



Texas Voter Sample

Field Dates: June 22 – June 29, 2021

N= 1,090 Adults (Registered Voters)

Margin of error: +/- 3.0%

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Survey of Texas Voters

Do you consider yourself to be a Republican, Democrat, or neither?

Code		Total	Hispanic	Black	White
1	Democrat	30%	35%	49%	24%
2	Republican	36	29	8	48
3	Neither	34	36	44	28
Total =		1,086	303	149	578

[If Republican or Democrat] Do you consider yourself to be a strong [Republican/ Democrat] or not strong [Republican/ Democrat]?

OR [If independent, no preference, or other party] Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic Party?

Code		Total	Hispanic	Black	White
1	Strong Democrat	19%	19%	31%	18%
2	Not strong Democrat	11	16	17	6
3	Lean Democratic, Independent	8	10	15	5
4	Lean to no Party, Independent	17	20	25	12
5	Lean Republican, Independent	8	6	4	10
6	Not strong Republican	13	15	1	14
7	Strong Republican	24	14	6	34
Total =		1,086	303	149	578

Using a 7-point scale where 1 is extremely liberal and 7 is extremely conservative, how would you rate your political views.

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Extremely Liberal	8%	16%	4%	4%
2	Liberal	9	23	7	1
3	Slightly Liberal	7	16	6	2
4	Moderate, Middle of the Road	26	29	40	11
5	Slightly Conservative	8	3	11	11
6	Conservative	20	5	11	40
7	Extremely Conservative	13	4	5	28
8	Don't Know	8	5	17	3
Total =		1,090	329	365	393

In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job President Joe Biden has done in his first month in office?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	23%	57%	10%	6%	24%	32%	22%
4	Approve	24	33	30	12	32	35	17
3	Neither	11	6	22	5	15	17	7
2	Disapprove	11	1	15	16	8	8	13
1	Strongly Disapprove	31	3	23	61	21	8	41
Total =		1,074	329	354	391	300	144	575

In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Greg Abbott is handling his job as Governor?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	24%	11%	14%	45%	19%	9%	29%
4	Approve	26	18	23	35	23	15	31
3	Neither	14	11	23	8	16	24	10
2	Disapprove	13	16	15	8	15	18	9
1	Strongly Disapprove	23	44	25	5	26	35	20
Total =		1,074	329	354	391	300	144	575

In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Lt. Governor Dan Patrick is handling his job as Lieutenant Governor?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	15%	11%	5%	29%	9%	5%	21%
4	Approve	22	14	17	32	17	16	25
3	Neither	38	33	51	31	45	47	32
2	Disapprove	8	14	9	3	11	9	6
1	Strongly Disapprove	16	28	18	5	17	23	15
Total =		1,074	329	354	391	300	144	575

In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Attorney General Ken Paxton is handling his job as Attorney General?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	13%	10%	5%	23%	7%	5%	18%
4	Approve	24	17	19	34	24	18	25
3	Neither	39	33	49	35	44	42	34
2	Disapprove	8	11	9	3	10	13	5
1	Strongly Disapprove	16	29	18	5	15	21	17
Total =		1,074	329	354	391	300	144	575

In light of recent headline news about Attorney General Ken Paxton, do you agree or disagree that he has the integrity to serve as attorney general?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Men	Women
1	I agree	33%	34%	20%	45%	38%	29%
0	I disagree	25	39	29	10	24	26
8	Unsure	41	27	51	45	38	44
Total =		1,074	329	354	390	513	554

Is your impression of Senator John Cornyn favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Very favorable	14%	14%	4%	23%	8%	4%	21%
4	Somewhat favorable	23	12	19	37	15	15	30
3	Neither	30	27	45	19	38	37	23
2	Somewhat unfavorable	10	14	9	7	12	8	9
1	Very unfavorable	11	21	9	3	7	18	11
8	Don't Know Enough	12	11	15	10	20	17	6
Total =		1,068	329	350	389	299	144	571

Is your impression of Senator Ted Cruz favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Very favorable	22%	10%	11%	43%	16%	4%	30%
4	Somewhat favorable	23	16	18	34	17	17	28
3	Neither	11	10	15	7	16	19	6
2	Somewhat unfavorable	11	10	16	7	9	14	10
1	Very unfavorable	27	48	30	7	31	38	23
8	Don't Know Enough	6	6	11	3	12	8	3
Total =		1,068	329	350	389	299	144	571

Is your impression of Vice President Kamala Harris favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Very favorable	20%	50%	8%	6%	21%	35%	17%
4	Somewhat favorable	19	32	23	6	23	24	16
3	Neither	14	13	24	6	17	19	11
2	Somewhat unfavorable	7	2	9	9	6	5	8
1	Very unfavorable	35	3	26	71	25	12	45
8	Don't Know Enough	4	1	10	2	7	4	3
Total =		1,068	329	350	389	299	144	571

Is your impression of Beto O'Rourke favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Very favorable	15%	37%	7%	4%	17%	24%	13%
4	Somewhat favorable	16	29	17	5	17	22	15
3	Neither	19	19	27	12	27	22	14
2	Somewhat unfavorable	8	5	10	8	7	9	8
1	Very unfavorable	32	3	23	63	18	9	44
8	Don't Know Enough	10	7	15	9	14	14	6
Total =		1,068	329	350	389	299	144	571

Don Huffines has announced he will run for Governor of Texas. Are you likely to support him more than Governor Abbott?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Rep. Primary
1	I would vote for Don Huffines	22%	39%	16%	13%	12%
2	I would vote for Greg Abbott	46	16	39	77	77
7	I would vote for someone else	32	45	45	10	11
Total =		1,000	306	322	364	440

Matthew McConaughey has been talked about as a potential candidate for Governor of Texas. If he ran, would you be likely to support him more than Governor Abbott?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Dem. Primary	Rep. Primary
1	I would vote for Matthew McConaughey	38%	56%	39%	22%	56%	22%
2	I would vote for Greg Abbott	39	15	29	69	14	67%
7	I would vote for someone else	23	29	31	9	30	11
Total =		1,016	315	332	370	401	454

[If McConaughey] What is the most important quality that attracts you to support Matthew McConaughey?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Dem. Primary	Rep. Primary
1	He shares your values	28%	38%	11%	34%	34%	23%
2	He is an outsider	13	11	18	10	12	17
3	His honesty, to tell it like it is	48	41	58	45	43	46
7	Other	11	10	13	11	11	13
Total =		386	174	140	81	226	100

[If Abbott] What is the most important quality that attracts you to support Governor Abbott?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Dem. Primary	Rep. Primary
1	He shares your values	32%	20%	20%	39%	22%	36%
2	His experience	28	43	26	27	41	24
3	His honesty, to tell it like it is	32	34	42	28	37	31
7	Other	7	3	12	6	0	9
Total =		399	47	97	254	56	306

[If someone else or refused] You choose that you would vote for neither Abbott or McConaughey? Is it because...

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Dem. Primary	Rep. Primary
1	Neither share your values	27%	30%	23%	33%	28%	25%
2	You don't know enough about them yet	38	35	48	16	36	29
3	You want a challenger with more experience	22	24	18	29	24	24
7	Other	12	10	11	21	12	22
Total =		230	91	104	35	118	47

Beto O'Rourke has been talked about as a potential candidate for Governor of Texas. If he ran, would you be likely to support him more than Governor Abbott?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Dem. Primary	Rep. Primary
1	I would vote for Beto O'Rourke	33%	66%	28%	9%	69%	7%
2	I would vote for Greg Abbott	45	17	35	78	15	76
7	I would vote for someone else	22	17	37	13	15	17
Total =		1,036	322	336	378	409	465

If the 2022 primary election for the Governor were held today, are you more likely to vote in the Democratic or Republican primary?

Code		Total	Hisp.	Black	White
1	Democratic Primary	39%	49%	67%	29%
2	Republican Primary	45	33	12	59
8	I would not vote in a primary election	16	19	22	12
Total =		1,064	298	144	568

[If voting in the Democratic Primary] In the Democratic primary for Governor are you most likely to support a candidate who is centrist or progressive?

Code		Total	Hisp.	Black	White
1	Centrist	20%	11%	15%	30%
2	Progressive	52	55	48	52
8	Don't Know	28	34	36	18
Total =		418	146	96	163

[If voting in Republican Primary] In the Republican primary for Governor, are you most likely to support Governor Abbott, someone more centrist, more conservative, or more like Donald Trump?

Code		Total	Conservative	Evangelical	Over 65
1	I would vote for Governor Abbott	52%	60%	62%	69%
2	I would prefer a more centrist Republican	12	3	8	11
3	I would prefer a more conservative Republican	13	11	8	10
4	I would prefer someone more like Donald Trump	22	25	22	10
Total =		477	295	100	145

[If voting in Republican Primary] In the Republican primary for Attorney General, are you most likely to support the incumbent Ken Paxton, George P. Bush, or Eva Guzman?

Code		Total	Women	Male	Hisp.	White	Conservative	College-degree
1	Ken Paxton	42%	45%	40%	30%	46%	49%	43%
2	George P. Bush	34	29	38	39	35	29	34
3	Eva Guzman	4	3	4	9	1	3	4
7	Someone else	12	11	12	16	7	10	12
8	I don't know	8	11	6	5	10	9	8
Total =		337	151	184	68	238	213	146

[If voting for Ken Paxton] If former President Donald Trump were to endorse George P. Bush for Attorney General, would you reconsider your support for Ken Paxton?

Code		Total
1	Yes	41%
0	No	52
8	Don't Know	6
Total =		114

[If voting for George P. Bush] If former President Donald Trump were to endorse Ken Paxton for Attorney General, would you reconsider your support for George P. Bush?

Code		Total
1	Yes	35%
0	No	65
8	Don't Know	0
Total =		85

[If voting for Eva Guzman] If former President Donald Trump were to endorse Ken Paxton or George P. Bush for Attorney General, would you reconsider your support for Eva Guzman?

Code		Total
1	No, I will support Eva Guzman	46%
2	I would support Ken Paxton, only	40
3	I would support George Bush, only	0
4	I would support either	12
8	Don't Know	2
Total =		11

[If voting for Someone else or Not Sure] If former President Donald Trump were to endorse a candidate for Attorney General, would you be more likely to support that candidate?

Code		Total
1	Yes	37%
0	No	58
8	Don't Know	6
Total =		150

Did Governor Greg Abbott respond to the crisis from electricity and utility outages due to February's winter storm – very well, well, not well, not well at all?

Code		Total	In April	In March
4	Very well	17%	19%	18%
3	Well	30	35	35
2	Not well	22	21	24
1	Not well at all	29	23	22
5	Don't know	2	3	1
Total =		1,059	1,126	1168

To provide electricity without blackouts in the summer months, how much do you trust Texas's power grid?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
3	A great deal	11%	16%	3%	14%	14%	7%	12%
2	Fair amount	28	19	24	39	28	22	29
1	Not too much	33	26	43	29	27	32	35
0	No confidence	27	38	29	16	30	40	23
8	Don't know	1	1	1	1	1	0	1
	Total =	1,012	318	318	375	279	133	547

Do you approve or disapprove of how Joe Biden is handling immigration at the U.S. Mexico Border?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	14%	34%	4%	5%	17%	17%	11%
4	Approve	18	32	15	8	20	18	17
3	Neither	20	20	34	8	25	37	14
2	Disapprove	11	9	16	8	13	15	8
1	Strongly Disapprove	37	5	30	71	25	13	49
	Total =	1,059	328	345	386	295	144	566

Do you approve or disapprove of how Governor Greg Abbott is handling immigration at the U.S. Mexico Border?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	25%	16%	11%	46%	17%	9%	33%
4	Approve	21	14	24	24	21	12	23
3	Neither	21	16	30	16	25	32	16
2	Disapprove	13	16	17	7	16	14	11
1	Strongly Disapprove	20	38	18	7	22	32	17
	Total =	1,057	327	345	385	295	143	565

Do you support or oppose granting permanent legal status to immigrants who came to the U.S. illegally when they were children?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
5	Strongly support	23%	42%	20%	10%
4	Support	24	32	21	19
3	Neither oppose nor support	28	20	38	27
2	Oppose	11	3	12	18
1	Strongly oppose	13	3	9	26
	Total =	1,054	325	343	386

The state has established a website to accept donations to fund construction of a barrier at the Texas-Mexico border. How likely are you to donate? Definitely will, probably, unlikely, definitely not, not sure?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Definitely will	12%	14%	3%	18%	9%	5%	15%
4	Probably will	18	11	11	30	17	7	21
3	Unlikely to	18	12	20	21	20	17	17
2	Definitely not	38	56	46	16	43	51	33
1	Not sure yet	14	7	19	16	9	20	15
Total =		1,057	323	342	386	294	143	562

State leaders in Texas have redirected \$250 million of state funds to start construction of a barrier at the Texas-Mexico border. Do you support providing more state revenue to the completion of this project?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Borderland County	Not Borderland County
5	Strongly support	27%	13%	14%	51%	13%	28%
4	Support	16	12	14	21	14	16
3	Neutral	21	16	29	17	28	20
2	Oppose	12	18	16	5	20	12
1	Strongly oppose	23	41	27	6	25	24
Total =		1,052	325	342	386	81	971

Do you agree or disagree that a wall along the Texas-Mexico border is necessary for a safe border? Would you say...

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Agree	29%	12%	17%	54%	15%	17%	38%
4	Somewhat agree	16	11	16	20	10	10	20
3	Neither	19	22	29	9	25	36	12
2	Disagree	12	17	14	6	18	12	9
1	Strongly Disagree	24	38	24	12	32	26	20
Total =		1,044	325	340	383	290	142	559

Do you believe there is widespread voter fraud in Texas's elections or not?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Under 45	45 and Over
1	Yes, there is	26%	20%	16%	40%	32%	22%
0	No, there is not	46	60	46	33	38	51
8	Don't Know	28	20	38	26	30	27
Total =		1,052	323	343	386	453	599

Do you believe the election law being debated in the Texas legislature will preserve, reduce, or restore fairness in Texas’s elections?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White	Believe Fraud	No Fraud
1	Preserve	22%	19%	11%	34%	15%	13%	28%	32%	19%
0	Reduce	25	40	27	10	22	34	24	21	39
2	Restore	19	15	15	27	24	13	19	23	14
8	Don’t Know	34	26	47	29	40	40	29	24	28
Total =		1,052	325	341	385	289	144	565	276	477

Do you believe the hours a polling location is open for early voting should be set by the state or county election officials?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Believe Fraud	No Fraud
1	State	37%	27%	27%	54%	59%	29%
2	County	39	51	38	30	28	53
8	I don’t know enough	24	22	35	16	13	18
Total =		1,051	324	341	386	275	541

Do you agree or disagree that K-12 teachers should be permitted to discuss how historical examples of discrimination in our laws apply to inequalities today?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
5	Strongly Agree	34%	57%	32%	16%	37%	54%	29%
4	Somewhat agree	17	21	16	16	20	14	17
3	Neither	22	18	30	19	24	19	21
2	Somewhat disagree	9	2	7	15	11	4	8
1	Strongly Disagree	18	3	15	33	8	9	24
Total =		1,053	324	343	386	292	144	564

Do you believe it is fair to pass a state law that assigns a student to a sports team that matches their assigned gender at birth, not the gender they identify with?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Under 45	45 and over
1	Yes, it is fair	56%	39%	48%	78%	52%	59%
0	No, it is unfair	17	23	18	13	23	14
7	Depends	26	39	34	9	24	28
Total =		1,050	324	342	385	452	598

Do you agree or disagree that elected officials are doing enough to prevent mass shootings?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White
6	Strongly Agree	9%	8%	5%	14%	6%	6%	11%
5	Agree	12	8	9	17	9	2	16
4	Somewhat agree	18	12	18	23	23	14	17
3	Somewhat disagree	18	15	21	17	20	15	17
2	Disagree	14	16	12	13	14	12	13
1	Strongly Disagree	27	41	32	12	25	50	23
9	Don’t Know	2	1	3	3	2	1	3
Total =		1,052	322	333	372	291	144	564

Do you support or oppose a nationwide ban on the sale of semiautomatic assault weapons?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Gun Owner
5	Strongly support	31%	52%	27%	16%	23%
4	Support	15	14	12	17	14
3	Neutral	20	18	27	14	13
2	Oppose	10	4	10	15	13
1	Strongly oppose	25	12	23	38	37
Total =		1,051	323	343	385	328

The COVID-19 vaccine is available to all adults. Do you plan to take it?

Code		Total	Black	Hisp.	White	Under 45	45 and over
4	I have received the vaccine	55%	43%	48%	62%	40%	67%
3	Definitely	9	6	12	9	16	4
2	Probably	9	17	12	6	14	6
1	Unlikely	5	3	8	4	5	5
0	No	21	31	20	19	26	18
Total =		1,046	142	291	560	449	597

[If definitely, probably, or unlikely to take it] Have you tried to make an appointment to get the vaccine?

Code		Total	Black	Hisp.	White	Under 45	45 and over
0	No	60%	64%	59%	57%	53%	72%
1	Yes	40	36	40	42	47	27
99	Refused	0	0	1	1	1	1
Total		249	40	94	105	160	90

[If no to appointment] What is the top reason you have not made an appointment to get a vaccine?

Code		Total	Black	Hisp.	White	Under 45	45 and over
5	Concerned with side effects	34	64	23	29	34	34
2	Waiting to see	16	19	15	17	15	18
6	I don't want it	16	14	24	12	20	10
4	I do not have enough information	11	0	8	18	9	14
3	Too busy	6	2	14	2	11	1
1	Already had COVID-19	4	1	6	4	3	5
7	Other	12	0	9	18	7	18
Total =		210	31	69	100	115	96

What is your main source of news?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	National broadcast (ABC, CBS, NBC, PBS)	16%	20%	14%	14%
2	Cable News (CNN, Fox News, MSNBC)	21	24	14	24
3	Local television news	21	20	20	23
4	National newspapers (New York Times, Washington Post, etc.)	4	4	4	3
5	Local newspapers (Austin American-Statesman, Dallas Morning News)	3	3	3	4
6	Radio or Radio Broadcasts (NPR, Talk Radio)	5	1	8	6
7	Social media	16	19	19	12
8	Spanish News (Telemundo, Univision, etc.)	2	2	3	2
9	Other	12	6	16	13
Total =		1,051	323	343	385

[If cable] Which cable news network do you watch most?

Code	Total	18-24 yrs	25-34 yrs	35-44 yrs	45-64 yrs	65 yrs, plus
1 CNN	33%	44%	38%	63%	30%	22%
2 Fox News Channel	51%	48	48	31	54	56
3 MSNBC	9	0	14	3	9	10
4 Newsmax	5	9	0	0	5	10
5 OAN	1	0	0	0	2	0
7 Other cable news network	1	0	0	3	0	3
Total =	215	16	34	23	81	62

[if social media] Which social media platform do you primarily get your news from?

Code	Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1 Facebook	42%	46%	41%	39%
2 Instagram	15	23	16	2
3 LinkedIn	0	0	0	0
4 Reddit	1	4	0	0
5 Snapchat	0	0	0	0
6 TikTok	6	4	9	4
7 Twitter	7	17	1	2
8 YouTube	19	4	19	39
9 WhatsApp	1	2	0	0
10 Other	9	1	13	13
Total =	171	62	64	45

[If news is from social networks] On social networking sites, do you follow any newspapers, news organizations, or news channels (For example: ABC News, Dallas Morning News)?

Code	Total
1 Yes	45%
0 No	55
Total =	171

[If news is from social networks] On social networking sites, do you follow individual journalists who produce pieces for newspapers, news organizations or news channels

Code		Total
1	Yes	39%
0	No	61
Total =		171

[if radio] Which source of radio news do you listen to most?

Code		Total
1	News Talk Radio (ABC, CBS, Fox News, etc.)	40%
2	Public Radio (NPR, BBC, etc.)	38
3	Sports Talk Radio (ESPN, Fox Sports, NBC Sports, etc.)	0
4	Other	23
Total =		55

Do you have a favorable, unfavorable or neutral view of the Local Police?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
2	Favorable	64%	46%	55%	86%
1	Neutral	27	40	32	11
0	Unfavorable	9	14	13	3
Total =		1,049	322	343	384

Do you have a favorable, unfavorable or neutral view of the National Rifle Association?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
2	Favorable	36%	14%	22%	65%
1	Neutral	37	38	49	27
0	Unfavorable	27	48	29	8
Total =		1,044	322	340	382

Do you have a favorable, unfavorable or neutral view of the Black Lives Matter movement?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
2	Favorable	31%	59%	27%	11%
1	Neutral	32	33	43	20
0	Unfavorable	37	7	30	69
Total =		1,049	322	343	385

In November, did you vote for Donald Trump, Joe Biden, another candidate or not vote?

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Hisp.	Black	White	Men	Women
1	Donald Trump	37%	4%	21%	78%	25%	7%	50%	41%	32%
2	Joe Biden	32%	73	24	4	34	48	27	33	31
3	Someone else	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1
4	Did not vote	29	21	49	18	38	42	20	24	33
99	Refused	1	0	4	0	2	2	1	1	2
Total =		1,048	323	341	385	291	144	560	505	537

Which of the following best describes your employment last week?

Code		Total	Hisp.	Black	White	Men	Women
9	Retired	26%	8%	12%	39%	28%	25%
0	Unemployed, not seeking work	10	12	14	8	6	14
1	Seeking employment	9	14	17	5	7	12
2	Employed part-time	8	12	7	6	7	8
3	Self employed	7	7	9	7	9	5
4	Employed full-time	39	47	41	34	43	36
Total =		1,042	288	144	557	502	534

Do you happen to have in your home, garage, or car any guns or revolvers?

Code		Total	Hisp.	Black	White	Men	Women
1	Yes	41%	36%	24	48%	46%	36%
0	No	58	64	76	50%	52	63
97	Refused	2	0	0	2	2	1
Total =		1,042	288	144	557	502	534

[If Yes to gun in home] Do any of these guns personally belong to you?

Code		Total	Men	Women
1	Yes	77%	92%	59%
0	No	23	8	41
Total =		426	234	191

Demographic Questions

What do you identify as your racial or ethnic background?

Code		Total
4	White, Non-Hispanic	53%
1	Hispanic or Latino	28
2	Black or African American	14
3	Asian	3
5	American Indian	0
6	Native Hawaiian	0
7	Other	1
8	More than Two Races	2
Total =		1,092

[If Hispanic] What is the origin of the ethnicity background?

Code		Total
1	Mexican, Mexican American	71%
2	Tejano	7
3	Puerto Rican	5
4	Cuban	2
5	Other	17
Total =		303

How many generations has your family been in America?

	Total	Hispanic
One	10%	12%
Two	12	25
Three	20	33
Four or more	58	30
Total =	1,092	303

What is the highest level of education you have attained?

Code		Total
1	High school, or less	21%
2	High school graduation, some college	25
3	Completed Associate's Degree	14
4	Completed Bachelor's Degree	25
5	Graduate or Professional Degree/Coursework	15
Total =		1,092

What is your age?

Code		Total
1	18-24	10%
2	25-34	17
3	35-44	17
4	45-64	34
5	65+	21
Total =		1,092

In the last calendar year, what was your total household income, including wages, salaries, Social Security, and retirement benefits before taxes?

Code		Total
1	Less than \$5,000 (less than \$416 per month)	5%
2	\$5,000-\$7,499 (between \$417 and \$624 per month)	2
3	\$7,500-\$9,999 (between \$625 and \$833 per month)	4
4	\$10,000-\$19,999 (between \$834 and \$1,666 per month)	7
5	\$20,000-\$29,999 (between \$1,667 and \$2,500 per month)	9
6	\$30,000-\$39,999 (between \$2,500 and \$3,333 per month)	11
7	\$40,000-\$49,999 (between \$3,334 and \$4,169 per month)	7
8	\$50,000-\$59,999 (between \$4,170 and \$4,999 per month)	8
9	\$60,000-\$69,999 (between \$5,000 and \$5,833 per month)	5
10	\$70,000 and \$74,999 (between \$5,834 and \$6,249 per month)	2
11	\$75,000-\$79,999 (between \$6,250 and \$6,666 per month)	4
12	\$80,000-\$89,999 (between \$6,667 and \$7,499 per month)	4
13	\$90,000-\$99,999 (between \$7,500 and \$11,999 per month)	3
14	\$100,000-\$149,999 (between \$12,000 and \$12,499 per month)	13
15	\$150,000-\$199,999 (between \$12,500 and \$16,666 per month)	7
16	\$200,000 or More (\$16,667 or more per month)	5
97	Not given	3
Total =		1,032

How would you best describe your religious affiliation?

Code		Total
1	Roman Catholic	26%
8	Secular/No Religious Affiliation	22
2	Evangelical Protestant	17
3	Mainline Protestant	13
4	African-American Protestant	4
12	Christian – unaffiliated	6
5	Church of Latter Day Saints	2
6	Jewish	1
7	Other (Buddhist, Hindu, Muslim etc)	9
Total =		1,042

[If a faith is selected] Which of the following best describes the overall importance of religion in your life?

Code		Total
1	Religion is not important	8%
2	Religion provides some guidance	24
3	Religion provides quite a lot of guidance	17
4	Religion provides a great deal of guidance	48
8	Don't Know	3
Total =		828

What is your marital status?

Code		Total
1	Married	51%
0	Single (Never married)	29
2	Divorced	10
4	Separated	6
5	Widowed	5
Total =		1,042

Are you a parent or guardian of a child 18 years old or younger?

		Total
0	No	69%
1	Yes	31
Total =		1,042

What is your gender?

		Total
0	Male	48%
1	Female	52%
Total =		1,092

Methodology

The Dallas Morning News/UT Tyler Poll reflects a statewide random sample of 1,090 registered voters during the eight days between June 22 and June 29. The mixed mode sample includes 256 registered voters who were surveyed over the phone by the Center for Opinion Research with support from ReconMR and 834 registered voters that were randomly selected from Dynata's panel of registered voters that was stratified to match the demographics of Texas's registered voter population. The online and phone surveys were conducted in English and Spanish.

Post-stratification weights were calculated for the random telephone sample and web sample separately to be representative of the Texas registered voter population, before the two weighted samples were combined into one standardized sample (see Elliott 2009). To balance sample demographics with the estimated gender, age, race/ethnicity, and education of registered voters in the state we use an iterated process known as raking. These parameters were derived from 2020 Current Population Survey to reflect Texas's electorate. Also, to account for the influence of urbanization on voter registration the sample is also weighted to reflect the population density of the state using the counts of registered voters in all 254 counties based on data from the Texas Secretary of State. The use of these weights in statistical analysis ensures that the characteristics of the sample closely reflect the characteristics of registered voters in Texas. A second step uses weights from the probability phone sample to standardize the weights for the non-probability online sample to reduce sampling bias (see Elliott 2009).

In this poll, the sampling error for 1,090 registered voters in Texas is +/- 3.00 percentage points at a 95 percent confidence interval. The adjusted margin of error for our sample is 3.40 after considering the design effect of weighting respondents to match the registered voter population.

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