

# Making a Land Use Decision: Hidden Forest Estates

## Assessment Scoring Guide

Points	Description
6	<p>In order to receive a 6-point score, the response must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give a <b>clearly stated position</b> on the issue (1 point)</li> <li>provide two (or more) pieces of accurate, valid, and relevant <b>supporting information from the passage</b> (2 points)</li> <li>provide one (or more) additional statements of accurate, relevant, and important <b>supporting knowledge</b> that comes from the lessons (information other than that supplied by the information passage) (1 point)</li> <li>provide one example of how the position they have taken will affect the quality of life in the community (1 point)</li> <li>provide one core democratic value that supports the position (1 point)</li> </ol>
5	<p>In order to receive a 5-point score, the response must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give a <b>clearly stated position</b> on the issue (1 point)</li> <li>provide one piece of accurate, valid, and relevant <b>supporting information from the information passage</b> (1 point)</li> <li>provide one (or more) additional statements of accurate, relevant, and important <b>supporting knowledge</b> that comes from the lessons (information other than that supplied by the information passage) (1 point)</li> <li>provide one example of how the position they have taken will affect the quality of life in the community (1 point)</li> <li>provide one core democratic value that supports the position (1 point)</li> </ol>
4	<p>In order to receive a 4-point score, the response must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give a <b>clearly stated position</b> on the issue (1 point)</li> <li>provide one piece of accurate, valid, and relevant supporting information from the information passage (1 point)</li> <li>contain at least 2 of the remaining 2 elements (c, d, or e) (2 points)</li> </ol>
3	<p>In order to receive a 3-point score, the response must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give a <b>clearly stated position</b> on the issue (1 point)</li> <li>contain at least two of the remaining elements: b, c, d, or e (2 points)</li> </ol>
2	<p>In order to receive a 2-point score, the response must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give a <b>clearly stated position</b> on the issue (1 point)</li> <li>contain at least one of the remaining elements: b, c, d, or e (1 points)</li> </ol>
1	<p>In order to receive a 1-point score, the response must:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>give a <b>clearly stated position</b> on the issue (1 point)</li> </ol>
0	<p>In order to receive a 0-point score, the response will show no evidence of any of the elements</p>