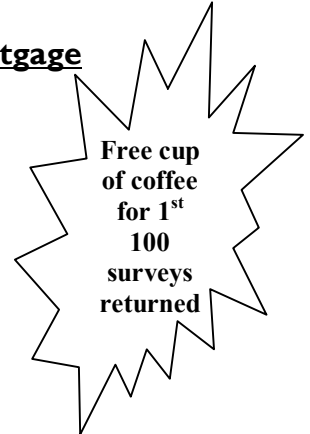


**NYM Workforce Housing Partnership
2007 Survey of New York Mills Workforce**

Thank you for participating in this survey. The purpose of this survey is to determine the need for affordable workforce housing in New York Mills. Since you live or work here, the best way to determine the need is to ask you. Please take a few moments to answer the following questions and return this survey by **Jan 4, 2008** to NYM City Clerk's office (385-2213) at 28 Centennial 84 Drive W; Victoria McWane-Creek at OTW Community Action (385-2900 x118), 109 S Walker Ave; Al Berube at Farmers & Merchants State Bank (385-2300 x103); or Julie Adams NYM Public Library (385-2436).

1. Household Characteristics (circle one from each category)

<u>Household Size</u>	<u>Annual Household Income</u>	<u>Monthly Rent/Mortgage</u>
1	\$14,999 or less	\$300-\$399
2	\$15,000-\$24,999	\$400-\$499
3	\$25,000-\$34,999	\$500-\$599
4	\$35,000-\$44,999	\$600-\$699
5 or more	\$45,000 or more	\$700 or more



2. Describe your current housing situation (Circle One)

Own Rent/lease

3. How far do you commute to work one way? (Circle One)

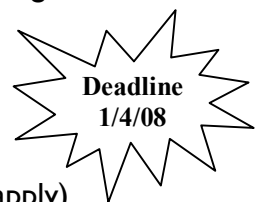
5 miles or fewer 6-15 miles 16-30 miles 30+ miles

4. Would you be willing to relocate to New York Mills if you could obtain affordable housing and reduce your commute?

Yes No

5. Do you feel there are sufficient housing options available in NYM?

Yes No



6. If you would like to relocate, what has prevented you from doing so? (Choose all that apply)

Lack of housing choices Affordability Other _____
Please specify

7. If you currently rent, are you interested in homeownership?

Yes No

8. If you are interested in purchasing a home, what issues or barriers are preventing you from doing so? (Choose all that apply)

Credit (None or Poor) Affordability Down Payment
 Available Housing Stock Unsure/Other _____
Please specify

9. Are you interested in learning about free or low cost resources designed to prepare you for home ownership and make home ownership affordable for you? (Check all that apply)

Credit counseling Financial literacy Home-buyer education
 Saving for Down-payment Not interested

11. Have you heard of the New York Mills Workforce Housing Partnership?

Yes No

12. May someone from the NYM Workforce Housing Partnership contact you regarding affordable housing opportunities?

Yes No

13. If you answered yes, please tell us how best to contact you:

Your Name: _____ Email address: _____
Telephone: _____ Best time of day to call: _____
Mailing address: _____