

VicPD 2022 Community Survey Raw Results - Victoria

Number of records in this query: 856
Total records in survey: 1300
Percentage of total: 65.80%

Summary for A01

Based on the address to which this survey was delivered, I live in, or my business is located in:

Answer	Count	Percentage
Esquimalt (A1)	0	0.00%
Victoria (A2)	856	100.00%
No answer	0	0.00%
Not completed or Not displayed	0	0.00%

Summary for A02

Do you think that crime where you live or where your business is (in Victoria or Esquimalt) has increased, decreased or remained the same during the last 5 years?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Increased (A1)	509	59.46%
Decreased (A2)	33	3.86%
Remained the same (A3)	289	33.76%
No answer	25	2.92%
Not completed or Not displayed	0	0.00%

Summary for A03(SQ001)[Walking in my neighbourhood during the day.]

Please tell us how safe you feel. For Victoria residents, "downtown" refers to downtown Victoria. For Esquimalt residents, "downtown" refers to the Esquimalt Plaza area.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Very Unsafe (A1)	11	1.29%
Somewhat Unsafe (A2)	61	7.13%
Somewhat Safe (A3)	186	21.73%
Very Safe (A4)	594	69.39%
No answer	2	0.23%
Not completed or Not displayed	2	0.23%

Summary for A03(SQ002)[Walking in my neighbourhood at night.]

Please tell us how safe you feel. For Victoria residents, "downtown" refers to downtown Victoria. For Esquimalt residents, "downtown" refers to the Esquimalt Plaza area.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Very Unsafe (A1)	79	9.23%
Somewhat Unsafe (A2)	223	26.05%
Somewhat Safe (A3)	328	38.32%

Very Safe (A4)	217	25.35%
No answer	7	0.82%
Not completed or Not displayed	2	0.23%

Summary for A03(SQ003)[Walking downtown during the day.]

Please tell us how safe you feel. For Victoria residents, "downtown" refers to downtown Victoria. For Esquimalt residents, "downtown" refers to the Esquimalt Plaza area.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Very Unsafe (A1)	30	3.50%
Somewhat Unsafe (A2)	182	21.26%
Somewhat Safe (A3)	346	40.42%
Very Safe (A4)	291	34.00%
No answer	5	0.58%
Not completed or Not displayed	2	0.23%

Summary for A03(SQ004)[Walking downtown at night.]

Please tell us how safe you feel. For Victoria residents, "downtown" refers to downtown Victoria. For Esquimalt residents, "downtown" refers to the Esquimalt Plaza area.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Very Unsafe (A1)	282	32.94%
Somewhat Unsafe (A2)	317	37.03%
Somewhat Safe (A3)	192	22.43%
Very Safe (A4)	56	6.54%
No answer	7	0.82%
Not completed or Not displayed	2	0.23%

Summary for A04

Which one problem in your community should VicPD pay closer attention to?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Assault (A1)	45	5.26%
Breaking and entering (A2)	109	12.73%
Domestic violence (A3)	11	1.29%
Drug possession and open drug use (A4)	92	10.75%
Drug trafficking (A5)	74	8.64%
Graffiti and vandalism (A6)	24	2.80%
Homelessness (A7)	178	20.79%
Mental health (A8)	143	16.71%
Robbery (A9)	16	1.87%
Sexual assault (A10)	22	2.57%
Shoplifting and thefts (A11)	25	2.92%
Traffic, including speeding, distracted driving and impaired driving (A12)	97	11.33%
No answer	16	1.87%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A05

Have you personally been the victim of a crime committed in Victoria/Esquimalt or the surrounding area in the past 5 years?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Yes (A1)	252	29.44%
No (A2)	596	69.63%
No answer	4	0.47%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A06(SQ001)[Approachable]

Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Agree (A1)	645	75.35%
Disagree (A2)	65	7.59%
I don't know (A3)	139	16.24%
No answer	3	0.35%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A06(SQ002)[Committed to their job]

Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Agree (A1)	584	68.22%
Disagree (A2)	28	3.27%
I don't know (A3)	235	27.45%
No answer	5	0.58%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A06(SQ003)[Courteous and polite]

Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Agree (A1)	636	74.30%
Disagree (A2)	47	5.49%
I don't know (A3)	164	19.16%
No answer	5	0.58%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A06(SQ004)[Look professional]

Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Agree (A1)	781	91.24%
Disagree (A2)	23	2.69%
I don't know (A3)	43	5.02%
No answer	5	0.58%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A06(SQ005)[Accountable]

Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Agree (A1)	382	44.63%
Disagree (A2)	89	10.40%
I don't know (A3)	376	43.93%
No answer	5	0.58%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A07(SQ001)[I would feel comfortable talking to any VicPD officer.]

Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Completely Agree (A1)	449	52.45%
Agree (A2)	264	30.84%
Undecided (A3)	65	7.59%
Disagree (A4)	49	5.72%
Strongly Disagree (A5)	17	1.99%
No answer	8	0.93%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A07(SQ002)[Police and citizens, working together, can help make this a better place to live and work.]

Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Completely Agree (A1)	561	65.54%
Agree (A2)	224	26.17%
Undecided (A3)	31	3.62%
Disagree (A4)	16	1.87%
Strongly Disagree (A5)	11	1.29%
No answer	9	1.05%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A07(SQ003)[I am proud of VicPD.]

Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Completely Agree (A1)	281	32.83%
Agree (A2)	277	32.36%
Undecided (A3)	207	24.18%
Disagree (A4)	39	4.56%
Strongly Disagree (A5)	33	3.86%
No answer	15	1.75%

Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%
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Summary for A07(SQ004)[VicPD uses authority and force appropriately.]

Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Completely Agree (A1)	237	27.69%
Agree (A2)	270	31.54%
Undecided (A3)	250	29.21%
Disagree (A4)	51	5.96%
Strongly Disagree (A5)	27	3.15%
No answer	17	1.99%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A07(SQ005)[I feel safe and taken care of by VicPD.]

Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about VicPD.

Answer	Count	Percentage
Completely Agree (A1)	205	23.95%
Agree (A2)	351	41.00%
Undecided (A3)	201	23.48%
Disagree (A4)	50	5.84%
Strongly Disagree (A5)	27	3.15%
No answer	18	2.10%
Not completed or Not displayed	4	0.47%

Summary for A08

Overall, how satisfied are you with the work of VicPD?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Very satisfied (A1)	300	35.05%
Somewhat satisfied (A2)	385	44.98%
Not very satisfied (A3)	69	8.06%
Not at all satisfied (A4)	30	3.50%
Don't know (A5)	65	7.59%
No answer	2	0.23%
Not completed or Not displayed	5	0.58%

Summary for A09

How could VicPD improve the way it deals with the problems in your community?

Answer	Count	Percentage
Spend more time out of uniform, targeting criminals. (SQ001)	231	26.99%
Do more patrol in uniform/be more visible in the community. (SQ002)	453	52.92%
Do more crime prevention work in the area. (SQ003)	314	36.68%
Hire more officers. (SQ004)	424	49.53%
Enforce laws more strictly. (SQ005)	227	26.52%
Spend more time talking to people. (SQ006)	287	33.53%

Provide more information and advice. (SQ007)	173	20.21%
Don't know (SQ008)	78	9.11%
Not completed or Not displayed	6	0.70%

Summary for A10

Do you have any additional comments you would like to make about this survey or about VicPD?

Answer	563	65.77%
No answer	283	33.06%
Not completed or Not displayed	10	1.17%

Open text field answers removed to protect privacy of respondents.