Bessemer, Eilers/Bojon Town, and Grove Communities Survey Results

Top Overall Suggestions to Improve Neighborhoods

- Clean Up Neighborhoods
- Increase Police Presence
- Get Rid of Drugs
- Improve Lighting
- More Activities for Youth
- Increase Safety

Top Suggestions to Get More People Involved in their Neighborhood

- More Opportunities to Get Involved in the Neighborhood
- Awareness of Activities and Opportunities
- Neighbors Getting to Know Each Other and Communicating with One Another
- More Interest and Participation from Neighbors, Organizations, and Businesses

Top Suggestions to Increase Safety in Neighborhoods

- Increase Police Presence
- Improve Lighting
- Decrease Drug Use
- Start or Improve Neighborhood Watch
- Clean Up Neighborhoods
- Neighbors Becoming Involved and Watching Out for Each Other

Top Suggestions to Increase Physical Activity in Neighborhoods

- More Events, Activities, Clubs, Groups, and Classes to Increase Physical Activity
- Improve Safety
- Businesses and Organizations that Promote Physical Activity
- More Physical Activities for Youth
- Awareness of and Access to Physical Activities, Healthy Food Options, and Health Education

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BEGIN
Bessemer, Eilers/Bojon Town, and Grove Improvement Network

What is BEGIN?
BEGIN is a group of neighborhood leaders that have come together to increase physical activity, safety, connection, and pride in the Bessemer, Eilers/Bojon Town, and Grove neighborhoods.

Why Get Community Input?
BEGIN wanted community input from neighborhood residents and community members to learn what would be most helpful to improve their neighborhood and develop a project action plan.

How was Community Input collected?
Input was collected by going to homes randomly picked in the Bessemer, Eilers/Bojon Town, and Grove neighborhoods. Volunteers asked questions about how the community could be improved and collected resident’s suggestions.

What Has BEGIN Used the Input For?
With input received, BEGIN developed a community action plan and will start working on neighborhood projects to improve physical activity, safety, connection, and pride in these neighborhoods.

How Can You Help Improve Your Neighborhood?
BEGIN is currently in the process of developing neighborhood projects and recruiting residents to volunteer to help get the work done. You can help, call 719-583-4480.

For more information on how you can get involved and to see what we are working on, please visit pueblohealth.org