

Q1. Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are headed in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?

Right direction	33%
Wrong track	67%

Q2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?

Strongly approve	11%
Somewhat approve	19%
Somewhat disapprove	19%
Strongly disapprove	51%
TOTAL APPROVE	30%
TOTAL DISAPPROVE	70%

Q3. No matter how you voted in the last election, do you think President Trump is:

Doing a better job than I expected	11%
As expected	34%
Doing a worse job than I expected	55%

Q4A. On the whole, what are the most important issues facing the [Hispanic/Latino] community that you think Congress and the President should address? BASE = SPLIT SAMPLE

Immigration reform/DREAM Act	48%
Race relations/discrimination	20%
Improve economy/Better jobs	15%
Improve access to health care	15%
Making college more affordable	12%
Addressing climate change/envirom	11%
Lower government spending/taxes	10%
Education reform/improve schools	9%
Terrorism	7%
Foreign policy/internatl relations	6%
Housing affordability	6%
Corruption in government	5%
Criminal justice reform/police	5%
Something else	1%

Q4B. On the whole, what are the most important issues facing the country that you think Congress and the President should address?

Immigration reform / DREAM Act	34%
Improve access to health care	21%
Race relations / discrimination	19%
Improve the economy / Better jobs	18%
The war against terrorism	17%
U.S. foreign policy / international relations	12%
Addressing climate change / environment	11%
Education reform / improve schools	10%
Corruption in government	9%
Lower government spending/taxes	9%
Making college more affordable	6%
Housing affordability	3%
Criminal justice reform / police	2%
Something else	2%

Q5. As you may have heard, President Trump has ended the deferred action for childhood arrivals program – or DACA – that provided temporary legal work permits to undocumented immigrant young adults, called dreamers. Without DACA, about 800,000 people who had completed the application process and passed a thorough background check, will no longer be able to work legally, and will be at risk for deportation. Do you agree or disagree with President Trump’s decision to end DACA?

Strongly agree	12%
Somewhat agree	12%
Somewhat disagree	16%
Strongly disagree	60%
TOTAL AGREE	24%
TOTAL DISAGREE	76%

The DACA program will not officially end for six months, giving Congress the chance to pass a law that would address the immigration issue. For each of the different laws being proposed, please indicate if you think it is a good idea, or a bad idea for Congress to pass the law.

Q6. Pass the DREAM Act, which would allow young undocumented immigrants who came to this country as children the chance to live and work legally in the United States and eventually apply for permanent legal status and earn a path to citizenship.

Very good idea	54%
Good idea	35%
Bad idea	7%
Very bad idea	5%
TOTAL GOOD IDEA	89%
TOTAL BAD IDEA	11%

Q7. Pass comprehensive immigration reform, which would allow up to 10 million undocumented immigrants to eventually apply for permanent legal status and earn a path to citizenship if they passed a background check, paid a fee, and passed an English exam.

Very good idea	45%
Good idea	41%
Bad idea	10%
Very bad idea	4%
TOTAL GOOD IDEA	86%
TOTAL BAD IDEA	14%

Q8. Build a 50-foot tall wall along the 2,000 mile U.S.-Mexico border.

Very good idea	9%
Good idea	15%
Bad idea	27%
Very bad idea	48%
TOTAL GOOD IDEA	25%
TOTAL BAD IDEA	75%

Q9. Pass something like the DREAM Act, but without permanent legal status or citizenship. This would allow young undocumented immigrants who came to this country as children the chance to live and work legally in the United States, but they would have to renew their permit every few years, and would not be allowed to achieve permanent legal status or citizenship, legal status or citizenship?

Very good idea	12%
Good idea	32%
Bad idea	39%
Very bad idea	16%
TOTAL GOOD IDEA	44%
TOTAL BAD IDEA	56%

Q10. Earlier this year former Maricopa County Sheriff Joe Arpaio was convicted for continuing to use law enforcement to racially profile immigrants after a federal judge had ordered him to stop. President Trump recently granted a pardon to former Maricopa County Sheriff Joe Arpaio, which means Arpaio will not face any consequences for breaking the law and refusing to obey the court order to stop racial profiling. Do you agree or disagree with President Trump's decision to pardon former Maricopa County Sheriff Joe Arpaio?

Strongly agree	10%
Somewhat agree	13%
Somewhat disagree	17%
Strongly disagree	61%
TOTAL AGREE	23%
TOTAL DISAGREE	77%

Q11. Do you agree or disagree with the new Texas state law that will require local police to allow officers to ask about immigration status during any detention or arrest?

Strongly agree	13%
Somewhat agree	16%
Somewhat disagree	17%
Strongly disagree	53%
TOTAL AGREE	30%
TOTAL DISAGREE	70%

Q12. Do you agree or disagree with the new Texas state law that allows the state to punish local government employees and elected officials with jail time or fines up to \$25,000 if they do not cooperate with federal immigration requests to turn over immigrants subject to possible deportation?

Strongly agree	15%
Somewhat agree	18%
Somewhat disagree	19%
Strongly disagree	47%
TOTAL AGREE	33%
TOTAL DISAGREE	67%

Q13. Do you agree or disagree with the new Texas state law that requires local jails to hold and report undocumented immigrants so that federal immigration enforcement officials can pick them up?

Strongly agree	17%
Somewhat agree	21%
Somewhat disagree	18%
Strongly disagree	44%
TOTAL AGREE	38%
TOTAL DISAGREE	62%

Q14. Which statement do you agree with most?

It is likely that other [Hispanic/Latino] who are not undocumented are still targeted or affected by laws that target or penalize undocumented immigrants. 72%

Laws that target or penalize undocumented immigrants only effect those who are undocumented. 28%

Before the end of the year, Congress has to pass a budget resolution to fund the Federal Government. The bill is very large and includes a number of different provisions. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with each possible provision in the budget resolution.

Q15. Do you agree or disagree - Cutting \$200 billion in mandatory spending on Medicare and Social Security:

Strongly agree	5%
Somewhat agree	17%
Somewhat disagree	24%
Strongly disagree	55%
TOTAL AGREE	22%
TOTAL DISAGREE	78%

Q16. Do you agree or disagree - Reducing the amount of taxes that the richest 1% pay:

Strongly agree	7%
Somewhat agree	15%
Somewhat disagree	17%
Strongly disagree	60%
TOTAL AGREE	23%
TOTAL DISAGREE	77%

Q17. Do you agree or disagree - Congress should add DREAM Act to the next budget resolution bill:

Strongly agree	49%
Somewhat agree	34%
Somewhat disagree	8%
Strongly disagree	8%
TOTAL AGREE	84%
TOTAL DISAGREE	16%

[4-WAY SPLIT SAMPLE, A1, A2, B1, B2]

Q18A. Thinking about the elections next year in 2018 for the U.S. House and Senate, are you more likely or less likely to support a Democrat who strongly supports new legislation to pass the DREAM Act and provide a path to citizenship for young undocumented immigrants.

BASE = SPLIT SAMPLE

Much more likely to support	43%
Somewhat more likely to support	38%
Somewhat less likely to support	8%
Much less likely to support	11%
TOTAL MORE LIKELY	81%
TOTAL LESS LIKELY	19%

Q18B. Thinking about the elections next year in 2018 for the U.S. House and Senate, are you more likely or less likely to support a Democrat that strongly opposes new legislation to pass the DREAM Act, and blocks a path to citizenship for young undocumented immigrants.

BASE = SPLIT SAMPLE

Much more likely to support	11%
Somewhat more likely to support	20%
Somewhat less likely to support	23%
Much less likely to support	46%
TOTAL MORE LIKELY	31%
TOTAL LESS LIKELY	69%

Q18C. Thinking about the elections next year in 2018 for the U.S. House and Senate, are you more likely or less likely to support a Republican that strongly supports new legislation to pass the DREAM Act, and provide a path to citizenship for young undocumented immigrants.

Much more likely to support	24%
Somewhat more likely to support	55%
Somewhat less likely to support	8%
Much less likely to support	13%
TOTAL MORE LIKELY	79%
TOTAL LESS LIKELY	21%

Q18D. Thinking about the elections next year in 2018 for the U.S. House and Senate, are you more likely or less likely to support a Republican that strongly opposes new legislation to pass the DREAM Act, and blocks a path to citizenship for young undocumented immigrants.

Much more likely to support	18%
Somewhat more likely to support	17%
Somewhat less likely to support	13%
Much less likely to support	52%
TOTAL MORE LIKELY	35%
TOTAL LESS LIKELY	65%

Q19. From what you have heard or seen about the protests and events in Charlottesville, Virginia a few weeks ago, do you feel President Trump's response to the violence in Charlottesville has been strong enough, or not strong enough?

Strong enough	20%
Not strong enough	60%
Unsure	20%

Q20. Which of the following statements do you agree with most:

I generally agree with the Republican Party on most issues and am likely to vote for them in future elections. 15%

I disagree with the Republican Party on many issues, but I would consider voting for them in the future if they help pass immigration reform with a path to citizenship. 25%

The Republican Party has now become so anti-Latino and anti-immigrant that it would be hard for me to ever consider supporting them in the future. 37%

Don't know / None 23%

Q21. Would you say the Democratic Party is currently doing a good job of reaching out to [Hispanic/Latino]s?

Democrats are doing a good job 36%

Democrats don't care too much 29%

Democrats are being hostile 12%

Don't know 23%

Q22. Would you say the Republican Party is currently doing a good job of reaching out to [Hispanic/Latino]s?

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Republicans don't care too much 33%

Republicans are being hostile 33%

Don't know 20%

Q23. Some climate scientists have said that pollution and climate change are causing hurricanes to be larger and stronger today. Other people say it's not related to climate change, it's just natural occurrences. What do you think?

Pollution and climate change are making hurricanes much worse. 61%

These hurricanes are just a natural occurrence, unrelated to climate change. 25%

Don't know 14%

Q24. Do you know anyone who is an undocumented immigrant?

Yes 58%

No 30%

Don't Know 12%

Q25. Do you know anyone, friend, family or other acquaintance, who applied for the immigration policy announced by President Obama in 2012, to help young people who came here as children, sometimes called DACA?

Yes	42%
No	44%
Don't Know	15%

Q26. Do you know anyone who has faced detention or deportation for immigration reasons?

Yes	33%
No	59%
Don't Know	8%

Methodology

Latino Decisions surveyed 464 Latino adults in Texas between September 12-20, 2017. Interviews were collected online in a respondent self-administered format, and the survey and invitation was available to respondents in English or Spanish. The full data are weighted to match the adult population in the 2015 Census ACS 1-year data file for age, gender, education, nativity, ancestry, and voter registration status. A post-stratification raking algorithm was used to balance each category within +/- 1 percent of the ACS estimates. The survey carries a margin of error of +/- 4.5 percentage points.