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2013 Legislative Survey Results



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1. The state currently owes \$801 million to school districts across the state. Which option do you prefer?

71.12%	Pay back the schools now, and delay additional increases in funding.
19.15%	Increase education funding now, and delay paying back the money owed to schools.

2. Do you support expanding the sales tax to items such as lunch meat, haircuts, auto repairs, clothing items over \$100, over-the-counter medications, bank charges, business to business services and other items?

15.50%	Yes
78.42%	No
3.95%	Undecided

3. Governor Dayton is proposing an 8 percent increase in overall general fund spending for 2014-15. Do you support this increase in spending?

22.49%	Yes
63.83%	No
10.33%	Undecided

4. Legislation has been introduced that would seek to create additional gun control laws in an effort to decrease gun violence. Do you support additional gun control measures?

43.16%	Yes
52.28%	No
3.65%	Undecided

5. Some unions and lawmakers are considering requiring private day care providers and personal care attendants to join a union. Proponents argue it will give more power to these workers to improve their wages and working conditions. Opponents say the measure is unnecessary and will increase the cost of daycare and personal care services for families. Do you support the unionization of child care providers and personal care attendants?

13.68%	Yes
75.68%	No
6.38%	Undecided

6. Governor Dayton has proposed adding a .25 percent transit tax to the 7-county metro area to go towards expanding buses and light rail. Some opponents argue Anoka County would not benefit from the expanded transit lines. On the other hand, proponents argue the Twin Cities needs to continue to expand these transit options. Do you support this proposal?

43.16%	Yes
51.37%	No
3.65%	Undecided

7. Later this session, it is expected that the legislature will take up the issue of marriage equality for same sex couples. Do you support marriage equality and the legalization of same sex marriage in Minnesota?

45.59%	Yes
49.85%	No
3.65%	Undecided