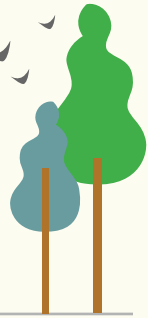


TREES ARE ESSENTIAL

100% of survey respondents agree urban forests are essential for healthy communities

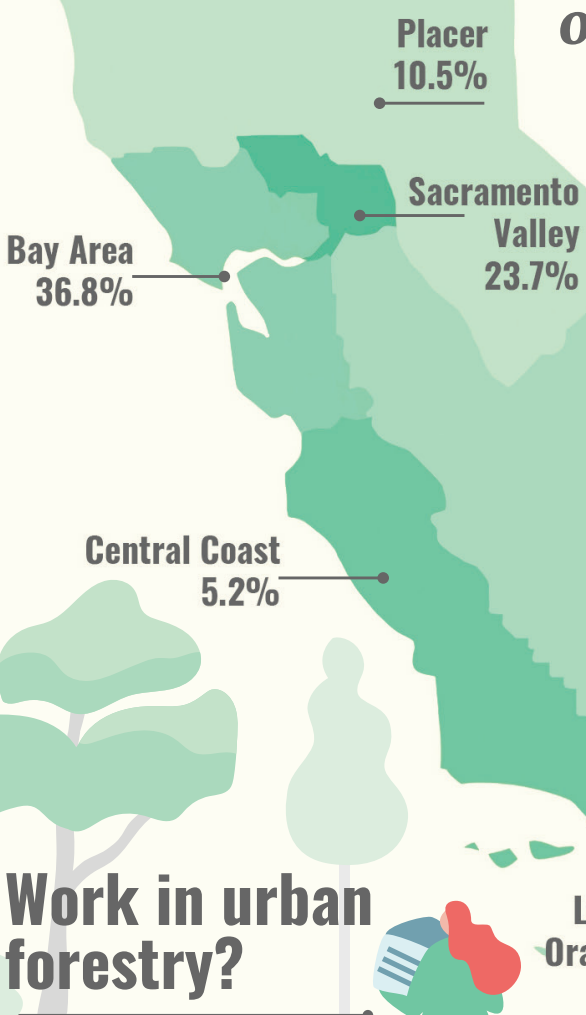


"...the trails are busier than ever"

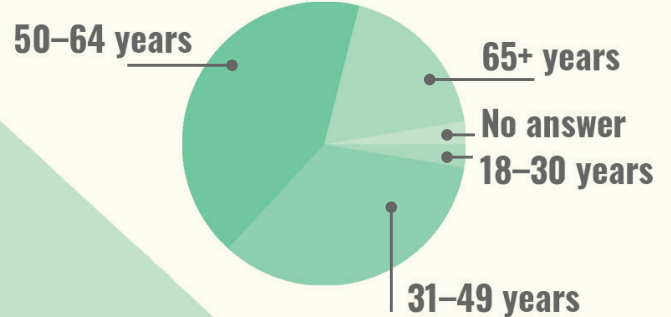


Where we live:

"I've never seen so many people out in nature taking walks."



Age of respondents:



Work in urban forestry?

YES: 52.6%
NO: 47.4%



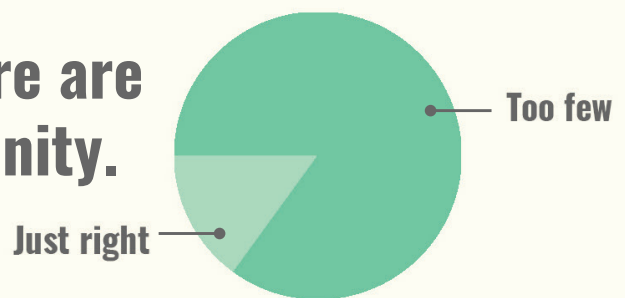
Los Angeles/Orange County 13.2%

Inland 2.6%

San Diego 7.9%

"It brings a sense of peace to be able to go to an open green space."

85% of respondents say there are too few trees in their community.



More people are spending time in urban nature, visiting local parks, taking walks and gardening.

YES: 68%
NO: 32%

Respondents who see community behavior toward access to parks and greenspace has changed.



"COVID has made people go outside & consequently they appreciate their parks more."

Are you seeing community members getting more involved in urban forestry issues?

YES: 32%
NO: 68%

BUT: Appreciation ≠ greater involvement



Most important benefit urban trees provide in your neighborhood:

55%
Make my area cooler

35%
Encourage exercise

10%
Don't have any trees

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