

- Q1** How long have you lived in the neighborhood?
- Less than 4 months  
 4 to 11 month  
 1 to 4 years  
 5 to 9 years  
 10 to 14 years  
 15 to 19 years  
 20 to 29 years  
 30 or more years
- Q2** In which neighborhood do you live?
- Field  
 Northrop  
 Regina  
 Don't Know
- Q3** Overall, how would you rate your neighborhood as a place to live?
- Very Good  
 Good  
 Fair  
 Poor
- Q4** Over the past 3 years, do you think **the neighborhood** has gotten Better, Worse, or stayed about the Same?
- Better  
 Worse  
 Same
- Q5** Over the past 3 years, do you think **Minneapolis** has gotten Better, Worse, or stayed about the Same?
- Better  
 Worse  
 Same
- Q6** Do you think you will be living in the neighborhood 5 years from now, or do you think you will be living some place else?
- In neighborhood  
 Some place else  
 Don't know
- Q7** Are you familiar with the Neighborhood Revitalization Program, or NRP, in which each neighborhood in Minneapolis develops projects for improving housing, parks, the environment and other aspects of the community.
- Yes  
 No

**Q8** How would you rate the impact the NRP has had on your neighborhood?

- Very positive impact
- Positive impact
- No impact
- Negative impact
- Very negative impact
- Don't know

**Q9** Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statement: Because of NRP, my neighborhood has more influence on how important issues are addressed, public services delivered and public funds used.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

**Q10** For each statement below please indicate whether you agree, strongly agree, disagree, or strongly disagree.

- 1=** Strongly agree
- 2=** Agree
- 3=** Disagree
- 4=** Strongly disagree
- 5=** No opinion

- 1 2 3 4 5 My neighborhood is a safe place to live.
- 1 2 3 4 5 Traffic speeds in my neighborhood are not a problem.
- 1 2 3 4 5 My neighborhood is clean.
- 1 2 3 4 5 Homes in my neighborhood are well maintained.
- 1 2 3 4 5 People in my neighborhood look out for one another.
- 1 2 3 4 5 Businesses in my neighborhood are well maintained.
- 1 2 3 4 5 I support increasing the density (more housing units, more households) in my neighborhood.
- 1 2 3 4 5 My neighborhood has a good selection of stores and services that meet my needs
- 1 2 3 4 5 Residents have a good choice of housing types, such as apartments, single family homes, and condos.

**Q11** During the past 12 months have you, yourself, experienced any type of discrimination in the neighborhood?

- \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes
  - No

**Q12** If you checked Yes to Q11, was the discrimination you faced in getting: a job or at work; housing, service in a restaurant or store, in dealing with City police or other type of situation? *[check all that apply]*

- A job, or at work
- Housing
- Service/ restaurant
- City police
- Other situation

**Q13** If you checked Yes to Q11, for what reason or reasons do you feel you were discriminated against? *[check all that apply]*

- race
- gender
- age
- religion
- ethnic/country
- disability
- economic status
- language or accent
- sexual orientation
- marital status
- social status
- other

**Q14** Do you work in the neighborhood?

- Yes
- No

**Q15** What, if anything, stops you from visiting businesses in the neighborhood? *[check all that apply]*

- I don't know what businesses are available
- Lack of transportation
- Lack of parking
- It is not convenient to my home
- Lack of a safe place to store my bicycle
- Concerns about safety when visiting the area
- Lack of accessibility
- Language barriers / lack of non-English translation
- Not enough variety in products
- Not interested in the businesses that are offered
- Prices are unaffordable
- Other

**Q16** Excluding work, how often do you go to a store or restaurant in the neighborhood?

- two or more times a week
- once a week
- two or three times a month
- once a month
- once every two or three months
- two or three times a year
- less than twice a year
- never

**Q17** Since public resources will be limited in the future, please indicate which five (5) of these services should have priority (using 1 as your highest priority, 2 as your next priority, etc up to 5).

- Preserving and providing affordable housing for low-income residents.
- Providing public education.
- Maintaining parks and providing recreational opportunities.
- Revitalizing commercial areas.
- Protecting the environment, including air, water, and land.
- Providing library services.
- Providing fire protection and emergency medical response
- Providing police services
- Providing home improvement programs for owner-occupied housing.
- Snowplowing city streets
- Providing home improvement programs for rental housing.
- Providing programs/services for seniors.
- Dealing with problem properties
- Providing programs/services for children.
- Cleaning up graffiti
- Providing garbage collection and recycling programs
- Repairing streets and alleys
- Providing programs/services for teens.
- Keeping streets and alleys clean
- Providing programs/services for parents.
- Providing neighborhood events and festivals.
- Providing programs and services for new Americans (immigrant and refugee communities).

**Q18** The following are approaches that FRNNG has used to facilitate neighborhood communications. Please rate the effectiveness of each communication approach.

- 1= Very effective
- 2= Somewhat effective
- 3= Not effective
- 4= Don't know

- 1 2 3 4 The Close To Home newsletter
- 1 2 3 4 FRNNG web site
- 1 2 3 4 New neighbor information bags
- 1 2 3 4 Direct mailings
- 1 2 3 4 FRNNG meetings
- 1 2 3 4 E-mail notification

**Q19** The Close To Home newsletter is currently published six time per year. Do you receive issues regularly? *[circle]*

- Yes
- No
- Don't know

**Q20** How often would like the Close To Home newsletter published?

- Current schedule
- More often
- Less often

**Q21** Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statement: A user-friendly neighborhood website, with up-to-date community information is an important neighborhood communication tool.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

**Q22** Which City park does your household use the most?

- McRae Park
- Pearl Park
- Linden Hills
- Other City park
- Minnehaha Parkway
- No parks

**Q23** If you checked McRae Park on Q22, what facilities do you use? *[check all that apply]*

- playground
- programs
- ballfields
- pool
- tennis courts
- basketball courts

**Q24** Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statement:  
Residents have a good variety of recreation choices at McRae Park.

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

**Q25** Please indicate how often you, or members of your household, would use each of the following services, if it were available at McRae Park.

- 1=** Very often
- 2=** Often
- 3=** Seldom
- 4=** Never
- 5=** No opinion

1 2 3 4 5 A zero-entry swimming pool

1 2 3 4 5 A computer lab

1 2 3 4 5 A winter, golf driving range

1 2 3 4 5 Preschool classes

1 2 3 4 5 Senior programs

1 2 3 4 5 An air conditioned park shelter

1 2 3 4 5 A basketball gymnasium

1 2 3 4 5 A volleyball gymnasium

**Q26** For each statement below please indicate whether you agree, strongly agree, disagree, strongly disagree or the statement does not apply to your residence.

- 1=** Strongly agree
- 2=** Agree
- 3=** Disagree
- 4=** Strongly disagree
- 5=** Not applicable

1 2 3 4 5 The outside of my home needs some major repairs.

1 2 3 4 5 The outside of my home needs some minor repairs

1 2 3 4 5 Landscaping is important to the value of my home.

1 2 3 4 5 I am satisfied with the size of my garage.

1 2 3 4 5 The current number of bedrooms meet my needs.

1 2 3 4 5 The current number of bathrooms in my home meet my needs.

1 2 3 4 5 The monthly housing cost is affordable.

1 2 3 4 5 Central air conditioning would be an important upgrade to my home.

1 2 3 4 5 Adding a bedroom and a bathroom in the basement would increase the value of my home.

**Q27** For each statement below please indicate whether you Agree, Strongly agree or Disagree, Strongly disagree.

- 1= Strongly agree
- 2= Agree
- 3= Disagree
- 4= Strongly disagree
- 5= No opinion

1 2 3 4 5 Public schools in my neighborhood are safe.

1 2 3 4 5 School district budget cuts have affected our family.

1 2 3 4 5 I am willing to volunteer at my neighborhood schools.

**Q28** Do you own or rent your current residence?

- Own
- Rent

**Q29** Do you have children under the age of 18 in your household?

- Yes
- No

**Q30** What was the last grade of school you completed?

- some high school or less
- high school graduate
- some college or technical school
- technical school graduate
- college graduate
- post graduate degree

**Q31** In which of the following categories does your age fall?

- |                                   |                                      |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 18 to 19 | <input type="checkbox"/> 55 to 59    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 20 to 24 | <input type="checkbox"/> 60 to 64    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 25 to 34 | <input type="checkbox"/> 65 to 74    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 35 to 44 | <input type="checkbox"/> 75 or older |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 45 to 54 |                                      |

**Q32** How many people, including yourself, live in your home?

- |                            |                                      |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 5           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 6           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> 7           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> more than 7 |

**Q33** For statistical purposes only, which of the following categories comes closest to your 2001 annual household income before taxes?

- under \$10,000
- \$10,000 to \$19,999
- \$20,000 to \$29,999
- \$30,000 to \$39,999
- \$40,000 to \$49,999
- \$50,000 to \$59,999
- \$60,000 to \$69,999
- \$70,000 to \$79,999
- \$80,000 to \$89,999
- \$90,000 to \$99,999
- \$100,000 to \$199,999
- \$200,000 or more

**Q34** For statistical purposes only are you of Latino or Hispanic origin?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know

**Q35** Which of the following best describes your racial origin?

- White
- Black, African American or African American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Asian, Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- Two or more races
- Some other race