



Which of the following would you say most closely describes your view of what the Wisconsin state economy will do in 2019? Would you say that the state economy will:

- improve,
- get worse, OR
- stay about the same?

Improve.....	21%
Get worse.....	21%
Stay about the same.....	54%
ALL/COMBINATION/OTHER.....	*
UNSURE/DK.....	5%

Now, I am going to ask you about some types of taxes here in Wisconsin. For each one, please tell me if you think that tax is too high, too low, or about right.

	<u>TOO HIGH</u>	<u>TOO LOW</u>	<u>ABOUT RIGHT</u>	<u>DK/ REF</u>
State income taxes	36%	2%	57%	5%
Property taxes	51%	2%	43%	4%
Sales taxes	21%	3%	74%	2%

Which economic system do you think is better for your family, capitalism or socialism?

Capitalism.....	62%
Socialism.....	22%
COMBINATION/OTHER.....	2%
UNSURE/DK.....	14%

Age 18-34.....	Capitalism 44%	Socialism 39%
Age 35-44.....	Capitalism 57%	Socialism 25%
Age 45-64.....	Capitalism 63%	Socialism 22%
Age 65 or over...	Capitalism 71%	Socialism 15%



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If the state legislature was going to consider cutting taxes, would you want them to focus on cutting:

- State income taxes,
- sales taxes, Or
- property taxes?

State income taxes	32%
State sales taxes	14%
State property taxes	42%
ALL/COMBINATION/OTHER (DNR)	5%
UNSURE/DK (DNR)	7%

If the state legislature was going to consider increasing property taxes on businesses, would you favor or oppose this proposal?

IF CHOICE IS MADE, ASK:

And do you strongly
 (Favor/Oppose) or
 somewhat (Favor/Oppose)?

Favor/strongly.....	14%
Favor/somewhat	19%
UNSURE	7%
Oppose/somewhat	22%
Oppose/strongly.....	38%

Favor.....33%
 Oppose.....60%

GOP.....Favor 14%	Unsure 3%	Oppose 84%
DEM.....Favor 56%	Unsure 7%	Oppose 37%
IND.....Favor 26%	Unsure 15%	Oppose 58%

Do you believe that public schools here in Wisconsin are doing a good job of preparing students to be successful after graduation?

Yes.....	55%
UNSURE	5%
No.....	41%

Do you support giving parents the choice to decide which school their child attends?

IF CHOICE MADE, ASK:

And do you feel strongly
 about that?

Yes/strongly 64%
 Yes 14%
 UNSURE 3%
 No..... 4%
 No/strongly 17%

Yes.....78%
 No.....21%

Would you favor or oppose giving schools financial incentives to provide internships, apprenticeships, or job shadowing with local businesses as part of their coursework?

IF CHOICE IS MADE, ASK:

And do you strongly
 (Favor/Oppose) or
 somewhat (Favor/Oppose)?

Favor/strongly 60%
 Favor/somewhat 24%
 UNSURE 4%
 Oppose/somewhat 8%
 Oppose/strongly 5%

Favor.....84%
 Oppose.....13%

Would you say that over the last year you and your immediate family's health insurance costs have gone up, have gone down, or have stayed about the same?

Up..... 44%
 Down..... 4%
 About the same 50%
 DO NOT HAVE HEALTH INSURANCE 1%
 ALL/COMBINATION/OTHER *
 UNSURE/DK 1%



Would you favor or oppose a gas tax increase of eight cents per gallon to pay for highway projects and the upkeep of roads?

IF CHOICE IS MADE, ASK:

And do you strongly
 (Favor/Oppose) or
 somewhat (Favor/Oppose)?

Favor/strongly.....24%
 Favor/somewhat22%
 UNSURE 1%
 Oppose/somewhat13%
 Oppose/strongly.....40%

Favor.....46%
 Oppose.....53%

GOP.....Favor 24% Unsure 0% Oppose 76%
 DEM.....Favor 70% Unsure 1% Oppose 29%
 IND.....Favor 42% Unsure 4% Oppose 53%

I am going to read you a number of proposals that might be considered by the state legislature. For each one, please tell me if you would favor or oppose that proposal.

IF CHOICE MADE, ASK: Is that strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?

	<u>FAVOR</u>		<u>UNSURE</u>	<u>OPPOSE</u>	
	<u>strng</u>	<u>smwht</u>		<u>smwht</u>	<u>strng</u>
Raising taxes on manufacturing production in our state, which would likely result in the loss of many middle-class manufacturing jobs	7%	9%	7%	24%	53%
Favor.....16%					
Oppose.....77%					
Eliminating the caps that hold down property taxes, and instead allow property taxes to be increased as much as 2 percent each year	7%	12%	3%	21%	58%
Favor.....19%					
Oppose....69%					
Increasing the energy taxes on your monthly electric and home heating bills	5%	14%	4%	18%	59%
Favor.....19%					
Oppose.....77%					



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	FAVOR		UNSURE	OPPOSE	
	<u>strng</u>	<u>smwht</u>		<u>smwht</u>	<u>strng</u>
Creating an automatic increase in the gas tax every year that would occur without lawmakers having to vote on the tax increase	6%	10%	1%	17%	66%
Favor.....16%					
Oppose....83%					
Eliminating drug testing in order to qualify for food stamps or welfare benefits	28%	8%	2%	13%	50%
Favor.....36%					
Oppose....63%					

How would you rate the job Donald Trump is doing as President? Do you approve or disapprove of the job he is doing?

IF CHOICE MADE, ASK:

And do you feel *strongly* about that?

Approve/strongly	40%
Approve	6%
UNSURE	2%
Disapprove.....	3%
Disapprove/strongly	49%

Approve.....46%
 Disapprove.....52%

Do you approve or disapprove of the job Tony Evers is doing as Governor?

IF CHOICE MADE, ASK:

And do you feel strongly about that?

Approve/strongly	32%
Approve /somewhat.....	17%
UNSURE	13%
Disapprove/somewhat	8%
Disapprove /strongly	30%

Approve.....49%
 Disapprove.....38%