Dallas County Survey Results

Q1 Do you approve or disapprove of President Joe Biden's job performance?

Approve 60%

Disapprove... 31%

Not sure 9%

Q2 Do you approve or disapprove of Governor Greg Abbott's job performance?

Approve 37%

Disapprove... 54%

Not sure 8%

Q3 Do you approve or disapprove of Dallas County District Attorney John Creuzot's job performance?

Approve 33%

Disapprove... 21%

Not sure 46%

Q4 Of the following list of choices, which punishment do you prefer for people convicted of first-degree murder: life in prison with a possibility of parole after 20 years, life in prison with a possibility of parole after 40 years, life in prison with NO possibility of parole, or the death penalty?

Life in prison with a possibility of parole after 20 years... 20%

Life in prison with a possibility of parole after 40 years... 29%

Life in prison with NO possibility of parole 26%

The death penalty 14%

Not sure 12%

Q5 Do you believe that it is very likely, somewhat likely, somewhat unlikely, or very unlikely that an innocent person has been convicted and sentenced to death in Dallas County?

Very likely 40%

Somewhat likely.. 29%

Somewhat unlikely... 11%

Very unlikely.. 7%

Not sure.. 13%

Q6 Do you believe that it is very likely, somewhat likely, somewhat unlikely, or very unlikely that racial bias affects whether or not a person will receive a death sentence in Dallas County?

Very likely 48%

Somewhat likely.. 21%

Somewhat unlikely... 10%

Very unlikely.. 10%

Not sure.. 11%

Q7 Some district attorneys across the country, including here in Texas, have pledged not to seek any new death sentences due to concerns about wrongful convictions, racial bias, and high costs. Would you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose the Dallas District Attorney adopting a similar position?

Strongly support.. 40%

Somewhat support... 23%

Somewhat oppose 10%

Strongly oppose.. 16%

Not sure.. 11%

Q8 Would you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose the Dallas District Attorney reviewing the cases of the 19 individuals on death row from this county, including any new evidence of innocence or intellectual disability, to ensure accuracy and fairness?

Strongly support...63%

Somewhat support..20%

Somewhat oppose... 5%

Strongly oppose.. 3%

Not sure... 9%

Q9 Regardless of whether you support or oppose the death penalty, which of the following is your biggest concern about using the death penalty: executing an innocent person, the high cost, inequities in application of the death penalty, you think it is not a deterrent to crime, or something else?

Executing an innocent person..........................64%

The high cost 4%

Inequities in application of the death penalty ..13%

Think it is not a deterrent to crime................... 4%

Something else..10%

Not sure... 4%

Q10 In the 2020 election for President, did you vote for Republican Donald Trump, Democrat Joe Biden, someone else, or did you not vote in the election?

Donald Trump 32%

Joe Biden...64%

Someone else / Did not vote............................ 4%

Q11 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman 53%

Man..47%

Q12 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If an independent or a member of another party, press 3.

Democrat 53%

Republican..26%

Independent / Member of another party..........21%

Q13 If you are Hispanic or Latino, press 1. If white, press 2. If African-American, press 3, If other, press 4.

Hispanic or Latino...28%

White 40%

African-American 25%

Other.. 7%

Q14 If you are 18-45 years old, press 1. If 46-65, press 2. If older than 65, press 3.

18 to 45...37%

46 to 65...37%

Older than 65..26%

Q15 What is the highest level of education you have received: high school graduate or less, some college but did not finish, 2-year college degree, 4-year college degree, or post-graduate degree?

High school graduate or less 25%

Some college but did not finish.......................26%

2-year college degree 10%

4-year college degree 25%

Post-graduate degree 14%

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Q16 Are you Protestant, Catholic, Jewish, Muslim, some other religion, or no religion at all?

Protestant 28%

Catholic 20%

Jewish 3%

Muslim 1%

Some other religion 24%

No religion 13%

Don't care to say 11%

Q17 Do you consider yourself very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

Very liberal 15%

Somewhat liberal 17%

Moderate 32%

Somewhat conservative 21%

Very conservative 15%

Q18 Mode

Landline 50%

Text 50%

Q19 Voted in 2018 Yes/No

Yes 59%

No 41%

Q20 Voted in 2020 Yes/No

Yes 75%

No 25%

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