

MISSION: Collaborate with local nonprofits to build capacity and unlock resources that empower our communities to thrive.



LEARNING & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Helping partners discover and build the capabilities and skills needed to improve grant competitiveness, enhance operations and grow impact.



GRANT SERVICES

Grant navigation, writing, & review support to unlock funding opportunities.



Our Vision:

A thriving Nevada...catalyzed by great, local nonprofits



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & PARTNERSHIPS

Connecting agencies and stakeholders with the data, ideas, and partners they need to maximize federal grants for lasting progress.



TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Providing partners with targeted, hands-on support to address specific organizational or programmatic needs and strengthening opportunities.



OUR TEAM

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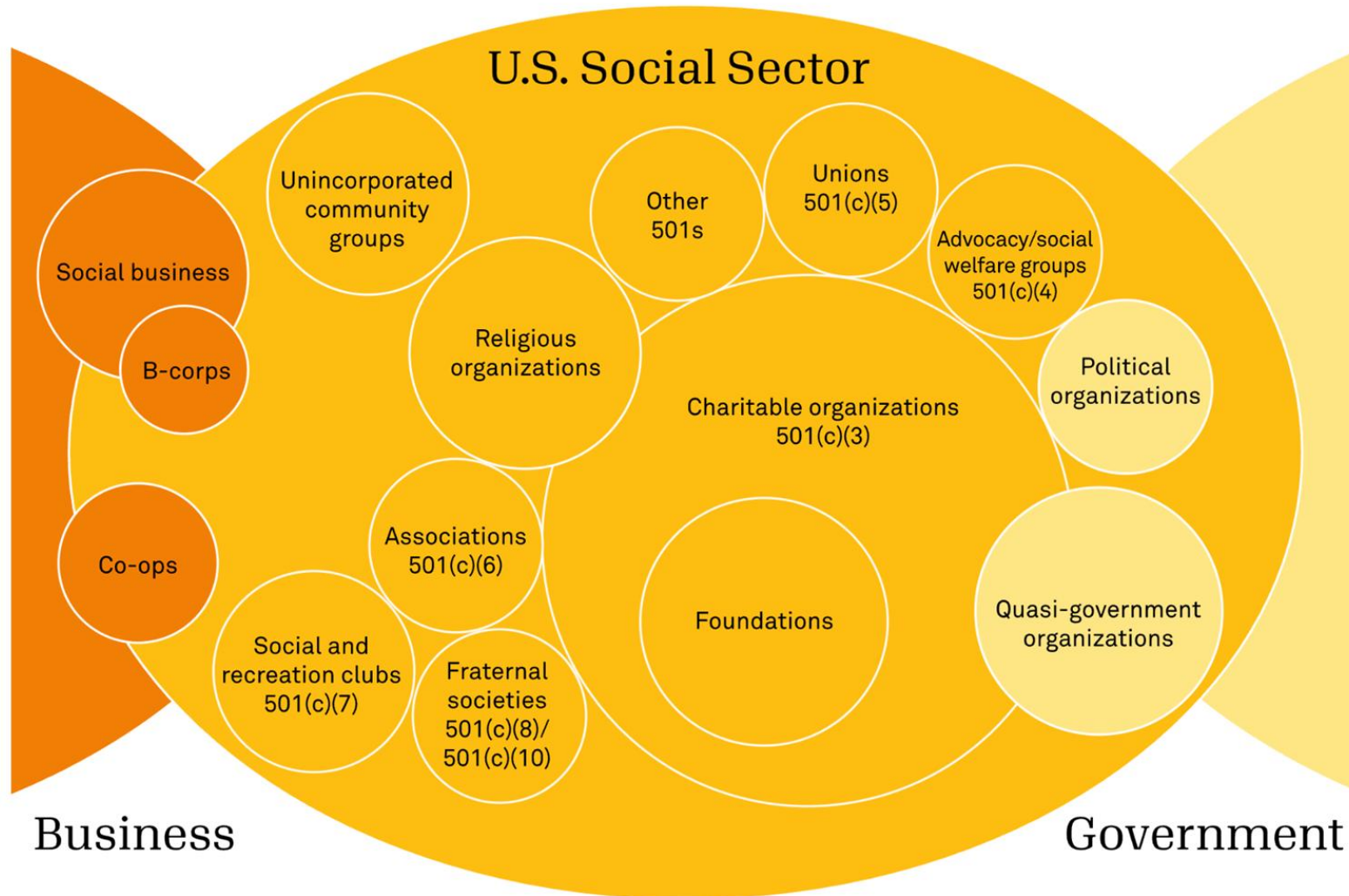


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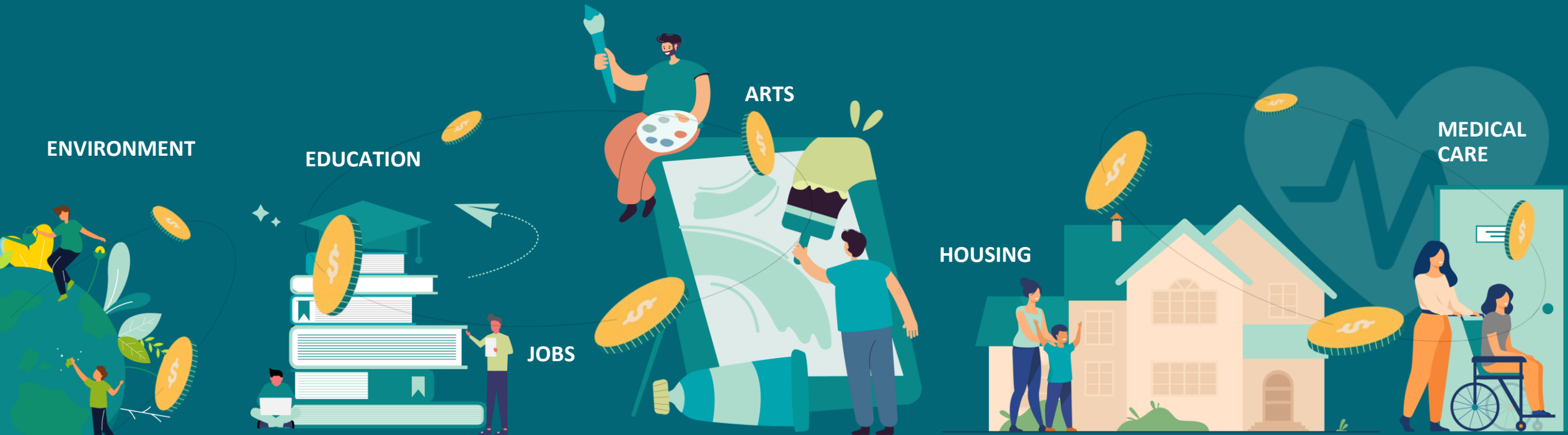


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THE NONPROFIT SECTOR



Nonprofits provide a wide range of essential and enriching services that Nevadans benefit from everyday.



NEVADA NONPROFITS

Undersized, Underfunded, and Understaffed



Undersized with fewer than 350 unique operating nonprofit corporations and just 15 active nonprofits per 100,000 residents (compared to 25+ in peer regions).

Underfunded with regional nonprofit spending of just \$783 annually per resident (compared to \$4,007 in peer regions) and many nonprofits under constant financial strain with less than three months cash on hand.



Understaffed with a workforce of some 22,500 people, less than half the size of similar regions.



Data represents southern Nevada.

See full report for more statewide information.



Nonprofit Sector Analysis 2023

A look at Nevada's nonprofit sector and how Las Vegas compares to similar regions around the country.



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Selecting Comparison Regions

	USA	Las Vegas, NV	Orlando, FL	New Orleans, LA	San Antonio, TX
Population	331.9 Million	2.3 Million	2.7 Million	1.3 Million	2.6 Million
White	58.1%	38.7%	42.8%	49.6%	31.8%
Black/AA	11.8%	11.2%	14.7%	33.2%	6.0%
Asian	5.7%	10.0%	4.1%	2.7%	2.4%
Hispanic	18.8%	32.3%	32.6%	9.3%	56.2%
2+ Races	4.3%	5.9%	4.6%	4.1%	2.8%
Per Capita Income	\$38,332	\$33,387	\$33,928	\$34,354	\$33,179

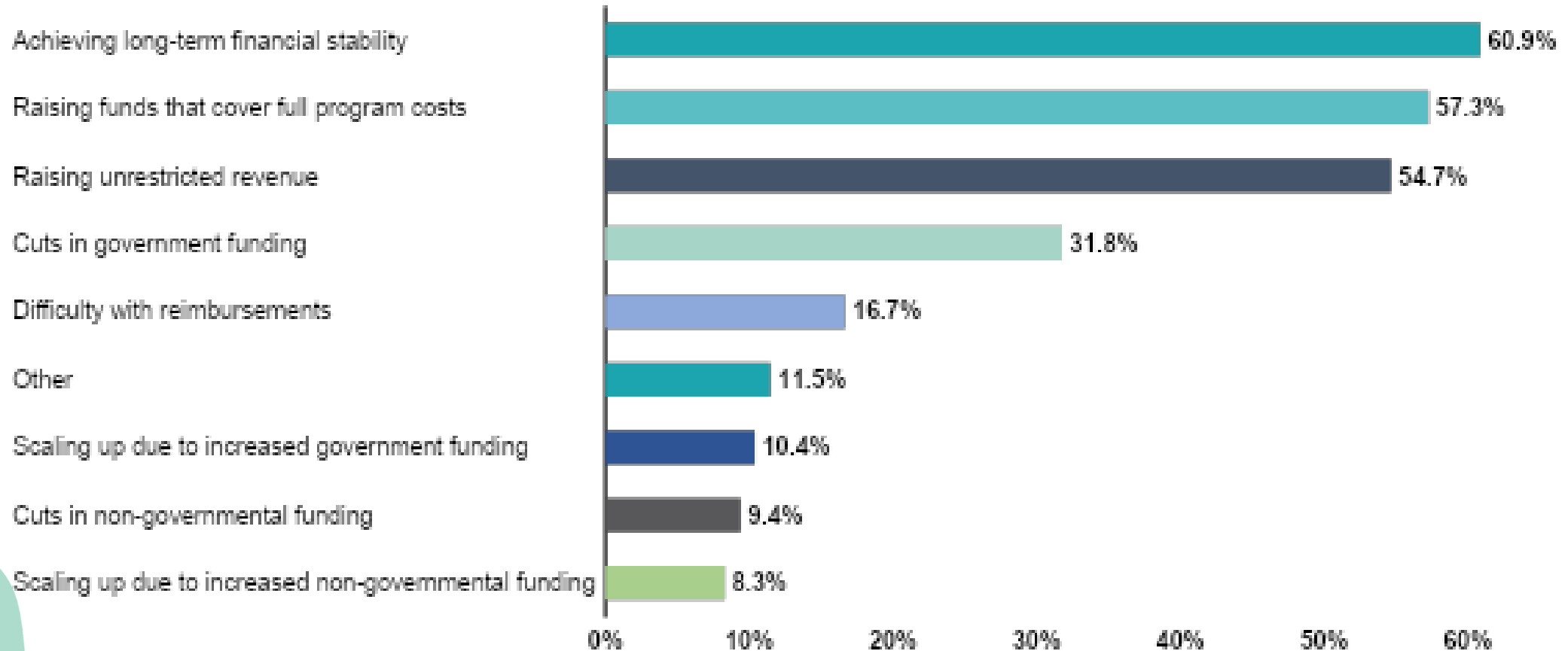
An Overview of the Nevada Nonprofit Sector

	Nevada	Las Vegas MSA	Las Vegas Share
Total Active Organizations	625	343	54.9%
Total Assets	\$5.8 Billion	\$3.1 Billion	53.5%
Net Assets	\$3.5 Billion	\$1.7 Billion	47.0%
Total Revenue	\$3.2 Billion	\$1.7 Billion	53.2%
Total Expenses	\$3.0 Billion	\$1.7 Billion	55.4%
Program Expenses	\$2.4 Billion	\$1.4 Billion	55.4%
Employment	46,192	22,549	48.8%

Economic Impact

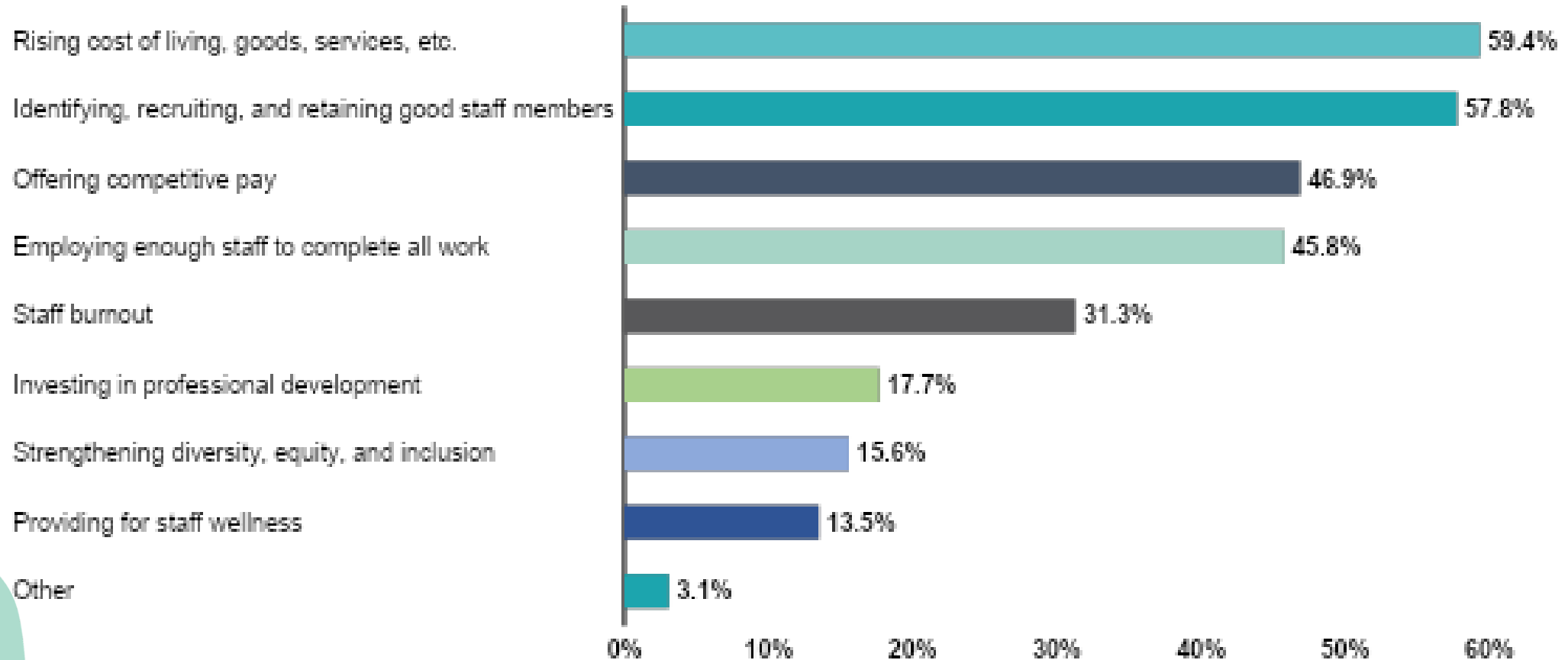
Region	Regional GDP (2019-2020)	Regional Non-Profit Spending	Non-Profit Share of Economic Activity	Per Capita Non-Profit Spend
Las Vegas	\$126.2 Billion	\$1.8 Billion	1.42%	\$783
Orlando	\$147.9 Billion	\$15.8 Billion	10.66%	\$5,857
New Orleans	\$78.4 Billion	\$11.0 Billion	13.71%	\$8,522
San Antonio	\$131.8 Billion	\$7.1 Billion	5.41%	\$2,743
Regional Average	\$121.1 Billion	\$8.9 Billion	7.32%	\$4,007

Top financial challenges moving forward



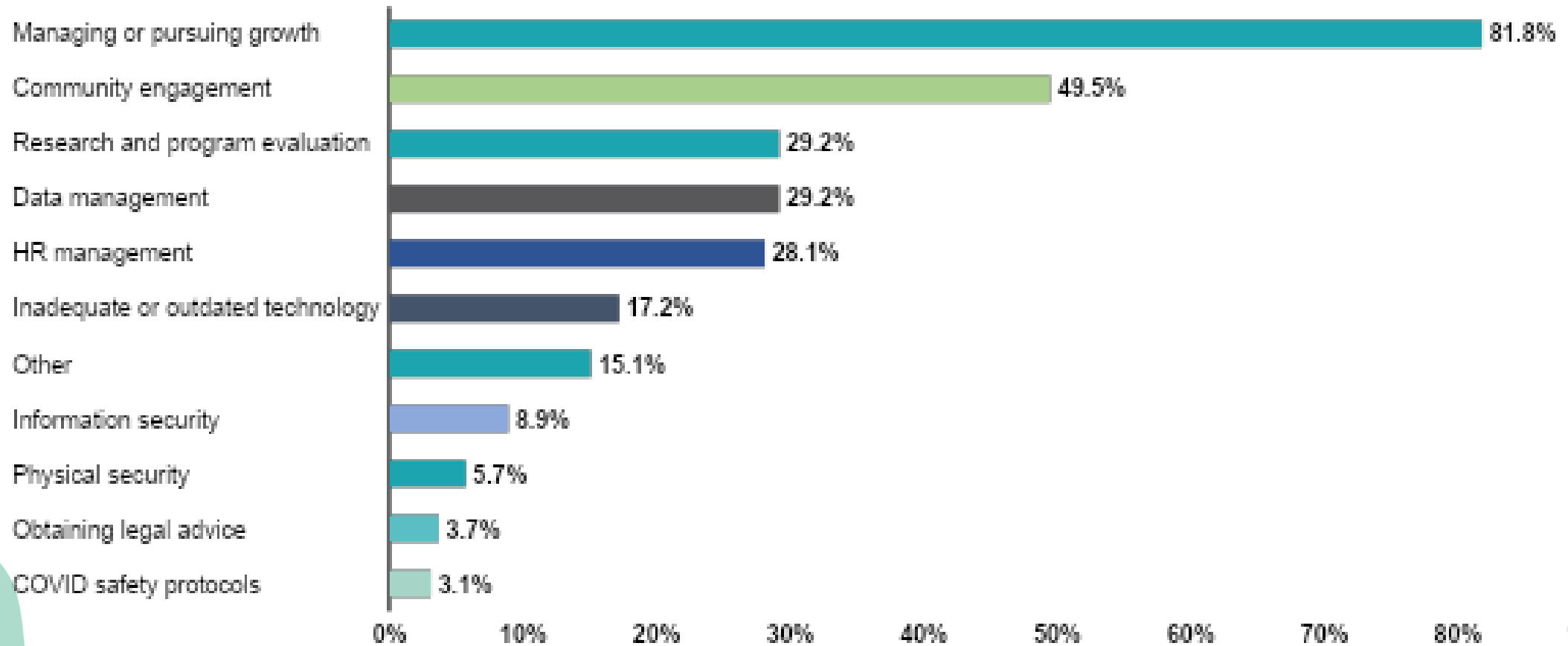
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Top staff management challenges moving forward



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Top operational challenges moving forward



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- Scarcity mindset
- Knowledge loss
- Gaps in service
- Poor distribution of resources
- Other communities are outcompeting us to enrich the lives of their people
- Our kids and vulnerable people are slipping through the cracks
- Long waiting lists for services
- Treading water instead of growing strategically
- Lack of consistency in our community
- Larger societal challenges that go unmet and then cycle downwards and cost more \$\$
- Unsustainable services, hard to attract talent
- Less impact for the community in need
- We can't meet our youth where they dream
- Long-term community stagnation
- Communities are left vulnerable
- No sustainability
- Lack of services
- We can't help the people who need the most help
- Services that don't make a lasting impact
- Lesser impact
- High turnover of employees
- Negatively impacts our community, people we serve
- Hostility between organizations
- Always living in a scarcity mindset, which discourages collaboration and retention
- Our kids and families are suffering
- Staff burnout
- Services are not always available
- Reactive, transactional, short-term planning and hiring - instead of long term strategic planning and talent retention and development
- Lower impact numbers
- Lack of available services
- We aren't able to serve the community well.
- It leads to worse health both physically and mentally.

Key Considerations, Actions

- For decades federal funding has formed a bedrock of how state and local governments, and nonprofits, fund a multitude of services and projects. Suddenly destabilizing the system will have significant consequences.
- If Congress and the White House continue to weaken nonprofits, the challenges nonprofits address will remain and, in many cases, worsen.
- Federal pullback will leave a giant gap in Nevada. Communication, coordination, and strategy – within and across state and local governments, nonprofits, business community, etc. – will be needed.



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