

**Question 4:**

**Do you have any further comments you would like to share on overall quality of life in the Village of Bellevue?**

1. Bike lanes are a waste of money. Intermittent use. No increase in safety.
2. The music in the park is something I, my husband and a sister & her friend who live in Howard & work in Green Bay really enjoy. Please continue that program.
3. There is a shortage of soccer fields in Bellevue, and despite previous plans to address this issue, the village board decided to not do anything
4. School district is bad. Part of Bellevue ends up at Washington and East.
5. Need larger garbage cans
6. Greatly encouraged by the opening of The Café but need more restaurants & retail businesses
7. Seems the citations are politically and/or money influenced. Ironically the image of the lifers here is that the individual overseeing is not of Bellevue and treats all of us as if we are in a gated community. The squeaky wheel gets the grease is bad management. Seriously assess this.
8. There does not seem to be much of an emphasis on wellness in the community for adults
9. Continue with more recreational trail access. Loving the sidewalks!
10. I think some of the roads could be in better repair.
11. There are a lot more rude rich people than I was expecting.
12. Bellevue lacks in offering opportunities for its residents to utilize local parks and green space. For example, Willow Creek Park can only be used by pop warner football and a high school soccer team, and proposing millions of dollars to be spent on a soccer complex.
13. Road conditions and transportation infrastructure are terrible. Some of the worst in northeast Wisconsin
14. Pick up leaves
15. It has been a great place to live. There is some oddity of putting large apartment/businesses in neighborhoods that has brought some property values down and made our search to stay in the area difficult when we moved.
16. Put in a Meijers! Have more adult activities, not just for senior and children
17. We need our own school- having the kids' living in Bellevue going to three different high schools is ridiculous. My kids will go to a different school than the kids one street over. Leaf pickup in the fall would also be amazing to look into.
18. We need more police protection! Also we need people on the board that are visionaries & progressive instead of stagnant.
19. We need to have more Huron Road off Eaton Rd, businesses planted especially mom n pop run businesses. Check with Bayview Restaurant on No. Military, the owner was interested. Is any bus route starting to get us to East town shopping area, or the Kroc, or Y for exercise coming soon?
20. Get tougher on the dirt bags, fines should be higher
21. The Green Bay public school system is bad. We're in the part of Bellevue that has to go to Washington and East. We're looking to move to a better school district. Low property taxes equal crap schools.
22. Needs own schools not the Green Bay school district

23. Better maintenance of our roadways
24. Based on your last economic report, my family ranks pretty high in household income. We are not interested in building and really disappointed in the housing market for existing \$300-450k homes. There are currently 2 available. De Pere and GB have a lot available. This might be a good thing for the village that people aren't selling, but it doesn't provide a path to upgrade homes without building. There also are not many nice lots available on the east side of the village even if we did want to build.
25. Roads need to be fixed, also get rid of roundabouts and use signaled intersections. More business on GV corridor
26. I'd like to see our ordinances for yard, home, and neighborhood appearance enforced without the average citizen having to bring complaints in and then being ignored
27. I love Bellevue, but the only reason we may move is not happy with school choice of Edison & Preble.
28. We need a fulltime 24/7 staffed fire department that also provides EMS
29. I have issues with people who fail to stop at stop light coming off JJ. It is amazing how they never think they need to stop.
30. If I were a parent with children in school I would move so my kids didn't have to go to Washington or East.
31. We would love to see more sidewalks or bike paths to connect all areas of town. And more boutique businesses, we need a comprehensive business development plan that includes retail, dining and entertainment. A new public library somewhere near Eaton Rd would be fantastic too!
32. My children are in elementary school and I'm hoping by the time they start high school, there will be a new high school for them to attend.
33. Snow plow need work, poorly clean roads
34. I would like if they would have some yard waste pickup in fall. Even for a limited time
35. Please continue to expand restaurant and shopping options
36. Access to amenities is outstanding. Many subdivisions feel hidden or secluded by trees and small forests; but just on the other side is retail and consumer services
37. The only reason I would not raise a child in the village is because we are in the Green Bay school district and I refuse to send a child to East High School.
38. Would be awesome to have our own middle and high school
39. The quality of life is fair. There are good events to do with the family. However, the lack of public safety is a major concern.
40. Need an affordable condo development for 55+
41. The Village is welcoming for all residents whether children or seniors (and everything in between). It has a laid back tempo that is conducive to being a bedroom community but with enough commercial options to satisfy almost everyone.
42. I would like to see more walking paths along Greenbrier
43. Would be nice to have public transportation that was easy to use and get to
44. Need more police! Deters crime....
45. I'm waiting for sidewalk between Verlin Rd. and Target on Lime Kiln Rd. It's dangerous to walk that route in winter

46. Lover living here!!! Wish recycle was picked up weekly
47. More planned neighborhood gatherings
48. Certain intersections are jammed up at certain times of day (i.e. Manitowoc Rd at Eaton is a jumbled mess starting at about 4pm)
49. Roads are awful. Village board is more concerned about saving money than public safety. Isn't support higher taxes in exchange for improvements in these areas
50. Many homeowners worry that increased apartment communities threatens quality of life and makes it look and feel crowded
51. Our neighborhood lacks sidewalks and a decent playground within walking distance for youth. There is also a traffic issue on Conesta Dr.
52. Very nice parks & rec. Poor roads and snow removal in neighborhood
53. Overall plan for developing Bellevue seems to be to enhance quality of life in the Village.....please continue that plan!
54. Traffic on Eaton rd is horrible trying to pull off of neighborhood streets. I do not see the police driving through our neighborhood as much as before. There's something about seeing a police car now and then that makes me feel safer.
55. Glad to see the addition of police services in 2018
56. Some of the roads near Aurora hospital could use some work
57. We need more amenities and pride in the appearance of our community. Signage, banners, decorative street lighting, street trees and appearance of public buildings.
58. Bellevue needs to continue to grow and offer multiple types of quality housing options as well as amenities to its residents. Continue to invest in all aspects of the community to make it better.

**Question 7:**

**Do you have any comments on TRANSPORTATION services in the Village of Bellevue?**

1. I felt at times like I was back in Afghanistan on newly created roads. Roads built hastily and by the lowest warlord backed bidder. Looked good for the ribbon cutting and then turned into roller coasters and patches. I find most speed limits set artificially low but understand their purpose. Lot of people on the end of Willow Street hit 40+ before the houses end. The roundabouts have helped traffic flow.
2. Please take a drive down Monroe Road and you will see the difference between Bellevue and Ledgeview. Ledgeview's section of the road is lit, is decorated at the holidays, and has the appropriate speed limit. You get to Bellevue and it is clear that the appearance of the road means nothing, it is dark and gloomy, and the speed limit is completely inappropriate. Bellevue has done great work with sidewalks and paths.
3. Road plowing needs work
4. 172 @ GV is very congested in the evening. Something should be done at the exit ramp to decrease traffic back-ups on the highway
5. The intersection of Eaton Road and Manitowoc Road frequently backs up around 4:00 pm.
6. Our roads are in very very bad shape
7. Keep adding bike trails
8. Road quality is very poor, i.e. Verlin Rd and Allouez Ave. Spend more up front when installing roads so they last longer
9. We understand the low property taxes, but the way the cost was figured out to redo our road was unfair/ poorly planned. We did end up getting it changed a bit after bringing it to the board, but it would be nice to pay a bit more property tax and not have to worry about coming up with the cost to replace roads.
10. More signage of bike/walk lanes or sidewalks near parks
11. I wish you would slow down Manitowoc Road East & could divert traffic to highway another way
12. Traffic congestion is terrible in late afternoon/early evening at intersection of Eaton & Manitowoc Roads. Something needs to be done before the traffic increases even further when the new development on Eaton Road brings more residents.
13. Large congestion areas at Hwy 172 and GV area. Large congestion at Manitowoc Road intersections at I-43/Manitowoc road exits. The bridge and intersections are not equipped to handle the traffic volume. Most all the roads have dips in them where laterals cross. I was told the dirt type in Bellevue is unique and settles weird. That's an embarrassment to my intelligence. Developers are allowed to put in low quality roads that need to be replaced in only a few years at the resident's expense. The overall road quality in Bellevue is terrible.
14. Overall the roads do not appear to be built to handle heavy vehicles. They are falling apart too quickly
15. Poor was given for lights as the streets are horribly dark. Streets have no lights. I bought home here 2 yrs ago and never noticed that our street was so dark with no lights. Also poor for sidewalks because there are so very very few Crossing Eaton Rd is very dangerous ESP for kids! And I am sure as all know the congestion in the eaton rd/43/Manitowoc Rd area
16. The intersection of Eaton and Manitowoc road is very frustrating around rush hour. The lights are very poorly timed which does not allow the traffic to flow very well. Traffic turning right off of Eaton onto Manitowoc road constantly blocks the entire intersection. When the light turns green for those traveling west on Manitowoc road, we aren't able to go

anywhere!!! Can something be done to create better traffic flow. We should not have to go out of our way to avoid that intersection entirely.

17. The intersection of Monroe and Limekiln heading into the pick and save parking lot is confusing. There is road paint that indicated a left turn only and a right turn only; not sure which lane is to be used to enter the parking lot from Limekiln
18. The I-43/Manitowoc Road Interchange can be a challenge during peak travel times during the weekdays
19. Intersection of Eaton Road and Manitowoc Road is very congested at times. Suggest making I-43 overpass 2 lanes in both directions
20. Manitowoc Rd and Cty JJ is an absolute cluster between 3:30-5:30pm. The off ramp to Manitowoc Rd is also a mess. The whole area needs work!! A no turn on red sign from JJ to Manitowoc Rd is needed immediately
21. Major congestion at JJ and Manitowoc road
22. It would be nice if the bus line came out farther than Marcus theaters
23. Our road is plowed on average 12 hours after the snow had ended, and is rarely salted. Verlin and Limekiln roads is way too heavy for those roads and they are in dire need of replacement
24. Roads and road maintenance are terrible. Village quickly points finger at county...strategic plan is terrible as well
25. JJ and Verlin especially when you get off hwy 43 backed up from 3 to 5pm. There should be 2 lanes not a single lane in front of festival foods east
26. Between 4 and 6:30 the intersection at JJ and Manitowoc Rd is impossible
27. Put salt down on more intersections
28. Fix Hazen Rd and Guns
29. Roads need repair. Side roads need plowing
30. Cty JJ can be horrible at the lights on the overpass during busy times
31. Verlin rd is horrendous. I work in healthcare and there are times my road is not plowed until the afternoon. While I understand that the main roads have an obvious priority, shouldn't neighborhoods get at least one pass earlier on to allow people to get to/from work?
32. Do something with the congestion near Festival it's ridiculous
33. Bus?
34. Our road is forgotten about
35. Too many dips and cracks in the roadway
36. The JJ/I-43 intersections are really congested between 4-5:30
37. Traffic congestion is getting bad on GV
38. Finding a better way to backfill sewer and water trenches so that they don't settle so bad and then the roads will ride better than a plowed field
39. In referenc3e to lighting, why doesn't the village use more of the street path lights that shine down like Green Bay and Ledgeview. We are concerned about eh light pollution
40. Hazen Road between Verlin Rd and Allouez Ave is TERRIBLE
41. One reason I chose Bellevue was no sidewalks wider roads. I think bike lanes on Manitowoc road waste of money for no one uses them same sidewalks the people walking on road anyway. Congestion Manitowoc road an JJ
42. Eaton Rd./Manitowoc Rd. intersection is absolutely nasty to get through at high traffic times. I believe a 'no turn on red' sign coming off of Eaton onto Manitowoc road would help a lot
43. Still have to walk a mile or more if you live in Josten Park area but improvement when Target and Costco added

44. There needs to be a street light in Bethel park
45. It can be difficult making a left hand turn from continental onto main due to high traffic
46. Please add bike paths and sidewalks that enable residents who live off of Main St. to bike to the store or school. Also, the speed limit on Main Street needs to be lowered to 35mph until south of the Redwood
47. Often congestion at Lime Kiln and Verlin during after work hours. Seems like there should be an arrow during that time when turning left onto Verlin going east. Also over the summer several dead animals were left to decompose on the side of the road for weeks. This was unsanitary and an eye sore.
48. The Starbucks exit is so busy. Hard to turn left by Costco
49. Would like trails expanded. Many roads are very bumpy
50. Something has to be done with Verlin all over as Village grows.
51. There is a lot of back up and congestion on Manitowoc Rd near the highway exit (from Mcdonald's all the way down to Festival).
52. I wish we had lights on my street but oh well. (Garden Grove Lane) Our snow plow operator does an amazing job!
53. Sidewalks. Lets move beyond the health benefits and focus on the commitment to keep people safe to their destinations. In the recent past; there are 2 distinct locations that sidewalks have been yanked that are harmful. 1. Central Drive. Heavy street parking that requires walking down the road when snow cover arrives. 2. Town Hall Road. Josten Park is a central event forum for the Village. The generous width of Town Hall Road allows for parking on both sides. Those who choose to park on the North side are forced to cross mid street (jay walk) to the sidewalk on the South side of the road; as there is not a sidewalk, nor a cross walk to assist those on the North side to move the South Side.
54. The streets are in terrible shape, too many potholes, rough bumpy main thoroughfares congestion at busy times because of poor design or poorly timed stop lights (Old Manitowoc road and Cty rd. JJ)
55. I do not utilize public transport my feedback would not be valuable
56. We have no lights or sidewalks on our road
57. The bus routes are a nice touch but I'm not sure how many people utilize it. Our snow plow drivers do a good job but unfortunately I believe we are way under staffed compared to similar municipalities. Village roads need to be cleared in a more timely manner.
58. Manitowoc Road from CTH JJ to Main Street is severely congested
59. The intersection of Manitowoc & Hwy JJ (eaton rd) is a mess at busy times. That whole section of getting off Hwy 43 and turning left onto Hwy JJ is dangers and bad flow
60. My wife and I are avid runners and bikers. We feel they're aren't enough designated bike lanes/trails along with lighting. We often travel to a neighboring village to enjoy the outdoors and feel safer. Honestly majority of our running/biking is done in the evening and of that at least 50% of the time one of us has to pull into the ditch because cars won't slow down and we don't feel safe on the roads and when we run and have the signal to cross the street most cars do not stop or even slow down. Speed limit is too high on Verlin and Monroe.
61. Would like to see a roundabout at Hazen/Allouez intersection. Drivers do not use the 4-way stop properly
62. Spring Creek Circle has needed sidewalks for years. Too dangerous for school children and people walking at night. Because of the curve you don't see people soon enough. Someone is going to get hurt. Manitowoc Road is congested over I43 often. People don't stop for stop signs. This needs to be enforced too.

63. I would like to see city bus and sidewalks on Hazen Rd and all busy roads
64. The roads are awful. I know you say it's the soil but the minute you cross into any of the surrounding communities, the problem doesn't exist. You can't say that this "unique soil" exactly follows village boundaries and county roads within the village don't have the same issue.
65. I would probably utilize a bus service from time to time, but there are none near me
66. If there's one buggaboo regarding traffic, it's the timing of the traffic lights at the I-43N offramp and the ones at Eaton Road (JJ) a block east of there. Really, it's only problematic during the rush hours but it would be nice if they could be coordinated better. Also, the I-43S ramp from Manitowoc Road is pretty rough at the bottom. I think we're not the only ones with ramp maintenance issues though.
67. Fix the congestion with the traffic on Steffen Court by Festival Foods and Menard's! It really needs another entrance/exit; and designated/marked lanes at the traffic light, (you can't tell which lane you should be in for making turns or going straight out of that area!
68. Manitowoc and Main St roundabout backup from main st to eaton rd
69. More sidewalks and better repair of roads
70. REALLY upset that sidewalks are planned for our street. 70% of us are long time residents and now elderly and now you're going to require us to shovel sidewalks? Seems like a good way to drive out the old folks more than anything else since there isn't anyway to walk to on said sidewalks!
71. Our neighborhood has curves in the streets so the lighting is only at the intersections, leaving the majority of the street unlit and unsafe. Snow plows usually are about 2-3 feet from the curb.
72. With all of the taxes we pay in Bellevue that should be enough to pay for road resurfacing. How do you expect people to pay thousands more to pay for this service
73. Still very upsetting that when traveling on Verlin street between Guns and Limekiln that the road has had flaws/bumps since the reconstruction of the road years ago
74. My stretch of road on Valley Heights Dr is not sufficiently plowed/salt/sanded
75. Certain intersections are jammed up at certain times of day (i.e. Manitowoc Rd at Eaton is a jumbled mess starting at about 4pm) (Referenced from question 4)
76. Frequent congestion onto and from I-43 at Manitowoc Road and JJ. Widening ramps and adding a lane(s) on Manitowoc Road would help
77. Congestion on Old Manitowoc Rd where on/off ramps are for I-43 gets really bad after work
78. All road maintenance should be included within our tax bills. Residents should not have to pay 100% of the road replacement, especially on a main road. Bellevue should work with the surrounding communities to see how they incorporate this within the tax bills (should put this on a referendum)..ex: Ashwaubenon.
79. Can we get the bike paths plowed over the weekends too?
80. Need roundabouts on the Manitowoc rd interchange with 43 and Eaton rd.
81. The corner of Manitowoc road and County's road JJ seem to always be a problem around rush hour. Including the on and off ramps of I-41
82. Bellevue has by far the worst maintained road in the area
83. Hoffman and GV intersection can be congested at busy times and recently the lights have been flashing rather than working properly. This malfunction makes travel harder
84. The traffic backups by festival foods. Better lighting on Main Street by the junkyard
85. I am making an assumption here, but... I find it frustrating that the Village bases the road work repair solely on cost. Going with the cheapest bidder is NEVER the best way to get something done. I pay taxes and therefore am paying for the road work. When you go with

- the cheapest bid, you get the lowest quality and then it needs to be replaced or repaired sooner than it should have been. If you pay a little more up front, it will last longer, costing less in the long run and you get a better product. All one needs to do is drive down Verlin Rd or Allouez Ave. to see what I am talking about. On another note, the wide blacktop sidewalks look cheap and sloppy. They add nothing to the curb appeal of the Village. If you're going to insist on sidewalks, make them out of concrete.
86. Traffic flow/lights on Manitowoc Rd at I-43 needs to be adjusted for both the morning and evening rush hour.
  87. We need more frequent street repairs. Roads generally become horrible before being replaced. I would gladly pay more taxes so this could get done.
  88. 6 months to resurface Town Hall Rd???
  89. We need public public transportation
  90. Roads are in very bad shape. Board needs to think about a more aggressive plan to replace
  91. Great bike trails and love the roundabouts
  92. I mentioned above trying to pull off of a neighborhood street on to Eaton rd has become almost impossible at certain times of the day
  93. Traffic from The Ravine to Lou's One Stop and near Costco gets bad
  94. Roundabouts are the pits. If you are going to build them, build them big enough for a semi
  95. The intersection of Eaton and Juneberry could use some help. A lot of people use that to go to/from Aurora or other work places and it can get busy, and a bit scary at times.
  96. Bus routes should be expanded and stops should have shelters. Need more sidewalks and trails. Roads need to be maintained better
  97. More bike trails would be nice. Also, on streets that share the road with bikes I feel the automobile speeds should be monitored better, or reduce the speed limits. Do not feel sharing the roads with automobiles while biking is safe within the village.
  98. Continue to invest in streets and repair. Don't put off repairs of streets as it will only get more expensive. Figure out special assessments. Get rid of them or just keep it the way it is and grin and bear it.

**Question 9:**

**Do you have any comments on PARKS AND RECREATION services in the Village of Bellevue?**

1. Please continue the music in the park
2. Keep up the good work
3. Love how they are kept up!
4. Some of the park buildings are looking like they need updating and standard maintenance. Please let them look nice.
5. More teen programs would be nice
6. I am happy to see the Flag Football program has returned to its roots and is focusing more on skills and less on winning
7. Fair
8. Josten looks well used and maintained
9. Need more programs for age group 45-70!
10. ...
11. Stop planting junk trees
12. Summer bands are good
13. I get disappointed in how some residents treat our parks. Leaving trash and stuff laying around from parties.
14. More 40-50 yrs of age activities. Seem to cater to families and seniors
15. Would like to see dogs allowed access in Josten park on a leash
16. Great job!
17. There needs to be a street light in Bethel Park
18. Fun programs and great family opportunities
19. More trails would be nice. Or parks with kid friendly obstacle courses that promote exercise
20. I would like to see a splash pad at one of the parks
21. They are all good
22. Events that are outward facing, like Trick or Treat Trail; as it is primarily supported by businesses looking to expand their brand, should be open to anyone willing to travel to Bellevue. Events that are inward facing, like Easter Egg Extravaganza and Santa in the Park should be Bellevue residents only
23. I really enjoy the summer events (bands, music) on Monday evening at Josten Park. How about events for the winter times
24. Bellevue has a lot of parks that are nice to take the family to and visit
25. Excellent and well maintained
26. Living near DeBroux park we would like to see more policing. We suspect drug sales at the odd hours of traffic. Why would people be driving up to the park at two or three in the morning?
27. Unfortunately, Emerald Ash Borer is going to be changing the landscape within the village in the coming years. We are protecting a couple of our trees but it will still take out some that aren't on the rescue list
28. When planting trees do not plant them so close to the road. They are in the way for snow removing
29. Purchase and plant high quality street trees as soon as a sub-division is completed
30. Need bigger spaces, especially for dance!! Absolutely love the new program and price but could use bigger area
31. If you say you're going to fill the ice rink at Josten....do it. Lack of staffing is not a valid excuse.
32. Seldom use as in our 80s

33. Would like to see more programs and activities (including bus trips) for seniors and adults during the evening or weekend
34. The kids love the parks. Keep up the good work!
35. Cancel EAB project
36. Do some updates at Josten!!!
37. There should be at least one native tree in every yard. It would increase property value, help the air and provide nature with something. And don't cut trees without the owner permission
38. Need a new and larger community center. Current one shows a very significant afterthought image of community. Parks need to be maintained more. Need more community events where you can bring people together.
39. I live near Moonrise park and I feel that this park tends to be forgotten when it comes to maintenance. The grass near the property owners fences never gets cut. Also, the mulch near the play area is always full of weeds and just just looks abandoned. As a property owner that lives near this park I feel it could be more upkept and not be an eyesore in an otherwise beautiful neighborhood.
40. Lack of trees in the Conesta drive area
41. Expensive to rent Park facilities
42. Need a newer and more attractive/user friendly community center. Why are events being cut that people attend?

**Question 11:**

**Do you have any comments on PUBLIC WORKS services in the Village of Bellevue?**

1. We use the compost site regularly
2. The village may want to consider adding an additional recycling day over the holidays. Every two weeks doesn't cut it at the holidays.
3. Our road has standing water issues
4. The very short cul-de-sac I live on has no stormwater outlet. The stormwater outlet located around the corner on the adjacent street is often blocked by snow in the winter resulting in water and ice buildup in the gutter and in front of the mailboxes on the street.
5. Water and sewer rates are too high. I paid less in Illinois for two people than I spend here in Bellevue just for myself. It's good to say you don't raise taxes very much but then turn around and raise water rates which most people don't pay much attention to
6. Cost for water is outrageously high
7. Develop compost collection
8. The garbage trucks are too heavy for the local roads and are leading to the early deterioration of the roads
9. Streambank stabilization completed on my property was a complete waste of money as most of it has washed away
10. Recycling e/o week is just not enough. I was surprised by that. I moved from the Town of Scott (CraanenRd) and even there we had every week
11. The 1700 block of Firelane Drive seems to flood everytime we have any significant rain. I'm being told nothing can be done and that's just the way it is...
12. LOVE the compost site, but those with a lot of trees have to go multiple times a week with leaves if they don't have a big truck to haul them. Hoping for curbside leaf pickup in the future?
13. Wish recycling pickup was every week
14. Water bill is very high
15. The new companies trucks have ruined our street and leak fluids
16. Review water delivery agreement with Green Bay Water Utility- enough with the politics. Garbage and by recycler service are terrible as provider continuously leaves broken glass along roadside/curbside
17. Tree removal after storm was great
18. Recycling could be every week...
19. ...
20. In the newsletter you ask that vehicles do NOT stop in intersection, but do stop behind the lines. Yet the Bellevue red maintenance trucks are the biggest offender of invading the intersections and block view so people can not see to make right hand turns
21. Wish we had large pick up days
22. I had a rough conversation with the recycling company. I asked for them to pick up a bigger load when we moved in, they charged me an extra \$10 which I thought was fair, but they decided the amount of cardboard was too much, so they didn't pick it up. I was able to load it up in 3 minutes and had to bring it in to the recycling plant myself. I don't believe they refunded my \$10. Otherwise their service was alright
23. It would be so nice to get leaf collection!!
24. Garbage pick up is spotty and garbage truck is speeding
25. Harters disposal isn't terrible

26. I think it is important to keep cost of water responsible. Sometime they forget to pick up my garbage or recycle
27. If the collection bins are unusable, I believe we as residents have to purchase new ones. Therefore it would be appreciated if the collection company could take a bit better care of them during collection. All the damage I have had to my bins are from the collection company's rough handling of the bins
28. Would be nice to have leaf pickups like city of Green Bay has
29. Our garbage cans are often thrown into the street by the company that does pick up. Also wish there was a leaf pick up service. I have never lived anywhere that did not offer this. It is a huge waste of time to rake, bag, load up leaves to then empty out the bags. Even if this was something that was offered at a cost I am sure people would pay for this.
30. Like convenience of waste site
31. I like the Village
32. The cost of water to the village is extremely high. I don't understand the pricing structure and the justification for it. The taste of the water is very good, justified?
33. It seems like there are a lot of water main breaks in Bellevue
34. Water/sewer is very expensive
35. Would like to see fall leaf pickup in the street
36. We use the yard waste site often. Very handy.
37. There is nerve a time that there is garbage that falls out of the trucks or that they can not stand garbage cans up that they fall over
38. How can I find out who the Harter drivers are so I can offer them a bribe if they lower my bins slow enough to keep the lid shut (to keep snow and rain out). :) PS. The recycler truck was always only a short time behind the garbage truck. Now it is 2-3 hours later. It would be nice if they were closer together so I could put them away at the same time.
39. I would like to see a change in the company which picks up the Garbage, I assume the choice was made regarding cost, however, I am not at all pleased with this company----for a number of reasons #1 reason spillage of garbage/paper and not picking it up -----I called the company about this issue and was sworn at I reported this issue to the village at the time of the occurrence.
40. Be more careful with the garbage cans. Do not lay them don on there side
41. Need more frequent recycling. Water is great compared to what we had with wells. Storm water ponds should be fenced for safety
42. The water and sewer costs are egregious
43. Trash collector forget or they just miss collecting our trash 4 to 5 times last year. We call and sometimes they pick it up and sometimes they don't. for what we pay for this it should not be a problem.
44. Garbage late or missed days... compost way out at edge or village...water bill outrageous in price compared to surrounding area (not counting the garbage pick up)
45. RECYCLE needs to be picked up WEEKLY!!!!
46. PICK UP BRUSH MORE THAN TWICE A YEAR. Send out hard copy of the garbage/recycling schedule quarterly
47. We have a problem with drainage at the end of our driveway (Blue Moon Drive) when snow melts during the winter and spring. The water pools and freezes, causing hazardous conditions in and around the mailboxes and/or along the curb for walkers.
48. Would love to pay more in taxes wo we could have leaves picked up several times in the fall, rather than having the hassle of loading them up and making multiple trips to the yard waste site.

49. Water rates are high, can we get an extra recycle pickup around Christmas?
50. There are times with garbage and recycling that Harter's truck will knock my garbage can over without emptying it, and the driver will now stop to pick it up and collect the trash. I have called the village in the past and all they tell me is that I have to contact Harters. Harters is very hard to work with and not responsive to issues.

**Question 13:**

**Do you have any comments on PUBLIC SAFETY services in the Village of Bellevue?**

1. Overall protection is good, however I feel the charge for such services can be very vague, unjustified and unnecessary. When seeking to understand charges, I've been met with a very "this is the charge. Period." Attitude. Absolutely not willingness to create an understanding of how the charges were determined or how the extent of services needed were determined. These are fair questions when being asked to pay a bill in excess of \$1700.
2. It is apparent that not all swimming pools are equipped with the proper fencing
3. Bellevue needs to have its own police
4. (Former employee) should be replaced. He passes inspections without even looking at the structure, he passes electrical inspections and then WPS will not hook up because it is not correct.
5. Poor enforcement of municipal rules. Garbage cans should be kept out of sight except garbage days
6. It is unfair that Bellevue residence have to basically pay for a police officer to respond to the constant calls from Walmart. Walmart is a nuisance and should have to pay for the officer
7. I visually see our public safety which is positive
8. There are some houses in our area that do not abide by the rules in regards to the storage of trailers, boats, RVs etc. I would like to see better enforcement of that
9. We have a non local police officer on our road so we get drive bus from Bellevue all the time now. I feel safer
10. I think it is absurd my tax money goes to essentially station a sheriff's deputy at Wal-Mart. They should be paying that salary
11. See trash cans in peoples yards all the time from the street....where is the enforcement/fines?
12. Hold the dirt bags responsible for a clean yard and there housing. Not just keep on slapping there wrist. Triple the fines. For repeat offenders
13. I would love to have curbside leaf pickup in fall!!!!
14. Codes aren't being enforced by village personnel or police. Ridiculous that you have to call 3x and still no action. Late nit parties not being broken up, street parking issues-no tickets, garbage cans left in front yards, trash, recreational vehicles not being parked behind homes in off season, illegal rentals, fences falling down, snow being plowed into streets, etc..... basic codes not being enforced
15. We need a fulltime 24 hour 7 day a week fully staffed fire dept that also provides EMS. The auto aid with DePere isn't a joke, logisticly it makes no sense. Green Bay and Allouez stations are much closer and by better staffed. Dump County Rescue amen contract with Green Bay
16. I think we have great police officers and fireman
17. Great job!
18. Stop being cheap and cutting public safety monies.
19. Yes, we have a problem neighbor at \*\*\*\* Garden Grove Lane and one would think after so many complaints that they would go on an automatic recheck list. We have to complain a lot.
20. Police Protection. The Deputy Officers providing services are not in question; the resources that the Village of Bellevue provides for them to perform their positions are deficient. The lack of discretionary patrol time and an increase in spillover crime and drugs into the Village will continue to result in Officer burnout and thin proactive policing. EMS. County Rescue provides non-exclusive services to Bellevue. Their physical building inside the village is a red herring. Thanks goodness that our Fire Department has EMT firefighters who have a major effect when they arrive first on the scene before County Rescue.
21. The brown county sheriffs office does an excellent job as does the Bellevue fire department

22. Bellevue is way under staffed for police protection. Compared to other municipalities in Brown County Bellevue has to be at the bottom or close to it. The crime rate has to be at the top. I was shocked to learn how Bellevue is a hub for human trafficking and drugs. It seems that every time I drive by Wal-Mart there is always a cop car out front. Are there that many thefts there? When I drive by our fire stations why are there no cars in the parking lot at night? Who is on duty?
23. Would love to see 24 fire protection
24. A house was completely destroyed by fire less than 2 blocks from the fire department
25. Code enforcement needs work!
26. If someone doesn't get a building permit for a shed or addition, how would the Village know about it? Someone reporting the violation?
27. Now that the village will have another full time police officer I am very pleased
28. We would like to see 24 hour coverage
29. Get more police... Wal-Mart I'm sure takes a lot of resources.. more police better response and deter crime. 24hr fire with rescue in one
30. Lets get those trash carts out of site
31. Multiple written and verbal complaints by us and other neighbors to the village (including Brown Co. sheriff, dog control, and village office) regarding an adjacent rental property (negligent care of 3 dogs and increasing trash and unwanted items in front of garage) with little or no action. The home had been trashed inside and out by the time the landlord evicted the renters.
32. Bellevue requires residence to have their garbage/recycling bins out of view and there are numerous homes on every road that keep their bins in view for all to see. Bellevue should be sending letters to ALL of the homes in that don't comply
33. I'd like to see the police drive down my street occasionally
34. More officers
35. Code enforcement should be done uniformly. Whats good for the goose is good for the gander....
36. Could use more police officers for visibility and enforcement
37. I think a few codes may be unenforceable. Particularly the requirement of storing garbage and recycling containers out of view. I am lucky mine fit in our garage
38. We need to clean up the village more
39. We need more police protection. Waiting on an officer for a call takes way too long
40. On our street there are yards with junk piles and tons of cars. Rvs in the driveways blocking the view of on coming traffic in both directions
41. I feel the code enforcement is a little ridiculous at times. Silly things such as not allowing a driveway extension to match the existing driveway to me looks worse than being too close to a property line... especially when your neighbors are 100% okay with the extension. I feel they are hard to work with and make a person jump through too many hoops to get somethign simple completed.
42. Need more police presence. Speeding is an issue

**Question 15:**

**Do you have any comments on GENERAL GOVERNMENT services in the Village of Bellevue?**

1. The weekly communication is lacking in the e-news. Unless you were paying attention the average citizen didn't even know an election was coming up. The updates in the newsletter are generic and never really tell you anything. Try attaching agendas to the newsletter, or links to minutes.
2. Village Board needs to televise all meetings
3. Excellent
4. I would have liked to know that a home was going to be constructed right behind mine. I only found out because I talked to the surveyor when he was measuring for the dig. Also, my neighborhood is turning into track housing like you would see in other parts of the county, this is making my neighborhood less desirable. I am not sure who let the developer build the exact same house over and over on the same block
5. Communication is mostly in the form of commands
6. Need an easier way to email staff. Tried to do and did not work.
7. Improve your website
8. Like website, attended board meeting twice, need minutes published timely
9. The new website is awful!
10. Doesn't bother taking care of constituents-doesn't do what taxpayers request
11. Village Board needs to realize we are not living in 1977 anymore, get with the times!
12. Website needs improvement I know I was looking for something and could not find answer. Don't try to be Green Bay sometime you hire people from there and they want to turn Bellevue to City of Green Bay
13. The people in your offices do a great job and are very pleaser
14. I think the website Nextdoor is excellent. Very impressed
15. I cannot name one person on the board
16. The upgraded website is nice. This day and age Social Media is the go to, whether you like it or not. I would like to see the village use social media more often. I have been to a few board meetings for different issues and I am dumbfounded by some of the poor comments made by our elective officials. Also in my opinion the amount micromanagement that happens is ridiculous. The board members telling the Public Works Director what streets and sidewalks should be plowed first is outrageous. Aren't the department heads the experts in their field? Why do we even have them if the board members want to tell them what to do all the time. I can appreciate the low tax rate but with all the fees that are added onto to me the tax rate is not that low of you combine the fees. Our tax rate maybe low but our services reflect that. We need more public safety personal along with public works.
17. We would like to see leaf pickup in fall
18. Publish board meetings with agendas
19. (Employee) does a great job in the Village office. She should get a nice raise. 😊
20. Unnecessary sped... ex. Lights on Huron Rd and unnecessary road resurfacing.. why? Person at village office isn't very friendly.
21. I have long inquired as to representation of the board members, there are no districts in Bellevue so it is possible that all Board members could reside on the same street or in the same area of the Village. Might it be possible to set up districts with a trustee from each district with he or she being responsible for what is happening in his or her district. Residents from a specific district would contact that trustee with their concerns and follow through to a conclusion.
22. Focus on community more than just new businesses and apartments

23. Website hard to follow for kids stuff
24. I would like to see more business development in the area. There is no reason that Monroe Rd/Limekiln should not be the east side equivalent of Oneida St./ Lineville Rd. The fact that it is not, makes me believe there is more that the Board could be doing to make Bellevue an attractive place to do business. The few business owners I have talked to have shared with me some of the difficulties in doing business in Bellevue vs. Green Bay. I own a business in GB and have looked into building in Bellevue. There are many more restrictions and regulations put on the business owner in Bellevue vs. elsewhere.
25. I think sometimes the board is reluctant to raise taxes for common sense reasons just for fear of being voted out of office. I would be happy to see a wheel tax to assist in road repairs.
26. The village board does an okay job. are they?
27. Village customer service is rude and not helpful most of the time. When I have to call for simple questions such as questions on water bills I seldom get a straight answer and the person answering sound slike I am bothering her.
28. We need term limits on the Village Board. Some officials have been on too long. This goes with County Board as well. Need a fresh new vision instead of the same old stale views.

**Question 25:**

**Do you have any further comments you would like to share about government services or the direction of the Village of Bellevue?**

1. Keep the taxes low or much lower than Green Bay and other neighbors. Shoot the good idea fairies out of the sky. Proposals need realistic costs associated with them and benefits. Benefits for the few are the ones I do not support
2. RE: question 18 "other". Would like to see more street lighting throughout the village. When there is a referendum on something as important and as impactful on a homeowner's pocketbook as special assessments, I feel the village needs to put forth greater effort to clearly communicate what a yes or no vote really means to an individual property owner and how it would directly impact a property owner.
3. There are getting to be too many apartment building complexes. Don't let these invade the general residential neighborhoods. Keep them in the business areas. I feel this is a very important item to keep people building individual homes in neighborhoods & to keep current homeowners in their neighborhoods
4. You should see if Allouez would like to be a school district. You already have lower house values on the Washington Middle School side, these values will keep lowering unless something is done
5. Make Bellevue a place for BUSINESSES to grow!
6. In favor of a wheel tax to maintain roads
7. Water and sewer charges are three times the cost of Green Bay residents. Residents are being ripped off. \$1,700 a year for water is outrageous
8. Need to have leaf pickup and bulk pickup included as part of taxes
9. More senior activities!
10. Start compost collections/program
11. Roads that lead to Highway access, particularly HWY 43 should NOT be taxed for improvements. Many out of village users. A half tax on Retail purchases from those out of Village would help this. Sidewalk improvements to connect to a bike path needs to be shared by all, not just the homes who fall on the improvement - they did not buy home with it originally; with a sidewalk you are adding to homeowner liability & maintenance for a very select few for the Village. If you choose to put in sidewalks, post boxes must go to the front door (IS Post Offices goal Nationwide).
12. Don't be afraid of a little debt. Have a backbone when it comes to addressing compliance issues with businesses. Get aggressive to attract more business to our village
13. I do autopay – it would be nice to see paperless all together. Would save \$\$ too
14. I am not a big advocate of multi family properties as they tend to bring neighborhood values down. Please limit authorization of multi property building permits
15. Would like more options for fencing in side yard. Considering moving because we can't utilize our large side yard. Green bay allows to lot line. I propose the same for Bellevue
16. Assessments should never be charged. That's why we pay property taxes!
17. Fix the road and traffic issues
18. Have new business help pay for roads and utilities they use vs property owners only.
19. With the new tax law on the federal level it is impossible to know how high taxed states are going to be impacted
20. Bring in more businesses
21. Just need own schools
22. Reduce services and lower taxes!

23. Stay away from multi-family housing and rental properties. Also avoid commercializing Eaton.  
This is a residential community
24. In regards to question 22, I don't know as I haven't reviewed the comprehensive plan in a while.  
A summary/video would be great.
25. Leaf collection in fall
26. No need to raise taxes more than 1-3%. Simply make the personnel and elected officials which are already being paid do their jobs! In the private sector you either improve, show progress and meet production and expectation or you are fired or replaced!
27. I believe that introducing more businesses to Bellevue would be both a convenience and a potential tax break to the residents
28. Leaf pick up
29. Biggest gripes are snow remove and paying for road improvements
30. I'm not complaining. Just moved here last year from Green Bay and I love it!
31. Wheel tax is not deductible by taxpayer; I would rather pay more in deductible property tax
32. The need for better maintained roads is very important. The need for more choices for retired living residences in Bellevue
33. Its not okay to not charge some people for the new roads when others have been paying for awhile. Most of don't have money to just pay this stuff
34. Did not know there was a app
35. We need to prioritize educational services. The only available middle school is Edison and it's already packed to it's walls
36. I would like to see the village to start operating like a municipality with 15,000 residents not the farming community it was 30 years ago
37. Like to see someone working with the county to get a Library in Bellevue
38. Don't need any new sidewalk
39. One important community event is Rocking in Josten Park hopefully this can be continued to be funded. In regards to the road special assessments I own only about 65 feet but I am charged for 100 feet that is not a fair charge. Charge me by what I own!
40. Your rules need to be enforced!!! Campers, trailers, trash containers, etc. you make rules but don't enforce them
41. Whatever happened to the idea of a "downtown" area near JJ & EA? It sounded like a good idea and I thought it was put into the long range plan for the Village. There was also the idea of a major sports complex (softball and soccer fields). I would like to see something like that as opposed to a mass of high density housing (although that's not good for the tax base, is it).
42. The main thing I am concerned with is the safety of walking/bike riding, etc. along Greenbrier Road.
43. Do not raise taxes. Raises should be what social security people get. Keeping up on rental units(duplexes) get some businesses that are new to the area like craft stores
44. I pay my water bill electronically through my bank
45. We are rapidly losing any semblance of "rural" that was the charm of Bellevue when we settled here 30 years ago. Yet for all the commercial growth, that doesn't seem to have benefitted residential taxes
46. I like living in Bellevue
47. Road repair cost after years of being jerked around are killing me
48. Only lived here 15 years and in Florida each winter
49. Would use the autopay bill payment services if there were not cost
50. Too much emphasis on growth. Growth brings problems to areas w/o problems now. Traffic in east Bellevue needs to stay small. No more shopping centers or apartments

51. I would like to see each trustee represent a specific area of the village
52. I would like the village to seriously look at the wheel tax. I would rather pay an extra \$40 a year to know that all of our streets are well maintained. That is easier on my families budget than having to come up with \$6000-7000 to avoid paying interest to the village. If we all do a little bit, we can all do a lot
53. Please fix the roads it makes our community look bad
54. Maintain "green space" in retail development/commercial development
55. (Former Employee) with the village is good to work with, keep her at all costs
56. The village needs to be more progressive in your thinking. It says it right on your website. Taxes are low and that's fine but I would rather pay more to become more of a complete community. We are not on par with Howard or De Pere or Ashwaubenon. There is a pride there and they are growing even though they have higher taxes
57. Road replacements can't be changed unless you can reimburse those of that have paid already for road replacement
58. Bellevue could be so much better but it's narrow minded focused on the overall tax rate versus making decisions that move the area forward and make it better than our competitors.