Continuing Screener

1999 Puget Sound Transportation Panel – Wave 8
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INT1  May I please speak with _______________?

[IF NECESSARY: This is _______________ from Northwest Research Group, a public opinion research firm in Bellevue. We are working with the Puget Sound Regional Council and local transportation planners on a study of travel patterns, needs, and opinions in the Puget Sound area. Our records indicate that your household is a member of the Puget Sound Transportation Panel.]

INT2

[IF CONTACT NOT AVAILABLE: CTRL-END TO SCHEDULE A CALLBACK]

[IF CONTACT NO LONGER AT THIS NUMBER:
PROBE: “Are you a member of the Puget Sound Transportation Panel?”
IF “Yes”
PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE WITH PERSON ON PHONE
IF “No”
PROBE: “Do you have a new phone number for _______________?”
RECORD THIS INFORMATION ON YOUR CALL RECORD SHEET
IF NO NEW CONTACT NUMBER,
HIT CTRL-END AND DISPOSITION AS MOVED (DISPOS = 37)

INTROA

[CONTACT ON PHONE]

(Hello, this is _______________ from Northwest Research Group, a public opinion research firm in Bellevue. We are working with the Puget Sound Regional Council and local transportation planners on a study of travel patterns, needs, and opinions in the Puget Sound area. Our records indicate that your household is a member of the Puget Sound Transportation Panel.) The Regional Council recently mailed you a letter regarding the next wave of research with panel households. The continuing participation of your household is very important to the study and will help improve mobility for everyone in the region. I would like to take a few minutes to update your household information and note any changes from when you last participated in the study. This call may be monitored for quality purposes.

1 OK – CONTINUE [SKIPTO A1A]
2 CALL BACK AT A MORE CONVENIENT TIME [CTRL-END]
3 HOUSEHOLD DOES NOT WANT TO CONTINUE ON THE PANEL

INTROB [IF INTROA = 3] I would like to point out that the transportation panel is a unique study because the travel patterns of panel members are studied over time, and this is our only source of data on changes in transportation patterns. Therefore, your continuing participation is extremely important. The information you provide will be used to help us to update the region’s Metropolitan Transportation Plan, including things such as planning for highway systems, transit systems, the state ferry system, and local roads. Are you willing to continue as a panel household?

1 OK – CONTINUE [SKIPTO A1A]
2 CALL BACK AT A MORE CONVENIENT TIME [CTRL-END]
3 HOUSEHOLD REFUSES TO CONTINUE ON THE PANEL

INTROC [IF INTROB = 3] Ok. I would like to ask you a few brief questions to note any changes in your household information since you last participated in the study.

1 OK – CONTINUE [QUIT = 1]
2 CTRL-END – IMMEDIATE REFUSAL
A1A  Do you still live in __________ county?
   1  YES  [SKIP TO A2A]
   2  NO
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED  [SKIP TO THANK9; DISPOS = 8]

   1  KING
   2  KITSAP
   3  PIERCE
   4  SNOHOMISH
   5  OTHER  [SKIP TO THANK2]
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED  [SKIP TO THANK9; DISPOS = 8]

A2A  To verify, is your home zip code still __________?
   1  YES  [SKIP TO A3]
   2  NO
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED  [SKIP TO THANK9; DISPOS = 8]

A2B  [IF A2A = 2]  What is your correct zip code?
   ENTER ZIP CODE
   99999  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED  [SKIP TO THANK9; DISPOS = 8]

A3  [IF QUIT = 1, SKIP]  How long have you lived in your current residence?
   [READ IF REFUSED]
   1  (Less Than One Year)
   2  (One To Five Years)
   3  (Six To Ten Years)
   4  (Eleven To Twenty Years)
   5  (More Than Twenty Years)
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

A4  [IF QUIT = 1, SKIP]  And how long have you lived in your county?
   [READ IF REFUSED]
   1  (Less Than One Year)
   2  (One To Five Years)
   3  (Six To Ten Years)
   4  (Eleven To Twenty Years)
   5  (More Than Twenty Years)
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

C1A  How many people in your household, age fifteen or older, ride a local bus at least four times a week? Please count a round-trip as two rides.
   ___  ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   8  8 OR MORE
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

C1B  [IF QUIT = 1, SKIP]  [IF C1A GT 0 AND LT 9]
   Which bus system is that?
   1  METRO / KING COUNTY METRO
   2  COMMUNITY TRANSIT / CT
   3  EVERETT TRANSIT
   4  PIERCE TRANSIT
   5  KITSAP TRANSIT
   6  OTHER: SPECIFY
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

C2  How many household members are employed outside the home?
   ___  ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   8  8 OR MORE
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

C3  [IF C2 GT 0 AND LT 9]  How many, if any, in your household carpool or vanpool to work? Please count family members riding together as more than one person.
   ___  ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   8  8 OR MORE
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED
C4  [IF C3 GT 0 AND LT 9]  Would that be four or more trips per week? Please count each way as one trip.
   [IF MORE THAN ONE PERSON, TAKE ONE WHO CAR/VANPOOLS MOST FREQUENTLY]
   1  YES
   2  NO
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

HHTYPE
1  =  SOV [DEFAULT]
2  =  TRANSIT  [C1A GT 0 AND LT 9]
3  =  CARPOOL  [C4 = 1 AND C1A = 0 OR 9]

DINT  [IF QUIT = 1, SKIP]  These next questions are to help us group your answers with the answers of other people in the survey.
   [PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE]
D1  [IF QUIT = 1, SKIP]  How many cars, vans, pick-up trucks, or motorcycles in working condition are available for use by members of your household? Please include company cars.
   ____ ENTER NUMBER OF VEHICLES
   8  8 OR MORE
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED
D2  Including yourself, how many people are currently living in your household?
   ____ ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   99  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED
D3  How many of these are age eighteen or older?
   ____ ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   99  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED
D4  [IF D3 LT D2]  And how many are between six and seventeen?
   ____ ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   99  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED
D5  [IF D3 + D4 LT D2]  And under age six?
   ____ ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   99  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

[D3 + D4 + D5 MUST EQUAL D2]
[IF QUIT = 1 SKIP TO THANK1]

LIFESTG
1  =  ANY CHILDREN  [(D4 + D5) GT 0]
2  =  1 ADULT, NO CHILDREN  [D2 = 1 AND (D4 +D5) = 0]
3  =  2+ ADULTS, NO CHILDREN  [D3 GT 0 AND (D4 +D5) = 0]
D6  Is your total annual household income above or below $35,000 per year?
   1  BELOW $35,000
   2  ABOVE $35,000 [SKIPTO D8]
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED [SKIPTO EEINT]
D7  [IF D6 = 1] Would that be . . .
   1  Less than $10,000,
   2  $10,000 to $15,000,
   3  $15,000 to $25,000, or
   4  $25,000 to $35,000?
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

D8  [IF D6 = 2] Would that be . . .
   1  $35,000 to $45,000,
   2  $45,000 to $55,000,
   3  $55,000 to $75,000, or
   4  $75,000 or more?
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

EEINT Now I need to update the information about the members of your household who will fill out the travel logs.
   [PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE]

EE1  How many are 15 years of age or older?
   ___  ENTER NUMBER OF PEOPLE
   99  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

[FINT THRU F17 WILL BE LABELED SEQUENTIALLY, F THRU P, FOR ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS]

FINT  Let's start with you. / Next I am going to ask you about PERSON#X.
REMINDER: IF YOU ARE NOT SPEAKING WITH ORIGINAL CONTACT, PRESS 2 TO GET NEW CONTACT INFORMATION.
   1  CONTINUE [SKIPTO F4]
   2  NOT SPEAKING TO ORIGINAL CONTACT / PERSON IS NO LONGER IN THE HOUSEHOLD

F1  [IF FINT = 2] May we update the address and telephone number for PERSON#x, so that we may ask him/her to continue as a panel household for this study?
   1  YES [F1CON = 1]
   2  NO [SKIPTO GINT]

F2A  ENTER ADDRESS OF PERSON#X

F2B  ENTER TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON#X [SKIPTO GINT]

K3A  [FOR NEW HHOLD MEMBERS ONLY] ENTER NAME OF PERSON#X

K3B  [FOR NEW HHOLD MEMBERS ONLY] ENTER GENDER OF PERSON#X
   1  MALE
   2  FEMALE

F4  What is your age? / How old is PERSON#X?
   ___  ENTER EXACT AGE
   99  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F5  [IF F4 = 99] Are you between . . .
   1  18 and 24,
   2  25 and 34,
   3  35 and 44,
   4  45 and 54,
   5  55 and 64, or
   6  65 and older?
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F6  Are you currently employed outside the home?
   1  YES
   2  NO
   9  DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F7  What is your occupation, that is, what type of work do you do?
   [OPEN-END]
F8  What is your work address?
    [PROBE IF DK/REF: What are the nearest cross streets?]
    [OPEN-END: USE ONE LINE FOR EACH PIECE OF INFORMATION]

F9  And in what town do you work?
    [IF THE TOWN WAS PROVIDED IN F8, VERIFY TOWN AND RE-ENTER]
    [OPEN-END]

F10 How many days a week do you normally work?
    ___ ENTER NUMBER OF DAYS
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F11 How do you usually get to and from work?
    [CAN BE MULTIPLE RESPONSES, BUT DO NOT PROBE]
    1 CAR
    2 BUS
    3 MOTORCYCLE
    4 BICYCLE
    5 WALK
    6 OTHER: [SPECIFY]
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F12A  [IF F11 = 1 AND F11 NE 2] Do you drive alone, drive but with others in the vehicle, or ride with others?
    1 DRIVE ALONE
    2 DRIVE BUT WITH OTHERS IN THE VEHICLE
    3 RIDE WITH OTHERS
    4 TAKE TURNS / VARIES
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F12B  [IF F11 = 1 AND F11 NE 2] In the past six months or so, have you regularly taken the bus to or from work?
    1 YES
    2 NO
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F12C  [F11 = 1 AND F11 NE 2] In the past six months or so, have you regularly ridden to or from work with others or had others riding with you?
    1 YES
    2 NO
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F12D  [F11 = 1 AND F11 NE 2] Does your job require that you have a car at work?
    1 YES
    2 NO
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F12E  [F11 = 1 AND F11 NE 2] Do you need the car before or after work to pick up children?
    1 YES
    2 NO
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F12F  [F11 = 1 AND F11 NE 2 AND F12E = 1] How many days a week?
    [IF NECESSARY PROBE FOR NUMBER OF DAYS IN A TYPICAL WEEK]
    ___ ENTER NUMBER OF DAYS
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F13  Do you currently attend school?
    1 YES
    2 NO
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F14A  [IF F13 = 1] What is the name of the school you currently attend?
    [OPEN-END]
F14B  [IF F13 = 1] And in what town?
    [OPEN-END]

F14C  [IF F13 = 1] How do you usually get to and from school?
    [CAN BE MULTIPLE RESPONSES, BUT DO NOT PROBE]
    1 CAR
    2 BUS
    3 MOTORCYCLE
    4 BICYCLE
    5 WALK
    6 OTHER: [SPECIFY]
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F14D  [IF F14C = 1 AND F14C NE 2] Do you drive alone, drive but with others in the vehicle, or ride with others?
    1 DRIVE ALONE
    2 DRIVE BUT WITH OTHERS IN THE VEHICLE
    3 RIDE WITH OTHERS
    4 TAKE TURNS / VARIES
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F15   How many times a week do you ride the bus? Please count a round-trip as two rides.
    ___ ENTER NUMBER OF ONE-WAY RIDES
    99 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F16   Do you have a transit pass?
    1 YES
    2 NO
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

F17   Do you currently have a valid driver’s license?
    1 YES
    2 NO
    9 DON'T KNOW / REFUSED

[SKIPTO NEXT PERSON – CONTINUE UNTIL YOU REACH THE NUMBER RECORDED IN EE1]

THANKA   Thank you for agreeing to continue as a member of the Puget Sound Transportation Panel!
          Within the next week we will be mailing [# TO BE MAILED] travel-log diaries to your household to be filled out during the assigned two-day period. Each household member who is 15 years of age or older will receive a travel diary. When the diaries arrive in the mail, please distribute them to the appropriate household members. The name of each person, as well as the assigned two-day period for recording your household’s travel information, will be noted at the top of each diary. Please carefully review the instructions for filling out the travel-logs with all panel participants. When the diaries have been completed on paper, please gather them from each participant.
          This year we will be calling you back to collect your household’s travel diary information over the telephone. This method will ensure more accurate and timely survey results.

THANKB   As part of this year’s study, we are also asking each member of the panel who is 16 or older to fill out an attitude survey that addresses policy issues related to the region’s Metropolitan Transportation Plan. The surveys will be mailed to your household within the next month. Please distribute the surveys to the appropriate household members and collect them when they have been completed on paper. We ask that you mail back the completed attitude surveys in the return envelope we will provide.
          Are there any questions you would like to ask me about the travel diary or about the Attitude Survey? [ANSWER IF POSSIBLE]

THANKC   Finally, I would like to verify your mailing address, so that we can be sure to send the survey materials to the correct household.
          [PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE]

ADDR     Do you still receive mail at . . .
          ADDRESS:
          [SHOW STREET ADDRESS]
          MAILING ADDRESS:
[SHOW MAILING ADDRESS]

THANKD Thank you very much for your time today, and we look forward to speaking with you again soon.

THANK1 [IF QUIT = 1] Thank you very much for your time. The information you have provided will be very useful.

THANK2 Thank you for your time, but in order to continue as a panel household, you must live in the four-county Puget Sound area.

THANK3 Thank you for your time.

THANK9 Thank you for your time, however, we cannot continue without that information.