3 choices)

- Safer walking and biking connections to parks
- More amenities at parks, such as benches, water fountains, shade areas, etc.
- More active recreation opportunities
- More passive recreation opportunities
- Upgraded playground equipment
- More programming and events for all ages
- Other (please specify)

* 10. Which of the following initiatives should East or North Union Township prioritize regarding parks and recreation? Please select your top 3 choices.

- Improve maintenance of existing parks
- Increase variety of recreation opportunities (ex: more ball fields, pickleball, etc.)
- Increase number of pocket parks (small neighborhood parks)
- Formation of neighborhood parks groups
- Increase amount of passive open space
- Improved amenities in parks (ex: restrooms, shade areas, benches, etc.)
- Preservation of open space overall
- Other (please specify)



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Housing

For the following questions, please select the answer that best applies to you.

* 11. My housing needs are being met.

| | Strongly Agree | Agree | Unsure | Disagree | Strongly Disagree |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| My housing needs are being met. | <input type="radio"/> |
| The housing needs of others in my community are being met. | <input type="radio"/> |
| The diversity of housing prices is adequate. | <input type="radio"/> |
| The variety of housing types is sufficient for the needs of the community. | <input type="radio"/> |

* 12. Which of the following housing initiatives should East or North Union Township prioritize? Please select your top 3 choices.

- Addressing housing affordability
- Providing options for older adults to age in place
- Promoting rehabilitation of the existing housing stock
- Maintaining housing variety and options
- Fostering homeownership opportunities
- Other (please specify)



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Transportation and Mobility

* 13. How satisfied are you with the following transportation infrastructure in East or North Union Township?

| | Very Satisfied | Satisfied | Unsure | Dissatisfied | Very Dissatisfied |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Roadway network | <input type="radio"/> |
| Bicycle infrastructure | <input type="radio"/> |
| Trail system | <input type="radio"/> |
| Access to public transportation | <input type="radio"/> |
| Pedestrian network | <input type="radio"/> |
| ADA accessibility | <input type="radio"/> |

* 14. Which of the following transportation and mobility initiatives should East or North Union Township prioritize? Please select your top 3 choices.

- Address speeding issues through traffic calming measures
- Improve bicycle infrastructure
- Improve walkability through streetscape improvements (sidewalks, street trees, crosswalks, etc.)
- Address congestion issues through local transportation study
- Improve connectivity within the trail network and to priority destinations
- Wayfinding signage
- Other (please specify)



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Community Facilities and Utilities

* 15. How satisfied are you with the following community services and utilities?

| | Very Satisfied | Satisfied | Unsure | Dissatisfied | Very Dissatisfied |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Police | <input type="radio"/> |
| Fire | <input type="radio"/> |
| EMS | <input type="radio"/> |
| Parks and Recreation | <input type="radio"/> |
| Library | <input type="radio"/> |
| Educational opportunities | <input type="radio"/> |
| Community events | <input type="radio"/> |
| Commercial services (quality and variety) | <input type="radio"/> |

* 16. Which of the following community facility initiatives should East or North Union Township prioritize? Please select your top 3 choices.

- Recruitment and retention of volunteers for services (such as Fire and EMS)
- Workforce development programs and job training
- Improve and upgrade municipal buildings
- Explore feasibility of creating local police force
- Expand community programming and events
- Maintain and enhance infrastructure (such as roads and water/sewer)
- Ensure future funding for Fire and EMS services
- Other (please specify)



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17. Do you have any additional comments regarding East or North Union Township and considerations for the Comprehensive Plan?



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18. Within which age group do you fall?

- Under 18
- 18-24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65+

19. What is your race/ethnicity?

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian or Asian American
- Black or African American
- Hispanic or Latino
- Middle Eastern or North African
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- White
- Another race
- Prefer not to answer



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Thank you for participating in the East and North Union Twps. Comprehensive Plan Community Survey!

Your input is vital and will help inform the goals and objectives of the Plan and the vision for the future of East or North Union Township.

20. Please feel free to provide your email address if you would like to receive future updates about the Plan. This is optional.