

## **Envisioning the Island in 20 Years: Town Survey**

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**First, what are your general thoughts about Washington.**

- 1. How would you rate the quality of life in Washington today?**
- 2. Do you believe the overall quality of life in Washington is:**
- 3. The condition of housing in Washington is:**
- 4. The quality of parks and outdoor recreation spaces in Washington are:**
- 5. The general condition of local roads in Washington are:**
  
- 6a. Year-round job opportunities in Washington are:**
- 6b. Seasonal job opportunities in Washington are:**

**What's your favorite and least favorite part about Washington?**

- 7. What do you like most about Washington?**
- 8. What do you like least about Washington?**

**How can we make Washington a better place to live, work, and play?**

- 9. What aspects of Washington need the most improvement?**
  
- 10. Washington should encourage**
  - More residential development
  - More commercial development
  - More light industrial development
  - Mixed-use buildings
  - Farmland/Agricultural preservation
  - Natural area and open space preservation
  - Reforest, remove invasive plants, and preserve wetlands that hold floodwaters and replenish groundwater
  - Protection of the Town's shoreline
  - Solar energy use
  
- 11. What is missing or lacking in Washington?**

**12. What do you think about different types of housing in Washington?**

- Single-family detached housing
- Single-family attached housing (townhomes)
- Duplexes
- Triplexes and quadplexes
- Accessory dwelling units (ADU)
- Small multifamily buildings (with 5 to 12 units per structure)
- Larger multifamily buildings (with 12 or more units per structure)
- Manufactured housing communities
- Government subsidized housing (e.g., dedicated affordable housing)
- Senior/assisted living housing

**13. The Town of Washington should try to attract businesses in these 5 industries:**

- Agricultural, Forestry, Fishing, & Hunting
- Utilities
- Construction
- Manufacturing
- Wholesale Trade
- Retail Trade
- Transportation & Warehousing
- Information (e.g., producing and distributing information, providing means to transmit or distribute products and information, and processing data)
- Finance and Insurance
- Real Estate, Rental, & Leasing
- Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services
- Management of Companies and Enterprises
- Administrative and Support
- Waste Management & Remediation Services
- Educational Services
- Health Care
- Social Assistance
- Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation
- Accommodations & Food Services
- Public Administration

**14. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statement about Washington's transportation system.**

- There is adequate/safe bicycle access and infrastructure (trails, bike lanes, bike parking, wayfinding signage, etc.) in Washington.
- Alternative modes of transportation, such as walking and biking are important.
- The access and flow of traffic on roads in Washington are adequate.
- The Town of Washington should offer charging infrastructure for the use of electric vehicles.
- The ferry service is sufficient.

**15. Please rate how satisfied you are with the following services provided in the Town of Washington.**

- Police Services
- Fire Protection Services
- Development and Planning Services
- Electric Utility Services
- Sewer Utility Services
- Garbage/Waste/Recycling Services
- Library Services
- Park and Recreational Services

**16. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements.**

- I am within walking or biking distance to parks and open spaces.
- I am within walking or biking distance to shopping (groceries, necessities, retail, etc.)
- I have access to arts and cultural opportunities.
- I have access to affordable childcare.
- I have access to adequate educational or professional development opportunities.
- I have access to adequate health care.
- I have access to spiritual/faith-based opportunities.
- I support historic preservation

**What is your vision for Washington?**

**17. Please complete the following statement using your own words: "In the future, I want Washington to be..."**

**Lastly, can you tell us a bit about yourself?**

**18. Are you a resident or property owner of the Town of Washington?**

**19. Do you work in Washington?**

**20. Do you own a business in Washington?**

**21. Do you own or rent your home?**

**22. Please identify your existing housing situation and your housing preference.**

- Single-family detached home
- Single-family attached home (townhouse)
- Duplex
- Triplex
- Quadplex
- Apartment or Condominium (in a building with 5 or more housing units)

**23. How old are you?**

- Under 20 years old
- 21 to 30 years old
- 31 to 40 years old
- 41 to 60 years old
- 61 to 85 years old
- Over 85 years old

**Any final thoughts?**

**24. Is there anything else you'd like us to know about Washington?**