STATE-WIDE DATA FINAL PDC STRETEGIC OPPORTUNITIES SURVEY

Surveys Received

	Number Of	Percentage
	Respondents	
Ag And Natural Resources	170	24.4
Community Development	139	20.0
Family And Consumer Science	204	29.3
4-H Youth Development	183	26.3

	Number Of	Percentage
	Respondents	Important
	To Important	Or
	Or Somewhat	Somewhat
	Important	Important
SUSTAIN PROFITABLE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION SYSTEMS	T	1
Develop Animal And Crop Production Systems That Thrive In The	582	86.3
Variable Conditions Of The Great Plains		
Develop Horticulture, Forestry And Alternative Green Enterprises	470	69.7
That Thrive In The Variable Conditions Of The Great Plains		
Advance New And Improved Systems Of Agricultural Production	606	89.9
To Meet The Needs Of Producers And Consumers		
Enhance The Value Of Agricultural Products	604	89.6
PREPARE PEOPLE IN KANSAS TO THRIVE IN A GLOBAL WORKFORG	CE AND ALL ASPE	CTS OF LIFE
Improve Life-Long Money Management Skills To Create Financial	619	92.4
Security		
Build Harmonious Relationships To Create Resilient Families	557	82.8
Help Children And Youth Develop Competence, Confidence,	633	94.5
Integrity, Compassion And A Sense Of Belonging		
Engage Youth In The Sciences To Improve Life For A Sustainable	598	89.2
World		
Assist People To Successfully Live In Their Homes As Long As	534	79.7
Possible		
IDENTIFY PATHWAYS FOR EFFICIENT AND SUSTAINABLE ENERGY	USE	•
Identify And Assess Opportunities For Economic Development	574	85.8
Through Alternative Energy		
Increase Sciences-Based Knowledge On Energy Resources And	576	86.1
Technologies		

Enhance Knowledge And Skills About Efficient Energy Practices	610	91.2
ENSURE AN ABUNDANT AND SAFE FOOD SUPPLY FOR ALL		·
Improve Access To High Quality Foods, Including Local Foods,	561	84.0
Especially For Consumers With Limited Resources		
Increase Food Variety And Value By Developing New And	439	65.7
Enhanced Food Products		
Enhance The Safety Of Our Food Supply By Reducing Or	574	85.9
Eliminating Hazards From Food Production To Consumption		
Improve Protection And Defense Strategies To Safeguard The	570	85.3
Food Supply		
ENHANCE EFFECTIVE DECISION-MAKING REGARDING ENVIRONMENTAL PROPERTY OF THE PROP	MENTAL STE	WARDSHIP
Improve And Protect Soil And Water Quality In Agricultural,	603	90.7
Rural, And Urban Landscapes And Watersheds		
Conserve And Prolong The Life Of The Ogallala Aquifer And Other	f 579	87.1
Important Surface And Groundwater Resources While Sustaining		
Communities Dependent On Those Water Resources		
Improve Understanding Of Sources, Fate, And Transport Of Air	496	74.5
Emissions From Confined Animal Feeding, Agricultural Burning		
And Tillage , Soil Erosion, And Other Activities		
Improve Understanding Of Natural Resources, Environmental,	517	77.8
Economic, And Social Impacts Of Changing Climate And Energy		
Needs		
ASSIST COMMUNITIES IN BECOMING SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIE	ENT TO THE U	JNCERTAINTIES OF
ECONOMICS, WEATHER, HEALTH, AND SECURITY		
Grow Communities' Capacity To Identify And Meet Local Needs	551	83.0
Improve Participation Of Children, Youth, And Adults In The Life	619	93.2
Of The Community		
Enhance Community Leadership And Entrepreneurship	580 541	87.3
Help Residents, Organizations, And Communities Identify		81.5
Opportunities For Partnerships		
Partner With Communities To Facilitate Preparation For,	564	84.9
Response To, And Recovery From Emergencies And Disasters		
CREATE OPPORTUNITIES AND SUPPORT PEOPLE IN KANSAS TO I	MPROVE TH	EIR PHYSICAL,
MENTAL, AND EMOTIONAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING	ı	
Build Capacity Of People To Optimize Their Personal Health And	554	83.4
Well-Being And To Avoid Or Manage Chronic Health Conditions		
Promote Healthy Eating And Physical Activity In Children, Youth,	613	92.4
And Adults		
Empower Individuals And Families To Adapt To Changes	539	81.1
Associated With The Aging Process		
Connect Individuals And Families To Mental And Emotional Support Systems And Resources	505	76.0