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1. On a scale of 1 to 5, how important are the following Housing needs in your neighborhood to you?	# Responses	% of Total Responses
A. Providing down payment/closing cost assistance to homeowners	302	11.6%
B. Constructing new affordable single-family housing	392	15.1%
Repairing single-family homeowner housing	581	22.4%
C. Constructing new rental housing (apartments, town homes, condos)	184	7.1%
D. Repairing single-family rental homes	378	14.5%
E. Repairing damaged multi-family/apartment units	407	15.7%
F. Increase supply of rental housing with supportive services for homeless persons or persons with a disabling condition	355	13.7%
Total Responses	2599	

2. On a scale of 1 to 5, what types of Housing are most important to you?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Single-family	827	27.1%
B. Multi-family (apartments, town homes, condos)	242	7.9%
C. Housing for foster youth	374	12.3%
D. Housing for seniors (62 yrs. plus)	657	21.5%
E. Housing for special needs/or with a disability	557	18.2%
F. Housing for the homeless	396	13.0%
Total Responses	3053	

3. On a scale of 1 to 5, which groups do you think can benefit from Affordable Housing in Harris County?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Persons with a developmental/physical disability	696	13.1%
B. Elderly/Seniors (62 yrs. plus)	797	15.0%
C. Homeless	469	8.8%
D. Low-to-moderate Income persons	537	10.1%
E. First-time home buyers	555	10.4%
F. Persons with alcohol/drug addictions	235	4.4%
G. Persons with HIV/AIDS	313	5.9%
H. Persons with a physical disability	650	12.2%
I. Persons with a severe mental illness	433	8.1%
J. Victims of domestic violence	644	12.1%
Total Responses	5329	

4. What do you think should be done with the single-family homes in your neighborhood in need of repair/rehabilitation? Check all that apply.	# Responses	% of Total
A. Repaired	654	48.3%
B. Demolished	178	13.1%
C. Demolished and rebuilt	318	23.5%
D. No action needed	87	6.4%
E. Other	117	8.6%
Total Responses	1354	

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5. What price do you consider to be an affordable single-family home?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Less than \$100,000	297	24.4%
B. \$101,000-\$130,000	411	33.7%
C. \$131,000-\$185,000	342	28.1%
D. \$186,000-\$250,000	121	9.9%
E. \$250,000 +	48	3.9%
Total Responses	1219	

6. What do you consider to be an affordable monthly rent?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Less than \$600	203	16.9%
B. \$600-\$900	491	41.0%
C. \$900-\$1200	330	27.5%
D. \$1,200-\$1,500	117	9.8%
E. \$1,500 +	58	4.8%
Total Responses	1199	

7. What repair do you think should be done with the multi-family apartments in your neighborhood in need of rehabilitation?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Repaired	437	35.6%
B. Demolished	340	27.7%
C. Demolished and rebuilt	282	23.0%
D. No action	70	5.7%
E. Other	97	7.9%
Total Responses	1226	

8. Do you think demolishing unsafe structures in your neighborhood is needed?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Yes	646	63.4%
B. No	373	36.6%
Total Responses	1019	

9. On a scale of 1 to 5, how important are the following Infrastructure Improvements to you?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Storm water/adequate drainage	941	17.8%
B. Street repair	851	16.1%
C. Sidewalk/trails/bike lanes	690	13.1%
D. Water/sewer line	836	15.8%
E. Street lighting	749	14.2%
F. Public facilities	548	10.4%
G. Public parks and playgrounds	671	12.7%
Total Responses	5286	

10. Are there drainage problems in your neighborhood?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Major issue	347	33.8%
B. Minor issue	455	44.3%
C. No issue	224	21.8%
Total Responses	1026	

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11. Is graffiti/vandalism a problem in your neighborhood?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Major issue	75	7.3%
B. Minor issue	471	45.8%
C. No issue	483	46.9%
Total Responses	1029	

12. Are abandoned/dilapidated homes or businesses a problem in your neighborhood?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Major issue	144	14.0%
B. Minor issue	409	39.9%
C. No issue	473	46.1%
Total Responses	1026	

13. On a scale of 1 to 5, how important are the following Neighborhood Facilities in your neighborhood to you?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Low-income health care centers/clinics/pharmacies	303	5.7%
B. Youth centers	429	8.0%
C. Parks and recreational facilities (baseball, softball and soccer fields, jogging trails)	702	13.1%
D. Child care centers	462	8.6%
E. Libraries	694	12.9%
F. Community centers	560	10.4%
G. Police store front	654	12.2%
H. Senior centers	599	11.2%
I. Work force/Job training centers	434	8.1%
J. Elderly/adult day care centers	524	9.8%
Total Responses	5361	

14. On a scale of 1 to 5, how important are the following Community Services in your neighborhood to you?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Transportation services close to my home or work	452	5.2%
B. Neglected/abused children's services	487	5.6%
C. Health services	586	6.8%
D. Substance abuse services	358	4.2%
E. Mental health services	453	5.3%
F. Child care services	487	5.6%
G. Domestic violence programs	484	5.6%
H. Crime awareness and prevention for families and youth	588	6.8%
I. Services for persons with disabilities	595	6.9%
J. Senior services & activities	615	7.1%
K. HIV/AIDS services	281	3.3%
L. Trash & debris removal	778	9.0%
M. Job training/ placement services	426	4.9%
N. Youth services & activities	524	6.1%
O. Housing counseling	300	3.5%
P. High speed internet	715	8.3%
Q. Reducing exposure to lead in homes	493	5.7%
Total Responses	8622	

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15. On a scale of 1 to 5, how important are the types of Homeless Services to you?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Street outreach and services for youth and chronically homeless	521	15.4%
B. Provide counseling, referrals, emergency food, employment/life skills training and food	569	16.8%
C. Provide substance abuse treatment and/or mental health services	538	15.9%
D. Increase supply of emergency shelters or transitional housing facilities	464	13.7%
E. Increase services for victims of domestic violence	599	17.7%
F. Increase services for homeless veterans	700	20.6%
Total Responses	3391	

16. How satisfied are you with the overall conditions of your community?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Very Satisfied	161	15.7%
B. Satisfied	504	49.2%
C. Neutral	189	18.4%
D. Dissatisfied	134	13.1%
E. Very Dissatisfied	37	3.6%
Total Responses	1025	

17. What is your zip code where you live?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Responded	1020	98.2%
B. Did not respond	19	1.8%
Total Responses	1039	

18. Please describe yourself (select all that apply).	# Responses	% of Total
A. Private citizen	981	79.7%
B. Housing agency staff or housing developer	8	0.6%
C. Local or state official	6	0.5%
D. Business owner	87	7.1%
E. Community advocate	63	5.1%
F. Landlord	48	3.9%
G. Social service provider	26	2.1%
H. None of the above	12	1.0%
Total Responses	1231	

19. What is your gender?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Male	348	34.3%
B. Female	661	65.1%
C. Other	7	0.7%
Total Responses	1016	

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20. How many people, including yourself, currently live in the household?	# Responses	% of Total
A. One (I live alone)	161	15.8%
B. Two	452	44.5%
C. Three	193	19.0%
D. Four	119	11.7%
E. Five	48	4.7%
F. Six	36	3.5%
G. Seven or more	7	0.7%
Total Responses	1016	

21. Do you have children under the age of 18 currently living in your home?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Yes	269	26.5%
B. No	746	73.5%
Total Responses	1015	

22. Of which racial, ethnic or cultural group do you consider yourself a member? Check all that apply.	# Responses	% of Total
A. African American/Black	78	7.1%
B. White/Caucasian/Anglo	705	64.0%
C. Hispanic/Latin American	115	10.4%
D. American Indian/Native American	15	1.4%
E. Asian	21	1.9%
F. Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	4	0.4%
G. Two or more races/Multi-racial	31	2.8%
H. Choose not to answer	104	9.4%
I. Other	29	2.6%
Total Responses	1102	

23. What year were you born?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Responded	955	91.9%
B. Did not respond	84	8.1%
Total Responses	1039	

24. Which of the following best describes your current housing situation?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Property owner	927	90.5%
B. Renter	69	6.7%
C. Staying with friends or family (not on a lease or property title)	20	2.0%
D. Staying in a shelter or transitional housing	0	0.0%
E. Staying in a motel/hotel	0	0.0%
F. I am without shelter, experiencing homelessness	0	0.0%
G. Other	8	0.8%
Total Responses	1024	

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25. Which of the following best describes your household composition?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Married/household with children living at home	296	28.2%
B. Married/partner household without children currently present	348	33.1%
C. Single parent household	64	6.1%
D. Individual living alone (under 65 years of age)	92	8.8%
E. Household or individual age 65+	193	18.4%
F. Other	57	5.4%
Total Responses	1050	

26. In what category does your total household income fall into?	# Responses	% of Total
A. \$15,000 and under	28	3.0%
B. \$15,001 - \$25,000	37	3.9%
C. \$25,001 - \$35,000	32	3.4%
D. \$35,001 - \$45,000	54	5.7%
E. \$45,001 - \$55,000	76	8.1%
F. \$55,001 - \$65,000	70	7.4%
G. \$65,001 - \$75,000	76	8.1%
H. \$75,001 - \$85,000	76	8.1%
I. \$85,001 - \$95,000	53	5.6%
J. \$95,001 or more	438	46.6%
Total Responses	940	

27. What is your employment status?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Full-time	515	50.5%
B. Part-time	89	8.7%
C. Retired	313	30.7%
D. Unemployed	39	3.8%
E. Never worked	1	0.1%
F. Do not work	32	3.1%
G. Disabled	30	2.9%
Total Responses	1019	

28. Are you or anyone in your household a person with a physical/mental/developmental disability?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Yes	185	18.3%
B. No	826	81.7%
Total Responses	1011	

29. Are you or someone in your household a Veteran?	# Responses	% of Total
A. Yes	199	19.5%
B. No	821	80.5%
Total Responses	1020	

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30. Has anyone in your household had any of the following problems with buying or renting property in Harris County in the past 2 years? Select all that apply.	# Responses	% of Total
A. Credit issues	80	7.3%
B. Limited Income	106	9.7%
C. Could not get a loan	44	4.0%
D. Discrimination on the basis of race, gender, religion, marital status, family size, or disability	11	1.0%
E. None of the above	852	78.0%
Total Responses	1093	

31. What language do you speak the most at home?	# Responses	% of Total
A. English	986	93.4%
B. Spanish	50	4.7%
C. Vietnamese	4	0.4%
D. Chinese	1	0.1%
E. Other	15	1.4%
Total Responses	1056	

32. Additional Comments	# Responses	% of Total
A. Responded	250	24.1%
B. Did not respond	789	75.9%
Total Responses	1039	

33. If you would like to participate in a future interview or focus group, please write your name, phone number, and email address.	# Responses	% of Total
A. Responded	196	18.9%
B. Did not respond	843	81.1%
Total Responses	1039	