

SURVEY of PROGRAM IMPACT and EFFECTIVENESS

POLICE-COMMUNITY RELATIONS BUREAU

INSTRUCTIONS: You have been selected to answer this survey because of your participation in or knowledge of one or more of the programs sponsored by the community Relations Bureau of the Corpus Christi Police Division. The purpose of this survey is to obtain your feelings about the activities and programs.

The completion of the survey will take only a few minutes of your time. Make an honest response to each item and follow the directions carefully for each section. You are not required to identify yourself in any way. The results of the survey will be held confidential and your response will be used for research purposes only.

PART I BASIC DATA

1. AGE 60_)	2. SEX MALE	3. OCCUPATION PHYSICIAN	4. ETHNIC GROUP MEXICAN AMERICAN..
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5. AREA OF RESIDENCE--Street Name or Neighborhood 401 PEERMAN PLACE CORPUS CHRISTI. TEXAS.

6. EDUCATION- Circle Highest Grade Completed
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 — College 1 2 3 4 and Graduate 1 2 3 8 YRS COLLEGE.

7. The Community Relations Bureau has sponsored a variety of programs and activities during the last three years. Circle the activity or program in which you participated.

- a. Operation Identification ☒ b. School Programs c. Recreation Center Programs
d. Civilian Ride Along Program ☒ e. Programs Presented to Clubs or Organizations
f. Police Station Tours g. Other (please specify) _____

PART II EVALUATION OF SPECIFIC PROGRAMS

INSTRUCTIONS: Identify the program that you are evaluating by writing the name of the program in the space provided below. Evaluate the effectiveness of this program by responding to the following statements. Check SA if you strongly agree; A if you agree; NAD if you neither agree nor disagree; D if you disagree; and SD if you strongly disagree with the statement. Mark a response for each statement.

PROGRAM NAME	SA	A	NAD	D	SD
1. The experiences and/or information provided by the program are beneficial and I would recommend that it be continued.	X				
2. Participation in the program increased public knowledge of police functions and responsibilities.		X			
3. The program provides worthwhile experiences, and I would recommend that others participate.	X				
4. Sponsorship of this program has improved police/community relations.	X				
5. This program has proven valuable, and it should be supported and expanded.	X				

Additional Comments

PART III PROGRAM EFFECTIVENESS STATEMENTS

INSTRUCTIONS: Read each of the following statements carefully. Check **SA** if you strongly agree; **A** if you agree; **NAD** if you neither agree nor disagree; **D** if you disagree and **SD** if you strongly disagree with the statement. Mark a response for each statement.

	SA	A	NAD	D	SD
1. Community relations programs have increased community knowledge and understanding of police functions and responsibilities.		X			
2. The concept of police community relations programs has proven to be a positive step toward improving police/community relationships.	X				
3. The image of the police in our community has been improved through the sponsorship of programs and activities by the Community Relations Bureau.		X			
4. Recreation center programs have proven valuable in improving police relations with young people.	X				
5. Educational programs presented to the schools have been effective in creating more positive relationships between police and youth.		X			
6. Programs and activities designed to improve police relations in minority group neighborhoods have been helpful and should be continued.	X				
7. Hostility between police and young people has decreased as a result of police sponsorship of and involvement in community educational and recreational programs.		X			
8. Activities such as police station tours and the civilian ride along program have increased and improved community knowledge of police duties and problems.		X			
9. Police sponsored community relations programs should be continued to further improve community/police understanding.	X				
10. Concentrated community relations programs are an important and valuable police service, and programs of this type should be expanded and intensified.	X				

PART IV GENERAL EVALUATION OF PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

INSTRUCTIONS: The purpose of this part of the survey is to obtain your general evaluation of the effectiveness of Police Community Relations Programs. Read each statement carefully, and circle the response that best represents your feeling. In the space provided after each statement, provide any additional comments that you might need to clarify your answer.

1. The concentrated community relations programs that have been developed and sponsored by the Corpus Christi Police Division during the past three years have been designed to improve police/community relationships and to increase public awareness and understanding of police duties and responsibilities. To what extent have these programs accomplished these basic objectives?

Very Successful 5	Somewhat Successful 4	Neither Successful Nor Unsuccessful 3	Somewhat Unsuccessful 2	Very Unsuccessful 1
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Additional Comments _____

2. Based upon your knowledge of or participation in police sponsored community relations activities, how do you feel about the continuation of these community programs?

Very Successful 5	Somewhat Successful 4	Neither Successful Nor Unsuccessful 3	Somewhat Unsuccessful 2	Very Unsuccessful 1
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Additional Comments _____

3. A basic objective of the community relations programs has been to improve the image of the police in the community in general and, specifically, to improve police relations and acceptance in minority neighborhoods. How effective have these programs been in accomplishing this objective during the past 3 years?

Very Successful 5	Somewhat Successful 4	Neither Successful Nor Unsuccessful 3	Somewhat Unsuccessful 2	Very Unsuccessful 1
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Additional Comments _____

4. One general objective of the Community Relations Program has been to improve police/youth relations and communications by sponsoring programs in the schools and recreation centers. To what extent have these programs accomplished this general objective?

Very Successful 5	Somewhat Successful 4	Neither Successful Nor Unsuccessful 3	Somewhat Unsuccessful 2	Very Unsuccessful 1
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Additional Comments _____
