

**1. Are you a JTEL member?**

|                   |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| Yes               |   | 30.1%            | 44             |
| No                |  | 69.9%            | 102            |
| answered question |  |                  | 146            |
| skipped question  |  |                  | 1              |

**2. Have you seen the plans for the new library?**

|                   |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| Yes               |  | 71.4%            | 105            |
| No                |   | 28.6%            | 42             |
| answered question |  |                  | 147            |
| skipped question  |  |                  | 0              |

**3. Do you think the plans meet the community's needs now?**

|                        |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|------------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| Yes                    |  | 88.9%            | 96             |
| No                     |   | 11.1%            | 12             |
| Other (please specify) |  |                  | 30             |
| answered question      |  |                  | 108            |
| skipped question       |  |                  | 39             |

#### 4. And for the future?

|     |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-----|--|------------------|----------------|
| Yes |  | 80.0%            | 72             |
| No  |   | 20.0%            | 18             |
|     | Other (please specify)   |                  | 43             |
|     | answered question  |                  | 90             |
|     | skipped question   |                  | 57             |

#### 5. Please offer any suggestions you may have for improvement.

|                   | Response Count |
|-------------------|----------------|
|                   | 39             |
| answered question | 39             |
| skipped question  | 108            |

#### 6. Do you have any concerns about building a library in the community?

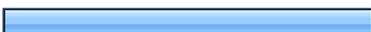
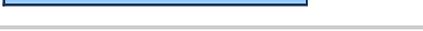
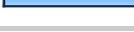
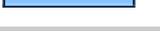
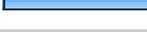
|                   | Response Count |
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|                   | 78             |
| answered question | 78             |
| skipped question  | 69             |

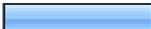
**7. The John Trigg Ester Library plans to support its building construction through grants and fundraisers. For long-term support of the library and its operation, we are considering several options. Please indicate which options you prefer.**

|  |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|--|------------------|----------------|
| Endowment  |     | 47.4%            | 64             |
| More fundraising events  |     | 34.8%            | 47             |
| The same number of fundraisers   |     | 43.7%            | 59             |
| Fewer fundraisers  |     | 3.7%             | 5              |
| State of Alaska Community Revenue Sharing program                                  |     | 46.7%            | 63             |
| Payroll deduction plans  |     | 14.1%            | 19             |
| PickClickGive Permanent Fund Dividend donation                                     |    | 71.1%            | 96             |
| Program grants (speaker series, etc.)  |   | 52.6%            | 71             |
| Equipment grants   |   | 53.3%            | 72             |
| Staff/board training grants  |   | 42.2%            | 57             |
| VISTA or other volunteer/civil service programs                                    |   | 45.2%            | 61             |
| <b>Individual donations</b>  |  | <b>78.5%</b>     | <b>106</b>     |
| Corporate donations  |   | 46.7%            | 63             |
| Nongovernmental organization grants  |   | 55.6%            | 75             |
| In-kind donations  |   | 55.6%            | 75             |
| Sponsorships (such as bookshelf dedications or subject area sponsorships)          |   | 68.1%            | 92             |
| Sales of marketing items (such as t-shirts, mugs, book bags, or other merchandise) |   | 52.6%            | 71             |

|  |   |                        |            |
|--|---|------------------------|------------|
| On-site beverage sales (coffee, tea, etc.)   |  | 53.3%                  | 72         |
| Become part of the borough library system (funding through borough property taxes and state support) |  | 25.2%                  | 34         |
|  |   | Other (please specify) | 33         |
| <b>answered question</b>   |   |                        | <b>135</b> |
| <b>skipped question</b>  |   |                        | <b>12</b>  |

**8. Which of the following materials and services would you use at the Ester Library? Select all that apply.**

|                                       |   | Response Percent | Response Count |
|---------------------------------------|---|------------------|----------------|
| Music: CDs/books/sheet music          |    | 59.3%            | 83             |
| Videos/DVDs                           |   | 73.6%            | 103            |
| <b>Printed books</b>                  |   | <b>85.7%</b>     | <b>120</b>     |
| Large print books                     |    | 23.6%            | 33             |
| Braille books                         |    | 6.4%             | 9              |
| Audio books                           |    | 52.1%            | 73             |
| Newspapers & magazines                |    | 55.7%            | 78             |
| Maps                                  |    | 53.6%            | 75             |
| Puzzles & games                       |    | 28.6%            | 40             |
| Online catalog (LibraryThing)         |  | 46.4%            | 65             |
| Book discussion groups                |  | 42.1%            | 59             |
| Local history collection/archive      |  | 58.6%            | 82             |
| Fax service                           |  | 35.0%            | 49             |
| Photocopying (black & white or color) |  | 52.9%            | 74             |
| Public computers                      |  | 45.7%            | 64             |
| Wireless computer connection          |  | 63.6%            | 89             |
| Microfilm viewer                      |  | 19.3%            | 27             |
| Preschool story time                  |  | 23.6%            | 33             |
| Teen group                            |  | 17.9%            | 25             |
| Family performances                   |  | 25.7%            | 36             |
| After school movies                   |  | 21.4%            | 30             |

|                                |   |       |    |
|--------------------------------|---|-------|----|
| Library's web page             |  | 42.9% | 60 |
| Exam proctoring                |  | 22.1% | 31 |
| Reference/information services |  | 47.9% | 67 |

Other (please specify) 24

answered question 140

skipped question 7

### 9. The Ester library's catalog is online. Have you ever used it?

|     |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-----|--|------------------|----------------|
| Yes |   | 9.0%             | 13             |
| No  |  | 91.0%            | 131            |

answered question 144

skipped question 3

### 10. If you have used the online catalog, what did you think of it?

|  | Response Count |
|--|----------------|
|  | 13             |

answered question 13

skipped question 134

## 11. How do you find out about events or activities the Ester Library hosts?

|   |   | Response Percent | Response Count |
|---|---|------------------|----------------|
| From a friend                             |  | 40.5%            | 53             |
| JTEL blog                                 |  | 7.6%             | 10             |
| Library Facebook page                     |  | 37.4%            | 49             |
| Ester Library websites (.com, .org)       |  | 10.7%            | 14             |
| Newspaper (News-Miner or Ester Republic?) |  | 35.9%            | 47             |
| <b>Posters around town</b>                |  | <b>61.1%</b>     | <b>80</b>      |
| I am unaware of library events            |  | 7.6%             | 10             |
|   | Other (please specify)  |                  | 26             |
| <b>answered question</b>                  |   |                  | <b>131</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>                   |   |                  | <b>16</b>      |

## 12. Have you attended a JTEL Library Lecture?

|                          |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--------------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| Yes                      |   | 16.2%            | 23             |
| <b>No</b>                |  | <b>83.8%</b>     | <b>119</b>     |
| <b>answered question</b> |  |                  | <b>142</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>  |  |                  | <b>5</b>       |

**13. What topics would interest you for a public lecture? Do you have any suggestions for specific speakers?**

|                   | Response Count |
|-------------------|----------------|
|                   | 53             |
| answered question | 53             |
| skipped question  | 94             |

**14. Internet in rural Alaska can be irregular. We would like to know about your computing and internet experiences and needs.**

|  | Yes                | No                | Sometimes  | Other    | Response Count    |     |
|--|--------------------|-------------------|------------|----------|-------------------|-----|
| Do you have a home computer?                                     | <b>85.3% (122)</b> | 9.8% (14)         | 4.2% (6)   | 0.7% (1) | 143               |     |
| Do you have internet access at home?                             | <b>80.4% (115)</b> | 14.7% (21)        | 4.2% (6)   | 0.7% (1) | 143               |     |
| Is the internet service reliable?                                | <b>61.2% (82)</b>  | 16.4% (22)        | 19.4% (26) | 3.0% (4) | 134               |     |
| Would you come to the library to use high speed internet?        | <b>44.3% (62)</b>  | 29.3% (41)        | 26.4% (37) | 0.0% (0) | 140               |     |
| Would you come to the library to use a computer?                 | 30.4% (41)         | <b>47.4% (64)</b> | 21.5% (29) | 0.7% (1) | 135               |     |
| Would you be interested in classes on computers or the internet? | 36.0% (50)         | <b>43.9% (61)</b> | 17.3% (24) | 2.9% (4) | 139               |     |
| Would you be interested in having e-books at the library?        | <b>52.6% (71)</b>  | 31.9% (43)        | 12.6% (17) | 3.0% (4) | 135               |     |
|  |                    |                   |            |          | answered question | 143 |
|  |                    |                   |            |          | skipped question  | 4   |

**15. If you have internet access at home, please rate your internet speed:**

|                          |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--------------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| Very Fast                |  | 5.1%             | 7              |
| Fast                     |  | 33.1%            | 45             |
| <b>Average</b>           |  | <b>33.8%</b>     | <b>46</b>      |
| Slow                     |  | 19.1%            | 26             |
| No Access                |  | 8.8%             | 12             |
| <b>answered question</b> |  |                  | <b>136</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>  |  |                  | <b>11</b>      |

**16. Comments on internet and computing:**

|                          | Response Count |
|--------------------------|----------------|
|                          | 44             |
| <b>answered question</b> | <b>44</b>      |
| <b>skipped question</b>  | <b>103</b>     |

**17. How valuable to you is having access to a local, community library?**

|                          |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--------------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>Very valuable</b>     |  | <b>61.4%</b>     | <b>86</b>      |
| Valuable                 |  | 31.4%            | 44             |
| Not too valuable         |  | 4.3%             | 6              |
| Not valuable at all      |  | 2.9%             | 4              |
| <b>answered question</b> |  |                  | <b>140</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>  |  |                  | <b>7</b>       |

**18. Please tell us about an experience you had with or in a library that made an impression on you.**

|                          | Response Count |
|--------------------------|----------------|
|                          | 64             |
| <b>answered question</b> | <b>64</b>      |
| <b>skipped question</b>  | <b>83</b>      |

**19. How often do you or your family use libraries?**

|                       |   | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-----------------------|---|------------------|----------------|
| Never                 |    | 2.9%             | 4              |
| Once a year           |    | 2.9%             | 4              |
| Twice a year          |  | 5.9%             | 8              |
| Once every few months |  | 19.1%            | 26             |
| <b>Once a month</b>   |  | <b>32.4%</b>     | <b>44</b>      |
| Once a week           |  | 25.7%            | 35             |
| More frequently       |  | 11.0%            | 15             |
|                       | <b>answered question</b>  |                  | <b>136</b>     |
|                       | <b>skipped question</b>   |                  | <b>11</b>      |

**20. I use the library for the following reasons: (check all that apply)**

|  |   | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|---|------------------|----------------|
| <b>Borrowing materials: books/audiobooks/music/movies/other</b>                      |   | 93.3%            | 126            |
| Reading current magazines or newspapers  |    | 29.6%            | 40             |
| Viewing or listening to video or audio materials                                     |    | 27.4%            | 37             |
| Educating myself or my children  |    | 62.2%            | 84             |
| Entertainment  |    | 47.4%            | 64             |
| Expanding my horizons  |    | 60.0%            | 81             |
| Meeting people or socializing  |    | 25.9%            | 35             |
| Attending: library programs/lectures/public events/civic events                      |    | 53.3%            | 72             |
| Research: hobbies or interests/homework or study/job search                          |  | 63.7%            | 86             |
| Research or study for work or an organization I belong to                            |  | 30.4%            | 41             |
| A resource for home schooling  |  | 8.1%             | 11             |
| Meeting/conference spaces  |  | 42.2%            | 57             |
| Staff assistance   |  | 13.3%            | 18             |
| Using the internet   |  | 27.4%            | 37             |
| Using computers  |  | 22.2%            | 30             |
| To use equipment: photocopier/fax/other  |  | 27.4%            | 37             |
| To check out equipment: slide projector/audio recorders/video recorders/camera/other |  | 15.6%            | 21             |

Other (please specify) 11

**answered question 135**

## 21. What time of day are you most likely to use a community library?

|                          |   | Response<br>Percent | Response<br>Count |
|--------------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| 7 am to 10 am            |  | 9.6%                | 13                |
| 10 am to noon            |  | 13.2%               | 18                |
| 1 pm to 3 pm             |  | 15.4%               | 21                |
| noon – 1 pm              |  | 8.8%                | 12                |
| 3 pm – 6 pm              |  | 30.9%               | 42                |
| <b>after 6 pm</b>        |  | <b>41.2%</b>        | <b>56</b>         |
| Anytime                  |  | 38.2%               | 52                |
| <b>answered question</b> |   |                     | <b>136</b>        |
| <b>skipped question</b>  |   |                     | <b>11</b>         |

**22. If you never use libraries, please tell us why not. Select any that apply.**

|                                      |   | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------------|----------------|
| Hours are inconvenient               |  | 23.1%            | 6              |
| Location is inconvenient             |  | 42.3%            | 11             |
| Prefer to buy my reading materials   |  | 26.9%            | 7              |
| <b>I use the Internet instead</b>    |  | <b>46.2%</b>     | <b>12</b>      |
| Not interested in library services   |   | 0.0%             | 0              |
| Not interested in library materials  |   | 0.0%             | 0              |
| Don't read much                      |  | 11.5%            | 3              |
| I'm not interested in the activities |   | 0.0%             | 0              |
| I don't know about the activities    |  | 23.1%            | 6              |
|                                      | Other (please specify)  |                  | 7              |
| <b>answered question</b>             |   |                  | <b>26</b>      |
| <b>skipped question</b>              |   |                  | <b>121</b>     |

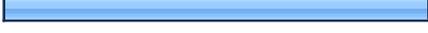
**23. Do you think you would use the library more often if:**

|  |                        | <b>Response<br/>Percent</b> | <b>Response<br/>Count</b> |
|--|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>There were a library closer to my home</b>            |                        | <b>84.0%</b>                | <b>79</b>                 |
| Hours were better  |                        | 28.7%                       | 27                        |
| Bookmobile came to a more convenient location            |                        | 4.3%                        | 4                         |
| Materials were more relevant to my interests             |                        | 11.7%                       | 11                        |
| Materials were more specific to my community             |                        | 11.7%                       | 11                        |
| Movies and activities were more relevant to my interests |                        | 18.1%                       | 17                        |
|  | Other (please specify) |                             | 12                        |
|  |                        | <b>answered question</b>    | <b>94</b>                 |
|  |                        | <b>skipped question</b>     | <b>53</b>                 |

## 24. What library services and facilities do you or would you use?

|   |   | Response Percent | Response Count |
|---|---|------------------|----------------|
| Adult learning programs   |    | 41.7%            | 53             |
| Book clubs/groups   |    | 42.5%            | 54             |
| Bookmobile  |    | 10.2%            | 13             |
| Conference rooms  |    | 47.2%            | 60             |
| Exam proctoring   |    | 12.6%            | 16             |
| Job search/preparation (resumé, applications, job listings, etc.) |    | 17.3%            | 22             |
| Movies  |    | 55.1%            | 70             |
| Public computers  |    | 39.4%            | 50             |
| <b>Public lectures</b>  |    | <b>67.7%</b>     | <b>86</b>      |
| Reference desk  |  | 48.0%            | 61             |
| Story time  |  | 19.7%            | 25             |
| Tax forms and information   |  | 24.4%            | 31             |
| WiFi or internet access   |  | 52.0%            | 66             |
| Youth programs  |  | 15.0%            | 19             |
|   | Other (please specify)  |                  | 11             |
| <b>answered question</b>  |   |                  | <b>127</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>   |   |                  | <b>20</b>      |

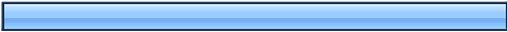
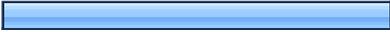
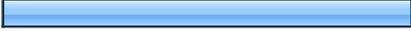
## 25. What types of books do you read?

|                                   |   | Response<br>Percent | Response<br>Count |
|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Fiction - general</b>          |   | <b>69.9%</b>        | <b>95</b>         |
| Fiction - romance                 |    | 11.8%               | 16                |
| Fiction - mystery                 |    | 33.8%               | 46                |
| Fiction - thriller                |    | 24.3%               | 33                |
| Fiction - science fiction         |    | 33.8%               | 46                |
| Fiction - historic                |    | 47.8%               | 65                |
| Nonfiction - biography            |    | 58.8%               | 80                |
| Nonfiction - current events       |    | 41.2%               | 56                |
| Nonfiction - history              |    | 64.0%               | 87                |
| Nonfiction - science              |  | 55.1%               | 75                |
| Nonfiction - travel and geography |  | 56.6%               | 77                |
| Nonfiction - how to               |  | 62.5%               | 85                |
|                                   | Other (please specify)  |                     | 20                |
| <b>answered question</b>          |   |                     | <b>136</b>        |
| <b>skipped question</b>           |   |                     | <b>11</b>         |

## 26. Where do you go to find suggestions for a book that interests you?

|                                   |  | Response<br>Percent      | Response<br>Count |
|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Amazon                            |   | 35.7%                    | 46                |
| Bestseller lists                  |   | 14.7%                    | 19                |
| Book reviews                      |   | 51.2%                    | 66                |
| Browsing the bookstores           |   | 54.3%                    | 70                |
| Browsing the library shelves      |   | 49.6%                    | 64                |
| Library staff recommendations     |   | 17.8%                    | 23                |
| Library websites                  |   | 14.0%                    | 18                |
| <b>Recommendations of friends</b> |  | <b>74.4%</b>             | <b>96</b>         |
|                                   | Other (please specify)   |                          | 22                |
|                                   |  | <b>answered question</b> | <b>129</b>        |
|                                   |  | <b>skipped question</b>  | <b>18</b>         |

**27. What other benefits do you believe a library brings? A library: (Select all that apply.)**

|  |  | Response<br>Percent | Response<br>Count |
|--|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| Encourages creativity  |    | 76.2%               | 99                |
| <b>Makes you better educated</b>                               |    | <b>85.4%</b>        | <b>111</b>        |
| Encourages you to develop your own point of view               |     | 58.5%               | 76                |
| Is a great resource for teens                                  |     | 61.5%               | 80                |
| Is committed to lifelong learning                              |    | 77.7%               | 101               |
| Is a place for parents to bond with their kids                 |     | 55.4%               | 72                |
| Provides an escape from your own world                         |     | 66.9%               | 87                |
| Is a source you can trust                                      |     | 53.1%               | 69                |
| Creates fond memories  |   | 50.0%               | 65                |
| Levels the playing field by providing equal access to everyone |  | 76.9%               | 100               |
| Protects freedom of speech and intellectual freedom            |  | 76.9%               | 100               |
| Preserves our history and culture                              |  | 79.2%               | 103               |
|  | Other (please specify)   |                     | 12                |
| <b>answered question</b>                                       |  |                     | <b>130</b>        |
| <b>skipped question</b>  |  |                     | <b>17</b>         |

## 28. The following questions are about the relationship of a library to the community.

|   | Strongly agree    | Agree             | Neutral    | Do not agree             | Response Count |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Ester needs a community gathering place                                 | <b>55.6% (75)</b> | 31.9% (43)        | 11.1% (15) | 1.5% (2)                 | 135            |
| A reputable library raises the status and image of a community          | <b>55.2% (74)</b> | 30.6% (41)        | 11.9% (16) | 2.2% (3)                 | 134            |
| Having a high-quality library raises the property values in a community | 30.8% (41)        | <b>35.3% (47)</b> | 28.6% (38) | 5.3% (7)                 | 133            |
| A library offers/should offer a variety of activities and entertainment | <b>47.4% (64)</b> | 33.3% (45)        | 15.6% (21) | 3.7% (5)                 | 135            |
| A library offers/should offer important classes and training            | 34.6% (46)        | <b>37.6% (50)</b> | 23.3% (31) | 4.5% (6)                 | 133            |
| A library helps prepare children for school                             | <b>57.8% (78)</b> | 31.1% (42)        | 9.6% (13)  | 1.5% (2)                 | 135            |
| A library introduces children to art and culture                        | <b>57.5% (77)</b> | 32.1% (43)        | 9.0% (12)  | 1.5% (2)                 | 134            |
| A library provides services to everybody                                | <b>71.1% (96)</b> | 22.2% (30)        | 6.7% (9)   | 0.0% (0)                 | 135            |
|   |                   |                   |            | Other community impacts  | 15             |
|   |                   |                   |            | <b>answered question</b> | <b>136</b>     |
|   |                   |                   |            | <b>skipped question</b>  | <b>11</b>      |

**29. Are there any negative impacts on the community from having a library? If yes please explain.**

|                   |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|-------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| Yes               |   | 15.0%            | 19             |
| No                |  | 85.0%            | 108            |
|                   | Explain  |                  | 31             |
| answered question |  |                  | 127            |
| skipped question  |  |                  | 20             |

**30. How many people live in your household?**

|                   | Response Average | Response Total | Response Count |
|-------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Number of people: | 2.53             | 334            | 132            |
| answered question |                  |                | 132            |
| skipped question  |                  |                | 15             |

### 31. And how old are they?

|                          |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--------------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| under age 6              |  | 14.7%            | 19             |
| 6 to 10 years old        |  | 14.0%            | 18             |
| 11 to 18                 |  | 17.8%            | 23             |
| 18 to 29                 |  | 21.7%            | 28             |
| 30 to 49                 |  | 46.5%            | 60             |
| <b>50 to 69</b>          |  | <b>48.8%</b>     | <b>63</b>      |
| 70+                      |  | 5.4%             | 7              |
| <b>answered question</b> |  |                  | <b>129</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>  |  |                  | <b>18</b>      |

### 32. Annual household income:

|                            |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|----------------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| less than \$20,000         |  | 10.0%            | 12             |
| \$20,000–\$29,999          |  | 13.3%            | 16             |
| \$30,000–\$39,999          |  | 12.5%            | 15             |
| \$40,000–\$49,999          |  | 10.8%            | 13             |
| \$50,000–\$69,999          |  | 19.2%            | 23             |
| \$70,000–\$99,999          |  | 12.5%            | 15             |
| <b>\$100,000–\$199,999</b> |  | <b>20.8%</b>     | <b>25</b>      |
| \$200,000 or more          |  | 0.8%             | 1              |
| <b>answered question</b>   |  |                  | <b>120</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>    |  |                  | <b>27</b>      |

### 33. What is your employment/Occupation:

|                            |                        | Response Percent | Response Count |
|----------------------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Student                    |                        | 8.7%             | 11             |
| Self-employed              |                        | 22.2%            | 28             |
| <b>Employed by someone</b> |                        | <b>55.6%</b>     | <b>70</b>      |
| Unemployed                 |                        | 0.8%             | 1              |
| Retired                    |                        | 12.7%            | 16             |
|                            | Other (please specify) |                  | 20             |
| <b>answered question</b>   |                        |                  | <b>126</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>    |                        |                  | <b>21</b>      |

### 34. In what area do you live (approximately)? Inside Ester Fire Service Area:

|                                 |  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|---------------------------------|--|------------------|----------------|
| <b>Ester Village or Lump</b>    |  | <b>37.5%</b>     | <b>36</b>      |
| Cripple Creek                   |  | 8.3%             | 8              |
| Gold Hill                       |  | 7.3%             | 7              |
| Ester Dome Road or Summit       |  | 6.3%             | 6              |
| Gold Hill Road                  |  | 5.2%             | 5              |
| Henderson/St. Patrick Road area |  | 2.1%             | 2              |
| Old Nenana                      |  | 31.3%            | 30             |
| Parks Ridge                     |  | 2.1%             | 2              |
| <b>answered question</b>        |  |                  | <b>96</b>      |
| <b>skipped question</b>         |  |                  | <b>51</b>      |

### 35. Outside Ester Fire Service Area:

|                      |   | Response Percent | Response Count |
|----------------------|---|------------------|----------------|
| Old Nenana           |  | 8.7%             | 4              |
| Parks Highway        |  | 17.4%            | 8              |
| Sheep Creek          |  | 4.3%             | 2              |
| Chena Ridge          |  | 4.3%             | 2              |
| <b>Cripple Creek</b> |  | <b>23.9%</b>     | <b>11</b>      |
| Goldstream           |  | 15.2%            | 7              |
| Fairbanks            |  | 21.7%            | 10             |
| Fox                  |   | 0.0%             | 0              |
| North Pole           |  | 4.3%             | 2              |

Other (please specify) 18

**answered question 46**

**skipped question 101**

### 36. What is the primary language spoken in your household?

|                          | Response Count |
|--------------------------|----------------|
|                          | 128            |
| <b>answered question</b> | <b>128</b>     |
| <b>skipped question</b>  | <b>19</b>      |

### 37. Which languages would you prefer library materials in?

|                   | Response Count |
|-------------------|----------------|
|                   | 115            |
| answered question | 115            |
| skipped question  | 32             |

### 38. Where do you currently go to socialize or connect with others? (Indicate all that apply.)

|  | Response Percent | Response Count |
|--|------------------|----------------|
| AA or other 12-Step group                      | 1.5%             | 2              |
| bar or saloon                                  | 39.0%            | 53             |
| bookstores                                     | 35.3%            | 48             |
| Chamber of Commerce or Rotary                  | 5.1%             | 7              |
| child's school/events/child's sports           | 23.5%            | 32             |
| church/temple/mosque                           | 18.4%            | 25             |
| civic events                                   | 45.6%            | 62             |
| clubs or hobby groups                          | 28.7%            | 39             |
| coffeehouse                                    | 53.7%            | 73             |
| dining/restaurants/out to eat                  | 52.9%            | 72             |
| drama / dance / music / writing / art group    | 40.4%            | 55             |
| family or home                                 | 71.3%            | 97             |
| <b>friends</b>                                 | <b>82.4%</b>     | <b>112</b>     |
| grocery store, farmers' market, or supermarket | 36.0%            | 49             |
| gym/exercise class                             | 16.9%            | 23             |

|                                     |   |       |    |
|-------------------------------------|---|-------|----|
| movie theatre                       |  | 15.4% | 21 |
| online                              |  | 27.9% | 38 |
| parks                               |  | 44.1% | 60 |
| parties/barbecues/bonfires/potlucks |  | 66.9% | 91 |
| school/college                      |  | 35.3% | 48 |
| sporting events, sports             |  | 22.1% | 30 |
| study / homework group              |  | 7.4%  | 10 |
| theater or performances             |  | 41.2% | 56 |
| travel                              |  | 36.0% | 49 |
| volunteer work                      |  | 41.9% | 57 |
| work                                |  | 49.3% | 67 |
| I don't socialize                   |  | 2.9%  | 4  |

Other (please specify) 15

|                          |            |
|--------------------------|------------|
| <b>answered question</b> | <b>136</b> |
| <b>skipped question</b>  | <b>11</b>  |

**Page 2, Q3. Do you think the plans meet the community's needs now?**

|   |   |                       |
|---|---|-----------------------|
| 1 | probably  | Sep 1, 2011 1:30 PM   |
| 2 | n/a (not seen)  | Sep 1, 2011 1:27 PM   |
| 3 | haven't seen  | Aug 18, 2011 3:25 PM  |
| 4 | I don't know  | Aug 16, 2011 10:15 PM |
| 5 | I think it would add to the entertainment of the village since all the gold camp shows stopped! | Aug 6, 2011 4:53 PM   |
| 6 | Don't know yet.   | Aug 6, 2011 4:44 PM   |
| 7 | Showers would be nice. already included? can't remember!  | Aug 6, 2011 3:51 PM   |
| 8 | probably  | Aug 6, 2011 3:21 PM   |

**Page 2, Q3. Do you think the plans meet the community's needs now?**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 9  | ?  | Aug 6, 2011 3:14 PM   |
| 10 | thank you for all of y our hard work!  | Aug 6, 2011 2:55 PM   |
| 11 | Did anyone do a needs survey?  | Aug 5, 2011 11:52 AM  |
| 12 | Not very well informed about specific needs  | Jul 30, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 13 | Don't know.  | Jul 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 14 | Seems small  | Jul 26, 2011 7:40 PM  |
| 15 | Cannot answer knowledgeably.   | Jul 26, 2011 5:34 PM  |
| 16 | I haven't even KNOWN about the library.  | Jul 10, 2011 6:30 PM  |
| 17 | A waste of money   | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 18 | I haven't seen the plans for awhile.   | Jun 7, 2011 9:09 AM   |
| 19 | I don't know   | May 30, 2011 12:49 AM |
| 20 | I see more of a need for a community gathering place, less for hard-copy books. More meeting and performance space would be welcome.   | Apr 9, 2011 3:36 PM   |
| 21 | don't know   | Apr 9, 2011 2:12 PM   |
| 22 | ?  | Mar 22, 2011 7:10 PM  |
| 23 | NA   | Mar 19, 2011 12:56 PM |
| 24 | DK   | Mar 16, 2011 12:38 AM |
| 25 | Don't know   | Mar 15, 2011 11:08 PM |
| 26 | Don't need a library   | Mar 13, 2011 10:49 AM |
| 27 | I'm not sure the community needs a library - the borough and university libraries are so close and really great. The borough library is especially good and serves the community wonderfully. I do think Ester needs a community center, gathering space (other than the bar) that could meet a wide range of community needs and be very well utilized. | Mar 8, 2011 9:00 AM   |
| 28 | Pretty much, of course, if \$\$ weren't an issue, would be cool to have more space, levels, etc.   | Mar 7, 2011 8:44 PM   |
| 29 | if I haven't seen the plans, how could I know?   | Mar 7, 2011 4:57 PM   |
| 30 | I think the library is an ambitious step beyond its present state as housed on Main St.  | Mar 4, 2011 7:56 PM   |

**Page 2, Q4. And for the future?**

|   |     |                     |
|---|-----|---------------------|
| 1 | IDK | Sep 1, 2011 1:27 PM |
|---|-----|---------------------|

**Page 2, Q4. And for the future?**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 2  | See 2   | Aug 18, 2011 3:25 PM  |
| 3  | don't know  | Aug 16, 2011 10:15 PM |
| 4  | Don't know.   | Aug 6, 2011 4:44 PM   |
| 5  | This will need to be reassessed.  | Aug 6, 2011 4:26 PM   |
| 6  | FM (hearing impaired) checkout/borrow   | Aug 6, 2011 4:15 PM   |
| 7  | are there enough book shelves?  | Aug 6, 2011 3:43 PM   |
| 8  | prolly  | Aug 6, 2011 3:21 PM   |
| 9  | ?   | Aug 6, 2011 3:14 PM   |
| 10 | Yes, but I am assuming flexibility for expansions   | Aug 6, 2011 2:48 PM   |
| 11 | Perhaps. As long as there is room for growth, in the building, collection, and staff.           | Aug 6, 2011 1:37 PM   |
| 12 | Depends on growth of community  | Aug 6, 2011 1:30 PM   |
| 13 | Don't know.   | Aug 6, 2011 11:57 AM  |
| 14 | I hope the population doesn't expand too much   | Aug 5, 2011 11:52 AM  |
| 15 | Not sure  | Aug 5, 2011 11:33 AM  |
| 16 | Not sure of growth projections, so don't know needs.  | Jul 30, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 17 | Don't know.   | Jul 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 18 | I would give a few thousand books if I thought room.  | Jul 26, 2011 7:40 PM  |
| 19 | see above answer  | Jul 26, 2011 5:34 PM  |
| 20 | I haven't seen the plans, or know what's available  | Jul 10, 2011 6:30 PM  |
| 21 | Please cancel - obsolete already  | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 22 | Depending upon the usage, could the present floorplan be enlarged in the future?                | Jun 7, 2011 9:09 AM   |
| 23 | No idea   | May 30, 2011 12:49 AM |
| 24 | don't know  | Apr 10, 2011 1:16 PM  |
| 25 | In the future, more information will be delivered on-line and on-screen. Need to plan for this. | Apr 9, 2011 3:36 PM   |
| 26 | don't know  | Apr 9, 2011 2:12 PM   |
| 27 | I like that it can grow downhill as the community expands                                       | Apr 3, 2011 10:20 AM  |
| 28 | ?   | Mar 22, 2011 7:10 PM  |

**Page 2, Q4. And for the future?**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 29 | It would be nice to have a plan for expansion built into the current design...that way doorways can be framed, and utilities planned for easy hook-up. Power can be over-designed for now, so it is scaled appropriately for expansion. | Mar 19, 2011 2:35 PM  |
| 30 | NA  | Mar 19, 2011 12:56 PM |
| 31 | I expect the library will grow with the needs/wants of the village.   | Mar 17, 2011 10:43 PM |
| 32 | Not sure, haven't looked thoroughly enough  | Mar 16, 2011 9:54 AM  |
| 33 | DK  | Mar 16, 2011 12:38 AM |
| 34 | Don't know  | Mar 15, 2011 11:08 PM |
| 35 | too small, meeting/study space needed, room to grow collection, adequately house staff workspace, etc   | Mar 14, 2011 1:37 PM  |
| 36 | Library of the future hard to envision--e-books etc.  | Mar 13, 2011 4:33 PM  |
| 37 | same  | Mar 13, 2011 10:49 AM |
| 38 | again, pretty much, although as greater Ester grows, so will our needs.   | Mar 7, 2011 8:44 PM   |
| 39 | ditto   | Mar 7, 2011 4:57 PM   |
| 40 | unknown   | Mar 4, 2011 7:56 PM   |
| 41 | hard to say, probably Ok for the short-medium term  | Feb 28, 2011 2:03 PM  |
| 42 | The library will need to expand to properly meet the needs of the local area.   | Feb 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 43 | We may need to expand in the future.  | Feb 25, 2011 10:24 PM |

**Page 2, Q5. Please offer any suggestions you may have for improvement.**

|   |   |                       |
|---|---|-----------------------|
| 1 | handicap accessibility  | Sep 1, 2011 1:41 PM   |
| 2 | a coat room near the entrance, maybe make ppl take off their boots in winter  | Sep 1, 2011 1:30 PM   |
| 3 | Instead of a library a community center w/laundry & gathering space bigger than Hartung Hall                              | Sep 1, 2011 12:58 PM  |
| 4 | None really, the plans look amazing for Ester   | Sep 1, 2011 12:50 PM  |
| 5 | NA  | Aug 18, 2011 8:41 PM  |
| 6 | Poetry slams  | Aug 18, 2011 3:25 PM  |
| 7 | I'm sorry to say I haven't seen it.   | Aug 16, 2011 10:15 PM |
| 8 | Incorporate permaculture principles. Water harvesting & community gardens, conference room area, shower. Public Internet. | Aug 6, 2011 4:44 PM   |

**Page 2, Q5. Please offer any suggestions you may have for improvement.**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 9  | some volunteer staff?  | Aug 6, 2011 4:15 PM   |
| 10 | washateria   | Aug 6, 2011 3:51 PM   |
| 11 | Let's do a permaculture outside of the library. Maybe. Possibly do a indoor herb garden and maybe a vertical garden on the outside wall  | Aug 6, 2011 3:43 PM   |
| 12 | none @ this time   | Aug 6, 2011 2:48 PM   |
| 13 | cover any concrete floors--bad for long term human feet, knees & back  | Aug 6, 2011 1:06 PM   |
| 14 | big square tables, comfortable chairs, like work carrels at the university library   | Aug 6, 2011 12:53 PM  |
| 15 | masonry heater   | Aug 6, 2011 12:12 PM  |
| 16 | I don't know the plans, but I do hope the Library will choose to emphasize printed media over electronic media.  | Jul 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 17 | Y'all are doing a great job!   | Jul 26, 2011 7:40 PM  |
| 18 | Are there multiple arctic entryways? Heat efficiencies? Will there be a basement/foundation of some sort? I have an up-to-date book on Interior Foundations available.   | Jul 26, 2011 5:34 PM  |
| 19 | Save the money and spend it on a different plan  | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 20 | Great!   | Jun 14, 2011 9:37 PM  |
| 21 | A coffee shop! Tiny, but perfect for supplying a good cuppa for curling up with a book with.   | May 5, 2011 2:13 PM   |
| 22 | LEED and Passive HAUS standards, net zero energy, is a plus for the community standards, philosophy of self reliance and an living example of what we see for the future of the Republic of Ester, State of Alaska and USA | Apr 12, 2011 8:12 PM  |
| 23 | larger kids area. closed door meeting space.   | Apr 10, 2011 1:16 PM  |
| 24 | The parking lot looks small - will that be enough parking space?   | Apr 10, 2011 9:44 AM  |
| 25 | Keep to the highest energy efficiency and remind all of the slogan:" Libraries can get you through times without money much better than money can get you through times with no libraries."                                | Mar 26, 2011 9:27 PM  |
| 26 | When I looked at the building plans, a future expansion plan wasn't obvious to me. I know other future possibilities like solar panels has been taken into account in the planning phase. Has future expansion?            | Mar 23, 2011 12:39 PM |
| 27 | The only staircase I saw was spiral. Pretty, but damn difficult for moving large or heavy objects up and down. Also difficult for people who may be walking with crutches or have poor balance.                            | Mar 19, 2011 2:35 PM  |
| 28 | A larger 'childrens' area would be nice.   | Mar 17, 2011 10:43 PM |
| 29 | Enough parking?  | Mar 13, 2011 4:33 PM  |
| 30 | Plan to add additional buildings - maybe a "campus-like" place.  | Mar 13, 2011 1:45 PM  |

**Page 2, Q5. Please offer any suggestions you may have for improvement.**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 31 | Like the post office, libraries will become irrelevant. Technology is undoing the traditional institutions.                                      | Mar 13, 2011 10:49 AM |
| 32 | get it built   | Mar 8, 2011 3:54 PM   |
| 33 | I think ya'll have done a wonderful job within the constraints and possibilities.  | Mar 7, 2011 8:44 PM   |
| 34 | A wider distribution of the plans, perhaps.  | Mar 7, 2011 4:57 PM   |
| 35 | Loved the photos of innovative children's section of Wyoming Library.  | Mar 7, 2011 1:25 PM   |
| 36 | I wonder what info the community (or FNSB) might have for population projection of Ester.  | Mar 4, 2011 7:56 PM   |
| 37 | Hope there will be high speed internet available. Many folks in the area will be underserved for a long time due to location or economic issues. | Mar 1, 2011 4:55 PM   |
| 38 | Continue, as you have been doing, to embrace the western side of the borough.  | Feb 28, 2011 1:47 PM  |
| 39 | So far, I like it a lot. More bike-friendly, maybe community garden?   | Feb 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |

**Page 2, Q6. Do you have any concerns about building a library in the community?**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 1  | none   | Sep 1, 2011 1:41 PM   |
| 2  | no...but people might get too smart and take over the world! | Sep 1, 2011 1:30 PM   |
| 3  | That it might not be open 24 hrs like the one now            | Sep 1, 2011 1:27 PM   |
| 4  | concerns about ongoing costs                                 | Sep 1, 2011 1:03 PM   |
| 5  | None   | Sep 1, 2011 12:50 PM  |
| 6  | No   | Aug 18, 2011 8:41 PM  |
| 7  | It's a wonderful thing though.                               | Aug 16, 2011 10:15 PM |
| 8  | Let's do it!   | Aug 6, 2011 4:44 PM   |
| 9  | Huge joy!  | Aug 6, 2011 4:26 PM   |
| 10 | no   | Aug 6, 2011 4:15 PM   |
| 11 | It's a great idea.   | Aug 6, 2011 3:55 PM   |
| 12 | it's great!  | Aug 6, 2011 3:51 PM   |
| 13 | no - it's a great plan!                                      | Aug 6, 2011 3:21 PM   |
| 14 | less trees   | Aug 6, 2011 3:14 PM   |
| 15 | no   | Aug 6, 2011 2:55 PM   |

**Page 2, Q6. Do you have any concerns about building a library in the community?**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 16 | none - I can see only benefit   | Aug 6, 2011 2:48 PM   |
| 17 | None  | Aug 6, 2011 1:37 PM   |
| 18 | no--I think t's going to be great for the community   | Aug 6, 2011 1:06 PM   |
| 19 | should be a nice place to hang out, relax on the couch, read, work at a table, not just stacks of books.  | Aug 6, 2011 12:53 PM  |
| 20 | I would hope our community library would not discourage the bookmobile from coming monthly.   | Aug 6, 2011 12:37 PM  |
| 21 | maintenance costs, etc.   | Aug 6, 2011 12:12 PM  |
| 22 | Do it!  | Aug 6, 2011 11:57 AM  |
| 23 | Yes. How long is it going to take to build  | Aug 5, 2011 12:10 PM  |
| 24 | Don't want a gargantuan building--or ugly.  | Aug 5, 2011 11:52 AM  |
| 25 | I think it is long overdue.   | Aug 5, 2011 11:33 AM  |
| 26 | Will the library be associated with the other borough libraries?  | Jul 27, 2011 12:03 AM |
| 27 | No concerns, I think it is fantastic and hope to become a member in the near future   | Jul 26, 2011 11:52 PM |
| 28 | I think it's a great idea, ans I support it. If I lived closer, I'd most likely be a member.  | Jul 26, 2011 9:57 PM  |
| 29 | Only that it will become yet another internet outlet...   | Jul 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 30 | A little concern about our borough library that needs so much maintenance right now and the thought of a new library taking away from what is needed at the main library....but I'm also aware that the moneys do not overlap and any new library in a community is a huge asset for the area   | Jul 26, 2011 7:55 PM  |
| 31 | Sorry, I don't live in Ester.   | Jul 26, 2011 7:40 PM  |
| 32 | Can there be Free School meetings there? :)   | Jul 26, 2011 5:34 PM  |
| 33 | it will turn into a flop house money pit.   | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 34 | No concerns just great idea and fact  | Jun 14, 2011 9:37 PM  |
| 35 | I think it's a great idea!  | Jun 11, 2011 11:29 AM |
| 36 | I did have some concern initially but considering the distance we are from town and the last ice storm... Ester has always had an independent nature and a library which serves the needs of the area fits right in. I use the present library on a monthly basis and enjoy being able to walk down the road when I am in need of either a book or a movie. My main concern is how to support the library financially over the long haul, especially fuel during the winter months. | Jun 7, 2011 9:09 AM   |
| 37 | none  | May 15, 2011 12:16 AM |

**Page 2, Q6. Do you have any concerns about building a library in the community?**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 38 | Maybe I'm just short-sighted and narrow-minded but sometimes I question the need for an additional library in the Fairbanks area...  | May 1, 2011 12:34 AM  |
| 39 | My only concerns would be funding operations and maintenance.  | Apr 28, 2011 9:20 AM  |
| 40 | I am concerned about upkeep and security of the building.  | Apr 16, 2011 3:44 PM  |
| 41 | I think its a wonderful idea and applaud the work of all those whose vision and hard work have brought it to this point.   | Apr 12, 2011 8:30 PM  |
| 42 | That the momentum must be maintained, the enthusiasm fostered and the commitment attained.   | Apr 12, 2011 8:12 PM  |
| 43 | parking.   | Apr 10, 2011 1:16 PM  |
| 44 | Just that there is already a public library 10 miles away and a University library 5 miles away. What we need most is community space. A welcoming place for kids to do homework, folks to meet and talk about ideas, current events, books, news. We can't possibly try to be the major local repository for books.   | Apr 9, 2011 3:36 PM   |
| 45 | no   | Apr 9, 2011 2:12 PM   |
| 46 | No.  | Apr 5, 2011 9:25 AM   |
| 47 | Eventually Parking   | Apr 3, 2011 10:20 AM  |
| 48 | No.  | Apr 2, 2011 3:05 PM   |
| 49 | Just maintaining it.   | Mar 26, 2011 9:27 PM  |
| 50 | No, I think it will be a great community resource.   | Mar 23, 2011 12:39 PM |
| 51 | no   | Mar 22, 2011 7:10 PM  |
| 52 | I think its great. I wonder how we will find money for utilities, maintenance, and salary for librarians. What is the plan? Will this be a 501c3 looking for grants? If strictly membership, then how much would it cost? If costly would members want to exclude non-members from entry? That would be unfriendly, but how much would non-members impact expenses...something to think about. | Mar 19, 2011 2:35 PM  |
| 53 | Mixed feelings. I love the Noel Wien Library and the Mobile Service it provides. JTEL reminds me of doctors who buy expensive testing equipment that otherwise people would go to hospital for--doesn't it undermine the hospital itself and make it harder for it to fulfill its mission.   | Mar 19, 2011 12:56 PM |
| 54 | Greatly looking forward to it!   | Mar 17, 2011 10:43 PM |
| 55 | No - very happy to see it happening  | Mar 16, 2011 9:54 AM  |
| 56 | No.  | Mar 15, 2011 11:08 PM |
| 57 | Seems counterproductive for Ester to have a private library when the borough has library powers  | Mar 14, 2011 1:37 PM  |
| 58 | No.  | Mar 13, 2011 4:33 PM  |

**Page 2, Q6. Do you have any concerns about building a library in the community?**

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|----|--|-----------------------|
| 59 | we already have library service w/bookmobile. why duplicate? why not make ester library community ctr with browsing exchange rather than all the effort to recreate the wheel?   | Mar 13, 2011 2:06 PM  |
| 60 | No - I think it's a great thing all around.  | Mar 13, 2011 1:45 PM  |
| 61 | It needs private enterprise to sell coffee and provide a meeting place to connect people face to face.   | Mar 13, 2011 10:49 AM |
| 62 | I think we have a fine borough library in Noel Wien which also sends a library van out to Ester frequently. I do not see how the expense required for a viable library in Ester is worthwhile when our community, the FNSB, has an excellent, underfunded borough library.   | Mar 12, 2011 10:07 PM |
| 63 | I don't really have concerns, but I also don't really see the need. The Ester Library will never have the variety of books that the Fairbanks public library does, and I to to Fairbanks each day to work.   | Mar 12, 2011 2:41 PM  |
| 64 | Only the constant cost of upkeep, insurance, employees etc.  | Mar 9, 2011 9:09 PM   |
| 65 | No, I think it will be great.  | Mar 9, 2011 5:25 PM   |
| 66 | nope we need it  | Mar 8, 2011 3:54 PM   |
| 67 | yes, maintenance of the building   | Mar 8, 2011 9:00 AM   |
| 68 | I think libraries bring life to communities. Ester is already lively. A new building and new services at JTEL will bring even more life! That is a good thing!   | Mar 7, 2011 8:44 PM   |
| 69 | Is it sustainable?   | Mar 7, 2011 4:57 PM   |
| 70 | NO   | Mar 7, 2011 1:25 PM   |
| 71 | I think that it is asking for to much and it is to big.  | Mar 4, 2011 9:35 PM   |
| 72 | I am concerned that the operation cost of a new building may exceed the community's interest in supporting it.   | Mar 4, 2011 7:56 PM   |
| 73 | Only praise,   | Mar 1, 2011 4:55 PM   |
| 74 | Other than the fact that the materials are likely to be more broad than those selected for the FNSB Library system, I kind of wonder why build this library. The FNSB system is very user friendly and has excellent service. Most households in Ester have at least one member who commutes into Fairbanks at least a few times per week, not to mention the FNSB Library Bookmobile visits Ester also. It kind of seems like some other service unique to Ester-- not available elsewhere in town-- would be a better investment for the funds. Such an investment could also be used to gain income into the Ester community. | Mar 1, 2011 4:20 PM   |
| 75 | Hell no!   | Feb 28, 2011 1:44 PM  |
| 76 | If it will be available to others in outlying areas- such as Goldstream.   | Feb 27, 2011 5:33 PM  |
| 77 | Nope. We really need one. Cripple Creek needs one, too!  | Feb 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 78 | No, I think it is a great thing for the community.   | Feb 25, 2011 10:24 PM |

**Page 2, Q7. The John Trigg Ester Library plans to support its building construction through grants and fundraisers. For long-term support of the library and its operation, we are considering several options. Please indicate which options you prefer.**

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|    | craftsmen & women!  |                       |
| 2  | The only reason I didn't suggest sales of marketing items is because for it to be of value in fundraising the logo has to be really great and the items need to "move" well. The items should have value even to those who aren't especially interested in the library for them to sell well - not sure of mixing library and food but it might work - although that becomes a business in itself.  | Aug 16, 2011 10:15 PM |
| 3  | Fancy dinners. What are the downsides to this [joining the borough]?  | Aug 6, 2011 4:26 PM   |
| 4  | Frugality...no government of any sort, just ECA/JTEL--if you can even call this government  | Aug 6, 2011 3:43 PM   |
| 5  | ? maybe not [become part of the borough library system]   | Aug 6, 2011 3:21 PM   |
| 6  | NO!!! on-site beverage sales  | Aug 6, 2011 1:37 PM   |
| 7  | maybe become part of the borough system?  | Aug 6, 2011 12:37 PM  |
| 8  | Whoa. Hadn't thought of beverage sales! But B & N seems to do pretty good with that sort of thing.  | Jul 26, 2011 7:40 PM  |
| 9  | Radio Drives!!!   | Jul 26, 2011 5:34 PM  |
| 10 | I think the Ester community is an untapped resource for the Library to draw on, and vice-versa. I'd like to see more outreach or, some sort of public event to reach the community, grow awareness. I heard about this at the Ester Market, a good start.   | Jul 10, 2011 6:30 PM  |
| 11 | I won't give anything except good free advice   | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 12 | no part of the borough at this time. Maybe later.   | Jun 14, 2011 9:37 PM  |
| 13 | Have you discussed subscriptions? I think sales revenue due to logo related items are never profitable.   | Jun 7, 2011 9:09 AM   |
| 14 | I'm not opposed to any fundraising that works as long as it's truly voluntary for the donees.   | Apr 28, 2011 9:20 AM  |
| 15 | Ask wealthy individuals through a one-on-one presentation. Offer to name the building in their honor if they donate the full amount needed.   | Apr 12, 2011 8:12 PM  |
| 16 | You would know better than me. I am unfamiliar with what some of these would mean for operation of the library.   | Apr 5, 2011 9:25 AM   |
| 17 | You are doing a good job of "going Slowly". There will be good time and not so good times. Right now we are in very poor times, but be ready for good times when resources can be readily captured from private enterprise looking for private non-profits as write offs. You are in the game and on the field, and don't compromise your future plans due to short comings today. If you have the resources though, it is better to at least start! Do not however make it too expensive to operate. | Apr 3, 2011 10:20 AM  |

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|----|---|-----------------------|
| 18 | I have little experience in such matters.   | Apr 2, 2011 3:05 PM   |
| 19 | Not sure what becoming part of the borough system entails- benefits & drawbacks   | Mar 30, 2011 2:06 PM  |
| 20 | While I like the idea of onsite sales of marketing items or beverages, I don't believe these are really fundraising avenues for the long-term support of JTEL.              | Mar 23, 2011 12:39 PM |
| 21 | -Additional food sales...like Barnes and Noble  | Mar 19, 2011 2:35 PM  |
| 22 | Would like to know more about being part of the borough's system--what the ramifications of that would be--both pro and con   | Mar 19, 2011 12:56 PM |
| 23 | Rent office space to other community organizations. Grants are not a sustainable income source - need a reliable  | Mar 15, 2011 4:00 PM  |
| 24 | Develop three years of rigorous audits to qualify for significant grants  | Mar 14, 2011 1:37 PM  |
| 25 | Beware joining The System--political pressures/limitations likely follow (that is, yr. last option is ugly).  | Mar 13, 2011 4:33 PM  |
| 26 | I don't like the idea of the library being part of the borough. I think everything else should be pursued - especially volunteer service.                                   | Mar 13, 2011 1:45 PM  |
| 27 | I do not support funding for an Ester library when our existing library, Noel Wien, is in need of money for basic upkeep, such as roof repairs.                             | Mar 12, 2011 10:07 PM |
| 28 | Why isn't "self-sustaining" a long-term option? Aren't we all supposed to be about "sustainability"?  | Mar 10, 2011 4:20 PM  |
| 29 | not sure how much control it implies if we are part of the library system. could be good I guess but I want us to keep a fair amount of control and that is more important. | Mar 8, 2011 3:54 PM   |
| 30 | I don't know enough about the strings attached to becoming a part of the borough library system to pass judgement on that choice.   | Mar 7, 2011 8:44 PM   |
| 31 | Try to away from donations that may dictate character of Library.   | Mar 1, 2011 4:55 PM   |
| 32 | would becoming part of the borough library system lead to a loss of independence? If not, seems like a good way to go.  | Feb 28, 2011 2:03 PM  |
| 33 | Please DON'T become part of the borough--public libraries always get cut when times are lean. If we keep it ours, we have a better chance of keeping it for the long term.  | Feb 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |

**Page 2, Q8. Which of the following materials and services would you use at the Ester Library? Select all that apply.**

|   |       |                      |
|---|-------|----------------------|
| 1 | manga | Aug 18, 2011 3:25 PM |
|---|-------|----------------------|

**Page 2, Q8. Which of the following materials and services would you use at the Ester Library? Select all that apply.**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 2  | teens: any help these poor creatures can get  | Aug 6, 2011 3:21 PM   |
| 3  | nice table to work at, nice big armchairs and couches to relax on. Public phone, pay phone which can do 800, 877 numbers                              | Aug 6, 2011 12:53 PM  |
| 4  | historical photographs archive/historical recollections of life in Ester  | Aug 6, 2011 12:27 PM  |
| 5  | Laptops that I can check out.   | Aug 5, 2011 12:10 PM  |
| 6  | I'm on the border and also use Noel Wein  | Jul 30, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 7  | Free School headquarters?   | Jul 26, 2011 5:34 PM  |
| 8  | Support the Noel wien Library instead   | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 9  | I think it all sounds great...is there room enough to honor all the above?  | Jun 7, 2011 9:09 AM   |
| 10 | Electronic books available on-line  | Apr 28, 2011 9:20 AM  |
| 11 | wouldn't use student services myself, but would support preschool/school age services, including exam proctoring                                      | Apr 16, 2011 3:44 PM  |
| 12 | After-school study space for kids dropped off from the bus. Childrens' books.   | Apr 9, 2011 3:36 PM   |
| 13 | Lectures and seasonal presentations   | Apr 4, 2011 9:18 PM   |
| 14 | All   | Apr 3, 2011 10:20 AM  |
| 15 | Lecture Series & interesting public events  | Mar 30, 2011 2:06 PM  |
| 16 | Fun classes. I'm 50, but I think a lot of the stuff Noel Wien Library does for kids sounds like fun! How about some of that kind of stuff for adults? | Mar 23, 2011 12:39 PM |
| 17 | Tourist information center  | Mar 20, 2011 10:32 PM |
| 18 | -public phone for local calls - kids need to call home  | Mar 19, 2011 2:35 PM  |
| 19 | lend art works  | Mar 15, 2011 4:00 PM  |
| 20 | browsing books/audio/dvd exchange   | Mar 13, 2011 2:06 PM  |
| 21 | I doubt I would ever use the Ester library.   | Mar 12, 2011 10:07 PM |
| 22 | I might use these things. Not sure.   | Mar 12, 2011 2:41 PM  |
| 23 | Could have check most all, but limited myself to personal use at this time  | Mar 1, 2011 4:55 PM   |
| 24 | Workshops   | Feb 25, 2011 10:24 PM |

**Page 2, Q10. If you have used the online catalog, what did you think of it?**

|   |                              |                     |
|---|------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Didn't know it was available | Aug 6, 2011 2:55 PM |
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**Page 2, Q10. If you have used the online catalog, what did you think of it?**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 2  | not yet!  | Aug 6, 2011 1:37 PM   |
| 3  | Ok  | Apr 28, 2011 9:20 AM  |
| 4  | Don't remember.   | Mar 19, 2011 2:35 PM  |
| 5  | Only looked at it a bit, have not really 'used' it much. Mixed feelings. The search bar seems to bring up results from any LibraryThing entry not just what 'esterlibrarian' has cataloged. So it's not clear if an item is actually at the Ester Library or just listed and reviewed at LibraryThing. Clicking the thumbnails gave much quicker and clearer results. | Mar 17, 2011 10:43 PM |
| 6  | works well  | Mar 15, 2011 4:00 PM  |
| 7  | adequate - liked the tags   | Mar 14, 2011 1:37 PM  |
| 8  | i'll check it out.  | Mar 13, 2011 2:06 PM  |
| 9  | didn't know it was online   | Mar 8, 2011 3:54 PM   |
| 10 | I love LibraryThing. Ester library is where I first learned about it!   | Mar 7, 2011 8:44 PM   |
| 11 | Improve with funding.   | Mar 1, 2011 11:30 AM  |
| 12 | It has a few limitations, but basically pretty good.  | Feb 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 13 | Better instructions on how to use the interface.  | Feb 25, 2011 10:24 PM |

**Page 2, Q11. How do you find out about events or activities the Ester Library hosts?**

|    |   |                      |
|----|---|----------------------|
| 1  | family  | Sep 1, 2011 1:18 PM  |
| 2  | Golden Eagle                                    | Sep 1, 2011 12:58 PM |
| 3  | post office postings                            | Aug 18, 2011 8:41 PM |
| 4  | Facebook  | Aug 16, 2011 6:19 PM |
| 5  | nicely done, by the way.                        | Aug 6, 2011 1:37 PM  |
| 6  | Ester P.O.                                      | Aug 6, 2011 1:30 PM  |
| 7  | in the Ester Republic, in the Ester Post Office | Aug 6, 2011 12:53 PM |
| 8  | Ester Republic                                  | Aug 6, 2011 12:27 PM |
| 9  | Ester P.O.                                      | Aug 6, 2011 12:12 PM |
| 10 | @ P.O.  | Aug 6, 2011 11:57 AM |
| 11 | Ester PO  | Aug 5, 2011 11:52 AM |
| 12 | Need a NM article to let us know about JTEL.    | Jul 26, 2011 7:40 PM |

**Page 2, Q11. How do you find out about events or activities the Ester Library hosts?**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 13 | Ester Market booth got me to this survey  | Jul 10, 2011 6:30 PM  |
| 14 | I don't really care, with online info this is a waste, build a green house instead. | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 15 | I was given info about this survey by greeters at our p.o.                          | Jun 11, 2011 11:29 AM |
| 16 | Post Office   | Jun 7, 2011 9:09 AM   |
| 17 | flyer at the gas station  | May 30, 2011 12:49 AM |
| 18 | poster/flyers at the post office  | Apr 28, 2011 9:20 AM  |
| 19 | Post Office   | Apr 10, 2011 9:35 AM  |
| 20 | My wife   | Apr 4, 2011 9:18 PM   |
| 21 | Ester Post Office   | Mar 13, 2011 1:45 PM  |
| 22 | fund raising contact  | Mar 13, 2011 10:49 AM |
| 23 | wife  | Mar 4, 2011 9:07 PM   |
| 24 | Golden Eagle  | Mar 4, 2011 8:16 PM   |
| 25 | (both newspapers)   | Mar 4, 2011 7:56 PM   |
| 26 | board members   | Feb 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |

**Page 2, Q13. What topics would interest you for a public lecture? Do you have any suggestions for specific speakers?**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 1  | Writers workshops w/renowned novelists like Amy Tan for instance   | Sep 1, 2011 1:41 PM   |
| 2  | Alaska authors, local ecology, place based talks   | Sep 1, 2011 1:30 PM   |
| 3  | historical, environmental, agriculture   | Sep 1, 2011 1:03 PM   |
| 4  | Ester/Alaska history   | Sep 1, 2011 12:58 PM  |
| 5  | marine biology?  | Aug 18, 2011 3:25 PM  |
| 6  | Anything about sustainability, food, energy, local history. There have been some lectures I was sorry to miss. | Aug 16, 2011 10:15 PM |
| 7  | 1900s geohistory: who was out on what creeks when? What were communities like Smallwood and Saulich like?      | Aug 6, 2011 4:26 PM   |
| 8  | winter safety  | Aug 6, 2011 4:15 PM   |
| 9  | living environmentally friendly  | Aug 6, 2011 3:55 PM   |
| 10 | permaculture   | Aug 6, 2011 3:43 PM   |

**Page 2, Q13. What topics would interest you for a public lecture? Do you have any suggestions for specific speakers?**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 11 | Alaska/mining history, Natural history  | Aug 6, 2011 2:48 PM   |
| 12 | Sciences, travel  | Aug 6, 2011 1:37 PM   |
| 13 | History Local   | Aug 6, 2011 1:30 PM   |
| 14 | travel, history, science, authors, art, music, technology   | Aug 6, 2011 12:37 PM  |
| 15 | green building, organic gardening   | Aug 6, 2011 12:12 PM  |
| 16 | biology, fisheries, AK studies  | Aug 6, 2011 11:51 AM  |
| 17 | Natural History (Birds, plants, animals), Travel, Local History   | Aug 5, 2011 11:52 AM  |
| 18 | Local History   | Jul 30, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 19 | Food sustainability; Long term community planning; Zero-growth (steady-state) economics; Philosophy of education; Alternative schooling; Handcraft; Local brewing, vinting, stilling; Gardening; Soil science; Transportation alternatives (to the auto); The art of community-making; Local peace studies (how to cause/encourage people to get along locally); Open-source religion/spirituality-- not revelation-based, but made by the participants themselves; Alternative community models... | Jul 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 20 | Fairbanks history.  | Jul 26, 2011 7:40 PM  |
| 21 | Local Interior-based Subsistence/Survival Free School   | Jul 26, 2011 5:34 PM  |
| 22 | Gardening, home building, sustainable living practices... UA's Cooperative Extension or Master Gardeners might be a nice resource to tap. There's also a Mason (as in masonry work, not the other :) in Ester. I would be interested in learning about Masonry Stoves as sustainable heat in Alaska.  | Jul 10, 2011 6:30 PM  |
| 23 | Ester gold mining, Ester Dome history, current world events and issues, Alaska history.   | Jun 14, 2011 9:37 PM  |
| 24 | art, local authors, ester history   | Jun 11, 2011 11:29 AM |
| 25 | I really like that you encourage locals to present. I encourage you to continue with that model. But also to branch out periodically and seek other members of the community. Neil Davis would be very interesting with a discussion about the aurora.  | Jun 7, 2011 9:09 AM   |
| 26 | Gardening, local history, more environmentally responsible concepts like the passive building lecturer.   | May 5, 2011 2:13 PM   |
| 27 | Topics of Ester interest---history, etc. Topics of expertise of local people.   | May 1, 2011 12:34 AM  |
| 28 | None.   | Apr 28, 2011 9:20 AM  |
| 29 | Energy use Personal finances Starting and nurturing a business Health issues  | Apr 12, 2011 8:12 PM  |
| 30 | agriculture, animal husbandry, cold climate building, bee keeping, travel lectures, astronomy, yoga.  | Apr 10, 2011 1:16 PM  |

**Page 2, Q13. What topics would interest you for a public lecture? Do you have any suggestions for specific speakers?**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 31 | Sorry no suggestions come to mind.   | Apr 5, 2011 9:25 AM   |
| 32 | Sciences, Literature   | Apr 4, 2011 9:18 PM   |
| 33 | Green building Agriculture   | Apr 3, 2011 11:53 AM  |
| 34 | Most any and all. I'm eclectic   | Mar 26, 2011 9:27 PM  |
| 35 | Ester history  | Mar 20, 2011 10:32 PM |
| 36 | Kudos to the Ester Community for taking on this endeavor.  | Mar 20, 2011 11:21 AM |
| 37 | Sustainable agriculture, additional/alternative energy, adventure racing events  | Mar 17, 2011 12:09 PM |
| 38 | climate change/ alternative energy options for Interior AK / legal topics / social issues  | Mar 16, 2011 12:38 AM |
| 39 | Anything to do with science; local history   | Mar 15, 2011 11:08 PM |
| 40 | alaska mining history alaskan topics   | Mar 15, 2011 4:00 PM  |
| 41 | Editor of Up Here  | Mar 13, 2011 4:33 PM  |
| 42 | Zine scene! More "out there" speakers. Local interest/history etc.   | Mar 9, 2011 9:09 PM   |
| 43 | I love the topics you've had so far, although I'm not always able to attend. History is a big favorite, and environmental issues, culture . . .  | Mar 7, 2011 8:44 PM   |
| 44 | everything and all   | Mar 4, 2011 9:07 PM   |
| 45 | more living history - like John Haines introduced by Ross Cohen.   | Mar 4, 2011 7:56 PM   |
| 46 | Nature/environment Local History Local Geology Local experts (semi-) on anything   | Mar 2, 2011 9:36 AM   |
| 47 | history, travel, green building, poetry readings   | Mar 1, 2011 4:55 PM   |
| 48 | Alaska Mining.   | Mar 1, 2011 11:30 AM  |
| 49 | local history, Alaska history, politics/current events, foreign travel, mountaineering, science/natural history  | Feb 28, 2011 2:03 PM  |
| 50 | Cartoonists, authors, book signings, science, family, local weather, flora/fauna, local history...etc.   | Feb 28, 2011 1:44 PM  |
| 51 | Local histories or Alaska histories. Seems like you could approach UAF graduate program to give student an opportunity to talk about their subject areas. Also, approach different groups in town (Cabin Fever Quilter's Guild, geneological club in town, ect.) for people to give presentations on a variety of areas. | Feb 27, 2011 5:33 PM  |
| 52 | food, woodworking, gardening/farming (maybe ask Calypso?), stonecutting (Ed Rouleau?), silversmithing (Judie Gumm?), oral histories  | Feb 26, 2011 8:39 PM  |
| 53 | Prospecting Ester history Energy efficient building  | Feb 25, 2011 10:24 PM |

**Page 3, Q3. Comments on internet and computing:**

|   |   |                     |
|---|---|---------------------|
| 1 | It would be extremely cool if the library had access to Lexis Nexis. It would | Sep 1, 2011 1:42 PM |
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**Page 3, Q3. Comments on internet and computing:**

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|----|--|-----------------------|
|    | essentially allow the library to act as a law library. Having legal resources would be amazing.  |                       |
| 2  | GIS class  | Sep 1, 2011 1:31 PM   |
| 3  | It is very important to have internet access for people traveling. I do not live here, but I visit often & having internet access is important.  | Sep 1, 2011 1:11 PM   |
| 4  | research, Skype to communicate with family & friends   | Sep 1, 2011 1:04 PM   |
| 5  | I would love it if there were some in depth computer classes that helped me improve my skills.   | Aug 16, 2011 10:16 PM |
| 6  | It's fast sometimes.   | Aug 6, 2011 4:53 PM   |
| 7  | need it! need it availabel 24 hrs. (Like the computer lab/room at UAF). Need the computers to have resources like Google Earth. Need it to be reliable, all hours of the day/night.  | Aug 6, 2011 4:45 PM   |
| 8  | I live in peace at home. Very much need public computers! I use the Rasmuson library computers very often.   | Aug 6, 2011 4:29 PM   |
| 9  | high speed internet is a must! being a student it is very hard to accomplish anything with out it  | Aug 6, 2011 3:56 PM   |
| 10 | for printing use mainly  | Aug 6, 2011 3:43 PM   |
| 11 | mostly reliable service  | Aug 6, 2011 2:49 PM   |
| 12 | service is reliable most of the time.  | Aug 6, 2011 2:40 PM   |
| 13 | slow, DSL, but better than dial-up   | Aug 6, 2011 1:07 PM   |
| 14 | Internet access would be very handy  | Aug 6, 2011 12:28 PM  |
| 15 | Try to have wi-fi; laptops to check out.   | Aug 5, 2011 12:10 PM  |
| 16 | I know you think Ester is "rural" but it doesn't seem that way compared to "real" villages in the bush   | Aug 5, 2011 11:53 AM  |
| 17 | I have internet at my east Fairbanks home but not my Goldhill rd home. I would use the library wireless.   | Jul 27, 2011 12:05 AM |
| 18 | Though it can be useful to have internet services at a library--particularly high-speed wireless services--I believe the emphasis needs to be on more tangible forms of media. Also, too often a certain Librarian-driven puritanism creeps into library internet access, and one begins to feel, what with the filtering, that one is using the internet in the Peoples' Republic of China. I'd HATE to see that sort of thing become adopted by JTEL. (That's one of the main reasons I'd wish JTEL to steer a wide course of the FNSB Library system. | Jul 26, 2011 8:43 PM  |
| 19 | I'm not a big fan of the Interwebs save for networking.  | Jul 26, 2011 5:35 PM  |
| 20 | What a waste, let the low lifes stay without internet  | Jul 6, 2011 2:06 PM   |
| 21 | we splurged for satelite Internet so we are an anomaly out here on our road  | Jun 30, 2011 9:22 PM  |

**Page 3, Q3. Comments on internet and computing:**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
|    | where only dial up is available..  |                       |
| 22 | if the library had wifi, I would definitely bring my computer and enjoy my time at the library.  | Jun 11, 2011 11:30 AM |
| 23 | It'd be nice to be able to download my music & such off iTunes at the library, since we have a data cap.   | May 5, 2011 2:14 PM   |
| 24 | Truly rural Alaska usually has better internet access than those of us who live just outside Fairbanks.  | Apr 28, 2011 9:21 AM  |
| 25 | Not enough access to high speed internet in the Ester area   | Apr 10, 2011 9:46 AM  |
| 26 | It is critical to have high-speed internet access at the library.  | Apr 9, 2011 3:37 PM   |
| 27 | It would be nice to have a place nearby to be away from the house sometimes, somewhere to fully concentrate away from distractions.  | Apr 5, 2011 9:27 AM   |
| 28 | Dial-up sucks. If I need to do something online, it's quicker to drive to town and use my computer at work.  | Mar 23, 2011 12:39 PM |
| 29 | Can't live without it...   | Mar 20, 2011 10:33 PM |
| 30 | We have dial-up so it is siow!!!   | Mar 19, 2011 5:52 PM  |
| 31 | I just got DSL after being on a 'waiting list' for 2 years. It can be hard to get wireless. I think the library would be in a dead zone. So there is DSL if you can get it. John Henry has some super fast internet ...don't know how he got it, but it might be an option for the library     | Mar 19, 2011 2:38 PM  |
| 32 | Someone please get GCI out to Ester!! I will never do business with ACS again.   | Mar 17, 2011 12:10 PM |
| 33 | wireless connection for public use would be helpful to me since I only can get dialup at home  | Mar 16, 2011 12:41 AM |
| 34 | I can only get dial-up due to terrain and distance from town   | Mar 15, 2011 11:10 PM |
| 35 | Library access to high-speed could be valuable when home or office system is acting up.  | Mar 13, 2011 4:35 PM  |
| 36 | High speed internet access would be very cool. Also, relatively cheap access to print pages from the internet or personal documents would be very helpful. I don't often need a computer - have one at home and work, but it sure would be great to know there were public computers in Ester. | Mar 13, 2011 1:48 PM  |
| 37 | Why would we need e-books from an Ester library? Noel Wien already provides patrons with access to ListenAlaska, an excellent service with audiobooks and ebooks available.  | Mar 12, 2011 10:08 PM |
| 38 | Because lots of us have little to no internet connectivity where we live, tucked between the hills and valleys, internet access at the library is particularly important.  | Mar 7, 2011 8:47 PM   |
| 39 | High speed wireless at the library would be most appealing.  | Mar 4, 2011 8:00 PM   |
| 40 | They have grown to be an important part of research and are amazing for  | Mar 2, 2011 9:39 AM   |

**Page 3, Q3. Comments on internet and computing:**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
|    | cataloging, but they are expensive and constantly outdated themselves. I think that they are a great resource, but the library's focus should still be on books!  |                       |
| 41 | Library is a good place for marginal users of internet to gain confidence using computers with help nearby  | Mar 1, 2011 4:58 PM   |
| 42 | Computers, computer issues, upgrades can be expensive. There's other options in Fairbanks for computer use and training. Seems like it would be nicer to focus the money on other library components that encourage community and talking to each other rather than people staring at computer screens. | Feb 27, 2011 5:36 PM  |
| 43 | It would be nice to have laptops to check out for use at the library.   | Feb 26, 2011 8:40 PM  |
| 44 | Having wi-fi available is very important to me  | Feb 25, 2011 10:24 PM |

**Page 4, Q2. Please tell us about an experience you had with or in a library that made an impression on you.**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | I remember when the mural went up @ Noel Wien. I was a kid & it was a very big deal!  | Sep 1, 2011 1:45 PM   |
| 2  | When I was a kid my mom was going to college and my brother and I spent a lot of time at Noel Wien, I had a great time there  | Sep 1, 2011 1:34 PM   |
| 3  | We lost our credit card somewhere in Canada & a library stayed open late & helped us to cancel it via internet.   | Sep 1, 2011 1:14 PM   |
| 4  | Educational as a child re short stories, How To information   | Sep 1, 2011 1:06 PM   |
| 5  | The fact that it is always open, whenever you need a reading fix  | Sep 1, 2011 12:54 PM  |
| 6  | Well, when I was a kid we lived in the country on the SD/Nebraska border. All summer long about every three weeks we drove 11 miles north to meet a bookmobile in a tiny town called Eli. We would each take home a SUPER stack of books. We could not get enough of reading. That bookmobile holds many fond memories for me.  | Aug 16, 2011 10:21 PM |
| 7  | In town the library has lame people   | Aug 6, 2011 4:55 PM   |
| 8  | At U. Arizona there are great research resources. You can get any article/journal and have it emailed to you.   | Aug 6, 2011 4:48 PM   |
| 9  | In 2008 my sons and I hiked the John Muir Trail (CA). Soon thereafter, as coursework at his college (Carleton), my younger son read (online) a book about the natural history of the Sierras, written in about 1909. He recommended this to me and my older son, who also accessed it online. I ILLed the book through Noel Wien. What came, from the Juneau library? The original book (1909 imprint) in its original, unreinforced cover. Paper was nicely foxed, I enjoyed the SMELL and WEIGHT of the book, and got to see the delightful LINE DRAWINGS. All these features were missing in the online version. | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 10 | helpful staff   | Aug 6, 2011 4:18 PM   |

**Page 4, Q2. Please tell us about an experience you had with or in a library that made an impression on you.**

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| 11 | old/used book sales on topics of my interest for m y collection. Hard copy references often more reliable than web   | Aug 6, 2011 2:51 PM   |
| 12 | We use libraries as often as we can, transportation permitting.  | Aug 6, 2011 2:43 PM   |
| 13 | great conversation & people I didn't know  | Aug 6, 2011 1:32 PM   |
| 14 | Wandering the stacks of OLD books in my local library in Wayland, Massachusetts. DO NOT WEED THE COLLECTION.   | Aug 6, 2011 12:59 PM  |
| 15 | Monthly bookmobile service is a lifeline for me, that access to material, on request they bring the world to me.   | Aug 6, 2011 12:40 PM  |
| 16 | Provided a quiet calm place to study   | Aug 6, 2011 12:23 PM  |
| 17 | I grew up in Chicago which has a great public library tradition. Our local branch in Chicago is on the National Registrar of Historic Places. It has Works Progress Administration murals and carvings. Really inspirational! Made me feel welcome as a child to LEARN. I also went to college @ University of Illinois in Urbana which has teh 4th largest univ library in the U.S. so I was very fortunate to have great libraries available my entire youth.              | Aug 5, 2011 11:58 AM  |
| 18 | Finding the small local library had a new book the very day it was reviewed on NPR.  | Jul 30, 2011 10:30 PM |
| 19 | We love taking our son to the Noel Wien library and picking out books. Would love to do the same in Ester  | Jul 26, 2011 11:57 PM |
| 20 | I've been going to libraries as long as I've been alive. My parents instilled a love of books in me at an early age, and I love libraries because I don't like to own many books.  | Jul 26, 2011 9:59 PM  |
| 21 | I went to the local library in nearly every small town in which I lived as a boy and a youth to find and read books of a kind which my upbringing would not have exposed me. My mind and heart was opened. It does not go too far to say that access to local libraries saved my life. (That's why I hate, by the way, the new fashion in local--FNSB!--library over-control, including patrolling security. Lighten UP, librarians. Light UP American Library Association!) | Jul 26, 2011 8:54 PM  |
| 22 | When I was traveling outside I always stopped at a community library for internet access and local newspapers.   | Jul 26, 2011 7:59 PM  |
| 23 | Kid story time at Noel Wien, esp Trina & the Triceratops.  | Jul 26, 2011 7:45 PM  |
| 24 | Well...the whole experience impressed me, every time I would step inside the current library.  | Jul 26, 2011 6:12 PM  |
| 25 | Stockton library in Stockton, CA was a Wonderful Place. I have many fond memories of just Being IN the library as a child, I'm still an avid reader and lifelong learner. I was unaware that Ester had a library.  | Jul 10, 2011 6:37 PM  |
| 26 | Noel wien is OK if I need it but don't need it often.  | Jul 6, 2011 2:09 PM   |
| 27 | Finding books that were shelved next to the one I was looking for that were even more interesting!   | Jun 14, 2011 9:41 PM  |

**Page 4, Q2. Please tell us about an experience you had with or in a library that made an impression on you.**

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| 28 | I love our fairbanks library: 1) using their website to access books and 2) have them ready at the counter for me if I need to 3) the atmosphere at the library is warm and welcoming---love their fireplace 4) great array of art books   | Jun 11, 2011 11:35 AM |
| 29 | I use the library during the designing phase of my work. I find it invaluable when I need a specific picture or series of pictures. I know I can go online but the library offers a broad range of material that I can hold in my hands.   | Jun 7, 2011 9:15 AM   |
| 30 | Having children and having access to tons of children's books has been priceless.  | May 27, 2011 6:58 AM  |
| 31 | I am a librarian! We are more important now than ever.   | Apr 12, 2011 8:33 PM  |
| 32 | Picking up girls   | Apr 12, 2011 8:16 PM  |
| 33 | in hs, used the public library twice a week after school to do homework, read whatever i wanted to, take walks on the grounds, nap.  | Apr 10, 2011 1:22 PM  |
| 34 | A general comment comes to mind. I've always liked how libraries are full of all types of people, from young to old, across all social lines.  | Apr 5, 2011 9:33 AM   |
| 35 | Our local Library back home was a huge old stone building that smelled like books, I loved that smell. I think it had been a library and public records archive since it was built. You could lost in shelves of awesome books.  | Apr 4, 2011 9:28 PM   |
| 36 | near, warm(th) and resource(ful)   | Apr 3, 2011 10:27 AM  |
| 37 | I love the lectures at Noel Wein & that the space can be rented for free by community groups & non-profits. Sometimes I meet friends to trip plan there, as it is free, has wireless internet, and access to maps etc. I like the opportunity to rent equipment at the University library & know that is not an option for everyone  | Mar 30, 2011 2:15 PM  |
| 38 | Safe place for my son afterschool, when he is too old for daycare. I am generally a reader and learner, so the library is a wonderful place.   | Mar 19, 2011 2:45 PM  |
| 39 | While growing up, the downtown Fairbanks public library was one of my favorite places in the world. Not only because of the indoor trees, the fascinating murals and the the cool alcove couches and fireplaces, but because it is such a miracle that within those walls you can learn just about anything you want to learn about! It's like having the whole world encompassed inside a building, there for you to play with and explore at your pleasure. It is the sweetest gift, and an irreplaceable part of my life experience. I am so excited for the new John Trigg Ester Library so that I can share my love of books and learning with my children and show them how their community values these things as much as I do. | Mar 19, 2011 1:11 PM  |
| 40 | Not one particular reason only, but many. Libraries are a valuable family resource and we each use them in different ways. We greatly appreciate the various kids programs throughout the year as well as everything else they offer. It will be wonderful to be able to just go down the street and enjoy a library of our own.   | Mar 18, 2011 12:21 AM |
| 41 | Libraries have always been a fixture of any community I've lived in. Human interactions, physically turning pages, and just plain comfort have always been pleasant aspects of using the local library to me.  | Mar 17, 2011 12:14 PM |
| 42 | Welcoming, helpful staff very important.   | Mar 16, 2011 9:58 AM  |

**Page 4, Q2. Please tell us about an experience you had with or in a library that made an impression on you.**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 43 | Imagination Library for early literacy and story hours for children 8 and under   | Mar 16, 2011 12:53 AM |
| 44 | I use inter-library loan at the Noel Wien a lot. I started volunteering there 25 years ago because of that service. I feel relaxed and home in a library!   | Mar 15, 2011 11:21 PM |
| 45 | Quiet warm place to read Reliable reference information available   | Mar 15, 2011 4:06 PM  |
| 46 | I have loved and been a part of libraries since I was young. I love books of every kind. I have worked in /organized public broadcasting libraries (2), and have been employed by the Noel Wien (Youth Services Van Delivery Services). I hope to complete a master's degree in Library Science and History before too, too long. (currently inactive in that regard). I appreciate both the Noel Wein and Rasmuson Libraries.  | Mar 14, 2011 2:30 PM  |
| 47 | First "job"--helping out in local library. At dire financial point in life, saved from reading cereal boxes in the market for entertainment by the appearance of a beloved, reliable bookmobile from the state library system.  | Mar 13, 2011 4:41 PM  |
| 48 | visiting library of congress made me cry...the idea of all that knowledge/experience/etc.   | Mar 13, 2011 2:10 PM  |
| 49 | Access to information and stories is very powerful.   | Mar 13, 2011 1:51 PM  |
| 50 | 30 years and counting... every day one library or another impresses on my life; I wouldn't have it any other way!   | Mar 9, 2011 9:12 PM   |
| 51 | libraries have always been favorite places from bookmobiles to bricks and mortar places.  | Mar 8, 2011 4:00 PM   |
| 52 | Most of my experiences at the borough library have been great - it's fantastic resource!  | Mar 8, 2011 9:00 AM   |
| 53 | I found a book that when I opened it, I saw cut-away pictures of what my tongue was supposed to be doing to make a proper S. I had gone to speech therapy for 13 years all through elementary and high school. Not until a few years after I graduated did I find this book in the library and overcome my lateral S speech impediment.   | Mar 7, 2011 8:57 PM   |
| 54 | great place to study...in collage I LIVED at the library.   | Mar 7, 2011 1:35 PM   |
| 55 | The ability to get any book I want is fantastic. Most people don't realize how wonderful this is!   | Mar 5, 2011 12:31 AM  |
| 56 | being able to complete an exam for a UAF distance ed class at the Big Lake Public Library.  | Mar 4, 2011 8:11 PM   |
| 57 | I'm not typical. I'm a retired librarian. It was my vocation and a huge part of my life. If the internet didn't exist I'd still be there a whole lot. Can't imagine living without information at my fingertips   | Mar 1, 2011 5:06 PM   |
| 58 | The FNSB Library system has been outstanding in terms of its collection for children and the ease of getting assistance from the staff. Their hold queue system which one can do online is invaluable for parents with small children. The staff are friendly. There are no out of pocket costs for having items held or found or for late items. We are extremely lucky in this community to have such a great library. I don't know how broad the general/adult collection is, or the various print | Mar 1, 2011 4:26 PM   |

**Page 4, Q2. Please tell us about an experience you had with or in a library that made an impression on you.**

|    |  |                       |
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|    | media (magazines etc). I'm not sure Ester needs its own library, to be honest.   |                       |
| 59 | Access to books I cant afford to own is important to our family.   | Mar 1, 2011 11:33 AM  |
| 60 | Spent a lot of time at the Bancroft Library (Berkeley) during college - beautiful old building that mostly houses special collections. They had a room decorated like it was out of the 19th century that had easy chairs and phonographs (I'm old!) with headphones - I used to check out a stack of old jazz records and hang out for hours on end reading and listening to music. | Feb 28, 2011 2:19 PM  |
| 61 | Many experiences that warm my heart to see community gather around literacy, education and family fun.   | Feb 28, 2011 1:50 PM  |
| 62 | The Berry Room does a fabulous job with childrens' programs. I've been very impressed with them.   | Feb 27, 2011 5:41 PM  |
| 63 | Some of the most incredible books I've seen were the oversized art books in the Rasmuson library. When I was a little kid I used to love to go through them. Getting lost in all those books and book stacks was great. I was wandering through worlds upon worlds. It felt safe, and adventurous, and infinite. The amazing thing was how many there were.                          | Feb 26, 2011 8:46 PM  |
| 64 | I will always remember my visits to the Berry Room, staring at the mural for hours. Also, our walks to the bookmobile in Ester.  | Feb 25, 2011 10:26 PM |

**Page 4, Q4. I use the library for the following reasons: (check all that apply)**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | (visit) Road trips--every few days.   | Sep 1, 2011 1:14 PM   |
| 2  | Libraries are my "office."  | Aug 6, 2011 4:48 PM   |
| 3  | reference repair manuals  | Aug 6, 2011 3:17 PM   |
| 4  | Pay phone * very important *  | Aug 6, 2011 12:59 PM  |
| 5  | I WOULD use the library this way, do not currently  | Jul 10, 2011 6:37 PM  |
| 6  | to be with civilization in long dark winter days  | Jun 11, 2011 11:35 AM |
| 7  | on-line ebook borrowing   | Apr 28, 2011 9:24 AM  |
| 8  | After school my son uses internet, gets books and meets friends   | Mar 19, 2011 2:45 PM  |
| 9  | use Listen Alaska audiobooks, meeting space for UAF classes, UAF library for class books, otherwise Noel Wien is inconvenient | Mar 16, 2011 9:58 AM  |
| 10 | My responses refer to the Wien library  | Mar 15, 2011 11:21 PM |
| 11 | completing distance ed (UAF) exams  | Mar 4, 2011 8:11 PM   |

**Page 4, Q6. If you never use libraries, please tell us why not. Select any that apply.**

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| 1 | I use the internet instead--all too true but I still use libraries | Sep 1, 2011 1:34 PM |
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**Page 4, Q6. If you never use libraries, please tell us why not. Select any that apply.**

|   |   |                       |
|---|---|-----------------------|
| 2 | n/a   | Sep 1, 2011 12:54 PM  |
| 3 | Buy or have most stuff but use libraries some.  | Jul 30, 2011 10:30 PM |
| 4 | I don't know where the Ester Library is located | May 30, 2011 12:52 AM |
| 5 | n/a   | Mar 12, 2011 10:11 PM |
| 6 | I use the library intermittantly                | Mar 4, 2011 8:11 PM   |
| 7 | libraries are a socialist plot                  | Feb 28, 2011 2:19 PM  |

**Page 4, Q7. Do you think you would use the library more often if:**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | n/a   | Sep 1, 2011 12:54 PM  |
| 2  | I were less busy  | Aug 16, 2011 10:21 PM |
| 3  | The AMBIENCE of a library would influence my use of a library.                        | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 4  | would use on weekends   | Aug 5, 2011 11:58 AM  |
| 5  | If I knew about it. Ester library is MUCH closer than the City library                | Jul 10, 2011 6:37 PM  |
| 6  | Don't imagine I would ever use it.  | Jul 6, 2011 2:09 PM   |
| 7  | I could drink coffee and sit by a fire while perusing books                           | Jun 11, 2011 11:35 AM |
| 8  | I knew where it was   | May 30, 2011 12:52 AM |
| 9  | I think Ester library would have a stronger socializing component than the Noel Wein  | Mar 19, 2011 2:45 PM  |
| 10 | n/a   | Mar 12, 2011 10:11 PM |
| 11 | Parking and location clearly inviting to the public (library looks open for business) | Mar 4, 2011 8:11 PM   |
| 12 | if the Ester library were big enough to hang out in, I'd be there a LOT.              | Feb 26, 2011 8:46 PM  |

**Page 4, Q8. What library services and facilities do you or would you use?**

|   |   |                      |
|---|---|----------------------|
| 1 | ILL--hugely important   | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM  |
| 2 | Pay phone   | Aug 6, 2011 12:59 PM |
| 3 | Finding, checking out, reading and studying from BOOKS. (Remember books?) | Jul 26, 2011 8:54 PM |
| 4 | Gulivers  | Jul 6, 2011 2:09 PM  |

**Page 4, Q8. What library services and facilities do you or would you use?**

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|----|---|-----------------------|
| 5  | A knitting group, or a quilting group!                | May 5, 2011 2:19 PM   |
| 6  | Just published media                                  | Apr 3, 2011 10:27 AM  |
| 7  | books and movies                                      | Mar 19, 2011 2:45 PM  |
| 8  | trees to read by :o)                                  | Mar 18, 2011 12:21 AM |
| 9  | New books; Fiction and Non Fiction                    | Mar 14, 2011 2:30 PM  |
| 10 | audiobooks  | Mar 8, 2011 4:00 PM   |
| 11 | I would be interested in helping with kids' programs. | Feb 26, 2011 8:46 PM  |

**Page 4, Q9. What types of books do you read?**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | contemporary fiction: Carl Hiiasen, Charlaine Harris, Chuck Palunak, David Sedaris  | Sep 1, 2011 1:34 PM   |
| 2  | fiction - western   | Sep 1, 2011 1:06 PM   |
| 3  | fantasy dragons + faye c3   | Aug 18, 2011 3:29 PM  |
| 4  | non fiction and memoir  | Aug 16, 2011 10:21 PM |
| 5  | Addendum: I'm concerned about the trend (at Rasmuson, at least) of providing books or articles as only e-resources. I require hard-copy materials, and want a library to either have or be able to get hard-copy materials. | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 6  | Business, motivation  | Aug 6, 2011 2:58 PM   |
| 7  | UFO - Paranormal  | Aug 6, 2011 12:47 PM  |
| 8  | Non-fiction/fiction   | Aug 5, 2011 12:12 PM  |
| 9  | Nonfiction - Alternative... (That is to say, current affairs, philosophy, art, and so on, outside the mainstream...)  | Jul 26, 2011 8:54 PM  |
| 10 | glass art, watercolor, art theory   | Jun 11, 2011 11:35 AM |
| 11 | Comic books!  | May 5, 2011 2:19 PM   |
| 12 | Theological studies, Pagan studies  | Apr 4, 2011 9:28 PM   |
| 13 | Classical, just good stuff  | Mar 26, 2011 9:31 PM  |
| 14 | Fiction - fantasy   | Mar 18, 2011 12:21 AM |
| 15 | literary fiction, memoirs, natural history, current events  | Mar 13, 2011 2:10 PM  |
| 16 | poetry  | Mar 4, 2011 8:11 PM   |
| 17 | CHILDREN'S picture books  | Mar 1, 2011 4:26 PM   |

**Page 4, Q9. What types of books do you read?**

|    |   |                      |
|----|---|----------------------|
| 18 | books about Alaska  | Feb 28, 2011 2:19 PM |
| 19 | Non-fiction - general, erotica  | Feb 28, 2011 1:50 PM |
| 20 | books on sustainability--broad topic, from architecture to food systems to energy. Crosses a broad gamut. | Feb 26, 2011 8:46 PM |

**Page 4, Q10. Where do you go to find suggestions for a book that interests you?**

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|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | book communities on line.   | Sep 1, 2011 1:45 PM   |
| 2  | books.google.com  | Sep 1, 2011 1:24 PM   |
| 3  | Internet  | Aug 18, 2011 8:43 PM  |
| 4  | magazines   | Aug 16, 2011 10:21 PM |
| 5  | The Internet  | Aug 6, 2011 4:55 PM   |
| 6  | online news sites; New York Review; New Yorker, etc.  | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 7  | Book reviews in magazines I read.   | Aug 6, 2011 2:58 PM   |
| 8  | Authors I recognize & like  | Aug 6, 2011 1:26 PM   |
| 9  | radio reviews   | Aug 6, 2011 1:09 PM   |
| 10 | Coast-to-Coast radio program  | Aug 6, 2011 12:47 PM  |
| 11 | NPRadio   | Aug 5, 2011 11:58 AM  |
| 12 | My own intuition, bibliographies of books I'm reading, suggested works by authors I'm reading, other works by the authors of books I'm currently reading... | Jul 26, 2011 8:54 PM  |
| 13 | web chat groups   | Jul 26, 2011 7:45 PM  |
| 14 | Gulivers  | Jul 6, 2011 2:09 PM   |
| 15 | New York Times Book review.   | Jun 14, 2011 9:41 PM  |
| 16 | NYT   | Apr 3, 2011 10:27 AM  |
| 17 | public radio book review, referenced by what I am currently reading   | Mar 19, 2011 2:45 PM  |
| 18 | NPR reviews/interviews, bibliographies or references in books that I'm reading  | Mar 15, 2011 11:21 PM |
| 19 | Barnes & Noble  | Mar 12, 2011 10:11 PM |
| 20 | Powells Books newsletter  | Mar 5, 2011 12:31 AM  |
| 21 | npr   | Mar 1, 2011 5:06 PM   |
| 22 | Public Radio (Fresh Air, in particular)   | Feb 28, 2011 1:50 PM  |

**Page 4, Q11. What other benefits do you believe a library brings? A library: (Select all that apply.)**

**Page 4, Q11. What other benefits do you believe a library brings? A library: (Select all that apply.)**

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|    | i.e., philosophies, etc.   |                      |
| 2  | a source you can trust: depends on the administration!!!   | Aug 6, 2011 2:43 PM  |
| 3  | I would say: "Encourages the willing to be better educated..."   | Jul 26, 2011 8:54 PM |
| 4  | I don't like crossing politics and the library, too easy for individuals pushing individual agendas to curb aforementioned freedom.                                  | Jul 10, 2011 6:37 PM |
| 5  | waste of money, it is redundant, store the books in cold conexs if you have to but do not build this money pit!  | Jul 6, 2011 2:09 PM  |
| 6  | An archives of regional materials  | Jun 14, 2011 9:41 PM |
| 7  | Provides a place for community bonding   | Apr 4, 2011 9:28 PM  |
| 8  | Is a place where ALL members of the community are welcome regarless of income, age, race etc in a wholesome, alcohol & smoke free collaborative learning environment | Mar 30, 2011 2:15 PM |
| 9  | Yo! Libraries are the best. Need I say more?   | Mar 26, 2011 9:31 PM |
| 10 | what is the point in this question   | Mar 7, 2011 5:00 PM  |
| 11 | all of the above!  | Mar 4, 2011 8:11 PM  |
| 12 | supports community life and civic responsibility in general  | Feb 26, 2011 8:46 PM |

**Page 5, Q1. The following questions are about the relationship of a library to the community.**

|   |  |                      |
|---|--|----------------------|
| 1 | like a shower?   | Sep 1, 2011 1:35 PM  |
| 2 | Provides a cognitive foundation to a community   | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM  |
| 3 | need a community gattherig place other than the G.E.   | Aug 6, 2011 1:10 PM  |
| 4 | provides solace amidst the chaos.  | Aug 6, 2011 12:41 PM |
| 5 | We have: community hall, fire station, Golden Eagle, Blue Loon, Gold Hill, Park, The Annex   | Aug 5, 2011 11:59 AM |
| 6 | Ask the women whos is closing the art studio in Gold Hill about community support.   | Jul 6, 2011 2:12 PM  |
| 7 | The local bar has been a meeting place for many years. The community needs a place that is separate and more family oriented in a smoke free enviroment. | Jun 7, 2011 9:22 AM  |
| 8 | Creates the sense of community   | Apr 12, 2011 8:17 PM |
| 9 | A library should be for communications and media not necessarity a bar, coffee   | Apr 3, 2011 10:30 AM |

**Page 5, Q1. The following questions are about the relationship of a library to the community.**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
|    | shop or a meeting place  |                       |
| 10 | A library helps facilitate a stronger community by providing a place where everyone is welcome                         | Mar 30, 2011 2:16 PM  |
| 11 | I'm not looking for higher property taxes!   | Mar 19, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 12 | The Eagle is nice but....:-)   | Mar 16, 2011 9:59 AM  |
| 13 | Anything that encourages people to do something other than eat, watch tv, or play video games is very positive.        | Mar 2, 2011 9:53 AM   |
| 14 | It embraces and supports the culture of sharing and borrowing to create community, instead of owning and throwing away | Feb 28, 2011 2:46 PM  |
| 15 | Having a library has many benefits for our community   | Feb 25, 2011 10:28 PM |

**Page 5, Q2. Are there any negative impacts on the community from having a library? If yes please explain.**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | maybe some people don't want it but I do  | Sep 1, 2011 1:35 PM   |
| 2  | NOT A SINGLE ONE!!!! But it must be hard to raise the money! This is the kind of thing one just expects and doesn't expect to work at.  | Aug 16, 2011 10:23 PM |
| 3  | !   | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 4  | can't imagine a negative  | Aug 6, 2011 2:51 PM   |
| 5  | It can be a drain on a community's resources if not well-supported.   | Aug 6, 2011 2:44 PM   |
| 6  | Yes, if it means we lose access to our main public library bookmobile.  | Aug 6, 2011 12:41 PM  |
| 7  | will it raise property taxes?   | Aug 6, 2011 12:32 PM  |
| 8  | overpopulation/development  | Aug 5, 2011 11:59 AM  |
| 9  | It could be said that a library can encourage more community growth. Wlth endless growth being the ideology of the cancer cell, perhaps encouraging growth can turn out to be a negative. | Jul 26, 2011 8:56 PM  |
| 10 | What a silly question! :)   | Jul 26, 2011 6:12 PM  |
| 11 | It will be a flop house for bums to destroy and will waste human and money resourses.   | Jul 6, 2011 2:12 PM   |
| 12 | I am a bit concerned about ongoing finances for this project in a challenged economy. I wouldn't mind paying a yearly subscription to use the library.                                    | Jun 7, 2011 9:22 AM   |
| 13 | All those darn educated folk!!  | May 5, 2011 2:20 PM   |
| 14 | Cost  | Apr 28, 2011 9:26 AM  |

**Page 5, Q2. Are there any negative impacts on the community from having a library? If yes please explain.**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 15 | But only if it is something that is started and then not maintained.   | Mar 23, 2011 12:43 PM |
| 16 | the burden of paying for it.   | Mar 21, 2011 4:57 PM  |
| 17 | Higher property taxes?   | Mar 19, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 18 | Possible impact on borough-wide library  | Mar 19, 2011 1:01 PM  |
| 19 | It's rather interesting that this would even be a question. Then again, I'm afraid I've met too many people around here who'd think of a library as some kind of "socialist" plot. God forbid people are informed and educated.  | Mar 17, 2011 12:16 PM |
| 20 | as long as longterm financially manageable   | Mar 16, 2011 9:59 AM  |
| 21 | North Pole residents will see it as another example of Ester's uppity liberalism.  | Mar 13, 2011 4:47 PM  |
| 22 | If money is taken from the state (as it was last year) to fund an Ester library, which cannot provide the many of the services of our borough library and merely duplicates other services, and if our borough library lacks sufficient funding to operate, then a library in Ester would detract from the excellent services we now have provided at Noel Wien.                   | Mar 12, 2011 10:14 PM |
| 23 | I can't imagine any negative impacts!  | Mar 7, 2011 8:59 PM   |
| 24 | Sustained operational costs  | Mar 7, 2011 6:09 PM   |
| 25 | it will take resources from other activities   | Mar 7, 2011 5:01 PM   |
| 26 | possible financial burden?   | Mar 4, 2011 8:14 PM   |
| 27 | The burden of money and time will fall heavier on some more than others, I wish there was a way to teach contribution. Any time you have a shared public space, the humans have potential to disagree about the specifics of how to be in it. However, that same proximity and potential for disagreement is a good environment to learn respect, communication, and appreciation. | Mar 2, 2011 9:53 AM   |
| 28 | People will question authority if they read and not be docile drones.  | Mar 1, 2011 5:08 PM   |
| 29 | raises property taxes  | Feb 28, 2011 2:41 PM  |
| 30 | More traffic perhaps to that area of Ester. People moving into the area might complain about the proximity to a bar (I'm not complaining but I'm just saying).   | Feb 27, 2011 5:44 PM  |
| 31 | Even if additional people come into the community a library is a good thing.   | Feb 25, 2011 10:28 PM |

**Page 6, Q1. How many people live in your household?**

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|---|---|---------------------|
| 1 | 2 | Sep 1, 2011 1:46 PM |
| 2 | 3 | Sep 1, 2011 1:38 PM |
| 3 | 1 | Sep 1, 2011 1:25 PM |

Page 6, Q1. How many people live in your household?

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|----|---|-----------------------|
| 4  | 2 | Sep 1, 2011 1:21 PM   |
| 5  | 2 | Sep 1, 2011 1:16 PM   |
| 6  | 3 | Sep 1, 2011 1:08 PM   |
| 7  | 2 | Sep 1, 2011 1:01 PM   |
| 8  | 2 | Sep 1, 2011 12:55 PM  |
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| 26 | 1 | Aug 6, 2011 1:03 PM   |
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| 32 | 1 | Aug 6, 2011 12:01 PM  |

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| 35 | 2 | Aug 5, 2011 12:04 PM  |
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| 38 | 2 | Jul 30, 2011 10:32 PM |
| 39 | 4 | Jul 28, 2011 6:52 PM  |
| 40 | 4 | Jul 27, 2011 12:12 AM |
| 41 | 3 | Jul 27, 2011 12:00 AM |
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| 45 | 2 | Jul 26, 2011 7:49 PM  |
| 46 | 1 | Jul 26, 2011 6:25 PM  |
| 47 | 2 | Jul 26, 2011 6:15 PM  |
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| 49 | 1 | Jul 26, 2011 3:07 PM  |
| 50 | 2 | Jul 26, 2011 1:55 PM  |
| 51 | 2 | Jul 12, 2011 10:33 PM |
| 52 | 6 | Jul 10, 2011 6:40 PM  |
| 53 | 6 | Jul 9, 2011 5:21 PM   |
| 54 | 4 | Jul 8, 2011 7:57 AM   |
| 55 | 5 | Jul 6, 2011 2:15 PM   |
| 56 | 2 | Jun 30, 2011 9:29 PM  |
| 57 | 2 | Jun 14, 2011 9:44 PM  |
| 58 | 2 | Jun 11, 2011 11:38 AM |
| 59 | 2 | Jun 7, 2011 9:22 AM   |
| 60 | 3 | May 30, 2011 12:59 AM |
| 61 | 5 | May 27, 2011 7:01 AM  |

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| 63 | 2 | May 9, 2011 12:19 PM  |
| 64 | 2 | May 5, 2011 2:21 PM   |
| 65 | 2 | May 1, 2011 12:46 AM  |
| 66 | 4 | Apr 28, 2011 9:40 AM  |
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| 71 | 2 | Apr 12, 2011 8:18 PM  |
| 72 | 1 | Apr 11, 2011 3:46 PM  |
| 73 | 2 | Apr 10, 2011 1:25 PM  |
| 74 | 1 | Apr 10, 2011 9:57 AM  |
| 75 | 6 | Apr 10, 2011 9:42 AM  |
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| 79 | 4 | Apr 5, 2011 9:38 AM   |
| 80 | 6 | Apr 4, 2011 9:31 PM   |
| 81 | 2 | Apr 3, 2011 1:29 PM   |
| 82 | 4 | Apr 3, 2011 12:13 PM  |
| 83 | 3 | Apr 3, 2011 10:33 AM  |
| 84 | 4 | Apr 3, 2011 10:16 AM  |
| 85 | 2 | Apr 2, 2011 2:35 PM   |
| 86 | 1 | Mar 30, 2011 2:17 PM  |
| 87 | 3 | Mar 26, 2011 9:34 PM  |
| 88 | 4 | Mar 24, 2011 1:53 AM  |
| 89 | 1 | Mar 23, 2011 12:44 PM |
| 90 | 3 | Mar 22, 2011 7:17 PM  |

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| 91  | 5 | Mar 21, 2011 4:59 PM  |
| 92  | 2 | Mar 20, 2011 10:38 PM |
| 93  | 3 | Mar 20, 2011 11:29 AM |
| 94  | 2 | Mar 19, 2011 2:51 PM  |
| 95  | 4 | Mar 19, 2011 1:18 PM  |
| 96  | 2 | Mar 19, 2011 1:02 PM  |
| 97  | 6 | Mar 18, 2011 12:22 AM |
| 98  | 1 | Mar 17, 2011 12:18 PM |
| 99  | 2 | Mar 16, 2011 10:00 AM |
| 100 | 1 | Mar 16, 2011 1:00 AM  |
| 101 | 1 | Mar 15, 2011 11:26 PM |
| 102 | 1 | Mar 14, 2011 2:34 PM  |
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| 104 | 2 | Mar 13, 2011 2:13 PM  |
| 105 | 5 | Mar 13, 2011 1:55 PM  |
| 106 | 4 | Mar 13, 2011 10:58 AM |
| 107 | 4 | Mar 12, 2011 10:16 PM |
| 108 | 4 | Mar 12, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 109 | 1 | Mar 9, 2011 9:14 PM   |
| 110 | 2 | Mar 8, 2011 4:04 PM   |
| 111 | 4 | Mar 8, 2011 9:01 AM   |
| 112 | 2 | Mar 7, 2011 9:02 PM   |
| 113 | 2 | Mar 7, 2011 6:12 PM   |
| 114 | 2 | Mar 7, 2011 1:41 PM   |
| 115 | 2 | Mar 5, 2011 9:53 PM   |
| 116 | 1 | Mar 5, 2011 12:35 AM  |
| 117 | 4 | Mar 4, 2011 9:51 PM   |
| 118 | 2 | Mar 4, 2011 9:27 PM   |
| 119 | 1 | Mar 4, 2011 8:16 PM   |

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| 120 | 2 | Mar 2, 2011 9:56 AM   |
| 121 | 2 | Mar 1, 2011 5:11 PM   |
| 122 | 3 | Mar 1, 2011 4:36 PM   |
| 123 | 4 | Mar 1, 2011 11:36 AM  |
| 124 | 2 | Feb 28, 2011 3:32 PM  |
| 125 | 3 | Feb 28, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 126 | 1 | Feb 28, 2011 2:47 PM  |
| 127 | 2 | Feb 28, 2011 2:22 PM  |
| 128 | 4 | Feb 28, 2011 1:53 PM  |
| 129 | 2 | Feb 28, 2011 1:52 PM  |
| 130 | 4 | Feb 27, 2011 5:46 PM  |
| 131 | 2 | Feb 26, 2011 8:49 PM  |
| 132 | 2 | Feb 25, 2011 10:29 PM |

**Page 6, Q4. What is your employment/Occupation:**

|    |  |                       |
|----|--|-----------------------|
| 1  | employed by someone                        | Sep 1, 2011 1:46 PM   |
| 2  | self employed and employed by someone      | Sep 1, 2011 1:38 PM   |
| 3  | and employed by someone                    | Sep 1, 2011 1:16 PM   |
| 4  | also in a temporary management position    | Aug 16, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 5  | self employed                              | Aug 6, 2011 4:50 PM   |
| 6  | self employed                              | Aug 6, 2011 3:26 PM   |
| 7  | semi retired                               | Aug 6, 2011 3:18 PM   |
| 8  | I'm a student, husband employed by someone | Aug 6, 2011 2:46 PM   |
| 9  | Laborers Local 942                         | Aug 6, 2011 1:03 PM   |
| 10 | semi-retired                               | Aug 6, 2011 12:43 PM  |
| 11 | Military                                   | Aug 6, 2011 12:25 PM  |
| 12 | also own a business                        | Aug 6, 2011 12:18 PM  |
| 13 | Homemaker                                  | Jul 10, 2011 6:40 PM  |

**Page 6, Q4. What is your employment/Occupation:**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 14 | Stay at home mom  | Jul 8, 2011 7:57 AM   |
| 15 | Full time student and full time employed                          | May 30, 2011 12:59 AM |
| 16 | Employed, part time student                                       | Apr 10, 2011 9:57 AM  |
| 17 | My husband is employed by someone, while I am a full-time student | Mar 19, 2011 1:18 PM  |
| 18 | plus one retired person   | Mar 8, 2011 4:04 PM   |
| 19 | im in 6th grade   | Mar 4, 2011 9:51 PM   |
| 20 | part time self-employed, part time employed by somebody else      | Feb 26, 2011 8:49 PM  |

**Page 6, Q6. Outside Ester Fire Service Area:**

|    |   |                       |
|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | in the Bush, but visit Ester often. Old Nenana when in town | Sep 1, 2011 1:16 PM   |
| 2  | Anchorage   | Sep 1, 2011 1:08 PM   |
| 3  | Chena Ridge near Park's Highway                             | Aug 16, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 4  | Murphy Dome Road (Lincoln Creek)                            | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 5  | used to live Rosie Creek subdivision                        | Aug 6, 2011 1:33 PM   |
| 6  | also have a home off Farmers Loop                           | Aug 6, 2011 12:18 PM  |
| 7  | My husband and I each have a house...we switch seasonally.  | Jul 27, 2011 12:12 AM |
| 8  | Chena Hot Springs Road with family on Chena Ridge           | Jul 26, 2011 7:49 PM  |
| 9  | Little Shot/Mini Shot                                       | Jul 26, 2011 6:15 PM  |
| 10 | Campus  | Jul 26, 2011 5:42 PM  |
| 11 | old ridge trail   | Jun 30, 2011 9:29 PM  |
| 12 | two driveways after Lost Lane                               | May 30, 2011 12:59 AM |
| 13 | and propert in Rosie Creek Subdivision                      | Mar 14, 2011 2:34 PM  |
| 14 | n/a   | Mar 12, 2011 10:16 PM |
| 15 | Chena Hot Springs Road                                      | Mar 5, 2011 12:35 AM  |
| 16 | Rosie Creek Rd  | Mar 1, 2011 5:11 PM   |
| 17 | College Hills near Pearl Creek                              | Mar 1, 2011 4:36 PM   |
| 18 | Hey part of cripple creek is in the Ester Service Area!     | Feb 28, 2011 3:32 PM  |

**Page 6, Q7. What is the primary language spoken in your household?**

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|---|---------|---------------------|
| 1 | English | Sep 1, 2011 1:46 PM |
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**Page 6, Q7. What is the primary language spoken in your household?**

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| 2  | English        | Sep 1, 2011 1:38 PM   |
| 3  | English        | Sep 1, 2011 1:25 PM   |
| 4  | English        | Sep 1, 2011 1:21 PM   |
| 5  | English        | Sep 1, 2011 1:16 PM   |
| 6  | English        | Sep 1, 2011 1:08 PM   |
| 7  | English        | Sep 1, 2011 1:01 PM   |
| 8  | English/Hebrew | Sep 1, 2011 12:55 PM  |
| 9  | English        | Aug 18, 2011 8:44 PM  |
| 10 | English        | Aug 18, 2011 3:30 PM  |
| 11 | English        | Aug 16, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 12 | English        | Aug 16, 2011 6:26 PM  |
| 13 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 4:50 PM   |
| 14 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 15 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 4:21 PM   |
| 16 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 4:05 PM   |
| 17 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 3:53 PM   |
| 18 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 3:49 PM   |
| 19 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 3:43 PM   |
| 20 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 3:26 PM   |
| 21 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 3:18 PM   |
| 22 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 3:01 PM   |
| 23 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 2:46 PM   |
| 24 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 1:33 PM   |
| 25 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 1:28 PM   |
| 26 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 1:12 PM   |
| 27 | English/French | Aug 6, 2011 1:03 PM   |
| 28 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 12:49 PM  |
| 29 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 12:43 PM  |
| 30 | English        | Aug 6, 2011 12:33 PM  |

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| 31 | English                   | Aug 6, 2011 12:25 PM  |
| 32 | English                   | Aug 6, 2011 12:18 PM  |
| 33 | English                   | Aug 6, 2011 12:09 PM  |
| 34 | English                   | Aug 6, 2011 11:55 AM  |
| 35 | English                   | Aug 5, 2011 12:14 PM  |
| 36 | English                   | Aug 5, 2011 12:04 PM  |
| 37 | English                   | Aug 5, 2011 11:38 AM  |
| 38 | English                   | Jul 30, 2011 10:32 PM |
| 39 | English                   | Jul 28, 2011 6:52 PM  |
| 40 | English                   | Jul 27, 2011 12:12 AM |
| 41 | English                   | Jul 27, 2011 12:00 AM |
| 42 | English                   | Jul 26, 2011 10:01 PM |
| 43 | English                   | Jul 26, 2011 9:00 PM  |
| 44 | english (joking).         | Jul 26, 2011 7:49 PM  |
| 45 | English                   | Jul 26, 2011 6:25 PM  |
| 46 | English/Yup'ik            | Jul 26, 2011 6:15 PM  |
| 47 | English                   | Jul 26, 2011 3:07 PM  |
| 48 | english                   | Jul 12, 2011 10:33 PM |
| 49 | English                   | Jul 10, 2011 6:40 PM  |
| 50 | English                   | Jul 9, 2011 5:21 PM   |
| 51 | English                   | Jul 8, 2011 7:57 AM   |
| 52 | English                   | Jul 6, 2011 2:15 PM   |
| 53 | dog first, english second | Jun 30, 2011 9:29 PM  |
| 54 | English & Gibberish       | Jun 14, 2011 9:44 PM  |
| 55 | English                   | Jun 11, 2011 11:38 AM |
| 56 | English                   | Jun 7, 2011 9:22 AM   |
| 57 | English                   | May 30, 2011 12:59 AM |
| 58 | English                   | May 27, 2011 7:01 AM  |
| 59 | English                   | May 15, 2011 12:23 AM |

**Page 6, Q7. What is the primary language spoken in your household?**

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| 60 | English              | May 9, 2011 12:19 PM  |
| 61 | English              | May 5, 2011 2:21 PM   |
| 62 | English              | May 1, 2011 12:46 AM  |
| 63 | English              | Apr 28, 2011 9:40 AM  |
| 64 | English              | Apr 16, 2011 3:50 PM  |
| 65 | English              | Apr 13, 2011 9:08 PM  |
| 66 | English              | Apr 12, 2011 11:11 PM |
| 67 | English              | Apr 12, 2011 8:34 PM  |
| 68 | English              | Apr 12, 2011 8:18 PM  |
| 69 | english              | Apr 11, 2011 3:46 PM  |
| 70 | english              | Apr 10, 2011 1:25 PM  |
| 71 | English              | Apr 10, 2011 9:57 AM  |
| 72 | English              | Apr 10, 2011 9:42 AM  |
| 73 | English              | Apr 9, 2011 3:44 PM   |
| 74 | English              | Apr 9, 2011 2:17 PM   |
| 75 | english              | Apr 9, 2011 3:27 AM   |
| 76 | English              | Apr 5, 2011 9:38 AM   |
| 77 | english              | Apr 4, 2011 9:31 PM   |
| 78 | english              | Apr 3, 2011 1:29 PM   |
| 79 | English              | Apr 3, 2011 12:13 PM  |
| 80 | 'Merican             | Apr 3, 2011 10:33 AM  |
| 81 | english              | Apr 3, 2011 10:16 AM  |
| 82 | english              | Apr 2, 2011 2:35 PM   |
| 83 | English              | Mar 30, 2011 2:17 PM  |
| 84 | English of some sort | Mar 26, 2011 9:34 PM  |
| 85 | English              | Mar 24, 2011 1:53 AM  |
| 86 | English or dog       | Mar 23, 2011 12:44 PM |
| 87 | English              | Mar 22, 2011 7:17 PM  |
| 88 | ?                    | Mar 21, 2011 4:59 PM  |

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| 89  | English           | Mar 20, 2011 10:38 PM |
| 90  | English           | Mar 20, 2011 11:29 AM |
| 91  | English           | Mar 19, 2011 2:51 PM  |
| 92  | English           | Mar 19, 2011 1:18 PM  |
| 93  | English           | Mar 19, 2011 1:02 PM  |
| 94  | English           | Mar 18, 2011 12:22 AM |
| 95  | English (and cat) | Mar 17, 2011 12:18 PM |
| 96  | English           | Mar 16, 2011 10:00 AM |
| 97  | English           | Mar 16, 2011 1:00 AM  |
| 98  | English           | Mar 15, 2011 11:26 PM |
| 99  | english           | Mar 14, 2011 2:34 PM  |
| 100 | English           | Mar 13, 2011 4:50 PM  |
| 101 | english           | Mar 13, 2011 2:13 PM  |
| 102 | English           | Mar 13, 2011 1:55 PM  |
| 103 | E                 | Mar 13, 2011 10:58 AM |
| 104 | English           | Mar 12, 2011 10:16 PM |
| 105 | English           | Mar 12, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 106 | Engrish. Dog.     | Mar 9, 2011 9:14 PM   |
| 107 | english           | Mar 8, 2011 4:04 PM   |
| 108 | English           | Mar 8, 2011 9:01 AM   |
| 109 | English           | Mar 7, 2011 9:02 PM   |
| 110 | English           | Mar 7, 2011 6:12 PM   |
| 111 | English           | Mar 7, 2011 1:41 PM   |
| 112 | English           | Mar 5, 2011 9:53 PM   |
| 113 | English           | Mar 5, 2011 12:35 AM  |
| 114 | English           | Mar 4, 2011 9:51 PM   |
| 115 | English           | Mar 4, 2011 9:27 PM   |
| 116 | english           | Mar 4, 2011 8:16 PM   |
| 117 | English           | Mar 2, 2011 9:56 AM   |

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| 118 | English   | Mar 1, 2011 5:11 PM   |
| 119 | English   | Mar 1, 2011 4:36 PM   |
| 120 | Gibberish | Feb 28, 2011 3:32 PM  |
| 121 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 122 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 2:47 PM  |
| 123 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 2:22 PM  |
| 124 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 1:53 PM  |
| 125 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 1:52 PM  |
| 126 | English   | Feb 27, 2011 5:46 PM  |
| 127 | English   | Feb 26, 2011 8:49 PM  |
| 128 | English   | Feb 25, 2011 10:29 PM |

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|----|---|-----------------------|
| 1  | English   | Sep 1, 2011 1:46 PM   |
| 2  | English   | Sep 1, 2011 1:38 PM   |
| 3  | English   | Sep 1, 2011 1:25 PM   |
| 4  | English   | Sep 1, 2011 1:21 PM   |
| 5  | English   | Sep 1, 2011 1:16 PM   |
| 6  | English, Spanish  | Sep 1, 2011 1:01 PM   |
| 7  | English   | Sep 1, 2011 12:55 PM  |
| 8  | English   | Aug 18, 2011 8:44 PM  |
| 9  | Mandarin Chinese  | Aug 18, 2011 3:30 PM  |
| 10 | English and Spanish   | Aug 16, 2011 10:25 PM |
| 11 | English   | Aug 16, 2011 6:26 PM  |
| 12 | English/ some diversity too; Native, Spanish, German                          | Aug 6, 2011 4:50 PM   |
| 13 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 4:39 PM   |
| 14 | English but access to other languages as people need interlibrary loans, etc. | Aug 6, 2011 4:21 PM   |
| 15 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 4:05 PM   |

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|----|---|-----------------------|
| 16 | English/Spanish/Russian/Japanese                    | Aug 6, 2011 3:53 PM   |
| 17 | English?  | Aug 6, 2011 3:49 PM   |
| 18 | English, Spanish, French, Chinese                   | Aug 6, 2011 3:26 PM   |
| 19 | Mongolian   | Aug 6, 2011 3:18 PM   |
| 20 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 3:01 PM   |
| 21 | English & Latin                                     | Aug 6, 2011 2:46 PM   |
| 22 | multi   | Aug 6, 2011 1:33 PM   |
| 23 | English, Spanish, French, German                    | Aug 6, 2011 1:12 PM   |
| 24 | English/French                                      | Aug 6, 2011 1:03 PM   |
| 25 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 12:49 PM  |
| 26 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 12:43 PM  |
| 27 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 12:33 PM  |
| 28 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 12:25 PM  |
| 29 | English   | Aug 6, 2011 12:18 PM  |
| 30 | Spanish/English                                     | Aug 6, 2011 12:09 PM  |
| 31 | American  | Aug 6, 2011 12:01 PM  |
| 32 | Inupiaq/Spanish/German                              | Aug 6, 2011 11:55 AM  |
| 33 | English & Spanish                                   | Aug 5, 2011 12:14 PM  |
| 34 | English   | Aug 5, 2011 12:04 PM  |
| 35 | English, Spanish, German, Chinese                   | Aug 5, 2011 11:38 AM  |
| 36 | English   | Jul 28, 2011 6:52 PM  |
| 37 | English, Spanish, Russian.                          | Jul 27, 2011 12:12 AM |
| 38 | English   | Jul 27, 2011 12:00 AM |
| 39 | English   | Jul 26, 2011 10:01 PM |
| 40 | English, Spanish, Yupik, Athabaskan, German, Korean | Jul 26, 2011 9:00 PM  |
| 41 | english and welcome all languages                   | Jul 26, 2011 7:49 PM  |
| 42 | English   | Jul 26, 2011 6:25 PM  |
| 43 | Yup'ik/Gwichin!                                     | Jul 26, 2011 6:15 PM  |
| 44 | English, Russian                                    | Jul 26, 2011 3:07 PM  |

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|----|---|-----------------------|
| 45 | English   | Jul 10, 2011 6:40 PM  |
| 46 | English   | Jul 9, 2011 5:21 PM   |
| 47 | English   | Jul 8, 2011 7:57 AM   |
| 48 | english   | Jun 30, 2011 9:29 PM  |
| 49 | English plus requested materials in other languages | Jun 14, 2011 9:44 PM  |
| 50 | English   | Jun 11, 2011 11:38 AM |
| 51 | English   | May 30, 2011 12:59 AM |
| 52 | English   | May 27, 2011 7:01 AM  |
| 53 | English   | May 9, 2011 12:19 PM  |
| 54 | English   | May 5, 2011 2:21 PM   |
| 55 | English   | May 1, 2011 12:46 AM  |
| 56 | English   | Apr 28, 2011 9:40 AM  |
| 57 | English   | Apr 16, 2011 3:50 PM  |
| 58 | English   | Apr 13, 2011 9:08 PM  |
| 59 | English   | Apr 12, 2011 11:11 PM |
| 60 | English, German, Spanish                            | Apr 12, 2011 8:34 PM  |
| 61 | English   | Apr 12, 2011 8:18 PM  |
| 62 | english   | Apr 11, 2011 3:46 PM  |
| 63 | english   | Apr 10, 2011 1:25 PM  |
| 64 | English   | Apr 10, 2011 9:57 AM  |
| 65 | English   | Apr 10, 2011 9:42 AM  |
| 66 | English   | Apr 9, 2011 3:44 PM   |
| 67 | English   | Apr 9, 2011 2:17 PM   |
| 68 | english   | Apr 9, 2011 3:27 AM   |
| 69 | English, might also look for German and Spanish     | Apr 5, 2011 9:38 AM   |
| 70 | english   | Apr 4, 2011 9:31 PM   |
| 71 | english   | Apr 3, 2011 1:29 PM   |
| 72 | 'Merican  | Apr 3, 2011 10:33 AM  |
| 73 | english   | Apr 3, 2011 10:16 AM  |

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|     |   |                       |
|-----|---|-----------------------|
| 74  | english   | Apr 2, 2011 2:35 PM   |
| 75  | English   | Mar 30, 2011 2:17 PM  |
| 76  | Same  | Mar 26, 2011 9:34 PM  |
| 77  | English   | Mar 24, 2011 1:53 AM  |
| 78  | English   | Mar 23, 2011 12:44 PM |
| 79  | English/Spanish   | Mar 22, 2011 7:17 PM  |
| 80  | ? & !   | Mar 21, 2011 4:59 PM  |
| 81  | English   | Mar 20, 2011 10:38 PM |
| 82  | English   | Mar 19, 2011 2:51 PM  |
| 83  | English, French, Spanish  | Mar 19, 2011 1:18 PM  |
| 84  | English   | Mar 19, 2011 1:02 PM  |
| 85  | surprise me   | Mar 18, 2011 12:22 AM |
| 86  | Whatever the community needs  | Mar 17, 2011 12:18 PM |
| 87  | English   | Mar 16, 2011 1:00 AM  |
| 88  | English   | Mar 15, 2011 11:26 PM |
| 89  | English   | Mar 13, 2011 4:50 PM  |
| 90  | english   | Mar 13, 2011 2:13 PM  |
| 91  | English, French, Spanish  | Mar 13, 2011 1:55 PM  |
| 92  | E   | Mar 13, 2011 10:58 AM |
| 93  | English   | Mar 12, 2011 10:16 PM |
| 94  | English and others.   | Mar 12, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 95  | english and wouldn't mind some spanish books, audiobooks                | Mar 8, 2011 4:04 PM   |
| 96  | English   | Mar 8, 2011 9:01 AM   |
| 97  | as many as possible   | Mar 7, 2011 9:02 PM   |
| 98  | English, Spanish, German, French  | Mar 7, 2011 6:12 PM   |
| 99  | English, maybe French and Spanish                                       | Mar 7, 2011 1:41 PM   |
| 100 | English   | Mar 5, 2011 9:53 PM   |
| 101 | English mainly, but some foreign language books/magazines would be nice | Mar 5, 2011 12:35 AM  |
| 102 | all kinds   | Mar 4, 2011 9:27 PM   |

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|-----|---|-----------------------|
| 103 | english   | Mar 4, 2011 8:16 PM   |
| 104 | As many as possible, with the majority in the language of the people that are using it. | Mar 2, 2011 9:56 AM   |
| 105 | English and oother languages as requested   | Mar 1, 2011 5:11 PM   |
| 106 | English but others as needed by community members                                       | Mar 1, 2011 4:36 PM   |
| 107 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 3:32 PM  |
| 108 | English, spanish  | Feb 28, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 109 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 2:47 PM  |
| 110 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 2:22 PM  |
| 111 | Spanish, French, Russian  | Feb 28, 2011 1:53 PM  |
| 112 | English   | Feb 28, 2011 1:52 PM  |
| 113 | English and French  | Feb 27, 2011 5:46 PM  |
| 114 | English, German, French, Danish   | Feb 26, 2011 8:49 PM  |
| 115 | English   | Feb 25, 2011 10:29 PM |

**Page 6, Q9. Where do you currently go to socialize or connect with others? (Indicate all that apply.)**

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| 1 | I don't live in ester. I spend time here and think this would be a great thing for the community.   | Aug 6, 2011 4:56 PM  |
| 2 | am rather shy & busy - don't get out much   | Aug 6, 2011 3:01 PM  |
| 3 | online very little  | Aug 6, 2011 2:46 PM  |
| 4 | Ester P.O.  | Aug 6, 2011 1:33 PM  |
| 5 | Post Office   | Aug 6, 2011 1:28 PM  |
| 6 | the Golden Eagle Saloon, bluegrass music there, Democratic Party, Laborers Union, university library, Ester Volunteer Fire Department, flagging   | Aug 6, 2011 1:03 PM  |
| 7 | community garden  | Aug 6, 2011 12:49 PM |
| 8 | AA: have in the past, not recent. Blue Loon, Golden Eagle (occasional; too smokey for us), Ivory Jack's Silver Gulch, Howling Dog. Gulliver's, Barnes & Noble. occasional church. concerts, etc. The Annex openings, shows, classes. book club. movies at Blue Loon, occasional @Goldstream. Parks: national, state, borough, local. 4th of July parade, etc. Skiing, paddling, hiking. Wilderness trips, Arctic Winter Games. occasional volunteer work. Work sucks. | Aug 5, 2011 12:04 PM |

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| 9  | I don't socialize as often as many do.   | Jul 26, 2011 9:00 PM  |
| 10 | I wouldn't go to library to socialize.   | Jul 26, 2011 7:49 PM  |
| 11 | Aw....poor people who don't socialize :(   | Jul 26, 2011 6:15 PM  |
| 12 | Please look at the negatives also, libraries are great but I strongly feel it should be done without much money spent. | Jul 6, 2011 2:15 PM   |
| 13 | I don't socialize much, by choice  | Mar 15, 2011 11:26 PM |
| 14 | Sunday Saunas at the Wilson's  | Feb 28, 2011 2:48 PM  |
| 15 | Noel Wien Library  | Feb 27, 2011 5:46 PM  |