



## **Dayton Survey arriving in homes; residents' opinions help shape City policy**

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The City of Dayton is seeking residents' opinions about living in Dayton and City government.

The Dayton Survey began arriving at 12,000 randomly selected homes in mid-May.

Residents should look for an envelope showing the City of Dayton logo and the words "Your Copy of the Dayton Survey Inside."

The survey consists of approximately 75 questions covering a broad assortment of City services, programs and priorities, as well as quality-of-life issues in neighborhoods. Participation is anonymous. The survey is also offered in Spanish.

Residents receiving the mailed survey can return a completed survey in the postage-paid envelope provided by June 15, or may complete the survey at [www.daytonsurvey.org](http://www.daytonsurvey.org) using the unique personal identification number provided.

Residents who are not selected in the initial mailing can still participate by completing the online survey beginning July 1, at [www.daytonsurvey.org](http://www.daytonsurvey.org).

New in 2021: The Dayton Survey administrator, Opinion Works, has partnered with the Gem City Market to provide \$10 shopping vouchers to 800 survey respondents who complete and return their survey by June 15.

"We encourage city residents to make their voices heard by participating in the 2021 Dayton Survey," said Mayor Nan Whaley. "Important decisions about City policies and budgets are influenced by survey results."

The City of Dayton has surveyed residents for more than three decades, with a brief hiatus in 2020 because of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Residents with questions about the survey may contact the City of Dayton at 937-333-3752 or [thedaytonsurvey@daytonohio.gov](mailto:thedaytonsurvey@daytonohio.gov).

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