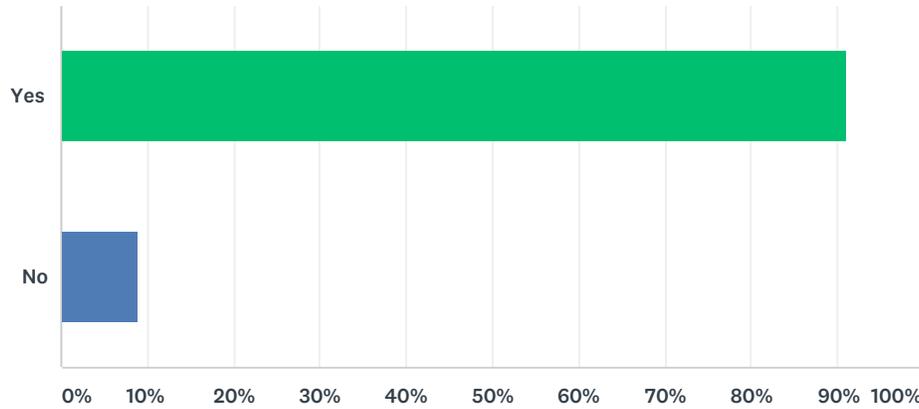


Q1 Will you be attending the 2019 Annual General Meeting at the Westin Harbour Castle in Toronto?

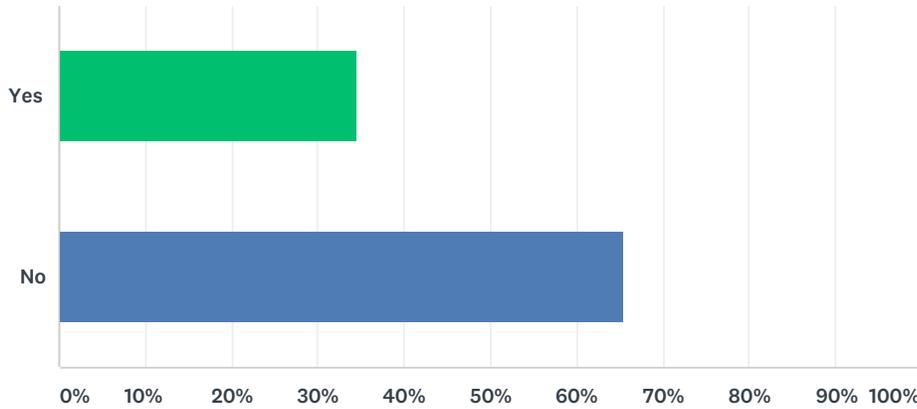
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	90.96%	161
No	9.04%	16
TOTAL		177

Q2 Do you approve of having Michael "Pinball" Clemens as a third keynote Speaker?

Answered: 177 Skipped: 1



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	34.46%	61
No	65.54%	116
TOTAL		177

Q3 Please add any additional comments

Answered: 87 Skipped: 91

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	He is a very dynamic speaker who inspires his audience.	12/13/2018 11:55 AM
2	none	12/12/2018 1:45 PM
3	with attendance of about 300, cost is about \$35 a head. Not a big ticket item if he is a good speaker... about the same cost as glass of orange juice at the Harbour Castle	12/12/2018 10:08 AM
4	Other than the \$50/day parking, I don't find the hotel prices much different than those for other concerts/sporting events/meetings in the big smoke. If member participation is down, perhaps it is because many have their CPD points and have decided to skip. On the Pinball question, my comments would be that since we will effectively saying goodbye to our top two administrative/regulatory persons, the membership may well need the inspirational reminder that I'm sure Pinball will provide based on his reputation. At less than \$20/active member and given the significance of the meeting I consider it money well spent. Put me down for an extra ticket ;)	12/11/2018 4:57 PM
5	refreshing entertaining fun	12/11/2018 1:28 PM
6	Perhaps at another AGM	12/11/2018 12:56 PM
7	Too expensive.	12/11/2018 12:20 PM
8	How much are the other 2 speakers costing. Should we be having 1 premier speaker rather than 3 speakers. Are the registration fees going to cover the cost. How much does it work out to per OLS?	12/11/2018 11:36 AM
9	This year it is generally too expensive	12/10/2018 3:32 PM
10	Michael "Pinball" Clemons is a great motivational speaker in many venues and to many groups in support of a variety of causes. I just don't think that having him speak at the AOLS AGM would be an appropriate use of these funds.	12/10/2018 3:06 PM
11	Michael "Pinball" Clemens is an excellent speaker but we already have 2 "motivational" speakers on the agenda. I would prefer more technical/legal content. Perhaps we could book Mr. Clemens for a future meeting.	12/10/2018 2:54 PM
12	Too expensive to hear an as-been athlete talk about his glory days from 2 decades ago.	12/10/2018 1:33 PM
13	Too expensive	12/10/2018 12:20 PM
14	At this time I am unsure if I will be attending due to multiple circumstances. Pinball Clemens is no doubt a very influential speaker, however, he is a motivational speaker with probably no knowledge of professional surveying that the entire membership cannot take advantage of. \$10,000 is a lot of coin to this association who just recently raised its dues. I say "NO", to this survey and there are a lot of other motivational speakers out there for probably a lot less money.	12/10/2018 12:19 PM
15	I believe that the higher the quality of the event = higher quality of attendees = higher quality of professionalism.	12/10/2018 11:58 AM
16	I am a long time fan of both the CFL & "Pinball" Clemens, but I think that with the AGM already experiencing high costs, we don't need to spend \$10000 on another keynote speaker.	12/10/2018 11:53 AM
17	Eliminate the others & just have Pinball	12/10/2018 11:45 AM
18	I always look forward to AGM. And if Bill and Blaine are going to retire we should make this one a special one. Keep up the good work.	12/10/2018 11:36 AM
19	I look forward in seeing "Pinball"	12/10/2018 11:36 AM
20	Heard him about 20 years ago and I'm sure he has improved but wasn't impressed. Wired.....	12/10/2018 11:12 AM
21	\$10,000 - too steep	12/10/2018 10:10 AM
22	Waste of money! I would rather hear a surveyor speak.	12/10/2018 10:00 AM

23	Whats a better way to speak to the young minds of our generation then by utilizing a Toronto sports legend.	12/10/2018 9:57 AM
24	TOO EXPENSIVE AND DECIDED TO FLY SOUTH FOR A WEEK INSTEAD	12/10/2018 9:56 AM
25	Too expensive - get someone who can talk about the future of surveying and the opportunities.	12/10/2018 9:55 AM
26	too expensive	12/10/2018 9:52 AM
27	The yes is contingent upon raising the AGM fee to cover the cost. Our AGM fees should be increased significantly higher than what they are compared to other events in other professions.	12/10/2018 9:33 AM
28	Too expensive hotel and speaker. We should focus on saving money...	12/10/2018 9:32 AM
29	I said no because \$10,000.00 is excessive for an Association that continue to raise annual membership renewal fees to make ends meet.	12/10/2018 9:23 AM
30	too much \$\$\$	12/10/2018 9:21 AM
31	We have more important things to spend \$10,000 on.	12/10/2018 9:20 AM
32	You must be joking.	12/10/2018 9:18 AM
33	I think he would be a great keynote speaker.	12/10/2018 9:06 AM
34	great idea.!!	12/10/2018 9:04 AM
35	Too expensive	12/10/2018 8:57 AM
36	Good Guy not worth it. Lower my dues instead.	12/10/2018 8:52 AM
37	Maybe a great speaker but I believe \$10k can be better spent especially given the increasing costs of membership dues, etc.	12/10/2018 8:43 AM
38	The harbour castle is an unnecessarily expensive venue. More emphasis should be put on having the AGM as less expansive places so that the savings can be used to offset the costs of better speakers and content. Rooms rates are high, parking is expensive, and the location is hard to get to for those outside of the city.	12/10/2018 8:22 AM
39	I am 110% in favour of having a notable speaker, simply Pinball's turn,	12/9/2018 10:43 PM
40	I don't think people care to hear from him. Use the 10k and Subsidize the meals instead	12/9/2018 10:28 PM
41	I don't think our association should be defined by who we get as a guest speaker. Promoting public awareness of what we do would be a better place to spend the money.	12/9/2018 10:28 PM
42	Let's deal with issues affecting our association. Have a marketing or "futurist" specialist talk	12/8/2018 6:54 PM
43	Heard he is a fantastic speaker.	12/8/2018 6:00 PM
44	You need to spend money to make money or attract those believe that our Association should be held in the highest regard, as it was when this Country was being developed. Let's appeal to the membership and our bigger firms to sponsor our speakers.	12/8/2018 4:24 PM
45	Great speaker. Consider if we have say 500 members and guests. That works out to about \$20/pp. I can't think of where you would that caliber of entertainment for that amount	12/8/2018 2:34 PM
46	With fee increases and other unknown costs coming down the pike how can you even consider such an expenditure. Any expenditure like this needs justification	12/8/2018 1:51 PM
47	We know Toronto is expensive then why hold AGM in Toronto. I think Toronto needs to be replaced with Mississauga since it is so expensive. Pinball is great but too expensive.	12/8/2018 1:43 PM
48	I have heard Michael speak about 8 years ago at a Rotary event. Very emotional speaker but 10k not sure if worth it. I don't think you will draw more attendees. At the time his "life changing inspirational message"wasn't much different from others I heard. If the committee thinks \$30 per person is good value then by all means go for it. Thanks for your efforts!!	12/8/2018 1:42 PM
49	I will attend, but I will not be staying at the Westin.	12/8/2018 12:50 PM
50	Too expensive	12/8/2018 10:47 AM
51	I think he will be a great speaker, and OLS's should learn how to charge their worth too!	12/8/2018 10:01 AM
52	Too expensive	12/8/2018 9:44 AM

53	Spending \$10000 on a keynote speaker is not a good use of the funds. Next year have the accommodations more cost effective and then the speaker would be well worth it.	12/8/2018 8:26 AM
54	Use the 10 grand for education	12/8/2018 7:49 AM
55	As much as I think Pinball would be great I don't think it is reasonable to have three keynote speakers, particularly if it is already an expensive event.	12/8/2018 6:23 AM
56	too expensive	12/7/2018 11:01 PM
57	Find someone in IT - innovation to speak	12/7/2018 10:34 PM
58	Why the Harbour Castle? Find another outside of the GTA that would be more reasonable and much easier to get to and park .I cannot afford those costs.I am not happy.why are you just realizing the high costs now what was the committee thinking ?	12/7/2018 9:17 PM
59	Cost is way to high!! If hotel, food and parking costs are too high in Toronto then move it to a location in York Region where it would not cost so much!!	12/7/2018 9:09 PM
60	NO NEED	12/7/2018 8:37 PM
61	Pinball is a fantastic motivational speaker.	12/7/2018 7:53 PM
62	Too much money!!!! Better spent elsewhere!!!!	12/7/2018 7:33 PM
63	Heard him before. He's good, but not worth the money! If you have to ask the members, you already know the answer.	12/7/2018 7:30 PM
64	No way he is worth that kind of money	12/7/2018 7:27 PM
65	He is a wonderful speaker and I would love to hear him speak although at a time of increased dues to overcome our demographic woes, is it really a wise use of funds? That said, if we have 300 attendees, his fee adds \$33.33 per attendee. I trust that his inspiration would be worth this amount.	12/7/2018 6:53 PM
66	find someone who talks our language	12/7/2018 6:51 PM
67	Use the \$10,000 to give raises to all staff. Way better value.	12/7/2018 6:34 PM
68	For the money does not add anything to first 2 speakers - looks a little repetitive.	12/7/2018 6:28 PM
69	Another waste of time and resources	12/7/2018 6:27 PM
70	Crazy waste of money.	12/7/2018 6:11 PM
71	expensive	12/7/2018 6:09 PM
72	Only on the condition that the registration fees cover all of the AGM expenses including the additional fees for Mr. Clemens. Otherwise, the answer to Q 2 is NO.	12/7/2018 6:06 PM
73	You get what you pay for. Pinball is a big name and AOLS deserves the best. I totally support the investment in our future.	12/7/2018 6:02 PM
74	I have met Michael on a number of occasions. He creates a very positive and uplifting atmosphere. Although \$10,000 is a lot of money this is a great opportunity and should not be missed.	12/7/2018 5:55 PM
75	Why do we need the other two keynote speakers if we have Pinball?	12/7/2018 5:53 PM
76	Not to be a party pooper but that is Expensive, just allocate that money for a better cause.	12/7/2018 5:52 PM
77	I would enjoy hearing him speak. Seems like a very large cost for a one hour talk.	12/7/2018 5:52 PM
78	Seen him several times already.	12/7/2018 5:47 PM
79	\$10,000 seems high but perhaps we should qualify that by what other keynote speakers have charged in the past. If Clemons is double what others charge than that seems to be too expensive. If it is only a marginally more then it would be an exciting opportunity to have him speak.	12/7/2018 5:47 PM
80	I would approve him if his fee was reasonable. For \$10,000 I can tell you things you've never heard before...	12/7/2018 5:47 PM
81	Pinball would be good for a sports banquet. Not our AGM	12/7/2018 5:46 PM
82	Too expensive	12/7/2018 5:45 PM
83	Outstanding speaker and person!!!	12/7/2018 5:45 PM

84	the question above does not stipulate the fee. shouldn't it say "do you approve of the \$10K expenditure to have him speak"?? just an idea. i approve of the person, but not the fee.	12/7/2018 5:45 PM
85	Once in a while it won't kill us to spend a little extra. And the Toronto AGM is likely one of the better attended, I'm guessing, so it's a good one to splurge on.	12/7/2018 5:44 PM
86	Doesn't pass the cost benefit analysis.	12/7/2018 5:44 PM
87	Superb individual.	12/7/2018 5:44 PM