

# Selected Nonprofit Policy Issues National Survey



# KEY FINDINGS

1. Overwhelming support for continuing and expanding charitable tax credit
2. Americans want charities to help federal government function more effectively
3. African Americans, young, working Americans, and frequent churchgoers, are very supportive of charities and nonprofits' involvement in government
4. Finding public policy solutions that are fair, equitable, or proportional are important to the majority of Americans

# Expanding Charitable Tax Deduction

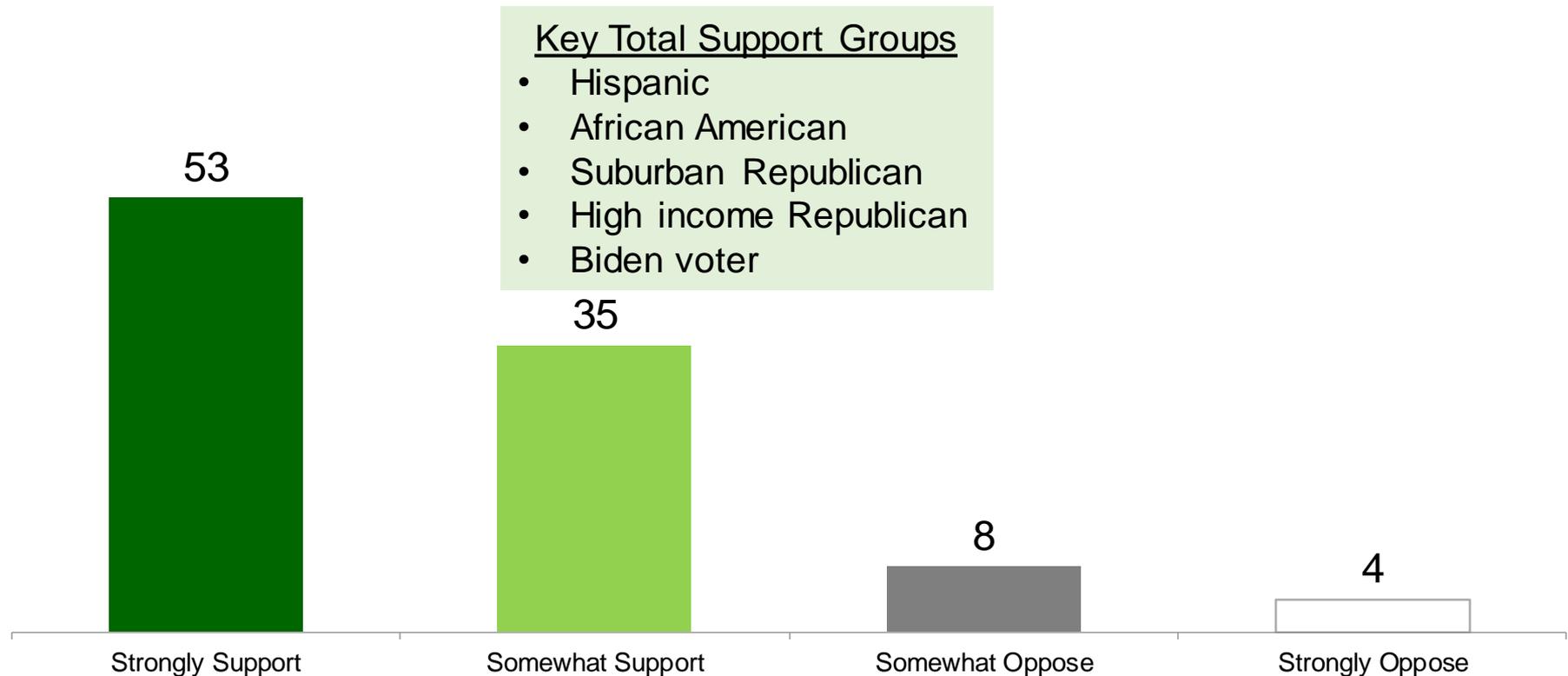


# Voters Support Expanding Opportunities for Charitable Giving

Ordinarily, 85 to 90 percent of Americans cannot claim a deduction for their charitable contributions. However, Congress passed a new law that temporarily permits everyone to claim a charitable tax deduction of up to \$300 on their 2021 federal income tax returns. Would you support or oppose making this deduction permanent, allowing everyone to receive a tax break on their taxes when they make charitable contributions?

Total Support: 88% | Total Oppose: 12%

Over 85% of all income and age levels and all churchgoers support charitable deductions for everyone



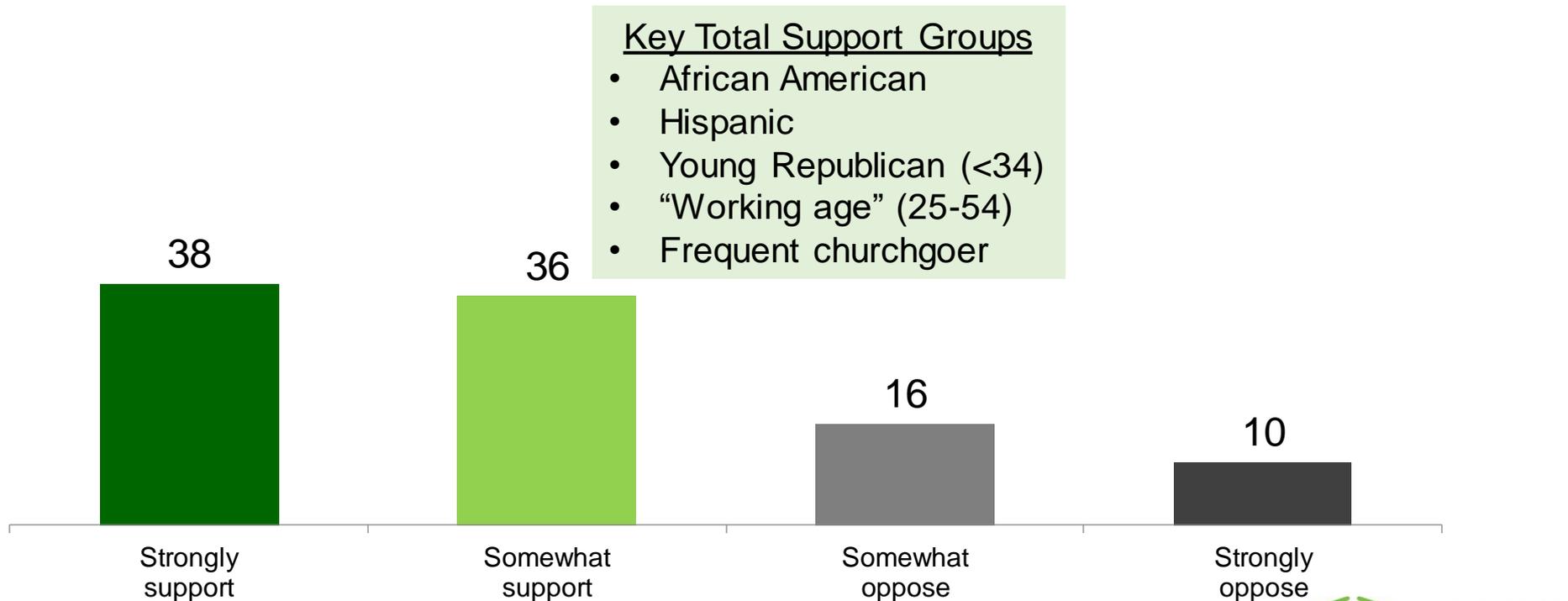
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# Charitable Tax Deduction Increase Also Supported

Would you support expanding that credit to provide for a charitable tax deduction up to \$4,000?

Total Support: 74% | Total Oppose: 26%

Over 70% of all income groups, Republican, Independent, and Democratic voters show support for expanding the tax credit



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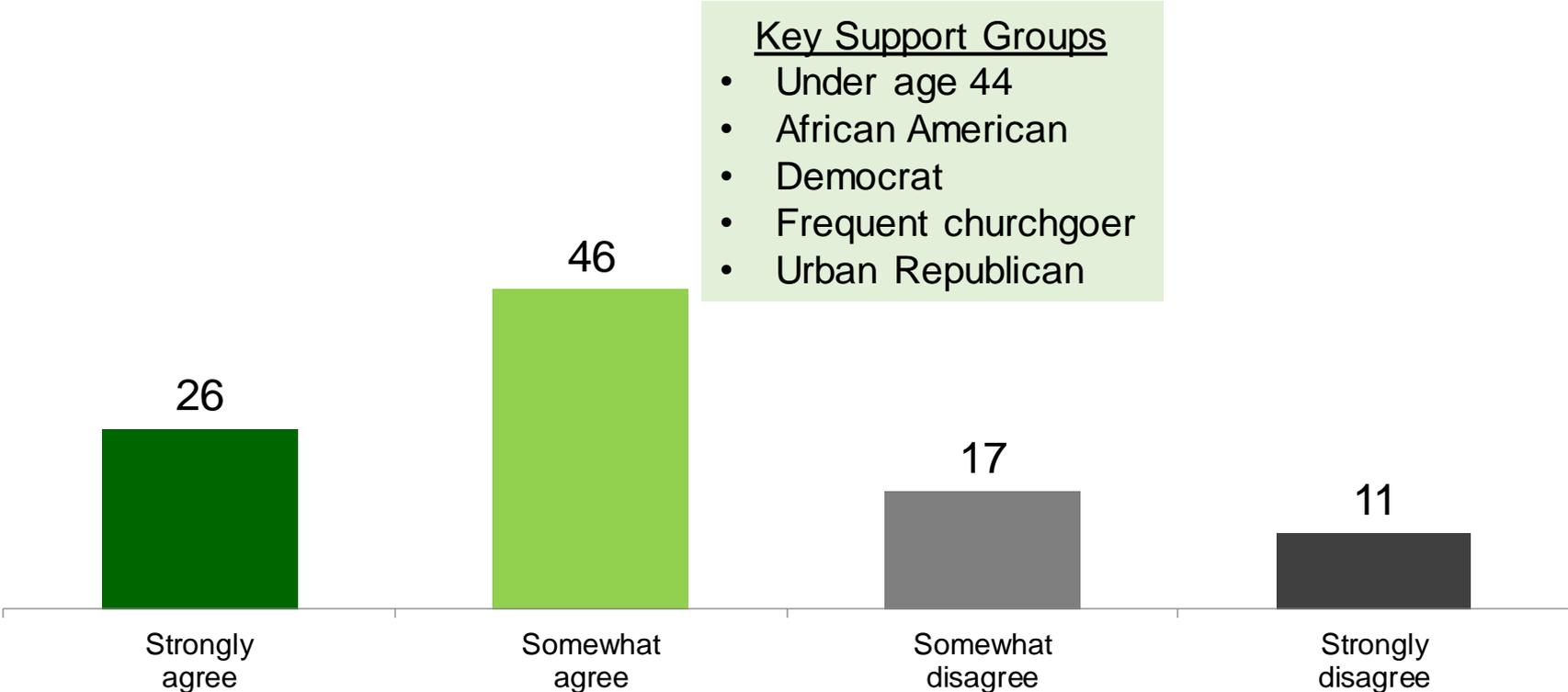
# Charity/Nonprofit Involvement in Government

# Charities Can Help Government Solve Local Challenges

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The federal government could better solve challenges facing local communities if charities and nonprofits were officially represented within the Administration

Total Agree: 72% | Total Disagree: 28%

Over 65% of all income groups, races/ethnicities, and Democratic, Republican and Independent voters show support for representing charities in the Administration

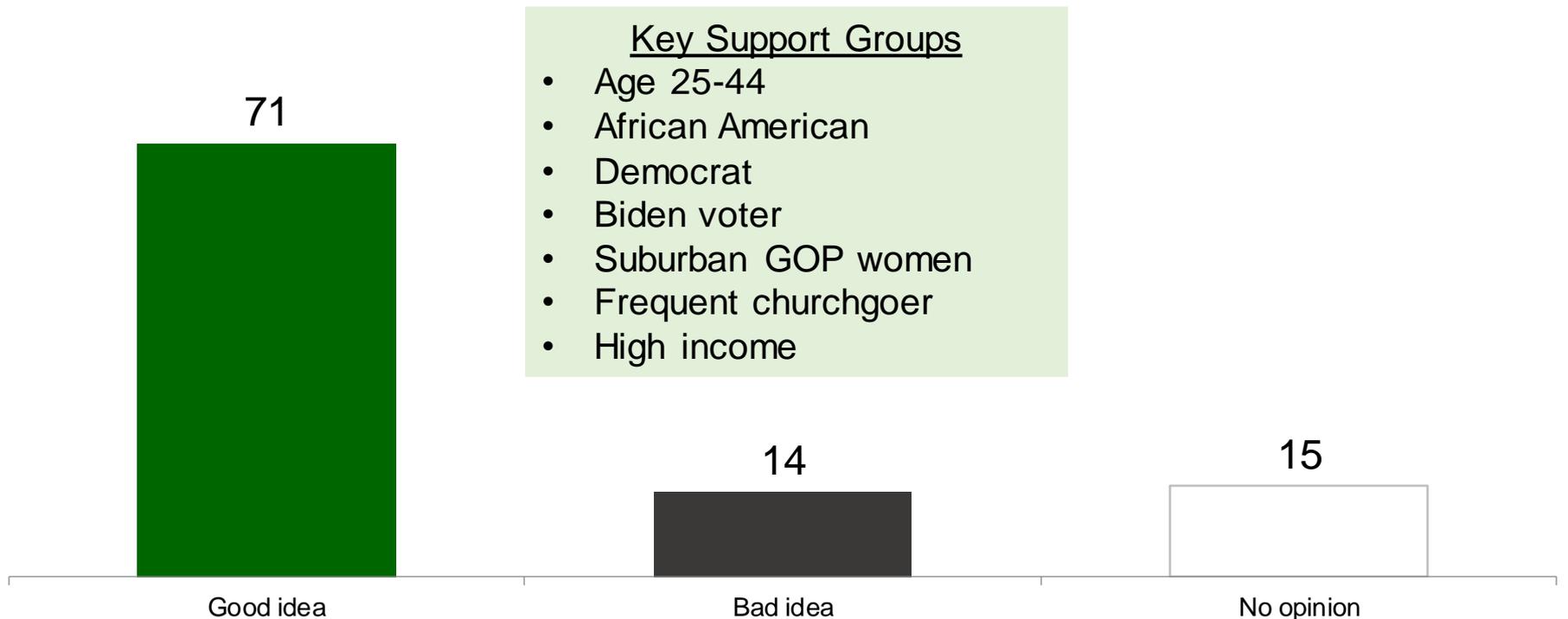


- Key Support Groups
- Under age 44
  - African American
  - Democrat
  - Frequent churchgoer
  - Urban Republican

# Charities Offering Voting Services Is a Good Idea

Currently charities, like churches, senior homes, and local food banks are allowed to help members of their communities vote by providing services such as transportation on election day or assisting in voter registration updates. Do you think it is a good idea or a bad idea for these charities to offer these services?

Over 65% of all African American, white, Hispanic, and frequent churchgoers think charities offering services is a good idea

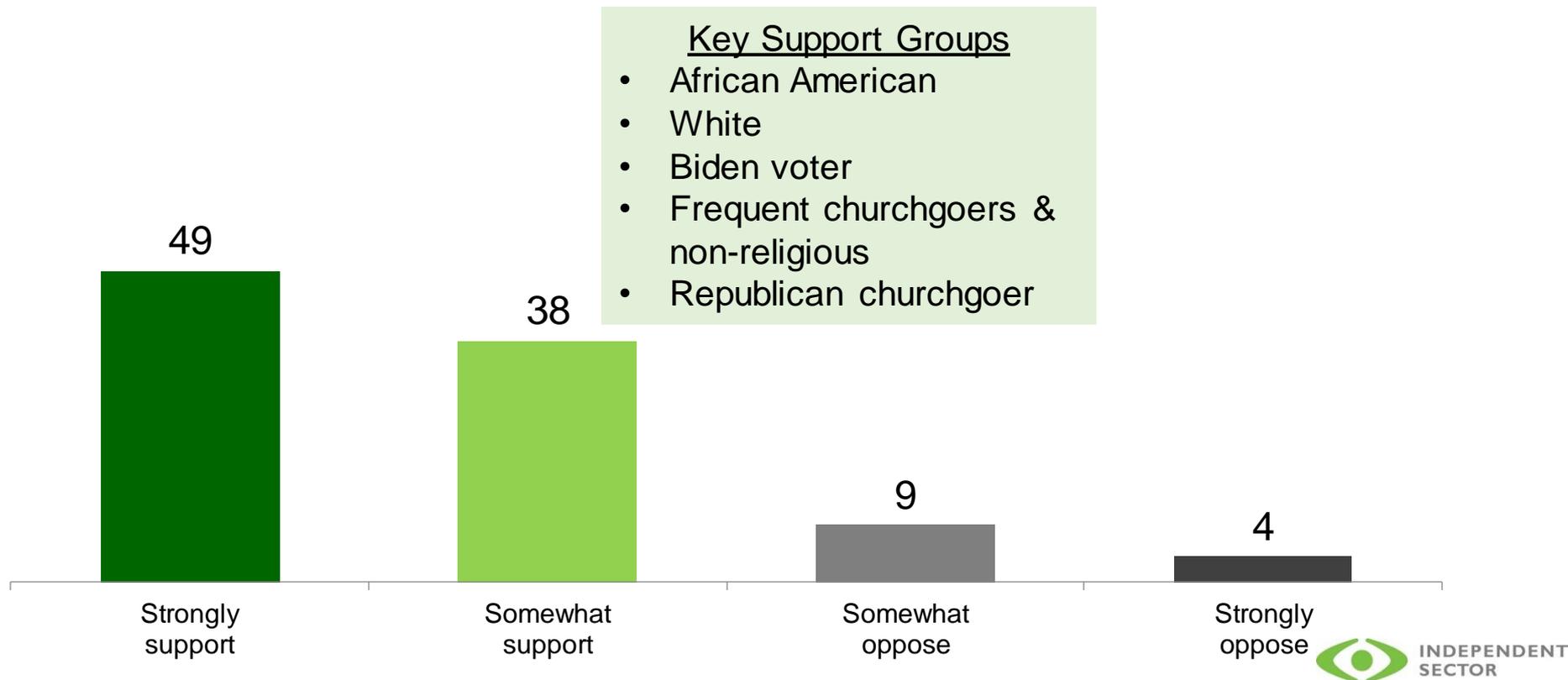


# Americans Support Educating Policymakers and Businesses

Would you support local charities educating policymakers and businesses about the needs of the communities they serve?

Total Support: 87% | Total Oppose: 13%

Over 80% of all age and income groups, Democrat, Republican, and Independent voters show support for charities educating policymakers and businesses

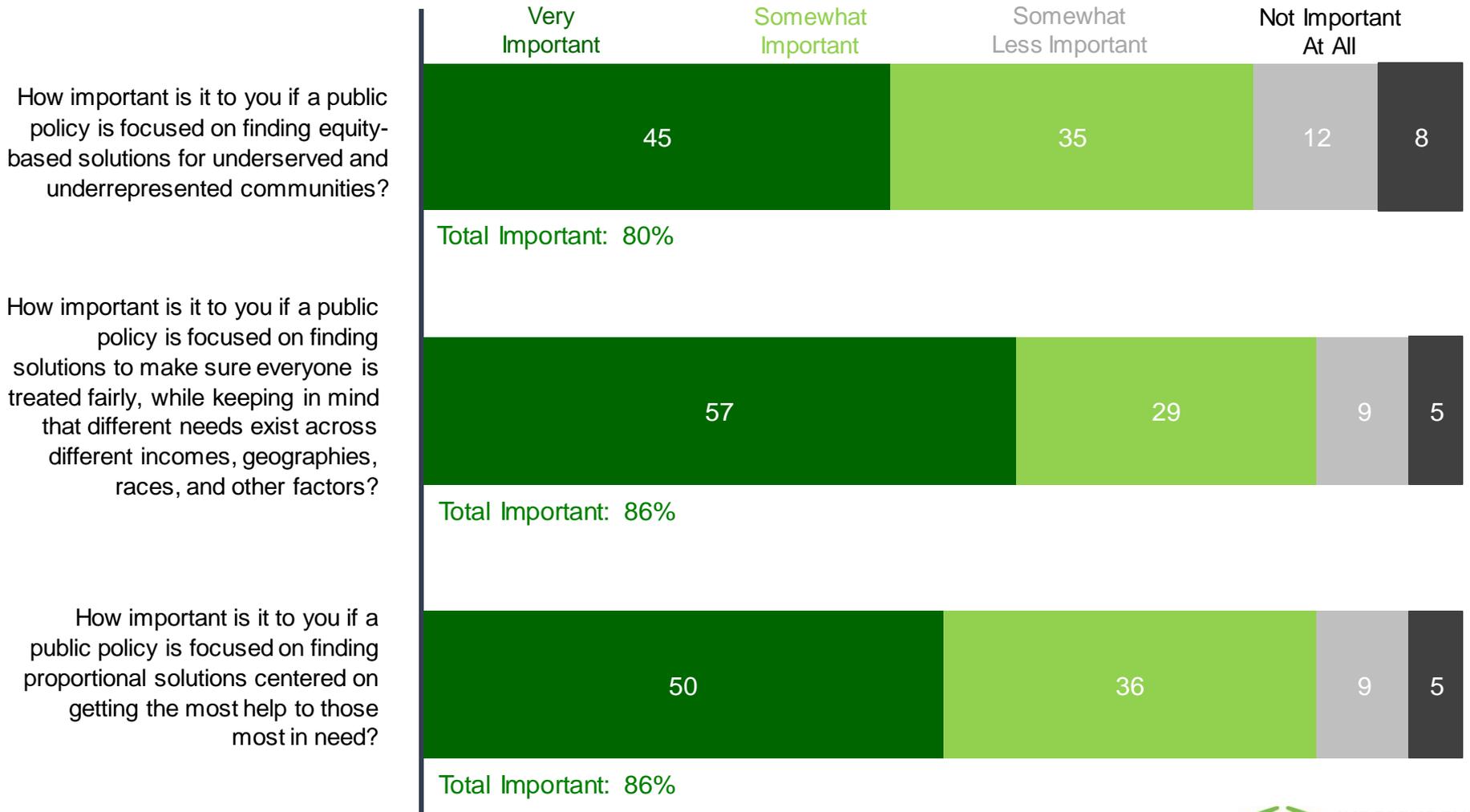


# Finding Public Policy Solutions



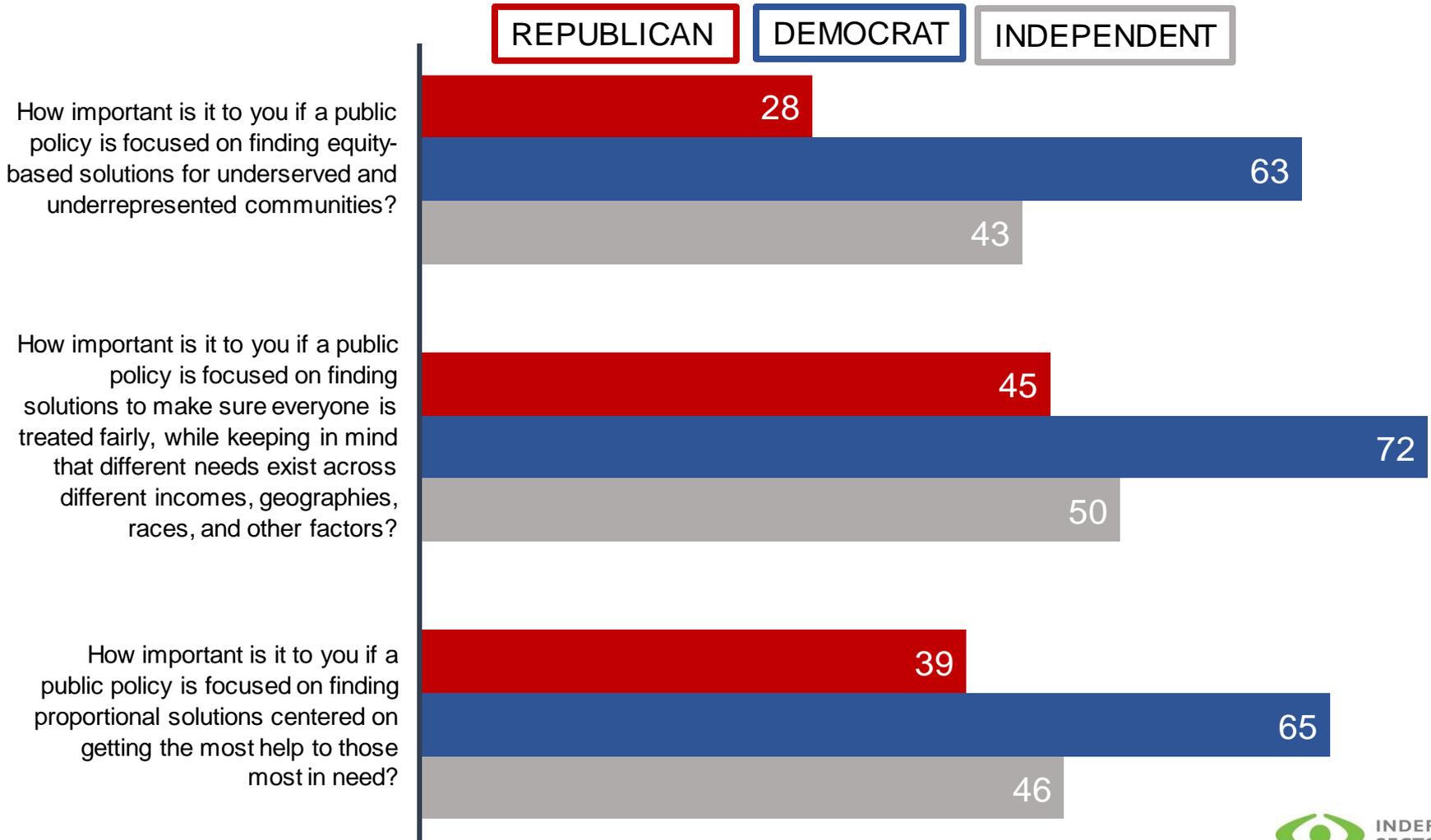
# All Public Policy Solutions Supported by Majority

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# Republican and Independent Voters Show Similar Support

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# Research Methodology

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1094 Interviews  
among self-identified  
voters nationwide

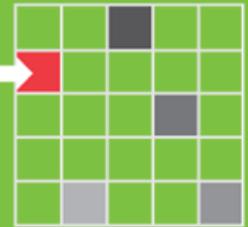


Interviews  
conducted using  
autodial and  
online interviews



Conducted  
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