

Area 11 Vision Board

Please use this board to tell us what you enjoy about living in your community and what you think could be improved.

What is something I like about my Community	Votes
Close proximity to shopping and interstate.	7
Love Heritage Park but needs to be bigger to accommodate the crowds.	6
Trees and family neighborhoods.	5
The community response to last year's Easter tornadoes. Neighbor helping neighbor even during a pandemic.	5
Maintain the area free of rental houses/apartments loved by investors but bad for community due to high turnover and high density.	5
I like the general low crime of the area. My family feels safe. We were relocated to Southside downtown following the tornado and were burglarized.	2
You are using pictures on this page from Audubon Acres, but it is not labeled on the map. It is a wonderful place and a true sanctuary.	2
A growing community when many others are aging older or in decline. People are wanting to move to this area, which is good!	1
The general population being families, but a fairly even split otherwise across generations represented in the zip code.	1
We love the convenience of EB. We do not have school age children but we feel the schools are fair. We feel in general it is safe.	0
I like the park spaces.. Ryall Springs is up for sale & is a property that does NOT need to be lost to development! Please turn in to a park	0
East Brainerd is a wonderful place to live and do Business. Easy Access to schools, shopping, and downtown events. Great neighbors.	0
Tornado stumps all over e Brainerd ,sign ordinance isn't enforced. A Four million dollar community center like the one in Avondale, but of course our tax base is much higher!	0

What is something that could be improved in my Community	Votes
Would love to see pickleball courts added or existing tennis courts converted to pickleball courts	50
Stormwater drainage on Jenkins is less than adequate. The backyards between Jenkins Road and Drake Forrest have water backup into our yards and the soggy conditions decreased the amount of safety during the tornado. The power lines along that easement are likely at risk as well.	44

Please cleanup tornado damage!	23
Add a library to the area.	17
Would love to see city use the in place Code Enforcement for homes & properties that are not kept up to neighborhood 'standards' & covenants	17
No more high density housing!	16
Shopping/Restaurants similar to Cambridge Square but larger scale ----- Too many strip malls and chains....PLEASE build a space like Cambridge Square for local businesses. It would thrive!!	15
Attract local restaurants instead of to chains.	14
Keep our area unique to itself. We can take ideas from other areas, but not 'copy'.. We want a community that is different, unique, & safe	13
Traffic on Davidson Road is extremely dangerous. Cars use this narrow farm road as a cut-through and often are going 20-30 miles over the speed limit. Also, construction and delivery vehicles are contributing to a rapid demise of the road itself. There is no shoulder, and even the painted edge of the road is slowly being chipped away.	12
More options for kids activities-something similar to the discovery museum but on this side of town.	11
Wish we had sidewalks on Graysville Rd. Dangerous for pedestrians.	11
Our neighborhoods are losing their identity. Too many apartments, chain stores, chain restaurants, etc. Bring back some local flavor.	11
Igou Gap Rd -on same side as Mall--is horrible, It's hard to get out of our driveway (1/2 block from Gunbarrel).From GB to our house, cars excell in speed and fly by. Police need to set up radar as they use to do.	8
Would love to see the addition of a senior recreation center for active, independent seniors.	8
Quality of development-too many hodgepodge strip malls with low quality stores. We should work towards attracting anchor stores.	7
Would love to have the Sparkle Day celebration again, throughout neighborhoods! Sleds in subdivisions so people could clean up & throw away	7
pavement on our roads is terrible. We have no sidewalks, which is fine, but I have to avoid big cracks all the way down the street w/ dogs	6
Would like to see the ballfields utilized for more community activities instead of ceding the land to developers.	6
More speed humps, traffic circles, and other traffic slowing devices. To many speeders 20+ mph over the speed limit in neighborhoods.	6

The water lines and sewer systems in Hamilton Mill have deteriorated to the point the road is collapsing. Before new development get existing infrastructure in good shape.	5
Bury Utility Lines especially for new developments.	5
Would like to see neighborhood pocket parks and community gardens for residents to grow flowers & veggies.	3
Please reduce the congestion on Shallowford Road by having an entrance into the mall from the I75 north direction -- like as from I75 south.	3
As development on Gunbarrel rd continues, and trees removed, the light from the digital billboards is now shining in homes at night. What can be done?	2
If you approve more commercial development, please make sure the roads are widened at the same time to handle the additional traffic flow.	2
More public transit. More continuous bike lanes. Side walks that are continuous and actually lead to somewhere, with pedestrian crossings. Without continuity those side walks and bike lanes are useless. For example, the sidewalks on EB don't actually reach to heritage park. Side walks on gunbarrel don't lead to the stores or mall. People have to compete with cars the second they decide to turn left or right off of gunbarrel.	2
The state highway department needs to clean, cut, and maintain border fencing along I-75 and subdivisions.	2
Stop development in the Davidson Road and Julian Road area. Repair and replace the roads in this area before any new development is approved. Flooding is an issue on Davidson also.	2
Repave and lower the speed limit on side roads. Some of these roads have NO shoulder and no room for error but have speed limits of 40mph.	2
Need a wide greenway that connects to other existing greenways and parks. E.g. : Audobon Acres-> Davidson Rd-> Heritage Park-> Ooltewah Ringgold Road-> Collegedale Greenway	2
A large scale liquor store like Total Wine in the Hamilton area.	1
there is an abandoned swimming pool in the Concord area that proves an eyesore and potential hazard by Concord golf that needs addressed	1
There is a large area at the circle of Jenkins and Shallowford Rd in a "flood zone". Why cannot this be made a park when not flooded?	1

Speed bumps on Fuller Rd would be nice. It has a speed limit of 35 but people regularly go way over that and have very loud vehicles that disturb the residents.	1
More sidewalks leading to East Brainerd Rd would make it possible for residents to walk to nearby businesses.	1
I love E.Brainerd, but am very concerned about the dangerous conditions of Davidson Rd. It floods and it is TOO narrow for the heavy traffic.	0
More Police monitoring of Pinewood Dr to remediate the late night drag racing that's been a recurring issue since the automatic cameras were decommissioned.	0
Shoulders for Jenkins Rd as well. Primary N-S corridor for those wishing to avoid Gunbarrel. Dangerous for amount of traffic carried.	0
Hamilton Place hurt themselves in the 90's when mall management started running teens off after 6pm.	0