

## UVLSRPC Regional Plan: Your Regional Future Public Outreach Event Canaan Speedway - July 14, 2012

At the Canaan Speedway, we had 60 people participate in at least one of our two opinion surveys. Residents from the UVLSRPC region who participated in the surveys were from Canaan, Charlestown, Cornish, Claremont, Lebanon, Enfield, Plainfield, Grafton, Springfield, Newbury, and New London.

## VISUAL PREFERENCE SURVEY

The Visual Preference Survey gave the participant the opportunity to identify his or her personal preference on a range of topics related to land use and planning. There were four different categories: Transportation, Housing, Town Centers, and Landscapes. The participant would review eight (8) photos in each category and would select the three photos he or she preferred. The following results were tabulated from the Canaan Speedway event.

| TRANSPORTATION | TOWN CENTERS |
| :---: | :---: |
| HOUSING | LANDSCAPE |

## OPEN RESPONSE SURVEY

The Open Response Survey posed the question, "What do you like most about where you live?" Participants were invited to write responses about aspects of their communities they valued and ranked them from most important (\#1) to less important (\#5). They then placed each response according to the corresponding ranking areas on the magnetic board. The following fields provide a summary of the responses recorded during the Canaan Speedway event.

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Racing • taxes • lower taxes $\bullet$ local farming • education $\bullet$ school $\bullet$ wildlife $\bullet$ life $\bullet$ fishing $\bullet$ safe environment • EMS fire protection • centrally located to cities mountains and lakes • Church/God -Races • Kids • Jobs • Highways • Family • the lake • safe • friendly • constitution

Small • family • clean politics • taxes • farms/local food/harvest • milk • environment • caring neighbors • transit • access to jobs • education • school • jobs • fishing • amenities • health • racetrack • economy • lakes • the mountain • work

Wildlife • good neighbors • great vet nearby • environment • job • use of town resources • better roads • food • work/jobs • lakes/rivers • good schools • health care • someplace to buy meat • clean water • safety • stores • education • roads • dock • living • weather • farms • friendly

Close to stores • video games • job • proximity to city • good housing • wildlife • close to fire/police • sports • great neighbors • reduce maintenance department • work • taxes • cars • restaurants • kids • ecology • flowers • roads • schools • fire/police protection • quiet • laws

Job • farms • roads • advance transit • love • senior activities • work • life • racing • activity • childcare $\bullet$ train $\bullet$ police department $\bullet$ parks $\bullet$ county


