Demographics	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
Chesapeake	20.6%	16.2%
Hampton	9.8%	10.1%
Newport News	11.7%	12.3%
Norfolk	15.4%	16.3%
Portsmouth	8.0%	9.4%
Suffolk	7.1%	5.6%
Virginia Beach	27.4%	30.1%
White	60.5%	56.3%
Black or African-American	28.6%	30.0%
Hispanic or Latino	2.2%	2.9%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	0.7%	0.5%
Asian	1.3%	1.4%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.4%	1.1%
Multiracial	2.9%	3.9%
Other	2.2%	3.0%
Refused	1.2%	0.9%
Male	35.2%	45.9%
Female	64.8%	54.1%
Some grade school	0.1%	0.1%
Some high school	2.4%	2.7%
High school diploma/GED	19.8%	20.4%
Completed trade/professional school	2.9%	3.4%
Some college	20.9%	23.7%
Associate's degree	10.6%	11.0%
Bachelor's degree	22.3%	21.8%
Graduate degree	19.7%	15.9%
Other	1.0%	0.8%
Refused	0.3%	0.2%
Average age (years)	51.3	43.0
Single, not living with partner	18.0%	27.7%
Single, living with partner	4.6%	6.5%
Married	55.9%	49.0%
Divorced/separated	11.8%	11.2%
Widowed	9.4%	5.4%
Refused	0.3%	0.1%

Demographics	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
Employed		
Full-time	44.5%	53.3%
Part-time	13.5%	13.7%
Not employed		
Looking for work	6.8%	8.3%
Not looking for work	8.5%	9.2%
Retired	26.4%	15.3%
Refused	0.3%	0.2%
What was your family household		
income last year? ¹		
Less than \$10,000	2.0%	2.1%
More than \$10,000 to \$20,000	3.6%	2.1%
More than \$20,000 to \$30,000	6.8%	10.1%
More than \$30,000 to \$40,000	5.7%	6.6%
More than \$40,000 to \$50,000	6.3%	7.7%
More than \$50,000 to \$60,000	8.6%	10.8%
More than \$60,000 to \$70,000	10.2%	9.8%
More than \$70,000 to \$80,000	7.7%	10.1%
More than \$80,000 to \$90,000	4.8%	3.1%
More than \$90,000 to \$100,000	6.8%	6.6%
More than \$100,000	28.7%	23.2%
Don't know	3.6%	4.1%
Refused	5.2%	3.9%

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 $^{^{1}}$ This question was asked only of those 442 respondents who indicated that they were employed either full or part time.

Phone Usage	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
Is there at least one telephone inside your home that is		
currently working, and is NOT a cell phone? ²		
Yes	55.2%	20.2%
No	44.8%	79.8%
Do you have a working cell phone?		
Yes	90.1%	91.3%
No	9.8%	8.6%
Refused	0.2%	0.1%
Does anyone in your household have a working cell		
phone? ³		
Yes	32.8%	35.9%
No	65.6%	63.1%
Refused	1.6%	1.0%

² This question was asked only of the 116 respondents in the cell phone sample.
³ This question was asked only of those 64 respondents who said that they themselves did not have a working cell phone or refused to answer.

Quality of Life	2012 Survey Respondents	2012 Survey Respondents
	(unweighted sample)	(weighted sample)
How would you rate the overall quality of life in Hampton	. ,	. ,
Roads?	4.4.407	40.00/
Excellent	11.4%	12.0%
Good	61.2%	56.4%
Fair	24.7%	28.0%
Poor Don't know	2.8% 0.0%	3.6% 0.0%
Refused	0.0%	0.0%
	0.0%	0.0%
How would you rate quality of life in your neighborhood?	47.6%	42.40/
Excellent Good	47.6% 41.6%	42.4% 42.9%
Fair	9.1%	12.3%
Poor	1.2%	2.0%
Don't know	0.3%	0.2%
Refused	0.3%	0.1%
In the past 12 months, how many times have you	0.070	01170
volunteered?		
Never	30.4%	32.5%
Once	7.0%	8.6%
2-4 times	18.0%	19.3%
5-9 times	10.2%	8.7%
About once a month on average	8.8%	9.3%
Twice a month	6.2%	5.9%
About once a week on average	9.8%	8.3%
More than once a week	8.9%	6.8%
Don't know	0.5%	0.4%
Refused	0.1%	0.1%
How many times in the past 12 months have you attended		
any public meeting in which there was a discussion of civic		
or school affairs?	50.70/	04.40/
Never	59.7%	61.4%
Once	10.4%	9.0%
2-4 times	19.0%	18.5%
5-9 times	4.2%	4.3% 4.7%
About once a month on average Twice a month	4.1% 1.2%	4.7% 1.1%
About once a week on average	0.9%	0.6%
More than once a week	0.4%	0.3%
Don't know	0.4%	0.5%
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Quality of Life	2012 Survey Respondents	2012 Survey Respondents
	(unweighted sample)	(weighted sample)
How many groups do you belong to? This might include		
civic groups, church groups, PTA, professional		
organizations, or other similar organizations.		
None	20.7%	24.4%
1-2	41.2%	41.6%
3-4	27.3%	25.1%
5-6	6.2%	4.5%
7 or more	4.5%	4.4%
Don't know	0.1%	0.1%
Do you plan to still live in Hampton Roads five years from		
now?		
Yes	79.5%	72.4%
No	13.0%	18.2%
Don't know	7.3%	9.1%
Refused	0.1%	0.3%
Does your employer support your professional		
development with tuition assistance or work-time release		
so that you may continue your education?		
Yes	67.0%	68.1%
No	28.3%	27.4%
Don't know	4.8%	4.5%

Transportation	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
In the past week, have you used public transportation		
(including buses or taxis) in Hampton Roads?		
Yes	6.4%	7.6%
No	93.0%	92.0%
Public transportation is not available	0.5%	0.4%
Have you had an opportunity to use the light rail system		
since it opened last year?		
Yes	18.8%	20.2%
No	81.2%	79.8%
How often have you used the light rail system in the past		
six months?		
Never	9.1%	10.0%
Once	37.1%	30.4%
2-5 times	39.2%	35.7%
Once a month	2.8%	4.4%
A few times a month	7.7%	16.9%
More than once a week	3.5%	2.3%
Don't know	0.7%	0.3%
What are the reasons that you have used the light rail		
system ⁴ ?		
Use it for my regular commute to work/school	10.0%	15.4%
To get to recreational or cultural events in Norfolk	35.4%	38.0%
Was curious to ride/novelty/for fun	49.2%	43.8%
Other (specify)	21.5%	22.6%

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 $^{^4}$ This question was asked only of the 143 respondents who indicated that they had used the lightrail system since it opened.

	2012	2012
Transportation	Survey	Survey
	Respondents	Respondents
	(unweighted	(weighted
	sample)	sample)
Where would you like to see the light rail extended? ⁵		
Virginia Beach Town Center	58.1%	58.0%
Virginia Beach Oceanfront	72.9%	75.3%
Chesapeake	49.0%	48.9%
Portsmouth	43.4%	43.9%
Hampton	47.0%	47.2%
Newport News	45.5%	46.0%
Suffolk	35.5%	35.5%
Naval base	56.0%	55.7%
Norfolk International Airport	56.5%	55.2%
Other	11.3%	12.2%
Don't want light rail extended	9.1%	11.0%
Don't know	4.3%	3.8%
Refused	0.4%	0.2%
How likely do you think it is that light rail is contributing to		
local economic development?		
Very likely	28.7%	30.0%
Somewhat likely	42.4%	40.0%
Not very likely	15.4%	13.9%
Not at all likely	7.3%	10.1%
Don't know	5.9%	5.8%
Refused	0.3%	0.3%
How do you think light rail expansion should be paid for ⁶ ?		
Increase the fuel tax	10.0%	10.1%
Increase sales tax	21.1%	22.6%
Borrow money	21.2%	19.2%
Other (specify)	28.3%	29.9%
Don't know	18.9%	17.9%
Refused	0.6%	0.4%

⁵ Percentages do not sum to 100 because respondents were allowed to choose more than one response.
⁶ This question only asked of the 693 respondents who indicated that they would like to see light rail extended.

Transportation	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
How often de you troval through a bridge or tuppel in	Sample)	Sample)
How often do you travel through a bridge or tunnel in Hampton Roads (includes the downtown, midtown, and		
HRBT)?		
Not at all	11.3%	9.6%
Once or twice in the past month	29.3%	27.7%
3-4 times in the past month	15.0%	13.0%
5-6 times in the past month	10.0%	10.3%
More than once a week	33.6%	38.8%
Not sure	0.9%	0.6%
How long is your average one-way commute, in minutes,		
to work or school?	24.5	23.9
Within the past month did you avoid visiting a business in		
a neighboring city due to traffic congestion?		
Yes	37.0%	40.3%
No	62.5%	59.4%
Don't know	0.4%	0.2%
Refused	0.1%	0.1%
Are you extremely concerned, very concerned, somewhat		
concerned, not very concerned, or not at all concerned		
with traffic congestion in Hampton Roads?		
Extremely concerned	14.0%	13.8%
Very concerned	39.4%	37.5%
Somewhat concerned	34.4%	35.8%
Not very concerned	7.1%	7.2%
Not at all concerned	4.5%	5.2%
Don't know	0.7%	0.5%
Thinking about the potential need to evacuate the region		
in the event of a natural disaster or other conditions,		
please tell me how congestion at the bridge tunnels in		
Hampton Roads would contribute to your decision making.		
Would you say that	4.4 = 5.	
I would evacuate regardless of congestion	44.5%	41.4%
I would stay because of congestion	29.5%	30.1%
I would stay for reasons besides congestion	21.4%	24.9%
Don't know	4.2%	3.4%
Refused	0.4%	0.2%

Transportation	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
In your opinion, how important are improved roads,		
highways, and bridges to the region's future economic growth? Would say they are		
Extremely important	48.7%	45.7%
Very important	38.2%	37.4%
Somewhat important	11.3%	13.6%
Not very important	1.2%	2.6%
Not at all important	0.4%	0.4%
Don't know	0.3%	0.3%
Now let's talk about how we pay for transportation. If additional funds are needed to maintain or expand the road, highway, and bridge systems in Hampton Roads, which of the following would you support as an additional source of funding for the region's roads ⁷ ?		
Increasing the state fuel tax	31.9%	25.4%
Increasing state vehicle registration	30.6%	32.1%
The state borrowing money and repaying it in the future	25.2%	24.8%
Increasing the state tax on vehicle purchases	29.3%	31.7%
Implementing tolls on highways	30.9%	31.3%
Other (specify) Don't know	20.3% 8.5%	18.5% 9.2%
Refused	0.9%	9.2 % 0.6%
Are you aware of any impending toll road projects in the Hampton Roads area?	0.370	0.070
Yes	69.0%	67.8%
No	31.0%	32.2%
Would you be more of less likely to use a bridge tunnel		
when there is a toll on it, or would the toll not affect your		
decision to use a bridge tunnel? More likely	4.5%	3.5%
Less likely	45.5% 45.5%	3.5% 45.4%
Would not affect my decision	48.1%	49.2%
Don't know	1.6%	1.6%
Refused	0.2%	0.4%

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⁷ Percentages do not sum to 100 because respondents were allowed to choose more than one response.

Transportation	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
Do you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree that putting tolls on the bridge tunnels in		
Hampton Roads will cause more congestion on other,		
local roads as drivers seek to avoid paying tolls?		
Strongly agree	46.9%	49.9%
Agree	35.3%	32.2%
Disagree	12.5%	12.2%
Strongly disagree	2.9%	3.2%
Don't know	2.4%	2.3%
Refused	0.1%	0.2%

	2012	2012
Local and State Government/Political Issues	Survey	Survey
Local and State Government Offical Issues		_
	Respondents	Respondents (weighted
	(unweighted	, •
	sample)	sample)
Do you think your local government uses public resources		
wisely or do you think there is a fair amount of waste?		
Uses wisely	26.8%	30.2%
Fair amount of waste	63.8%	58.9%
Don't know	8.9%	10.1%
Refused	0.5%	0.8%
Do you think your state government uses public resources		
wisely or do you think there is a fair amount of waste?		
Uses wisely	22.7%	24.7%
Fair amount of waste	68.9%	65.4%
Don't know	8.0%	8.8%
Refused	0.4%	1.0%
Are you registered to vote?		
Yes	91.7%	87.4%
No	7.9%	12.2%
Don't know	0.4%	0.4%
Do you generally feel closer to the Republican Party, the		
Democratic Party, or do you consider yourself to be an		
Independent or something else?		
Republican	23.9%	21.7%
Democratic	33.1%	34.1%
Independent	31.8%	31.8%
Something else (specify)	6.4%	6.8%
Don't know/haven't thought much about this	2.8%	4.6%
Refused	2.1%	1.1%
How would you rate economic conditions in the United States		
today?		
Excellent	1.8%	2.5%
Good	13.9%	12.4%
Fair	47.1%	48.4%
Poor	36.9%	35.8%
Don't know	0.1%	0.1%
Refused	0.1%	0.9%
How would you rate economic conditions in Hampton Roads	5.1.70	0.070
today?		
Excellent	2.1%	2.5%
Good	37.4%	34.4%
Fair	48.0%	49.5%
Poor	12.2%	12.7%
Don't know	0.0%	0.0%
Refused	0.0%	0.0%
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		sample)
Are you concerned that rising sea levels here in Hampton Roads		-
will affect you personally?		
	40.6%	37.4%
	57.2%	59.6%
Don't know	2.2%	3.0%
Are you concerned about rising sea levels in the rest of the		
world?		
	63.5%	62.2%
	34.3%	36.1%
Don't know	2.2%	1.7%
We worry too much about the future of the environment and not		
enough about prices and jobs today.		
	19.9%	20.4%
	31.4%	28.4%
	30.4%	33.6%
	13.1%	12.8%
Don't know	4.1%	4.1%
Refused	1.0%	0.8%
There need to be stricter laws and regulations to protect the		
environment.	00.40/	22.22/
	26.4%	26.3%
	50.4%	52.5%
	16.9%	15.5%
Strongly disagree	3.7%	3.0%
Don't know	2.1%	2.2%
Refused	0.5%	0.6%
In making your decision about who to vote for in the Presidential		
election this fall, will the issue of the environment be very		
important, somewhat important, not very important, or not at all		
important.	22.9%	24.0%
	22.9% 46.0%	
	46.0% 19.1%	50.2% 16.2%
	10.8%	8.7%
Don't know	0.7%	0.5%
Refused	0.7 %	0.4%

Education	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
Do you have school aged children attending any of		
the following?		
Public school	23.4%	25.5%
Private school	3.1%	4.0%
Home school	0.9%	1.0%
None of the above	72.6%	69.6%
How would you rate the quality of the school(s) your child(ren) attend ⁸ ? Would you say they are		
Excellent	46.5%	40.2%
Good	38.1%	41.9%
Fair	10.4%	11.3%
Poor	3.5%	5.1%
Don't know	1.5%	1.5%
How safe do you feel your child(ren) are at school ⁹ ? Would you say		
Very safe	62.4%	62.6%
Somewhat safe	35.6%	33.3%
Not very safe	2.0%	4.1%
Not at all safe	0.0%	0.0%
Do you have a child with a disability who is receiving special education services in school 10?		
Yes	13.9%	11.1%
No	86.1%	88.9%
How satisfied are you with those services ¹¹ ?	, .	33.373
Very satisfied	44.8%	49.7%
Somewhat satisfied	37.9%	32.5%
Somewhat dissatisfied	6.9%	5.8%
Very dissatisfied	10.3%	12.1%

 $^{^{8}}$ This question was asked of only those 202 respondents who indicated that they had children enrolled in either

 $[\]frac{1}{2} Public or private schools.$ This question was asked of only those 202 respondents who indicated that they had children enrolled in public or

private schools. 10 This question was asked of only those 209 respondents who indicated that they had children enrolled in public, private or home schools.

11 This question was asked of only those 29 respondents who indicated that they have a child with a disability who

is receiving special education services in school.

Education	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
How satisfied are you with the communication		
from the school system about your child's		
needs ¹² ?	44.8%	49.0%
Very satisfied	37.9%	34.2%
Somewhat satisfied	10.3%	10.5%
Somewhat dissatisfied	6.9%	6.3%
Very dissatisfied		

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 $^{^{12}}$ This question was asked of only those 29 respondents who indicated that they have a child with a disability who is receiving special education services in school.

Health	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
Would you say your own health in general is		
Excellent	30.7%	36.2%
Good	52.1%	48.3%
Fair	14.6%	13.4%
Poor	2.5%	1.9%
Refused	0.1%	0.1%
Have you seen a doctor for medical care in the past		
year?		
Yes	87.4%	80.2%
No	12.3%	19.6%
Don't know	0.1%	0.1%
Refused	0.1%	0.1%
You said that you have seen a doctor in the past year. What treatment or treatments did you receive? You may		
select all that apply ¹³ .	75.5%	72.4%
Annual/regular check-up Immunizations	75.5% 15.9%	72.4% 16.0%
	4.4%	6.1%
Family planning/pregnancy General illness (cold, flu, etc.)	20.4%	21.1%
Emergency care/injury	13.3%	15.1%
Treatment of a chronic condition (allergies, diabetes,	30.9%	25.2%
high blood pressure, including long-term treatments such as dialysis	30.9%	25.2%
Mental health care	4.2%	3.1%
Other (specify	16.6%	14.9%
Don't know	0.3%	0.2%
Refused	0.5%	0.3%

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 $^{^{13}}$ This question was asked only of those 666 respondents who said that they had seen a doctor for medical care in the past year. Percentages do not sum to 100% because respondents were allowed to choose more than one response.

Health	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
You said that you have not seen a doctor in the past year. What is your biggest barrier to obtaining medical		
care? ¹⁴		
Did not have a reason to see a doctor/did not need medical care.	53.2%	59.1%
Don't have medical insurance	20.2%	21.2%
Costs too high even with insurance	5.3%	4.0%
Anxiety or fear of doctors	1.1%	0.3%
Inability to take time off from work for appointments		6.2%
Language barriers	4.3%	
Other (specify)	1.1%	0.5%
Don't know	12.8%	7.5%
Refused	1.1%	0.6%
	1.1%	0.6%
Have you seen a dentist for professional care in the past year?		
Yes	78.1%	75.0%
No	21.8%	24.9%
Don't know	0.1%	0.1%
You said that you have seen a dentist in the past year, what treatment or treatments did you receive? 15 Filling		
Extraction	15.8%	15.2%
Cleaning	8.3%	8.0%
Crown or Bridge	92.4%	91.1%
Root canal	9.2%	6.8%
Implant	3.7%	2.9%
Other (specify)	2.4%	1.8%
Don't know	8.3%	8.8%
Refused	0.7%	0.4%
	0.3%	0.3%

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 $^{^{14}}$ This question was asked only of those 94 respondents who indicated that they had NOT seen a doctor in the past year.

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This question was asked only of those 595 respondents who indicated that they had seen a dentist in the past year. Percentages do not sum to 100 because respondents were allowed to choose more than one response.

Health	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
What is your biggest barrier to obtaining dental care? 16		
Don't have dental insurance	38.0%	41.0%
Costs too high even with dental insurance	11.4%	8.2%
Anxiety or fear of dental care	5.4%	6.1%
Lack of transportation to make appointments Inability to take time off of work for dental	1.8%	1.4%
appointments	4.2%	2.0%
Difficulty in finding a dentist who will treat me	0.6%	0.3%
Language Barriers	0.6%	0.4%
Other	37.3%	40.3%
Don't know	0.6%	0.3%
Refused	0.0%	0.0%

Housing	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
How long have you lived in your current apartment or		
house?		
Less than one year	6.4%	10.8%
Average years (more than one year)	14.2 years	11.0 years
Don't know	0.1%	0.1%

 $^{^{16}}$ This question was asked only of the 166 respondents who indicated that they had NOT seen a dentist in the past year.

Spirituality/Well-Being	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
How often do you attend public religious/spiritual		
services (in small or larger groups)?		
More than once a day	0.0%	0.0%
Once a day	0.9%	0.9%
A few times a week	17.8%	16.4%
Once a week	28.5%	29.0%
A few times a month	11.7%	11.4%
Once a month	5.4%	4.8%
Less than once a month	12.6%	11.2%
Never	22.3%	25.3%
Don't know	0.3%	0.2%
Refused	0.5%	0.7%

	2012	2012
Neighborhood/Crime	Survey	Survey
	Respondents	Respondents
	(unweighted sample)	(weighted sample)
Do you have safe places to exercise in your	Sample)	Sample)
neighborhood? (for example places to walk or bike)		
Yes	89.9%	90.3%
No	9.7%	9.5%
Don't know	0.4%	0.2%
Do you see many people being physically active in your		
neighborhood doing things like walking, jogging, cycling,		
or playing sports and active games?		
Yes	86.0%	86.9%
No	13.8%	12.8%
Don't know	0.3%	0.3%
Does your local grocery store offer fresh fruits and		
vegetables at reasonable prices?		
Yes	90.4%	91.4%
No	8.9%	8.2%
Don't know	0.7%	0.4%
In the past 12 months, have you or a member of your		
household been a victim of a serious crime?		
Yes	4.1%	6.0%
No	95.9%	94.0%
How satisfied are you with the police in general?	44.00/	00.00/
Very satisfied	44.2%	33.9%
Somewhat satisfied	46.6%	54.8%
Somewhat dissatisfied	6.3%	6.9%
Very dissatisfied Don't know	2.1%	3.9% 0.5%
	0.8%	0.5%
How satisfied are you with the job the local police are		
doing working together with local residents to solve neighborhood problems?		
Very satisfied	38.3%	28.9%
Somewhat satisfied	43.6%	49.9%
Somewhat dissatisfied	8.3%	8.7%
Very dissatisfied	3.5%	6.1%
Don't know	5.9%	5.2%
Refused	0.4%	1.2%
Did you have contact with the local police in the past six		
months?		
Yes	32.3%	34.2%
No	67.6%	65.8%
Don't know	0.1%	0.1%

Neighborhood/Crime	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
How satisfied were you with the most recent contact you		
had with the police in the past six months? ¹⁷		
Very satisfied	60.6%	51.5%
Somewhat satisfied	22.8%	25.1%
Somewhat dissatisfied	7.7%	8.4%
Very dissatisfied	7.3%	13.8%
Don't know	1.6%	1.3%
People in my neighborhood share the same values.		
Strongly agree	23.0%	19.0%
Agree	53.1%	53.9%
Disagree	13.0%	14.6%
Strongly disagree	5.0%	6.2%
Don't know	5.9%	6.2%

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 $^{^{17}}$ This question was asked only of the 246 respondents who indicated that they had contact with police in the past six months.

	2012	2012
Military	Survey	Survey
	Respondents	Respondents
	(unweighted	(weighted
	sample)	sample)
Are you or anyone in your household active duty military?		
Yes, myself	2.2%	4.4%
Yes, my spouse/partner	3.4%	3.1%
Yes, both myself and partner	0.4%	0.4%
Yes, other	1.3%	3.0%
No	92.7%	89.1%
Which branches are you/they affiliated with? Check all		
that apply ¹⁸ .		
Army	14.3%	13.2%
Navy	87.5%	88.1%
Air Force	1.8%	0.7%
Marines	0.0%	0.0%
Coast Guard	1.8%	0.9%
As a military-connected parent, how important is it to you		
that school staff members are aware of military family life		
experiences such as transition and deployment 19?		
Not important	3.6%	3.3%
Minimally important	3.6%	4.0%
Important	17.9%	25.0%
Very important	75.0%	67.7%
As a military connected parent, how satisfied are you with		
how aware school staff are of issues related to transition,		
deployment, and other aspects of military life ²⁰ ?		
Very satisfied	42.9%	41.1%
Somewhat satisfied	46.4%	48.1%
Somewhat dissatisfied	10.7%	10.8%
Very dissatisfied	0.0%	0.0%

 $^{^{18}}$ This question was asked only of the 56 respondents who indicated that someone in their household was active

duty military. 19 This question was asked only of those 28 respondents whose households had both active duty military personnel and children in either public or private school.

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and children in either public or private school.

Military	2012 Survey Respondents (unweighted sample)	2012 Survey Respondents (weighted sample)
Compared to other children, military connected children have unique academic needs ²¹ .		
Strongly agree	28.6%	25.8%
Agree	32.1%	36.3%
Disagree	35.7%	34.1%
Strongly disagree	3.6%	3.8%
Compared to other children, military connected children		
have unique social or emotional needs ²² .		
Strongly agree	32.1%	37.8%
Agree	50.0%	43.4%
Disagree	17.9%	18.8%
Strongly disagree	0.0%	0.0%
Are you familiar with the interstate children's compact?		
Would you say you are ²³		
Very familiar	3.6%	2.9%
Somewhat familiar	7.1%	5.7%
Not at all familiar	89.3%	91.4%

²¹ This question was asked only of those 28 respondents whose households had both active duty military personnel and children in either public or private school.

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