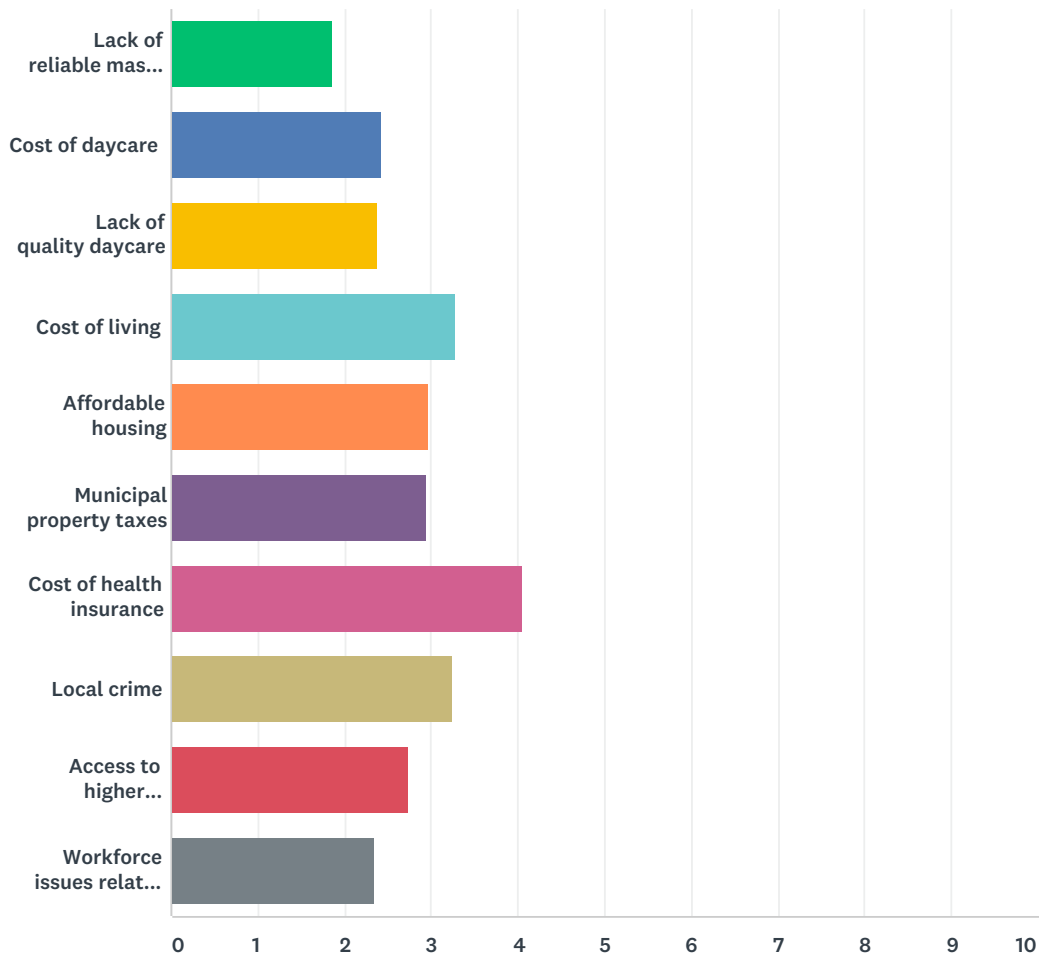


Q1 Rank, in order of priority, the top 5 factors that negatively affect your workforce:

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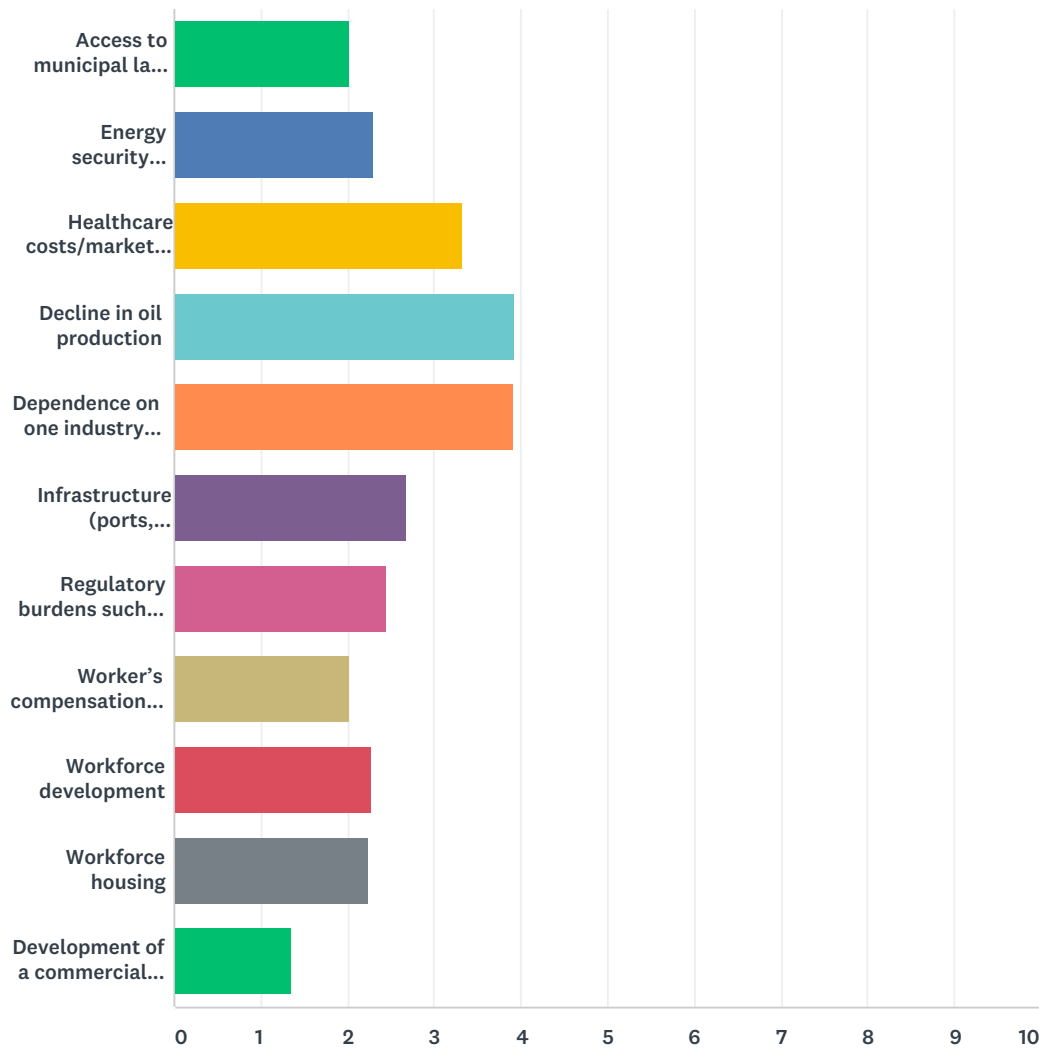
	LOWEST	(NO LABEL)	(NO LABEL)	(NO LABEL)	HIGHEST	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Lack of reliable mass transit	59.57% 28	19.15% 9	4.26% 2	8.51% 4	8.51% 4	47	1.87
Cost of daycare	22.22% 14	39.68% 25	20.63% 13	7.94% 5	9.52% 6	63	2.43
Lack of quality daycare	24.14% 7	31.03% 9	27.59% 8	17.24% 5	0.00% 0	29	2.38
Cost of living	9.09% 9	19.19% 19	27.27% 27	23.23% 23	21.21% 21	99	3.28
Affordable housing	14.74% 14	27.37% 26	21.05% 20	18.95% 18	17.89% 17	95	2.98
Municipal property taxes	12.00% 6	24.00% 12	28.00% 14	28.00% 14	8.00% 4	50	2.96
Cost of health insurance	4.81% 5	7.69% 8	13.46% 14	25.00% 26	49.04% 51	104	4.06

Local crime	17.78% 16	13.33% 12	17.78% 16	28.89% 26	22.22% 20	90	3.24
Access to higher education/training/certification	25.81% 8	22.58% 7	22.58% 7	9.68% 3	19.35% 6	31	2.74
Workforce issues related to marijuana legalization	48.28% 14	3.45% 1	24.14% 7	13.79% 4	10.34% 3	29	2.34

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Lack of a State budget resulting in workforce leaving Alaska	10/24/2017 1:27 PM
2	Lack of reliable transportation (number 5)	10/16/2017 6:03 PM
3	Worry about the failing economy and housing values	10/16/2017 11:07 AM
4	LACK OF STABILITY for Alaska's Economy	10/16/2017 10:27 AM
5	Economy	10/16/2017 9:17 AM
6	impacts of legal marijuana not realized yet. local crime is a tie for first	10/11/2017 8:49 AM
7	Shallow labor pool,difficulty in attracting talent	10/10/2017 5:04 PM
8	N/A	10/9/2017 9:05 PM
9	Alcohol and Drugs are the two highest factors	10/9/2017 1:04 PM
10	The poor road maintenance last winter would be highest.	10/9/2017 10:07 AM

Q2 Rank, in order of priority, the top 5 most important economic issues facing Alaska today:

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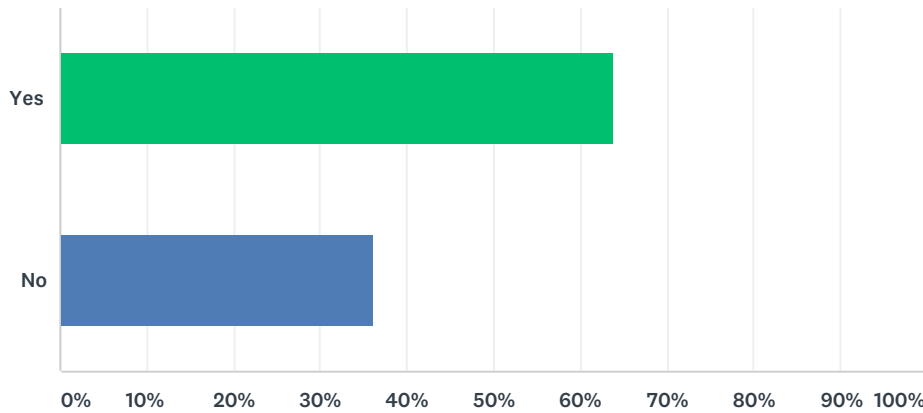


	LOWEST	(NO LABEL)	(NO LABEL)	(NO LABEL)	HIGHEST	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Access to municipal lands for housing, commercial development	43.33% 13	23.33% 7	23.33% 7	6.67% 2	3.33% 1	30	2.03
Energy security (keeping the lights on and our homes warm)	36.54% 19	25.00% 13	15.38% 8	17.31% 9	5.77% 3	52	2.31
Healthcare costs/market uncertainty	9.35% 10	19.63% 21	24.30% 26	22.43% 24	24.30% 26	107	3.33
Decline in oil production	8.57% 9	5.71% 6	13.33% 14	27.62% 29	44.76% 47	105	3.94
Dependence on one industry to pay for majority of State services/Need to diversify economy	4.39% 5	8.77% 10	16.67% 19	30.70% 35	39.47% 45	114	3.92
Infrastructure (ports, bridges, roads)	15.12% 13	33.72% 29	26.74% 23	17.44% 15	6.98% 6	86	2.67

Regulatory burdens such as permitting and reporting requirements	32.79% 20	24.59% 15	16.39% 10	18.03% 11	8.20% 5	61	2.44
Worker's compensation costs	41.18% 14	23.53% 8	29.41% 10	2.94% 1	2.94% 1	34	2.03
Workforce development	33.33% 12	30.56% 11	16.67% 6	13.89% 5	5.56% 2	36	2.28
Workforce housing	24.00% 6	36.00% 9	32.00% 8	8.00% 2	0.00% 0	25	2.24
Development of a commercial marijuana industry	72.73% 8	18.18% 2	9.09% 1	0.00% 0	0.00% 0	11	1.36

Q3 Do you support further reductions in the State of Alaska budget before asking citizens and/or the business community to pay more in taxes?
 Note: In fiscal year 2016 the Budget (operating and capital, restricted and unrestricted) was \$12.125 billion, a 5% spending reduction represents \$606 million.

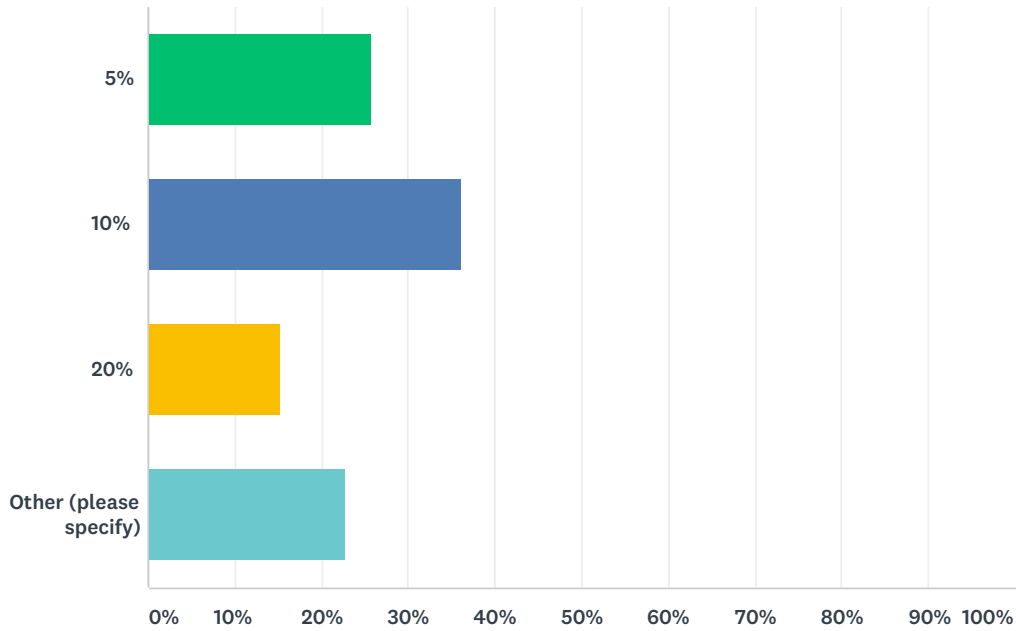
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ANSWER CHOICES		RESPONSES	
Yes		63.70%	86
No		36.30%	49
TOTAL			135

Q4 If you support a reduction in State spending, by how much should it be reduced?

Answered: 105 Skipped: 31



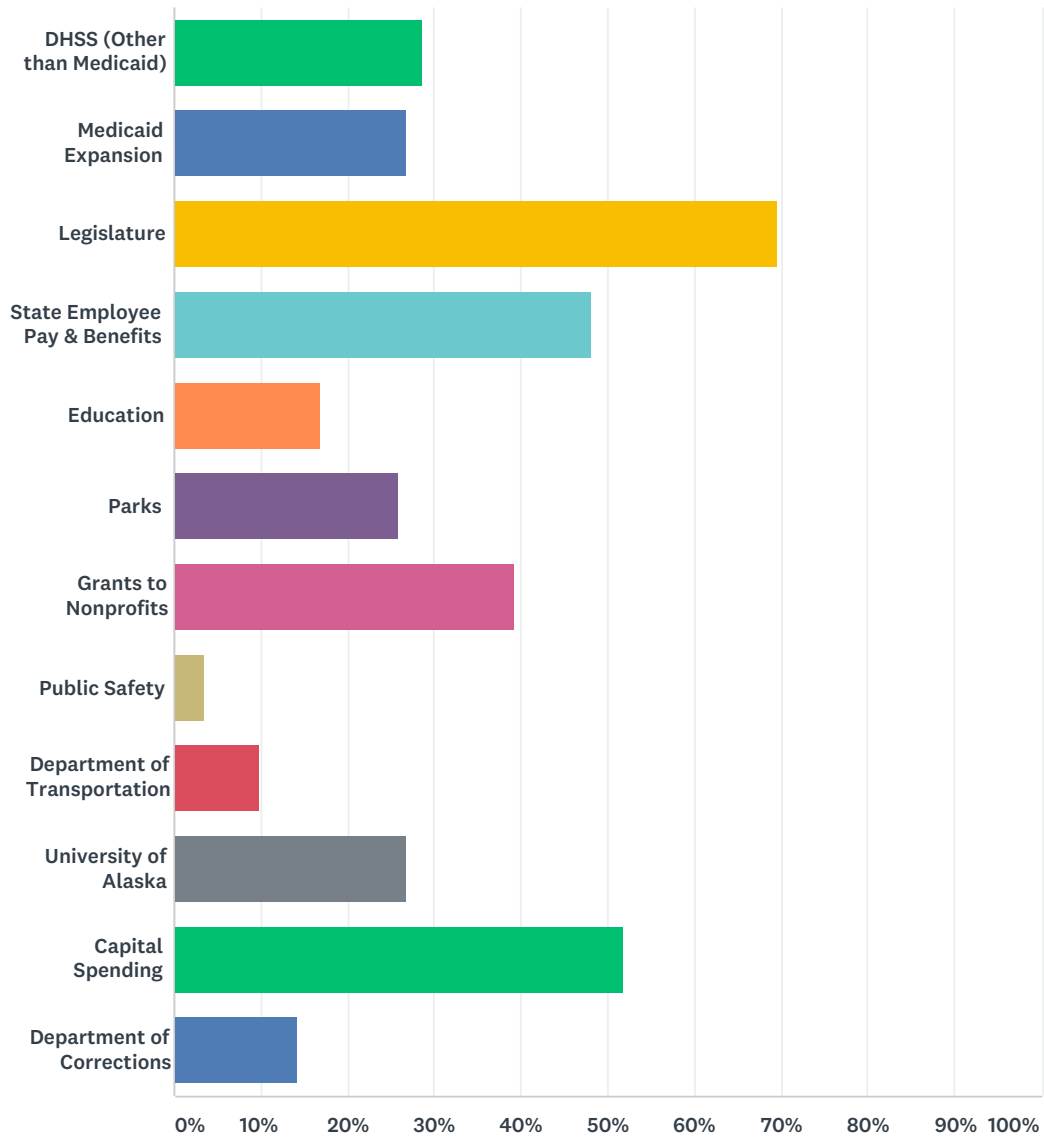
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
5%	25.71%	27
10%	36.19%	38
20%	15.24%	16
Other (please specify)	22.86%	24
TOTAL		105

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	No cuts	10/25/2017 1:14 PM
2	We need to tax Alaskans for the services we need.	10/24/2017 5:32 PM
3	We no longer have the time to thoughtfully consider cuts and the consequences	10/24/2017 1:29 PM
4	state should reduce the money they spend on governor for their stay in 5 star hotel and allowance. Instead of giving them luxurious place to stay and eat when traveling i think 3-4 star is good enough. there saved alot of money	10/19/2017 3:44 PM
5	Appropriate amount to balance it	10/16/2017 6:05 PM
6	It should be cut where there is wasteful spending. Cuts across the board do more damage.	10/16/2017 12:37 PM
7	This is tough but a decrease in all things rather than elimination of one thing	10/16/2017 11:09 AM
8	<1%	10/16/2017 10:35 AM
9	at lease comensurate with new potential tax revenue	10/16/2017 10:28 AM
10	As much as necessary to balance the budget	10/16/2017 9:20 AM

11	I'm more interested in having a sound fiscal plan and policy then flat reducing further. Mediocrity and underfunding across the state is not a sustainable plan.	10/11/2017 3:35 PM
12	2%	10/10/2017 9:24 AM
13	Balance budget over next 5 years without income or sales tax / use PF earnings along with corp/oil tax's	10/9/2017 6:47 PM
14	Arbitrary percentages are a poor way to manage. Program by program reductions and efficiencies	10/9/2017 1:41 PM
15	Many say that State ought to cut out/limit to 1, their special sessions and get their work done in a timely manner	10/9/2017 1:07 PM
16	7.5%	10/9/2017 11:43 AM
17	We should look across the board and actually cut unnecessary spending. We should focus on all jobs created over the past 7 years and if not relevant/critical close them. We should not set a % as a goal. We should do as much as we can and see where we stand.	10/9/2017 11:22 AM
18	I do not support a reduction in State spending	10/9/2017 10:51 AM
19	A phased approach with appropriate % reduction to result in a balanced budget.	10/9/2017 10:51 AM
20	It's time to find income sources	10/9/2017 10:24 AM
21	Don't know the specifics	10/9/2017 9:59 AM
22	I support an income tax	10/9/2017 9:58 AM
23	as much as needed	10/9/2017 9:56 AM
24	Hard to specify a specific amount - budget reductions need to focus on programs such as education, health care, etc. (i.e. the hard stuff)	10/9/2017 9:56 AM

Q5 Which State services should be cut?

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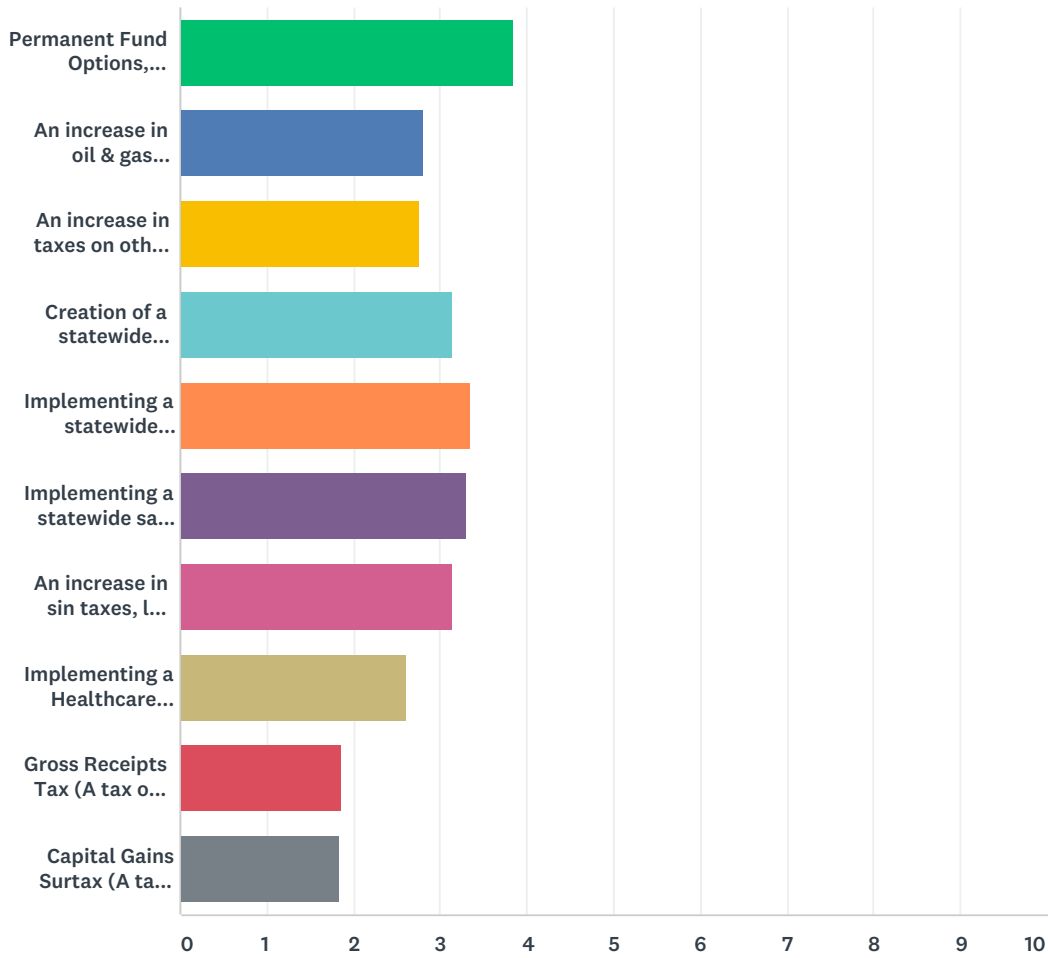


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
DHSS (Other than Medicaid)	28.57%	32
Medicaid Expansion	26.79%	30
Legislature	69.64%	78
State Employee Pay & Benefits	48.21%	54
Education	16.96%	19
Parks	25.89%	29
Grants to Nonprofits	39.29%	44
Public Safety	3.57%	4

Department of Transportation	9.82%	11
University of Alaska	26.79%	30
Capital Spending	51.79%	58
Department of Corrections	14.29%	16
Total Respondents: 112		

Q6 What revenue sources would you support exploring? Rank your top 5:

Answered: 113 Skipped: 23

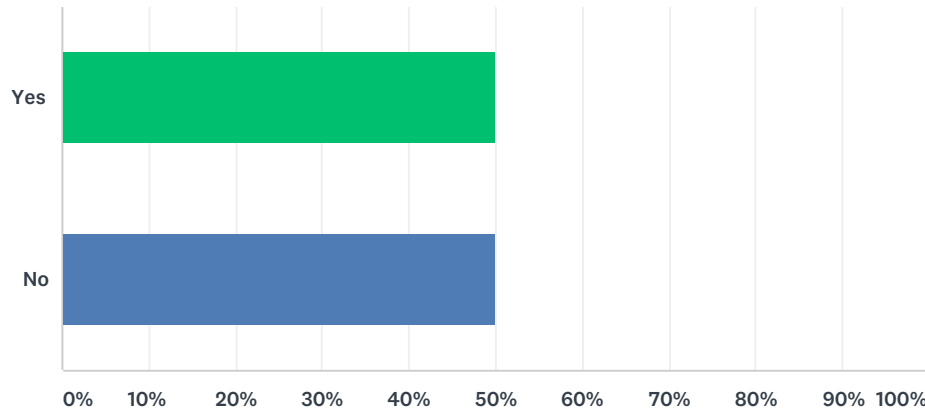


	LOWEST	(NO LABEL)	(NO LABEL)	(NO LABEL)	HIGHEST	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Permanent Fund Options, including capping annual PFD checks, or spending some of the Fund's earnings for government services	12.16% 9	9.46% 7	12.16% 9	14.86% 11	51.35% 38	74	3.84
An increase in oil & gas taxation	30.95% 13	21.43% 9	7.14% 3	16.67% 7	23.81% 10	42	2.81
An increase in taxes on other industries, like fishing, mining, or tourism	19.23% 10	23.08% 12	26.92% 14	23.08% 12	7.69% 4	52	2.77
Creation of a statewide lottery	15.94% 11	17.39% 12	24.64% 17	21.74% 15	20.29% 14	69	3.13
Implementing a statewide income tax	15.38% 10	12.31% 8	18.46% 12	29.23% 19	24.62% 16	65	3.35
Implementing a statewide sales tax	8.45% 6	15.49% 11	32.39% 23	23.94% 17	19.72% 14	71	3.31
An increase in sin taxes, like tobacco and alcohol products	10.45% 7	22.39% 15	26.87% 18	23.88% 16	16.42% 11	67	3.13

Implementing a Healthcare Provider Tax: (A tax on health care providers, like doctors and nurse practitioners. These taxes are then used to qualify for additional matching funds from the federal government)	25.81% 8	29.03% 9	12.90% 4	22.58% 7	9.68% 3	31	2.61
Gross Receipts Tax (A tax on the total gross revenues of a company, regardless of their source.)	46.67% 7	33.33% 5	6.67% 1	13.33% 2	0.00% 0	15	1.87
Capital Gains Surtax (A tax on the profits made from the sale of stocks, bonds, precious metals and property.	47.37% 18	31.58% 12	13.16% 5	5.26% 2	2.63% 1	38	1.84

Q7 Has a crime been directly committed against your business in the last 2 years?

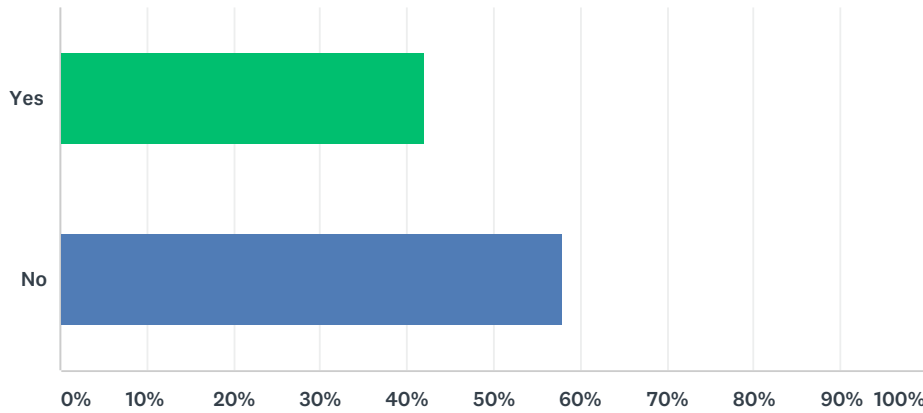
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	50.00%	56
No	50.00%	56
TOTAL		112

Q8 Do you think crime will affect your ability to grow your business?

Answered: 112 Skipped: 24



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	41.96%	47
No	58.04%	65
TOTAL		112

Q9 What can be done to promote a stronger climate for business investment in Anchorage?

Answered: 78 Skipped: 58

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	correct budgeting by the legislature/government so that businesses know we are open for business and our word on taxes is good	10/25/2017 5:54 AM
2	Reduce crime, create an income tax to pay for things that will make Alaska more desirable. Stronger downtown, eradicate homelessness.	10/24/2017 5:35 PM
3	Being open for business requires the MOA to intentionally establish incentives for the types of business (new/expansions) they desire. Property tax abatement, access to land, flexible regulatory environment, MOA investment in infrastructure without shifting the burden to new business for new buildings, etc. all need to be considered. What investment is the MOA and their citizens willing to make to sustain/grow Anchorage? I don't really believe business will investment without an incentive to do so.	10/24/2017 1:35 PM
4	- Fewer handouts and giveaways from the state or federal government - Stricter controls on unemployment - workforce development	10/24/2017 1:02 PM
5	This is a function of the State's recession.	10/24/2017 12:36 PM
6	reduce healthcare costs for businesses and individuals	10/23/2017 12:46 PM
7	Have a robust state economy	10/20/2017 5:36 PM
8	Reduce crime and homelessness, incentives for cleaning up properties	10/20/2017 8:41 AM
9	stay 0% state income tax. that promote everybody spending money. increase people knowledge in technology and modernize human.	10/19/2017 3:47 PM
10	Anchorage and the Chamber do amazing things already--what a place to live!! There are always areas where we could save--such as our wasting money on things like plowing snow that isn't there, and then having to fix all the streets and curbs that the snowplows destroyed. Help stop the crime--history shows that a deterioration of rule of law is the precursor for economic and social collapse.	10/19/2017 2:31 PM
11	New state leadership	10/19/2017 1:38 PM
12	Less costly ways to open with more subsidies and less licensing costs.	10/19/2017 1:34 PM
13	Tax amazon shipments	10/19/2017 1:19 PM
14	Remove panhandlers from corners, set up homeless camps for them where they can go, party and use their drugs without damaging our parks	10/19/2017 1:12 PM
15	Public/Private partnerships	10/19/2017 1:03 PM
16	Open state and federal land for development.	10/19/2017 12:50 PM
17	More marketing	10/19/2017 12:49 PM
18	A state fiscal plan	10/17/2017 2:00 PM
19	clarity on a state fiscal plan, and improved public safety	10/17/2017 9:50 AM
20	Reduction in permit issues like wet-lands	10/17/2017 9:01 AM
21	Responsible state spending, fair taxes to all businesses and individuals, more outside business development to attract new businesses, less regulations	10/16/2017 6:11 PM
22	Continue to support entrepreneurship and address homelessness issues.	10/16/2017 4:16 PM
23	1) Diversity the state's tax revenues. 2) Put spendable Permanent Fund income (including for PFDs) on Percent-of-of-Market-Value basis (with Percent less than 5%).	10/16/2017 1:41 PM

24	Reduction in crime would be a great thing, not just for businesses but for everyone. That said, job creation is the #1 thing this city needs and we can't get there by adding new taxes or limiting the PFD. We need people with more money in their pockets to spend. Limiting the PFD and creating new taxes only adds to the problem. People cannot spend what they do not have.	10/16/2017 1:27 PM
25	Less regulations that keep businesses from growing.	10/16/2017 12:39 PM
26	Possible tax breaks for new businesses to come to the area.	10/16/2017 12:07 PM
27	Lower worker comp costs, lower costs for other insurance	10/16/2017 11:22 AM
28	Get tough on crime	10/16/2017 11:21 AM
29	Do the right thing- not the political thing	10/16/2017 11:13 AM
30	Stability	10/16/2017 10:47 AM
31	more progressive incentives and more progressive community atmosphere	10/16/2017 10:38 AM
32	Diversify economy	10/16/2017 10:34 AM
33	Getting the legislature to manage the fiscal challenges the state has to promote a more stable economic environment.	10/16/2017 10:34 AM
34	Promote solution to the fiscal issue on the state level, which will cascade to the local level.	10/16/2017 10:30 AM
35	Resource Development	10/16/2017 10:25 AM
36	Reduce crime rate, reduce local taxes on businesses	10/16/2017 10:06 AM
37	A balanced budget.	10/16/2017 9:58 AM
38	Lunch meetings	10/16/2017 9:48 AM
39	Continue to bolster public safety both in practice and in a public relations fashion. A safe community will both retain and attract families and businesses.	10/16/2017 9:43 AM
40	increase oil production, keep the high paying jobs	10/16/2017 9:39 AM
41	Lower crime is a good start	10/16/2017 9:32 AM
42	Repeal SB 91, enforce the laws particularly with respect to vagrant, trespassing, littering, and theft.	10/16/2017 9:31 AM
43	Continue to diversify economic opportunities through reinvesting in businesses that are bringing revenue to the city. Find more export opportunities using our global air freight location to our advantage.	10/16/2017 9:29 AM
44	State of Alaska will need to get its' fiscal house in order and produce a stable and sustainable budget. Locally, reduction of crime in Anchorage.	10/16/2017 9:28 AM
45	Get the government (regulations) out of the way and government spending cuts	10/16/2017 9:25 AM
46	A more diversified economic base for the state. putting all of you eggs in one or two baskets has never worked out well long term for anyone. Renewable energy production and implementation should be at the top of our list along with creating an infrastructure to allow us to tap into high demand resources in our interior that no one can currently get to.	10/16/2017 9:21 AM
47	Identify a prudent budget, stick to it. Quit changing the rules every 3-4 years. If we go with a sales tax, make sure unprepared food is not included. Other than fruits & vegetables and ready to eat breads (not pastries), unprepared foods should not be taxed.	10/16/2017 9:21 AM
48	streamline building permit process	10/16/2017 9:20 AM
49	Reduction in the size of State government to put more opportunities out to private business.	10/16/2017 9:18 AM
50	strategic partnerships with outside companies to relocate to Alaska	10/14/2017 3:29 PM
51	The State Legislature needs to do the job they are elected to do, stop sitting on their thumbs, and find ways to provide and fund state services from public safety to education to infrastructure. Create an Alaska businesses and their employees want to live in.	10/12/2017 12:11 PM
52	Having a sound economic development plan. The CEDS that AEDC is producing does not appear to be reflective of broad stakeholders (e.g. Chamber and its many members).	10/11/2017 3:37 PM

53	Clean up downtown and midtown (homeless & crime). Put homeless to work. See Ted Talk by Albuquerque Mayor: https://www.ted.com/talks/richard_j_berry_a_practical_way_to_help_the_homeless_find_work_and_safety	10/11/2017 9:44 AM
54	Start with fiscal certainty from the state level and that will trickle down. Also, improving the homeless/crime problem will create a better workforce pool for lower skilled jobs.	10/11/2017 9:28 AM
55	Ensure that regulatory environment is pro-business, easy to interface with and not causing so much headaches with a business startup to scare them away.	10/11/2017 9:14 AM
56	keep the oil tax climate stable. Fight efforts to create a non sustainable entitlement society, stop the flow of drugs and get the gang bangers out and onto a penal colony island	10/11/2017 8:59 AM
57	1) Sustainably sized state budget and revenue sources to fund it, 2) Stable oil & gas tax environment, 3) opening up more land to development (through infrastructure as well as moving acreage into private sector both locally and statewide), 4) pro-growth attitude from front-line permitting staff at Muni & State levels	10/10/2017 5:11 PM
58	Strong education system	10/10/2017 9:28 AM
59	Diversification of industry to produce revenue	10/10/2017 9:20 AM
60	Stop bickering in Juneau and diversify our income already. Legislators have done a good job of reducing spending, go any further and our quality of life really begins to deteriorate. FOCUS ON REVENUE.	10/10/2017 6:33 AM
61	Get the State Senate into the real world instead of make believe. Or get rid of the republicans. Mostly is the uncertainty they cause.	10/9/2017 9:08 PM
62	Balanced budget with solid future plan	10/9/2017 6:51 PM
63	Turn Anchorage into a place where people say "Wow! I want to live here!"	10/9/2017 2:48 PM
64	Remind people what the basis for wealth creation and economic growth is in Anchorage and AK - responsible resource development. It drives everything and most in Anchorage are not connected to this very premise.	10/9/2017 1:43 PM
65	Reduce crime, improve economy with a balanced budget.	10/9/2017 1:02 PM
66	Impossible to fix but the cost of living and goods are not comparable to the lower 48 states. (if this is valid) Goods should not be taxed when exported and again taxed when imported if it originated here.	10/9/2017 12:08 PM
67	A boost in the economy would help. Incentives for larger businesses to want to come to Alaska.	10/9/2017 11:53 AM
68	Incentives to use Alaskan companies and suppliers when possible.	10/9/2017 11:48 AM
69	1) Cut the red tape to start a business. 2) Why do companies WANT to incorporate in certain states? What can we learn from this? Could Alaska be a state companies feel is advantageous to inc. in?	10/9/2017 11:28 AM
70	More affordable property for business to buy. A safer environment - free from burglary and violent crime.	10/9/2017 11:20 AM
71	Get control of the current crime situation.	10/9/2017 11:09 AM
72	A decision on a fiscal plan by our legislation/government. Currently there is too much uncertainty for a business to open their doors in Alaska or grow their established operation.	10/9/2017 11:00 AM
73	Address the fiscal gap - legislature must act.	10/9/2017 10:56 AM
74	Promoting the recreational options and work/life balance that can be achieved in Anchorage (plus resident perks such as the PFD) could help make Anchorage an attractive place to live and work, though crime rates do need to be addressed.	10/9/2017 10:53 AM
75	AEDC & LWP have a good model for us to strengthen and build stronger foundations for our community	10/9/2017 10:30 AM
76	Support local businesses, resist chains whether retail or hospitality	10/9/2017 10:00 AM
77	We need a better and stronger police force/having a traffic division could bring another revenue stream to the Muni	10/9/2017 9:54 AM
78	security in the financial environment.	10/9/2017 9:51 AM