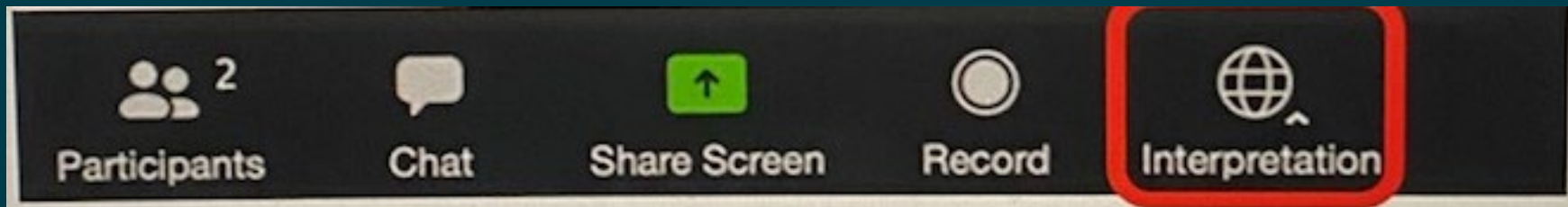


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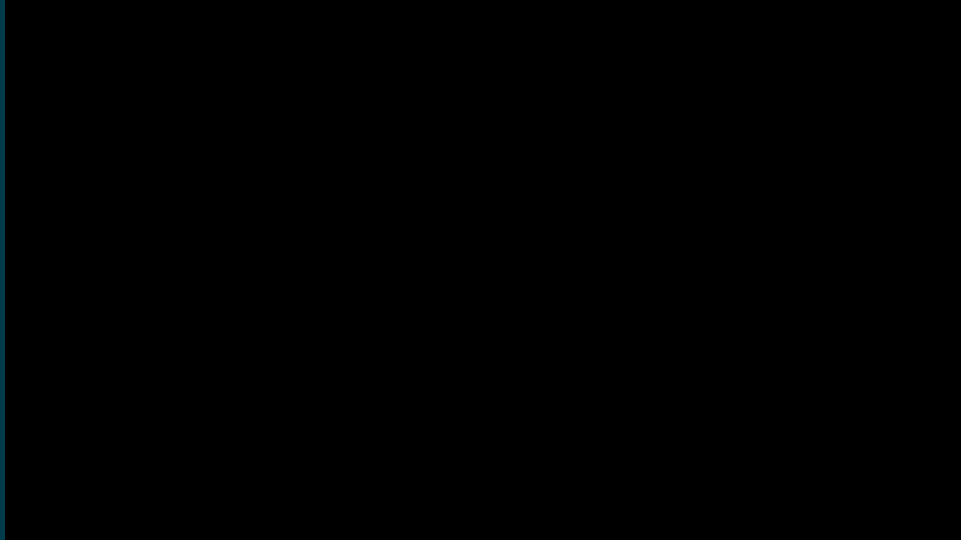
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# How to Access Spanish Interpretation

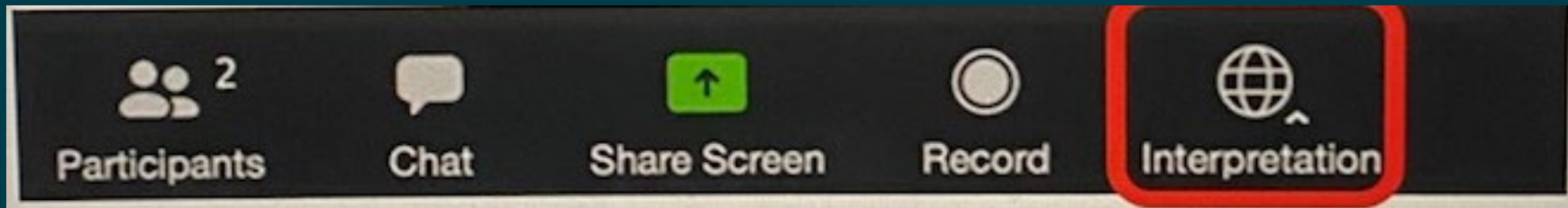
- ❑ La interpretación en simultáneo para esta reunión se dará en Español - bajo la opción Español
- ❑ Por favor haz clic en el icono INTERPRETATION en tu barra de herramientas para acceder al idioma deseado



# How to Access Vietnamese Interpretation



- ❑ Việc giải thích đồng thời cho cuộc họp này sẽ được đưa ra bằng các ngôn ngữ sau: Tiếng Việt - theo tùy chọn tiếng Việt
- ❑ Vui lòng nhấp vào biểu tượng PHIÊN DỊCH trên thanh công cụ của bạn để truy cập ngôn ngữ mong muốn



# Welcome and Acknowledgements

# Today's Meeting Agenda

- ❑ Welcome
- ❑ Task Force Updates
- ❑ Community Engagement and Outreach Update
- ❑ Workers Health, Safety and Rights Panel
- ❑ Public Comment
- ❑ Next Steps
- ❑ Adjourn

# COVID-19 Recovery Task Force Updates

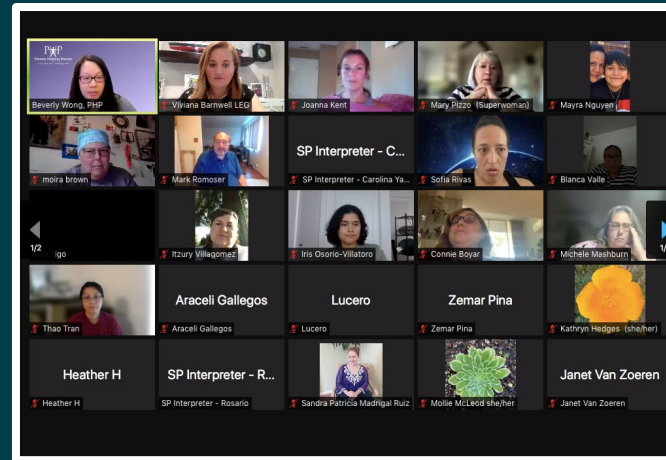
# Task Force Updates

- ❑ City's Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Budget approved June 14
- ❑ Continuation of virtual Task Force meetings
- ❑ Schedule for remaining Task Force meetings:
  - ❑ Recommend rescheduling September 8th meeting to September 15th or 22nd
  - ❑ October 13th: Review draft recommendations
  - ❑ November 10th: Finalize recommendations/report
  - ❑ December: Presentation to City Council
- ❑ Task Force Member Announcements

# Community Engagement and Outreach Update

# Lived Experience Group Update

- 25 completed activities
- Engaged with ~1,400 people
- Additional outreach needed: senior residents, Vietnamese community, unhoused residents
- Upcoming discussion: San Jose Arts Commission 8/15



"Forum on COVID-19 Recovery for the San Jose Disability Community" virtual event July 14



Lived Experience Group member Maricon at PAWIS meet and greet event July 9



Lived Experience Group members with City, Consultant staff



LGBTQ Youth Space Focus Group, July 11

# Community Resource Fair

- ❑ Saturday, August 20, 11:00-1:30 p.m.,  
Seven Trees Community Center
- ❑ Attendance goal: 350 – 500
- ❑ Resource tables
- ❑ Activities:
  - ❑ Bike Helmet & Backpack giveaway
  - ❑ Resume-building Workshop
  - ❑ San Jose Jazz Boom Box truck
  - ❑ Catered food by Mexico Bakery, fruit cart, ice cream truck.
  - ❑ Performance by More Más Marami Arts
  - ❑ Storytelling activity
- ❑ Task Force member attendance & support

San José's COVID-19 Recovery Task Force Invites You to Join Our

**Community Resource Fair**

**Saturday, August 20, 2022**

**11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.**  
**Seven Trees Community Center**  
**3590 Cas Dr., San José**

**Join us in person as we hear and share stories of COVID-19 resilience.**

**Come and receive FREE:**

- Food and refreshments
- COVID-19 testing kits
- Bike helmets
- Backpacks
- Period products
- Workshops
- Recovery resources for your family and business

\*A majority of activities and programs will be held outdoors.

**MASKS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED**

Registration encouraged:



[sanjoseca.gov/covid19recovery](https://sanjoseca.gov/covid19recovery)

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# Community Engagement Preliminary Results VIVA CALLE & JUNETEENTH POP UPS



Lived Experience Group Member  
Oswaldo engaging with community at  
Viva CalleSJ, June 12



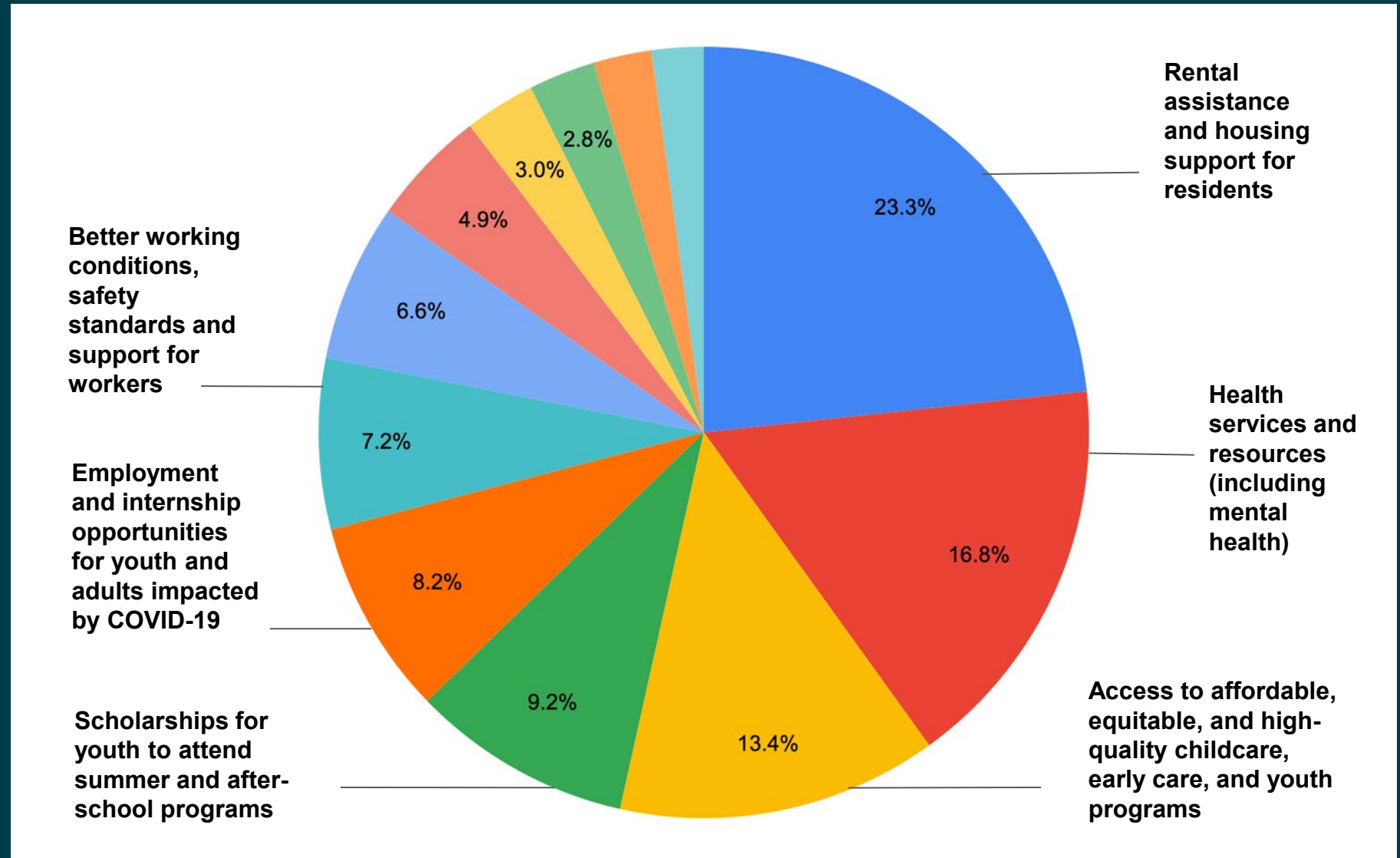
Lived Experience Group Member Ellen  
engaging with community at the  
Juneteenth Festival, June 19



Task Force Members Derek and Ivon  
volunteering at Viva CalleSJ, June 12

# What kinds of support would you like to see provided as the City recovers from COVID-19?

*From Viva Calle and Juneteenth Pop Ups (Over 250 Responses Total)*



# Community Engagement Preliminary Results COMMUNITY SURVEY



Pop up table at Innovate Public Schools' Action event, June 27



Backyard forum/discussion hosted by Lived Experience Group member Viviana, July 19



# Community Survey

As of August 4:

- Valid responses: 570 total submissions
  - English: 386
  - Spanish: 150
  - Vietnamese: 34
  - Tagalog: 0
- Survey open until August 20



## COVID-19 RECOVERY IN SAN JOSÉ

### WHAT SUPPORT DO YOU NEED?

What are your hopes for the future as we build a stronger San José? Take this survey from the City of San José's Recovery Task Force and help inform future programs that will support families and businesses most impacted by the pandemic. Please note that this survey is intended for San José residents and stakeholders.

Survey Column



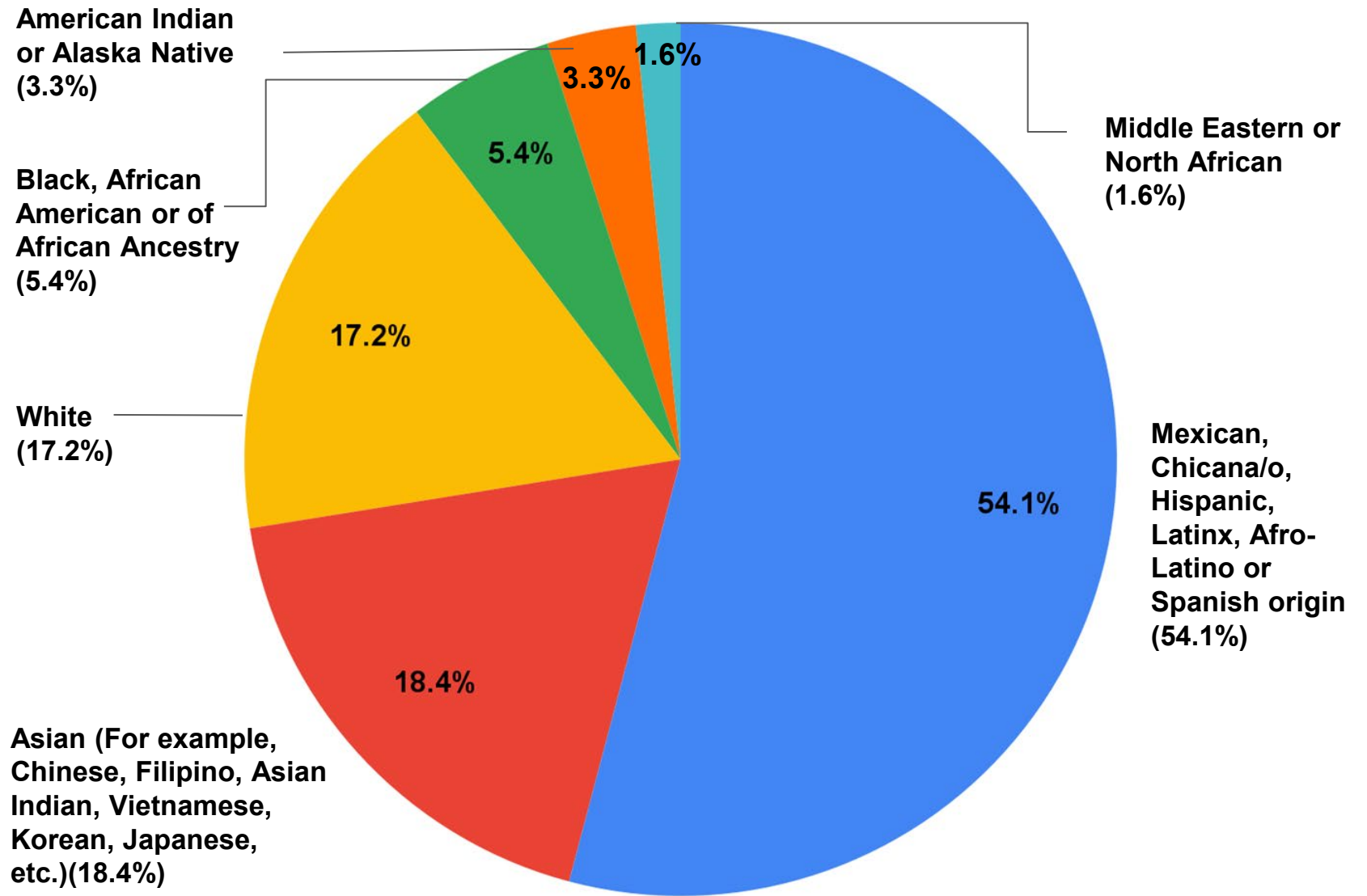
Survey link: [www.surveymonkey.com/r/sjcovidsurvey](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/sjcovidsurvey)

More info about the City's Recovery Task Force:

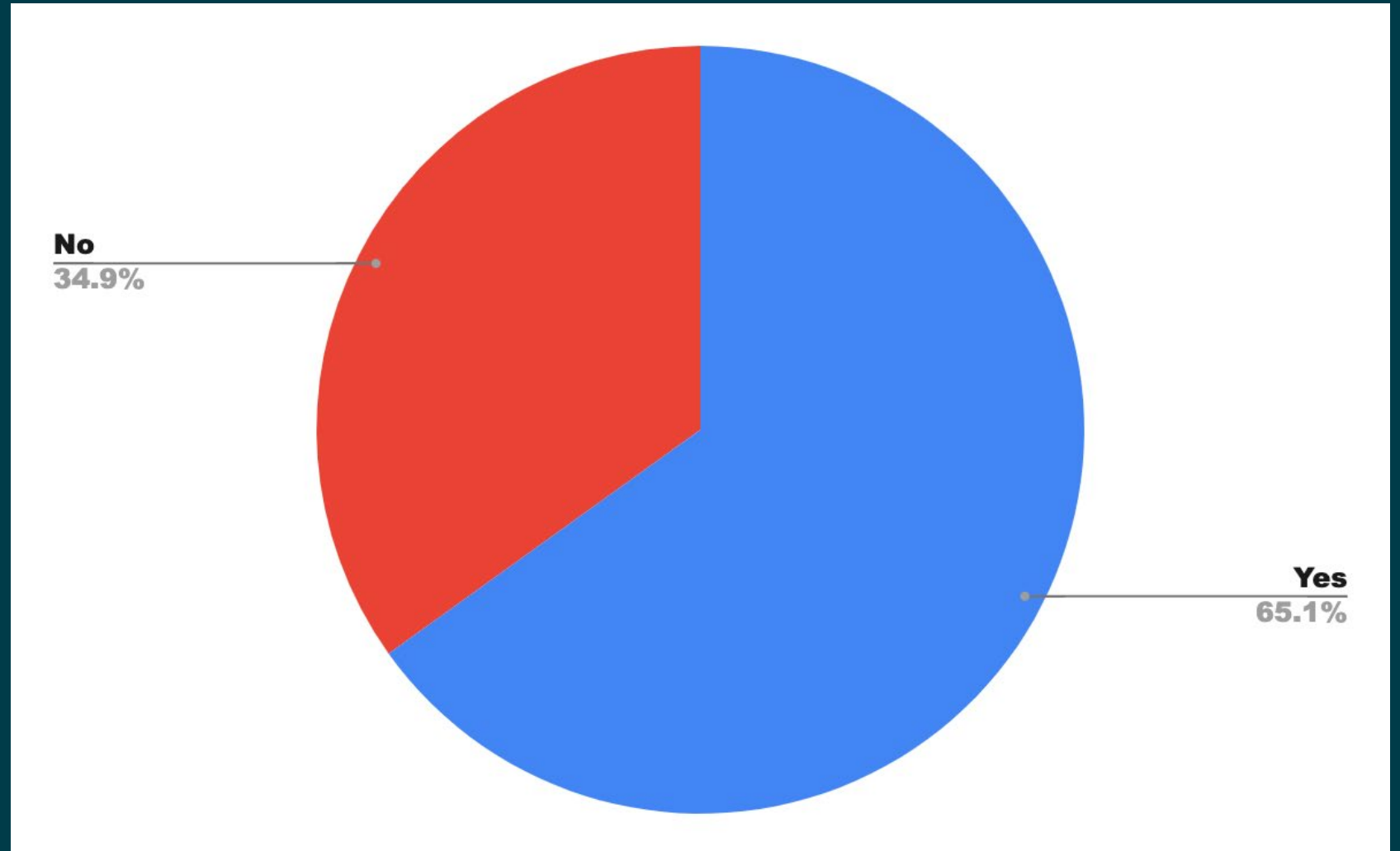
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# How do you identify?

*From survey  
results as of 8/4/22  
(570 Responses)*

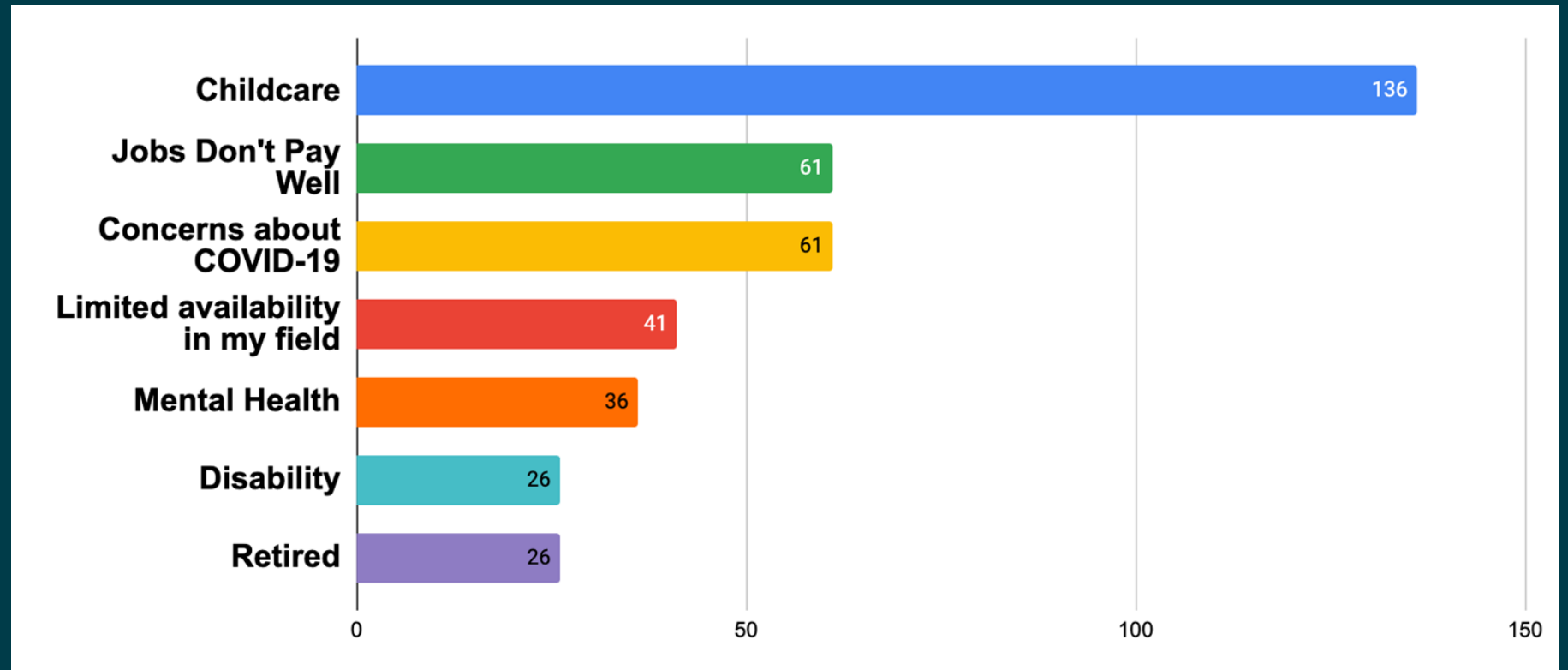


Are you  
working right  
now?



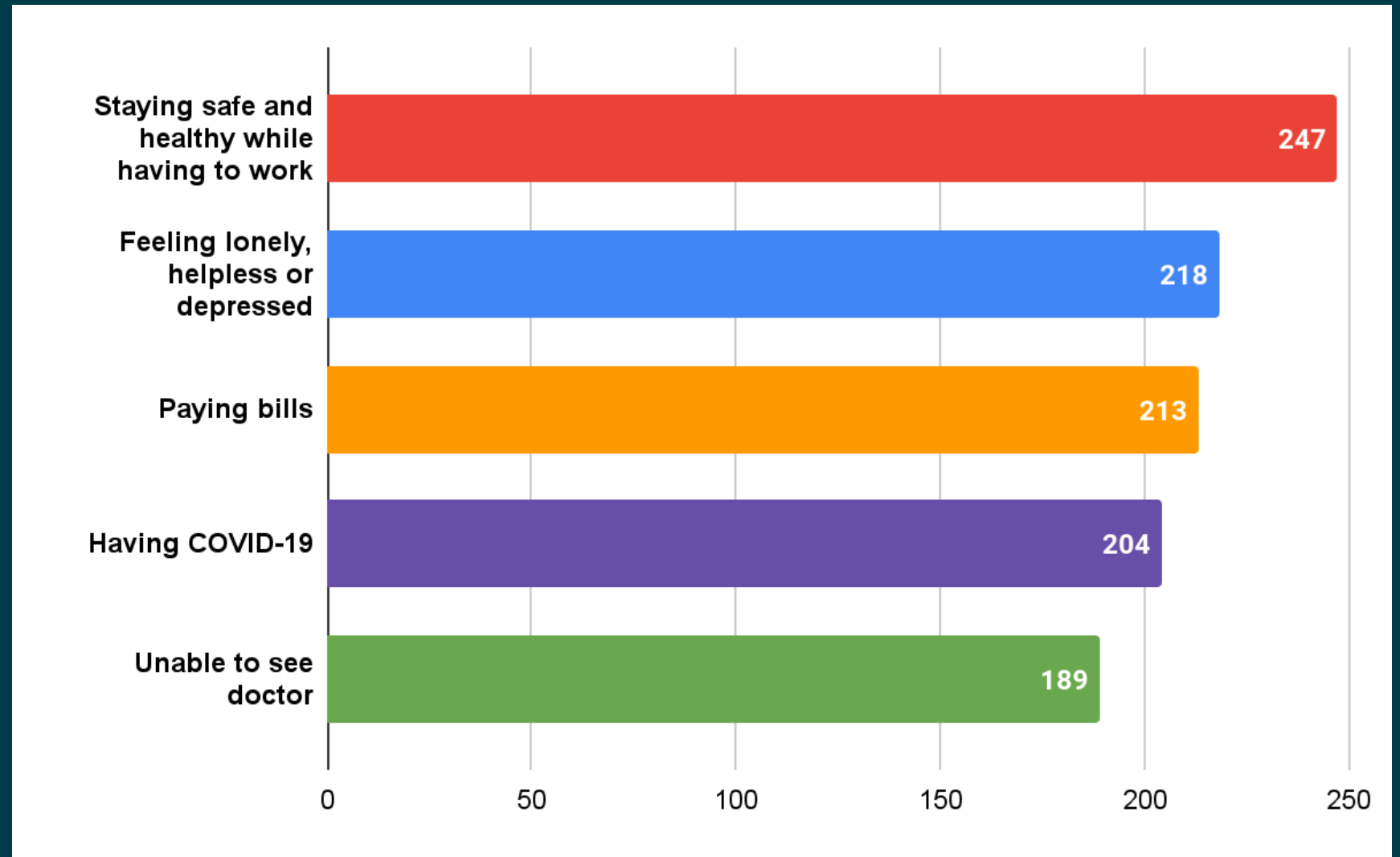
*From survey  
results as of 8/4/22  
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If you answered no, what challenges are preventing you from returning to work?



*From survey  
results as of 8/4/22  
(570 Responses)*

# What have been some of the biggest challenges for you during the COVID-19 pandemic?



*From survey  
results as of 8/4/22  
(570 Responses)*

# How have you and/or your community become stronger during the pandemic?

...I became more familiar with the small businesses within walking distance from where we live. We became very invested in **supporting local businesses**.

Our neighborhood association had meetings twice a month, celebrating events, **sharing resources**, and having guest speakers from different organizations.

...there is more **empathy** and **collaboration** between my community, we have learned to value health and life and I feel that we are more willing to help each other.

I have become even more **resilient**. And I know more than ever the importance for demanding social services and that we be cared for as residents... I became a victim of wage theft...and I now know where to go for support.

Being **united** as a family because the pandemic has left us with a lot of stress.

I have learned the importance of learning how to be by yourself and **taking care** of yourself.

# Q&A / Discussion



# Promotores Program



# Who are Promotores?

- ❑ Promotores are accessible and trusted members of the community where they live.
- ❑ Promotores share similar life experiences as the community.
- ❑ Promotores communicate in the language of the people and are knowledgeable about the community's cultural traditions.



# Organizations

- CommUniverCity

- Community Health Partnership

- ¡Sí Se Puede! Collective

Amigos de Guadalupe, Grail Family Services, School of Arts & Culture, SOMOS Mayfair, Veggielution



# Opportunity

Promotores will:

- ❑ Engage and conduct outreach with residents, business owners, and other stakeholders
- ❑ Share existing Recovery resources
- ❑ Seek information from residents regarding barriers to accessing Recovery resources and assist residents in accessing these services
- ❑ Share information gathered with the COVID-19 Recovery Task Force



# Workers Health, Safety and Rights Panel

# Panel

- ❑ Louise Auerhahn, Working Partnerships
- ❑ Ruth Silver-Taube, Supervising Attorney, Katharine & George Alexander, Community Law Center at Santa Clara University School of Law
- ❑ Felwina Opiso-Mondina, Pilipino Association of Workers and Immigrants (PAWIS)
- ❑ Philip Nguyen, Vietnamese American Roundtable
- ❑ Maria Maldonado, Fight for \$15
- ❑ Guillermina Blancas, Fast Food Worker
- ❑ Armando Ricardez, Prosperity Lab

# Workers' Health, Safety & Rights Committee: Priority Strategies

1. Outreach and education on workplace rights
  - ❑ Expand the City's role, and
  - ❑ Connect with other agencies & community orgs to leverage existing capacity.
2. Strengthen workers' rights & safety enforcement tools at City of San Jose
3. Provide paid sick leave protections
  - ❑ COVID-19 paid sick leave - provide stability & predictability.
  - ❑ Enact permanent local paid sick leave law, looking to models of Oakland, SF, other CA cities.

## Task Force Q&A / Discussion

1. What are you excited about from the panel presentation?
2. What are your curiosities or concerns?
3. What are your thoughts on the Committee's Priority Strategies?

# Public Comment

# Next Steps

- ❑ Next Task Force meeting: Thursday, September 3, 6:00 p.m.
- ❑ Community Engagement – survey, activities
- ❑ Attend Committee meetings
- ❑ Website: [www.sanjoseca.gov/covid19recovery](http://www.sanjoseca.gov/covid19recovery)
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**COVID-19 Recovery Task Force  
Thank You!**