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## Telephone Survey Being Conducted For Bristol City Plan

**BRISTOL**– Don't be surprised if, over the next week or so, you get a phone call asking you to participate in a telephone survey about Bristol. As part of the process of preparing a long-term strategic plan for the City, the Planning Commission is sponsoring a telephone survey of Bristol residents. Over 400 randomly selected Bristol residents will have the opportunity to participate and share their views about important issues. Phone calls are expected to commence on Friday November 7 and be completed by Friday November 14. You may receive a call on either your landline or cell phone. If you receive a call on your cell phone while you are out and about, simply let the caller know and they will be happy set up a time to call back.

The survey questions have been designed to help the Planning Commission better understand the opinions of Bristol residents about a variety of long-term conservation, development, and infrastructure issues affecting the City. The survey will provide an opportunity for Bristol residents to identify issues of concern to them. The results of the survey will be integrated into the Plan of Conservation and Development which is slated for adoption in 2015.

A Plan of Conservation and Development is an advisory document used by the Planning Commission and other City agencies to:

- Protect the resources important to residents
- Guide growth and change in Bristol
- Identify facilities and services needed to support the community we want to be

Bristol residents who are contacted are encouraged to participate. The caller ID will display "Great-Blue Research". If no one answers, the surveyors will leave a message indicating they will call back. If three calls go unanswered, another Bristol telephone number will be randomly selected.

The survey is intended to reflect the age and geographic composition of the City.