

### Neighborhood Leadership Event, November 15, 2014 – Ending survey results

		SA	A	D	SD	Total
<b>I was given opportunities to provide input</b>	Votes	39	15	0	0	54
	%	0.72	0.28	0.00	0.00	
<b>I felt like my input was valued</b>	Votes	28	25	0	0	53
	%	0.53	0.47	0.00	0.00	
<b>I feel better prepared to host an event</b>	Votes	19	30	5	1	55
	%	0.35	0.55	0.09	0.02	
<b>I feel that I understand Nextdoor more</b>	Votes	9	37	4	3	53
	%	0.17	0.70	0.08	0.06	
<b>I feel like I understand the items that were discussed</b>	Votes	16	36	1	0	53
	%	0.30	0.68	0.02	0.00	
<b>I have a sense for what will be done with the data</b>	Votes	7	33	7	5	52
	%	0.13	0.63	0.13	0.10	
<b>I look forward to seeing the data that was collective used in planning and programming</b>	Votes	21	28	2	0	51
	%	0.41	0.55	0.04	0.00	
<b>I am excited about the future of neighborhoods in Fort Collins</b>	Votes	23	26	1	1	51
	%	0.45	0.51	0.02	0.02	

\*SA = Strongly Agree; A = Agree; D = Disagree; SD = Strongly Disagree

#### Comments

- Future planning- maintain reserve for street maintenance
- "I am excited about future of neighborhoods in FoCo"- Not if there is a formalized approach
- "I feel like my input was valued"- depends on your summary!
- "I look forward to seeing the data that was collected used in planning and programming"- I would like to see data broken down between HOA and non-HOA neighborhoods- these are too dissimilar to group
- "I feel better prepared to host an event, like a block party, in my neighborhood"- no other info on other types of events, eg. Clean up; "I feel like I understand the items that were discussed today"- formal vs. informal relationship was covered too quickly- very nebulous exercise; NextDoor and Block Party easily understood

#### What I liked most about the process used today

- The diverse neighborhood ideas, needs, grants available, block party info, virtual ideas to communicate with neighbors I didn't know about- next door, love the idea!
- First time w/ clickers! Liked very much
- Shared input amongst others who care about neighborhood connection
- In addition to being asked we were also provided info conversing with others
- The block party presentation was so fun. I like the figure about polarity management.
- Meeting others that I can learn from in their development
- Lots of info, good discussion, great to get neighborhood leaders together

- The amount of information provided by other homeowners
- Collaborative, valued participation
- Facilitators at tables, clickers & data, Amanda- seeing her and listening to her. I feel more likely to contact her now
- Interactive
- The concept of coming together as a larger community to discuss how we can continue to grow FC while keeping our CITY as a neighborhood
- Small groups
- Someone from the city listened
- Clicker surveys, polarity management, the burritos
- Getting ideas for neighborhood parties, hearing about other neighborhood problems
- Starting the conversation & encouragement of people taking action
- Group engagement/focus group format was nice and well-done. Made time go quickly=not boring!
- Collaboration
- Give and take format while still being informative
- Variety- discussion
- Small group discussions
- Engagement
- Good discussion
- Block party 101 and Jason's NextDoor presentation
- Nice to meet other people from different types of neighborhoods
- Friendly students facilitating
- Clicker questions
- Everyone had a chance to share
- I liked the variety of listening to speakers, especially actual neighbors talking about Block Party and NextDoor
- Discussion of lots of areas of interest
- I enjoyed learning how to better facilitate a block party and learning about NextDoor
- Education about parties and Nextdoor, hearing from other neighborhoods
- Informative- never had hear about Nextdoor- network
- Engagement with other participants
- The cool clicker from turning technologies for instant data collection
- Instant data collection/responses, handouts/idea generators
- Learning from other neighbors
- Opportunity to engage with other neighbors and their needs; college students did a great job facilitating
- Well-structured; kept on topic
- Well organized & good use of material; great food & drink; room was comfortable temp.
- Discussion, technology (clicker- see results)
- Seeing people I know, meeting new people, seeing Martin and updating positive impression of our choice of city leaders and staff
- Everybody was represented- no one left out
- Better pair up of different neighborhood- "sister" neighborhoods" to help one another

### **What I liked least about the process used today**

- Would have liked a copy of slideshow handed out to all or available online to refer back to
- The table discussions seemed to be too short- too much to discuss, just seemed to get started. But on the other hand, this kept things going.
- No gluten-free breakfast burritos
- Info was provided that wasn't needed for me (Nextdoor, Block Party, Grants) that took up a lot of time
- Too short amount of time
- Nothing
- Trying to accomplish too much- a bit too much. Don't make it longer though, e.g. asking us to discuss our responses to future planning. There was no time to discuss this was frustrating
- The presentation on City Park community activities- for those of us who are already successful in events one presentation was not needed, 2 were absolutely redundant
- Feel like there might be hidden agenda I missed
- Was formal and informal
- Talking it out and having staff at our table
- Not enough discussion time
- N/A
- Stuck in individual problems of residents
- Good examples of leadership
- No communication back to officials- one way communication from officials- preventing the ability to clarify points before group sessions
- Not enough time for activities/discussion
- Block party slides
- Polarity form- simply felt too rushed to do it well
- Too vague, no specific solutions or exploration of specific issues
- Informal/Formal, Pro/Con exercise
- Lots of information very quickly
- Broad strokes/less time
- Neighborhood services areas- problems
- Big picture- use of data
- Needed more time for small group discussions
- Table questions were hard to grasp
- I thought it was all very good
- Concerned about bigger involvement in city government and neighborhoods
- N/A
- No break
- Everybody is explained

### **What I feel was missing from the discussion today**

- Resources available to neighborhoods- have handouts or list via paper or virtual
- Dealing with neighborhoods- specific ideas...folks w/o technology, time, etc. where even chipping in \$10 for a block party is impossible, etc.
- Let us know of upcoming events
- Solutions and info on how to help us better manage HOA issues

- We are all having issues and would benefit from having a meeting of this type to bring those issues around a table
- Need more info/ A little too much reading slides
- I did not know what to expect coming in, so all info was great
- Explain Nextdoor and how it is financed
- A clear objective as to why we were brought together
- Why were you even asking about formalizing neighborhoods?
- Having someone from the city to talk about issues
- Value/how to build actual friendships with neighbors
- Who are the "leaders" of our neighborhoods? Are there specific people by name, who are recognized as neighborhood leaders?
- N/A
- I don't know what I don't know
- Definition of city's role and responsibility to neighborhoods
- Practical next steps...action items moving forward
- Substance, Future training on the Development review process- on zoning and land use code. How to protect neighborhood from development that is damaging to quality of life and property values for residents
- Opportunities for discussion between neighbors/people on what works/doesn't work in their neighborhoods; pros/cons and more definitive description of what formal neighborhood relationships w/ city would entail
- I would like to feel more connected with other neighborhoods. We often come up with thoughts, ideas, or complaints and wonder "How do other neighborhoods deal with this? How much money do they spend on this? Etc..."
- More about why this meeting was put together. What the purpose is. I did appreciate it
- Great job; Future planning- road improvements, investing in beautification
- Want to know what's available
- If/how this discussion impacts city political issues
- Nothing
- More opportunity to dig into different types of neighbors
- How to communicate with the City (Access Fort Collins, etc); Neighborhood services should maintain a current list of neighborhood (HOA) leaders to provide direct innovations to those meetings
- N/A
- City Macrocosm/big picture; too much isolation/cocooning
- None

#### **Any comments on the back or outside the questions?**

- This is Agenda 21 brainwashing! Tell them to go back to Oregon
- I also really like the idea of having city staff designated to areas of the city versus specific issues. We had the F.C. police department come to our neighborhood last November and they have one officer designated for each area of the city. All questions and concerns can be directed directly to him. He is very knowledgeable about our neighborhood. It helps to limit the number of people involved. Keeps things more simplified. Our neighborhood has a management company. I feel like our community manager should also be a big part of the liaison between the city and our neighborhood.

- Planning- spare utilization, built out, communication tools