YOUR NAME: ________________________________

ORGANIZATION: __________________________________

COMMUNITY / CAMPUS: _______________________

DIRECTIONS: circle or fill in the blank

TYPE OF COMMUNITY:
New | Existing | Municipal/Neighborhood Planning | Major Grey/Brownfield Redevelopment | Campus | Eco Village

NEW COMMUNITIES: Describe the size & type of your development (e.g. mixed-use, 10 acres urban infill)

FOR EXISTING COMMUNITIES: When was your neighborhood/campus master plan last updated? ________

Choose:
1 (not interested), 2 (heard of it), 3 (considering it), 4 (developing a strategy), 5 (Yes! implementing it)
to evaluate the degree to which you agree with the following statements about your community/campus development

1. My organization/community/campus has a formal climate/carbon/resilience commitment.

2. Corporate social responsibility/equity are embedded into our operations.

3. Livability & resilience are important in our development/campus.

4. Quality of life factors (e.g. integrated green space, outdoor recreation, gathering places, trails & parks) that focus on people and attract talent are important for the community/campus.

5. We are looking for a way to unify & implement the variety of plans/commitments/initiatives within our community/campus.

6. My community/campus has a plan and activities to promote nature-friendly landscaping, urban agriculture, and fossil fuel free transportation.
7. My community/campus has an integrated water management program and a vision for Net Positive Water.

1  2  3  4  5

If 1-4 above, our water conservation & stormwater targets can be categorized as (circle below):

Typical | High Performance | 100% Stormwater Managed | Rainwater Harvest

Specifically, our water conservation goals are:

8. My community/campus has a commitment to renewable energy and has a vision for producing as much (or more) energy than the community consumes. (Net Zero/Net Positive Energy)

1  2  3  4  5

If 1-4 above, Our energy targets can be categorized as (circle below):

Typical | High Performance | 2030 Challenge | Renewables

Specifically, our energy targets include:

9. My community/campus has a commitment to wellness and resilience with active management plans.

1  2  3  4  5

10. My community/campus has a commitment to the wise use of materials accounting for carbon, waste, and prioritizing non-toxics.

1  2  3  4  5

Our building materials (specifying, sourcing, etc.) goals can be categorized as (circle below):

Green Labeled Products | FSC | Material Transparency | Use a Red List to Avoid Worst-In-Class Chemicals

Details about our goals for building materials are:

11. My community/campus values art and education and offers regular opportunities for receiving inspiration.

1  2  3  4  5

YOUR SCORE

How many 4s and 5s?
Don't add them up; count them.

0-2 -- “We’ve got a spark over here”
3-4 -- “Hey, we’ve got some momentum!”
5-6 -- “Our journey is getting started”
7+ -- “We’re on track toward evolving and thriving”

BONUS: Take a photo of your results and email them to lcc.support@living-future.org for a complementary consultation with the LCC team.

The Living Community Challenge is a framework that can help your team create a more integrated vision to effectively advance your sustainability commitments.