

Why do you think chickens should be allowed on residential properties?	Why do you think backyard chickens should not be allowed on residential properties?	Why are you interested in being permitted to keep chickens on your residential property?	Please describe your concerns	If yes, do you have any concerns with..... (select all that apply)	1 - Highest Importance	2 - Important	3 - Important	4 - Medium Importance	5 - Medium Importance	6 - Lower Importance	7 - Lower Importance	8 - Least Important	Are there any other comments you wish to provide?	
	Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets		Noise, smell, proximity to open field and forest which could bring predators, sanitary and health concerns for all in the neighbourhood. My neighbours already keep dogs in an enclosure right next to my house so I already face noise, property standards, and animal welfare concerns and don't need to add another species to the list.		Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size		Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
	May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents		who will pay to protect my property and house from rats and mice migrating to my yard and house. previous neighbors refused to help with my mice over flow issues		Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards		Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	
	Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets,Other (please specify in comments)		As a farmer in the local area , we have seen a rise of avian flu. This threatens our lively hood.		Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens			Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards
	Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents			Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours		Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	chickens are meant to be on farms in the country not in urban areas
	Noise,Smell,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents		Smell, chicken manure disposal, enforcement of regulations		Cleanliness standards			Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	

Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	Noise, smell, attract predators/rodents, and wandering off their property onto my property or onto the road	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Who is enforcing this should it occur?
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	They are dirty. My dog will be constantly at the fence trying to get them.		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Please do not allow this. My neighbour had checkers and roosters when we first moved in to our subdivision and the rooster would go off all day and all night- waking up the whole neighborhood. We couldn't sleep with our windows open due to the noise. The chickens were free range and were constantly getting in our yard.
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets,Other (please specify in comments)	Not within village limits. It would attract more rats and other animals looking for food . Definitely Not		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Why would you create such a mess to monitor and control. Chicken's belong on a farm
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	It would attract rodents or other small animals and brings in more risk of sickness to people/pets. They belong out in the country!!		Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	No chickens (hens and/or roosters). Risk of sickness for 1 and 2, we have WAY too many dogs that escape and run the street. You want chickens, move out of "town".
Noise,Smell,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	Noise, smell, attraction of predators, unsightly chicken coops., etc.....	Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	The potential impact on the property value and neighbours ability to enjoy their own property must be of the highest consideration.

Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	...all the reasons previously mentioned. Smell, noise, predators, sanitary.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Don't do it. This isn't as farm. There are too many "Critters" around as it is. Before you "think"(too late) of doing it, stand/sit downwind of a chicken farm for an hour...especially on a hot day, you won't last long. Trying to attract folks to Rodney, not chase them away. There is a lot of Ammonia in chicken crap! ANYONE with allergies/fragrance issues are going to be going to a hospital. I know there are Coyotes in town already...sure...serve them dinner....and with them even closer, young kids and family pets will be in more danger. There are folks in Rodney now that don't pick up the dog crap their own dog leaves on other folks properties. There are WAYYY too many cats wandering around crapping in gardens and killing wildlife already. Ferel and owned.	
Noise,Smell,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	I really don't want to listen to roosters and if the person owning the chickens doesn't clean the coop I don't want to smell them either		Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I feel if you have a big enough property. And not immediately in town then maybe you can have chickens but if you were in a subdivision, I do not agree with it.	
Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	They bring rodents We already have coyote issues, these backyard chicken setups attract more!!		Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	No Nooooo to chickens within city limits!!
Noise,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	I back onto tracks, we have foxes, minks and muskrats among all the other wildlife, they do not need to be fed chickens because most people do not protect them correctly and they can't even look after their pets, they won't look after chickens	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Again, people are NOT responsible for this to be a free for all. If it goes through, they must be monitored. I would think it should only be for larger lots on the outside areas. Also, would we be getting back a local animal control person to monitor all this?	

Noise,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets			Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Chickens belong on farms and rural properties....not in the town!
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	https://www.publichealthontario.ca/en/About/News/2017/Cuddling-Chickens		Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I could be mistaken but the village is not zoned for farming. We already have enough problems with people that aren't responsible enough to keep their pets contained, we all see fb messages about it daily. Chicken feces can make humans very sick. Chickens should be kept properly on a farm where they belong. https://wsava.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/Clinician-s-Brief-March-2018-TP-Backyard-Chickens.pdf
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	Not appropriate for in the village. If I wanted to live next to livestock I would have moved to the country. I do NOT want chickens next door.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Again simply inappropriate for in the village. I don't want chickens anywhere near my house, plain and simple. Those wishing to raise livestock should consider moving to the country.
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	I would not like a smelly chicken coop next to my property. Everything listed above is true, plus decreases property value. Neighbour hood dogs bark alot with chickens nearby.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	The council struggles to enforce current rules for Rodney. I do not believe that council would/will enforce rules about chickens in town. Chickens belong outside town limits. They are a farm animal, not a town backyard animal..
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	Smell, noise, safety in light of bird flu. People that cannot keep a property clean and organized are not likely to keep chickens in a clean environment. If you want to keep livestock move out of towns.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Absolutely absurd that this is even being considered. In light of much of local low property standards I do not believe that town people are capable of maintaining high standards of conditions to keep livestock. This will affect local property prices. Housing prices will be lowered if it is allowed.
May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents			Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	

<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets</p> <p>Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets</p>	<p>Noise, smell, general disruption to the peace and quiet I enjoy.</p> <p>Pests and predators</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p> <p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p> <p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p> <p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p> <p>Lot size</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Lot size</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p> <p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Please don't allow this. I have zero interest in having chickens in my neighborhood.</p> <p>Chickens do not belong in residential areas. They belong only in the country</p>
<p>Noise,Smell,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets</p>	<p>An in town residence is not the place for chickens. I think there should be restrictions based on yard size and distance from neighbours. Noise and smell will result in unhappy neighbours and complaints to the municipality.</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Lot size</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Bad idea!</p>
<p>May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Other (please specify in comments)</p> <p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets</p>	<p>Pests and predators</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Lot size</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>My biggest concern is the threat of disease to commercial producers in the area. Commercial producers are required to abide by strict biosecurity regulations. With Avian Flu as a genuine concern, allowing anyone and everyone to have backyard chickens poses a risk to producers with commercial flocks. There should be regulations in place to protect existing commercial growers and allow for minimum distances and strict fencing requirements to stop the travel of roaming birds.</p>
<p>Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents</p>	<p>We already have a neighbour with unlimited cats and filth which attract rodents and the municipality ignores those complaints. More filth is not needed</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Ridiculous idea. Cows pigs and sheep next in town ?</p>
<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents</p>	<p>With the abundance of chicken farmers locally, the need for residential or backyard chickens is not necessary. Not to mention the issues it will cause, greatly outweigh the benefits in my opinion.</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Overall I believe the negatives outweigh the positives for approving backyard chickens. The issues it will cause is not worth it in my opinion. Thank you for allowing us the input for this matter.</p>

<p>Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets,Other (please specify in comments)</p>	<p>1. Major health issues - H1N1 Avian Flu - there is now a new strain which has transmitted to human.(fact)</p> <p>2. The strong stench of amonia from chicken droppings.(fact)</p> <p>3. Trespassing neighbour pets eating chicken manure. (fact)</p> <p>3a. Trespassing chickens to a next door neighbour digging & scratching their flower beds/gardens/eating their herbs.</p> <p>4. Chickens should be on a farm.</p> <p>5. We are not a Third World Country-YET!</p> <p>6. Chickens are not pets</p>	<p>Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>If people have such a great difficulty keeping their pets at home, how will they manage caring for their "free ranging" chickens?</p> <p>Chickens do fly unless the wings are clipped.</p> <p>We reside on a farm. Chicken and livestock are made for a farm not an urban area.</p>
<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets</p>	<p>I think chickens should be in the country! The noise will be annoying.</p> <p>If they escape their pens, not only do we already have a BIG PROBLEM with dog poop on the sidewalks and lawns of people that do not have dogs, is a BIG CONCERN!!!</p> <p>SO, as to chickens, if they get out, then people will be walking in their poop which is discussting to say the least.</p> <p>KEEP THE CHICKENS IN THE COUNTRY!!!!</p> <p>IF THESE PEOPLE WANT FREE RANGE CHICKENS, THEN PURCHASE YOUR EGGS FROM SOMEBODY IN THE COUNTRY THAT HAS THEM FOR SALE.</p>			<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>THE PREVIOUS QUESTION IS CONFUSING.</p>


<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets,Other (please specify in comments)</p>	<p>Pest infestations, rodents; Contamination/hygiene/public health (salmonellosis, campylobacteriosis, chlamydoophilosis, avian influenza, parasites, etc); Waste management; Attraction of predators into the community; Animal welfare/safety; Neighborhood disagreements and interpersonal conflicts; Noise, and impact to quality of living; Odor management; Does the municipality even have the capacity/resources to manage, inspect, enforce bylaws/infractions/complaints/risks to public, etc? Curious as to why a developing community would explore a regressive vs. progressive action such as barnyard animals into a growing community?</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>What informed conversations, research and community input was considered before introducing this particular idea? Is this a *necessary action for a developing community? How might this impact real-estate and property values should the town have widespread chicken coops on every property? Has the gravity of responsibility and municipality obligations been addressed in relation to this suggestion? How might this action impact neighborhood relationships? Community cohesion? Local farms who rely on small sales of livestock. Witnessing the clean, vibrant growth of Dutton vs. the out-of-touch growth observed in West Lorne is shocking. If one desires to raise barnyard animals, perhaps do not reside in a developing, family oriented community.</p>
<p>Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents</p>	<p>There is chickens all ready in town has well as rosters you hear everyday</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>NO CHICKENS MOVE TO THE COUNTRY</p>
<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents</p>	<p>I would flat out MOVE 1. Clucking noise 2. Odor - strong smell of chicken manure if not maintained properly. 3. Chickens attract predators and pests which in turn could pose a threat to small pets and children. 4. Chicken can carry diseases that can be easily transmitted to humans.</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	
<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents</p>	<p>Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>It's quite upsetting that a municipality facing financial constraints and unable to address urgent critical infrastructure needs is considering backyard chickens. Is this the right time?</p>

<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets,Other (please specify in comments)</p>	<p>Property values: Some people may argue that having chickens in the city can decrease property values, as potential buyers may be put off by the smell, noise, and other concerns associated with urban chicken-keeping.</p> <p>Health concerns: Chickens can carry diseases such as salmonella, which can be transmitted to humans. This can be a particular concern in areas where there is a high population density.</p> <p>Pests and Waste Management: The presence of chickens can attract pests like rats and mice. Additionally, managing chicken waste effectively in a small backyard can be difficult.</p> <p>Abandonment or Killing of Chickens: Some chicken owners may become overwhelmed by the care requirements and abandon their chickens or resort to slaughtering them without proper oversight.</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p> <p>Size of coop and run area</p> <p>Hens only - no roosters</p> <p>Lot size</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p> <p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Lot size</p>	<p>Cost: There can be significant costs associated with setting up and maintaining a proper chicken coop, purchasing feed, and providing veterinary care. Not sure if it makes any economic sense to have a few chickens in the yard once you add up all the costs involved...</p>
<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents</p>	<p>Believe chickens should be at a farm and not in town. They could get out and be on other people's property. Some people that live in town might not know how to look after chickens i.e. keeping the pen clean, feeding and watering properly, I am not even in favor of cats being allowed to wander on other people's property. I have to clean up cat poop and I don't own a cat. If you have any kind of animal you should look after it. Therefore some people would get chickens as it would be interesting but not take care of them properly. Also the smell that could be an issue. Sorry feel chickens should not be in a town.</p> <p>People seem to have enough to look after without having chickens as well.</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p> <p>Cleanliness standards</p>	

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Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	Noise, smell, vermin	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I worry about property values declining and/or difficulty in selling.
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets,Other (please specify in comments)	Bird flu . Our dog got bird flu in london because our neighbor was burying bird stuff in his garden he was bring home from Cuddys plant were he worked. The dog had to be put down in the end as he was suffering. This is one reason we moved to West Lorne. People can not even clean up there dog#### . Lived here now 11 years. Love it here would not want to move again. Thank you for participating.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Please do not allow. Nephew in Sarnia has chickens in back yard and his yard is disgusting. Smell noise. Now he is posting all the new chicks beeing born. Birds contract to many viruses and diseases . Our vet recommended not take dogs to the beach because of the bird droppings. After covid we do not need the bird flu or any other diseases to spread. Please say not to having chickens.
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Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	I am against backyard chickens in Residential areas for all the reasons in the survey. There are many local farmers who offer eggs at a reasonable price. I can't see the cost of setting up a coop and feeding the chickens being offset by savings on eggs for a very long time.
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	As well as the concerns mentioned above, I think you'd have a hard time selling your property if your neighbours had them!		Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Chickens belong on a farm in the country
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	Noise Smell Sanitary/health May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area		
Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	They are not farmers and they do not know what to do for diseases or other predators like coons		Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	The feises attracts coyotes skunks groundhogs etc so how do u deal with this shoot them? Not in town u dont so now what
Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	I truly think that we dealt with this issue before! This would open a whole new can of worms to even have an option The rodents and wildlife this would create is something we should want to stay away from period! Every neighbour should have a say if their neighbour ends up with any fowl in their community and neighbourhood	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Answering the last few questions aren't giving people an option of Yes or No sounds like it's a go ahead and choose what you think Why ask people if they agree if your also saying which of the following are your concerns I don't agree with having any chickens around my neighborhood which I fought at counsel several years ago because 3 neighbours had them which after my family has lived in the same house for over 80 yrs. There is a bylaw in place No animals in town limits which now you what to change All I will say if the chickens are allowed I HOPE you get them in your neighborhood!
Noise,Smell,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	There are enough coyotes in town now, we dont need anymore.	Noise and odor,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards		

Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets	<p>-Not enough room for them</p> <p>-spread Diseases to pets</p> <p>- bring unwanted animals to the area (mice,snakes ect)</p> <p>-noisemakers expressly roasters</p>	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	<p>I have 2 houses on my street that have chickens and roaster. They are quite noisy and have brought lots of snakes and mice to the area and im worried if they have enough space.</p> <p>There should be a limit to how many you can on your property.</p>
	<p>We should not have chickens in town. People live right next to one another. I dont know how you could have chickens without affecting the people around you. I have a dog i cannot let outside in my fenced backyard because my neighbours have 4 chickens and a rooster. My big bull mastiff is confined to a 10x10 kennel because he goes bezerk when he goes outside and a rooster starts contesting him through the fence.</p> <p>They stink, they wake me up in the morning, and they attract coyotes and foxes to our property.</p> <p>My neighbours house is 10 ft away from mine, the chicken coop is 25 ft away from my house. Its disgusting.</p> <p>Since i have moved to rodney it has been an inconvenience to say the least. Please do not allow people to keep farm animals in there urban backyards.</p>		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	<p>Me neighbours already have chickens and a rooster.</p> <p>Its 25 ft away from my house, i can clearly see, smell, and hear them from my property.</p> <p>They have been nothing but a nuisance.</p> <p>Please dont allow this in our municipality.</p>
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Other (please specify in comments)		Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents		Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Noise,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	Noise and odor,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	

<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets,Other (please specify in comments)</p>	<p>Noise Smell Sanitary/health May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets Other (please specify in comments)</p>	<p>No concerns</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>This is not a good idea, can you imagine we have trouble containing dogs and there is an overwhelming number of cats running loose. Now they end up in the coop killing chickens and do people understand that chickens can fly.....</p> <p>Stupid decision - I believe, as do others, that this is because of one council member that wants them at their own home that is currently not agricultural. If that is so then move to where you can and stop trying to change our town.</p> <p>There are other needs and wants in our community that should take higher preferences over chickens..... not to mention you are taking business from our local grocery store - which everyone wanted. Now you are not shopping there because you have meat and eggs and vegetables please, what's next?! </p>
<p>Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets</p>	<p>Same as above. Noise, predators, smell etc.</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>I would not like to have chickens next door to me. Nor would I ever want to have any chickens in my yard. I definitely feel very strongly against backyard chickens!</p> <p>I don't think they should be allowed within town limits. Property size of 3 acres or bigger.</p>
<p>Smell,Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets</p>	<p>I had neighbors already with 4 pet pigs in residential subdivision. The smell, flies, and rats were ridiculous. We could not sit outside and enjoy our backyard. I do not want to re-live this experience now with chickens. If you want chickens then purchase small acreage lot outside of residential area-in country.</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>I live in a subdivision, if I wanted agricultural animals near my house I'd live in country! I do not want smell of chickens near my home</p>
<p>Noise,Smell,Sanitary/health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents</p>	<p>Roosters are noisy and so are Guinea hens, which one neighbour already has and there screech all day is annoying. I was raised on a small farm, chickens smell and attract predators.</p>	<p>Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>I think people would start out with chickens, then add other annoying birds like Guinea hens. I consider chickens as farm animals and should be in rural areas</p>

Noise,Smell,Sanitary/ health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	Lower property values . Smell Noise	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	I can't believe anyone would want to buy a property next to a chicken coop.
Smell,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents		Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	I choose to live in an urban area due to fact farm animals aren't close to my property.
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/ health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	Noise smell attracting predators and lowering value of my home	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/ health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area		
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/ health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Noise,Smell,Sanitary/ health,May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents,Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	

I like the idea of people raising their own chickens in their backyards, however, there should be more awareness in the community regarding the increased biosecurity risk it creates for the chicken farmers in the community.

If any viral disease is identified among backyard chickens, it can affect the health and well being of the chickens in the surrounding area. Farm chickens are in a controlled environment under strict regulations. Not only could birds get sick on a large scale if exposed, it could also prevent them from being shipped and processed, simply by being within a certain distance of the identified virus.

For example: In Ontario, the Avian Metapneumovirus (aMPV) is on the rise. This is a highly contagious disease and can spread between all poultry species. Rises in diseases like these means that poultry farms run under heightened biosecurity protocols. We cannot expect owners of backyard chickens to follow the same type of procedures, but it does put the farmer and their livelihood at an increased risk

Property maintenance (they're dirty animals) and also brings down the value of the neighbourhood visually

Can be smelly

Animal illness

Attracting other wildlife because of their feed and size, Noise and odor, Pests and predators, Neighbour relations

Bothering other animals on the opposite side of the fence

Restrictions on the number of chickens, Coop placement and size, Noise and odor, Pests and predators, Neighbour relations

Noise and odor, Pests and predators

Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard

Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

Size of coop and run area

Cleanliness standards

Lot size

Hens only - no roosters

Minimum distance and visibility from other houses

Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours

Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

There are people in Rodney that have backyard chickens...whether this surgery makes it allowed or not, someone should be monitoring these chickens.

Please make sure that if backyard chickens become permitted, that people make an educated decision. The municipality should provide information on animal welfare and biosecurity to protect the health of the birds within the backyard and the community. <https://smallflockontario.ca/>

Other (please specify in comments)

Smell, Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents
Noise, Smell, Sanitary/health, May attract predators', wildlife and/or rodents, Bother/Threat to domestic animals/pets

Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours

Minimum distance and visibility from other houses

Cleanliness standards

Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard

Lot size

Size of coop and run area

Hens only - no roosters

Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

4th street, 2nd house south of Queen st on east side has chickens

We used to live directly in the town of West Lorne. Our neighbours across the street had backyard chickens. They did not keep it clean and the smell was awful from across the street. They were very noisy too. Once the chickens showed up, so did rats in the area. Another neighbour actually moved because they could no longer sit out in their backyard from the smell. We now live on Graham Rd outside of town where the properties are larger. Our neighbours have chickens. Sometimes they'll even wander into our yard. They're fun to watch and we can't smell their coop. I think it depends on the circumstances. In town neighbours were awful and I would have loved the chickens gone. Out of town neighbours were great and we didn't mind it at all.

Restrictions on the number of chickens, Coop placement and size, Noise and odor, Space requirements, Pests and predators, Neighbour relations

Cleanliness standards

Hens only - no roosters

Minimum distance and visibility from other houses

Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours

Lot size

Size of coop and run area

Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard

Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

See previous comment

Restrictions on the number of chickens, Coop placement and size, Noise and odor, Space requirements

Hens only - no roosters

Hens only - no roosters

Size of coop and run area

Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard

Cleanliness standards

Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours

Lot size

Minimum distance and visibility from other houses

Hens only - no roosters

Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard

Cleanliness standards

Size of coop and run area

Minimum distance and visibility from other houses

Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours

Lot size

Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

I am not a local farm on which chickens are raised, but I strongly believe that local farm families that DO raise chickens, should make their concerns made public for all to hear/ read, before we non-farmers start making uninformed decisions. I've heard of disease being spread among the chicken population more readily, if smaller operations are not regulated. We have several farm families in the area who depend on their chicken barns for family incomes.

Cleanliness standards

Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

Size of coop and run area

Lot size

Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours

Minimum distance and visibility from other houses

Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard

Hens only - no roosters

I really don't have a problem with people wanting Chickens, however the owners need to be just as responsible as they would be with dogs and Cats. Hopefully our by-law officers will keep a firm grip on cleanliness and holding owners accountable for their actions or lack of action. Our social media pages are inundated with loose dogs and or lost cats on a regular bases so meh why not chickens too lol.

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Reduce food scrap waste	Noise and odor	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	If residents want chickens let them have them. Food is so expensive and if we can help offset those costs why would we say no
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Self-reliant living		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	The amount of chickens, the smell, where waste will be go I do not want a pile of manure on the other side of my fence	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	My biggest issue would be smell, where the manue would be kept and how it would be disposed of

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Reduce kitchen waste, learning opportunities for children, eggs	Noise and odor	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Within residential areas chickens are great! No roosters as they can be loud.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	West Elgin is comprised of farming communities. It aligns with the community standards we have built and helps support families in times of high cost of living. It will also help with the tick population as well as be a valuable learning experience for children.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	If large cities like Montreal, Brampton, Kingston, Niagara Falls, Kitchener & Guelph can do it, small famin communities in West Elgin sure can!
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	See your prior question	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	A part of rural living	Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Children learning self sustainability	No concerns	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	This needs to be allowed with rising food costs. This as well is a great hobby many families can partake in.
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	They are fun, easy to take care of pets and provide vital pest control and food to feed your family.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	The right to own non-disruptive, food producing animals is of vital importance to society and must be protected at all costs. It is a necessity for humanity as a whole to progress towards a more sustainable future.

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To have food and to teach my children		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Less government oversight.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs, teaching my kids responsibility and respect for animals and life		Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To have eggs living is expensive		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Love animals, good learning for my child	Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Educating kids, fresh eggs, help keep the ticks down.		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Let people have chickens
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To cut down on grocery costs.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	a more sustainable lifestyle, and educational for young children	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To get eggs	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Because we like the idea of a sustainable lifestyle	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Chickens are excellent to have as producing chickens offer some economic relief for rising food costs. They are also a great tool to teach young children in the household about animal care and the importance of our role in ensuring a diverse and sis ecosystem for future generations.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	It is understandable that there are concerns with backyard chicken when it comes to cleanliness and disease control, and often it is ruined by the few 'bad apples' in a community. However the development of a clean east to understand bylaw with cleanliness standards to ensure a healthy animal and proper enforcement by the municipality, then backyard chickens should be definitely allowed.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food, life skills for my children	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	They provide eggs and meat. What more can you ask for? Food prices are every increasing. This way you can count on a meal, entertainment and you know where your food comes from. It used to be the norm, it should be again.	Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	People don't need to be governed over their animals. If it's a dirty hording situation, then yes there needs to intervention. However, keeping chickens shouldn't be a big deal. Especially in a rural town like Rodney.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Provides some food stability and diverts a lot from waste cycle		Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs, eat the ticks abd other bugs, good for soil	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Noise and odor	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Main concern is no roosters. 6-8 is a good number. Maybe a small fee for a permit, saying you agree to X, Y, Z... I really appreciate the municipalities consideration and will hopefully lead our community in the right direction.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs are expensive	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	I have a big family and the eggs are better	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	We shouldnt need permission from neighbors and if you add a fee then its not helping people save money.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For consumption of eggs, collection of fertilizer, and teaching my children more about animals, responsibility, and sustainability		Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I believe having backyard chickens is something that a large portion of the community would be interested in pursuing. There is many people, including myself trying to live more sustainably in an "urban" setting and having chickens would bring many people closer to that goal. There are many benefits. I believe that as long as people are taking proper responsibility and care for the chickens, they should be permitted.
Other (please specify in comments)	Education, and sustainable lifestyle	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Would like to be able to have eggs readily available	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours		
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	A source of food and responsibilities.	I'd like people to have access to chickens in their backyard as long as they would be properly cared for and were able to be contained. Like a fenced area. I worry about the chickens running into the road.	Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For egg consumption, and teaching children.		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For a source of food (eggs)			Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I think allowed residence to have the option to backyard chickens in a great idea!
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For the purpose of having own eggs, and allowing my children and grandchildren the opportunity to learn about care of animals as well as learning a little about some self sustaining measures			Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Although I do think the backyard chickens should be registered, I am concerned about a fee (that it be too high to make it feasible). I just fear the money that may be charged and hoops required to jump through to allow property owners their right to have a small sustainable source of food will discourage people.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Better quality of food			Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable living, eggs	Noise and odor	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For the chickens` sake, I'd want something in place to make sure they were being kept safe and healthy. For my sake, I'd want things kept clean and the odours kept in check.		Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	<p>expensive to live, chickens provide us with food/protein in the form of eggs which would absolutely help with getting a healthy protein at a cheaper cost. There is also a rise in ticks in our area (and lots of bugs) in general which they will assist with by eating them. They are low maintenance and it lastly provides my children with a learning opportunity and practical life skills about responsibility, caringness towards animals, how to collect, clean and possibly cook eggs. If they raise them from eggs to laying hens, they also learn about the circle of life (and</p>	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Other (please specify in comments)	<p>For eggs, for meat, Educating my children on how to provide for themselves</p>	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	<p>When I was younger, I grew up having chickens unfortunately I'm not able to afford a house out of town so I'm unable to have chickens. It's a great way to save money. It's a great education for children. It's a great way to provide for yourself and your family. I think backyard chickens is a great wonderful as long as people can look after them and and what not.</p>
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	<p>I already do, but im zoned hobby farm</p>		Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	

Economic Reasons	To be able to have fresh eggs for my family at a low cost as food prices keep rising	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Space requirements	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Self sufficient	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Space requirements	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Not at this time.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Would love to teach my children to care for them, responsibility, collet our own eggs		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Economic Reasons	Save money	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	By having the right to have chickens, you are providing a better quality of food with no chemicals, and a great fertilizer. For gardening, if people want to have chickens they should keep the coop clean, as far as rodents, there are already rodents in west lorne. So having chickens aren't too be blamed

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Economic reasons		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For my children, to teach them about life cycles and to collect eggs.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	They can reduce compost going to landfills by up to 80%	Coop placement and size,Space requirements	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	No
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For eggs	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	It should be allowed!
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To have as pets and for eggs.	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	As long as there are no roosters, I see no problem with backyard chickens.

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Cost effective food source	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	It's time to let residents supplement their food supply with home fresh eggs and meat
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Important to restrict permission from keeping roosters due to protective nature and aggression as well as noise. If people are serious, they should apply for permission and have certain restrictions; number of chickens, proximity to reighbours, not allow chickens to wander off their property and have adequate protection from predators.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	We eat a lot of eggs and chicken.	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Economic reasons		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Availability of fresh eggs		Hens only - no roosters	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Neighbour relations	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs, education & entertainment for my kids	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	It would be a good idea to have the number of chickens allowed related to your lot size. Someone with 3 acres should be allowed more than someone with 1/4 acre.

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Tick control as chickens eat a lot of ticks while free ranging		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	The reasons I answered in the above question		Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable lifestyle, healthier choice, ability to provide more humane conditions for the animal	Space requirements	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	I answered no to this question "Should people wishing to keep backyard chickens have to apply for a special permit or license, and pay an annual licensing fee, to allow monitoring through Municipal by-laws?" I do not feel that that an annual licensing fee is necessary but this is something that should be monitored through municipal by-laws

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Subsidize the price of eggs by having my own	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	None
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Self sustainability and environmentally friendly	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Feed my family	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Éducational purposes	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	As we back onto a ravine/forest, the chickens might draw fox and coyote, other predators to the area, endangering our pets		Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Help with being self-sustainable and to help with grocery costs.		Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	During these times of uncertainty, and struggle for the middle and lower class, these types of programs not only help the individual or family but help build community. These types of programs not only provide food for the household but serve as a learning experience for our younger generations, opening the conversations between neighbors and the municipality. This is a great step to show the community that the government is listening and acting in the people's best interest. I 100% endorse this program.

Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens, Coop placement and size, Noise and odor, Space requirements, Pests and predators	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	As with anything, responsible owners should maintain high standards of good health and hygiene for the chickens that does not encourage wildlife along with safe living conditions for the chickens. Failure to provide these standards should result in forfeiting the privilege of having back yard chickens
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Coop placement and size, Noise and odor	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	No roosters There is already in by the church in town and one by the cemetery
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Organic lifestyle	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	With fair guidelines in place, people should be able to have chickens should they choose to do so.
Economic Reasons	Eggs are too expensive	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
Educational Purposes, Economic Reasons, Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Keeps food costs down.		Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Educational Purposes, Economic Reasons, Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For eggs and teaching kids about where food comes from	Restrictions on the number of chickens, Coop placement and size, Noise and odor, Space requirements	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I dont think we should do permits, but perhaps a requirement to register the flock. Without registration of the flock, it is difficult to trace the viral illnesses that potentially ravage backyard flocks and extend into commercial flocks. Perhaps a Small Flock Group could be formed and members join and register flocks and use that as a mechanism to disseminate information and get help with sick chickens, etc. We do have a West Elgin poultry group on Facebook. My other concern would be neighbour disputes over wandering cats and dogs who destroy flocks. How would that be handled/reported?

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Cheaper food		Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	to bring down the costs of eggs, meat.	No concerns	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Teach children work for food (eggs) fresh	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	No
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs!	Coop placement and size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainability, cost	Noise and odor,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	My neighbour had backyard chickens a few years ago and the rodent problem that resulted from improper food storage was awful. I think if it were done properly though there wouldn't be a problem.

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Self fed	Coop placement and size,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle											
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable lifestyle	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Reduce food scrap wastes, teach children responsibility	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Good source of food for a good price		Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	I think it would a great adoption of the bylaw amendment
											There should be a course for how to care for them properly

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle

No concerns

Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards
			Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle

I love that the municipality of West Elgin is possibly going to open up ownership of backyard chickens to their townsfolk! I live in the country, and I do sell my eggs. Financially, this means I will not make money on my eggs anymore because most of the people I sell to would run out and buy chickens pretty much the instant it becomes allowed. I do not mind in the least. It is more important for people to be able to gain a form of food security in an uncertain world! If you want to see joy, watch the face of a child holding an egg they pulled out of the nest themselves! Or cradling a baby chick in their hands.

I also hope that the municipality will allowing people to reconnect with their food supply with little to no barriers. It should not come with any more red tape, tax, or license requirements. People are already taxed and regulated to death.

Also: Please allow roosters. I have owned hens with and without a rooster, and from my experience, the hens thrive better with a rooster around. They aren't all loud and obnoxious. Please make any rules around the noise of roosters be about the NOISE of a rooster, not just the existence of a male bird. If the male is quiet and stays on the yard, why not allow them? (If they are crowing at all hours of the night, that is a different story, obviously.)

		I do think there should be bylaws in place and enforced for backyard chickens.											
		To ensure the animals are properly cared for I think there should be a maximum amount of chickens allowed per size of property, a reasonable sized chicken coop to ensure they have enough room, and to make sure that the owners have a secure fence or area so they don't roam onto other properties.											
		I believe the owners should have to apply or be approved for chicken ownership in the county and agree to be subjected to inspections to ensure quality of life for the animals. Although there will always be concerns I believe these can be handled properly. I used to work as an animal welfare inspector so I am very passionate about this subject.	Restrictions on the number of chickens, Coop placement and size, Noise and odor, Space requirements, Pests and predators, Neighbour relations	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	I believe this would have a positive impact on the community as long as guidelines and rules (bylaws) are firmly set in place and enforced.	
Educational Purposes, Economic Reasons, Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Important for kids to know where their food comes from, especially if you are growing veggies, gathering eggs etc. especially with the food prices these days	Thank you!											
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	I believe people should have the right to feed themselves		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	A plan for rodent and other predator control should be mandatory.	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses		
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Because we have 18 acres in considered residential, & we love to eat eggs!		Space requirements	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	yard	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Would be great to have, would hate to lose privilege due to rooster complaints otherwise I personally don't mind roosters, I have a larger property so far enough away from neighbors. Not sure how you would do but maybe just not a set number per household. But something about property size or how much greenspace not a fully decker or hardscaped property which I'm guessing wouldn't attract interest.	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainability	Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable life and food recycling	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Economically, educational, sustainable	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	People should have the right to grow their own food, and be able to sustain themselves without much governance from municipality or neighbours. Most people use common sense. If large cities allow this, then it should not be a problem within a rural community. After all many people had to deal with horse manure smell at the fairground barns and no one was given a choice for many, many years.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	for education	No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Space requirements	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	My own eggs from chickens that i know are heathy & fed natural & well	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food is so expensive and its good education for our children. These kinds of opportunities are why we dont live in the city.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	If we wanted to live with city restrictions, we would move to the city. Please allow backyard chickens and all things rural.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	I like to know where my food come from and it would be a great experience for the younger generation to learn about livestock and responsibility	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate neighbors is absurd, it's our property. If this is required then it should be a requirement in our community to keep a clean yard and that is not inforced. I would love to have chickens and think it's a great idea.
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	I see no issues with neighbours having chickens. I prefer no roosters. It is a good idea with the price of eggs. It would bea good learning experience for children.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Fresh eggs and bug control, and to educate my children on raising chickens	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Economic reasons, eco friendly	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	NO ROOSTERS
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of immediate and/or abutting neighbours	

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Having backyard chickens could be done successfully without making it too restrictive by imposing fees, and a complexity of regulations, Limiting the size of the flock to something that would be reasonable for a family to get eggs to supplement their family's food source would be reasonable. Having them in some type of enclosure and run so that they are free to move but not roam on other people's property. Implement some basic regulations re: size and a complaint mechanism that would have a matrix to measure whether the complaint is viable or not would be helpful. Unfortunatley everyone imposes their own judgements but a matrix to demonstrate and report the outcome of the complaint would be beneficial. Written complaints required (dictation available for those that have a challenge with the written word) and a written response required.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Used to have chickens when live on farm outside London, miss the eggs and responsibilities for my children to do chores		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Raising chickens allows residents to provide food for themselves. Lowers carbon footprints by producing local food. This is a rural area community which values rural values which should be honoured.	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Chicken keeping should be allowed within Rodney. It promotes self reliance, education for young and this new to the hobby. It has the lowest carbon footprint for food. It boosts the local economy by way of trade and allows elderly residents to provide food for themselves while keeping active.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Space requirements	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	With prices the way they are and there is no harm!	I would only recommend no roosters! The hens aren't as noisy but I could see an issue with roosters and the crowing early in morning	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	I had to stop keeping chickens when the bylaw was passed. Along with all of the economic benefits (eggs, meat, fertilizer ECT...), chickens keep bugs under control in your yard. They eat mosquitoes and even ticks. They guard your garden from rodents and will chase squirrels and even rabbits. They also make excellent pets.		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	A good source of food (eggs and later on meat) for my family	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I truly believe this could help individual family's out as well as a community as a whole with local and fresh food as well help keep pests down in own lots ,
	Because it's my right to support and feed myself, So I see no reason why I shouldn't.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Noise and odor	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I believe every resident should have the right to have up to six chickens because as much as I believe we do have the right to care for our selves and provide for our selves to live a healthy life. Things are crazy expensive, and I believe people will resort more to be self sufficient , well as much as possible anyways, Based on peoples living and survival skills. Because I believe everyone should have the space for your home to have your families own hobby farm , that way you can sustain much better. But the new house lot sizes are not near big enough. But I think depending on lot sizes and living situations, do you own or rent. What kind of style unit do you live in kind of deal. So I believe there should be stipulations . But for a small country town like West Lorne all the residents should almost be eligible for six hens anyways....
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To eat the eggs	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Lot size	Lot size
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	No
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs and to eat bugs		Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To raise our own meat and eggs	No concerns	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Reduction in food waste sent to landfill, ability to know where food comes from, sustainability, educational purposes	No concerns	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Studies has proven backyard chickens to effectively manage household waste as food scraps can be given most times directly to poultry. Small flock sizes (4-10) are generally healthier and given proper coop and run sizes are easier to manage. Backyard chickens are beneficial to communities.
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Fresh eggs gives a more farmy home feel Sustainable living and educational for children.	No concerns	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Teach my children responsibility & for eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Needs to be a limit on how many chickens and no roasters.		Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	they attract rats	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Pests and predators	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	They are an enjoyable pet with eggs that dont even compare to the grocery store. The manure can be managed easily and they are great composters	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Chickens are a great addition to a household. I had them growing up, as well as into my twenties and only have positive things to say about them (though if you ask my Mom, she couldnt stand them in her gardens digging everything up...she replanted one garden four times...) No roosters is a big one and you cant get better eggs!	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs. And pest control	Noise and odor		Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	It would be nice to allow other small animals like goats or sheep to help control mosquito and ticks
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food security/quality	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		The only objections will be from factory eggs "farmer"
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of chickens are contained within the yard		
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	We can be in control of how our chickens are fed, multi purpose animal.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses		
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Locations of chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours		

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainability	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To have fresh eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For egg production	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	I feel it's a great idea to allow this other places allow this even Toronto
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For educational purposes and sustainability	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainability	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Production of fresh eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	I feel this is a great idea and should have been allowed years ago other towns and cities allow it we should too

Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Because they are good companion animals and are great for the environment, ans who wouldnt want farm freah eggs everyday	Animal welfare concerns. Not every person is well educated when it comes to housing and upkeep of the animal. These are the same concerns i have with any animal	Noise and odor,Space requirements	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs and meat	No concerns		Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	No	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For eggs, and bug control	No concerns		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	I 100% support the communication to be aloowed to have their own chickens! It's about d@mn time!!
Other (please specify in comments)	To raise them for food. They would also help keep the insect population down(mosquitoes, ticks,etc)			Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	With the costs of everything skyrocketing in the last few years, I think it's acceptable for people to grow their own food. This can also be an excellent educational tool for the children.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable food source eggs	No concerns		Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	it is my property. shouldn't be an issue ad long as it is kept clean		Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For the eggs and and for educaitonal reasons for our kids.	No concerns		Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	We support backyard chickens for economic, educational, and enjoyment reasons.

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To eat their eggs	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons	To teach kids , and great supply of fresh eggs		Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	raising chicken is a great learning experience, a great food source and they supply you with a great garden fertilizer . win win
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To have a sustainable lifestyle	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons	love eggs	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	I hope that chickens are allowed, regulations are going to probably be in place but coupe size family size should also be a factor
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Educational purpose for my kids. Allows me to provide fresh eggs for my family for meals.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	I should have the right to do so.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Its a great way to use veggie scraps, to live sustainably / self sufficiently, know where your food comes from and its very economical.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Space requirements,Neighbour relations	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I am glad that this is being considered. I hope that this will be allowed with minimal governance.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Economic reasons - cheaper, locally sourced, healthy food		Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
<p>Not only will they provide food via eggs and meat but they also teach my kids responsibility, they save us money.... And they're great for the environment by eliminating food waste that just ends up in the trash or compost. As well as it's my constitutional right to be able to provide food for my family by any means without interference from the crown or any of their governing entities.</p>	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	<p>Yes as Canadian citizens it's our constitutional right to provide food for our families unencumbered by governing entities federal or otherwise. Failure to uphold the constitution of Canada must result in immediate resignation by any persons in charge of or leading the attempt to impede said constitutional rights, in order to maintain a non authoritarian (or dictatorship) and provide minimal government interference in the lives of private Canadian citizens.</p>
<p>Other (please specify in comments)</p>	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
<p>Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle</p>	To have frsh farm eggs	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
<p>Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle</p>		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
<p>Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle</p>		Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable lifestyle	Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For food purposes and education of children and adults. Preserving certain breeds	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Making sure bird health is number one priority for the owners. Would be my only concern. Having a poultry vet in the area would be most helpful. There are courses offered at ridgetown campus that could educate people wanting to own poultry. (I have taken the course) It could be like a prerequisite for chicken keeping. I have had birds many years in the country for food and educational purposes, everybody should have access to this.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Space requirements	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	As long as the chickens are kept in a safe and sanitary environment, people should be able to provide for their family.
Economic Reasons	Eggs	Noise and odor,Pests and predators,Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		

<p>Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle</p>	<p>Teach the children, not just about animals but about saving money on groceries...like growing your own fruits and vegetables, having chickens to lay eggs. In todays economy, its hard enough to make ends meet, saving what you can, where you can, will noy only help your family now, but help teach your children how to as well...by the time todays children are adults, expenses will be astronomical.</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>	<p>Lot size</p>
<p>Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle</p>	<p>I would be interested in keeping chickens on my property to help teach my children a sense of responsibility. I think it's important they learn how a sustainable lifestyle can help them for their futures</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p>
<p>Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle</p>	<p>Provides eggs for family and helps to reduce food waste</p>	<p>Hens only - no roosters</p>	<p>Cleanliness standards</p>	<p>Size of coop and run area</p>	<p>Lot size</p>	<p>Minimum distance and visibility from other houses</p>	<p>Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours</p> <p>Other items to address would be multifamily dwellings or rental properties- how would the landlord deal with this or number of chickens with multiple dwellings per lot</p>
<p>Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle</p>	<p>Natural organic chicken is far better then factory processed</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p>	<p>Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens</p> <p>Chickens are a great way to save money and know exactly good care of source of food. So much processing has made so many sick and unhealthy. Getting back to basics shouldnt have to be so difficult and caring for families.</p>

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs		Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	If you own property you should be able to do whatever you want. Its yours, you pay taxes for living here. There shouldnt be any issues for having what you want/ need.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Great for children to learn and provide for our family	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	So many Benefits can come from this. Lots of studies have been done with great results. All for it. Thank you for considering it and it would be a great thing for our small town !
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Chickens running loose Roosters (would prefer no roosters in town)	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size		
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters		
Educational Purposes			Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard		
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Economic reasons	Restrictions on the number of chickens,No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Approve it!!
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	It is a stress relieving hobby.	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For fresh eggs	No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Fun, educational experience for the family, and a sustainable practise		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For fresh eggs and food	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Food eggs pets		Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Ppl should be able to provide food for the selves be it eggs or meat just the same as having a garden. Ppl have dogs an cats an they chose more problems then a chicken ever will
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	The price of groceries is causing hardship for many family's.	Coop placement and size,Space requirements,Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	within the yard	Cleanliness standards	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs and food , help cut costs of some grocery items	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	You need to allow people more availalability to create their own food sources.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Let us have chickens!! Guelph does and it's a much more populated city

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To save money on eggs, we know how our chickens are being treated, fed, as well as they can have a little bit of a life.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Space requirements	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I think its fantastic that this is a survey! I think people should be able to have a few chickens in their back yard if they so choose. I would love to have 6 to 10 myself. This enables us to raise our own chickens and have our own eggs. Its very educational for kids and city people new to the area. As most people do not know where or how chicken and eggs come from and or are produced! Absolutely NO ROOSTERS!
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable lifestyle	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
											I think the number of hens (no roosters) allowed should be decided by lot size. Eg. We have 4 acres behind us (we're residential), so we might be permitted 7-10 chickens, where a small lot with neighbors right next to it would have fewer.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	We have a large property, our children would love the experience, we love animals, to have eggs that aren't factory farmed for ourselves and to share with our neighbors	I believe that hens should be allowed (up to a certain number per acre, perhaps), and NO roosters (noisy). They must have an appropriate fenced-in henhouse if the property does not have fencing between all surrounding neighbors.	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I think licencing is important, so that a minimum enclosure/run size can be monitored. The chickens should have enough space to roam happily. Licencing will also ensure cleanliness, which will undoubtedly be an issue for some households.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	All the above reasons		Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Maybe you could roll it out in stages to see how it goes? Allow it first for properties that are 1 acre or more, then ½ an acre, then smaller. I hope that the diversity of different residential properties in our communities is considered: a 2-acre property on the outskirts having chickens, for example, is much different than a tiny property in town having chickens. Thank you for taking the time to do this.

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Would have a positive effect with regards to mental well being.	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Keeping a modest number of hens (no roosters) would be valuable in reducing food costs and provide an immeasurable role in improving mental health. Raising chickens should be just as easy and popular as gardening. However, guidelines should be in place with respect to cleanliness and the welfare of the animals.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	As a natural and sustainable food source.	No concerns	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Daily eggs, composting, pets.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Coop placement and size,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Great opportunity for my kids to care for animals and the eggs!		Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	food		Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For sustainable living and teaching my children to source food themselves	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards		
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs/ meat	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Chicken are very therapeutic for the elderly especially
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food, education		Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I think if people wish to have chickens for a food source, as long as they are clean and healthy and not bothering anyone it should be a right on ones property.
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons	Eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	None
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Because chickens are amazing and more people need to realize that.	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	You are never going to make every single person happy. Some people will say no to all of it, without even knowing any facts about chickens. It shouldn't even be a debate, if there needs to be any restrictions it should be about the number of chickens allowed. And nobody should have to ask permission from a neighbor, that's ridiculous.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable lifestyle, they make me happy		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	My neighbour has nuisance animals, pigs, chickens goats etc. They have destroyed our property, torn up our lawn, dug holes, damaged our flower beds. When reported to the local authorities our written report was "lost" we were then told to "live with it".		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	We need strong enforcement of the laws regarding nuisance animals, not wishy washy enforcement currently enacted. Frankly unless standards of cleanliness and numbers of kept animals is strictly enforced and complaints properly dealt with I see nothing but headaches for everyone
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	within the yard	Size of coop and run area	visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	A teaching experience for my children. Also due to economic reasons.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Space requirements	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs, children like them,	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Eggs as well as compost kitchen waste. They also eat ticks		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	We live in a rural area	No concerns	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Affordable food, education	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	This is a great idea many are already doing without issue. Citiots go home
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	fresh eats	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	with everything I am sure there will be rules in place,
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Save money on eggs	Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	West elgin being predominately a rural area. Shouldnt wen question about allowing residents to have chickens for production of eggs and gardening manure.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For eggs and education for my children	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Economic Reasons	Fresh Eggs		Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	within the yard	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Size of coop and run area

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Fertilizer for my garden; eggs for consumption; for insect control		Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For food	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Pests and predators	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I have answered this survey in favour of chickens in the municipality because , saying "in the municipality " is vague. Many people may answer this survey negatively, because "in the municipality " could mean in or close to town. And many dont want to see this. But "in the municipality " also refers to the farms and larger lots they could easily house chickens without interfering with close neighbours. The wording of the survey, i think, sets the reader up to say no to chickens, therefore, not allowing ANYONE "in the municipality " to own them, when it is a perfectly safe and healthy option for anyone wanting to bo self sustaining.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To learn and teach my children.	No concerns	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food for my family	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	No further comments.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Good for the garden, good for food for everyone and supporting our community	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Would like the chickens and base any issues on a complaint basis. I'd like to know there are guidelines for the sake of the animals health, but would prefer little oversight / licensing. I'm happy this is being reviewed and getting the community involved. Thank you.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Source of food	No concerns	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Food security, hobby, closer food relationship, teaching my kids	No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	The previous rating questions are misleading, as there was no way to say that I have zero concern with these things. Also, other than "cleanliness", there was nothing about animal welfare. Chickens are work - probably more work than most people realize. The only concern I would have is if a flock was neglected - and we already have laws for animal welfare. If a person lives between two neighbours who have dogs and they dont like dogs, too bad. Same should be true of chickens. Also, town shoyl be seperated from rural.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)			Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	It has been shown to be beneficial economically and environmentally for families to have backyard chickens. It also reduces household food waste.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Space requirements	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	I don't think the government should be restricting. Things is such as having a small amount of chickens, a goat or collecting rainwater on peoples property when we're living our time when our society is having a hard time feeding itself, it's absolutely asinine to think that you should be able to control such things.
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Sustainability is more important in these financially challenging times. There is too much government over reach. Barking dogs are more annoying and disruptive than chickens. We choose to live rural for a reason. Can't even believe there has to be a survey for this! Move back to the city if you don't like the Flora, fauna and country living.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable lifestyle, educational for kids	Pests and predators	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Ideally having coops on fenced properties as additional boundary to prevent loose birds. We have enough loose dogs and cats already.

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	They actually benefit food source but also eat the bugs that are taking over just the japanese beetles. If they are being taken care of right then there is no worry about diseases.	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	If the neighbour shows that they have enough lot to care for chicken's properly and can show they are being taken care of properly without causing odor then that should determine how many you can have. I dont believe they should have to have a lisencc but prove monthly or every 2 months that they are being cared for and not over the limit allowed for specific lot size. Allowing animal bylaw to check then to me that is perfect. I believe you property should be in good condition.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	I love knowing where my food comes from and i can buy non-gmo feed from Dixon's	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	There are many success stories in Ontario from which to draw foundational information, and inspiration. Backyard hens provide high protein food in a time when food bank usage is at record highs; seems like a high benefit to low risk ratio to me. Remember when clothes lines were banned in municipalities, not that long ago? Not allowing backyard chickens seems just as ridiculous to me. I think focusing on moving forward for the majority of responsible owners is more important than becoming stuck in an endless argument against allowing people to grow their own food.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs/meat	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	Because its "my" residential property and the municipality and all levels of government should have much less to say about what I do with it.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Noise and odor,Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Size of coop and run area	I wouldnt be opposed to a permit without a fee that was re-newable based on the number of complaints found to actually be in opposition of policy
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For the purpose of eggs and food to save money	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Why would you need a permit or license you don't require this in the country so should not require in town. If there are issues with compliance then a fine schedule should be included in the bylaw

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To teach my son the importance of animal husbandry as well as being self sustainable.	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	This would be a great opportunity for families to take ownership and control of their own food source as well as a great way to teach children and families the importance of animal husbandry!	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Noise and odor,Space requirements,Pests and predators	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Would be nice to have my own fresh eggs.	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	It's important that people keep things clean and safe. Also no roosters.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Feed my family and entertainment	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For fresh hormone free eggs	No concerns	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	No
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Fresh eggs daily, help keep pest bugs to a minimum	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food and fertilizer for my gardens.	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	2-3 chickens are very easy to sustain in a small coup. Many of the coups now offered are easily moveable so the check ends get new grass every few days and they fertilize the area they are on. Animal care is my highest concern. During the summer spring no problems. Keeping the chickens in a safe healthy space during the winter is completely different.	

Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Fresh eggs	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Noise and odor,Space requirements	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Clean chicken coups and healthy birds is if high priority
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Everyone should be allowed to have chickens regardless of city peoples opinions
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food	Pests and predators,No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Having chickens and being allowed to hatch eggs teaches children a lot of information, not only do I believe we should be entitled to have our very own food source where we know what it has ingested but I believe a program in the school should be included where the classroom gets an incubator and some chicken eggs and hatches their own chickens.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	It is a teachable area for my children for respect for food and the effort that goes into providing healthy options. It also helps provide sustainable food source for households that use either eggs or chicken regularly.	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Ultimately I think the number of chickens should be based around ability to care for them, and space for them to have a positive life experience so families are able to maximize egg production and healthy meat from their chickens. Unhealthy chickens create unhealthy food. Backyard chickens would be an amazing addition to our community as so many communities already allow backyard chickens within city limits, having chickens within a smaller community with access to a feed store and proper veterinary care should be a breeze.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	See above	No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Think of the diversion of organic waste and associated cost savings!

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Affordable food	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Awesome that you are considering this thanks!
Part of a sustainable lifestyle,Other (please specify in comments)	I'm zoned agricultural/residential so I have 20 free range chickens. They provide me with a dozen eggs every 24 hours.		Hens only - no roosters	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Size of coop and run area		Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	This has been granted in other countries with a resounding rewards. Self sustaining egg production. Use of droppings for fertilizing. It's a win win situation.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Knowledge of where food comes from Self sustaining ability.	Restrictions on the number of chickens,Coop placement and size,Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I appreciate the opportunity for feedback. OMAFRA provides training about back yard chickens and 4H poultry clubs are great learning opportunities in Middlesex County. I hope West Elgin allowed chickens.
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Keeps ticks and rodents down	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	I support backyard chickens. I think the municipality should keep out of the rights on this issue.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	above reasons	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To have for Freash eggs	No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	We should be aloud to have chickens with out a permit or fee unless they plan on charging all farmers with this life stock as well
Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Restrictions on the number of chickens,Noise and odor	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	No just keep it clean and make sure they have room to roam
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For production of my own meat and eggs and becoming more self reliant	Noise and odor,Pests and predators	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Because I have 2 1/2 acres which is useless because of our zoning. We live in a farming community so let's allow things like chickens. I personally don't think property zoning should change because of no longer being grandfathered in. My next door neighbours can have horses but I can't have anything because the last owner of our property didn't. As far as chickens, I'd love to have a few of them.	Restrictions on the number of chickens	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size		Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours
Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards		Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Food	No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Fresh eggs, sustainable food		Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	abutting neighbours	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens

Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Sustainable food options	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	I believe chickens are a good start, but feel any farm animal should be allowed if the resident is capable to care for them.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Have my own egg supply	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	able to know where my own poultry products come from	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Size of coop and run area	Hens only - no roosters	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	To provide more food and education to my family	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	within the yard	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Being able to raise your own birds for meat or for eggs is beneficial in so many ways. Learning how to grow your own food and how to take care of them is essential.	No concerns	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Lot size	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Hens only - no roosters	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	abutting neighbours	Permission from immediate and/or neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens		

Part of a sustainable lifestyle	For meat and eggs .. and my own pleasure as they are great to look at	No concerns	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Worried about smell	Restrictions on the number of chickens, Coop placement and size, Noise and odor, Neighbour relations	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Permission from immediate abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	I don't believe a paid permit should be needed for chickens. However, I do believe home owners should have to register to say they have chickens. That way it can be monitored by the appropriate ministry if needed. Random drop ins to make sure the chickens are being properly cared for.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs, and chickens are lovely	No concerns	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Considering the climate crisis and food prices, we need everyone producing some of their own food. Backyard chickens are essential!
Educational Purposes, Economic Reasons, Part of a sustainable lifestyle		No concerns	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	commercial sale of eggs and chickens	immediate and/or abutting neighbours	
Educational Purposes, Economic Reasons, Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Noise and odor	Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs	Coop placement and size, Noise and odor	Hens only - no roosters	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Cleanliness standards	
Educational Purposes, Economic Reasons, Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	

Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Lot size	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	People need to keep the same standards for chickens as for dogs and cats. No animal abuse tolerated. Keep yard and coop clean.
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle		Pests and predators	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Eggs	No concerns	Size of coop and run area	Cleanliness standards	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	I don't see why chickens would be an issue.
Part of a sustainable lifestyle			Cleanliness standards	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	

										<p>personally as an adult so I don't pknow much about in town backyard chickens. Not sure about the licence if it had a fee because it could negate the purpose of saving a little money producing your own food especially with small quantities of chickens & the high cost of setup/maintenance. It would however allow for better cleanliness & property standards to maintain permission. A nominal fee of \$10 or \$20 would seem reasonable just to cover admin. Or higher if only a one time cost including inspection. What if they die/are killed by dogs/coyotes, would there be a refund? As for neighbour permission that can always be very subjective to whether they like you not whether you'd be responsible. I live in the country / rural residential so of course my neighbours already have them. Two concerns not mentioned are: 1. what if they get out & cause damage or a nuisance to neighbours or the owner purposely lets them go wherever. Neighbours shouldn't have to deal with excessive smells, noise or others chickens damaging their yards/flowers /gardens. 2. Are there concerns with an increase in predators such as coyotes if there is an increase in this possible food source? Can we mitigate that in any way to protect children, pets and snimals? Overall I think we need to encourage healthy food sources without excessive cost & regulation. Allowing different scale of amounts of chickens based on lot size, requing cleanliness standards, location beyond a certain distance from lot lines and houses and very minimal administration or fees would help. It would be good to create a bylaw with a capped amount of chickens & certain standards now but a promise to review in a year to increase or adjust based on how it goes. Additionally, using best practices from cities like Guelph or Kitchener would be helpful. Thanks for considering this worthwhile opportunity.</p>
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Providing food to my family	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Size of coop and run area	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Lot size	Hens only - no roosters	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Cost of food. Education. Kitchen scraps will be eaten by chickens instead of filling the landfills up	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Hens only - no roosters	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Cleanliness standards	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	No concerns
Educational Purposes,Economic Reasons,Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Same answer as above	Hens only - no roosters	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	Cleanliness standards	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Permission from immediate and/or abutting neighbours	Prohibition of commercial sale of eggs and chickens	
Part of a sustainable lifestyle	Cost of food	Hens only - no roosters	Cleanliness standards	abutting neighbours	Locations of where chickens are contained within the yard	Minimum distance and visibility from other houses	Lot size	Size of coop and run area	Lot size	

