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ACQUISITIONS

SUBJECT: Grant Close-out: Final Assessment Report

GRANT NO: 94-DD-CX-0046
AWARD AMOUNT: \$50,000.00
PROJECT PERIOD: 10/01/94 - 12/31/95

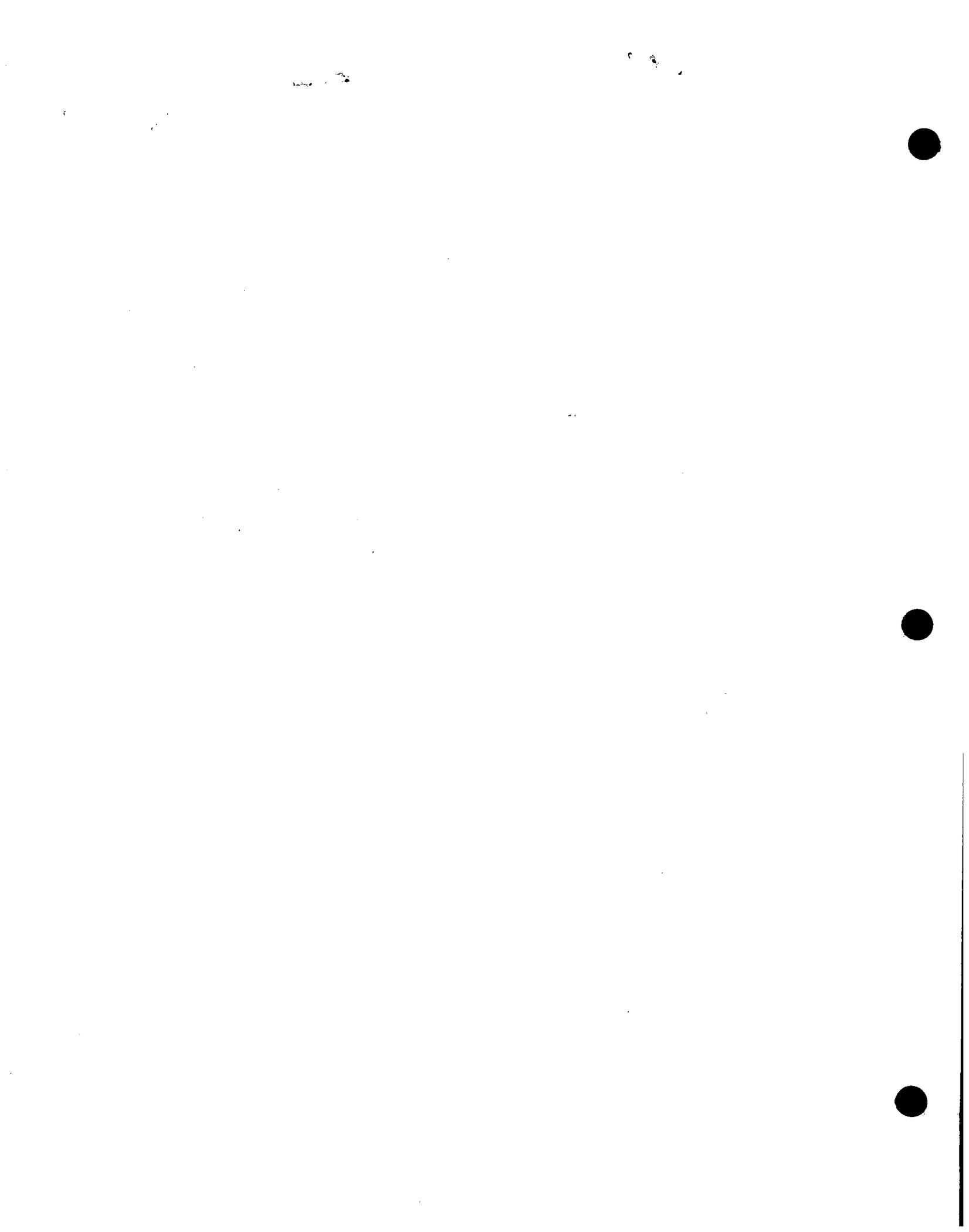
PROJECT TITLE: National Neighborhood Mobilization
Program to Prevent Crime

GRANTEE: Youth Development, Inc.
6301 Central Avenue, Northwest
Albuquerque, NM 87105
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MAIN OBJECTIVE AND PROBLEM ADDRESSED

The National Neighborhood Mobilization Program stems from the pretext that individual/agency actions are necessary but not sufficient to prevent crime and violence and that by working together people can make a difference in the quality of life they establish for themselves, their neighborhood, and their community. The purpose of the program is to demonstrate the effectiveness of public and private partnerships among citizens, grassroots activists, educators, clergy, business persons, law enforcement, and other public and private service providers in helping to reduce crime, violence and illicit drug use. Key program elements included: the building and/or enhancing of local planning teams; the development of short-, intermediate-, and long-term strategies; community policing; and prevention education.

Youth Development, Inc. (YDI) is a community-based non-profit social services agency providing services to children, youth, and families in Central New Mexico. Knowing that problems rarely occurred in isolation and that the at-risk population was vulnerable to a host of problems simultaneously, such as gang involvement, substance abuse and teen parenting issues, YDI offered a holistic, continuum of care approach to youth issues.



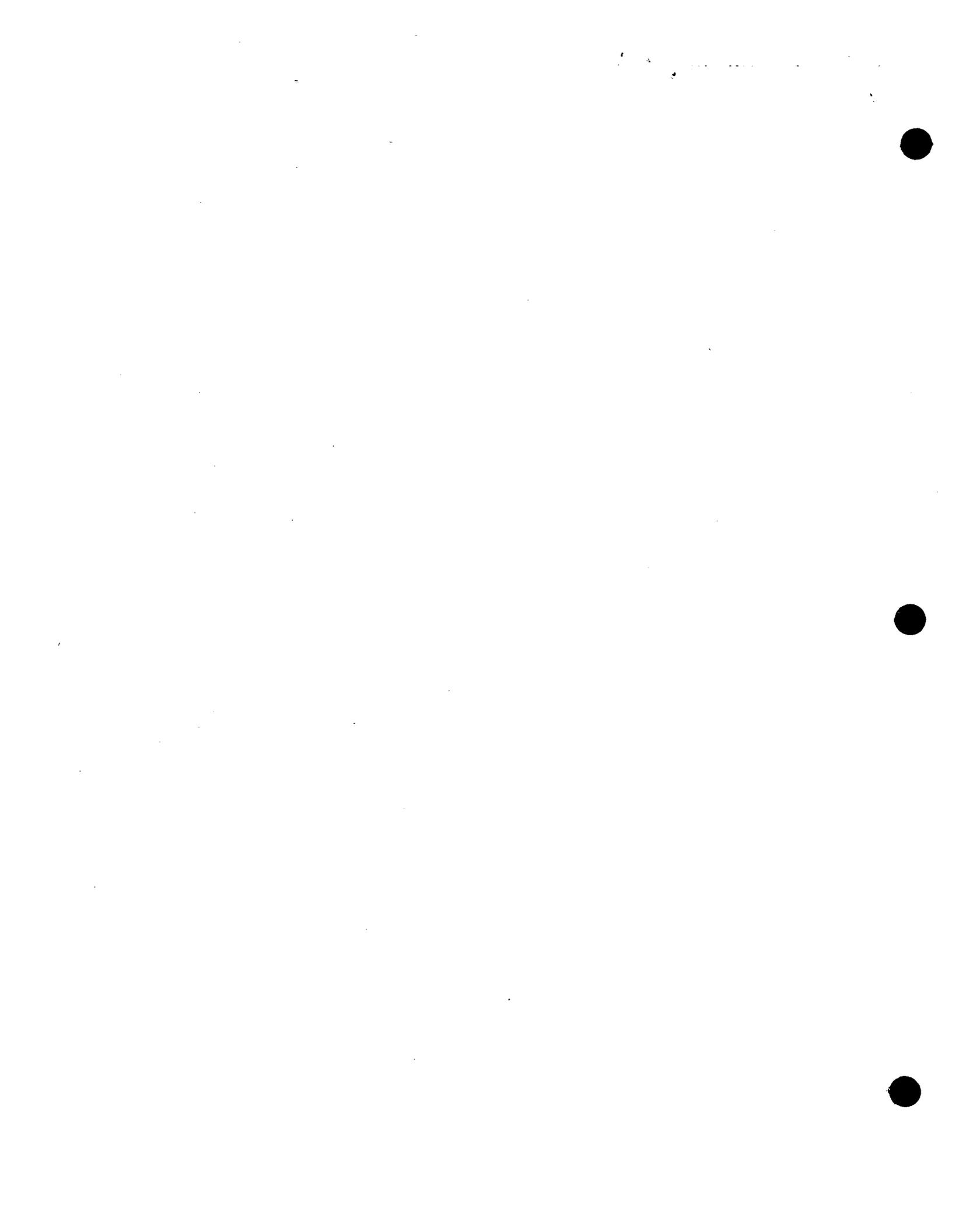
Under this grant, YDI's mission was to help people help themselves. The project focussed on leadership skills, education, grassroots initiatives and neighborhood organization. While the majority of clients were children and youth, YDI believed that finding solutions to the challenges that beset young people in today's society required the participation of families and communities; and, for long-term/positive change to occur, it was essential to rebuild a sense of community and to develop an awareness of community authority and power.

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN

YDI instituted a community mobilization project on Albuquerque's west side (target area Police Beat 215) which inspired, motivated and educated the community members to take action against problems facing their area, such as drugs, crime, gang activity, vandalism and violence, and taught the community how to organize and access services and resources to solve their problems. YDI formed a support network within the community between the churches, schools, city services, law enforcement, and other social service providers to assist the youth and most at-risk families. Through the identification and implementation of strategies for addressing prioritized community needs, local residents learned how to become activists on their own behalf.

BRIEF ASSESSMENT

The grantee abided by the rules and regulations which concern Federal and state grants in the implementation of this project. No fiscal or programmatic deficiencies were identified.



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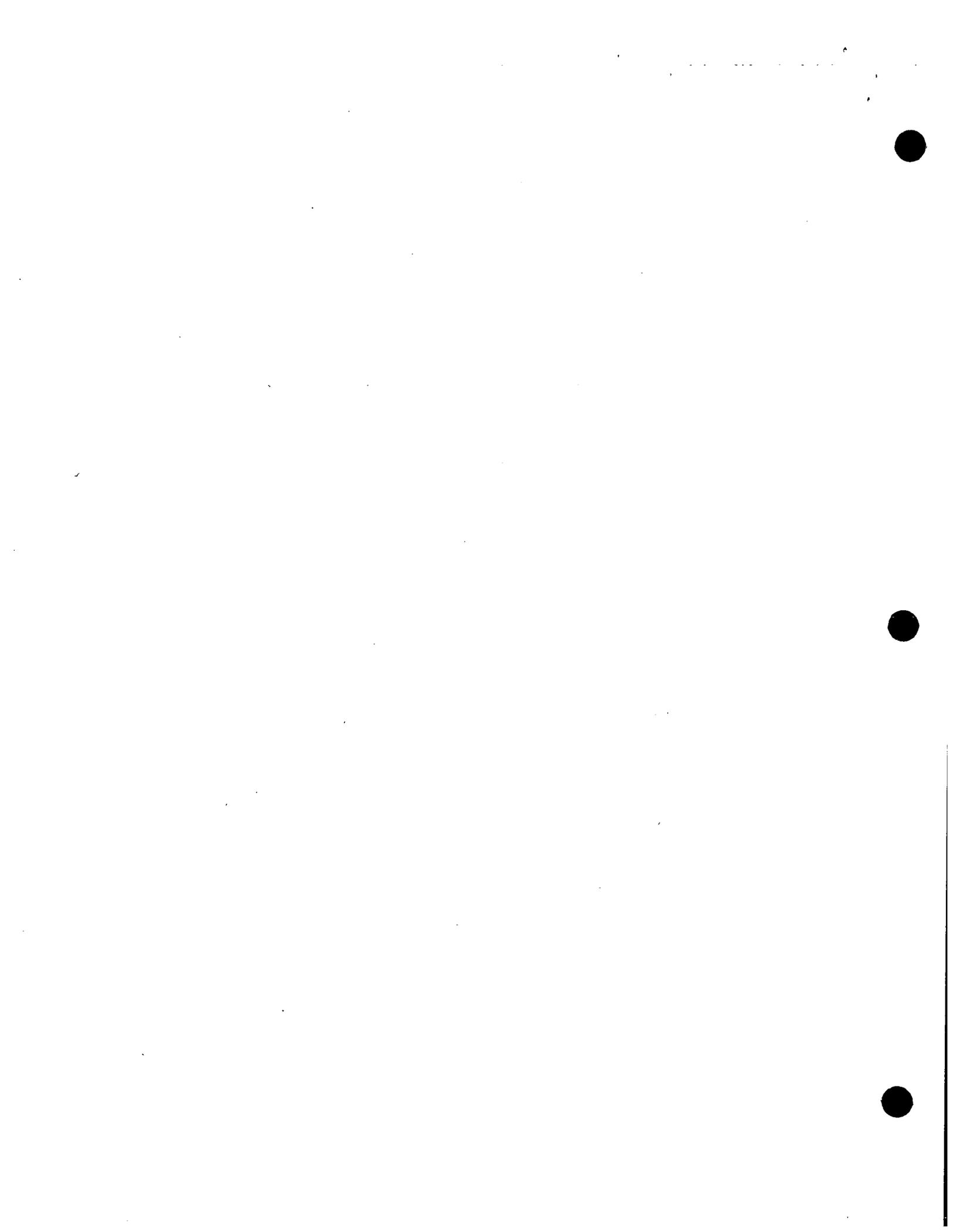
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**CATEGORICAL ASSISTANCE
FINAL
REPORT**

**Youth Development, Inc.
Albuquerque, New Mexico
Agency Grant Number: 85-0246036**

Reporting Period: October-December 31, 1995

Report submitted by:
Johnny J. Armijo
Director



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**CATEGORICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRESS
REPORT/FINAL**

Grantee: Youth Development, Agency Grant Number: 85-0246036

Report No. 5/FINAL

Reporting Period: October-December 1995

Stage I-Planning

Goal 1.

Assess the crime situation and perspectives in the target area.

Objective: Identify the issues facing the neighborhood/community in the 60th street area, using the police beat (215) as initial boundaries.

COMPLETED. REFER TO REPORT #3.

Strategies:

1. Design a needs assessment for the target area.

COMPLETED. REFER TO REPORT #3.

2. Establish a process for delivering and receiving back the survey.

COMPLETED. REFER TO REPORT #3.

3. Compile the data into a report.

COMPLETED. REFER TO REPORT #3.

Stage II. The Program Implementation Strategy

Goal 1.

Develop community awareness and cohesiveness in the designated community (police beat 215) *THIS IS BEING ACCOMPLISHED BY THE USE OF FLIERS/MEETINGS AND WORD OF MOUTH BY COMMUNITY RESIDENTS.*



Objective: Organize a Neighborhood Association. *THIS HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED.*

Objectives: Build a membership of at least 15 active members. *THIS HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED.*

Strategies:

1. Contact the city's Office of Neighborhood Coordination.
ALL STRATEGIES HAVE BEEN COMPLETED.

2. Set a meeting date.

3. Create posters and flyers for door to door distribution to publicize the meeting.

4. Formally incorporate. *THIS STEP HAS BEEN ACHIEVED. THE WESTSIDE MOBILIZATION EFFORT HAS JOINED RANKS WITH THE LAVALAND NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION WHO WAS RECENTLY INCORPORATED.*

Goal 2. Establish liaisons and resources for community anti-crime initiatives.

Objective: Establish a task force.

Strategies:

1. Identify appropriate law enforcement offices, city organizations, educational entities and any other groups and invite them to participate in a task force with the neighborhood residents. *CAPTAIN JULIAN CORDOVA, LIEUTENANT RUTH LOWE, FROM THE ALBUQUERQUE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND LEO PADILLA FROM THE OFFICE OF NEIGHBORHOOD COORDINATION ARE ACTIVE MEMBERS ALONG WITH APPROXIMATELY 17 RESIDENTS AND MERCHANT'S. AS MENTIONED IN THE LAST REPORT, THE WESTSIDE MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION AND THE NEW MEXICO ARMY NATIONAL GUARDS' DEMAND REDUCTION UNIT ARE STRONG PROPONENTS OF THIS EFFORT. THE DIRECTOR OF THE PROGRAM, HAS BEEN AND CONTINUES TO BE INVOLVED IN A VARIETY OF COMMITTEE'S AND TASK FORCES IN BERNALILLO COUNTY AND THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE WHICH ASSIST GREATLY IN LINKING THE RESOURCES OF MANY AGENCIES, ORGANIZATIONS AND THE LIKE, TO THE COMMUNITY.*

2. Hold an organizing meeting in which the needs assessment priorities are reviewed.

ALL THE STRATEGIES HAVE BEEN ACHIEVED.

3. Develop a strategic plan for tackling the priorities.



4. Take action on the strategic plan, integrating all YDI resources in addition to tasks force resources.

WE ARE WORKING CLOSELY WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT, THE CITY, YDI, MERCHANTS, RESIDENTS, CHURCH'S AND OTHER GROUPS TO IMPLEMENT OUR PLAN.

5. Publish a newsletter informing all residents within the neighborhood association boundaries of the actions taken and results achieved by the task force.

THIS IS CURRENTLY IN THE PLANNING STAGES.

Goal 3. Assist the community to transition to independence.

FROM THE PLANNING STAGES OF THE PROGRAM, IT HAS BEEN THE GOAL OF THE DIRECTOR TO ALLOW RESIDENTS AND OTHERS ON THE TEAM TO ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY FROM THE VERY BEGINNING. WE FEEL THIS IS A CRITICAL ELEMENT IN COMMUNITY MOBILIZATION. THE WESTSIDE MOBILIZATION PROGRAM HAS MERGED IT'S EFFORTS WITH THE NEWLY FORMED LAVALAND NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION . OUR GROUP FELT THAT THE GOALS WERE CLOSELY RELATED AND LAVALAND WAS IN THE PROCESS OF INCORPORATING INTO A NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION. MEMBERS JOINED TOGETHER FOR THE FIRST TIME IN LATE SEPTEMBER.

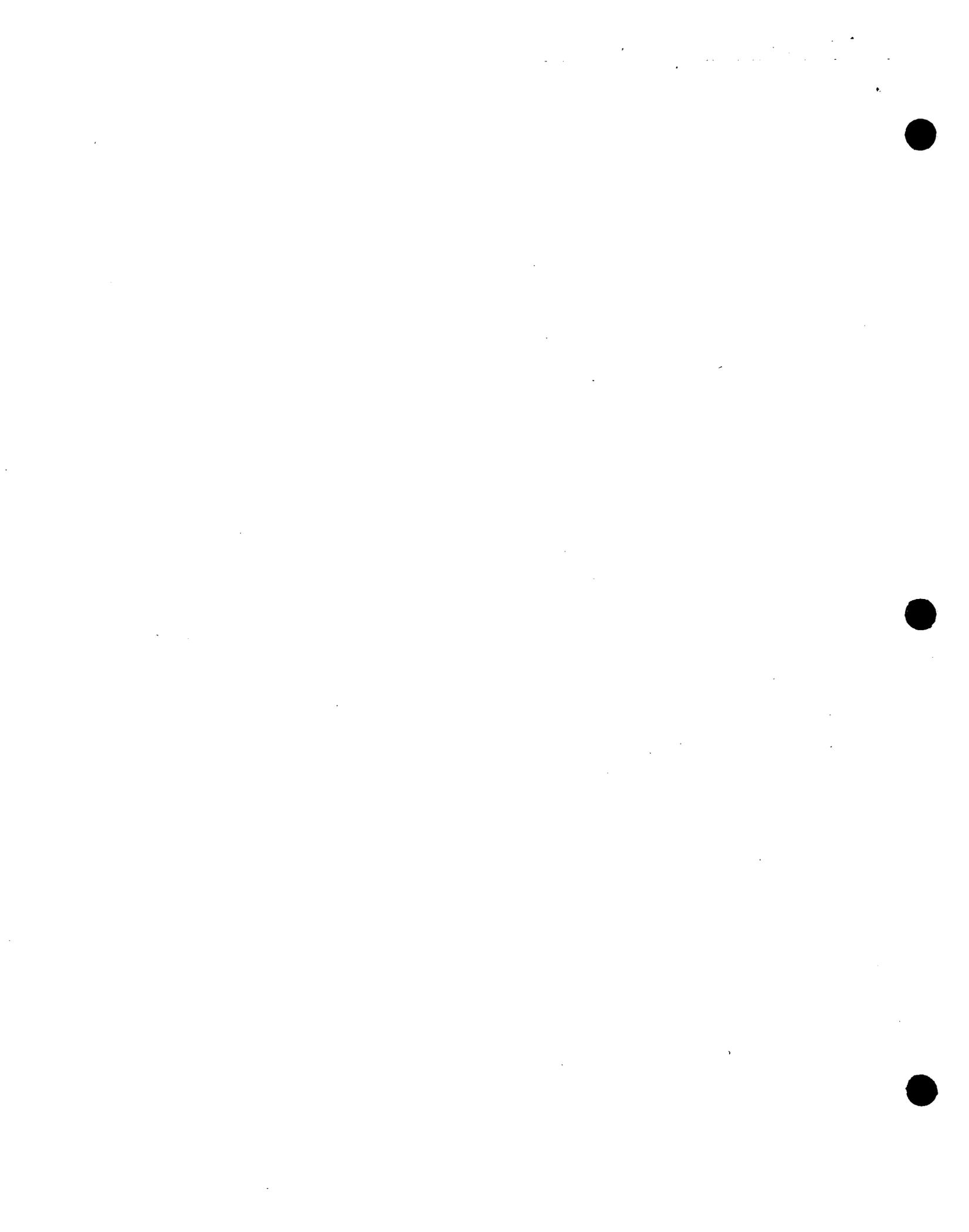
Objective:

Ensure that the community mobilization effort is securely established and can continue once the full time support of the community organizer is no longer available.

NOW THAT WE HAVE COMBINED WITH THE LAVALAND GROUP, THERE APPEARS TO BE SEVERAL MOTIVATED AND INVESTED RESIDENTS THAT ARE CURRENTLY LEADING THE NEWLY FORMED LAVALAND NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION.

Strategies:

1. Meet with the board of neighborhood association to assess resources.
2. Identify a YDI staff member who will continue to act as a liaison and resource for the group. *IN ALL PROBABILITY, THE CURRENT DIRECTOR OF THE NNMP WILL BE THE LIAISON.*



Stage III Evaluation and Report Dissemination

Goal 1.

Evaluate the program and disseminate the results.

THE DIRECTOR HAS COMPLETED (LATE DECEMBER) AN IDENTICAL SURVEY WHICH WAS UNDERTAKEN AT THE START OF THE PROGRAM TO RESIDENTS IN THE TARGET AREA. THE FOLLOWING ARE THE RESULTS OF THIS POST PROJECT SURVEY ALONG WITH THE PRE PROJECT SURVEY TO DISCERN DIFFERENCES.

NATIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD MOBILIZATION PROGRAM FINAL REPORT

In the 15 months of this program, approximately 25-35 residents, law enforcement, agency representatives, youth and business members were mobilized to deal with the problems identified in the survey and associated trouble spots within the target area.

Several members of this group have consolidated their efforts with the Lavaland Neighborhood Association and are continuing the momentum initiated by the Youth Developments involvement with the National Neighborhood Program.

***THE COMPARISON DATA DRAWN FROM THE PRE AND POST SURVEYS INDICATES THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN THE AREA OF EVALUATION REGARDING THE PROGRAM**



***HOW SAFE DO YOU THINK YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD IS?**

pre-VERY SAFE 0 SOMEWHAT SAFE 54.5% VERY UNSAFE 45.4%
post-VERY SAFE 3.5% SOMEWHAT SAFE 42.8% VERY UNSAFE 53.5%

***DO YOU EVER STAY AT HOME INSTEAD OF GOING OUT BECAUSE YOU ARE AFRAID OF CRIME?**

pre-YES 55%0 NO 45%
post-YES 53.5% NO 46.4%

***CHECK YOUR WORST "FEARS" IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD**

pre-**GANGS** 95.1% SHOOTINGS 92.6% MURDER 31.7% RAPE 26.8% BEING
BEATEN UP 41.4% ROBBERY (YOUR PERSON) 41.4%
BURGLARY (YOUR HOME) 68.2% CAR THEFT 70.7%

post-**GANGS** 82.1% SHOOTINGS 78.5% MURDER 25% RAPE 17.8%
BEING BEATEN UP 28.5% ROBBERY (YOUR PERSON) 32.1%
BURGLARY (YOUR HOME) 60.7% CAR THEFT 67.8%

***HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE PRESENT CRIME SITUATION IN YOUR AREA/NEIGHBORHOOD?**

pre-VERY SERIOUS 53.4% SOMEWHAT SERIOUS 37.2%
NOT VERY SERIOUS 9.3% NOT A PROBLEM AT ALL 0

post-VERY SERIOUS 41.9% SOMEWHAT SERIOUS 38.7%
NOT VERY SERIOUS 16.1% NOT A PROBLEM AT ALL 3.2%

***DO YOU THINK THAT DRUGS ARE A PROBLEM IN THE COMMUNITY?**

pre- YES 90.6% NO 9.3%
post-YES 96.1% NO 3.8%



***PLEASE CHECK WHAT YOU DON'T LIKE ABOUT YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD**

pre-CRIME, OR FEAR OF CRIME 85.3% TRAFFIC, PARKING 58.1%
TRANSIENTS 18.6% PROBLEMS WITH NEIGHBORS 44.1%
POLLUTION: ENVIRONMENTAL 6.9% NOISE 46.5%
INADEQUATE SCHOOLS 18.6% DRUG PROBLEMS 67.4%
LACK OF SERVICES 23.2% SPEEDING CARS 62.7%
TRASH/LITTER 58.1% GANGS 76.7%
I LIKE MY NEIGHBORHOOD _____

post-CRIME, OR FEAR OF CRIME 60.7% TRAFFIC, PARKING 42.8%
TRANSIENTS 17.8% PROBLEMS WITH NEIGHBORS 14.2%
POLLUTION: ENVIRONMENTAL 7.1% NOISE 17.5%
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LACK OF SERVICES 53.5% WHAT TYPE? Transportation. buses
SPEEDING CARS 39.2% TRASH/LITTER 46.4% GANGS 64.2%
I LIKE MY NEIGHBORHOOD 21.4%

***DO YOU FEEL DRUGS ARE BEING SOLD OR USED OPENLY IN YOUR COMMUNITY?**

pre- YES 88.3% NO 11.6%
post- YES 91.6% NO 8.3%

***ARE YOU OR YOUR CHILDREN EXPOSED TO THE SALE AND OR DISTRIBUTION OF DRUGS IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD?**

pre-YES 58.1% NO 41.8%
post-YES 51.8% NO 48.1%

***WHICH TYPE OF DRUG ABUSE DO YOU FEEL IS THE MAJOR PROBLEM IN YOUR COMMUNITY?**

pre-ALCOHOL 74.4% MARIJUANA 62.7% HEROIN 20.9% CRACK 65.1%
UPPERS 6.9% DOWNERS 6.9% SNIFFING 25.5%

post-ALCOHOL 89.2% MARIJUANA 78.5% HEROIN 32.1% CRACK 64.2%
UPPERS 10.7% DOWNERS 3.5% SNIFFING 7.1%



***WITHIN THE PAST YEAR, DO YOU THINK CRIME IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD HAS:**

pre- **INCREASED 48.8%** DECREASED 23.2% REMAINED THE SAME 27.9%
post- INCREASED 32.1% DECREASED 17.8% REMAINED THE SAME 50%

***IN THE PAST *THREE YEARS*, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A VICTIM OF CRIME IN YOUR HOME OR NEIGHBORHOOD?**

pre- YES 48.7% NO 51.2%
post- YES 46.4% NO 53.5%

***DID YOU REPORT IT TO THE POLICE?**

pre- YES 78.9% NO 21%
post- YES 81.8% NO 27.2%

**CRIME STATISTICS-APD-POLICE BEAT 215
JANUARY 1, 1994-DECEMBER 31, 1994**

Group A Offense

Forcible rape	1
Kidnapping/abduction	2
Robbery	4
Aggravated assault	21
Simple assault	48
Burglary/breaking and	25
Shoplifting	10
Theft from Motor vehicle	40
Theft of motor vehicle	2
All other larceny	20
Motor vehicle theft	9
Stolen property offense	3
Destruction/damage/vandalism	41
Drug/narcotic violations	4



Group B Offense

Disorderly conduct	221
Driving under the influence	18
Family offenses, nonvi	26
Liquor law violations	5
Trespass of real prope	9
All other offenses	52

Class 1 Serious Crime

Robbery/firearm/highway	4
Robbery/firearm/comm	3
Robbery/firearm/reside	1
Robbery/knife/cutting	3
Robbery/other.dangerous	2
Assault firearm	32
Assault/other dangerous	28
Assault/simple	123
Burglary/residence/for	46
Burglary/residence/unl	11
Burglary/commercial/fo	8
Burglary/commercial/at	1
Larceny/shoplifting	18
Larceny/motor vehicle	23
Auto theft/automobiles	51
Auto theft Trucks and	15

Class 2-Less Serious Crime

Forgery and counterfeit	6
Fraud	6
Stolen property-buying	8
Vandalism	101
Weapons-carrying,poss	8
Narcotic drug laws	27
Narcotics	6
Offenses against family	27
Domestic violence	236
Driving under the influence	120
Liquor laws	29
Liquor violation	43
Disorderly conduct	110
all other offenses	320



Class 2-Less Serious Crime

Gang related	8
Runaway (juv)	34
Traffic offenses	120
Missing	7
Protective custody	9

****DUE TO TIME CONSTRAINTS AFTER RECEIVING RAW DATA FROM THE ALBUQUERQUE POLICE DEPARTMENT, A COMPARISON OF STATISTICS IS NOT AVAILABLE****

SUMMARY

The subjective data drawn from the pre and post surveys appears to indicate that residents feel that the crime situation continues to be very serious, but also seem to feel that crime in the neighborhood has remained the same.

More respondents on the post survey marked that drugs are a problem and are being sold openly in the community. Interestingly, the percentage point was elevated for the type of major drug abuse problem in the community, which was **alcohol**. Victimitizations appear to have gone down. Less respondents stated they would **not** stay home instead of going out because they were afraid of crime. More respondents marked that they **are** reporting crime to the police.

The members of the National Neighborhood Mobilization Program that became the core group are continuing their efforts with the Lavaland Neighborhood Association. In addition, eleven respondents to the last survey stated they



would be willing to get involved in a long term effort in dealing with the problems in their neighborhood. The names, addresses and phone numbers will be given to the President of the Lavaland Neighborhood Association for follow up and to possible include these individuals into the association.

The individual who directed the YDI/National Neighborhood Mobilization Program efforts will maintain contact and communication with the president of the Lavaland Neighborhood Association for technical assistance in the future.

**THE FOLLOWING SURVEYS ARE OFFERED FOR INFORMATIONAL,
EDUCATIONAL, COMPARATIVE AND EVALUATION PURPOSES.**

**WESTSIDE RESIDENT SURVEY
NATIONAL NEIGHBORHOOD MOBILIZATION PROGRAM
YOUTH DEVELOPMENT, INC.
Albuquerque, NM
Follow-up Survey December 1995**

R E S U L T S

GENERAL BACKGROUND

1. SEX

MALE 24.1% FEMALE 75.8%

2. RACE

HISPANIC 77.7% WHITE 14.8% AFRICAN AMERICAN 0%

NATIVE AMERICAN 7.4%

OTHER (SPECIFY) 0

3. AGE

UNDER 25 17.2% 25-40 41.3% 41-65 34.4% OVER 65 6.8%



4. MARITAL STATUS

SINGLE 44.4% MARRIED 22.2% DIVORCED 22.2% WIDOW 7.4% SEP/3.7%

5. DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF AS HEAD OF THE HOUSEHOLD?

YES 56.4% NO 43.5%

6. HOW LONG HAVE YOU LIVED AT THE CURRENT RESIDENCE?

**LESS THAN 1 YEAR 28.5% 1-2 YEARS 21.4% 3-5 YEARS 17.8%
OVER 5 YEARS 32.1%**

7. IN REGARDS TO YOUR RESIDENCE, DO YOU,

OWN 35.5% RENT 60.7% LEASE 0 OTHER 0

8. EDUCATION

**8TH GRADE OR LESS 19.3%
9TH-11.9 ALMOST GRADUATED 12.9%
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA 32.2%
TRADE SCHOOL 12.9%
SOME COLLEGE 9.6% COLLEGE DEGREE 9.6%
COLLEGE DEGREE PLUS 3.2% GRADUATE DEGREE 0**

9. WHAT IS YOUR ANNUAL INCOME?

**LESS THAN \$10,000 33.3% \$10,000 TO \$19,999 45.8%
\$20,000 TO \$29,000 12.5% \$30,000 TO \$39,000 0
\$40,000 TO \$49,000 4.1% \$50,00 OR OVER 4.1%**

10. ARE YOU EMPLOYED?

**YES 76% NO 24%
FULL TIME 70.5% PART TIME 29.4% RETIRED 0 WIDOW 0**

11. PLEASE CHECK WHAT YOU *DON'T LIKE* ABOUT YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

(Check all that apply)

**CRIME, OR FEAR OF CRIME 60.7% TRAFFIC, PARKING 42.8%
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CRIME-SAFETY AND DRUG PERCEPTIONS

12. HOW SAFE DO YOU THINK YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD IS?
VERY SAFE 3.5% SOMEWHAT SAFE 42.8% VERY UNSAFE 53.5%
13. DO YOU EVER STAY AT HOME INSTEAD OF GOING OUT BECAUSE YOU ARE AFRAID OF CRIME?
YES 53.5% NO 46.4%
14. WHEN SOMEONE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD CALLS THE POLICE FOR HELP, HOWLONG DOES IT USUALLY TAKE FOR THEM TO GET THERE?
THEY COME RIGHT AWAY 17.3% WITHIN 20 MINUTES 17.3%
FROM 20 MINUTES TO 1 HOUR 43.4% MORE THAN ONE HOUR 8.6%
NOT UNTIL THE NEXT DAY 0 DON'T COME AT ALL 13%
15. WHEN THE POLICE ARRIVE, HOW DOES HE/SHE ACT? WOULD YOU SAY THEY ARE:
CONCERNED 76.4% UNCONCERNED 7.5%
COURTEOUS 18.8% DISCOURTEOUS 5.6%
NICE 15% HOSTILE 7.5%
EFFICIENT 5.6% INEFFICIENT 13.2
OTHER 0
16. WOULD YOU SAY THE ALBUQUERQUE POLICE DEPARTMENT IS DOING
A- (CHECK O-N-E-)
EXCELLENT JOB 15.3% ABOVE AVERAGE 19.2% AVERAGE JOB 30.7%
FAIR JOB 19.2% POOR JOB 15.3% OTHER 0
17. DO YOU KNOW THE NAMES OF ANY OF THE POLICE OFFICERS WHO PATROL YOUR COMMUNITY?
YES 24.1% NO 75.8%
18. CHECK YOUR WORST "FEARS" IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD
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YES 96.1% NO 3.8%

21. DO YOU FEEL DRUGS ARE BEING SOLD OR USED OPENLY IN YOUR COMMUNITY? YES 91.6% NO 8.3%

22. ARE YOU OR YOUR CHILDREN EXPOSED TO THE SALE AND OR DISTRIBUTION OF DRUGS IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD?

YES 51.8% NO 48.1%

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25. IN THE PAST THREE YEARS, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A VICTIM OF CRIME IN YOUR HOME OR NEIGHBORHOOD?

YES 46.4% NO 53.5%

26. DID YOU REPORT IT TO THE POLICE? YES 81.8% NO 27.2%

27. WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PARTICIPATE IN A NEIGHBORHOOD EFFORT IN DEALING WITH THE PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD?

YES 48% NO 52%



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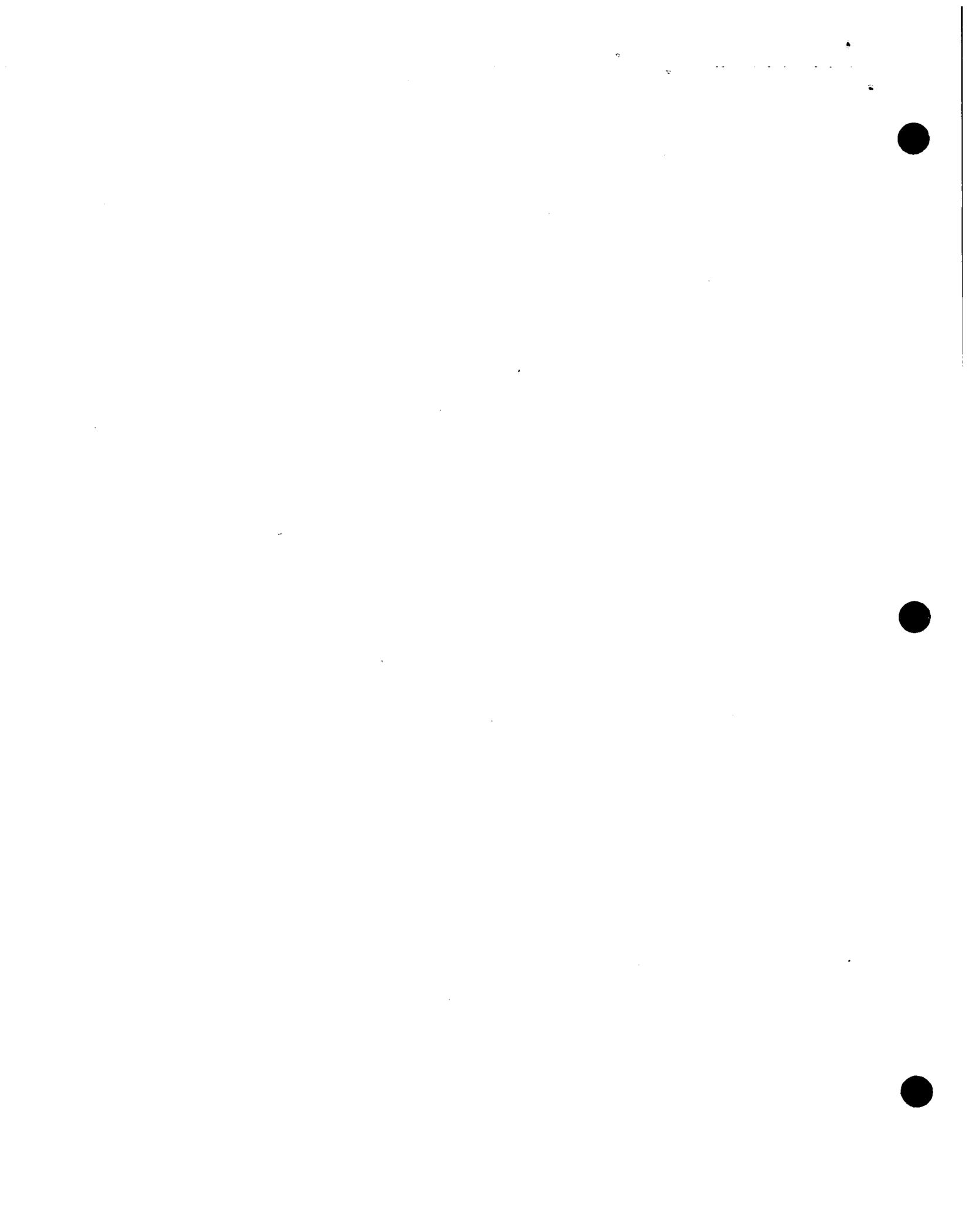
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NOT VERY SERIOUS 9.3% NOT A PROBLEM AT ALL 0
20. DO YOU THINK THAT DRUGS ARE A PROBLEM IN THE COMMUNITY?
YES 90.6% NO 9.3%
21. DO YOU FEEL DRUGS ARE BEING SOLD OR USED OPENLY IN YOUR COMMUNITY? YES 88.3% NO 11.6%
22. ARE YOU OR YOUR CHILDREN EXPOSED TO THE SALE AND OR DISTRIBUTION OF DRUGS IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD?
YES 58.1% NO 41.8%



23. WHICH TYPE OF DRUG ABUSE DO YOU FEEL IS THE MAJOR PROBLEM IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

**ALCOHOL 74.4% MARIJUANA 62.7% HEROIN 20.9% CRACK 65.1%
UPPERS 6.9% DOWNERS 6.9% SNIFFING 25.5%**

24. WITHIN THE PAST YEAR, DO YOU THINK CRIME IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD HAS:

INCREASED 48.8% DECREASED 23.2% REMAINED THE SAME 27.9%

25. IN THE PAST THREE YEARS, HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A VICTIM OF CRIME IN YOUR HOME OR NEIGHBORHOOD?

YES 48.7% NO 51.2%

26. DID YOU REPORT IT TO THE POLICE? YES 78.9% NO 21%

27. WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PARTICIPATE IN A NEIGHBORHOOD EFFORT IN DEALING WITH THE PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD?

YES 75% NO 25%



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