

**Results of Howey Politics Indiana Survey  
of 607 Registered Voters in Indiana  
April 12-14, 2015  
Margin of Error = + 4.0%**

1. Gender
  - 48% Male
  - 52% Female
  
2. I'd like to confirm you are currently registered to vote in Indiana.  
100% registered to vote
  
3. Into which of the following age categories do you fit?
  - 11% 18-24
  - 20% 25-34
  - 11% 35-44
  - 14% 45-54
  - 23% 55-64
  - 22% 65+
  
4. And is your racial or ethnic background...
  - 85% White
  - 7% African American
  - \* Asian
  - 4% Something else
  - 4% Refused
  
5. Do you consider yourself to be Hispanic or Latino?
  - 2% Yes
  - 98% No

(Q6-18)

Now I'd like to ask you about some people active in politics in Indiana and, for each, please tell me if you have heard of them and, if so, whether you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of them.

<u>Fav</u>	<u>Unfav</u>	<u>Heard/No Opin/neutral</u>	<u>Never Heard</u>	
11%	13%	30%	47%	Brian Bosma
10%	5%	27%	58%	Susan Brooks
7%	3%	27%	62%	Sue Ellspermann
14%	6%	27%	53%	John Gregg
11%	9%	33%	47%	Baron Hill
5%	3%	30%	62%	Eric Holcomb
6%	7%	28%	59%	David Long
11%	5%	31%	54%	Tom McDermott
35%	38%	19%	8%	Mike Pence
29%	9%	24%	38%	Glenda Ritz
12%	7%	30%	51%	Todd Rokita
12%	6%	25%	57%	Marlin Stutzman
11%	6%	29%	54%	Todd Young

19. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Mike Pence is doing as governor?

19% Strongly approve

26% Somewhat approve

12% Somewhat disapprove

**45% Approve – 46% Disapprove**

34% Strongly disapprove

9% Don't Know

20. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Glenda Ritz is doing as Superintendent of Public Instruction?

23% Strongly approve

21% Somewhat approve

6% Somewhat disapprove

**44% Approve – 16% Disapprove**

10% Strongly disapprove

40% Don't Know

21. If the 2016 election for governor were today and the candidates were  
\_\_Mike Pence, Republican  
\_\_Glenda Ritz, Democrat  
for whom would you vote?

38% Pence  
4% Und, lean Pence  
13% Undecided/not sure, no lean **42% Pence – 39% Ritz**  
6% Und, lean Ritz  
33% Ritz  
5% Refused

22. If the 2016 election for governor were today and the candidates were  
\_\_Mike Pence, Republican  
\_\_John Gregg, Democrat  
for whom would you vote?

38% Pence  
5% Und, lean Pence  
15% Undecided/not sure, no lean **43% Pence – 37% Gregg**  
6% Und, lean Gregg  
31% Gregg  
6% Refused

23. If the 2016 election for governor were today and the candidates were  
\_\_Mike Pence, Republican  
\_\_Baron Hill, Democrat  
for whom would you vote?

39% Pence  
4% Und, lean Pence  
15% Undecided/not sure, no lean **43% Pence – 36% Hill**  
6% Und, lean Hill  
30% Hill  
6% Refused

Thinking about the Religious Freedom Restoration Act recently signed by Governor Pence...

24. Do you think this legislation was needed or not needed to protect religious freedom in Indiana?  
30% Needed  
59% Not needed  
12% Don't know

25. Do you think the original religious freedom legislation, before it was amended, was designed mostly to  
55% Protect religious freedom  
28% Allow discrimination against gays and lesbians  
17% Don't know

26. In your opinion, if an Indiana business provides wedding services, such as catering or flowers, should it be allowed to refuse those services to same-sex couples for religious reasons, or be required to provide those services as it would to all other customers?"

42% Should be allowed to refuse service to same sex couples

44% Should be required to provide services to all customers

12% Don't know

2% Refused

27. Looking ahead to when discussion of the religious freedom legislation isn't front page news, do you think this issue will have...

36% No real impact on Indiana's economy

50% A negative impact on Indiana's economy

6% A positive impact on Indiana's economy

8% Don't know

28. Indiana's civil rights law makes it illegal to discriminate on the basis of gender, race, religion or disability. Do you support or oppose adding sexual orientation and gender identity to the law?

37% Strongly support

17% Somewhat support

12% Somewhat oppose

22% Strongly oppose

12% Don't know

**54% Support – 34% Oppose**

Now thinking about some different topics...

29. Do you support or oppose allowing the State Board of Education to appoint its Chair rather than have the Superintendent of Public Instruction automatically serve as Chair?

24% Strongly support

19% Somewhat support

7% Somewhat oppose

21% Strongly oppose

29% Don't know

**43% Support – 28% Oppose**

30. Do you support or oppose repealing Indiana's common construction wage law for public projects?

15% Strongly support

12% Not strongly support

8% Not strongly oppose

15% Strongly oppose

50% Don't know

**27% Support – 23% Oppose**

31. Do you support or oppose making pseudoephedrine – a key ingredient in cold and allergy medications but also in the drug meth – available by prescription-only?

28% Strongly support

14% Somewhat support

16% Somewhat oppose

**42% Support – 40% Oppose**

24% Strongly oppose

19% Don't know

32. Twenty-three states and the District of Columbia have legalized marijuana use in some form. In Indiana, it's not legal for any use. Which of the following do you support?

24% Legalize marijuana for recreational and medicinal use.

31% Legalize marijuana for medicinal use only.

13% Decriminalize marijuana possession of any amount to be a fine as opposed to jail time.

28% Keep Indiana laws the way they are.

4% Don't know

33. Currently, Indiana's race track casinos have electronic games like black jack and roulette. Do you support or oppose replacing electronic casino games with real cards, chips and live operators whose salaries would be about \$45,000 annually?

29% Strongly support

21% Not strongly support

8% Not strongly oppose

**50% Support – 22% Oppose**

14% Strongly oppose

28% Don't know

34. Would the replacement of electronic table games with live operators at racetrack casinos be an expansion of gambling or not be an expansion of gambling?

36% Expansion of gambling

42% Not an expansion of gambling

22% Don't know

Now, as we finish up I just need to ask some statistical questions...

35. In politics today, do you usually consider yourself to be a Republican, a Democrat or an Independent?

32% Republican

29% Democrat

**41% GOP w/lean – 36% Dem w/lean**

24% Independent

9% Independent, lean Republican

7% Independent, lean Democrat

36. On the political spectrum, would you say you are... conservative, liberal or moderate?
- 17% Very conservative
  - 24% Somewhat conservative
  - 37% Moderate
  - 18% Liberal
  - 4% Don't Know
37. What is your level of formal education to date?
- 23% High school Degree
  - 6% Vocational, technical or professional training
  - 18% Some college courses
  - 11% An Associate Degree
  - 27% A Bachelor's Degree
  - 16% A post-graduate Degree
38. What is your religious preference?
- 54% Protestant Christian
  - 16% Roman Catholic
  - Jewish
  - 10% Another religion
  - 20% No religious affiliation
39. Would you consider yourself to be an evangelical or born again Christian?  
*N= 326, who consider themselves Protestant Christians.*
- 62% Yes
  - 38% No
- 33% Evangelical Christian among all voters (N=607)
40. How often do you attend church, synagogue or another religious service?
- 41% Weekly
  - 12% A few times a month
  - 21% Occasionally
  - 26% Rarely or never