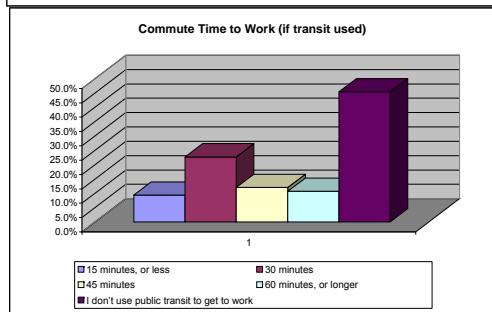
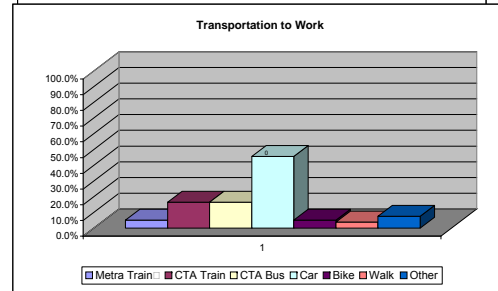
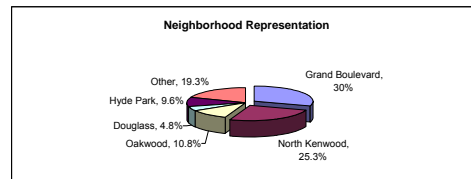
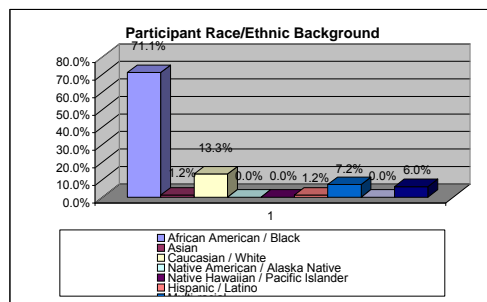
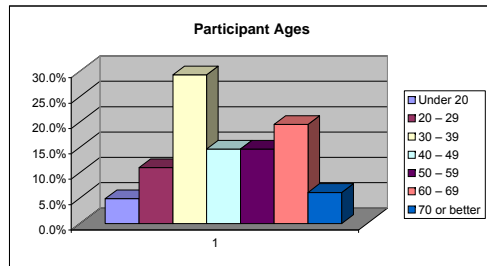


Mid South Community Meeting Results (Feb 20, Feb 27, Mar 05, 2008)		
1 What is your gender?		
1 Female	44	55.7%
2 Male	35	44%
	N	79 100%
2 What is your age?		
1 Under 20	4	4.9%
2 20 - 29	9	11.0%
3 30 - 39	24	29.3%
4 40 - 49	12	14.6%
5 50 - 59	12	14.6%
6 60 - 69	16	19.5%
7 70 or better	5	6.1%
	N	82 100%
3 What is your racial or ethnic background?		
1 African American / Black	59	71.1%
2 Asian	1	1.2%
3 Caucasian / White	11	13.3%
4 Native American / Alaska Native	0	0.0%
5 Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
6 Hispanic / Latino	1	1.2%
7 Multi-racial	6	7.2%
8 Other racial background	0	0.0%
9 Decline to answer	5	6.0%
	N	83 100%
4 What neighborhood do you live in?		
1 Grand Boulevard	25	30%
2 North Kenwood	21	25.3%
3 Oakwood	9	10.8%
4 Douglass	4	4.8%
5 Hyde Park	8	9.6%
6 Other	16	19.3%
	N	83 100%
Do you live in one of the new Chicago Housing Authority Plan for Transformation sites?		
5		
1 Yes	9	11%
2 No	72	89%
	N	81 100%
6 What form of transportation do you use most often to get to work?		
1 Metra Train	4	5.1%
2 CTA Train	13	16.5%
3 CTA Bus	13	16.5%
4 Car	38	45.8%
5 Bike	4	5.1%
6 Walk	3	3.8%
7 Other	6	7.6%
	N	79 100%
7 If you use public transit to get to work, approximately how long is your total commute?		
1 15 minutes, or less	7	9.3%
2 30 minutes	17	22.7%
3 45 minutes	9	12.0%
4 60 minutes, or longer	8	10.7%
5 I don't use public transit to get to work	34	45.3%
	N	75 100%
8 What form of transportation do you use most often to get to the grocery store?		
1 Metra Train	0	0.0%
2 CTA Train	1	1.3%
3 CTA Bus	8	10.0%
4 Car	58	72.5%
5 Bike	2	2.5%
6 Walk	9	11.3%
7 Other	2	2.5%
	N	80 100%
9 What is the biggest obstacle to you in using public transportation?		
1 Too far to walk to reach transit station or bus shelter	8	12%
2 Difficulty accessing transit stop (no connecting street)	5	7%
3 Transit does not get me where I need to go	10	14%
4 Transit is not handicap accessible	0	0%
5 Transit stop feels unsafe, unclear or unwelcoming	15	22%
6 Travel times are too infrequent	18	26%
7 Transit times do not meet my schedule	7	10%
8 There is no sheltered place to wait	6	9%
	N	69 100%
10 What do you see as the greatest assets in your community?		
1 Location	41	51.9%
2 Culture/diversity	7	8.9%
3 Businesses, entertainment, retail	2	2.5%
4 Schools	5	6.3%
5 Housing	5	6.3%
6 Transportation	3	3.8%
7 History	10	12.7%
8 Social networking/community development	4	5.1%
9 Other	2	2.5%
	N	79 100.0%

Of the following categories, which would you most like to see



11 more of in your community?		
1 More culture/diversity	3	3.7%
2 More businesses, entertainment or retail	43	53.1%
3 Better schools	11	13.6%
4 Better housing	2	2.5%
5 Transportation	10	12.3%
6 Stronger social networks/community involvement	10	12.3%
7 Other	2	2.5%
N	81	100.0%
Which statement best represents your hopes & expectations for Reconnecting Neighborhoods?		
12 Reconnecting Neighborhoods?		
Residents will be able to access the jobs and services throughout Chicago through better transportation options		
1	14	24%
People will be able to come to this community to experience all we have to offer		
2	11	19%
Jobs, amenities and services will increase and improve to meet resident demand and needs, particularly around our current transportation amenities		
3	17	29%
Residents of the new mixed-income communities will be able to access jobs in the community and transportation to get to jobs in other areas.		
4	11	19%
None of the statements above reflect my hope and expectations for Reconnecting Neighborhoods		
5	6	10%
N	59	100%
13 How did you hear about Reconnecting Neighborhoods?		
1 Mail	22	34.9%
2 Flyer	4	6.3%
3 Email	5	7.9%
4 Word of mouth	14	22.2%
5 Newspaper	11	17.5%
6 Other	7	11.1%
N	63	100.0%
14 Do you feel your values and opinions were heard at today's meeting?		
1 Yes	44	75.9%
2 No	14	24.1%
N	58	100.0%
15 How would you rate tonight's meeting?		
1 Good	26	54.2%
2 Average	12	25.0%
3 Fair	7	14.6%
4 Poor	3	6.3%
N	48	100.0%

