



# Kennebunk Climate Action Survey Results



## Survey Demographics

### Age

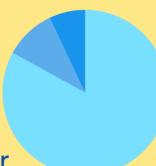
**23%** age 44 or younger



**77%**  
age 45 or  
older

### Residence

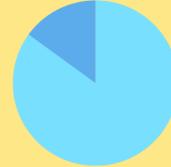
**7%**  
seasonal  
residents  
**10%** other



**83%**  
full-time  
residents

### Response Method

**15%** paper responses



**85%**  
online  
responses

## Concerns About Climate

**74%**

were **very** or **extremely concerned** that climate change will affect Kennebunk over the coming decades.

### Top 3 Expected Climate-Related Impacts:

#### 1. Natural environment

Over 70% level of concern



#### 2. Infrastructure

Over 70% level of concern



#### 3. Economy & jobs

38% level of concern overall. Higher concern among paper surveys (49%) and income less than \$59k (56%).



### Items of High Concern:

reported by 75% of all respondents



- 1. Flooding**
- 2. Erosion**



- 3. Changes to the natural environment**

**< 8%** of all respondents and only **3%** of younger respondents **did not expect** to see any climate change related impacts.

## Learning More

Respondents are **interested in learning more** about:



- Options for recycling electronics**
- Safer routes for biking and walking**
- Community gardens**
- Community solar, adding solar panels, & weatherizing homes**



Most attractive **learning methods**:



- Town newsletters**
- Websites**
- Newspaper**

