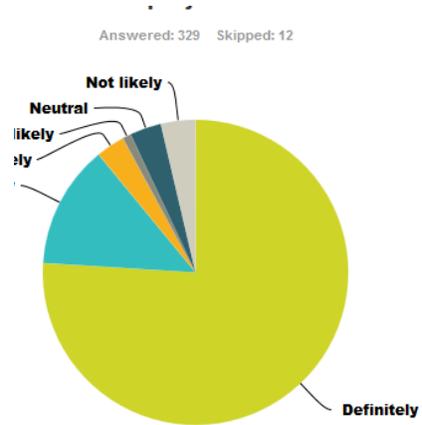


A total of 1043 Renovation and Community surveys were completed and returned during a nine week period.

2016 Renovation Survey Results: 341 Renovation and Renewal Surveys

Where do you live?	69% Sechelt 14% HMB 7% Roberts Creek 2.5% Pender Harbour 4% Gibsons 2% Other
Are you a current library user?	92% yes
The Sechelt Public Library is:	88% Welcoming and open to everyone 85% A hub for learning 73% A space for curiosity 58% A community gathering place
The Sechelt Public Library should be:	86% Welcoming to audiences young and old 75% Technologically current and digital relevant 71% A quiet and contemplative place 51% A vibrant hub of activity
The Sechelt Public Library needs:	70% A renewal of various areas to enhance access, mobility and functionality 69% A renovation of digital areas to support expanding technology including iPads and laptops 61% Better spaces for interaction (one-on-one tutoring, group meetings) 55% New teen and children's spaces
Do you support this renovation and renewal project?	76% definitely support 13% very likely support 4% somewhat likely support 3% Neutral 4% not likely support



Some Concerns

Cost?

Combining all these desired qualities is challenging and expensive. Plan C would surely need another elevator and i like the cafe idea. Keep it minimal and healthy! Does kid zone need ro be so close to circulation desk? Long narrow meeting space not best for interaction.

Friends of the Library should have room they can permanently use to accept + sort donations + have sales.

Not sure about 2nd floor or elevator move otherwise, v. good.

More space is required for public meetings, e.g. the recent Council mtgs where input from the public was required showed that there is insufficient space for large crowds. The info projected on the walls was visible by council but not by the public in attendance. A multipurpose area of a prrox 500 ft will not be large enough to improve seating capacity when public meetings are being held. The designers need to make a plan which permits increasing the size of the present meeting room so that large crowds can be accommodated!

The 3 options fail to clearly demonstrate any real improvement on the existing layout and are delinquent in omitting any provision for the community archives - an essential facility for preserving community history and records for such the library was entrusted with the gift and donation of the original Helen Dawe files and photos

Stack area should be as large as possible.
The stacks are too crowded together. Need wider ailes & sloped shelves. Use the foyer space more efficiently. Check out the new library in Milton Ont.

-bring new entrance west of elevator

-move self and assisted circulation into shared (with DOS) lobby.

Strong possibility of over the top consulting & expert input which is usually no accountable to the tax paying public

BUDGET CONSTRAINTS!

Serves needs perfectly now. Don't need change for sake of change.

Money better spent on needed infrastructure

Please don't make our library into a Mrs. Murphy's chowder.

Financially inappropriate time

I attend Council meeting in the CMR and believe the public needs that space to be available for that purpose
because it does