

2012 MAG Agency Performance Review Questionnaire Roadmap

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Results of the 2012 MAG Agency Performance Review Questionnaire

Regional Council

May 22, 2013



Participants



Invitees

- **829 Invitations**
 - Other COGs/MPOs – 10
 - Federal Agencies – 17
 - Member Agencies – 581
 - Cities Outside of MAG – 8
 - Counties Outside of MAG – 1
 - State Agencies – 43
 - Stakeholders – 162
 - Other Organizations – 7



Participants



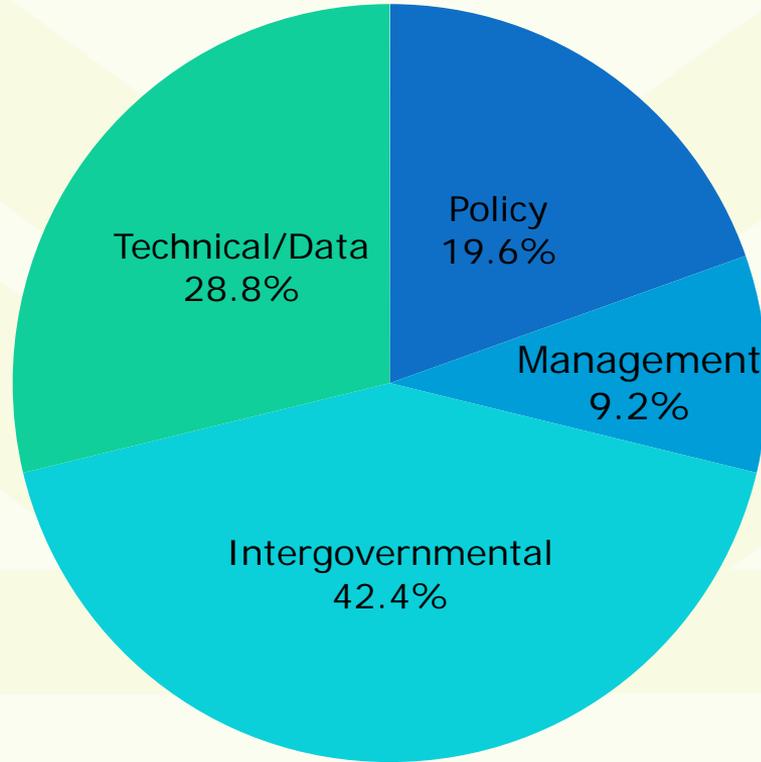
Responders

- **370 Full or Partial Responses**
 - Other COGs/MPOs – 5 (50%)
 - Federal Agencies – 7 (41%)
 - Member Agencies – 271 (47%)
 - Cities Outside of MAG – 3 (38%)
 - Counties Outside of MAG – 0 (0%)
 - State Agencies – 23 (53%)
 - Stakeholders – 58 (36%)
 - Other Organizations – 3 (43%)



How would you describe your primary involvement with MAG?

Participants

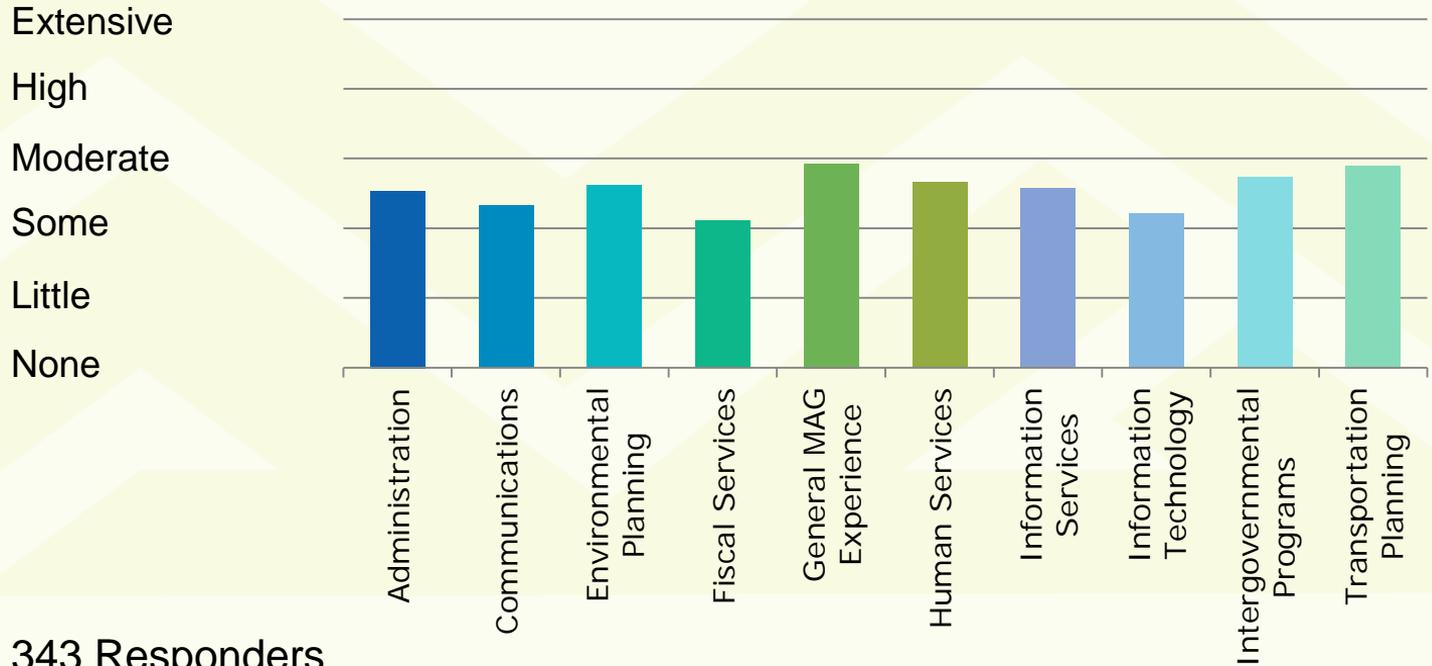


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Please rate your level of experience with the following MAG program areas. If you have not been involved with a specific program area, please indicate your general MAG experience.

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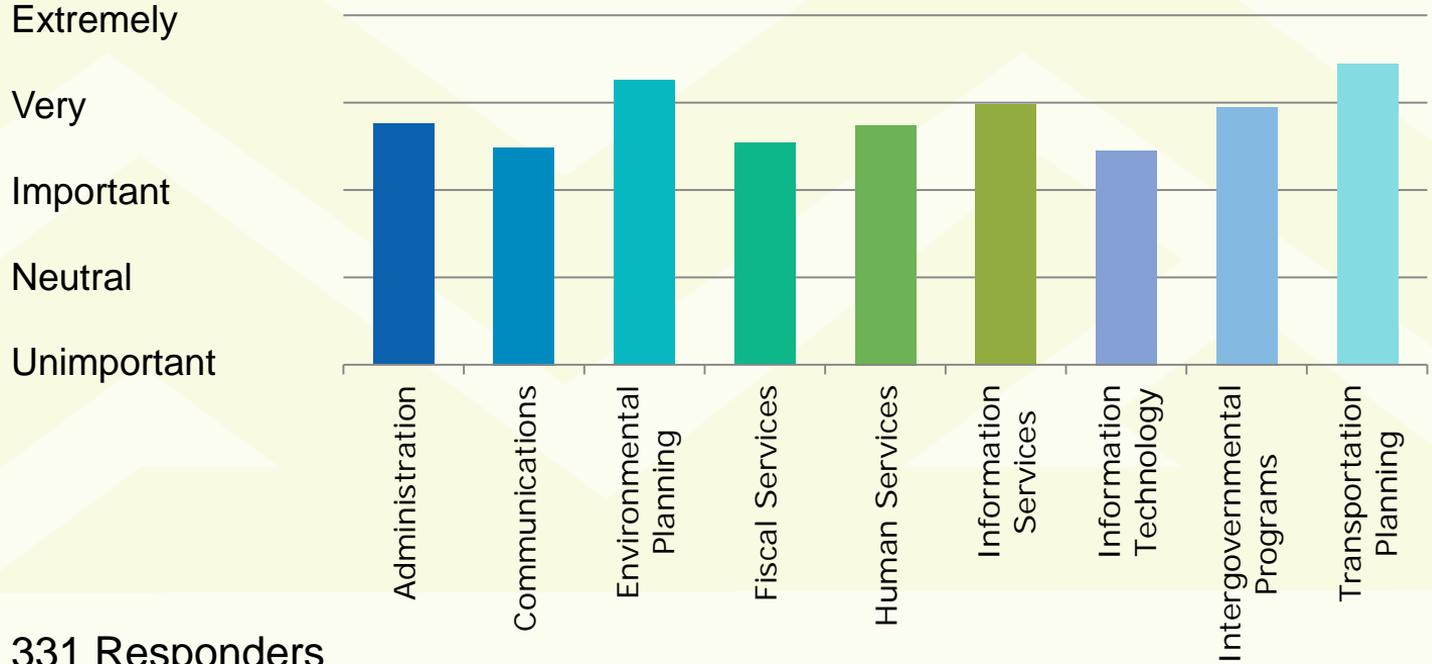


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Please rate the importance of the following MAG program areas.

Importance of MAG Program Areas

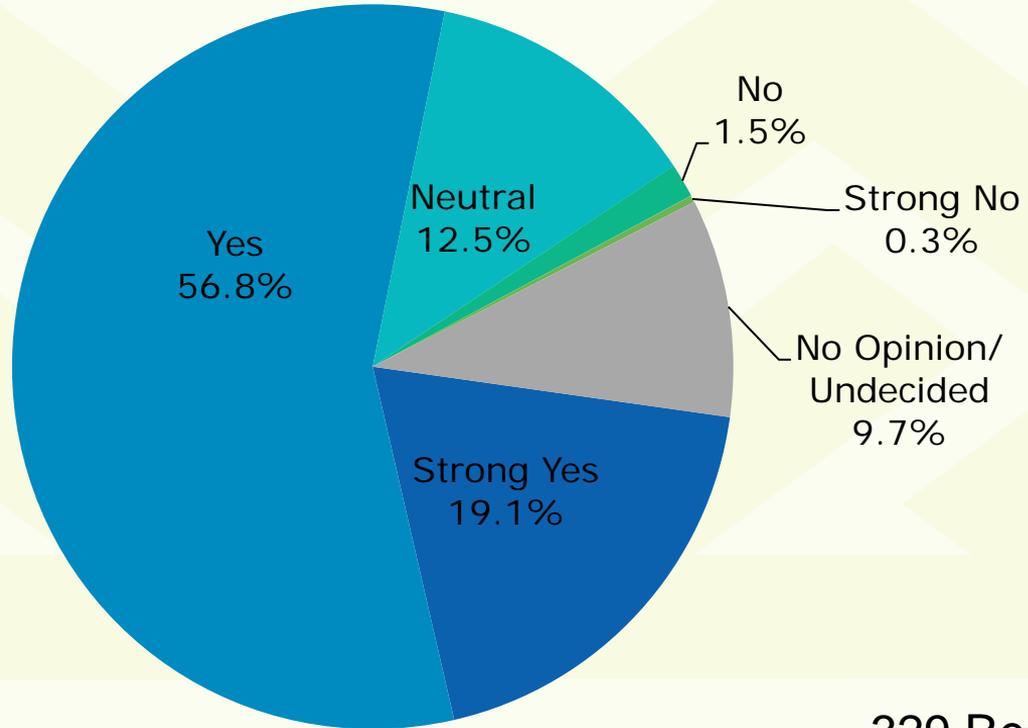


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Has MAG been effective in evolving its programs and services to meet the region's changing needs and opportunities?

Organizational Effectiveness



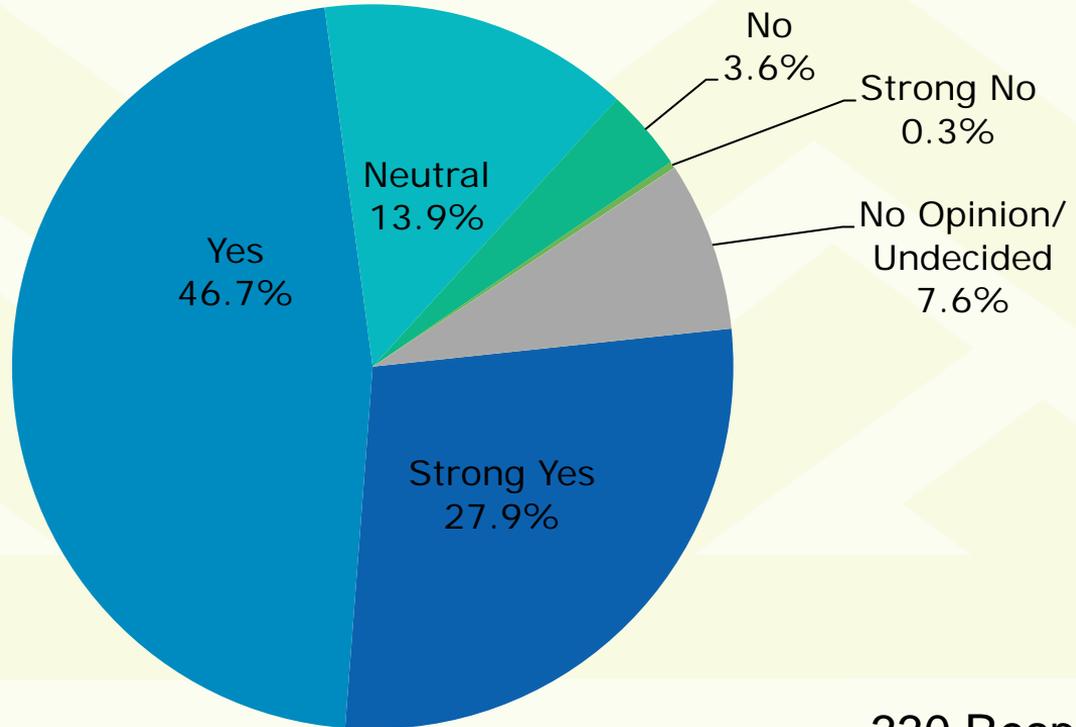
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Organizational Effectiveness



Is MAG effective in its collaboration with other statewide, regional, and local entities and leaders?



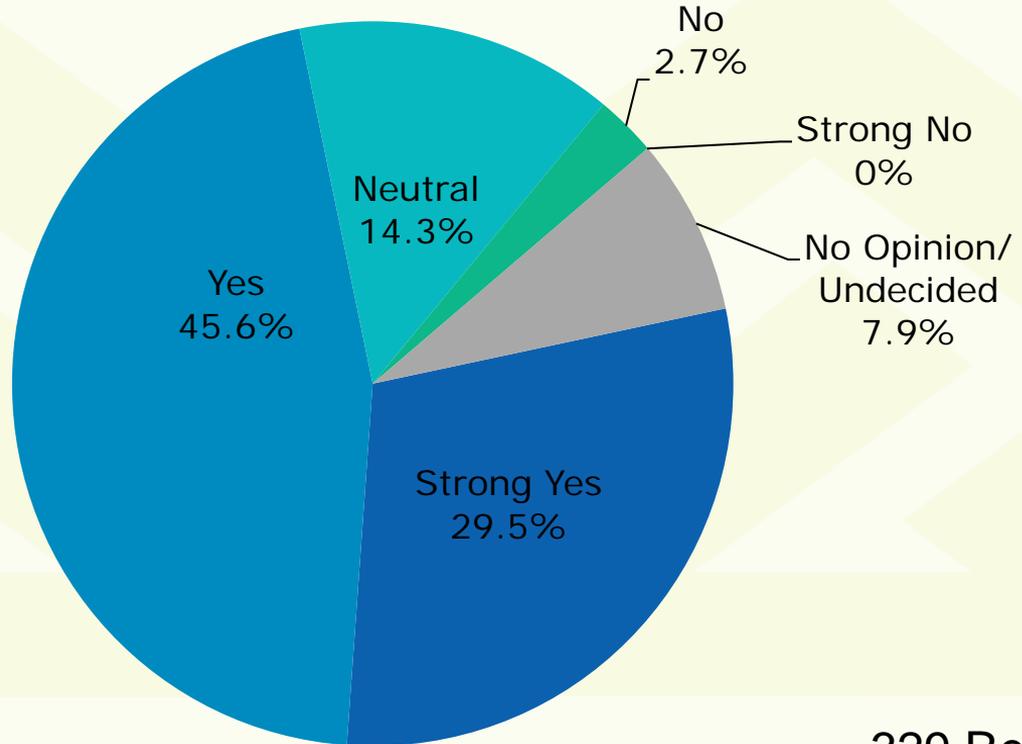
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Organizational Effectiveness



Is MAG an effective primary convener and forum for public officials and other stakeholders to work on regional issues?

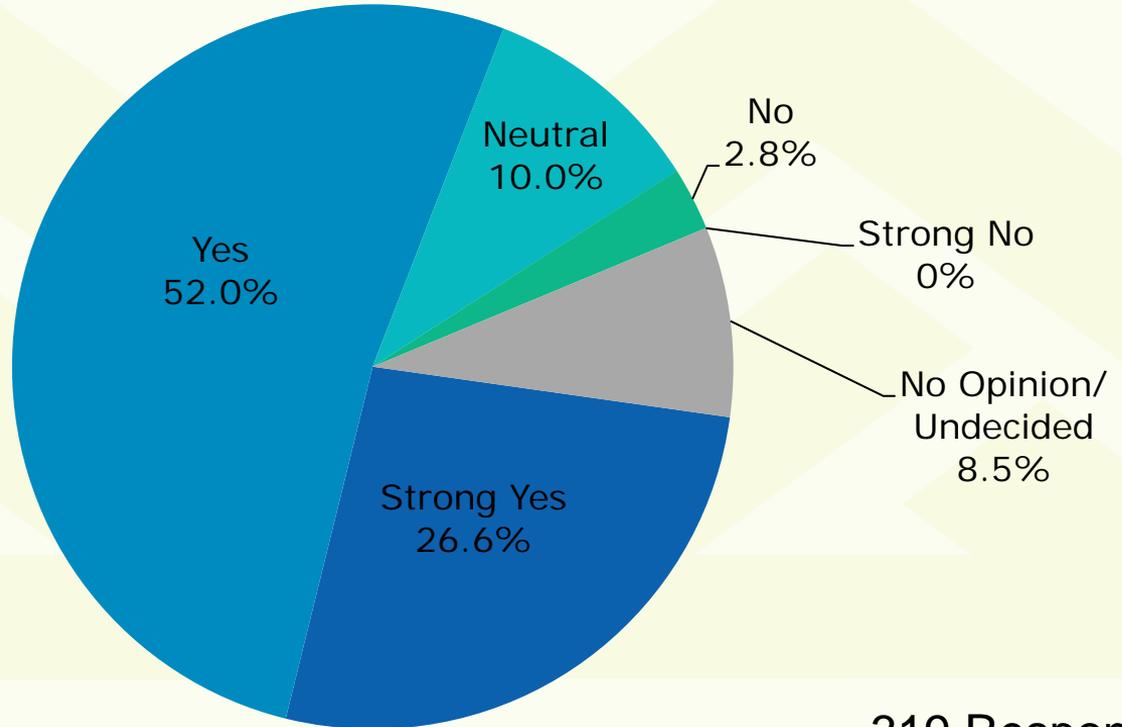


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As a council of governments and metropolitan planning organization, does MAG exercise an appropriate role and function in the region?

Role of MAG

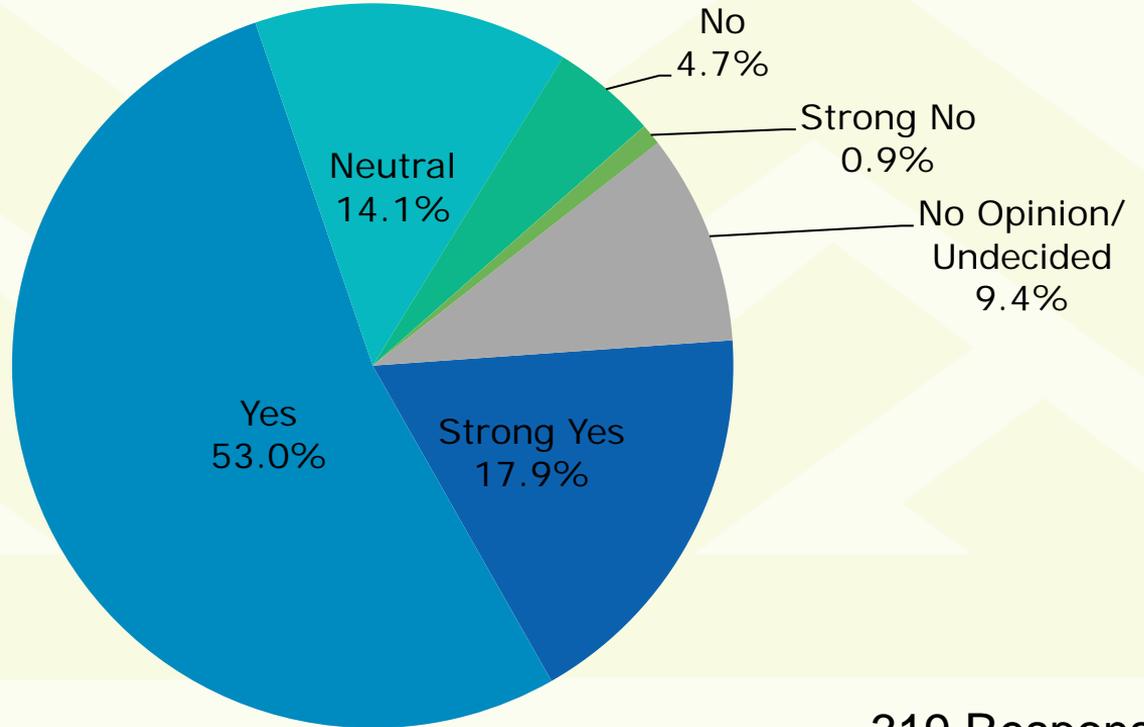


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Does MAG manage to stay within its appropriate role and function in the region?

Role of MAG

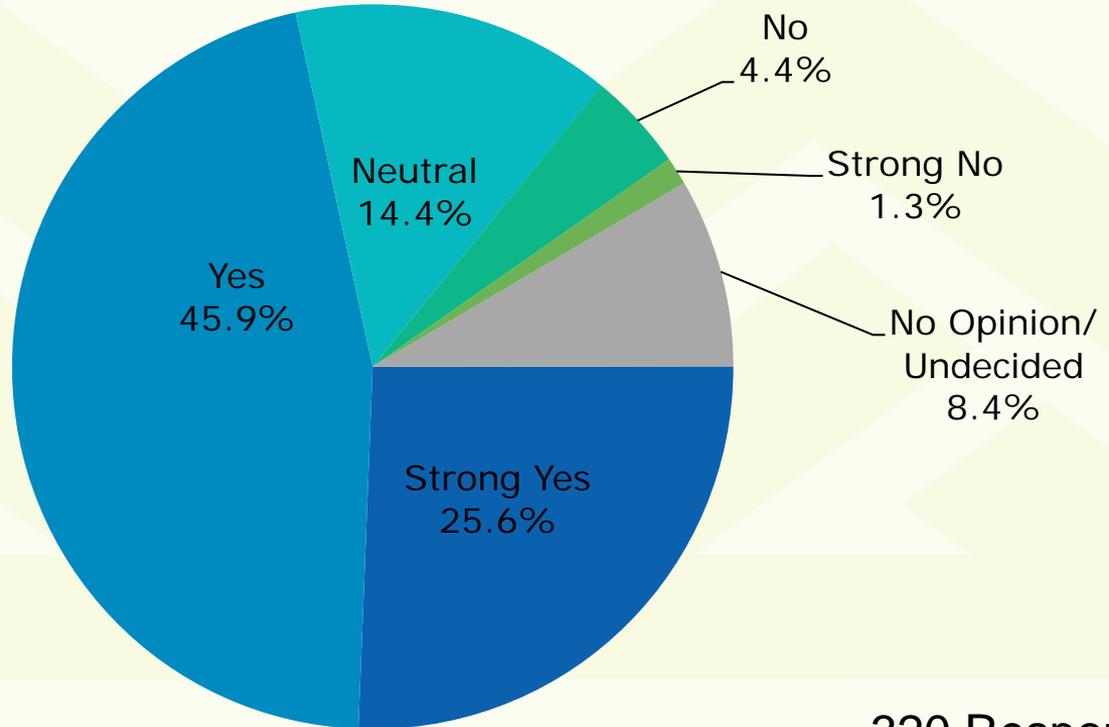


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On the whole, does MAG do an adequate job of remaining apolitical?

Role of MAG

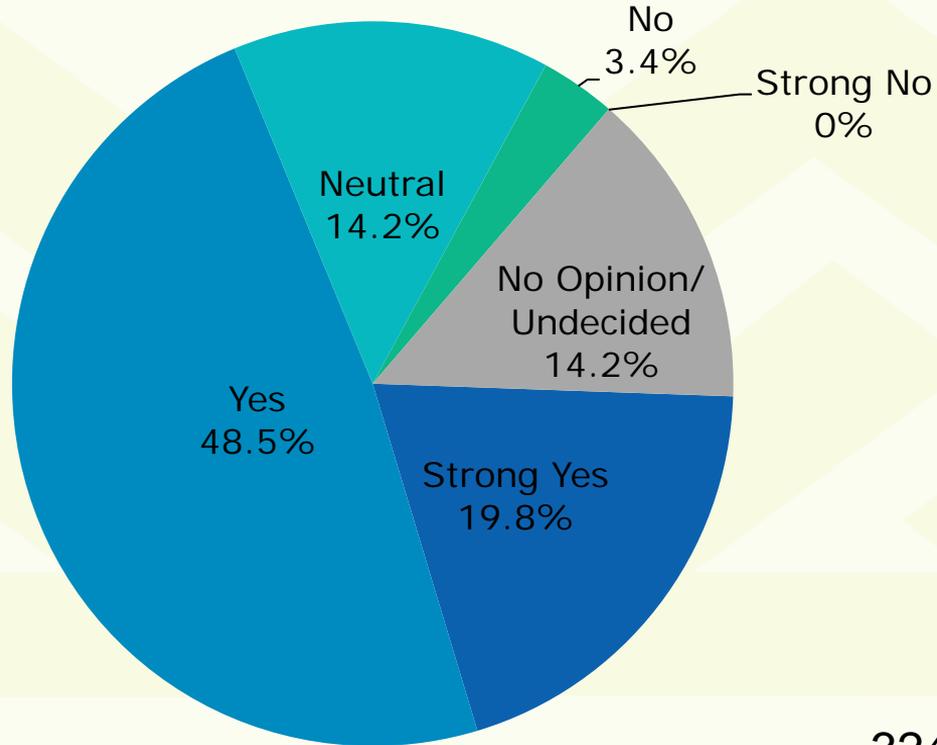


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Is MAG receptive to new ideas originated by its member agencies?

Organizational Responsiveness

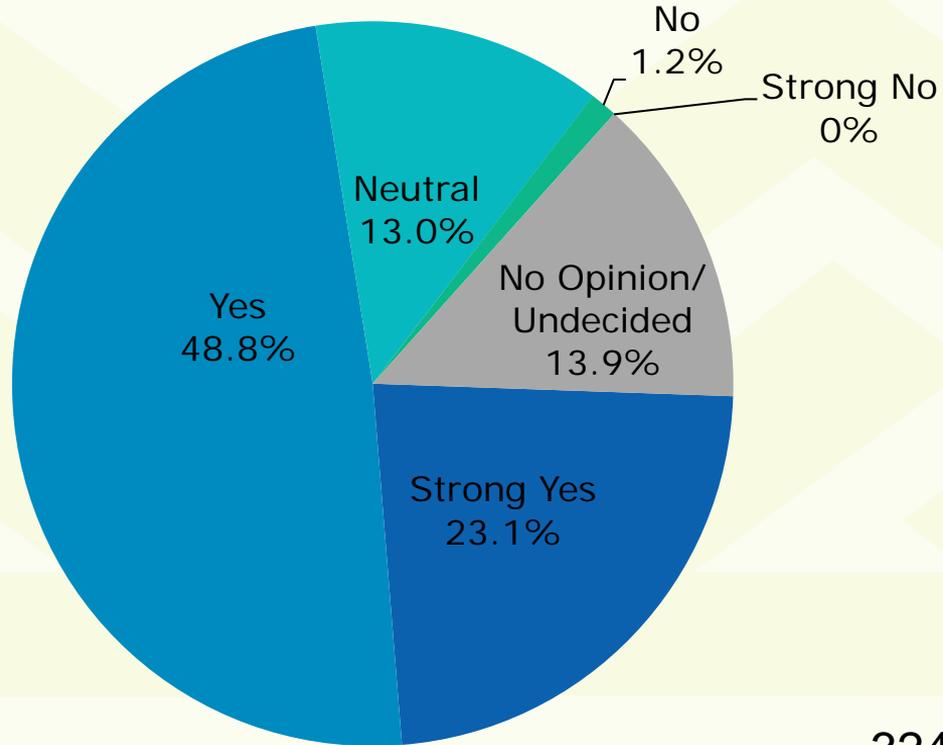


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Is MAG responsive to requests for assistance from its member jurisdictions?

Organizational Responsiveness

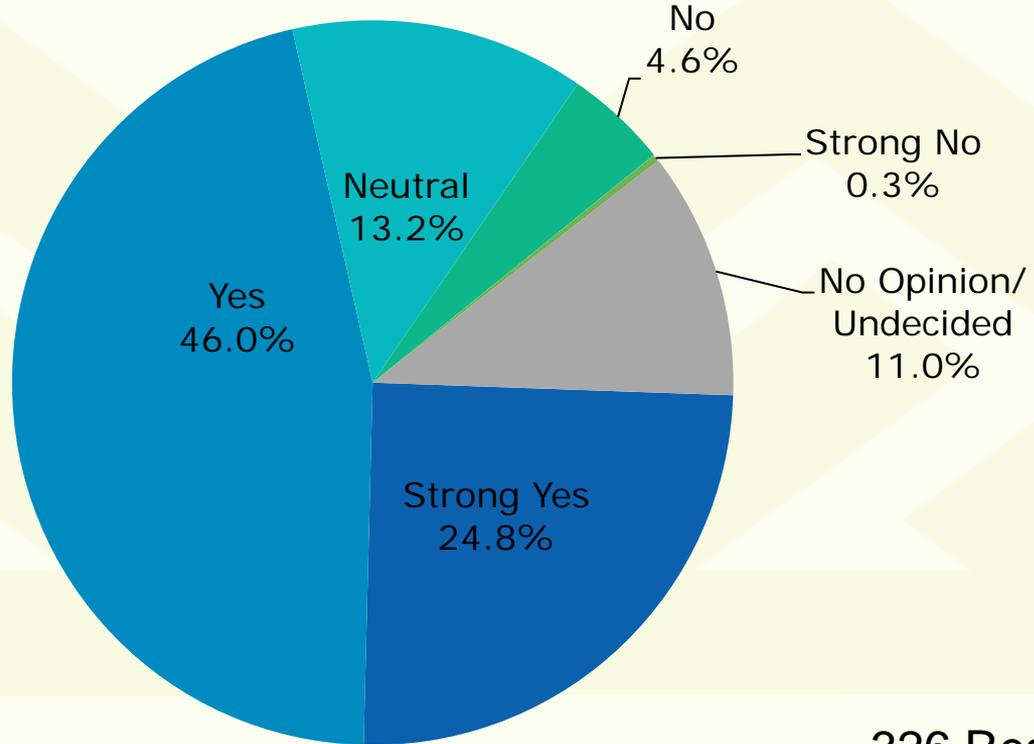


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Does MAG appear to take seriously stakeholder perceptions of the organization?

Organizational Responsiveness



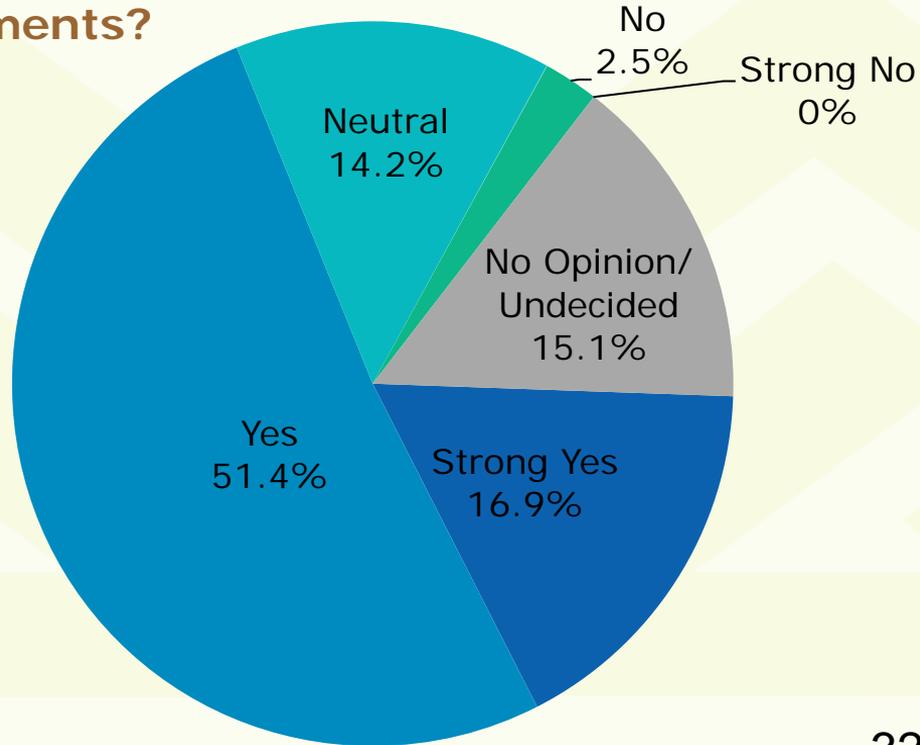
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Organizational Responsiveness



Does MAG amend its processes and procedures over time to adjust to lessons learned, changes in the political environment, and new federal, state or local requirements?

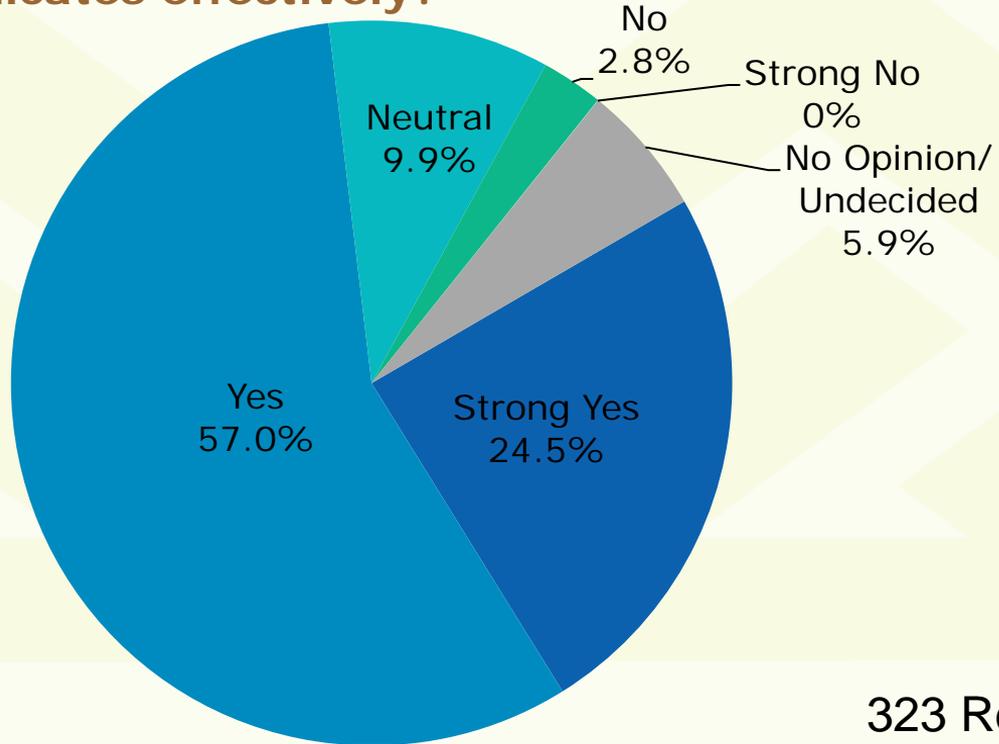


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Based on your knowledge of MAG's publications, reports, Internet material, presentations, and participation in meetings, would you say that MAG communicates effectively?

Communication

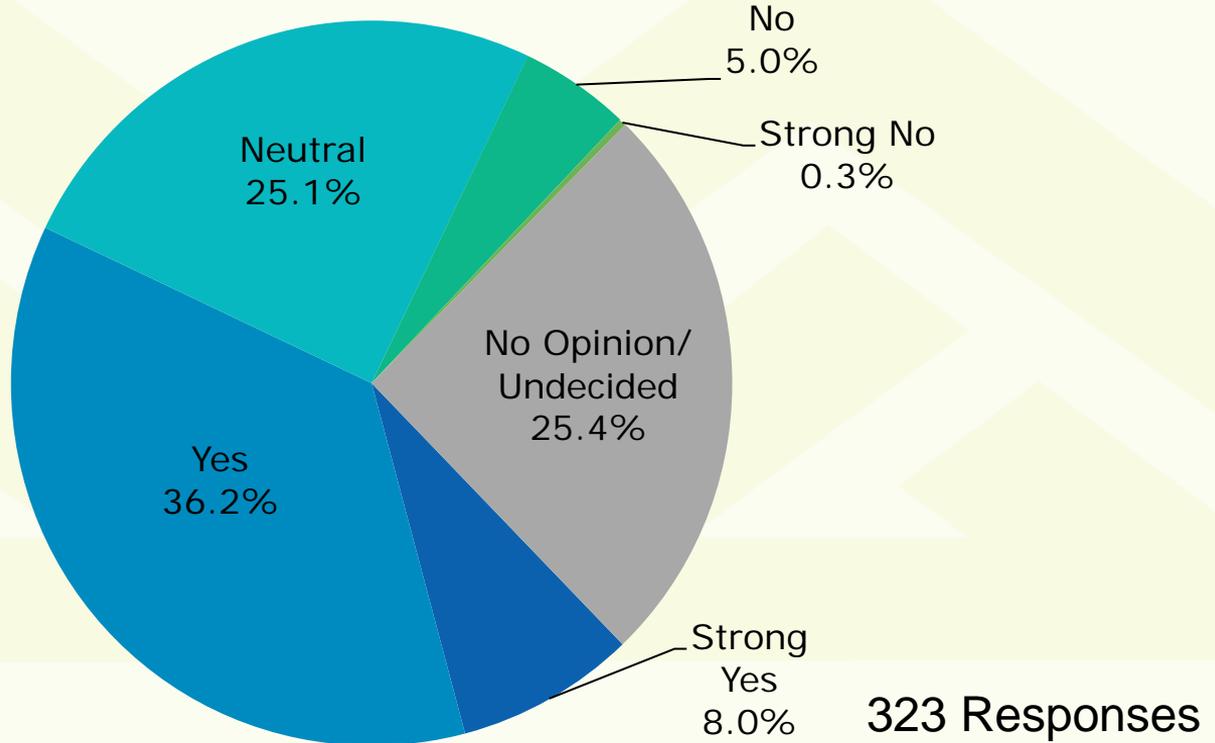


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Does MAG work effectively with local media?

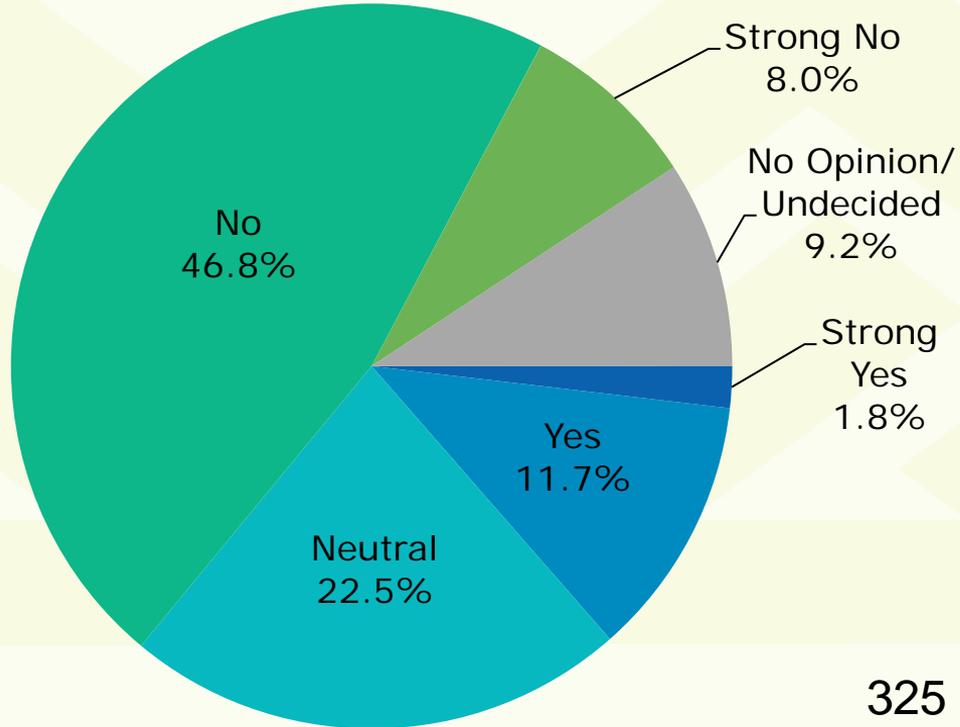
Communication





Do you think there is sufficient understanding in the community of what MAG is and does?

Communication



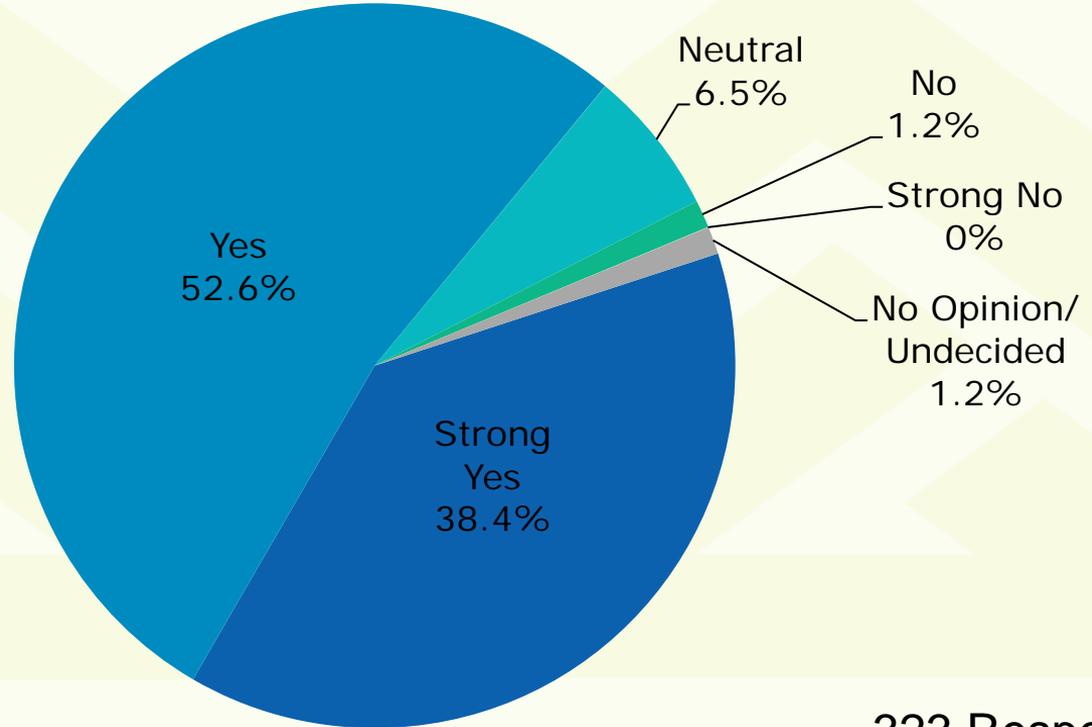
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Reputation



Do you perceive MAG as an important resource in the region?

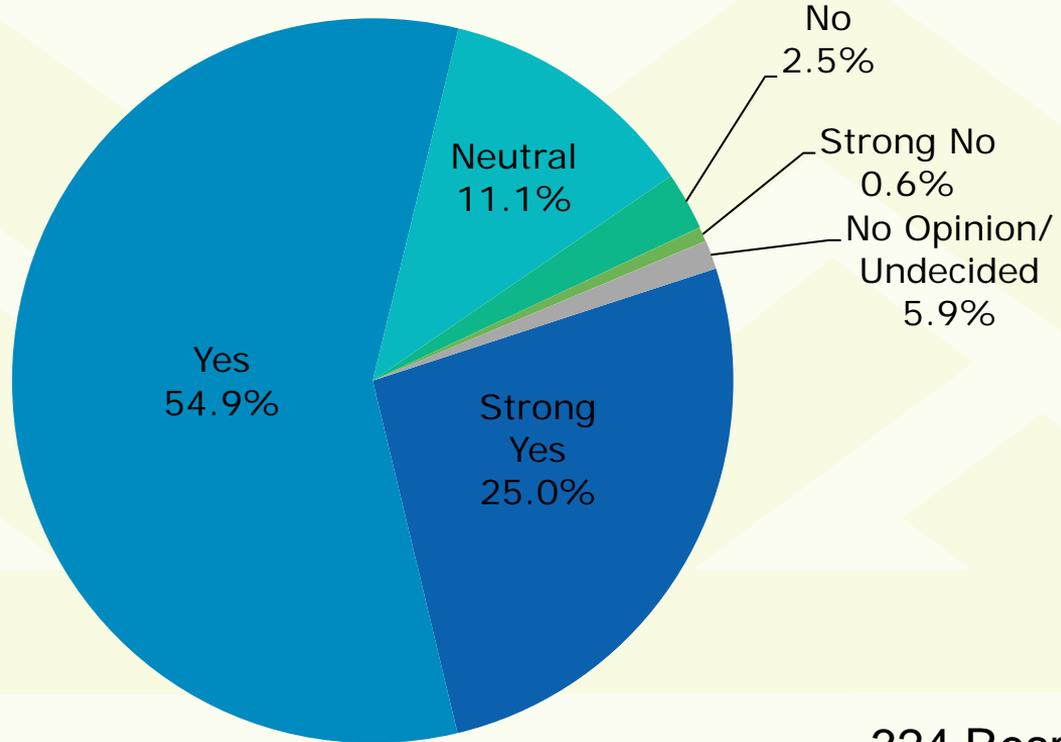


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Has MAG earned a positive reputation as an important partner in regional issues?

Reputation



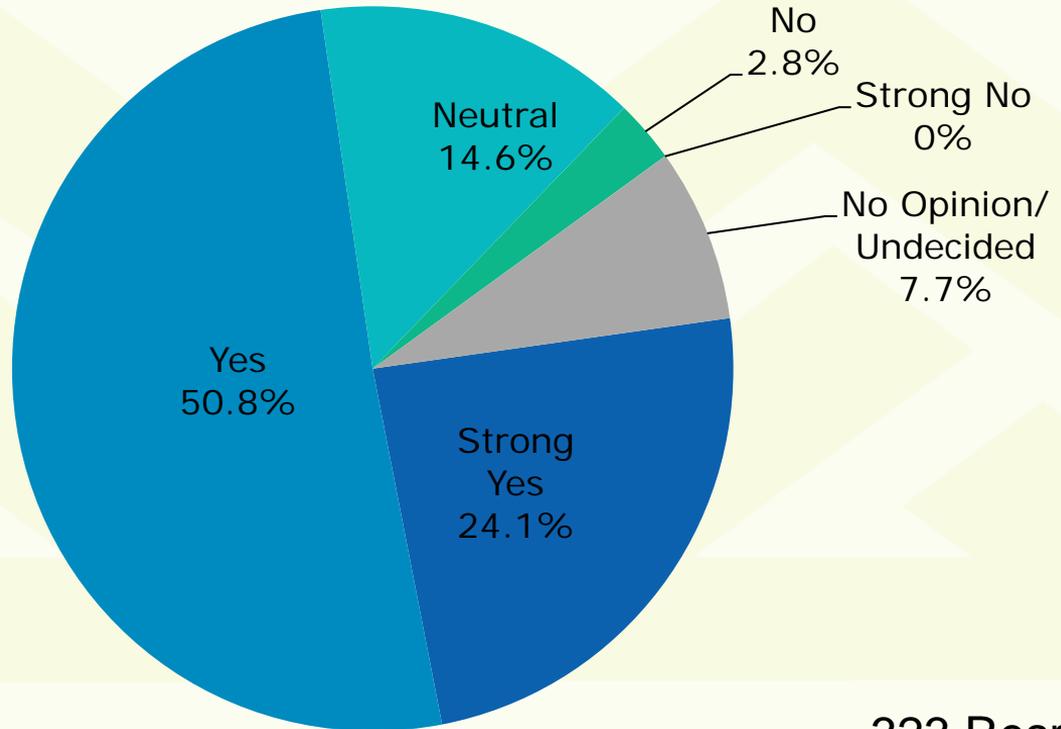
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Reputation



Does MAG make it clear by virtue of its actions, that it understands that accurate information is a primary source of its credibility and influence?

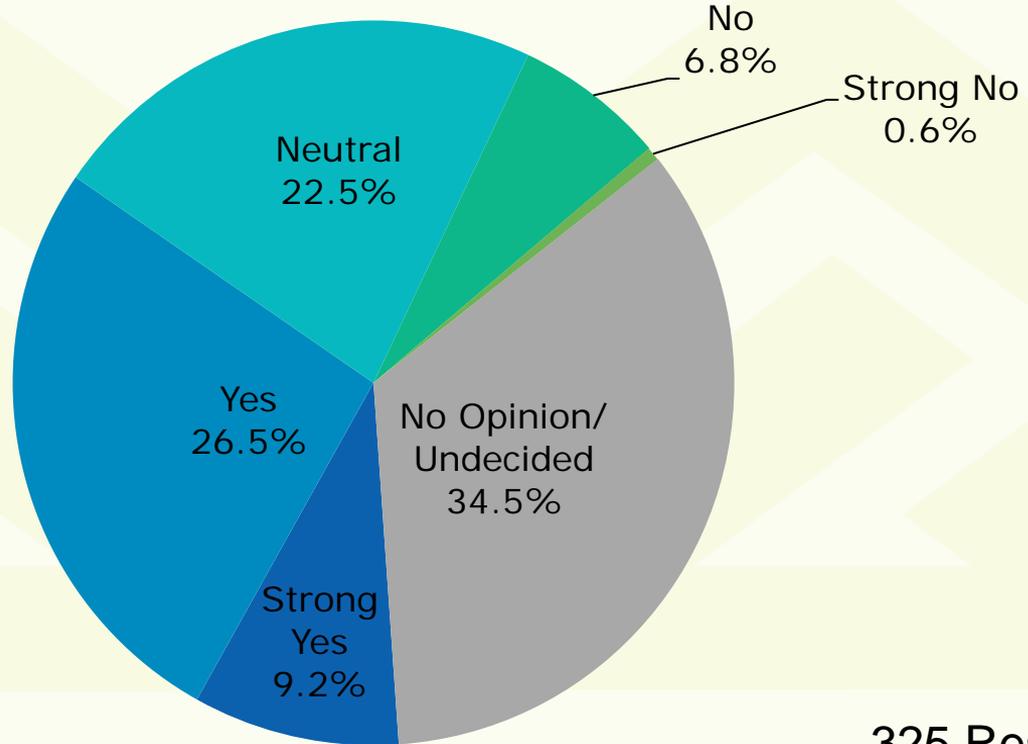


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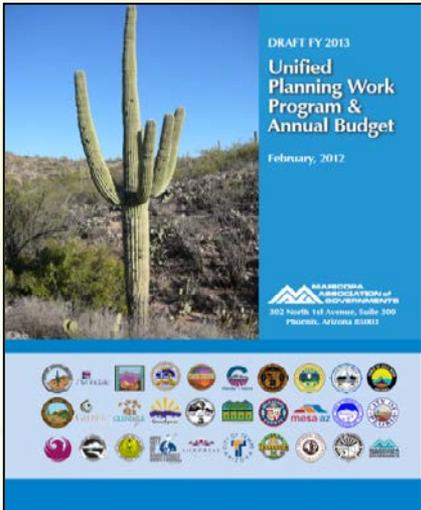


Has MAG been successful in seeking out program support from non-governmental sources, including foundations, the private sector, individuals, or nonprofit organizations?

Fiscal Considerations



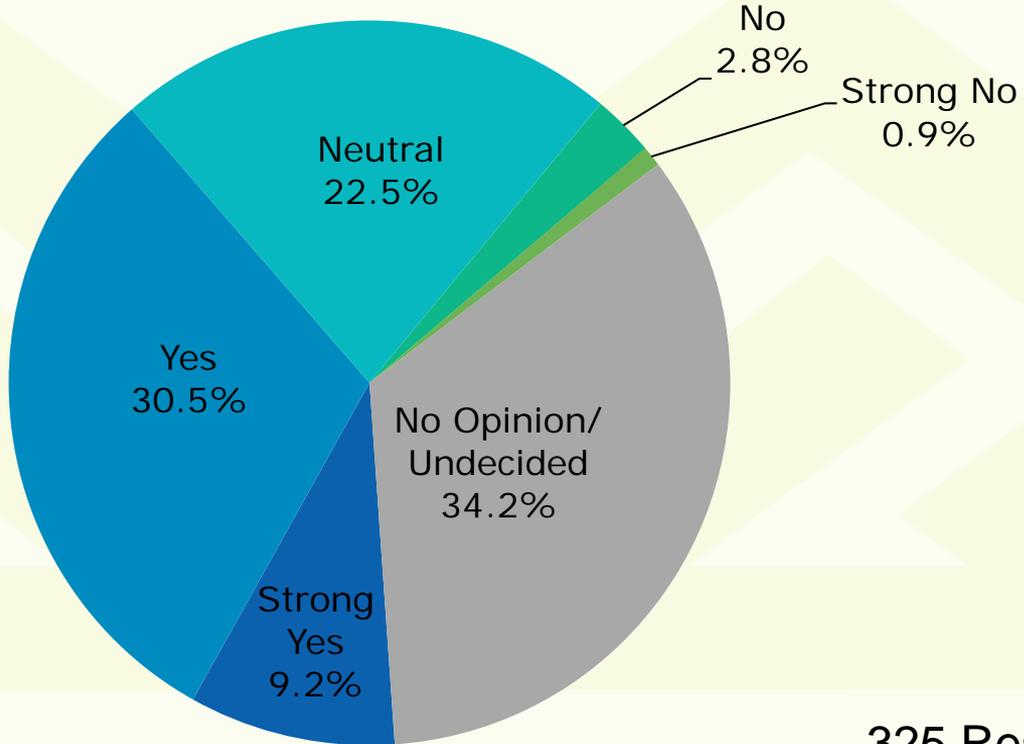
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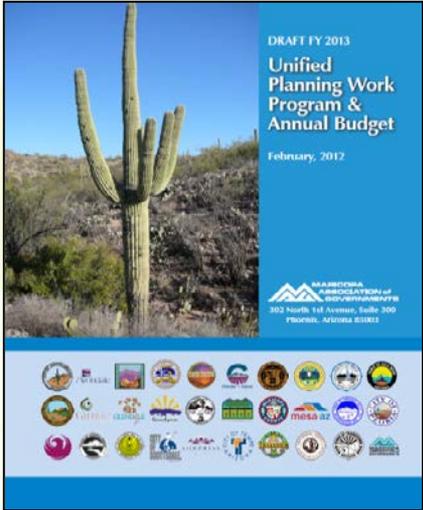


Does MAG reach out regularly to funding partners to communicate, evaluate progress and performance, and explore opportunities for additional funding and projects?

Fiscal Considerations



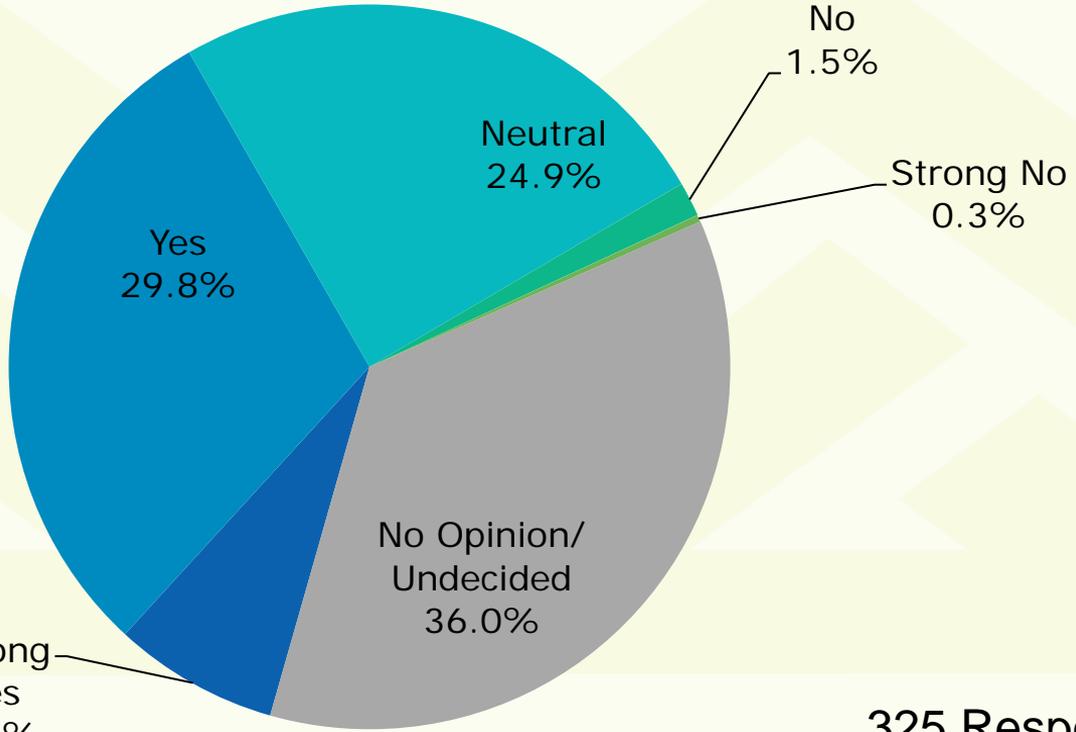
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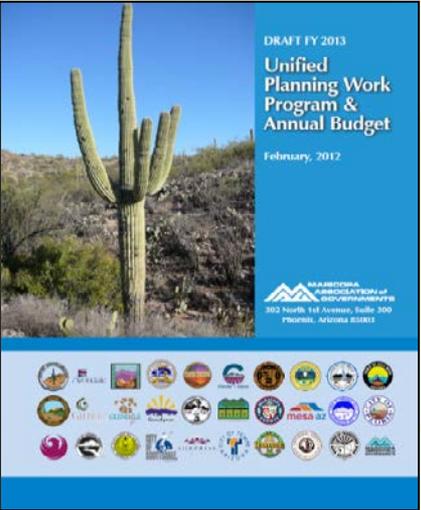


Has MAG been successful in containing the cost of its services?

Fiscal Considerations



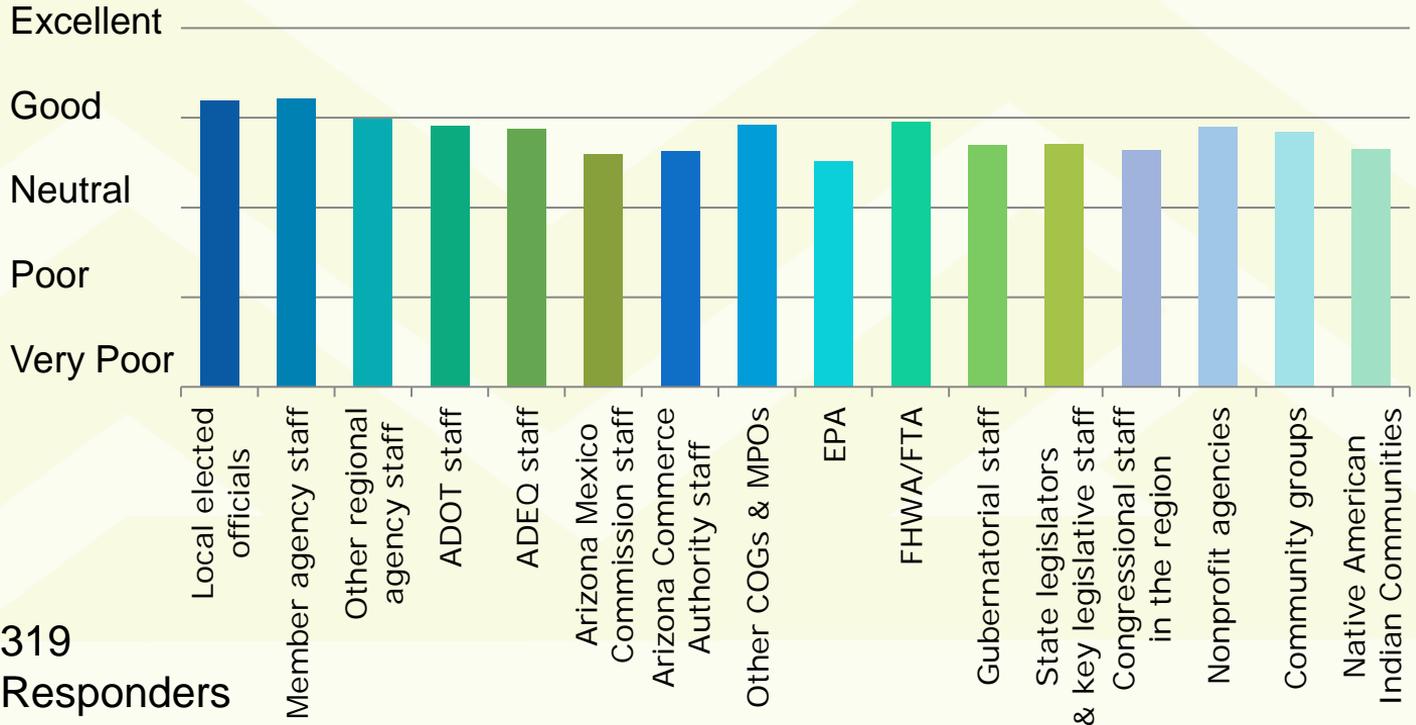
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How would you rate the relationship MAG has with the following?

Relationships

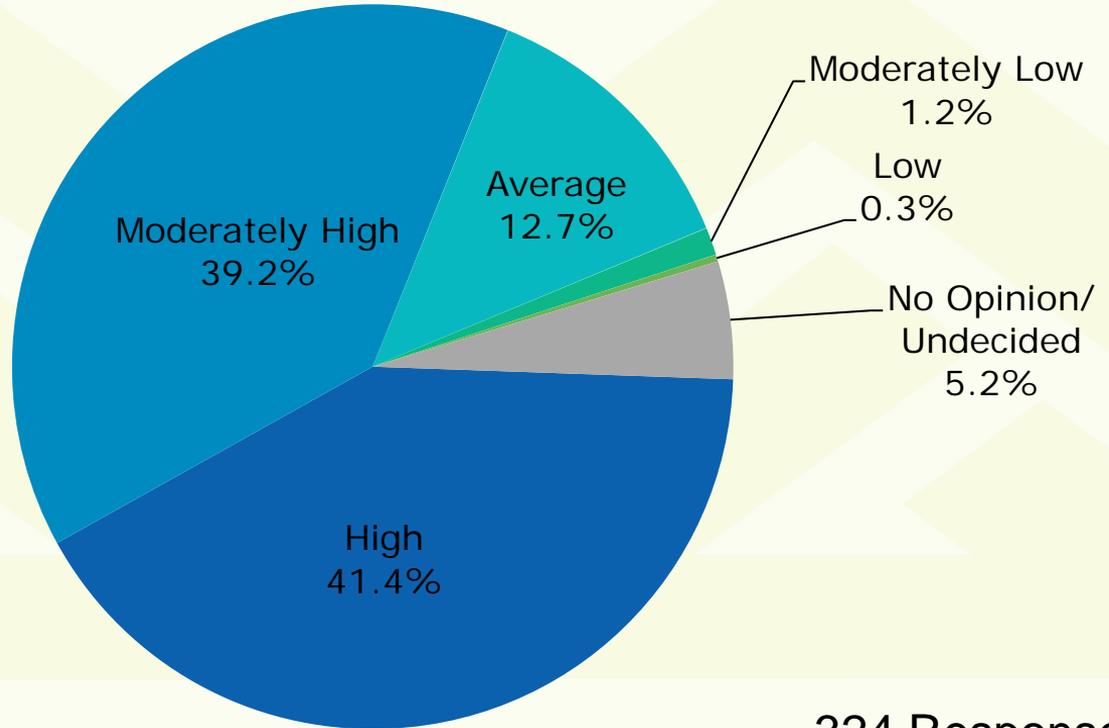


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How would you rate the quality of the data developed by MAG?

MAG Staff and Data

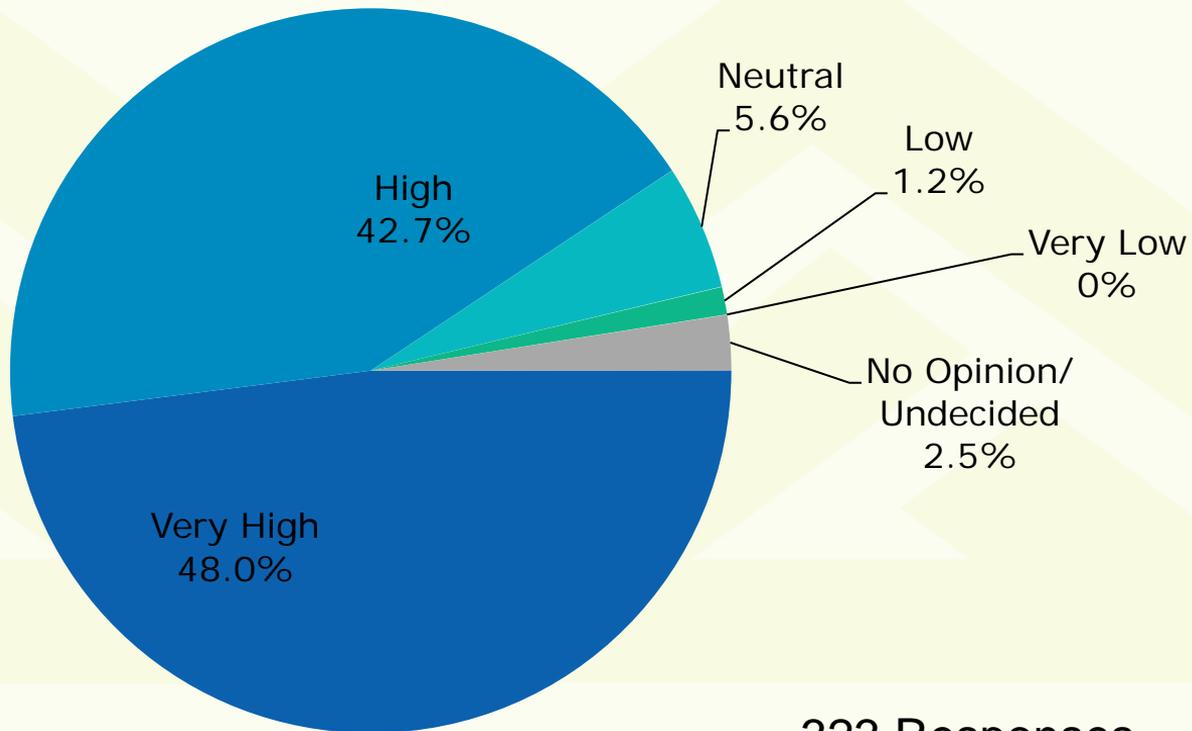


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How would you rate the competence and professionalism of MAG staff?

MAG Staff and Data



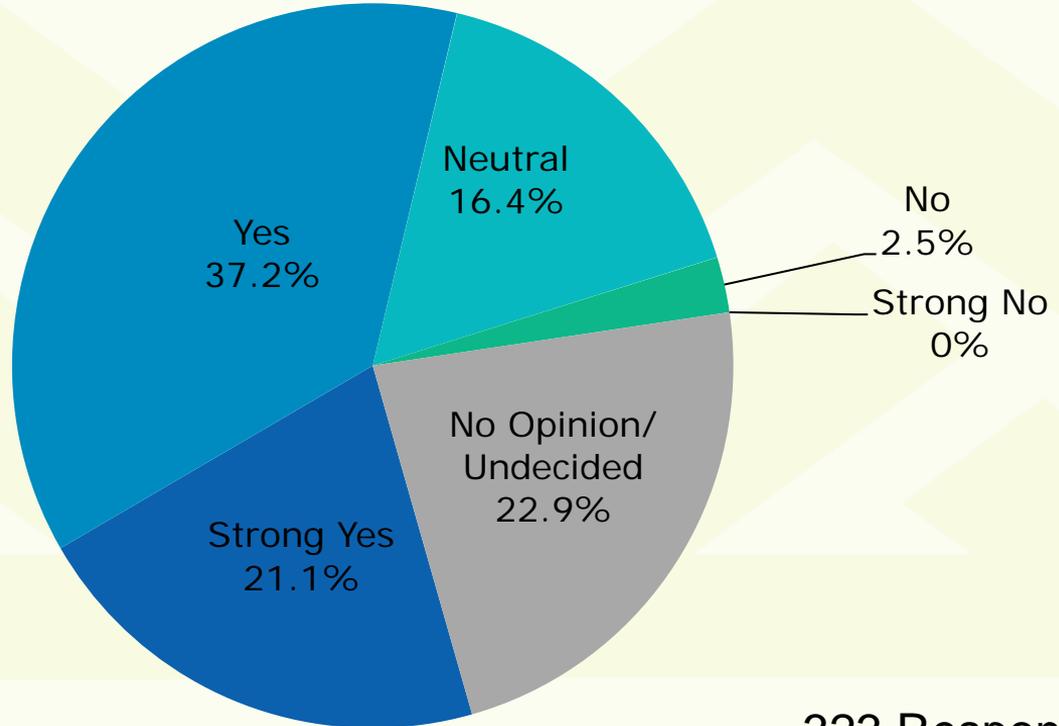
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MAG Staff and Data



Has MAG been successful in empowering its staff to conceive, design and pursue the development of new programs and ideas, including potential revenue sources?



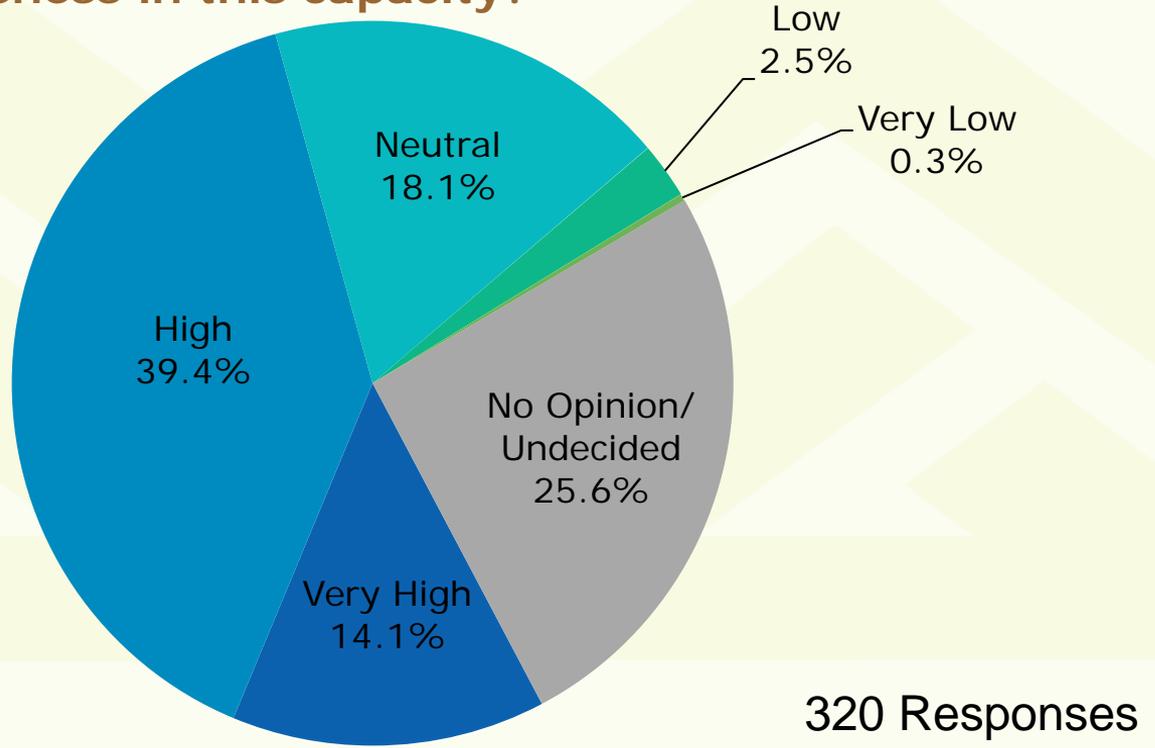
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Regional Leadership



MAG often finds itself facilitating a solution between member jurisdictions on one hand and state and/or federal agencies on the other. How would you rate MAG's effectiveness in this capacity?

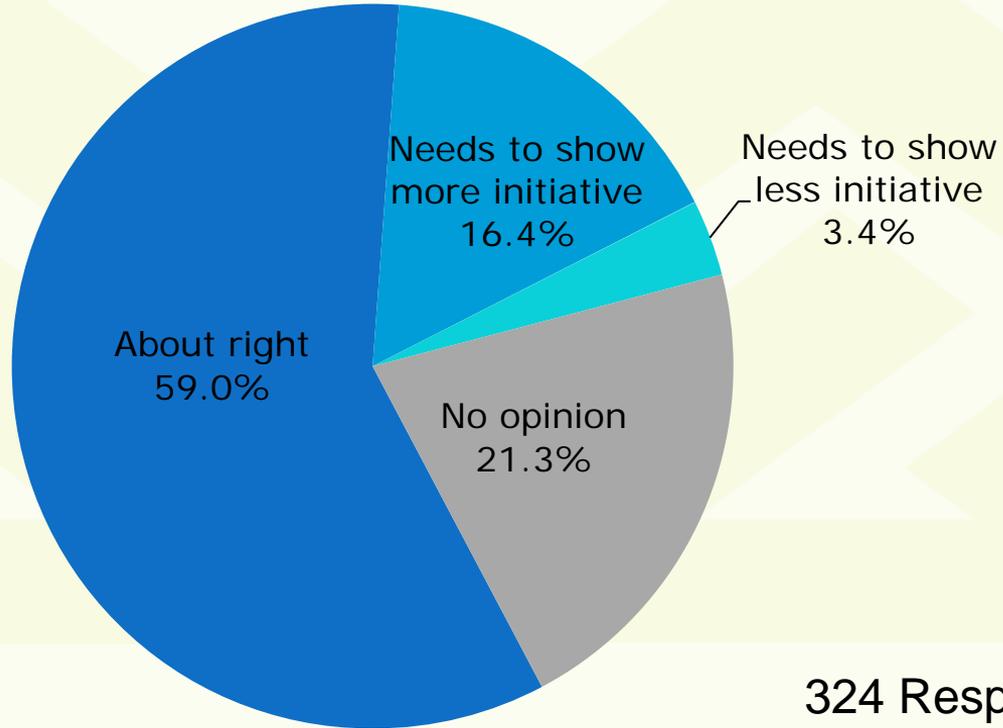




Regional Leadership



Does MAG show an appropriate level of initiative in becoming involved in new issues and in developing new programs and services?



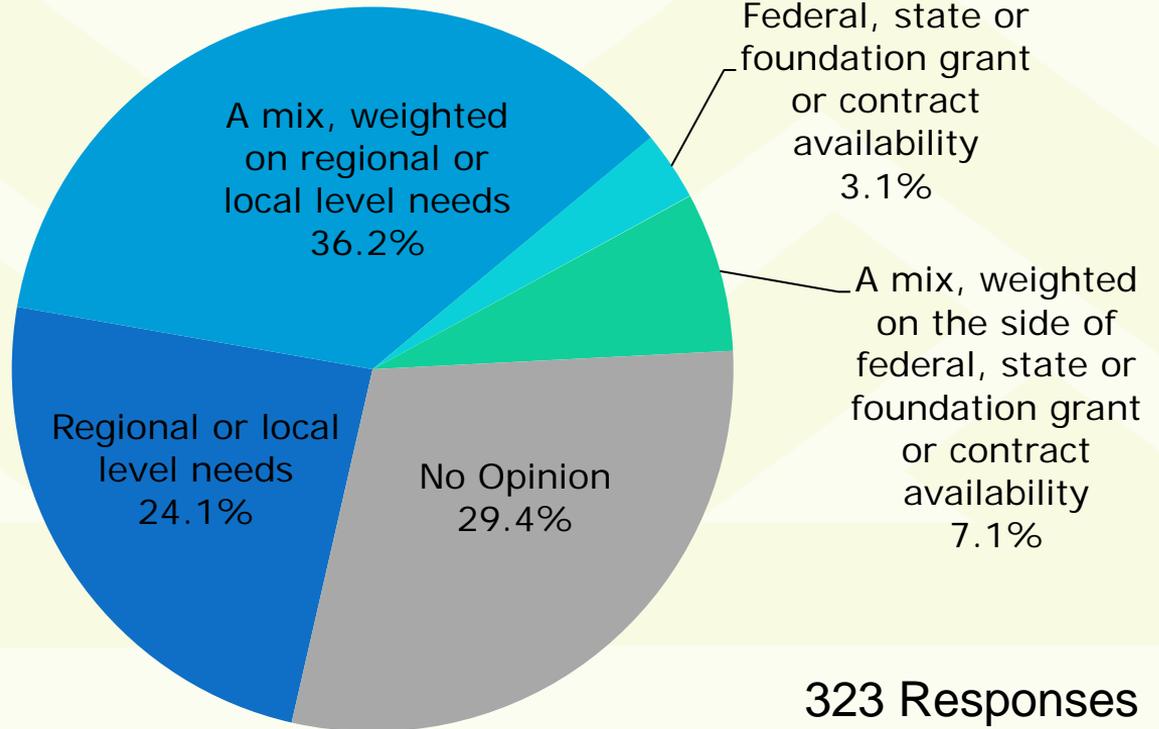
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Regional Leadership



What is the prime motivation behind MAG developing new programs or expanding or extending current ones?

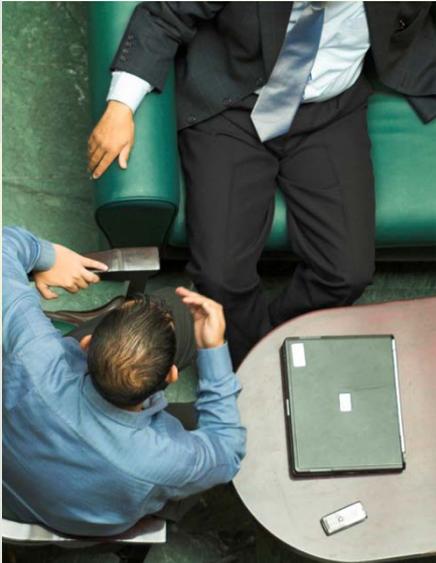


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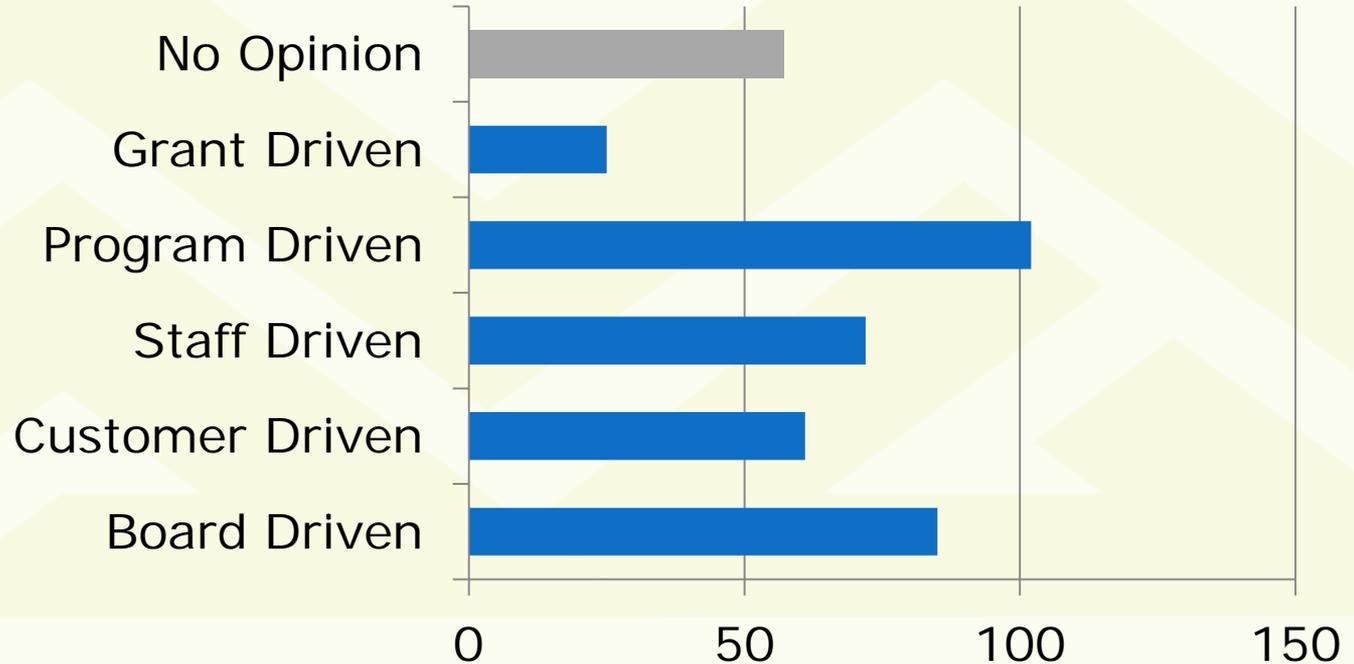


Which of the following do you believe best describes MAG (choose one or more)?

Organizational Leadership



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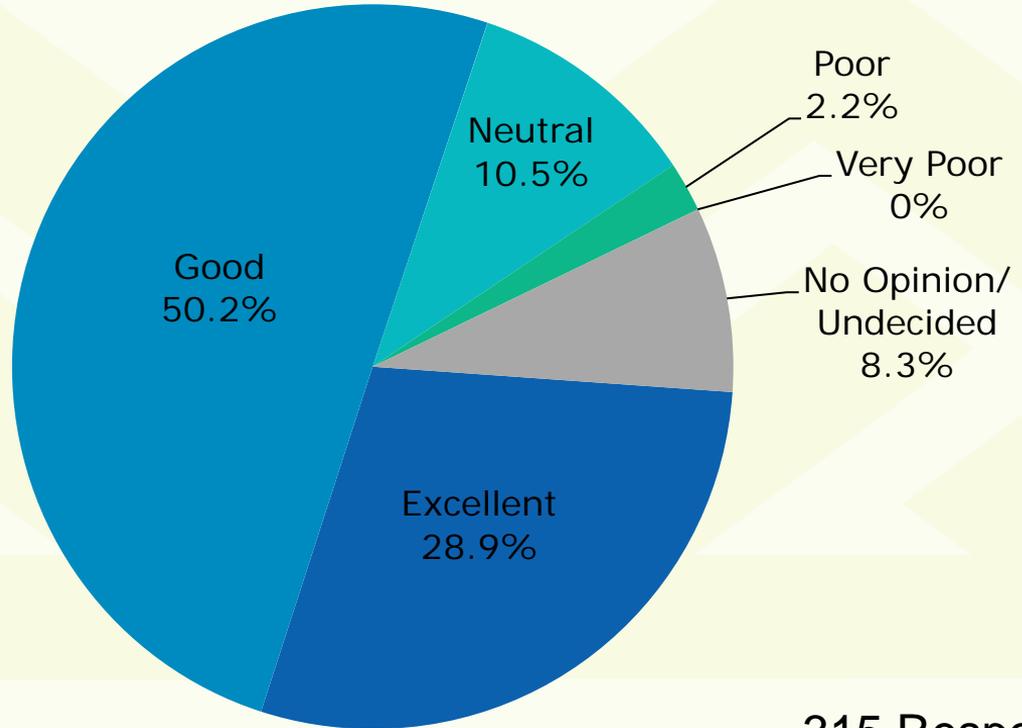




Organizational Leadership



How would you rate the leadership of MAG as an organization?

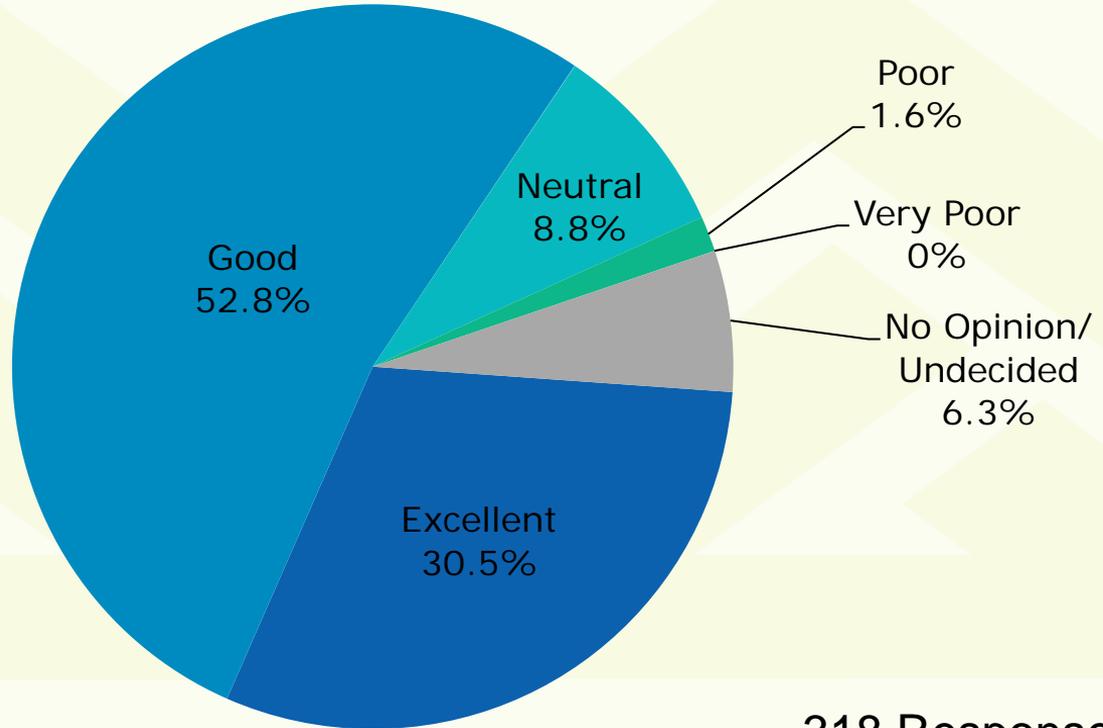


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Overall, how would you rate MAG's effectiveness at serving the region as a council of governments and metropolitan planning organization?

Wrap-up

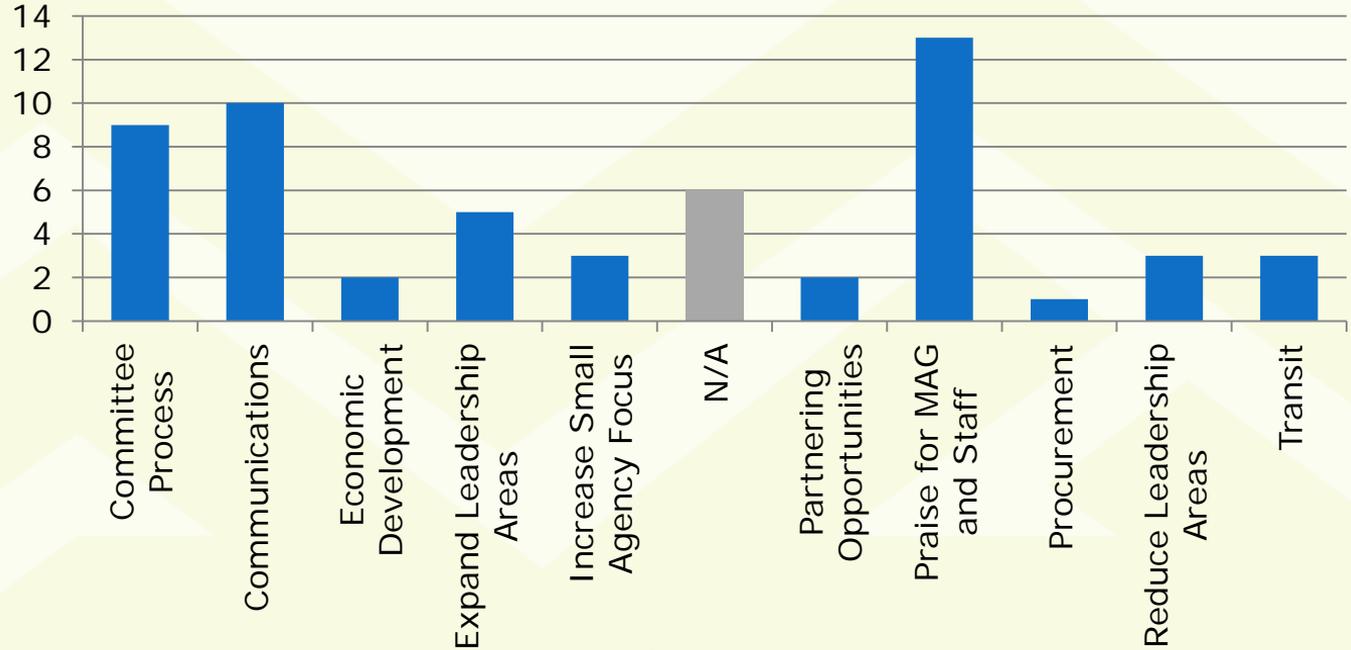


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