

Town of Millville Comprehensive Plan Community Survey



The Town of Millville has experienced growth in both population and housing units since 2010, almost tripling its population and issuing over 850 residential building permits. A number of commercial retailers have also developed properties during this time period.

To better understand this growth, the Town of Millville is updating its Comprehensive Plan, which is an official statement about the Town's future that is used to direct future development decisions. It is required by State law and is certified by the Governor. This survey contains questions on a variety of issues related to the Town including land use, housing, transportation, utilities, town and community services, economic development, recreation, and other quality of life issues. As a resident, land owner, or visitor to the Town, **we need your opinion!** Your input is vital as we complete the Plan.

Please take a few minutes to respond to the following questions by August 15, 2018.

Citizen Profile					
1. My age is:	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+
2. I am currently retired:	Yes			No	
3. I am a permanent resident of Millville:	Yes			No	
a. I have been a permanent resident in Millville for:	0-5 Years	6-10 Years		10+ Years	
b. I would describe my residence as:	Single-Family	Townhouse	Duplex	Other	
<i>If you answered "yes" to question 3, please skip question 4 and 5.</i>					
4. I am a seasonal resident of Millville:	Yes			No	
a. I have been a seasonal resident in Millville for:	0-5 Years	6-10 Years		10+ Years	
b. I plan on becoming a permanent resident :	Yes			No	
c. When do you plan on becoming a permanent resident :	0-5 Years	6-10 Years		10+ Years	
5. I am a non-resident landowner in Millville:	Yes			No	
a. I have been a non-resident landowner in Millville for:	0-5 Years	6-10 Years		10+ Years	
b. I plan on developing my land in Millville:	Yes			No	
c. I plan on developing my land in:	0-5 Years	6-10 Years		10+ Years	
6. I work in the Town of Millville:	Yes			No	
Opinions on Growth and Land Use					
	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
7. The Town should increase its growth area and population base:					
8. Development should be encouraged primarily within the current boundaries:					
9. The Town should seek to annex new areas of land adjacent to the current Town boundaries:					
10. Development should be balanced with protection of farmland and open space:					
11. Millville should annex gaps (enclaves) within the current Town boundary:					

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		Far Too Many	Slightly More than Enough	Enough	Slightly Less than Enough	Far Too Little
Housing						
12. How do you feel about the current amount of various housing types in Millville:						
a.	Apartments/Multi-Family					
b.	Townhouses					
c.	Single-Family Homes					
d.	Mixed-Use: Residential on top of Commercial					
Commercial and Industrial						
13. How do you feel about the current amount of various commercial and industrial types in Millville:						
a.	Single Detached Retail and Service Buildings					
b.	Multiple Attached Retail Service Buildings					
c.	Large Single Retail Chain Store					
d.	Shopping Complexes (multiple stores anchored by a large store)					
e.	Mixed commercial, business uses and office					
f.	Offices, research and development facilities					
g.	Building supply, contractor yards, equipment storage					
h.	Light Industrial Assembly					
i.	Storage units and warehouse					
Town Character						
17. The Town of Millville should be promoted as a:						
a.	Bedroom beach community:	Yes			No	
b.	A live-work community:	Yes			No	
c.	A retirement community:	Yes			No	
d.	Retail and economic hub:	Yes			No	
e.	Resort destination:	Yes			No	
f.	Other:					

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Transportation											
		Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree					
17.	There should be clearly definable sidewalk, trail and bike paths:										
18.	The pedestrian system should connect with existing and proposed developments:										
19.	The Town should work with neighboring municipalities to provide connection for pedestrian and bicyclist traffic:										
20.	There should be a form of seasonal bus or trolley service to the beach:										
Views on City Resources and Services											
		Highest Lowest									
21.	The following services are currently not offered by the Town of Millville. Please rank the following services from highest priority (1) to lowest priority (10): <i>(circle one for each item)</i>										
a.	Town Library	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
b.	Town Police Force	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
c.	Town Trash Service	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
d.	Public Park	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
e.	Municipal Trails and Bikeways	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
f.	Public Works Department and Facility	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
g.	Building and Zoning Department	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
h.	Municipal Parking	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
i.	Parks and Recreation Department	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Utilities											
22.	My property is on central water and sewer:	Yes					No				
23.	My property is on a well and septic system:	Yes					No				
24.	I would like my property to be connected to central water and sewer:	Yes					No				

In the space below, please add any additional comments on issues of importance to you for Millville’s future that should be considered in the development of the Millville Comprehensive Plan. If you need additional space, please continue your comments on the back of this sheet.

**THANK YOU
FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION IN PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE OF MILLVILLE, DE!**

Please return your completed survey to Millville Town Hall. If you are unable to drop it off, please feel free to mail it:

**Surveys
Town of Millville
36404 Club House Road
Millville, DE 19967**

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Deborah Y. Botchie, Town Manager, at Town Hall – (302) 539-0449.

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