

CIVIC Post Town Hall Meeting Survey

Please complete this survey after the meeting.
This survey should take approximately 10 minutes to complete.

Informed Consent

Protocol Title:

Community Voices, Informed Choices

Purpose of the study:

Your responses will help Dr. Martha Monroe, University of Florida, and your local Extension Faculty evaluate the CIVIC forum and meeting you are attending. We are grateful for the time you take to provide your opinions.

What you will be asked to do:

You will be asked to answer a series of questions on a paper survey at the beginning and end of the program. Most questions ask you to indicate your response by checking a response category, and some questions have an open-ended response format. Your anonymity will be assured in the compilation and reporting of the responses. Participants do not have to answer any questions they do not wish to answer.

Risks and benefits:

There are no risks anticipated to your participation, and there are no direct benefits to you in completing the survey. You will, however, help CIVIC evaluate the effectiveness of forums and meetings, and identify areas for enhancement.

Compensation:

There is no compensation, but there are snacks available to all participants.

Confidentiality:

Your name will not be used or associated with your responses in any data compilation or reports.

Voluntary Participation:

Your participation is completely voluntary. You can decline to do the survey and still take part in this event. There is no penalty for not participating.

Agreement:

I have read the procedure described above. I voluntarily agree to participate, and I have received a copy of this description. The completion of this survey indicates my consent to participate.

Whom to contact if you have questions about the study:

If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Martha Monroe, University of Florida, Gainesville FL 32611-0410, mcmonroe@ufl.edu and 352-846-0878 and your local Extension Faculty. For information regarding your rights as a research participant contact the IRB at 352-392-0433.

Community Issue:

1. As a participant, after attending this meeting...	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree
I feel like I have a more well-rounded understanding of this community issue.	☐	☐	☐
I feel comfortable explaining different views on this issue to someone else.	☐	☐	☐
I learned about new aspects of this issue that I hadn't previously considered.	☐	☐	☐
I feel like I know how I could use my talents and skills to address this issue.	☐	☐	☐
I feel more confident in my ability to address this issue.	☐	☐	☐
I feel like it's easier for me to think about this issue without feeling hopeless or mentally exhausted.	☐	☐	☐
I feel like my efforts would be valued and appreciated by others.	☐	☐	☐
I feel like there are ways that I can get involved and make a difference.	☐	☐	☐
I feel like I could play an important part in helping to address this issue.	☐	☐	☐

2. The meeting speakers and leaders...	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree
Demonstrated expertise in the subject matter.	☐	☐	☐
Clearly answered any questions I (or others) had.	☐	☐	☐
Used clear, simple language that I could understand.	☐	☐	☐
Gave all meeting attendees a chance to contribute and ask questions.	☐	☐	☐
Listened carefully to what everybody said.	☐	☐	☐
Were nonjudgmental.	☐	☐	☐
Were respectful.	☐	☐	☐

3. The meeting space...	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree
Was comfortable.	☐	☐	☐
Was easy to find.	☐	☐	☐
Was easily accessible to the community.	☐	☐	☐

4. As a participant, I felt...	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree
The meeting was valuable.	☐	☐	☐
The meeting was informative.	☐	☐	☐
The diversity of opinions were represented equally.	☐	☐	☐
The overall meeting was motivating.	☐	☐	☐
The handouts were helpful. [☐ handouts were not provided]	☐	☐	☐
The meeting was well advertised in the community.	☐	☐	☐

5. What would you like to see happen in your community to enhance public engagement?

6. What other issues would you like to discuss in a program like this?

7. Demographics

What is your gender?

- ☐ Female
☐ Male
☐ Other: _____
☐ Prefer not to say

Age

- ☐ 17 or younger
☐ 18-24
☐ 25-34
☐ 35-44
☐ 45-54
☐ 55-64
☐ 65 and over
☐ Prefer not to say

Ethnicity

- ☐ Hispanic or Latinx
☐ Not Hispanic or Latinx
☐ Prefer not to say

Race (select all that apply)

- ☐ White
☐ Black or African-American
☐ American Indian/ Alaska Native
☐ Asian or Asian-American
☐ Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander
☐ Other: _____
☐ Prefer not to say

Residency

- ☐ Seasonal
☐ Year-round
☐ Prefer not to say

Zip Code (specific to Florida residence)

☐ Prefer not to say

How long have you lived in Florida?

_____(years)
☐ Prefer not to say

What is the highest degree or level of education you have completed? If currently enrolled, mark the previous grade or highest degree received.

- ☐ Less than high school
☐ High school or equivalent (i.e. GED)
☐ Some college, no degree
☐ Associate degree (i.e. AA, AS)
☐ Bachelor's degree (i.e. BA, AB, BS)
☐ Graduate Degree (i.e. MS, MA, MD, DVM, Ph.D., EdD)
☐ Prefer not to say



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Program Date:

Program Location (County and City):