



MERIDIAN CDBG PROGRAM

Plan Development Update

Purpose: Gather Public Feedback on Public
Service Partnerships



Public Outreach

Overview

Email

Social Media

Media Release

City eNewsletter

Website

Partner Sharing

In-Person Interactions

Legal Notice



Public Comment Period

March 15, 2024 to April 7, 2024

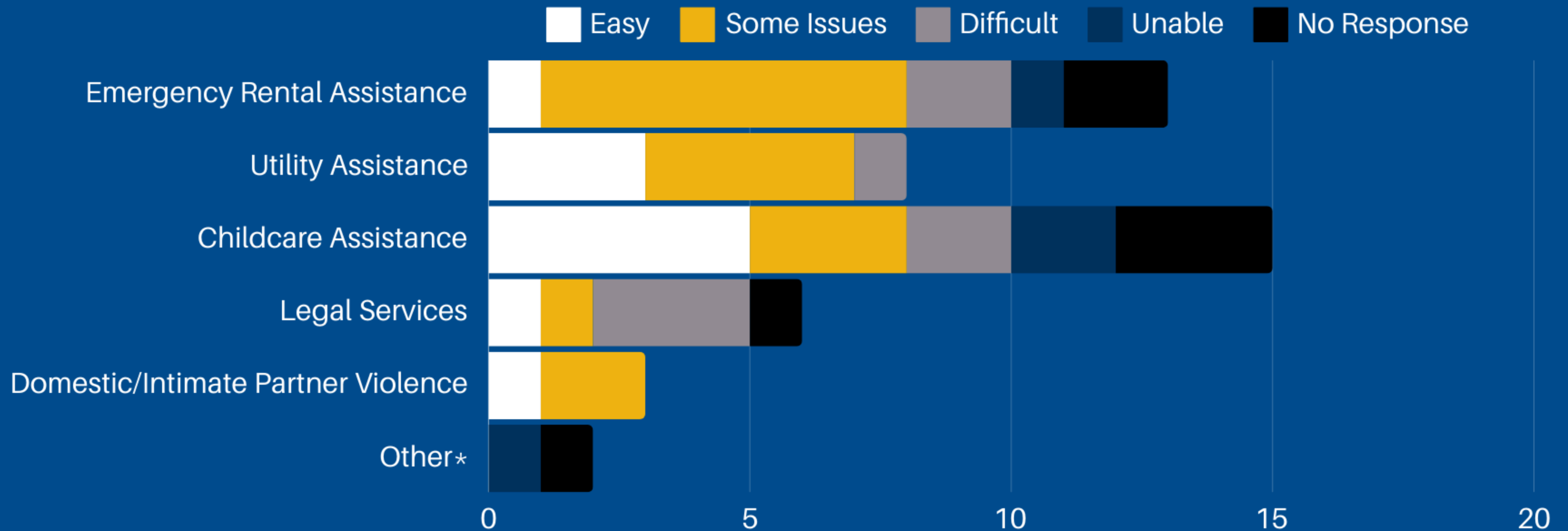
- Multiple methods to provide feedback:
 - Email
 - Phone call
 - In-person
 - Survey
- Received responses from 50 residents via survey.



Your
feedback
matters!

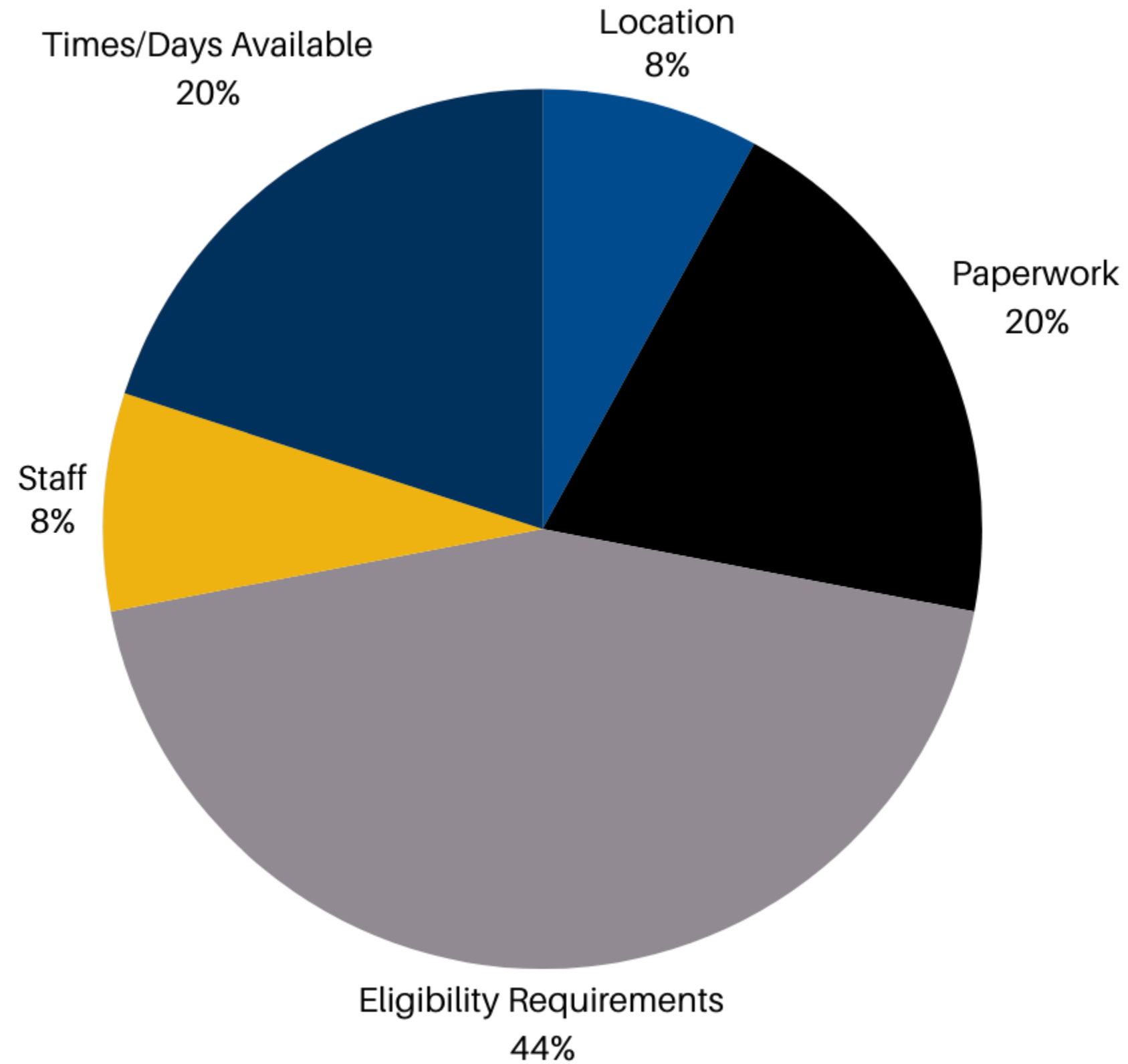
SURVEY RESULTS

50% of respondents reported they or someone they know needed access to services in the past year. The chart below shows the reported ease of access.



*"Other" responses - downpayment assistance and Medicaid

BARRIERS TO ACCESSING RESOURCES





Suggested Partnerships

Current Contacts

Mental Health, Childcare, Jesse Tree

Additional Outreach

Public Transportation, Credit Repair

Ineligible Projects

- Clothing for teens

In-Person Interactions

March 26, 2024

Public Hearing

April 2, 2024

Open House at City Hall
coin voting activity

April 4, 2024

Booth at Do the Right Event
coin voting activity

April 9, 2024

Public Hearing



Coin Voting Activity

People were invited to vote for the services they believed were most important using coins.



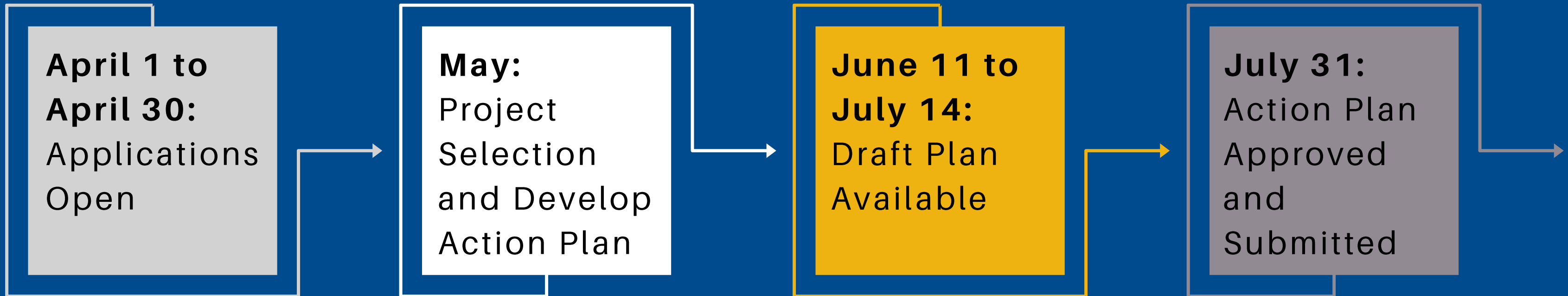
**83 individuals participated
for a total of 332 votes**

- Intimate Partner Violence 25%
- Childcare 24%
- Emergency Rent 24%
- Utilities 16%
- Legal 9%
- Other 3%
 - Homeowner Repairs
 - Food for Families
 - Community Schools WASD Fund
 - General



Timeline

Staff has begun developing the Action Plan that is due no later than August 16, 2024. Below is the timeline for upcoming events.





Thank you!

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