

MCKELLAR QUESTIONNAIRE – SUMMARY

	LAKE NAME	GENERAL COMMENTS
ENVIRONMENT		
Enforcement	McKellar	HAVE BETTER MUNICIPAL ENFORCEMENT TO ENSURE THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT IS NOT DEGRADED.
Environment	Middle River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · CLEANER WATER · MORE WEED CONTROL IN SHALLOW WATERS USED BY COTTAGERS · 20% OF SHORELINE IN FRONT OF COTTAGES A NATURAL DESIGNATION. · USE OF NON-TOXIC BIODEGRADABLE HERBICIDES, AS WEEDS ARE OUT O CONTROL
Environment	No Lake	DEVELOPMENT IS IMPORTANT TO THE ECONOMY BUT NOT AT THE EXPENSE OF THE ENVIRONMENT.
Environment	No Lake	WILLING TO PAY HIGHER TAXES AND LITIGATION FEES TO PROTECTION OF NATURAL ENVIRONMENT.
Hunting	No Lake	RESTRICT HUNTERS USING FIREARMS TOO CLOSE TO HOMES AND COTTAGES.
Environment	Manitouwabing	FEEDING DEER SHOULD BE BANNED ALL YEAR ROUND.
Environment	McKellar	WOULD LIKE TO SEE MCKELLAR PLAN AND PRESERVE THE ENVIRONMENT PROGRESSIVELY. SIMILAR TO THE LIKES OF NIAGARA REGION.
Water quality	McKellar	WATER QUALITY HAS DETERIORATED OVER THE YEARS AND WOULD LIKE THE ASSURANCE THAT THIS WILL NOT CONTINUE AND WATER QUALITY WILL IMPROVE.
Zebra mussels	Manitouwabing	CONCERNED ABOUT ZEBRA MUSSELS ENTERING OUR LAKE WITH THE POTENTIAL OF IMPACTING FISHING IN THIS AREA.
Environment	GREY OWL	CONTINUE STRONG ENVIRONMENT & RESTRICTIONS
Lake	Manitouwabing	PLEASE KEEP LAKE MANITOUWABING AS NATURAL AS POSSIBLE.
Water quality	Manitouwabing	ALL SEPTIC SYSTEMS OLDER THAN 10 YEARS SHOULD BE INSPECTED AT LEAST EVERY 5 YEARS. I BELIEVE IT'S THE OLD SYSTEMS RECEIVING TOO MUCH USE CAUSING MOST PROBLEMS.
Environment	Squaw	NATURAL ENVIRONMENT HAS RECENTLY DETERIORATED. FREEZE ALL DEVELOPMENT NOW UNTIL WE ALLOW NATURE TO RECOVER. ALLOW GRADUAL DEVELOPMENT IN TUNE WITH NATURE TO PROCEED. NON-NEGOTIABLE, TOUGH, PROTECTIVE, PRO-ENVIRONMENTAL LEGISLATION WITH STRICT STANDARDS AND CONSEQUENCES SHOULD BE ENFORCED.
ACCESS		
Water Access	Manitouwabing	WATER ACCESS SHOULD BE GRANTED TO NON MOTORIZED PLEASURE CRAFT BUSINESSES AND OTHER TYPES OF BUSINESSES.
BOATING		
Boating	Manitouwabing	SPEED LIMITS ALONG SHORELINES.
Boating	Manitouwabing	DO NOT RESTRICT HORSEPOWER

Boating	Manitouwabing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LIMIT BOAT SIZE AND HORSEPOWER PROHIBIT WAKE BOARDING FROM THE ISLAND NORTH OF HURDVILLE RIVER.
Boating	No Lake	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MCKELLAR HAS GOOD WATER ACCESS. WATER SPEED LIMITS WILL BE HARD TO ENFORCE. THERE ARE TOO MANY JET SKI AND SPEEDBOAT USERS ON MANITOUWABING TAKES AWAY FROM FISHING AND CANOEING
Boating	Manitouwabing	CONTROL POWER BOATS, AS THEY ARE DANGEROUS TO NON-MOTORIZED PLEASURE CRAFTS AND BLIND SPOTS.
Boating	McKellar	PROVIDE PUBLIC PORTAGE PLACES WITH SIGNAGE TO ENCOURAGE TOURISM.
Beach	No Lake	WE NEED PUBLIC BEACH ON LAKE MANITOUWABING MAINTAINED BY MCKELLAR.
Boating	Manitouwabing	BOATERS ARE NOW MIGRATING FROM THE SHALLOWS OF THE LAKE TO DEEPER AREAS OF WATERFRONT COTTAGES. THESE BOATERS ARE DANGEROUS TO SWIMMERS IN FRONT OF THEIR COTTAGES. SLOW NEAR THE SHORES.
Water safety	Manitouwabing	CONTROL SWIMMING PLATFORMS
Boat launch	Manitouwabing	RELOCATE BOAT LAUNCH FROM LAKESHORE RD. TO MINVERVA PARK FOR SAFETY REASONS. ALSO ENFORCE EXISTING NO PARKING RULES.
Boating safety	Manitouwabing	MCKELLAR TOWNSHIP NEEDS TO INSTALL MARKER BUOYS ON ALL KNOWN, DANGEROUS ROCKS AND SHALLOW AREAS IN THE LAKE. ALSO TO IMPROVE SIGNAGE FOR BOATING SAFETY.
Docking	Manitouwabing	EXTEND THE DOCKING AT MCKELLAR.
DEVELOPMENT		
Development	Manitouwabing	HIGH DENSITY AND LARGE SCALE MULTI-UNIT DWELLINGS AND COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED AS THEY HAVE DETRIMENTAL IMPACTS TO THE LAKE, LANDFILL, ROADS, ETC. (EX. FRACTIONAL OWNERSHIP)
Development	Manitouwabing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> BOAT HOUSES IN DISREPAIR SHOULD BE REMOVED. NEW BOAT HOUSES SHOULD BE DISCOURAGED.
Development	Manitouwabing	TOO MUCH COMMERCIAL IS NOT DESIRABLE.
Development	Manitouwabing	DOESN'T THINK COMMERCIAL BUSINESSES ON THE LAKE ARE NECESSARY.
Development	Manitouwabing	LARGE FARMING PROPERTIES SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO SUBDIVIDE LAND.
Development	Manitouwabing	DEVELOPMENT SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED AND IS GOOD FOR TOWNSHIP. IT SHOULD ALSO FOLLOW MNR AND ENVIRONMENTAL GUIDELINES AND NOT AFFECT THE LAKE, WHILE PRESERVING CLEANLINESS, QUIET AND NATURAL A SETTING.
Development	Manitouwabing	DEVELOPMENT SHOULD BE ALLOWED ON INDIVIDUALLY EVALUATED LOTS.
Development		DO NOT OVERDEVELOP I.E. "MUSKOKA" AREA, OR TURN INTO A MAJOR TOURIST AREA.
Development	Manitouwabing	MANICURED LAWNS SHOULD BE DISCOURAGED AND RETAINING WALLS SHOULD BE BANNED.
Development	Manitouwabing River	BUILDING NEW RESIDENCES, IMPROVING THE WATERFRONT AS NEEDED, (E.G. TO PREVENT EROSION), AND BUILDING A PRIVATE DOCK SHOULD BE ALLOWED FOR EXISTING RESIDENTS.
Development	Manitouwabing	NEW DEVELOPMENT SHOULD BE SLOWED AND BE BETTER EVALUATED PRIOR TO BUILDING.
Development	Manitouwabing	I DON'T WANT TO SEE CONDO OWNERS WHO DO NOT OWN ANY LAND JUST TRAILER UP THEIR 4 SEADOOS AND USE THE LAKE AS THEIR BACKYARD.
Development	Manitouwabing	THE PEACE, TRANQUILITY AND NATURE ARE THREATENED BY THE OVER CROWDING DEVELOPMENT OF THE LAKE.
Development	Manitouwabing	OVERALL I THINK MCKELLAR TOWNSHIP IS DOING A GOOD JOB MANAGING SHORELINE DEVELOPMENT

Wyeridge	Manitouwabing	WE ARE STRONGLY OPPOSED TO THE WYERIDGE DEVELOPMENT.
Development	Manitouwabing	WATERFRONT DEVELOPMENT CANNOT CONTINUE AT THE CURRENT RATE AS CAPACITY IS REACHED OR NEAR MAXIMUM.
FARMING		
Farming	Manitouwabing	ANIMALS SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED NEAR LAKES IN ORDER TO LIMIT MANURE FLOWING INTO WATER FROM NEARBY FARMING OPERATIONS.
INFRASTRUCTURE		
Infrastructure	Manitouwabing	THE PUBLIC ROADS NEED TO BE PROPERLY MAINTAINED PRIOR TO SPENDING MONEY ON AESTHETICS OR INSTITUTIONAL ARTWORK.
Roads	Manitouwabing	WOULD LIKE TO SEE TAXES USED TO UPGRADE AND CONVERT SOME PRIVATE ROADS TO MUNICIPAL MAINTAINED PUBLIC ROADS AND TO UPGRADE CURRENT PUBLIC ROADS EX: HURDVILLE RD, HARDIES ROAD.
Infrastructure	No Lake	MINERVA PARK WALKING BRIDGE THAT CONNECTS TO CATHERINE STREET SHOULD BE BUILT SOON.
Signage	McKellar Lake	LARGE SIGNS AND BILLBOARDS SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED.
Waste	Manitouwabing	GARBAGE DROP OFF IN MAPLEWOOD ON HURDVILLE IS DESPERATELY NEEDED.
Parking	Manitouwabing	PARKING INCREASE ONLY AT RED-WHITE STORE.
BY-LAWS		
Aesthetics	Manitouwabing	BY LAWS AND ENFORCEMENT ARE NEEDED FOR PROPERTY OWNERS TO CLEAN UP THEIR LOTS EX. PIT ON HURDVILLE ROAD.
Taxes	Manitouwabing	ONLINE BANKING SERVICES SHOULD BE AVAILABLE TO PAY TAXES ONLINE.
Over regulation	No Lake	GENERALLY OWNERS SHOULD HAVE THE RIGHT TO USE THEIR PROPERTY AS THEY WISH WITHOUT OVER-REGULATION.
Festivals	Manitouwabing	FESTIVALS SUCH AS THE ONE CANCELLED IN 2008 REQUIRE RAIN DATES AND INCREASED PROMOTION. LIVE THEATRE AND MUSIC (OTHER THAN CLASSICAL) EVENTS COULD BE PLANNED.
Police	Manitouwabing	INCREASE OPP PRESENCE.
Zoning		RE-ZONING TO ALLOW MORE DEVELOPMENT SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED.
By-law enforcement	Manitouwabing	COMMERCIAL DEVELOPERS SHOULD NOT HAVE THE ABILITY TO "REZONE" CURRENT BYLAWS TO SUIT THEIR NEEDS.
Noise by-law	Manitouwabing	NOISE BY-LAW DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS SHOULD BE CREATED. EX. EXTREME LOUD POUNDING MUSIC SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED AT ANY TIME.
Noise restriction	Manitouwabing	NOISE RESTRICTION BY-LAWS FOR AFTER 11 P.M. SHOULD BE STRONGLY SUPPORTED.
Community projects	No Lake	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · INCREASE TAXES TO ASSIST WITH COMMUNITY PROJECTS · RESTRICTING DEVELOPMENT FOR SEASONAL USE IS OF LITTLE CONCERN DUE TO LIMITED TIME USED · DO NOT PUT RESTRICTIONS IN PLACE TO SATISFY A NOISY MINORITY
General	Manitouwabing	IN SUPPORT OF THE CURRENT COMMERCIAL FREEZE FROM ICB.
General	Manitouwabing	MAINTAIN PRESENT LEVELS OF SIGNAGE, PARKS/BEACHES, PARKING AREAS, OUR TAXES ARE HIGH ENOUGH.

Roads	Manitouwabing	TOWNSHIP ROAD ASSUMPTION AND MAINTENANCE SHOULD BE A PRIORITY ESPECIALLY FOR LONG STANDING RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENTS.
Roads	Manitouwabing	PLEASE IMPROVE & UPGRADE THE ROADS.
Community	Manitouwabing	WE SHOULD HAVE A CURFEW IN OUR VILLAGE FOR TEENAGERS. THEY SHOULD BE HOME AND OFF THE STREET AND PARKS BEFORE 9 P.M. EVERY NIGHT ALL YEAR ROUND, NOT HANGING ABOUT THE COMMUNITY CENTRE ALL HOURS
Pollution, noise	Manitouwabing	FIREWORKS SHOULD BE PROHIBITED AS THEY ARE A FIRE HAZARD, NOISY AND DISTURB WILDLIFE AND PEOPLE.
Roads, garbage	Manitouwabing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · THE TOWNSHIP SHOULD NOT GET INTO THE REAL ESTATE BUSINESS, TO DEVELOP NEW LANDS. · DO NOT INCREASE TAXES.
Pollution, noise, light	Manitouwabing	ENACTED BYLAWS ARE DIFFICULT TO ENFORCEABLE AND IS OF LITTLE USE. HOW WILL LIGHT, NOISE, SPEED BYLAWS BE ENFORCED? THE OPP & THE TWP. DO NOT HAVE THE RESOURCES.
Newsletter	Manitouwabing	MAKE A MONTHLY OR BI-MONTHLY NEWSLETTER AVAILABLE ON YOUR WEBSITE, OR SEND BY E-MAIL TO RESIDENTS.
Quality of life	Grey Owl	SHOULD BE INVOLVED IN RECENT REGIONAL PROJECT THAT AFFECTS QUALITY OF LIFE FOR MCKELLAR RESIDENTS LIKE WEST PARRY SOUND RECREATION & AQUATIC COMPLEX. STUDY RESULTS SHOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR ALL TAXPAYERS
Enforcement	Manitouwabing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · ENSURE BUILDING PERMITS ARE TAKEN OUT FOR ALL NEW CONSTRUCTION. · ENFORCE BY-LAWS ON MULTIPLE TRAILERS ON PROPERTIES (E.G. MULTI FAMILY ON 1 PROPERTY)
GENERAL		
General	Grey Owl	I THINK ALL CURRENT FACILITIES ARE WELL TAKEN CARE OF (AND PROVIDED).
General	Manitouwabing	I AM SUBMITTING ONE SURVEY. WHAT WAS TO PREVENT ME FROM PHOTOCOPYING AND SUBMITTING MORE?