STILL WE RISE Survey

Thank you for answering the following questions...

Sex: ___________  Age ________  Race ________  Nationality ________

1) What community do you reside? ___________  2) Have you ever been opposed to the war?

   a) Yes, from the beginning.  b) Not at first, but now I am.  c) No, I've always supported it.

3) Do you think that there are other motives for the war on terrorism? Yes / No

4) What do you think that the U.S. intervention in countries around the world will bring:
   a) more immigrants will look for work and a home in the US  
   b) there will be more retaliation and anger toward the US  
   c) the rest of the world will respect the US and its government more

5) Have you seen a recognizable decrease in crime over the past year? Yes / No

6) How would you describe the relationship between the police and your community?
   a) good  b) bad  c) poor

7) Do you think police measures since 9/11 have made you and your community safer? Yes / No

8) Are you afraid to give personal information (i.e. information related to immigration status, work, religion, race, etc.) to school officials or police because of your immigration status or religion? Yes / No

9) How do you feel about violence against women?  against lesbian/gay/bisexual/two spirit/queer folks?
   a) I care  b) I don't care  c) I am not sure how I feel

10) If you have chosen not to report a problem, was it because you were afraid due to your
    a) Race / Ethnicity  b) Immigration status  c) Religion  (check all that apply)
    d) Other (i.e. gender, sexual orientation, etc.)  e) Not applicable

   Please specify ___________

11) Do you or females you know feel safe walking alone in your neighborhood? Yes / No / Not applicable

12) At what point in a street or home violence situation would you decide to call the police?
    a) after the third time you’ve told them “no” or “stop”  b) if they know where you live  
    c) when they threaten to hurt people you love  d) after they’ve pulled a weapon on you

13) Do you think that the levels of police in schools should: a) increase  b) decrease  c) stay the same

14) What is the purpose of education?  a) to prepare for a career  b) it's something everyone has to do  
    c) to learn some more  d) nothing

15) How do you feel about military recruitment in high schools?
    a) I think it’s a good idea  b) I don’t think it’s a good idea  
    c) I don’t care  d) There are no military recruitments in schools (mine or any I know)

16) Since 9/11, have you and/or your family been
    a) more afraid  b) less afraid  c) equally afraid
to go to school officials if you have a problem that they should try to help resolve?

17) Do you think current federal laws (i.e. minimum wage, overtime) protect immigrant workers as well as citizens? Y / N

18) Have you seen/heard anything about undocumented workers killed in 9/11? Yes / No

19) Do you know anyone who has had problems with the INS (immigration services) since 9/11? Y / N

20) Are you or do you know any restaurant workers? Yes / No

21) If so what do you know about your/their jobs?
    a) flexible hours, no stress  c) abusive conditions, high stress  
    b) hard work, little pay  d) good health insurance, so-so pay

22) Did you know that there is a workers center in NYC specifically for restaurant workers? Yes / No

23) Do you feel that poor communities get the same attention from the cops or in general as rich communities? Yes / No

24) Why do you think former prisoners have a hard time after they are released? (check all that apply)
    a) no one will hire them  b) they can't vote  c) they keep committing crimes  d) they're lazy

25) If the Prison System were eliminated, how would we handle crimes committed?
    a) accept anarchy  b) arrest & incarcerate a group of people according to their crime  
    b) offer alternatives to incarceration programs  c) provide community alternative to resolve conflicts.