

Q1 - In November 2020, voters approved legalizing recreational marijuana, yet sales have not yet begun. Do you think the state's delay in starting recreational sales has been reasonable, unacceptable, or do you have no opinion on this?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Reasonable	22%	140
2	Unacceptable	27%	170
3	No opinion	50%	319
4	Not sure	1%	7
5	Refuse	1%	4
	Total	100%	640

Q2 - Would you support or oppose having dispensaries in your town selling recreational marijuana?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Support	56%	358
2	Oppose	36%	228
3	Not sure	8%	48
4	Refuse	1%	5
	Total	100%	640

Q3 - Lawmakers have decided that 70% of tax revenue raised from recreational sales go to economically disadvantaged communities. In your opinion, what should it be spent on in these communities if you had to name one? (SILENT CODE, CHOICES WERE NOT READ)

#	Answer	%	Count
1	EDUCATION	37%	238
2	SOCIAL SERVICES/PROGRAMS IN GENERAL	13%	84
3	NOT SURE	11%	69
4	OTHER	9%	59
5	INFRASTRUCTURE	8%	54
6	JOB CREATION	5%	33
7	HOUSING OR SERVICES FOR HOMELESS	4%	28
8	LAW ENFORCEMENT	3%	21
9	DISAPPROVE OF THE PREMISE; SHOULD GO TO WHOLE STATE	2%	10
10	LOWERING TAXES	2%	14
11	GRANTS/LOANS	1%	9
12	ADDICTION SERVICES	1%	9
13	HEALTHCARE	1%	7
14	REFUSE	0%	3
	Total	100%	639

Q4 - Would you support or oppose New Jersey’s hospitality industry offering cannabis attractions, like restaurants with cannabis-infused food, consumption lounges, and other experiences, in popular New Jersey tourist towns?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Support	50%	320
2	Oppose	43%	278
3	Not sure	6%	41
4	Refuse	0%	2
	Total	100%	640

Q5 - In New Jersey, the sale of some hemp products that can get users high, similar to marijuana, is unregulated. This means these products can be sold over the counter at any store, like gas stations or vape shops for example, to anyone 21 or older. Do you support or oppose the unregulated sale of these products?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Support	28%	179
2	Oppose	67%	428
3	Not sure	4%	28
4	Refuse	1%	5
	Total	100%	640

Demographics

PHONE - We're almost done. These final questions allow us to combine responses into statistics. Have I reached you on a cell phone or on a regular landline telephone?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Landline phone	12%	76
2	Cell phone	88%	563
3	Computer/VOIP	0%	0
4	Refuse	0%	1
	Total	100%	640

AGE - Please confirm that you are an adult. Are you:

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Younger than 18	0%	0
2	18-29	19%	46
3	30-49	31%	73
4	50-64	30%	72
5	65 and older	20%	47
6	Refuse	0%	0
	Total	100%	238

COUNTY - What New Jersey county do you live in?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Atlantic	5%	30
2	Bergen	9%	57
3	Burlington	5%	31
4	Camden	7%	47
5	Cape May	2%	10
6	Cumberland	3%	17
7	Essex	7%	46
8	Gloucester	4%	23
9	Hudson	5%	34
10	Hunterdon	1%	9
11	Mercer	4%	23
12	Middlesex	8%	49
13	Monmouth	7%	45
14	Morris	7%	42
15	Ocean	10%	64
16	Passaic	4%	28
17	Salem	1%	6
18	Somerset	2%	15
19	Sussex	2%	15
20	Union	5%	30
21	Warren	3%	19
22	Not sure (Please enter zip code)	0%	0
23	Other county	0%	0
24	Refuse	0%	0
	Total	100%	640

D1 - Do you consider yourself to be a:

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Democrat	32%	204
2	Republican	23%	146
3	Independent	28%	178
4	Or something else?	13%	86
5	Not sure	2%	13
6	Refuse	2%	13
	Total	100%	640

D2 - Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic or Latino?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Yes	16%	102
2	No	83%	531
3	Refuse	1%	7
	Total	100%	640

D3 - Which of the following best describes your race:

#	Answer	%	Count
1	White	64%	409
2	Black or African American	16%	102
3	Asian or Pacific Islander	5%	35
4	Native American	0%	3
5	Some other race alone	2%	15
6	More than one race	8%	50
8	Refuse	4%	25
	Total	100%	640

D4 - Which of the following best describes your highest level of education?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Less than a four-year college degree	53%	340
2	A four-year college degree or more	45%	291
3	Refuse	1%	9
	Total	100%	640

D5 - Which of the following general categories best represents your household income last year before taxes:

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Less than \$50,000	29%	187
3	\$50,000 to less than \$100,000	22%	141
4	More than \$100,000	37%	236
7	Refuse	12%	76
	Total	100%	640

D6 - Lastly, what is your gender?

#	Answer	%	Count
1	Man	49%	312
2	Woman	50%	322
3	Identify another way	0%	2
4	Refuse	1%	4
	Total	100%	640

Methodology

The poll of New Jersey adult residents was conducted by the Stockton Polling Institute of the William J. Hughes Center for Public Policy April 4-13, 2022. Live interviewers who are mostly Stockton University students called cell phones and landlines from the Stockton University campus. Opinion Services supplemented a portion of the fieldwork. Overall, 88 percent of interviews were conducted on cell phones and 12 percent on landline phones. A total of 640 New Jersey adult residents were interviewed. Both cell and landline samples consisted of random digit dialing (RDD) sample. Data are weighted based on U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey data for New Jersey on variables of age, race, ethnicity, education level, sex, and region. The poll's margin of error is +/- 3.8 percentage points at a 95 percent confidence level. MOE is higher for subsets.