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Dear City of Bloomington Resident,

You have been randomly selected to participate in the 2019 Bloomington Residency Survey. Only a limited number of households have been selected to participate in the survey process, so your participation is greatly valued.

Your city government depends on current, accurate information upon which to make good decisions. The enclosed survey is your opportunity to help provide us, our administration, and other local governmental entities and community organizations with vital data for your community. Please help shape the future of Bloomington by completing and returning this survey.

This is the second community-wide, scientific survey for the City of Bloomington. The first survey, conducted in 2008, had a baseline understanding of residents’ feelings about the quality and value of City services and recorded opinions about current conditions in our community. Local government and other organizations used those valuable results to inform important decisions. The 2019 survey results will be presented in a public meeting this spring and will reside alongside 2017 results on our open data portal - Bloomington.

A few things to remember:

• Your responses are completely anonymous.
• The adult 18 years or older in your household who most recently had a birthday should complete this survey.
• You may return the survey by mail in the enclosed postage-paid envelope, or you can complete the survey online at:


Completing this survey is a great way to share your city data. Your active participation and input is what helps keep your local government transparent, effective and working for you.

If you have any questions about the survey, or would like assistance completing it, please call 812.349.3400.

Thank you for your time and participation!

Sincerely,

John Hamilton
Mayor

P.S. Remember, we’re counting on your response. Please respond today!

City of Bloomington, IN
2019 Community Survey
Report of Results Draft
April 2019

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Figure 2. Per capita energy-related carbon dioxide emissions by state, 2016

Source: EIA, State Energy Data System and EIA calculations made for this analysis.

Duke Energy Mix:
2018 Statewide

- Natural Gas: 37.34%
- Coal: 61.81%
- Hydro: 0.59%
- Wind & Solar: 0.26%

Source: 2019 Duke Energy Correspondence
COMMUNITY-WIDE GHG INVENTORY PIE CHART

- KEY
  - Upstream Impacts - 2.1 %
  - Water & Wastewater - 1.0 %
  - Unknown Energy - 0.3 %
  - Fugitive Emissions - 0.2 %

*Government Energy includes both CoB operations and Monroe County operations

- Transportation: 27.3%
- Residential Energy: 23.4%
- Commercial Energy: 16.7%
- Industrial Energy: 11.2%
- Government Energy: 10.2%
- Solid Waste: 8.0%

Upcoming Districts

- Solar panels
- Cornfield
- Recycling bin
- City of Bloomington bus

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Young Women Writing for Change Bloomington

LOTUS
John Woodcock

Citizens Academy

Young Women's Leadership Summit

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Sustainability Goals: Climate

- Create more efficient housing patterns, so we drive less
- Increase and diversify sources of clean, renewable, and locally produced energy, including improving the efficiency of our buildings
- Lower the carbon impact of our mobility
- Improve how we deal with our water, our waste, and our food growing and consuming patterns, to strengthen our environmental resilience.

Sustainability Goals: Social

- Accelerate availability and efficiency of housing to create inclusion, limit carbon footprint, raising quality of life for all
- Lower the costs of living, including energy and mobility costs, so wages can go further
- Continue to improve public amenities like water quality and waste management to enhance health and quality of life for all
- Invest in local food system;
- Strengthen social services to help us cope with illness, substance use, disorder, disability, lack of job readiness or skills, or child care needs; and
- Foster jobs that pay living wages, support lives of dignity, and won’t be outsourced or automated away to build social resilience.
SUSTAINABILITY INVESTMENT FUND IMPACT

- Transit
- Aff. Housing
- Energy
- Local Food

Legend:
- Current
- SIF Impact
PROPERTY TAX RATE

[Bar chart showing the property tax rates for various cities, with Gary having the highest rate at $4.4500 and Bloomington having the lowest at $0.8962.]
INCOME TAX RATE

![Bar chart showing income tax rates for various cities, with Bloomington having the highest rate of 0.2500%.](chart.png)

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Transformative Investments

Financial Capacity
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