



Livable Community Survey Results



Livable Community Survey

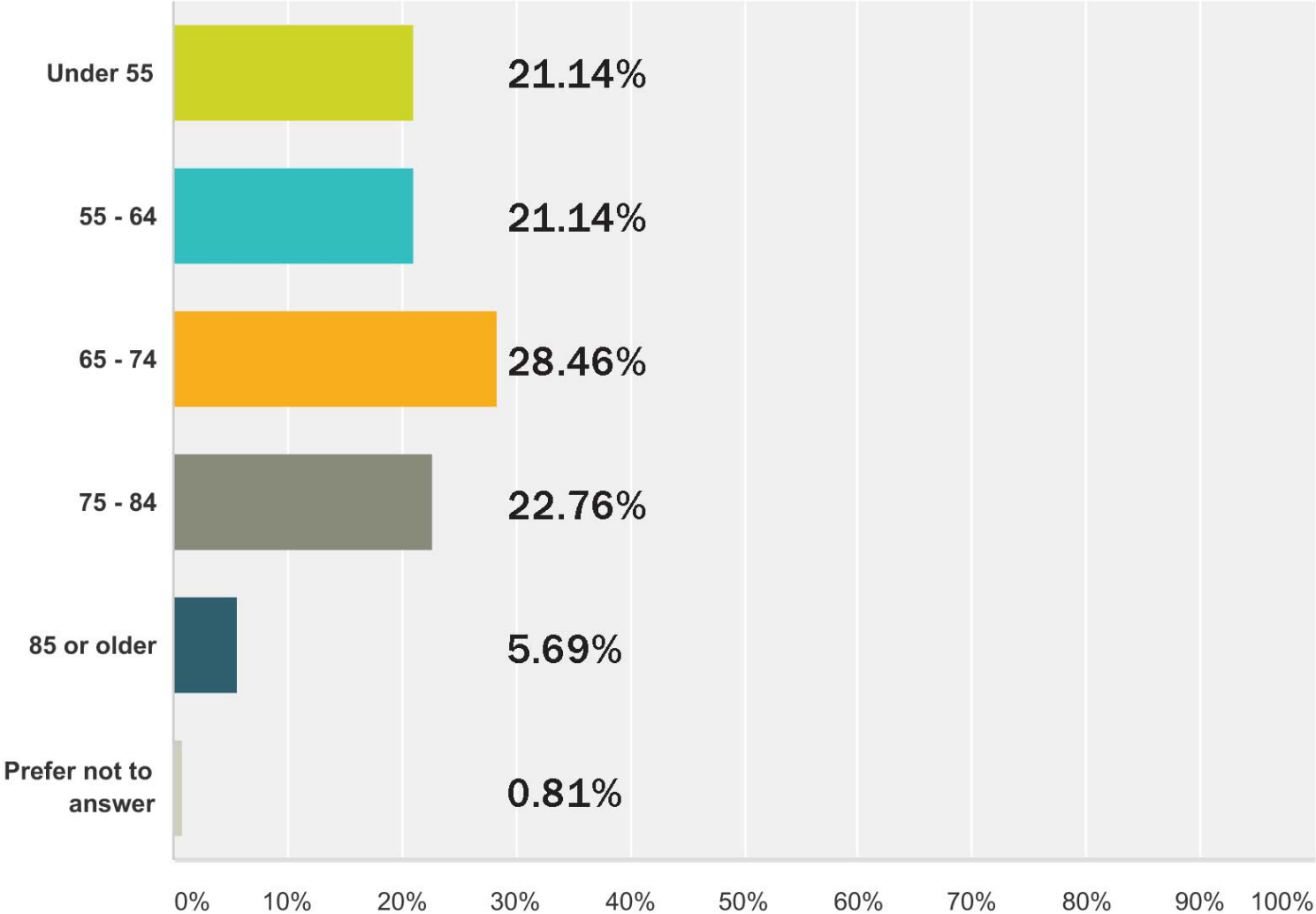
- Communications Committee worked with Social Services student intern Angela Roemerman to develop survey
- Survey open for 5 weeks in November-December 2016
- Total of 144 responses



And the winner is...John Bakas, recipient of our random drawing for a \$50 prepaid gift card

Q10 OPTIONAL: Age of individual completing this survey and geographic location.

Answered: 123

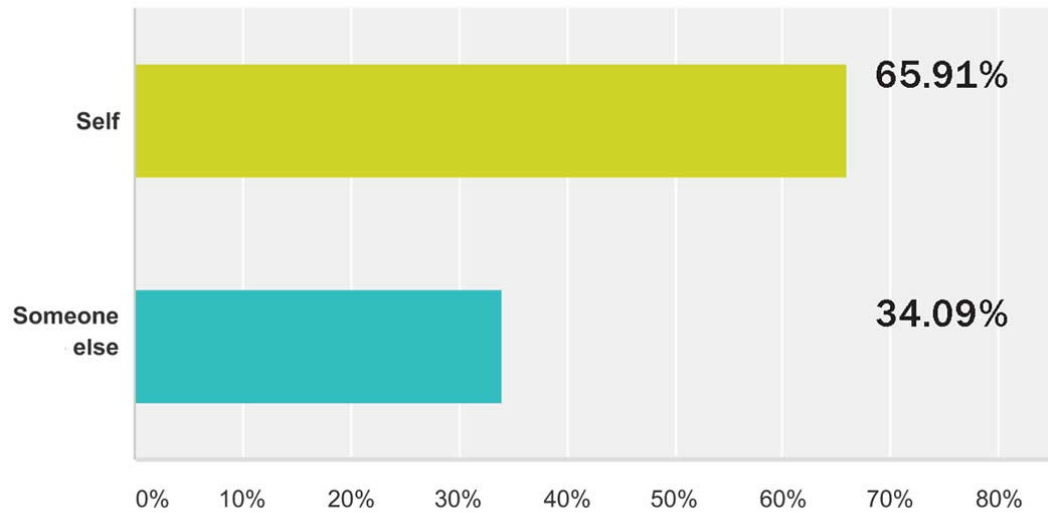




Website Questions

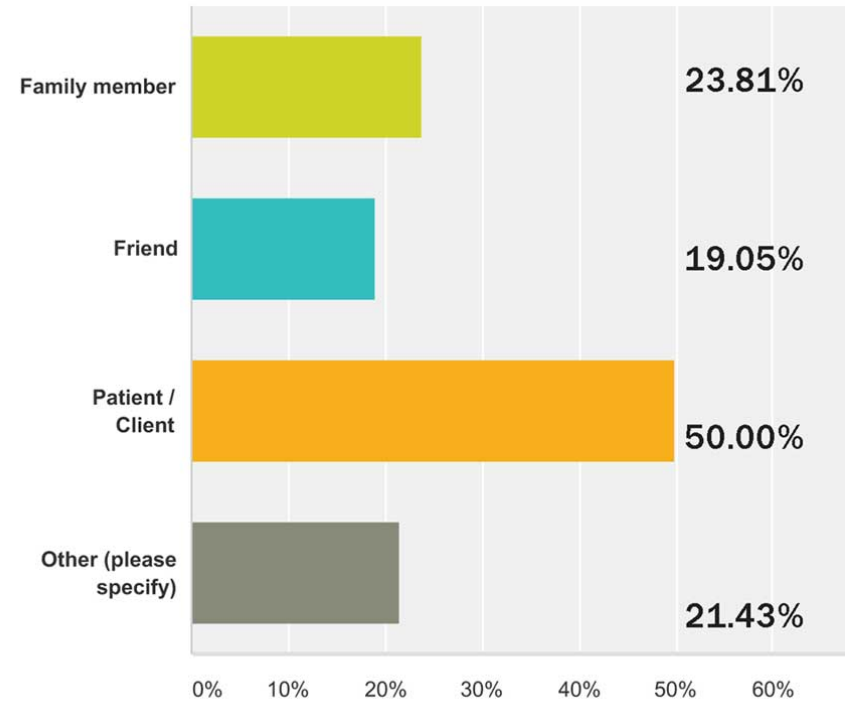
Q3 When you visit the LivableCommunity.org website, are you seeking information for yourself or someone else?

Answered: 132



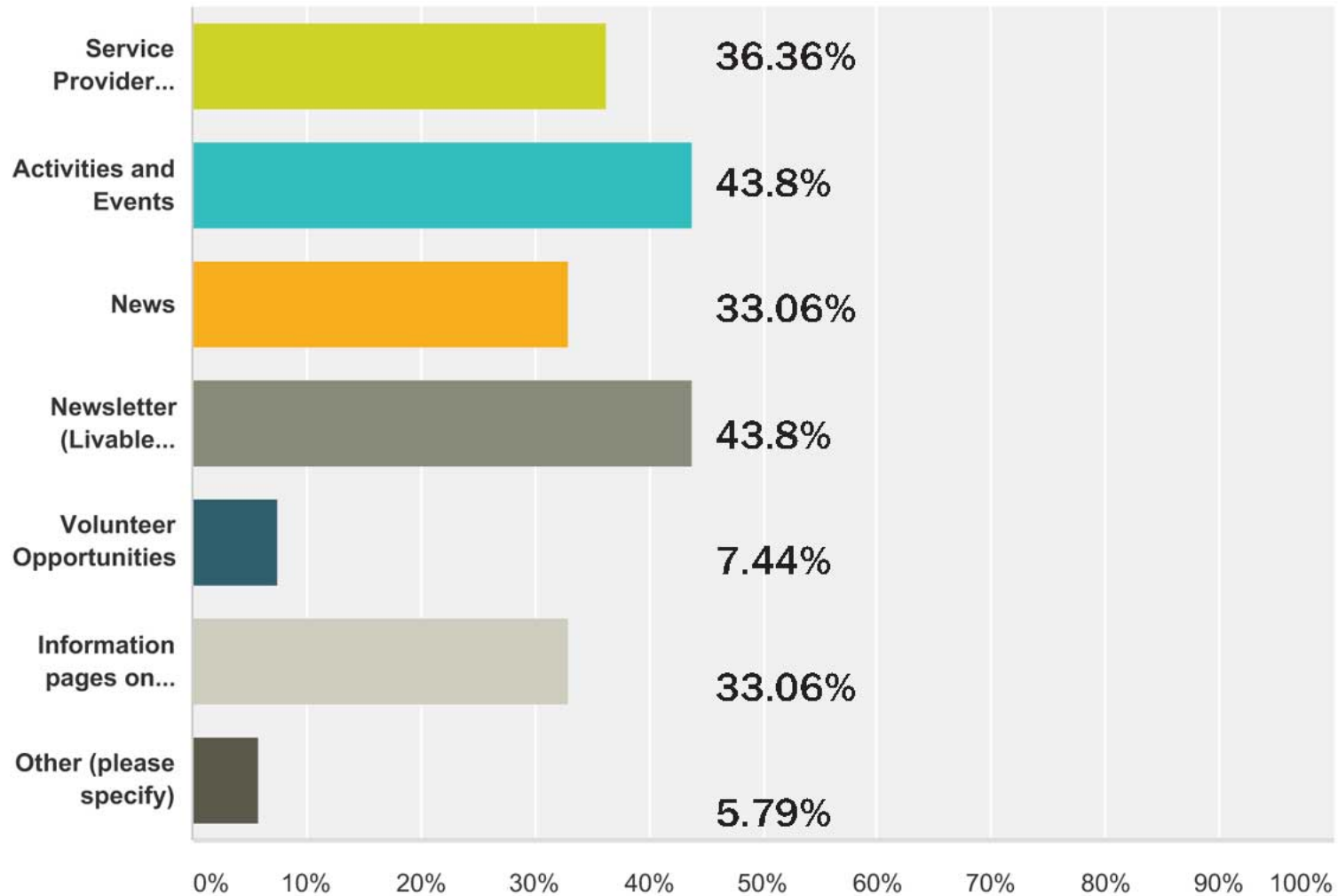
Q4 Are they a:

Answered: 42



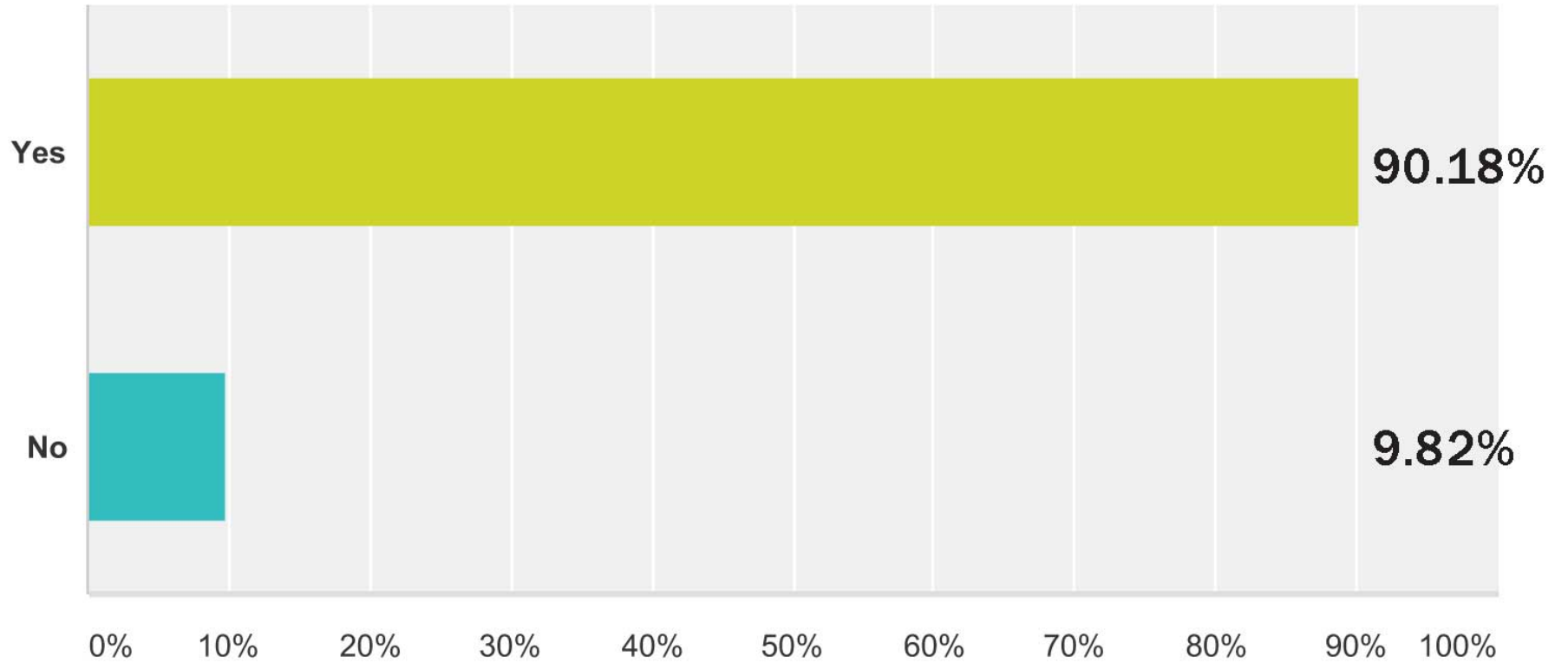
Q5 What are your reason(s) for visiting the LivableCommunity.org website?

Answered: 121



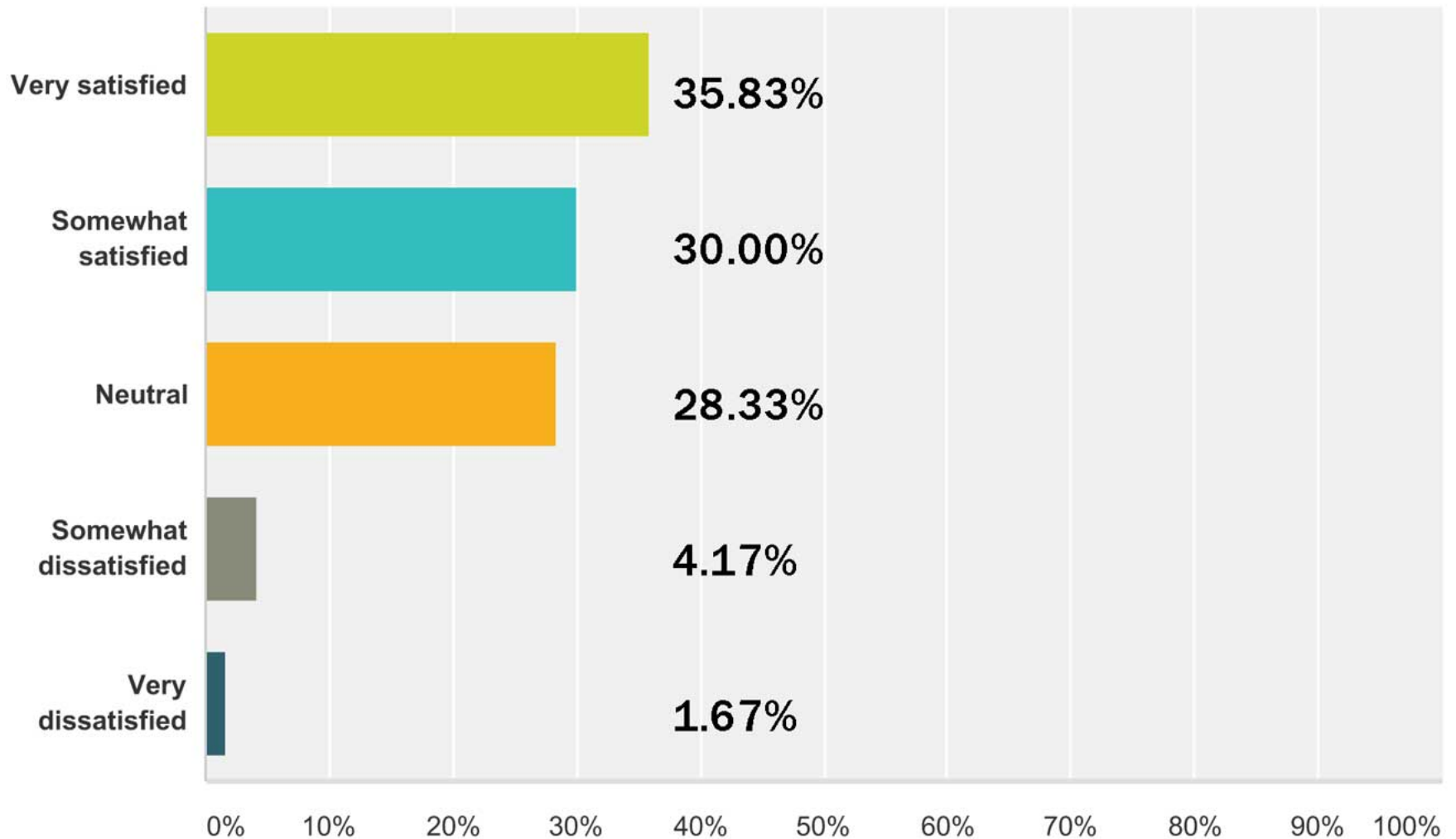
Q6 Did you find what you were looking for?

Answered: 112



Q7 How satisfied are you with the LivableCommunity.org website?

Answered: 120





Website Comments

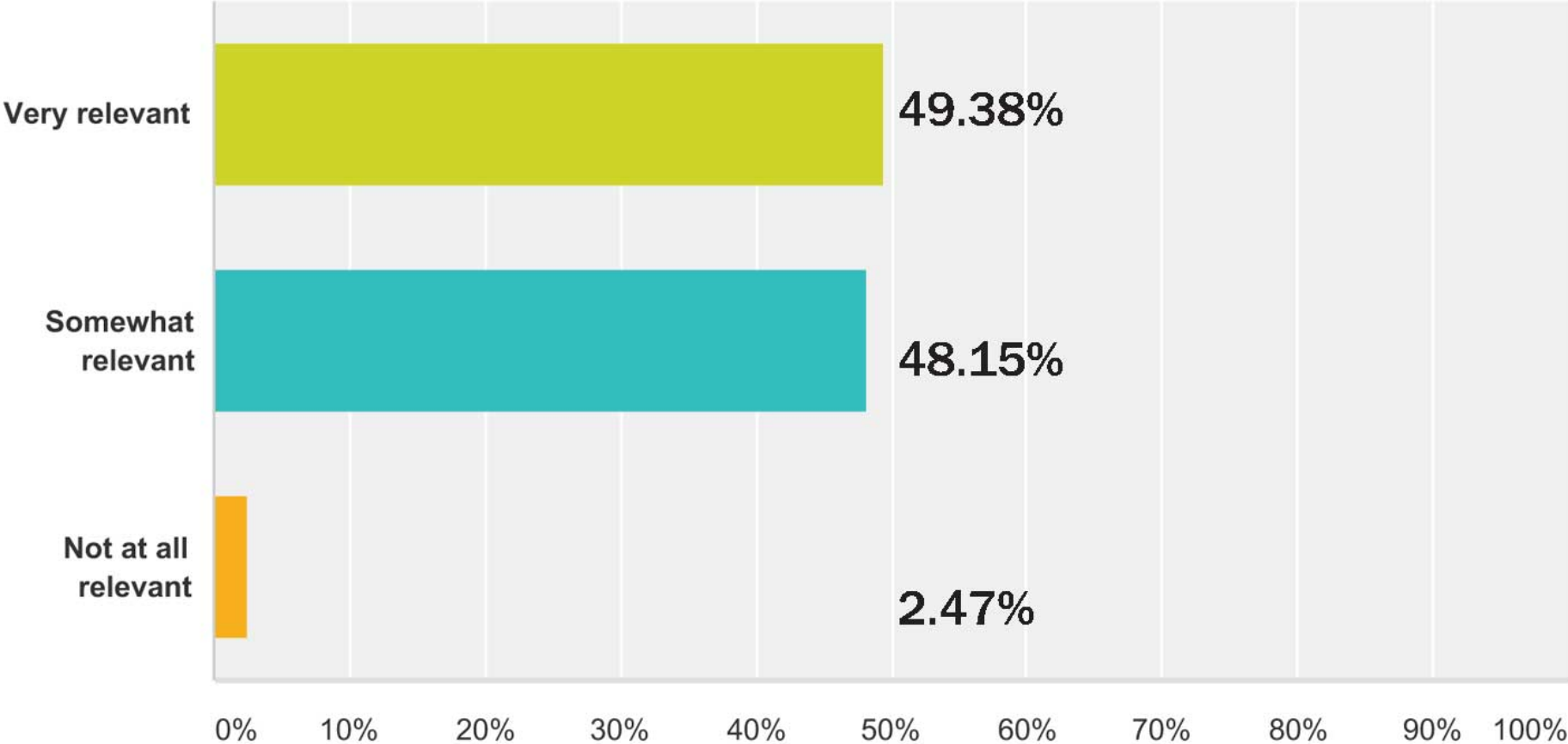
- Lots of service directory information out of date; services list incomplete.
- Well organized. Attractive.
- More events and event information.
- I find Iowa City is more concerned on certain areas and a certain demographic, not the community as a whole.
- Need more information on housing for assisted that will take people with Medicaid who aren't senior-age.
- The photos are great.
- Maybe, have someone who would help people who are trying to build an ADA/Aging in place home.
- More specific articles and information.
- A valuable resource!



Newsletter Questions

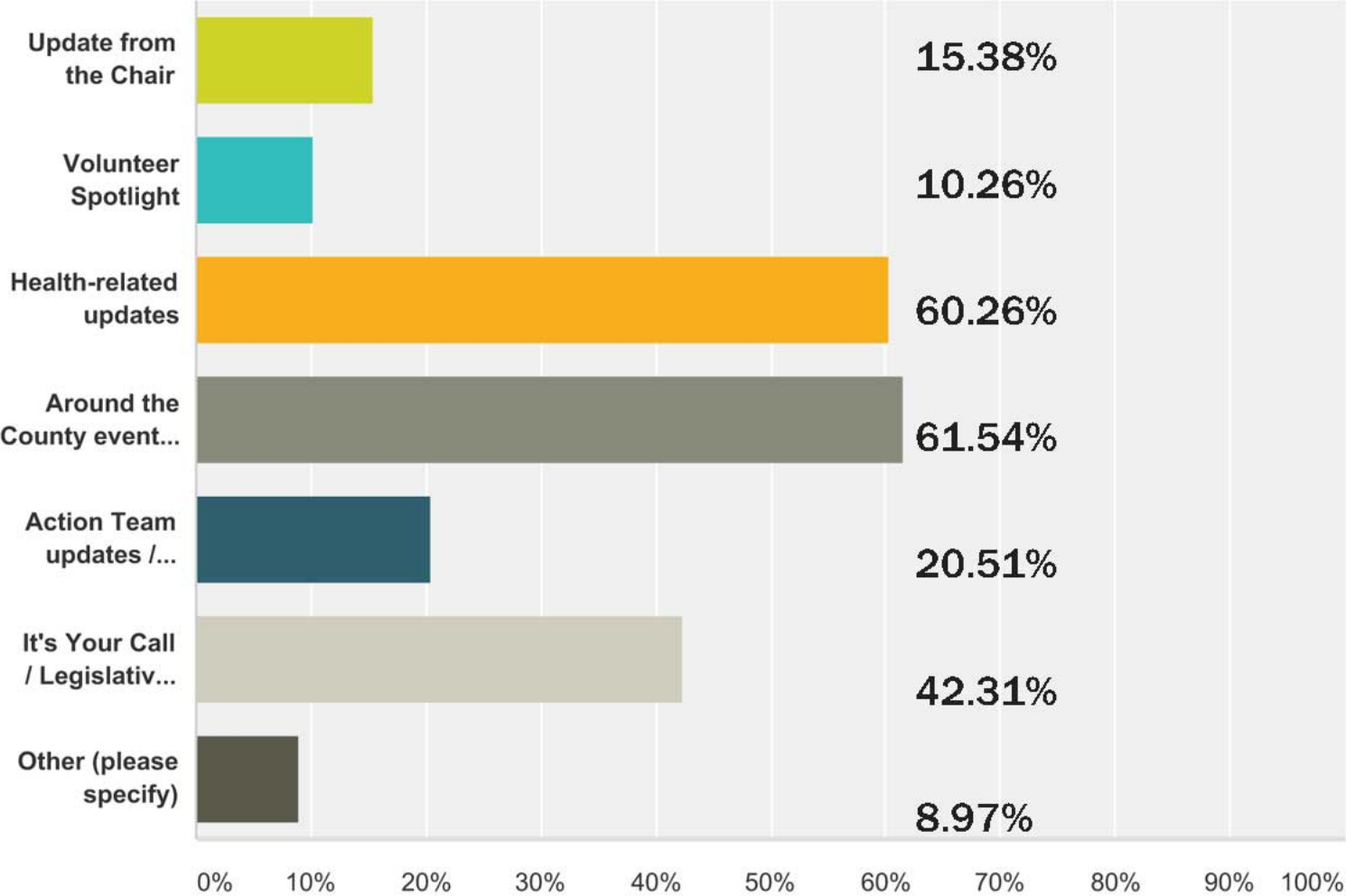
Q16 How relevant do you find the information in the Livable Community "Connections" newsletter?

Answered: 81



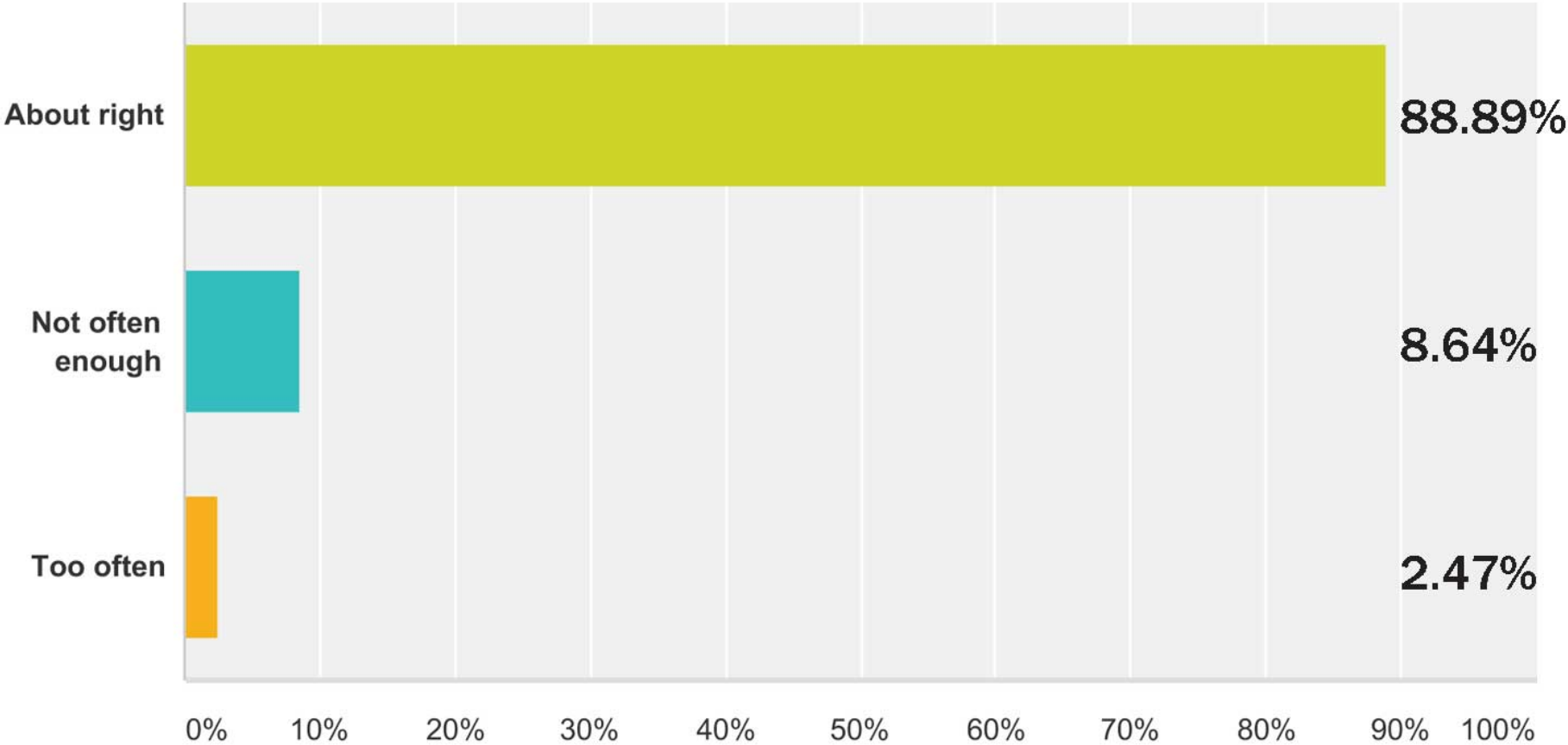
Q17 What do you feel are the most valuable topics provided in the Livable Community "Connections" newsletter?

Answered: 78



Q18 The newsletter is currently distributed on a quarterly basis (every 3 months). Is the frequency:

Answered: 81





Newsletter Comments

- Add info on new & small businesses providing all kinds of services seniors may need.
- Guest columns on current topics in the news.
- Don't be preachy.
- Information about future events.
- Caregiver information, in-home care.
- No two-way communication. Concerns appear to be not welcome. This sets a negative tone.
- Need practical advice and resources to help people either stay in their homes or find an affordable alternative.
- As many resource links and references as possible.
- If I remember correctly, there usually is a column on political activities that seems to be too long and I suspect of less interest to most of your readers.
- More information on how to find accessible living accommodations outside expensive retirement places.
- There is so much going on in this area it's hard to keep track.



Any other comments on web or newsletter?

- Both need more publicity.
- Thank you for being there.
- Appreciate the continued inclusion of Solon activities.
- Thank you for providing such a beneficial resource to the community. It's daunting to know I am now of the age to be considering these options!



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