



Voter Attitudes on Civil Society and Working Together:

A Brief Survey on Nonprofits, Philanthropies, and Partnerships

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Introduction

This poll was conducted with over 500 registered voters on October 6, 2024. The results are not meant to be a final word, but rather to be illustrative and provocative, meriting more thorough testing and analysis. We hope it is, however, useful in encouraging thinking about the public's desire for: change; new ideas; and encouraging the many parts of our society to work together better.

Desire for Change

How much change do you think this country needs?

The country needs
a lot of change

73.36%

The country needs
only a little change

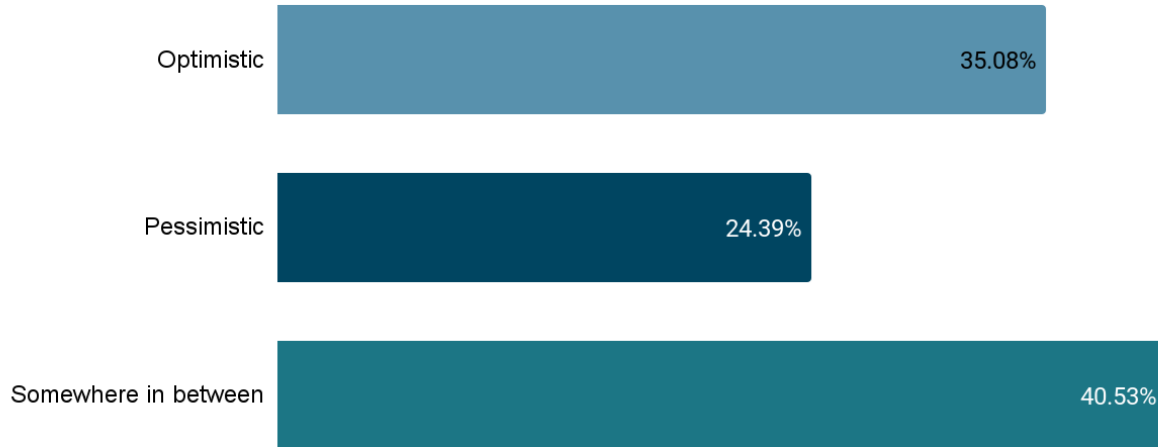
12.22%

Somewhere in
between, the
country needs
some change

14.45%

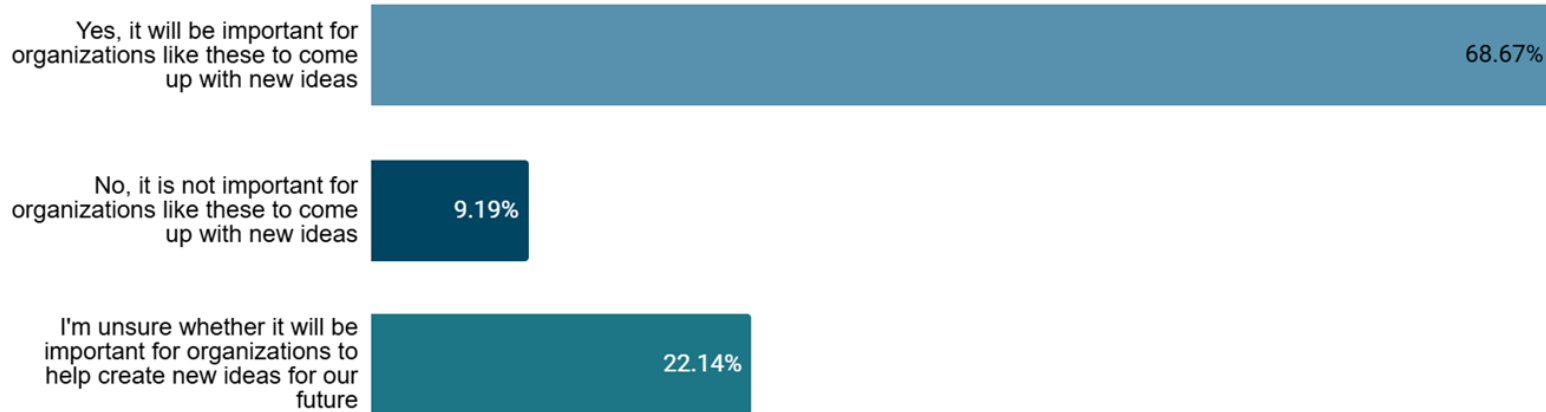
Split on Feeling about the Future

Are you optimistic or pessimistic about the future of the country?



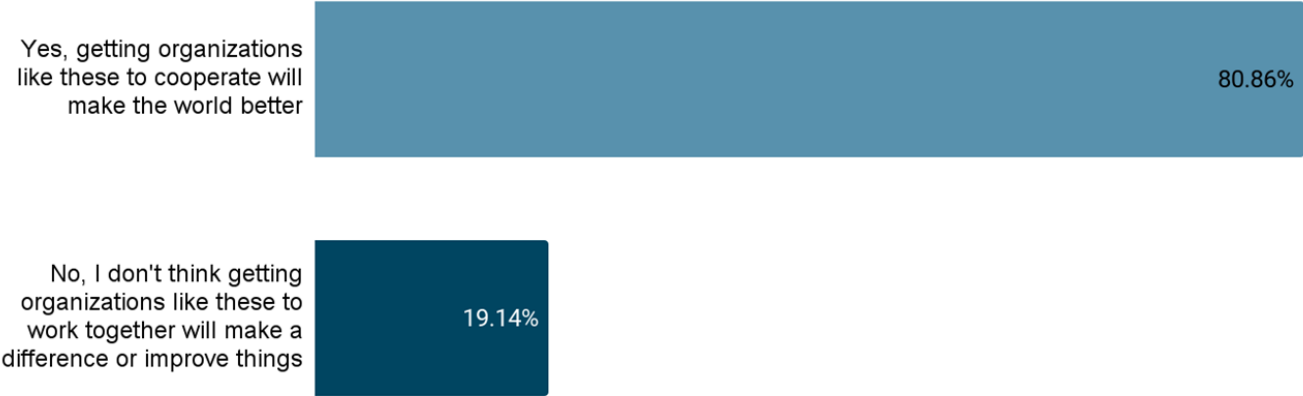
NGOs & New Ideas

Do you think it will be important over the next few years for non-governmental organizations such as civic organizations, foundations and non profits to create new ideas for solving the big problems we face as a country, or is that best left to government or private citizens?



Cooperation for Solving Problems

Do you think the different parts of our world work together well or could do better?



Many Sectors Matter for Change

Which type of organization do you think can do the most good for the world in the future?

