



## **TOPLINE**

# **Understanding Support for Political Violence Survey**

## **National**

**January 2026**

**Conducted by NORC at the University of Chicago for the Chicago Project on Security and  
Threats**

*Field Dates: 1/22 to 1/26/26  
2,163 adults ages 18+*

*The CPOST survey of adults aged 18+ was conducted by NORC at the University of Chicago using a sample drawn from NORC's probability-based AmeriSpeak Panel, which is designed to be representative of the U.S. population.*

*The margin of sampling error for adults overall is plus or minus 2.83 percentage points.*

*Note: All results show percentages among all respondents, unless otherwise labeled.  
Percentages may not always sum to 100%.*

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[uchi1a] [The people who stormed the Capitol on January 6th to stop the certification of the 2020 election results are patriots.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>4.1%</b>	2.8%	3.7%	5.7%
Agree	<b>7.7%</b>	3.9%	4.2%	13.8%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>28.4%</b>	9.3%	44.5%	41.3%
Disagree	<b>14.9%</b>	8.7%	16.5%	21.0%
Strongly disagree	<b>43.7%</b>	74.9%	28.2%	17.0%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.2%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.1%</b>	0.4%	2.8%	0.8%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi1b] [A secret group of Satan-worshiping pedophiles is ruling the US government.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>4.1%</b>	5.1%	4.1%	2.8%
Agree	<b>8.8%</b>	8.3%	8.5%	9.5%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>30.1%</b>	26.2%	46.4%	26.3%
Disagree	<b>19.1%</b>	16.8%	17.5%	22.3%
Strongly disagree	<b>36.8%</b>	43.1%	21.3%	38.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.5%</b>	0.0%	0.8%	0.7%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.6%</b>	0.4%	1.3%	0.4%
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[uchi1c] [The Democratic Party is trying to replace the current electorate with new people, more obedient voters from the Third World.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>10.8%</b>	3.9%	6.4%	20.8%
Agree	<b>14.0%</b>	3.4%	9.3%	28.3%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>30.2%</b>	21.4%	54.4%	27.5%
Disagree	<b>15.0%</b>	17.4%	13.2%	13.3%
Strongly disagree	<b>29.1%</b>	53.1%	16.4%	8.7%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.8%</b>	0.7%	0.2%	1.2%
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[uchi1d] [There are people who have pushed me so far that we have come to blows.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>3.5%</b>	3.7%	4.4%	3.0%
Agree	<b>11.3%</b>	11.5%	11.7%	11.1%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>17.5%</b>	14.0%	30.3%	14.8%
Disagree	<b>25.1%</b>	24.4%	23.2%	26.7%
Strongly disagree	<b>42.3%</b>	46.3%	30.2%	44.2%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.3%</b>	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%
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[uchi1e] [Given enough provocation, I may hit a person.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>4.2%</b>	3.4%	4.8%	4.8%
Agree	<b>17.8%</b>	17.5%	16.0%	19.3%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>25.2%</b>	24.8%	32.6%	22.0%
Disagree	<b>21.7%</b>	22.3%	20.9%	21.4%
Strongly disagree	<b>30.8%</b>	31.7%	25.6%	32.3%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.0%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.3%</b>	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%
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[uchi1f] [I have threatened people I know.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>1.5%</b>	1.4%	1.5%	1.6%
Agree	<b>4.4%</b>	5.2%	4.7%	3.5%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>11.7%</b>	9.1%	19.3%	10.6%
Disagree	<b>24.4%</b>	24.5%	24.4%	24.2%
Strongly disagree	<b>57.3%</b>	59.3%	50.0%	59.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.0%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.7%</b>	0.6%	0.2%	0.9%
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[uchi1g] [...other minorities overcame prejudice and worked their way up. Blacks should do the same without any special favors.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>12.9%</b>	3.5%	14.0%	22.8%
Agree	<b>22.8%</b>	11.7%	16.2%	38.8%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>28.7%</b>	24.1%	42.2%	26.8%
Disagree	<b>17.5%</b>	27.9%	16.0%	7.0%
Strongly disagree	<b>17.0%</b>	31.9%	10.5%	3.6%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.2%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.8%</b>	0.7%	1.1%	0.6%
REFUSED	<b>0.1%</b>	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%
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[uchi1h] [America is systematically racist against non-White people and always has been.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>14.8%</b>	27.2%	10.4%	3.2%
Agree	<b>25.3%</b>	38.7%	24.0%	11.1%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>24.3%</b>	17.4%	38.1%	24.9%
Disagree	<b>19.1%</b>	7.0%	16.1%	34.1%
Strongly disagree	<b>15.5%</b>	8.5%	10.3%	26.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.3%</b>	0.7%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.6%</b>	0.4%	1.1%	0.5%
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[uchi2a] [Donald Trump is justified using the U.S. military to stop protests against the Trump agenda.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>6.1%</b>	1.6%	6.2%	11.2%
Agree	<b>8.9%</b>	2.3%	3.2%	19.3%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>21.9%</b>	8.9%	35.2%	29.5%
Disagree	<b>16.4%</b>	10.9%	16.4%	22.6%
Strongly disagree	<b>45.3%</b>	76.0%	36.9%	15.6%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.2%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.1%</b>	0.3%	2.1%	1.4%
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[uchi2b] [The use of lethal force by the government is justified to deport illegal immigrants.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>6.5%</b>	2.0%	6.6%	11.4%
Agree	<b>10.9%</b>	2.7%	6.0%	22.6%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>21.3%</b>	9.7%	32.6%	28.3%
Disagree	<b>19.3%</b>	16.9%	21.1%	21.0%
Strongly disagree	<b>41.3%</b>	68.4%	32.2%	15.9%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.5%</b>	0.2%	1.5%	0.2%
REFUSED	<b>0.1%</b>	0.1%	0.0%	0.3%
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[uchi2c] [The use of force by ordinary citizens against Democrats is justified.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>2.0%</b>	2.5%	3.2%	0.9%
Agree	<b>1.4%</b>	1.1%	1.9%	1.5%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>20.6%</b>	14.7%	37.3%	18.3%
Disagree	<b>26.4%</b>	21.0%	21.3%	35.0%
Strongly disagree	<b>48.9%</b>	59.7%	35.7%	43.7%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.2%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.6%</b>	0.9%	0.5%	0.1%
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[uchi2d] [The use of force by ordinary citizens against Republicans is justified.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>3.0%</b>	4.8%	2.9%	1.0%
Agree	<b>2.9%</b>	3.5%	4.7%	1.3%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>19.5%</b>	16.8%	33.0%	15.4%
Disagree	<b>27.1%</b>	28.7%	22.6%	27.5%
Strongly disagree	<b>47.1%</b>	46.0%	36.1%	54.5%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.4%</b>	0.3%	0.7%	0.2%
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[uchi2e] [The use of force is justified to remove Donald Trump from the presidency.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>10.8%</b>	20.2%	6.5%	2.6%
Agree	<b>10.6%</b>	17.0%	10.9%	3.2%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>22.3%</b>	27.0%	37.8%	8.8%
Disagree	<b>19.8%</b>	17.9%	16.7%	23.3%
Strongly disagree	<b>35.8%</b>	17.3%	26.0%	61.7%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.0%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.8%</b>	0.5%	2.1%	0.3%
REFUSED	<b>0.0%</b>	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
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[uchi2f] [When members of Congress are threatened, it is because they deserve it.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>2.6%</b>	2.4%	4.2%	2.0%
Agree	<b>3.6%</b>	2.9%	4.2%	4.0%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>30.9%</b>	26.9%	41.2%	29.8%
Disagree	<b>30.6%</b>	28.3%	25.2%	36.3%
Strongly disagree	<b>31.2%</b>	38.7%	23.3%	27.3%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.9%</b>	0.9%	1.9%	0.2%
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[uchi2g] [Republicans and Democrats in Congress should make a joint statement condemning any political violence in America.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>48.3%</b>	52.9%	33.7%	50.7%
Agree	<b>27.9%</b>	26.3%	23.0%	32.3%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>18.2%</b>	14.5%	36.5%	12.7%
Disagree	<b>2.3%</b>	2.3%	2.6%	2.1%
Strongly disagree	<b>2.3%</b>	2.4%	2.8%	2.0%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.0%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.0%</b>	1.6%	1.4%	0.1%
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[uchi2h] [The use of force against ICE agents is justified.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>7.9%</b>	11.8%	9.2%	2.9%
Agree	<b>10.2%</b>	17.4%	8.0%	3.6%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>23.9%</b>	25.3%	40.4%	13.7%
Disagree	<b>20.6%</b>	21.2%	13.7%	23.4%
Strongly disagree	<b>36.6%</b>	23.7%	27.0%	56.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.7%</b>	0.6%	1.6%	0.2%
REFUSED	<b>0.0%</b>	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
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[uchi3a] [I would attend a protest against the Trump administration's efforts to deport illegal immigrants, even if it became violent.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>6.1%</b>	11.1%	3.1%	2.2%
Agree	<b>8.9%</b>	15.5%	5.0%	3.6%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>21.3%</b>	26.2%	32.0%	10.4%
Disagree	<b>21.3%</b>	26.1%	18.3%	17.5%
Strongly disagree	<b>41.6%</b>	20.6%	39.6%	66.0%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.7%</b>	0.4%	1.9%	0.2%
REFUSED	<b>0.0%</b>	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
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[uchi3b] [I approve of the way President Trump is handling immigration enforcement, including deportations.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>12.4%</b>	2.1%	4.8%	27.8%
Agree	<b>14.1%</b>	2.1%	6.6%	31.4%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>18.3%</b>	8.1%	36.4%	20.6%
Disagree	<b>12.3%</b>	10.9%	16.4%	11.7%
Strongly disagree	<b>41.8%</b>	76.5%	32.2%	8.0%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.0%</b>	0.3%	3.5%	0.4%
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[uchi3c] [Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) agents who kill protesters should be immune from prosecution.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>3.4%</b>	1.9%	3.2%	5.1%
Agree	<b>4.9%</b>	1.4%	3.8%	9.3%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>21.9%</b>	6.4%	29.4%	35.4%
Disagree	<b>21.9%</b>	14.2%	24.9%	28.8%
Strongly disagree	<b>47.5%</b>	75.8%	38.0%	20.9%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.4%</b>	0.3%	0.7%	0.1%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi3d] [Protestors killed by ICE are heroes.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>5.8%</b>	10.3%	3.8%	1.6%
Agree	<b>7.7%</b>	13.1%	5.1%	3.1%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>30.7%</b>	37.7%	42.2%	17.2%
Disagree	<b>22.5%</b>	17.5%	25.0%	26.7%
Strongly disagree	<b>32.7%</b>	21.1%	22.6%	51.0%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.5%</b>	0.3%	1.3%	0.2%
REFUSED	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi3e] [When ICE kills one protestor, this threatens anyone who opposes the Trump administration.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>24.2%</b>	43.8%	17.4%	5.7%
Agree	<b>19.3%</b>	27.2%	22.0%	9.2%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>22.5%</b>	14.6%	38.9%	23.1%
Disagree	<b>17.3%</b>	7.2%	10.9%	31.8%
Strongly disagree	<b>15.8%</b>	6.5%	9.3%	29.6%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.8%</b>	0.8%	1.7%	0.4%
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[uchi3f] [People who video record ICE operations are domestic terrorists.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>2.4%</b>	1.3%	3.3%	3.4%
Agree	<b>6.8%</b>	2.8%	3.3%	13.2%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>22.0%</b>	8.1%	31.1%	32.9%
Disagree	<b>22.8%</b>	14.4%	28.4%	29.1%
Strongly disagree	<b>44.9%</b>	72.3%	32.1%	21.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.3%</b>	0.7%	0.1%	0.0%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.6%</b>	0.4%	1.8%	0.1%
REFUSED	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi3g] [The deployment of federal government forces, including ICE, to Liberal cities is a hostile military occupation] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>23.4%</b>	43.7%	14.7%	5.1%
Agree	<b>21.2%</b>	30.5%	27.3%	7.9%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>22.4%</b>	13.1%	40.0%	23.7%
Disagree	<b>14.6%</b>	6.3%	6.4%	28.1%
Strongly disagree	<b>17.4%</b>	5.5%	11.3%	33.9%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.2%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.8%</b>	0.8%	0.2%	1.0%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi3h] [A reasonable compromise...on immigration would be to work together to deport undocumented immigrants with felony convictions...] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>27.3%</b>	33.7%	16.5%	26.1%
Agree	<b>36.3%</b>	37.7%	33.2%	36.4%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>22.6%</b>	17.2%	36.2%	21.8%
Disagree	<b>6.5%</b>	4.3%	5.9%	9.4%
Strongly disagree	<b>6.6%</b>	6.5%	8.0%	6.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.0%</b>	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.5%</b>	0.7%	0.2%	0.1%
REFUSED	<b>0.0%</b>	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
N=	2163	976	384	796

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[uchi4a] [I am concerned about losing my primary source of income in the next 12 months.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>6.9%</b>	10.3%	6.0%	3.7%
Agree	<b>13.5%</b>	17.5%	15.0%	8.5%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>24.3%</b>	25.5%	32.8%	18.6%
Disagree	<b>30.8%</b>	27.2%	28.4%	35.9%
Strongly disagree	<b>23.7%</b>	19.2%	16.5%	32.3%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.7%</b>	0.3%	1.2%	0.7%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi4b] [I will never be as prosperous as my parents.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>7.7%</b>	12.4%	5.1%	3.9%
Agree	<b>13.3%</b>	14.4%	12.3%	12.7%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>28.0%</b>	27.6%	38.9%	23.0%
Disagree	<b>27.7%</b>	25.9%	24.2%	31.6%
Strongly disagree	<b>21.7%</b>	19.1%	16.3%	27.6%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.0%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.5%</b>	0.5%	3.2%	1.2%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi4c] [People like me cannot get ahead because the economy is rigged to advantage the rich] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>15.3%</b>	24.2%	13.2%	6.6%
Agree	<b>24.3%</b>	31.5%	25.4%	15.9%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>26.0%</b>	23.4%	34.9%	24.5%
Disagree	<b>19.1%</b>	12.7%	14.9%	28.3%
Strongly disagree	<b>14.3%</b>	7.6%	10.4%	23.8%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.0%</b>	0.6%	1.2%	0.7%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi4d] [The use of force is justified to make the rich pay their fair share.] Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Strongly agree	<b>4.8%</b>	8.6%	3.7%	1.3%
Agree	<b>7.3%</b>	9.6%	8.1%	4.3%
Neither agree nor disagree	<b>25.0%</b>	23.8%	38.4%	19.5%
Disagree	<b>28.0%</b>	28.1%	25.1%	29.4%
Strongly disagree	<b>33.8%</b>	29.4%	23.3%	44.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.2%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>0.9%</b>	0.6%	1.4%	0.9%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi5a] [... to punish Liberals] Why does the Trump Administration want to deploy federal government forces, such as ICE, to Liberal cities? How likely are the following reasons?

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Very likely	<b>28.6%</b>	52.8%	19.1%	6.5%
Somewhat likely	<b>17.7%</b>	23.1%	20.1%	10.7%
Neither likely nor unlikely	<b>22.3%</b>	13.2%	43.3%	21.4%
Somewhat unlikely	<b>11.4%</b>	6.1%	6.3%	20.1%
Very unlikely	<b>18.8%</b>	3.9%	9.5%	40.3%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.1%</b>	0.9%	1.6%	0.9%
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[uchi5b] [... to impose new political leadership on Liberal cities] Why does the Trump Administration want to deploy federal government forces, such as ICE, to Liberal cities? How likely are the following reasons?

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Very likely	<b>25.8%</b>	45.3%	19.5%	7.4%
Somewhat likely	<b>22.0%</b>	28.4%	22.9%	14.6%
Neither likely nor unlikely	<b>23.2%</b>	14.4%	41.5%	23.4%
Somewhat unlikely	<b>11.9%</b>	7.0%	6.7%	20.1%
Very unlikely	<b>15.5%</b>	3.6%	7.5%	33.1%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.3%</b>	0.0%	0.6%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.3%</b>	1.3%	1.2%	1.2%
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[uchi5c] [... to stir up violence and tensions in Liberal cities] Why does the Trump Administration want to deploy federal government forces, such as ICE, to Liberal cities? How likely are the following reasons?

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Very likely	<b>29.5%</b>	54.4%	20.1%	6.5%
Somewhat likely	<b>18.4%</b>	24.2%	22.8%	9.7%
Neither likely nor unlikely	<b>19.2%</b>	12.9%	38.3%	16.3%
Somewhat unlikely	<b>10.4%</b>	4.3%	7.9%	18.6%
Very unlikely	<b>21.3%</b>	3.2%	9.3%	47.6%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.1%</b>	1.0%	1.5%	0.9%
N=	2163	976	384	796

[uchi5d] [... to reduce crime, illegal immigration, and homelessness in Liberal cities] Why does the Trump Administration want to deploy federal government forces, such as ICE, to Liberal cities? How likely are the following reasons?

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
Very likely	<b>19.3%</b>	4.4%	12.3%	39.8%
Somewhat likely	<b>21.5%</b>	13.3%	18.5%	32.2%
Neither likely nor unlikely	<b>21.3%</b>	16.1%	43.3%	15.7%
Somewhat unlikely	<b>13.4%</b>	22.2%	9.8%	5.4%
Very unlikely	<b>23.3%</b>	42.9%	14.9%	5.7%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.2%</b>	1.0%	1.2%	1.2%
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[uchi6] Generally speaking, do you think that enforcement actions by Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) are making cities [more/less] safe, making cities [less/more] safe or are they not having much effect on safety?

<i>CPOST/NORC</i> 1/22 to 1/26/26	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep
More safe	<b>29.6%</b>	5.2%	18.9%	62.5%
Less safe	<b>48.1%</b>	75.8%	51.1%	15.6%
Not having much effect	<b>20.6%</b>	17.0%	28.2%	20.6%
DON'T KNOW	<b>0.1%</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%
SKIPPED ON WEB	<b>1.7%</b>	1.9%	1.9%	1.1%
N=	2163	976	384	796