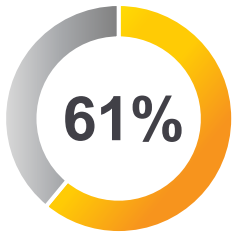


# Subgroup: Non-Davidson County (n= Varies)

(Respondents with home zip codes in Cheatham, Rutherford, Sumner, Williamson, Wilson)



## Positives and Negatives in Nashville



The percentage of **things that are positive** in Nashville.

### Top-5 Positives in Nashville

Selection rate for the top 3 positives among 16 options

- 48% Good restaurants, shopping, entertainment
- 36% Lots of jobs/economic opportunity
- 32% Vibrant downtown/venues/events/activities
- 32% Creative gathering place for music, artists, etc.
- 25% Good outdoor rec., parks and green spaces

### Top-5 Negatives in Nashville

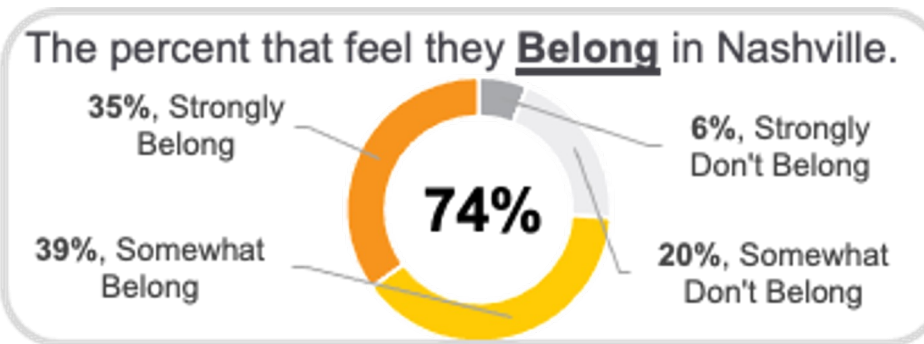
Selection rate for the top 3 negatives among 13 options

- 62% Traffic/congestion/it's hard to get around
- 43% Lack of affordable housing/shortage/cost
- 35% High cost of living
- 32% Lack of public transportation
- 31% Too much growth/not being managed well

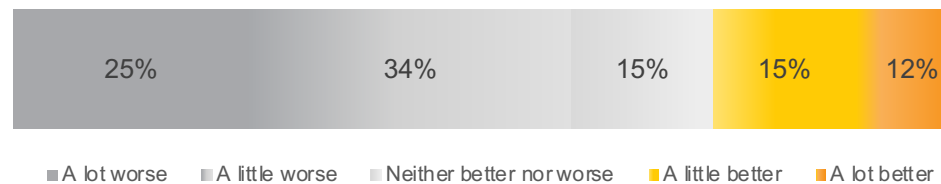
## Top-2 Favorite Visions For Nashville

Selection rate for the most and second most favorite vision among 5 visions

- 58% The Connected City
- 49% Nashville's Neighborhoods are its Stars
- 45% Nashville is Home... The Place of Inclusion and Belonging
- 28% Creativity, Innovation, and Entrepreneurship Supercenter
- 21% Music and Arts Epicenter



## Growth Impact on Nashville

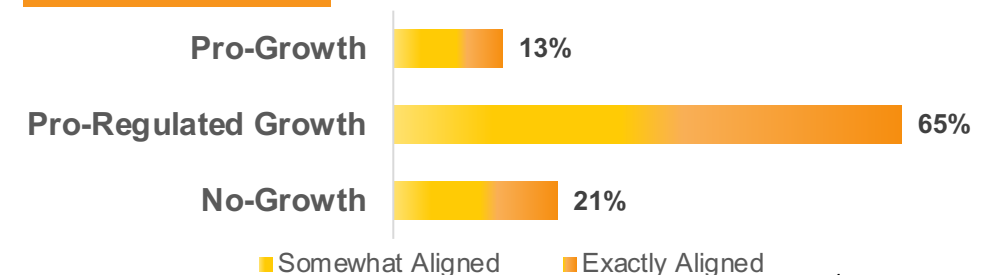


## 10 Very Important Neighborhood Features

Selection rate for the top 10 out of 15 respondent-selected features

- Affordable housing options 66%
- Parks and green spaces 62%
- Grocery stores 61%
- Sidewalks with good lighting on both sides of every street 56%
- Schools 54%
- Police presence/Crime prevention resources 54%
- Entertainment/restaurants 49%
- Access to public transportation 45%
- Bikeable and walkable throughout 45%
- Hospital 43%

## Growth Orientation



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## Housing

### Top-2 Goals For Housing

Selection rate for the most and second most important goals among 5 goals

- 49% Ensure we are building a variety of housing options in all our neighborhoods to reduce housing shortages and lower housing costs
- 47% Ensure low-cost housing options are equally available to people of all walks of life
- 40% Make sure there is plenty of affordable housing in the communities of Nashville for people who keep the city going (musicians, artists, teachers, firefighters, police officers, etc.)
- 37% Ensure people can afford to stay in their homes and are not being forced out
- 27% Eliminate homelessness

### Housing Priorities

Mean score on a scale of 1-Not at all important to 10- Extremely Important

- 8.1 Increase affordable housing requirements and incentives for developers to make sure they generate more affordable housing options
- 8.0 Create more community partnerships and programs making more housing more affordable for more people
- 7.5 Provide more buyer/renter assistance and support to get people into housing and help them stay there
- 7.4 Build more homes to increase the housing supply which will bring down housing prices and help meet demand
- 7.1 Build more compact and less expensive housing closer to where people live, work, and play

## Education

### Top-2 Goals For Education

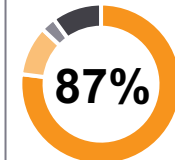
Selection rate for the most and second most important goals among 5 goals

- 55% Ensure they have the skills they will need to be successful in the workplace
- 54% Ensure they can support themselves as an adult in the real world
- 53% Provide a way to lift children out of poverty and level the playing field for their future
- 27% Ensure they are well informed and able to engage in civic and political matters in their community
- 11% Ensure they are prepared for college

### Education Priorities

Mean score on a scale of 1-Not at all important to 10- Extremely Important

- 9.1 Improve teacher quality through better recruitment, compensation, training, etc.
- 8.8 Increase funding for public education (per pupil spending is way below comparable cities)
- 8.7 Increase access to affordable, high-quality childcare and early childhood education
- 8.7 Increase school safety
- 8.6 Focus on early childhood health and education—without a good start, chances for success go way down
- 8.4 Increase personalized student focus and support to teach kids in ways that best fit their individual needs
- 8.1 Focus on failing schools to do whatever is needed to turn them around
- 8.1 Focus on modernizing our school facilities and materials—every child deserves a clean and up-to-date place to learn
- 7.5 Increase the schooling choice and options available to parents to make sure their child gets the best education



Agree with the statement **Investing in public education is an important priority for Nashville**

## Mobility

### Top-2 Goals For Mobility

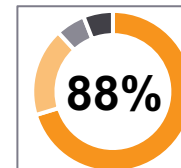
Selection rate for the most and second most important goals among 4 goals

- 83% Make it easier to get around Nashville—to and from downtown and from one place to another in the region (connecting different parts of the City and Downtown better)
- 52% Ensure everyone has good access to downtown and the important parts of the region—make transportation options equally accessible to all across Nashville/Davidson Co.
- 40% Improve transportation safety and reduce crashes and personal injuries
- 25% Make it easier to get around inside the neighborhoods and communities where people live

### Mobility Priorities

Mean score on a scale of 1-Not at all important to 10- Extremely Important

- 9.3 Reduce traffic congestion
- 9.0 Improve and increase public transportation availability and options throughout the city (light rail, bus rapid transit, expanded bus service)
- 8.6 Improve road maintenance and operations on existing roads
- 8.1 Promote flexible and remote work schedules to reduce the need and impact of commuting
- 8.0 Construct new street and highway improvements to better connect parts of the city
- 7.7 Improve bicycle and pedestrian connectivity and infrastructure across the city and in the surrounding communities (bikeable streets, sidewalks, greenway and trail networks, etc.)



Agree with the statement **Investing in city-wide public transportation is an important priority for Nashville**