

Region:

(N=500)	n	%
Southwest -----	72	14.40
Northwest -----	68	13.60
Central -----	139	27.80
Northeast -----	140	28.00
Philly -----	81	16.20

Hello, my name is _____. I am conducting a survey for Suffolk University, and I would like to get your opinions on some political questions. Would you be willing to spend five minutes answering some questions?

Thank You. Are you currently registered to vote in Pennsylvania?

- Which do you most closely identify as – male, female, or non-binary (transgender, gender variant, non-conforming)?

(N=500)	n	%
Male -----	244	48.80
Female -----	251	50.20
Non-binary (transgender, gender variant, non-conforming) -----	5	1.00

- How likely are you to vote in the upcoming elections for governor and U.S. Senate this November — would you say you are almost certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or that it is not likely you will vote?

(N=500)	n	%
Almost certain -----	455	91.00
Probably vote -----	45	9.00

- Are you currently registered as a Democrat, Republican, or Independent/Unaffiliated?

(N=500)	n	%
Democrat -----	217	43.40
Republican -----	197	39.40
Independent/Unaffiliated -----	63	12.60
Don't know -----	4	0.80
Refused -----	19	3.80

- What is your age category?

(N=500)	n	%
18-24 Years -----	33	6.60
25-34 Years -----	62	12.40
35-44 Years -----	74	14.80
45-54 Years -----	99	19.80
55-64 Years -----	92	18.40
65-74 Years -----	94	18.80
75 + Years -----	39	7.80
Refused -----	7	1.40

5. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me your ethnic background/ancestry? {READ}

(N=500)	n	%
White/Caucasian -----	375	75.00
Black/African American-----	66	13.20
American Indian/Alaska Native-----	4	0.80
Asian -----	5	1.00
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander-----	1	0.20
Hispanic/Latino -----	34	6.80
Other -----	10	2.00
Don't know-----	5	1.00

6. If the general election for United States Senate were held today and the candidates were Democrat John Fetterman, Republican Mehmet Oz, Green Party Richard Weiss, Libertarian Erik Chase Gerhardt, Constitution Party Ronald Johnson, Independent Quincy Magee, Independent Everett Stern, for whom would you vote or toward whom would you LEAN at this time? {ROTATE 6.3 to 6.4, RANDOMIZE 6.5 to 6.7}

(N=500)	n	%
Vote/Lean Fetterman - Democrat-----	230	46.00
Vote/Lean Oz – Republican -----	187	37.40
Vote/Lean Richard Weiss - Green-----	3	0.60
Vote/Lean Gerhardt – Libertarian-----	6	1.20
Vote/Lean Johnson – Constitution-----	1	0.20
Vote/Lean Magee – Independent-----	3	0.60
Vote/Lean Stern - Independent-----	3	0.60
Vote/Lean Someone Else-----	1	0.20
Undecided -----	66	13.20

7. How interested are you in the senate race—extremely interested, very interested, somewhat interested, not very interested, or not at all interested? {ROTE ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Extremely interested -----	185	37.00
Very interested -----	161	32.20
Somewhat interested -----	111	22.20
Not very interested -----	25	5.00
Not at all interested-----	13	2.60
Undecided -----	5	1.00

8. When thinking about your vote for U.S. Senate, what is the most important issue as you cast your vote? {RANDOMIZE}

(N=500)	n	%
The economy -----	112	22.40
Immigration-----	24	4.80
Donald Trump-----	38	7.60
Foreign affairs -----	5	1.00
Inflation -----	63	12.60
Healthcare -----	25	5.00
Corruption -----	31	6.20
Gun control-----	86	17.20
Abortion rights -----	70	14.00
Undecided -----	46	9.20

9. Which of the following three statements comes closest to your view? {ROTATE 1 & 2}
(N=500)

	n	%
"I want my vote in November to support the direction President Biden is leading the nation." -----	119	23.80
"I want my vote in November to change the direction President Biden is leading the nation." -----	249	49.80
"My vote this November doesn't have much to do with President Biden and his policies." -----	120	24.00
Undecided -----	11	2.20
Refused -----	1	0.20

10. If the general election for governor were held today and the candidates were Democrat Josh Shapiro, Republican Doug Mastriano, Green Party Christina "PK" DiGuilio, Libertarian Matt Hackenburg, or Keystone Party Joe Soloski, for whom would you vote or toward whom would you LEAN at this time? {ROTATE 10.3 & 10.4 with 10.5 listed fifth in all cases}

	n	%
Vote/Lean Shapiro - Democrat -----	220	44.00
Vote/Lean Mastriano – Republican-----	201	40.20
Vote/Lean DiGuilio – Green -----	6	1.20
Vote/Lean Hackenburg – Libertarian-----	6	1.20
Vote/Lean Soloski – Keystone Party-----	2	0.40
Vote/Lean Someone Else-----	1	0.20
Undecided -----	64	12.80

11. How interested are you in the governor's race – extremely interested, very interested, somewhat interested, not very interested, or not at all interested? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}

	n	%
Extremely interested -----	205	41.00
Very interested -----	156	31.20
Somewhat interested -----	110	22.00
Not very interested -----	14	2.80
Not at all interested -----	10	2.00
Undecided -----	5	1.00

12. When thinking about your vote for governor, what is the most important issue as you cast your vote? {RANDOMIZE}

	n	%
The economy -----	131	26.20
Education -----	36	7.20
Taxes -----	36	7.20
Abortion -----	49	9.80
Opioids -----	9	1.80
Healthcare -----	16	3.20
Corruption -----	45	9.00
Gun control -----	82	16.40
Infrastructure -----	32	6.40
Crime -----	26	5.20
Undecided -----	38	7.60

13. How would you rate Tom Wolf's performance as governor? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}?

(N=500)	n	%
Excellent -----	41	8.20
Good -----	148	29.60
Fair -----	111	22.20
Poor -----	188	37.60
Undecided -----	11	2.20
Refused -----	1	0.20

14. Does Donald Trump's endorsement make you more or less likely to vote for a particular candidate?

(N=500)	n	%
More likely -----	111	22.20
Less likely -----	236	47.20
No difference -----	135	27.00
Undecided -----	17	3.40
Refused -----	1	0.20

Great. I am going to read you a list of individuals in state and national politics. For each, please tell me if your opinion of them is generally favorable or generally unfavorable. If you are undecided or if you have never heard of someone, just tell me that. First take Joe Biden. Is your opinion of Joe Biden generally favorable or generally unfavorable? (RANDOMIZE 16-21)

(N=500)	<u>NEVER HEARD</u>	<u>FAVORABLE</u>	<u>UNFAVORABLE</u>	<u>HOF/UNDECIDED</u>
15. Joe Biden	0 0.00	214 42.80	265 53.00	21 4.20
16. John Fetterman	50 10.00	225 45.00	135 27.00	90 18.00
17. Pat Toomey	38 7.60	129 25.80	213 42.60	120 24.00
18. Mehmet Oz	32 6.40	139 27.80	248 49.60	81 16.20
19. Tom Wolf	3 0.60	220 44.00	232 46.40	45 9.00
20. Doug Mastriano	57 11.40	178 35.60	186 37.20	79 15.80
21. Josh Shapiro	41 8.20	225 45.00	139 27.80	95 19.00

22. Do you think Pennsylvania is heading in the right direction or is on the wrong track?

(N=500)	n	%
Right direction -----	144	28.80
Wrong track -----	271	54.20
Undecided -----	85	17.00

23. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing as president?

(N=500)	n	%
Approve -----	193	38.60
Disapprove -----	272	54.40
Undecided -----	35	7.00

24. Do you believe Joe Biden has kept his campaign promises in Pennsylvania, yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	174	34.80
No-----	273	54.60
Undecided -----	53	10.60

25. Is your standard of living better now than it was four years ago, worse, or about the same?

(N=500)	n	%
Better now -----	84	16.80
Worse now -----	238	47.60
About the same-----	171	34.20
Undecided -----	4	0.80
Refused -----	3	0.60

26. Looking ahead a year, do you think you and your family will be better off financially, worse off, or about the same?

(N=500)	n	%
Will be better off-----	87	17.40
Will be worse off-----	192	38.40
About the same-----	191	38.20
Undecided -----	30	6.00
Refused -----	0	0.00

27. How would you rate economic conditions in Pennsylvania today? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Excellent -----	4	0.80
Good -----	77	15.40
Fair -----	182	36.40
Poor -----	224	44.80
Undecided -----	12	2.40
Refused -----	1	0.20

28. Some state legislators are calling for changing election laws to allow “open primaries”, in which unaffiliated voters, also known as independents, could vote in either the Democratic or Republican primary to choose that party’s nominee. Would you support or oppose a bill to have open primaries in Pennsylvania elections?

(N=500)	n	%
Support -----	302	60.40
Oppose -----	153	30.60
Undecided -----	44	8.80
Refused -----	1	0.20

29. Do you think Act 77, which allowed no-excuse mail-in voting in Pennsylvania, should be repealed?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes – (should be repealed) -----	213	42.60
No – (no-excuse mail-in voting should continue) -----	236	47.20
Undecided -----	50	10.00
Refused -----	1	0.20

30. How confident are you in Pennsylvania’s election security procedures? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|---------------------------|-----|-------|
| Very confident ----- | 190 | 38.00 |
| Somewhat confident ----- | 107 | 21.40 |
| Not very confident ----- | 80 | 16.00 |
| Not at all confident----- | 107 | 21.40 |
| Undecided ----- | 16 | 3.20 |
| Refused ----- | 0 | 0.00 |
31. Thinking about Pennsylvania, how corrupt would you say the state government is? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-------------------------|-----|-------|
| Extremely corrupt ----- | 71 | 14.20 |
| Very corrupt ----- | 95 | 19.00 |
| Somewhat corrupt ----- | 207 | 41.40 |
| Not very corrupt ----- | 58 | 11.60 |
| Not at all corrupt----- | 29 | 5.80 |
| Undecided ----- | 40 | 8.00 |
32. Pennsylvania’s minimum wage is \$7.25 per hour, which is also the federal minimum wage. In the past, Governor Tom Wolf proposed a \$12 per hour minimum wage, and some lawmakers have suggested raising it to \$15 an hour. Which of the following is closest to what you think the Pennsylvania state minimum wage should be? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|---|-----|-------|
| \$7.25 per hour, the current minimum wage ----- | 48 | 9.60 |
| \$9 per hour ----- | 70 | 14.00 |
| \$12 per hour ----- | 133 | 26.60 |
| \$15 per hour ----- | 160 | 32.00 |
| \$20 per hour ----- | 62 | 12.40 |
| Undecided ----- | 26 | 5.20 |
| Refused ----- | 1 | 0.20 |
33. Do you support or oppose the legalization of marijuana for recreational use in Pennsylvania?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-----------------|-----|-------|
| Support ----- | 323 | 64.60 |
| Oppose ----- | 137 | 27.40 |
| Undecided ----- | 40 | 8.00 |
| Refused ----- | 0 | 0.00 |
34. A leaked U.S. Supreme Court opinion suggests Roe vs. Wade could be overturned. If so, it would then be up to Pennsylvania lawmakers to govern the procedure. Do you think abortion should be {ROTATE} protected or restricted in Pennsylvania?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-----------------|-----|-------|
| Protected----- | 292 | 58.40 |
| Restricted----- | 152 | 30.40 |
| Undecided ----- | 53 | 10.60 |
| Refused ----- | 3 | 0.60 |
35. Some states have acted to restrict the rights of transgender individuals. Do you think Pennsylvania should restrict the rights of transgender individuals, yes or no?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-----------------|-----|-------|
| Yes ----- | 115 | 23.00 |
| No----- | 319 | 63.80 |
| Undecided ----- | 64 | 12.80 |
| Refused ----- | 2 | 0.40 |

36. In the 2020 election for president did you vote for Democrat Joe Biden, Republican Donald Trump, or Libertarian Jo Jorgensen... or did you not vote in the presidential election?

(N=500)	n	%
Democrat Joe Biden -----	231	46.20
Republican Donald Trump-----	226	45.20
Libertarian Party Jo Jorgensen -----	8	1.60
Did not vote -----	13	2.60
Undecided -----	9	1.80
Refused -----	13	2.60

THE FINAL QUESTIONS WILL HELP US CLASSIFY YOUR ANSWERS WITH OTHERS TAKING THE SURVEY

37. What is the highest level of education you have completed? {READ}

(N=500)	n	%
Some high school-----	33	6.60
High school graduate -----	96	19.20
Some college -----	118	23.60
Trade/technical/vocational training -----	42	8.40
College graduate-----	136	27.20
Masters or PhD-----	66	13.20
Undecided -----	9	1.80

38. What is your annual household income? {READ}

(N=500)	n	%
Under \$20,000 per year -----	62	12.40
Under \$50,000 per year -----	131	26.20
Under \$75,000 per year -----	59	11.80
Under \$100,000 per year -----	67	13.40
Under \$140,000 per year -----	66	13.20
\$140,000 per year or more -----	60	12.00
Undecided -----	55	11.00

39. Are there any members of your household who are union members, yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	112	22.40
No-----	380	76.00
Undecided -----	8	1.60

40. Do you currently have children in the school system, yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	121	24.20
No-----	372	74.40
Undecided -----	7	1.40

41. Are you or are any members of your household gun owners, yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	262	52.40
No-----	225	45.00
Undecided -----	13	2.60

[THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME. HAVE A NICE DAY/EVENING.]