# GROWING GENEROSITY IN FLORIDA



# GIVING GROUPS UNDER 45

### **GROUP LABEL**

Florida residents fall into one of three generosity profiles



## GROUP 1

SPONTANEOUS
INFORMAL GIVERS

### More generous

62% decided to help "in the moment" and 86% gave directly to someone in need

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### **GROUP 2**

**RELIABLE RESPONDERS** 

# Most generous

76% respond with generosity when solicited and 96% were asked last year



# GROUP 3

**UNRELIABLE UNENGAGED** 

### **Least Generous**

28% don't give at all





Geography



No significant geographic variance



More concentrated in Southeast Florida



Fewest Florida newcomers



Less urban



More concentrated in Central and Central-West Florida



Least concentrated in Southeast Florida



GIVING BEHAVIORS

How they Give



Cash on street, at cashier



More likely to advocate



Prefer to donate online, crowdfund, or use mobile



Rarely gives, but if they do, it will most likely be at a religious service or live event



3X more likely to give items than money



Strongest Causes (compared to the other groups)



Cash to people in need, poverty relief, and animals/animal welfare



Public Policy, Climate, Environment



No particular cause area



Cause Giving:

What people do when desired causes are not the focus of local organizations



More likely to give less money



More likely to search for similar causes beyond local community 84% doesn't give and/or doesn't search for alternatives

84%



Important to give

connection to an

Driven by a

organization



Respond when asked to give



Like to be asked by someone they trust



Not motivated by a sense of urgency



Believes a charity's cause is important

Majority chose:

Compassionate,

thankful, and family first



Give with a plan/budget



Most prevalent: Thankful, family first



More prevalent than in other groups: Religious or spiritual, ethnic/rooted in culture, patriotic



Most prevalent: Independent, compassionate, thankful, and family first



Prefer informal giving, less critical of an organization's efficiency and "overhead"



Prefers giving to formal registered charities



More critical of an organization's efficiency and "overhead" than other groups



More divided than other groups, a mix of trust and distrust



Social **Influences** 



Feels peer pressure to give



Most influenced by family/friends



Don't know if friends support causes



Most likely to say their upbringing encouraged generosity



**Ethnicity** 



Slight majority non-white

59% white (only) people



50/50 mix of white and non-white





DEMOGRAPHICS -

Income



Less well-off



Wealthier



Less well-off



Religiosity



Fewest highly religious people



More religious/ spiritual



Less religious/ spiritual



**Politics** 



Skews slightly liberal



Skews slightly conservative



Centrist to center-right politics





