



Lake Oswego Urban Forestry Summit

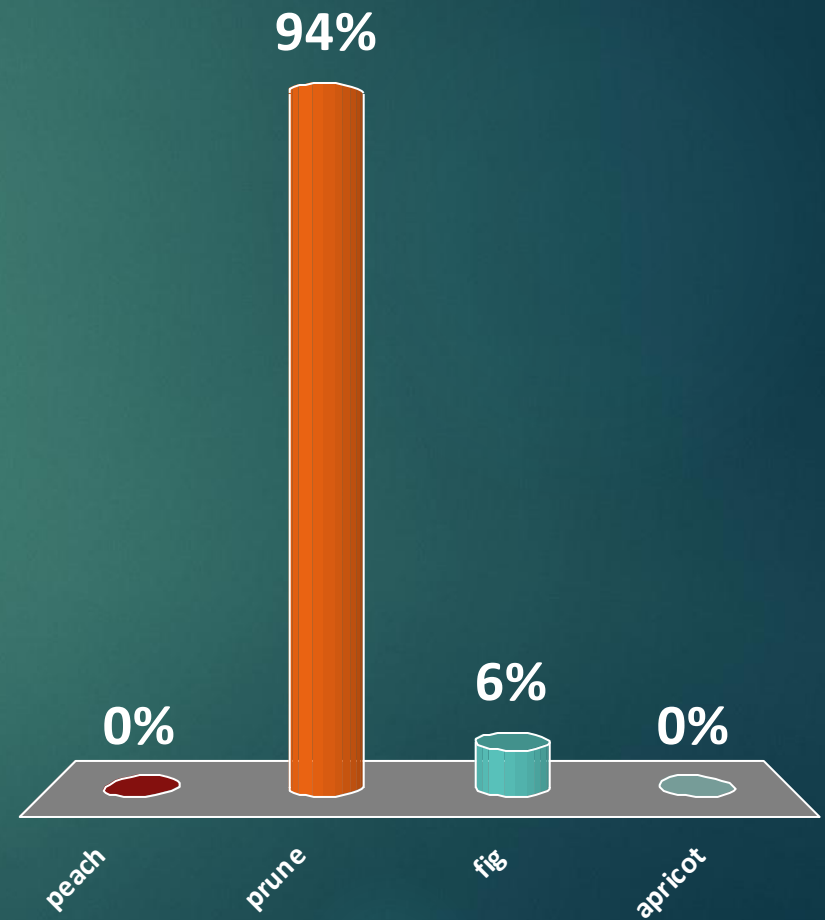
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Agenda

- ▶ Introduction/Overview
- ▶ Quick poll – values
- ▶ The state of the LO Forest and Best Practices
- ▶ Quick poll
- ▶ Issues with the current tree code
- ▶ Small group roundtable discussions
- ▶ Reconvene; quick poll
- ▶ Adjourn

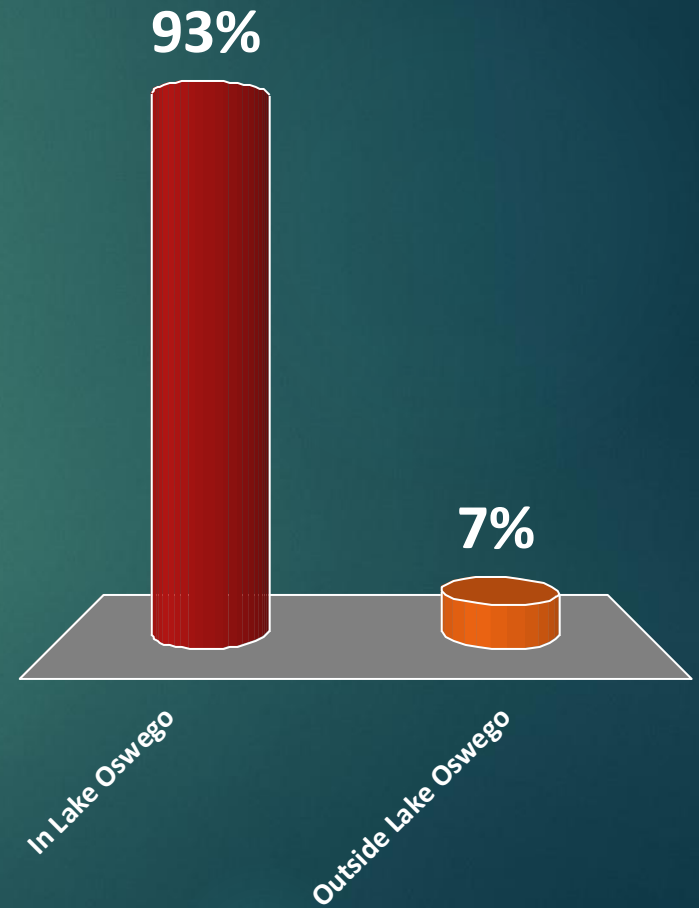
grape : raisin :: plum :

- A. peach
- B. prune
- C. fig
- D. apricot



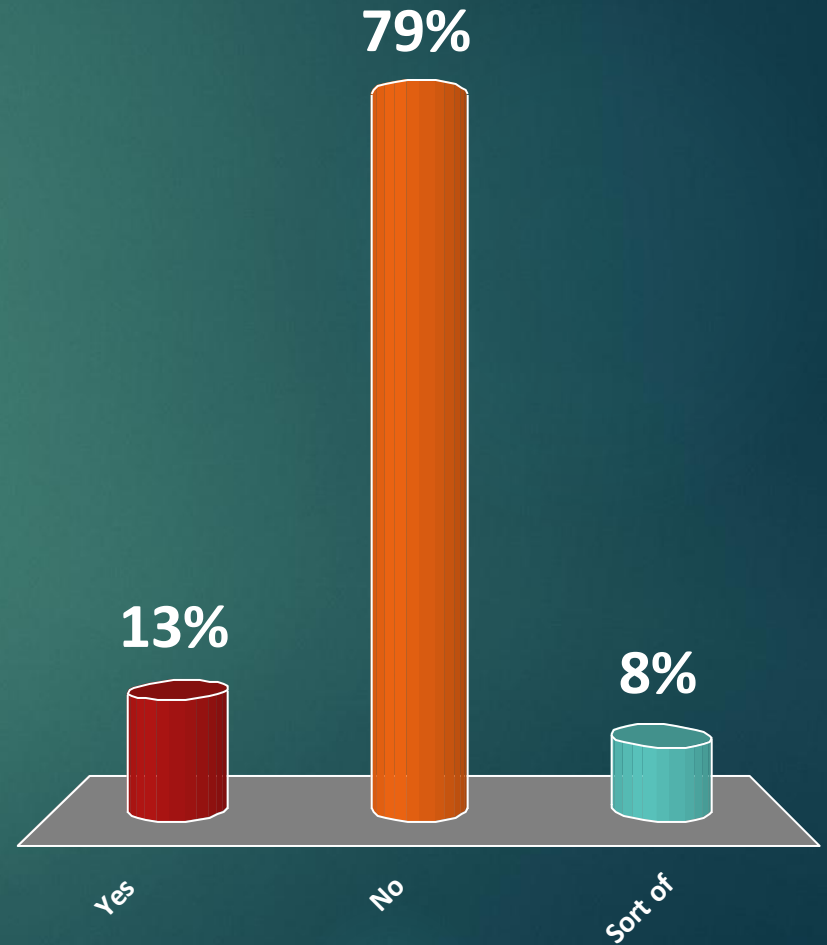
Where do you live?

- A. In Lake Oswego
- B. Outside Lake Oswego



Does your profession involve trees or urban forestry?

- A. Yes
- B. No
- C. Sort of

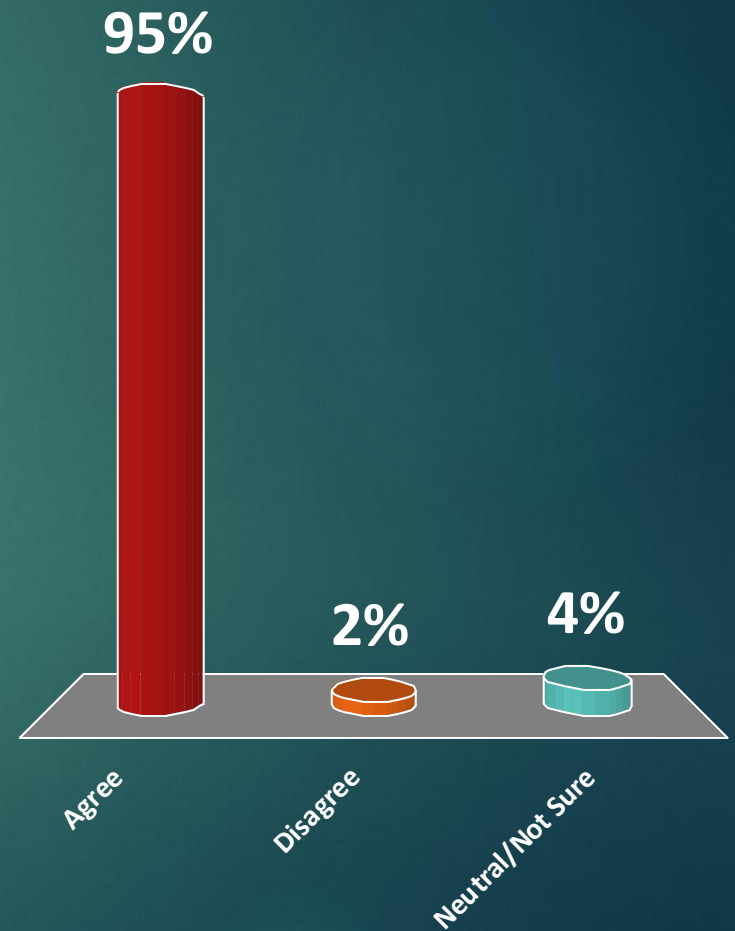




What are our values?

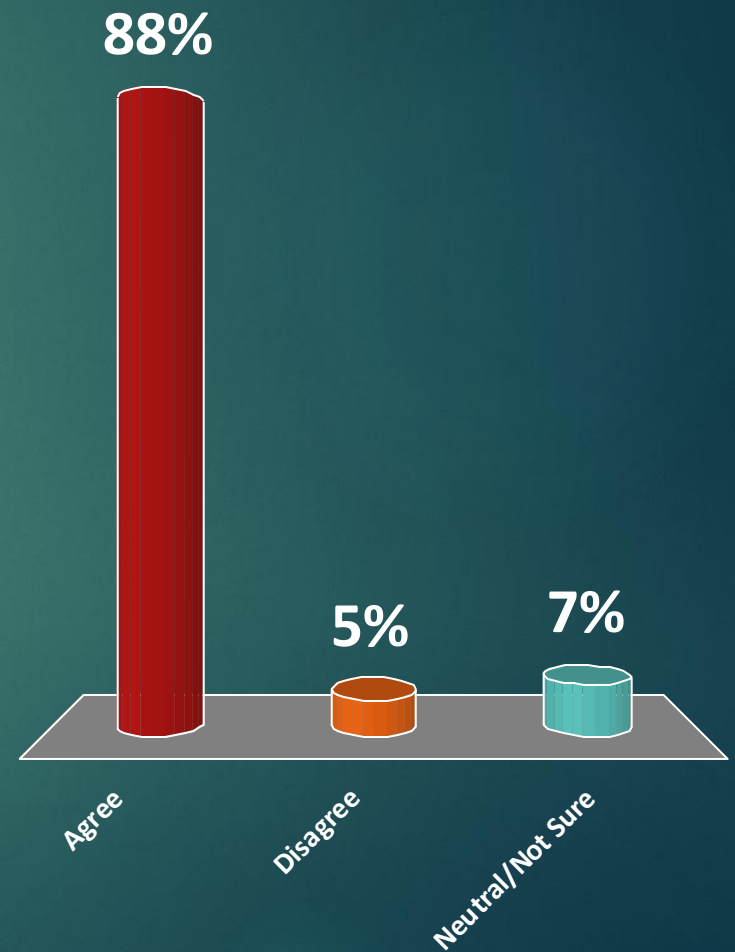
A healthy urban forest benefits the environment

- A. Agree
- B. Disagree
- C. Neutral/Not Sure



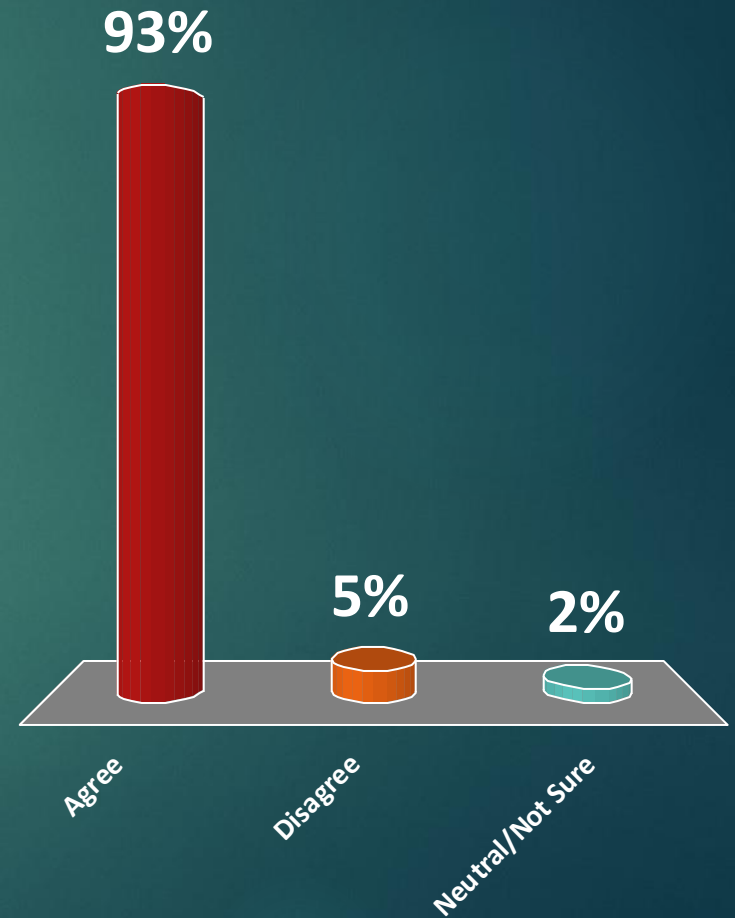
Lake Oswego's trees contribute to the aesthetics of our city

- A. Agree
- B. Disagree
- C. Neutral/Not Sure



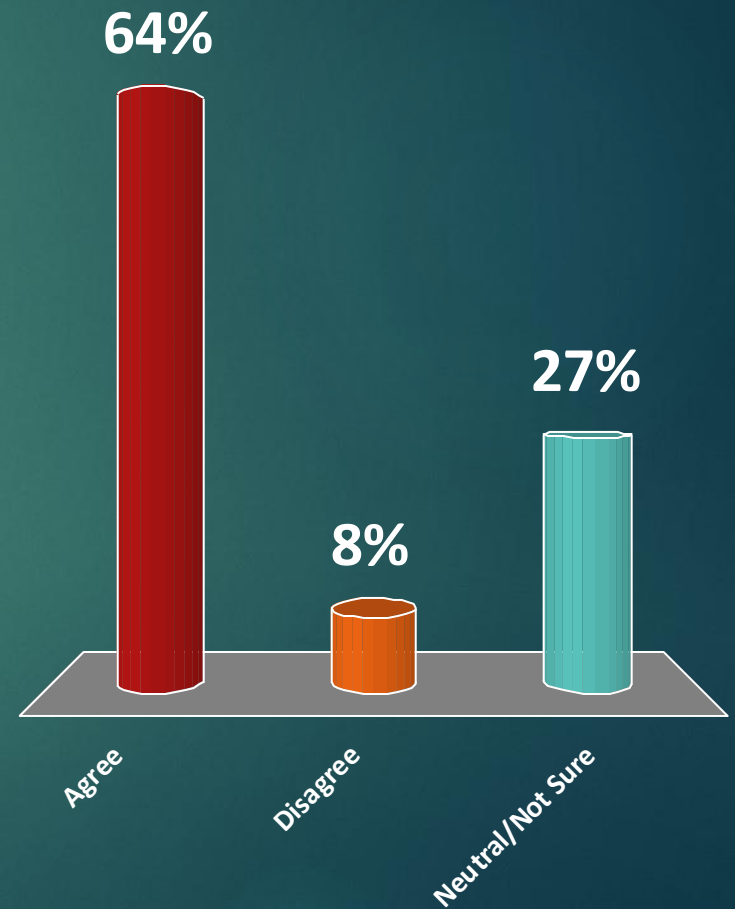
Trees can sometimes cause problems for property owners

- A. Agree
- B. Disagree
- C. Neutral/Not Sure



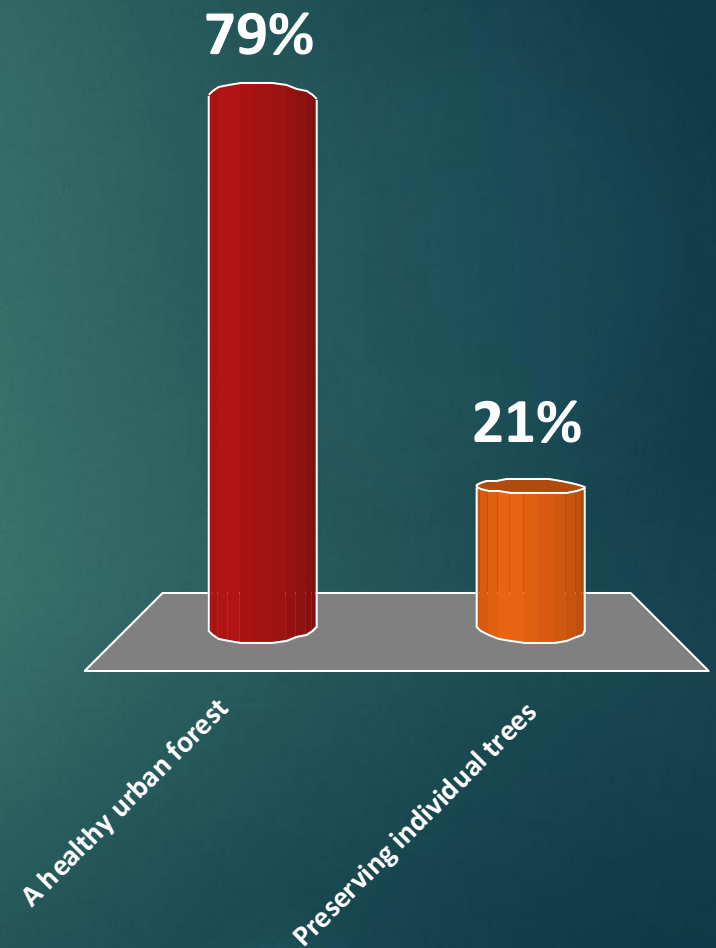
A good tree code results in a healthy urban forest while respecting the interests of property owners

- A. Agree
- B. Disagree
- C. Neutral/Not Sure



What is the primary goal of a tree code?

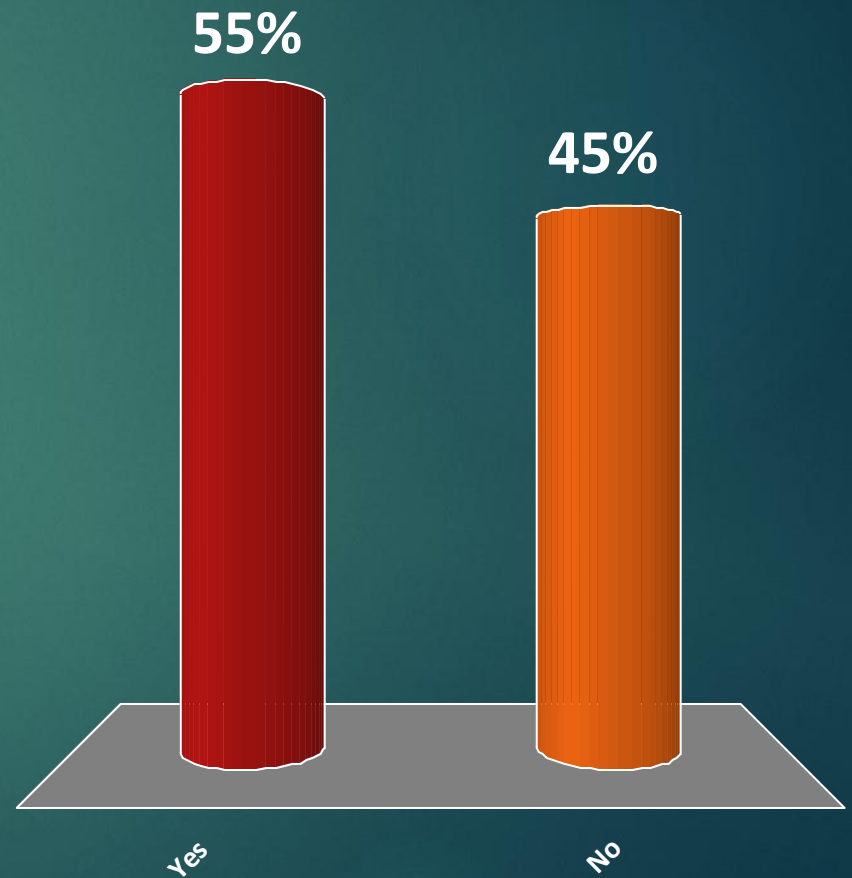
- A. A healthy urban forest
- B. Preserving individual trees



Are you mostly interested in regulations on single family lots?

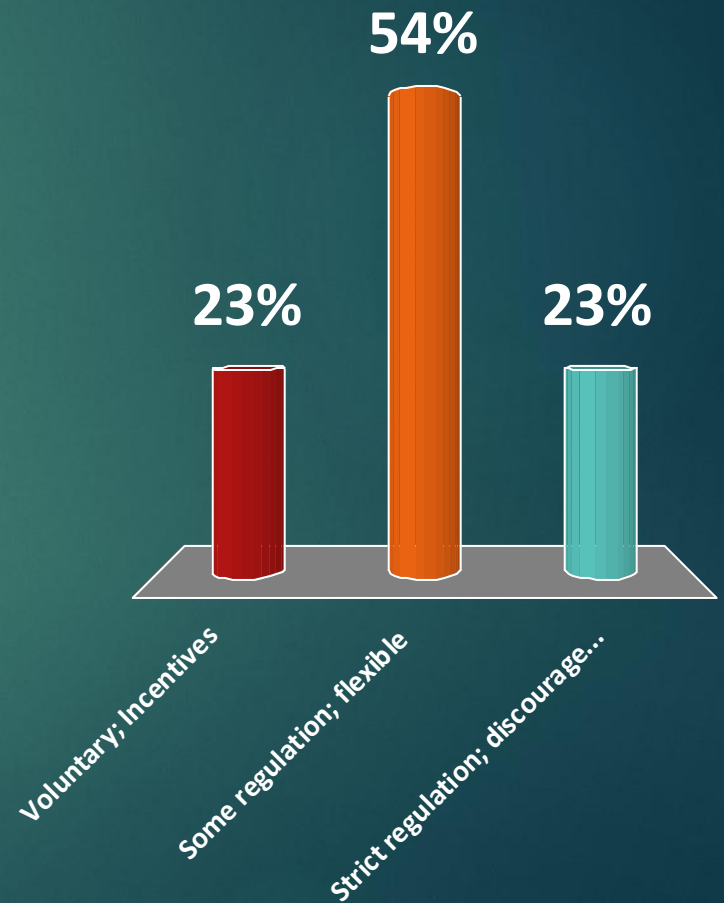
A. Yes

B. No



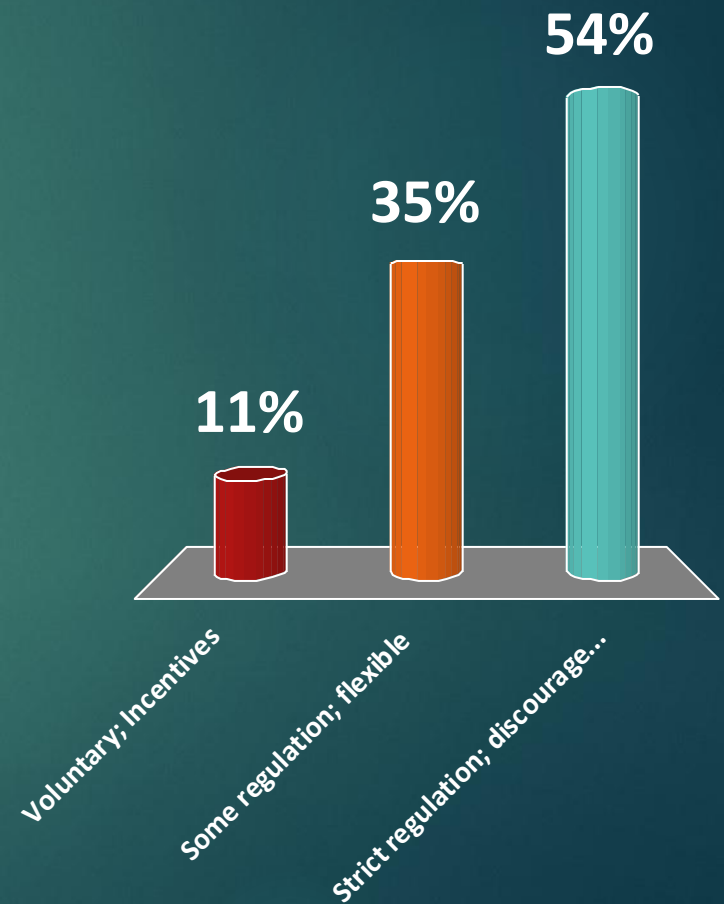
A. Tree Removal by Homeowners

1. Voluntary; Incentives
2. Some regulation; flexible
3. Strict regulation; discourages removal of individual trees



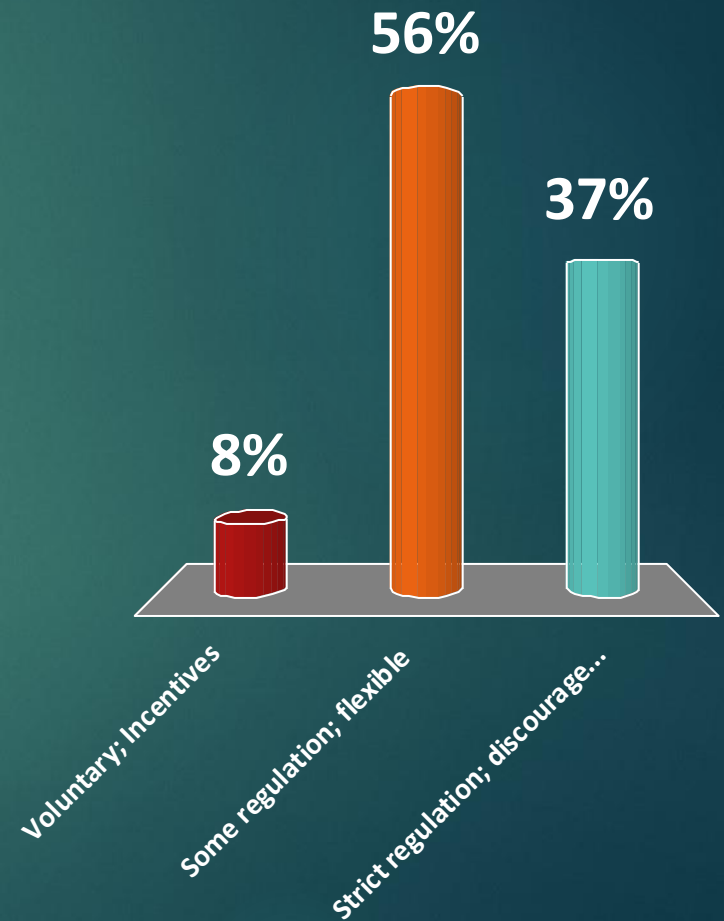
B. Tree Removal for single lot infill or building expansion

1. Voluntary; Incentives
2. Some regulation; flexible
3. Strict regulation; discourages removal of individual trees



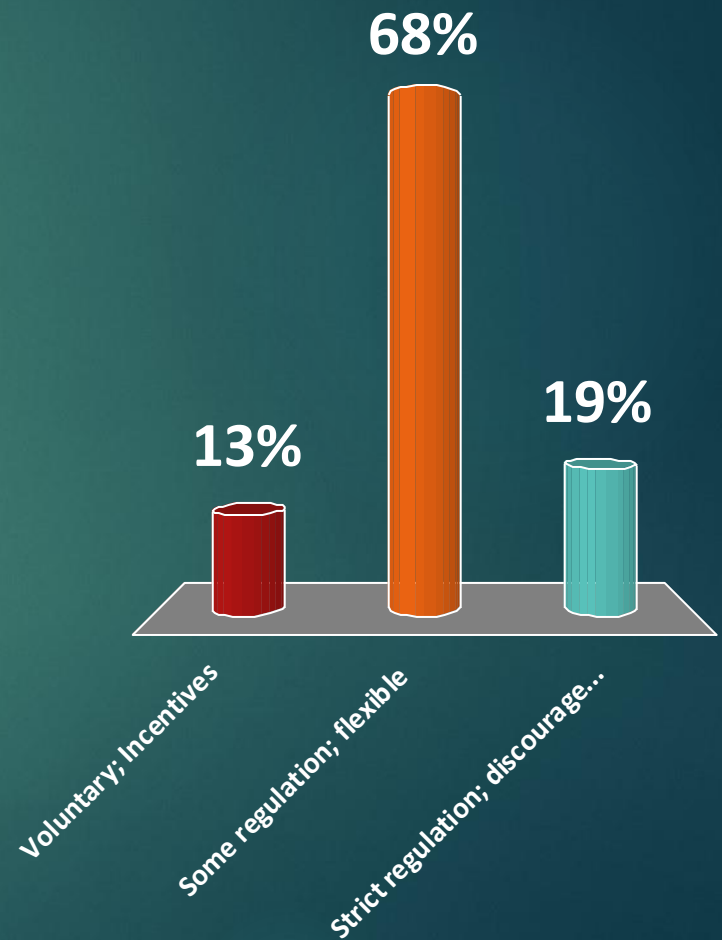
C. Larger “green field” development (e.g., subdivisions)

1. Voluntary; Incentives
2. Some regulation; flexible
3. Strict regulation; discourages removal of individual trees



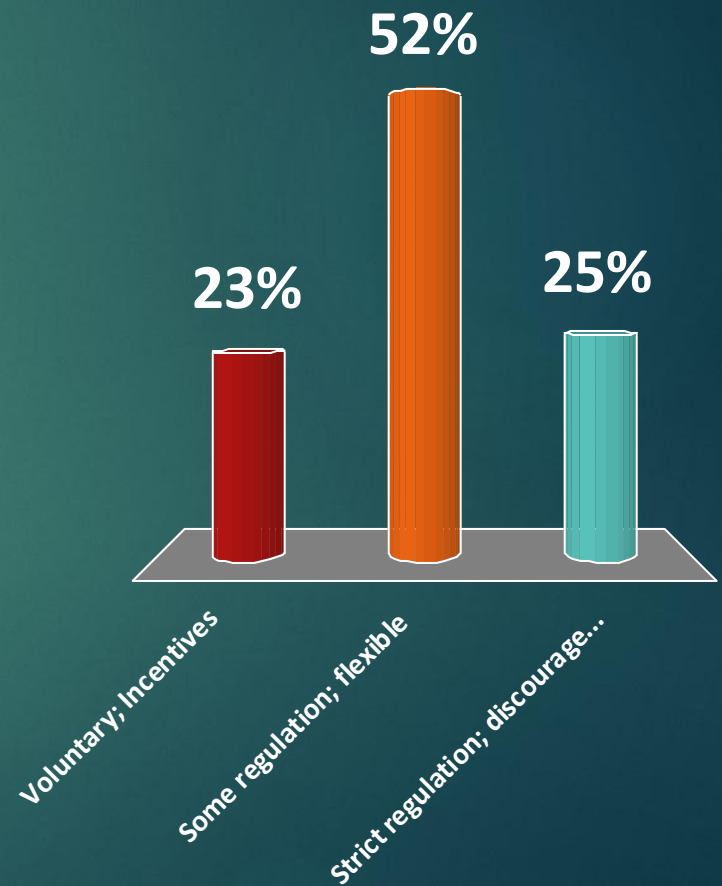
D. Large campuses

1. Voluntary;
Incentives
2. Some regulation;
flexible
3. Strict regulation;
discourages
removal of
individual trees



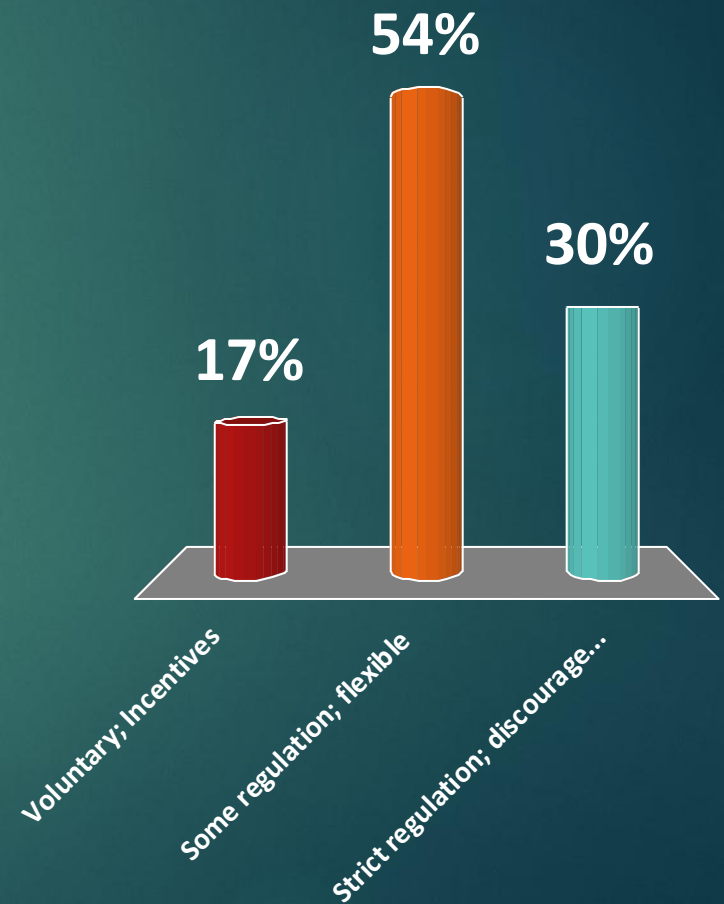
E. Street trees in front of homes

1. Voluntary;
Incentives
2. Some regulation;
flexible
3. Strict regulation;
discourages
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individual trees



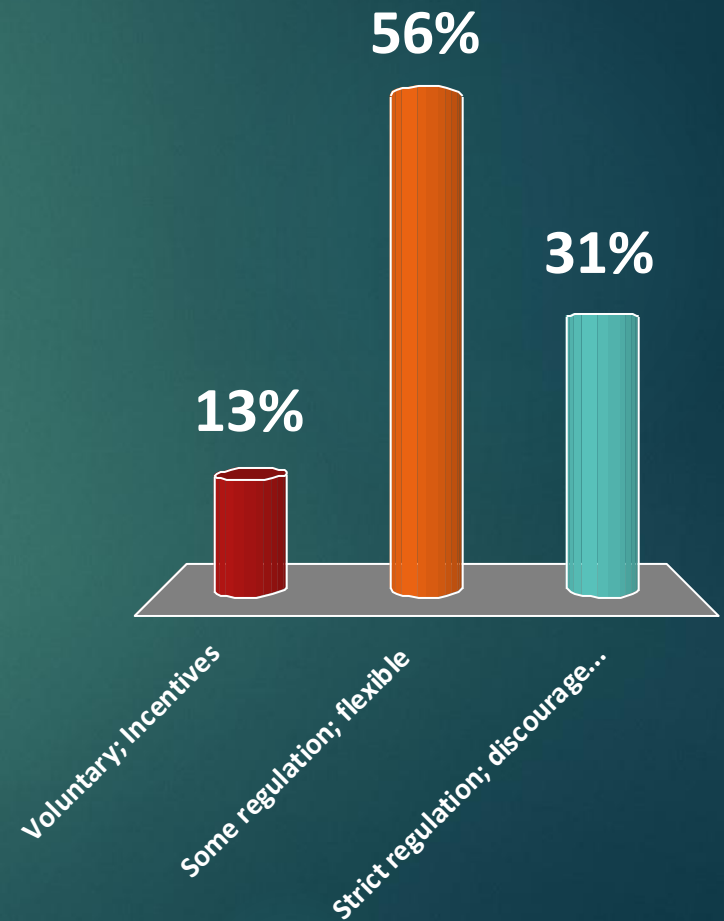
F. Street trees in front of businesses

1. Voluntary;
Incentives
2. Some regulation;
flexible
3. Strict regulation;
discourages
removal of
individual trees



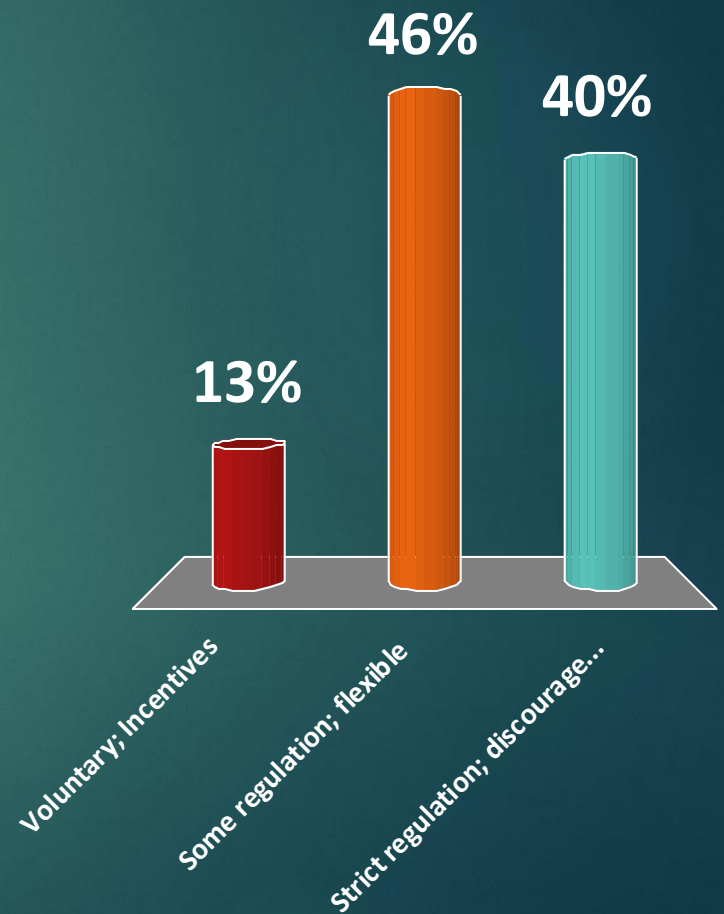
G. Open space, ravines, conservation easements

1. Voluntary; Incentives
2. Some regulation; flexible
3. Strict regulation; discourages removal of individual trees



H. Tree removal prior to annexation

1. Voluntary;
Incentives
2. Some regulation;
flexible
3. Strict regulation;
discourages
removal of
individual trees



I. Heritage trees

1. Voluntary;
Incentives
2. Some regulation;
flexible
3. Strict regulation;
discourages
removal of
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