Idling Survey Revised 10/25/2017

- 1. Cheryl Weiden to recruit Survey Takers
 - Assistance from Margie Suozzo, Sybil Cramer, Lei Yuan to organize activities at MVLAHS (Potential to include High School Students as survey takers for community service hours)
- 2. Cheryl Weiden to Train Survey Takers
 - a. Assign Locations (see attached)
 - b. Use GreenTown high visibility vests for those surveying at schools and within parking lots.
 - c. Use of Survey Data Sheet (see attached)
 - d. Collect completed Survey Data Sheets
- 3. Credential Survey Takers
 - Assistance from GreenTown (Margie Suozzo and Gary Hedden) to introduce Survey Organizers to appropriate LA and MVLAHS School District Officials and Principals Locations #1 - #5
 - b. Los Altos Hills resident to assist in coordination of Survey with Locations #3 & #7 and Los Altos Hills Environmental Committee.
 - c. Survey Takers at Locations #1 #7 to wear a name tag and check in at School office each day before beginning data collection
 - d. All Survey Takers to carry Survey Information Sheet (see below)
- 4. Survey Takers to perform survey at Locations #8, #9 and #10 between 11/2 and 11/11
- 5. Survey Takers to perform survey at Locations #6 & #7 between 11/6 & 11/17
- 6. Survey Takers to perform survey at Location #5 as coordinated with HS (perhaps week of 11/13 or 11/27)
- 7. Survey Takers to perform survey at Locations #1, #2, #3 and #4 as coordinated with LA School District (perhaps week of 11/27 or later)
- 8. Progress report to Environmental Commission on 11/13/2017
- 9. Don Weiden to Summarize Survey Data for Environmental Commission

Personal Vehicle Idling Survey

City of Los Altos Environmental Commission

Survey Taker Name:

The Environmental Commission of the City of Los Altos is conducting a survey to evaluate the prevalence of discretional private vehicle idling within our community. The results of this survey will be used to help the Environmental Commission evaluate the potential need for and content of an anti-idling program within our community.

Did you know discretional idling of your vehicle for more than 10 seconds wastes more fuel, is harder on the mechanical systems of your vehicle, and releases more greenhouse gases and toxic pollutants than stopping and restarting your car.

For Information or questions contact J Logan, Assistant City Manager, City of Los Altos, 650-947-2610, jlogan@losaltosca.gov Idling Survey Locations Revised 10/25/2017

Location	Description	Dates	Time
#1 Covington	Survey Covington Ave between	Mon,	2:15 – 3:15 PM
School	Fremont Ave and 231 Covington;	Tue &	
	School parking lot; and School	Wed	
	District parking lot		
#2 Santa Rita	Survey Los Altos Ave between	Mon,	2:15 – 3:15 PM
School	Alba Ct and radar speed sign; and	Tue &	
	School parking lot	Wed	
#3 Gardner Bullis	Survey turnout on Fremont Ave;	Mon,	2:15 – 3:15 PM
School	and school parking lot	Tue &	
		Wed	
#4 Blach / Bullis	Survey Covington Ave between	Mon,	2:45 – 3:20 for Blach,
Charter	Eastwood Ave and Thather Ave;	Tue &	???Bullis???
	Blach parking lot; and Bullis	Wed	
	parking lot		
#5 Los Altos High	Survey Almond Ave between	Mon,	12:15 – 1:15 and 2:30 to
School	Gordon Ave and West entrance to	Tue &	3:45
	main parking lot; Main parking lot;	Wed	
	drop off zone off Almond Ave; and		
#6 Pinewood	Staff / Visitor parking lot Survey drop off and parking lot off	Mon,	2:45 – 3:45
School on	Fremont Ave; Campbell Ave near	Tue &	2.45 - 5.45
Fremont Ave.		Wed	
Fremont Ave.	parking lot; and parking lot off Campbell Ave	weu	
#7 Waldorf	Survey parking lot and drop off /	Mon,	???????? (15 min before
School	pickup area off Mora Drive	Tue &	school end to 15 min after
	brough an en en more a more	Wed	school end)
#8 City Hall /	Survey City Hall, Library, Hillview	Thurs,	Three circuits each day
Library / Hillview	Park and Hillview Community	Fri &	Noon 1:00 and 2:00 PM
Parking Lots	Center parking lots bordered by	Sat	
Ū	San Antonio and Hillview Ave		
#9 Main and	Survey parking on both sides of	Thurs,	Three circuits each day
State Streets	Main Street from San Antonio to 1 st	Fri &	Noon 1:00 and 2:00 PM
	Street and State Street from Main	Sat	
	Street to 1 st Street		
#10 Rancho	Survey main parking lot from	Thurs,	Three circuits each day
Shopping Center	Springer Road to Fremont Street;	Fri &	Noon 1:00 and 2:00 PM
	and two parking areas off Fremont	Sat	
	Street		

Name of the Survey Taker: Location: Date:Time: Start time: Weather conditions (in general):	 End time:	 How to identify an idling vehicle 1. See if exhaust fumes are coming out of the tail pipe 2. Listen to the engine noise 3. See if the vehicle is vibrating
Temperature (°F), Sunny, Raining, Overcast, N		

Description of the parked vehicle (Make, Model, Color)	Time of Survey Taker Arrival	Time of Survey Taker Departure, or Time When the Engine Turned Off	Duration of Idling	Comments on why the vehicle is idling. Running the Vehicle Air Conditioning, Heater, Audio System, Other. (To help guide future educational program)