

Defend Texas Liberty PAC Texas Statewide 2024 Likely Republican April Issue Poll

This survey was conducted from April 29 – May 1, 2023, through a series of online surveys delivered via SMS messages. 699 survey respondents were randomly selected from a demographically proportionate sample of likely 2024 Texas Republican primary voters. Weighted demographics include age and gender. The survey has a ±3.707% margin of error with a confidence level of 95%.

INTRODUCTION

Did you vote in the 2022 Republican primary or Republican primary runoff election?

Yes	100%
No	END

Would you consider yourself a Republican, Independent, Democrat, or another affiliation?

Republican	78%
Independent	22%
Democrat	END
Other	END

2024 PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

If the upcoming 2024 Republican Primary for president were held today, and the candidates were Donald Trump, Ron DeSantis, Ted Cruz, Tim Scott, Asa Hutchinson, Nikki Haley, and Mike Pence, for whom would you vote? [RANDOMIZED]

Donald Trump	54%
Ron DeSantis	16%
Ted Cruz	4%
Tim Scott	0%
Asa Hutchinson	1%
Nikki Haley	5%
Mike Pence	3%
Vivek Ramaswamy	3%
Undecided	15%

CARLSON & MUSK IMAGE

Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Tucker Carlson?

Very Favorable	53%
Somewhat Favorable	18%
Somewhat Unfavorable	3%
Very Unfavorable	8%
No Opinion	14%
Never Heard of	4%

Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Elon Musk?

Very Favorable	33%
Somewhat Favorable	37%
Somewhat Unfavorable	9%
Very Unfavorable	6%
No Opinion	12%
Never Heard Of	2%

STATE & FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Last week, Fox News Channel announced they were parting ways with Tucker Carlson and would no longer be carrying his show on their network. Does this decision make it more likely or less likely for you to watch Fox News?

More Likely	3%
Less Likely	55%
No Change	41%

Last month, Bud Light unveiled a personalized beer can featuring transgender activist Dylan Mulvaney. Does this decision make it more likely or less likely for you to consume Bud Light?

More Likely	5%
Less Likely	74%
No Change	21%

Last week, Texas Agriculture Commissioner Sid Miller issued a requirement that state employees dress “in a manner consistent with their biological gender.” Do you support this requirement?

Yes	80%
No	12%
Unsure	7%

Over the past few months, concerned parents have found inappropriate material in libraries in Houston, Llano, and even Midland. Do you believe there is inappropriate material at your local library?

Yes	37%
No	17%
Undecided	47%

Texas lawmakers are considering legislation to give millions in taxpayer dollars to Hollywood to get them to make their movies in Texas. Critics say the program is a waste of money and could lead to state subsidies of inappropriate material. Do you believe Texas lawmakers should spend taxpayer dollars on film subsidies?

Yes	8%
No	80%
Unsure	12%

Do you believe transgender individuals should be allowed to teach in Texas public schools?

Yes	17%
No	68%
Unsure	15%

DEMOGRAPHICS

Which of the following best describes your age?

18-34	7%
35-44	10%
45-54	14%
55-64	22%
65-74	26%
75 or over	21%

Are you male or female?

Male	49%
Female	51%

How would you describe your ethnicity?

White	81%
Hispanic	10%
Black	1%
Asian	1%
Other	7%

*Note: Results may not add up to 100% due to rounding

PREVIOUS POLL COMPARISON

2024 President Ballot	March Issue Poll	April Issue Poll	Change
Donald Trump	52%	54%	+2%
Ron DeSantis	20%	16%	-4%
Ted Cruz	3%	4%	+1%
Tim Scott	1%	0%	-1%
Mike Pompeo	2%	N/A	N/a
Nikki Haley	4%	5%	+1%
Mike Pence	5%	3%	-2%
Asa Hutchinson	N/A	1%	N/A
Vivek Ramaswamy	2%	3%	+1%
Undecided	12%	15%	+3%

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