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<b>Fort Erie</b>							
Stevensville & Crystal Beach	38	<b>44.44%</b>	<b>25.00%</b>	5.56%	5.56%	5.56%	<b>25.00%</b>
Ridgeway	62	24.59%	8.20%	6.56%	<b>10.17%</b>	6.67%	13.11%
Fort Erie North & Fort Erie Lakeshore	73	<b>38.71%</b>	<b>27.42%</b>	<b>14.52%</b>	<b>16.13%</b>	<b>12.90%</b>	14.52%
Crescent Park & Surrounding Area	37	<b>29.41%</b>	11.76%	2.94%	5.88%	8.82%	<b>17.65%</b>
<b>Grimsby</b>							
Grimsby Mountain, Casablanca Area & Downtown	40	17.95%	7.69%	2.56%	7.69%	2.56%	5.13%
Grimsby Lakeside, Grimsby Beach & Nelles Park Road Area	71	21.43%	10.00%	7.14%	8.57%	5.71%	11.43%
	47	14.89%	8.51%	6.38%	4.26%	6.38%	6.38%
<b>Lincoln</b>							
North Beamsville & Vineland/Jordan	101	<b>32.65%</b>	<b>17.35%</b>	<b>12.24%</b>	9.18%	<b>18.37%</b>	15.31%
South Beamsville	37	25.71%	8.57%	<b>17.14%</b>	<b>11.43%</b>	11.43%	5.71%
Campden/Tintern	122	<b>30.70%</b>	<b>18.58%</b>	8.77%	<b>11.50%</b>	11.40%	12.28%

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<b>Niagara Falls</b>							
Stamford	150	24.48%	11.89%	6.99%	4.20%	7.69%	<b>16.78%</b>
Elgin	78	<b>40.79%</b>	<b>23.68%</b>	<b>19.74%</b>	<b>13.16%</b>	<b>15.79%</b>	<b>25.00%</b>
Drummond/Victoria	145	<b>32.17%</b>	<b>14.69%</b>	<b>9.79%</b>	<b>13.29%</b>	<b>14.69%</b>	15.38%
Chippawa/Rural	65	21.54%	13.85%	4.62%	6.15%	4.62%	10.77%
Westlane	95	21.11%	10.00%	4.44%	4.44%	3.33%	12.22%
Beaverdams	101	24.49%	2.04%	<b>10.20%</b>	<b>11.34%</b>	6.12%	14.29%
<b>Niagara-on-the-Lake</b>							
Old Town, Queenston/St. Davids, Virgil & Glendale	78	<b>31.17%</b>	12.99%	<b>14.29%</b>	<b>12.99%</b>	<b>12.99%</b>	14.29%
<b>Port Colborne</b>							
Sugarloaf	34	<b>27.27%</b>	3.03%	6.06%	9.38%	0.00%	<b>24.24%</b>
Three Bridges	35	<b>37.93%</b>	<b>17.24%</b>	<b>20.69%</b>	<b>20.69%</b>	<b>13.79%</b>	13.79%
Stonebridge & Bethel/Gasline/Sherkston	42	<b>27.03%</b>	<b>18.92%</b>	5.41%	<b>10.81%</b>	10.81%	<b>18.92%</b>

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<b>Pelham</b>							
North Pelham/Effingham/Fenwick & South Pelham/Fenwick/Ridgeville	46	<b>30.43%</b>	13.04%	2.17%	<b>10.87%</b>	<b>17.39%</b>	6.52%
Pelham-North Fonthill	37	19.44%	<b>16.67%</b>	5.56%	2.86%	5.56%	13.89%
Pelham-South Fonthill	38	14.29%	11.43%	2.86%	<b>11.43%</b>	2.86%	0.00%
<b>St. Catharines</b>							
Louth, Port Dalhousie & Lakeshore	55	<b>25.93%</b>	11.32%	7.41%	9.43%	3.70%	<b>18.52%</b>
The Haig	97	<b>45.26%</b>	13.68%	<b>15.79%</b>	<b>20.00%</b>	<b>24.47%</b>	<b>28.42%</b>
Fairview	65	23.81%	12.70%	0.00%	0.00%	4.76%	<b>19.05%</b>
Facer	45	<b>27.91%</b>	<b>18.60%</b>	2.33%	2.33%	6.98%	<b>20.93%</b>
Carlton/Bunting	46	<b>26.09%</b>	<b>15.22%</b>	<b>13.04%</b>	6.52%	<b>17.39%</b>	<b>21.74%</b>
Grantham East	49	<b>37.50%</b>	13.04%	8.33%	8.33%	<b>16.67%</b>	<b>27.08%</b>
Grantham West	47	<b>34.78%</b>	8.70%	<b>13.04%</b>	<b>17.39%</b>	<b>19.57%</b>	15.22%
Lakeport	53	22.00%	12.00%	8.00%	8.00%	8.00%	14.00%
Port Weller	38	21.62%	8.11%	0.00%	2.70%	<b>13.51%</b>	13.51%
Martindale	41	24.39%	7.32%	4.88%	5.26%	9.76%	14.63%
New Western Hill	80	20.00%	6.67%	1.33%	6.15%	6.67%	6.67%
Old Western Hill	52	<b>40.38%</b>	<b>15.38%</b>	<b>13.46%</b>	<b>17.78%</b>	<b>25.00%</b>	13.46%
Glenridge & Brock	35	20.83%	0.00%	8.33%	<b>12.50%</b>	8.33%	<b>16.67%</b>
Merritton	111	<b>35.24%</b>	<b>19.05%</b>	<b>11.43%</b>	9.52%	<b>17.14%</b>	<b>19.05%</b>
Queenston & Downtown	96	<b>45.98%</b>	<b>18.39%</b>	<b>9.20%</b>	<b>13.79%</b>	<b>20.69%</b>	<b>27.59%</b>

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<b>Thorold</b>							
Thorold South /Allanburg/Port Robinson East & Port Robinson West/St John's/Rural	36	21.21%	9.09%	6.06%	6.06%	9.09%	9.09%
Thorold Proper	60	<b>47.37%</b>	<b>33.33%</b>	<b>14.04%</b>	<b>14.04%</b>	<b>28.07%</b>	<b>22.81%</b>
Confederation Heights/Beaverdams	40	<b>27.03%</b>	11.11%	2.70%	<b>16.22%</b>	<b>13.51%</b>	13.51%
<b>Welland</b>							
Rural Welland/Cooks Mills & Ontario Rd/Dain City	39	<b>42.11%</b>	<b>23.68%</b>	<b>13.16%</b>	<b>10.53%</b>	<b>15.79%</b>	<b>28.95%</b>
Woodlawn & Niagara College	48	<b>32.61%</b>	10.87%	<b>15.22%</b>	<b>17.39%</b>	10.87%	<b>17.39%</b>
Estdale & Market Square	42	23.68%	<b>21.05%</b>	2.63%	2.63%	7.89%	15.79%
Cordage & West Main	50	<b>48.89%</b>	<b>36.36%</b>	<b>15.56%</b>	<b>20.00%</b>	8.89%	<b>31.11%</b>
Welland South & South Pelham	54	<b>38.00%</b>	<b>30.61%</b>	<b>12.00%</b>	<b>16.00%</b>	10.00%	<b>18.00%</b>
Chippawa Park area	35	17.14%	8.57%	<b>11.43%</b>	<b>11.43%</b>	2.94%	11.43%
Seaway Mall area	50	<b>26.09%</b>	4.35%	<b>13.04%</b>	<b>15.22%</b>	10.87%	10.87%
<b>Wainfleet</b>							
Wainfleet	33	23.33%	10.00%	6.67%	6.67%	<b>13.33%</b>	<b>16.67%</b>
<b>West Lincoln</b>							
South Grimsby, Caistor & Gainsborough	45	25.00%	6.82%	0.00%	4.65%	6.82%	15.91%

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