

# Evaluation Questions

These event evaluation questions were only asked of participants post-deliberation.

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[The small group discussions] How valuable was each of the following in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?	
Waste of time 0-4	0.8
5	2.3
(extremely valuable 64.8) Valuable 6-10	96.9
DK/NA	(0.6)
[The briefing materials] How valuable was each of the following in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?	
Waste of time 0-4	3.3
5	6.4
(extremely valuable 47.2) Valuable 6-10	90.4
DK/NA	(0.8)
[The plenary session] How valuable was each of the following in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?	
Waste of time 0-4	5.4
5	4.6
(extremely valuable 44.6) Valuable 6-10	90.1
DK/NA	(1.0)
[The event as a whole] How valuable was each of the following in helping you clarify your positions on the issues?	
Waste of time 0-4	0.8
5	1.0
(extremely valuable 66.0) Valuable 6-10	98.2
DK/NA	(0.6)
[My group moderator provided the opportunity for everyone to participate in the discussion] And how strongly would you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	

Disagree Strongly	0.8
Disagree Somewhat	1.9
Neither Agree nor Disagree	1.9
Agree Somewhat	9.2
Strongly Agree	86.2
DK/NA	(0.6)
[The members of my group participated relatively equally in the discussions] And how strongly would you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	
Disagree Strongly	3.3
Disagree Somewhat	16.6
Neither Agree nor Disagree	5.6
Agree Somewhat	43.2
Strongly Agree	31.4
DK/NA	(0.8)
[My group moderator sometimes tried to influence the group with his or her own views] And how strongly would you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	
Disagree Strongly	93.3
Disagree Somewhat	2.3
Neither Agree nor Disagree	1.5
Agree Somewhat	1.2
Strongly Agree	1.7
DK/NA	(0.8)
[My group moderator tried to make sure that opposing argument were considered] And how strongly would you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	
Disagree Strongly	6.7
Disagree Somewhat	3.3
Neither Agree nor Disagree	21
Agree Somewhat	14.8

Strongly Agree	54.2
DK/NA	(0.6)
[The important aspects of the issues were covered in the group discussions] And how strongly would you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	
Disagree Strongly	0.6
Disagree Somewhat	2.3
Neither Agree nor Disagree	4.4
Agree Somewhat	23.5
Strongly Agree	69.2
DK/NA	(0.6)
[I learned a lot about people very different from me - about what they and their lives are like] And how strongly would you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	
Disagree Strongly	0.2
Disagree Somewhat	0.6
Neither Agree nor Disagree	4.6
Agree Somewhat	18.8
Strongly Agree	75.8
DK/NA	(0.4)