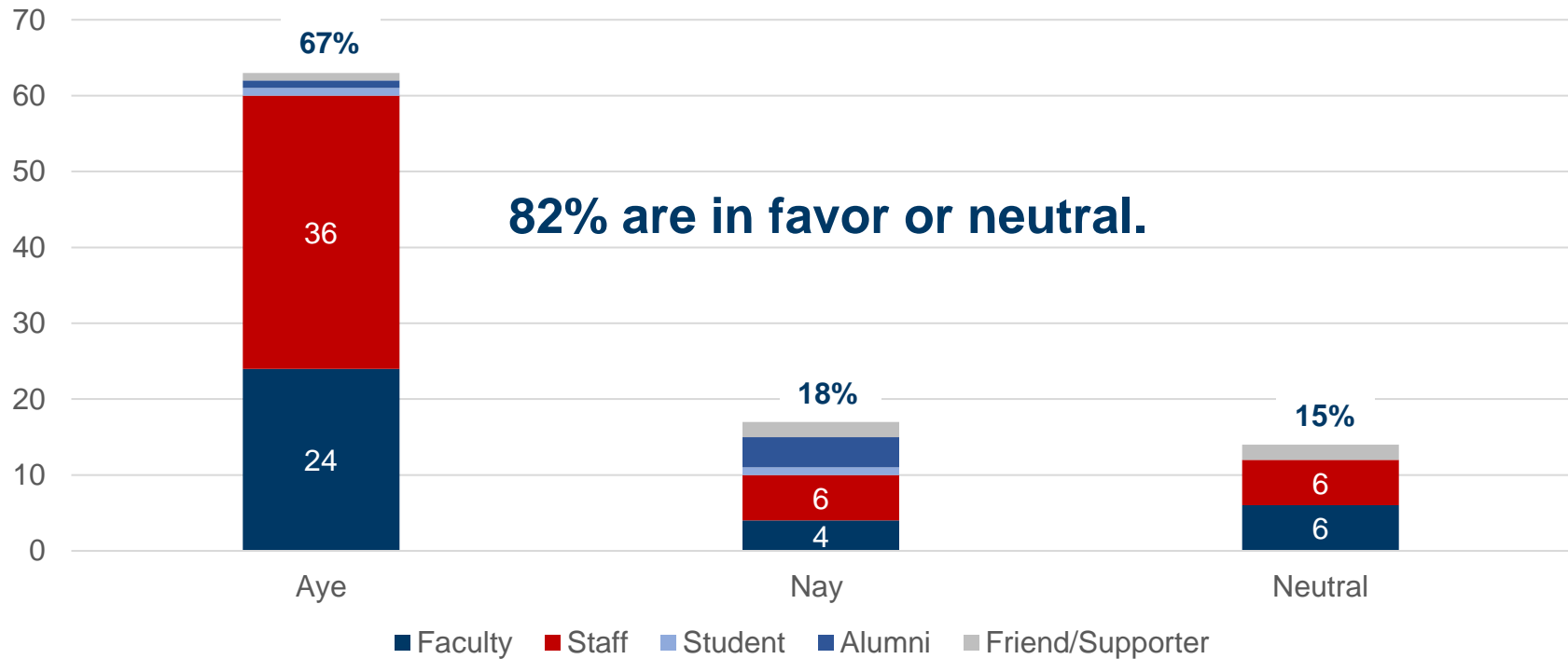


Change to University?

Composite results from April 2024 and Spring 2025 campus surveys (2/13/25). A total of 94 responses.



88% of staff are in favor or neutral.

“This change has been a long time coming and I see no reason not to aggressively move forward with it.”

“Evolving to university will alleviate confusion with two-year schools and appropriately acknowledge LC State's program range and quality.”

“Too often we are associated with a community college. People, even in our own community sometimes, don't realize that we offer bachelor and even master's programs. It's honestly kind of embarrassing.”

“I believe we may be overlooked now by many as they assume we only offer associate degrees.”

88% of faculty are in favor or neutral.

“I love the name change!” “It's a great idea!” “Yes, we should change the name to Lewis-Clark State University.”

“I fully support the change to university. It will help us distinguish ourselves from community colleges and will help in promotional efforts.”

“Language is dynamic and not static. ‘College’ now has connotations that are negative to our mission.”

“I support the name change—this has the potential to broaden our marketing reach and better reflects the many degrees offered here.”