

Complete Streets Workshop Report

Through CPPW funds, Get Fit Kauai secured technical assistance from the National Complete Streets Coalition and conducted a series of Complete Streets workshops and presentations on Kauai this April. Below are the survey results of the Complete Streets Public Workshop held on Wednesday, April 20, 2011

Public Workshop

- Wednesday, April 20, 2011
- Kauai War Memorial Convention Hall
- 6:00 – 8:00 pm
- 82 people attended
- 53 people completed evaluation (survey) forms

Topics covered:

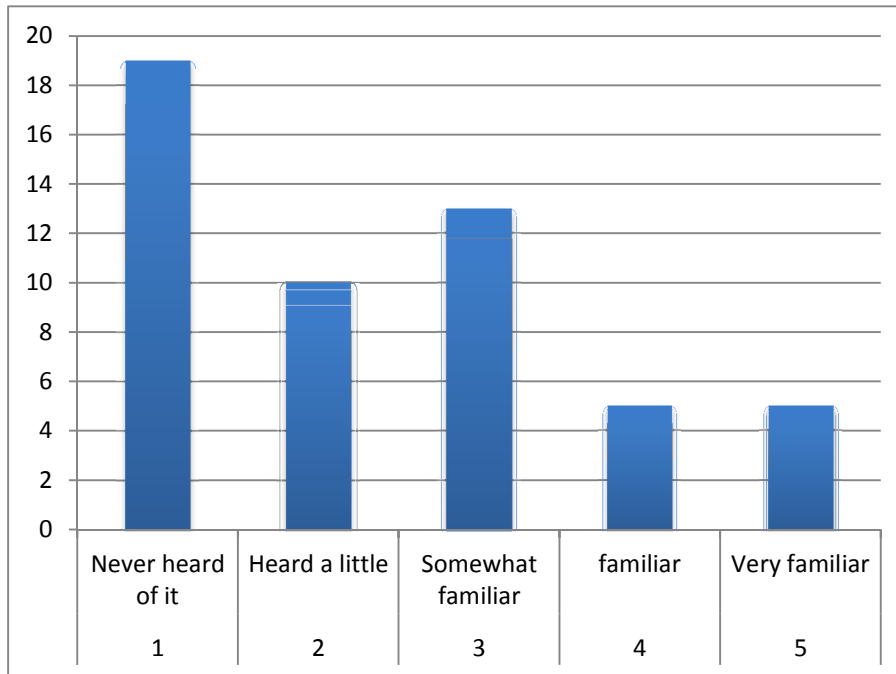
- Build a common understanding of what complete streets are, what they are not
- How complete streets can help Kauai achieve multiple community benefits
- Consider examples of types of complete streets
- Consider what a policy means, types of policies, and what makes a policy effective
- Review Kauai complete streets progress to date



Survey Results of Public Workshop on April 20, 2011

Question #1: How familiar are you with the basic concept of Complete Streets

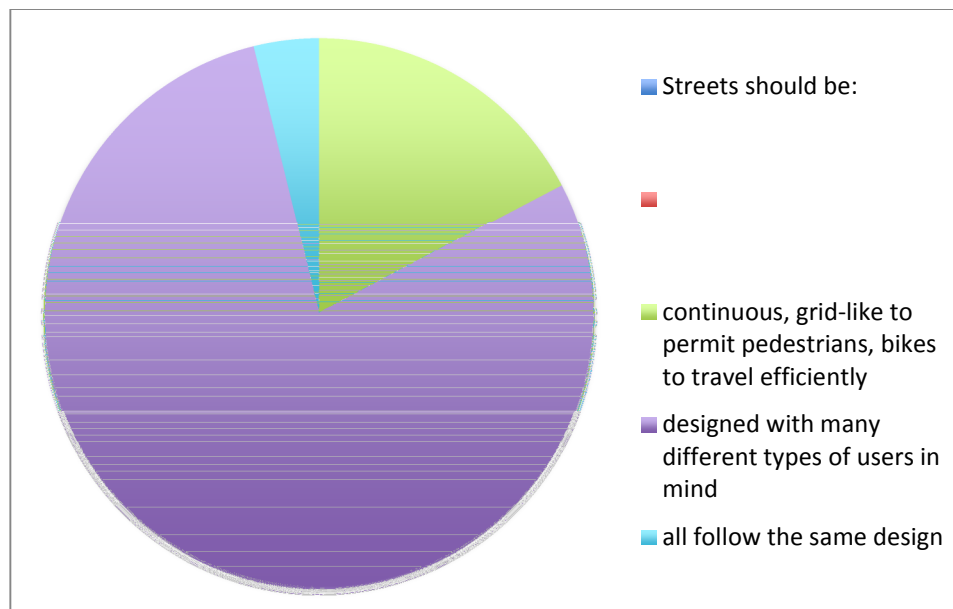
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| 1 | Never heard of it | 19 |
| 2 | Heard a little | 10 |
| 3 | Somewhat familiar | 13 |
| 4 | familiar | 5 |
| 5 | Very familiar | 5 |



Question # 2: Which of these statement best summarizes the principles of complete Streets?

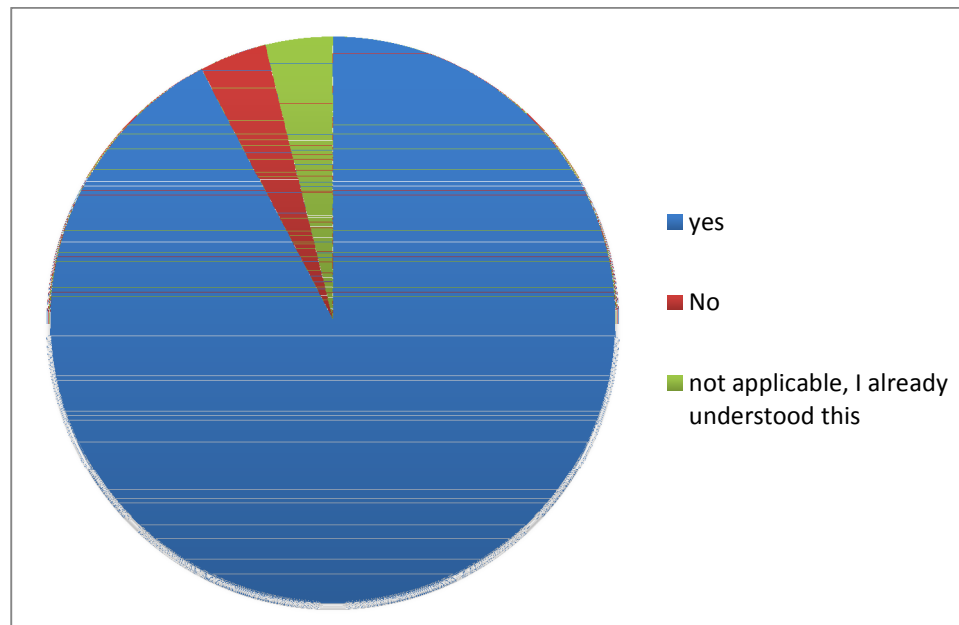
Streets should be:

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| Continuous, grid-like to permit pedestrians, bikes to travel efficiently | 9 |
| Designed with many different types of users in mind | 41 |
| All follow the same design | 2 |



Question #3: Do you have a better understanding of how community and street design impacts health?

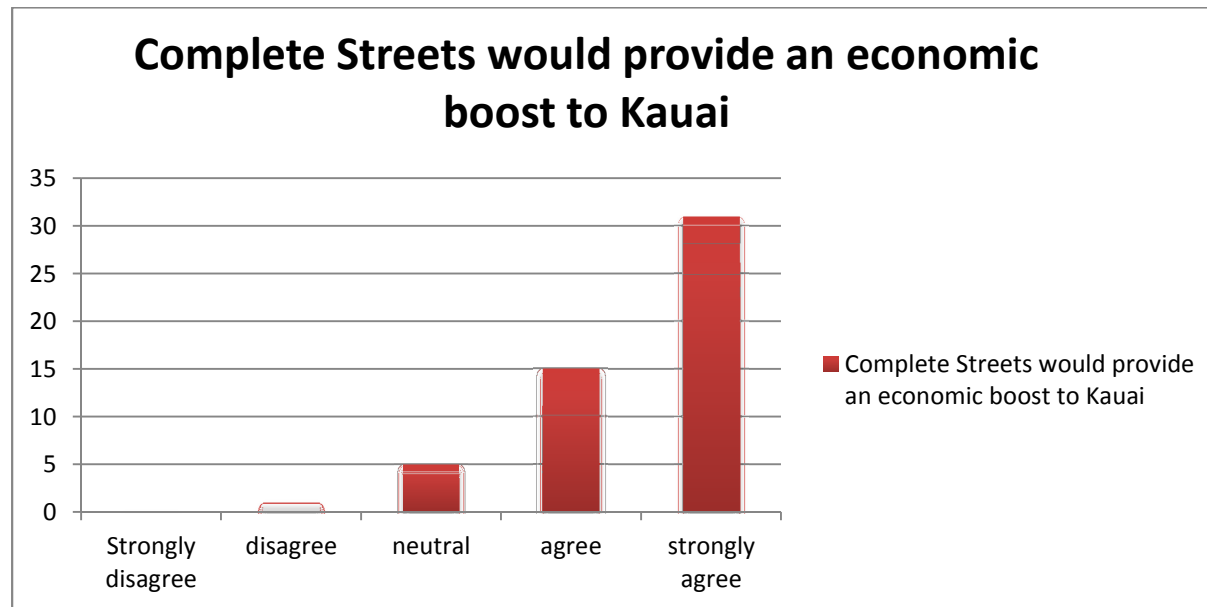
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| Yes | 48 |
| No | 2 |
| Not applicable, I already understood this | 2 |



Question # 4: How much do you agree with the following statements?

Statement 1:

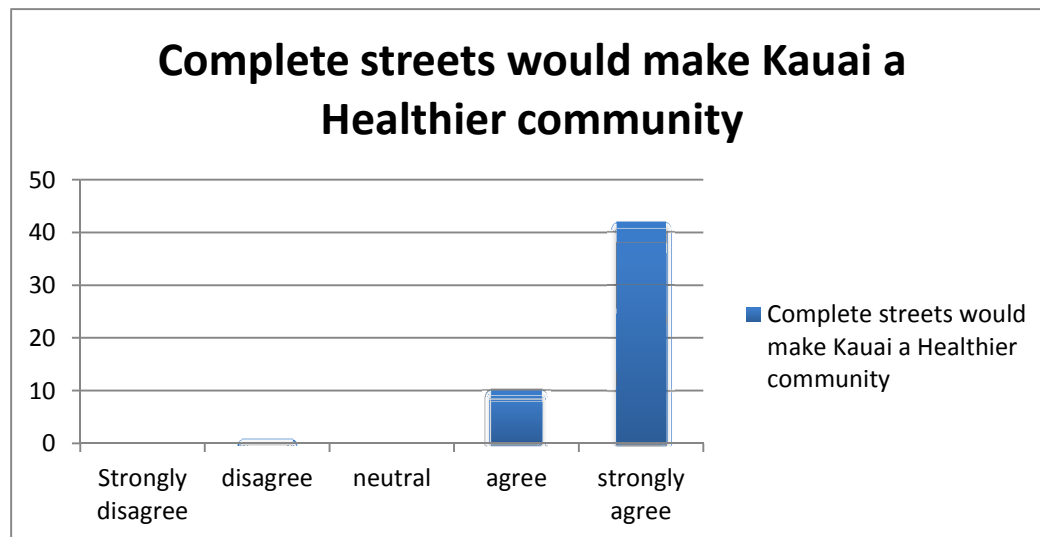
| | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly agree |
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| Complete Streets would provide an economic boost to Kauai | 0 | 1 | 5 | 15 | 31 |



Question #4 – How much do you agree with the following statements?

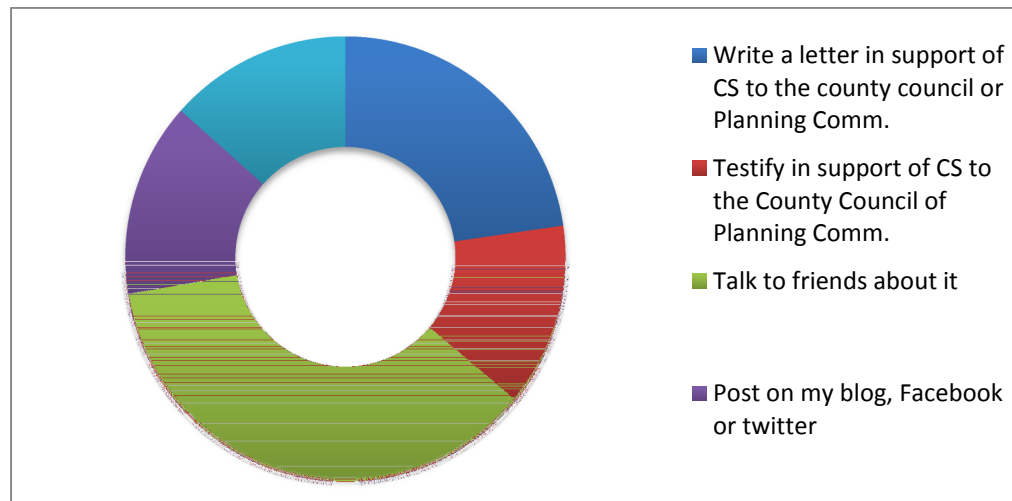
Statement 2

| | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly Agree |
|---|-------------------|----------|---------|-------|----------------|
| Complete streets would make Kauai a Healthier community | 0 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 42 |



Question # 5: Which of the following, if any, would you do to help Complete Streets become a reality on Kauai?

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| Write a letter in support of CS to the county council or Planning Comm. | 27 |
| Testify in support of CS to the County Council of Planning Comm. | 16 |
| Talk to friends about it | 43 |
| Post on my blog, Facebook or twitter | 17 |
| Other | 16 |



Complete Streets Policy Implementation Workshop 4/21/11

- Paul Zykofsky, Tom van Schrader and Kristin Bennett from the National Complete Streets Coalition conducted a full day Complete Streets Public Policy Implementation workshop at the Courtyard Marriott.
- 24 key people from the County and State attended
- Mayor Carvalho gave opening remarks and encouraged his staff and department heads to “get excited about this” so we can move forward in completing our streets on Kauai.
- County Council member, Nadine Nakamura, attended a short part of the workshop.
- Congresswoman, Mazie Hirono stopped by to say a few encouraging words.
- Since then, several complete streets projects have been discussed and some have even made it to the drawing board.





Mazie Hirono stops by to say hello.