

American Rescue Plan Act Survey Preliminary Results

St. Joseph County



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Survey Background

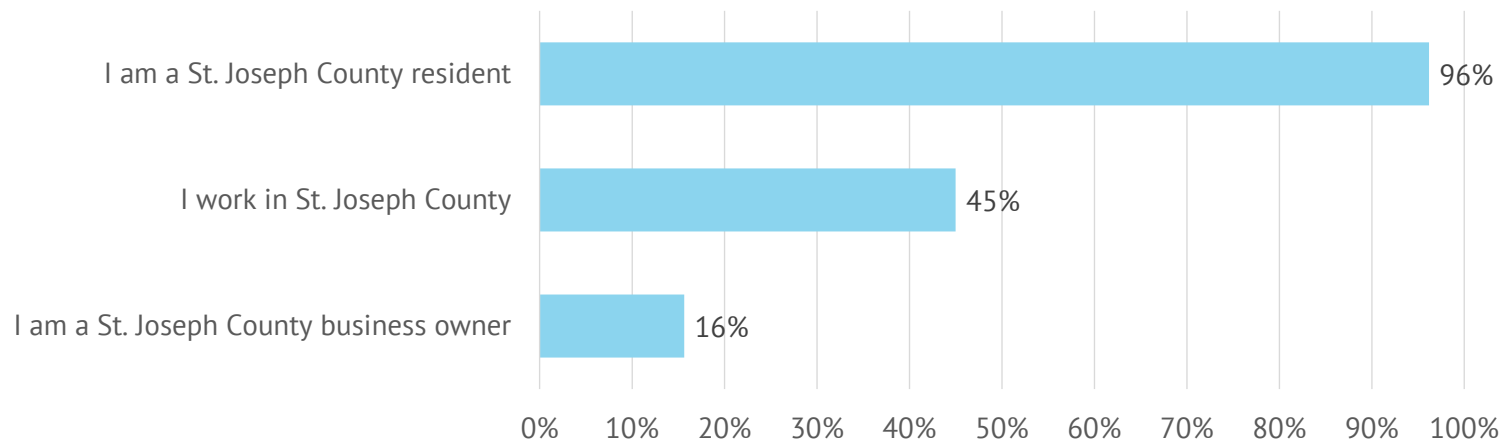
- ✓ Survey was developed to garner feedback from county residents on priorities for the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)
- ✓ Survey went live on April 18 and closed on May 23
- ✓ Survey received 681 total responses, representing all 24 jurisdictions within St. Joseph County





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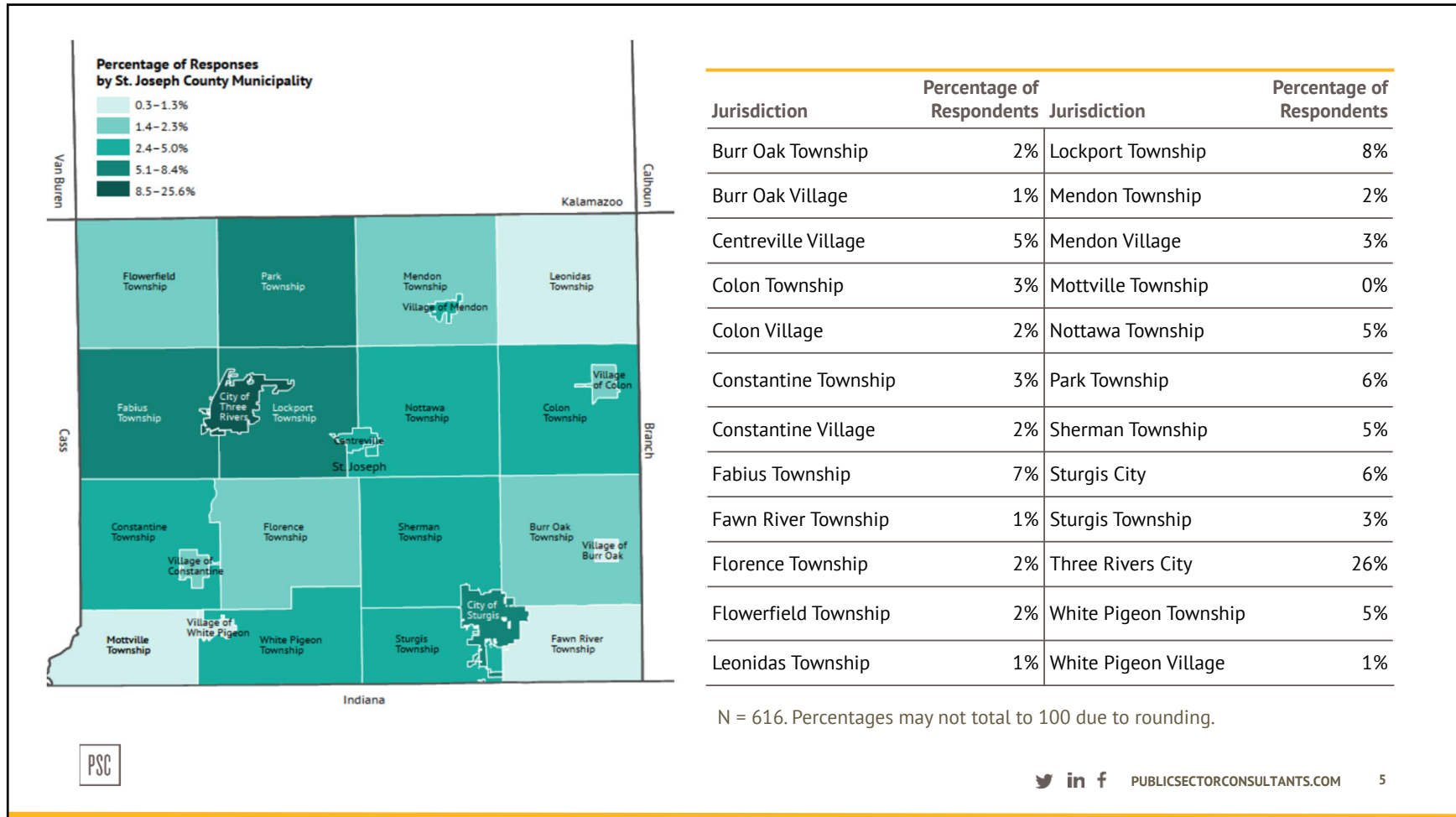
Residency and Place of Work



N = 627. Percentages may exceed 100 percent because multiple responses were selected.

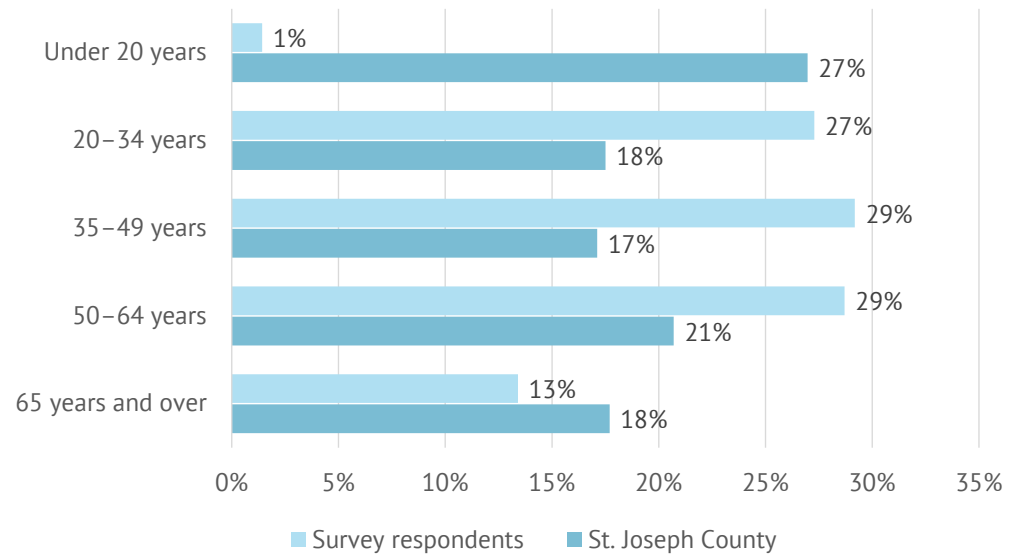
Ninety-six percent of survey respondents are residents of St. Joseph County, while 45 percent work in the county and 16 percent are business owners.





Age

Survey respondents between the ages of 20 and 64 years old had higher percentages compared to the overall county population, while older (65 and over) and younger (under 20 years) respondents were underrepresented.



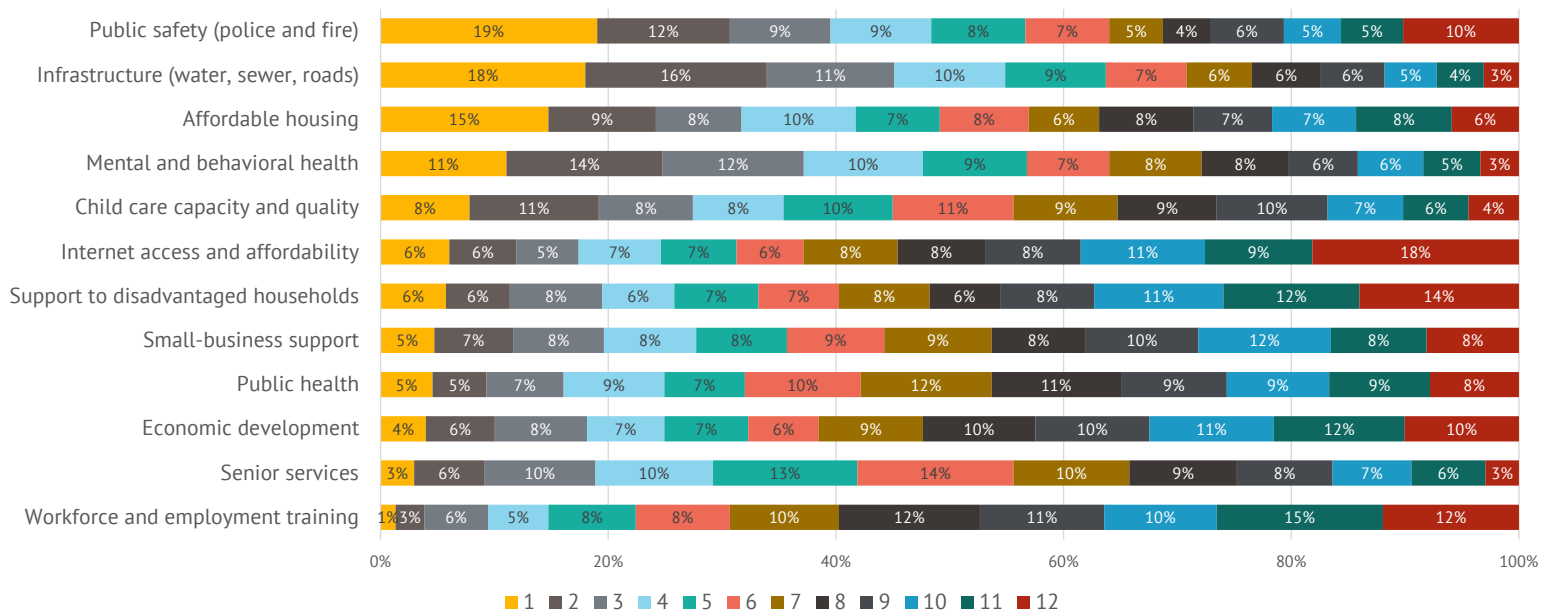
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 Source: American Community Survey 2020 Five-year estimates



Priorities



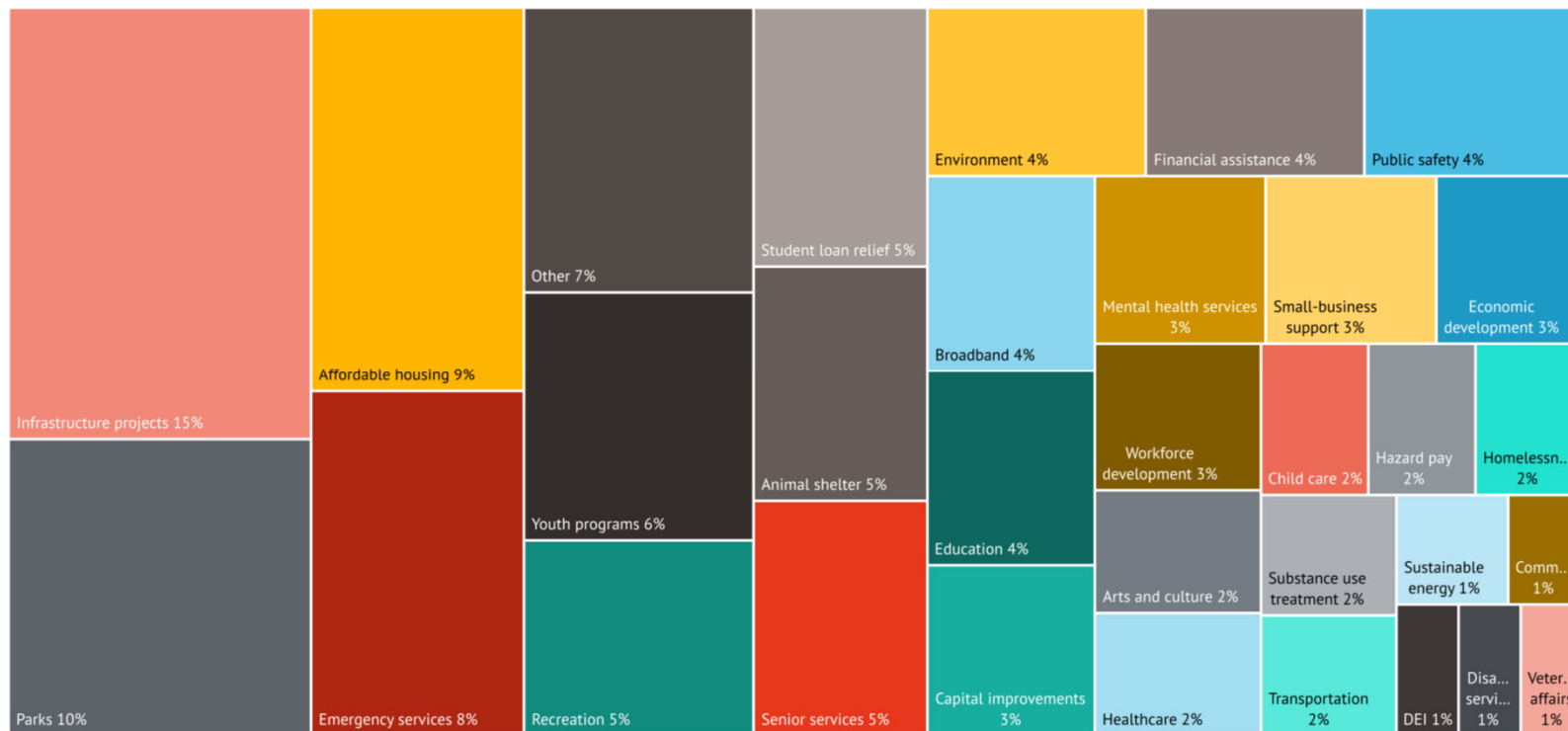
Ranked Priorities



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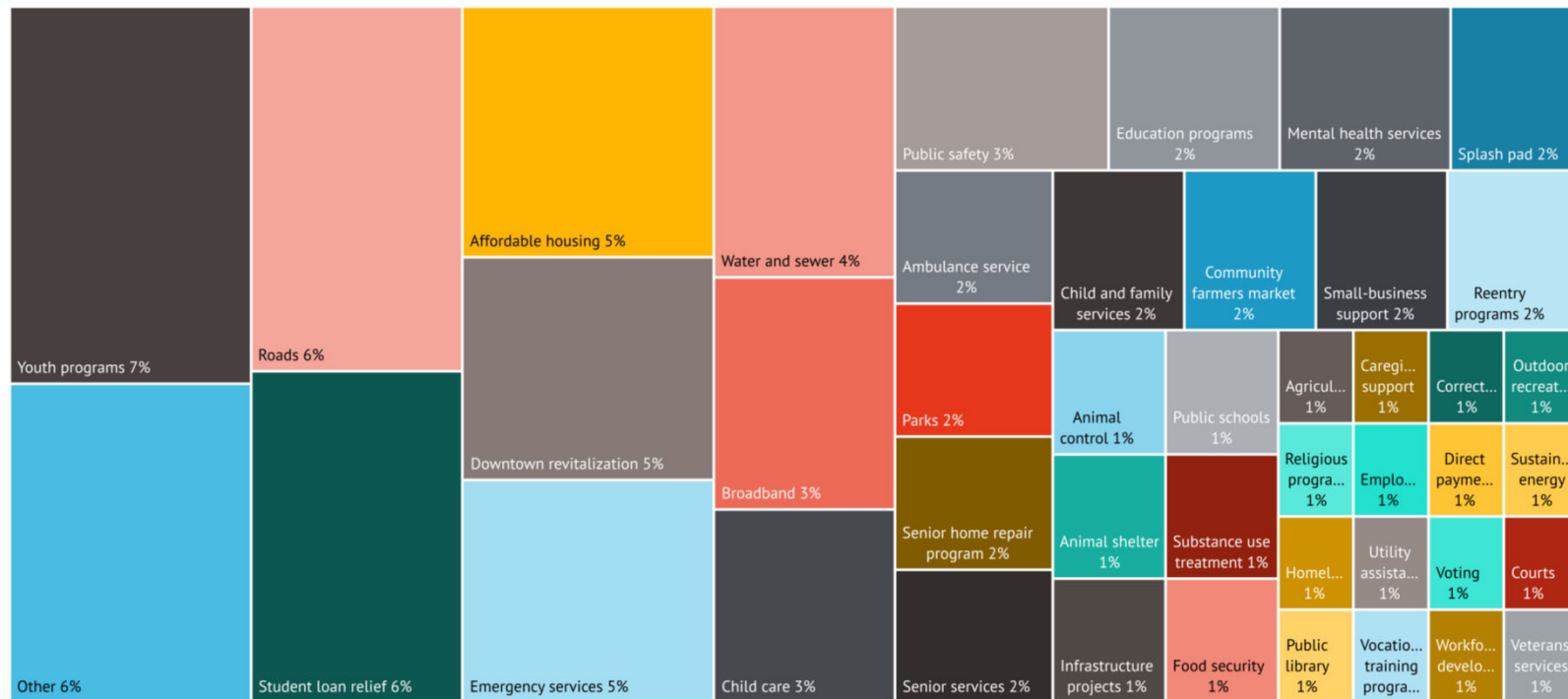



Are there any community priorities you think should receive ARPA funding?



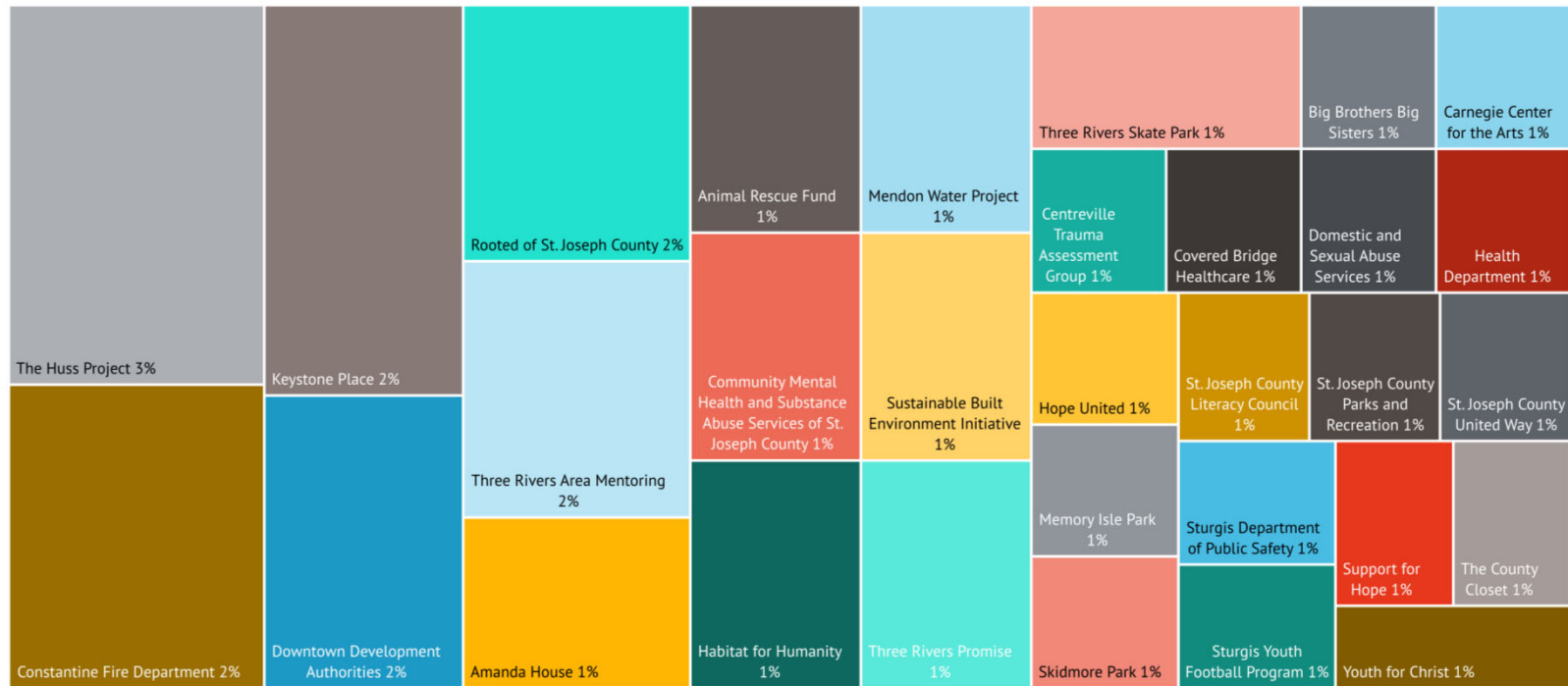
N = 220. Percentages may exceed 100 percent because more than one priority was shared.

Are there any specific projects or programs you think should receive ARPA funding? (Project categories)



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Are there any specific projects or programs you think should receive ARPA funding? (Specific entities)



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