

Research and Survey Update

April 10, 2023



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- The HRC partnered with an undergraduate class at USF (taught by Dr. Stephanie Sears) as well as a graduate class taught by Dr. Rachel Brahinsky
- Similar to other Reparations initiatives around the country, we felt it was important to partner with a university to help support research efforts to anchor the work in best practices
- Students also get the opportunity to authentically engage with the broader community



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Outcomes

- Focus groups with community members who selfidentified in the survey in support of the final Reparations Plan
- Analysis of survey data
- Support with additional research needs as necessary to support the development of the final Reparations Plan





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Share your vision and voice with the San Francisco African American Reparations Advisory Committee. Together, we can repair harms by public and private actors and build a more just and equitable city.

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Objectives

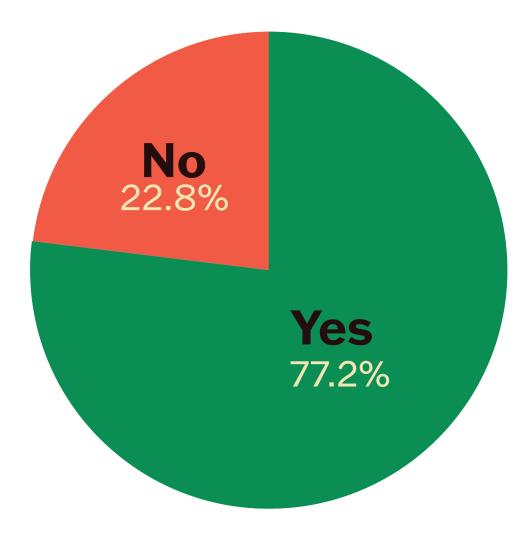
- To respond to the community's desire to have a method to provide feedback
- To have a standardized method of soliciting feedback
- Collecting ideas and feedback from a wide range of community members
- Creating a methodologically sound dataset to contribute to the ongoing efforts of reparative policymaking across the City and County of San Francisco, specifically as it relates to Black communities

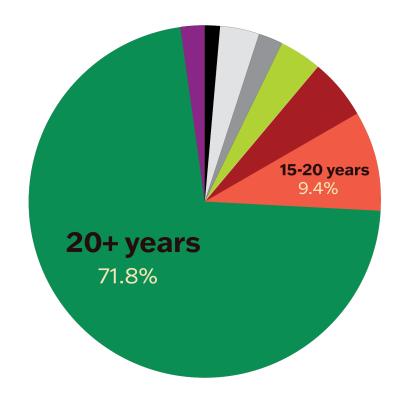


Respondents (so far)



Are you originally from San Francisco?



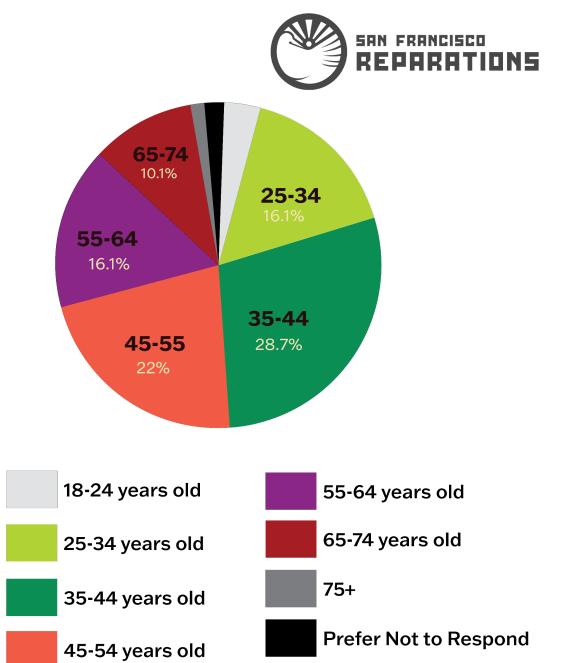






How long have you lived in San Francisco?

How old are you?





What issues are most important to address through reparations?

- 1. Education (71.8%)
- 2. Home Ownership Opportunities (68.5%)
- 3. Housing (65%)
- 4. Employment (62.2%)
- 5. Wealth Building (58.8%)



Selected Additional Feedback

"Many black residents are transplants to SF - many with family history linked to The South; don't minimize the generational harm transplants from this region have experienced."

"If ability to trace ancestry to prove status as African descendants of enslaved people is prioritized, the committee should provide free resources to people to be able to find that proof; the erasure of our history and lineage should not then be used against us"

"Current geographic addresses and living locations of those who were victims of gentrification and rental displacements outside of redevelopment in Fillmore, loss of family home due to tax liens, estate legalities, health care abuses compensation, real estate, education, and banking discrimination per individual case should be considered with some kind of ongoing advocacy and recovery counseling"



Take the Survey!

