



July 18, 2016

Host: Magnolia Community Initiative

Location: 1910 Magnolia Ave., LA 90017

DAYS OF DIALOGUE IS... FACILITATED DIALOGUE

- *Structured Conversation*
- *The facilitator acts as a **moderator**, rather than a leader and is always neutral*
- *The purpose is to share **Thoughts, Feelings, and Experiences** in a safe and confidential space*

DIALOGUE PARTICIPANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO...

- Express your *opinions*
- *Listen* to others
- Give *everyone* a chance to speak
- Respect the *ground rules*
- *Respect* each other

GROUND RULES

- Speak openly and *honestly*
- *Listen* carefully and respectfully to each person
- Keep comments *brief* and stay focused on task
- Explore differences *respectfully* and look for common ground
- *Trust* that the facilitator has the best interest of the group at heart
- *Silence* cell phones
- Be *respectful* of the opinions of others

SOCIAL MEDIA



@DaysofDialogue



**Facebook.com/
DaysofDialogueLA**

#FutureofPolicing

Comments? **DODcomments@gmail.com**

**DAYS OF
DIALOGUE**
ON **THE FUTURE
OF POLICING**

TOTAL PARTICIPANTS

Total 52

41 Community Participants

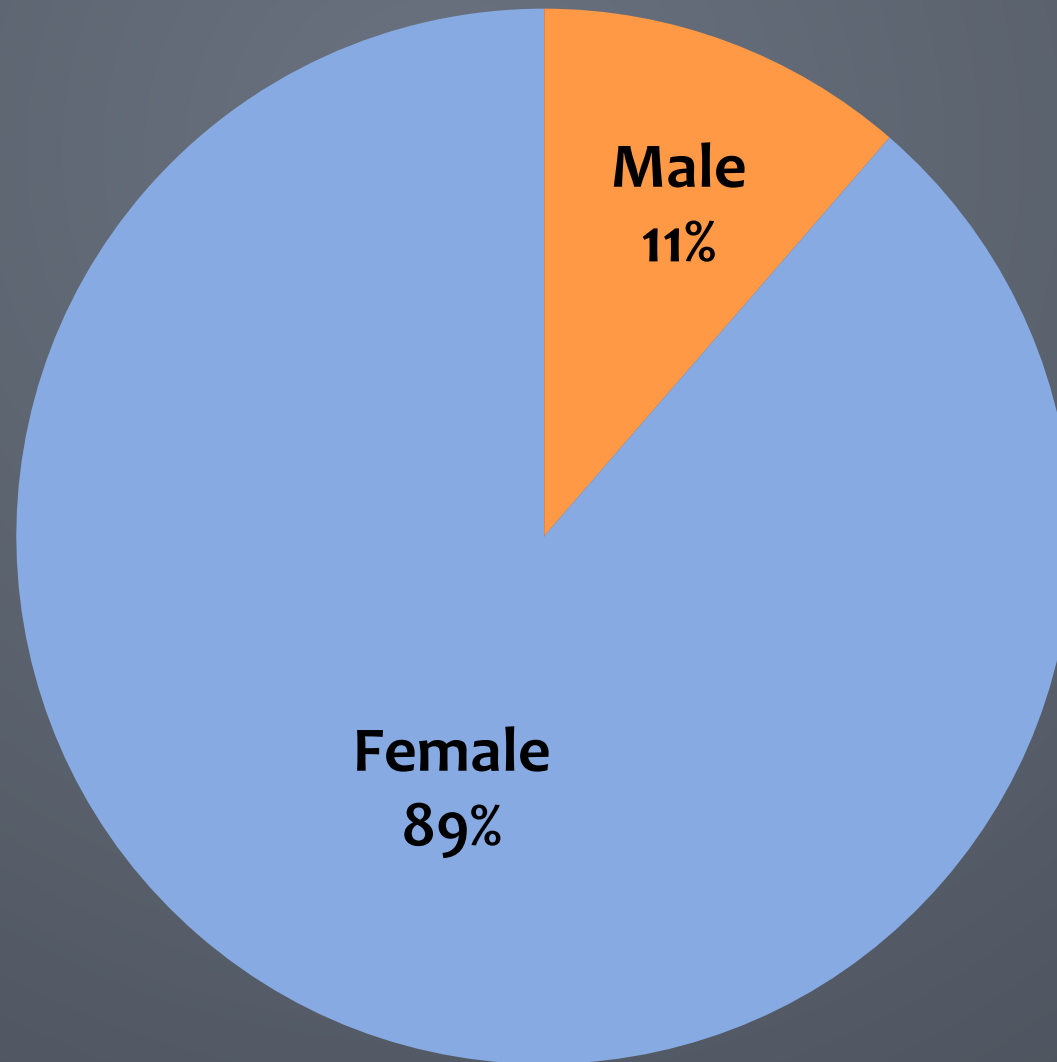
6 Law Enforcement

5 Facilitators

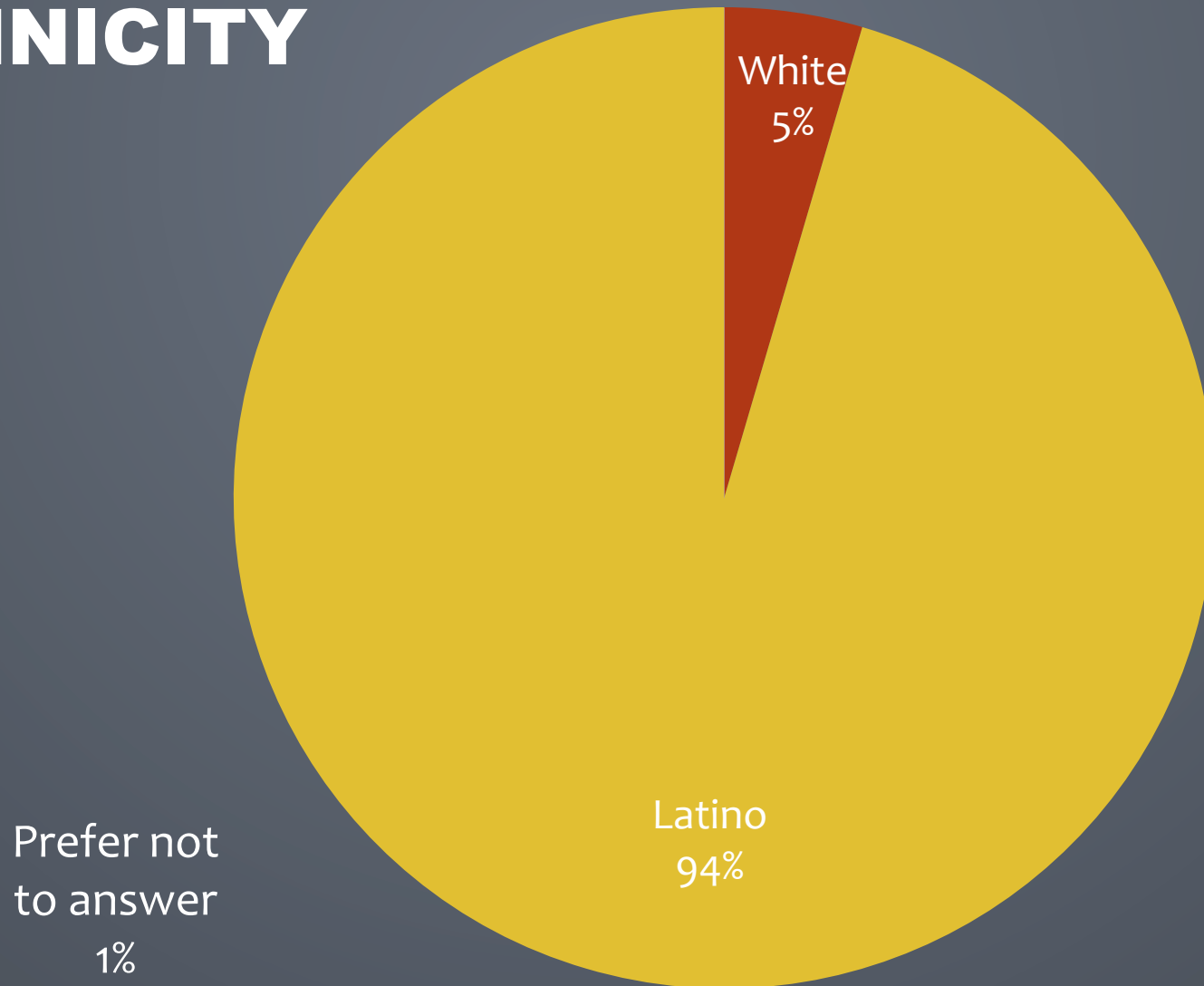
PRE-DIALOGUE SURVEY RESULTS

44 *Survey Respondents*

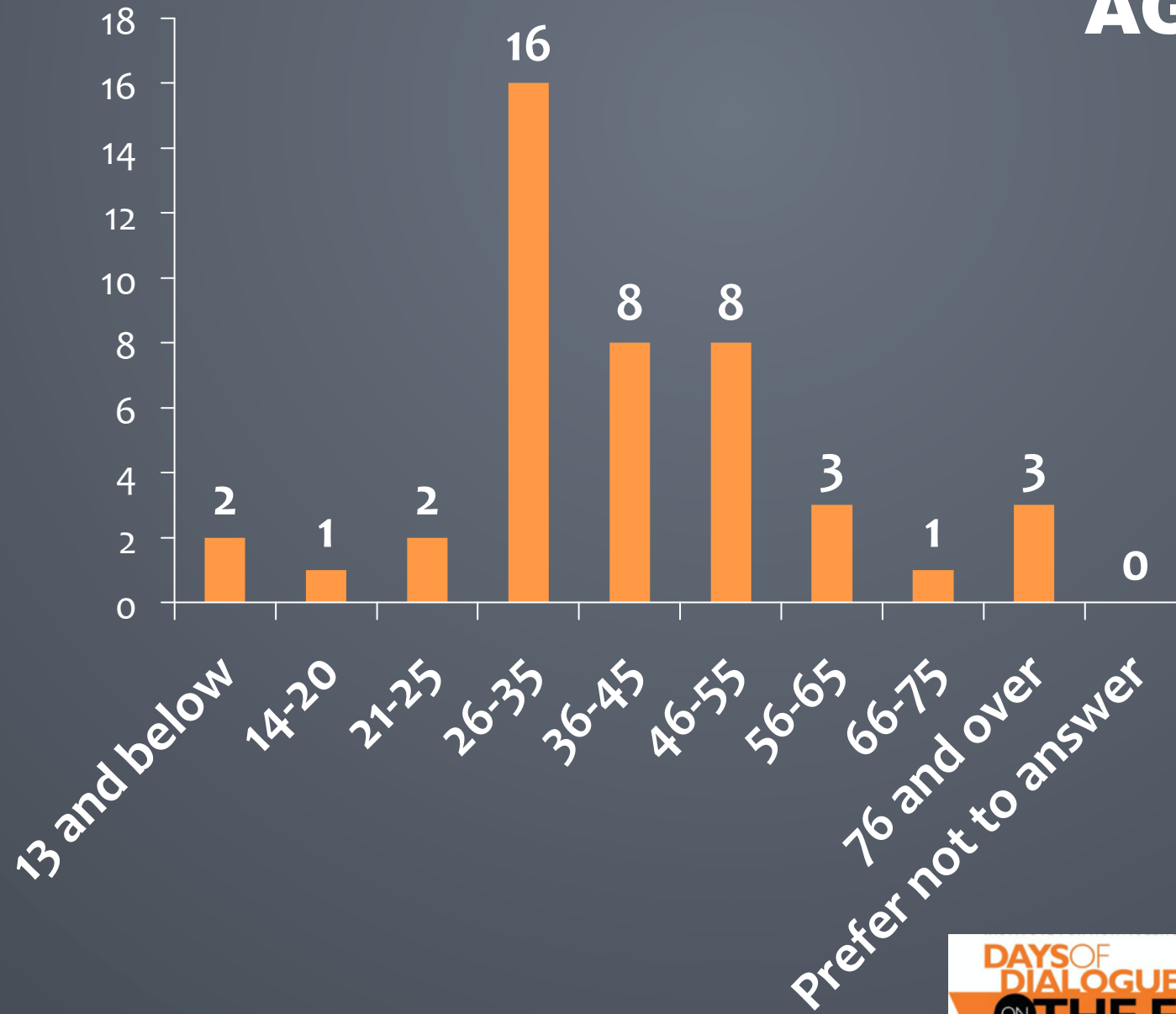
GENDER



ETHNICITY



AGE

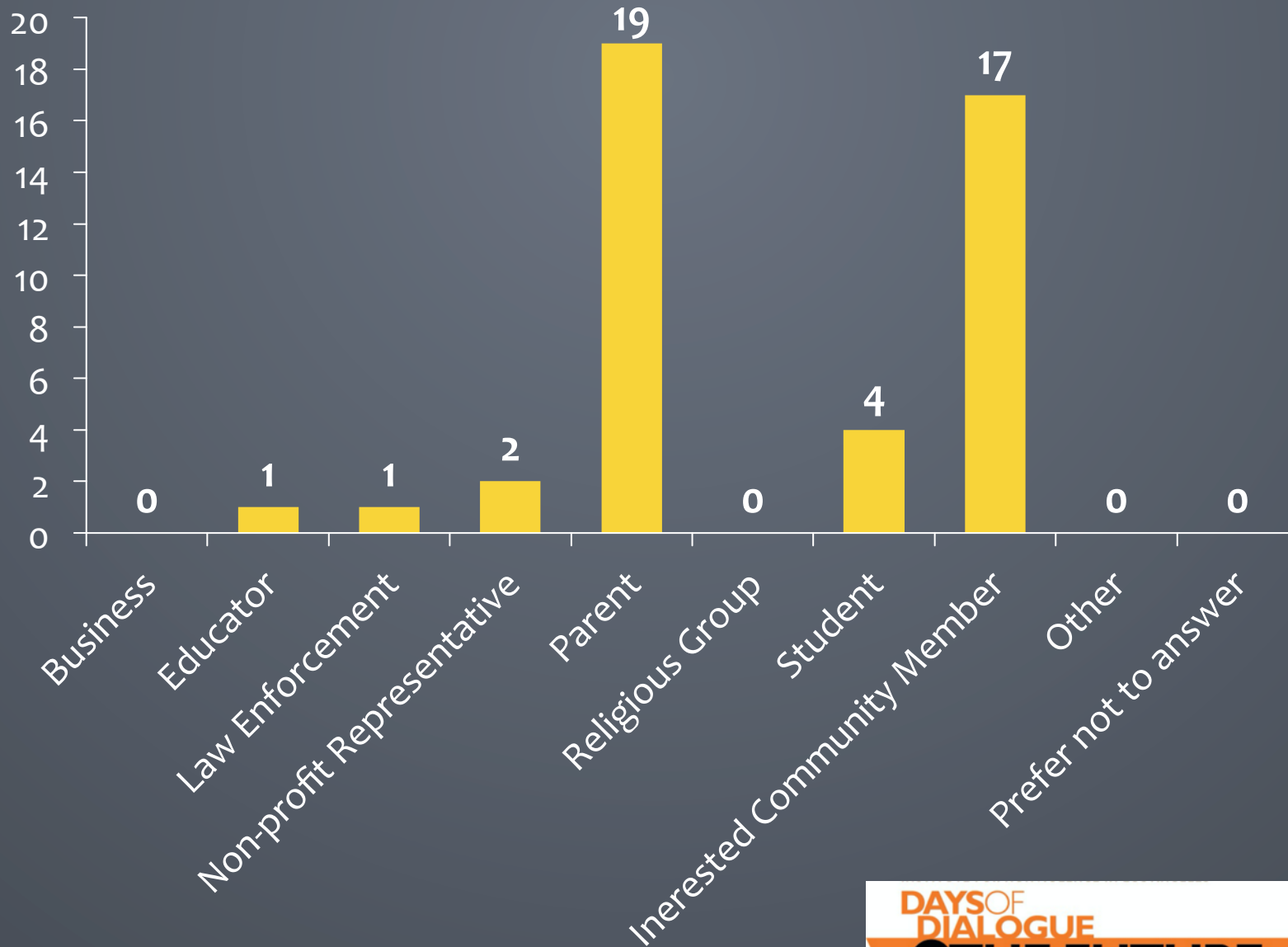


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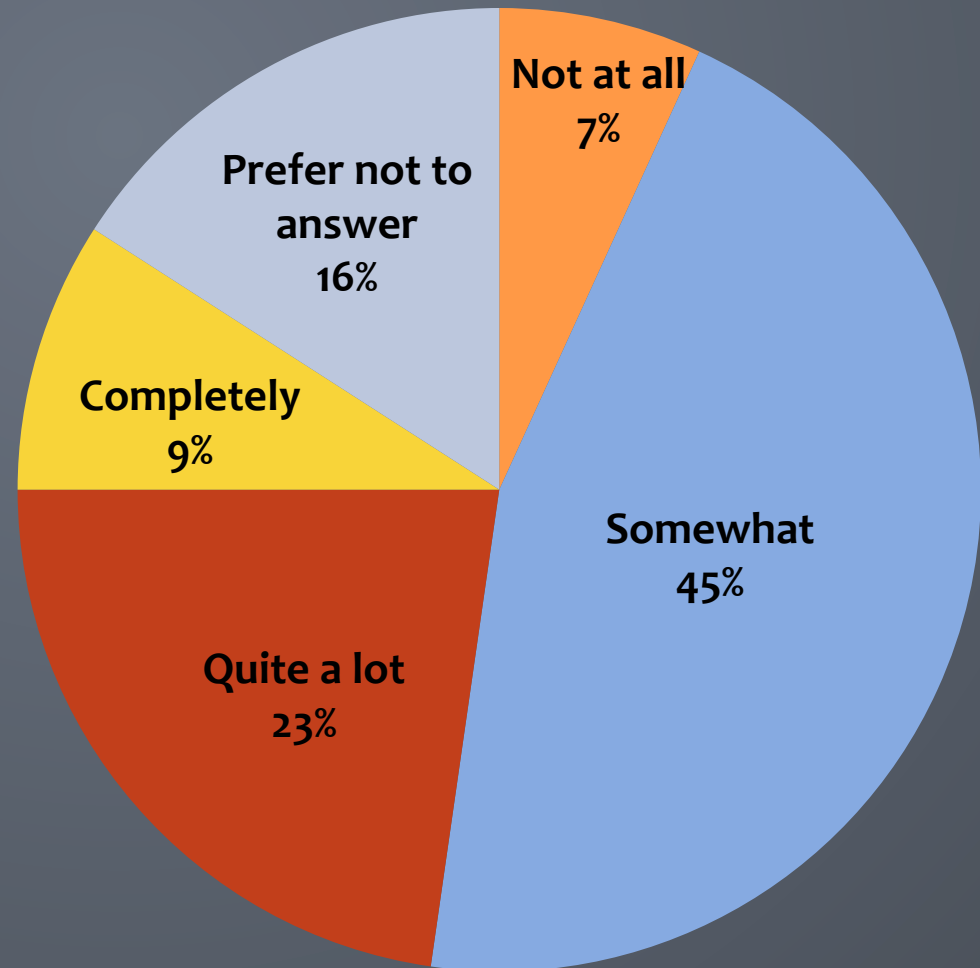
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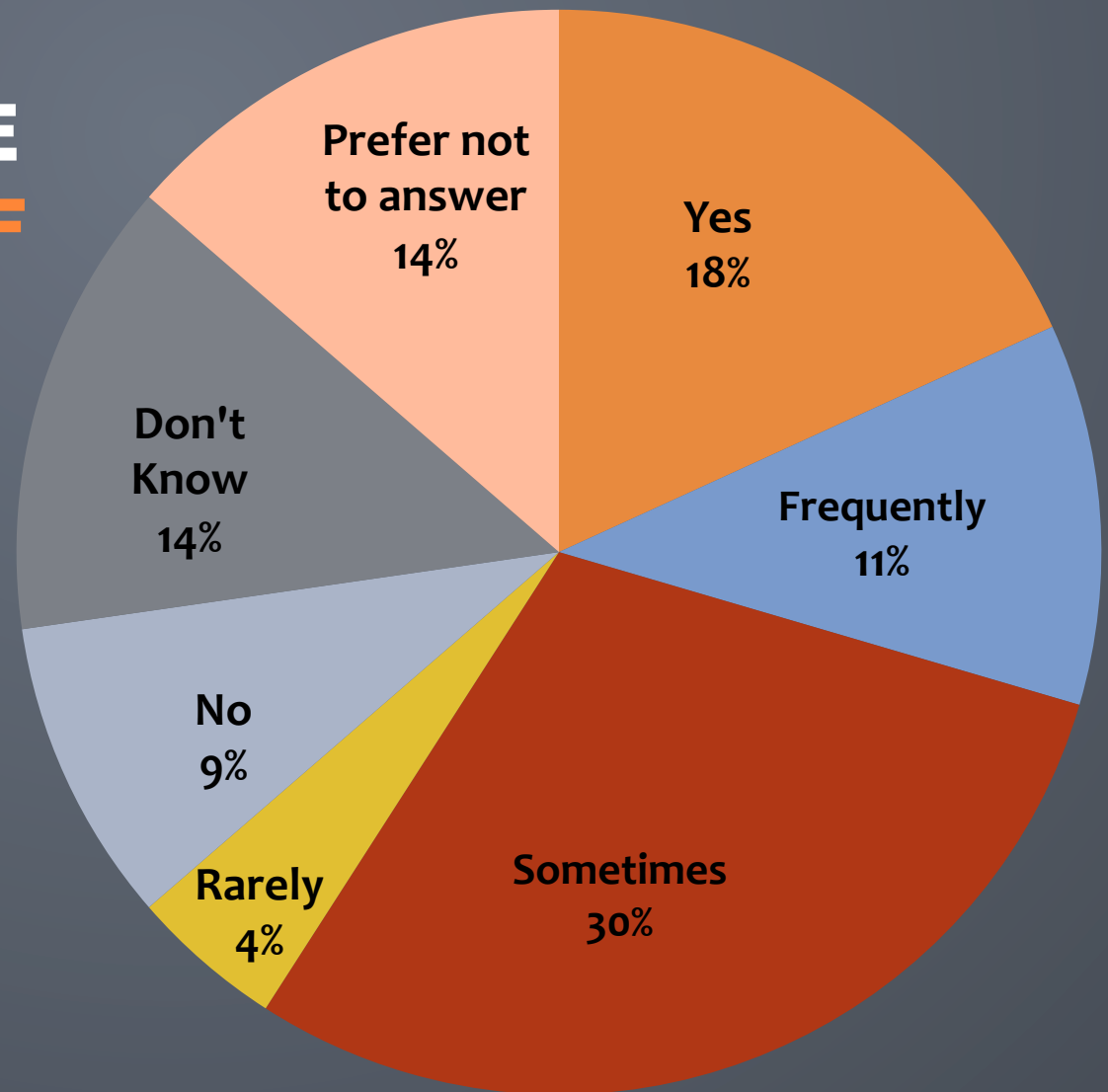
AFFILIATION



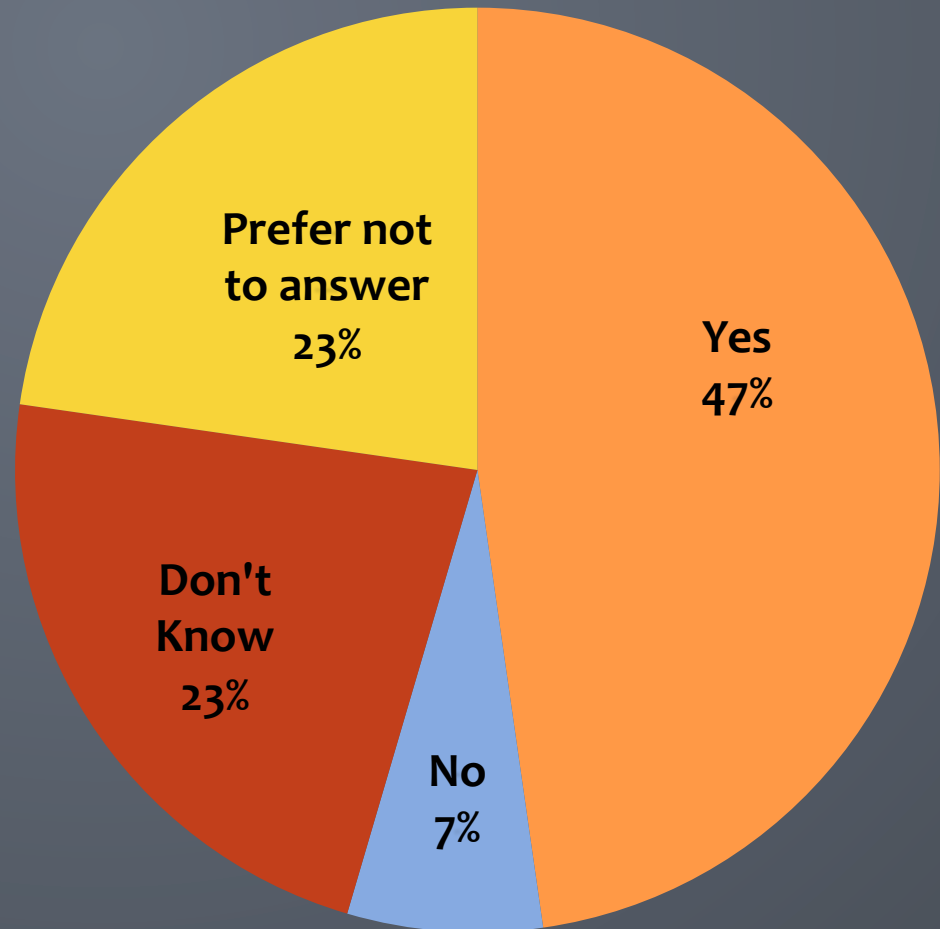
IS LAW ENFORCEMENT ADEQUATELY ADDRESSING THE CONCERNS OF THE COMMUNITY?



**DO YOU BELIEVE
THAT PEOPLE OF
COLOR ARE
CONSISTENTLY
TREATED LESS
FAIRLY BY
POLICE
OFFICERS THAN
ARE WHITES?**



**IF YOU ANSWERED
YES, FREQUENTLY,
OR SOMETIMES, DO
YOU BELIEVE THAT
LAW ENFORCEMENT
OFFICERS CAN
CHANGE THEIR
BEHAVIOR TO
CONSISTENTLY
TREAT PEOPLE OF
COLOR FAIRLY?**



Dialogue

Comments

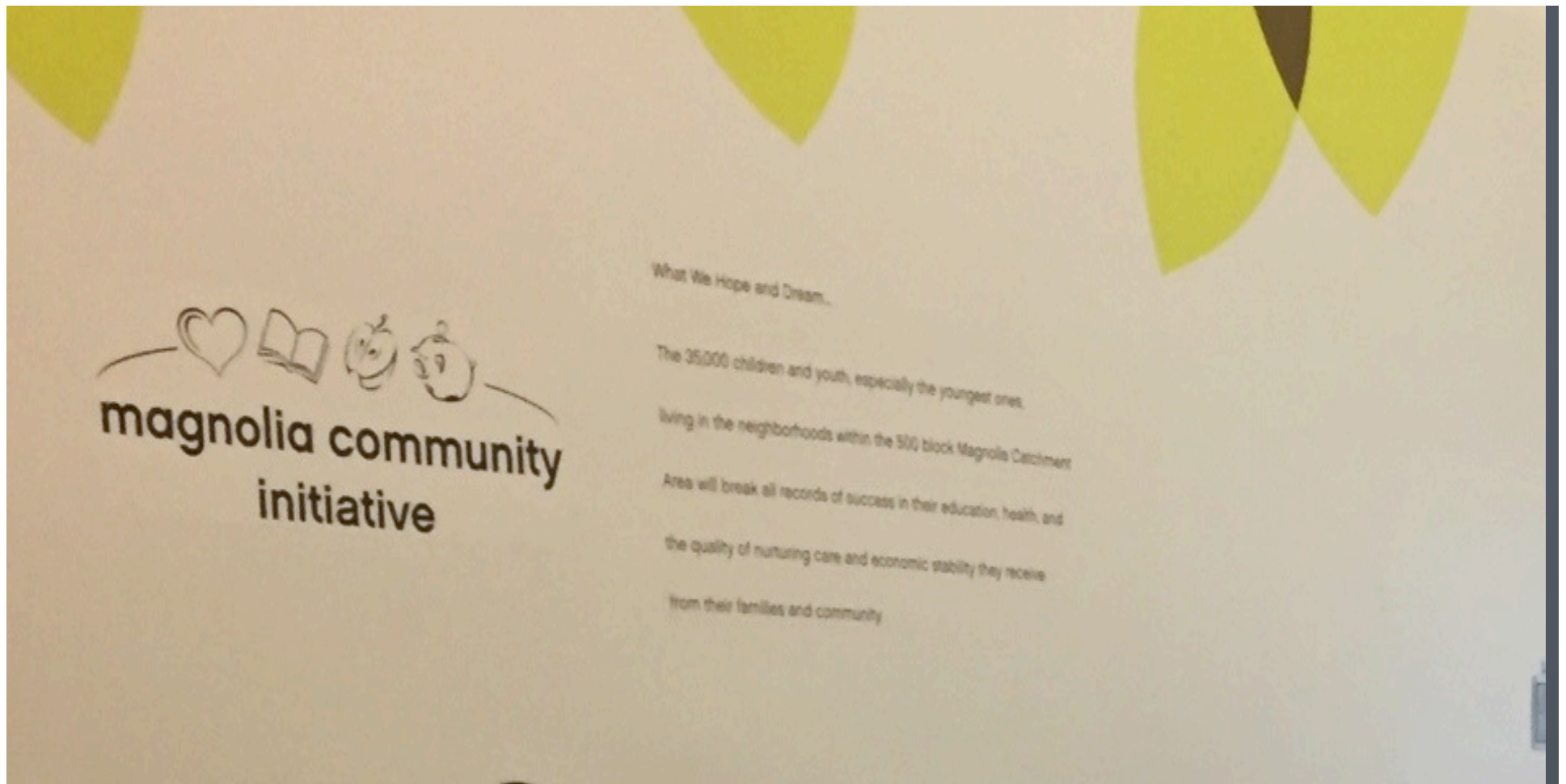
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Pictures

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Que se siguen haciendo estos diálogos en español para que la comunidad tenga la oportunidad de dar su punto de vista y escuchar diferentes tipos de opiniones y estar al día con toda las situaciones del momento.

Continue doing these dialogues in Spanish so that the community is able to give their opinion and listen to different types of opinions & to be up-to-date with the latest events.

Uno se siente
privilegiado de saber
que hay policíacos
escuchándonos

One feels privileged to
know that there are police
officers listening to us





Necesitamos más reuniones como estas y más participación de la parte de los agentes de Policía Principales (SLO)



We need more meetings
and more
Senior lead officer
involvement

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Queremos que
sepan que en esta
comunidad, tenemos
Neighborhood Watch,
estamos unidos y
nos estamos
educando cada día.

We want you to know
that in this community,
we have Neighborhood
Watch, we are united and
we are learning everyday



Personalmente, puedo entender ahora lo que los medios sociales están tratando de hacer, pero no veo que cosas buenas están haciendo.



Personally, I am now able to understand what the social media is trying to do, but I don't see what good things they [social media] are doing



Me gustaría tener mas confianza en y menos temor a los oficiales y a la policía en general.

I would like to have more confidence in and less fear of the police





Me gustaría que los policías cuando arrestan, o cuando una persona no se deje arrestar, que la policía no lo golpean. Mejor que lo choquean y les engañen.

I would like that when the police arrest someone, or a person doesn't let him/herself get arrested, that the police does not hit them. Better to taser them or trick them.



El diálogo estuvo muy bien y debería ser hecho mucho más seguido y abierto a muchas más comunidades.

The dialogue was very good and it should be done more often and be open to more communities.

Es una acción perfecta para ayudar a la comunidad.

It is the perfect activity to help the community



Creo que el establecer más diálogos y reuniones con la policía y la comunidad, ayudaría mas para que la comunidad este consciente de que nuestras reuniones nos llevaran al trato que nos den y entenderemos mejor como los oficiales hacen su trabajo.

I think that establishing more dialogues and meetings with the police and the community, would help the community be more conscious that theses meetings will establish the treatment we receive and we would understand better how the police do their work.





**Foros
para establecer
más y mejor
comunicación**

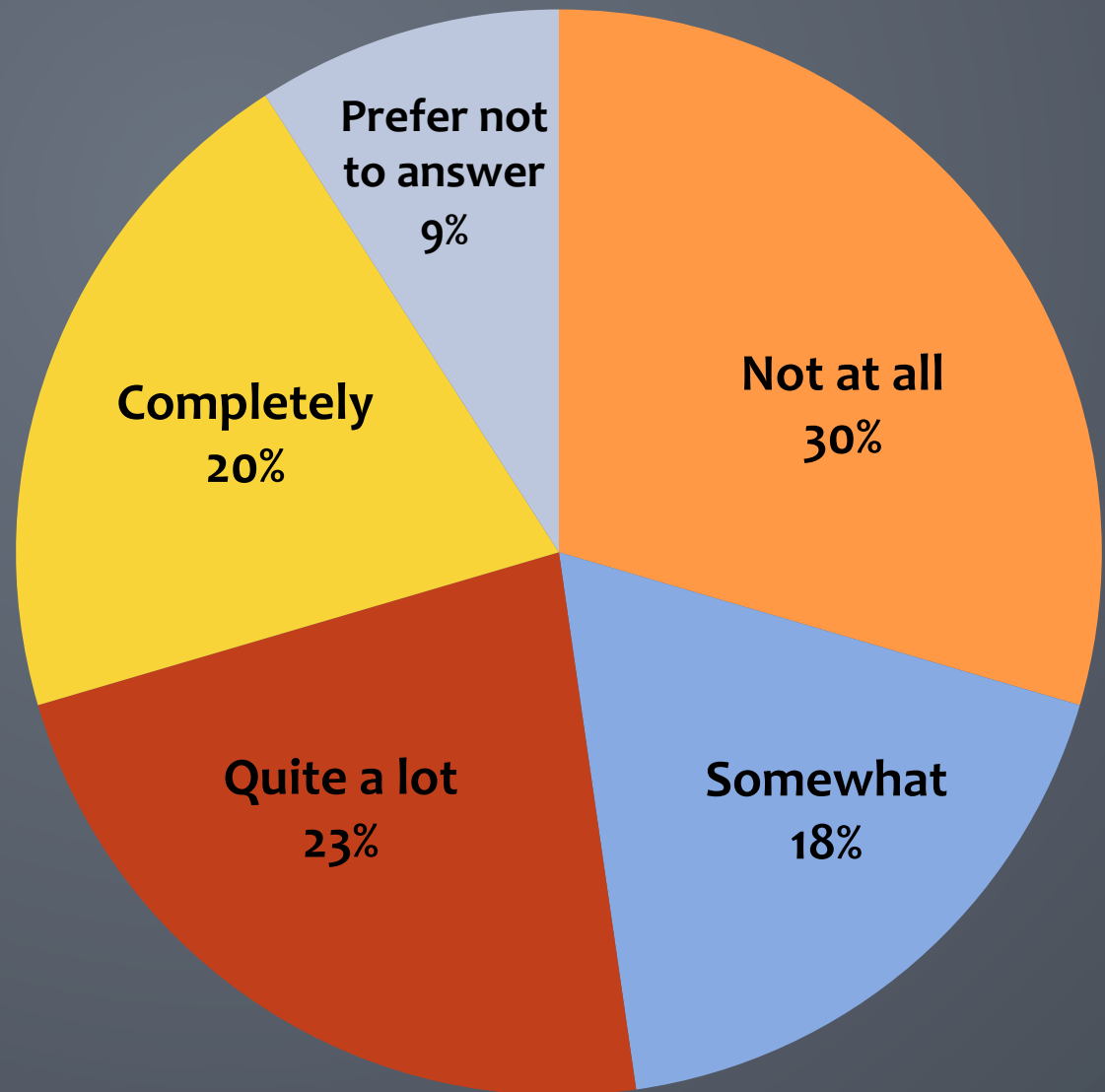
Forums
to establish more
and better
communication



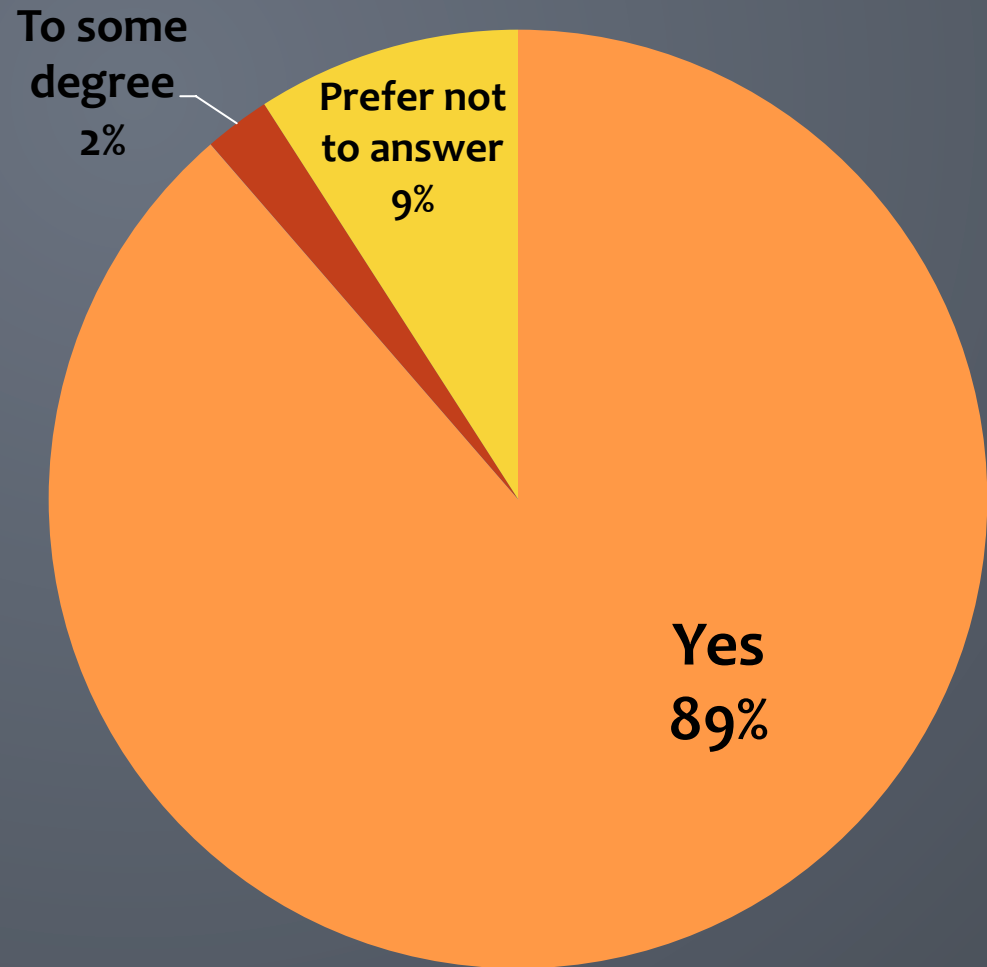
POST-DIALOGUE SURVEY RESULTS

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**HAVE YOUR
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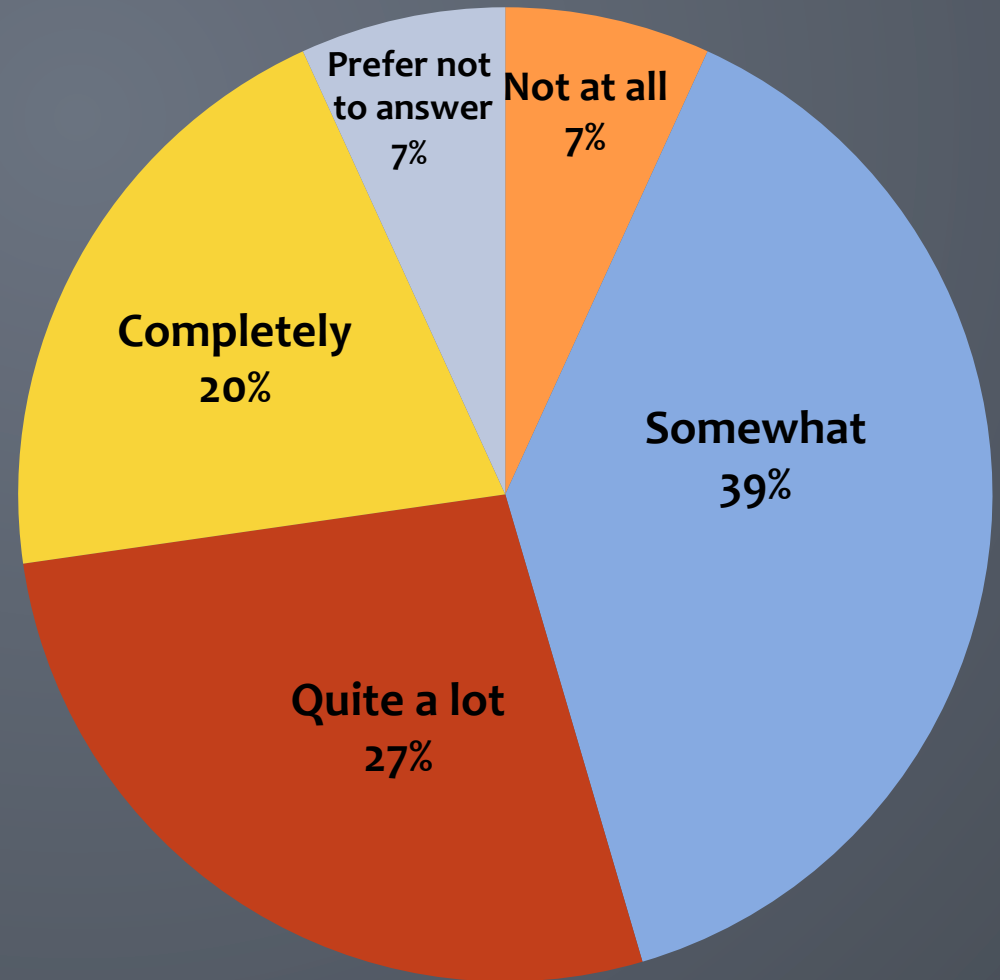
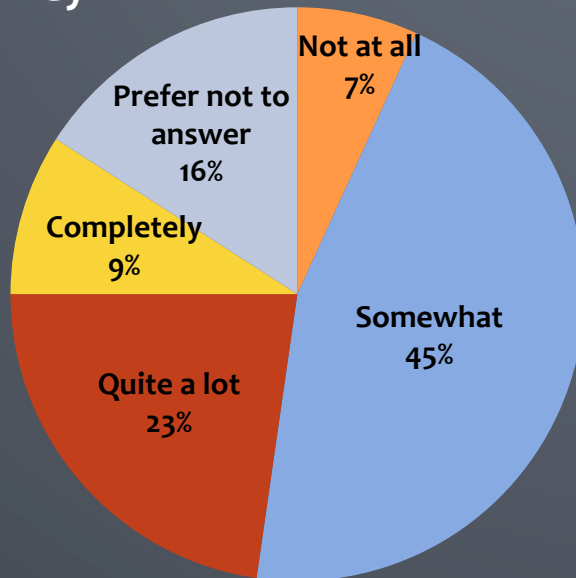


**DO YOU THINK
THAT **THE
PROCESS OF
DIALOGUE IS
BENEFICIAL IN
ADDRESSING
IMPORTANT
ISSUES IN OUR
COMMUNITY?****



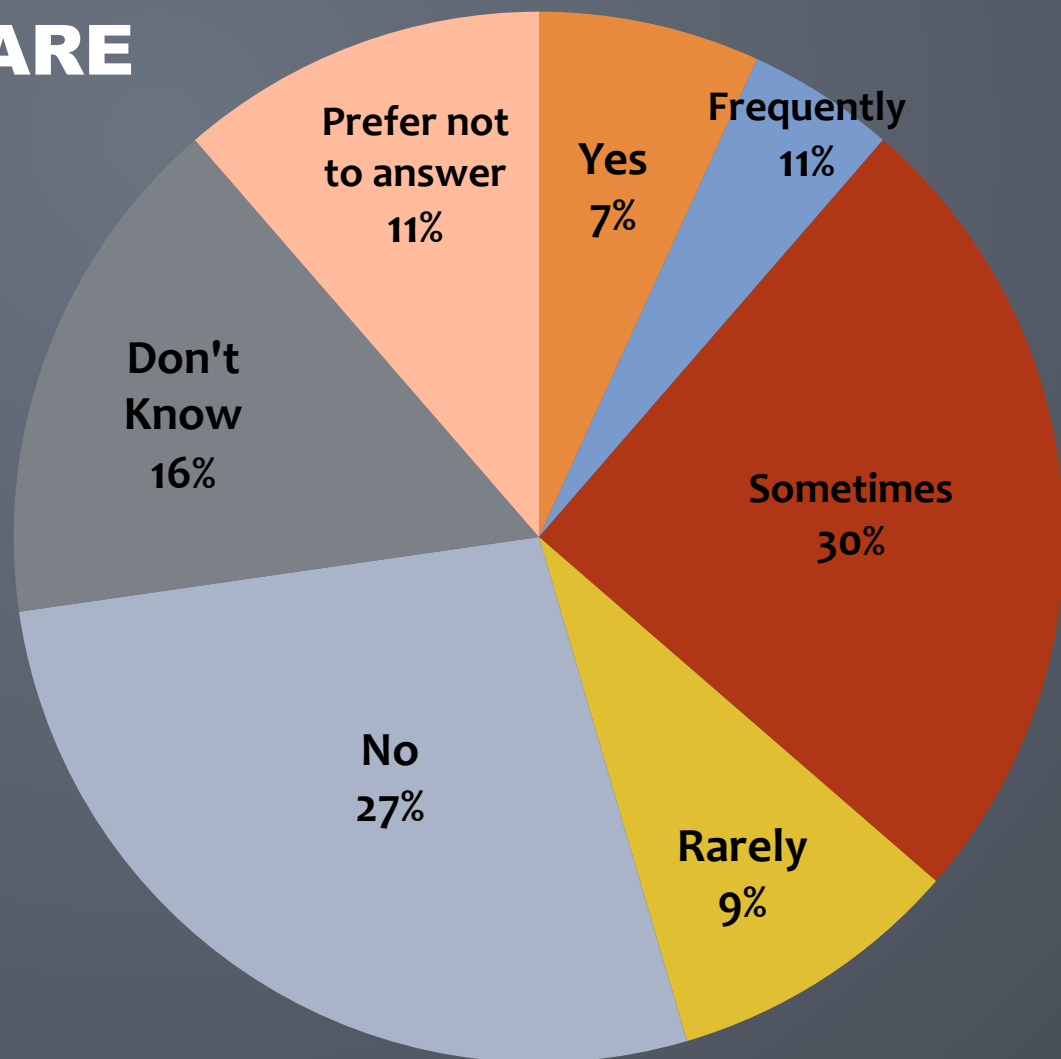
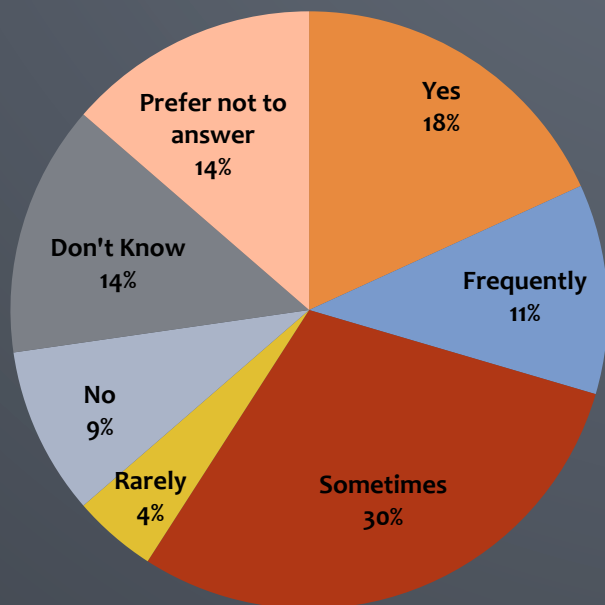
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Pre survey:



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Pre survey:



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WHAT, IF ANY, **ACTION(S)** DO YOU EXPECT TO TAKE AS A RESULT OF THIS DIALOGUE?



**THANK YOU
TO TODAY'S
VOLUNTEER
FACILITATORS**

- *Audrey Jadlii, Lead*
- *Andrea Martinez Gonzalez*
- *Cynthia Sanchez*
- *Nathaly Medina*
- *Stephano Medina*

THANK YOU

HOSTS

Law Enforcement
Magnolia Community Initiative

ALL WHO TOOK PART

Community Members
Dialogue Facilitators
Activists and Visitors

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SPONSORS

- Ambassador Frank E. Baxter
- California Community Foundation
- California Endowment
- California Nurses Association
- Councilmember Curren Price Jr.
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- Council President Herb Wesson
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- Dakota Communications
- Fox Entertainment Group
- IBEW Local 18
- Immaculate Heart Community
- LA Police Protective League
- Manatt, Phelps, & Phillips, LLP
- McKissack & McKissack
- NBC Universal
- SEIU ULTCW
- SEIU Local 99
- Sony Pictures
- Southern California Gas Company
- Time Warner Cable

(As of August 10, 2015)

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**NEXT DAY OF DIALOGUE ON THE
FUTURE OF POLICING:**

July 23, 2016

Hosted by

the Empowerment Congress

*Mark Ridley Thomas' Constituent Services Office
in Exposition Park*

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