# Bibb County 

## Civic Health Report <br> 2019


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## Introduction

Civic health is a measure of the ways that people interact with their friends and families, with their larger communities, with political processes, and with institutions. Overall, stronger measures of civic health are correlated with better public health outcomes, lower crime rates, and stronger economic resiliency and workforce development. Essentially, communities where more people are engaged and participating with each other and with civic life do better than communities where fewer people participate.

In 2013, Georgia Family Connection Partnership (GaFCP) helped publish the first-ever Georgia Civic Health Index (CHI), and it found many measures of civic health Georgia's numbers lagged national averages. After publication of the report several Family Connection Collaboratives, including Bibb County, requested county-level reports. The dataset that generated the Georgia CHI , however, was too small to produce county estimates and in response to this limitation Bibb County began local data collection using the same survey instrument used to generate the state report, with the addition of a few locally-developed questions. The survey instrument (included in Appendix A) was administered through a random digit dialing method by A.L. Burruss Institute of Public Service and Research at Kennesaw State University between 7/18/18 and 8/20/18 and resulted in 402 respondents. These represent approximately 0.26 percent of the population of Bibb County and constitute a statistically viable dataset.

The Civic Health survey contains questions to measure four domains:

- Social Connectedness - interaction with friends, family, and neighbors;
- Community Involvement - the ways in which people interact with residents and groups in their community;
- Political Action - voter registration and turnout, contacting elected officials, and expressing political opinions; and
- Confidence in Institutions - the degree to which residents believe that various institutions, including public schools, media and corporations will do what is right.

This report summarizes findings from the Bibb County Civic Health survey and provides comparisons to state and national findings as available. ${ }^{1}$ This summary is intended to inform stakeholders in Bibb County and assist with engagement efforts with populations and places that are disengaged, as well as to build on strengths revealed by the data.

## Description of Respondents

The 402 respondents' demographics were compared to American Community Survey (ACS) ${ }^{2}$ estimates to determine the representativeness of the sample (see Tables 1-3 below). Age groups between 20 and 45 are under-represented and ages 56 or older are over-represented. The sample also under-represents the Black/African American ethnicities and males in the county. Additional data regarding household size, length of county residence, occupation, income, and ZIP code are included in Appendix B.

[^0]Table 1: Age Distribution of Respondents Compared to ACS

| Age | Respondents | ACS Estimates |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| $15-19$ | $8(2.1 \%)$ | $8.8 \% \pm 0.4 \%$ |
| $20-25$ | $24(6.3 \%)$ | $9.5 \% \pm 0.5 \%$ |
| $26-35$ | $26(6.8 \%)$ | $16.9 \% \pm 0.8 \%$ |
| $36-45$ | $30(7.8 \%)$ | $11.8 \% \pm 0.7 \%$ |
| $46-55$ | $58(15.1 \%)$ | $16.1 \% \pm 0.8 \%$ |
| 56 or older | $237(61.9 \%)$ | $33.8 \% \pm 1.7 \%$ |
| Total | $383(100 \%)$ |  |

Table 2: Race/Ethnicity Distribution of Respondents Compared to ACS

| Race/Ethnicity | Respondents | ACS Estimates |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Hispanic or Latino | $3(0.8 \%)$ | $3.1 \% \pm 0.2 \%$ |
| Native American or Alaskan <br> Native | $7(1.9 \%)$ | $0.1 \% \pm 0.0 \%$ |
| Native Hawaiian or Pacific <br> Islander | 0 | $0.0 \% \pm 0.0 \%$ |
| Asian | 2 (0.5\%) | $1.8 \% \pm 0.1 \%$ |
| Black or African American | $173(45.8 \%)$ | $53.6 \% \pm 2.7 \%$ |
| White | $190(50.3 \%)$ | $39.9 \% \pm 2.0 \%$ |
| Two or more races | $3(0.8 \%)$ | $1.4 \% \pm 0.1 \%$ |
| Total | $378(100 \%)$ |  |

Table 3: Gender Distribution of Respondents Compared to ACS

| Gender | Respondents | ACS Estimates |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Male | $153(38.3 \%)$ | $47.2 \% \pm 2.4 \%$ |
| Female | $244(61.2 \%)$ | $52.8 \% \pm 2.6 \%$ |
| Total | $399(100 \%)$ |  |

## Social Connectedness

When compared to all Georgia residents, Bibb County respondents reported higher levels of social connectedness and trust with family and neighbors on several indicators (see Figure 1 and Table 4).

- Across the state $81.1 \%$ of Georgians reported "seeing or hearing from family" frequently, compared to $91.3 \%$ of Bibb County residents.
- Only $24.2 \%$ of Georgians reported "talking to neighbors" compared to 50.7\% in Bibb.
- 20.7\% of Bibb County respondents reported they "do favors for neighbors" frequently, compared to only $7.4 \%$ of all Georgians.
- $33.8 \%$ of Bibb County residents reported they have worked with people from their neighborhood to fix a problem or improve a condition in their community or elsewhere.

Figure 1: Distribution of Social Connectedness Indicators


Table 4: Trust People in Your Neighborhood

| Frequency | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| All of the time | $32.1 \%$ |
| Often | $26.6 \%$ |
| Sometimes | $19.6 \%$ |
| Rarely | $12.0 \%$ |
| Never | $9.7 \%$ |

## Community Involvement

Bibb County respondents reported a significantly higher rate of volunteerism than Georgia residents or the national average $-37.2 \%$ compared to $26.5 \%$ and $30.3 \%$ respectively. Volunteer activities varied with the most common being mentoring youth and serving as usher, greeter, or minister (see Figures 2 and 3). See Tables 1-9 in Appendix C for more details. The vast majority of respondents, $85.8 \%$ reported volunteering for one to three organizations in the last 12 months. Over $30 \%$ of Bibb County residents reported volunteering 40 to 52 weeks in the last 12 months and close to $27 \%$ of Bibb County respondents reported 11 or more hours per week spent volunteering compared to the national average of about 2 hours per week ( 92 hours annually).

Reaching out to an organization for a volunteer opportunity was the most common way (45.6\%) respondents became involved in volunteering. For those who did not approach an organization to volunteer, but instead were recruited, $29.8 \%$ of those who volunteered were asked by a friend, and $50.9 \%$ were approached by an employee of the organization. Just $8.8 \%$ of respondents volunteered after being asked by a relative, $5.3 \%$ volunteered after being asked by a coworker, and $5.3 \%$ of people volunteered after being asked by a boss or employer. See Tables 1-6 in Appendix C for more details.

Figure 2: Volunteerism


Figure 3: Volunteer Activities and Approximate Time Spent


Across other community involvement indicators Bibb County residents again reported high levels of involvement with many higher than the state average. See Tables 7 and 8 in Appendix $C$ for more details.

- While $45 \%$ of Georgia residents and $52.2 \%$ of national residents reported charitable giving, $71.0 \%$ of Bibb County residents reported charitable giving of more than $\$ 25$ in the last 12 months.
- $26.3 \%$ of respondents said they had attended a public meeting in the past year compared to Georgia average of $10.1 \%$.

Another measure of community involvement is group participation. Bibb County respondents reported higher group involvement, 41.6\%, compared to the state average of 10.1 (see Table 5). Providing further evidence of community engagement, $18.2 \%$ of respondents reported they had served as an officer or committee member of a group or organization within the last 12 months.

## Table 5: Group Participation

| Group Participation | Bibb County |
| :--- | :---: |
| Attended a Meeting | $41.6 \%$ |
| Served as an Officer | $18.2 \%$ |

## Political Action

The Civic Health survey instrument contains items addressing voting behavior, voter registration, and political actions, including contacting public officials and expressing political opinions (see Figures 4, 5 and 6). Bibb County respondents again surpassed the Georgia average on most indicators of political action (see Figure 6 and Table 6). About 39\% of Bibb County respondents also reported that they "bought or boycotted a product or service because of the social or political values of the company that provides $\mathrm{it}^{\prime \prime}$ and $53 \%$ reported that they supported a candidate. See Tables 10-12 in Appendix C for additional voter information.

Figure 4: Voting


Figure 5: Political Action Indicators


Table 6: Political Action Indicators Compared to GA

| Indicator | Bibb County | GA |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Voted in most recent November election | $83.7 \%$ | $60.2 \%$ |
| Vote in local elections (almost <br> always/sometimes) | $84.5 \%$ | $59.3 \%$ |
| Registered to vote | $91.7 \%$ | $69.4 \%$ |
| Contacted public official | $48.4 \%$ | $12.0 \%$ |
| Discuss politics (frequently) | $44.0 \%$ | $32.5 \%$ |

Figure 6: Discuss Politics (Frequently)


Those respondents who reported they did not vote in the most recent election were asked for their "main reason" for not voting. Over $18 \%$ reported that they were "not interested" and another $12.3 \%$ reported they were "not registered" to vote. See Table 8 below for all responses regarding all reasons for not voting.

Table 7: Reasons for Not Voting

| Reason | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| Too busy | $3(4.6 \%)$ |
| Not interested | $12(18.5 \%)$ |
| No way to get to the polls | $3(4.6 \%)$ |
| Didn't know the candidates | 3 (4.6\%) |
| Not registered to vote | $8(12.3 \%)$ |
| Out of town | $2(3.1 \%)$ |
| Sick or illness | $4(6.2 \%)$ |
| Too young/not old enough to vote | $8(12.3 \%)$ |
| Other | $20(30.8 \%)$ |
| Total | $65(100 \%)$ |

Bibb County residents also reflected a knowledgeable population with the majority responding correctly to two key questions about United States Government (see Table 8 below). The vast majority of respondents did not use the internet to express opinions about political or community issues (see Table 9).

Table 8: Civic Knowledge

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| Who has Responsibility to make Final Decisions on when a Law is |  |
| Constitutional or Not? |  |

Table 9: How Often the Internet was Used to Express Opinions about Political or Community Issues within the Last 12 Months

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | ---: |
| Basically Every Day | $21(5.3 \%)$ |
| A Few Times a Week | $30(7.5 \%)$ |
| Once a Month | $46(11.5 \%)$ |
| Less than Once a Month | $52(13.0 \%)$ |
| Not at All | $251(62.8 \%)$ |
| Total | $400(100 \%)$ |

## Confidence in Institutions

The Civic Health survey instrument includes several questions about respondents' confidence in institutions, including public schools, media, and elected officials. Figure 7 below provides responses for all categories of institutions. Comparisons with Georgia averages show mixed findings, with Bibb County residents showing slightly more confidence in corporations and media, but less in public schools (see Table 10).

Figure 7: Confidence in Institutions to Do What is Right


Table 10: Great Deal or Some Confidence in Institutions Compared to Georgia

| Institution | Bibb County | GA |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Corporations | $63.7 \%$ | $59 \%$ |
| Media | $58.1 \%$ | $57 \%$ |
| Public Schools | $69.9 \%$ | $87 \%$ |

## Summary

Across each of the four areas of civic health - social connectedness, community involvement, political action and confidence in institutions - Bibb County residents reported higher involvement compared to the state average. More provided charitable donations, voted in the most recent election, volunteered in their community and were frequently connected with family and friends. Confidence in public schools was the primary key indicator rated lower than the state average. Although higher than state averages in most indicators, there is still room for improvement. Related to political action, only $63 \%$ reported they "always" vote in local elections, $48 \%$ reached out to an elected official and only $44 \%$ reported they frequently discuss politics. There is also room for improvement in community involvement with only $37.2 \%$ reporting volunteering in the last 12 months and $41.6 \%$ reporting attending a meeting of any group or organization.

Overall, Bibb County residents reported strong relationships with family and friends and the vast majority reported having one or more close friends they can call on in times of need. A number of indicators reflect a community engaged in political action and volunteerism, while others show there is room for improvement. This report elucidates the existing strengths of civic engagement in Bibb County and can serve to launch conversations among Bibb County agencies, organizations, and community members on how best to develop specific civic engagement strategies to fit local needs and build stronger communities.

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## Appendix A

## Bibb County Civic Health Questionnaire

## Volunteering

1. In the last 12 months, have you participated in any volunteer activities through or for an organization, including volunteering for schools or youth organizations?
O Yes
O No (SKIP TO Q12)
2. For how many organizations did you volunteer in the last 12 months? (check only one)

O None
O 1 to 3
O 4 to 6
O 7 or more
3. During how many different weeks in the last 12 months did you do volunteer activities for these organizations?
O 1-13 weeks
O 14-26 weeks
O 27-39 weeks
O 40-52 weeks
4. On average, for how many hours per week did you contribute your time for volunteer activities with these organizations?
$\qquad$ Average Hours per Week
5. Below is a list of activities you might have been involved in with these organizations. For each activity, please record the approximate total number of hours you devoted to the activity within the past 12 months.

|  |  | $\begin{array}{lll} \infty & \\ \stackrel{n}{n} & \tilde{y} \\ \stackrel{n}{0} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. Coach, referee, or supervise sports teams | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| b. Tutor or teach | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| c. Mentor youth | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| d. Serve as an usher, greeter, or minister | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| e. Collect, distribute, or prepare food | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| f. Collect, make, or distribute clothing, crafts, or goods other than food | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| g. Fundraise or sell items to raise money | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| h. Provide counseling, medical care, fire/EMS, or protective services | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| i. Provide general office services | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |


|  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & \text { on } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| j. Provide professional or management assistance including serving on a board or committee | O | 0 | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | 0 | $\bigcirc$ | 0 |
| k. Engage in music, performance, or other artistic activities | O | 0 | 0 | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| I. Engage in general labor; supply transportation for people | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | 0 | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| m. Other (please specify) | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |

6. How did you first become a volunteer for these organizations? (Check all that apply)

O You approached the organization yourself (SKIP TO Q8)
O You were asked by someone
O You became involved in some other way $\qquad$ (please specify)
(SKIP TO Q8)
7. Who asked you to become a volunteer for these organizations? (Check all that apply)

O Friend
O Relative
O Co-worker
O Someone from the organization/school
O Boss or employer
O Someone else: $\qquad$ (please specify)
8. Did any of the volunteer work you completed in the last 12 months take place in a foreign country, that is, outside of the United States or any of its territories?
O Yes
O No (SKIP TO Q10)
9. About what percent of your volunteer work last year occurred abroad?
$\qquad$ Percent
10. Other than volunteering abroad, did any of your volunteer work completed in the last 12 months take place more than 120 miles from your home?
O Yes
O No (SKIP TO Q12)
11. About what percent of your volunteer work last year occurred more than 120 miles from home?
$\qquad$ Percent
12. In the past 12 months, have you attended any public meetings in which there was discussion of community affairs?
O Yes
O No
13. In the past 12 months, have you worked with other people from your neighborhood to fix a problem or improve a condition in your community or elsewhere?
O Yes
O No

## Donations/Contributions

14. During the past 12 months, did you donate money, assets, or property with a combined value of more than $\$ 25$ to a charitable organization?Yes

O No

## Voting

15. Did you vote in last November's election?

O Yes (SKIP TO Q17)
O No
16. What was the main reason you did not vote in the November election? (AFTER RESPONSE, SKIP to Q19)

O Too busy
O Not interested
O No way to get to the polls
O Didn't know the candidates
O Not registered to vote
O Out of town
O Sick or illness
O Too young/not old enough to vote
O Other: $\qquad$ (please specify)
17. How did you cast your vote?

O In person
O By mail
O Did not vote in the last November election
18. When did you vote?

O On election day
O Before election day
O Did not vote in the last November election
19. Are you currently registered to vote in the next election?
O Yes

O No
20. There are various places and ways that people can register to vote. The last time you registered, how did you register to vote?

O County Registrar's Office
O Department of Motor Vehicles
O High School
O College or other post-secondary School
O Public Library
O Other: $\qquad$ (please specify)
21. How long have you lived at your current address?
$\qquad$ Number of Years

## Civic Participation \& Knowledge

22. About how often do you vote in your local elections such as for mayor or school board member?
O Almost always
O Sometimes
O Rarely
O Never
23. In which of the following have you participated in the last 12 months (Check all that apply)?

O Contacted or visited a public official - at any level of government - to express your opinion
O Bought or boycotted a certain product or service because of the social or political values of the company that provides it
O Attended a meeting where political issues were discussed
O Taken part in a march, rally, protest, or demonstration
O Showed your support for a particular party or candidate by, for example, attending a meeting, putting up a poster or in some other way
24. How often, if at all, have you used the internet (e.g., social media, chat rooms, commentary on news media sites, email, etc.) to express your opinions about POLITICAL or COMMUNITY issues within the last 12 months?

O Basically every day
O A few times a week
O Once a month
O Less than once a month
O Not at all
25. In the last 12 months, have you attended a meeting of any group or organization?

O Yes O No (SKIP TO Q27)
26. In the last 12 months, have you served as an officer or committee member of any group or organization?

O Yes
O No
27. During a TYPICAL MONTH in the past year, about how often did you do each of the following? Check ONE response for each activity.

|  | Basically ever day | A few times a week | A few times a month | Once a month | Not at all |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Discuss politics with family or friends | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Eat dinner with members of your household | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| See or hear from friends or family | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Communicate with friends and family by email or on the Internet | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Talk with any of your neighbors | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Do favors with neighbors, such as watching each other's children, helping with shopping, house sitting, lending garden or house tools, and other small acts of kindness | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Read a newspaper in print or on the Internet | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Read news magazines such as Newsweek or Time, in print or on the Internet | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Watch the news on television or get news from television Internet sites | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |
| Obtain news from any other Internet sources such as radio, blogs, chat rooms, or independent news services | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ | $\bigcirc$ |

28. In general, how much do you trust the people in your neighborhood?

O All of the time
O Often
O Sometimes
O Rarely
O Never
29. How much confidence do you have in each of the following institutions to do what is right? Check ONE response for each institution.

|  | A Great Deal of |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Confidence |  | | Some |
| :---: |
| Confidence |$\quad$| Hardly Any |
| :---: |
| Confidence |$\quad$ No Confidence | at All |
| :---: |
| Corporations |

30. NOT counting family members, about how many CLOSE FRIENDS do you currently have, if any? Close friends are people you feel at ease with, can talk to about private matters, or call on for help?
$\qquad$ Number of Close Friends
31. What individual or group of individuals has the responsibility to make the final decisions on the when a law is constitutional or not?

O The President of the United States

O The Supreme Court
O The Congress
32. How much of a majority is required for the US Senate and House to override a presidential veto?

O 80 percent
O 67 percent
O 51 percent

## Demographics

33. What year were you born? $\qquad$
34. What race/ethnicity do you identify most with (check only one)?

O Hispanic or Latino
O American Indian or Alaskan Native
O Asian
O Black or African American
O Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
O White
35. What is your gender?

O Male $\quad$ Female $\quad$ Other descriptor, please specify $\qquad$
36. How many adults and children, including yourself, are currently in your household?
37. How many years have you resided in Bibb county? $\qquad$
a. Are you a lifelong resident?
O Yes
O No
38. How would you best describe your occupation (check only one)?

| O Business | O Government | O Non-profit | O Healthcare | O Unemployed |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | | O Caregiver or |
| ---: |
| Homemaker |

39. What is your resident zip code?

| O 31201 | O 31204 | O 31206 | O31207 | O 31210 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |$\quad$ ○ 31211

## Appendix B

## Demographic Details

Table 1: Household Size

| Number of <br> adults/children in your <br> household | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| 0 | $5(1.3 \%)$ |
| 1 | $100(26.0 \%)$ |
| 2 | $144(37.4 \%)$ |
| 3 | $60(15.6 \%)$ |
| 4 | $45(11.7 \%)$ |
| 5 | $18(4.7 \%)$ |
| 6 | $8(2.1 \%)$ |
| 7 | $3(0.8 \%)$ |
| 10 | $1(0.3 \%)$ |
| 50 | $1(0.3 \%)$ |
| Total | 385 |
| Mean | 2.51 |
| Median | 2 |

Table 2: Length of Residence

| Reside in Bibb | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| Less than 1 year | $0(0.0 \%)$ |
| 1-5 years | $36(9.3 \%)$ |
| 6-15 years | $52(13.4 \%)$ |
| 16 or more years | $300(77.3 \%)$ |
| Total | 399 |

Table 3: Occupation

| Occupation | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| Business | $67(43.8 \%)$ |
| Government | $12(7.8 \%)$ |
| Non-profit | $6(3.9 \%)$ |
| Healthcare | $30(19.6 \%)$ |
| Unemployed | $0(0.0 \%)$ |
| Caregiver or Homemaker | $0(0.0 \%)$ |
| Military | $3(2.0 \%)$ |
| Manufacturing | $15(9.8 \%)$ |
| Education | $20(13.1 \%)$ |
| Total | 153 |

Table 4: Zip Codes

| Zip Code | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| 31201 | $25(6.6 \%)$ |
| 31204 | $61(16.1 \%)$ |
| 31206 | $38(10.0 \%)$ |
| 31207 | $8(2.1 \%)$ |
| 31210 | $65(17.1 \%)$ |
| 31211 | $26(6.8 \%)$ |
| 31216 | $44(11.6 \%)$ |
| 31217 | $28(7.4 \%)$ |
| 31220 | $48(12.6 \%)$ |
| Other | $37(9.7 \%)$ |
| Total | $380(100 \%)$ |

Table 5: Years Residence in Bibb County

| Years at current <br> address | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| 0 | $1(0.3 \%)$ |
| 1 to 2 | $54(13.6 \%)$ |
| 3 to 5 | $60(15.2 \%)$ |
| 6 to 10 | $48(12.1 \%)$ |
| 11 to 20 | $105(26.5 \%)$ |
| More than 20 | $128(32.3 \%)$ |
| Total | 396 |
| Mean | 17.77 |
| Median | 14 |
|  |  |
| Lifelong resident | 189 |

## Appendix C

## Additional Data Details

Table 1: Volunteer Activities

| Activities | 0 hours | $0.5-8$ hours | 8.5-16 hours | $\begin{gathered} 16.5-40 \\ \text { hours } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 40.5-80 \\ \text { hours } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80.5-120 \\ & \text { hours } \end{aligned}$ | $120 \text { or }$ more hours | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. Coach | $\begin{gathered} 125 \\ (84.5 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 7 (4.7\%) | 0 (0.0\%) | 7 (4.7\%) | 2 (1.4\%) | 3 (2.0\%) | 4 (2.7\%) | 148 |
| b. Tutor | $\begin{gathered} 95 \\ (64.6 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ (6.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 9 (6.1\%) | 9 (6.1\%) | 6 (4.1\%) | 8 (5.4\%) | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ (6.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 147 |
| c. Mentor | $\begin{gathered} 77 \\ (53.1 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 11 \\ (7.6 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 9 (6.2\%) | $\begin{gathered} 15 \\ (10.3 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 7 (4.8\%) | 9 (6.2\%) | $\begin{gathered} 17 \\ (11.7 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 145 |
| d. Usher | $\begin{gathered} 83 \\ (56.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 14 \\ (9.6 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 9 (6.2\%) | 8 (5.5\%) | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ (8.2 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 5 (3.4\%) | $\begin{gathered} 15 \\ (10.3 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 146 |
| e. Supply food | $\begin{gathered} 95 \\ (63.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 18 \\ (12.1 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ (6.7 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 11 \\ (7.4 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 5 (3.4\%) | 5 (3.4\%) | 5 (3.4\%) | 149 |
| f. Supply other goods | $\begin{gathered} 85 \\ (59.0 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 24 \\ (16.7 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 17 \\ (11.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 8 (5.6\%) | 2 (1.4\%) | 3 (2.1\%) | 5 (3.5\%) | 144 |
| g. Fundraise | $\begin{gathered} 94 \\ (64.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 21 \\ (14.5 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 9 (6.2\%) | 7 (4.8\%) | 5 (3.4\%) | 5 (3.4\%) | 4 (2.8\%) | 145 |
| h. Provide care services | $\begin{gathered} 125 \\ (85.0 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 4 (2.7\%) | 3 (2.0\%) | 4 (2.7\%) | 3 (2.0\%) | 1 (0.7\%) | 7 (4.8\%) | 147 |
| i. Provide office services | $\begin{gathered} 107 \\ (74.3 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ (8.3 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 3 (2.1\%) | 4 (2.8\%) | 4 (2.8\%) | 7 (4.9\%) | 7 (4.9\%) | 144 |
| j. Professional assistance | $\begin{gathered} 92 \\ (62.2 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ (6.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 3 (2.0\%) | $\begin{gathered} 24 \\ (16.2 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 5 (3.4\%) | 4 (2.7\%) | $\begin{gathered} 10 \\ (6.8 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 148 |
| k. Art/Music/Crafts | $\begin{gathered} 110 \\ (75.3 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 9 (6.2\%) | 7 (4.8\%) | 7 (4.8\%) | 6 (4.1\%) | 4 (2.7\%) | 3 (2.1\%) | 146 |
| I. Labor/ Transportation | $\begin{gathered} 93 \\ (63.7 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 14 \\ (9.6 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ (8.2 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 9 (6.2\%) | 9 (6.2\%) | 4 (2.7\%) | 5 (3.4\%) | 146 |

Table 2: Volunteer Activities with 0.5 hours or More Each Week

| Activities | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| a. Coach | $23(15.5 \%)$ |
| b. Tutor | $52(35.4 \%)$ |
| c. Mentor | $68(46.9 \%)$ |
| d. Usher | $63(43.2 \%)$ |
| e. Supply food | $54(36.2 \%)$ |
| f. Supply other goods | $59(41.0 \%)$ |
| g. Fundraise | $51(35.2 \%)$ |
| h. Provide care services | $22(15.0 \%)$ |
| i. Provide office services | $37(25.7 \%)$ |
| j. Professional assistance | $56(37.8 \%)$ |
| k. Art/Music/Crafts | $36(24.7 \%)$ |
| l. Labor Transportation | $53(36.3 \%)$ |

Table 3: Highest Hours for Single Volunteer Activity

| Frequency | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| 0 hours | $6(4.0 \%)$ |
| 0.5 to 8 hours | $23(15.4 \%)$ |
| 8.5 to 16 hours | $11(7.4 \%)$ |
| 16.5 to 40 hours | $22(14.8 \%)$ |
| 40.5 to 80 hours | $22(14.8 \%)$ |
| 80.5 to 120 hours | $21(14.1 \%)$ |
| More than 120 hours | $44(29.5 \%)$ |
| Total | $149(100 \%)$ |

Table 4: Volunteer Engagement Method

| Method | Respondent <br> Percentage |
| :--- | :---: |
| I approached the organization myself | 45.6 |
| I was asked by someone | 37.6 |
| Some other way | 29.5 |

Table 5: Volunteer Method Detail - For Those Approached by Someone

| Individual | Respondent <br> Percentage |
| :--- | :---: |
| Friend | 29.8 |
| Relative | 8.8 |
| Co-worker | 5.3 |
| Someone from the organization/school | 50.9 |
| Boss or employer | 5.3 |
| Someone else | 15.8 |

Table 6: Volunteer Work Completed in last 12 Months Took Place in a Foreign Country

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| Yes | $7(4.7 \%)$ |
| No | $141(95.3 \%)$ |
| Total | $148(100 \%)$ |

Table 7: Percent of Volunteer Work Last Year that Occurred Abroad

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| None | $1(14.3 \%)$ |
| $1-10 \%$ | $2(28.6 \%)$ |
| $11-20 \%$ | $1(14.3 \%)$ |
| $21-30 \%$ | $1(14.3 \%)$ |
| $31-50 \%$ | $1(14.3 \%)$ |
| $51-100 \%$ | $1(14.3 \%)$ |
| Total | $7(100 \%)$ |

Table 8: Other Volunteer Work Completed in Last 12 Months More than 120 Miles from Home

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| Yes | $14(9.5 \%)$ |
| No | $133(90.5 \%)$ |
| Total | $147(100 \%)$ |

Table 9: Percent of Volunteer Work Last Year that Occurred More than 120 Miles from Home

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| $1-5 \%$ | $4(28.6 \%)$ |
| $6-10 \%$ | $4(28.6 \%)$ |
| $11-20 \%$ | $1(7.1 \%)$ |
| $21-30 \%$ | $1(7.1 \%)$ |
| $31-50 \%$ | $0(0.0 \%)$ |
| $51-100 \%$ | $1(7.1 \%)$ |
| Not Specified | $3(21.4 \%)$ |
| Total | $14(100 \%)$ |

Table 10: Voter Registration Locations

| Location | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| County Registrar's Office | 83 (29.4\%) |
| Department of Motor Vehicles | 84 (29.8\%) |
| High School | $24(8.5 \%)$ |
| College or other post-secondary school | 7 (2.5\%) |
| Public Library | 7 (2.5\%) |
| Never Registered | $9(3.2 \%)$ |
| Other | $68(24.1 \%)$ |
| Total | $267(100 \%)$ |

Table 11: How Votes were Cast

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| In Person | $316(94.6 \%)$ |
| By Mail | $16(4.8 \%)$ |
| Not Specified | $2(0.6 \%)$ |
| Total | $334(100 \%)$ |

Table 12: When Votes were Cast

| Response | Respondents |
| :--- | :---: |
| On Election Day | $172(51.5 \%)$ |
| Before Election Day | $156(46.7 \%)$ |
| Not Specified | $6(1.8 \%)$ |
| Total | $334(100 \%)$ |


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Sub-group analyses may be available dependent on sample sizes.
    ${ }^{2}$ ACS is conducted annually by U.S. Census Bureau.

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