



# CALIFORNIA JOBS FIRST

As a significant goal of California Jobs First is to lift up community needs and voices, a critical component of the work was hearing from Orange County residents, specifically disinvested community members. We focused on the following:

- Access to quality jobs
- Health equity
- Environmental equity
- Economic equity
- Challenges to attaining equity, and
- Building a better economy in our region

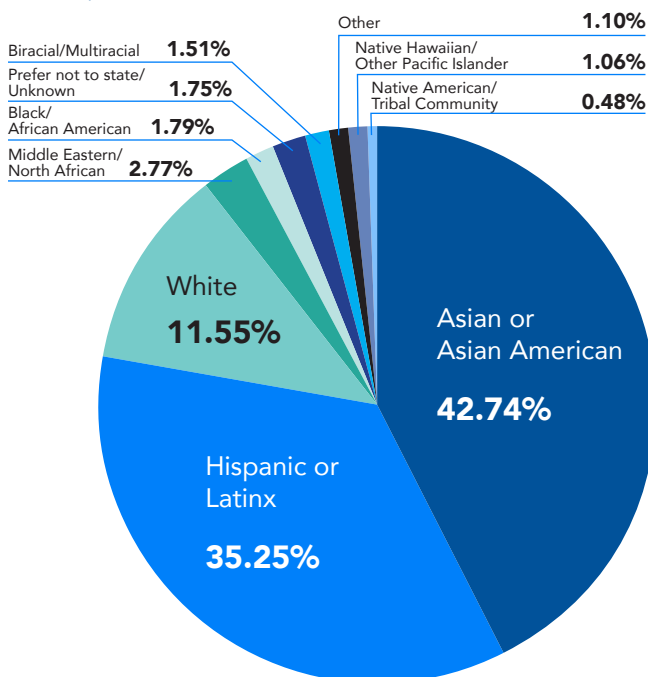
Funding was provided to 27 non-profit organizations, with experience working with their respective communities and community issues, which allowed outreach to be done in 11 languages throughout the entire county.

*The organizations who gathered this information included:*

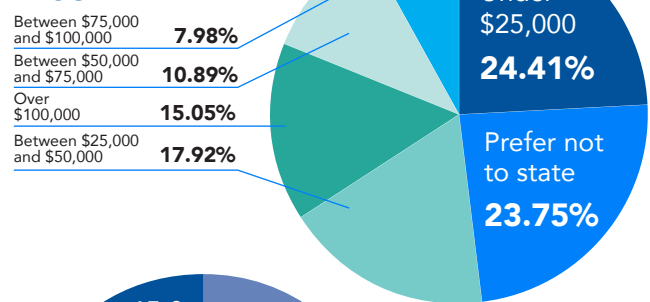
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| Abrazar  | Korean American Chamber of Commerce of Orange County |
| Ahri Center  | Latino Health Access                                 |
| BPSOS Center for Community Advancement, Inc.           | OC Coastkeeper                                       |
| California Forward                                     | OC Hispanic Chamber of Commerce                      |
| CEO Leadership Alliance Orange County                  | OC Labor Federation                                  |
| Climate Action Campaign                                | OCCORD   |
| Coastal Corridor Alliance                              | OMID Multicultural Institute for Development         |
| Community Action Partnership of Orange County          | Orange County Iranian American Chamber of Commerce   |
| Cooperación Santa Ana                                  | Sustain SoCal  |
| CREER Comunidad y Familia                              | The Kennedy Commission                               |
| Delhi Center   | THRIVE Santa Ana                                     |
| Filipino American Chamber of Commerce of Orange County | VietRISE   |
| Goodwill Industries of Orange County                   | Vital Access Care Foundation                         |
| HOPE Community Services                                |  |

## DATA ANALYSIS: DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

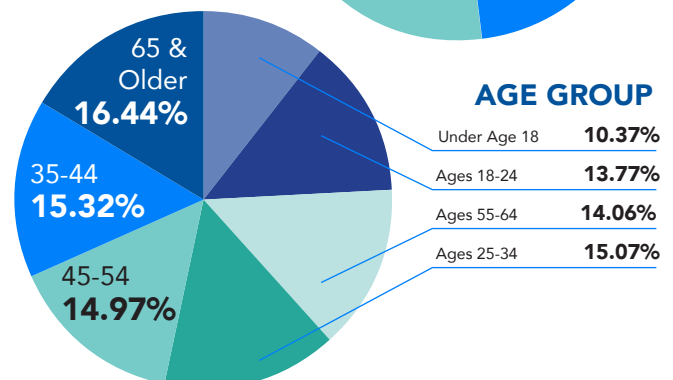
### RACE/ETHNICITY



### HOUSEHOLD INCOME



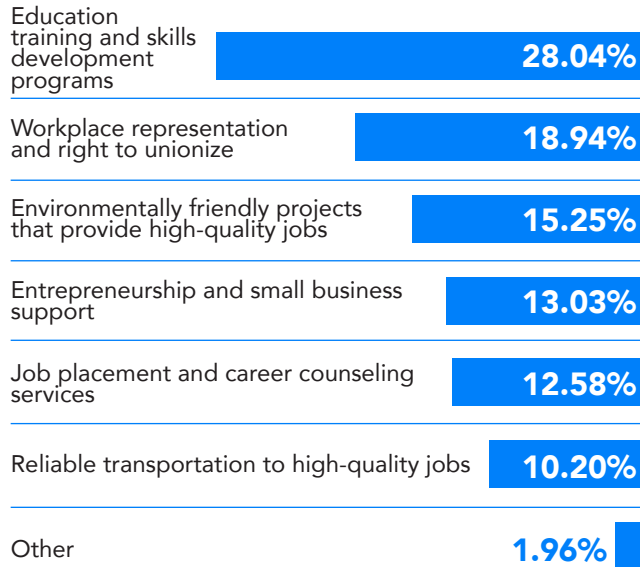
### AGE GROUP



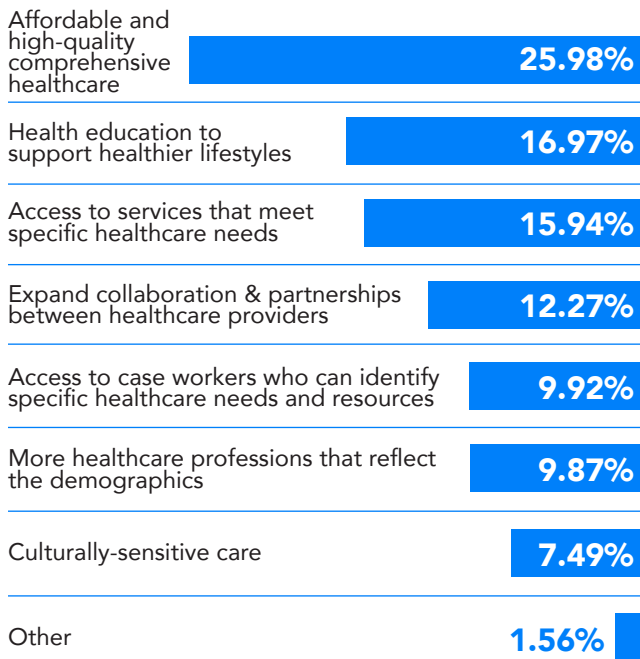
\* The execution and analysis of this community outreach and engagement was done by Sarah Middleton of Mission Up and Dr. C.J. Bishop.

## DATA ANALYSIS: TOP RESPONSES\*

Select your top 3 solutions to ensure that there are accessible high-quality jobs for the most economically disadvantaged individuals and families.

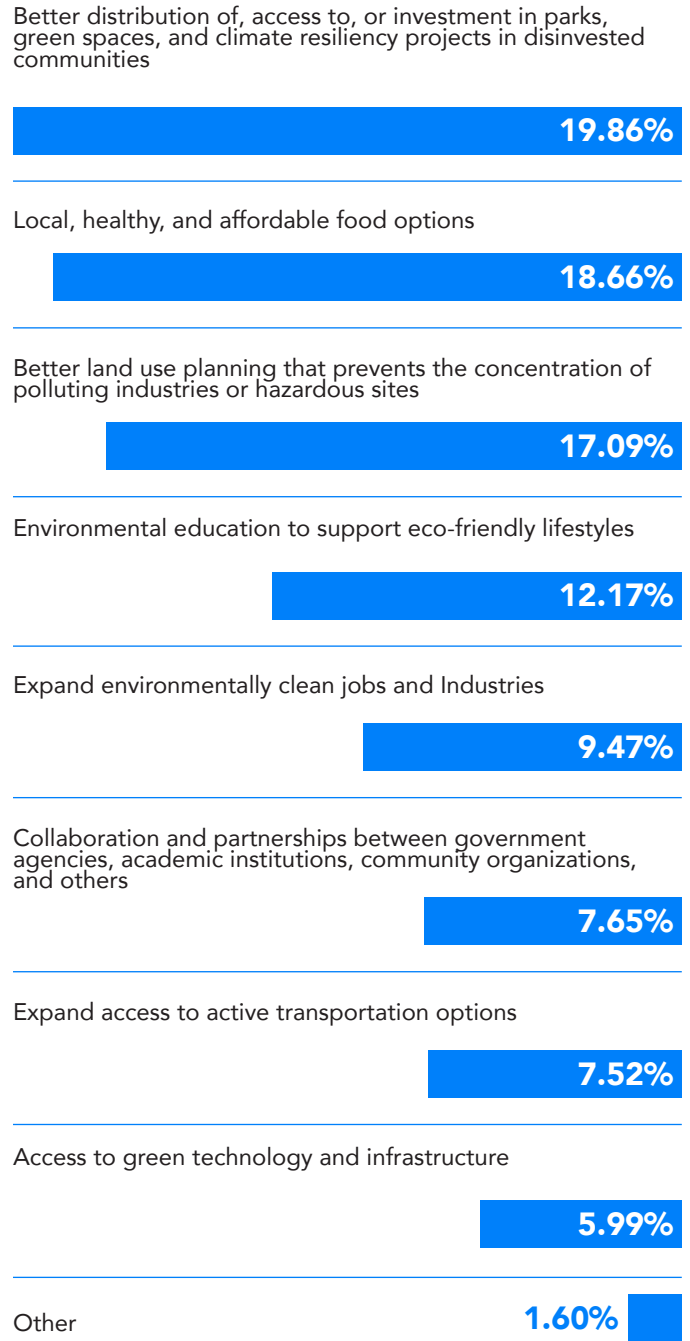


Select your top 3 solutions for increasing health equity in Orange County.



\*5,233 people participated in these surveys.

Select your top 3 solutions for increasing environmental equity in Orange County.



## Top strategies for growing Orange County's economy equitably:

1. Affordable Housing/Concerns Over Gentrification
2. Wage Issues & Job Opportunities
3. Education & Workforce Development
4. Transportation Accessibility
5. Support for Small Business & Entrepreneurship
6. Community & Nonprofit Engagement
7. Health & Social Support
8. Infrastructure & Economic Development
9. Fair Practices & Policy Implementation