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HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED

This poll was conducted by Mason-Dixon Polling & Research, Inc. of Jacksonville, Florida from May 31 through June 4, 2019. A total of 625 registered Texas voters were interviewed statewide by telephone.

Those interviewed were selected randomly from a telephone-matched Texas voter registration list that included both land line and cell phone numbers. Quotas were assigned to reflect voter registration by county.

The margin for error, according to standards customarily used by statisticians, is no more than ± 4 percentage points. This means that there is a 95 percent probability that the "true" figure would fall within that range if all voters were surveyed. The margin for error is higher for any subgroup, such as a gender or age grouping.

QUESTION: A tax credit scholarship program would give families access to private schools by allowing companies or individuals to receive a tax credit for donations to non-profit organizations which award scholarships to eligible students. Do you support or oppose a tax credit scholarship program in Texas?

	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
STATE	64%	26%	10%

<u>REGION</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
East Texas	67%	25%	8%
Dallas/Fort Worth	67%	23%	10%
Houston Metro	67%	24%	9%
Central Texas	66%	28%	6%
South Texas	54%	32%	14%
West Texas	61%	28%	11%

<u>SEX</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Men	67%	28%	5%
Women	62%	24%	14%

<u>AGE</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
<50	65%	27%	8%
50+	63%	26%	11%

<u>RACE</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
White	75%	19%	6%
Black	51%	36%	13%
Hispanic	46%	37%	17%

<u>PARTY IDENTIFICATION</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Democrat	47%	37%	16%
Republican	78%	16%	6%
Independent	65%	27%	8%

QUESTION: Education Savings Accounts, also known as E-S-A-s, allow parents to use state education tax dollars to customize their child's learning and development. Approved ESA expenses include technical training, K-12 school tuition, or even special needs therapies from an array of providers including public and private schools or tutors. Do you support or oppose an Education Savings Account program in Texas?

	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
STATE	74%	16%	10%

<u>REGION</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
East Texas	79%	12%	9%
Dallas/Fort Worth	76%	14%	10%
Houston Metro	79%	12%	9%
Central Texas	76%	17%	7%
South Texas	63%	24%	13%
West Texas	71%	18%	11%

<u>SEX</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Men	77%	16%	7%
Women	71%	16%	13%

<u>AGE</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
<50	71%	19%	10%
50+	76%	14%	10%

<u>RACE</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
White	79%	13%	8%
Black	65%	27%	8%
Hispanic	66%	22%	12%

<u>PARTY IDENTIFICATION</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Democrat	62%	25%	13%
Republican	83%	11%	6%
Independent	74%	15%	11%

QUESTION: Do you support or oppose a federal tax credit proposal in Congress where individuals and businesses could donate to non-profit scholarship granting organizations in the states that would provide scholarships for students to attend the public, private or career and technical schools of their choice?

	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
STATE	67%	24%	9%

<u>REGION</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
East Texas	69%	19%	12%
Dallas/Fort Worth	73%	20%	7%
Houston Metro	68%	23%	9%
Central Texas	69%	21%	10%
South Texas	55%	36%	9%
West Texas	63%	28%	9%

<u>SEX</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Men	70%	23%	7%
Women	65%	24%	11%

<u>AGE</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
<50	63%	25%	12%
50+	70%	23%	7%

<u>RACE</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
White	70%	24%	6%
Black	54%	29%	17%
Hispanic	56%	33%	11%

<u>PARTY IDENTIFICATION</u>	<u>SUPPORT</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Democrat	56%	32%	12%
Republican	79%	14%	7%
Independent	63%	28%	9%

DEMOGRAPHICS

PARTY IDENTIFICATION:

Democrat	188 (30%)
Republican	244 (39%)
Independent or Other	193 (31%)

AGE:

18-34	101 (16%)
35-49	182 (29%)
50-64	196 (31%)
65+	141 (23%)
Refused	5 (1%)

SEX:

Male	295 (47%)
Female	330 (53%)

RACE/ETHNICITY:

White/Anglo	351 (56%)
Black/African American	75 (12%)
Hispanic/Latino	153 (25%)
Other	27 (4%)
Refused	19 (3%)

REGION:

East Texas	75 (12%)
Dallas/Fort Worth	155 (25%)
Houston Metro	125 (20%)
Central Texas	80 (13%)
South Texas	100 (16%)
West Texas	90 (14%)