Goals





1	Our lake group ide	ntifies its goals on a r	egular basis.	1.00		7.00	5.60	1.42	2.01	444
#		Field		Minimum		Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
0	20	40	60	80	100	120	140	160	180	200
Strongly agree										
Agree										
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Field

2 Disagree

1 Strongly disagree

Choice Count

2.48% 11

2.70% 12

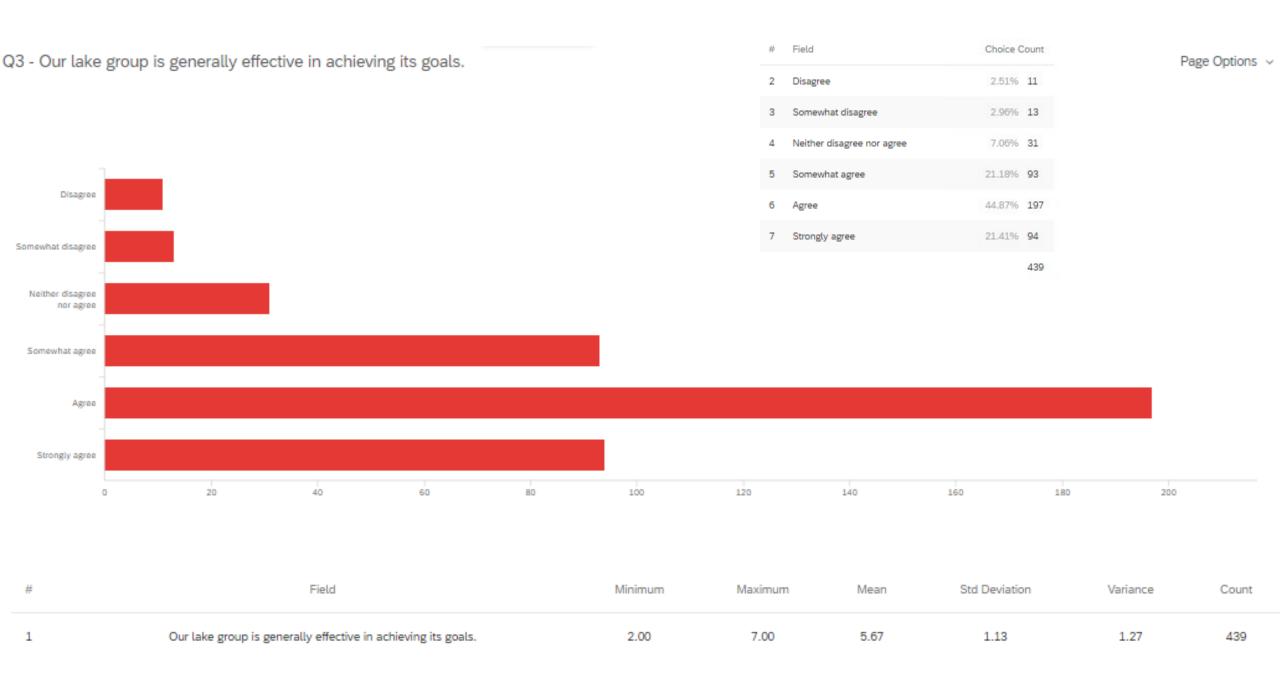
5.41% 24

5.18% 23

16.22% 72

41.67% 185

26.35% 117

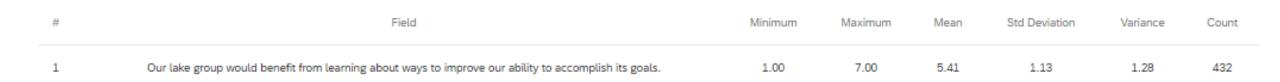




Agree

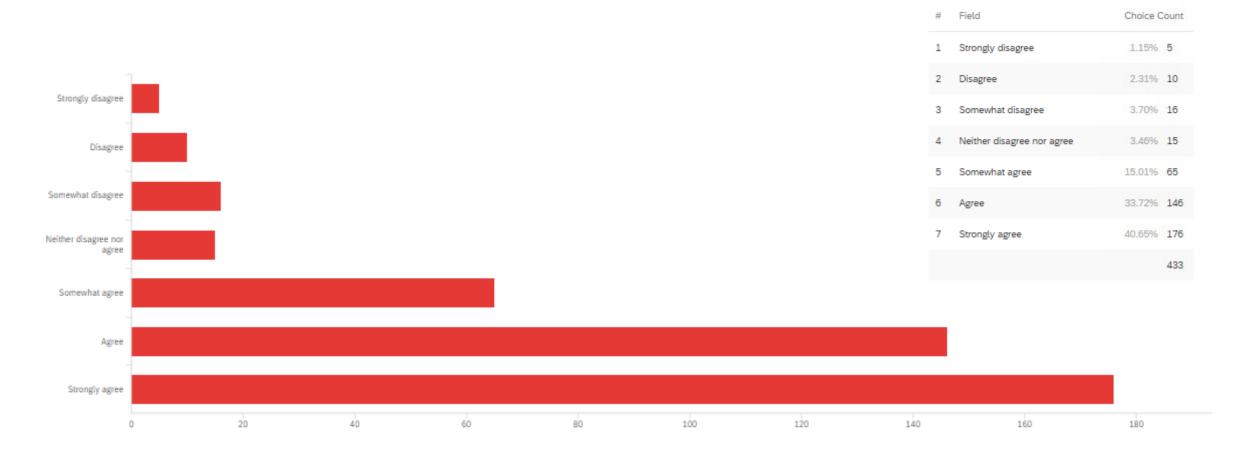
Strongly agree



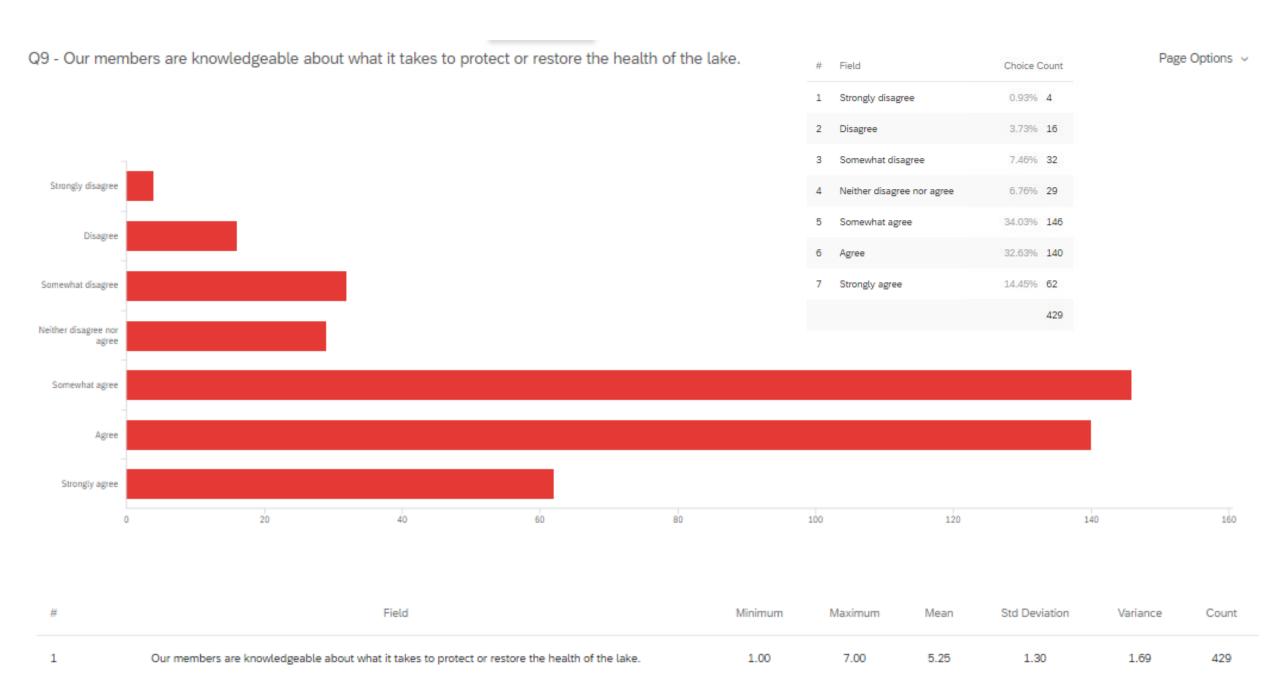


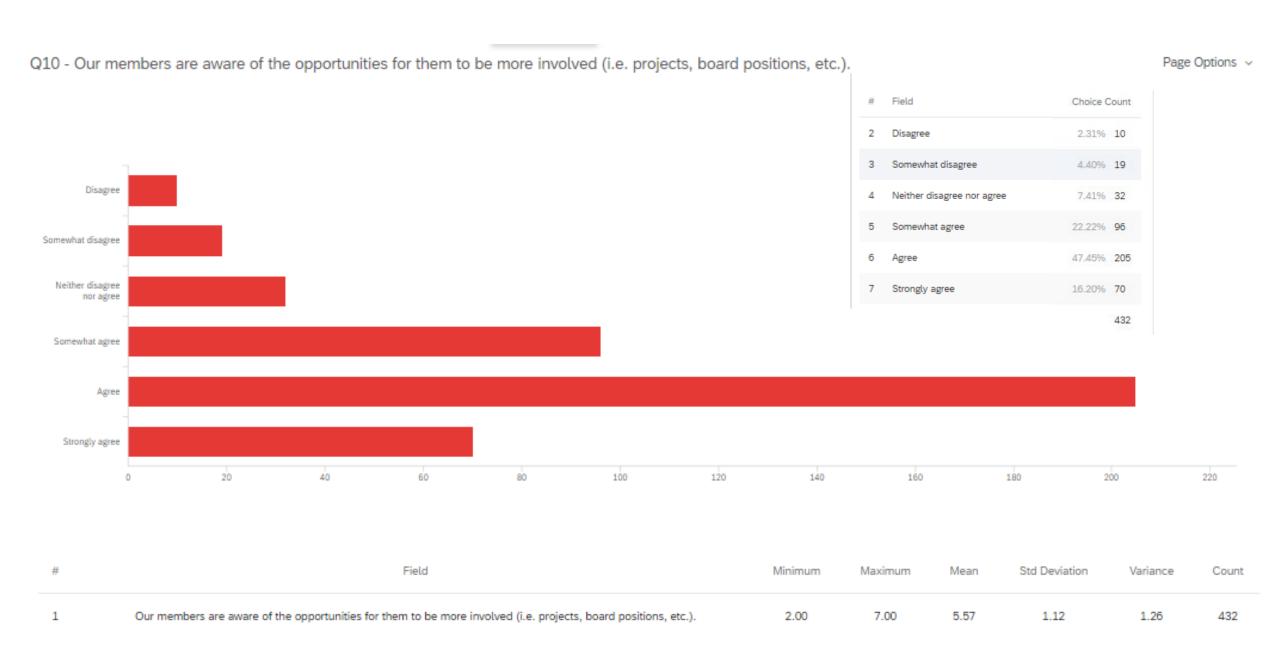
Members





#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our members regularly receive communications from our lake group (i.e. newsletters, social media, etc.).	1.00	7.00	5.93	1.30	1.68	433





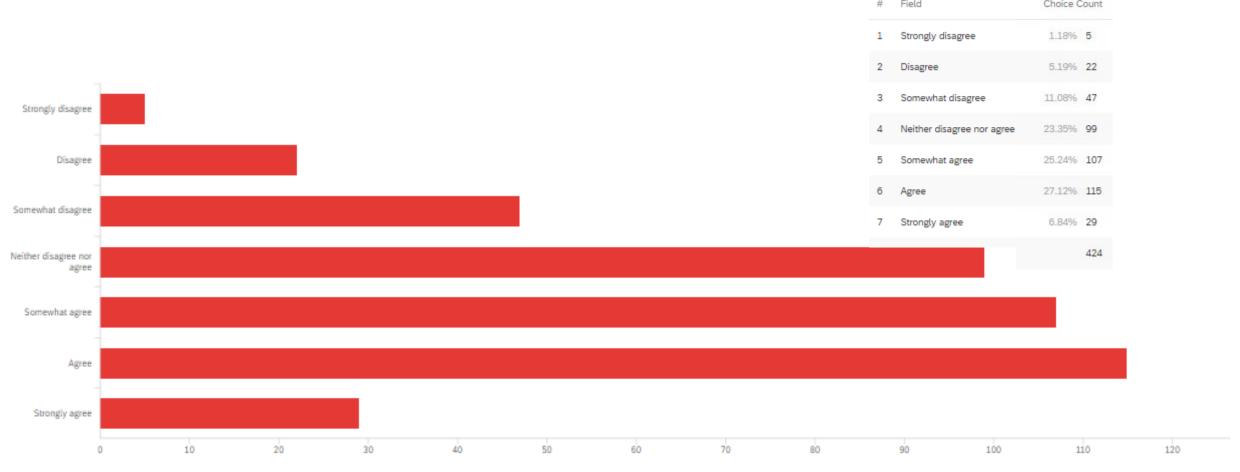
Agree

Strongly agree



#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our members feel like they have an active say in identifying lake management priorities.	2.00	8.00	6.24	1.33	1.76	421

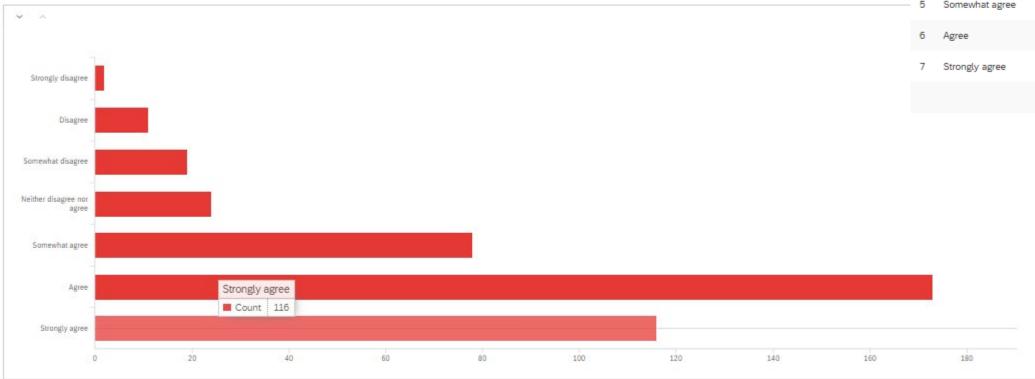




#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our members know how to utilize their connections to further our mission (i.e. fundraising, member recruitment, etc.).	1.00	7.00	4.75	1.35	1.81	424

Organization

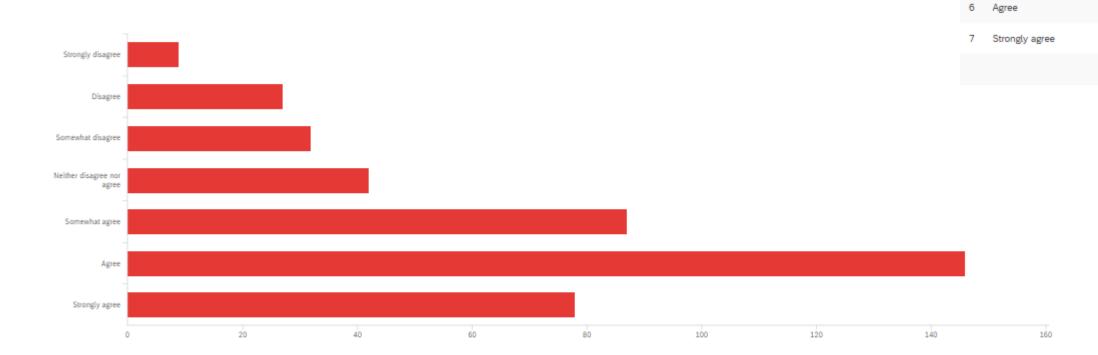
Q14 - Our lake group clearly defines our board members' roles and responsibilities.



#	Field	Choice Cour				
1	Strongly disagree	0.47%	2			
2	Disagree	2.60%	11			
3	Somewhat disagree	4.49%	19			
4	Neither disagree nor agree	5.67%	24			
5	Somewhat agree	18.44%	78			
6	Agree	40.90%	173			
7	Strongly agree	27.42%	116			
			423			

#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our lake group clearly defines our board members' roles and responsibilities.	1.00	7.00	5.71	1.24	1.54	423

Q15 - Our lake group effectively uses a committee structure to manage projects/tasks.



Field

2 Disagree

1 Strongly disagree

3 Somewhat disagree

5 Somewhat agree

4 Neither disagree nor agree

Choice Count

2.14% 9

6.41% 27

7.60% 32

9.98% 42

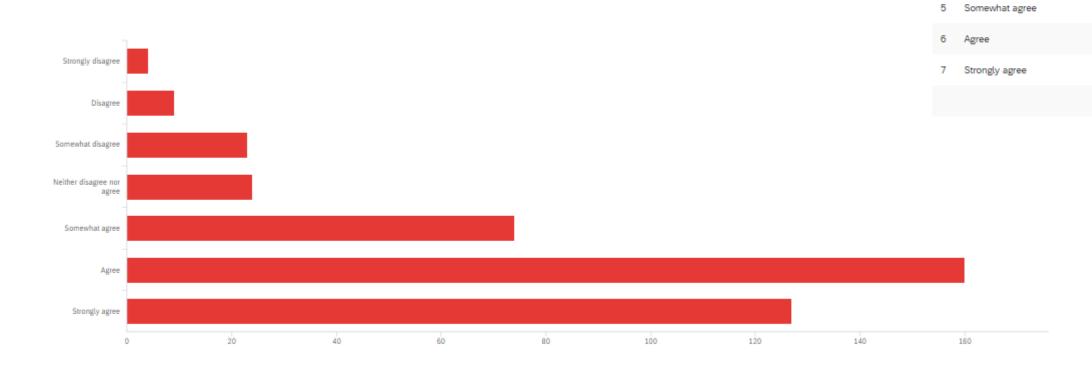
20.67% 87

34.68% 146

18.53% 78

#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our lake group effectively uses a committee structure to manage projects/tasks.	1.00	7.00	5.19	1.54	2.38	421

Q16 - Our lake group has an effective system for managing important records (i.e. financial, staff, public relations, etc.).



Field

2 Disagree

1 Strongly disagree

Somewhat disagree

4 Neither disagree nor agree

Choice Count

0.95% 4

2.14% 9

5.46% 23

5.70% 24

17.58% 74

38.00% 160

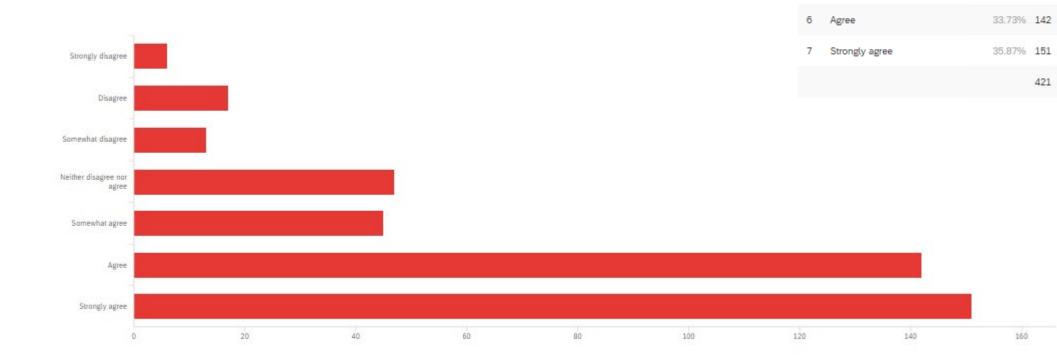
30.17% 127

#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our lake group has an effective system for managing important records (i.e. financial, staff, public relations, etc.).	1.00	7.00	5.71	1.30	1.70	421

Q17 - Our lake group closely follows an annual budget.

Field

Our lake group closely follows an annual budget.



Minimum

1.00

Maximum

7.00

Mean

5.70

Std Deviation

1.45

Variance

2.10

Count

421

Field

2 Disagree

1 Strongly disagree

3 Somewhat disagree

5 Somewhat agree

4 Neither disagree nor agree

Choice Count

1.43% 6

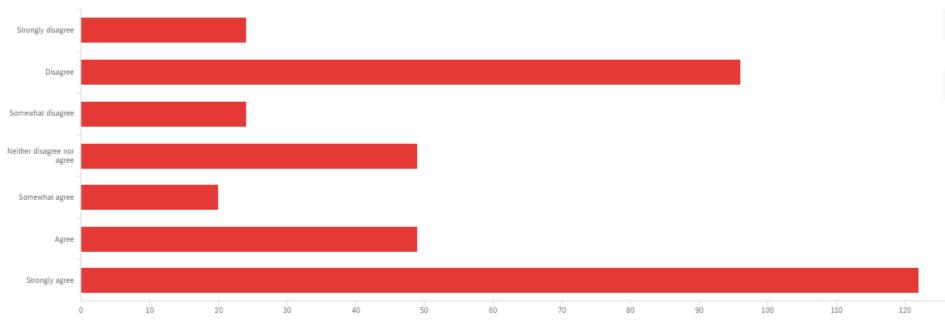
4.04% 17

3.09% 13

11.16% 47

10.69% 45

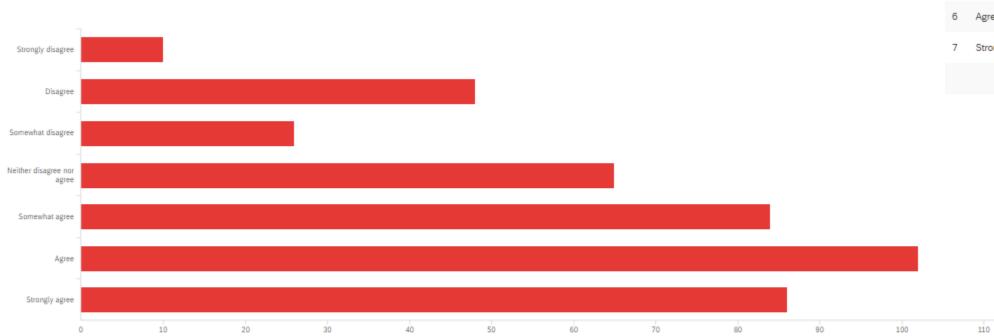
Q18 - Our lake group regularly asks someone external from the board to review our finances.



#	Field	Choice C	e Count		
1	Strongly disagree	6.25%	24		
2	Disagree	25.00%	96		
3	Somewhat disagree	6.25%	24		
4	Neither disagree nor agree	12.76%	49		
5	Somewhat agree	5.21%	20		
6	Agree	12.76%	49		
7	Strongly agree	31.77%	122		
			384		

#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our lake group regularly asks someone external from the board to review our finances.	1.00	7.00	4.51	2.19	4.79	384

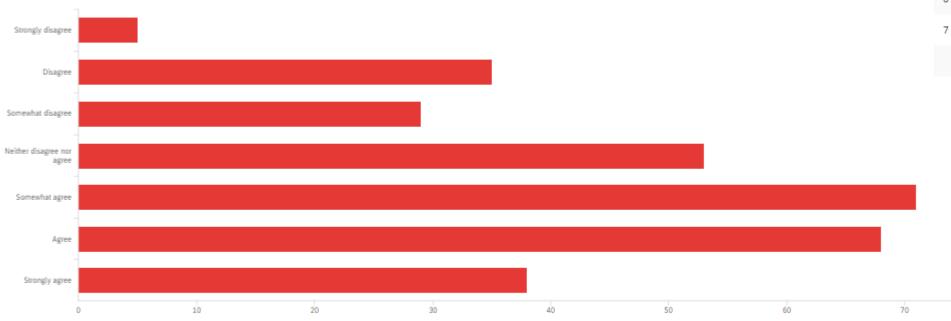
Q19 - Our lake group intentionally recruits board members, project volunteers and/or paid staff who enhance our ability to take action (i.e. project manag...



#	Field	Choice C	ount
1	Strongly disagree	2.38%	10
2	Disagree	11.40%	48
3	Somewhat disagree	6.18%	26
4	Neither disagree nor agree	15.44%	65
5	Somewhat agree	19.95%	84
6	Agree	24.23%	102
7	Strongly agree	20.43%	86
			421

#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our lake group intentionally recruits board members, project volunteers and/or paid staff who enhance our ability to take action (i.e. project management, accounting, fundraising, etc.).	1.00	7.00	4.94	1.69	2.86	421

Q20 - Our lake group has an effective strategy for retaining and/or growing our membership (if you belong to a lake district, please skip this question).



#	Field	Choice Count		
1	Strongly disagree	1.67%	5	
2	Disagree	11.71%	35	
3	Somewhat disagree	9.70%	29	
4	Neither disagree nor agree	17.73%	53	
5	Somewhat agree	23.75%	71	
6	Agree	22.74%	68	
7	Strongly agree	12.71%	38	
			299	

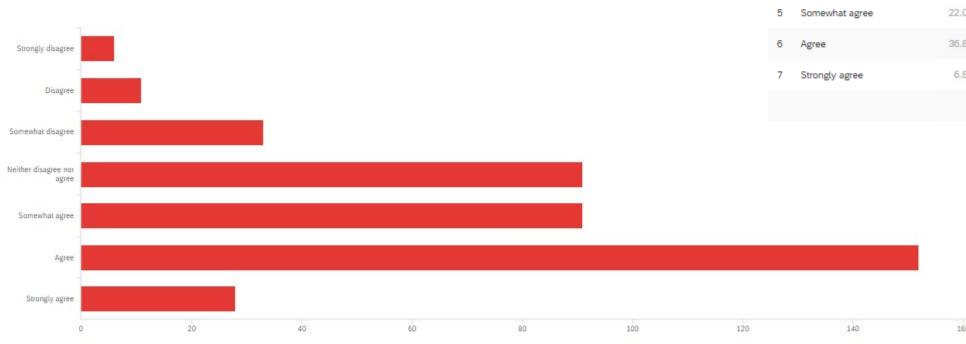
#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count
1	Our lake group has an effective strategy for retaining and/or growing our membership (if you belong to a lake district, please skip this question).	1.00	7.00	4.69	1.59	2.53	299

Q21 - Our lake group is effective at managing conflict.

Field

Our lake group is effective at managing conflict.

1



Minimum

1.00

#	Field	Choice Count		
1	Strongly disagree	1.46%	6	
2	Disagree	2.67%	11	
3	Somewhat disagree	8.01%	33	
4	Neither disagree nor agree	22.09%	91	
5	Somewhat agree	22.09%	91	
6	Agree	36.89%	152	
7	Strongly agree	6.80%	28	
			412	

Count

412

Variance

1.66

Std Deviation

1.29

Mean

4.99

Maximum

7.00

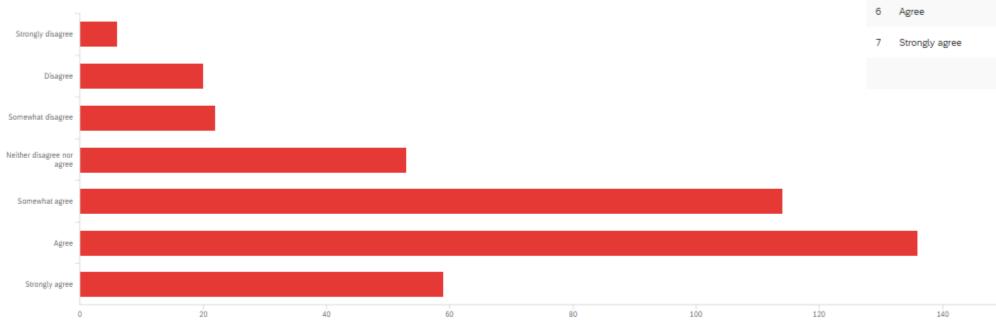
Relationships

Q23 - Our lake group effectively communicates with other groups whose work overlaps with our mission.

Field

Our lake group effectively communicates with other groups whose work overlaps with our mission.

1



Minimum

1.00

Maximum

7.00

Mean

5.18

120	140	
Std Deviation	Variance	Count 410

Field

2 Disagree

1 Strongly disagree

3 Somewhat disagree

5 Somewhat agree

4 Neither disagree nor agree

Choice Count

1.46% 6

4.88% 20

5.37% 22

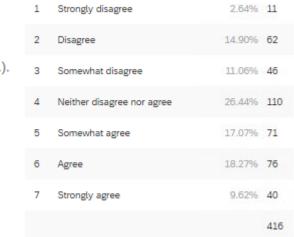
12.93% 53

27.80% 114

33.17% 136

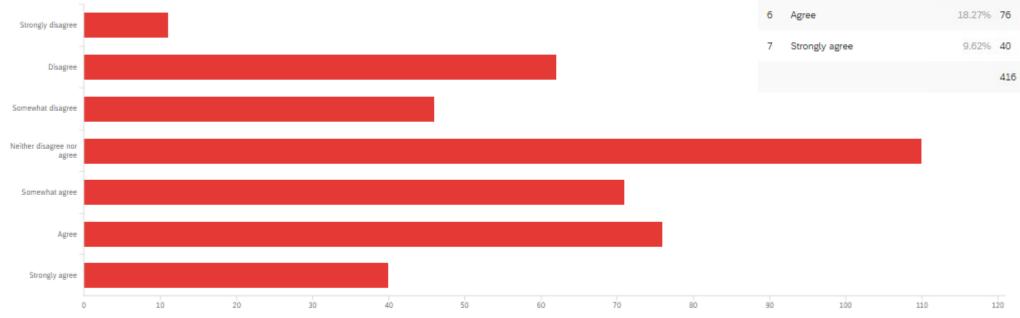
14.39% 59

Q24 - Our lake group effectively partners with other groups to plan projects/programs (i.e. fundraising, co-hosting events, etc.).



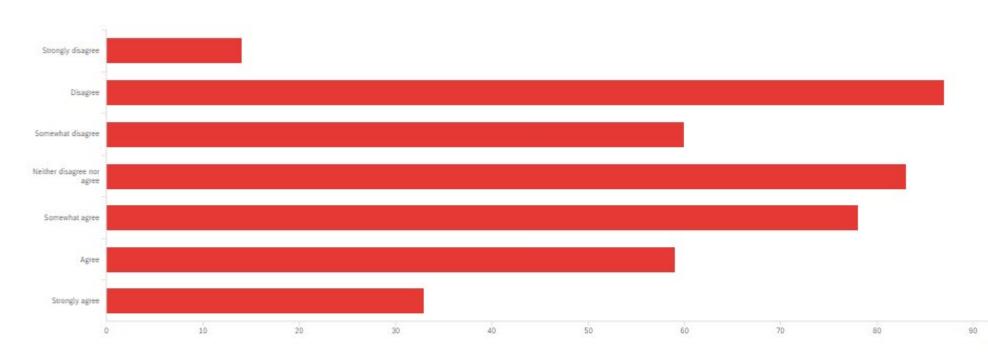
Choice Count

Field



#	Field	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std Deviation	Variance	Count	
1	Our lake group effectively partners with other groups to plan projects/programs (i.e. fundraising, co-hosting events, etc.).	1.00	7.00	4.34	1.61	2.60	416	

Q25 - Our lake group regularly participates in broader community improvement projects.



Page	#	Field Choice	Count
	1	Strongly disagree 3.389	6 14
	2	Disagree 21.019	6 87
	3	Somewhat disagree 14,499	6 60
Page	4	Neither disagree nor agree 20.059	6 83
	5	Somewhat agree 18.849	6 78
	6	Agree 14.259	6 59
	7	Strongly agree 7.979	6 33
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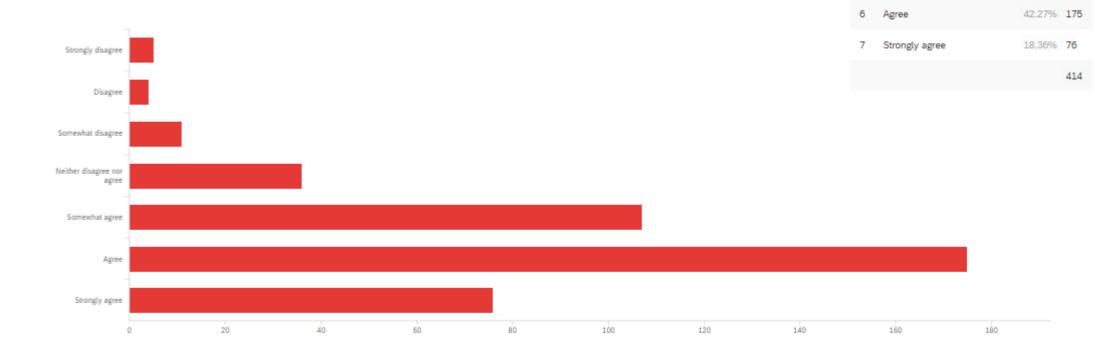
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1	Our lake group regularly participates in broader community improvement projects.	1.00	7.00	4.05	1.66	2.76	414

Q26 - Our lake group knows who to turn to when we encounter issues that we cannot address.

Field

Our lake group knows who to turn to when we encounter issues that we cannot address.

1



Minimum

1.00

Maximum

7.00

Mean

5.57

Std Deviation

1.14

Variance

1.30

Count

414

Field

2 Disagree

1 Strongly disagree

3 Somewhat disagree

5 Somewhat agree

4 Neither disagree nor agree

Choice Count

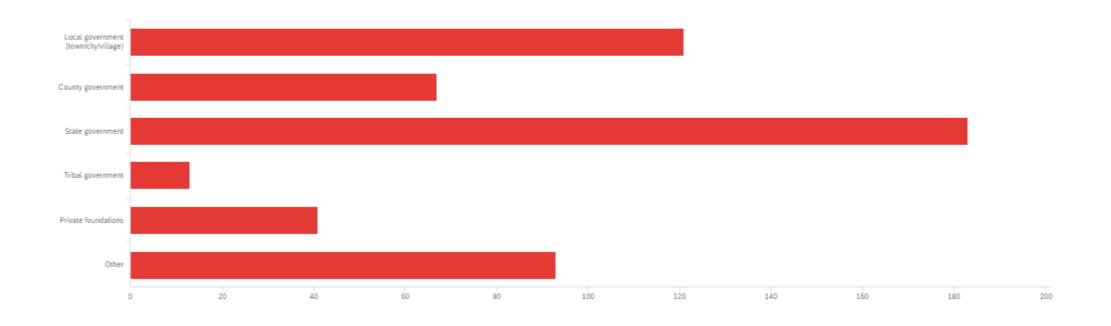
1.21% 5

0.97% 4

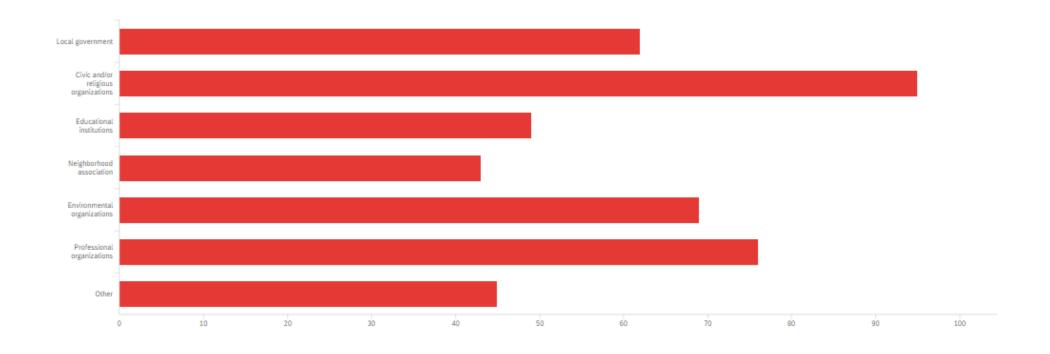
2.66% 11

8.70% 36

25.85% 107



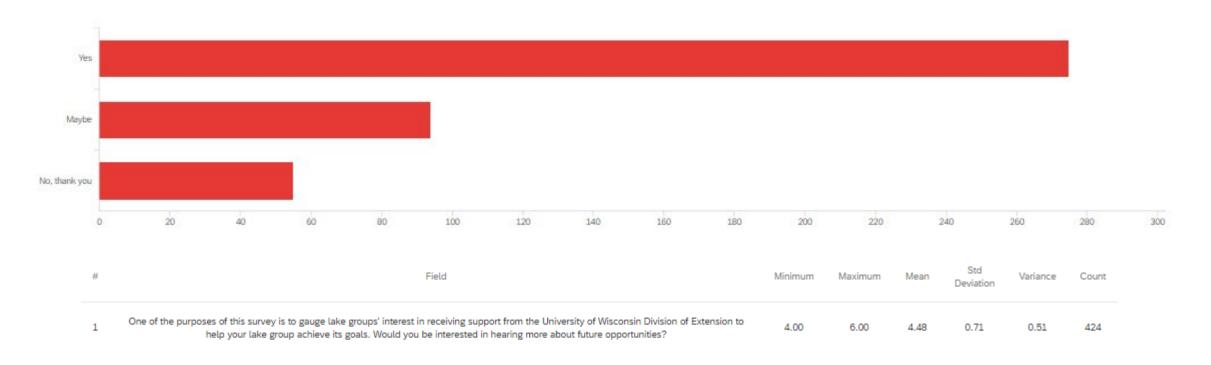
#	Field	Choice Count
1	Local government (town/city/village)	23.36% 121
2	County government	12.93% 67
3	State government	35.33% 183
4	Tribal government	2.51% 13
5	Private foundations	7.92% 41
6	Other	17.95% 93



#	Field	Choice Count
1	Local government	14.12% 62
2	Civic and/or religious organizations	21.64% 95
3	Educational institutions	11.16% 49
4	Neighborhood association	9.79% 43
5	Environmental organizations	15.72% 69
6	Professional organizations	17.31% 76
7	Other	10.25% 45
		439

Summary Questions

Q29 - One of the purposes of this survey is to gauge lake groups' interest in receiving support from the University of Wisconsin Division of Extension to help your lake group achieve its goals. Would you be interested in hearing more about future opportunities?



#	Field	Choice Count
4	Yes	64.86% 275
5	Maybe	22.17% 94
6	No, thank you	12.97% 55
		424

In your opinion, what kind of help is needed most by your lake group right now?

