

NORTH CAROLINA STATEWIDE STUDY / MARCH 16 & 18-19, 2017

Table 29-2

QUESTION 21:

There is a proposal for an amendment to the North Carolina constitution that would prevent the legislature from increasing the income tax more than a half percent above the current rate. For example, currently the highest income tax rate in the state is 5.49 percent, so the Constitution would cap the rate to a maximum of 5.99%. If the rate were lowered to, say, 5 percent, then the new cap would become 5.5%. Would you support or oppose this amendment?

BANNER 2

	PARTY REG/GENDER						IDEOLOGY			EMPLOYMENT STATUS			EDUCATION				
	TOTAL (A)	GOP MEN (B)	GOP WOMEN (C)	DEM MEN (D)	DEM WOMEN (E)	IND MEN (F)	IND WOMEN (G)	LIB (H)	MOD (I)	CONS (J)	FULL TIME (K)	RET- IRED (L)	UNEMP (M)	HS OR LESS (N)	2 YR COLL (O)	4 YR COLL (P)	POST GRAD (Q)
BASE=TOTAL SAMPLE	600 100%	99 17%	105 17%	108 18%	144 24%	80 13%	64 11%	129 21%	171 29%	279 47%	275 46%	248 41%	22 4%	158 26%	171 28%	163 27%	98 16%
**D/S (SUPPORT - OPPOSE)	162 27%	27 27%	35 34%	16 15%	26 18%	33 41%	24 37%	20 15%	40 23%	100 36%	86 31%	51 20%	7 32%	44 28%	51 30%	40 24%	27 27%
TOTAL SUPPORT -----	337 56%	61 61%	62 59%	56 52%	69 48%	52 65%	37 57%	64 50%	89 52%	174 62%	162 59%	131 53%	12 56%	89 56%	99 58%	91 56%	54 55%
TOTAL OPPOSE -----	175 29%	34 34%	26 25%	40 37%	43 30%	20 24%	13 20%	44 35%	50 29%	74 26%	77 28%	80 32%	5 24%	45 28%	48 28%	52 32%	27 28%
STRONGLY SUPPORT	204 34%	43 43%	40 38%	35 33%	36 25%	29 37%	21 33%	36 28%	55 32%	107 38%	104 38%	72 29%	7 31%	47 30%	60 35%	52 32%	42 43%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT	133 22%	18 19%	22 21%	21 19%	33 23%	23 29%	15 24%	28 22%	34 20%	67 24%	59 21%	59 24%	6 26%	42 26%	39 23%	39 24%	12 12%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE	59 10%	13 13%	13 12%	8 7%	17 12%	5 6%	3 5%	10 8%	15 9%	33 12%	27 10%	28 11%	4 18%	17 11%	14 8%	14 9%	13 14%
STRONGLY OPPOSE	116 19%	21 21%	14 13%	32 29%	26 18%	14 18%	9 15%	34 27%	35 20%	41 15%	50 18%	52 21%	1 6%	28 18%	34 20%	37 23%	14 14%
DON'T KNOW/NEED MORE INFORMATION	85 14%	5 5%	16 15%	12 11%	30 21%	8 10%	14 23%	19 15%	31 18%	31 11%	35 13%	36 15%	4 19%	24 15%	23 14%	19 12%	17 17%
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Significance Z-testing shown at 95% in UPPERCASE and 90% in lowercase in the groupings: B/C/D/E/F/G H/I/J K/L/M N/O/P/Q  
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