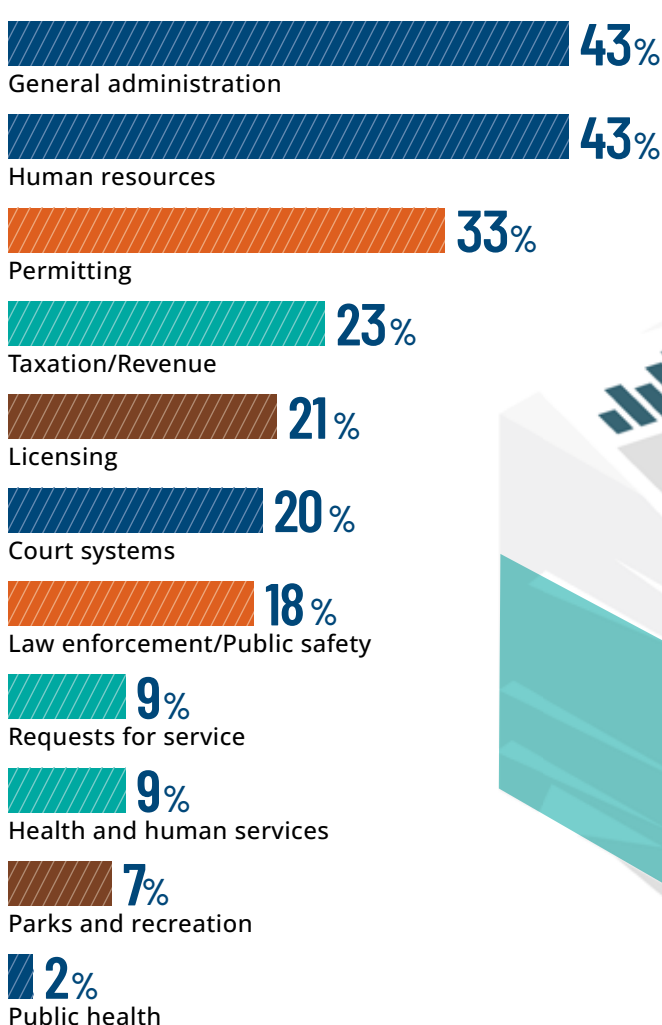


Reducing Paper and Boosting End-User Productivity

How better tools can help government organizations move toward more efficient, digital future.

Despite efforts to digitize processes over the years, state and local government organizations still use plenty of paper. According to a recent Center for Digital Government (CDG) survey of state and local government leaders that looked at electronic document adoption, almost all government agencies still use some paper — and about half use significant amounts of it.

Where paper is concentrated in government:



More than 50% of agencies still use paper for at least half of their records.

Despite the prevalence of paper, most survey respondents say **ELIMINATING OR REDUCING PAPER IS A PRIORITY** within their agencies.



68% of survey respondents say eliminating paper is moderately to very urgent.

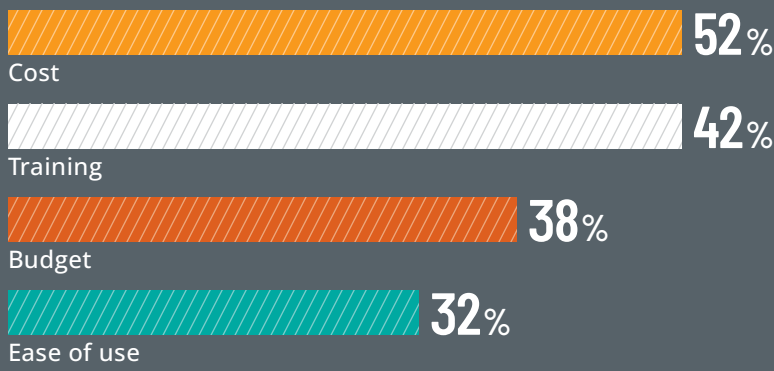
This is especially true now, given the shift to remote work and virtual services driven by the COVID-19 pandemic.



70% of respondents say digital docs/forms will definitely or very likely increase due to the pandemic.

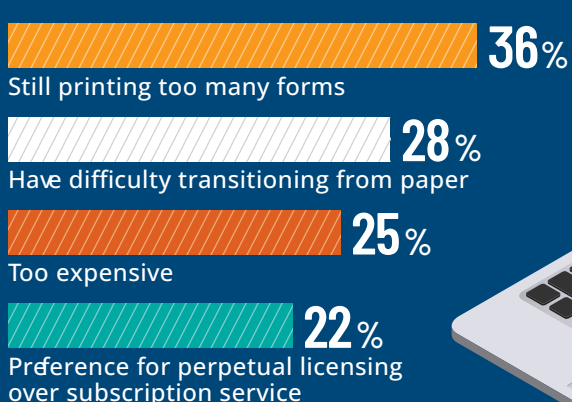
Yet organizations face challenges when it comes to increasing their use of Portable Document Format (PDF) editors, which can help reduce reliance on paper.

Top challenges to increasing use of PDF editors:



In fact, the majority of respondents face shortcomings with their current PDF tools. Survey respondents say such **TOOLS ARE OFTEN HARD TO USE, EXPENSIVE AND AREN'T EFFECTIVE** when it comes to helping them reduce paper.

What challenges does your organization face with respect to its current PDF editor?



Accessibility is another challenge with existing PDF editor tools.

70% of respondents say accessibility on constituent-facing applications is either important or extremely important.

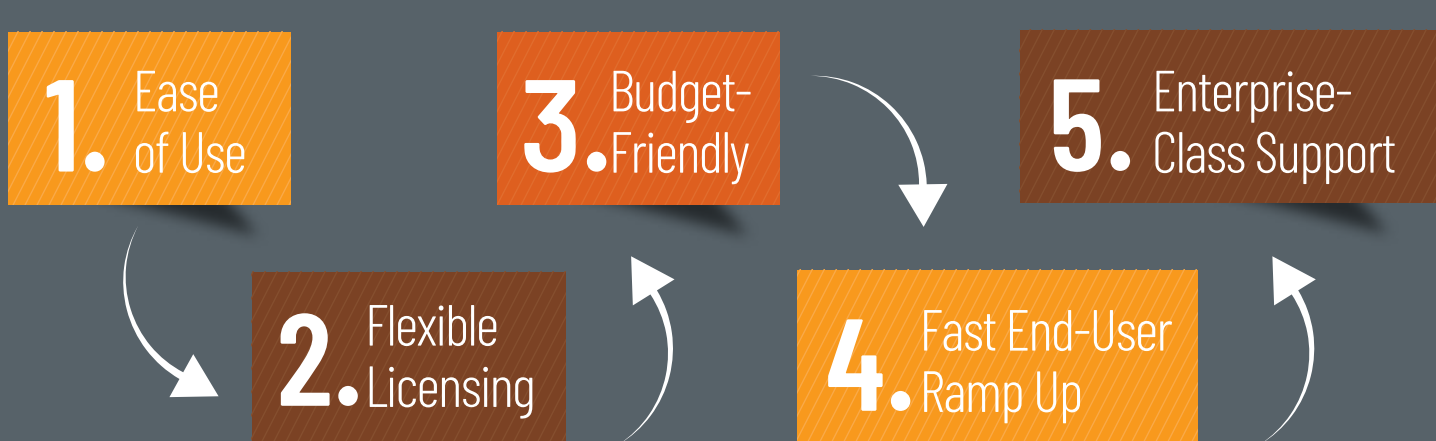


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