



QUALITY OF LIFE



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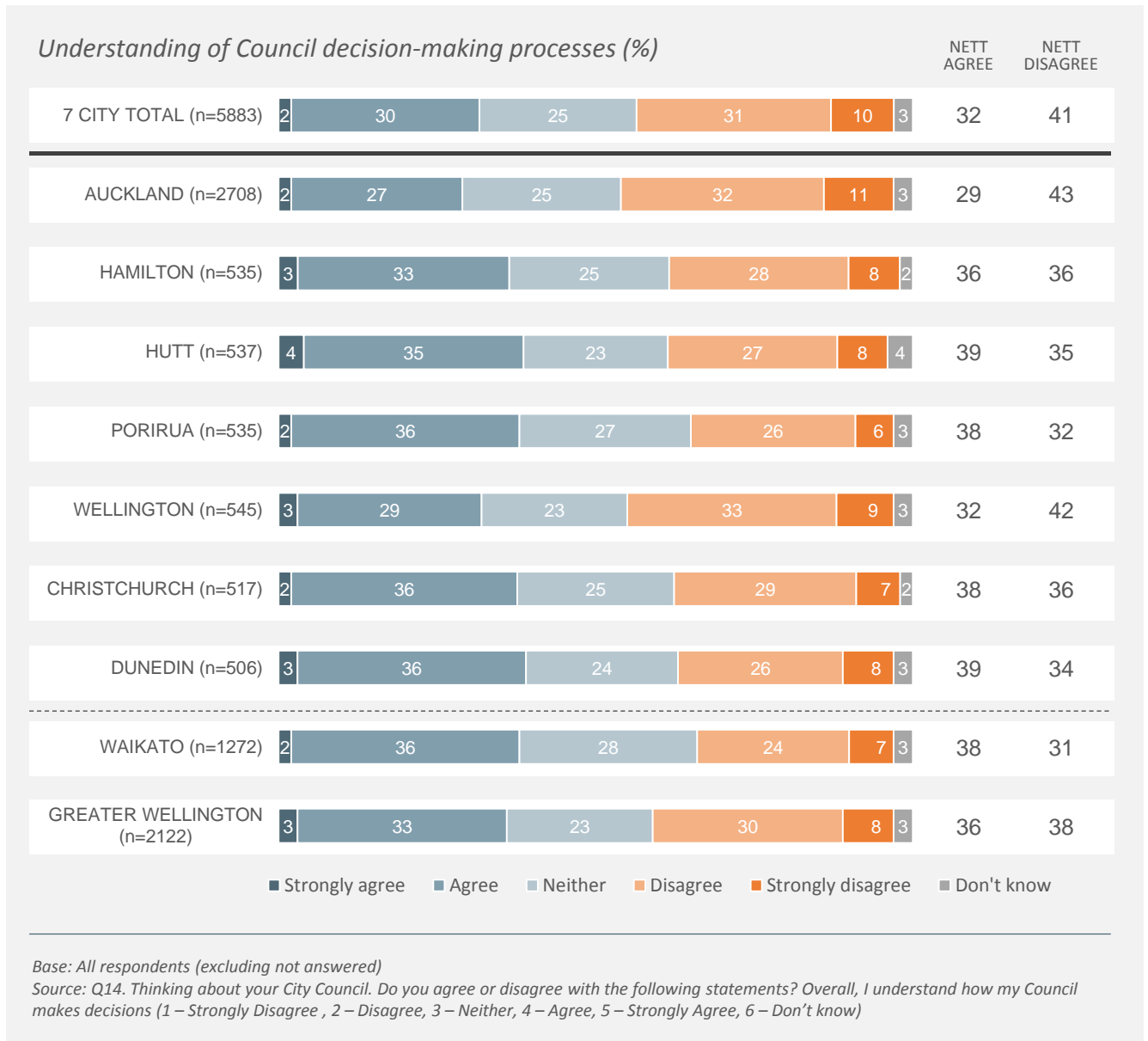
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This section reports on respondents' perceptions of their local Council, including their understanding of, and confidence in Council decision-making, and their desire to have more say in what their local Council does.

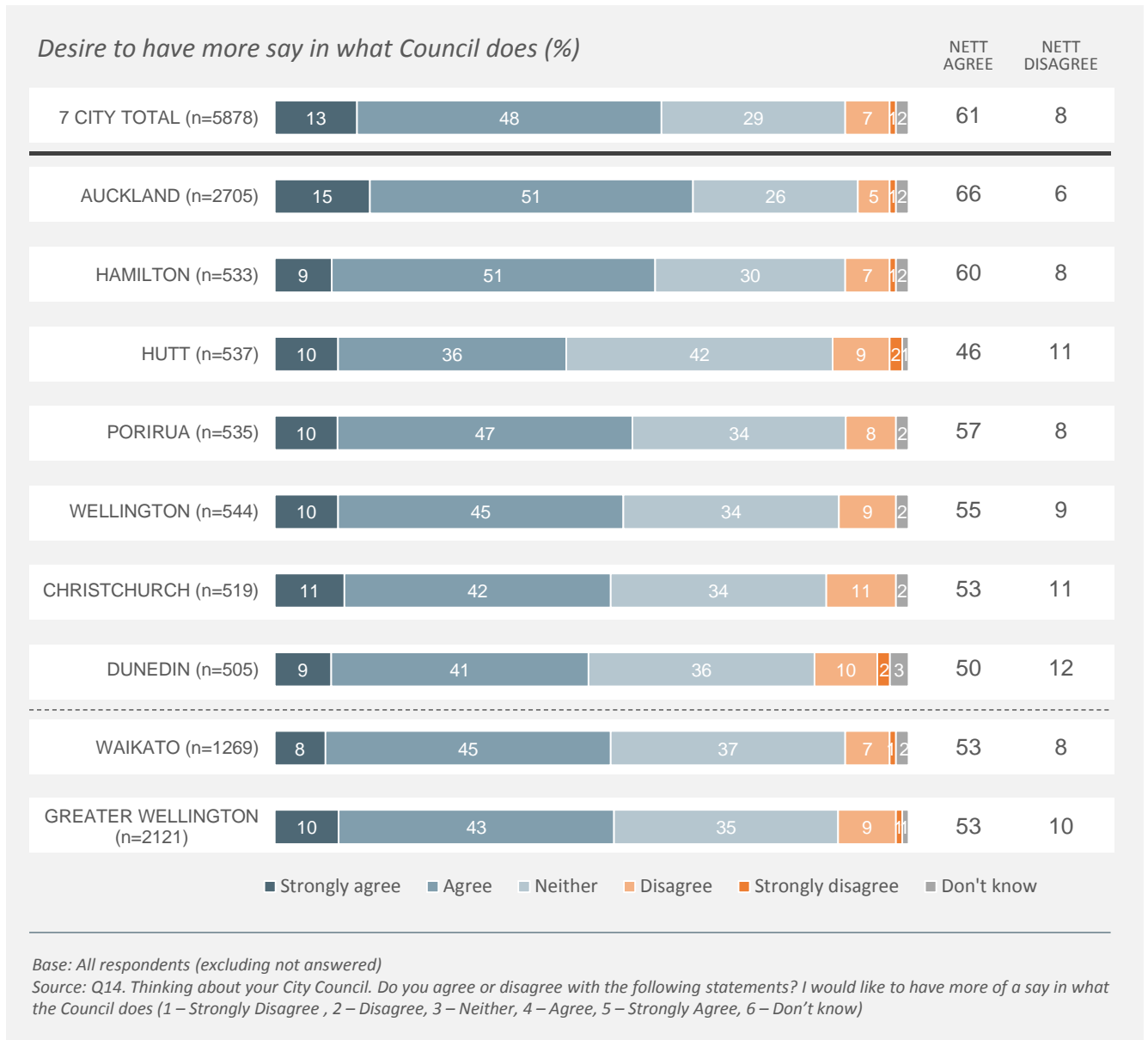
7.1 Understanding of Council decision-making processes

Almost a third (32%) of respondents in the seven city areas agreed that they understand how their Council makes decisions.



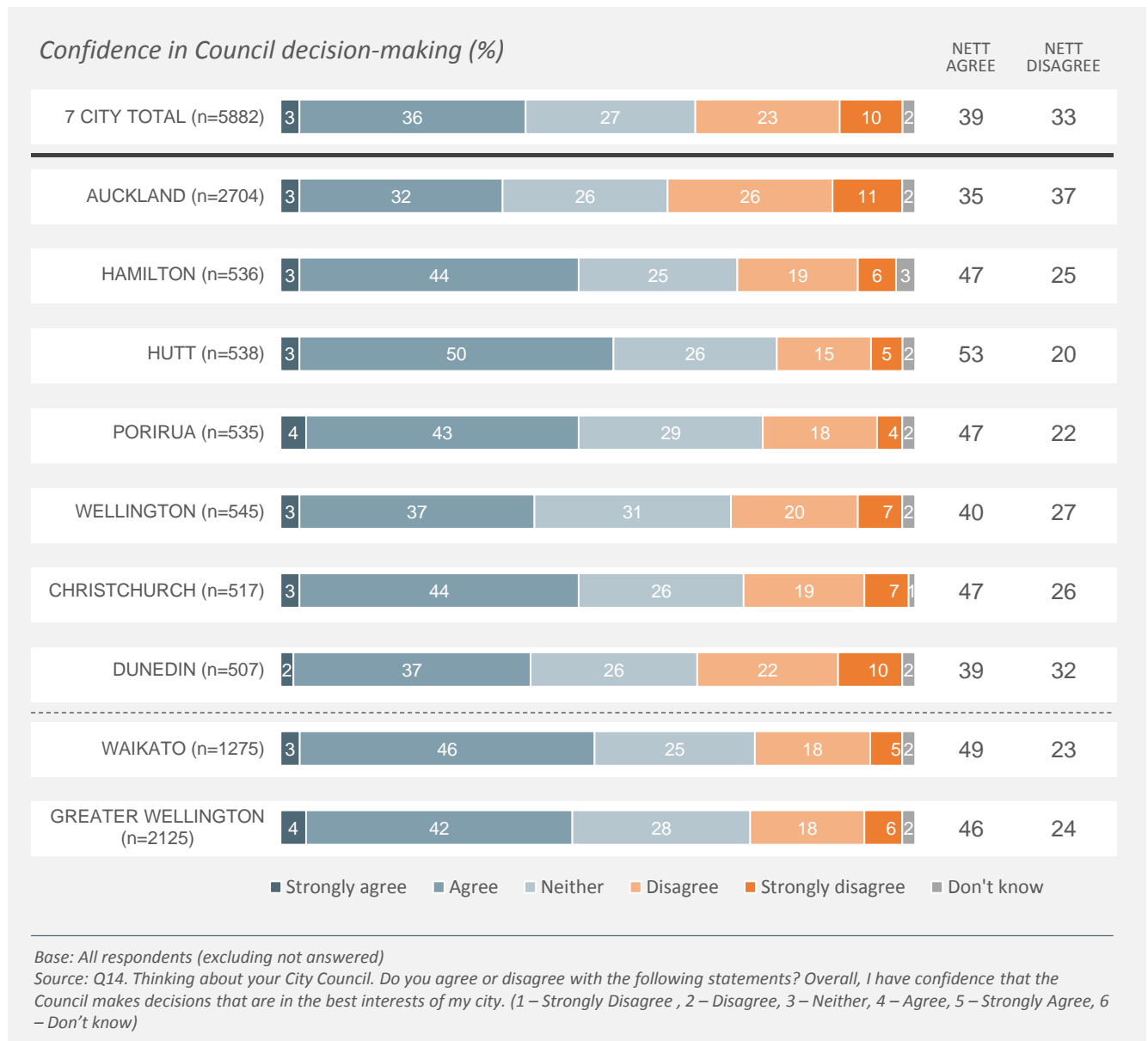
7.2 Desire to have more say in what Council does

Six in ten (61%) respondents would like to have more of a say in what their local Council does.



7.3 Confidence in Council decision-making

Four in ten (39%) respondents have confidence that their local Council makes decisions in the best interests of their city or area.



7.4 Perception of public's influence on Council decision making

Four in ten (40%) respondents perceive the public have 'large' or 'some' influence over the decisions that their local Council makes.

