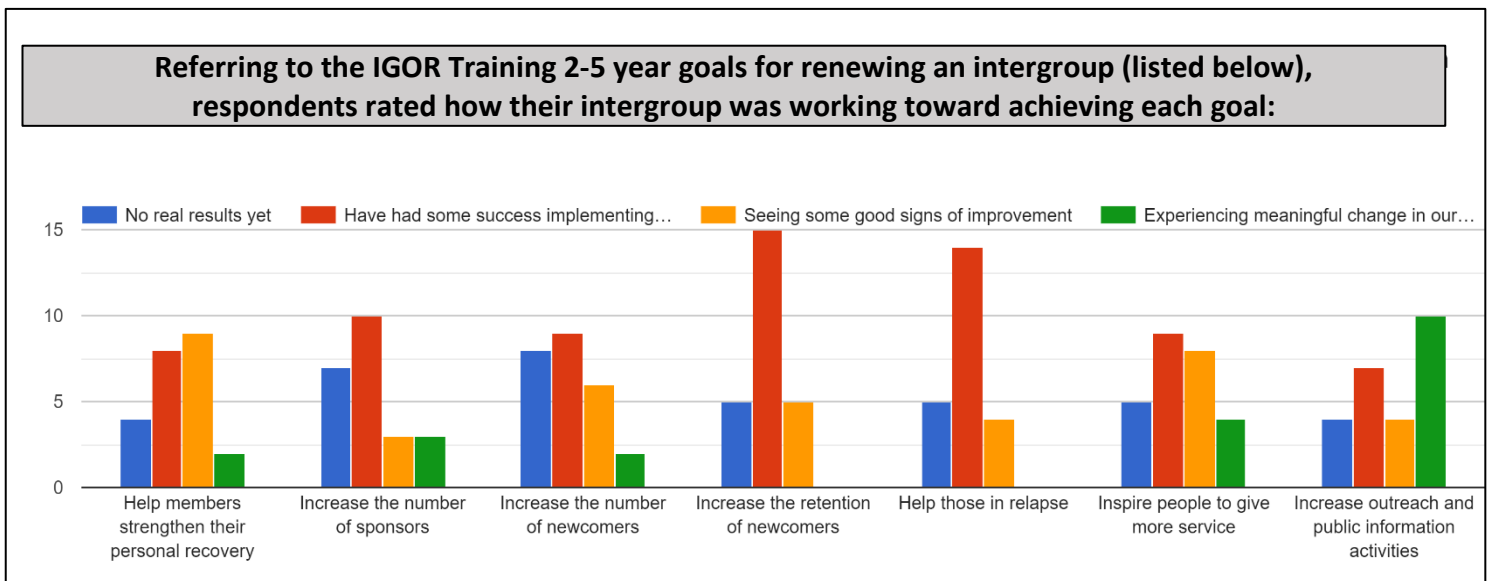
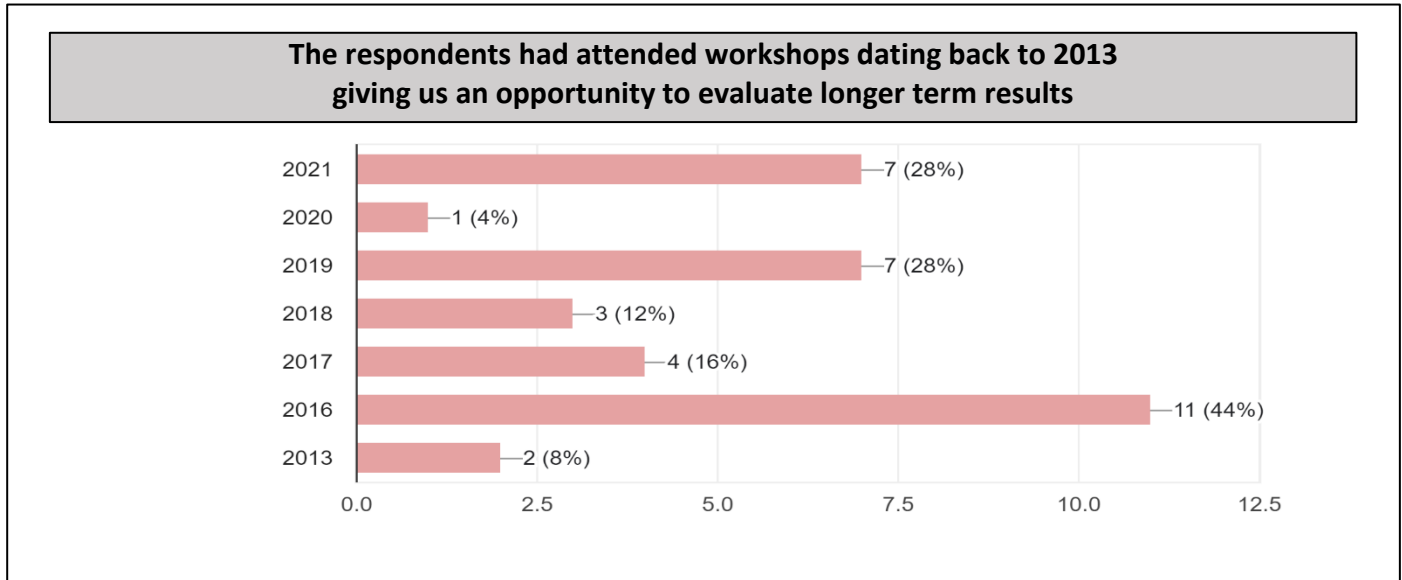


Is Intergroup Renewal Work Effective?

In the spring of 2022, we surveyed over 249 former attendees of prior intergroup renewal workshops over the past 9 years to evaluate the results of the lessons learned at prior workshops. We received 25 responses to our survey—a formidable response rate. Based on the answers we received, this process works.

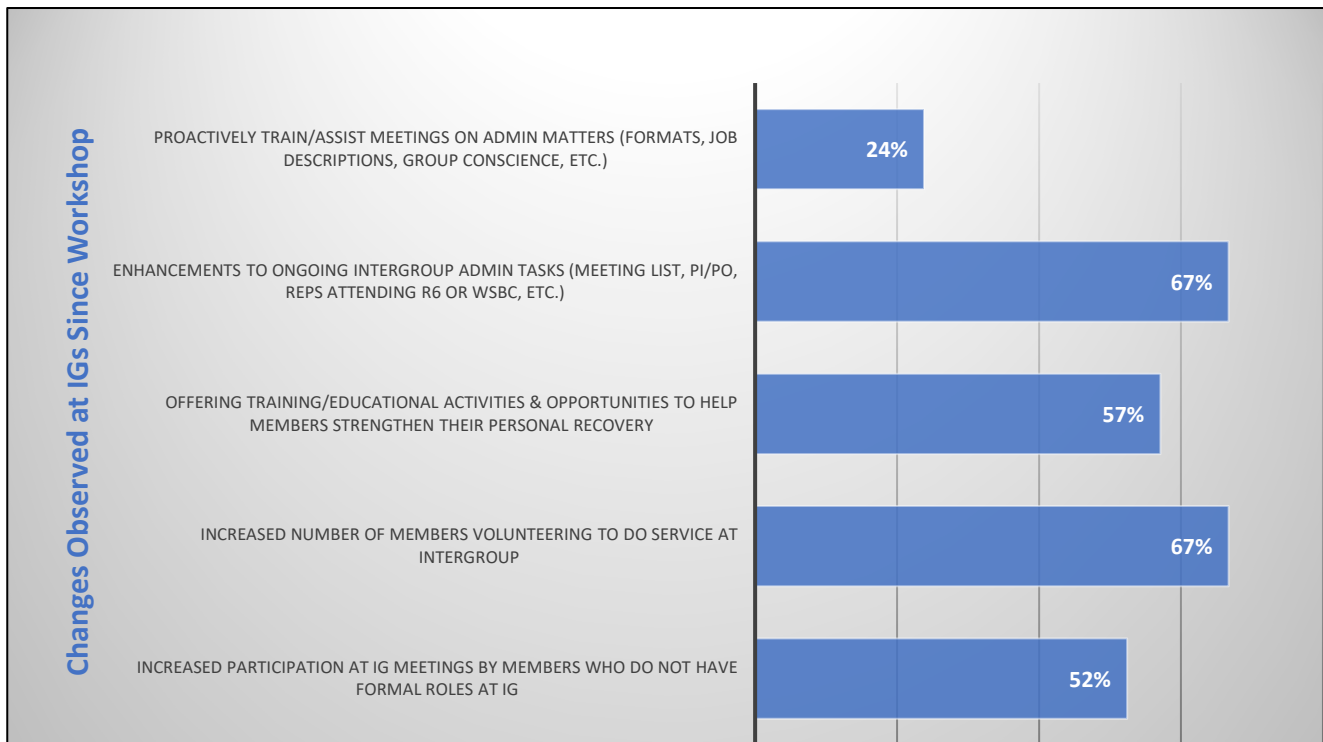
Here is a summary of the results of the survey:



The passion and change can come from one person or a group of people who attended as evidenced by some of the write-in responses when respondents were asked what role the intergroup Board played in supporting renewal:

- I was the only officer who attended—but I got juiced up enough that I got the entire IG excited. Immediately, we got 3+ volunteers to develop a strong PIPO committee. Two other officers worked to establish a monthly Newcomer orientation. We have also worked as a group to jazz up our website.
- We brought back ideas; funded expanded MailChimp tool; funded R6 Facebook ad for our counties; funded enhancements to our website; promoted a zoom security training session
- We were going to fold as an intergroup...have since sent a delegate to the WSBC

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In previous workshops, we had not suggested re-surveying the membership periodically after the initial member survey which begins the renewal process.

MEMBERS IN RECOVERY

However, five (5) percent of our respondents did measure, by survey or other means, the number of members identifying as “being in recovery” since they began the renewal process and they **measured an increase of 11-15% as “being in recovery”**. An additional 30% of the respondents were able to *estimate an increase of the number of members in recovery* with the following distribution:

- 0-5% ↑members in recovery (17%)
- 6-10% (33%)
- 11-15% (33%)
- 16-20% (17%)

Half of these respondents (50%) saw these results in 12-18 months; 25% saw results in 3-6 months, 13% saw results in 18-24 months, and 12% saw results in 0-3 months.

SPONSORS

Nine (9) percent of our respondents did measure, by survey or other means, the number of new sponsors since they began the renewal process and they **measured an increase in the number of sponsors**:

- 6-10% more sponsors (50%)
- More than 40% more sponsors (50%)

An additional 25% of the respondents were able to *estimate an increase of the number of sponsors* with the following distribution:

- 0-5% more sponsors (33%)
- 6-10% (50%)
- 16-20% (17%)

Half of these respondents (50%) saw these results in 12-18 months; 17% saw results in 0-3 months and 33% saw these results in more than two years.

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OVERALL HEALTH OF INTERGROUP AT TIME OF SURVEY

