

# 2019 ECONOMIC OUTLOOK SURVEY

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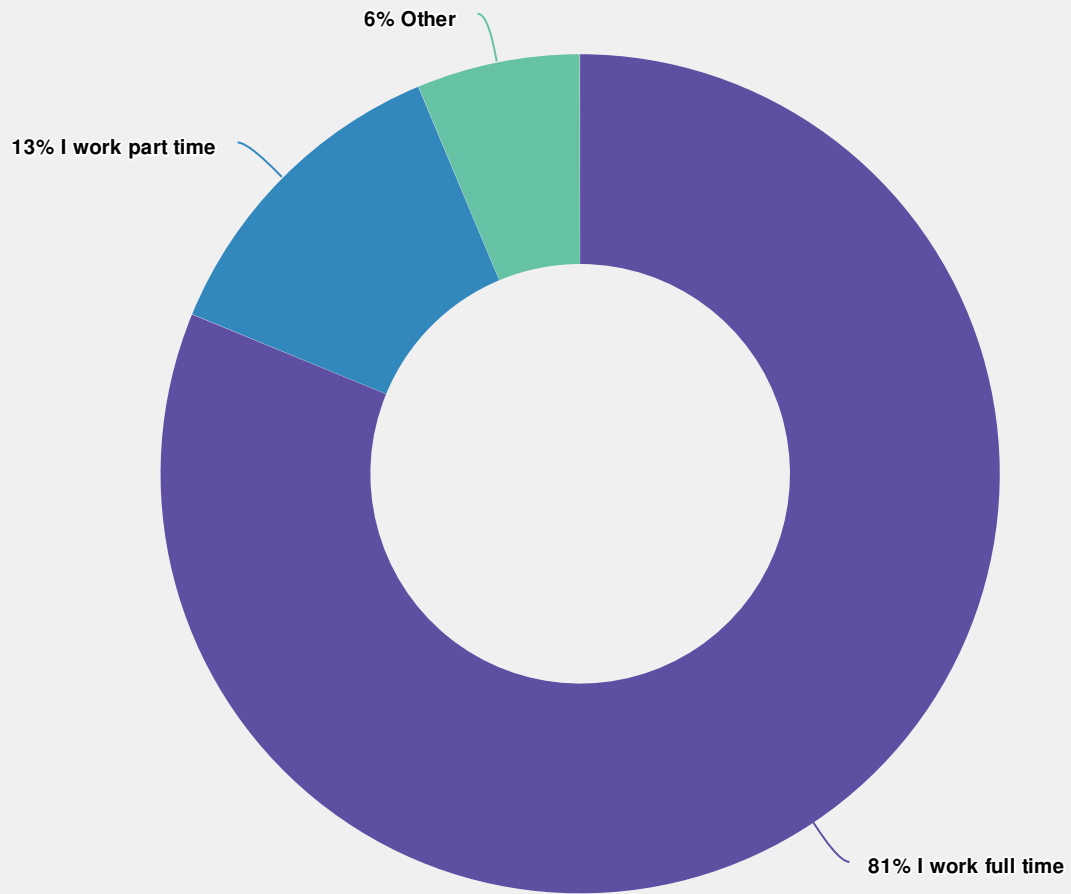


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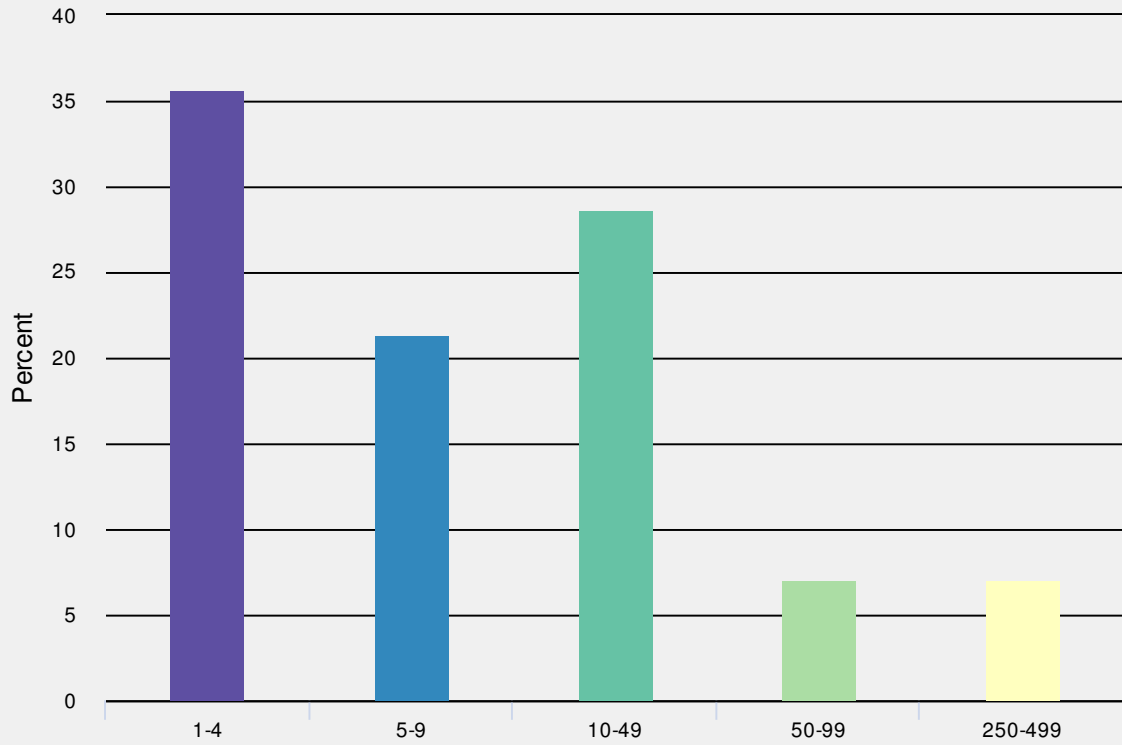
# 1. Employment Status








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I work full time		81.3%	13
I work part time		12.5%	2
Other		6.3%	1

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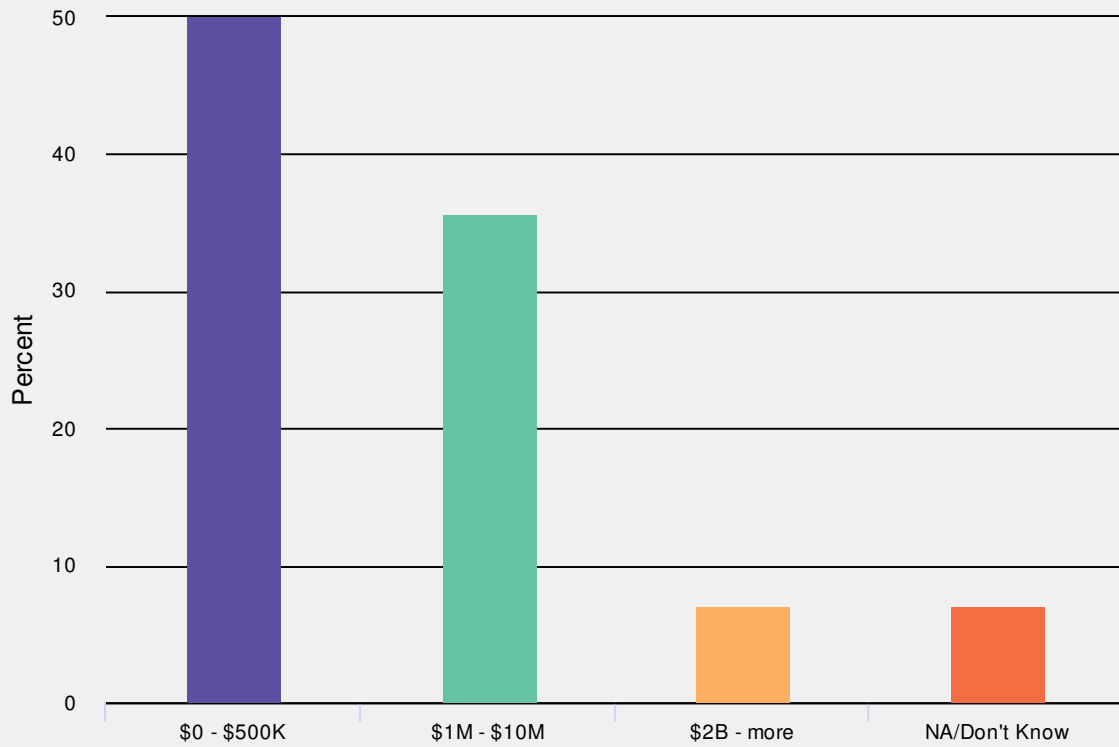
## 2. Number of Employees



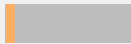
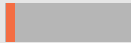


Value		Percent	Responses
1-4		35.7%	5
5-9		21.4%	3
10-49		28.6%	4
50-99		7.1%	1
250-499		7.1%	1

**Totals: 14**

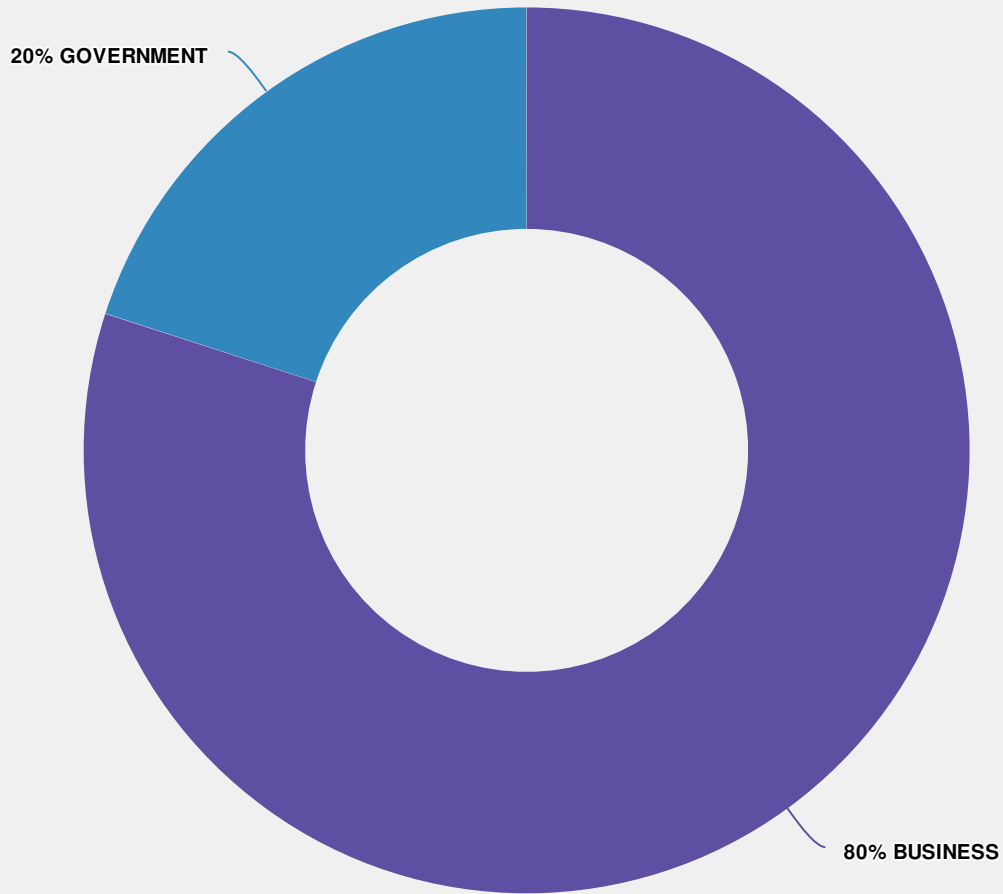
### 3. Annual Revenue





Value		Percent	Responses
\$0 - \$500K		50.0%	7
\$1M - \$10M		35.7%	5
\$2B - more		7.1%	1
NA/Don't Know		7.1%	1

**Totals: 14**

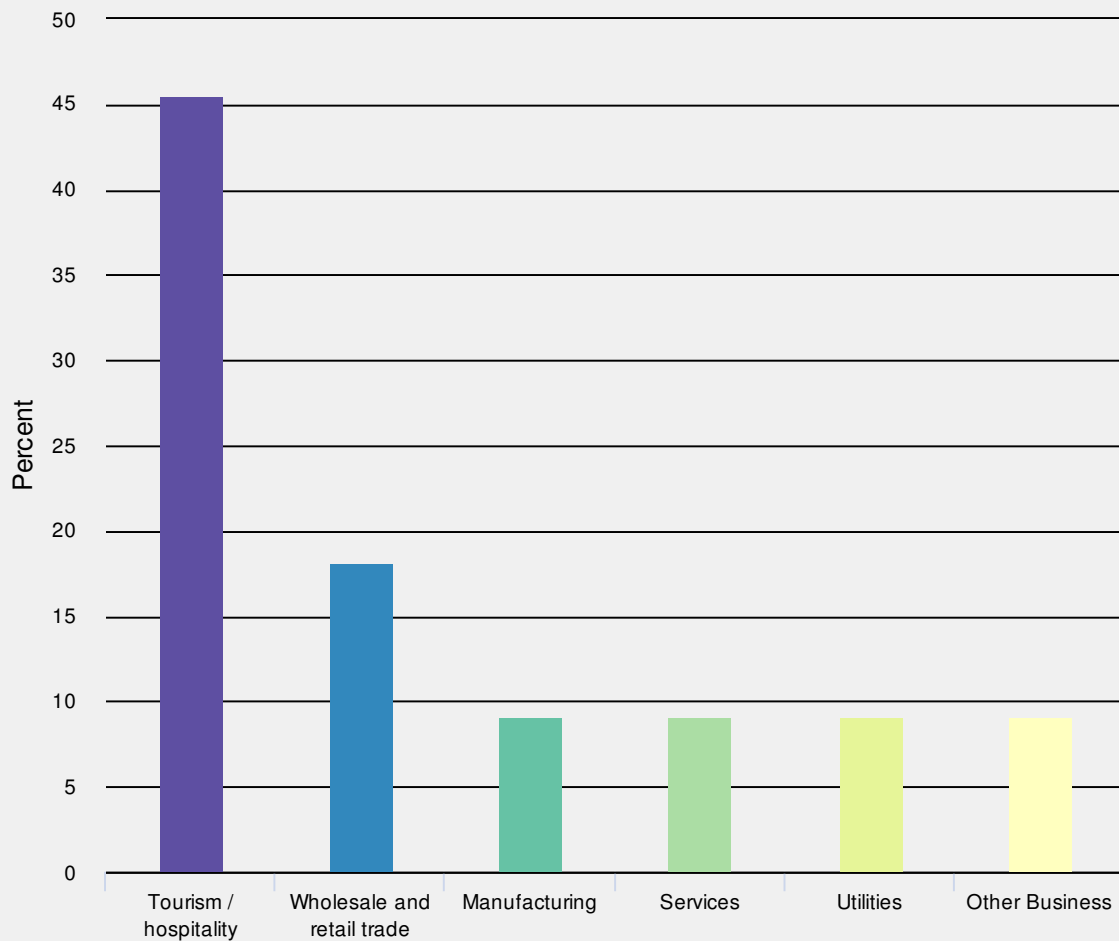
## 4. Sector





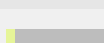
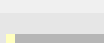


Value		Percent	Responses
BUSINESS		80.0%	12
GOVERNMENT		20.0%	3

**Totals: 15**

## 5. Industry - Business Sector



Value		Percent	Responses
Tourism / hospitality		45.5%	5
Wholesale and retail trade		18.2%	2
Manufacturing		9.1%	1
Services		9.1%	1
Utilities		9.1%	1
Other Business		9.1%	1

**Totals: 11**

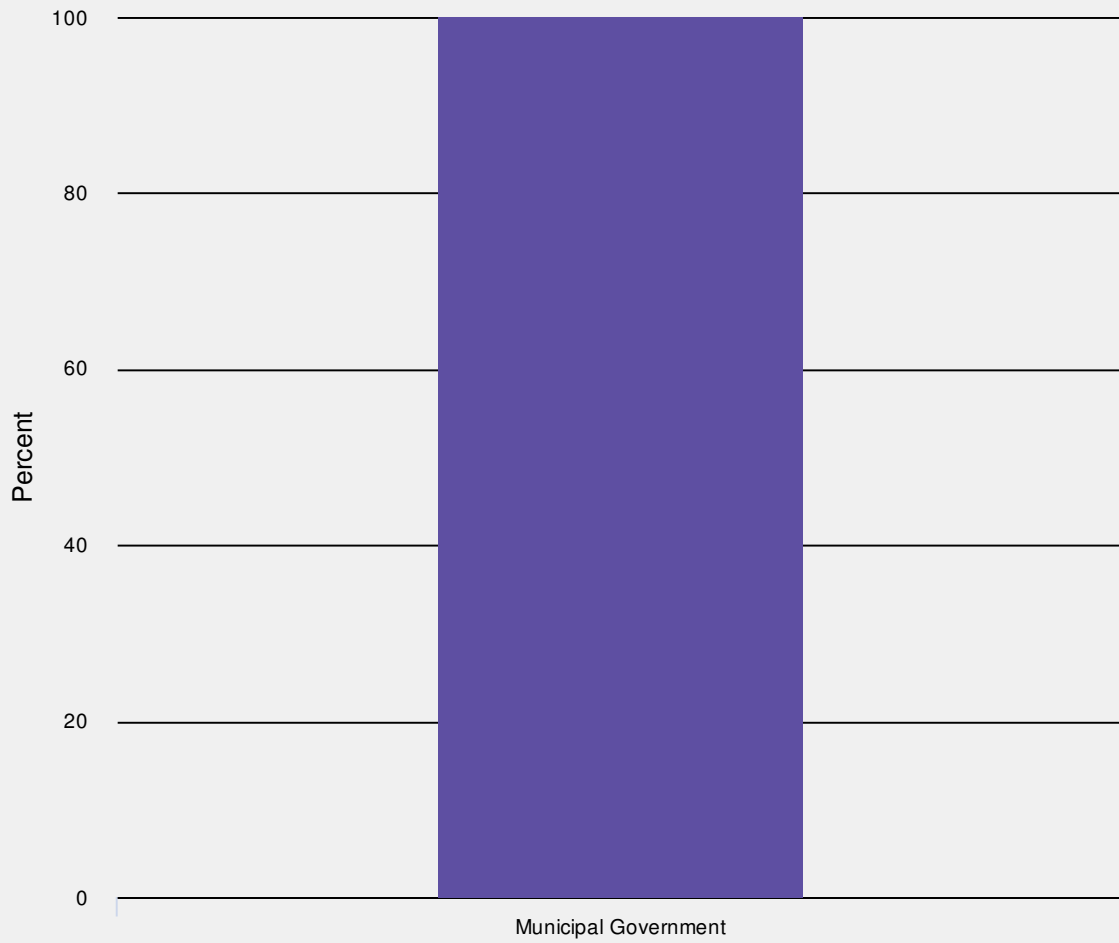
## 6. Industry - Nonprofit Sector

Percent

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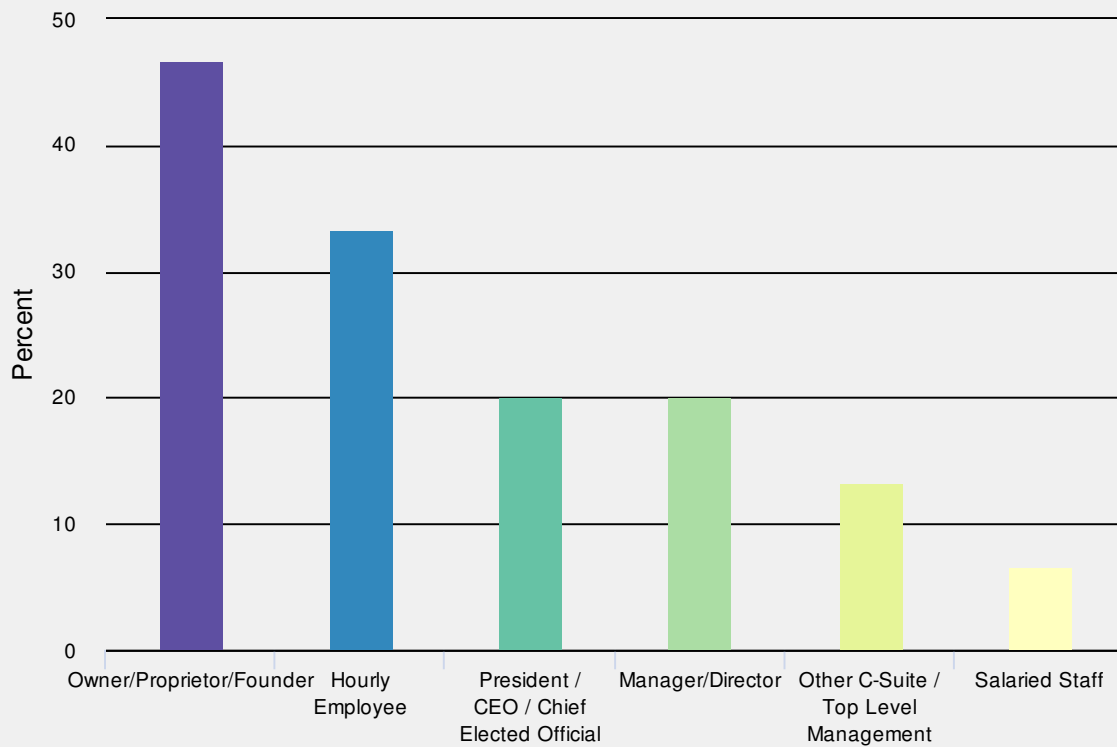
## 7. Level of Government - Government Sector



Value	Percent	Responses
Municipal Government	100.0%	1
		<b>Totals: 1</b>



## 8. Roles: (Check all that apply)



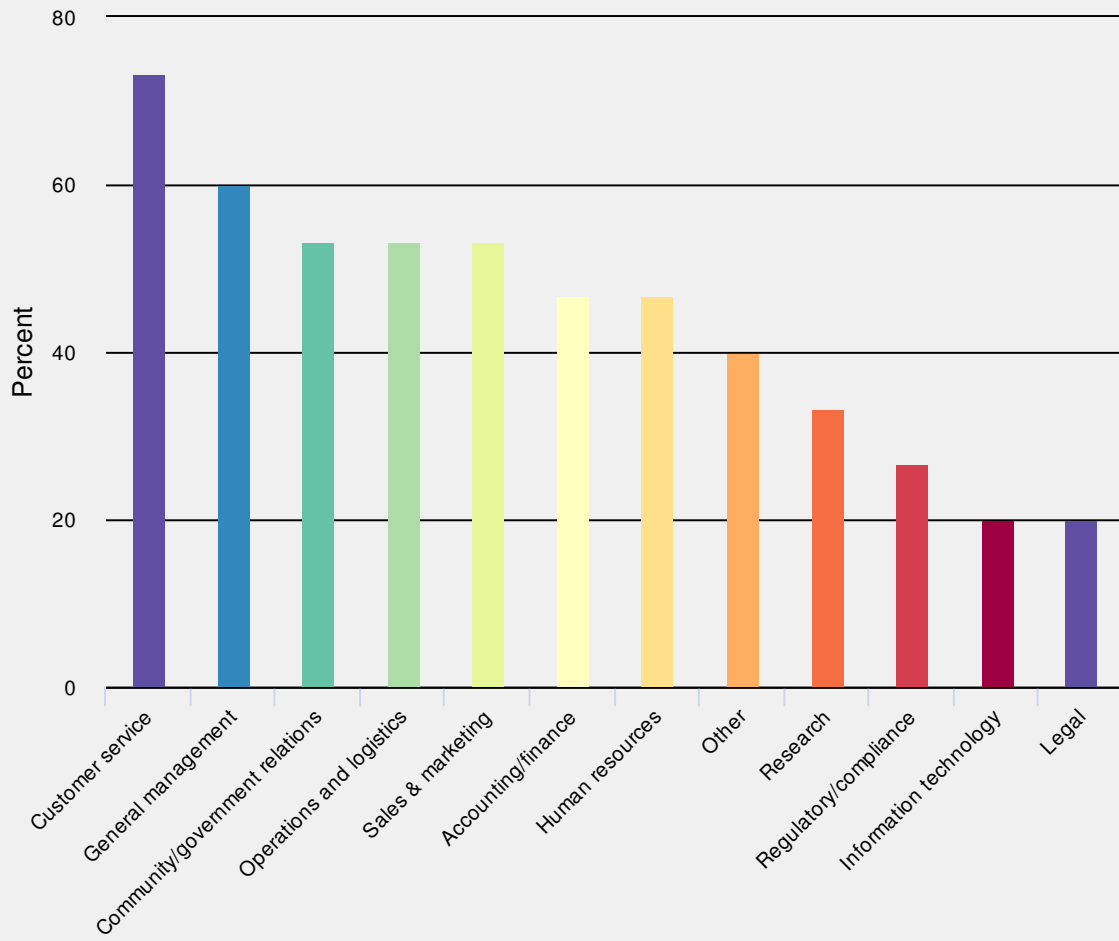
Value	Percent	Responses
Owner/Proprietor/Founder	46.7%	7
Hourly Employee	33.3%	5
President / CEO / Chief Elected Official	20.0%	3
Manager/Director	20.0%	3
Other C-Suite / Top Level Management	13.3%	2
Salaried Staff	6.7%	1













### Statistics

Total Responses

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## 9. Functional areas: (Check all that apply)



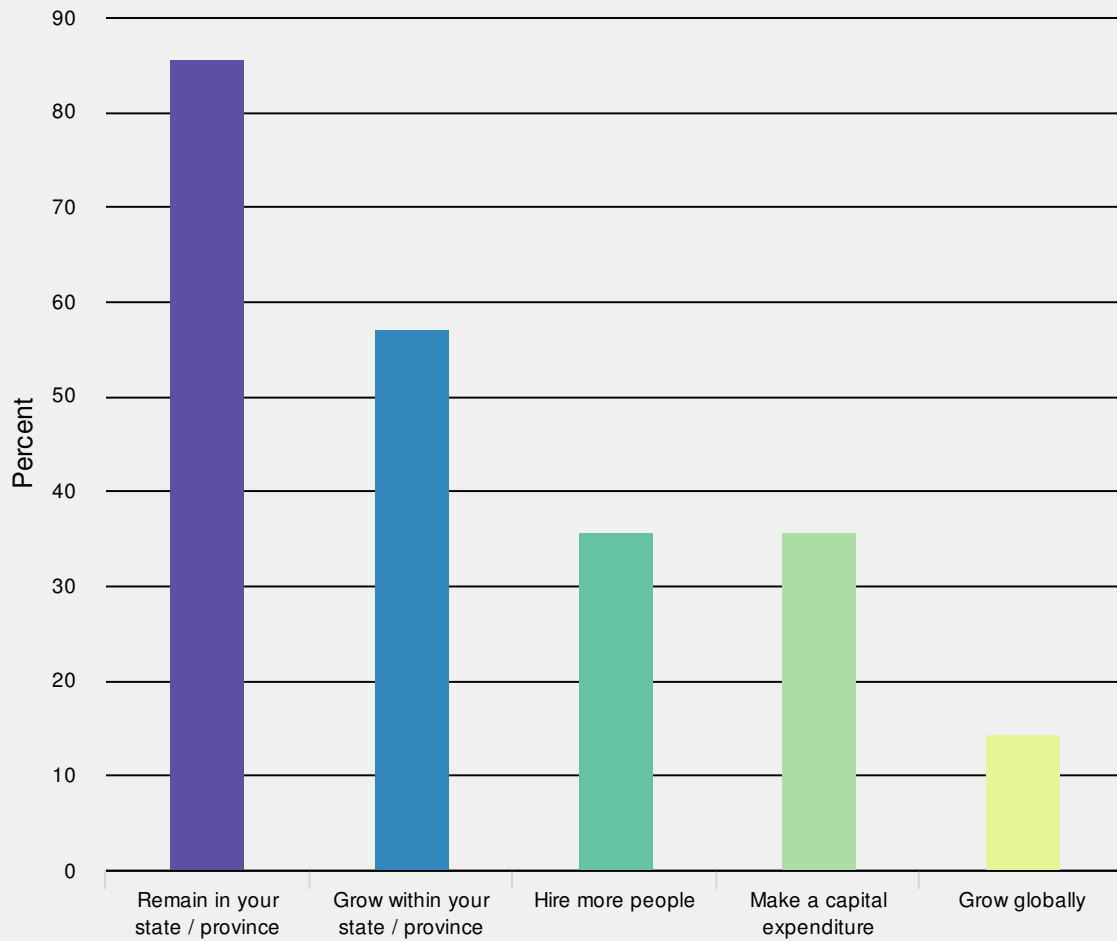
Value		Percent	Responses
Customer service		73.3%	11
General management		60.0%	9
Community/government relations		53.3%	8
Operations and logistics		53.3%	8
Sales & marketing		53.3%	8
Accounting/finance		46.7%	7
Human resources		46.7%	7
Other		40.0%	6
Research		33.3%	5
Regulatory/compliance		26.7%	4
Information technology		20.0%	3
Legal		20.0%	3






## Statistics

Total Responses

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## 10. What does your organization expect for 2019? (Check all that apply)



Value		Percent	Responses
Remain in your state / province		85.7%	12
Grow within your state / province		57.1%	8
Hire more people		35.7%	5
Make a capital expenditure		35.7%	5
Grow globally		14.3%	2

### Statistics

Total Responses 14

## 11. Rate your organization's outlook for the following time frames.

(10 = excellent, 1 = poor)

	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Average
Next 6 months Count	2	1	3	3	2	0	1	1	0	2	6.3
Next 12 months Count	2	4	5	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	8.2
Next 3 years Count	4	2	4	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	8.2

## 12. How likely are you to recommend the following as a great place to grow a business?

(10 = extremely likely, 1 = not at all likely)

	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Average
Your local community Count	2	3	2	4	1	0	0	1	1	2	6.5
Your economic region Count	1	1	5	2	3	1	0	0	2	1	6.3
Your state / province Count	0	0	6	4	1	2	1	0	1	1	6.2

### 13. My company/organization...

(10 = strongly agree, 1 = strongly disagree)

	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Average
Adapts well to changes in the marketplace Count	1	2	4	3	2	2	0	1	0	1	6.7
Has a clear direction for the future Count	1	0	5	4	1	2	0	1	1	1	6.3
Has a highly engaged workforce Count	2	2	2	4	3	1	1	0	0	1	6.9
Has efficient systems and processes for getting work done Count	1	2	3	4	2	1	0	1	1	1	6.4
Overall has the right culture to execute strategy Count	1	2	6	2	1	2	1	0	0	1	6.9

## 14. My economic region...

(10 = strongly agree, 1 = strongly disagree)

	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Average
Has an unparalleled quality of life Count	0	6	0	3	3	2	0	0	1	1	6.6
Has an educational system that is second to none Count	3	1	2	2	2	1	2	1	0	2	6.2
Has a forward-looking culture that embraces entrepreneurialism Count	1	2	4	2	1	1	0	1	2	2	5.9
Has a large pool of skilled, educated talent available for hire Count	0	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	0	5	4.1

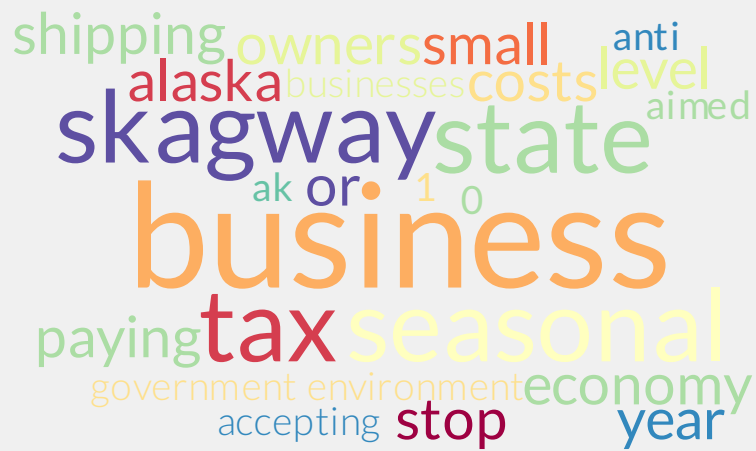


## 15. My state or province overall ...

(10 = strongly agree, 1 = strongly disagree)

	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	Average
Is on the right track Count	0	1	1	5	4	2	1	0	1	1	5.8
Is business-friendly Count	0	1	3	4	4	0	1	1	0	2	5.9
Is a great state for raising a family Count	3	5	2	1	2	1	1	0	0	1	7.5
Is a great state for young professionals Count	0	0	7	3	1	2	0	1	1	1	6.2
Is a great place to start or grow a business Count	1	2	4	3	4	0	0	1	0	1	6.8
Has a strong, vibrant economy Count	2	0	3	4	3	1	1	1	0	1	6.4

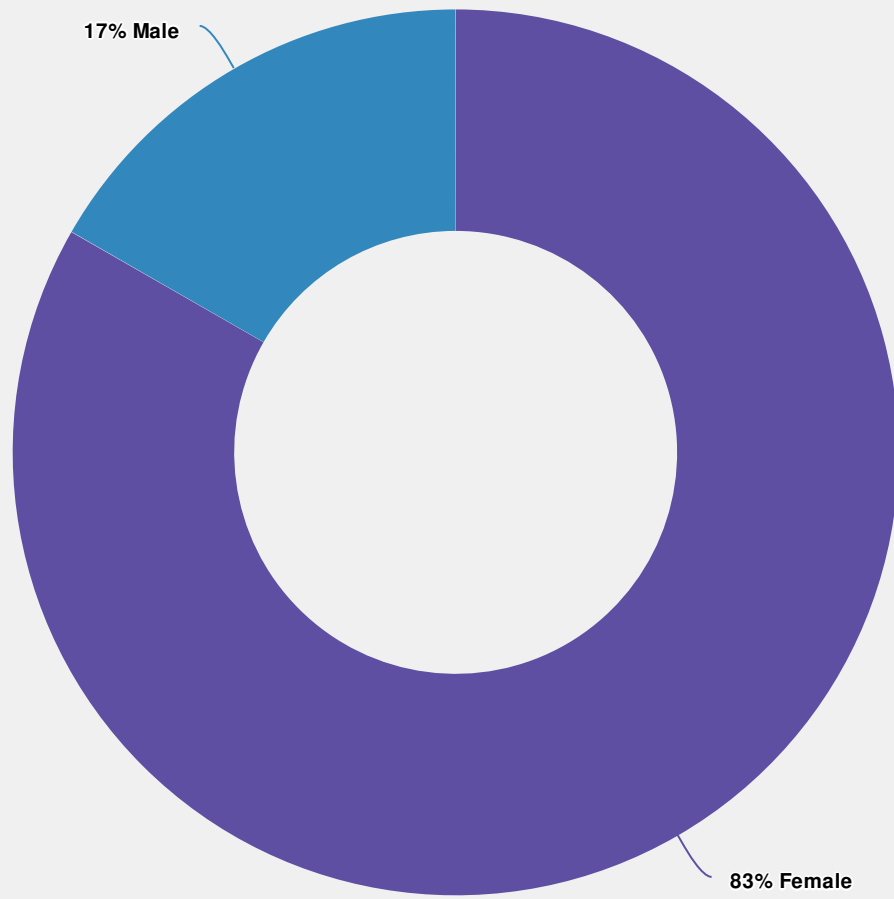
16. What must happen in 2019 to make your state/province a great place to start or grow a business?



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1068	Begin to take care of our environment, which supports much of our sustainable economy.
1075	Tax breaks for new businesses
1123	Skagway government needs to stop impeding growth
1199	Our state government to get a clue and stop fucking up to please the Republican Party who fucked up the state economy to begin with.
1652	Institute a income tax for the state of Alaska to help with Financial stability . On the local level The mini of Skagway is anti-business for the following reasons 1 Buys property paying twice the appraised value so that nobody can develop!!! Buys owns and develops RV parks that takes the property off tax rolls and runs at a deficit for rest of local property owners and citizens... The Skagway assembly cannot make A decision on the future of Skagway port. No decision or planning for the future of Skagway News port at this time is detrimental for any future developments and/or lost business opportunities !!!!!
1663	Cost of living is high in the state. I do not know exactly what it would take to lower these costs, other than new and imaginative ideas on how to handle and produce energy and cost effective shipping. To be able to lower that cost would benefit families and individuals and allow them to spend more in state and on small luxuries which my business is geared towards. The state also should continue developing good ties to tourism that are mindful of small town cultures and environment, as this is also primarily where my business is aimed.
1677	Not have such a seasonal existence. Have year round housing available so you don't have to move every 6 months and encourage people to stay here year round.
1721	More assistance for very small business owners. Things to help the expensive parts of running a business in AK. Like: shipping costs, self employment taxes. More governmental level support for small businesses and less for already wealthy large businesses and corporations.
1723	Most of Alaska especially SKAGWAY have only summer seasonal business. Most business cannot survive on winter population. Efforts have to be made to make Alaska an attractive all year destination which will automatically increase residential population as well.
1745	Be morr accepting and welcoming.
2149	It's a great place for service industry jobs. Those are growing. Whether that provides a livable wage for workers is another story. Many service industry positions are seasonal or low paying.
2164	Less regulations, keep lincences, unneeded fees low. Don't tax us too much!

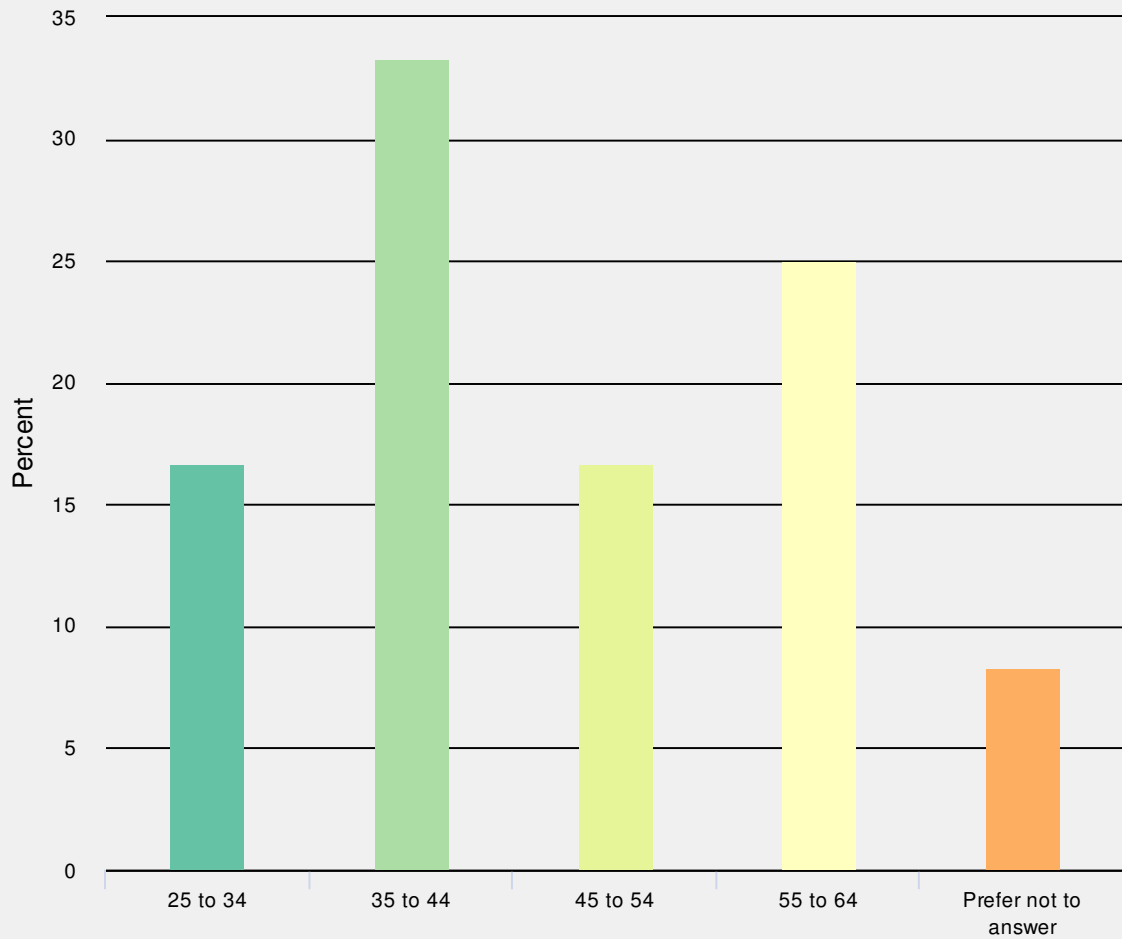
## 17. Gender (optional)



Value		Percent	Responses
Female		83.3%	10
Male		16.7%	2

Totals: 12

## 18. Age (optional)



Value	Percent	Responses
25 to 34	16.7%	2
35 to 44	33.3%	4
45 to 54	16.7%	2
55 to 64	25.0%	3
Prefer not to answer	8.3%	1

**Totals: 12**

## 19. Company (Optional)

### Response

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Fairway Market

Municipality of Skagway

Skagway recreation center

## 20. Work Postal Code

Count	Response
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