April 2nd, 2013: What Do You Want Wednesday Report

The purpose of What Do You Want Wednesdays is to allow Mason students and Mason’s Student Government to interact on a one-on-one basis to facilitate conversations regarding desired changes or questions about campus issues. This month, we partnered with the Office of Sustainability. There were 144 responses, and here they are as follows.

Please indicate your current academic level:
Total Count: 144

- **Freshman (40)**
- **Sophomore (29)**
- **Junior (37)**
- **Senior (25)**
- **Graduate (6)**
- **Non-degree student (6)**
On which campus do you primarily attend classes?
Total Count: 144

During your time at Mason, how many Green Leaf or environment-related courses have you taken?
Total Count: 144
What does sustainability mean to you? (Check all that apply)

Total Count: 587

![Bar chart showing various sustainability options and their counts.]

Which are the most environmentally friendly way(s) to commute to campus? (Check top two)

Total Count: 226

![Pie chart showing the most popular commuter options.]

- Bike/Walk (46%)
- Drive Alone (17%)
- Bus/ Shuttle (11%)
- Carpool (26%)
Mason has a goal to reduce its greenhouse gas emissions as much as possible. What should Mason focus on to make the biggest impact on its emissions? (Check top two)

Total Count: 235

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How interested are you in Organic food?

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- Very interested (53): 37%
- Semi-interested (66): 46%
- Not interested (15): 7%
- No Opinion (10): 10%
Other Notes (15)

Parking/Transportation (4)

- Free visitor parking for the weekends in general lots (x2)
- Lower parking rates (x2)

Dining (6)

- Manhattan Pizza is the best! (x1)
- Stale late night South Side (x3)
- Prices a little high for off campus students (x2)

IT (5)

- MASON-SECURE 5.8GHz is not working or very slow (x2)
- Internet in the dorms are slower than usual (x3)