

What is your residence status?		Response	
		Percent	Count
Resident Property owner		52.9%	1067
Non-resident property owner		43.9%	885
Resident Renter		1.3%	26
Other		1.9%	39
	answered question		2017
	skipped question		33

Where do you live?	Tax District	Response	
		Percent	Count
	Avon	7.3%	88
	Buxton	8.8%	106
	Colington	15.6%	187
	Duck	0.8%	9
	East Lake	0.3%	3
	Frisco	8.7%	104
	Hatteras	5.6%	67
	Kill Devil Hills (town)	3.7%	44
	Kill Devil Hills (outside)	3.0%	36
	Kitty Hawk	2.7%	32
	Manns Harbor	2.5%	30
	Manteo (town)	1.2%	14
	Manteo (outside)	19.2%	230
	Martins Point	3.4%	41
	Mashoes	0.3%	3
	Nags Head	3.1%	37
	Rodanthe	1.5%	18
	Salvo	2.8%	33
	Southern Shores	1.7%	34
	Stumpy Point	2.4%	29
	Wanchese	5.1%	61
	Waves	1.4%	17
	answered question		1199
	skipped question		851

Where do you own property?	Tax District	Response	
		Percent	Count
	Avon	16.4%	326
	Buxton	8.1%	160
	Colington	14.7%	292
	Duck	1.2%	23
	East Lake	0.4%	7
	Frisco	11.8%	234
	Hatteras	9.0%	179
	Kill Devil Hills (town)	3.8%	76
	Kill Devil Hills (outside)	3.9%	78
	Kitty Hawk	2.9%	58
	Manns Harbor	2.4%	48
	Manteo (town)	1.4%	28
	Manteo (outside)	15.8%	314
	Martins Point	2.5%	49
	Mashoes	0.4%	8
	Nags Head	3.5%	70
	Rodanthe	4.5%	90
	Salvo	6.9%	136
	Southern Shores	1.7%	34
	Stumpy Point	1.2%	24
	Wanchese	3.8%	75
	Waves	2.9%	58
	answered question		1984
	skipped question		66

Status of property	Percent	Count
Permanent residence	54.3%	1058
Weekly rental	23.9%	466
Monthly rental	7.0%	136
Business	3.4%	66
Vacant	12.1%	235
Other	17.0%	332
	answered question	1949
	skipped question	101

What issues do you think are most important to the future of Dare County?		
Answered question	1338	
Skipped question	713	
Response		Number
Affordable housing/workforce housing		172
Bonner Bridge replacement -- short (17) long (16)		172
Wetland protection/conservation of natural resources.		77
Property taxes		75
Wastewater/septic issues		73
Beach access/public access		71
Continued beach driving/ORV use		62
Drinking water/central – general comments		55
Beach nourishment—support		55
Traffic congestion		53
Transportation improvements/infrastructure needs		51
Bikepaths/ multi-use paths		46
Growth control/overdevelopment/zoning restrictions		45
Stormwater management		44
Repairs to NC 12		43
Drug and alcohol abuse		39
Commercial development regulations/limitation of tourist-oriented retail stores		39
Schools		37
Junk vehicles, junk boats, etc		35
Density limitations		32
Use of fill material on property		23
Commercial fishing/fisheries resources		20
Rising insurance rates		19
Controlling government spending		19
Illegal aliens		19
Tourism—importance to local economy		19
Economy growth/ expanded opportunities		18
Large residential homes		18
No beach nourishment		17
Mid Currituck bridge construction		15
Central water on Roanoke Island (support)		11
Central water on Roanoke Island (oppose)		9
Working waterfronts/public access		7
Economic development – not just tourism		5
Prohibited beach driving/ORV use		4
Buxton Woods – revisions for more flexibility		3
Buxton Woods – no revisions		3

Efforts by the State of North Carolina to limit the installation of bulkheads should be supported by Dare County.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	20.1%	374	Strongly Agree+ Agree		22.4%	226	17.2%	143
Agree	27.2%	505	47.3%	879	25.5%	257	29.4%	244
No Opinion	21.3%	396			17.1%	172	26.3%	218
Disagree	18.4%	342	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		19.6%	197	16.8%	139
Strongly Disagree	13.2%	246	31.6%	588	15.6%	157	10.6%	88
answered question	1859				1007		830	
skipped question	191				86		94	

The State 30-foot setback along ditches and canals that interconnect with estuarine water bodies is adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	17.3%	326	Strongly Agree + Agree		19.4%	196	15.1%	128
Agree	42.9%	807	60.2%	1133	43.5%	439	42.1%	357
No Opinion	19.7%	370			15.0%	151	25.4%	215
Disagree	13.5%	253	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		13.9%	140	12.9%	109
Strongly Disagree	6.9%	129	20.4%	382	8.5%	86	4.8%	41
answered question	1881				1010		848	
skipped question	169				83		76	

Oceanfront setbacks for construction are adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	9.2%	174	Strongly Agree + Agree		9.3%	94	9.2%	78
Agree	32.3%	608	41.5%	782	29.7%	301	35.5%	301
No Opinion	17.3%	326			15.8%	160	19.1%	162
Disagree	24.6%	463	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		25.4%	257	23.5%	199
Strongly Disagree	16.8%	316	41.4%	779	20.1%	204	12.9%	109
answered question	1883				1014		867	
skipped question	167				79		77	

Dare County should adopt regulations to control land clearing and tree removal on your property.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	16.4%	311	Strongly Agree + Agree		15.7%	160	17.4%	148
Agree	26.0%	494	42.4%	805	23.7%	242	29.3%	250
No Opinion	6.6%	125			5.5%	56	8.0%	68
Disagree	27.4%	519	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		27.2%	278	27.0%	230
Strongly Disagree	23.8%	452	51.2%	971	28.2%	288	18.5%	158
answered question	1897				1022		852	
skipped question	153				71		72	

Current Federal flood regulations for first-floor elevations of buildings are adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	11.3%	212	Strongly Agree + Agree		12.9%	130	9.7%	82
Agree	52.7%	990	64.0%	1202	51.5%	521	53.8%	455
No Opinion	20.3%	381			18.0%	182	22.9%	194
Disagree	11.1%	209	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		11.9%	120	10.4%	88
Strongly Disagree	4.8%	91	15.9	300	5.9%	60	3.4%	29
answered question	1879				1011		846	
skipped question	171				82		78	

The 15,000 square foot minimum lot size for new subdivision lots should be re-evaluated.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	12.6%	235	Strongly Agree + Agree		14.4%	145	10.6%	89
Agree	26.9%	503	39.5%	738	27.9%	280	25.8%	217
No Opinion	18.5%	345			16.0%	161	21.4%	180
Disagree	28.0%	524	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		27.8%	279	28.5%	240
Strongly Disagree	14.2%	266	42.2%	790	14.1%	142	14.0%	118
answered question	1869				1005		842	
skipped question	181				88		82	

The placement of fill on lots in excess of that required for the installation of wastewater improvements should continue to be unregulated.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	10.4%	197	Strongly Agree + Agree		12.5%	127	7.9%	67
Agree	22.4%	424	32.8%	621	21.6%	220	23.2%	197
No Opinion	14.1%	267			9.4%	96	19.7%	167
Disagree	31.5%	595	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		30.9%	315	32.3%	274
Strongly Disagree	21.8%	411	53.3%	1006	25.8%	263	17.1%	145
answered question	1890				1019		848	
skipped question	160				74		76	

Current federal regulations to protect wetlands are adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	13.1%	246	Strongly Agree + Agree		13.8%	140	12.4%	105
Agree	40.5%	763	53.6%	1009	38.1%	386	43.4%	368
No Opinion	10.8%	204			9.4%	95	12.5%	106
Disagree	20.1%	379	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		20.6%	208	19.4%	165
Strongly Disagree	15.7%	296	35.8%	675	18.3%	185	12.6%	107
answered question	1884				1012		849	
skipped question	166				81		75	

Current State regulations for the development of marinas are adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	7.6%	144	Strongly Agree + Agree		8.7%	88	6.6%	56
Agree	28.9%	544	36.5%	688	30.6%	311	26.6%	226
No Opinion	43.2%	815			36.9%	375	51.0%	431
Disagree	12.6%	238	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		14.0%	142	10.8%	91
Strongly Disagree	7.9%	148	20.5%	386	10.1%	103	5.1%	43
answered question	1885				1017		845	
skipped question	165				76		79	

Floating homes/structures should be prohibited.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	26.8%	509	Strongly Agree + Agree		24.9%	255	29.2%	249
Agree	31.2%	593	58.0%	1102	28.0%	287	34.6%	295
No Opinion	20.5%	390			21.3%	218	19.7%	168
Disagree	15.3%	290	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		16.9%	173	13.5%	115
Strongly Disagree	6.4%	122	21.7%	412	9.1%	93	3.3%	28
answered question	1900				1024		853	
skipped question	150				69		71	

Dare County should continue to advocate single family homes as the preferred land use in unincorporated Dare County.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	41.1%	775	Strongly Agree + Agree		39.0%	397	43.5%	369
Agree	39.8%	751	80.9%	1526	39.6%	403	40.3%	342
No Opinion	7.6%	143			7.4%	75	7.5%	64
Disagree	8.4%	159	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		9.7%	99	6.8%	58
Strongly Disagree	3.4%	64	11.8%	223	4.4%	45	2.1%	18
answered question	1888				1017		849	
skipped question	162				76		75	

Dare County should evaluate the use of single family homes as boarding /rooming houses.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	16.3%	307	Strongly Agree + Agree		15.3%	155	17.8%	151
Agree	33.8%	636	50.1%	943	35.4%	359	32.1%	272
No Opinion	18.6%	350			17.3%	175	20.0%	169
Disagree	20.7%	390	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		21.6%	219	19.4%	164
Strongly Disagree	10.8%	203	31.5%	593	10.6%	107	11.0%	93
answered question	1882				1013		847	
skipped question	168				80		77	

Multifamily structures should only be permitted at which dwelling densities.

			Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count
3-5 units per acre	72.9%	1324	69.8%	685	76.3%	621
6.8 units per acre	19.6%	356	21.8%	214	17.1%	139
10-12 units per acre	7.7%	140	8.6%	84	6.9%	56
answered question	981		981		814	
skipped question	112		112		110	

Single family homes that are rented on a short-term basis should be considered as commercial activity with different standards for parking, trash pick-up and water rates.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	23.7%	448	Strongly Agree + Agree		32.5%	329	13.3%	113
Agree	21.1%	398	44.8%	846	25.7%	261	15.5%	132
No Opinion	9.3%	175			7.7%	78	11.0%	94
Disagree	24.9%	471	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		20.6%	209	29.9%	255
Strongly Disagree	21.3%	402	46.2%	873	13.7%	139	30.6%	261
answered question	1890				1014		853	
skipped question	160				79		71	

Parking lot/street vendors should continue to be unregulated.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	7.4%	141	Strongly Agree + Agree		9.2%	94	5.3%	45
Agree	25.9%	490	53.3%	631	29.1%	296	21.6%	184
No Opinion	19.2%	363			18.6%	189	20.0%	171
Disagree	34.9%	660	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		31.9%	324	38.6%	330
Strongly Disagree	12.9%	244	47.8%	904	11.4%	116	14.8%	126
answered question	1894				1017		854	
skipped question	156				76		70	

The proliferation of tourist-oriented retail stores should be studied for regulatory standards.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	31.6%	596	Strongly Agree + Agree		38.6%	391	23.6%	201
Agree	38.7%	731	70.3%	1327	35.4%	359	42.3%	360
No Opinion	14.0%	265			12.0%	122	16.6%	141
Disagree	10.8%	203	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		9.3%	94	12.3%	105
Strongly Disagree	5.1%	97	15.9%	300	4.8%	49	5.5%	47
answered question	1888				1013		852	
skipped question	162				80		72	

Dare County zoning regulations for home offices/home occupations in residential neighborhoods are adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	9.8%	185	Strongly Agree + Agree		12.0%	121	7.3%	62
Agree	41.4%	779	51.2%	964	47.4%	480	34.0%	287
No Opinion	33.5%	630			23.8%	241	45.6%	385
Disagree	11.2%	210	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		12.1%	122	9.9%	84
Strongly Disagree	4.3%	80	15.5%	290	4.9%	50	3.4%	29
answered question	1880				1012		845	
skipped question	170				81		79	

Dare County should amend current zoning regulations to prohibit the parking of dump trucks, 18-wheelers and other similar heavy equipment in residential neighborhoods.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	32.8%	624	Strongly Agree + Agree		30.0%	307	36.1%	309
Agree	38.0%	721	70.8%	1345	35.1%	359	41.6%	356
No Opinion	12.1%	230			12.3%	126	11.2%	96
Disagree	12.0%	228	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		15.1%	154	8.5%	73
Strongly Disagree	5.3%	101	17.3%	329	7.6%	78	2.7%	23
answered question	1900				1022		855	
skipped question	150				71		69	

An annual limit on the number of residential and commercial building permits should be considered in unincorporated Dare County.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	21.4%	406	Strongly Agree + Agree		18.3%	186	25.0%	214
Agree	30.3%	574	51.7%	980	28.3%	287	32.9%	282
No Opinion	15.7%	297			15.7%	159	15.8%	135
Disagree	20.7%	392	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		22.1%	224	18.9%	166
Strongly Disagree	12.1%	230	32.8%	622	15.9%	162	7.6%	65
answered question	1895				1016		856	
skipped question	155				77		68	

Dare County should increase funding for enforcement activities to address the removal of junked vehicles and unsightly structures.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	33.9%	644	Strongly Agree + Agree		34.5%	353	33.1%	282
Agree	40.7%	772	74.6%	1416	38.8%	397	42.8%	365
No Opinion	10.5%	200			9.1%	93	12.3%	105
Disagree	10.4%	197	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		11.9%	122	8.8%	75
Strongly Disagree	4.7%	90	15.1%	287	5.9%	60	3.3%	28
answered question	1899				1023		853	
skipped question	151				70		71	

Current County regulation of signs, including off-premise billboards, is adequate.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	6.0%	114	Strongly Agree + Agree		7.2%	73	4.7%	40
Agree	40.4%	763	46.4%	877	44.3%	450	35.7%	303
No Opinion	27.8%	525			22.9%	232	34.0%	289
Disagree	17.5%	331	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		16.7%	169	18.5%	157
Strongly Disagree	8.4%	159	25.9%	490	9.2%	93	7.4%	63
answered question	1889				1015		850	
skipped question	162				78		74	

Dare County should investigate the construction of publicly-owned and operated central wastewater collection and treatment facilities for all areas on unincorporated Dare County.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	20.6%	389	Strongly Agree + Agree		21.5%	218	19.7%	169
Agree	41.9%	792	62.5%	1181	38.7%	392	45.4%	389
No Opinion	17.9%	338			16.1%	163	20.1%	172
Disagree	12.1%	229	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		13.1%	133	10.7%	92
Strongly Disagree	7.8%	148	19.9%	377	10.7%	108	4.3%	37
answered question	1892				1012		857	
skipped question	158				81		67	

Privately-owned and operated on-site central wastewater collection and treatment plants are acceptable alternatives only when natural soil conditions preclude the use of traditional on-site wastewater systems.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	8.4%	157	Strongly Agree + Agree		8.4%	85	8.3%	70
Agree	42.5%	797	50.9%	954	42.6%	430	42.7%	360
No Opinion	27.4%	513			24.5%	247	30.8%	260
Disagree	14.5%	271	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		14.8%	149	13.8%	116
Strongly Disagree	7.6%	142	22.1%	413	10.0%	101	4.6%	39
answered question	1876				1010		843	
skipped question	174				83		81	

Off-site central wastewater treatment and collection systems should be authorized only if owned and operated by a government agency.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	14.4%	271	Strongly Agree + Agree		15.2%	154	13.6%	116
Agree	31.8%	603	46.3%	874	31.3%	315	32.9%	281
No Opinion	25.4%	474			23.3%	236	27.3%	233
Disagree	20.7%	391	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		20.5%	207	20.6%	176
Strongly Disagree	8.2%	154	28.9%	545	10.1%	102	5.9%	50
answered question	1889				1012		854	
skipped question	161				81		70	

Decreased lot sizes/increased dwelling densities should be available for property served by a central wastewater

treatment plant that is owned and operated by the local governments.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	6.0%	113	Strongly Agree + Agree		6.7%	68	5.3%	45
Agree	25.1%	472	31.1%	585	26.5%	267	23.6%	201
No Opinion	16.1%	304			14.8%	149	17.6%	150
Disagree	29.9%	563	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		29.1%	294	30.7%	261
Strongly Disagree	23.1%	435	53.0%	998	23.1%	233	23.0%	196
answered question	1883				1009		851	
skipped question	167				84		73	

Decreased lot sizes/increased dwelling densities should be available for property served by a central wastewater treatment plant that is owned and operated by a private company.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	4.6%	86	Strongly Agree + Agree		4.9%	50	4.1%	35
Agree	16.8%	318	21.4%	404	17.3%	175	16.1%	137
No Opinion	17.1%	322			16.3%	165	18.1%	154
Disagree	33.9%	639	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		33.8%	343	34.0%	289
Strongly Disagree	27.9%	527	61.8%	1166	27.9%	283	28.0%	238
answered question	1888				1014		851	
skipped question	162				79		73	

Dare County should zone its surrounding water bodies to protect traditional activities and uses.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	30.1%	566	Strongly Agree + Agree		29.0%	294	31.9%	269
Agree	42.1%	791	72.2%	1357	40.7%	413	43.4%	366
No Opinion	10.1%	189			8.9%	90	11.6%	98
Disagree	11.8%	222	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		13.6%	138	9.4%	79
Strongly Disagree	6.2%	117	18.0%	339	8.0%	81	4.0%	34
answered question	1881				1014		844	
skipped question	169				79		80	

Dare County should seek consensus from the State that the strict regulations of the SED-1 zoning district for the Buxton Woods maritime forest should be re-evaluated.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	5.9%	111	Strongly Agree + Agree		7.1%	72	4.5%	38
Agree	13.0%	242	18.9%	353	14.2%	143	11.3%	95
No Opinion	48.7%	911			46.3%	467	51.6%	432
Disagree	16.5%	308	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		16.7%	168	16.6%	139
Strongly Disagree	16.1%	301	32.6%	609	15.9%	160	16.2%	136
answered question	1869				1008		838	
skipped question	181				85		86	

Non-maritime related industrial uses should not be permitted on oceanfront and soundfront properties.

			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	31.9%	601	Strongly Agree + Agree		30.3%	307	33.7%	286
Agree	33.3%	628	65.2%	1229	31.7%	322	35.1%	298
No Opinion	13.9%	263			14.6%	148	13.2%	112
Disagree	14.6%	276	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		16.1%	163	13.0%	110
Strongly Disagree	6.5%	123	21.1%	399	7.6%	77	5.3%	45
answered question	1887				1015		849	
skipped question	163				78		75	

Dare County should establish and fund a full-time stormwater management and ditch maintenance department.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	21.2%	402	Strongly Agree + Agree		23.6%	240	18.6%	159
Agree	44.0%	834	65.2%	1236	43.5%	443	44.7%	382
No Opinion	17.1%	324			14.5%	148	20.3%	173
Disagree	12.8%	242	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		12.4%	126	13.1%	112
Strongly Disagree	5.1%	97	17.9%	339	6.3%	64	35%	30
answered question	1895				1019		854	
skipped question	155				74		70	

Current lot coverage standards for residential and commercial uses should be re-evaluated.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	9.5%	177	Strongly Agree + Agree		11.9%	119	6.8%	57
Agree	30.1%	562	39.6%	739	31.2%	313	29.1%	244
No Opinion	30.3%	565			20.9%	210	41.4%	348
Disagree	22.9%	427	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		26.9%	270	17.9%	150
Strongly Disagree	7.5%	139	30.4%	566	9.3%	93	5.1%	43
answered question	1866				1003		840	
skipped question	184				90		84	

Current State regulations to address stormwater runoff are adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	5.2%	98	Strongly Agree + Agree		5.9%	60	4.3%	36
Agree	23.1%	432	28.3%	530	26.0%	263	19.5%	164
No Opinion	36.8%	689			28.9%	292	46.5%	391
Disagree	25.2%	472	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		26.3%	266	23.7%	199
Strongly Disagree	10.0%	187	35.2%	659	13.0%	131	6.3%	53
answered question	1874				1010		841	
skipped question	176				83		83	

The use of occupancy taxes and land transfer taxes should be re-evaluated to allow expenditures on non-tourist related items and infrastructure improvements.								
	Totals		Resident		Non-resident			
	Percent	Count		Percent	Count	Percent	Count	
Strongly Agree	20.6%	387	Strongly Agree + Agree		29.0%	295	10.5%	88
Agree	43.9%	825	64.5%	1212	44.5%	453	42.8%	360
No Opinion	17.3%	325			12.0%	122	24.0%	202
Disagree	12.0%	226	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		9.3%	95	15.3%	129
Strongly Disagree	6.4%	121	18.4%	347	5.3%	54	7.6%	64
answered question	1880				1017		841	
skipped question	170				76		83	

Dare County should continue to oppose off-shore exploration for oil and natural gas off the NC coast.								
	Totals		Resident		Non-resident			
	Percent	Count		Percent	Count	Percent	Count	
Strongly Agree	39.1%	741	Strongly Agree + Agree		39.3%	401	38.9%	332
Agree	16.3%	309	55.4%	1050	14.5%	148	18.6%	159
No Opinion	6.5%	123			5.5%	56	7.5%	64
Disagree	20.3%	384	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		21.3%	217	19.1%	163
Strongly Disagree	18.1%	342	38.4%	726	19.6%	200	16.1%	137
answered question	1895				1020		853	
skipped question	155				73		71	

Off-shore exploration for oil and natural gas off the NC coast should be supported in response to increased fuel costs in the US.								
	Totals		Resident		Non-resident			
	Percent	Count		Percent	Count	Percent	Count	
Strongly Agree	18.4%	349	Strongly Agree + Agree		20.6%	210	15.7%	134
Agree	21.2%	402	39.6%	751	22.2%	226	20.2%	173
No Opinion	7.9%	150			7.6%	77	8.1%	69
Disagree	21.0%	398	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		18.9%	193	23.7%	203
Strongly Disagree	31.7%	600	28.9%	998	30.9%	315	32.5%	278
answered question	1895				1019		855	
skipped question	155				74		69	

Alternative means of energy production, including personal use windmills, should be encouraged in unincorporated Dare County.								
	Totals		Resident		Non-resident			
	Percent	Count		Percent	Count	Percent	Count	
Strongly Agree	37.1%	706	Strongly Agree + Agree		41.3%	421	32.6%	280
Agree	40.1%	762	77.2%	1468	38.1%	389	42.4%	364
No Opinion	10.8%	206			10.7%	109	10.9%	94
Disagree	7.8%	149	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		6.2%	63	9.8%	84
Strongly Disagree	4.4%	83	11.9%	232	3.9%	40	4.5%	39
answered question	1902				1020		859	
skipped question	148				73		65	

Dare County and its municipalities should investigate a County-wide public transit system.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	16.8%	318	Strongly Agree + Agree		22.8%	232	9.9%	84
Agree	32.8%	620	49.6%	938	36.3%	369	28.7%	243
No Opinion	16.4%	309			12.0%	122	21.8%	185
Disagree	21.8%	411	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		18.9%	192	25.5%	216
Strongly Disagree	12.4%	234	34.2%	645	10.3%	105	14.4%	122
answered question	1888				1018		848	
skipped question	162				75		76	

Current State/NCDOT transportation funding of road improvements in Dare County is adequate.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	3.8%	71	Strongly Agree + Agree		3.9%	39	3.8%	32
Agree	24.7%	465	28.5%	336	26.6%	269	22.6%	191
No Opinion	26.5%	499			21.7%	219	32.2%	273
Disagree	27.7%	521	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		28.2%	285	27.0%	229
Strongly Disagree	17.5%	328	45.2%	849	19.8%	200	14.6%	124
answered question	1880				1010		847	
skipped question	170				83		77	

Dare County should resist efforts by the Federal government to further restrict beach driving on Federal lands.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	45.6%	867	Strongly Agree + Agree		44.0%	447	47.6%	411
Agree	19.5%	371	65.1%	1238	19.8%	201	19.2%	166
No Opinion	6.8%	129			7.3%	74	6.0%	52
Disagree	13.8%	262	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		14.4%	146	13.1%	113
Strongly Disagree	14.6%	278	28.4%	540	14.9%	151	14.3%	123
answered question	1903				1017		863	
skipped question	147				76		61	

Acquisition of additional lands for future public projects should be supported.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	20.0%	376	Strongly Agree + Agree		18.8%	190	21.5%	181
Agree	42.3%	793	62.3%	1169	41.8%	422	42.8%	361
No Opinion	17.7%	332			16.6%	168	19.0%	160
Disagree	12.4%	232	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		13.5%	136	11.1%	94
Strongly Disagree	7.9%	148	20.3%	380	9.5%	96	5.9%	50
answered question	1877				1010		844	
skipped question	173				83		80	

Current funding used to promote tourism should be re-evaluated for spending on quality of life issues for Dare

County residents.								
			Totals		Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count			Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Strongly Agree	30.1%	565	Strongly Agree + Agree		41.4%	419	16.5%	139
Agree	38.0%	713	68.1%	1278	36.7%	371	39.6%	334
No Opinion	13.6%	255			8.4%	85	20.1%	169
Disagree	13.3%	250	Strongly Disagree + Disagree		10.0%	101	17.3%	146
Strongly Disagree	5.2%	98	18.5%	348	3.8%	38	6.8%	57
answered question	1877				1012		843	
skipped question	173				81		81	

The barrier island communities of Dare County should implement which of the following:						
			Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Abandon Shoreline	25.4%	426	30.3%	273	19.2%	145
Beach nourishment	46.5%	780	35.5%	320	60.2%	456
Seawalls, groins, hardened structures	24.9%	418	26.2%	236	23.4%	177
Relocate inland	17.4%	292	20.0%	180	14.3%	108
Answered question	1678		901		757	
Skipped question	372		192		167	

Which of the following options should be used to fund shoreline stabilization:						
			Resident		Non-resident	
	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count
Occupancy tax	36.4%	633	42.5%	388	30.1%	243
Special district taxes	22.1%	384	27.3%	249	16.5%	133
User fees	26.6%	463	25.9%	236	27.0%	218
Federal/State funding	57.7%	1002	49.9%	455	67.0%	541
Property taxes	12.2%	212	9.5%	87	15.0%	125
	1738		912		808	
	312		181		116	