

STAKEHOLDER INTERVIEW

TOBACCO 21

Hi, my name is _____ and I'm a student at _____. I'm working with a program called "Engaging Youth for Positive Change". We are talking to people who own or manage restaurants in the [Name of Community] about cigarette smoking. The interview should take no more than 10 minutes. Would you be willing to talk to me about this?

Name of Business: _____

1. Do you think that underage smoking is a problem in this community?

- Major problem Slight problem Not at all

2. How wrong would most adults in this community think it is for underage youth to smoke cigarettes?

- Very wrong Wrong Slightly wrong Not wrong at all

3. How easy is it for underage youth to obtain cigarettes?

- Very Easy Sort of Easy Sort of Hard Very Hard

4. Do you think that an ordinance that changes the legal age to purchase tobacco from 18 to 21 would reduce underage smoking?

- Yes Unsure No

Please Explain:

5. Would you support an ordinance raising the legal age to purchase tobacco?

- Yes Unsure No

Comments:

6. Do you think changing the legal age to purchase tobacco would affect your business?

- Yes, positively Yes, negatively No effect

Why?

7. Do you have any other thoughts or concerns?

Thank you for your time.