

INSIGHTS WEST for Dogwood Initiative

Survey on Big Money in Municipal Politics and the Voting Age - October 2017

As you may know, the Government of British Columbia recently introduced legislation to ban corporations, unions and foreign donors from giving money to provincial parties and politicians. Do you think British Columbia should implement similar legislation to ban these types of donations to municipal parties and politicians before the elections scheduled for October 2018?

	British Columbia	Gender		Age			Region					Vote in 2017 Provincial Election		
		Female	Male	18-34	35-54	55+	Metro Vancouver	Fraser Valley	Northern BC	Southern BC	Vancouver Island	BC Liberals	BC NDP	BC Green
Definitely should	57%	53%	63%	55%	53%	64%	62%	57%	44%	45%	59%	46%	66%	61%
Probably should	29%	31%	26%	32%	30%	25%	25%	36%	34%	37%	29%	33%	26%	31%
Probably should not	4%	4%	3%	6%	3%	2%	4%	0%	9%	4%	2%	6%	2%	2%
Definitely should not	3%	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	2%	2%	6%	1%	0%
Not sure	7%	9%	5%	6%	10%	6%	6%	2%	10%	13%	8%	10%	4%	6%

Results are based on an online study conducted from October 22 to October 26, 2017, among 820 adult residents of British Columbia.

The data has been statistically weighted according to Canadian census figures for age, gender and region in British Columbia.

The margin of error—which measures sample variability—is +/- 3.5 percentage points, nineteen times out of twenty. [Click to view the detailed data tabulations.](#)