



Napolitan News Service Survey
of 800 Registered Voters in Washington
Conducted April 9-14, 2025

1 Even though state tax revenue of Washington has doubled over the past ten years, the state is now facing a multi-billion budget shortfall for the next four years. Which would be the better way to address this budget deficit?*

- 80% Slow the growth of government spending and balance the budget over the next few years without raising taxes.
- 12% Continue to grow government spending at current or higher rates and increase taxes.
- 8% Not sure

2 Last year, the state legislature overwhelmingly passed a parental rights initiative giving parents access to their children's school curriculum. It qualified for the ballot with more than 400,000 voters' signatures, and 90% of the House and Senate members voted for it. Now, the legislature is threatening to overturn that same legislation. When a piece of legislation is passed by large majorities and has broad voter approval, is it appropriate for the legislature to overturn that legislation after an election and just one year after they passed the bill?*

- 18% Yes
- 68% No
- 14% Not sure



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3 Another initiative that prevents utilities and governments from banning natural gas was passed by voters in November. However, a judge recently ruled that the initiative is unconstitutional because she said voters did not know what they were voting on. When it comes to policy and political decisions, who do you trust more, judges or voters?*

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| 23% | Judges |
| 61% | Voters |
| 16% | Not sure |

Methodology

This survey of 800 Registered Voters was conducted online by Scott Rasmussen on April 9-14, 2025. Field work for the survey was conducted by RMG Research, Inc. Certain quotas were applied, and the sample was lightly weighted by geography, gender, age, race, education, internet usage, and political party to reasonably reflect the population of Registered Voters. Other variables were reviewed to ensure that the final sample is representative of that population.

The margin of sampling error for the full sample is +/- 3.5 percentage points.

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