

Region:

(N=500)	n	%
Clark -----	356	71.20
Central-----	61	12.20
Washoe -----	83	16.60

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

1. Are you currently registered to vote in Nevada?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	500	100.00

2. How likely are you to vote in the midterm elections this November – very likely, somewhat likely, 50-50 or not likely?

(N=500)	n	%
Very likely-----	461	92.20
Somewhat likely-----	39	7.80

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

(N=500)	n	%
Male-----	237	47.40
Female -----	255	51.00
Non-Binary (transgender, gender variant, non-conforming) -----	8	1.60

4. Are you currently registered as...? {ROTATE 4.1 & 4.2}

(N=500)	n	%
Democrat -----	171	34.20
Republican -----	160	32.00
Independent/Non-Partisan -----	155	31.00
Something else-----	6	1.20
Refused -----	8	1.60

5. What is your age category?

(N=500)	n	%
18-24 Years -----	36	7.20
25-34 Years -----	85	17.00
35-49 Years -----	122	24.40
50-64 Years -----	130	26.00
65-74 Years -----	76	15.20
75+ -----	47	9.40
Refused -----	4	0.80

6. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me what your ethnic background / ancestry is?

(N=500)	n	%
White / Caucasian-----	295	59.00
Black / African American-----	46	9.20
American Indian / Alaska Native-----	5	1.00
Asian-----	22	4.40
Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander -----	2	0.40
Hispanic / Latino -----	100	20.00
2 or more races -----	21	4.20
Other-----	7	1.40
Don't know -----	2	0.40

7. For U.S. Senate, there are 6 choices on your ballot in the following order. (READ .1-.5) At this point who would you vote for or lean toward if the election for U.S. Senate were held today?

(N=500)	n	%
Catherine Cortez Masto, Democratic Party-----	223	44.60
Adam Laxalt, Republican Party -----	191	38.20
Barry Lindemann, No political party-----	2	0.40
Barry Rubinson, Independent American Party-----	3	0.60
Neil Scott, Libertarian Party-----	9	1.80
None of these candidates -----	13	2.60
Undecided -----	59	11.80

8. For governor, there are 5 choices on your ballot in the following order. (READ .1-.4) At this point who would you vote for or lean toward if the election for governor were held today?

(N=500)	n	%
Ed Bridges, Independent American Party-----	14	2.80
Brandon Davis, Libertarian Party -----	11	2.20
Joe Lombardo, Republican Party-----	201	40.20
Steve Sisolak, Democratic Party -----	216	43.20
None of these candidates -----	10	2.00
Undecided -----	48	9.60

9. For secretary of state, there are 5 choices on your ballot in the following order. (READ .1-.4) At this point who would you vote for or lean toward if the election for secretary of state were held today?

(N=500)	n	%
Francisco Aguilar, Democratic Party -----	133	26.60
Ross Crane, Libertarian Party-----	12	2.40
Janine Hansen, Independent American Party-----	34	6.80
Jim Marchant, Republican Party-----	157	31.40
None of these candidates -----	33	6.60
Undecided -----	131	26.20

10. For treasurer, there are 4 choices on your ballot in the following order. (READ .1-.3) At this point who would you vote for or lean toward if the election for treasurer were held today?

(N=500)	n	%
Sigal Chattah, Republican Party-----	140	28.00
Aaron Ford, Democratic Party-----	166	33.20
John Kennedy, Libertarian Party -----	58	11.60
None of these candidates -----	21	4.20
Undecided -----	115	23.00

11. I'm going to read you a list of 10 issues. Please tell me which ONE do you think is the MOST important issue to you this year?

(N=500)	n	%
Inflation / Economy-----	171	34.20
Schools / Education-----	51	10.20
Abortion -----	63	12.60
Election fraud -----	56	11.20
Climate change -----	47	9.40
Public safety -----	24	4.80
Guns -----	30	6.00
Drugs / Opioids-----	3	0.60
COVID-19 -----	0	0.00
Affordable housing -----	37	7.40
Undecided -----	18	3.60

Great. I am now 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 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 13-17}

(N=500)	NEVER HEARD	FAVORABLE	UNFAVORABLE	HOF/UNDECIDED
12. Joe Biden	0 0.00	204 40.80	265 53.00	31 6.20
13. Adam Laxalt	28 5.60	172 34.40	204 40.80	96 19.20
14. Steve Sisolak	6 1.20	231 46.20	217 43.40	46 9.20
15. Donald Trump	0 0.00	200 40.00	264 52.80	36 7.20
16. Catherine Cortez Masto	15 3.00	232 46.40	195 39.00	58 11.60
17. Joe Lombardo	28 5.60	161 32.20	189 37.80	122 24.40

18.	Do you think Nevada is heading in the right direction, or is on the wrong track?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Right direction -----	203	40.60
	Wrong track -----	236	47.20
	Undecided -----	61	12.20
19.	Do you approve or disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing as president?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Approve -----	204	40.80
	Disapprove -----	258	51.60
	Undecided -----	38	7.60
20.	Is your standard of living better now than it was two years ago, worse, or about the same?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Better now -----	85	17.00
	Worse now -----	229	45.80
	About the same -----	181	36.20
	Undecided -----	4	0.80
	Refused -----	1	0.20
21.	How would you rate economic conditions in Nevada today – excellent, good, fair, or poor? (ROTATE ASC-DESC)		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Excellent -----	11	2.20
	Good -----	105	21.00
	Fair -----	204	40.80
	Poor -----	164	32.80
	Undecided -----	16	3.20
	Refused -----	0	0.00
22.	On a scale of 1-10, where 1 is not at all trustworthy and 10 is extremely trustworthy , how much do you trust results from Nevada’s election system?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	1 – Not at all trustworthy -----	71	14.20
	2 -----	25	5.00
	3 -----	20	4.00
	4 -----	33	6.60
	5 -----	53	10.60
	6 -----	33	6.60
	7 -----	23	4.60
	8 -----	50	10.00
	9 -----	34	6.80
	10 – Extremely trustworthy -----	154	30.80
	Undecided -----	3	0.60
	Refused -----	1	0.20
	Mean -----	6.42	

23. On a scale of 1-10, where **1 is not at all** and **10 is very much**, how much will your views on abortion impact which candidates you will vote for in November?

(N=500)	n	%
1 - Not at all impact vote-----	117	23.40
2 -----	5	1.00
3 -----	13	2.60
4 -----	7	1.40
5 -----	32	6.40
6 -----	14	2.80
7 -----	28	5.60
8 -----	37	7.40
9 -----	23	4.60
10 – Very much impact vote -----	200	40.00
Undecided -----	20	4.00
Refused -----	4	0.80
Mean-----	6.59	

24. There is a ballot initiative to open up Nevada’s top party primary races to all voters regardless of party, and to allow the ranking of your five top choices instead of voting for one. At this point, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose this ballot initiative? (ROTATE ASC-DESC)

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly support -----	131	26.20
Somewhat support -----	127	25.40
Somewhat oppose -----	60	12.00
Strongly oppose-----	110	22.00
Undecided -----	69	13.80
Refused -----	3	0.60

25. A ballot initiative would add the Equal Rights Amendment to Nevada’s State Constitution. It would change the Nevada Constitution to “guarantee that equality of rights under the law shall not be denied or abridged by this State or any of its cities, counties, or other political subdivisions on account of race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, disability, ancestry, or national origin.” At this point, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose this ballot initiative? (ROTATE ASC-DESC)

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly support -----	263	52.60
Somewhat support -----	84	16.80
Somewhat oppose -----	38	7.60
Strongly oppose-----	62	12.40
Undecided -----	45	9.00
Refused -----	8	1.60

26. Another ballot initiative would change how Nevada’s minimum wage is handled. It closely mirrors existing state law but would allow the State Legislature to increase the minimum wage and would never let the state’s minimum wage fall below the federal minimum wage. At this point, do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose this ballot initiative? (ROTATE ASC-DESC)

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly support -----	225	45.00
Somewhat support -----	129	25.80
Somewhat oppose -----	47	9.40
Strongly oppose-----	54	10.80
Undecided -----	39	7.80
Refused -----	6	1.20

27. In the 2020 presidential election, did you vote for Democrat Joe Biden, Republican Donald Trump, Libertarian Jo Jorgensen, none of these candidates...or did you not vote in the presidential election?

(N=500)	n	%
Democrat Joe Biden -----	229	45.80
Republican Donald Trump -----	220	44.00
Libertarian Jo Jorgensen -----	6	1.20
None of these candidates -----	17	3.40
Did not vote -----	10	2.00
Undecided -----	2	0.40
Refused -----	16	3.20

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

28. What is your annual household income? (READ CATEGORIES)

(N=500)	n	%
Under \$20,000 per year-----	68	13.60
Under \$50,000 per year-----	70	14.00
Under \$75,000 per year-----	85	17.00
Under \$100,000 per year-----	88	17.60
Under \$140,000 per year-----	60	12.00
\$140,000 per year or more-----	76	15.20
Undecided -----	53	10.60

29. What is the highest level of education you have completed? (READ CATEGORIES)

(N=500)	n	%
Some high school -----	27	5.40
High school graduate -----	79	15.80
Some college -----	153	30.60
Trade / technical / vocational training -----	47	9.40
College graduate -----	125	25.00
Masters or PhD -----	56	11.20
Undecided -----	13	2.60

30. Are there any members of your household who are union members – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	114	22.80
No -----	382	76.40
Undecided/Refused -----	4	0.80

31. Are there any members of your household, including yourself, who are gun owners – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	269	53.80
No -----	198	39.60
Undecided/Refused -----	33	6.60

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