| Phrase from US<br>Constitution's<br>Preamble  | Rephrase statement<br>in your own words | Write an example of<br>the idea in action in<br>America today | Non-example (the<br>opposite) of this<br>idea in America<br>today |
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| We the people of the<br>United States,        |   |   |   |
| <i>in order to form a more perfect union,</i> |   |   |   |
| establish justice,                            |   |   |   |
| insure domestic<br>tranquility,               |   |   |   |
| provide for the common defense,               |   |   |   |
| promote the general welfare,                  |   |   |   |
| secure the blessings of liberty               |   |   |   |

to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

Names: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_,

Rank the purposes of government in order of personal importance with number one as the most significant, and number six as being the least significant.

| Purposes of<br>Government              | Rank of Importance |
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