

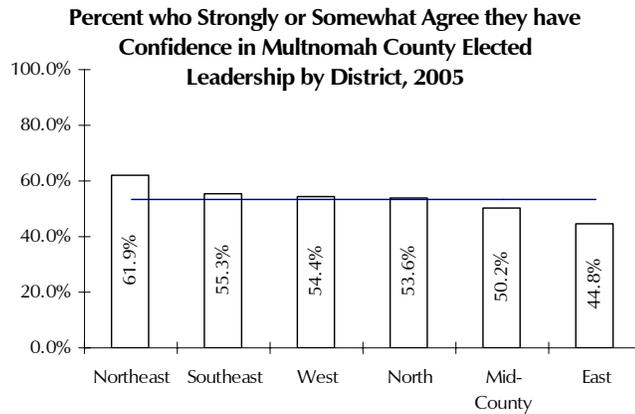
Accountability Priority: Marquee Indicators

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1. Perception of trust and confidence in government.

The 2005 County Auditor's Citizen Survey asked respondents the extent to which they agreed with the statement: "I have confidence that the elected leadership of Multnomah County manages the County well."

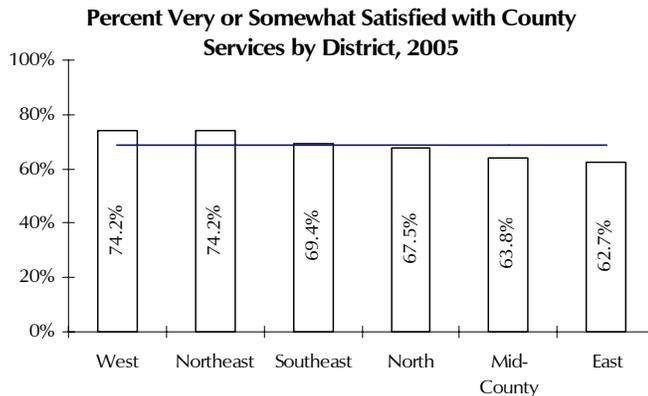
There was strongest confidence in the Northeast, Southeast, and West parts of the county, with East county reporting the lowest level of confidence.



2. Satisfaction with services.

The 2005 Citizen Survey also asked respondents to rank their satisfaction with County services. The question read: "Multnomah County provides services for the poor, elderly, and disabled, as well as operates jails, libraries, criminal justice, health clinics, animal control, elections, bridges, etc... Please rate your overall satisfaction with Multnomah County services."

Respondents from the West and Northeast portions of the county were most satisfied, while those in mid-county and East county were least satisfied.

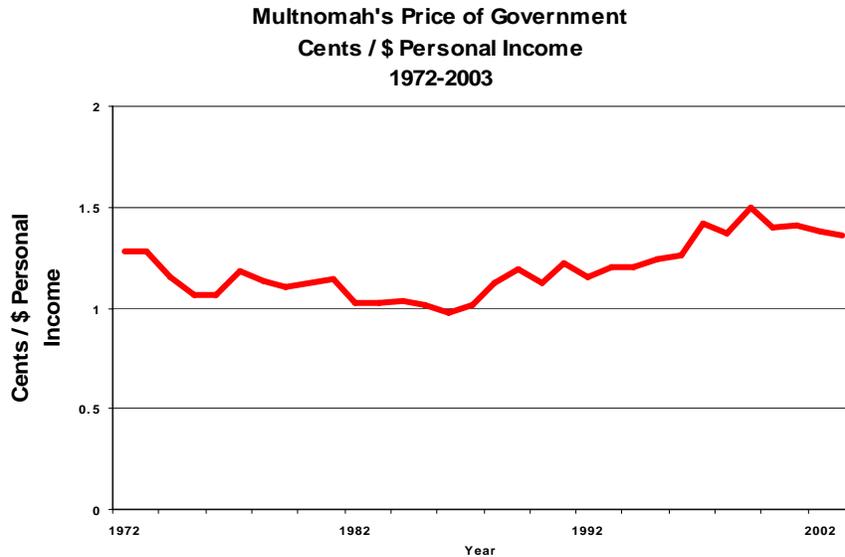


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3. Price of government

The Price of Government indicator allows a government to track the “burden” of its cost on the economy. The price is calculated as the sum of taxes, fees, and charges (local owns source general fund) divided by the total economic resources of the community (aggregate personal income of the community). The price represents the number of cents out of every dollar in the community committed to pay for government services.



Source: The Public Strategies Group