# Let's Make Vermont an Age-Friendly State

## **Age Strong Vermont: A Multisector Plan**

#### November 2023

## vermont's Population is Aging

- Vermont has the 4<sup>th</sup> oldest population in the country.
- One in four Vermonters are 60+.
- By 2030, one in three Vermonters will be 60+.

Percent of Vermont Residents by Age Group



2000 2003 2006 2009 2012 2015 2018 2021 Data source: Vermont Population Estimates

#### Vermonters want a Multisector Plan on Aging

Survey Question: How important is it for our elected officials to prioritize and invest in a Multisector Plan on Aging?

Very or somewhat important, 81%

6% Unsure,13%

Somewhat or very unimportant

Survey Question: Does the State of Vermont currently have the resources to address the needs of the older adult population?

No, 64%

Yes, 11% Unsure, 25%

Data source: Vermonter Poll, a representative statewide survey conducted annually by UVM Center for Rural Studies.

## Age Strong VT is a 10-year roadmap to an Age-Friendly State

We're working toward a welcoming, inclusive and livable state for all. To make this happen, we need support from partners across the state. Let's work together to make Vermont an Age-Friendly State.

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