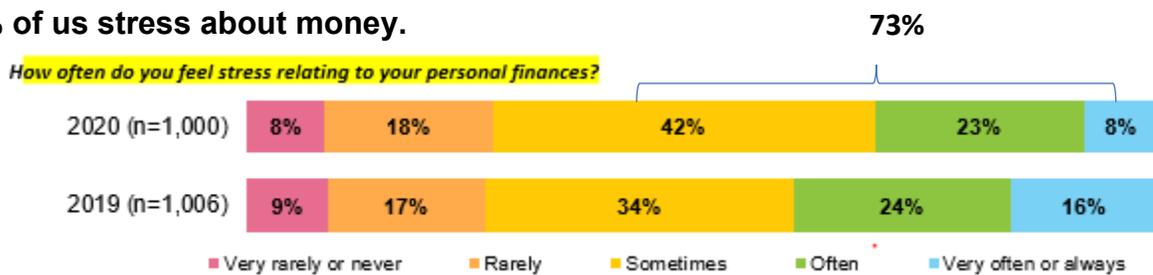


SECTION ONE Living Standards

Half of Calgarians dollars don't go far enough.
33% sometimes struggle to afford the basics like rent, utilities, and groceries, and 17% often or always struggle.

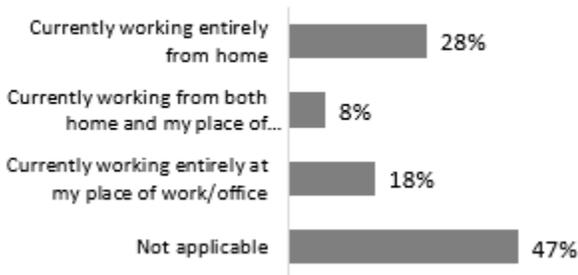


73% of us stress about money.



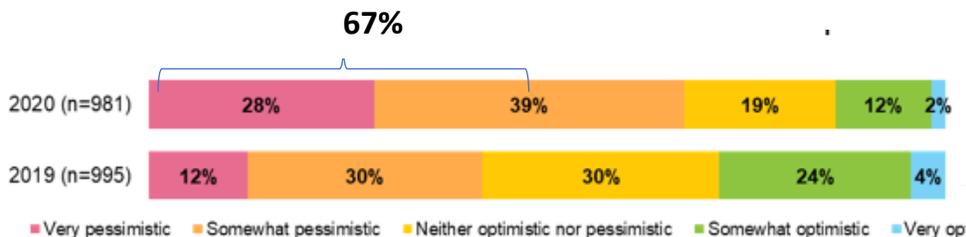
Life is more stressful if you can't work from home.
45% of Calgarians who work outside the home feel financial stress vs 25% who work remotely.

Remote working situation as a result of the COVID-19 Pandemic:



(Source: Analysis from survey responses about work situation and personal finances)

We're also more pessimistic about our economy. 67% vs. 42% in 2019.



And it's getting harder to find work. In 2019, 1/2 of us felt we could find suitable employment. This year it dropped to 27%.

Ability to find suitable employment



Higher education isn't always an option. 1/4 of Calgarians struggle to afford post-secondary education. It's harder for Indigenous people, 54% struggle.



We're more optimistic about housing.

43% rate affordable homeownership options as good/excellent vs. 31% in 2019.

Availability of affordable home ownership options to meet your needs

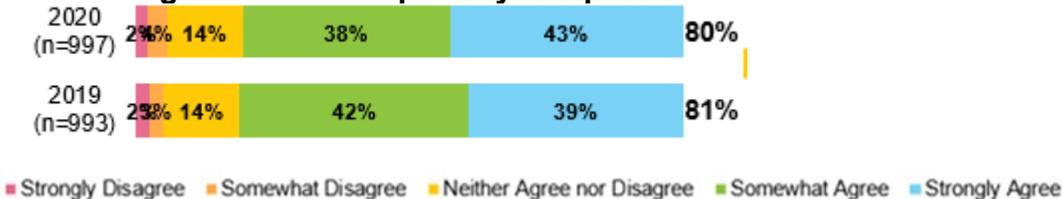


41% rate affordable rental options as good/excellent vs. 26% in 2019.

Availability of affordable rental accommodation to meet your needs



80% of Calgarians believe poverty is a problem we need to address.



SECTION TWO Environment + Transportation

The pandemic has affirmed our appreciation for nature.
92% value our access to local, provincial, and national parks.



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79% rate Calgary's green space and parks as good/excellent. (75% in 2019)



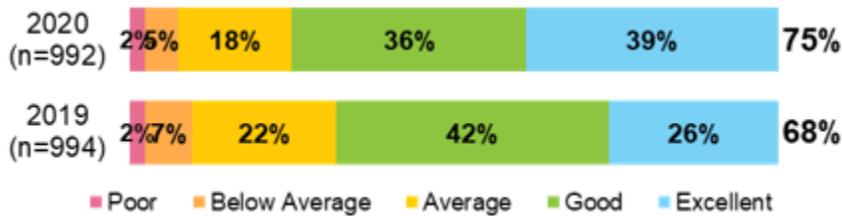
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65% love our bike lanes and pathways. (66% in 2019)



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75% think our neighbourhoods are great for walking. (68% in 2019)



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45% are growing our own food, up from 37% in 2019.

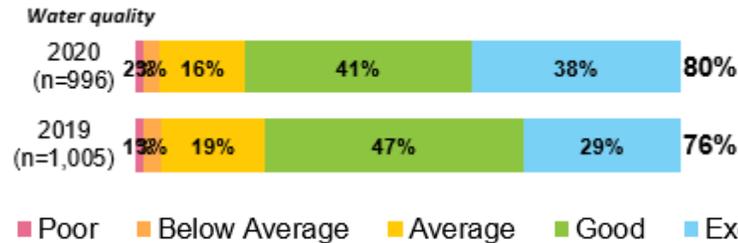


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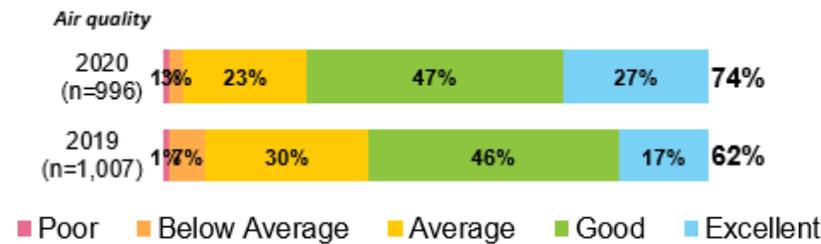
We're a little more optimistic about the quality of air and water.
62% of us rated Calgary's environmental sustainability as good/excellent. (56% in 2019)



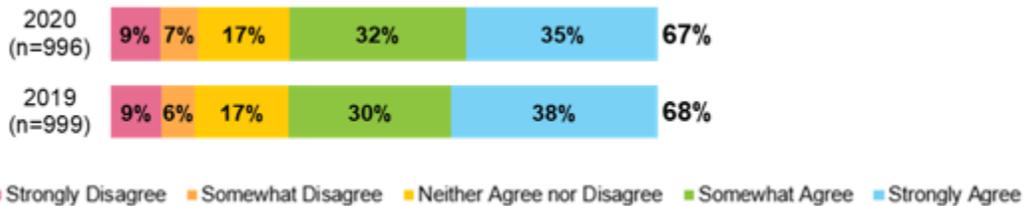
80% of us rated Calgary's water quality as good/excellent.



74% of us rated Calgary's air quality as good/excellent.



67% are concerned about climate change.
The number jumps to 86% if you're under 25 years old.



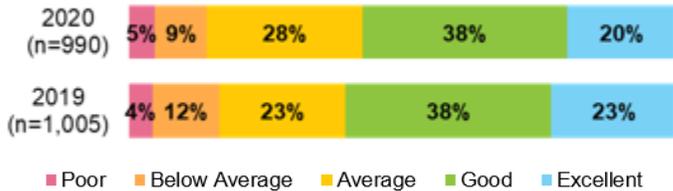
- **86% of those under 25 are concerned**
 - Strongly agree: 53%
 - Somewhat agree: 33%
 - Neither agree nor disagree: 12%
 - Somewhat disagree: 2%
 - Strongly disagree: 1%

SECTION THREE Wellness + Connections

If you're under 25 you're more likely to:

Feel lonely and rate mental health as below average.

28% rate their mental health as below average/poor vs. 12% of people aged 25+ (14% poor/below average stat below includes people under 25, 12% reflects just people aged 25+)



Mental Health ratings for people under 25 years:

13% excellent

33% good

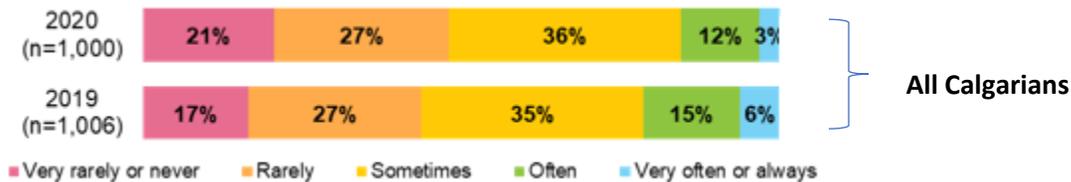
26% average

15% below average

13% poor

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Although half of us are never or rarely lonely, the younger we are, the lonelier.



Often/always lonely by age group:

18-24 years: 30%

25-64 years: 15%

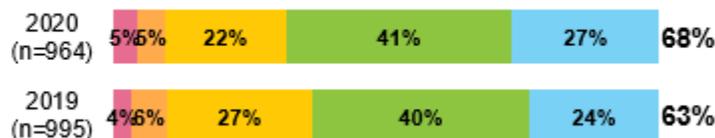
65+: 6%

Believe the arts help us appreciate other perspectives.

81% of people under 25 say the arts helps them appreciate other perspectives and cultures vs. 66% of people aged 25+.

(68% somewhat/strongly agree stat below includes people under 25, 66% reflects just people aged 25+)

The arts help me appreciate other perspectives and cultures



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Believe it's important to understand an Indigenous perspective.

93% of people under 25 believe it's important to learn about shared history from an Indigenous perspective, including the impacts of residential schools and intergenerational trauma vs. 73% of Calgarians.

(75% stat for somewhat/strongly agree below includes people under 25, 73% reflects people aged 25+)



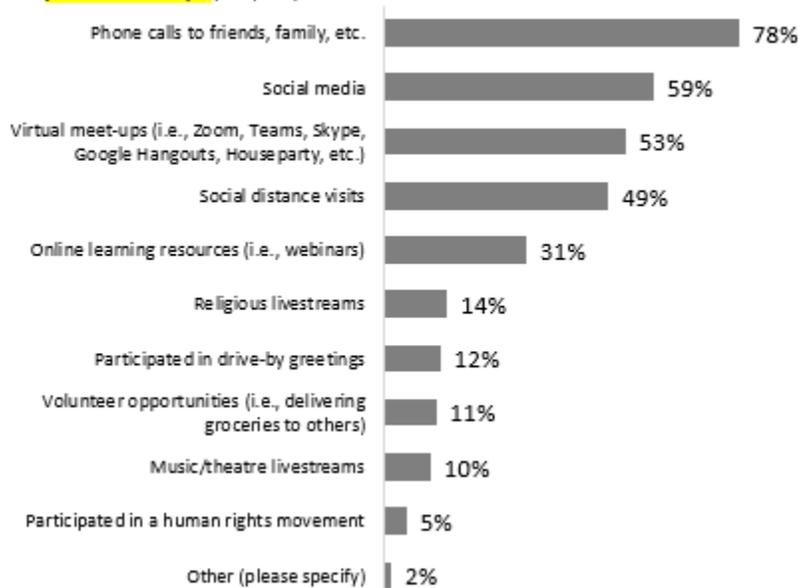
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Have participated in a human rights movement.

17% of people under 25 participated in a human rights movement during the pandemic vs. 3% of Calgarians

(5% stat for participated in human rights movement below includes people under 25, 3% reflects people aged 25+)

During the pandemic, how have you stayed connected to your community? (n=1,000)



Like to scoot around.

26% of 18-34 year old's have used a scooter, but 88% of Calgarians haven't.

E-scooter

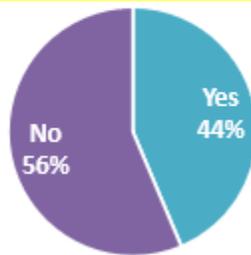


- Never (have not used in the past year)
- Rarely (a few times a month or less)
- Occasionally (a few times a week)

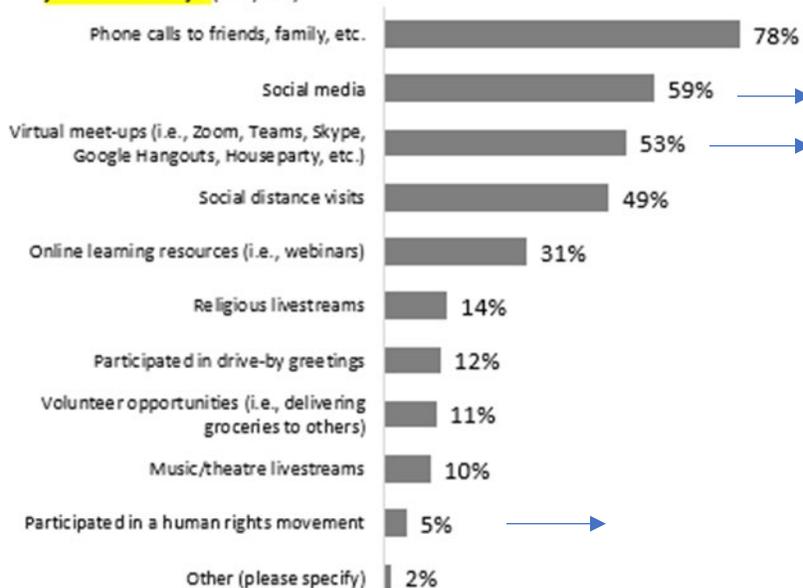
SECTION FOUR Giving Back & Values

During the pandemic, we've shown up for each other. 44% volunteered, donated to a charity or contributed to community building, more than half of us stayed connected through social media and virtual meet-ups.

During the pandemic, have you volunteered, donated to charities, or contributed in other ways to the community? (n=1,000)



During the pandemic, how have you stayed connected to your community? (n=1,000)



We also feel good showing up for our city. 3/4 of us feel comfortable exercising our rights and freedoms politically and religiously.

I feel I have the opportunity to exercise my rights and freedoms (e.g., religious, political)



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Only half of us think it makes a difference. 50% of Calgarians feel they have the ability to make a difference in our community. That number drops to 24% for Indigenous people.

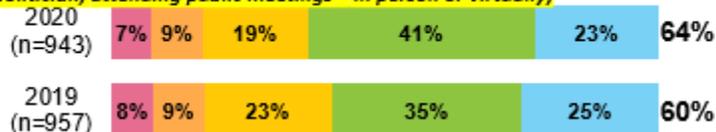
I feel I have the opportunity to make a difference in my community



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We're more engaged when we've felt threatened or unsafe. Calgarians who often feel threatened or unsafe due to differences in skin colour, gender, religion, ethnicity, language or sexual orientation, are nearly 20% more civically engaged than people who generally don't feel unsafe.

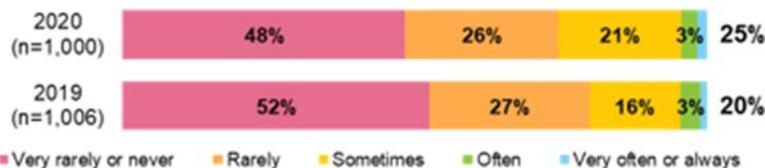
I participate in activities that strengthen democracy (e.g., voting, write a letter to a politician, attending public meetings – in person or virtually)



All Calgarians

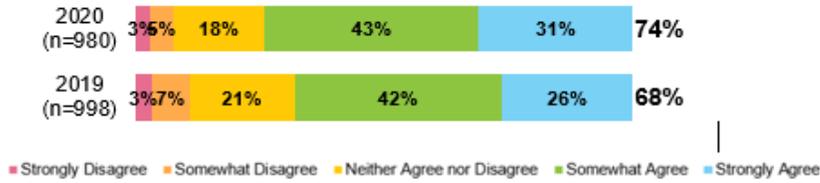
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FREQUENCY OF FEELING THREATENED OR UNSAFE BECAUSE OF ONES RELIGION, ETHNICITY, SKIN COLOUR, CULTURE, LANGUAGE, ACCENT, GENDER, OR SEXUAL ORIENTATION



Source: Analysis from survey responses from people who often/always feel threatened or unsafe because of their skin colour, gender, religion, sexual orientation, ethnicity, etc.: 80% participate in democracy strengthening activities compared to those who have rarely (66%) or sometimes (55%) felt threatened.

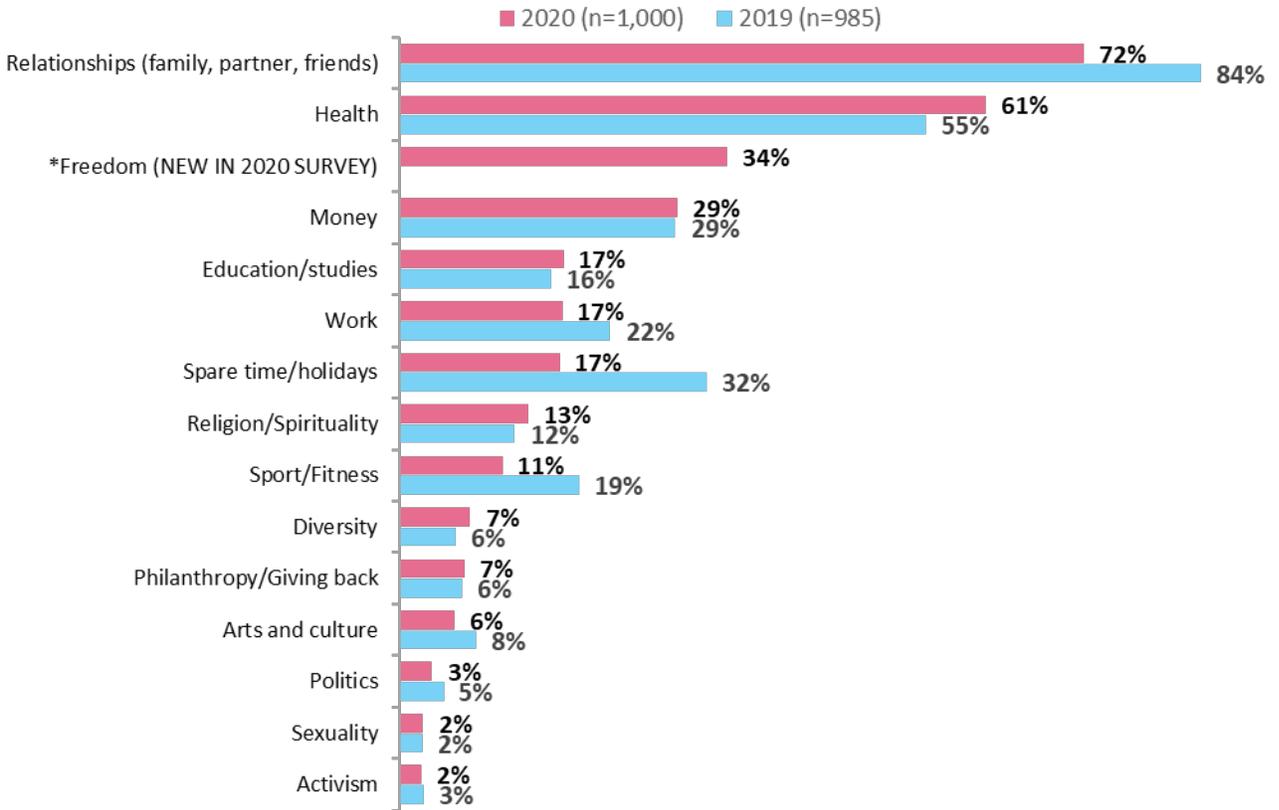
**We believe the arts have an important role to play.
74% believe a strong arts and culture scene is key to creating a vibrant city.**



What would make life better? Diversity on all fronts -- a more diversified economy and stronger cultural diversity.



**The things we value most are:
Relationships (72%), Health (61%), Freedom (34%), Money (29%)**



SECTION FIVE Equity & Racial Justice

82% believe racism towards Black, Indigenous, and People of Colour exists.

I believe that racism towards Black, Indigenous, and People of Colour exists



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Half of us believe we're committed to doing something about it.

56% believe Calgarians are committed to anti-racism, equity, and inclusion – but that belief drops to 53% for Indigenous people, and to 35% for Black Calgarians.

Calgarians are committed to anti-racism, equity, and inclusion

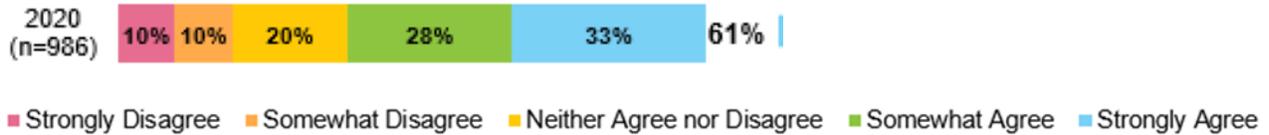


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We believe there's a problem with our policing.

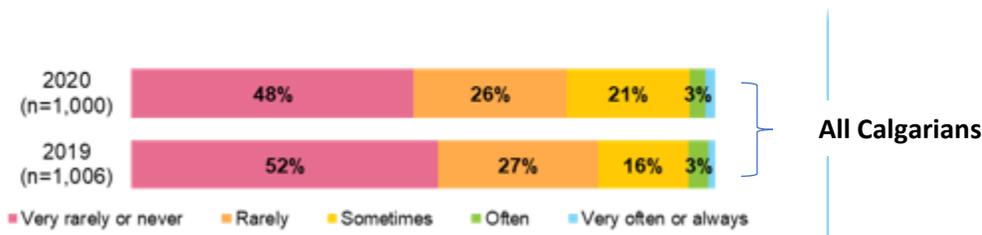
Most Calgarians (61%) think that Black and Indigenous people experience disproportionate levels of violence by the police and RCMP. That belief jumps to 72% if you're Black and/or Indigenous.

I believe that Black and/or Indigenous people experience disproportionate levels of violence by police/RCMP



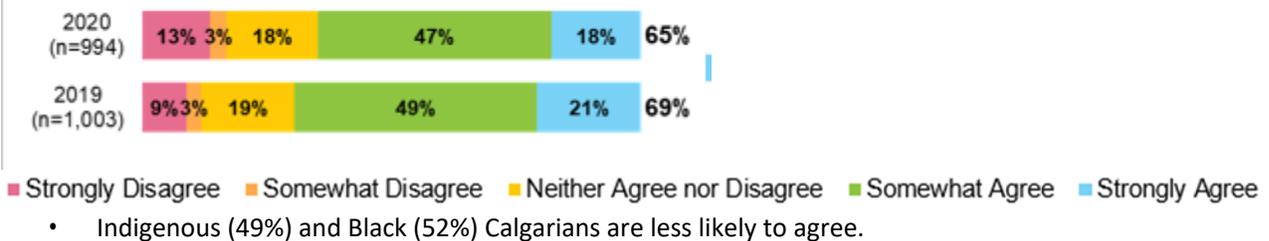
67% of Black Calgarians have felt unsafe or threatened.

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Many Black and Indigenous Calgarians don't feel we are an accepting city. 1/2 of Calgary's Black and 1/2 of Calgary's Indigenous population believe Calgarians are not accepting of people from diverse backgrounds

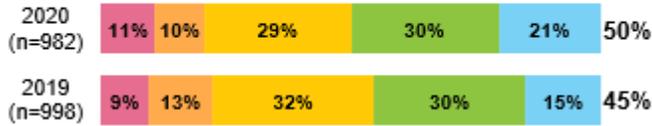
Calgarians are accepting of people with diverse backgrounds (e.g., religion, ethnicity, skin colour, culture, language, or sexual orientation)



Let's put our views on view.

Half of us believe there should be greater emphasis on creating public art that honours Black, Indigenous, and People of Colour's histories and cultures.

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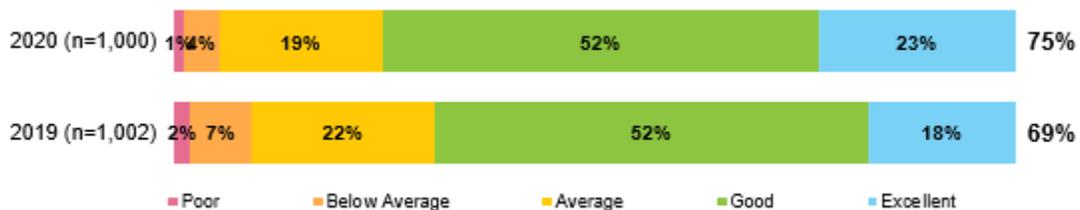
SECTION SIX. People & City

The pandemic put things into perspective.

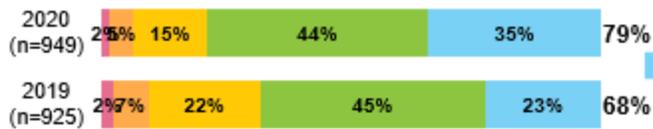
We feel better about our quality of life.

75% vs. 69% in 2019 rate quality of life in Calgary as good/excellent.

How would you rate your overall quality of life in Calgary?



79% vs 68% in 2019 think Calgary is a great place to raise kids.

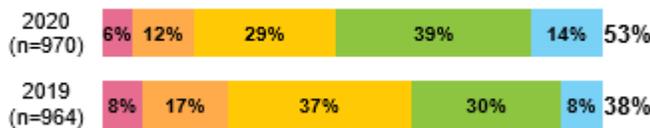


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59% vs. 44% in 2019

People over 65 think Calgary is a great place for seniors to live.

Calgary is a great place for seniors to live



All Calgarians

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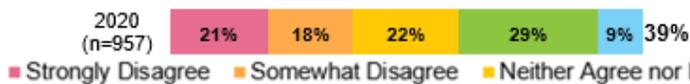
Source: Seniors (65+ years) in Calgary... Agree Calgary is a great place for seniors to live (59%)

Disagree a senior care home is an option they would consider for themselves or family members (56%)

We don't feel as good about our senior care homes.

39% of Calgarians wouldn't choose a senior care home for themselves or their loved ones **56%** of our seniors wouldn't choose to live in a senior care home or consider it for their loved ones.

Senior care homes are an option I would consider for myself or family members



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Seniors also feel good in general. Over half of Calgarians (57%) are happy with their mental health but it jumps to 78% for seniors.

State of mental health



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Even physically distanced, we're doing okay.

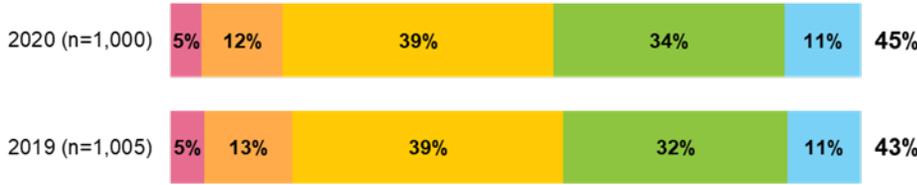
68% are happy with our social networks. 68% vs. 62% in 2019

I am happy with my social network



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45% have a strong sense of belonging. 43% in 2019



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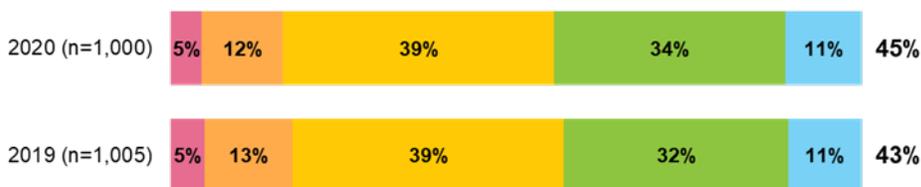
71% are able to cope with daily stress. 69% in 2019

Currently, I feel that I am able to cope with my daily stress



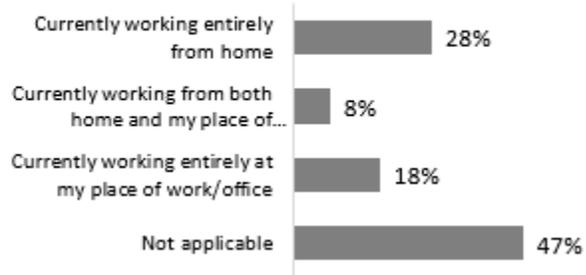
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And interestingly, those of us that work remotely have a stronger sense of belonging. 55% of Calgarians that work remotely have a strong sense of belonging vs those who work outside the home (35%).



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Remote working situation as a result of the COVID-19 Pandemic:



Source: data pulled from the responses of survey questions relating to work situation and sense of belonging.