

Period to Period Comparative Report

Prepared For:

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Reading Your 360° Assessment Report

Read your 360° assessment with an appreciative attitude that the raters are assisting in your continued development.

Please note that this report compares your previous True Growth Associates 360 Degree Feedback results with your most current survey process. This will allow you to determine how your efforts to capitalize on your strengths and improve on your developmental areas have progressed. There are two sets of Bars for each of the graphs. The blue (top) bar represents your most recent results and the red (bottom) bar is from your previous feedback. Any comments listed as part of the question responses are from the most recent period only.

It's a commonly held perception that leaders know who they are. To do so, this requires considerable reflection upon your thoughts, feelings, and behaviors. Obtaining feedback from others, e.g., this 360° assessment is another excellent mechanism to learn about you. Leaders know the perception that others have of them in the workplace environment is more important than their self-perception. Feedback from the people with whom you associate is critical for you to manage your reputation. There are so many self-assessments on the market that selecting good ones can be confusing. LWMIII Associates can help you select those that can continue your personal development.

There are always three options of what you may do with feedback.

- 1. Deny it.
- 2. Listen to understand it, perhaps, but do nothing with it.
- 3. Listen to understand it and use it to maximize performance.

Tom Rath and Barry Conchie, Strengths Based Leadership, emphasize the importance to know and maximize our strengths. We also know that leaders minimize the impact of their Achilles' Heels or those behaviors that could be interfering with their personal and career development. It makes no sense to shoot yourself in the foot before running the marathon. True Growth Associates want to help you maximize your performance, thus keep you from shooting yourself in the foot with your personal and career development.

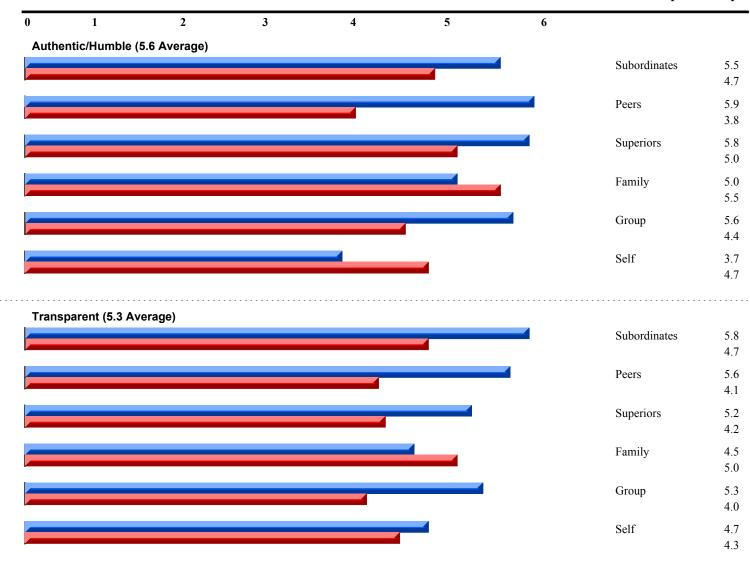
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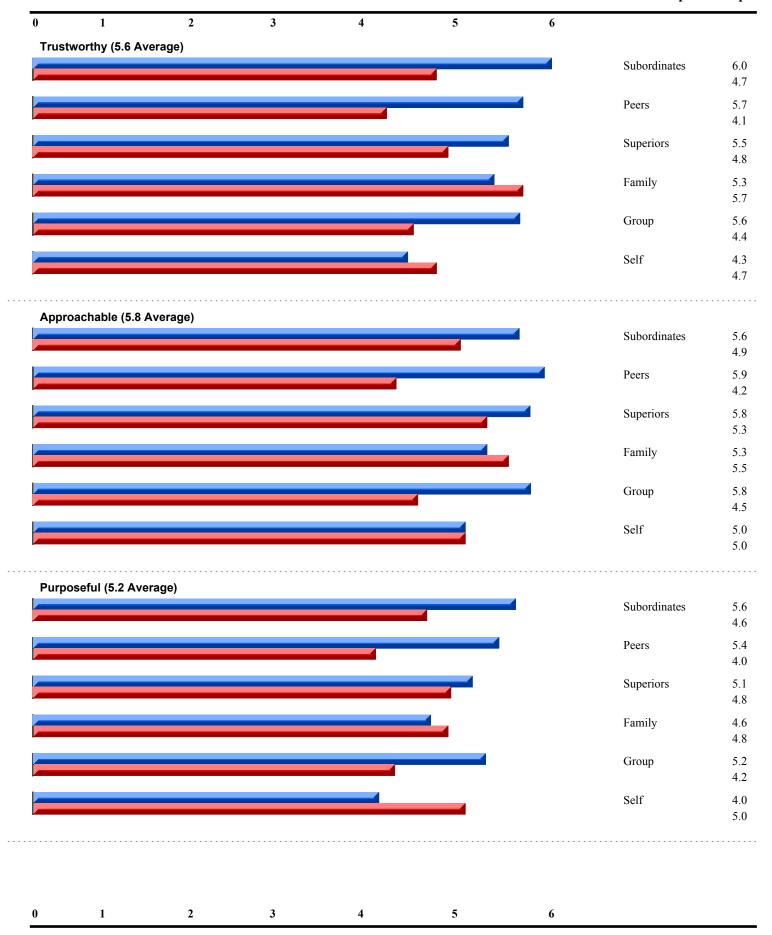
- 1. Frequency distribution of responses and a list of scores and means. This information clearly shows both the relative strengths of the means and the gap between your perception and that of the other raters.
- 2. Comments provided by the raters. Comments can provide additional valuable information to gain further insight into the perception held by others, especially several comments addressing the same behavioral theme,.

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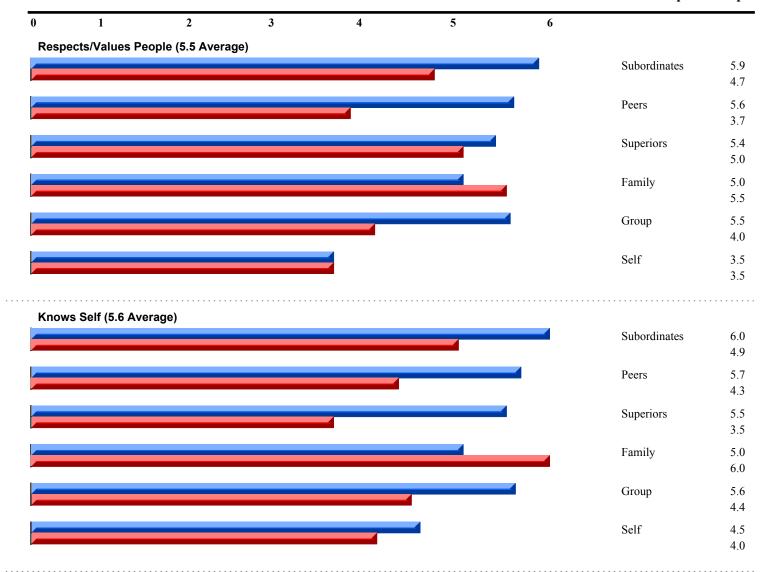


Feedback Receiver: Joseph A Sample





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Introspective Leader Awareness Assessment All Questions By Category



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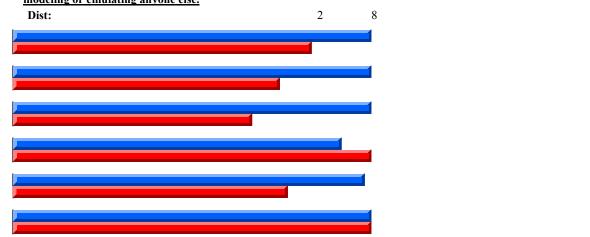
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Question Category: Authentic/Humble

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What we appreciate:

Absolutely his own man

Exceptionally talented, and self-aware enough to know it, but remains humble and accepting of

his roles. Never flashy or seeking any attention, even though his competence warrants both.

Your candor and direct approach.

A very candid leader

Candid and direct.

Direct approach to everything.

COL Sample was a breath of fresh air when he took over as FUOPS chief compared to the previous FUOPS chief.

Where there could be improvement:

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I wouldn't change a thing.

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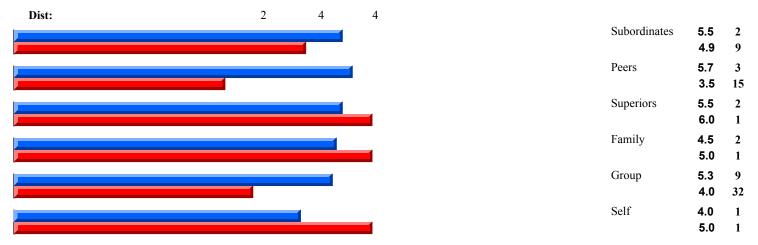
No real area of improvement noted at this time

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2 The leader puts the interest of others and the team ahead of his/her own self interests.



What we appreciate:

Selfless leader

Very selfless. Naturally looks to coach and develop others - both individuals and groups - to advance the long term capability of the organization first.

You are clearly all about the mission and the insuring all the warfighting functions are working in concert to accomplish the mission.

Consistently demonstrates this trait.

Ability to guide subordinates and superiors in any task.

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None noted

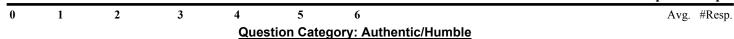
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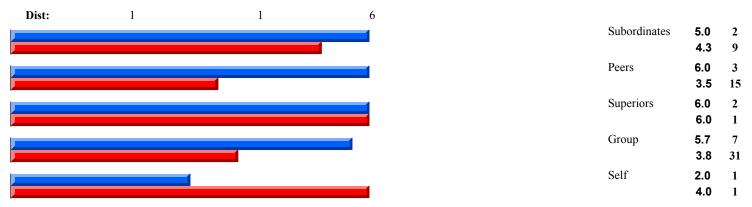
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3 The leader avoids the limelight while ensuring team members receive recognition for their performance.



What we appreciate:

Highlights the performance of his subordinates and not himself

Talented enough to dominate most interactions and efforts, but simply doesn't. Delegates, prioritizes and gives recognition and responsibility exactly where it's deserved and needed. Powering down to and enabling the OPTs.

He is a SAMS graduate, and he always finds ways to impart that knowledge on the command

Where there could be improvement:

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No change required. Your TTPs are clearly working here.

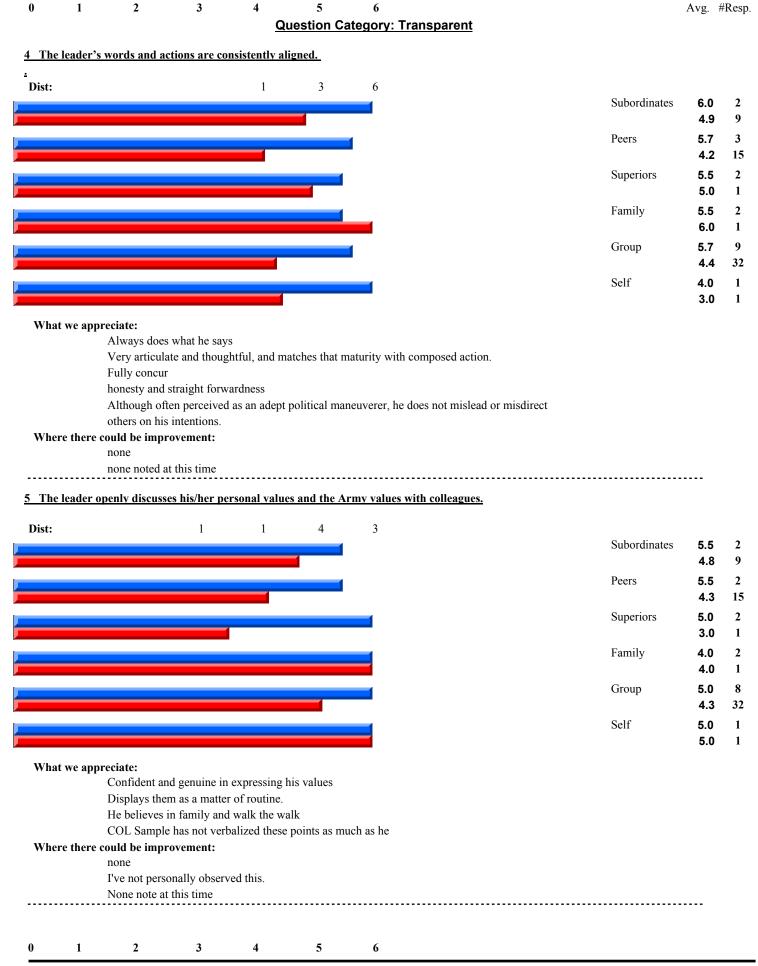
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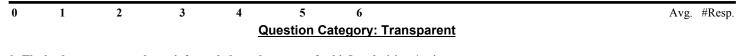
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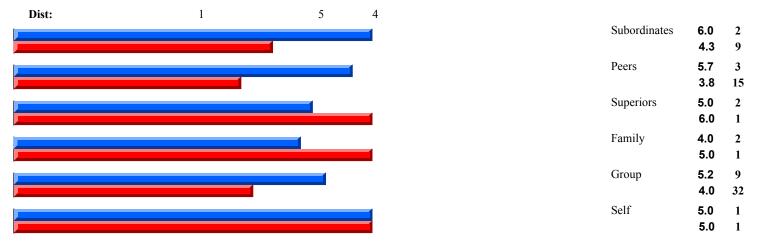
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6 The leader ensures people are informed about the reasons for his/her decisions/actions.



What we appreciate:

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Good communication skills

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Transparent about all actions

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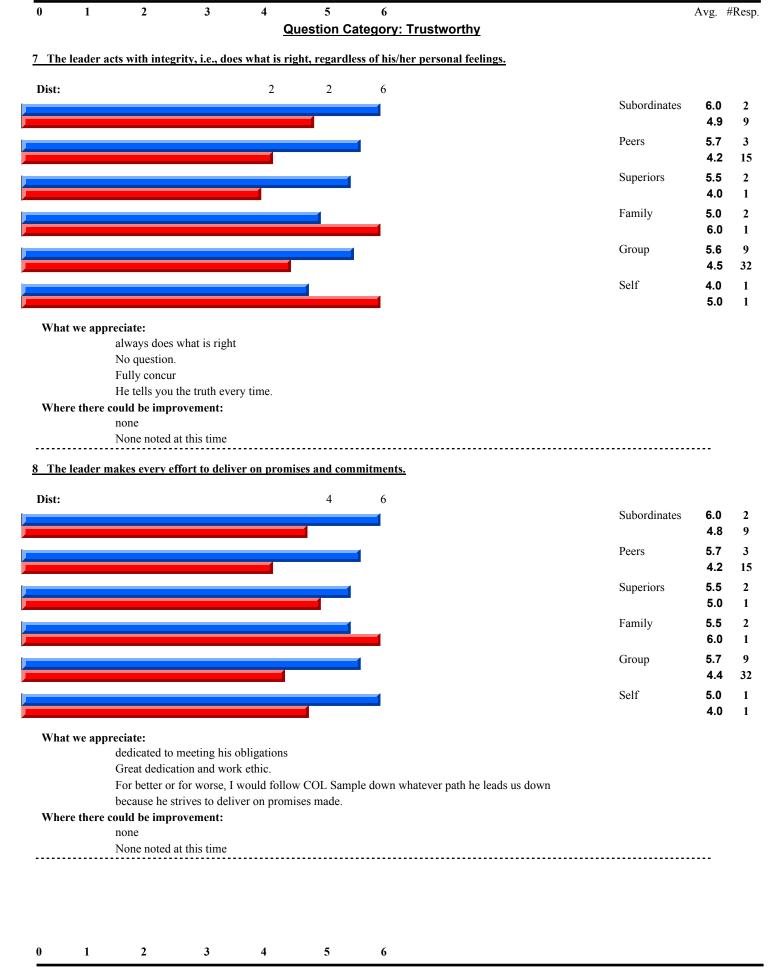
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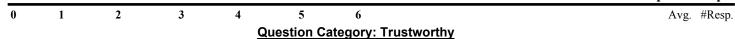
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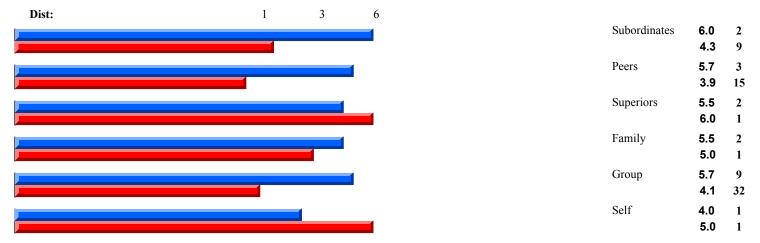
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9 The leader willingly admits his/her mistakes and accepts complete responsibility for his/her actions.



What we appreciate:

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accepts responsibility for both good and bad

He is clearly focused on learning, improving and providing the best long term results for the organization. To that end, he doesn't hesitate to accept responsibility for or even self-identify mistakes or problem areas.

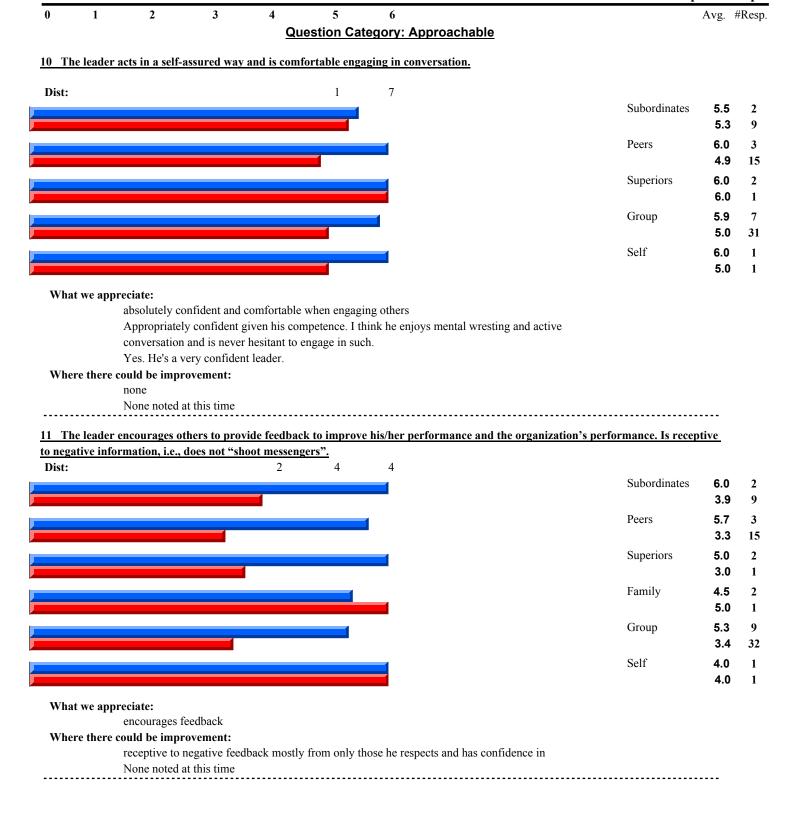
He very willingly admits when he does not know something or if he feels he made a mistake.

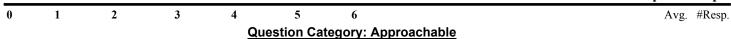
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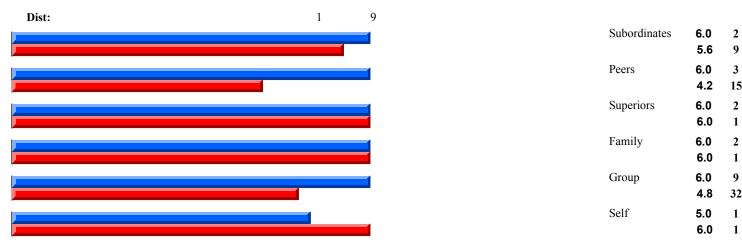
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12 The leader demonstrates the courage to challenge others.



What we appreciate:

fearless when he feels he is correct and the issue is important

Absolutely - fearless about engaging others to clarify things, raising issues, or speaking truth

Willingness to openly express views creates an environment of trust...and, contributes to collaboration.

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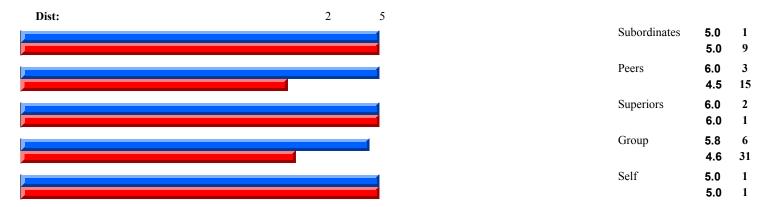
Where there could be improvement:

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There can often be multiple ways to successfully accomplish something. Be wary of being too aggressive in trying to promote the way you deem the best....even if it might be.

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13 The leader is frequently visible throughout the workplace.



What we appreciate:

visible and engaging with subordinates

Energy, can-do attitude, charisma, and an active personality that drive others to over-achieve by his example.

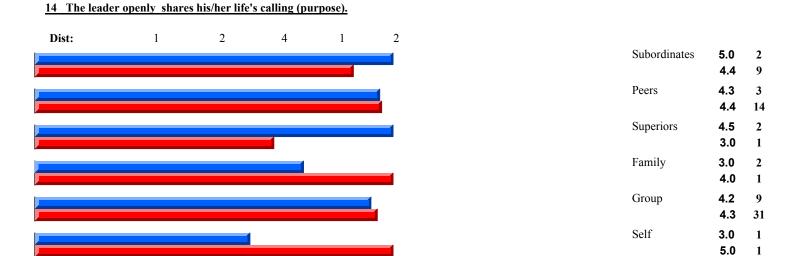
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Where there could be improvement:

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Question Category: Purposeful

What we appreciate:

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shares openly when required or asked

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tends to keep a small circle of trust

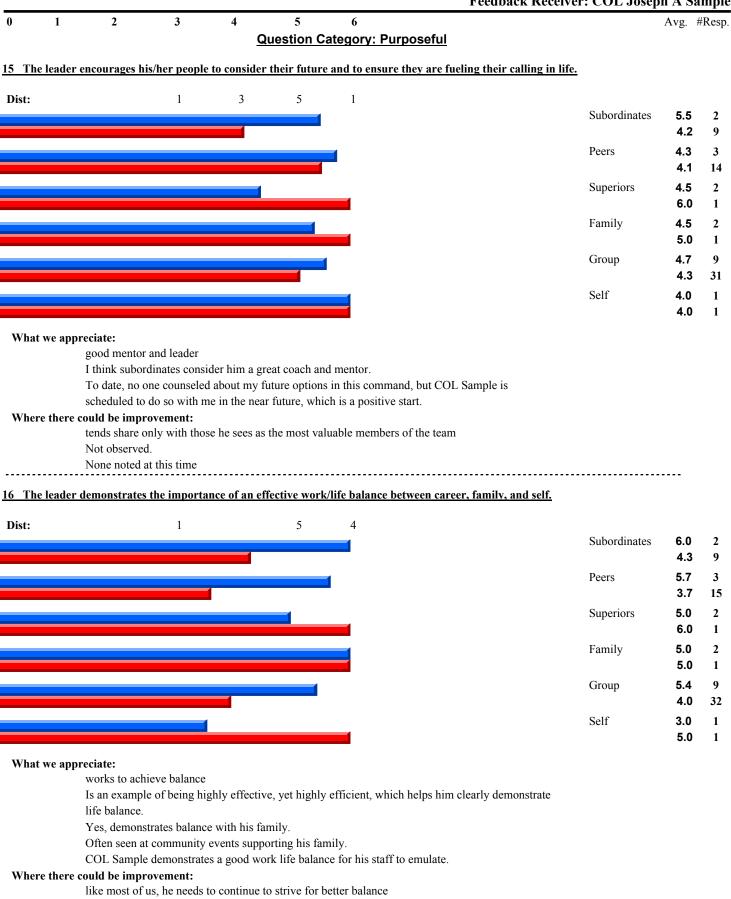
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Not observed.

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None noted at this time

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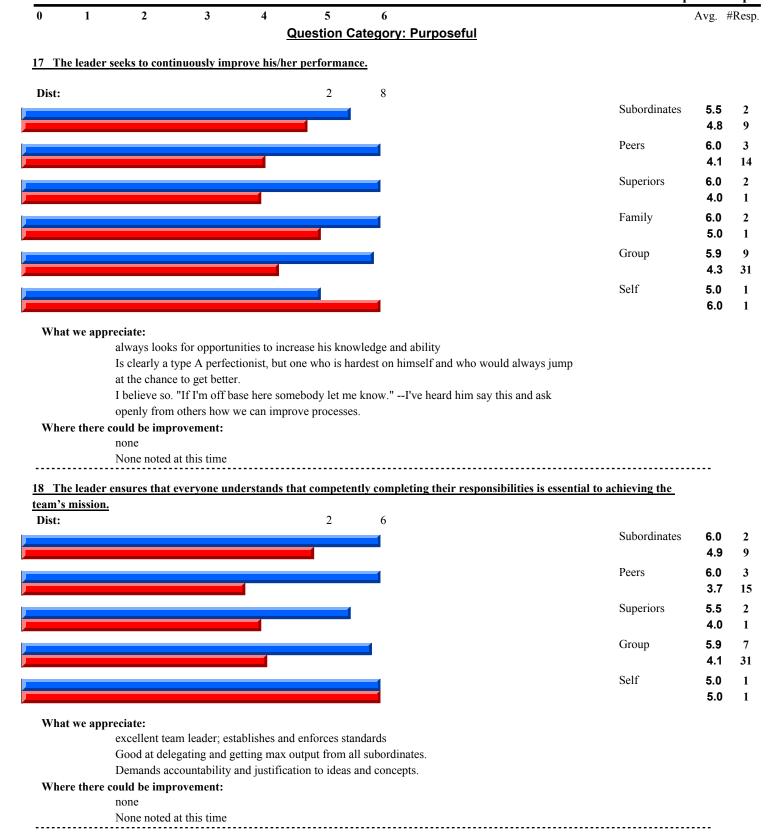


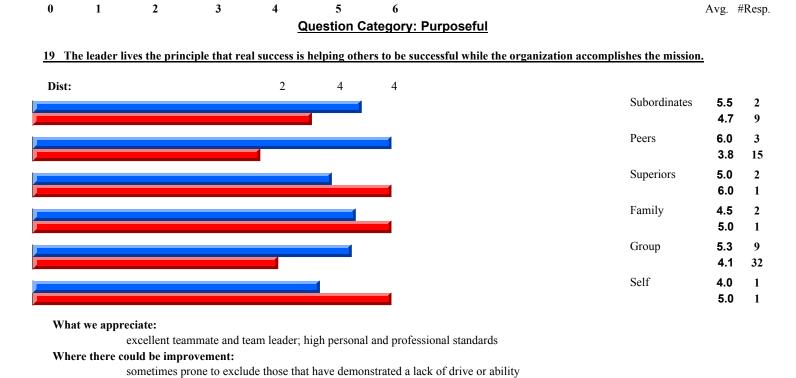
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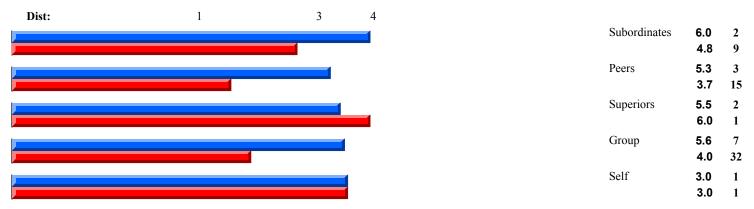
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20 The leader encourages, listens to understand and then uses the input of others when appropriate.



What we appreciate:

listens to understand and uses what he hears

Despite often knowing the right answer, is definitely open to tapping into the ideas and efforts of others, both higher and lower.

Appreciated your interaction during the CL Garoua planning whereas others outside the command were obfuscating the view of the environment.

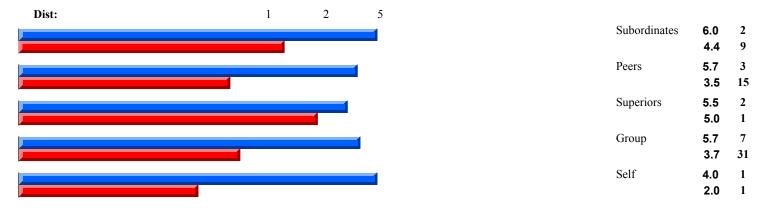
Where there could be improvement:

sometimes excludes those outside a small circle of trusted seniors, peers and subordinates I agree overall however he can be short with folks. His precise and 'to the point' manner may be misconstrued by members of the team who assume that their input is not important.

However...can be stubborn when 'stuck' on his position/idea.

None noted at this time

21 The leader truly cares for others and treats them fairly with dignity and respect.



What we appreciate:

treats everyone with dignity and respect

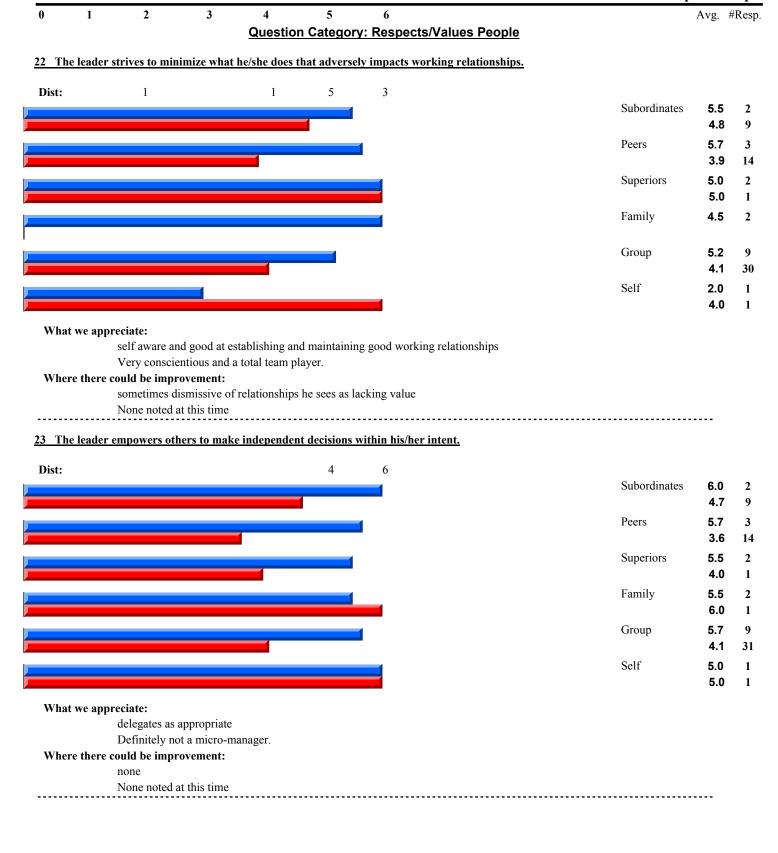
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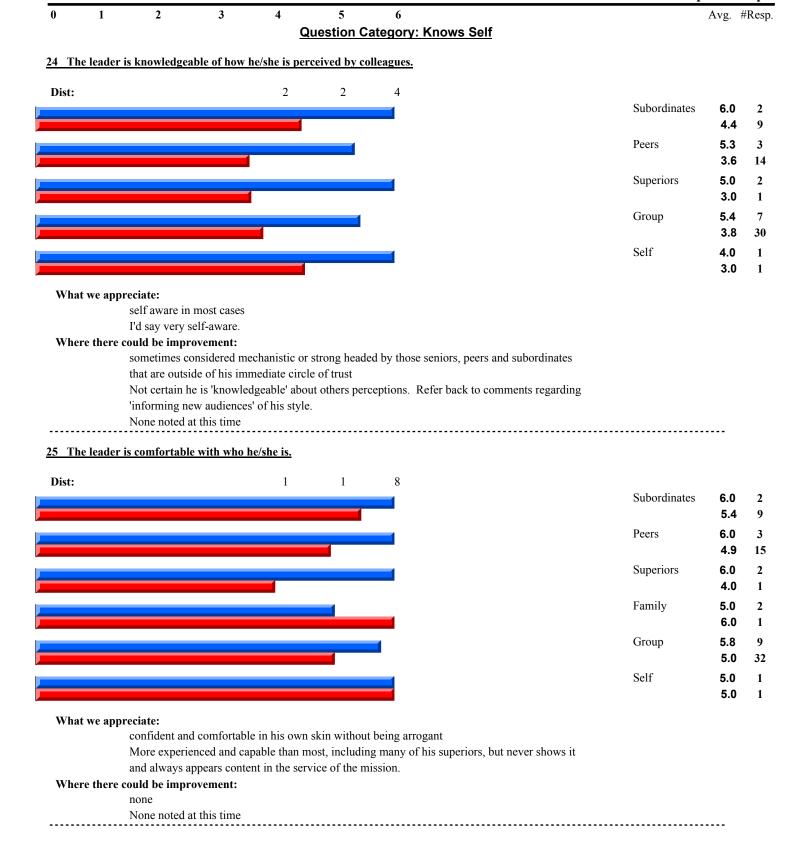
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However...other teammates (for context, 'other' meaning folks who do not have a background or fundamental understanding of his 'style') have commented that he comes across as curt or unwilling to listen. Getting to know him, his directness is intended to create efficiencies/effective work environments. Might be better served informing 'new audiences' about his style.

None noted at this time

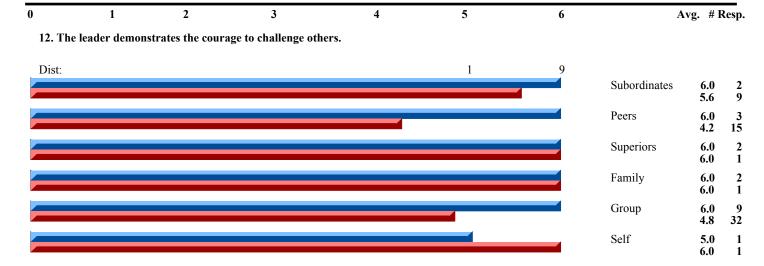
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Introspective Leader Awareness Assessment Strengths

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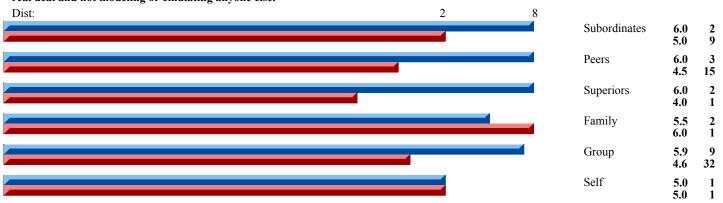
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- Willingness to openly express views creates an environment of trust...and, contributes to collaboration.
- Absolutely fearless about engaging others to clarify things, raising issues, or speaking truth to power.
- fearless when he feels he is correct and the issue is important

Where there could be improvement:

- There can often be multiple ways to successfully accomplish something. Be wary of being too aggressive in trying to promote the way you deem the best....even if it might be.
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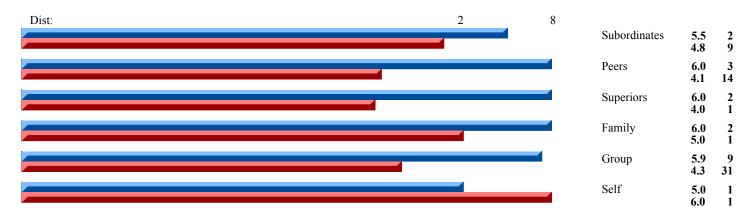
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- A very candid leader
- Exceptionally talented, and self-aware enough to know it, but remains humble and accepting of his roles. Never flashy or seeking any attention, even though his competence warrants both.
- Your candor and direct approach.
- Direct approach to everything.
- Absolutely his own man

Where there could be improvement:

- none
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- I wouldn't change a thing.
- none



17. The leader seeks to continuously improve his/her performance.



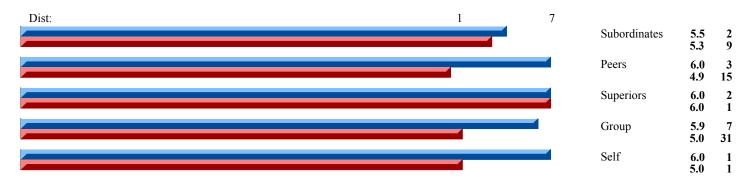
What we appreciate:

- I believe so. "If I'm off base here somebody let me know." --I've heard him say this and ask openly from others how we can improve processes.
- Is clearly a type A perfectionist, but one who is hardest on himself and who would always jump at the chance to get better.
- always looks for opportunities to increase his knowledge and ability

Where there could be improvement:

- None noted at this time
- none

10. The leader acts in a self-assured way and is comfortable engaging in conversation.



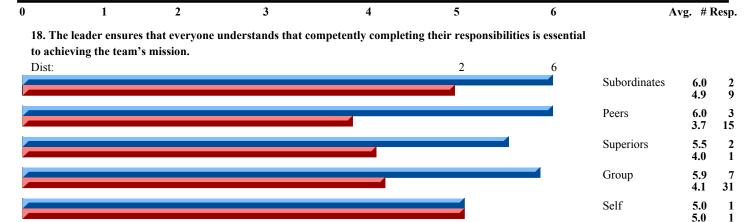
What we appreciate:

- Yes. He's a very confident leader.
- Appropriately confident given his competence. I think he enjoys mental wresting and active conversation and is never hesitant to engage in such.
- absolutely confident and comfortable when engaging others

Where there could be improvement:

- None noted at this time
- none

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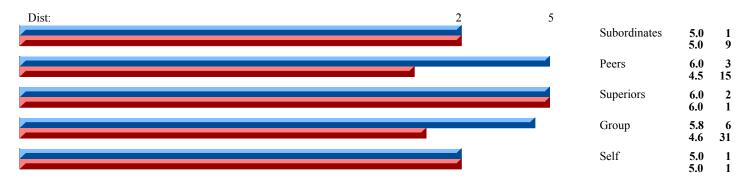
What we appreciate:

- Demands accountability and justification to ideas and concepts.
- Good at delegating and getting max output from all subordinates.
- excellent team leader; establishes and enforces standards

Where there could be improvement:

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- none

13. The leader is frequently visible throughout the workplace.

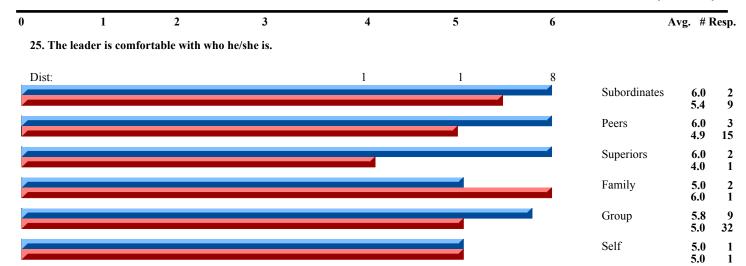


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 day to day FUOPS operations.
- visible and engaging with subordinates

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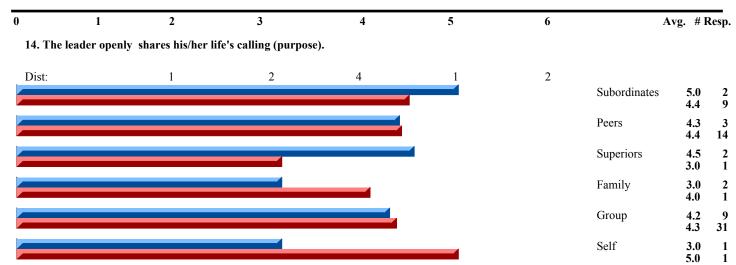
- More experienced and capable than most, including many of his superiors, but never shows it and always appears content in the service of the mission.
- confident and comfortable in his own skin without being arrogant

Where there could be improvement:

- None noted at this time
- none

Introspective Leader Awareness Assessment Developmental Areas

Feedback Receiver: COL Joseph A Sample

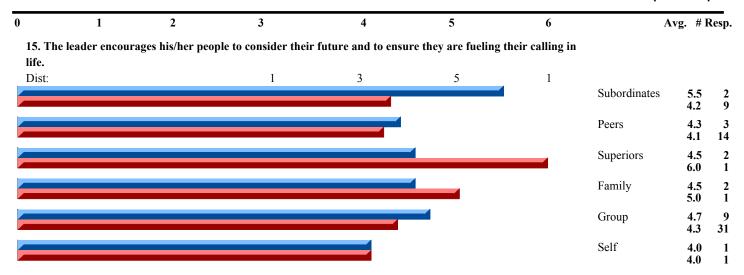


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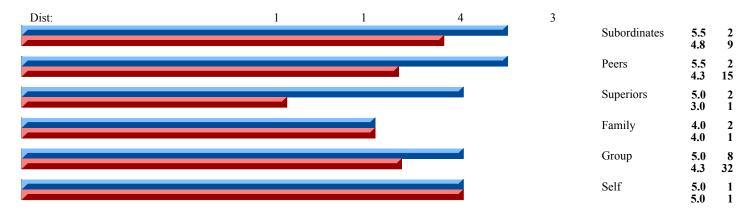
What we appreciate:

- To date, no one counseled about my future options in this command, but COL Sample is scheduled to do so with me in the near future, which is a positive start.
- I think subordinates consider him a great coach and mentor.
- good mentor and leader

Where there could be improvement:

- Not observed.
- None noted at this time
- tends share only with those he sees as the most valuable members of the team

5. The leader openly discusses his/her personal values and the Army values with colleagues.



What we appreciate:

- COL Sample has not verbalized these points as much as he
- Displays them as a matter of routine.
- He believes in family and walk the walk
- Confident and genuine in expressing his values

Where there could be improvement:

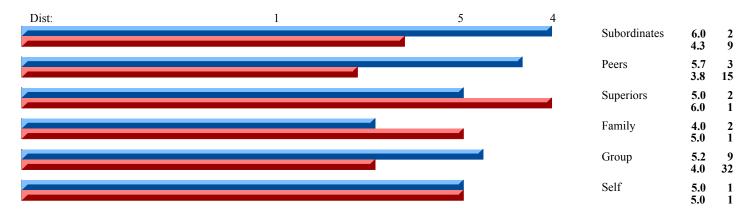
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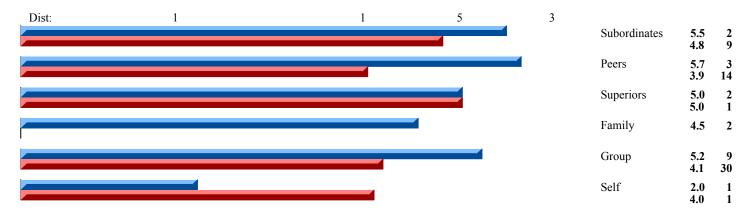
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- None noted at this time
- sometimes initiates action before everyone is clear on the reasoning

22. The leader strives to minimize what he/she does that adversely impacts working relationships.



What we appreciate:

- Very conscientious and a total team player.
- self aware and good at establishing and maintaining good working relationships

Where there could be improvement:

- None noted at this time
- sometimes dismissive of relationships he sees as lacking value

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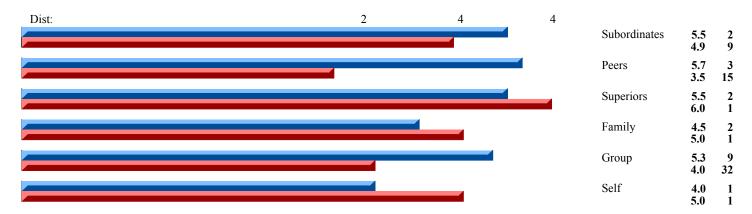
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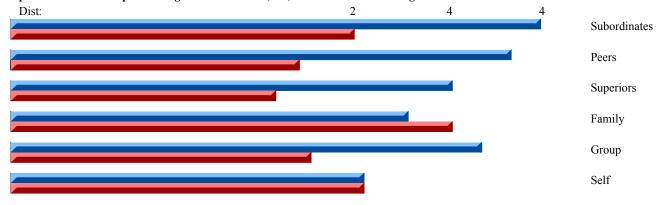
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11. The leader encourages others to provide feedback to improve his/her performance and the organization's performance. Is receptive to negative information, i.e., does not "shoot messengers".



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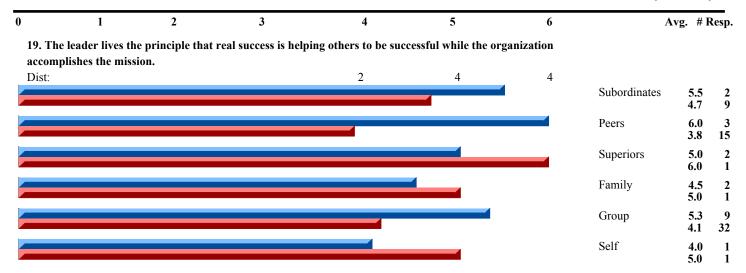
- encourages feedback

Where there could be improvement:

- None noted at this time
- receptive to negative feedback mostly from only those he respects and has confidence in

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What we appreciate:

- excellent teammate and team leader; high personal and professional standards

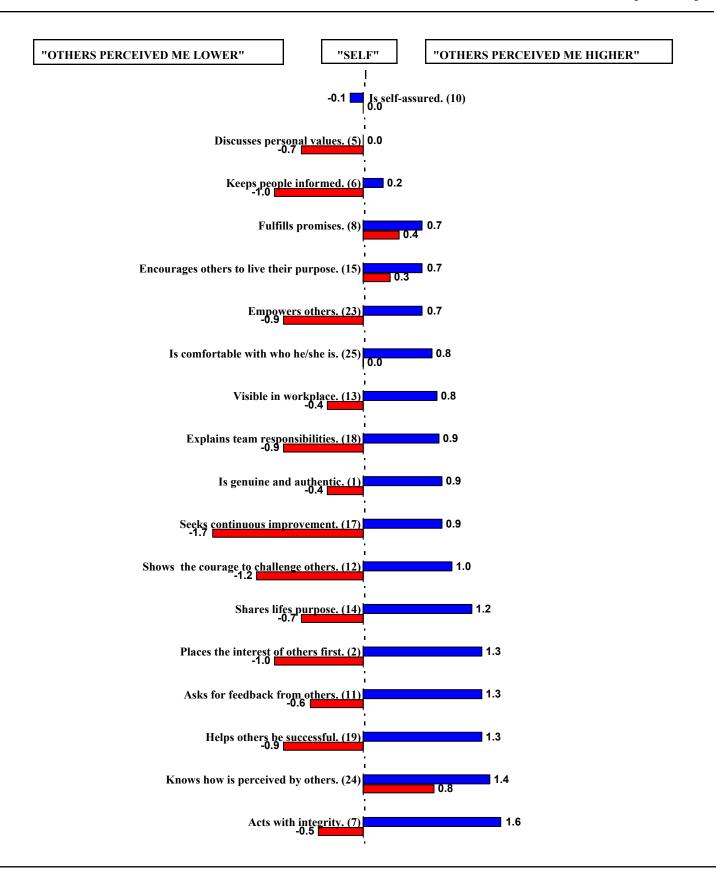
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- sometimes prone to exclude those that have demonstrated a lack of drive or ability

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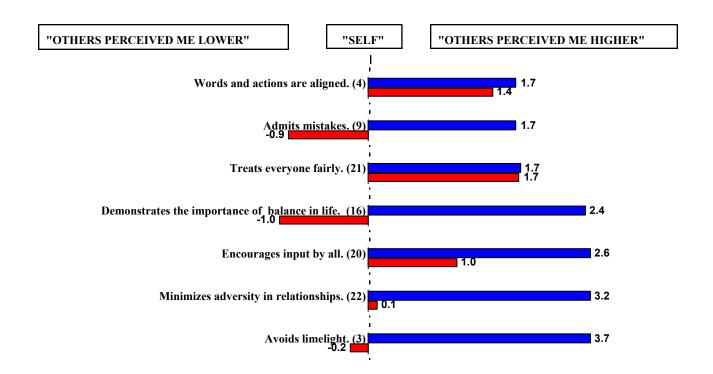
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RESOURCES

LWMIII Associates Resources:

- Executive Coaching
- Leader Development
- Organizational Consulting

Authentic Leadership Readings:

- The Power of Full Engagement Jim Loehr and Tony Schwartz
- Why Should Anyone be Led by You? What it takes to be an Authentic Leader- Rob Goffe and Gareth Jones
- A New Breed of Leader Sheila Murray Bethel
- The Slight Edge Jeff Olson www.tapesandtools.com
- Now, Discover Your Strengths Buckingham & Clifton
- The Seven Acts of Courage Robert E. Staub
- True Success Tom Morris, Ph.D.
- The Speed of Trust Stephen M.R. Covey
- Authentic Leadership Bill George
- True North Bill George
- Primal Leadership Learning to Lead with Emotional Intelligence Daniel Goleman
- Leadership and Self-Deception The Arbinger Institute
- Beyond Winning The Timeless Wisdom of Great Philosopher Coaches Gary Walton
- Doing Right in a Shrinking World Louis DeThomasis & Neal St. Anthony
- The Heart of Leadership 12 Practices of Courageous Leaders Robert E. Staub
- The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People Stephen R. Covey
- **PeopleSmart Leaders** Larry Cole, Ph.D.



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