Compilation of Business Owner's Written Comments from Online Survey

21 Responses to survey. Not all respondents provided written comments and others provided comments on multiple topics.

1. Economic:

- a. Growth is essential to businesses in Polk City(1)
- b. Not in favor of tax breaks for new businesses (1)
- c. Future is bright for long-term growth for businesses (1)
- 2. Municipal Facilities/Infrastructure/Services
 - a. Would like option of mail delivery directly to business instead of P.O.Box (1)
 - b. Do not want DART. (1)
 - c. Need more signage to address all city has to offer (1)
- 3. Growth/Development
 - a. Businesses:
 - i. City should use in-town businesses whenever possible (1)
 - ii. Need affordable business sites (1)
 - iii. Want to see the City Square thriving with unique businesses (1)
 - iv. Want to see more entertainment, recreational, and professional businesses (1)
 - b. Residential:
 - i. Would like to see assisted living complex (1)
 - ii. No low-income housing (1)
 - c. School
 - i. Advocate for school facilities to be constructed within Polk City (1)
 - ii. Concern that high school not in town is counter to attracting new businesses (1)
- 4. Environment
 - a. Concern regarding trees and wildlife habitat lost due to development (1)