



City of Dayton launches annual resident survey

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The City of Dayton is seeking resident input through its annual Dayton Survey, a long-standing initiative to gather community feedback on City programs and services.

Approximately 13,000 randomly selected households will receive the survey by mail in late August or early September. The Dayton Survey helps City leaders better understand community needs and guide policy and budget decisions.

The 2025 survey consists of approximately 80 questions covering a broad range of topics, including government operations, neighborhood conditions, and resident priorities. Surveys will be mailed to residents in single-family homes, apartment complexes, and congregate settings.

Residents may complete the survey by returning the paper survey within two weeks of receipt or by submitting responses online at <https://daytonresidentsurvey.org/> using the unique PIN code provided in the mailed packet.

All survey responses are anonymous.

Residents should look for an envelope displaying the official City of Dayton logo along with the message: "Help the City of Dayton serve you better by taking this survey!"

As an added incentive, survey administrator ETC Institute will randomly select one participant to receive a \$500 VISA gift card. To be eligible, residents must be included in the initial mailing group and return a completed survey either by mail or online. The resident selected to receive the gift card will be notified by ETC Institute directly, before the end of the year.

Residents with questions about the survey may contact the City of Dayton at 937-333-4017 or thedaytonsurvey@daytonohio.gov.

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