

ARPA Survey (English)

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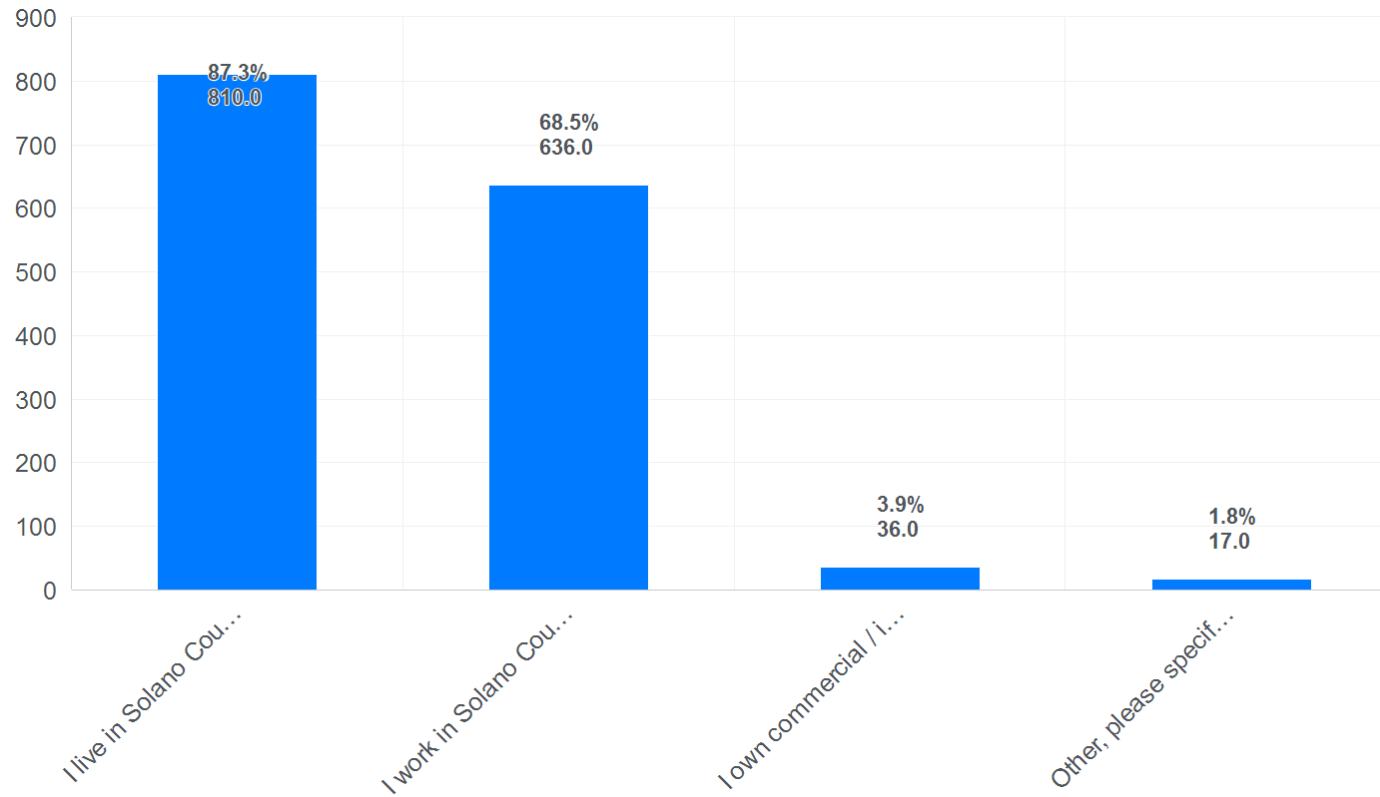
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Total number of responses collected: 929

1. (1) What is your connection to Solano County? (You may select more than one answer)

(Respondents were allowed to choose **multiple** responses)



2. If you clicked "other, please specify," write your connection to Solano County in the box below.

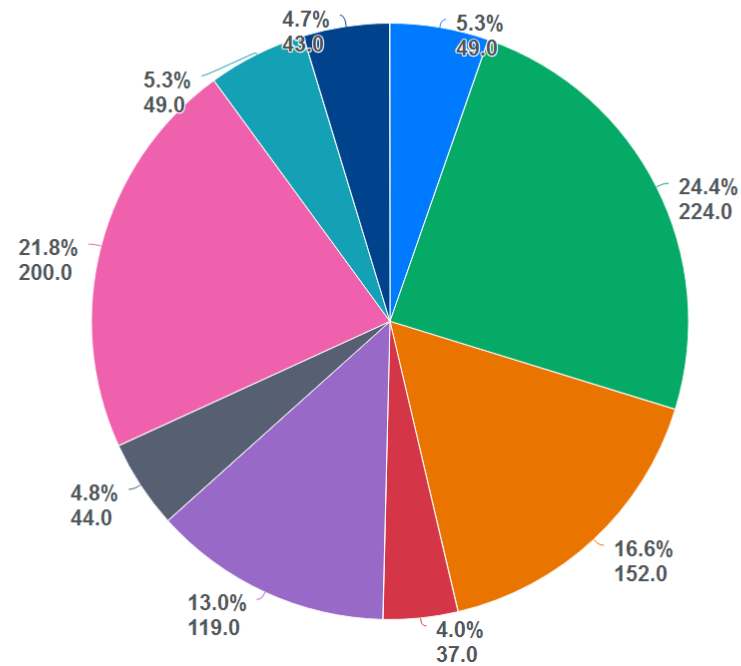
Response
Elected
I own a home in Solano County.
County Labor Union Representative
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Solano County is my home county.
Volunteer in the community through my church in Fairfield.
My husband rents a booth in a salon in Vallejo. We have considered purchasing the salon and taking full ownership, but we are afraid of where the City of Vallejo is headed.
Worship in Solano County
I was born & raised in Vallejo & my immediate family lives in Solano County.
Own a home
I operate a nonprofit in Solano County
Mother is retired Solano County Assistant Treasurer. Resident since 1976. My children and grandchild have been raised and attend school here.
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I have done volunteer work in, exercise in, go to the doctor and shop in Solano County
I own residential property in Solano County
homeowner/tax payer
I work at a nonprofit that serves Solano County

I work for Solano County Health and Social Services		
I work as an Employment Resource Specialist for Solano County		
I also work for Solano County.		
I retired from Solano County with 32 years service.		
solano county employee		
	Valid Responses	22
	Total Responses	929

7. (2) What was the most significant impact that COVID-19 had on you and your family?

(Respondents could only choose a **single** response)

- Health
- Behavioral Health (a...)
- Financial loss / Job...
- Family – Kids / Chil...
- Family - Kids / Scho...
- Family - Senior / Ot...
- All of the above
- None of the above
- Other, please specif...



4. If you clicked "other, please specify," write what was the most significant impact that COVID-19 had on you and your family?

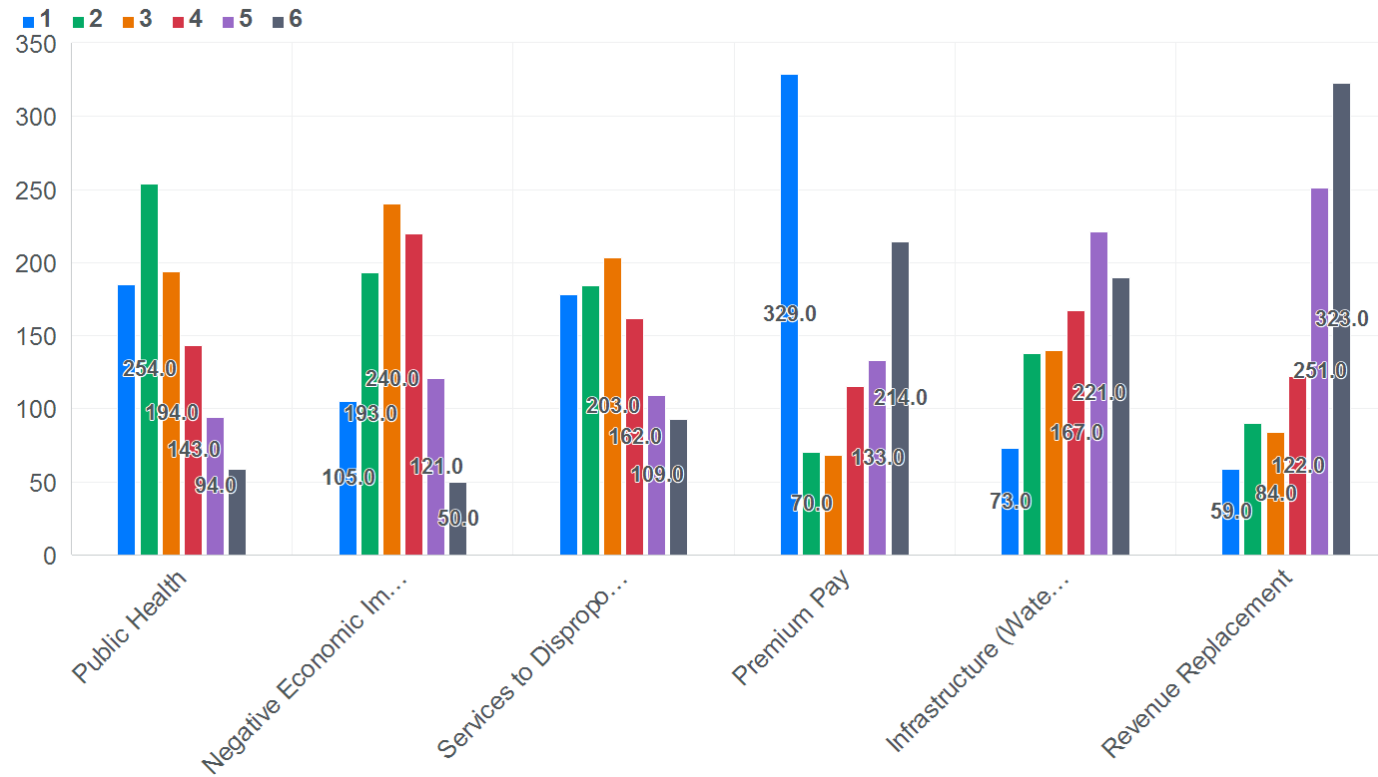
Response
Forced mask mandates. Masking does not guarantee anything other than social compliance. If people want to wear it, they can wear it, but masking only divides people and causes people to hide and be scared. That isn't American, that isn't free.
I was a mandated worker and had to come into the office everyday as my 74 year old mother had a 2nd heart attack in February as Covid was breaking out and was at high risk.
Lack of safety at work/on-the-job stress impact/health impact as a county employee, clinicians here in BH were forced to provide in-person services even for clients who refused to wear a maks during Summer 2021.
Behavioral Health, Family - kids/school/education, Family - senior/other family
Everything but "Financial loss / Job loss / Job Reduction / Business Impact"
Couldn't visit my father-in-law with dementia in the nursing home. My grandson missed out on his best, most fun year(s) of school (Kindergarten and 1st grade) due to having zoom class instead of in-person. Couldn't be with my husband in the ER/hospital
Behavioral health (child developed anxiety), prolonged distance learning (which has now resolved due to return in person), and challenges with childcare (which have not resolved).
Financial concerns, isolation, plus the concern of being forced too choose between my employment and a mandated vaccine. MY BODY MY CHOICE. I take precautions and wear my mask. Vaccination should be a choice you make with your doctor.
Job stress increase
Inconvenience with ridiculous mandates and business closures!
Decreased connection with friends/family
Forcing vaccines down our throat.
Kids/childcare and school
A growing homeless encampment now in my neighborhood.
Loss to close friends to mental health issues as a result of COVID-19. They took their lives
We run Faith Food Fridays, we were hit in at least 3 direct ways: 75% volunteer loss resulting in longer hour and more days for core staff, doubling then tripling of families needing food & severe shortage of donated food.

The forced restrictions that are in place and abolishment of personal choices for ourselves and our children.
Increased workload and hours (unpaid)
The "vaccine" has permanently injured both of my parents. I am absolutely furious and will hold you accountable for the untimely death of my parents.
Health, childcare because of lack of access to work, and behavioral concerns
Increase in work-related stress due to staffing shortages in our lines of work
My teenager became depressed, gain weight, lost interest in school and had to do extra summer school to graduate.
loss of income due to a renter not paying rent
Financial loss, Family - Senior, Behavioral Health (anxiety)
missed family gatherings- travel for weddings outside the country and to see family who haven't been seen for in total 5 years
What's covid?
HR Manager for essential business. Super high stress at work for 2 years.
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Loss of spay and neuter services offered by the animal shelter.
The County shelter stopped spay/neuter clinic. Now appointments are so limited. We NEED a free spay neuter clinic o ce a month like some of our surrounding Counties have!
we need FREE spay and neuter and vaccine services for the massive cat overpopulation that continues to explode in this county.
Loss of all low cost / high volume spay, neuter and vaccine services for feral & stray cats.
No place to take domestic and feral cats for low cost spay and neuter services
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Was not able to follow through on Census job since public exposure to Covid may have led to heart condition issues
Im a teacher, so Covid totally changed the way I did my job.
I work in long-term care and my work has been significantly impacted by Covid-19

Being short staffed		
As a county employee, COVID-19 had a significant impact on how we did business. I supervise an accounting unit and had to continue to work in the office to cover for teleworking staff.		
Being an essential worker and having to work thru the worst time of the pandemic and not being able to telework. My husband and children were also essential workers, so we all had to work and pray that we would not get sick.		
Limited our activities in participating in musical groups.		
Family deaths		
COVID-19 made my work much more challenging as I did not work from home and am public facing.		
as an essential worker, I had an increased workload and less co-workers, I had to go to work everyday and was exposed to the public. Stressful and dangerous, but I needed my job.		
loss of income due to I didn't work my part time loss of \$1200 a month.		
behavioral health, family education, childcare,		
stress of continuing to work and serve the public		
Had to go into work every day as I work for the county. No working from home option even though my department has had many Covid positive tests!!		
HALTH - EXPOSURE TO COVID 19		
Isolation		
Being able to live a normal life		
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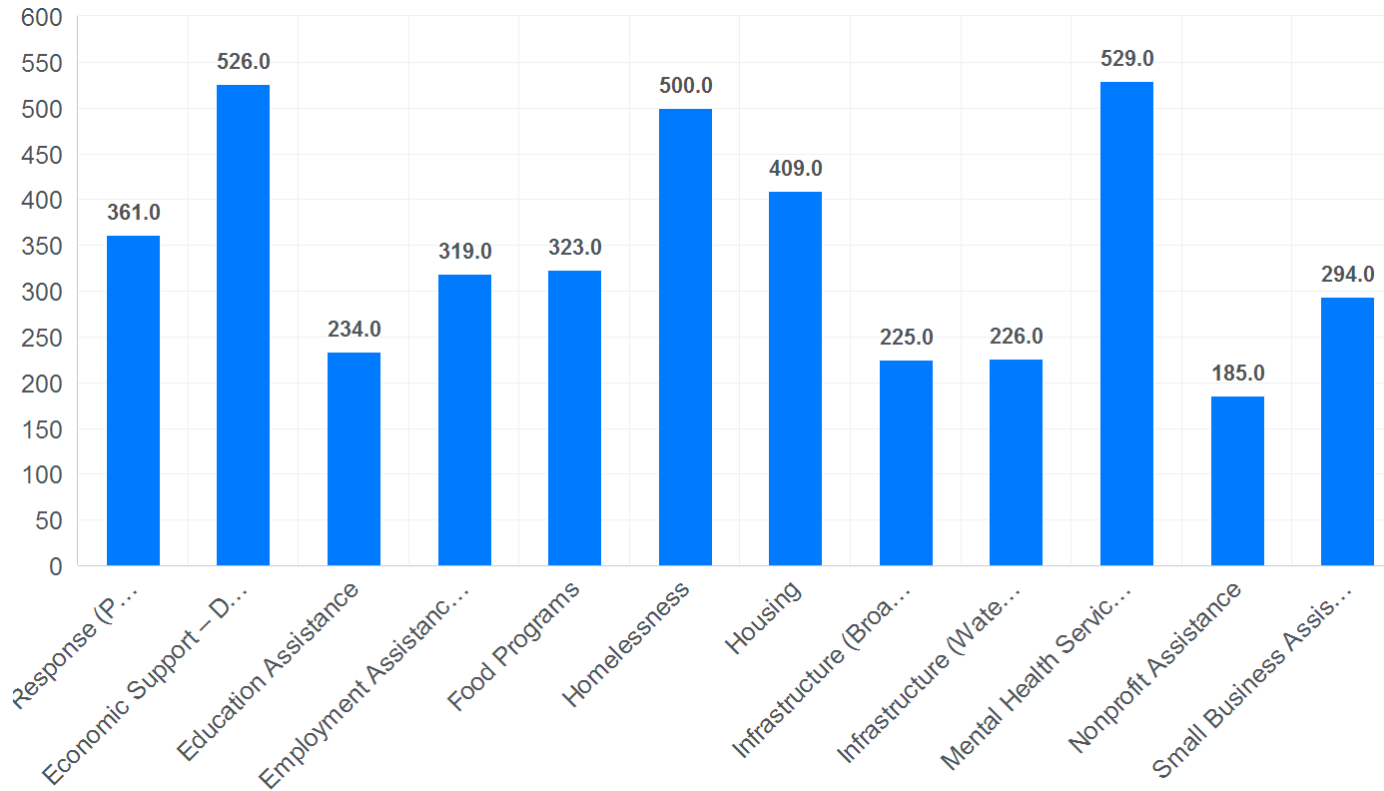
6. (3) Please rank in priority the eligible ARPA spending categories? (1 Being the highest)

Respondents were asked to **rank** their choice(s).



8. (4) What projects would you recommend the County focus on investing ARPA One-time Direct Recovery Funds? (You may select more than one answer)

(Respondents were allowed to choose **multiple** responses)



9. (5) What other projects would you invest in?

Response
child care for working parents
mental health facility and mobile crisis teams deployed in the county
Employment restructuring
roads and bridges
Caregiver support
Construction of affordable housing and homeless shelters due to one time funding
Staff hiring and retention
Public transportation
Child care relief support for working parents
Retention incentives to front line workers
Public transportation, bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure
Employment and food programs
Fiber internet
Reforming the Sheriff's Department with an oversight committee.
Animal services- We need a sole TNR vet to work with rescues only in Solano County
Replacing the Vallejo PD.
Student health risks due to the pandemic.

Youth workforce development
Communicable Diseases as there has been an increase in syphilis since COVID
High frequency high coverage public transit. More public transit means more spending on small businesses
senior care- addressing isolation with mobile and in home nursing, check ins, support regardless of eligibility status
YOUR EMPLOYEES
recreational activities, after school child care for working families.
Retention of staff, increase hiring and stipends
.
Educating the public health department officials about the importance of masking for all residents to reduce the high rate of spread of Covid 19 in our county, so that these public health officials support masking mandates.
Employee Retainment Strategies
Streamlined hiring /onboarding for county programs & increased teleworking flexibility.
More section 8 vouchers
Community Beautification
Affordable housing that is NOT in the ghettos
Early Learning and Care - Child Care
Not sure
Child care infrastructure - facilities, workforce
none
EMPLOYEES THAT WORK FOR THE COUNTY
Deaf and hard of hearing comprehensive education program birth to high school run by solano county office of ed
Substance Abuse Intervention and Prevention in schools

Additional mental health services at K-12 schools
School programs.
Affordable Housing for Middle Class
free wifi at low income apartments
Childcare
Youth Programs
Public health infrastructure and prevention of alcohol, tobacco, drug use, and chronic diseases
purchase and renovate older commercial buildings for temporary homeless small communities or shelters.
County employees
replacement of water pipes in Benicia
Ensuring the water and sewage is working and that drainage is adequate to avoid road closure and flooding.
None.
Clarification- tiny homes and purchase infill properties. These big boondoggle homeless projects take too long and don't house very many people. Tiem is of the essence.
providing resources to service providers for individuals with disabilities so that they can move away from clinic based services and return to in-home services (which is best practice) to support families better
Expand public parks and bike friendly infrastructure. There is space set aside for a public park at Paradise Crest off Manual Campos, but Fairfield has not developed the land set aside by Seeno Homes for a public park for the last 10 years.
N/A
Mental health is the biggest one for me, as well as assisting those disproportionately affected by the virus.
Mobile Crisis Units in schools
MH, Homelessness/Housing, non-profit and small business assistance
Mental health
one-time wish list projects that come with unanticipated money

Black Business loans
Early intervention and education for children birth to five
Busses buy more and raises to get more bus drivers
County employees
Emergency Housing for Mental Health
Crime and safety!
Vallejo businesses
County Staff Retention Efforts
Support fir those mainly impacted by the pandemic. The poor, homeless and disenfranchised.
Better public transit and more housing to meet the demand.
More healthy supermarkets and too much empty land. Build community centers or affordable housing.
Disaster preparedness and response
Route 12 needs some serious consideration toward improvements both due to greatly increased truck traffic and congestion/back ups from the Rio Vista bridge, garbage all over the highway, and additional lane (s) or a weigh station
n/a
Litter removal, public safety.
Outdoor recreational opportunities
More covered outdoor public facilities for large gatherings
assistance for those addicted to drugs
Special needs equipment
additional funds should go to communities impacted by social inequities
Universal Basic Income trial study

Pay Solano county deputies more. They deserve to be paid more and compensated for what they do
We need to address homelessness/mental health issues in all our cities!
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Municipal broadband support for local cities.
pay your first responder's more money. The deputies at your agency need to be compensated for the hard work and dedication during these hard times. The county owes them. pay them more money
Small Businesses like mine forced to stay open, requires direct contact but medically was unable to do it due to underlying medical conditions
Workers who can buy affordable housing rent is too expensive
art
Temporary housing for county residents
Please pay the deputies at the sheriffs office more. They worked really hard during the pandemic and sacrificed a lot. They were short staffed during the pandemic and are short staffed.
Sheriffs office deputy's sacrificed a lot and worked short staffed during the pandemic with no respect from the county. Compensate them with better pay and bonuses
StaviliIng jobs by increasing county salaries, particularly for social services who have worked through the pandemic.
Preference for Job Training for those who were FIRED for not taking the clot shot.
Road maintenance
Improve mass transit options for commuters heading back to non remote workplaces
24 Hour Mental Health and Social Workers for the entire county.
Tiny homes, RVs for unhoused with land and hookups,
Solano Dream Center
Economic support for essential workers
Green economy
Food for those in need

Public trail creation and maintenance.
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climate change projects
Housing - racial health equity
Police/Sheriff oversight mechanisms
Housing clinic, tenant/landlord hotline, a homeless shelter, a tiny home community or an outdoor tent city (including case management) and support to churches willing to use property to support the homeless.
Youth!!!!
Infrastructure - road repair, debris removal, "eye-sore" mitigation
Capital funding, youth programs support and new vans for Faith Food Fridays.
Starter home housing
Faith Based organizations that suffered during the pandemic and can't support the community as before
Teen and Youth centers (More of them and Better funded) for children to participate in. Be offered life classes and coping skills. Offer mentors from businesses; along with a DIVERSITY of sports & ACTIVITIES that support physical and mental activity.
Please do not invest in infrastructure. This has nothing to do with Covid and recovery. The President's infrastructure plan will cover local infrastructure.
Respite Care for Families with individuals with special needs.
Law Enforcement
organizations that are focused on renewable resources and climate change (i.e: carboncycle.org, theclimatecenter.org, fibershed.org)
Investing in local governments who lost funds during the pandemic.
Solar and wind farms
Outdoor Encampments for Homeless and Shelters for Homeless

RETURN the \$ to the Federal government and immediately STOP the emergency. There is no emergency.
We have many underfunded Non-profits programs that are trying to serve this county, I would like to see 20% of the funding be set aside for RFPs from Non-Profits.
N/A
Repair the potholes in the roads and streets
Road and sidewalk repair
Projects that support at risk populations
A percentage set aside for nonprofits to apply through RFPs.
health coverage for everyone
Childcare programs
Getting our youth up to grade levels, since they lost so much during the 19/20 and 20/21 school years. Our future depends on making sure they are taken care of educationally.
Green energy
non violence projects
Special education support for families and professionals
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Supporting public safety resources
Supporting employee who might be experience secondary trauma
Transportation, help with car repairs, uber/lift/taxi vouchers etc.,.
Projects that build community connection and resilience (eg. map your neighborhood, resilient neighborhoods)
N/A
Assistance with displaced worker getting back into the workforce. Workforce retraining to meet jobs available in county
Address climate change

Use empty buildings for homeless and assist with 3 meals n health care.
Youth
Spay/Neuter clinic for companion animals
Hiring a new health officer to replace Bela Matyas!
Seniors
Childcare facilities for working parents who can not afford private ones and yet not eligible for the subsidy program.
Crime prevention #1
More Mental Health services
Schools/education
Staff pay increases.
Addressing needs of youth related to social isolation
n/a
Childcare support. After school programs. Education support.
Solano County needs another detox facility for substance use disorder managed by non profit organization committed to substance use recovery.
A new Director of Public Health and a Public Health Agency that is both current and effective. Solano has been devoid of such .
Water conservation
Elderly / Dementia Care Services & Teen community centers (YMCA / Boys & Girls Clubs / Recreational Centers)
Healthcare & Housing for Elderly
Faith Food Friday Vallejo- do so much good- need help to repair/replace the roof and funding for larger refrigerators or maybe just a new building all together
Senior Home Repair Services that would help keep seniors in their homes...ie mobile home repairs, etc
These funds are for COVID relief. Why are we attempting to spend it on infrastructure??? That money's coming.

We need community here in Vallejo, parent meetings with resources that are ready available and places for the children and teens!!
Public health permanent capacity to better track and control disease and improve health in the county
Youth
Don't give any more \$ to the schools, I work for a school and they are flushed with \$!
Just help our small businesses get back, the state assaulted them with phony lockdowns.
Family events to help produce business for small businesses
Mental health assistance
Logic, reasoning and critical thinking classes for all ages.
Projects that engage the community in recreational or entertainment type activities to improve both mental and physical health that deteriorated during the isolating covid restrictions
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Establishing an Equity Officer and division to ensure County government addresses racial disparities and inequities
I would invest in a full time Registered Veterinary Technician, and a full time surgical Veterinarian for the animal shelter so good Samaritans in the county who TNR feral cats can recover from the explosion of feral cats which occurred during the pandemic
Health care, family health clinics
Early Education, Childcare
We need free spay and neuter. The tax payer funded animal shelter shut down its spay and neuter clinic and STILL hasn't opened up. We are drowning in a massive explosion of homeless cats and kittens everywhere.
Feral cat programs to help all the dumped cats. Low or free spayed/neutered programs. Low cost vaccines.
Low cost spay neuter programs to alleviate the feral cat population.
Low cost spay and neuter programs for cats at Solano county animal care
Invest in Special Districts
Spay and neuter clinics, vaccination clinics

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Low cost spay and neuter clinic
Low cost/ high volume spay/neuter and vaccine services for feral and stray cats.
Bonuses to frontline workers including social workers and MH professionals
Affordable childcare
Authentic Community Engagement
Low cost spay and neuter services
1. Feral animal (cat) low cost spay/neuter/vaccination program. 2. Enforce ordinances & penalties for vehicle traffic noise & speeding ordinances all neighborhoods
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small crimes - porch pirates, car break ins, catalytic converter theft etc.
Budget funds to spay and neuter homeless cats that are multiplying in our communities due to being dumped and spay/ neuter clinics being closed
Access assistance: not enough resources are spent on ensuring differently abled people have access to resources.
Road rehab
N/A
Public access to open space, we need this for overall wellbeing, physical &mental health
Create more high density housing in Downtown Vallejo and the Waterfront, near the Ferry.
As for the economy, Job Centers/Solano WIB should revise eligibility for job search programs. I'm not sure why us low-income people who have college degrees can't qualify for the same job search programs as the people without college degrees can.
Crisis intervention center...to guide people on the edge of insolvency to emergency services; stop homelessness before it happens. Battered spouse shelters, since domestic violence is up.
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Homeless clean up

Mobile health and dental services for older adults and marginalized communities
Low cost/ high volume spay/neuter and vaccine services for feral and stray cats.
Education of the public on the need to be vaccinated to benefit the entire community
fix the roads
The city of Vallejo needs to repair all of it's roads. You can't drive anywhere without hitting a pothole. It's disgraceful.
Invest in paid internship programs, develop work experience programs, and fund some job placement assistance for all unemployed adults and all low income adults like me.
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More stimulus assistance to people earning less than \$50,000 a year.
Complete streets (curb gutter, sidewalk, bike lands and road rehabilitation).
Parks and outdoor facilities
Childcare, safe after school programs with strong social skill development
Substance/alcohol in patient treatment
housing, education
City wide free fast internet
Cleanup of litter and unlawful camping.
Low income housing for people with disabilities
ROAD PAVEMENT & POT HOLES
Accessible daycare for low income families
The arts, youth
RACIAL EQUITY - CREATE FULL TIME PERMANENT POSITIONS DEDICATED TO ANALYZING GAPS IN SERVICES/COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSOCIATED WITH RACE.
Safety for the community

Community policing
behavioral health resources
Permanent housing for Project Roomkey participants
n/a
Education for employee's
incentives to essential workers
premium/hazard pay for essential workers
Children
Hazard pay for all essential county workers
This money is not earmarked for infastructure and should not be used for any infastructure. Infastructure monies are coming under a different bill.
Government offices to be updated with better and efficient equipment to deal with future pandemics/disasters
Public Health, delivering assistance to WORKING families, food programs, Mental Health NON profit assistance and small busineses assistance
Supporting law enforcement by including Social Workers and Mental Health Workers when they deal with the public or need to de-escalate.
Giving back to essential workers/employees who have worked so hard to serve the public during the pandemic
offering monetary gifts to the employees that worked overtime and gave tirelessly to Solano cunty during a global pandemic
Permanent housing for low income individuals and families.
Reentry Programs
None
The children, childcare and after school services. I notice a spike in children's mental health through out this pandemic. the children as well as the parents were impacted.
A University of California or Cal State location.
Use the old Walmart building as a shelter for the homeless. If economic aid is given to families, pay their rent instead of providing cash. This guarantees they have housing and also helps the landlord with past due or current rents & avoids

evictions.
mobile showers, clinic, resources for the homeless and BUILD HOUSING, money only goes so far without the actual structures to place people
NONE
Unknown
Creating ongoing telework infrastructures for government business
Supporting middle income families
Employment support
N/A
Respect your greatest asset = your employees. Provide premium pay for essential workers, offering additional support to those who have borne and will bear the greatest health risks because of their service in critical infrastructure sectors.
Hazard pay for employees who worked through the pandemic.
dog parks in new communities and healthier food/grocery store options
Premium Pay for employees
Bringing employers to Solano County who pay a living wage. We don't need another McDonalds. Find companies that pay well so we can afford to live where we work. the average wage in Solano County isn't high enough to afford the outrageous rents you allow
Home ownership opportunities for County Workers. You'll attract more dedicated workers if they can plant roots in the county.
county employees who have worked thru the pandemic in person in person.
After school programs, Community sports programs, anything to keep kids out of trouble and busy
hazard pay for essential workers, infrastructure for better child care services at a reasonable cost to families
N/a
Employment Services
Equity and inclusion positions.

recreational facilities for community. Also GIVING PROPERTY TAX BREAKS! Those of us paying taxes are paying for others to enjoy their benefits that we don't qualify for.
N/A
Invest in solano county essential workers
This is a one time shot in the arm. Limit the spending to replacing lost revenue, not any long-term projects.
Helping Kids with Mental Health, and preparing should we have to go into lockdown again.
Hazardous pay for those who worked in office through the pandemic.
K-12 social emotional supports for students
home owner assistance
YOUR OWN EMPLOYEES as we worked to support our community during the pandemic. We put ourselves on the front lines to provide vital services to the community.
Self-Sufficiency Programs
Fuel reduction projects for wild fire
Schools programs to keep students in school and safe.
Working from home projects
Childcare
Invest in the employees who have been at the front lines since the beginning of the pandemic
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More affordable housing in Solano County. Maybe building affordable self sustaining apartment complex units (ex solar electric, reusable water, community gardening). Have a lobby where Welfare to Work programs can be taught (financial classes, computer).
N/A
Safety
Infrastructure - levees

Premium pay for public sector employees who were not able to work remotely
Minority Women Owned Business Assistance
Pay for essential workers
Pay county workers premiums like other Bay Area counties did
Formation of or loan guarantee for multi-service worker cooperative with on-the-job training (residential construction, senior assistance, software development, etc.)
Child care
Parks
Premium pay for essential workers, rental assistance for families in need
Substance Abuse Assistance/Programs
Childcare
Essential workers
Water conservation
Assisting justice involved people.
Increasing staff
Premium Pay for essential county workers
Compensating essential workers.
Homelessness housing
Helping essential workers. Giving them monetary compensation if they were open during covid
revitalize downtown fairfield
Helping essential workers that were asked to support the communities they serve and adapt to all the changes being asked of them
Premium pay for county employees/essential employees

Recognizing all solano county employees monetarily		
Employee retention		
Bonuses for working during a pandemic.		
Polution prevention and clean up (with an honest wage)		
ANY PROJECTS HAVING TO DO WITH CLEAN UP OF THE CITY.		
county workers bonus		
A program of checks and balances for the Board of Supervisors to be held accountable to.		
Affordable housing that is deed restricted. If you want a community to flourish, home ownership is important.		
Rebuild Hwy 113 from Fry Rd to Hwy 12		
Child care services/youth programs		
n/a		
Return the money to the people by lowering taxes		
Safety - Police		
Na		
Job Training		
	Valid Responses	320
	Total Responses	929

6. (6) What other priorities were not included or covered that you would like the County to invest in?

Response
funding a study on identifying gaps in broadband availability in disadvantaged neighborhoods
Childrens after school programs
extra pay for all of the work the front line workers put in
premium pay for the staff that actually responded to the COVID crisis by working in the outbreaks when no one else would go out. These staff members are heros!
The environmental and public health impact of trash covering the streets and freeways/entering our waterways
Free transportation for students to school and college
Public transportation, bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure
Removing private business mask mandates.
Park
Speed Bumps in ALL neighborhoods in Vallejo
Firing the Sheriffs affiliated with traitors.
law enforcement and enforcement of State laws
Public transit
none
YOU EMPLOYEES
The workers who are still here in this mess doing more with less
increase wages for HSS-Behavioral Health staffing

Increase flexibility of work schedules, diversity and equity training, childcare expansion
A telehealth platform that would allow for more accessible service delivery in public and mental health couple with the broadband needed to delivery the services throughout the county.
extra pay for all employees that worked through covid, not just some.
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Na
Meaningful support for county workers. Not a coin or a banner, but actual support such as allowance for personal wellness days, adjusted cost-of-living allowances, and stipends to help ease the cost of teleworking.
Hero pay for Solano County employees required to show up at the office when they could have teleworked.
Educator recruitment
Safety concerns for teachers and students
We need to reinvest in our child care community
Enough PPE for nurses and doctors
Policing / sheriff reform.
Childcare and the workforce supporting child care
none
EMPLOYEES THAT WORK FOR THE COUNTY
ASL and cultural support for deaf community
Transportation services.
I would like a true accounting of Small Business relief. Too many wealthy claim to be a small business. It should be revenue based. Under \$150kK
Student & Teacher Mental Health & Wellness
job development support for those without HS diplomas
Childcare

Public health primary prevention of chronic diseases, illnesses, and injuries. Creating safer and healthier communities.
Essential worker recognition. Incentives to recruit/retain County essential workers.
N/A
None
upgrading school sites to better accommodate ongoing COVID-19 health & safety protocols
N/A
Transportation infrastructure / EV charging / Climate Action Plans
Research ways to generate revenue for the County's general fund to increase pay to all line staff and improve/repair the work locations.
Raise for people who work through the covid 19
Essential worker recognition. Incentives to recruit/retain County essential workers.
Lower Level Case Mgmt
Crime and safety
Veteran assistance
Pickleball courts for outdoor recreation and socializing
Community outreach and job development resources
Better public transit, like electric trains to connect the Solano County, Napa County, Yolo County, Sac, and rest of Bay Area. The County also needs an ambitious housing goal to meet the increased demand for housing.
Animal care spay and neuter
Clean up. The litter and trash problem in Vallejo
Disaster preparedness and response
Helping Seniors(Elderly)
None

The Delta towns need some retail economic stimulus
n/a
Cleaning up hi-ways and streets
none
limit of new housing developments
Help the workers that have been working
N/A
Laura's Law and supportive housing for those with mental health
Raises in pay for solano county office of education employees
Pay deputies who work for the county more. They need to be compansated
Focus the homeless issues particularly in Fairfield and Vallejo
More law enforcement
Pay deputies who work for the county more. They need to be compansated
compensate county employees including the deputies who work with sheriff's office. compared to other bay area law enforcement agencies, they are not well paid and compensated
Mental Health services for youth
Small business income replacement
Don't know
A process to shift County government culture toward responsiveness with citizens. Hire a relationship consultant from PICO, Designed Learning, or similar..
Senior services
Invest in the deputies at the sheriffs office. They are hurting, short staffed, lack support, and not getting paid enough
Road repair; bicycle paths

None
Open space public trails and outdoor activities for families
Moral training
Climate change
N/A
End paying people not to work. There are jobs to be filled. Get to work.
Expanding Transit
Invest in the deputies at the sheriffs office. They are hurting, short staffed, lack support, and not getting paid enough
Racial health equity
Investing in making Broadway more appealing with businesses like Walnut Creek
Sustainable Housing opportunities
In my opinion to have a healthy Solano County we must focus on housing and youth to build the future of our county. We need businesses including youth activities and restaurants to lift up our community. Partner with the higher education, K-12 and health
Racial equity as the means to solve poverty and hunger.
Na
na
Allowing people and companies make their own choices in regards to such as shots and work environments. ie If a company doesn't force their employees to vaccinate, but wear masks, and you don't agree just don't patronize it. Let people chose.
Social services, schools
focused preventative medical care for marginalized communities (low income, ethnic minorities, immigrants, and people with disabilities)
Focus on job creation for the future (integrating climate change policies, agricultural changes for a sustainable future)
HMIS Clarity Program

It is obvious that you are only continuing this emergency for the Federal \$, and you will be held accountable.
N/A
Water sewer infrastructure
cleaning up
health coverage
City paid internships
Taking care of all of your 1st responders/medical providers who were overwhelmed by this and are now being targeted for layoffs if they don't get the vaccine.
LGBTQ resources
Increased police presence on the highways. People have been doing very risky driving, driving way over 100mph recklessly. They don't appear to fear consequences.
None
Acknowledging longevity and several years of service in Solano County
Recreational activities for young/school age children
N/A
Solano Employment Connection/WIB in Vacaville to meet up county needs. Having All county webpages be translatable in other languages besides English. Non English speakers do not have access to resources if the information is not translated.
Planning for future disaster, building local resiliency (economic, ecological) so we do not depend entirely on the outside world
As above
Add 1 day of COMP time since covid19 started and continues.
Crime reduction and youth
Animal Shelter
Rapid rehousing, housing trust fund to develop all kinds of housing.
Homeless Animals

Affordable housing regulations
Crime crime crime!
Education
free, easily accessible, possibly on-site Covid testing for those who work in schools
Hazardous pay for mental health workers who have continued working during the pandemic.
Youth Services
repaying landlords for unpaid rentals without tenants input
n/a
There is a tremendous need for a feral and community cat spay/neuter project in our county. With clinic closures due to the pandemic, the need is even greater.
economic assistance for low income communities of color, particularly African American
This County did not invest in Covid prevention, nor did it seem to care. As far as Solano County goes, we have lost all confidence in it's ability to govern effectively.
Support for Elderly & Dementia seems to always be forgotten in Solano County.
Recreational Facilities in Fairfield
NA
Senior Services...free transportation, better access to other services, hearing aid costs, glasses cost, dental costs
Adorable housing
support services for seniors
Promoting cultural education programs
Maintaining wetlands and the few green areas left in Fairfield- preventing them from being turned into warehouses and apartments.
County employee retention and hiring
Parks and rec

Outdoor activity areas
Increased peace officer staffing
Bringing back the small businesses that were forced to close by government mandates.
Mandate training across all County departments on Racial Equity -especially in Health and Social Services
provide relief to our local churches; they were very impacted by the closures.
Setting up and maintaining a low cost spay & neuter clinic for Solano County residents.
Animals!
Low cost spay and neuter programs for cats at Solano county animal care
Free spay neuter clinic!
Spay and neuter clinics, vaccine clinics
Low cost spay and neuter clinics for cats
we need FREE spay and neuter and vaccine services for the massive cat overpopulation that continues to explode in this county.
Low cost spay and neuter clinic
Low cost/ high volume spay/neuter and vaccine clinics for feral and stray cats.
Pay increases for county employees
Low cost spay and neuter services
See above
Crime
Mortgage assistance
Community Disability Access and Supports
Road rehab. Tree/shrub removal. Roadway clean up - continuous

N/A
Create work experience programs, on-the-job training, and job placement assistance for us low income and unemployed people regardless of our education backgrounds. Focus on crime prevention too.
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Low cost/ high volume spay/neuter and vaccine clinics for feral and stray cats.
Supporting Seniors; lower prescription costs and expanding Medicare.
ATOD programs prevention for schools and universities in the area
air and water pollution
Making the change to a sustainable energy future
Crime Prevention. All county welfare programs should include helping us find work. Expand TANF and CalWorks to us low income adults who have no children because we need help in finding jobs too.
More Stimulus Assistance
PARKS and RECREATION - walking trails, outside venues
Bike and pedestrian improvement projects.
Police reform
Alcohol/substance abuse treatment
City wide free fast internet
Cleanup of litter and unlawful camping.
Fix the street and highways. They are horrible in Solano County.
RACIAL EQUITY - CREATE FULL TIME PERMANENT POSITIONS DEDICATED TO ANALYZING GAPS IN SERVICES/COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSOCIATED WITH RACE.
Safety for the businesses and citizens of Solano County
Focus in improving the quality of police officers in the community.

n/a
Education System
Compensation for public servants who put their health and safety at risk every day since 03/2020
Government offices are too small to accommodate workers therefore COVID made it difficult for social distancing.
Giving employee financial bonus for serving the community through covid
n/a
offering monetary gifts to the employees that worked overtime and gave tirelessly to Solano county during a global pandemic
The employees of solano county
None
n/a
COVID-19 bonuses for Social /Health workers.
Childcare assistance
Childcare assistance
improved transportation resources
NONE
Unknown
Student mental health support
None
Continued leave for full-time employees on a verified COVID-19 quarantine and for those who are dealing with related symptoms due to COVID-19 & COVID-19 vaccines.
There are several programs for homelessness but I don't think they are helping the people who really need assistance. The County needs to develop a program that is focused and truly addresses the root of homelessness.
County employees received zero hazard pay. Employees should have been compensated.

N/A
You have staffing shortages. Respect your greatest asset = your employees. Show incentives for new workers to join the Solano County workforce and also incentives to retain workers. You need workers to provide essential critical services to the community.
Invest in your employess and your community
Land Preservation for native wildlife
Premium pay for employees
premium pay to solano employees
affordable housing---AFFORDABLE not market rate
n/a
Kids need normalcy back, stop with the restrictions on everything, be inclusive of EVERYONE, stop telling people how to live and what to do with thier bodies. Give our kids a chance a good future, help our mentally ill better and fix the housing prices.
more pay for in home supportive services and long term care with stricter guidelines and no religious exemptions on vaccines.
EMPLOYEES
I would like for the county workers that were here the whole time during COVID and get some kind of extra pay
County workers getting hazard pay for working through the pandemic
N/a
Incentives to county workers.
Showing appreciation for the county workers who continued to work through this, risking our families lives daily coming in to work yet the only show of thanks we got was a Solano County Token/Coin.
Equity and inclusion positions.
compensation for essential workers who have continued to work through the pandemic. It cannot just be healthcare and 911 workers. There are many people who have risked their health in order to continue serving the public and providing them with services.
COVID Pay for County Employees

N/A
Solano county essential workers/ county workers who pushed through and worked through the stress of the pandemic while still being good employees
Small business revitalization
Supporting access to expanded remote services, and expanded access to COVID-19 testing.
N/A
Invest in your workers, the ones that do their job, give them incentives other than a coin to appreciate them. Lunch once a month, something to say thank you.
Rewarding the workers that have come to work EVERY day risking their lives to serve and better our community!
give a monetary thank you to all of the employees who worked through covid 19 as a thank you
home owner assistance
EMPLOYEEES-Appreciation stipend for essential workers who stayed on the job in time of need.
Solano County Employees
Home Owner Assistance Programs
Bonus/Payment to Essential workers
Sick leave / vac leave
Compensate the employees
Those are the ones good job
To invest in it's employees. Employees are burned out after Covid case increases. Burned out employees aren't able to give 100% to assist thoe in need. Employees are also dealing with childcare, income, food & health issues.
Front-line worker pay
Employee Retention
Residential support To older neighborhoods-roads rebuilding
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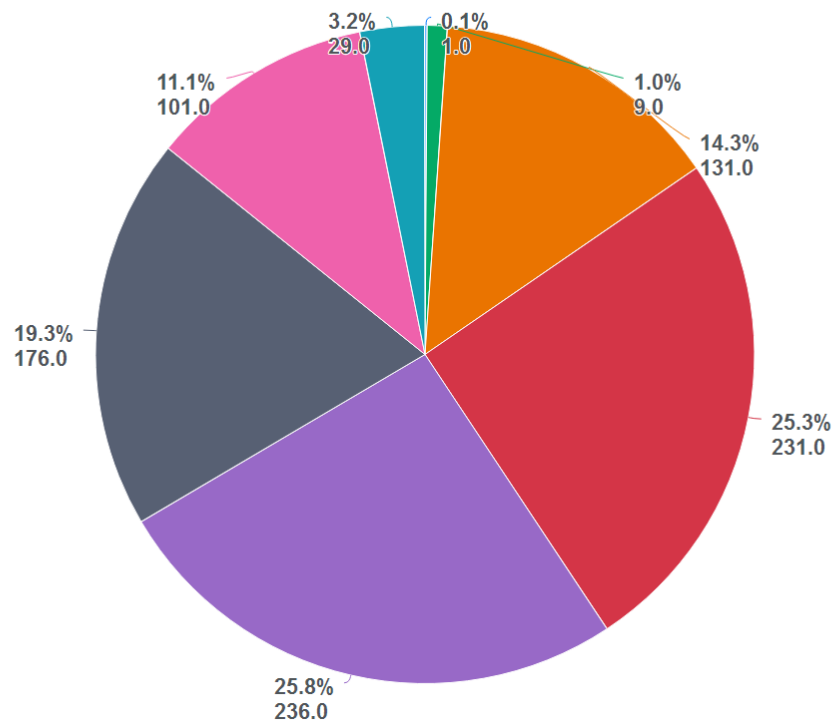
current county employees....we matter
Premium pay to essential workers who are not doctors, nurses, fire, police, etc... such as welfare associated workers and those connected to those programs (food stamps, cash aid, medi-cal)
I think essential workers are more than just hospital, police & fire personnel. Many relied on food stamps & cash aid to help them get by but nobody thinks if those employees and people handling appeals staff who make sure benefits are right. Help them
Green/Sustainable job creation
None
Child care
Rental Assistance
hazard pay for workers who worked during the fires and pandemic
Substance Abuse
Affordable childcare/subsidies
Essential workers
Marked all that apply
Family reunification was impacted. Services were interrupted by reunification timelines weren't adjusted.
Premium pay or hazard pay for workers
More staffing for Employment And Eligibility for HSS
Other counties are receiving pay for working through these difficult and overwhelming times, doing more than expected, and making sure the public is served without disruption. It shows how little you care for employees, we are the ones doing the hard work
financial literacy
Premium pay for county/essential employees
Solano County Employee bonuses for all employees who worked through the pandemic
Mitigation of high volume of trucker traffic.

ANY PROGRAMS TO HELP ASSIST WORKING CLASS FAMILIES NOT JUST LOW INCOME FAMILIES		
premium pay for Essential Workers		
all county workers deserve a cash bonus		
Having the meetings on an evening night so people who work during the usual time the Board Meetings are held, could attend and have some input on what the Board is doing.		
Community clean ups.		
n/a		
Get rid of liberalism in Solano county		
None		
Na		
Job Training		
	Valid Responses	275
	Total Responses	929

11. (1) What is your age?

(Respondents could only choose a **single** response)

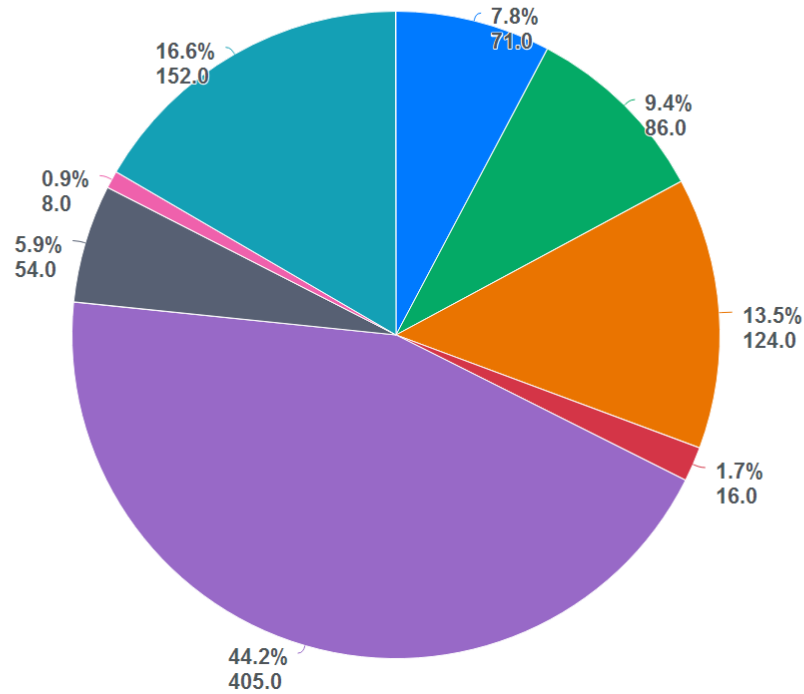
■ Under 18 ■ 18-24 ■ 25-34 ■ 35-44 ■ 45-54 ■ 55-64 ■ Above 64 ■ Prefer not to answer



7. (2) Which of the following best describes you?

(Respondents could only choose a **single** response)

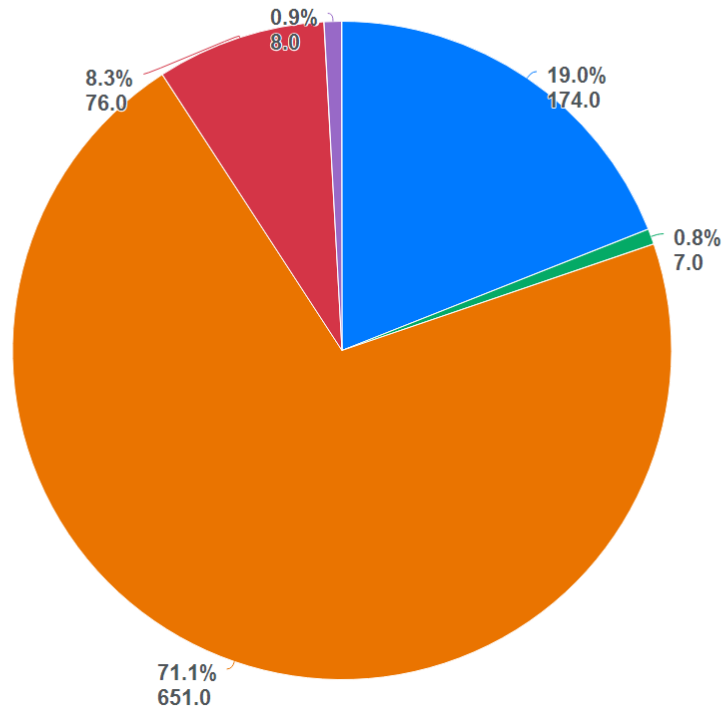
- Asian or Pacific Isl...
- Black or African Ame...
- Hispanic or Latino
- Native American or A...
- White or Caucasian
- Multiracial or Birac...
- A race / ethnicity n...
- Prefer not to answer



8. (3) Gender: How do you identify?

(Respondents could only choose a **single** response)

■ Man ■ Non-binary ■ Woman ■ Prefer not to answer ■ Prefer to self-descr...



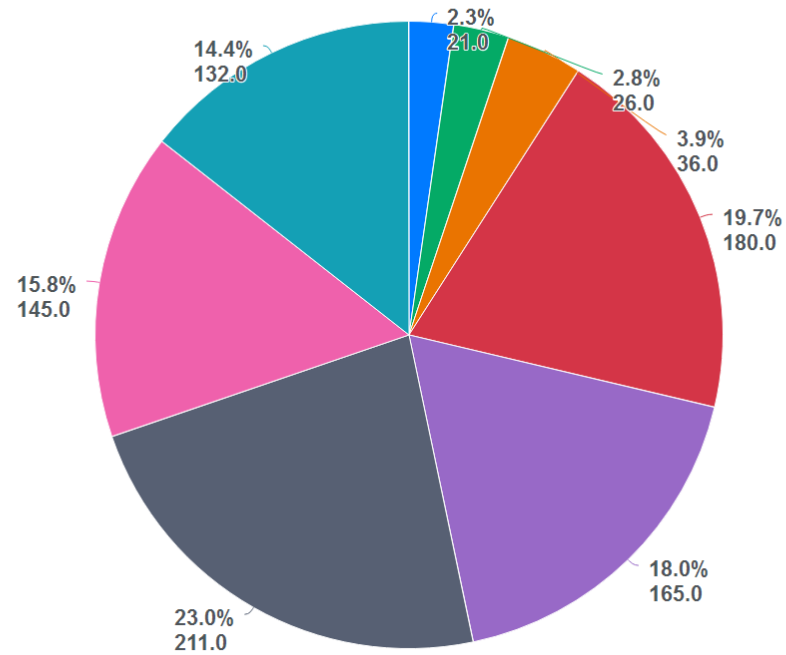
9. If you clicked "prefer to self-describe," please use the box below.

Response		
Trans		
Lesbian		
I am male. There are only two choices! Please don't buy into the lefty bs nonsense of one can choose their gender. They can not!		
	Valid Responses	3
	Total Responses	929

10. (4) What is your total household income?

(Respondents could only choose a **single** response)

- Less than \$25,000
- \$25,000 to \$34,999
- \$35,000 to \$49,999
- \$50,000 to \$74,999
- \$75,000 to \$99,999
- \$100,000 to \$149,999
- \$150,000 or more
- Prefer not to answer



11. (5) If you live in Solano County, please indicate where you live

(Respondents could only choose a **single** response)

- Benicia
- Dixon
- Fairfield
- Rio Vista
- Suisun City
- Vacaville
- Vallejo
- Unincorporated Solan...
- None of the above

