SURVEY QUESTIONS: GMA POLL

This section is about your opinions regarding arts and culture in the region. By arts and culture we mean programs, activities and events offered by regional nonprofits including visual, literary or performing arts, films, heritage and folklore, festivals, and art learning through classes or lessons, both in and outside of traditional “arts” venues.

1. Please rate how much you agree with this statement. “Arts and culture have an impact on your personal well being.”
   • Strongly Agree
   • Agree
   • Undecided
   • Disagree Strongly
   • Disagree

2. How important is arts and culture to your quality of life?
   • Very important
   • Important
   • Undecided
   • Somewhat Important
   • Not at all Important

3. How does arts and culture affect your life? (Please check all that apply)
   • Makes me feel connected to my community
   • Helps me understand different perspectives and cultures/understand other cultures better
   • Makes me happy / brings me joy
   • Benefits children
   • Relaxes me
   • Simulates my personal growth
   • Promotes social change
   • Expands my imagination
   • Makes me feel creative
   • Makes me feel less isolated
   • Gives me insight into political and social ideas
   • Has a positive impact on how I feel
   • Other, please specify:

4. What role do arts and culture events and activities play in your community?

5. Thinking back to when you first moved to this area, how important was the cultural life in this region in your decision of where to live or work?
   • Very important
   • Important
   • Undecided
   • Somewhat Important
   • Not at all Important

6. Have you seen arts and culture make a difference in a young person’s life? If so, please describe.

7. Please rate how much you agree with this statement: “Participating in arts and cultural activities as a youth had a positive impact on me.”
   • Strongly Agree
   • Agree
   • Undecided
   • Disagree Strongly
   • Disagree

8. Outside of school, do your children participate in organized arts or arts education activities?
   • Yes
   • No
   • No children
9. Please rate how much you agree with this statement: “Arts education has helped me develop competencies that are valuable to me in my current job.”

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Undecided
- Disagree Strongly
- Disagree

10. Please rate how much an arts education has helped with the following personal competencies.

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11. How long have you lived in King County?

- 1 year or less
- 2-5 years
- 6-10 years
- 10+ years
- All my life

If you would like to leave any other comments regarding art and culture please provide below.