

2023 Extension Community Assessment

Greenup County Results Summary

This handout provides summary data from the Cooperative Extension Community Needs Assessment conducted in fall 2023 for Greenup County. The interactive data dashboard at https://extension.ca.uky.edu provides additional details, including demographic information about the 124 respondents from Greenup County. The site also includes links to secondary data that correlate with the needs and issues included in the assessment.

Top 15 Issues in Greenup County

Ensuring individuals and families have access to affordable nutritious food

Access to high-speed internet

Minimizing youth substance use

 $Strengthening\ youth\ workforce\ readiness\ (including\ entrepreneurship,\ business\ development\ skills,\ etc.)$

Youth life skill training opportunities (e.g., leadership and communication skill building opportunities)

Support for substance use addiction prevention/recovery

Sustainability of family farms

Reducing youth obesity through nutrition education and/or exercise

Food as health: addressing food insecurity and diet related chronic diseases

Streghtening/supporting the local food and agriculture industry

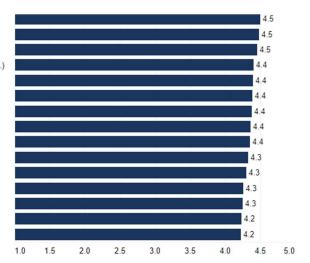
Strengthening youth-adult or mentorship relationships

Senior citizen support programs

Providing increased market opportunities for farmers

Improved access to mental health and wellbeing resources

Social, emotional, and/or behavioral education for adults working with youth



Agriculture and Natural Resources Needs

Access to high-speed internet

Sustainability of family farms

Streghtening/supporting the local food and agriculture industry

Providing increased market opportunities for farmers

Issues affecting crops (e.g., pests, diseases and weed issues)

Market support for locally grown and produced foods

Assisting farmers in agricultural production or profitability

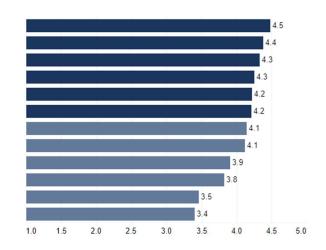
Preserving/managing agricultural land

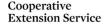
Helping individuals, families, farmers, and/or businesses prepare for natural disasters

Helping individual, families, farmers, and/or businesses recover from natural disasters

Helping producers create carbon neutral businesses

Dealing with climate variation





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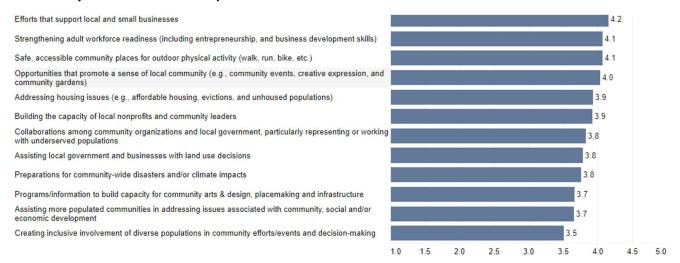


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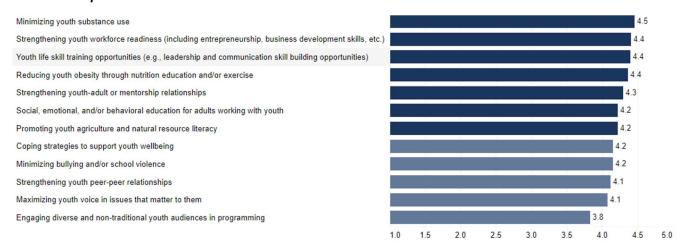




Community and Economic Development Needs



Youth Development Needs



Individual and Family Development Needs

