

1. Favor gas tax hike

A bipartisan group of Senators have proposed raising the gas tax by 12 cents over the next two years, and indexing the tax to the inflation for the future to fund highway and road improvement projects. Would you favor or oppose this proposal?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Favor	25%	29%	21%	24%	26%	25%	24%	36%	19%	20%
Oppose	55%	57%	52%	40%	52%	63%	61%	41%	61%	63%
Don't know	20%	13%	27%	36%	22%	12%	15%	23%	20%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (480)	100% (520)	100% (175)	100% (276)	100% (386)	100% (163)	100% (345)	100% (413)	100% (242)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favor	25%	25%	19%	27%	24%	23%	34%	31%	24%	22%	25%
Oppose	55%	57%	55%	40%	54%	59%	52%	50%	59%	57%	50%
Don't know	20%	17%	26%	33%	22%	18%	14%	19%	17%	21%	25%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (744)	100% (120)	100% (136)	100% (370)	100% (277)	100% (219)	100% (169)	100% (232)	100% (349)	100% (250)

2. Ways to fund roads

How should governments pay for road repairs and construction? Check all that apply.

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Gas tax	31%	36%	26%	22%	26%	36%	40%	39%	24%	34%
Road tolls	40%	41%	39%	30%	42%	43%	43%	44%	37%	38%
Income taxes	15%	17%	14%	14%	18%	16%	12%	19%	13%	16%
Sales taxes	20%	21%	19%	22%	15%	22%	20%	23%	17%	21%
Property taxes	14%	14%	14%	19%	16%	12%	8%	17%	12%	13%
Vehicle registration fees	47%	48%	46%	38%	47%	53%	48%	49%	44%	51%
Drivers license fees	39%	38%	39%	29%	39%	43%	43%	37%	38%	44%
Something else	20%	23%	18%	19%	20%	24%	15%	10%	28%	19%
Don't know	16%	11%	21%	27%	18%	7%	16%	19%	16%	12%
Totals	(1,000)	(480)	(520)	(175)	(276)	(386)	(163)	(345)	(413)	(242)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Gas tax	31%	34%	18%	26%	26%	33%	49%	32%	29%	27%	38%
Road tolls	40%	41%	38%	35%	38%	45%	46%	53%	36%	42%	29%
Income taxes	15%	15%	13%	19%	14%	19%	19%	13%	13%	19%	13%
Sales taxes	20%	19%	17%	26%	19%	26%	22%	18%	19%	25%	16%
Property taxes	14%	13%	16%	16%	14%	18%	14%	11%	11%	18%	13%
Vehicle registration fees	47%	50%	35%	42%	40%	58%	56%	49%	45%	47%	48%
Drivers license fees	39%	42%	28%	31%	32%	52%	46%	41%	40%	36%	40%
Something else	20%	21%	21%	16%	21%	14%	23%	22%	19%	20%	20%
Don't know	16%	14%	27%	18%	16%	12%	8%	14%	16%	15%	18%
Totals	(1,000)	(744)	(120)	(136)	(370)	(277)	(219)	(169)	(232)	(349)	(250)

3. Main way to fund roads

What should be the main way that governments pay for road repairs and construction?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Gas tax	18%	24%	12%	11%	14%	23%	24%	20%	16%	19%
Road tolls	17%	15%	19%	19%	18%	16%	16%	16%	18%	18%
Income taxes	7%	7%	7%	10%	7%	6%	4%	12%	4%	6%
Sales taxes	6%	7%	5%	3%	7%	6%	8%	5%	6%	6%
Property taxes	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	5%	2%	2%
Vehicle registration fees	14%	14%	15%	9%	17%	16%	15%	15%	13%	16%
Drivers license fees	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%
Something else	13%	13%	12%	9%	10%	16%	14%	7%	17%	12%
Don't know	18%	13%	23%	32%	19%	12%	10%	16%	19%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(995)	(480)	(515)	(175)	(275)	(384)	(161)	(341)	(412)	(242)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Gas tax	18%	20%	6%	17%	17%	18%	26%	19%	17%	15%	24%
Road tolls	17%	16%	25%	16%	17%	19%	16%	29%	15%	19%	7%
Income taxes	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	9%	7%	5%	7%	8%	6%
Sales taxes	6%	5%	6%	9%	7%	6%	7%	4%	5%	8%	6%
Property taxes	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%	4%	3%
Vehicle registration fees	14%	15%	13%	12%	14%	18%	13%	9%	16%	13%	20%
Drivers license fees	4%	4%	4%	6%	4%	5%	3%	4%	5%	4%	4%
Something else	13%	13%	12%	9%	12%	7%	14%	12%	16%	12%	11%
Don't know	18%	17%	22%	20%	18%	15%	11%	17%	17%	18%	19%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(995)	(742)	(117)	(136)	(368)	(275)	(219)	(169)	(230)	(347)	(249)

4. Local road condition

How would you describe the condition of roads and highways in your area?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very good	10%	8%	11%	8%	9%	11%	13%	9%	8%	16%
Somewhat good	33%	31%	35%	34%	31%	32%	36%	29%	35%	34%
Neither good nor bad	24%	28%	21%	29%	28%	22%	19%	26%	26%	19%
Somewhat bad	22%	22%	21%	15%	22%	27%	21%	25%	19%	22%
Very bad	7%	7%	7%	7%	5%	7%	9%	7%	8%	5%
Not sure	4%	4%	4%	7%	5%	2%	2%	4%	4%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (480)	100% (520)	100% (175)	100% (276)	100% (386)	100% (163)	100% (345)	100% (413)	100% (242)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very good	10%	10%	10%	13%	9%	9%	13%	5%	10%	12%	11%
Somewhat good	33%	35%	27%	27%	30%	35%	37%	31%	23%	38%	36%
Neither good nor bad	24%	24%	23%	29%	27%	23%	22%	29%	23%	23%	24%
Somewhat bad	22%	23%	25%	15%	22%	24%	20%	22%	29%	17%	22%
Very bad	7%	7%	8%	4%	7%	6%	7%	10%	10%	5%	5%
Not sure	4%	2%	7%	13%	5%	3%	1%	3%	6%	5%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (744)	100% (120)	100% (136)	100% (370)	100% (277)	100% (219)	100% (169)	100% (232)	100% (349)	100% (250)

5. Local bridge condition

How would you describe the condition of bridges in your area?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very good	14%	13%	15%	11%	15%	16%	13%	11%	12%	21%
Somewhat good	29%	30%	28%	30%	31%	26%	30%	29%	32%	21%
Neither good nor bad	24%	24%	24%	26%	26%	24%	17%	24%	22%	29%
Somewhat bad	16%	18%	14%	8%	14%	22%	18%	17%	16%	15%
Very bad	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%	4%	7%	6%	4%	3%
Not sure	13%	11%	15%	21%	11%	9%	15%	14%	13%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (990)	100% (476)	100% (514)	100% (173)	100% (273)	100% (384)	100% (160)	100% (343)	100% (406)	100% (241)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very good	14%	13%	12%	18%	14%	13%	16%	8%	13%	17%	14%
Somewhat good	29%	30%	29%	23%	28%	31%	30%	19%	31%	30%	30%
Neither good nor bad	24%	24%	24%	25%	26%	24%	21%	31%	22%	23%	22%
Somewhat bad	16%	17%	19%	10%	16%	16%	19%	20%	16%	15%	16%
Very bad	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%	4%	9%	6%	3%	2%
Not sure	13%	12%	14%	19%	13%	10%	10%	13%	12%	12%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (990)	100% (736)	100% (119)	100% (135)	100% (365)	100% (276)	100% (216)	100% (167)	100% (230)	100% (345)	100% (248)

6. Gas price problem

How much of a problem has the price of gas been for you and your family lately?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very serious	6%	7%	6%	6%	9%	8%	1%	7%	8%	3%
Somewhat serious	19%	18%	20%	21%	15%	18%	22%	17%	21%	18%
Not too serious	38%	37%	39%	39%	39%	34%	41%	33%	39%	43%
Not at all serious	37%	39%	34%	33%	37%	40%	35%	43%	32%	36%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(994)	(480)	(514)	(174)	(274)	(383)	(163)	(342)	(410)	(242)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very serious	6%	6%	6%	11%	10%	4%	5%	7%	4%	8%	6%
Somewhat serious	19%	19%	12%	26%	22%	16%	15%	18%	17%	19%	21%
Not too serious	38%	36%	48%	39%	41%	35%	30%	31%	45%	38%	35%
Not at all serious	37%	39%	33%	24%	27%	44%	50%	43%	33%	34%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(994)	(743)	(116)	(135)	(366)	(276)	(219)	(169)	(231)	(345)	(249)

7. Lower carbon emissions

Should gas taxes be used exclusively to fund road construction and maintenance or should gas taxes be increased to a level which would reduce how much people drive and the carbon emissions from driving?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Only to fund roads	54%	57%	52%	38%	47%	61%	73%	43%	51%	78%
Reduce carbon emissions	18%	21%	14%	26%	22%	14%	6%	26%	18%	4%
Not sure	28%	22%	34%	36%	32%	25%	20%	31%	31%	19%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (477)	100% (517)	100% (173)	100% (274)	100% (384)	100% (163)	100% (345)	100% (409)	100% (240)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Only to fund roads	54%	61%	36%	33%	46%	59%	68%	59%	57%	51%	52%
Reduce carbon emissions	18%	14%	25%	29%	23%	11%	16%	20%	10%	20%	19%
Not sure	28%	25%	38%	37%	31%	29%	16%	22%	32%	29%	29%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (739)	100% (120)	100% (135)	100% (368)	100% (276)	100% (218)	100% (165)	100% (230)	100% (349)	100% (250)