

Let Us Know About Your Needs for Services and Improvements in Your Neighborhood

A few minutes of your time can help improve the quality of life in your neighborhood!

The City of Little Rock is embarking on a new housing and community development plan. We need your input to understand the problems, identify solutions, and prioritize funding. You can help by completing the following survey.

I am a:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Resident	Zip Code _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Renter <input type="checkbox"/> Homeowner
<input type="checkbox"/> Business Owner	Zip Code _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-profit Service Provider	_____
Please indicate key services your agency provides and target clients	

Help Us Prioritize Our Spending!

The City has **limited funding** available to address housing and community development needs. Please help us prioritize our spending for the next five years.

First, rank the following seven overall community needs, with 1 being the highest priority need and 7 being the lowest priority need.

*Rank 1 (highest need)
through 7 (lowest need)*

COMMUNITY NEED

- _____ Community Facilities (e.g., parks)
- _____ Community Services (e.g., childcare, recreation, senior programs)
- _____ Economic Development (e.g., business assistance programs to create jobs)
- _____ Homeless Facilities and Services
- _____ Housing (new affordable housing, repairs, homeownership)
- _____ Public Improvements (e.g., streets, lighting, water, sewer)
- _____ Homeless Prevention Services (emergency financial assistance to pay housing expenses)

Next, rank the needs in your neighborhood that warrant public funds. Remember, we have limited funding. Check “H” for High Priority, “M” for Medium Priority, “L” for Low Priority, or “N” for No Need.

Type of Needs	Priority			
	H	M	L	N
Housing				
Build More Affordable Ownership Housing (condos, townhomes, single-family)				
Build More Affordable Rental Housing (apartments)				
Emergency Assistance (emergency repairs)				
Homeownership Assistance (down payment, low interest loans)				
Major Home Improvement Assistance (structural, electrical, plumbing)				
Minor Home Improvement Assistance (paint, doors and windows, roof)				
Rental Housing Repair				
Rent Subsidies (monthly subsidies, security deposit)				
Lead Hazard Screening				
Community Facilities				
Community Centers				
Health Facilities				
Parking Facilities				
Libraries				
Neighborhood Facilities				
Parks and Recreation Facilities (playgrounds, pools, skate parks)				
Handicapped Centers				
Senior Centers				
Youth Centers				
Child Care Centers				
Non-Residential Historic Preservation				

Community Services	Priority			
	H	M	L	N
Pre-school Child Care				
School Age After School Care and Tutoring Services				
Crime Awareness/Prevention (neighborhood watch)				
Fair Housing Services (discrimination complaints)				
Health Services (physical health and mental illness)				
Dental Services				
Senior Services (meals-on-wheels, in-home care)				
Services for the Disabled (independent living, job training)				
Shared Housing for Seniors				
Senior Services Ombudsman for nursing home/assisted living patients				
Substance Abuse Treatment				
Services for Victims of Domestic Violence/Child Abuse				
Youth Services recreation activities				
Child Abuse / Domestic Violence Prevention and Outreach Services				
Counseling for child crime victims / struggling with life transitions				
Youth counseling and mentoring services				
Tenant/Landlord Dispute Resolution (rent increases, lack of maintenance)				
Transportation (dial-a-ride)				
Handicap Services and access				
Planning				
Legal Assistance and Advocacy for Tenant Rights and Homeownership, Immigration, Eviction, and Discrimination				

Type of Needs

Priority

Economic Development

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Economic Development assistance to for-profit businesses

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Commercial / Industrial Infrastructure Development Projects

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Job Training and Placement Services

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Rehabilitate Old Commercial/Industrial Buildings

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Small Loans to and Micro-Enterprise Assistance

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Technical Assistance to Businesses

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Employment Training

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Homeless Facilities and Services

Counseling/Case Management and Referrals

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Homeless Facilities (overnight and day resource centers)

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Employment Training

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Life Skills Training

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Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse Treatment, Supportive Services

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Domestic Violence Shelters

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Transitional Housing

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Public Improvements

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Drainage

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Sidewalks (paving, widening)

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Street Improvements (Repaving, curbs and gutters)

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Streetlights, Traffic Signals (stop lights, stop signs, better street signs)

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Solid Waste Disposal Improvements

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Water / Sewer Improvements

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Homeless Prevention Services

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Emergency Financial Assistance to pay housing expenses

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