



Arizona Voters' Agenda

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The questions are presented in the order in which the survey was written. During data collection, the order of questions was randomized across interviews to minimize potential ordering effects and reduce response bias. As a result, respondents did not all receive questions in the same sequence.

Q1. In general, would you say that the State of Arizona is heading in the right direction or the wrong direction?

Definitely right direction
Probably right direction
Probably wrong direction
Definitely wrong direction
Don't Know, Refused

Q2. What do you consider to be the top issue facing the State of Arizona today?

Education
Environmental issues
Long-term water supplies
Election issues
Immigration & border security
Inflation & cost of living
Healthcare
Homelessness
Housing costs
Energy
Don't Know, Refused

Q3. In general, how well do you think the political system is working in Arizona today?

Extremely well
Very well
Somewhat well
Not too well
Not at all
Don't Know, Refused

I am going to read you some statements about education policy that may be discussed in this year's election. After each one, please tell me if you support or oppose the policy position.

Strongly Oppose
Somewhat Oppose
Somewhat Support
Strongly Support
Don't Know, Refused



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I am going to ask you some questions regarding cost of living and related issues. After each one, please tell me if, compared to 2 years ago, you would say the following have gotten better, worse, or stayed about the same?

- Much worse
- Somewhat worse
- About the same
- Somewhat better
- Much Better
- Don't Know, Refused

Compared to 2 years ago, would you say the following have gotten better, worse or stayed about the same?

- Q4. Cost of living
- Q5. Arizona's economy
- Q6. The State of Arizona budget
- Q7. Inflation
- Q8. Gas prices

- Q9. How difficult do you think it is for most people in Arizona to cover their basic monthly expenses, such as housing, groceries, gas, utilities, and healthcare?

- Very difficult
- Somewhat difficult
- Not too difficult
- Not difficult at all
- Don't Know, Refused

- Q10. For you personally, how difficult is it to cover your basic monthly expenses, such as housing, groceries, gas, utilities, and healthcare?

- Very difficult
- Somewhat difficult
- Not too difficult
- Not difficult at all
- Don't Know, Refused

- Q11. Which of the following costs do you think are contributing most to financial strain for people in Arizona right now? **[Select up to two]**

- Housing
- Groceries
- Gas/transportation
- Utilities
- Childcare



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Healthcare
Wages not keeping up with inflation
Other
Don't Know, Refused

Q12. Which of the following statements comes closer to your view on housing?

- (1) Arizona should make it easier to build more housing, even if local communities have less control over development decisions.
- (2) Local communities should maintain control over housing development decisions, even if it limits how much housing gets built.

Statement 1
Statement 2
Both
Neither
Other
Don't know/Refused

The following are statements that you might hear during the election regarding housing. Please tell me after hearing each, if you agree or disagree with the statement.

Strongly Disagree
Somewhat Disagree
Somewhat Agree
Strongly Agree
Don't Know, Refused

Q13. I would support more housing options such as duplexes, townhomes, casitas, and homes on smaller lots being built in my community if it helped address housing affordability in Arizona.

Q14. Rising housing and other living costs in Arizona have made me more likely to consider moving to another state.

I am going to ask you some questions about education. I'm going to read you some statements about education policy that may be discussed in this year's election. After each one, please tell me if you support or oppose the policy position.

Strongly Oppose
Somewhat Oppose
Somewhat Support
Strongly Support
Don't Know, Refused

Q15. Increasing access to affordable, high-quality early learning opportunities for 3- and 4-year-olds.

Q16. Increasing state investments to help more students afford and attend Arizona's public universities and community colleges.

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- Q17. Expanding internships, apprenticeships, and other work-based learning opportunities for students.
- Q18. Helping more Arizonans gain job skills and credentials through community colleges and workforce training programs.
- Q19. Ensuring that every student has access to dual enrollment, early college, or other opportunities to earn college credit while in high school.

The following are statements that you might hear during the election regarding education issues. Please tell me after hearing each, if you agree or disagree with the statement.

Strongly Disagree
Somewhat Disagree
Somewhat Agree
Strongly Agree
Don't Know, Refused

- Q20. Arizona's future depends on maintaining a strong public education system that prepares students for success in life and work.
- Q21. Students should have opportunities to explore careers and learn about future job opportunities before graduating from high school.
- Q22. All schools receiving public funding should publicly report information about student outcomes and performance.
- Q23. Arizona's education system should ensure students develop strong reading, writing, and math skills.
- Q24. Arizona's K-12 education system should help students develop the skills needed to think critically, solve problems, and adapt in a changing world.
- Q25. Arizona needs to increase the number of students who pursue and complete education or training beyond high school.
- Q26. How confident are you that Arizona's energy systems can reliably support the state's future growth and extreme heat conditions?
- Very Confident
Somewhat Confident
Not Very Confident
Not At All Confident
Don't Know/Refused
- Q27. How confident are you that Arizona's water systems can reliably support the state's future growth and extreme heat conditions?



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Very Confident
Somewhat Confident
Not Very Confident
Not At All Confident
Don't Know/Refused

- Q28. Do you believe Arizona will have enough water to support residents, agriculture, and future economic growth over the long term?

Definitely Yes
Probably Yes
Probably No
Definitely No
Don't Know

- Q29. Do you believe Arizona should strengthen groundwater protections in rural parts of the state that currently have fewer groundwater regulations?

Definitely Yes
Probably Yes
Probably No
Definitely No
Don't Know

- Q30. Which comes closer to your view?

- (1) Arizona needs to build more housing to keep up with growth and affordability needs, even if communities cannot guarantee a long-term water supply.
- (2) Arizona should limit new housing development in areas where there isn't a guaranteed long-term water supply.

Statement 1
Statement 2
Both
Neither
Other
Don't know/Refused

- Q31. In general, how confident are you in the security of elections in Arizona?

Very Confident
Somewhat Confident
Not Very Confident
Not At All Confident
Don't Know/Refused



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Q32. Which of the following statements comes closer to your view about Arizona elections?

- (1) Arizona should make getting election results faster a higher priority, even if it means reducing some voting options such as dropping ballots off at polling places prior to or on Election Day.
- (2) Arizona should make convenient and accessible voting a higher priority, even if it takes longer to get final election results.

Statement 1

Statement 2

Both

Neither

Other

Don't know/Refused

Q33. When registering to vote, Arizonans must provide documentation proving their identity and citizenship and provide a signature. Voters who vote in person must show photo identification at the polls. Voters who vote by mail must sign their ballot, and election officials verify their identity by comparing the signature on the ballot to the signature on the registration file.
Which statement comes closer to your view?

- (1) Arizona should require voters to show proof of citizenship beyond a drivers license, such as a birth certificate, before receiving a ballot by mail to help ensure election integrity.
- (2) Arizona already has strong voter identification laws, and additional requirements for voting by mail could make it harder for eligible voters to participate.

Statement 1

Statement 2

Both

Neither

Other

Don't know/Refused

Q34. Do you think there are a significant number of non-citizens voting in Arizona elections?

Definitely Yes

Probably Yes

Probably No

Definitely No

Don't Know

Refused

The following are statements that you might hear during the election regarding immigration issues. Please tell me if, after hearing each, you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree, or strongly disagree with the statement.

Strongly Disagree



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Somewhat Disagree
Somewhat Agree
Strongly Agree
Don't Know, Refused

- Q35. The United States should create a clearer and easier legal pathway to citizenship for immigrants who meet established requirements.
- Q36. The United States should make it more difficult for immigrants to achieve citizenship, including tougher requirements and a more rigorous vetting process.
- Q37. Mexico is Arizona's largest trade and tourism partner. Arizona should prioritize both border security and a functioning border for commerce, trade, and legal immigration.
- Q38. Which comes closer to your view?
- (1) Arizona and the United States should enforce immigration laws while making sure to treat immigrants who are legally in the country fairly and respectfully.
 - (2) Arizona and the United States should prioritize stricter immigration enforcement, even if some legal immigrants experience additional scrutiny or restrictions.

Statement 1
Statement 2
Both
Neither
Other
Don't know/Refused