



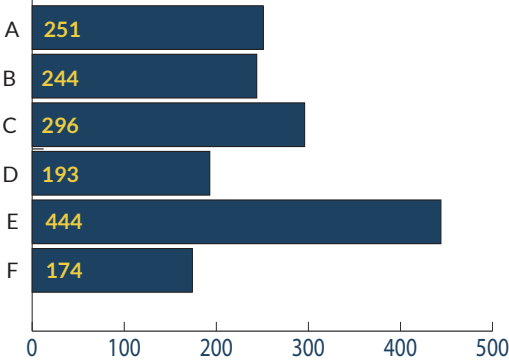
# 2019 SURVEY RESULTS

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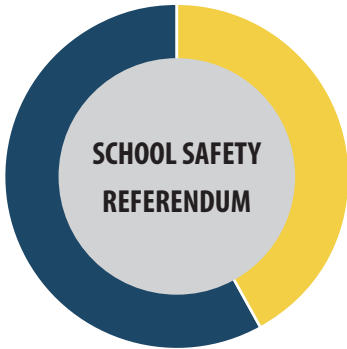
**1.** When the legislature adopts a new state budget during the 2019 session, which one of the following do you think should be the top priority?

**BUDGET PRIORITIES**

- A) Addiction treatment to address the drug epidemic
- B) Cutting taxes
- C) Increasing Department of Child Services funding to prevent child abuse
- D) Increasing funding for job-training programs
- E) Increasing funding for K-12 schools
- F) Other



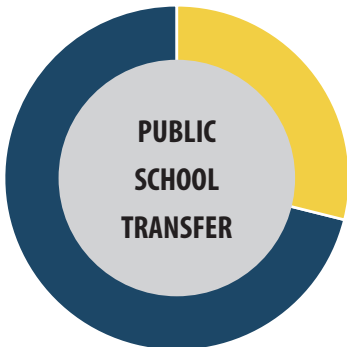
**3.** Do you support or oppose giving schools the ability to propose property-tax referendums specifically to pay for school safety improvements?



**Support**  
58%

**Oppose**  
42%

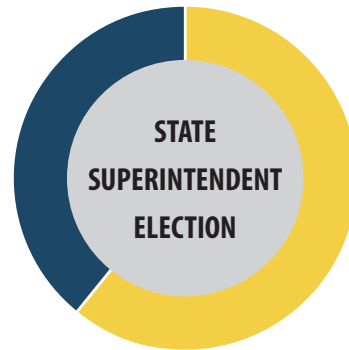
**5.** Last year, over 52,000 Indiana students transferred to attend a public school district outside the one they lived in, which is more students than attended a charter school or used a voucher to attend private school. Do you support or oppose allowing parents to transfer their children to a public school district outside the one they live in?



**Support**  
71%

**Oppose**  
29%

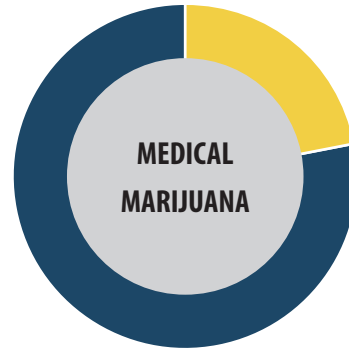
**2.** Indiana voters will elect a new State Superintendent of Public Instruction in 2020 to serve one term, but in 2024, the Governor will begin appointing an individual to that position. Should the legislature move up the appointment date to 2020?



**Yes**  
39%

**No**  
61%

**4.** Should Indiana legalize marijuana for medical use?



**Yes**  
78%

**No**  
22%

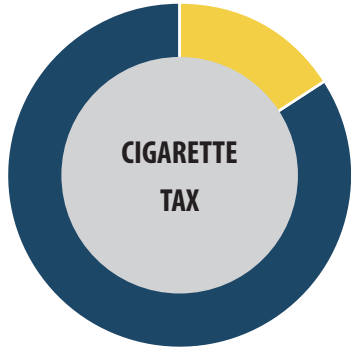
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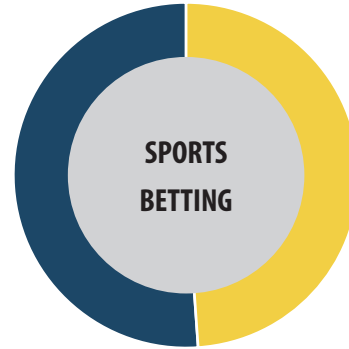
**6.** Do you support or oppose raising Indiana's cigarette tax by \$1.50 per pack in order to deter smoking and pay for health programs?



**Support**  
84%

**Oppose**  
16%

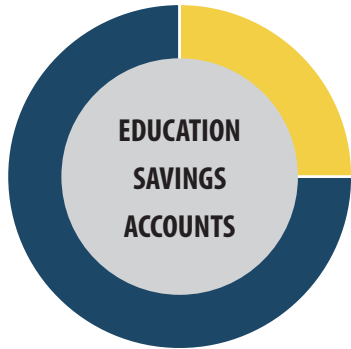
**7.** Do you support or oppose legalizing sports betting in Indiana?



**Support**  
51%

**Oppose**  
49%

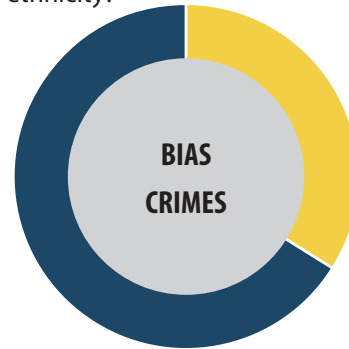
**8.** Do you support or oppose giving parents of special-needs children the option to use state educational funding for services such as private-school tuition and developmental therapy?



**Support**  
75%

**Oppose**  
25%

**9.** Do you think criminals should receive longer sentences if they committed their crime because of prejudice against the victim's race, religion, color, sex, gender identity, disability, national origin, ancestry, sexual orientation or ethnicity?



**Yes**  
66%

**No**  
34%

**10.** Should Indiana require able-bodied adults to work or look for work in order to receive publicly funded healthcare coverage under the Healthy Indiana Plan?



**Yes**  
67%

**No**  
33%

**11.** Should there be an independent commission established for purposes of drawing the Indiana legislative and Congressional maps that legislators then will approve (versus the legislature drawing the maps)?



**Yes**  
88%

**No**  
12%

*Questions on this page were asked online only.*