

# Daily Survey: Attitudes Toward Development

## April 7 - 10, 2022 - 1000 US Adult Citizens



### 1. Government Development Restrictions

Which comes closer to your view?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
People should be free to buy land and develop real estate where they please	55%	56%	54%	50%	60%	57%	52%	53%	61%	64%	46%
The government should limit where people are allowed to build things	45%	44%	46%	50%	40%	43%	48%	47%	39%	36%	54%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(988)	(441)	(547)	(156)	(219)	(395)	(218)	(698)	(124)	(93)	(73)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
People should be free to buy land and develop real estate where they please	55%	43%	59%	66%	39%	71%	59%	54%	47%	56%	53%	59%	50%
The government should limit where people are allowed to build things	45%	57%	41%	34%	61%	29%	41%	46%	53%	44%	47%	41%	50%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(988)	(358)	(382)	(248)	(398)	(323)	(401)	(279)	(199)	(164)	(214)	(375)	(235)

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## 2. Density Impact on Environment

Which comes closer to your view?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
It's better for the environment if houses are built closer together	25%	28%	22%	42%	26%	17%	18%	24%	20%	36%	21%
It's better for the environment if houses are built farther apart	75%	72%	78%	58%	74%	83%	82%	76%	80%	64%	79%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(980)	(438)	(542)	(157)	(219)	(390)	(214)	(690)	(126)	(91)	(73)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
It's better for the environment if houses are built closer together	25%	32%	21%	20%	32%	15%	21%	26%	29%	27%	28%	18%	30%
It's better for the environment if houses are built farther apart	75%	68%	79%	80%	68%	85%	79%	74%	71%	73%	72%	82%	70%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(980)	(356)	(379)	(245)	(393)	(320)	(395)	(280)	(196)	(161)	(212)	(372)	(235)

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### 3. Density Impact on Traffic

Which comes closer to your view?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Higher-density development creates more traffic since people are living closer together	60%	61%	58%	57%	56%	61%	63%	60%	55%	56%	68%
Higher-density development creates less traffic by making it easier to walk and use public transit	40%	39%	42%	43%	44%	39%	37%	40%	45%	44%	32%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(980)	(438)	(542)	(157)	(215)	(394)	(214)	(694)	(125)	(89)	(72)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Higher-density development creates more traffic since people are living closer together	60%	45%	62%	75%	51%	71%	58%	60%	60%	58%	51%	62%	65%
Higher-density development creates less traffic by making it easier to walk and use public transit	40%	55%	38%	25%	49%	29%	42%	40%	40%	42%	49%	38%	35%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Unweighted N	(980)	(358)	(377)	(245)	(397)	(317)	(395)	(281)	(197)	(159)	(213)	(373)	(235)

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### 4. Density Impact on Crime

Compared to less densely populated areas, do you think high-density areas have...

*This note is a test*

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Lower crime rates	10%	12%	8%	17%	13%	7%	3%	7%	19%	13%	12%
Higher crime rates	62%	63%	61%	53%	51%	67%	73%	67%	46%	49%	59%
No difference in crime rates	29%	26%	32%	30%	36%	25%	24%	26%	35%	38%	29%
Totals	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(989)	(442)	(547)	(156)	(218)	(398)	(217)	(699)	(125)	(92)	(73)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
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Lower crime rates	10%	12%	7%	10%	10%	9%	11%	8%	13%	13%	12%	7%	10%
Higher crime rates	62%	50%	62%	76%	54%	79%	58%	68%	56%	61%	65%	62%	58%
No difference in crime rates	29%	38%	31%	13%	37%	12%	30%	25%	31%	25%	22%	31%	32%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(989)	(358)	(383)	(248)	(396)	(322)	(400)	(280)	(199)	(159)	(213)	(381)	(236)

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<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	April 7 - 10, 2022
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. Citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2018 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2018 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, news interest, and 2020 Presidential vote (or non-vote). The weights range from 0.384 to 4.897, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.415.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 3.4% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	63 questions not reported.