YOU & YOUR COMMUNITY - Please tell us a little bit about yourself and how you see the community of Elmwood Park.

1. The qualities I value about my community are:

2. The goals I have for me and/or my family are:

3. Right now, my biggest obstacles are:

YOUR LIBRARY - Please tell us a little bit about how the Library meets your needs and fits in with the community.

4. In what ways (if any) does the Library currently help you and your family?

5. In what ways (if any) does the Library reflect you or the community’s values?

6. What changes has the Library made in the last 3-5 years that you appreciate or make use of (if any)?

7. The Library could be even more successful if they...

8. If you have a personal story to share that highlights your use of the Library or its importance to you and/or your family, please share it here, or email it to askref@elmwoodparklibrary.org.

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## YOUR LIBRARY (continued) - Please rate the following statements about the Library.

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17. In what ways can the Library do better in creating the environments mentioned above?

### ABOUT YOU - Please tell us a bit more about yourself.

18. Where do you live? (Circle one)  
   - Elmwood Park  
   - Chicago  
   - River Grove  
   - Other: __________________________

19. What is your age? (Circle one)  
   - 0-19  
   - 20-29  
   - 30-39  
   - 40-49  
   - 50-59  
   - 60-69  
   - 70-79  
   - 80+  

20. When you come to the Library, do you...? (Check all that apply)  
   - ☐ Come alone  
   - ☐ Bring your kids  
   - ☐ Come with other family  
   - ☐ Come with friends  
   - ☐ Meet people at the Library  

21. What are the reasons you come to the Library? (Check all that apply)  
   - ☐ To check out materials (books, movies, etc.)  
   - ☐ To use the space to work or study  
   - ☐ To hang out and read  
   - ☐ To attend a program  
   - ☐ To use the computers  
   - ☐ To engage in passive activities provided throughout the Library  
   - ☐ To use the WiFi connection  
   - ☐ To engage in literacy activities with my children  
   - ☐ To use the meeting or study rooms  
   - ☐ To grab a drink or snack from the vending machine  
   - ☐ Other: __________________________

22. How do you check out Library material? (Check one)  
   - ☐ Front Desk  
   - ☐ Self-Checkout Machines  
   - ☐ Both  

Thank you for taking the time to fill out our survey! We appreciate your feedback.