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St Stephen Neighbourhood Plan Survey 2016 Results

Who completed the survey?

A survey was sent to every household in the parish:

590 households completed the survey

11% of all households in the parish (based on 5,593 households, 2011 Census)

Bricket Wood: 34% of responses

Chiswell Green: 20% of responses

Park Street: 18% of responses

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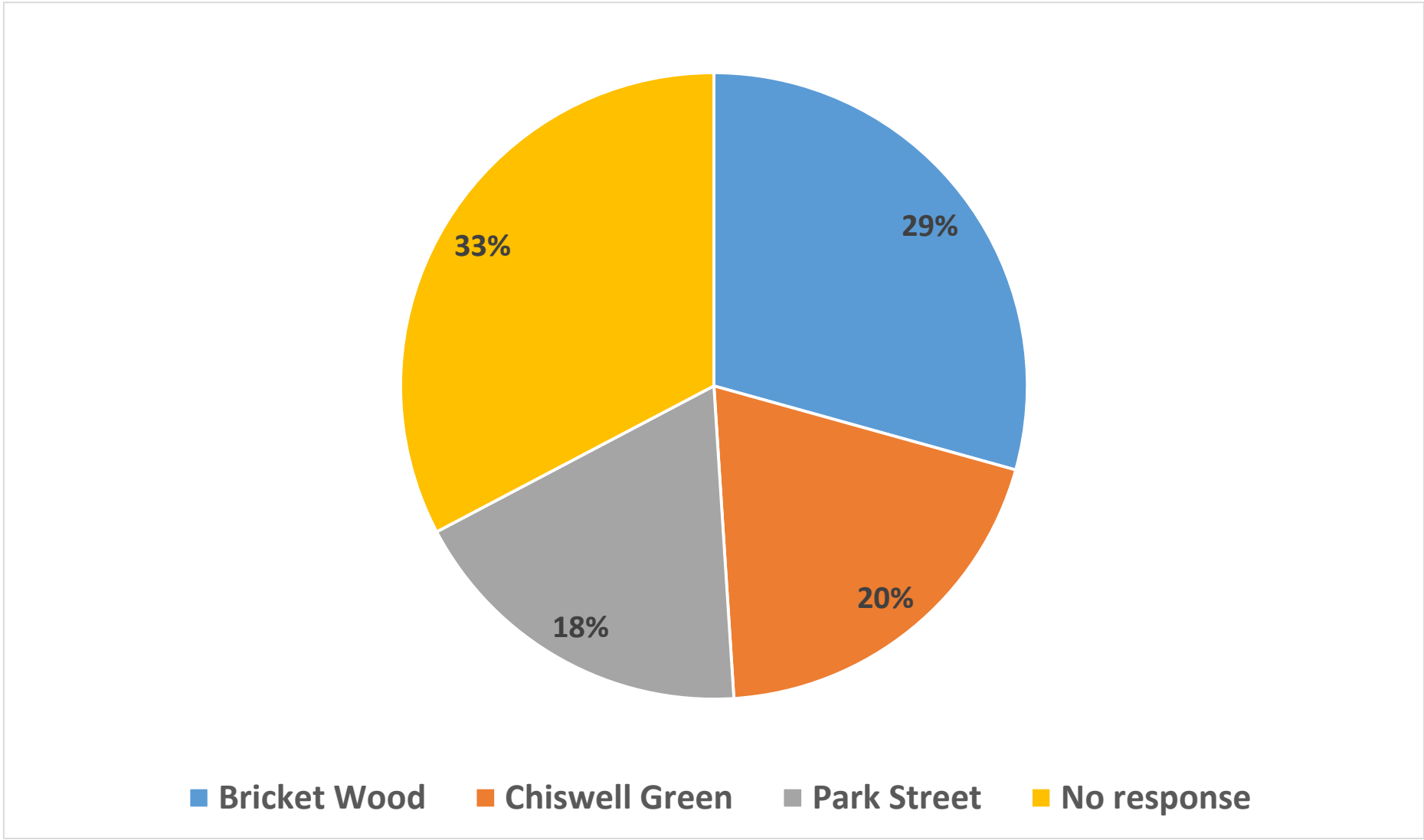
About you

Which village do you live in?

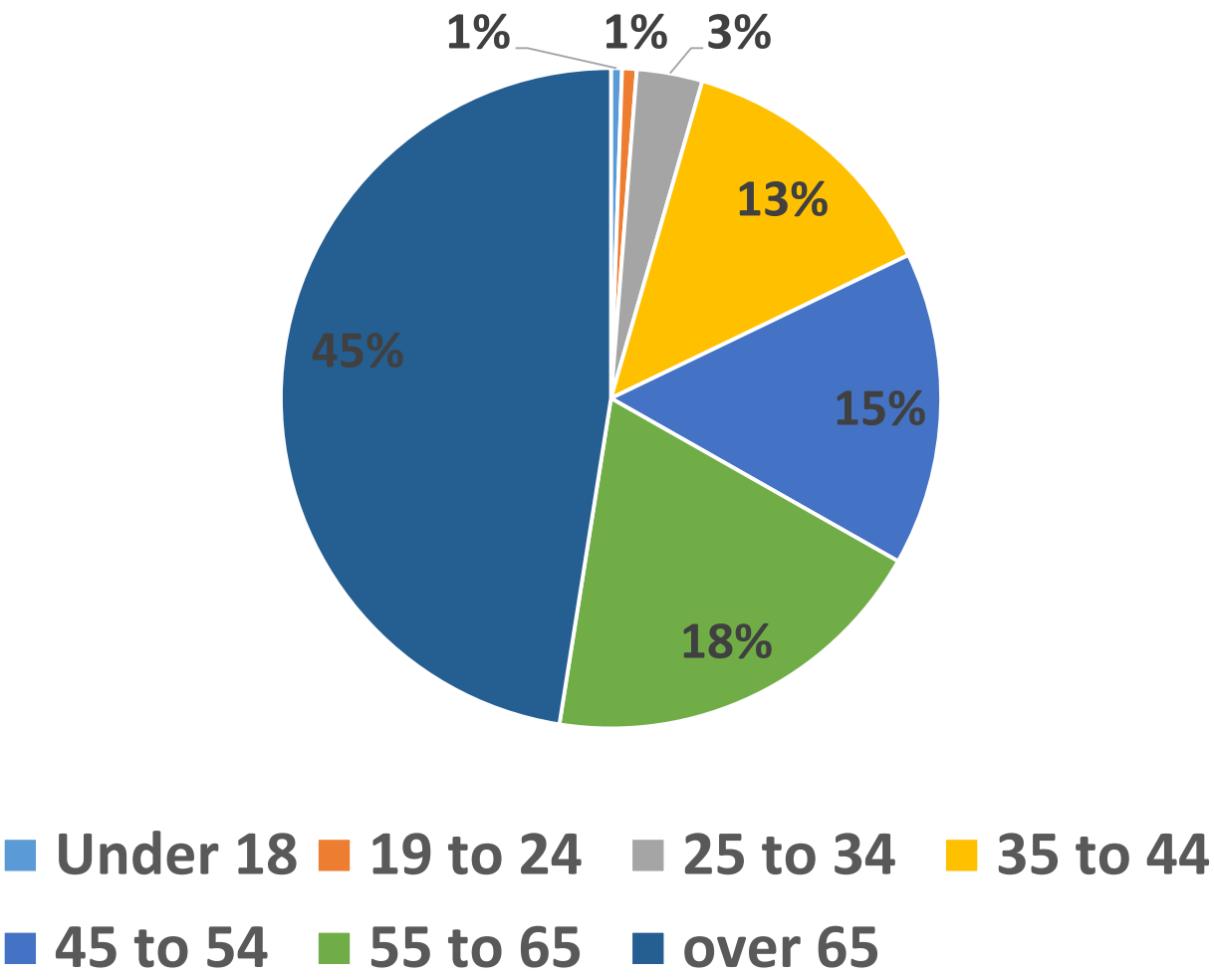


What is your home postcode?

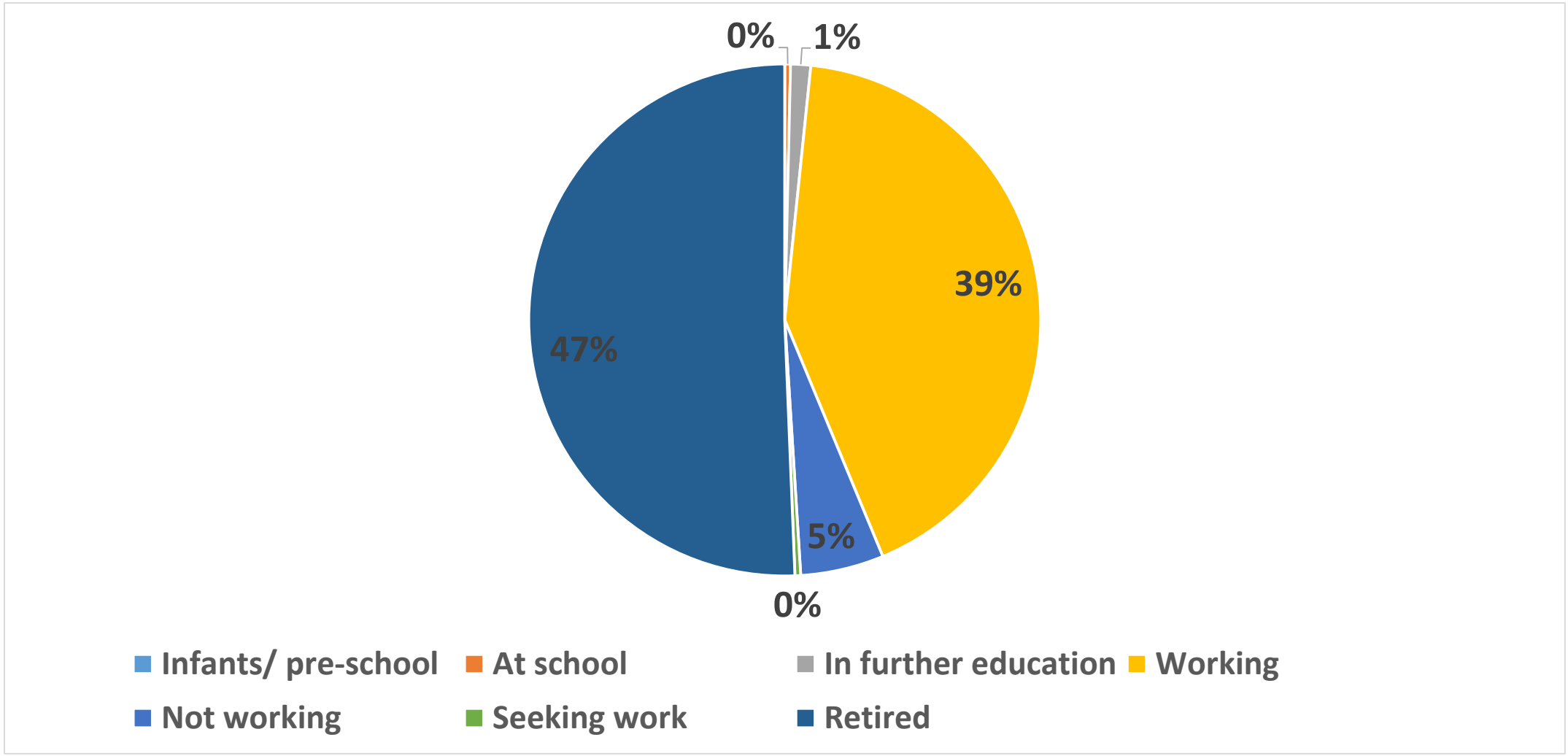
- Surveys returned from 100 distinct postcode areas
- Most frequent postcode areas:

Postcode
AL2 3EQ
AL2 2HY
AL2 3AX
AL2 3SE
AL2 2JB
AL2 2HX
AL2 2BE
AL2 2AU

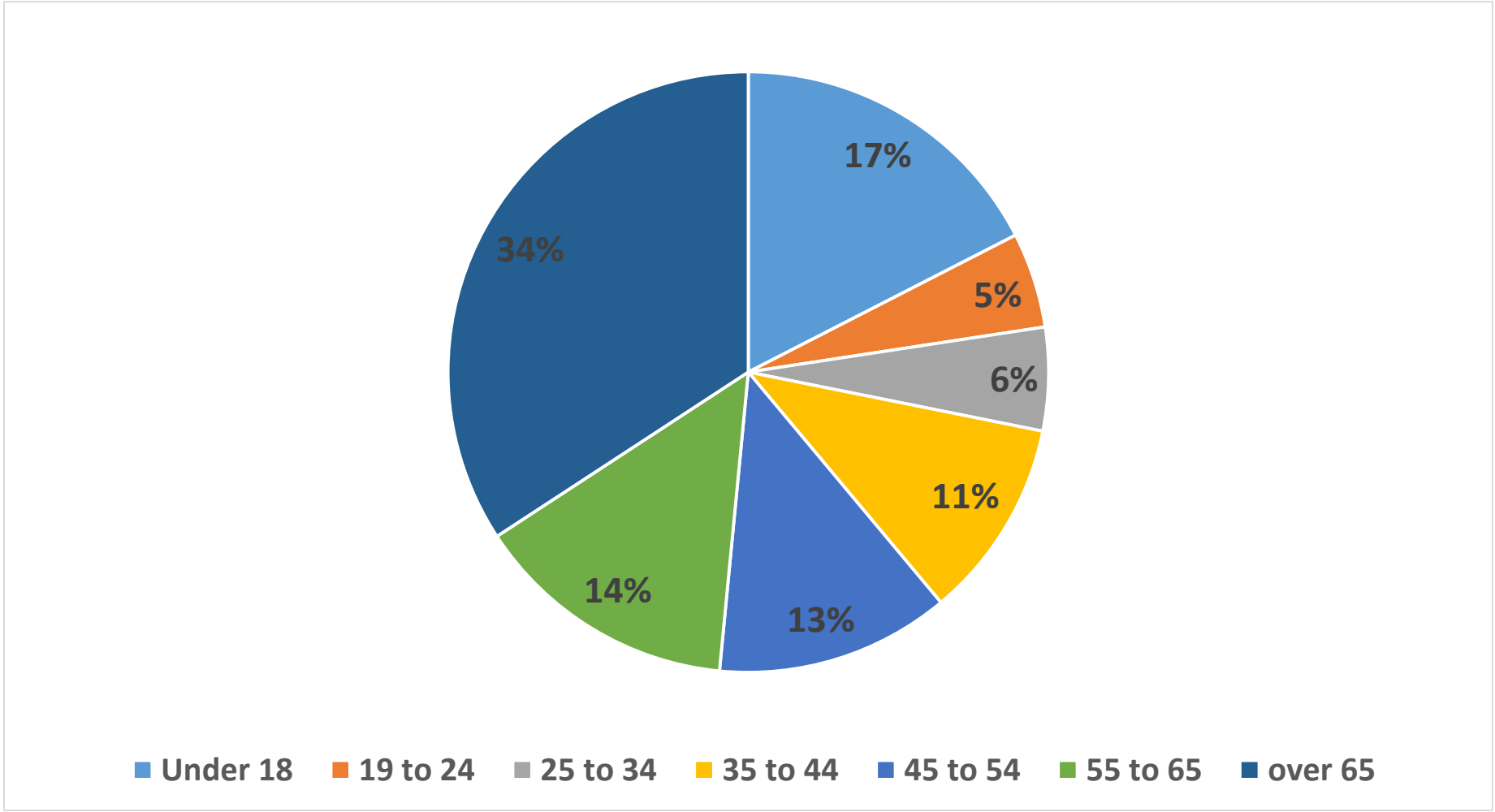
Q4: In which age group do you fall?



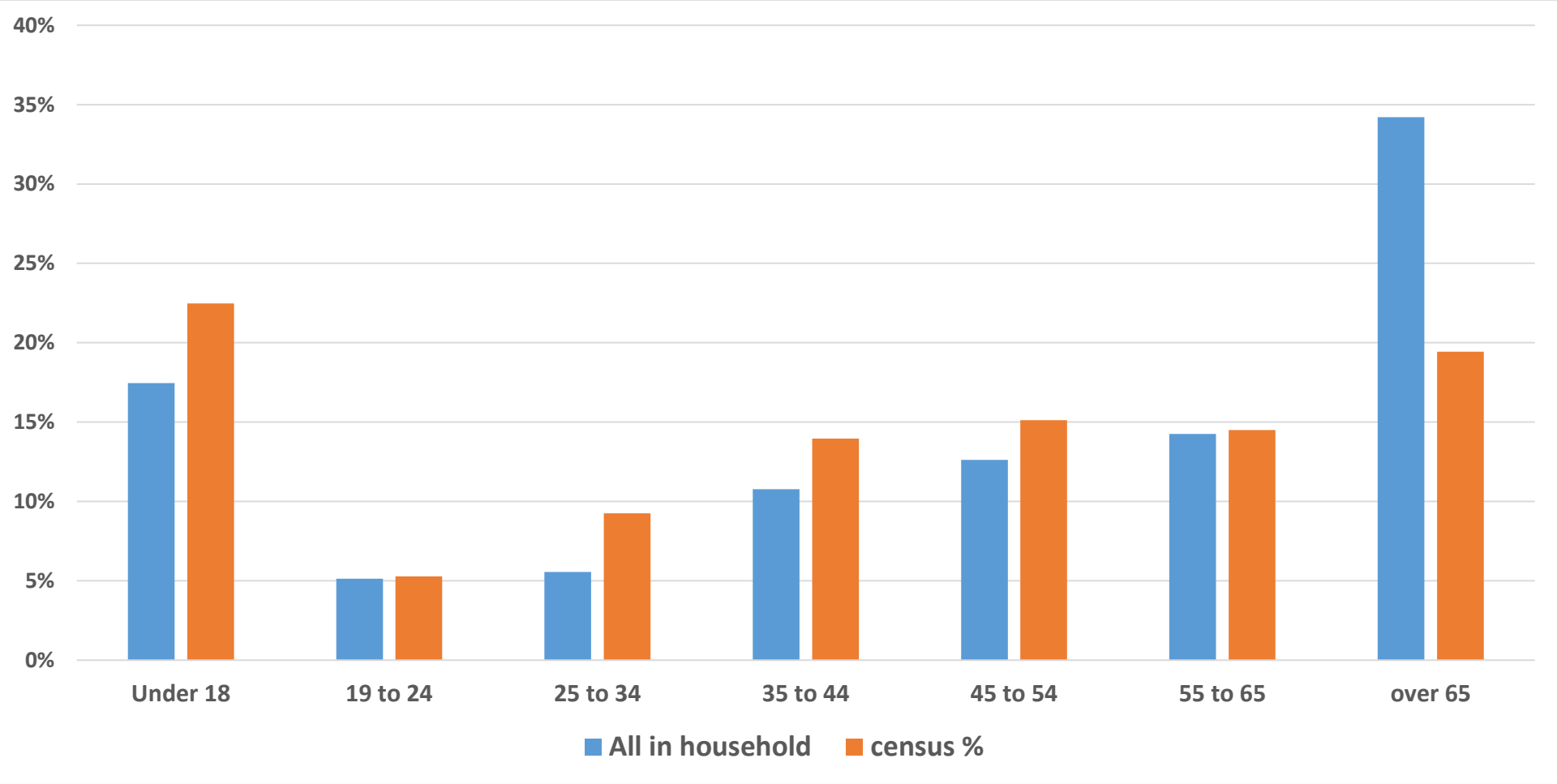
Which best describes your situation?



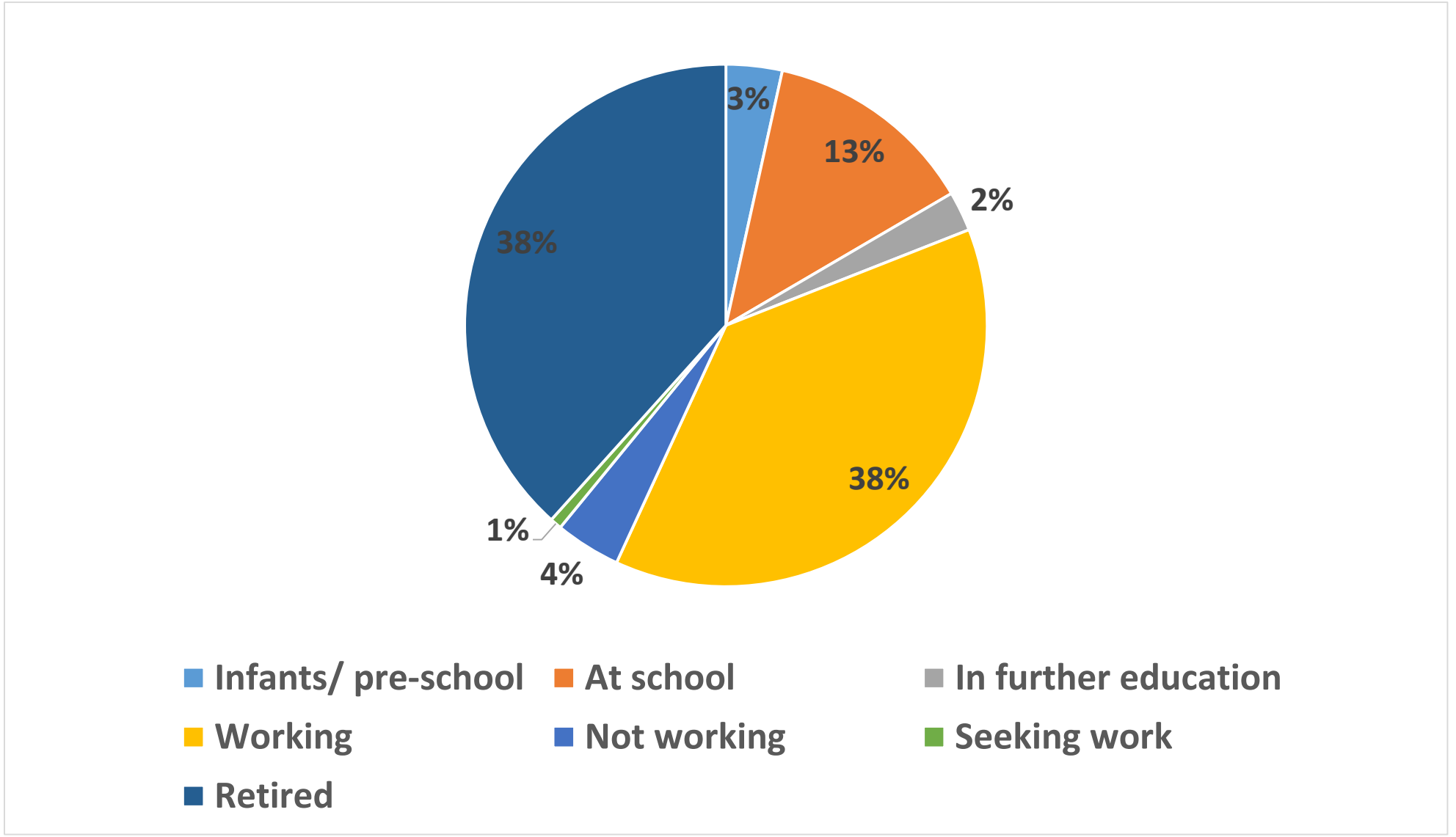
Ages of ALL represented in the household (inc you)



Ages of all represented compared to census



Which best describes the situation of everyone in your household, including you?



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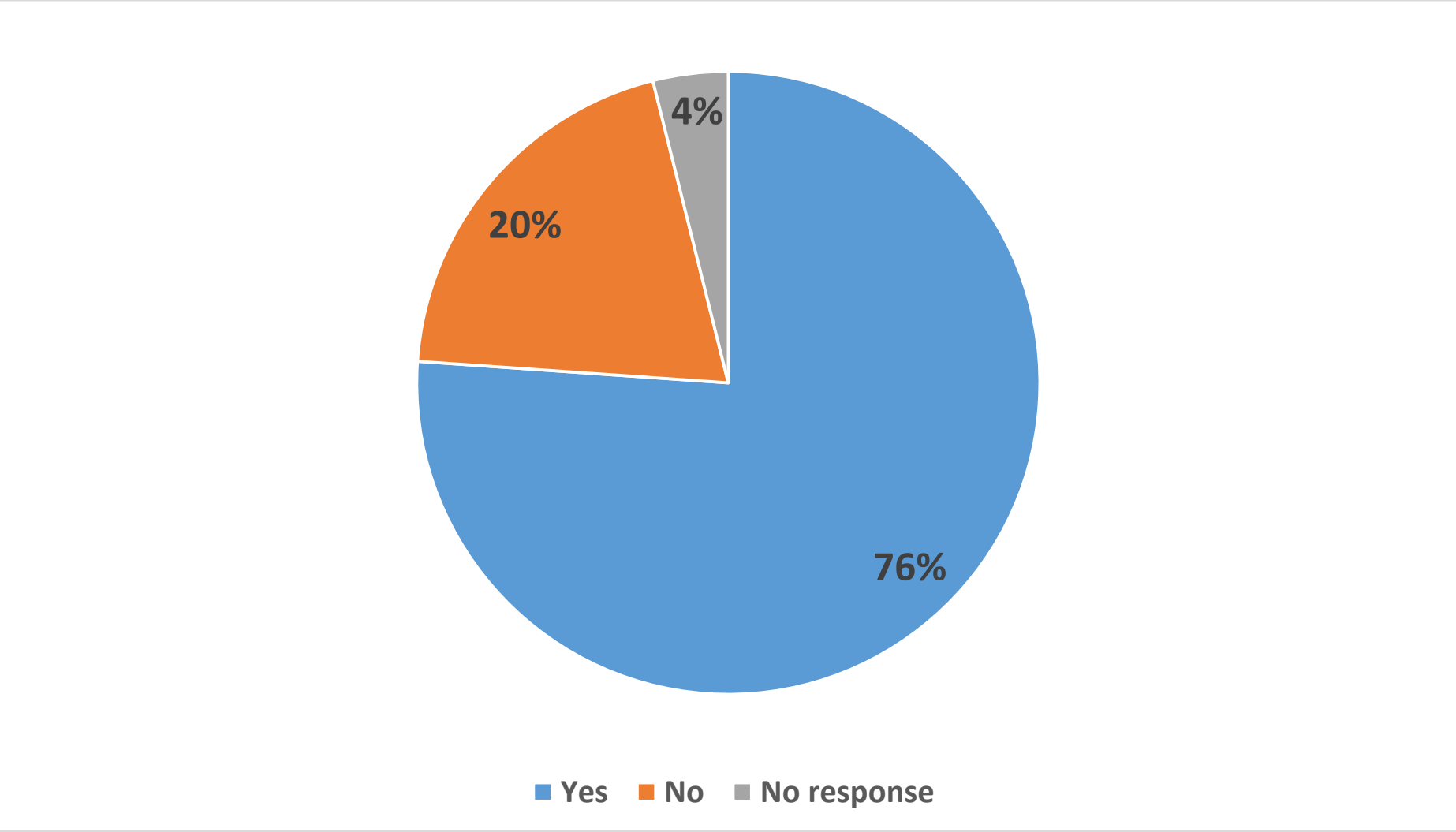
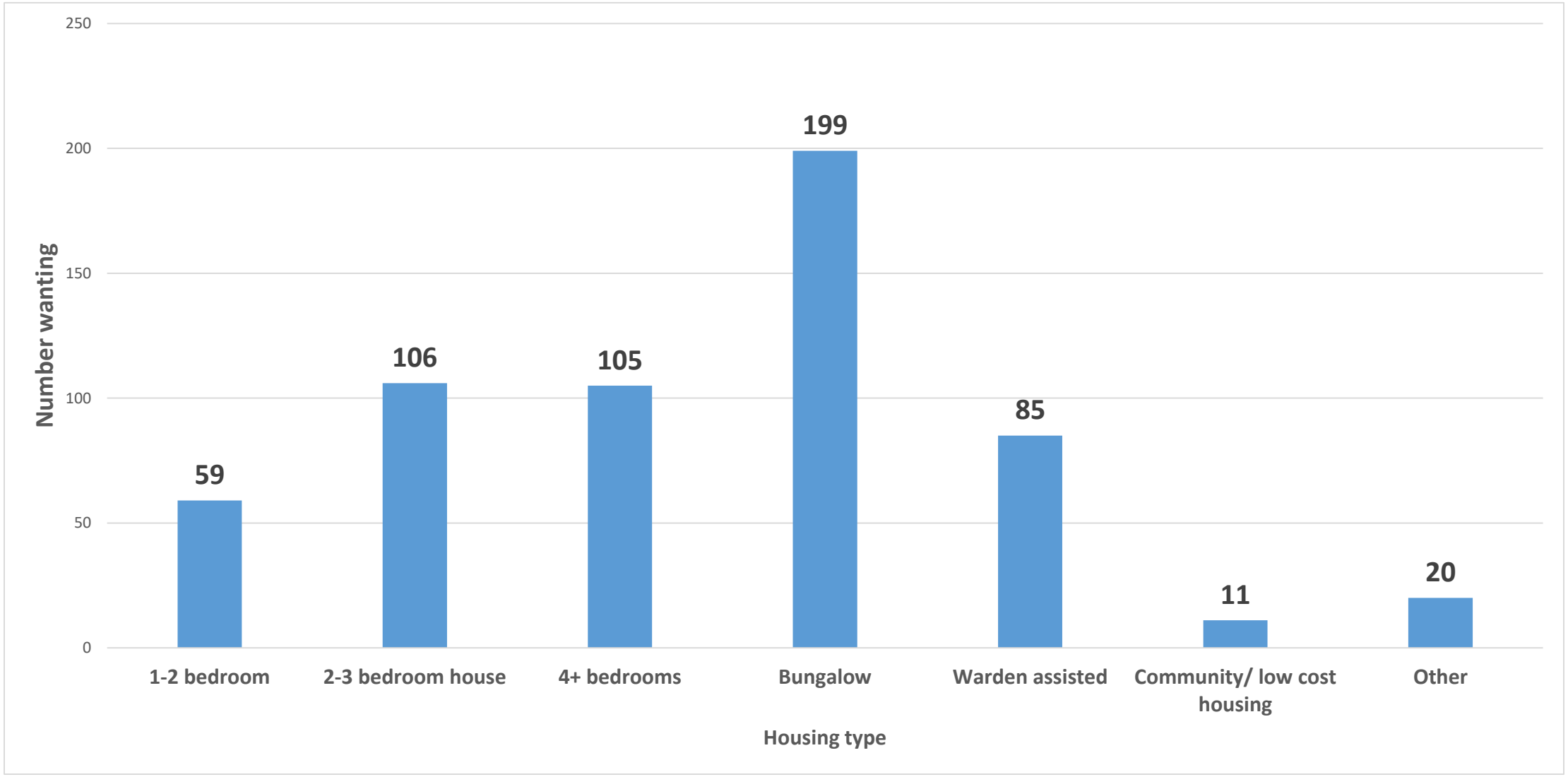
Housing

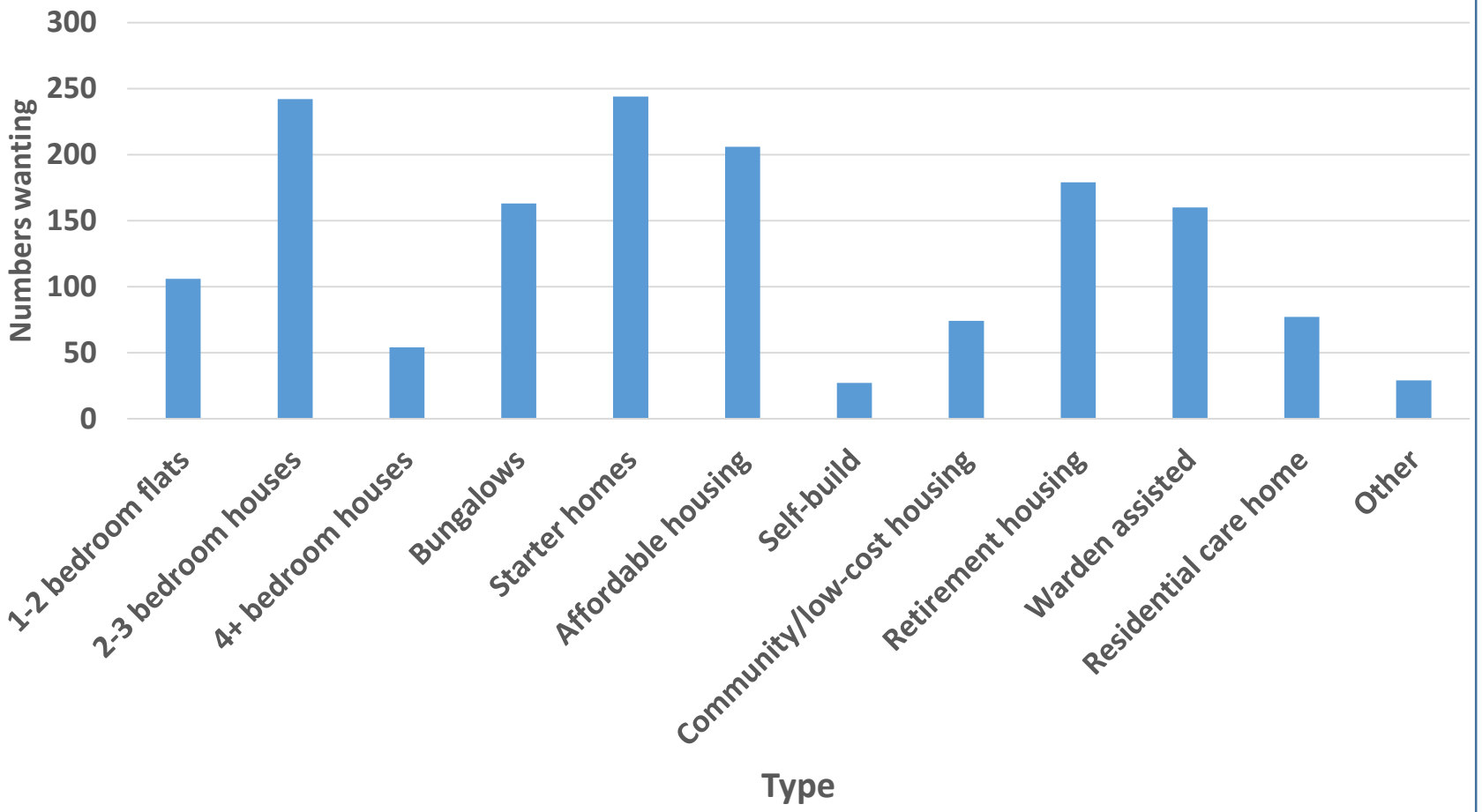
If, in the future, you decide to move house would you ideally choose to remain within the area?



If you answered ‘Yes’, what type of housing do you seek?



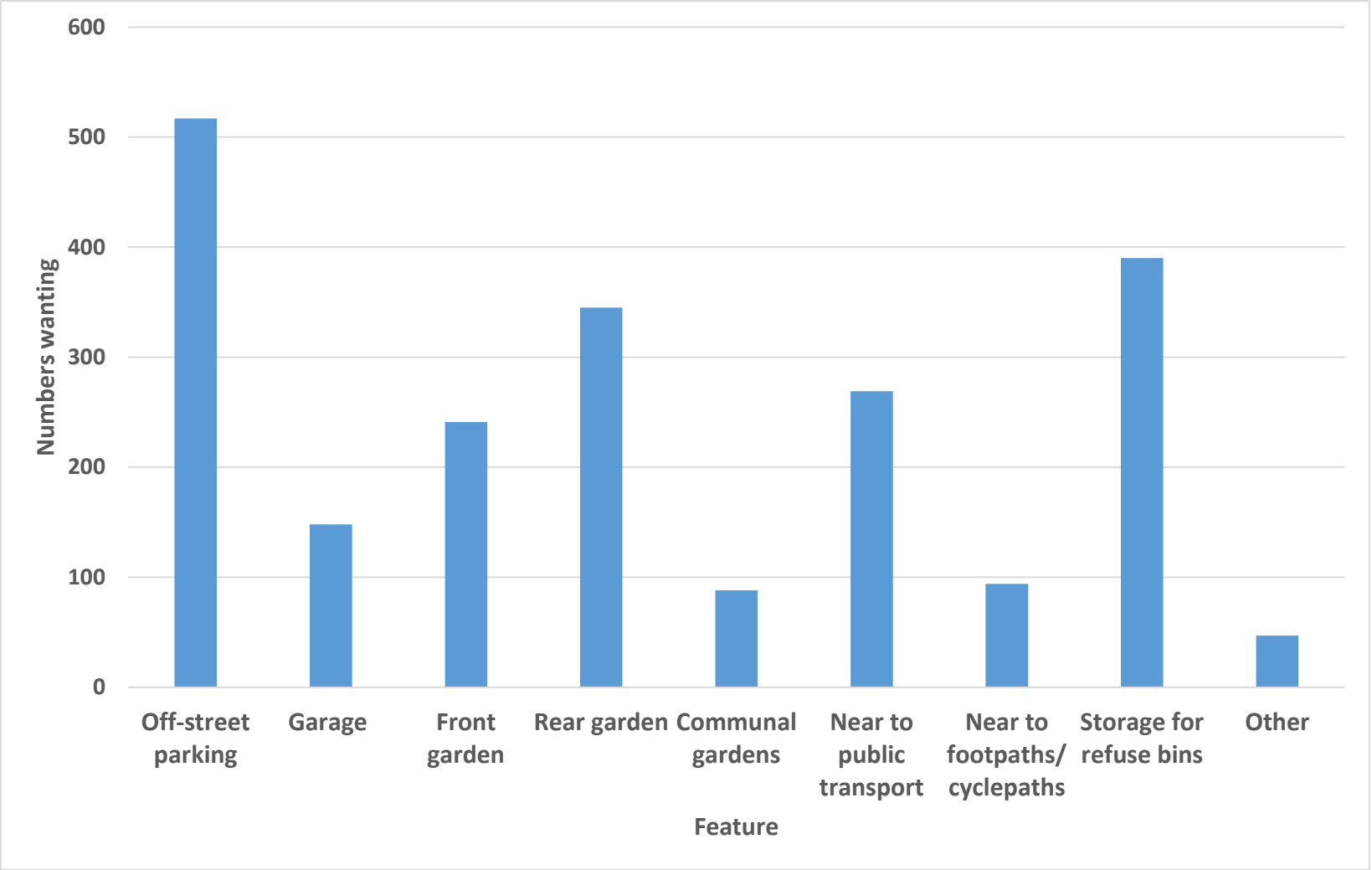
Thinking about the needs of other people (perhaps family members or older residents) what type of properties do you consider the area needs in the future?



'Other' included:

- No more – no space
- Genuinely affordable
- Homes for local people

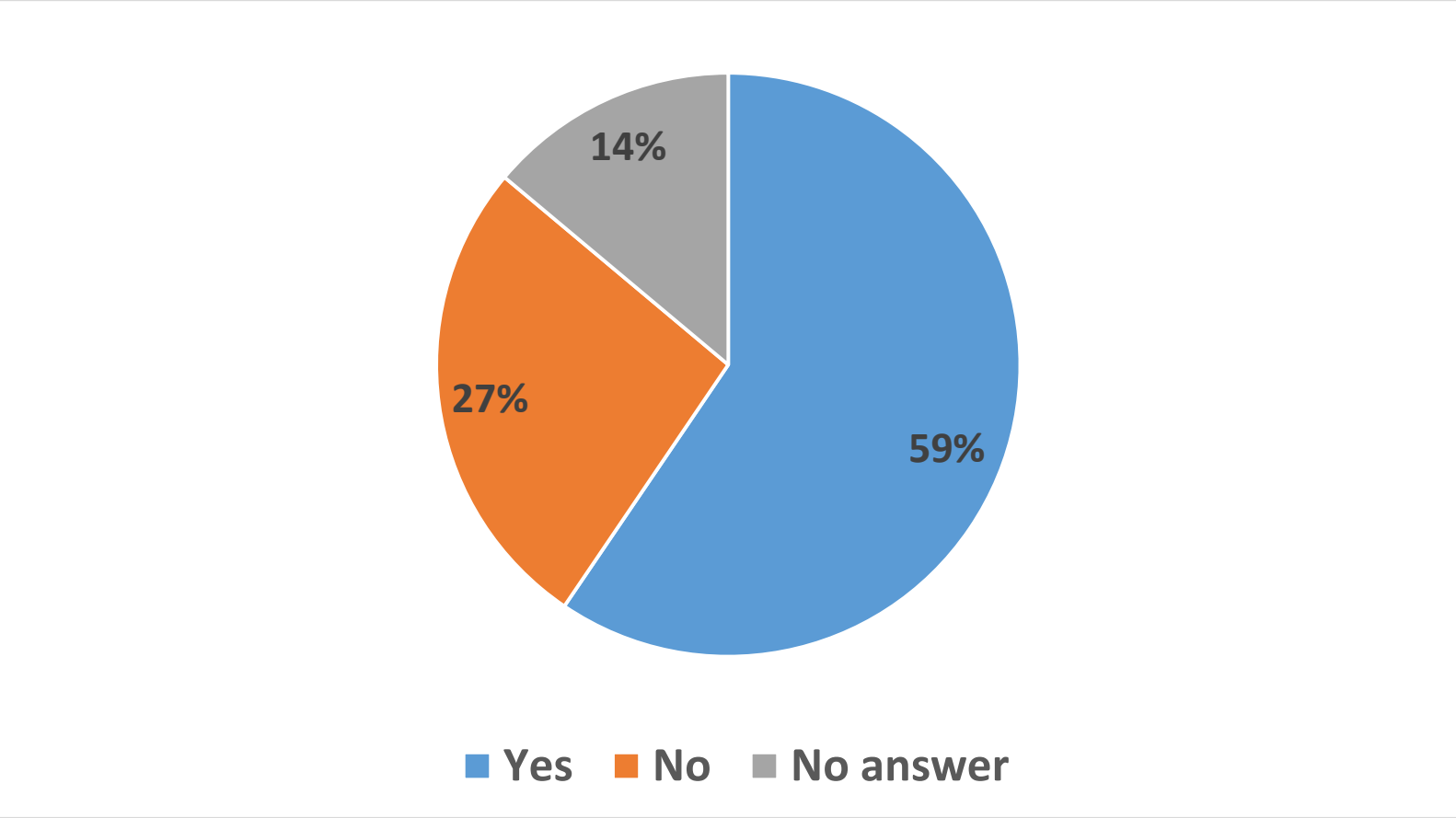
If more housing were to be built in the area, what features/ facilities should be incorporated?



'Other' included:

- Plenty of on-street parking for visitors
- Environmental features wanted (separate question on this)
- No more housing
- Infrastructure to support more housing

Should 'gated developments', enclosing two or more houses, be discouraged?



59% would not like to see gated developments

66 comments:

Most about the negative aspects but some support for ‘free choice’.

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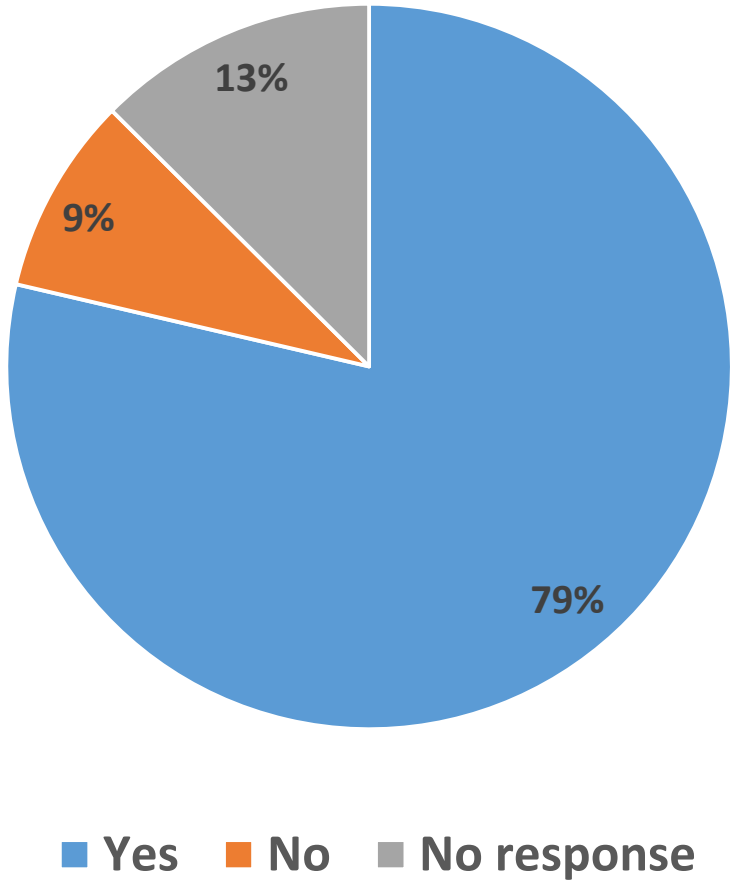
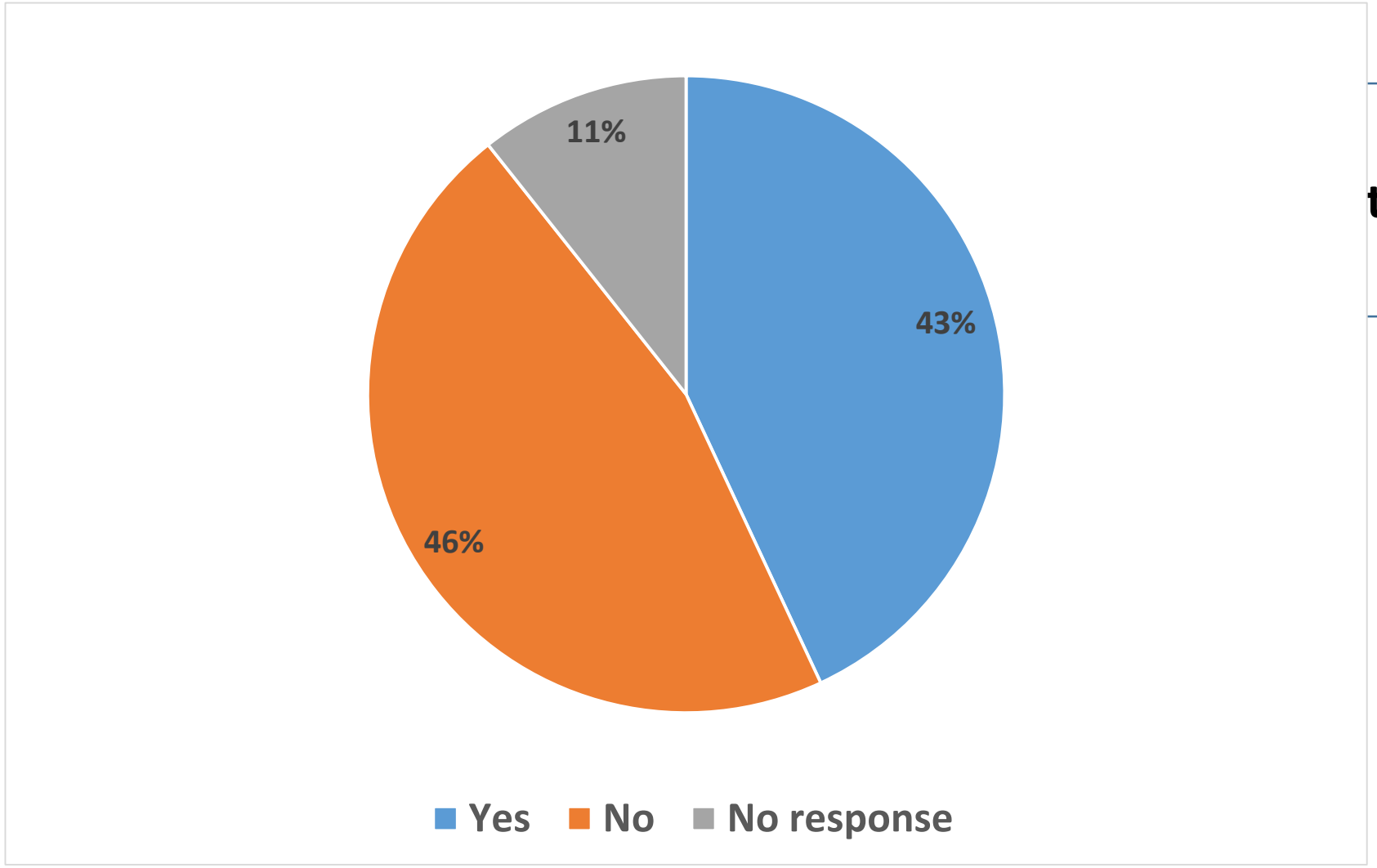
Environment

Do you support the introduction of 'green energy' solutions on new and existing properties... provided solar panels are in keeping with and blend into the style of housing?



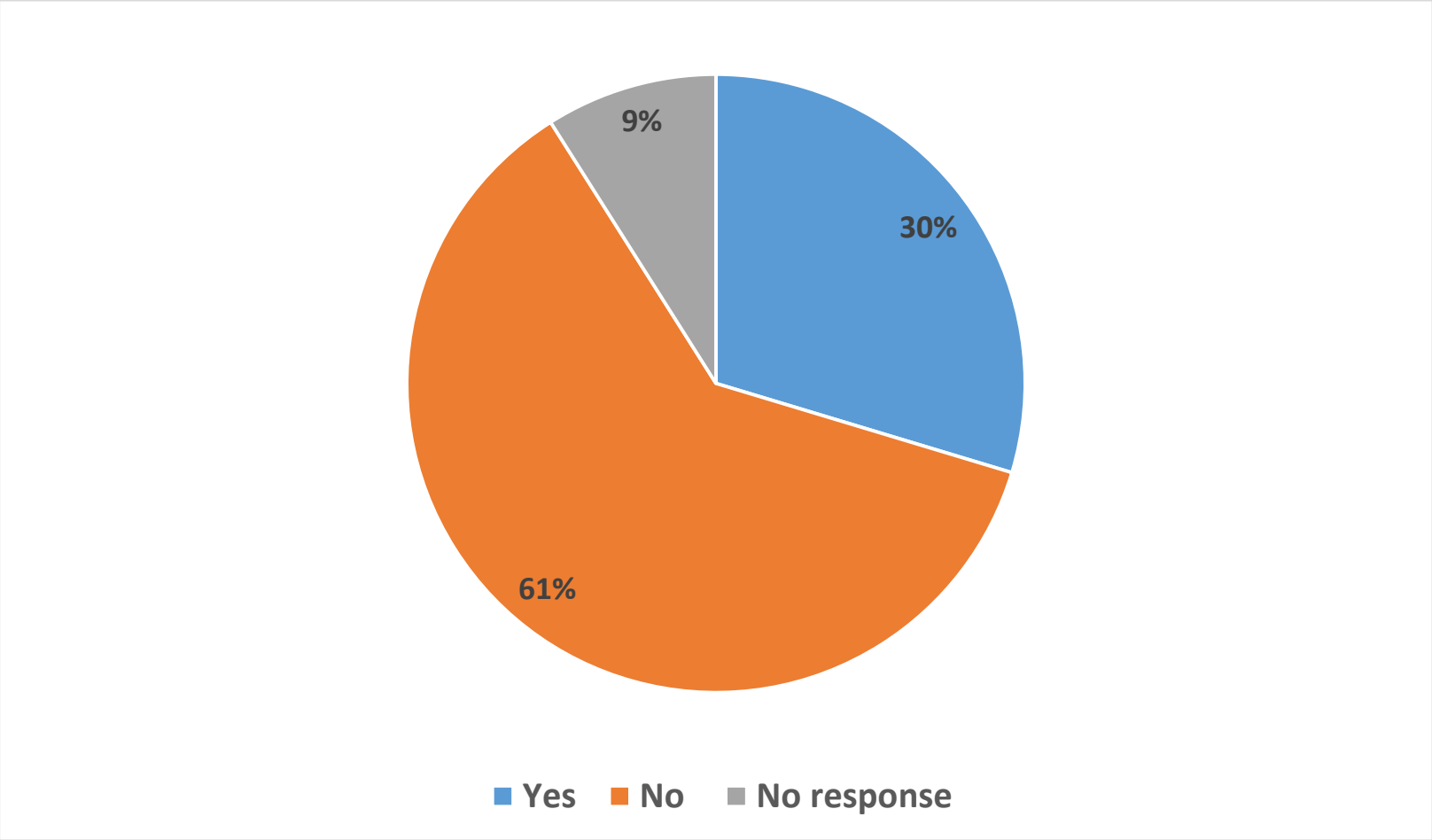
79% support solar panels

Do you support the introduction of 'green energy' solutions on new and existing properties... provided **wind turbines** do not adversely affect neighbouring properties in terms of noise and visual impact?



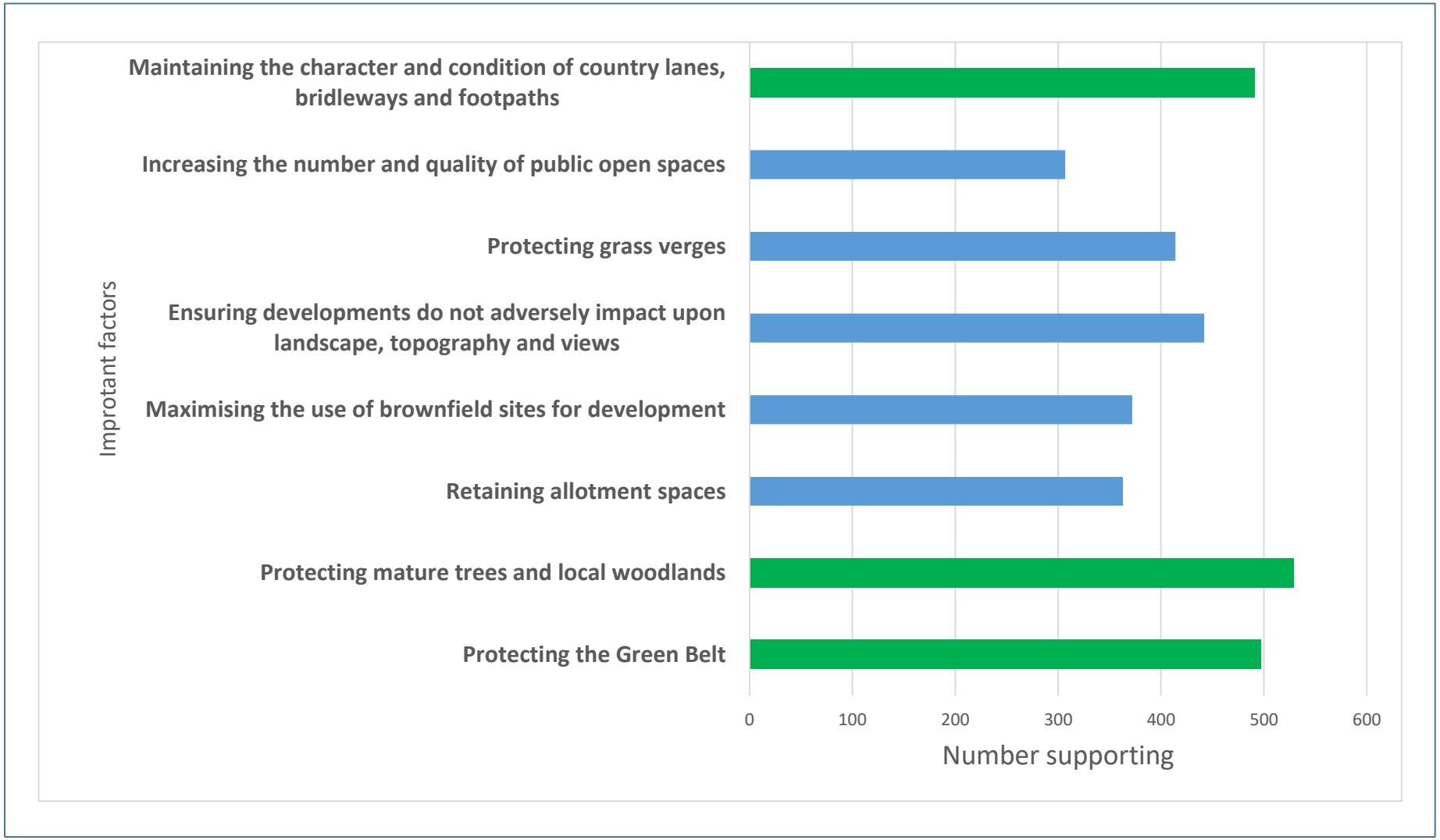
tty equal split

Would you support the release of small parcels of Green Belt land for housing if this benefited the community?



2 thirds say no,
1 third say yes

Which of the following do you think important in enhancing the nature of the area?



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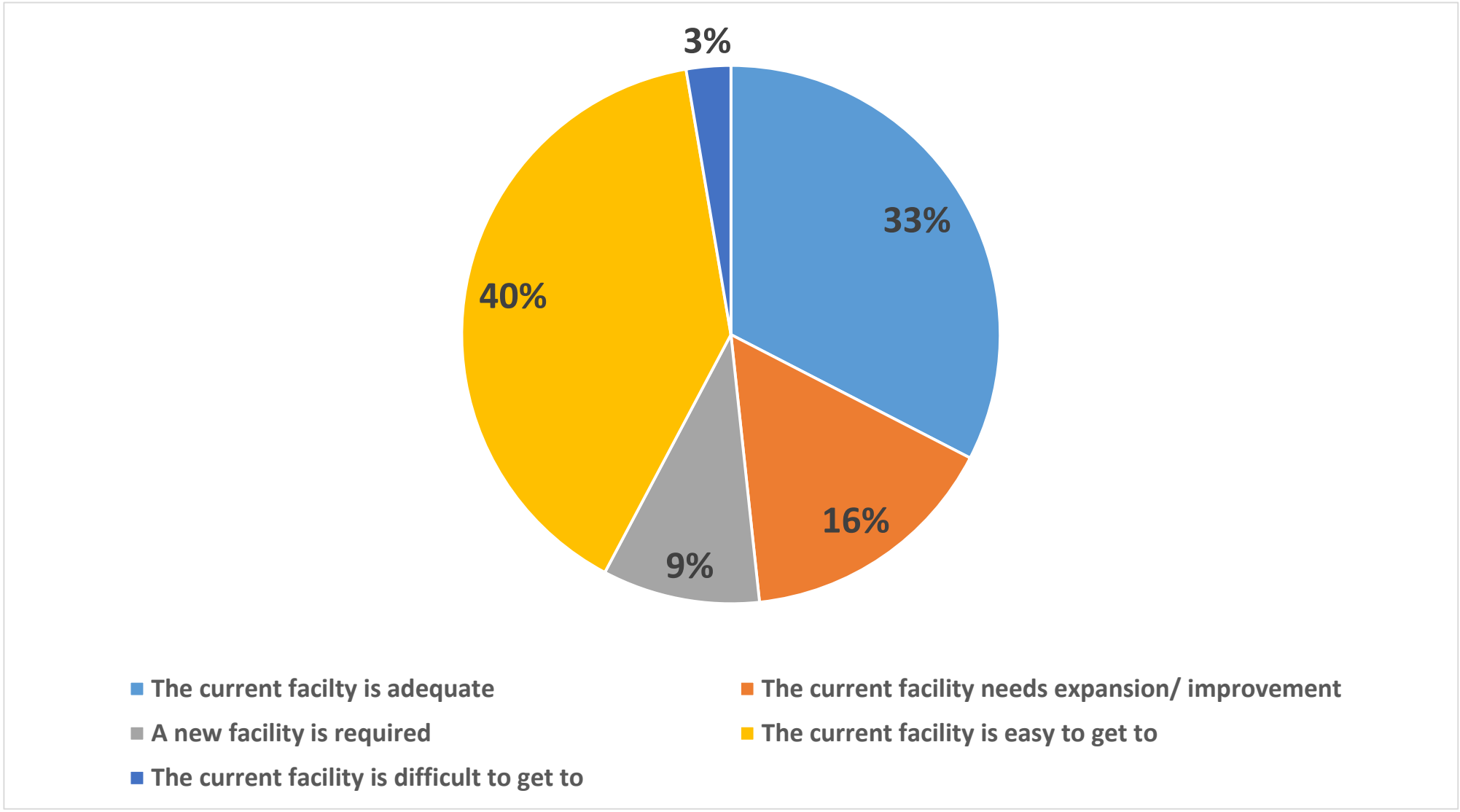
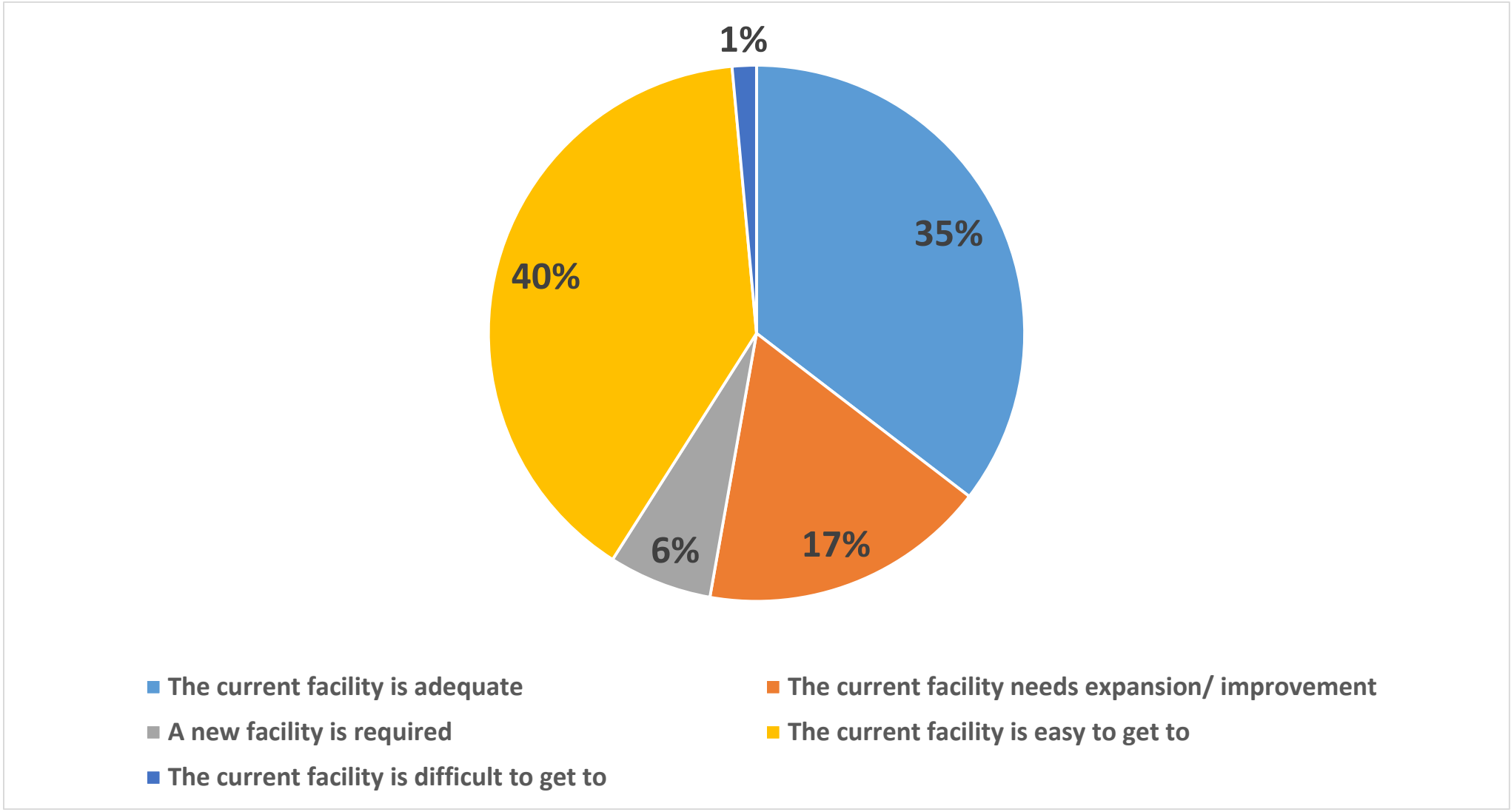
Amenities

What are you views on the following services and facilities? GP Surgeries



What are you views on the following services and facilities? Primary Schools



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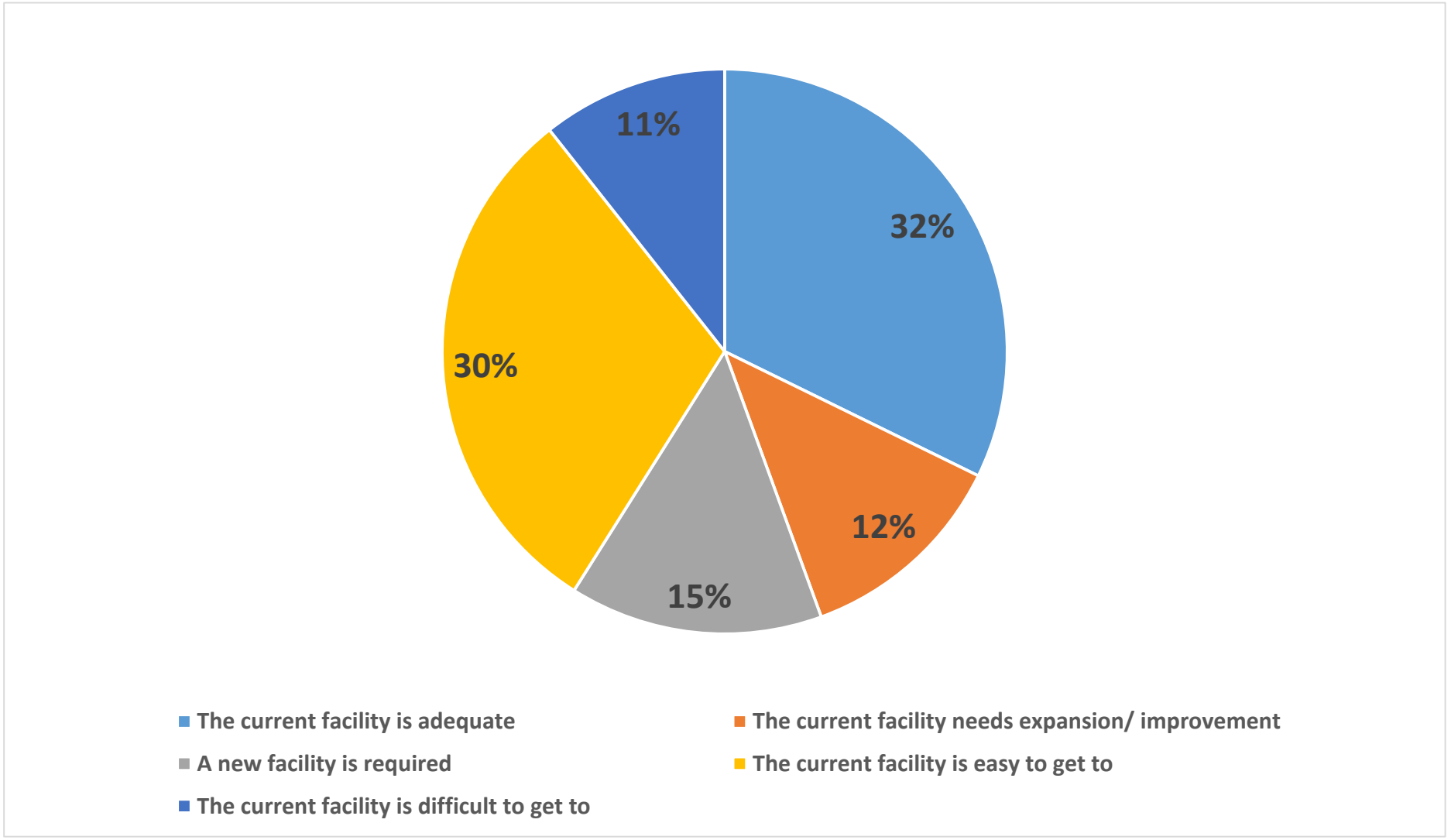
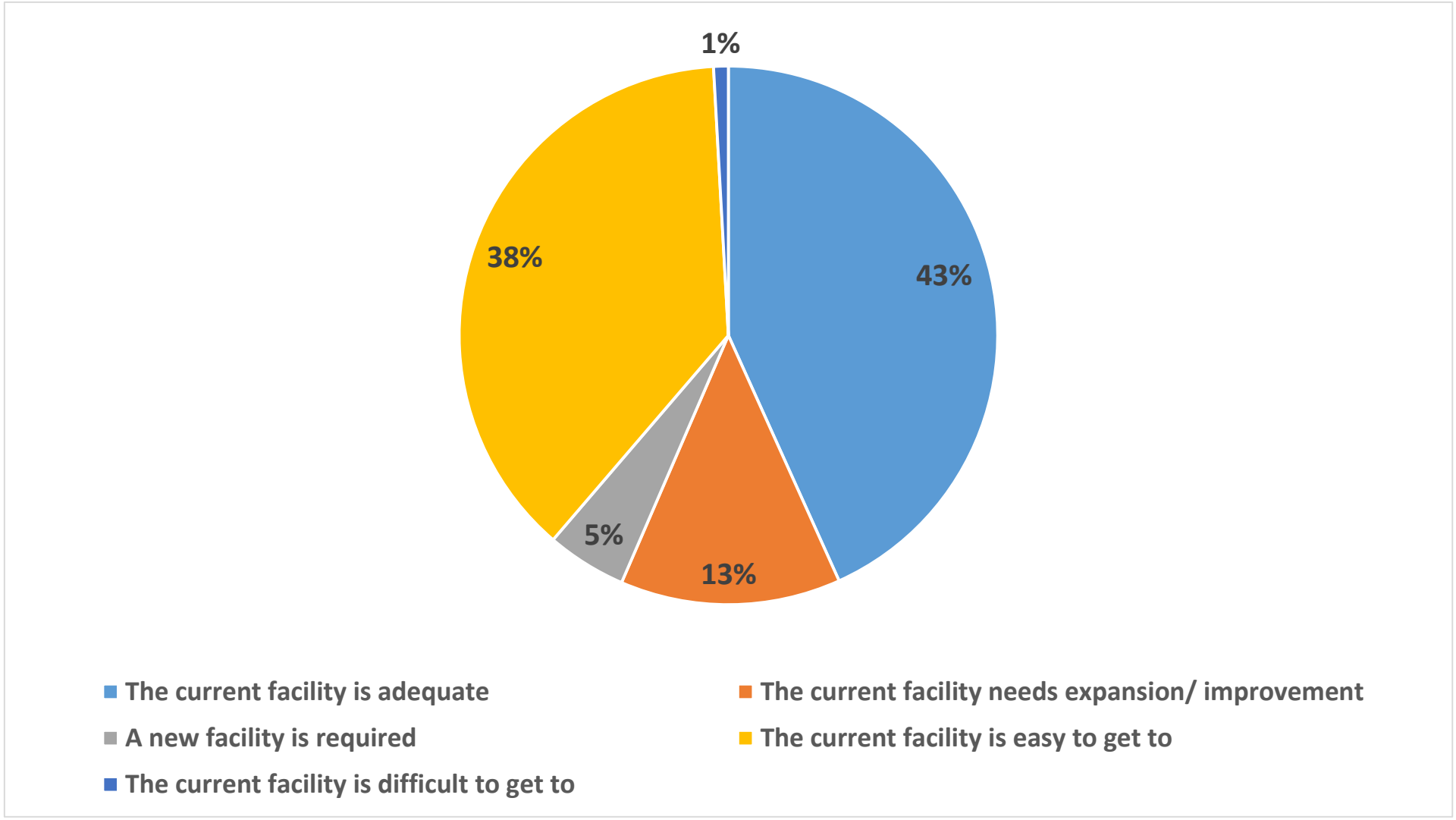
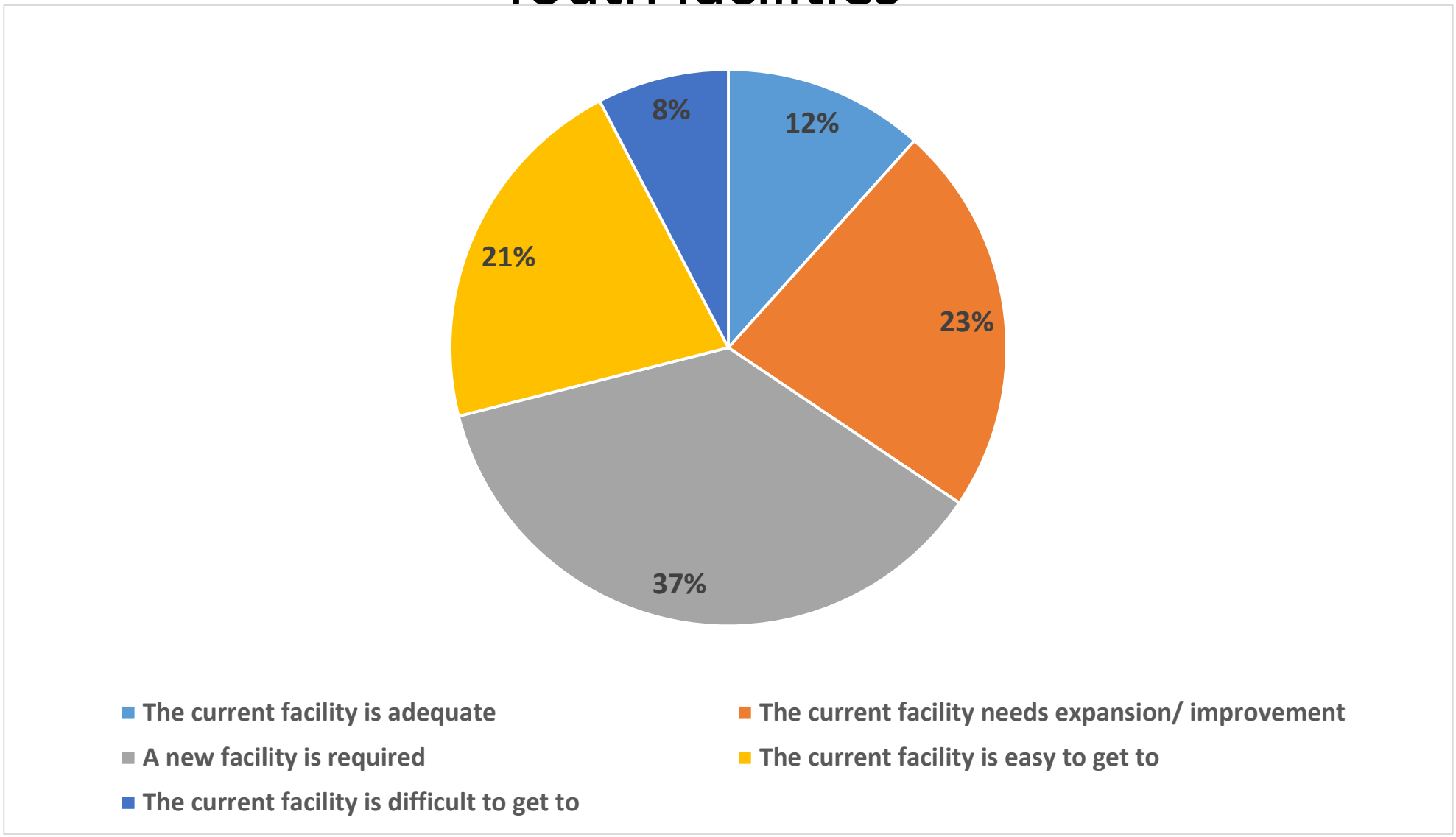


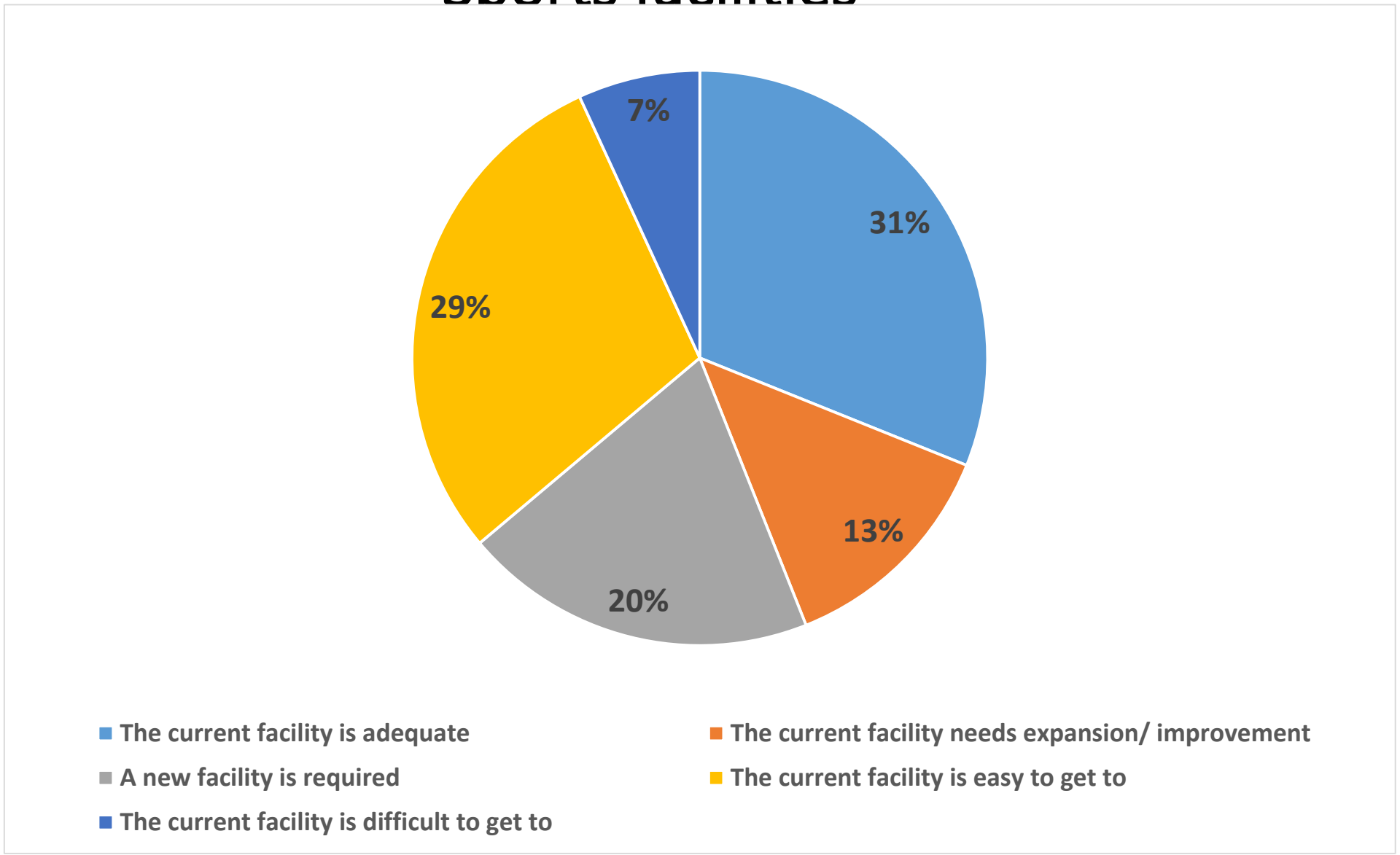
What are you views on the following services and facilities? Children's playgrounds



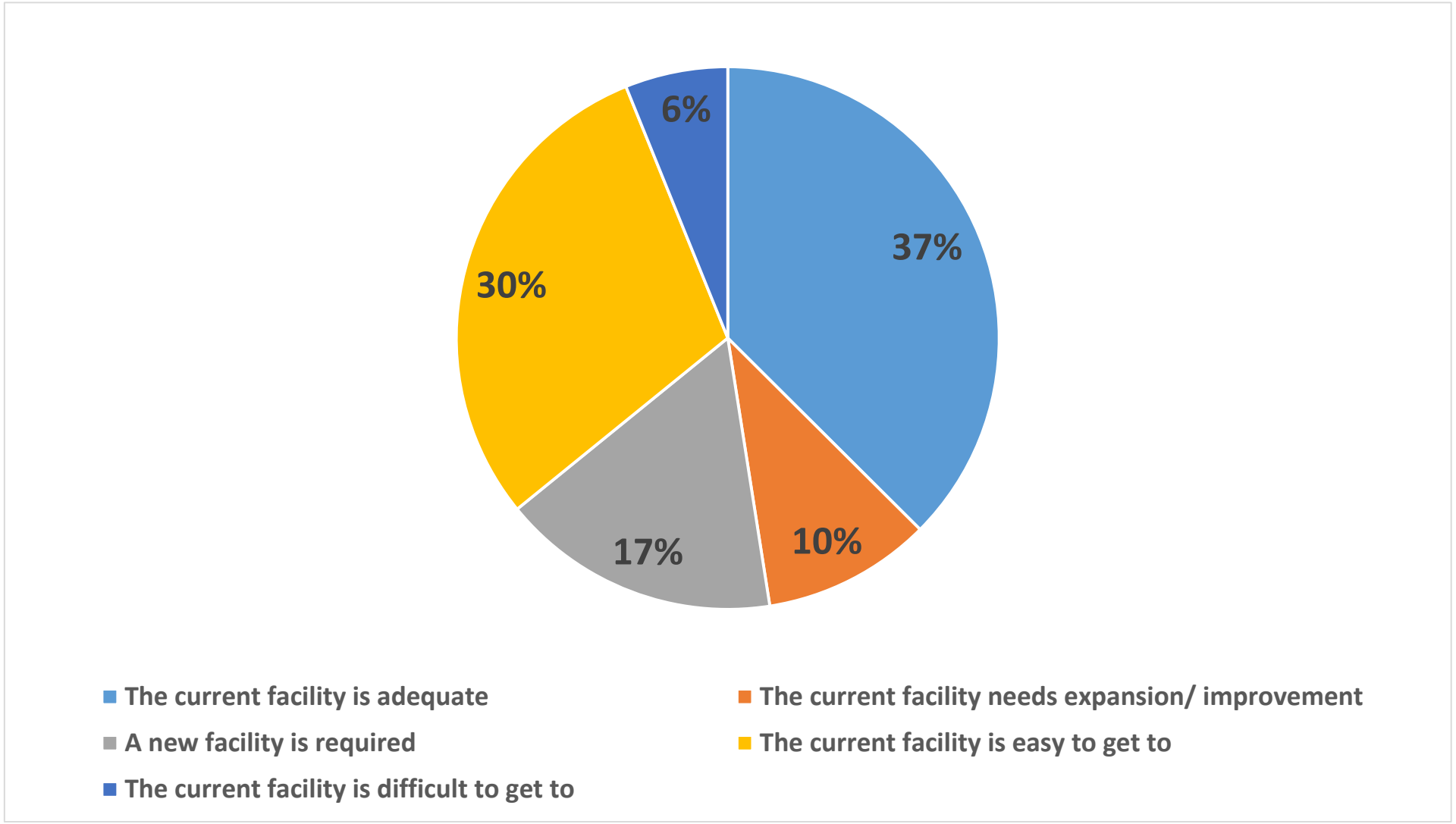
What are you views on the following services and facilities? Youth facilities



What are you views on the following services and facilities?
Sports facilities



What are you views on the following services and facilities? Dental facilities



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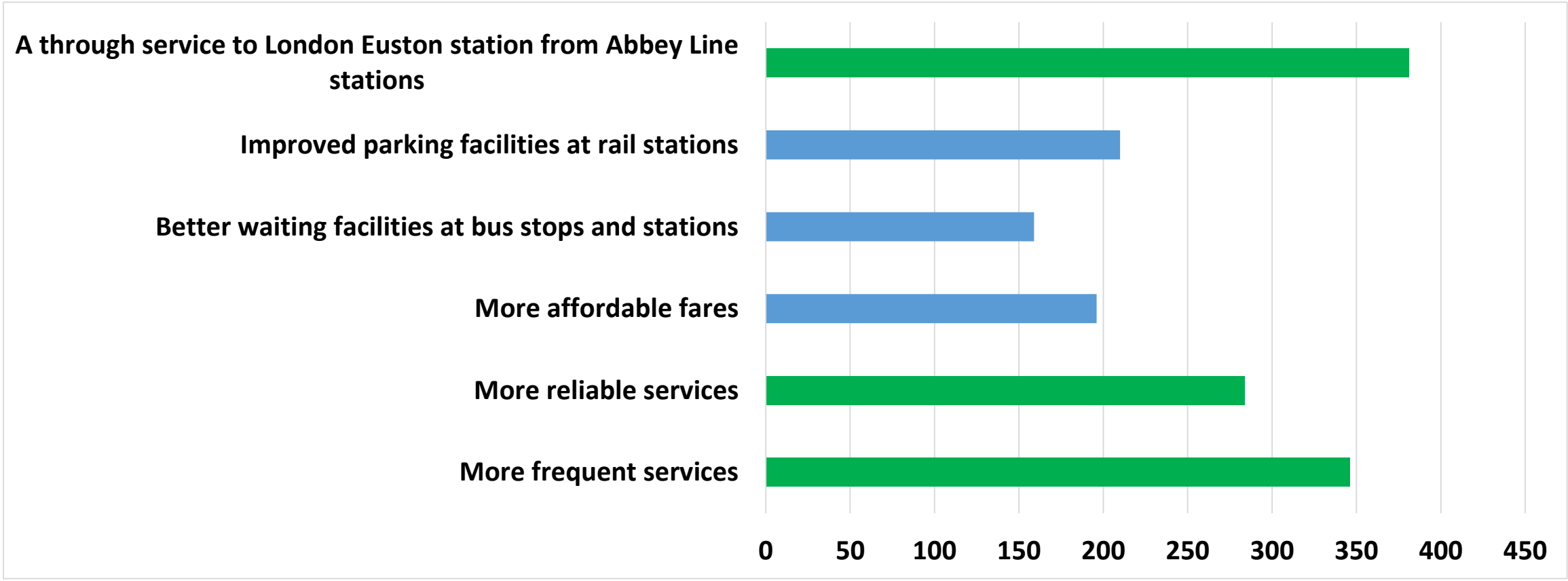
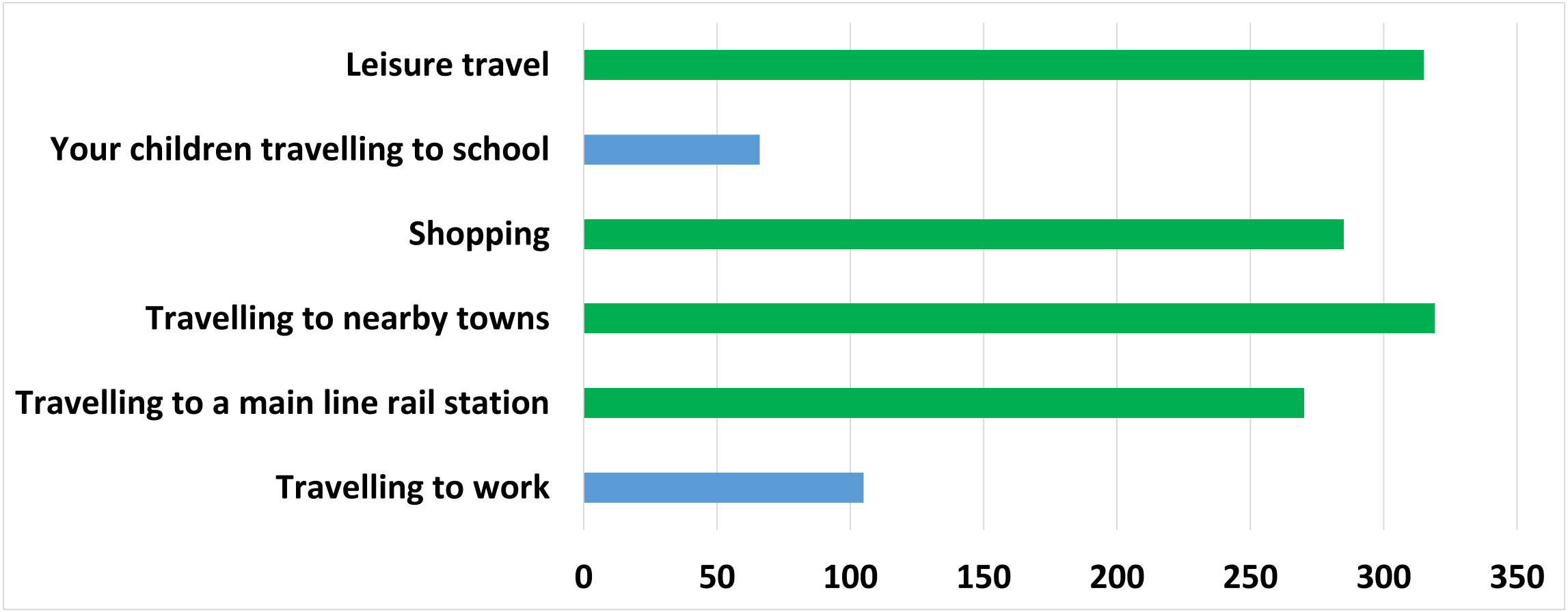
Transport

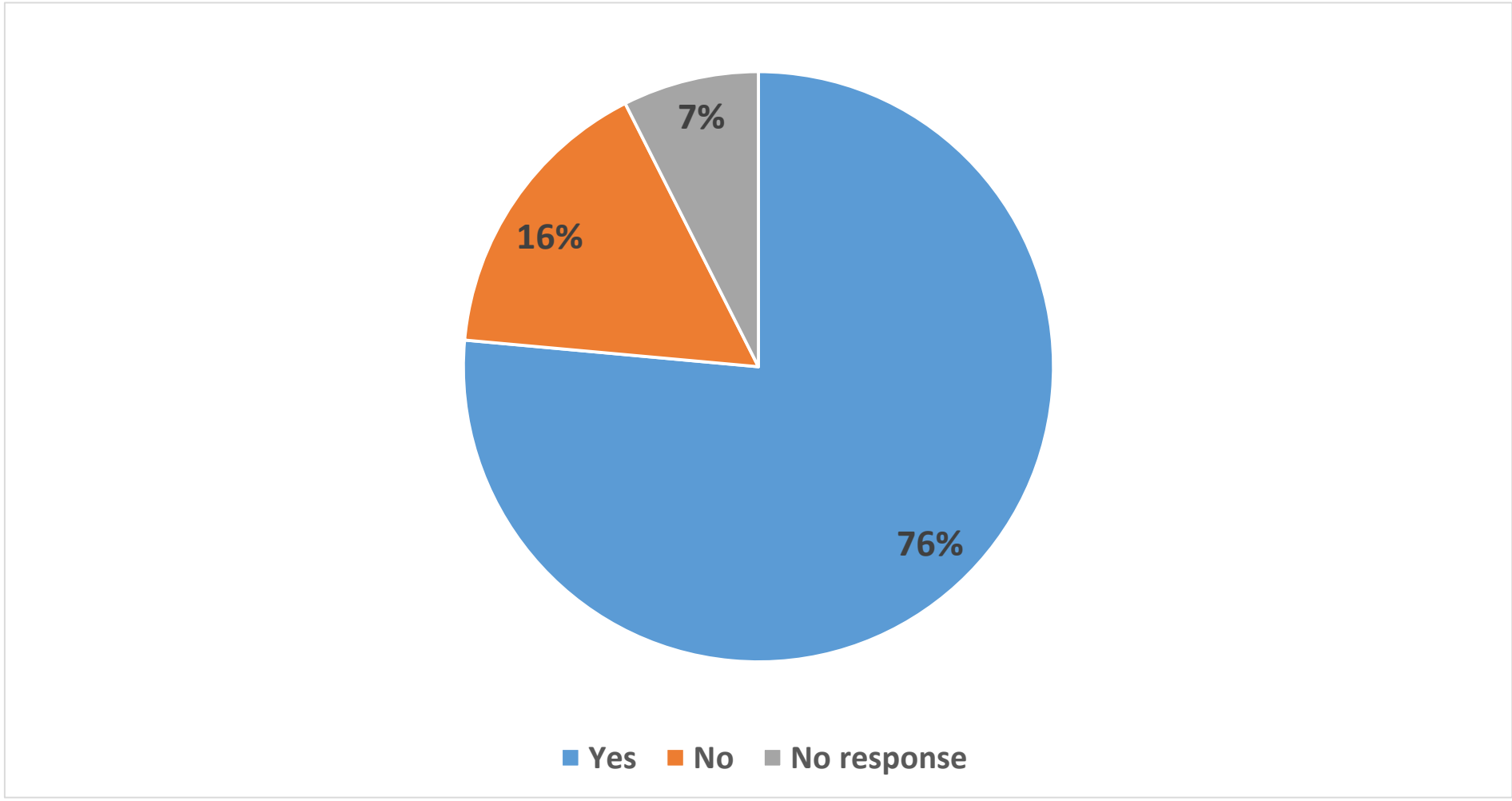
Which improvements would encourage you to use public transport (bus and / or train) more frequently?



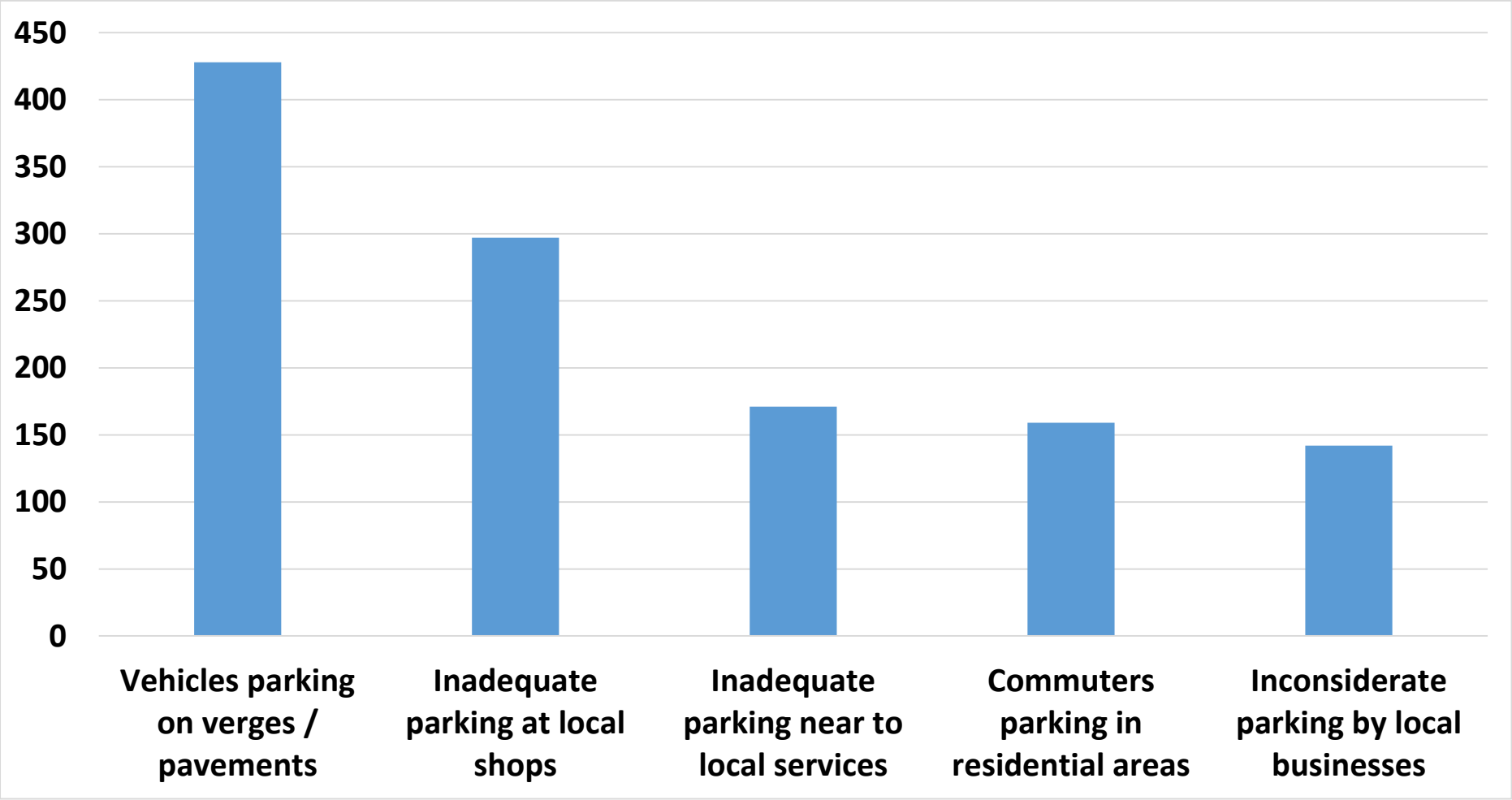
If improvements were made which type of journeys would you be more likely to use public transport for?



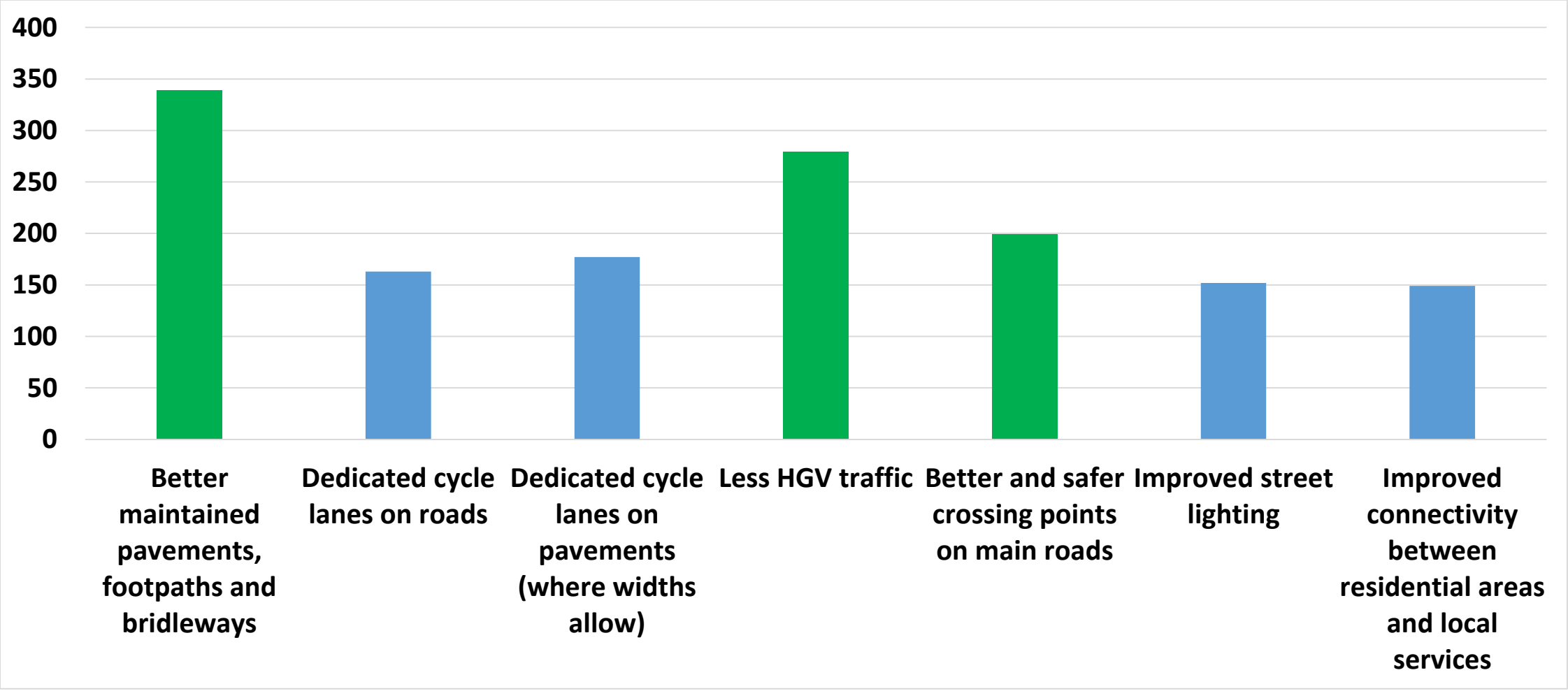
Would you support the introduction of traffic calming measures, such as flashing speed signs or reduced speed limits on certain roads?



Parking: Do you consider any of the following to be a problem?



Which of the following improvements would encourage you to walk or cycle more?



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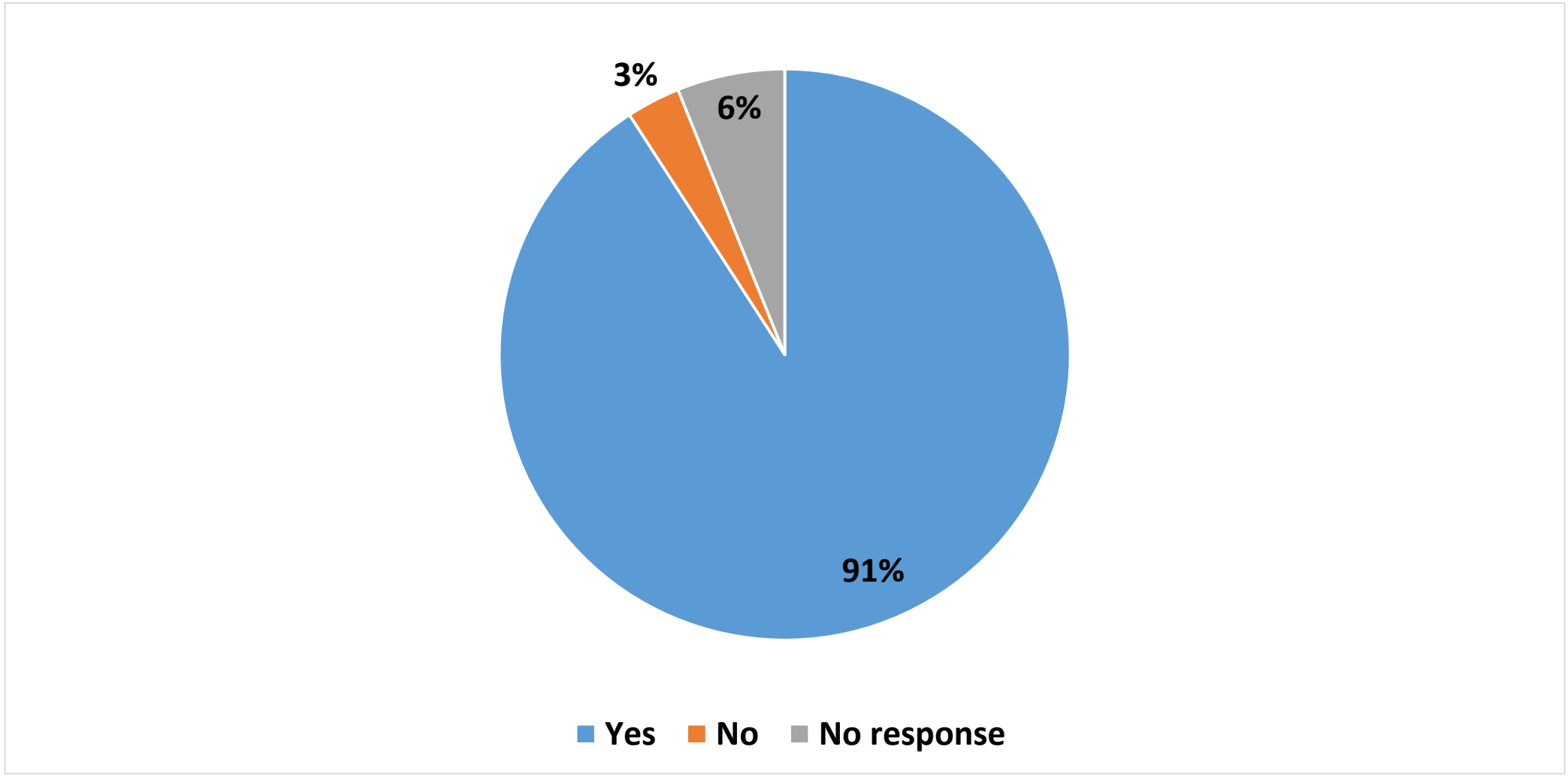
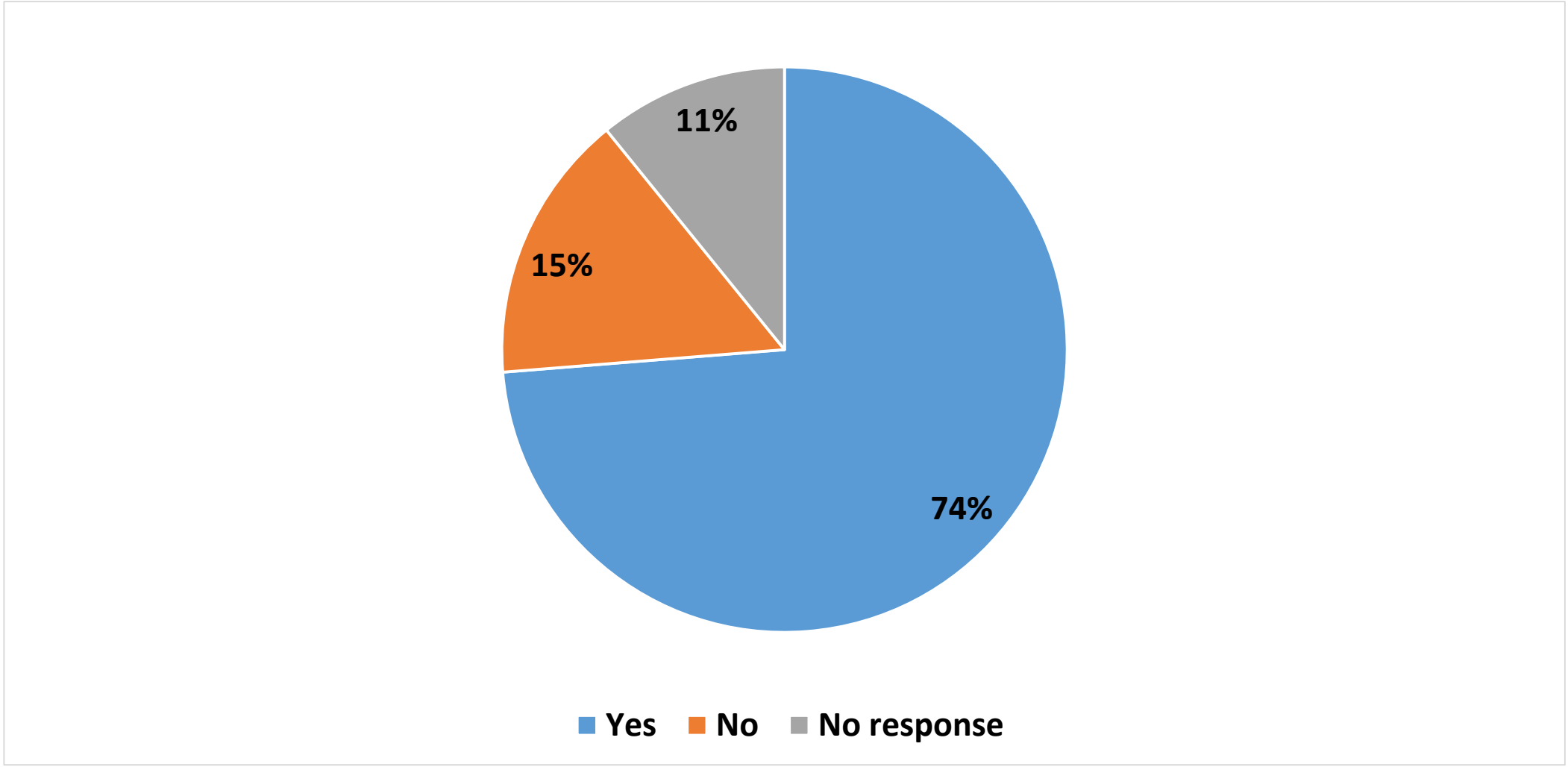
Businesses

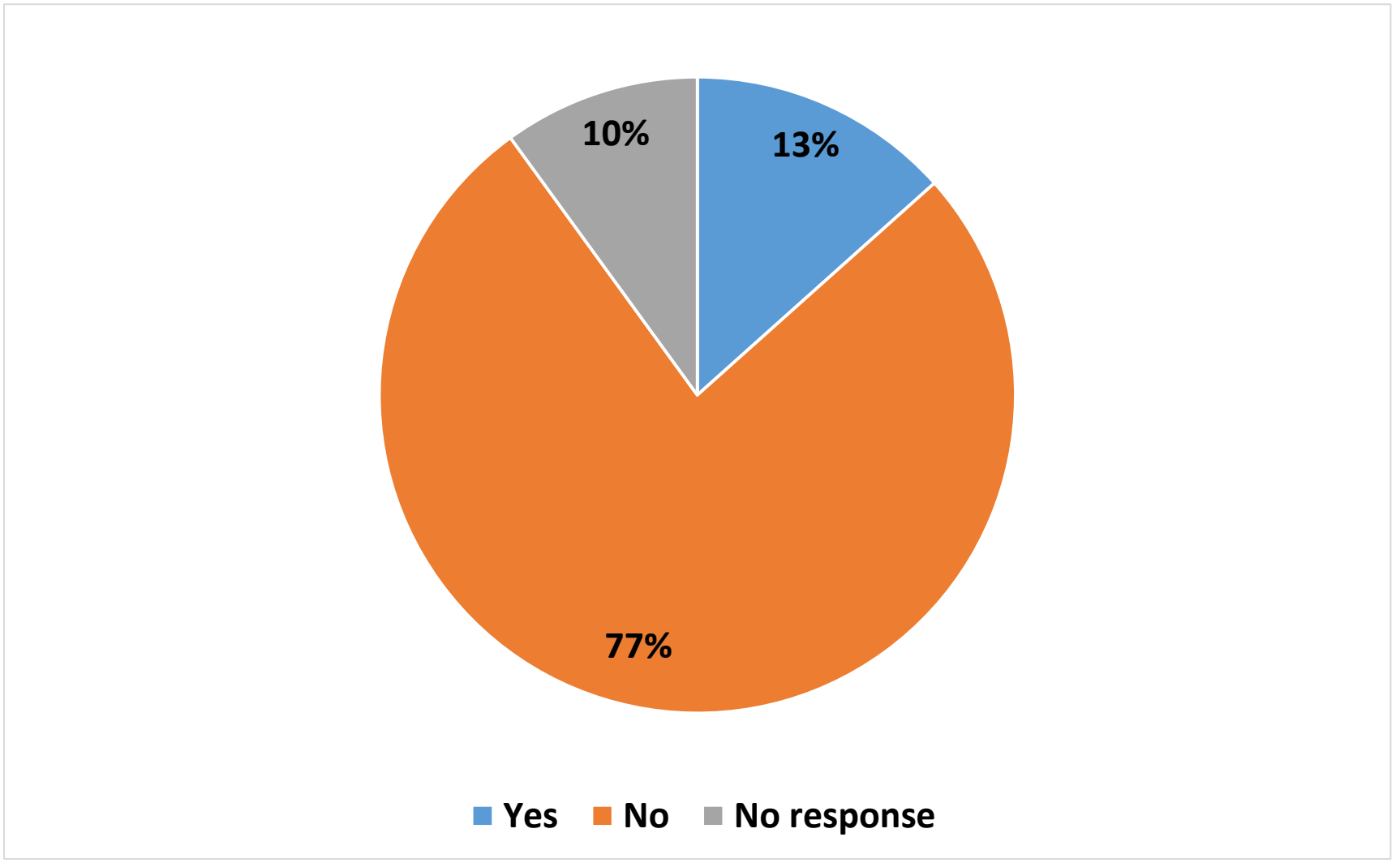
Do you support the protection and development of local retail businesses?



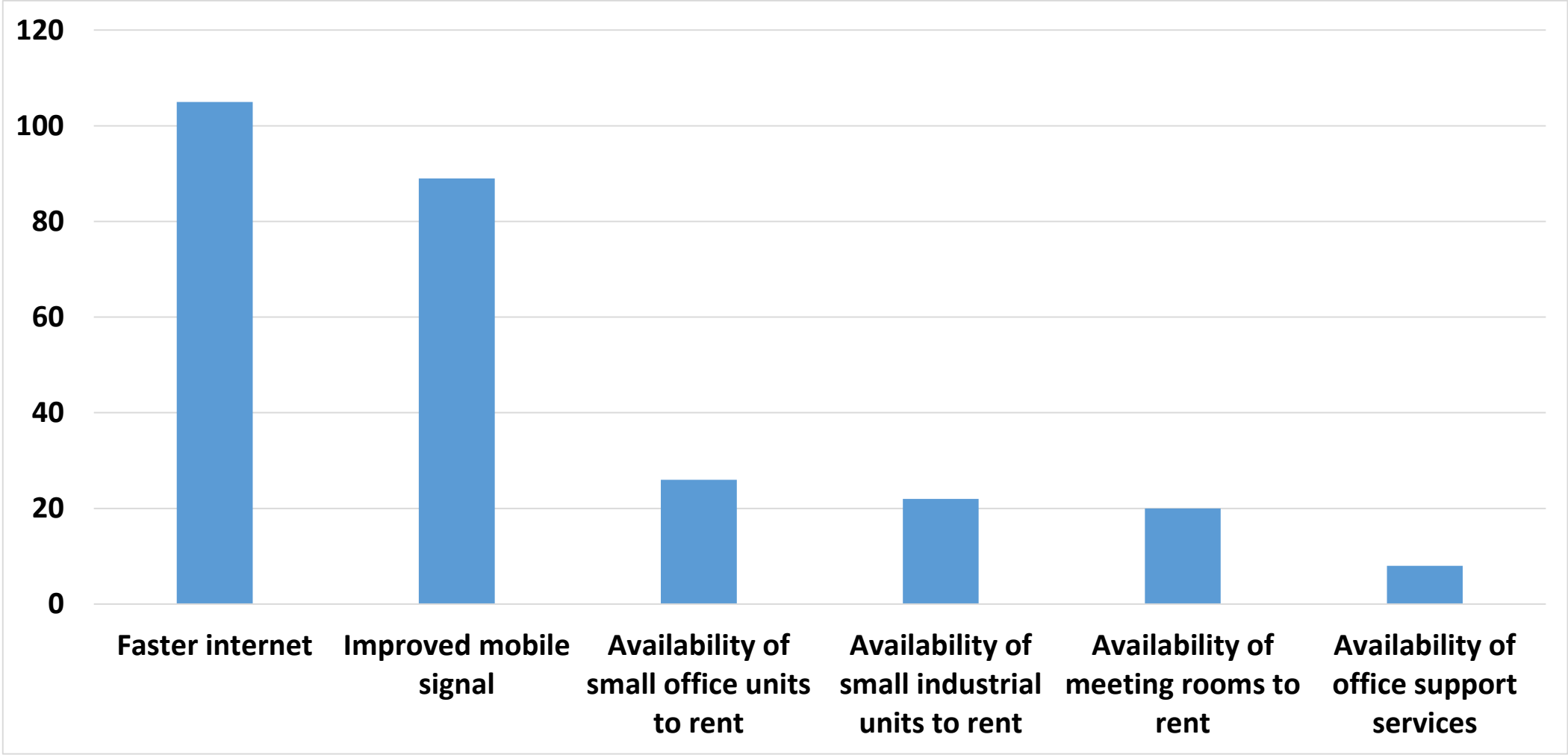
Do you support the development of businesses that could provide local employment?



Do you run a business from home?



If yes, do you have any employees?

- 10 home-based businesses have employees:
  - 1 employee: 4 companies
  - 2 employees 2 companies
  - 5 employees: 1 company
  - 7 employees: 1 company
  - 80 employees: 1 company
  - 26 didn’t specify

Which of the following would support your business activities?