East Bluff Neighborhood Needs Assessment Survey

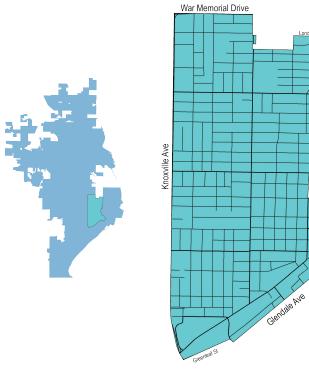


Prospect Rd

ABOUT THE SURVEY

The **City of Peoria**, in partnership with the **Illinois Housing Development Authority (IHDA)**, is undertaking a planning effort in the East Bluff Neighborhood, which includes the area generally bounded by Knoxville Avenue to the west, War Memorial Drive to the north, Prospect Road and Abington Street to the east, and Glendale Avenue to the south (*see map*). This survey is the first step in that planning process to gather neighborhood input as a baseline for future neighborhood planning meetings and a final plan document.

We invite you to be part of this Community Revitalization Strategy process by participating in the "East Bluff Neighborhood Needs Assessment Survey." The survey is completely anonymous, and does not collect any identifying information. You should be able to complete the survey in under 10 minutes. Your participation will help the City strategize for future planning and investment, and identify neighborhood needs and goals. The survey first considers several neighborhood characteristics such as: Mobility, Community Life, Economy, Education and Wellness, and lastly, Community Engagement and Initiatives. The second portion of the survey further assesses your community input.



NEIGHBORHOOD CHARACTERISTICS

MOBILITY		Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
My neighborhood							
	Has adequate lighting in public spaces						
	Allows for clear sight lines that provide safety in public spaces						
	Has sidewalks in good condition						
	Is pedestrian-friendly						
I am able to							
	Easily travel by bicycle in my neighborhood (bicycle trails, bike lanes)						
	Easily travel by car in my neighborhood (paved roads, road maintenance)						
COMMUNITY	/ LIFE	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
Housing in my	neighborhood						
	Is in good condition						
	Offers options that suit a variety of lifestyles and needs						
(Other) –	Is affordable to households making a variety of incomes						
	Is available for the elderly						
	There are enough public places for the community (parks, community rooms, squares)						
	The cleanliness of the neighborhood is adequate						





ECONOMY	Strongly Disagree	Disa gree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
My neighborhood has Adequate commercial and retail development Various types of retail and dining establishments						
Storefronts that look well-kept and attract shoppers						
A variety of employment opportunities that provide wages that allow employees to live in the neighborhood if they choose						
Adequate service businesses, such as banks						
I am able to						

Run the majority of my daily errands without leaving my neighborhood

EDUCATION AND WELLNESS	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
There are opportunities and services that meet the needs of my neighborhood for						
K-12 education						
Post-secondary education (community college)						
Vocational training and education						
Job training and education						
Health services (hospitals or clinics)						
Pharmacy care and services						
Adequate childcare options						
Fresh fruits and vegetables						

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND INITIATIVES		Disa gree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Applicable
My neighborhood						
Makes plans with its residents' best interests in mind						
Works with local business owners to improve public and shared spaces to create a sense of community						
Is working to create a positive future for the neighborhood residents						
When it comes to my community, I am						
Excited by the changes and plans I feel are happening						
Aware of opportunities to engage with my community leaders (public or town hall meetings)						

Interested in the opportunity to provide feedback to my community's leaders regarding local issues





NEIGHBORHOOD INPUT

1. Please describe any new development (i.e. housing, commercial, recreational, etc.), if any, that you believe would most benefit the East Bluff Neighborhood:

2. Do you think there is need for more hour	sing opportunities for residents in your neighborhood?		
Yes	No	Not sure	
3. What type(s) of housing do you think the	ere is need for in your neighborhood? Please select all that a	pply.	
Rental housing	Homeownership		
4. What is the size of your household?			
1 person	2-4 persons	5+ persons	
5. What is your household income?			
\$0 - \$30,000	\$30,001 - \$60,000		
\$60,001 - \$100,000	\$100,001 or higher		
6. How do you learn about things happenir	ng in your neighborhood? Please select all that apply.		
Television	Radio	Newspaper	
City government website	Community newsletter	Word-of-mouth	
Social media (Facebook, Twitter, etc	c.) Other:		
7. Do you currently reside in the East Bluff	f Neighborhood?	8. Do you work in the East Bluff Neig	ghborhood?
Yes No		Yes No	

