

Live or work in Hackney, Newham or Tower Hamlets? Could you answer 5 questions about your community?

By completing our survey you can enter a prize draw to win a £1,000 grant made by EECF to a local organisation of your choice.

COMPLETE OUR SURVEY

Please help us by completing our short survey and passing the link onto anyone else you know in the East End. There are only 5 questions to answer and it should take between 5-10 minutes to complete. **All eligible completed surveys will be entered into a prize draw for a chance to win a £1,000 grant that EECF will award to a local organisation of your choice!**

We want to find out what you think about local issues and what is important to you. Anyone who lives or works in Tower Hamlets, Hackney or Newham can help us by sharing their views – family, friends, neighbours, colleagues, clients, service users or volunteers.

You can also download PDF copies of the survey on our website www.eastendcf.org

ABOUT EECF

East End Community Foundation (EECF) has been working in London's East End for the past 26 years. We provide funding to local community groups and voluntary organisations to improve people's opportunities related to employment, education and social cohesion.

To make sure we meet the needs of our community we want to hear from you about what is important.

WHAT IS VITAL SIGNS?

Vital Signs is a report about the East End. It uses statistics and local people's opinions to tell EECF what is happening in our community. The report gives us a 'health check' on the East End, it tells us what is going well and where more work needs to be done. EECF uses this report find out what areas of work need our support and how best to fund local organisations delivering important services.

You can download earlier reports on our website www.eastendcf.org

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

We use what you tell us to write our Vital Signs report which highlights key issues that need to be addressed in the East End. Vital Signs will be released in October 2017 and we share this with local businesses, Councils and the local community to let people know how the East End is doing.

Where do you live or work?

*** Q1: Which borough do you live and/or work in?**

If you live and/or work in more than one borough please tick the borough where you spend most of your time or would like to answer questions about

- Hackney
- Newham
- Tower Hamlets

Q2: Thinking about the 10 areas below, how well do you think things are going in your borough? Please give each a star rating

What the stars mean...

5 stars = Everything is great. Let's keep things that way!

4 stars = Things are going well, but we can make them better.

3 stars = The situation is OK, but could be improved.

2 stars = Things aren't going well. We should take action as soon as possible.

1 star = Things are going very badly. We must act now!

*** Arts, Culture and Heritage**

Are there opportunities to get involved in community events? Do you know about your boroughs heritage? Do you or do you feel you can get involved in local culture?

Don't Know

Is there anything you'd like to tell us about the arts, culture and heritage in your borough?

*** Education and Learning**

Do you think there is a good level of education in your borough? Are young people learning enough in school? Are there opportunities in your borough to learn new things? Are there courses for adults to gain new skills?

Don't Know

Is there anything you'd like to tell us about education and learning in your borough?

*** Environment**

Do you think your local environment is clean and tidy? Is there littering? Are there green spaces near you? Do you know about air pollution levels?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about the environment in your borough?

*** Fairness**

Do you feel your community is fair? Do you feel you have access to the same opportunities as others? How about costs of living, do you think there is a lot of poverty in your area?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about fairness in your borough?

*** Healthy Living**

Do you think there are good health programmes and services locally? Do you think your community has good health overall? How about health amongst children or older people?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about healthy living in your borough?

*** Housing and Homelessness**

What do you think about the availability and affordability of housing? What is the quality of housing like? What do you think about homelessness, is this an issue in your area?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about housing and homelessness in your borough?

*** Local Economy**

What do you think about local businesses? Do you benefit from the major businesses in your borough? Is your income sufficient to run your household?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about the local economy in your borough?

*** Safety**

How safe do you feel in your community? Do you see the police often? Do you know where to go in an emergency? Do you think there are high or low levels of crime?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about safety in your borough?

*** Strong Communities**

Do you feel that your community is connected? Do you think people feel a sense of togetherness or do people feel isolated in their local area? Is there community support near you? Do you feel you have a voice in local decisions?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about the strength of communities in your borough?

*** Work**

Is unemployment high in your area? Are there job opportunities in your borough? If so, what is the quality of work like? What about salary levels?

Don't Know



Is there anything you'd like to tell us about work in your borough?

Tell us about your borough

*** Q3: Please rank these by what you think is the most to the least important in your borough**

	Most important	Important	Least important
Improving education and employment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Making our community feel safer and more connected	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Improving wellbeing and having more access to opportunities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please tell us why you've ranked them in this order

*** Q4: Tell us what you love most about your borough**

- Our jobs and employment opportunities
- Our community feeling equal
- Our housing
- Our community safety
- Our schools and opportunities to learn new things
- Our community heritage and culture
- Our community vibrancy and togetherness
- Our outside environment and green spaces
- Our health and wellbeing
- Our local businesses and local economy

Please tell us why

*** Q5: If you could spend £1,000 to improve your borough what would you spend it on?**

- Increasing the number and range of jobs available
- Reducing the gap between rich and poor
- Improving the affordability and quality of housing
- Making the area safer
- Developing more learning opportunities for all ages
- Creating more chances to get involved in arts and culture
- Working together to build community connectedness
- Reducing pollution and improving the environment
- Improving access to and quality of health services
- Growing our local economy and supporting small businesses

Please tell us what you would spend money on (e.g. more services, improved facilities etc) and why

Information About You

Thank you for your time so far, this page asks for some information about you. You don't have to answer these questions if you don't want to but it helps us to understand how different people in the community feel and what is important to them. Anything you are comfortable sharing is a great help.

What is your gender? *Please tick to select one option.*

- Female
- Male
- Prefer not to say

Other (please specify)

Which range includes your age? *Please tick to select one option.*

- Under 16
- 16-24
- 25-64
- 65-79
- 80+
- Prefer not to say

Which best describes your ethnic group or background? *Please tick to select one option.*

- 1. English / Welsh / Scottish / Northern Irish / British
- 2. Irish
- 3. Gypsy or Irish Traveller
- 4. Any other White background
- 5. White and Black Caribbean
- 6. White and Black African
- 7. White and Asian
- 8. Any other Mixed / Multiple ethnic background
- 9. Indian
- 10. Pakistani
- 11. Bangladeshi
- 12. Chinese
- 13. Any other Asian background, please describe
- 14. African
- 15. Caribbean
- 16. Any other Black / African / Caribbean background
- 17. Arab
- 18. Any other ethnic group
- Prefer not to say

Thank You!

Thank you so much for filling in our survey, your views are really important to us.

If you would like to enter the prize draw to win a £1,000 grant to a local organisation of your choice please give us your contact details.

You can also sign up to one of our newsletters to receive more information about EECF and our work.

Please tick as appropriate (you may choose more than one option)

- Please subscribe me to the EECF supporter newsletter for more info on news and upcoming events
- Please subscribe me to the EECF grants newsletter for more info on applying for funding and community news
- Please send me a copy of the Vital Signs report when it is published in October 2017

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For the prize draw terms and conditions please go to our website www.eastendcf.org

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