

Missourians Overwhelmingly Support Potential Election Transparency and Accessibility Initatives

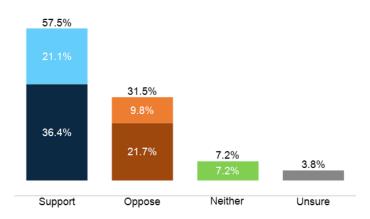
TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Chris Lane; Director of Client Strategy

RE: Secure Democracy USA survey of Missouri Voters

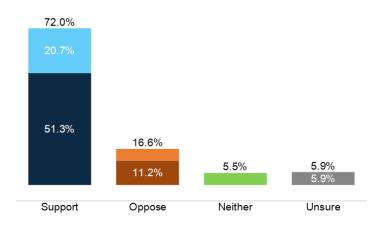
Voting Rights after Incarceration

A majority of Missourians support allowing those who have been convicted of a felony the right to vote upon their release from jail or prison



Correcting Mistakes on Ballots

- Missourians of every age group and across the political spectrum overwhelmingly support being able to fix clerical errors on their ballot (i.e.; missing signature or date) to ensure their vote is counted.
 - Republicans 63-27, Independents 77-10, Democrats 87-6.





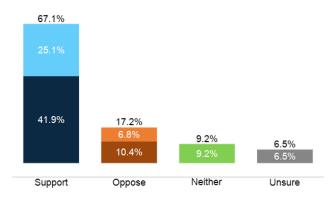
Tracking Absentee Ballots

- 84% of Missouri voters support allowing voters to be able to track their absentee ballot. Universal support, no exception for any age group, gender, or partisanship.

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Strongly support	67%	65%	61%	69%	66%	55%	60%	68%	57%	64%	55%	78%	68%	70%	60%	63%	63%	55%	59%	65%	52%	72%	66%	65%	59%
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Timely Ballot Processing

- Missouri Voters (4:1) support allowing local election officials to process ballots as they arrive, replacing current rules that prohibit immediate processing that may lead to reporting delays.



METHODOLOGY: This probabilistic survey was conducted January 16-18, 2023, with 500 likely general election voters. It has a margin of error of $\pm 4.34\%$. Known registered voters were interviewed via live phone, text-to-web, email-to-web, each tied back to the voter file. This survey was weighted to a likely general election voter universe in Missouri

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