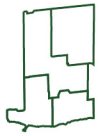


Growth Concepts Discussion Paper Engagement Summary

Public Information Centres (PICs)



4
Local Area
Municipalities



6
Virtual Public
Information Centres



798
Participants

Designed to allow people to ask questions and express their views

How We Reached Out



Notices

- **5** emails to over **800** recipients
- Over **21,000** postcards sent to rural area



Social media



Online Questionnaire



Targeted cell phone ads



Newspaper advertisements



Website and Mapping Viewer

Submissions and Inquiries



209
Total

114
Submissions

95
Inquiries

209
Submissions and inquiries

169
Policy Oriented & Site specific

From **2**
Municipalities outside of Halton

40
Site Specific only

From **122**
Individuals

From **87**
Stakeholders & Agencies

Regional Stakeholder Advisory Committee Meetings



8
Halton Agricultural Advisory Committee (HAAC)

4
Natural Heritage Advisory Committee (NHAC)

1
Halton Developers Liaison Committee (HDLC)

Additional Meetings

- Presentations to **Councils of Local Municipalities**
- **31** Meetings with **business and community organizations** as requested
- **8** Meetings with Individuals and small groups (online calendar bookings)
- Ongoing outreach to **Indigenous Communities**

1,330 responses to Growth Concepts Questionnaire

Over **31,000** page views

- Including ROPR webpage, Growth Concepts webpage, and ROPA 48

Special Provisions for Rural Residents

- Over 21,000 informational postcards were sent to addresses in rural postal codes
- Paper copies of the Discussion Paper made available at designated locations
- Residents participate in meetings via telephone.

Growth Concepts Questionnaire Results

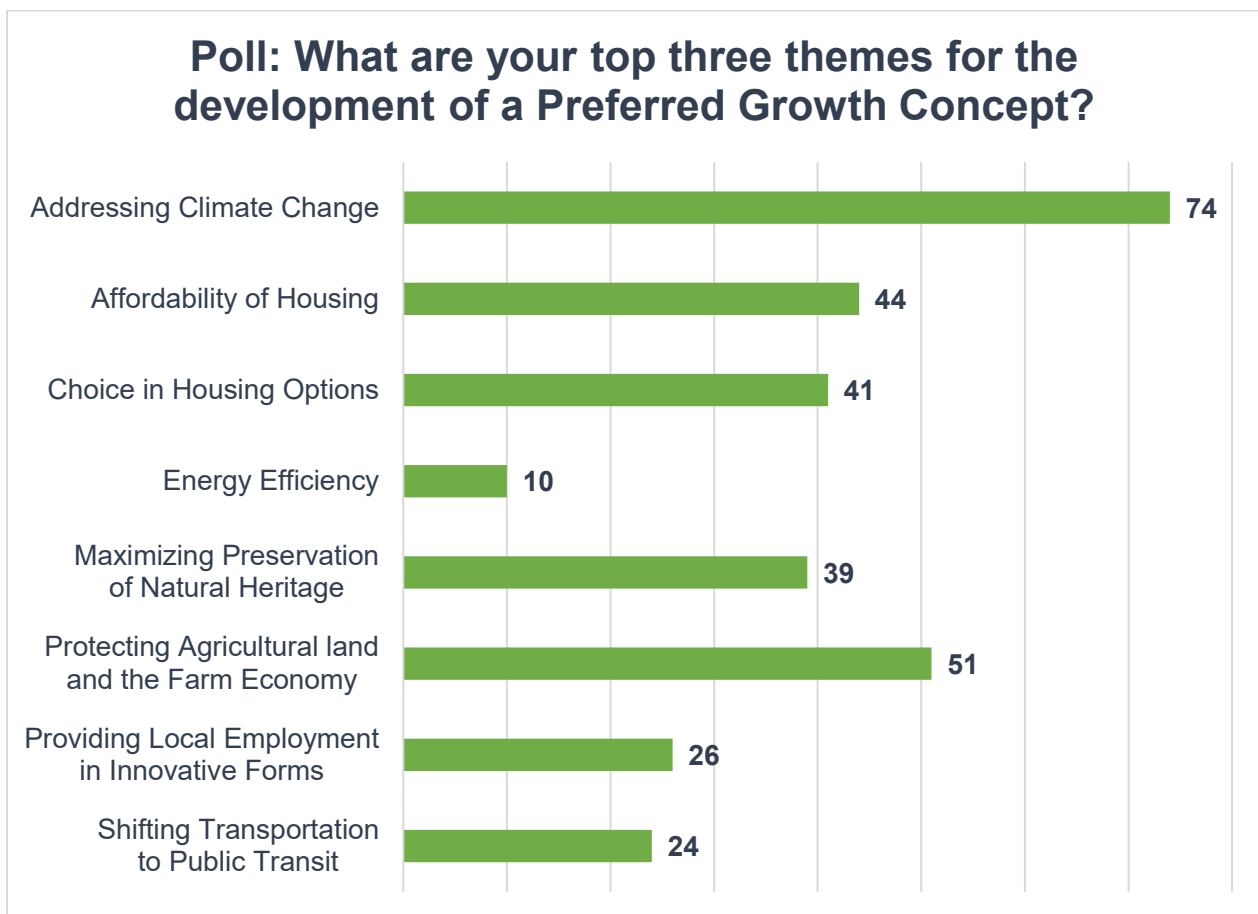
This attachment is intended to provide information on final results of the Growth Concepts Questionnaire (closed July 15, 2022) as well as what the Region heard through the Region-wide Public Information Centre (PIC).

For more information on the preliminary results of the Growth Concepts Questionnaire and the PICs related to each of Halton's Local Municipalities, please see [Attachment #3 to LPS51-21](#) (Summary of Public Engagement, February 26 – June 21, 2021).

Region Wide Public Information Centres

Preferred Growth Concept Poll

At the Region-wide PIC, participants were asked to select their three highest priority themes for the development of the Preferred Growth Concept. The top three themes overall were Addressing Climate Change, Protecting Agricultural Land and the Farm Economy, and Affordability of Housing.

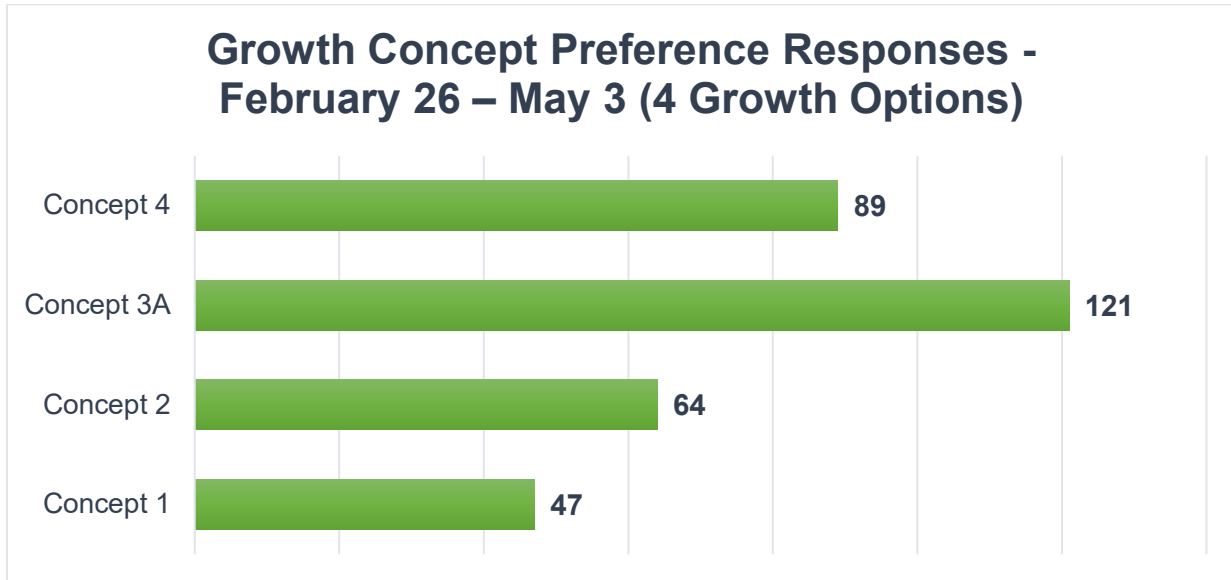


Online Questionnaire - Selected Question Responses

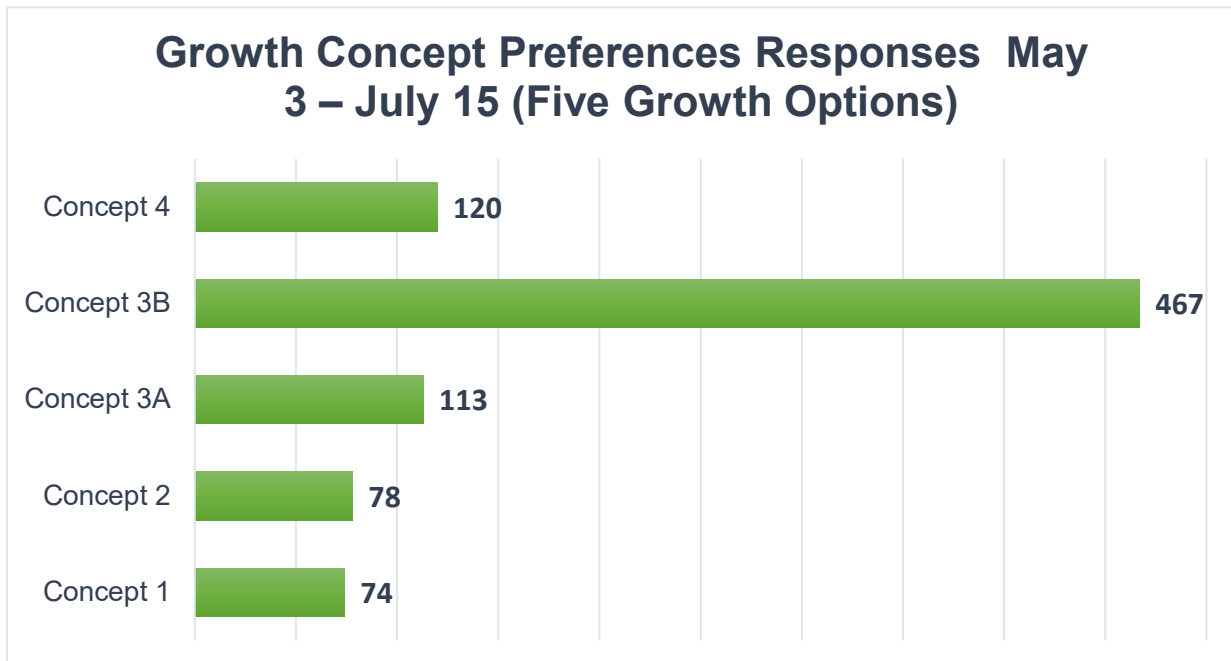
Preferred Concept Question

Reporting on the results of this question reflects the fact that, at Council's direction, an additional Growth Concept was added after the questionnaire was in process.

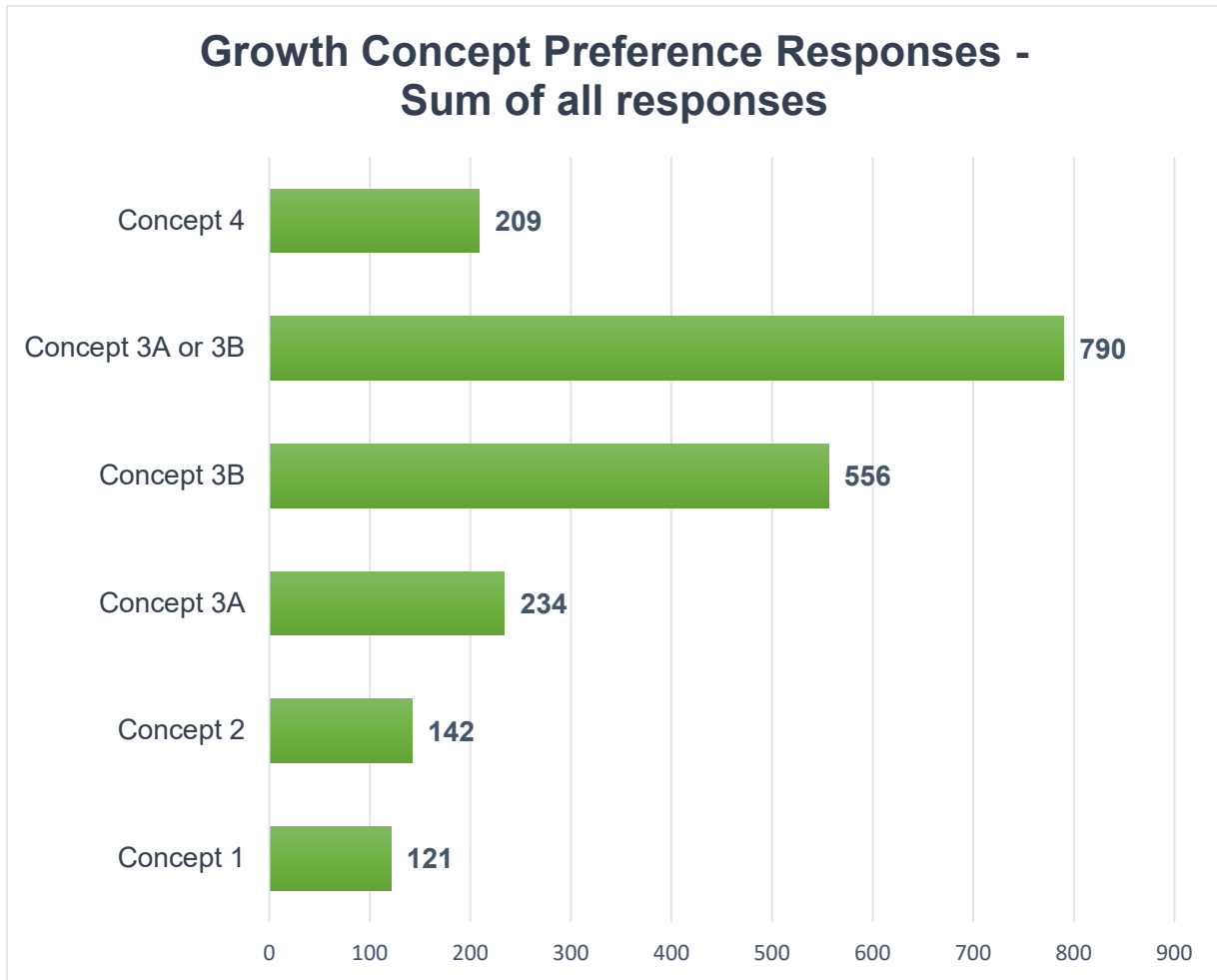
Responses - February 26 – May 3 (4 Growth Options)



Responses - May 3 – July 15 (Five Growth Options)



Responses - Sum of all responses through July 15 (Total)



Housing Options (Density) Question

Do you support increased density development?	Yes	No	With conditions	No opinion/unsure
In newly developed areas	667	427	221	40
In existing communities/neighbourhoods	615	655	251	38

Important Growth Factors Question

Important Growth Factor	Very Important	Important	No opinion/unsure	Not very important	Not important
Create communities with a full range of housing, jobs and services	565	552	97	117	54
Maximize use of land in existing urban areas to minimize expansion into agricultural or rural areas	971	221	63	89	73
Preservation of farm land and other rural lands	1,070	196	56	59	44
Protection of the natural environment	1,217	137	25	16	20
Preservation of aggregate resource areas (for example areas with gravel resources) for potential extraction	247	267	434	240	213
Flexibility and diversity of job/career options	374	592	252	132	46
Access to affordable housing	576	499	151	114	74
Having public transit to support growth	613	438	184	95	84
Minimizing municipal infrastructure costs (for example, roads and water/waste water)	359	519	276	173	70
Adapting to climate change	966	252	87	40	65
Reducing greenhouse gas emissions	969	245	86	47	55
The amount of growth directed to areas that can accommodate intensification (for example Major Transit Station Areas)	569	435	226	92	67
Location of urban expansion areas (for example, new urban lands if required)	377	378	277	180	156
Other	247	22	141	7	18