Results for street conditions were mixed. The need for both minor and major repairs increased. Reports of minor accumulations of trash, litter or junk on streets or property declined drastically, while there was a slight increase in the report of major accumulations of trash, litter or junk (see Table 1).

To access the full report (as well as the 1996 report), visit the American Housing Survey Web page at www.census.gov/prod/www/abs/h170sma.html.

**Indiana Business Diversity**

DiversityBusiness.com, a leading multicultural business resource portal that links large organizational buyers and multicultural business owners, publishes an annual list of the nation’s top diversity-owned and small businesses. Minority- and women-owned business and small-business owners vote for the companies they believe provide the best support to the diversity business community.

Table 2 shows the top five Indiana businesses for 2004 in each category. The complete list is available at www.diversitybusiness.com/Resources/DivLists/2004/.

**ACS Online Guide**

The Census Bureau has released an online guide about the newest data products, including the first in a series of analytic reports that are being introduced starting with the August 30th data release for the 2004 American Community Survey (ACS). The guide is aimed at both experienced ACS data users and those new to the ACS, including tools to help data users quickly locate the geographic areas in a state for which 2004 ACS estimates will be published, locate and compare the changes between the new base table(s) (also known as detailed tables) and base tables from past years, and locate all the base tables for a specific topic.

For each new base table, there is also a link to the table layout so the user can see exactly how the table will appear in American FactFinder.

In addition to the tools, there are several useful documents that should be of interest to both new and experienced ACS data users. These documents are in a hyperlink list on the main page of the 2004 Guide to the new ACS Data Products and may be found at www.census.gov/acs/www/Products/users_guide/index.htm.

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