Hoonah Community Survey

The Hoonah Indian Association is beginning a climate adaptation plan for Hoonah in collaboration with a team of students from University of Michigan. This plan focuses on food, traditional resources, and way of life. This survey is aimed at helping us guide what resources Hoonah residents have seen change the most, what they are most concerned about, and to help us think about ways to adapt for the future.

Please email um-hia-masters@umich.edu or ian.johnson@hiatribe.org, if you have any questions or concerns. You may also call HIA at 907-945-3545.

Demographics

1. How long have you lived in Hoonah?	2. What tribe are you a member of, if any?	3. How old are you?	4. What gender do you best identify with? (Circle one) Male Female Non-binary other or prefer not to say

4. Do you acknowledge climate change as a real and present force?	Yes	No	Unsure
5. Do you believe that climate change is worsening?	Yes	No	Unsure
6. Do you believe climate change is caused by human activities?	Yes	No	Unsure
5. Do you feel you have adequate access to climate science education?	Yes	No	Unsure

Perceptions on Community Vulnerability

6. On a scale from 1-5 (1 being not at all and 5 being very much), how much do you worry about the availability or condition of subsistence resources or traditional practices for your family?

	1	2	3	4	5	
Not at all	○	○	○	○	○	Very Much

7. What do you feel is the biggest environmental threat to your community's overall health and well-being? (Circle up to 5)

Decreased snow/rainfall (increased annual drought)	Heavy rain events/extreme weather (flash floods and erosion)
Changes to shoreline habitats (cockles and clams)	Natural hazards (landslides, earthquakes, tsunamis, etc.)
Decreasing salmon and halibut habitat	Sea level rise
Bear encroachment	Warming air and water temperatures
Decreasing deer habitat	Change in water quality or ability

Impacts of Climate and Environmental Change

8. As environmental conditions in Hoonah change, which subsistence resources are you most concerned for and think should be protected? (Circle up to 5)

Salmon	Deer	Halibut	Berries
Cedar (cedar bark)	Spruce (tips & roots)	Seal	Herring
Devil's Club	Hudson Bay Tea	Clams / Cockles	Crabs

Other: _____

9. For each of the options below, select the type of impact (negative, none, positive) you have seen based on environmental changes in your own life or of those around you.

	Negative Impact	No Impact	Positive Impact
Financial Well-Being			
Mental Health			
Physical Health			
Community Relationships			
Harvesting Practices			
Carving & Weaving			
Spiritual Practices			
Access to resources			

Optional – explain any of your answers here: _____

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Community / Tribal Adaptation Actions

10. What efforts would you like to see in the future to help ensure Hoonah's way of life thrives as environmental conditions change? _____

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Optional: If you are open to having a longer conversation with us about climate and environmental changes, please provide your name and a good contact and we will be in touch!

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email:_____

Thank you for completing this survey. We appreciate your time! For your records, feel free to take a quick photo of this survey with your phone before submitting.