

INSTITUTE FOR NONVIOLENCE IN LOS ANGELES  
AND DAYS OF DIALOGUE

**Tuesday, June 27, 2017**

**Host**

**LA County Sheriff's Department  
Palmdale Station**

**Location**

**3850 Avenue S  
Palmdale, CA 93550**



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# 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



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**DAYS OF  
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ON **THE FUTURE  
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# TOTAL PARTICIPANTS

**Total: 89**

**55 Community Participants\***

*\*15 SPANISH SPEAKING, 40 ENGLISH SPEAKING*

**25 LA County Sheriffs**

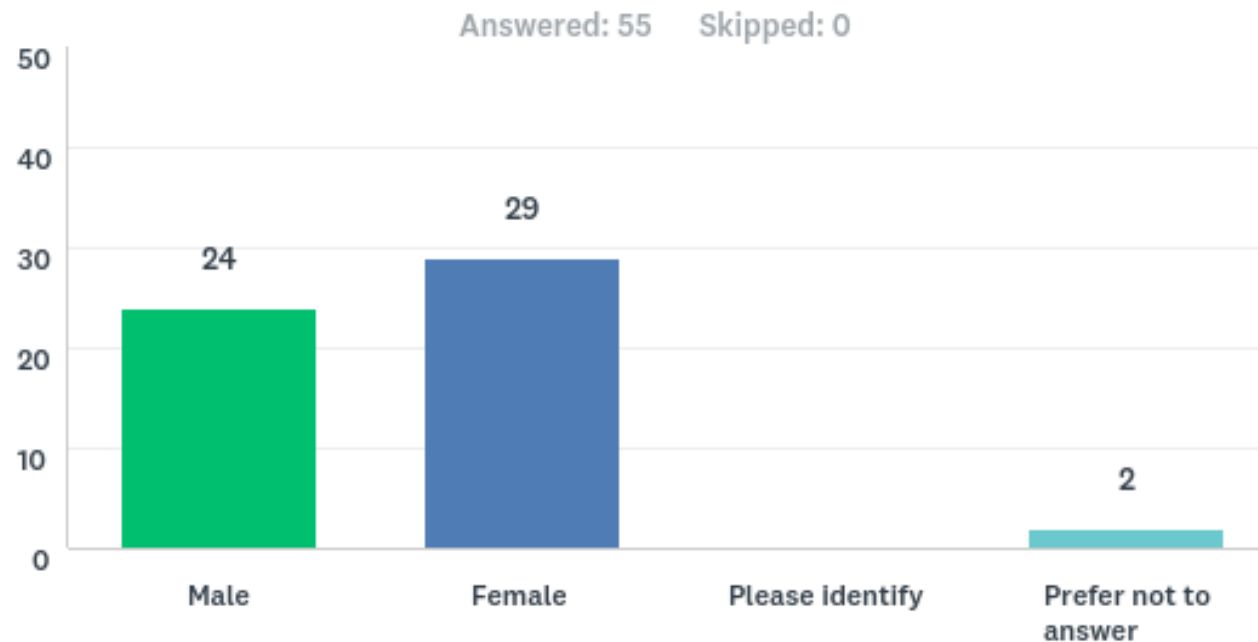
**9 Facilitators**

# PRE-DIALOGUE SURVEY RESULTS

55 *Survey Respondents*

# GENDER

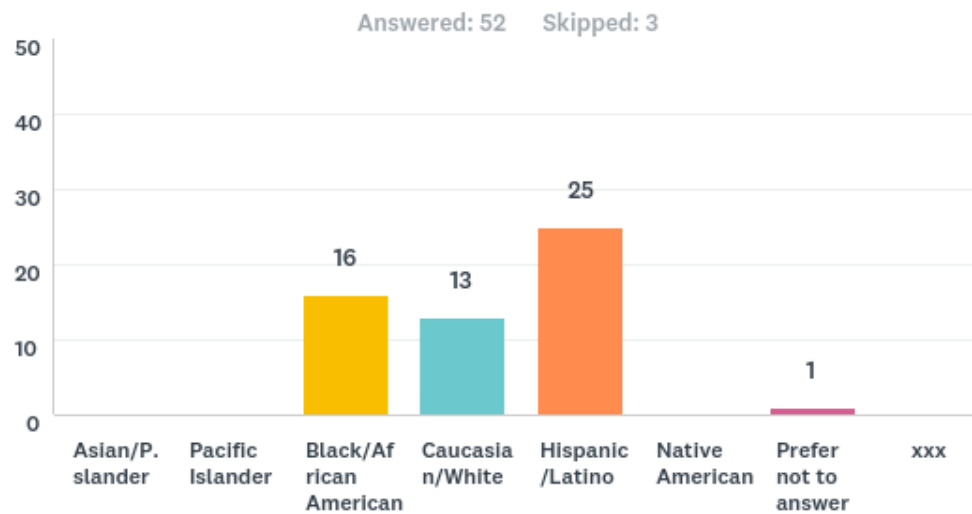
## 1) What is your GENDER?





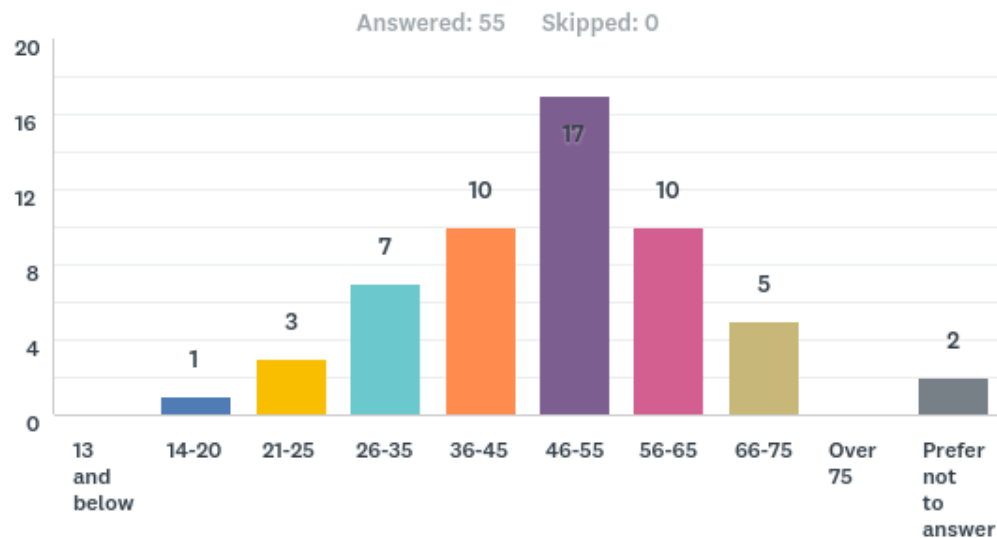
# ETHNICITY

## 2) What is your Ethnicity? MARK ALL THAT APPLY



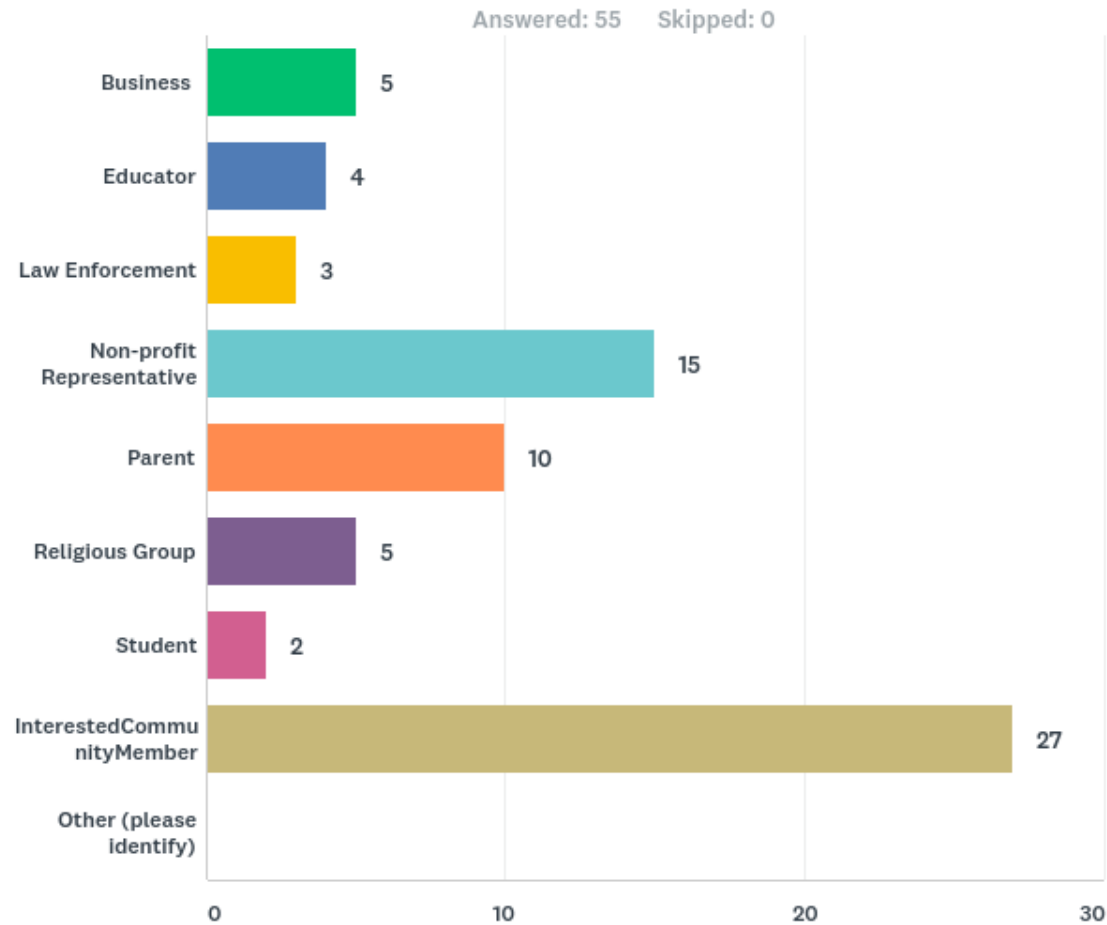
# AGE

## 3) What is your AGE?



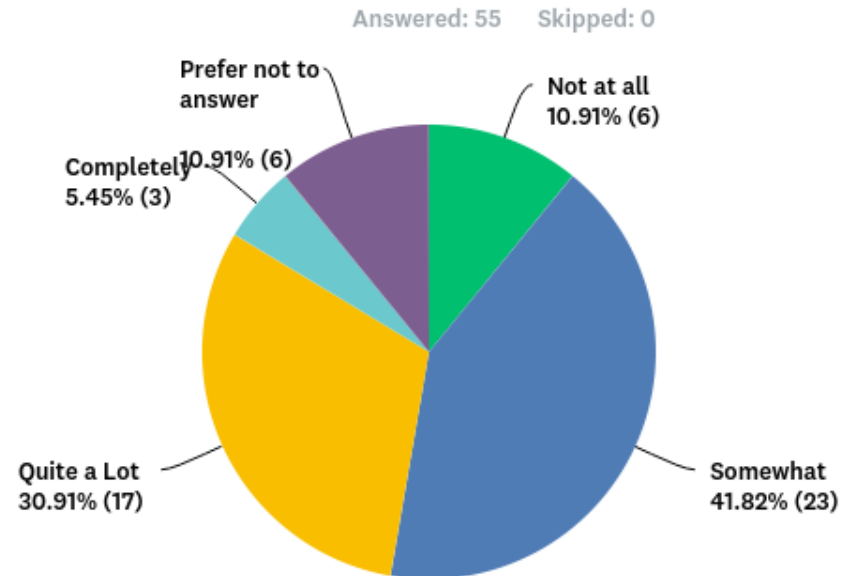
# AFFILIATION

## 4) What is your AFFILIATION?



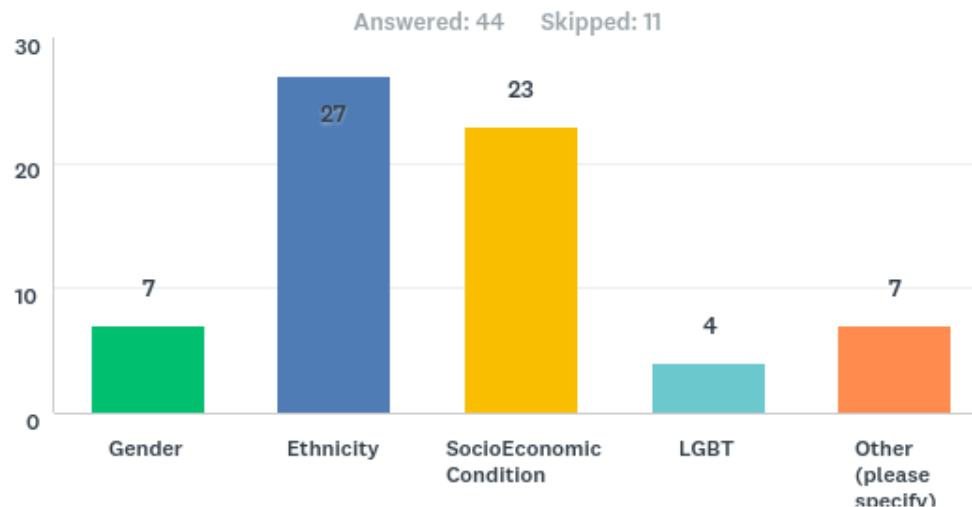
# IS LAW ENFORCEMENT **ADEQUATELY ADDRESSING** THE **CONCERNS** OF THE COMMUNITY?

5) Is law enforcement adequately addressing the concerns of the community?



# DO YOU BELIEVE THAT LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS **TREAT** ANY OF THE FOLLOWING **COMMUNITY GROUPS** LESS FAIRLY?

6) Do you believe that Law Enforcement Officers treat any of the following community groups less fairly?



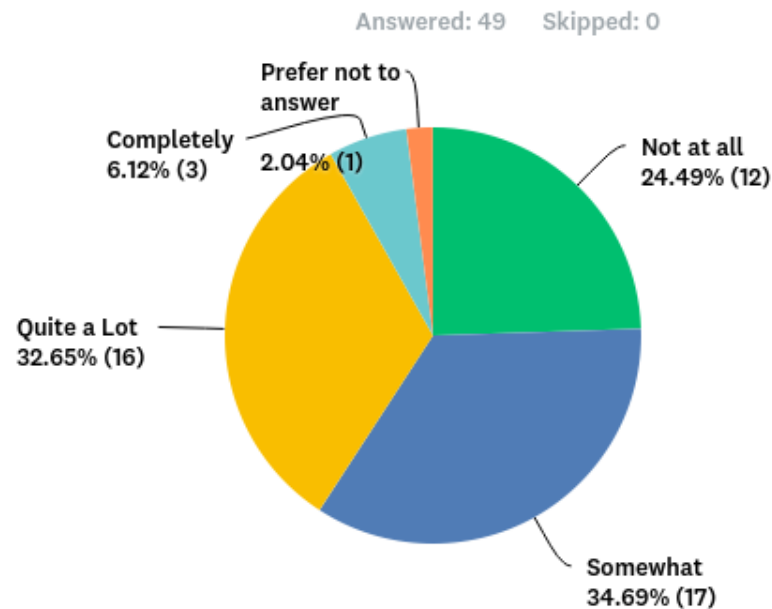
# POST-DIALOGUE SURVEY RESULTS

49 Respondents



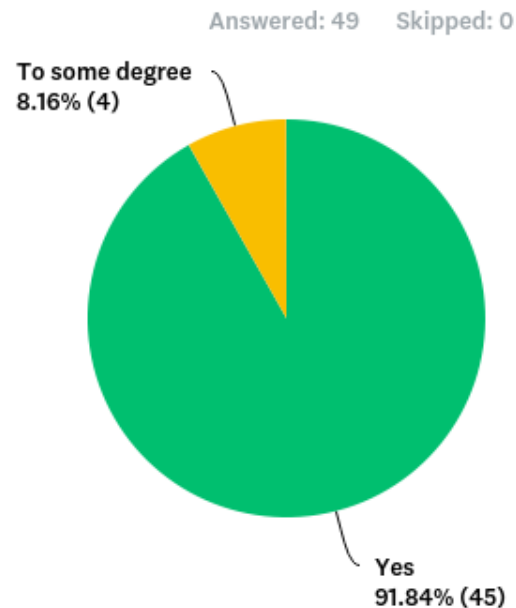
# HAVE YOUR **OPINIONS CHANGED** AS A RESULT OF **THIS DIALOGUE?**

1) Have your opinions changed as a result of this Dialogue?

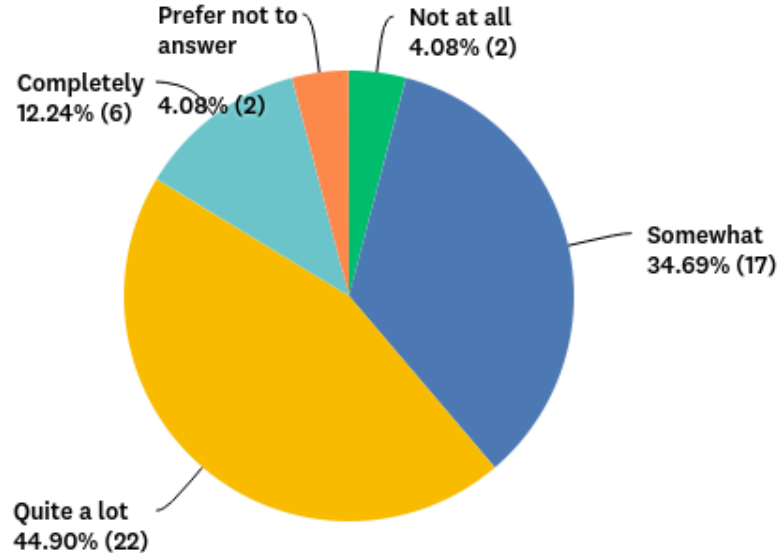


# DO YOU THINK THAT **THE PROCESS OF DIALOGUE** IS BENEFICIAL IN ADDRESSING **IMPORTANT ISSUES** IN OUR COMMUNITY?

2) Do you think that the process of dialogue is beneficial in addressing important issues in our community?

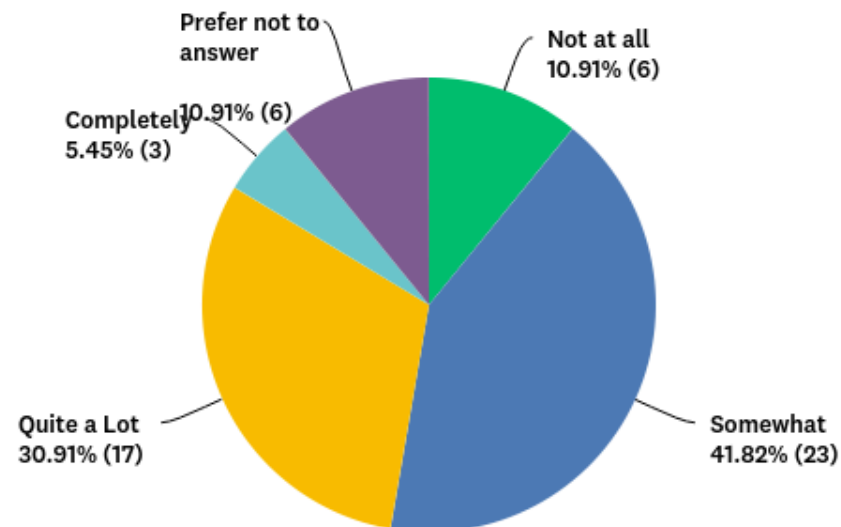


## Post survey:

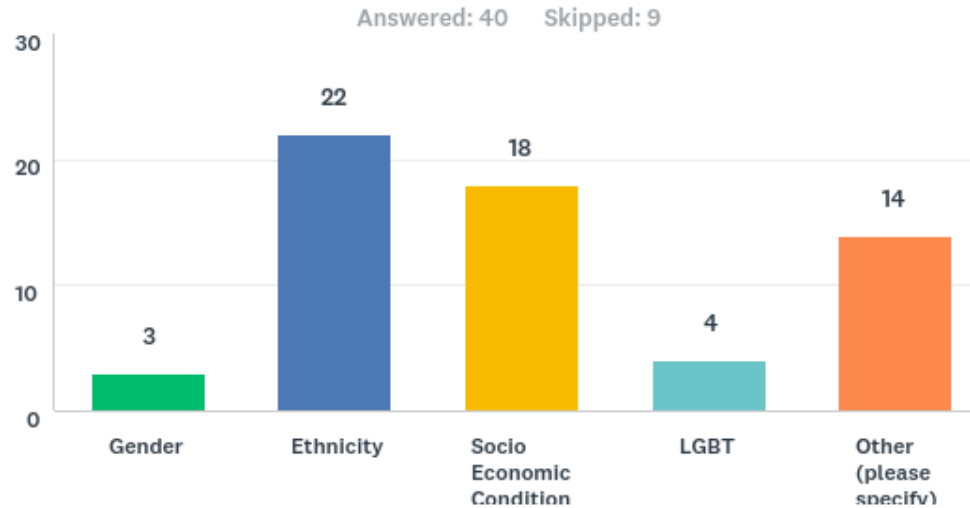


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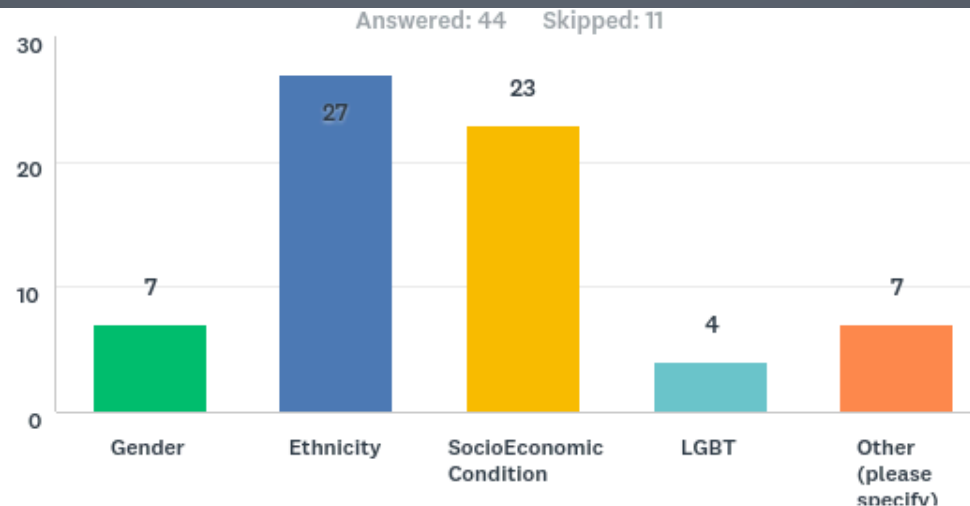


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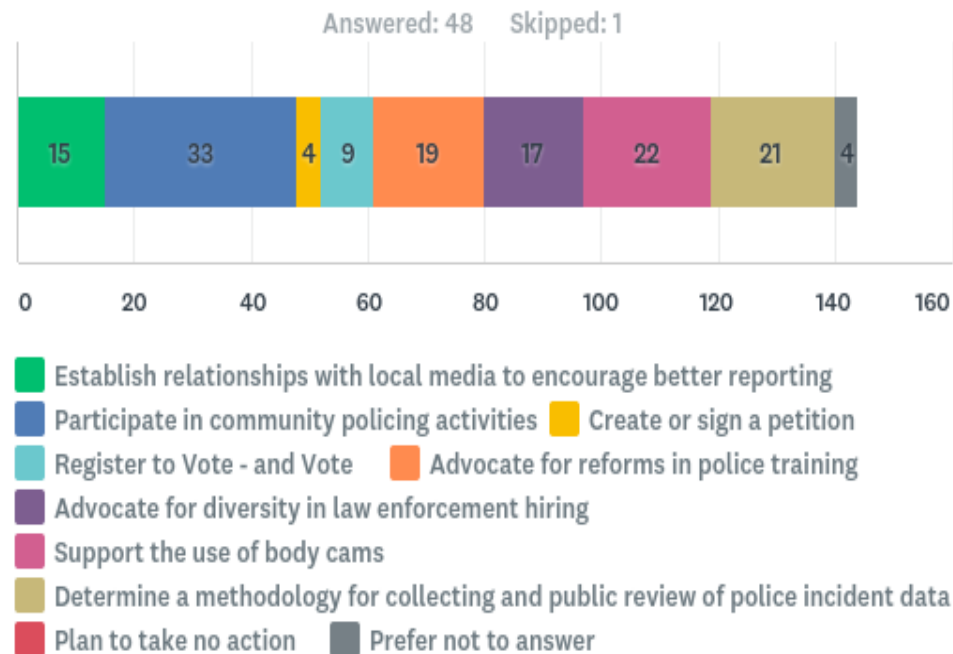
**DO YOU BELIEVE THAT PEOPLE OF COLOR ARE CONSISTENTLY TREATED LESS FAIRLY BY POLICE OFFICERS THAN ARE WHITES?**

## Pre survey:



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

5) What, if any, action(s) do you expect to take as a result of this dialogue?  
MARK ALL THAT APPLY



**Dialogue**

**Comments**

**&**

**Pictures**

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Please continue to have town halls and similar events where dialogue and honest conversation can be had.



We need to give our future generation a real perspective on our law enforcement.



Law enforcement and citizens both need to take part in bettering the relationship between the two. It can't be one sided.



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Citizens need to be more involved with learning more about law enforcement and law enforcement needs to be more aware how they interact with citizens.



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Any & all types of "education" in the community is beneficial because there is a lot of ignorance and misunderstanding pertaining to law enforcement, discrimination, etc.

# Thank

# You...

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# THANK YOU TO TODAY'S VOLUNTEER FACILITATORS

- *Renata Valree, Lead*
- *Philip Adler*
- *Estera Borsca*
- *Ryan Bradford*
- *Carla Hawkins*
- *Jean Kling*
- *Pamela Perry*
- *Katrina Samuels*
- *Rashawn Woods*
- *Scott Martin*

**THANK YOU**

LA County Sheriff's Department,  
Palmdale Station  
and  
Community Participants

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(As of January 31, 2017)



# NEXT DAYS OF DIALOGUE ON THE FUTURE OF POLICING:

*July 27th, 2017*

*Hosted by: Los Angeles Job Corps*

*Location: 1020 S. Olive St, LA 90015*

*August 22nd, 2017*

*Hosted by: LAPD- Newton Community Station*

*Location: Israel Missionary Baptist Church*

*4501 Compton Ave, LA 90011*

*September 11st, 2017*

*Hosted by: Magnolia Community Initiative*

*Location: 1910 Magnolia Avenue, LA 90007*

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