

2025 IDAHO Priorities Poll

	ALL VOTERS	GOP	DEM	IND
1. Would you support or oppose cross-checking employment and wage data against welfare rolls at least monthly to ensure recipients in Idaho are truly qualified for the programs?				
68% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT				
Strongly or Somewhat Support	68%	72%	62%	65%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	14%	10%	25%	13%
Unsure	18%	17%	13%	22%
2. Would you support or oppose requiring the state to verify whether Medicaid applicants are truly eligible for the program before they are allowed to enroll?				
79% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT				
Strongly or Somewhat Support	79%	82%	67%	82%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	12%	10%	27%	7%
Unsure	9%	8%	6%	11%
3. Would you support or oppose reducing waste, fraud, and abuse in Medicaid to save resources for the truly needy?				
80% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT				
Strongly or Somewhat Support	80%	83%	71%	82%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	9%	4%	21%	8%
Unsure	11%	13%	8%	9%
4. Would you support or oppose requiring hospitals to verify whether a patient is eligible for Medicaid before charging Idaho's Medicaid program for services?				
66% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT				
Strongly or Somewhat Support	66%	73%	57%	62%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	21%	16%	33%	21%
Unsure	13%	12%	10%	17%

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5. Would you support or oppose increasing the availability of career and technical education in Idaho's middle and high schools?

87% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	87%	89%	87%	84%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	6%	3%	11%	9%
Unsure	7%	8%	2%	7%

6. School board voting is often held during special elections when voter turnout is low. Would you support or oppose requiring local school board elections to appear on the same ballot as other general elections for statewide or federal offices?

74% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	74%	76%	75%	70%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	13%	13%	16%	11%
Unsure	13%	11%	9%	19%

7. Some school board elections occur at alternating intervals where only some of the positions appear on the ballot in any given election. Would you support or oppose requiring all school board elections to occur at the same time?

67% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	67%	73%	60%	63%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	19%	14%	30%	18%
Unsure	15%	13%	10%	20%

8. Would you support or oppose requiring ballots to include the party affiliation for school board candidates?

56% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	56%	61%	51%	52%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	30%	23%	43%	31%
Unsure	14%	16%	6%	18%

9. Would you support or oppose term limits for school board members?

68% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	68%	73%	65%	65%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	18%	13%	28%	17%
Unsure	14%	14%	7%	18%

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10. Would you support or oppose getting rid of government jobs that have not been filled for an extended time?

52% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	52%	66%	32%	46%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	27%	16%	46%	30%
Unsure	21%	18%	22%	25%

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

67% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	67%	82%	52%	57%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	23%	9%	43%	27%
Unsure	10%	9%	5%	15%

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

76% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT OPPOSE

Strongly or Somewhat Support	13%	15%	11%	11%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	76%	76%	81%	74%
Unsure	11%	9%	8%	14%

13. State funding from the federal government often comes with special rules that limit state operations. Would you support or oppose requiring the state legislature to vote on whether to accept new federal funding for Idaho state agencies or programs prior to accepting the money?

57% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	57%	68%	40%	53%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	22%	12%	44%	23%
Unsure	21%	20%	16%	24%

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

61% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT OPPOSE

Strongly or Somewhat Support	19%	12%	37%	17%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	61%	72%	43%	58%
Unsure	20%	16%	20%	25%

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15. Would you support or oppose requiring the state to establish a mandatory job referral system that connects unemployed job seekers with businesses that are hiring?

70% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	70%	72%	70%	68%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	16%	15%	19%	15%
Unsure	14%	13%	11%	17%

16. Would you support or oppose reducing the length of time individuals can remain on unemployment when unemployment is low and there are plenty of jobs available?

60% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	60%	70%	44%	57%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	24%	19%	40%	22%
Unsure	15%	11%	16%	20%

17. Do you support or oppose the teaching of gender identity and sexual orientation topics in Idaho's public elementary schools?

64% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT OPPOSE

Strongly or Somewhat Support	23%	12%	58%	16%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	64%	77%	33%	65%
Unsure	13%	10%	9%	19%

18. Would you support or oppose allowing students and parents to opt out of sexual and gender education and other controversial subjects?

64% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	64%	75%	50%	58%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	24%	15%	42%	25%
Unsure	12%	10%	8%	17%

19. Would you support or oppose reducing property taxes in Idaho?

77% OF LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY OR SOMEWHAT SUPPORT

Strongly or Somewhat Support	77%	83%	70%	72%
Strongly or Somewhat Oppose	11%	7%	16%	13%
Unsure	12%	9%	14%	16%



DEMOGRAPHICS

PARTY AFFILIATION			AGE			EDUCATION		GENDER	
44% GOP	21% DEM	36% IND	38% 18-44	35% 45-64	27% 65+	65% NO FOUR- YEAR DEGREE	35% FOUR-YEAR DEGREE	49% MALE	51% 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 data were collected by Cor Services, Inc. The combined [[national/statewide]] sample is of 515 likely Idaho voters.

The survey was conducted September 25-27, 2024. The margin of sampling error is ± 4.32 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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