CITY OF HAYWARD – TREE SURVEY RESULTS 04-02-2024

1. Of the following options, select the three most important benefits that trees provide in your neighborhood.		
Tree Benefit Category (full description):	Most important benefits of trees according to respondents	Percentage of respondents who selected this option out of total participants
Improving the environment (such as air quality, water, pollution)	162	74%
Shade / cooling neighborhoods and homes	132	60%
Habitat for wildlife	119	54%
Aesthetics or appearance	99	34%
Carbon storage to mitigate climate change	75	21%
Living privacy screen/natural fence	45	21%
Improving property value	29	13%
Protecting human health (physical and mental)	23	11%
Other (please specify)	9	4%
Did not answer question	4	2%

1. Top Benefits of Trees Marked by Respondents