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The Arizona Voters' Agenda

2026 REPORT



Where voters agree, there is an agenda for action.

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ABOUT THE ARIZONA VOTERS' AGENDA

Keeping Voters at the Center of Elections and Governance

The Arizona Voters' Agenda gives leaders, organizations, journalists, and Arizonans a trusted foundation for understanding what voters want Arizona's leaders to accomplish—and for putting those shared priorities into action well beyond Election Day.

Election conversations often focus on who is ahead and where candidates and political parties disagree. The Arizona Voters' Agenda begins with where there is agreement on what voters want for the state.

Developed by Center for the Future of Arizona (CFA) during every statewide election cycle since 2022, the Arizona Voters' Agenda is based on rigorous, nonpartisan public opinion surveys of Arizona voters. It identifies priorities that receive strong support statewide and across political affiliations and age groups, then brings those priorities into election dialogue and public decision-making.

A FINDING IS CONSIDERED PART OF THE VOTERS' AGENDA WHEN IT MEETS BOTH STANDARDS BELOW:

The Arizona Voters' Agenda surveys ask many questions across a wide range of topics. Questions are neutrally framed and, where useful, present different options for voters to consider.

50%+ OF ALL LIKELY VOTERS STRONGLY SUPPORT OR AGREE

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50%+ MAJORITY OF EVERY POLITICAL AFFILIATION AND AGE GROUP SUPPORT OR AGREE



TIPS FOR READING THIS REPORT

AGENDA PRIORITIES: Only findings that meet the above agreement standards are Arizona Voters' Agenda priorities. CFA publishes additional findings to illuminate voters' experiences, concerns and perspectives as additional insight.

RESULTS BY TOPIC: Each section pairs a concise interpretation with the complete question wording and results statewide and by political affiliation.

MORE INFORMATION ONLINE: Complete age-group results, survey instruments and additional methodological details are available at ArizonaVotersAgenda.org.



THE AGENDA EMERGING FROM VOTERS' PRIORITIES

What Arizona Voters Want Leaders to Act On

As newly elected and returning leaders begin the work ahead, voters' shared priorities offer a strong foundation for pragmatic action that expands opportunity, strengthens communities, and prepares Arizona for the long term.

✓ Optimism and Opportunity for Progress

Arizonans believe the state's best days are ahead. They want leaders to address the issues affecting people and communities with clear plans, practical solutions, and measurable results.

✓ Common Ground for Working Together

Voters agree across political affiliations and generations on priorities in water, education, economic opportunity, healthcare, and immigration. They also prefer leaders who work across differences to solve problems. This common ground gives leaders a credible foundation for working together and making progress.

✓ Developing Talent and Building Futures in Arizona

A comprehensive education agenda emerges from voters' priorities. Voters want strong public schools and more education and career opportunities that develop Arizona's own students and workers. They also recognize that affordability, housing, childcare, and healthcare affect whether people can stay here to pursue career opportunities.

✓ Planning Ahead for Arizona's Success

Voters want long-term action so water, energy, communities, and infrastructure can sustain continued economic opportunity and quality of life.

PUT THE AGENDA TO WORK

The Voters' Agenda provides elected leaders data and insights into the shared priorities of Arizonans, and a foundation for framing agendas and driving action. It also provides journalists, civic groups, business leaders, and others across the state trusted information for public dialogue and a way to assess if outcomes desired by Arizonans are being realized.



LEADERSHIP AND ARIZONA'S FUTURE

Shared Priorities Give Leaders a Strong Starting Point

Arizonans believe we have a bright future and want to see leaders make progress to achieve that goal.

60%

believe Arizona's best days are ahead

With clear areas of agreement to build on, leaders can bring people together and turn shared priorities into meaningful progress.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
In general, do you believe Arizona's best days are ahead?	Total Yes	**60%**	54%	59%	64%
	Total No	**28%**	29%	30%	25%
How important is it to you to have opportunities to hear candidates directly answer questions about the issues that matter to the majority of Arizona voters?	Total Important	**93%**	94%	91%	94%
	Total Not Important	**6%**	4%	6%	7%
Which statement most clearly matches your preference?	I would rather elect leaders who develop practical solutions to Arizona's biggest challenges, even if I don't agree with them on every political issue.	**63%**	64%	66%	59%
	Prefer leaders who consistently stand up for their political values	**33%**	32%	29%	38%
In general, how well do you think the political system is working in Arizona today?	Extremely or very well	**7%**	9%	8%	4%
	Somewhat well	**41%**	48%	43%	34%
	Not too well or not at all well	**47%**	37%	44%	57%

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ELECTIONS

Arizonans Value Secure Elections, Access, and Existing Practices

Arizonans understand that fair and secure elections are essential to democracy and that trust is fundamental to participation and acceptance of election outcomes.

The majority of voters support continuing voting by mail, preserving accessible voting even when final results take longer and maintaining Arizona's current voter-identification requirements. Republican voters differ from the rest of the electorate on each measure.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
In general, how confident are you that the results of the upcoming General Elections will be accurate?	Total Confident	**66%**	77%	68%	56%
	Total Not Confident	**32%**	20%	31%	42%
In general, how concerned are you about political leaders pressuring election officials to change election outcomes?	Total Concerned	**75%**	88%	77%	63%
	Total Not Concerned	**23%**	11%	21%	33%
Which of the following statements comes closer to your view about voting by mail?	Voting by mail has worked well in the State of Arizona for over 30 years. It is convenient, reliable, and secure. Arizona should continue to allow voting by mail.	**68%**	94%	68%	46%
	Voting by mail should be reserved only for people serving in the military and other special circumstances. It is susceptible to manipulation and cannot be trusted. Voting by mail should be eliminated in Arizona.	**29%**	4%	29%	49%
In general, how confident are you in the security of elections in Arizona?	Total confident	**65%**	86%	69%	45%
	Total not confident	**35%**	13%	31%	54%

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Elections (CONTINUED)

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Which of the following statements comes closer to your view about Arizona elections?	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.	**34%**	14%	25%	56%
	Arizona should make convenient and accessible voting a higher priority, even if it takes longer to get final election results.	**63%**	84%	74%	38%
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?	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.	**38%**	9%	34%	63%
	Arizona already has strong voter identification laws, and additional requirements for voting by mail could make it harder for eligible voters to participate.	**60%**	91%	64%	32%
Do you think there are a significant number of non-citizens voting in Arizona elections?	Total Yes	**41%**	11%	31%	72%
	Total No	**54%**	85%	64%	22%

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ELECTION CONFIDENCE NOW DIFFERS BY POLITICAL AFFILIATION

Across CFA surveys since 2022, majorities across political affiliations have generally expressed confidence in election security and support for Arizona's established voting practices. In 2026, Republican confidence and support declined across every election measure tested and fell below a majority on election security and continuing voting by mail. This is a significant departure from the cross-partisan agreement CFA has seen over time. Leaders should understand what is shaping these views, communicate clearly about Arizona's safeguards, and take evidence-based steps to strengthen confidence across political affiliations.



EDUCATION

Voters Support Public Education and Want Leaders to Improve Results

Arizona voters strongly support public education and its role in creating opportunity, strengthening the economy, and supporting strong communities. They also believe leaders need to focus more attention on student success and deliver better outcomes.

"I continue to support public education in Arizona. Public schools play an important role in creating opportunity for students, strengthening our economy, and supporting strong communities."

ALL VOTERS	DEMOCRAT	IND./UNAFF.	REPUBLICAN
83%	98%	84%	71%

TOTAL AGREE

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
I continue to support public education in Arizona. Public schools play an important role in creating opportunity for students, strengthening our economy and supporting strong communities.	Agree	**83%**	98%	84%	71%
	Disagree	**15%**	3%	12%	28%
I no longer support public education in Arizona. Public schools are not delivering the results students need, and I have lost confidence in the public education system.	Agree	**43%**	24%	39%	60%
	Disagree	**51%**	71%	58%	35%
Arizona's future depends on maintaining a strong public education system that prepares students for success in life and work.	Agree	**91%**	96%	92%	86%
	Disagree	**7%**	4%	6%	9%
Do you believe Arizona's elected leaders are doing enough to improve K-12 public education for all students?	Yes	**14%**	12%	11%	17%
	No	**78%**	79%	80%	75%

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Education (CONTINUED)

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Our elected leaders are too focused on issues like ESAs/vouchers and not focused enough on improving reading and math outcomes, preparing students for careers and other priorities that improve student success.	Agree	**77%**	87%	77%	68%
	Disagree	**17%**	7%	14%	27%
How would you rate K-12 public education in the State of Arizona?	Good or excellent	**10%**	13%	7%	11%
	OK	**34%**	34%	33%	35%
	Poor or failing	**49%**	49%	53%	47%

EDUCATION

Voters' Priorities Define a Comprehensive Education Agenda

Voters' expectations span the full education journey—from early learning and strong academic foundations to career preparation, education beyond high school, and accountability for public dollars.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Arizona's education system should ensure students develop strong reading, writing and math skills.	Agree	**98%**	98%	98%	98%
	Disagree	**2%**	2%	2%	1%
Arizona's K-12 education system should help students think critically, solve problems and adapt in a changing world.	Agree	**98%**	99%	98%	97%
	Disagree	**2%**	1%	2%	2%
Students should explore careers and learn about future job opportunities before graduating.	Agree	**98%**	97%	99%	98%
	Disagree	**2%**	2%	1%	1%

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Education (CONTINUED)

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Expand internships, apprenticeships and other work-based learning opportunities for students.	Support	**95%**	99%	96%	92%
	Oppose	**3%**	1%	3%	4%
Ensure every student can access dual enrollment, early college or other opportunities to earn college credit in high school.	Support	**94%**	96%	95%	92%
	Oppose	**3%**	1%	4%	5%
Help more Arizonans gain job skills and credentials through community colleges and workforce training.	Support	**96%**	100%	97%	93%
	Oppose	**3%**	—	3%	6%
Increase the number of students completing education or training beyond high school.	Agree	**87%**	94%	91%	78%
	Disagree	**11%**	4%	7%	19%
Increase state investment to help more students afford Arizona public universities and community colleges.	Support	**80%**	99%	85%	61%
	Oppose	**17%**	1%	13%	33%
Increase access to affordable, high-quality early learning for 3- and 4-year-olds.	Support	**79%**	90%	82%	69%
	Oppose	**18%**	6%	16%	28%
All schools receiving public funding should report student outcomes and performance.	Agree	**90%**	85%	91%	93%
	Disagree	**8%**	11%	8%	5%

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MEASURING PROGRESS

The Arizona Education Progress Meter, developed by CFA and Education Forward Arizona, tracks where the state stands on education outcomes. Current statewide data show Arizona has experienced year-over-year declines and remains well below its long-term goals across key measures from early learning and academic achievement to post-secondary attainment. The opportunity is to align education and workforce decisions around voters' priorities, act with urgency, and measure whether students and the state are achieving better results. See the outcomes data at **arizonafuture.org/progress-meters**



ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY AND WORKFORCE

Arizona's Economic Future Depends on Developing and Retaining Its Own Talent

The education priorities that develop Arizona's talent are also central to the state's workforce and economic future. Voters want Arizona to do more to develop its own students and workers and to address the conditions that allow people to pursue opportunity, support their families, and build their futures here.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Arizona's long-term economic success depends on doing more to develop the skills and talents of our own students and workers, not just attracting skilled workers from other states.	Agree	**91%**	93%	92%	90%
	Disagree	**7%**	6%	6%	9%
Childcare is important to families and Arizona's workforce. Our state and economy would benefit significantly from expanding access to affordable childcare.	Agree	**80%**	98%	86%	62%
	Disagree	**15%**	1%	10%	30%
In your opinion, how easy is it to improve your financial circumstances in Arizona?	Easy	**35%**	22%	31%	48%
	Difficult	**58%**	72%	63%	44%
Rising housing and other living costs in Arizona have made me more likely to consider moving to another state.	Agree	**43%**	48%	49%	34%
	Disagree	**55%**	49%	49%	65%

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AFFORDABILITY AND HOUSING

Housing Is the Leading Pressure on Arizonans' Ability to Afford Life Here

With affordability and the cost of living among voters' leading concerns, housing emerges as the clearest source of financial strain. Voters want action that expands the supply and range of housing people can afford, while preserving local decision-making and accounting for the water and infrastructure communities need over the long term.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Compared to 2 years ago, would you say cost of living has gotten better, worse or stayed about the same?	Total Better	**6%**	1%	3%	12%
	About the same	**12%**	6%	7%	19%
	Total Worse	**82%**	93%	89%	68%
Compared to 2 years ago, would you say inflation has gotten better, worse or stayed about the same?	Total Better	**9%**	3%	7%	16%
	About the same	**13%**	3%	14%	20%
	Total Worse	**77%**	94%	76%	63%
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?	Total Not Difficult	**7%**	2%	3%	13%
	Total Difficult	**90%**	96%	94%	83%
For you personally, how difficult is it to cover your basic monthly expenses, such as housing, groceries, gas, utilities, and healthcare?	Total Not Difficult	**52%**	43%	52%	59%
	Total Difficult	**48%**	57%	48%	41%
In your opinion, how easy is it to improve your financial circumstances in Arizona?	Total Easy	**35%**	22%	31%	48%
	Total Difficult	**58%**	72%	63%	44%

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Affordability and Housing (CONTINUED)

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
What do you think are the biggest barriers preventing more Arizonans from improving their financial circumstances?	Wages not keeping up with cost of living	**57%**	68%	62%	45%
	High housing costs	**54%**	54%	56%	52%
	Lack of affordable child care	**14%**	18%	11%	14%
	No available good-paying jobs	**10%**	12%	9%	8%
	Lack of job training opportunities	**8%**	8%	8%	10%
	Transportation challenges	**7%**	8%	5%	9%
	Family responsibilities	**7%**	4%	8%	9%
Which of the following costs do you think are contributing most to financial strain for people in Arizona right now?	Housing	**52%**	52%	54%	51%
	Groceries	**28%**	28%	29%	28%
	Gas/Transportation	**22%**	21%	19%	24%
	Utilities	**10%**	4%	10%	14%
	Childcare	**8%**	11%	6%	7%
	Healthcare	**16%**	16%	11%	19%
	Wages not keeping up with inflation	**44%**	50%	49%	35%
Rising housing and other living costs in Arizona have made me more likely to consider moving to another state.	Total Agree	**43%**	48%	49%	34%
	Total Disagree	**55%**	49%	49%	65%
Which of the following statements comes closer to your view on housing?	Arizona should make it easier to build more housing, even if local communities have less control over development decisions.	**24%**	29%	25%	19%
	Local communities should maintain control over housing development decisions, even if it limits how much housing gets built.	**68%**	62%	69%	72%
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.	Total Agree	**66%**	86%	66%	50%
	Total Disagree	**31%**	11%	30%	48%



HEALTHCARE

Affordable and Accessible Healthcare

Most voters are confident they can afford healthcare in the coming year, yet significant shares report delaying care because of cost or difficulty getting an appointment. Voters strongly agree on affordable care, a larger healthcare workforce, and access throughout Arizona.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Improving access to affordable healthcare.	Total Support	**90%**	98%	92%	82%
	Total Oppose	**8%**	2%	6%	14%
Increasing the number of healthcare workers.	Total Support	**89%**	96%	86%	85%
	Total Oppose	**7%**	4%	5%	11%
Expanding access to healthcare in rural and underserved communities.	Total Support	**88%**	99%	90%	78%
	Total Oppose	**8%**	1%	4%	16%
Improving access to mental and behavioral healthcare.	Total Support	**93%**	99%	95%	87%
	Total Oppose	**5%**	1%	2%	10%
During periods of extreme heat in Arizona, how much does the heat affect your or your household's health, daily activities, or ability to work?	Total Impacted	**77%**	84%	80%	70%
	Total Not Impacted	**22%**	15%	19%	29%
In the past 12 months, how often did you delay getting health care for one or more of the following reasons?	Cost	**34%**	41%	39%	24%
	Difficulty getting an appointment	**26%**	29%	28%	23%
	Transportation	**8%**	7%	9%	9%
	Something else	**11%**	13%	14%	8%
How confident are you about being able to afford healthcare for yourself and your family over the next year?	Total Confident	**70%**	68%	61%	77%
	Total Not Confident	**28%**	30%	36%	20%

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Affordable Healthcare (CONTINUED)

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Which of the following statements comes closer to your view about vaccines?	Arizona should continue to follow guidance from pediatric and public health experts on childhood vaccines, including maintaining existing vaccination requirements to protect children and communities.	**59%**	86%	65%	34%
	Parents should have greater freedom to decide which vaccines their children receive. Arizona should reduce childhood vaccination requirements and give parents more ability to make these medical decisions for their children.	**36%**	11%	29%	60%

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IMMIGRATION

Pragmatic Action on Immigration

The views of Arizonans move beyond politically polarized debates and represent a pragmatic approach to immigration. Arizona voters support a secure and functioning border for commerce, trade, and legal immigration, along with clearer legal pathways and fair treatment under the law.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
The United States should create a clearer and easier legal pathway to citizenship for immigrants who meet established requirements.	Total Agree	**86%**	97%	91%	75%
	Total Disagree	**13%**	3%	9%	23%
The United States should make it more difficult for immigrants to achieve citizenship through tougher requirements and a more rigorous vetting process.	Total Agree	**38%**	14%	34%	58%
	Total Disagree	**60%**	83%	65%	39%
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.	Total Agree	**90%**	89%	90%	91%
	Total Disagree	**8%**	9%	6%	7%
Which comes closer to your view?	Arizona and the United States should enforce immigration laws while making sure to treat immigrants who are legally in the country fairly and respectfully.	**74%**	89%	83%	57%
	Arizona and the United States should prioritize stricter immigration enforcement, even if some legal immigrants experience additional scrutiny or restrictions.	**21%**	8%	16%	36%

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WATER

Long-Term Action to Secure Arizona's Water Future

Water is central to Arizona's continued economic opportunity, strong communities, and quality of life. Many voters are not confident the state is ready for future demands. Their concern is paired with strong support for long-term action.

These findings measure public confidence, not the technical condition of Arizona's water systems or supplies. They point to an opportunity for leaders to engage Arizonans, explain how water is managed across the state and how different plans fit together, and build confidence in Arizona's water future.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	REP	IND/ UNAFF	DEM
How confident are you that Arizona's water systems can reliably support future growth and extreme heat?	Confident	**28%**	33%	27%	23%
	Not confident	**71%**	65%	73%	76%
Do you believe Arizona will have enough water to support residents, agriculture and future economic growth over the long term?	Yes	**27%**	34%	25%	20%
	No	**69%**	60%	72%	77%
How confident are you that Arizona leaders are taking the necessary steps to secure Arizona's water future?	Confident	**34%**	29%	38%	37%
	Not confident	**64%**	68%	61%	61%
Elected leaders must make long-term investments to secure Arizona's water future, including dedicating more state funding to water.	Agree	**93%**	90%	91%	97%
	Disagree	**5%**	8%	5%	1%
Arizona needs to add to its water supply through other sources, desalination and wastewater recycling.	Agree	**89%**	87%	86%	96%
	Disagree	**8%**	9%	12%	3%
Should Arizona strengthen groundwater protections in rural areas with fewer regulations?	Yes	**78%**	68%	81%	87%
	No	**12%**	19%	7%	6%

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GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Planning for the Future Supports Opportunity and Quality of Life

Along with water, voters want leaders to plan for the future for the other systems that sustain Arizona's continued success. They prioritize reliable and affordable energy, communities and infrastructure able to meet increasingly extreme heat, and an approach that accounts for the additional infrastructure costs growth creates.

This agreement gives leaders a strong foundation for sustaining economic opportunity and quality of life for the long term.

SURVEY QUESTION	RESPONSE	ALL	DEM	IND/ UNAFF	REP
Reliable and affordable energy is essential to Arizona's future quality of life and economic prosperity.	Agree	**97%**	99%	97%	96%
	Disagree	**2%**	1%	3%	3%
Arizona must make investments to prepare communities and infrastructure for increasingly extreme heat.	Agree	**90%**	97%	90%	85%
	Disagree	**8%**	3%	9%	12%
In general, how confident are you that Arizona is prepared to meet future energy demand?	Confident	**46%**	53%	38%	47%
	Not confident	**52%**	46%	59%	52%
During periods of extreme heat, how much does the heat affect your household's health, daily activities or ability to work?	Impacted	**77%**	84%	80%	70%
	Not impacted	**22%**	15%	19%	29%
Which statement comes closer to your view about infrastructure needs?	Growing industries should pay their fair share	**65%**	72%	66%	60%
	Avoid added costs on new industries and share costs broadly	**25%**	19%	26%	30%

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PUT THE ARIZONA VOTERS' AGENDA TO WORK

Turn Voters' Priorities Into Action and Measurable Results

The Arizona Voters' Agenda is designed to remain useful beyond any one election. It provides a foundation for keeping voters' priorities at the center of public dialogue, leadership, and decision-making—and for ensuring action produces the results Arizonans want.

Elected Leaders and Public Officials
Ground agendas and decisions in the priorities Arizonans share.

Business, Education, Nonprofit, and Philanthropic Leaders
Align strategies, investments, and partnerships with the future Arizonans want.

Journalists and Civic Organizations
Use the research to inform questions, reporting, public dialogue, and accountability.

Arizonans and Community Leaders
Share the findings, participate in public discussions, and stay engaged with those who represent you.

Explore CFA's Research

The 2026 Arizona Voters' Agenda builds on more than 20 years of CFA research exploring what Arizonans value and the future they want. On our website:

- Find complete 2026 findings by political affiliation and age group, survey questions and methodology, Questions for Leaders, and resources for sharing the research.
- Explore CFA's broader body of research on The Arizona We Want.

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Bring Shared Priorities Into the Work Ahead

The research does more than identify voters' priorities. It raises questions for leaders as a starting point for productive conversations about putting voters' priorities into practice: Where can we make progress together? What steps will move us forward? How will we know what is working? Find the complete, issue-specific Questions for Leaders at **ArizonaVotersAgenda.org.**



RIGOROUS STATEWIDE PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH

About the Research

Survey Methodology

The 2026 Arizona Voters' Agenda draws from two statewide surveys conducted June 15–18 and Aug. 24–28, 2026. Each surveyed 500 likely Arizona General Election voters through live telephone interviews in English and Spanish among landline and mobile respondents. Samples were balanced to model likely turnout across political affiliation, age, region, and gender. HighGround, Inc. conducted the research for Center for the Future of Arizona.

The partisan advantage was +8% Republican. Each survey has a margin of error of ±4.3%. Percentages may not total 100 because of rounding, omitted "don't know/refused" responses, or questions allowing more than one response. All survey questions, subgroup definitions, age-group results, crosstabulations, and methodology are available at ArizonaVotersAgenda.org.

About Center for the Future of Arizona

Center for the Future of Arizona (CFA) is a nonprofit, nonpartisan "do-tank" that brings Arizonans together to create a stronger and brighter future for our state. CFA listens to Arizonans, shares trusted data about how Arizona is doing, brings critical issues to public attention, and works with communities and leaders to solve public problems and build The Arizona We Want—a future where all Arizonans thrive.

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