

Analysis

Where do you call home?

Almost all of those who responded to this question are reportedly from Port Alice.

What is your socioeconomic status?

The responses were fairly evenly divided between working people and retired people.

Do you have access to a vehicle?

Only two respondents said that they never have access to a vehicle and, surprisingly, the majority [6] reportedly 'always' have vehicle access.

What day(s) would be best to have access to a shuttle for your situation?

While the majority of [9] respondents favoured a weekday shuttle, four came out in favour of weekends with the class clown at the back of the class saying 'never' and 2 others opting not to answer.

Choose the shuttle schedule that would be best for your situation.

Six respondents claimed 'flexibility' with regards to a shuttle schedule with a smattering opting in for other time slots. In the comments, our class clown spoke up again, repeating the 'never' mantra while one other respondent suggested a shuttle return time coinciding with bar closure.

I think a shuttle service between Port Alice and Port Hardy and/or Port McNeill is necessary.

The vast majority of respondents [13] expressed agreement with 11 doing so 'strongly'. One lone wolf 'strongly disagreed' and a couple abstained.

A shuttle service would help me save wear and tear on my vehicle.

Fully 9 respondents agreed with this statement, 4 of them strongly. A couple were on the fence with this question and our angry clown, you guessed it, 'strongly disagreed.' Four sat this one out.

A reliable, frequent shuttle service would allow me to ditch the car altogether, for very significant savings.

Eight respondents were in 'agreement' on this though perhaps more tentatively than in previous questions as only 3 of those were in 'strong agreement.' Three others either 'disagreed' or 'strongly disagreed.'

A shuttle service would help the community flourish once again.

Everyone who answered agreed with this supposition, except, of course, our truculent clown who continued to hug familiar territory. Four others declined to answer at all.

I would use a shuttle service primarily for...

There was pretty strong support for the 'All of the above' category meaning they could see themselves using a shuttle service to undertake the full gamut of activities from shopping, doctor and dentist visits, legal, financial and government services, work and/or escape. One chose 'shopping' while a

Quick statistics

Survey 422666 'Port Alice Shuttle: Needed or Not'

Results

Survey 422666

Number of records in this query:	20
Total records in survey:	20
Percentage of total:	100.00%

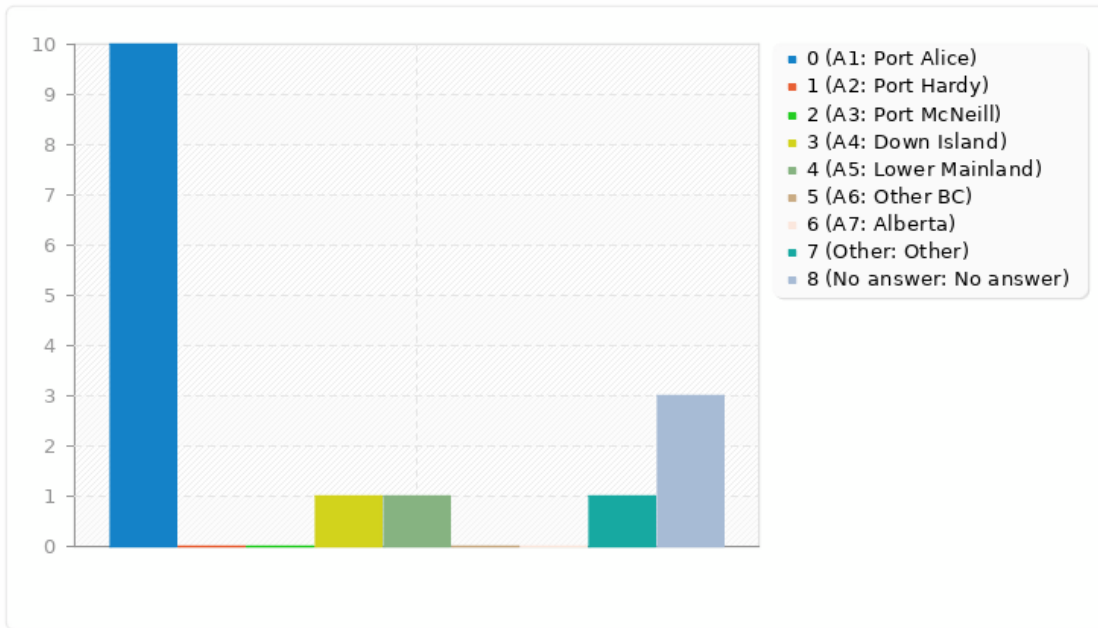
Summary for A001**Where do you call home?**

Answer	Count	Percentage
Port Alice (A1)	10	62.50%
Port Hardy (A2)	0	0.00%
Port McNeill (A3)	0	0.00%
Down Island (A4)	1	6.25%
Lower Mainland (A5)	1	6.25%
Other BC (A6)	0	0.00%
Alberta (A7)	0	0.00%
Other	1	6.25%
No answer	3	18.75%

ID	Response
2	Moving soon to coal harbor

Summary for A001

Where do you call home?



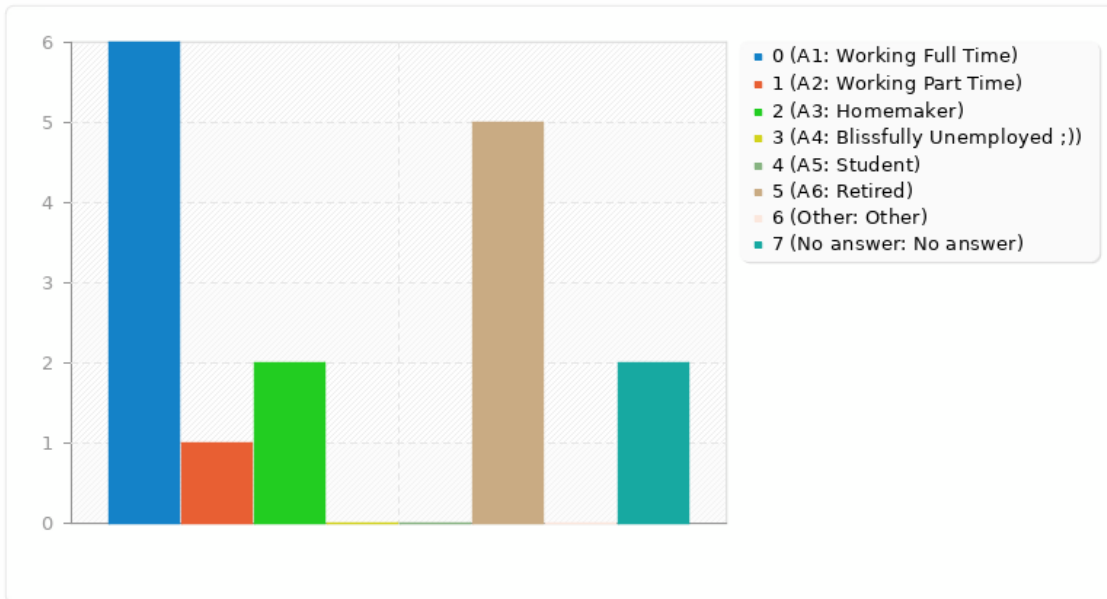
Summary for A002**What is your socioeconomic status?**

Answer	Count	Percentage
Working Full Time (A1)	6	37.50%
Working Part Time (A2)	1	6.25%
Homemaker (A3)	2	12.50%
Blissfully Unemployed ;) (A4)	0	0.00%
Student (A5)	0	0.00%
Retired (A6)	5	31.25%
Other	0	0.00%
No answer	2	12.50%

ID	Response
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Summary for A002

What is your socioeconomic status?



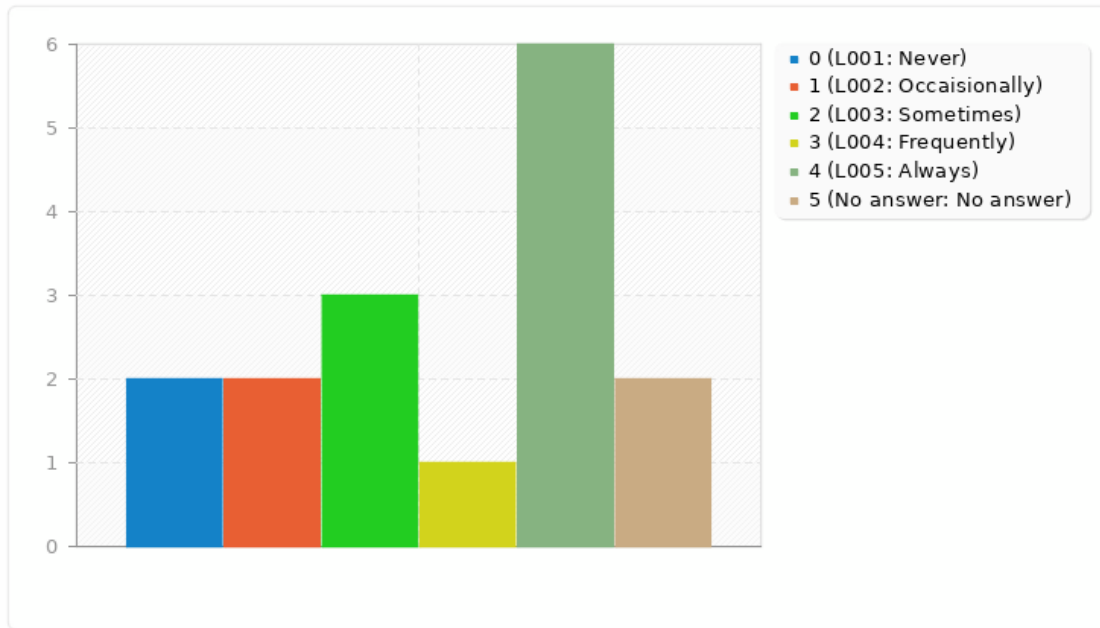
Summary for A003(SQ001)[Do you have access to a vehicle?]

Do you have access to a vehicle?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Never (L001)	2	12.50%
Occasionally (L002)	2	12.50%
Sometimes (L003)	3	18.75%
Frequently (L004)	1	6.25%
Always (L005)	6	37.50%
No answer	2	12.50%

Summary for A003(SQ001)[Do you have access to a vehicle?]

Do you have access to a vehicle?



Summary for A011

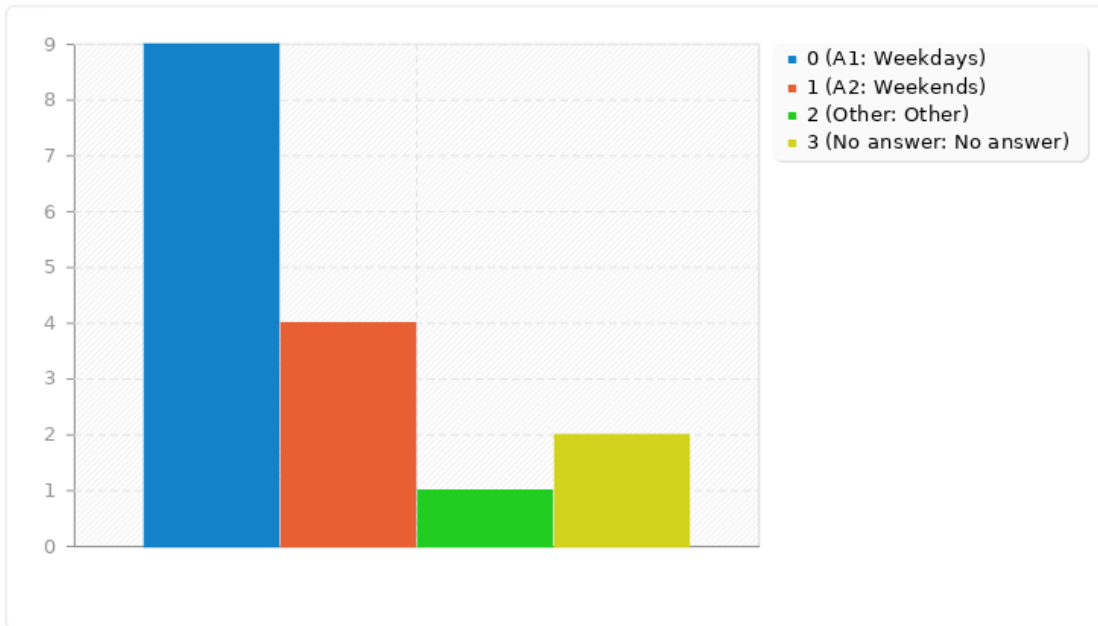
What day(s) would be best to have access to a shuttle for your situation.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Weekdays (A1)	9	56.25%
Weekends (A2)	4	25.00%
Other	1	6.25%
No answer	2	12.50%

ID	Response
4	Never

Summary for A011

What day(s) would be best to have access to a shuttle for your situation.



Summary for A012

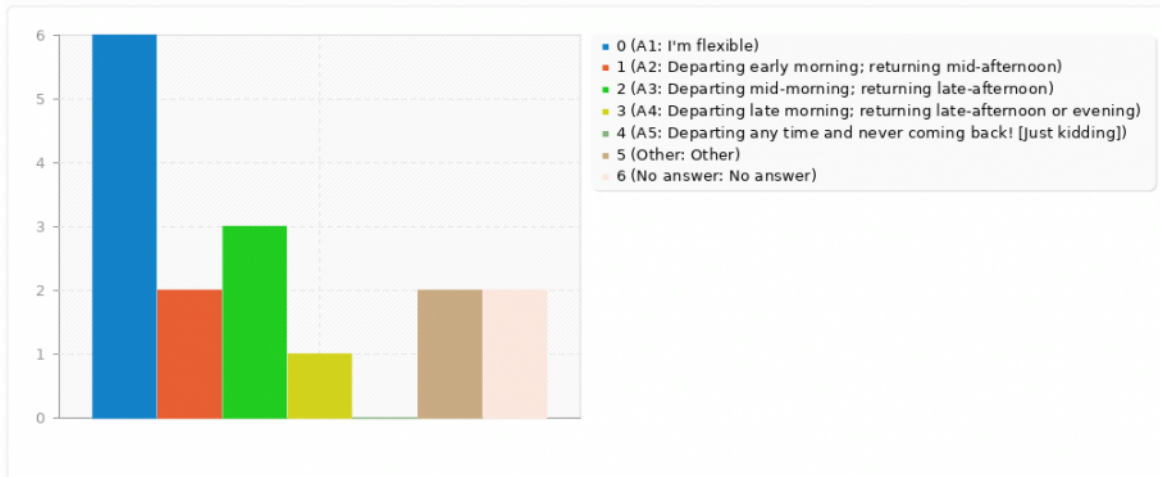
Choose the shuttle schedule that would be best for your situation?

Answer	Count	Percentage
I'm flexible (A1)	6	37.50%
Departing early morning; returning mid-afternoon (A2)	2	12.50%
Departing mid-morning; returning late-afternoon (A3)	3	18.75%
Departing late morning; returning late-afternoon or evening (A4)	1	6.25%
Departing any time and never coming back! [Just kidding] (A5)	0	0.00%
Other	2	12.50%
No answer	2	12.50%

ID	Response
3	Dinner/ bar closing time
4	Never

Summary for A012

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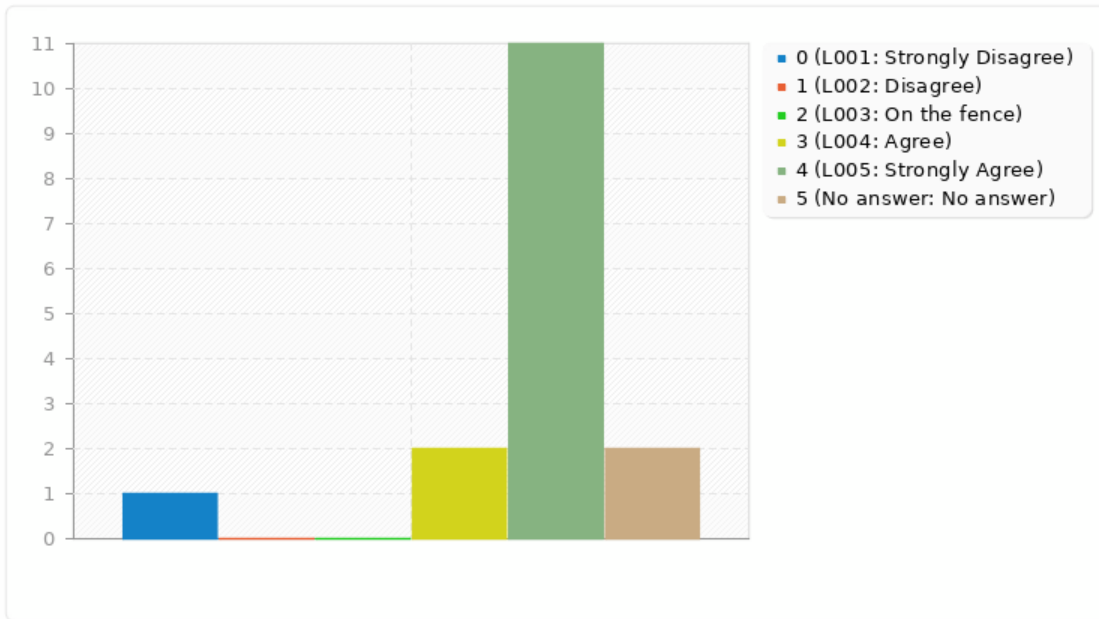
Summary for A005(SQ001)[I think a shuttle service between Port Alice and Port Hardy and/or Port McNeill is necessary.]

Opinions about a shuttle service between Port Alice and the outside world.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Strongly Disagree (L001)	1	6.25%
Disagree (L002)	0	0.00%
On the fence (L003)	0	0.00%
Agree (L004)	2	12.50%
Strongly Agree (L005)	11	68.75%
No answer	2	12.50%

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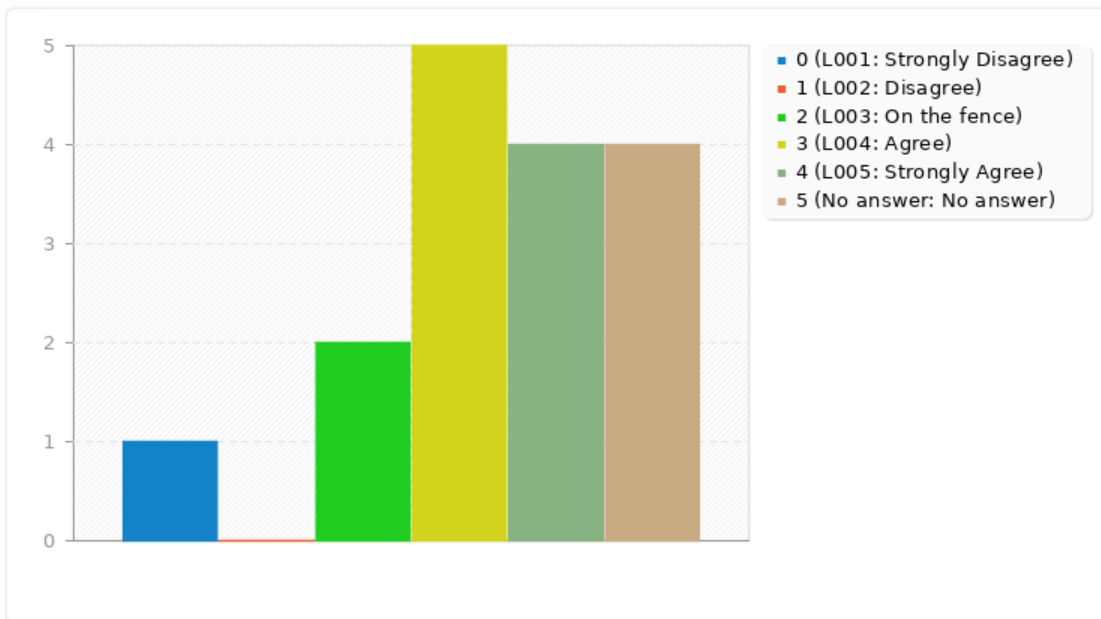
Summary for A005(SQ002)[A shuttle service would help me save wear and tear on my vehicle.]

Opinions about a shuttle service between Port Alice and the outside world.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Strongly Disagree (L001)	1	6.25%
Disagree (L002)	0	0.00%
On the fence (L003)	2	12.50%
Agree (L004)	5	31.25%
Strongly Agree (L005)	4	25.00%
No answer	4	25.00%

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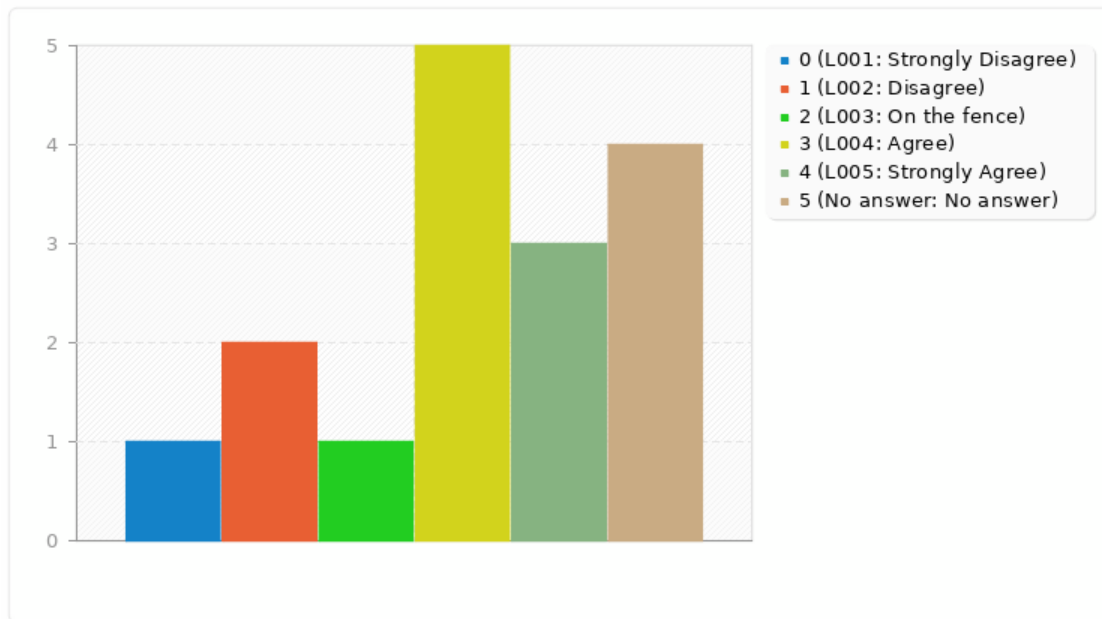
Summary for A005(SQ003)[A reliable, frequent shuttle service would allow me to ditch the car altogether, for very significant savings.]

Opinions about a shuttle service between Port Alice and the outside world.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Strongly Disagree (L001)	1	6.25%
Disagree (L002)	2	12.50%
On the fence (L003)	1	6.25%
Agree (L004)	5	31.25%
Strongly Agree (L005)	3	18.75%
No answer	4	25.00%

Summary for A005(SQ003)[A reliable, frequent shuttle service would allow me to ditch the car altogether, for very significant savings.]

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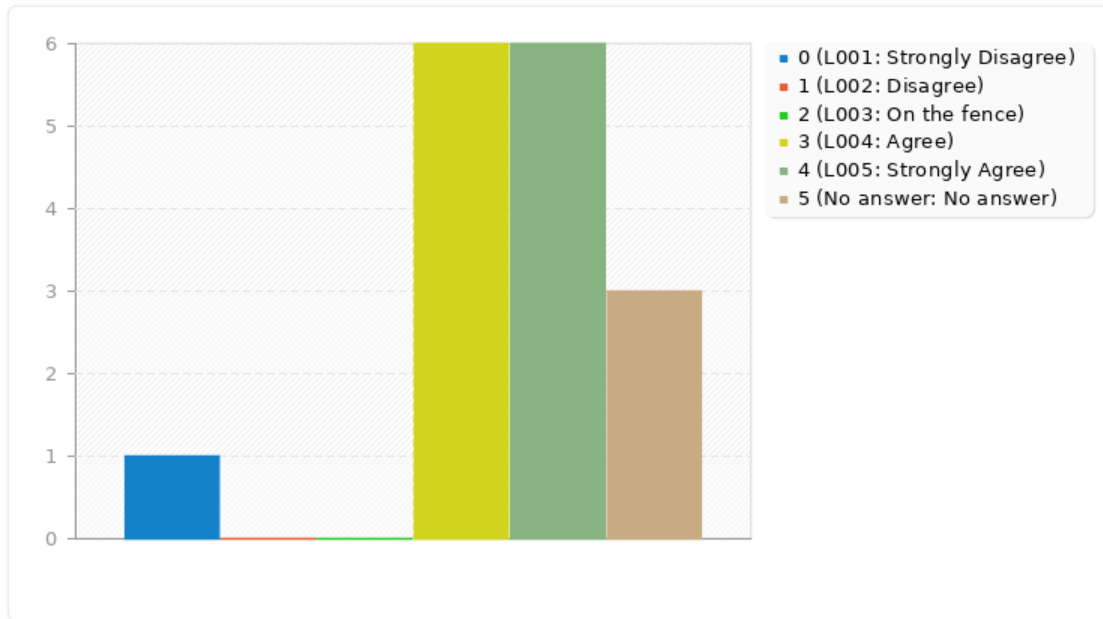
Summary for A005(SQ004)[A shuttle service would help the community flourish once again.]

Opinions about a shuttle service between Port Alice and the outside world.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Strongly Disagree (L001)	1	6.25%
Disagree (L002)	0	0.00%
On the fence (L003)	0	0.00%
Agree (L004)	6	37.50%
Strongly Agree (L005)	6	37.50%
No answer	3	18.75%

Summary for A005(SQ004)[A shuttle service would help the community flourish once again.]

Opinions about a shuttle service between Port Alice and the outside world.



Summary for A006

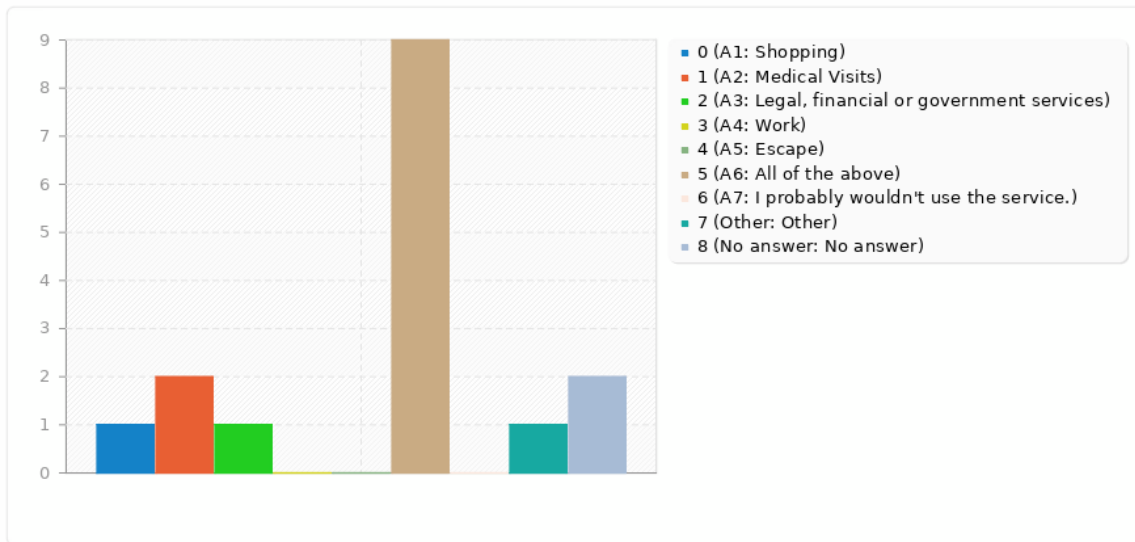
I would use a shuttle service primarily for....

Answer	Count	Percentage
Shopping (A1)	1	6.25%
Medical Visits (A2)	2	12.50%
Legal, financial or government services (A3)	1	6.25%
Work (A4)	0	0.00%
Escape (A5)	0	0.00%
All of the above (A6)	9	56.25%
I probably wouldn't use the service. (A7)	0	0.00%
Other	1	6.25%
No answer	2	12.50%

ID	Response
4	I most definitely will not use the service

Summary for A006

I would use a shuttle service primarily for....



Summary for A007

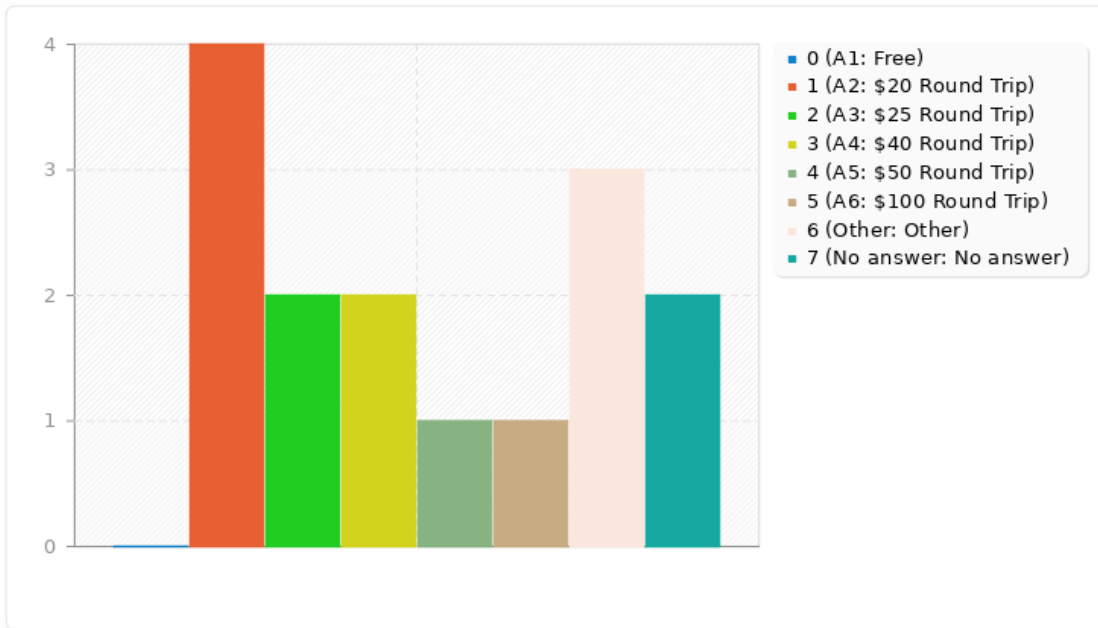
How much would you be willing to pay for a shuttle service, round trip?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Free (A1)	0	0.00%
\$20 Round Trip (A2)	4	26.67%
\$25 Round Trip (A3)	2	13.33%
\$40 Round Trip (A4)	2	13.33%
\$50 Round Trip (A5)	1	6.67%
\$100 Round Trip (A6)	1	6.67%
Other	3	20.00%
No answer	2	13.33%

ID	Response
3	\$5-10 round trip
6	\$15 senior rate
16	\$50 round trip would be my max, perhaps \$30 max 1 way. Perhaps there could be a frequent used discounted rate or a monthly pass rate?

Summary for A007

How much would you be willing to pay for a shuttle service, round trip?



Summary for A009

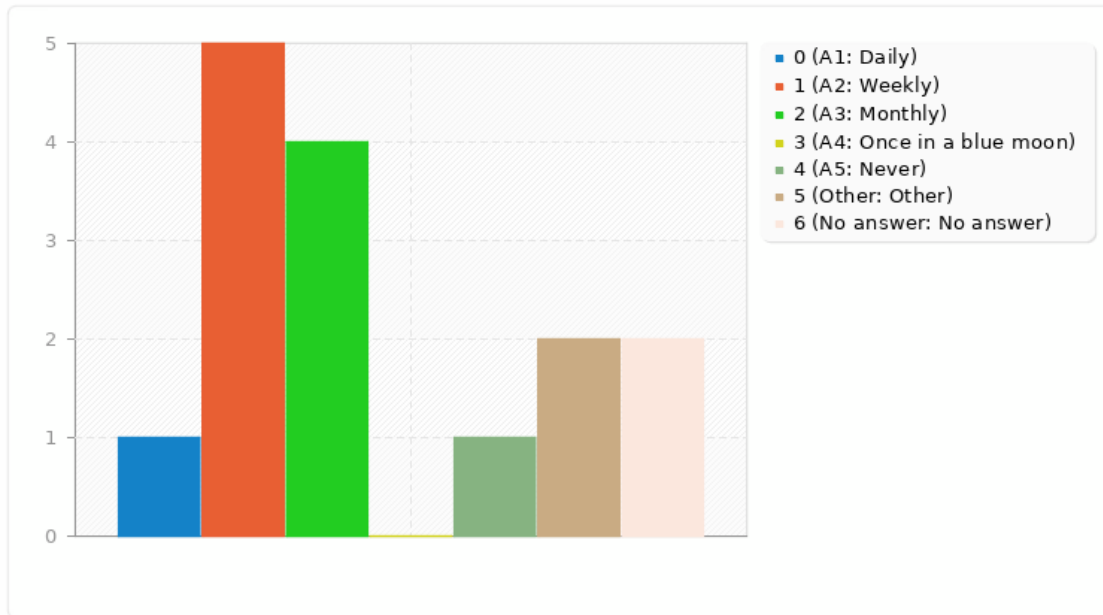
How often would you use a shuttle?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Daily (A1)	1	6.67%
Weekly (A2)	5	33.33%
Monthly (A3)	4	26.67%
Once in a blue moon (A4)	0	0.00%
Never (A5)	1	6.67%
Other	2	13.33%
No answer	2	13.33%

ID	Response
1	Monthly or bimonthly
16	I would personally not use it often, maybe occasionally when my car is in the shop, but I know some retirees without vehicles that could make use of the service

Summary for A009

How often would you use a shuttle?



Summary for A008

Where should a shuttle drop off and pick up?

Answer	Count	Percentage
At the junction of Highway 19 and the road [30] to Port Alice would be enough. (SQ001)	2	13.33%
One location in Port Hardy (SQ002)	6	40.00%
One location in Port McNeill (SQ003)	3	20.00%
Airport (SQ004)	2	13.33%
A flexible route dependent on the passengers onboard (SQ005)	6	40.00%
Other	2	13.33%

ID	Response
4	Now where
9	In Port Alice

Summary for A008

Where should a shuttle drop off and pick up?



Summary for A010

Would you like to add anything?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Answer	6	42.86%
No answer	8	57.14%

ID	Response
1	This would be a good thing.
3	This is a great idea. The biggest mistake the town ever made was turning down the bus service when it was offered years ago.
4	I think a shuttle is a waste of time and money. Would rather see carbon tax rebates as port Alice has no choice but propane. We should also get northern living allowance and be subsidized for fuel and ferry.
6	A shuttle would be great
9	It would be great to have a pick up and drop off right in port Alice because if you have no vehicle it's hard to get to the junction of 19 and 30. Even if it is only done once or twice a month.
19	I've bought a condo recently, but I haven't moved up from Vancouver yet. I don't drive so this shuttle idea is amazing. I'm so glad somebody is trying to make it happen. Definitely I would use it. I really think this kind of service is necessary. To be honest, I can't believe this community doesn't have this kind of service already. Who wants to drive in 2021 because of the environmental issues and expenses. Thank you so much!