

Common Ground in the Commonwealth Poll

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Q1 2023 Survey of 600 Registered Voters

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Update: An earlier version of these results included transposed labeling for some favorability questions. These have been addressed in the updated version below.

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Field Dates: March 24 – 29, 2023

Margin of Error: ± 4

You have been selected today to participate in a survey of Pennsylvanians on a confidential basis. This is a rare opportunity to voice your opinions, and your responses will be kept confidential. You are not being asked to buy anything or donate money. We simply want to know what you think and how you feel.

- A. Are you, or is anyone in your household, employed by the news media, a market research firm, an elected official, or actively involved with political campaigns?

100% No (**continue**)

- B. Are you currently registered to vote in Pennsylvania?

100% Yes (**continue**)

Commonwealth Sentiment Series:

- NW. Would you say that things in America are going in the right direction, or has the country fundamentally gotten off on the wrong track? (ROTATE 1-2)

RIGHT DIRECTION	123 21%
GOTTEN OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK	434 72%
UNSURE	42 7%

- CW. Would you say that things in Pennsylvania are going in the right direction, or has the state fundamentally gotten off on the wrong track? (ROTATE 1-2)

RIGHT DIRECTION	164 27%
GOTTEN OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK	364 61%
UNSURE	72 12%

AW. (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)... Have you or someone you know thought about leaving Pennsylvania for a different state due to Pennsylvania's policies? (ALLOW MULTIPLE RESPONSES FOR 1-3)

TOTAL YES	266
-----	44%
YES, I HAVE THOUGHT ABOUT LEAVING	168
	28%
YES, SOMEONE I KNOW HAS THOUGHT ABOUT LEAVING	109
	18%
YES, SOMEONE I KNOW HAS LEFT	74
	12%
NO	334
	56%

(IF RESPONSE 1-3: YES, IN PREVIOUS QUESTION (AW), ASK)

AW2. (SELECT UP TO THREE)... What was the primary reason for thinking about moving from Pennsylvania to another state? (RANDOMIZE RESPONSES) (ALLOW FOR 3 RESPONSES)

LOWER COST OF LIVING	138
	52%
BETTER JOBS AND OPPORTUNITIES	102
	38%
LOWER TAXES	96
	36%
ELECTED LEADERS WHO ARE MORE ALIGNED WITH MY PERSONAL VALUES	84
	32%
LESS CRIME AND SAFER COMMUNITIES	70
	26%
LESS INTRUSIVE GOVERNMENT/MORE PERSONAL FREEDOM	68
	26%
MORE SECURE ELECTION PROCESSES	32
	12%
BETTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS	30
	11%
BETTER HEALTH CARE	25
	9%
GREATER EDUCATIONAL CHOICES	20
	7%
OTHER	18
	7%
UNSURE	6
	2%

(IF RESPONSE 1-3: YES, IN QUESTION AW, ASK)

AW3. Is there another state you would relocate to if you could? If so, please list (up to 3) from the drop-down menu. **(ALLOW FOR 3 RESPONSES ON RESPONSE 1)**

YES, I WOULD RELOCATE 163
61%

CONSIDERED LEAVING BUT
HAVEN'T CONSIDERED FUTURE 78
LOCATIONS 29%

OTHER 3
1%

UNSURE 21
8%

...

FLORIDA	69 26%	HAWAII	5 2%	CONNECTICUT	2 1%
TEXAS	30 11%	MAINE	5 2%	DIST. OF COLUMBIA	2 1%
SOUTH CAROLINA	27 10%	VIRGINIA	5 2%	MICHIGAN	2 1%
NORTH CAROLINA	24 9%	MISSISSIPPI	4 2%	NEW HAMPSHIRE	2 1%
ARIZONA	19 7%	WYOMING	4 2%	PENNSYLVANIA	2 1%
COLORADO	17 6%	MASSACHUSETTS	4 2%	INDIANA	2 1%
NEW YORK	15 6%	VERMONT	4 2%	MISSOURI	2 1%
NEW JERSEY	14 5%	SOUTH DAKOTA	4 2%	RHODE ISLAND	1 *
GEORGIA	14 5%	ALASKA	4 1%	ALABAMA	1 *
MONTANA	13 5%	WASHINGTON	4 1%	ILLINOIS	1 *
MARYLAND	13 5%	IOWA	3 1%	OKLAHOMA	1 *
TENNESSEE	12 5%	KENTUCKY	3 1%	UTAH	1 *
CALIFORNIA	12 4%	WISCONSIN	3 1%	OTHER	1 *
OHIO	11 4%	DON'T KNOW	3 1%		
WEST VIRGINIA	11 4%	NEBRASKA	3 1%		
DELAWARE	9 3%	ARKANSAS	3 1%		
OREGON	6 2%	NEVADA	3 1%		
		LOUISIANA	2 1%		

(ASK ALL)

DW. Please rank the three most important problems facing the country today, with 1 being the most important problem facing the country.

RANK 1		RANK 2		RANK 3	
INFLATION/COST OF LIVING	141 24%	INFLATION/COST OF LIVING	67 11%	INFLATION/COST OF LIVING	67 11%
U.S. ECONOMY (GENERAL)	70 12%	U.S. ECONOMY (GENERAL)	61 10%	CRIME/RISING VIOLENCE	49 8%
IMMIGRATION/BORDER SECURITY	38 6%	CRIME/RISING VIOLENCE	59 10%	U.S. ECONOMY (GENERAL)	45 7%
CRIME/RISING VIOLENCE	38 6%	IMMIGRATION/BORDER SECURITY	41 7%	GUN RIGHTS/GUN CONTROL	43 7%
GUN RIGHTS/GUN CONTROL	36 6%	GUN RIGHTS/GUN CONTROL	38 6%	IMMIGRATION/BORDER SECURITY	38 6%
GOVERNMENT/LACK OF LEADERSHIP	35 6%	RETIREMENT SECURITY/SOCIAL SECURITY/MEDICARE	32 5%	GOVERNMENT/LACK OF LEADERSHIP	30 5%
DIVIDED COUNTRY/LACK OF TOLERANCE	21 4%	HEALTH CARE	30 5%	HEALTH CARE	29 5%
ABORTION	20 3%	GOVERNMENT/LACK OF LEADERSHIP	25 4%	FEDERAL DEFICIT/DEBT	27 4%
MORAL DECLINE/U.S. UNREST	20 3%	POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS	21 3%	MORAL DECLINE/U.S. UNREST	26 4%
ENVIRONMENT	18 3%	MORAL DECLINE/U.S. UNREST	20 3%	RACIAL ISSUES	24 4%
HEALTH CARE	17 3%	FEDERAL DEFICIT/DEBT	18 3%	ENVIRONMENT	24 4%
TAXES	17 3%	ABORTION	17 3%	DIVIDED COUNTRY/LACK OF TOLERANCE	23 4%
RETIREMENT SECURITY/SOCIAL SECURITY/MEDICARE	15 3%	WAGES/SALARY/PAY INEQUALITY	17 3%	RETIREMENT SECURITY/SOCIAL SECURITY/MEDICARE	20 3%
RACIAL ISSUES	13 2%	EDUCATION	17 3%	TAXES	17 3%
NATIONAL SECURITY	13 2%	TAXES	16 3%	NATIONAL SECURITY	16 3%
LACK OF MONEY	12 2%	LACK OF MONEY	15 3%	WAGES/SALARY/PAY INEQUALITY	14 2%
JOBS/UNEMPLOYMENT	11 2%	DIVIDED COUNTRY/LACK OF TOLERANCE	15 2%	ABORTION	14 2%
WAGES/SALARY/PAY INEQUALITY	11 2%	RACIAL ISSUES	14 2%	FOREIGN AFFAIRS/INTERNATIONAL ISSUES/WARS	13 2%
POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS	9 2%	JOBS/UNEMPLOYMENT	13 2%	POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS	13 2%
COURTS & JUDICIAL SYSTEMS	9 2%	ENVIRONMENT	13 2%	LACK OF MONEY	13 2%
EDUCATION	9 1%	COURTS & JUDICIAL SYSTEMS	9 2%	ELECTION REFORMS/INTEGRITY	12 2%
FOREIGN AFFAIRS/INTERNATIONAL ISSUES/WARS	8 1%	ELECTION REFORMS/INTEGRITY	8 1%	JOBS/UNEMPLOYMENT	11 2%
FEDERAL DEFICIT/DEBT	5 1%	POLICE REFORM	8 1%	COVID/PANDEMICS	11 2%
COVID/PANDEMICS	4 1%	NATIONAL SECURITY	8 1%	BANKING CRISIS	7 1%
ELECTION REFORMS/INTEGRITY	4 1%	FOREIGN AFFAIRS/INTERNATIONAL ISSUES/WARS	6 1%	EDUCATION	6 1%
BANKING CRISIS	4 1%	BANKING CRISIS	6 1%	OTHER	3 *
OTHER	1 *	COVID/PANDEMICS	2 *	POLICE REFORM	2 *
POLICE REFORM	--	OTHER	1 *	COURTS & JUDICIAL SYSTEMS	2 *
UNSURE	--	UNSURE	--	UNSURE	--

EW. Please rank the three most important problems facing Pennsylvania today, with 1 being the most important problem facing the state.

RANK 1		RANK 2		RANK 3	
INFLATION/COST OF LIVING	140 23%	INFLATION/COST OF LIVING	87 14%	INFLATION/COST OF LIVING	79 13%
CRIME/RISING VIOLENCE	72 12%	CRIME/RISING VIOLENCE	62 10%	CRIME/RISING VIOLENCE	53 9%
PA ECONOMY (GENERAL)	52 9%	TAXES	53 9%	PA ECONOMY (GENERAL)	44 7%
GUN RIGHTS/GUN CONTROL	36 6%	PA ECONOMY (GENERAL)	45 7%	HEALTH CARE	36 6%
TAXES	35 6%	WAGES/SALARY/PAY INEQUALITY	31 5%	POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS	34 6%
GOVERNMENT/LACK OF LEADERSHIP	30 5%	HEALTH CARE	30 5%	JOBS/UNEMPLOYMENT	30 5%
JOBS/UNEMPLOYMENT	23 4%	GUN RIGHTS/GUN CONTROL	29 5%	TAXES	30 5%
WAGES/SALARY/PAY INEQUALITY	22 4%	GOVERNMENT/LACK OF LEADERSHIP	26 4%	WAGES/SALARY/PAY INEQUALITY	27 5%
HEALTH CARE	21 4%	POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS	26 4%	FAILING SCHOOLS	26 4%
ELECTION REFORMS/ INTEGRITY	17 3%	EDUCATION	22 4%	GOVERNMENT/LACK OF LEADERSHIP	23 4%
EDUCATION	16 3%	MORAL DECLINE	21 4%	IMMIGRATION	22 4%
FAILING SCHOOLS	14 2%	JOBS/UNEMPLOYMENT	20 3%	GUN RIGHTS/GUN CONTROL	21 4%
LACK OF MONEY	14 2%	LACK OF MONEY	19 3%	LACK OF MONEY	20 3%
POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS	13 2%	IMMIGRATION	19 3%	STATE SPENDING/DEBT	20 3%
MORAL DECLINE	13 2%	FAILING SCHOOLS	15 3%	MORAL DECLINE	19 3%
IMMIGRATION	12 2%	STATE SPENDING/DEBT	13 2%	ELECTION REFORMS/ INTEGRITY	16 3%
RACIAL ISSUES	11 2%	ELECTION REFORMS/ INTEGRITY	11 2%	EDUCATION	15 2%
ENVIRONMENT	9 2%	RACIAL ISSUES	11 2%	ENVIRONMENT	14 2%
COURTS & JUDICIAL SYSTEMS	8 1%	ABORTION	10 2%	RACIAL ISSUES	13 2%
STATE SPENDING/DEBT	8 1%	ENVIRONMENT	10 2%	ABORTION	12 2%
ABORTION	7 1%	POLICE REFORM	9 1%	COURTS & JUDICIAL SYSTEMS	11 2%
COVID/PANDEMICS	6 1%	COVID/PANDEMICS	9 1%	ENERGY	11 2%
FREE SPEECH	5 1%	ENERGY	8 1%	POLICE REFORM	8 1%
ENERGY	5 1%	COURTS & JUDICIAL SYSTEMS	6 1%	WELFARE	6 1%
POLICE REFORM	4 1%	WELFARE	6 1%	COVID/PANDEMICS	5 1%
OTHER	4 1%	FREE SPEECH	4 1%	OTHER	3 *
WELFARE	2 *	OTHER	1 *	FREE SPEECH	1 *
UNSURE	- --	UNSURE	- --	UNSURE	- --

Pennsylvania Policy & Elected Official Series:

BC. Which of the following do you think would be the best candidate to represent you and your neighbors in Congress? **(RANDOMIZE)**

A REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE	245 41%
AN INDEPENDENT OR THIRD-PARTY CANDIDATE	61 10%
A DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE	242 40%
UNSURE	53 9%

You will now read a list of governmental entities. After each, please indicate how closely you follow each entity's activities. If you don't know or haven't heard of the entity, please note that. **(RANDOMIZE QUESTIONS IN SERIES)**

EO1. Your local government

TOTAL CLOSELY -----	367 61%
TOTAL NOT CLOSELY -----	231 39%
VERY CLOSELY	99 16%
SOMEWHAT CLOSELY	269 45%
NOT THAT CLOSELY	193 32%
NOT AT ALL	38 6%
NEVER HEARD OF	1 *
UNSURE	1 *

EO2. The state government in Harrisburg

TOTAL CLOSELY -----	339 57%
TOTAL NOT CLOSELY -----	250 42%
VERY CLOSELY	79 13%
SOMEWHAT CLOSELY	261 43%
NOT THAT CLOSELY	195 32%
NOT AT ALL	55 9%
NEVER HEARD OF	6 1%
UNSURE	5 1%

EO3. The federal government in Washington, D.C.

TOTAL CLOSELY	454
-----	76%
TOTAL NOT CLOSELY	139
-----	23%
VERY CLOSELY	172
	29%
SOMEWHAT CLOSELY	282
	47%
NOT THAT CLOSELY	110
	18%
NOT AT ALL	29
	5%
NEVER HEARD OF	5
	1%
UNSURE	2
	*

GA. Do you (ROTATE) approve or disapprove (END ROTATE) of the job Governor Josh Shapiro is doing?
(ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL APPROVE	323
-----	54%
TOTAL DISAPPROVE	185
-----	31%
STRONGLY APPROVE	124
	21%
SOMEWHAT APPROVE	199
	33%
SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE	101
	17%
STRONGLY DISAPPROVE	84
	14%
UNSURE	91
	15%

You will now read a list of key officials and institutions in Pennsylvania. After each, please indicate if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion if each. If you don't know or haven't heard of the entity, please note that.
(ROTATE 1-4,4-1) **(RANDOMIZE QUESTIONS IN SERIES)**

EO4. Governor Josh Shapiro

TOTAL FAVORABLE	337
-----	56%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	194
-----	32%
VERY FAVORABLE	155
	26%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	181
	30%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	97
	16%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	97
	16%
NEVER HEARD OF	7
	1%
UNSURE	62
	10%

EO5. Lt. Governor Austin Davis

TOTAL FAVORABLE	169
-----	28%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	132
-----	22%
VERY FAVORABLE	57
	9%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	113
	19%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	74
	12%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	57
	10%
NEVER HEARD OF	175
	29%
UNSURE	124
	21%

EO6. PA House Speaker Joanna McCClinton

TOTAL FAVORABLE	147
-----	24%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	123
-----	20%
VERY FAVORABLE	41
	7%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	106
	18%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	77
	13%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	45
	8%
NEVER HEARD OF	170
	28%
UNSURE	161
	27%

EO7. Former PA House Speaker Mark Rozzi

TOTAL FAVORABLE	117
-----	19%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	142
-----	24%
VERY FAVORABLE	24
	4%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	93
	15%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	92
	15%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	50
	8%
NEVER HEARD OF	168
	28%
UNSURE	173
	29%

EO8. PA Senate President Kim Ward

TOTAL FAVORABLE	134
-----	22%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	125
-----	21%
VERY FAVORABLE	27
	5%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	107
	18%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	83
	14%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	42
	7%
NEVER HEARD OF	191
	32%
UNSURE	150
	25%

EO9. PA State House

TOTAL FAVORABLE	245
-----	41%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	215
-----	36%
VERY FAVORABLE	40
	7%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	206
	34%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	161
	27%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	54
	9%
NEVER HEARD OF	23
	4%
UNSURE	117
	20%

EO10. PA State Senate

TOTAL FAVORABLE	230
-----	38%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	232
-----	39%
VERY FAVORABLE	37
	6%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	193
	32%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	165
	27%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	67
	11%
NEVER HEARD OF	14
	2%
UNSURE	124
	21%

EO11. State Supreme Court

TOTAL FAVORABLE	236
-----	39%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	218
-----	36%
VERY FAVORABLE	55
	9%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	181
	30%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	156
	26%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	62
	10%
NEVER HEARD OF	18
	3%
UNSURE	128
	21%

EO12. Philadelphia District Attorney Larry Krasner

TOTAL FAVORABLE	106
-----	18%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	214
-----	36%
VERY FAVORABLE	33
	5%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	74
	12%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	86
	14%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	127
	21%
NEVER HEARD OF	155
	26%
UNSURE	125
	21%

EO13. Philadelphia Mayor Jim Kenney

TOTAL FAVORABLE	114
-----	19%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	238
-----	40%
VERY FAVORABLE	28
	5%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	86
	14%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	88
	15%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	150
	25%
NEVER HEARD OF	137
	23%
UNSURE	111
	19%

EO14. Acting Attorney General Michelle Henry

TOTAL FAVORABLE	128
-----	21%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	124
-----	21%
VERY FAVORABLE	32
	5%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	96
	16%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	76
	13%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	48
	8%
NEVER HEARD OF	190
	32%
UNSURE	158
	26%

EO15. Auditor General Tim DeFoor

TOTAL FAVORABLE	105
-----	18%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	127
-----	21%
VERY FAVORABLE	22
	4%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	83
	14%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	79
	13%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	48
	8%
NEVER HEARD OF	210
	35%
UNSURE	157
	26%

EO16. Treasurer Stacy Garrity

TOTAL FAVORABLE	149
-----	25%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	121
-----	20%
VERY FAVORABLE	26
	4%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	123
	20%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	66
	11%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	56
	9%
NEVER HEARD OF	173
	29%
UNSURE	156
	26%

EO17. Philadelphia Phillies

TOTAL FAVORABLE	401
-----	67%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	110
-----	18%
VERY FAVORABLE	206
	34%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	195
	32%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	63
	10%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	47
	8%
NEVER HEARD OF	14
	2%
UNSURE	75
	13%

EO18. Pittsburgh Pirates

TOTAL FAVORABLE	314
-----	52%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	186
-----	31%
VERY FAVORABLE	102
	17%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	212
	35%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	115
	19%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	70
	12%
NEVER HEARD OF	23
	4%
UNSURE	77
	13%

PASEN. (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)... Please select the following individuals you would like to see run for U.S. Senate in 2024. **(RANDOMIZE 1-8) (ALLOW FOR MULTIPLE RESPONSES UNLESS 10-11)**

TOM WOLF	183
	30%
BOB CASEY JR.	170
	28%
DOUG MASTRIANO	123
	20%
MEHMET OZ	109
	18%
DAVID MCCORMICK	94
	16%
UNSURE	89
	15%
CONOR LAMB	88
	15%
NONE OF THE ABOVE	66
	11%
STACY GARRITY	40
	7%
CARLA SANDS	28
	5%
OTHER	17
	3%

State Policy Series:

State lawmakers in Harrisburg are proposing a number of amendments to the Pennsylvania Constitution that, if passed by the General Assembly, would go before voters in a ballot referendum that voters can vote yes or no on.

After each of the following amendments, please indicate if you would vote yes or no for the amendment.

(ROTATE 1-4,4-1) (RANDOMIZE QUESTIONS IN SERIES)

SP. Would you vote “yes” or “no” on an amendment modernizing Pennsylvania election laws to require voter identification?

TOTAL YES	461
-----	77%
TOTAL NO	100
-----	17%
STRONGLY YES	289
	48%
SOMEWHAT YES	172
	29%
SOMEWHAT NO	56
	9%
STRONGLY NO	44
	7%
UNSURE	39
	6%

SQ. Would you vote “yes” or “no” on an amendment that prevents unelected bureaucrats from making significant and costly policy changes without input from your directly elected representatives?

TOTAL YES	419
-----	70%
TOTAL NO	129
-----	21%
STRONGLY YES	270
	45%
SOMEWHAT YES	148
	25%
SOMEWHAT NO	53
	9%
STRONGLY NO	75
	13%
UNSURE	53
	9%

SR. Would you vote “yes” or “no” on an amendment that would allow individuals for whom a statutory limitation period has already expired to have a period of two years to commence lawsuits arising from childhood sexual abuse?

TOTAL YES	379
-----	63%
TOTAL NO	127
-----	21%
STRONGLY YES	211
	35%
SOMEWHAT YES	169
	28%
SOMEWHAT NO	71
	12%
STRONGLY NO	56
	9%
UNSURE	94
	16%

SA. Which of the following statements comes closest to your own opinion about the process to amend the state constitution?

(ROTATE STATEMENTS)

Statement A: Amending the state constitution erodes checks and balances because it doesn't require the governor's signature.

Statement B: Amending the state constitution provides ample checks and balances because it puts proposed amendments directly to voters.

TOTAL A	157
-----	26%
TOTAL B	357
-----	59%
STRONGLY STATEMENT A	66
	11%
SOMEWHAT STATEMENT A	91
	15%
SOMEWHAT STATEMENT B	203
	34%
STRONGLY STATEMENT B	154
	26%
UNSURE	86
	14%

You will now read a list of bipartisan measures supported by Governor Shapiro during his campaign. After each, please indicate if you support or oppose Governor Shapiro and lawmakers in Harrisburg working across the aisle to enact these measures in 2023.

(ROTATE 1-4,4-1) (RANDOMIZE QUESTIONS IN SERIES)

- ET. Expanding tax credit scholarships, which allow businesses to donate money to nonprofit organizations that provide scholarships to low-income and middle-income children in Pennsylvania to attend pre-kindergarten or K-12 private school.

TOTAL SUPPORT	463
-----	77%
TOTAL OPPOSE	84
-----	14%
STRONGLY SUPPORT	224
	37%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT	239
	40%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE	55
	9%
STRONGLY OPPOSE	29
	5%
UNSURE	52
	9%

- LS. Lifeline Scholarships for students in the worst performing schools - bottom 15% - allowing parents to use government-funded education opportunity accounts for restricted educational expenses, including tuition, tutoring, online education programs, and therapies for students with special needs.

TOTAL SUPPORT	402
-----	67%
TOTAL OPPOSE	124
-----	21%
STRONGLY SUPPORT	182
	30%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT	219
	37%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE	69
	11%
STRONGLY OPPOSE	55
	9%
UNSURE	74
	12%

- LP. Lowering Pennsylvania's tax rate on businesses to 4% by 2025 to spur economic growth by attracting new companies to the state and encouraging existing businesses to remain in Pennsylvania.

TOTAL SUPPORT	461
-----	77%
TOTAL OPPOSE	92
-----	15%
STRONGLY SUPPORT	249
	41%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT	212
	35%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE	68
	11%
STRONGLY OPPOSE	24
	4%
UNSURE	48
	8%

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- EA. Expanding access to telemedicine, providing Pennsylvanians with increased access to affordable health care.

TOTAL SUPPORT	497
-----	83%
TOTAL OPPOSE	62
-----	10%
STRONGLY SUPPORT	308
	51%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT	189
	32%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE	43
	7%
STRONGLY OPPOSE	19
	3%
UNSURE	40
	7%

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- AC. Addressing and resolving concerns about new carbon taxes that would increase families' electric utility bills.

TOTAL SUPPORT	314
-----	52%
TOTAL OPPOSE	218
-----	36%
STRONGLY SUPPORT	176
	29%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT	138
	23%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE	84
	14%
STRONGLY OPPOSE	134
	22%
UNSURE	68
	11%

SU. Speeding up the process for businesses and individuals to obtain state-issued professional licenses, permits, or certifications - and holding government bureaucrats accountable for delays.

TOTAL SUPPORT	514
-----	86%
TOTAL OPPOSE	48
-----	8%
STRONGLY SUPPORT	261
	43%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT	254
	42%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE	32
	5%
STRONGLY OPPOSE	16
	3%
UNSURE	38
	6%

SB. Which of the following statements come closest to your own opinion about the role of state government?

(ROTATE STATEMENTS)

Statement A: The state government is trying to do too many things that should be left to individuals, community organizations, and businesses.

Statement B: The government should do more to solve our state's problems.

TOTAL A	262
-----	44%
TOTAL B	283
-----	47%
STRONGLY STATEMENT A	136
	23%
SOMEWHAT STATEMENT A	126
	21%
SOMEWHAT STATEMENT B	165
	28%
STRONGLY STATEMENT B	118
	20%
UNSURE	55
	9%

SPB1. Thinking about Pennsylvania's state government... How well do you believe Pennsylvania's state government functions compared to other states? (ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP)

TOTAL BEST	116
-----	19%
TOTAL WORST	196
-----	33%
AMONG THE BEST STATES	15
	2%
BETTER THAN AVERAGE	101
	17%
ABOUT AVERAGE	245
	41%
WORSE THAN AVERAGE	137
	23%
AMONG THE WORST STATES	58
	10%
UNSURE	44
	7%

Federal Policy Series:

Now, thinking for a moment about the federal government...

GENB. If the 2024 Presidential elections were held today, how would you vote if your options were between a (ROTATE) Republican or Democratic (END ROTATE) candidate? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL REPUBLICAN	267
-----	44%
TOTAL DEMOCRAT	287
-----	48%
STRONGLY REPUBLICAN	188
	31%
SOMEWHAT REPUBLICAN	79
	13%
SOMEWHAT DEMOCRATIC	85
	14%
STRONGLY DEMOCRATIC	202
	34%
UNSURE	46
	8%

PA. Do you (ROTATE) approve or disapprove (END ROTATE) of the job President Joe Biden is doing?
(ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL APPROVE	240
-----	40%
TOTAL DISAPPROVE	348
-----	58%
STRONGLY APPROVE	95
	16%
SOMEWHAT APPROVE	146
	24%
SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE	91
	15%
STRONGLY DISAPPROVE	257
	43%
UNSURE	12
	2%

You will now read a list of key federal officials and institutions. After each, please indicate if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each. If you don't know or haven't heard of the entity, please note that.

(ROTATE 1-4,4-1) (RANDOMIZE QUESTIONS IN SERIES)

FP1. President Joe Biden

TOTAL FAVORABLE	236
-----	39%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	349
-----	58%
VERY FAVORABLE	115
	19%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	121
	20%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	93
	16%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	256
	43%
NEVER HEARD OF	6
	1%
UNSURE	9
	1%

FP2. Vice President Kamala Harris

TOTAL FAVORABLE	233
-----	39%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	342
-----	57%
VERY FAVORABLE	107
	18%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	126
	21%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	79
	13%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	263
	44%
NEVER HEARD OF	2
	*
UNSURE	23
	4%

FP3. U.S. Senator John Fetterman

TOTAL FAVORABLE	274
-----	46%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	278
-----	46%
VERY FAVORABLE	112
	19%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	162
	27%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	66
	11%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	211
	35%
NEVER HEARD OF	2
	*
UNSURE	46
	8%

FP4. U.S. Senator Bob Casey

TOTAL FAVORABLE	285
-----	48%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	207
-----	35%
VERY FAVORABLE	96
	16%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	190
	32%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	99
	16%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	108
	18%
NEVER HEARD OF	25
	4%
UNSURE	82
	14%

FP5. U.S. House Speaker Kevin McCarthy

TOTAL FAVORABLE	197
-----	33%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	263
-----	44%
VERY FAVORABLE	76
	13%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	121
	20%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	107
	18%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	156
	26%
NEVER HEARD OF	46
	8%
UNSURE	95
	16%

FP6. U.S. House Minority Leader Hakeem Jeffries

TOTAL FAVORABLE	170
-----	28%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	178
-----	30%
VERY FAVORABLE	67
	11%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	103
	17%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	76
	13%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	102
	17%
NEVER HEARD OF	121
	20%
UNSURE	131
	22%

FP7. U.S. Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell

TOTAL FAVORABLE	135
-----	23%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	362
-----	60%
VERY FAVORABLE	27
	5%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	108
	18%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	133
	22%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	229
	38%
NEVER HEARD OF	24
	4%
UNSURE	79
	13%

FP8. U.S. Senate Majority Leader Chuck Schumer

TOTAL FAVORABLE	197
-----	33%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	269
-----	45%
VERY FAVORABLE	58
	10%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	139
	23%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	84
	14%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	184
	31%
NEVER HEARD OF	44
	7%
UNSURE	90
	15%

FP9. U.S. House of Representatives

TOTAL FAVORABLE	234
-----	39%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	283
-----	47%
VERY FAVORABLE	47
	8%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	187
	31%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	178
	30%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	105
	17%
NEVER HEARD OF	1
	*
UNSURE	82
	14%

FP10. U.S. Senate

TOTAL FAVORABLE	218
-----	36%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	299
-----	50%
VERY FAVORABLE	35
	6%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	183
	31%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	199
	33%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	100
	17%
NEVER HEARD OF	1
	*
UNSURE	82
	14%

FP11. U.S. Supreme Court

TOTAL FAVORABLE	257
-----	43%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	286
-----	48%
VERY FAVORABLE	67
	11%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	190
	32%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	169
	28%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	117
	19%
NEVER HEARD OF	1
	*
UNSURE	57
	9%

FP12. The Republican Party

TOTAL FAVORABLE	242
-----	40%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	342
-----	57%
VERY FAVORABLE	88
	15%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	154
	26%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	110
	18%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	231
	39%
NEVER HEARD OF	3
	1%
UNSURE	13
	2%

FP13. The Democratic Party

TOTAL FAVORABLE	262
-----	44%
TOTAL NOT FAVORABLE	319
-----	53%
VERY FAVORABLE	112
	19%
SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	150
	25%
SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	104
	17%
VERY UNFAVORABLE	214
	36%
NEVER HEARD OF	3
	1%
UNSURE	16
	3%

PAPR. (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)... Please select the following individuals you would like to see run for president in 2024. (RANDOMIZE 1-23) (ALLOW FOR MULTIPLE RESPONSES UNLESS 25-26)

DONALD TRUMP	206 34%	CHRIS CHRISTIE	33 5%
RON DESANTIS	159 26%	UNSURE	30 5%
JOE BIDEN	143 24%	KRISTI NOEM	29 5%
JOSH SHAPIRO	120 20%	OTHER	22 4%
MIKE PENCE	110 18%	NONE OF THE ABOVE	20 3%
KAMALA HARRIS	109 18%	MARIANNE WILLIAMSON	17 3%
BERNIE SANDERS	99 16%	VIVEK RAMASWAMY	16 3%
HILLARY CLINTON	84 14%	CHRIS SUNUNU	14 2%
PETE BUTTIGIEG	73 12%	JOHN BOLTON	9 1%
NIKKI HALEY	73 12%		
ELIZABETH WARREN	72 12%		
LIZ CHENEY	63 10%		
AMY KLOBUCHAR	58 10%		
ALEXANDRIA OCASIO-CORTEZ	51 9%		
TIM SCOTT	46 8%		
MIKE POMPEO	40 7%		
GAVIN NEWSOM	37 6%		

FP. Do you think the federal government today has (ROTATE) too much power, about the right amount of power, too little power (END ROTATE)?

TOO MUCH POWER	352 59%
ABOUT THE RIGHT AMOUNT OF POWER	177 30%
TOO LITTLE POWER	27 4%
UNSURE	44 7%

Jobs & The Economy Series:

Moving on to your opinions about jobs and the economy...

EGEN. Which political party's policies do you think are better for the economy? (ROTATE 1-2)

REPUBLICAN	273 45%
DEMOCRAT	234 39%
OTHER	25 4%
UNSURE	68 11%

JE. Would you say that you and your family are financially (ROTATE) better off, about the same, worse off (END ROTATE) as you were two years ago?

BETTER OFF	59 10%
ABOUT THE SAME	222 37%
WORSE OFF	318 53%
UNSURE	2 ★

EC. How would you rate the economic conditions in Pennsylvania today? (ROTATE 1-4, 4-1)

TOTAL GOOD -----	144 24%
TOTAL POOR -----	428 71%
EXCELLENT	10 2%
GOOD	134 22%
NOT SO GOOD	286 48%
POOR	142 24%
UNSURE	28 5%

EC2. Currently, do you think economic conditions in Pennsylvania are getting (ROTATE) better or worse (END ROTATE) for you personally? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL BETTER -----	144 24%
TOTAL WORSE -----	388 65%
MUCH BETTER	18 3%
SOMEWHAT BETTER	126 21%
SOMEWHAT WORSE	255 43%
MUCH WORSE	133 22%
UNSURE	68 11%

IC. How much has inflation and recent price increases impacted you or your household's ability to maintain your standard of living? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL IMPACT -----	429 72%
TOTAL NOT IMPACT -----	164 27%
A GREAT DEAL	240 40%
A FAIR AMOUNT	189 31%
ONLY A LITTLE	134 22%
NOT AT ALL	31 5%
UNSURE	7 1%

RG. Do you (ROTATE) agree or disagree (END ROTATE) with the following statement: The federal tax code is rigged with loopholes and complex regulations that only benefit the politically well-connected and people who can afford accountants and tax lawyers. (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL AGREE	505
-----	84%
TOTAL DISAGREE	47
-----	8%
STRONGLY AGREE	270
	45%
SOMEWHAT AGREE	235
	39%
SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	39
	6%
STRONGLY DISAGREE	8
	1%
UNSURE	48
	8%

FT. Would you say that the amount of state and federal taxes that are taken from your paycheck is (ROTATE) too high, currently at the right level, too low (END ROTATE)?

TOO HIGH	407
	68%
CURRENTLY AT THE RIGHT LEVEL	123
	20%
TOO LOW	8
	1%
UNSURE	62
	10%

TB. Would you say that compared to other states, Pennsylvania taxes are (ROTATE) too high, about average, too low (END ROTATE)?

TOO HIGH	317
	53%
ABOUT AVERAGE	214
	36%
TOO LOW	9
	2%
UNSURE	60
	10%

(IF RESPONSE 1: Too high; or 2: About Average IN PREVIOUS QUESTION, ASK)

TB2. Has Pennsylvania's high tax burden led you to consider moving to another state? (ROTATE 1-2,2-1)

YES	187 35%
NO	282 53%
UNSURE	62 12%

(ASK ALL)

WO. On average, Americans must work nearly four months a year to earn enough to pay their annual tax obligations. Do you feel that you (ROTATE) should spend less time working to meet tax obligations, spend an appropriate amount of time working to meet tax obligations, should spend more time working to meet tax obligations? (END ROTATE)

SHOULD SPEND LESS TIME WORKING TO MEET TAX OBLIGATIONS	317 53%
SPEND AN APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF TIME WORKING TO MEET TAX OBLIGATIONS	177 30%
SHOULD SPEND MORE TIME WORKING TO MEET TAX OBLIGATIONS	47 8%
UNSURE	59 10%

JS. Thinking about the job situation in Pennsylvania today, would you say that it is now a (ROTATE) good time or a bad time (END ROTATE) to find a quality job?

GOOD TIME TO FIND A JOB	269 45%
BAD TIME TO FIND A JOB	211 35%
UNSURE	119 20%

PB. Do you think the state of Pennsylvania is (ROTATE) worse for businesses than it was 10 years ago, about the same for businesses than it was 10 years ago, better for businesses than it was 10 years ago? (END ROTATE)

WORSE FOR BUSINESSES THAN IT WAS 10 YEARS AGO	302 50%
ABOUT THE SAME FOR BUSINESSES THAN IT WAS 10 YEARS AGO	149 25%
BETTER FOR BUSINESSES THAN IT WAS 10 YEARS AGO	65 11%
UNSURE	83 14%

PE. Thinking a moment about Pennsylvania's state economy... How would you rank Pennsylvania's economic conditions compared to other states? **(ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP)**

TOTAL BEST	75
-----	13%
TOTAL WORST	238
-----	40%
AMONG THE BEST STATES	10
	2%
BETTER THAN AVERAGE	66
	11%
ABOUT AVERAGE	243
	40%
WORSE THAN AVERAGE	177
	30%
AMONG THE WORST STATES	60
	10%
UNSURE	44
	7%

PEC. Which, if any, of the following states do you believe have a better economic outlook than Pennsylvania? **(SELECT ALL THAT APPLY) (RANDOMIZE 1-14) (ALLOW FOR MULTIPLE RESPONSES UNLESS 15-17)**

FLORIDA	212
	35%
UNSURE	167
	28%
TEXAS	150
	25%
NORTH CAROLINA	109
	18%
SOUTH CAROLINA	99
	17%
DELAWARE	91
	15%
NEW YORK	86
	14%
MARYLAND	81
	14%
VIRGINIA	73
	12%
OHIO	71
	12%
CALIFORNIA	67
	11%
NEW JERSEY	60
	10%
CONNECTICUT	55
	9%
WEST VIRGINIA	39
	7%
MICHIGAN	30
	5%
ALL OF THE ABOVE	18
	3%
NONE OF THE ABOVE	18
	3%

Educational Systems Series:

Now, thinking a moment about the educational systems in Pennsylvania...

ES. How would you grade the quality of Pennsylvania's K-12 school system?

A	24 4%
B	127 21%
C	225 37%
D	114 19%
F	61 10%
UNSURE	49 8%

(IF RESPONSE 2-6 IN PREVIOUS QUESTION, ASK)

PAED. What, if any, would you say are reasons you are dissatisfied with the quality of education that students in Pennsylvania receive? (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)... **(RANDOMIZE RESPONSES 1-16) (ALLOW FOR MULTIPLE RESPONSES UNLESS 18-19) (ALLOW OPEN ENDED ON 17)**

NOT LEARNING LIFE SKILLS	260 45%		
LACK OF RESOURCES, OR RESOURCES NOT BEING EFFECTIVELY ADMINISTERED	218 38%		
LACK OF TEACHING BASICS/ READING/Writing/ ARITHMETIC	214 37%		
LEARNING LOSS FROM COVID SHUTDOWNS	212 37%		
TOO MUCH EMPHASIS ON STANDARDIZED TESTING/ GRADES	205 36%		
STUDENT SAFETY CONCERNS	204 35%		
POOR ADMINISTRATION	178 31%		
MORE INVOLVEMENT OR INPUT NEEDED FROM PARENTS	169 29%		
POLITICAL AGENDAS BEING TAUGHT	168 29%		
UNEQUAL ACCESS/ OPPORTUNITIES FOR LOW-INCOME STUDENTS	161 28%		
POOR/OUTDATED CURRICULUM	161 28%		
QUALITY OF EDUCATION IS POOR/OUTRANKED BY OTHER STATES	153 27%		
TOO MUCH GOVERNMENT INTERFERENCE	151 26%		
NOT UP TO COMPETITIVE STANDARDS	129 22%	I AM NOT DISSATISFIED WITH THE QUALITY OF EDUCATION STUDENTS IN PENNSYLVANIA RECEIVE	27 5%
PARENTS LACK EDUCATIONAL OPTIONS FOR CHILDREN	116 20%		
OUTDATED APPROACH/LACK OF INNOVATION	104 18%	UNSURE	19 3%

(ASK ALL)

US. Do you (ROTATE) agree or disagree (END ROTATE) with the following statement: Pennsylvania has arbitrary school district boundaries that traditionally force underprivileged students into under-performing schools. All kids should have access to the best public schools, regardless of location. (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL AGREE	461
-----	77%
TOTAL DISAGREE	69
-----	12%
STRONGLY AGREE	255
	42%
SOMEWHAT AGREE	206
	34%
SOMEWHAT DISAGREE	39
	7%
STRONGLY DISAGREE	30
	5%
UNSURE	70
	12%

ES. If financial costs were of no concern, what type of school would you select to obtain the best education for your child?

DISTRICT SCHOOL	124
	21%
PRIVATE SCHOOL (RELIGIOUS)	150
	25%
PRIVATE SCHOOL (NON-RELIGIOUS)	170
	28%
CHARTER SCHOOL	40
	7%
CYBER SCHOOL OR REMOTE LEARNING	16
	3%
HOME SCHOOL	29
	5%
OTHER	1
	*
UNSURE / NOT APPLICABLE	70
	12%

EF. According to data from the Pennsylvania Department of Education, public school districts in Pennsylvania have more than \$5 billion in reserve funds. Should school districts be required to use excess reserves before raising taxes to increase funding?

YES	494
	82%
NO	41
	7%
UNSURE	65
	11%

Demographic Section

Now just a few questions to make sure we have a representative sample –

BDC. Which of these have you used as a source for news in the last week? Check all that apply. **(RANDOMIZE RESPONSES 1-13) (ALLOW FOR MULTIPLE RESPONSES UNLESS 15)**

BROADCAST TELEVISION NEWS OR THEIR WEBSITES, SUCH AS NBC, ABC, OR CBS	323 54%
CABLE TELEVISION NEWS OR THEIR WEBSITES, SUCH AS FOX NEWS, MSNBC, OR CNN	278 46%
LOCAL NEWSPAPERS OR THEIR WEBSITES	236 39%
SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS, SUCH AS YOUTUBE, FACEBOOK, TWITTER, INSTAGRAM, OR TIKTOK	228 38%
NATIONAL NEWSPAPERS OR THEIR WEBSITES, SUCH AS THE NEW YORK TIMES, WALL STREET JOURNAL, OR USA TODAY	144 24%
BUSINESS NEWS TELEVISION OR WEBSITES, SUCH AS CNBC, FOX BUSINESS, OR BLOOMBERG	131 22%
TALK RADIO	113 19%
NATIONAL NEWS WEBSITES SUCH AS YAHOO, FORBES, POLITICO, OR VOX	109 18%
PODCASTS	86 14%
NEWS MAGAZINES OR THEIR WEBSITES, SUCH AS TIME, NEWSWEEK, OR THE WEEK	85 14%
CONSERVATIVE NEWS WEBSITES	71 12%
INTERNATIONAL NEWSPAPERS OR THEIR WEBSITES, SUCH AS THE DAILY MAIL, THE GUARDIAN, OR EPOCH TIMES	68 11%
OTHER NEWS SOURCES	40 7%
LIBERAL NEWS WEBSITES	31 5%
NONE OF THE ABOVE	26 4%

MF. Now thinking about some key news media institutions, please indicate which of the following would you say you trust, or have a favorable opinion of. Check all that apply. **(RANDOMIZE RESPONSES) (ALLOW FOR MULTIPLE RESPONSES)**

LOCAL TELEVISION	262 44%
CNN	196 33%
FOX NEWS	191 32%
YOUR LOCAL NEWSPAPER	190 32%
THE WEATHER CHANNEL	188 31%
GOOGLE	149 25%
NEW YORK TIMES	144 24%
WALL STREET JOURNAL	132 22%
MSNBC	116 19%
USA TODAY	106 18%
TIME MAGAZINE	86 14%
FACEBOOK	79 13%
TALK RADIO	65 11%
NEWSWEEK	61 10%
TIKTOK	57 9%
TWITTER	46 8%

NT. In general, how much trust and confidence do you have in the mass media -- such as newspapers, TV and radio -- when it comes to reporting the news fully, accurately and fairly? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL TRUST	249
-----	42%
TOTAL NOT TRUST	337
-----	56%
A GREAT DEAL	43 7%
A FAIR AMOUNT	206 34%
NOT VERY MUCH	224 37%
NONE AT ALL	113 19%
UNSURE	14 2%

D1. In what year were you born?

D1_A. IF UNSURE OR REFUSED, ASK: Which of the following categories best describes your age?

18 TO 29	78 13%
30 TO 44	138 23%
45 TO 64	216 36%
65 OR OLDER	168 28%
REFUSED	- --

D2. What is your gender?

FEMALE	312 52%
MALE	288 48%

D3. Did you vote in the most recent November 2022 election?

YES, I VOTED IN PERSON ON ELECTION DAY	385 64%
YES, I VOTED IN PERSON EARLY	25 4%
YES, I VOTED ABSENTEE	16 3%
YES, I VOTED BY MAIL-IN BALLOT	112 19%
NO, I DID NOT VOTE	62 10%

D3A. How likely are you to vote in next year's Pennsylvania primary? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL LIKELY -----	542 90%
TOTAL UNLIKELY -----	40 7%
VERY LIKELY	467 78%
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	75 12%
SOMEWHAT UNLIKELY	18 3%
VERY UNLIKELY	15 2%
UNSURE	25 4%

D3B. How likely are you to vote in your 2023 Pennsylvania municipal elections? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

TOTAL LIKELY	502
-----	84%
TOTAL UNLIKELY	69
-----	12%
VERY LIKELY	386
	64%
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	116
	19%
SOMEWHAT UNLIKELY	29
	5%
VERY UNLIKELY	37
	6%
UNSURE	32
	5%

D4. Are you or is anyone in your household a member of a trade, teacher or labor union?

YES	59
	10%
NO	526
	88%
UNSURE	15
	2%
REFUSED	-
	*

D5. In politics today, and regardless of how you are registered, do you consider yourself to be a (ROTATE) Republican, Independent, or Democrat?

TOTAL REPUBLICAN -----	233 39%
TOTAL INDEPENDENT -----	137 23%
TOTAL DEMOCRAT -----	227 38%
STRONG REPUBLICAN	131 22%
NOT SO STRONG REPUBLICAN	102 17%
INDEPENDENT LEANING REPUBLICAN	36 6%
INDEPENDENT	57 9%
INDEPENDENT LEANING DEMOCRAT	44 7%
NOT SO STRONG DEMOCRAT	76 13%
STRONG DEMOCRAT	151 25%
OTHER	3 *
REFUSED	- --

(ASK ALL)

D6. Do you consider yourself to be of Hispanic or Latino descent, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Central or Latin American background?

YES	38 6%
NO	561 94%
UNSURE	1 *
REFUSED	- --

D7. And which of the following best describes your racial background?

WHITE OR CAUCASIAN	486 81%
BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN	66 11%
ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER	12 2%
HISPANIC	19 3%
NATIVE AMERICAN	2 *
MIDDLE EASTERN	1 *
OTHER	13 2%
REFUSED	1 *

D8. We want to classify people into broad income groups only. Would you estimate your total household income to be...?

BELOW \$40,000	196 33%
BETWEEN \$40,000 AND \$79,999	199 33%
BETWEEN \$80,000 AND \$124,999	115 19%
ABOVE \$125,000	74 12%
UNSURE	5 1%
REFUSED	11 2%

D9. What is the highest level of formal education that you have completed?

LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL	4 1%
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	164 27%
SOME COLLEGE	104 17%
COLLEGE GRADUATE WITH ASSOCIATE OR 2-YEAR DEGREE	71 12%
COLLEGE GRADUATE WITH BACHELOR'S OR 4-YEAR DEGREE	155 26%
POST-GRADUATE DEGREE	74 12%
TECHNICAL OR VOCATIONAL SCHOOL GRADUATE	28 5%
DON'T KNOW / REFUSED	- --

D10. Would you best describe the neighborhood or area you live in as... (ROTATE 1-3, TOP-TO-BOTTOM, BOTTOM-TO-TOP)

URBAN	131 22%
SUBURBAN	335 56%
RURAL	131 22%
DON'T KNOW / REFUSED	3 *

D11. Thinking for a moment about your social, economic, and political views...Do you consider yourself to be **(ROTATE 1-5, TOP-TO-BOTTOM, BOTTOM-TO-TOP)** a conservative, moderate or liberal...?

TOTAL CONSERVATIVE	229
-----	38%
TOTAL LIBERAL	169
-----	28%
STRONGLY CONSERVATIVE	97
	16%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE	132
	22%
MODERATE	191
	32%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	103
	17%
STRONGLY LIBERAL	65
	11%
UNSURE / REFUSED	1
	*
NO ANSWER	10
	2%

D12. Do you or anyone in your household own a gun?

YES	194
	32%
NO	395
	66%
UNSURE	11
	2%

D13. Which county in Pennsylvania do you currently reside?

ADAMS	4 1%	LANCASTER	24 4%
ALLEGHENY	66 11%	LAWRENCE	4 1%
ARMSTRONG	5 1%	LEBANON	6 1%
BEAVER	16 3%	LEHIGH	10 2%
BEDFORD	6 1%	LUZERNE	14 2%
BERKS	14 2%	LYCOMING	8 1%
BLAIR	5 1%	MCKEAN	2 *
BRADFORD	1 *	MERCER	7 1%
BUCKS	30 5%	MIFFLIN	1 *
BUTLER	6 1%	MONROE	6 1%
CAMBERIA	4 1%	MONTGOMERY	42 7%
CAMERON	-- --	MONTOUR	1 *
CARBON	6 1%	NORTHAMPTON	8 1%
CENTRE	4 1%	NORTHUMBERLAND	10 2%
CHESTER	24 4%	PERRY	2 *
CLARION	1 *	PHILADELPHIA	72 12%
CLEARFIELD	-- --	PIKE	2 *
CLINTON	-- --	POTTER	-- --
COLUMBIA	-- --	SCHUYLKILL	9 2%
CRAWFORD	3 *	SNYDER	2 *
CUMBERLAND	9 2%	SOMERSET	4 1%
DAUPHIN	11 2%	SULLIVAN	-- --
DELAWARE	30 5%	SUSQUEHANNA	3 *
ELK	3 *	TIOGA	2 *
ERIE	22 4%	UNION	3 1%
FAYETTE	5 1%	VENANGO	8 1%
FOREST	1 *	WARREN	2 *
FRANKLIN	5 1%	WASHINGTON	9 2%
FULTON	1 *	WAYNE	2 *
GREENE	1 *	WESTMORELAND	14 2%
HUNTINGDON	3 *	WYOMING	1 *
INDIANA	2 *	YORK	21 3%
JEFFERSON	5 1%	DON'T KNOW / REFUSED	-- --
JUNIATA	1 *		
LACKAWANNA	10 2%		