



# Your Thoughts About... Age-Friendly Survey

**PLEASE RETURN BY NOVEMBER 30, 2009**

The Regional District of North Okanagan is developing a Regional Growth Strategy that will guide over communities over the next 20 years. Your thoughts on the issues and the priorities you consider in urgent need of attention will assist in the development of an Strategy that responds to the entire North Okanagan. Thank you for providing your input, your thoughts and your concerns. Please fax, post or e-mail the survey or drop it off in your community when you're done. The information is on the back. There is an online version at: [www.rdno.ca/rgs](http://www.rdno.ca/rgs)

## Your Thoughts About Housing

There is enough housing for seniors in my community? **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

Housing for seniors is affordable in my community. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

There is enough housing for younger people in my community. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

## Your Thoughts About Transportation

Public transportation to your destinations are sufficient. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

Transportation options to medical appointments is sufficient. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

Transportation options for people with disabilities is sufficient. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

Public transportation options are affordable to seniors. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

## Your Thoughts About Services and Infrastructure

Local parks and walking trails are accessible to seniors. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

I don't need a car to get to essential services. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

Do I feel safe when I am walking or crossing the street? **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

Recreational activities are generally affordable to seniors. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

There are programs that bring seniors and youth together. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**

The services that I use are sufficient for my needs.. **YES**  **NO**  **DON'T KNOW**



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## Your Thoughts About Social Inclusion

Seniors in my community are generally treated with respect. YES  NO  DON'T KNOW

Seniors serve in an advisory role in my community. YES  NO  DON'T KNOW

Community consultations specifically include all ages. YES  NO  DON'T KNOW

Planning processes in my community consider needs of seniors. YES  NO  DON'T KNOW

## Your Thoughts About Community and Workforce Participation

There are enough volunteer opportunities for seniors. YES  NO  DON'T KNOW

There is enough recognition for seniors who volunteer. YES  NO  DON'T KNOW

There are enough paid opportunities for seniors. YES  NO  DON'T KNOW

## What do you appreciate and enjoy about your community?

## What are your top priorities in the North Okanagan. Please give details.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_

## YOUR INFORMATION

What is your age? 55-59  60-64  64-69  70+  Other Ages \_\_\_\_\_

Are you:  MALE  FEMALE Are you on a fixed income?  YES  NO

Where do you live?  Armstrong  Coldstream  Enderby  Lumby  Spallumcheen  
 Vernon  Electoral Area \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for taking the time to provide your thoughts on your communities. Please return to:  
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