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Connecticut Voters Support Legalizing Recreational Marijuana

Survey Findings

To: Interested Parties

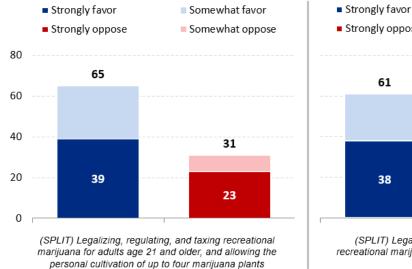
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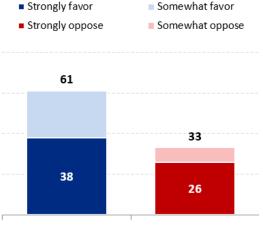
Voters in Connecticut are ready to legalize recreational marijuana. A recent survey shows a solid majority of voters in the state favor legalizing, regulating, and taxing marijuana for adults age 21 and older, as well as allowing adults to cultivate up four marijuana plants themselves.¹

No less than 61 percent of voters favor legalizing marijuana in Connecticut. That number grows to 65 percent when including an allowance for personal cultivation. Just one-third of voters oppose legalization. Majorities of Democrats and independent voters favor both versions of the proposal, while Republicans are divided. Support for both proposals is also strong across the state's congressional districts and net positive across gender and age lines.

Figure 1: Majority support legalizing recreational marijuana

I am now going to read you a list of proposals that are currently being considered or will be considered by the state legislature. After each, please tell me if you favor or oppose that proposal:





(SPLIT) Legalizing, regulating, and taxing recreational marijuana for adults age 21 and older

¹ GQR conducted a survey of 500 likely 2020 General Election voters in Connecticut. The survey was conducted by live interviewers from January 6-9, 2020 and is subject to a margin of error of +/- 4.4 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence interval. Margin of error is higher among subgroups.