

2023 OHIO

Food Stamps Poll

	ALL VOTERS	GOP	DEM	IND	
1. Would you support or oppose requiring able-bodied adults under 50 years old with no children at home to work, train, or volunteer for at least 20 hours per week as a condition of eligibility for food stamps?					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	71%	86%	64%	60%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	21%	10%	29%	24%	
Unsure	9%	4%	7%	16%	
 Would you support or oppose requiring able-bodied adults under 60 years old with no children under six to work, train, or volunteer at least part time as a condition of eligibility for food stamps? 					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	65%	83%	55%	55%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	25%	14%	37%	26%	
Unsure	9%	3%	7%	19%	
3. Would you support or oppose allowing able-bodied adults with no children at home to be excused from work requirements without needing to give a good reason to be excused?					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	33%	31%	40%	26%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	50%	53%	47%	51%	
Unsure	17%	16%	13%	23%	
4. Some individuals are required to work, train, or volunteer to remain eligible for food stamps. Would you support or oppose requiring public agencies to allow those individuals to volunteer at the agency to meet the requirement?					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	70%	68%	75%	66%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	22%	27%	17%	22%	

8%

Unsure

5%

8%

12%

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5. Would you support or oppose checking food stamp applicants' financial assets, such as expensive homes and cars, to make sure they are truly eligible for benefits?					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	74%	91%	57%	71%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	20%	7%	36%	19%	
Unsure	6%	2%	7%	10%	

6. People receiving taxpayer-funded food stamp benefits do not always report financial changes that could make them ineligible for the program, even though they are legally required to do so. Would you support or oppose requiring food stamp recipients to report changes in their financial circumstances that could make them ineligible for the program within 10 days of that change?

Strongly or Somewhat Support	70%	81%	63%	66%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	20%	15%	26%	19%
Unsure	10%	4%	11%	15%

7. Would you support or oppose requiring individuals to cooperate with the state's attempt to collect child support as a condition of eligibility for food stamps?

Strongly or Somewhat Support	72%	82%	68%	65%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	16%	9%	21%	18%
Unsure	12%	10%	12%	16%

DEMOGRAPHICS

PARTY AFFILIATION

AGE

EDUCATION

GENDER

37% 34% 29% IND

36[%] 38[%] 27[%] 18-44 45-64 65+

65% 35% FOUR-YEAR YEAR DEGREE DEGREE

47% 53% MALE FEMALE

Results for this poll were collected using a mixed-mode sampling frame that combines responses from automated telephone interviews with responses from an online panel. All responses were collected by Cor Services, Inc. The combined statewide sample is of 511 likely Ohio voters.

The survey was conducted April 10–13, 2023. The margin of sampling error is ± 4.34 percentage points. The margin of sampling error may be higher for subgroups. Results presented may not always appear to total 100 percent due to rounding.

Data were post-stratified using weighted demographic information from the U.S. Census Bureau's Current Population Survey Voting and Registration Supplement and the state election authorities. Demographic information for actual voters in past elections was used to construct sample target weights.

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