

XIX. NWOS Face to Face Interview Guide

PREPARATION:

- Identify landowners to interview
- Interviewer goes door-to-door, asking landowner to do the interview. Landowner has the option to reschedule the visit.

VISITING THE LANDOWNER:

- Interviewer: <NAME>

INTERVIEWER'S SUPPLIES:

- Device for recording interview

OVERVIEW

WELCOME

Good [morning/afternoon/evening]. I am <INTERVIEWER'S NAME> and I am a researcher from the USDA Forest Service, and this is [OBSERVER'S NAME]. We are interested in learning more about the greenspace around your property and in your community. Are you available to answer some questions?

AGENDA

During this interview, we will be going through a survey and you will answer for the property you own at [SPECIFIC ADDRESS].

There are no wrong answers.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

I would like to say thank you for participating in this interview. We really appreciate you taking time out of your schedule to talk with us today.

DISCLOSURES

I also wanted to let you know that we will be using a digital device to record your answers to today's interview. These recordings are strictly for research purposes, they will not go beyond the research team. Individual statements will never be attributed to specific individuals, but we may say that landowners in [state] said x.

GUIDELINES

To help facilitate interview, here are a few guidelines:

- I will read each question and all of its answer choices aloud.

- You will consider the answer choices and choose the answer or answers that best reflect your attitudes or behaviors about your property.
- Talk in a loud, clear voice
- Remember, there are no wrong answers, we want your opinion

The rest of the interview time is allotted to going over the survey and recording landowner's answers. These interviews will be based off of a subset of the Urban Survey. Interviews will not go beyond the allotted time. See NWOS Urban Form XIII.