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Californians Oppose Limitless Abortions

79 Percent of California Likely Voters Believe Abortion Should be Limited Within the First Six Months of Pregnancy

Chino Hills, CA—August 23, 2022—Real Impact and Rasmussen Reports today released the results from a survey of likely California voters. Results were from more than 1,000 respondents during August 10-11, 2022.

“Gavin Newsom’s radical liberal government is trying to sneak past the people of California a constitutional amendment that would pave the way for abortion without limitations,” said Pastor Jack Hibbs of Calvary Chapel Chino Hills. “Proposition 1 on the 2022 ballot—which places no limits on abortion—is way too extreme even in a state where the majority say they are pro-choice. I believe abortion should never be enshrined in our constitution and allowing late-term abortion is especially evil.”

KEY INSIGHT: 79 percent of California likely voters say abortion should be limited to within the first six months of pregnancy:

- 32 percent say abortion should be legal up to three months of a pregnancy
- 19 percent say abortion should be legal up to the first month of pregnancy
- 14 percent say abortion should be legal up to six months of a pregnancy
- 14 percent say abortion should be illegal
- 13 percent say abortion should be legal at any time during pregnancy
- 9 percent are not sure

KEY INSIGHT: 73 percent of California Likely Voters believe abortion should be legal only under certain circumstances after a fetus could survive outside the mother:

- 42 percent say legal only under certain circumstances
- 31 percent say illegal in all circumstances
- 20 percent say legal under any circumstances
- 7 percent not sure

KEY INSIGHT: 69 percent of California Likely Voters believe abortion should be legal only under certain circumstances once a fetus develops a nervous system and can feel pain:

- 40 percent say legal only under certain circumstances
- 29 percent say illegal in all circumstances
- 24 percent say legal under any circumstances
- 7 percent not sure

KEY INSIGHT: 63 percent of California likely voters say a fetus has the right to life from the moment of conception to 6 months:

- 27 percent say at conception
- 25 percent say at birth
- 21 percent say at 3 months
- 15 percent say at 6 months
- 9 percent not sure

KEY INSIGHT: 58 percent of CA likely voters believe that abortion should be legal only under certain circumstances after the heartbeat develops:

- 48 percent say legal only under certain circumstances
- 10 percent say illegal in all circumstances
- 36 percent say legal under any circumstances
- 6 percent not sure

KEY INSIGHT: 70 percent of the poll respondents consider themselves Democrat or Other

- 49 percent surveyed were Democrat
- 21 percent surveyed were Other
- 30 percent surveyed were Republican

You can view the entire poll here:

https://www.rasmussenreports.com/public_content/politics/partner_surveys/most_california_voters_support_limits_on_abortion

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