

**Claremont Canyon Conservancy**  
**Membership Survey 2/10/06**

Preliminary Responses of first 99 members  
 Percent Distribution (prepared 3/14/06)  
 (All responses will be kept confidential.)

*Dear Member, Please be so kind as to fill out this form and return it as soon as possible. Your views are important to us and will guide us in forming policy. Sincerely, Claremont Canyon Conservancy Board of Directors*

**1. How often do you:**

	daily	weekly	monthly	seldom/never	blank
Look at Claremont Canyon?	.49	.28	.09	.08	.05
Drive through Claremont Canyon?	.22	.25	.29	.14	.09
Walk/hike in Claremont Canyon?	.05	.16	.16	.53	.10
Other (specify) _____	.02	.01	.03	.00	.93

**2. What interests you most about Claremont Canyon?**

	most interested	fairly interested	not interested	don't know	blank
Fire safety aspects	.52	.35	.03	.02	.08
Trees and other plants	.52	.35	.02	.03	.08
Birds and other wildlife	.50	.35	.03	.03	.08
Outdoor recreation	.30	.32	.17	.08	.12
Overall visual impression	.60	.29	.03	.01	.07
Other (specify) _____	.07	.00	.00	.00	.93

**3. How strongly do you support the Conservancy doing or advocating the following work in Claremont Canyon?**

	strongly support	it's OK	don't support	don't know	blank
Remove most eucalyptus trees for fire safety	.75	.16	.03	.02	.04
Replant deforested areas with native redwoods	.74	.21	.01	.03	.01
Along roadsides/trails, remove/manage invasive, fire-prone weeds (like broom, yellow starthistle, etc.)	.77	.18	.01	.01	.03
Create buffer zones of reduced fuels near homes/roads	.61	.29	.04	.02	.04
Organize roadside litter patrols	.44	.45	.02	.04	.04
Improve trails for better access	.51	.36	.04	.06	.03
Improve road turnouts (better parking, signage, etc.)	.28	.51	.10	.06	.05
Restore creek/watershed	.65	.26	.02	.05	.02
Encourage the public agencies to do most of the above	.66	.22	.02	.05	.05
Just let it be (let nature take its course)	.00	.18	.57	.06	.19
Other (specify) _____	.03	.01	.00	.01	.95

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**4. Some people advocate reducing all fuels on public lands throughout Claremont Canyon. Others say a canyon-wide approach is too expensive to maintain and will disturb too much habitat. What best describes your feelings about reducing fuels canyon-wide on public lands in Claremont Canyon?**

	reduce all fuels canyon-wide	reduce only non-native fuels canyon-wide	I do not support a canyon-wide approach	don't know	blank
	.10	.59	.07	.21	.03

**5. Have you taken or do you plan to take any additional measures (over what the City requires) to achieve defensible space on your own property (for example, changes in materials, structures or landscaping) to best prepare for wildfire?**

	yes	no	not sure	not applicable	blank
	.41	.21	.09	.23	.05

**6. How often would you like to participate in Conservancy events?**

	often	occasionally	seldom/never	don't know	blank
Help with the outdoor work (which?) _____	.04	.30	.49	.01	.15
Attend hikes/nature walks with other members	.08	.43	.37	.00	.11
Attend social or neighborhood group gatherings	.09	.42	.33	.05	.10
Just support the Conservancy with my yearly dues	.58	.14	.06	.02	.20

**7. Would you like to help ...**

(Check all that apply to you.)

	yes	specify:
Organize any of the above activities?	5	_____
Organize outreach to school children?	2	_____
Contribute office/organizational skills?	2	_____
Provide computer skills/consultation?	1	_____
Do you know Filemaker Pro?	0	
Do you know Quicken?	1	
Join a committee (business, grant writing, etc)?	4	_____

**8. Is there anything else you would like to say? 9**

Please return this survey by mail to:

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