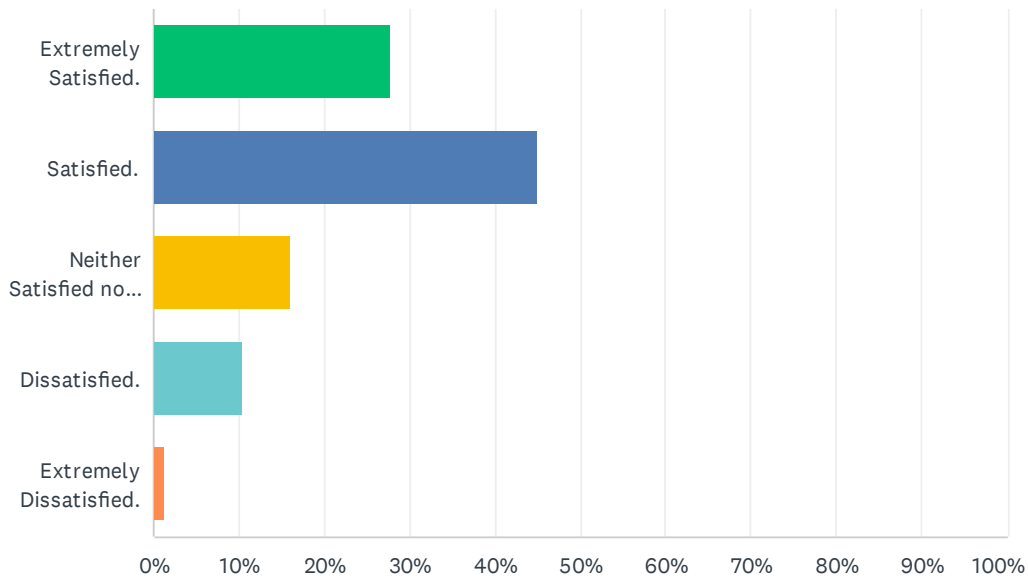


# Q1 How satisfied are you with the Southborough Library building currently?

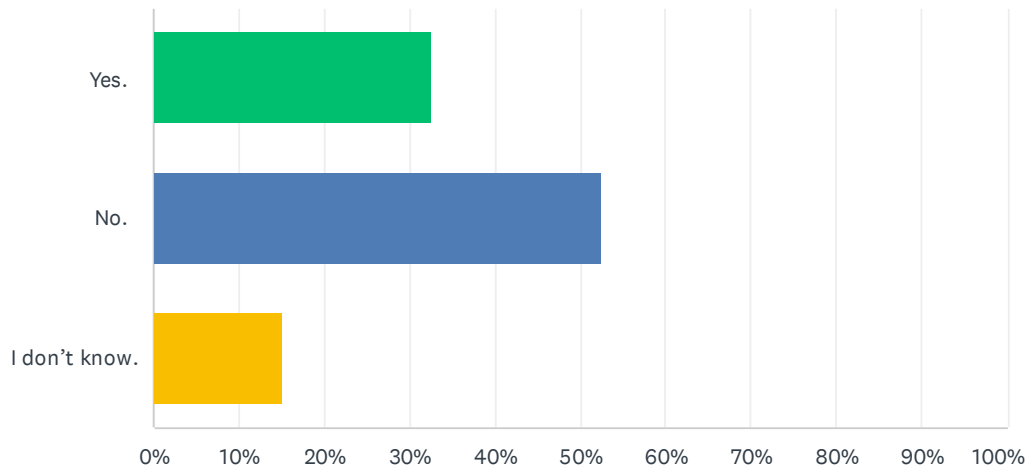
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Extremely Satisfied.	27.69%	90
Satisfied.	44.92%	146
Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied.	16.00%	52
Dissatisfied.	10.46%	34
Extremely Dissatisfied.	1.23%	4
Total Respondents: 325		

## Q2 Does the library parking lot need more parking spaces?

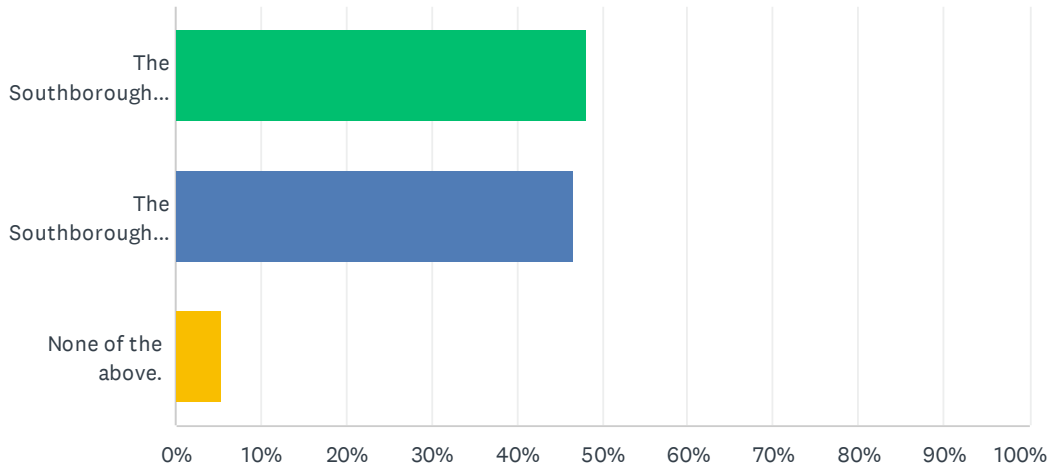
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes.	32.62%	107
No.	52.44%	172
I don't know.	15.24%	50
Total Respondents: 328		

Q3 Based on your assessment of the Southborough Library building, please select the statement(s) that best describes your view:

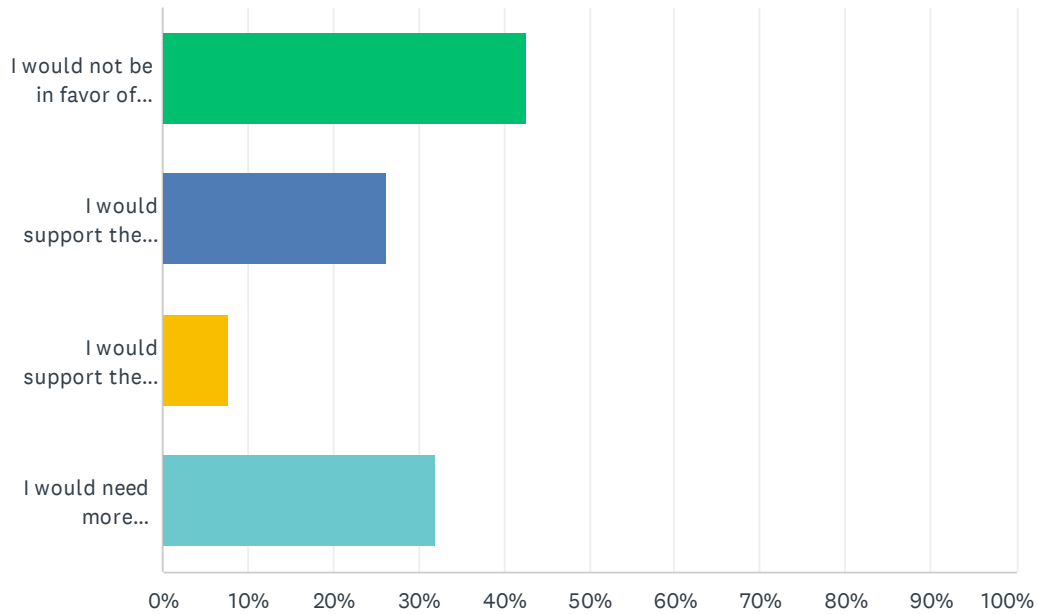
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
The Southborough does not have adequate space and needs to be expanded.	48.29%	155
The Southborough Library has enough space.	46.73%	150
None of the above.	5.30%	17
Total Respondents: 321		

Q4 If the current site of the library building cannot be renovated and/or expanded to meet emerging user needs, would you be in favor of relocating the library to another site in town? Please select the option that best describes your opinion.

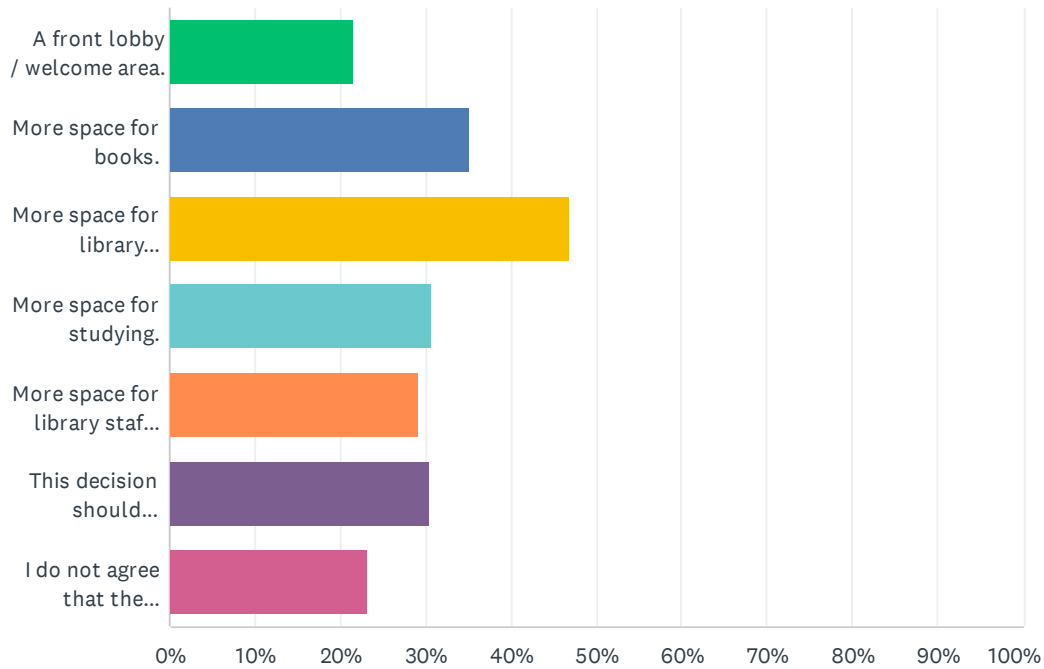
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
I would not be in favor of ever moving the library. I like the library where it is.	42.68%	140
I would support the library moving to a new site to meet emerging user space needs.	26.22%	86
I would support the library moving into a shared Community Center space with other town departments.	7.62%	25
I would need more information before answering this question.	32.01%	105
Total Respondents: 328		

**Q5 If you agree that the library needs additional space, what would you like to see more of at the library if the library is expanded? Please check all that you agree with.**

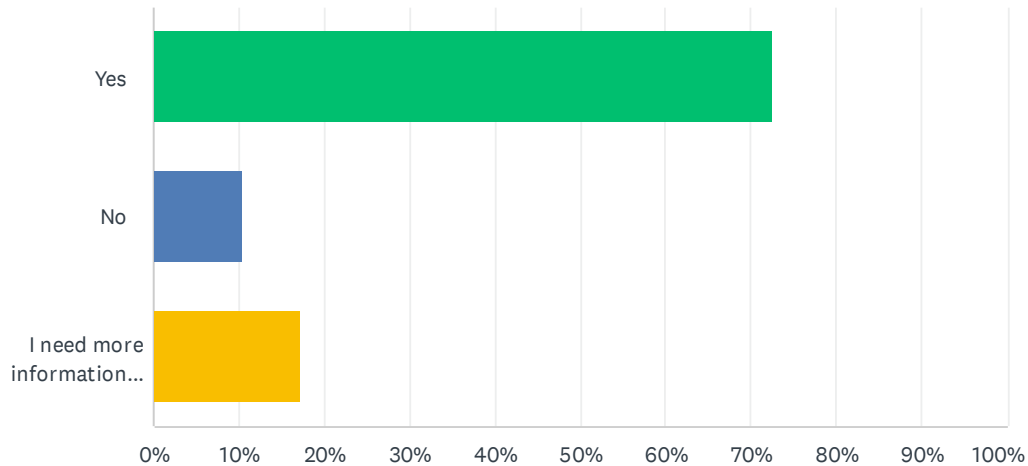
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
A front lobby / welcome area.	21.59%	68
More space for books.	35.24%	111
More space for library programs.	46.98%	148
More space for studying.	30.79%	97
More space for library staff, including break room, work area, storage, etc.	29.21%	92
This decision should ultimately be up to the library administration.	30.48%	96
I do not agree that the library needs more space.	23.17%	73
Total Respondents: 315		

Q6 The Southborough Library circulates nontraditional items in the 'More Than Books' collection, including library telescopes, gardening kits, ukuleles, and more. Do you support the library continuing to expand the 'More Than Books' collection?

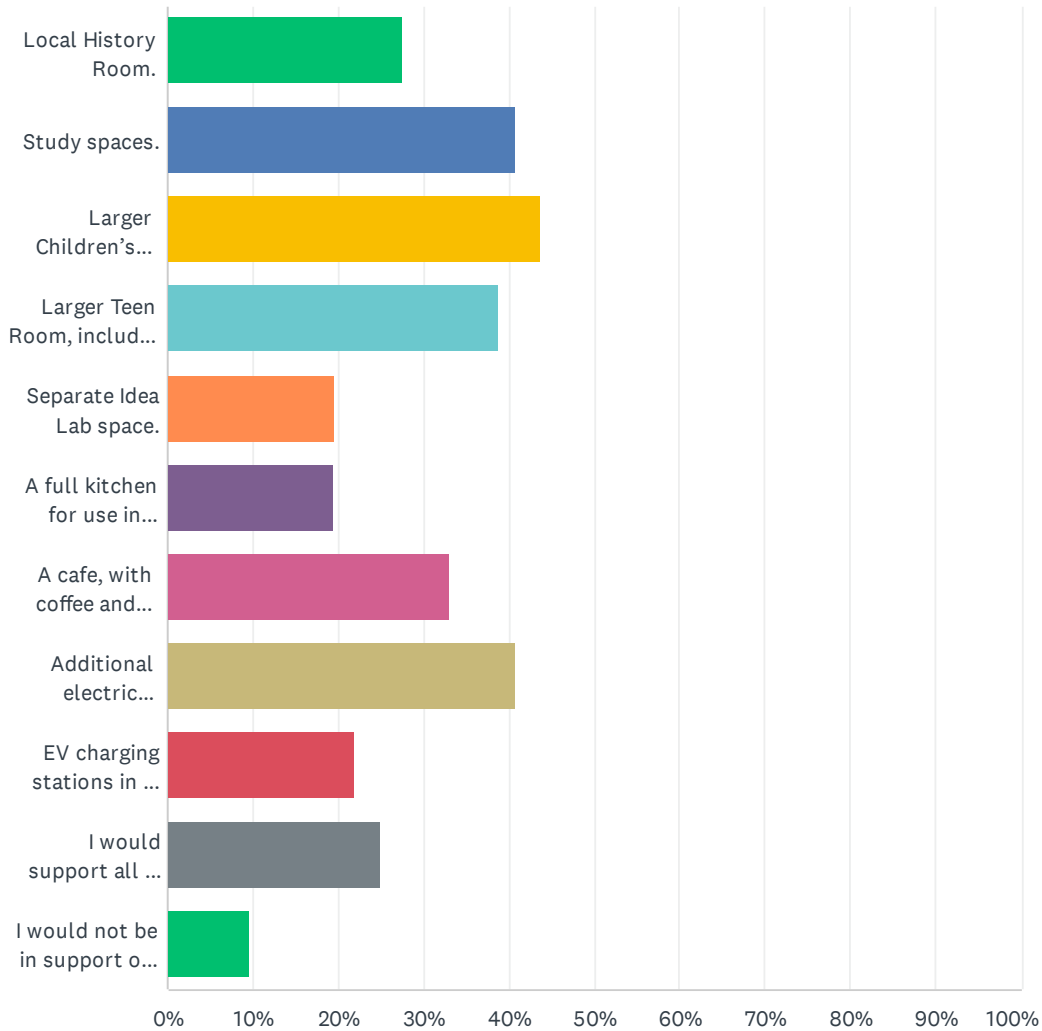
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	72.45%	234
No	10.53%	34
I need more information before I can answer.	17.34%	56
Total Respondents: 323		

## Q7 I would be in support of adding the following to the Southborough Library:

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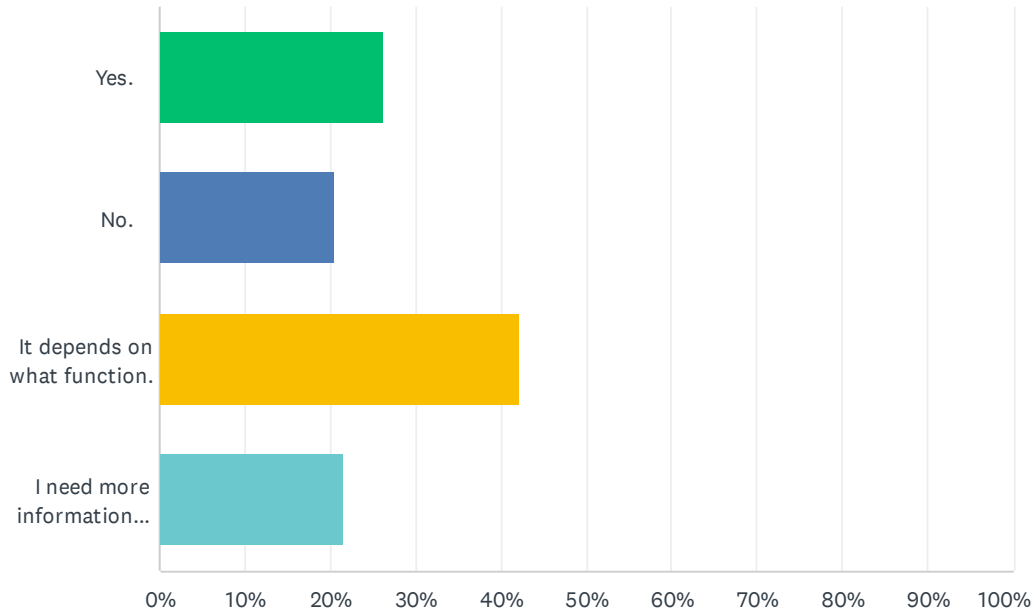
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Local History Room.	27.50%	88
Study spaces.	40.63%	130
Larger Children's Room, including a space for juvenile programs.	43.75%	140
Larger Teen Room, including a space for young adult programs.	38.75%	124
Separate Idea Lab space.	19.69%	63
A full kitchen for use in cooking programs.	19.38%	62
A cafe, with coffee and snacks.	33.13%	106
Additional electric outlets to plug in devices.	40.63%	130
EV charging stations in the parking lot.	21.88%	70
I would support all of these options.	25.00%	80
I would not be in support of any of these options.	9.69%	31
Total Respondents: 320		



## Q8 Would you support moving some library functions of the library to another location if the library couldn't be expanded on its current site?

Answered: 324 Skipped: 4



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes.	26.23%	85
No.	20.37%	66
It depends on what function.	42.28%	137
I need more information before I can answer.	21.60%	70
Total Respondents: 324		

**Q9 Please use this space to provide any additional feedback about the Southborough Library building:**

Answered: 137 Skipped: 191