



# CITY OF LIVERMORE, CA 2012

## Benchmark Report



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## UNDERSTANDING THE BENCHMARK COMPARISONS

### COMPARISON DATA

NRC's database of comparative resident opinion is comprised of resident perspectives gathered in citizen surveys from approximately 500 jurisdictions whose residents evaluated local government services and gave their opinion about the quality of community life. The comparison evaluations are from the most recent survey completed in each jurisdiction; most communities conduct surveys every year or in alternating years. NRC adds the latest results quickly upon survey completion, keeping the benchmark data fresh and relevant.

The City of Livermore chose to have comparisons made to the entire database and a subset of similar jurisdictions from the database (West Coast region). A benchmark comparison (the average rating from all the comparison jurisdictions where a similar question was asked) has been provided when a similar question on the City of Livermore Survey was included in NRC's database and there were at least five jurisdictions in which the question was asked. For most questions compared to the entire dataset, there were more than 100 jurisdictions included in the benchmark comparison.

The jurisdictions in the database represent a wide geographic and population range as shown in the table below.

Jurisdiction Characteristic	Percent of Jurisdictions
<b>Region</b>	
West Coast <sup>1</sup>	16%
West <sup>2</sup>	21%
North Central West <sup>3</sup>	10%
North Central East <sup>4</sup>	13%
South Central <sup>5</sup>	7%
South <sup>6</sup>	25%
Northeast West <sup>7</sup>	2%
Northeast East <sup>8</sup>	4%
<b>Population</b>	
Less than 40,000	45%
40,000 to 74,999	20%
75,000 to 149,000	17%
150,000 or more	19%

<sup>1</sup> Alaska, Washington, Oregon, California, Hawaii

<sup>2</sup> Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico

<sup>3</sup> North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Missouri, Minnesota

<sup>4</sup> Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin

<sup>5</sup> Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas

<sup>6</sup> West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Maryland, Delaware, Washington DC

<sup>7</sup> New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey

<sup>8</sup> Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, Maine

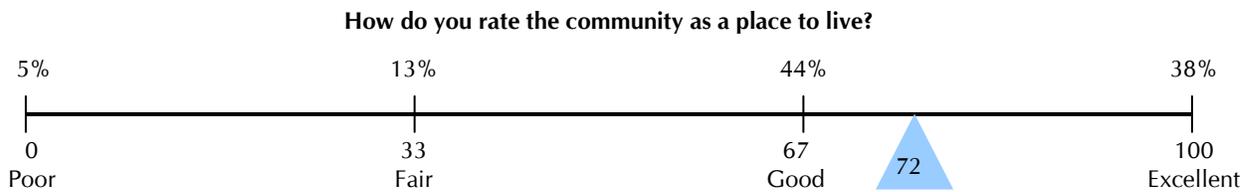
## PUTTING EVALUATIONS ONTO THE 100-POINT SCALE

Although responses to many of the evaluative questions were made on a four point scale with 1 representing the best rating and 4 the worst, the benchmarks are reported on a common scale where 0 is the worst possible rating and 100 is the best possible rating. The 95 percent confidence interval around an average score on the 100-point scale is no greater than plus or minus two points based on all respondents.

The 100-point scale is not a percent. It is a conversion of responses to an average rating. Each response option is assigned a value that is used in calculating the average score. For example, “excellent” = 100, “good” = 67, “fair” = 33 and “poor” = 0. If everyone reported “excellent,” then the average rating would be 100 on the 100-point scale. Likewise, if all respondents gave a “poor,” the result would be 0 on the 100-point scale. If half the respondents gave a score of “excellent” and half gave a score of “poor,” the average would be in the middle of the scale (like the center post of a teeter totter) between “fair” and “good.” An example of how to convert survey frequencies into an average rating appears below.

Example of Converting Responses to the 100-point Scale

How do you rate the community as a place to live?						
Response option	Total with “don’t know”	Step 1: Remove the percent of “don’t know” responses	Total without “don’t know”	Step 2: Assign scale values	Step 3: Multiply the percent by the scale value	Step 4: Sum to calculate the average rating
Excellent	36%	= 36 ÷ (100-5) =	38%	100	= 38% x 100 =	38
Good	42%	= 42 ÷ (100-5) =	44%	67	= 44% x 67 =	30
Fair	12%	= 12 ÷ (100-5) =	13%	33	= 13% x 33 =	4
Poor	5%	= 5 ÷ (100-5) =	5%	0	= 5% x 0 =	0
Don’t know	5%		--			
Total	100%		100%			72



## INTERPRETING THE RESULTS

Average ratings are compared when similar questions are included in NRC’s database, and there are at least five jurisdictions in which the question was asked. Where comparisons are available, three numbers are provided in the table. The first column is your jurisdiction’s rating on the 100-point scale. The second column is the rank assigned to your jurisdiction’s rating among jurisdictions where a similar question was asked. The third column is the number of jurisdictions that asked a similar question. The fourth column shows the comparison of your jurisdiction’s average rating (column one) to the benchmark.

Where comparisons for quality ratings were available, the City of Livermore’s results were generally noted as being “above” the benchmark, “below” the benchmark or “similar” to the benchmark. For some questions – those related to resident behavior, circumstance or to a local problem – the comparison to the benchmark is designated as “more,” “similar” or “less” (for example, the percent of crime victims, residents visiting a park or residents identifying code enforcement as a problem.) In instances where ratings are considerably higher or lower than the benchmark, these ratings have been further demarcated by the attribute of “much,” (for example, “much less” or “much above”). These labels come from a statistical comparison of the City of Livermore’s rating to the benchmark where a rating is considered “similar” if it is within the margin of error; “above,” “below,” “more” or “less” if the difference between your jurisdiction’s rating and the benchmark is greater the margin of error; and “much above,” “much below,” “much more” or “much less” if the difference between your jurisdiction’s rating and the benchmark is more than twice the margin of error.

This report contains benchmarks at the national level, as well as for the West Coast region.

## NATIONAL BENCHMARK COMPARISONS

Overall Community Quality Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Overall quality of life in Livermore	73	121	411	Much above
Your neighborhood as place to live	74	84	273	Much above
Livermore as a place to live	79	82	342	Much above
Recommend living in Livermore to someone who asks	84	40	183	Much above
Remain in Livermore for the next five years	84	29	182	Much above

Community Transportation Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Ease of car travel in Livermore	58	102	267	Above
Ease of bus travel in Livermore	50	61	188	Much above
Ease of rail or subway travel in Livermore	33	35	52	Much below
Ease of bicycle travel in Livermore	63	30	260	Much above
Ease of walking in Livermore	68	42	262	Much above
Availability of paths and walking trails	69	32	178	Much above
Traffic flow on major streets	50	81	245	Much above

Frequency of Bus Use Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Ridden a local bus within Livermore	24	73	162	Similar

Drive Alone Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Average percent of work commute trips made by driving alone	78	67	171	Much more

Transportation and Parking Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Street repair	50	144	396	Much above
Street cleaning	60	84	275	Much above
Street lighting	53	174	304	Similar
Sidewalk maintenance	50	142	257	Similar
Traffic signal timing	49	85	212	Similar
Bus or transit services	57	63	201	Much above
Amount of public parking	55	38	204	Much above

Housing Characteristics Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Availability of affordable quality housing	44	124	282	Similar
Variety of housing options	58	52	170	Much above

Housing Costs Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Experiencing housing costs stress (housing costs 30% or MORE of income)	44	41	176	Much more

Built Environment Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Quality of new development in Livermore	63	42	246	Much above
Overall appearance of Livermore	67	85	317	Much above

Population Growth Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Population growth seen as too fast	39	133	230	Less

Nuisance Problems Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Run down buildings, weed lots and junk vehicles seen as a "major" problem	8	130	230	Much less

Planning and Community Code Enforcement Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Land use, planning and zoning	53	46	275	Much above
Code enforcement (weeds, abandoned buildings, etc.)	48	149	337	Similar
Animal control	60	75	299	Much above

Economic Sustainability and Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Employment opportunities	38	115	277	Above
Shopping opportunities	52	129	264	Similar
Livermore as a place to work	61	83	302	Much above
Overall quality of business and service establishments in Livermore	60	54	166	Much above

Economic Development Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Economic development	50	80	262	Much above

Job and Retail Growth Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Retail growth seen as too slow	33	137	229	Much less
Jobs growth seen as too slow	78	117	232	More

Personal Economic Future Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Positive impact of economy on household income	13	168	224	Much below

Community and Personal Public Safety Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
In your neighborhood during the day	90	120	313	Above
In your neighborhood after dark	77	108	304	Much above
In Livermore's downtown area during the day	91	58	265	Much above
In Livermore's downtown area after dark	74	68	275	Much above
Violent crime (e.g., rape, assault, robbery)	77	114	267	Above
Property crimes (e.g., burglary, theft)	64	125	267	Similar
Environmental hazards, including toxic waste	71	132	178	Much below

Crime Victimization and Reporting Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Victim of crime	11	134	234	Similar
Reported crimes	74	160	232	Much less

Public Safety Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Police services	68	169	391	Similar
Fire services	77	153	316	Similar
Ambulance or emergency medical services	74	173	314	Similar
Crime prevention	57	175	317	Similar
Fire prevention and education	64	164	250	Below
Traffic enforcement	59	133	338	Above
Emergency preparedness (services that prepare the community for natural disasters or other emergency situations)	49	154	198	Much below

Contact with Police and Fire Departments Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Had contact with the City of Livermore Police Department	40	20	68	More
Overall impression of most recent contact with the City of Livermore Police Department	65	46	76	Below
Had contact with the City of Livermore Fire Department	15	19	49	Similar
Overall impression of most recent contact with the City of Livermore Fire Department	85	24	54	Above

Community Environment Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Cleanliness of Livermore	68	59	179	Much above
Quality of overall natural environment in Livermore	67	69	182	Much above
Preservation of natural areas such as open space, farmlands and greenbelts	64	29	182	Much above
Air quality	59	128	216	Similar

Frequency of Recycling Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Recycled used paper, cans or bottles from your home	98	9	217	Much more

Utility Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Power (electric and/or gas) utility	64	49	94	Similar
Sewer services	65	107	270	Above
Drinking water	52	205	281	Much below
Storm drainage	63	49	324	Much above
Yard waste pick-up	72	46	229	Much above
Recycling	75	51	315	Much above
Garbage collection	71	168	335	Similar

Community Recreational Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Recreation opportunities	65	79	274	Much above

Participation in Parks and Recreation Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Used Livermore recreation centers	66	32	188	Much more
Participated in a recreation program or activity	53	59	219	Much more
Visited a neighborhood park or City park	90	55	226	Much more

Parks and Recreation Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
City parks	73	97	297	Much above
Recreation programs or classes	69	77	305	Much above
Recreation centers or facilities	71	37	246	Much above

Cultural and Educational Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Opportunities to attend cultural activities	61	67	280	Much above
Educational opportunities	54	130	230	Below

Participation in Cultural and Educational Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Used Livermore public libraries or their services	77	50	198	Much more
Participated in religious or spiritual activities in Livermore	49	79	122	Less

Cultural and Educational Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Public schools	58	129	231	Similar
Public library services	74	121	305	Above

Community Health and Wellness Access and Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Availability of affordable quality health care	51	81	221	Above
Availability of affordable quality food	61	57	166	Above
Availability of preventive health services	55	61	137	Similar

Health and Wellness Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Health services	58	77	179	Similar

Community Quality and Inclusiveness Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Sense of community	65	56	282	Much above
Openness and acceptance of the community toward people of diverse backgrounds	61	63	249	Much above
Availability of affordable quality child care	45	88	217	Similar
Livermore as a place to raise kids	75	104	341	Much above
Livermore as a place to retire	62	126	326	Above

Services Provided for Population Subgroups Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Services to seniors	61	95	276	Above
Services to youth	54	113	253	Similar
Services to low income people	49	69	220	Above

Civic Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Opportunities to participate in community matters	60	65	173	Above
Opportunities to volunteer	68	55	172	Above

Participation in Civic Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Attended a meeting of local elected officials or other local public meeting	22	165	229	Much less
Watched a meeting of local elected officials or other public meeting on cable television, the Internet or other media	38	104	186	Similar
Volunteered your time to some group or activity in Livermore	49	85	228	Much more
Participated in a club or civic group in Livermore	34	52	145	More
Provided help to a friend or neighbor	96	43	143	Similar

Voter Behavior Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Registered to vote	82	141	233	Similar
Voted in last general election	69	170	232	Much less

Use of Information Sources Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Read Livermore Newsletter	89	46	169	Much more
Visited the City of Livermore Web site	71	25	169	Much more

Local Government Media Services and Information Dissemination Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Cable television	54	55	175	Above
Public information services	61	99	262	Above

Social Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Opportunities to participate in social events and activities	63	40	170	Much above
Opportunities to participate in religious or spiritual events and activities	67	66	135	Similar

Contact with Immediate Neighbors Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Has contact with neighbors at least several times per week	48	83	164	Similar

Public Trust Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Value of services for the taxes paid to Livermore	53	116	363	Above
The overall direction that Livermore is taking	57	69	298	Much above
Job Livermore government does at welcoming citizen involvement	53	80	301	Much above
Overall image or reputation of Livermore	65	109	292	Much above

Services Provided by Local, State and Federal Governments Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Services provided by the City of Livermore	65	137	391	Much above
Services provided by the Federal Government	36	219	238	Much below
Services provided by the State Government	31	232	240	Much below
Services provided by Alameda County Government	40	136	152	Much below

Contact with City Employees Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Had contact with City employee(s) in last 12 months	42	232	265	Much less

Perceptions of City Employees (Among Those Who Had Contact) Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Knowledge	75	65	304	Much above
Responsiveness	74	61	299	Much above
Courteousness	76	64	249	Much above
Overall impression	74	64	349	Much above

## JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED IN NATIONAL BENCHMARK COMPARISONS

Abilene, KS.....	6,844	Burlingame, CA.....	28,806
Airway Heights, WA.....	6,114	Burlington, MA.....	24,498
Alamogordo, NM.....	30,403	Cabarrus County, NC.....	178,011
Albany, GA.....	77,434	Cambridge, MA.....	105,162
Albany, OR.....	50,158	Canandaigua, NY.....	10,545
Albemarle County, VA.....	98,970	Cape Coral, FL.....	154,305
Alpharetta, GA.....	57,551	Carlsbad, CA.....	105,328
Ames, IA.....	58,965	Carson City, NV.....	55,274
Andover, MA.....	8,762	Cartersville, GA.....	19,731
Ankeny, IA.....	45,582	Carver County, MN.....	91,042
Ann Arbor, MI.....	113,934	Cary, NC.....	135,234
Apple Valley, CA.....	69,135	Casa Grande, AZ.....	48,571
Arapahoe County, CO.....	572,003	Cedar Creek, NE.....	390
Archuleta County, CO.....	12,084	Cedar Falls, IA.....	39,260
Arkansas City, KS.....	12,415	Cedar Rapids, IA.....	126,326
Arlington County, VA.....	207,627	Centennial, CO.....	100,377
Arvada, CO.....	106,433	Centralia, IL.....	13,032
Asheville, NC.....	83,393	Chambersburg, PA.....	20,268
Ashland, OR.....	20,078	Chandler, AZ.....	236,123
Ashland, VA.....	7,225	Chanhassen, MN.....	22,952
Aspen, CO.....	6,658	Charlotte County, FL.....	159,978
Auburn, AL.....	53,380	Charlotte, NC.....	731,424
Auburn, WA.....	70,180	Chesapeake, VA.....	222,209
Aurora, CO.....	325,078	Chesterfield County, VA.....	316,236
Austin, TX.....	790,390	Cheyenne, WY.....	59,466
Avondale, AZ.....	76,238	Chittenden County, VT.....	156,545
Baltimore County, MD.....	805,029	Chula Vista, CA.....	243,916
Baltimore, MD.....	620,961	Clark County, WA.....	425,363
Batavia, IL.....	26,045	Clay County, MO.....	221,939
Battle Creek, MI.....	52,347	Clayton, MO.....	15,939
Belleair Beach, FL.....	1,560	Clear Creek County, CO.....	9,088
Bellevue, WA.....	122,363	Clearwater, FL.....	107,685
Bellingham, WA.....	80,885	Cococino County, AZ.....	134,421
Benbrook, TX.....	21,234	Colleyville, TX.....	22,807
Bend, OR.....	76,639	Collier County, FL.....	321,520
Benicia, CA.....	26,997	Collinsville, IL.....	25,579
Bettendorf, IA.....	33,217	Collinsville, IL.....	25,579
Billings, MT.....	104,170	Colorado Springs, CO.....	416,427
Blacksburg, VA.....	42,620	Columbus, WI.....	4,991
Bloomfield, NM.....	8,112	Commerce City, CO.....	45,913
Bloomington, IL.....	76,610	Concord, CA.....	122,067
Blue Ash, OH.....	12,114	Concord, NC.....	79,066
Blue Earth, MN.....	3,353	Conyers, GA.....	15,195
Blue Springs, MO.....	52,575	Cookeville, TN.....	30,435
Boise, ID.....	205,671	Cooper City, FL.....	28,547
Borough of Ebsburg, PA.....	3,351	Coral Springs, FL.....	121,096
Botetourt County, VA.....	33,148	Coronado, CA.....	18,912
Boulder County, CO.....	294,567	Corpus Christi, TX.....	305,215
Boulder, CO.....	97,385	Corvallis, OR.....	54,462
Bowling Green, KY.....	58,067	Corvallis, OR.....	54,462
Bozeman, MT.....	37,280	Coventry, CT.....	2,990
Branson, MO.....	10,520	Craig, CO.....	9,464
Brea, CA.....	39,282	Crested Butte, CO.....	1,487
Breckenridge, CO.....	4,540	Crystal Lake, IL.....	40,743
Brevard County, FL.....	543,376	Cumberland County, PA.....	235,406
Brisbane, CA.....	4,282	Cupertino, CA.....	58,302
Broken Arrow, OK.....	98,850	Dakota County, MN.....	398,552
Bryan, TX.....	76,201	Davenport, IA.....	99,685

Davidson, NC	10,944	Garden City, KS	26,658
Daviess County, KY	96,656	Gardner, KS	19,123
Davis, CA	65,622	Geneva, NY	13,261
Daytona Beach, FL	61,005	Georgetown, CO	1,034
De Pere, WI	23,800	Georgetown, TX	47,400
Decatur, GA	19,335	Gig Harbor, WA	7,126
DeKalb, IL	43,862	Gilbert, AZ	208,453
Del Mar, CA	4,161	Gillette, WY	29,087
Delaware, OH	34,753	Gladstone, MI	4,973
Delray Beach, FL	60,522	Goodyear, AZ	65,275
Denton, TX	113,383	Grand County, CO	14,843
Denver, CO	600,158	Grand Island, NE	48,520
Des Moines, IA	203,433	Grand Prairie, TX	175,396
Destin, FL	12,305	Green Valley, AZ	21,391
Dewey-Humboldt, AZ	3,894	Greenwood Village, CO	13,925
Dorchester County, MD	32,618	Gulf Shores, AL	9,741
Dover, DE	36,047	Gunnison County, CO	15,324
Dover, NH	29,987	Gurnee, IL	31,295
Dublin, CA	46,036	Hampton, VA	137,436
Dublin, OH	41,751	Hanover County, VA	99,863
Duluth, MN	86,265	Harrisonville, MO	10,019
Duncanville, TX	38,524	Hartford, CT	124,775
Durango, CO	16,887	Henderson, NV	257,729
East Providence, RI	47,037	Hermiston, OR	16,745
Eau Claire, WI	65,883	Herndon, VA	23,292
Edmond, OK	81,405	High Point, NC	104,371
El Cerrito, CA	23,549	Highland Park, IL	29,763
El Paso, TX	649,121	Highlands Ranch, CO	96,713
Elk Grove, CA	153,015	Hillsborough County, FL	1.E+06
Ellisville, MO	9,133	Hillsborough, NC	6,087
Elmhurst, IL	44,121	Honolulu, HI	953,207
Englewood, CO	30,255	Hopewell, VA	22,591
Ephrata Borough, PA	13,394	Hoquiam, WA	8,726
Escambia County, FL	297,619	Hot Sulphur Springs, CO	663
Escanaba, MI	12,616	Houston, TX	2.E+06
Estes Park, CO	5,858	Howell, MI	9,489
Eugene, OR	156,185	Hudson, CO	2,356
Eustis, FL	18,558	Hurst, TX	37,337
Evanston, IL	74,486	Hutchinson, MN	14,178
Fairway, KS	3,882	Hutto, TX	14,698
Farmington Hills, MI	79,740	Indian Trail, NC	33,518
Farmington, NM	45,877	Indianola, IA	14,782
Farmington, UT	18,275	Irving, TX	216,290
Fayetteville, AR	73,580	Jackson County, MI	160,248
Federal Way, WA	89,306	Jackson County, OR	203,206
Fishers, IN	76,794	James City County, VA	67,009
Flagstaff, AZ	65,870	Jefferson City, MO	43,079
Flower Mound, TX	64,669	Jefferson County, CO	534,543
Flushing, MI	8,389	Jerome, ID	10,890
Forest Grove, OR	21,083	Johnson County, KS	544,179
Fort Collins, CO	143,986	Joplin, MO	50,150
Fort Worth, TX	741,206	Jupiter, FL	55,156
Fredericksburg, VA	24,286	Kalamazoo, MI	74,262
Freeport, IL	25,638	Kannapolis, NC	42,625
Fridley, MN	27,208	Keizer, OR	36,478
Fruita, CO	12,646	Kettering, OH	56,163
Gainesville, FL	124,354	Kirkland, WA	48,787
Gaithersburg, MD	59,933	Kissimmee, FL	59,682
Galt, CA	23,647	Kitsap County, WA	251,133

Kutztown Borough, PA .....	5,012	Montgomery County, MD .....	971,777
La Mesa, CA.....	57,065	Montgomery County, VA.....	94,392
La Plata, MD.....	8,753	Montpelier, VT .....	7,855
La Vista, NE .....	15,758	Montrose, CO.....	19,132
Laguna Beach, CA.....	22,723	Mooresville, NC.....	32,711
Lakewood, CO.....	142,980	Morgantown, WV.....	29,660
Lane County, OR .....	351,715	Morristown, TN.....	29,137
Laramie, WY .....	30,816	Moscow, ID.....	23,800
Larimer County, CO.....	299,630	Mountain View, CA.....	74,066
Lawrence, KS .....	87,643	Mountlake Terrace, WA .....	19,909
League City, TX.....	83,560	Multnomah County, OR.....	735,334
Lebanon, NH .....	13,151	Munster, IN .....	23,603
Lebanon, OH.....	20,033	Muscatine, IA .....	22,886
Lee County, FL.....	618,754	Naperville, IL.....	141,853
Lee's Summit, MO .....	91,364	Nashville, TN .....	601,222
Lexington, VA .....	7,042	Needham, MA.....	28,886
Liberty, MO .....	29,149	New Orleans, LA.....	343,829
Lincolnwood, IL.....	12,590	New York City, NY.....	8.E+06
Little Rock, AR.....	193,524	Newport Beach, CA.....	85,186
Lodi, CA .....	62,134	Newport News, VA .....	180,719
Lone Tree, CO .....	10,218	Newport, RI.....	24,672
Long Beach, CA .....	462,257	Noblesville, IN .....	51,969
Longmont, CO .....	86,270	Normal, IL .....	52,497
Los Alamos County, NM.....	17,950	Norman, OK.....	110,925
Louisville, CO .....	18,376	North Branch, MN.....	10,125
Loveland, CO .....	66,859	North Las Vegas, NV .....	216,961
Lynchburg, VA.....	75,568	North Palm Beach, FL.....	12,015
Lynnwood, WA.....	35,836	Northglenn, CO.....	35,789
Lynwood, CA.....	69,772	Novi, MI.....	55,224
Lyons, IL .....	10,729	O'Fallon, IL .....	28,281
Madison, WI .....	233,209	O'Fallon, MO.....	79,329
Maple Grove, MN.....	61,567	Oak Park, IL.....	51,878
Maple Valley, WA .....	22,684	Oak Ridge, TN .....	29,330
Marana, AZ.....	34,961	Oakland Park, FL.....	41,363
Maricopa County, AZ .....	4.E+06	Oakland Township, MI.....	NA
Marion, IA.....	33,309	Ocala, FL.....	56,315
Maryland Heights, MO .....	27,472	Ocean City, MD.....	7,102
Maryville, MO .....	11,972	Ogdensburg, NY.....	11,128
Mayer, MN .....	1,749	Oklahoma City, OK.....	579,999
McAllen, TX.....	129,877	Olathe, KS.....	125,872
McDonough, GA .....	22,084	Oldsmar, FL.....	13,591
McKinney, TX .....	131,117	Olmsted County, MN .....	144,248
McMinnville, OR .....	32,187	Olympia, WA .....	46,478
Mecklenburg County, NC .....	919,628	Orange Village, OH .....	3,323
Medford, OR.....	74,907	Oshkosh, WI .....	66,083
Medina, MN .....	4,892	Ottawa County, MI.....	263,801
Menlo Park, CA .....	32,026	Overland Park, KS .....	173,372
Meridian, ID .....	75,092	Oviedo, FL .....	33,342
Merriam, KS.....	11,003	Palatine, IL.....	68,557
Merrill, WI .....	9,661	Palm Bay, FL.....	103,190
Mesa County, CO .....	146,723	Palm Beach County, FL .....	1.E+06
Mesa, AZ .....	439,041	Palm Beach Gardens, FL.....	48,452
Miami Beach, FL.....	87,779	Palm Coast, FL.....	75,180
Midland, MI.....	41,863	Palm Springs, CA.....	44,552
Milton, GA.....	32,661	Palo Alto, CA.....	64,403
Minneapolis, MN.....	382,578	Panama City, FL.....	36,484
Mission Viejo, CA.....	93,305	Park City, UT.....	7,558
Mission, KS.....	9,323	Park Ridge, IL .....	37,480
Missoula, MT .....	66,788	Parker, CO .....	45,297

Pasadena, TX .....	149,043	San Luis Obispo County, CA .....	269,637
Pasco County, FL .....	464,697	San Marcos, TX.....	44,894
Pasco, WA .....	59,781	San Rafael, CA.....	57,713
Peachtree City, GA .....	34,364	Sandusky, OH .....	25,793
Peoria County, IL .....	186,494	Sandy Springs, GA.....	93,853
Peoria, AZ.....	154,065	Sandy, UT .....	87,461
Petoskey, MI .....	5,670	Sanford, FL .....	53,570
Philadelphia, PA .....	2.E + 06	Santa Barbara County, CA .....	423,895
Phoenix, AZ.....	1.E + 06	Santa Monica, CA.....	89,736
Pinal County, AZ .....	375,770	Sarasota, FL .....	51,917
Pinellas County, FL .....	916,542	Sault Sainte Marie, MI .....	14,144
Pinellas Park, FL.....	49,079	Savannah, GA.....	136,286
Pitkin County, CO.....	17,148	Scarborough, ME .....	4,403
Plano, TX .....	259,841	Scott County, MN.....	129,928
Platte City, MO .....	4,691	Scottsdale, AZ .....	217,385
Pocatello, ID.....	54,255	Sedona, AZ.....	10,031
Port Huron, MI.....	30,184	Seminole, FL.....	17,233
Port Orange, FL.....	56,048	Shenandoah, TX .....	2,134
Port St. Lucie, FL.....	164,603	Sherman, IL .....	4,148
Portland, OR.....	583,776	Shorewood, IL .....	15,615
Post Falls, ID.....	27,574	Sioux Falls, SD .....	153,888
Poway, CA.....	47,811	Skokie, IL.....	64,784
Prescott Valley, AZ .....	38,822	Smyrna, GA.....	51,271
Prince William County, VA.....	402,002	Snellville, GA .....	18,242
Provo, UT .....	112,488	Snoqualmie, WA .....	10,670
Pueblo, CO.....	106,595	South Daytona, FL .....	12,252
Purcellville, VA.....	7,727	South Haven, MI .....	4,403
Queen Creek, AZ.....	26,361	South Lake Tahoe, CA .....	21,403
Radford, VA .....	16,408	South Portland, ME.....	25,002
Rancho Cordova, CA .....	64,776	Southlake, TX .....	26,575
Rapid City, SD .....	67,956	Sparks, NV .....	90,264
Raymore, MO .....	19,206	Spotsylvania County, VA .....	122,397
Redmond, WA.....	54,144	Springboro, OH.....	17,409
Rehoboth Beach, DE.....	1,327	Springfield, OR.....	59,403
Reno, NV .....	225,221	Springville, UT .....	29,466
Renton, WA.....	90,927	St. Cloud, FL.....	35,183
Richmond Heights, MO.....	8,603	St. Louis County, MN .....	200,226
Richmond, CA .....	103,701	Stafford County, VA.....	128,961
Rio Rancho, NM .....	87,521	Starkville, MS .....	23,888
Riverdale, UT.....	8,426	State College, PA .....	42,034
Riverside, IL .....	8,875	Steamboat Springs, CO.....	12,088
Riverside, MO.....	2,937	Sterling, CO.....	14,777
Roanoke, VA.....	97,032	Stillwater, OK.....	45,688
Rochester, MI.....	12,711	Stockton, CA .....	291,707
Rock Hill, SC .....	66,154	Sugar Grove, IL.....	8,997
Rockville, MD.....	61,209	Sugar Land, TX .....	78,817
Roeland Park, KS .....	6,731	Summit County, CO .....	27,994
Rolla, MO .....	19,559	Sunnyvale, CA.....	140,081
Roswell, GA.....	88,346	Sunnyvale, CA.....	140,081
Round Rock, TX.....	99,887	Surprise, AZ.....	117,517
Rowlett, TX .....	56,199	Suwanee, GA .....	15,355
Saco, ME.....	18,482	Tacoma, WA .....	198,397
Salida, CO .....	5,236	Takoma Park, MD .....	16,715
Salina, KS.....	47,707	Tallahassee, FL .....	181,376
Salt Lake City, UT .....	186,440	Temecula, CA.....	100,097
San Diego, CA .....	1.E + 06	Tempe, AZ .....	161,719
San Francisco, CA.....	805,235	Temple, TX.....	66,102
San Jose, CA .....	945,942	Teton County, WY.....	21,294
San Juan County, NM .....	130,044	The Colony, TX .....	36,328

Thornton, CO .....	118,772	Wausau, WI.....	39,106
Thousand Oaks, CA .....	126,683	Wentzville, MO.....	29,070
Titusville, FL .....	43,761	West Des Moines, IA.....	56,609
Tomball, TX .....	10,753	West Richland, WA.....	11,811
Tualatin, OR .....	26,054	Westlake, TX .....	992
Tulsa, OK.....	391,906	Westminster, CO.....	106,114
Tuskegee, AL .....	9,865	Wheat Ridge, CO .....	30,166
Twin Falls, ID .....	44,125	White House, TN .....	10,255
Upper Arlington, OH.....	33,771	Wichita, KS.....	382,368
Urbandale, IA .....	39,463	Williamsburg, VA.....	14,068
Valdez, AK.....	3,976	Wilmington, IL .....	5,724
Vancouver, WA .....	161,791	Wilmington, NC.....	106,476
Vestavia Hills, AL.....	34,033	Wind Point, WI .....	1,723
Village of Howard City, MI .....	1,808	Windsor, CO.....	18,644
Virginia Beach, VA .....	437,994	Winston-Salem, NC.....	229,617
Visalia, CA.....	124,442	Winter Garden, FL.....	34,568
Volusia County, FL.....	494,593	Winter Park, FL.....	27,852
Wahpeton, ND .....	7,766	Woodbury, MN .....	61,961
Wake Forest, NC.....	30,117	Woodland, WA .....	5,509
Walnut Creek, CA.....	64,173	Woodridge, IL .....	32,971
Walton County, FL.....	55,043	Worcester, MA .....	181,045
Washington City, UT .....	18,761	York County, VA .....	65,464
Washington County, MN .....	238,136	Yuma County, AZ.....	195,751
Washoe County, NV .....	421,407	Yuma, AZ .....	93,064

## WEST COAST BENCHMARK COMPARISONS

Overall Community Quality Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Overall quality of life in Livermore	73	20	56	Much above
Your neighborhood as place to live	74	11	41	Much above
Livermore as a place to live	79	10	44	Much above
Recommend living in Livermore to someone who asks	84	4	26	Much above
Remain in Livermore for the next five years	84	2	26	Much above

Community Transportation Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Ease of car travel in Livermore	58	14	39	Much above
Ease of bus travel in Livermore	50	13	34	Similar
Ease of rail or subway travel in Livermore	33	11	13	Much below
Ease of bicycle travel in Livermore	63	8	38	Much above
Ease of walking in Livermore	68	9	37	Much above
Availability of paths and walking trails	69	4	24	Much above
Traffic flow on major streets	50	15	36	Much above

Frequency of Bus Use Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Ridden a local bus within Livermore	24	26	33	Much less

Drive Alone Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Average percent of work commute trips made by driving alone	78	3	26	Much more

Transportation and Parking Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Street repair	50	21	55	Above
Street cleaning	60	16	47	Above
Street lighting	53	22	45	Similar
Sidewalk maintenance	50	17	39	Similar
Traffic signal timing	49	12	38	Similar
Bus or transit services	57	15	36	Above
Amount of public parking	55	5	34	Much above

Housing Characteristics Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Availability of affordable quality housing	44	12	40	Much above
Variety of housing options	58	3	23	Much above

Housing Costs Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Experiencing housing costs stress (housing costs 30% or MORE of income)	44	17	27	Similar

Built Environment Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Quality of new development in Livermore	63	3	34	Much above
Overall appearance of Livermore	67	13	41	Much above

Population Growth Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Population growth seen as too fast	39	19	34	Much less

Nuisance Problems Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Run down buildings, weed lots and junk vehicles seen as a "major" problem	8	22	34	Much less

Planning and Community Code Enforcement Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Land use, planning and zoning	53	3	43	Much above
Code enforcement (weeds, abandoned buildings, etc.)	48	18	44	Above
Animal control	60	12	40	Much above

Economic Sustainability and Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Employment opportunities	38	14	36	Much above
Shopping opportunities	52	16	38	Above
Livermore as a place to work	61	9	38	Much above
Overall quality of business and service establishments in Livermore	60	7	25	Much above

Economic Development Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Economic development	50	8	40	Much above

Job and Retail Growth Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Retail growth seen as too slow	33	23	34	Much less
Jobs growth seen as too slow	78	18	35	More

Personal Economic Future Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Positive impact of economy on household income	13	27	34	Much below

Community and Personal Public Safety Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
In your neighborhood during the day	90	17	49	Above
In your neighborhood after dark	77	15	45	Much above
In Livermore's downtown area during the day	91	9	43	Much above
In Livermore's downtown area after dark	74	8	47	Much above
Violent crime (e.g., rape, assault, robbery)	77	13	39	Much above
Property crimes (e.g., burglary, theft)	64	15	39	Much above
Environmental hazards, including toxic waste	71	17	27	Similar

Crime Victimization and Reporting Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Victim of crime	11	29	36	Much less
Reported crimes	74	23	36	Less

Public Safety Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Police services	68	20	53	Above
Fire services	77	16	35	Similar
Ambulance or emergency medical services	74	24	39	Similar
Crime prevention	57	18	44	Above
Fire prevention and education	64	22	37	Similar
Traffic enforcement	59	14	45	Above
Emergency preparedness (services that prepare the community for natural disasters or other emergency situations)	49	19	35	Below

Contact with Police and Fire Departments Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Had contact with the City of Livermore Police Department	40	7	15	Similar
Overall impression of most recent contact with the City of Livermore Police Department	65	7	15	Similar
Had contact with the City of Livermore Fire Department	15	9	10	Less
Overall impression of most recent contact with the City of Livermore Fire Department	85	4	11	Much above

Community Environment Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Cleanliness of Livermore	68	8	26	Much above
Quality of overall natural environment in Livermore	67	11	28	Much above
Preservation of natural areas such as open space, farmlands and greenbelts	64	6	27	Much above
Air quality	59	17	32	Similar

Frequency of Recycling Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Recycled used paper, cans or bottles from your home	98	6	33	Much more

Utility Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Power (electric and/or gas) utility	64	10	16	Similar
Sewer services	65	15	38	Above
Drinking water	52	29	35	Much below
Storm drainage	63	9	42	Much above
Yard waste pick-up	72	9	30	Above
Recycling	75	8	40	Much above
Garbage collection	71	25	42	Similar

Community Recreational Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Recreation opportunities	65	11	36	Much above

Participation in Parks and Recreation Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Used Livermore recreation centers	66	2	29	Much more
Participated in a recreation program or activity	53	10	32	Much more
Visited a neighborhood park or City park	90	12	34	More

Parks and Recreation Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
City parks	73	15	41	Above
Recreation programs or classes	69	13	46	Much above
Recreation centers or facilities	71	3	33	Much above

Cultural and Educational Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Opportunities to attend cultural activities	61	11	42	Much above
Educational opportunities	54	13	33	Similar

Participation in Cultural and Educational Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Used Livermore public libraries or their services	77	9	34	Much more
Participated in religious or spiritual activities in Livermore	49	11	17	More

Cultural and Educational Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Public schools	58	14	28	Above
Public library services	74	17	47	Above

Community Health and Wellness Access and Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Availability of affordable quality health care	51	9	33	Much above
Availability of affordable quality food	61	8	27	Above
Availability of preventive health services	55	6	21	Much above

Health and Wellness Services Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Health services	58	6	21	Much above

Community Quality and Inclusiveness Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Sense of community	65	6	40	Much above
Openness and acceptance of the community toward people of diverse backgrounds	61	8	38	Much above
Availability of affordable quality child care	45	9	34	Much above
Livermore as a place to raise kids	75	11	41	Much above
Livermore as a place to retire	62	16	41	Much above

Services Provided for Population Subgroups Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Services to seniors	61	15	42	Above
Services to youth	54	15	39	Above
Services to low income people	49	4	32	Much above

Civic Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Opportunities to participate in community matters	60	7	25	Above
Opportunities to volunteer	68	9	26	Much above

Participation in Civic Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Attended a meeting of local elected officials or other local public meeting	22	20	35	Less
Watched a meeting of local elected officials or other public meeting on cable television, the Internet or other media	38	18	33	Similar
Volunteered your time to some group or activity in Livermore	49	11	35	Much more
Participated in a club or civic group in Livermore	34	10	24	More
Provided help to a friend or neighbor	96	6	24	Similar

Voter Behavior Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Registered to vote	82	16	35	Similar
Voted in last general election	69	26	35	Much less

Use of Information Sources Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Read Livermore Newsletter	89	3	26	Much more
Visited the City of Livermore Web site	71	3	24	Much more

Local Government Media Services and Information Dissemination Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Cable television	54	9	23	Similar
Public information services	61	13	40	Much above

Social Engagement Opportunities Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Opportunities to participate in social events and activities	63	8	28	Much above
Opportunities to participate in religious or spiritual events and activities	67	6	19	Much above

Contact with Immediate Neighbors Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Has contact with neighbors at least several times per week	48	11	25	Similar

Public Trust Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Value of services for the taxes paid to Livermore	53	12	41	Much above
The overall direction that Livermore is taking	57	7	43	Much above
Job Livermore government does at welcoming citizen involvement	53	8	41	Much above
Overall image or reputation of Livermore	65	13	37	Much above

Services Provided by Local, State and Federal Governments Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Services provided by the City of Livermore	65	23	58	Much above
Services provided by the Federal Government	36	32	37	Below
Services provided by the State Government	31	36	37	Much below
Services provided by Alameda County Government	40	24	27	Much below

Contact with City Employees Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Had contact with City employee(s) in last 12 months	42	32	39	Much less

Perceptions of City Employees (Among Those Who Had Contact) Benchmarks				
	Livermore average rating	Rank	Number of Jurisdictions for Comparison	Comparison to benchmark
Knowledge	75	6	42	Much above
Responsiveness	74	4	41	Much above
Courteousness	76	9	37	Much above
Overall impression	74	9	46	Much above

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Albany, OR.....	50,158	Medford, OR .....	74,907
Apple Valley, CA .....	69,135	Menlo Park, CA.....	32,026
Ashland, OR .....	20,078	Mission Viejo, CA .....	93,305
Auburn, WA .....	70,180	Mountain View, CA.....	74,066
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Bellingham, WA .....	80,885	Multnomah County, OR.....	735,334
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Carlsbad, CA.....	105,328	Portland, OR .....	583,776
Chula Vista, CA .....	243,916	Poway, CA .....	47,811
Clark County, WA.....	425,363	Rancho Cordova, CA.....	64,776
Concord, CA.....	122,067	Redmond, WA.....	54,144
Coronado, CA.....	18,912	Renton, WA.....	90,927
Corvallis, OR .....	54,462	Richmond, CA.....	103,701
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Davis, CA.....	65,622	San Francisco, CA.....	805,235
Del Mar, CA .....	4,161	San Jose, CA .....	945,942
Dublin, CA .....	46,036	San Luis Obispo County, CA .....	269,637
El Cerrito, CA.....	23,549	San Rafael, CA.....	57,713
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Forest Grove, OR.....	21,083	Spokane Valley, WA.....	NA
Galt, CA.....	23,647	Springfield, OR.....	59,403
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Keizer, OR .....	36,478	Tacoma, WA .....	198,397
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