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Dr. Harris-Kojetin,

I am writing in an effort to communicate how crucial the American Community Survey is to so many different disciplines each trying to make sense of our world here in the U.S. Dropping a question such as 'how many times one has been married' cannot be picked up on another survey, especially with the clout and required response rate of American Community Survey.

Please consider the comments of those end users, there will be others contacting you, and know that this information is important. I work in state government and frequently am placed in situations where conclusions must be drawn based on data. If American Community Survey were not providing all that it does, decisions would continue be made but with less rationale and depth. Please continue to provide that data.

Regards,

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