Potential questions to use with community for focus groups, key informant interviews, surveys, etc.

1. How satisfied are you with living in [XYZ community]? [from “very satisfied” to “very dissatisfied,” and including “no opinion”]

2. What do you like most about living in [XYZ community]?

3. What do you like least about living in [XYZ community]?

4. How would you categorize the quality of life in [XYZ community]?

5. Over the last 5 years, do you believe [community XYZ’s] quality of life has improved?

6. Would you recommend [XYZ community] to your family or friends as a good place to live? [Yes; No]
   a. If “Yes,” what would be the one major reason?
   b. If “No,” what would be the one major reason?

7. What would you say is the most critical issue facing [XYZ community] today?

8. What evening(s) during the week would be the most convenient for you to attend public meetings to gather input for [XYZ public library’s] Community Needs Response Plan?

9. What form of communication do you prefer to be notified of public meetings? (Circle all that apply.): Mail; Newspaper; Library Website; Email; Facebook; Signs