

Checklist for AAPOR TI

Survey: February 2022 Texas Primary Poll

TI Disclosure Elements	Answers
1. Who sponsored the TI Research and who conducted it. If different from the sponsor, the original sources of funding will also be disclosed.	Emerson College Nexstar Media
2. The exact wording and presentation of questions and response options whose results are reported. This includes preceding interviewer or respondent instructions and any preceding questions that might reasonably be expected to influence responses to the reported results.	See Below
3. A definition of the population under study and its geographic location.	Likely voters in Texas
4. Dates of data collection.	February 21-22, 2022
5. A description of the sampling frame(s) and its coverage of the target population, including mention of any segment of the target population that is not covered by the design. This may include, for example, exclusion of Alaska and Hawaii in U.S. surveys; exclusion of specific provinces or rural areas in international surveys; and exclusion of non-panel members in panel surveys. If possible the estimated size of non-covered segments will be provided. If a size estimate cannot be provided, this will be explained. If no frame or list was utilized, this will be indicated.	Data was collected using a list of 15,000 mobile numbers and a multi-stage probability sample of 64,250 landlines provided by L2, e-mails using an opt-in probability sample, with an online panel provided by Amazon Mturk.
6. The name of the sample supplier, if the sampling frame and/or the sample itself was provided by a third party.	Aristotle, LLC Amazon MTurk L2
7. The methods used to recruit the panel or participants, if the sample was drawn from a pre-recruited panel or pool of respondents.	Amazon MTurk uses opt in panels and not online ads to recruit participants
8. A description of the sample design, giving a clear indication of the method by which the respondents were selected, recruited, intercepted or otherwise contacted or encountered, along with any eligibility requirements and/or oversampling. If quotas were used, the variables defining the quotas will be reported. If a within-household selection procedure was used, this will be described. The description of the sampling frame and sample design will include sufficient detail to determine whether the respondents were selected using probability or non-probability methods.	See #5
9. Method(s) and mode(s) used to administer the survey (e.g., CATI, CAPI, ACASI, IVR, mail survey, web survey) and the language(s) offered.	IVR, Online, E-mail, and SMS-to-web

<p>10. Sample sizes (by sampling frame if more than one was used) and a discussion of the precision of the findings. For probability samples, the estimates of sampling error will be reported, and the discussion will state whether or not the reported margins of sampling error or statistical analyses have been adjusted for the design effect due to weighting, clustering, or other factors. Disclosure requirements for non-probability samples are different because the precision of estimates from such samples is a model-based measure (rather than the average deviation from the population value over all possible samples). Reports of non-probability samples will only provide measures of precision if they are accompanied by a detailed description of how the underlying model was specified, its assumptions validated and the measure(s) calculated. To avoid confusion, it is best to avoid using the term “margin of error” or “margin of sampling error” in conjunction with non-probability samples.</p>	<p>The sample consisted of likely voters, n=1,000, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll’s margin of error (MOE) of +/- 3.0% percentage points.</p> <p>The Republican primary sample consisted of very likely voters, n=522, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll’s margin of error (MOE) of +/- 4.2 percentage points.</p> <p>The Democratic primary sample consisted of very likely voters, n=388, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll’s margin of error (MOE) of +/- 4.9 percentage points.</p> <p>A screening question was asked if the voter was a likely voter. If the respondent said they were not likely to vote, they were eliminated from the sample.</p>
<p>11. A description of how the weights were calculated, including the variables used and the sources of weighting parameters, if weighted estimates are reported.</p>	<p>The data was weighted by gender, age, education, race, and region based on 2020 turnout modeling</p>
<p>12. If the results reported are based on multiple samples or multiple modes, the preceding items will be disclosed for each. Reviewer: Type NA if not applicable.</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>13. Contact for obtaining more information about the study.</p>	<p>emersonpolling@emerson.edu</p>

1. Do you think that Texas is headed in the right direction, or in the wrong direction?
Right direction
Wrong direction
2. What is your party affiliation?
Not registered to vote (end)
Democrat
Republican
Independent
3. How likely are you to vote in the Texas primary on March 1?
I already voted early (go to 5)
Very likely
Somewhat likely
Not very likely (end)
Not at all likely (end)
4. How do you plan to vote in the primary?
Voting early either by mail or in person
Voting on election day
5. What primary do you plan to vote in?
Democratic primary
Republican primary (go to 10)
6. In the Democratic primary for Governor, who do you plan to vote for?
Beto O'Rourke (go to 8)
Michael Cooper (go to 8)
Joy Diaz (go to 8)
Rich Wakeland (go to 8)
Inocencio Barrientez (go to 8)
Undecided (go to 7)
7. At this time, which candidate are you leaning towards?
Beto O'Rourke
Michael Cooper
Joy Diaz
Rich Wakeland
Inocencio Barrientez
8. In the Democratic primary for Attorney General, who do you plan to vote for?
Rochelle Garza (go to 16)
Joe Jaworski (go to 16)
Lee Merritt (go to 16)
Mike Fields (go to 16)

S. "Tbone" Raynor (go to 16)

Undecided (go to 9)

9. At this time, which candidate are you leaning towards?

Rochelle Garza (go to 16)

Joe Jaworski (go to 16)

Lee Merritt (go to 16)

Mike Fields (go to 16)

S. "Tbone" Raynor (go to 16)

10. In the Republican primary for Governor, who do you plan to vote for?

Greg Abbott (go to 12)

Allen B. West (go to 12)

Donald Huffines (go to 12)

Daniel Harrison (go to 12)

Chad Prather (go to 12)

Kandy Kaye Horn (go to 12)

Rick Perry (go to 12)

Paul Belew (go to 12)

Undecided

11. At this time, which candidate are you leaning towards?

Greg Abbott

Allen B. West

Donald Huffines

Daniel Harrison

Chad Prather

Kandy Kaye Horn

Rick Perry

Paul Belew

12. In the Republican primary for Attorney General, who do you plan to vote for?

Ken Paxton (go to 14)

George P. Bush (go to 14)

Louie Gohmert (go to 14)

Eva Guzman (go to 14)

Undecided

13. At this time, which candidate are you leaning towards?

Ken Paxton

George P. Bush

Louie Gohmert

Eva Guzman

14. What impact, if any, does Ken Paxton's indictment have on your likelihood of voting for him in the Attorney General primary?

- More likely
- Less likely
- No impact
- Have not heard of this issue

15. Generally speaking, would a Donald Trump endorsement make you more or less likely to vote for that candidate, or does his endorsement make no difference to you?

- More likely
- Less likely
- No impact

16. In a hypothetical matchup for Governor between Greg Abbott and Beto O'Rourke, who would you vote for at this time?

- Republican Greg Abbott
- Democrat Beto O'Rourke
- Unsure

17. Do you approve or disapprove of the job that Joe Biden is doing as President?

- Approve
- Disapprove
- Neutral or no opinion

18. How concerned are you about the electricity grid in Texas?

- Very concerned
- Somewhat concerned
- Not very concerned
- Not at all concerned

19. How secure do you think the US-Mexico border is?

- Very secure
- Somewhat secure
- Not very secure
- Not at all secure

20. Do you believe Texas runs fair elections?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure or no opinion

21. What do you think is the most important issue facing Texas?

- Healthcare
- Covid-19
- Education
- Taxes

Inflation
Immigration
Voting rights
Something else

22. Who did you vote for in the 2020 election?

Joe Biden
Donald Trump
Someone else
Did not vote

23. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me your ethnicity?

Hispanic or Latino of any race
White or Caucasian
Black or African American
Asian
Other or multiple races

24. What is your age range?

18-29 years
30-49 years
50-64 years
65 or more years

25. What is the highest level of education you have attained?

High school or less
Some college
College graduate
Postgrad or higher

26. Please select the type of area where you live

Urban/city
Suburban
Rural

27. What is your gender

Male
Female
Nonbinary or other

28.

What congressional district do you live in?

1st district: Louie Gohmert (R)

2nd district: Dan Crenshaw (R)

3rd district: Van Taylor (R)

4th district: Pat Fallon (R)

5th district: Lance Gooden (R)
6th district: Jake Ellzey (R)
7th district: Lizzie Fletcher (D)
8th district: Kevin Brady (R)
9th district: Al Green (D)
10th district: Michael McCaul (R)
11th district: August Pfluger (R)
12th district: Kay Granger (R)
13th district: Ronny Jackson (R)
14th district: Randy Weber (R)
15th district: Vicente González (D)
16th district: Veronica Escobar (D)
17th district: Pete Sessions (R)
18th district: Sheila Jackson Lee (D)
19th district: Jodey Arrington (R)
20th district: Joaquin Castro (D)
21st district: Chip Roy (R)
22nd district: Troy Nehls (R)
23rd district: Tony Gonzales (R)
24th district: Beth Van Duyne (R)
25th district: Roger Williams (R)
26th district: Michael Burgess (R)
27th district: Michael Cloud (R)
28th district: Henry Cuellar (D)
29th district: Sylvia Garcia (D)
30th district: Eddie Bernice Johnson (D)
31st district: John Carter (R)
32nd district: Colin Allred (D)
33rd district: Marc Veasey (D)
34th district: Filemon Vela, Jr. (D)
35th district: Lloyd Doggett (D)
36th district: Brian Babin (R)