NAME OF BOARD OF SUPERVISOR

INVENTING PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY'S TOMORROW TODAY: A BOARD OF SUPERVISORS (BOS) ASSESSMENT

- 1. WHY DOES THE PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY BOS EXIST?
- 2. WHAT DOES THE PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY BOS PRODUCE?
- 3. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS WOULD THE GENERAL PUBLIC USE TO CHARACTERIZE THE CURRENT Bos? CIRCLE THE LETTER OF YOUR RESPONSE AND SHARE YOUR REASONS FOR DOING SO.
 - A. A UNITED, FOCUSED AND POLICY DRIVEN BODY.
 - B. A BODY THAT IS AMBIVALENT ABOUT THE FUTURE AND WHAT IT HOPES TO ACCOMPLISH.
 - C. A BODY THAT REACTS TO ISSUES, EVENTS AND PRESSURES.
 - D. A BODY THAT GOVERNS IN THE INTEREST OF THE COMMON GOOD AND NOT NARROW, PAROCHIAL INTERESTS.
- 4. USING THE SAME FOUR CHOICES NOTED IN QUESTION THREE, HOW WOULD THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY CHARACTERIZE THE CURRENT BoS?
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- 5. LOOKING INWARD, WHAT DOES THE BoS DO WELL? PLEASE LIST THREE BOS STRENGTHS.

- 6. LOOKING INWARD, WHAT DOES THE BOS DO LESS WELL? PLEASE LIST THREE BOS WEAKNESSES.
- 7. PLEASE IDENTIFY THE TOP THREE PROBLEMS CURRENTLY FACING PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY.
- 8. PLEASE IDENTIFY THE TOP THREE OPPORTUNITIES FACING PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY.
- 9. On a scale of one to five, where five equals outstanding and one equals poor, please circle your response for the following questions regarding BOS meetings, BOS performance and BOS relationships.

			Poor	Poor		Outstanding	
A.	Interpersonal relationship among members during meetings.	1	2	3	4	5	
B.	Effectiveness of the chair in running meetings.	1	2	3	4	5	
C.	Amount of preparation time and homework members spend getting ready for meetings.	1	2	3	4	5	
D.	Amount of preparation work you do before meetings.	1	2	3	4	5	
E.	Relationship between the BOS and the county administration.	1	2	3	4	5	
F.	Relationship between the BOS and Board-appointed commissions/entities	1	2	3	4	5	
G.	Relationship between the BOS and county citizens.	1	2	3	4	5	
Н.	Relationship between the BOS and the media.	1	2	3	4	5	
I.	How good a job is the BOS doing relative to thinking and planning long-term?	1	2	3	4	5	

J.	How good a job is the BoS doing relative to taking care of current business?	1	2	3	4	5
K.	How would you rate your performance as a BOS member?	1	2	3	4	5
L.	How would you rate the BOS' overall performance?	1	2	3	4	5

- 10. THINKING ABOUT YOUR COUNTY, WHAT MAKES YOU PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY PROUD?
- 11. IN LIKE FASHION, WHAT BUGS YOU ABOUT PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY?
- 12. LOOKING AHEAD THREE YEARS, WHAT ISSUES WILL DOMINATE AS COUNTY CONCERNS?
- 13. IDENTIFY TWO THINGS YOU PERSONALLY WANT TO ACCOMPLISH AS A BOS MEMBER.
- 14. IS THERE A CONCENSUS REGARDING PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY'S MISSION/PURPOSE AS A LOCAL GOVERNMENT? EXPLAIN YOUR RESPONSE.

- 15. IS THERE A CONSENSUS REGARDING THE COUNTY'S FISCAL POLICY? EXPLAIN YOUR RESPONSE.
- 16. IS THERE A CONSENSUS RELATIVE TO THE KIND OF COMMUNITY PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY WISHES TO BE TEN YEARS FROM NOW? EXPLAIN YOUR RESPONSE.
- 17. PLEASE ADD ANY THOUGHTS OR TOPICS YOU THINK SHOULD BE DISCUSSED DURING AN UPCOMING BOARD RETREAT.

PLEASE RETURN TO MIKE CHANDLER. THANK YOU.

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