

General Survey Form

- Please answer the following questions.

How long have you resided at this home (round to the nearest year)? _____

How many square feet is the house (not including the basement)? _____

How many stories does your home have?

- 1
- 2
- 3
- >3

In the following table, record the number of windows facing each direction for each size category that you have at your home.

Side Home Faces	# of Windows		
	< 9 ft ²	9 – 49 ft ²	> 49 ft ²
North	_____	_____	_____
South	_____	_____	_____
East	_____	_____	_____
West	_____	_____	_____

In the following table, estimate the percentage of surface area covered by windows for each side of your home.

Side Home Faces	% of Surface Covered by Windows			
	0 - 25	26 - 50	51 – 75	76 - 100
North	_____	_____	_____	_____
South	_____	_____	_____	_____
East	_____	_____	_____	_____
West	_____	_____	_____	_____

In the following table, record how many windows on each side of your home currently have the following characteristics.

Characteristic	Number of windows on each side of home having characteristic			
	North	South	East	West
Interior plants visible through window	_____	_____	_____	_____
Interior lights visible at night	_____	_____	_____	_____
Interior rooms painted with dark colors	_____	_____	_____	_____
Shades, drapes, or blinds drawn during day	_____	_____	_____	_____
Decals on windows (i.e., hawk or leaf silhouette)	_____	_____	_____	_____
Tinted windows	_____	_____	_____	_____
Screens	_____	_____	_____	_____
Exterior decorations (i.e., wind chimes)	_____	_____	_____	_____

In the following table, record how many of each of the listed features are found within 100 ft. of each side of your home. Only record features if the feature would be reflected from a window on that side of the home.

Feature	Number of each feature within 100 ft. of each side of your home			
	North	South	East	West
Birdfeeders	_____	_____	_____	_____
Bird baths	_____	_____	_____	_____
Bird houses	_____	_____	_____	_____
Trees or shrubs > 5 ft. tall	_____	_____	_____	_____
Trees or shrubs < 5 ft. tall	_____	_____	_____	_____
Exterior lights left on all night	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other prominent features you feel might attract birds to your yard (i.e., freshwater – river, lake, pond).				
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

How often do you clean the outside of your windows?

- At least weekly
- At least monthly
- At least yearly
- Never

In the following table, record how often you observe each of the following bird predators/scavengers within 100 ft. of the home.

Raptors (Hawks, eagles)	<input type="checkbox"/> Daily	<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly	<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearly	<input type="checkbox"/> Never
Cats	<input type="checkbox"/> Daily	<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly	<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearly	<input type="checkbox"/> Never
Dogs	<input type="checkbox"/> Daily	<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly	<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearly	<input type="checkbox"/> Never
Other mammals (i.e., Raccoons, skunk, opossum)	<input type="checkbox"/> Daily	<input type="checkbox"/> Weekly	<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearly	<input type="checkbox"/> Never

What is the population of your city or town?

- 1-5,000
- 5,001-25,000
- 25,001-100,000
- >100,000

How would you describe the neighborhood within a half of a mile surrounding your home in terms of housing density?

- Rural
- Suburban/Rural Mix
- Suburban
- Suburban/Urban Mix
- Urban

Please mark all habitats present within a half of a mile of your home. Record a habitat type only if it is found in a continuous block of 1 acre [70 x 70 square yards] or more. Mark all that apply.

- Woods (Deciduous, evergreen, or mixed)
- Scrub
- Grassland
- Desert
- Agricultural
- Developed areas (Industrial, commercial, or residential)
- Open areas (Golf course, athletic fields, etc.)
- Water (Fresh or salt water)