

Martindale Brightwood Environmental Justice Collaborative
Priority-Setting Results - July 2010

	5	4	3	2	1	No. of Votes	Total Points	Average Score	Rank (within issue area)
Air Pollution - Short-term Actions (1-3 years)									
Traffic									
Advocate for City to synchronize traffic lights on Keystone	15	5	1	1	0	22	100	4.5	3
(Noise) Research issue of noise barriers along I-70 & determine whether we can get them installed	11	4	3	1	2	21	84	4.0	9 (tie)
Plant trees and shrubs along high traffic areas to capture pollutants	1	5	4	8	2	20	55	2.8	12 (tie)
Establish no-idle zones (schools & businesses) and throughout neighborhood	2	0	8	7	4	21	52	2.5	13
Industrial									
Fugitive Dust: Work with businesses that have dust problems on proper dust control methods; Advocate for increased street sweeping; Report dust crossing property lines	14	2	1	0	1	18	82	4.6	2
Ask Indianapolis Air Pollution Control Board to assist community with permit issues and consult on options to reduce air pollution	10	6	0	0	1	17	75	4.4	4
Set up a neighborhood-based system to keep track of air pollution complaints & problems; identify locations with worst problems. Collect testimony of community exposure.	11	4	3	0	1	19	81	4.3	5
Approach industries & regulators to develop plans to reduce air pollution complaints. Involve Purdue Pollution Prevention & Safe Materials Institute & educate businesses about best practices.	10	6	2	0	1	19	81	4.3	5
Publish air permit notices in community newsletter & advocate for neighborhood on air permit issues	12	3	3	2	0	20	85	4.3	5
Distribute magnets & other materials to educate community on how to report air pollution problems to City & State	2	3	4	4	3	16	45	2.8	12 (tie)

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Indoor/Household									
City & MCHD: Better enforcement of healthy housing codes	18	0	1	0	0	19	93	4.9	1
Educate community about open burning/trash burning	10	5	5	0	1	21	86	4.1	8
Indoor: Educate community on anti-smoking, carbon monoxide, radon, changing furnace filters, reducing pesticide use, etc.	11	3	7	0	1	22	89	4.0	9 (tie)
Have an annual Clean Air Action Week to draw attention to air pollution in Martindale Brightwood, promote reporting of odors & actions to promote clean air	8	7	5	1	1	22	86	3.9	11
Air Pollution - Long-term Actions (3 Years+)									
Advocate for public transit & cleaner vehicles	1	1	1	6	7	16	31	1.9	14
Lead - Short-term Actions									
Advocate for better enforcement of healthy housing codes; identify problem landlords and send letters; publish names of landlords who do not respond	22	1	0	0	0	23	114	5.0	1 (tie)
Encourage mandatory blood-lead testing of all 1-3 year-olds in neighborhood; invite MCHD to more community events/gatherings that draw young children; involve churches and child care providers	20	1	0	0	0	21	104	5.0	1 (tie)
Advocate for city ordinance requiring all landlords to register rental properties and receive lead hazard clearance	19	2	2	0	0	23	109	4.7	4
Re-test soil in targeted neighborhoods	15	3	3	0	0	21	96	4.6	5 (tie)
Educate parents & caregivers about blood-lead testing & identifying & reducing lead hazards	14	4	1	1	0	20	91	4.6	5 (tie)
Get all soil confirmation sample results from EPA related to National Lead cleanup	11	3	3	1	0	18	78	4.3	8
Provide high-quality welcome mats to targeted homes with children	7	6	4	0	2	19	73	3.8	9
Educate residents about safe gardening techniques; work with local hardware/gardening stores	3	5	6	1	0	15	55	3.7	10
Use IKE Lead-Safe Homes Fund & MCHD/HUD funds to remediate eligible homes of lead paint	2	4	6	1	4	17	50	2.9	11
Lead - Long-term Actions									
Expand EPA cleanup area from National Lead site	19	1	1	0	0	21	102	4.9	3
Identify additional funds to remediate lead paint in homes	12	7	2	0	0	21	94	4.5	7

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Code Viol/Abandoned Properties - Short-term Actions									
Identify homes that need to be torn down & advocate for action	21	0	0	0	0	21	105	5.0	1
Step up advocacy to city on problem properties; identify problem property owners	18	1	0	0	0	19	94	4.9	2 (tie)
Send photos/problems to media or publish in newsletter/on a website	18	2	0	0	0	20	98	4.9	2 (tie)
MBEJC rep attend code violation meetings	16	2	0	0	0	18	88	4.9	2 (tie)
Code Viol/Abandoned Properties - Long-term Actions									
City & CDC: Develop plan to revitalize neighborhood	9	8	2	0	1	20	84	4.2	5
Illegal Dumping - Short-term Actions									
Send letter to Marion County judges & prosecutor asking for stronger sentences	19	0	0	0	0	19	95	5.0	1
Educate on how to report dumpers	16	2	0	0	0	18	88	4.9	2
Advocate for stronger local laws & penalties for dumping (confiscate vehicle, require cleanup & triple damages, etc.)	20	2	1	0	0	23	111	4.8	3 (tie)
Anti-litter & heavy trash education	15	2	1	0	0	18	86	4.8	3 (tie)
Advocate to City for more frequent dumpster/heavy trash days	18	2	0	0	1	21	99	4.7	5 (tie)
Advocate for City to deploy barriers on dead-end roads & alleys; seek signs or barriers for dangerous properties	12	5	0	0	0	17	80	4.7	5 (tie)
Educate on the Saturday Exchange	9	4	2	0	1	16	68	4.3	8
Provide heavy-duty, bolted-down waste containers on targeted street corners	12	0	0	0	4	16	64	4.0	9
Illegal Dumping - Long-term Actions									
Reduce solid waste tipping fees for local haulers	9	6	0	0	1	16	70	4.4	7