# MY R-2 NEIGHBORHOOD

(A One-Block Sample R-2 Community)

### WHERE WE LIVE





















### **WHO WE ARE**

Note: The following numbers may not be exact, but they are representative of the make-up of this neighborhood

### Housing Types

(Sample size = 14 residential structures)

- Size (Not Including Basements)
  - 2 stories 2 (separate unit in walk-out basement)
  - 1 ½ stories 5
  - 1 story 7 (1 duplex)
- Occupancy Type
  - Single-Family 11
  - Two-Family 3
- Ownership

Solely owner occupied – 9

Owner occupied, with one rental unit – 1

Rental, Not owner occupied – 2

Unoccupied - 1

Ownership not known – 1

### OCCUPATIONS OF RESIDENTS

City Employee – 1

Computer Services – 2

Construction – 3

Editor – 1

Health Care - 1

Maintenance/Lawn Care - 3

Minister - 1

Musician – 5

Retired – 4

Scrap Collector - 2

Works with disabled children - 1

### Household Composition

- Couples, no children in the home 1
- Families with children in the home 5
  - Families with young children 3
  - Families with adult children 2
- Employment Status
  - Retired females 3
  - Retired males 1
  - Working females 7
  - Working males 8
- Families with children/grandchildren of mixed race/ethnicity 3

#### **AMENITIES**

#### Child and Pet Friendly

- Five vegetable gardens (one shared)
- Two butterfly gardens
- Three residents raising fruit/nut trees
- One family raises chickens
- Annual block party; informal social gatherings
- Neighbors help one another with:
  - Construction/remodeling projects
  - Snow removal
  - Pet care
  - Child care
- Sharing of information and goods

A person's a person, no matter how small."

— Dr. Seuss, <u>Horton Hears a Who!</u>

## Compare to Representative R-1 Neighborhoods







