

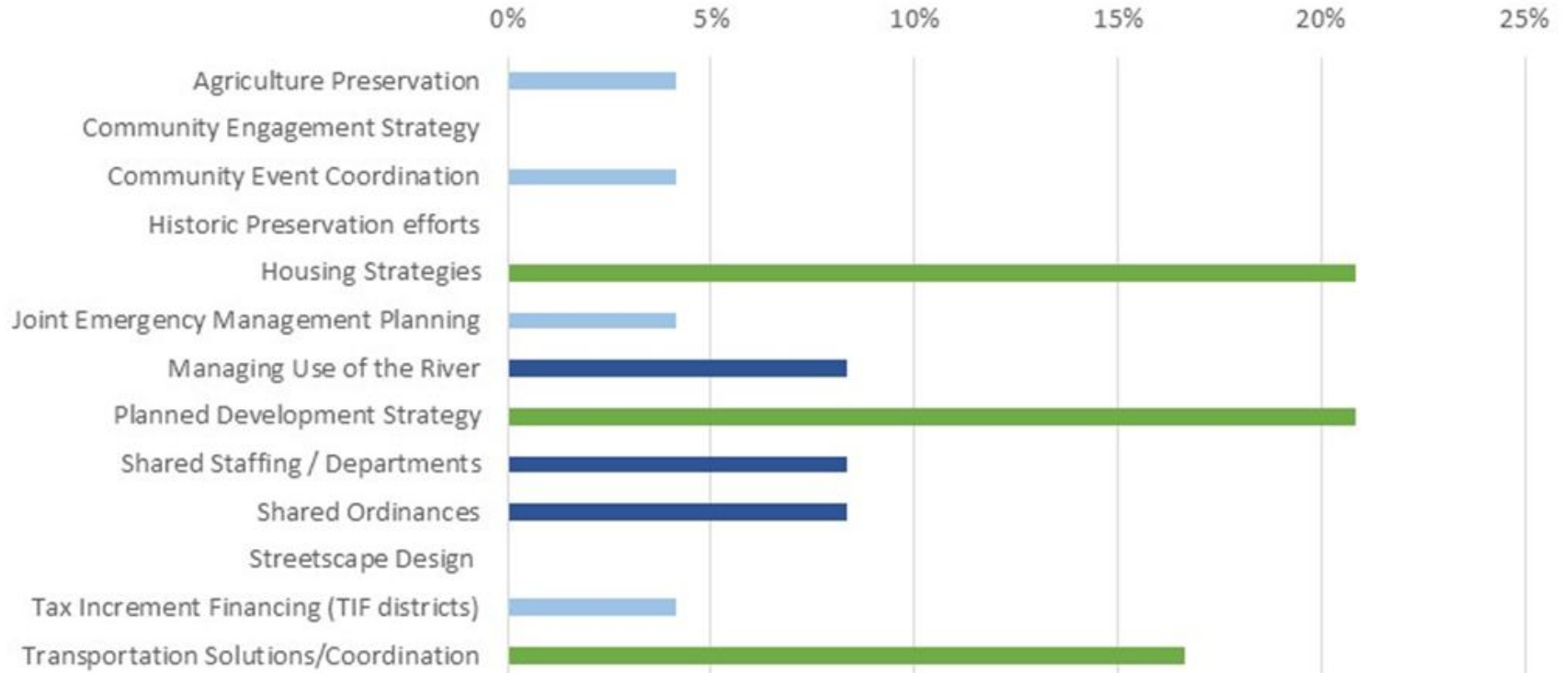
# Damariscotta and Newcastle Joint Workshop

October 30, 2023

# Survey and Response

Here is the list of topics that staff developed (In alphabetical order). While there may be different interpretations of what these topics might mean to you, please choose the three (3) that you'd like to see town staff prioritize developing further.

# 80% response rate



# Questions for tonight:

As a group discussion,

- Are these our top priorities?
- If so, can we define what it is we're trying to achieve for the top three?
- Where do these topics show up on the list of priorities for each of the respective boards?

# Questions for tonight:

In break-out (each table takes a topic) for discussion,

1. Identify stakeholders – Who should be involved? Departments, Boards/Committees, community members, organizations, individuals, media, etc.
2. Create both a theoretical and realistic timeline to achieve the challenge
3. What might it cost?
4. Identify any hurdles to achieving this goal
5. How do we engage the community in this?
6. How should information flow to and from the Select Boards?
7. Who might be left out or marginalized?
8. Other relevant information for the managers to consider as we develop work plans.

# Report out from the break-out

Ask each group to report back (3 mins) to the larger group about their two top findings and a question back to the larger group in case they had anything specific on the topic (2 mins)

# Evaluation Form

Please take a moment to fill out (circle some 1 - 5) and leave some comments