

# Maintaining the Police and Fire Response You Expect and Deserve



In a Merced community survey conducted in Fall of 2017, majorities of our residents feel that crime is increasing, and must be addressed—you’ve also told us you want your 911 fire safety services maintained.

Below are some priorities identified by your neighbors in that study. Please give us your feedback by ranking these items 1-7 (with “1” being the most important), or adding others. We will review all comments as we evaluate how best to upgrade the emergency operations facilities, 911 technology and emergency dispatch we need to fully and adequately address safety issues of concern to you.

- Provide rapid responses to neighborhood fires
- Retain qualified police officers
- Prevent gang activity in the City
- Protect and maintain 9-1-1 emergency response times
- Address homelessness
- Maintain neighborhood-based policing to make areas surrounding our schools and parks safer

Suggestions for additional service priorities: \_\_\_\_\_  
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I have the following questions: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Keep me informed.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organizational Affiliation (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (day): \_\_\_\_\_ (eve): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*(Your email will not be shared with any other entity)*

*THANK YOU for your feedback! Please fax responses to 209) 723-1780 or postal mail to: City Manager’s Office, 678 W. 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Merced, CA 95340*