

# Vanderbilt University Poll: Nashville Edition

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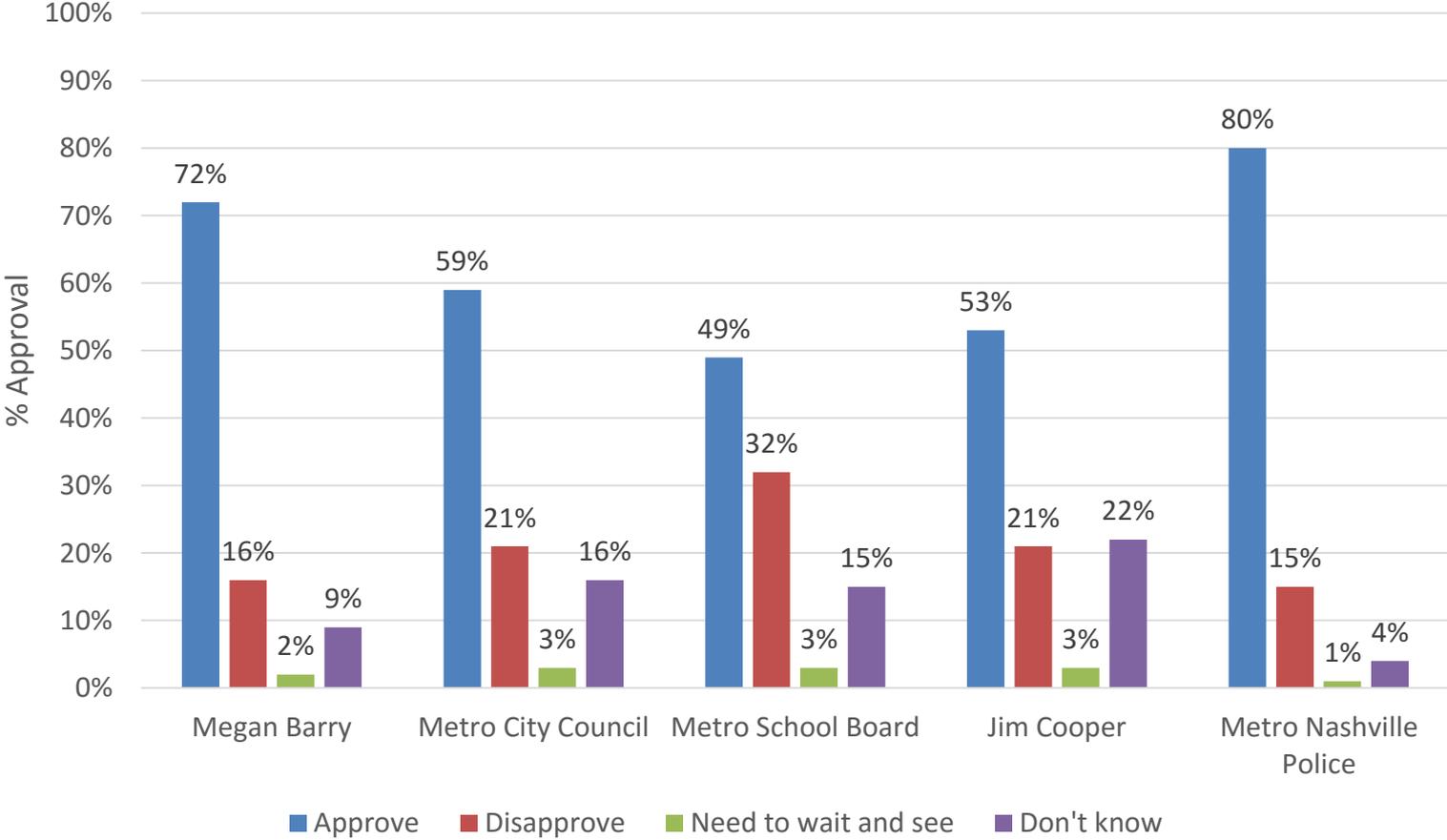
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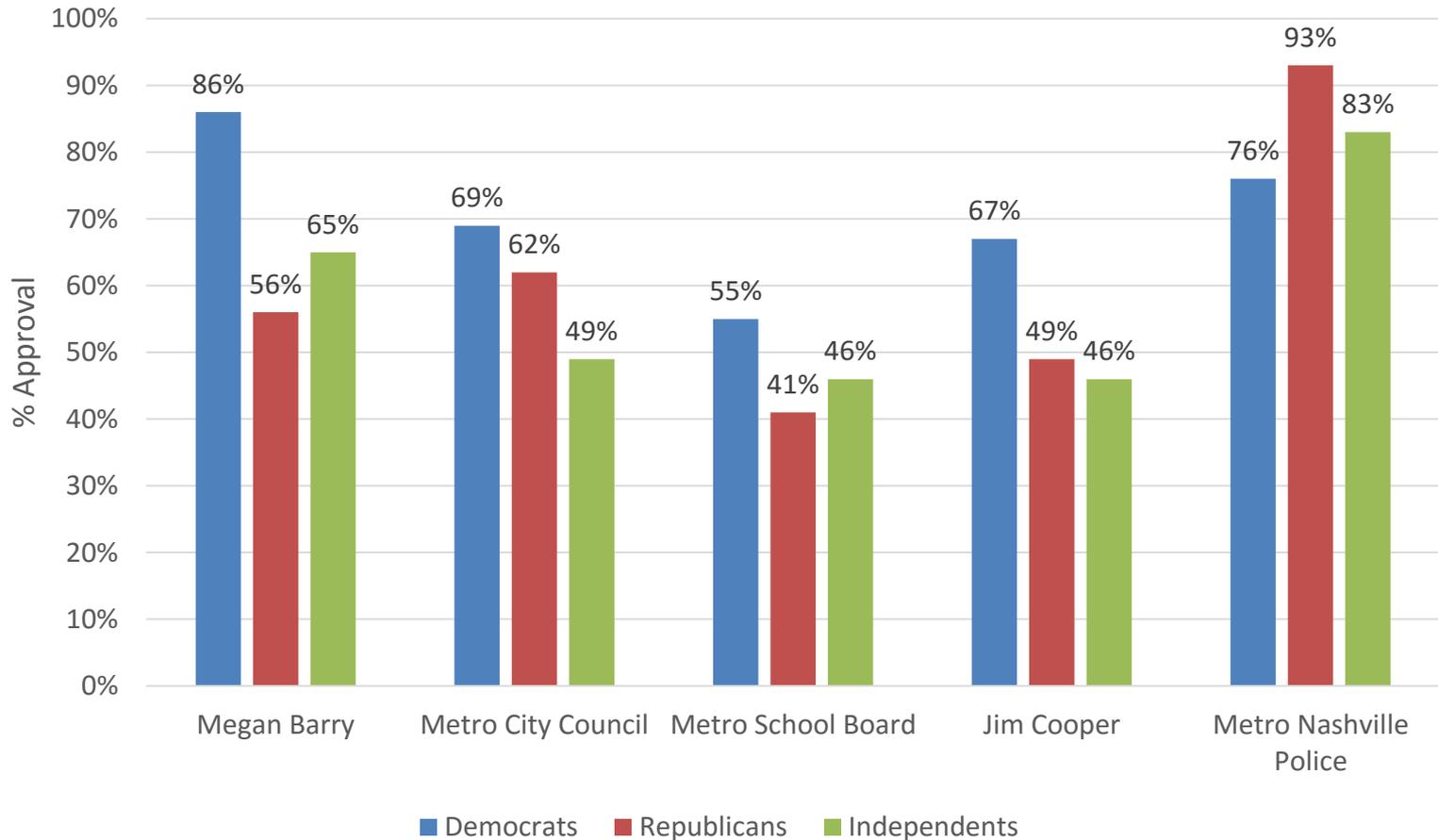
**1,106 residents of Davidson County, TN MoE: +/- 3.50 percentage points**

# Approval of Nashville's Elected Officials & Institutions



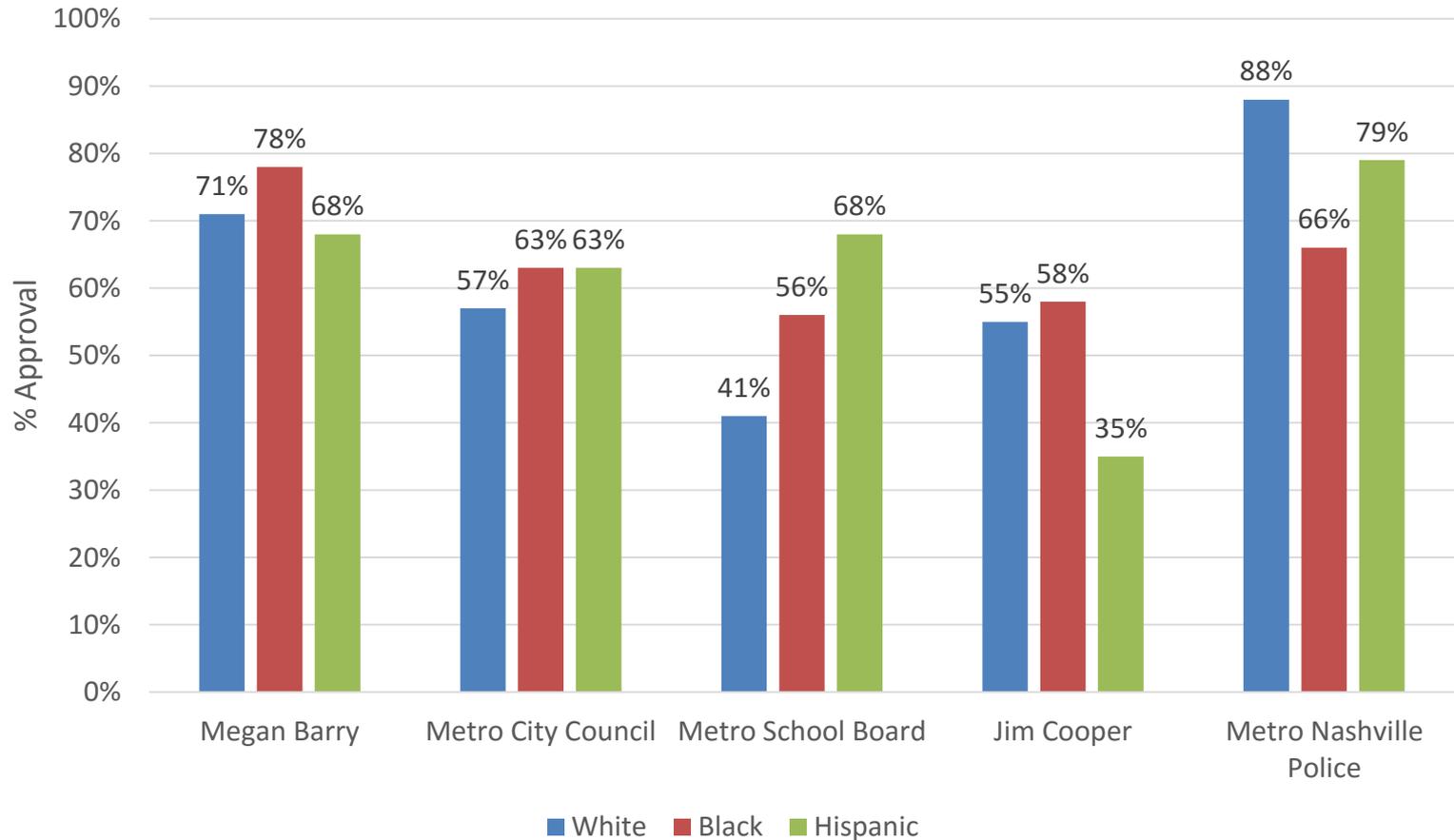
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# Approval of Nashville's Elected Officials & Institutions by Party Identification



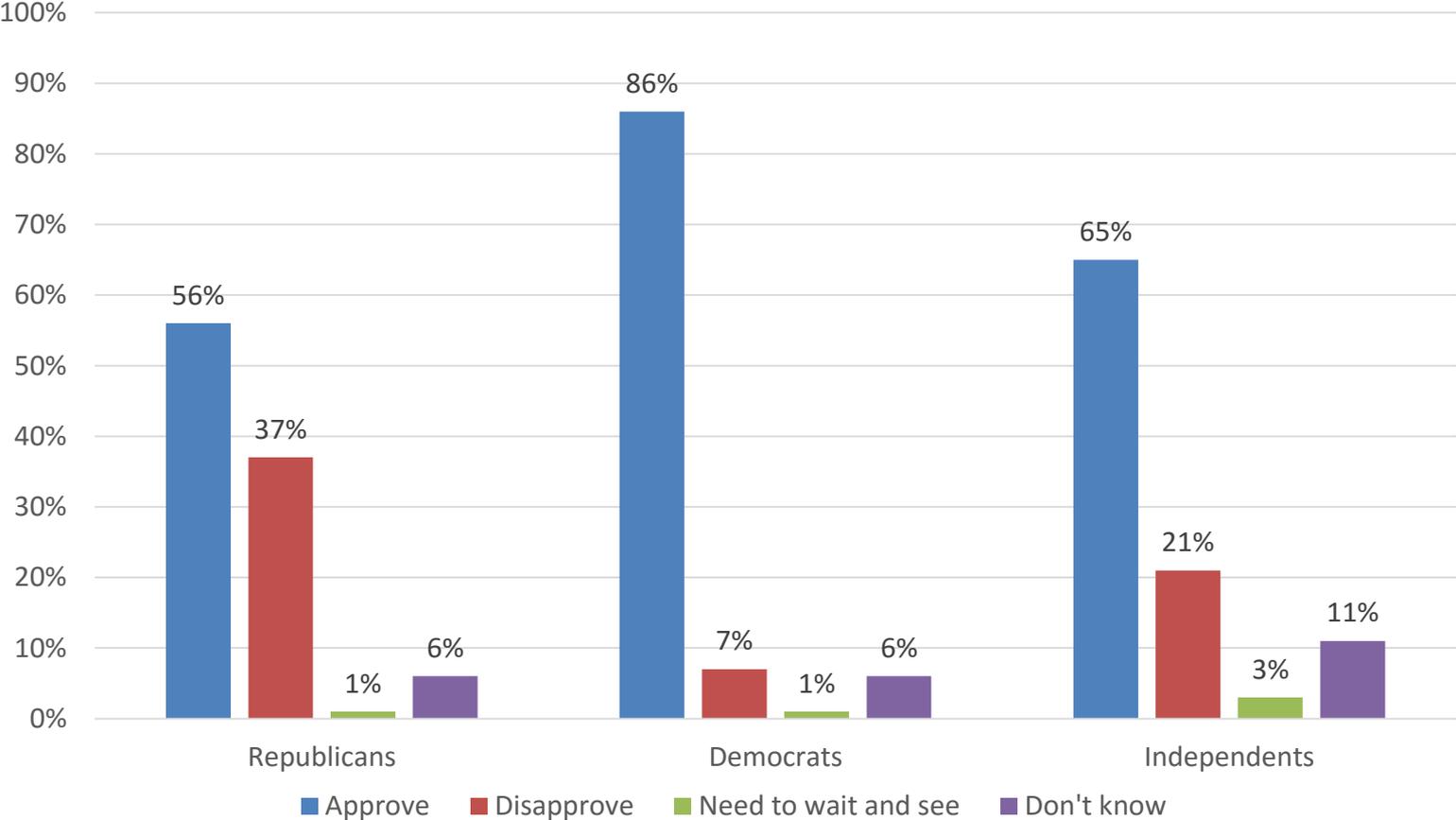
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# Approval of Nashville's Elected Officials & Institutions by Race and Ethnicity



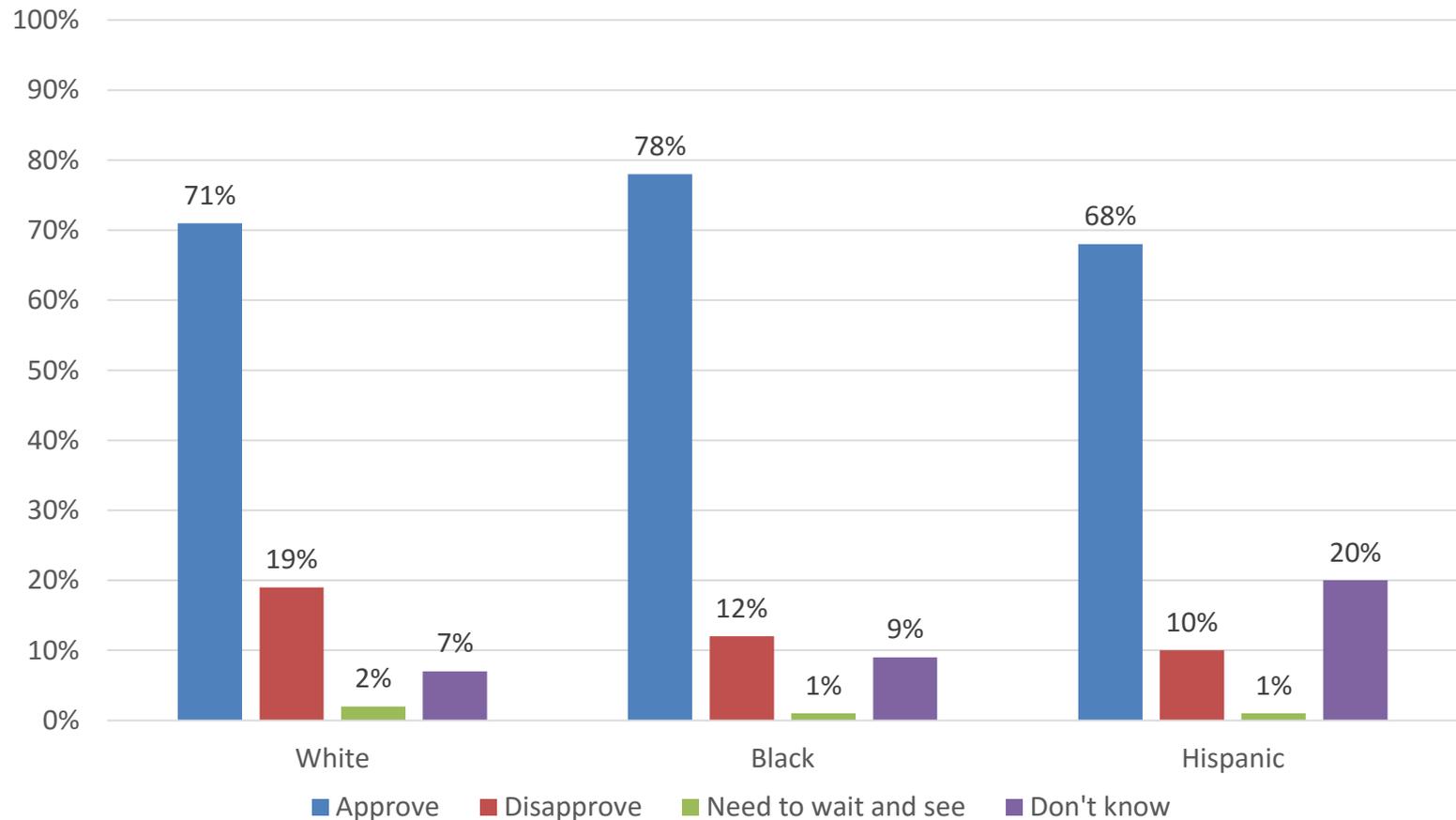
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# Approval of Mayor Barry by Party Identification



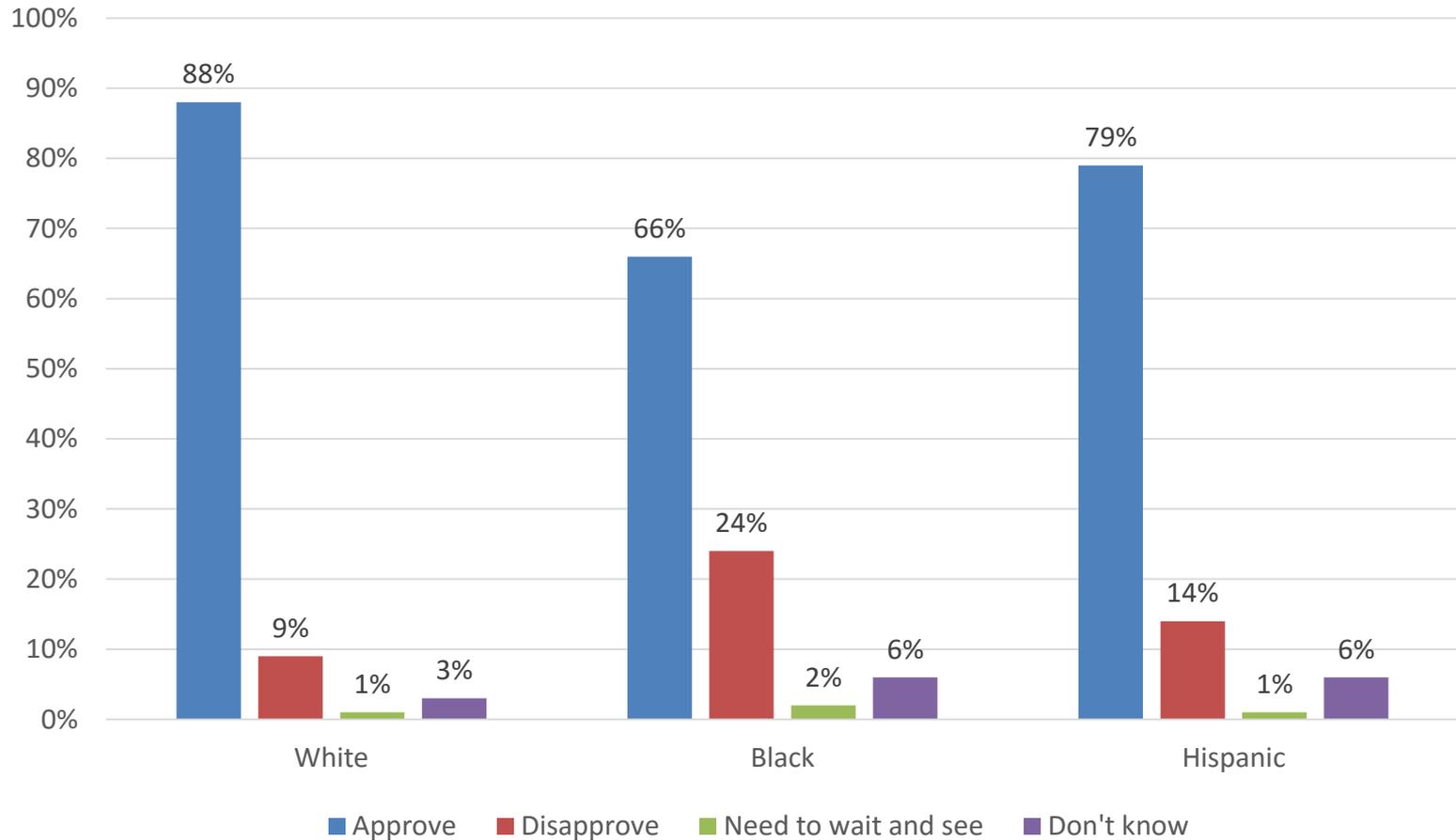
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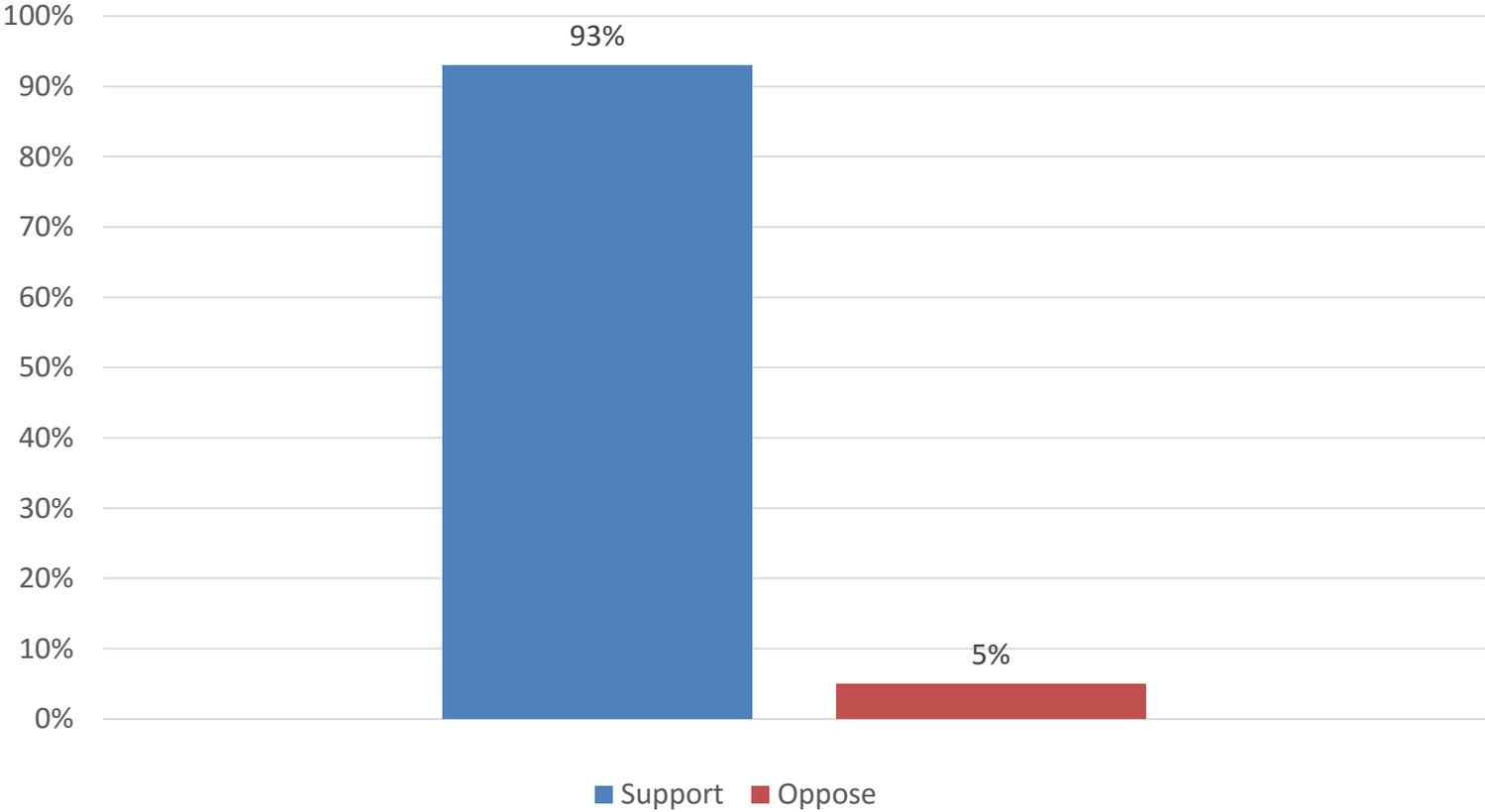
# Approval of Metro Nashville Police Department by Race and Ethnicity



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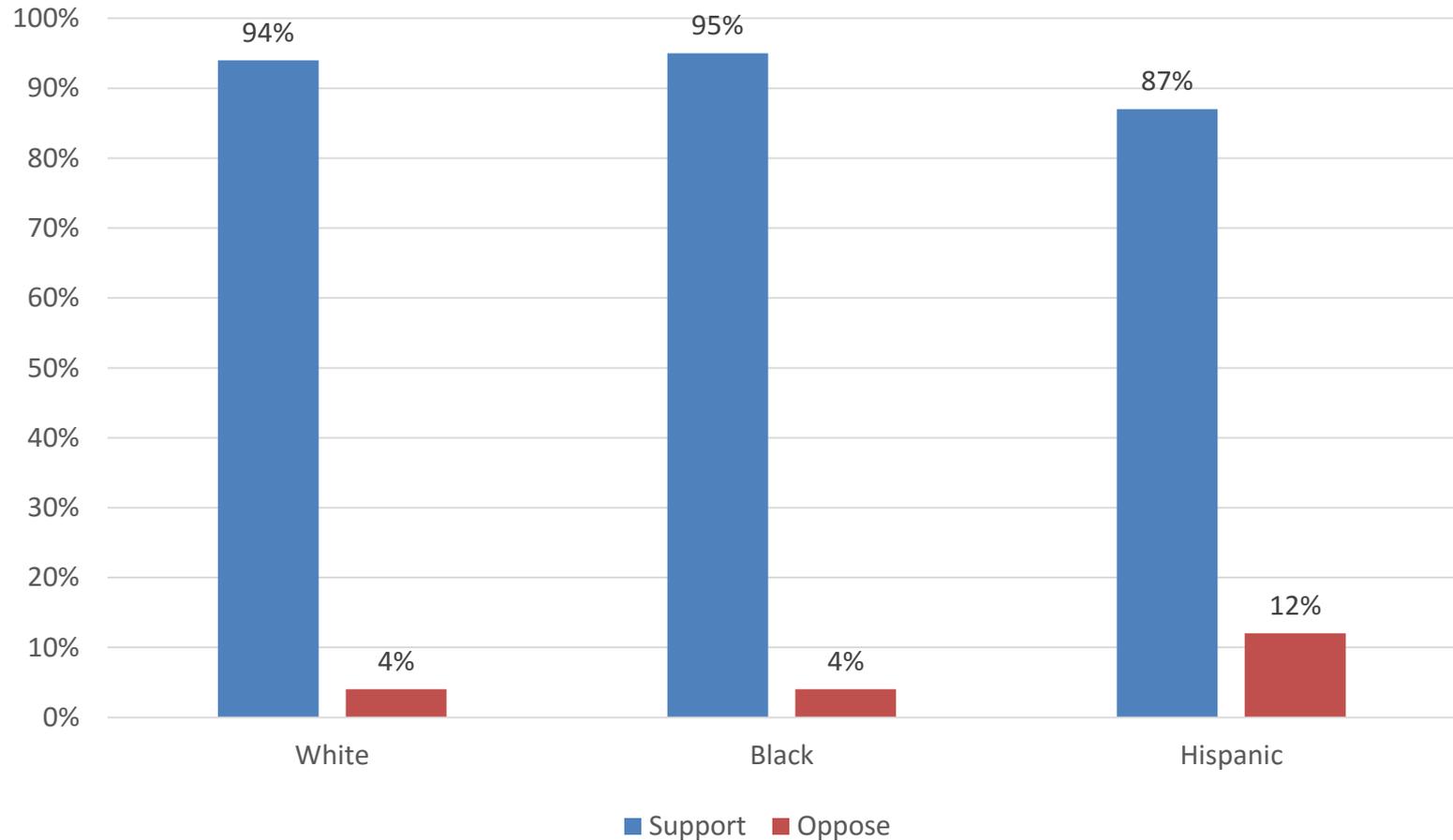
# Support for Body Cameras for Police

Do you support or oppose the use of body cameras by police that record their interactions with the public?



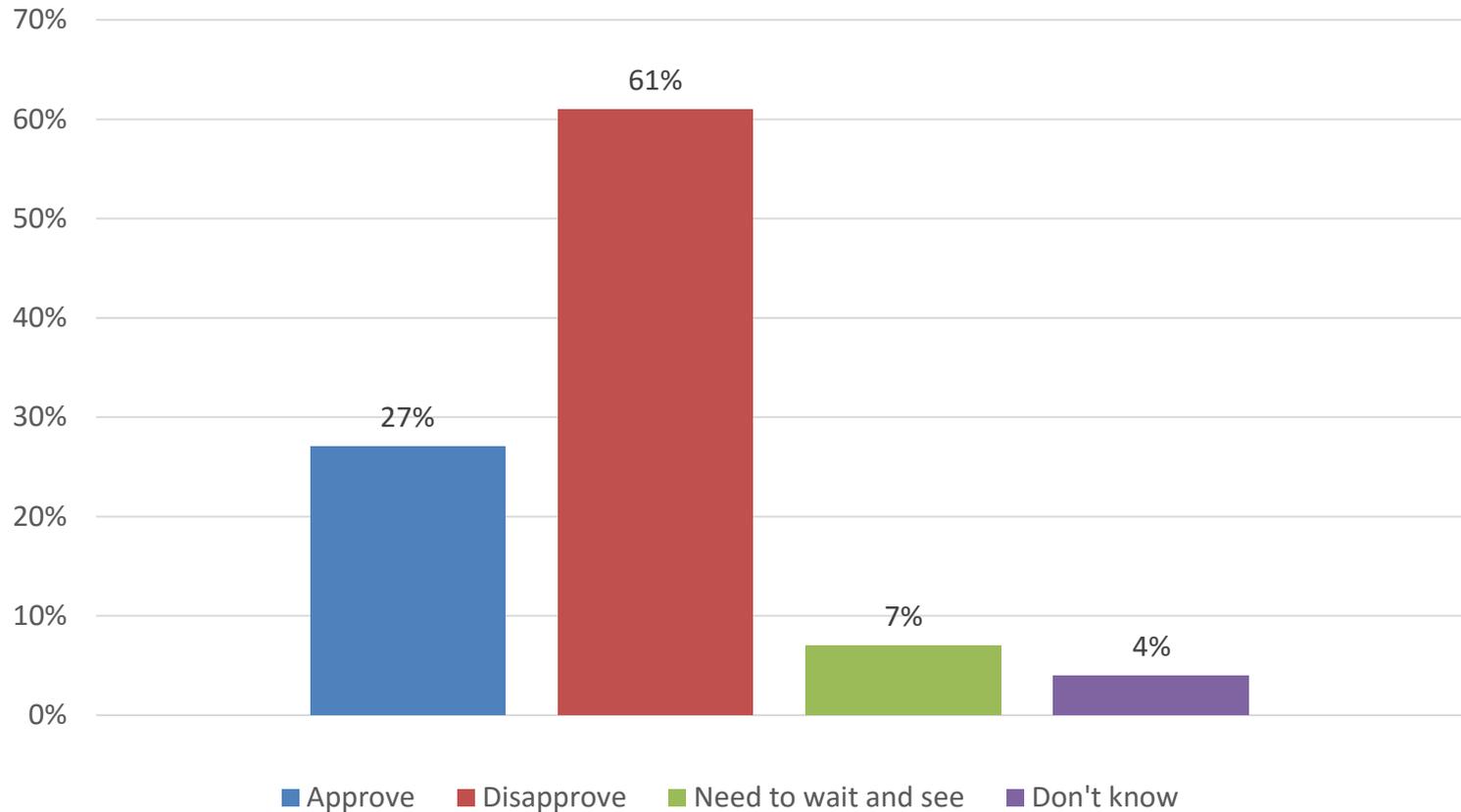
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# Support for Body Cameras by Race and Ethnicity



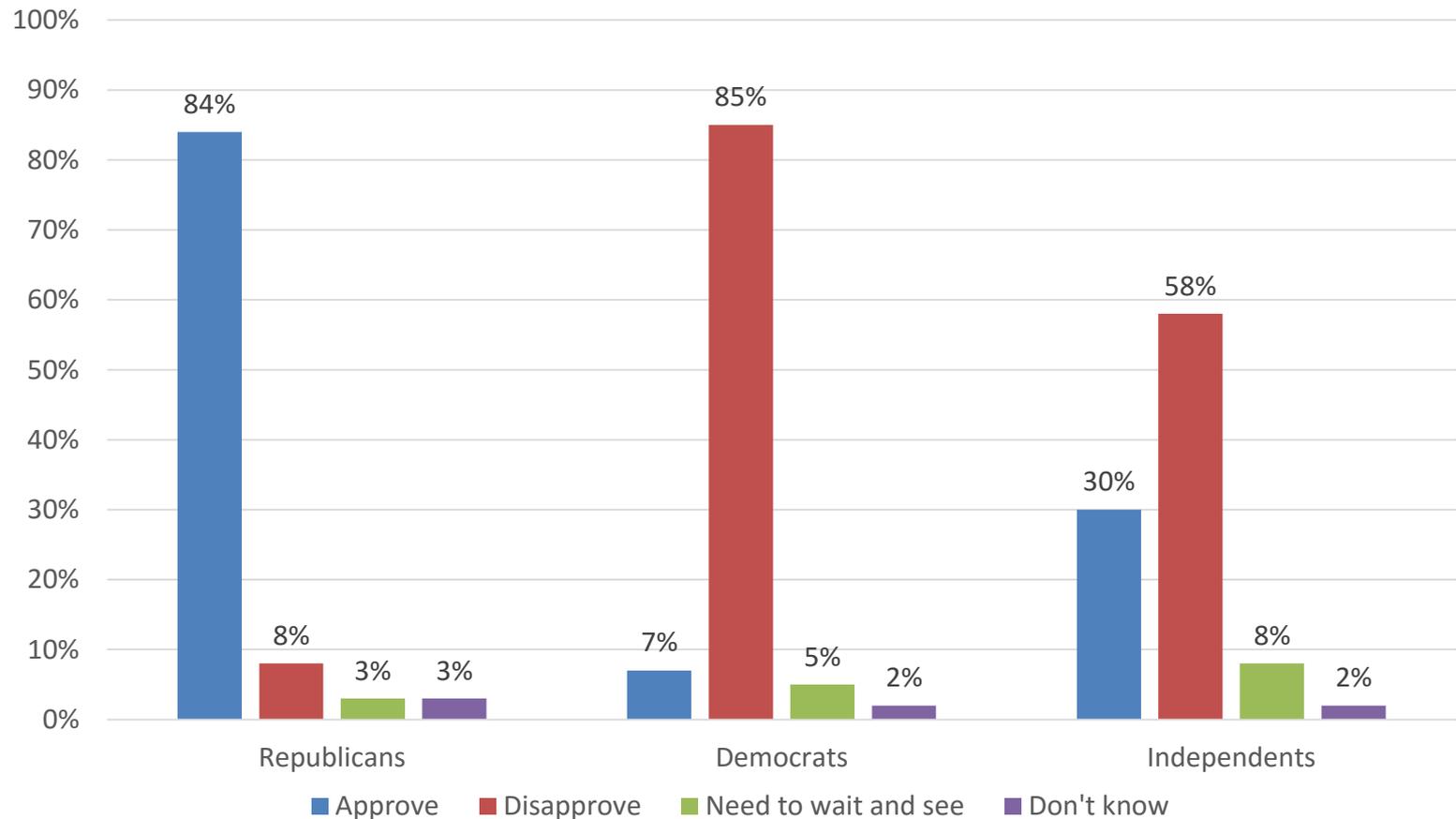
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# Approval of President Trump



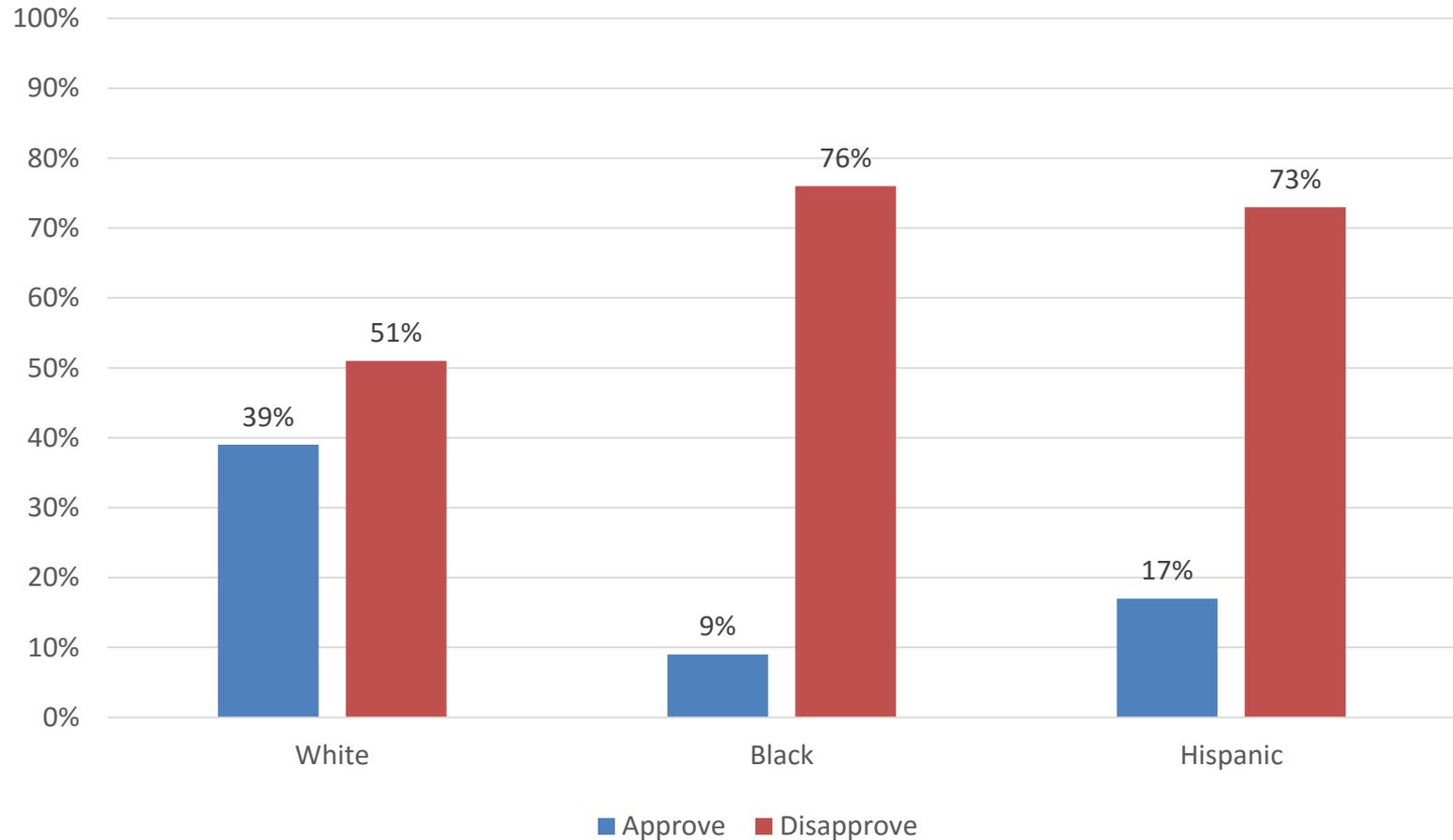
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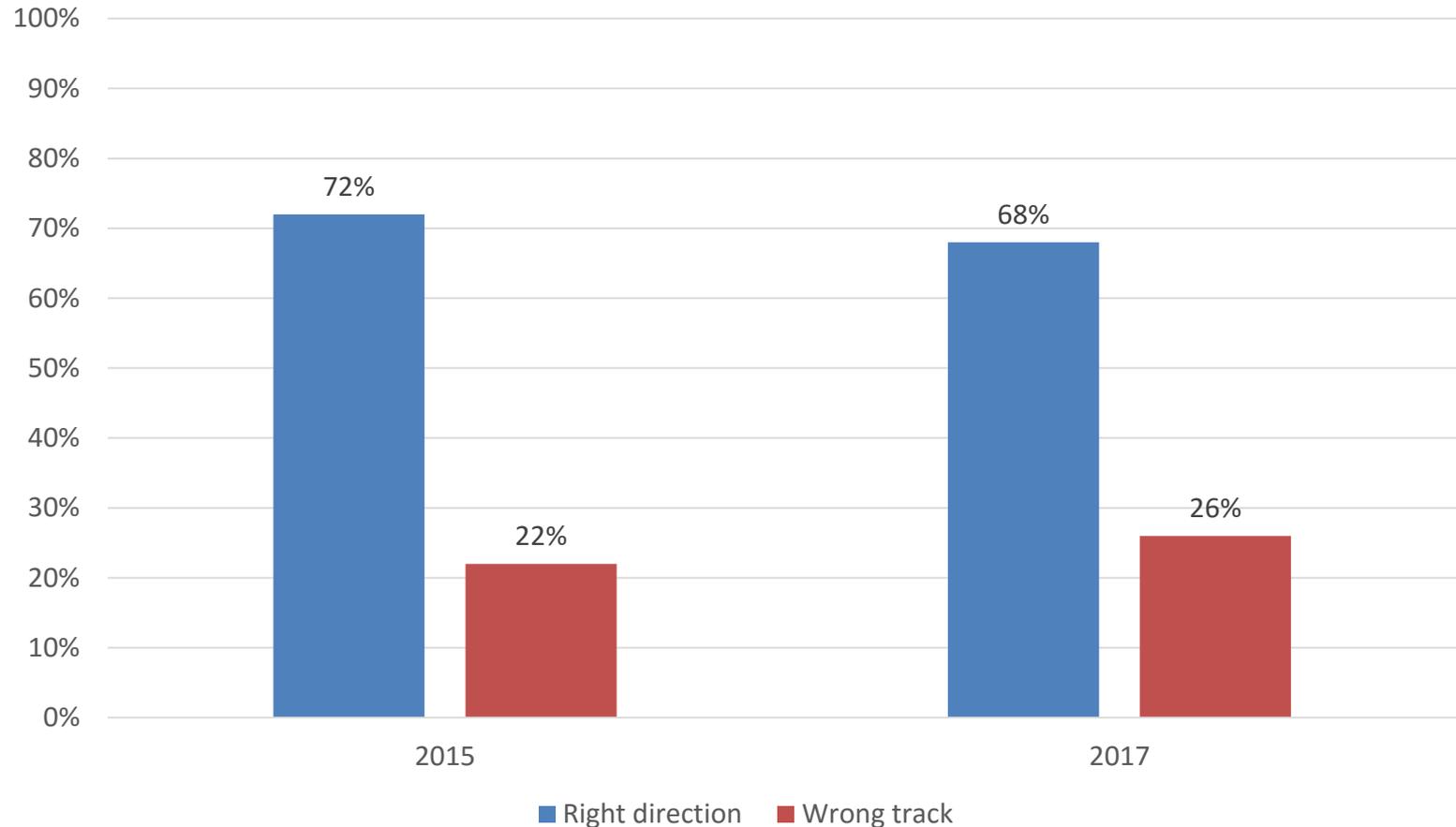
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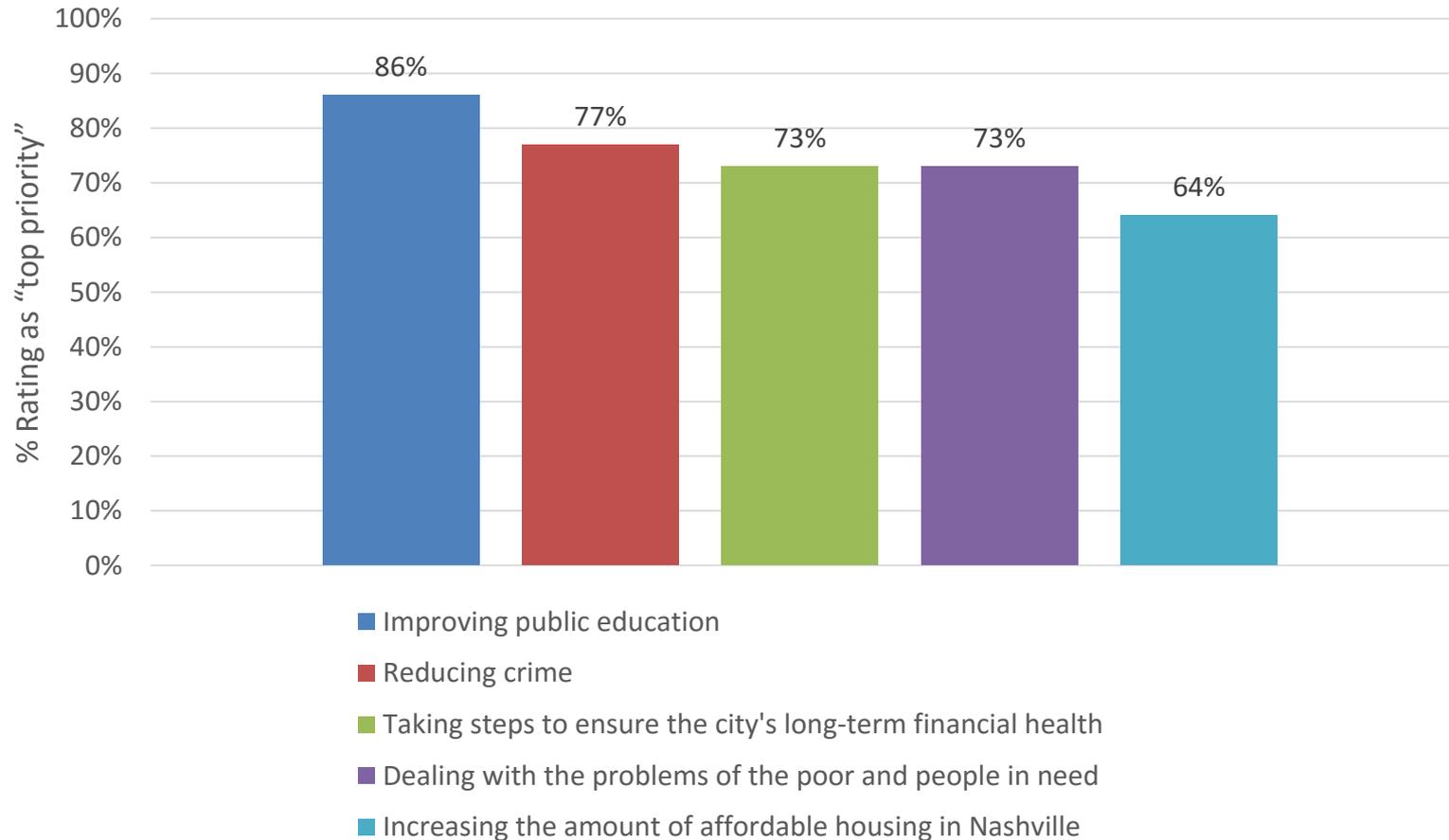
# Nashville, Right Direction or Wrong Track?

Do you think things in the Nashville area are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel that things are off on the wrong track?



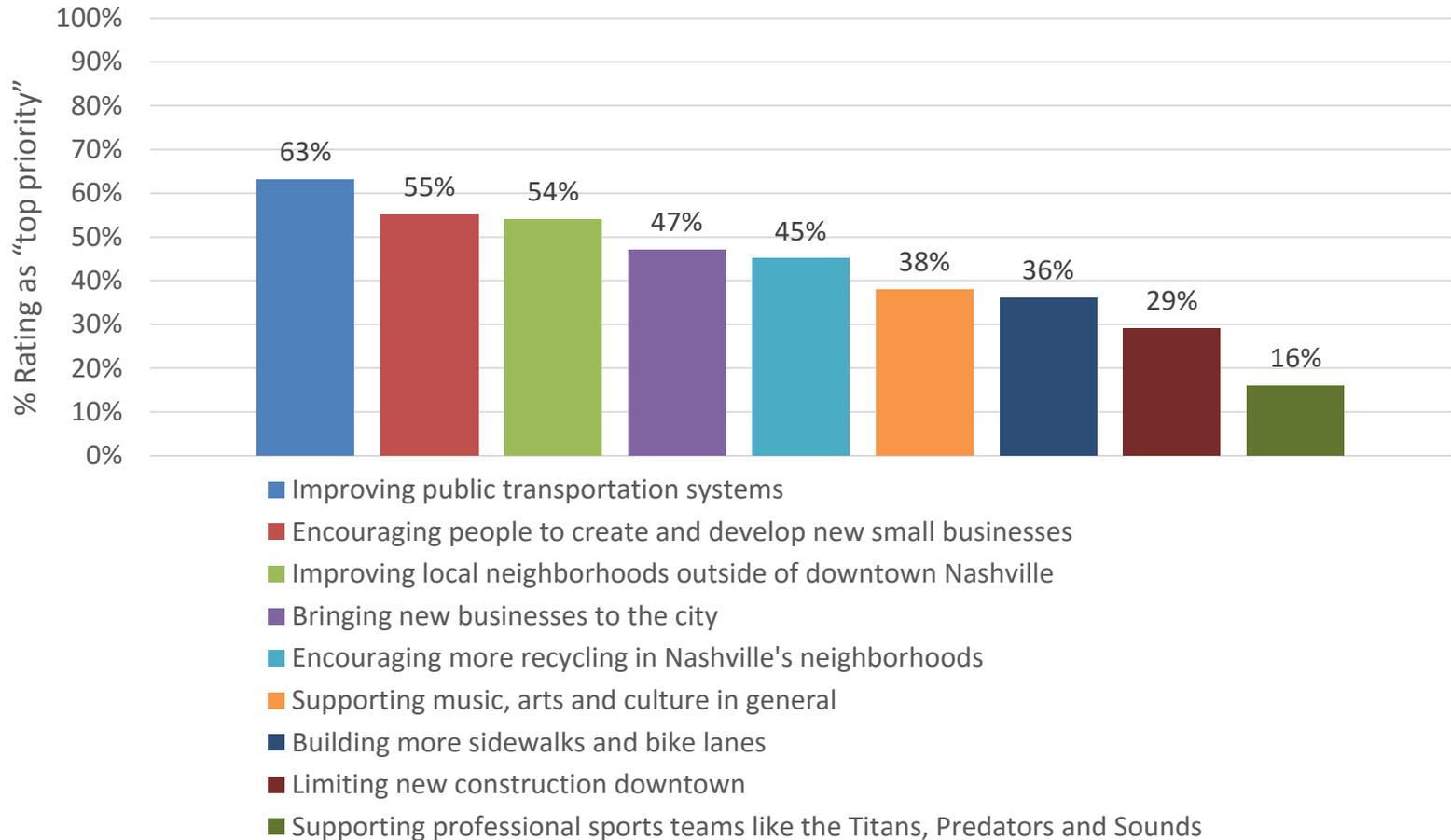
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# “Top Priorities” For Mayor and City Council



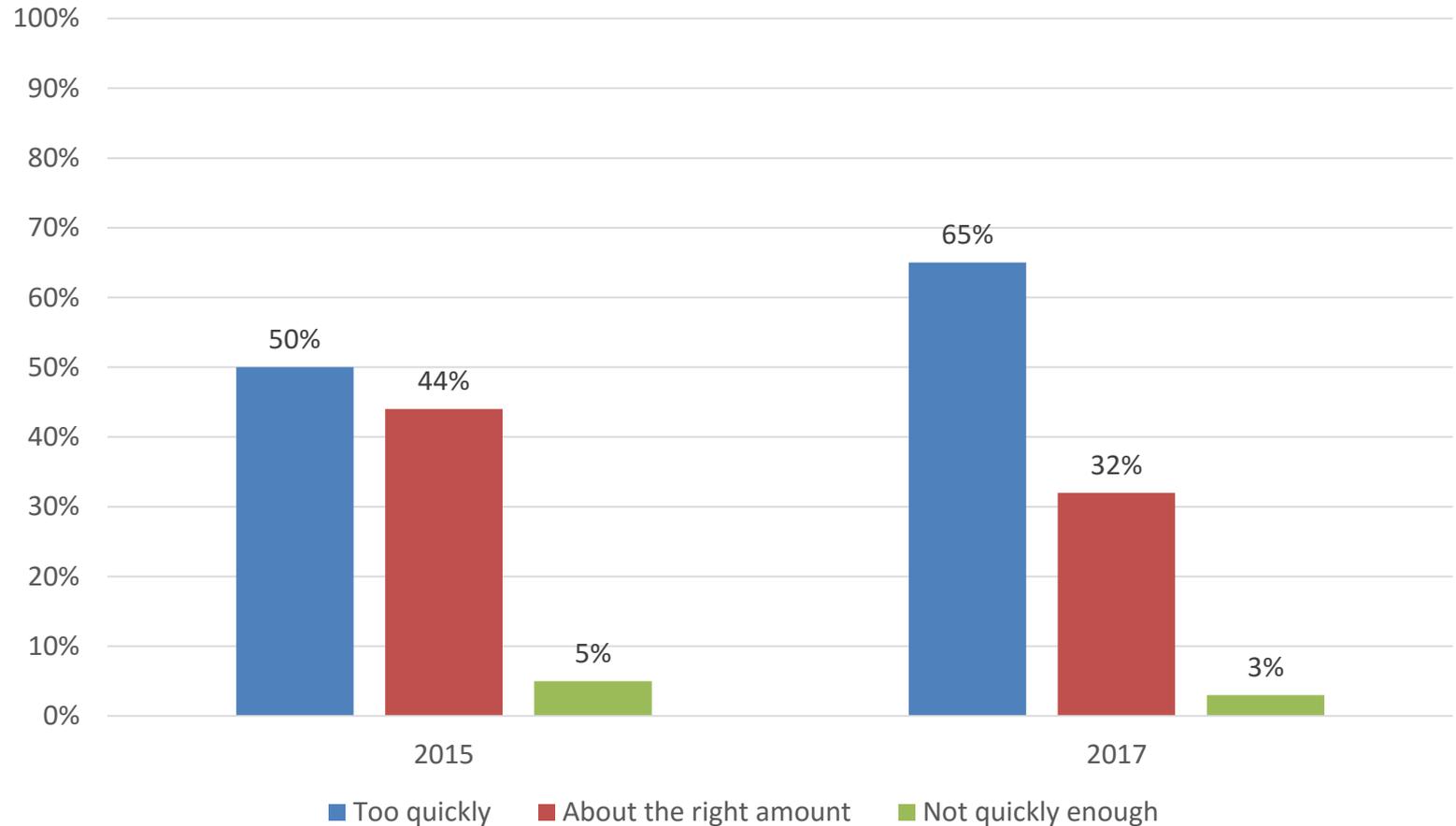
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# Other “Top Priorities” for Mayor & City Council



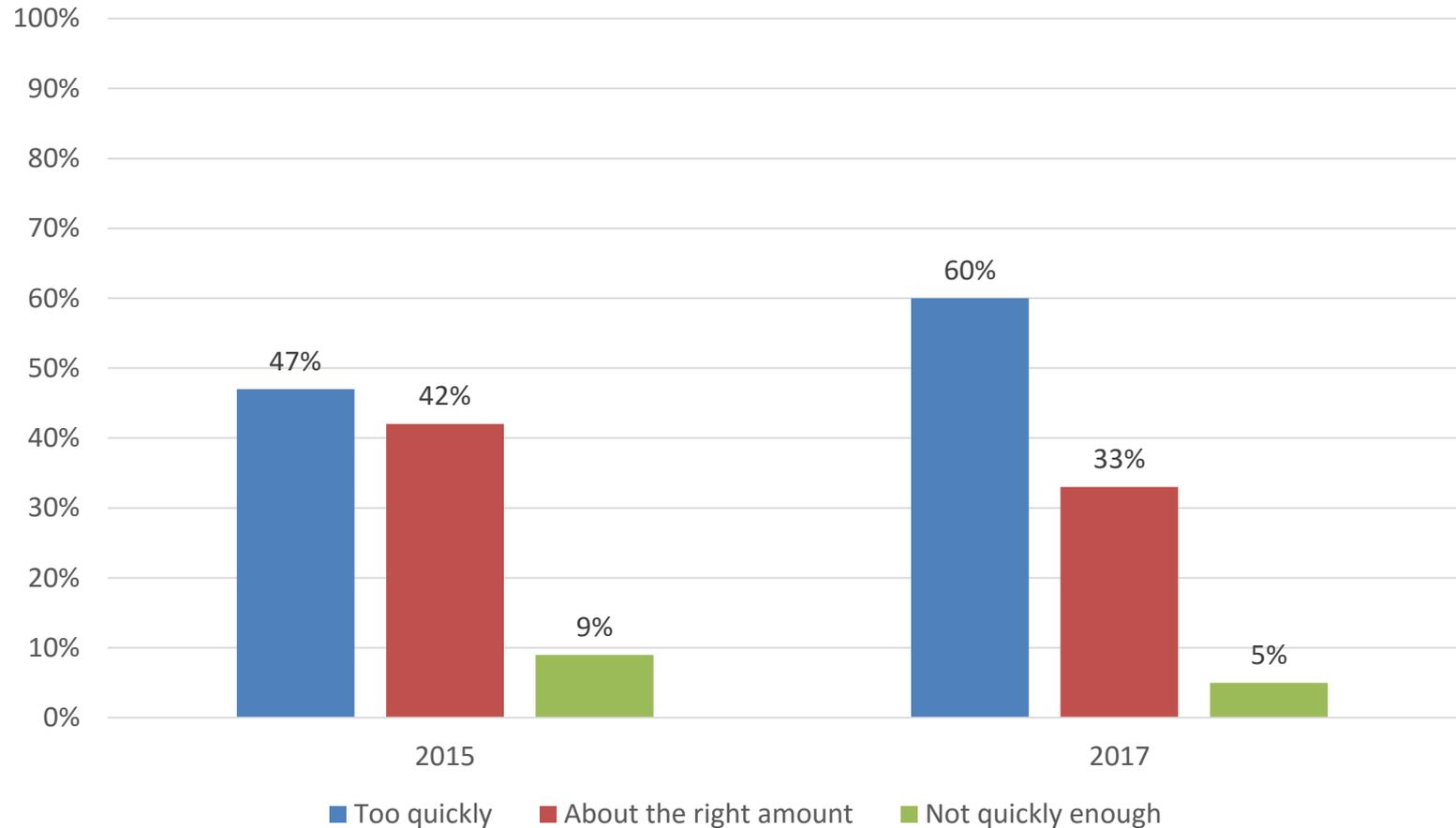
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# Opinion on Nashville's Population Growth



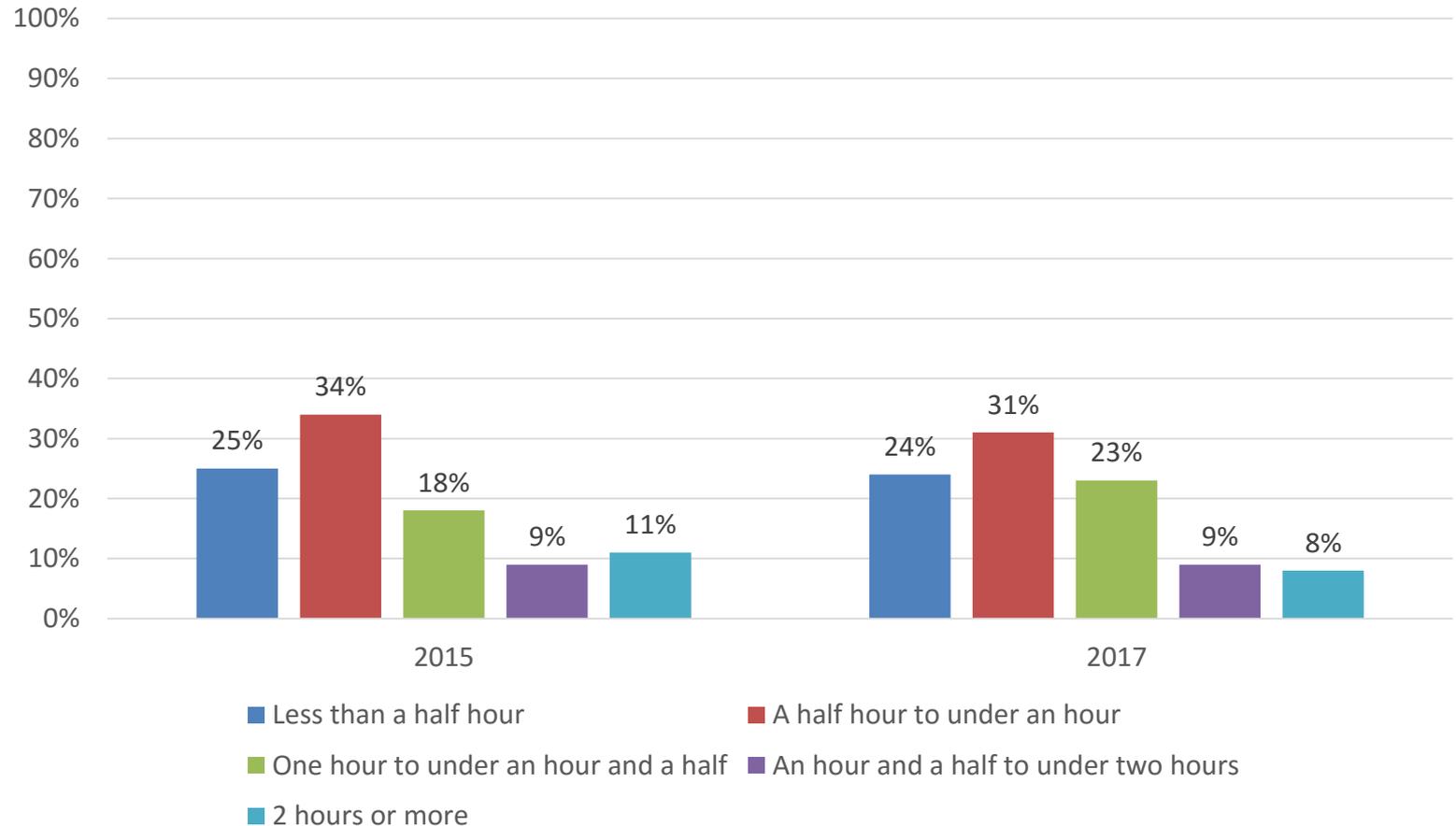
Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* 2017 N= 568 \* 2015 N=523

# Opinion on Construction of New Buildings and Properties in Nashville



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* 2017 N= 538 \* 2015 N= 477

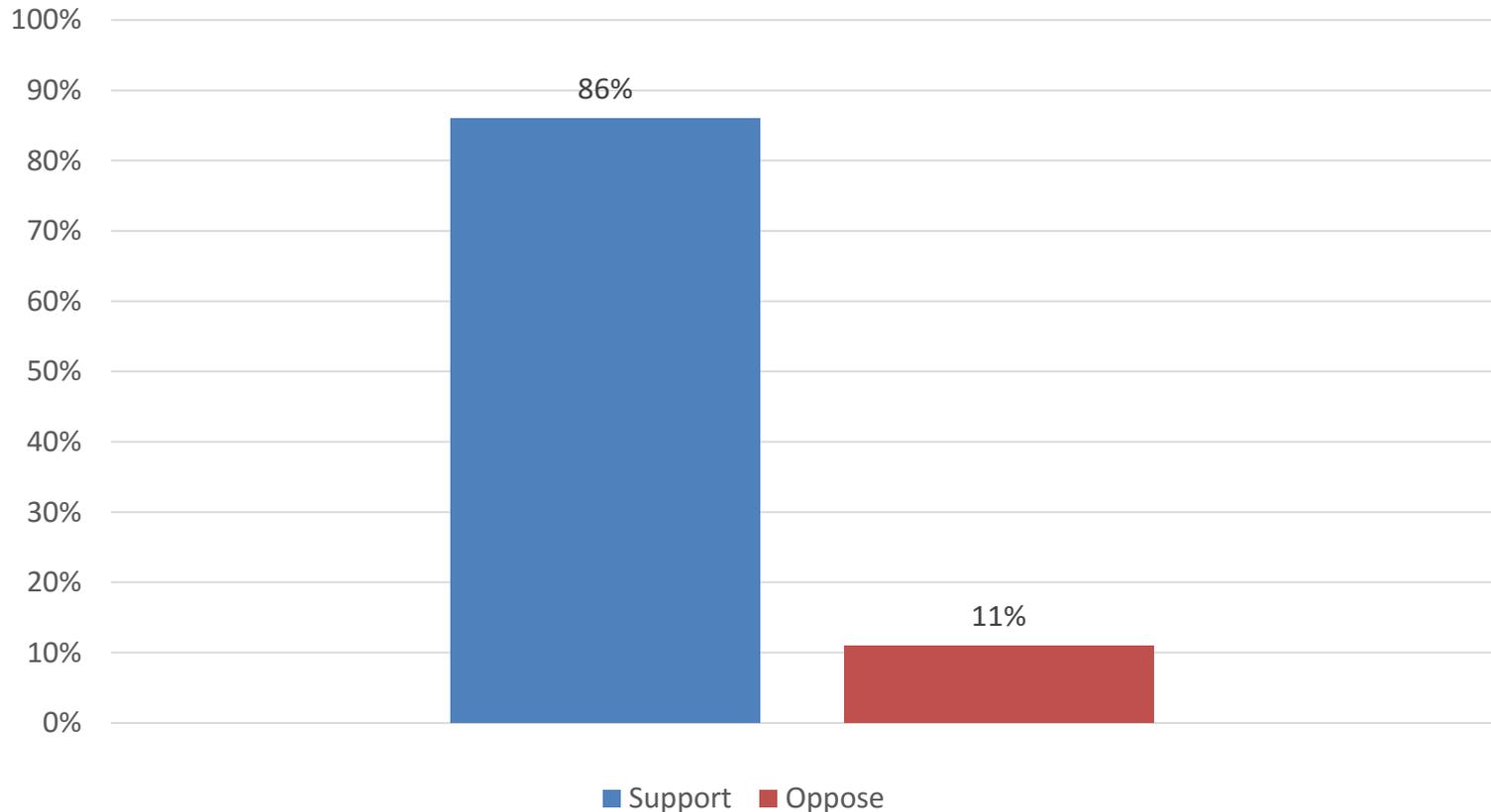
# On a typical day how much total time do you spend in traffic?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* 2017 N=532 \* 2015 N= 500

# Support for City-wide Referendum on Public Transportation

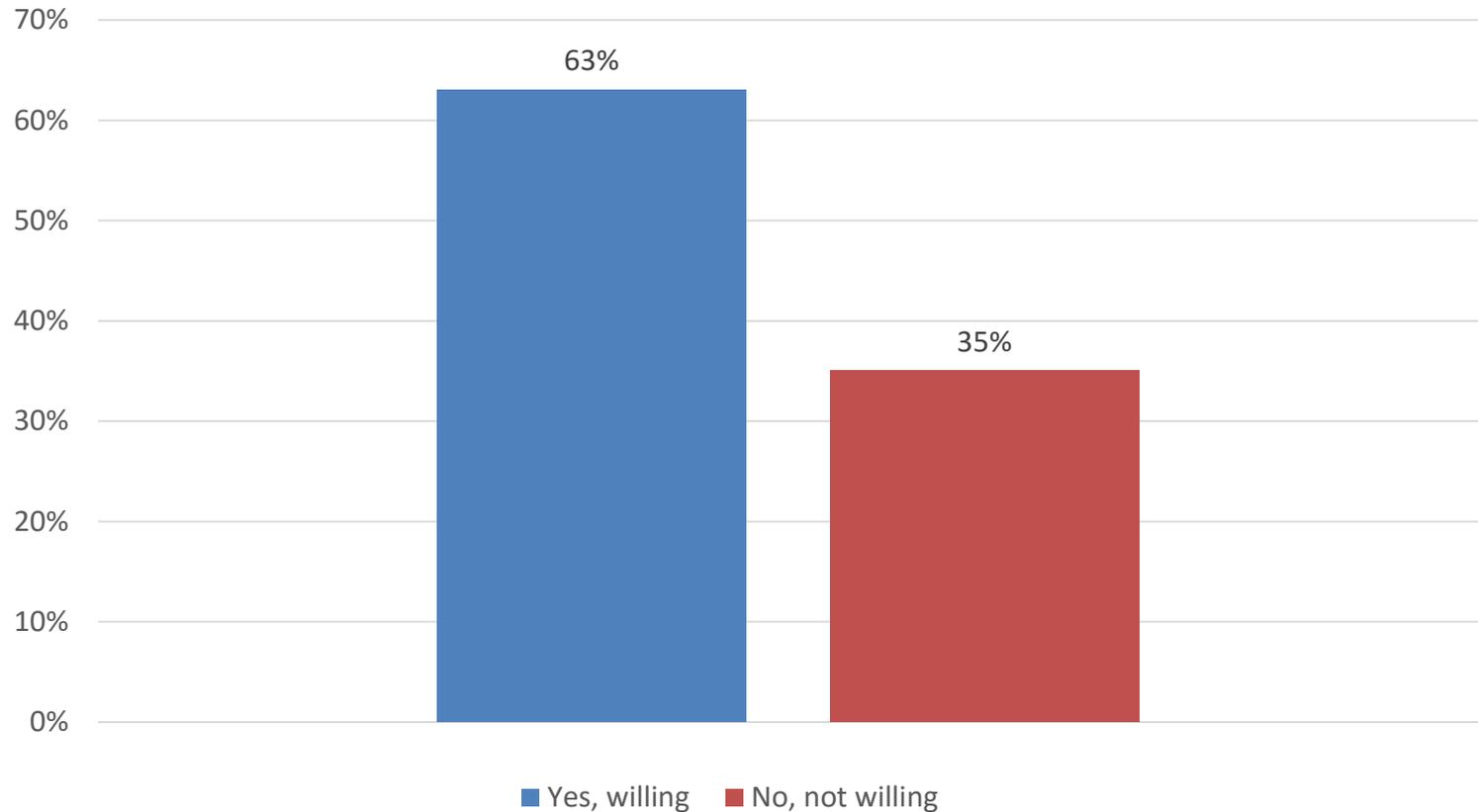
Do you support or oppose holding a city-wide referendum that allows voters to decide by popular vote whether Nashville should make more funding available for improving public transportation?



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# Support for 25 Cent Sales Tax Increase for Public Transportation Improvements

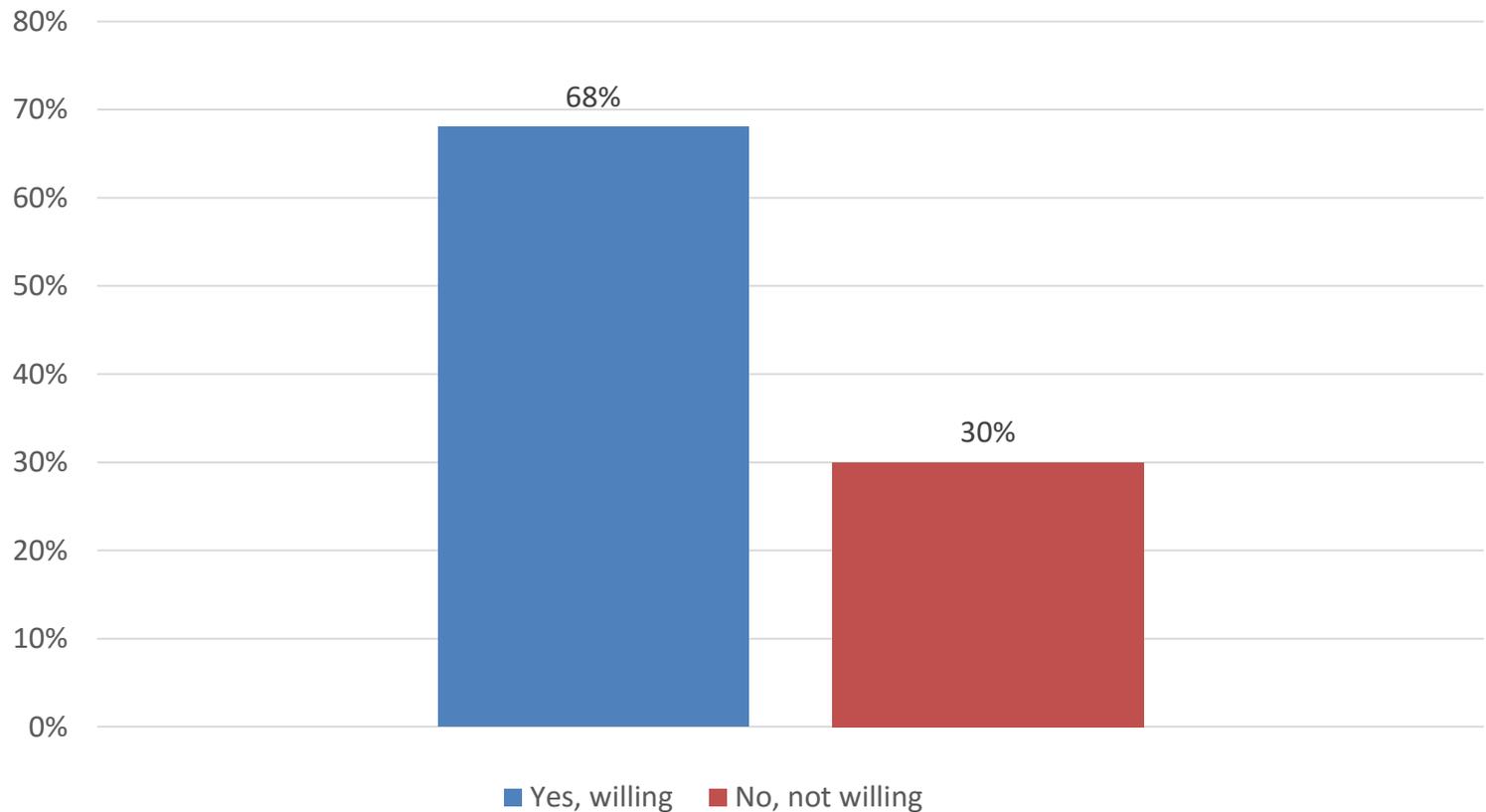
Would you be willing or not willing to pay 25 cents more in sales tax for every 100 dollars you spend if the money went towards improving public transportation in Nashville?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 556

# Support for 50 Cent Sales Tax Increase for Public Transportation Improvements

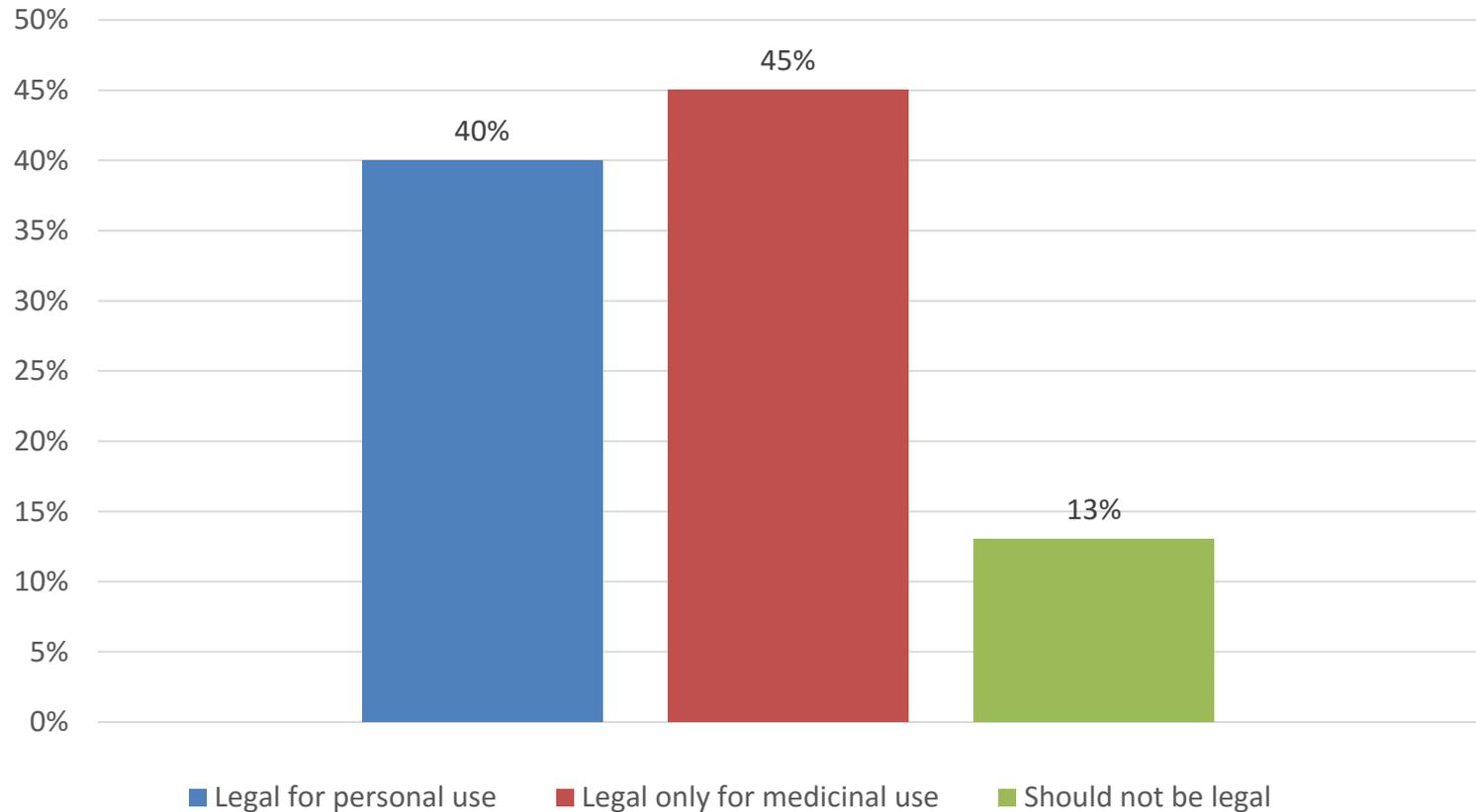
Would you be willing or not willing to pay 50 cents more in sales tax for every 100 dollars you spend if the money went towards improving public transportation in Nashville?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 550

# Support for Legalization of Marijuana

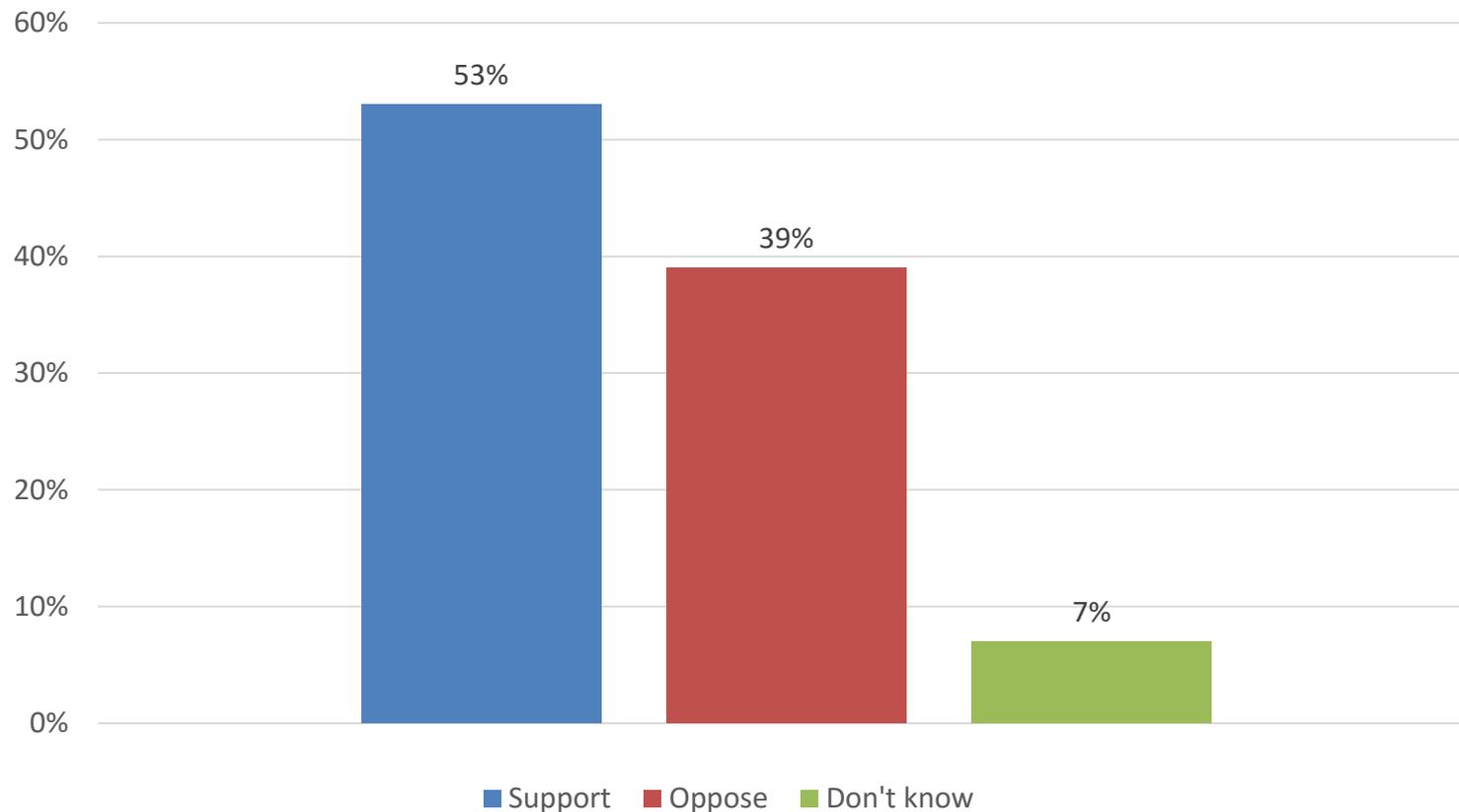
Which comes closer to your view about the use of marijuana by adults?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 554

# Support for Online Home-Sharing Services

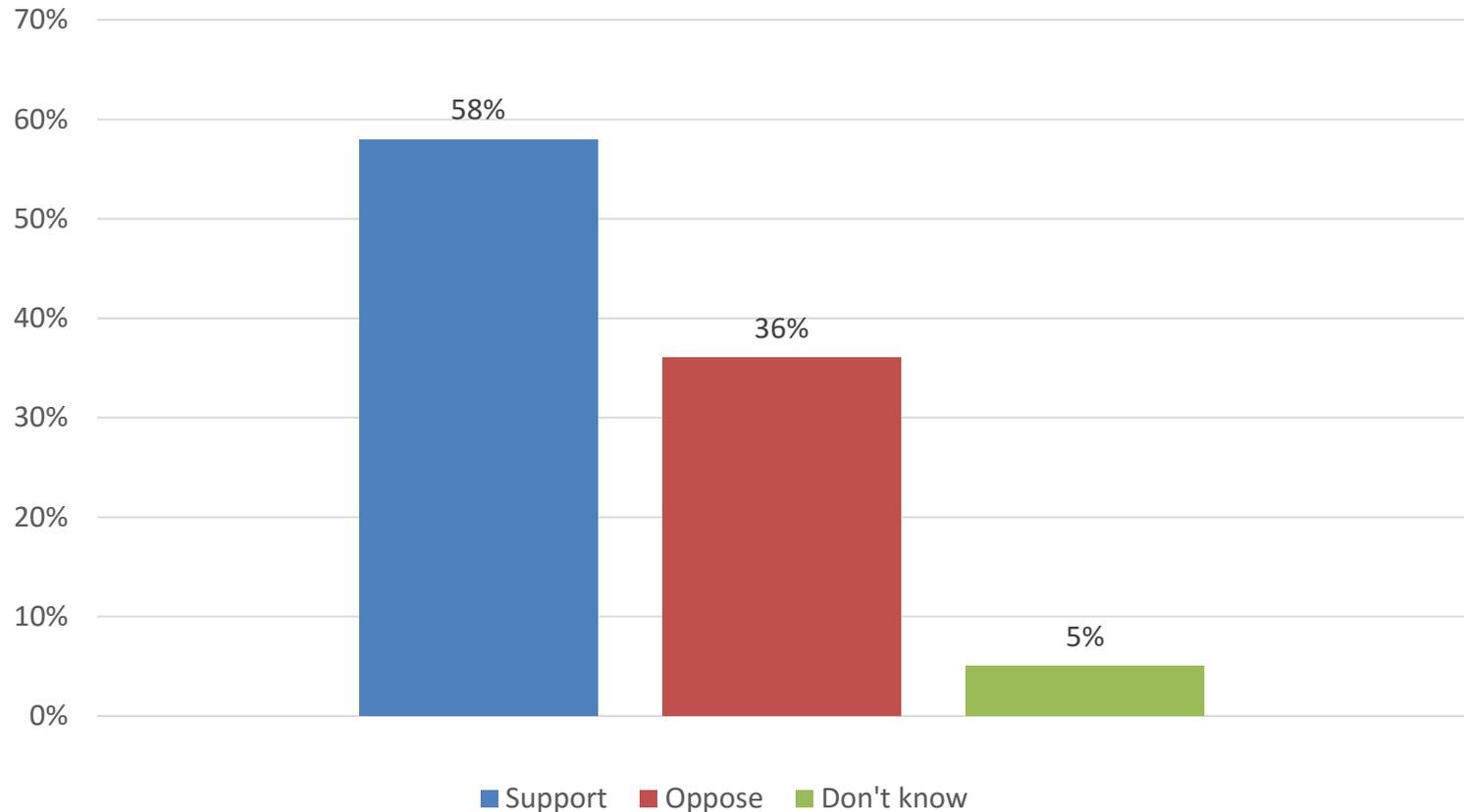
Thinking about online home sharing services – such as Airbnb, VRBO or HomeAway – that allow investors to rent out private homes to travelers for a fee, would you say you support or oppose allowing these online home-sharing services to operate in your neighborhood?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 544

# Support for New Pro Soccer Stadium in Nashville

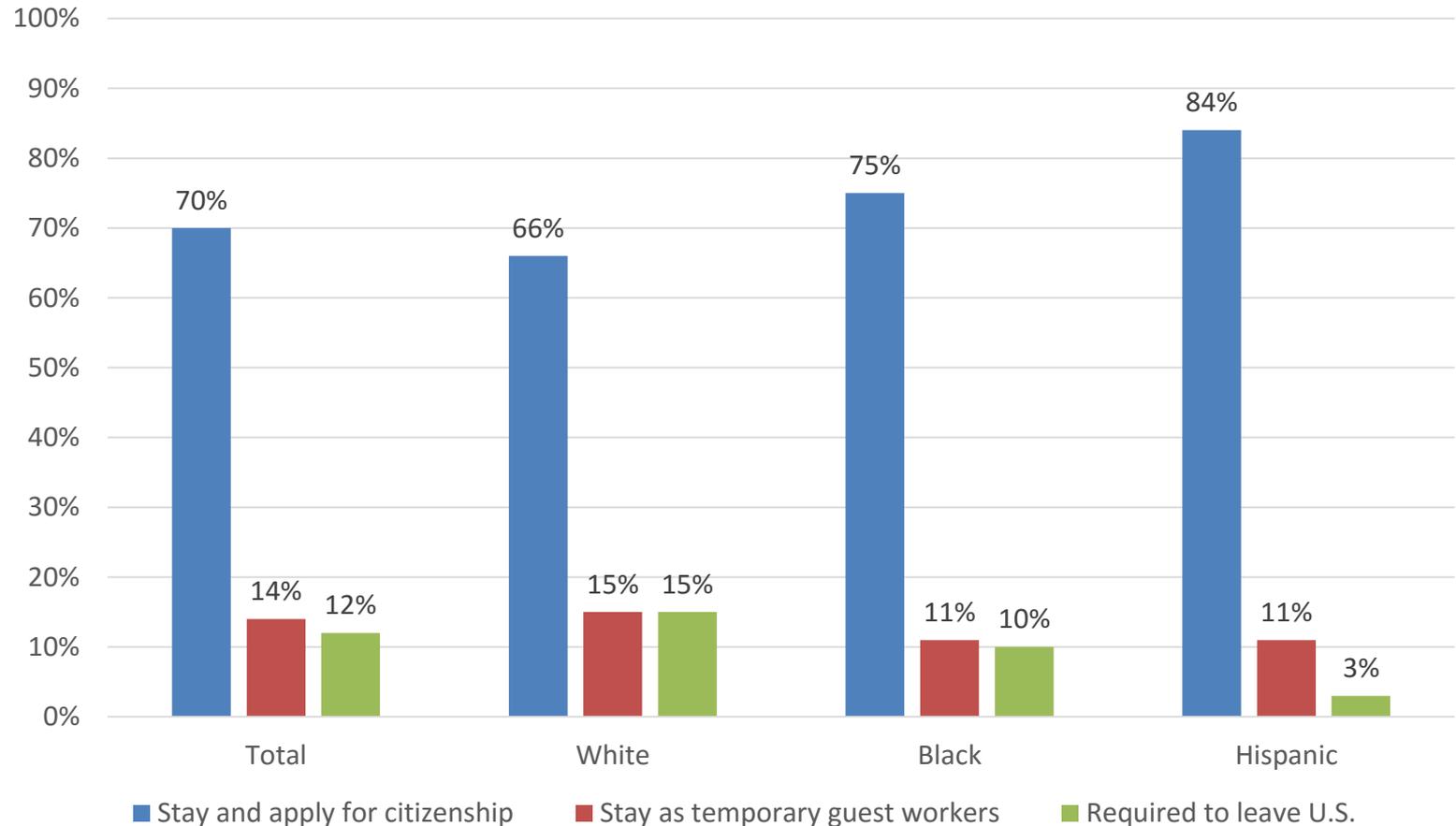
As you may have heard, there has been some discussion about building a brand new pro soccer stadium at the Fairgrounds in Nashville. Construction of the new stadium would be led by a public-private partnership aimed at bringing a Major League Soccer team to Nashville. In general would you support or oppose this proposal?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 552

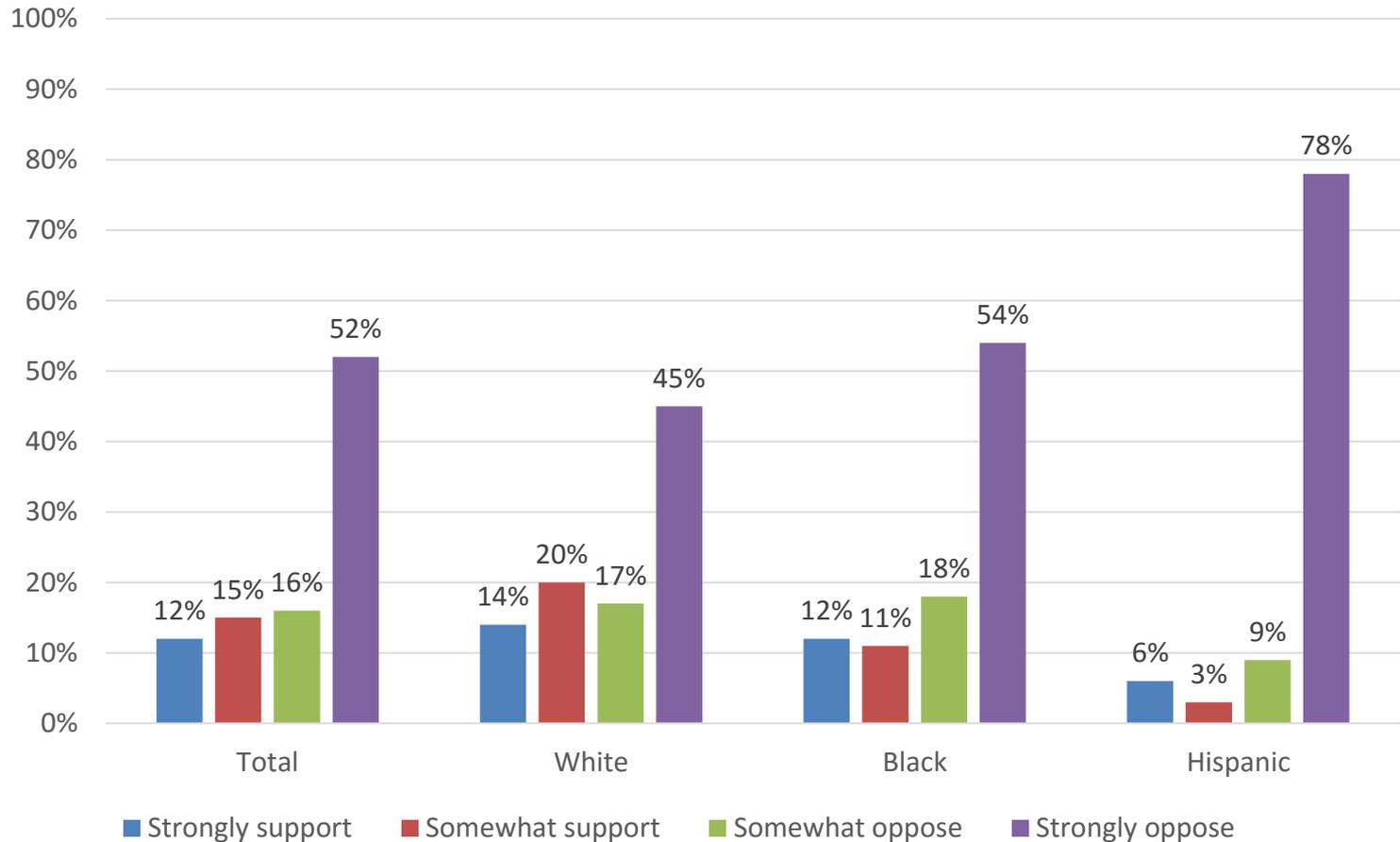
# Thinking about the issue of immigration...

## Which comes closest to your view about undocumented immigrants who are currently working in the U.S.?



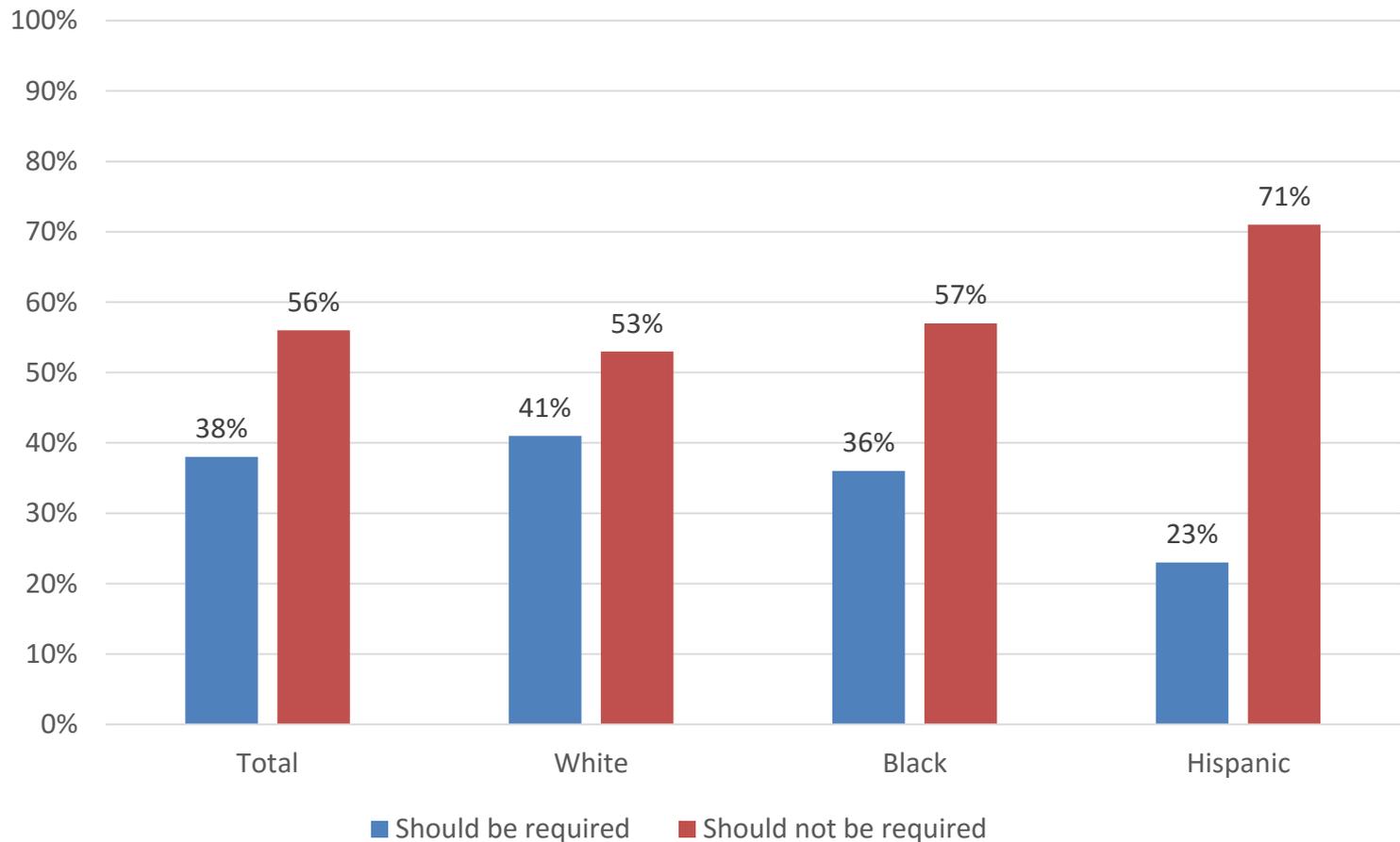
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# Support for increasing deportations of undocumented immigrants who are currently living in the country but whose children are U.S. citizens?



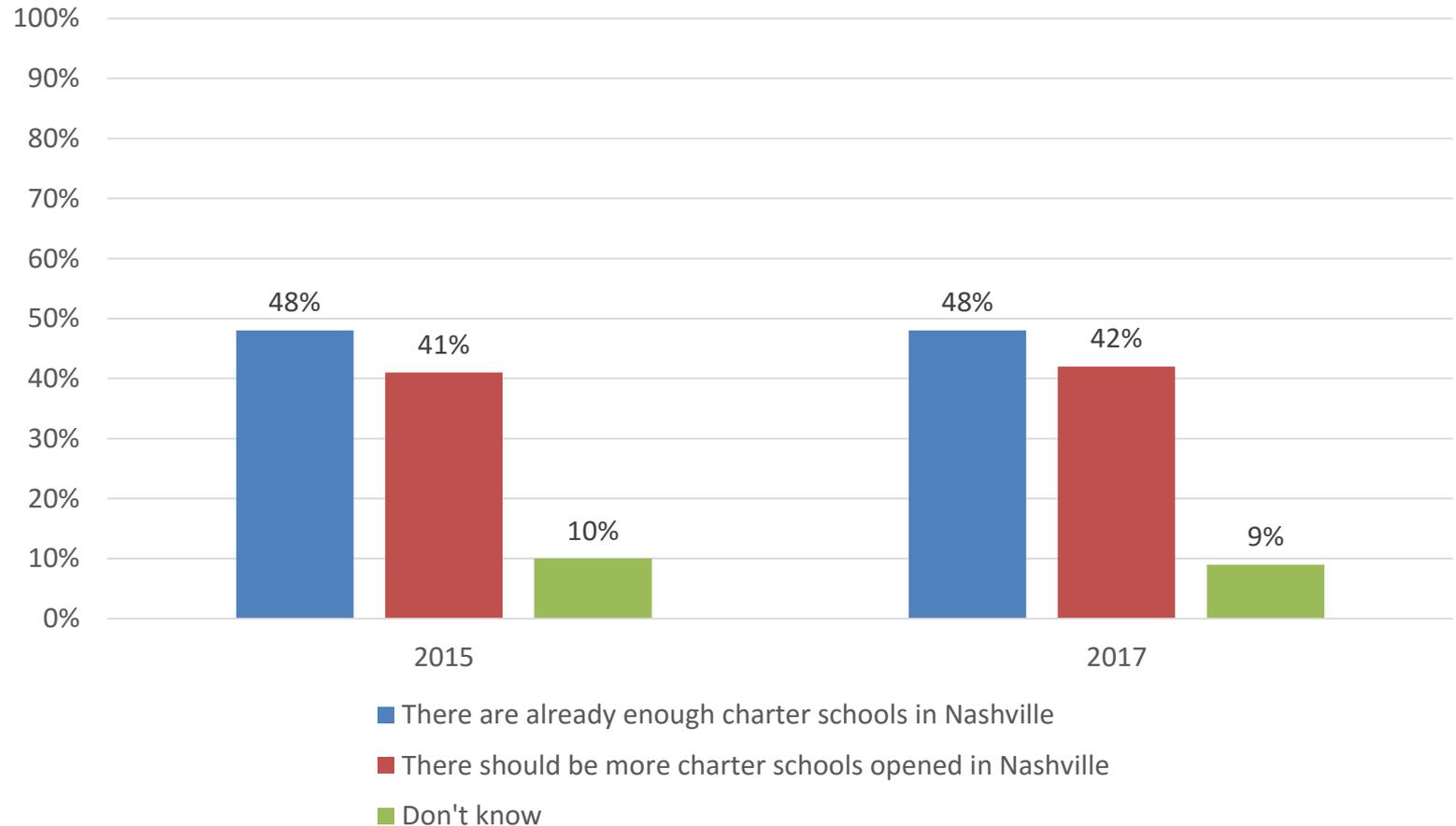
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# Do you think local governments should or should not be required to use local resources to enforce federal immigration laws?



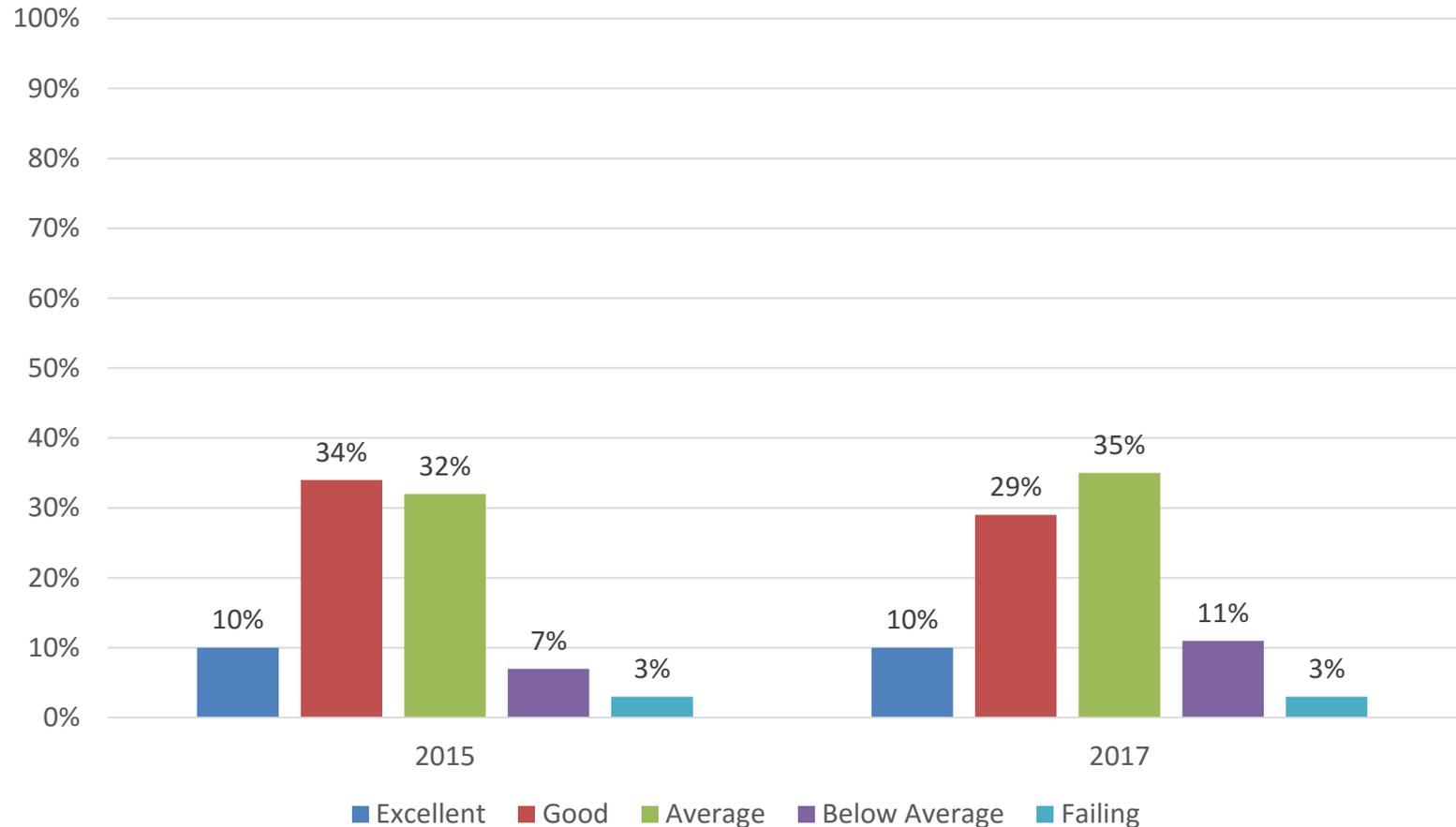
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# Favorability of More Charter Schools



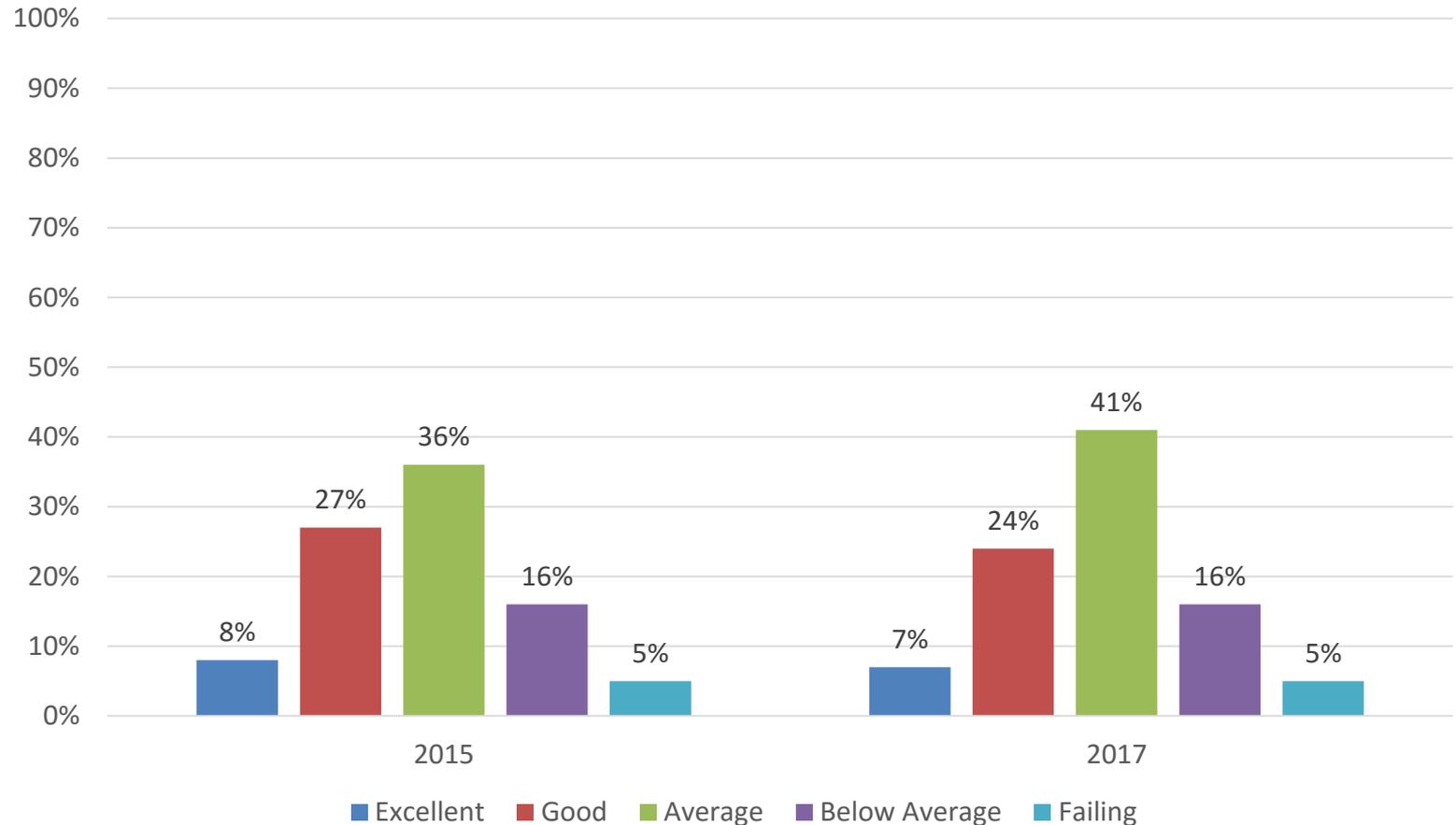
Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* 2017 N=562 \* 2015 N= 483

# Opinion on Performance of Nashville Public Preschools, Kindergartens and Elementary schools



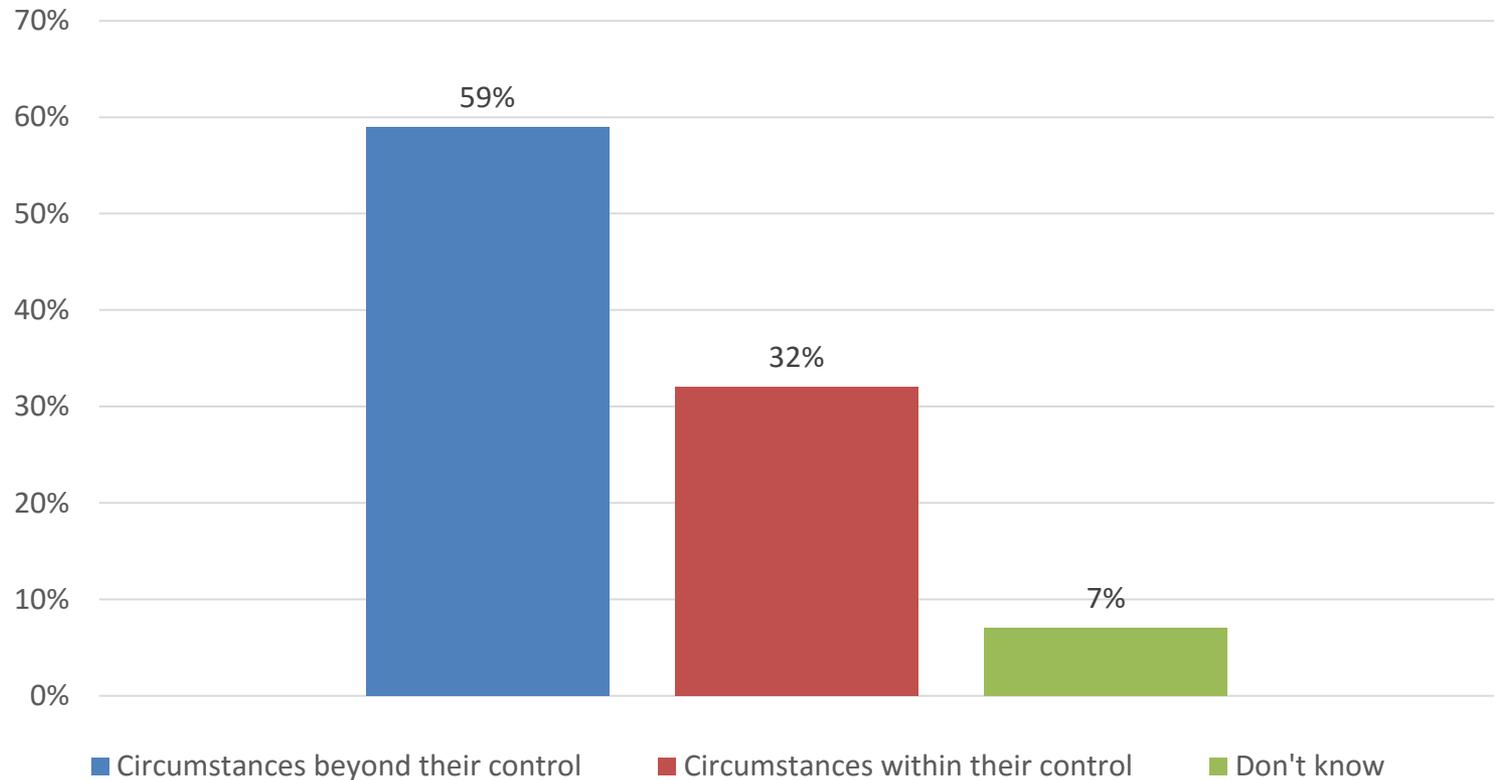
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# Opinion on Performance of Nashville Public Junior and High Schools



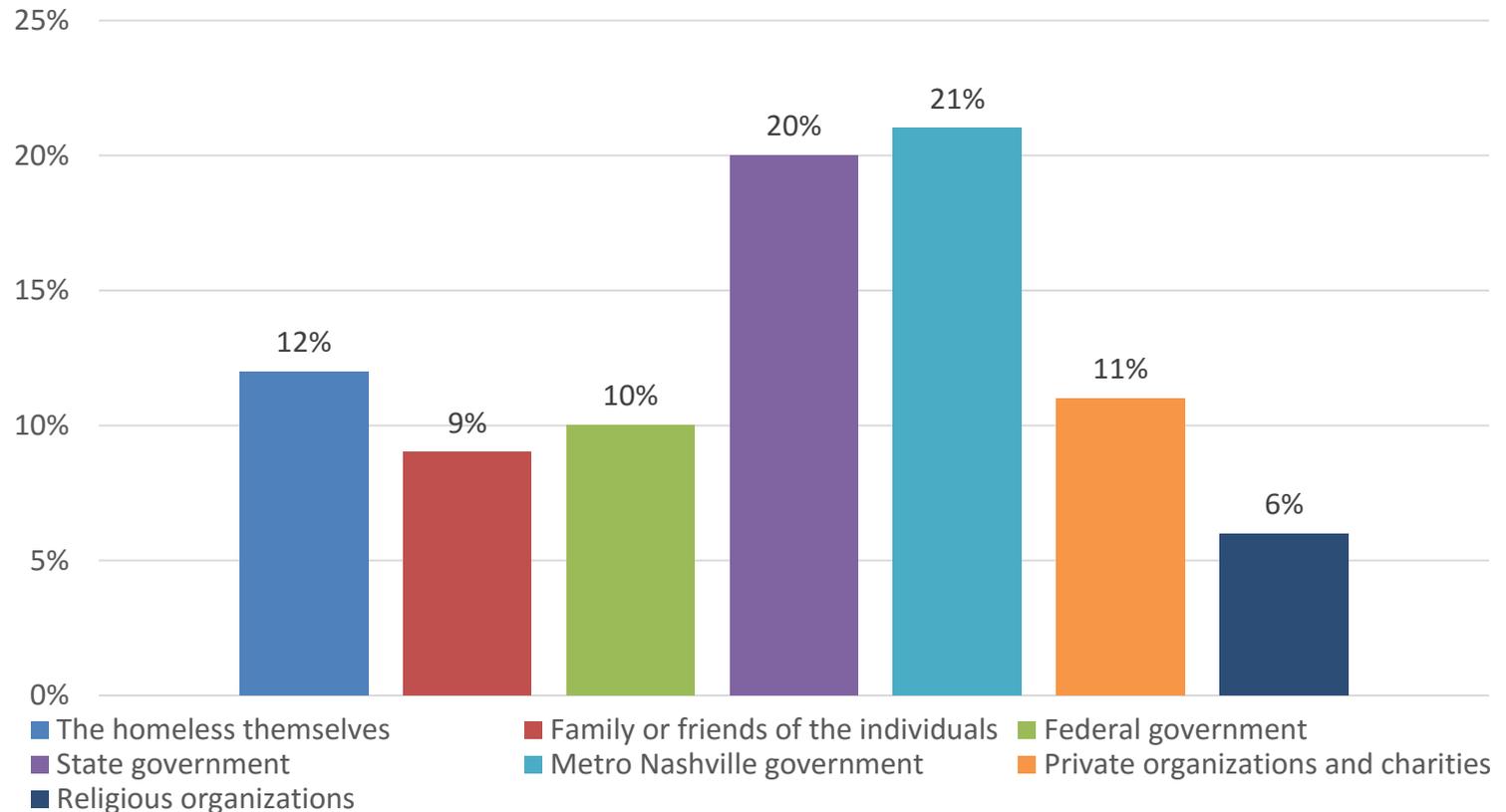
Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* 2017 N = 558 \* 2015 N = 500

# Do you think most of the people in Nashville who are homeless for extended periods of time are homeless because of circumstances beyond their control or within their control ?



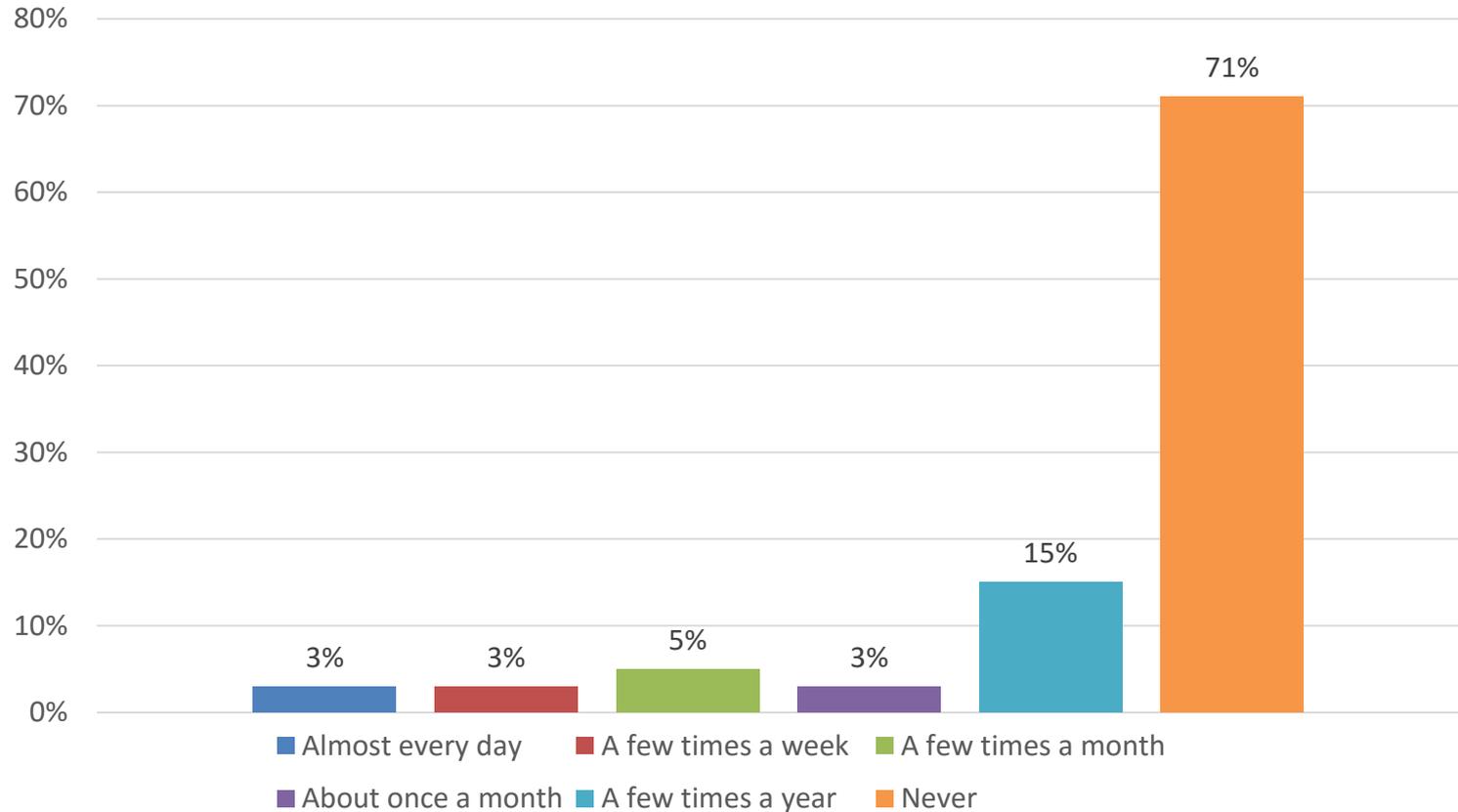
Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 539

# Which of the following groups do you think should be most responsible for addressing the issue of homelessness in Nashville?



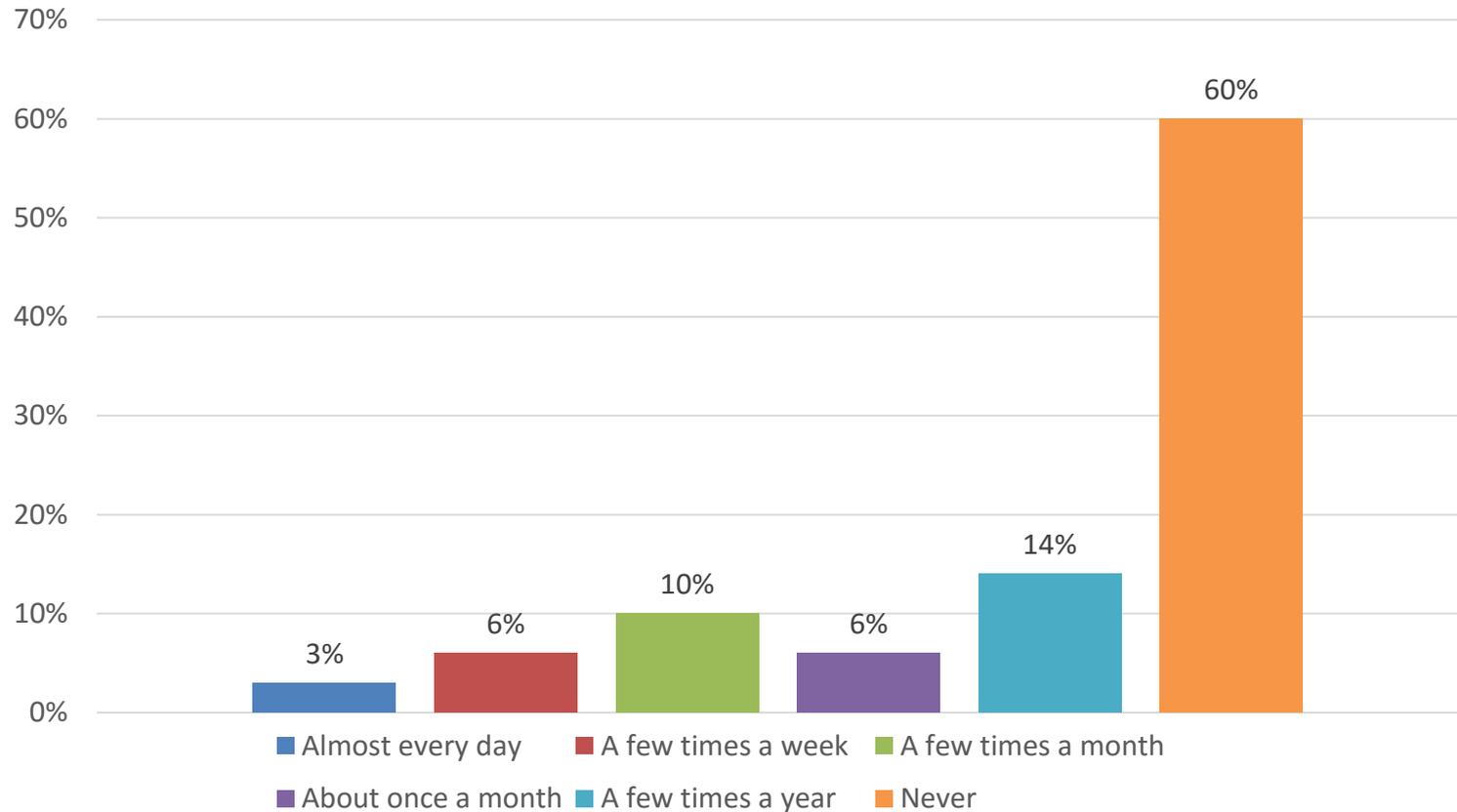
Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 567

# How often, if ever, do you use public transportation in Nashville?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 553

# How often, if ever, do you use private ride-share services like Uber or Lyft in Nashville?



Source: Vanderbilt University Poll \* February/March 2017 \* N= 553