2017 UNIVERSITY AREA COMMUNITY SURVEY SUMMARY REPORT

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The University Area CDC operates out of the University Area Community Center Complex, a 50,000 square foot multi-purpose building that serves as the focal point of the neighborhood. We work to improve the economic, educational and social levels of the community through adult & youth programs, educational courses and resource assistance services. Funds provided through grants, private contributions and public appropriations help thousands of residents participate in most programs free of charge.

The University Area is identified as "economically disadvantaged" (2013 Census) and literally has third world level health outcomes. Of the 7,000 families in the area, 96% are classified as "extremely low income" by the Housing Authority of Tampa-Hillsborough County. Many are members of the "working poor" families whose annual gross income is $10,000. 98% of children qualify for free or reduced lunch and at least 8% of elementary students are reported homeless (Mort Elementary School, 2015).

University Area residents are at high risk for, but not limited to, hypertension, diabetes, obesity (adult/child), and cancer. Coupled with these health risks, this community is marred by illiteracy, high-school dropout rate, low-rate of college graduation, juvenile crime, teen pregnancy, local schools with D ratings and inadequate housing.
INTRODUCTION

The 2017 University Area Community Survey was conducted as a follow-up to the 2015 University Area Community Survey as a way to update community data in order to better inform future programming and initiatives. The survey sought to find the strengths and areas of improvement within the University Area community, and how the University Area CDC, along with partner organizations, businesses, and community residents can work collaboratively to continue improving the community. The survey allowed for resident input from the 33612 and 33613 zip code areas. Data was collected on the following categories: Demographics, Education, Employment, Transportation, Health & Well-Being, Children, Housing, and Community Safety.

SURVEY METHODS

DESIGN

In conducting the 2017 Community Survey, the University Area CDC sought to update community data gathered in 2015, while also obtaining additional information relevant to future programming and initiatives in the community. To achieve this, the survey was designed using the 2015 University Area Community Survey as a template, with questions added and/or edited as needed, specifically in the categories of Transportation, Children, Housing, and Community Safety. The 2015 Community Survey can be found in Appendix C.

The University Area CDC worked with the design team, made up of the Community Outreach Coordinator, Chief Programs Officer and Community Development & Engagement Intern to complete a draft assessment. The survey was presented to representatives from the Community Safety & Wellness Committee and Affordable Housing Committee, and edited in accordance with their suggestions. Community residents involved in the University Area Leaders Collective were then invited to review, test, and provide feedback. The final community survey consists of 53 questions and 8 sections: Demographics, Education, Employment, Transportation, Health & Well-Being, Children, Housing, and Community Safety. The survey can be seen in Appendix A.
SURVEY IMPLEMENTATION

A convenience sample was used in the implementation of the Community Survey. In an effort to gain as many responses from residents of the 33612 and 33613 zip codes, the survey was implemented between May 17, 2017 and July 31, 2017. The survey was only available in printed paper form, and it was available in both English and Spanish.

Survey participation was voluntary, and although strongly encouraged to respond to every question in the survey, respondents could refrain from answering any question(s). Completion of the survey was estimated to take approximately 10 - 15 minutes. As a thank you for their participation, respondents were given a re-usable shopping bag and a “coupon” that could be taken to the University Area CDC to be redeemed for a $5 Target gift card.

The survey was publicized through a variety of communication channels including press releases, community listservs, local neighborhood organizations, flyer distribution and social media postings. Additionally, surveys were distributed and collected at community events by staff and volunteers, as well as delivered to partner organizations, businesses, and apartment complexes, along with implementation instructions. Completed surveys were collected by the survey team at the end of the implementation period.

The survey was made available at the following locations:

⇒ University Area CDC
Surveys were collected through the following programs and services within the University Area CDC:
- Front Desk
- Computer Lab
- Tampa I Prodigy
- Get Moving! Fitness Classes
- STEPS for Success
- UACDC Affordable Housing
- Community Service Workers
- Community Garden

⇒ Partner Organizations and Apartment Complexes
Survey materials were delivered to the following community partners, and collected at the end of the survey period:
- Mort Elementary School
- Florida Family Primary Care Centers
- University Area Social Services Building
- University Village
- Iglesia Tampa Para Cristo
- University Baptist Church
- Barber Extraordinaire
- Who’s Nexxt Barbershop
- Casa Blanca Apartments
- Montierra Apartments
- Live Oaks
- Park at Orvieto
- Fountainwood Manor Apartments
- Cordova Apartments
- Cinnamon Cove Apartments
- Evergreen Manor Apartments
- Palms at Ashley Oaks
Community Events
Staff and volunteers were present at the following sites to distribute and collect surveys. Numbers in parenthesis indicate how many times surveys were collected at the location.

- Feeding Tampa Bay at UACDC (2)
- Sunscape Apartments (1)
- Safe Summit: Violence Prevention Conference (1)
- Tampa Bay Caribbean Heritage Festival (1)
- Crossover Church (2)
- Santa Maria Mission (2)
- UACDC COC On-Foot Outreach (2)
- Concord/Feed the Children Share Day (1)
- University Area Bus Stop (4)
- University Mall (7)
- Prodigy Remixd Event at University Mall (1)
- UACDC Family Movie Night (2)

DATA INPUT & ANALYSIS
Through a partnership with the Department of Anthropology at the University of South Florida, a codebook was created for data input pertaining to each question and answer presented in the Community Survey. Upon receipt of all completed surveys, data was manually entered into Excel for basic data analysis. The data set was then transferred to SPSS statistical software to identify relevant correlations.
KEY FINDINGS
A total of 517 completed surveys were collected. For the data in this section and those that follow, most percentages are figured based on responses from 517 persons (i.e. N=517) unless otherwise specified. Data marked with (*) indicates questions that allowed multiple response selections. It is understood that the survey is a tool for information, not a perfect science, due to the fact that it is a sampling of residents who were willing to participate. The following are highlights of the most prevalent findings. Response data sets for each question can be found in Appendix B.

DEMOGRAPHICS

Gender - 60% Female | 40% Male

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Ethnicity Origin (race) (N=516)
- 46% African American/Black
- 27% Hispanic or Latino
- 17% Caucasian
- 5% Multi-Racial
- 2% Native American
- 1% Asian/Pacific Islander
- 2% Other

Language Spoken (N=516)
- 78% English
- 20% Spanish
- 1% Creole
- 1% Other

Marital Status (N=511)
- 25% Married
- 45% Single

Children (N=515)
- 70% Have Children

Veteran Status (N=509)
- 9% Veterans

Top 3 Ways to Inform Residents of Community News and Upcoming Events*
- Email
- Text Message
- Phone Call

TAKEAWAYS
- A large portion of people in the University Area are women
- The majority of residents in the University Area are in the “mobile/active” age range
- This is a diverse community, in both ethnicities and language
- A large portion of residents are single, and an even larger portion have children
- Veterans are a small yet present population
- Multiple communication methods should be used when disseminating information

CURRENT INITIATIVES
- Programming for both children and adults (i.e. Get Moving!, Prodigy, Movie Nights, Block Parties, etc.)
- Promotional content created in both English and Spanish whenever possible
- ESOL Classes provided
- Using Constant Contact Email Listserv and Mass Text Messaging system to promote upcoming events and opportunities

RECOMMENDATIONS
- Revise current and future initiatives to include women more easily (i.e. fitness center)
- Be more intentional in engaging the veteran population
- Whenever possible, provide childcare or supervised children’s activities at events and programs geared towards adults
EDUCATION

82% of respondents have attained a high school diploma/GED or higher (N=508)

- 4% K - 8th Grade
- 15% Some High School
- 31% High School/GED
- 17% Some College
- 11% Trade/Technical Training
- 10% Associate Degree
- 9% Bachelors Degree
- 3% Masters Degree or Other

Top 3 Educational Services of Interest*
1. Technical / Trade Classes
2. Financial Aid
3. Community College/University

49% Face challenges around education

Top 3 Education Challenges*
1. Cost of School
2. Lack of Transportation
3. Lack of Childcare

EMPLOYMENT

57% of respondents are either employed full-time, retired, or disabled.

43% need additional employment support (N=492)

- 29% Full-Time
- 6% FT min. wage or less
- 10% Retired
- 18% Disabled
- 14% Part-Time
- 8% Unemployed < 3 months
- 13% Unemployed > 3 months
- 2% Other

Top 3 Employment Challenges*
1. Lack of reliable transportation
2. Lack of childcare
3. Lack of jobs within University Area

52% of respondents have a household income under $15,000 (N=462)

TAKEAWAYS
- Lack of transportation and lack of childcare are both barriers to attaining higher education and/or better employment
- 21% of respondents are unemployed
- Less than $15,000 is not a sufficient level of household income to live comfortably

CURRENT INITIATIVES
- GED Classes offered at UACDC
- Family Literacy Program childcare offered to children of ESOL and GED students
- INVEST Workforce/Computer Lab assists residents with job searches and marketable skills
- Annual University Area Community Job Fair

RECOMMENDATIONS
- Provide additional, tailored support to job seekers
- Offer free or low-cost technical/trade courses in the community, with the option for childcare

Top 3 Desired Improvements to Current Employment*
1. Better Pay
2. Increased Benefits
3. Job Stability
HEALTH & WELLNESS

76% of respondents identify eating healthy meals as “Very Important” (N=441)

58% Face challenges in trying to eat healthy meals

Top 3 Challenges to Healthy Eating*
1. Cost of healthy food is too high
2. Fresh foods expire faster
3. No time to cook fresh meals

32% Report not having health insurance

Top 3 Areas of Improvement for Family Health*
1. Losing Weight
2. Poor Dental Health
3. Lowering Blood Pressure

TAKEAWAYS
- Cost, shelf-life, and time are big factors affecting whether residents eat healthy or not
- Adults tend to not prioritize extra-curricular activities for themselves. When implementing the survey, many seemed confused when asked what activities they do for fun
- The areas of family health that need improvement can more than likely be attributed to unhealthy diet and low levels of activity

CURRENT INITIATIVES
- Get Moving! Free Adult Group Fitness Classes
  (bootcamp, yoga, Zumba, pickleball)
- Harvest Hope Garden
- Healthy cooking lessons at block parties
- University Area Leaders Collective

RECOMMENDATIONS
- Increase accessibility to the Harvest Hope Garden
- Implement program that combines healthy eating with physical activity
- Provide more activities for adults (i.e. Art, music, dance, etc.)
- Connect residents with low-cost dental care

Only 38% of adults participate in any extra-curricular activities (N=512)

Top 5 activities adults would like to participate in*
1. Fitness Classes/Gym
2. Dance Class/Dance Group
3. Art Classes
4. Sports Leagues
5. Music Lessons/Band
### CHILDREN

**Only 2 out of 10 children currently participate in extra-curricular activities**

#### Top 4 Activities Children Would Like to Participate in*
1. Sports Leagues
2. Dance Class/Dance Group
3. Music Lessons/Band
4. Art Classes

#### Top 4 Sports Children Would Like to Participate in*
1. Swimming
2. Basketball
3. Football
4. Soccer

#### 70% of school-aged children attend school outside of the University Area Boundaries

*The world cloud to the right shows the schools reported by respondents. The larger and darker the word, the more*

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**TAKEAWAYS**
- Unless children attend Mort, they are bussed out long distances from home to attend school. This can limit their participation in extra-curricular activities, especially school-related ones. Aside from finances (and many other factors) school distance may explain why 80% of children are not enrolled in activities.
- Parents want their kids to know how to swim

**CURRENT INITIATIVES**
- Prodigy Cultural Arts Program
- Get Moving! Karate Classes and other sports leagues
- The Hangout at Harvest Hope Park
- DreamCatchers Summer Camp (swimming lessons provided through program)
- Anchor institution for Mort Community Partnership School

**RECOMMENDATIONS**
- Provide wider selection of sports for youth to participate in
- Implement activities in an accessible location to guarantee attendance
- Make connections with, and provide resources to other schools attended by University Area youth
**HOUSING**

**LIVING IN THE UNIVERSITY AREA**

35% of respondents have lived in the University Area for 5+ years (N=501)

91% Don’t have a permanent stake in the community (N=510)

- 7% Homeowner
- 82% Renter
- 1% Hotel or Extended Stay
- 5% Temp. with Family/Friends
- 3% Homeless/Shelter
- 2% Other

- 72% Have 2 to 6 people living in the home (N=500)
- 82% Live in homes with no more than 2 bedrooms (N=488)

- 74% Pay at least $600 per month for rent (N=435)
- The average obligated rent portion for those who reported living in Section 8 Housing reported is $405.00 (N=64)

- Top 3 Ways Landlord/Property Management Staff Can Improve*
  1. Improve Condition of Homes
  2. Address Maintenance Issues
  3. Keep Property Clean

**HOMEOWNERSHIP**

Only 7% of respondents are Homeowners (N=510)

- Top 3 Homeownership Challenges*
  1. Bad Credit
  2. Cost of Homes
  3. Unstable Income

- Top 3 Fears about Homeownership*
  1. Losing Home/Foreclosure
  2. Not being able to afford maintenance
  3. Not being able to afford utilities

- Average satisfaction rating for landlord/property management staff (N=432) 2.7

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HOUSING (continued)

HOMEOWNERSHIP (cont.)
Would you buy a home in the University Area?
62% YES (N=516)
76% would like to own a single-family home

Why would you NOT buy a home in the University Area?
The world cloud to the right visually shows reasons respondents gave for not buying a home in the University Area. The bigger the word, the more often it appeared in the responses.

HOMEOWNER PREPAREDNESS
- Only 27% are aware of First Time Home Buyer Programs
- 81% Either have a credit score below 640 or don’t know their credit score

Top Financial Workshops Residents Would Like to Attend*
1. Credit Repair
2. Building Credit
3. Budgeting
4. Savings/Emergency Fund

TAKEAWAYS
- Homeownership is extremely low in this community. Even if residents want to buy a home in the University Area, there are very few single-family homes available, and they are rarely for sale.
- Homes may not provide enough room for the household size
- While $600/month rent may seem affordable, for a family with a household income of $15,000, half their income goes to rent, leaving very little for other necessary expenses
- A large portion of University Area residents rely on public transportation

CURRENT INITIATIVES
- Harvest Hope Properties land-banking initiative to build affordable housing, as well as rent-to-own homes
- Golden Palms and Golden Glade affordable housing apartments
- Financial Workshops through partnership with BB&T Bank
- Block-By-Block Model identifies needs in specific blocks and can assist in addressing housing issues; provides transportation resources

RECOMMENDATIONS
- Create opportunities for homeownership in the University Area
- Provide more financial workshops, specifically about credit
- Provide First Time Home Buyer Course at University Area CDC
- Inform residents of renter/landlord rights
- Increase resident presence in public transportation decision-making

TRANSPORTATION

57% Use public transportation
80% Feel public transportation is in a convenient location
74% Feel safe using public transportation (N=515)

Top 3 Ways Public Transportation Can be Improved *
1. More Frequent Buses
2. More Bus Routes
3. Safer Bus Stops
**CRIME & SAFETY**

**COMMUNITY**
- 57% Report residents in their neighborhood know and interact with one another (N=507)

**CRIME**
- 63% Report there is crime in their neighborhood (N=507)

**SAFETY**
- 78% Feel safe in their neighborhood’s public spaces (N=501)

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**PERCEPTIONS OF POLICE**
- “Police effectively deal with crime in my neighborhood”: 78% (N=398)
- “Police actively patrol in my neighborhood”: 69% (N=506)
- “Police care about my concerns about safety and security”: 58% (N=505)

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**Top 5 Elements of Crime in the University Area***:

- Drugs
- Burglaries
- Domestic Violence
- Vandalism
- Gang Activity

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**TAKEAWAYS**
- The “community” statistic shows there is some level of resident interaction and connection already taking place. There is of course much more room to continue to build a sense of community.
- There is a high presence of crime in the University Area, with drugs leading ahead of all other types of crime. Even so, the majority of residents feel safe in the community’s public spaces.
- For the most part, perceptions of police are relatively positive. It should be noted, however, that “Police effectively deal with crime in my neighborhood” received the lowest number of responses out of all the questions on the survey.

**CURRENT INITIATIVES**
- Community Safety & Action Plan
- Partnership with Safe & Sound Hillsborough in planning the Safe Summit: Violence Prevention Conference
- Long-time partnership with Hillsborough County Sheriff’s Office

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**RECOMMENDATIONS**
- Continue implementing strategies from the Community Safety & Action Plan Report
- Create opportunities for both youth and adults to interact and engage with law enforcement
- Neighborhood Crime Watch Initiative
APPENDIX A: 2017 UNIVERSITY AREA COMMUNITY SURVEY

The purpose of this survey is to find the strengths and areas of improvement of the University Area Community, and how we can work together to improve our community. This survey was last conducted in 2015, and from the responses we were able to: create sports and fitness classes, build a community garden to increase access to healthy foods, improve our Workforce Training by adding a Free IT Certification Course, and more.

Survey participants must be 18 years or older. Should you choose to include your name AND email address or phone number below, and return this COMPLETED survey by 6/17/17, you will be entered in our drawing for a chance to win from a list of prizes, including: a TV, park tickets, movie passes, bicycles, a $100 gift card, and more! The winners will be selected and notified on Friday, June 23rd.

ONCE COMPLETE, PLEASE RETURN THE SURVEY TO THE ORGANIZATION/INDIVIDUAL THAT PROVIDED IT TO YOU, OR TO THE UNIVERSITY AREA COMMUNITY CENTER (LOCATED AT 14013 NORTH 22ND ST., TAMPA, FL) BY 6/17/17.

This survey is CONFIDENTIAL. Including your name, email, or phone number is OPTIONAL and will only be used to enter the drawing to win prizes.

NAME: ___________________ EMAIL: ___________________ PHONE: ___________________

### GENERAL DEMOGRAPHICS

1. What is your gender?
   - Male
   - Female
   - Other: ___________________
   - Prefer not to answer

2. What is your age?
   - 18 – 24 years old
   - 25 – 34 years old
   - 35 – 44 years old
   - 45 – 54 years old
   - 55 – 64 years old
   - 65 – 74 years old
   - 75 years or older

3. What is your ethnicity or origin (race)?
   - African American/Black
   - Asian/Pacific Islander
   - Caucasian
   - Hispanic or Latino
   - Multi-Racial
   - Native American
   - Other: ___________________

4. What is your primary language?
   - English
   - Spanish
   - Other: ___________________

5. What is your current marital status?
   - Married
   - Living Together
   - Divorced
   - Separated
   - Widowed
   - Single

6. What is your zip code?
   - 33612
   - 33613
   - Other: ___________________

7. Do you have children?
   - Yes
   - No

8. Are you a Veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces, Reserves, or National Guard?
   - Yes
   - No

9. How would you like to hear about important news and events happening in your community?
   - Phone Call
   - Newspaper
   - Newsletters
   - Flyers / Signs
   - Text
   - Email
   - Facebook/Twitter/Instagram
   - Newsletter stands
   - News Channel
   - Other: ___________________
**EDUCATION**

10. What is the highest level of education you completed?
- Kindergarten to 8th grade
- Some high school, no diploma
- High school diploma/GED
- Some college credit, no degree
- Trade/technical training
- Associate degree
- Bachelor’s degree
- Master’s degree or other

11. Do you need, or would you use any of the following educational services? (Check all that apply)
- One on one support achieving educational goals
- GED classes
- Technical/Trade classes
- Community college/university
- Financial aid (ex: Pell Grant)
- Literacy/Reading tutoring
- English as a second language (ESOL) Classes
- None of the above

12. Do you face any challenges regarding education?
- Yes
- No

12a. What challenges do you face regarding education? (Check all that apply)
- Lack of transportation
- Lack of childcare
- Previous difficulty with school
- Lack of high school diploma/GED
- Cost of school
- Language issues
- Other: ________________

**EMPLOYMENT**

13. Which of the following best describes your current employment status?
- Full-time
- Full-time (but earning min. wage or less)
- Part-time employment
- Retired
- Disabled
- Unemployed - Less than 3 months
- Unemployed - More than 3 months
- Other: ________________

14. If you could improve your current employment situation, what area(s) would you focus on? (Check all that apply)
- More hours
- Better pay
- Increased benefits
- Increased responsibilities
- Reduce required overtime
- Change in career or position
- Job stability
- Job location
- Flexible working hours
- N/A (I am unemployed)
- Better/more training
- Other: ________________

**TRANSPORTATION**

15a. What challenges do you face regarding better employment? (Check all that apply)
- Lack of reliable transportation
- Lack of reliable childcare
- Permanent health/disability problem
- Temporary disability problem
- Lack of high school diploma/GED
- Lack of college/advanced degree
- Pregnancy
- Lack of job/occupational skills
- Emotionally unable to work
- Lack of adult dependent care
- Discrimination (race, age, gender)
- Lack of jobs within the University Area
- Other: ________________

16. What is your current household income?
- $14,999 or below
- $15,000 – $29,999
- $30,000 – $44,999
- $45,000 – $59,999
- $60,000 – $74,999
- $75,000 or above

17. Do you use public transportation?
- Yes
- No

18. Is public transportation in a convenient location for you?
- Yes
- No

19. Do you feel safe using public transportation?
- Yes
- No

20. In what ways could public transportation be improved? (check all that apply)
- Safer bus stops
- More routes
- More reliable schedules
- More frequent buses
- Cleaner buses
- Other: ________________
### HEALTH & WELL-BEING

21. Do you currently have health insurance?  
- [ ] No  
- [ ] Other: ________________

22. Do you currently participate in any extracurricular activities?  
- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No  

22a. What activities do you currently participate in? (check all that apply)  
- [ ] Sports leagues  
- [ ] Fitness class/gym  
- [ ] Dance class/dance group  
- [ ] Martial arts  
- [ ] Board/card games  
- [ ] Art classes  
- [ ] Music lessons/band  
- [ ] Theatre/drama/acting  
- [ ] Gardening  
- [ ] Other: ________________

23. What activities would you like to participate in? (check all that apply)  
- [ ] Sports leagues  
- [ ] Dance class/dance group  
- [ ] Fitness class/gym  
- [ ] Martial arts  
- [ ] Board/card games  
- [ ] Art classes  
- [ ] Music lessons/band  
- [ ] Theatre/drama/acting  
- [ ] Gardening  
- [ ] Other: ________________

24. How important is it to you to eat healthy meals?  
- [ ] Not important  
- [ ] Somewhat important  
- [ ] Very important

25. Do you face any challenges in trying to eat healthy meals?  
- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No  

25a. What challenges do you face in trying to eat fresh, healthy meals? (check all that apply)  
- [ ] Cost of healthy food is too high  
- [ ] Fresh foods (fruits/veggies) expire faster  
- [ ] No time to cook fresh meals  
- [ ] Don’t have easy access to fresh foods  
- [ ] Not sure how to prepare fresh foods  
- [ ] Healthy/fresh foods aren’t as filling  
- [ ] Difficult to get children to eat fresh fruits/veggies  
- [ ] Other: ________________

26. If you could improve you or your family’s health, what area(s) would you focus on? (check all that apply)  
- [ ] Losing weight  
- [ ] Controlling diabetes  
- [ ] Poor dental health  
- [ ] Poor vision  
- [ ] N/A (I am/we are in good health)  
- [ ] Lowering blood pressure  
- [ ] Other: ________________

### CHILDREN

(please complete this section if you have children under the age of 18)

27. How many children do you have?  

28. Please list the ages of each of your children.  

29. What school do your children attend?  
- [ ] Mort Elementary  
- [ ] Muller Elementary Magnet School  
- [ ] Bowers Whitley  
- [ ] Head Start Program  
- [ ] Other: ________________

30. Do your children currently participate in any extracurricular activities?  
- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No  

30a. What activities do your children currently participate in? (check all that apply)  
- [ ] Sports leagues  
- [ ] Fitness class/gym  
- [ ] Dance class/dance group  
- [ ] Martial arts  
- [ ] Gaming  
- [ ] Art classes  
- [ ] Music lessons/band  
- [ ] Theatre/drama/acting  
- [ ] Board/card games  
- [ ] Other: ________________

31. What activities would your children like to participate in? (check all that apply)  
- [ ] Sports leagues  
- [ ] Dance class/dance group  
- [ ] Fitness class/gym  
- [ ] Theatre/drama/acting  
- [ ] Martial Arts  
- [ ] Art classes  
- [ ] Board/card games  
- [ ] Music lessons/band  
- [ ] Academic enrichment/career exploration  
- [ ] Other: ________________

32. What recreational sports would your children participate in? (check all that apply)  
- [ ] Football  
- [ ] Baseball  
- [ ] Soccer  
- [ ] Basketball  
- [ ] Softball  
- [ ] Swimming  
- [ ] Other: ________________
### Housing

33. How long have you lived in the University Area?
   - 6 months or less
   - 1 – 2 years
   - 3 – 5 years
   - 5 years or more

34. What is your current residential status?
   - Home Owner
   - Hotel or Extended Stay
   - Renter (house, apartment or condo)
   - Temporarily staying with family/friends
   - Homeless/Shelter
   - Other: __________________________

35. How many people are currently living in your home?
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4 - 6
   - 7 or more

36. How many bedrooms are in your home?
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4 or more

37. What is your current rent/mortgage payment?
   - $400 – $599
   - $600 – $799
   - $800 – $999
   - $1,000 – $1,299
   - $1,300 or more

38. Are you in Assisted or Public Housing (Section 8)?
   - Yes
   - No

38a. What is your obligated payment portion of the rent?
   $ __________________ / month

39. What are some of the challenges you face regarding home ownership? (Check all that apply)
   - Bad credit (can’t get a loan)
   - Cost of homes
   - Unstable income
   - Not many nice homes to choose from
   - Other: __________________________

40. What are some of the biggest fears you have about home ownership? (Check all that apply)
   - Losing the home/having it foreclosed
   - Not being able to afford utilities
   - Affecting credit due to foreclosure
   - Not being able to afford maintenance
   - Other: __________________________

41. Would you buy a home in the University Area?
   - No
   - Yes

41a. Why not? (Please list reasons)
   __________________________________________

42. What type of home would you like to own?
   - Single family house
   - Townhouse
   - Apartment style condo

43. Are you aware of any First Time Home Buyer Programs?
   - Yes
   - No

43a. Have you participated in any First Time Home Buyer Programs?
   - Yes
   - No

44. Is your credit score 640 or above?
   - Yes
   - No
   - I don’t know

45. Are you interested in attending Financial Workshops?
   - Yes
   - No

45a. What type of Financial Workshops interest you? (Check all that apply)
   - Budgeting
   - Savings/Emergency Fund
   - Credit Repair
   - Building Credit
   - Other: __________________________

46. How satisfied are you with your landlord/property management staff? (Circle number below)

   - Very dissatisfied
   - Somewhat dissatisfied
   - Satisfied
   - Very satisfied

47. In which areas could your landlord/property management staff improve? (Check all that apply)
   - Be more available and easy to contact
   - Improve condition of homes
   - Address maintenance issues
   - Keep property clean
   - Community knowledge/awareness
   - N/A (I own my home)
   - Other: __________________________
### HOUSING

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- [ ] No

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- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] I don’t know

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- [ ] Keep property clean
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- [ ] Other: ______________________

[2017 UNIVERSITY AREA COMMUNITY SURVEY – AFFORDABLE HOUSING ASSESSMENT]
### COMMUNITY SAFETY

48. Please read the following statements and select if you “Agree”, “Disagree”, or “Not sure”:

<table>
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<th>Statement</th>
<th>Agree</th>
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<tr>
<td>Residents in my neighborhood know and interact with one another.</td>
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<td>There is no crime in my neighborhood.</td>
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<td>I feel safe in my neighborhood’s public spaces (i.e. parks, sidewalks, etc.)</td>
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<td>It is safe for children to play outside in my neighborhood.</td>
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<td>Criminals know they will not be successful here.</td>
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<td>People do not disturb others in my neighborhood by playing their music too loud or hanging out where they shouldn’t be.</td>
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<td>The people I see in my neighborhood belong here (i.e. not strangers or outsiders)</td>
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<td>My neighborhood is clean and well maintained.</td>
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<td>Police effectively deal with crime in my neighborhood.</td>
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<td>Police effectively deal with nuisance issues (i.e. loud music, loitering, etc.)</td>
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<td>Police actively patrol in my neighborhood.</td>
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<td>Police care about my concerns about safety and security.</td>
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<td>Property management communicates about property events/happenings.</td>
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<td>Property management is responsive to my concerns about safety and security.</td>
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49. What do you see as the largest elements of crime in the University Area Community? (check all that apply)

- Drugs
- Burglaries
- Domestic Violence
- Trafficking
- Other: ________
- Gang activity
- Vandalism
- Child Abuse
- Animal Abuse

50. Draw a star (★) on the map below to show where you currently live.

51. Draw circles (○) on the map to show areas where you feel safe.

52. Draw squares (□) on the map to show areas where you do not feel safe.

53. Color in the areas where you have seen water pollution or excessive trash.
## APPENDIX B: SURVEY DATA SETS

### Question 1. What is your gender?

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### Question 2. What is your age?

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<td>35-44 years old</td>
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<td>45-54 years old</td>
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<td>55-64 years old</td>
<td>75</td>
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<td>65-74 years old</td>
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<tr>
<td>75 years or older</td>
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### Question 3. What is your ethnicity origin (race)?

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<td>Asian/Pacific Islander</td>
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<td>Caucasian</td>
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<td>Hispanic or Latino</td>
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<td>Multi-Racial</td>
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### Question 4. What is your primary language?

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<td>Spanish</td>
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<td>Creole</td>
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### Question 5. What is your current marital status?

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<td>Separated</td>
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<td>Widowed</td>
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### Question 6. What is your zip code?

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<td>33613</td>
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### Question 7. Do you have children?

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### Question 8. Are you a Veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces, Reserves or National Guard?*

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<td>yes</td>
<td>47</td>
<td>9.2%</td>
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<td>no</td>
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### Question 9. How would you like to hear about important news and events happening in your community?*

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<td>Phone Call</td>
<td>102</td>
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<td>Text</td>
<td>158</td>
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<td>Email</td>
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<td>Newspaper</td>
<td>73</td>
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<td>Flyer/signs</td>
<td>96</td>
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<td>News Channel</td>
<td>78</td>
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<td>Facebook/Twitter/Instagram</td>
<td>54</td>
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<td>Newsletter stands</td>
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<td>Other</td>
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### Question 10. What is the highest level of education you have completed?

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<td>Some high school, no diploma</td>
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<td>High School diploma/GED</td>
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<td>Some college credit, no degree</td>
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<td>Trade/technical training</td>
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<td>Associate degree</td>
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<td>Bachelor's degree</td>
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<td>Master's degree or other</td>
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**Question 11. Do you need, or would you use any of the following educational services?**

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<td>One on one support achieving educational goals</td>
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<td>GED classes</td>
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<td>Technical/Trade classes</td>
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<td>Community college/university</td>
<td>96</td>
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<td>Financial aid (ex. Pell Grant)</td>
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<td>Literacy/Reading tutoring</td>
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<td>English as a second language (ESOL) Classes</td>
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**Question 12. Do you face any challenges regarding education?**

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<td>no</td>
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**Question 12a. If yes, What challenges do you face regarding education?**

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<td>Lack of transportation</td>
<td>84</td>
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<td>Lack of childcare</td>
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<td>Previous difficulty with school</td>
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<td>Lack of high school diploma/GED</td>
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<td>Cost of school</td>
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<td>Language issues</td>
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<td>Other</td>
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**Question 13. Which of the following best describes your current employment status?**

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<td>Full-time</td>
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<td>Full-time (but earning min. wage or less)</td>
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<td>Part-time employment</td>
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<td>Retired</td>
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<td>Disabled</td>
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<td>Unemployed- Less than 3 months</td>
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**Question 14. If you could improve your current employment situation, what area(s) would you focus on?**

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<td>More hours</td>
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<td>Better Pay</td>
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<td>Increased benefits</td>
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<td>Increased responsibilities</td>
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<td>Reduce required overtime</td>
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<td>Change in career or position</td>
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<td>Job stability</td>
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<td>Job location</td>
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<td>Flexible working hours</td>
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<td>N/A (I am unemployed)</td>
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<td>Better/more training</td>
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**Question 15. Do you face any challenges regarding employment?**

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<td>Lack of job/occupational skills</td>
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<td>Emotionally unable to work</td>
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<td>Lack of adult dependent care</td>
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<td>Discrimination (race, wage, gender)</td>
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<td>Lack of jobs within the University Area</td>
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**Question 16. What is your current household income?**

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**Question 17. Do you use public transportation?**

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**Question 18. Is public transportation in a convenient location for you?**

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**Question 19. Do you feel safe using public transportation?**

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**Question 20. In what ways could public transportation be improved?**

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<td>Safer bus stops</td>
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<tr>
<td>More reliable schedules</td>
<td>162</td>
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<td>More routes</td>
<td>178</td>
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<td>More frequent buses</td>
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<td>Cleaner buses</td>
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**Question 21. Do you currently have health insurance?**

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Question 22. Do you currently participate in any extracurricular activities?

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Question 22a. If yes, What activities do you currently participate in?*

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<td>Martial arts</td>
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<td>Board/card games</td>
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<td>Art classes</td>
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<td>Music lessons/band</td>
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<td>Gardening</td>
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Question 23. What activities would you like to participate in?*

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Question 24. How important is it to you to eat healthy meals?

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Question 25. Do you face any challenges regarding eating healthy meals?

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Question 25a. What challenges do you face regarding eating healthy meals?*

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<td>Fresh foods (fruits/veggies) expire faster</td>
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<td>No time to cook fresh meals</td>
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<td>Don't have easy access to fresh foods</td>
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<td>Not sure how to prepare fresh foods</td>
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<td>Healthy/fresh foods aren't as filling</td>
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<td>Difficult to get children to eat fresh fruits/veggies</td>
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<td>Other</td>
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Question 26. If you could improve you or your family's health, what area(s) would you focus on?*

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<td>Losing weight</td>
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<td>Lowering cholesterol</td>
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<td>Controlling diabetes</td>
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<td>Lowering blood pressure</td>
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<td>Poor dental health</td>
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<td>Poor vision</td>
<td>90</td>
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Question 27. How many children do you have?

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<td>80</td>
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<td>3</td>
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Question 28. Please list the ages of each of your children

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<td>11 - 13</td>
<td>87</td>
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<td>14 - 17</td>
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Question 29. What school do your children attend?*

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<td>Muller Elementary Magnet School</td>
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<td>Bowers Whitley</td>
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<td>Head Start Program</td>
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Question 30. Do you children currently participate in any extracurricular activities?

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Question 30a. What activities do your children currently participate in?*

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<td>Dance class/dance group</td>
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<td>Martial arts</td>
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<td>Gaming</td>
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<td>Art classes</td>
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<td>Music lessons/band</td>
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Question 31. What activities would you like your children to participate in?*

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<td>Dance class/dance group</td>
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<td>Theatre/drama/acting</td>
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<td>Gaming</td>
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<td>Board/card games</td>
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<td>Academic enrichment/career exploration</td>
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Question 32. What recreational sports would your children participate in?*

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<tr>
<td>Football</td>
<td>82</td>
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<td>Basketball</td>
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<td>Baseball</td>
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<td>Softball</td>
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<td>Soccer</td>
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<td>Swimming</td>
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**Question 33. How long have you lived in the University**

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<td>1-2 years</td>
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<td>3-5 years</td>
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**Question 34. What is your current residential status?**

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<td>Home Owner</td>
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<td>Renter (house, apartment, or condo)</td>
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<td>Hotel or Extended Stay</td>
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<td>Temporarily staying with Family/friends</td>
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<td>Homeless/shelter</td>
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**Question 35. How many people are currently living in your home?**

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**Question 36. How many bedrooms are in your home?**

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**Question 37. What is your current rent/mortgage payment?**

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**Question 38. Are you in Assisted or Public Housing (Section 8)?**

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**Question 39. What are some of the challenges you face regarding home ownership?**

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<td>Not being able to afford utilities</td>
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<td>Not being able to afford maintenance</td>
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<td>None</td>
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**Question 40. What are some of the biggest fears you have about home ownership?**

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**Question 41. Would you buy a home in the University Area?**

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**Question 42. What type of home would you like to own?**

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**Question 43. Are you aware of any First Time Home Buyer Programs?**

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**Question 43a. Have you participated in any First Time Home Buyer programs?**

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**Question 44. Is your credit score 640 or above?**

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**Question 45. Are you interested in attending Financial Workshops?**

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**Question 45a. What type of Financial Workshops interest you?**

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<td>Credit Repair</td>
<td>146</td>
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<td>Building Credit</td>
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**Question 46. How satisfied are you with your landlord/property management staff?**

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<td>very satisfied</td>
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<td>satisfied</td>
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**Question 47. In which areas could your landlord/property management staff improve?**

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<th>Area</th>
<th>Frequency</th>
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<tr>
<td>Be more available and easy to contact</td>
<td>101</td>
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<tr>
<td>Address maintenance issues</td>
<td>140</td>
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<tr>
<td>Improve condition of homes</td>
<td>171</td>
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<tr>
<td>Keep property clean</td>
<td>138</td>
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<tr>
<td>Community knowledge/awareness</td>
<td>84</td>
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<td>N/A (I own my home)</td>
<td>30</td>
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<td>Other</td>
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Question 48a. Residents in my neighborhood know and interact with one another.

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<td>93</td>
<td>18.3%</td>
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Question 48b. There is no crime in my neighborhood.

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Question 48c. I feel safe in my neighborhood’s public spaces (i.e. parks, sidewalks, etc.)

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Question 48d. It is safe for children to play outside in my neighborhood.

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Question 48e. Criminals know they will not be successful here.

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Question 48f. People do not disturb others in my neighborhood by playing their music too loud or hanging out where they shouldn’t be.

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Question 48g. The people I see in my neighborhood belong here (i.e. not strangers or outsiders)

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Question 48h. My neighborhood is clean and well maintained.

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Question 48i. Police effectively deal with crime in my neighborhood.

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Question 48j. Police effectively deal with nuisance issues (i.e. loud music, loitering, etc.)

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Question 48k. Police actively patrol in my neighborhood.

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Question 48l. Police care about my concerns about safety and security.

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Question 48m. Property management communicates about property events/happenings.

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Question 49. What do you see as the largest elements of crime in the University Area community?*

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<td>Drugs</td>
<td>325</td>
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<td>Gang activity</td>
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<td>Burglaries</td>
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<td>Vandalism</td>
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<td>Domestic Violence</td>
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<td>Child Abuse</td>
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<td>Trafficking</td>
<td>72</td>
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<td>Animal Abuse</td>
<td>42</td>
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<td>Other</td>
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APPENDIX C: 2015 UNIVERSITY AREA COMMUNITY SURVEY

2015 UNIVERSITY AREA COMMUNITY SURVEY

The purpose of this survey is to supplement the information gathered at the University Area Community Conversation, coming up on Wednesday, May 20th and Saturday, May 23rd at the University Area Community Center. Survey participants must be 18 years or older. Should you choose to include your name and email address below, and return by 5/23/15, you will be registered in our drawing for a chance to win a new bicycle! The winner will be selected and notified via email on Friday, May 29th.

ONCE COMPLETE, PLEASE RETURN THE SURVEY TO THE ORGANIZATION/INDIVIDUAL THAT PROVIDED IT TO YOU, OR TO UACDC (LOCATED AT 14013 NORTH 22ND ST., TAMPA, FL) BY 5/23/15.

NAME: ___________________________ EMAIL: ___________________________

GENERAL DEMOGRAPHICS

1. What is your gender?
   - Male
   - Female

2. What is your age?
   - 17 or under
   - 18 – 24 years old
   - 25 – 34 years old
   - 35 – 44 years old
   - 45 – 54 years old
   - 55 – 64 years old
   - 65 – 74 years old
   - 75 years or older

3. What is your ethnicity origin (race)?
   - African American/Black
   - Asian/Pacific Islander
   - Caucasian
   - Hispanic or Latino
   - Multi-Racial
   - Native American
   - Other: ___________________________

4. What is your primary language?
   - English
   - Spanish
   - Creole
   - Other: ___________________________

5. What is your current marital status?
   - Married
   - Living Together
   - Separated
   - Divorced
   - Widowed
   - Single

6. What is your zip code?
   - 33612
   - 33613
   - Other: ___________________________

EDUCATION

7. What is the highest level of education you completed?
   - Kindergarten to 6th grade
   - Some high school, no diploma
   - High school diploma/GED
   - Some college credit, no degree
   - Associate degree
   - Trade/technical training
   - Bachelor’s degree
   - Master’s degree

8. Do you need, or would you use, any of the following educational services? (Check all that apply)
   - Technical/Trade classes
   - Community college/university
   - English as a second language (ESOL) Classes
   - Literacy/Reading tutoring
   - One on one support achieving educational goals
   - GED classes
   - Financial aid (ex: Pell Grant)

9. If you have school-aged children, which school do they attend?
   - Morton Elementary
   - Muller Elementary Magnet School
   - Bowers Whitley
   - Head Start Program
   - They attend a school outside of the University Area
   - N/A (I do not have school-aged children)
10. What are some of the barriers you feel that you face regarding education? *(Check all that apply)*
- Lack of transportation
- Lack of childcare
- Previous difficulty with school
- Lack of high school diploma/GED
- Cost of school
- Language issues
- N/A (I don’t feel that I have any barriers)
- Other: __________________________

**EMPLOYMENT**

11. Which of the following best describes your employment status?
- Full-time
- Full-time (but earning min. wage or less)
- Part-time employment
- Retired
- Disabled
- Unemployed - Less than 3 months
- Unemployed - More than 3 months
- N/A (Student)

12. What is your current household income?
- $14,999 or below
- $15,000 – $29,999
- $30,000 – $44,999
- $45,000 – $59,999
- $60,000 – $74,999
- $75,000 or above

13. If you could improve your current employment situation, what area(s) would you focus on? *(Check all that apply)*
- More hours
- Change in career or position
- Better pay
- Job stability
- Increased benefits
- Job location
- Increased responsibilities
- Flexible working hours
- Reduce required overtime
- N/A (I am unemployed)
- Other: __________________________

14. What are some of the barriers you feel that you face regarding gainful employment? *(Check all that apply)*
- Lack of reliable transportation
- Lack of reliable childcare
- Permanent health/disability problem
- Temporary disability problem
- Lack of high school diploma/GED
- Pregnancy
- Emotionally unable to work
- Lack of adult dependent care
- Discrimination (race, rage, gender)
- Lack of jobs within the University Area
- Other: __________________________

**HOUSING**

15. What is your current residential status?
- Home Owner
- Renter (house, apartment or condo)
- Hotel or Extended Stay
- Temporary Housing
- Homeless/Shelter
- Other: __________________________

16. What is the total number of people in your household?
- 1
- 2 – 3
- 4 – 6
- 7 or more

17. What is your current rent/mortgage payment?
- $400 – $599
- $600 – $799
- $800 – $999
- $1,000 – $1,299
- $1,300 or more

18. Are you in Assisted or Public Housing (Section 8)?
- Yes
- No
- If yes, what is your obligated payment portion of the rent? $ _____________/month

19. If you could improve your current housing situation, what area(s) would you focus on? *(Check all that apply)*
- Owning vs. renting
- Number of people in the home
- Condition of home
- Vacant lots surrounding your home
- Condition of homes surrounding your home
- Other: __________________________
20. What are some of the biggest barriers you face regarding home ownership? (Check all that apply)
   - Bad credit (can't get a loan)
   - Un-stable income
   - Cost of homes
   - Lack of desirable home inventory
   - N/A (I own my home)
   - Other: ________________________

21. What are some of the biggest fears you have regarding home ownership? (Check all that apply)
   - Losing the home/having it repossessed
   - Affecting credit due to repossession
   - Not being able to afford utilities
   - Not being able to afford maintenance costs
   - N/A (I own my home)
   - Other: ________________________

22. What are some of the biggest benefits you see regarding home ownership? (Check all that apply)
   - It's a tax benefit
   - Provides a stable family environment
   - Can affect your credit positively
   - Mortgage payment is more stable than rent
   - More privacy
   - Other: ________________________

HEALTH & WELL-BEING

23. Do you currently have health insurance? (Private, through employer, government healthcare plan, etc.)
   - Yes
   - No

24. Do you or your family members currently participate in any extracurricular activities? (Check all that apply)
   - Recreation sports leagues
   - Martial arts
   - Theatre/drama/acting
   - Fitness class/gym member
   - Art classes
   - Other: ________________________
   - Dance classes/dance group
   - Music lessons/band
   - Other: ________________________

25. Do your children currently participate in after school programming? (Check all that apply)
   - Yes
   - No
   - N/A (No children)
   - If yes, what is the program and which organization provides it? ________________________

26. Which recreational sports would your children participate in? (Check all that apply)
   - Football
   - Baseball
   - N/A (No children)
   - Basketball
   - Softball
   - Other: ________________________
   - Soccer
   - Swimming

27. How important is it (to you) to provide healthy, nutritious meals to your family?
   - Not important
   - Somewhat important
   - N/A (No spouse/children)
   - Very important

28. What are some of the barriers you face in trying to provide healthy, nutritious meals to your family? (Check all that apply)
   - Fresh/nutritious foods aren't as cost effective
   - Fresh foods expire faster
   - No time to cook fresh meals from scratch
   - Don't have easy access to fresh fruits/veggies
   - Not sure how to prepare fresh meats/veggies
   - Difficult to get children to eat fresh fruits/veggies
   - Healthy/fresh foods aren't as filling
   - N/A (No spouse/children)
   - Other: ________________________

29. If you could improve you & your family’s overall/general health, what area(s) would you focus on? (Check all that apply)
   - Losing weight
   - Controlling diabetes
   - N/A (I am/we are in good health)
   - Lowering cholesterol
   - Poor dental health
   - Other: ________________________
   - Lowering blood pressure
   - Poor vision
CRIME & SAFETY

30. What do you see as the largest elements of crime in the University Area Community? (Check all that apply)
   - Drugs
   - Gang Activity
   - Burglaries
   - Vandalism
   - Domestic Violence
   - Child Abuse
   - Trafficking
   - Animal Abuse
   - Other: ____________________

31. What are your feelings towards a neighborhood watch program in your area? (Check all that apply)
   - I think it would help deter criminal activity
   - I would participate
   - I feel comfortable reporting suspicious activity to the police
   - I do not think it would deter criminal activity
   - I would not participate
   - I would not feel comfortable reporting suspicious activity to the police

32. What are your feelings towards local law enforcement? (Check all that apply)
   - They are good community advocates
   - They care about this community
   - They are helpful/respectful to community residents
   - They respond quickly when called
   - They don’t have enough of a presence in the community
   - I am fearful of them
   - They are not respectful to community residents
   - They do not respond quickly to calls
   - Other: ____________________

COMMUNITY

33. Have you, your children, or your family members ever participated in programming or services administered at the University Area Community Center?
   - No
   - Yes

   If yes, which one(s)? ____________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________

   If not, why? ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________

34. Do you know what the Tampa Innovation Alliance is and how it will positively affect the University Area Community?
   - Yes
   - No

Make it Happen!
University Area Community

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