

Attachment 2 – Summary of Public Questionnaire Results

In November, 2021, a public questionnaire was launched to obtain feedback and opinions on targeted questions about outstanding Council directives. 720 responses to the questionnaire were received, with 619 reaching the end. This questionnaire was available for a month and hosted on the City’s website. It was promoted through corporate social media and mailing lists. The survey respondents were not chosen by a sampling method, and the results listed below are not controlled or weighted. The feedback and opinions of those who answered the questionnaire may not necessarily be representative of the opinions of the general population of Toronto.

1. Have you ever contacted the City of Toronto about a property standards issue with your property or a neighbouring property?
 - 37% Yes
 - 63% No

Surveillance Cameras

2. Are you at all concerned with the use of surveillance cameras on neighbouring private properties, which may be recording beyond that property?
 - 44% Concerned
 - 16% Neutral
 - 40% Not concerned
3. Should the City introduce guidelines for the use of surveillance cameras on private property?
 - 61% Agree
 - 23% Neutral
 - 16% Disagree

Snow and Ice Removal

4. Are you concerned with timely snow and ice removal on private property in Toronto, including multi-unit residential towers, and non-residential properties?
 - 74% Concerned
 - 11% Neutral
 - 15% Not concerned

Right of Entry

5. To what extent are you concerned with neighbours seeking access to adjoining lands to make repairs or alterations to their property?
 - 48% Concerned
 - 25% Neutral
 - 26% Not concerned

Dormant Development Sites

6. To what extent are you concerned with the security and safety of dormant development sites in Toronto (for example, securing the property with fencing)?
 - 63% Concerned
 - 25% Neutral
 - 12% Not concerned

Vacant-Derelict Properties

Buildings that are left unattended for prolonged periods of time may fall into disrepair and be hazardous. When this happens, the property is subject to regulations in the Vacant or Hazardous Property Bylaw (Toronto Municipal Code, [Chapter 632](#)). How satisfied are you with the security and safety measures of vacant buildings below:

7. Securing the building with fencing?

- 31% Satisfied
- 35% Neutral
- 34% Not satisfied

8. Covering/blocking up all windows, doors and other openings?

- 32% Satisfied
- 40% Neutral
- 27% Not satisfied

9. Disconnecting all utilities serving the building?

- 29% Satisfied
- 58% Neutral
- 14% Not satisfied

10. Removing dangerous trees or branches?

- 31% Satisfied
- 37% Neutral
- 31% Not satisfied

11. How much more should the City do enhance the safety and security of vacant buildings in Toronto?

- 30% Much more
- 34% A little bit more
- 30% About the same
- 3% Not much more
- 3% None at all