

Sample Neighborhood Survey – Single Sided

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 () Well kept () Mediocre () Run down () Other _____

Do you feel like you’re part of a neighborhood? () Yes () No

Rate concerns you have for your neighborhood.

	Very Concerned	Somewhat Concerned	Not Concerned	Don't Know
Speeding	_____	_____	_____	_____
Traffic	_____	_____	_____	_____
Vandalism	_____	_____	_____	_____
Graffiti	_____	_____	_____	_____
Unkept rental units	_____	_____	_____	_____
Unkept yards	_____	_____	_____	_____
Inoperable vehicles	_____	_____	_____	_____
Roads, sidewalks	_____	_____	_____	_____
Bicycle lanes	_____	_____	_____	_____
Street lighting	_____	_____	_____	_____

Other _____

How are public services in your neighborhood? Are they good, fair or poor?

	Good	Fair	Poor
Police protection	_____	_____	_____
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Street repair/maintenance	_____	_____	_____
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Park maintenance	_____	_____	_____
Public transportation	_____	_____	_____
Community Education	_____	_____	_____
Recreation	_____	_____	_____

Is there a city service that your neighborhood needs that is not being provided?
 () Yes () No Identify needed service _____

Would neighbors cooperating to address common concerns be positive for your neighborhood?
 () Yes () No

Do you have a Neighborhood Watch in your neighborhood? () Yes () No
 If not, are you interested in organizing a Neighborhood Watch? () Yes () No

A neighborhood association is forming in your neighborhood. Are you interested in becoming involved?
 () Yes () No

Name _____ Phone _____
 Address _____ E-mail _____

What type of neighborhood communication would be helpful in getting information to you?
 _____ flier _____ neighborhood website _____ E-mail _____ Phone _____
 Please bring this survey to the _____ Neighborhood association meeting
 scheduled for _____ at _____ located at _____
 Or mail it to _____

Sample Neighborhood Survey – Double Sided *(Side One)*

Dear Neighbor:

A Neighborhood Association is forming in our neighborhood.

A neighborhood association draws people together and is a great way to keep our neighborhood safe and neighbors informed about City processes and programs. Neighborhood participation gives you a stronger, united voice in civic life and joins us in shared neighborhood projects.

Once our Neighborhood Association becomes organized and recognized by Santa Cruz Neighbors, our Neighborhood Association will provide us with a clear, organized way for our members to speak to City government and improves the two-way communication between the City and our neighborhood residents.

We need your help in identifying and prioritizing issues in our neighborhood. The information you provide will help our Neighborhood Association and the City of Santa Cruz.

Please take a few minutes to fill out this survey. The results of the survey will be shared with our neighbors at our membership meetings and on our website. When you are completed, please fold and mail your survey to our neighborhood formation team members at:

Attn: _____

Santa Cruz, CA _____

Or bring this survey to the (month) _____, Neighborhood
Association meeting scheduled at (place) _____

(time) _____, (date) _____.

The address of the meeting is

_____ and the directions are:

We are also seeking neighbors and business owners who are willing to play a leadership role in our neighborhood.

Please don't miss out on this opportunity to become involved in the formation of our Neighborhood Association. For more information about Santa Cruz Neighbors call 429-1475 or E-mail sneighbors@hotmail.com.

Thank you,

Name and contact information

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