

Survey of Likely General Election Voters in OK HD 2

Topline Report – May 20, 2016

Clout Research conducted a telephone survey of likely general election voters in Oklahoma House District 2. The survey was conducted May 16-18, 2016, and included 289 respondents by landline telephone. The survey carries a confidence interval of 95% and a margin of error of +/- 5.68%

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	272	94.1	94.1	94.1
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	17	5.9	5.9	100.0
Total	289	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	81	27.9	27.9	27.9
WRONG TRACK	183	63.4	63.4	91.3
NOT SURE	25	8.7	8.7	100.0
Total	289	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	217	75.1	75.1	75.1
OPPOSE PAY RAISE	37	12.7	12.7	87.8
NOT SURE	35	12.2	12.2	100.0
Total	289	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	156	54.0	54.0	54.0
OPPOSE SALES TAX	99	34.3	34.3	88.3
NOT SURE	34	11.7	11.7	100.0
Total	289	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	75	25.9	25.9	25.9
SPENDING CUTS	187	64.7	64.7	90.7
NOT SURE	27	9.3	9.3	100.0
Total	289	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	107	37.1	37.1	37.1
AGAINST	138	47.6	47.6	84.7
NOT SURE	44	15.3	15.3	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	

PARTY

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
DEMOCRAT	188	65.0	65.0	65.0
REPUBLICAN	87	30.0	30.0	95.0
INDEPENDENT	14	5.0	5.0	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	

PHILOSOPHY

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
VERY LIBERAL / PROGRESSIVE	54	18.6	18.6	18.6
LIBERAL	29	10.0	10.0	28.6
MODERATE	80	27.7	27.7	56.3
CONSERVATIVE	105	36.3	36.3	92.5
VERY CONSERV / LIBERTARIAN	22	7.5	7.5	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	

FIREARMS

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
OWN FIREARM	182	62.8	62.8	62.8
FIREARM IN HOUSEHOLD	18	6.4	6.4	69.2
NO FIREARMS	69	23.9	23.9	93.2
DECLINED	20	6.8	6.8	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	

MARITAL STATUS

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
MARRIED	184	63.5	63.5	63.5
SINGLE	55	19.0	19.0	82.5
DIVORCED/SEPARATED	23	8.1	8.1	90.6
DECLINED	27	9.4	9.4	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	

GENDER

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
MALE	145	50.3	50.3	50.3
FEMALE	144	49.7	49.7	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	

AGE

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
UNDER 25	14	5.0	5.0	5.0
25-34	20	7.0	7.0	12.0
35-44	32	11.0	11.0	23.0
45-54	43	15.0	15.0	38.0
55-64	52	18.0	18.0	56.0
65-74	69	24.0	24.0	80.0
75+	58	20.0	20.0	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	

REGION

	Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
SALLISAW / WEST	153	53.0	53.0	53.0
ROLAND / EAST	136	47.0	47.0	100.0
Total	289	100.0	100.0	