

UPRIVER Kent County Survey – We Want To Hear From YOU!
SHORT 3 Question Survey

THE BACKGROUND

From January to May 2010, six community meetings were held throughout UPRIVER Kent County to hear from residents their ideas and hopes for our community. Many ideas were shared and we want to clarify on what was heard to move forward on Phase II of our community development work – applying for a grant to get the resources we need to continue.

THE SURVEY

If our community was given dollars to begin a long term project that would see the development of new jobs and bring resources into our community over the next 3 to 5 years ...what could that project look like...???

Focus Of Grant

Preserve and build on the knowledge, history, natural aspects (such as our landscape and recreation activities) and culture of our community so folks from outside the community want to come and visit **and/or** our community is producing goods for itself and our surrounding region.

1. Please check the types of activities or focuses you would like to see included. You can choose more than one.

River recreation activities - boating, tubing, kayaking/canoeing, fishing

Eco-tourism - greater appreciation of our natural habitat, promotion of recycling, energy efficiency, water conservation, enhance the cultural integrity of local people

Buy Local movement – Farmers Co-op, buying locally produced goods or services first over those produced from further distances

Sustainable Agriculture – Develop our environment and natural resource base, efficient use of nonrenewable resources, natural biological cycles, sustain the economic viability of farm operations

Trail systems – ATV, Horse-back riding, cross-country ski, biking, snowmobile, hiking

Multicultural Focus - centre, festivals and events

Historical Focus - centre, festivals and events

2. Do you have an idea that **does not** fit into the BROAD focuses mentioned above? If so, please describe it briefly in the space provided.

3. Are you interested in being a part of this next phase of our community development?
Yes No

**The results of this survey will be shared on www.upriver-news.ca
as well as in the Upriver Newsletter.**

We will be checking back with the community regularly to share where this process is at and offer opportunities to get involved in areas such as:

- Expertise on a particular area in our community
- Expertise on recreational activities
- Expertise on historic content
- Your stories/your families stories from living in our community
- Expertise on our surrounding environment – farming, fishing, tourism
- Cultural connections and unique qualities

**Each Upriver resident who completes a survey will have their name entered for
a prize draw for great local and regional goodies!**

How to return your survey

Email – Tina's Upriver email *****

Drop Off – Thompson's Store and ***** in the newsletter drop box

You can also complete this survey on line at www.upriver-news.ca

Name:

Tel:

Email:

Please note, if you don't leave your contact information we are not able to follow up with you.