



Community Survey

1) What do you think is the most serious challenge impacting our state and local economies today?

- Unemployment Health care Housing costs
- Government spending High taxes
- Other _____

2) What action or actions do you think the General Assembly should take to regain the trust of the voters?

3) Do you think the General Assembly did enough in the area of reform during the previous session?

- Yes No No opinion

If not, what still needs to be done? *(please explain)*

4) Currently the Speaker of the House and Senate President have the sole authority to decide the fate of a piece of legislation. These leaders have the power to decide what bill gets a committee hearing or a vote on the House floor. Do you think that the Speaker of the House and Senate President have too much power *(in terms of what types of legislation can be heard)*?

- Yes No No opinion

5) Do you think the legislature should amend the rules so that bills that have a majority of representatives or senators signed on as sponsors are automatically allowed a hearing in committee?

- Yes No No opinion

6) The budget that passed on May 31st was negotiated by only the Governor and legislative leaders and submitted to the legislators the same day the vote was held. Do you think this process needs to be changed?

- Yes No No opinion

If yes, do you think the legislature should hold public hearings on major spending areas and require the Speaker and Senate President to certify that the budget is balanced?

- Yes No No opinion

7) Do you think the budget should be presented to the members and available to the public seven days before the legislature votes on it?

- Yes No No opinion

8) Do you think the General Assembly should raise the personal income tax rate to fund government programs?

- Yes No No opinion

If yes, do you think there should be budget spending reforms?

- Yes No No opinion

Optional Information:

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