Survey Results: San Gabriel Valley Regional Recovery Hub

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About the Survey

- Total N=3,000 (+/-1.8%) Los Angeles Residents
  - Antelope Valley, Long Beach, San Fernando Valley, San Gabriel Valley, SELA, South LA
- San Gabriel Valley
  - Random Sample N=500 (+/-4.4%)
    - Residents of SGV randomly selected so that each member has an equal chance of being chosen
  - Community Sourced N= 114
    - Participants selected by accessibility and represent the network of community-connected residents of SGV

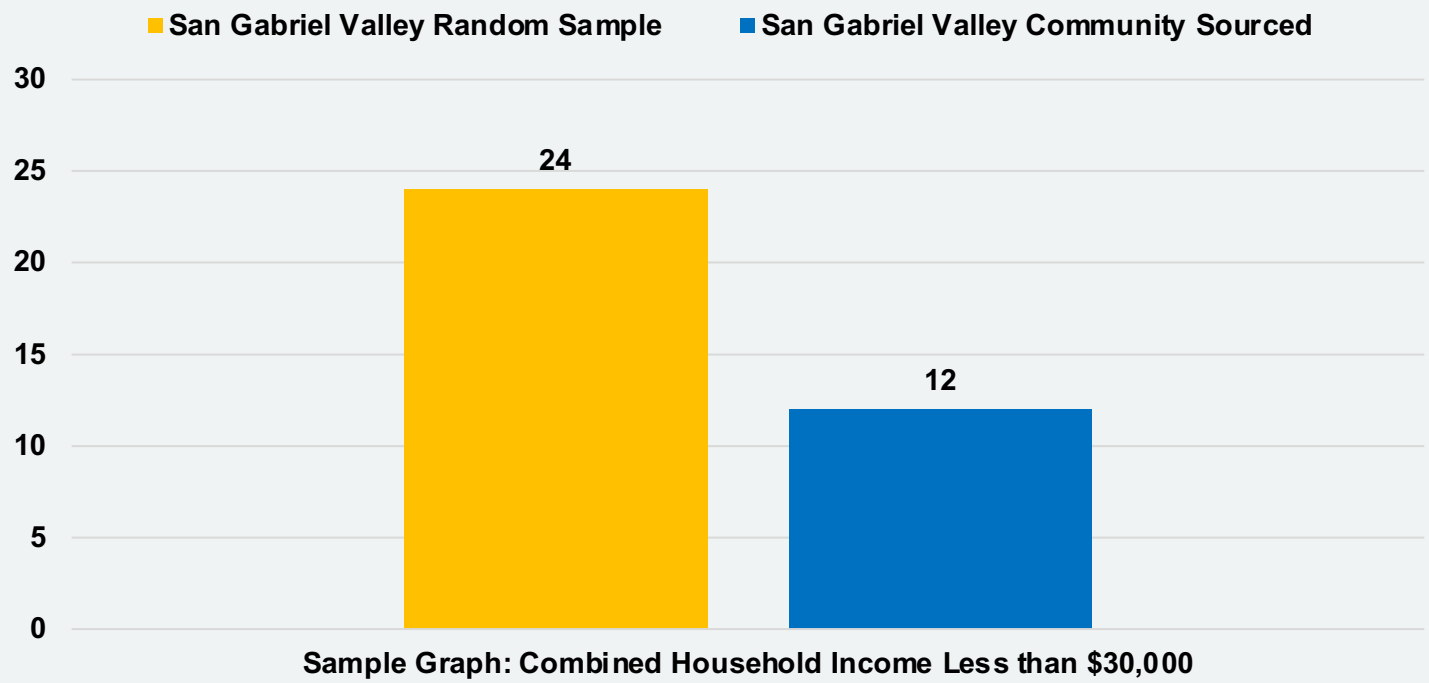
- Focus is on pandemic recovery

About the Survey

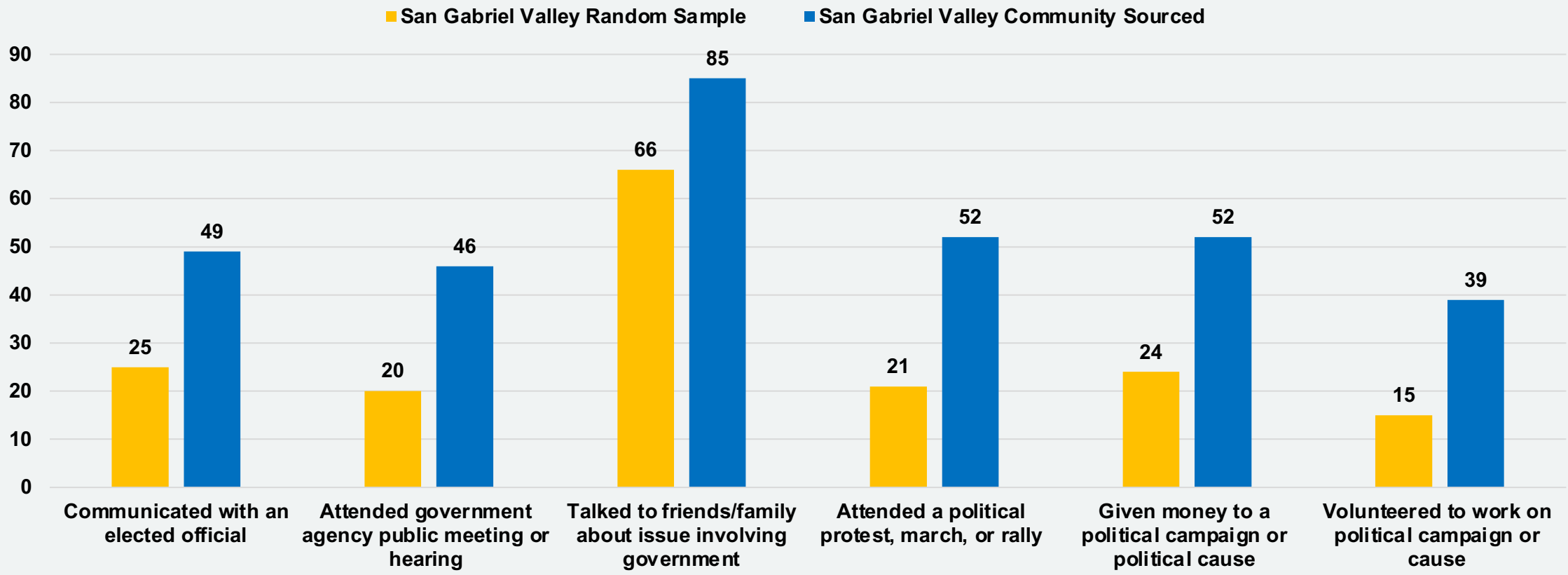
- Conducted by BSP under the direction of Matt Barreto, PhD
- Field Dates: November 16, 2022 – January 14, 2023
- English & Spanish
- Mixed Mode: 75% online, 25% telephone

Roadmap to Understanding the Results & Comparisons

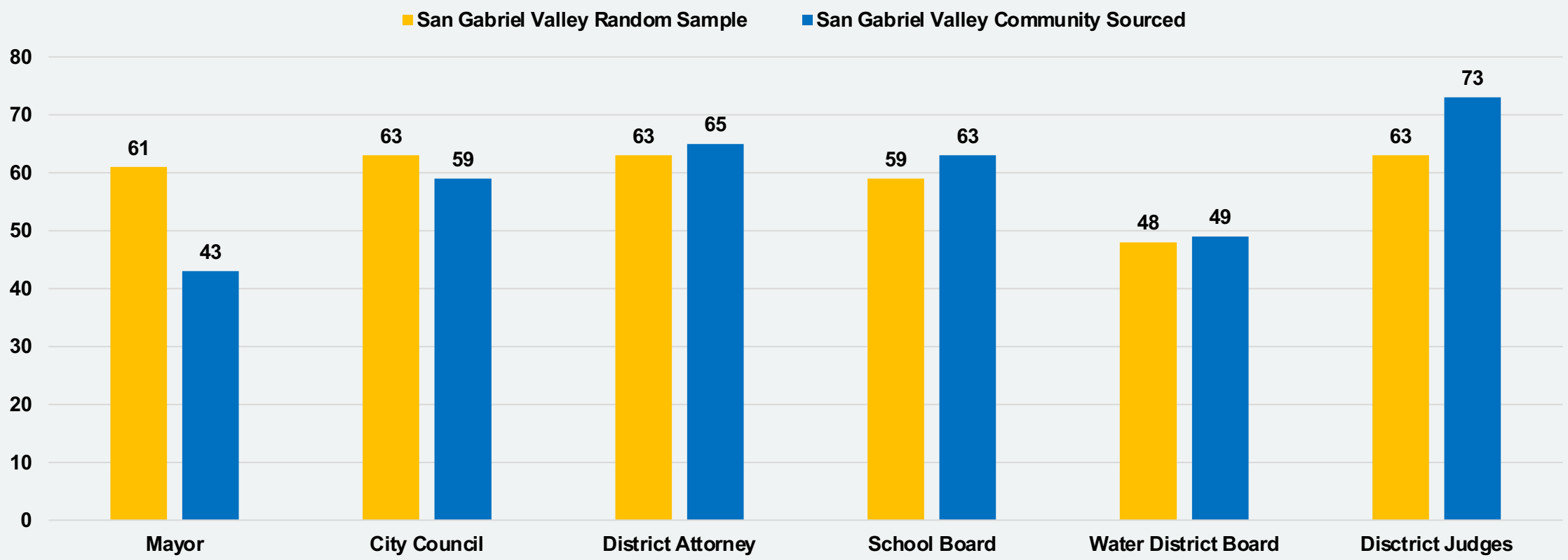
- San Gabriel Valley random sample
- San Gabriel Valley community sourced sample



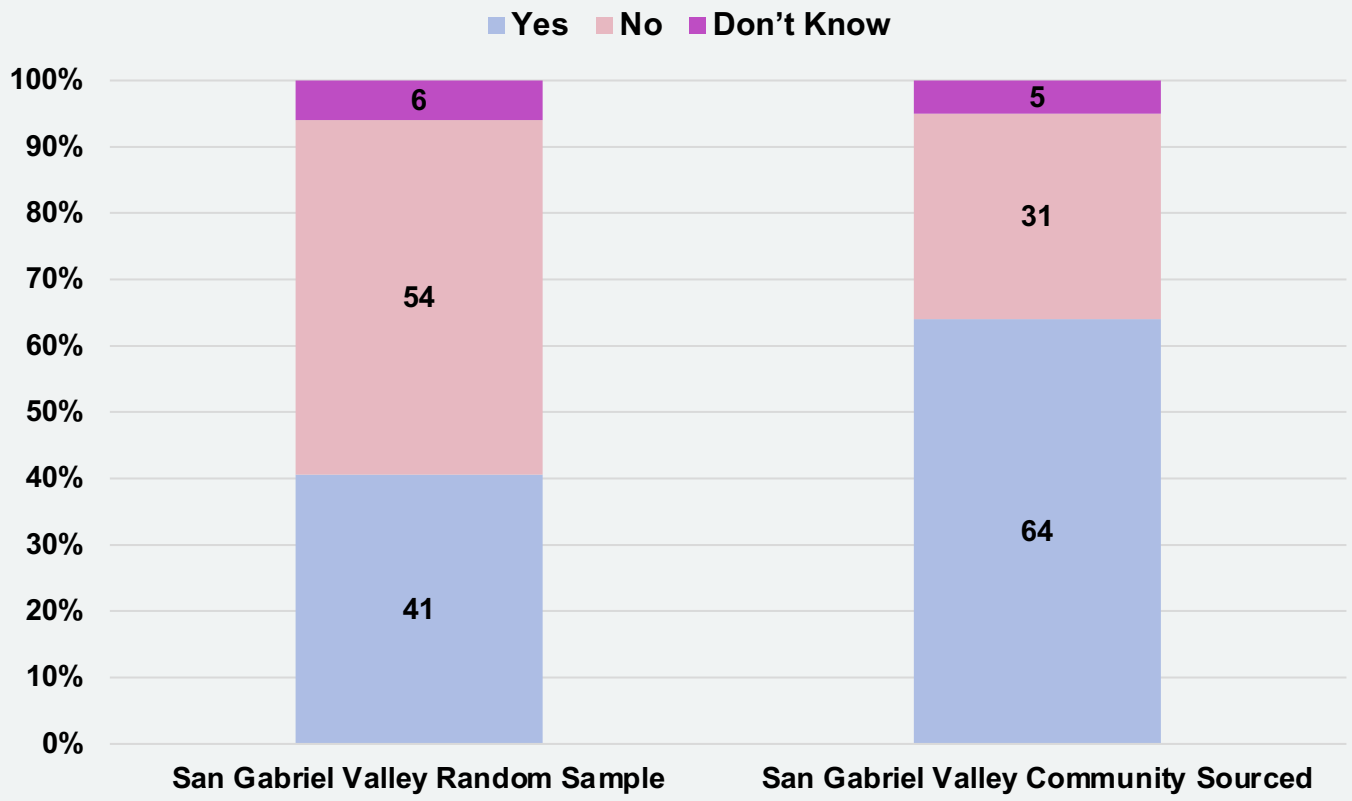
SGV respondents were very likely to talk with friends/family about an issue involving government during the pandemic



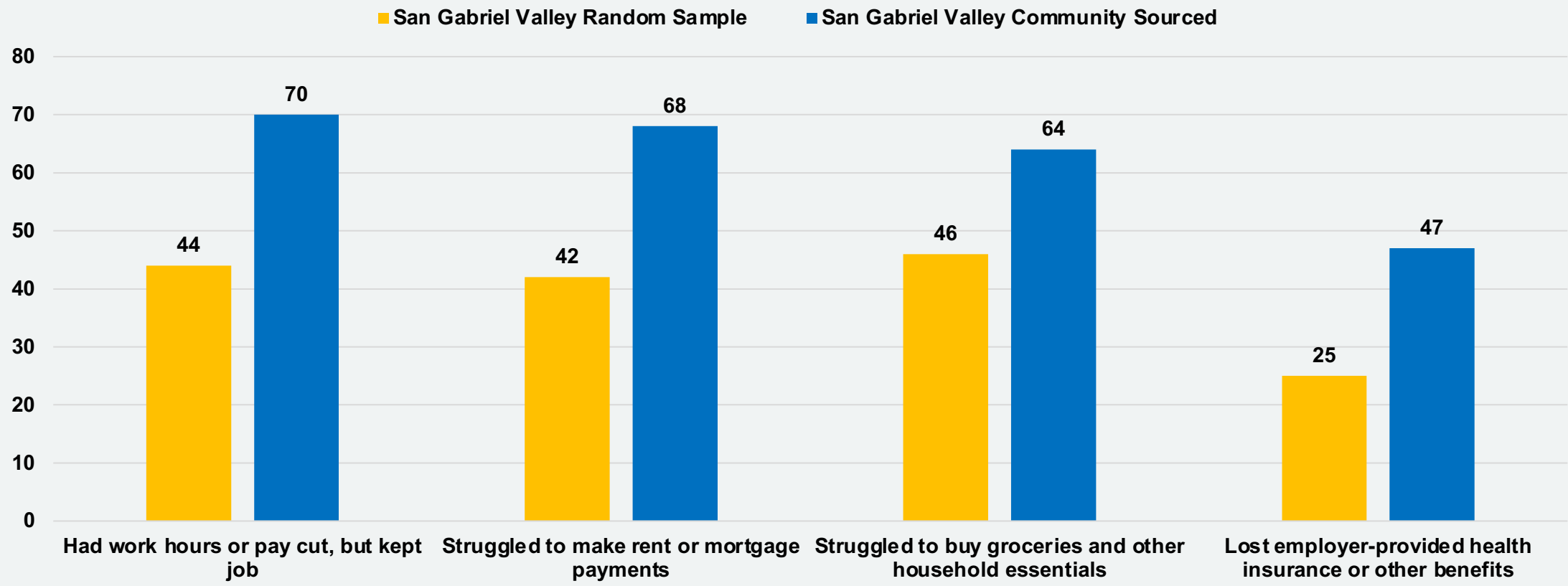
Majorities of SGV respondents reported voting for several local public offices



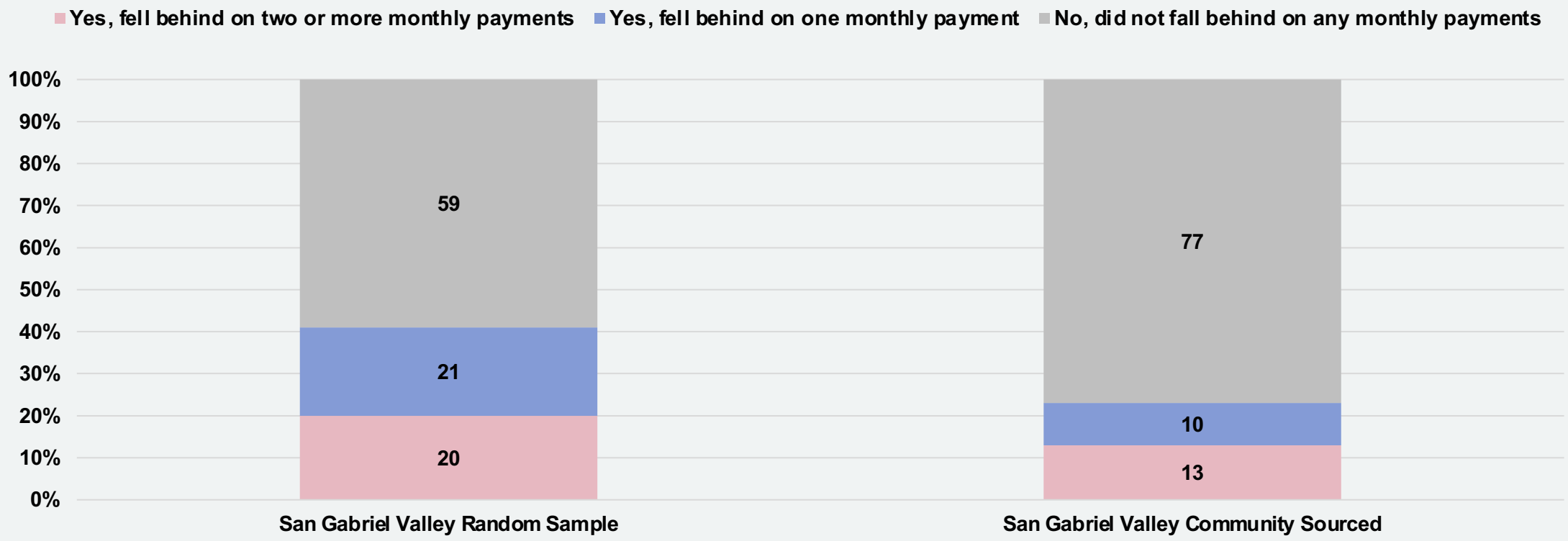
Voter engagement efforts reached 4 out of 10 SGV respondents in the 2022 election cycle



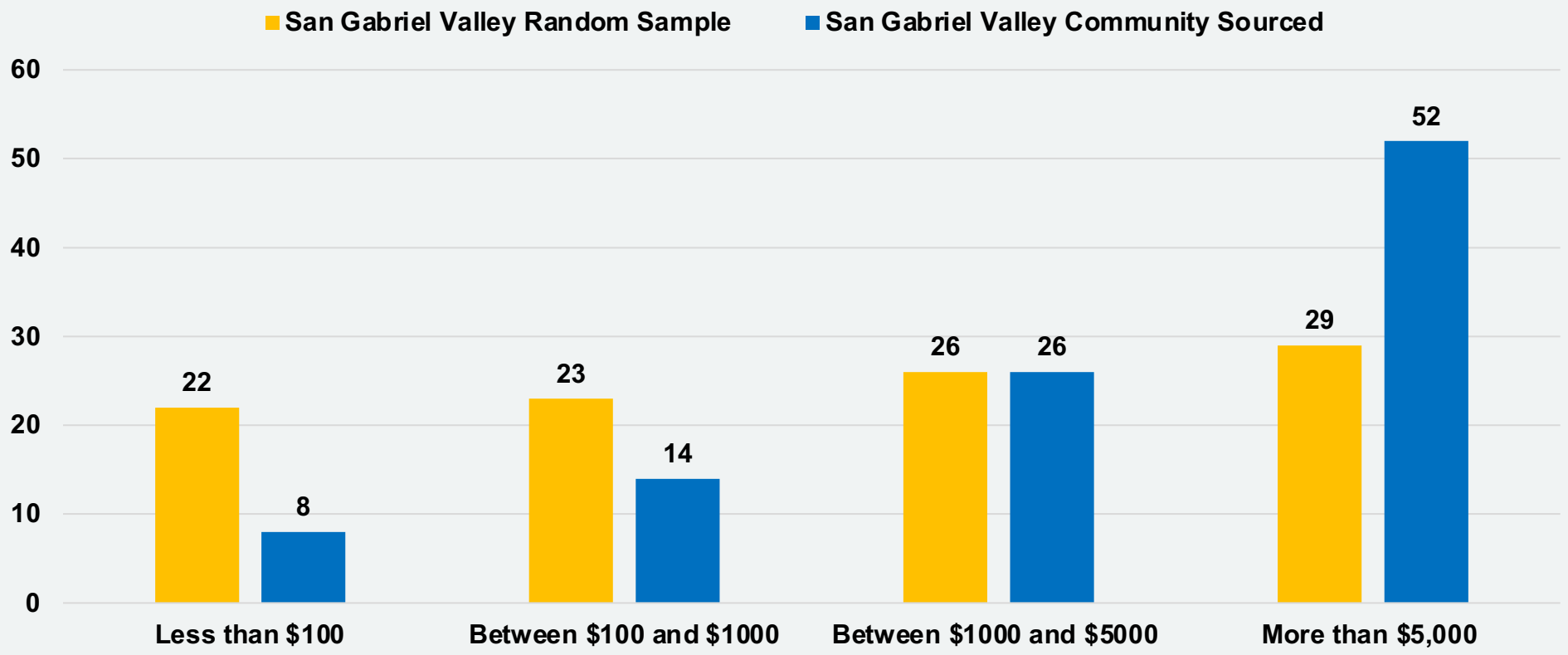
More than 4 in 10 experienced cuts in work hours and struggled to make grocery and rent/mortgage payments during the pandemic



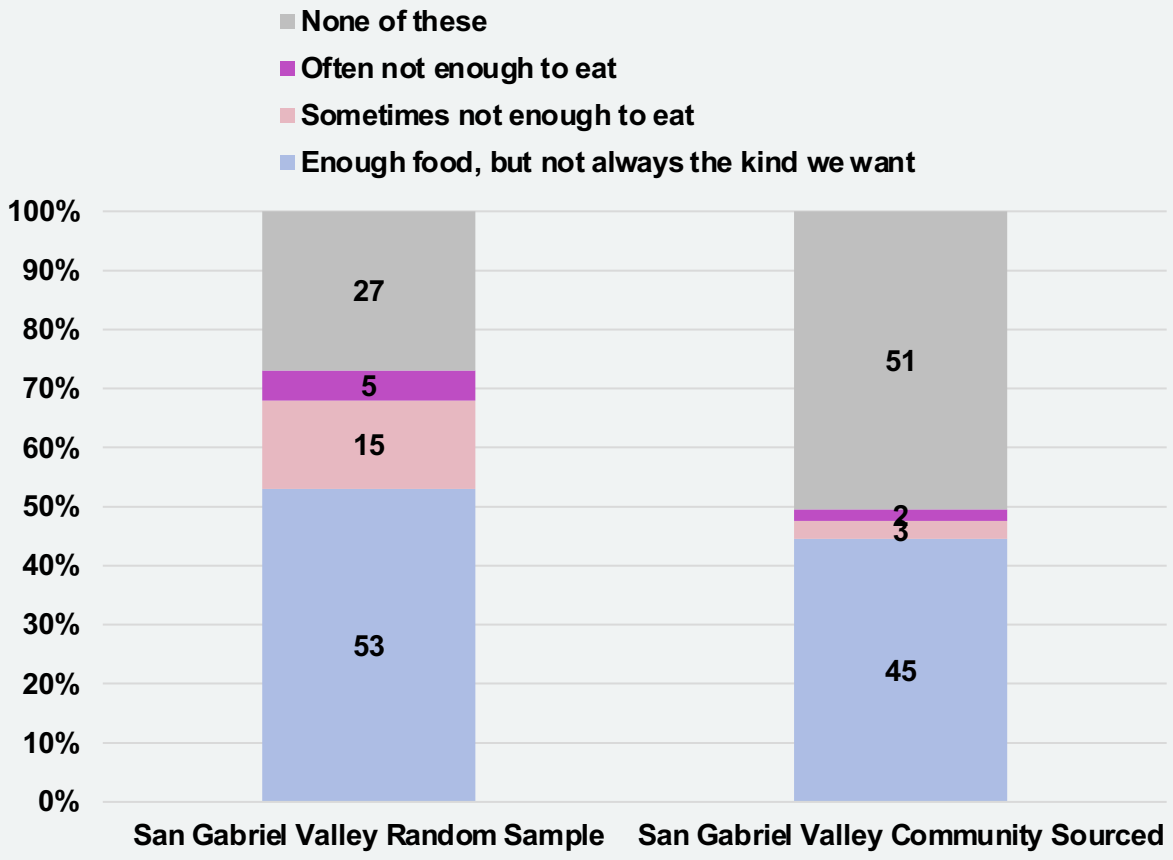
4 out of 10 SGV respondents fell behind at least 1 monthly payment (rent, mortgage, car, utility, etc.) since the pandemic began

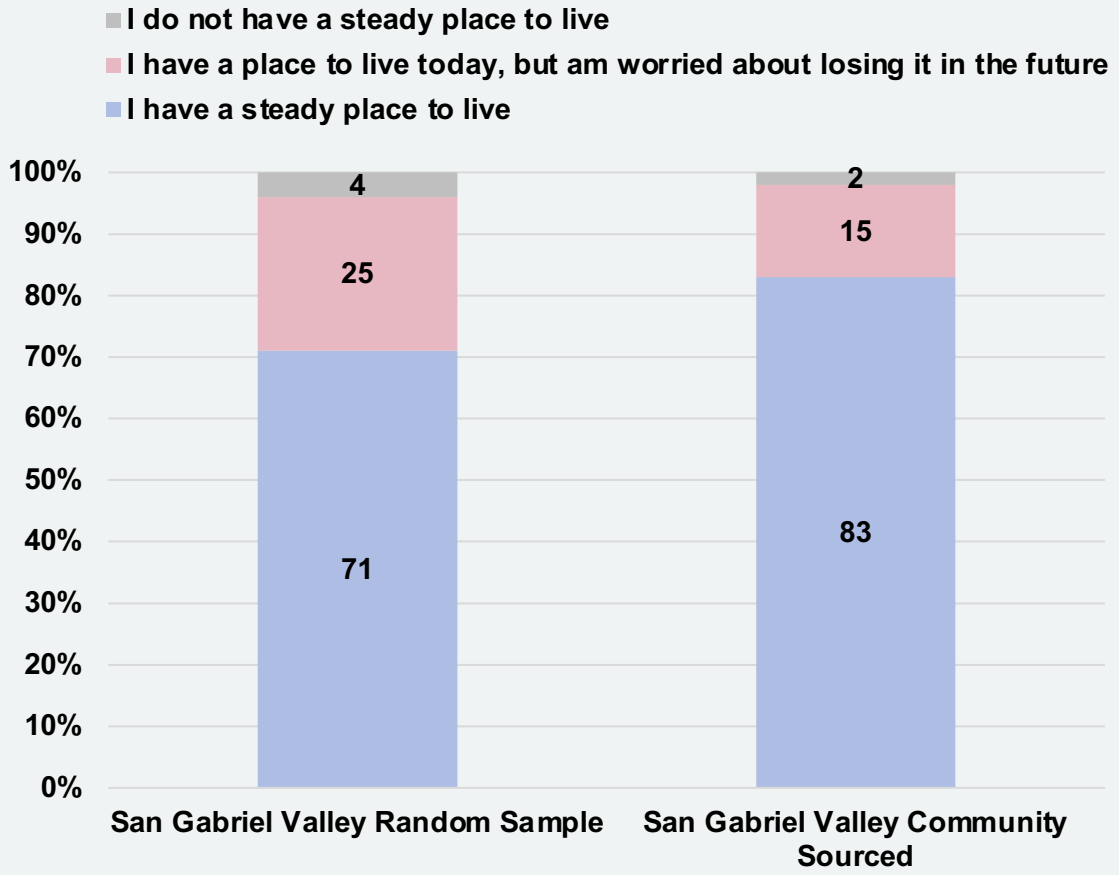


An alarming amount reported having less than $100 saved for emergencies

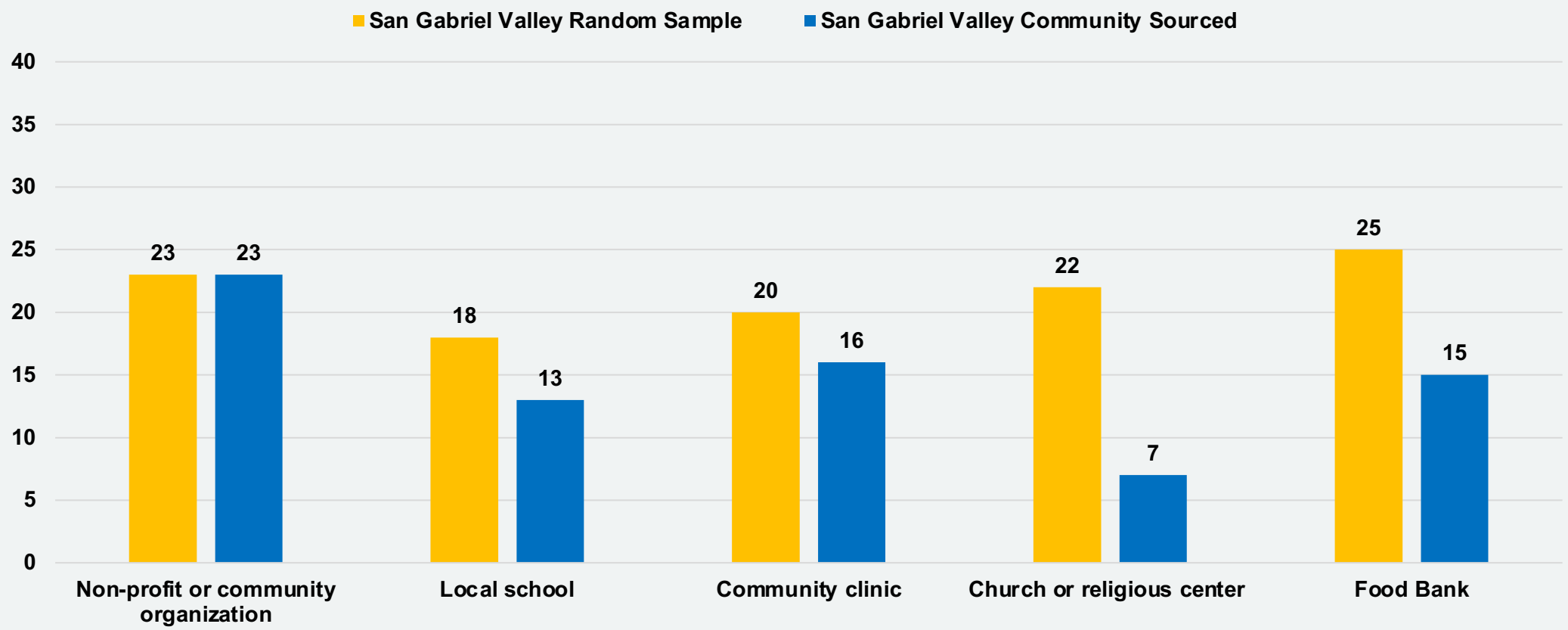


2 in 10 face food insecurity and 3 in 10 face housing insecurity

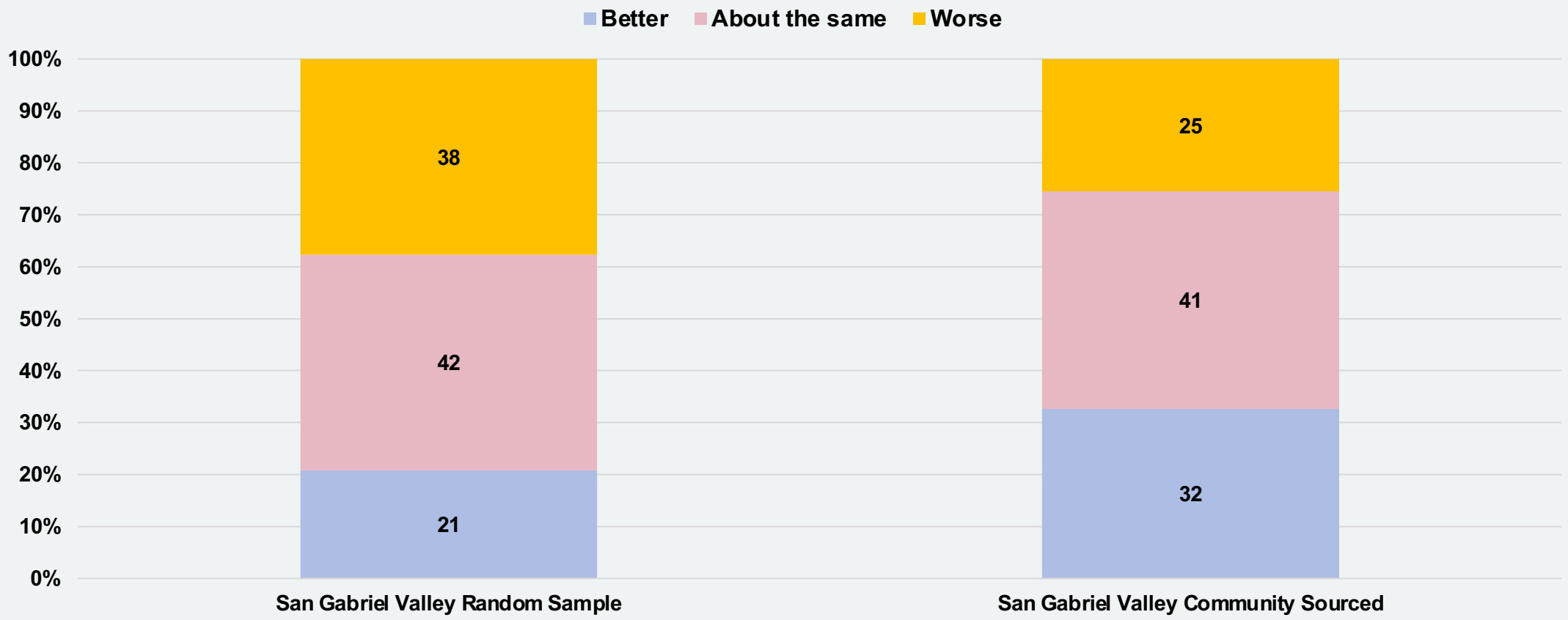




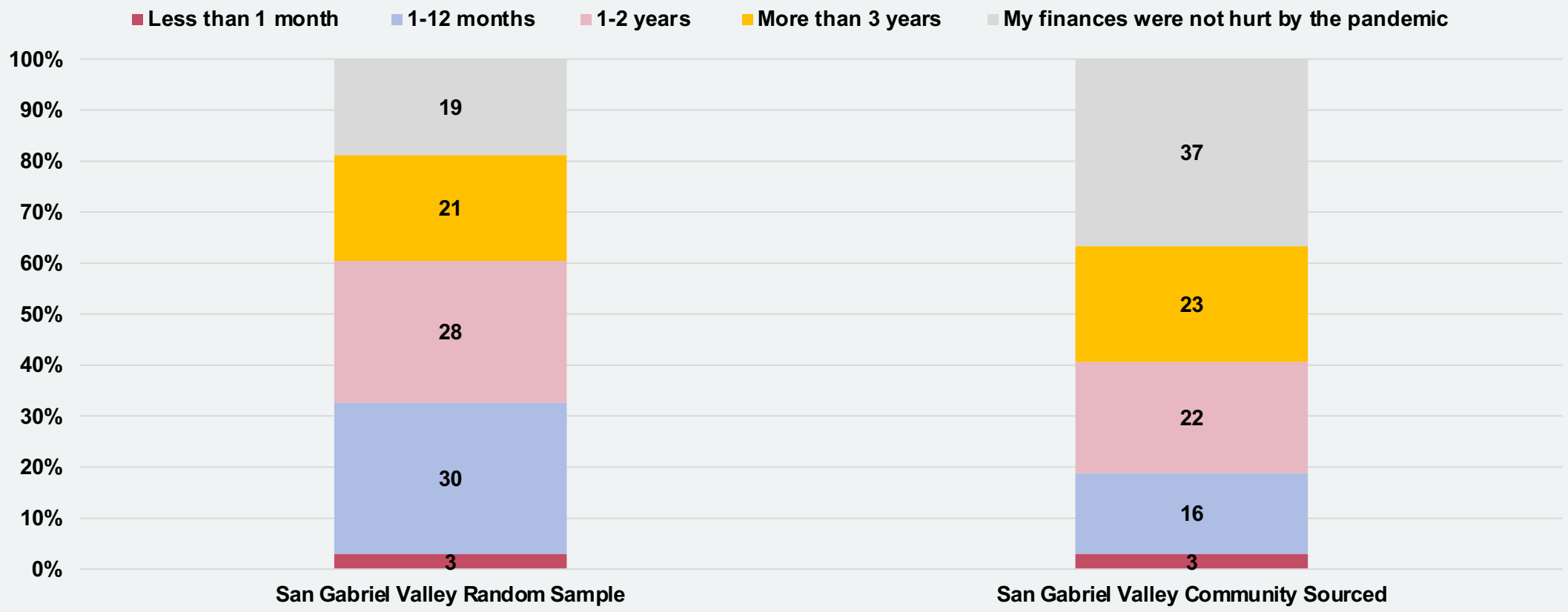
About a quarter of respondents have relied on several organizations for access to essential needs



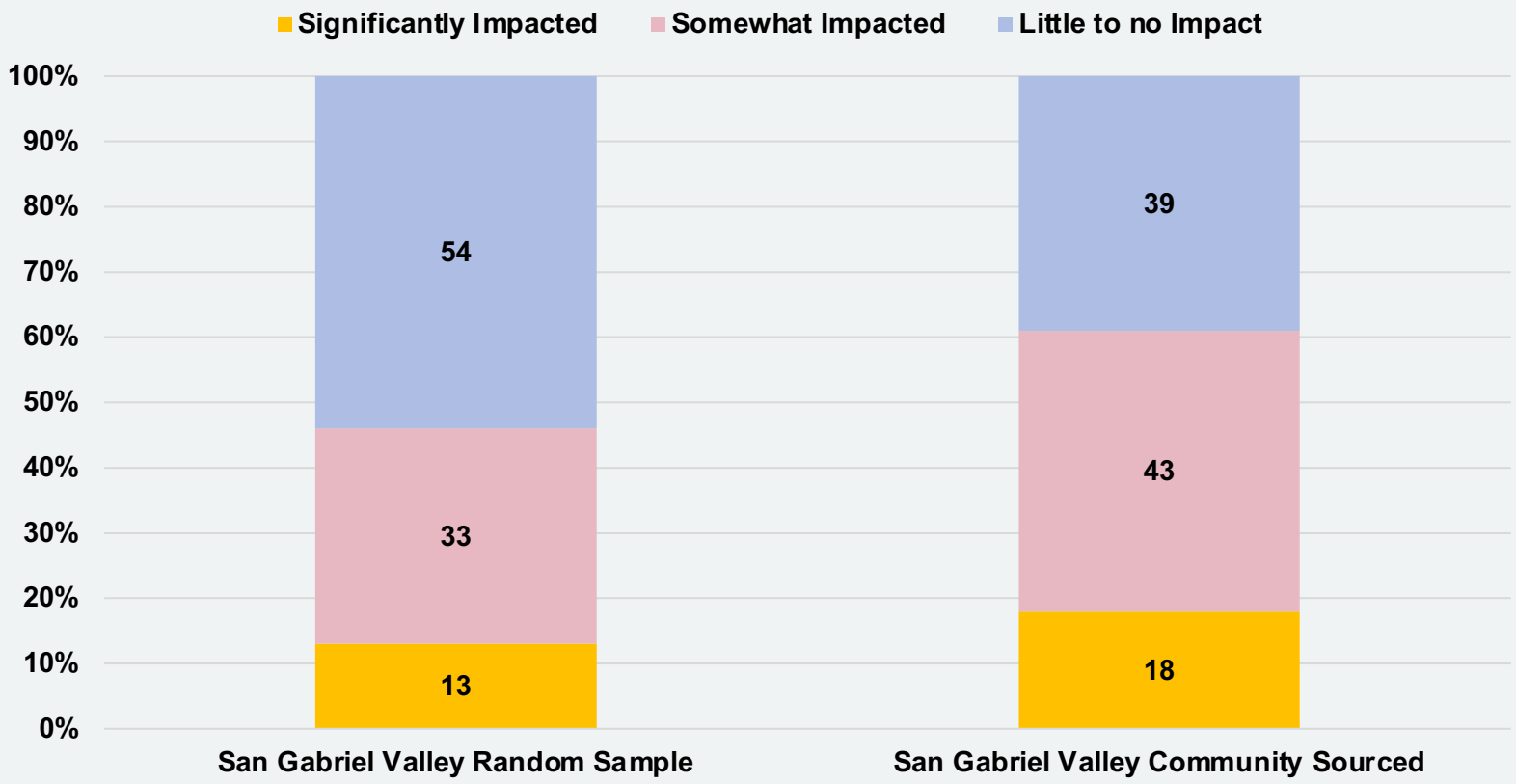
The financial situation of over 1/3 of SGV respondents worsened since the pandemic began



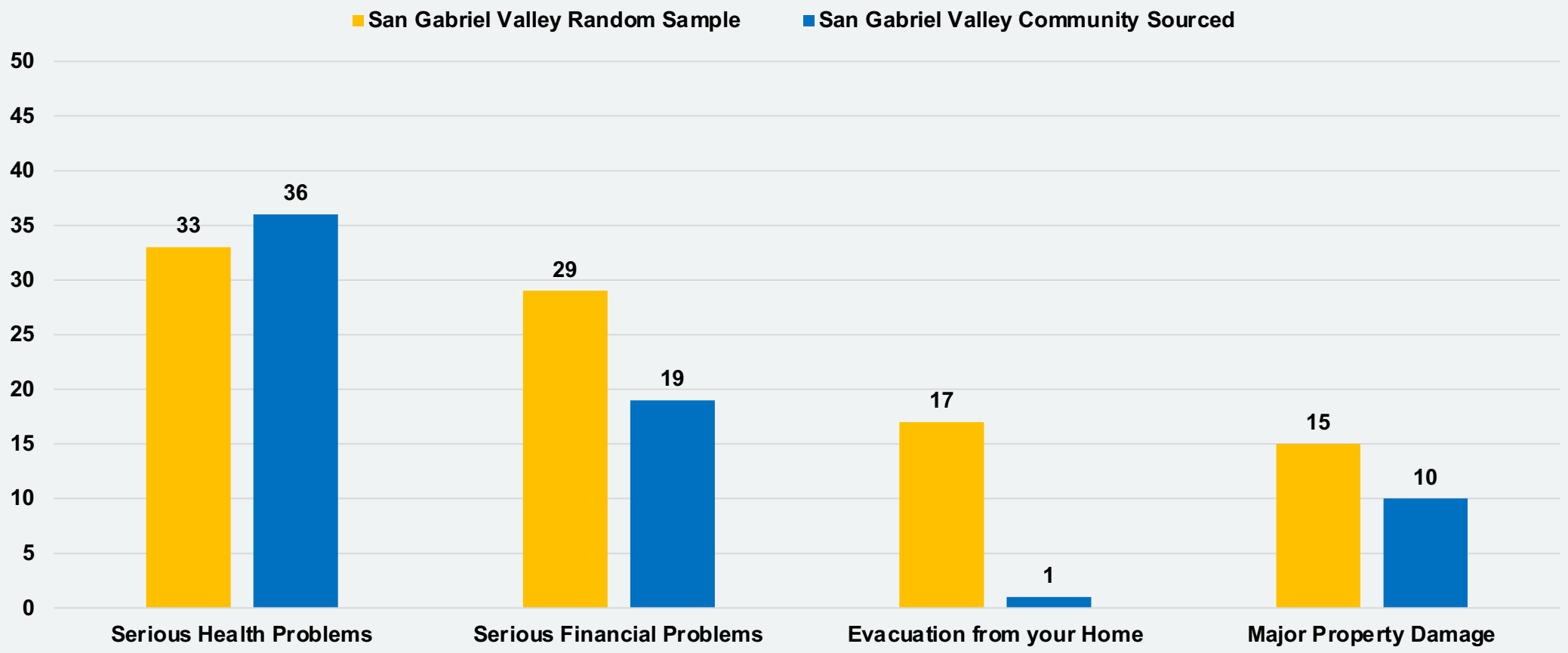
1 in 5 respondents believe it will take them more than 3 years to recover economically



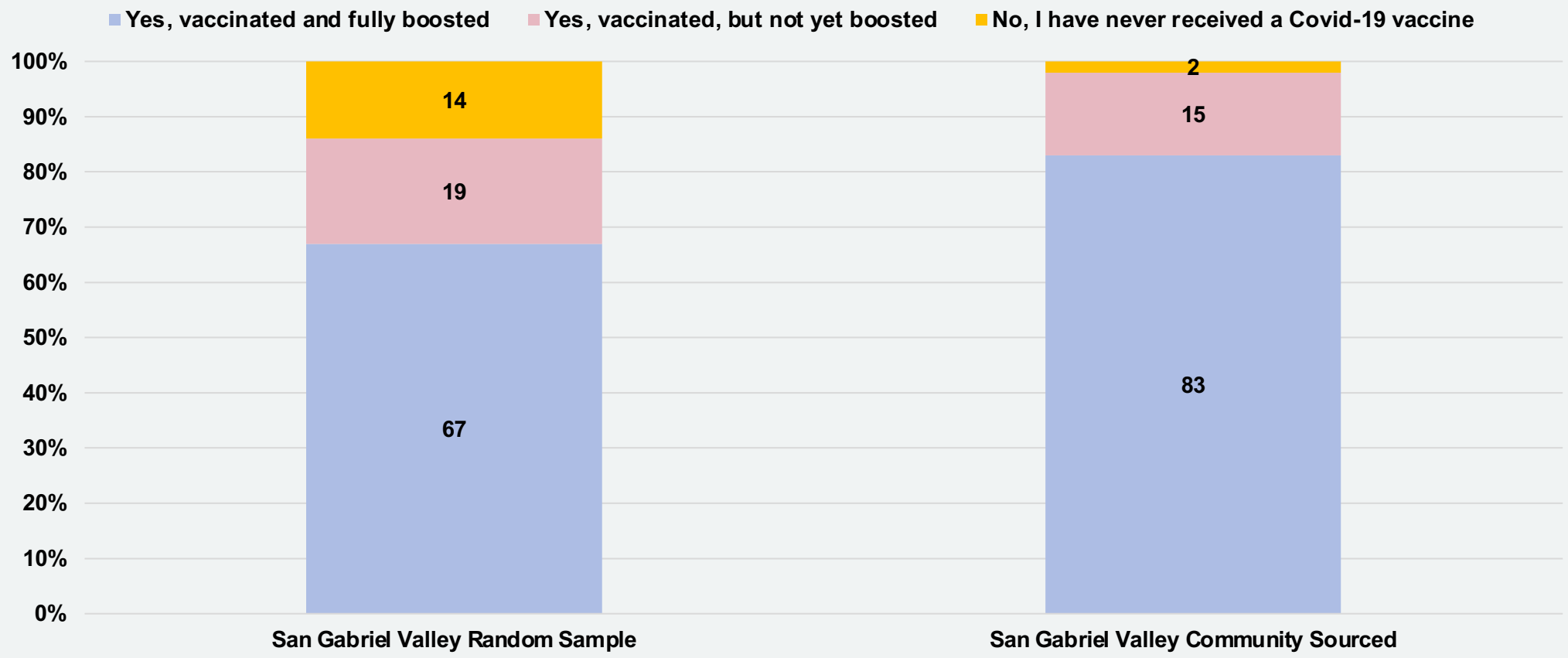
Almost half report having been affected by extreme weather (heat, wildfires, drought, etc.)



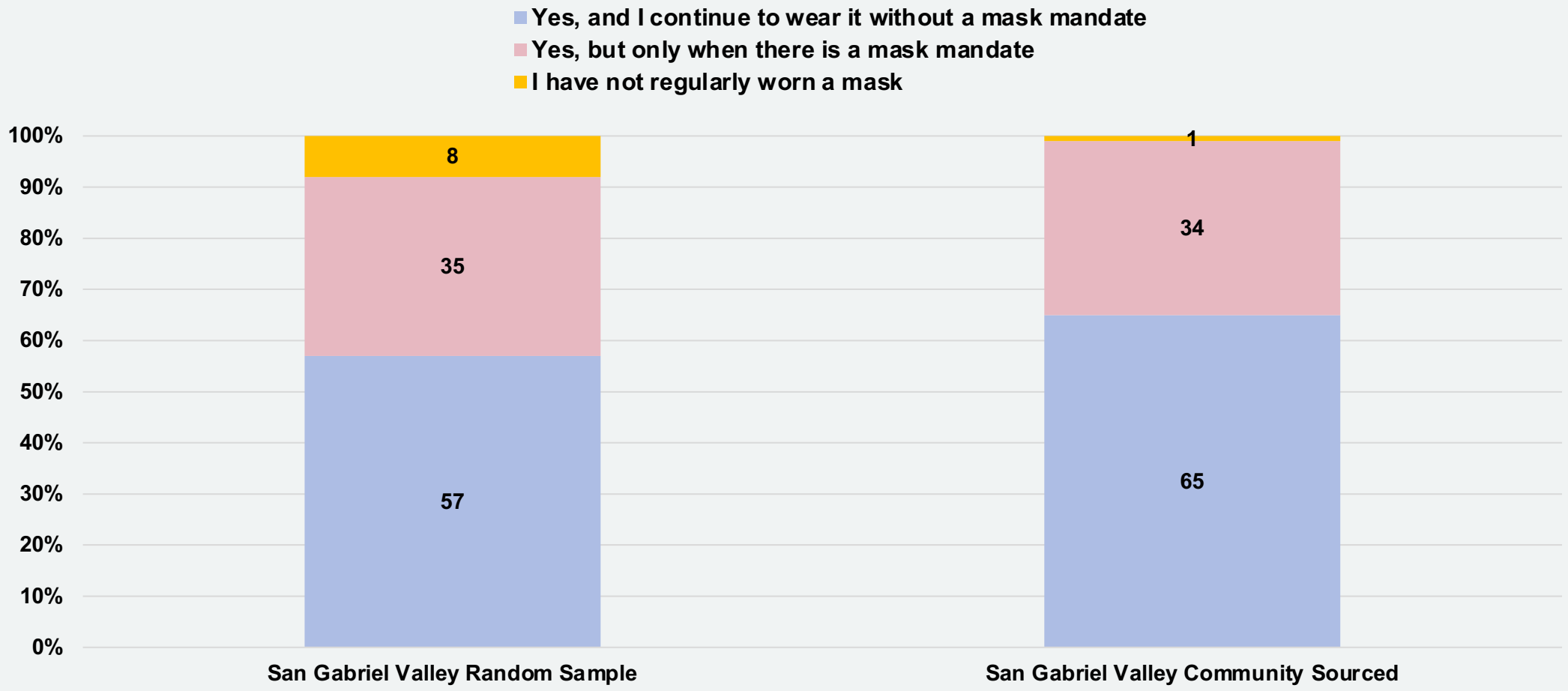
About a third report suffering serious health and financial problems due to extreme weather



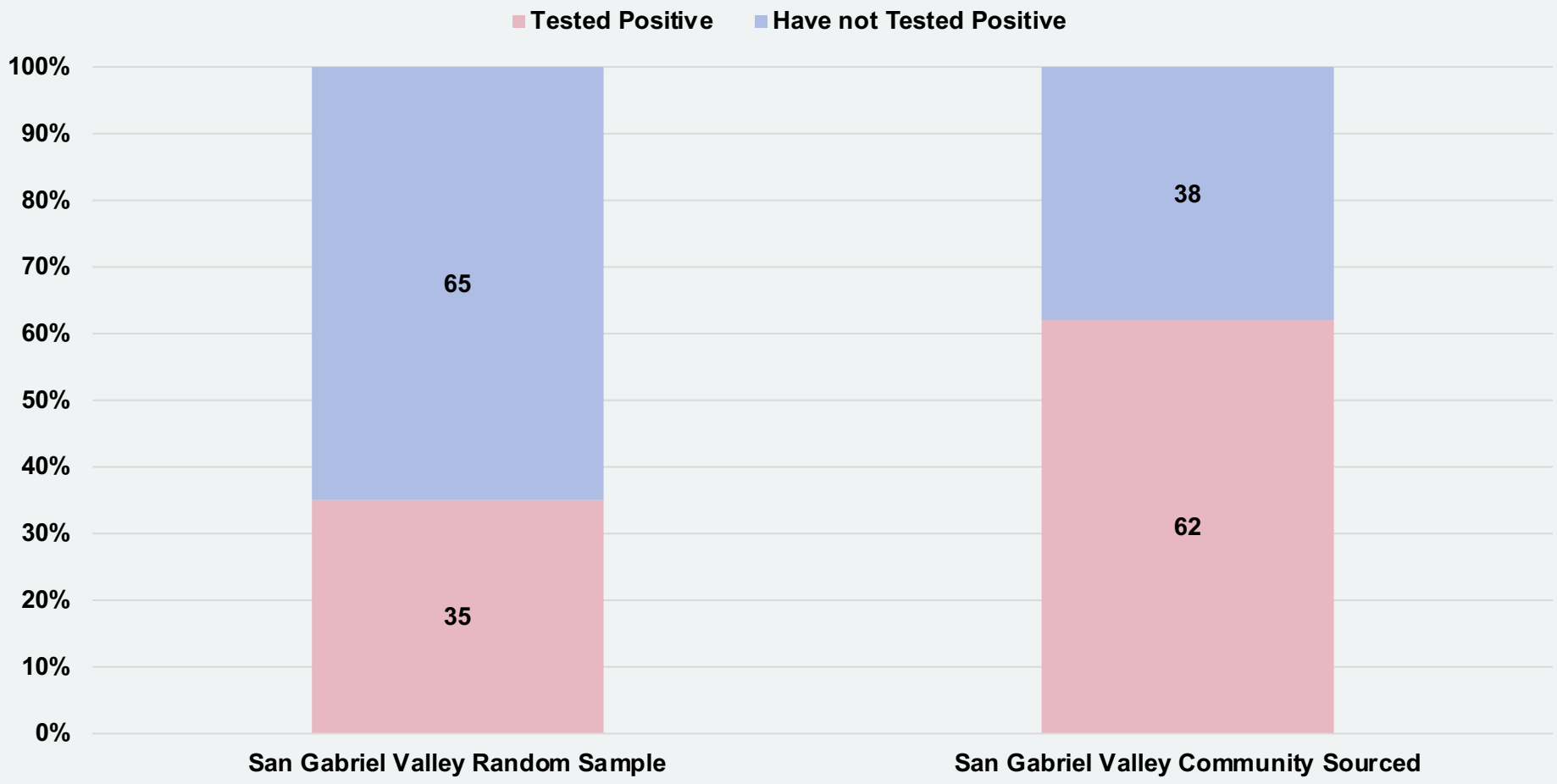
While vast majority have received at least 2 COVID vaccines, about 1 in 7 have not received any



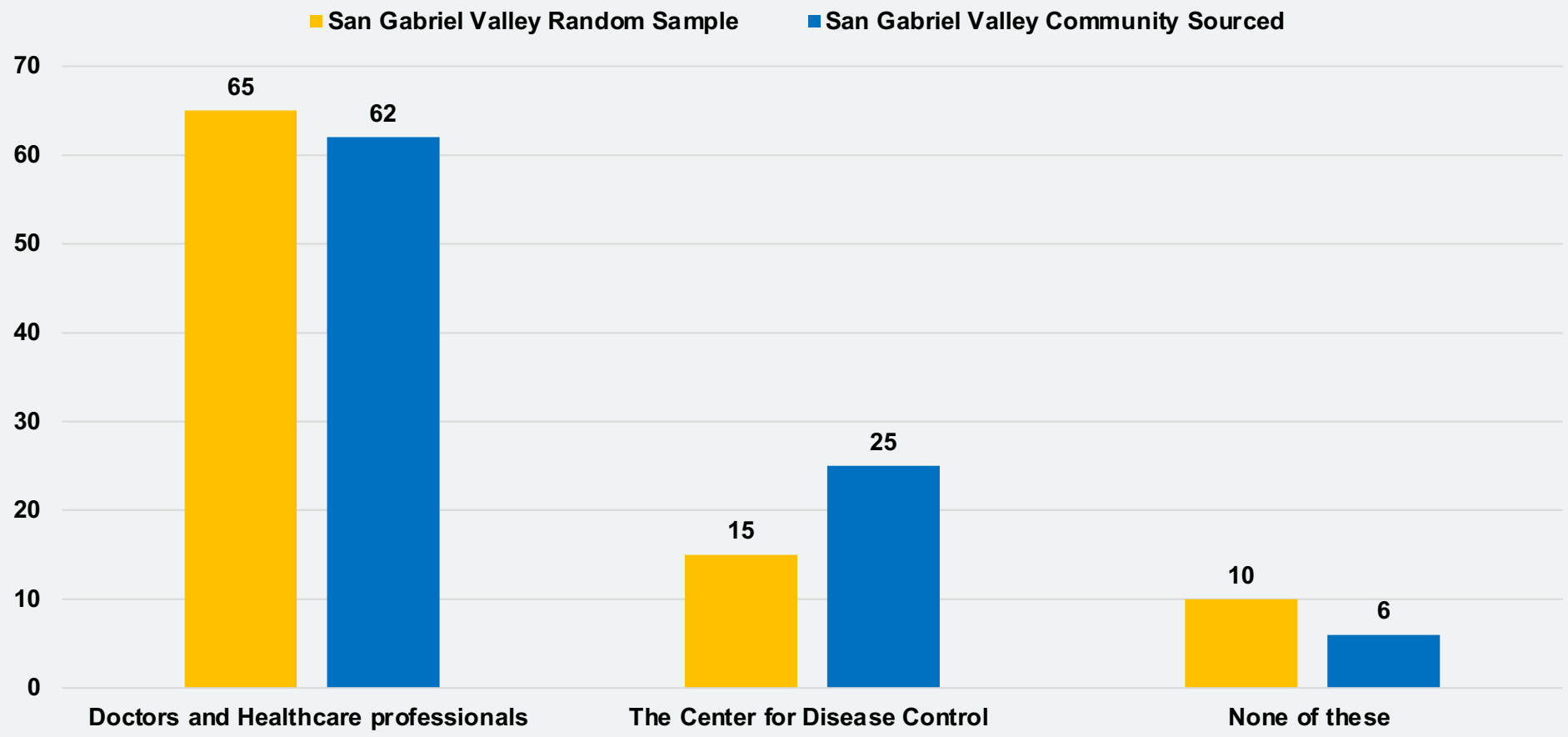
Majority reports regularly wearing their mask



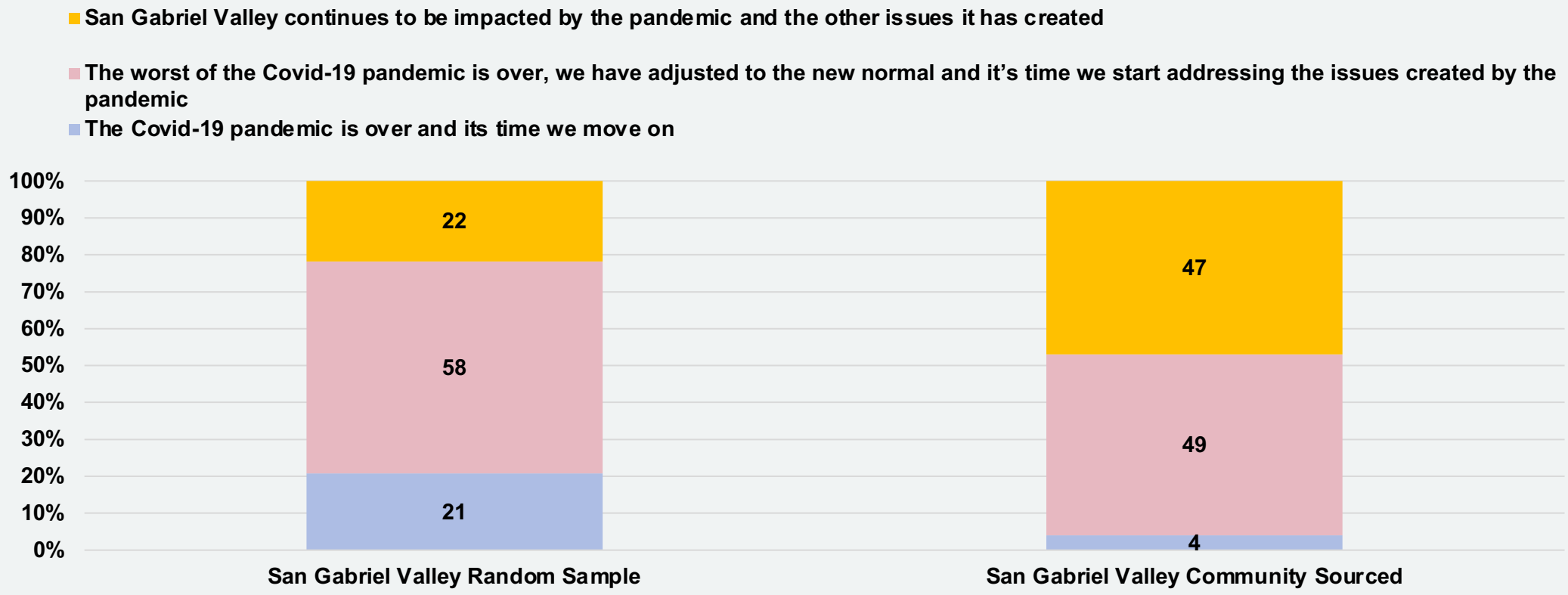
About a third reported testing positive for COVID



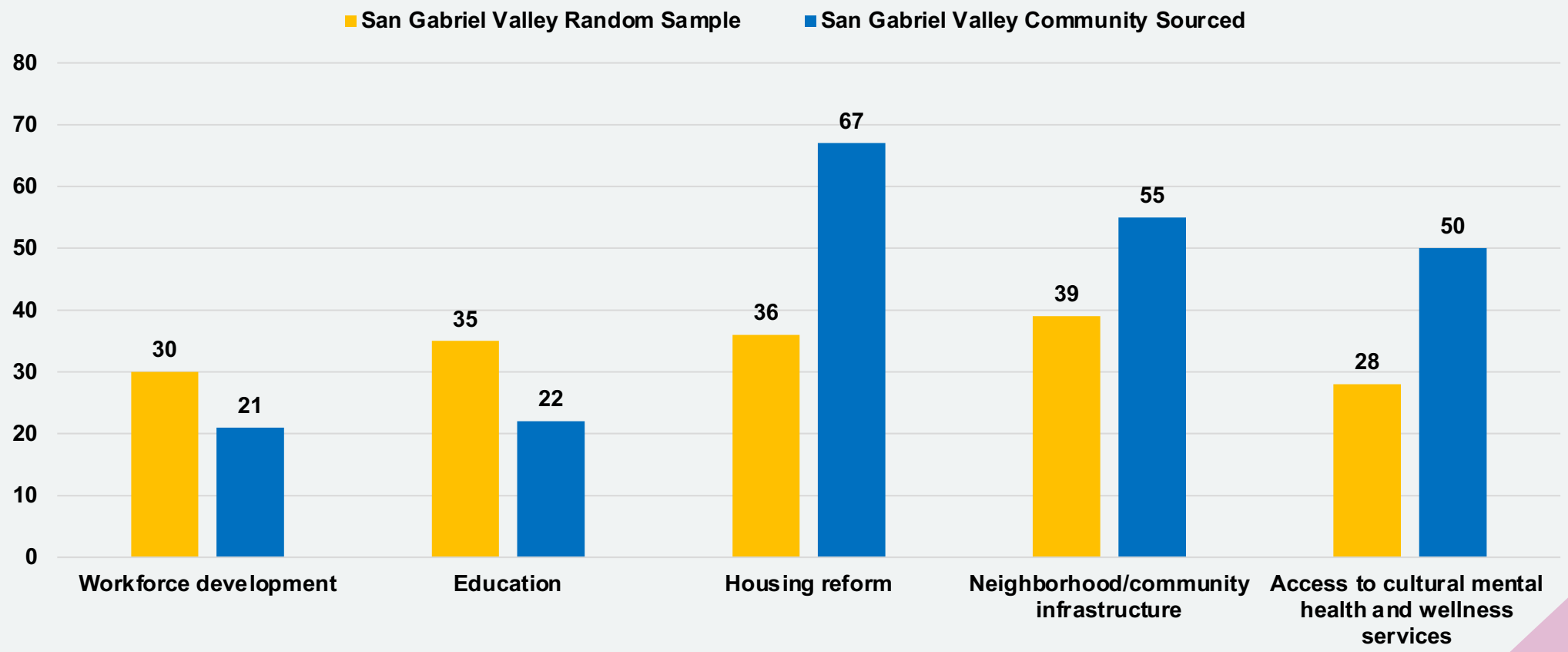
Doctors and healthcare professionals are the most trusted messengers for COVID guidance and recommendations



About half believe the worst of the pandemic is over but there is a need to address the issues created



SGV respondents highlight community infrastructure, housing reform, and education as crucial priorities



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