

Session Name
Ridgeland 2020

Results by Question

1. How do you view Mississippi's Image? (Multiple Choice)

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Positive	44.90%	44
Negative	38.78%	38
Not sure	16.33%	16
Totals	100%	98

2. How do you think people outside of Mississippi view Mississippi's image? (Multiple Choice)

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Positive	0.85%	1
Negative	94.87%	111
Not sure	4.27%	5
Totals	100%	117

3. Do you believe there is an issue with Brain Drain in Mississippi? (Multiple Choice)

Responses		
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	Percent	Count
Yes	90.27%	102
No	4.42%	5
Not sure	5.31%	6
Totals	100%	113

4. Do you believe the current Mississippi flag negatively impacts our economic development efforts?

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	52.89%	64
Somewhat agree	25.62%	31
Somewhat disagree	9.09%	11
Strongly disagree	11.57%	14
Not sure	0.83%	1
Totals	100%	121

5. Do you believe the current Mississippi flag hurts efforts to keep young adults in Mississippi? (Mul

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	29.41%	35
Somewhat agree	27.73%	33

Somewhat disagree	20.17%	24
Strongly disagree	15.97%	19
Not sure	6.72%	8
Totals	100%	119

6. How do you rate the quality of the workforce in Mississippi? (Multiple Choice)

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Very satisfactory	1.64%	2
Somewhat satisfactory	49.18%	60
Somewhat unsatisfactory	39.34%	48
Very unsatisfactory	9.02%	11
Undecided	0.82%	1
Totals	100%	122

7. Are your local K-12 schools preparing students for your company's workforce needs? (Multiple Choice)

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	17.95%	21
Somewhat agree	46.15%	54
Somewhat disagree	23.93%	28
Strongly disagree	11.11%	13
Not sure	0.85%	1

Totals	100%	117
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8. Are Mississippi's community colleges preparing students for your company's workforce needs? (1

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	26.02%	32
Somewhat agree	56.10%	69
Somewhat disagree	8.94%	11
Strongly disagree	3.25%	4
Not sure	5.69%	7
Totals	100%	123

9. Are Mississippi's universities preparing students for your company's workforce needs? (Multiple

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	29.51%	36
Somewhat agree	50.82%	62
Somewhat disagree	12.30%	15
Strongly disagree	4.92%	6
Not sure	2.46%	3
Totals	100%	122

10. What percentage of your current workforce will need additional training, credentials, certification

Responses		
	Percent	Count
0-20%	17.09%	20
21-40%	25.64%	30
41-60%	23.08%	27
61-80%	15.38%	18
81-100%	18.80%	22
Totals	100%	117

11. In a 2018 Special Session, the Legislature approved an additional \$200 million annually for both s

Responses		
	Percent	Count
ation needs over the next 10 years.	3.28%	4
t enough and more is needed now.	18.03%	22
ling program should be developed.	76.23%	93
Not sure	2.46%	3
Totals	100%	122

12. Do you believe improving healthcare in Mississippi, especially in rural areas, is vital for Mississippi?

Responses		
	Percent	Count
Strongly agree	76.67%	92
Somewhat agree	15.83%	19
Somewhat disagree	5.83%	7
Strongly disagree	0.83%	1
Not sure	0.83%	1
Totals	100%	120

state and local transportation projects. Do you believe... (Multiple Choice)

