

BC Pre-Election Survey

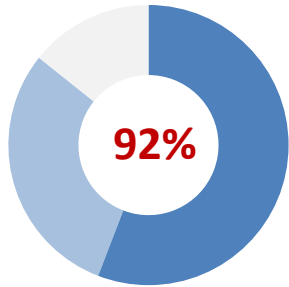
Survey

- **Broad representation from small thru large businesses, wide range of sectors, NV Business owners & managers**
- **Non-Scientific; n=81**
- **Conducted in late Sept / early Oct 2024**

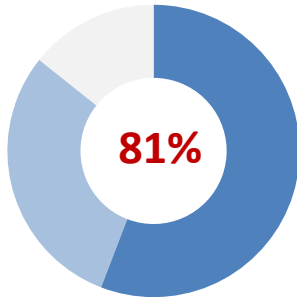
Subject: Top Provincial Election issues for business

Top 5 Election Issues for ALL Business (Sept/Oct 2024)

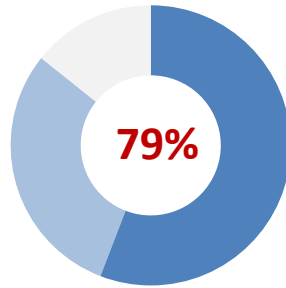
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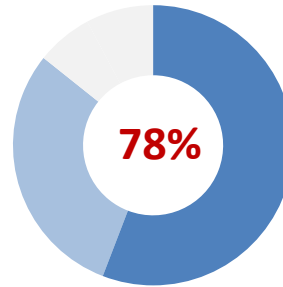
1. Provincial
Taxes – business
& personal



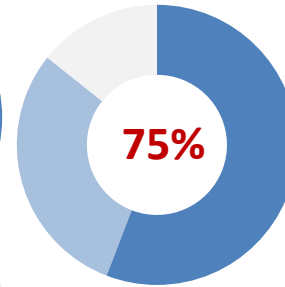
2. Government Red
tape & Regulation



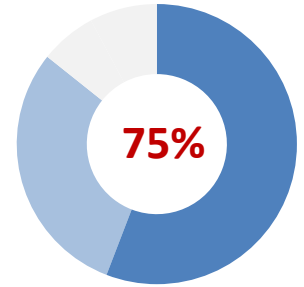
3. Affordable
Housing for my
staff



4. Finding skilled
staff



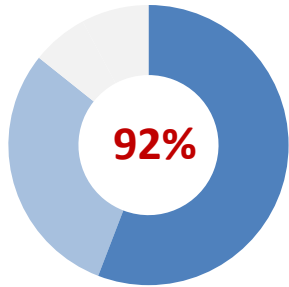
4. Investment in
Public Transit



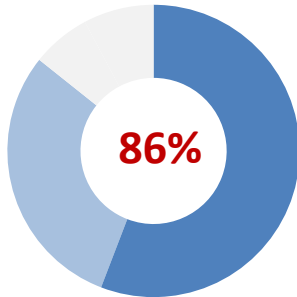
4. Property Taxes

Top 5 Election Issues for SMALL Business (Sept/Oct 2024)

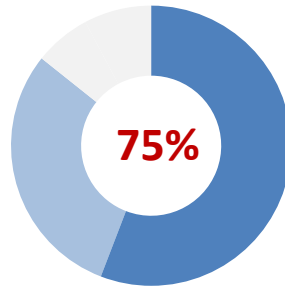
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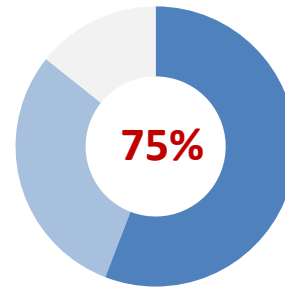
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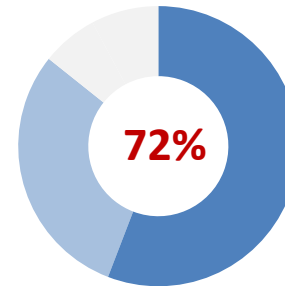
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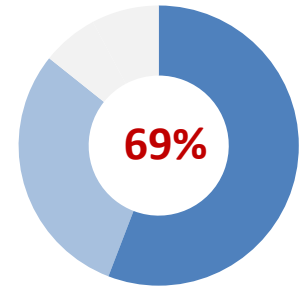
3. Primary Health Care



4. Property Taxes



5. Government Debt & Deficit

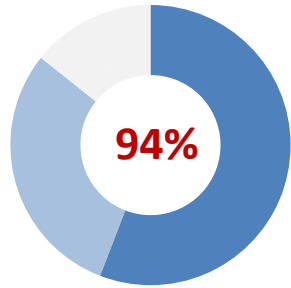


6. Investment in Public Transit

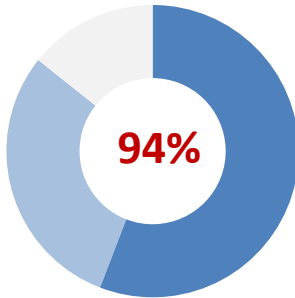
Small business: 1-10 employees

Top 5 Election Issues for MEDIUM Business (Sept/Oct 2024)

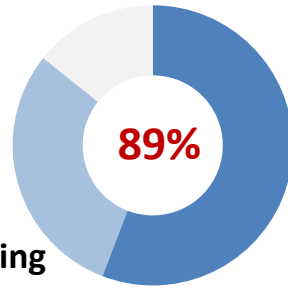
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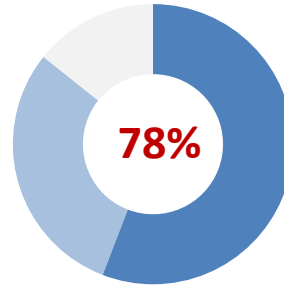
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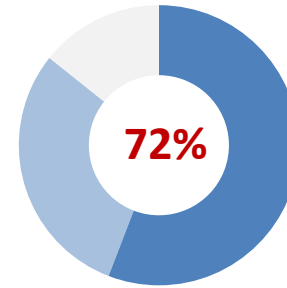
2. Affordable Housing for my Staff



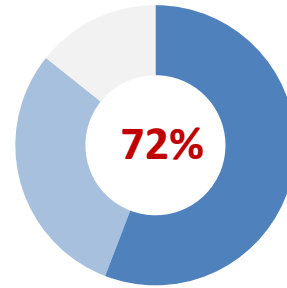
3. Finding Skilled Staff



4. Government Debt & Deficits



5. Primary Health Care

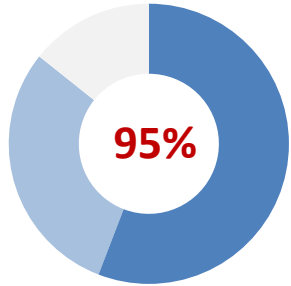


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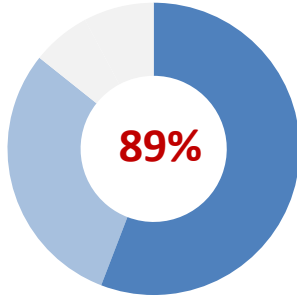
Medium business: 11-50 employees

Top 5 Election Issues for **LARGE** Business (Sept/Oct 2024)

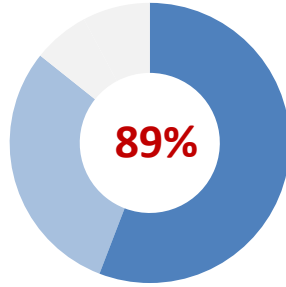
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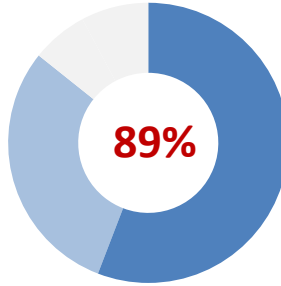
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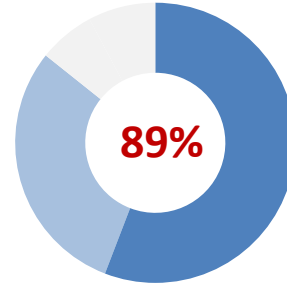
2. Investment in
accessible education
& skills training



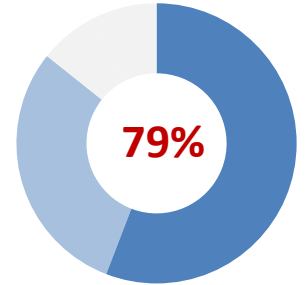
3. Provincial Taxes



4. Investment in
Public Transit



5. Finding Skilled
Staff



6. Property Taxes
/ Child Care

Large business: 51+ employees