## Madbury Master Plan Survey March, 2014

Our community Master Plan is an important document that sets a direction for future growth in Madbury. One way for the Planning Board to measure our citizens' attitudes about the town is to conduct a community survey. We last conducted a community survey in 2000 as part of the 2002 Master Plan Update. The Planning Board would appreciate your responses to the following questions as they seek to revise the town's Master Plan. Your input on the following survey is very important to us and will help guide our efforts as we update the current Master Plan. We encourage you to complete this survey and place it into one of our collection boxes located in the Town Hall.

#### What is Important to You?

1. Madbury provides sufficient support for each of the following activities with respect to the town's resources and small town character. Please respond to the following statements by selecting one response for each statement.

Policy Statement	Strongly Agree	Somewhat Agree	Neutral	Somewhat Disagree	Strongly Disagree
Preserve Madbury's rural character-open					
space, wetlands, fields, agriculture and scenic					
vistas.					
Protect Madbury's surface and groundwater					
resources.					
Acquire additional interests in land for					
conservation and public recreation.					
Preserve historic resources					
Maintain the present town center as an area					
for a mix of civic activities.					

#### **Satisfaction with Town Services**

**2.** Madbury provides sufficient support for each of the following community functions or services. Please respond to the following statements by selecting one response for each statement.

Maintain the town's roadways.			
Police protection			
Fire protection			
Ambulance service			
Library			
Diversity of housing			
Parks & recreation			
Recreational trails			
Expand/improve Town services to			
accommodate population growth.			
Encourage commercial and light industrial			
activity that is consistent with Madbury's			
rural character.			
Maintain a stable tax rate.			

If you have comments about town services, please write in space below.

# **Future growth and development**

## 3. Would you like to see more of the following activities in Madbury?

Description	Yes	No	No Opinion/Not Sure
Light industry			
Agricultural-based businesses			
Home-based businesses			
Small retail shops			
Professional offices			
Bed & breakfast			
Gas station/auto repair			
Medical services (e.g., Doctor's office)			
Other (please specify):			

## 4. Would you like to expand the following housing options?

Option	Yes	No	No opinion/not sure
Two-family			
Multi-family (3-5) units			
Apartment buildings (5-plus units)			
Senior housing			
Manufactured housing parks			
Residential Cluster Subdivisions (several single-			
family units built on small lots with common			
open space.)			

# Please help us understand our population.

5.	How many	vears have	vou lived in	Madbury?	(Please circle	one)
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0-5 6-10 11-15 16-20 More than 20

### 6. Which of the following categories describes your age? (Please circle one)

19 or less 20-29 30-39 40-49 50-59 60-69 70 or more

#### 7. What do you like most about living in Madbury? (Please check up to four)

Natural Amenities	Proximity to Work	Nearby Recreational/Outdoor Resources
Cultural Amenities	Proximity to Boston	Other (Please Specify)
Friendly Atmosphere	Proximity to Health Care	
Quality of Schools	Proximity to Shopping	

Please add any other relevant comments that we should address as part of our update to the Master Plan.