

2018 HOMEOWNER SATISFACTION SURVEY RESULTS

California Communities



For the seventh time in 13 years, Americans living in homeowners associations and condominiums say they're overwhelmingly satisfied in their communities.

National survey shows:

» **85%** of residents rate their overall community association experience as positive (63%) or neutral (22%).

» **90%** say their association's rules protect and enhance property values (62%) or have a neutral effect (28%); only 4% say the rules harm property values.

In 2018, Community Associations Institute (CAI) in conjunction with the national survey, further examined the community association housing model in four states—Florida, California, Texas, and Nevada.

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89% of California homeowners rate their overall community association living experience as positive (66%), or neutral (23%).

**HIGHER THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE.*

84% say that their elected governing board absolutely or for the most part strives to serve the best interest of the community as a whole.

66% say they would like to see less government control or no change to community association oversight.

87% of California homeowners report their community's rules protect and enhance property values (70%) or make no difference (17%).

Majority of California residents say, "maintenance-free" is the best thing about living in a community association.

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74% say their community manager provides value and support to residents and the community as a whole.

66% of California homeowners living in a community association report voting in national elections and 60% say they always vote in state and local elections.

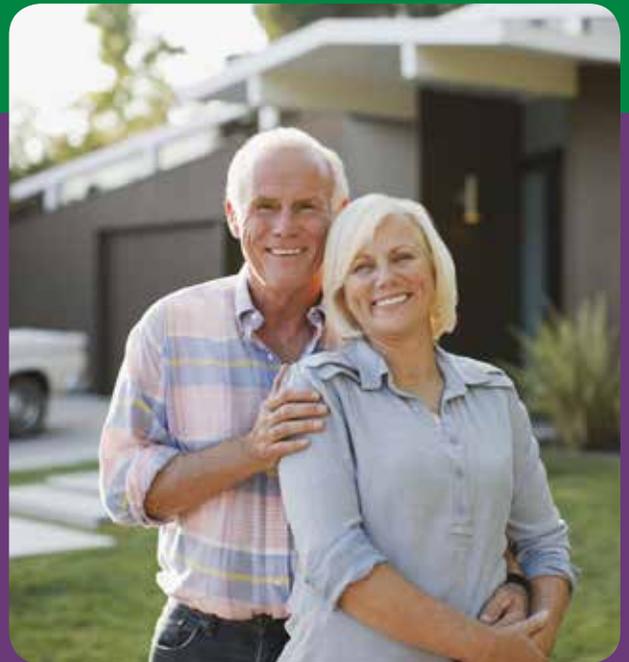
67% of California homeowners have attended their community association board meetings.

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California community association members spend an average of **\$101–300 per month** for homeowners association assessments or “fees.”

**LOWER THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE.*

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