



Survey Results

East York Community Center, 1081 Pape Ave.
June 17, 2009





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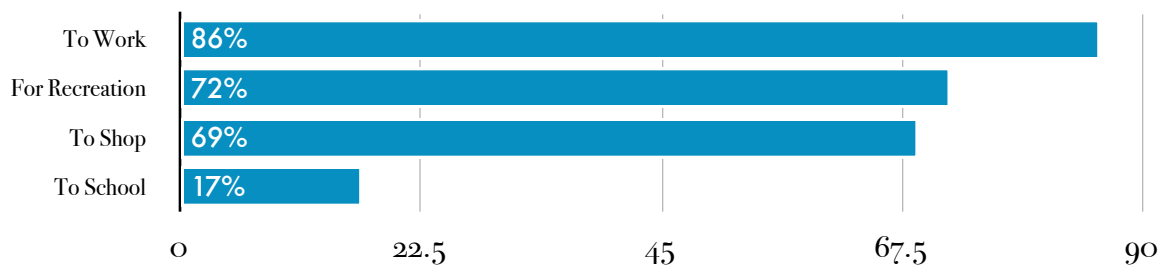
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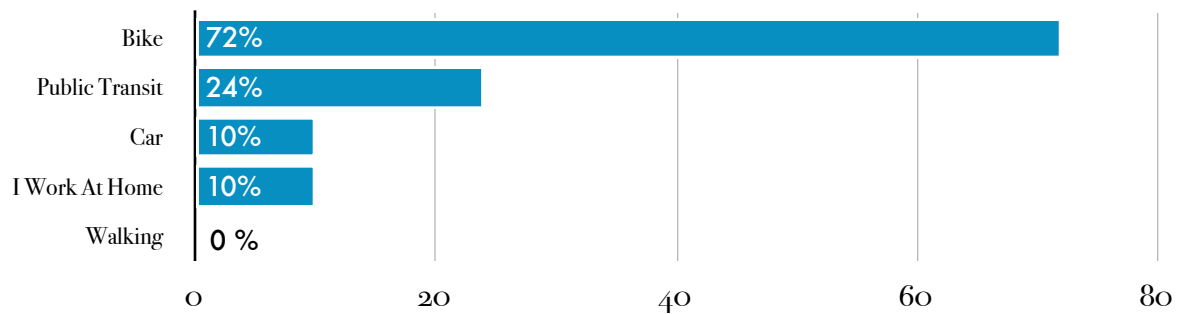
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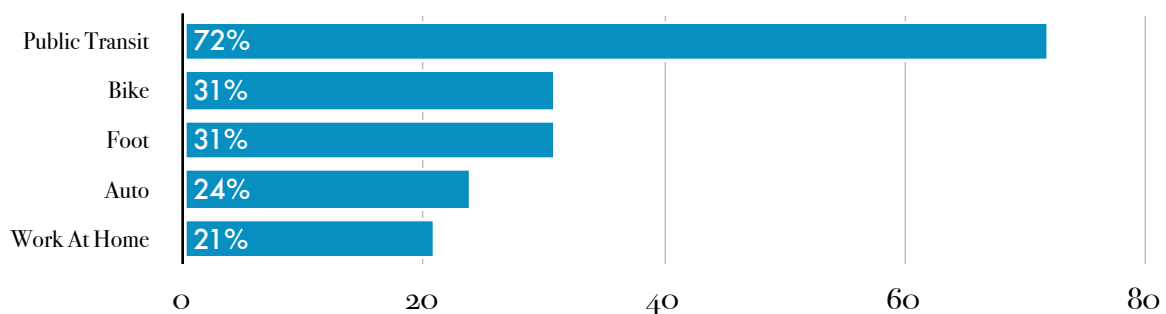
Do you regularly cycle? (multiple answers acceptable)



What is your primary method of transportation to get to work/school? (multiple answers tabulated)

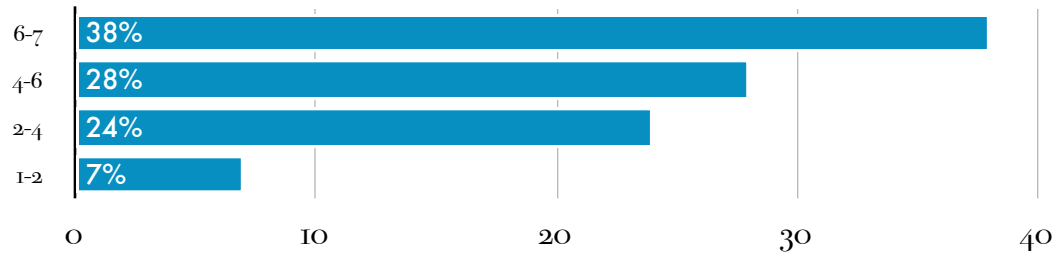


In addition to your primary method, what other modes do you use to get to work/school?

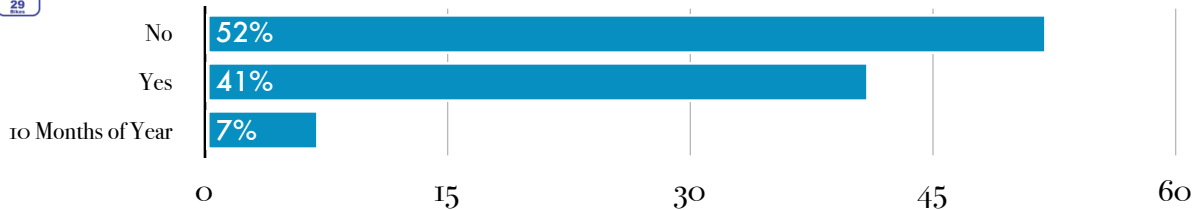




How many days per week do you ride during cycling season?



Do you cycle year round?

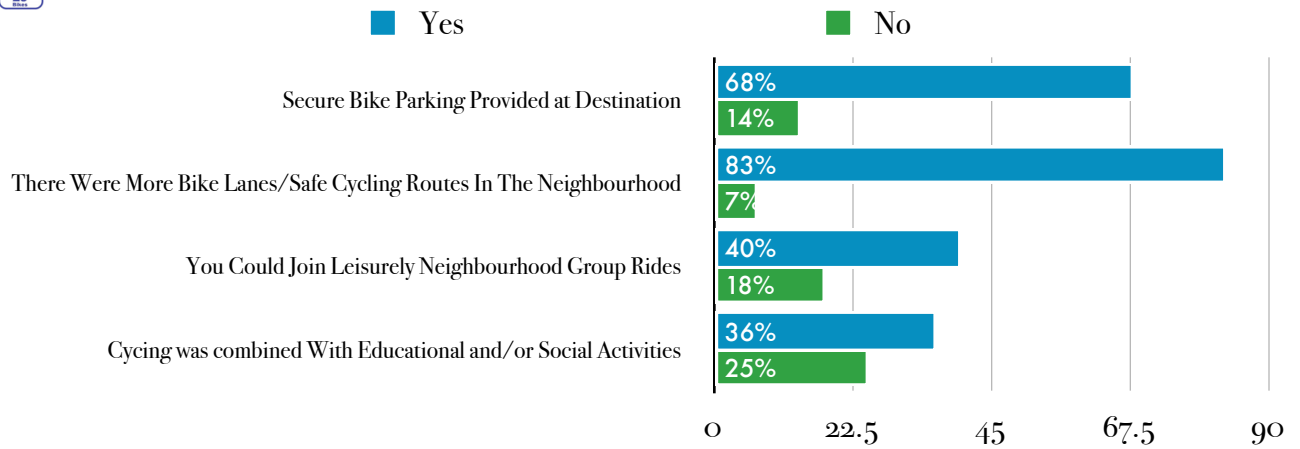


If not why:

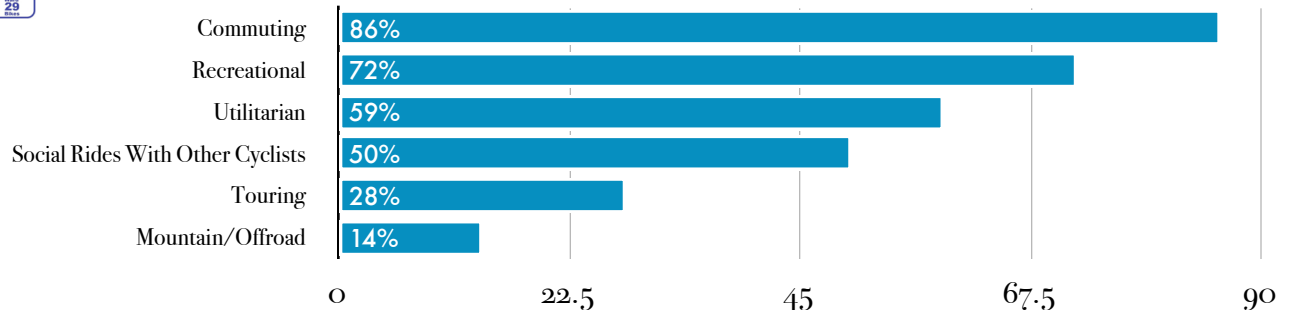
- *Unpleasant to ride in excessively cold or inclement conditions;*
- *lack of snow and ice removal;*
- *fear of ice and snow.*



Would you ride more often if:

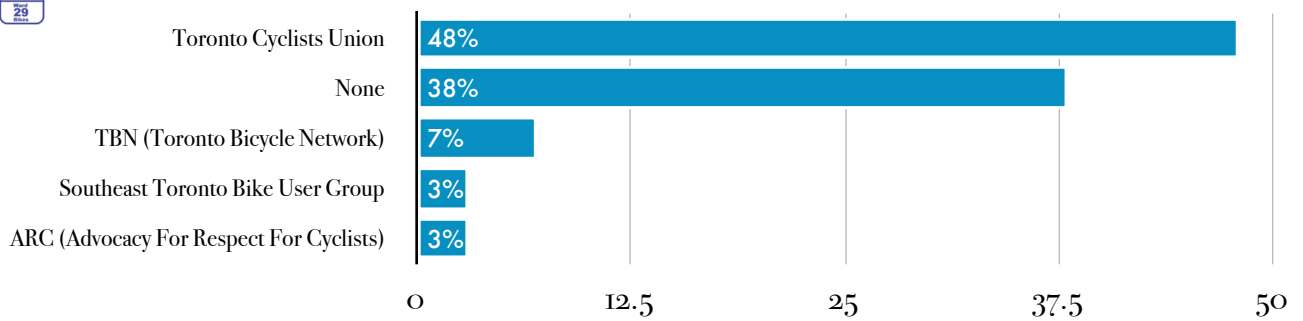


What kind of cycling do you regularly participate in?

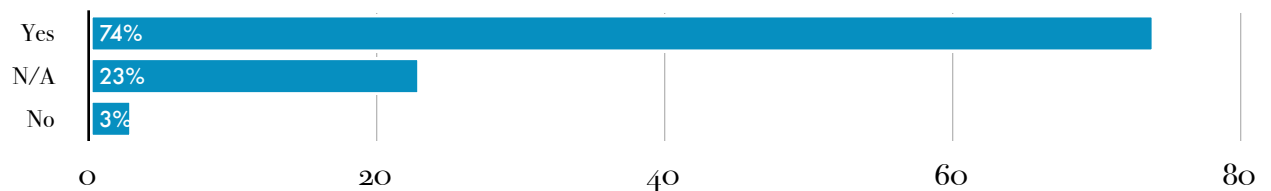




Are You Currently A Member of Any Cycling Orientated Groups?



Would You Like Us To Hold More Public Meetings Like This One?



What Subjects Should We Cover In Our Next Meeting?

- Bloor/Danforth bike lane, general bike lane developments , Toronto Bike Plan implementation;
- Political strategies relating to advocacy, e.g., ward partnerships;
- Public policy: snow removal, sustainable transport
- Education, e.g., safety issues, bikes on sidewalks;



How can we improve our future meetings?

- More concise agendas and **shorter** meetings (1.5 HRS);
- Wider notice
- Less conflict among attendees



What would you like to see or hear about more?

- General progress of Bike Plan, e.g., segregated lanes, planned bike routes, infrastructural alternatives to bike lanes;
- Presentations by BIAs and councillors;
- Safety: family cycling sessions, pedestrian issues
- Workshops on politics, i.e, elections, and political engagement/action



What would you like to see or hear about less?

- rancor and antagonism



What else would you like to tell us?

- Thank you (*Our pleasure*;-)
- More outreach and promotion: we require youth, e.g., recruit at Centennial College; a promotional ride such as Bells on Bloor
- Need to focus on safety



Comments/Routes on ward map

- 72% of the maps had either routes along, or comments pertaining to bike lanes on, Danforth Ave.;
- 21 % had routes along or comments about Broadview Ave., e.g., bike lanes on Broadview linking the Cosburn and Bloor bikeways; several of the preceding crossed the Leaside Bridge
- 3 maps indicated that the northbound DVP on-ramp at Pizza-Pizza was a trouble spot
- 3 also cited generally poor road conditions as a concern
- Among other comments: safe access down Pottery Rd. to link with the Don Trail; rush hour on Danforth (with curb parking prohibited) makes for hazardous conditions with cars passing too closely

