2024 KENTUCKY Mid-Session Issues Poll



	ALL VOTERS	GOP	DEM	IND	
1. Would you support or oppose requiring money managers to get their clients' consent before making investments based on a political agenda?					
69% OF LIKELY VOTERS SUPPORT					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	69%	72%	68%	64%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	22%	19%	23%	25%	
Unsure	10%	9%	9%	11%	

2. Do you support or oppose allowing large banks to deny services to customers based on the customers' political, social, or religious views?

86% of likely voters oppose					
Strongly or Somewhat Support 9% 11%9%6%					
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	86%	84%	88%	87%	
Unsure	5%	5%	3%	7%	

3. Kentucky allows individuals who receive other types of state welfare to automatically be approved for food stamps. Would you support or oppose requiring the state to verify whether an individual is truly eligible for food stamps, rather than extending automatic approvals?

65% OF LIKELY VOTERS SUPPORT					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	65%	71%	59%	64%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	25%	21%	33%	20%	
Unsure	10%	8%	8%	16%	

4. 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?

62% OF LIKELY VOTERS SUPPORT					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	62%	69%	52%	63%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	28%	23%	34%	29%	
Unsure	10%	9%	14%	8%	

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5. Would you support or oppose the government sending regular cash payments to every person without requiring them to work?						
61% OF LIKELY VOTERS OPPOSE						
Strongly or Somewhat Support	Strongly or Somewhat Support 29% 22% 41% 25%					
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose 61% 73% 49% 58%						
Unsure	9%	5%	10%	17%		

6. Would you support or oppose checking eligibility for people on welfare more frequently and with better technology to help ensure those receiving benefits are still eligible?

76% OF LIKELY VOTERS SUPPORT					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	76%	80%	75%	68%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	17%	13%	19%	22%	
Unsure	7%	6%	6%	10%	

7. People receiving taxpayer-funded welfare 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 welfare recipients to report changes in their financial circumstances that could make them ineligible for the program within 10 days of that change?

72% OF LIKELY VOTERS SUPPORT					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	72%	76%	70%	68%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	20%	18%	21%	24%	
Unsure	8%	7%	9%	8%	

8. Would you support or oppose requiring the state welfare agency to get permission from the legislature before exempting able-bodied adults without children from the requirement to work, train, or volunteer as a condition of eligibility for food stamps?

57% OF REPUBLICANS SUPPORT				
Strongly or Somewhat Support	46%	57%	37%	38%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	36%	28%	46%	37%
Unsure	17%	15%	17%	25%

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9. Would you support or oppose state work restrictions for high school students that align with, without being stricter than, federal law?					
52% OF LIKELY VOTERS SUPPORT					
Strongly or Somewhat Support 52% 58%					
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	25%	26%	27%	19%	

26%

21%

24%

10. Would you support or oppose the creation of a special unit that investigates election law violations?

24%

Unsure

81% OF LIKELY VOTERS SUPPORT					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	81%	86%	72%	82%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	11%	7%	17%	6%	
Unsure	9%	6%	10%	12%	

11. Would you support or oppose spending taxpayer dollars on programs that teach Americans they are "privileged" or "oppressors" based on their skin color or their beliefs?

72% OF LIKELY VOTERS OPPOSE					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	16%	13%	18%	17%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	72%	80%	66%	67%	
Unsure	12%	7%	16%	16%	

12. Would you support or oppose public colleges and universities requiring faculty applicants to agree with certain political positions regarding race, gender, and ideology before being hired?

74% OF LIKELY VOTERS OPPOSE					
Strongly or Somewhat Support	17%	17%	18%	18%	
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	74%	77%	74%	69%	
Unsure	8%	6%	8%	13%	

13. Would you support or oppose colleges and universities considering an applicant's physical characteristics when making admissions decisions?

74% OF LIKELY VOTERS OPPOSE							
Strongly or Somewhat Support	19%	20%	19%	16%			
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	74%	74%	75%	71%			
Unsure	7%	6%	6%	12%			

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14. Generally speaking, do you approve or disapprove of the job the Kentucky legislature is doing?								
45% of likely voters approve								
Strongly or Somewhat Approve	45%	58%	36%	30%				
Strongly or Somewhat Disapprove	45%	30%	57%	57%				
Unsure	11%	12%	7%	13%				



DEMOGRAPHICS

PARTY AFFILIATION			AGE		EDUCATION		GENDER			
	45% GOP	34% DEM	21% IND	38% 18-44	37% 45-64	25% 65+	71 [%] NO FOUR- YEAR DEGREE	29 [%] FOUR-YEAR DEGREE	47 % MALE	53% FEMALE

Results for this poll were collected using a sampling frame from an online panel collected by the Center for Excellence in Polling. The statewide sample is of 435 likely Kentucky voters.

The survey was conducted February 23–27, 2024. The margin of sampling error is \pm 4.70 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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