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1. The current Library building does not meet a number of federal American Disabilities Act (ADA) standards or seismic building codes, and is in need of repair to make the building safe and accessible. First, please indicate to what extent do you support or oppose each of the following options. Then, select which **ONE** of the options you prefer most.

	Strongly support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	MOST PREFERRED
A. Move the Library from its current location to the Sierra Madre Recreation Center at 611 E. Sierra Madre Blvd. and co-locate with the Community Services Department. This would require expanding the Recreation Center building and will allow for the enhancement of all Library and Community Services programs. Funding for the move would be provided by the sale of the current Library properties for development. (No tax increase).....	1	2	3	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
B. Keep the Library at its current location, move some Library programs to other city locations in order to maintain current service levels, and fund repairs by selling the back lot for development. (No tax increase)	1	2	3	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
C. Enhance and expand the Library at its existing location, expand Library services and programming, and fund expansion with a property tax increase. (Tax increase, do not sell any city-owned property)	1	2	3	4	<input type="checkbox"/>
D. Significantly reduce Library services and limit public access to areas of the Library building until alternative funding for ADA compliance can be secured. (No tax increase, do not sell any city-owned property)	1	2	3	4	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. How important, if at all, are each of the following characteristics of a 21st century Library to the Sierra Madre community?

	Essential	Very important	Somewhat important	Not at all important
Comprehensive up-to-date collections of materials: books, media, magazines, electronic resources	1	2	3	4
Social and educational programs for all ages, infants through seniors	1	2	3	4
Flexible space for quiet study, group discussions, programs and technology	1	2	3	4
Promotion of technological competency and creativity	1	2	3	4
Local history archives – preserving and sharing Sierra Madre's history	1	2	3	4

Our last questions are about you and your household. All your responses are completely confidential and will be reported in group form only.

3. In an average month, how often do you use Library services?

☐ Not at all ☐ 1- 2 times ☐ 3-4 times ☐ 5 times or more

4. How many years have you lived in Sierra Madre?

☐ Less than 3 years ☐ 3-9 years ☐ 10 years or more

5. Do you have any children under the age of 18 living in your household?

☐ Yes ☐ No

6. In which category is your age?

☐ 18-34 years ☐ 35-54 years ☐ 55 years or older

7. What is your gender?

☐ Female ☐ Male

8. Do you rent or own your home?

☐ Rent ☐ Own

Thank you for your time and feedback!



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Dear City of Sierra Madre Resident,

The City would like your input so we can operate the Library in the way that best serves our community. The current Library was built in 1955, fails to meet numerous federal American Disabilities Act (ADA) standards and is not earthquake safe. It needs repairs to the roof, windows, electrical and HVAC systems. We must have a Library that is safe, accessible to everyone, and compliant with all applicable laws. The City has a few options to accomplish this task.

This survey will provide valuable feedback about what kind of Library will serve you best. Please have the adult household member who most recently had a birthday complete and return the attached survey. The survey portion can be removed at the perforation and put right into a mail box (postage is prepaid) or you can complete the survey online at bit.ly/xxxxxxxxxxxxxx using the access code listed below. Your responses will be kept confidential.

For more information on each of the questions asked in the survey, and to view the Library Master Plan, the ADA Accessibility Survey, and the Property Condition Assessment please visit www.CityofSierraMadre.com/transparency



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