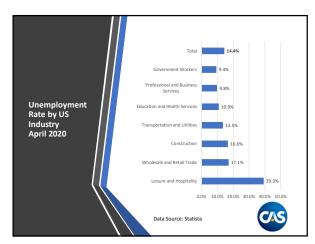


### **Public Entity Poll Question 2**

- What is the total reinsurance premium spend for all public entities in the U.S. on a combined basis?
  - Less than \$1 billion
  - \$1 2 billion
  - \$2 3 billion
  - Greater than \$3 billion



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# **Liability Question #1**

As we hear frequently in the media, police professional liability has become an increasingly high-profile exposure over the past decade.

How are public entities and their reinsurers responding to this exposure, in regards to claims handling, risk management, underwriting, etc.?



# Police Liability - Common Causes of Large Loss

- Excessive Force
- False Arrest
- Fatal Shooting
- Jail Suicides
- Civil Rights Violations/Preference for Federal Jurisdictions
- Wrongful Termination
- Improper Medical Care while in Custody
- Sexual Harassment



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## **Liability Question #2**

How are public entities approaching insurance coverage for large scale acts of terror (including school shootings, targeting of first responders, etc.)?



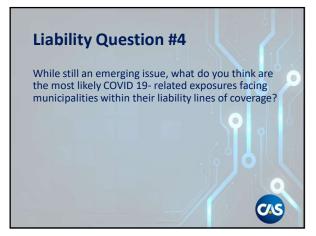
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# **Liability Question #3**

How has the emergence of the #MeToo movement and high-profile molestation claims affected the public entity reinsurance market?

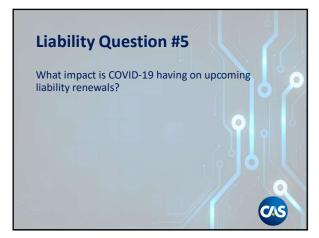


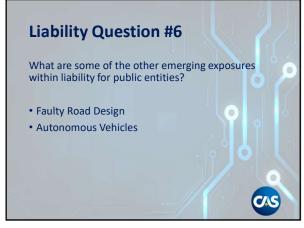




# Potential COVID-related exposures for local governments • Stay-at-home orders • Jail exposure • Police enforcement • Education services and ADA • Voter rights infringements • Property takings









Of the 33 states with cancer presumption laws, 20 are very broad, allowing coverage for any type of cancer



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Over the past three years, a growing number of states have passed PTSD laws for first responders

- 34% of first responders have been diagnosed with clinical depression or PTSD, a number that eventually could exceed 50% (source: Willis Towers Watson)
- Over twenty states have either already passed or are considering PTSD legislation to cover first responders
  - Different treatment across states in terms of who has the burden of proof



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#### **Workers Compensation Question #2**

26 states have already taken or are considering regulatory/legislative action to expand WC coverage to include first responders who become infected with COVID-19 (and in some jurisdictions, covering the lost-time for quarantining as well).

How significant of a risk does this pose to public entities, and what are the potential scenarios in which these claims could reach reinsured layers?



First Responders appear to have a higher COVID-19 infection rate but lower fatality rate than population as a whole

- Infection rates for police officers appears to be significantly higher than the rest of the population
- COVID-19 death rates for infected officers are significantly lower than the rest of the population, driven by a lower age distribution and, likely, fewer co-morbidities

Group	Percentage testing positive	Deaths per 10,000
NYC Police	12 – 15%	8
NYC Total	3%	25
US Police	2-3%	1
US Total	0.5%	3
Data Source: NLC Mutual's analysis of publicly available data from a variety of sources.		

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# COVID-19 WC Presumption for First Responders (cont'd)

- Potential ways that reinsurance layers could be reached
  - Long-term effects to respiratory and neurological function are still unknown and could lead to permanent injury claims with significant on-going medical care
  - Fatalities involving relatively high death benefits and relatively low attachment points



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## **Cyber Liability Question #1**

What has been the cyber liability climate for public entity risks over the past few years?

- Governments being singled out as ransomware targets has put strain on pricing and terms
- Fraudlent instruction (e.g., invoice for bridge in Florida city)



### **Cyber Liability Question #2**

How might the environment surrounding cyber coverage be impacted by COVID-19?

- Potential increase in both frequency and severity
  - Cyber attempts increasing due to stay-at-home orders
  - IT and other staff for local governments may be strained as they transition to remote working environments and may not be as effective in prevention

