

Black Ohioans Survey

Key Findings



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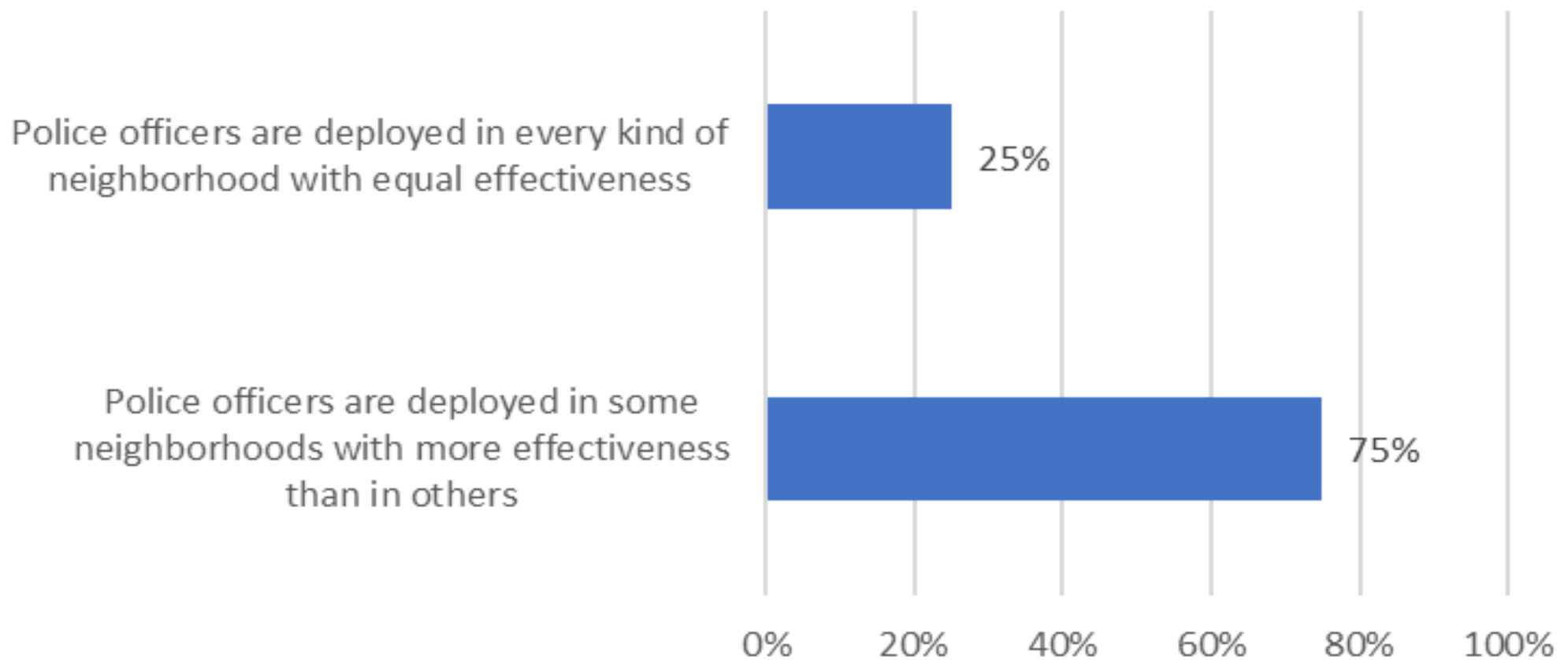
The Survey

- Joint project of the Ohio Legislative Black Caucus Foundation and The University of Akron Ray C. Bliss Institute of Applied Politics.
- Random sample of 1,500 adult black Ohioans, with telephone (landline and cell phone) and online components, weighted by U.S. Census data.
- Conducted in December 2019 and January 2020, *Margin of Error: plus or minus two percentage points*
- Focus on issue priorities and attitudes

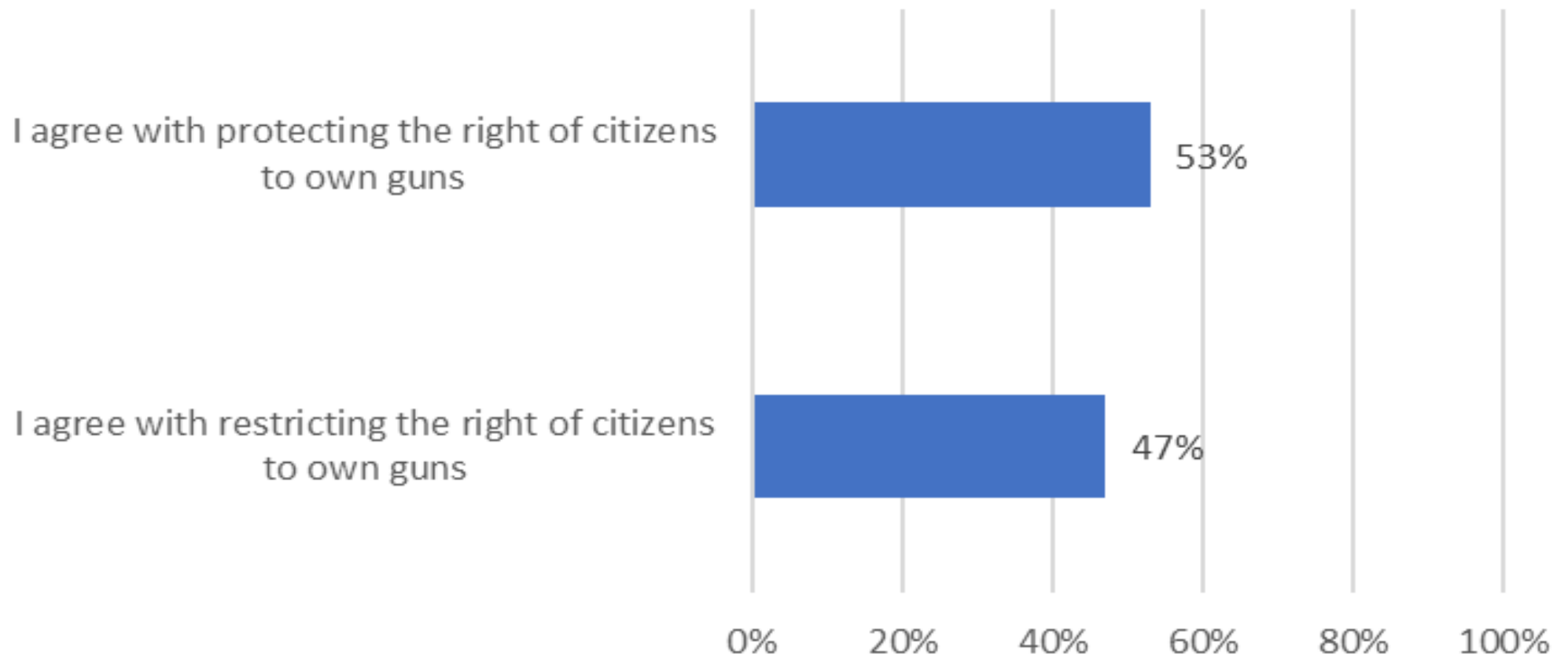
To you personally, what is the most important problem in Ohio right now?

Social Order Problems	<u>48.1</u>	Economic Problems	<u>18.2</u>
<i>Crime</i>	15.5	<i>More Jobs</i>	10.2
<i>Drugs</i>	12.6	<i>More Good Jobs</i>	6.7
<i>Guns, Gun Control</i>	6.8	<i>Economic Growth</i>	1.3
<i>Racial Discrimination</i>	3.7		
<i>Police, Criminal Justice</i>	3.2		
<i>Sexual Trafficking</i>	2.2		
<i>Rights, Tolerance</i>	1.6		
<i>Religion, Moral Values</i>	1.2		
<i>Abortion, Women's Issues</i>	1.0		
<i>Immigration, Terrorism</i>	0.4		
Public Program Problems	<u>28.7</u>	Political Process Problems	<u>5.0</u>
<i>Health Care</i>	5.9	<i>Politicians</i>	2.7
<i>Roads and Transportation</i>	4.8	<i>Political Divisions</i>	1.5
<i>Housing, Homelessness</i>	4.5	<i>Voting Rights, Gerrymandering</i>	0.7
<i>Education</i>	3.6		
<i>Families Children Youth</i>	3.5		
<i>Seniors</i>			
<i>Poverty</i>	2.4		
<i>Public Services</i>	1.6		
<i>Taxes</i>	1.2		
<i>Environment</i>	1.0		
		TOTAL	<u>100%</u> 100%

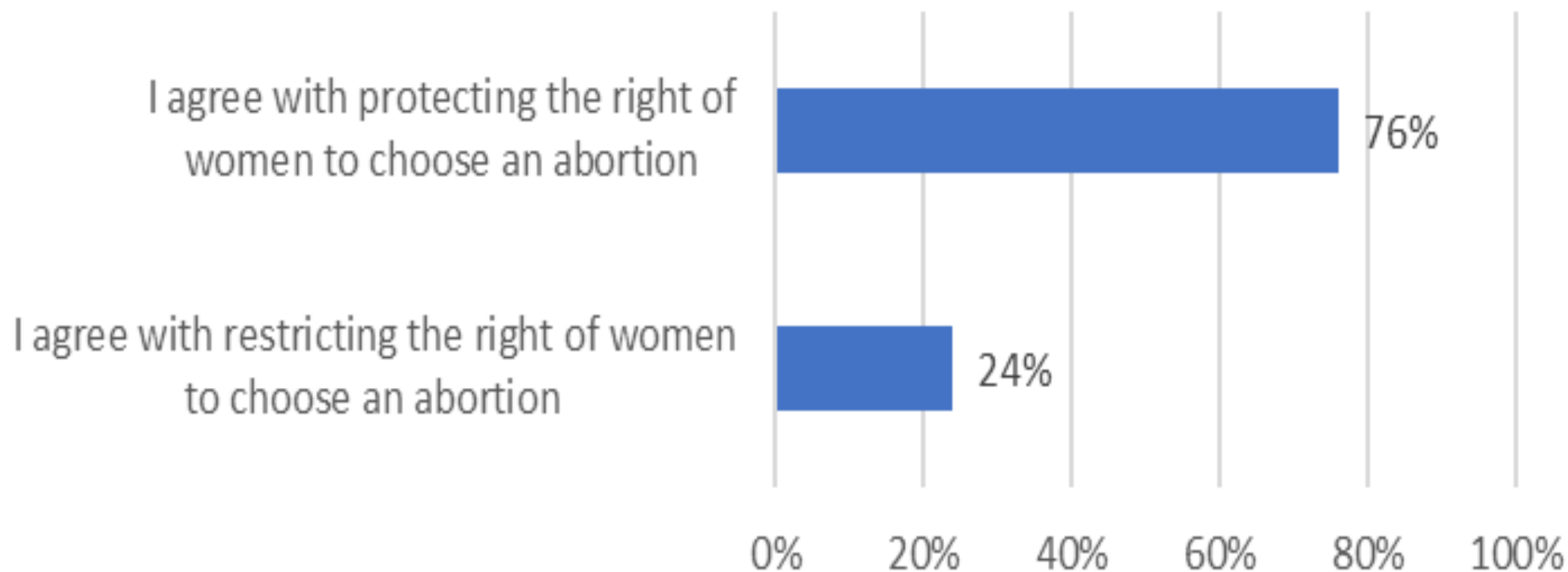
Thinking about police protection in Ohio, which of the statements comes closest to your view?



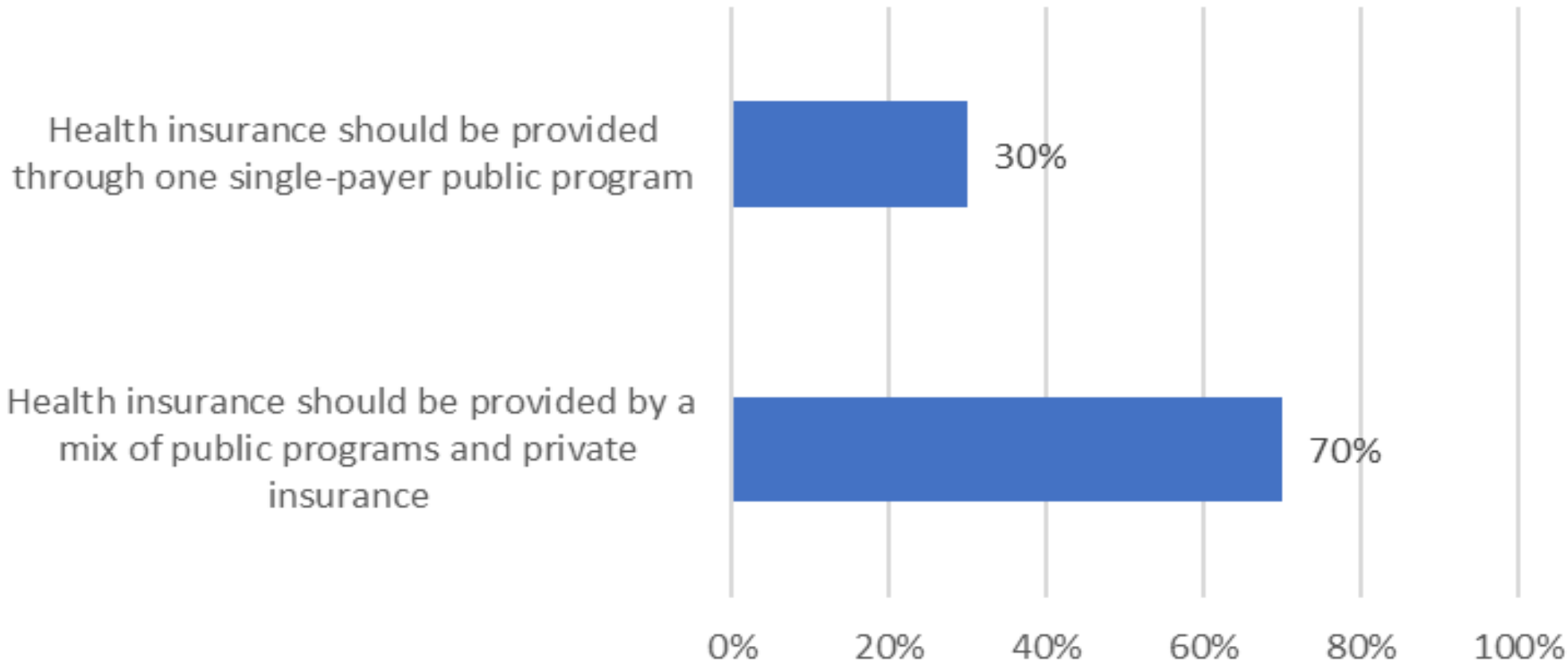
Thinking about guns in Ohio, which of the statements comes closest to your view?



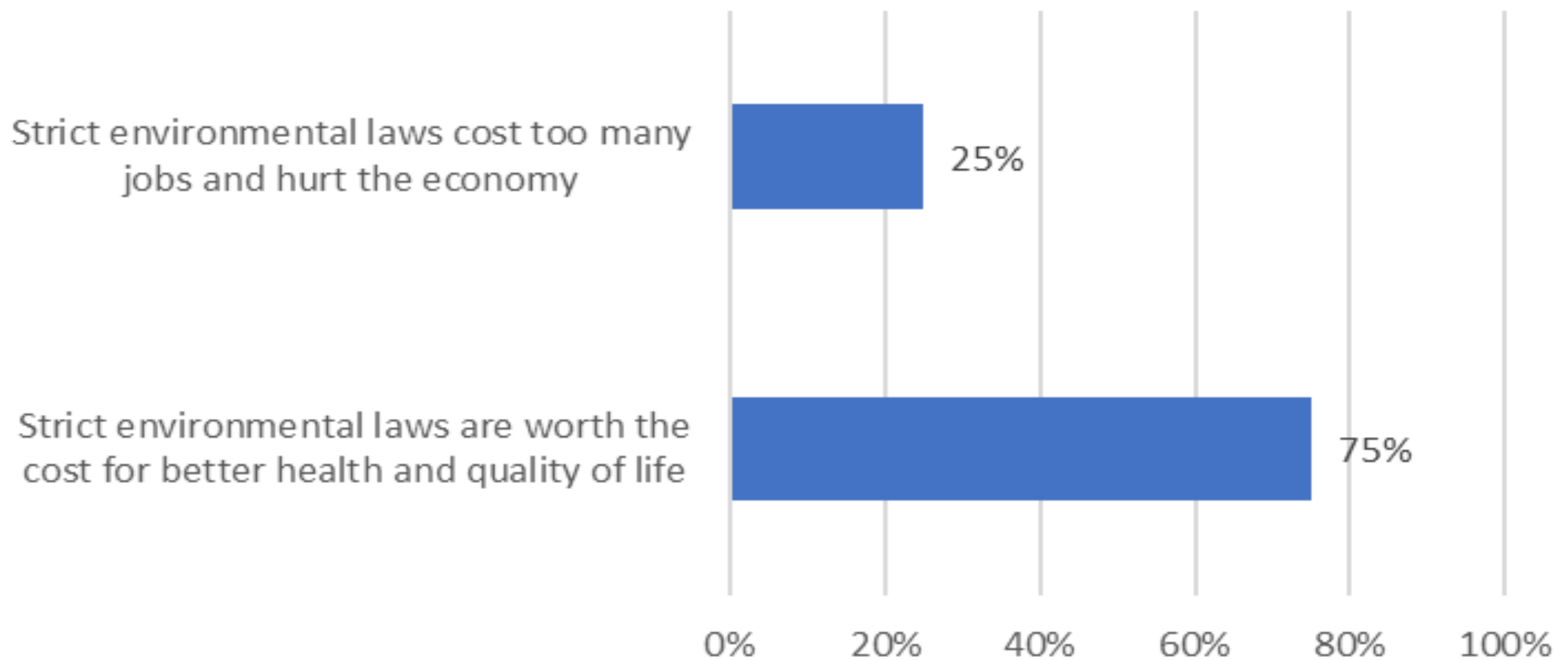
Thinking about abortion in Ohio, which statement comes closest to your view?



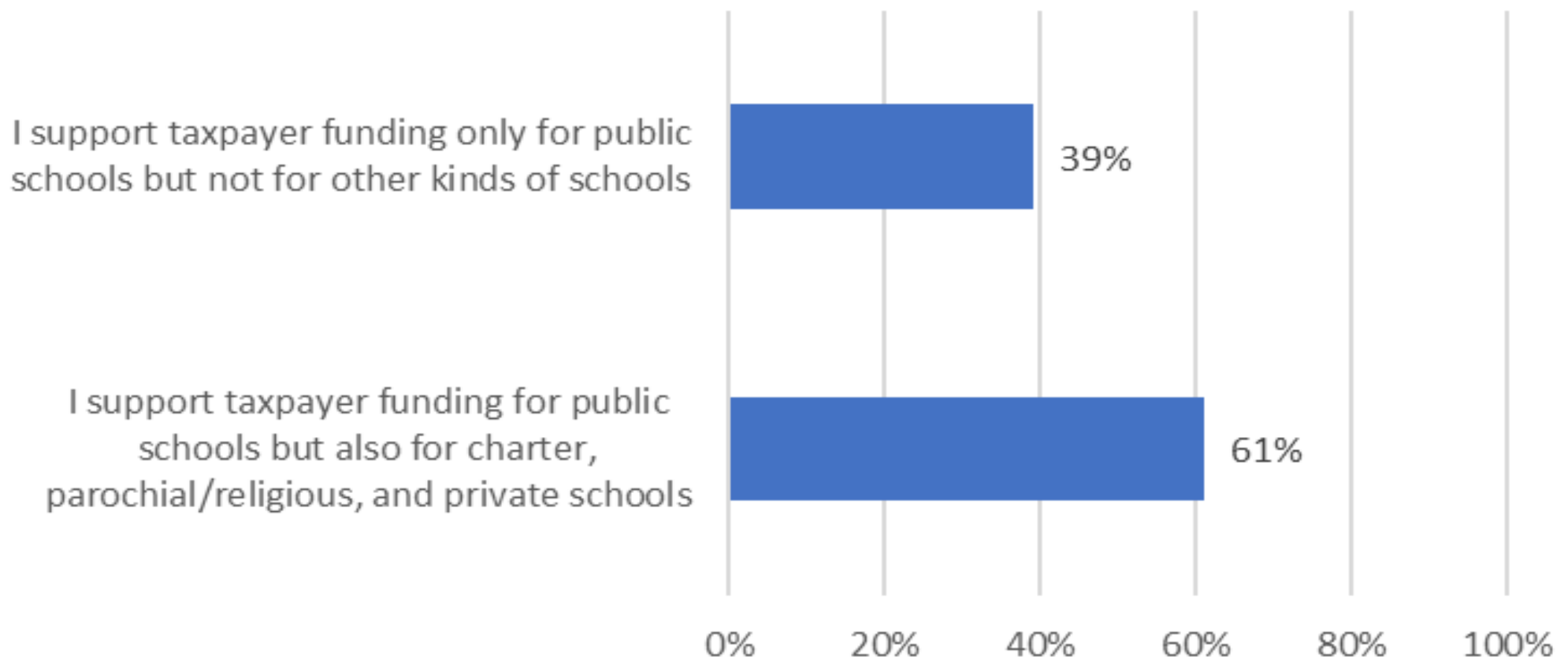
Thinking about health care in Ohio, which of the following statements comes closest to your view?



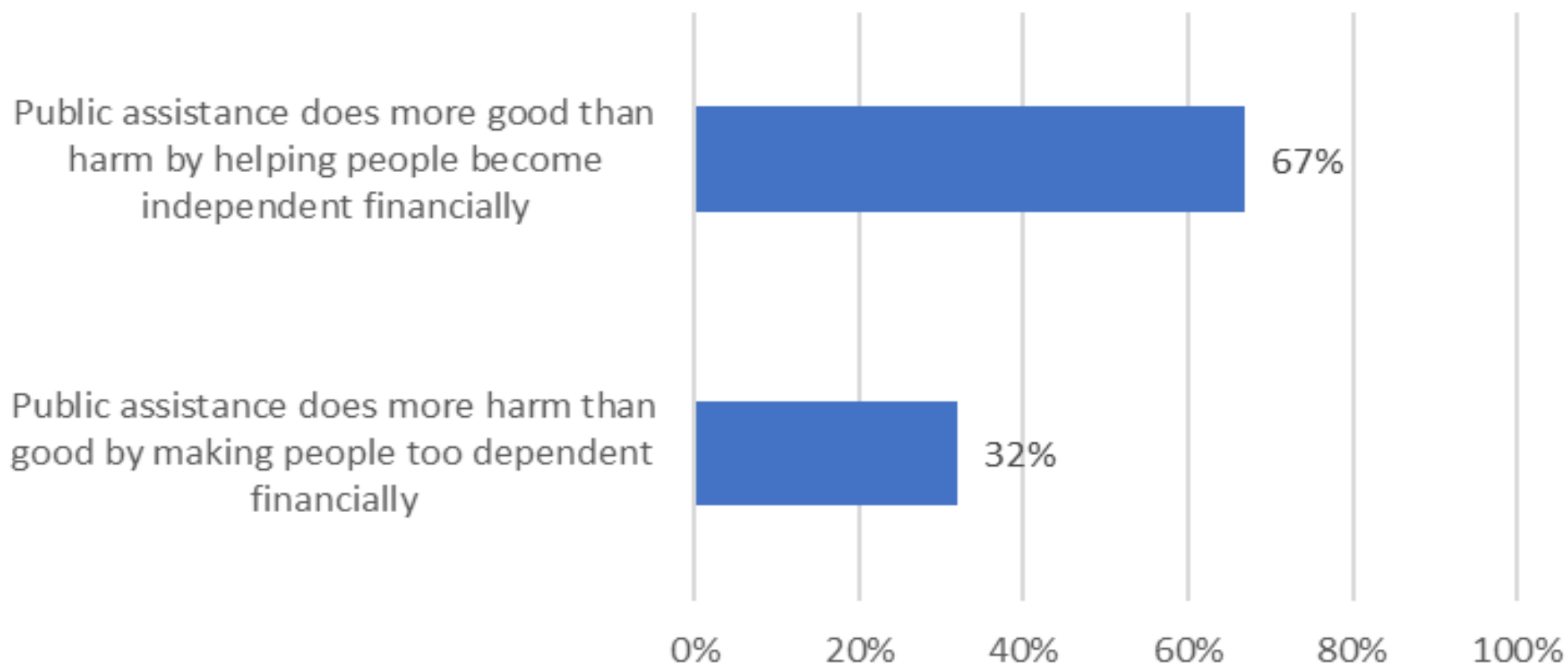
Thinking of environmental protection in Ohio, which of the statements is closest to your view?



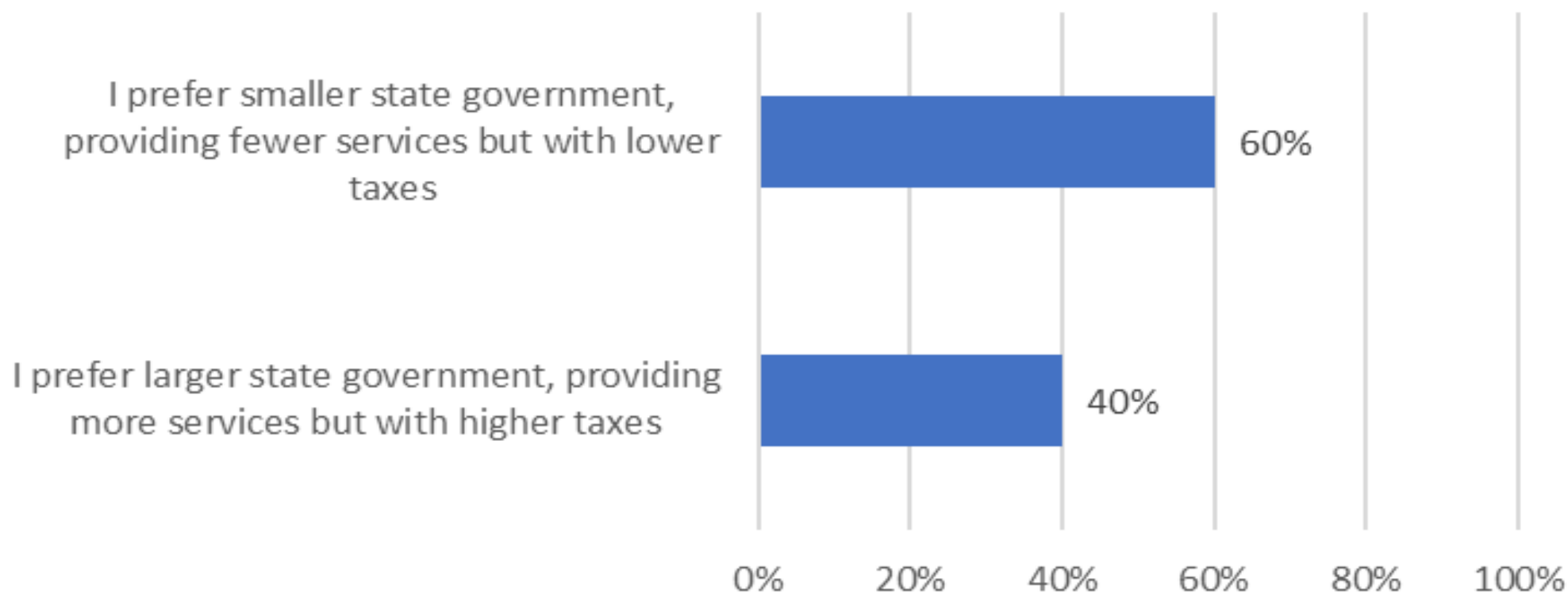
Thinking about public schools in Ohio, which of the statements is closest to your view?



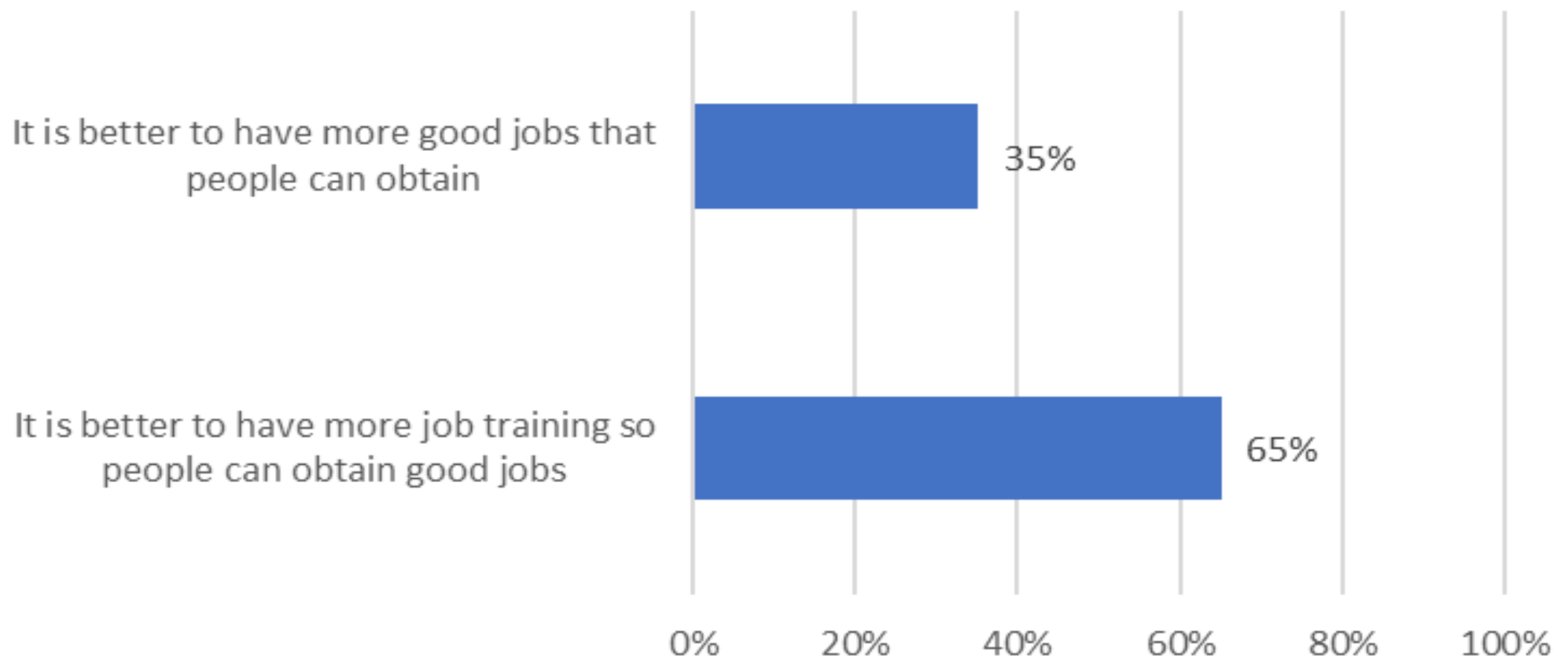
Thinking about public assistance in Ohio, which of the statements comes closest to your views?



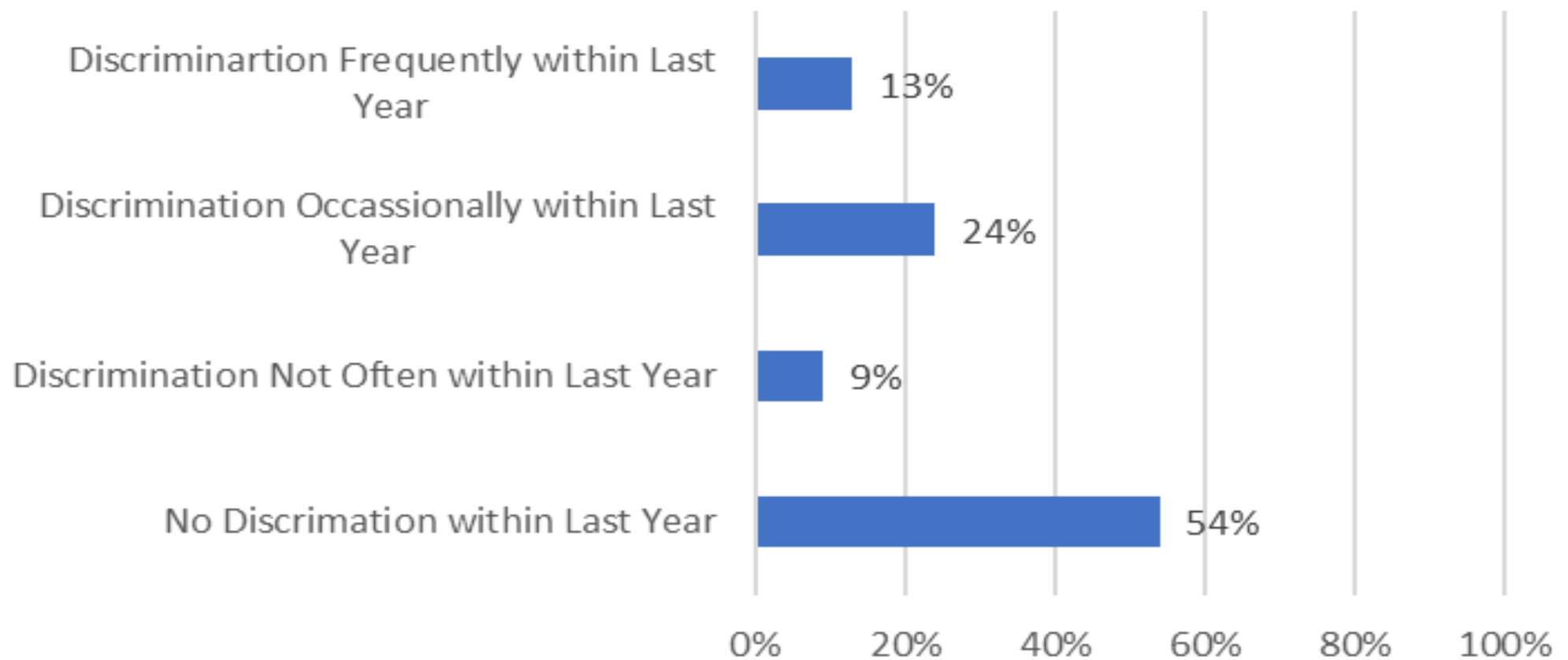
Thinking about the size of government in Ohio,
which of the statements comes closest
to your view?



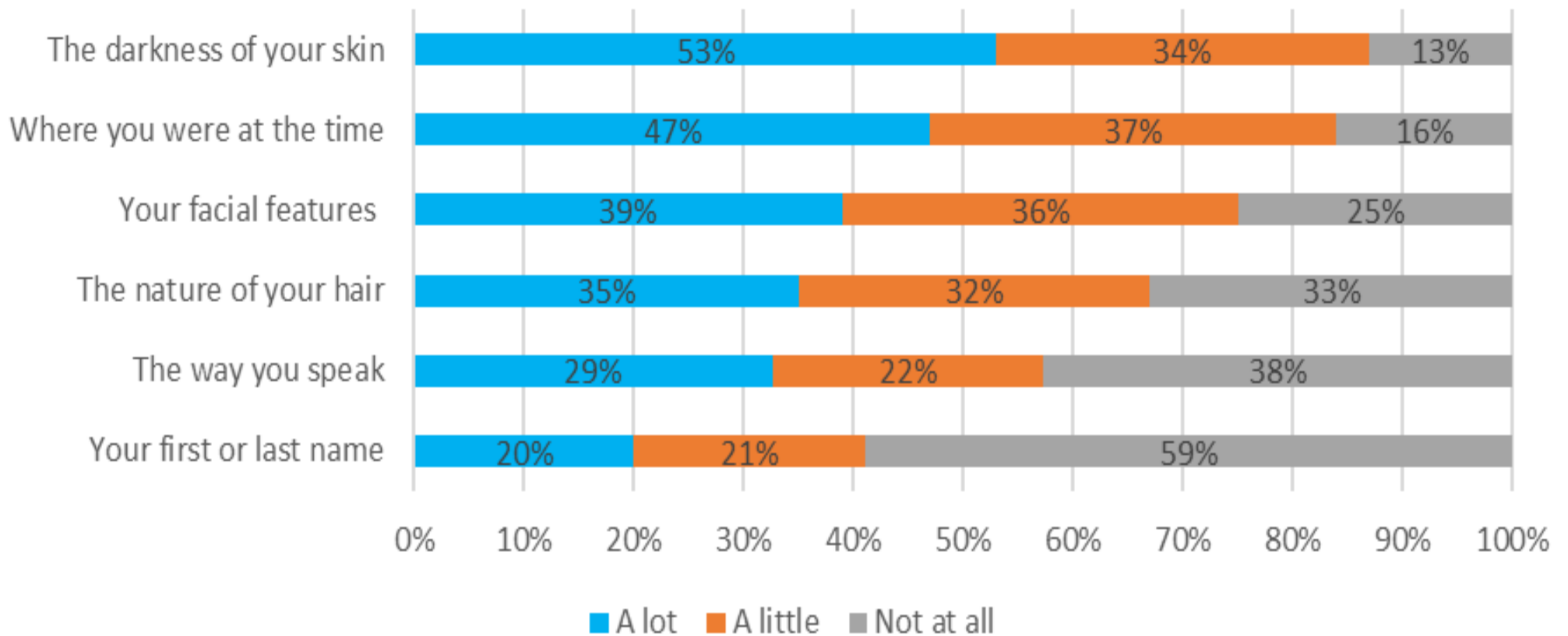
Thinking about jobs in Ohio, which statement comes closest to your view?



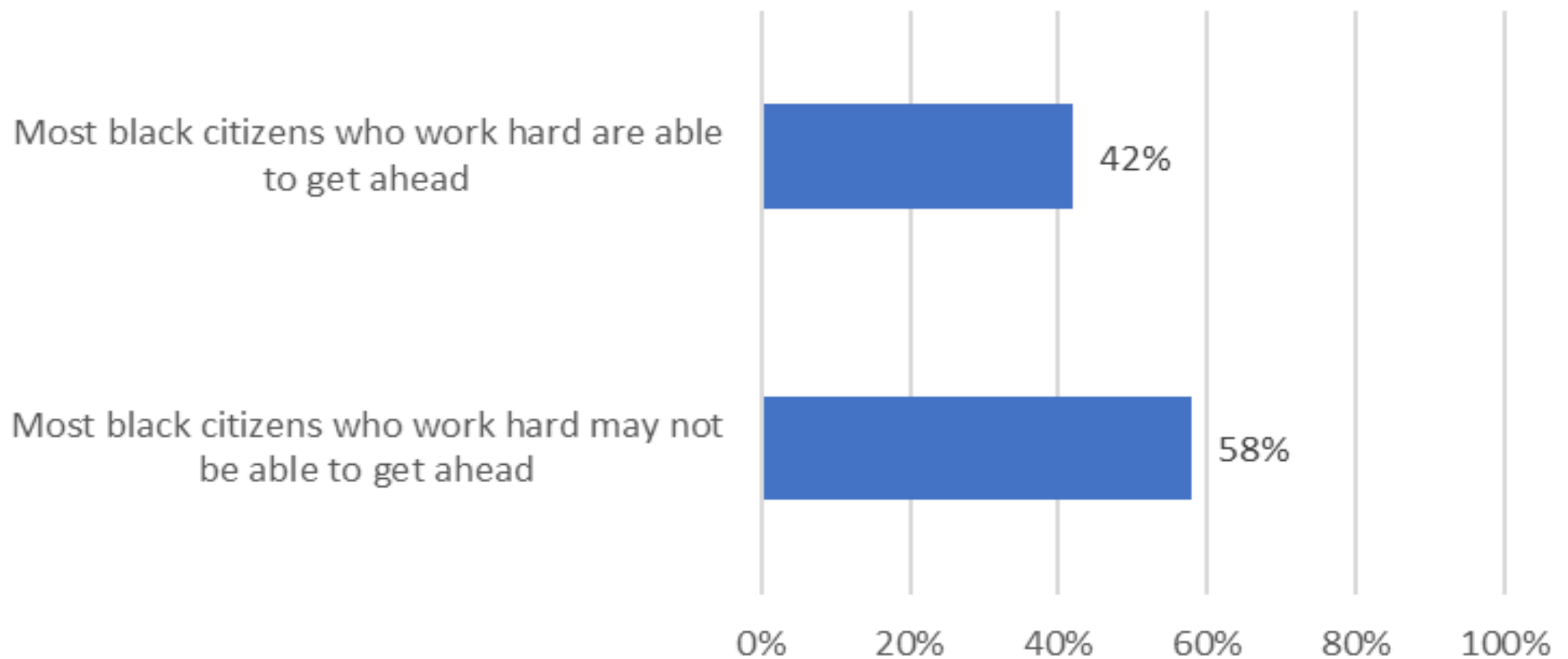
Reported frequency of Racial Discrimination within the Last Year (2019)



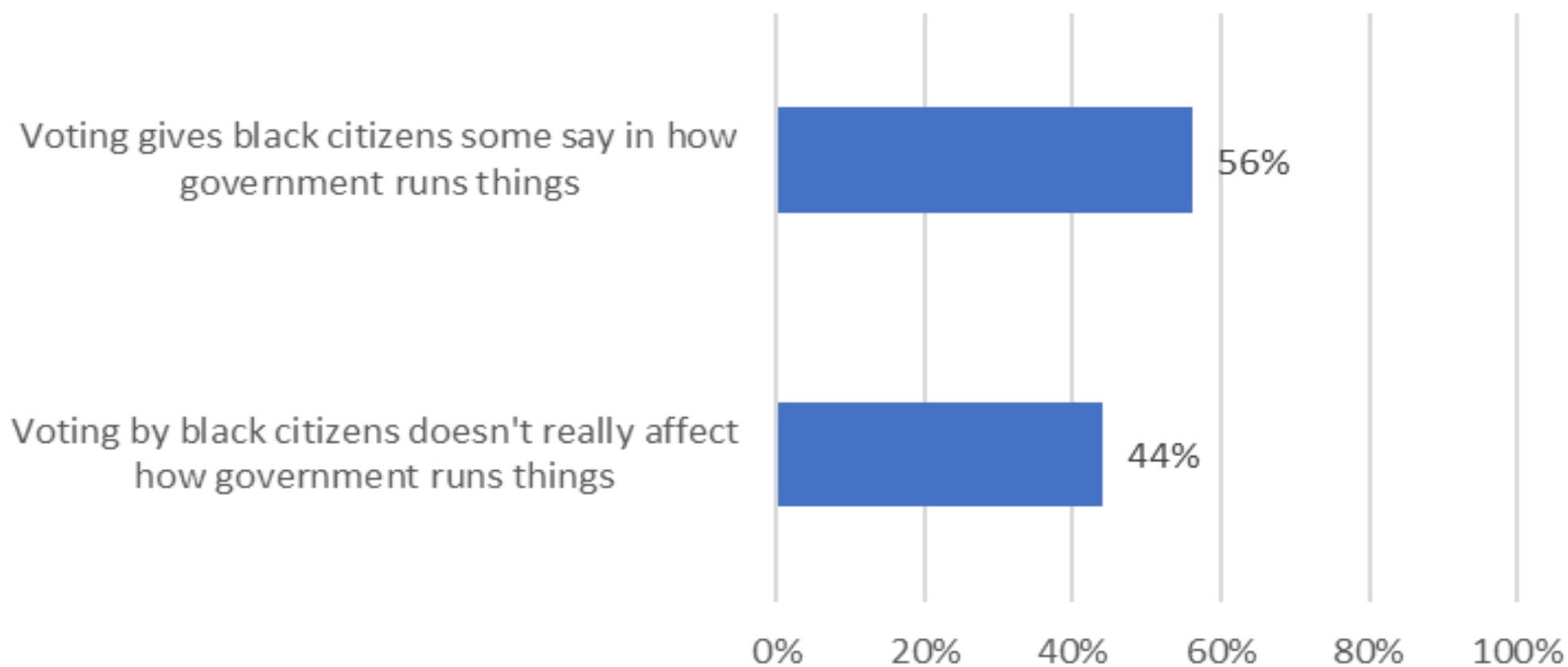
Factors that Contributed to Racial Discrimination (2019)



Thinking about getting ahead in Ohio, which of the statements comes closest to your view?



Thinking about voting in Ohio, which statement comes closest to your view?



Leaders, Organizations, and Holidays

LEADERS		ORGANIZATIONS		HOLIDAYS	
Barack Obama	42%	NAACP	53%	Christmas	51%
Martin Luther King Jr.	32%	Black Lives Matter	9%	Thanksgiving	18%
Malcolm X	9%	Black Churches	7%	Fourth of July	7%
Harriet Tubman	2%	Black Panther Party	4%	My birthday	6%
Michelle Obama	2%	Democratic Party	5%	New Years	5%
Rosa Parks	1%	Urban League	4%	Halloween	4%
Louis Farrakhan	1%	Black Caucus	2%	Easter	3%
Oprah Winfrey	1%	Nation of Islam	1%	Martin Luther King Day	1%
All others	10%	All others	15%	Valentine's Day	1%
				Ramadan	1%
				All others	3%
TOTAL	100%	TOTAL	100%	TOTAL	100%

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