



The City of Littleton 2026 Resident Survey

Supplemental Report
Open-Participation Survey Results
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Executive Summary

Survey Design

As part of the effort to provide residents the opportunity to rate the quality of life in Littleton and their satisfaction with community amenities and their local government, the City conducted a scientific survey of 6,391 households within city boundaries. Survey invitations were sent to randomly selected households in June 2026 and data were collected through July 27, 2026. The survey invitations also contained a URL where the survey could be completed online on Polco. After the official data collection period was underway (see the report, The Littleton Resident Survey Report 2026), the City of Littleton made available a web-based survey to its residents through a link on the City's website and other various communication avenues. Residents were able to complete the survey for two weeks in July 2026 and 268 residents responded. This report contains the results of this open participation administration of the web-based survey.

These data were not collected through a random sample and it is unknown who in the community was aware of link on the City's website; therefore, a level of confidence in the representativeness of the sample cannot be estimated. However, to reduce bias where possible, these data were weighted to match the demographic characteristics of the 2020 Census and 2024 American Community Survey estimates for adults in the City of Littleton. The primary objective of weighting survey data is to make the survey sample reflective of the larger population of the community. Survey results were weighted using the population norms to reflect the appropriate percent of those residents in the city. The variables used for weighting the household respondent data were gender, age, housing unit type (attached or detached), housing tenure (rent or own), and area of residence. No adjustments were made for design effects. The results of the weighting scheme are presented in the table on the following page.

Weighting the Data

The demographic characteristics of the survey respondents were compared to those of the 2020 Census and the American Community Survey 2024 5-year estimates. The primary objective of weighting survey data is to make the survey respondents reflective of the larger population of the community. The variables used for weighting were respondent gender, age, tenure (rent or own), housing unit type (attached or detached), and ethnicity. No adjustments were made for design effects.

Table 1: Littleton Resident Survey Weighting Table

Characteristic	Population Norm ¹	Unweighted Data	Weighted Data
Housing			
Rent home	39%	8%	32%
Own home	61%	92%	68%
Detached unit ²	50%	82%	57%
Attached unit ²	50%	18%	44%
Race and Ethnicity			
White	83%	91%	88%
Not white	17%	9%	12%
Not Hispanic	88%	95%	88%
Hispanic	12%	5%	13%
Sex and Age			
Female	52%	67%	56%
Male	48%	33%	44%
18-34 years of age	27%	6%	20%
35-54 years of age	30%	27%	33%
55+ years of age	42%	67%	47%
Females 18-34	13%	3%	9%
Females 35-54	15%	19%	21%
Females 55+	23%	45%	26%
Males 18-34	14%	3%	11%
Males 35-54	15%	8%	12%
Males 55+	19%	22%	21%
Council District³			
District 1	24%	16%	22%
District 2	23%	20%	22%
District 3	26%	27%	26%
District 4	27%	37%	30%

¹ Source: 2020 Census

² ACS 2024 5-year estimates

³ Source: List of randomly selected households identified as in the City boundaries, purchased on June 2026.

Responses to Survey Questions

The following pages contain the results to the “open participation” survey; that is, the community-wide survey that was open for participation by all Littleton residents. This section also includes the results from the scientific survey for comparative purposes.

Table 2: Question 1

Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Littleton as a place to live	93%	91%
Your neighborhood as a place to live	90%	89%
Littleton as a place to raise children	89%	89%
Littleton as a place to retire	73%	66%
Littleton as a place to work	79%	70%
	B	
Overall quality of life in Littleton	90%	87%
Safety in Littleton	83%	75%
	B	

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Table 3: Question 2

What are your reasons for living in Littleton? (Please select all that apply.)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
I feel safe here	51%	43%
Littleton is welcoming	B	
I like the Downtown	33%	29%
I've always lived here	56%	58%
I am close to where I work	16%	25%
I attend school in Littleton		A
I like my neighborhood	26%	22%
I have transportation options	3%	1%
It is affordable to live in Littleton	67%	64%
I like Littleton's small town feel	22%	13%
I like living in a college town	B	
I like the parks, trails, and open space	17%	11%
I have friends and family in the area	B	
I like Littleton's sense of community	51%	52%
Littleton has diverse types of housing	2%	1%
I like the school my children attend	70%	68%
Other	44%	44%
	36%	36%
	10%	9%
	15%	18%
	8%	9%

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

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Table 4: Question 3

Please identify up to three issues you believe are the most pressing issues facing Littleton in the next two years. (Select up to 3 items)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Workforce Attraction	4%	3%
Traffic in general	35%	32%
Business retention	10%	5%
	B	
Neighborhoods	5%	4%
Trails	3%	8%
		A
Community Engagement	4%	8%
		A
Parking	8%	14%
		A
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	29%	25%
Aging or outdated commercial areas	13%	12%
Crime reduction	10%	14%
Business attraction	7%	6%
Tourism	2%	0%
Open space	7%	5%
Sewer & Stormwater System Projects	3%	4%
Main Street Improvements	7%	5%
Affordable housing/cost of living	41%	42%
Too much growth	27%	27%
Homeless population/homelessness	27%	29%
Maintenance of city properties/buildings	2%	2%
Bike and pedestrian safety (Safer Streets)	17%	20%
Environmental sustainability	10%	7%
Other	12%	12%

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

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Table 5: Question 4

Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Ease of driving	71%	66%
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	37%	30%
Ease of traveling by light rail	63%	66%
Ease of walking in the city	71%	69%
Ease of traveling by bicycle	70%	62%
	B	

Table 6: Question 5

Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton. (Percent very or somewhat safe)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Downtown Littleton during the day	99%	99%
Your neighborhood during the day	98%	99%
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	91%	91%

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Table 7: Question 6

Please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton. (Percent excellent or good)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Appearance of city	89%	80%
	B	
Shopping opportunities	69%	75%
Job opportunities	44%	48%
Historic preservation	76%	76%
Economic development	62%	58%
Public transit services	56%	58%
Traffic flow	45%	45%
Snow plowing	63%	64%
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	39%	38%
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	71%	78%
Stormwater System	72%	67%
Neighborhood parking	65%	73%
		A
Parks and trails	93%	91%
Recreation opportunities	87%	87%
Open space areas	85%	83%
Environmental sustainability	61%	66%
Climate Resiliency	52%	52%
Littleton Police Department	78%	81%
Traffic enforcement	54%	52%
Code compliance	59%	49%
	B	
Bemis Library	93%	93%
Littleton Museum	96%	93%
	B	
City-sponsored special events	86%	82%
Town Hall Arts Center	91%	89%
City-provided services overall	79%	72%
	B	

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Table 8: Question 7

Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.)	95%	93%
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.)	96%	98%
Internet and computer services	92%	96%
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	91%	94%
Materials and collections	90%	92%
Library building and grounds	88%	86%
Mobile Library	90%	82%
Overall performance of the library	94%	96%
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	71%	67%

Table 9: Question 8

How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months? (Percent at least a few times)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?	71%	67%

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Table 10: Question 9

Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services: (Percent excellent or good)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events -Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	97% B	88%
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	94%	91%
Museum research center	97% B	80%
Museum rotating exhibits	93% B	86%
Art shows in the galleries	94%	92%
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	97% B	87%
Museum building and grounds	95%	92%
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	96%	95%

Table 11: Question 10

Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following. (Percent excellent or good)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Crime prevention	78%	79%
Crime solving	66%	67%
Maintaining public order	87%	85%
Providing public information and education	71%	64%
Protecting individual civil rights	77% B	68%
Assisting fire responders	92%	94%
Being trustworthy	81%	75%
Acting in the best interest of the community	81%	78%
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	79%	74%
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	88%	88%
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	82%	77%
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	72%	68%
Communicating regularly with community members	63%	55%

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Table 12: Question 11

To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	68%	59%
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	B	
The city does what it says it will do	63%	51%
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	B	
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	70%	66%
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	59%	56%
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	66%	62%
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	57%	60%
	64%	63%
	74%	66%
	B	

Table 13: Question 12

Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year. (Percent excellent or good)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	86%	82%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	94%	93%
Western Welcome Week Parade	94%	93%
Candlelight Walk	88%	82%
Meet, Greet and Eat	80%	66%
	B	

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Table 14: Question 12

Please select which events you have attended in the past year.	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	68%	71%
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	54%	48%
Western Welcome Week Parade	61%	65%
Candlelight Walk	39%	49%
Meet, Greet and Eat	28%	A 34%

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 15: Question 13

What types of events or programs would you most like to see more of in Littleton? Please select up to three.	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Arts and cultural events (art walks, outdoor movies, immersive art experiences)	36%	35%
Food and drink events (food festivals, tastings, vendor markets)	51%	45%
Seasonal and holiday celebrations (Oktoberfest, holiday events, pumpkin patches)	57%	66%
Community and neighborhood events (block parties, cultural heritage celebrations)	30%	A 38%
Family and youth activities	16%	A 14%
Live music and entertainment	40%	32%
Fitness, recreation, and outdoor programs	B 21%	19%
Educational workshops and classes	18%	16%
Other	4%	9%
		A

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

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Table 16: Question 14

What is most important to you when thinking about city events and programs?	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Providing family-friendly activities	8%	7%
Bringing neighbors and the community together	20%	31% A
Attracting visitors to Littleton	1%	0%
Offering affordable or free entertainment options	18%	13%
Creating a vibrant community with things to do year-round	28%	27%
Supporting local businesses and the local economy	17%	17%
Celebrating Littleton's culture and identity	5%	4%
Other	2%	1%
Total	100%	100%

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Table 17: Question 15

How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? (Percent very or moderately useful)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	84%	82%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	74%	87%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	68%	A 59%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	47%	44%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	70%	59%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	44%	51%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	14%	20%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	35%	46%
NextDoor.com	35%	A 40%
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	31%	44%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	69%	A 61%
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	44%	23%
Denver Post	30%	B 33%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	28%	28%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	61%	69%
Text alerts for urgent updates	81%	78%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	81%	69%
Push notifications from a city app	B 47%	48%
Podcasts	18%	18%
Regular emails from the City	63%	64%

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Table 18: Question 15

Please select your 3 most preferred sources. (check up to three items).	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	67%	58%
Littleton Links (e-newsletter)	20%	40%
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	23%	28%
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	1%	11%
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	17%	18%
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	8%	13%
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	2%	2%
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	12%	9%
NextDoor.com	15%	9%
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	2%	3%
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	24%	21%
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	2%	1%
Denver Post	8%	4%
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel)	1%	1%
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	10%	12%
Text alerts for urgent updates	21%	16%
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	26%	11%
Push notifications from a city app	3%	4%
Podcasts	0%	0%
Regular emails from the City	13%	15%

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

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Table 19: Question 16

What types of information would you most like to receive from the City of Littleton? Please select up to five.	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Road closures, traffic, and construction updates	67%	62%
City events, festivals, and community activities	75%	76%
Development, housing, and planning projects	42%	53%
		A
Budget, taxes, and City spending	31%	33%
Community programs, services, and resources	32%	27%
Employment and career opportunities with the City	6%	6%
Local business and economic development news	19%	22%
Street maintenance, snow removal, and utilities	30%	29%
City Council decisions and local government updates	42%	49%
		A
Public safety information and emergency alerts	41%	36%
Parks, trails, recreation, and open space	31%	28%
Environmental and sustainability initiatives	13%	15%
Volunteer opportunities and ways to get involved	17%	17%
Other	1%	2%

Total may exceed 100% as respondents could select more than one option.

Table 20: Question 17

If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options? (Percent strongly or somewhat agree)	Outreach Method	
	Address-based Probability Sample	Open Participation Sample
	(A)	(B)
Increasing property taxes	33%	40%
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	62%	57%
Applying a local tax to groceries	15%	9%
	B	
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	64%	68%

Verbatim Responses to Open-ended Survey Question

All write-in responses are presented below verbatim, meaning spelling and grammar has not been corrected. Comments are sorted alphabetically.

Question 2. What are your reasons for living in Littleton? (Please select all that apply.) ("Other" responses.)

- Can't afford to move.
- close proximity to the foothills and mountains
- Cultural assets like the museum and Bemis Library, Town Hall Arts Center, Binning Foundation, Littleton Ballet, Voices West, Symphony, the level of theater the HS's produce and LHS Jazz Band... So many more too.
- Density has ruined District 3
- I believe it is important to state that all of my answers should be in past tense. I moved here because I LIKED the small town feel I also enjoyed the parks, trails and open space but too much building is happening now.
- I bought my house in 1994, it's paid off, I can't really move elsewhere even if I got a good price!
- I can hear the birds sing from my back yard
- I like my senior housing apartment
- I like the history of Littleton and the beautiful old homes
- I like the nearby library and park, and the vibrant downtown.
- I like the schools my grandchildren attend
- I live in Littleton because it's historically safe, clean, not densely populated, has a great downtown main street that doesn't need to be transformed into something else but just have new trees planted to replace the old ones, had a lot of open spaces, had historic charm & small town feel, wide car centric roads with less traffic & low accidents, good schools, affordable cost of living (speaking from experience of living here while very poor and being able to grow out of poverty prior to cost of living increasing here), large lots, beautifully maintained landscaping including expansive grass, flowers, shrubs, & trees instead of ugly and poorly maintained zeroscaping paid for by the tax payers, buildings setback off the street, ample parking (except downtown & at the LBC), nearly non existent homelessness, low rates of drugs and crimes, good parks, and other great features that are being erased with densification, poor city planning, and bad policies being adopted that best serve special interests, activists, and non residents rather than the residents of the city. Littleton has been fundamentally transformed in the past 10 years or so and has been on an extremely rapid pace the last 3-5 years with no end in sight to become more and more like Denver and other larger cities. It didn't need to be transformed because it was already great and it was distinctly better than other places like Denver, which is why people chose to live here. Those who have been in charge for a while have been driving out residents in the name of attracting those who don't live here. Littleton is rapidly declining. We must reverse course on the destruction of all the things that made Littleton a great place to live and raise a family before it's completely lost.
- I married someone who lived here
- I moved here in 2003, however Littleton was better about 15 years ago...
- I thought we'd build denser housing and keep it affordable

- I've lived here 38 years & my house is paid off
- It's close to great medical care.
- Larger lots. Denver is too dense
- Littleton is better than all surrounding towns! I value old town feel, traditional neighborhoods, less traffic, safety and close by quality services. Being more costly than surrounding towns is a positive!
- Littleton is changing & it is not a good change, bad roads but you put in bike lanes that are rarely used, you don't listen to residents & don't want to hear from anyone who disagrees with your opinion
- Parts are good and then other neighborhoods are rundown
- SINGLE FAMILY HOUSING
- St Mary's Church
- Too expensive to move again
- We did not choose Littleton, it was the only south suburban city that had new single family housing options at the time we had to move. So here we are.
- We moved here over 20 years ago for many of the reasons listed. Most of those reasons don't really exist anymore.

Question 3. Please identify up to three issues you believe are the most pressing issues facing Littleton in the next two years. ("Other" responses).

- Access to affordable childcare
- Aging infrastructure
- Auto License Plates: no front plate, fake paper plates, expired tags; Stop sign/signal failure enforcement; Not enough enforcement of the law.
- Build or convert rental properties into condos so people can begin to build equity in a property and take on the responsibility and privileges of home ownership.
- Density while the city says density is great for Littleton I disagree. We do not have water (take a look at the restrictions) nor the infrastructure to handle more people. It is not logical!
- I didn't want to say traffic in general because most of Littleton isn't a problem. Traffic on Santa Fe and the noise that it creates around it passing through Littleton is a problem.
- Ketring Lake needs water
- Lack of transit access
- local road repair
- Need a bus on Ridge Road
- Noise and air pollution
- Only 1 entrance into our community serious saue if there is a fire
- Please quit ruining our ability to conveniently travel Littleton streets. You have made so-called "safety improvements" to the streets which do nothing more than inhibit traffic flow.
- Poor street design/development. Platte Canyon & Mineral as well as Mineral and Santa Fe.
- Property taxes too high
- Public schools quality
- Removal of illegals
- so many mature, healthy trees are being cut down and replaced with "sticks". Numerous trees have died or been cut down for development and very few have been planted. The city canopy and all the environmental benefits are being cut down.
- Spending by the city that I don't agree with

- The Fire Chief makes more than the FdNY chief who oversees hundreds of stations. Special Fire districts are notoriously unethical and over pay staff positions. The firefighters deserve more pay, not the fire HR director and certainly not the deputy "chiefs" who have no fire experience. To ask for an additional tax revenue during a time of financial hardship is beyond distasteful!
- Too many apartments
- Too many empty buildings
- Too much growth in southern Littleton is going to present worsening conditions
- Too much high density housing f
- Traffic pollution from unwise planning development Costco Development and harm to children
- W. Bowles Ave has turned into both W Bowles Turnpike and W Bowles Speedway & needs sound meter enforcement
- Way too many apartments and rental living units available and more being built
- Way too much focus on small group requests. Our streets are becoming unsafe for drivers and appear junked up.
- We need to attack higher quality businesses - particularly restaurants along main street and Littleton Blvd corridor.

Question 13: What types of events or programs would you most like to see more of in Littleton? Please select up to three. ("Other" responses).

- Carnival like Parker Days
- crime prevention programs for citizens.
- Criterium
- Criterium
- Events that invite the community to get creative and participate in the creative process or volunteer vs just show up, examples are like Indiewood in Englewood and the Halloween Parade or Porchfest on South Broadway/Baker neighborhood in Denver
- Farmers market
- Get rid of panhandlers
- I don't think we necessarily need more events in Littleton unless they're privately offered to the public not through the City. There is already a lot offered here. If I had to choose something, I'd say family & youth activities, food festival, and Christmas lights/activities (since the lights have been ruined and there's not as much to do during the dead of winter) and other seasonal/holiday activities.
- I have a hard enough time attending all the fun stuff we already have! Thankful for it all.
- I see very few of our Spanish speaking citizens at special events, the library, etc. More outreach to that community by the city.
- Improve neighborhoods with no hoa. Example: fence on the east side of windemere north of mineral not maintained
- Meet, Greet, & Eat on a night that's not Wednesdays (I work Wednesday evenings)
- None of the above
- providing affordable housing and support to unhoused folks in general
- Sustainability Exchange Parties - hands on learning to transition to climate friendly neighborhoods
- What happened to the bike race in early August?

Question 14: What is most important to you when thinking about city events and programs? ("Other" responses).

- Bringing neighbors, the community, and local businesses together

- Creating a vibrant community with things to do year round, yes. But also making sure it's communicated and accessible to all members of the community.
- Including ALL parts of the community. I think the library might get a little better at bringing in Hispanic families - have Hispanic employees!!!
- Inclusion and a welcoming attitude
- Parking.

Question 16: What types of information would you most like to receive from the City of Littleton? Please select up to five. ("Other" responses).

- A police blotter, body cam footage
- ALL of the above
- All of the above. Limiting to five just shows Littleton government arrogance.
- Opportunities to opine on any and all city decisions especially housing, street projects, and any other major things being considered by the city.
- Safer streets updates.

Survey Instrument

The following pages contain the survey instrument for the 2026 Resident Survey.

City of Littleton 2026 Resident Survey

Please have an adult age 18 or older complete this survey.
Responses are anonymous and will be summarized to provide an overview of public input.
Thank you for completing this survey!

1. Please rate each of the following aspects of quality of life in Littleton.

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
Littleton as a place to live	1	2	3	4	5
Your neighborhood as a place to live	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton as a place to raise children.....	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton as a place to retire.....	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton as a place to work	1	2	3	4	5
Overall quality of life in Littleton	1	2	3	4	5
Safety in Littleton.....	1	2	3	4	5

2. What are your reasons for living in Littleton? (Please select all that apply)

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| ☐ I feel safe here | ☐ I like my neighborhood | ☐ I have friends and family in the area |
| ☐ Littleton is welcoming | ☐ I have transportation options | ☐ I like Littleton's sense of community |
| ☐ I like the Downtown | ☐ It is affordable to live in Littleton | ☐ Littleton has diverse types of housing |
| ☐ I've always lived here | ☐ I like Littleton's small town feel | ☐ I like the school my children attend |
| ☐ I am close to where I work | ☐ I like living in a college town | ☐ Other _____ |
| ☐ I attend school in Littleton | ☐ I like the parks, trails, and open space | |

3. Please identify up to three issues you believe are the most pressing issues facing Littleton in the next two years. (Select up to 3 items)

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|--|--|--|
| ☐ Workforce Attraction | ☐ Aging or outdated commercial areas | ☐ Affordable housing/cost of living |
| ☐ Traffic in general | ☐ Crime reduction | ☐ Too much growth |
| ☐ Business retention | ☐ Business attraction | ☐ Homeless population/homelessness |
| ☐ Neighborhoods | ☐ Tourism | ☐ Maintenance of city properties/buildings |
| ☐ Trails | ☐ Open space | ☐ Bike and pedestrian safety (Safer Streets) |
| ☐ Community engagement | ☐ Sewer & Stormwater System Projects | ☐ Environmental sustainability |
| ☐ Parking | ☐ Main Street Improvements | |
| ☐ Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management | | ☐ Other: _____ |

4. Please rate the following areas of transportation in Littleton.

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
Ease of driving.....	1	2	3	4	5
Ease of traveling by bus (RTD)	1	2	3	4	5
Ease of traveling by light rail.....	1	2	3	4	5
Ease of walking in the city	1	2	3	4	5
Ease of traveling by bicycle.....	1	2	3	4	5

5. Please tell us how safe or unsafe you feel in each of the following areas in Littleton.

	<u>Very safe</u>	<u>Somewhat safe</u>	<u>Somewhat unsafe</u>	<u>Very unsafe</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
Downtown Littleton during the day	1	2	3	4	5
Your neighborhood during the day	1	2	3	4	5
Parks, trails, natural open space areas	1	2	3	4	5

6. First, please rate the quality of each of the following in Littleton.

Then, rate how important, if at all, each is to you.

	<u>Quality</u>					<u>Importance</u>				
	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Essential</u>	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
Appearance of city.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Shopping opportunities	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Job opportunities.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Historic preservation	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Economic development.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Public transit services	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Traffic flow.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Snow plowing	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Street Resurfacing/Pavement Management	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Sewer System (South Platte Renew)	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Stormwater System	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Neighborhood parking.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Parks and trails	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Recreation opportunities	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Open space areas	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Environmental sustainability	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Climate Resiliency.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton Police Department	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Traffic enforcement.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Code compliance	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Municipal Court.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Bemis Library	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton Museum	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
City-sponsored special events	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Town Hall Arts Center.....	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
City-provided services overall	1	2	3	4	5					

7. Please rate your opinion about Littleton's Bemis Public Library and its services:

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
Library programs (e.g., story time, digital programs, Summer Reading program, etc.).....	1	2	3	4	5
Library services (e.g., reference desk, check out, etc.).....	1	2	3	4	5
Internet and computer services	1	2	3	4	5
Online services at www.library.littletonco.gov accessed from home or elsewhere (e.g., book holds, access databases, research, etc.)	1	2	3	4	5
Materials and collections.....	1	2	3	4	5
Library building and grounds	1	2	3	4	5
Mobile Library	1	2	3	4	5
Overall performance of the library.....	1	2	3	4	5

8. How many times have you visited Bemis Library over the last 12 months?

☐ Weekly ☐ Monthly ☐ Every couple of months ☐ A few times ☐ Never

9. Please rate your opinion about the Littleton Museum and its services:

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
Museum programs (e.g., lectures, classes, special events – Holiday's Eve, Sheep to Shawl, Harvest Festival, Craft Fair)	1	2	3	4	5
Wednesday evening free summer concerts	1	2	3	4	5
Museum research center	1	2	3	4	5
Museum rotating exhibits	1	2	3	4	5
Art shows in the galleries	1	2	3	4	5
Living History Farms/Historic Site Interpreters	1	2	3	4	5
Museum building and grounds	1	2	3	4	5
Overall performance of the Littleton Museum	1	2	3	4	5

10. Please rate the job the Littleton Police Department does at each of the following.

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
Crime prevention	1	2	3	4	5
Crime solving	1	2	3	4	5
Maintaining public order	1	2	3	4	5
Providing public information and education	1	2	3	4	5
Protecting individual civil rights	1	2	3	4	5
Assisting fire responders	1	2	3	4	5
Being trustworthy	1	2	3	4	5
Acting in the best interest of the community	1	2	3	4	5
Being sensitive to residents' concerns	1	2	3	4	5
Responding to citizens' emergency calls for service	1	2	3	4	5
Caring about the well-being of the people they deal with	1	2	3	4	5
Working with people in your neighborhood to solve neighborhood problems	1	2	3	4	5
Communicating regularly with community members	1	2	3	4	5

11. To what extent do you agree or disagree that each statement below describes the City of Littleton?

	<u>Strongly agree</u>	<u>Somewhat agree</u>	<u>Somewhat disagree</u>	<u>Strongly disagree</u>	<u>Don't know</u>
The city is making smart choices with its limited resources	1	2	3	4	5
The city is prepared for future challenges and uncertainty	1	2	3	4	5
The city does what it says it will do	1	2	3	4	5
The city has transparent community-centered decision making	1	2	3	4	5
Residents are invited into the process before decisions are finalized	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton's elected officials believe residents are capable partners in understanding complex decisions	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton is forward-thinking and plans for the next generation	1	2	3	4	5
The City manager is successfully managing city operations	1	2	3	4	5
City of Littleton employees provide first-rate service	1	2	3	4	5
The city makes plans with care	1	2	3	4	5
The city explains why decisions are made	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton's local government is run efficiently	1	2	3	4	5
Littleton's local government works in the best interest of residents	1	2	3	4	5
My voice matters in shaping Littleton's future	1	2	3	4	5
The city is moving in the right direction	1	2	3	4	5

12. Please rate your impression of each of these City of Littleton events and check any you have attended in the past year.

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>	<u>Don't know</u>	<u>Attended in past year</u>
Block Party (combined with Little Jam)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Western Welcome Week Opening Night (combined with Little Jam)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Western Welcome Week Parade	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Candlelight Walk	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Meet, Greet and Eat	1	2	3	4	5	☐

13. What types of events or programs would you most like to see more of in Littleton? Please select up to three.

- ☐ Arts and cultural events (art walks, outdoor movies, immersive art experiences)
- ☐ Food and drink events (food festivals, tastings, vendor markets)
- ☐ Seasonal and holiday celebrations (Oktoberfest, holiday events, pumpkin patches)
- ☐ Community and neighborhood events (block parties, cultural heritage celebrations)
- ☐ Family and youth activities
- ☐ Live music and entertainment
- ☐ Fitness, recreation, and outdoor programs
- ☐ Educational workshops and classes
- ☐ Other (please specify): _____

14. What is most important to you when thinking about city events and programs?

- ☐ Providing family-friendly activities
- ☐ Bringing neighbors and the community together
- ☐ Attracting visitors to Littleton
- ☐ Offering affordable or free entertainment options
- ☐ Creating a vibrant community with things to do year-round
- ☐ Supporting local businesses and the local economy
- ☐ Celebrating Littleton's culture and identity
- ☐ Other (please specify): _____

15. How useful to you, if at all, are each of the following communication methods for receiving information from the City of Littleton? Please first rate the usefulness of each source for you personally (circle one number for each row), and then select your 3 most preferred sources (check up to three items).

	Very useful	Moderately useful	Slightly useful	Not at all useful	Unsure	Top 3 preferred
The Littleton Report (bi-monthly City print newsletter)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Littleton Links (e-newsletter).....	1	2	3	4	5	☐
LittletonCO.gov (official city website)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Let's Talk Littleton (online engagement platform)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
VisitLittleton.org (events website)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Littleton's Facebook page (facebook.com/CityofLittleton)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Littleton on Twitter/X (twitter.com/CityofLittleton)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Littleton's Instagram (instagram.com/littletongov)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
NextDoor.com	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Littleton's YouTube channel (youtube.com/@LittletonGov)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
The Littleton Independent (privately-owned weekly newspaper) ..	1	2	3	4	5	☐
The Villager (privately-owned weekly newspaper)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Denver Post	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Comcast Cable Channel 8 (city government access channel).....	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Littleton Report (e-newsletter from Communications Dept.)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Text alerts for urgent updates	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Mailed notification (postcards for specific announcements)	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Push notifications from a city app	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Podcasts.....	1	2	3	4	5	☐
Regular emails from the City	1	2	3	4	5	☐

16. What types of information would you most like to receive from the City of Littleton? Please select up to five.

- ☐ Road closures, traffic, and construction updates
- ☐ City events, festivals, and community activities
- ☐ Development, housing, and planning projects
- ☐ Budget, taxes, and City spending
- ☐ Community programs, services, and resources
- ☐ Employment and career opportunities with the City
- ☐ Local business and economic development news
- ☐ Street maintenance, snow removal, and utilities
- ☐ City Council decisions and local government updates
- ☐ Public safety information and emergency alerts
- ☐ Parks, trails, recreation, and open space
- ☐ Environmental and sustainability initiatives
- ☐ Volunteer opportunities and ways to get involved
- ☐ Other (please specify): _____

17. Across Colorado, sales and use tax is a major source of funding for local governments. In Littleton, approximately 80% of the City's General Fund revenue comes from sales and use taxes. If the City needed to diversify or expand its revenue sources in the future, how strongly would you support or oppose the following options?

	Strongly <u>agree</u>	Somewhat <u>agree</u>	Somewhat <u>disagree</u>	Strongly <u>disagree</u>	Don't <u>know</u>
Increasing property taxes	1	2	3	4	5
Creating an admissions tax on entertainment venues or ticketed events	1	2	3	4	5
Applying a local tax to groceries	1	2	3	4	5
Using debt financing through a voter-approved general obligation bond for specific capital projects (no tax increase)	1	2	3	4	5

Our last questions are about you and your household.

All of your responses to this survey are completely anonymous and will be reported in group form only.

D1. How many years have you lived in Littleton?

- ☐ Less than one year ☐ 11-15 years
☐ 1-5 years ☐ More than 15 years
☐ 6-10 years

D2. How many people (including yourself) live in your household? _____

D3. How many children 12 or younger live in your household? _____

D4. How many teenagers ages 13 to 17 live in your household? _____

D5. How many people (including yourself) age 55 or older live in your household? _____

D6. Which best describes the building you live in?

- ☐ One family house detached from any other houses
☐ House attached to one or more houses (e.g., a duplex or townhome)
☐ Building with two or more apartments or condos
☐ Mobile home
☐ Other

D7. Do you rent or own your home?

- ☐ Rent
☐ Own

D8. How much do you anticipate your household's total income before taxes will be for the current year? (Please include in your total income, money from all sources for all persons living in your household.)

- ☐ Less than \$25,000 ☐ \$75,000 to \$99,999
☐ \$25,000 to \$34,999 ☐ \$100,000 to \$149,999
☐ \$35,000 to \$49,999 ☐ \$150,000 to \$199,999
☐ \$50,000 to \$74,999 ☐ \$200,000 or more

D9. What is your level of education?

- ☐ 0-11 years
☐ High school graduate
☐ Some college, no degree
☐ Associate degree
☐ Bachelor's degree
☐ Graduate or professional degree

Please respond to both Questions D10 and D11:

D10. Are you Spanish, Hispanic or Latino?

- ☐ No, not Spanish, Hispanic or Latino
☐ Yes, I consider myself to be Spanish, Hispanic or Latino

D11. What is your race? (Mark one or more races to indicate what race you consider yourself to be.)

- ☐ American Indian or Alaskan Native
☐ Asian, Asian Indian or Pacific Islander
☐ Black or African American
☐ White
☐ Other

D12. In which category is your age?

- ☐ 18-24 years
☐ 25-34 years
☐ 35-44 years
☐ 45-54 years
☐ 55-64 years
☐ 65-74 years
☐ 75 years or older

D13. What is your gender?

- ☐ Female
☐ Male
☐ Identify in another way

Thank you very much!

Please return the completed survey to the front desk at this location.