

# IT MAY NOT BE EASY BEING GREEN BUT IT SURE IS IMPORTANT



Alberta Union of  
Provincial Employees  
**Environmental  
Committee**

A SPECIAL ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE EDITION OF **BY THE NUMBERS**

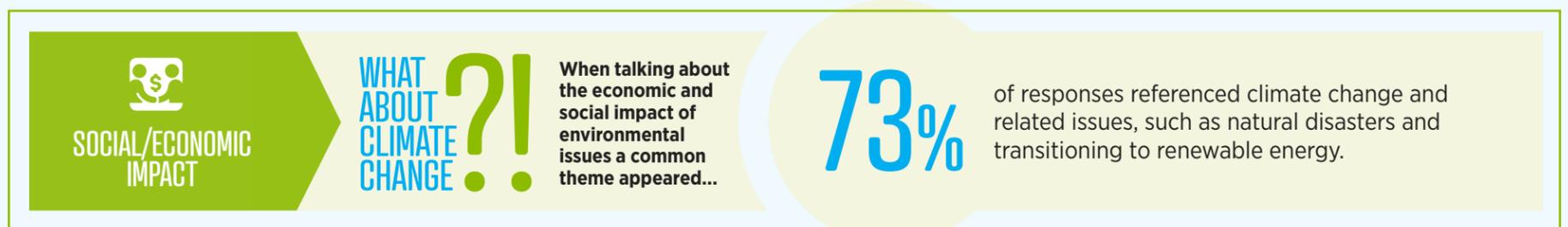
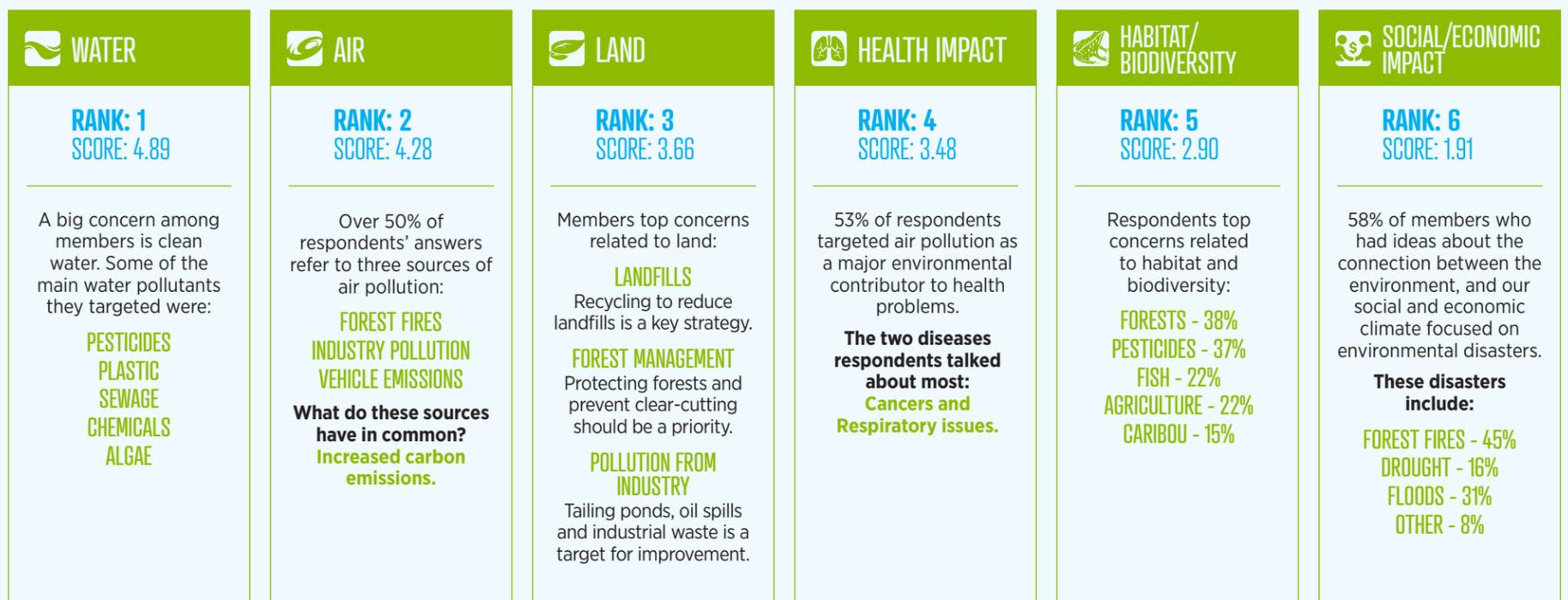
## SURVEY REPORT

A myth persists that the fight for worker rights is at odds with the fight for environmental justice. Results from the AUPE Environmental Committee's 2018 survey however, suggests working Albertans see a strong connection between themselves and the environment around them. Open Oct. 5 -31, the questionnaire asked members from all four sectors what environmental issues are top-priority to them. Here's what they had to say...

## ENVIRONMENTAL PRIORITIES

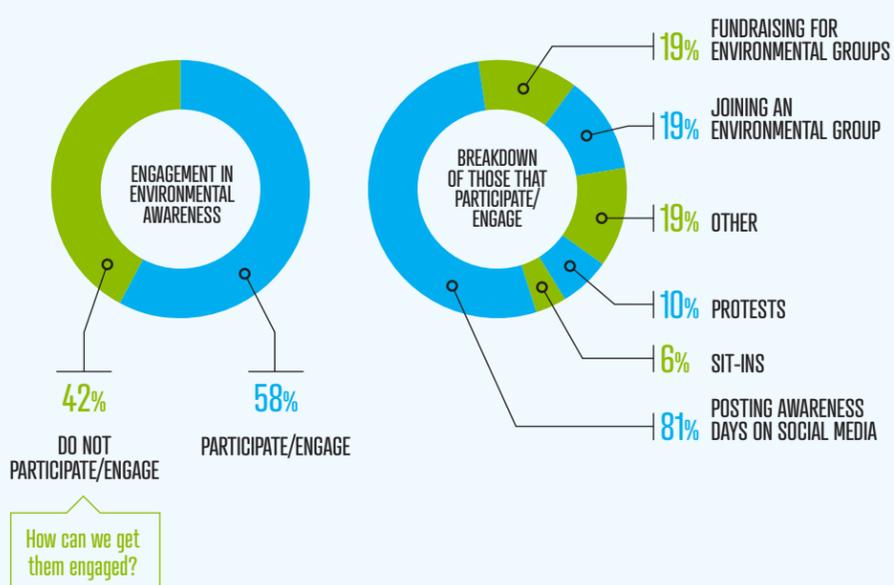
We asked members to rank which environment related issues most concern them. They were asked to rank from 1 to 6, with 1 being the highest priority. To calculate this we used weighted average scores, the most preferred choice has the largest score, and the least preferred choice has the lowest score.

You will see below Water has the highest rank of #1, and the largest score of 4.89.



## ENVIRONMENTAL ENGAGEMENT

What are members doing to raise awareness about environmental issues?



## ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

When asked whether AUPE should provide an environmental course as part of its union education program 80% said yes. In a follow up question, we asked what topics should be covered in such a course, below are the responses.

