



Fiscal Alliance Foundation Gubernatorial Primary Election Poll

Poll of Likely Primary Voters on Presidential Approval, Statewide Races,
Ballot Questions, and Policies
750 Likely Voters
August 22 and 23, 2022

		Republican Primary Voters	%	Democratic Primary Voters	%	Total	%
1. Thinking	ahead to the fall gubernatorial primary	race in Massachusetts, in which primary	do you inten	to vote?			
1	Republican	187	100%	0	0%	187	25%
2	Democrat	0	0%	563	100%	563	75%
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
2. Do you a	pprove or disapprove of President Joe E	l Biden's job performance?					
1	Strongly Approve	15	8%	327	58%	342	46%
2	Somewhat Approve	6	3%	181	32%	187	25%
3	Somewhat Disapprove	18	10%	14	2%	32	4%
4	Strongly Disapprove	144	77%	22	4%	166	22%
5	Not Sure	4	2%	19	3%	23	3%
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
3. Do you a	pprove or disapprove of President Joe E	I Biden's handling of the economy?					
1	Strongly Approve	10	5%	316	56%	326	43%
2	Somewhat Approve	8	4%	154	27%	162	22%
3	Somewhat Disapprove	18	10%	33	6%	51	7%
4	Strongly Disapprove	140	75%	23	4%	163	22%
5	Not Sure	11	6%	37	7%	48	6%
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
4. Do you a	approve or disapprove of President Joe E	l Biden's handling of inflation?					
1	Strongly Approve	11	6%	308	55%	319	43%
2	Somewhat Approve	10	5%	130	23%	140	19%
3	Somewhat Disapprove	14	7%	27	5%	41	5%
4	Strongly Disapprove	148	79%	31	6%	179	24%
5	Not Sure	4	2%	67	12%	71	9%
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%

Do you thi	ink Massachusetts is heading on the right t	rack or wrong track.					
1	Right Track	42	22%	444	79%	486	65%
2	Wrong Track	126	67%	64	11%	190	25%
3	Not Sure	19	10%	55	10%	74	10%
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
rising cos	er Ron Mariano and Senate President Ka t of inflation. This rebate bill was not p package before the end of the year?						e
1	Yes	78	42%	301	53%	379	51%
2	No	92	49%	164	29%	256	34%
3	Not Sure	17	9%	98	17%	115	15%
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
Do you su	pport giving driver's licenses to illegal immi	igrants?					
1	Yes	15	8%	339	60%	354	47%
2	No	168	90%	148	26%	316	42%
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3	Unenrolled	82	44%	140	25%	222	30%
2	Republicans	105	56%	0	0%	105	14%
1	Democrats	0	0%	423	75%	423	56%
8. Party A	ffiliation						
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
2	Female	89	48%	298	53%	387	52%
1	Male	98	52%	265	47%	363	48%
7. Gender							
	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
2	No	170	91%	464	82%	634	85%
1	Yes	17	9%	99	18%	116	15%
6. Are you	or anyone in your family household a membe	r of a labor union?					
J	Total	187	100%	563	100%	750	100%
3	65 or older	72	39%	186	33%	258	34%
2	45-64	99	53%	279	50%	378	50%
1	18-44	16	9%	98	17%	114	15%
5. Age Rar	nge						
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7	Law Enforcement/Rule of Law	30	16% 9%	24 26	4%	54	7% 6%
6	Health Care	5	3%	144 24	26%	149	20%
5	Climate Change	10	5%	175	31%	185	25%
4	Covid-19	1	1%	14	2%	15	2%
3	Inflation	62	33%	61	11%	123	16%
2	Taxes	17	9%	13	2%	30	4%
1	Jobs/Economy	36	19%	54	10%	90	12%