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Comprehensive Plan Community Engagement

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I request that the Planning Commission use valid and rigorous methods to capture community input at upcoming engagement events. This should go beyond just counting number of attendees or number of people completing a survey. There should be means to ensure feedback comes from Ann Arbor residents or at least being able to distinguish between residents and others attending. There must be a mechanism to ensure that an individual is represented only once in surveys or comments so that the option is not over represented. Any surveys or other means to capture feedback must not be biased and provide opportunities to express all opinions, anticipated or not in content. These steps are critical in order to get fair and diverse feedback in the community engagement efforts. Put efforts into valid measures rather than just slick media offerings.

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