

Gillette, Wright, and Campbell County
1% Sales Tax Survey Results
2022

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Background, Survey Development, and Response Rate:

In May of 2022, the Town of Wright, City of Gillette, and Campbell County Board of Commissioners contracted with the Campbell County Chamber of Commerce to survey all registered voters in Campbell County, with regards to funds generated by the 1% sales tax. Voters were asked to rank how their communities should prioritize the investment of these funds, in addition to being asked what, specifically, is their biggest priority.

The survey's content was provided by the City, Town, and County. Each of the projects were presented to respondents on a four-point matrix: "Do Not Fund," "Low," "Medium," and High" priorities.

A mailing list of registered voters was generated by the Campbell County Elections Office and transmitted to the Chamber via email on August 3, 2022. There were **19,940 registered voters** as of that date.

The approved survey document was sent to The UPS Store in Gillette, who printed and then mailed the surveys the second week of August. An unknown number of those surveys were undeliverable.

In total, **2,741 surveys were returned** to the Chamber, either via postal service or dropped off at one of ten locations around Campbell County. The return date was listed as September 15 and survey boxes were collected on September 16. Additional mailed in surveys were received and counted as late as October 5.

There were several mailed-in surveys that did not have postage, but still made it to the Chamber to be counted. Of the surveys received, **2,741** had results that were able to be tabulated.

The number of surveys returned would suggest a return rate of 14%, though the actual number is more than likely to be higher, if it were possible to calculate the number of surveys that reached their intended destination.

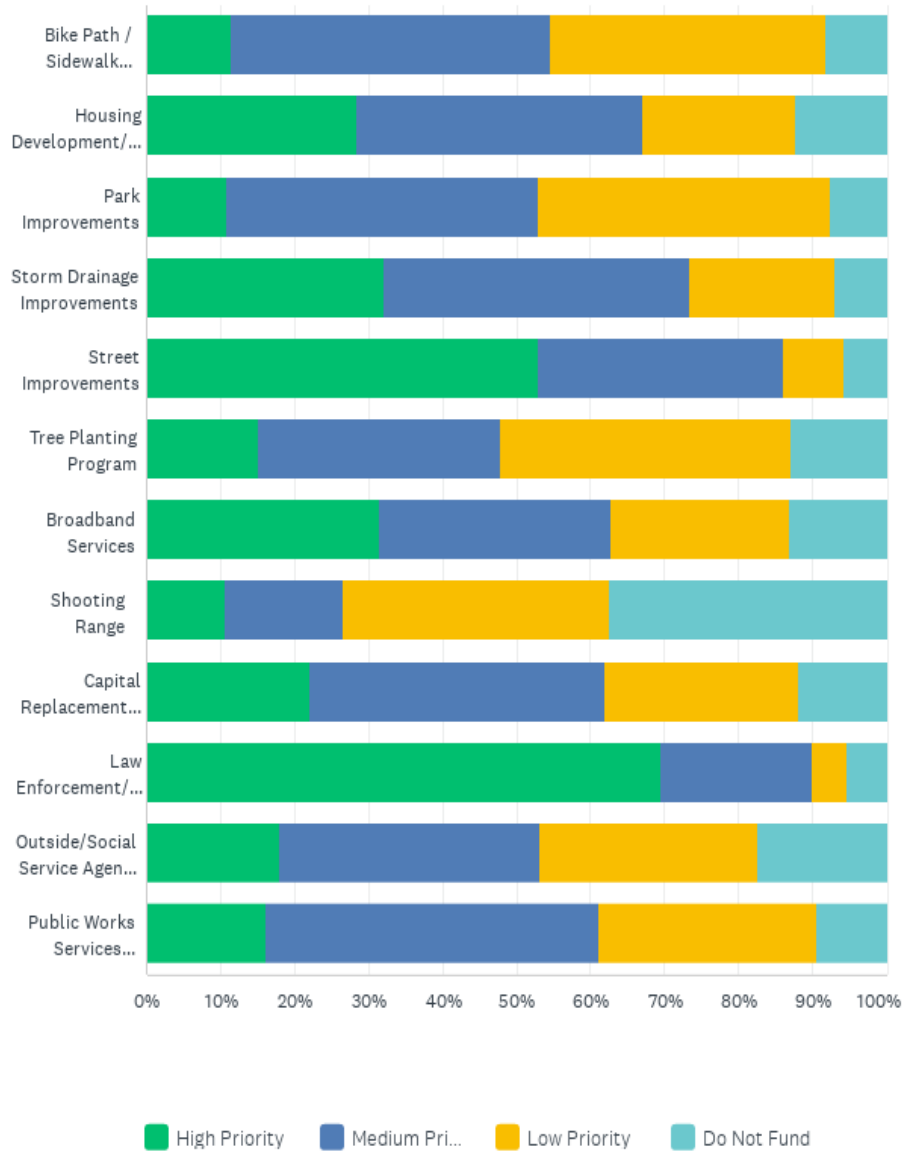
Overall Survey Results:

TOWN OF WRIGHT

Out of 2,741 surveys, 741 respondents (27%) ranked twelve (1s) different projects proposed by the Town to spend 1% sales tax funds on in the next four years.

	HIGH PRIORITY-	MEDIUM PRIORITY-	LOW PRIORITY-	DO NOT FUND-	TOTAL-
Bike Path / Sidewalk Improvements	11.53% 80	43.08% 299	37.18% 258	8.21% 57	694
Housing Development/Business Development	28.41% 198	38.74% 270	20.66% 144	12.20% 85	697
Park Improvements	10.81% 75	42.07% 292	39.48% 274	7.64% 53	694
Storm Drainage Improvements	32.17% 221	41.34% 284	19.51% 134	6.99% 48	687
Street Improvements	52.92% 372	33.14% 233	8.25% 58	5.69% 40	703
Tree Planting Program	15.04% 105	32.81% 229	39.26% 274	12.89% 90	698
Broadband Services	31.43% 220	31.29% 219	24.14% 169	13.14% 92	700
Shooting Range	10.66% 74	15.99% 111	35.88% 249	37.46% 260	694
Capital Replacement Reserve	22.09% 152	39.83% 274	26.16% 180	11.92% 82	688
Law Enforcement/Fire Department/EMS Services	69.46% 505	20.50% 149	4.68% 34	5.36% 39	727
Outside/Social Service Agency funding	17.97% 126	35.24% 247	29.39% 206	17.40% 122	701
Public Works Services (Spring/Fall Cleanup)	16.09% 112	45.11% 314	29.31% 204	9.48% 66	696

Q1 Town of Wright



Additional Responses – out of 741 respondents, 67 suggested other priorities for the Town to spend 1% sales tax funds on in the next four years.

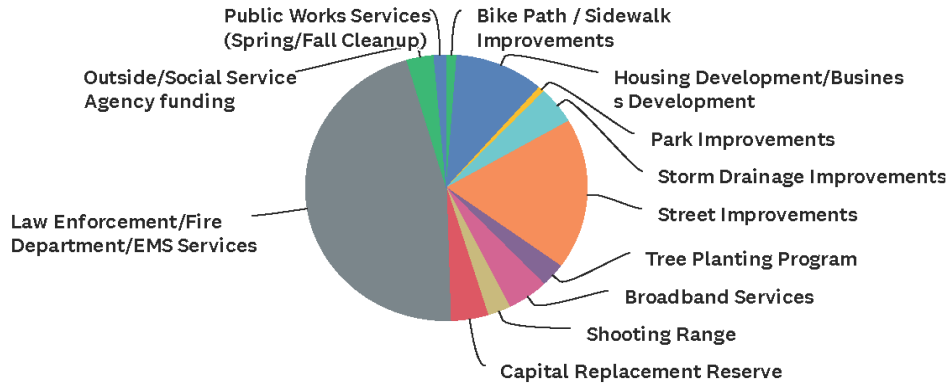
- 1 Expand county roads
- 2 Cam-Plex
- 3 YES House
- 4 Access to local TV coverage/ weed control
- 5 Low-cost fiber internet
- 6 potholes in streets
- 7 Mental Health
- 8 Upgrade panther pond
- 9 Pave road to ag complex
- 10 Alternative Energy Development
- 11 WRC and Library
- 12 Library
- 13 Maintain parks and pathways
- 14 Library/Senior Center/Museum
- 15 Senior Center
- 16 Recycling Services
- 17 Weed and trash cleanup
- 18 Water trees that are dying on Burma Road by warehouse city
- 19 Gillette College & Sports
- 20 Stop drug trafficking
- 21 New Wright landfill
- 22 Solid waste collection service
- 23 Maintain current infrastructure
- 24 Maintain current infrastructure
- 25 Senior Citizens Center
- 26 Library
- 27 Tree trimming program
- 28 Senior Citizen living improvements

- 29 Save for a rainy day
- 30 Health and safety of the Wright citizens
- 31 Stop Wasting Money
- 32 Turn lane at Hwy. 59 and Wright Blvd.
- 33 More affordable senior housing
- 34 Library
- 35 Repeal and discontinue any further promotion of more taxes on county citizens
- 36 Keep housing, food, and utilities in range with income
- 37 Taxation is theft.
- 38 Snow removal of city streets- not highways
- 39 Public Library
- 40 Public Library
- 41 Make employment available to people who want to work
- 42 Public Library
- 43 Water systems
- 44 Have homeowners clean up their property. Town is starting to look trashy
- 45 Ordinance Enforcement
- 46 Ordinance Officer
- 47 Better stocking of Panther Pond
- 48 Community Center repair & maintenance
- 49 Senior & community assistance
- 50 Public Library
- 51 Crosswalk Improvements
- 52 Ice skating/roller rink for kids
- 53 Library Funding
- 54 Senior Center/YES House
- 55 Airport
- 56 Airport for Wright
- 57 Reproductive Health
- 58 School Safety

- 59 Fix the potholes in parking lots!
- 60 Get rid of it
- 61 School Security
- 62 Library Youth Services/Programs
- 63 Dump
- 64 Clean out cattails in fishing lake
- 65 Winter road care/Maintenance
- 66 School Hardening
- 67 Focus on needs and not wants

Q2 Which of the above projects should be the highest priority for Wright?

Answered: 420 Skipped: 2,321



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Bike Path / Sidewalk Improvements	1.19%	5
Housing Development/Business Development	10.24%	43
Park Improvements	0.71%	3
Storm Drainage Improvements	4.52%	19
Street Improvements	18.33%	77
Tree Planting Program	2.86%	12
Broadband Services	4.76%	20
Shooting Range	2.62%	11
Capital Replacement Reserve	4.29%	18
Law Enforcement/Fire Department/EMS Services	45.95%	193
Outside/Social Service Agency funding	3.10%	13
Public Works Services (Spring/Fall Cleanup)	1.43%	6
TOTAL		420

CITY OF GILLETTE

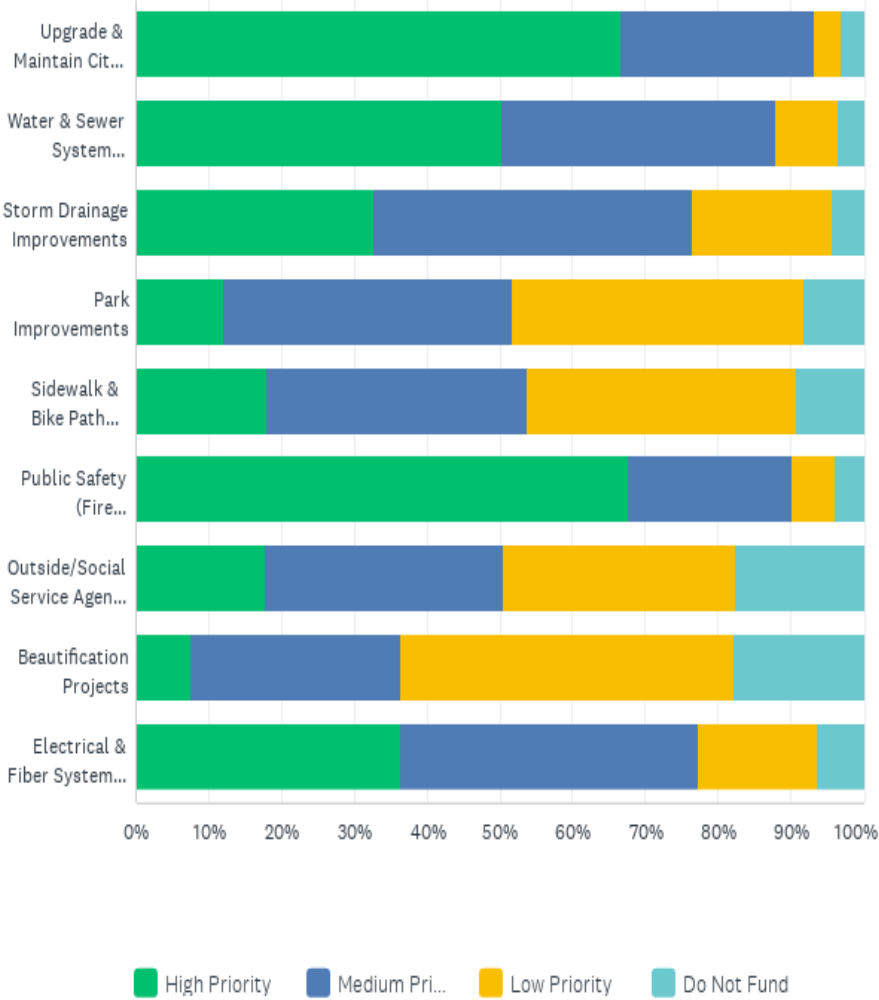
Out of 2,741 surveys, 2,625 respondents (96%) ranked nine (9) different projects proposed by the City to spend 1% sales tax funds on in the next four years.

1% Sales Tax Survey 2022

	HIGH PRIORITY	MEDIUM PRIORITY	LOW PRIORITY	DO NOT FUND	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Upgrade & Maintain City Streets	66.67% 1,708	26.58% 681	3.79% 97	2.97% 76	2,562	1.43
Water & Sewer System Maintenance	50.36% 1,266	37.51% 943	8.75% 220	3.38% 85	2,514	1.65
Storm Drainage Improvements	32.77% 818	43.75% 1,092	19.27% 481	4.21% 105	2,496	1.95
Park Improvements	12.10% 299	39.62% 979	40.06% 990	8.22% 203	2,471	2.44
Sidewalk & Bike Path Improvements	17.98% 447	35.76% 889	37.09% 922	9.17% 228	2,486	2.37
Public Safety (Fire Department and Police Department)	67.74% 1,718	22.36% 567	6.07% 154	3.82% 97	2,536	1.46
Outside/Social Service Agency Funding	17.72% 436	32.83% 808	31.86% 784	17.59% 433	2,461	2.49
Beautification Projects	7.65% 190	28.81% 716	45.79% 1,138	17.75% 441	2,485	2.74
Electrical & Fiber System Improvements	36.37% 905	41.00% 1,020	16.24% 404	6.39% 159	2,488	1.93

CITY OF GILLETTE

Q3 City of Gillette



Additional Responses – out of 2,625 respondents, 334 suggested other priorities for the City to spend 1% sales tax funds on in the next four years.

- 1 Mow more often
- 2 School district bus garage
- 3 Pay for sewer plant improvements
- 4 Maintain what we have
- 5 Snow Removal
- 6 Pay down capital projects to reduce the need to raise utilities
- 7 Potholes
- 8 Minimize utility bills
- 9 More swimming for public
- 10 City Clean Up
- 11 Cam-Plex
- 12 Veterans & senior citizens
- 13 College
- 14 Quit wasting money
- 15 Replace salt products on our roads
- 16 No salt on roads
- 17 Economic Development
- 18 Reserve Funds for a rainy day
- 19 Economic Development
- 20 Listen to voters not commissioners
- 21 Mental Health
- 22 New patch truck for fixing potholes
- 23 Bicentennial Softball fields
- 24 YES House/B & G Club
- 25 Help seniors pay for utilities
- 26 Alternative Energy Development
- 27 Boxelder Road towards Cam-Plex
- 28 Right of ways need taken better care of

- 29 Mowing, weeding flower beds on 4J
- 30 More baseball fields
- 31 Better tasting water
- 32 Another Dalbey-style park
- 33 Another Dalbey-style park
- 34 Clean up West Donkey Creek
- 35 Noxious weed control
- 36 Vehicles parked on the streets in housing areas
- 37 Library
- 38 Senior Citizen Housing
- 39 Swimming pool on the north side of town
- 40 Dalbey Fishing Lake
- 41 Library
- 42 Women's Health
- 43 Library
- 44 Economic Development
- 45 Maintain infrastructure
- 46 Transportation
- 47 Sports facilities for kids
- 48 Industrial Park
- 49 Junk Properties
- 50 Bus system
- 51 Garbage dump road needs to be better
- 52 Upkeep on flower planters
- 53 Public Transportation
- 54 Major Streets - build them and charge fees so our town grows in a well-planned manner.
- 55 Better public/private weed control
- 56 Public Transportation/Mental Health/ addiction treatment
- 57 New air-cooled chillers at the Police and City Hall
- 58 More handicap access with 2 handlebars to pools with ramps - no steps or ladders

- 59 Senior Citizens
- 60 Move the Gun Range outside city limits
- 61 Annual Clean-up; Reduce consumption/re-use/recycle; Use less Water
- 62 Kids mental health - zero promotion of gender bending
- 63 Stoplight at Hwy 50 and Boxelder
- 64 Mental Health Resources/services for adolescents
- 65 Improve the neighborhoods
- 66 School Safety
- 67 Parking lot potholes
- 68 Library/Public Transportation System
- 69 Infrastructure Improvement
- 70 Field of Dreams & Waterpark
- 71 You need to bring a Target or better shopping to Gillette
- 72 Attract diversified businesses
- 73 100 Block of Richards
- 74 Long-term City Plan
- 75 Pothole by Dollar Tree
- 76 Fix road at Hwy 59 and Walmart
- 77 Gillette Golf Club
- 78 Utility Rates
- 79 Fix the humps on W. Echeta
- 80 59 Exit & Boxelder
- 81 Maintenance of Cam-Plex
- 82 Maintenance of Cam-Plex
- 83 New Aquatic Center
- 84 Gurley Bridge/New Aquatic Center"
- 85 Potholes in Shopping Centers
- 86 Potholes/Paint Street Lines
- 87 Nice roads in winter
- 88 Curbside recycling

- 89 More wi-fi towers in S. Gillette
- 90 Economic Development
- 91 Build another bridge over the railroad w/pedestrian crossing.
- 92 Airport Air Service
- 93 Widen Boxelder to 4 lanes from 4J to the S curve
- 94 Widen Boxelder to 4 lanes from 4J to the S curve
- 95 Gillette College, mental health services
- 96 Do not fund CLIMB Wyoming or GARF or Gillette College
- 97 Help for seniors & low-income residents, mainly lower utilities
- 98 No more statues
- 99 Pet safety
- 100 It should be illegal to park a trailer camper on the streets of Gillette. The pop outs create a safety factor.
- 101 Bicycle path and finish road Sinclair to Butler Spaeth
- 102 Teen Programs
- 103 Electrical improvements in Antelope Valley South
- 104 Clean Donkey Creek
- 105 Clear the weeds off the sidewalks
- 106 Economic Development
- 107 Rockpile Museum
- 108 Library
- 109 Residential through street speed bumps
- 110 Yearly maintenance on street markings
- 111 Gillette College & Sports
- 112 School Safety
- 113 Gillette Reproductive Health/Library Youth Services
- 114 Snow removal
- 115 Library Youth Fund/Gillette Reproductive Health
- 116 Save for bad times
- 117 Help businesses repair parking lots.

- 118 Plow the streets in the winter.
- 119 Animal Shelters and park maintenance
- 120 Sewer treatment plant
- 121 Wastewater yard waste program
- 122 Maintain current infrastructure
- 123 Maintain current infrastructure
- 124 Women's Resource Center
- 125 Boys & Girls Club
- 126 Increase business and leisure tourism
- 127 Free school lunches
- 128 Mowing/weed control
- 129 Library
- 130 Clean Up Trash
- 131 More nice places for seniors
- 132 Water the parks!
- 133 Affordable, professional daycare, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- 134 Maintain what we have
- 135 Public Transportation
- 136 Butler Spaeth Overpass
- 137 Butler Spaeth Overpass
- 138 Suicide prevention/Drug prevention
- 139 Senior Apartments
- 140 Potholes
- 141 New Gurley Bridge
- 142 Gillette College & Library
- 143 Weed Control
- 144 Lower water rates
- 145 Lower electrical and water rates
- 146 Library
- 147 Weatherization for senior citizens

- 148 Better drinking water
- 149 Please consider Gillette College a high priority as well as the library.
- 150 Please remove religious symbols from public planters
- 151 Library
- 152 Keeping all taxes and fees low
- 153 Maintain and expand sports complex
- 154 Library funding for teenage & children's programs
- 155 Road safety through active patrol/ticketing
- 156 Suicide Rate
- 157 Gillette Reproductive Health
- 158 Especially Gillette Reproductive Health
- 159 Tiny Homes Community for seniors & low income
- 160 City Pool, recreation
- 161 Bring in new non-food businesses
- 162 Enforce Parking Lot Maintenance
- 163 Gillette Golf Course
- 164 Second swimming pool at Field of Dreams
- 165 Keep travel and other trailers off subdivision streets - follow City ordinance.
- 166 Save for future maintenance of infrastructure
- 167 Safety of our school children
- 168 Economic Development
- 169 Better management of money
- 170 Remove grit from streets after winter
- 171 Street lights at busy intersections such as 9th & Gurley by the Lutheran church
- 172 Mental Health funding
- 173 Mental health funding
- 174 Direct more revenue toward electrical, sewer, and water in order to reduce taxpayer utility bills.
- 175 Reconstruct City Pool in the same location
- 176 No more art. There is too much, and it wastes money.
- 177 Senior Center

- 178 Gillette Reproductive Health
- 179 Gillette College
- 180 Begin to introduce water restrictions and build other skateboarding areas in Gillette
- 181 Put all utilities in the east part of town underground
- 182 Maintain Existing Landscape
- 183 Install a sidewalk/ground path along south side of Echeta Road so kids & adults do not have to walk along the edge of the roadway- Both city & county are involved in this roadway
- 184 Downtown preservation
- 185 Cybersecurity
- 186 Improve truck traffic access to truck stop
- 187 Snowplow response time
- 188 Cut all non-profit requests to zero funding
- 189 More affordable senior housing
- 190 Replace Aquatic Center pool
- 191 Put a light on Lakeway Rd near Gillette Printing so we can get on the street
- 192 Reduce Spending
- 193 Lower Taxes
- 194 Build Bathroom @ Skate Park
- 195 Police equipment & training budgets
- 196 Create an indoor park
- 197 Air Service
- 198 Sewer Wastewater Plant
- 199 Donkey Creek Jazz Festival
- 200 Winter snow removal
- 201 Get rid of junk cars
- 202 Library
- 203 Lower water rates for those with fixed incomes
- 204 Repeal and discontinue any further promotion of more taxes on county citizens
- 205 Gillette College & the Library
- 206 Drugs & alcohol seem to be an issue, perhaps more programs to deal w/ this

- 207 Gurley Overpass
- 208 Seniors & veterans
- 209 Public Library
- 210 Public Library
- 211 Put white fence up on Lakeway south side Allen Ave to Harden
- 212 Make employment available to people who want to work
- 213 Park in Legacy Ridge
- 214 Have a budget to maintain present parks- No planning at present
- 215 Public Library
- 216 Mental Health @ CCMH & Courts
- 217 A Weather Radar
- 218 Community Clean up
- 219 Bring New Industries to Town
- 220 Replace Gurley Overpass
- 221 Replace Gurley Overpass
- 222 Economic Stability
- 223 Senior Affordable Housing
- 224 Senior Affordable Housing
- 225 Snowplow budget
- 226 Put the sculptures on the streets instead of the cemetery. Put flags on the poles at Flying J or take the poles down.
- 227 Crosswalk Improvements
- 228 Economic Development
- 229 Economic Development
- 230 Replace wooden fence on Fairway by Bell Nob golf course

- 231 Tourism efforts- Visitor Bureau partnerships with Cam-Plex
- 232 Continued support of Gillette College
- 233 Youth Programs
- 234 Potholes at personal owned businesses
- 235 Overpass

- 236 Take the art down and improve the north side of town parks
- 237 Amphitheater & public space downtown
- 238 Veteran's Services
- 239 Library Funding
- 240 Maintain existing beautification projects better
- 241 Maintain existing beautification
- 242 Sidewalks in subdivisions- Don't move Gurley Overpass
- 243 Sidewalks in subdivision, also don't move the Gurley Overpass
- 244 Fix potholes
- 245 Economic Development
- 246 A large bike path loop
- 247 Library-books
- 248 College Support
- 249 Sidewalk/bike path 2nd street from Hwy 59 to I90
- 250 Alley resurfacing downtown
- 251 Repair downtown alleys
- 252 Working water fountains and open bathrooms in public parks.
- 253 Cam-Plex Indoor Rodeo Arena
- 254 Assistance in Business Development
- 255 Break down curb where the city & county bike path meet on 59 by Grinners
- 256 Sump pump drainage in Remington Estates
- 257 Potholes
- 258 Library
- 259 Library
- 260 Energy Capital Sports Complex
- 261 Code Violations
- 262 Water & Maintain city parks
- 263 Snow removal
- 264 Better snow removal
- 265 Energy Capital Sports Complex

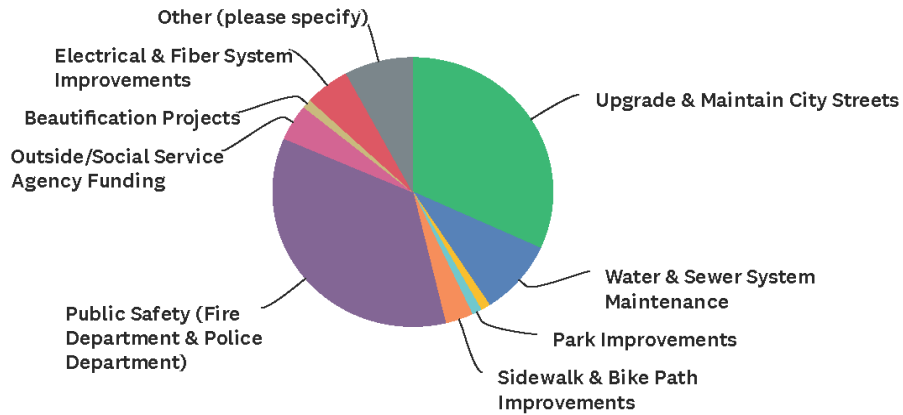
- 266 Public Library needs its funding to keep the city alive & well
- 267 Campbell County Public Library
- 268 Drill a well at head of Donkey Creek to have a flowing creek in town
- 269 Maintain park safety/ beautification projects that are done
- 270 Economic Diversification
- 271 Suicide Prevention
- 272 Maintain Beautification Projects
- 273 Maintain beautification projects
- 274 Maintain beautification projects
- 275 Economic Development
- 276 Suicide Prevention-Mental Health Resources
- 277 Hiking trails
- 278 Slow down the spending
- 279 Maintain beautification already in place
- 280 Clean up dead trees in parks
- 281 Fix potholes on 2nd street
- 282 More 1% into water, sewer, streets - less raising rates. 1% for more street sweepers
- 283 Public Transportation
- 284 New bridge over Gurley
- 285 Beautification & construction of a downtown plaza area
- 286 Gillette Reproductive Health
- 287 Downtown-Tourism
- 288 Main Street
- 289 Downtown Main Street/Tourism
- 290 Gillette Main Street
- 291 Replace aging museum building
- 292 New museum
- 293 Dredge Fishing Lake
- 294 Fund the Library for the children
- 295 Cleaning up trash

- 296 0 funds to field of lost dreams
- 297 Expanded Economic Development
- 298 Library Projects
- 299 Recycling-curb side (I'd be happy to pay)
- 300 Recycling like in the past
- 301 Jake brake law enforcement on Flying J exit (It is a City law). No extended parking of campers and boats on city streets.
- 302 Speeders on 4J (30 mph)
- 303 None
- 304 Swimming pool free for families- asap
- 305 Better upkeep of area parks
- 306 Upgrade existing paths that are old & cracked (ankle-turners)- we walk around the fishing lake and it is in need of repair. The big bridge boards are bad- squeak & rock and could catch a toe
- 307 Tank Traps & Barricades for when the Russian tanks invade
- 308 Better upkeep of area parks (Lion-Winland park)
- 309 Return funding to the library!
- 310 Antelope Valley
- 311 Put salt down on major intersections in the winter
- 312 Control Spending. No new projects, no new tax
- 313 Additional Railroad Overpass
- 314 Gurley Overpass Alternative
- 315 Transportation/Bus Services
- 316 PFLAG
- 317 City Mowing & Weed Control
- 318 Mowing down weeds and holding lot owners accountable
- 319 Clean out cattails in fishing lake
- 320 New Art Sculptures
- 321 Community Events
- 322 Add parking at Energy Capital Sports Complex
- 323 Mental Health
- 324 Support all the non-profits

- 325 Continue to improve park maintenance. Better maintain existing flower beds around Gillette
- 326 Complete Existing Projects
- 327 Business Development
- 328 Electrical & Natural Gas Infrastructure
- 329 Library
- 330 Library Funding
- 331 School Hardening
- 332 Assets, like rec. center, cam-plex, field of dreams
- 333 Youth Activities
- 334 Focus on needs and not wants

Q4 Which of the above projects should be the highest priority for Gillette?

Answered: 1,818 Skipped: 923



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Upgrade & Maintain City Streets	31.85%	579
Water & Sewer System Maintenance	8.97%	163
Storm Drainage Improvements	1.10%	20
Park Improvements	1.16%	21
Sidewalk & Bike Path Improvements	3.19%	58
Public Safety (Fire Department & Police Department)	35.26%	641
Outside/Social Service Agency Funding	4.35%	79
Beautification Projects	1.10%	20
Electrical & Fiber System Improvements	5.17%	94
Other (please specify)	7.87%	143
TOTAL		1,818

CAMPBELL COUNTY

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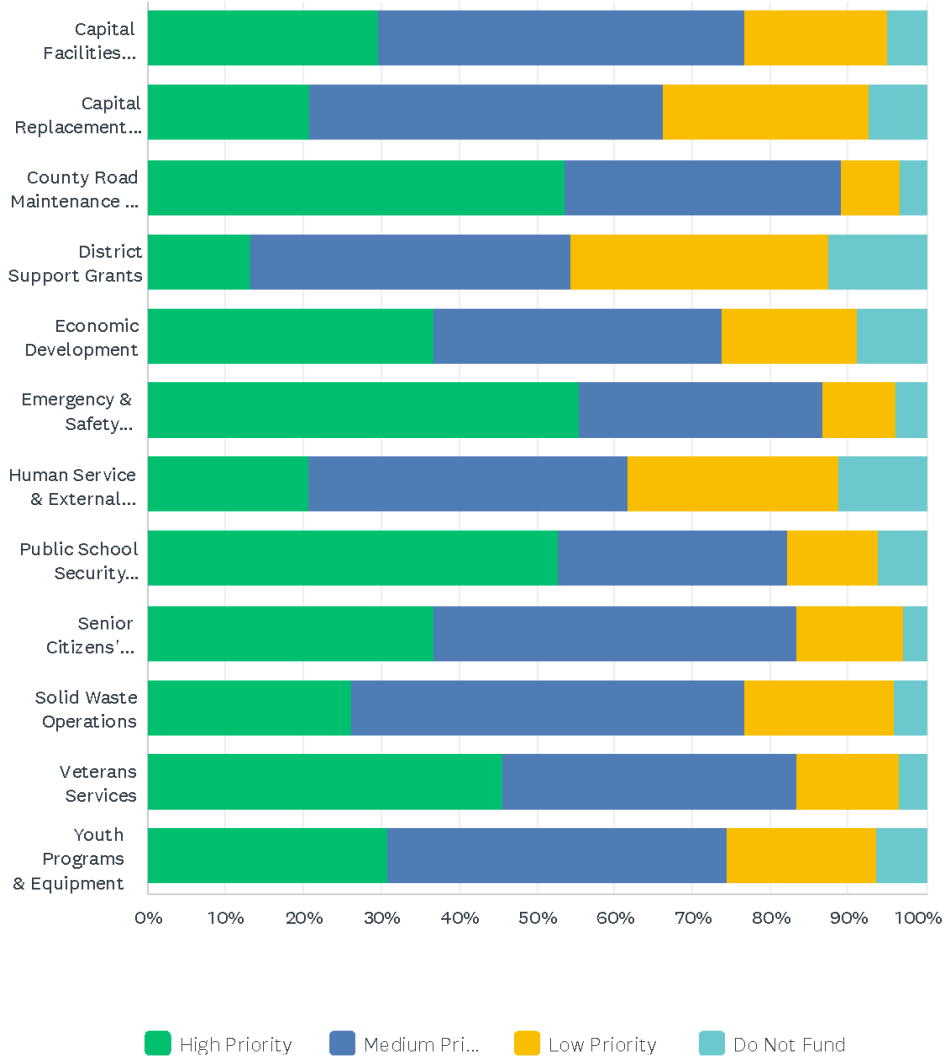
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Capital Facilities Maintenance & Repair	29.69% 741	47.08% 1,175	18.35% 458	4.89% 122	2,496	1.98
Capital Replacement Reserve	20.87% 512	45.45% 1,115	26.29% 645	7.38% 181	2,453	2.20
County Road Maintenance & Pavement Management	53.59% 1,382	35.60% 918	7.60% 196	3.22% 83	2,579	1.60
District Support Grants	13.32% 324	41.06% 999	33.09% 805	12.54% 305	2,433	2.45
Economic Development	36.88% 930	36.99% 933	17.41% 439	8.72% 220	2,522	1.98
Emergency & Safety Equipment	55.38% 1,416	31.33% 801	9.46% 242	3.83% 98	2,557	1.62
Human Service & External Service Providers	20.75% 512	40.98% 1,011	26.96% 665	11.31% 279	2,467	2.29
Public School Security Measures	52.74% 1,356	29.52% 759	11.55% 297	6.18% 159	2,571	1.71
Senior Citizens' Programs	36.78% 946	46.70% 1,201	13.61% 350	2.92% 75	2,572	1.83
Solid Waste Operations	26.22% 655	50.44% 1,260	19.30% 482	4.04% 101	2,498	2.01
Veterans Services	45.51% 1,166	38.02% 974	12.96% 332	3.51% 90	2,562	1.74
Youth Programs & Equipment	30.80% 782	43.64% 1,108	19.14% 486	6.42% 163	2,539	2.01

1% Sales Tax Survey 2022

Q5 Campbell County

Answered: 2,704 Skipped: 37



Additional Responses – out of 2,704 respondents, 327 suggested other priorities for the City to spend 1% sales tax funds on in the next four years.

- 1 County Library System
- 2 Pest control
- 3 School district bus garage
- 4 Maintain what we have
- 5 Complex facility repairs/upgrades
- 6 More swimming for public
- 7 Library
- 8 Crosswalk at Hwy 50 and Boxelder
- 9 Library
- 10 Cam-Plex
- 11 College. Maintain funds for library
- 12 Weed Control
- 13 New Courtroom! It's embarrassing that we received funding for a 4th judge and all other counties have made it happen
- 14 No salt on roads
- 15 Bike path 10 miles out on Echeta
- 16 Bike path 10 miles out on Echeta
- 17 Reserve Funds for a rainy day
- 18 Low-cost fiber internet
- 19 Listen to voters not commissioners
- 20 Mental Health
- 21 put some upgrades into the east pavilion
- 22 Help low-income seniors afford cost of living
- 23 Alternative Energy Development
- 24 Men's Senior Softball
- 25 Sheriff's Dept
- 26 Sheriff's Department
- 27 Law Enforcement

- 28 Public Safety-law enforcement/fire
- 29 Mental Health Availability
- 30 Bike paths/Sidewalk Repair
- 31 More baseball fields
- 32 WRC & Library
- 33 Law enforcement-white collar crime
- 34 Law enforcement; white collar crime
- 35 Noxious weed control
- 36 Library
- 37 Permanent bathrooms in parks
- 38 Cam-Plex Park improvements
- 39 Library
- 40 Library
- 41 Gillette College
- 42 ADA Services
- 43 Sports facilities for kids
- 44 Weather radar system
- 45 Industrial Park
- 46 Countywide Junkyard/Pak Rat tax for junkyarders
- 47 Improve power grid and cell phone service
- 48 Walk/bike path repairs in Wright
- 49 Cam-Plex as an economic engine
- 50 Library
- 51 Public Transportation
- 52 Economic Development w/Cam-Plex Better development & land use regulations
- 53 Library
- 54 Public Transportation/Mental Health/ addiction treatment
- 55 Aquatic Center
- 56 Public transportation/Mental health/addiction treatment
- 57 Handicap issues

- 58 Return 1% funding to the library
- 59 Carbon Capture/Use
- 60 Provide new home for gun range that is in north Gillette
- 61 Recycling/promoting less consumption
- 62 Human Services and External Services should include senior citizens, veterans and youth as well as other agencies like Library, Gillette Reproductive Health, Etc.
- 63 Mental Health & Addiction
- 64 Stoplight at Hwy 50 and Boxelder
- 65 Improve the neighborhoods
- 66 Parks/Recreation/Paths/Beautification
- 67 Infrastructure
- 68 Library
- 69 Library/Public Transportation
- 70 Rockpile Museum
- 71 Activity center for the handicapped
- 72 Sports Tourism
- 73 Pothole by Dollar Tree
- 74 Library/Women's Reproductive Health
- 75 Public Safety-Sheriff's Office
- 76 Maintenance of Cam-Plex
- 77 Maintenance of Cam-Plex
- 78 Gurley Bridge
- 79 New Aquatic Center
- 80 Potholes in shopping centers
- 81 Recycling education
- 82 Youth Rec in Wright
- 83 Weed and trash cleanup
- 84 Gillette College, Mental health services
- 85 Do not fund CLIMB Wyoming or GARF or Gillette College
- 86 No more statues of landscaping until every road is fixed

- 87 Pet safety
- 88 Finish the projects you have started
- 89 Campbell County Public Library
- 90 Clean Donkey Creek
- 91 Clear the weeds off the sidewalks
- 92 Shuttle to Wright for the public
- 93 Youth Programs in Wright
- 94 Library Youth Programs
- 95 Library
- 96 Rockpile Museum
- 97 Library
- 98 Gillette College & Sports
- 99 Library
- 100 Gillette College
- 101 Gillette Reproductive Health/Library Youth Services
- 102 Safety and mental health of citizens
- 103 Gillette Reproductive Health/Library Youth Fund
- 104 Gillette College
- 105 Sheriff's Department
- 106 Projects not covered by general tax funds
- 107 Save for bad times
- 108 Gurley Overpass
- 109 Regional water projects
- 110 Bicentennial ballfields repair
- 111 Bicentennial Ballfields repairs
- 112 Increase business and leisure tourism
- 113 Library
- 114 Clean Up Trash
- 115 Library
- 116 Library

- 117 Library
- 118 Library-Gillette Branch
- 119 Predator and skunk control/predatory animal board
- 120 Predator and skunk control/predatory animal board
- 121 Library and Women's Reproductive Health Services
- 122 Library
- 123 Library!
- 124 Library
- 125 Mental Health Services
- 126 Permanent bathrooms at all parks
- 127 County needs to handle money better
- 128 Return funds to the library for youth programs
- 129 Library funding for teens & children
- 130 Library
- 131 Library
- 132 Weed Control
- 133 Weatherization for senior citizens
- 134 Please restore funding for our youth section of the library
- 135 Keeping all taxes and fees low
- 136 Keep taxes low so people stay
- 137 Hire a management company to run Cam-Plex
- 138 Maintain and promote Cam-Plex
- 139 Library funding for teenage & children's programs
- 140 Reinstate library funding for teen and youth programs
- 141 Road safety through active patrol/ticketing
- 142 Library
- 143 Suicide Rate
- 144 Youth Services at the Library
- 145 Especially Gillette Reproductive Health & youth services at the Library
- 146 Plow "private roads" we pay taxes too (not private- number of houses on roads)

- 147 Tiny Homes Community for seniors & low income
- 148 Public Library/College
- 149 CC Public Library
- 150 Move gun club to County land north
- 151 Invest in people
- 152 Cam-Plex
- 153 Need signage on rural roads
- 154 Cam-Plex entertainment
- 155 Public Library
- 156 Public Library
- 157 More benches on bike paths
- 158 Law Enforcement & Fire Department- Teach safety and security
- 159 Pave more heavily trafficked roads
- 160 Stop Wasting Money
- 161 Install a sidewalk/ground path along south side of Echeta Road so kids & adults do not have to walk along the edge of the roadway- Both city & county are involved in this roadway
- 162 Motocross, ATV, and bike trails
- 163 Turn lane at Hwy. 59 and Wright Blvd.
- 164 Library
- 165 Senior Care- Rehab- Hospice
- 166 Senior Care and Rehab
- 167 Cut all non-profit requests to zero funding
- 168 Library
- 169 Restore Library Funds
- 170 Library Services
- 171 Reduce Spending
- 172 Lower Taxes
- 173 Public School Libraries!
- 174 Build public shooting range
- 175 Gillette College

- 176 Facilities maintenance Cam-Plex- There are a lot of problems out there
- 177 Sheriff department. handgun training isn't lethal force deadly? Guys trained properly don't injure!
- 178 Library
- 179 Children's Dept. at Library/Summer Reading
- 180 Library
- 181 Fund the Women's Resource Center and Library
- 182 Air Service
- 183 Library/Women's Reproductive Health
- 184 Library Programs
- 185 Public Safety
- 186 Library Grant Funding
- 187 CC Library
- 188 Winter snow removal
- 189 Get rid of junk cars & old trailer houses
- 190 Library
- 191 Rifle shooting range
- 192 Mental Health and substance abuse treatment center
- 193 Attract Industry
- 194 Law Enforcement
- 195 Provide Madison water to all the areas promised when you conned the county into supporting the project
- 196 Gillette College & CCPL
- 197 Youth Focus: Keep kids active & out of trouble
- 198 Road Maintenance- Patriot Ln and Hope Dr.- we pay taxes too!
- 199 Make the human services affordable to everyone who needs it
- 200 Take care of people on fixed income
- 201 Gillette College
- 202 Public Library
- 203 Public Library
- 204 Library Support

- 205 Maintain what is already built
- 206 Snow Removal
- 207 Library Youth Services
- 208 Public Library
- 209 Mental Health @ CCMH & Courts
- 210 Gillette College
- 211 A Weather Radar
- 212 Indoor Arena at Cam-Plex
- 213 Indoor Arena at Cam-Plex
- 214 Gun range in Wright, keep fishing pond better stocked, kill weeds
- 215 Public Library
- 216 Resurface Union Chapel Rd. east of Sleepy Hollow.
- 217 Union Chapel Rd.
- 218 Pave Buckskin all the way to Northern Dr.
- 219 Fund Camporee
- 220 Partnerships with Cam-Plex for tourism development
- 221 Continued support of Gillette College
- 222 Accountability for police shooting
- 223 Bridges & overpasses maintenance/repair
- 224 Library
- 225 Library
- 226 Library
- 227 Library
- 228 Library Funding
- 229 Water District Support
- 230 Library full funding
- 231 Clean up & work on Donkey Creek
- 232 Library
- 233 Library
- 234 Library

- 235 Library
- 236 Library
- 237 Cam-Plex Indoor Rodeo Arena
- 238 Don't want it used or denied as a punishment to show power
- 239 Make Hwy 59 a 4 lane Hwy all the way to county line, if not all the way to Douglas
- 240 Gillette Library
- 241 Library
- 242 Library
- 243 Return library funding
- 244 Beautification
- 245 Reproductive health and library youth programs & books
- 246 Library
- 247 Library
- 248 Youth Public Library programs
- 249 Complex/Library
- 250 Public Library
- 251 Library
- 252 Snow removal
- 253 Library; internet
- 254 Mental Health
- 255 Library, Gillette, and Wright branches
- 256 Campbell County Public Library
- 257 Campbell County Public Library
- 258 Fund rec center passes to include childcare
- 259 I am confused about school safety? Police do that? Grants to help? Everyone supports school safety.
- 260 Shooting range
- 261 Reestablish 1% money to the Gillette branch of the library
- 262 Library
- 263 Continue 1% fund library allocation

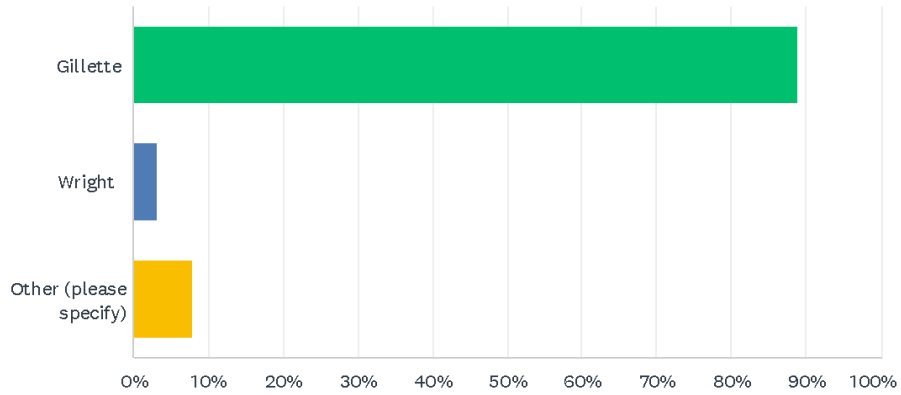
- 264 Suicide Prevention
- 265 Library
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- 269 Women's Reproductive Health
- 270 Suicide Prevention/Mental Health Resources
- 271 Library
- 272 Slow down the spending
- 273 More mowing county roads
- 274 Rockpile Museum Improvements
- 275 Cam-Plex
- 276 Tourism
- 277 Tourism
- 278 Tourism
- 279 Preventing overreach by local and fed government in schools. Children must be protected and educate above all. Teachers' hands are too tied.
- 280 Tourism
- 281 Sheriff's Dept.
- 282 Investing in teachers! Addressing low education levels.
- 283 Fund finishing the 18 holes at golf club. Have witnessed Bell Nob serving young kids through seniors. Time to quit serving kids only!
- 284 Work with CCH to use hospice house for expanding mental health availability
- 285 Support the library! Give them the funds.
- 286 Hospice
- 287 Trash pick-up
- 288 Law Enforcement
- 289 Zero funds to rec center
- 290 Recycling-curbide (I'd be happy to pay)
- 291 Recycling
- 292 Jake brake law enforcement on I90 around Flying J exit. It is a City ordinance.

- 293 EAS Regional Airport
- 294 Speeders on 4J-30mph
- 295 Public Library
- 296 More Senior Citizen Housing Programs
- 297 Get rid of 1% tax
- 298 Finish Gillette Golf Course 18 holes.
- 299 Mental health services
- 300 No more field of dreams. Enough is enough.
- 301 Support the library
- 302 Same as above but add missiles
- 303 Support the public library
- 304 Return funding to the library!
- 305 Library
- 306 Library
- 307 Gillette College
- 308 Library Funding
- 309 Library Funding
- 310 Complex Indoor Facility
- 311 Transportation/Bus Services
- 312 Bring clean industry other than coal & oil
- 313 Campbell County Library Youth Services
- 314 Library Youth Services & Gillette Reproductive Health
- 315 Campbell County Libraries
- 316 Support all the non-profits
- 317 Gillette Main Street fix curbs and planters
- 318 Business Development
- 319 Electrical & Natural Gas Infrastructure
- 320 Library
- 321 Library Funding
- 322 School Hardening

- 323 Restore Library Funding**
- 324 Focus on needs and not wants**
- 325 Assist non-county but public roads WY tax-paying residents with occasional road equipment**
- 326 Gillette College**
- 327 Mental Health**

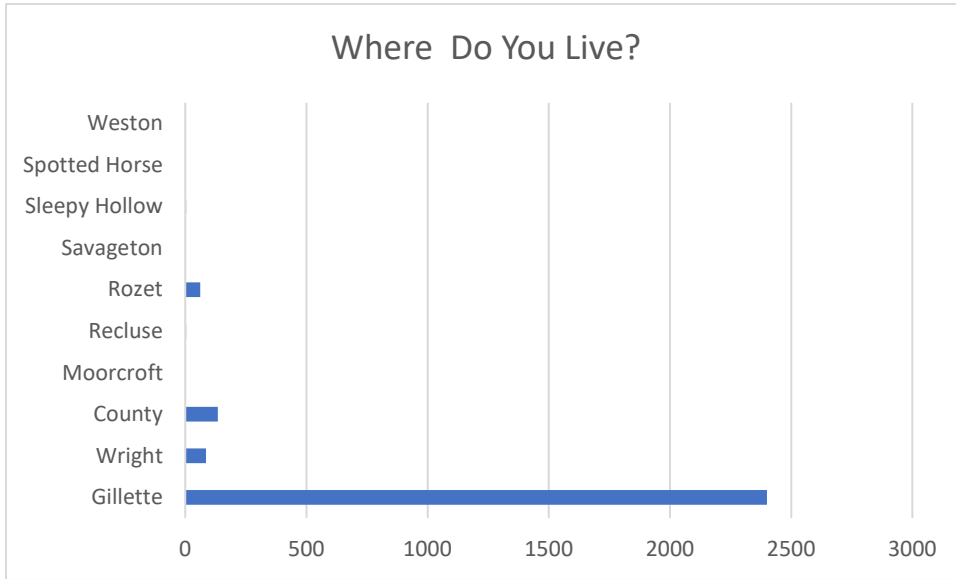
Q7 Where do you live?

Answered: 2,699 Skipped: 42



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Gillette	88.88%	2,399
Wright	3.19%	86
Other (please specify)	7.93%	214
TOTAL		2,699

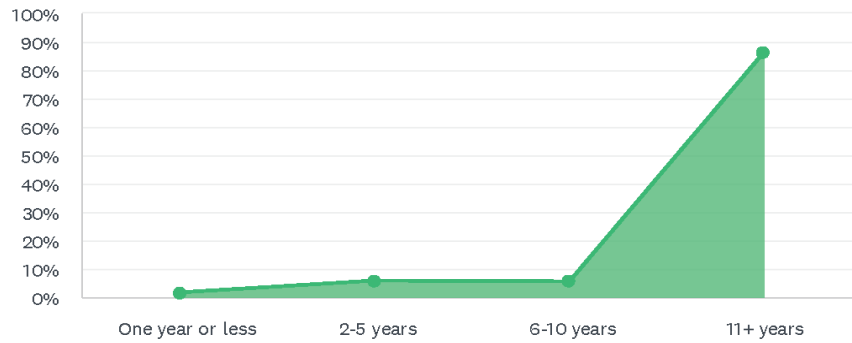
“Other”:



98% of respondents answered the question “Where do you live?”.

Q8 How long have you lived in Campbell County?

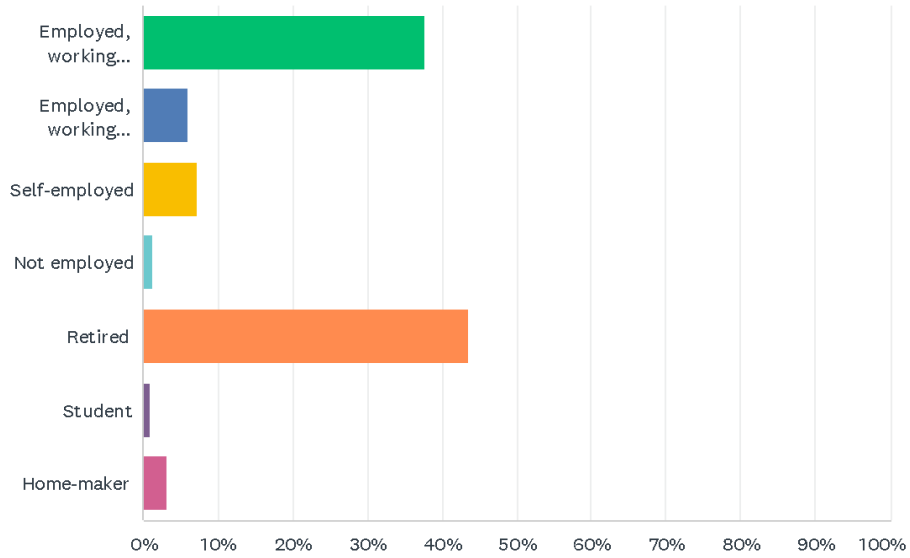
Answered: 2,708 Skipped: 33



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
One year or less	1.81%	49
2-5 years	5.98%	162
6-10 years	5.69%	154
11+ years	86.52%	2,343
TOTAL		2,708

Q10 What is your current employment status?

Answered: 2,645 Skipped: 96



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Employed, working full-time	37.81%	1,000
Employed, working part-time	6.01%	159
Self-employed	7.26%	192
Not employed	1.32%	35
Retired	43.59%	1,153
Student	0.83%	22
Home-maker	3.18%	84
TOTAL		2,645

CAMPLEX

Stop adding on to the Cam-Plex

Cam-Plex Central and East Pavilions need major work

I feel we are spending too much on Field of Dreams for 3-month (summer) use. Events at Cam-Plex should not require new facilities for a group to come. We've all had to put off our own projects for now, but I don't think you see a full picture of the taxpayers.

Campbell County has a lot of nice stuff. I think we need to maintain what we have and supplement other mandatory projects to fund them without raising taxes. That is how I would use the penny tax.

Finish the Field of Dreams Baseball Park/Cam-Plex.

Seems too much spent on beautification. Need to improve rodeo and maintain rodeo grounds and a covered arena.

This town is starved of entertainment. Please hire a management company to run Cam-Plex so it can be used to its fullest.

No more wasteful spending at Cam-Plex until the facility can support itself. Replace Aquatic Center pool

Support of Powder River Symphony. Need good upkeep at Cam-Plex but lower costs to schools & community agencies that can't afford to use it

59 looks great, 4J or Enzi Dr. is looking pretty sad and, yes, it is in progress. Make sure everybody keeps their lots cleaned up and weeds mowed down. Get honest hard-working people at Cam-Plex.

People that run Cam-Plex are terrible people. They treat employees bad! The drugs in town are bad and youth need more knowledge about drugs.

CITY

I think the city should have committed to a larger outdoor swimming pool. The area where it's at now is a small space. Gillette has grown so much since that one was put in. I'm disappointed that they didn't choose a larger location, say by the Rec C

Gillette's lack of snow removal is dangerous, and the amount of money in "pretty Projects" is wasteful.

Your "suggested" projects skews the data to projects the City wants to use the money for rather than what the people want.

West 4J was a total waste of money! The City Parks office is a joke.

Have the City purchase value, not cheapest equipment.

The city posts warnings about water, grass & weeds too high and sidewalks that aren't shoveled, but don't crack down on their own rules- year after year and too many barking dogs that irresponsible owners and surveys that are worthless and people that vote the wrong people into office (hint: L. Carter)

Over 5 years ago the street and curb were sinking & I showed City employees. 3 months ago, the city marked it for repair, but nothing has been done.

For City of Gillette items b & c. The Remington neighborhood off Southern Drive has very poor drainage which creates a floodplain in the roadway on Glock Ave.

The current department heads of the City of Gillette lack planning. They have great idealist plans but lack the vision to follow through. Ex: Roses (90) purchased in April and some not planted as of Aug 5, 2022. This is a gross waste of taxpayer money!

I keep waiting for a natural disaster to take out our "historical Downtown" so we might build newer houses that aren't complete garbage eyesores. Maybe the City should incentivize not looking like trash.

I think the City does a stand-up job on taking care of our green belts and parks, and snow removal. Think you get carried away with deicer. Just do emergency routes and intersections.

The City of Gillette still wastes a lot of money on planting trees & grass in stupid areas (i.e., 4J Road off Sutherland) that wastes water & manpower to establish and maintain, plus will cause a view obstruction to cars when the trees planted close to the road are bigger. The City needs to adopt xeriscape practices that are attractive and less maintenance. The grass areas either end up burning up in the summer heat or weed-ridden. The City has no common sense - we live in an arid area! AZ and NV have beautiful hardscapes that are practical and low maintenance.

Need better bipartisan cooperation. More worried about your political party than the citizens of Gillette and Campbell County.

1) Add term limits (2) to City Council and County Commissioners. 2) Add qualification requirements for all elected officials such as degrees & prior service on boards or committees. 3) Commissioners, please stop micromanaging the library. They are paid professionals and know a lot more than you do! 4) Don't assume everyone has the same religious views as you do.

City: I think the city should have committed to a larger outdoor swimming pool. The area where it's at now is a small space. Gillette has grown so much since that one was put in. I'm disappointed that they didn't choose a larger location, say by the Rec Center or Field of Dreams, that could've offered more to swimmers and more people being able to swim. If Buffalo can have a nice large outside pool and Spearfish has an actual water park... why couldn't we have something comparable? We didn't need more soccer or baseball fields... but a bigger outside would be nice.

County: 1. Our Rec Center is wonderful, used by so many people. I would like to see the Rec Center expand and include an indoor play area. In the wintertime there's not much available to young kids or people who don't like to swim. So, I think a really cool inside play area would be good.

2) I'm very disappointed by the county commissioners who turned their backs on the library. They were wrong to give in to a small, loud, bully mentality group of people. It should've never have gotten as far as it has! There is a procedure in place at the library and that's all that needed to be done. In our world where so many of our freedoms are being limited- why limit the freedom of reading!? Regardless of the subject matter. No one is forcing anyone to read ANY book they don't agree with. They have lied about the library, made false accusations about the staff, made the library seem like the porn capital of Gillette. Unbelievable that you all did not stand up for the library!! Also, for you all who think you know everything about the library... sit down and listen!! If you have never worked there... you don't know ANYTHING and you sound like a fool.

COUNTY

I've voted for the one cent tax since its beginning. But this last year the County Commissioners were very disappointing. Holding money from a health group who help the poorer section of people and the library.

Need to focus on the "right thing to do", not just Del Shelstad and Colleen Faber's opinions!! Be careful or this will end.

Please address urban sprawl/ranchettes with little to no good infrastructure, it is not good for the County in the long run. Let's have quality growth!

Campbell County Commissioners have personal issues that need to stay out of decision making- You represent all CC residents.

Stop allowing 1 or 2 of the Commissioners to handpick projects for their personal gain. Quit the angry politics. I am a Republican, by the way.

Please do not use the 1% tax as a punitive measure. I'm horrified that some commissioners used their personal biases to punish us all.

I truly believe in this tax and what it does for this community. But since the county has used it twice to punish organizations, they "morally" disagree with without the voter input, I am not sure I can support it anymore.

Commissioner Rusty Bell and any others who used taxpayer funds for alcohol and expensive meals should be required to pay the citizens of Campbell County back. No elected officials should be eating on the taxpayer's dime.

I feel the City does a good job of maintaining and serving the citizens of both entities. The County gets more money and is responsible for everything outside the City. They suck at managing their assets, providing support to their employees, and the services they provide (or should).

Where is the fiscal conservatism the commissioners claim? Coroner should not be an elected position at \$100,000 salary. County clerk should not be an elected position at \$100,000 salary. County assessor should not be an elected position at \$100,000 salary.

County has plenty of reserves. Spend the money on people!

I would like the county commissioners to not use this tax to force their way on the county. Freedom of speech for everyone-not just the commissioners.

It is shameful that our county commissioners are using funding as a punitive measure!

I think (wish) the County Commissioners could leave their personal agendas at home and work for all of Campbell County, not just a select few.

The County Commissioners should not let their personal beliefs interfere with granting requests from non-profit organizations. They are elected by the citizens and represent the citizens.

I have always voted for the 1% optional tax. I won't vote for it again until Shelstad and Faber are out of office and sanity returns.

Thanks to local bigots Del Shelstad and Colleen Faber, who decided to weaponize this funding, these much-needed funds might disappear. Shame on them!

Penny Power lost my vote because of our TERRIBLE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS. They don't care what the citizens want anyway!!

County Commissioners are very poor at keeping our county roads maintained. Our taxes increase, but our county roads suffer. Not happy with our County Commissioners or the County workers!

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

We are already good in most areas but need to be looking forward for economic development. The current director has done more harm than good and caused the public to not support ECED. Get someone in that position who is not a liberal.

The city and county take good care of the people of Campbell County. All of City of Gillette suggested projects are important. All tie into economic development because without good streets, infrastructure & beautification projects we can't have effective economic development

I would suggest economic development, but it only props up coal - nothing new. We should also figure out how to use less water!

How many millions do we have to throw away before you figure out economic development is a waste of money,

We need to work towards other sources of income. Coal is on the wane.

Our current economic development efforts are SAD! They are focused on energy related businesses only- we need to diversify.

We better figure out more business opportunity because energy is not going to cut it much longer.

The 1% sales tax usage is critical for the continued growth and safety of our communities. Economic development is extremely important for us to survive. A massive obstacle is the perception of potential businesses that Gillette/Campbell County does not accept personal/social diversity. Because of a small, but vocal and highly bigoted group of people (AKA Gillette Taliban) Gillette has a regional reputation of not being safe for LGBTQ+ individuals, nor does the community tolerate religious diversity. It is vital that this perception change quickly for Gillette/Campbell County to attract economic diversity.

We need to focus "above all" on Economic Development!! Energy has been great for Gillette & CC, but we need diversity.

I stress importance of Economic Development. Projects like the Pronghorn Industrial Park. Coal will not be our bread and butter forever no matter if a Democrat or Republican is in the White House. Money needs to go towards preventing Gillette & CC from becoming a ghost town and county. The State waited too long with its head in the sand.

Both city and county should fund economic development or won't have any 1% to talk about.

We need more effective economic development.

Energy has been great for Gillette & Campbell County, but we need some diversity and economic development

Our economic development group has a great budget but very little success in attracting new businesses and companies into Campbell County and Gillette I believe it is far past time for new leadership ideas,

goals, direction, standards, and progress in our economic development. We are desperate for new innovative companies, but we do not have the personnel who can make that happen.

Economic development should be a top priority for all agencies! So far this agency hasn't produced any new businesses. Look at surrounding cities and look what they are doing. Where is the performance evaluation of our current economic development? Should be no performance, no job. Also ordinances should be put in place for landowners to clean up their property, especially those living on a main highway or next to the interstate. Clean up or be fined. Putting a tax on all inoperable vehicles on their property would take care of the problem.

I think economic development with a welcoming nature geared to our younger people is key to our community, With that in mind, funding Gillette Reproductive Health is smart as it does sliding fee scale and is non-judgmental unlike the old guard in our City, Also defunding GRH hurts other nonprofits.

Don't give our economic development people/organization any funding. They haven't brought anything in a long time.

Tourism is the #2 industry in the state. It is low hanging fruit as far as economic development. We need a quality visitor's center.

We need to diversify our economy. Start offering companies incentives to locate here. (Like Weatherby in Sheridan).

Coal & oil can take care of itself. Clean energy with coal & oil has & will make Campbell County & Gillette prosper. Working against either will only hinder progress!

Youth activities and economic development, we need to diversify this community to sustain a living

Our community is awesome, but we need more jobs brought in that can support families. Our young people still leave. All 3 entities should work together on this if not already.

Wish the City could lure businesses with good paying jobs not connected to the coal mine industry. Some way to diversify the workforce of the population.

We need more retail & restaurants. More things for people to do. It would keep sales tax dollars here instead of going to Rapid, Billings, or Casper.

We need to maintain the buildings we have, rather than constantly rebuilding. And we need to bring in some greater economic diversity.

It's amazing what Phil C. has NOT done for economic development in the county and continues to stay on the payroll. He should be promoting industry in CC. Also, the four commissioners that voted to take away 1% from CC Public Library reacted off a Facebook post and hearsay. The one thing that has been lost in all the bullying and injustice is the simple fact that the CC Public Library is just that. Public. It's not a school library or a Christian bookstore. It is a public library. You have a very small loud group of citizens displeased because they aren't the books they want. Commissioners, this is catering to a miniscule group, not the other 50,000 residents of Campbell County.

FUNDS MANAGEMENT

Spend only what is necessary

No more taxes - use what we have

Better management of available funds!

I feel the monies should not be spent on items or departments that are already over funded & just waste their funds- Buy what's needed not wanted

College, public safety, & mental health- Some of the items on the list should be funded with general fund. 1% should be more a list of discretionary funds

Too much money spent in the City- County needs more attention!

We need to maintain & keep stuff we already have maintained. Quit building new & maintain what we have. Tax base is going to be lower.

Money needs to be out to good use and not wasted on stuff like softball park, ice hockey, etc.

Hate to see our money wasted on crap like softball park, ice hockey, etc.

Save money for the future

Seems to me that these types of projects should be supported before the 1% sales tax automatically and the 1% sales tax should be used for beautification and public area improvements. (Referring to street maintenance, water/sewer system improvements, public safety, and electrical/fiber system improvements)

I'll be real, the main budget needs to be addressing infrastructure issues. Disappointing to see the additional 1% has to be used to address this. There is a lot of misallocations of funds in this county. The Rec Center is something, however, I feel was money well spent.

Please fund more projects in Wright!

Remember, if we build it, we need to budget the funds ongoing for operational and maintenance costs.

All of these things should be covered in the operating budget. We should not be taxed for them. I can't ask for more money if I can't work in my budget.

The 1% tax is heavily misused. Money is spent on things that never get brought to the public's attention and voted on. The corruption is shameful. QUIT WASTING TAXPAYER MONEY!

This is an "optional" sales tax: roads, buildings, water treatment, and all major City and County government should be addressed in their annual budgets.

Stop wasting money on stupid statues. Money can be spent on more important things!

We pay taxes for roads, bridges, sidewalks, storm drains, public safety, police & fire dept., and electrical improvements. 1% was supposed to be used for the extra projects.

I do not think the City and County should even ask for 1% but work within the budgets they already have.

Don't waste those hard-earned pennies.

Spend the money wisely and on projects that apply to all citizens of Gillette and not just a few.

Gillette needs to live within their budgets.

The money should be used outside of General Fund

These items should already be budgeted

When I marked various priorities, it's not that I don't think these are important. My concern is that if they are priority, they should be budgeted items, no dependent on "what if" of optional 1%.

Teach people how to work and expect them to. Take care of what you already have. Curb spending on pet projects of councilmen and commissioners.

I just hope this county's government will realize they need to spend conservatively, not spend \$62 million on a wasteful hospital expert. What stupidity and waste of millions.

Do not want the 1% to be a slush fund

Please save for a rainy day. Think inflation.

Better management of the current tax dollars we have.

Tighten the financial aspect of government

Gillette & Campbell County need to focus on core responsibilities and start cutting non-essentials. Flowers along the streets are not essential!!

Take control of spending on useless projects

Spend wisely and maintain what we have

The one percent tax is extra monies and should never be used to support essential facilities, cops/firefighters/solid waste/street improvements. These things should be budgeted in a way that provides CC citizens with all foreseeable needs. Therefore, placing extra money in these departments creates budgeted overspending.

Quit spending and save some money. Quit taxing and spending everyone into the poor house. Remove crooks from government.

Gillette is a great city. We need to spend wisely. It is great all the facilities we have in this town. One day in the future all the revenue won't be here. Let's be smart.

The higher priority should be things that the other 4% don't already cover.

Focus on what is here for some time. Repair and replace if needed. Stop making new. Help subdivisions get caught up and in compliance. Thank you.

If all those "projects" listed on the survey cannot be funded by Campbell County's assessed value, those who are appointed to distribute those assessed tax monies should step aside and resign their positions for total mismanagement of said taxpayers' monies.

STOP building new recreational facilities and Start maintaining the facilities, parks, and assets we have!

Live within current standard budget

These funds should be used for projects and services that the regular budgets cannot pay, not as offsets for money market spending or other such investments

Gillette DOES NOT need any more "Field of Dreams" type projects at this time. Focus on community NEEDS not fun time, money pit projects.

We are not far from needing to decide which buildings to maintain or close. Quit building more and make fees cover costs for use of buildings.

I have always appreciated penny power; however, it seems that the beautification projects are wasting a lot of money. In the current economy we should be looking at ways to save, not to extraneous things like beautification.

It is my understanding that the Penny Power tax is to be used for sidewalks and beautification projects. In my opinion, it should never be used to fund what our state taxes should already be paying for. If the police, fire, and EMS services need life-saving equipment (not salaries, vehicles, or fuel expenses), then exceptions should be made, as this would benefit our communities. Whatever the 1% is spent on, it should go towards improvements that benefit the greater good, not a select few! We already pay property, school, and sales tax which should fund capital, maintenance, and school needs, and the City already raised fees this year to fund water and wastewater improvements. Perhaps the Town, City, and County should conserve their financial resources instead of supporting their frivolous spending habits, especially since coal, oil, and gas revenues will no longer be as plentiful.

Look long term, save money while things are good, so we have reserves when things go south.

The 1% program is a big joke. Our city and county have plenty of money. Our money was spent on projects that did not help all of Gillette. This was to beautify the rich part of town only. So just keep spending like a bunch of drunken sailors.

Most programs mentioned should be amply funded by federal & state monies. 1% funds should go to support quality programs for children, seniors & vets.

This tax, though optional, has become an expected source of revenue to our county & cities. No what was intended! It seems that \$ are being used on things that are things we would have had to spend on regardless of the tax. Not very "optional" in my view.

This survey means nothing as the city council and county will continue to use the funds as their own slush fund for their own desires and NOT what this was originally voted into use for by taxpayers.

Most of these city projects should be already covered in the general budget and not funded by the 1%

The 1% tax should be used to fund optional projects. While some of it could be set aside for an emergency fund this should not be the primary source of funding for necessities.

Take care of the basics first, then do the parks, beautification, and the items we love to have with anything extra.

We need to maintain what we currently have and keep public security at the highest - fire, police, etc.

I came from a state where we didn't have the services or the ability to replace equipment, building, and assets easily. I feel that it has become a habit in this community and state that instead of keeping up with repairs, just build new. That attitude needs to change.

Instead of adding taxes, efforts need to be made to be fiscally responsible at all levels of government. Let me see your budgets and I'll find exactly the same amount of money available that this tax "generates".

Governments need to focus on primary responsibilities and lower taxes instead of creating more overhead that will require future dollars to maintain. The tax revenue will be steadily decreasing, time to prepare.

None of this should be funded by 1%. That's what all the other taxes I pay are for.

I do not want to contribute penny power to things my taxes already fund such as street repairs & maintenance. City utilities and other costs have already been raised. We do not need money wasted on unnecessary bull.

Quit spending money where it is not a priority. We already pay taxes for most of the things on the list.

Would like a better understanding of why emergency services are funded through penny tax and not fully funded by the three entities.

Most of these items should be budgeted for from the general fund. Government is too big in Campbell County

This money needs to be spent on "needs" not "wants". Gillette & Campbell County doesn't need the newest & best of everything. Now is the time to look at fixing what is really broke.

Coal, oil & gas will be voted away by young people across America, so cut back on city & county spending. Eventually, when young people are freezing in the dark, they'll want it back, but until then, watch the spending!

Divide funds better between Gillette & Wright

Spend this money ONLY for which it was intended, and not anything else!

For the most part I like the 1% tax to fund projects; however, I do not agree with using 1% tax money for beautification projects. To me it's a waste of taxpayer money.

Please live within your budget like the rest of your constituency has to.

Quit trying to spend all the money and start cutting back on expenses.

I feel that if the 1% passes, it should be for programs over and above regular tax funded items such as road maintenance, sewer, drainage, fire, etc.

We need to cut costs and save big time. Depending on election results our primary economy might dive. Please start saving money into an investment fund! Norway does this with their oil & gas money.

That is a stupid question "what do you identify as", you are voting age if you don't know by now you shouldn't even vote, Watch the wasteful spending it must be nice when your government is able to have a bottomless budget.

It seems to me that some of the suggested projects should be funded out of our taxes. One cent projects should be "extras". Why in the world does one's gender matter??

Maintenance of streets and facilities should be out of the general fund not optional funding. College and our local library should be funded!

How did the county survive without the extra 1 penny additional tax? Make the county do their jobs within a budget. No more 1 penny

Gurley Bridge should be of very high importance also. Also, correct me if I'm wrong, but aren't there other funds for most of these projects? We can't take any more taxes!

GENDER/DEMOGRAPHIC QUESTIONS

Let's keep things simple. Male or female. There's no reason to include any other options.

Stop with the identity politics- has no place in this survey

I can't believe you are asking this question IDENTIFY. Really? There is only male or female. This questions disgust me. Here in WY really?

Can't believe you ask what gender you identify as!! And what do these personal questions have to do with the 1% tax??

Your about you questions should not be asked!

Don't go woke! It's stupid.

Gender identify-really?

My demographics have nothing to do with how I feel the 1% should be used.

Whose bright idea was it to ask the gender question? I fail to see the need for it on this survey.

Seriously, someone thought that "what gender do you identify as" had to be on this survey? Get real!

Don't go woke!

Your gender question needs changed! I find your question offensive as do the majority of people. Start catering to the majority!

Since when did we become a "woke" county and give people the false idea that they can choose what gender they want to be. We are born 1 of 2 genders, and that's that!

There better not be money going to support this crazy identity crisis other than support for needed mental health services.

Do not support woke, LGBTQ transgenderism of any forms. This immoral crap is destroying us.

This type of question is why any residents have a poor opinion of the 1% sales tax. The question should be "are you male or female?"

Gillette is better at building things than maintaining them, look at bicentennial park. Please do not use woke verbiage. Gillette is not woke. Gender= prefer not to answer is adequate

Why do we even ask the question of "what do we identify as". If you are voting age you should know by now. Just try to be smart with the money watch the waste.

Why did you ask what gender? We are all male or female!

The question above about how you identify is BS!! You are either a man or woman! Don't push your woke ideology on the public!!

Why is it imperative for about me questions? What matters most is who lives here and not my background for you to judge!

I prefer not to include my personal data.

Read the Bible. God made man & woman. I do not like the question that I crossed out. Wake up! (person crossed out the gender question)

I thought this was a legit survey until the gender question. If this is what we are worried about I stop supporting the 1% tax

You're falling for the gender BS?

Most of your personal questions are not related to spending priorities. IE... none of your business!

Lose the gender question bull

You should include in the "education" apprenticeship in a craft & trade. Also schooling in all trades.

Gender question is too woke

Stop with being woke- what gender do you identify as? This is stupid gender identity politics- STOP IT NOW

As to gender identity, it is established at birth. The chromosomes we have determine our identity. This is biological fact. No discussion needed.

GENERAL

Please fund the fire department more!

You know not everyone was able to obtain a college degree and have enough money to live on these days. I think you need to help seniors with low income pay their utilities or other help

All good projects, but some need more help than others.

I worked in my own surveying business where I employed up to 20 people until I was 78 years old and would go back to work today if someone would hire me. Most people that don't know me think I'm much younger.

Please continue to improve coordination of services & communication with other important organizations (CCH, GC)

You might have better success if this was available online to complete.

Some projects can be funded and carried out by service organizations, rather than taxpayer money. Also, the tax could only be half-cent, cutting the tax in half.

All issues that help children get a good education is a high priority. Also, take good care of our poor, elderly, handicapped Veterans living in our County!

Need help with dog control and dogs barking at night

Dog control and dogs barking at night

Donkey Creek, Fishing Lake, Burlington Pond, and Keyhole Lake are all toxic waters along with other Wyoming waters.

Hwy 51 and Potter Ave. need to be mowed more often

Money to hire workers to maintain all the County & City beautification projects - weeds ruin the look!

If this community doesn't get POWERFULLY involved in carbon capture and use none of this will matter. We will become what we were in the 60's! And now is the time! Build a space port. Put in a small thorium reactor. Import 30k people. Don't let Gillette be a carnival attraction for a favored few, 100k pop by 2030!

Go Trump!

Can you give a small description on what some of the suggestions entail? I really wasn't sure, but they all seem important!

Would like to see more youth services to keep kids out of trouble and more services for Vets.

We need to focus more on school security. It's not a matter of if the unthinkable happens, but when the unthinkable happens. It's a matter of time.

The citizens need to know what the City made from big events like NHSFR/Camporee/RV rallies. The net/net of sales tax, what they actually brought to the people not just vendors.

Your survey projects need to be more specific. General statements are too vague. Stop spending money on "ice slicer" when sand/gravel have worked in this area for years. Other than good roads in winter, school security is the MOST important thing to spend money on.

Please publish results!

It would be amazing if Republican leadership on a Federal level would visit Gillette/Wright/Campbell County. President Trump for example!

We need to come up with teen programs. Our teenagers have nothing to do in this town. We wonder why there is so much underage drinking and drug use. You send out a survey and make the town pay for postage!

I believe maintenance is a high priority in all things and very important!

Provide "grants" via 1% to help residents remove dead trees or branches from property that they can't afford to do by themselves. Relocate the Gillette Gun Club. Give the citizens of the North side of town a break from the noise. Time to focus on the North side of town before it turns into a low-income industrial park.

Having manholes in the bottom of drainage ditches needs to be better engineered so our homes don't vapo lock and back up with sewage.

Set a collection goal. When that goal is met, suspend the tax.

Anything but sports. Try providing for the gifted kids. There is too much emphasis on sports and not enough on science.

Animal control officers could use portable chip scanners in their vehicles. They may be expensive but can save money in the long run.

Focus on maintaining what exists. Stop building new buildings etc. where existing will work even if rented from the private sector.

School security should be everyone's priority. Business friendly community, all penny tax should hire qualified local companies only!

Faster internet!

Please charge for the city pool

Why do we always have to hire consultants to do projects? What do the people do that are hired?

If minerals tax revenue is cut in half, how long could Gillette or Campbell County operate?

Need low-income housing for single mothers with kids. Mothers working for minimum wage!

Kids extra-curricular activities should not be a priority. Their education should be top priority.

I feel road maintenance, public safety, Senior Citizens, Veteran's, and safety measures in our schools are of top priority.

Need a recreational area for rafts/beach/picnic area. A small lake or reservoir with no fishing and no lifeguards needed.

Why can't you provide a postage paid return envelope?

Wish you would define projects, so we know what we are voting for. Some I had to guess at what you were referring to.

Implement a sound ordinance in Gillette and force Thunder Basin High to turn the volume down during football games. It's absolutely ridiculous.

"Parks and activities for kids

public school safety, electives in high school, small class sizes, increase teacher pay"

Use the money for what it was originally for when first voted in.

Lower the water and sewer rates. They are ridiculously high.

we need a rifle shooting range for Gillette. The local rifle range is the worst I have ever seen. This is disgraceful. We are the most armed people in the U.S. We need a good range.

Make it accessible for everyone who wants help, be it financial, educational, employment, etc. Do this for citizens who want to improve their lives and become self-sufficient, not live off taxpayers!

Fund a weather radar station to give us better weather info

Trigger quick police need to be held accountable. Need "things to do" other than the Cam-Plex. Love Gillette

It is time to codify this tax and make it permanent. We have watched a group of unscrupulous individuals use it for extortion.

Youth services, women, and vet program should all be equally important and should not have to be chosen between. The right to clean water systems should also be an absolute right and not something one has to beg/vote for. Thank you.

Fund rec center passes to include childcare.

Do something to lower utility costs!

A brief description of what the projects involve would be helpful.

Way North Tanner has a junk yard?

Expand on the assets we have. Camplex-Innovation Center-Coal Technology. Make Gillette a convention destination.

Keep better care of what we already have. Move the "welcome to Gillette" letters that are down in the grass and snow up so they can be seen.

Do not fund critical race theory

I would like to see Cam-Plex recycling cans and plastic again as well as all City & County entities. Please investigate who benefits from Penny Power. The Library has sent "like new" books to the landfill because it's gotten a surplus because of PPP. The public should always have access to a record of who, and how much, is being benefitted. I believe if waste and spending is cut the need for Penny Power would go down.

Tourism is important but we need a visitor's center

It would be very much appreciated to have published info i.e., News Record about some of the listed issue. The items listed on the accompanying flyer was good but more detailed info would not hurt.

The City of Gillette pays for the SRO in our schools. The school district needs to help with the cost of these officers and invest more of THEIR dollars in school safety & security. Our district spends & receives enough money to do this

Some nonprofit recipients of grant money are not what they claim to be. These need to be vetted thoroughly before grants are given.

We need to be focusing on building healthy relationships with the community more than new buildings, parks, or beautification projects. Economic recovery from the impact that covid has produced on our community, should be a priority. Transformative infrastructure starts with focusing on what's right for all.

1% tax monies should go to capital improvement and never to operations or full-time employees

"Support Law Enforcement

Never Become a Sanctuary City

One Nation Under God"

How would we be affected if we went to half a cent for a year or two during these tougher times?

More details would be beneficial. Is postage too costly to include with the survey? Clarify what beautification projects are. Does Human Service refer to Non-Profits? What is meant by school security measures? Aren't youth programs in the county budget or does the 1% pay for them? How are outside/social service agency funding and human service & external service providers different? Parks improvements-maintenance or added improvements? I am strongly in favor of maintaining what we have, not building more i.e., the Field of Dreams. I would like to see the Gillette Golf Course 18 holes finished. It is used by young and old alike. We need more projects that benefit all age groups. Obviously, streets

& sewer projects benefit all. Clarification on the topics you are seeking input on is important for future surveys.

Please do not support Gillette College.

Do not start any major projects without giving the people a say or vote.

We need to maintain what we have and save money for the rainy days approaching!

Respect all areas of town- less on downtown more on older sections/areas in Gillette

Do not waste the 1% on another sports field. We need to maintain the facilities we have, Cam-Plex is going to fall apart and is always dirty

Joe Biden needs to be replaced ASAP or impeached for ruining this country! He's pathetic!

Listen to the people

I don't think Gillette College should get funding so they can have a sports program. Money should go to education only.

Fund our public library & enforce gun control to protect our kids!

Rather than increase my water bill to pay for the free pool, if you can't charge a quarter for pool use, use 1% funds here. Help for our senior citizens who have to choose between food, medicine, and utilities, Help older members of our community with food insecurity.

It would be great to have the city pool by the splash pad. Wright could use a simple airport, landing strip with some hangars.

We need to provide skills to the young people to improve the workforce. We need to bring back the trade programs and start improving teamwork and leadership. Common sense does not require a degree and a degree does not mean they have work ethic or display responsibility.

INFRASTRUCTURE

Pay for the sewer plant

Drainage at Hwy 59 and Komatsu

Fix drainage at S. Hwy 59 and Komatsu

Use more 1% for water, sewer, power, roads & bridges. Less reliance on 1% for general maintenance and operations. No 1% on capital reserves or law enforcement/fire.

Spend the 1% funds on immediate capital projects, water/sewer, and streets. Do not set aside 1% dollars in future, capital replacement reserves. If we want to save tax dollars, we would put it in our own savings accounts.

Quit using money on special interest & areas of new subdivisions. Use the money for infrastructure as it was intended. Not for every single group that has their hand out.

Penny Power should not be used for infrastructure maintenance and repairs.

Please spend money on fiber system improvement!

I believe the tax should only be used for infrastructure

I thought we had voted for all the 1% to go toward our water.

Water should be offered to county residents without involving water districts

Penny Power should be spent on road and streets first and most. After that- necessities (Law/Fire Dept) then other infrastructure. Not "social" pets- money wasn't intended for those things unless all necessities are top notch!

LIBRARY

Do not want money spent on things like the porn agenda of the LGBTQ books in our libraries.

Where is funding for the library?

The library should regain its funding.

Replace library director IF library is not keeping records appropriately.

Fully fund the library.

Please don't let a few devalue resources that are integral to the success of the community as a whole.

Don't let Del Shelstad defund the library!

Library should receive funding that was taken from them.

I've heard that the funding will be spent on projects voted on. Yet, it seems the Public Library has lost funding- not after a vote but as a personal vendetta by a few people who decided for us. I would like to see the Library receive the funding they lost.

Restore 1% funding to the library! Our library is a wonderful place to learn, explore knowledge and READ. The vocal minority nut jobs should not be running the library. That's what librarians are for. The attacks against library staff are wrong!

The school district is top-heavy and can easily cut admin positions to meet student needs. I want NO money spent on the pornography books in the teen & children's sections of the library. I saw the big yellow 1 cent sticker on some of those books that are totally depraved.

It is ridiculous that the CCPL didn't receive any of this money this year. Our library is something I have always been very proud of, and they deserve their share. Please don't make that mistake again next year!

Please stop funding child grooming projects e.g., the Public Library. Use those funds for a youth program that works e.g., Area 59 or 4-H.

Please add the Campbell County Public Library back to the 1%. Money is used for story hours, special programs for all ages and other resources that are not covered in a regular budget. The library is an important part of our community, used by all ages. Please support!

I am not voting for this in November. the county defunded the library and I used to love their programs.

We need the services the library provides. Give them back their funding!

Return the money to the library!!! You owe it to our kids!

I was disappointed in the hoopla over the library and books. Such a waste of time and money. I was disgusted when Wright received funds and Gillette did not - POLITICS?

Penny power should be used for the needs of the community and not for the Commissioner's pet projects. It should not be used to punish entities like the library for not following the personal agendas of a few commissioners. I may not vote for the One Percent tax because some commissioners are weaponizing it for their own personal beliefs.

The county commissioners need to not weaponize this tax against agencies who do not bow to their personal agenda

Please don't diminish the library.

My wish is that our County Commissioners could allot money based on community needs and not their personal agendas - yes, this pertains to the library. All in our community need to be supported.

Keep open communications between entities/justification/truth/morals. (I heard lots of discrepancies about the library)

Stop defunding the library! It is a parent's job to police what their children read. It is not the library's job. Make parents be parents & hold them accountable.

Continued support & funding of library.

I'm seriously considering voting against the 1% tax for the first time because of the way some commissioners are using the tax to punish & control organizations (like the Library) with whom they disagree. OUR tax dollars should never be used by politicians as if it is THEIR personal slush fund to reward or persecute/harm certain county entities & to further their own personal agenda. Stop weaponizing this tax, especially against our teens & children.

Commissioners must return funding to the library teen and children's programs and stop punishing organizations that disagree with their personal political viewpoints.

I was extremely disappointed that the library youth program funding was cut.

Gillette Reproductive Health and Youth Library should both get money from this tax.

Continued support of the library!

I can't believe that you allowed the library to become a political issue. Shame on you! Seriously- Shame on you!

The "retaliation" decisions regarding the library summer reading program were ridiculous, childish, and not the opinion of many in the community.

It's disgusting that one-cent funds were pulled from providing family programming and material funds from the library. Way to politicize my extra one cent that I no longer feel like supporting.

I have always voted for the 1 cent sales tax, however, this year I will be voting no. The County Commissioners have awarded funding in a punitive manner. First Gillette Reproductive Health, and now the CCP Library. What is next? YES House? Parks & Rec? CamPlex? I cannot vote for a tax that is used to punish.

The county should reinstate the library funding. County Commissioners need to be responsive to the needs of ALL citizens not just a few overly vocal narrow-minded bigots.

The 1% sales tax (Penny Power) tax needs to help fund the library. The commissioners had no right to drop this from the budget. Totally uncalled for.

Please support our library and stop micromanaging! CCPL has done an amazing job!

Fund our public library!

Please reinstate the funding to the Campbell Co. Library's youth services programs & materials!

If the County uses this tax to lean on people or places like defunding the library, then this tax won't continue to pass. Fund everything accordingly and don't use this tax as leverage for the commissioners to use on organizations they don't like.

I am very disappointed in how you withheld funding from the library. I am the parent, and I will decide for my child at the library.

1 cent funds given back to the public library!

Commissioners should not use their own political beliefs when deciding what to fund. Women's health and the library should have been funded!

Very disappointed in the county commissioners not funding women's health and the public library.

Do not take any more money from the Gillette Library. Give back 1% tax money for all of the programs for teens & children.

Give the Library back their funding

Give 1% funds back to the Campbell County Public Library in Gillette!

Give the 1% money back to the library.

I was very disappointed with lack of funding for Gillette Reproductive Health. Shame on Del Shelstad and Colleen Faber.

I will be voting against the 1% unless the library is guaranteed to have their funding reinstated. I have voted for it in every election until now. Why do we even fill out these surveys if our voices are not listened to?

If we want our young adult children to return to work in our community, we need to be proactive & make decisions to improve our quality of life for this era. Decisions such as the one made to remove library funding based on comments re: various sexual preferences are so antiquated & prejudiced. No wonder young adults don't want to return to a closed minded/oppressive community.

Shame on Del Shelstad and Coleen Faber and the other 2 commissioners who can't think for themselves- Bob Maul & Don Hamm- for cutting the library's 1% budget- They are harming our kids!

Do not fund pornographic books in the library. Allow teachers to carry firearms in school or have armed security officers.

Bring funding back to the library.

I like the 1%, but DO NOT AGREE with the Commissioners using it as "punishment" or retaliation against the library and cutting their funding! I feel like that is manipulating things the boards should be dealing with- not the Commissioners! I don't think that should be allowed at all!

The Campbell County Commissions' decision to cut 1% funding from the Campbell County Public Library was SHAMEFUL & will affect my vote on the 1% sales tax.

Thank you for being on top of the library. I like to see fiscal responsibility. Even as a homeschool mom. Spend less on penny power signs please.

Fund Women's Reproductive Health. It never should have been turned down.

Pornography should not be available to children in the public library. Personally, I don't see the need for adult pornography. Pornography has been shown to harm relationships

I am disappointed that the Commissioners decided not to give 1% funds to the library.

Fund our library!

Thank you for this survey. Please allocate funds for our public libraries.

Library patrons range in age from birth to death. One of the libraries main purposes is to provide information. Penalizing the library and "all" its' patrons (by withdrawing their portion of the 1% tax) to appease a few is not acceptable. The library is a resource as parents themselves should be.

One percent funding to the Campbell County Public Library needs to be restored.

I think the public library needs additional support after the challenges it faced the last couple years.

MENTAL HEALTH

Mental health, education, public safety, & the library are so important to fund.

We need to address suicide and mental health in the community!

Our community is lacking appropriate mental health services. Our schools are trying to help, but it isn't enough.

School security is so important as well as mental health services within the schools. Please make this a priority for our kids.

Our community needs a lot of mental health for hospital, councilors, court need mental health money for councilors for drug & alcohol treatments

Need to address domestic & other violence more effectively. Mental health help? Too much alcohol?

Suicide prevention is a top priority- mental health veteran's programs

OTHER SUGGESTIONS

I don't have a copy of any degradation schedules, so I don't know when the money needs to be put where. And I don't care since this community raises a bunch of cowards who are willing to terrorize people to the point of suicide for a piece of property so they can live near their best friend and a "man", he is male, who is a rapist like his rapist friends w/vendettas but I got blamed for everything. Don't go to

the beach, don't move to much when you walk, and don't stay married because you are married to a rapist.

Get rid of the voting machines this never passed until you started to use the machines- NOT voting for it

We spend too much on things & people who are lazy or are not from the area

Stop taking federal \$! We don't want the policies they will push on us when we need the money after becoming accustomed to receiving it.

It doesn't matter what the public votes. The City of Gillette will line each other's pockets and do what they want anyway.

Voting no on extra sales tax we are taxed enough already

Listen to voters or get another job! Washington mentality has come to Wyoming (sucks)

No more baseball, softball, pickleball fields!

There have been too many instances of building/creating projects after citizens have voted NO. The elected opinion should never outweigh the vote.

1) Do not send the snowplows out for 1/2" of snow-wasteful! 2) Put in storm drain blocks so kids can't fall into them. 3) Don't plow snow into storm drains - it makes blockage!

The survey didn't fit in the envelope.

I want a stamp on my survey!"

Buying art for the streets is not wise use of money.

Use this money to give taxpayers a break!

City of Gillette does not support small business & lies unless the business is in the local clique. Law enforcement needs to step up and do something about traffic enforcement, especially the red-light runners! Dangerous to all drivers. City law enforcement is not doing a good job. CCH needs to start over. Giving a CEO \$675,000 to leave is careless and cruel to the local residents. I have lived in Gillette/Campbell County since 1979. I have witnessed the growth and how the lack of diversification has hurt this community. Economic Development agency is useless! Law enforcement needs to step it up! A family member was hit head-on by a 19-year-old in the middle of the City. He totaled both cars and was given an \$80 ticket. No sobriety test was administered, and he was obviously impaired. Disgusting! City police didn't write an accurate report! No accountability.

NO money to LGBTQ...The moral fiber of our community is a dumpster fire! Suicide prevention, drug prevention, and alcohol prevention.

When this tax was first proposed, we were promised it would never be used for infrastructure. Now that is the majority of its use. Typical government bureaucracy.

After meeting with City Council and City Administrator, I can't seem to get anything done at Dalbey Park to make it safer for kids and families. Speeders are a big problem. Install speed limit signs and speed bumps.

The penny tax is a waste. Our County Commissioners don't know how to spend it on useful things. I wish I could take back every cent I put into the program.

Get rid of politicians and judges who follow an agenda and narrative. Get rid of mail in ballots and only can vote with an ID. Gillette needs more family cafes/restaurants and how about better snow plowing and removal on ALL city streets. Plow operators are selective and lazy when it comes to this.

You should not be trying to get a tax raise with our economy the way it is. "Recession" Really!

City needs to make sure all businesses are handicap user friendly - the public pools & Rec Center. A person that is handicapped cannot swim because they can't get in or out. An electric utility chair - are you nuts? Electric and water, I don't think so. Pools need ramps like they use going into homes with and railings they can hold on to while getting into and out of a pool.

Stop wasting money! 1% tax should be higher with inflation costs that are taxed.

What is wrong with you people?! You act like a bunch of tax spending left wing radicals. Taxes need to be REDUCED not increased. We've already lost 20-30% of our buying power in the past 2 years. Gillette College funded, and property taxes increase and now you want more! No!! I think we'll start shopping in Montana.

If you live in the city, you should have to keep your place looking good. I am so tired of the subdivisions looking like crap. Once place is nice, the next the weeds are 6 feet tall!

These funds are supposed to be used for human enrichment projects, to make Gillette/Campbell County a better place to live. Most of these "projects" are to existing infrastructure in which repairs and/or improvement are to be included in annual budgets. The leadership of the City/County need to plan for these "projects" and decide priorities. It was never my understanding that this tax was to be used as a slush fund to cover inadequate budgeting by the leadership.

Send City and County leadership to ethics training. We would like our City and County to not look like idiots in the national news. Also bring back free lunch for the school kids.

I am an embarrassed Republican - please stop the crazy politics regarding funding!

We pay enough taxes. Quit wasting money and we DON'T need another 1% tax.

Penny Power tax money is always wasted on pet projects that do nothing for the average citizen. Just say NO!

All those I marked as "do not fund" should fall under annual budgets - not Penny Power!

No outside social service funding! Fiber optics placing in the City is a waste!

Should not be collected, especially after the College brought back sports. That was bull. No more tax.

County should not fund CLIMB Wyoming or GARF. Both entities are biased towards women only and is discrimination toward men. Gillette College should not be paid out of one percent sales tax.

Keep campers and trailers off the streets move chickens out of town. We look like the redneck riviera.

The 1% tax is just more theft from hard working Americans. Also, if you are going to have a survey on what to spend stolen money on you could pay for the stamp.

No funding for social programs period. The City placing fiber is a waste of money! Private enterprise can do it. This money is for capital projects not social.

Stop raising taxes

Our other taxes are high enough that this tax is bullshit. And I live in Gillette and I damn sure shouldn't have to pay for anything in Wright.

"I worked at local mines until diagnosed w/black lung. Workers need to know - unfair to lie to us.

Too much \$ wasted on sports! People are in need of services that are too expensive. Give seniors breaks! Car tags are too expensive, utilities are too much and only getting worse. Gillette & Campbell County do not help people in general. I am moving because it is too expensive to live here."

Stop wasting money! Gillette has always had a corrupt government. Please make politicians accountable for their stupid actions.

I'm against 1% sales tax because we have enough money to do these projects if managed correctly.

I think if a project is voted on by people and people vote it down, then it should not be done, NOT go ahead and do it anyway! I also think other entities (special groups) should NOT be funded by 1%.

Quit putting new sprinkler systems in that already work on Enzi Dr. Hold people accountable.

We have enough funds. You all have a spending problem. Stop asking for more of our hard-earned money. Our kids and grandkids are strapped with way too much debt.

I am against taxing myself

I believe this tax is unnecessary and leads to wasteful spending. Taxes need to be lowered for citizens of Campbell County.

I'm personally against and will vote no to this tax. I don't see the need to spend every dollar the City or County can get their hands on. Budget cutting does not seem to be in the works. It's time to re-evaluate our thinking.

Keep your opinions out of your DUTIES as an elected official

Stop funding the Field of Dreams until the youth organization can half of the money needed to build their fields or courts EX: Soccer, tennis, travel ball, Little League

Take down all those ugly log piles all over town. Stop using the 1% for social services. Use it as intended. The worse thing is all that money going to the Senior Center. They charge for everything- transportation, meals, services, etc. Half of the meals are not good and very skimpy.

No increase in taxes or fees!

Give a mouse a cookie and he will want a glass of milk

This fund should be stopped now that property owners and businesses are now on the hook to fund Gillette College. Tax after tax has to stop people need to live within their means which means the city also.

No more penny tax

Stop sticking money into that stupid field of dreams and splash pool, Don't waste money on that amphitheater you'll never use again. Why don't you make sure everyone gets something to eat?

For the funding the Visitors Bureau receives, I think the front desk personnel should be more friendly. "What do you want?" is not appropriate.

I feel our elected officials should listen to their citizens and then do what the majority of citizens want done- We The People, remember?

Disappointed- The first few years the islands on Douglas Hwy and Enzi Dr. looked great & were always kept up, now every year since it looks worse and worse, there are other things also!

The decisions being made in this County based on elected officials' Religious beliefs is wrong. Do what is right for the entire community & not the LOUD minority. Actually, talk with others.

Really you are even considering a one cent tax. Are you out of your mind are you crazy. This should not even be on the ballot.

For the first time I will not be voting for the 1 cent tax. The County Commissioners have made it "their" piggy bank to use at their political discretion. The 1 cent tax was made to invigorate our town, not to supplement budgetary shortfalls.

Not that this survey does any good because the City Council and County Commissioners do as they please anyway. Like enlarging the splash park (because it's too small) or building the Field of Dreams (not too many area teams are playing there). There aren't any regional (I mean big regional) tournaments there i.e., national Babe Ruth, etc.). And after it was voted down by the people. And the fact that they withheld funds from CCPL because of a few people who are too lazy to monitor their kids and seem to want to monitor everyone else's kids.

Suggest if you want to keep raising water rates, electricity rates, you get employees who actually work. Stop with people who stand around and watch. While 1% does not go for salaries, you don't do enough of the work.

I would rather have the 1% in my pocket.

Why are we still funding organizations like AVA? After 20 years, either there should be a management change or closed to let the private sector fill the art needs. We have many art studios/businesses and private art galleries.

Don't lie and say, "how I'd like my 'penny' spent". It's 1% of sales tax not a penny! 1% of \$100 is not 'a penny'. 1% of \$1000 is not 'a penny'

When you ship "in" criminals and unwed mothers it is putting hardship on all taxpayers; workers and retired folks who have contributed to funds for years

Taxation is theft!

The Camporee is a waste of taxpayer money. Now I have second thoughts on voting for the Penny Power tax.

I don't understand the ruin, cement curbing, redo of sprinklers, killing grass, planting new grass... on the Enzi Rd, 4J curve & area & why it's taking so long & has to be taking a lot of money. It looked good before (the new trees are nice), grass is all dead & weedy all summer

The north end of town must be equal in beautification to the south end of town- It's obvious there is a difference. Disappointed in our city council members for not seeing the above is not occurring

No more art projects & water park/softball field improvements!

If commissioners insist on using the 1% tax as a punishment tool, then let's just do away with all projects & let people keep their money so they can pay for everything directly.

Think beyond coal and find new industries to come to Campbell County. Beautification makes a town look more desirable. Stop using the 1% as a punishment tool. It is to help the town to thrive not a stick to use so 20 people can push their agenda.

Please stop adding or raising taxes!

"You should offer ""prefer not to answer"" on all the above.

How many surveys are unreturned because you are too cheap to pay return postage?"

I'm 77 and filling out applications to go back to work. Lowering taxes is important to me.

We live in Remington Estates. We get very little benefit from city or county. Weeds aren't mowed along major streets; we've had a major drainage issue for years and nothing is done even after multiple complaints. They haven't even swept the streets, yet we pay the same taxes.

No new taxes

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I've been unemployed for over nine months. I've applied everywhere but can't get hired. All I hear is "no one wants to work in Gillette". It should be no one wants to hire an educated male in Gillette.

If Campbell County wants to attract new businesses to our area, we need to improve the reputation of CC. Right now, we are perceived as a hateful, bigoted, homophobic community.

Keep religion out of government. You have been listening to radicals. Listen to the majority not the minority.

Take care of people not your buddies

"Stop putting funds into things like Camporee. We should not be building an amphitheater for them or anything. They knew what we had when they came to look.

Gillette needs to take care of the weed problem or enforce people to do the same on their property and clean up the awful looking trashy parts of neighborhoods that have junk everywhere. Make property owners fix chuck holes in business lots as well as City streets."

Do not support LGBTQ issues

I haven't had a raise since 2000. Inflation is killing me and gas prices are twice what they were 2 years ago. I can't afford any more taxes.

Parks are a waste of water, hiring someone to mow, gas, too many parks, waste of water & money

VOTE NO! TOO LONG OPEN TAX!

I will be voting against this tax

Get rid of 1% power

This funding should be discontinued. There are ample dollars for all these, but mismanagement by elected/appointed officials wastes available funds. Louise Carter was the worst abuser of our money.

Have seen 0% law enforcement in the Antelope Valley. 0% maintenance done in Antelope Valley. After the annexation I am very disappointed.

No taxes

Thank you for all you do- Please Do NOT vote on any new build projects this fiscal year- No New Taxes!

In view of the impending collapse of the nation and our currency the best thing you could do is return the money to the taxpayers. Short of that spend it on roads or put it in savings. Why does this rich county need this extra tax anyway.

Taxation is theft

Listen to the people who have to work for a living- not those who have money and could care less about us- the average person is not taken into consideration.

This tax should be voted away

I may be more interested in promoting the penny power IF the money was used for its' intended use. I will not support these social groups benefitting from this money. There are grants available & other sources available. They may need to be more creative.

PATHWAYS/SIDEWALKS/PARKS

We do all this work to make the City look good, then we don't water it and the weeds take over! Maintain the parks and roadsides.

Please spray Canadian Thistle! They are overtaking the fields!

Plant grass, flowers & trees on Butler Spaeth- It's a busy street- at least mow more than twice a summer

Mow on Butler Spaeth more than twice a year- It would be nice if some trees and grass and flowers were planted like on Douglas Highway. This is a busy street.

Need improvement in the dog park. It is a well-used City park and way underfunded.

Please mow the grass and weeds and fix the fence on Fairway Drive in the Westover subdivision. Thank you!

A lot of community members work hard on the flower beds and it's sad that there doesn't seem to be adequate watering practices.

They need to keep up with the landscape they have such as by Thunder Basin & landscape Butler Spaeth

I would love to see more paths away from busy and loud roads. The college to fishing lake path is excellent.

Fix the softball fields at Bicentennial. The amount of money you're missing out on for adult tournaments alone is worth more than they make off of leagues in one weekend!

Would love to see Rozet get a walking path & park

In all of the years living here I have never seen such laziness on the part of the city in mowing/weeding. The weeds in the cement dividers on Hwy 59 & Enzi/4J are an embarrassment. I can only imagine what tourists etc. think

Bike paths are in need of repair

Bike paths are in need of repair. They have deteriorated tremendously.

Bicentennial Park needs to be updated, not neglected as it has been for so long.

No more Energy Capital Sports Complex!

Need sidewalks in Antelope Valley. No one observes speed limit in subdivision. No law enforcement patrol in the area to slow people down. Walkers are in danger, trying to share the road.

Weed control has been lacking. The town looks terrible with weeds growing in sidewalk cracks all around town!

Maintain weeds next to sidewalks & bike paths or pave them over- the weeds are ugly & can harbor things like snakes!

As far as parks & beautification, you need to maintain what you already have, not build or buy more. The parks are in dire need of care.

Finish the sidewalks you started. Bike paths have dead ends. Fix the City pool.

A bike path should be built immediately along Hwy. 14-16. Not south of town where there may be houses someday. This should be completed before someone is hit on the road!

I hope that at some point, we stop funding the bike paths and beautification projects. We have enough of them.

Need a bike/sidewalk on north end of town between railroad & Hwy. 14-16. This needs to be completed before someone is killed walking on the side of the road!

A sidewalk/bike path needs to be built on Highway 14-16 to meet up with the one ut by Complex.

We need improvement in the dog park- it is well used & underfunded.

Make the bicyclists pay for their own path

We have been to check out all parks recently and noticed how dirty they are all getting since 2020. Parks are so important for many however a few people use them as a place to go and trash them. Very sad! Should have more police presence and city workers.

Bike path Collins Heights

Bike path to Collins Heights

Dog park needs to be improved!

Need to improve dog park, it's an embarrassment to Gillette.

Parks, dead trees in park for 2 years. Spray weeds, clean them up

Love love love the new bike paths along Donkey Creek & by Rec Center! Can we get it extended from Butler Spaeth/ Donkey Creek out to the Complex- thru the Field of Dreams? Existing sidewalk along Boxelder to Complex is BAD for biking.

I think what the city has done with the bike paths is fantastic and should keep up the good work.

Keep restrooms open at the parks

Parks department did a good job, but streets mowing and weed eating was UNACCEPTABLE and poor quality. Gillette has looked far better. Address this problem.

More benches on bike paths and in parks. Less waste on art and could it be WESTERN? Nothing to Library or AVA

"New sidewalks- E. 1st St. & E. Echeta Rd. Spend 1 cent on infrastructure-Not the Library"

We need to re-fund Gillette Reproductive Health this 1% cycle! The County needs to show they care about women's Health in the community!! Stop building new parks!! We don't maintain the ones we have.

Need bathroom @ skate park, public shooting range, more funding for mental health services

"Maintain our parks like we used to in the 1990's-2010. Keep them watered, mowed, and garbage and weeds gone. We used to have such pride in our community parks - what happened? Put rock as landscape if not watering grass and keep the weeds out of the rock.

The senior center gets way too much money for the number of seniors who participate. Share some of CC Senior Center's 1% tax with Wright's Senior Center.

Gillette has been my home since 1974. Love this small community and I've seen a lot of changes, mostly for the better. Seems like we are definitely lacking in some major areas, though."

Work harder on street repair & potholes- city maintained parks & public areas need attention- weeding, mowing, etc.

More money in Wright CC ball fields are crap to the CC fields from Rec Center in Gillette at Library and Rec Center are in horrible shape for CC.

COMPLIMENTS

I like Gillette like it is - I don't think we should try to be like Denver or other big cities.

Thank you!

Thank you

I have lived in Gillette for 34 years and love it. Gillette has been a wonderful place to live work, raise my kids, and call home!

I love 1%! Keep it up!

Let's keep our community growing!

Thank you!

I really appreciate all the public parks and services Gillette offers. I grew up here and am raising my children here, and I am very blessed and thankful to call Gillette home!

Keep up the good work you're doing now

1% has done so many positive things for our community!

Thanks for the opportunity to "weigh in" and share my opinions and choices.

The penny tax is of the utmost importance!

Yes, I do believe in Penny Power

Penny tax and College funding are very high priority for me!

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Keep up the good work!

Outside spaces like parks are important for exercise, being in the outdoors, meeting with friends, or special gatherings. Make a big difference if you live in a small home or apartment! At the same time, all the basic services have to work. Thank you.

Gillette has come a long way since we moved here!

Penny Power is a good thing.

Thank you for putting out this survey

I love the 1% - so much money for so little cost to each of us.

Thank you for all that you do to make Gillette great!

I love Gillette. We have had a successful business here and raised a family here. This area is great with good schools!

Love to see the "Penny Power" signs. Proud of Gillette and Campbell County.

Thank you!

I believe the 1% tax is the fairest way to fund these projects and I support it.

Thank you!

Gillette/Campbell County is a great place to live. Have been here since 1995 and there have been vast improvements. A great melting pot atmosphere!

Love Campbell County!

1% optional sales tax is very important to Campbell County, Town of Wright, and City of Gillette. I will be voting for it in November!

I fully support Penny Power and all the good things it does for our community. Politics should not influence how it is spent!

I fully support Penny Power and all the good things it does for our community, Keep politics out of how it's spent :).

Gillette does a great job keeping the town looking nice, providing parks for the kids, free Rec center for senior citizens, and maintaining our roads. Sure do appreciate it.

I will always vote to keep the 1 cent sales tax. It's done wonderful things for our community.

Keep up the good work!

Yes

Thank you for all the work and investment the city has put into our town. Power to the penny!

The 1% tax is a great idea - I hope it continues.

Thanks for asking!

Keep & Campbell County moving forward. Develop a sense of PRIDE with our businesses & industry. Continue to keep a strong quality of life for its citizens.

Keep up the good work! Gillette is a great place to live. Thank you!

the splash park and Energy Capital Sports Complex is a wonderful additional to Gillette!

Good job!

Keep up the good work, Campbell County! Thank you for all your hard work. You are really appreciated.

As a rule, the City of Gillette and Campbell County have done a great job with the 1% money

Love this community! Gillette is a great place to live and work

Thank you for the good snow removal city, county, & walking paths. We still have flooding of the walking path in front of county health. Thank you for great solid waste service. Thank you for building a new swimming pool. Thank you for a library. Thank you for a hospital and sewer, water. Please increase wages and benefits for city & county workers!

I'll definitely be voting for renewal of this tax.

The 1% funds have helped make Gillette a great place to live!

Our snow removal, youth sports programs, appearance of boulevards and parks is outstanding. The equipment for the fire and police seems to be top line.

Thanks for asking!

Thank you for your time.

Thank you for your efforts.

Continue to put the Penny Power signs out so the citizens of Gillette can see where their money goes. What about printing a map of Gillette highlighting every place the penny power has been used? Facilities, flower beds, bike paths, streets, etc. I imagine the entire town would be highlighted and with a tax we all contribute to...and don't miss in our budget.

I have voted for this tax every time it has come up and I really like seeing all the improvements to our beautiful area.

You are doing a great job. Gillette feels safe.

Send this survey out to more people, more often. We need to hear from everyone. But I love this way to tax. It's fair to everyone and is used for many things we desperately need.

I hope we can continue with the penny power and others can see the major benefits this has provided our communities! I will vote yes in favor of it!

Keep 1 cent on the ballot.

God bless America again, please.

The Penny Power has been one of the best ideas we've used for years.

Everyone is doing a great job for the City. The guys doing the water and sewer are so hard working and friendly.

Thank you to all the members of this great community who prioritize and listen to the local citizens. We appreciate all this community/ county has to offer. It is a beautiful and safe community. I've enjoyed the privilege to be a part of this amazing community the past 11 years. Thanks for all that you do!

Thank you!

Thanks for helping make Gillette a great place to live!

Thank you for reaching out to your citizens!

Thank you for a safe and prosperous community; the effective governance we enjoy is a big part of that Gillette is a wonderful community to live in. I am very impressed with the things you have done for the citizens here with the 1% optional tax.

Penny Power works!

This penny is so important! I would vote yes for 2 cents if I had the opportunity!

Keep up the good work!

Thank you for presenting this survey!

1% tax is a good tax - our visitors pay some of this tax. It funds a lot of things.

Thank you

It is a great thing for us if used right!

I support the one cent funds. It has built the community we have today

Thank you for doing this survey and getting our input

Penny Power enhances our community-KEEP IT!

Camporee will be a great thing for this community! We should all work together on getting them and keeping them here.

I'm happy to complete this survey. Penny Power has helped our community so much! Shooting ranges should NOT be funded with this money.

Keep Penny Power

I am very proud of our community and all of its services!

Very proud to live in Campbell County & Gillette.

This tax is critical for all Campbell County residents and has increased the quality of life here substantially.

The 1% tax is a good idea.

Penny Power Tax is critical to our communities. With the controversies lately, things/opinions have been ugly. Spread the money and maybe things will become more balanced, and the division may lessen. Good Work & Good Luck!

Great Work!

Thanks!

Let's keep Gillette growing

Just do it!

Let's make this permanent!

The 1% should be mostly spent on capital construction projects that are assets to the community which many people use. The "Penny Power" signs should be prominently posted so people see and understand where their money is being spent.

Great program Penny Power

Our city does awesome. Keep doing what you guys do!

1% is a great program! Please fund Gillette Reproductive Health!

PUBLIC SAFETY/LAW ENFORCEMENT

I believe public safety should be #1 choice everywhere. Times are changing and we need to feel safe.

Our fire department and law enforcement need to have a pay raise! I am not involved with either - just saying!

Fire and police are a responsibility of government and should be funded out of general funds, not subject to a vote of the people

Larger police force and more firemen

Request more fireman

All our stop lights need to have cameras to catch those who run red lights before someone is hurt or killed! We also need more police in school zones

Law enforcement is my priority.

Enforcement (stricter) of semi-truck drivers driving carelessly. Checkpoints to ensure they're certified to be driving/ legally driving big rigs

"The 2 things that bother me most:

No law enforcement on the truck jake brakes coming into the Flying J truck stop. City ordinance sign on I90 but it doesn't mean anything. Most of the trucks doing it are local belly dumps.

People should not be able to leave campers & boats parked in the streets. Many all year long."

I live on Watsabaugh Dr., backyard faces 4J Road. You got walkers, runners, bicyclists, babies in strollers on the bike path. 4J is turning into a drag strip. I hope nobody ever gets hurt or killed from a runaway vehicle. P.S. Bravo on trees and grass back there!

I think law enforcement should be part of the normal budget not subject to 1%

The main reason I put law enforcement/fire/EMS as top priority is because the human species is getting worse at raising good human beings. Poor parenting is growing!

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Gillette needs some of public transportation

Has the City or County ever explored the idea of a bus system in Gillette? I wonder if there is a need for people, other than Senior Citizens, to have access to reliable, low-cost transportation here.

SENIOR CITIZENS

Please increase funding for the fire department

As a senior, I would like to see this money spent to offset the rising utility rates. This would benefit everyone, not just the special interests. The 1% has become a slush fund. Use it to reduce utility costs for us on a fixed income

Senior Center needs all the help it can get.

Senior citizens programs should be top priority with the influx of dementia and Alzheimer's we are seeing in the communities

Need to give property tax breaks for seniors on limited incomes; also hold rate increases on utilities for people on social security.

Care and safety of the citizens should be considered first.

SOCIAL SERVICES

Providing additional social service supports will only further the employee shortage. We should be providing skills training and preparing people for the workforce.

I feel like Gillette/CC has done a good job bringing families but has lost focus on underserved populations like the elderly, poverty, vets, LGBTQ, and substance abuse.

Reduce funding for non-government agencies. Monies should go to infrastructure and emergency services

We need more social service programs that focus on helping "homeless" people become productive members of the workforce and focus less on handouts.

More social services for both county & city. By the way those services at the hospital are pathetic!

If you don't take care of those that struggle to provide for themselves this beautiful town will look like Seattle, Portland, San Francisco. Keep humans in your hearts- even those you consider below you. Jesus loved them where they were.

Need to focus on preventative services, community outreach, re-entry programs, and funding for inmates and services and services for children and families in need.

More of 1% funds should be designated for social services. They contribute to the quality of life in Gillette and Campbell County.

Help our social service agencies. They should be able to pay youth workers, homeless shelter staff comparable to animal control workers & children's center staff!

Social services like YES House, GARF, Library, Gillette Reproductive Health, Senior Center, CASA, etc. the list goes on provide many services for the working poor and people who need help. They pick up a lot of slack for the Police dept., Public Health, food, and housing insecurity and homelessness in our community.

The city and county need to commit to better funding social services!

Development of organizations & services that support a diverse community, especially LGBTQ+ people would make Gillette a more friendly & welcoming & accepting place to be.

Youth homelessness projects need more funding!

I encourage the city and county to better fund social service agencies. The people are our BEST resource sometimes there are roadblocks and detours for them. Our social service agencies help solve those problems. I strongly believe that people working for social service agencies should be paid better or at least the same as city/county animal control employees. That does not happen now. Better government funding would help this situation.

There are needs for more than one supported social services office.

Gillette & Campbell County need to support all the non-profit/Social service agencies. These services are vital to our community because we are strong & don't leave the struggling behind!

Mental Health Services, women's health, senior services, and foster care need funding.

STREETS/ROADS

In years past, I have always answered and placed items such as beautification, bike paths, etc. as high priority, but now I really believe many streets and road need some attention.

Our streets are in need of some major work. Instead of City Council fighting amongst themselves, do something to make our community a better place to live. I believe Gillette should add some attractions to keep bikers here. They spend a lot of money here, let's do something to make them remember Gillette. A cool spot in City Park or Cam-Plex.

Need to repair roads instead of just patching which doesn't work long

Please find a replacement for the "slice" product used in the winter on our streets. It damages not only vehicles but concrete in garages and driveways.

Take the dumb "s": out of the street by Wal-Mart and the shopping center. Why is there always a lake behind Walgreens? Fix it

Streets need crack sealed and potholes repaired

County roads are a high priority. Clarkelen Road has so much traffic that it is nearly impassable most of the year as well as most of the county roads near there. Take care of needs not wants.

Gillette has become a beautiful city over the past 47 years, but it would be great to have better streets
Do a better job street cleaning & trash pickup along major roads and highways.

It would be nice to have some accountability on quality of work being done. Road repairs/smooth or rough after repairs.

There needs to be a stoplight at the intersection of Hwy 50 and Boxelder. The traffic on Hwy 50 is so fast and cars crossing from one side of Boxelder to the other have to "gun it" to get across.

County Commissioners are very, very poor at keeping our county roads maintained. They raise our taxes, but they don't use it for roads.

Arterial streets so the cost is not solely on developers. Consider transportation investment fee for new developments. Let's keep Cam-Plex a leading-edge facility and let locals use it for reasonable fees.

More County roads labeled. There are a lot that don't have any signs.

Thank you for the new pavement on Foothills Blvd.

Need to take a look at Saunders Blvd. It needs to be repaved. All our TBHS busses travel Saunders twice a day. As a taxpayer, I don't want to start buying school busses because we can't fix the road.

Resurface/repair the roads!

Plow Gillette streets in the winter.

I live in Rozet and would like to see the roads fixed out here on Adon and on the side of roads fixed.
People stealing land from people.

City & County need to work together on repairing arterial & collector roadways. Both are behind in maintenance of our roadways.

As a father of 3, my biggest concern for Gillette comes from road safety. On a daily basis I see reckless driving and very little law enforcement intervention.

We really need to address the trailers parked along our subdivision streets. This creates a dangerous situation for not only drivers but also for our children who have been seen running around them. Also have seen them hooked up where I live and people living in them. Also, other trailers, cargo, utility, OR.

Fix potholes around town- they are not good for vehicles

Very unhappy with the county's decision on Bishop Road to let the coal mine move the road and maintain it. I feel the mine should also incur all of the costs to move it. It also needs to be paved. There is a huge volume of traffic on it.

Fix potholes across town

County should make some subdivision roads county roads when those roads are used by multiple communities.

Bad streets in Gillette - fix them!

Probably the biggest issue at hand would be roads and the pothole repairs. Some of the manhole covers (Westover) are way below grade.

Bishop Road should not be maintained by a coal mine.

Stop building ballfields, soccer fields, stadiums of any type until our streets are rebuilt and not patched so the potholes become speed bumps

Look at a public transportation system. Go back to using gravel instead of chemicals for roads in winter. Put in an underpass @ Brooks crossing- like Casper Center Street.

Gurley Overpass is an eyesore and other towns have beautiful bridges. Why?

Enforce or regulate on street parking of campers and trailers that block the streets & sidewalks, the streets are wide enough for 2-way traffic until people park on both sides and reduce the streets to one lane traffic. NOT safe.

Need more attention to snow plowing in Antelope Valley. The amount of plowing and quality has degraded since annexation. There are many residents that don't have 4-wheel drive vehicles- a one lane pass through is not acceptable. Thanks!

Quit wasting money on Gillette street improvements that don't get done timely or correctly.

Please have owners of businesses repair holes in their parking lots!

The demographics page is not needed - you don't need this info for the survey. Enforce keeping parked trailers off the streets and enforce speed limits. Quit resurfacing streets and then tear them up within 3 years.

Hopefully, if passed, the roads can be repaired. I do not support the penny power tax. I've seen it on stickers on books at the library grooming children for sexualized behavior - slap in the face!

The railroad crossing @ Brooks needs to be addressed at some point. Near downtown and yet train cars park on track during rush hour (8AM & 5PM) and daily backs up traffic on 14/16. Warlow Bridge isn't always reliable. We need better bridges, not bigger pools. Infrastructure, infrastructure!

Maintenance of existing roads and buildings are a priority. Also fire and law enforcement are necessities. Also, the nonprofits like Second Chance Ministries who help people re-enter society.

TRAFFIC FLOW

Turning arrow at 2nd and Hwy 59 coming from the east by the Sinclair Station. Thank you

A crosswalk at the museum is a total waste. How about a crosswalk over on Boxelder and Hwy 50? There are kids on scooters, bikes, etc. Someone is going to get killed at that intersection.

WRIGHT

We have had two close calls at the 387 and Hwy. 59 intersection. People pulling out in front of us when we were going south on 59. Perhaps a stop light.

Give youth in wright free admission to the Rec Center with student ID. Easy way to keep kids fit and busy.

The people of Wright pay for 4 officers, they are not here. Drugs and people driving drunk are here. My neighbor sells drugs and it does not matter?

Allocate more for Wright improvements

Exclude Wright Community Assistance from funding because they are showing favoritism, mismanaging funds, and not accessible to those in need.

I would like to know when you will start putting my tax dollars into Wright, which is where I live. Gillette is beautiful, but Wright is the one that needs the improvements and additions.

1% needs to be spent on more things for young folks in Wright. Movies, ice rink, shooting range (rifle and bow).