

Directions for Community Scan

Your Corporate Group is responsible to complete the following:

1. Draw and identify the parameters of your area defining it by intersecting streets.
2. Measure and gather all the data for your assigned area and record this information in the grid below

DATA RECORD:

Impervious Surfaces	# of and Sq. Footage	Occupied? Yes/No
Buildings		
Sidewalks		
Compacted Soil		
Vacant Lots		
Alleys		
Roads – Streets		
Parking Lots		
Patios/Athletic Courts		
Driveways		
Houses		
Other (Explain)		



3. Having collected and recorded the information requested above, design an informational map representing your assigned area (8" x 8") approximating the locations of the items listed above and those listed below using the following color legend:

Green - farmland, parks, woods, lawns, gardens....

Red - impervious surfaces

Orange - trees

Blue - rivers, lakes, ponds....

4. Discuss in your Corporate Group what things might be done to reduce the amount of impervious surface located in your assigned area, designating where it is that changes could be made and alternatives suggested. You must reach a consensus, keeping in mind that City Funds are limited, as to your Corporate Group's proposal for the Planning Commission.

5. Develop a written presentation of your proposal using the **Rubric for Written Proposal** (See **Attachment Two**).

6. Develop and rehearse the oral portion of your proposal using the *Rubric for Oral Presentation of Proposal* (See **Attachment Three**).

7. Present your Corporate Group's proposal to the Planning Commission. (the entire class)

