

<b>Noble Road Corridor Online</b>	
<b>What is your zip code?</b>	
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<b>In thinking about the commercial areas along Noble Road, what are their greatest assets? Check all that apply, and please explain in the comment section.</b>	
	Adequate parking
	biking
	Citizens who are ready for change and willing to help community & city sponsored beautification
	Has potential
	I don't see any assets. They don't seem to have any "sidewalk presence".
	key merchants
	Many black and brown owned businesses.
	None (4)
	Residential side streets that feed into them
	Significant traffic
	strong weaknesses
	There's a lot of good vacant space available for development
	vintage/antique architecture
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	The commercial districts are small and separated by apartment housing that makes it challenging to walk between them. The sidewalks and treelawns are not well-kept, wide or welcoming. There is always a feeling of car-centrism and lack of safety. There needs to be a larger draw-in to make people come there in the first place, maybe something like the coventry festival, or "movies in the park".
	They are mostly hair/nail businesses that I do not need and take-out foods that I'm not interested in. We need a lot more variety of businesses in this corridor.
	We need shops that will draw people to them on Noble Road: coffee shops, small sandwich and food shops, not so many hair shops. Parking is not available up by Noble School so if I had a reason to walk to Noble for coffee with my neighbors, I would.
	Used to shop at Save A Lot until area went downhill. Now I shop out of the city at decent grocery stores. Don't buy groceries in the city.
	Except for CVS I do not find any shops of interest. I live near Monticello and Noble. Rarely to never go north on Noble.
	Other than CVS, not much of anything
	I live near Taylor and Monticello, Noble is nearby
	It's conveniently located where several cities converge.
	Miss the variety of businesses that used to be along Noble. I frequented them much more than the current businesses.
	Many of the successful businesses are services (veterinarian, car repair, home repair, etc.) rather than retail. These are important businesses, but they don't attract/encourage exploring the street's other businesses. Can we have a successful business district that is not based on retail? If so, how would such a district relate to the residential neighborhoods?
	I would like to see noble road developed as the residential entrance to cleve hts by buying commercial property and converting it to residential and green space.
	The areas are missing most go the basic services--bank, dry cleaner, plus many of the standard amenities of other commercial areas, things that encourage walkability--restaurant, coffee shop. I would say the only basic needs draw is the CVS drug store. The library is the main amenity.
	Years ago when there were a variety of businesses - grocery stores, ice cream shops, drugstores, fabric store, and more - in the Noble/Monticello and Noble/Mayfield areas, I shopped there frequently, and I loved walking there.
	Currently, there are no positive assets. We need walkability and good businesses. There's nothing there that I need, want, or use except one restaurant on Mayfield.
	From Christopher's, the library, CVS to Save a Lot,
	All these surveys are skewed to an anti-car mentality. GET REAL!! In winter no one in their right mind rides a bike and all us old folks drive a car the rest of the year as well.
	I do not go to businesses on Noble Rd. I only go to the library, gratefully. I have lived in my house for 43.5 years. In the past we shopped at stores that were closed over time. Noble Foods (now CVS, Baskin Robbins, Noble Deli, Pick and Pay, Charlies Fabric, The Antique Store, Hillside Dairy. My children went to Noble School and it was outstanding! We need a gathering place such as a good coffee shop. Owner of Stone Oven bought a house on Inglewood.
	The area needs more of a variety of businesses like a restaurant. No more salons and bars.
	some interesting architecture and a vast customer base nearby
	proximity to my house
	There are businesses that don't draw the broader community into their shops. Many who have started don't last... not sure of reason: Lack of knowing and understanding operating a start-up and/or no interest in the service from the public
	I have lived off Noble for 14 yrs. and cannot really say which businesses you refer to. Rainbow vet. Yes. Certainly. Academy music, yes. That would be it. If you list them, I will give an opinion if I can.
	Neighborhood with families. Apartment dwellers. Bus line.
	The issue is not the lack of viable businesses, but the lack of businesses owned by white people where white people not comfortable with black and brown people think they want to go. See the report done by Cleveland State University students several years ago, and their comments on racial animus. P.S. I am white.
	I like to walk to the stores. I walk to CVS and Academy Music. I walk to Project Repair. I walk my dog around the area. It would be nice to have a greater variety of businesses and a fresh food market.
	I live on Glenwood Road and can easily walk to Noble; however, I can't think of a single business there that I would frequent, other than the Noble Library and the BP station at Warrensville Center & Mayfield.

	Neighborhood vibe
	I live in the southern part of Cleveland Heights so mostly go to the Noble area to talk to people or attend meetings.
	1. In reference to question #3: There are only 1-2 restaurants on Noble and one of them just opened. 2. The Noble Food Deal is a vibrant, pleasant long-standing business that is an important community hub in the Noble-Nela area. It is pleasant to talk to the owner, the people who work there and even the patrons. While I don't actually buy much there since it is far from my home (not within a walking distance), when I do go there it is a pleasure to see it so busy.
	There are no businesses I would want to visit, which is a huge problem. Also, I would be afraid to walk to one if it did exist. The only place I do visit is the Noble library
	The area is badly blighted, perhaps the worst in CH (or second worst after North Taylor). At least 50% of the storefronts are empty now. Everything is in bad repair -- bad sidewalks, crumbling brickwork -- dirty -- panhandlers at Noble/Monticello! -- crime - police sirens. It's turning into a really huge serious problem and THE CITY DOES NOT CARE!
	Businesses like Noble Food, Charlie's Fabric, Antiques shops are no longer in business. I have no reason to shop there...There are bars or fast food, which I do not patronize.
	while location is convenient there are very few businesses that can fill my needs.
	I wouldn't shop there until there are more upstanding shops available and the clientele isn't as rough.
	Since the Noble Road area is so close to my residence, it is nice to be able to walk to certain establishments in the nice weather.
	Sadly, there is nothing along Noble Road that I desire patronize outside of CVS on a rare occasion. Parking is an issue, especially on northern Noble. We used to patronize the strip Monticello to Caledonia quite frequently 30-40 years ago. But the family friendly businesses that we enjoyed there have left. Now, it is full of low-end hair salons, bars, discount grocery, convenience stores with the lottery being the big draw, etc. This attracts low end patrons.
	At this point, I think the greatest strengths of Noble Road are not the existing businesses, but Noble Elementary School and the Noble branch of the CHUH Library.
	There are important Heights merchants including Academy Music Store, salons, and some restaurants, but not enough variety or proximity of several distinct strips
	I don't think this is a walkable neighborhood. The gas USA station on the corner of noble and Monticello is bad for the neighborhood. I can't think of any businesses that I patronize other than CVS.
	I drive past/through this area several times a week and it would be convenient to stop to shop or eat.
	As a Cleveland Heights resident, I sadly can't think of too many businesses in this neighborhood. I pass through regularly, but have not heard or noticed any reason to stop, at this point. However, it's near me, and if there were more businesses, or better advertising of existing businesses, I'd love to add it to my local shopping/dining experience.
	The businesses are close together and also within walking distance of the library.
	It may not be "commercial," but the library is a great asset I use often.
	I particularly like the chalkboard Christopher's Pub has because it brings an inviting atmosphere to the area. Frequently I see things written on it like "Strangers are friends you haven't met yet" or similar. I'd like to see more "reaching out"-type messaging like that.
	I live within walking distance of the Noble-Monticello intersection, so the prospect of walking to shop is very appealing. The lovely old brick buildings make a charming setting.
<b>In thinking about the neighborhood that surrounds Noble Road, what are its greatest assets? Check all that apply, and please explain in the comment section.</b>	
	Public Library
	Beauty, and being part of Cleveland Hts.
	I don't care about the neighborhood but the businesses
	public transportation is available if needed
	School and library to anchor neighborhood
	NONE
	Cute
	Noble Neighbors!
	Schools
<b>In thinking about the neighborhood that surrounds Noble Road, what are its greatest assets? Check all that apply, and please explain in the comment section.</b>	
	Noble Neighbors is impressive and going strong! People do seem to really care about the area. The word just needs to get out to the rest of the community, and something has to routinely pull the rest of the community in. Too many pharmacies, convenience stores, and rotating businesses, separated by spread out houses, with too little green.
	Assets? Read the daily crime reports. And yes the housing stock is affordable if you wish to live in that environment.
	Some of the cheaper housing in the county
	Bike friendly - near Euclid Creek Metropark, can ride to groceries stores on side streets. Not far from University Circle and the museums - either driving or biking. Monticello needs to be friendlier to bikes (or alternative route?). Drivers are not very friendly.
	The area is close to hospitals and University Circle institutions and that is a huge plus, but public transportation is more of a challenge
	This has been a great place to live and raise a family. The people here are amazing. One of the greatest assets is the Noble Neighborhood Library. Noble school was wonderful when my children went there. I am a member of Noble Rd. Presbyterian Church which has made the church, the library, and the school the HUB of life and a community center for me.
	Beautiful old Houses. Dog friendly neighbors. People care about the maintenance of their homes. Nice mix of ethnicities, some long time residents, some new.
	Friendly and neighborly people of all backgrounds getting along and respecting one another.
	The people in our Noble neighborhood are wonderful! We have a diverse community of caring, hardworking, educated people. There are many of us who have lived here 40+ years. Walkable neighborhood but we need to focus on safety. Businesses would help keep the neighborhood safe. We need good restaurants, performing arts center, affordable senior living facility, affordable housing for young families, farmer,s market on short Noble which could also be a good location for art shows, etc.

	I work at the Noble Neighborhood library, and I think the diversity of the area is an asset. I hope that the immigrants and refugees in the area can start opening businesses one day. I marked off community initiatives because of the great work the Noble Neighbors do.
	mature trees, variety of houses, block parties, good neighbors
	There are many nice homes available in the Noble Neighborhood that are very affordable compared to other neighborhoods in Cleveland Heights. The location is also great - it's only 15-20 minutes to University Circle and 30 minutes to downtown while also being convenient to grocery and retail stores as well as various parks.
	I used to go to China Lu's frequently. That closing was very abrupt and there is every reason to believe that the building owners treated the building tenants poorly when they decided to close. The tires stores and the auto parts store are still useful.
	All of the above in various way are present in the community. Two important Community initiatives 1) Noble Neighbors and 2) Greater Cleveland Congregation Cleveland Height Housing Task Force. 1) works on building relationship and community identity; 2) Identified blighted/empty houses owned by one bank and build relationship with that bank that resulted in money going to Home Repair Resource Center and Future Heights to improve the Noble Neighborhood.
	I love my neighborhood, my street, Rosemond; we need a variety of great businesses. Even along Mayfield rd. near Warrensville intersection, I find few interesting business establishments that draw me.
	There are houses for sale at a reasonable price. There is "Noble Neighbors" where I can go to the monthly meeting and discuss community issues with others and problem-solve. There is Noble Rd.Pres.Church that I can walk to and participate in activities. The neighborhood is integrated. You can mix with many different types of people. People in general are welcoming and community minded. I like to walk in the Oakridge area. I like the trees. Being able to walk to places is important.
	We need to work on transportation to make the area more connected to University Circle and other places where there are jobs.
	I have watched my neighbor change drastically. I no longer know many of my neighbors. I don't feel safe to walk, and the turnover in renters means people come and go
	Ok, we have some good people and god knows it is cheap, but is that an ASSET? when homes are bulldozed and not replaced? 50% empty storefronts? crime? how many homes are now Section 8 vs. owner-occupied -- compare 2001 with 2018!!!! The city has ignored this area for decades, and abandoned it, preferring other "more hip" districts -- making all the problems 100 times worse.
	The businesses that I patronized like Noble Food, Charlie's Fabric, antique shops are no longer there. No restaurants...only bars and fast food.
	The houses are adorable and the neighborhood is centered around the schools.
	The people in the area around Noble Road are very friendly and involved in the community. Due to the affordability of the homes in the area, there is a diverse group of people attracted to the area.
	Again, this has changed substantially over the years I have lived in the neighborhood - and not for the better.
	Noble Neighborhood Library
	In my perception, this area is diverse and some of the homes are more affordable than in other parts of Cleveland Heights.
	It's a section of CH that is often overlooked (I am guilty of this as well). However, it's close to me, I've heard it's affordable, and we live in CH partly bc it is such a diverse place. There are many assets to it that would appeal to my family, however, at this point, there has never been a specific reason or incentive for us to look there (we live right by Lee, and use the restaurants, library, and shops there as often as we can, since we can walk there).
	Community and individual garden initiatives are plentiful.
	This is a wonderful community of people that look out for each other and care about the neighborhood.
	Many folks are friendly, and there is a solid sense of community here.
	Noble Neighbors as a group does a lot to increase my desire to stay in the area. It brings together the many different stakeholders of the area and gives our neighborhood something special to set it apart for prospective homebuyers.
<b>What are the greatest challenges in the neighborhood that impact Noble Road? Check all that apply, and please explain in the comment section.</b>	
<b>Answer</b>	
	Absent landlords
	Perception of Crime
	Housing laws need to be enforced
	Disposable Income
	Perceptions
	Car-oriented rather than pedestrian-oriented development
	Curb appeal
	It's not Cedar & Lee
	lack of indoor activities for youth
	public school performance
	Blighted/vacant houses
	vacant stores.
	Demographics
	public transportation
	EVERYTHING!!!!
	Walkability
	lack of business plan
	Apartments are an eye sore
	USA Gas Station at Noble & Monticello
	disconnect between Noble/Monticello district and Noble/Mayfield district
	perception of crime; care of rental properties
	outdated infrastructure
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	Housing values
	it just feels like a blighted area. We need revitalization of the neighborhood.
	For a considerable amount of time the north end has been neglected. Housing code has not been enforced, empty houses deteriorate, etc. Of course this leads to a lack of retail and an increase in crime. I think that if the city gets a handle on the housing issues in this neighborhood, especially the houses and apt. buildings along Noble, the rest will improve too.
	It would be nice to be able to walk to a good restaurant other a shop but there are so few in the area

	For being allowed to have a business in your home
	I think the perception of crime may be greater than the reality, but I'm not sure.
	Parking lots need to be resurfaced at Noble and Monticello. Limited parking in other locations - especially if handicapped. Being retired, we are getting rid of things rather than buying more. Small retail can't compete with the selection at Target, Amazon, etc. Looking for services rather than things.
	Noble impresses me as being a very "transitional" neighborhood - a lot of renters. There are a lot of vacant properties, and little to welcome businesses to the district.
	At best, the Noble area seems to be largely invisible to CH residents in other neighborhoods. At worst, it is seen as ugly and unsafe.
	There is no design for pedestrians, no place where a pedestrian would want to hang out.
	eliminate on-street parking for retail, develop residential or green-space instead. current on-street parking is an impediment to traffic and bicycle flow-thru.
	Homes not kept up
	No quality businesses that you can walk to on a sunny day, houses take a long time to sell because of high taxes and negative image of the area. Crime is low compared to other areas, but people outside of the area think it's high.
	Vacant and deteriorating homes and vacant storefronts do not leave a good first impression.
	If there was something worth patronizing on Noble it would have people going there.
	We are North of Mayfield which the city government does not honor. We need to think outside the box to make good things happen here
	There are many children and teens in this neighborhood, but there is no close indoor spot where they can use as much energy as they need to after school. They have too much energy after not having enough recess at school and then come to the library and are too wound up to follow the rules. When it's warm, it's nice to have the park and playground for them. There needs to be some place with an indoor basketball court and some other options though.
	need some safe places families can go to
	There are a number of vacant, uncared-for homes in the Noble Neighborhood that make the area less desirable. Crime has also been an issue with at least two shootings in the area within the last year. The storefronts along Noble Road are also unappealing and unwelcoming compared to Cedar-Lee, for example.
	City council and staff missed the once in a generation opportunity to turn the former Oakwood Country Club into a Metropark. Yes, it's over, but the same mentality and much of the leadership remains in place. This mistake is clearly the result of poor leadership. What would the Noble Corridor be like if the former Oakwood were a Metropark? You ask below if parks are needed...don't forget that despite citizen protest the city closed the Denison pool.
	GCC's work continues to work with the city council and staff as well as the court to improve
	I guess that I am mostly referring to the section of Noble Rd. between Mayfield and Monticello.
	You need businesses that will not attract crime. Nela Park employees could shop and eat at during lunch. So much was lost like McDonalds and a small grocery store.
	White people who are convinced that poor black and brown people do not make good neighbors. If you take this seriously and investigate, I trust and hope you know what white people talking in code sounds like. P.S. I am white.
	Noble could do with one or two restaurants and a fresh food store to bring people more to the area to see what the area is like. A lot of people don't know the North East area of Cleveland Heights and don't venture there. They see the corner of Mayfield and Warrensville and think it's all like that. They don't see the streets with the trees and the community gardens. There's talk of crime around the Nela area.
	Lack of restaurant and retail in community. I don't see police in area other.
	I'm concerned that long-time residents have moved away (mostly senior citizens) and their single-family homes have become rental properties. This occurred mostly after 2008-2009. Housing values have depreciated. Had a break-in in January 2014. I don't feel as safe in my neighborhood as I did when I moved in in 1996.
	The Noble Neighborhood is a wonderful area, with attractive housing and many good residents. We need to attract more young two-parent families to the area who hopefully will use the public schools. If the demographics improve, market-driven improvements will follow. Noble Neighbors is doing the right thing to develop a more positive narrative. Don't rely solely on "government", because you won't get what you want. They can help, but they need a firm hand from citizens.
	Crime is the MAIN concern
	Proposed economic development by the city and in the Master Plan that does not consider the existing residents and their needs or wants. We have no parks or benches or greenspaces for residents to sit in and meet up in. The Roanoke-Noble space is very noisy and, despite the flower bed and addition of trees is rather bleak looking since the "lawn" has never been leveled or established there and the "path" looks very unprofessionally installed.
	I feel the lack of leadership is one of the biggest problems. No one in city government knows what to do about the steady decline in the neighborhood, but there's also a lack of interest and commitment to us. I think it also sends a clear message when the city chooses our neighborhood as its dumping ground (city maintenance, impound lot etc.) these are things that they wouldn't think of putting in the affluent neighborhoods
	Frankly, Noble is beginning to look like its in some third world war zone. It is a disaster. There are many good people here, but we are powerless to change things. The CITY OF CH has abandoned this area, for racist and economic reasons. They promote Coventry and Cedar Fairmount, and put a lot of money there and WE GET NOTHING! Come on! WHAT restaurants do we have? what stores? at least 50% or MORE of storefronts are empty!!! even some with signs & lights are clearly not in business. Try crossing Mayfield Rd...You have to walk 2 blocks to a traffic light to get from one side to the other.
	The business owners that have opened a restaurant have a lack of business skill which results in failure of the business within a year of opening. The business owners do not take pride in the outside of their business, i.e trash at entrances.
	A kid was shot while stealing a car! not a ringing endorsement of the neighborhood.
	It looks terrible. I rarely go over there anymore. I have noticed a marked decline since the early 2000s. There's a lot of crime that comes up the hill from East Cleveland and South Euclid that really brings the whole place down.
	Currently, there is not a lot of variety among the retail establishments that currently occupy space. There are so few restaurants and no coffee shops in the area.
	CRIME! This is probably what ran Chester's out of business. Most people who wanted to try this great restaurant drove into the neighborhood, took one look and drove on. Very sad! No parking is a great hindrance! Even parking to walk "through" Nela Park at Christmas felt dicey; I took my daughter-in-love and granddaughter and we were a bit nervous...I work and worship in the inner city, so I don't scare easily!
	Permanently close the USA Gas Station at Noble & Monticello. The City's failure to accomplish this has had disastrous results. No excuses: SHUT IT DOWN.
	Walkability, placemaking

	I can't even think of any businesses or restaurants on Noble and have lived about a half mile from Noble for 13 years.
	I think also the city needs to do more to enforce zoning/building standards. The gas station at Noble and Monticello seems to cause a lot of problems
	The biggest challenge is the perception of Crime in the area. Many do not venture to this area because of this. Businesses are not attracted to open knowing this. I am not sure how to overcome this but it needs to be addressed.
	I hate to say it, but this part of Cleveland Heights scares me. My perception is that there's a lot of crime, and the recent shooting at the gas station at Noble and Monticello doesn't help. A friend of mine lives across from Oxford Elementary and is afraid to have her son play outside. Another friend works at Oxford and I worry about her safety, as the school sometimes has to go on lockdown due to crime. Until this perception is addressed, people will not want to come to this part of CH.
	I used to frequent Noble Road in the late 1970s to early 1990s, and there were more shopping options available then and the neighborhood felt safer.
	Following the housing crisis, approximately 1/3 of the houses on my block have become rental properties. Several of these properties are not kept up to the standards of owner occupied homes. - i.e. painting, lawn care, trash removal. This has a negative impact on both residents and visitors.
	I live here and I straight up do not want to walk around on Noble Road. The area from Monticello to Mayfield is okay, but I absolutely will not be on foot anywhere near Gas USA or anything further towards East Cleveland. There was a fatal shooting at Gas USA two weeks ago. I really, REALLY would like to see this area redeveloped.
	The Noble Road business district appears to be lacking in cultural interest. This does not mean the neighborhood should be subject to gentrification, but rather there needs to be more in the way of bookstores, coffeeshops or other meeting places.
	Crime in the area contributes to a general feeling of unease, which is lethal to creating a healthy business district. Even perceived lack of safety (whether accurate or not) is enough to drive potential patrons away. Having direction from someone (or a group) in leadership would be exceedingly helpful in overcoming negative perceptions. Greater variety in businesses would create more opportunities for shoppers.

**What type of amenities would you like to see brought to Noble Road?**

- better trash pick-up and/or enforcement of anti-littering ordinances
- a real grocery store
- Decorated trash cans
- trash receptacles
- Anything that makes Noble Road look less "gritty"
- Sidewalk dining in warmer months
- Shorter crosswalks, physical changes to the roadway to slow traffic
- mini-parks and green spaces
- gathering spots & a defining sense of place
- Good restaurants, fun shops, shops with music, reading, gathering places.
- Restaurants & Shops - all the rest are nonsense
- Annual festival
- A nice amenity is a city government that no longer regards Noble as an annoyance
- retain the elementary schools & community use of the schools
- set down restaurant
- A coffee shop
- Destination places; fitness center; family activities
- Police foot patrols
- Plants and benches in a dangerous wasteland won't do
- NO BIKE LANES! NO NO NO!
- Defined crosswalks on Noble and Mayfield
- POLICE
- Coffee Shops -- give us a reason to go there.
- Branded, upgraded bus stations in the commercial districts
- restaurants, gathering places
- trash receptacles
- more frequent placement of trash containers
- Electric Vehicle charging; Tesla will provide them for FREE
- Independent businesses that are destinations
- bury utility lines. Upgrade and synchronize traffic signals.

**Do you patronize businesses along the Noble Road corridor? If yes, share the names of those businesses you visit most frequently.**

- Shell station and CVS.
- CVS, Noble Road Library, Noble Road Church
- Besides CVS, there's nothing I need in this corridor. I used to go to the fabric store, when it existed.
- Shell gas station
- Sav-A-Lot, Gas USA, Library, Rainbow Vet
- Save-a-lot, CVS, Christophers Pub
- CVS
- I love the Noble Library. I used to shop at Charlie's Fabrics -- it's gone. I used to stop at the Bi-Rite on Noble -- it's gone.
- CVS
- Shell gas station, CVS, Beauty supply store.
- Home Repair Resource Center, Noble Library, Christopher's Pub,
- CVS. Shell Gas Station. Herb's plumbing. Used to frequent Noble Foods, ice cream parlor.
- The Shell station at Noble/Monticello
- The CVS at noble/Monticello
- Christopher's Pub; BP station.
- the best use for the noble corridor is residential and green space. high business turnover and police calls indicate this is no longer a viable commercial area. all current businesses along this corridor are available in other parts of cleve hts.
- Nela Florist, Laundromat, CVS, Academy Music
- only occasionally CVS and the vet (Rainbow Vet)
- CVS, BP gas station, Home Repair Resource Center, Christopher's Pub

	CVS
	Bill's Restaurant.
	CVS, Shell Station, Christopher's Pub.
	The CH Library
	I do not patronize business but I take a rotating collection of library books to two barbershops--Freestyles and Premier Barber Lounge.
	CVS
	CVS, Christopher's
	Sav-A-Lot Grocery store, CVS, Eddie's Discount store
	I used to go to China Lu's frequently. That closing was very abrupt and there is every reason to believe that the building owners treated the building tenants poorly when they decided to close. The tires stores and the auto parts store are still useful and I use them occasionally. Sometimes I go to the CVS.
	Rainbow Vet Clinic
	There are only two business I use regularly. Christophers Pub (food and music) and the Academy Music studio for guitar lessons. The business are within walking distance
	Rainbow Vet, Noble Library, Academy music.
	Free Styles Barbershop, CJ's Restaurant
	save a lot, cvs
	CVS, gas station, Academy Music, Subway, Project Repair
	Barber shop and drug store
	As mentioned above, I have used the library before and the BP. When my son was younger, we would go to the Noble playground.
	I used to go to the laundromat, about once a year, but now there is one on Taylor Road, closer to where I live.
	Bill's restaurant; library; CVS;
	The Academy music store and occasionally Christopher's bar for music on weekends
	Few that meet my needs
	CVS; Shell; been to Jewellz 4 times (great food); drop in at The Noble Food Deal about once a month.
	We still go to CVS. We used to go to Charlie Fabrics, but they are gone (of course!) -- ran from the blight and city neglect! What else is left? I lived here from the 70s to now, and remember when we had a fire station...Baskin Robbins...Rukasins...Stonebreakers...Hough Bakery! small family supermarkets (Noble Foods)...MCDONALDS!!!! all gone. The city chased out all the businesses, with high taxes & neglect.
	CVS
	CVS, Save-a-Lot, Shell gas station
	Christopher's Pub, BP Mayfield/Noble, Subway Mayfield/Noble
	I won't patronize a business that allows the exterior to crumble and turn a blind eye to drug dealing in the parking lot and along the sidewalk.
	I'm afraid to park my car there.
	CVS, Shell gas station, Eddie's Discount, McCarthy's Auto Body, Christopher's Pub
	At this point, only CVS. See previous notes.
	I have no reason to go there, although I drive by regularly, and if there were a reason, I would stop. My partner regularly attends classes at HRRC and loves it.
	Shell CVS
	Laundromat
	Alice's International Salon, Longwood Beauty Care, Goodfellas BBQ
	Academy Music, CVS
	CVS, Shell gas station
	CVS, Gas stations: Ron's Noble Shell, BP on Mayfield
	I only ever go to the library on Noble Road, while I go there multiple times per month, there aren't really any businesses or restaurants in the Noble Neighborhood that I go to
	The Noble Library
	An occasional restaurant, but they don't stay for very long.
	CVS, Screen printing shop near Police Academy, Shell Gas Station
	We keep talking about trying Christophers Pub and CJ's Carryout but haven't. Not wanting to walk around there is a factor.
	The library, CVS, Beauty supply store and Shell Gas
	CVS, gas station on SW corner of Monticello & Noble, Christopher's Pub, Save-A-Lot, Noble Deli, Island Style, Home Repair Resource Center
	The Library
	CVS, Shell gas station, Noble library (does that count?)
<b>What types of retail businesses would you patronize if they were located along the Noble Road corridor?</b>	
	bank
	electronics (not chain or phone)
	Live community theater.
	Fast Food Drive Throughs
	Bank branch (Key or PNC)
	Surely you jest.
	small community center for seniors
	antiques
	If this list represents your strategic thinking, give up now.
	Sports Store
	Bowling alley
	Dentist; Physical/Occupational/Speech Therapists
	gift shop, boutiques, trendy stores
	Academy Music and NTB
	Bakery
	Libraries
<b>Where do you shop for food, general retail goods, and apparel?</b>	

Warrensville - whole Foods
Mayfield Road (South Euclid, Lyndhurst), online
Richmond Mall, Legacy Village, Cedar Warrensville
Mayfield Road and Green Road businesses, Dunn hardware, Grande nursery
South Euclid, Cedar Center, Eastgate
Heinen's (both SE and SOM), Costco, BJ's
costco
Mentor Mall
Mayfield Rd Giant Eagle for food. Chagrin Rd for apparel.
South Euclid, Macy's, online
Beachwood.
For apparel -- Beachwood Place
Legacy Village
Eastlake, Willoughby, Mentor
South Euclid
South Euclid, Mayfield Heights, Richmond Heights
Zagara's
Zagara's
University Heights
Univ. Square, Beachwood Place, others
South Euclid
eastern suburbs
Online and South Euclid
Heinens, Beachwood Place
Cedar Center/Oakwood Commons, and points east
South Euclid, university heights
East side Lakewood
Dave's on Wilson Mills, out of state
Dillard's, Macy's <sup>M</sup>
University Square, Cedar Center
Mayfield East of Cleve Hts
Further east on Mayfield, Cedar-Warrensville Center
Cedar Warrensville, Beachwood, Legacy, Mayfield Hts.
University Heights, South Euclid
University Hts
Lyndhurst, Beachwood, University Heights
Legacy village, cedar north
You forgot to ask about Oakwood Commons.
Cedar Warrensville, Golden Gate, Legacy and Beachwood
lyndhurst, Giant Eagle,
South Euclid
Richmond Mall, Wal-Mart
South Euclid and Beachwood
Farther out Mayfield road
University Heights (Target, Heinen's)
Whole Foods and Trader Joes
I buy clothes at various east-side locations.
University Hts
Beachwood
University Heights
Heinens' in Beachwood; True Value in South Euclid; LL Bean in Legacy
South Euclid, University Hts, Beachwood
South Euclid, Lyndhurst, Beachwood, Mayfield Hts -- DUH!
Beachwood Mall & Legacy
Heinen's on Green RD, CVS South Euclid
Beachwood, University Heights, Mayfield Heights, South Euclid
legacy village
South Euclid, Lyndhurst, University Hts., Mayfield Hts
Cedar center
South Euclid, Legacy Village, Cedar Center
Nordstrom -- seldom go elsewhere at Beachwood Place.
Warrensville-Cedar
University Square
Dave's on Wilson Mills/Richmond
South Euclid giant eagle and Walgreens, target etc.
South Euclid, Mayfield Has.
Beachwood, Lyndhurst, and South Euclid
retail/apparel outside CH
Lyndhurst - closest Aldi
University Heights shopping center along Cedar Rd
University square
Mayfield
Cedar warrensville
S. Euclid; Legacy Village
Beachwood, University heights
South Euclid Heinins and the Cedar/Warrensville Target. Legacy Village Giant Eagle everywhere.
Ohio City, Shaker Square, Larchmere

**Where do you shop for entertainment, eating and drinking?**



	other east side neighborhoods and west side neighborhoods
	Legacy Village
	only eat out when I travel
	Beachwood, Chagrin, Willoughby
	Beachwood
	University Circle; Little Italy
	eastern suburbs
	Lakewood
	Little Italy, Chicago, Pennsylvania (by train)
	Tremont
	Chagrin Mayfield & Cedar east of CH
	Further east on Mayfield, Cedar-Warrensville Center, University Circle
	Legacy, Tremont, Little Italy
	University Circle
	South Taylor/Fairmount
	Richmond Heights; Indians
	Beachwood
	I go to meetings all over the place, sometimes at restaurants or hotels.
	Lyndhurst, Beachwood, Mayfield Hts
	South Euclid, Lyndhurst, Beachwood, Mayfield Hts -- DUH!
	Cedar Center
	restaurants scattered around east side
	legacy village
	Cleveland, Lyndhurst, Beachwood, Shaker Hts, etc.
	SHAKER SQUARE -- VAN AKEN -- ETON COLLECTION
	University Heights shopping center along Cedar Road
	Beachwood, university heights, university circle
	Legacy Village, Pinecrest
	everywhere
	Ohio City, Shaker Square, Larchmere

**Is there a business district in the Cleveland area that is a model of how you want Noble Road to become?**

	Tremont
	It needs to have its own identity and not replicate less diverse neighborhoods
	Let's nurture a unique identify rather than copy someplace else.
	We have to create something indigenous.
	Coventry Village and Little Italy
	Legacy Village is not a business district.
	cedar Fairmount, Coventry
	Noble is different from all of these, unique to itself
	Its own unique attractive character
	Noble Road is NOT any of these places and shouldn't "become" a model of them
	South Euclid, Lyndhurst, Beachwood, Mayfield Hts -- DUH!
	Waterloo in Collinwood
	we need our own identity because of three distinct districts
	don't try to make it other gentrified neighborhoods
	Cedar & Warrensville Heights Road area
	Larchmere near Shaker Square
	Noble needs to develop our own unique model

**If Noble Road were a person, how would you describe its personality?**

	Lack of confidence and ability to present itself with interpersonal skills to engage and entice one to discover its resources.
	Diverse and eclectic. A little dirty sometime.
	Sun aged with cracked skin, but good core health, but not sure of itself.
	Old and tired
	Sad. Dirty. Doesn't care about cleaning itself up. Transient. People who do care overwhelmed by people who don't. Lack of city Maitenance. City doesn't care because residents aren't wealthy. Overworked, overtired, under appreciated. Transient safety.
	Immature and confused. There is no organized plan to grow and flourish. There are too many start up businesses that do not show themselves off. The business owners need to organize and educate themselves.
	Tired, old and worn out
	Cold. Dark.
	friendly, nice houses (that often need to be attended to better)
	Unpersonable, boring
	A little rough
	Barely getting by depressed.
	Hard working, not flashy, practical, resilient.
	Noble Road has seen better days. When I moved in 30 years ago there were 4 grocery stores along the road, now there's Save-a-Lot. There are empty stores and vacant lots up and down the street (missing teeth). The personality is gritty, down on its luck.
	Smart kid at a crossroads in her life deciding whether it's worth it to try and make something of herself.
	The unflashy cousin who quietly steps in to take care of the rest of the family; often overlooked and rarely appreciated. For years she has neither complained nor asked for much. But she's decided she deserves better and is about to start making some noise.
	Not quite a car-oriented suburb and not quite an inner-ring close-knit neighborhood. Too similar to South Euclid's attempt to become a car-oriented suburb than a local business district primarily for residents within walking distance.



	in need of a rest from trying to compete. pro-actively reduce commercial activity in favor of residential and green space. there is not sufficient disposable income in the neighborhood populations, nor a geographic anchor, that will allow the corridor to be transformed into a viable destination shopping or entertainment district.
	Unassuming , Casual,Relaxed
	boring, mundane, depressing, uninspired, not one I would want to befriend or date
	"NR" is a surprising person - so deep-down authentic and caring. "NR" experiences a certain amount of daily stress trying to make ends meet while working hard to create a stable, positive future, which makes "NR" busy, very busy! When "NR" finds time to collaborate, "NR" will go the extra mile and exhibits a unique grit.
	Old
	Weary and in need of a boost
	Boring, tacky
	A lot of decent character but outmoded in thinking.
	Shy, laidback.
	Comatose
	I'm still new to the area and I mostly travel on the southern edge.
	Interesting, caring, love the arts, love education, believe in diversity, take care of our homes, family oriented.
	The street needs help with structure. It would be good to have a SID for the street.
	Noble Road has a tired personality. It needs more street scapes. The plantings this summer were beautiful.
	Been around a long time, been through some challenges and lots of changes. Not sure who he is right now. Looking for some tender loving care. Wants the rough characters to know they need to behave around him. Has a knowing dignity about him as he has seen much. He likes the potted flowers that were put in his path this past year-makes him feel good. He's solid - got good living space potentials around him. It's easy to go past him and not take much notice 'cause he just quietly does his job, getting folks where they need to go. Gets to shine once a year compliments of his East Cleveland neighbor Nela Park and he handles this just as quietly. Folks don't understand him as he is humble.
	While I think Noble Road has a lot of potential, I see it as being old and tired.
	A person just trying to get along, but then a really fat, rich person comes along and takes everything and there is no room for the person who was just trying to get along. The fat, rich, privileged, racist person is named GENTRIFICATION.
	Impulsive, primitive, mechanistic, with marginal social skills and no concern about aesthetics,low creativity, and suffering from poverty and its effects. Appears to have had poor parenting, i.e.: poor leadership, unable to plan for the future.
	Unpredictable
	Someone who has no energy or interest in being involved with life. Satisfied with the present, never looking into the future.
	A sweet ole sole that mourns its better days, maybe 40 yrs. ago??? But now longs for attention.
	Diverse community of daring seniors and families committed to living in an inner ring suburb. Capitalize on Nepali refugee population. Help them buy homes! There children are doing well at Noble.
	Tired of neglect.
	Old and in need of modernization.
	non cosmopolitan
	Noble Road is a friendly down to earth community person with potentiality. She is quiet and humble and is learning to speak up for herself and her community needs. She likes gardens, trees, parks, physical activity, children. She is learning to write her own narrative and working away steadily to bring her vision into fruition. She is not well known and is often misunderstood therefore people don't realize her attractiveness and potential. She believes in life-long-learning, democracy and participation. She realizes that communities are developed over many many years by many individual and community actions and that each action is significant in the way she grows.
	Boring and dirty
	Worn out and run down. No vibrancy. Nothing to draw anyone to it as a destination (lackluster) .Great question, BTW!
	Neighborly, Historic , Down to earth ,Getting jobs done
	Mature, living on a fixed, not very high, income. But friendly and engaged. A caring person, who wants to do the right thing and wants to make things better. A person with a conscience and values. Disappointed by what has happened to his/her neighborhood. Motivated to work for improvements. Embracing a spirit of revival in the neighborhood.
	Shy - holding back; Apprehensive;
	Depressed
	Run down, unattractive, does not offer much to residents... could be a diamond in the rough if given a make over.
	Sad, dreary, unkempt . Lonely in need of support!
	Frank; honest; hard-working; very very busy with little time for extravagance; friendly once you get to know it.
	Depressed, neglected, scared, forgotten. There's'ho there, there.
	Dying....near death. On life support!
	There is nothing left here. I've lived around here all my life, excepting a few years away at college. I know it was here back in the 60s-90s.
	Just going back 10 years and it is shocking. So many stores and business gone, including neighborhood stalwarts like Charlie Fabric -- McDONALDS!!! -- local bars -- often the city was complicit in forcing out viable businesses, preferring empty storefronts.
	I believe we need direct and serious intervention and EVEN THAT might not work at this late stage.
	WHO ON EARTH would buy a house or move into an area THIS BLIGHTED? it looks like the worst parts of East Cleveland! We do not even have a coffee shop! or pizza parlor! WE HAVE NOTHING!
	While the city sits there, and bulldozes homes, and taxes businesses out of the city.
	Not worth knowing
	Shallow, not very engaging.
	low key but restless, a little on edge, Leary of strangers/kids/gangs/guns/city officials.
	Potentially likeable, but not sure if it can be trusted
	Tired, rundown, and rough. Way beyond it's prime and in need of a makeover. Needs a good thorough shower and a makeover and a good night's rest.
	Very quiet, but bubbling inside with a great personality that is just waiting to be released.

	Southern end = Has been. Aged. Northern end = Crumbling. Scary. Anti-social. Getting nastier every year. Head is not as bad as the feet.
	Border neighborhood. Underdeveloped.
	Dangerous
	Struggling, but with lots of potential.
	Run down the ugly step sister no wants to claim
	Industrial, apartment-dwelling, blue-collar, church-goer
	Boring
	well meaning, but low energy, understated
	It doesn't seem to have much of a personality, honestly!
	Lackluster
	Friendly, easy to get to know, caring, also a little worn out.
	old and fading
	Friendly and down to earth
	Older and on the decline.
	quiet and reserved
	Distressed and unkept.
	A little rough around the edges but with a lot of guts, heart and potential.
	I honestly have no idea what it's personality would be. When I pass through it my car, it seems quite empty. Perhaps a positive spin on that would be that the Noble Road corridor is an empty canvas, ready for creative, smart development.
	Family-friendly and laid back
	Forlorn
	Diverse, energetic, rarely sleeping, accepting of all, busy, supportive
	An orphaned kid with anger issues.
	Less desirable.
	the little engine that could
	Malnourished and mistreated.
	<b>In thinking about the apartment buildings along Noble Road, do you think they have a positive or negative impact on the character of the neighborhood? Please explain.</b>
	Some okay but overshadowed by those with terrible interior window coverings and lack of pleasing architectural design.
	It is unfortunate that they separate the commercial districts, making them less walkable. They offer low-cost housing that recent immigrants take advantage of, and having these people in our community is a strong positive.
	Immigrants, diversity
	Neither positive or negative. They're necessary for people who don't have cars to use the bus lines. But they don't have the same gravitas or feeling of community that apartments in Coventry, Cedar Fairmont, or Cedar lee have. Also, I have the (Unproven) feeling that a lot fo the landlords in the 4422 zip code are out of town, and don't take good care of their properties, don't care about the neighborhoods, and don't respond to city ordinances.
	Those buildings that show the landlord cares are assets. Those buildings that have trash, broken screens, window coverings and are not maintained have a negative effect for the residents and the traffic.
	If all apartment complexes resembled Noble/Quilliams apartments it would be fine. Problem is that most are not taken care of as far as landscaping, trash, etc. Owners should be responsible for providing uniform blinds/shades so that we don't have to look at sheets hanging in windows. The building between Yellowstone and Rushleigh is absolutely horrible. It would be nice to see some of the apt. buildings either cleaned up or demolished.
	In general they are not nicely landscaped and are not taken care of
	Drug dealing as well as Section 8s and the problems that go with it. Some buildings need landscaping and fresh paint. And, lets not forget the volley of gun shots on the 4th of July and New Years Eve.
	Many of the apartment buildings are not well-kept. The landlords need to up their game.
	To many, mostly sterile, unwelcoming looking
	Upkeep, lack of curb appeal, drab. I remember when it just looked nicer.
	They offer density and affordability. Affordability translates into spending power.
	They're just ugly.
	Most are well-kept when seen from the street. Having a mix of rental opportunities at different prices is important to encouraging economic diversity.
	They are older, and the interior probably needs updating to command higher rents, but they provide more potential customers for a business district than if there were single-family homes on those sites, and they look decent on the outside and aren't a negative. Could use more outdoor living space/amenities.
	the city is not strict enough in its enforcement of residential codes pertaining to landlords. rental properties should be stand-out models of appearance and livability, but are instead holding down residential values. the city needs to commit the kind of money it lately likes to spend on development projects to beefing up code compliance in a serious way. that is what the north side of the city needs above all.
	note the trash that collects around and the lack of maintenance
	Presumably lots of people live there! Living there is often a gateway to home ownership. Some of the buildings have character, and many do not. I sometimes hear stories about drug deals that go on at some apartment buildings, and I also hear about trash issues in spots. I am glad that the Nepalese refugees live in some of these buildings.
	They could be a bright spot if there was a way to change something so the residents felt like they were part of the community. Right now they look and feel like they should be in "the projects".
	Neutral because of inconsistency of upkeep by landlords and tenants.
	Not sure.
	I personally do not view the apartment buildings negatively, as I used to live in them, but I know they get a bad reputation. Therefore, my rating is based on the perceptions I have heard, not necessarily the one I hold.
	The buildings are 2 and 3 story brick bldgs that could be section 8 housing.
	I don't recall thinking about them. I don't have an issue with apartment buildings anywhere though.
	Not an issue when I bought my house 43.5 years ago but the have become a huge issue. This happened party because they rented to Section 8 families.
	Too much domestic violence.
	Too much domestic violence.
	I imagine these provide decent living space in most of them although I do not know the owners or how they run their businesses or select their tenants much less their tenant behavior rules.

	The apartments along Noble Road have a negative impact on the character of the neighborhood. In addition the buildings lacking character, curb appeal, and looking generally uninviting, some frequent visitors to my home have repeatedly remarked that there are almost always police present responding to a call at the apartments.
	Those building are fine, they just need some landscaping. some of the older ones are attractive.
	We have maybe 3 that are well maintained. The others similar to what you would see in a ghetto. No landscaping, needing repair and signage poor.
	They need a facelift, more modern
	Thry look terrible. I grew up Innthe areaa. Things have changed.
	The implicit racial bias in this question is disheartening. P.S. I am white.
	From delivering flyers, many are unkempt, have much litter, need repair, and are generally undesirable.
	Large apartment complex and business don't keep the property clean and neat. They don't shovel the side walks or removed litter from the front of their businesses, grass gets very high before they cut it.
	They are positive in that they give people a place to live and they situate potential customers for local food stores. They can have a negative impact if the area around them is not kept clean and attractive and if the landlords do not respond well to tenant requests for repairs or help with building problems.
	They look run down and don't have any curb appeal.
	I gather they accept people who have to register as sex offenders, and then everyone nearby is notified of this dangerous person living nearby. This is not helpful.
	Some apartments look fine; others look unkempt, like the shades are broken or sheets are hanging in the windows or trash on the lawn or driveway
	Very very negative...poorly maintained, no aesthetics, too many and too transient.making one if the blogs into mid level, affordable but not cheap apt or condo for seniors would be sustsinable.
	Run down, much litter, unkept, not attractive
	Extremely low income housing, lots of wandering sketchy looking people
	They provide a high-density population here where there is no suitable public transportation to meet all of their needs; many have told me that they have little to do for entertainment since they cannot leave the area readily.
	Clearly not taken care of, garbage often on grass, unattractive, no place for people to sit or congregate. Cheap, neglected buildings
	They are rundown eyesores, in terrible condition. WHERE IS THE INSPECTION DEPT? they are mostly slum buildings, Section 8 and bring lots of crime and welfare recipients into the area.
	Many are mostly EMPTY -- the "fancy" condos near Nela Park are a glaring example. No lights on in half the units. I suspect it is mostly unoccupied.
	Some apartmentts are attractive, some less attractive. Landscaping etc. Sun Press Police blotter reports crimes and there is always a crime in the Noble area. Litter abounds in front of the stores and apartments and near Oxford and Noble schools.
	Most of the apartment building owners/managers take little pride in the curb appeal of their building.
	The transient nature of the residents and lack of becoming part of the community are negatives but most seem to be in decent repair
	crumbling, garbage everywhere, owners & renters not held accountable
	They all look horrible. Some of the buildings are really pretty, but theyâre not maintained and look disgusting and unsafe. Iâve never set foot in one.
	Some are not very well kept and could use improved landscaping for better curb appeal
	They are ugly buildings. Police seem to be there 2-3 times a week. They seem forlorn and lifeless.
	Much of the crime appears to happen in or around these buildings.
	I live in my home 3 doors from them they are trashy but trash in my yard donâre care nor do the owners of the building
	Some lack character, landscaping, and/or gathering-place amenities.
	Due to low income renters that do not take care or have real connection to the neighborhood and aren't engaged in keeping the neighborhood vibrant
	some positive and some negative...there are some that are perceived to house individuals who are unstable or involved in negative/criminal activity and others that seem more positively oriented
	I think the old brick buildings have character. It would be nice if they were modernized, safe, and affordable housing for the neighborhood.
	crime
	Some are attractive and well-maintained. Others are not
	A lot of the buildings look disheveled, and could use some better landscaping/code enforcement
	positive impact if well maintained
	negative if not
	It depends on whether the apartments exude a clean, safe appearance
	They're nondescript and uninviting
	Mixed - The affordable nature of the apartments attracts a diversity of residents to the neighborhood, which is positive. Poor management, up-keep of some buildings is a negative.
	I think the apartments provide affordable housing for those that need it and I wouldn't want to lose that or have this neighborhood become like other parts of the heights that aren't as economically diverse. I would not want this initiative to shove out those that live there and need affordable housing in a nice neighborhood. I am 2 houses down from 2 apartment complexes and have not had any issue with them in 15 years here.
	I like the diversity they bring but we don't get to interact with the people there often. Would love a park to facilitate that! The apartments could use a little facelift though, maybe landscaping?
	Seems to cater to those in the lower economic pay scale.
	They could use a little beautification/landscaping. But they look well-maintained and their affordable to all residents including immigrants.
	Not familiar
	Both positive and negative. To the extent that they are well-maintained and house peaceful, law-abiding residents, they are an asset to our community. When disruptive, noisy, or rude residents are there, it has a very negative impact.
<b>What other suggestions do you have for improving Noble Road? What other things do you think we should consider?</b>	
	Love the new pavement and flowers on poles last summer. Please continue. Holiday lights.
	Get rid of Gas USA. It is a blight on our community

	Broaden sidewalks and green spaces, and narrow the road. If it is impossible to unify the commercial areas into one (due to zoning/the apartments) offer a frequent and artsy free shuttle. Beautify the area and host events. Turn vacant lots/apartment lawns into a publicly available park, and host events there in the summer (eg: movies at couventry playground).
	Unlike the rest of Cleveland Heights, the people in this neighborhood are working class. They are predominantly single mothers with children and young professionals attracted to the affordability of housing in this zip code. Consider the needs of that demographic. Healthy take out foods. Family friendly multi use spaces. A Marc's type grocery store. Needs based businesses like hardware stores. This is NOT an arty neighborhood. A gift shop might work, but the neighborhood won't sustain lots of boutiques. People outside the neighborhood won't come here to shop. This is not Cedar Fairmont or Cedar Lee,
	As I said above, continue to work on the housing issue, especially the houses and apartment buildings on Noble itself. It would be really nice if this neighborhood could have an actual park at the corner of Roanoke and Noble instead of just weeds and red landscaping rocks. Credit to Noble Neighbors for the gardens. Credit to the city for all of the beautiful flower pots along Noble this year. Please keep it up. It would be good to see more support from the city regarding this corner lot. It would also be nice to see a real grocery store such as a Dave's instead of Save a Lot. I would use a real supermarket. Continue to plow sidewalks along Noble and Monticello. I have lived in this neighborhood and walk my dogs and can say that last year was the first time that it was done. I have heard from others that it occurs in other neighborhoods on main streets.
	The library, school and police station make a great foundation. It would be wonderful to build on those. The playground at the school is used slot. Maybe something like that in the empty lot up from the school. It would be nice to have somewhere to walk your dog and not feel like you don't belong.
	A variety of ethnicities.
	More trash receptacles.
	People need to be encouraged to pick up trash on their own property
	High police presence.
	Slow traffic down, dropping to 3 traffic lanes. If Noble school closes use part of school for art studios-interior bike park.
	Design it for the people that live there and not for some mythical group of white flighters that may want to move back if it gets less diverse or less poor.
	Have the police get out of their cars and walk the district, meet the people, talk to the kids (and the adults).
	Should have something that makes the area unique and that gives it character. For example, you could create a little ethnic enclave like "Little Africa" complete with public art, cafes and restaurants, clothing stores, import shops, parades, MLK and Kwanzaa celebrations, a small museum, etc.
	A key question for the Noble Corridor development is whether it is to become a 4th retail/entertainment district, competing with Coventry, Cedar/Lee, Cedar/Fairmount to attract visitors from outside the neighborhood? Or, is it more likely to succeed by focusing on serving the neighborhood?  Incorporating the churches and non-profits in the plan is critical.  A strong pattern among the businesses and other entities is nurturing/care-taking: homes, cars, pets, bodies, minds, souls. I don't know what implications this has for the project, but it does seem to be a distinguishing feature of the area.
	Make places for people -- trees, wider sidewalks, more public benches and trash, slower speeds in the business district (change street design and streetscape to encourage slower speeds, rather than just lowering the speed limit), encouraging mixed-use taller buildings, encourage development up to the street, hide the parking, include an outdoor public gathering space, start a business cooperative to keep the sidewalks clean and clear of snow, shorten crossing distances (perhaps using large planters to shield the pedestrians waiting to cross), come up with an identity for the district (Cedar-Lee has the movie theater and restaurants/bars, Cedar-Fairmount has different restaurants, bookstore, Nighttown jazz, Coventry has rock, etc. -- what about Noble? Stage theater? A different type of music -- blues/soul?, clothing/furniture retail center?). What establishments can be primarily supported by local residents, supplemented by just-a-little-further residents who would drive there?
	- diminish retail activity - diminish on-street parking - develop new residential and green space - modernize traffic light system - help develop nela park after ge leaves - buy properties in east cleve along noble down to euclid ave and diminish retail in favor of residential and green space - stricter enforcement of rental property and residential exterior codes - legislation and property purchases to reduce rental density in north cleve hts - purchase and re-hab vacant and abandoned houses to incentivize property improvements by other property owners.
	a gathering place for youth places for people to interact definitely restaurant(s) and coffee shop(s)
	Consider making Montevista at the Noble end a cul-de-sac so that the school and the library can be joined by green space, which would also connect to the adjacent church grounds. Then make this a welcoming place for kids to play and neighbors to enjoy.  I like the idea of making the area a model for sustainability. How would that look??
	Bringing in business
	Housing that encourages interaction between our aging population, young people and kids. It would be nice to evolve into a community similar to ones in the past. The type of community where people say hello as they walk to the grocery, buy shoes, go to a show, ... and they know each other. Walk their dogs, stop and talk to each other. Maybe see a movie, a play, listen to some Music.
	Would love to have a dry cleaners, a coffee shop, a sit down restaurant like a Yours Truly, a diner Joe's at Mayfield and Green in strip mall near McDonalds.
	Keep it clean, increase police patrols, increase lighting.

	<p>Dog Parks Picnic Areas Restaurants Stores A second Coventry</p>
	Marketing when we get businesses.
	Police presence, litter removal, and anything else that could instill pride. Nice signage, hanging flower baskets etc.
	Keep the development company away from it. I think you should consider we don't need more retail space--space are empty everywhere you look. Amazon delivers everything, is cheaper, and more convenient. How are you going to compete with that? Retail is dead. Dead. dead.
	<p>It would be nice to let the community know what you are cooking up for the empty lots from the Medic giveaway (the city saw to it that property with up to date taxes was purchased and put in the Land Bank. Why? we lost over \$30,000 a year in property taxes?)&gt;</p> <p>Clearly the braintrust is cooking something up for that empty land. What is it? Be honest with the community about your plans.</p>
	It needs work. Begin where you know you have support for change and energy from the community to help promote the change and take part in the work that needs to be done. Most important is that the city takes responsibility for investing and finding the businesses who want to be part of this change.
	Important to upgrade Noble School and make it the center of the area; how did it go from a wonderful school years ago to a Failing school??? Young families might think about living here if the school were to increase its standards. Maybe bring in another school, Montessori style? Also, beautify the whole area, especially starting from Mayfield rd. At the present, that area is ugly, plain and simple.
	Block group, festivals, help from GE. Police presence st events. Cut out Section 8 housing. Get the school involved.
	Consider widening your perspective and aiming higher. All your questions sound like they were written by white people. Noble alone will never support businesses. Finding businesses based on this survey will make a large splash, followed by a dull thud. Think of businesses that will attract people from a five mile catchment area. Think of businesses that will create a sense of destination. If you asked these questions about Cedar Lee and designed a business profile based on the answers, would today's Cedar Lee be the result? This survey is disheartening.
	A common storefront look, filling in vacancies, better and more consistent litter pickup, and more businesses that locals could use, including groceries, restaurants, and cafes.
	Get more than beauty shops and barber shops. Get coffee shops, a butchers and ethnic restaurants to fit the population of the neighborhood. Give grants like the city did for the Lee road dinner.
	I think we should have regular attractions that bring people to the Noble Neighborhood that make people feel good about the area and not see it as a forgotten place out-of- the-way place. Events should encourage people to visit it regularly and see it as a fun place to live with local, walkable amenities where their family needs can be met, (i.e. local schools, stores, parks, recreation).
	Cleveland Heights has several great destinations - Cedar Lee, Coventry, Cedar Fairmount. What draws me to them is the diversity of the restaurants, diversity of the people, and the general Cleveland Heights vibe - it is a place like no other! We need a way to create that same feeling in the Noble neighborhood.
	Be a draw for families from the entire Heights area. Places where teens can go independently, too.
	<p>I hope we can get bike lanes, single lanes and left turn lanes implemented on Noble Road. I believe that will be transformative.</p> <p>Changing federal housing policies to not saturate the neighborhood with impoverished people though housing choice vouchers would be helpful, but perhaps not in your control? Should you have a political action component to meet with the local HUD people (CMHA) and to lobby Congress people? Get Ohio to change is school funding and testing policies? Hold a rally in Columbus? Again, this takes a lot of effort and time with uncertain prospects.</p> <p>Help the impoverished or people working several jobs to pay the bills to develop the skills to earn more. Promote programs that aim to do that. Raise awareness of opportunities to move up economically. This is another marketing program, but at the local level.</p>
	Consider the diversity of Noble; promote Noble in other parts of the City
	<p>I think family friendly, like a bldg with a climbing wall, bowling etc.</p> <p>Places that would pull in wider socioeconomic diversity . We have way too many auto and beauty salons. Need greater socioeconomic diversity and attractive architecture. Quality consignment shops would work here and art type niche. A fitness center that combines boxing and weights with yoga and pilates.</p>
	<p>Bring desirable retail to the area. Someone who will invest money into their storefront or restaurant. Too many short term businesses come and go. We need some stability in retail as it used to be.</p> <p>Make the Noble area visually appealing. Compare with Coventry, Cedar Lee, Cedar Fairmount.</p> <p>Safety concerns is also a deterrent for the area.</p>
	<p>Support existing vibrant businesses; don't force them out because "deciders" would not patronize them.</p> <p>Police officers that walk a beat and interact in friendly and supportive manner with all businesses.</p> <p>Attractive, large park with benches; expanses of green lawn; mature trees; absent extensive paving/concrete and sports fields/lots typical of all other parks in this city. We have no quiet green places of respite where people can sit quietly, meet friends, have a picnic, or to simple chat with strangers. No place where kids can throw frisbees, chase each other, or simply play.</p> <p>Enforce building codes at all times. Current code allows owners to neglect building maintenance, upgrades, etc. between tenants! I'm tired of broken windows; dank smelling retail spaces; broken sidewalks; dimly lit, un-maintained parking lots (some owned by the city).</p> <p>A list of retired business people to mentor new biz operators.</p>
	The neighborhood changed economically. More and more rentals. It would take leadership and ingenuity and investment to improve things, but the city seems to stand by and watch things deteriorate. We can't do it with our little neighborhood groups alone. With no retail or places to meet and congregate, there is no sense of a place. I am embarrassed when friends or family come to visit me.

	<p>Unfortunately, the problem is city government.</p> <p>This district has zero representation at City Hall, due to our form of government which is "elected at large" and "no mayor".</p> <p>Nobody is responsible for Noble Road -- nobody rich lives here -- so nobody cares. We cannot vote for a Mayor nor a City Councilperson to represent us!!!!</p> <p>The powers that be at City Hall despise this area, because we are not the "image" they want to represent of upper middle class affluence like Coventry or Fairmount/Cedar.</p> <p>Nobody is putting photos of Noble corridor in any fancy city literature or on the website -- ARE THEY?</p> <p>The city puts tons of money into other areas, like benches, floral displays, hanging baskets, signage, etc. and we get NOTHING - not even basic stuff like sidewalk or road repairs.</p> <p>Also the police are neglecting us, and there are SERIOUS CRIME PROBLEMS -- carjackings! shootings! panhandlers! -- WHERE ARE THE POLICE? off chasing speeders on Monticello.</p>
	<p>There is no regional draw to Noble. Unless you live in the neighborhood, use the beauty shops and barber shops or frequent the bars, there is nothing to bring people to explore living or Locating a business in any of the 3 commercial areas. What would bring people to know Noble? Convert the Hillside Dairy (now housing the Swat team) to an Art center, coffee house/bookstore or antique mall or something similar to Cleveland Flea (which helped Detroit Shoreway!). This would give people a reason to even drive down Noble.</p>
	<p>A mentoring program for new businesses. Many, especially restaurants close before I even realize they are there</p> <p>More public gatherings be they block parties book groups garden projects that will bring small groups together to better know their neighbors</p> <p>None at this time</p>
	<p>unreported crime in this area is rampant. none of the business owners care enough to make their establishment look nice let alone report on crime that happens in their own parking lot. it will be a tall task to get this area to be nice.</p> <p>Make something nice and upscale and SAFE so that it's not overtaken by crime like Shillelagh and the BYOU.</p>
	<p>Reduce Section 8 housing.</p> <p>Keep Noble Road to 4 lanes. Its best use right now is it is the main corridor to get to I-90; I use it for that purpose 23-times/week.</p> <p>Increase SAFE parking and improve lighting.</p> <p>More family friendly restaurants.</p> <p>Reduce crime along this road. Not sure how to do that...gangs and hoodlums seem to be increasing, moving into this territory from East Cleveland, Cleveland.</p> <p>Cleveland Heights crime has gotten SO bad (all over) in the years I have lived here; I have gone from not even locking my doors to locking them 24/7.</p> <p>Free parking or parking with an app versus quarters would also be nice. I avoid patronizing Cedar/Lee, Cedar/Fairmount and Coventry because I have to carry a pocket full of quarters and run out and feed the meters every so often. YUCK! Forget it! I will go elsewhere! And I do!</p>
	<p>Lighting, parking and police presence. Most areas EXCEPT Cedar and Warrensville Hts Road areas charge for parking which makes it inconvenient.</p> <p>Free and plentiful lighted parking would enhance the area.</p>
	<p>How can community institutions like HRRC and the Library expand their impact? That's one focus I would like to see.</p> <p>Nurture and help the little Mom &amp; Pop businesses. Do not succumb to the siren call of the national chains.</p> <p>SHUT DOWN THE USA GAS STATION. If there are other equally negative operations in the Noble Neighborhood, shut them down, too. Be RUTHLESS in this.</p> <p>Noble Neighbors should have great input into this process; they seem to be the Heart and Soul of Noble.</p>
	<p>Placemaking -- create places for small groups of people to gather. Include improved bus stops in the business districts, identify buildings for small businesses to get a start, build some new office space for small businesses to grow into and to provide more work opportunities -- Cleveland Heights seems to lack high-quality "Class A" office space to attract businesses to.</p>
	<p>Public art would help to change the feel for the better, and possibly - along with community events - bring people together to interact and get a feel for potential of the neighborhood. Neighborhood efforts to improve real and perceived safety would also go a long way towards improving circumstances for residents and patrons...over the years, a series of criminal occurrences and high profile violent act (recent shooting at gas station) has had negative impact on perception of neighborhood. Attention by government would also help in this regard...long history of ignoring neighborhood challenges or even heightening negative perceptions (former school Superintendent feeding into divisions between "north and south CH"...current Superintendent has not endorsed this approach, but harm has been done)</p>
	<p>It would be great to have a nice coffee shop to be able to walk to. Please do something about Gas USA. There are clearly drug deals happening there and it is an eyesore. I get nervous walking in that area.</p>
	<p>I like the idea of more parks, Green space, of affordable housing and local businesses, restaurants, coffee, bookstore, grocery or small market.</p>
	<p>Developing empty areas like the plot of grass at Noble and Warrensville. Attracting small businesses like cafes, ice cream shops and restaurants</p>
	<p>I would love to see a Trader Joe's in Cleveland Heights. I would think it would do well given how many people from the area shop there.</p>
	<p>Nela Park, while not in CH is an incredible asset which soon may be empty. A visioning process needs to take place to determine how it can be revived and integrated into neighborhood life.</p>
	<p>Remove the gas station and beauty supply store on the corner of Monticello and Noble. Those businesses do nothing but attract crime.</p> <p>Also, enforce the lower speed limit on certain parts of Noble Road. Speed traps also dissuade some criminals.</p>

	Impact on the school/students
	My aspirations for business development along Noble Road is to attract businesses which can have both a retail and wholesale impact. The screen printing shop offers walk in service, but, I believe, does the majority of its business serving the large African American Sororities and Fraternities. Perhaps we could attract: a bakery with a front counter and a large delivery service; a brew pub; sandwich shop with catering; Bhutanese/Nepali restaurant & craft/gift shop which offers classes in cooking and crafting.
	Noble Road is used as a major north/south thoroughfare and drivers often speed. I'd like to see the traffic slowed and bike lanes added to enhance the experience of moving along Noble Rd. by foot, bike, bus or car.
	There must be a way to make this a part of the heights that when I say I live off of Noble, the response isn't negative. Let's make this more of a draw for people to want to come here.
	Please put some focus (lighting, security cameras, etc...) on visible ways to deter crime.
	Fewer section 8 properties.
	I would love to see a Nepalese restaurant, reflective of residents along the south end of Noble Road. In a foodie city, that might be a great addition!
	Cleveland Heights needs to support independent businesses that offer a mix of essentials (grocery, hardware) and places of cultural interest (bookstores, coffeehouses, performing arts venues). This demands a modicum of backbone on the part of elected officials who customarily bend to the will of development interests.
	I grew up in the Noble Neighborhood. When I was young (early 1990's), my family would walk to Eglemart Grocery store for much of our food. I would love to patronize a small, local grocery store again!
	I would also be delighted if a coffee shop/bakery were to take up residence, and would be a faithful patron.
	As a consumer, I actively look for local businesses to patronize. Unfortunately, much of what is currently available in the Noble corridor doesn't apply to me (beauty supplies, nail salons, bars, for example), so I can't patronize those stores, even though I would love to support the local economy.
<b>What is your "stake" in this project, why are you interested?</b>	
	I'm a homeowner
	Homeowner
	this is my community
	Church in the neighborhood
	I live here
	As we try to upgrade housing, business must also.
	Homeowner for 21 years in Noble Neighborhood.
	Homeowner, consumer, taxpayer
	I'm a noble neighbor
	It's my community
	My neighborhood and living space
	Live here 30+ years
	I live in C.H. I'm interested in the whole communi
	40 year homeowner and resident
	live in the neighborhood
	I live in Noble
	Used to live in that neighborhood
	I live here & want a strong neighborhood
	Cleveland Heights resident
	resident in north cleve hts since 1978
	I live here and care about this place.
	Live "around the corner". Involved with NRRC
	Home owner
	resident
	I live in neighborhood and care about city.
	I am used to live there and hope to go back
	Make the surveys neutral don't try get need more
	I live here & want to see community thrive.
	I work at the library.
	I live in the neighborhood.
	I live on Northampton Road and am concerned
	I own a home in the Noble Neighborhood
	I have none and I am not interested
	I am a homeowner and resident.
	neighbor
	I'm working on the GCC Housing Task Committee
	I am living in my forever home, on Rosemond.
	Work st the school
	Anti-racism
	Live in the area. Worked for 33 years in CH Rec.
	home owner
	I live here & want positive growth in the future.
	Live in the community
	CH resident
	Serve at large, City Council, want all to flourish
	Lived here over 40 yrs and really like it
	Resident
	Live on Clev. Hts Blvd, my child attends Noble Ele
	26 year resident; fed up
	LIFELONG resident & homeowner since 1982
	I sell real estate. Tough to get people to buy here



Resident
I live north of Monticello and 4 houses from Noble
Resident home owner, active member of Noble Neigh
Homeowner
resident
Cleveland Heights resident
Because I am a nearby resident
Want to see my neighborhood/property values go up
Live nearby. Improvement increases property value
Homeowner
I love my city.
Home owner on Woodridge
Cleveland Heights resident, city improvement
I live on the border of this neighborhood
former resident and current property owner
I live and own a house 1/2 mile away
Cleveland heights resident
I live in this neighborhood.
I have been a homeowner for 40 years.
I live near the Noble area, and love Cleveland Hts
I live in Cleveland Heights.
resident of CH
Stronger Noble makes for a stronger CH.
I believe and love in CH
I used to live off Noble Rd as a child.
I live nearby, walk in the area, commute through
Live nearby
I'm a neighborhood resident and homeowner.
I live in this neighborhood
I live in the area and want to see it flourish.
live in the area
grew up in area, bought house in area.
Homeowner
I am a resident of the Noble Neighborhood
<b>How would you like to be involved with changing the Noble neighborhood?</b>
I'd like to offer my input on proposed projects.
Not sure. 3 kids.
If something that suited my talents arised, I'd vo
Attend public focus groups.
I have been involved with housing issues in NN.
Not sure at this time
Very busy with projects already. Have limited time
Volunteer when I'm able
I'm active in Noble Neighbors.
I don't know - someone who lives there should lead
Make a suggestion.
As a patron
Depends on what we need
Willing to host meetings in my home.
Going out to eat when fixed up
I attend the Noble Neighbors meetings
I already am
I would not
not sure
In any way my skills could be used.
don't know at the present
Giving more input at a neeting
Address white supremacy in leadership.
Committees; litter pickup; Noble Neighbors.
submitting needed comments
Participate in community events as I am able.
Attend community meeting.
Improve housing and transportation
Focus group
I'm very involved through GCC and Noble Neighbors
I am involved despite city hall trying to stop me.
Decision making! and not "consultants"
lâ a Noble Ngr & on Future Hts P&D committee
Upkeep of my own house and property
Participate in community meetings and support
I have no time-all I can do now is give feedback.
Meeting schedule
I'm too old to be involved; could write about it
Not sure
I've been to a few Noble Neighbors meetings
Maybe support public art and community events
Attend planning meetings
Like to attend neighborhood meetings.

	not sure
	I would support businesses in a retail district
	Any way I can, time dependent
	Donating to fundraisers.
	attending town meetings
	Noble Neighbors community gardening/beautification
	I'm not sure, but I wanted to put my voice in
	Let me know how I can be!
	not sure yet
	yes
	Provide perspective
	as a business patron