

# **Economic, Natural & Cultural Resources Working Group**

January 26, 2021

A key function is to seek out through our Working Groups input from impacted constituencies regarding the pandemic in terms of unmet needs (short and long term), solutions/strategy to those needs - including funding and ways we can be better prepared for future challenges. A key focus is to address the racial and economic disparities that this pandemic has so vividly brought to the forefront.

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Mike Caplet, DEMHS Region 4 Coordinator

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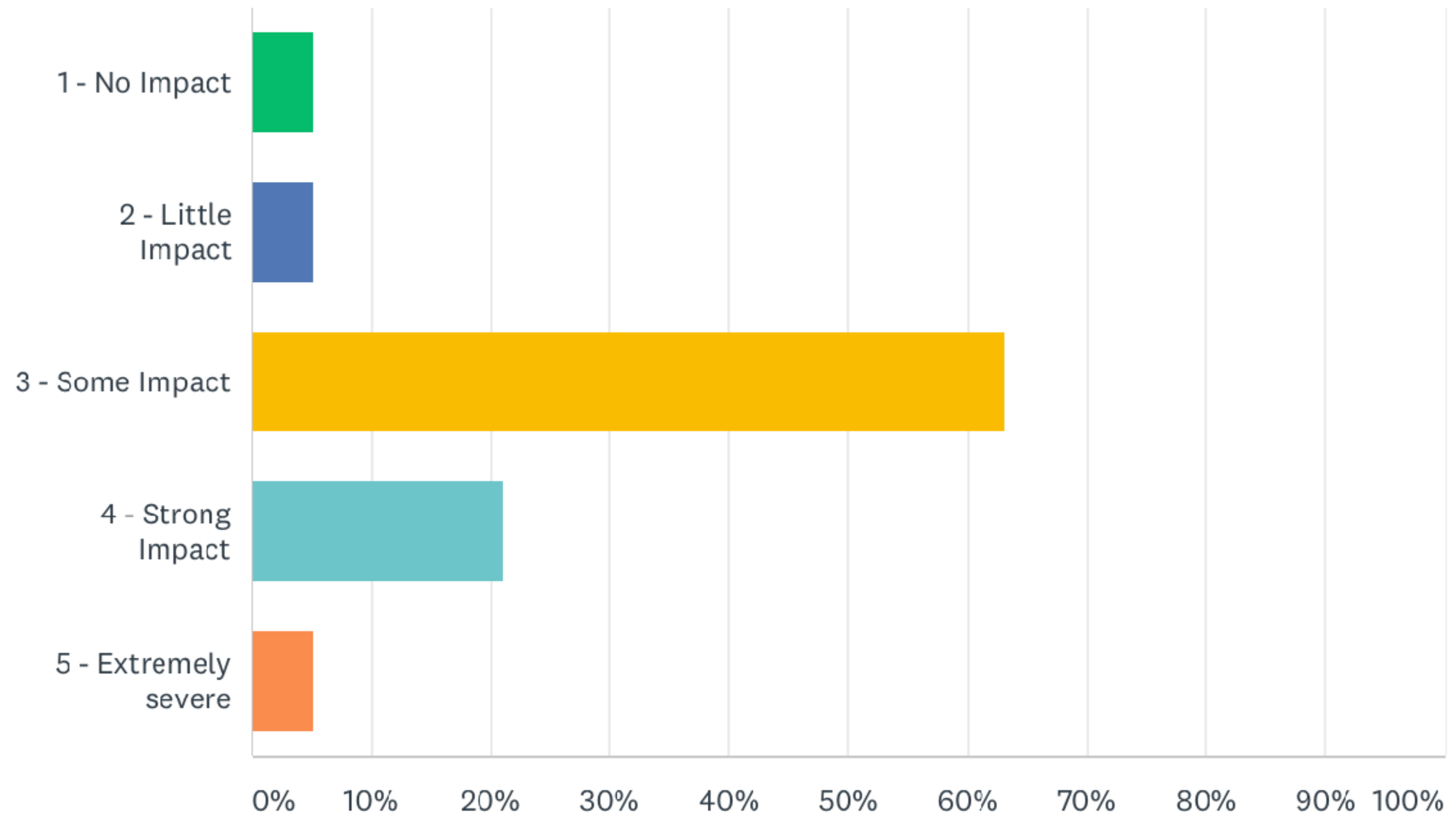
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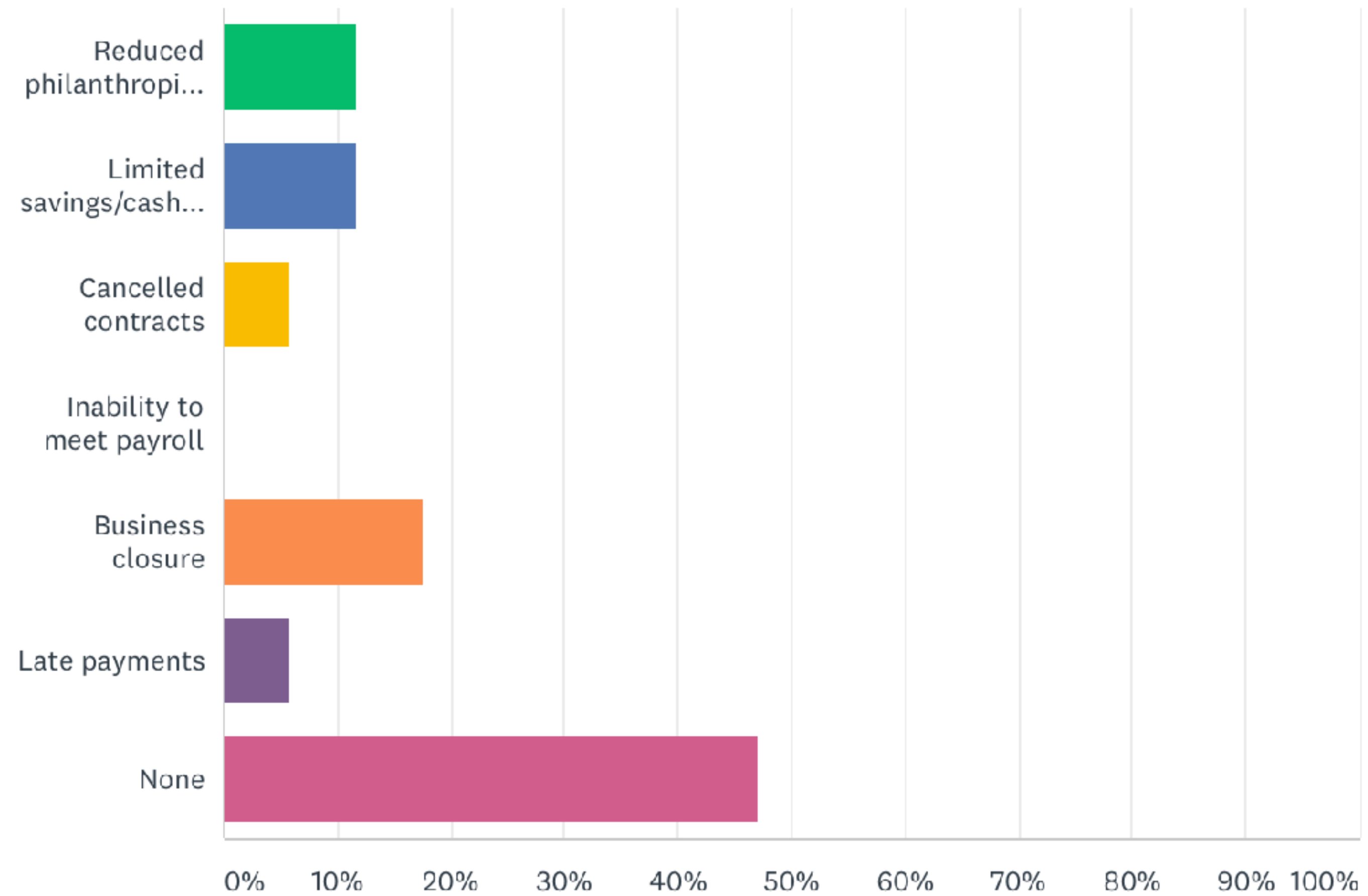
## Economic/Natural & Cultural Resources Working Group Survey

- Which of the following categories best describes your organization or occupation?
- Which of the following categories best describes your organization's primary purpose?
- How severe do you expect the overall financial impact of the coronavirus to be on your organization?
- Which of the following actions has your organization taken directly as a result of the coronavirus?
- Which of the following are currently major financial concerns for your organization?
- What strategies has your organization/business employed to maintain some semblance of operational function?
- What are the key unmet needs for your business or organization?
- What are the ways the region, going forward from COVID, can make break down the racial and economic disparities that COVID has highlighted?

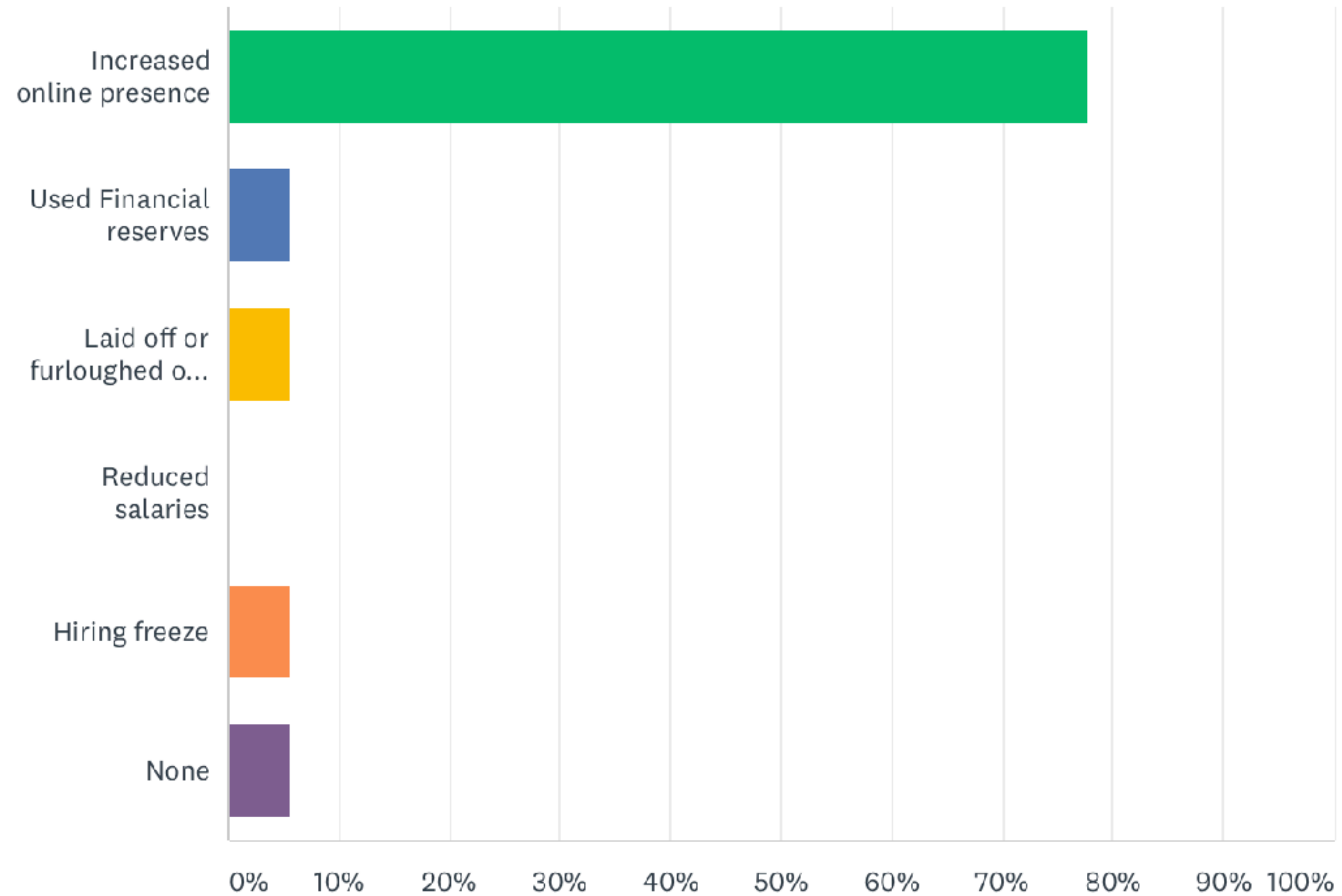
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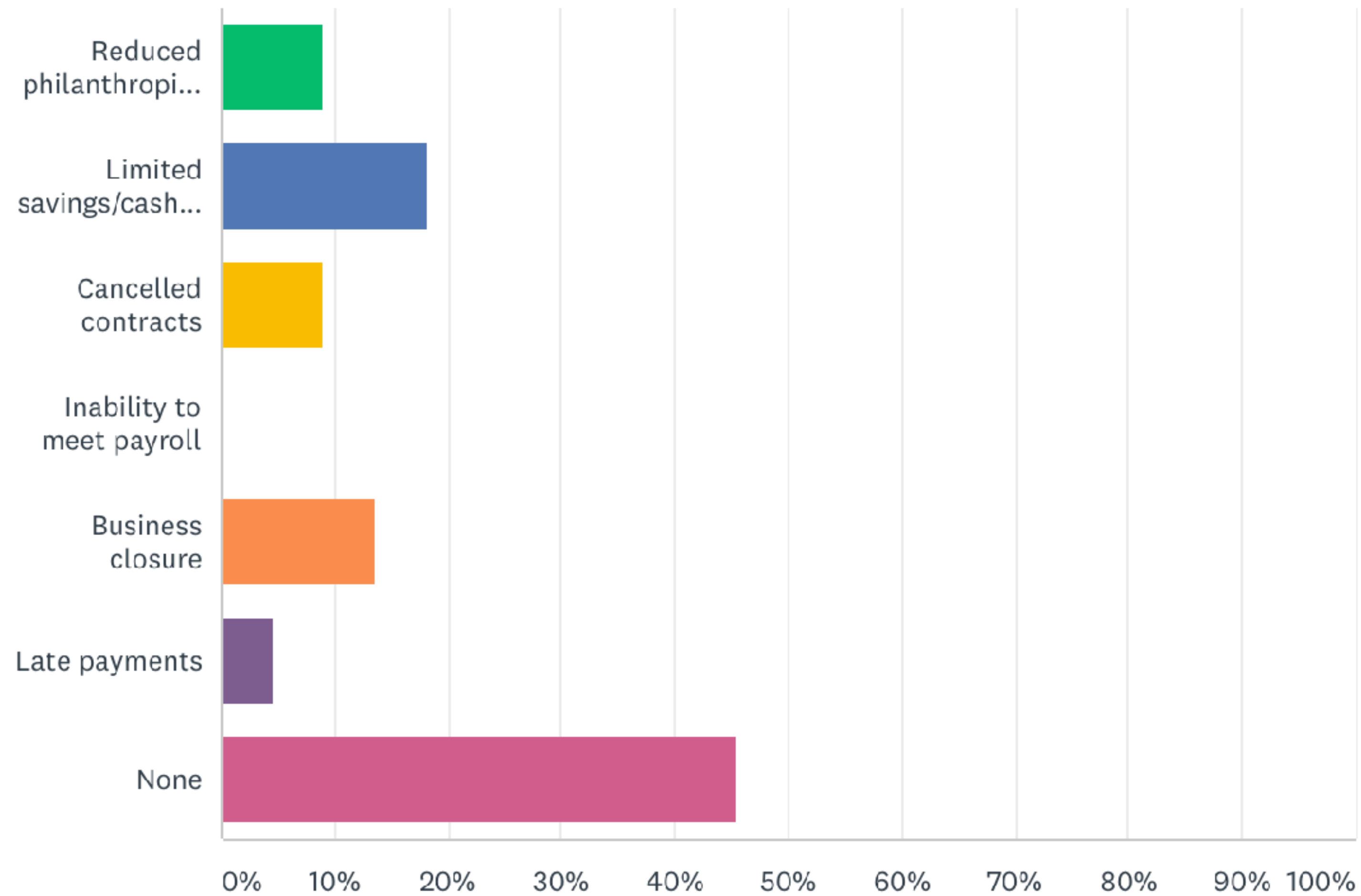


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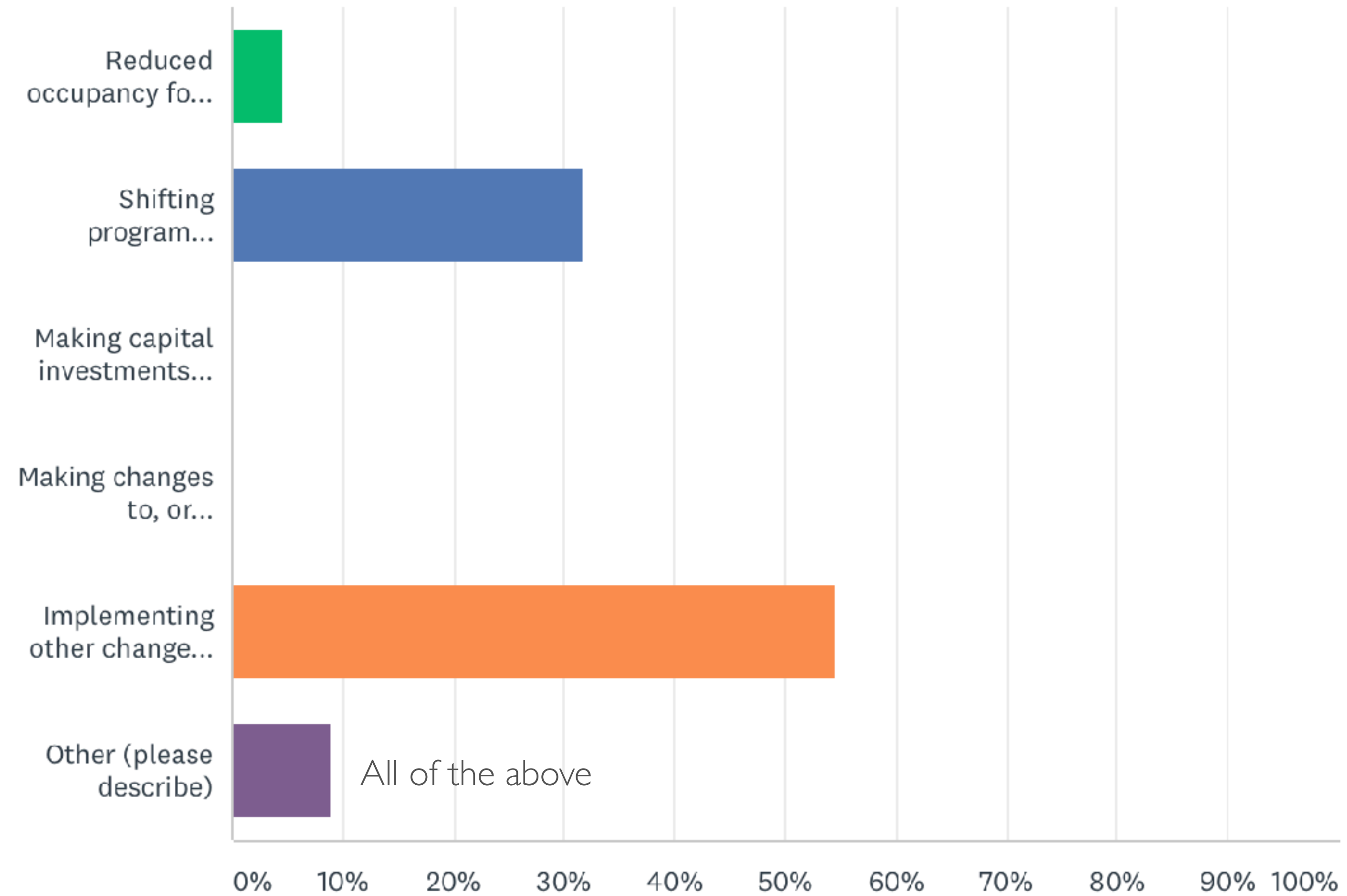




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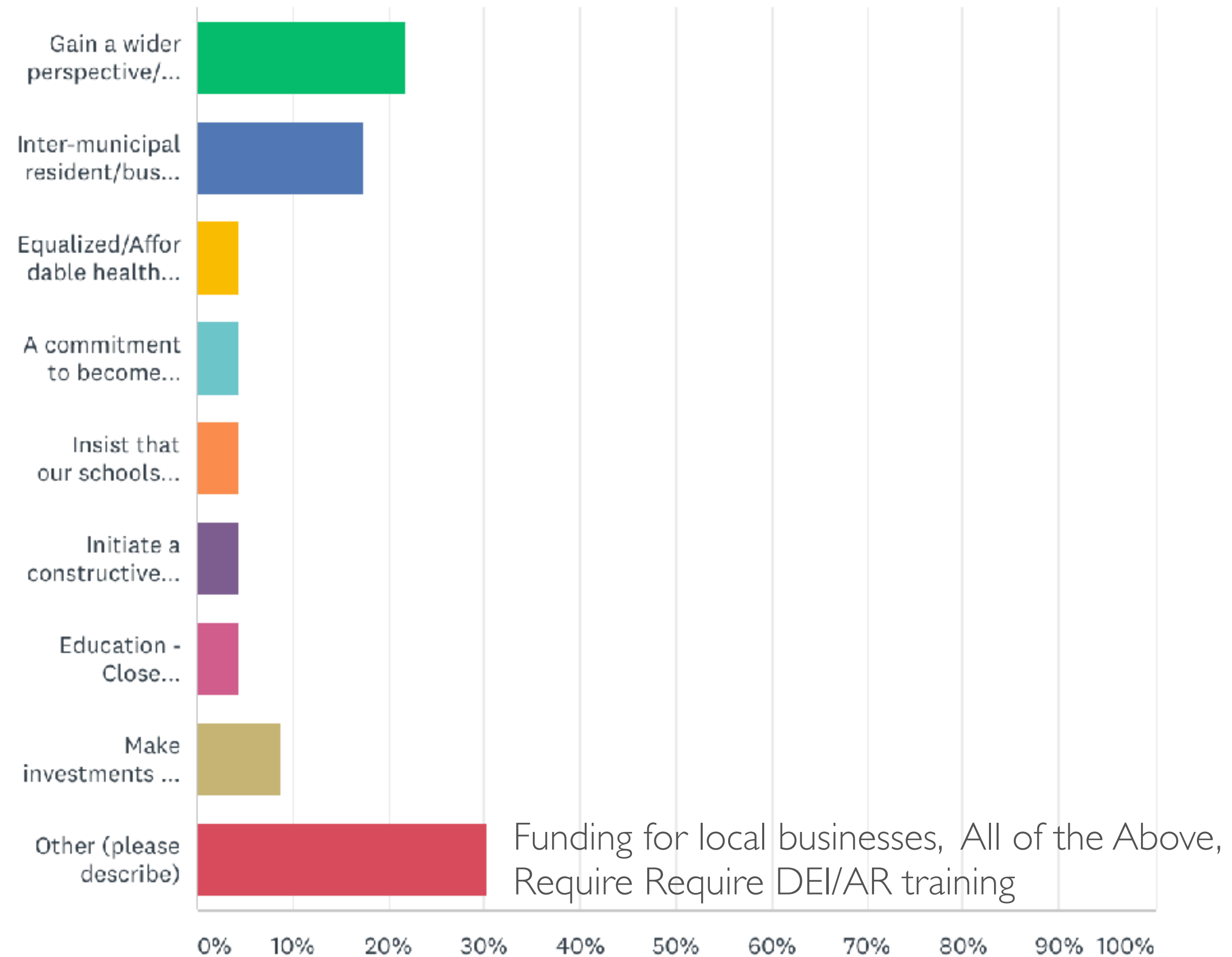
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