

# SAVIN HILL VILLAGE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (SHVDC)

a sub-committee of the Planning Committee – Columbia- Savin Hill Civic Association

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## **HELP IMPROVE SAVIN HILL VILLAGE !!!**

The Savin Hill Village Development Committee in association with Savin Hill Historic District Advisories, Inc. is conducting a survey of all residential and business patrons of the Savin Hill Village Shopping District – focusing on the businesses from Avenue Liquors to the MBTA Station on Savin Hill Avenue. Your response to this questionnaire is appreciated and will help to shape the future of The Savin Hill Village.

Goals:

- Help us better understand the business needs of the community
- Help us support existing businesses
- Help us attract new businesses

Thank you in advance for your time, please return this survey via email to [savinhillsurvey@gmail.com](mailto:savinhillsurvey@gmail.com). Please submit this document by Friday 10/28/2011.

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We invite you to get involved!

The Savin Hill Village Development Committee is a part of the Columbia-Savin Hill Civic Association. We encourage you to join us at our general Columbia-Savin hill Civic Association meetings. Meetings are held the first Monday of each month at The Little House, 275 East Cottage Street. Please visit [columbiasavinhillcivic.org](http://columbiasavinhillcivic.org) to learn more.

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**THANK YOU!**

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## 1. I DO SHOP in the Savin Village Shopping District

Business	How often (per day/week/month) / Comments
At Home Realty	
Avenue Liquor	
Beauty shop	
Gibson/Sotherby's	
Kennedy Dry Cleaning	
Mariana Hair Salon	
McKenna's Cafe	
MTV – Hair & Nail Salon	
Savin Bar +Kitchen	
Savin Hill Supply (now closed)	
Savin Hill Family Chiropractic	
Savin Hill Variety (now closed)	
Savin Scoop	

## 2. I DO NOT SHOP in Savin Village because

- \_\_\_ It is inconvenient to get there
- \_\_\_ I do not know what they offer
- \_\_\_ No/limited parking
- \_\_\_ I am not interested in any of the products/offering
- \_\_\_ I am not comfortable shopping there (please explain)

Additional comments or thoughts:

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**3. What type of stores/services would you like to see and use in the Savin Village Shopping District? (please add your own ideas, examples listed below)**

- Bank
- grocery/convenience products
- barber shop
- insurance agent
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**4. Are you a resident of the Savin Hill Area (Columbia Road to Freeport Street)?**

- If so, for how long \_\_\_\_\_
- If so, what street do you live or how far are you from the Village \_\_\_\_\_
- If no, where do you live: South Dorchester, Mattapan, South Boston, Milton, Quincy
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**5. As a newer resident (less than 10 years).**

- Where did you move from?
  
- What attracted you to the Savin Hill Area?
  
- How do the services differ from where you moved from?

**6. As a long standing resident (more than 10 years)**

- What services do you miss?

**7. Do you utilize the Savin Hill MBTA Station?**

- If yes, how many times a week: \_\_\_\_\_
- If yes, do you walk from your residence or park near the station: \_\_\_\_\_

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