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# May 18, 2019 Community Relations Assessment Workshop Participant Survey Data

Attendees of the May 18, 2019 Community Relations Assessment Workshop were asked to complete a brief survey at the end of the workshop. The following summarizes the feedback received.

## How would you describe your main reason for attending?

"Wanting to see increase in diversity/inclusion in UA and leadership."

"Positive! The fact that the city is doing this is a positive. Appreciate different views."

"I want to be proud of my community-how we treat others, how welcoming we are, etc."

"Encouraging discussion, problem-solve potential issues related to lack of inclusion or ways to encourage inclusion in UA, promote diversity."

"Community involvement, diversity, inclusion."

"As a long-time resident and employee of the UA school system, I have been interested in seeing Upper Arlington become a more welcoming, diverse community."

"I felt the focus could inform my work in outreach for my organization."

"I wanted to hear more about other community members' experiences in UA. I am interested in what's next for the city as we discuss issues of equity and diversity."

"I want to help increase diversity in the city and make it a better place for all of us to live. I also want to tackle hard topics."

"To support UA being a welcoming community for all."

"Interest in my life-long community. Did not know what to expect."

"Directed by supervisor."

"To get voices heard that always are not being heard."

"I want to be a part of Arlington becoming more diverse and more welcoming."

## Do you have any suggestions for improvement?

"Find more ways to get this meeting out to more people. If I had not been involved, and knew to ask, I wouldn't have known to come."

"Need eggs and fruit- fewer carbs. Need to have an evening meeting and an afternoon weekend meeting (this was too early on a Saturday). The coffee was luke warm."

"Share summary/review of today's workshop with future groups. Encourage participation by youth and senior citizens."

"This was great- exceeded expectations! I wish I could have met more of the attendees."

"Clarify distinction between option A & B in addendum."

"Include the voice of some of UA's larger employers. If they are unwilling or unable to participate, share the outcome or progress of community relations in UA."

"Facebook live that allows people to view and participate in the conversation."

"I would work through how we could plot our "voting stickers" on 5 options across <u>all</u> options across groups. Some teams had fabulous ideas that I would have "voted" on outside of our group. On the slide that showed "implicit" and "explicit," I think there is a spelling error."

## Do you have anything else you wish to share with us at this time?

"A good, tho	ughtful	discu	ission."	

"Thank you for creating a space for conversation."

"Excellent program, very positive and hopeful for action-oriented progress for change."

"These are great steps to start the process."

"I was glad to have the opportunity to participate."

"Seeing the trends of the pre-workshop survey was helpful."

"Thank you!"

"I am proud to call UA home because of the people who care so much about our community."

"Voices are still not being heard. We have people who are left out."

#### Satisfaction

	Very Satisfied	Satisfied	Neutral	Somewhat Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied
Date	6	5	1	1	
Location	11	3			
Workshop Length	7	6	1		
Workshop Content	9	4	1		

## How did you hear about the Community Relations Assessment Workshop?

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Email invitation	5
City promotions (newsletters, social media,	4
advertising)	
Word of mouth	4
Direct invitation by an associate/friend/family	2
member	
Other	3