



**TO: INTERESTED PARTIES**  
**FROM: POLITICSPA/ MUNICIPAL**  
**RE: POLITICSPA / MUNICIPAL SURVEY**  
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**POLITICSPA / MUNICIPAL SURVEY:**  
**Legislative Action Urged On Illegal Construction Workers**

Voters support action by the legislature to stem the influx of illegal workers into the construction business. When asked "do you support or oppose legislation that would crack down on construction companies that knowingly hire illegal immigrants?," voters responded:

Support	65%
Oppose	18%
Not sure	17%

Support for the crackdown on illegal workers seems to cross political affiliations although it is most strong among Republicans:

	<b>11. Party</b>		
	Democrat	Republican	Other
Support	57%	74%	68%
Oppose	25%	12%	14%
Not sure	18%	14%	18%

Generally speaking, support for the legislation increases with age:

	<b>13. Age</b>			
	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+
Support	55%	60%	71%	67%
Oppose	30%	28%	14%	12%
Not sure	15%	11%	15%	21%

Men are somewhat more likely than women to support the legislation. Women are significantly more likely to be unsure about the legislation:

	<b>10. Gender</b>	
	Woman	Man
Support	62%	69%
Oppose	17%	19%
Not sure	21%	12%

**Methodology** -- Municipoll surveyed 912 likely voters on September 15- 16 on behalf of PoliticsPA. Respondents were called using IVR technology from a listed sample of voters who voted in 1 or more of General Elections 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, and Primary Election 2010 or who registered to vote since December 2008. Respondents were compared to the voter file and all interviews that were incompatible with the voters listed for that household, according to their age and gender, were eliminated from the sample. The data were weighted slightly by party, gender, age and race. The margin of error for this survey is + or - 3.24 in 95 out of 100 cases. PoliticsPA did not influence in any way the content, weighting, or any other aspect of the survey.

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**TOPLINE**

**Q1.** In November, there will be a General Election for Governor and other offices. How likely would you say you are to vote? If you will probably vote, press 1. If you probably *won't* vote, press 2.

<b>1. Vote</b>	Likely	912	100%
	Unlikely	TERMINATE INTERVIEW	
	<i>Total</i>	912	100%

**Q2.** On another issue, do you support or oppose legislation that would crack down on construction companies that knowingly hire illegal immigrants? If you support the legislation, press 1. If you oppose the legislation, press 2. If you're not sure or are undecided, press 3.

<b>Illegal Workers</b>	Support	595	65%
	Oppose	166	18%
	Not sure	151	17%
	<i>Total</i>	912	100%

**Q3.** If you are a woman, press 1, if a man, press 2.

<b>Gender</b>	Women	472	52%
	Men	440	48%
	<i>Total</i>	912	100%

**Q4.** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If other, press 3.

<b>Party</b>	Democratic	449	49%
	Republican	403	44%
	Other	59	7%
	<i>Total</i>	912	100%

**Q5.** If you are white, press 1. If you are African-American, press 2. If you are other, press 3.

<b>Race</b>	White	779	85%
	African-American	96	11%
	Other	37	4%
	<i>Total</i>	912	100%

**Q6.** If you are 18 to 34 years old, press 1. If you are 35 to 49, press 2. If you are 50 to 64, press 3. If age 65 or over, press 4.

<b>Age</b>	18-34	121	13%
	35-49	188	21%
	50-64	284	31%
	65+	318	35%
	<i>Total</i>	912	100%