

# Survey of Likely General Election Voters in OK HD 62

*Topline Report – May 20, 2016*

Clout Research conducted a telephone survey of likely general election voters in Oklahoma House District 62. The survey was conducted May 16-18, 2016, and included 269 respondents by landline telephone. The survey carries a confidence interval of 95% and a margin of error of +/- 5.93%

**Question 1. There is an election coming up this November in which we will choose officeholders for several public offices and decide various issues. How likely are you to vote in that upcoming election?**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
VERY LIKELY	247	92.0	92.0	92.0
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	22	8.0	8.0	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**Question 2. Generally speaking, would you say things here in our local community are headed in the right direction, or would you say they are off on the wrong track?**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
RIGHT DIRECTION	95	35.4	35.4	35.4
WRONG TRACK	140	51.9	51.9	87.3
NOT SURE	34	12.7	12.7	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**Q3. Would you support or oppose giving Oklahoma public school teachers a pay raise this year?**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
SUPPORT PAY RAISE	213	79.2	79.2	79.2
OPPOSE PAY RAISE	42	15.6	15.6	94.7
NOT SURE	14	5.3	5.3	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**Q4. When you go to vote this November, would you support or oppose a proposal on the ballot for a new, one-cent statewide sales tax increase to fund a \$5,000 teacher pay raise?**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
SUPPORT SALES TAX	150	55.8	55.8	55.8
OPPOSE SALES TAX	88	32.8	32.8	88.5
NOT SURE	31	11.5	11.5	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**Q5. Would you rather see a teacher pay raise be funded by a tax increase or by cost savings from reducing spending on non-essential areas of Oklahoma's state government?**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
TAX INCREASE	70	26.0	26.0	26.0
SPENDING CUTS	162	60.0	60.0	86.0
NOT SURE	38	14.0	14.0	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**Q6. The Oklahoma Legislature is considering funding a \$5,000 teacher pay raise with cost savings instead of with a tax increase. If the Legislature does this before you go to vote this November, would you support or oppose a proposal on the ballot for a new, statewide sales tax increase to fund an additional teacher pay raise?**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
FOR	109	40.7	40.7	40.7
AGAINST	120	44.5	44.5	85.2
NOT SURE	40	14.8	14.8	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**PARTY**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
DEMOCRAT	140	52.0	52.0	52.0
REPUBLICAN	105	39.0	39.0	91.0
INDEPENDENT	24	9.0	9.0	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**PHILOSOPHY**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
VERY LIBERAL / PROGRESSIVE	38	14.1	14.1	14.1
LIBERAL	41	15.4	15.4	29.5
MODERATE	78	29.0	29.0	58.5
CONSERVATIVE	86	32.1	32.1	90.6
VERY CONSERV / LIBERTARIAN	25	9.4	9.4	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**FIREARMS**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
OWN FIREARM	116	43.2	43.2	43.2
FIREARM IN HOUSEHOLD	24	9.1	9.1	52.3
NO FIREARMS	111	41.4	41.4	93.7
DECLINED	17	6.3	6.3	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**MARITAL STATUS**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
MARRIED	155	57.8	57.8	57.8
SINGLE	64	23.9	23.9	81.7
DIVORCED/SEPARATED	17	6.4	6.4	88.1
DECLINED	32	11.9	11.9	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**GENDER**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
MALE	135	50.3	50.3	50.3
FEMALE	134	49.7	49.7	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	

**AGE**

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
UNDER 25	13	5.0	5.0	5.0
25-34	19	7.0	7.0	12.0
35-44	30	11.0	11.0	23.0
45-54	40	15.0	15.0	38.0
55-64	48	18.0	18.0	56.0
65-74	65	24.0	24.0	80.0
75+	54	20.0	20.0	100.0
Total	269	100.0	100.0	