



## Top Line Results

### Miami University Student Survey on Perceptions of the Oxford Police Department, the School and City Council

Conducted: 8/24/2017 through 8/28/2017

Survey Type: Online

N = 261

#### Q0. Are you a student at Miami University?

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	261	100.0	100.0

#### Q1. What do you believe is the top priority of the Oxford Police

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Generating ticket revenue	177	67.8	67.8
Ensuring your safety while at school	84	32.2	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

#### Q2. Have you ever filed a complaint with Oxford Police regarding theft, robbery, vandalism, assault or sexual assault?

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	20	7.7	7.7
No	241	92.3	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

#### Q3a. How did the Oxford Police respond to your complaint? Timely response?

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	4	20.0	20.0
No	12	60.0	80.0
Not sure / don't know	4	20.0	100.0
Total	20	100.0	
Question not asked	241		
Total	261		

#### Q3b. Invested appropriate resources to address the complaint?

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	2	10.0	10.0
No	14	70.0	80.0
Not sure / don't know	4	20.0	100.0
Total	20	100.0	
Question not asked	241		
Total	261		

#### Q3c. Were able to make an arrest/could make an arrest based on the complaint?

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	11	55.0	55.0
No	7	35.0	90.0
Not sure / don't know	2	10.0	100.0
Total	20	100.0	
Question not asked	241		
Total	261		

**Q4. Have you ever been approached by the police regarding a noise violation? If so, did the police first provide a warning and explain what you needed to do in order to be compliant?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	61	23.4	23.4
No	171	65.5	88.9
Not sure / don't know	29	11.1	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q5. Have you ever been cited or arrested by the Oxford Police?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	62	23.8	23.8
No	199	76.2	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q6. Were you treated with respect by the Oxford Police?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes, treated with respect	18	31.0	31.0
No, was not treated with respect	29	50.0	81.0
Not sure / don't know	11	19.0	100.0
Total	58	100.0	
Question not asked	203		
Total	261		

**Q6 Other**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
I was arrested with a friend who wanted to call her parents, the arresting female officer told my friend that if she couldn't handle getting arrested on her own she doesn't belong in college.	1	.4	98.9
I was wrongly frisked outside of any jurisdiction and people knew it. However, it would have cost more money to try and win the case	1	.4	99.2
I've had mixed results.	1	.4	99.6
Was not treated with respect at all. They tried to trick me	1	.4	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q7. If a police report was written regarding your case, did the police report accurately reflected the details of the arrest?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
No police report was written	3	4.8	4.8
Yes, the police report was accurate	26	41.9	46.8
No, the police report was not accurate	22	35.5	82.3
Not sure / don't know	11	17.7	100.0
Total	62	100.0	
Question not asked	199		
Total	261		

**Q8. Was your citation or arrest alcohol related?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	56	90.3	90.3
No	6	9.7	100.0
Total	62	100.0	
Question not asked	199		
Total	261		

**Q9. Has receiving an alcohol citation caused you to:**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Drink more responsibly	12	21.4	21.4
Simply drink more underground so that you don't get caught	42	75.0	96.4
Not sure / don't know	2	3.6	100.0
Total	56	100.0	
Question not asked	205		
Total	261		

**Q10. Some people in Oxford have accused the Oxford Police of using noise violations to get inside of parties and to make arrests. Do you agree or disagree with this statement?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Strongly agree	152	58.2	58.2
Somewhat agree	81	31.0	89.3
Somewhat disagree	11	4.2	93.5
Strongly disagree	4	1.5	95.0
Not sure / don't know	13	5.0	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q11. Suppose you were walking home alone late at night, were somewhat intoxicated, and confronted by the Oxford police do you believe they would :**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Ensure that you got home safely	15	5.7	5.7
See an opportunity for citations	234	89.7	95.4
Not sure / don't know	12	4.6	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q12. Have you driven out of town to a different city and drank to avoid police scrutiny?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	50	19.2	19.2
No	199	76.2	95.4
Not sure / don't know	12	4.6	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q13. Do you believe that it is appropriate for the university to automatically find you guilty of code of conduct violations based on police citations before a court of law determines your guilt or innocence?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	32	12.3	12.3
No	214	82.0	94.3
Not sure / don't know	15	5.7	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q14. Do you believe that the universities code of conduct violations with respect to underage consumption of alcohol drive more drinking underground?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	220	84.3	84.3
No	19	7.3	91.6
Not sure / don't know	22	8.4	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q15. After drinking away from your residence have you used back alleys or more remote ways to get back home in order to avoid Oxford Police scrutiny?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	216	82.8	82.8
No	42	16.1	98.9
Not sure / don't know	3	1.1	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q16. How would your experiences with the Oxford Police and interaction with Miami's code of conduct policies/procedures impact your recommendations to others about Miami?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Would recommend that they go to Miami	70	26.8	26.8
Would advise them to go to another school	60	23.0	49.8
No opinion	131	50.2	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q17. Do you believe that city council supports policies and fines for alcohol violations, noise violations, litter violations and parking violations because:**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
They desire to create a better environment for everyone in the community	38	14.6	14.6
They see an opportunity to generate more revenue for the city.	190	72.8	87.4
Not sure / don't know	33	12.6	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q18. Do you react to the University and city police efforts to regulate your behavior with respect to alcohol consumption by:**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Being more compliant and following the rules	16	6.1	6.1
Going further underground to not get caught	153	58.6	64.8
Become more defiant and drink more aggressively	39	14.9	79.7
None of the above	53	20.3	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q19. Do you believe that university officials, including professors understand the college drinking culture today?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Yes	70	26.8	26.8
No	159	60.9	87.7
Not sure / don't know	32	12.3	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q20. If you were in a position where a fellow student appeared to be in duress due to high consumption of alcohol would you:**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Automatically call the ambulance	80	30.7	30.7
Be hesitant to call the ambulance for fear that you, others and the victim would get in trouble	160	61.3	92.0
Not sure / don't know	21	8.0	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q21. How did you value the social scene (greek system, parties, uptown bars) as a factor in your decision to come to Miami?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Very important	124	47.5	47.5
Somewhat important	96	36.8	84.3
Not important	37	14.2	98.5
Not sure / don't know	4	1.5	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q22. Please select your current year in school**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Freshman	1	.4	.4
Sophomore	85	32.6	33.0
Junior	120	46.0	78.9
Senior	52	19.9	98.9
Other	3	1.1	100.0
Total	261	100.0	

**Q23. What is your gender?**

	Count	Percent	Cumulative Percent
Female	140	53.6	53.6
Male	121	46.4	100.0
Total	261	100.0	