

# Non-Citizen Voting

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The survey on non-citizen voting and election integrity reveals a complex landscape of concern, trust, and proposed solutions among a diverse demographic. A significant portion of respondents, 33%, are not at all concerned that voting by non-citizens could influence the outcome of elections in favor of their non-preferred candidates, while 28% express very high levels of concern. Trust in election officials and the processes in place to prevent non-citizen voting is mixed, with 43% having some or complete trust, contrasted by 38% who have little to no trust at all.

When it comes to beliefs about the frequency of non-citizen voting in major federal elections, a plurality (37%) believes it happens but does not affect election outcomes, while 35% think it could influence close elections. A strong consensus emerges around the implementation of measures to prevent non-citizen voting, with around 76% to 80% support for stricter voter ID requirements, enhanced voter registration verification, regular audits of voter rolls, increased penalties for non-citizen voting, and public reporting on preventive measures.

The survey also touches on recent incidents of potential non-citizen voter registration in Ohio, Oregon, and Georgia, which, after being presented with these cases, 40% of respondents report being more concerned about the effects of non-citizen voting on election outcomes. However, 43% maintain the same level of concern, indicating a nuanced view of the issue.

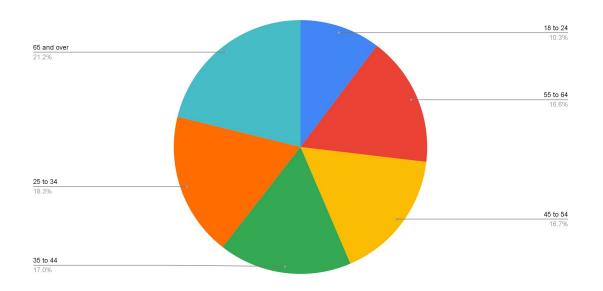
Comments from respondents highlight a range of opinions, from calls for stricter laws and secure borders to skepticism about the extent of non-citizen voting and its impact on election integrity. Some express distrust in the current system and political parties, while others emphasize the need for voter ID and citizenship verification to uphold the integrity of elections. Despite the varied perspectives, there is a clear call for measures to ensure that only eligible citizens participate in the voting process, reflecting a shared commitment to fair and secure elections.



# Demographics

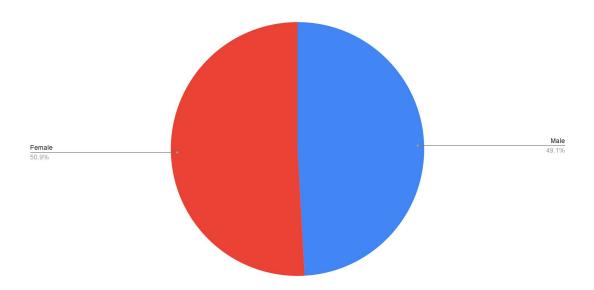


## Demographics: What is your age?



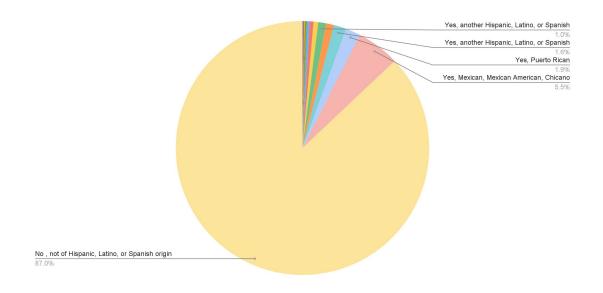


Demographics: Are you...?



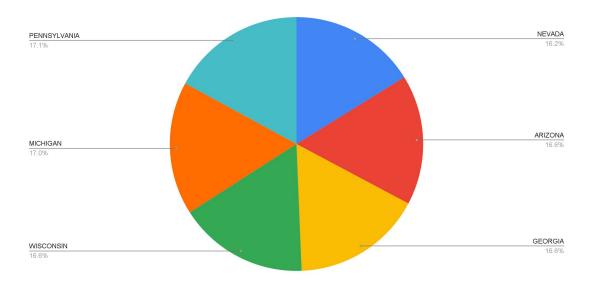


Demographics: Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?



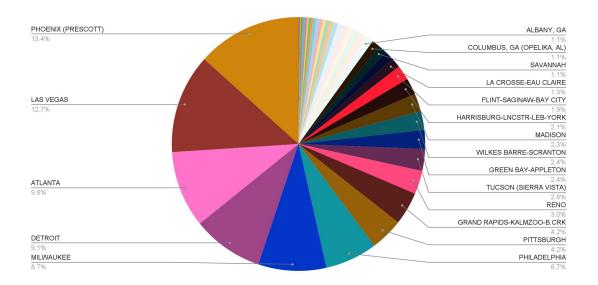


## Demographics: What is your state?



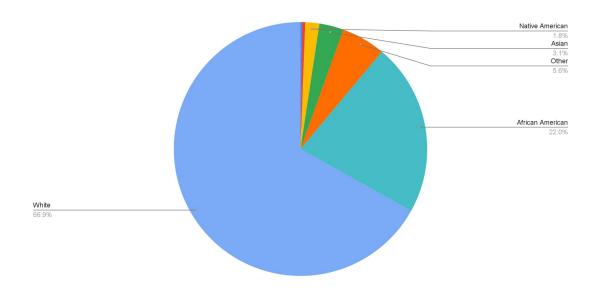


#### Demographics: What is your DMA?



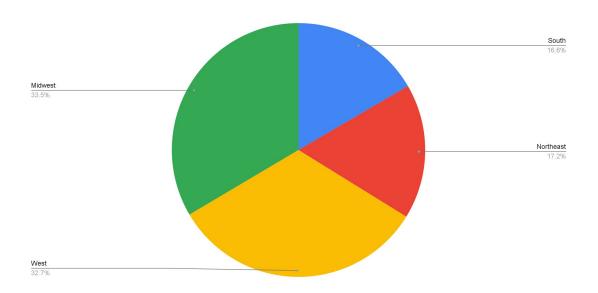


Demographics: What is your race?





## Demographics: What is your REGION?



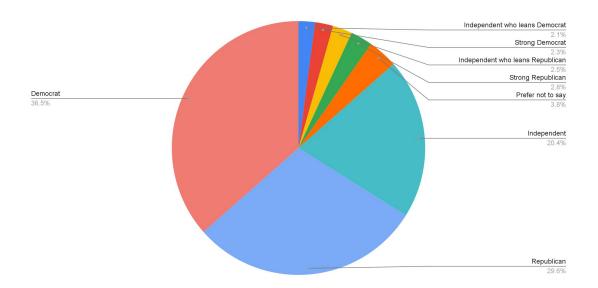


Demographics: Are you registered to vote?



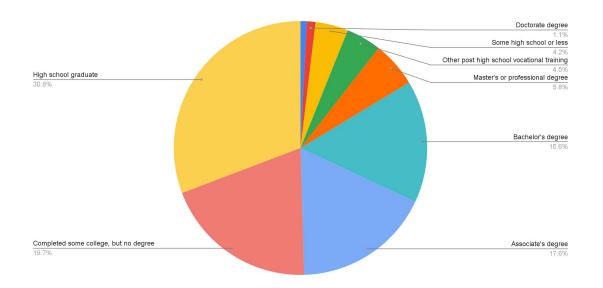


Demographics: In politics today, do you consider yourself a Democrat, Republican, or Independent?



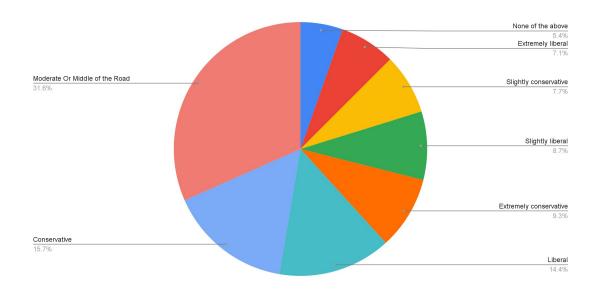


#### Demographics: What is the highest level of education you have completed?





Demographics: In terms of your political views, do you consider yourself...

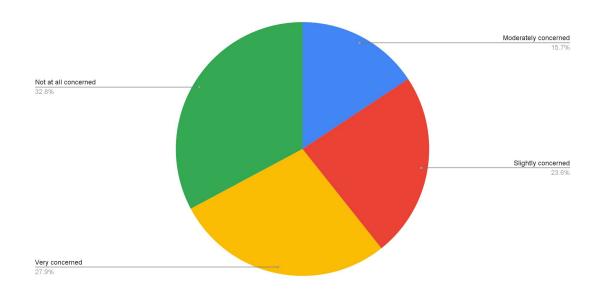




# Results

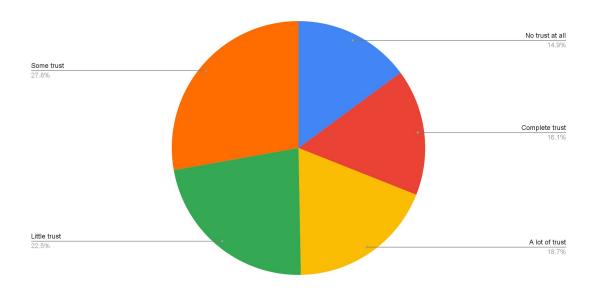


Q1: How concerned are you that voting by non-citizens will be a reason that your preferred candidates lose this year's elections?



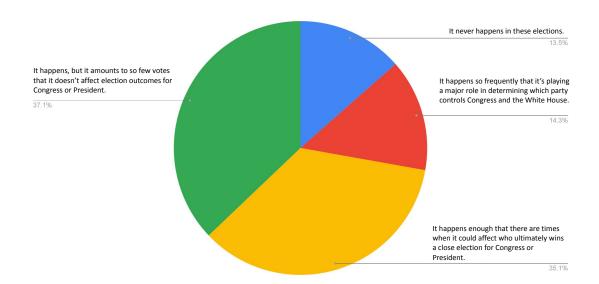


Q2: How much trust do you have in election officials and the processes they've put in place to prevent non-citizens from voting in this year's elections?



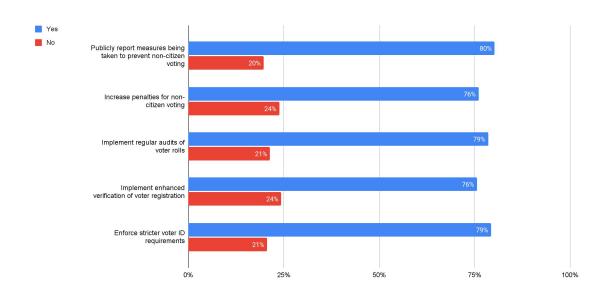


Q3: Which statement comes closest to your belief about how often non-citizens vote in major federal elections, such as for Congress and President? [single]





Q4: Do you think that government officials should implement the following processes to prevent non-citizens from voting in federal elections? (Select "Yes" or "No" for each)





Q5: We're going to briefly describe and link for you some recent stories about noncitizen voter registration and voting in a handful of states.

- In Ohio this year, the chief election official referred 597 cases of potential noncitizen voter registration to the state's attorney general. Of those individuals, only 138 were found to have cast a ballot in an election since 2022.
- In Oregon this year, the chief election official said the state erroneously added 1,259 people who didn't provide proof of U.S. citizenship to the state's voter rolls since 2021. Only 10 of those subsequently voted, according to the state.
- In Georgia, the chief election official determined that 1,634 potential noncitizens filled out voter registration forms between 1997 and 2022. Election officials flagged them for verification and none were allowed to vote.



Q5 Cont.: Now ... after reading this information, are you more concerned, less concerned, or concerned about the same as you were before about the effects of noncitizen voting on election outcomes?

