UNITI PARTNER SHS 2022/23 ENDS 2 CONSULTATION



What are the Ends?

The Ends are what UNITI exists to achieve. They are created through comprehensive consultations with our community. The Ends consultations are one way that UNITI holds itself accountable. We celebrate what we are successfully achieving and strive to do better in areas where we fall short.

What are the Ends consultations?

Every year, UNITI checks in with people to see how they are doing to help people live good lives of their choosing.

Semiahmoo House Society needs to check in and see how they are doing to help people live good lives.

The 2022-2023 consultations were about Ends 2:

People decide how they live their lives, and make informed choices.

Questions explored this year while thinking about Ends 2:

- 1. What seems to be going well?
- 2. What is not going so well?
- 3. What could be different or paid more attention to?
- 4. What are people's hopes for the future?

The Ends Consultation Committee and UNITI staff had conversations with 109 people to ask, listen and learn.

What are your hopes for the future?



What are your main concerns about life in relation to Ends 2? (92 participants chose their top 5)

To travel more 55%

To go out more on the weekends and evenings 44%

Make more decisions about my life **35%**

To have more fun in my life **34%**

A better love life **29%**

More education opportunities **26%**

More people in my life I can count on **20%**

More privacy 16%

To learn about spirituality, faiths and cultures 14%

I want to run my own business 12%

I want to volunteer 11%

Not happy with what I do with my days 9%

Not happy with where I live 7%

More support to think through decisions about my life 6%

To be more connected to my faith, beliefs and culture 6%

I don't like who I live with 5%

Not happy with my job or volunteer position 3%

What are some recommendations for UNITI Partner SHS?



Increase opportunities for people to build confidence and learn about informed decision making.



Support to expand their personal support networks.



Address barriers to support people to have a life of love and romance and more close friends.



Regularly check in with people and ask if they are happy about where they live and who they live with.



Continue to advocate for affordable, accessible and inclusive housing.



Increase a variety of education and learning opportunities.



Address barriers to support people to have a good social life and increase opportunities for people to have fun in the evenings and on weekends.



Continue to support people to find a job and increase volunteer opportunities that people are passionate about.



Increase supports and services for people who are older. Support people and families to be better prepared for what life might be like when older.



Ask people if they want help to explore their spirituality, culture and provide the support they need.