

Region:

(N=500)	n	%
Council District 1 -----	69	13.80
Council District 2 -----	77	15.40
Council District 3 -----	69	13.80
Council District 4 -----	68	13.60
Council District 5 -----	70	14.00
Council District 6 -----	67	13.40
Council District 7 -----	80	16.00

Hello, my name is _____ and I am conducting a survey for Suffolk University and the Seattle Times. This week we are polling just Seattle CITY residents and I would like to include you in the survey. Would you be willing to spend less than ten minutes answering some questions? (If YES, proceed. If NO/UNDECIDED, terminate)

1.	Are you a resident of the city of Seattle?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Yes -----	500	100.00
2.	With which gender identity do you most closely identify? (OPEN)		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Man/male-----	249	49.80
	Woman/female -----	240	48.00
	Something else/all other responses (transgender man, transgender woman, gender variant/non-conforming)-----	6	1.20
	Refused-----	5	1.00
3.	What is your age category? {READ}		
	(N=500)	n	%
	18-24 Years -----	26	5.20
	25-34 Years -----	86	17.20
	35-44 Years -----	111	22.20
	45-54 Years -----	87	17.40
	55-64 Years -----	87	17.40
	65-74 Years -----	55	11.00
	75 Years or older -----	36	7.20
	Refused -----	12	2.40
4.	For statistical purposes only, do you consider yourself? {READ}		
	(N=500)	n	%
	White/Caucasian -----	313	62.60
	Black/African American -----	33	6.60
	American Indian/Alaska Native-----	2	0.40
	Asian-----	71	14.20
	Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander-----	5	1.00
	Hispanic/Latino -----	33	6.60
	Two or more races -----	32	6.40
	Other -----	6	1.20
	Refused -----	5	1.00
5.	Do you think of yourself as a Democrat, Republican, or Independent?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Democrat -----	298	59.60
	Republican -----	19	3.80
	Independent -----	157	31.40
	Other -----	14	2.80
	Undecided-----	7	1.40
	Refused -----	5	1.00

6. How long have you lived in Seattle? {READ}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|--------------------|-----|-------|
| 0-5 years----- | 77 | 15.40 |
| 6-10 years----- | 66 | 13.20 |
| Over 10 years----- | 239 | 47.80 |
| All your life----- | 118 | 23.60 |
| Undecided----- | 0 | 0.00 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |
7. Are you the parent or guardian of any children younger than the age of 18? The responses are... {ROTATE .1-.4 ASC-DESC}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----|-------|
| Yes, I have one child who is younger than 18----- | 45 | 9.00 |
| Yes, I have multiple children younger than 18----- | 76 | 15.20 |
| No, all my children/grandchildren are older than 18----- | 88 | 17.60 |
| No, I don't have children----- | 290 | 58.00 |
| Undecided----- | 1 | 0.20 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |
8. How would you rate the city of Seattle as a place to live? Would you say...? {ROTATE .1-.4 ASC-DESC}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Excellent----- | 129 | 25.80 |
| Good----- | 204 | 40.80 |
| Fair----- | 115 | 23.00 |
| Poor----- | 46 | 9.20 |
| Undecided----- | 4 | 0.80 |
| Refused----- | 2 | 0.40 |
9. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the job Bruce Harrell is doing as mayor so far?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-----------------|-----|-------|
| Approve----- | 286 | 57.20 |
| Disapprove----- | 93 | 18.60 |
| Undecided----- | 119 | 23.80 |
| Refused----- | 2 | 0.40 |
10. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the job the Seattle City Council is doing?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-----------------|-----|-------|
| Approve----- | 172 | 34.40 |
| Disapprove----- | 241 | 48.20 |
| Undecided----- | 86 | 17.20 |
| Refused----- | 1 | 0.20 |
11. When you think about the Seattle City Council as a whole, do you think it is...? {ROTATE .1-.2}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-----------------------|-----|-------|
| Too liberal----- | 208 | 41.60 |
| Too conservative----- | 54 | 10.80 |
| Just about right----- | 157 | 31.40 |
| Undecided----- | 76 | 15.20 |
| Refused----- | 5 | 1.00 |
12. In the past year, have you seriously considered moving from the city – yes or no?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Yes----- | 166 | 33.20 |
| No----- | 333 | 66.60 |
| Undecided----- | 1 | 0.20 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |

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13. Which of the following four reasons is the biggest factor in your thinking about moving away?

{RANDOMIZE .1-.3}

(N=166)	n	%
Housing costs -----	62	37.35
Tech sector layoffs -----	6	3.61
Public safety -----	57	34.34
Politics -----	25	15.06
Undecided -----	13	7.83
Refused -----	3	1.81

(ROTATE 14 & 15)

14. The Seattle Housing Levy, which pays for affordable housing, will be on the ballot this fall. If renewed, this property tax would cost about \$390 per year for the owner of a home of median value. Do you support or oppose renewing this levy?

(N=500)	n	%
Support -----	287	57.40
Oppose -----	152	30.40
Undecided -----	60	12.00
Refused -----	1	0.20

15. Do you support or oppose a Seattle capital gains tax similar to the state's new capital gains tax on the sale of stocks and bonds over \$250,000 in a year?

(N=500)	n	%
Support -----	271	54.20
Oppose -----	158	31.60
Undecided -----	70	14.00
Refused -----	1	0.20

16. Thinking about the past three years, do you think the homelessness crisis in Seattle has...? {ROTATE .1-.2}

(N=500)	n	%
Gotten worse -----	297	59.40
Improved -----	57	11.40
Stayed the same -----	134	26.80
Undecided -----	12	2.40
Refused -----	0	0.00

17. How optimistic or pessimistic are you about the city's ability to make progress on homelessness? Do you think Seattle over the next four years will...? {ROTATE .1-.4 ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Make a lot of progress toward reducing homelessness -----	24	4.80
Make a little progress toward reducing homelessness -----	262	52.40
Make no progress toward reducing homelessness -----	99	19.80
Get worse than it is right now when it comes to homelessness -----	91	18.20
Undecided -----	24	4.80
Refused -----	0	0.00

18. Do you support or oppose the city's approach to reducing the number of people living in tents in public view?

(N=500)	n	%
Support -----	265	53.00
Oppose -----	134	26.80
Undecided -----	99	19.80
Refused -----	2	0.40

19. How would you rate the success of the city's approach to reducing the number of people living in tents in public view? {ROTATE .1-.4 ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Excellent -----	4	0.80
Good -----	46	9.20
Fair -----	206	41.20
Poor -----	213	42.60
Undecided -----	26	5.20
Refused -----	5	1.00

(ROTATE 20 & 21)

20. In the past year, have you - or someone you personally know – experienced homelessness – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	96	19.20
No -----	402	80.40
Undecided -----	2	0.40
Refused -----	0	0.00

21. In the past year, have you - or someone you personally know – experienced housing insecurity – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	182	36.40
No -----	311	62.20
Undecided -----	7	1.40
Refused -----	0	0.00

22. How would you rate the education children receive in the Seattle public schools? {ROTATE .1-.4 ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Excellent -----	31	6.20
Good -----	154	30.80
Fair -----	132	26.40
Poor -----	47	9.40
Undecided -----	130	26.00
Refused -----	6	1.20

23. Do you believe school campuses in your community are generally safe for students and staff – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	328	65.60
No -----	117	23.40
Undecided -----	52	10.40
Refused -----	3	0.60

24. Overall, how would you rate the job the Seattle police are doing in the city? {ROTATE ASC-DESC}

(N=500)	n	%
Excellent -----	27	5.40
Good -----	160	32.00
Fair -----	200	40.00
Poor -----	98	19.60
Undecided -----	14	2.80
Refused -----	1	0.20

25. Do you generally feel safe in your neighborhood – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	425	85.00
No -----	73	14.60
Undecided -----	2	0.40
Refused -----	0	0.00

26. Over the past year, do you believe the amount of crime in your neighborhood has...? {RANDOMIZE}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-----------------------------|-----|-------|
| Increased ----- | 168 | 33.60 |
| Decreased ----- | 38 | 7.60 |
| Stayed about the same ----- | 283 | 56.60 |
| Undecided----- | 11 | 2.20 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |
27. Of the following four choices, what is the biggest public safety concern in Seattle? {RANDOMIZE}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|-------------------|-----|-------|
| Gun violence----- | 165 | 33.00 |
| Drug use----- | 242 | 48.40 |
| Car thefts ----- | 35 | 7.00 |
| Shoplifting ----- | 30 | 6.00 |
| Undecided----- | 26 | 5.20 |
| Refused----- | 2 | 0.40 |
28. Overall, do you feel the police are enforcing the laws too much, not enough, or just about right?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|--------------------------|-----|-------|
| Enforcing too much ----- | 30 | 6.00 |
| Not enough----- | 237 | 47.40 |
| Just about right ----- | 158 | 31.60 |
| Undecided----- | 70 | 14.00 |
| Refused----- | 5 | 1.00 |
29. Do you support or oppose police arresting people for using illegal drugs in public?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Support ----- | 298 | 59.60 |
| Oppose----- | 171 | 34.20 |
| Undecided----- | 31 | 6.20 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |
30. Do you feel drug possession should...? {ROTATE .1-.4 ASC-DESC}
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|--------------------------------|-----|-------|
| Be a felony ----- | 44 | 8.80 |
| Be a gross misdemeanor ----- | 109 | 21.80 |
| Be a misdemeanor----- | 164 | 32.80 |
| Have no criminal penalty ----- | 117 | 23.40 |
| Undecided----- | 66 | 13.20 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |
31. Do you support or oppose efforts to shift some emergency calls away from police to city workers who are not armed?
- | (N=500) | n | % |
|----------------|-----|-------|
| Support ----- | 376 | 75.20 |
| Oppose----- | 92 | 18.40 |
| Undecided----- | 32 | 6.40 |
| Refused----- | 0 | 0.00 |

Have you or a member of your immediate family (you, your spouse/partner, child, or one of your parents) ever been a... {RANDOMIZE 32-34}

(N=500)

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Undecided</u>
32. Victim of police use of excessive force – yes or no?	58 11.60	442 88.40	0 0.00
33. Victim of a violent crime – yes or no?	131 26.20	368 73.60	1 0.20
34. Victim of a property crime like theft from a car or burglary – yes or no?	393 78.60	106 21.20	1 0.20
35. Which comes closest to your view, even if neither is exactly right? {ROTATE}			
(N=500)		n	%
The Seattle police generally do a good job and treat people of different races fairly, even if there are a few bad apples on the force. -----		307	61.40
The Seattle police are racist in the way they treat people, even if some of them try to do a good job. -----		147	29.40
Undecided-----		41	8.20
Refused-----		5	1.00
36. Do you think the company Amazon has improved life in Seattle – yes or no?			
(N=500)		n	%
Yes -----		257	51.40
No -----		191	38.20
Undecided-----		47	9.40
Refused-----		5	1.00
37. Has the tech industry improved life in Seattle – yes or no?			
(N=500)		n	%
Yes -----		337	67.40
No -----		131	26.20
Undecided-----		30	6.00
Refused-----		2	0.40

{THE FINAL QUESTIONS WILL HELP US CLASSIFY YOUR RESPONSES WITH OTHERS TAKING THE SURVEY}

38. What is the highest level of education you have completed? {READ}			
(N=500)		n	%
Some high school -----		16	3.20
High school graduate -----		45	9.00
Some college-----		84	16.80
Trade/technical/vocational training -----		14	2.80
College graduate -----		225	45.00
Master's or PhD -----		113	22.60
Undecided-----		3	0.60

39.	What is your annual household income? {READ}		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Under \$20,000 per year -----	27	5.40
	Under \$50,000 per year -----	51	10.20
	Under \$75,000 per year -----	57	11.40
	Under \$100,000 per year -----	78	15.60
	Under \$175,000 per year -----	92	18.40
	Under \$250,000 per year -----	61	12.20
	\$250,000 per year or more -----	91	18.20
	Undecided -----	43	8.60
40.	What best describes your current living situation? {RANDOMIZE .1-.7}		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Homeowner -----	284	56.80
	Renter -----	145	29.00
	Paying partial rent with family or friend -----	28	5.60
	Living at home paying no rent -----	13	2.60
	University housing/dormitory -----	1	0.20
	Assisted living or nursing home -----	3	0.60
	Currently displaced or homeless -----	0	0.00
	Undecided -----	11	2.20
	Refused -----	15	3.00
41.	Are any members of your household part of the LGBTQ community – yes or no?		
	(N=500)	n	%
	Yes -----	139	27.80
	No -----	355	71.00
	Undecided -----	2	0.40
	Refused -----	4	0.80

[THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME. HAVE A NICE DAY/EVENING.]