LLNL Poll

1. Continue with the current model of the Labs being managed by a private company or a corporate partnership like LLNS. Trust the future, including workforce restructuring, pension contributions, 401k matching, health benefits, and lab mission to the expertise within the new private for profit corporate structure.
   a. Yes, we should continue this way 9.6%
   b. No, I don’t like this future 90.4%

2. Retain competitive bidding for M&O contracts, but have separate bid competitions for different Lab missions. In this model, there could be more than one M&O contractor on the site, and the separate contractors would have to compete with each other for the employees. Private or publicly traded companies as well as non-profit entities could bid.
   a. Yes, we should explore this future 15.1%
   b. No, I don’t like this future 84.9%

3. Federalize the Labs, i.e., have NNSA manage them in the same way the U.S. Department of Commerce manages their big science labs, like National Institute of Standards and Technology and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Employees would be federal employees; current employees could be “grandfathered” into their TCP-1 or TCP-2 plans, and all new employees would go into the federal pension plan and the federal government’s 401k, which has an employer matching contribution.
   a. Yes, we should explore this future 71.7%
   b. No, I don’t like this future 28.3%

4. Give the M&O contract back to a purely public-sector entity. This could be UC alone, as it once was, or be comprised of a consortium of public universities as the M&O contractor, similar to the management model of the big science facilities funded by the National Science Foundation, like the National Radio Astronomy Observatory or the Space Telescope Science Institute.
   a. Yes, we should explore this future 89.7%
   b. No, I don’t like this future 10.3%

5. Finally, are you:
   a. Currently employed at Livermore Lab 86.6%
   b. Currently employed at Los Alamos Lab 3.0%
   c. Retired from LLNL or LANL 9.1%
   d. Other customer / stakeholder (e.g. a taxpayer) 4.3%