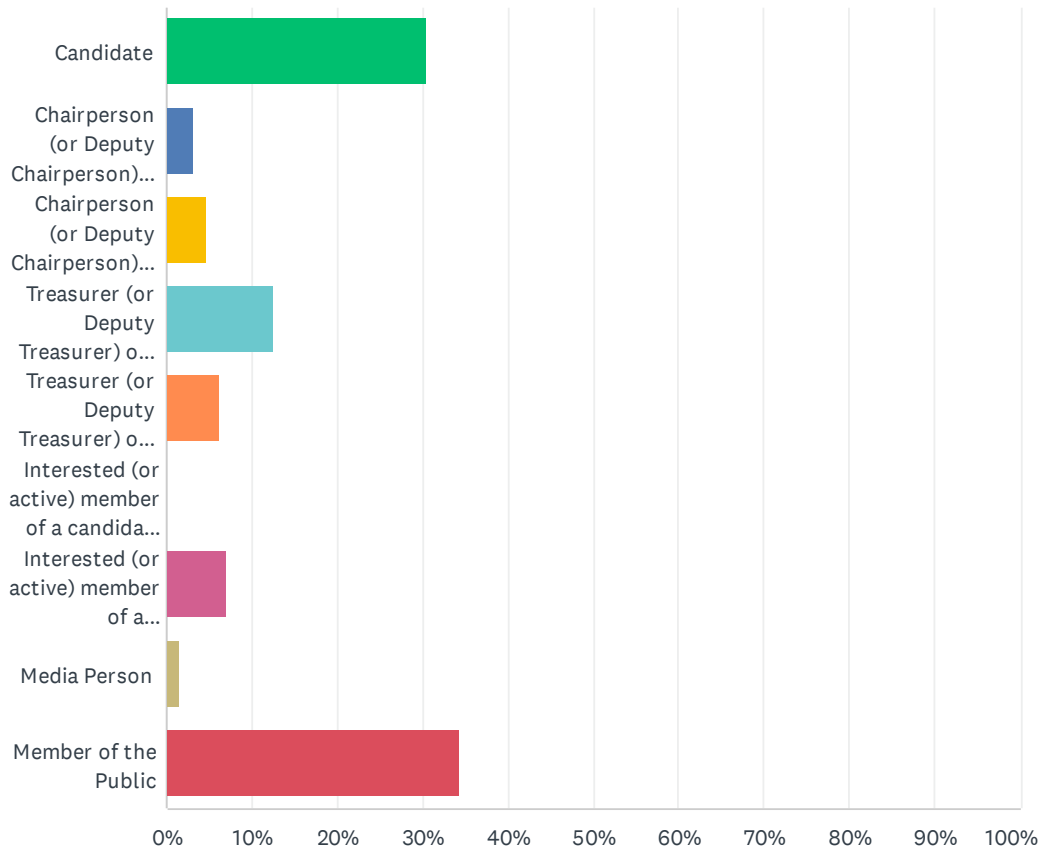


Q1 SELECT THE BEST DESCRIPTION OF YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COMMISSION BY ANSWERING THIS QUESTION: "I AM A..." (choose one)

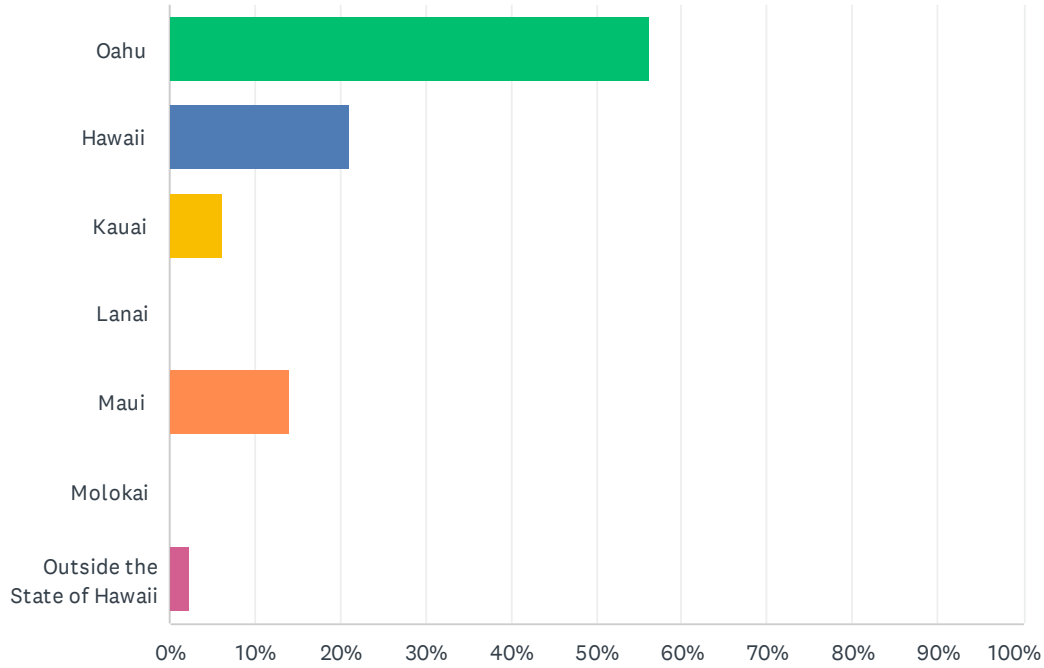
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Candidate	30.47%	39
Chairperson (or Deputy Chairperson) of a Candidate Committee	3.13%	4
Chairperson (or Deputy Chairperson) of a Noncandidate Committee	4.69%	6
Treasurer (or Deputy Treasurer) of a Candidate Committee	12.50%	16
Treasurer (or Deputy Treasurer) of a Noncandidate Committee	6.25%	8
Interested (or active) member of a candidate committee but not listed on the Organizational Report	0.00%	0
Interested (or active) member of a noncandidate committee but not listed on the Organizational Report	7.03%	9
Media Person	1.56%	2
Member of the Public	34.38%	44
TOTAL		128

Q2 I AM FROM OR MY COMMITTEE/CORPORATION IS FROM (I.E., ADDRESS): (choose one)

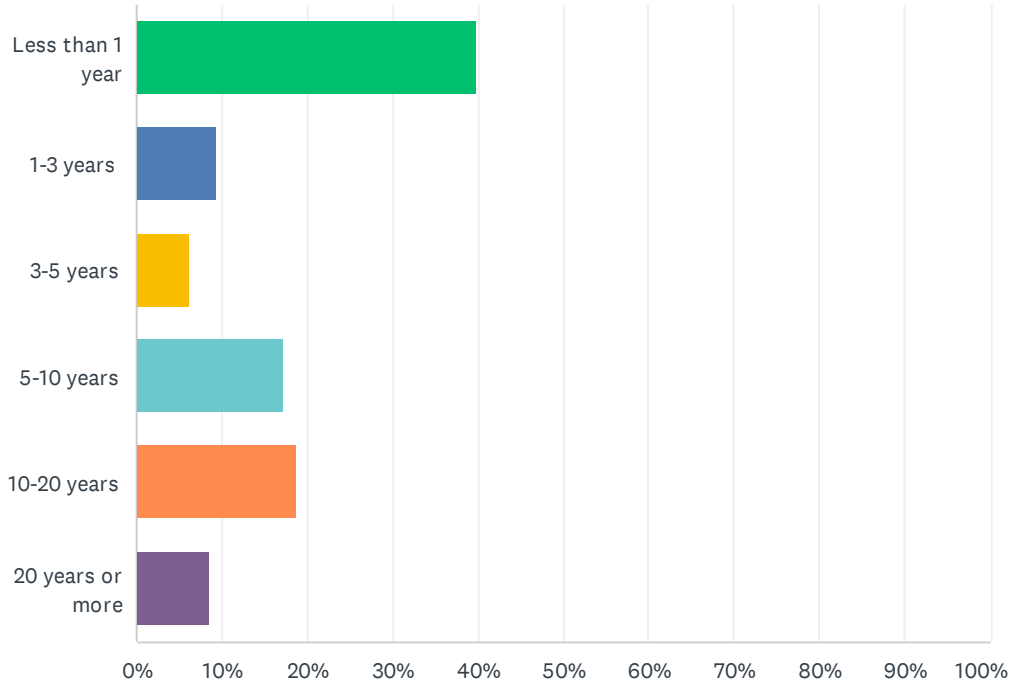
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Oahu	56.25%	72
Hawaii	21.09%	27
Kauai	6.25%	8
Lanai	0.00%	0
Maui	14.06%	18
Molokai	0.00%	0
Outside the State of Hawaii	2.34%	3
TOTAL		128

Q3 I HAVE HAD A RELATIONSHIP WITH THE COMMISSION FOR: (choose one)

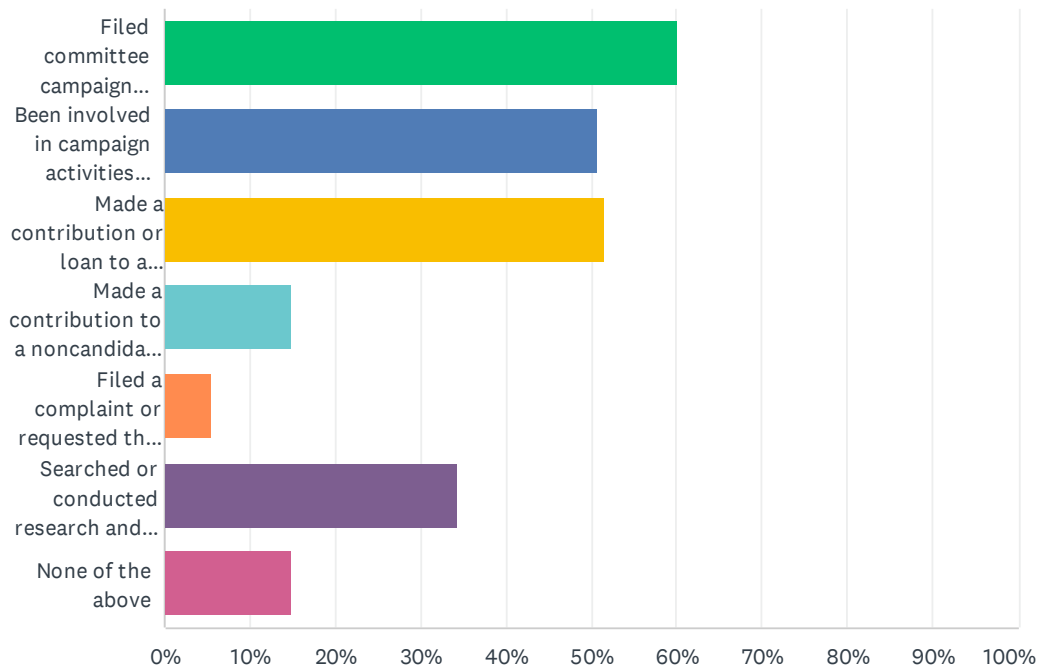
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Less than 1 year	39.84%	51
1-3 years	9.38%	12
3-5 years	6.25%	8
5-10 years	17.19%	22
10-20 years	18.75%	24
20 years or more	8.59%	11
TOTAL		128

Q4 I HAVE DONE THE FOLLOWING: (choose all that apply)

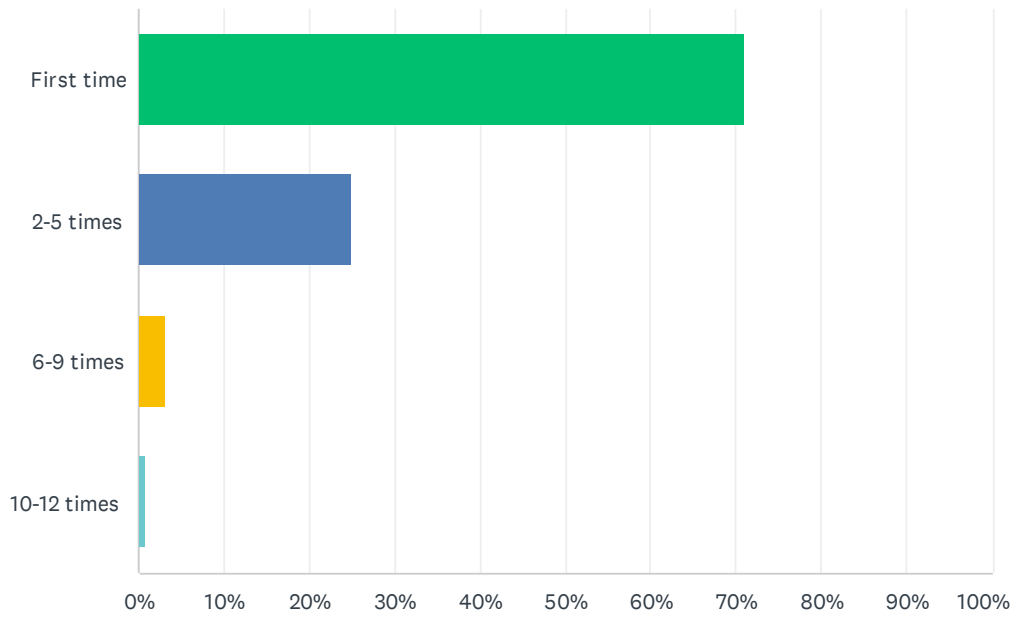
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Filed committee campaign spending reports electronically	60.16%	77
Been involved in campaign activities (i.e., sign-waving, door-to-door, phone bank, fundraising, etc.)	50.78%	65
Made a contribution or loan to a candidate(s)	51.56%	66
Made a contribution to a noncandidate committee(s)	14.84%	19
Filed a complaint or requested that the Commission investigate a campaign finance violation	5.47%	7
Searched or conducted research and/or reported on Commission data	34.38%	44
None of the above	14.84%	19
Total Respondents: 128		

Q5 I HAVE TAKEN AND SUBMITTED THIS SURVEY: (choose one)

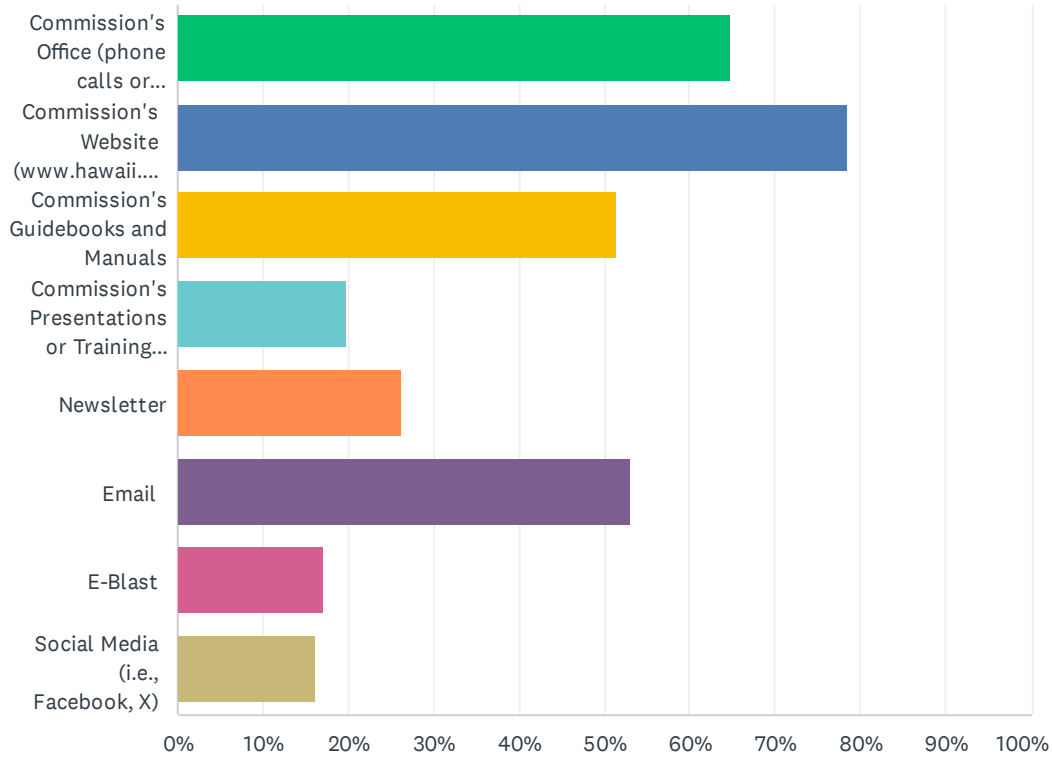
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
First time	71.09%	91
2-5 times	25.00%	32
6-9 times	3.13%	4
10-12 times	0.78%	1
TOTAL		128

Q6 I HAVE OBTAINED INFORMATION FROM THE COMMISSION FROM THE FOLLOWING SOURCES: (choose all that apply)

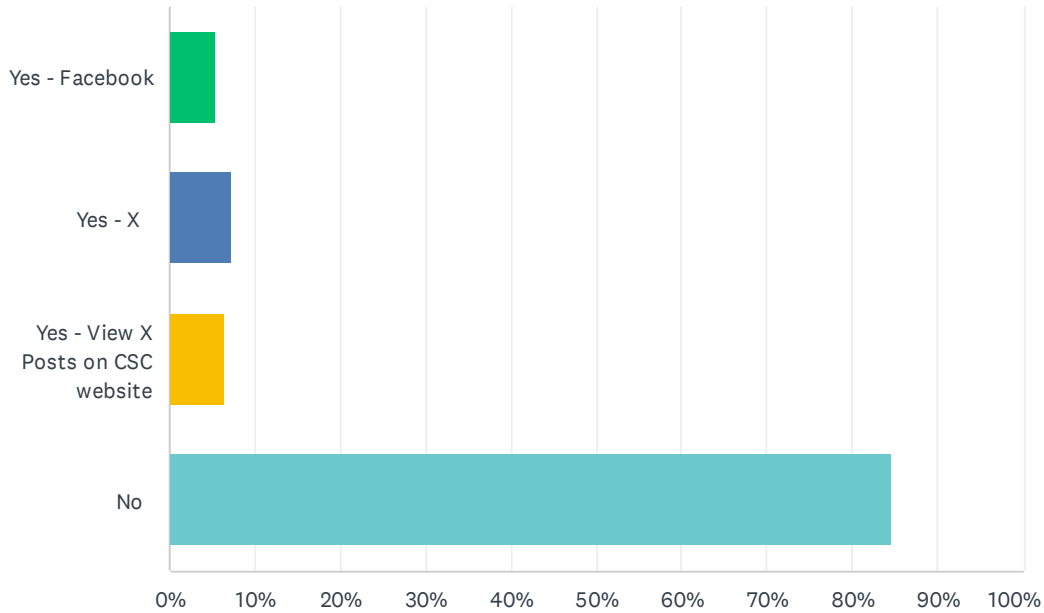
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Commission's Office (phone calls or drop-in visits)	64.86%	72
Commission's Website (www.hawaii.gov/campaign)	78.38%	87
Commission's Guidebooks and Manuals	51.35%	57
Commission's Presentations or Training Classes (including cyber learning videos)	19.82%	22
Newsletter	26.13%	29
Email	53.15%	59
E-Blast	17.12%	19
Social Media (i.e., Facebook, X)	16.22%	18
Total Respondents: 111		

Q7 I FOLLOW THE COMMISSION ON SOCIAL MEDIA (I.E., FACEBOOK AND/OR X FORMERLY TWITTER): (choose all that apply)

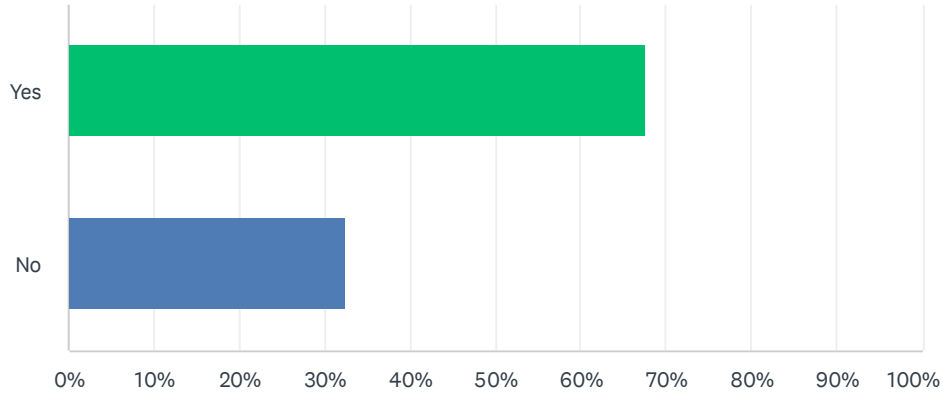
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes - Facebook	5.41% 6
Yes - X	7.21% 8
Yes - View X Posts on CSC website	6.31% 7
No	84.68% 94
Total Respondents: 111	

Q8 I SIGNED UP TO AND CURRENTLY RECEIVE EMAIL BLASTS FROM THE COMMISSION: (choose one)

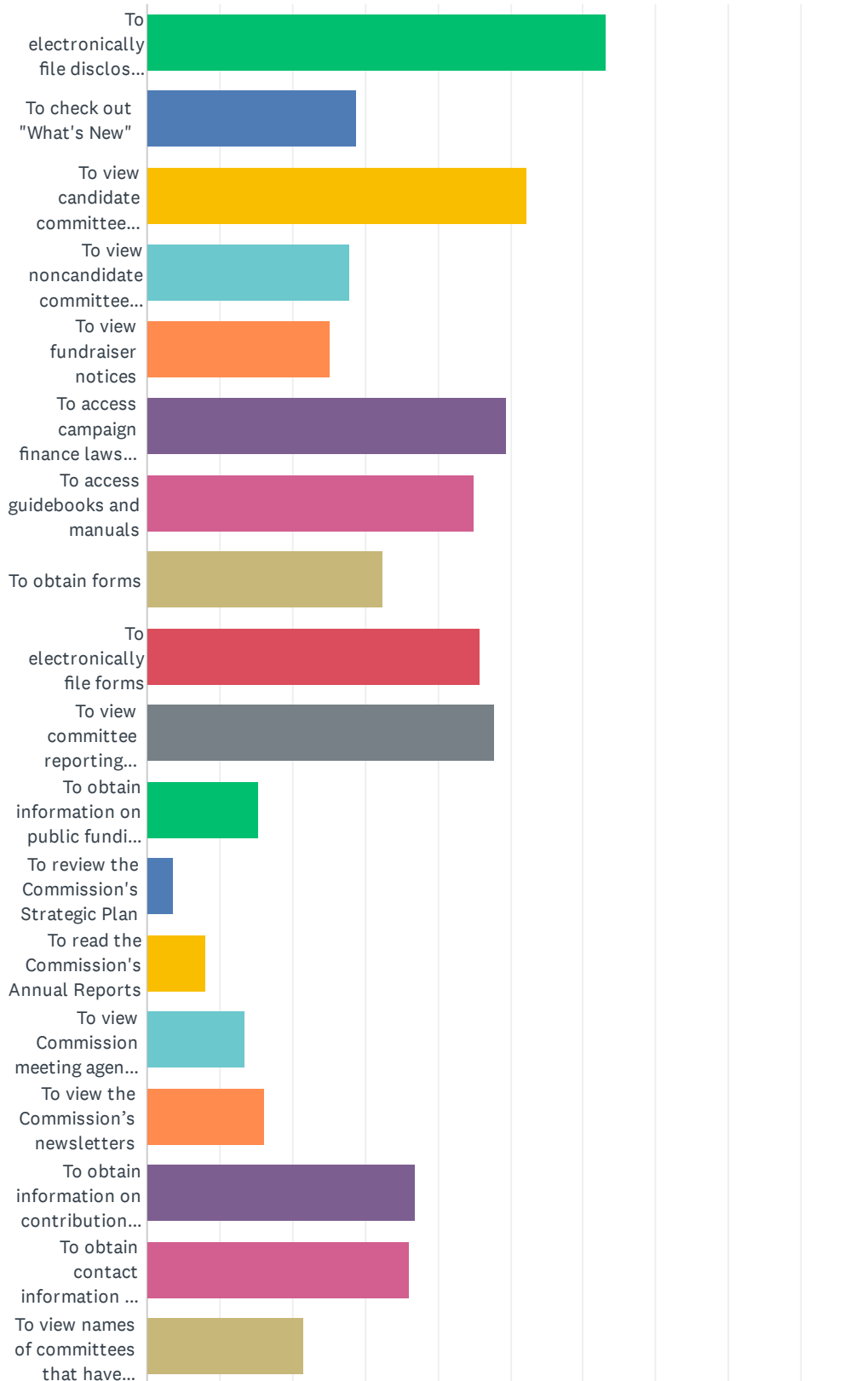
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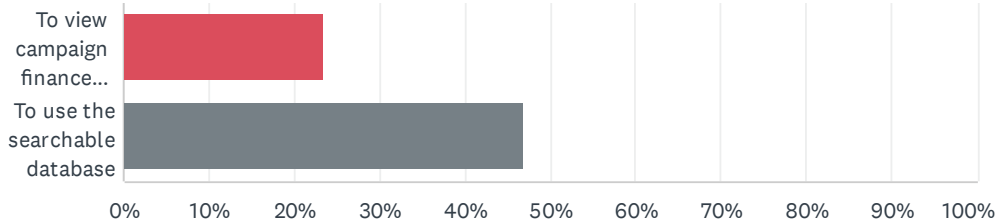


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	67.57%	75
No	32.43%	36
TOTAL		111

Q9 I HAVE VISITED THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS IN FISCAL YEAR 2024: (choose all that apply)

Answered: 111 Skipped: 17

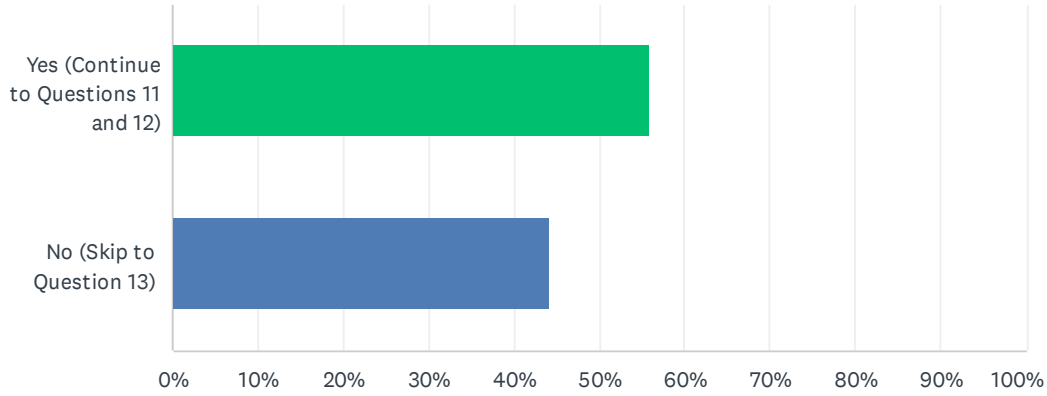




ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
To electronically file disclosure reports	63.06%	70
To check out "What's New"	28.83%	32
To view candidate committee reports	52.25%	58
To view noncandidate committee reports	27.93%	31
To view fundraiser notices	25.23%	28
To access campaign finance laws and rules	49.55%	55
To access guidebooks and manuals	45.05%	50
To obtain forms	32.43%	36
To electronically file forms	45.95%	51
To view committee reporting schedules	47.75%	53
To obtain information on public funding programs	15.32%	17
To review the Commission's Strategic Plan	3.60%	4
To read the Commission's Annual Reports	8.11%	9
To view Commission meeting agendas and/or minutes	13.51%	15
To view the Commission's newsletters	16.22%	18
To obtain information on contribution limits	36.94%	41
To obtain contact information for the Commission	36.04%	40
To view names of committees that have failed to file or correct reports	21.62%	24
To view campaign finance statistics	23.42%	26
To use the searchable database	46.85%	52
Total Respondents: 111		

Q10 I HAVE USED THE COMMISSION'S SEARCHABLE DATABASE FUNCTION ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE: (choose one)

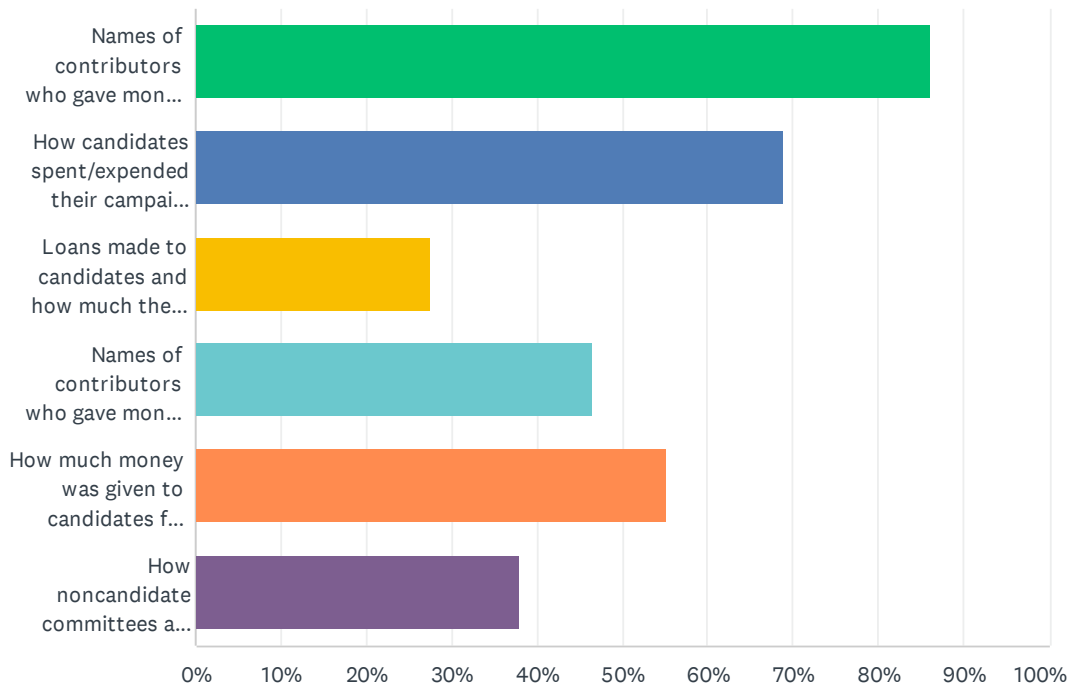
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes (Continue to Questions 11 and 12)	55.86%	62
No (Skip to Question 13)	44.14%	49
TOTAL		111

Q11 IF SO, I USED IT TO SEARCH FOR: (choose all that apply)

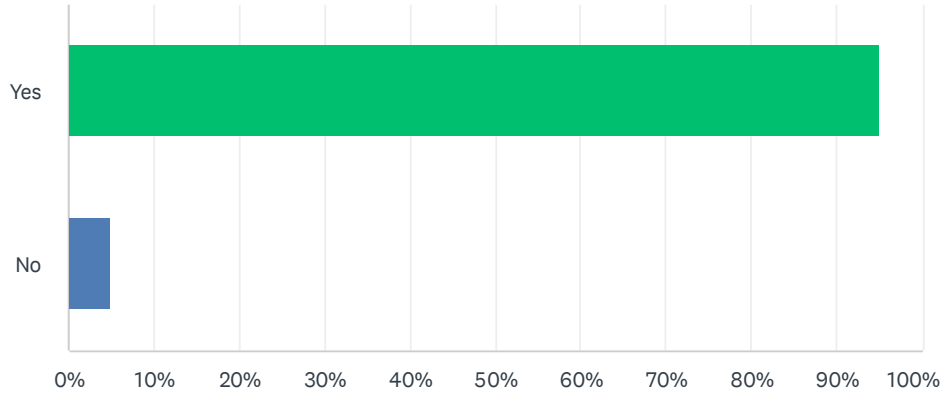
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Names of contributors who gave money to candidates and how much they gave to candidates	86.21%	50
How candidates spent/expended their campaign funds	68.97%	40
Loans made to candidates and how much the loan was for	27.59%	16
Names of contributors who gave money to noncandidate committees including noncandidate committees making solely independent expenditures or Super PACs	46.55%	27
How much money was given to candidates from noncandidate committees	55.17%	32
How noncandidate committees and Super PACs including ballot issue committees spent/expended their money	37.93%	22
Total Respondents: 58		

Q12 IF SO, I FOUND THE SEARCHABLE DATABASE HELPFUL: (choose one)

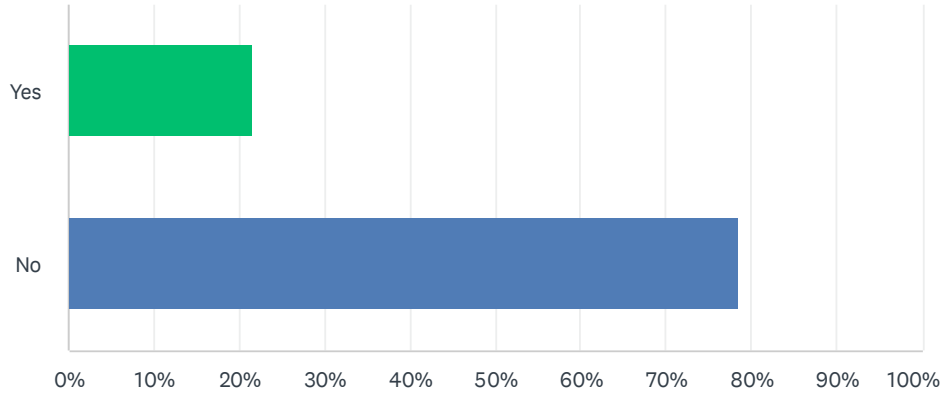
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	95.16%	59
No	4.84%	3
TOTAL		62

Q13 I HAVE USED THE CANDIDATE OR NONCANDIDATE DATA VISUALIZATION APP ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE TO VIEW A COMMITTEE'S DATA: (choose one)

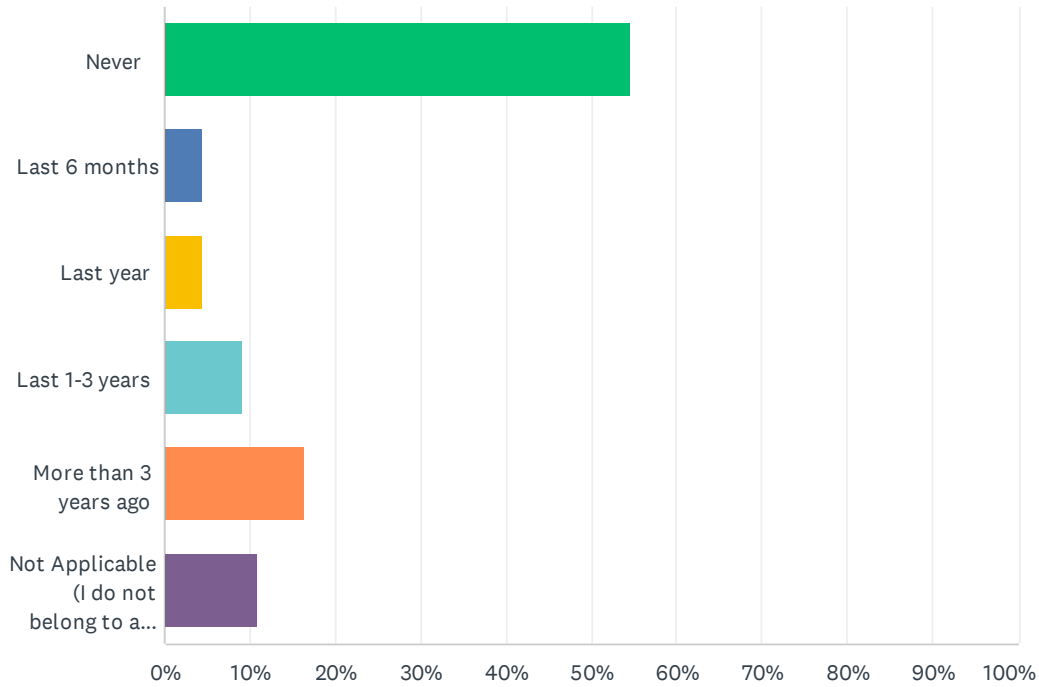
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	21.62%	24
No	78.38%	87
TOTAL		111

Q14 | LAST ATTENDED IN-PERSON OR REMOTE (ZOOM) TRAINING SESSIONS: (choose one)

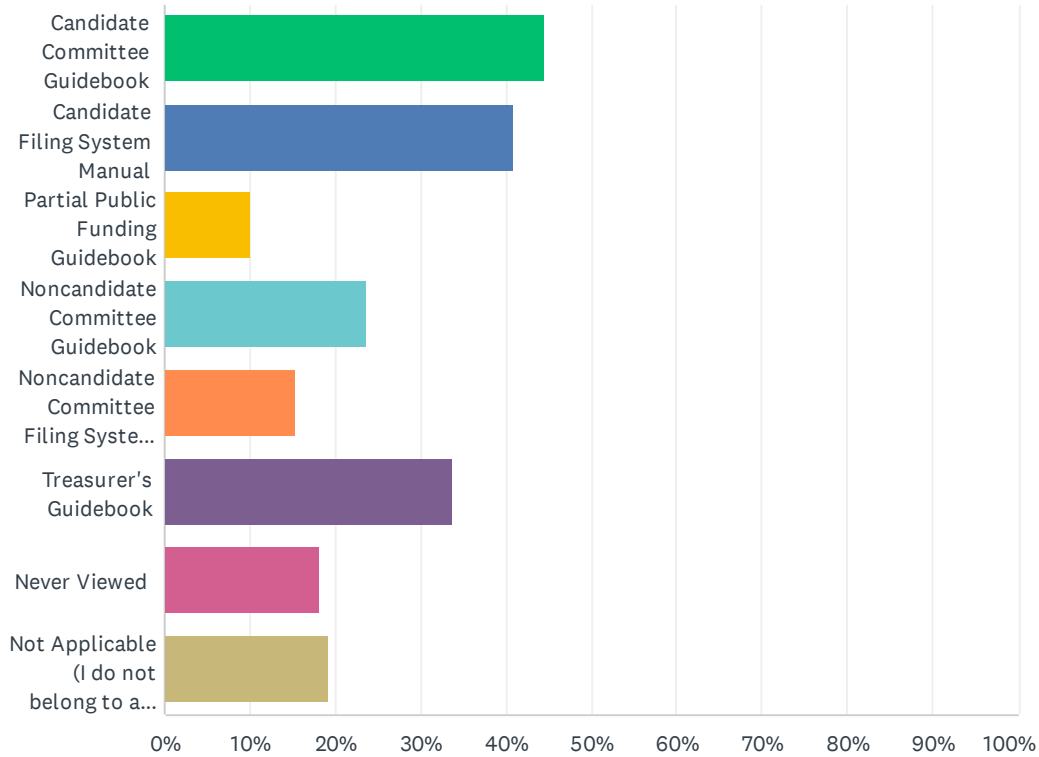
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Never	54.55%	60
Last 6 months	4.55%	5
Last year	4.55%	5
Last 1-3 years	9.09%	10
More than 3 years ago	16.36%	18
Not Applicable (I do not belong to a Candidate or Noncandidate Committee)	10.91%	12
TOTAL		110

Q15 I HAVE VIEWED THE FOLLOWING GUIDEBOOKS AND/OR MANUALS ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE: (choose all that apply)

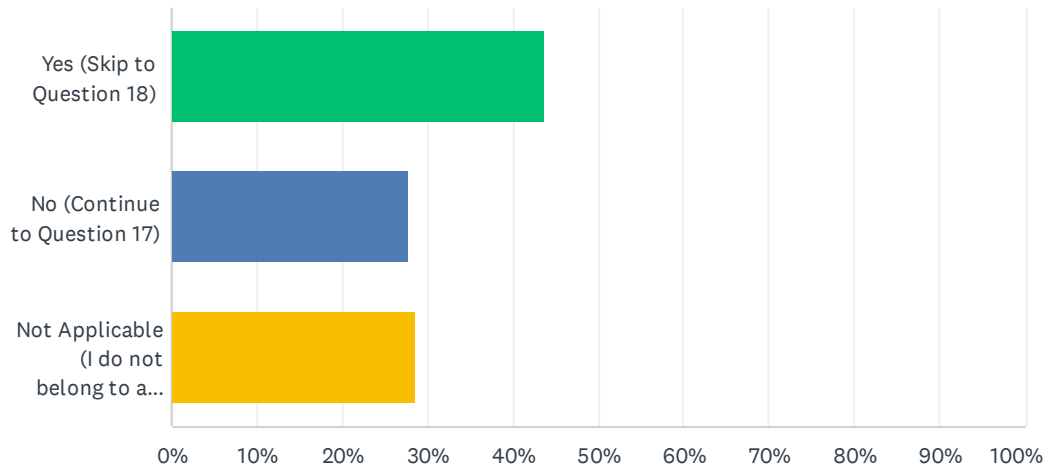
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Candidate Committee Guidebook	44.55%	49
Candidate Filing System Manual	40.91%	45
Partial Public Funding Guidebook	10.00%	11
Noncandidate Committee Guidebook	23.64%	26
Noncandidate Committee Filing System Manual	15.45%	17
Treasurer's Guidebook	33.64%	37
Never Viewed	18.18%	20
Not Applicable (I do not belong to a Candidate or Noncandidate Committee)	19.09%	21
Total Respondents: 110		

Q16 AS A REGISTERED COMMITTEE WITH THE COMMISSION, WE HAVE ALWAYS FILED OUR DISCLOSURE REPORTS ON TIME: (choose one)

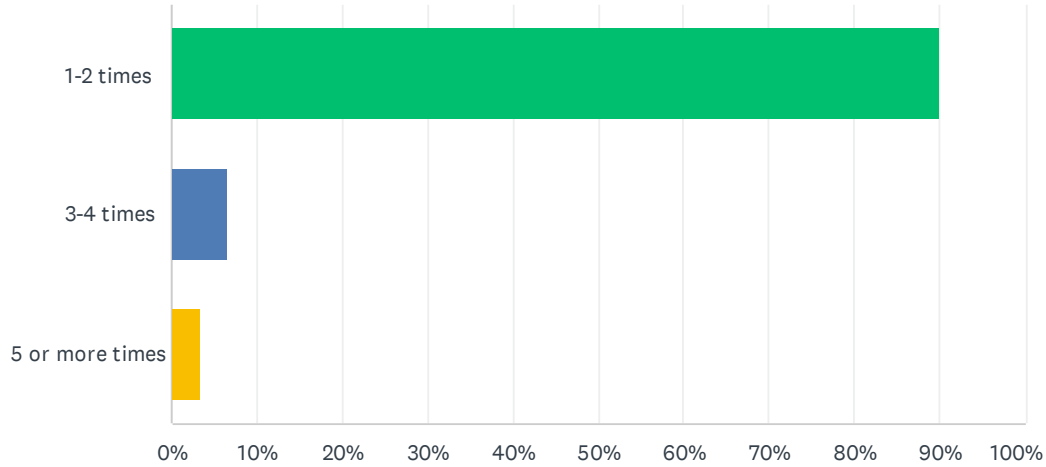
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes (Skip to Question 18)	43.81%	46
No (Continue to Question 17)	27.62%	29
Not Applicable (I do not belong to a Candidate or Noncandidate Committee)	28.57%	30
TOTAL		105

Q17 IF NOT, MY COMMITTEE HAS FILED LATE DISCLOSURE REPORTS: (choose one)

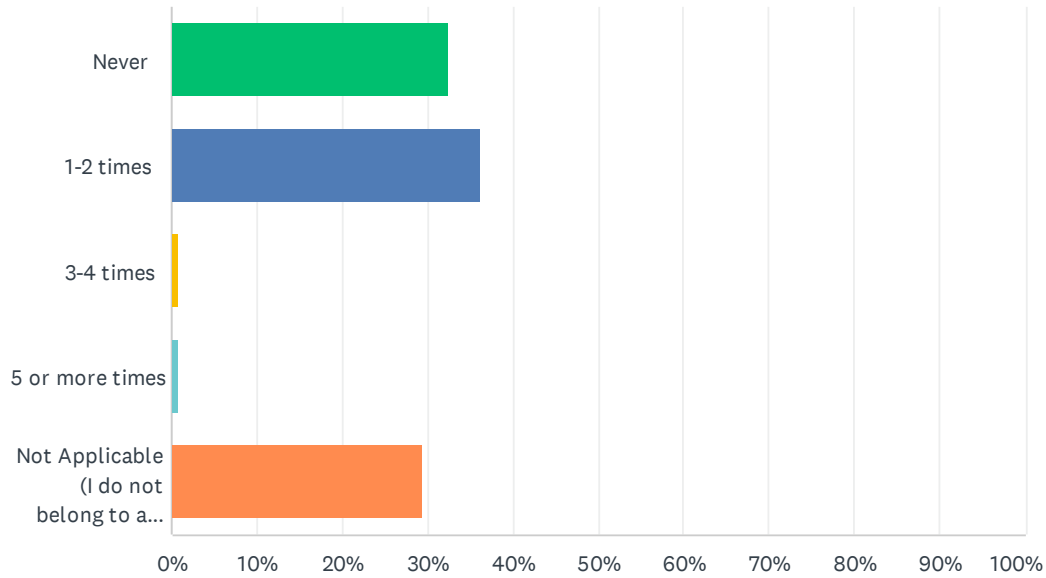
Answered: 30 Skipped: 98



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
1-2 times	90.00%	27
3-4 times	6.67%	2
5 or more times	3.33%	1
TOTAL		30

Q18 MY COMMITTEE HAS BEEN FINED: (choose one)

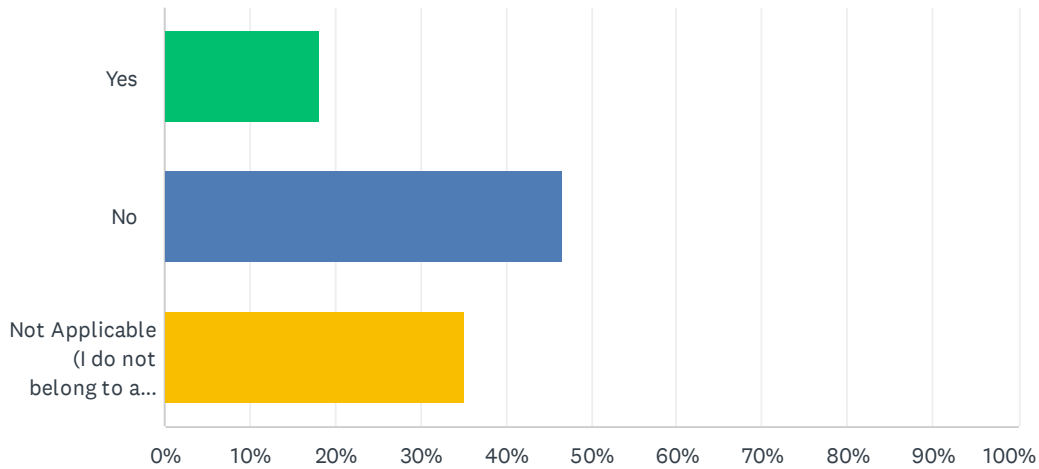
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Never	32.38%	34
1-2 times	36.19%	38
3-4 times	0.95%	1
5 or more times	0.95%	1
Not Applicable (I do not belong to a Candidate or Noncandidate Committee)	29.52%	31
TOTAL		105

Q19 AS A REGISTERED COMMITTEE WITH THE COMMISSION, WE HAVE ENTERED INTO A CONCILIATION AGREEMENT WITH THE COMMISSION: (choose one)

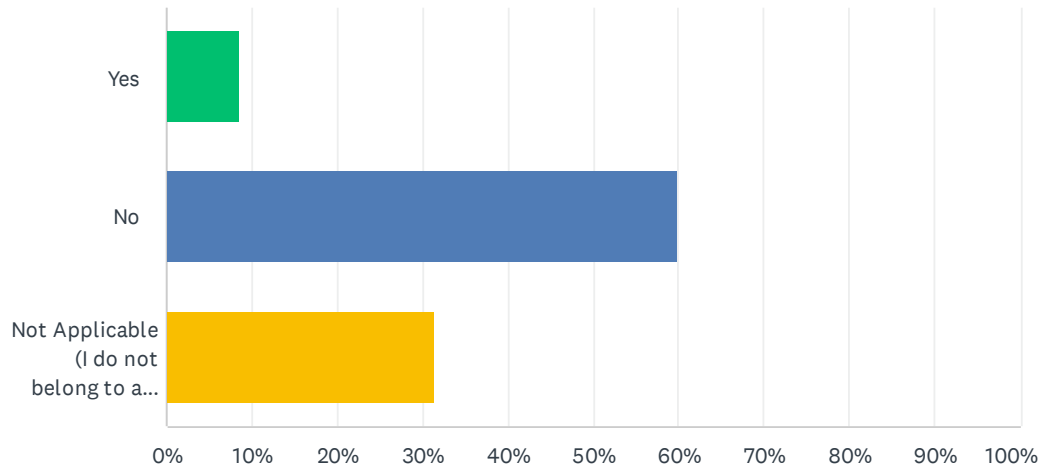
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	18.10%	19
No	46.67%	49
Not Applicable (I do not belong to a Candidate or Noncandidate Committee)	35.24%	37
TOTAL		105

Q20 AS A REGISTERED COMMITTEE WITH THE COMMISSION, WE HAVE HAD AN ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT BROUGHT BEFORE THE COMMISSION: (choose one)

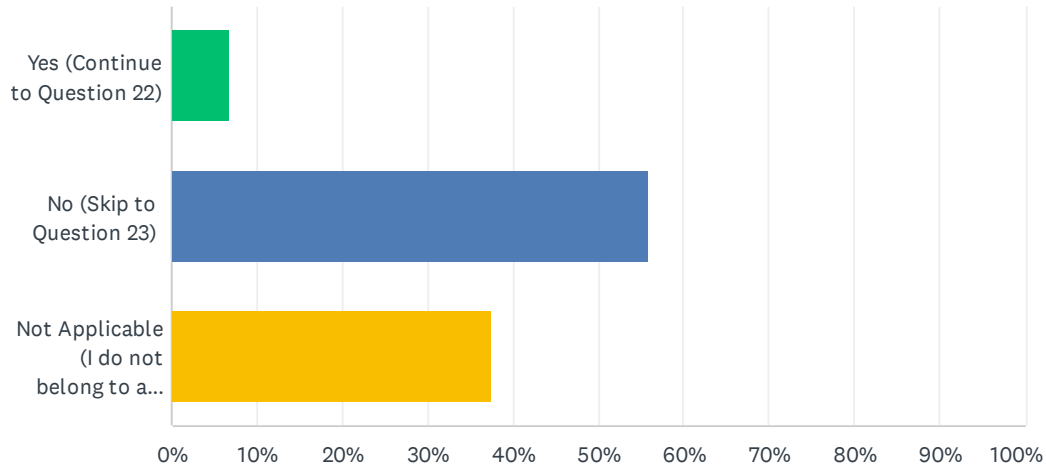
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	8.57%	9
No	60.00%	63
Not Applicable (I do not belong to a Candidate or Noncandidate Committee)	31.43%	33
TOTAL		105

Q21 AS A CANDIDATE COMMITTEE, WE HAVE APPLIED FOR AND RECEIVED PUBLIC FUNDING: (choose one)

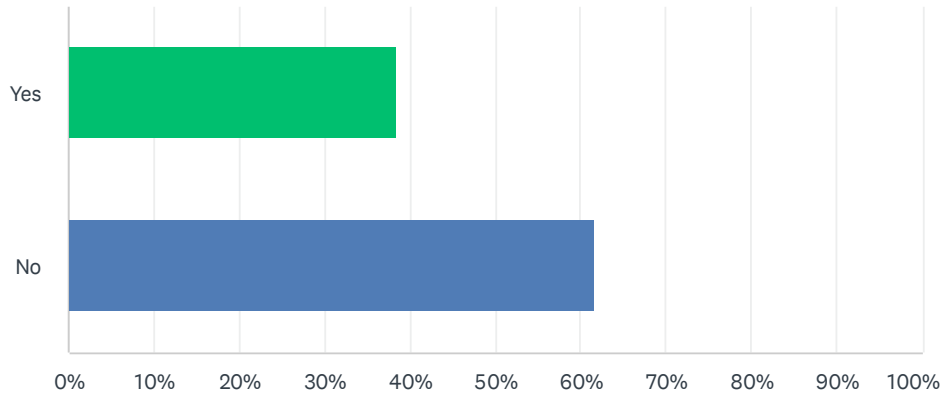
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes (Continue to Question 22)	6.73%	7
No (Skip to Question 23)	55.77%	58
Not Applicable (I do not belong to a Candidate Committee)	37.50%	39
TOTAL		104

Q22 IF SO, MY CANDIDATE COMMITTEE RECEIVED THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT PERMITTED FOR THAT OFFICE: (choose one)

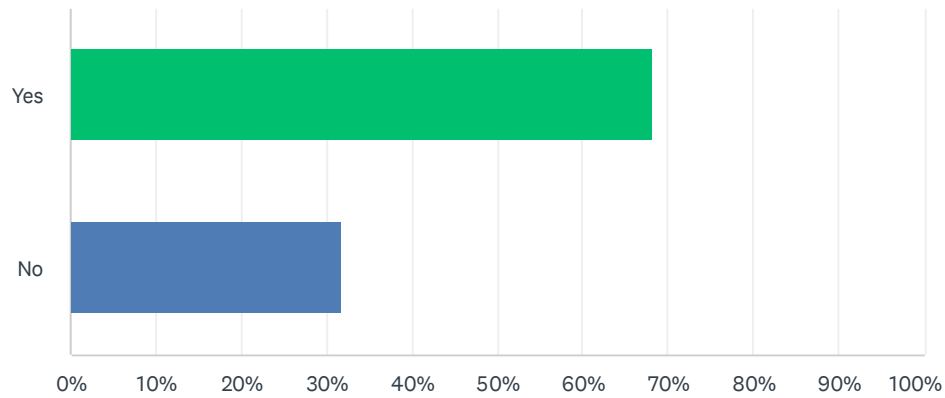
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	38.46%	5
No	61.54%	8
TOTAL		13

Q23 I AM A SUPPORTER OF PUBLIC FUNDING: (choose one)

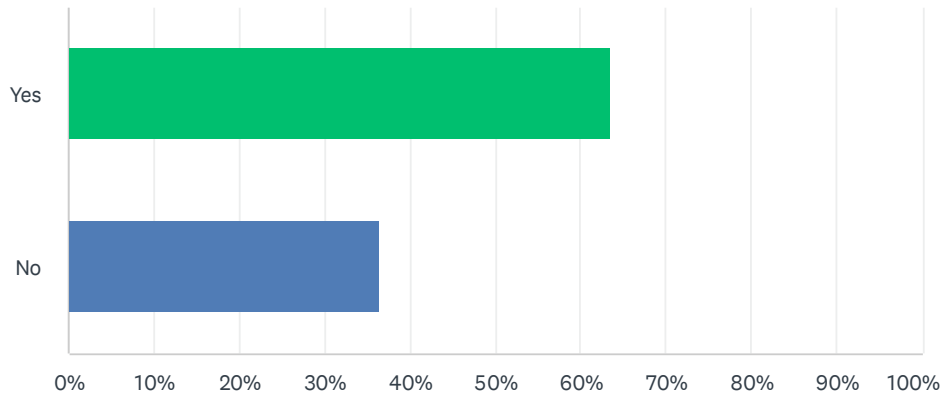
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	68.27%	71
No	31.73%	33
TOTAL		104

Q24 I WOULD SUPPORT AN APPROPRIATION OF GENERAL FUNDS TO SEE PUBLIC FUNDING PROGRAMS CONTINUE AND EXPANDED: (choose one)

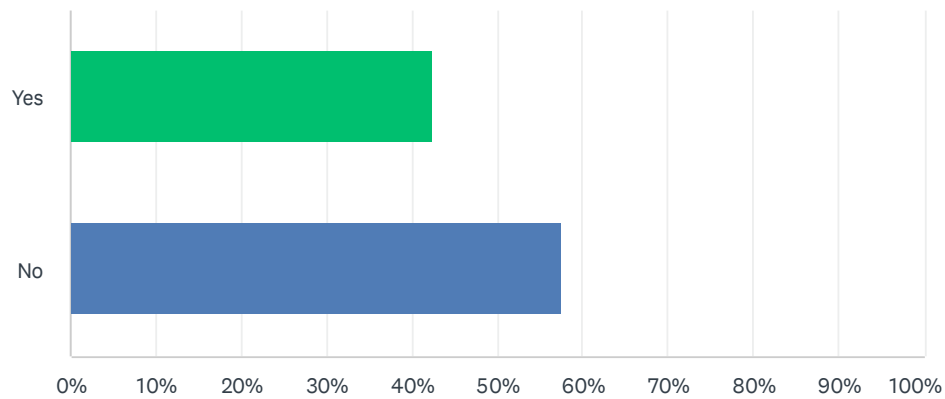
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	63.64% 63
No	36.36% 36
TOTAL	99

Q25 I HAVE BEEN CHECKING OFF THE \$3 "YES" CHECKBOX ON MY STATE INCOME TAX FORM WHICH PERMITS \$3 FROM STATE GENERAL FUNDS (OR \$6 IF MARRIED AND FILING A JOINT RETURN) TO BE ALLOCATED TO THE HAWAII ELECTION CAMPAIGN FUND FOR THE PUBLIC FUNDING PROGRAM: (choose one)

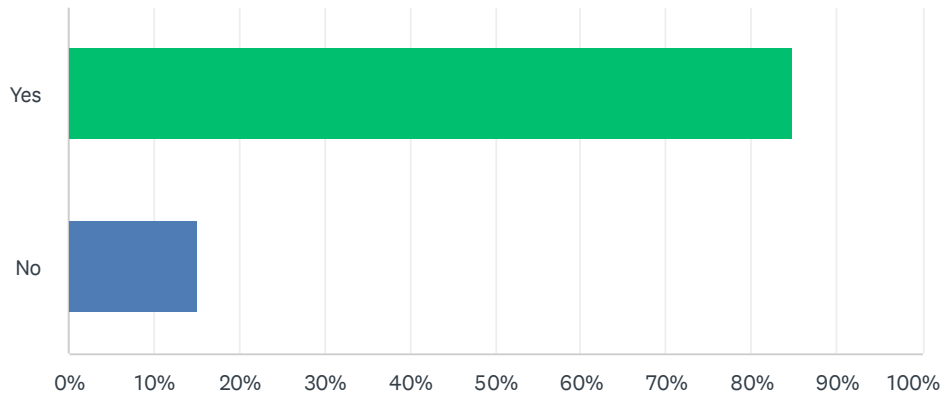
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	42.42%	42
No	57.58%	57
TOTAL		99

Q26 I KNOW THAT CHECKING THE \$3 CHECK-OFF DOES NOT INCREASE MY TAX LIABILITY OR DECREASE MY REFUND: (choose one)

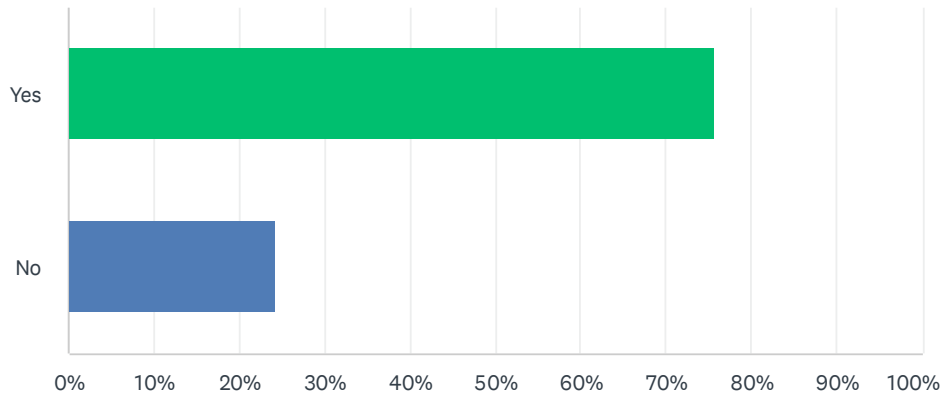
Answered: 99 Skipped: 29



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	84.85% 84
No	15.15% 15
TOTAL	99

Q27 I AM CONCERNED ABOUT NONCANDIDATE COMMITTEES MAKING SOLELY INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURES (i.e., “Super PACS”): (choose one)

Answered: 99 Skipped: 29



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	75.76%	75
No	24.24%	24
TOTAL		99

Q28 PLEASE FEEL FREE TO PROVIDE ANY OTHER COMMENTS CONCERNING THE CAMPAIGN SPENDING COMMISSION: (Field limited to 200 characters)

Answered: 34 Skipped: 94