

As you may know, BC residents are currently voting in a referendum on Electoral Reform which will determine what voting system we should use for provincial elections in the future. The referendum is being held by mail-in ballots from October 22 to November 30, 2018. The NDP have proposed a voting system called Proportional Representation. This is a democratic principle specifying that people should be represented in proportion to how they voted. This means the percentage of seats a party has in the legislature should reflect the percentage of people who voted for that party.

How aware and familiar are you with the Proportional Representation referendum initiative? Choose one.

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Not aware	4%	2%	6%	7%	5%	3%	5%	5%	4%	5%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	36%	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	9%
Aware and not at all familiar	6%	5%	7%	4%	6%	7%	7%	6%	4%	5%	6%	1%	1%	2%	4%	6%	14%	2%	7%	5%	6%	7%	1%	12%	
Aware and not very familiar	16%	12%	20%	19%	18%	13%	20%	8%	15%	18%	13%	5%	9%	6%	6%	21%	22%	15%	13%	14%	6%	17%	10%	40%	
AWARE AND FAMILIAR	74%	81%	67%	71%	71%	77%	69%	80%	77%	72%	79%	94%	89%	91%	90%	70%	28%	83%	79%	81%	87%	75%	82%	84%	39%
Aware and somewhat familiar	42%	43%	42%	39%	42%	44%	39%	46%	46%	42%	43%	49%	47%	42%	35%	49%	21%	49%	42%	45%	45%	43%	45%	29%	
Aware and very familiar	31%	38%	25%	31%	29%	33%	30%	34%	31%	30%	34%	45%	42%	49%	55%	21%	7%	33%	37%	34%	42%	32%	38%	10%	

This referendum is one of the NDPs election promises. Regardless of what you plan to vote for, do you support or oppose this referendum process? Choose one.

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Not sure	13%	8%	17%	14%	15%	10%	13%	11%	14%	16%	9%	4%	3%	4%	6%	12%	54%	0%	0%	4%	5%	8%	4%	3%	39%
Strongly oppose	22%	25%	20%	11%	16%	34%	20%	17%	28%	17%	28%	19%	9%	12%	38%	16%	8%	0%	72%	4%	56%	21%	54%	0%	3%
Somewhat oppose	9%	9%	8%	11%	10%	6%	8%	8%	10%	8%	9%	7%	11%	9%	6%	9%	14%	0%	28%	5%	13%	11%	14%	2%	9%
TOTAL SUPPORT	56%	58%	55%	64%	59%	50%	60%	65%	48%	59%	55%	70%	77%	75%	50%	63%	24%	100%	0%	85%	26%	61%	26%	94%	49%
Somewhat support	27%	27%	27%	31%	30%	23%	33%	22%	21%	26%	27%	27%	30%	19%	19%	33%	18%	48%	0%	32%	20%	26%	20%	32%	38%
Strongly support	29%	31%	28%	33%	29%	27%	26%	43%	27%	33%	28%	43%	46%	56%	31%	31%	6%	52%	0%	52%	6%	35%	6%	63%	11%

Which of the following best describes your voting intentions? Choose one.

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I have received the ballot and already voted	32%	37%	28%	25%	25%	43%	25%	35%	42%	33%	34%	48%	43%	43%	100%	0%	0%	29%	46%	31%	40%	37%	49%	32%	7%
I have received the ballot and intend to vote before the deadline	52%	49%	56%	49%	60%	48%	58%	48%	47%	51%	56%	49%	50%	52%	0%	86%	0%	58%	43%	61%	47%	49%	45%	57%	82%
I have received the ballot but do not intend to vote	3%	2%	4%	5%	4%	2%	5%	4%	1%	3%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	48%	2%	4%	0%	4%	3%	0%	0%	0%
I have not received the ballot yet but intend to vote	8%	8%	8%	15%	8%	5%	9%	9%	7%	8%	7%	3%	7%	4%	0%	14%	0%	10%	6%	7%	9%	10%	6%	11%	11%
I have not received the ballot yet but do not intend to vote	3%	3%	4%	6%	2%	3%	4%	5%	3%	5%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	52%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

Which system should British Columbia use for provincial elections? Choose one.

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The current First Past the Post voting system	41%	46%	36%	23%	33%	57%	36%	34%	51%	36%	47%	49%	27%	26%	58%	32%	0%	18%	90%	16%	85%	37%	100%	0%	0%
A proportional representation voting system	42%	43%	42%	59%	44%	32%	42%	54%	37%	49%	38%	49%	64%	63%	39%	44%	0%	68%	3%	72%	8%	47%	0%	100%	0%
Not sure	17%	11%	22%	18%	23%	11%	22%	12%	12%	15%	15%	2%	9%	11%	3%	24%	0%	14%	6%	12%	8%	16%	0%	0%	100%

If British Columbia adopts a proportional representation voting system, which of the following voting systems do you prefer? Rank in order of your preference. You may choose to support one, two or all three of the systems.

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Dual Member Proportional (DMP)	1	24%	29%	18%	14%	24%	30%	24%	24%	21%	24%	23%	100%	0%	0%	25%	23%	0%	22%	31%	25%	30%	20%	39%	19%	5%	
	2	37%	35%	39%	38%	38%	35%	38%	33%	37%	31%	40%	0%	62%	31%	38%	36%	0%	39%	30%	38%	28%	38%	32%	39%	34%	
	3	39%	36%	43%	46%	39%	36%	43%	42%	42%	37%	37%	0%	38%	69%	37%	41%	0%	39%	39%	36%	42%	42%	29%	41%	59%	
	Total	299	172	128	82	95	123	143	54	103	133	136	72	127	101	136	164	0	227	60	118	58	74	91	182	26	
Mixed Member Proportional (MMP)	1	48%	41%	57%	54%	47%	44%	51%	57%	39%	46%	51%	0%	100%	0%	46%	49%	0%	48%	49%	49%	44%	44%	47%	48%	51%	
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	3	14%	16%	10%	13%	15%	12%	13%	6%	19%	15%	12%	20%	0%	29%	17%	11%	0%	14%	12%	11%	15%	20%	16%	13%	11%	
	Total	308	169	139	84	101	122	148	56	104	142	135	59	148	101	138	171	0	236	60	129	55	78	87	195	26	
Rural-Urban Proportional (RUP)	1	43%	44%	42%	40%	43%	45%	37%	45%	50%	42%	42%	0%	0%	100%	42%	44%	0%	44%	42%	38%	50%	48%	38%	45%	51%	
	2	21%	19%	23%	27%	22%	15%	21%	24%	18%	26%	19%	22%	42%	0%	21%	21%	0%	20%	22%	19%	24%	23%	21%	20%	24%	
	3	36%	37%	35%	33%	35%	39%	42%	32%	31%	33%	39%	78%	58%	0%	37%	35%	0%	36%	36%	43%	26%	29%	40%	36%	25%	
	Total	316	177	139	84	100	132	146	55	116	143	136	55	125	137	141	176	0	236	68	127	57	79	93	194	29	

If the provincial election were held today, which party's candidate would you vote for in your constituency? Choose one.

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BC Liberals	25%	30%	20%	17%	22%	32%	22%	21%	31%	20%	33%	24%	17%	21%	31%	23%	15%	11%	56%	0%	100%	0%	54%	5%	12%
BC New Democratic Party (NDP)	29%	29%	29%	34%	28%	26%	28%	32%	28%	35%	27%	41%	43%	35%	27%	32%	5%	43%	9%	100%	0%	0%	12%	51%	22%
BC Green Party	10%	11%	10%	11%	14%	7%	11%	19%	5%	10%	10%	14%	16%	9%	11%	4%	15%	4%	0%	0%	46%	3%	18%	10%	
BC Conservative Party	9%	7%	11%	8%	7%	11%	7%	5%	13%	9%	8%	7%	4%	10%	10%	8%	9%	6%	15%	0%	0%	40%	14%	4%	8%
Another party / An independent candidate	3%	5%	1%	4%	1%	4%	2%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	5%	2%	6%	2%	0%	3%	3%	0%	0%	14%	4%	3%	4%
Would not vote	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	35%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Not sure	17%	12%	21%	18%	19%	15%	22%	12%	12%	15%	16%	15%	13%	14%	13%	19%	21%	18%	9%	0%	0%	0%	11%	14%	36%
Prefer not to answer	5%	3%	6%	6%	7%	2%	5%	6%	3%	4%	2%	0%	4%	2%	4%	5%	11%	4%	2%	0%	0%	0%	2%	4%	9%