Texas Opinion Survey Field Dates: July 24-27, 2019 N=1414 Adults (Registered Voters)

Margin of error: +/- 2.6%

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

		Weighted
1.	Extremely liberal	6.3%
2.	Liberal	13.2
3.	Slightly Liberal	7.0
4.	Moderate, Middle of the Road	34.4
5.	Slightly Conservative	17.5
6.	Conservative	14.9
7.	Extremely Conservative	6.7
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Total = 1,382

Did you vote in the 2016 presidential primary election?

	Weighted
Yes, I voted in the Democratic primary	37.0%
Yes, I voted in the Republican primary	31.9
No, I did not vote in the primary	25.8
Not sure	5.3

Total = 1,414

[If voted in 2016 Democratic Primary] In the 2016 primary election, did you vote for Hillary Clinton, Bernie Sanders or someone else?

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.
Bernie Sanders	28.6%	27.4%	33.3%
Hillary Clinton	66.7	69.2	56.6
Someone else	4.4	3.1	9.8
Not Sure	0.4	0.4	0.3
Total = 503		394	77

[If voted in 2016 Republican Primary] In the 2016 primary election, did you vote for Ted Cruz, Donald Trump, Marco Rubio, John Kasich, or someone else?

	Weighted	Rep.	Ind.
Ted Cruz	18.0%	15.3%	37.8%
Donald Trump	70.8	76.0	31.3
Marco Rubio	3.1	2.5	7.6
John Kasich	3.0	1.8	11.4
Someone else	3.8	2.7	11.9
Not Sure	1.4	1.7	0.7
Total = 620		514	95

Did you vote in the 2018 midterm election?

	Weighted
Yes	77.8%
No	22.3
Total = 1,370	

Are you very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, somewhat unenthusiastic, or very unenthusiastic about voting in the March primary?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind. Dem	Ind. Rep.	Rep.
1.	Very Enthusiastic	30.1%	40.8%	11.4%	32.0%	29.5%
2.	Somewhat Enthusiastic	30.3	34.3	7.3	28.7	37.3
3.	No opinion	30.3	18.0	74.2	22.7	25.4
4.	Somewhat Unenthusiastic	5.7	4.0	5.8	14.3	5.2
5.	Very Unenthusiastic	3.6	3.0	1.3	2.3	2.6
	Total = 1,413		466	89	98	622

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

		Weighted
1.	Republican	38.2%
2.	Democrat	35.7
3.	Neither	26.1
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Total = 1,415

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

		Weighted
1.	Democrat	72.8%
2.	Republican	27.2
	Total = 187	_

[If Republican] In the Texas Republican primary next year, do you support Donald Trump or prefer a different candidate?

		Weighted	Rep.	Ind.
1.	Strongly Support	54.5%	58.3%	25.6%
2.	Somewhat Support	16.6	16.6	16.6
3.	Not Sure	15.0	16.2	6.1
4.	Somewhat Support a Different Candidate	6.2	4.8	16.6
5.	Strongly Support a Different Candidate	7.7	4.1	35.1
	Total = 718		620	98

[If Republican & Selected a Different Candidate] In the general election, if Donald Trump is the Republican nominee, would you be willing to vote for the Democratic nominee?

		Weighted	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Yes	47.3%	45.2%	48.6%
2.	No	53.7	54.8	51.4
5.	Not Sure	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Total = 68		24	44

[If Democrat or Independent closer to Democratic Party] Who is your FIRST choice candidate in the Democratic primary?

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		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.			
		(All)		(Lean D)			
1.	Elizabeth Warren	9.0%	10.6%	4.7%			
2.	Cory Booker	1.0	1.3	0.4			
3.	Julian Castro	2.4	3.3	0.1			
4.	Kirsten Gillibrand	0.6	0.8	0.0			
5.	Kamala Harris	7.6	8.5	5.3			
6.	Amy Klobuchar	0.3	0.3	0.3			
7.	Beto O'Rourke	38.3	26.5	69.5			
8.	Steve Bullock	1.0	1.4	0.0			
9.	Michael Bennet	1.0	0.8	1.8			
10.	Joe Biden	19.1	24.4	5.1			
11.	Pete Buttigieg	2.1	1.5	3.7			
12.	Bill de Blasio	0.3	0.4	0.0			
13.	John Delaney	0.0	0.0	0.0			
14.	Tulsi Gabbard	0.6	0.8	0.0			
15.	John Hickenlooper	0.4	0.6	0.0			
16.	Jay Inslee	0.3	0.4	0.0			
17.	Wayne Messam	0.2	0.3	0.0			
18.	Seth Moulton	0.0	0.0	0.0			
19.	Tim Ryan	0.1	0.1	0.0			
20.	Bernie Sanders	13.5	15.4	8.4			
21.	Joe Sestak	0.8	1.0	0.0			
22.	Tom Steyer	0.4	0.2	0.8			
23.	Marianne Williamson	0.8	1.1	0.0			
24.	Andrew Yang	0.4	0.5	0.0			
	Total =	554	465	89			

[If Democrat] Please list in order of importance the following characteristics you prefer in a Democratic nominee for president.

	Rank 1	Rank 2	Rank 3	Rank 4	Rank 5
Electability	32.0%	44.2%	6.6%	6.4%	10.8%
Closest to [my] issues	33.3	19.7	19.8	17.1	10.2
Will appeal to independents	11.8	13.1	21.8	35.7	17.7
Will energize the base	10.9	13.1	37.1	21.0	18.0
Aligns with President Obama's	12.0	9.9	14.8	19.9	43.4
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Total = 534

Did you watch all, some, or none of the first Democratic Debate on June 25 and June 26?

		Weighted
1.	I watched all of both debates	17.3%
2.	I watched some of both debates	36.2
3.	I watched none of both debates	46.5

Total = 1,408

Do you plan to watch all, some, or none of the second Democratic Debate on July 30 and July 31?

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<u> </u>	1.	I plan to watch all of both debates	22.8%
2 I plan to watch none of both debates 20.2	2.	I plan to watch some of both debates	37.9
3. I plan to watch hole of both debates 39.3	3.	I plan to watch none of both debates	39.3

Total = 1,409

[If Democrat] Do you believe Julian Castro should or should not drop out of the presidential race?

		Weighted
1.	Should drop out	21.1%
2.	Should not drop out	34.0
3.	Not sure	45.0

Total = 467

[If Democrat & Should Drop Out] Do you believe Julian Castro should run against John Cornyn for Senate?

		Weighted
1.	Yes, he should run against Cornyn	55.9%
2.	No, he should not run	32.5
3.	Not sure	11.7

Total = 117

[If Democrat] Do you believe Beto O'Rourke should or should not drop out of the presidential race?

		Weighted
1.	Should drop out	24.8%
2.	Should not drop out	58.9
3.	Not sure	16.3

Total = 462

[If Democrat & Should Drop] Out Do you believe Beto O'Rourke should run against John Cornyn for Senate?

1. Yes, he should run against Cornyn 73.1% 2. No, he should not run 18.6			Weighted
2. No, he should not run 18.6	1.	Yes, he should run against Cornyn	73.1%
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3. Not sure 8.3	3.	Not sure	8.3

Total = 132

If the general election for president were held today, for whom would you vote?

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Joe Biden	36.9%	78.0%	26.9%	5.5%
2. Donald Trun	np 37.1	5.4	10.7	84.9
3. Neither – Otl	her 12.4	12.7	22.2	5.4
4. Not sure	13.5	3.9	40.2	4.2
Total = 1,413	3	467	325	621

If the general election for president were held today, for whom would you vote?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Elizabeth Warren	40.7%	67.6%	56.7%	4.7%
2.	Donald Trump	38.2	5.7	11.9	86.6
3.	Neither – Other	14.4	19.8	22.2	4.1
4.	Not sure	6.7	7.0	9.2	4.6
	Total = 1,412		467	324	621

If the general election for president were held today, for whom would you vote?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Kamala Harris	39.8%	67.1%	55.9%	3.4%
2.	Donald Trump	38.5	6.1	11.3	87.3
3.	Neither – Other	15.5	20.4	24.6	4.7
4.	Not sure	6.2	6.5	8.2	4.6
	Total = 1,409		466	323	620

If the general election for president were held today, for whom would you vote?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Bernie Sanders	39.2%	81.1%	29.5%	6.7%
2.	Donald Trump	37.3	5.1	11.9	84.6
3.	Neither – Other	11.1	11.6	18.9	5.5
4.	Not sure	12.4	2.3	39.7	3.3
	Total = 1,410		466	325	619

If the general election for president were held today, for whom would you vote?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Pete Buttigieg	33.0%	53.0%	49.9%	2.8%
2.	Donald Trump	38.6	6.5	10.6	87.8
3.	Neither – Other	20.0	30.9	25.3	6.4
4.	Not sure	8.3	9.6	14.2	3.0
	Total = 1,407		465	324	618

If the general election for president were held today, for whom would you vote?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Beto O'Rourke	48.8%	85.3%	60.4%	6.8%
2.	Donald Trump	37.6	5.0	11.9	85.6
3.	Neither – Other	8.3	5.5	19.5	3.4
4.	Not sure	5.3	4.2	8.3	4.3
-	Total = 1,413		466	325	622

In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way President Donald Trump is handling his job as President?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Approve	40.3%	9.3%	17.0%	85.1%
2.	Disapprove	54.5	87.8	73.2	10.8
3.	Don't Know	5.2	2.9	9.8	4.2
	Total = 1,410		466	325	619

In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Senator John Cornyn is handling his job as Senator?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Approve	24.9%	13.8%	13.7%	42.8%
2.	Disapprove	26.9	49.4	22.1	9.1
3.	Don't Know	48.2	37.8	64.1	48.0
	Total = 1,409		464	324	621

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In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Senator Ted Cruz is handling his job as Senator?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Approve	41.3%	20.9%	24.3%	72.1%
2.	Disapprove	44.3	70.7	61.5	8.0
3.	Don't Know	14.3	8.4	14.1	20.0
	Total = 1,412		467	325	620

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

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Approve	51.1%	30.0%	29.9%	85.2%
2.	Disapprove	24.9	47.8	21.2	6.3
3.	Don't Know	23.9	22.2	48.9	8.5
	Total = 1,411		465	325	621

Based on what you have read or heard, do you believe that the House of Representatives should or should not begin impeachment proceedings of President Trump?

		Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1.	Should begin impeachment proceedings	33.0%	66.7%	21.4%	9.4%
2.	Should not begin impeachment proceedings	46.2	16.6	28.0	86.4
3.	Neutral	20.8	16.7	50.6	4.2
· <u> </u>	Total = 1,411		467	325	619

[If Should Begin was selected] Based on what know today, do you believe that President Trump should be impeached?

		Weighted
1.	Should be impeached	94.5%
2.	Should not be impeached	5.0
3.	Neutral	0.5
	Total = 454	_

On a scale of 1 to 5 where 1 means Strongly Support and 5 means Strongly oppose, do you support or oppose expanding Medicare for all Americans?

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
Strongly support	33.9%	55.7%	33.8%	13.6%
Support	20.5	25.2	19.9	16.4
Have a neutral position	25.9	12.9	26.4	37.7
Oppose	8.7	4.2	10.0	12.3
Strongly oppose	11.1	1.9	9.9	20.0
Total = 1,362		452	309	601

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On a scale of 1 to 5 where 1 means Strongly Support and 5 means Strongly oppose, do you support or oppose expanding Medicare and eliminating private insurance plans?

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
Strongly support	18.6%	30.7%	19.4%	7.0%
Support	21.3	24.3	14.6	21.7
Have a neutral position	27.4	24.3	28.8	29.6
Oppose	13.7	12.8	19.8	11.6
Strongly oppose	19.0	7.9	17.4	30.1
Total = 1,351		445	308	598

On a scale of 1 to 5 where 1 means Strongly Support and 5 means Strongly oppose, do you support or oppose expanding Medicare and allowing private insurance plans?

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
Strongly support	19.6%	27.8%	17.4%	12.7%
Support	34.9	36.8	35.2	32.9
Have a neutral position	29.5	24.0	34.8	32.4
Oppose	7.5	5.8	5.9	9.8
Strongly oppose	8.6	5.6	6.6	12.2
Total = 1,332		451	297	584

On a scale of 1 to 5 where 1 means Strongly Support and 5 means Strongly oppose, do you support or oppose repealing the federal law that makes unauthorized border crossings a misdemeanor crime?

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
Strongly support	14.7%	21.6%	10.4	10.2%
Support	14.0	21.3	13.9	7.4
Have a neutral position	38.1	36.3	41.4	38.1
Oppose	12.3	11.3	14.3	12.4
Strongly oppose	21.0	9.5	19.9	31.9
Total = 1,308		431	292	585

Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way migrants attempting to cross the U.S. border are being treated by the U.S. government?

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
Strongly approve	22.5%	9.7%	6.8%	45.1%
Somewhat approve	14.6	12.5	11.3	18.8
Neutral	18.6	16.4	15.3	23.0
Somewhat disapprove	18.8	15.1	43.3	5.5
Strongly disapprove	25.4	46.4	23.4	7.6
Total = 1,392	_	459	320	613

What political party could do a better job dealing with:

	Topic	Dem.	Rep.
1.	Taxes	41.8	58.2
2.	Gun Policy	49.6	50.4
3.	Economy	39.0	61.0
4.	Education	46.0	54.0
5.	Healthcare	47.3	52.8
6.	Trade	41.0	59.0
7.	Foreign Policy	39.8	60.2
8.	Environment	42.2	57.8
9.	Workplace Sexual Harassment	56.7	43.4
10.	Abortion	48.8	51.2
11.	Crime	47.0	53.0
12.	Government Spending	51.2	48.8
13.	Racial Discrimination	39.7	60.3
	Total = 1,379		

Would you say that economic conditions are better or worse today than 5 years ago?

		Weighted
1.	The economy is much worse today	11.9%
2.	The economy is slightly worse today	16.3
3.	The economy is about the same	25.3
4.	The economy is slightly better today	24.6
5.	The economy is much better today	22.0
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Total = 1,359

Demographic Questions

What do you identify as your racial or ethnic background?

	Weighted
White	53.4%
Hispanic or Latino	27.8
Black or African American	14.2
Asian	1.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	1.2
Two or more races	1.6
Not provided	0.6
Total =	1,414

What is the highest level of education you have attained?

	Weighted
Did not finish high school	2.4%
High school graduation, no college	15.9
High school graduation, some college	26.1
Completed Associate's Degree	13.6
Completed Bachelor's Degree	31.8
Completed Bachelor's Degree and some	7.2
Graduate or Professional coursework	
Completed Graduate or Professional Degree	3.1
Total =	1,412

What is your age?

	Weighted
18-29	25.0%
30-44	29.2
45-59	25.8
60-64	6.0
65+	14.0
Total =	1,445

What is your marital status?

	Weighted
Married	53.5%
Divorced/Separated	12.3
Single	34.2

Total = 1,402

How would you best describe your religious affiliation?

	Weighted
Roman Catholic	23.6%
Evangelical Protestant	29.4
Mainline Protestant	12.2
African-American Protestant	4.8
Church of Latter Day Saints	0.9
Jewish	0.5
Other	2.9
Secular/No Religious Affiliation	21.4
Muslim	0.2
Christian – unaffiliated	4.1

Total = 1,413

How frequently do you attend worship services?

	Weighted
Never/hardly ever	34.2%
A few times a year	21.6
Once or twice a month	19.7
Almost every week	10.9
Once a week or more	13.6

Total = 1,412

What is your gender?

	Weighted
Male	51.5%
Female	48.1
Other	0.4
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Total = 1,414

What is your approximate level of household income?

	Weighted
Less than \$30,000	22.1%
\$30,000-\$49,999	17.0
\$50,000-\$74,999	21.7
\$75,000-\$99,999	9.6
\$100,000-\$149,999	12.4
\$150,000-\$199,999	13.1
\$200,000-\$299,999	2.7
\$300,000 or more	1.5

Total = 1,333

In what county are you registered to vote?

	Unweighted	Weighted
East Texas*	27.5%	8.1%
Not East Texas	72.6	91.9
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Total = 1,414

East Texas counties were defined by the list of 38 counties that comprise the East Texas Council of Governments.

Methodology

The UT Tyler-Texas Opinion Survey poll was also conducted using a Dynata of registered voters that opt-in to take surveys. The online panel generated a sample of 1,414 registered voters.

The data were weighted to be representative of Texas adults. The weighting balanced sample demographics to population parameters. The sample is balanced to match parameters for gender, age, race/ethnicity, education, and geographic region using an iterated process known as raking. These parameters were derived from 2016 Current Population Survey Voting and Registration Tables, as well as voter registration information from the Texas Secretary of State's Office. The use of these weights in statistical analysis ensures that the characteristics of the sample closely reflect the characteristics of registered voters in Texas.

In this poll, the sampling error for 1414 registered voters in Texas is +/- 2.6 percentage points at a 95 percent confidence interval.

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