

Utah Survey A Survey of Utah Residents January 22, 2024

1. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, or something else?

	Total
Democrat	14%
Republican	52%
Something else	34%

2. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of organized labor unions?

	Total
Very favorable	11%
Somewhat favorable	36%
Somewhat unfavorable	20%
Very unfavorable	9%
Not familiar	24%





3. Do you believe Utah's workers should have the freedom to join a union if they choose to?

	Total
Yes	93%
No	7%

4. Right now, the Utah legislature is considering changing state law to weaken employment protections (safe work environments-wages-benefits) for health care workers, educators, public safety officers and other essential workers. Do you support efforts that would reduce safety protections and wages for Utah's workers?

	Total
Yes	23%
No	77%

5. Would you be less likely or more likely to support your legislator if you knew they voted to weaken Utah workers' rights?

	Total
I would be LESS LIKELY to support	
my legislator if they voted to weaken	83%
workers' rights	
I would be MORE LIKELY to	
support my legislator if they voted to	17%
weaken workers' rights	

6. Do you believe Utah's workers should be able to contribute a portion of their own wages to their union if they choose to?

	Total
Yes	91%
No	9%

7. Currently, Utah's public employees can discuss workplace related issues and union issues at their workplace. Do you believe changes to Utah law should be made to make this illegal?

	Total
Yes	22%
No	78%



8. Right now, the Utah legislature is considering changing state law to require workers and their unions to hold regular and expensive elections — even if all workers are completely satisfied with their representation. These elections also require taxpayer dollars to be spent.

Do you support efforts to force regular elections that will cost Utah's taxpayers more even if workers do not want them?

	Total
Yes	19%
No	81%

9. Currently, employment for Utah's healthcare workers, firefighters, police, teachers, and other public employees has a process for termination that remains consistent regardless of who the Governor is. Some elected officials are trying to change that to remove the existing process and allow the Governor to fire any employee at any time.

Do you support removing Utah's employment protections for healthcare workers, firefighters, police, teachers, and other public employees?

	Total
Yes	22%
No	78%

10. For statistical purposes only, what is your race?

	Total
Black or African American	2%
White or Caucasian	86%
Hispanic or Latino	6%
Asian or Asian American	2%
Native American	1%
Another race/prefer not to say	3%

11. Are you a woman, a man, or prefer not to say?

	Total
Woman	50%
Man	48%
Other/prefer not to say	1%



12. What is your highest level of schooling?

	Total
High school or less	25%
Some college	35%
Graduated from college	28%
Attended graduate school	12%

13. Finally, please enter the YEAR in which you were born as a four-digit number.

	Total
Under 41	41%
41-60	31%
61-74	18%
75+	10%