

Illinois

2022 General Election

April 2022

Survey conducted April 16 through April 19, 2022. 890 likely 2022 General Election voters participated in the survey. Survey weighted to match expected turnout demographics for the 2022 General Election. Margin of Error is +/-3.2% with a 95% level of confidence. Totals do not always equal 100% due to rounding.

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Q1: Illinois wildlife like coyotes, foxes and bobcats play a vital role in healthy ecosystems by controlling disease transmission, keeping rodent populations in check, increasing biological diversity, and protecting crops. Do you agree or disagree that wildlife like coyotes, foxes and bobcats are important to healthy Illinois ecosystems?

Agree: 83% Disagree: 12% Not sure: 5%

Q2: Wildlife management officials across the country have stated that wildlife killing contests are jeopardizing the reputation of hunters overall, and even the future of hunting itself. Studies show that the American public, while continuing to support hunting generally, is growing less tolerant of hunting practices that they view as inhumane, unsporting, ecologically damaging, or wasteful. As a result, eight U.S. states have now prohibited wildlife killing contests. Do you support or oppose a ban on wildlife killing contests in Illinois?

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Column %	CHICAGO	BALANCE	
Agree	86%	78%	
Disagree	11%	17%	
Not sure	4%	5%	
Table 13 01 by DMA - Categorical			

Table 13. Q4 by DMA - Categorical

Column %	Republican	Democrat	Non-Partisan
Agree	80%	85%	84%
Disagree	17%	11%	9%
Not sure	2%	4%	7%

Table 14. Q4 by PARTY

Column %	Female	Male
Agree	85%	81%
Disagree	10%	15%
Not sure	5%	3%
Table 15. Q4 by GENDER		

Column %	V con	S con	Mod	Prog
Agree	82%	78%	87%	86%
Disagree	13%	21%	8%	10%
Not sure	5%	1%	6%	4%

Table 16. Q4 by IDEOLOGY



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Support	74%	69%
Oppose	18%	19%
Not sure	7%	12%

Table 29. Q8 by DMA - Categorical

Column %	Republican	Democrat	Non-Partisan
Support	71%	78%	65%
Oppose	20%	17%	20%
Not sure	9%	5%	14%

Table 30. Q8 by PARTY

Column %	<u>Female</u>	Male	
Support	82%	61%	
Oppose	10%	29%	
Not sure 7% 10%			
Table 31. Q8 by GENDER			

Column %	V con	<u>S con</u>	Mod	Prog
Support	65%	64%	76%	83%
Oppose	26%	25%	15%	12%
Not sure	9%	11%	9%	5%
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Table 32. Q8 by IDEOLOGY



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Democ	rat	46%	
Non-Pa	artisan	24%	
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Female 54%			
Male 46%		<u>%</u>	
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V con	20%		
S con	23%		
Mod	34%		
Prog	24%		
Table 36. IDEOLOGY			