



# Mountain States Poll

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## **Introduction**

Dr. Craig Wilson conducted the first version of the Mountain States Poll – then called the Eastern Montana College Poll – in 1989. The survey was renamed the Mountain States Poll in 2019. This report contains the 37<sup>th</sup> version of the Poll. The following report includes 760 responses from participants across the state of Montana. Responses were collected using a random sampling technique between September 30<sup>th</sup> and October 16<sup>th</sup> (September 30-October 11 for the phone responses and October 4-16 for the online responses). The online sampling method collected 526 responses, and 234 responses were collected via phone. The margin of error is 3.56%, with various subgroups having larger margins of error. Results are weighted based on Census data.

For phone responses, the Random Digit Dialing (RDD) technique was used, and phone numbers were provided by Scientific Telephone Samples. Phone calls were conducted in the Liberal Arts building at Montana State University Billings. Qualtrics quota sampling was used to collect the online responses. Funding for the Mountain States Poll was provided by the Montana State University Billings Office of the Provost, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, and the Department of Social Sciences and Cultural Studies.

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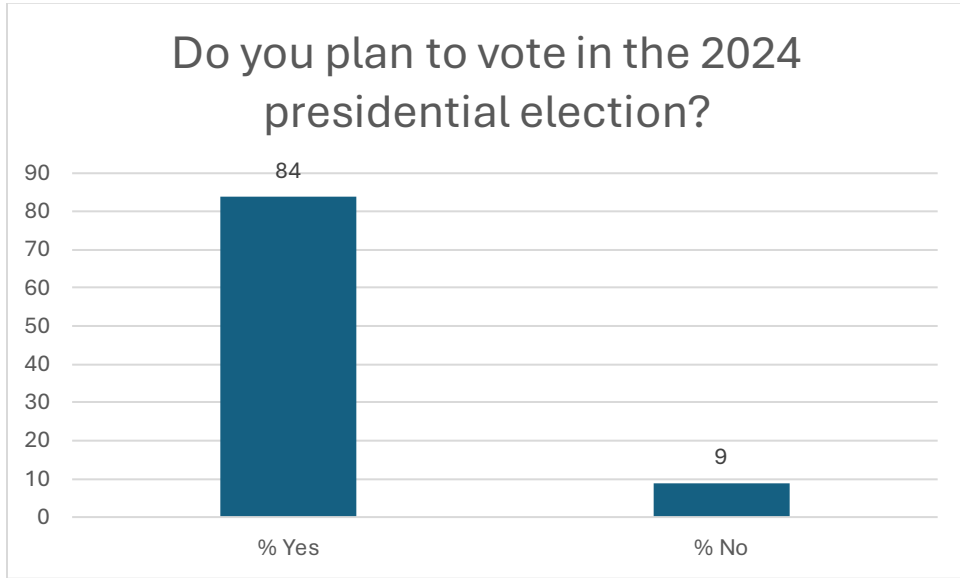
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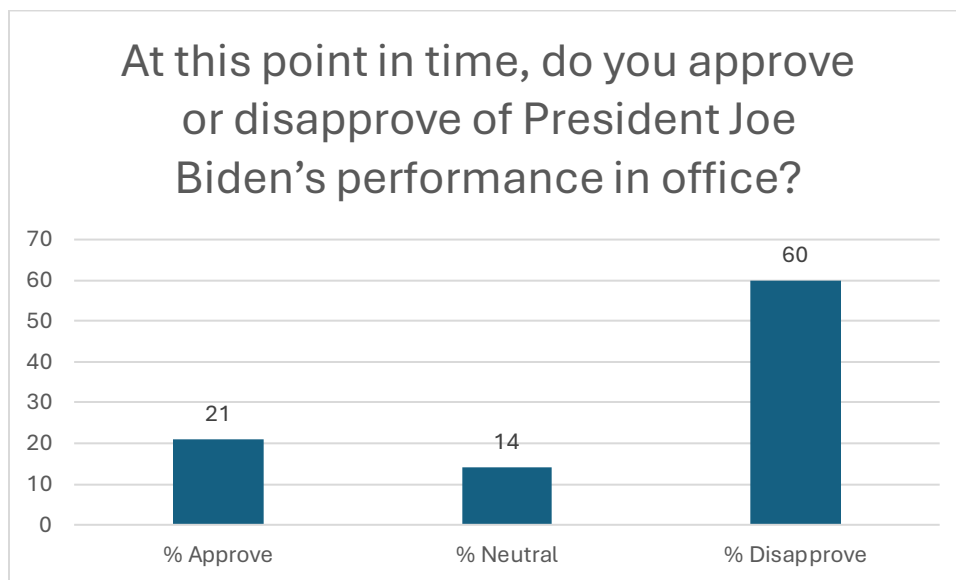
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1. Do you plan to vote in the 2024 presidential election?



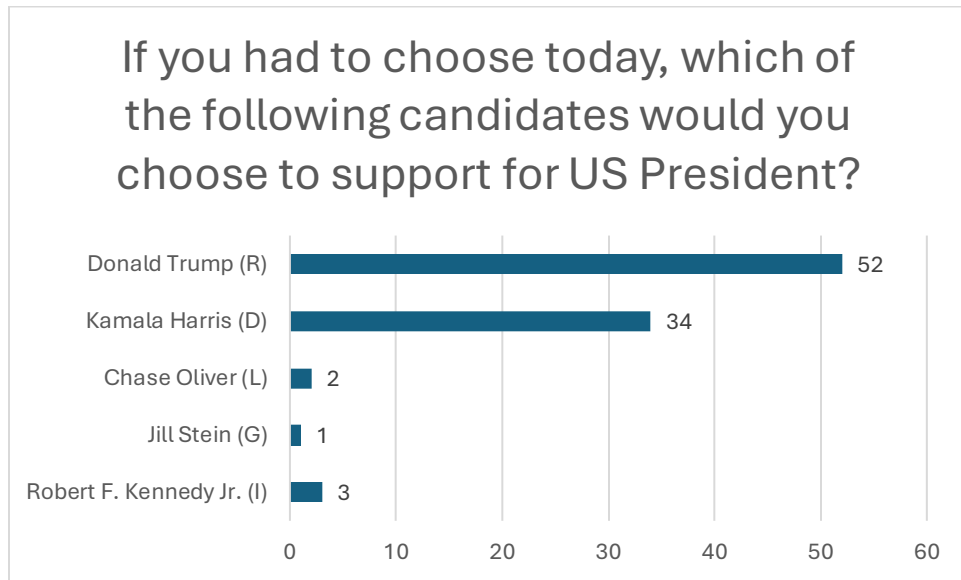
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Yes	84	92	93	62	86	82
No	9	4	5	7	8	11
Age						
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	69	80	79	90	94	95
No	20	8	13	5	4	4
Education						
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	48	72	85	93	96	93
No	40	18	8	2	1	2

2. At this point in time, do you approve or disapprove of President Joe Biden’s performance in office?



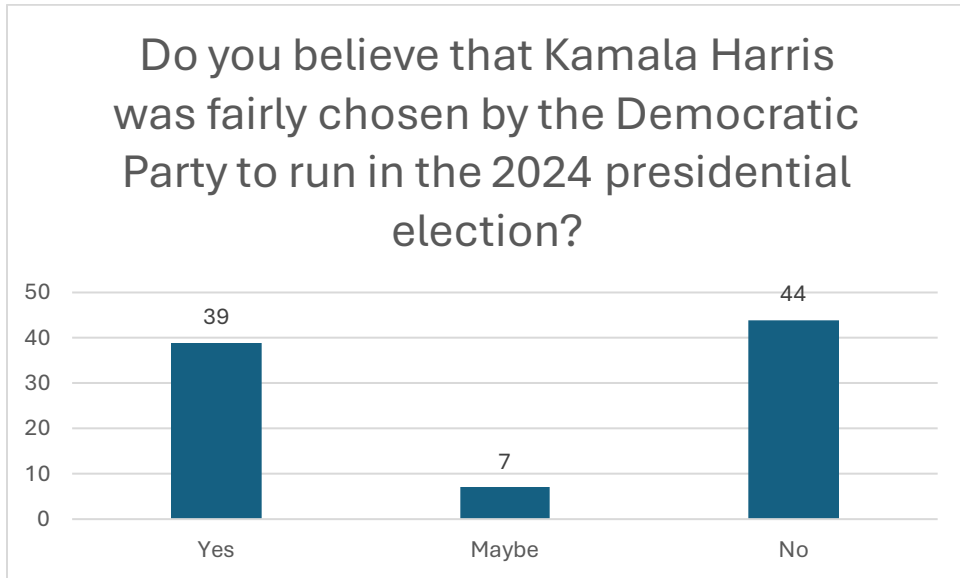
	Party				Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	21	62	2	20	20	22
Neutral	14	20	7	17	13	16
Disapprove	60	13	90	60	64	57
Age						
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	12	18	18	19	26	39
Neutral	22	23	16	5	8	8
Disapprove	62	52	61	74	61	49
Education						
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	7	14	17	16	26	42
Neutral	11	15	13	13	16	11
Disapprove	73	64	62	70	54	47

3. If you had to choose today, which of the following candidates would you choose to support for US President?



	<b>Party</b>				<b>Gender</b>	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Donald Trump (R)	52	5	94	44	58	47
Kamala Harris (D)	34	93	3	36	30	38
Chase Oliver (L)	2	0	0	2	1	2
Jill Stein (G)	1	0	0	1	1	2
Robert F. Kennedy Jr. (I)	3	1	1	8	3	3
	<b>Age</b>					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Donald Trump (R)	57	43	46	68	57	42
Kamala Harris (D)	25	38	41	24	36	45
Chase Oliver (L)	2	2	1	2	1	2
Jill Stein (G)	1	5	1	1	0	0
Robert F. Kennedy Jr. (I)	5	4	7	2	1	3
	<b>Education</b>					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Donald Trump (R)	57	55	53	69	47	39
Kamala Harris (D)	21	29	34	23	42	48
Chase Oliver (L)	0	3	1	1	2	1
Jill Stein (G)	1	1	0	1	1	6
Robert F. Kennedy Jr. (I)	0	5	3	4	4	1

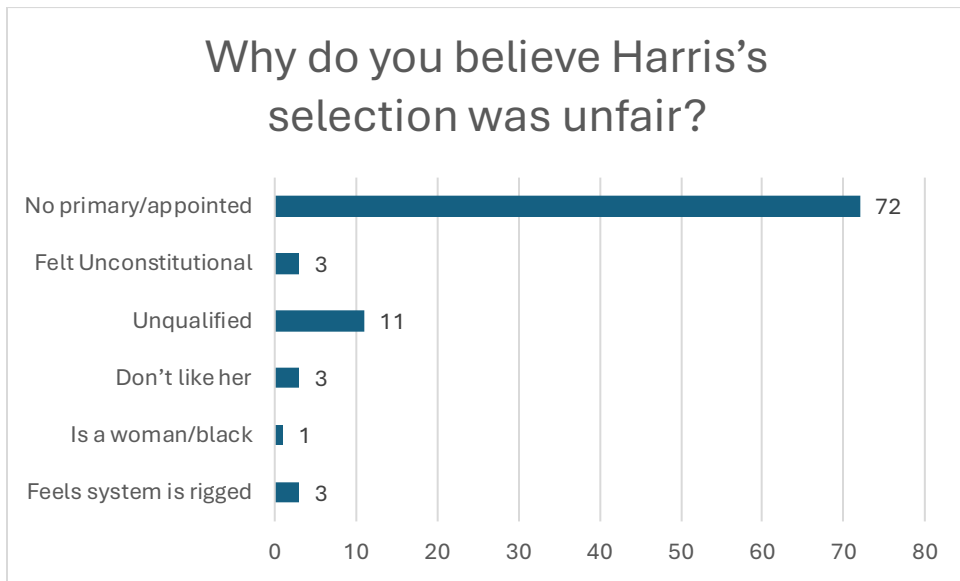
4. Do you believe that Kamala Harris was fairly chosen by the Democratic Party to run in the 2024 presidential election?



	Total	Party			Gender	
		Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	39	88	16	39	35	44
Maybe	7	4	7	7	7	6
No	44	5	66	43	49	39
Age						
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	30	52	45	30	35	53
Maybe	15	5	5	7	4	3
No	34	32	46	56	55	38
Education						
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	24	31	34	30	52	60
Maybe	8	9	7	4	5	6
No	52	42	49	53	40	31

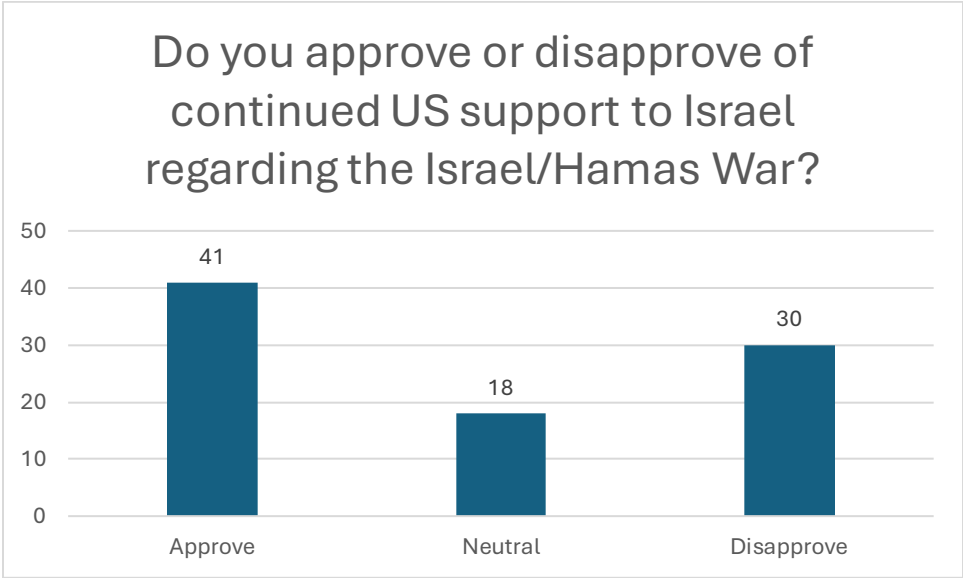


5. Why do you believe Harris's selection was unfair?



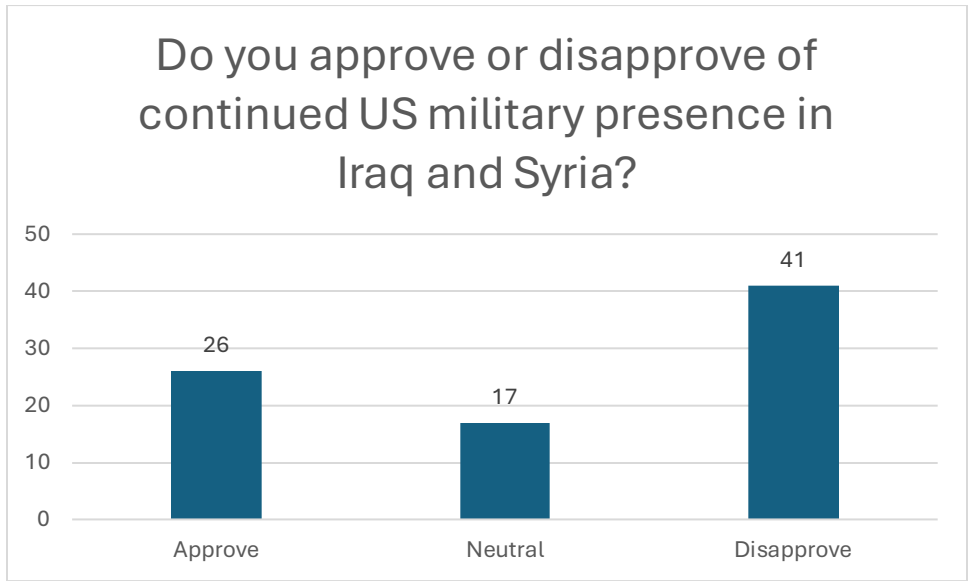
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
No primary/appointed	72	27	73	84	75	67
Felt Unconstitutional	3	0	2	1	3	3
Unqualified	11	53	13	3	8	15
Don't like her	3	0	3	2	2	4
Is a woman/black	1	0	1	0	1	1
Feels system is rigged	3	20	4	4	4	3
	<b>Age</b>					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
No primary/appointed	59	61	64	78	80	74
Felt Unconstitutional	0	0	7	3	3	4
Unqualified	24	23	13	7	2	11
Don't like her	0	3	3	2	4	5
Is a woman/black	0	1	1	0	0	2
Feels system is rigged	7	1	4	4	4	0
	<b>Education</b>					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
No primary/appointed	75	57	75	84	73	91
Felt Unconstitutional	0	8	1	0	3	5
Unqualified	0	19	10	0	12	0
Don't like her	0	4	3	0	5	2
Is a woman/black	0	1	0	0	0	2
Feels system is rigged	0	4	2	5	6	0

6. Do you approve or disapprove of continued US support to Israel regarding the Israel/Hamas War?



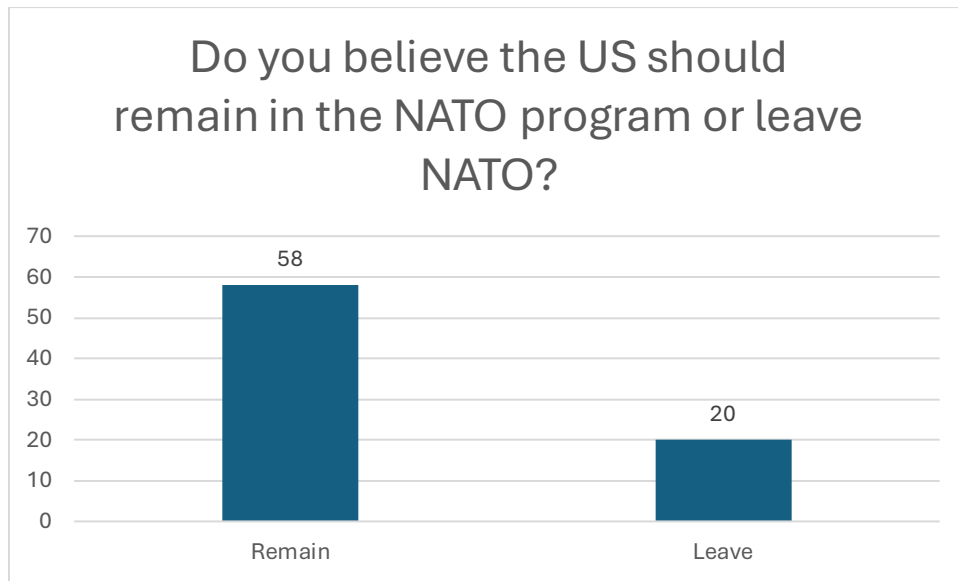
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	41	33	51	39	49	32
Neutral	18	26	16	12	17	20
Disapprove	30	31	24	35	25	34
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	25	32	28	48	63	51
Neutral	24	21	23	16	9	15
Disapprove	35	34	41	29	18	19
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	37	29	45	40	44	51
Neutral	22	20	14	25	17	18
Disapprove	26	35	28	29	33	21x'

7. Do you approve or disapprove of continued US military presence in Iraq and Syria?



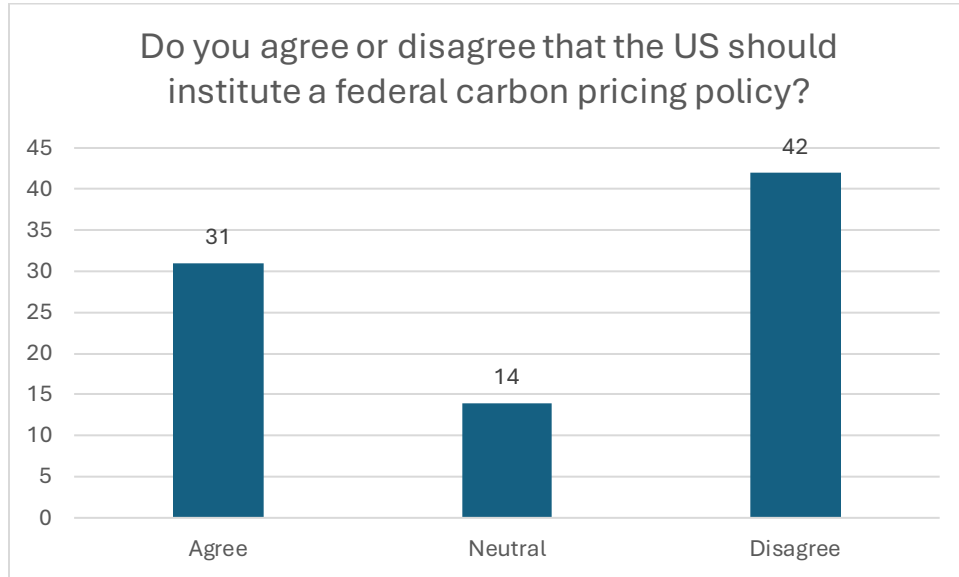
	Party			Gender		
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	26	26	34	20	30	22
Neutral	17	23	13	19	16	18
Disapprove	41	35	37	45	40	43
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	16	20	18	32	37	34
Neutral	17	18	19	10	18	21
Disapprove	38	50	50	47	32	26
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	34	23	26	28	27	24
Neutral	22	15	17	15	18	18
Disapprove	19	41	41	45	43	42

8. Do you believe the US should remain in the NATO program or leave NATO?



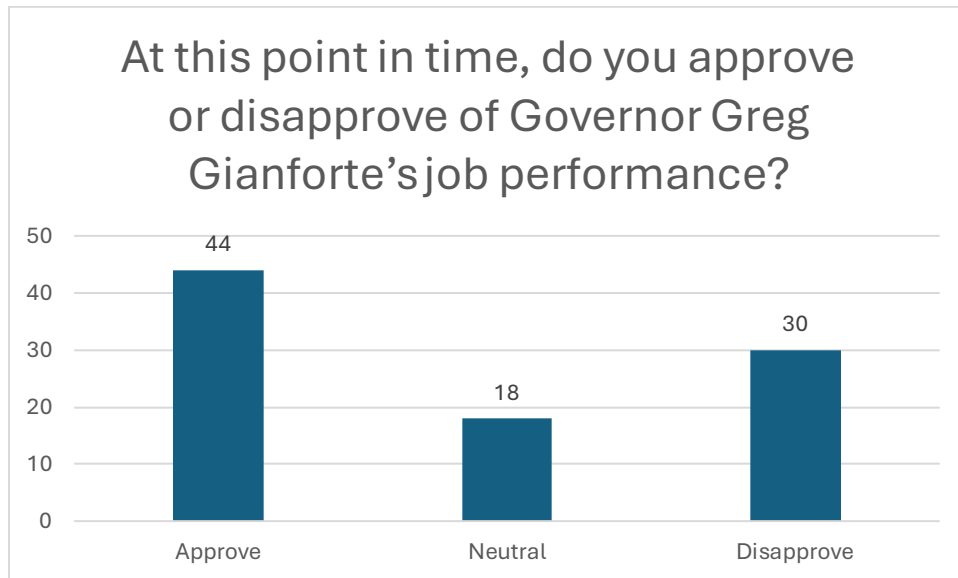
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Remain	58	71	55	60	62	54
Leave	20	10	23	18	21	19
Age						
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Remain	46	49	46	63	75	76
Leave	18	25	29	22	11	13
Education						
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Remain	58	47	57	62	64	67
Leave	6	24	23	20	16	19

9. Carbon pricing is one approach to reduce carbon emission by placing a fee on carbon emissions or offering incentives to emit less. Do you agree or disagree that the US should institute a federal carbon pricing policy?



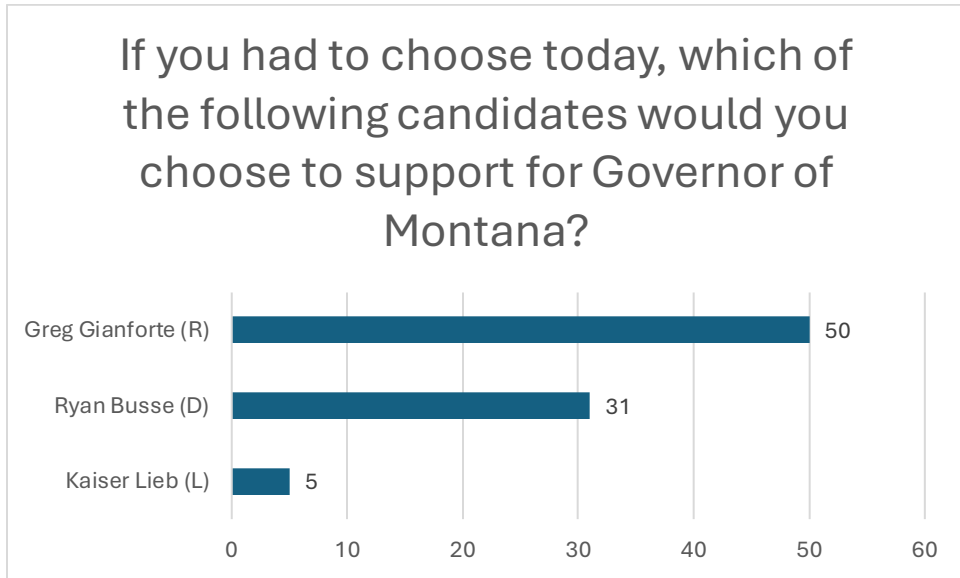
	Total	Party			Gender		
		Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female	
Agree	31	62	23	24	30	32	
Neutral	14	12	16	14	13	16	
Disagree	42	12	54	46	47	38	
		Age					
		18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Agree	36	39	35	20	30	29	
Neutral	14	19	14	12	15	10	
Disagree	39	28	40	59	47	46	
		Education					
		Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Agree	18	28	22	26	39	49	
Neutral	28	16	14	8	13	12	
Disagree	29	40	48	53	40	36	

10. At this point in time, do you approve or disapprove of Governor Greg Gianforte's job performance?



		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	44	14	75	38	50	37
Neutral	18	14	12	23	16	20
Disapprove	30	69	7	30	27	34
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	34	38	34	57	55	47
Neutral	17	25	27	11	15	8
Disapprove	29	27	34	25	28	40
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	45	41	43	57	45	34
Neutral	15	20	19	13	16	20
Disapprove	12	25	30	25	37	41

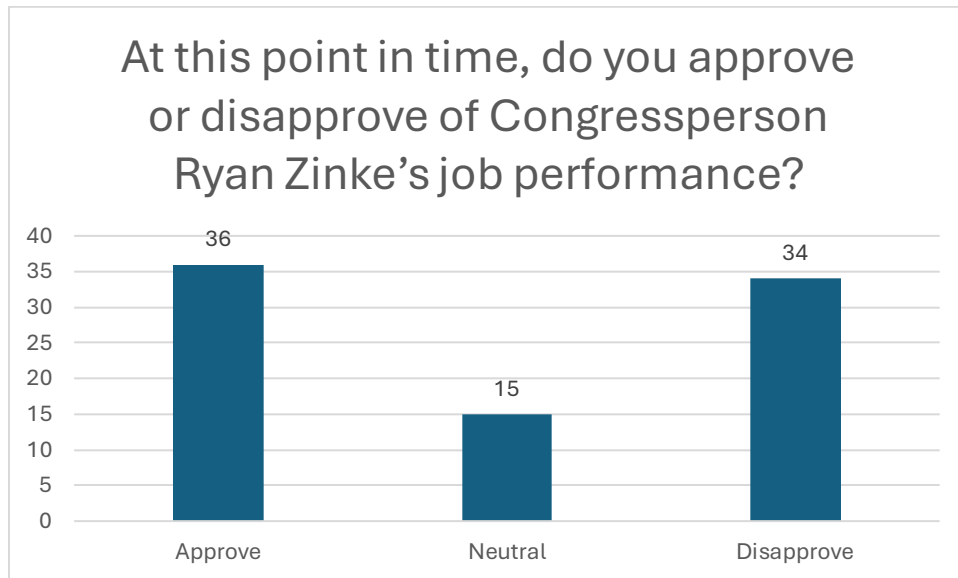
11. If you had to choose today, which of the following candidates would you choose to support for Governor of Montana?



	Total	Party			Gender	
		Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Greg Gianforte (R)	50	9	87	50	59	41
Ryan Busse (D)	31	83	4	27	25	38
Kaiser Lieb (L)	5	2	2	6	5	5
Age						
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Greg Gianforte (R)	45	41	46	64	57	52
Ryan Busse (D)	26	31	38	25	31	39
Kaiser Lieb (L)	11	7	3	4	3	2
Education						
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Greg Gianforte (R)	51	50	54	62	48	38
Ryan Busse (D)	12	25	29	22	40	47
Kaiser Lieb (L)	0	6	3	5	6	7

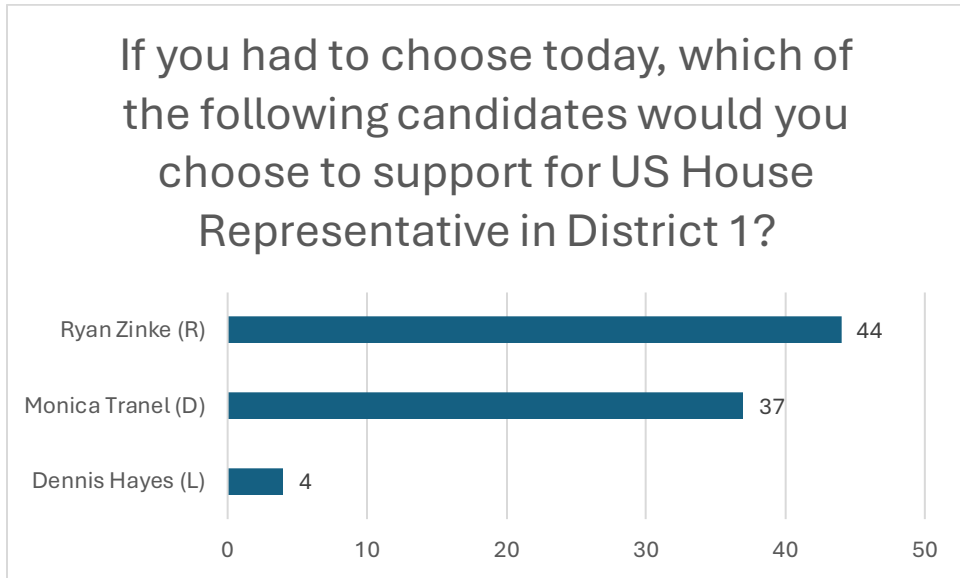


12. At this point in time, do you approve or disapprove of Congressperson Ryan Zinke's job performance?



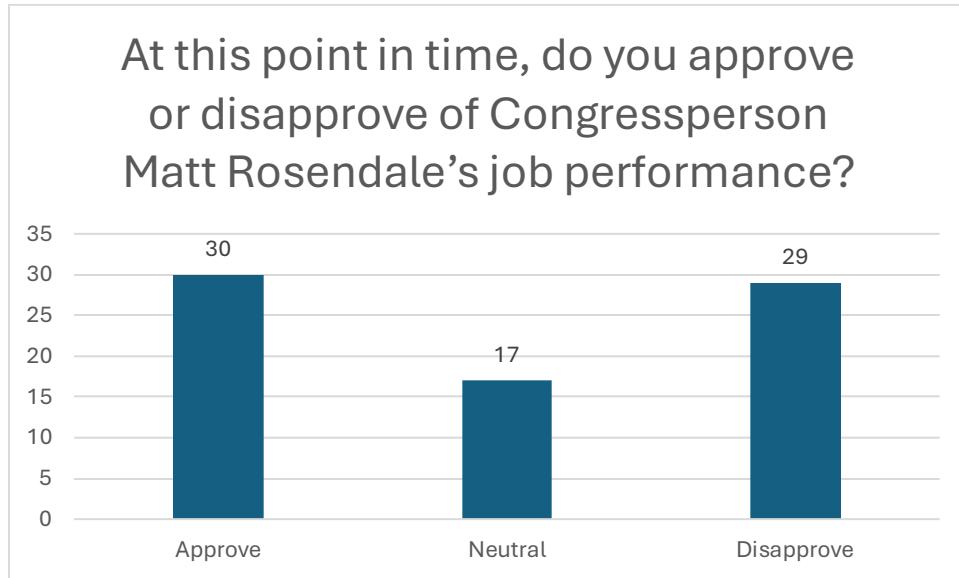
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	36	8	62	29	48	23
Neutral	15	8	17	18	11	21
Disapprove	34	68	9	41	29	38
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	29	23	30	54	43	30
Neutral	17	21	23	12	12	7
Disapprove	24	29	32	26	39	56
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	54	30	38	37	31	29
Neutral	10	25	17	13	16	0
Disapprove	14	28	27	33	44	56

13. If you had to choose today, which of the following candidates would you choose to support for US House Representative in District 1?



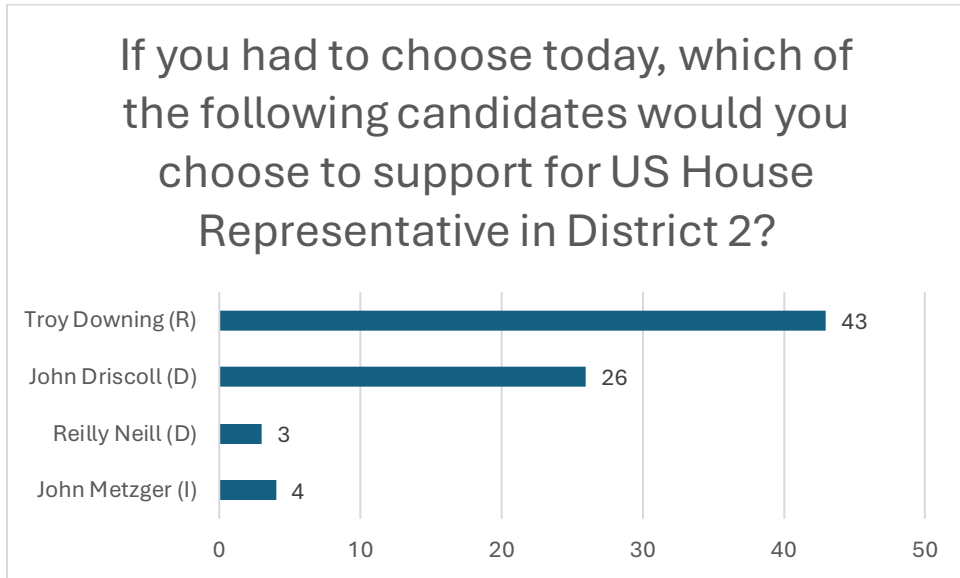
	Total	Party			Gender	
		Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Ryan Zinke (R)	44	6	81	38	58	29
Monica Tranel (D)	37	87	5	42	29	45
Dennis Hayes (L)	4	1	1	6	2	7
Age						
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Ryan Zinke (R)	48	37	32	65	47	33
Monica Tranel (D)	29	37	47	19	38	55
Dennis Hayes (L)	1	2	7	9	3	4
Education						
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Ryan Zinke (R)	59	44	40	58	41	29
Monica Tranel (D)	23	27	40	28	41	61
Dennis Hayes (L)	0	4	3	7	6	5

14. At this point in time, do you approve or disapprove of Congressperson Matt Rosendale’s job performance?



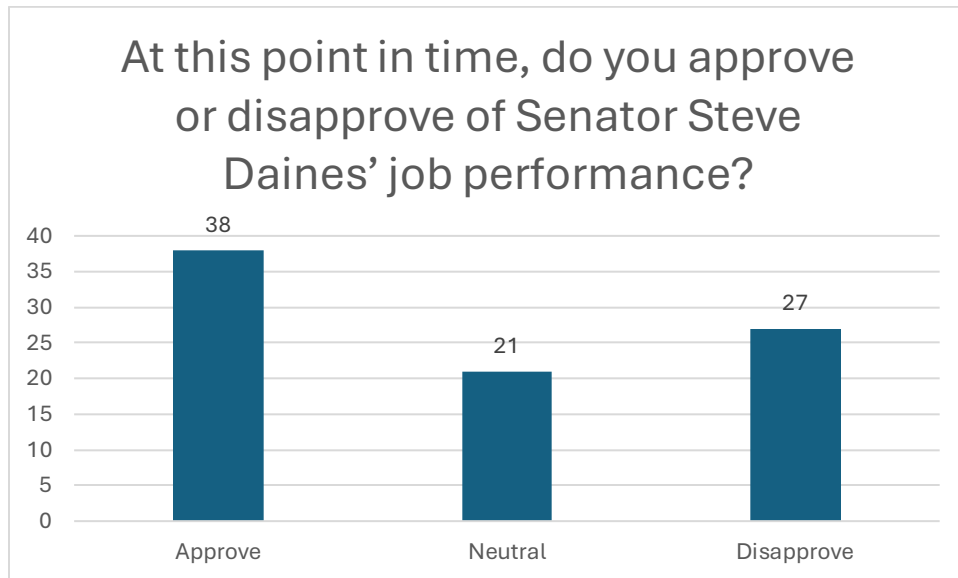
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	30	7	53	31	34	27
Neutral	17	9	16	20	12	21
Disapprove	29	70	5	30	30	28
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	31	14	30	29	49	30
Neutral	23	32	12	14	7	15
Disapprove	20	27	35	23	28	40
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	21	33	32	47	27	20
Neutral	22	24	13	12	17	15
Disapprove	8	20	23	21	39	45

15. If you had to choose today, which of the following candidates would you choose to support for US House Representative in District 2?



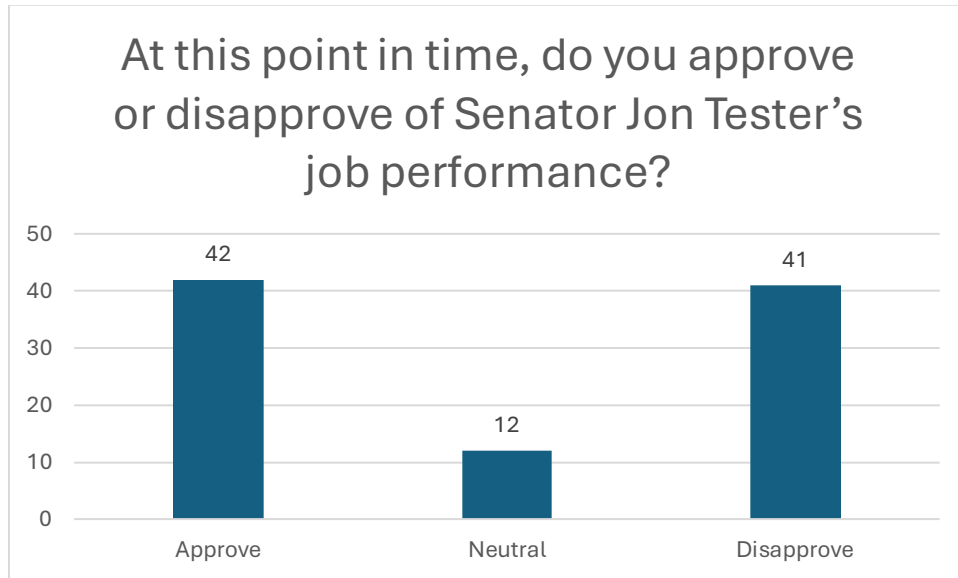
	Total	Party			Gender		
		Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female	
Troy Downing (R)	43	0	78	38	49	37	
John Driscoll (D)	26	80	1	23	27	26	
Reilly Neill (D)	3	8	0	5	3	3	
John Metzger (I)	4	5	1	6	5	4	
		Age					
		18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Troy Downing (R)	27	32	33	53	63	47	
John Driscoll (D)	23	32	27	26	21	31	
Reilly Neill (D)	2	7	3	3	2	1	
John Metzger (I)	8	2	13	1	1	1	
		Education					
		Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Troy Downing (R)	22	43	53	55	41	26	
John Driscoll (D)	21	20	17	14	36	43	
Reilly Neill (D)	0	1	2	1	8	1	
John Metzger (I)	0	6	10	7	2	11	

16. At this point in time, do you approve or disapprove of Senator Steve Daines' job performance?



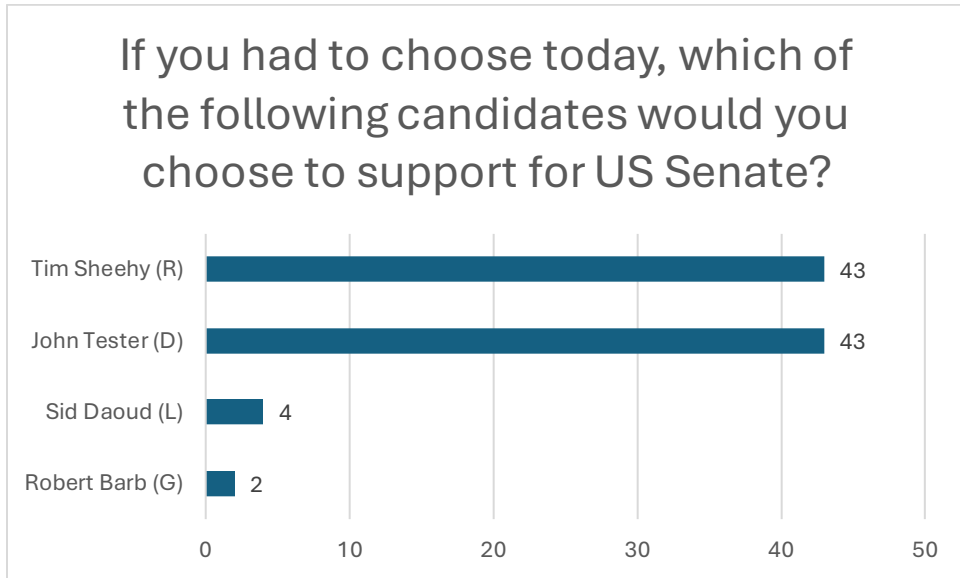
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	38	12	58	38	44	31
Neutral	21	16	20	25	17	25
Disapprove	27	61	10	24	26	29
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	24	30	36	53	44	43
Neutral	25	27	27	14	18	12
Disapprove	19	28	27	24	29	38
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	18	34	37	47	41	37
Neutral	25	24	22	18	21	14
Disapprove	7	22	22	25	35	40

17. At this point in time, do you approve or disapprove of Senator Jon Tester’s job performance?



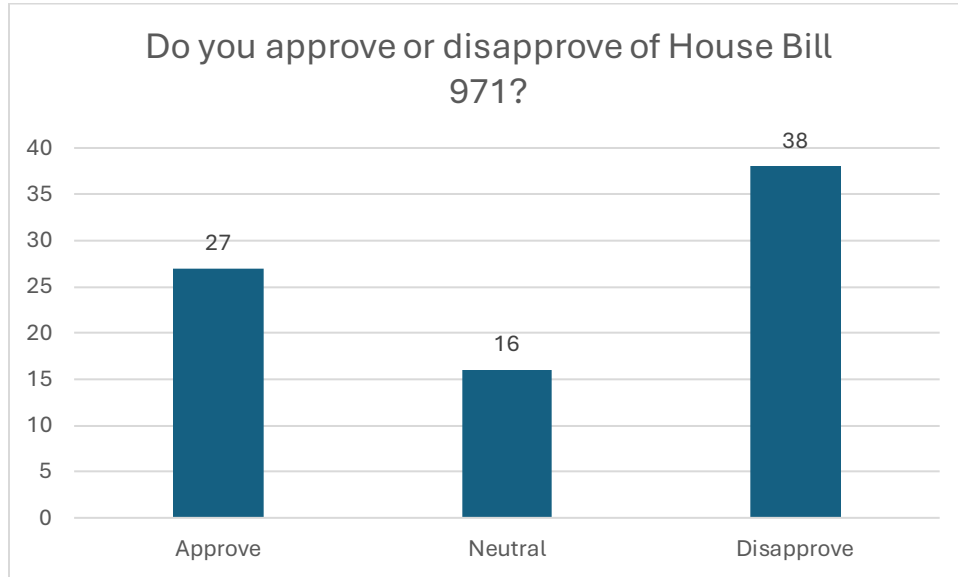
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	42	84	16	48	35	48
Neutral	12	9	12	10	12	12
Disapprove	41	5	69	37	48	34
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	36	42	49	36	41	47
Neutral	20	25	9	4	6	5
Disapprove	31	27	39	57	50	46
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	22	42	44	28	45	53
Neutral	13	14	11	10	12	11
Disapprove	34	38	42	61	40	31

18. If you had to choose today, which of the following candidates would you choose to support for US Senate?



	Total	Party			Gender	
		Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Tim Sheehy (R)	43	2	81	33	52	34
John Tester (D)	43	95	13	48	38	48
Sid Daoud (L)	4	2	1	3	3	4
Robert Barb (G)	2	1	1	3	1	2
Age						
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Tim Sheehy (R)	40	30	38	57	54	39
John Tester (D)	39	45	49	37	40	49
Sid Daoud (L)	7	8	2	1	1	2
Robert Barb (G)	1	5	1	1	1	1
Education						
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Tim Sheehy (R)	37	38	47	58	40	38
John Tester (D)	27	45	41	30	47	55
Sid Daoud (L)	0	3	1	7	6	5
Robert Barb (G)	1	2	3	1	1	1

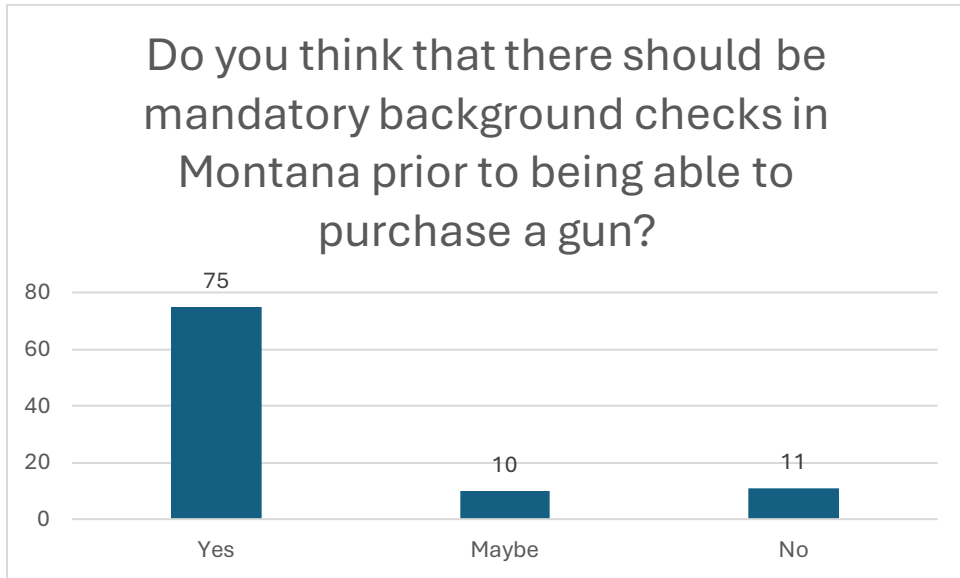
19. Montana House Bill 971 states that the environmental reviews for large projects are prohibited from evaluating greenhouse gas emissions produced by the projects. Do you approve or disapprove of House Bill 971?



	Total	Party			Gender		
		Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female	
Approve	27	19	39	23	31	23	
Neutral	16	12	16	15	14	18	
Disapprove	38	57	28	38	38	39	
		Age					
		18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	25	28	30	36	22	21	
Neutral	18	21	14	12	18	13	
Disapprove	34	36	40	35	38	45	
		Education					
		Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	18	28	35	25	22	28	
Neutral	26	17	13	16	14	14	
Disapprove	22	30	35	31	49	52	

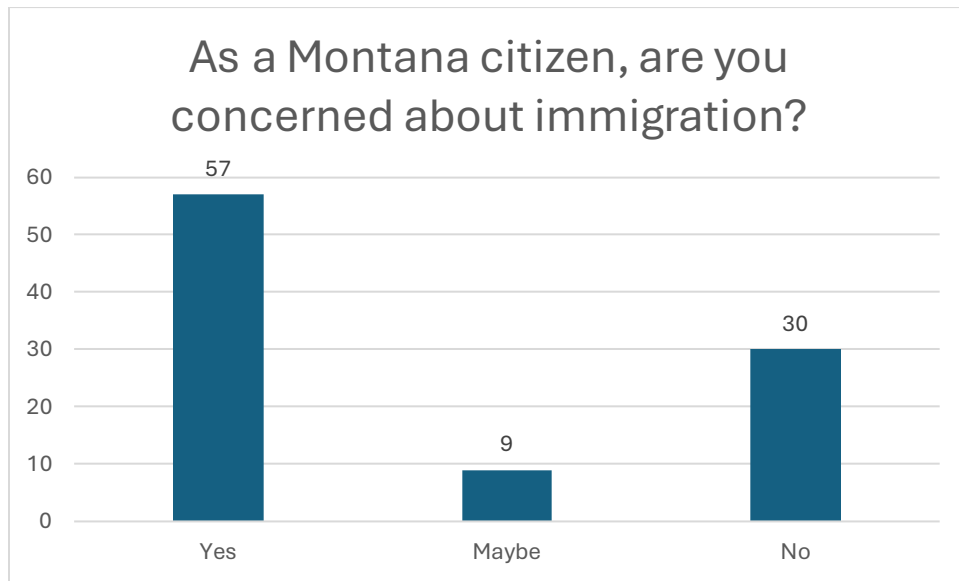


20. Do you think that there should be mandatory background checks in Montana prior to being able to purchase a gun?



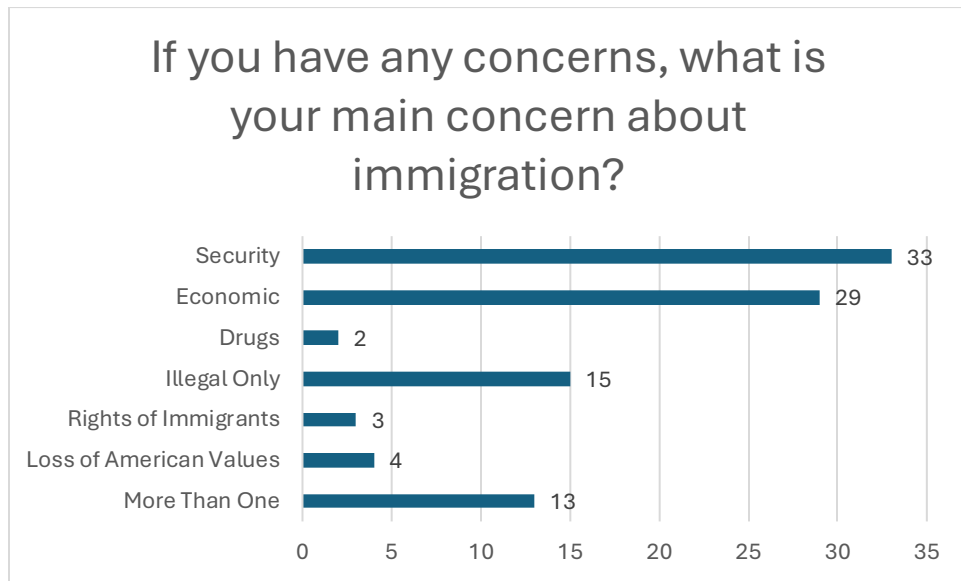
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	75	90	73	78	69	81
Maybe	10	6	11	8	11	8
No	11	4	13	9	15	7
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	65	75	77	77	76	80
Maybe	16	9	8	5	12	7
No	9	11	14	16	8	9
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	44	76	77	74	83	69
Maybe	6	7	8	13	9	10
No	26	11	11	10	5	20

21. As a Montana citizen, are you concerned about immigration?



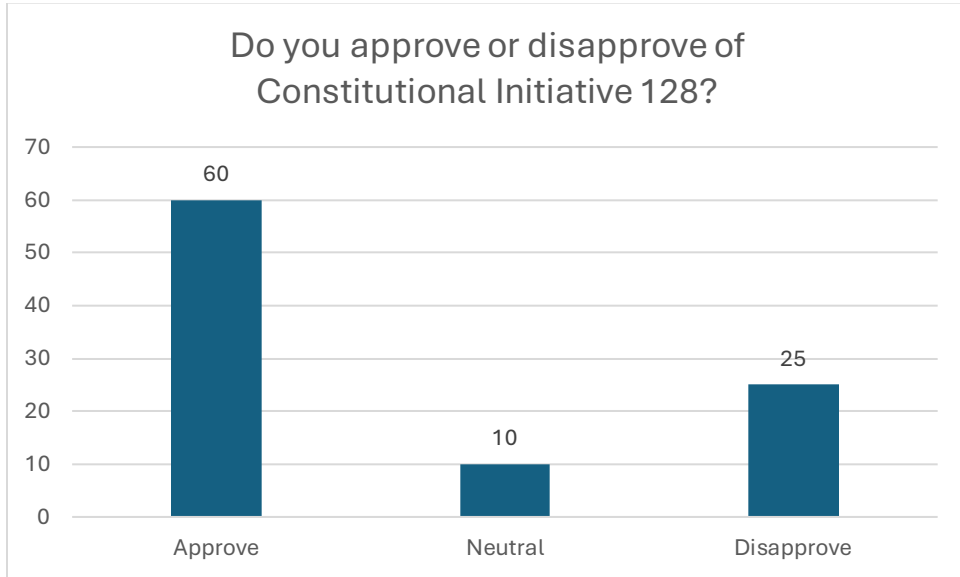
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	57	28	75	70	59	54
Maybe	9	13	7	10	11	8
No	30	53	15	28	27	33
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	31	45	59	75	68	65
Maybe	17	13	5	5	6	7
No	41	37	33	18	24	27
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	50	59	62	63	51	49
Maybe	10	8	8	10	9	10
No	22	28	25	21	39	38

22. If you have any concerns, what is your main concern about immigration?



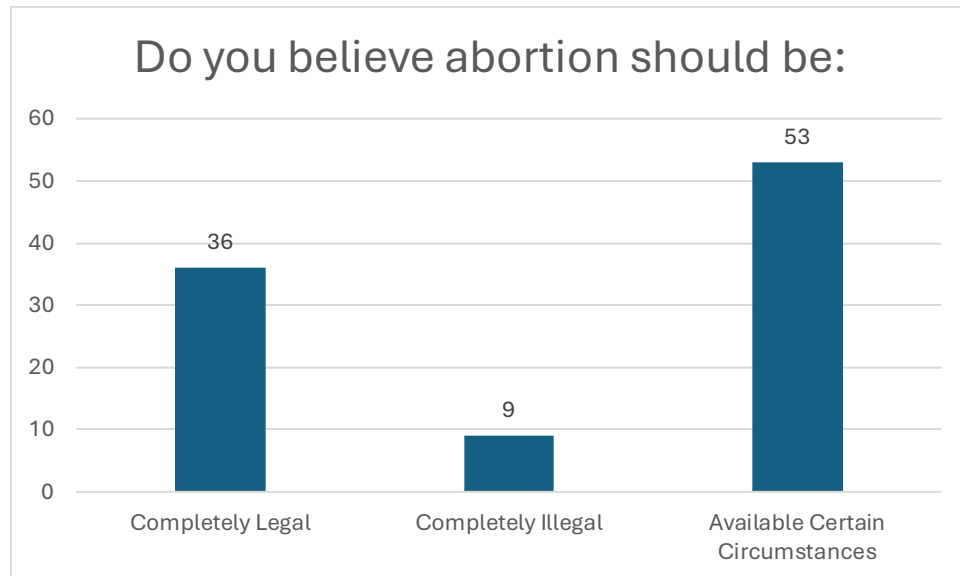
	Party			Gender		
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Security	33	16	38	34	36	30
Economic	29	28	31	20	26	32
Drugs	2	2	3	1	2	1
Illegal Only	15	21	10	20	14	16
Rights of Immigrants	3	21	0	3	4	4
Loss of American Values	4	1	6	4	5	13
More Than One	13	7	11	17	13	13
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Security	33	24	28	36	39	30
Economic	18	32	36	33	26	22
Drugs	11	0	1	1	0	3
Illegal Only	0	20	13	15	18	13
Rights of Immigrants	5	4	2	3	1	9
Loss of American Values	12	4	2	4	5	4
More Than One	14	15	16	7	12	19
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Security	55	38	32	41	28	22
Economic	17	31	31	37	26	11
Drugs	0	1	1	2	5	0
Illegal Only	6	10	15	7	19	29
Rights of Immigrants	0	2	5	2	2	9
Loss of American Values	0	7	1	3	5	9
More Than One	22	10	14	7	14	20

23. Montana Constitutional Initiative 128 would “amend the Montana Constitution to expressly provide a right to make and carry out decisions about one’s own pregnancy, including the right to abortion.” It would also prevent the Montana government from penalizing those who assisted a person in their voluntary decisions regarding their pregnancy. Do you approve or disapprove of Constitutional Initiative 128?



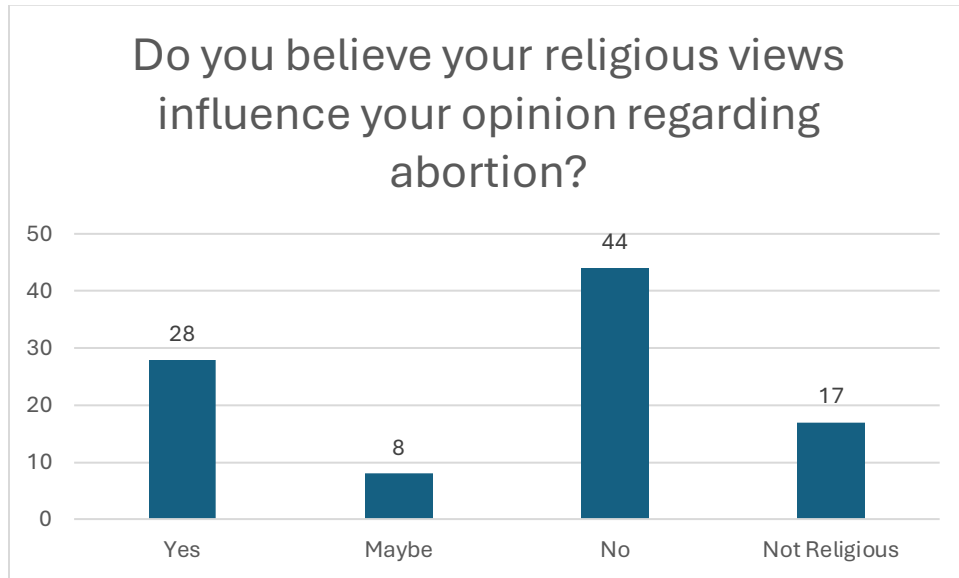
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Approve	60	84	54	60	55	65
Neutral	10	6	11	6	12	8
Disapprove	25	7	30	30	27	23
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Approve	63	52	68	62	55	63
Neutral	9	19	5	6	11	8
Disapprove	21	23	22	29	29	23
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Approve	39	60	60	46	68	70
Neutral	13	12	6	17	8	3
Disapprove	36	21	27	30	21	25

24. Do you believe abortion should be completely legal, completely illegal, or made available in certain circumstances?



		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Completely Legal	36	61	24	35	29	43
Completely Illegal	9	8	11	6	9	10
Available Certain Circumstances	53	31	64	59	61	46
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Completely Legal	35	33	37	38	31	43
Completely Illegal	13	18	4	6	4	9
Available Certain Circumstances	49	47	57	55	64	46
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Completely Legal	15	37	37	23	38	46
Completely Illegal	11	8	11	10	9	9
Available Certain Circumstances	65	51	50	67	53	45

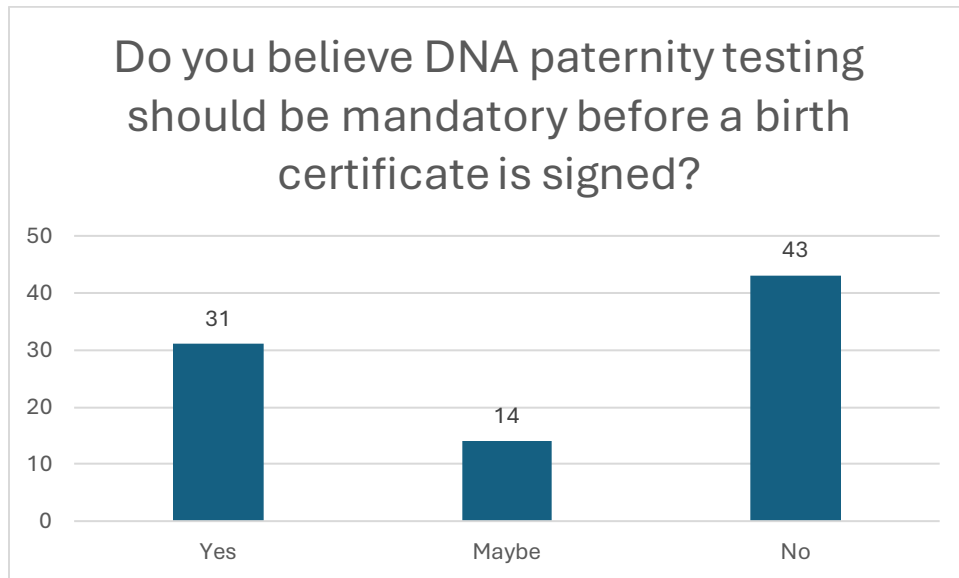
25. Do you believe your religious views influence your opinion regarding abortion?



		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	28	21	34	34	30	26
Maybe	8	8	9	24	10	6
No	44	45	44	21	41	47
Not Religious	17	24	12	18	15	19
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	22	27	27	27	37	31
Maybe	13	15	6	4	6	4
No	33	35	46	61	42	49
Not Religious	25	18	20	8	14	15
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	39	29	25	23	35	18
Maybe	3	7	8	11	6	15
No	25	43	48	47	41	52
Not Religious	15	17	17	17	19	16

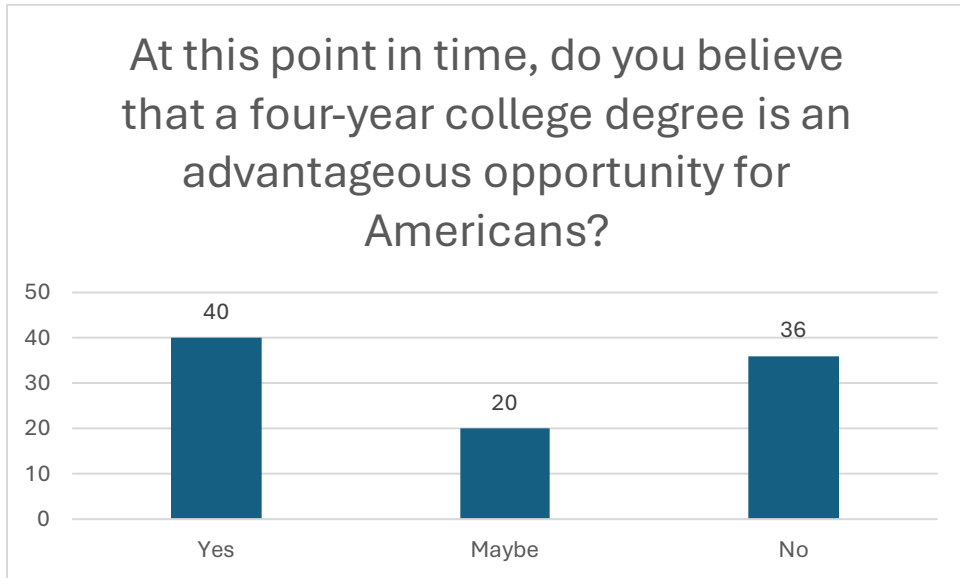


26. Do you believe DNA paternity testing should be mandatory before a birth certificate is signed?



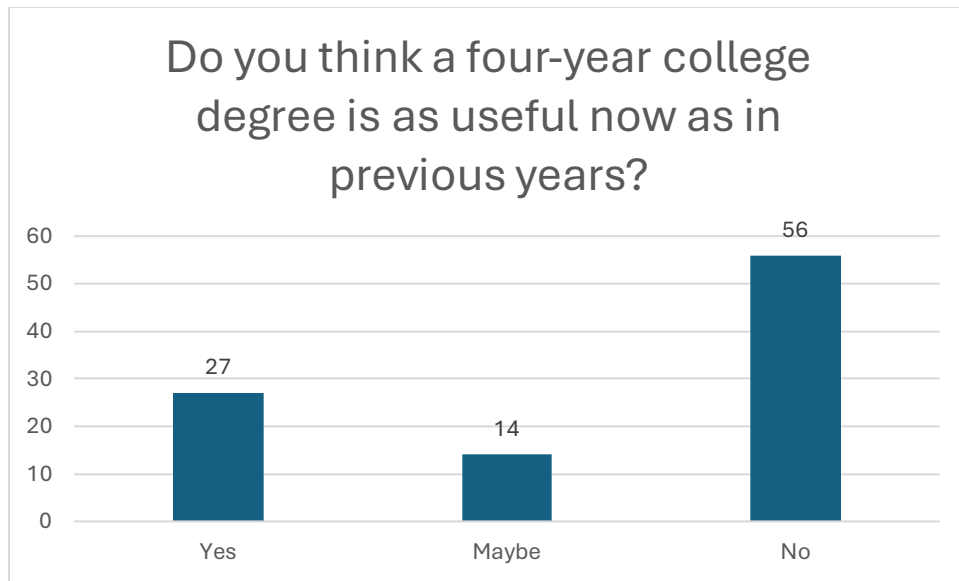
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	31	21	34	32	40	31
Maybe	14	15	15	15	16	13
No	43	53	39	43	42	45
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	33	42	36	30	25	19
Maybe	23	12	11	11	15	14
No	35	35	44	48	48	52
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	37	33	31	26	27	30
Maybe	15	17	12	12	15	13
No	31	40	48	46	42	52

27. At this point in time, do you believe that a four-year college degree is an advantageous opportunity for Americans?



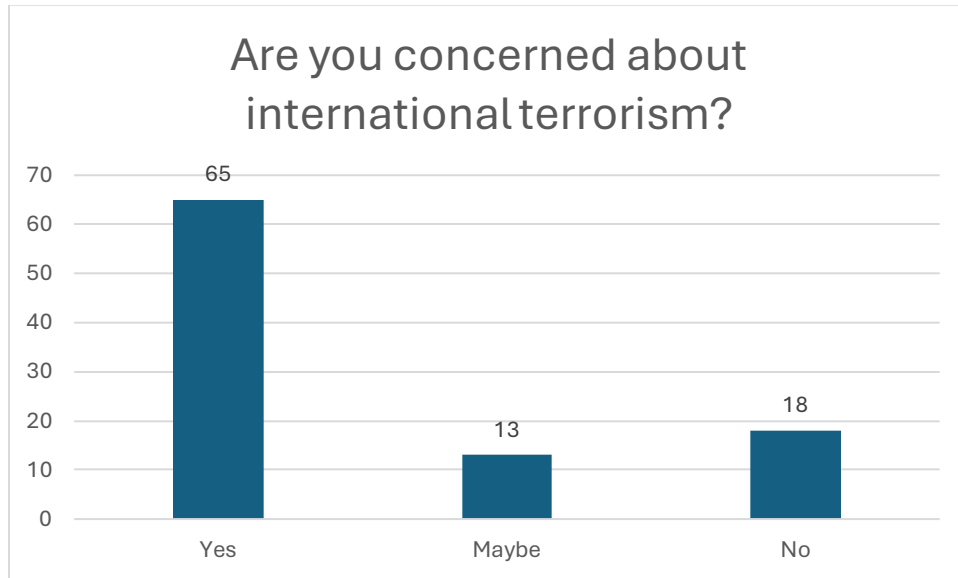
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	40	57	41	33	40	39
Maybe	20	28	16	17	20	20
No	36	14	41	46	35	36
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	42	52	36	30	39	39
Maybe	21	18	21	15	25	24
No	31	24	40	52	32	36
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	35	30	33	38	49	55
Maybe	21	18	21	17	23	19
No	25	45	43	44	27	25

28. Do you think a four-year college degree is as useful now as in previous years?



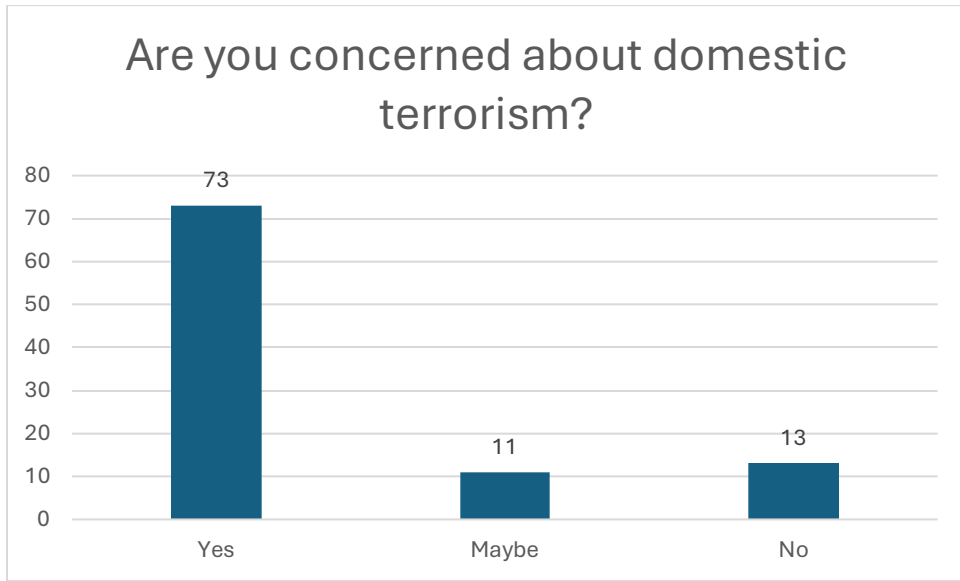
		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	27	40	26	21	26	29
Maybe	14	20	13	14	14	14
No	56	38	59	63	59	53
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	31	26	30	17	30	32
Maybe	18	23	8	14	9	10
No	48	45	58	69	57	57
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	36	21	31	22	30	31
Maybe	19	14	10	14	14	18
No	30	61	56	63	16	49

29. Are you concerned about international terrorism?



		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	65	56	73	59	67	63
Maybe	13	23	10	17	11	17
No	18	19	16	23	20	16
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	49	60	51	76	82	80
Maybe	18	13	21	9	9	7
No	28	23	24	15	8	10
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	62	66	68	62	62	70
Maybe	5	16	13	17	16	7
No	21	15	17	20	22	20

30. Are you concerned about domestic terrorism?



		Party			Gender	
	Total	Dem.	Rep.	Ind.	Male	Female
Yes	73	71	77	71	71	75
Maybe	11	15	8	14	11	11
No	13	10	13	11	16	10
	Age					
	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70+
Yes	53	68	65	78	84	93
Maybe	16	15	17	4	8	3
No	20	14	15	17	6	2
	Education					
	Less than high school	High school	Some college	2-year degree	4-year degree	Graduate degree
Yes	53	68	77	74	75	75
Maybe	7	12	7	14	14	9
No	28	14	13	9	10	16