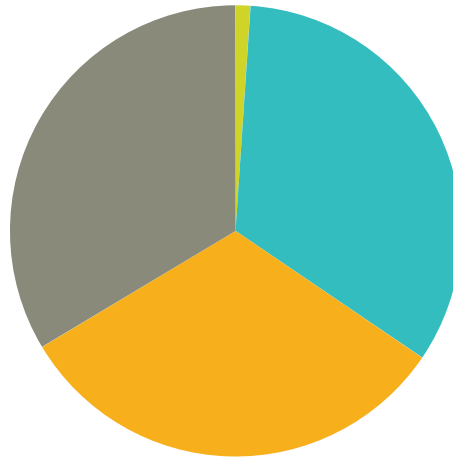


District Facilities Survey

Q1 I am a (choose one best answer):

Answered: 655 Skipped: 0



Student Parent Community Member School District Staff Member

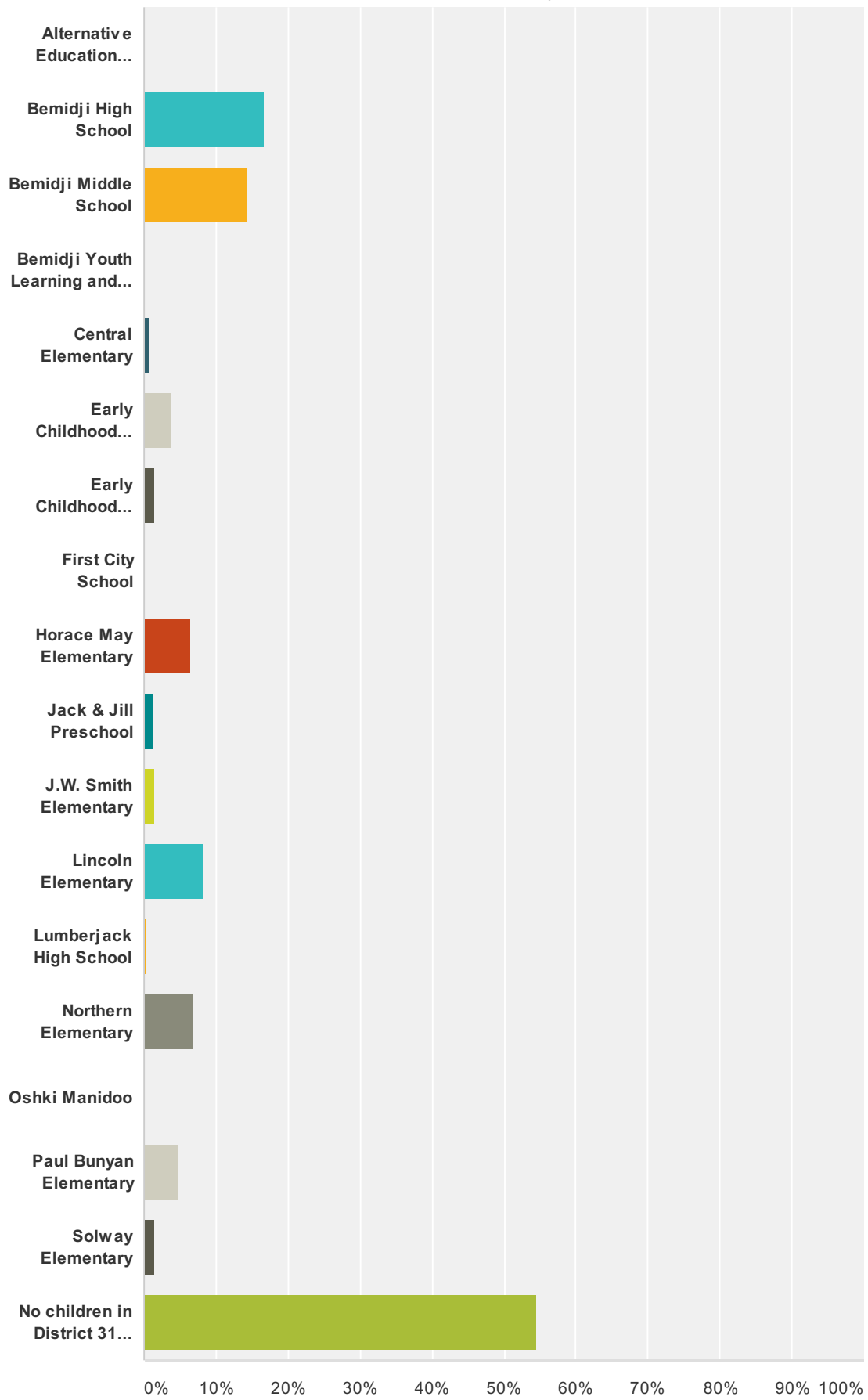
Answer Choices	Responses	
Student	1.07%	7
Parent	33.44%	219
Community Member	31.91%	209
School District Staff Member	33.59%	220
Total		655

District Facilities Survey

Q2 I have children currently attending the following school/schools:

Answered: 655 Skipped: 0

District Facilities Survey



Answer Choices	Responses
Alternative Education Center	0.15% 1

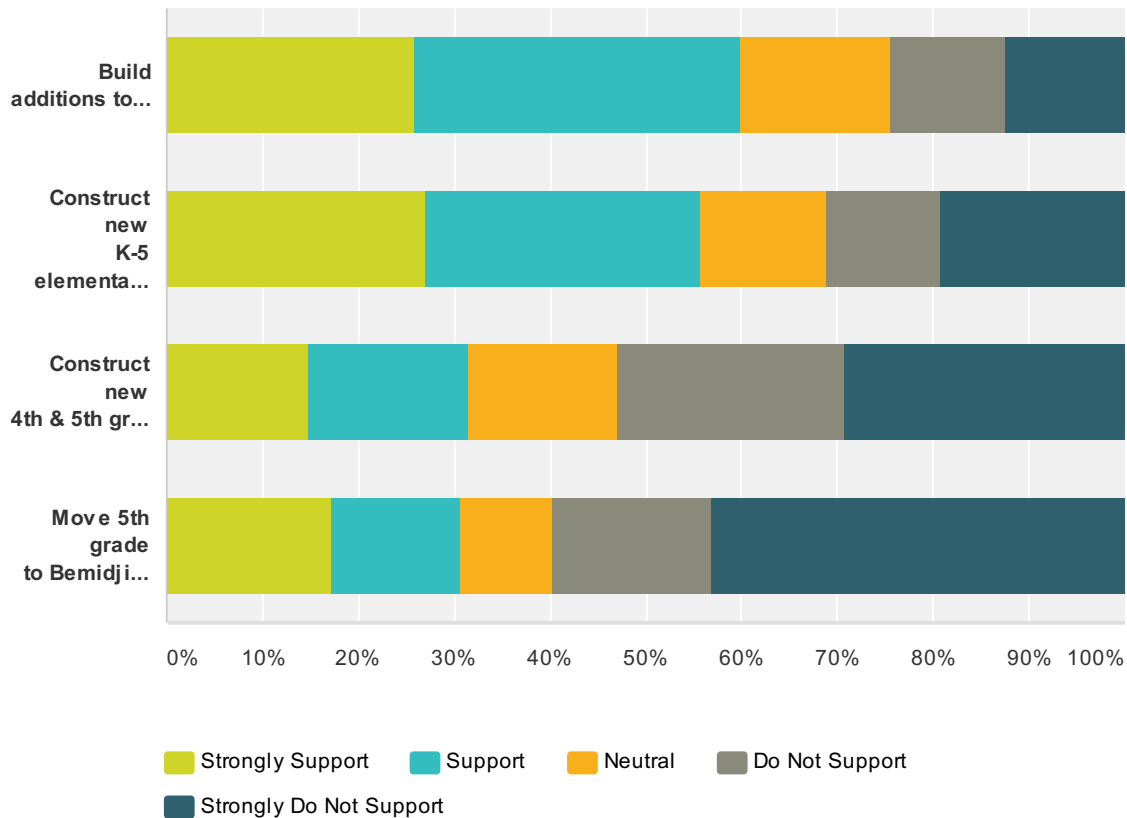
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Bemidji High School	16.64%	109
Bemidji Middle School	14.50%	95
Bemidji Youth Learning and Working	0.00%	0
Central Elementary	0.92%	6
Early Childhood Family Education	3.82%	25
Early Childhood Special Education	1.37%	9
First City School	0.00%	0
Horace May Elementary	6.41%	42
Jack & Jill Preschool	1.22%	8
J.W. Smith Elementary	1.53%	10
Lincoln Elementary	8.40%	55
Lumberjack High School	0.46%	3
Northern Elementary	6.87%	45
Oshki Manidoo	0.15%	1
Paul Bunyan Elementary	4.73%	31
Solway Elementary	1.53%	10
No children in District 31 schools	54.50%	357
Total Respondents: 655		

District Facilities Survey

Q3 During our listening sessions the past several months, it was clear that our stakeholders feel strongly the district's biggest issue is to address elementary growth. Several solutions were identified to address this challenge. We would like your input on how you feel about some of these potential solutions. Please select the appropriate response for each potential solution.

Answered: 651 Skipped: 4

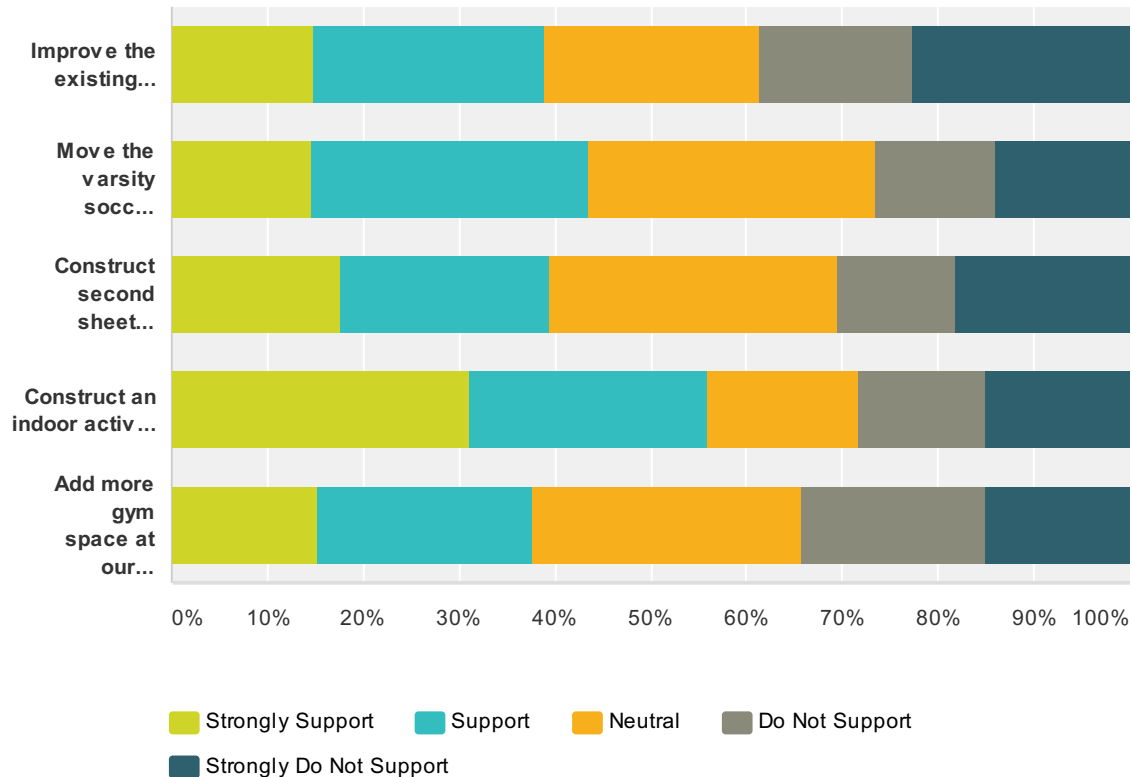


	Strongly Support	Support	Neutral	Do Not Support	Strongly Do Not Support	Total	Average Rating
Build additions to existing elementary school buildings where possible.	25.81% 160	34.19% 212	15.65% 97	11.94% 74	12.42% 77	620	3.49
Construct new K-5 elementary school and redraw existing elementary school boundaries.	27.05% 168	28.66% 178	13.20% 82	11.92% 74	19.16% 119	621	3.33
Construct new 4th & 5th grade intermediate school and keep same boundaries with K-3 schools.	14.91% 92	16.53% 102	15.72% 97	23.50% 145	29.34% 181	617	2.64
Move 5th grade to Bemidji Middle School and 8th grade to Bemidji High School.	17.27% 109	13.31% 84	9.67% 61	16.64% 105	43.11% 272	631	2.45

District Facilities Survey

Q4 During our listening sessions several indoor/outdoor recreational ideas were identified by various stakeholder groups as high priorities for the district and community. We would like your input on how you feel about some of these ideas. Please select the appropriate response for each potential solution.

Answered: 652 Skipped: 3



	Strongly Support	Support	Neutral	Do Not Support	Strongly Do Not Support	Total	Average Rating
Improve the existing football field at Bemidji High School to host all home varsity football games (add lights, restrooms, concessions, press box, and additional seating).	14.84% 96	24.11% 156	22.41% 145	16.07% 104	22.57% 146	647	2.93
Move the varsity soccer field to Bemidji High School and host all varsity games at BHS.	14.73% 95	28.68% 185	30.23% 195	12.25% 79	14.11% 91	645	3.18
Construct second sheet of ice at Bemidji Community Arena and hold all varsity and junior varsity boys and girls hockey games and practices at that arena.	17.60% 113	21.81% 140	30.22% 194	12.15% 78	18.22% 117	642	3.08
Construct an indoor activity center or field house which could be operated with city/school/community partnership (i.e. YMCA/YWCA) and provide indoor year-round practice space.	31.07% 201	24.88% 161	15.77% 102	13.29% 86	14.99% 97	647	3.44

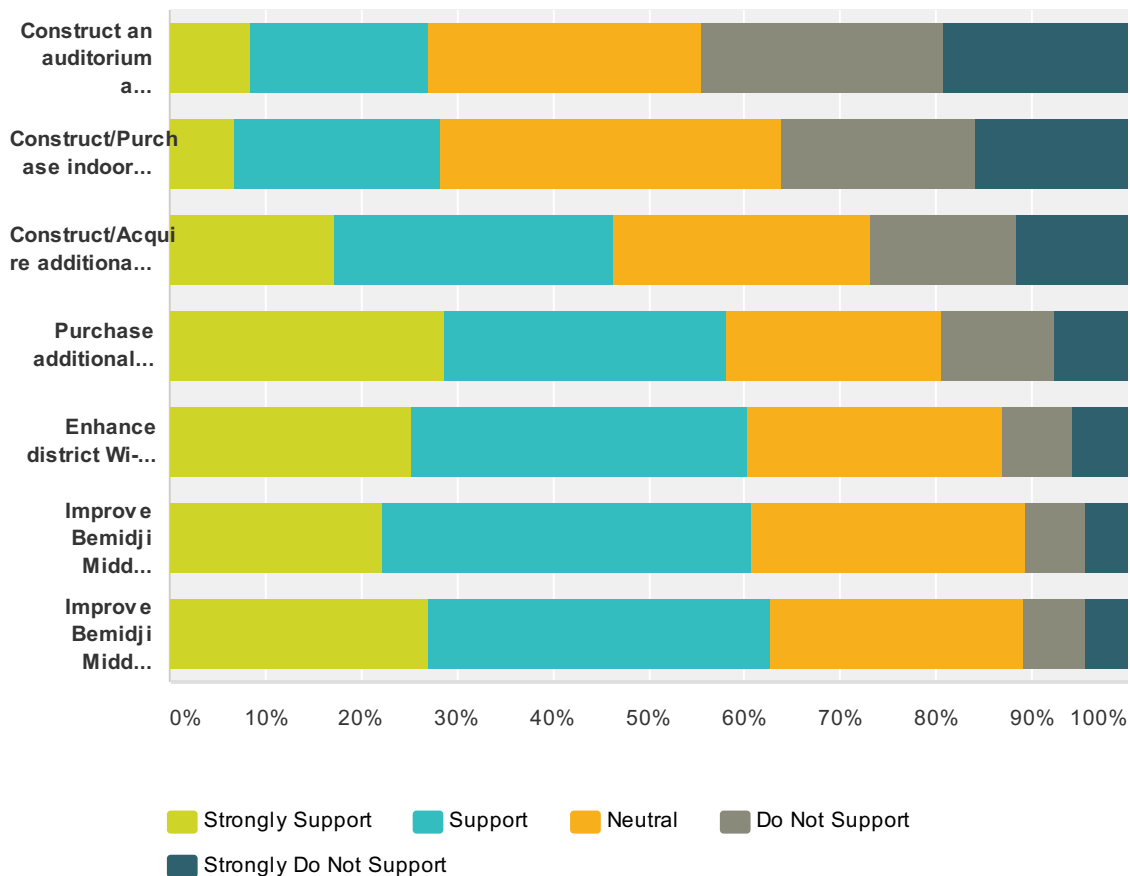
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Add more gym space at our schools for district and community use.	15.24% 98	22.40% 144	28.15% 181	19.28% 124	14.93% 96	643	3.04
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District Facilities Survey

Q5 In addition, several specific educational facility ideas were identified by various stakeholder groups as high priorities for district consideration. We would like your input on how you feel about some of these ideas. Please select the appropriate response for each potential solution.

Answered: 652 Skipped: 3



	Strongly Support	Support	Neutral	Do Not Support	Strongly Do Not Support	Total	Average Rating
Construct an auditorium at Bemidji Middle School.	8.42% 54	18.56% 119	28.55% 183	25.27% 162	19.19% 123	641	2.72
Construct/Purchase indoor school bus storage.	6.75% 43	21.51% 137	35.64% 227	20.25% 129	15.86% 101	637	2.83
Construct/Acquire additional preschool classroom space to expand preschools in community.	17.17% 109	29.13% 185	26.93% 171	15.12% 96	11.65% 74	635	3.25
Purchase additional computers, iPads, and software for students to extend learning throughout the day.	28.64% 185	29.57% 191	22.45% 145	11.76% 76	7.59% 49	646	3.60
Enhance district Wi-Fi backbone and access to technology.	25.27% 164	35.13% 228	26.66% 173	7.09% 46	5.86% 38	649	3.67
Improve Bemidji Middle School's indoor air quality (heating, ventilation, air conditioning system).	22.24% 143	38.57% 248	28.62% 184	6.22% 40	4.35% 28	643	3.68

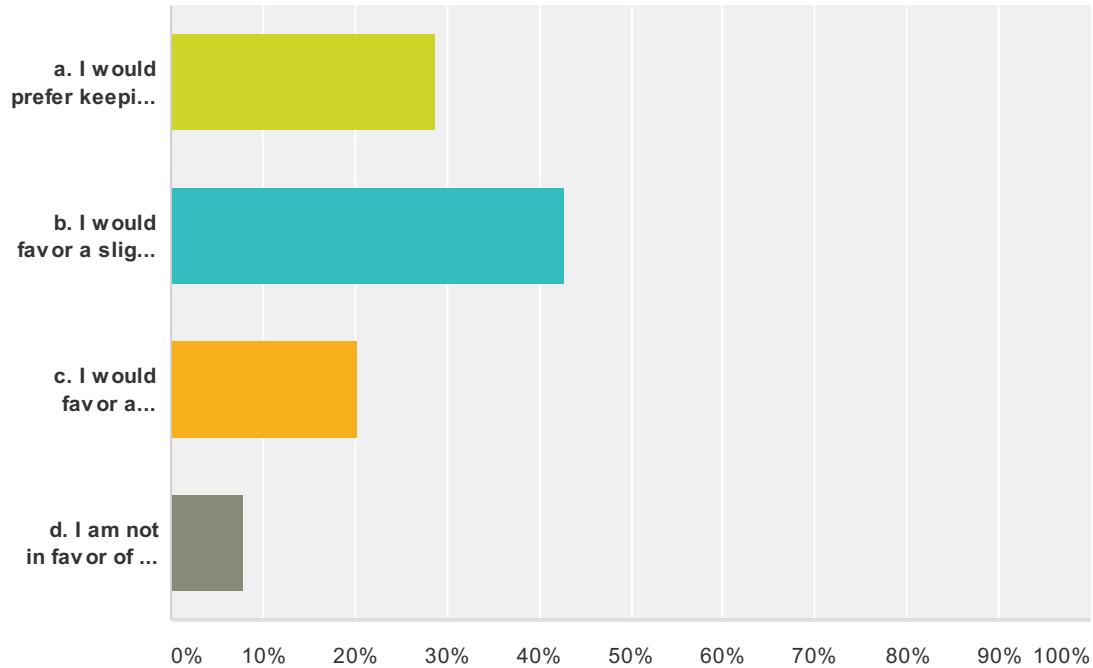
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Improve Bemidji Middle School security by installing walls and doors in the 7th and 8th grade pods, similar to the 6th grade pods.	27.05% 175	35.70% 231	26.43% 171	6.49% 42	4.33% 28	647	3.75
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District Facilities Survey

Q6 Any improvements to facilities will come with a price tag. How should Bemidji Area Schools fund facility additions or renovations? Please select one response:

Answered: 639 Skipped: 16



Answer Choices	Responses	
a. I would prefer keeping my school taxes level or approximately the same as they currently are.	28.79%	184
b. I would favor a slight increase of my school taxes (less than \$300 per year).	42.88%	274
c. I would favor a moderate increase to my school taxes (less than \$500 per year).	20.34%	130
d. I am not in favor of any type of facility improvements at this time.	7.98%	51
Total		639

Q7 Final Words of Advice:

Answered: 316 Skipped: 339