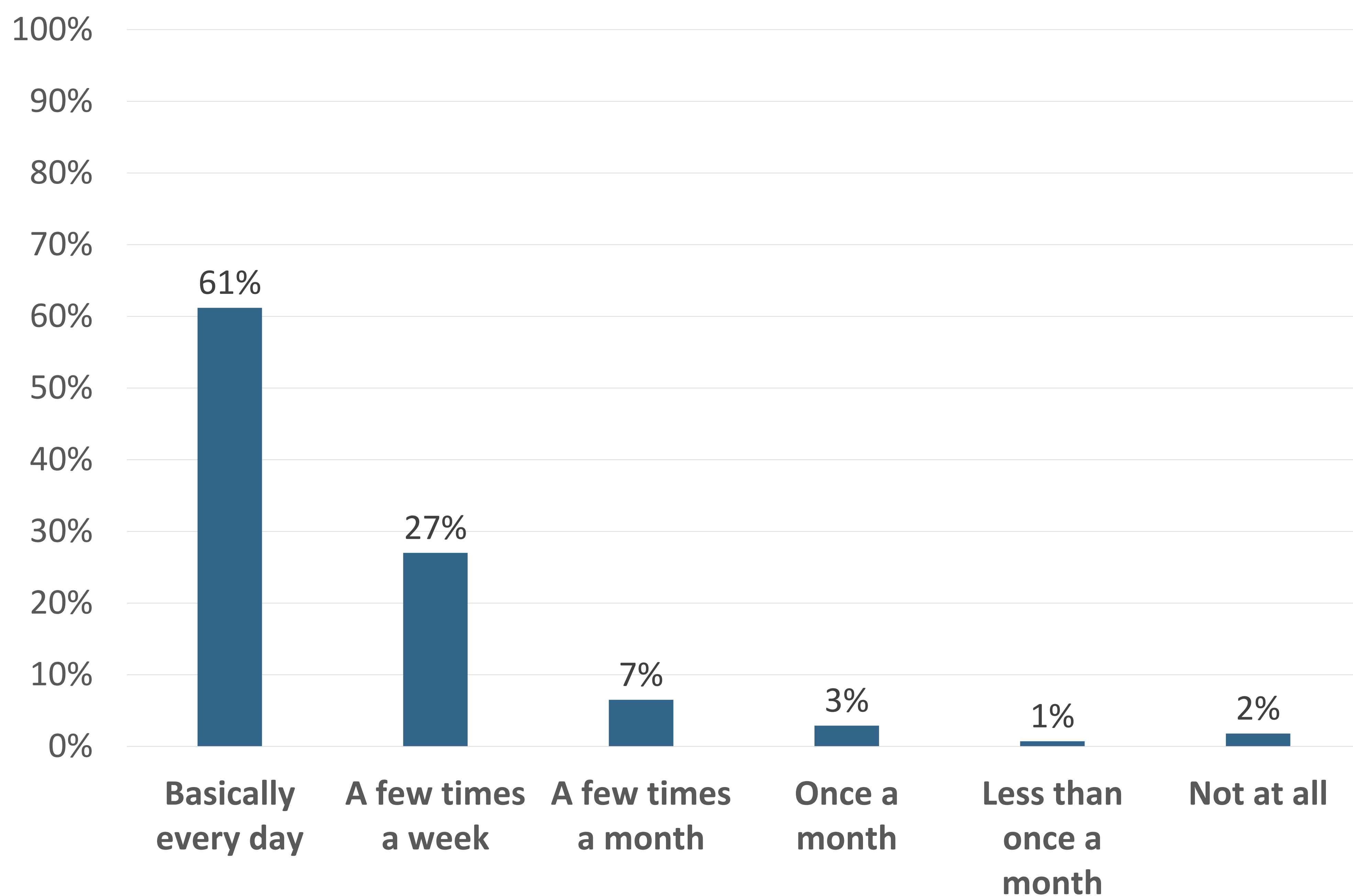


# Personal Connection: People are well-connected in a caring, supportive community.

## How Often Adults Talked to or Spent Time with Friends or Family, Aurora-Denver-Lakewood, 2017

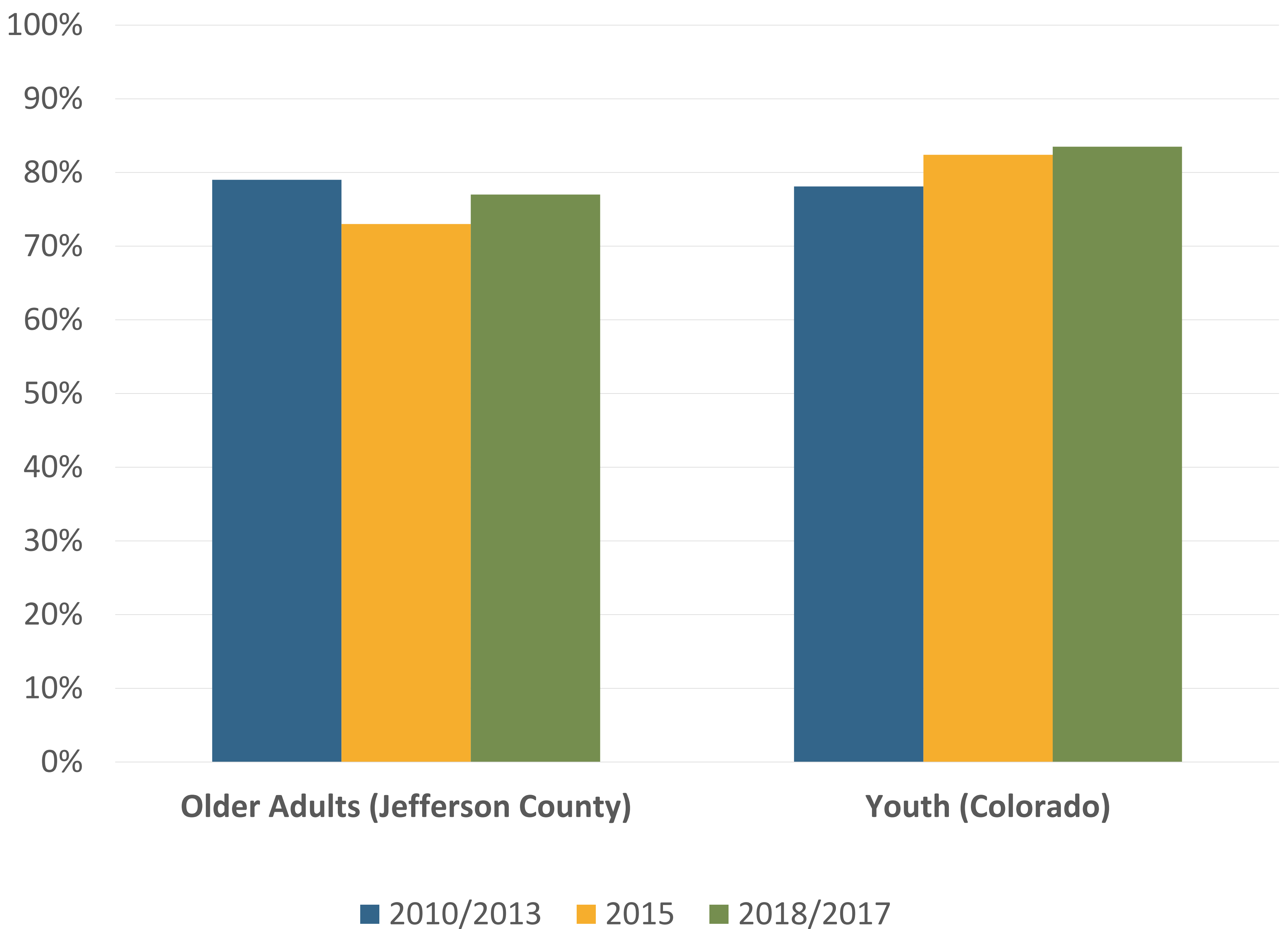


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# Personal Connection:

People are well-connected in a caring, supportive community.

## Percentage of Older Adults Who Have Family to Rely on and Youth Who Would Go to a Parent with a Personal Problem\*

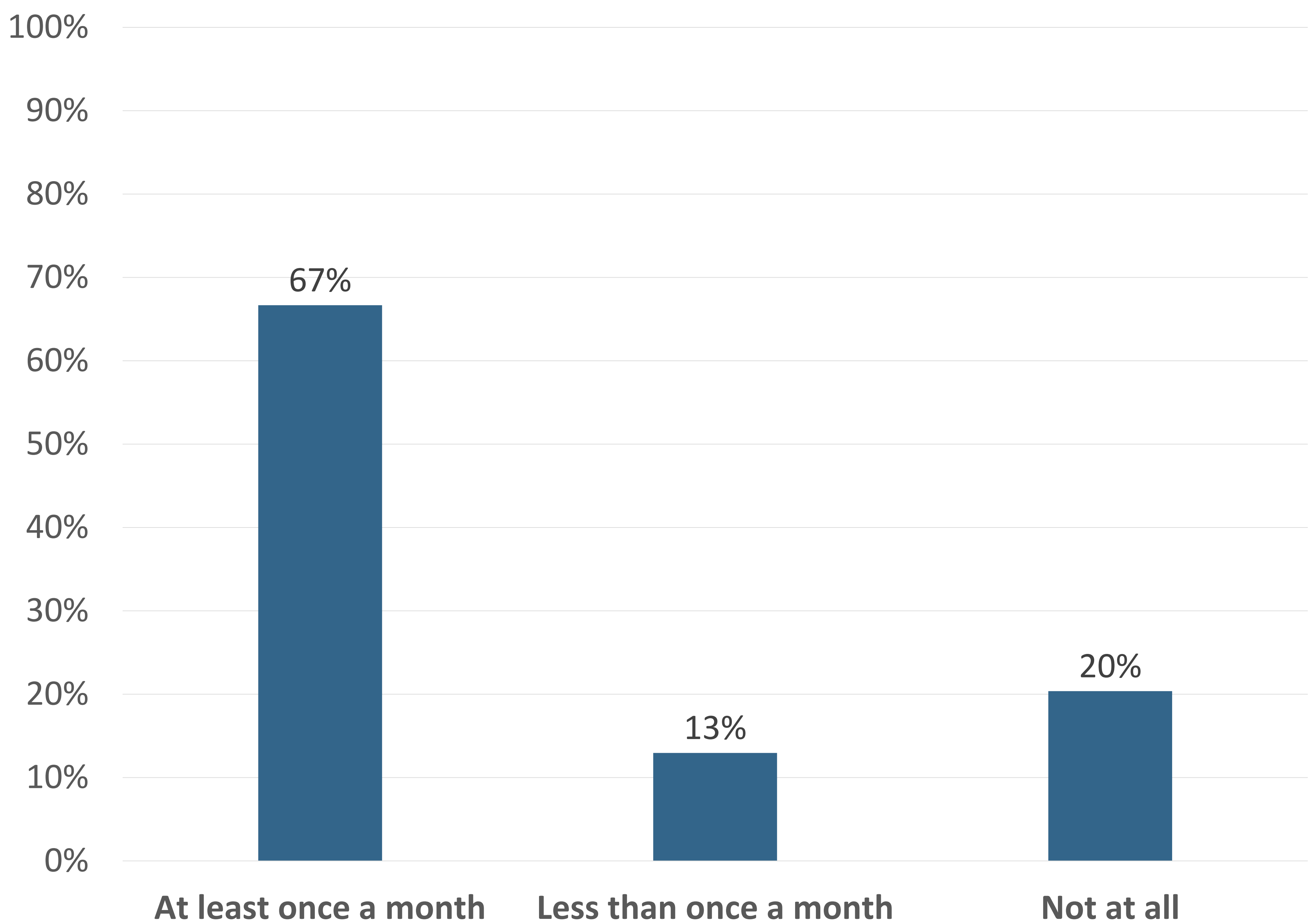


**\*Older Adults:** Percentage of older adults who report having family or friends to rely on is not a problem, Jefferson County, 2010, 2015, 2018. Source: Community Assessment Survey for Older Adults

**\*Youth:** Percentage of students who would ask a parent/guardian for help if they had a personal problem, Colorado, 2013, 2015, 2017. Source: Colorado Healthy Kids Survey

# Neighborhood Connection: People are well-connected in a caring, supportive community.

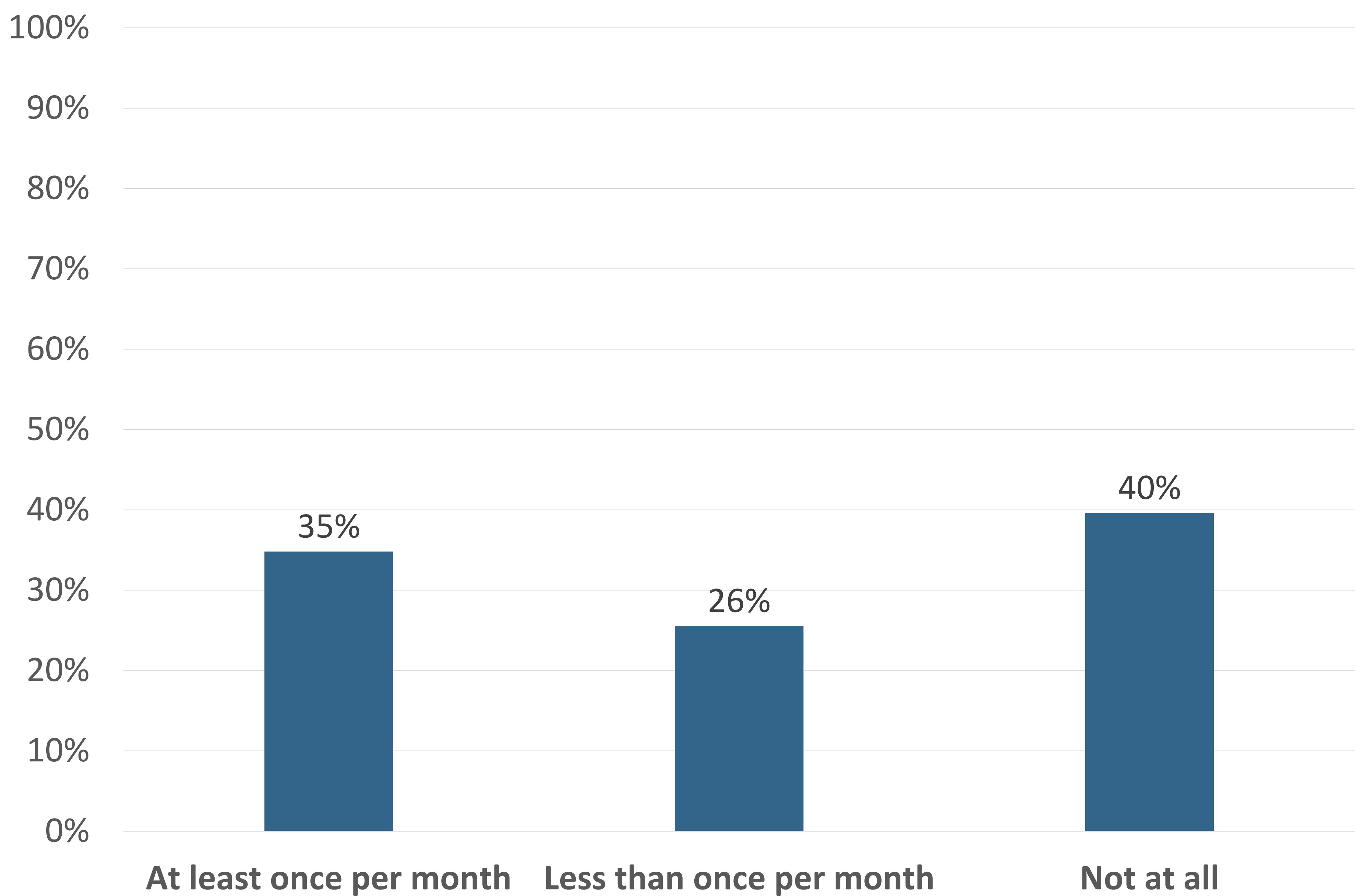
## How Often Adults Have Had a Conversation or Spent Time with Neighbors in the Past 12 Months, Aurora-Denver-Lakewood, 2017



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# Neighborhood Connection: People are well-connected in a caring, supportive community.

## How Often Adults and Their Neighbors Do Favors for Each Other in the Past 12 Months, Aurora-Denver-Lakewood, 2017

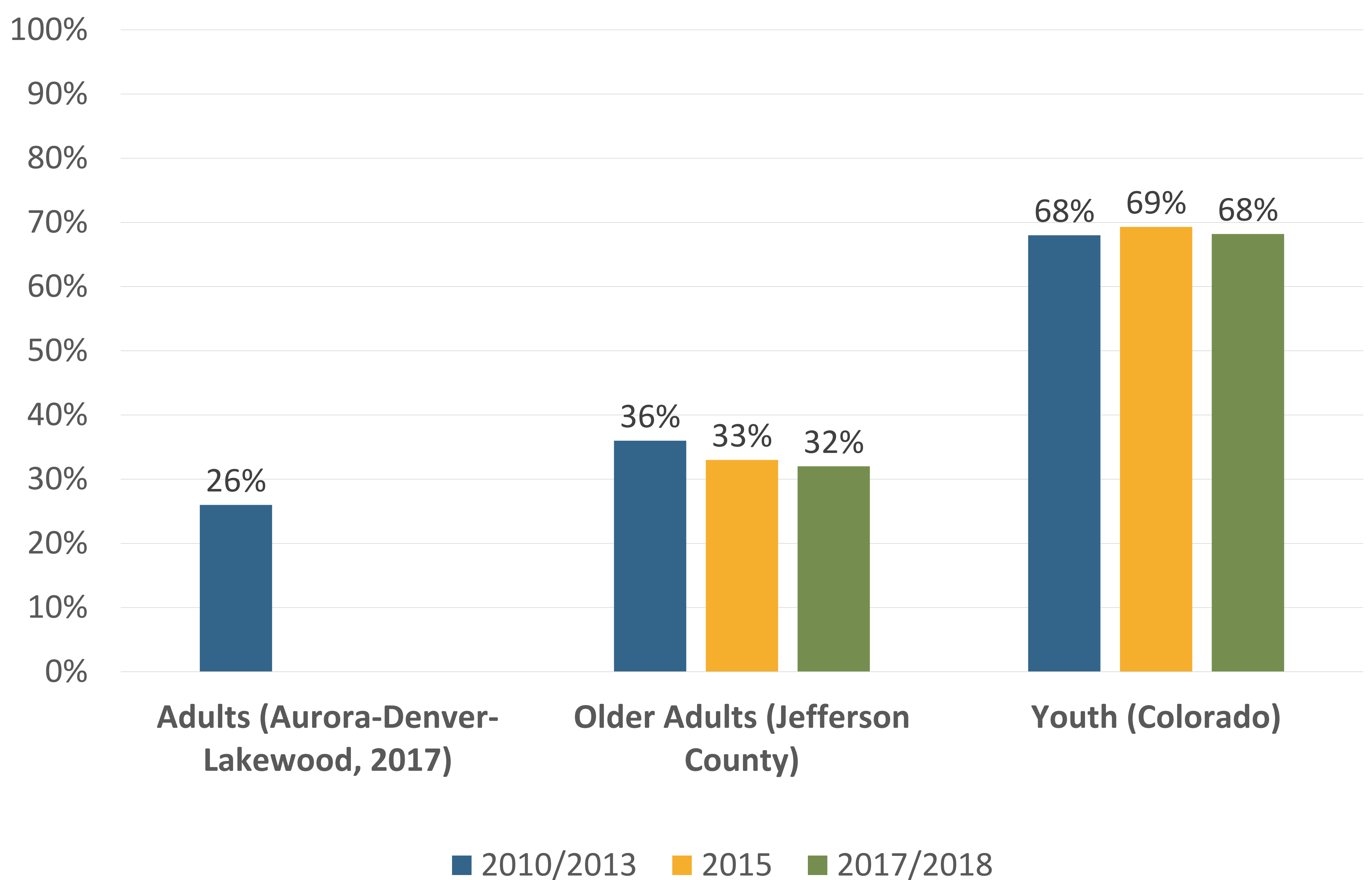


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# Community Connection: People are well-connected in a caring, supportive community.

## Percentage of Adults, Older Adults and Youth Who Belong to a Club\*



**\*Adults:** Percentage of adults who belong to a group, organization or association in the past 12 months, Aurora-Denver-Lakewood, 2017. Source: Current Population Survey, September 2017: Volunteering and Civic Life Supplement.

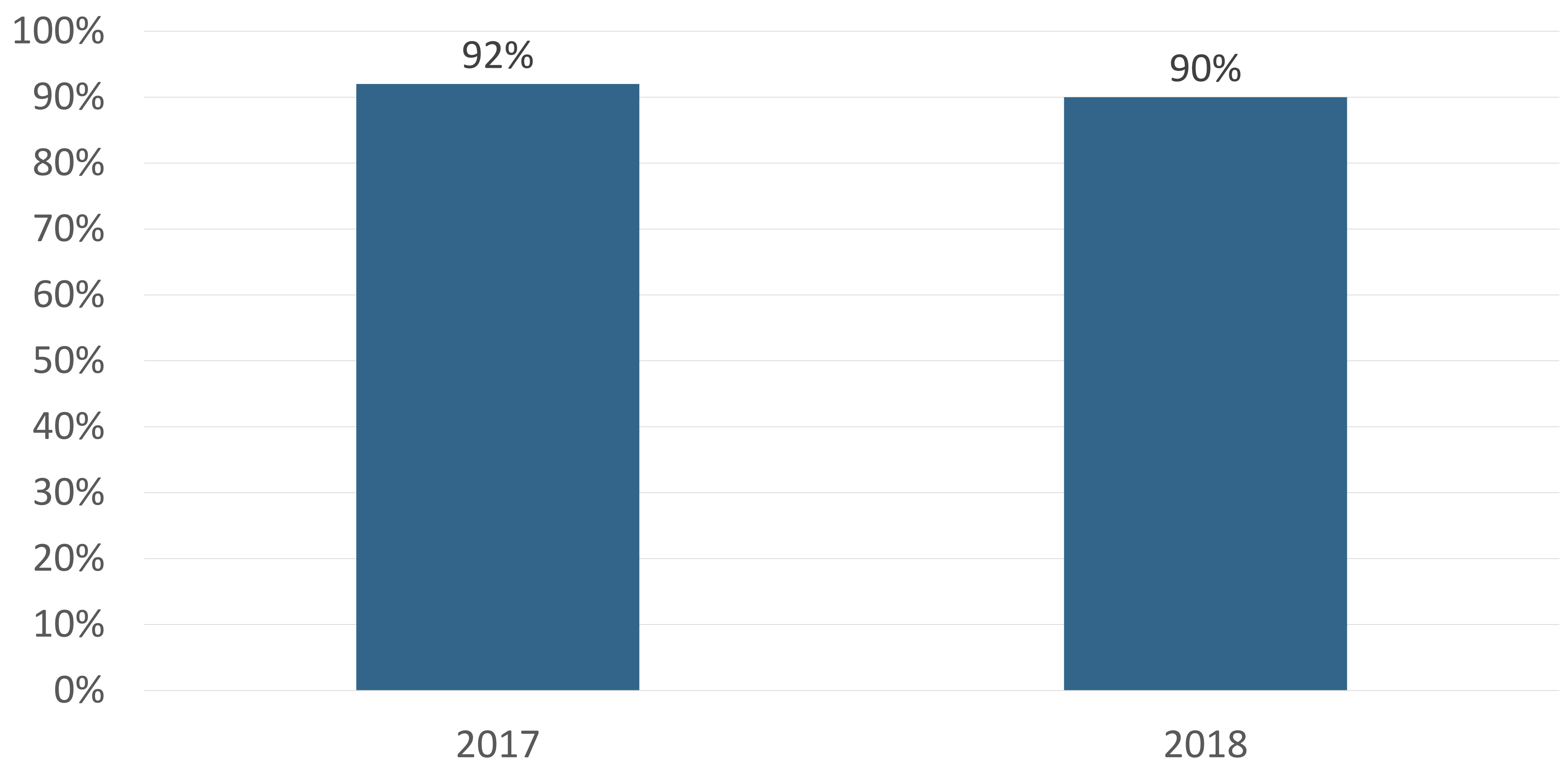
**\*Older Adults:** Percentage of older adults who participated in a club (including book, dance, game and other social club) in the past 12 months, Jefferson County, 2010, 2015, 2018. Source: Denver Regional Council of Governments Area Agency on Aging, Community Assessment Survey for Older Adults, 2018.

**\*Youth:** Percentage of students who participate in extracurricular activities at school, Colorado, 2013, 2015, 2017. Source: Colorado Healthy Kids Survey

# Community Connection:

People are well-connected in a caring, supportive community.

## Percent Agreement with Statements on Personal Civic Engagement\* within the Community, Jefferson County Communities That Care



**\*Statements on Civic Engagement:** To what extent do you disagree or agree with the following statements about your ability to engage in your community?

- When problems arise within my community, I do something about them.
- I feel I can have a part in improving my community.
- I feel confident in my ability to help my community grow.
- I make sure that professionals understand my opinions about what my community needs.



# Collaboration:

People and organizations work together to improve outcomes and change systems.

## Jefferson County Health Alliance Working Together Survey Questions

### Context of Collaboration

Q1: Now is a good time to collaborate to address issues affecting Jefferson County.

Q2: Collaborative efforts are started because individuals want to do something about an issue.

### Collaboration Structure

Q3: Collaborations in Jefferson County have access to credible information that supports problem solving and decision making.

Q4: Collaborations have access to the expertise necessary for effective meetings.

Q5: Collaborations have adequate physical facilities to support their efforts.

Q6: Groups have adequate people-power to plan and administer collaborative efforts.

Q7: Collaborations are not dominated by any one group or sector.

Q8: The membership of collaborations includes stakeholders affected by the issues.

Q9: Stakeholders have agreed to work together on issues.

Q10: Stakeholders agree on what decisions will be made by the collaborations.

Q11: Collaborations set ground rules and norms about how members will work together.

Q12: Collaborations have a method for communicating activities and decisions to all members.

Q13: Collaborations have clearly defined roles for their members.

### Collaboration Members

Q14: In Jefferson County, members of collaborative efforts are more interested in getting a good group decision than improving the position of themselves or their home organization.

Q15: Members of collaborative efforts are willing to let go of an idea for one that appears to have more merit.

Q16: Members of collaborative efforts have the communication skills necessary to help groups progress.

Q17: Members of collaborative efforts balance task and social needs so that groups can work comfortably and productively.

Q18: Members of collaborative efforts are effective liaisons between their home organizations and groups.

Q19: Members of collaborative efforts are willing to devote whatever effort is necessary to achieve group goals.

Q20: Members monitor the effectiveness of collaborative processes.

Q21: Members of collaborative efforts trust one another sufficiently to honestly and accurately share information, perceptions and feedback.

### Collaboration Process

Q22: In Jefferson County, we frequently discuss how we are working together.

Q23: Divergent opinions are expressed and listened to.

Q24: Collaborative efforts have effective decision-making processes.

Q25: The openness and credibility of the process help people and organizations set aside doubts or skepticism.

Q26: There are strong, recognized leaders who support collaborative efforts.

Q27: Those who are in positions of power or authority are willing to go along with decisions or recommendations from collaborative efforts.

Q28: People and organizations set aside vested interests to achieve common goals.

Q29: People and organizations have a strong concern for preserving credible, open processes.

Q30: People and organizations are inspired to be action oriented.

Q31: We celebrate successes as we move toward achieving the final goals.

### The Results of the Collaboration

Q32: Collaborations have concrete measurable goals to judge success.

Q33: Collaborations identify interim goals to maintain momentum.

Q34: Collaborations establish methods for monitoring performance and providing feedback on goal attainment.

Q35: Collaborations are effective in obtaining the resources they need to accomplish objectives.

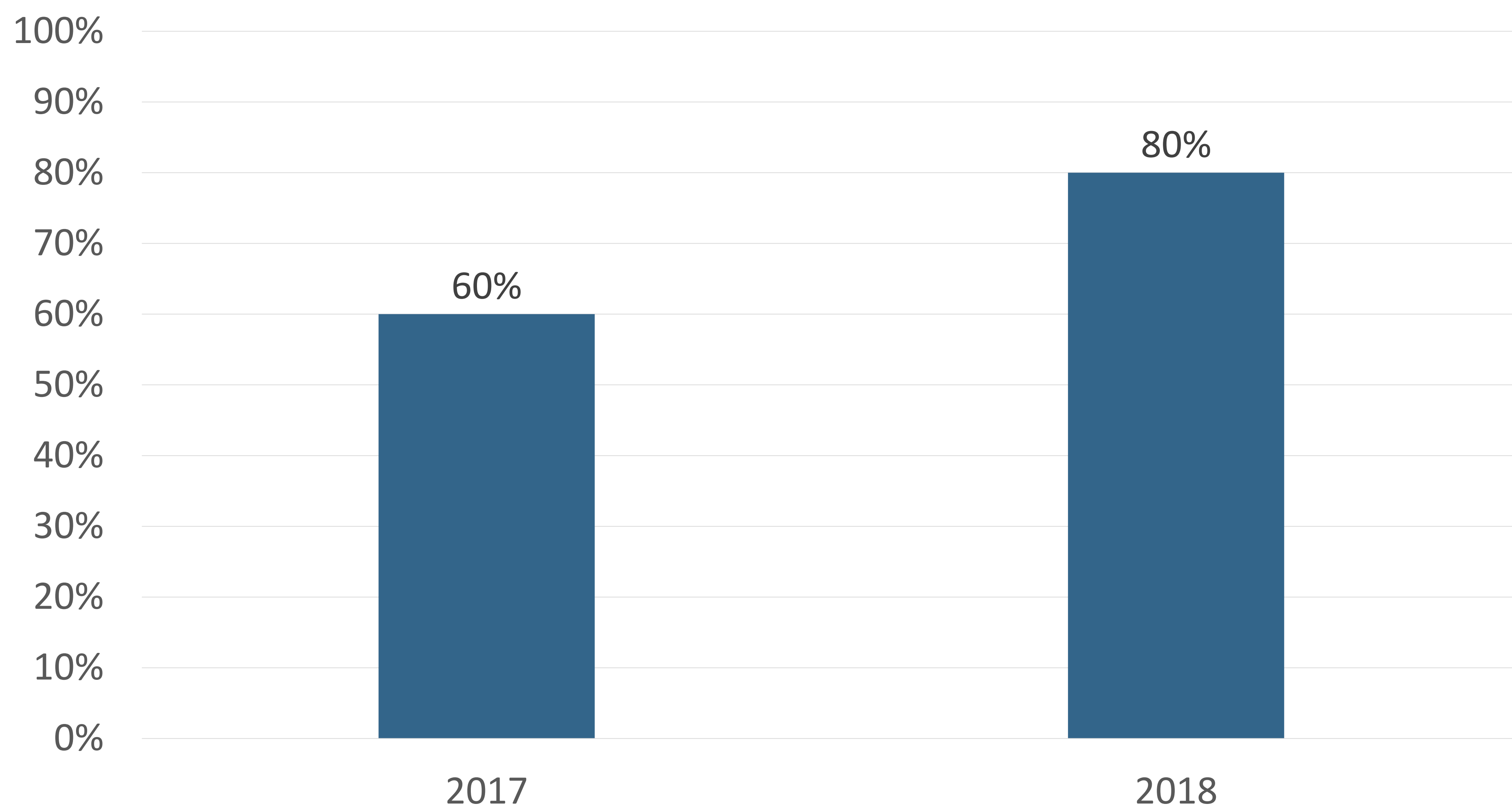
Q36: Collaborations are willing to confront and resolve performance issues.

Q37: The time and effort of collaborations is directed at obtaining goals rather than keeping themselves in business.

# Collaboration:

People are well-connected in a caring, supportive community.

## Percent Agreement with Statements about Community Collaboration\*, Jefferson County Communities That Care



**\*Statements on Community Collaboration:** To what extent do you disagree or agree with the following statements about the collaboration among organizations and agencies in your community?

- Organizations in my community generally share information and resources with one another.
- Organizations in my community generally coordinate their activities with one another.
- Organizations in my community generally align plans for work with one another.
- Organizations in my community generally make joint decisions about our work with one another.
- Organizations in my community generally have good communication with one another.