### Community Improvement Plan

**Rubric**

**Dimension 1**

**Presentation**

**Reviewer Comment Prompt**

- Are there any places where this presentation loses focus, needs elaboration, or is difficult to understand?
- If so, identify that place and suggest a way to improve it?
- You may have to watch the speech more than once to properly evaluate it.

### AMERICAN GOVERNMENT

**Mini Assignment 5**

**Reviewers Rating Prompt 1:**

**Length**

(Weight = 1)

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**Reviewer Rating Prompt 2:**

**Verbal Citations**

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AMERICAN GOVERNMENT
MINI ASSIGNMENT 5

REVIEWER RATING PROMPT 3: PRESENTATION OF THE SPEECH (WEIGHT = 1)

Student should include the following:

- All the components from the outline.
- Minimal usage of notes.
- Delivered extemporaneously.
- Delivered enthusiastically.

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Reviewer Comment Prompt

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7 - Speech included all four of the criteria.
6 - Speech included three of the criteria.
4 - Speech included two of the criteria.
2 - Speech only included one of the criteria.
1 - Fails to meet the minimal expectations set forth in the assignment.
Reviewing Assignment 5:

Review of Community Improvement Plan Rubric:

**Reviewer Rating Prompt 1:** Describes community issue being profiled (Weight = 1)

- **Essay should include the following:**
  - Clear explanation of the issue.
  - Detailed description of the issue.
  - How the issue connects to the community.
  - Writing is clear and concise.

  - **7** includes all four of the criteria and no further assistance needed.
  - **6** includes three of the criteria.
  - **4** includes two of the criteria.
  - **2** includes only one of the criteria.
  - **1** incomplete or lacks the basic requirements expected.

**Reviewer Rating Prompt 2:** How organization is working to solve the issue (Weight = 1)

- **Should include the following:**
  - Clearly explains the role the organization plays in solving the issue within the community.
  - Gives at least 3 examples of how organization is working the issue within the community.

  - **7** Excellent! No additional information is needed.
  - **6** Good! All information is clear but at least one example of the organization’s work on the issue is missing.
  - **4** Fair. There is a basic explanation, but more details and examples are needed.
  - **2** Poor. The explanation is unclear, and several additional details and examples are needed.
  - **1** Unsatisfactory. The speaker does not explain the organization’s role AND/OR does not include any examples.
### Community Improvement Plan

**Rubric**

**Dimension 2**

**Issue Impact**

**Reviewer Comment Prompt**

- Comment on the content of the speech. How did the speaker express his or her ideas clearly?
- Were any ideas unclear or missing?
- If so, suggest a way to improve that area.

**Reviewer Rating Prompt 1:**

**DEMOGRAPHICS ASSISTED BY ORGANIZATION**

(WEIGHT = 1)

**Essay should include the following:**

- A clear description of at least four resources needed to help with the issue.
- A clear explanation of first hand examples relating to each resource.

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**Reviewer Rating Prompt 4:**

**CONCLUSION**

(WEIGHT = 1)

**The conclusion should include the following:**

- A restatement of the thesis sentence
- Summary of main points
- A closing statement

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