



Vanderbilt University 2022 Nashville/Davidson County Survey Topline Results: April 21, 2022

Total N=1,008 Nashville/Davidson County, TN residents ages 18+

Margin of Error: ± 4.3 percentage points for results based on Total [N=1,008]

Interviewing dates: March 18-April 16, 2022

Interview language: English Interview mode: Web, Telephone

WEB INTRODUCTION

WS1. Thank you for participating in this survey for the Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions (CSDI) at Vanderbilt University. As a thank you for participating, we can send you a \$XX gift card upon completion of the survey.

To ensure our poll is representative of the Nashville Metro area, we ask that the adult (age 18 or older) in your household who has the <u>next birthday</u> is the person who completes this survey.

Please enter your passcode: [TEXT BOX]

Click "Start" to continue to the survey.

CATI INBOUND INTRODUCTION

Hello, my name is _____. Thank you for calling to participate in this survey for Vanderbilt University. This call may be monitored or recorded for quality assurance.

S4. Are you now driving a car or doing any activity requiring your full attention?

MAIN SCREENING INTERVIEW

[READ TO ALL:] First, just a few background questions...

AGE. What is your age? [CONTINUE IF 18 OR OLDER]

AGEREF. [IF AGE=DON'T KNOW OR REFUSED:] Keeping in mind that this is a completely confidential survey... Could you please tell us if you are under 18, 18 to 24, 25 to 34, 35 to 44, 45 to 54, 55 to 64, or 65 or older? [CONTINUE IF 18 OR OLDER]

RDCOUNTY. What county in Tennessee do you currently live in? / Do you currently in Davidson County, Tennessee? [CONTINUE IF DAVIDSON COUNTY]





TREND INFORMATION

2021 trends are from the Vanderbilt University "2021 Nashville-Davidson County Poll" conducted under the direction of SSRS from March 8-30, 2021 among 1,006 Nashville/Davidson County, TN residents, age 18 or older. Surveys were administered in English by web and telephone.

2020 trends are from the Vanderbilt University "2020 Nashville-Davidson County Poll" conducted under the direction of SSRS from April 9-May 10, 2020 among 1,036 Nashville/Davidson County, TN residents, age 18 or older. Surveys were administered in English by web and telephone.

2019 trends are from the Vanderbilt University "2019 Nashville-Davidson County Poll" conducted under the direction of SSRS from March 5-April 3, 2019 among 910 Nashville/Davidson County, TN residents, age 18 or older. Surveys were administered in English or Spanish by telephone, web, or mail.

2018 trends are from the Vanderbilt University "2018 Nashville-Davidson County Poll" conducted under the direction of SSRS from February 08-19, 2018 among 800 Nashville/Davidson County, TN residents, age 18 or older, reached on either a landline or cell phone. Interviews were conducted in English.

2017 trends are from the Vanderbilt University "2017 Nashville-Davidson County Poll" conducted under the direction of Princeton Survey Research Associates International (PSRAI) from February 27-March 19, 2017 among 1,106 Nashville/Davidson County, TN residents, age 18 or older, reached on either a landline or cell phone. Interviews were conducted in either English or Spanish.

2015 trends are from the Vanderbilt University "2015 Nashville-Davidson County Poll" conducted under the direction of Princeton Survey Research Associates International (PSRAI) from September 14-27, 2015 among 1,000 Nashville/Davidson County, TN residents, age 18 or older, reached on either a landline or cell phone. Interviews were conducted in either English or Spanish.

Notes: Because percentages are rounded, they may not total 100%.

An asterisk (*) indicates less than 0.5%.

Data collection was conducted via web and telephone. Verbiage in this topline reflects web wording. Telephone wording may differ slightly due to interviewer-administered data collection.

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MAIN INTERVIEW

1. We'd like your views on some government organizations and public officials. For each, please indicate if you approve or disapprove of how each is handling their job. [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

| | | APPROVE | DIS- APPROVE | (VOL.) NEED TO WAIT AND SEE / TOO EARLY TO TELL | (VOL.) DK¹ | (VOL.) REF ² |
|-----|---|---------|-----------------|--|---------------|----------------------------|
| a. | The job the Metro Nashville Council is doing ³ | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 54 | 42 | 1 | 2 | * |
| | 2021 | 63 | 36 | 1 | 0 | * |
| | 2020 | 70 | 28 | 1 | * | 0 |
| | 2019 | 57 | 34 | 5 | 4 | * |
| | 2018 | 59 | 25 | 2 | 12 | 2 |
| | 2017 | 59 | 21 | 3 | 16 | 1 |
| | 2015 | 58 | 21 | 2 | 18 | 1 |
| b. | The job the Metro Nashville School Board is doing | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 54 | 42 | 2 | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 60 | 37 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| | 2020 | 68 | 30 | 1 | * | 0 |
| | 2019 | 37 | 52 | 5 | 5 | * |
| | 2018 | 51 | 30 | 3 | 14 | 2 |
| | 2017 | 49 | 32 | 3 | 15 | 1 |
| | 2015 | 43 | 37 | 1 | 18 | 1 |
| c. | The job John Cooper is doing as Mayor | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 56 | 43 | * | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 57 | 43 | * | 0 | 0 |
| | 2020 | 80 | 20 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | <u>David Briley trends:</u> | | | | | |
| | 2019 | 66 | 27 | 4 | 3 | * |
| | Megan Barry trends: ⁴ | | | | | |
| | 2018 | 61 | 33 | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| | 2017 | 72 | 16 | 2 | 9 | * |
| | 2015 | 41 | 12 | 27 | 20 | 1 |
| (Co | ntinued on next page) | | | | | |

¹ The abbreviation DK stands for "Don't know"

² The abbreviation REF stands for "Refused" or "Web skip"

³ 2015: "The job the Metro City Council is doing"

^{4 2017} and 2018: "The job Megan Barry is doing as Mayor". 2015: "The job Megan Barry is doing as the newly elected Mayor"





1. We'd like your views on some government organizations and public officials. For each, please indicate if you approve or disapprove of how each is handling their job. [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] (CONTINUED)

| | | APPROVE | DIS- APPROVE | (VOL.) NEED TO WAIT AND SEE / TOO EARLY TO TELL | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF |
|----|--|---------|-----------------|--|--------------|---------------|
| d. | The job Congressman Jim Cooper is doing | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 63 | 35 | 1 | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 65 | 33 | 1 | 0 | * |
| | 2020 | 76 | 23 | 1 | * | 0 |
| | 2019 | 62 | 26 | 5 | 8 | * |
| | 2018 | 57 | 24 | 4 | 15 | 1 |
| | 2017 | 53 | 21 | 3 | 22 | 1 |
| e. | The job Adrienne Battle is doing as Director of Metro Nashville Public Schools | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 65 | 30 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| | 2021 | 72 | 25 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| | 2020 | 79 | 18 | 2 | * | * |
| | Dr. Shawn Joseph trends: | | | | | |
| | 2019 | 33 | 54 | 6 | 7 | * |
| | 2018 | 46 | 25 | 3 | 23 | 2 |
| f. | The job the Metro Nashville Police Department is doing | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 68 | 30 | 1 | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 74 | 25 | 1 | 0 | * |
| | 2020 | 86 | 14 | * | 0 | 0 |
| | 2019 | 75 | 23 | 2 | * | * |
| | 2018 | 84 | 13 | * | 2 | 1 |
| | 2017 | 80 | 15 | 1 | 4 | * |
| g. | The job the Metro Nashville Fire Department is doing | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 95 | 5 | * | * | * |





2. Do you think things in the Nashville area are generally headed in the right direction, or do you feel that things are off on the wrong track?

| | RIGHT DIRECTION | WRONG TRACK | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------|------------|---------|
| 2022 | 47 | 53 | * | * | (1,008) |
| 2021 | 59 | 40 | 0 | * | (1,006) |
| 2020 | 63 | 36 | * | 0 | (1,036) |
| 2019 | 53 | 45 | 1 | 1 | (910) |
| 2018* | 61 | 36 | 2 | * | (408) |
| 2017* | 68 | 26 | 5 | 1 | (560) |
| 2015 | 72 | 22 | 6 | * | (1,000) |
| *Asked of a half s | sample. | | | | |

ECONNASH. How would you rate the condition of the Nashville economy these days? Is it: [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | VERY GOOD | FAIRLY GOOD | FAIRLY BAD | VERY BAD | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|-------|--------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|---------|
| 2022 | 16 | 48 | 25 | 10 | * | * | (1,008) |
| 2021 | 12 | 59 | 23 | 7 | 0 | 0 | (1,006) |
| 2020 | 12 | 50 | 26 | 12 | * | 0 | (1,036) |
| 2019 | 32 | 50 | 13 | 5 | * | * | (910) |
| 2018* | 35 | 51 | 8 | 4 | 1 | * | (408) |
| 2017* | 32 | 54 | 8 | 4 | 2 | * | (560) |
| 2015* | 20 | 63 | 8 | 7 | 2 | 0 | (502) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.





[READ TO ALL:] On a different subject...

4. Now we would like to know what you think of the way Mayor John Cooper is handling some specific issues. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Mayor John Cooper is handling [ITEM]? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

| | | STRONGLY APPROVE | SOME- WHAT APPROVE | SOME- WHAT DIS- APPROVE | STRONGLY DIS- APPROVE | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF |
|----|---|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| a. | The coronavirus pandemic | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 25 | 41 | 18 | 16 | * | * |
| | 2021 | 25 | 35 | 21 | 19 | 0 | 0 |
| b. | The quality of public schools and education | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 11 | 40 | 28 | 19 | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 12 | 43 | 27 | 18 | 0 | * |
| c. | Economic growth | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 11 | 44 | 26 | 18 | * | * |
| | 2021 | 12 | 46 | 26 | 15 | 0 | * |
| d. | How Metro Nashville police deal | | | | | | |
| | with civilians of all races and ethnicities | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 14 | 43 | 24 | 18 | * | 1 |
| | 2021 | 13 | 45 | 25 | 17 | 0 | 0 |
| e. | Crime rates | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 9 | 38 | 30 | 21 | 1 | 1 |
| | 2021 | 8 | 45 | 31 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| f. | Public transportation | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 10 | 40 | 25 | 23 | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 12 | 40 | 30 | 17 | 0 | * |
| g. | Homelessness | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 5 | 22 | 34 | 37 | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 6 | 31 | 35 | 28 | 0 | * |
| h. | Property taxes and government spending | | | | | | |
| | 2022 | 7 | 29 | 32 | 32 | 1 | * |
| | 2021 | 8 | 32 | 26 | 34 | 0 | 0 |





5. How much of a priority do you think [ITEM] should be for Mayor John Cooper? Do you think this should be a top priority, important but lower priority, not too important, or should it not be done? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]⁵

| | | TOP PRIORITY | IMPT., LOWER PRIORITY | NOT TOO IMPT. | SHOULD NOT BE DONE | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|----|--|-----------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------|
| a. | Improving public education | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 73 | 23 | 2 | 2 | 0 | * | (432) |
| | **2020 | 68 | 31 | 2 | * | 0 | * | (573) |
| | 2019 | 81 | 16 | 2 | 1 | * | * | (910) |
| | *2018 | 86 | 13 | 1 | 1 | * | * | (400) |
| | 2017 | 86 | 12 | 1 | * | * | * | (1,106) |
| | 2015 | 84 | 14 | 1 | * | 1 | * | (1,000) |
| b. | Improving public transportation ⁶ | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 43 | 48 | 7 | 2 | * | 0 | (422) |
| | **2020 | 39 | 49 | 10 | 1 | 0 | * | (596) |
| | 2019 | 51 | 36 | 9 | 4 | * | * | (910) |
| | 2018 | 56 | 32 | 7 | 4 | * | * | (800) |
| | 2017 | 63 | 28 | 6 | 2 | * | * | (1,106) |
| | 2015 | 56 | 34 | 8 | 2 | 1 | * | (1,000) |
| c. | Taking steps to ensure the city's long-term financial health | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 55 | 41 | 3 | 2 | * | 0 | (411) |
| | **2020 | 65 | 32 | 3 | * | 0 | 0 | (614) |
| | 2019 | 65 | 31 | 3 | 1 | * | * | (910) |
| | *2018 | 71 | 25 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | (400) |
| | 2017 | 73 | 24 | 2 | * | 1 | * | (1,106) |
| | 2015 | 71 | 24 | 3 | 1 | 2 | * | (1,000) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

^{**}Each respondent received a random set of four items. (Continued on next page)

Prior to 2020, question was: "Now I'd like to ask you about priorities for the Nashville mayor and the Metro Nashville government."

⁶ 2015, 2017, 2018: "Improving public transportation systems"





5. How much of a priority do you think [ITEM] should be for Mayor John Cooper? Do you think this should be a top priority, important but lower priority, not too important, or should it not be done? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER] (CONTINUED)

| | | TOP PRIORITY | IMPT., LOWER PRIORITY | NOT TOO IMPT. | SHOULD NOT BE DONE | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|---------|--|-----------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------|
| d. | Reducing crime | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 63 | 27 | 7 | 2 | * | * | (439) |
| | **2020 | 50 | 45 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | (608) |
| | 2019 | 72 | 23 | 4 | 1 | 0 | * | (910) |
| | *2018 | 80 | 17 | 3 | * | * | * | (400) |
| | 2017 | 77 | 19 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | (1,106) |
| | 2015 | 76 | 21 | 2 | 1 | 1 | * | (1,000) |
| e. | Dealing with homelessness | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 48 | 46 | 6 | * | * | * | (472) |
| f. | Dealing with the problems of | | | | | | | |
| | low-income people and those in need ⁷ | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 62 | 34 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | (475) |
| | **2020 | 57 | 37 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | (595) |
| | 2019 | 55 | 39 | 4 | 2 | * | * | (910) |
| | *2018 | 64 | 29 | 4 | 2 | * | 0 | (400) |
| | 2017 | 73 | 23 | 3 | 1 | * | * | (1,106) |
| | 2015 | 69 | 26 | 3 | 1 | 1 | * | (1,000) |
| g. | Bringing new companies and jobs to the city ⁸ | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 29 | 47 | 18 | 6 | 0 | * | (466) |
| | **2020 | 31 | 50 | 17 | 2 | 0 | * | (605) |
| | 2019 | 36 | 42 | 16 | 5 | 0 | * | (910) |
| | *2018 | 49 | 40 | 8 | 4 | * | 0 | (400) |
| | 2017 | 47 | 37 | 11 | 4 | 1 | * | (1,106) |
| | 2015 | 47 | 40 | 9 | 2 | 2 | * | (1,000) |
| h. | Addressing issues related to | | | | | | | , , , |
| | garbage collection and recycling | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 30 | 59 | 10 | * | 0 | * | (475) |
| i. | Increasing the amount of | | | | | | | ` ' |
| | affordable housing in Nashville | | | | | | | |
| | **2022 | 65 | 23 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 | (440) |
| | **2020 | 42 | 44 | 10 | 4 | 0 | * | (553) |
| | 2019 | 55 | 30 | 7 | 6 | 1 | * | (910) |
| | *2018 | 64 | 26 | 6 | 4 | * | * | (400) |
| | 2017 | 64 | 26 | 6 | 3 | 1 | * | (1,106) |
| * 4 - 1 | | | | | | | | • |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

^{**}Each respondent received a random set of four items.

⁷ 2015 and 2017: "Dealing with the problems of the poor and people in need"

^{8 2015} and 2017: "Bringing new businesses to the city"





6. Overall, how welcoming do you think Nashville is to people who are moving to the area?

| | | | SOMEWHAT | | | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------|--------|--|
| | VERY WELCOMING | SOMEWHAT WELCOMING | UN- WELCOMING | VERY UN- WELCOMING | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | WELCOMING | WELCOWIING | WELCOWIING | | DK | NEF | |
| 2022 | 48 | 40 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 0 | |
| 2021 | 37 | 51 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 0 | |
| 2020 | 57 | 38 | 4 | 1 | * | 0 | |
| 2019 | 52 | 39 | 5 | 3 | * | * | |
| 2018 | 58 | 36 | 6 | 1 | * | * | |
| 2017 | 63 | 31 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | |
| 2015 ⁹ | 70 | 23 | 3 | 2 | 2 | * | |
| | | | | | | | |

7. Do you think Nashville's population is growing: [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | TOO QUICKLY | ABOUT THE RIGHT AMOUNT | NOT QUICKLY ENOUGH | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|-------|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| 2022* | 81 | 17 | 2 | * | 0 | (505) |
| 2021* | 73 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 0 | (504) |
| 2020* | 79 | 20 | 1 | 0 | * | (520) |
| 2019 | 78 | 20 | 1 | * | * | (910) |
| 2018* | 75 | 23 | 2 | * | 1 | (405) |
| 2017* | 65 | 32 | 3 | * | 0 | (568) |
| 2015* | 50 | 44 | 5 | 1 | * | (523) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

8. Do you think construction of new buildings and properties in Nashville is growing: [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | TOO QUICKLY | ABOUT THE RIGHT AMOUNT | NOT QUICKLY ENOUGH | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|-------|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| 2022* | 71 | 23 | 5 | 0 | 0 | (503) |
| 2021* | 64 | 32 | 4 | 0 | 0 | (502) |
| 2020* | 62 | 33 | 4 | 0 | 0 | (516) |
| 2019 | 64 | 29 | 7 | * | * | (910) |
| 2018* | 65 | 30 | 5 | * | * | (395) |
| 2017* | 60 | 33 | 5 | 2 | * | (538) |
| 2015* | 47 | 42 | 9 | 2 | * | (477) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

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^{9 2015} question wording: "Overall, how welcoming do you think Nashville is to people who are thinking about moving to the area?"





[READ TO ALL:] Now thinking about your own neighborhood...

9. Are older homes being torn down and newer homes being built in your neighborhood, or not, or are you not sure?

| | YES | NO | NOT SURE | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|--------------------|--------|----|----------|------------|-------|
| 2022* | 52 | 35 | 13 | 0 | (505) |
| *Asked of a half s | ample. | | | | |

10. Do you think replacing older homes with bigger and more expensive homes is generally a good thing or bad thing?

| | GOOD THING | BAD THING | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|-------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------|
| 2022* | 23 | 77 | * | * | (503) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

NTALK. How often, if ever, do you talk to any of your neighbors?

| 2022 | |
|------|---------------------|
| 18 | Almost every day |
| 33 | A few times a week |
| 21 | A few times a month |
| 8 | About once a month |
| 10 | A few times a year |
| 8 | Never |
| * | (VOL.) Don't know |
| 0 | (VOL.) Refused |





[READ TO ALL:] Next, we'd like to get your views on some issues about public education that are being discussed today.

13. What grade would you give the performance of <u>public preschools</u>, <u>kindergartens</u>, <u>and elementary schools</u> in your school district?

| | Α, | | | D, | | | | | |
|--------|--------|------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-------|--|
| | EXCEL- | В, | С, | BELOW | F, | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | | |
| | LENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | AVERAGE | FAILING | DK | REF | (N) | |
| 2022** | 5 | 26 | 44 | 14 | 7 | 3 | 1 | (355) | |
| 2021** | 4 | 30 | 40 | 18 | 7 | 0 | * | (335) | |
| 2020** | 15 | 36 | 37 | 9 | 2 | 1 | * | (364) | |
| 2019 | 9 | 32 | 36 | 12 | 4 | 6 | 1 | (910) | |
| 2018 | 9 | 31 | 32 | 14 | 3 | 9 | 2 | (800) | |
| 2017* | 10 | 29 | 35 | 11 | 3 | 11 | 1 | (548) | |
| 2015* | 10 | 34 | 32 | 7 | 3 | 13 | * | (500) | |
| | | | | | | | | | |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

14. What grade would you give the performance of <u>public middle schools</u> in your school district?

| | Α, | | | D, | | | | |
|--------|--------|------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-------|
| | EXCEL- | В, | С, | BELOW | F, | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | LENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | AVERAGE | FAILING | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022** | 3 | 21 | 43 | 19 | 8 | 3 | 3 | (333) |
| 2021** | 6 | 21 | 49 | 19 | 6 | 0 | 0 | (335) |
| 2020** | 8 | 27 | 45 | 16 | 3 | 0 | * | (320) |
| 2019 | 4 | 24 | 44 | 16 | 6 | 5 | * | (910) |
| 2018 | 6 | 24 | 38 | 16 | 5 | 9 | 2 | (800) |

^{**}Asked of a third sample.

15. What grade would you give the performance of <u>public high schools</u> in your school district?

| | Α, | | | D, | | | | |
|--------|--------|------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-------|
| | EXCEL- | В, | С, | BELOW | F, | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | LENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | AVERAGE | FAILING | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022** | 6 | 20 | 44 | 19 | 8 | 2 | 1 | (320) |
| 2021** | 3 | 23 | 42 | 24 | 8 | 0 | 0 | (336) |
| 2020** | 5 | 30 | 41 | 18 | 5 | 0 | * | (352) |
| 2019 | 5 | 18 | 38 | 24 | 10 | 4 | * | (910) |
| 2018 | 5 | 18 | 33 | 21 | 13 | 9 | 1 | (800) |

^{**}Asked of a third sample.

^{**}Asked of a third sample.





16. Do you approve or disapprove of policies that require public school students to wear masks while at school? [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | | SOME- | SOME- | STRONGLY | | | |
|-------|----------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|--------|-------|
| | STRONGLY | WHAT | WHAT DIS- | DIS- | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | APPROVE | APPROVE | APPROVE | APPROVE | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 45 | 31 | 7 | 17 | * | 0 | (503) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

17. Do you approve or disapprove of policies that allow parents to review and remove books they find objectionable from public school libraries? [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | | SOME- | SOME- | STRONGLY | | | |
|-------|----------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|--------|-------|
| | STRONGLY | WHAT | WHAT DIS- | DIS- | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | APPROVE | APPROVE | APPROVE | APPROVE | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 15 | 18 | 18 | 48 | 1 | 1 | (505) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

[READ TO ALL:] Now turning to the COVID-19 pandemic, we have a few questions to see what you think about the coronavirus and how people and the city have responded.

CV6. When you go to a store or public places where you encounter other people, how often do you wear a mask or face covering? [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | | | OCCA- | | | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
|-------|--------|---------|----------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|
| | ALWAYS | USUALLY | SIONALLY | RARELY | NEVER | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 35 | 25 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 0 | 0 | (504) |
| 2021* | 85 | 10 | 3 | 1 | * | 0 | 0 | (504) |
| | | | | | | | | |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

CV7. How concerned, if at all, are you that you or someone you know will get sick from the coronavirus?

| | | SOME- | | | THIS HAS | | | |
|-------|--------|--------|---------|----------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | VERY | WHAT | NOT TOO | NOT CON- | ALREADY | | | |
| | CON- | CON- | CON- | CERNED | HAP- | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | CERNED | CERNED | CERNED | AT ALL | PENED | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 31 | 30 | 20 | 7 | 11 | 0 | 0 | (504) |
| 2021* | 49 | 25 | 10 | 5 | 12 | 0 | 0 | (502) |
| 2020 | 52 | 30 | 12 | 3 | 3 | * | 0 | (1036) |
| | | | | | | | | |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

CV10. Have you or someone currently living with you already had the coronavirus, or not?

| | YES | NO | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF |
|------|-----|----|--------------|---------------|
| 2022 | 54 | 46 | 0 | 0 |
| 2021 | 26 | 74 | 0 | 0 |





CV12. Do you, personally, know someone who has died because of the coronavirus, or not?

| | | | (VOL.) | (VOL.) |
|------|-----|----|--------|--------|
| | YES | NO | DK | REF |
| 2022 | 50 | 50 | * | 0 |
| 2021 | 45 | 55 | 0 | * |

VX1. Are you fully vaccinated, partially vaccinated, or unvaccinated against COVID-19?

Fully vaccinated means you have had at least 2 doses of the Pfizer or Moderna COVID-19 vaccines or at least 1 dose of the Johnson and Johnson COVID-19 vaccine.

| | FULLY | PARTIALLY | | (VOL.) | (VOL.) |
|------|------------|------------|--------------|--------|--------|
| | VACCINATED | VACCINATED | UNVACCINATED | DK | REF |
| 2022 | 79 | 2 | 18 | 0 | 1 |

VX2. Have you gotten a booster shot of the COVID-19 vaccine, or not?

| | | | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
|-------|-----|----|--------|--------|-------|
| | YES | NO | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 70 | 29 | 0 | * | (834) |

^{*}Asked of respondents who are fully vaccinated.

VX3. Will you, personally, try to get a booster of the COVID-19 vaccine, or not?

| | | | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
|-------|-----|----|--------|--------|-------|
| | YES | NO | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 46 | 52 | 2 | 0 | (209) |

^{*}Asked of fully vaccinated respondents who have not gotten a booster shot.

VX4. Will you, personally, try to get a COVID-19 vaccine, or not?

| | | NO, WILL NOT | | | |
|-------|------------------|--------------|--------|--------|-------|
| | YES, WILL TRY TO | TRY TO GET | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | GET VACCINATED | VACCINATED | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 13 | 87 | * | 0 | (140) |

^{*}Asked of respondents who are unvaccinated.

Thinking about the COVID-19 vaccine and your children, which comes closest to your view? [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF; "NONE" ALWAYS LAST]

| 2022* | |
|--------------|--|
| 43 | My kids who are currently eligible to be vaccinated are already vaccinated |
| 23 | I am waiting for more information before deciding whether to vaccinate my kids |
| 16 | I am not going to get my kids vaccinated |
| 16 | None of my children are eligible to be vaccinated |
| 0 | (VOL.) Don't know |
| 2 | (VOL.) Refused |
| (n=223) | |
| *Asked of re | espondents who have children under age 18 |





27. Thinking about the COVID-19 pandemic today, which one of the following comes closest to your view? [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| 2022 | 52 | 48 | * | * |
|------|--------------------|--------------------|--------|--------|
| | VIRUS | HIGHEST PRIORITY | DK | REF |
| | TO LIVE WITH THE | CONTINUE TO BE THE | (VOL.) | (VOL.) |
| | IT'S TIME TO LEARN | VIRUS MUST | | |
| | | SPREAD OF THE | | |
| | | STOPPING THE | | |

[READ TO ALL:] On a different subject...

28. The state legislature redrew the congressional district covering Nashville into 3 different districts by combining Davidson county with surrounding counties. Do you support or oppose this change?

| | STRONGLY SUPPORT | SOMEWHAT SUPPORT | SOMEWHAT OPPOSE | STRONGLY OPPOSE | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|-------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| 2022* | 14 | 21 | 21 | 43 | * | * | (503) |
| *Asked of a | a half sample. | | | | | | |

29. The state legislature redrew the congressional district covering Nashville and represented by Democrat Jim Cooper into 3 different districts by combining Davidson county with surrounding counties. Do you support or oppose this change?

| | STRONGLY | SOMEWHAT | SOMEWHAT | STRONGLY | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
|-----------|----------------|----------|----------|----------|--------|--------|-------|
| | SUPPORT | SUPPORT | OPPOSE | OPPOSE | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 10 | 23 | 24 | 41 | 2 | * | (505) |
| *Asked of | a half sample. | | | | | | |

30. There has been some talk about bringing a Major League Baseball team to Nashville. It would require building a new stadium. Do you support such an effort, or not, or are you not sure?

| | YES | NO | NOT SURE | (VOL.) REF |
|------|-----|----|----------|------------|
| 2022 | 39 | 35 | 26 | 0 |

31. If it were built without any taxpayer funds, would you support building a new stadium to bring a Major League Baseball team to Nashville, or not, or are you not sure?

| | YES | NO | NOT SURE | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|-------|-----|----|----------|------------|-------|
| | | | | | |
| 2022* | 42 | 27 | 30 | * | (645) |

^{*}Asked of respondents who do not support building a new stadium to bring an MLB team to Nashville/Not sure/Refused.





32. Now thinking about America's colleges and universities, how much do you think they contribute to each of the following? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

| | | A LOT | SOME | A LITTLE | ALMOST NOTHING | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|----|--|-------|------|----------|-------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| a. | Scientific advances that benefit society | | | | | | | |
| | 2022* | 49 | 36 | 12 | 3 | * | 0 | (504) |
| b. | Students being prepared for a well-paying job in today's economy | | | | | | | |
| | 2022* | 21 | 48 | 20 | 10 | 1 | * | (504) |
| C. | America's national prosperity and development | | | | | | | |
| | 2022* | 30 | 42 | 18 | 9 | 1 | 0 | (504) |
| *4 | sked of a half sample | | | | | | | |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

33. Now thinking about colleges and universities in Tennessee such as the University of Tennessee and Vanderbilt University, how much do you think they contribute to each of the following? [ITEMS ASKED IN RANDOM ORDER]

| | | A LOT | SOME | A LITTLE | ALMOST NOTHING | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|----|--|-------|------|----------|-------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| a. | Scientific advances that benefit society | | | | | | | |
| b. | 2022* Students being prepared for a well-paying job in today's economy | 51 | 37 | 9 | 3 | * | * | (504) |
| • | 2022* Tennessee's prosperity | 35 | 47 | 9 | 8 | 1 | * | (504) |
| с. | and development 2022* | 39 | 42 | 13 | 6 | * | * | (504) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.





34. Is there any area near where you live -- that is, within a mile or so -- where you would be afraid to walk alone at night?

| | YES | NO | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF |
|------|-----|----|-----------|------------|
| 2022 | 60 | 40 | 0 | 0 |
| 2021 | 63 | 37 | * | 0 |
| 2020 | 53 | 47 | 0 | 0 |
| 2019 | 59 | 41 | * | * |
| 2018 | 46 | 53 | 1 | 0 |

35. Do you support or oppose the use of body cameras by police that record their interactions with the public?

| | SUPPORT | OPPOSE | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|----------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------|------------|--------|
| *2022 Total: | 97 | 3 | 0 | * | (504) |
| *2022 White: | 97 | 2 | 0 | * | (300) |
| *2022 Black: | 99 | 1 | 0 | 0 | (126) |
| *2022 Hispanic: | Too few cases to | report (n=39) | | | |
| *2021 Total: | 96 | 4 | 0 | 0 | (504) |
| *2021 White: | 97 | 3 | 0 | 0 | (328) |
| *2021 Black: | 94 | 6 | 0 | 0 | (110) |
| *2021 Hispanic: | Too few cases to | report (n=28) | | | |
| *2020 Total: | 95 | 5 | * | 0 | (513) |
| *2020 White: | 97 | 3 | 0 | 0 | (326) |
| *2020 Black: | 97 | 2 | 1 | 0 | (126) |
| *2020 Hispanic: | Too few cases to | report (n=35) | | | |
| 2017 Total: | 93 | 5 | 2 | * | (1106) |
| 2017 White: | 94 | 4 | 1 | * | (597) |
| 2017 Black: | 95 | 4 | 1 | 0 | (222) |
| 2017 Hispanic: | 87 | 12 | 1 | 0 | (205) |
| *Asked of a half sam | ple. | | | | |

^{36.} In general, do you think that having a public commission to oversee the Metro Nashville Police Department is a good thing or a bad thing for the city?

| | GOOD THING | BAD THING | (VOL.) DK | (VOL.) REF | (N) |
|-------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|-------|
| 2022* | 75 | 23 | 2 | * | (504) |
| 2021* | 82 | 17 | * | 1 | (502) |
| 2020* | 76 | 24 | 0 | 0 | (523) |
| 2019 | 70 | 28 | 2 | * | (910) |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.





37. How much of a problem, if at all, do you think the issue of systemic racism is for the city of Nashville? [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | AN | | | | | | |
|-----------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-------|
| | EXTREMELY | | | NOT A | | | |
| | LARGE | A LARGE | A SMALL | PROBLEM | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | PROBLEM | PROBLEM | PROBLEM | AT ALL | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 20 | 42 | 23 | 14 | 1 | 0 | (503) |
| 2021* | 24 | 44 | 24 | 9 | 0 | 0 | (504) |
| *Asked of | a half sample. | | | | | | |

^{38.} How much of a problem, if at all, do you think the issue of race relations is for the city of Nashville? [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| | AN | | | | | | |
|-------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-------|
| | EXTREMELY | | | NOT A | | | |
| | LARGE | A LARGE | A SMALL | PROBLEM | (VOL.) | (VOL.) | |
| | PROBLEM | PROBLEM | PROBLEM | AT ALL | DK | REF | (N) |
| 2022* | 18 | 39 | 33 | 9 | 0 | * | (505) |
| 2021* | 23 | 46 | 25 | 6 | 0 | * | (502) |
| * ^ - | a half campula | | | | | | |

^{*}Asked of a half sample.

[READ TO ALL:] Next...

PARTY. Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a:

| 2022 | |
|------|-------------------|
| 40 | Democrat |
| 15 | Republican |
| 27 | Independent |
| 17 | Something else |
| * | (VOL.) Don't know |
| 1 | (VOL.) Refused |
| | |

IDEO5. How would you generally describe your views on most political matters? Are you: [OPTIONS IN ORDER FOR HALF / IN REVERSE ORDER FOR HALF]

| 2022 | |
|------|-------------------|
| 5 | Very conservative |
| 19 | Conservative |
| 43 | Moderate |
| 18 | Liberal |
| 12 | Very liberal |
| 1 | (VOL.) Don't know |
| 1 | (VOL.) Refused |

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[READ TO ALL:] A few last questions for statistical purposes only...

NSTAY. Looking ahead, do you plan on staying in Nashville, or do you expect to move away from Nashville if you get a chance?

| 2022 | |
|------|-------------------|
| 70 | Stay |
| 30 | Move |
| * | (VOL.) Don't know |
| * | (VOL.) Refused |

THE REMAINING DEMOGRAPHIC QUESTIONS ARE NOT REPORTED IN THIS TOPLINE.

THANK AND END INTERVIEW: THANK YOU again for sharing your thoughts and opinions! Have a nice rest of the day. [IF NECESSARY: This survey is being conducted by the Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions at Vanderbilt University. If you have any questions about the survey, please feel free to contact CSDI at (XXX) XXX-XXXX.]