2018-2019 Policy Priorities Survey Results

400 community members filled out our Policy Priorities Survey - a 27% increase over last year
Responses recorded prior to 10/27/18

Overall Policy Area Rankings

1. Jewish Community Issues
2. Civil Liberties and Human Rights
3. Immigrants and Refugees
4. Vulnerable Communities
5. Health and Wellbeing
6. Public Education
7. Environment and Conservation

The top five priority rankings this year are the same as last year.

More than 80% of respondents said we should lead or support coalition work on the following issues:

1. Combat anti-Semitism (and other forms of religious discrimination)*
2. Maintain Jewish community safety and security*
3. Hate crimes*
4. Support Jewish history and Holocaust education*
5. Increase nuanced understanding of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict*
6. Protecting religious congregation’s right to provide sanctuary*
7. Uphold human rights for immigrants and refugees*
8. Racial Equity
9. Defend Israel from delegitimization efforts*
10. Promote peace through people-to-people engagement between Israelis and Palestinians*
11. Separation of church and state*
12. Senior home care services
13. Family and child welfare
14. Improve the safety and security of immigrant and refugee communities*
15. Women’s rights
16. Gun violence prevention*
17. Access to food assistance
18. Domestic and gender-based violence
19. Mental health care
20. Voting Rights
21. Human services and housing for immigrants and refugees

*Indicates issues on which a plurality of respondents said we should “lead legislative efforts.”

Top 5 responses to “the single most important thing the Jewish Federation’s Government Affairs team should be working on for the Jewish community?” as compared to last year’s top responses:

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<td>1. Anti-Semitism - 20%</td>
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<td>2. Combat rise of hate crimes, racism, and white supremacy - 13%</td>
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<td>3. Immigration/Immigrant rights - 11%</td>
<td>3. Civil and human rights - 11%</td>
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<td>4. Support for Israel - 8%</td>
<td>4. Supporting, working in coalition with, and advocating for other minorities - 11%</td>
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<td>5. Civil and human rights - 7%</td>
<td>5. Jewish community safety - 8%</td>
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Percentages reflect the number of respondents to this inquiry.

Age Comparison: survey respondents and demographics as reported in the 2014 Jewish community study.

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<td>75 and older - 9%</td>
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Percentages reflect the number of respondents to this inquiry. Many respondents listed multiple affiliations. 18% of respondents did not affiliate with any organization.

Respondents included in the analysis completed at least 50% of the survey. 93% of people who began the survey completed it. The survey was disseminated across the state via a wide variety of mechanisms. 400 Jewish community members responded out of an estimated 70,000 residents. We do not know what motivated individuals to respond. We are unable to determine if survey respondents are representative of our Jewish population as a whole or of specific communities, i.e., Reform, Orthodox, Unaffiliated, etc.