Oregon Environmental Community Survey

Frequently Asked Questions

Q1: Who should take this survey?

A1: This survey is for everyone who lives or works in Oregon.

Q2: What is this survey about?

A2: The Oregon Environmental Community survey asks how communities see their community benefits and what issues they have. This helps in creating the Oregon Environmental Justice Mapping Tool.

Q3: How will the information from the survey be used?

A3: The survey results will be summarized and shared with the Environmental Justice Council to address community needs. Your individual answers will stay confidential.

Q4: What is the Oregon Environmental Justice Mapping Tool?

A4: The Environmental Justice Mapping Tool identifies communities that need state support because of environmental and health issues. You can find more about it online.

Q5: Who makes the Environmental Justice Mapping Tool?

A5: The Oregon Environmental Justice Council is making this tool with state agencies. More information is on their website.

Q6: Why is my opinion important?

A6: Community feedback helps state agencies make better decisions that affect the environment and health. Involving communities ensures their needs are met.

Q7: Do I get anything for completing the survey?

A7: Yes, participants can enter a raffle to win a \$50 gift card. The raffle entry information provided is not connected to the survey responses.

Q8: Can I share this survey with others?

A8: Yes! Sharing this survey is encouraged.

Q9: When can I take the survey?

A9: You can take the survey from May 1 to May 31, 2025.

Q10: What languages is the survey available in?

A10: English and Spanish. Other languages may available for future surveys.

Q11: How can I see the survey results?

A11: The results will be shared in a report to the Environmental Justice Council in Summer 2025.

References

Health Confidentiality Law: ORS 413.196

Oregon Environmental Justice Council:

https://www.oregon.gov/gov/policies/pages/environmental-justicecouncil.aspx

Environmental Justice Mapping Tool Project:

https://www.oregon.gov/gov/policies/Pages/ejmappingtool.aspx

Survey link: https://forms.office.com/g/uq2ptN8nHH

Survey QR Code:

