## Text File

Site	Person	Interview #	Question 53	Question 54
15	2	7	Hope that it will still be viable, but slipping.	Work for young people. Alternative for people staying here.
15	2	118	Keep on the same. Doing a good job.	Security from Crime. Try to curb a lot of crime. Any place can be improved. Lots of houses have had break-ins. People in community could help more - community policing.
15	2	61	Difficult living in house. Can't shovel snow, use lawn mower. Difficulty maintaining home.	Support for seniors. Seniors housing without maintenance. Talk about it but don't know when it will be built.
15	2	29	More Retail merchants, more stores downtown. Expand Library, like village to stay at 2,000 population. Quality of life lack of bustle.	Attract Tourism
15	2	140	Extended care place in Tweed. Rocking chairs, old people like to rock and sit outside.	More affordable housing. Care givers and people to check in on the elderly. Keeping land for agriculture.
15	2	13	Like to see Tweed grow business wise. Empty stores did have dresses. Need another drug store. BIA more housing. Housing for elderly.	Improvement in businesses.
15	2	66	Retain status quo - would not like to see large industry not changed much in 20-30 years. Do not want to lose any more businesses.	Retain businesses - more senior housing, nice senior housing needs to be built for seniors. Help with maintenance and home care for stay at home. Help for Veterans.
15	2	32	Councillors Don't want change.	Wading pool would be nice. Recreational centre for kids. The Councillors objected to her son paddling in the fountain.
15	2	95	Bedroom community. Health Centre. Good grocery stores. Over abundance of hardware stores. Good garages. Woods and gas. Emergency (Ask Louise about this)	Seniors building taking more seniors. Would like a good seniors residence in Tweed If NPP hurry in for another 6 months. Team work. If seniors had worth we would have one had. Would like to see merchants pulling together.
15	2	45	MNR pull out. I would like decentralized government with some representation in the community.	Business plan to encourage business - long-term and stable. High school in Belleville. We need one here.

15	2	87	More programs from 0-6 as these are the most important years for children. Playgroup, breakfast club. Better beginning programs free share and coffee as there are lots of young moms on welfare.	Childcare shift work daycare - stress relief for moms program. Grandparents still working as separated. No moms to help. Multipurpose drop in centre for moms with small kids. Need a leader for the safeway child/mom project.
15	2	124	Keep the trees. Repair older buildings. No industrial plant here. Young kids with no drivers licenses, makes it difficult to get jobs.	Road repairs, maintenance, quality of life is important. Maintain peace and quiet, enjoying living in a quaint town so laid back people not in a great rush. Paul hasn't slowed down yet since he has retired.
15	2	15	Nice retirement home we would love it. If away from Tweed then away from friends.	Seniors home would provide work for young people.
15	2	154	More employment, more business. Family clothing, not underwear. Name brand McDonald's, Tim Horton's.	Bit more kids to do graffiti is a problem. Need a roller blade community arena, swimming pool.
15	2	150	Hope Healthy. Caring with life on a day to day basis.	Should be a nursing home, retirement home in the community.
15	2	164	Never fix the side walks and lighting. This needs to be done. Programs for teens, youth club, ping pong needed. Tweed park has too many weeds and children cannot go swimming int he lake anymore.	Employment is needed. Surprised still survives with only one plant. Also need senior housing.
15	1	92	Better housing. A real recreation centre; it only deals with seniors. More recreation programming; swimming pool.	Greater cohesion among existing community services. Local council does not want to put their money where their mouth is.
15	1	245	Hope it stays a nice family community. Do more for seniors. Leave the dam in. See more growth in the social relations (i.e., less prejudice).	Looking after the seniors as it is a large proportion of the population.
15	2	17	Job for Peter. Downtown needs to be developed, vacant stores, not tourist based. Need to draw people in to stay in community.	Downtown improvement. Road maintenance, sidewalks aren't too bad. 30 minute commute would be fine for a job for Peter.
15	2	50	Transportation to community centre. Blood pressure. Pay to get there.	Need industry for young people
15	1	171	Hope that I won't have to leave Tweed when I get older; that there will be a nursing home or something here for me.	To get a nursing home here.

15	2137	Push to centralization - almost rural to more urban. Pressures on small farmer, working long hours with little return.	Tweed is a small town, part of a bigger community, afarmers who share in Tweed. Boost Tourism.
15	299	Community plus power that be see positive effects. The heritage centre is for communities.	Nursing home in Tweed. Senior building and low income housing. People are living in the seniors' building now who are low income. This is not acceptable. Should not mix the young with the seniors.
15	2297	Arena employed all summer could have dance every Saturday night. Roller balding could have hockey school. Just sitting vacant.	Need a nursing home and affordable housing. Home care is good.
15	296	Keep bridge at North end of town. Do repair. Don't think that bridge and dam are an eyesore. Stores are vacant.	NA
15	2198	More industry to come in. Lost high school, MNR, hydro and telephone. Lost Veneer plant in 1960's or 1970's. Used to Only allow senior's in now, rowdy young people in building. Not like it used to be.	Tourism promotion.
15	2162	More young. Need work for young. Something for teens to use. Roller blade building	Home Care support for older people. Volunteers for home care. Young people on welfare because no work, stores are closed up. People go to Walmart in Belleville.
15	6	53Like to receive industry. Development of Industry	Industry Needed
15	2270	Vibrant retail sector on main street. Progressive merchants promotion. Traffic flow, incredible traffic. Recognizable places like Tim Horton's needed.	Women clothing stores, no Steadman's (closed in 1999). Good grocery stores needed. Traffic, lake an asset, park pavilion, events going on. Heritage Centre. There is no strong leadership in the business. BIA neglected.
15	2300	Stay safe	Single family housing - rent a house. Would like a house rather than an apartment.
15	693	Industry to hire 70-100 people in the community.	Refused
15	279	I would like a delivery service for the library. Want to stay independent. Homemaker is wonderful (11-12 am every day) and helps with bath.	IGA will deliver to the house. They would even put stuff in the fridge if she wanted them to.

15	2	82	Need more business, industry for employee. French Settlement. Transportation bus from Tweed to Belleville.	Theatre would be great.
15	2	3	Stay as is or improves level it was at 25 years ago. Need adequate medical care, more aggressive business men 4 or 5 businesses from Toronto (dentist) Business men had power to control bank. 25 years ago had forceful people on council had power base.	Health care facility for seniors to live in Marmora. As long as I can walk I want facility in town. Business men don't have clout.
15	2	2178	Industry. Younger people in council would not let industry in a while back. Veneer plant and steelworks on council contribute wages. Like a company town.	Give land and tax breaks for industry. Bring hardwood from Quebec. Local to Domtar and pulp.
15	2	2158	More alternative homeopathic health. Hoping for new vortex health centre	Encouraging new Vortex Centre to get set up. Take Stress off health system, make service available when really needed.
15	1	183	It would be nice to have some industry. There is nothing to keep young people here.	Need some kind of business to come in here. Don't know what they could do to attract some. We've lost MNR, Hydro; nothing here to make people come in.
15	2	2 175	Skateboard park. More attention for Kids, teens. Dances for kids on a Friday night. I would volunteer if involved with kids. Teenagers need to be kept busy so not to vandalize steel plant.	
15	2	240	Have that economically it will survive, stores reopen	Attract business. Encourage local enterprises. Spot for lunch. Enough to keep tourists here. Look at Northbrook grocery store. Liquor don't need to come to Tweed. Walmart is easy access.
15	2	2142	No More Amalgamations	Good business plan for municipality - so people know where money is going - Full disclosure.
15	2	219	More pro active to events coming. Have to be able to plan. Lost high school, Ont Hydro and MNR.	After the closings, stores closed and people left the community.
15	6	6145	Hopes that Tweed survives and flourishes as a community. Claims that it remains a good spot to raise children. People no longer work in the community, which makes it hard to shop here. The community is sliding down-hill. Thinks that the community is really bad off. Not sure if community will survive. Many	Retirement home community (elderly community) maybe make use of that. Need better recreational facilities and need to maintain businesses and bring in new ones. Need Vital businesses.

			people in town are on welfare.	
15	2	89	More stuff for kids. Play centre and/or youth centre	Youth Centre. Industry would make a city. Safe and Small, nice place, so don't want a city.
15	6	193	Entice industry into area.	Need Industry.
15	6	129	Learn to be a community, to work together. Need to work together towards a tourist community. All this could allow for better relationships, more money for the community. People need to care about each other. Also need a donut shop (to create a sense of community) and to have great coffee.	Need to create a sense of community. Tourism needs to be developed. Hopefully then people would move in.
15	6	181	Revitalization needed in community. It is becoming a retirement community and does not have any industry. Nothing here to bring new families into the town. Tweed's Ontario Hydro has become Hydro 1 and people have transferred or lost their jobs. Everyone is leaving and the town is downsizing.	Need to attract new industry and commercial enterprises. She wants to move, but Real Estate is low. Tweed needs to improve its infrastructure (sewage, streets, buildings) But this would mean needing to raise taxes. Health Clinic is not what was expected. They use hospital in Belleville. If there town improved, they could also improve education. They have no support from government for rural community. Services are needed to be improved as well.
15	6	116	Make place more accessible for elderly and disabled people (including stores, restaurants, and churches) People need to be able to get in. There is talk of a holistic centre coming which they both are excited about. Too many welfare recipients. Most are young people. Tweed has high LICO and many welfare people are transient people moving from Belleville to Tweed for the low rents. Dept of Natural Resources closing had a great impact on the town. Caused bad economy.	Need to attract young workers, need more industry. Sidewalks and potholes, need to be fixed. Need accessibility for wheelchairs, rather than needing to travel to Belleville. (This is very inconvenient). Possibly if there were tax breaks more industry would come.
15	2	26	I would like a clothing store in Tweed. I hope Tweed stays the same but with industry outside as young people have to move away.	Tweed needs a nursing/retirement home, Industry and another drug store as the existing one is very busy.
15	6	9	More retail stores and other stores needed. Would like to see town go back to the little home town feeling that used to exist 15 years ago.	Need to draw in more retailers to the village. More businesses. Dynamics have changes, especially in the last 5 years. Community needs to be redeveloped. The Ministry of Natural Resources, Hydro 1 and

	Schools have all changed and this has affected the
	community.

15	2	197		
15	2	2 16	Industry come in to curtail some welfare who have come to Tweed. Tweed has cheap accommodations, cheap rooms for young people on welfare. But there is swearing and fighting at night.	Nice little town. I love Tweed. Something to hire people is needed now that the MNR and Hydro are gone. 2 Veneer plants, steelworks rail road went through.
15	6	20	Need businesses that work. Jobs for young people. Not much here in town. Steadman's store closed and would like to see a similar clothing store open now. Need to go to Belleville for everything, mainly because everything is too expensive in Tweed.	Now they have computers for public access. Need training programs to help young people get better jobs. Lots of people on welfare here and lots of elderly. Many seniors are well-off. Post Office should start to deliver. Would like to have transportation for older people in order to get around.
15	6	27	Get more industry, more jobs, more stores that are for lower income people. It is a low-income area, even though many of the elderly are well-off. If you are not connected or related to people in town, then you do not get a job. Sense that there is a two-tiered system in the community between the rich and the poor. Lastly, need to keep the dam here in order to keep the stream going. Need a 24 hour person for town water. Hydro boll and utility bills used to come together now they are separate and they only arrive every 3 months. They see this as a problem. Not happy about the clinic and medical services. The walk-in clinic was just talk and it is impossible to make an appointment in Tweed. The secretaries always suggest that they go to Belleville. Also the secretaries many times try to diagnose and they are not qualified to do so.	welcome in Tweed.
15	6	78	Main Street needs to be improved. The prov. and fed. governments need to support the community to get things in shape (streets, buildings, etc.) Appearance needs to be improved. Bring in Tourism and industry. It is becoming a retirement community. Too many "welfare people" and town is going down-hill. Needs lots of help.	Need to get the "welfare people" out of town. Too much subsidized housing, landlords don't care. All of which is bringing the community down. Need to get place clean (fix buildings, fix streets, clean-up) More money needed for the services, but there is no work and so no support (other than welfare) Too many LICO people are being placed down here.
15	6	44	Would like to have some form of transportation for the elderly, for both within Tweed and out to Belleville or other areas. There is transport now with Community Care but it is quite expensive.	Some form of transportation for seniors. Very few are able to drive by themselves. (2) Some form of entertainment for the teens in the community. This could allow them to spend their energy. There is high

	crime (crime has increased) and she feels it is because
	teens are bored and this is how they act out.

15		179		I would like to see a manufacturing plant in Tweed with good pay. Tweed is good for families, There also needs to be help for seniors to stay on in their own homes, A seniors centre with apartments down town would be good. Seniors want to have their own front door.
15	2	188	Be a community, show that it cares for people who live here, young and old. Provide infrastructure, recreation, old persons accommodations. I feel bad for young people.	Of belief that working age people should work. Young mothers up against it. Apartments here may no be what they want/ Young people involved in ownership of a project. Maintenance, give kids ownership.
15	2	207	I need the resources in the community to cop with husband who has just been diagnosed with an incurable illness, There needs to be a seniors facility in Tweed to look after seniors. Her Mom has been in Hastings Manor for 12 years and her elderly friends can't visit her.	The sale of the Odd fellows' Hall was wrong. There needs to be a community centre with a reception hall/ theatre for the masons etc and also a facility for the care of the elderly.
15	2	134	Lovely to come back to Tweed. Tourist town, need store front improvement. Nice park.	Help businesses improve. Face lift overall. Playhouse refurbished.
15	2	34	I hop Tweed stays small as people are closer and friendly If you say Good day to someone in Kingston they look at you as if you are nuts, I spend 30 minutes talking to people in Tweed when I am going to the store.	A indoor pools for the kids, it is good for exercise for adults too, There is nothing for exercise in winter.
15	2	205	More recreational facilities for seniors community. Like classes, pool, dance for seniors. And transportation	Entertaining seniors. Do not want town to get too big, but businesses could grow.
15	2	139	Housing for Seniors, Access centre in Belleville province funded. Home care now personal care bathing, not vacuuming. Province has cut funding.	Community could organize something, good neighbors, people don't want to ask, some people don't want to pay. If funding for care, then trained young people, there would be more work.
15	6	98	Some work for community. Get industry. There is nothing to draw in new people to community.	Industry and jobs. Need to make things better. Need to attract new people and new business. There is no work opportunity for the young people. Also, used to be able to buy everything in town. Steadman's is now closed and need to go to Belleville for everything. But there is no transport for the elderly. Need to start things for the young people in town. Not sure why things aren't working out. Maybe people aren't interested. Lastly,

				need to get rid of drugs and too much alcohol.
15		259	Tweed will need to wake up to what we have in community and appreciate it and support it.	Developing a deeper sense of community and pride in community. Develop a sensitivity to community.
15		685	Hope to find some way to grow. Find something to attract people to the community. Community is going down-hill.	Attract businesses or industry, which will then attract people to come to the community.
15	2	125	Something for teenagers and young adults for employment – I don't know what. Keep the farm operations going in the area.	Good retirement facilities.
15		6123	Need Industry	Need Industry. Bad local government, Need better leadership. Too many poor in area and too little development.
15	2	146	We could use a bus service to Belleville people depend on others to go to the doctor in Belleville, There should be an emergency clinic in Tweed for non patients of the health Centre. There need to be more clothing stores.	More could be done by council for the stores – stores used for income right! Reduce taxes, incentives to keep town going, explore what can be done with tax breaks set standards of building maintenance eg. Paint. Annabel's House/convent is now a rooming house. Need more flowers, Amalgamation means there are too many urban areas for the municipality to look after.
15	1	104	Need to put more money into youth programs and facilities. Give something for kids to do, for younger and older. And jobs; need them for younger and older	Get a facility going, like a boxing club. Keep kids off of drugs and off of street in a safe place.
15	2	240	Get some industry so young people could stay in Tweed.	Everything else would follow from new industry. More business, can't get socks in Tweed, or underwear we have to go to Belleville.
15	2	101	Willing to pay for extra tax for Playhouse , dam, the main street brought up. Streetscape project needs to be resurrected, Protect the river and the dam	Main street revitalization
15	1	147	That it can grow and have more facilities (eg., recreation like pool).	Infrastructure: my understanding is that Tweed can't grow because of the infrastructure
15	03	70	-hope it grows and gets more industry to help with taxes	-keeping young people in the village -need more openings for work
15	2	157	Business retail should flourish, Stedmen's True Value	Improve the water system for the health of the

			Fosters Dairy all closed, like to keep business in Tweed can't buy shoes here. No kids clothes, I would like to work in tweed.	community. If too darn sick you can't shop.
15	03	253	-that we'll get some cultural things like concerts or the arts in the area	-when you get to be this old, things wind down and you don't have anymore plans or ambitions
15	2	233	Cut back in services. When you have no family to lobby for you, you don't get the service. We will have to move to a place with services, there is no seniors home would rather stay in one place, There should be a gym for seniors.	Build on what Tweed has going for it scenic rural setting, community spirit. Need a home for retired people sacrificing social programmes to reduce income tax was a mistake. Swimming pool for the kids, Bedroom community welfare brings the town down can't go back to what it was. Existing communities don't recognize what people bring in. If Tweed goes down more seniors won't come in. One has to wait at the Health Centre.
15	2	275	I hope that we survive. Retirement home. I am interested in the New vortex alternative health center. Need for retirement apartments.	Retirement facilities – single elderly women don't want to leave Tweed, Need a full care facility.
15	03	120	<ul> <li>-hope they continue to make improvements</li> <li>-put in a skate board park, more teen dances – places to go for kids to interact and have fun</li> <li>-put in some statues and more flowers around to</li> </ul>	-try to bring in more businesses, retail, clothing stores, donut stores – acts as a rest area for people travelling hwy 7
15	03	211	bring in tourism -couldn't' care less – my community are the friends that are still alive. I don't see my community as a geographic location	-they need to decide what they want to achieve so that they will actually be able towards achieving it
15	1	264	To see it not turn into a ghost town – there are a lot of empty stores in this town.	We need programs for children and teenagers – there is nothing for kids to do. Build a swimming pool.
15	03	64	-grow as far as businesses so we wouldn't have to go to Belleville for so much	-just promote tourism but should be an all year round source of economy
			-police here would be better -more for teens and seniors to do	-make sure water is safer and that there's plenty of it -wish value of real estate would go up so it would be more attractive for new home buyers to come here
15	2	130	Walk in clinic in Tweed. With seniors in manors in	Community money went into the health centre and

			Belleville, Marmora, and Stirling we can't go and see them. The community contributed \$250,000 to the health centre in Tweed, The NDP government was going to make it up to \$500,000 to build a nursing home and clinic.	we have no access to the health centre, lots of people worked for it are now dead so one can't check the details of the arrangement. Several small industries are needed unless they get an industry young people leave. The pallet factory is now big. No dress shop, loss of MNR office, high school closed, closure of government offices.
15	03	75	-bring in new industry and have Tweed grow	-new industry
15	03	49	-hope the town would increase that # of people living here by promoting it as a retirement community	-improve tax base -improve sewage system because the capacity isn't there to achieve growth
15	03	274	-better things for kids to do (more clubs)	-water – fixing it up to be more safe (drinking water and lake water) -more enthusiasm within the community
15	2	249	Indoor swimming pool it is important to learn to swim. The community leaders need to be hands on and be used to operating with less government assistance, We may have to pay more taxes to cover things like the sewage works.	We started an industry commission. Most companies want to be close to the 401. Got to have property for industry also water pressure for sprinklers to prevent firs. I am never optimistic about attracting industry to Tweed. One has to spend money to attract industry. There used to be two veneer plants in Tweed but they were closed because there was a good plant in North Bay
15	03	191	-don't think there's any hope for Tweed so doesn't expect anything	-would be nice to try to offer employment opportunities for local residents
15	1	254	Would like to see more young people stay in the community. Like to see more community spirit.	Less of a retirement community. Attract business so that people don't have to leave to get work.
15	1	277	I would like to see more businesses come in to town. Need jobs for younger people.	
1	5	2303	Stores rented out. Theatre to replace old on. Reeve and council who feel tourism is important, not just arena. More housing to improve the economy.	Work to hire people. Theatre complex.

15	1	148	Te village has got to turn itself around. Figure out a vision for its future and work toward it. Societal trend away from family farm and resource based industries.	Find a way for new people to come and people to stay. Need jobs! A lot of the good jobs left with the MNR.
15	1	14	That it will grow a little bit now that the freeze is off (eg., light industry) – but more houses going up outside of village. Growth in housing. I think it's important.	Promote the town, eg., the town is becoming a bedroom community.
15	1	166	That a clean, small industry would come here.	Improve control of financial resources – but other governments are taking control away. Stop dismantling our schools and governments.
15	1	237	That some sort of industry could locate here, perhaps in the old (new) municipal building.	Attract new industry and promote Tweed as a bedroom, retirement, and tourist community
15	1	152	Would like to see us grow with a plan in mind – a <u>planned</u> growth – that would improve the overall conditions of the municipality.	We need to get some quality, private, investment capital, eg., industrial, recreation. Give full support to new inquiry to proposed subdivision and to the new health/healing centre (so long as they are within the game plan).
15	2	310	Doctor issue - older people on waiting list for doctor no way of setting up appointment with doctor. No seniors home. Can take a bus to Belleville for a day trip. It is an older community.	Teenagers / youth centre. No funds to keep it going. Middle-aged people looking after old is needed. Workforce, everything is changing from day to day. Middle-aged need to look after elderly.