

Winstead Transportation Audit

Live Green CT is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit based in Norwalk, CT, dedicated to supporting businesses and municipalities switch to alternative, cleaner fuel. We are a subrecipient of a federal grant called Community-driven Transportation Plans for the Northeast, led by the Northeast Energy Efficiency Partnerships (NEEP). The purpose of this survey is to receive honest impressions from the public of Winsted to inform us on how they view both public and private transportation in their community. With the goal of completing 100 surveys, we hope to implement citizen input into a comprehensive plan to improve mobility in Winsted, based on the needs of its residents. The result of this project is to address urgent transit requirements, support economic growth, and work towards a more sustainable and accessible transportation layout for all in the municipality.

- 1. Do you live in Winsted?
- 2. How long have you lived in Winsted?
- 3. Are you enrolled in CT State Northwestern?
- 4. Are you aware of the UPass program the college provides?
- 5. In the last month have you encountered any transportation barriers in getting to the following locations:
 - a. Grocery store
 - b. Doctor's office
 - c. Work
 - d. Bank
 - e. Other personal errands
 - f. No barriers
- 6. If available, would a shuttle bus be useful to you, and would you use it to work, school, or other locations?
- 7. What is the distance of your average commute to work and/or school in miles?
- 8. Northwest CT Transit District
 - a. Do you use the local bus system? If so, how often?
 - b. What is your average distance traveled in miles?
 - c. Why do you use this system?
 - d. Would you find it beneficial if the route included additional stops?
 - e. What changes in the Transit District can be made to be more useful to you?

- 9. What mode of travel do you use most? A personal car? Borrow a car? Walk? Bike? Public transportation? Other?
- 10. Do you own a personal vehicle? Does someone in your household?
- 11. How interested are you in electric transit on a scale of 1 to 10?
- 12. Do you own an electric vehicle?
- 13. Would you like to buy an electric vehicle?
 - a. If yes, why?
 - b. If no, what are your reservations?
- 14. Are you aware of the financial incentives of owning an EV?
- 15. Is there any optional demographic information you would like to share: age, gender, race, income, etc.?
- 16. Final questions or comments?
- 17. Please provide your email if you wish to receive compensation for the completion of this survey: