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360-Degree Feedback Report

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About This Report

This multi-rater feedback process is designed to assist you in your professional development. When used effectively, the survey can:

- Encourage candid and honest communication between you and your colleagues
- Help you identify your professional strengths and developmental opportunities
- Establish a quantitative baseline that will allow you to assess your progress
- Give you the opportunity to improve your skills by being more aware of others' perceptions and observations of your performance
- Guide your conversations with your colleagues to ensure you remain informed of their observations and suggestions

Rating Scale

The rating scale shown below was used in scoring quantitative feedback.

Scale Option	Assigned Value
Not Observed	---
Never or Almost Never	1
Very Rarely	2
Once in Awhile	3
Sometimes	4
Fairly Often	5
Very Often	6
Always or Almost Always	7

Response Summary

The following groups of individuals were invited to participate in this review. The "Nominated" rater count excludes individuals that opted-out of participating or were removed by project administrators.

Rater Type	Nominated	Responded	Response Rate
Self	1	1	100%
Board	5	5	100%
Direct Reports	5	5	100%
Peers/Partners	7	7	100%
Others	4	4	100%
Past Direct Report	6	4	67%
Total	28	26	93%

Raters Nominated to Participate

The individuals listed below were nominated to provide you feedback.

#	Rater Name	Rater Relationship
1.	Miller, Jeff	Self
2.	Berlitz, Timothy	Board
3.	Braker, Steven	Board
4.	Herman, Paula	Board
5.	Johnson, Randy	Board
6.	Mueller, John	Board
7.	Amthor, Mike	Direct Reports
8.	Gerrard, James	Direct Reports
9.	Kilwin, Jake	Direct Reports
10.	Solvone, Eric	Direct Reports
11.	Stone, William	Direct Reports
12.	Brody, Anita	Peers/Partners
13.	Klawitter, Peter	Peers/Partners
14.	Peterson, Mike	Peers/Partners
15.	Rivers, Jeff	Peers/Partners
16.	Stevens, Scott	Peers/Partners
17.	Williamson, Jerry	Peers/Partners
18.	Young, Tim	Peers/Partners
19.	Anderson, Scott	Others
20.	Fields, Jeff	Others
21.	Morrison, George	Others
22.	Wicklow, Richard	Others
23.	Crooks, Pamela	Past Direct Report
24.	Drake, Marshal	Past Direct Report
25.	Hummel, Vivian	Past Direct Report
26.	Nielson, Kristy	Past Direct Report
27.	Peters, Mike	Past Direct Report
28.	Schwartz, Denise	Past Direct Report

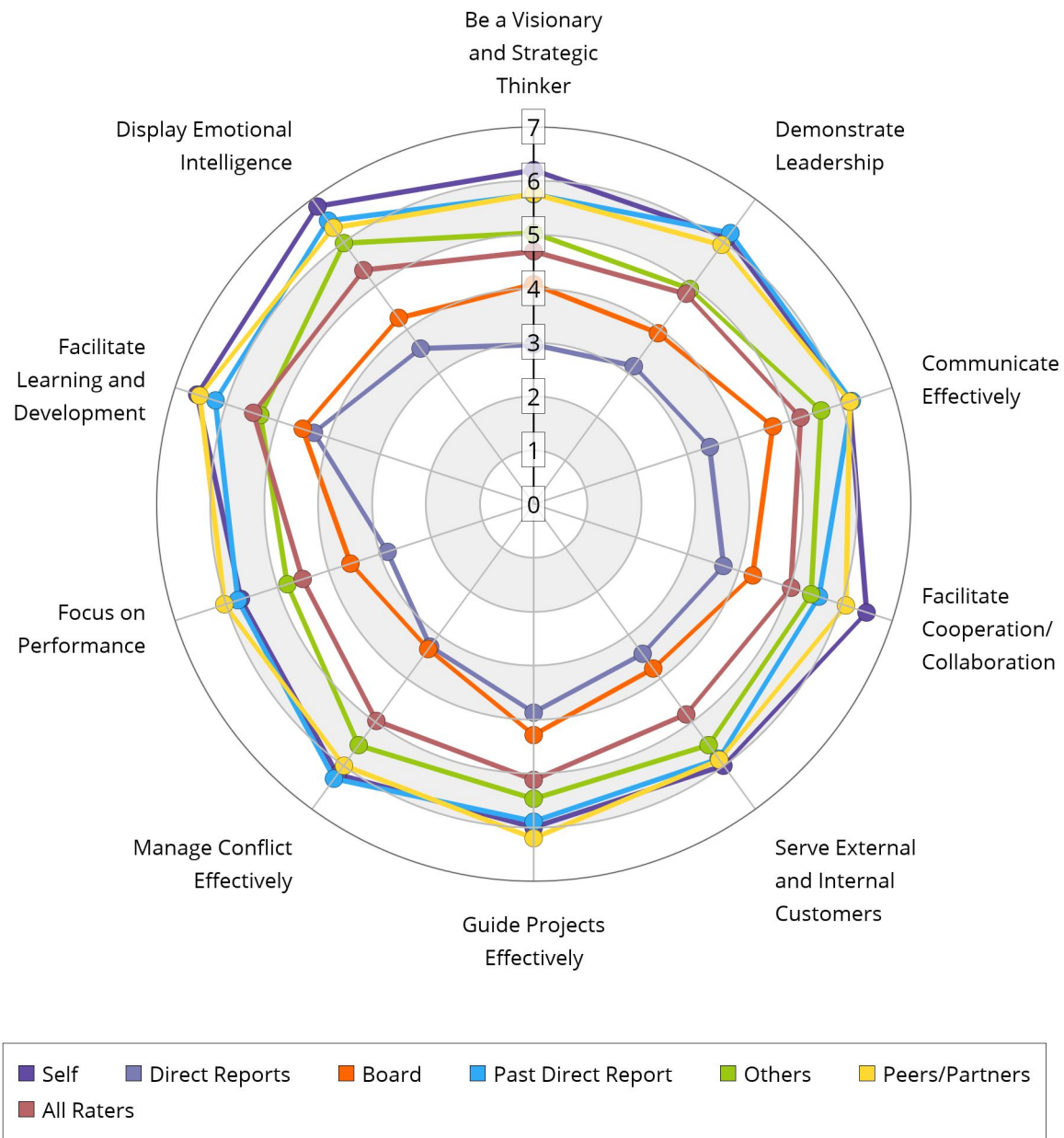
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Competency Profile Radar Chart

The Competency Profile radar chart below shows scores for each rating group across all competencies. Radar charts are useful in easily spotting gaps between rater groups' perceptions and observations of an individual's behaviors. More favorable scores fall toward the outside of the chart. The "All Raters" values represent the average of all non-self raters in your review.

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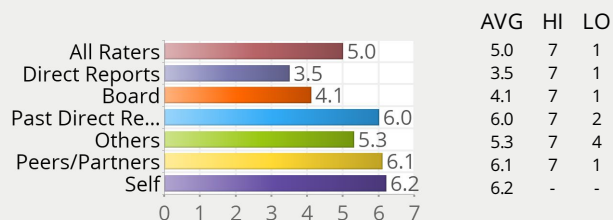
Competency Summary

This report shows average ratings for each competency in the review segmented by rater group. The HI and LO columns present the highest and lowest ratings submitted by each rater group for a given competency. The "All Raters" bar represents the average of all non-self raters in your review.

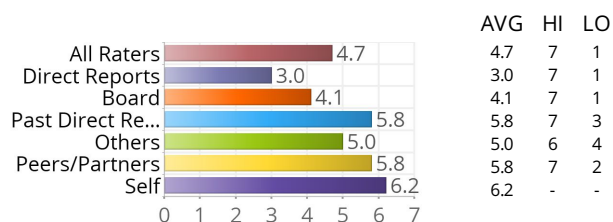
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Overall Score: 5.0 out of 7.0

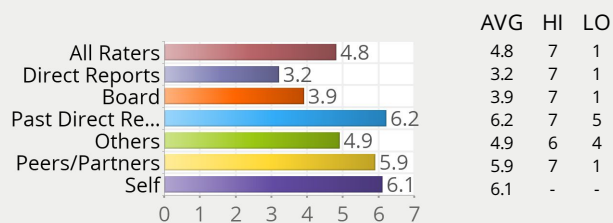
Aggregate score for all competencies in the review.



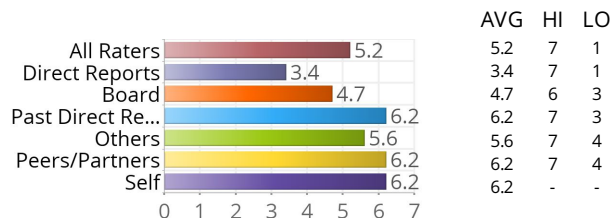
Be a Visionary and Strategic Thinker



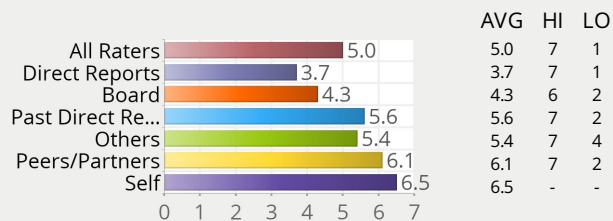
Demonstrate Leadership



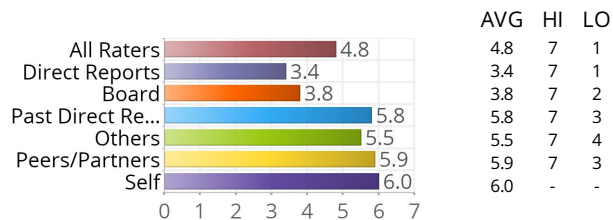
Communicate Effectively



Facilitate Cooperation/Collaboration



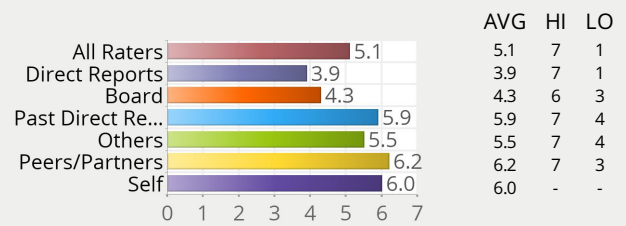
Serve External and Internal Customers



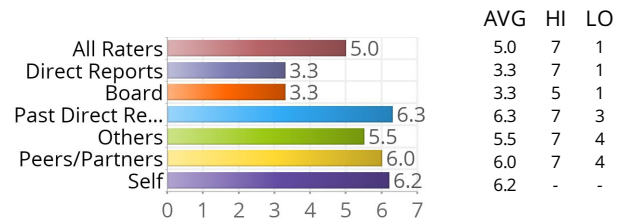
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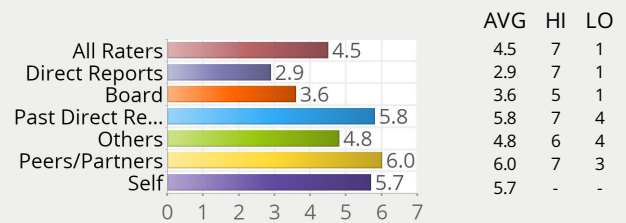
Guide Projects Effectively



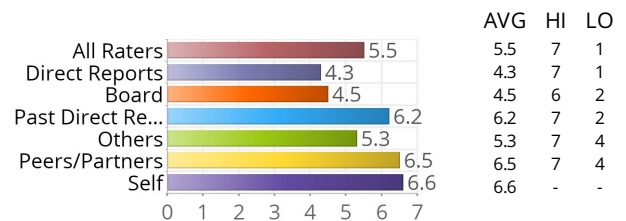
Manage Conflict Effectively



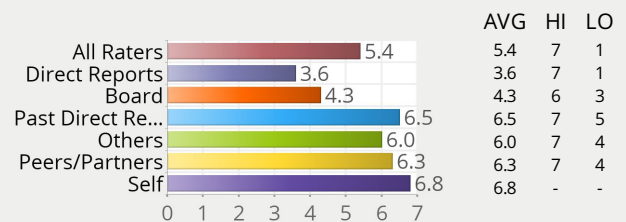
Focus on Performance



Facilitate Learning and Development



Display Emotional Intelligence



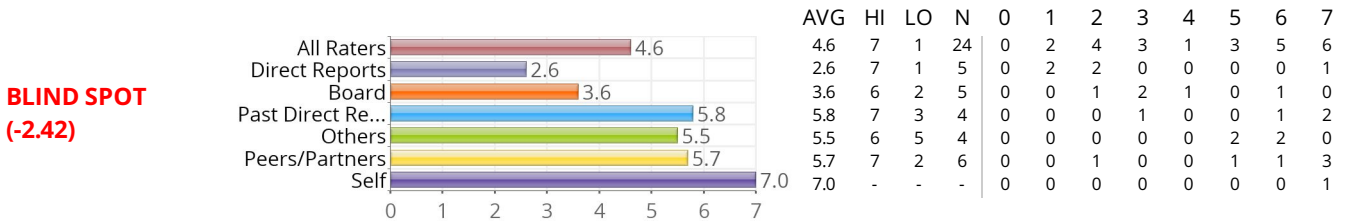
Individual Review Items - Enhanced

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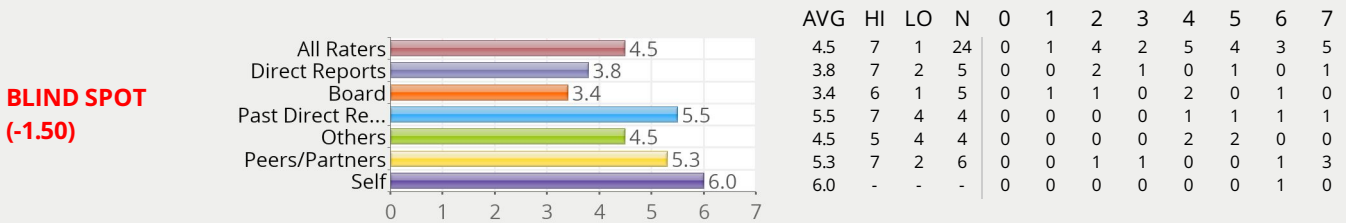
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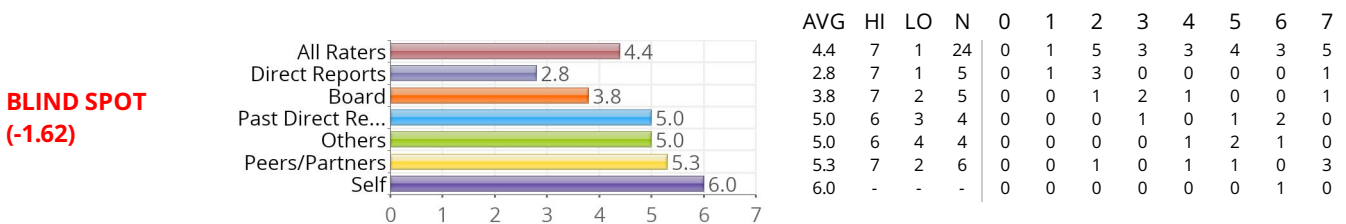
1. Adapt strategies, goals, and plans to changing conditions both within and outside of the organization.



2. Articulate a compelling vision of an ideal future for the organization or program.



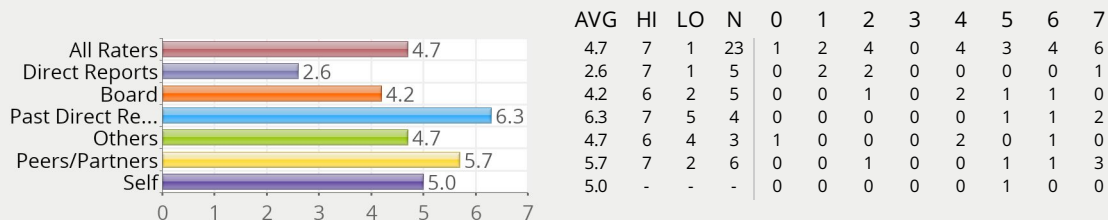
3. Demonstrate the ability to align others toward achieving the vision.



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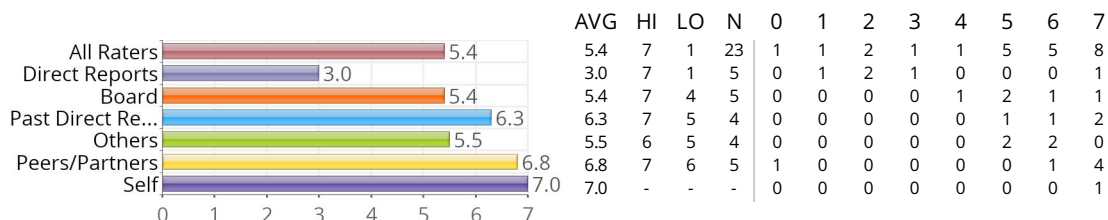
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4. Search for the underlying, systemic causes driving a problem or issue.



5. Think through the implications of decisions and actions on staff, customers, and other stakeholders.

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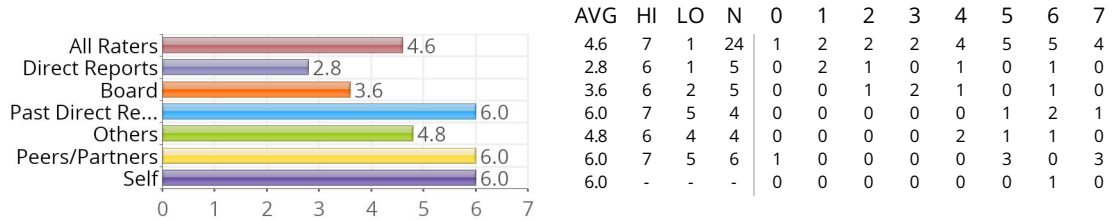
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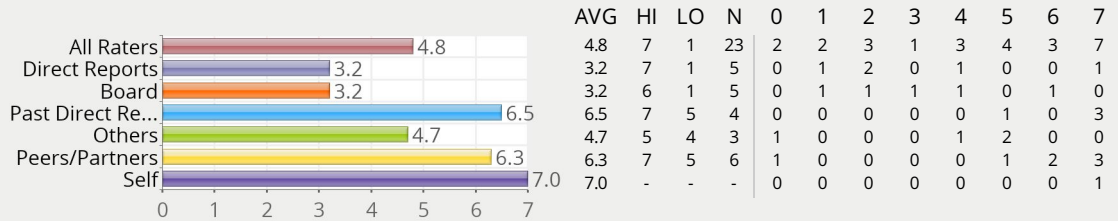
6. Achieve agreement from others when making decisions.

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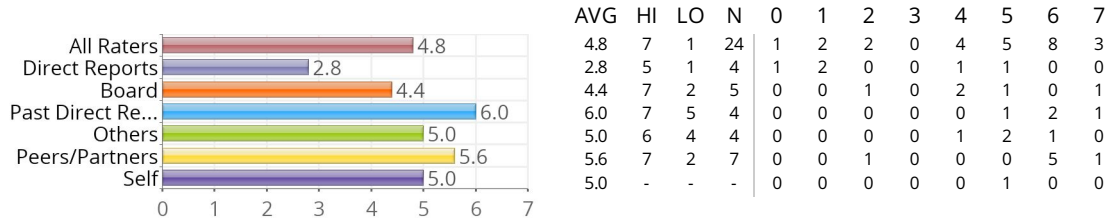


7. Create an environment where individuals are free to communicate without concern of rejection or reprisal.

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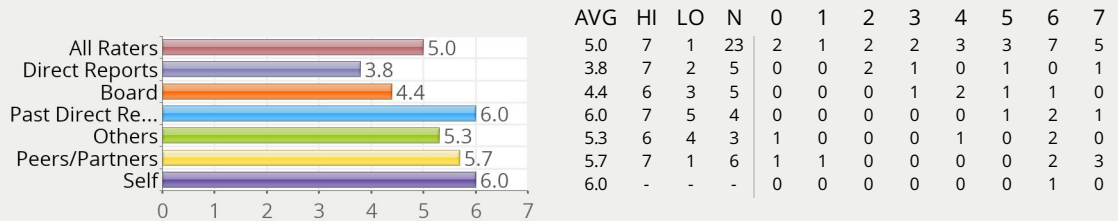


8. Display a willingness to challenge the status quo.



9. Display a willingness to make tough decisions.

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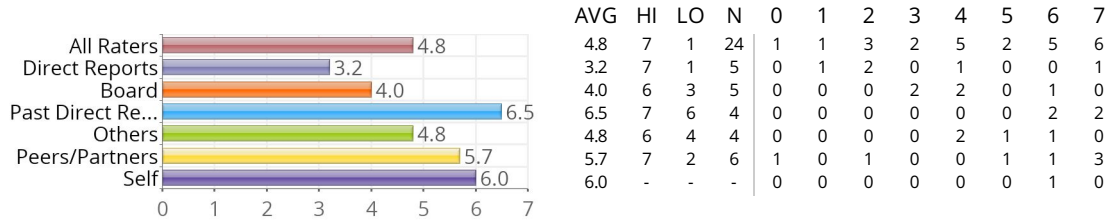


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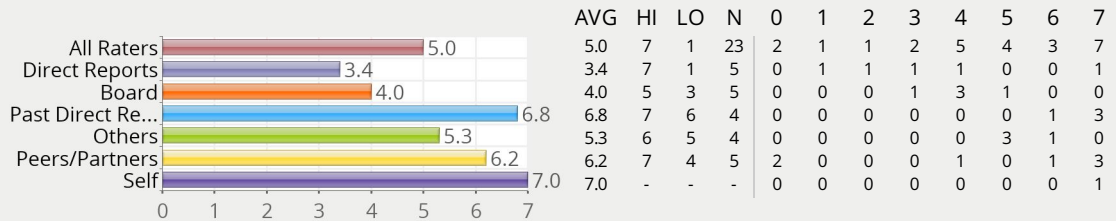
10. Evoke trust by following through on commitments made to others.

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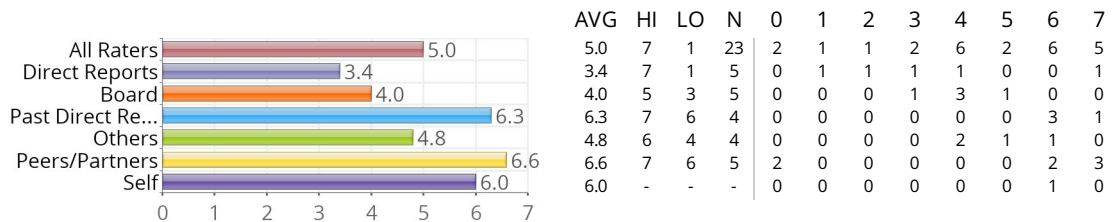
11. Help create meaning and understanding in challenging situations.

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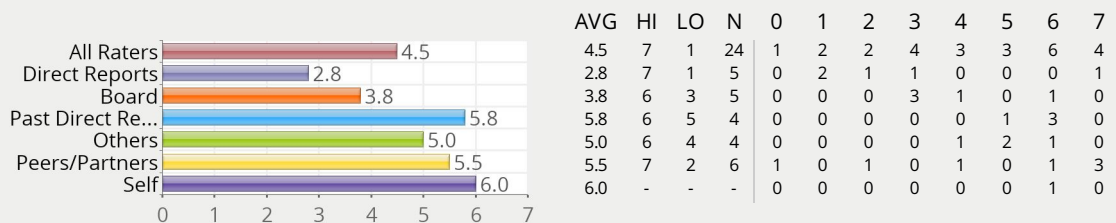
12. Model the behaviors and actions desired of others.

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13. Persuade and lead others toward accomplishing organizational or team goals.

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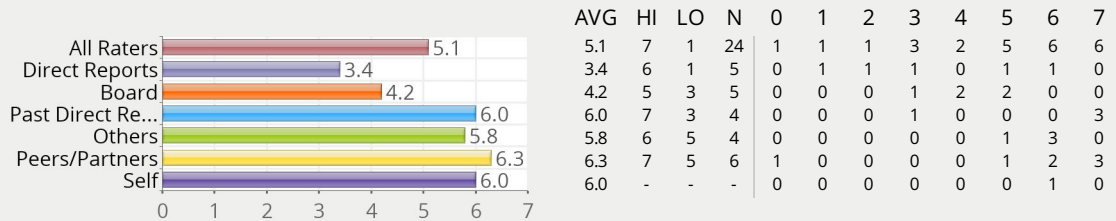
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Communicate Effectively

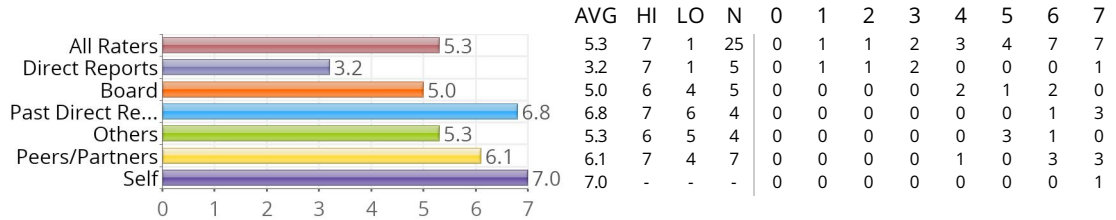


14. Appropriately use a good balance of communication tools (e.g., staff meetings, memos, e-mail, meeting minutes, etc.) to communicate with others.



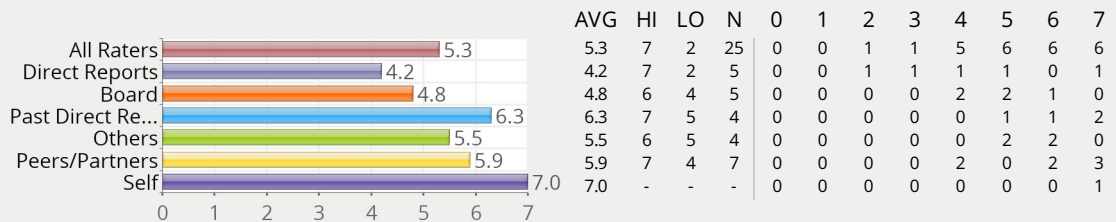
15. Ask questions to learn more about (or to clarify) what people are saying.

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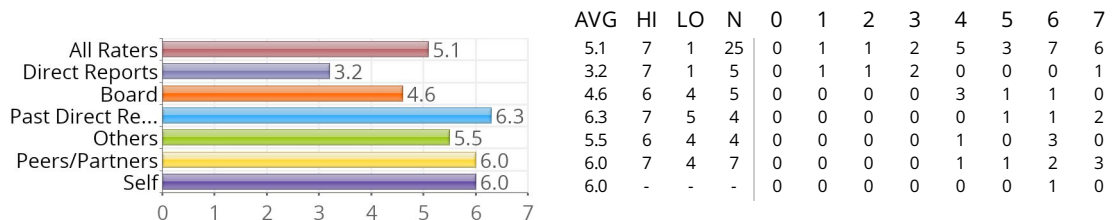


16. Listen effectively to others.

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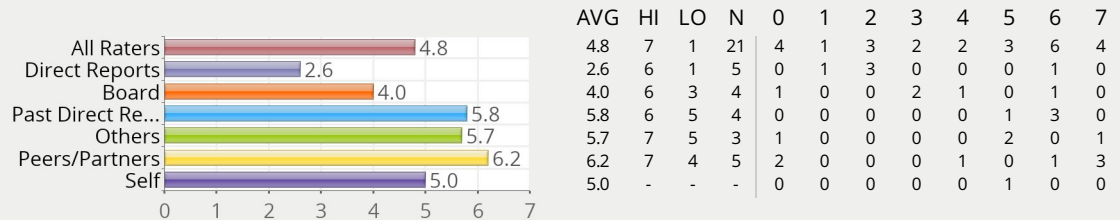
17. Take the time to communicate with and listen to others.



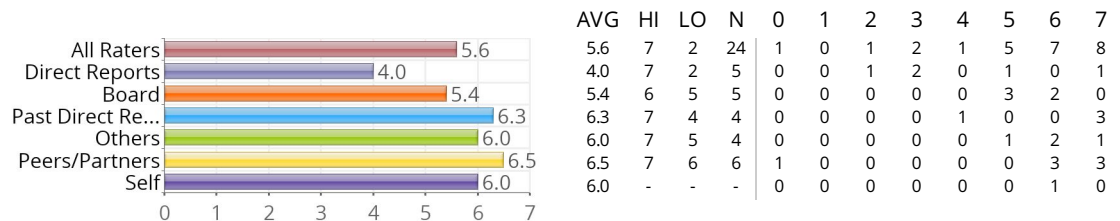
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18. Turn communication breakdowns into an opportunity for insight and learning.



19. Write letters, e-mails, memos, and reports using a clear and clear and concise style.



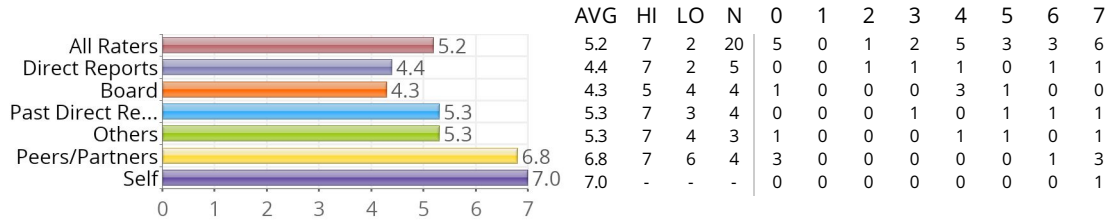
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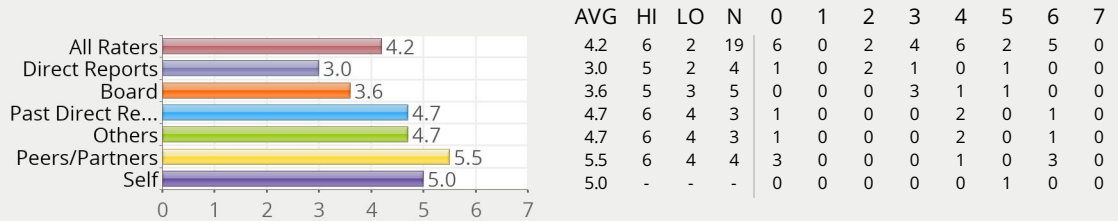


20. Communicate people's successes to others.

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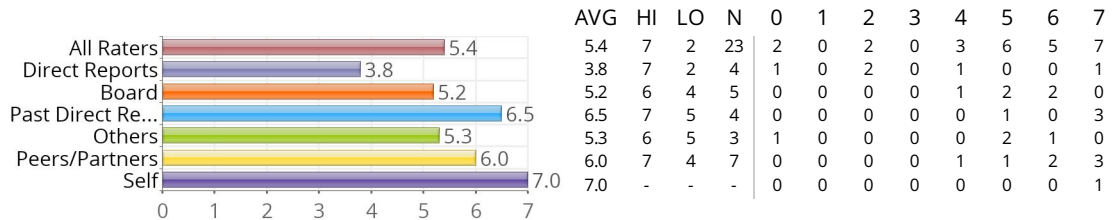


21. Confront issues that are limiting others' effectiveness.



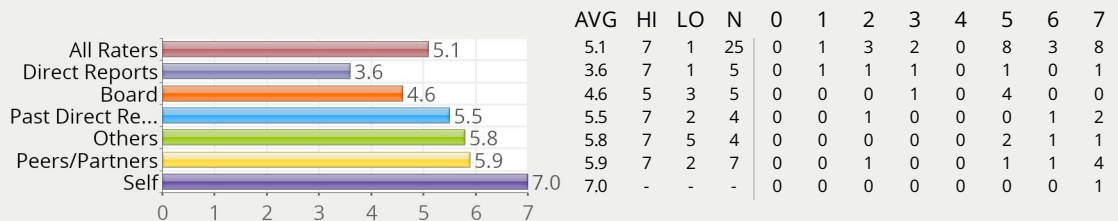
22. Demonstrate a willingness to pitch in to get the job done.

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23. Demonstrate open-mindedness and a willingness to be flexible when presented with new ideas.

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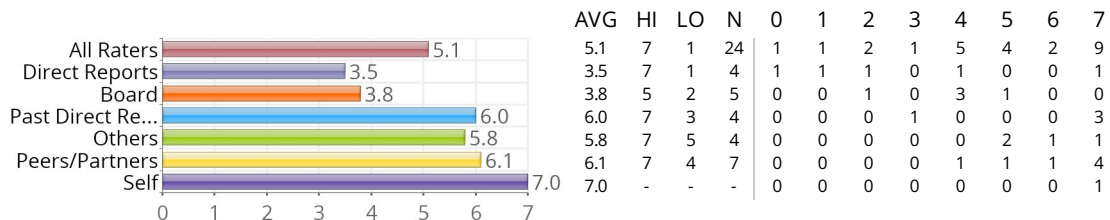


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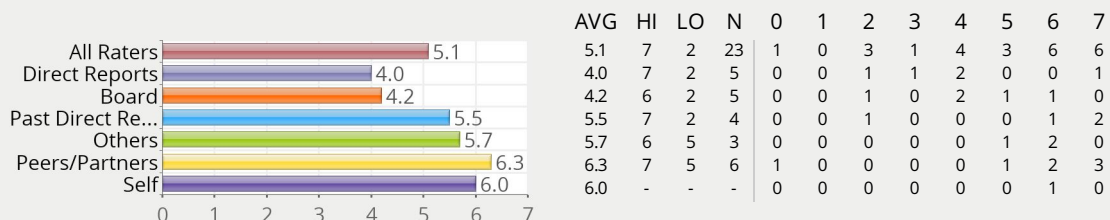
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24. Exhibit tact and consideration in working relationships.

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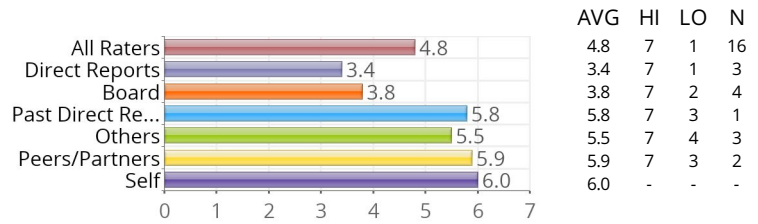
25. Share knowledge and expertise with others.



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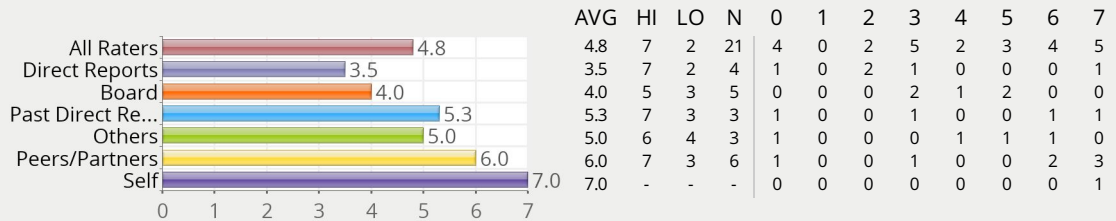
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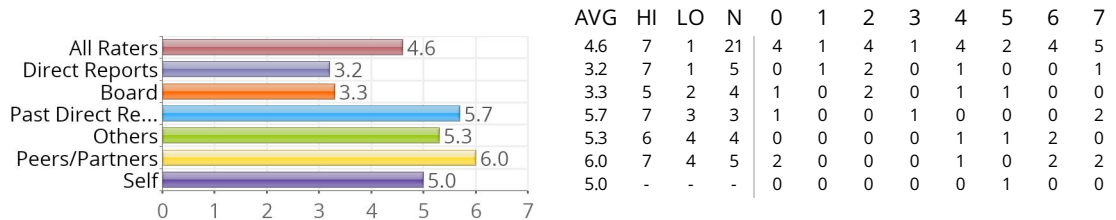


26. Adjust work activities or recommend changes in policies and programs based upon what is learned from internal and external customers.

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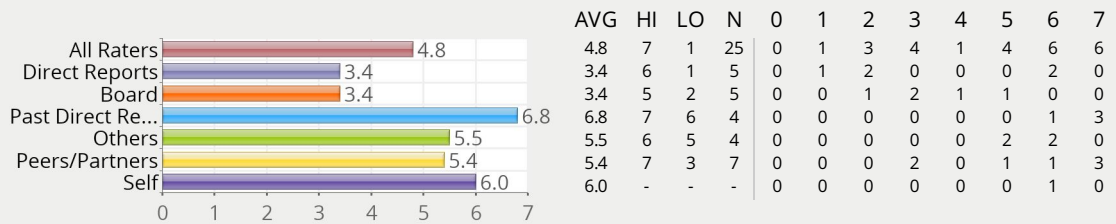


27. Ask me, as an internal or external customer, whether or not he or she is meeting my needs/expectations.

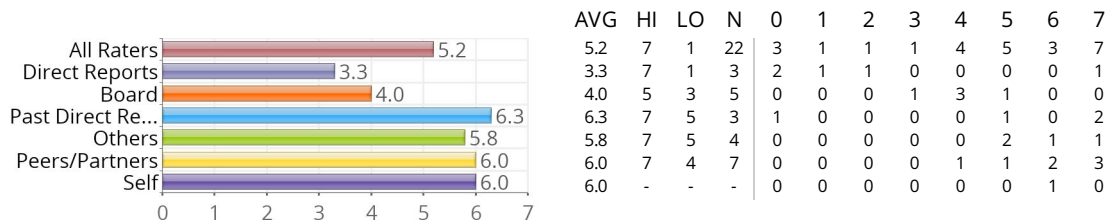


28. Follow through on actions that he or she agreed to take within a reasonable amount of time.

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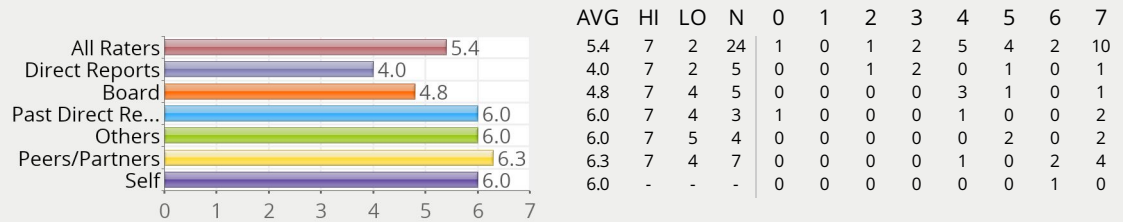
29. Make adjustments in how he/she works with me as an internal or external customer based upon the customer feedback I provide.



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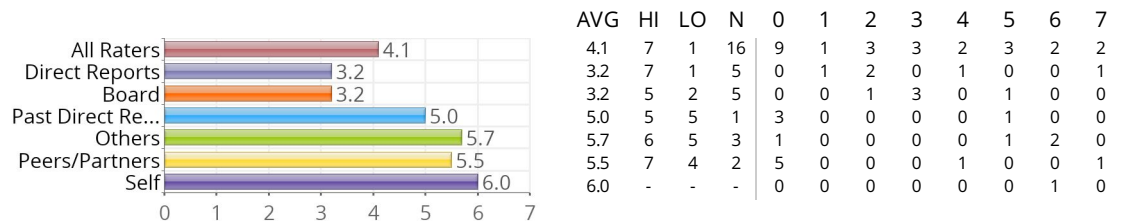
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30. Take the time to listen to my needs as an internal or external customer.



31. Treat other employees within the organization as internal customers.

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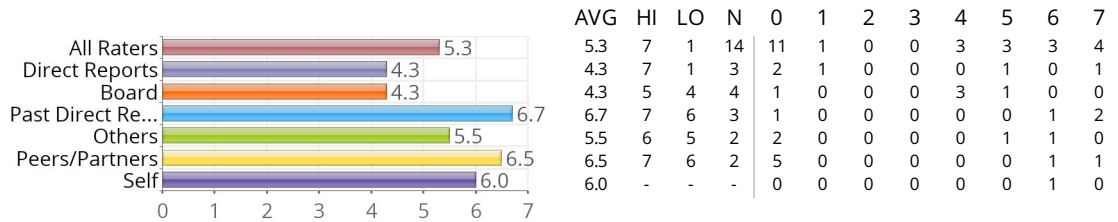


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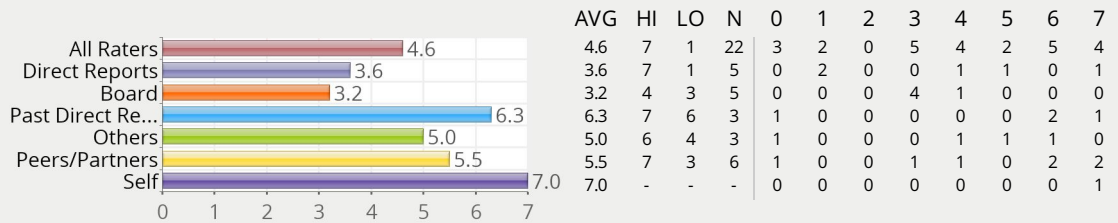


32. Complete projects on budget.

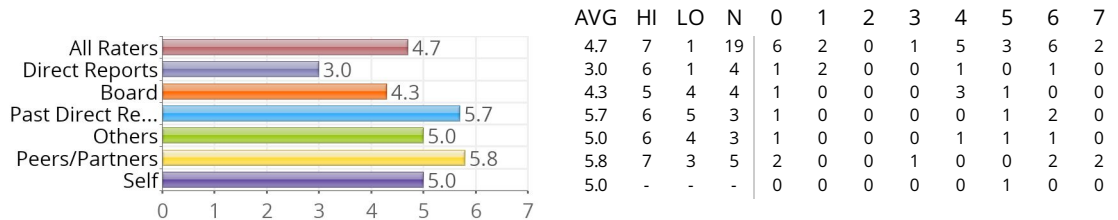


33. Complete projects on time.

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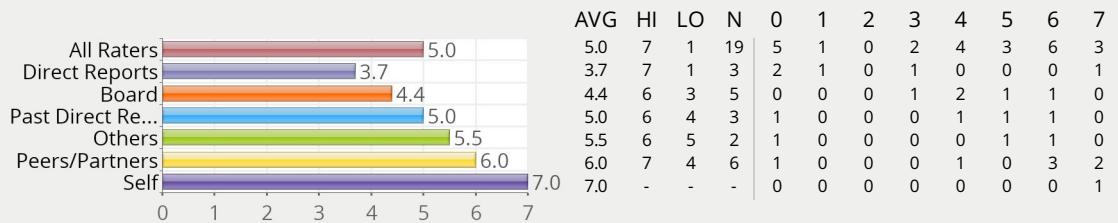


34. Identify and remove barriers that interfere with the completion of project tasks.



35. Involve the right people on projects.

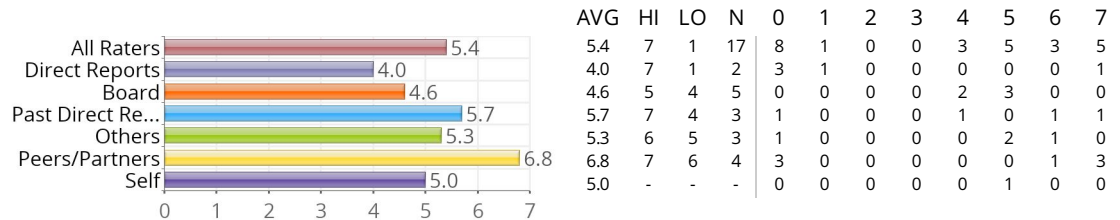
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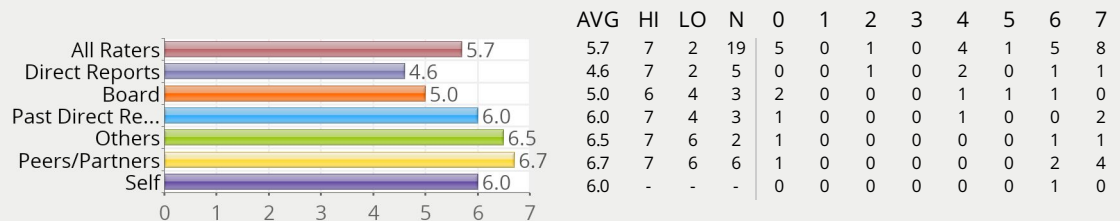
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36. Negotiate/bargain with project sponsors and resource managers to ensure a well-defined and supported project.



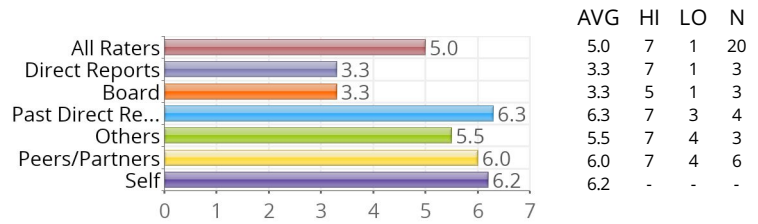
37. Thank people for their efforts on a project.



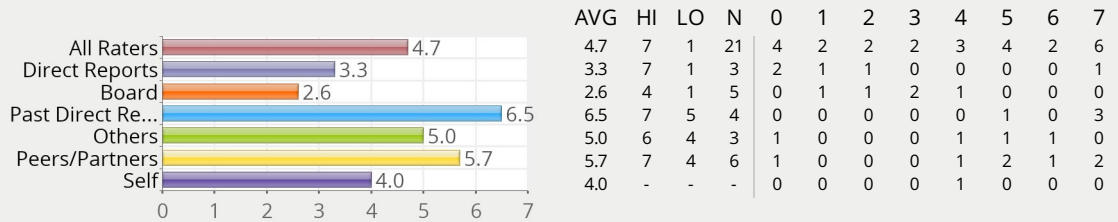
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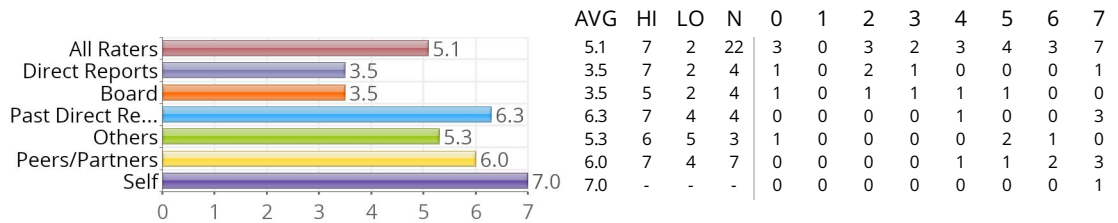


38. Attempt to resolve differences or conflicts early on.



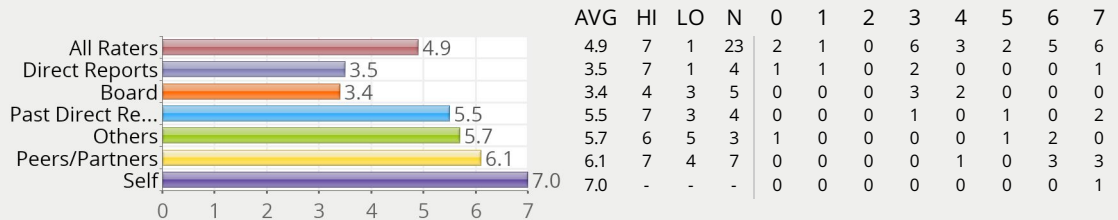
39. Encourage open, honest, and direct communication.

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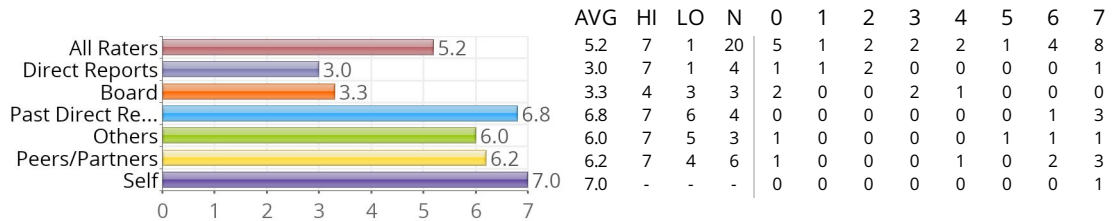
40. Maintain objectivity when seeking to understand another's perspective.

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41. Manage his/her emotions effectively during conflict situations.

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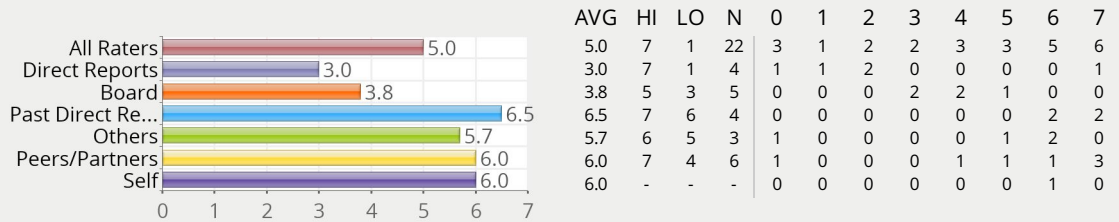


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42. Use effective methods for resolving conflicts.

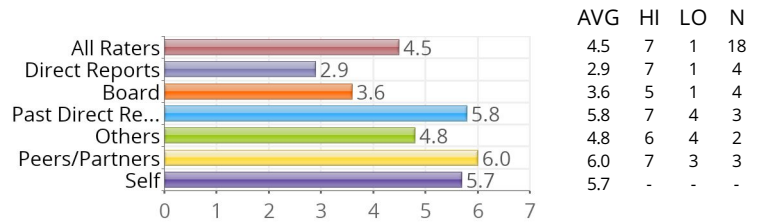
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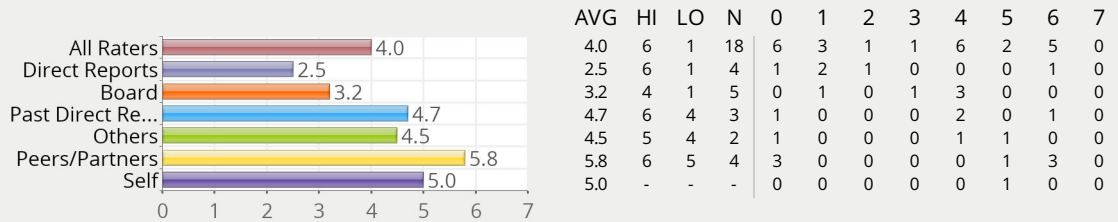
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Focus on Performance



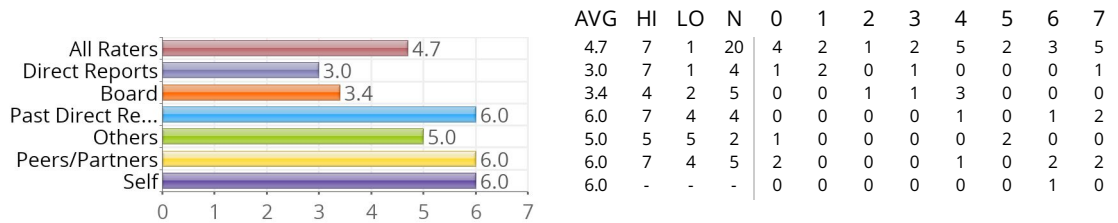
43. Act quickly when dealing with employee performance problems.

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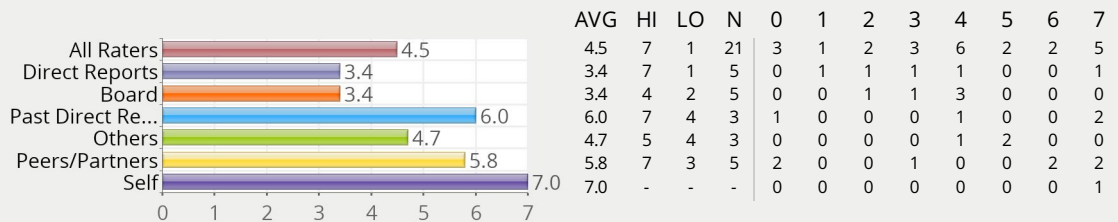
44. Communicate clear performance expectations to you/others.

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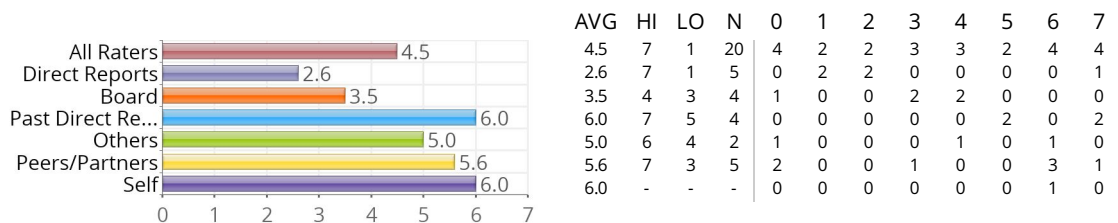
45. Communicate the organization's performance vision, goals, and strategies.

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46. Establish clear work priorities for tasks, projects.

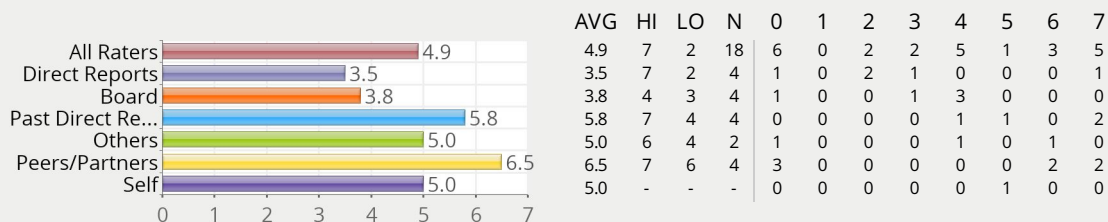
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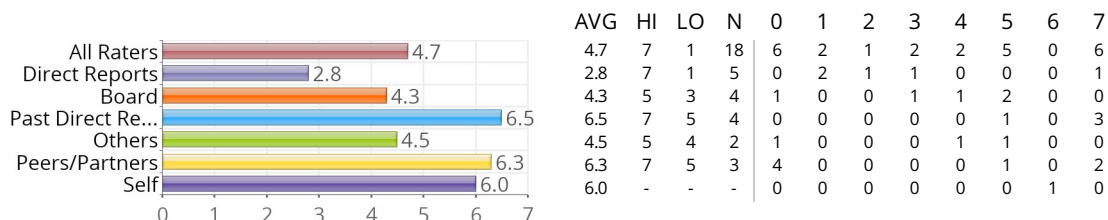
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47. Provide constructive feedback to you/others when there are opportunities for performance improvement.

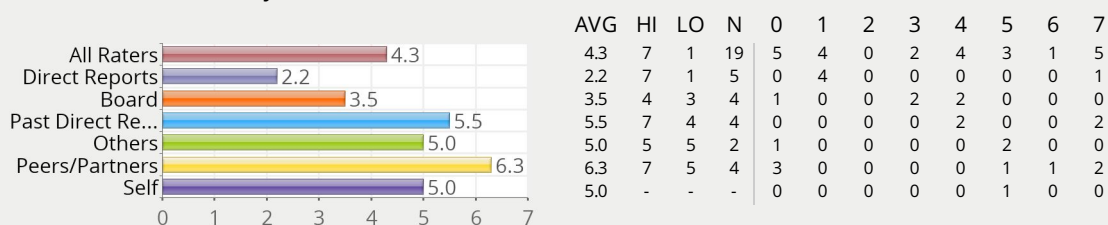


48. Provide people with the tools and resources to do their job.

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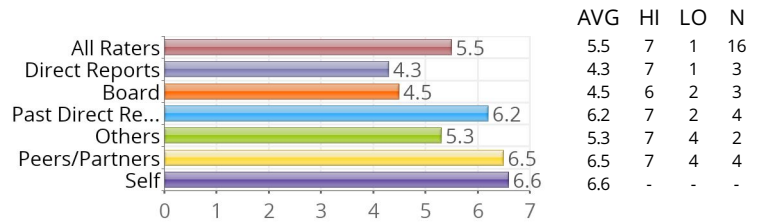
49. Provide regular performance feedback to you/others.



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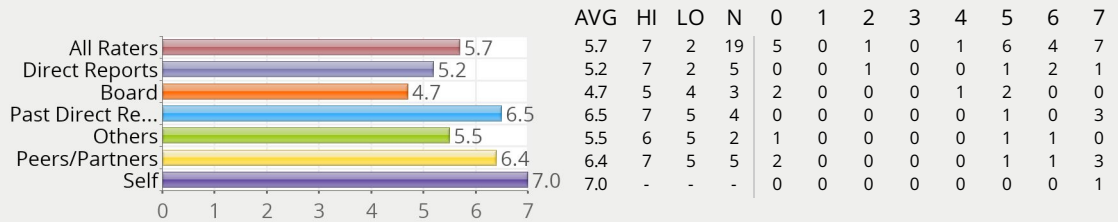
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Facilitate Learning and Development



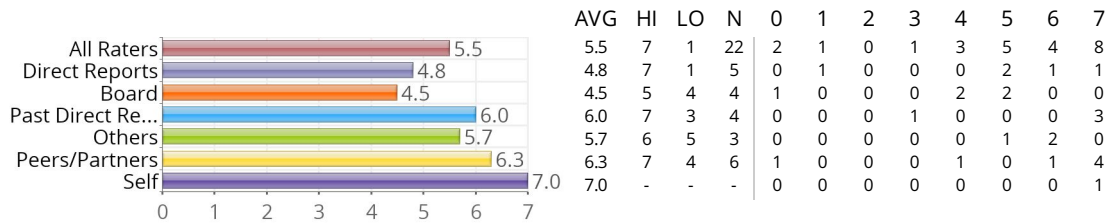
50. Allow you/others to use judgment when doing your/their work.

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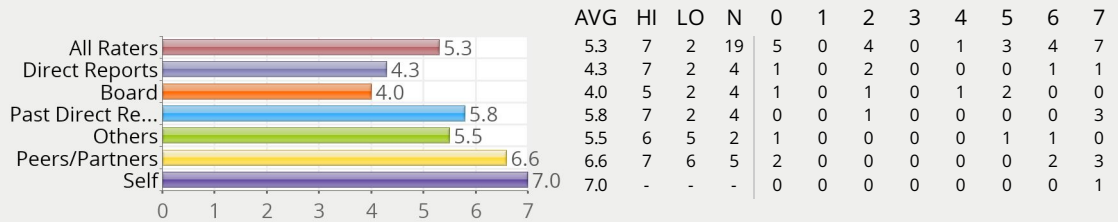
51. Display confidence in your/others' abilities.

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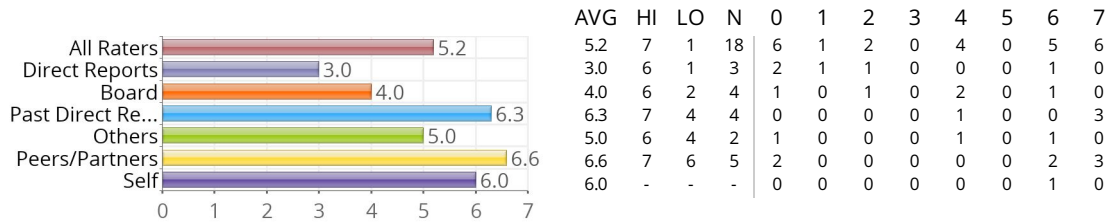


52. Help others grow and develop in their role, position, or career.

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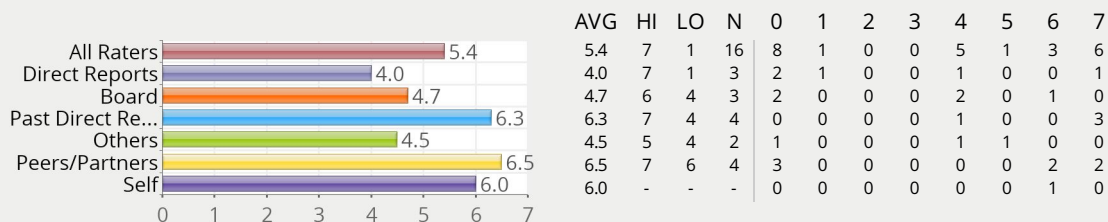
53. Help remove barriers that prevent people from doing their best.



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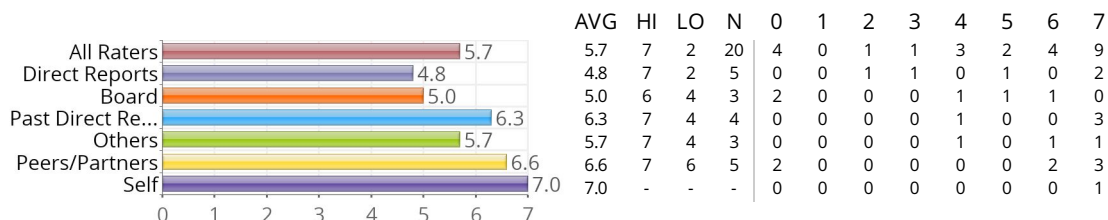
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54. Help you/others turn mistakes and errors into learning experiences.

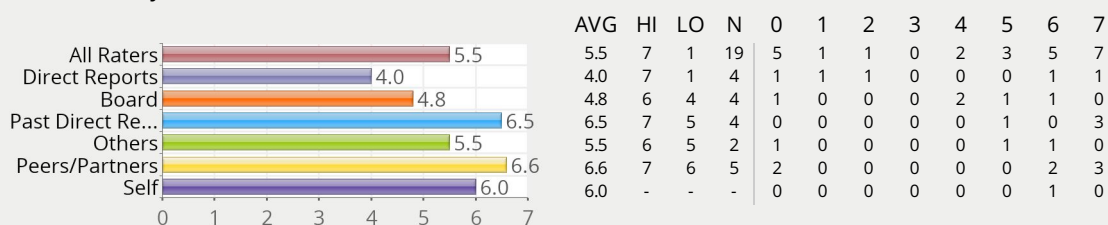


55. Openly recognize and express appreciation for the accomplishments of others.

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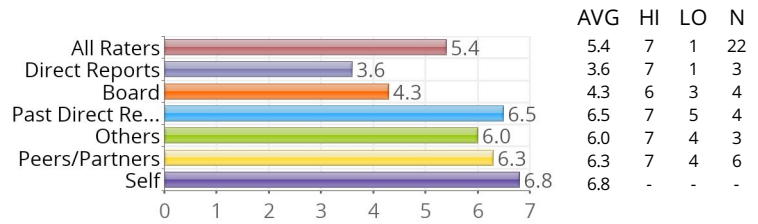
56. Show support for the decisions you/others make.



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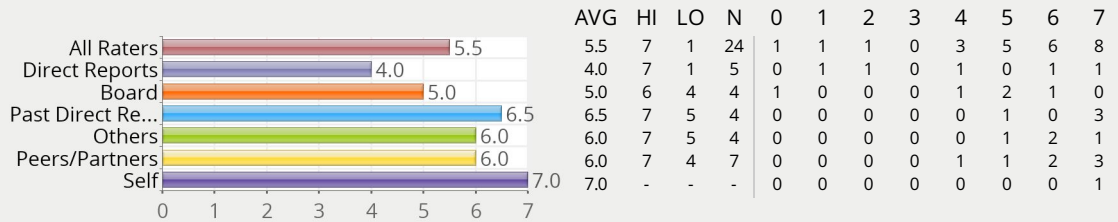
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Display Emotional Intelligence



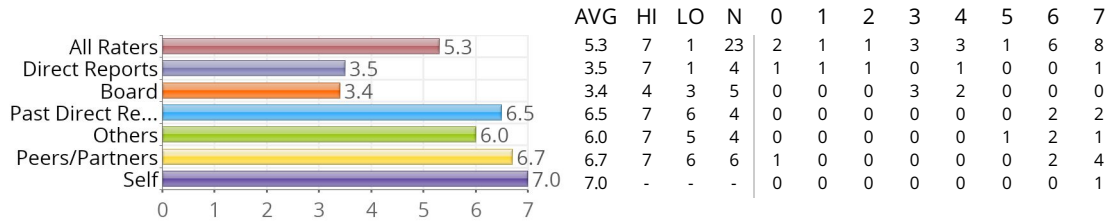
57. Approach tasks and challenges with optimism.

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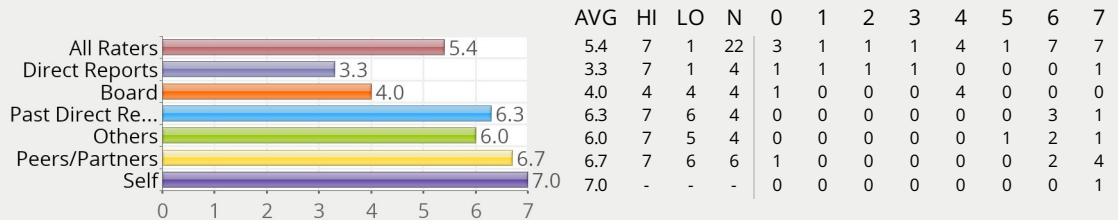
58. Demonstrate patience in working with others.

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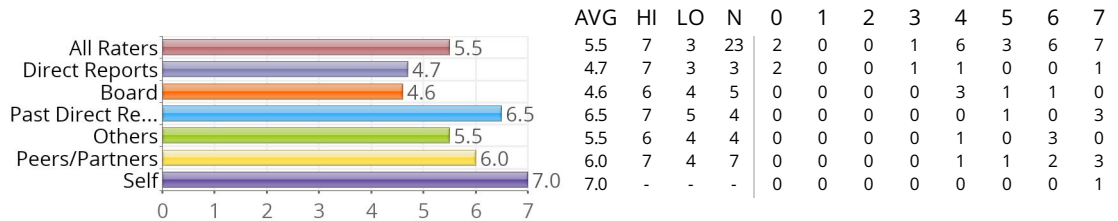
59. Display understanding and compassion for those who have differing viewpoints.

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60. Display situational awareness when interacting with others.

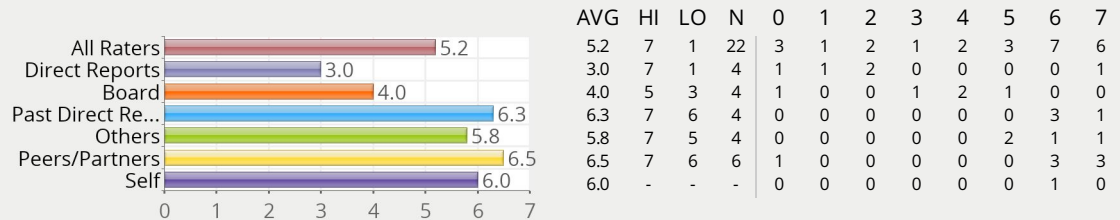
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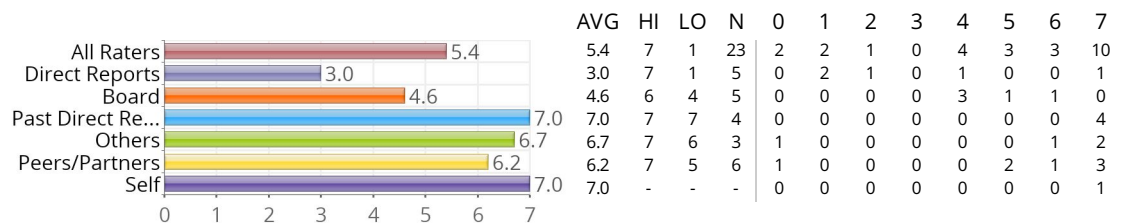
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61. Effectively manage his/her emotional responses during stressful or difficult situations.



62. Readily admit and take responsibility for his/her mistakes, faults.

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Highest Rated Items

This report shows average ratings for each of the 10 highest rated items in the review across all non-self rater groups. Average ratings for individual rater groups are also shown for easy reference.

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	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
1. Guide Projects Effectively Thank people for their efforts on a project.	6.0	5.7	4.6	5.0	6.0	6.5	6.7
2. Facilitate Learning and Development Allow you/others to use judgment when doing your/their work.	7.0	5.7	5.2	4.7	6.5	5.5	6.4
3. Facilitate Learning and Development Openly recognize and express appreciation for the accomplishments of others.	7.0	5.7	4.8	5.0	6.3	5.7	6.6
4. Communicate Effectively Write letters, e-mails, memos, and reports using a clear and clear and concise style.	6.0	5.6	4.0	5.4	6.3	6.0	6.5
5. Facilitate Learning and Development Show support for the decisions you/others make.	6.0	5.5	4.0	4.8	6.5	5.5	6.6
6. Display Emotional Intelligence Display situational awareness when interacting with others.	7.0	5.5	4.7	4.6	6.5	5.5	6.0
7. Facilitate Learning and Development Display confidence in your/others' abilities.	7.0	5.5	4.8	4.5	6.0	5.7	6.3
8. Display Emotional Intelligence Approach tasks and challenges with optimism.	7.0	5.5	4.0	5.0	6.5	6.0	6.0
9. Facilitate Cooperation/Collaboration Demonstrate a willingness to pitch in to get the job done.	7.0	5.4	3.8	5.2	6.5	5.3	6.0
10. Serve External and Internal Customers Take the time to listen to my needs as an internal or external customer.	6.0	5.4	4.0	4.8	6.0	6.0	6.3

Lowest Rated Items

This report shows average ratings for each of the 10 lowest rated items in the review across all non-self rater groups. Average ratings for individual rater groups are also shown for easy reference.

Rating scale: 7 = Always or Almost Always; 6 = Very Often; 5 = Fairly Often; 4 = Sometimes; 3 = Once in Awhile; 2 = Very Rarely; 1 = Never or Almost Never; 0 = Not Observed

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
1. Focus on Performance Act quickly when dealing with employee performance problems.	5.0	4.0	2.5	3.2	4.7	4.5	5.8
2. Serve External and Internal Customers Treat other employees within the organization as internal customers.	6.0	4.1	3.2	3.2	5.0	5.7	5.5
3. Facilitate Cooperation/Collaboration Confront issues that are limiting others' effectiveness.	5.0	4.2	3.0	3.6	4.7	4.7	5.5
4. Focus on Performance Provide regular performance feedback to you/others.	5.0	4.3	2.2	3.5	5.5	5.0	6.3
5. Be a Visionary and Strategic Thinker Demonstrate the ability to align others toward achieving the vision.	6.0	4.4	2.8	3.8	5.0	5.0	5.3
6. Focus on Performance Establish clear work priorities for tasks, projects.	6.0	4.5	2.6	3.5	6.0	5.0	5.6
7. Be a Visionary and Strategic Thinker Articulate a compelling vision of an ideal future for the organization or program.	6.0	4.5	3.8	3.4	5.5	4.5	5.3
8. Focus on Performance Communicate the organization's performance vision, goals, and strategies.	7.0	4.5	3.4	3.4	6.0	4.7	5.8
9. Demonstrate Leadership Persuade and lead others toward accomplishing organizational or team goals.	6.0	4.5	2.8	3.8	5.8	5.0	5.5
10. Be a Visionary and Strategic Thinker Adapt strategies, goals, and plans to changing conditions both within and outside of the organization.	7.0	4.6	2.6	3.6	5.8	5.5	5.7

Multiple Choice Item Frequency Distribution

This report presents results for all multiple choice items in the review as a frequency distribution table.

Be a Visionary and Strategic Thinker: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness as a visionary/strategic thinker?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	7 (29%)	1	-	2	-	4
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	9 (38%)	-	2	2	4	1
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	8 (33%)	4	3	-	-	1

Demonstrate Leadership: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in demonstrating leadership?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	9 (36%)	1	-	3	-	5
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	9 (36%)	1	2	1	4	1
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	7 (28%)	3	3	-	-	1

Communicate Effectively: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in communicating effectively?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	8 (32%)	-	-	2	2	4
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	12 (48%)	2	4	2	2	2
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	5 (20%)	3	1	-	-	1

Facilitate Cooperation/Collaboration: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in facilitating cooperation and collaboration?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	10 (40%)	1	-	3	1	5
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	10 (40%)	3	3	-	3	1
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	5 (20%)	1	2	1	-	1

Serve External and Internal Customers: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in serving external and internal customers?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	8 (33%)	1	-	3	1	3
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	9 (38%)	2	1	-	3	3
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	7 (29%)	2	4	-	-	1

Guide Projects Effectively: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in guiding projects?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	9 (41%)	2	-	2	-	5
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	10 (45%)	1	5	1	2	1
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	3 (14%)	2	-	-	-	1

Manage Conflict Effectively: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in managing conflict?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	11 (46%)	1	-	4	1	5
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	6 (25%)	1	2	-	2	1
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	7 (29%)	3	3	-	-	1

Focus on Performance: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in managing the performance of others?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	9 (41%)	1	-	3	-	5
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	6 (27%)	-	3	1	2	-
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	7 (32%)	4	2	-	-	1

Facilitate Learning and Development: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in facilitating learning and development?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	10 (43%)	2	-	3	-	5
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	11 (48%)	2	4	1	4	-
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	2 (9%)	1	-	-	-	1

Display Emotional Intelligence: Overall, do you think that this person needs to increase his/her effectiveness in displaying emotional intelligence?

	Self	All Raters	Direct Reports	Board	Past Direct Report	Others	Peers/Partners
No. This person already does a good job in this area.	-	12 (50%)	1	-	4	2	5
Yes, a little more improvement is desired.	1	6 (25%)	-	4	-	1	1
Yes, a lot more improvement is desired.	-	6 (25%)	4	1	-	-	1

Open-ended Comments

All respondents were asked to provide open-ended commentary on skills. The comments below are segmented by question and are presented exactly as they were entered by the respondent.

Be a Visionary and Strategic Thinker: Suggestions to Help this Leader Maintain/Enhance His or Her Leadership Effectiveness As a Visionary/Strategic Thinker

Self

I am still learning the specifics of our industry, as I do it will help me to be both more visionary and strategic in my thinking. I will continue to meet with and listen to our members as well as to read trades and other books and resources that are applicable in order to better understand the issues, and formulate strategies that are appropriate.

Board

Increase confidence in abilities and take charge of the organization. Stop looking back to see who is after you and start looking forward.

Jeff needs to gain a better understanding of the industry.

He must determine what the members want in order to put a vision together for the organization.

Vision/strategy involves the big picture, and some of his items on the 'draft' strategic plan are more policy or procedure oriented than looking at the big picture for the organization.

Be able to think outside the box and communicate/ guide others to new ideas and directions. Get a good grasp as to what actions can be harmful to staff and the organization.

Direct Reports

Needs to achieve goals and not just talk about them. He talks and talks about what he thinks needs to happen yet almost never asks staff opinions. When he does ask for ideas/opinions he passes individual's ideas off as his own. He is not innovative or willing to step outside the box. Unteachable and unwilling to change his views.

Communicate more with employees, which he has recently started to do. Be aware of what employees are doing, monitor their performance, encourage, and coach employees to perform at their best ability. Jeff is very articulate to listen to but I feel he focuses more on legislative issues than being involved in employees and the services they are providing the members.

The Strategic Plan meeting was back in March, and as of today, there still is no update on that, every month we have a staff call and the update is always the same, 'we should see something in the next few weeks' so how do we even know the the vision, goals, plans are in the future. We were given 1 week to get our strategic plans in. but we're going on 9 months to see the final product.

Be more personable with the staff. Get to know what is going on in the industry and adapt to the changes.

Peers/Partners

Jeff has a great deal of experience as a leader.

Continue to foster personal connections with peers and stakeholders and ask them for feedback continuously.

I have worked for years with Jeff and found him to be very skilled in the areas noted above.

Jeff is excellent first, understanding situations and dynamics and then moving people to a consensus. He get a group to arrive at the right answer but also includes the perspective of many of the stakeholders to ensure buy-in.

Jeff's effectiveness as a Visionary Thinker is hard to assess because I'm not aware of any programs he's implemented or any actions he's taken that require visionary thinking.

I think Jeff is still working out what his role should be as the Executive Director.

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Others

Not sure if he attends some safety meetings.

I really don't know too much about the individual. I don't work with this individual on a daily basis. I appreciate his understanding of government and legislative procedures. really his staff would be the best review of performance

I would suggest getting out to more of the members, getting feedback from them, and providing his vision to them. It's difficult being new to the position, so I am understanding of the time it takes for a new person to adjust.

I believe more time in the respective field will help to enhance the leadership role.

Past Direct Report

I have found stronger personalities don't always receive Jeff's respectful approach to coaching or disciplinary conversation. He is exceptionally courteous and may need to be a little less 'nice' at times.

Demonstrate Leadership: Suggestions to Help this Leader Maintain/Enhance His or Her Leadership Effectiveness in Demonstrating Leadership

Self

I always feel that I can grow and improve. I sometimes may tend to work within the existing system rather than challenge it, so I think that is an area that I can look at for development. I believe that the completion of our strategic plan can help our team to come to agreement about the decisions we are making and how we are moving toward our goals.

Board

Jeff needs to make more consistent and useful contact with all staff - develop a way to include all staff in regular meetings. He needs to develop and instill a common mission in the employees. He needs to understand the idea of servant leadership and work toward making sure the team understands their roles and that Jeff's role is to make sure they have the tools to succeed.

Allow others the ability to speak freely. Needs to build trust factor with staff.

Good leaders made tough decisions and to date Jeff has made few tough (and sometimes even the routine) decisions without consulting the members of the Executive Committee. The Executive Director should be our leader not the members or the EC or BOD.

There have been times when Jeff has not followed through on commitments that have been made to others... EC or employees.

Jeff seems to struggle a bit when faced with challenging situations.

He is a good advocate for change and is willing to push new ideas that will benefit the organization.

Early on he had some difficulties unifying the new office staff. A different approach or leadership style may have provided more opportunity to unify the staff.

Direct Reports

Again be more personable. Get to know your employees. Use what they give you. Don't just change what is given to what you think it should be and leave out the others.

Per Jeff, everything has to go through the EC for approval. Every time I ask a question, the response is "well the board says this" or "the board wants to see this" so none of the above questions would even be applicable if the case is everything has to go through the EC. and they only meet once in awhile, so how am I suppose to follow through with any of my plans?

It is hard to trust a man that does not speak to your face. He goes behind your back and sneaks communications with others about you. His behavior on many occurrences has been completely unprofessional and degrading. I find it hard to bring things to his attention for fear of retaliation or reprimand. I feel that there are never explanations behind his decisions and staff is just expected to go along with his decisions. He does not like to be questioned at all. Makes rash decisions because of ego not the betterment of the organization. Goals are not clearly defined or planned out. He says one thing and does another. There is no trust.

Two things regarding this evaluation, "Achieve agreement from others when making decisions," I believe communicating decisions and getting some level of feedback on them is necessary. However, I don't personally believe that every decision should be made with the idea of getting everyone on board. I think that question needs more context.

My second thought is, "willingness to challenge the status quo." Is challenging the status quo always worth it in every instance? That is why I marked sometimes for this question. I believe that when Jeff has felt it necessary he has done exactly that, but leaders need to know when to "pick their battles."
