



North Carolina Survey Results

Q1 Would you support or oppose replacing the death penalty with life without the possibility of parole if the millions of dollars that would be saved were spent to solve unsolved crimes and assist victims?

Strongly support.....29% *Somewhat oppose*.. 5%
Somewhat support..26% *Not sure*17%
Strongly oppose.....23%

Q2 Would you support or oppose replacing the death penalty with life without the possibility of parole if the offender had to work and pay restitution to the victim's family?

Strongly support.....45% *Somewhat oppose*.. 2%
Somewhat support..23% *Not sure*10%
Strongly oppose.....20%

Q3 Studies show that law enforcement leaders rank the death penalty at the bottom of a list of effective crime fighting tools. Knowing this, would you support or oppose replacing the death penalty with life without the possibility of parole if the money saved could be spent on effective crime-fighting tools?

Strongly support.....39% *Somewhat oppose*.. 3%
Somewhat support..24% *Not sure*10%
Strongly oppose.....24%

Q4 Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative?

Very liberal..... 11%
Somewhat liberal 15%
Moderate.....29%
Somewhat conservative.....22%
Very conservative22%

Q5 If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.

Woman 54%
Man..... 46%

Q6 If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.

Democrat 44%
Republican..... 33%
Independent/Other..... 23%

Q7 If you are white, press 1. If African-American, press 2. If other, press 3.

White 75%
African-American 20%
Other..... 6%

Q8 If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are older than 65, press 4.

18 to 29..... 12%
30 to 45..... 26%
46 to 65..... 41%
Older than 65..... 21%

Q9 Area Code

252..... 12%
336..... 18%
704..... 18%
828..... 14%
910..... 16%
919..... 21%





Crosstabs

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Used Savings on Unsolved Crimes						
Strongly support	29%	40%	38%	34%	17%	19%
Somewhat support	26%	39%	29%	23%	27%	21%
Strongly oppose	23%	17%	13%	20%	25%	39%
Somewhat oppose	5%	-	2%	3%	11%	6%
Not sure	17%	5%	18%	19%	20%	15%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Offender Paid Restitution						
Strongly support	45%	44%	55%	53%	41%	31%
Somewhat support	23%	36%	26%	19%	24%	19%
Strongly oppose	20%	17%	10%	16%	20%	35%
Somewhat oppose	2%	-	1%	0%	7%	1%
Not sure	10%	4%	9%	11%	8%	13%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Savings Used on Effective Crime Fighting						
Strongly support	39%	40%	52%	47%	30%	24%
Somewhat support	24%	25%	29%	21%	31%	15%
Strongly oppose	24%	24%	9%	17%	26%	44%
Somewhat oppose	3%	3%	3%	3%	6%	3%
Not sure	10%	8%	8%	11%	8%	15%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Used Savings on Unsolved Crimes			
Strongly support	29%	32%	25%
Somewhat support	26%	27%	25%
Strongly oppose	23%	15%	33%
Somewhat oppose	5%	5%	5%
Not sure	17%	21%	12%





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	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Offender Paid Restitution			
Strongly support	45%	48%	42%
Somewhat support	23%	26%	20%
Strongly oppose	20%	14%	26%
Somewhat oppose	2%	1%	3%
Not sure	10%	11%	8%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Savings Used on Effective Crime Fighting			
Strongly support	39%	44%	32%
Somewhat support	24%	25%	22%
Strongly oppose	24%	15%	35%
Somewhat oppose	3%	4%	3%
Not sure	10%	13%	8%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Used Savings on Unsolved Crimes				
Strongly support	29%	38%	15%	27%
Somewhat support	26%	28%	27%	21%
Strongly oppose	23%	16%	33%	26%
Somewhat oppose	5%	3%	7%	5%
Not sure	17%	14%	18%	20%

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Somewhat support	23%	21%	25%	25%
Strongly oppose	20%	14%	21%	29%
Somewhat oppose	2%	0%	4%	2%
Not sure	10%	10%	10%	9%





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	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
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Strongly support	29%	27%	33%	40%
Somewhat support	26%	27%	25%	11%
Strongly oppose	23%	25%	15%	31%
Somewhat oppose	5%	4%	6%	11%
Not sure	17%	16%	21%	7%

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Strongly support	45%	43%	50%	61%
Somewhat support	23%	24%	23%	15%
Strongly oppose	20%	20%	18%	17%
Somewhat oppose	2%	2%	-	3%
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Strongly support	29%	41%	27%	28%	28%
Somewhat support	26%	35%	29%	28%	16%
Strongly oppose	23%	18%	27%	22%	24%
Somewhat oppose	5%	-	4%	6%	5%
Not sure	17%	6%	14%	16%	26%

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Strongly oppose	20%	12%	23%	21%	17%
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	Base	Area Code					
		252	336	704	828	910	919
Support/Oppose Replacing Death Penalty if Used Savings on Unsolved Crimes							
Strongly support	29%	22%	20%	26%	27%	26%	45%
Somewhat support	26%	35%	29%	30%	25%	21%	21%
Strongly oppose	23%	12%	25%	23%	23%	24%	27%
Somewhat oppose	5%	7%	10%	4%	2%	7%	1%
Not sure	17%	23%	16%	17%	23%	22%	6%





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Strongly oppose	20%	22%	15%	18%	17%	22%	24%
Somewhat oppose	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	-
Not sure	10%	11%	13%	8%	12%	12%	5%

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Not sure	10%	15%	15%	7%	7%	14%	6%

