
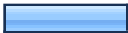



1. How important is it to you to preserve the rural/agricultural character of Shelburne?

		Response Percent	Response Count
extremely important		77.0%	261
somewhat important		18.0%	61
not at all important		5.0%	17
		answered question	339
		skipped question	0

2. Rate how important you believe each of the following issues is for Shelburne:

	very important	important	somewhat important	not important	Rating Count
a. Allowing more access to river resources	23.4% (76)	32.9% (107)	23.4% (76)	20.3% (66)	325
b. Loss of agriculture lands	60.4% (198)	22.6% (74)	9.5% (31)	7.6% (25)	328
c. Keeping working forest lands	47.5% (154)	32.4% (105)	11.7% (38)	8.3% (27)	324
d. Impact of invasive species on farms and open space	43.3% (139)	29.6% (95)	15.6% (50)	11.5% (37)	321
e. Keeping farms economically viable	68.7% (226)	20.1% (66)	8.2% (27)	3.0% (10)	329
f. Increasing the rate of business/commercial development	19.2% (61)	27.7% (88)	34.9% (111)	18.2% (58)	318
g. Increasing the rate of residential development	14.3% (46)	10.0% (32)	33.3% (107)	42.4% (136)	321
h. Keeping habitats for various wildlife	54.0% (177)	27.4% (90)	12.5% (41)	6.1% (20)	328
i. Keeping fields/pastures open	52.7% (174)	27.6% (91)	11.2% (37)	8.5% (28)	330
i. Access to more land for recreation	20.1% (65)	24.4% (79)	31.5% (102)	24.1% (78)	324
j. How to best use the Pothole/riverfront area	35.1% (115)	29.3% (96)	17.4% (57)	18.3% (60)	328
k. Availability of organized recreational opportunities	11.9% (38)	27.3% (87)	34.8% (111)	26.0% (83)	319
m. Developing and siting alternative energy sources (wind, solar, etc.)	44.5% (142)	28.5% (91)	17.9% (57)	9.1% (29)	319
n. Regulating building development on ridgelines	40.7% (131)	23.9% (77)	15.8% (51)	19.6% (63)	322
o. Preserving scenic views	48.3% (157)	24.9% (81)	14.5% (47)	12.3% (40)	325
p. Protecting drinking water resources, well fields, aquifer recharge areas	78.7% (259)	10.6% (35)	5.5% (18)	5.2% (17)	329

q. Preserving and maintaining historical buildings/spaces	31.8% (105)	40.3% (133)	15.5% (51)	12.4% (41)	330
r. Providing more village parking and restroom facilities for visitors.	16.7% (55)	29.5% (97)	31.9% (105)	21.9% (72)	329
s. Providing more information about recreational activities	9.7% (31)	30.2% (96)	36.2% (115)	23.9% (76)	318

t. Please list and rank any other issues you feel are important for Shelburne: 80

answered question	336
skipped question	3

3. Which actions do you support to protect/conserve open space and natural resources in Shelburne?

	I do support	I don't support	I need more information	Rating Count
a. Town purchase of conservation land. Shelburne could buy forest or farmland and hold it, donate it to a land trust, or place it under the authority of the Conservation Commission. The land would be off the tax rolls. Farmland could then be leased to farmers, or forestland could be managed for wildlife, recreation, and/or timber.	48.4% (156)	30.1% (97)	21.4% (69)	322
b. Town purchase of development rights. Instead of purchasing the land, the town could purchase only the development rights. The land would still be privately owned, undeveloped, and would still provide tax revenue to the town.	52.5% (169)	23.0% (74)	24.5% (79)	322
c. Accepting donated conservation land. The town could receive land donated by a landowner, and could hold it, donate it to a land trust, or place it under the authority of the Conservation Commission. Property would be off the tax rolls.	60.1% (191)	22.0% (70)	17.9% (57)	318
d. Accepting donated development rights. A landowner could donate development rights to the town. The land would still be privately owned, undeveloped, and would still provide tax revenue to the town.	65.9% (211)	15.9% (51)	18.1% (58)	320
e. Accepting a conservation easement. A landowner could sell or donate a conservation easement (restriction) to the town. Property would remain on tax rolls.	62.6% (201)	14.6% (47)	22.7% (73)	321
f. Zoning changes for open space protection. Zoning bylaws could be modified to include measures that				

control how land is developed so that when it is, natural resources like aquifers, wetlands, wildlife habitat, farmland, and open space are protected from development.	65.3% (209)	21.3% (68)	13.4% (43)	320
g. Adopting the Community Preservation Act. The CPA allows towns to increase local property taxes by 1 to 3%, to be matched by state funds, to create a fund for open space protection, affordable housing, recreation and historic preservation activities. Approval by Town Meeting required.	43.4% (138)	34.0% (108)	22.6% (72)	318
h. No actions should be taken by the Town to protect/conservе open space and natural resources.	12.5% (38)	76.7% (234)	10.8% (33)	305
i. Please list and rank any other actions you support to protect/conservе open space and natural resources in Shelburne:				51
		answered question		328
		skipped question		11

4. How would you suggest that Shelburne sustain its quality of life, small town environment, and historical resources?

	Very important	Important	Not very important	Not at all important	No opinion	Rating Count
a. Focus retail and commercial development in the Shelburne Falls village area.	30.8% (99)	43.9% (141)	8.7% (28)	13.4% (43)	3.1% (10)	321
b. Create an agriculture curriculum for K-12 students and encourage field trips to farms sites and agricultural resources in the Town.	24.2% (78)	46.3% (149)	14.9% (48)	5.6% (18)	9.0% (29)	322
c. Develop a long-range plan to preserve, maintain and utilize our old cemeteries as historic resources with an inventory of historic gravesites in Shelburne, and an index to gravestones.	16.6% (53)	37.5% (120)	26.6% (85)	7.2% (23)	12.2% (39)	320
d. Develop a capital improvements plan for maintaining historic public structures and resources, e.g., Memorial Hall, Arms Library, Cowell Gym, Bridge of Flowers, cemeteries, etc.	41.9% (135)	44.1% (142)	5.3% (17)	1.9% (6)	6.8% (22)	322
e. Support events that bring residents together; publish a community calendar online and on public access TV.	21.8% (69)	42.9% (136)	17.4% (55)	5.4% (17)	12.6% (40)	317
f. Create local history curricula for K-12 students and encourage field trips to historic sites in the Town.	22.9% (73)	50.8% (162)	13.8% (44)	3.8% (12)	8.8% (28)	319
g. Please list and rank any other suggestions to help Shelburne sustain its quality of life, small town environment, and historical resources:						48
					answered question	327
					skipped question	12

5. Would you or a family member use the following recreational resources if provided in Shelburne?

	Definitely would use	Might use	Probably would not use	Would not use	Rating Count
a. Additional hiking trails	44.2% (142)	25.9% (83)	10.9% (35)	19.0% (61)	321
b. Community gardens	9.7% (31)	25.9% (83)	30.6% (98)	33.8% (108)	320
c. Cross country ski trails	26.1% (84)	25.2% (81)	18.0% (58)	30.7% (99)	322
d. Fishing sites	14.6% (47)	24.3% (78)	24.9% (80)	36.1% (116)	321
e. Hiking from the village of Shelburne Falls	37.3% (120)	28.6% (92)	11.2% (36)	23.0% (74)	322
f. Hunting areas	5.9% (19)	9.4% (30)	17.2% (55)	67.5% (216)	320
g. Land for ATV/4-wheeling	3.5% (11)	6.0% (19)	8.8% (28)	81.8% (260)	318
h. Picnic/Park areas	25.0% (81)	39.8% (129)	13.0% (42)	22.2% (72)	324
i. Public boating access to the Deerfield River	24.2% (77)	26.4% (84)	11.6% (37)	37.7% (120)	318
j. Skateboarding park	3.5% (11)	11.4% (36)	11.7% (37)	73.4% (232)	316
k. Snowmobile trails	5.1% (16)	9.6% (30)	13.7% (43)	71.7% (225)	314
l. Swimming area	30.8% (98)	33.0% (105)	11.6% (37)	24.5% (78)	318
m. Teen Recreation Center	4.8% (15)	16.1% (50)	14.5% (45)	64.6% (201)	311

n. Please list and rank any other recreational resources you or a family member would use if provided in Shelburne:

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answered question

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skipped question

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6. Shelburne currently offers recreational activities such as baseball, basketball, ice skating, senior walk (indoors), soccer (outdoors), softball, tennis and volleyball. Would you or a family member participate in any of the following recreational activities currently not offered by Shelburne?

	I definitely would participate	I might participate	I probably would not participate	I would not participate	Rating Count
a. Fitness; aerobics; yoga, etc.	22.4% (68)	45.4% (138)	16.1% (49)	16.1% (49)	304
b. Nature walks; guided hikes	20.6% (63)	41.8% (128)	18.3% (56)	19.3% (59)	306
c. Soccer (indoor)	5.9% (18)	12.2% (37)	23.1% (70)	58.7% (178)	303
d. Card games; board games	3.0% (9)	27.3% (82)	29.3% (88)	40.3% (121)	300
e. Arts and crafts	7.3% (22)	36.7% (110)	24.7% (74)	31.3% (94)	300
f. Adult education classes (list subjects in box below)	12.3% (37)	45.5% (137)	18.9% (57)	23.3% (70)	301
g. Dances (list types in box below)	10.9% (33)	26.0% (79)	27.6% (84)	35.5% (108)	304
h. Kickball	1.7% (5)	7.0% (21)	30.5% (91)	60.7% (181)	298
i. Preschool play group at the Cowell Gym	3.0% (9)	8.1% (24)	17.5% (52)	71.4% (212)	297
j. Open gym at the Cowell	8.6% (26)	24.9% (75)	20.9% (63)	45.5% (137)	301
k. Book club; reading groups	5.9% (18)	34.0% (103)	28.1% (85)	32.0% (97)	303
l. Street hockey (indoor)	2.7% (8)	5.4% (16)	25.5% (76)	66.4% (198)	298
m. Activities for seniors (describe types in box below)	9.5% (28)	29.3% (86)	21.4% (63)	39.8% (117)	294
n. Badminton (indoor)	3.6% (11)	16.6% (50)	26.2% (79)	53.6% (162)	302
o. Horse shoes	3.0% (9)	18.7% (56)	27.1% (81)	51.2% (153)	299

p. Please list and rank any other recreational activities you or a family member would participate in if offered by Shelburne: 81

answered question	314
skipped question	25

7. Which actions would you take to support the long term stability of local agriculture and forestry?

	I definitely would do	I might do	I probably would not do	I would not do	Rating Count
a. Become a supporting member of the Shelburne Falls Farmers Market by giving a monetary donation to help defray the costs of running the market (i.e. land rental, advertising).	14.9% (46)	38.3% (118)	28.9% (89)	17.9% (55)	308
b. Attend the SF Farmers Market and purchase locally produced items.	60.3% (191)	33.1% (105)	4.4% (14)	2.2% (7)	317
c. Serve on a committee to establish a community garden within the village area.	4.9% (15)	16.7% (51)	37.0% (113)	41.3% (126)	305
d. Allow agriculture such as raising poultry and rabbits in the village residential area.	36.8% (114)	27.4% (85)	13.9% (43)	21.9% (68)	310
e. Ask the Agricultural Commission to assist farmers and forestry businesses in navigating the rules and restrictions for new projects.	35.5% (107)	34.6% (104)	13.0% (39)	16.9% (51)	301
f. Contribute to a fund to make dollars available to purchase farms and land as it comes available.	15.4% (47)	30.8% (94)	24.3% (74)	29.5% (90)	305
g. Volunteer your expertise, funds, or other resources like land, buildings or equipment to create a "Shelburne Agriculture and Forestry Incubator" to help new farmers and foresters and help existing farm and forestry entrepreneurs to develop new endeavors.	9.1% (27)	23.8% (71)	32.9% (98)	34.2% (102)	298

h. Please list and rank any other actions you would take to support the long term stability of local agriculture and forestry: 55

answered question 318

8. Please indicate whether you agree with the following statements about balancing the need for development with the need to protect open space:

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / need more information	Rating Count
a. The Town should enact regulations that specify the size and locations of alternative energy systems. (e.g. solar, wind, fracking, etc.)	51.4% (163)	21.1% (67)	7.3% (23)	11.0% (35)	9.1% (29)	317
b. The Town should make it easier for developers to protect open space in new residential and commercial developments by clustering houses/structures closer together.	30.2% (94)	24.1% (75)	11.3% (35)	16.4% (51)	18.0% (56)	311
c. The Town should enact regulations that limit what can be built on hilltops and mountain ridgelines.	40.3% (127)	24.4% (77)	11.1% (35)	15.9% (50)	8.3% (26)	315
d. The Town should keep all of Route 2 zoned "commercial" which now allows for development of a "commercial strip" corridor.	22.0% (69)	16.3% (51)	18.2% (57)	19.5% (61)	24.0% (75)	313
e. The Town should maintain current zoning which allows building single family homes on 2 acre lots with 250' frontage along existing roads.	24.0% (75)	32.9% (103)	9.6% (30)	5.4% (17)	28.1% (88)	313
f. The Town should encourage siting commercial development in the village areas in order to preserve open space.	23.5% (73)	37.6% (117)	8.4% (26)	13.2% (41)	17.4% (54)	311
g. The Town should amend the Zoning Bylaws to allow building on "flag lots" or to allow several lots to share one driveway to encourage the development of back lands without the need to file subdivision	24.0% (73)	23.0% (70)	13.2% (40)	8.9% (27)	30.9% (94)	304

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h. The Town should focus additional efforts on promoting and serving the tourism industry.	25.7% (78)	43.4% (132)	11.8% (36)	3.6% (11)	15.5% (47)	304
i. The Town should authorize the Planning Board to review and approve the site plans of new commercial developments.	32.9% (102)	39.4% (122)	5.5% (17)	2.3% (7)	20.0% (62)	310
j. The Town should work to preserve the Mohawk Trail through Shelburne as a scenic corridor, and limit development that breaks up scenic vistas.	45.4% (142)	29.4% (92)	7.7% (24)	11.5% (36)	6.1% (19)	313







k. Please list and rank any other ideas about balancing the need for development with the need to protect open space: 57

answered question	322
skipped question	17




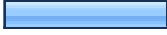


9. What one feature do you like best about living in Shelburne?

	Response Count
	252
answered question	252
skipped question	87

10. What are the three most important open space and recreation issues facing Shelburne, and what are your suggestions for solutions?

		Response Percent	Response Count
1. Issue:		99.4%	168
Suggested Solutions:		81.1%	137
2. Issue:		71.0%	120
Suggested Solutions:		58.0%	98
3. Issue:		52.1%	88
Suggested Solutions:		42.6%	72
		answered question	169
		skipped question	170

11. What are the best ways for you to receive information about open space & recreation issues? Please check all that apply.

		Response Percent	Response Count
email		47.4%	137
public access TV		7.3%	21
newspaper		45.7%	132
town website		24.2%	70
mailed newsletter		55.0%	159
social media		11.1%	32





If there are other ways you'd like to receive information, please list. Also, please list the topics you would like to receive information about. 76

answered question	289
skipped question	50













12. Please indicate the number of people in your household in the following age categories:

	Response Average	Response Total	Response Count
0-18	1.57	141	90
19-40	1.43	120	84
41-60	1.67	240	144
over 60	3.29	529	161
answered question			320
skipped question			19

13. How long have you been a resident in Shelburne?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Less than 5 years		14.6%	47
5-10 years		14.0%	45
10-20 years		20.6%	66
more than 20 years		50.8%	163
answered question			321
skipped question			18

14. Please check all that apply:

		Response Percent	Response Count
I live in the Shelburne Falls village area		46.4%	147
I live in a rural-agricultural area		41.3%	131
I own property along Route 2		12.9%	41
My property is enrolled in Chapter 61-61A-61B		11.4%	36
I own a working farm		5.7%	18
I own less than 5 acres of undeveloped land		14.2%	45
I live in the Shelburne Center village area		13.9%	44
I am a commercial property owner		6.3%	20
I own property along the Deerfield River		6.3%	20
I own forest area		19.2%	61
I own more than 5 acres of undeveloped land		23.3%	74
I do not live in Shelburne		0.3%	1
		answered question	317
		skipped question	22

15. Other Comments, Ideas and Challenges - please describe.

	Response Count
	286
answered question	286
skipped question	53

Page 3, Q2. Rate how important you believe each of the following issues is for Shelburne:

1	a. limited	Mar 27, 2013 9:16 AM
2	maintaining roads for safe walking + biking	Mar 25, 2013 5:53 PM
3	(on town land!) prohibit use of pesticides & chemicals	Mar 25, 2013 5:43 PM
4	i. big expense to town o. Define scenic view?? Subject to each individual opinion. ?Potholes ?Bridge of flowers	Mar 25, 2013 4:55 PM
5	sewage receptacle Shel Falls n. Excuse Me? Whose?	Mar 25, 2013 3:25 PM
6	j. Open up the Potholes	Feb 26, 2013 12:47 PM
7	m. see sttached	Feb 25, 2013 3:35 PM
8	e. not town business i. not town business	Feb 25, 2013 3:24 PM
9	growth development	Feb 21, 2013 9:36 AM
10	e. VERY important	Feb 12, 2013 8:51 PM
11	Preserve history of Shelburne Falls, its old homes, industry	Feb 12, 2013 8:43 PM
12	Creating and maintaining an economically viable downtown	Feb 12, 2013 8:15 PM
13	k. Cost?	Feb 12, 2013 7:10 PM
14	Adequate, affordable senior housing	Feb 12, 2013 6:48 PM
15	Promote traditional skills, activities, educ materials, apprenticing for youths and adults....	Feb 12, 2013 5:29 PM
16	h. Let landowners do this m. Allow alternative energy development	Feb 7, 2013 10:41 PM
17	d. Your Committee is invasive....	Feb 7, 2013 9:12 PM
18	p. The State does this.....	Feb 7, 2013 8:52 PM
19	e & i---VERY IMPORTANT!	Feb 7, 2013 8:24 PM
20	More handicap accessibility---very important	Feb 5, 2013 8:21 PM
21	h,n,o,p most important r least important	Feb 5, 2013 5:56 PM
22	How to wean Town off tourism	Feb 5, 2013 5:48 PM
23	regulating proliferation of small signs such as on Rt 2 at Hagars and Arowhead shops	Feb 2, 2013 2:55 PM
24	allow swimming at the potholes	Feb 2, 2013 12:54 PM
25	Regulating roadside sinage	Feb 1, 2013 6:38 PM
26	m. responsibly	Feb 1, 2013 6:23 PM

Page 3, Q2. Rate how important you believe each of the following issues is for Shelburne:

27	inter town collaborations about sharing facilities/resources	Feb 1, 2013 6:10 PM
28	m. No development + if development, siting is very important	Feb 1, 2013 12:49 PM
29	strip development along Rt 2 threatens the beauty of our town, The zoning must be changed to rural/agricultural to preserve this resource. Do not let the state expand and widen Rt 2; instead, preserve the farms and views along the Mohawk Trail Wildlife corridors should be identified and preserved through Selburne to Colrain, etc. Town borders are artificial barriers - we need regional approach to wildlife protection and open space management.	Jan 30, 2013 10:46 PM
30	1.As the need for energy increases I feel the placement of alternative energy must be done very very carefully as not to ruin the landscape. Wind generation has it place. It does not fit this area. Solar farms are a less intrusive option. The community should not suffer a quality loss so a few can make money. 2. Preserving the rural character is important. It is what is the draw for the tourist and home owner. New business is important and should be in support of the rural enterprises. The stone factory on Colrain road is a good example. 3. The Potholes are a liability that needs some development to ease that liability. I do not know how. Preserving older buildings such as Cowell, Memorial Hall, the library etc. is important for the character of the town. 4. Help land owners with management option and ideas.	Jan 29, 2013 8:17 PM
31	d. Need more info (invasive plant control) i. How much land do we have for recreation now? k. Use Cowell Gym q. Need to blend historic pres with energy efficiency and contemporary utility of buildings r. Encourage biz owners and employees tob park and walk to work. Support VIC. s. Involve SFABA in providing more info on recreation. We need better access to hiking trail from Arms Cemetary to High Ledges. Better marked trail.	Jan 29, 2013 6:25 PM
32	Bring more arts and parades to town	Jan 29, 2013 5:59 PM
33	encouraging neighbors to walk to town	Jan 28, 2013 5:05 PM
34	Don't kill the golden goose, we do not need more parking	Jan 28, 2013 4:33 PM
35	Keeping the town economically viable for young people to live in Shelburne and raise their familys	Jan 28, 2013 1:28 PM
36	- It is important to me that Shelburne is very welcoming to families, so to support the schools and the community as a whole. I would love to see another play ground. - Free summer concerts at the band stand near the elementary school. -I want to know about all possible recreational opportunities for adults and their children, such as hiking trails, public use of school properties, river access. Not only should residents know what is available to them for recreation, but also the visiting public should be able to find out what public areas are available for use. This could be on the town website. - Lastly, I think there needs to be a balance between protecting and conserving land with having build-able land and an opportunity for more business to come into this region.	Jan 28, 2013 1:18 PM
37	community swimming resource	Jan 28, 2013 10:50 AM
38	m) Extremely important r) restroom	Jan 27, 2013 12:07 AM

Page 3, Q2. Rate how important you believe each of the following issues is for Shelburne:

39	Just a comment: All of the things listed are important to be considered, however the way the statements are phrased I think you may not get a true picture of opinions on this survey. For instance "Regulating building development on ridge lines". While I really enjoy looking at uninterrupted ridge lines, it is not my property. If it were my property, I wouldn't want any progressive, elitist, do gooder telling me where I can build a home on my property with respect to "views." The same for scenic views. If I were a farmer and wanted to let my open space pasture land grow into weeds and brush...it's my property. For those on the committee who have some history in this town, you may remember previous heated controversies over some of these same issues. Hill Yankees have long memories... "Increasing the rate of residential development"...Is increase a positive or negative...Yes, we need more residential development, it is very important. Or, No, it is very import that we do NOT increase development. There are others that could be interpreted in a +/- manner. How the committee interprets these will be very interesting. Good luck.	Jan 25, 2013 12:27 PM
40	Through hiking on Mahican-Mohawk Trail	Jan 25, 2013 10:38 AM
41	o. Windmills do not destroy views. They provide safe energy. q. Depending on level or repair needed. This is a cost issue. j.Use for a safe swimming area for locals. Minimize outsider use. Need to provide parking.	Jan 24, 2013 10:24 PM
42	Keep regulation and intrusive government to a minimum.	Jan 24, 2013 9:54 PM
43	Maintaining publications such as 'The Independent' which foster communication among groups with similar goals.	Jan 24, 2013 2:38 PM
44	Solar, solar, solar. We have to stop putting carbon into the atmosphere. Everything else is baby potatoes compared to the huge problem of global temperature rise.	Jan 22, 2013 10:12 AM
45	I want to be sure that the aspects that drew us to this area in the first place are maintained, namely: - a walkable, welcoming downtown that has businesses that serve our daily needs (e.g. post office, grocery store, newstand, etc.) - beautiful forested areas- I would like to see more access to woodlands for recreation such as hiking. -I'd be interested in alternative energy sources if the electricity they produced was used locally. Otherwise, I don't think siting large wind turbines so near residential areas is a good idea.	Jan 21, 2013 10:08 PM
46	@ A and I. Need more info	Jan 21, 2013 5:31 PM
47	Less posted land.	Jan 21, 2013 3:14 PM
48	Waiting for new tech for water power--Geo T	Jan 21, 2013 2:36 PM
49	@ M. Solar @ T. Stop industrial wind!	Jan 21, 2013 2:11 PM
50	We need public space to teach classes and workshops in -- what we have is too little and costs too much and even is closed to us! SF Community Center.	Jan 21, 2013 1:16 PM
51	More village shade trees--preserve and replant	Jan 21, 2013 1:11 PM
52	Add hydro power to M.	Jan 21, 2013 12:49 PM

Page 3, Q2. Rate how important you believe each of the following issues is for Shelburne:

53	need for bylaws for alternative energy having a plan and rationale for preserving farm land and forest land preserving rural character of Shelburne	Jan 20, 2013 7:35 PM
54	r.) restroom facilities t. Other: I would love a town-managed swimming area limited to Shelburne / Bucklands residents and their day guests - a natural area.	Jan 20, 2013 6:16 PM
55	Alternative energy sources should not include fracking.	Jan 20, 2013 12:50 PM
56	Better utilizing Cowell Gym and other town fields/courts. Open Space (Cluster) Development Required	Jan 20, 2013 1:12 AM
57	I think it is crucial for Shelburne land owners to maintain the rights to the property that they have worked so hard for their entire lives (and generations before them). The transplants and here today-gone tomorrow "residents" of Shelburne should NOT be entitled to make decisions about open-space and zoning, for it is none of their business. By taking away the rights of the citizens, you are not only going against the Constitution, but are driving young, educated, and financially viable citizens OUT of Shelburne forever.	Jan 17, 2013 8:32 PM
58	I think it is important to preserve Shelburne exactly as it is - a lovely little New England village. I do not believe we should encourage anymore recreation for the town to have to deal with - garbage and ambulances. I believe the landowners have the right to do exactly what they want with their own land. I think outsiders move into town and do not have enough to keep them occupied so they like to be on committees to change the way things are. I think they need to find new hobbies.	Jan 17, 2013 7:21 PM
59	Any land getting a tax break should NOT be allowed to be posted	Jan 17, 2013 6:01 PM
60	Very concerned about the encroachment on personal property owners and their rights to do best by their own land and property. These new implants dressed up and pretending to have Shelburnes best interests in mind by regulating the very people to death that have made Shelburne what is is are entitled elitists who will be the death of the town as we know it. These land owners will not sustain what everyone "wants" left open unless they are left alone to enjoy what they own and have created with their hard work. It is appalling. If these vistas are so important to the town then the town should identify them and incentivize a plan to make it worth the owners while to keep it all open, i.e. take them off the tax rolls. The town is all too quick to keep raising taxes and these land owners can not and most importantly do not owe it to this group to keep land open for others enjoyment. Who gave these people all these entitlements. This survey is like giving people a Christmas list check off. I think this OSC needs to back off. Where is the check off to eliminate taxes as an incentive???? Where? The big land owners are not even on any of the town boards, just a bunch of wanna bees. This is wrong, but very telling. Shelburne you are putting a lot of pressure on the very people that you should be courting in an effort to make it easier for them and not harder.	Jan 17, 2013 9:29 AM
61	Energy. Wind.	Jan 16, 2013 8:21 PM
62	Appoint three ad hoc long-range planning committees to address issues that will confront the Town. Capital Improvements Committee -- planning for the preservation and funding of the Town's historic structures. Master Plan	Jan 16, 2013 4:05 PM

Page 3, Q2. Rate how important you believe each of the following issues is for Shelburne:

	Committee -- to create a long range vision for growth in the Town. Energy Committee -- to plan for the long-term energy sustainability of Town.	
63	Business,Business, Business throughout Shelburne. Shelburne Falls is not as important as it is just a tiny set up and leave for short sighted grant funded types.	Jan 16, 2013 1:37 PM
64	Extremely important --Incorporating a site review process for development of open space (fields, forests) into our Town bylaws --Pass CPA so our town will have funds for recreation and land conservation --Come up with an alternative to ANR for development of small parcels, lest we become more suburban and less rural	Jan 15, 2013 2:03 PM
65	Preserving families.	Jan 15, 2013 1:26 PM
66	Public Transportation (very important)	Jan 14, 2013 7:17 PM
67	Internet	Jan 14, 2013 4:51 PM
68	o. For whom?	Jan 14, 2013 4:32 PM
69	More wind power/energy	Jan 14, 2013 11:28 AM
70	would love a bike path	Jan 14, 2013 10:47 AM
71	b) Very Important: stopping the loss of agricultural lands t) Very Important: Hydraulic fracturing for gas should be banned	Jan 13, 2013 11:51 PM
72	m. not wind. Solar	Jan 13, 2013 9:53 PM
73	m) negative impacts on individuals t) Other: Do not sacrifice individuals rights to perceived community benefit	Jan 13, 2013 5:30 PM
74	High speed internet in rural areas	Jan 12, 2013 10:59 PM
75	support wind energy; No to a 40 yr old Nuke	Jan 10, 2013 9:43 PM
76	Access to hiking from the village, including safe ways to cross Rt. 2. Access to the River. Bike Trails. Limit Traffic on Rt. 2. Rt. 2 has become a major truck Route for commercial trucking passing through, avoiding tolls on other routes. The traffic, noise and air pollution has increased exponentially since 2006, threatening our health. 4 neighbors have moved because of it and have had trouble selling there properties because of it. Also Shelburne is 3 very separate communities: The Village, Patten Hill And that 3rd South Shelburne area. biking, hiking and making Route 2 crossable. Zoning to prevent strip mall development on rt 2. Plus incentives to keep downtown vital.	Jan 10, 2013 6:08 PM
77	safe swimming	Jan 9, 2013 5:29 PM
78	I rated as only moderately important increasing the rate of commercial growth. I am not opposed to , indeed even support. Business growth, but I feel that the quality,type and location of new business is more important than the rate of increase.	Jan 3, 2013 8:39 PM
79	I struggle to know what is going on in town, in terms of recreation opportunities.	Jan 3, 2013 7:44 PM

Page 3, Q2. Rate how important you believe each of the following issues is for Shelburne:

So much seems to be passed along by word of mouth. I would love to see the town use it's website or some website to let people know what's going on (especially true for kids sports activities). Also, I'd like to see a network of x-c ski trails, similar to the snowmobile trails, but separate and specifically for non-motorized use. Finally, I really appreciate that you took the time to do this survey. Thanks!

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Concerned about the negative impacts of wind turbines, but would like to encourage solar, especially on lands not visable in scenic areas.

Dec 26, 2012 11:02 PM

Page 4, Q3. Which actions do you support to protect/conserv

1	a. not fair to remaining taxpayers c. fewer taxpayers fund this town	Mar 25, 2013 5:55 PM
2	b. cost townspeople too much c. for a tax loophole? Taxes up, rents up tax loophole for big acre landowner and now townspeople stuck with upkeep, expense, maint. Why would a town want this burden? d. paid by whom? After collecting big \$ (Fed) investment/ gentlemen farmers now wants town to pay for his left over mess. F. ?? depends who owns it. Can't they have a say in land they pay tax on. 12 chickens could be consid farming g. plenty of grant money for this. h. don't keep making taxes/rents go up in our town Rents are going to have to go up (way up to compensate) No rent control in Mass!!!! CSA land is farm land. Do all these people want to give up land rights?	Mar 25, 2013 5:03 PM
3	The town should allow development of affordable housing & new home owners	Mar 25, 2013 4:30 PM
4	Tax relief for dairy farmers - i.e. no taxes	Mar 25, 2013 3:57 PM
5	e. oppose costs taxpayer \$	Mar 25, 2013 3:51 PM
6	a. taxpayers This would only add expense and liability to the town. Too expensive to maintain land that someone else profited from by selling the rights (federal grant/\$profits) Let the big landowners that already profited personally, now deal with the expense of owning & maintaining & not make the townspeople pay for their "donated" tax break. This has been a long term investment plan to screw the townspeople for personal gain and townspeople don't see it. Why have taxes keep going up as well as rents (which they will) if this stuff is allowed. No rent control in Mass. f. all separate issues	Mar 25, 2013 3:39 PM
7	Back off! Totally support	Mar 25, 2013 3:26 PM
8	f. Strongly support development zoning by-laws to protect environment....	Feb 26, 2013 1:01 PM
9	tax relief for farmers - no tax for them	Feb 21, 2013 9:37 AM
10	At first glance, a,b,c,e seem complicated and expensive	Feb 12, 2013 5:31 PM
11	Tax incentives for farmers	Feb 7, 2013 10:27 PM
12	Propose a more limited zoning change for Rte 2, state road ONLY	Feb 5, 2013 11:45 PM
13	no windtowers on Mt. Massemott	Feb 2, 2013 3:36 PM
14	any and all methods to acquire rights to open space should be supported and pursued	Feb 2, 2013 2:56 PM
15	g. not affordable housing	Feb 1, 2013 6:11 PM
16	The town should take all measures available to preserve and protect open space - it is an irreplaceable resource. The CPA would allow us to access state funds to apply toward preserving historic resources (like Arms Library), open space and affordable housing - - the small tax would be well worth the benefit. How can the Town partner with FranklinLand Trust, DCR, FRCOG, etc to set up programs to acquire conservation easements along Route 2, along the Deerfield River and to help preserve farms and open pastures? We need a proactive approach before it is too late. The potholes should be linked along the River and	Jan 30, 2013 10:54 PM

Page 4, Q3. Which actions do you support to protect/conserve open space and natural resources in Shelburne?

	MM trail - find ways to work with landowners to open land for access Contact the Trustees of Reservation to manage this area.	
17	enter into an agreement for broadband for rural Shelburne	Jan 30, 2013 5:26 PM
18	1. Protect our rural skyline. No wind turbines. Wind has its place, our scenic ridge line is not the place. Careful development of the ridge line must be practiced. 2. Zoning should be established not to limit but to allow careful consideration of the plans. Decisions should not be made without careful thought. 3. Special interest groups particularly non-locals should not be allowed to scoop up land , develop, make money then leave.	Jan 29, 2013 8:19 PM
19	Zoning incentives to encourage development in or near existing villages, cluster zoning, accessory apts.....	Jan 29, 2013 6:27 PM
20	for sale signs mailboxes	Jan 29, 2013 10:28 AM
21	e. Taxpayer pay for this. Landowner gets huge tax incentives - like Payne & we pay for it	Jan 29, 2013 10:22 AM
22	lowering speed limit into + within town	Jan 28, 2013 5:06 PM
23	The town should NOT take action in these protecting land activities. This is why we have the FRANKLING LAND TRUST. The town should be more concerned with things like EDUCATION for our children, not raising property taxes to protect land, hence creating no space for people to live, let alone affordably.	Jan 28, 2013 1:34 PM
24	I support the town to conserve open space, but not to put open space as the main priority. I support the town making decision which will help grow the community, not block tax payers from moving here, and not block families from joining in our school system.	Jan 28, 2013 1:34 PM
25	Have mixed feelings. Believe in the preservation of land, tax break for owners, etc., but what if too much land is off tax rolls, where does town get money??!! Don't think others should pay more taxes!	Jan 25, 2013 10:02 AM
26	f. areas change with time and nature. g. Depends on what is considered affordable housing, and whether locals will have priority.	Jan 24, 2013 10:26 PM
27	Keep government out of the market.	Jan 24, 2013 9:55 PM
28	I imagine that there would be different consequences, (not simply taxed versus untaxed) of relying heavily on any one of options a - g, but I can't begin to imagine at this time what they are.	Jan 24, 2013 2:46 PM
29	The town should buy land to erect solar energy systems and accept donations of land to erect solar energy systems. The town should make the erection of solar energy systems its absolutely top priority. The town should lead the way and set an example for other towns.	Jan 22, 2013 10:14 AM
30	I don't want to discourage new housing initiatives on previous farmland. However, I'd like to make sure they fit the character of the area, as in, no sprawling subdivisions. I'd like to see more cluster-communities, like the co-housing model, with shared open space for gardens.	Jan 21, 2013 10:12 PM

Page 4, Q3. Which actions do you support to protect/conservate open space and natural resources in Shelburne?

31	@ F. Need more info	Jan 21, 2013 4:15 PM
32	@ E. Want to be sure the town will honor conservation needs of the town.	Jan 21, 2013 4:05 PM
33	@ A. Would it then be taxed to leasee?	Jan 21, 2013 3:39 PM
34	@ C-E. Not clear, I'm not up on what this means. @ I. Opposition to ATV/4 wheeling	Jan 21, 2013 2:12 PM
35	Tax breaks for farmers.	Jan 21, 2013 2:06 PM
36	Do we really want to be in the real estate business???	Jan 21, 2013 2:00 PM
37	Flexible zoning to allow work from home, teaching from home.	Jan 21, 2013 1:17 PM
38	a.) not timber	Jan 20, 2013 5:53 PM
39	It is absolutely NOT up to the town to determine how land should be "protected or conserved." It is up to the land owners and the land owners only. Would you like it if I came to YOUR backyard and said you couldn't put up a swing set, paint your door a certain color, or plant certain types of bushes? I bet you would not enjoy that. Taking away land owner rights is unconstitutional.	Jan 17, 2013 8:32 PM
40	I believe this is entirely up to the landowner.	Jan 17, 2013 7:25 PM
41	Ask Norman Davenport about APR, easements, the land trust scam. The town can not afford to own land, we can not afford to pay for or care for land as a town.	Jan 17, 2013 9:31 AM
42	Stop taxing real farmers who use their land for real agriculture. Any that have received grant money or support already from us who are reped by the govt are of course excluded	Jan 16, 2013 2:00 PM
43	What money will Shelburne be utilizing to purchase all these rights? Will all your trust fund babes be pulling weeds by hand?	Jan 16, 2013 1:44 PM
44	a. don't support use for timber Keep Bridge St building to current heights	Jan 15, 2013 8:36 PM
45	h. natural resources should be protected	Jan 14, 2013 10:48 AM
46	i) Building awareness and consensus for town's aesthetic resources (aka "beautiful places")	Jan 14, 2013 12:14 AM
47	f) taking rights from owners (Note from data entry-- citizen underlined "farmland" and "open space") i) Other actions: Do support: Develop alternative energy by-laws that protect individuals	Jan 13, 2013 5:37 PM
48	Note on a): The problem is the town has no money to do this!	Jan 13, 2013 5:05 PM
49	Hunting laws and times must be very clear to all. Many young families and dog walkers I know have stories about running into armed hunters on the hiking trails in town. It's only a matter of time before there is a terrible accident.	Jan 10, 2013 6:12 PM
50	It appears to me that neither the open space committee nor the agricultural	Jan 3, 2013 8:50 PM

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committee has any real authority or power. The open space committee seems to be very proactive, but I am unaware of any initiatives by the agricultural committee. Perhaps these boards need real power and real budgets. I would think that a more active and visible agricultural committee would be a positive step as well. The recreation commission has a budget, and I believe that there is a member from the recreation commission on the open space committee, but I am not aware of any coordinated efforts to maximize open space for recreation. There are recreational opportunities outside the Cowell gym.

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Seek a balance between conservation and reasonable, responsible development. I don't like or agree with extreme positions on this issue. People should be able to develop their land to a degree but measures should be taken to preserve the rural character of the town.

Jan 3, 2013 7:49 PM

Page 5, Q4. How would you suggest that Shelburne sustain its quality of life, small town environment, and historical resources?

1	d. open space? f. schools should be doing this with parents involvement	Mar 25, 2013 5:55 PM
2	a. village too small for a new development	Mar 25, 2013 5:03 PM
3	Bring in new businesses & home owners & affordable housing	Mar 25, 2013 4:31 PM
4	a. will have opposite effect b. very few kids left - people are leaving town g. School kids could work on farms - parents could pay farmers so kids get experience	Mar 25, 2013 3:58 PM
5	By leaving it alone	Mar 25, 2013 3:51 PM
6	close high school and fit all at BCS now.	Mar 25, 2013 3:26 PM
7	more community events - movies, puppet shows, other fun things that don't involve shopping	Feb 25, 2013 3:52 PM
8	stop buying up land/farm land with residential tax money...you drive the local people out (Local history!) and bring in richer people from out of the area	Feb 25, 2013 3:25 PM
9	does b+f mean schools or is it just an age group?	Feb 21, 2013 10:13 AM
10	a. counterproductive	Feb 21, 2013 9:37 AM
11	b. Give kids a role and responsibility! Guide/docent, historic reenactment, work-on-a-farm day, meals made and served by kids as weekly/monthly benefit.....	Feb 12, 2013 5:33 PM
12	a. clearly misleading b. so kids can see how wrong it is	Feb 7, 2013 9:34 PM
13	f. Parents should do this.....	Feb 7, 2013 9:13 PM
14	Not sure what is meant by 4A. Do you mean as compared to development on Route 2?	Feb 4, 2013 6:45 AM
15	c. make cemeteries available to people with dogs (living cemeteries) Establish a dog park	Feb 2, 2013 3:20 PM
16	schools need to step up and develop appropriate curriculum	Feb 2, 2013 2:57 PM
17	Create and publish in print and on town website an inventory (w. photos) of our historic + agri. resources	Feb 1, 2013 6:40 PM
18	work with power companies + non profits to gain more access + use of river + control	Feb 1, 2013 6:12 PM
19	We need an active Business Association to seriously address issues of business development. It would be great to appoint a Historic Commission to work on these issues. Why is there no collaboration between the schools and town boards such as agriculture historic on curriculum development?	Jan 30, 2013 11:00 PM
20	a. would like to see other areas developed	Jan 30, 2013 5:27 PM
21	b. Use school land to teach gardening. Supply the cafeteria. c. Historical Society	Jan 29, 2013 6:30 PM

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	has \$\$\$. They could do this. e. Use SFABA staff and volunteers. f. Create partnerships between schools and local residents and orgs. Explore after hours use of BSE and Mowawk HS and other empty space for adult ed activities, biz incubators, etc/	
22	Support parades and cultural events	Jan 29, 2013 6:00 PM
23	Shelburne should make sure home businesses are welcomed into the future.	Jan 28, 2013 1:36 PM
24	river is underutilized, undermaintained	Jan 25, 2013 12:30 PM
25	b. Have technical education for 9-12 grades related to farming. c. Land should be for the living. f. Young people need to be exposed early on to achieve interest in their own communities. Develop volunteer programs,; invite new people via community picnics.	Jan 24, 2013 10:31 PM
26	Attract industrial business	Jan 24, 2013 8:32 PM
27	I think that school involvement as suggested in b and g is VERY IMPORTANT, but I answered 'Not very important' because I think "curriculum" is too strong a word given the schools' responsibilities to do so much else.	Jan 24, 2013 2:52 PM
28	Most important: Limit commercial development along the Route 2 corridor, but allow some moderate amount of solar energy systems visible from Route 2, if necessary.	Jan 22, 2013 10:17 AM
29	@ D. All important EXCEPT gym and cemetery @ G. Prioritize Bridge of Flowers; reduce upgrades of police cruisers and other vehicle expenditures	Jan 21, 2013 2:13 PM
30	@ E. Not all have access to public access TV!!	Jan 21, 2013 2:01 PM
31	@ D. Only if they become more open for use. @ G. Local food supply, clean water to drink. Local everything!!	Jan 21, 2013 1:18 PM
32	Include agriculture in F. ^	Jan 21, 2013 12:08 PM
33	Tourism might be a good way to generate income for local businesses, at the same time maintaining a small town community. I think a key factor in the success of a historical small town with a lot to offer is connectivity with a strong online presence. Not only would that allow tourism and retail to flourish, but provide the infrastructure needed to keep tourists connected to online social networks while visiting the Village and surrounding areas. It could be possible some of those funds could be transferred to preservation of environmentally sensitive areas, open space, public trust access to river and wildlife areas, and historic buildings and other town improvements.	Jan 20, 2013 1:02 PM
34	Support community activities (fairs, sports leagues, hikes, historical presentations etc)	Jan 20, 2013 1:15 AM
35	Live and let live.	Jan 17, 2013 7:28 PM
36	Donate or sell, or charge a fee for usage of Cowell Gym and Arm Library	Jan 17, 2013 6:02 PM

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37	Leave people alone. Shel Falls is not big enough to focus retail and development there. You gave up the burn site for a bank and should have had the "park" you all need so bad. We need to encourage growth in town, as well documented by the severe decline in the schools we have paid so dearly for, only 500 students at Mohawk??? No one wants to live here and raise a family. That is very telling to a society at large, never mind a small community like this. People can not afford it here. There is no place to grow and live. There is no industry, manufacturing, condo growth, housing projects, or God forbid JOBS!!!!!! That means our little stores and restaurants can't make it. You want farms, well do you support farmers products, stores or restaurants. Do you go to Gould's all the time to support their hard work and efforts to keep your "byway" beautiful?	Jan 17, 2013 9:39 AM
38	Appoint the following committees: Capital Improvements Committee Master Plan Committee Energy Committee Develop a pamphlet or brochure about the history of Shelburne and the special places and buildings in town that is mailed to every households and given to all new residents, so they have the ability to learn about the Town.	Jan 16, 2013 4:45 PM
39	This is outrageous. Shel Falls is a piss hole and can thank any of its existence to Shelburne center support over many years.	Jan 16, 2013 2:01 PM
40	Let it alone. It is better off without your interference.	Jan 16, 2013 1:45 PM
41	curfew for commercial vehicles	Jan 15, 2013 8:36 PM
42	FYI all the Town of Shelburne cemeteries ARE cataloged, photographed and are available online: www.findagrave.com Historians are continuing in this effort with Arms being 98% complete at this time. The rural cemeteries are in need of clean up and stone resetting and conservation work and regular maintenance. for more information you may contact: deebrochu@cocast.net	Jan 15, 2013 1:32 PM
43	Note on e): many residents don't have access	Jan 13, 2013 5:38 PM
44	Rt. 2 and its bypass around the town is compartmentalizing our community, bleeding our downtown of businesses, and it's noisy, polluting. Worst of all it's keeping us from accessing hiking and the River and open spaces. The new bridge across the Deerfield River near to the Village has no sidewalk! The car only mentality is ridiculous.	Jan 10, 2013 6:23 PM
45	b. agricultural curriculum: I have doubts that this would work	Jan 10, 2013 1:50 PM
46	d. capital plan: Shelburne Ctr. Library	Jan 9, 2013 9:43 AM
47	Appreciation of historical and agricultural resources may work well in the elementary schools and even the middle school, but beyond that I think it is more important for our students to have an agricultural program in a local school rather than having to attend Smith Vocational, with all the attendant costs to the Town. Whether this would occur at Mohawk or the Franklin County Tech school is open for discussion. There is a historical society, a historical commission, the bridge of flowers committee and perhaps more. If the activities of these groups are important to the Town, we should generously support them in our budget. We seem to be more generous to veterans cemeteries than these groups.	Jan 3, 2013 9:07 PM

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Although out of order, I feel that funding the open space committee the agricultural committee and the historical commission would be of primary importance.

48 Encourage business in town that provide necessary goods for residents while maintaining galleries for visitors. Encourage more community service activities of neighbors helping neighbors including helping those trying to preserve their land as open space

Dec 26, 2012 11:14 PM

Page 6, Q5. Would you or a family member use the following recreational resources if provided in Shelburne?

1	b. have my own i. kayak launch site m. would be good for kids n. hiking trails that would become snowshoe trails in winter	Mar 25, 2013 5:58 PM
2	Provided by town or private business? Town can't afford to do what some private businesses could be encouraged to do	Mar 25, 2013 5:37 PM
3	All town liability. Encourage some growth for comm/residential development = inc tourism. Let tourists pay (not townspeople = landowners and renters (no rent control)	Mar 25, 2013 5:05 PM
4	h. good to have though for towns & m. Kids need outlet!!! Daughter might but 18 now Good to have others that would use	Mar 25, 2013 4:33 PM
5	d. e. f. Already plenty available g. i. j. k. l. Liability issue	Mar 25, 2013 3:40 PM
6	l. Natural area--definitely would use; man-made--probably not.	Feb 26, 2013 1:12 PM
7	High tea	Feb 21, 2013 9:38 AM
8	This is an outstanding bicycling area.....	Feb 12, 2013 8:46 PM
9	g. ONLY on private land, please. m. Teen Center is needed in town: should be self-supported	Feb 12, 2013 7:15 PM
10	c. use as hiking and snowshoeing trails, as well.....	Feb 12, 2013 6:40 PM
11	c. use as hiking and snowshoe trails as well.	Feb 12, 2013 6:32 PM
12	The more rustic the better; handicapped accessible. LOW expense to the Town. g. I oppose this. i. No motors.	Feb 12, 2013 5:37 PM
13	l. VERY IMPORTANT!	Feb 7, 2013 8:12 PM
14	m. While I would not make use of a Teen Center, I would support the creation of one.	Feb 5, 2013 5:40 PM
15	Dog Park/ teen center important - have no teens	Feb 2, 2013 3:38 PM
16	a. (if dogs on leash allowed j. Definitely approve	Feb 2, 2013 3:22 PM
17	playground/outdoor basketball court	Feb 1, 2013 12:58 PM
18	collaborate with Buckland on rec programs	Jan 30, 2013 11:02 PM
19	1. Perhaps work with the Buckland Rec Committee to support the Buckland Recreation Area.	Jan 29, 2013 8:21 PM
20	Pingpong stadium; Bike-friendly trails, marked lanes on roadsides (Rte 2, 116, 112)	Jan 29, 2013 6:32 PM
21	j. But would be great for kids M. N/A	Jan 29, 2013 10:12 AM
22	m. no teens	Jan 28, 2013 5:01 PM

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23	Pickleball court in tennis area	Jan 28, 2013 4:50 PM
24	f. but important i. there is enough already	Jan 28, 2013 4:34 PM
25	sporting fields, rent for birthday parties.	Jan 28, 2013 1:43 PM
26	letter i --- I definitely would use public kayak and canoe launch area. But I DO NOT support power boat access.	Jan 27, 2013 1:08 PM
27	a) and b) would definitely use if I were younger J), k), l), and m) would not use, but support	Jan 27, 2013 12:22 AM
28	I already live on the river I. unless it was the potholes, in which case would definitely use	Jan 25, 2013 12:32 PM
29	Pickle ball court layout at one tennis court	Jan 25, 2013 10:35 AM
30	b. would need volunteer help or sponsors. f. only away from houses g. Too noisy, and destructive of land. So, only on specifically marked sites. j. Teens need places like this. m. We need to provide activities for kids: not only games, but exposure to the world, and helping activities through volunteering.	Jan 24, 2013 11:17 PM
31	j. YES! Would definitely use!	Jan 24, 2013 9:10 PM
32	At 82 years of age, I defer comments! j. For grandkids.....	Jan 24, 2013 8:19 PM
33	public telescope	Jan 24, 2013 2:55 PM
34	A public playground that could be used during the school day would be a wonderful resource for families & daycare providers. Currently there aren't any playground facilities that are available for toddlers/pre-schoolers/ to use during the school day.	Jan 22, 2013 11:45 AM
35	Cowell Gym ice rink--Yay it's open this year!	Jan 21, 2013 4:16 PM
36	Putt putt	Jan 21, 2013 2:37 PM
37	@ J. Wouldn't use, but still approve @ K. Strongly disapprove @ M. Approve	Jan 21, 2013 2:15 PM
38	A place to hold classes and workshops for us REASONABLY priced.	Jan 21, 2013 1:19 PM
39	Bike trails	Jan 21, 2013 1:12 PM
40	Better space/cheaper/better organized farmer's market. Sustainability and food use/cooking workshops.	Jan 21, 2013 12:58 PM
41	m.) but good for local families	Jan 20, 2013 5:53 PM
42	A Dog park and dog friendly businesses! There is a trend in travelers, tourists, families and individuals that like to participate in their daily activities with their dogs. A dog park would increase the town's ability to provide a place for dogs and their human companions to socialize with relatively low costs to the town. Dog friendly businesses and B&Bs would attract tourists and vacationers to stay longer in town and generate income. In addition, new doggie daycare and	Jan 20, 2013 1:16 PM

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	grooming businesses could be developed to cater to families that want to travel with their dogs rather than leave them at home. In addition, hiking trails allowing dogs would not only be beneficial for the community but a draw for folks on the more ecotourist part of the spectrum of tourists interested in the local arts of the village as well as local flora and fauna. Horseback/trail riding facilities and trails would be a new take on an old theme.	
43	Baseball fields and Cowell Gym,	Jan 20, 2013 1:17 AM
44	We aren't teens, but think a teen recreation center would be useful.	Jan 17, 2013 9:08 PM
45	9 hole golf course	Jan 17, 2013 7:30 PM
46	g. NO! k. NO!	Jan 17, 2013 5:54 PM
47	Ice fishing opportunities Tennis courts resurfacing Ice skating	Jan 16, 2013 4:49 PM
48	The town already has plenty of access over in S Shelburne on the Payne properties that we the governments tool have purchased. How do you think those slippers get paid for. Best bet for the town is to advertise that land and make sure he keeps our gates open, put some garbage cans out there for us will you?	Jan 16, 2013 2:04 PM
49	Peace and quiet and personal space.	Jan 16, 2013 1:46 PM
50	i. don't have a boat	Jan 15, 2013 8:53 PM
51	c. don't ski: no skis g. too noisy	Jan 15, 2013 8:38 PM
52	Comments ATV use trails should be separate from xcountry and hiking trails Although our family would not use a Teen Rec Center, it is an important resource the town should develop...	Jan 15, 2013 2:07 PM
53	Age 83	Jan 14, 2013 4:47 PM
54	m. however, that doesn't mean I wouldn't support one	Jan 14, 2013 11:00 AM
55	bike path	Jan 14, 2013 10:49 AM
56	n) Really like to see M&M trail go thru to Bardwell Ferry	Jan 14, 2013 12:14 AM
57	Other: Definitely would use: High Ledges- don't jeopardize it with industrial wind	Jan 13, 2013 5:40 PM
58	Soccer fields for public access!!!	Jan 13, 2013 5:19 PM
59	Dedicated running trails (definitely would use)	Jan 9, 2013 10:27 AM
60	Fenced dog park -definitely would use	Jan 8, 2013 2:23 PM
61	I am not eligible to use a teen center, but lack of recreational opportunities for teens seems to me to be a problem. School sports are primarily competitive and therefore selective. A teen center seems like a good idea to me. Teens could also be involved in making trails and enhancing open space.	Jan 3, 2013 9:14 PM

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1	m. Senior Ctr does a good job of all. re-iterate teen recreation	Mar 27, 2013 9:19 AM
2	f. Spanish	Mar 27, 2013 9:12 AM
3	perhaps develop a community center for ll ages, and not just for seniors	Mar 25, 2013 5:58 PM
4	There should be limits on what town government tries to offer	Mar 25, 2013 5:37 PM
5	j. Teens like this Good to have though	Mar 25, 2013 4:34 PM
6	. a. privately offered	Mar 25, 2013 4:00 PM
7	f. Any art or craft classes g. contra; pop	Feb 26, 2013 1:14 PM
8	m. But needed in town.....	Feb 26, 2013 12:51 PM
9	m. Not yet....	Feb 26, 2013 12:24 PM
10	f. first aid	Feb 25, 2013 3:53 PM
11	f. health & wellness g. swing + zydeco p. Nutritional	Feb 25, 2013 9:42 AM
12	a. Senior Center does some of this b. This is also being done m. We have Senior Center now p. This section is way off the charts	Feb 21, 2013 10:16 AM
13	k. not just for geezers	Feb 21, 2013 10:07 AM
14	m. Hikes	Feb 12, 2013 8:54 PM
15	b. Birding walks	Feb 12, 2013 8:47 PM
16	m. bus trips Although I wouldn't participate in many of these, I would support them all as long so they are were no expense to the town..... Should be self-supporting: no tax dollars involved. That includes heat for the gym.... If these activities are offered by the town, where is it made known to residents? Don;t think it is well-publicized. Ice skating?? never heard about this? Card and board games should be offered in the libraries.	Feb 12, 2013 7:31 PM
17	f. fiber arts; upholstery; watercolor painting from nature	Feb 12, 2013 6:43 PM
18	f. fiber arts; upholstery; watercolor painting---nature-based.	Feb 12, 2013 6:35 PM
19	Anything that builds connectivity and community.....all-age talent shows, festivals, campfires, parades, drama, OUTDOORs, handicapped accessible.... plus physical fitness, artistry, creativity, low-tech, intergenerational, engaging .will capture my attention and enthusiasm	Feb 12, 2013 5:40 PM
20	polo	Feb 7, 2013 10:54 PM
21	g. contradance	Feb 7, 2013 8:13 PM
22	i. preschool group at the Cowell---a good idea.	Feb 5, 2013 11:48 PM

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23	Regarding these two questions (5 and 6)---We are physically unable to participate in many of the mentioned activities: however, we think that the suggested ideas are very important. The town needs a good mix of activities for all ages and stages of life.	Feb 5, 2013 8:27 PM
24	c. & i. , VERY important	Feb 5, 2013 6:41 PM
25	i. good idea. swimming @ Buckland Rec.	Feb 2, 2013 3:39 PM
26	m. lectures, concerts, potlucks	Feb 2, 2013 1:02 PM
27	m. singing	Feb 1, 2013 6:42 PM
28	f. English Lit, American Hist., Art History	Feb 1, 2013 6:34 PM
29	f. growing/preserving food	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
30	f. agriculture	Feb 1, 2013 12:51 PM
31	1. Contra Dancing 2. Fly Tying 3. Painting & Drawing 4. Basic wood working 5. Ballroom Dancing	Jan 29, 2013 8:23 PM
32	f. Local history, geology g. Contra, waltz	Jan 29, 2013 6:34 PM
33	j. but kids + teens need it + post HS grads, college kids when they are home love going to pick up BB @ Cowell	Jan 29, 2013 10:14 AM
34	i. no kids	Jan 28, 2013 5:02 PM
35	Never heard of these (items already offered)	Jan 28, 2013 10:52 AM
36	Dances - square dancing, swing dancing (if lessons were included), ballroom dancing (again, lessons would be helpful to include), contra dancing.	Jan 28, 2013 4:38 AM
37	For f -- vegan cooking, nutritarian eating, Excel, website development, grant writing	Jan 27, 2013 1:10 PM
38	i) support	Jan 27, 2013 12:23 AM
39	m) joles. aerobics, yoga, garden	Jan 27, 2013 12:10 AM
40	c. outdoor soccer f. boating/fishing p. adult rugby, volleyball, soccer teams	Jan 25, 2013 12:34 PM
41	Pickleball	Jan 25, 2013 10:37 AM
42	f. computer literacy classes g. a variety, with dances for young and old at different events m. travel; trips Other activities could be: cooking; gardening; sewing. Pair young people with older folks and have them share knowledge, expertise about all sorts of activities--hunting, fishing, golf, swimming.....	Jan 24, 2013 11:22 PM
43	a. this is already offered in town	Jan 24, 2013 9:11 PM

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44	m. Trips	Jan 24, 2013 8:54 PM
45	f. history; architecture	Jan 24, 2013 8:42 PM
46	f. computer-related classes	Jan 24, 2013 8:21 PM
47	adult ed: gatherings to hear 'great courses' dances: fox trot, the right and left, square, contra	Jan 24, 2013 3:02 PM
48	g. Dances: Block, Holiday m. like ones offered now	Jan 24, 2013 10:13 AM
49	I'd love to see art classes offered for adults.	Jan 21, 2013 10:16 PM
50	Cowell Gym should be a fitness center for the town. The BS Elementary school has a full size b-ball court for that. And some equipment is already there and underutilized.	Jan 21, 2013 3:42 PM
51	Chess, etc. by farmer's market.	Jan 21, 2013 2:38 PM
52	@ G. Folk, contra, zumba	Jan 21, 2013 2:16 PM
53	@ G. Free dancing, natural movement-based, stretching and moving @ M. Art classes, dance classes	Jan 21, 2013 1:21 PM
54	Outdoor skating, ice hockey	Jan 21, 2013 11:22 AM
55	f.) Art	Jan 20, 2013 6:29 PM
56	l. - p. not applicable. i. no kids	Jan 20, 2013 5:55 PM
57	We organized and expertly tailored nature/historical walks could help restore and conserve historical elements of the town, provide educational opportunities to local schools and nonlocal tourists and visitors, and job opportunities for organizers and guides. Fitness and senior fitness programs will be beneficial to the entire town.	Jan 20, 2013 3:02 PM
58	Focus on improving your education system before you focus on all of these extras and maybe the town would not have so many problems.	Jan 17, 2013 8:33 PM
59	computer classes line dancing bridge group (cards)	Jan 17, 2013 7:34 PM
60	g. swing, salsa, not square type	Jan 17, 2013 6:03 PM
61	Bowling	Jan 17, 2013 5:55 PM
62	NONE	Jan 17, 2013 9:40 AM
63	Adult education and Senior Activities: not sure about specific programming. Perhaps the Recreation Committee and/or Open Space Committee could develop these lists and poll residents again.	Jan 16, 2013 4:54 PM
64	A ticket out	Jan 16, 2013 2:04 PM

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65	A good bar and loud music.	Jan 16, 2013 1:47 PM
66	f. CPR g. country, waltz, Zydeco m. plant identification	Jan 15, 2013 8:40 PM
67	Bocce Dances--swing, contra and square, Cajun/zydeco	Jan 15, 2013 2:10 PM
68	m. bingo	Jan 14, 2013 4:27 PM
69	g. Dance lessons - summer block dance. Grandchildren would participate in many of the sports activities	Jan 14, 2013 10:52 AM
70	I'm old - can't do a lot but glad they offer it.	Jan 14, 2013 10:43 AM
71	m) "?"	Jan 13, 2013 11:36 PM
72	f) cooking?	Jan 13, 2013 5:42 PM
73	Arts and Crafts Music History writing dancing yoga philosophy	Jan 13, 2013 2:42 PM
74	Dances (kids; elementary)	Jan 13, 2013 12:53 PM
75	(?) Pima Power @ the Cowl (definitely would participate)	Jan 10, 2013 5:07 PM
76	g. Dances: Latin/Salsa	Jan 9, 2013 10:28 AM
77	K. book club; reading groups - - already started a year ago	Jan 8, 2013 2:40 PM
78	all types for seniors	Jan 8, 2013 2:25 PM
79	adult ed: Spanish language classes/groups	Jan 4, 2013 10:32 AM
80	Activities such as dances, including square dances, contra dances etc. as well as more current fare would assist in the goal of bringing the community together. The possibilities for adult education are myriad ranging from new skills, to business management to topics such as local grave stones and local history. Look how popular the Pioneer Valley Institute's lectures are.	Jan 3, 2013 9:21 PM
81	Adult education: arts and crafts Dance class: waltz for the very uncoordinated! Seniors: cultural event and/or business event in Shelburne Falls for seniors to share with younger generations and/or visitors their personal remembrances of life in Shelburne, rural and town-life Linking up elders without families to provide mutually beneficial surrogate grandparents/grandchildren relationships Citizens share their skills and knowledge with others through special programs, workshops, classes	Dec 26, 2012 11:33 PM

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1	take interest in committee mtgs formed around ongoing developments/ideas re ?	Mar 27, 2013 9:20 AM
2	isn't buying produce enough? b. I do. c. N/A d. sure e. ? f. I pay enough taxes and take care of my rural property	Mar 25, 2013 6:00 PM
3	d. not agriculture?? How can one do this? The all residential properties will be limited development if now allowed agric	Mar 25, 2013 5:07 PM
4	e. useless group from out of town f. we can not afford this- who would take care of and pay for taking care of the land.	Mar 25, 2013 4:02 PM
5	d. pigs, chickens, rats too	Mar 25, 2013 3:52 PM
6	c. Good idea for Open Space Comm. Looks like you have plenty of free time	Mar 25, 2013 3:28 PM
7	f. but not at exaggerated prices g. The market does not favor these enterprises. It's a badly losing cause.	Feb 26, 2013 12:53 PM
8	its all in the details	Feb 21, 2013 10:17 AM
9	b. if the hours allowed folks who work 9-5 to get there. extend another hour.	Feb 21, 2013 10:08 AM
10	d. any animal f. offset taxes	Feb 21, 2013 9:40 AM
11	I would be an enthusiastic word-of-mouth advocate. Involve kids!!	Feb 12, 2013 5:41 PM
12	d. Yes!	Feb 7, 2013 11:11 PM
13	Eliminate taxes for dairy farmers	Feb 7, 2013 11:04 PM
14	e. Ag Comm is a joke.	Feb 7, 2013 10:44 PM
15	d. Pigs!	Feb 7, 2013 10:37 PM
16	f. not in this town	Feb 7, 2013 10:29 PM
17	d. endless possibilities	Feb 7, 2013 9:35 PM
18	d. Manure pits too....	Feb 7, 2013 9:14 PM
19	Leave the real landowners alone so they don't sell their land. Who else will take care of the land and agriculture?	Feb 7, 2013 8:55 PM
20	f. important / no money Extremely important don't know how I could support other than buying local	Feb 2, 2013 3:40 PM
21	Agricultural comm should develop a web page promoting local produce from town farmers	Feb 2, 2013 3:00 PM
22	write a monthly column for the Independent updating & featuring these efforts	Feb 1, 2013 6:43 PM
23	g. N/A	Feb 1, 2013 6:35 PM
24	online site to access local goods/food	Feb 1, 2013 6:14 PM

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25	Shelburne needs a active and proactive agricultural commission to address issues relating to loss of farmland, buy local etc. Look at all the things the surrounding towns are doing. Farmers complain about regulations, use of land, etc, yet why are they not willing to participate on committees to work on these issues?	Jan 30, 2013 11:09 PM
26	d. How big an undertaking?	Jan 29, 2013 6:35 PM
27	Vote to support less regulation less zoning or land will be lost	Jan 29, 2013 10:47 AM
28	d. Oh yes!	Jan 29, 2013 10:29 AM
29	d. Rats	Jan 29, 2013 10:24 AM
30	a. if not too expensive	Jan 29, 2013 10:14 AM
31	c. define village area	Jan 28, 2013 4:36 PM
32	g) would not do, but I support	Jan 27, 2013 12:25 AM
33	comprehensive Rte 2 Food Mktg campaign	Jan 25, 2013 12:37 PM
34	a. do we have to rent? can we use a town resource instead? f. if used a tax income for town.	Jan 24, 2013 11:23 PM
35	Develop mechanism to connect people looking to start ag production with land-owners looking to keep land open and productive.	Jan 24, 2013 9:03 PM
36	a. The SFABA could help with this	Jan 24, 2013 8:43 PM
37	Donate to the setting up of Science Fair prizes for projects related to local agriculture and forestry	Jan 24, 2013 3:10 PM
38	The most important of these is the ability to purchase farm land when it becomes available. But this must be accompanied by some funded system of management to keep the farmland in its current condition: open, wooded, etc, or to intentionally allow open land to become shrubland. But to just sit back and do nothing could lead to problems (invasive plants, erosion, etc.).	Jan 22, 2013 10:23 AM
39	@ G. Isn't this covered by other county-wide agencies? Why a Shelburne one?	Jan 21, 2013 4:07 PM
40	Wait for better tech.	Jan 21, 2013 2:39 PM
41	@ A. People should, but we can't afford to. @ H. Force the SF farmer's market to have 100% transparent use of \$. Past years were prohibitively \$ to farmers to participate: hundreds of dollars a year, PLUS daily fee. Other farmers markets can be and are free--see Conway, Bernardston, etc.	Jan 21, 2013 1:01 PM
42	We need to find new ways of helping farmers, in particular, to keep their working lands economically viable. Land conservation with one time payments or tax credits are not sufficient. Most family farms are land rich and cash poor. If they are not able to diversify and use the acreage they own as they would like, they will not thrive. Developing lands for wind and solar farms is controversial and will become more so as we look to find alternatives to fossil fuels. Logically, a	Jan 18, 2013 11:44 AM

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farmers lands are perfect for these two uses and would help them keep their farms in operation. Yet, communities and particularly abutters to farmlands are opposed to such uses. Shelburne should be a leader in finding new ways to keep farming viable and lands open, scenic and rural. If we truly do not want either wind or solar farms in our Town, we need to compensate farmers for the economic loss occurs when they keep their lands open and our community rural and provide scenic value and wildlife habitat. Scenery, rural character and open lands are "crops" that farmers provide us every day, we should pay them for this not only by reducing their tax burden, but by reimbursing them for keeping their lands open, when we eliminate the possibility of having wind and solar farms through regulation. Shelburne should have an honest discussion about this issue and explore all the aspects and possibilities of energy development in our community.

43	Pass NO rules and regulations restricting the use of their property. Ask those who are so interested in keeping open space to contribute to a fund to help reduce the burden of taxation on farmers.	Jan 17, 2013 7:47 PM
44	You took real farmers off the ag com. Now you have imposters, although they are good at personally benefiting from all our tax dollars by taking all the grant money and APR funds. Have seen nothing done by your present ag group to benefit real farmers in town. NOTHING. Not one piece of information has reached our home to help us in any way, no phone calls or meetings since Karen Gould was removed. She at least put together a few meetings for the town at large on 61 A, ID of animals, all farmers meetings, etc. Of course this group is a bunch of Paynes buddies, very cushy for him i am sure.	Jan 17, 2013 9:45 AM
45	Why don't you concentrate your efforts to support the government to back a processing plant for those our family farms that are not getting any attention from all your meetings?	Jan 16, 2013 2:06 PM
46	Eliminate laws and regulations.	Jan 16, 2013 1:49 PM
47	No clearcutting!	Jan 15, 2013 8:41 PM
48	Raising animals in close proximity to other residences poses difficulties with disparate tolerances for noise (roosters, barking, etc), odor, etc. It's worth exploring (as kids would love the exposure) but we need to be clear on the motivation and rationales for outcomes.....	Jan 15, 2013 2:13 PM
49	f) Probably would not do: take of tax rolls?	Jan 13, 2013 5:43 PM
50	d. Bad idea f. For who to own/work/tax roll?	Jan 9, 2013 10:41 AM
51	d. Yes!	Jan 9, 2013 10:29 AM
52	to old to do	Jan 8, 2013 4:34 PM
53	Speak and show slides about farming in Shelburne and the local area.	Jan 4, 2013 7:56 AM
54	Sell development rights to our property if at a reasonable return, to keep land in agriculture and to allow a new generation of farmer to purchase land at more affordable rate. I would encourage Town officials of all stripes to lobby the State	Jan 3, 2013 9:26 PM

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representatives to allocate money to this area.

55	Support (by paying a fee for use) for special recreational activities offered on private land	Dec 26, 2012 11:39 PM
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Page 9, Q8. Please indicate whether you agree with the following statements about balancing the need for development with the need to protect open space:

1	h. ongoing i. not w/out town cognizance & vote k. would hope for presentation & update at Town Mtg--thanks	Mar 27, 2013 9:22 AM
2	e. allow back lot second house same driveway f. don't overcrowd the village g. within limits h maybe	Mar 25, 2013 6:01 PM
3	f. where?? in village?? No room-	Mar 25, 2013 5:08 PM
4	a. shouldn't/doesn't state?? j. could enforce now but does not - got farm Route 2 - use to be beautiful piece of property. All need to do is enforce current by laws.	Mar 25, 2013 4:50 PM
5	a. we need to develop and encourage. b. Looks terrible. c. We should do more. e.we need families. f. no room. g. great idea. i. we do not need site plan review - we could encourage Business and Business would do best if it has good Bis practice.	Mar 25, 2013 4:06 PM
6	g. in addition to	Mar 25, 2013 3:54 PM
7	b. easier for developers? e. what's alternative plan? j. Where/what scenic vistas? I'd rather look at a nice country store than the mess allowed on the Mohawk Trail with animals/goats/RVs/make shift housing next to our beautiful church. Whats going on & why is that mess allowed? How embarrassing to Town.	Mar 25, 2013 3:45 PM
8	e. except for coop or intentional housing j. but create areas for development near those already developed	Feb 26, 2013 1:17 PM
9	a. see attached c. see attached	Feb 25, 2013 3:38 PM
10	its all in the details	Feb 21, 2013 10:19 AM
11	Town should promote walkable village areas with a mix of uses and essential services	Feb 12, 2013 8:24 PM
12	Back lot---50' frontage & 200' setback, 4-5 acres to build. Will take pressure off farm land frontage. The shared driveways bylaw is already on the books and no-one questions it? Why? I don't oppose it, just want to make it legal.	Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
13	c. I support height regulation	Feb 12, 2013 7:31 PM
14	a. we should encourage alternative energy b. as many houses as possible c. leave it as it is f. encourage commercial development, but not to preserve open space. j.Whose scenic vistas?What is scenic? A funeral home with a red bush might be....	Feb 7, 2013 10:48 PM
15	a. The State does this.	Feb 7, 2013 10:37 PM
16	These questions are all very leading and biased a. in fact, deregulate	Feb 7, 2013 10:30 PM
17	a. Not "Enact", but "encourage", "allow"	Feb 7, 2013 9:04 PM
18	Isn't this as democracy? Let the owners decide.....	Feb 7, 2013 8:56 PM
19	j. Support this very much	Feb 7, 2013 8:15 PM

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20	commercial zoning along rt 2 has the potential to create strip development - many small signs along the route already make it a dangerous road - what about the Scenic Byway program - get grants for easements to protect this resource	Feb 2, 2013 3:03 PM
21	e. I strongly support "cluster housing" as a way to maximize open space and preserve it	Feb 1, 2013 6:27 PM
22	Commercial zoning along Rt 2 is a recipe for disaster and should be corrected. This corridor is a key asset to the town and if it is destroyed and built up, we will kill the goose that laid the golden egg - there will be little reason for people to travel here, shop here, etc. We need Planning Board members who can look at the long range strategies to preserve the town and recommend appropriate zoning and subdivision regulations that balances growth and preservation of open space, such as cluster zoning. Most farmers and large landowners such as Goulds and Davenports inherited their land from their ancestors, who understood their role as stewards of the land as a resource - to respect and preserve the land for the future, not to rape it and destroy it. We grant them tax breaks through chapter 61 etc - there should be a tradeoff that they keep the land available for public access, such as along the Deerfield River	Jan 30, 2013 11:21 PM
23	i. ZBA should do this...	Jan 29, 2013 9:57 PM
24	e. Yes, if cluster development is established	Jan 29, 2013 8:27 PM
25	d. What are the alternatives to commercial zoning? e. Have incentives for cluster zoning instead. h. Urge SFABA to do this.	Jan 29, 2013 6:37 PM
26	d. "strip away" + open your checkbooks f. you didn't want to preserve open space when the opportunity was there for a park - built a bank!	Jan 29, 2013 10:31 AM
27	a. should deregulate j. Like the goat farm mess	Jan 29, 2013 10:25 AM
28	Clasic debate; cluster housing or spread the houses out. The town needs to provide information, pros and cons, of BOTH sides of the debate so it's citizens can be better informed. Your question (b) is somewhat loaded.	Jan 28, 2013 1:48 PM
29	public park at Potholes	Jan 25, 2013 12:38 PM
30	a. But I'm not opposed to developing solar or wind.	Jan 24, 2013 11:26 PM
31	Re-open the Potholes!	Jan 24, 2013 9:36 PM
32	j. this is very important to do!	Jan 24, 2013 9:14 PM
33	Please do not allow heavy commercial development which changes the feelings of safety and serenity of the town.	Jan 24, 2013 8:46 PM
34	In answering i with 'Agree' I'm hoping that the Selectboard is also involved.	Jan 24, 2013 3:17 PM
35	@ C, D, J. Need more info Fracking is different than solar or wind because of larger community and ecological impacts--definitely regulate/prohibit.	Jan 21, 2013 4:18 PM
36	@ D. Don't know, need more info	Jan 21, 2013 4:08 PM

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37	No cell towers <- Breast Cancer No fracking or other endeavors which are dangerous to our health and community. Utility lines should be buried.	Jan 21, 2013 1:22 PM
38	e.) elitist	Jan 20, 2013 6:31 PM
39	We lack a Master Plan which lets residents define how they want their Town to grow and to look like in the future. This document sets the context for all other planning and regulation in Town by establishing common goals and objectives for economic development, resource protection, transportation & circulation, housing, governance (services & facilities), land use and sustainability/resilience.	Jan 18, 2013 12:37 PM
40	Commercial Development along route 2 would be wonderful. How else are you going to attract visitors? Bring in the shopping malls and the movie theaters. A Walmart would be nice, a casino even better. Low income housing is a MUST, we must attract a diverse population and accommodate them in every way possible.	Jan 17, 2013 8:38 PM
41	Development is needed to increase the tax base to lessen the burden on present taxpayers and to provide local employment. Shelburne is becoming a mecca for older retired people who are interested in forming committees to restrict the natural growth of Shelburne by imposing more rules and regulations.	Jan 17, 2013 8:08 PM
42	First the town does not own the MOhawk Trail vistas. You could probably limit a lot of growth by supporting the land owners on the trail instead of just the crunchers in the falls. The Planning Board should oversee much of all that is permitted by S/P. Not an appointed by Payne and his gig ZBA. The ZBA should be a 1 term office as well and get new blood in there regularly. It is stale, old and should be an elected board as well, only there to serve as a n appeals board and only when necessary because the PB decision was not acceptable. We really have no appeals board as it is presently set up. The OSC should only be comprised of people that actually pay taxes to own open space and they could invite ideas from those that don't.	Jan 17, 2013 9:51 AM
43	Scenic corridor that you enjoy and don't pay for. Are you kidding. Start with the Mikinnon piece, pull out your pocketbook and buy that and feel the pain and then maybe you will get it when we ask you to bend over again	Jan 16, 2013 2:10 PM
44	Lots of diving boards at the pot holes and fees to jump.	Jan 16, 2013 1:51 PM
45	No fracking! No. No. It pollutes nearby water sources; you would regret it	Jan 15, 2013 8:42 PM
46	d.- limits on size, location (see j), type, architecture of development are important.....I suspect some commercial development will be important, but only in keeping with the scenic, rural nature of the town. No strip development; no Rte 9! h. Merchants themselves--- and in alliance with each other--- should be spearheading this effort, and come to the town with plans, requests for support, etc.	Jan 15, 2013 2:19 PM
47	We should have windmills	Jan 14, 2013 11:30 AM
48	Please preserve what we have!	Jan 14, 2013 10:44 AM

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49	k) Other: Scenic vistas are (big? - data enterer not sure about this word)	Jan 14, 2013 12:15 AM
50	k) Other: I think small commercial development should be allowed in rural part (like Corvair place).	Jan 13, 2013 5:46 PM
51	Note from data entry: this survey had an arrow going from "d" to "j" and underlined the words in "j": "limit development that breaks up scenic vista."	Jan 13, 2013 4:48 PM
52	Fracking is not alt energy!	Jan 10, 2013 9:49 PM
53	Shortsighted design (such as no sidewalk on the new Rt 2 bridge in the village) and lack of public process (As in the case of that sinfully harmful, "Temporary?" Parson's building at the entrance of the village) Is already destroying the Town of Shelburne. It will be very difficult to undo these horrible mistakes. How did these designs pass? Ensuring that more of these such things won't happen again needs to be a priority.	Jan 10, 2013 7:10 PM
54	e., f. Perhaps develop a back-lot by-law	Jan 9, 2013 10:42 AM
55	Right now we are dependent on tourism and the Town may need to support and promote it. Ideally, we can also develop other economic assets that do not conflict with the rural and scenic character of the Town.	Jan 3, 2013 9:31 PM
56	The town should be a little less restrictive of those wanting to build a guesthouse or in-law cottage on one's property. The fact is I can put up a barn, garage, or shed, but if I want to put up a guesthouse that's half the size, I'll run into zoning restrictions.	Jan 3, 2013 8:01 PM
57	Consider a program to help compensate landowners whose land is devalued due to zoning changes or otherwise limiting their right to engage in a particular use.	Dec 26, 2012 11:44 PM

Page 10, Q9. What one feature do you like best about living in Shelburne?

1	The rural "feel" of the village & surrounding area	Mar 27, 2013 9:31 AM
2	the present balance maintained b'tween rural & town which requires vigilance & ongoing refinement	Mar 27, 2013 9:23 AM
3	small size, fact that basic needs (clothing, food, pharmacy, leisure) can be met in village, views, hiking	Mar 27, 2013 9:14 AM
4	As open space of my own property and woods	Mar 25, 2013 6:02 PM
5	walking to town, woods nearby, limited traffic	Mar 25, 2013 5:45 PM
6	That it hasn't succumbed to be run by a few individuals yet. But it is unfortunately well on its way and all will end up having to pay. Used to run beautifully on its own with honest hardworking people and sweat equity. Now all transplants want without contributing monetarily.	Mar 25, 2013 5:10 PM
7	Small town new England community, community events downtown	Mar 25, 2013 4:36 PM
8	It isn't the perfect combination of historic yet culturally lively town, ancient hills, forests and family farmers	Mar 25, 2013 4:24 PM
9	Used to appreciate the respect citizens had for one another and the appreciation of differences & hard work - that is now sadly lacking & I no longer enjoy the town.	Mar 25, 2013 4:07 PM
10	Less + less appealing after seeing this	Mar 25, 2013 3:29 PM
11	THE Deerfield River	Feb 26, 2013 1:17 PM
12	Nature	Feb 26, 2013 1:04 PM
13	Historic preservation	Feb 26, 2013 12:54 PM
14	Arts and Nature combination	Feb 26, 2013 12:30 PM
15	It's rural characteristics	Feb 25, 2013 3:54 PM
16	community spirit (it is difficult to list just one)	Feb 25, 2013 3:38 PM
17	commercial-industrial tax base with localized tourism area (Shelburne Falls) make residential ownership cost affordable	Feb 25, 2013 3:28 PM
18	small town community, where you can get most of what you need without traveling. My family has a long history here	Feb 25, 2013 9:43 AM
19	the natural location + the beauty of changing seasons. The people - they can agree to disagree - they can adapt.	Feb 21, 2013 10:19 AM
20	the balance between "the artists" and "the locals"	Feb 21, 2013 10:09 AM
21	natural landscape	Feb 21, 2013 10:02 AM
22	Used to have such character, and lots of families - now becoming a retirement	Feb 21, 2013 9:41 AM

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	community so lets build more houses	
23	OPEN SPACE! That's why I live here.....	Feb 12, 2013 8:55 PM
24	Walk to everything I need. The river a close second.	Feb 12, 2013 8:48 PM
25	friendly and helpful people	Feb 12, 2013 8:39 PM
26	Access to local food and farms	Feb 12, 2013 8:24 PM
27	The unspoiled tracts of land	Feb 12, 2013 8:11 PM
28	harmonious mix of old- and new-timers	Feb 12, 2013 7:42 PM
29	Nearness to I91	Feb 12, 2013 7:31 PM
30	Friendly community; easy access to many activities and culture	Feb 12, 2013 7:07 PM
31	Small town feel----but we certainly could develop more.	Feb 12, 2013 6:57 PM
32	Beautiful rural character w/ a vibrant town center	Feb 12, 2013 6:45 PM
33	Privacy---Woodland	Feb 12, 2013 6:27 PM
34	Continuity of experience--you know your neighbor, long friendships. Great place to live and raise family.	Feb 12, 2013 6:15 PM
35	Sense of community; close-by-ness of everything.	Feb 12, 2013 6:03 PM
36	"far from the madding crowd" old-time small scale/QUIET	Feb 12, 2013 5:42 PM
37	Opportunity to grow	Feb 7, 2013 11:44 PM
38	Cows & horses	Feb 7, 2013 10:55 PM
39	Community feeling, which is now lacking.	Feb 7, 2013 10:31 PM
40	That individual landowners are willing to fight for their rights and stand up to the nouveau riche	Feb 7, 2013 10:22 PM
41	PAST--enjoyment of options NOW--limited by limited minded people	Feb 7, 2013 10:01 PM
42	My dog....	Feb 7, 2013 9:29 PM
43	I don't anymore....	Feb 7, 2013 9:23 PM
44	Gould's Sugar House	Feb 7, 2013 9:04 PM
45	My neighbor who is a farmer.....	Feb 7, 2013 8:57 PM
46	Beautiful small town	Feb 7, 2013 8:42 PM
47	Rural character	Feb 7, 2013 8:15 PM

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48	Quiet	Feb 5, 2013 11:49 PM
49	Rural, open space friendly people village shopping	Feb 5, 2013 9:23 PM
50	Great sense of community	Feb 5, 2013 9:17 PM
51	Pristine scenic views; not many neighbors	Feb 5, 2013 9:03 PM
52	Small town feel; walk to town	Feb 5, 2013 8:55 PM
53	Rural landscape	Feb 5, 2013 8:49 PM
54	diversity of people and ideas	Feb 5, 2013 8:28 PM
55	Friends; my home	Feb 5, 2013 8:18 PM
56	Proximity of the River, cool businesses	Feb 5, 2013 6:43 PM
57	Beautiful rural landscapes	Feb 5, 2013 6:00 PM
58	Scale	Feb 5, 2013 5:51 PM
59	Managable village life; knowing fellow community members builds trust	Feb 5, 2013 5:43 PM
60	The historic and small town feeling of the downtown business area -- no large or chain stores.	Feb 4, 2013 6:52 AM
61	The beauty and nature. I live in the country with residential neighbors. Horses, cows, views, neighbors, Heaven on earth	Feb 2, 2013 3:42 PM
62	Natural features/best of city life combined	Feb 2, 2013 3:26 PM
63	mix of "old yankees" and new people	Feb 2, 2013 3:16 PM
64	rural atmosphere, farms, views and open space	Feb 2, 2013 3:03 PM
65	its rural character	Feb 2, 2013 1:03 PM
66	swimming at the potholes	Feb 2, 2013 12:57 PM
67	The "right size" of building clusters and easy going openness of our residents	Feb 1, 2013 6:44 PM
68	Its historical and natural beauty	Feb 1, 2013 6:27 PM
69	the natural environment; river, falls,hills, location	Feb 1, 2013 6:15 PM
70	Pedestrian scale + walkability, proximity to "nature" community + neighbors, local businesses	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
71	sense of community	Feb 1, 2013 1:04 PM
72	my peace and quiet	Feb 1, 2013 12:59 PM
73	the small town "feel"	Feb 1, 2013 12:52 PM

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74	rural-agricultural scenic landscape and quaint town	Jan 30, 2013 11:21 PM
75	the rural areas	Jan 30, 2013 5:29 PM
76	Small town feel	Jan 29, 2013 9:58 PM
77	"Small town" feel	Jan 29, 2013 9:20 PM
78	Natives	Jan 29, 2013 8:27 PM
79	I like the small town feel. Its rural nature and friendly people.	Jan 29, 2013 8:27 PM
80	Walkable village, in which neighbors participate and maintain the sense of community together.....	Jan 29, 2013 6:38 PM
81	Small town atmosphere	Jan 29, 2013 6:16 PM
82	Arts; sense of community	Jan 29, 2013 6:03 PM
83	Proximity to actual farms	Jan 29, 2013 5:55 PM
84	Latte's at coffeeshops	Jan 29, 2013 10:48 AM
85	The open land and fabulous views, peace + quiet area where I live	Jan 29, 2013 10:16 AM
86	The rural - countryside	Jan 28, 2013 7:03 PM
87	natural woods + historic buildings Beauty	Jan 28, 2013 6:55 PM
88	The presence of farmland and a concentrated town center	Jan 28, 2013 6:51 PM
89	Its beauty, quaintness + close community of people	Jan 28, 2013 6:37 PM
90	village setting in natural beauty of Deerfield river and hills	Jan 28, 2013 5:13 PM
91	The natural setting and being able to walk to stores. Good hiking & biking	Jan 28, 2013 5:08 PM
92	small town, = low traffic, + friendly	Jan 28, 2013 5:03 PM
93	small town atmospheere	Jan 28, 2013 4:58 PM
94	size and character of village	Jan 28, 2013 4:52 PM
95	HUMAN SCALE	Jan 28, 2013 4:46 PM
96	Pace of life/community	Jan 28, 2013 4:36 PM
97	Nice town, nice people, modest pace of living	Jan 28, 2013 4:30 PM
98	I like being able to have a home business.	Jan 28, 2013 1:54 PM
99	It is a nice relaxed place with a good balance of rules and regulations AND the ability to live your life without the town telling you what you can and cannot do.	Jan 28, 2013 1:49 PM

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100	its beauty	Jan 28, 2013 11:03 AM
101	walk-ability of town	Jan 28, 2013 10:53 AM
102	Only one? Sense of community	Jan 28, 2013 4:46 AM
103	I'm liking it less and less. There is not much here to attract young people. Older retired people are moving in and trying to change it into something it never was.	Jan 27, 2013 10:20 PM
104	Beautiful, rural, geographically unique, not-highly developed surroundings	Jan 27, 2013 1:16 PM
105	Woodlands	Jan 27, 2013 12:37 AM
106	Small town atmosphere and access to nature	Jan 27, 2013 12:26 AM
107	Walkable town	Jan 27, 2013 12:12 AM
108	Compact FriendlyCommunity surrounded by woods and fields	Jan 26, 2013 9:56 AM
109	rural small town atmosphere	Jan 25, 2013 6:57 PM
110	rural character + small town feel. (4yo says he likes that there aren't any polar bears)	Jan 25, 2013 2:37 PM
111	the rural atmosphere yet being 10 miles from a major highway	Jan 25, 2013 2:25 PM
112	Rural qualities	Jan 25, 2013 12:39 PM
113	vibrant village in Falls area	Jan 25, 2013 12:38 PM
114	Easy access to rural atmoshpere, nature possibilities, and business/commerce	Jan 25, 2013 10:50 AM
115	Its active farms and open spaces	Jan 25, 2013 10:50 AM
116	size and character of village	Jan 25, 2013 10:38 AM
117	It is rural, not a city!	Jan 25, 2013 10:05 AM
118	rural atmosphere	Jan 25, 2013 8:41 AM
119	Beauty, friendliness, rural but not isolated.	Jan 24, 2013 11:26 PM
120	Open space!	Jan 24, 2013 10:14 PM
121	It is still rural.	Jan 24, 2013 9:47 PM
122	people; rural character; location (ie, close to cities)	Jan 24, 2013 9:37 PM
123	Beauty, and lots of things to do in town	Jan 24, 2013 9:14 PM
124	rural character	Jan 24, 2013 9:04 PM
125	Rural character (ie, open space, friendliness 0	Jan 24, 2013 8:56 PM

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126	beauty of hills and open spaces	Jan 24, 2013 8:46 PM
127	beauty and friendliness	Jan 24, 2013 8:35 PM
128	the beautiful countryside/people willing to keep it that way	Jan 24, 2013 8:24 PM
129	uncongested, tactfully commercialized resources	Jan 24, 2013 3:19 PM
130	the views/rural landscape yet close proximity to urban areas	Jan 24, 2013 10:15 AM
131	trail	Jan 23, 2013 10:39 AM
132	The close-knit community feel.	Jan 22, 2013 12:00 PM
133	Quiet.	Jan 22, 2013 10:24 AM
134	The people-friendly downtown that we can walk to from our house.	Jan 21, 2013 10:20 PM
135	The hometown atmosphere and quaint New England town's Bridge St.	Jan 21, 2013 5:40 PM
136	The river, no chain stores, hiking, community in our neighborhood	Jan 21, 2013 5:33 PM
137	Being able to walk to town, social contact	Jan 21, 2013 5:25 PM
138	Being able to walk into town, see friends, go to the co-op or another shop... (illegible ->) to music--village.	Jan 21, 2013 5:20 PM
139	1. I can walk to town 2. The Deerfield River (wouldn't have moved here w/out the river).	Jan 21, 2013 4:09 PM
140	Most things are within walking distance of my home in the village. It is a beautiful river valley--idyllic! We have it all!	Jan 21, 2013 3:45 PM
141	Small, rural atmosphere	Jan 21, 2013 3:30 PM
142	Reasonableness and not over-reaching of the boards. Ability of most people to get along. Overall character of the people.	Jan 21, 2013 3:22 PM
143	The wonderful Yankee atmosphere.	Jan 21, 2013 3:11 PM
144	The fresh air, quiet, and sunshine.	Jan 21, 2013 3:04 PM
145	Walking to swim and shop. Also usually able to avoid mailings from town.	Jan 21, 2013 2:57 PM
146	Rural character of area.	Jan 21, 2013 2:43 PM
147	I like the trees in town.	Jan 21, 2013 2:39 PM
148	Quiet and friendly.	Jan 21, 2013 2:29 PM
149	Farmers using THEIR land.	Jan 21, 2013 2:24 PM
150	A culture supporting farms and eco-sustainability.	Jan 21, 2013 2:16 PM

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151	The sense of community, the rural character once you leave the village.	Jan 21, 2013 2:07 PM
152	The small, rural town feel.	Jan 21, 2013 2:03 PM
153	The history of the town.	Jan 21, 2013 1:57 PM
154	Friendly village	Jan 21, 2013 1:52 PM
155	I like the mix of people--farmers, city (?), various cultures. Also the hippy aspect	Jan 21, 2013 1:42 PM
156	We are a town of people who love to take walks and plant gardens. I love what we all have to offer in terms of learning.	Jan 21, 2013 1:23 PM
157	Access to river for swimming.	Jan 21, 2013 1:13 PM
158	The rural character and the open space	Jan 21, 2013 1:02 PM
159	The forests; in general, the quiet, fresh air, open space, and all the trees.	Jan 21, 2013 12:52 PM
160	The open space.	Jan 21, 2013 12:30 PM
161	Serenity	Jan 21, 2013 12:25 PM
162	Natural beauty, Deerfield river, Bridge of Flowers	Jan 21, 2013 12:11 PM
163	That I can walk down to the stores and back home safely. Also that I can take daily walks.	Jan 21, 2013 12:03 PM
164	Friends and peacefulness.	Jan 21, 2013 11:55 AM
165	Its beauty, great folk, low crime.	Jan 21, 2013 11:48 AM
166	Rural character, i.e. open fields, large forests, working farms, scenic views, hilltops without structures.	Jan 21, 2013 11:24 AM
167	agricultural history + current agricultural activity	Jan 21, 2013 10:48 AM
168	sense of community	Jan 21, 2013 10:39 AM
169	rural atmosphere	Jan 21, 2013 10:34 AM
170	active small town vital & friendly	Jan 21, 2013 10:30 AM
171	small town, no strip mall and rural character with open space and forest lands.	Jan 20, 2013 7:46 PM
172	Good downtown services in the Falls.	Jan 20, 2013 6:31 PM
173	Sense of community	Jan 20, 2013 6:11 PM
174	Quaint and scenic hilltown. Bohemian village. Need to preserve and promote this. That's why people come here.	Jan 20, 2013 5:59 PM
175	It is a rural area with the benefits of major medical facilities and cultural offerings of larger cities and universities within easy commuting distances.	Jan 20, 2013 3:13 PM

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176	Rural feel while being close to commercial/employment areas of Shelburne Falls and Greenfield.	Jan 20, 2013 1:24 AM
177	Small town friendliness of everyone	Jan 19, 2013 9:44 PM
178	That most all of the commercial/retail/business is in the village and along Rt. 2, and that the rest of the town is fairly wild and hasn't been turned into the "rural suburbs." I don't want to see subdivisions and fragmented forests and fields.	Jan 18, 2013 6:46 PM
179	outdoor activities swimming tin the rivers	Jan 18, 2013 1:46 PM
180	Our quintessential village center in concert with rural working lands.	Jan 18, 2013 12:39 PM
181	The mix of people, the ability for different type of people to coexist together, the beautiful scenery, the mix of people who have working farms and craft or laboring jobs, the artists and artisan and those who have academic or other professional jobs.	Jan 17, 2013 9:14 PM
182	I'm having a hard time thinking of one.	Jan 17, 2013 8:39 PM
183	The good days when everyone was working and keeping out of everyone else' business and had no time to sit on computers with committee reports seem to have vanished.	Jan 17, 2013 8:13 PM
184	Open space (undeveloped) plus THE PEOPLE THAT LIVE HERE	Jan 17, 2013 6:17 PM
185	The farms	Jan 17, 2013 6:15 PM
186	privacy	Jan 17, 2013 6:04 PM
187	small town village atmosphere - shops, restaurants, library, bowling alley	Jan 17, 2013 5:56 PM
188	small town living	Jan 17, 2013 5:50 PM
189	To be honest, I find this town suffocating given the present atmosphere. You are driving people away. People do not want to be here anymore. Our youth are NOT coming home. It is now just OLD people.	Jan 17, 2013 10:08 AM
190	Cows horses farm animals still grazing on open spaces allowing farming to co exist with city folks moving in	Jan 16, 2013 8:28 PM
191	All of the farms that have stayed in the same families for many, many years.	Jan 15, 2013 11:02 PM
192	The natural beauty	Jan 15, 2013 8:55 PM
193	It's quiet	Jan 15, 2013 8:43 PM
194	Safety, community, quiet	Jan 15, 2013 2:44 PM
195	Village setting and beauty	Jan 15, 2013 2:34 PM
196	Peace, quiet and beauty.....	Jan 15, 2013 2:20 PM
197	The beautiful hills, river and brooks and the wildlife.	Jan 15, 2013 1:40 PM

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198	close to Greenfield	Jan 14, 2013 7:20 PM
199	Its New England character	Jan 14, 2013 5:42 PM
200	quiet serenity + vistas	Jan 14, 2013 5:24 PM
201	small town feel	Jan 14, 2013 5:18 PM
202	small village with lots of surrounding rural areas	Jan 14, 2013 5:09 PM
203	peace & quiet	Jan 14, 2013 4:54 PM
204	people being friendly enjoy Bridge of Flowers + Pot Holes	Jan 14, 2013 4:49 PM
205	The 4th of July parade	Jan 14, 2013 11:30 AM
206	There are so many it's hard to choose - it's a beautiful, safe, friendly village	Jan 14, 2013 10:53 AM
207	It's a nice country town, caring people etc. I just hope we don't become to commercialized--	Jan 14, 2013 10:44 AM
208	The river.	Jan 14, 2013 12:40 AM
209	Preserve awesome spaces like Zerah Fiske Rd. down by Foxbard Farm -- no power lines! Awesome scenery and roads like Bardwell Ferry Rd., Zerah Fiske Rd. and Patten District.	Jan 14, 2013 12:15 AM
210	Small town rural atmosphere	Jan 13, 2013 11:43 PM
211	I can walk to the downtown area easily	Jan 13, 2013 9:59 PM
212	scenic	Jan 13, 2013 9:46 PM
213	QUIET; (Also close to Greenfield, I-91; good neighbors)	Jan 13, 2013 5:47 PM
214	quaintness	Jan 13, 2013 5:37 PM
215	Comfortable, not pretentious	Jan 13, 2013 4:48 PM
216	Its "village" small town, artsy atmosphere.	Jan 13, 2013 4:30 PM
217	It has a village center with businesses providing basic amenities that are clustered so that sprawl is limited here.	Jan 13, 2013 4:21 PM
218	It is a beautiful, rural town with a vital community center to which I can walk.	Jan 13, 2013 2:46 PM
219	Beautiful rural views	Jan 13, 2013 1:01 PM
220	The community and generosity. In the context of this survey, the natural beauty and it interactions with historic features and demarcations.	Jan 13, 2013 12:55 PM
221	Rural atmosphere	Jan 12, 2013 11:34 PM
222	Scenic landscape	Jan 12, 2013 11:21 PM

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223	Rural environment	Jan 12, 2013 11:06 PM
224	Rural and Scenic lands	Jan 12, 2013 9:28 PM
225	Small town character and surrounding natural beauty.	Jan 12, 2013 9:15 AM
226	the beauty	Jan 10, 2013 9:49 PM
227	the smallness allows me to know many people in town	Jan 10, 2013 9:40 PM
228	the atmosphere and general quality of small-town life	Jan 10, 2013 9:32 PM
229	A Walkable Community with views.	Jan 10, 2013 7:11 PM
230	a sense of community where people are generally respectful	Jan 10, 2013 5:08 PM
231	small town atmosphere	Jan 10, 2013 2:16 PM
232	open pasture land	Jan 10, 2013 2:05 PM
233	most of the area where I live is rural	Jan 10, 2013 1:52 PM
234	rural accessibility	Jan 9, 2013 5:46 PM
235	Has a viable village center at the core of its rural beauty/nature	Jan 9, 2013 10:42 AM
236	The ability to walk to so many places - post office, bank, library, grocery store, farmers market, etc.	Jan 9, 2013 10:31 AM
237	rural character	Jan 9, 2013 10:11 AM
238	I truly appreciate the rural, small town character and lovely outdoor spaces	Jan 9, 2013 9:54 AM
239	Highland Village, family close by	Jan 9, 2013 9:39 AM
240	the stores, the way they care for the roads, the views, the friendly atmosphere in the stores	Jan 8, 2013 4:36 PM
241	rural character	Jan 8, 2013 3:45 PM
242	charm of a small community with engaged and informed (for the most part) citizenry.	Jan 8, 2013 2:42 PM
243	rural character	Jan 8, 2013 2:34 PM
244	the close knit nature of the communiy	Jan 8, 2013 2:26 PM
245	privacy + small town	Jan 8, 2013 10:52 AM
246	the beauty	Jan 8, 2013 10:38 AM
247	Rural life, friendly neighbors, loads of open space	Jan 8, 2013 10:31 AM
248	Walking to food in the village.	Jan 4, 2013 8:56 PM

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249	rural quality of life	Jan 4, 2013 9:16 AM
250	Besides the people who live here, I am frequently awed by the beauty I encounter in the countryside.	Jan 3, 2013 9:33 PM
251	scenic beauty	Jan 3, 2013 8:01 PM
252	Safe, walkable town holding most if what I need to get by.	Dec 26, 2012 11:46 PM

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1. Issue:

1	River access for swimming, boating etc.	Mar 27, 2013 9:34 AM
2	alternative energy	Mar 27, 2013 9:24 AM
3	protecting aquifers	Mar 25, 2013 6:03 PM
4	lower pollution impacts and carbon footprint	Mar 25, 2013 5:48 PM
5	Town wanting to take over open spaces that they can't afford to maintain down the road or to pay for by raising prop taxes more for homeowners and renters in Shelburne. If taxes go up rents go up. Everybody pays.	Mar 25, 2013 4:52 PM
6	Not enough for teenagers to do	Mar 25, 2013 4:38 PM
7	Windfarms are our most (?preefocried?) threat to everything this town/region now id enriched by and almost all enjoy	Mar 25, 2013 4:25 PM
8	Respect integrity fo taxpaying citizens	Mar 25, 2013 4:12 PM
9	I think it is beautiful + I worry that the open space willdisappear if this committee keeps pushing its agenda.	Mar 25, 2013 3:54 PM
10	Tax money being spent unnecessarily for more projects/programs. If taxes keep going up, rents keep going up. This is already happening in other towns. Take care of what we have. It's been working (Exception being Mohawk Trail mess) (Any extra?) money could go toward libraries, Cowell Gym, roads, etc.	Mar 25, 2013 3:47 PM
11	Taxes.	Mar 25, 2013 3:29 PM
12	ridge laws	Feb 26, 2013 1:20 PM
13	Cleaning up the downed tress from Irene along the river right after the Falls.....	Feb 26, 2013 1:05 PM
14	Pollution of current culture and values by govt-dependent new residents	Feb 26, 2013 12:54 PM
15	Solar/hydro energy siting regs	Feb 26, 2013 12:33 PM
16	Land (open space) protection	Feb 25, 2013 3:55 PM
17	see attached	Feb 25, 2013 3:39 PM
18	lockingup landtaxability by protection and raising residential taxes will drive long time local generations out of town - our residence value goes up but we no longer can afford to stay here	Feb 25, 2013 3:31 PM
19	Industrial windmills! There are more side effects than I first understood.	Feb 21, 2013 10:22 AM
20	energy	Feb 21, 2013 9:42 AM
21	Large scale commercial wind turbines	Feb 12, 2013 8:56 PM

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22	Lack of nature-based recreation in-and accesible from- the village	Feb 12, 2013 8:27 PM
23	open space	Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
24	Economic viability of small scale farming	Feb 12, 2013 7:45 PM
25	Need for open space	Feb 12, 2013 7:31 PM
26	Alternative energy sources---solar and wind	Feb 12, 2013 6:58 PM
27	How to preserve open space w/o it being a financial burden	Feb 12, 2013 6:46 PM
28	Identify and protect forever lots of open space with minimum of expense or admin complexities	Feb 12, 2013 5:48 PM
29	Planning and funding land preservation	Feb 8, 2013 12:03 AM
30	Liability for town if we allow things like skateboarding parks, ATV access, Pothole access	Feb 7, 2013 11:45 PM
31	Influx of NY and NY types	Feb 7, 2013 11:05 PM
32	farm businesses	Feb 7, 2013 10:56 PM
33	Goat Farm on Rte 2	Feb 7, 2013 10:31 PM
34	not business friendly	Feb 7, 2013 10:07 PM
35	Windpower	Feb 7, 2013 10:01 PM
36	Relentless opportunists trying to get others to provide for them	Feb 7, 2013 9:37 PM
37	Stop trying to zone out farms	Feb 7, 2013 9:30 PM
38	Open Space members seem to feel very entitled to property they don;t own	Feb 7, 2013 9:16 PM
39	taxes too high	Feb 7, 2013 9:05 PM
40	Leave the real farmers alone	Feb 7, 2013 8:58 PM
41	Rte 2 development	Feb 7, 2013 8:16 PM
42	Route 2	Feb 5, 2013 11:51 PM
43	Tennis court needs repair	Feb 5, 2013 8:56 PM
44	Access to Potholes	Feb 5, 2013 8:49 PM
45	handicap accessibility	Feb 5, 2013 8:28 PM
46	Development on existing fields and pastures	Feb 5, 2013 8:09 PM
47	Pressure on the river	Feb 5, 2013 5:53 PM

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48	Lack of open access to Cowell Gym	Feb 5, 2013 5:45 PM
49	Wind power	Feb 4, 2013 6:53 AM
50	wind power	Feb 2, 2013 3:44 PM
51	Encourage sustainable energy solutions for twon	Feb 2, 2013 3:29 PM
52	encourage alternative energy	Feb 2, 2013 3:17 PM
53	overdevelopment of route 2	Feb 2, 2013 3:08 PM
54	maintaining existing open space	Feb 2, 2013 1:04 PM
55	Raising public awareness that once land is used for non-natural purposes it can never be reclaimed	Feb 1, 2013 6:48 PM
56	The reckless, greed driven development of so called "alternative energy" sites without adequate attention to preserving the natural beauty and open space of Shelburne	Feb 1, 2013 6:28 PM
57	Rt. 2 getting overdeveloped	Feb 1, 2013 6:18 PM
58	swimming/water access in town	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
59	commercial strip zoning along Route 2	Jan 30, 2013 11:36 PM
60	you are overstepping your bounds	Jan 30, 2013 4:49 PM
61	We need renewable energy	Jan 29, 2013 9:20 PM
62	Stop the possibility of windmills disrupting the skyline.	Jan 29, 2013 8:28 PM
63	Controlling sprawl---spector of farmland turning into sub-divisions	Jan 29, 2013 6:43 PM
64	Saving prime farmland from development	Jan 29, 2013 5:55 PM
65	business lack of	Jan 29, 2013 12:21 PM
66	Birdhouses along river with baloons	Jan 29, 2013 10:48 AM
67	right to farm	Jan 29, 2013 10:25 AM
68	Keep all the open space we have now as OPEN space	Jan 29, 2013 10:18 AM
69	Lavatories for all the tourists	Jan 28, 2013 7:05 PM
70	hiking	Jan 28, 2013 5:13 PM
71	no more cars/Parking lots	Jan 28, 2013 4:39 PM
72	No easy way to find out what recreational opportunities there are.	Jan 28, 2013 1:58 PM

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73	Balance between growth and keeping the towns' character.	Jan 28, 2013 1:53 PM
74	Focus commercial and residential development in town	Jan 28, 2013 10:57 AM
75	I think too many people are trying to control what they do not own.	Jan 27, 2013 10:32 PM
76	easy access to river for swimming and kayaking/canoeing	Jan 27, 2013 1:18 PM
77	Support of farmers market to support vendors	Jan 27, 2013 12:15 AM
78	Avoid Continuous Commercial Strip on Rt.2	Jan 26, 2013 10:02 AM
79	The town should not regulate open space on private land	Jan 25, 2013 6:58 PM
80	Potholes/ Mole Candle	Jan 25, 2013 12:39 PM
81	closure of a section oof the M-M trail	Jan 25, 2013 10:52 AM
82	conservation/zoning	Jan 25, 2013 10:31 AM
83	funding for purchasing open lands and preserve	Jan 25, 2013 8:48 AM
84	taking care of our youth and elderly	Jan 24, 2013 11:29 PM
85	Individual wind turbine ban	Jan 24, 2013 10:17 PM
86	Alternative energy	Jan 24, 2013 9:59 PM
87	wind turbines	Jan 24, 2013 9:39 PM
88	Lack of affordable land for people who want to farm	Jan 24, 2013 9:05 PM
89	Use of Potholes	Jan 24, 2013 8:25 PM
90	maintaining the route 2 corridor and scenic nature of surrounding hillsides/farmland	Jan 24, 2013 3:29 PM
91	Downtown parking	Jan 24, 2013 10:16 AM
92	There isn't a community calendar (paper or online) with up to date info about recreational opportunities and events in the community.	Jan 22, 2013 12:27 PM
93	loss of farmland to develoment	Jan 22, 2013 10:29 AM
94	commercial wind	Jan 21, 2013 8:32 PM
95	Lawn pesticides	Jan 21, 2013 5:20 PM
96	Alternative energy development that works well	Jan 21, 2013 4:11 PM
97	Fitness/workout center for health	Jan 21, 2013 3:47 PM
98	Maintaining clean, open space	Jan 21, 2013 3:30 PM

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99	Back lot development	Jan 21, 2013 3:24 PM
100	We need more swimming in summer/skating in winter	Jan 21, 2013 3:06 PM
101	Population decline reduces demand for recreation	Jan 21, 2013 2:59 PM
102	Wind energy installation	Jan 21, 2013 2:44 PM
103	Not sure.	Jan 21, 2013 2:33 PM
104	Energy	Jan 21, 2013 2:24 PM
105	Sustainable energy that doesn't harm the town as industrial wind does.	Jan 21, 2013 2:18 PM
106	Developing successful agriculture is a must	Jan 21, 2013 2:08 PM
107	My land is taxed at full value as if it would be developed.	Jan 21, 2013 1:44 PM
108	Free to hike and walk in our forest environments and swim in our potholes	Jan 21, 2013 1:25 PM
109	Absolutely necessary to have a local food system (i.e. farmer's market, etc.), vibrant, available year round	Jan 21, 2013 1:05 PM
110	Potential increase of commercial site on Rt. 2	Jan 21, 2013 12:53 PM
111	Places to bring dogs to run	Jan 21, 2013 12:30 PM
112	Ridge development--probably already too late	Jan 21, 2013 12:25 PM
113	Industrial wind turbines	Jan 21, 2013 12:13 PM
114	Zoning to protect rural character while supporting economic viability	Jan 21, 2013 11:27 AM
115	a. regulations for althalternative energy systems	Jan 21, 2013 10:49 AM
116	preserve open space	Jan 21, 2013 10:40 AM
117	Access to river for swimming , paddling, fishing	Jan 20, 2013 6:00 PM
118	Residential development	Jan 20, 2013 1:28 AM
119	We need to protect open space otherwise Shelburne will not be special anymore	Jan 18, 2013 6:47 PM
120	access to falls, rivers	Jan 18, 2013 1:50 PM
121	Loss of family farms	Jan 18, 2013 1:03 PM
122	Preserving "wild corridors" for forests, fields, and animals	Jan 17, 2013 9:18 PM
123	Land Owner Rights	Jan 17, 2013 8:41 PM
124	People want to control open space which they do not own.	Jan 17, 2013 8:20 PM

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125	attracting visitors who love the land + respect naturals	Jan 17, 2013 6:20 PM
126	Farmers selling land for residential development	Jan 17, 2013 6:08 PM
127	wind turbine siting	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
128	Privacy	Jan 17, 2013 10:11 AM
129	parking in shel falls	Jan 16, 2013 2:13 PM
130	VIOLATION of property rights	Jan 16, 2013 1:54 PM
131	Taxes	Jan 15, 2013 11:06 PM
132	trees - save at all costs	Jan 15, 2013 8:44 PM
133	wind power	Jan 15, 2013 2:45 PM
134	Pothole area is closed off	Jan 15, 2013 2:35 PM
135	the coming end of the viability to earn a living at agriculture	Jan 15, 2013 2:24 PM
136	Guarding our spaces against unruly people. Who would "police" these areas?	Jan 15, 2013 1:44 PM
137	none	Jan 14, 2013 7:20 PM
138	Zoning	Jan 14, 2013 5:26 PM
139	preserving farmland and forests	Jan 14, 2013 5:19 PM
140	wind turbines	Jan 14, 2013 5:13 PM
141	need to be able to build on less than 2 acres	Jan 14, 2013 4:55 PM
142	Potholes	Jan 14, 2013 11:37 AM
143	would like to see Cowell gym used more for younger kids - physical activity - basketball, floor hockey	Jan 14, 2013 10:56 AM
144	Preservation of aesthetically valuable lands	Jan 14, 2013 12:15 AM
145	I have no idea!	Jan 13, 2013 11:43 PM
146	picnic area with supervision for young families	Jan 13, 2013 9:47 PM
147	Pressure on farmers to sell or lease land to make a living	Jan 13, 2013 5:49 PM
148	Overdevelopment	Jan 13, 2013 4:33 PM
149	keeping farms afloat	Jan 13, 2013 1:04 PM
150	Industrial wind turbines	Jan 12, 2013 11:35 PM

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151	Single family houses on small lots with 250' frontage	Jan 12, 2013 11:24 PM
152	wind energy - we all love our cell phones & towers	Jan 10, 2013 9:52 PM
153	Lack of access to River and Hiking	Jan 10, 2013 7:23 PM
154	develop riverfront	Jan 10, 2013 5:10 PM
155	as more farms go out of business, the "farmers" will cease to exist	Jan 10, 2013 1:55 PM
156	Commercial/industrial wind ior solar dev't does not belong in areas long preventing commercial/indust. development - period.	Jan 9, 2013 10:46 AM
157	control growth	Jan 9, 2013 10:12 AM
158	wind farms and their impact on Shelburne	Jan 9, 2013 9:56 AM
159	easier w/c access	Jan 9, 2013 9:39 AM
161	scenic hilltops - stop raping the views - the house overlooking the village off Crittenden Hill is horrible!	Jan 8, 2013 4:28 PM
162	with a growing elder population, how to involve the younger members of our community in these topics	Jan 8, 2013 2:43 PM
163	preserving open lands and rural scenic setting	Jan 8, 2013 2:35 PM
164	alternative energy systems	Jan 8, 2013 2:28 PM
165	tourism	Jan 8, 2013 10:52 AM
166	loss of viable farms	Jan 4, 2013 9:24 AM
167	Preserving agricultural land	Jan 4, 2013 8:02 AM
168	residents and tourists alike would appreciate a Town swimming area, preferably in the river,if possible and healthy	Jan 3, 2013 9:42 PM
169	Farm viability	Dec 26, 2012 11:54 PM
Suggested Solutions:		
1	The potholes could be an assett	Mar 27, 2013 9:34 AM
4	less salt on rds, limit town use of machines (leaf blowing!)	Mar 25, 2013 5:48 PM
6	providing more recreation opportunities geared towards teens. Maybe billiards etc. center	Mar 25, 2013 4:38 PM
8	stop restrictive zoning regulatory	Mar 25, 2013 4:12 PM
11	Alarming misuse of government to regulate personal owners who pay taxes	Mar 25, 2013 3:29 PM

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12	No building on mountaintops or ridgelines	Feb 26, 2013 1:20 PM
15	Allow some alt energy development, but protect Mt Massemet and the river	Feb 26, 2013 12:33 PM
16	Provide incentives for land protection. Educate community about the Franklin Land Trust and all the technical resources that FLT can provide	Feb 25, 2013 3:55 PM
19	A test of available, steady winds must be the first study.	Feb 21, 2013 10:22 AM
20	alternative - wind solar hydro -	Feb 21, 2013 9:42 AM
21	The OSC should take a position.	Feb 12, 2013 8:56 PM
22	Safe crossing of Rte 2, access to trails along the river	Feb 12, 2013 8:27 PM
23	need more farmers in the future	Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
24	Property tax breaks for farmers	Feb 12, 2013 7:45 PM
25	The Anchorage is up for sale--80 acres---town should purchase	Feb 12, 2013 7:31 PM
26	Start viewing them as beautiful and necessary---not eyesores.	Feb 12, 2013 6:58 PM
28	Is ZONING the key?	Feb 12, 2013 5:48 PM
29	CPA	Feb 8, 2013 12:03 AM
30	Don't waste \$\$ on those projects	Feb 7, 2013 11:45 PM
31	Return to their original locales	Feb 7, 2013 11:05 PM
32	respect and help them	Feb 7, 2013 10:56 PM
33	Eliminate Right to Farm By-law	Feb 7, 2013 10:31 PM
34	more business	Feb 7, 2013 10:07 PM
35	Allow	Feb 7, 2013 10:01 PM
37	Stop adding zoning regs	Feb 7, 2013 9:30 PM
39	reduce them	Feb 7, 2013 9:05 PM
40	Stop telling the real farmers what to do	Feb 7, 2013 8:58 PM
41	Limit commercial "strip mall" structures	Feb 7, 2013 8:16 PM
42	Limited zoning petition---not town wide.	Feb 5, 2013 11:51 PM
43	Fix the court	Feb 5, 2013 8:56 PM
45	Not sure	Feb 5, 2013 8:28 PM

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46	Keep them open	Feb 5, 2013 8:09 PM
47	Don't encourage it	Feb 5, 2013 5:53 PM
48	Put some exercise equipment in gym and keep open to all residents	Feb 5, 2013 5:45 PM
49	Send it elsewhere (!) or only allow small/personal use turbines	Feb 4, 2013 6:53 AM
50	don't allow it near or in view of people	Feb 2, 2013 3:44 PM
51	Solar, Hydro, Wind	Feb 2, 2013 3:29 PM
52	don't make it so difficult	Feb 2, 2013 3:17 PM
53	change zoning from commercial; get scenic byway easements	Feb 2, 2013 3:08 PM
54	cooperation between the town and the Franklin Land Trust	Feb 2, 2013 1:04 PM
55	"picture" what we have now and what, for example, the Rt 2 commercial corridor would look like if fully developed to zoning capacity. People can easier "see" pictures than "plans" and verbal descriptions	Feb 1, 2013 6:48 PM
57	don't do it. Its already a dangerous, crowded road	Feb 1, 2013 6:18 PM
58	open potholes to residents, or create diff access opportunity	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
59	rezone to rural/agricultural. Acquire scenic and conservation easements along route to protect farms from development	Jan 30, 2013 11:36 PM
60	buy your own land	Jan 30, 2013 4:49 PM
61	Everybody chill out	Jan 29, 2013 9:20 PM
62	Look at solar panels	Jan 29, 2013 8:28 PM
63	Zoning incentives to direct res/comm development to village centers	Jan 29, 2013 6:43 PM
64	Use of APR and CR	Jan 29, 2013 5:55 PM
65	more business friendly	Jan 29, 2013 12:21 PM
67	eliminate	Jan 29, 2013 10:25 AM
68	Enack regs as U have suggested, regs that limit what can be built on hill tops, mts.	Jan 29, 2013 10:18 AM
69	get grant money	Jan 28, 2013 7:05 PM
70	maintain established trails + make map available	Jan 28, 2013 5:13 PM
71	None, I do not want SF to become like NJ	Jan 28, 2013 4:39 PM
72	Community calendar, community bulletin board (online)	Jan 28, 2013 1:58 PM

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73	Have to decide on an individual basis what is good and not good for the town as far as new business coming in. Do we want an industrial smoke stack in town that will employ people or do we want several small benign businesses that employ the same amount of people as the smoke stack? I will take the small businesses any day.	Jan 28, 2013 1:53 PM
74	Zoning. Incentives. Keep businesses like Aubuchon from moving to Rt. 2. Develop empty parcels in town	Jan 28, 2013 10:57 AM
75	The solution is obvious!	Jan 27, 2013 10:32 PM
77	Provide local food to residents and attract visitors. Assist in securing space for an indoor market for off-season	Jan 27, 2013 12:15 AM
78	Transfer of Commercial Development Rights to encourage nodes at areas best able to support w/o harm	Jan 26, 2013 10:02 AM
80	Open for public use!!!	Jan 25, 2013 12:39 PM
81	Offer dollars, ask for an easement, anything else, keep the closed minds from spreading	Jan 25, 2013 10:52 AM
82	adoption of CPA	Jan 25, 2013 10:31 AM
83	adopt cpa, promote and encourage leaving estate for this purpose.	Jan 25, 2013 8:48 AM
84	providing recreation, which can promote jobs	Jan 24, 2013 11:29 PM
85	Continue to ban industrial wind, but allow small-scale turbines, with conditions	Jan 24, 2013 10:17 PM
86	Oppose solar arrays and windtowers--they are useless and wasteful. Develop hydrogen fuel cell.	Jan 24, 2013 9:59 PM
87	limit to non-commercial; enact height regulations	Jan 24, 2013 9:39 PM
88	connect those people with land owners who want to keep their land open and productive	Jan 24, 2013 9:05 PM
89	Limit insurance claims and "tort" issues	Jan 24, 2013 8:25 PM
90	discussions with land trust folks, promotion of local agriculture, forestry	Jan 24, 2013 3:29 PM
92	The town's webmaster should create & maintain this AND highly publicize it so people know to look there for info. The online version could be updated daily or at least weekly. Paper copies could be printed in local papers, hung up around town, etc on a monthly basis.	Jan 22, 2013 12:27 PM
93	create a fund that would allow the town to purchase land	Jan 22, 2013 10:29 AM
94	don't allow it	Jan 21, 2013 8:32 PM
95	Have a "decorative" pesticide ban modeled after Ontario's ban. They have banned lawn pesticides because of likely risks to human and animal health and	Jan 21, 2013 5:20 PM

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	minimal benefit. Pesticides are still allowed for agriculture, some landscaping, and to protect buildings.	
96	Start really researching how to add solar and SAFE wind power	Jan 21, 2013 4:11 PM
97	Open and set up Cowell Gym for such a place	Jan 21, 2013 3:47 PM
99	Allow at least 1-2 back lots to be permitted in existing parcel.	Jan 21, 2013 3:24 PM
100	Deerfield River if it can be cleaned up. I think that Potholes should be enhanced so that they can be used to bring business to town but avoid liability which has been an issue. Great tourist attraction.	Jan 21, 2013 3:06 PM
101	Remove birth control products from pharmacy.	Jan 21, 2013 2:59 PM
102	Restrict size and number	Jan 21, 2013 2:44 PM
104	Wind and solar	Jan 21, 2013 2:24 PM
105	Support solar in all forms	Jan 21, 2013 2:18 PM
107	I would like a tax relief under 61 A to establish raising sheep for wool.	Jan 21, 2013 1:44 PM
108	Community would help regulate safety (not police), lots of signage helping visitors understand proper shoes, no garbage, etc.	Jan 21, 2013 1:25 PM
109	New management, oversight, siting in new location, invitations to farms, reduce \$ to participate as farm	Jan 21, 2013 1:05 PM
110	Do Not Allow Any	Jan 21, 2013 12:53 PM
111	Dog park	Jan 21, 2013 12:30 PM
113	Reject any plans for these in Shelburne area	Jan 21, 2013 12:13 PM
114	Update zoning bylaws, devote tax dollars to economic growth	Jan 21, 2013 11:27 AM
116	commitment to planning/engage townspeople	Jan 21, 2013 10:40 AM
117	Parking areas at sunburn beach, trails to below dams for paddling put-in	Jan 20, 2013 6:00 PM
118	Cluster housing and increase in frontage requirement	Jan 20, 2013 1:28 AM
119	Strict zoning	Jan 18, 2013 6:47 PM
120	walking trail along river with areas to swim	Jan 18, 2013 1:50 PM
121	Active working family (small) farms should be paid not "grow" solar and wind facilities & revise our tax structure.	Jan 18, 2013 1:03 PM
122	Map according to best practices and identify fragile areas	Jan 17, 2013 9:18 PM
123	The town "residents" (aka here-today, gone-tomorrow transplants) need to stop	Jan 17, 2013 8:41 PM

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	sticking their nose where they don't belong.	
124	They need to find a hobby and stay out of other people's business.	Jan 17, 2013 8:20 PM
125	a hiking trail to High Ledges starting in the village	Jan 17, 2013 6:20 PM
126	Industrial development would bring in more taxes and require less space	Jan 17, 2013 6:08 PM
127	regulate them away from populated areas	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
128	Leave landowners alone	Jan 17, 2013 10:11 AM
129	park on the street	Jan 16, 2013 2:13 PM
130	Cautious approach to zoning	Jan 16, 2013 1:54 PM
131	Keep them from increasing. Also, farm buildings are over assessed and historic barns should not be taxed to encourage their preservation.	Jan 15, 2013 11:06 PM
132	build around them as on Severance & eplace with like kind	Jan 15, 2013 8:44 PM
133	Don't do it!	Jan 15, 2013 2:45 PM
134	Open them for "use at your own risk" bathing and walking	Jan 15, 2013 2:35 PM
135	bylaws that portect open land while allowing some development so that land owners can realize the higher values of their land	Jan 15, 2013 2:24 PM
136	Perhaps volunteers could do clean up of trash and walk the areas daily to be sure they are maintained.	Jan 15, 2013 1:44 PM
138	Board suggests Town votes	Jan 14, 2013 5:26 PM
140	ban them	Jan 14, 2013 5:13 PM
141	one acre lots + access to off road land	Jan 14, 2013 4:55 PM
142	Gov't has no right to restrict that area below dam for recreational use	Jan 14, 2013 11:37 AM
144	Taxation to support town involvement in preservation	Jan 14, 2013 12:15 AM
146	no clue	Jan 13, 2013 9:47 PM
147	Update regulations on cluster development (NOT large industrial)	Jan 13, 2013 5:49 PM
148	Keep it regulated	Jan 13, 2013 4:33 PM
149	help develop markets for local produce	Jan 13, 2013 1:04 PM
150	Ban	Jan 12, 2013 11:35 PM
151	Don't allow it! It breaks up the continuity of the landscape and directly contradicts the nature of the scenic downtown and it's UGLY!	Jan 12, 2013 11:24 PM

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152	why the objection with wind generation?	Jan 10, 2013 9:52 PM
153	Maintain Trails form Village, Work W/ Land owners for access, build footbridges across River; Open Pothole.	Jan 10, 2013 7:23 PM
154	turn the VFW into an open space continuous w/ the BOF	Jan 10, 2013 5:10 PM
155	in all reality not much can/will be done	Jan 10, 2013 1:55 PM
157	strong zoning, conservation land	Jan 9, 2013 10:12 AM
158	specific, stringent town by-laws to address this	Jan 9, 2013 9:56 AM
160	keep open space	Jan 8, 2013 4:36 PM
163	no commercial development of Rte 2	Jan 8, 2013 2:35 PM
164	regulation as agreed/voted upon	Jan 8, 2013 2:28 PM
165	keep town and stores the way it is	Jan 8, 2013 10:52 AM
166	promote "buy local," more farmers markets, adopt CPA, CISA, Franklin Land Trust	Jan 4, 2013 9:24 AM
167	Buying development rights	Jan 4, 2013 8:02 AM
168	Wilcox Hollow exists and might be modified	Jan 3, 2013 9:42 PM
169	Creative farm products, offering recreation opportunities on farmland/forestland	Dec 26, 2012 11:54 PM
2. Issue:		
1	Ridgeline development	Mar 27, 2013 9:34 AM
2	Rt 2 highway control & development & noise	Mar 27, 2013 9:24 AM
3	maintaining resources for farming + recreation	Mar 25, 2013 6:03 PM
4	green energy	Mar 25, 2013 5:48 PM
6	affordable housing	Mar 25, 2013 4:38 PM
8	We are not business friendly	Mar 25, 2013 4:12 PM
12	sustainable energy development	Feb 26, 2013 1:20 PM
15	Keep farms viable/healthy, esp ORGANIC farms which are healthier for soils and water resources	Feb 26, 2013 12:33 PM
17	parking downtown	Feb 25, 2013 3:39 PM
18	a farm is a busimness like anyother business if we protect + help farms we should help every other business too...why the discrimination against other	Feb 25, 2013 3:31 PM

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	businesses?	
19	Mt. Massamet is the backdrop for the village of Shelburne Falls and it sets the stage for the whole town as well as Buckland	Feb 21, 2013 10:22 AM
20	renewable energy	Feb 21, 2013 9:42 AM
22	Development of land through sub-division	Feb 12, 2013 8:27 PM
23	back lot development	Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
24	River access for canoes and kayaks and rafters	Feb 12, 2013 7:45 PM
25	Evening recreation needs	Feb 12, 2013 7:31 PM
28	Build a love of NATURE in kids....	Feb 12, 2013 5:48 PM
29	Opening Potholes	Feb 8, 2013 12:03 AM
31	Our heritage is now lost	Feb 7, 2013 11:05 PM
32	The goat farm on Rte 2 makes real farmers look bad	Feb 7, 2013 10:56 PM
34	taxes very high	Feb 7, 2013 10:07 PM
35	Solar	Feb 7, 2013 10:01 PM
36	taxes	Feb 7, 2013 9:37 PM
37	Restriction of growth	Feb 7, 2013 9:30 PM
38	influx of trust fund babies	Feb 7, 2013 9:16 PM
39	making farmers angry	Feb 7, 2013 9:05 PM
40	Seems strange that real farmers aren't on town boards	Feb 7, 2013 8:58 PM
41	Large scale energy producers	Feb 7, 2013 8:16 PM
42	Preserving plant and animal corridors	Feb 5, 2013 11:51 PM
43	Potholes are closed to access	Feb 5, 2013 8:56 PM
44	Helping working farms survive	Feb 5, 2013 8:49 PM
46	Invasive species	Feb 5, 2013 8:09 PM
47	Pressure on the land	Feb 5, 2013 5:53 PM
48	Lack of safe swimming options	Feb 5, 2013 5:45 PM
49	Potential Route 2 development	Feb 4, 2013 6:53 AM

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50	don't change zoning for residential properties - we enjoy our space	Feb 2, 2013 3:44 PM
51	Need for a comprehensive dog park	Feb 2, 2013 3:29 PM
52	encourage development	Feb 2, 2013 3:17 PM
53	access to river along MM trail from deerfield to Potholes	Feb 2, 2013 3:08 PM
54	Town has denied residents access to the potholes	Feb 2, 2013 1:04 PM
57	access to natural areas- recreation	Feb 1, 2013 6:18 PM
58	farming/ag/food security	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
59	completion of a contiguous MM trail along river from Deerfield to Potholes and up through Charlemont	Jan 30, 2013 11:36 PM
60	controlling those that have protected us for so long	Jan 30, 2013 4:49 PM
62	Bring industry without destroying the rural nature	Jan 29, 2013 8:28 PM
63	Sustainable use of farm and forest land	Jan 29, 2013 6:43 PM
65	tax revenue	Jan 29, 2013 12:21 PM
67	right to farm	Jan 29, 2013 10:25 AM
69	Cross country hiking + viewing areas	Jan 28, 2013 7:05 PM
71	Road projects always seem to result in wider streets	Jan 28, 2013 4:39 PM
72	Not enough maintenance and care to the recreational areas, such as the softball field, tennis courts, ball field at BSElementary.	Jan 28, 2013 1:58 PM
74	Tie into surrounding recreation based economy	Jan 28, 2013 10:57 AM
76	easy access to hiking from the village	Jan 27, 2013 1:18 PM
77	Expand or replace senior center - more space for classes, etc - secure services of a trainer with education in	Jan 27, 2013 12:15 AM
78	Maintain viable agriculture and forest lands	Jan 26, 2013 10:02 AM
79	The Town should not regulate wooded land that is on private land	Jan 25, 2013 6:58 PM
80	River levels	Jan 25, 2013 12:39 PM
82	renewable energy	Jan 25, 2013 10:31 AM
83	keeping open lands open	Jan 25, 2013 8:48 AM
84	Making and keeping downtown Shelburne unique	Jan 24, 2013 11:29 PM

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85	Appropriate, save access to the river	Jan 24, 2013 10:17 PM
87	Use of Potholes	Jan 24, 2013 9:39 PM
89	Loss of scenic views because of tree growth	Jan 24, 2013 8:25 PM
90	affordability in housing, food, etc. for an aging population	Jan 24, 2013 3:29 PM
91	shopping availability	Jan 24, 2013 10:16 AM
92	There isn't a map or list of public hiking trails, ball-fields, fishing access, gym space that is easy to access.	Jan 22, 2013 12:27 PM
93	stubborn, conservative residents who don't think anyone should tell them anything about what to do	Jan 22, 2013 10:29 AM
95	Ways for community to get involced in helping with recreation	Jan 21, 2013 5:20 PM
96	Keeping open space open	Jan 21, 2013 4:11 PM
97	Connect Mohawk-Mahican Trail to the rear of Mole Hollow Candle	Jan 21, 2013 3:47 PM
99	Ease lot size restrictions in village to create more developemnt opportunities in area that has public water and sewer.	Jan 21, 2013 3:24 PM
101	Farmers having land wealth with limited opportunities to control profits on land	Jan 21, 2013 2:59 PM
105	Close off all future possibilities of industrial wind sitings	Jan 21, 2013 2:18 PM
106	Limiting development in rural areas--maintaining the character of rural areas	Jan 21, 2013 2:08 PM
107	Also I would like to give a piece of my land to my children for them to build a house.	Jan 21, 2013 1:44 PM
109	Keep farm land in ag. production/forests wooded/viable	Jan 21, 2013 1:05 PM
112	Keep farm land viable and open	Jan 21, 2013 12:25 PM
113	Solar panels	Jan 21, 2013 12:13 PM
114	Promote SF viability thourgh tourism support and attractions	Jan 21, 2013 11:27 AM
115	c. limit building on ridgelines	Jan 21, 2013 10:49 AM
116	planned recreation areas	Jan 21, 2013 10:40 AM
117	Hiking trails not marked well	Jan 20, 2013 6:00 PM
118	Commercial overdevelopment of Mohawk Trail	Jan 20, 2013 1:28 AM
119	We need to help farmers maintain their farms and open fields	Jan 18, 2013 6:47 PM
120	skunk population	Jan 18, 2013 1:50 PM

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121	No town consensus and context for growth and development -- what do we want the town to look like in the future.	Jan 18, 2013 1:03 PM
122	Preserving vistas and fields and forests for the people of the town	Jan 17, 2013 9:18 PM
124	same as above	Jan 17, 2013 8:20 PM
125	Opening up the potholes to human enjoyment	Jan 17, 2013 6:20 PM
126	Farmers posting land	Jan 17, 2013 6:08 PM
127	potholes liability	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
128	Control	Jan 17, 2013 10:11 AM
129	no alternative energy	Jan 16, 2013 2:13 PM
130	Need alternative energy	Jan 16, 2013 1:54 PM
131	Cowell Gym (it's more deserving than the library)	Jan 15, 2013 11:06 PM
132	Fracking	Jan 15, 2013 8:44 PM
133	solar power	Jan 15, 2013 2:45 PM
136	Preserving our river and riverbanks.	Jan 15, 2013 1:44 PM
138	Farm conservation	Jan 14, 2013 5:26 PM
140	residential development	Jan 14, 2013 5:13 PM
141	no internet	Jan 14, 2013 4:55 PM
143	would like to see tennis court by Cowell gym fixed for tennis - summer basketball leagues	Jan 14, 2013 10:56 AM
147	Need to keep maximum land on tax roles.	Jan 13, 2013 5:49 PM
148	Mole Hollow vacancy	Jan 13, 2013 4:33 PM
149	protecting wildlife	Jan 13, 2013 1:04 PM
151	It is impossible to ride a bike to downtown without crossing Rt. 2 and dying. I wish I could ride my bike to town and get lunch and go shopping, but I can't. What a shame!	Jan 12, 2013 11:24 PM
152	How could we not support wind energy in these global warming times and put up with an outdated and end of lifetime of a 40 year old Nuke plant. If that goes, we all lose everything! our homes, our potholes and our ridgelines!	Jan 10, 2013 9:52 PM
153	Rt. 2 Truck and non-local traffic.	Jan 10, 2013 7:23 PM
154	river boating access (kayak and raft)	Jan 10, 2013 5:10 PM

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155	alternative energy issues	Jan 10, 2013 1:55 PM
156	Agricultural land will remain open and tended only if agriculture is economically viable	Jan 9, 2013 10:46 AM
158	Potholes - maintaining access while considering town liability issues	Jan 9, 2013 9:56 AM
161	Too many multi-family homes!!! STOP!	Jan 8, 2013 4:28 PM
163	wind power	Jan 8, 2013 2:35 PM
164	support for seniors	Jan 8, 2013 2:28 PM
165	recreation for young people - more for elders	Jan 8, 2013 10:52 AM
166	NIMBY attitudes regarding development, e.g., opposition to wind turbine development	Jan 4, 2013 9:24 AM
167	Preserving recreational land	Jan 4, 2013 8:02 AM
168	It would be nice to have public land for hiking	Jan 3, 2013 9:42 PM
169	Recreation needs to go beyond organized sports and for all ages	Dec 26, 2012 11:54 PM
Suggested Solutions:		
1	Limit building in these areas within sight of downtown	Mar 27, 2013 9:34 AM
2	(strongly request regulation signs for "jake-brake" use)	Mar 27, 2013 9:24 AM
4	solar panels o town roofs, sm. wind projects	Mar 25, 2013 5:48 PM
6	regulate a certain amount of housing to be affordable	Mar 25, 2013 4:38 PM
8	Support local business & encourage	Mar 25, 2013 4:12 PM
12	BALANCE is called for. Solar is the way to go for Shelburne	Feb 26, 2013 1:20 PM
15	Give farmers some kind of tax benefits....	Feb 26, 2013 12:33 PM
17	parking just outside of town & provide shuttle or trolley	Feb 25, 2013 3:39 PM
20	why are we not supporting utizing our resources. Why are we against farmers making money with wind to pay their taxes?	Feb 21, 2013 9:42 AM
22	Promote cluster development	Feb 12, 2013 8:27 PM
23	Zone to allow---shared driveways....	Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
24	Parking, and ease of entering the water near town	Feb 12, 2013 7:45 PM
25	Even paying a token fee at the high school would be cheaper than buying oil for Cowell.....	Feb 12, 2013 7:31 PM

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28	Zone a section of residential areas where folks can live as back-to-nature as they wish.	Feb 12, 2013 5:48 PM
29	Not necessarily with a walkway; but with signage,supervision	Feb 8, 2013 12:03 AM
32	Eliminate right to farm	Feb 7, 2013 10:56 PM
34	reduce taxes	Feb 7, 2013 10:07 PM
35	Allow	Feb 7, 2013 10:01 PM
36	eliminate	Feb 7, 2013 9:37 PM
37	encourage growth	Feb 7, 2013 9:30 PM
39	let them have windmills	Feb 7, 2013 9:05 PM
40	Put farmers on town boards	Feb 7, 2013 8:58 PM
41	Limit to small scale/residential	Feb 7, 2013 8:16 PM
42	More of what we've already done	Feb 5, 2013 11:51 PM
43	Open access to the Potholes	Feb 5, 2013 8:56 PM
46	Control them	Feb 5, 2013 8:09 PM
47	Don't encourage it	Feb 5, 2013 5:53 PM
48	Develop a summer swimming place--pool or natural	Feb 5, 2013 5:45 PM
49	Restrict it	Feb 4, 2013 6:53 AM
51	facilitates social, health and leisure concerns. Create one	Feb 2, 2013 3:29 PM
52	make it easier to develop ones property	Feb 2, 2013 3:17 PM
53	acquire easements to allow public access along river; talk with Trustees of reservation about preserving and managing potholes; tax breaks for landowners who allow public access	Feb 2, 2013 3:08 PM
54	take down the locked gate, improve (not deny) access	Feb 2, 2013 1:04 PM
57	people want it, so try to make it a priority	Feb 1, 2013 6:18 PM
58	create comm. gardens on Baptist commons (Sh Farmers mkt site)	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
59	acquire conservation easements along river to allow public access without interfering with farmers. Require landowners who take tax breaks to open land to public. Involve Trustees of Reservation to manage potholes area and trail along river	Jan 30, 2013 11:36 PM
60	leave farmers alone	Jan 30, 2013 4:49 PM

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63	CPA; Town involvement in purchasing land and dev rights to make farmland affordable for young farm families.	Jan 29, 2013 6:43 PM
65	encourage growth	Jan 29, 2013 12:21 PM
67	eliminate	Jan 29, 2013 10:25 AM
68	I'm out of time/this is due today, spec'l trip to S. Fls to pass in	Jan 29, 2013 10:18 AM
71	Don't do them id that's the price of stste funding	Jan 28, 2013 4:39 PM
72	Town needs to upgrade benches, maintain fields, repave tennis courts, post signage.	Jan 28, 2013 1:58 PM
74	Partner w/ neighboring townw - Buckland + Charlemont. Connect trail and recreation directly to village center	Jan 28, 2013 10:57 AM
77	senior exercise and wellness to lead classes.	Jan 27, 2013 12:15 AM
78	Identify new crops and value added processes and create support mechanisms for maintaining farm and forest land	Jan 26, 2013 10:02 AM
80	maintain higher levels in downtown area	Jan 25, 2013 12:39 PM
82	keep scale small + ownership local	Jan 25, 2013 10:31 AM
83	support local farms through any means available	Jan 25, 2013 8:48 AM
84	NO MORE BANKS!! Keep up Bridge of Flowers, Memorial Hall. Address parking issue. Swimming, boating.	Jan 24, 2013 11:29 PM
87	make them available for recreational use. Charge admission?	Jan 24, 2013 9:39 PM
89	Develop civic groups willing to keep vegetation down. Sell wood to fit needs.	Jan 24, 2013 8:25 PM
90	more units such as Highland Village	Jan 24, 2013 3:29 PM
91	possible tax break for commercial businesses	Jan 24, 2013 10:16 AM
92	Create this online and on paper for distribution to the community.	Jan 22, 2013 12:27 PM
93	educate everyone about what can happen to a town when the narrow-minded people have too much power.	Jan 22, 2013 10:29 AM
96	Limit development to specific areas/cluster houses, maintain greens and field in town	Jan 21, 2013 4:11 PM
97	Get the boy scouts to start creating a trail and develop it gradually. Additional access at Masonic Ave. and Bridge St.	Jan 21, 2013 3:47 PM
101	Not aware of solutions	Jan 21, 2013 2:59 PM
105	Do that through town committee; make sure a wider variety of voices is	Jan 21, 2013 2:18 PM

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	represented on teh committee.	
107	I would like not to have to pay back agricultural/IEW (?) on land I take out of 61 A to give to my family.	Jan 21, 2013 1:44 PM
109	Economic incentive to encourage preservation	Jan 21, 2013 1:05 PM
113	More study	Jan 21, 2013 12:13 PM
114	Expand SFABA work and funding; state support; grants	Jan 21, 2013 11:27 AM
117	Parking areas with roadside signs promoting hiking	Jan 20, 2013 6:00 PM
118	Additional zoning to increase setbacks, reduce signage, and provide safe access	Jan 20, 2013 1:28 AM
119	Not sure	Jan 18, 2013 6:47 PM
121	Develop a Master Plan	Jan 18, 2013 1:03 PM
122	Limit development to preserve views, zoning to promote development in town areas	Jan 17, 2013 9:18 PM
124	same as above	Jan 17, 2013 8:20 PM
125	Maintain a lifeguard + regularly clean up the area	Jan 17, 2013 6:20 PM
126	No tax breaks for posted land including organizations and municipalities	Jan 17, 2013 6:08 PM
127	scenic overlook with very limited access	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
128	Let landowners do for their own land what is best	Jan 17, 2013 10:11 AM
129	encourage and promote with tax advantages	Jan 16, 2013 2:13 PM
130	Allow all forms and encourage especially to help farmers with their income and to offset tax expenses for them	Jan 16, 2013 1:54 PM
131	The windows should not be covered by bricks. Start a fund to pay for heat. Raise money. Save it.	Jan 15, 2013 11:06 PM
132	Don't Allow it anywhere	Jan 15, 2013 8:44 PM
133	Do it!	Jan 15, 2013 2:45 PM
135	actively support new farmers through our AgComm and outreach and education.	Jan 15, 2013 2:24 PM
136	Not allowing watercraft beyond a certain? horsepower or weight or length	Jan 15, 2013 1:44 PM
138	State reimbursement + loans	Jan 14, 2013 5:26 PM
140	cluster development; Rezone areas that are rural, agricultural in areas that have become strictly residential by selling off farm land	Jan 14, 2013 5:13 PM

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141	encourage Comcast to keep expanding	Jan 14, 2013 4:55 PM
147	Allow back-country development / cluster development	Jan 13, 2013 5:49 PM
148	Cafe/ restaurant / pub / live music venue	Jan 13, 2013 4:33 PM
149	encourage wildlife corridors	Jan 13, 2013 1:04 PM
153	Tolls for non local traffic. Close the bypass and make that a bike-path. That will bring businesses back downtown.	Jan 10, 2013 7:23 PM
154	public boat launch (MA DCR may be able to help)	Jan 10, 2013 5:10 PM
155	people need to accept that we can't always depend on oil- be more open to change - not a solution in my lifetime	Jan 10, 2013 1:55 PM
156	Support buy local in all ways possible	Jan 9, 2013 10:46 AM
158	???	Jan 9, 2013 9:56 AM
163	consider solar power instead	Jan 8, 2013 2:35 PM
164	continued expansion of Senior Center services	Jan 8, 2013 2:28 PM
166	Continue open-minded work by planning board, selectboard leadership	Jan 4, 2013 9:24 AM
167	Buying development rights	Jan 4, 2013 8:02 AM
168	I'm afraid that the Town would have to purchase land unless a generous donor can be found	Jan 3, 2013 9:42 PM
169	Encourage development of outdoor recreational activities such as more trails for hiking, cross-country skiing, picnicking	Dec 26, 2012 11:54 PM
3. Issue:		
1	Wetlands & wildlife decline	Mar 27, 2013 9:34 AM
2	balance between viability & development	Mar 27, 2013 9:24 AM
3	developing sound + responsible zoning + development practices	Mar 25, 2013 6:03 PM
4	river fluctuations impact plant and wildlife, also boards (flash) & pipes & plastic by dam are washed down river several x/year. Any development by river will invite more invasive species (+ any development could include solar panels - lots of sun there!)	Mar 25, 2013 5:48 PM
6	maintain small town New England feel, but provide growth	Mar 25, 2013 4:38 PM
8	We are catering to the nouveau retired & rich & no longer respect the foundation of the town and the opportunities it has provided many to live simply in peace have been destroyed by an influx of entitled	Mar 25, 2013 4:12 PM

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12	Access to the Potholes that promotes tourism	Feb 26, 2013 1:20 PM
17	maintaining th library	Feb 25, 2013 3:39 PM
19	Shelburne + Buckland seem to have recreation well covered	Feb 21, 2013 10:22 AM
22	Lack of public access to the river	Feb 12, 2013 8:27 PM
23	Tax base	Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
24	Promoting open space and scenic areas to visitors	Feb 12, 2013 7:45 PM
28	Get kids to understand that the earth is fragile and finite.	Feb 12, 2013 5:48 PM
29	Better guides to hiking trails	Feb 8, 2013 12:03 AM
31	Poorleadership at local and nat'l levels	Feb 7, 2013 11:05 PM
32	Trespassing	Feb 7, 2013 10:56 PM
34	friction in town	Feb 7, 2013 10:07 PM
35	Electric Bill	Feb 7, 2013 10:01 PM
36	Potholes	Feb 7, 2013 9:37 PM
37	Taxes	Feb 7, 2013 9:30 PM
38	kids leaving area as fast as they can	Feb 7, 2013 9:16 PM
39	lack of open-mindedness	Feb 7, 2013 9:05 PM
40	How the real natives are treated	Feb 7, 2013 8:58 PM
41	Lack of Town swimming hole	Feb 7, 2013 8:16 PM
43	No parking at Sunburn Beach	Feb 5, 2013 8:56 PM
47	Pressure on the locals	Feb 5, 2013 5:53 PM
49	Would love to see hiking trails from the village	Feb 4, 2013 6:53 AM
50	we need more activities that bring our community together - we have a mix fo many different people - we need to find a way to bring the new comers with the generational families. We are so rich with stories, skills, ideas	Feb 2, 2013 3:44 PM
51	More multi-use open space for residents - for teenagers, older people, dogs and families	Feb 2, 2013 3:29 PM
53	ridgetop develoments	Feb 2, 2013 3:08 PM
57	alternative energy projects that serve many	Feb 1, 2013 6:18 PM

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58	pedestrian access to hiking trails - eg having to walk/cycle on + across Rt 2 to go for a nice walk	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
59	agree that Shelburne will (should) never be a commercial/industrial center and instead focus on maximizing its assets such as farms, open space and scenic views	Jan 30, 2013 11:36 PM
60	no alternative energy	Jan 30, 2013 4:49 PM
65	no green energy	Jan 29, 2013 12:21 PM
67	right to farm	Jan 29, 2013 10:25 AM
69	More places to swim	Jan 28, 2013 7:05 PM
71	Pothole development -completion of trails	Jan 28, 2013 4:39 PM
74	Keep families in town and get locals to move back	Jan 28, 2013 10:57 AM
76	development of Buckland ridge line just above village (and the ensuing loss of trees)	Jan 27, 2013 1:18 PM
78	Need for a community-wide discussion as to how Shelburne wants to lower its carbon footprint and create jobs	Jan 26, 2013 10:02 AM
79	The Town should not regulate recreational area's on private land	Jan 25, 2013 6:58 PM
80	river quality	Jan 25, 2013 12:39 PM
82	preservation of historic buildings	Jan 25, 2013 10:31 AM
83	limit development	Jan 25, 2013 8:48 AM
85	Support existing farms and encourage more	Jan 24, 2013 10:17 PM
87	Keep Rte 2 rural	Jan 24, 2013 9:39 PM
90	nurturing what tourists are unlikely to see in brief visits	Jan 24, 2013 3:29 PM
91	Keepint Rt 2 scenic views intact	Jan 24, 2013 10:16 AM
92	Members of some committees serve on the committees to protect their own personal interests or push their own personal agenda rather than what the interests of the community actually are.	Jan 22, 2013 12:27 PM
93	too many tourists without the space for traffic flow, parking, toilets, etc.	Jan 22, 2013 10:29 AM
96	Route 2 is an important tourist attraction for leaf peeping and just a great drive. I'm worried about box stores and developing the corridor.	Jan 21, 2013 4:11 PM
97	Davenport's Pond area used to be a beautiful place to hike around. IT may be closed off by owners now.	Jan 21, 2013 3:47 PM

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99	Develop Potholes and area around the village to enhance private investment and job creation	Jan 21, 2013 3:24 PM
105	Cooperative efforts for town electricity created by photovoltaics	Jan 21, 2013 2:18 PM
106	Developing tourism in teh village as a means of increasing the tax base	Jan 21, 2013 2:08 PM
109	Swimming/exploration at the Potholes	Jan 21, 2013 1:05 PM
113	Make more use of land for residents and visitors for nature walks and social events, especially seniors, families, children	Jan 21, 2013 12:13 PM
114	Farm viability	Jan 21, 2013 11:27 AM
115	j. preserve Mohawk Trail as a scenic corridor	Jan 21, 2013 10:49 AM
118	Loss of farmers and farm land	Jan 20, 2013 1:28 AM
119	We need to maintain wildlife corridors and water supplies	Jan 18, 2013 6:47 PM
120	removal of forest windmill project	Jan 18, 2013 1:50 PM
121	Energy development and conservation	Jan 18, 2013 1:03 PM
122	Preserving farmlands and encouraging sustainable farming and agricultural practices	Jan 17, 2013 9:18 PM
124	People want landowners to provide land for recreation.	Jan 17, 2013 8:20 PM
125	wind towers are the only acceptable + positive additions to ridgelines	Jan 17, 2013 6:20 PM
126	Zoning laws	Jan 17, 2013 6:08 PM
127	restrooms & parking	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
128	Threat	Jan 17, 2013 10:11 AM
129	saving our vistas when we need them to keep warm	Jan 16, 2013 2:13 PM
130	Eliminate taxes for anyone that owns over 100 acres of land	Jan 16, 2013 1:54 PM
131	BIG WIND	Jan 15, 2013 11:06 PM
133	local biz	Jan 15, 2013 2:45 PM
136	Teens need a place to gather and have clean healthy fun	Jan 15, 2013 1:44 PM
138	Planning	Jan 14, 2013 5:26 PM
140	zoning along Route 2	Jan 14, 2013 5:13 PM
143	update seats in Memorial Hall - very uncomfortable - would attend more functions in theater	Jan 14, 2013 10:56 AM

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149	protecting views	Jan 13, 2013 1:04 PM
153	The village is not a community center, too many banks and too few essential services.	Jan 10, 2013 7:23 PM
154	parking	Jan 10, 2013 5:10 PM
156	Would like to see village stretch of Deerfield more consistently a "full pond" other than when weather/precipitation requires otherwise	Jan 9, 2013 10:46 AM
158	encourage landowners of larger rural parcels to preserve their land as undeveloped and for conservation purposes	Jan 9, 2013 9:56 AM
164	support of children in the community	Jan 8, 2013 2:28 PM
165	attraction of the river	Jan 8, 2013 10:52 AM
166	lack of maintenance of historic buildings	Jan 4, 2013 9:24 AM
168	We seem to have no intact wildlife corridor or wildlife sanctuaries	Jan 3, 2013 9:42 PM
169	Aging landowners whose children may not wish to continue to keep land open	Dec 26, 2012 11:54 PM
Suggested Solutions:		
1	Though time consuming + sometimes costly, the decline in beaver ponds + activity over the last 30 years has affected wildlife habitat + corridors in a big way.. allowing + encouraging them enhances biodiversity more than any other species/activity	Mar 27, 2013 9:34 AM
2	continued vigilance	Mar 27, 2013 9:24 AM
6	See question 15 #5	Mar 25, 2013 4:38 PM
12	Protect the river, but make it possible to hike along it town-side. Link town with the Mahican-Mohawk with a boardwalk of sorts.....	Feb 26, 2013 1:20 PM
17	provide more taxpayer support	Feb 25, 2013 3:39 PM
19	Both towns share their facilities instead of competing	Feb 21, 2013 10:22 AM
22	Town or land trust control of riverfront areas for recreation swimming boating picnic-ing	Feb 12, 2013 8:27 PM
23	Keep land on the tax roles, so each landowner doesn't have to pay more.....	Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
24	Parking areas along Rte 2 to allow motorists to appreciate views, etc.	Feb 12, 2013 7:45 PM
28	Allow people to live in a section of each town in a low-cost, no-cost, low-tech way....living in Nature.	Feb 12, 2013 5:48 PM
29	marking trails	Feb 8, 2013 12:03 AM

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32	Signs	Feb 7, 2013 10:56 PM
34	less do-gooders	Feb 7, 2013 10:07 PM
35	Alternative energy	Feb 7, 2013 10:01 PM
36	Resolve the liability issue	Feb 7, 2013 9:37 PM
37	Relief	Feb 7, 2013 9:30 PM
39	realistic approach to world peace	Feb 7, 2013 9:05 PM
40	Treat them better	Feb 7, 2013 8:58 PM
41	Open Potholes/Deerfield River for Shelburne residents only	Feb 7, 2013 8:16 PM
43	Create some road-side parking area	Feb 5, 2013 8:56 PM
47	Try to avoid it	Feb 5, 2013 5:53 PM
49	Not sure of available connecting land	Feb 4, 2013 6:53 AM
51	create some	Feb 2, 2013 3:29 PM
53	enact ridge protection districts; limit large windpower developments to those which benefit all residents in town; Town could sponsor development and use power within town	Feb 2, 2013 3:08 PM
57	allow special development rights for projects (solar/wind/hydro) that would serve the town or large groups directly. Not just individuals	Feb 1, 2013 6:18 PM
58	cross walk, blinkingorange light or red/green light on Rt 2 @ fire tower trail and sidewalks to Trustees trails	Feb 1, 2013 3:07 PM
59	develop support systems for visitors and tourists, such as well maintained trails, pothole access. Encourage landowners to take advantage of ways to access tourist dollars eg open areas for camping, walking etc with fees	Jan 30, 2013 11:36 PM
60	windmills - lots of them Solar - lots - Lots of lots!	Jan 30, 2013 4:49 PM
65	encourage large corporations to help us develop	Jan 29, 2013 12:21 PM
67	eliminate	Jan 29, 2013 10:25 AM
68	Thank you all for your hard work + tim devoted to Open Space Committee	Jan 29, 2013 10:18 AM
69	Lessons for the kids. Take to the Y	Jan 28, 2013 7:05 PM
71	Complete trailsalong the river, create a river center at Mole Hollow	Jan 28, 2013 4:39 PM
74	Improve community resourices like swimming access. Model after Conway and Chesterfield. Re-open Potholes somehow...	Jan 28, 2013 10:57 AM

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78	Create a mechanism for even-handed comparison/discussion of wind vs geothermal vs. solar vs.insulation, etc	Jan 26, 2013 10:02 AM
80	redirect runoff away from river!	Jan 25, 2013 12:39 PM
82	Arms Lib., Mem. Hall	Jan 25, 2013 10:31 AM
83	increase size of minimum lot size, no flag lots, increase frontage requirements, restrict commercial areas	Jan 25, 2013 8:48 AM
85	Support CISA, "Local Hero" activiries. Encourage and keep up PR activities.	Jan 24, 2013 10:17 PM
87	enact zoning laws to limit development.	Jan 24, 2013 9:39 PM
90	continued promotion of community activities	Jan 24, 2013 3:29 PM
91	cutting trees + brush	Jan 24, 2013 10:16 AM
92	Open space and rec. committees should actually use the results of this survey to develop their action plans.	Jan 22, 2013 12:27 PM
93	stop encouraging tourism, which benefits only the shopowners and is a pain in the butt for everyone else	Jan 22, 2013 10:29 AM
96	Make restrictions of kind of businesses size and siting so there are still leafy vistas to see.	Jan 21, 2013 4:11 PM
97	Perhaps it could be developed into a hiking trail and connected to the High Ledges.	Jan 21, 2013 3:47 PM
109	Open the space up--provide handicap ramps, etc.	Jan 21, 2013 1:05 PM
113	Parking needed--suggest shuttle bus service from outlying parking areas	Jan 21, 2013 12:13 PM
114	Buy local, farm building tax breaks, education and support for new farmers, land bank for farm lands	Jan 21, 2013 11:27 AM
118	Support the numerous efforts (buy local etc)	Jan 20, 2013 1:28 AM
119	Strict zoning	Jan 18, 2013 6:47 PM
120	more research into subject	Jan 18, 2013 1:50 PM
121	Establish an Energy Committee to study this issue holistically, not in the heat of a proposed project.	Jan 18, 2013 1:03 PM
122	Encourage CSAs, helping farmers work with governmental and foundation programs that subsidize and encourage sustainable practices.	Jan 17, 2013 9:18 PM
124	Use their own land or buy land and let others use it.	Jan 17, 2013 8:20 PM
126	not enough industrial land in town. Allow a slaughterhouse on ag. land. The state and Fed. Govt. already have laws that protect the environment including water	Jan 17, 2013 6:08 PM

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	+ emissions (air quality) We don't need and shouldn't add more.	
127	build public restrooms	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
128	The more you regulate, you create serfs, and rebellion will create a lot of low income housing, leave it alone.	Jan 17, 2013 10:11 AM
129	leave the vistas to the people that own them	Jan 16, 2013 2:13 PM
130	To encourage farmers to keep farming	Jan 16, 2013 1:54 PM
131	Keep the ban and severely limit the height of backyard windmills or just ban them too.	Jan 15, 2013 11:06 PM
133	Encourage	Jan 15, 2013 2:45 PM
136	reopen cowell gym for dances ... a skate park for boarders ... a place to gather	Jan 15, 2013 1:44 PM
138	commercial development in town (enough T-shirt + fudge stores already	Jan 14, 2013 5:26 PM
140	make the rest if it non-commercial, requiring a special permit for it to become commercial	Jan 14, 2013 5:13 PM
153	Encourage businesses that support the best bets of Shelburne: Local food, holistic health; Crafts; Craft Education; Music, and outdoor / nature activities.	Jan 10, 2013 7:23 PM
154	garage	Jan 10, 2013 5:10 PM
158	provide tax break incentives for these landowners	Jan 9, 2013 9:56 AM
164	suitable activities for age and development	Jan 8, 2013 2:28 PM
166	adopt CPA, create a capital facilities committee, create a facilities maintenance fund	Jan 4, 2013 9:24 AM
168	Landowners might be rewarded for protecting and preservnig undeveloped lands in specific areas	Jan 3, 2013 9:42 PM
169	Land protection through conservation easements or other mechanisms	Dec 26, 2012 11:54 PM

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Please check all that apply.**

1	Future developments, future tourist options, local farming issues	Mar 27, 2013 9:34 AM
2	any ongoing action considered	Mar 27, 2013 9:26 AM
3	Phone- should add phone # section to census to get cell phone users phone info in case of emergency etc. not just landlines Teen & child focused events & town events via mailings	Mar 25, 2013 4:40 PM
4	neighbor to neighbor used to work Capitalizing on investments	Mar 25, 2013 4:13 PM
5	none	Mar 25, 2013 3:54 PM
6	Everyone who is receiving free grant money gets food stamp welfare or owes taxes	Mar 25, 2013 3:30 PM
7	Event happenings (at the Cowell, in-town, at Senior Center, Mem Hall, hikes, historical talks, libraries, etc)	Feb 26, 2013 1:21 PM
8	posting at Town Hall + Library	Feb 21, 2013 10:23 AM
9	I listed the information in Q3, Q8	Feb 21, 2013 10:10 AM
10	activities in the area	Feb 21, 2013 10:02 AM
11	Existing hiking trails.	Feb 12, 2013 8:28 PM
12	Farmers Market	Feb 12, 2013 7:45 PM
13	personal invite, offer of a ride to meetings, For those us who can't afford, or choose not to have a computer and email, please provide a low tech way (phone call, snail mail) to be in touch	Feb 12, 2013 5:52 PM
14	Landowner rights	Feb 7, 2013 11:12 PM
15	Deregulation. How to eliminate groups like yours that use the govt to protect their own pocketbooks.	Feb 7, 2013 10:49 PM
16	how to grow good marijuana...	Feb 7, 2013 10:22 PM
17	How to develop our green resources	Feb 7, 2013 10:02 PM
18	Tax relief	Feb 7, 2013 9:31 PM
19	Best commercial options.....	Feb 7, 2013 9:17 PM
20	Energy Development	Feb 5, 2013 5:53 PM
21	don't have public TV all	Feb 2, 2013 3:45 PM
22	get high speed internet access for all Shelburne - no access to public Tv	Feb 2, 2013 3:08 PM
23	any & all related topics	Feb 1, 2013 6:48 PM

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Please check all that apply.**

24	Open Space Committee recommendations on siting "alternative energy" (ie, commercial wind and solar) structures in such a way as to preserve and enhance open space within the town	Feb 1, 2013 6:30 PM
25	river - alternative energy - recreation	Feb 1, 2013 6:19 PM
26	comm gardens + ag regulations Recreation	Feb 1, 2013 3:08 PM
27	Commercial and recreational development	Feb 1, 2013 12:59 PM
28	town events	Feb 1, 2013 12:52 PM
29	There is no broadband access to many areas of town - this is a major inhibitor of development as well as communication with townspeople	Jan 30, 2013 11:38 PM
30	Town and Planning Board meetings, and results of meetings	Jan 29, 2013 9:21 PM
31	I'd like more info on Cluster Development,	Jan 29, 2013 8:27 PM
32	Joe Judd's awesome phone calls Joe Judd's trailside tips for indentifying (wild) turkeys roaming within the Village area.	Jan 29, 2013 6:44 PM
33	put zoing information on-line--why not?	Jan 29, 2013 5:56 PM
34	no public access TV in rural area. Walks, Hikes	Jan 29, 2013 10:19 AM
35	wapshot@gmail.com twitter not Facebook It seems this questionnaire is coming from within an ongoing conversation. Preliminary information + the structure of what committees/communities/people are involved would be a helpful start	Jan 28, 2013 6:58 PM
36	Phone messages from the town.	Jan 28, 2013 1:59 PM
37	West County Independent	Jan 28, 2013 11:03 AM
38	everything going on!	Jan 25, 2013 12:40 PM
39	Rt 2 "commercial corridor" pros/cons	Jan 25, 2013 10:31 AM
40	Open Space Committee	Jan 25, 2013 10:05 AM
41	phone system is also a good way to receive info. Topics for information: youth and senior recreation; development	Jan 24, 2013 11:31 PM
42	development issues; laws being considered by town committees	Jan 24, 2013 9:15 PM
43	Nature	Jan 24, 2013 8:26 PM
44	proposed changes to bylaws with details of real world situations prompting those changes	Jan 24, 2013 3:31 PM
45	None at this time - would like to hear what is happening when committee meets + what topics are discussed	Jan 24, 2013 10:17 AM

**Page 12, Q11. What are the best ways for you to receive information about open space & recreation issues?
Please check all that apply.**

46	Other ways to receive info: posters	Jan 21, 2013 5:20 PM
47	Rural high speed internet ability	Jan 21, 2013 3:30 PM
48	Pothole development plan	Jan 21, 2013 3:06 PM
49	Small farms.	Jan 21, 2013 2:34 PM
50	Farmer's market	Jan 21, 2013 2:24 PM
51	All	Jan 21, 2013 1:44 PM
52	Development projects, sustainability projects helping us develop adequate local food and water supply.	Jan 21, 2013 1:26 PM
53	Protect open space.	Jan 21, 2013 12:26 PM
54	zoning changes, bylaw changes	Jan 21, 2013 10:50 AM
55	What the town is currently debating doing with public land development. Wind farms will ruin this town. Promote tourism.	Jan 20, 2013 6:02 PM
56	Notice of activities via email or media, but specifics on events/activities on the web or via newsletter.	Jan 20, 2013 1:29 AM
57	I would like to see what topics and issues the open space committee is dealing with as they occur--updates by email would be great!	Jan 18, 2013 6:49 PM
58	Public forums, community workshops and speakers, educational material.	Jan 18, 2013 1:06 PM
59	I shouldn't have to receive information. It's my land, I know everything I need to know about it.	Jan 17, 2013 8:42 PM
60	whatever is pertinent to Shelburne citizens	Jan 17, 2013 8:22 PM
61	I don't receive any now. Maybe a map of Town owned land, and a map of tax break land with owners names and addresses	Jan 17, 2013 6:09 PM
62	community events	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
63	as noted. When tax relief starts. When the OSC is reorganized.	Jan 17, 2013 10:13 AM
64	recorded phone message	Jan 15, 2013 8:45 PM
65	public transportation	Jan 14, 2013 7:20 PM
66	Zoning Board decisions Internet - cable Planning Board issues	Jan 14, 2013 5:26 PM
67	3 - c,d,e,g 8- b,f,h,i	Jan 14, 2013 4:55 PM
68	Any about elderly activities that those (or us) @ Highland Village can part. in	Jan 14, 2013 4:29 PM
69	arts and crafts activities siting alternative energy resources	Jan 13, 2013 10:00 PM

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70	recreation	Jan 13, 2013 9:47 PM
71	River access and hiking trails Plans for clustering of business and residences	Jan 13, 2013 5:24 PM
72	Water quality	Jan 12, 2013 11:36 PM
73	I would say e-mail but we can't get it	Jan 10, 2013 9:53 PM
74	Town purchase of conservation lands	Jan 10, 2013 2:16 PM
75	elder living	Jan 8, 2013 10:53 AM
76	Topics: Recreational, educational opportunities, conservation activities, community service opportunities, ways to support farming community	Dec 26, 2012 11:57 PM

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1	LKF 3/27/13 - 3	Mar 27, 2013 9:35 AM
2	You are doing a good job of informing - this survey is fantastic - Thanks! LKF 3/27/13 - 2	Mar 27, 2013 9:27 AM
3	LKF 3/27/13 - 1	Mar 27, 2013 9:15 AM
4	LKF 3/25/13 - 11	Mar 25, 2013 6:04 PM
5	Focus on safer walking + biking in + around town. For instance, the state has made a dangerous situation when crossing Rt. 2 from Mechanic St. to ARMS cemetery by car + turning east is also very dangerous. Trucks using jake brakes on Rt. 2 is very loud + impacts senior hsg. + all of town. A sign banning their use near town? Thank you for doing this work!. K. O'Rourke LKF 3/25/13 - 10	Mar 25, 2013 5:52 PM
6	The use of taxpayer dollars to preserve open space and guide commercial development is very important and valuable. However, taxpayer dollars should not be used to expand town government involvement in recreational or new educational services that can be provided by for-profit businesses. LKF 3/25/13 - 9	Mar 25, 2013 5:41 PM
7	LKF 3/25/13 - 8	Mar 25, 2013 5:11 PM
8	LKF 3/25/13 - 7	Mar 25, 2013 4:53 PM
9	1. encourage more varied types of businesses 2. encourage varied types of cuisines offered in restaurants 3. Again, teen programs (ask teens what they want) 4. Again, affordable housing (NOT necessarily complexes, but encourage a percentage of low income housing opportunities/rent caps for a certain %) 5. Maintain integrity of small town lifestyle while providing growth opportunities (maybe regulate types of building structures to reflect small town appeal) 6. Affordable workout gym open to public LKF 3/25/13 - 6	Mar 25, 2013 4:44 PM
10	Very fine survey Mr. Schohet & a genuine public service. Peter & Marion Loundon. LKF 3/25/13 - 5	Mar 25, 2013 4:28 PM
11	Your approach to control is proving for what it is...no longer will the school bells ring...families can not afford to live here - our schools have floundered Only out of towners want to be here. The fabric of Shelburne is no longer and we are deteriorating into an escape for a population who couldn't make it elsewhere & want to control what we have provided and treasured, You think you can just close the (? dam bike?) and your without ant real investment except the biggest number at the voting polls. And now the lawyers will have the last word as regulation removes options. LKF 3/25/13 - 4	Mar 25, 2013 4:20 PM
12	High speed internet. LKF 3/25/13 - 3	Mar 25, 2013 3:55 PM
13	LKF 3/25/13 - 2	Mar 25, 2013 3:48 PM
14	LKF 3/25/13 - 1	Mar 25, 2013 3:31 PM
15	Great job with this! I'd love to see the Japanese knotweed harvested for eating and kept to a minimum. It is taking over! DAS 26feb #4	Feb 26, 2013 1:23 PM

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16	DAS 26feb #2	Feb 26, 2013 12:56 PM
17	Thanks for doing this! This is a beautiful place now and would love to keep it that way: allow for vital economic growth in balance with protection of natural resources DAS 26feb #1	Feb 26, 2013 12:35 PM
18	LKF 2/25/13 - 5	Feb 25, 2013 3:56 PM
19	In reference to page 5, 8a concerning regulations specifying the size and location of alternative energy solutions. Growing evidence asserts that wind turbines, especially in such a low wind resource area such as Shelburne Falls, would generate little, if any green energy making wind here an unacceptable costly option in terms of both money and demonstrated health risks. It should be banned outright instead of merely regulated. To even consider fracking within the town limits would invite exploration for siting a facility which would greatly risk the town water supply. This also should be banned outright. I appreciate the work that this committee is doing, and the opportunity to express this view in the context of the open space committee's planning guide. I believe that research for alternative sustainable energy sources world wide has long been overdue, but this should not permit us to rush to solutions when there is so much new evidence on going that point to wind towers inappropriately placed being a long range and costly mistake. LKF 2/25/13 - 4	Feb 25, 2013 3:48 PM
20	LKF 2/25/13 - 3	Feb 25, 2013 3:33 PM
21	freturning, mom's family lives here. LKF 2/25/13 - 2	Feb 25, 2013 9:44 AM
22	LKF 2/25/13 - 1	Feb 25, 2013 9:38 AM
23	LKF 2/20/13 - 6	Feb 21, 2013 10:23 AM
24	LKF 2/20/13 - 5	Feb 21, 2013 10:10 AM
25	LKF 2/20/13 - 4	Feb 21, 2013 10:03 AM
26	LKF 2/20/13 - 2	Feb 21, 2013 9:58 AM
27	LKF 2/20/13 - 2	Feb 21, 2013 9:51 AM
28	Open space group should support wind on the ridge lines - uses our natural resources - brings \$ to our town + might keep land open longer if farmers can pay their taxes. LKF 2/20/13 - 1	Feb 21, 2013 9:45 AM
29	What actions will the OSC recommend to protect open space against destruction by the installation of large commercial wind turbines on our ridgelines, mountain tops, and open farm land? Great questionnaire! Thanks! DAS 12feb #16	Feb 12, 2013 8:58 PM
30	DAS 12feb #15	Feb 12, 2013 8:49 PM
31	DAS 12feb #14	Feb 12, 2013 8:40 PM
32	Rte 2 is an impediment to creating a walkable community and access to a great natural resource (Mt Massemet/High Ledges by all ages. IDEA: walking bridge	Feb 12, 2013 8:33 PM

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	over Rte 2; traffic lights and lower speed limits near Shelburne Falls The town needs to be involved in the development of land by the Potholes, Mayhew property area. A mix of uses and recreation (park/play area) would attract locals and visitors, help strengthen the downtown, and help support an economically viable village. DAS 12feb #13		
33	DAS 12feb #12		Feb 12, 2013 8:13 PM
34	DAS 12feb #11		Feb 12, 2013 8:02 PM
35	DAS 12feb #10		Feb 12, 2013 7:47 PM
36	1--Would like to see maples lining the roads, as in the past. Road crew now mows and kills all saplings. 2--Village parking is terrible on Bridge St. New apts should not be permitted unless there is adequate off-street parking included. 3-- Need more restrictions on on-street parking, ie Mechanic St. Why pay \$\$ for nice grass berms and then have people park on them? Have 15 minute parking limit for on-street. 4--Town never does anything for all the residents: always about the Village. ie, Xmas tree pickup. Residents get the tree home--why can't they get it to the town garage themselves? Then we could have a town bonfire..... 5-- Reestablish the 2x all-trsash day for FREE, and someplace to lease electronics/applic/tv etc., year-round for free. DAS 12feb #9 DAS 12feb #9		Feb 12, 2013 7:36 PM
37	DAS 12feb #8		Feb 12, 2013 7:08 PM
38	DAS 12feb #7		Feb 12, 2013 6:59 PM
39	DAS 12feb #6		Feb 12, 2013 6:51 PM
40	DAS 12feb #5		Feb 12, 2013 6:46 PM
41	DAS 12feb #4		Feb 12, 2013 6:28 PM
42	DAS 12feb #3		Feb 12, 2013 6:16 PM
43	DAS 12feb #2		Feb 12, 2013 6:08 PM
44	I am a passionate volunteer....please call on me....Coyote. 12feb #1	DAS	Feb 12, 2013 5:56 PM
45	DAS 7feb #23		Feb 8, 2013 12:05 AM
46	DAS 07feb #22		Feb 7, 2013 11:57 PM
47	DAS 7feb #21		Feb 7, 2013 11:47 PM
48	Build more houses on the ridges, like in Malibu CA. DAS 7feb #20 +		Feb 7, 2013 11:38 PM
49	No wonder Karen Gould was trying to eliminate the open space group: what a slanted vile approach to take away what others own. You should be ashamed of yourselves. Were you appointed to zone the town? These questions all lead to your personal pockets. DAS 7feb #19 +		Feb 7, 2013 11:15 PM

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50	The loudspeaker on the Deerfield River: haunting; disruptive; must scare the birds DAS 7feb #18 +	Feb 7, 2013 11:07 PM
51	What is this all about? Seems easy enough--if you want open space, support people who provide it: visit their businesses, like Goulds and Coffee Roasters. Otherwise, we'll have a bunch of rich people coming in and owning everything. If you support zoning like you are, you'll only have rich people buying up all the land: the farmers will leave. DAS 7feb # +	Feb 7, 2013 11:00 PM
52	You had a great oppty to help provide the town with long term energy and you slammed the door. Fools! DAS 7feb #16 +	Feb 7, 2013 10:51 PM
53	We need gambling. DAS 7feb #15 +	Feb 7, 2013 10:39 PM
54	Would rather see commercial enterprises rather than the goat farm on Rte 2. Is this what the open space group is trying to preserve? DAS 7feb #14 +	Feb 7, 2013 10:33 PM
55	Disgusting that you have members show up high as a kite to your meetings..... Let's all pool our entertainment \$\$ and give it to anyone that has a tax bill over \$40,000/yr to the town and earns their main income from agriculture in town.... DAS 7feb #13 +	Feb 7, 2013 10:25 PM
56	Shameful survey DAS 7feb #12 +	Feb 7, 2013 10:16 PM
57	Encourage growth Less entitlement by outsiders Support local businesses More laternative energy--love wind Wish farmers had been supported	Feb 7, 2013 10:09 PM
58	DAS 7feb #10 +	Feb 7, 2013 10:02 PM
59	Seating at meetings--all should sit quietly. No one should speak. Meetings should start at midnight when real farmers can attend..... DAS 7feb #9 +	Feb 7, 2013 9:51 PM
60	DAS 7feb #8 +	Feb 7, 2013 9:31 PM
61	If everyone took care of their own backyard and minded their own business and did the right thing, then Shelburne would be a lovely place to live..... DAS 7feb #7 +	Feb 7, 2013 9:25 PM
62	Why don;t we have a casino? DAS 7Feb #6 +	Feb 7, 2013 9:17 PM
63	61A is not a tax break, like vernal pool believes. It is very expensive to maintain land (or open space) & it is regulated now as it should be, as many of the wannabes like Cohn use it for tax relief. It costs a lot of \$\$ to fertilize, plant, harvest and 61A is only intended to offset that cost. The farmer still pays a lot of taxes plus..... DAS 7feb #5 +	Feb 7, 2013 9:11 PM
64	The town's not what it used to be.....	Feb 7, 2013 8:59 PM
65	DAS 7feb #3	Feb 7, 2013 8:50 PM
66	DAS 7feb #2	Feb 7, 2013 8:44 PM
67	Thanks for all your hard work..... DAS 7feb #1	Feb 7, 2013 8:18 PM

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68	DAS 5feb #16		Feb 5, 2013 11:58 PM
69	DAS 5feb #15		Feb 5, 2013 11:52 PM
70	Do something about parking	DAS 5Feb #14	Feb 5, 2013 9:31 PM
71	DAS 5feb #13		Feb 5, 2013 9:25 PM
72	DAS 5feb #12		Feb 5, 2013 9:18 PM
73	NO COMMERCIAL INDUSTRIAL WIND	das 5Feb #11	Feb 5, 2013 9:05 PM
74	DAS 5feb #10		Feb 5, 2013 8:57 PM
75	DAS 5feb #9		Feb 5, 2013 8:51 PM
76	DAS 5feb #8		Feb 5, 2013 8:28 PM
77	DAS 5feb #7		Feb 5, 2013 8:18 PM
78	DAS 5feb #6		Feb 5, 2013 8:10 PM
79	DAS 5feb #5		Feb 5, 2013 6:50 PM
80	I heard a rumor that TTOR is interested in building a river walkway with access for fisherpeople, swimmers and gazers behind Mole Hollow. If so, THAT WOULD BE AWESOME!!	DAS 5feb #4	Feb 5, 2013 6:45 PM
81	DAS 5feb #3		Feb 5, 2013 6:01 PM
82	We need a Dog Park	DAS 5Feb #2	Feb 5, 2013 5:54 PM
83	Thanks for doing this!	DAS 5feb #1	Feb 5, 2013 5:46 PM
84	LKF 2/2/13 - 5		Feb 2, 2013 3:45 PM
85	LKF 2/2/13 - 4		Feb 2, 2013 3:30 PM
86	LKF 2/2/13 - 3		Feb 2, 2013 3:18 PM
87	Thanks for survey - now get other town boards working on this, such as AG Comm, Conservation and Planning - provincial attitudes of planning board members will doom any efforts to plan for future		Feb 2, 2013 3:11 PM
88	LKF 2/2/13 - 2		Feb 2, 2013 1:05 PM
89	LKF 2/2/13 - 1		Feb 2, 2013 12:58 PM
90	Thank you. This survey indicates an excellent and thorough process.	LKF 2/1/13 - 8	Feb 1, 2013 6:49 PM
91	LKF 2/1/13 - 7		Feb 1, 2013 6:37 PM
92	Thank you for formulating this questionnaire.	LKF 2/1/13 - 6	Feb 1, 2013 6:31 PM

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93	Thank you so much for doing this work, it shows we live in an area where people care. Looking ahead and making town investments is important. What if the town owned and leased its dams and invested in energy projects. LKF 2/1/13 - 5	Feb 1, 2013 6:21 PM
94	LKF 2/1/13 - 4	Feb 1, 2013 3:55 PM
95	Share/discuss results + ideas via visioning meeting. Create more direct connections btw local community enterprises + farms - and residents - to keep Shelburne income in Shelburne, and decrease the town's reliance on the seasonal tourist economy LKF 1/30/13 - 3	Feb 1, 2013 3:08 PM
96	LKF 2/1/13 - 3	Feb 1, 2013 1:05 PM
97	Increase access to high speed internet LKF 2/1/13 - 2	Feb 1, 2013 1:00 PM
98	LKF 2/1/13 - 1	Feb 1, 2013 12:53 PM
99	Lack of active boards such as Agriculture, Historic commission, Economic Development Commission, etc., and inbreeding of Planning Board and and lack of participation in town boards by farmers and landowners make it difficult to address issues with civil discourse. Resources are available through Community Preservation Act, FRCOG, DCR to help us survive and thrive. Look at what other towns are doing with creative zoning, modern subdivision regulations, collaboration and learn from them. Provincial and insular thinking and outdated regulations do not serve us well. Thank you Open Space for keeping the discussion alive through this process. Now lets get other town boards on board!	Jan 30, 2013 11:49 PM
100	I own 1 acre forest LKF 1/30/13 - 5	Jan 30, 2013 5:30 PM
101	LKF 1/30/13 - 4	Jan 30, 2013 5:23 PM
102	LKF 1/30/13 - 2	Jan 30, 2013 5:00 PM
103	LKF 1/30/13 - 1	Jan 30, 2013 4:55 PM
104	Business is suffering as you regulate - businesses are leaving Shelburne. LKF 1/29/13 - 4	Jan 30, 2013 4:50 PM
105	DAS 29Jan #7	Jan 29, 2013 9:59 PM
106	DAS 29Jan #6	Jan 29, 2013 9:22 PM
107	It appears that you're doing the Planning Board's work. Maybe your members should run for election to the Planning Board And stop duplicating efforts. (Not meant to be sarcastic) DAS 29Jan #5	Jan 29, 2013 8:29 PM
108	DAS 29Jan #4	Jan 29, 2013 6:45 PM
109	DAS29Jan13 #3	Jan 29, 2013 6:18 PM
110	Have more town festivals and dances; Preserve nature	Jan 29, 2013 6:05 PM
111	DAS 29Jan #1	Jan 29, 2013 5:57 PM

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112	Thinking about leaving. No opportunity here. LKF 1/29/13 - 6	Jan 29, 2013 12:21 PM
113	LKF 1/29/13 - 5	Jan 29, 2013 10:49 AM
114	Yes, Schochet + those in the housing development surrounding the McKinnon field in town should reach in their back pockets + buy that piece if they want it preserved. It is wrong for you to expect of this to (? sorrifind(?) and you just expect someone else (Larry Gould) to take care of it for you & hope yo7u can regulate it when someone else buys it. Good place for the slaughterhouse. LKF 1/29/13 - 3	Jan 29, 2013 10:39 AM
115	only real farmers should be on Open Space Committee LKF 1/29/13 - 2	Jan 29, 2013 10:26 AM
116	Could anything be done with Sunburn Beach where North River + Deerfield meet? LKF 1/29/13 - 1	Jan 29, 2013 10:20 AM
117	LKF 1/28/13 - 14	Jan 28, 2013 7:05 PM
118	Please include me in an informational email lists: wapshot@gmail.com LKF 1/28/13 - 13	Jan 28, 2013 6:58 PM
119	LKF 1/28/13 - 12	Jan 28, 2013 6:52 PM
120	LKF 1/28/13 - 11	Jan 28, 2013 6:37 PM
121	I plan to move out of Shelburne in 6-8 months. LKF 1/28/13 - 10	Jan 28, 2013 5:14 PM
122	LKF 1/28/13 - 9	Jan 28, 2013 5:08 PM
123	LKF 1/28/13 - 8	Jan 28, 2013 5:03 PM
124	LKF 1/28/13 - 7	Jan 28, 2013 4:58 PM
125	LKF 1/28/13 - 6	Jan 28, 2013 4:52 PM
126	LKF 1/28/13 - 5	Jan 28, 2013 4:47 PM
127	LKF 1/28/13 - 4	Jan 28, 2013 4:39 PM
128	LKF 1/28/13 - 3	Jan 28, 2013 4:31 PM
129	It is important that the Town continues to have discussions on the topics covered in this survey. The town should keep working toward creating growth so it can be an economically viable place to live without earasing all of its' qualities that we all love. Education and the school system. If we can get through the hurdle of providing the best education for our kids I think the town will be in a very good place. This is a huge question and problem facing towns all over America. I would like to see this issue at the forefront. It is important.	Jan 28, 2013 2:00 PM
130	LKF 1/28/13 - 2	Jan 28, 2013 11:03 AM
131	LKF 1/28/13 - 1	Jan 28, 2013 10:58 AM
132	Thank you for your important work on these issues!	Jan 27, 2013 1:19 PM

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133	CJB- 1/26/13 - 4	Jan 27, 2013 12:38 AM
134	CJB - 1/26/13 - 3 Note from data enterer: There were only 2 questions answered on this paper survey	Jan 27, 2013 12:32 AM
135	I live at Dragon Hill. Would rather be in Shelburne Falls.	Jan 27, 2013 12:28 AM
136	CJB - 1/26/13 - 1	Jan 27, 2013 12:16 AM
137	LKF 1/25/13 - 10	Jan 25, 2013 6:59 PM
138	LKF 1/25/13 - 9	Jan 25, 2013 6:53 PM
139	LKF 1/25/13 - 8	Jan 25, 2013 6:48 PM
140	LKF 1/25/13 - 7	Jan 25, 2013 2:38 PM
141	LKF 1/25/13 - 5	Jan 25, 2013 2:31 PM
142	LKF 1/25/13 - 5	Jan 25, 2013 2:26 PM
143	Street runoff into River is insane! LKF 1/25/13 - 4	Jan 25, 2013 12:41 PM
144	LKF 1/25/13 - 3	Jan 25, 2013 10:39 AM
145	LKF 1/25/13 - 2	Jan 25, 2013 10:32 AM
146	Good Luck! LKF 1/25/13 - 1	Jan 25, 2013 10:06 AM
147	You have a good job ahead of you.Great that it's being attended to..... DAS 24Jan #14	Jan 24, 2013 11:32 PM
148	Thanks for working on these issues..... DAS 24Jan #13	Jan 24, 2013 10:19 PM
149	Who's going to clean up that awful mess on Rte 2? DAS 24Jan #12	Jan 24, 2013 10:09 PM
150	I'm opposed to intrusion of government in all aspects of life. Too much regulation. Increasing taxes from Boston will insure decrease of population in western Mass. DAS 24Jan #11	Jan 24, 2013 10:02 PM
151	Some of the extremes of limiting individual rights upset me. As a long-time resident, I oppose these extremes. I do not plan to sell my land, on which I have maintained open space and scenic views. I think that individual rights should be respected. DAS 24Jan #10	Jan 24, 2013 9:51 PM
152	Thank you for this opportunity! DAS 24Jan #9	Jan 24, 2013 9:40 PM
153	Road reconstruction took parking spaces away from McKusters area---bad planning. Do not do this in the rest of town. Plant more trees on Bridge St! DAS 24jan #8	Jan 24, 2013 9:17 PM
154	das 24jan #7	Jan 24, 2013 9:05 PM
155	das 24jan #6	Jan 24, 2013 8:57 PM

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156	das 24jan #5	Jan 24, 2013 8:47 PM
157	das 24jan13 #4	Jan 24, 2013 8:36 PM
158	das 24jan13 #3	Jan 24, 2013 8:27 PM
159	It's probably time to consider closer regulation of large 'camp' fires in the backyards of densely populated neighborhoods.	Jan 24, 2013 3:34 PM
160	LKF 1/24/13 -1	Jan 24, 2013 10:18 AM
161	LKF 1/23/13 -2	Jan 23, 2013 10:50 AM
162	LKF 1/23/13 -1	Jan 23, 2013 10:41 AM
163	What you're trying to do is very difficult, and I applaud your efforts.	Jan 22, 2013 10:30 AM
164	esp 1/21, #40	Jan 21, 2013 5:40 PM
165	esp 1/21, #39	Jan 21, 2013 5:34 PM
166	esp 1/21, #38	Jan 21, 2013 5:29 PM
167	esp 1/21, #37	Jan 21, 2013 5:26 PM
168	Thank you for this work! Please email me at [illegible]@gmail.com if you would like to learn more about lawn pesticide bans.	Jan 21, 2013 5:20 PM
169	I worry about the health of the Deerfield River--all the changing water depths, etc. How does the aquatic wildlife deal with this? Also noticing after Hurricane Sandy that many properties along the river still need help to maintain the river bank's integrity. Any way to get subsidies or help in preserving the river banks properly? esp 1/21, #35	Jan 21, 2013 4:13 PM
170	esp 1/21, #34	Jan 21, 2013 4:03 PM
171	esp 1/21, #33	Jan 21, 2013 3:58 PM
172	esp 1/21, #32	Jan 21, 2013 3:54 PM
173	Land for ATV and 4 wheeling must be segregated and developed. Otherwise they will go EVERYWHERE!! i.e. the trail to the tower was badly hurt by mountain bikes, and the Catamount area is being hurt by ATV action. If they had a special area designated, the damage might be at least controlled or mitigated. It's like the skateboarders--they need a place. esp 1/21, #31	Jan 21, 2013 3:49 PM
174	esp 1/21, #30	Jan 21, 2013 3:31 PM
175	esp 1/21 #29	Jan 21, 2013 3:25 PM
176	esp 1/21, #28	Jan 21, 2013 3:16 PM
177	esp 1/21, #27	Jan 21, 2013 3:12 PM

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178	Thanks for the efforts of all that want to thoughtfully bring Shelburne to an organized future. I love this town!	Jan 21, 2013 3:07 PM
179	Huge need: public playground for young children and parents with picnic area, close parking.	Jan 21, 2013 2:59 PM
180	esp 1/21, #24	Jan 21, 2013 2:45 PM
181	We should keep the federal and state govt. out of our plans. esp 1/21, #23	Jan 21, 2013 2:40 PM
182	esp 1/21, #22	Jan 21, 2013 2:34 PM
183	esp 1/21, #21	Jan 21, 2013 2:30 PM
184	esp 1/21, #20	Jan 21, 2013 2:25 PM
185	Thank you for your work and for doing this survey! esp 1/21, #19	Jan 21, 2013 2:19 PM
186	esp 1/21, #18	Jan 21, 2013 2:09 PM
187	esp 1/21, #17	Jan 21, 2013 2:04 PM
188	esp 1/21, #16	Jan 21, 2013 1:58 PM
189	Strongly support "flag lot" development. esp 1/21, #15	Jan 21, 2013 1:53 PM
190	A strip mall on Route 2 would probably hurt real estate values. Wind projects on commercial land (?)-- alternative industrial energy projects will probably hurt real estate. Over development will probably hurt real estate values.	Jan 21, 2013 1:47 PM
191	We really need public space. What we have is not adequate because of cost, willingness, and condition. We are a culturally rich community with lots to offer to our town's culture. I would like to see the town's quality of life focused on for the inhabitants of Shelburne Falls. Often events take completely over our town for their own ends and ignore the needs of the townspeople on that given day or days. Too many police end up needing to be employed to keep us off our streets and strangers on them. A balance is needed--leave something open for our lives.	Jan 21, 2013 1:34 PM
192	esp 1/21, #12	Jan 21, 2013 1:14 PM
193	Supporting and promoting agriculture in town through year-round farmer's market would provide low income families additional food options if [they] accept SNAP. Barter options should be encouraged at each gathering. These unique features are what can bring people into the village to a place and encourage them to spend \$ at the local restaurants, B&Bs, etc. Look at walking trails, bike trails in Burlington, VT, in Pioneer Valley. Beautiful--a draw for the area.	Jan 21, 2013 1:08 PM
194	esp 1/21, #10	Jan 21, 2013 12:54 PM
195	esp 1/21, #9	Jan 21, 2013 12:46 PM
196	esp 1/21, #7	Jan 21, 2013 12:27 PM
197	esp 1/21, #6	Jan 21, 2013 12:21 PM

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198	esp 1/21, #5		Jan 21, 2013 12:14 PM
199	It would be wonderful to have the store opened again at the Potholes. 1/21, #4	esp	Jan 21, 2013 12:04 PM
200	esp 1/21, #3		Jan 21, 2013 11:56 AM
201	Great survey, great work, keep at it! :) esp 1/21, #1		Jan 21, 2013 11:29 AM
202	LKF 1/21/13 - 4		Jan 21, 2013 10:51 AM
203	LKF 1/21/13 - 3		Jan 21, 2013 10:41 AM
204	LKF 1/21/13 - 2		Jan 21, 2013 10:35 AM
205	LKF 1/21/13 - 1		Jan 21, 2013 10:30 AM
206	Allow commercial wind power development - no one skiing at Berkshire East gets migraines.		Jan 20, 2013 6:33 PM
207	CJB 1/20/2013 - 4		Jan 20, 2013 6:22 PM
208	CJB 1/20/13 - 3		Jan 20, 2013 6:12 PM
209	CJB - 1/20/13 - 2		Jan 20, 2013 6:03 PM
210	CJW 1/20/13 - 1		Jan 20, 2013 5:47 PM
211	CJB 1/19/12 - 1		Jan 19, 2013 9:45 PM
212	Thank you for doing this--		Jan 18, 2013 6:50 PM
213	Again, the Town needs three new Committees Capital Improvements Committee Inventory and assess the Towns historic buildings and infrastructure; develop a plan for financing the restoration of historic structures and maintenance of Town facilities; study the adaptive reuse and renovation of historic structures to meet the needs of the Town and the nonprofit organizations the operate, program and maintain many town owned buildings. Master Plan Committee Develop a Master Plan for the Town of Shelburne. A Master Plan is important because it helps a Town understand the big picture. It articulates a vision for how residents want the town to grow and what they value most about their community. Issues including economic development, environmental conservation, housing, transportation, open space, rural character, historic preservation and sustainability are all part of the planning process. Energy Committee Plan the Town's energy future and bring people together to discuss the development of all types of renewable energy in town, come to consensus about the use and siting of renewables in Shelburne, and plan for the Town's energy sustainability. Much like sewer and water plants, the future is probably going to include energy facilities, the 21st Century infrastructure for cities and towns across the country.		Jan 18, 2013 1:32 PM
214	Thanks for your work. the future depends on wisdom + caring LKF 1/17/13 - 4		Jan 17, 2013 6:21 PM
215	I was very disappointed that the town didn't allow wind power to be an option.		Jan 17, 2013 6:17 PM

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	Wind power is a great opportunity to develop Shelburne's image of being environmentally conscious.	
216	Land owners should be able to use their land if they are not allowed they should be compensated. Its no different the eminent domain. If neighbors don't like something they should have a chance to purchase the land (or development rights) themselves, to prevent the development, not the town. LKF 1/17/13 - 3	Jan 17, 2013 6:12 PM
217	LKF 1/17/13 - 2	Jan 17, 2013 5:58 PM
218	LKF 1/17/13 - 1	Jan 17, 2013 5:51 PM
219	This survey is biased and clearly intended to challenge owners rights to enjoyment	Jan 16, 2013 1:56 PM
220	CJB 1/15/13 - 1	Jan 15, 2013 11:08 PM
221	LKF 1/15/13 - 2	Jan 15, 2013 8:55 PM
222	It would be great to have a few benches on he common where the Farmer's Market is. Keep all development, commercial or private, in keeping w/ the character of the Town. Ex: the new bank on Bridge St. near Town Hall. LKF 1/15/13 - 1	Jan 15, 2013 8:47 PM
223	das 15jan13 #1	Jan 15, 2013 2:36 PM
224	LKF 1/14/13 - 17	Jan 14, 2013 7:21 PM
225	LKF 1/14/13 - 16	Jan 14, 2013 7:15 PM
226	LKF 1/14/13 - 15	Jan 14, 2013 5:42 PM
227	LKF 1/14/13 - 14	Jan 14, 2013 5:27 PM
228	LKF 1/14/13 - 13	Jan 14, 2013 5:19 PM
229	LKF 1/14/13 - 12	Jan 14, 2013 5:13 PM
230	LKF 1/14/13 - 11	Jan 14, 2013 5:05 PM
231	LKF 1/14/13 - 10	Jan 14, 2013 4:56 PM
232	LKF 1/14/13 - 9	Jan 14, 2013 4:49 PM
233	LKF 1/14/13 - 8	Jan 14, 2013 4:42 PM
234	Q 1. Shelburne is not really rural/agricultural now! LKF 1/14/13 - 7	Jan 14, 2013 4:37 PM
235	LKF 1/14/13 - 6	Jan 14, 2013 4:29 PM
236	LKF 1/14/13 -5	Jan 14, 2013 11:38 AM
237	Most of the farmers in this area - Payne, Healy - inherited the land. We should not financially subsidize their produce. That is not fair to the taxpayers. LKF	Jan 14, 2013 11:32 AM

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238	LKF 1/14/13 -3	Jan 14, 2013 11:02 AM
239	LKF 1/14/13 -2	Jan 14, 2013 10:57 AM
240	LKF 1/14/13 -1	Jan 14, 2013 10:45 AM
241	CJB 1/13/13 - 11	Jan 14, 2013 12:41 AM
242	I would like our town to work toward building more consensus about what we value and what we want to leave for future generations. We need to talk to each other more. There are so many people who appreciate the special beauty of our Town, yet we are not cooperating to ensure the level of preservation that we need. The views from near the Fiske Farm on Zerah Fiske is a treasure that I hold deep in my heart. CJW 1/13/13 - 10	Jan 14, 2013 12:20 AM
243	Let's keep regulations to a minimum - people should be allowed to do with their land pretty much as they wish with abutters being able to speak at open hearings. CJB 1/13/13 9	Jan 13, 2013 11:46 PM
244	LKF 1/13/13 -3	Jan 13, 2013 10:00 PM
245	LKF 1/13/13 -2	Jan 13, 2013 9:55 PM
246	LKF 1/13/13 -1	Jan 13, 2013 9:48 PM
247	CJW 1/13/2013 - 7	Jan 13, 2013 5:50 PM
248	CJW - 1/13/13 - 6	Jan 13, 2013 5:25 PM
249	CJW- 1/13/13 - 5	Jan 13, 2013 5:13 PM
250	CJW 1/13/13 - 4	Jan 13, 2013 4:50 PM
251	CJW 1/13/13 - 3	Jan 13, 2013 4:35 PM
252	CJB 1/12/13-2	Jan 12, 2013 11:25 PM
253	A very good and thoughtful survey! Thank you for this opportunity. LKF 1/10/13 - 10	Jan 10, 2013 9:54 PM
254	LKF 1/10/13 -9	Jan 10, 2013 9:41 PM
255	I am concerned about the one-sided nature of the public discussion of industrial wind. Certainly, the possible negative aspects of industrial wind bear sober evaluation. But we have heard only claims of negative aspects, with no serious response to those claims. In view of the indisputable advance of global warming and its causes it seems clear that all forms of alternative energy development need to be on the table, wind energy included. There has been no real discussion here. LKF 1/10/13 -8	Jan 10, 2013 9:36 PM
256	LKF 1/10/13 -7	Jan 10, 2013 9:20 PM

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257	Thank you for bringing these thing up. Remember young families, there are many of us who may not make 7pm meetings, but we care and are committed to the town. Shelburne is very oriented to those 60+. Open the potholes. Maintain hiking trails from the village. Stop Route 2 traffic and strip-mall development. Keep downtown walkable.	Jan 10, 2013 7:30 PM
258	LKF 1/10/13 -6	Jan 10, 2013 5:11 PM
259	LKF 1/10/13 -5	Jan 10, 2013 4:57 PM
260	LKF 1/10/13 -4	Jan 10, 2013 4:52 PM
261	LKF 1/10/13 -3	Jan 10, 2013 2:17 PM
262	LKF 1/10/13 -2	Jan 10, 2013 2:05 PM
263	own a semi-working farm LKF 1/10/13 -1	Jan 10, 2013 1:56 PM
264	LKF 1/9/13 - 7	Jan 9, 2013 10:47 AM
265	LKF 1/9/13 - 6	Jan 9, 2013 10:32 AM
266	LKF 1/9/13 - 5	Jan 9, 2013 10:14 AM
267	LKF 1/9/13 - 4	Jan 9, 2013 10:02 AM
268	LKF 1/9/13 - 3	Jan 9, 2013 9:57 AM
269	LKF 1/9/13 - 2	Jan 9, 2013 9:47 AM
270	LKF 1/9/13 - 1	Jan 9, 2013 9:40 AM
271	LKF 1/8/13 -13	Jan 8, 2013 4:42 PM
272	I was born here and have lived here most of my life & I enjoy it. LKF 1/8/13 -12	Jan 8, 2013 4:37 PM
273	Multi-family housing is a MAJOR problem. Too many cars, loud music, disrespectful tenants because they have NO interest in the property or neighborhood. LKF 1/8/13 - 11	Jan 8, 2013 4:30 PM
274	LKF 1/8/13 - 10	Jan 8, 2013 3:55 PM
275	LKF 1/8/13 -9	Jan 8, 2013 3:46 PM
276	LKF 1/8/12 - 8	Jan 8, 2013 3:38 PM
277	LKF 1/8/12 - 7	Jan 8, 2013 2:44 PM
278	LKF 1/8/12 - 6	Jan 8, 2013 2:36 PM
279	LKF 1/8/12 - 5	Jan 8, 2013 2:29 PM
280	LKF 1/8/12 - 4	Jan 8, 2013 10:53 AM

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281	LKF 1/8/12 - 3	Jan 8, 2013 10:46 AM
282	Village residents should not be able to block those outside the village from using their legal rights to support themselves. Shelburne selectmen should abide by the law. They do lie. LKF 1/8/12 - 2	Jan 8, 2013 10:41 AM
283	LKF 1/8/12 - 1	Jan 8, 2013 10:32 AM
284	have an annual community forum to showcase work of the Open Space Committee and give community members a chance to share their ideas, e.g., the OSRP forum last October. outreach to farmers to find out what they want and need to remain viable and thus protect open space through working farms and forests.	Jan 4, 2013 9:28 AM
285	Great work, Open Space Committee! You don't need any new ideas, you've got plenty of work to do already. Thank you for all your work.	Jan 3, 2013 9:46 PM
286	Good survey- thanks!	Jan 3, 2013 8:02 PM