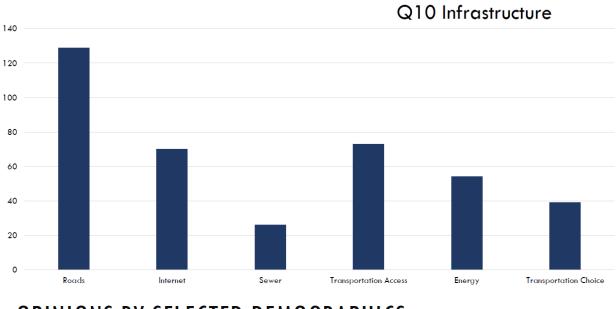
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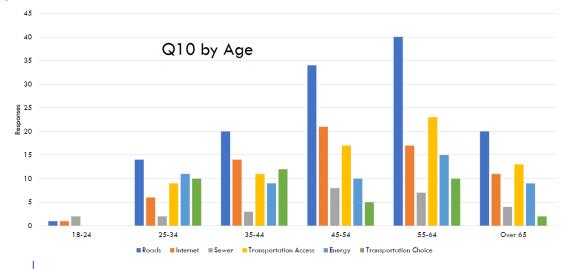
Goals Statement: Encourage expansion and improvement of regional infrastructure

- 1. Advance the effective and efficient transportation of goods
 - Support regionally impactful infrastructure opportunities for the movement of freight (e.g., completion of US-31, US-131 BR/US-131 Interchange Upgrade, three lanes of traffic on I-94 through the region)
 - Recognize intermodal freight transportation opportunities (e.g., rail transportation, reliever port for Chicago and Detroit)
 - Promote maintenance and improvement of the freeway system and connecting roads
 - Promote maintenance and improvement of state and local roads
 - Encourage aviation to better support business
 - Take advantage of our existing water infrastructure along the Lake Michigan shoreline for the transportation of freight (e.g., freight harbors on Lake Michigan)
- 2. Assist in cultivating a comprehensive telecommunication system
 - Promote region-wide access to telecommunications (broadband, cellular)
 - Encourage improved speed and quality of telecommunications infrastructure
- 3. Advance the effective and efficient transportation of people
 - Promote maintenance and improvement of the existing freeway system and connecting roads
 - Encourage passenger rail as a viable transportation option for inter and inner regional movement
 - Encourage aviation to better support passenger transportation
 - Promote coordination of regional mass transportation (e.g., use existing transportation asset inventory)
 - Promote non-motorized transportation options
- 4. Explore and promote a sustainable and economically competitive approach to energy supply
 - Promote competitive reliability and cost of energy
 - Promote a diversified and sustainable energy portfolio
- 5. Facilitate a collaborative approach to municipal infrastructure
 - Promote coordinated administration of regional water and sewer infrastructure to achieve competitive rates
 - Encourage coordinated water and sewer infrastructure planning

PROSPERITY OPINIONS



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