ETC INSTITUTE'S

2021 RAYMORE COMMUNITY SURVEY







BIG PICTURE

Our residents are happy

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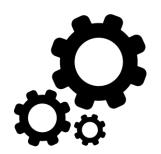
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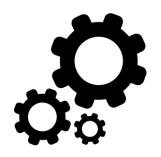
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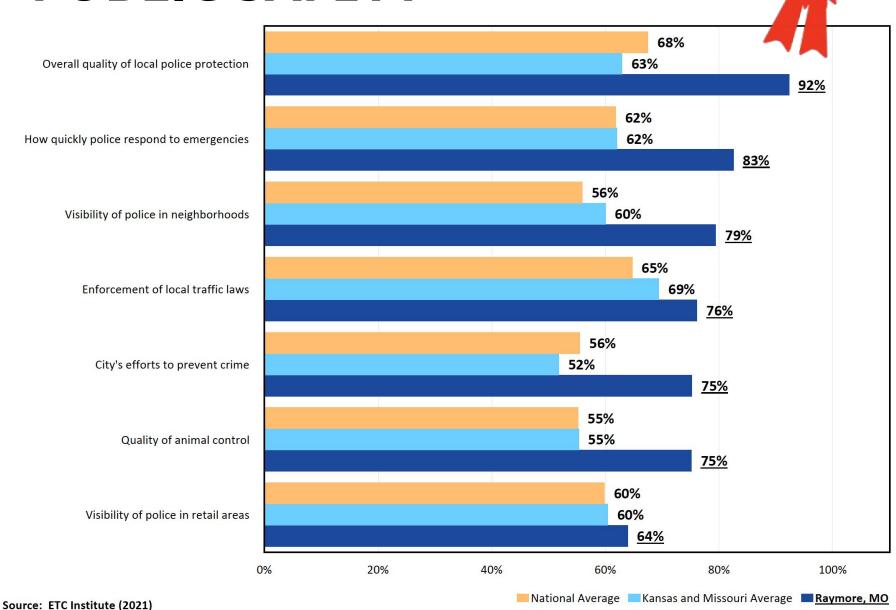
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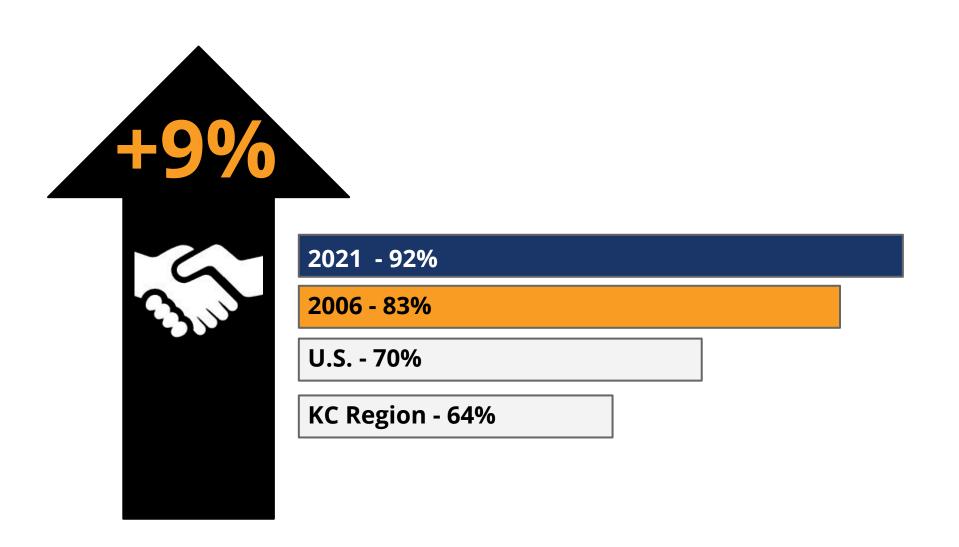


SUCCESSES

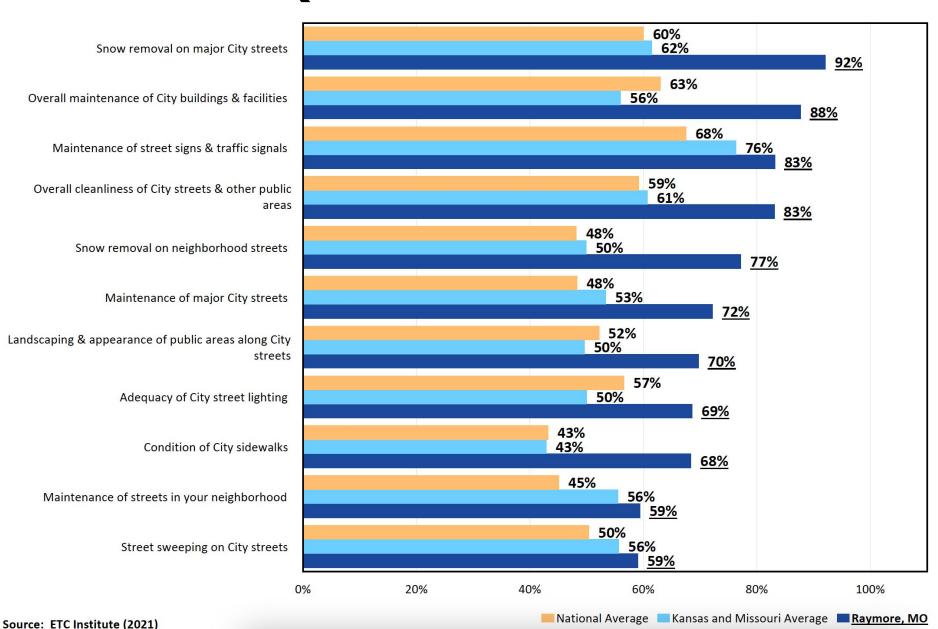
PUBLIC SAFETY



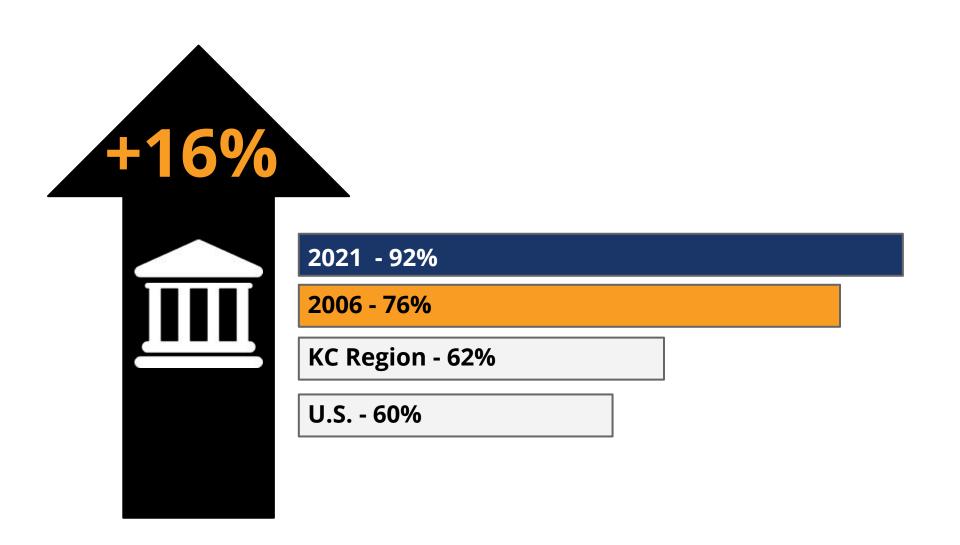
OVERALL QUALITY OF LOCAL POLICE PROTECTION



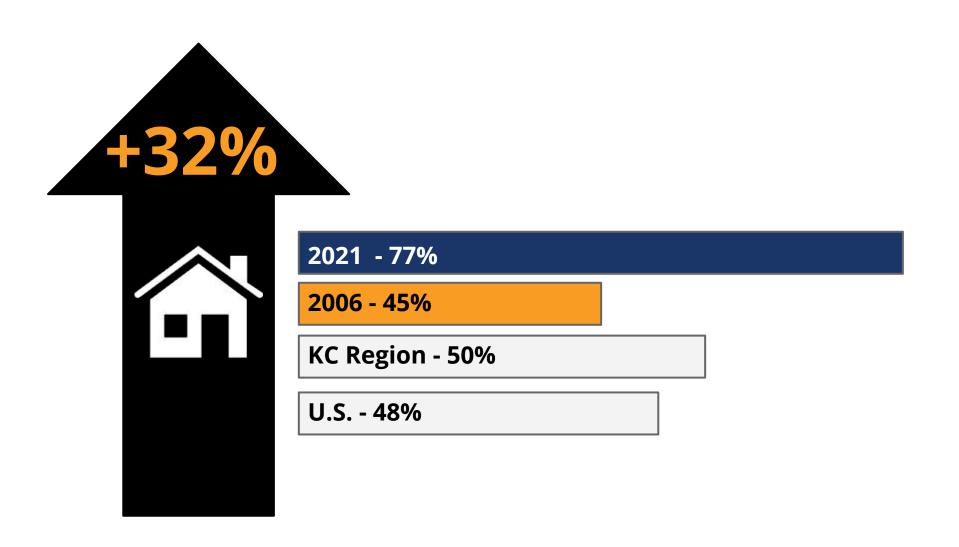
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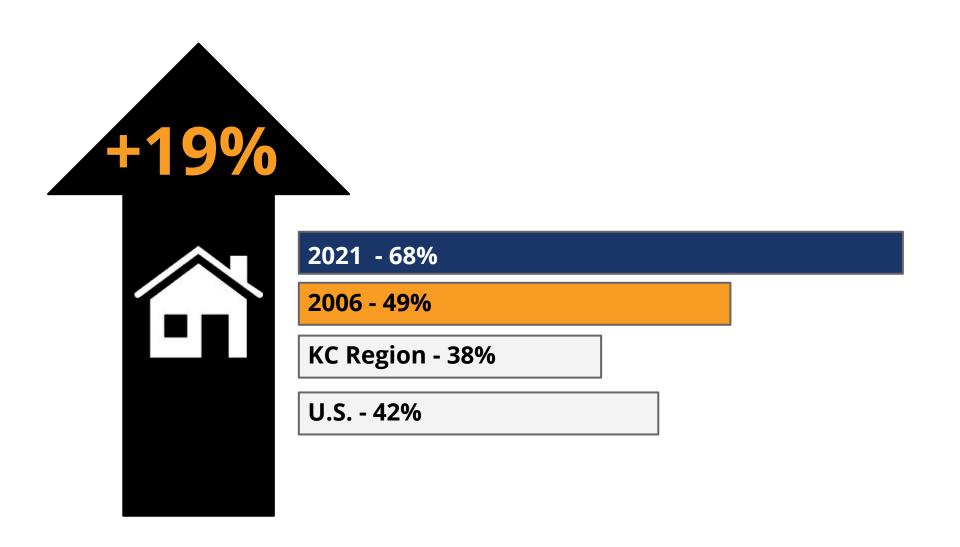
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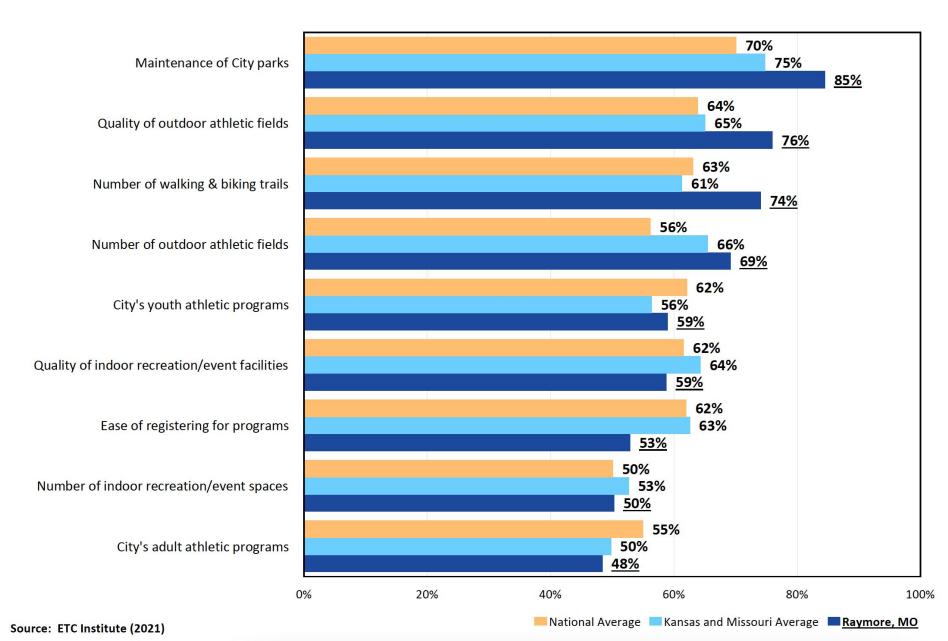
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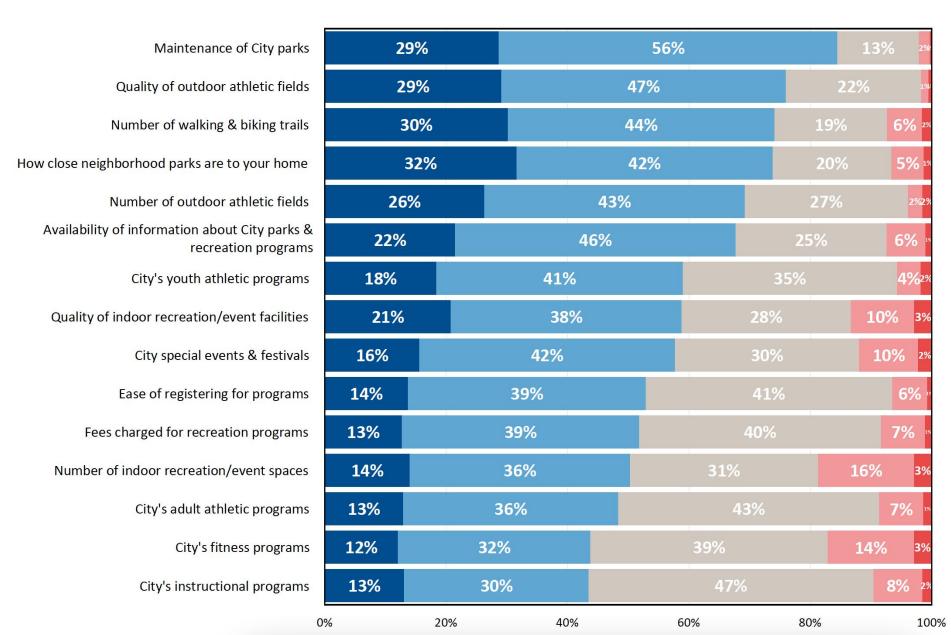
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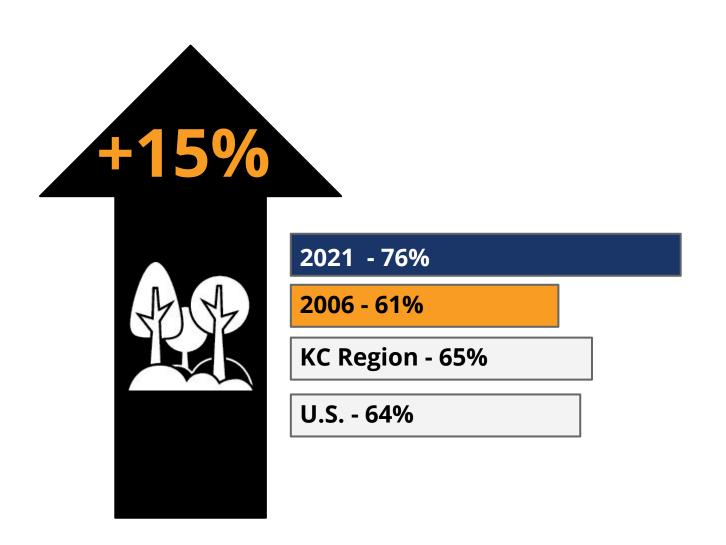
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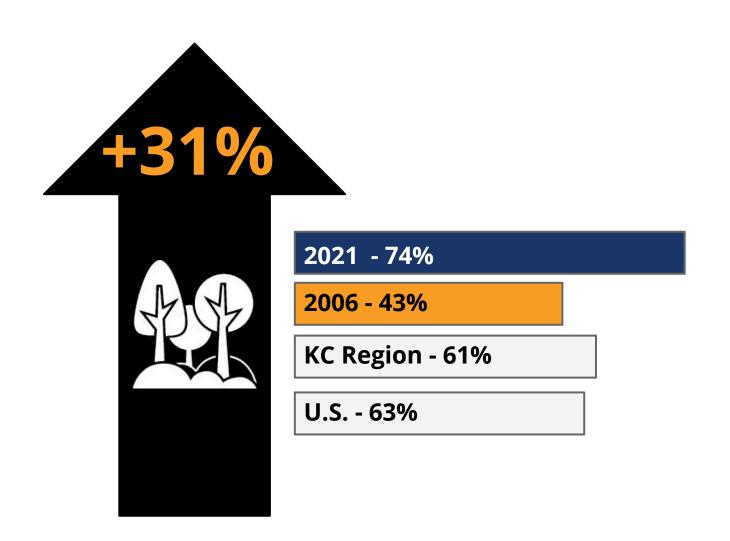
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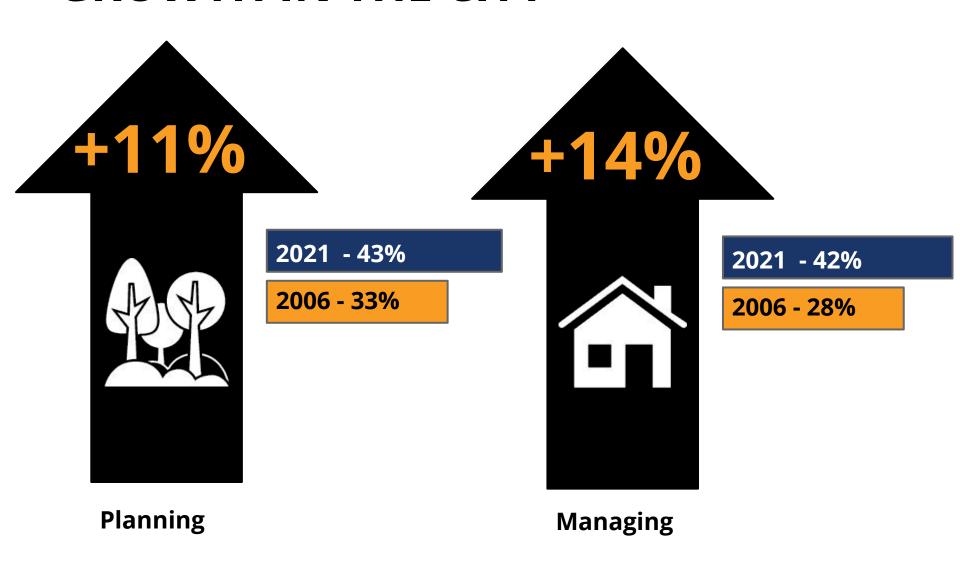
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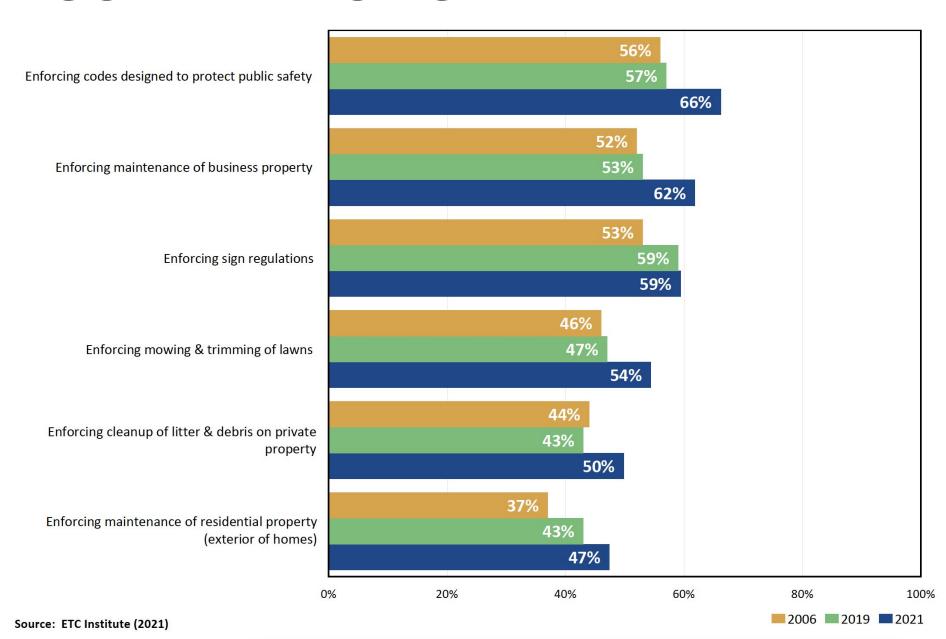
NUMBER OF WALKING & BIKING TRAILS



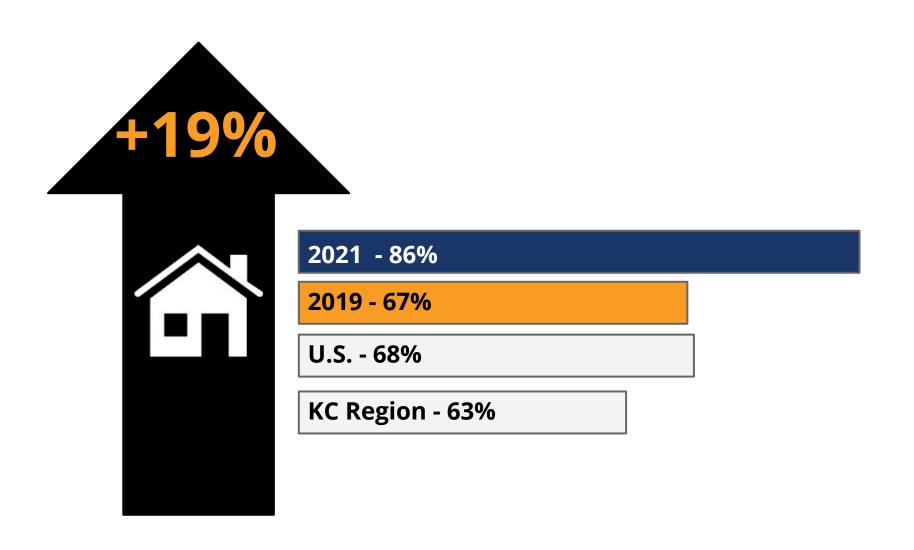
PLANNING AND MANAGING GROWTH IN THE CITY



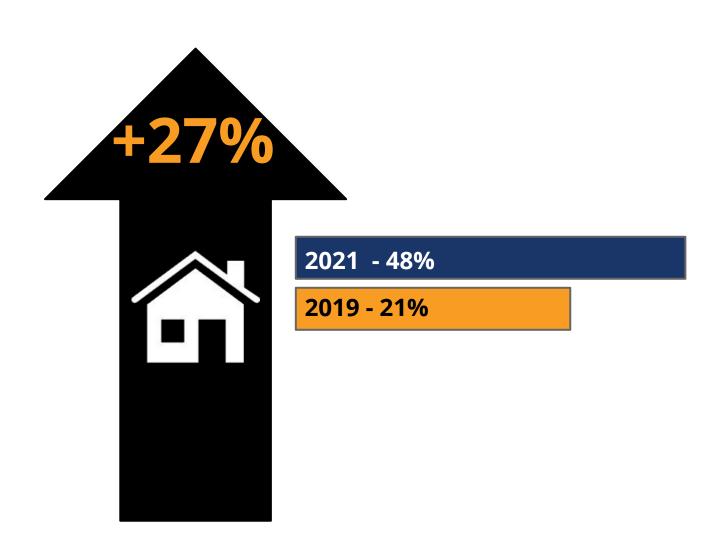
CODE ENFORCEMENT



OVERALL QUALITY OF TRASH, RECYCLING & YARD WASTE SERVICE



WHAT YOU ARE CHARGED FOR WATER AND SEWER UTILITIES





TASTE & CLARITY OF WATER

Short term



Long term



TRENDS

2021 - **68%**

2019 - **80%**

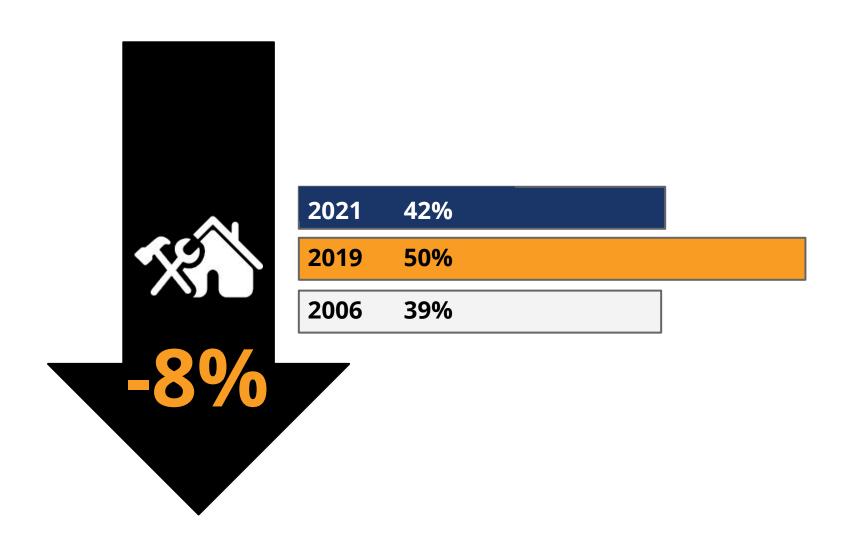
2006 - **75%**

COMPARISONS

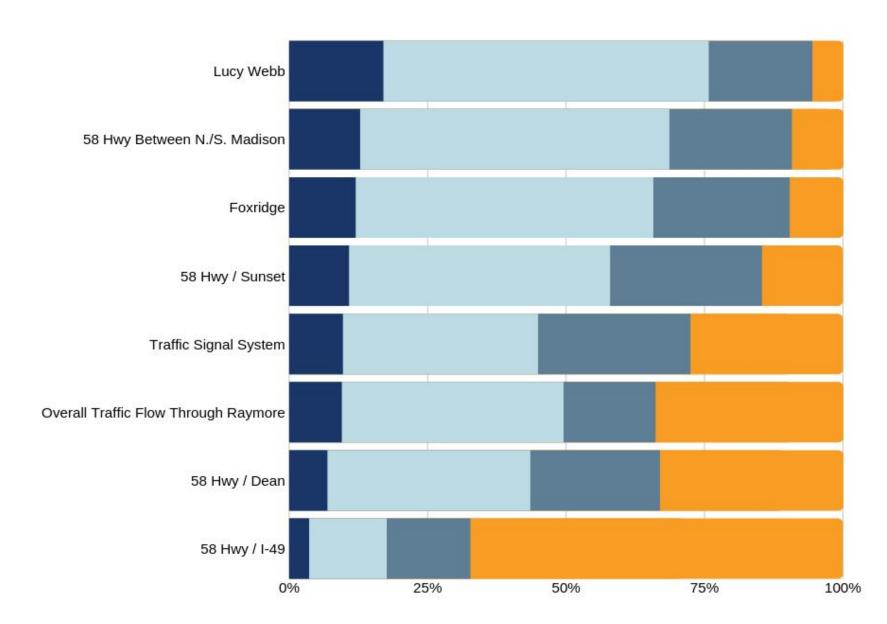
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US - **67%**

TRAFFIC FLOW ON 58 HIGHWAY

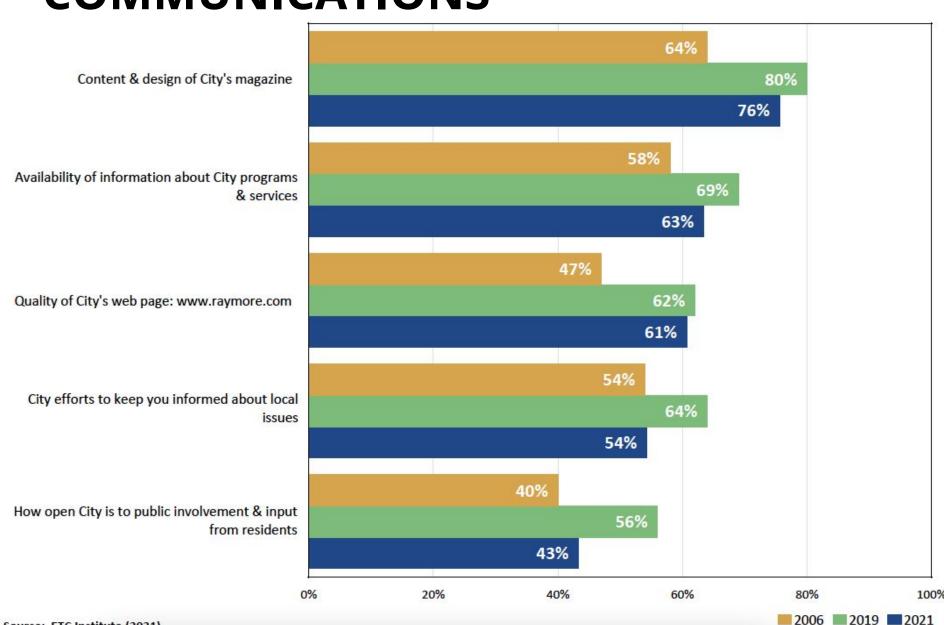


OVERALL TRAFFIC FLOW



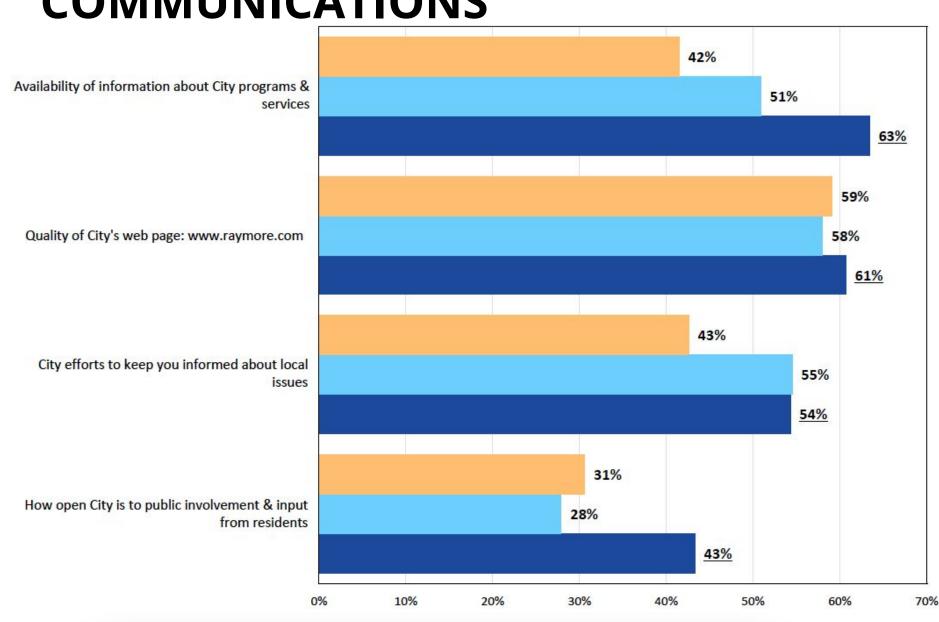
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National Average Kansas and Missouri Average Raymore, MO

LONG-TERM TRENDS





TOP TREND LIST

INCREASE OF +25%

Snow Removal on Neighborhood Streets (+32%)

Number of walking and biking trails (+31%)

Overall value you receive for tax dollars (+28%)

What you are charged for water/sewer (+27%)

Availability of sidewalks (+25%)

INCREASE OF +20%

Overall quality of services provided by City (+20%)

INCREASE OF +15%

Overall maintenance of streets (+19)

Landscaping and appearance along streets (+17%)

Quality of Parks & Recreation programs and facilities (+16%)

Enforcement of City Codes for buildings/housing (+16%)

Number of outdoor athletics fields (+16%)

Condition of sidewalks, Overall image of the City, Quality of outdoor facilities, street lighting (+15%)



MEETING THEIR NEEDS

98%	SENSE OF SAFETY
94%	QUALITY OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS
89%	TYPES OF HOUSING
88%	PARKS & REC OPPORTUNITIES
87%	SENSE OF COMMUNITY
86%	NEAR FAMILY & FRIENDS
84%	AFFORDABILITY OF HOUSING
69%	ACCESS TO QUALITY SHOPPING
64%	ACCESS TO RESTAURANTS & ENT.
62%	EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
60%	TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS
60%	ARTS & CULTURAL ACTIVITIES





OVERALL CITY SERVICES

VERY HIGH PRIORITY

- Flow of traffic and congestion management
- Overall maintenance of city streets

HIGH PRIORITY

- Visibility of police in retail areas
- Visibility of police in neighborhoods

MEDIUM PRIORITY

- Enforcement of codes for buildings/houses
- Parks & Rec Programs & Facilities
- 3. City Communication
- 4. Stormwater Management
- 5. Emergency Preparedness
- 6. Public Safety Services
- 7. Service from City Employees
- 8. Maintenance of City Buildings

Continued Emphasis

Public Safety Services

Exceeded Expectation

- Maintenance of City Buildings
- Parks & Rec programs/facilities
- Service from City Employees

Less Important

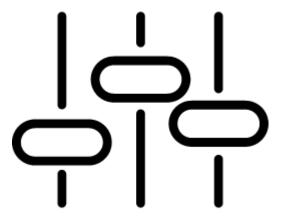
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- City Communications

Opportunities for Improvement

- Overall maintenance of City streets
- Traffic Flow and Congestion Management

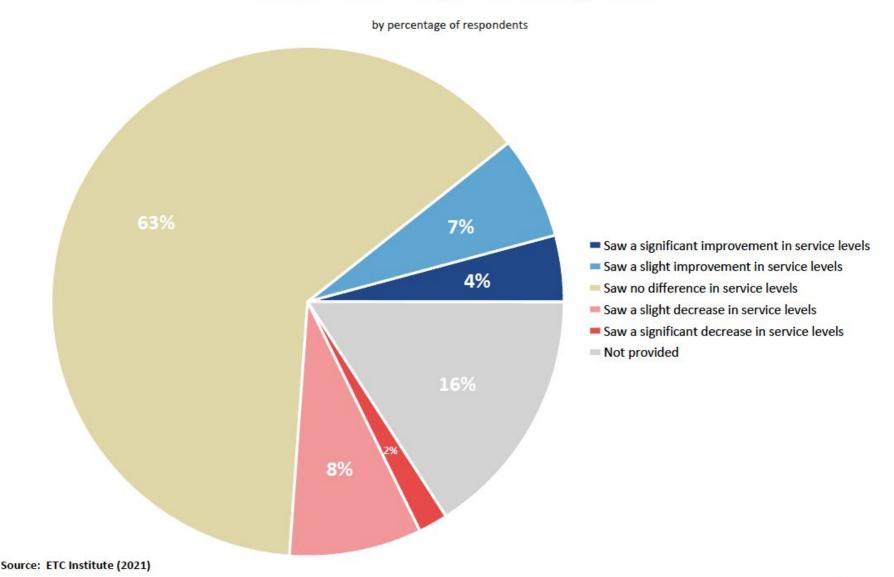
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Importance

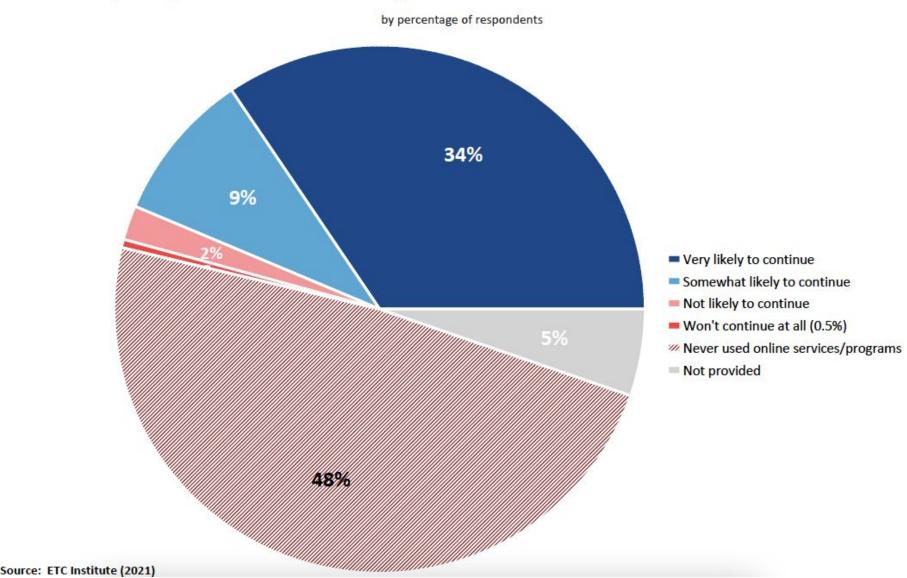


OTHER ITEMS

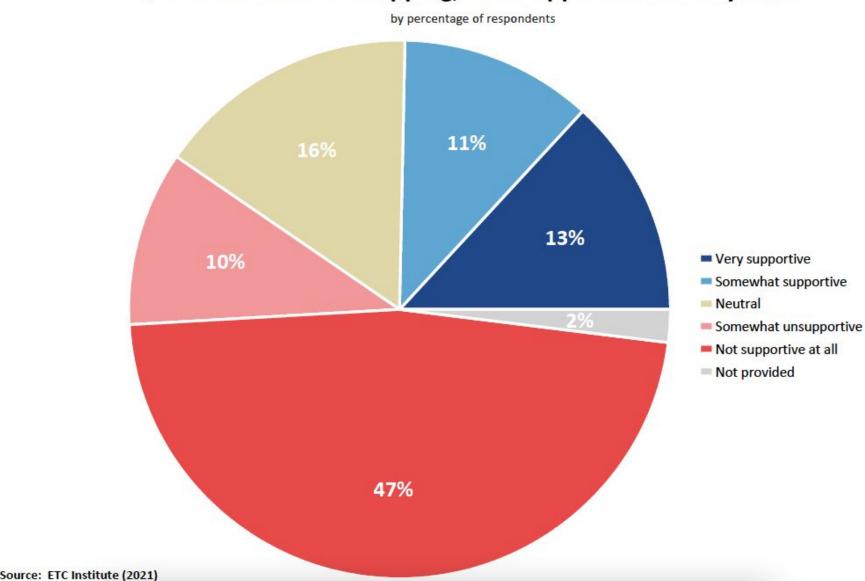
Q23. The COVID-19 Pandemic created a number of challenges for everyone in the community. How would you specifically rate the availability of services from City Hall during 2020?



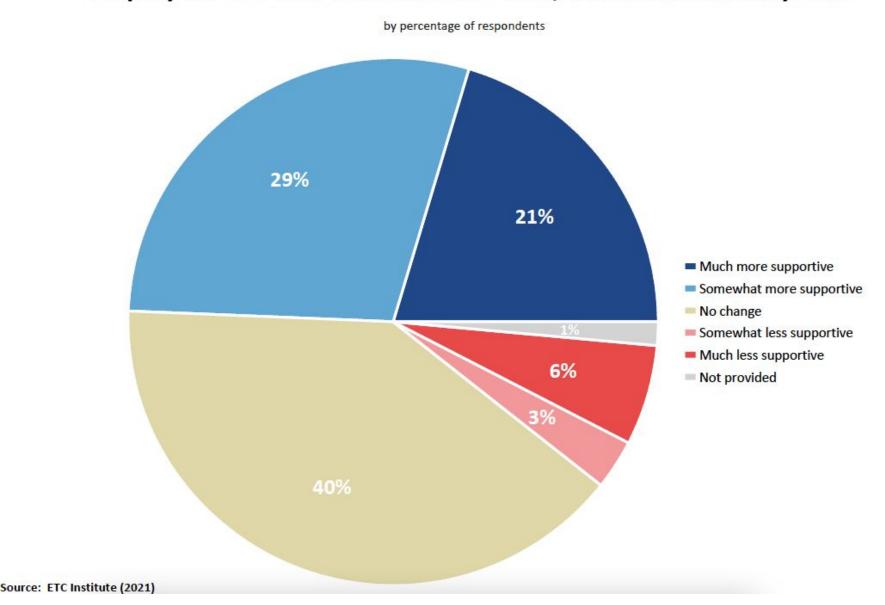
Q24. During COVID-19, the City implemented a number of online service and programming options including online occupational licensing, free online utility bill pay and virtual recreation programs. If you used any of these online services, how likely are you to continue using these online services after the Pandemic?



Q25. Currently, shoppers who use online retailers (like Amazon, Wayfair or Chewy) do not pay the same local sales tax as those who choose to shop at locally owned businesses. If the City were to propose a Use Tax that would apply the current sales tax to online shopping, how supportive would you be?



Q26. If you knew the revenue generated from this proposed Use Tax would be going to support hiring additional Police Officers, Public Works Employees or Parks Maintenance Staff, would that make you...



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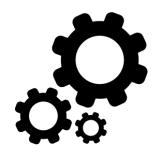
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