

Māpua and Tasman Communities Residential Survey 2022 - Transport

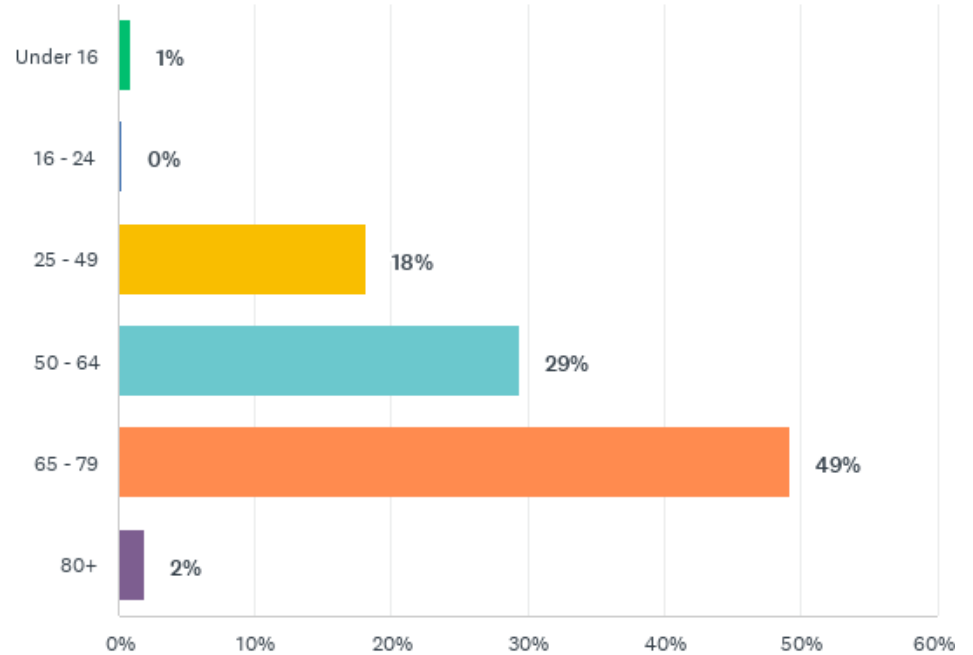
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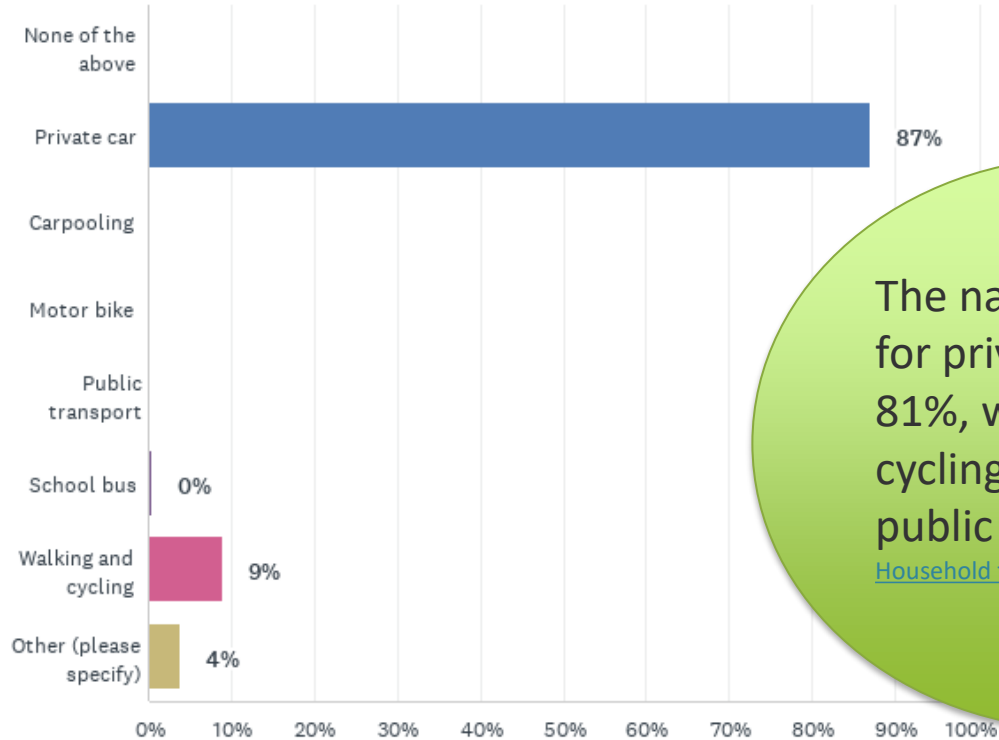
Total Responses

March 15 to April 16, 2022

Age profile of respondents
(repeated for reference)



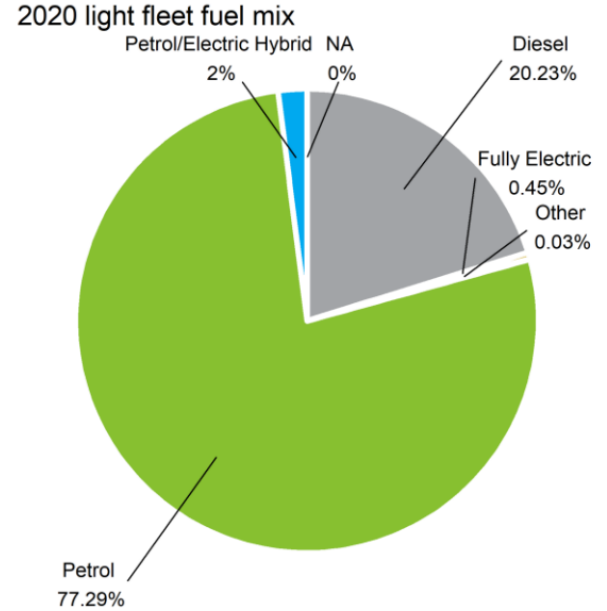
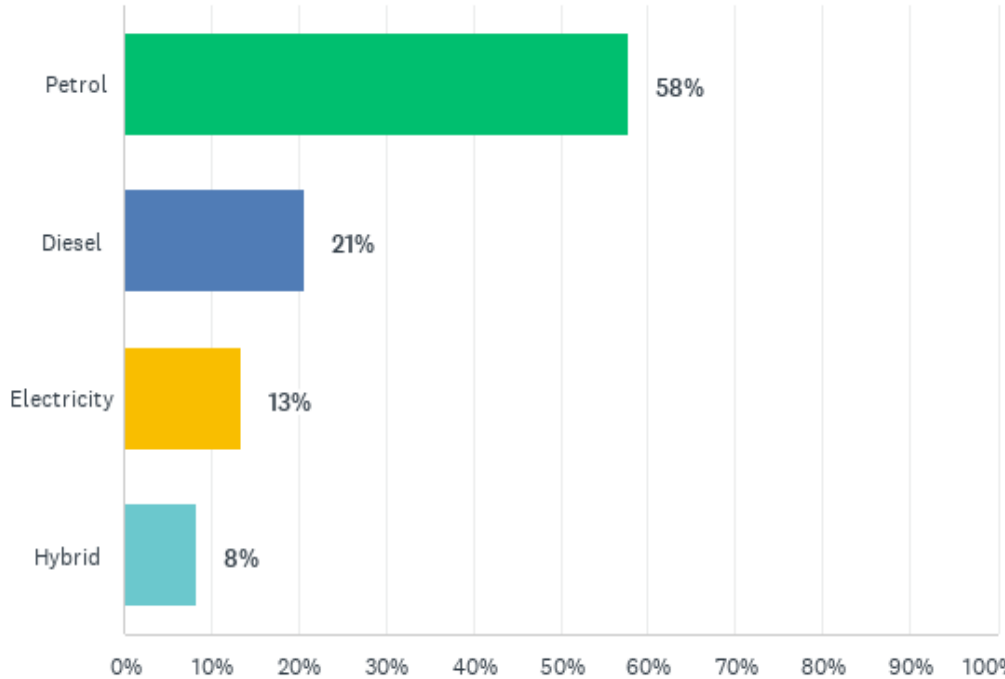
People's main means of transport is still the private car (87%)



The national average for private car trips is 81%, walking and cycling is 15% and public transport is 3%.

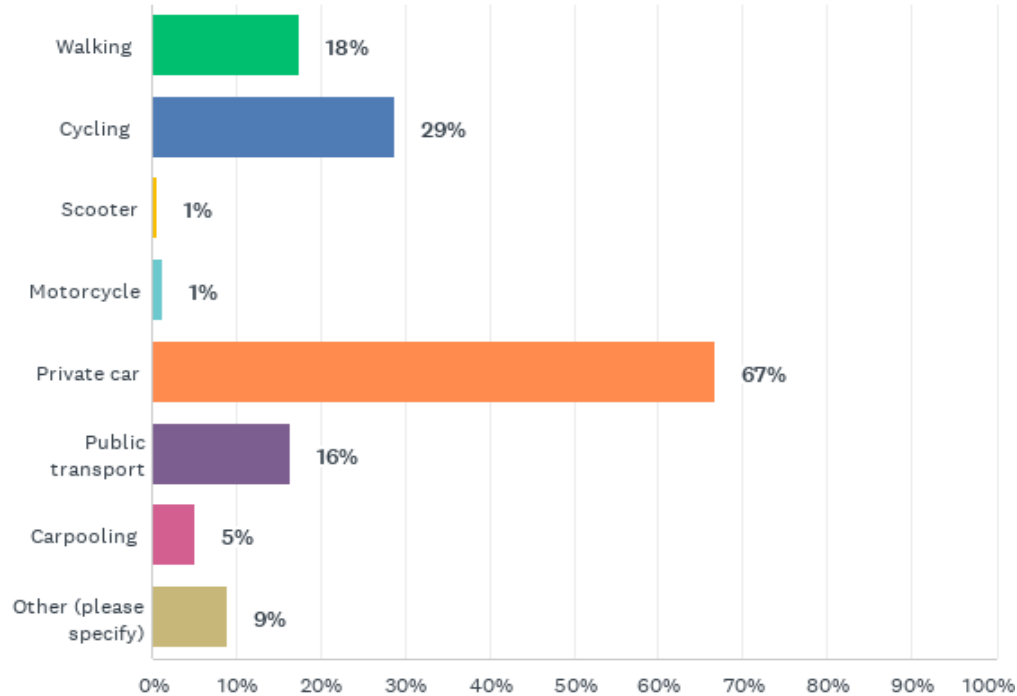
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Main fuel sources for private cars: Our area is 8.4 times higher than the national average for EV ownership (30 times higher for fully electric)

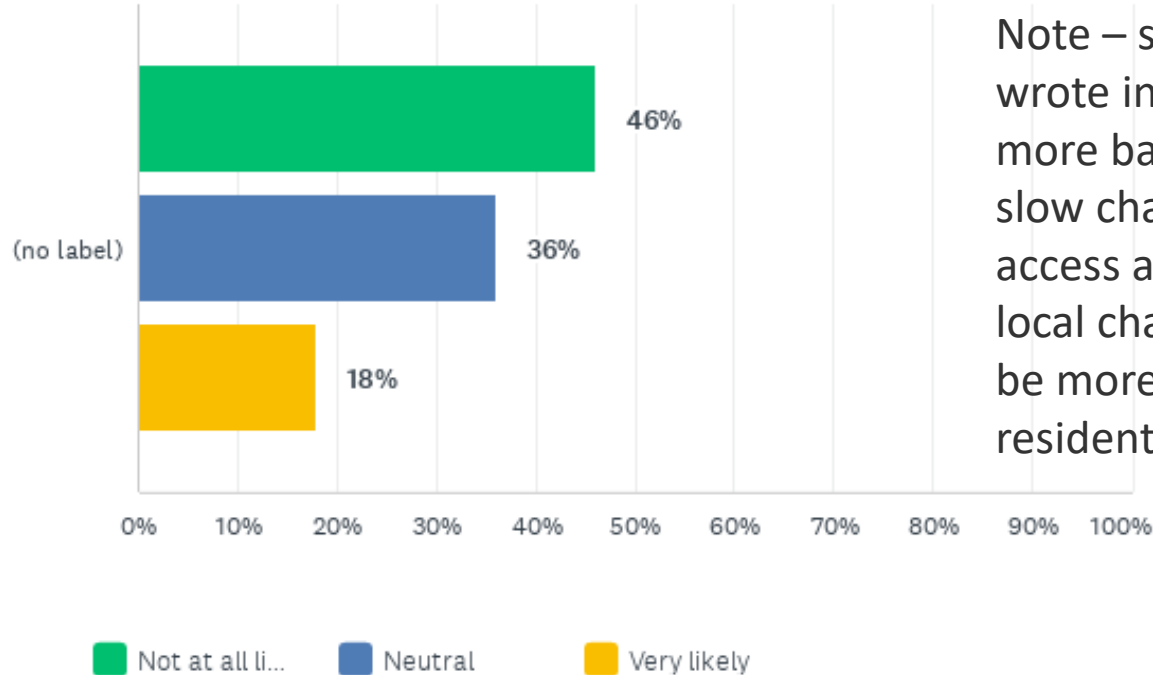


[AnnualFleetStatistics.pdf \(transport.govt.nz\)](#)

Ideal modes of transport are more varied featuring cycling, walking and public transport in addition to private cars

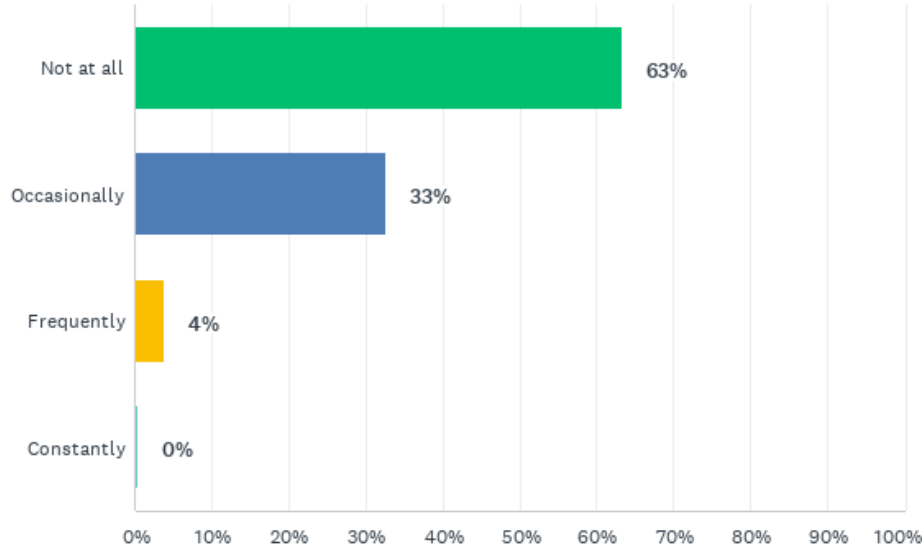


Likelihood of using an electric vehicle charging station in Māpua in the next 12 months



Note – several respondents wrote in that they prefer the more batter-friendly long and slow charge options they can access at home, and that a local charging station would be more useful for non-residents.

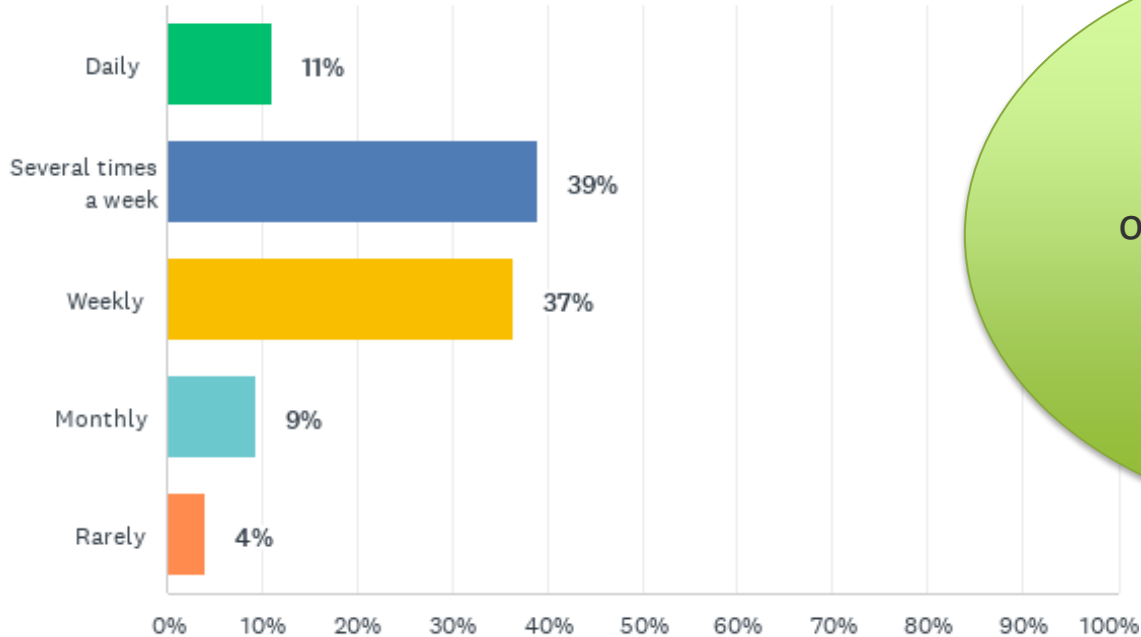
Q26: To what extent is your choice of activities currently restricted by a lack of suitable public transport?



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respondents said they
would use public
transport if it was
available
*Public transport use
increases with age and
petrol prices*

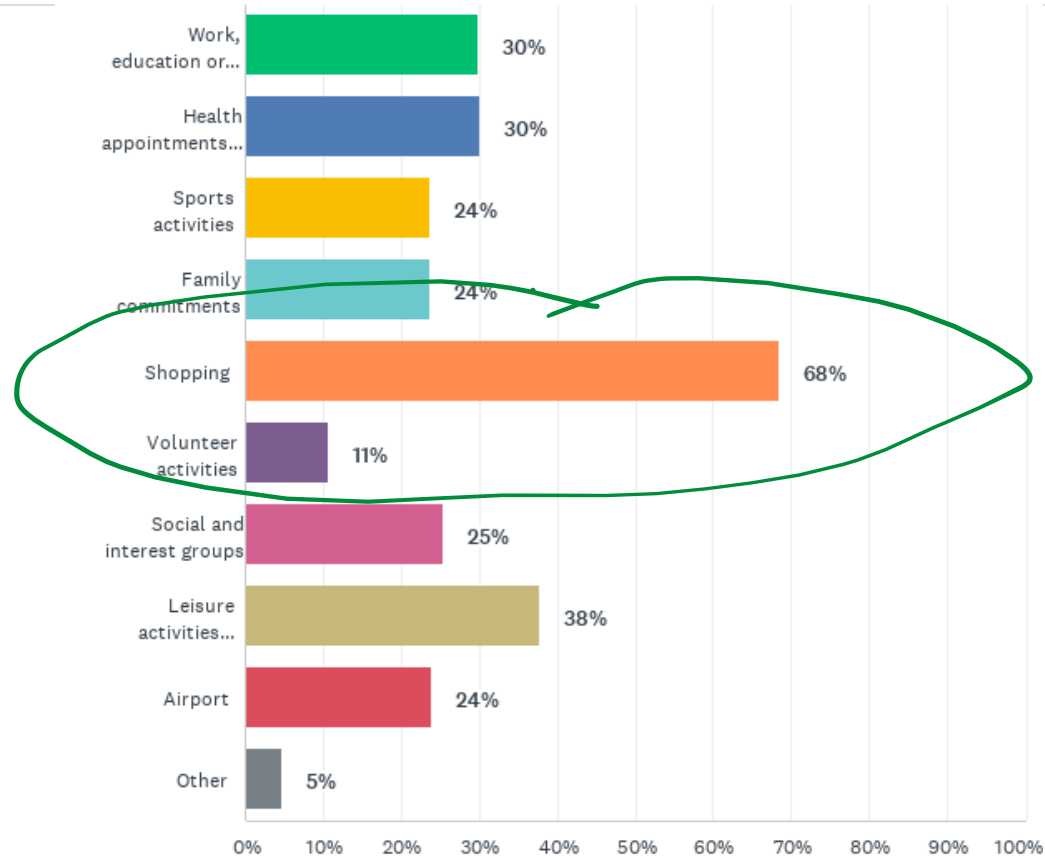
Q27: How often do you travel outside the local area?

Answered: 290 Skipped: 29

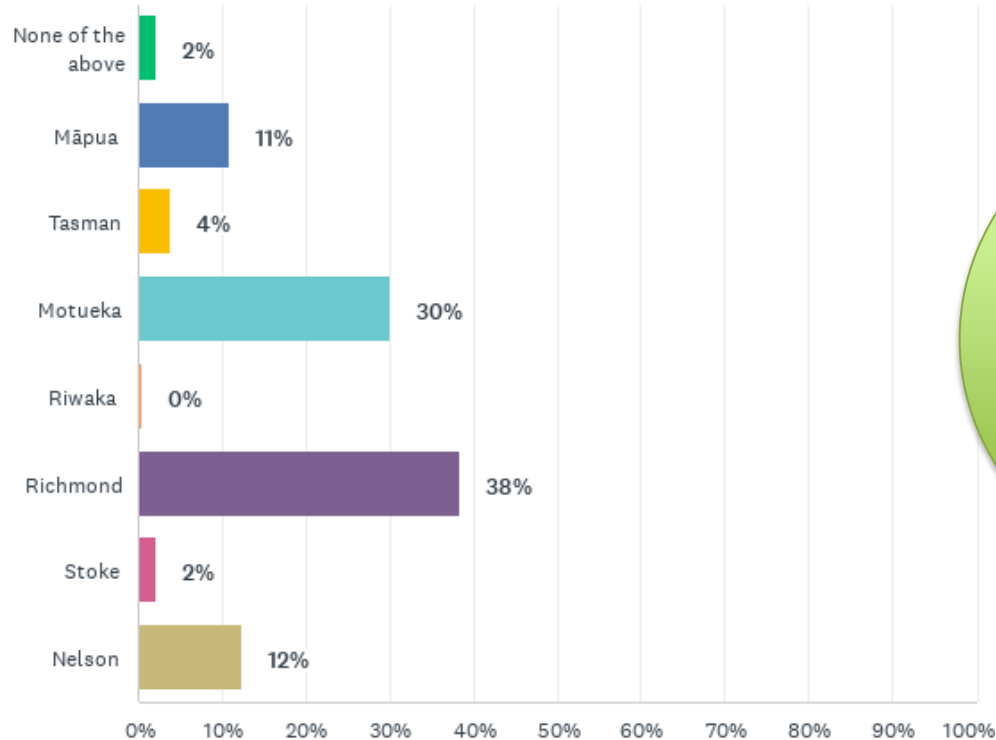


Daily or weekly travel
out of the local area is the
norm

Q28: What would be your main reasons for travelling outside the local area?



Q29: Where is your main destination when travelling from home?



Residents are driving East and West in roughly equal numbers.

In summary:

Mapua and Tasman residents currently rely on private vehicles for regular transport outside the local area. While electronic vehicles are in much greater use here than in the whole of New Zealand, petrol and diesel are still our main fuel sources.

There is significant demand for suitable public transport in both directions: to Motueka and Richmond/Nelson.

People would also like to be able to walk and cycle for regular shopping needs

Mapua District Community Association and the Tasman Area Community Association

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