

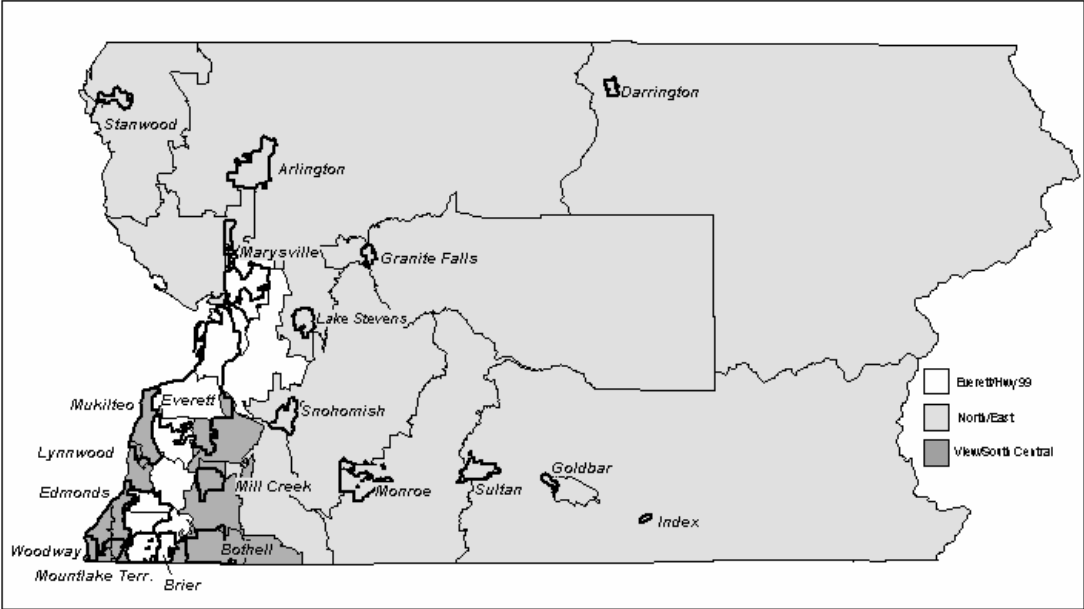
APPENDIX

Community Partners

American Red Cross
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City of Everett Human Services
Community Health Center
DSHS/DCFS
DSHS/Smokey Point CSO
Economic Development Council
Everett School District #2
Greater Trinity Baptist Church
Healthy Communities for Snohomish County
Housing Authority of Snohomish County
Interfaith Association of Snohomish County
Lutheran Community Services NW
M-2/Job Therapy
Parent Child Union
Providence Health System
Snohomish County Center for Battered Women
Snohomish County Council on Aging
Snohomish County Federated Health & Safety Network
Snohomish County Human Services
Snohomish County Labor Community
Snohomish County Planning and Development Services
Snohomish County Residents
Snohomish Health District
SnoNet
Stanwood Police Department
Stevens Healthcare
United Way of Snohomish County
U.S. Navy
Verizon Communications
Volunteers of America
Workforce Development Council
Youth Summit

Map of Regions

Snohomish County Counts Survey Regions, 2001



Telephone Questionnaire

3:

INTRO

IF NOT AVAILABLE, ARRANGE CALL-BACK

Hello, I'm _____ calling for the "Snohomish Community Assessment" project. This project is gathering information on what county residents feel is going well in their community and where improvement is needed.. (Are you)/(May I speak with) a (male)/(female) age 18 or over? IF NO ONE IN HOUSEHOLD AGE 18, ASK TO SPEAK TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD

Yes, continue.....91 => /LASTQ (54)

12:

Q1A

READ 1-4

This first set of questions asks you, as a resident of Snohomish County, to rate various community assets or needs. For the purpose of these questions "Community" is defined as the area in which you live. Thinking about your own community and what kind of place it is to live in, how would you rate your community as a place to live, would you say it is. . .

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- Poor1
 - Fair2
 - Good.....3
 - Or excellent4
 - Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....5
 - Refused - DO NOT READ.....6
- (72)

15:

Q2

Next I am going to read a series of statements. Please tell me if you agree or disagree with each, using a scale of 1 to 7, where "1" means strongly disagree with the statement and a "7" means you strongly agree. If you don't know or don't want to answer a question, just let me know. Remember, you may use 1, 7 or any number in between.

Continue1 D (75)

16:

Q2A

People and groups in my community come together to help each other out when they have a problem. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(76)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

18:

Q2B

People in my community trust each other. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(79)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

20:

Q2C

Water in my community is clean and safe to drink. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(82)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

22:

Q2D

The air quality in my community is acceptable. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(85)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

24:

Q2E

My community has enough parks and other green spaces. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(88)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

26:

Q2E1

Water drainage or flooding is a problem in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(91)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

28:

Q2F

Sewage or septic system failure is a problem in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(94)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

30:

Q2G

My community is noisier than I like. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(97)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

32:

Q2H

My community offers interesting cultural entertainment such as museums, theater, and music. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(100)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

34:

Q2J

There are enough after-school activities and programs for youth in this community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(103)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

36:

Q2N

I would support expansion of commercial and industrial businesses in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(106)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

38:

Q2O

We need more carpools, vanpools and HOV lanes. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(109)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

40:

Q2P

Not counting freeways, local roads and streets are adequate and well maintained in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(112)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

42:

Q2Q

Public transportation serves my community well. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(115)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

44:

Q2R

Crime is a concern in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(118)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

46:

Q2T

Police respond rapidly to emergencies when called. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(121)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

48:

Q2U

Physical or sexual abuse of children rarely happens in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(124)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

50:

Q2V

Neglect or abuse of older persons or those with disabilities rarely happens in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(127)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

52:

Q2W

In my community there are too many teenagers on the street without positive things to do. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(130)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

54:

Q2X

Parents in my community lack adequate parenting skills. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(133)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

56:

Q2Z

Discrimination occurs in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(136)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

57:

Q2AA

Racial or ethnic tension rarely happens in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(138)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

58:

Q2BB

People in my community cannot communicate with each other because they speak different languages. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(140)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

60:

Q2FF

Too many homes in my community are in poor condition. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(143)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

62:

Q2GG

I see homeless individuals on the street or living in their cars in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(146)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

64:

Q2HH

There are adequate opportunities for adult technical or career change training in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(149)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

66:

Q2II

Too many people in my community aren't able to read or do basic math. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(152)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

68:

Q2JJ

There are adequate youth employment opportunities in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(155)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

70:

Q2KK

There is adequate accessibility to care for people with mental or emotional problems. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(158)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

72:

Q2LL

Alcohol or drug abuse poses a threat to my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(161)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

74:

Q2MM

Alcohol or drug use among youth is a widespread problem in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(164)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

76:

Q2NN

Teenage pregnancy is an issue in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(167)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

78:

Q200

I am concerned about sexually transmitted diseases in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(170)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

80:

Q2PP

Dumping of garbage is an environmental hazard in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(173)

Strongly disagree.....	01
2.....	02
3.....	03
4.....	04
5.....	05
6.....	06
Strongly agree.....	07
Don't know/Not sure.....	08
Refused.....	10

82:

Q2QQ

READ 1-3 PAUSE FOR YES OR NO AFTER EACH

This next question asks your opinion on three different community issues. This time, you can just tell me yes or no.

(176 - 177 - 178)

My community would welcome supervised group homes for people with physical or mental disabilities.....	1
My community would welcome more affordable housing options, such as apartments, condominiums, or townhouses	2
My community would welcome housing for seniors.....	3
None of the above (ALL NO'S) - DO NOT READ.....	4 X
Don't know/Not sure (TO ALL) - DO NOT READ	5 X
Refused - DO NOT READ.....	6 X

83:

Q3

DO NOT READ - PROBE TO FIT

What are the two things you like best about your community? PROBE UP TO TWO

(179 - 181)

The area; geography, beauty, mountains, trees (general)	01
Environment; air, water, quiet, clean.....	02
Weather	03
Friendliness; people are friendly, people get along	04
Accessibility/Location/Neighborhood; shopping, culture, urban amenities, I-5	05
Quality of life/Pace of life; relaxed, traffic not too bad.....	06
Safe place to live	07
Affordable living; rent, cost of living	08
Recreation, access to parks, family activities	09
Emergency services, 911	10
Schools/good schools;school district; proximity of schools	11
Other (SPECIFY--PHRASE ONLY:)	96 O
Nothing/Don't like anything about community	97 X
Don't know/No opinion	98 X
Refused.....	99 X

84:

Q4

DO NOT READ - PROBE TO FIT

What are the two biggest concerns you have about your community? PROBE UP TO TWO RECORD FIRST MENTIONED

(183)

Traffic.....	01	
Public transportation.....	02	
Crime or safety	03	
Lack of safety/protective services; police, 911.....	04	
Schools/Education; (number of teachers, class size).....	05	
Lack of parks, recreation	06	
Population growth	07	
Language (non-English), immigration, race, culture, discrimination	08	
Development/Planning issues, housing/shopping, city planning.....	09	
Employment, lack of jobs.....	10	
Cost of living going up	11	
Social and health concerns/issues.....	12	N
Economic concerns/issues	13	N
Environmental concerns	14	N
Other (SPECIFY--PHRASE ONLY:)	95	O
BLANK CODE	96	N
Nothing; no concerns about community.....	97	=> Q6
Don't know/Can't think of any.....	98	=> Q6
Refused.....	99	=> Q6

85:

Q4B

DO NOT READ - PROBE TO FIT

What else? IF NEEDED: What is your second concern? RECORD SECOND MENTIONED

(185)

Traffic.....	01	
Public transportation.....	02	
Crime or safety	03	
Lack of safety/protective services; police, 911.....	04	
Schools/Education; number of teachers, class size.....	05	
Lack of parks, recreation	06	
Population growth	07	
Language (non-English), immigration, race, culture, discrimination	08	
Development/Planning issues, housing/shopping, city planning.....	09	
Employment, lack of jobs.....	10	
Cost of living going up	11	
Social and health concerns/issues.....	12	N
Economic concerns/issues	13	N
Environmental concerns/issues.....	14	N
BLANK CODE	95	N
Other (SPECIFY--PHRASE ONLY:)	96	O
No others	00	

86:

Q4C

Which of those two concerns is your number one concern?

=> +1
si Q4B=00

(187)

Traffic.....	01	
Public transportation.....	02	
Crime or safety	03	
Lack of safety/protective services; police, 911.....	04	
Schools/Education; number of teachers, class size.....	05	
Lack of parks, recreation	06	
Population growth	07	
Language (non-English), immigration, race, culture, discrimination ...	08	
Development/Planning issues, housing/shopping, city planning.....	09	
Employment, lack of jobs.....	10	
Cost of living going up.....	11	
FIRST OTHER: <q4:o>	95	
SECOND OTHER: <q4b:o>	96	
Social and health concerns/issues.....	12	N
Economic concerns/issues.....	13	N
Environmental concerns.....	14	N
Don't know/Can't decide.....	98	=> Q6
Refused.....	99	=> Q6

87:

Q6

READ 1-96 IN ORDER SHOWN UP TO 8 RESPONSES

I am going to read a list of public services or facilities. Please tell me which ones you would personally be willing to pay more taxes for. Just say yes or no as I read each one. PAUSE AFTER EACH

(189 - 191 - 193 - 195 - 197 - 199 - 201 - 203)

Better local roads.....	01	
Public transportation.....	02	
Parks and other recreational facilities.....	03	
Schools	04	
Libraries	05	
Public health services, such as restaurant inspections, water quality and vaccinations	06	
Public safety, such as fire and police.....	07	
Social and health services, such as treatment services, low income, senior programs and housing.....	08	N
Children/youth/teen/program/after school programs/activities	09	N
Is there something else you'd be willing to pay more taxes for? (SPECIFY:).....	96	O
None of the above/Not willing to pay for anything more – DO NOT READ	97	X
Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....	98	X
Refused - DO NOT READ.....	99	X

88:

Q7

READ 1-97 PROBE FOR ONE ONLY

Thinking about all the places people get information about their communities which of these is the one best way for you to receive information about your community. . .

(205)

- The daily newspaper.....01
- Neighborhood paper or magazine.....02
- Mail03
- Local TV04
- Radio05
- Word-of-mouth.....06
- Community activities or meetings.....07
- Email08
- Websites on the Internet.....09
- Or some other way (SPECIFY:).....97 O
- Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....98
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....99

89:

Q8

I have another set of statements, this time more directly related to you and your household. Again, please tell me if you agree or disagree with each statement, using the 1 to 7 scale where "1" is strongly disagree and "7" is strongly agree. You can use 1, 7 or any number in between. If any of these statements do not apply to you, just let me know.

(207)

- Continue1 D

91:

Q8D

I think my job is secure for the foreseeable future. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(210)

- Strongly disagree.....01
- 2.....02
- 3.....03
- 4.....04
- 5.....05
- 6.....06
- Strongly agree.....07
- Don't know/Not sure.....08
- Does not apply/retired or not employed09
- Refused.....10

92:

Q8C1

My household has had difficulty paying for necessities, such as food or housing, in the last 12 months. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(212)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

93:

Q8D1

Traffic congestion makes it difficult to shop or reach essential services. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(214)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

94:

Q8E

If public transportation were more available and reliable, my household would use it to commute to work. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(216)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Does not apply/no one employed.....	.09
Refused.....	.10

95:

Q8G

My household has stored food and other basic necessities in case of an earthquake. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(218)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

96:

Q8H

Someone close to me in my community has experienced violence in their home in the past 12 months. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(220)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

97:

Q8I

I feel safe enough to walk alone in my community at night. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(222)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

98:

Q8J

A household with a handgun or firearm for protection is a safer home. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(224)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

99:

Q8K

I would welcome greater diversity in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(226)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

100:

Q8L

Paying the rent or mortgage leaves my household with less than is needed for other necessities. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(228)

Strongly disagree.....	.01
2.....	.02
3.....	.03
4.....	.04
5.....	.05
6.....	.06
Strongly agree.....	.07
Don't know/Not sure.....	.08
Refused.....	.10

101:

Q8N

I am satisfied with the quality of public K through 12 education provided for children in my community. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, strongly disagree, 7, strongly agree, or some number in between?

(230)

- Strongly disagree.....01
- 2.....02
- 3.....03
- 4.....04
- 5.....05
- 6.....06
- Strongly agree.....07
- Don't know/Not sure.....08
- Refused.....10

102:

Q9

This is a "yes or no" question. In the last 12 months, have you or any other adult in your household tried to find work?

(232)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2 => Q10
- Don't know/Not sure.....3 => Q10
- Refused.....4 => Q10

103:

Q9A

On the 7 point scale please rate how hard or easy it has been for that person to find work, where "1" equals very hard and "7" equals very easy. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, very hard, 7, very easy, or some number in between

(233)

- Very hard.....01
- 2.....02
- 3.....03
- 4.....04
- 5.....05
- 6.....06
- Very easy.....07
- Don't know/Not sure.....08
- Refused.....10

104:

Q10

During the past 12 months, have you or anyone in your household looked for childcare?

(235)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2 => Q11
- Don't know/Not sure.....3 => Q11
- Refused.....4 => Q11

105:

Q10A

On the 7 point scale please rate how hard or easy it has been for that person to find suitable childcare, where "1" equals very hard and "7" equals very easy. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, very hard, 7, very easy, or some number in between

(236)

- Very hard.....01
- 2.....02
- 3.....03
- 4.....04
- 5.....05
- 6.....06
- Very easy.....07
- Don't know/Not sure.....08
- Refused.....10

106:

Q11

During the past 12 months have you or any one you know needed to find help for an elderly person or a person with a disability who was trying to live independently?

(238)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2 => Q12
- Don't know/Not sure.....3 => Q12
- Refused.....4 => Q12

107:

Q11A

On the 7 point scale please rate how hard or easy it has been for that person to find independent living help, where "1" equals very hard and "7" equals very easy. IF NEEDED: Would you say 1, very hard, 7, very easy, or some number in between

(239)

- Very hard.....01
- 2.....02
- 3.....03
- 4.....04
- 5.....05
- 6.....06
- Very easy.....07
- Don't know/Not sure.....08
- Refused.....10

108:

Q12

Within the past 12 months, have you had an older person or an adult child living in your household for financial reasons?

(241)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2
- Don't know/Not sure.....3
- Refused.....4

109: **Q13**
 Does your home currently need major repairs that you cannot afford?
(242)

Yes.....1
 No.....2
 Don't know/Not sure.....3
 Refused.....4

110: **Q14**
 In the past 12 months, has your household ever received financial assistance from any source, such as family, friends or organizations to pay the rent or mortgage?
(243)

Yes.....1
 No.....2
 Don't know/Not sure.....3
 Refused.....4

111: **Q16**
 This next set of questions is about medical and dental health care insurance, and physical and emotional disabilities. How many immediate family members living in your household, including yourself, have been without some kind of health care coverage now or at any time within past 12 months? IF NEEDED: Such as health insurance, prepaid plans. IF NEEDED: Such as HMOs or government plans such as Medicaid?
 \$E 0 99

None00 => Q17 (244)
 Don't know/Not sure.....98 => Q17
 Refused.....99 => Q17

112: **Q16C**
 How many of these are children?
 \$E 0 99

=> +1
 si Q16=#1-#3

None00 (246)
 Refused.....99

113:

Q16D

PROBE TO FIT

Many people do not have health insurance for various reasons. What was the main reason (this person is)/(these people are) not covered?

(248)

- Employer does not offer01
- Lost job and insurance.....02
- Separated from spouse or partner and lost benefits03
- Turned down by insurance company04
- Money, couldn't afford to pay05
- Don't need or want insurance06
- Other (SPECIFY:)97 O
- Don't know/Not sure.....98
- Refused.....99

114:

Q16E

READ 1-96 UP TO 7 RESPONSES ALLOWED

If (that person)/(those people) needed medical attention in the past 12 months, which of these sources were used. PAUSE AFTER EACH.

(250 - 252 - 254 - 256 - 258 - 260 - 262)

- Doctor's office or clinic01
- Emergency room02
- Hospital clinic.....03
- Community health clinic04
- Snohomish public health department.....05
- Some kind of alternative health care06
- Or somewhere else (SPECIFY:).....96 O
- Didn't need, use any medical care - DO NOT READ97 X
- Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....98 X
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....99 X

115:

Q17

Sometimes people have difficulties in getting care when they need it. During the past 12 months, was there any time when you or anyone in your household needed medical care and did not get it?

(264)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2 => Q18
- Don't know/Not sure.....3 => Q18
- Refused.....4 => Q18

116:

Q17A

DO NOT READ PROBE TO FIT

What was the primary reason you, or a household member, could not get the care when you needed it?

(265)

- Not eligible01
- Don't know where to go to get help02
- No transportation or way to get there03
- Location too far away, inconvenient04
- No help to care for child/other family member05
- Language problem06
- Cost too much.....07
- Had previous bad experience.....08
- Other (SPECIFY:)97 O
- Don't know/Not sure.....98
- Refused.....99

117:

Q18

In the past 12 months, have you or anyone in your immediate family had any trouble paying for prescriptions?

(267)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2
- Don't know/Not sure.....3
- Refused.....4

118:

Q19

How many immediate family members living in your household, including yourself, have been without some kind of dental coverage now or at any time within the past 12 months,?

\$E 0 99

(268)

- None00
- Don't know/Not sure.....98
- Refused.....99

119:

Q19C

How many of these are children?

\$E 0 99

=> +1 si Q19=#1-#3

(270)

- None00
- Refused.....99

120:		Q20
How long has it been since you visited the dentist or a dental clinic?		(272)
Within past year.....	1	=> Q21
Within past 2 years	2	
Within the past 5 years	3	
5 or more years	4	
Never	5	
Don't know/Not sure.....	6	
Refused.....	7	

121:		Q20A
<i>DO NOT READ PROBE TO FIT</i>		
What is the main reason you have not visited the dentist in the last year?		(273)
Fear.....	01	
Cost.....	02	
Do not know a dentist.....	03	
Cannot get to clinic/office	04	
No reason to go/No problems	05	
Dentist won't accept coupons	06	
No insurance/no coverage	07	
Have not thought about it or gotten around to it.....	08	
Other (SPECIFY;).....	97	O
Don't know/Not sure.....	98	
Refused.....	99	

122:		Q21
In the past 12 months has anyone in your household, including yourself, had any physical disability that limits participation in normal work or play activity?		(275)
Yes.....	1	
No	2	=> Q22
Don't know/Not sure.....	3	=> Q22
Refused.....	4	=> Q22

123:		Q21B
What is the age of that person? RECORD FIRST OR ONLY PERSON'S AGE: \$E 1 99		(276)
1 year or less.....	01	
No other people	00	=> Q22

124:

Q21C

Is there anyone else? (What is the age of that person)/(what are their ages)?
RECORD SECOND PERSON'S AGE:
\$E 1 99

- 1 year or less.....01
- No other people00 => Q22

(278)

125:

Q22

In the past 12 months, has there been anyone in your household who is challenged with developmental disabilities?

- Yes.....1
- No.....2
- Don't know/Not sure.....3
- Refused.....4

(280)

126:

Q23

In the past 12 months, has there been someone close to you in this community who has alcohol or drug problems?

- Yes.....1
- No.....2
- Don't know/Not sure.....3
- Refused.....4

(281)

127:

Q24

DO NOT READ PROBE TO FIT

When you think back over the last 12 months, what are two things that you were most concerned about in your household? PROBE FOR TWO

(282 - 284)

- Employment, finding/keeping job01
- Having enough money to pay bills, keep up, taxes (general)02
- Getting, keeping health care coverage03
- Health problems with me or family member (physical, mental, emotional).....04
- Childcare; finding/paying for reliable, good05
- Other care (elderly, ill person), finding/paying for.....06
- Safety concerns for me/family07
- Community/Population growth08
- School concerns for me/family.....09
- Transportation; lack of or unreliable10
- Housing; any problem with getting, keeping, fixing11
- Environmental issue impacting home/family (drainage, etc.)12
- Other (SPECIFY--PHRASE ONLY:)96 O
- None; no concerns about my household.....97 X
- Don't know/No opinion98 X
- Refused.....99 X

128: **Q25**
 Do you volunteer in your community? (286)

Yes.....	1	
No.....	2	=> Q26A
Don't know/Not sure.....	3	=> Q26A
Refused.....	4	=> Q26A

129: **Q25A**
 About how many hours do you volunteer, per week, per month, or per year?
 TYPE NUMBER
 \$E 1 999 (287)

Less than one hour/varies	997	=> Q26A
Don't know/Not sure.....	998	=> Q26A
Refused.....	999	=> Q26A

130: **Q25B**
 (About how many hours per month do you volunteer, per week, per month, or per year?) RECORD CODE (290)

Per week	1	
Per month	2	
Per year.....	3	

131: **Q26A**
READ 1-4
 How much opportunity do you have to change how things happen in your community, would you say. . .

=> +1
 si NOT SEL1=1

None	1	
A little.....	2	
Some.....	3	
Or a lot.....	4	
Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....	5	
Refused - DO NOT READ.....	6	

134:

Q27A

READ 1-97

In this survey we have used the term "community" as being the area in which you live. However, "community" can be based on a sense of common interest and shared purpose. Can you tell me which of the following best describes what community means to you. . .

=> +1
si NOT SEL1=1

(294)

- City or town.....01
- Region, such as the County02
- A neighborhood.....03
- Your block.....04
- Church or religious group.....05
- A cultural group.....06
- Job or military07
- Hobby or sports08
- Something else or BE SURE TO READ NEXT RESPONSE
(SPECIFY:)96 O
- Would you say you don't have a community.....97
- Don't know/Not sure -DO NOT READ.....98
- Refused-DO NOT READ.....99

137:

Q28A

READ 1-4

How would you rate Snohomish County, overall, as a place to live, would you say it is. . .

=> +1
si NOT SEL1=1

(300)

- Poor1
- Fair2
- Good.....3
- Or excellent4
- Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....5
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....6

140:

Q29

When you think back over your answers to the community and household questions in this survey, please tell me how much, if at all, your answers were affected by the World Trade Center events of September 11. Use the 7-point scale where 1 means the events did not affect any of your answers at all, and 7 means the events significantly affected some or all of your answers.

(303)

- Did not affect any of your answers.....1
- 2.....2
- 3.....3
- 4.....4
- 5.....5
- 6.....6
- Events significantly affected some or all answers7
- Don't know/Not sure.....8
- Refused.....9

141:

Q29A

Finally, some questions to help us group your responses with others. How many people are currently living in your household, including yourself?
\$E 1 99

(304)

- One01 => Q31
- Refused.....99

142:

Q30

Do you have any children less than 18 years of age currently living in your household?

(306)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2 => Q31
- Refused.....3 => Q31

143:

Q30A

How many are less than 6 years old?

(307)

- One1
- Two.....2
- Three.....3
- Four4
- Five.....5
- Six.....6
- Seven or more.....7
- None8
- Refused.....9

144:

Q30B

(How many are . . .) 6 to 11 years old?

(308)

One	1
Two.....	2
Three.....	3
Four	4
Five.....	5
Six.....	6
Seven or more.....	7
None	8
Refused.....	9

145:

Q30C

(How many are . . .) 12 to 17 years old?

(309)

One	1
Two.....	2
Three.....	3
Four	4
Five.....	5
Six.....	6
Seven or more.....	7
None	8
Refused.....	9

146:

Q31

TOTAL NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLD: <q29>

How many people in your household are age 65 or older?

\$E 0 99

(310)

Refused.....	99
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147:

Q32

What is your age?

\$E 1 99

(312)

Refused.....	99
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148:

Q32A

READ 1-7

Are you. . .

=> +1
si NOT Q32=99

- Under 251
- 25 to 34.....2
- 35 to 44.....3
- 45 to 54.....4
- 55 to 64.....5
- 65 to 74.....6
- Or 75 or older7
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....8

(314)

150:

Q33

Would you describe your household as a one-parent or two-parent household?

=> +1
si NOT Q30=1

- One parent household01
- Two parent household02
- Other (SPECIFY:)97 O
- Refused.....99

(316)

151:

Q34

READ 1-6

Are you currently. . . IF NEEDED: Full-time is 35 hours per week or more

- Employed full-time.....1
- Employed part-time.....2
- A homemaker3
- A student4
- Retired5
- Or unemployed.....6
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....7

(318)

152:

Q35

PROBE TO FIT

What is the highest level of education you have had the opportunity to complete?

- Less than high school1
- High school graduate/GED.....2
- Some college/Technical school/Community College.....3
- 4-year college graduate.....4
- Post graduate work/degree5
- Refused.....6

(319)

153:	Q36
How long have you lived in your current home? \$E 1 99	(320)
1 year or less.....01	
Don't know/Not sure.....98	
Refused.....99	

154:	Q37
Do you own or rent the place you live?	(322)
Own1	
Rent2	
Other.....3	
Refused.....4	

155:	Q38
<i>READ 1-6</i>	
What is your marital status. . .	(323)
Married.....1	
Divorced.....2	
Widowed.....3	
Separated.....4	
Never married.....5	
Or a partner or member of an unmarried couple.....6	
Refused - DO NOT READ.....7	

156:	Q39
Are you Hispanic or Latino? IF NEEDED: That is, Mexican-American, Mexican, Chicano, Central American, South American, Cuban, Puerto Rican, Latino, or Spanish?	(324)
Yes.....1	
No.....2	
Don't know/Not sure.....3	
Refused.....4	

157:

Q40

READ 1-6 UP TO 6 RESPONSES

Which one - OR MORE - of the following would you say is your race. . . IF "HISPANIC" PROBE: Are you White-Hispanic, Black-Hispanic, Asian Hispanic, Pacific Islander and Hispanic, American Indian and Hispanic, or some other race and Hispanic? CODE LIST: 1 White 2 Black or African American 3 Asian 4 Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander 5 American Indian, Alaska Native 6 Or Something else (SPECIFY:) 7 Don't know/Not sure 8 Multiple: Will not disclose 0 NO OTHER CHOICES 9 Refused FIRST ANSWER: @q40 SECOND ANSWER: @q40a THIRD ANSWER: @q40b FOURTH ANSWER: @q40c FIFTH ANSWER: @q40d SIXTH ANSWER: @q40e

(325)

- White1
- Black or African American2
- Asian.....3
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander4
- American Indian, Alaska Native5
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)6 O
- Multiple; will not disclose - DO NOT READ8 => Q40A1
- Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....7 => Q40A1
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....9 => Q40A1

158:

Q40A

READ 1-6 UP TO 6 RESPONSES

(Which one - OR MORE - of the following would you say is your race. . .) SECOND CHOICE

(326)

- White1
- Black or African American2
- Asian.....3
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander4
- American Indian, Alaska Native5
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)6 O
- No other choices - DO NOT READ.....0 => Q40A1

159:

Q40B

READ 1-6 UP TO 6 RESPONSES

(Which one - OR MORE - of the following would you say is your race. . .) THIRD CHOICE

(327)

- White1
- Black or African American2
- Asian.....3
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander4
- American Indian, Alaska Native5
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)6 O
- No other choices - DO NOT READ.....0 => Q40A1

160:

Q40C

READ 1-6 UP TO 6 RESPONSES

(Which one - OR MORE - of the following would you say is your race. . .)
FOURTH CHOICE

(328)

- White1
- Black or African American2
- Asian.....3
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander4
- American Indian, Alaska Native5
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)6 O
- No other choices - DO NOT READ0 => Q40A1

161:

Q40D

READ 1-6 UP TO 6 RESPONSES

(Which one - OR MORE - of the following would you say is your race. . .)
FIFTH CHOICE

(329)

- White1
- Black or African American2
- Asian.....3
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander4
- American Indian, Alaska Native5
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)6 O
- No other choices - DO NOT READ0 => Q40A1

162:

Q40E

READ 1-6 UP TO 6 RESPONSES

(Which one - OR MORE - of the following would you say is your race. . .)
SIXTH CHOICE

(330)

- White1
- Black or African American2
- Asian.....3
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander4
- American Indian, Alaska Native5
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)6 O
- No other choices - DO NOT READ0 => Q40A1

163:

Q40A1

READ 1-5

Would you say you are. . .

=> +1

si NOT Q40=3 AND NOT Q40A=3 AND NOT Q40B=3 AND NOT Q40C=3
AND NOT Q40D=3 AND NOT Q40E=3

(331)

- Chinese1
- Japanese.....2
- Korean3
- Vietnamese4
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)5 O
- Don't know/Not sure - DO NOT READ.....6
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....7

164:

Q40A2

READ 1-5

Would you say you are. . .

=> +1

si NOT Q40=4 AND NOT Q40A=4 AND NOT Q40B=4 AND NOT Q40C=4
AND NOT Q40D=4 AND NOT Q40E=4

(332)

- Native Hawaiian1
- Filipino2
- Guamanian or Chamorro3
- Samoan4
- Or something else (SPECIFY:)5 O
- Refused - DO NOT READ.....6

166:

Q41

Is your total household income from all sources above or below <seta>?

=> Q42

si Q29A=99

(335)

- Below <seta>.....1
- <seta> or above2
- Refused.....3 => INCOM

176:

Q41A

READ 1-8

I'll read some broad income categories, just stop me when I read the one that fits your total annual household income. . .

(345)

- Below \$10,000.....1
- \$10,000 to just under \$25,0002
- \$25,000 to just under \$35,0003
- \$35,000 to just under \$55,0004
- \$55,000 to just under \$75,0005
- \$75,000 to just under \$100,0006
- \$100,000 to just under \$150,0007
- \$150,000 or over.....8
- Refused - DO NOT READ9

178:

Q42

How many telephone numbers do you have in your household? Do not include cell phones or numbers that are only used by a computer or fax machine
\$E 1 99

(347)

- Refused.....99

179:

Q43

Does anyone in your household receive income assistance such as Medicaid, TANF, food stamps, SSI, or medical coupons? PRONOUNCED "TAN-F"

(349)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2
- Don't know/Not sure.....3
- Refused.....4

180:

Q44

That concludes my questions. May I call you again if we do more research on this topic?

(350)

- Yes.....1
- No.....2
- Don't know/Not sure.....3
- Refused.....4

182:

GENDR

DO NOT ASK!

RECORD GENDER

(352)

- Male.....1
- Female2

186:

INT01

\$E

That concludes my questions. Thank you for your time and cooperation.

(362)

Completed Interview01 D => /ATMPT

195:

F7

IF NEEDED STATEMENTS:

- This Snohomish County Assessment is a project supported by a wide group of organizations in the county, including United Way, Snohomish Health District, Providence Medical Center, Snohomish County Human Services, and others, including a broad range of business and community leaders. These organizations are working to promote the well-being of all people in the county.
- * The purpose of this survey is to learn how county residents feel about how things are going in their communities -- both the positive and the not-so-positive. The findings will be used to help government and non-profit agencies provide better programs for people across Snohomish County.
- * If you would like more information or would like to verify that this is a legitimate survey, you may call Sabeth Fitzgibbons at 425-921-3463.
- * I am calling from Gilmore Research Group in Seattle. My company has been hired by the Snohomish County Assessment project to conduct the telephone interviews. If you would like to speak to my supervisor, please call 1-800-573-4498 and ask for a supervisor.
- *The interview takes most people about 20 minutes to complete. If this is not a convenient time for you, I will be happy to call back when you suggest.
- * Your number was scientifically drawn to be included in this survey. Your opinions are important and we hope you will take part in the survey. Many people find the questions are interesting.
- * Your answers are confidential. We do not know your name or address. The responses from 1,200 interviews will be combined to form a picture of county opinion, as a whole.

(375)

RETURN TO SURVEY1

Community Leaders Questionnaire

SNOHOMISH COUNTY KEY INFORMANTS SURVEY

The results from this survey will provide us with critical information needed to identify assets and needs of Snohomish County. This information will be used to assist various non-profit and government agencies in our county in planning and development. We have identified you as a key community leader who can help us better understand the assets and needs of Snohomish County. The more participants the better representation we will have of our community leaders and organizations. Your opinions are very important to us!

Please return this survey **no later than November 9, 2001!**

STRENGTHS OF THE COUNTY COMMUNITY

Communities have strengths that help improve the lives of residents. The following questions are about some of the strengths that may exist in the Snohomish County community. (CIRCLE ONE NUMBER IN RESPONSE TO EACH QUESTION.)

“Community groups” includes business, labor, government, faith, education, neighborhood, nonprofit, and other groups.

Circle any number on the scale 1-7 which reflects your level of agreement with the statement.

	Strongly Disagree							Strongly Agree	Don't Know/ Unsure
In Snohomish County, people from community groups (as defined above) often collaborate to address community concerns, such as housing, safety, or transportation.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
The Snohomish County community promotes good relationships among and participation from...									
... all races.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
... all genders.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
... all cultures.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
... all ages.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
In Snohomish County, faith communities often work together to address social issues.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
Local neighborhood and community organizations throughout Snohomish County work together.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
Families and individuals are invited to be involved in community issues.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
Community groups (as defined above) work together with mutual respect.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
Community groups (as defined above) share a common vision for the future of Snohomish County.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
Community groups (as defined above) collaborate to improve the lives of Snohomish County residents.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	

STRENGTHS OF YOUR HOME COMMUNITY

For the purpose of these questions “community” is defined as the area where you live. (CIRCLE ONE NUMBER IN RESPONSE TO EACH QUESTION.)

Circle any number on the scale 1-7 which reflects your level of agreement with the statement.

	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
People and groups in my community come together to help each other out when they have a problem.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
People in my community trust each other.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

Do you volunteer in your community? No Yes⇒ How many hours? _____ per week / month / year.

How would you rate your community as a place to live?

- Poor Fair Good Excellent Don't know/unsure

ISSUES IN YOUR COMMUNITY

People run into issues sometimes in the areas in which they live. For the purpose of these questions “community” is defined as the area where you live. (CIRCLE ONE NUMBER IN RESPONSE TO EACH QUESTION.)

Environmental Issues

	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
Water in my community is clean and safe to drink.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
The air quality in my community is acceptable.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
My community has enough parks and other green spaces.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Water drainage or flooding is a problem in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Sewage or septic system failure is a problem in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
My community is noisier than I like.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Dumping of garbage is an environmental hazard in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

Leisure Issues

	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
My community offers interesting cultural entertainment such as museums, theater and music.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
There are enough after-school activities and programs for youth in this community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

Economic Issues

	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
There are enough jobs in my community that provide an adequate or livable salary.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
People are adequately trained for the jobs that are available in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Home heating is affordable in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
I would support expansion of commercial and industrial businesses in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

Transportation Issues	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
We need more carpools, vanpools and HOV lanes.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Not counting freeways, local roads and streets are adequate and well maintained in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Public transportation serves my community well.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

Safety Issues	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
Crime is a concern in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Police respond rapidly to emergencies when called.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Physical or sexual abuse of children rarely happens in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Neglect or abuse of older persons or those with disabilities rarely happens in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

Social Issues	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
In my community, there are too many teenagers on the street without positive things to do.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Parents in my community lack adequate parenting skills.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Discrimination occurs in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Racial or ethnic tension rarely happens in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
People in my community cannot communicate with each other because they speak different languages.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

Housing Issues	<input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes						Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
My community would welcome supervised group homes for people with physical or mental disabilities.	<input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes								
My community would welcome more affordable housing options, such as apartments, condominiums or townhouses.	<input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes								
My community would welcome housing for seniors.	<input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes								
Too many homes in my community are in poor condition.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0			
I see homeless individuals on the street or living in their cars in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0			

Education Issues	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
There are adequate opportunities for adult technical or career change training in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Too many people in my community aren't able to read or do basic math.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
There are adequate youth employment opportunities in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

ISSUES IN YOUR COMMUNITY (CONTINUED)

Health Issues	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
There is adequate accessibility to care for people with mental or emotional problems.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Alcohol or drug abuse poses a threat to my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Alcohol or drug use among youth is widespread in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Teenage pregnancy is an issue in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
I am concerned about sexually transmitted diseases in my community.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

What two things do you like best about the area where you live?

1. _____

2. _____

What are the two biggest concerns you have about your community?

Biggest concern: _____

2nd biggest concern: _____

How do you think your #1 concern can be resolved?

In Snohomish County, if community members and leaders were to focus efforts and support for one group of people, that would greatly improve our community, which group do you think should be the focus? (CHOOSE ONLY ONE OF THESE 10 BOXES.)

Population Group

- 1. A racial or ethnic group (specify which one) ⇒ _____
- 3. Children – less than 10 years old
- 5. Elderly
- 7. People with disabilities
- 9. None

Population Group

- 2. A cultural group (specify which one) ⇒ _____
- 4. Children – 10 to 17 years old
- 6. Low income
- 8. Other (please specify) ⇒ _____
- 10. Don't know

Which of the following public services or facilities would you be willing to pay more taxes for?

- | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Better local roads | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | Public transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes |
| Parks and other recreational facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | Schools | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes |
| Libraries | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | Public health services, such as restaurant inspections, water quality & vaccinations | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes |
| Other, specify: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | | | | |

ORGANIZATION INFLUENCE AND EFFECTIVENESS

The following questions ask your opinion of either your role or your organization’s role in the community.

	Strongly Disagree						Strongly Agree	Don't Know/Unsure
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
My organization is effective in collaborating with other community organizations.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
My organization often collaborates with other community groups.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
I have a strong personal influence in shaping community decisions.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
I am satisfied with the role my organization has when collaborating with other community organizations.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
Other, specify: _____	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0

In this survey we have used the term “community” as being the area in which you live. However, community can be based on a sense of common interest and shared purpose. Which of the following best describes what community means to **you**? (CHOOSE ONLY ONE)

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> City or town | <input type="checkbox"/> Region, such as the County | <input type="checkbox"/> Your block |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church or religious group | <input type="checkbox"/> A cultural group | <input type="checkbox"/> Job or military |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hobby or sports | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't have a community | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know/ not sure | <input type="checkbox"/> Something else, specify: _____ | |

When you think back over your answers to the community in this survey, how much, if at all were your answers affected by the World Trade Center events of September 11? (CIRCLE ANY NUMBER ON THE SCALE OF 1-7 WHICH REFLECTS HOW MUCH YOUR RESPONSE WERE AFFECTED.)

Not affected							Significantly affected	Don't know / Unsure
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	

Comments and Suggestions

Please share briefly any comments you may have on community strengths and issues.

KEY INFORMANT CHARACTERISTICS

The following questions will be used solely for statistical analysis. Your answers will be combined with all other responses to get a better understanding of the survey participants as a whole. Your answers will remain confidential (CIRCLE ONE NUMBER OR ANSWER FOR EACH QUESTION.)

1. Currently, about how many employees work for your organization? OR if your organization is a membership organization, how many members do you have?

- | | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Less than 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 to 49 | <input type="checkbox"/> 50 to 99 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 100 to 499 | <input type="checkbox"/> 500 or more | <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown/not sure |

2. How would you categorize your role or your organization's role in the community? (CHOOSE ONLY ONE.)

- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer / philanthropist | <input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy / special interest group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nonprofit agency | <input type="checkbox"/> Planning board /agency | <input type="checkbox"/> Faith community |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business | <input type="checkbox"/> Health care | <input type="checkbox"/> Ethnic or cultural association |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service club or organization | <input type="checkbox"/> Government employee | <input type="checkbox"/> Labor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Elected official | <input type="checkbox"/> Media |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | |

3. What is the zip code of your organization? _____

4. How long have you worked in Snohomish County?

- | | | |
|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Less than 1 year | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 to 2 years | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 to 5 years |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 6 to 10 years | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 10 years | |

5. Are you currently a resident of Snohomish County? Yes No

6. Are you ... Male Female

7. What age group are you?

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

8. Are you of Spanish/Hispanic or Latino origin? Yes No

9. What is your race? Mark one or more race or indicate what race you consider yourself to be.

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|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> White | <input type="checkbox"/> Black, African Am. Or Negro | <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Indian | <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese | <input type="checkbox"/> Filipino |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Japanese | <input type="checkbox"/> Korean | <input type="checkbox"/> Vietnamese |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Asian | <input type="checkbox"/> Guamanian or Chamorro |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Samoan | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Pacific Islander | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Some other race: specify: _____ | | |

10. Would you like someone to contact you about becoming more involved with how the community will use the information from this survey? If so, please add a contact name and phone number or email.

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Or contact Sabeth Fitzgibbons at sabethf@uwsc.org or 425-921-3463.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION

Please return this survey as soon as possible but no later than **November 9, 2001** in the enclosed envelope to:
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