

# Ask Alabama Immigrant Workers, Fall 2004

## The Perceived Effects of Recent Immigrants on Alabama Communities

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Led to improvements within the community	102	10.0	10.1	10.1
	Have caused small problems	249	24.5	24.6	34.7
	Have caused major problems	168	16.5	16.6	51.3
	Have not had much effect either way	443	43.5	43.8	95.1
	No Answer	50	4.9	4.9	100.0
	Total	1012	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.6		
Total		1018	100.0		

## Level of Agreement: New Guest Immigrants Take Jobs Away from American Workers

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly Agree	343	33.7	33.9	33.9
	Somewhat Agree	238	23.4	23.5	57.4
	Somewhat Disagree	195	19.2	19.3	76.7
	Strongly Disagree	210	20.6	20.8	97.4
	Do Not Know; No Opinion	26	2.6	2.6	100.0
	Total	1012	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.6		
Total		1018	100.0		

## Level of Agreement: Many New Immigrant Workers Bring Needed Skills to Alabama

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly Agree	130	12.8	12.8	12.8
	Somewhat Agree	263	25.8	26.0	38.8
	Somewhat Disagree	214	21.0	21.1	60.0
	Strongly Disagree	340	33.4	33.6	93.6
	Do Not Know; No Opinion	65	6.4	6.4	100.0
	Total	1012	99.4	100.0	
Missing	System	6	.6		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Level of Agreement: The State of Alabama Should Provide Assistance to Help Ease the Transition of Recent Guest Immigrants Into Your Community**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Strongly Agree	111	10.9	11.0	11.0
	Somewhat Agree	282	27.7	27.9	38.9
	Somewhat Disagree	189	18.6	18.7	57.6
	Strongly Disagree	373	36.6	36.9	94.5
	Do Not Know; No Opinion	56	5.5	5.5	100.0
	Total	1011	99.3	100.0	
Missing	System	7	.7		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Services State or Local Government Should Expand: Classes in English**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	274	26.9	27.2	27.2
	Yes	734	72.1	72.8	100.0
	Total	1008	99.0	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.0		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Services State or Local Government Should Expand: Job Training Programs**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	457	44.9	45.3	45.3
	Yes	551	54.1	54.7	100.0
	Total	1008	99.0	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.0		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Services State or Local Government Should Expand: Information About Citizenship**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	299	29.4	29.7	29.7
	Yes	709	69.6	70.3	100.0
	Total	1008	99.0	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.0		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Services State or Local Government Should Expand: Access to Affordable Healthcare**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	462	45.4	45.8	45.8
	Yes	546	53.6	54.2	100.0
	Total	1008	99.0	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.0		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Services State or Local Government Should Expand: Educational Assistance for Children in K-12**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	358	35.2	35.5	35.5
	Yes	650	63.9	64.5	100.0
	Total	1008	99.0	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.0		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Services State or Local Government Should Expand: Enforcement of Stronger Housing and Zoning Regulations**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	427	41.9	42.4	42.4
	Yes	581	57.1	57.6	100.0
	Total	1008	99.0	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.0		
Total		1018	100.0		

**Services State or Local Government Should Expand: Information about Social Services**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	No	368	36.1	36.5	36.5
	Yes	640	62.9	63.5	100.0
	Total	1008	99.0	100.0	
Missing	System	10	1.0		
Total		1018	100.0		