

Emerald Hills Community Garden

2021 year-end survey results

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The Emerald Hills Community Garden is one of 15 gardens in the County's Community Garden program.

Survey results

From December 2021 to January 2022, members of the Emerald Hills Community Garden had access to a survey to evaluate the past growing season. The survey link was sent to the community garden leader to share with its members. There were 24 survey responses (19 complete and 5 partial).

HIGHLIGHTS

- 99% said the community garden contributes to their own sense of pride in their neighbourhood
- 95% said the community garden helps them feel more connected with other members of their garden group
- 85% said the community garden helps build trust between the people in their garden group
- 75% said the community garden helps build trust between the people in their neighbourhood
- 100% said the community garden helps them and their family eat more healthily

SATISFACTION

- 95% were pleased with the amount of support the County provided for their community garden in 2021
- 100% said the County communicated effectively as we dealt with the challenges around gardening during COVID-19
- 95% were pleased with the on-site water available at their community garden

What's next?

Based on the results and comments included in the open-ended feedback, Strathcona County will look at ways to improve the Emerald Hills Community Garden for 2022 and future growing seasons.

More information

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