



REMINGTON RESEARCH GROUP

TO: Interested Parties  
FROM: Remington Research Group  
RE: Texas Voter Sentiment Regarding COVID-19  
DATE: April 23, 2020

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## Methodology

Survey conducted April 20 through April 21, 2020. 1,224 likely 2020 General Election voters participated in the survey. Survey weighted to match expected turnout demographics for the 2020 General Election. Margin of Error is +/-2.9%. Totals do not always equal 100% due to rounding.

## Key Findings

Remington Research Group conducted a statewide survey amongst likely Republican and Democratic voters on issues relating to the coronavirus pandemic. The survey asked a wide range of questions related to the pandemic. The data below displays the crosstabs of Republican voter's sentiment versus Democratic voter's sentiment.

Q: Do you think that Texas should remain closed for the time being *or* do you think Texas should open back up and allow people and businesses to go back to work?

Column %	Republican	Democrat
Remain closed	40%	82%
Open back up	50%	13%
Not sure	10%	6%

Q: Do you think that the "social disciplining and personal hygiene" protocols are working, and that business should be allowed to reopen so long as they continue to follow those protocols?

Column %	Republican	Democrat
Yes	79%	43%
No	15%	42%
Not sure	6%	16%

Q: Do you believe doctors should be allowed to treat patients in need of medical procedures, if those procedures don't impact COVID-19 patients?

Column %	Republican	Democrat
Seek treatment	91%	87%
Remain banned	6%	8%
Not sure	4%	4%

Q: Who do you think should decide when Texans go back to work? Politicians, bureaucrats, or individual Texans?

Column %	Republican	Democrat
Politicians	25%	22%
Bureaucrats	7%	14%
Texans	52%	33%
Not sure	16%	30%

Q: Our economic decline will significantly hurt government tax revenue. Of the following, what do you think should be pursued to make up for the shortfall?

Column %	Republican	Democrat
Increase taxes	4%	9%
Reduction in govt	67%	47%
Not sure	29%	44%

Q: Are you in a position where you can successfully work from home?

Column %	Republican	Democrat
Yes	36%	35%
No	64%	65%