

# **ST. LOUIS CITY PUBLIC OPINION 2017**

Survey conducted September 29 through September 30, 2017. 1,072 likely St. Louis General Election voters participated in the survey. Survey weighted to match expected turnout demographics for the 2018 General Election. Margin of Error is +/-3.2% with a 95% level of confidence. Margins of Error within specific demographics (crosstabs) is significantly higher due to smaller sample size. Totals do not always equal 100% due to rounding. Survey conducted by Remington Research Group on behalf of Missouri Scout.



**Q:** Do you think the protesters of the Jason Stockley verdict have legitimate concerns that need to be addressed?

Yes: 62%  
No: 20%  
Unsure: 18%

**Q:** Do you approve or disapprove of protesters' methods and actions?

Approve: 41%  
Disapprove: 41%  
Unsure: 18%

**Q:** Do you approve or disapprove the police department's handling of the protests following the Stockley verdict?

Approve: 39%  
Disapprove: 41%  
Unsure: 20%

**Q:** Shall the City of St. Louis impose a sales tax at a rate of one half of one percent, solely for the purpose of providing revenues for the operation of the department of public safety, including hiring more police officers, police and firefighter compensation, and enhanced law enforcement?

Yes: 52%  
No: 29%  
Undecided: 19%

**Q:** Do you approve or disapprove of Lyda Krewson's job performance as Mayor of St. Louis City?

Approve: 36%  
Disapprove: 36%  
Unsure: 28%

**Q:** Do you think the protesters of the Jason Stockley verdict have legitimate concerns that need to be addressed?

BY STATE SENATE DISTRICT

Column %	SD 4	SD 5
<b>Yes</b>	60%	65%
<b>No</b>	22%	19%
<b>Unsure</b>	19%	16%

BY GENDER

Column %	Female	Male
<b>Yes</b>	62%	62%
<b>No</b>	20%	21%
<b>Unsure</b>	19%	16%

BY RACE

Column %	White	African-American	Other
<b>Yes</b>	53%	73%	66%
<b>No</b>	28%	12%	17%
<b>Unsure</b>	20%	15%	17%

BY IDEOLOGY

Column %	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
<b>Yes</b>	43%	60%	68%
<b>No</b>	41%	23%	14%
<b>Unsure</b>	16%	18%	18%

**Q:** Do you approve or disapprove of protesters' methods and actions?

BY STATE SENATE DISTRICT

Column %	SD 4	SD 5
<b>Approve</b>	38%	46%
<b>Disapprove</b>	45%	37%
<b>Unsure</b>	18%	17%

BY GENDER

Column %	Female	Male
<b>Approve</b>	39%	44%
<b>Disapprove</b>	43%	39%
<b>Unsure</b>	18%	17%

BY RACE

Column %	White	African-American	Other
<b>Approve</b>	29%	56%	46%
<b>Disapprove</b>	56%	25%	31%
<b>Unsure</b>	15%	20%	23%

BY IDEOLOGY

Column %	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
<b>Approve</b>	28%	35%	49%
<b>Disapprove</b>	62%	51%	29%
<b>Unsure</b>	11%	15%	21%

**Q:** Do you approve or disapprove the police department's handling of the protests following the Stockley verdict?

BY STATE SENATE DISTRICT

Column %	SD 4	SD 5
<b>Approve</b>	40%	39%
<b>Disapprove</b>	42%	39%
<b>Unsure</b>	18%	22%

BY GENDER

Column %	Female	Male
<b>Approve</b>	36%	43%
<b>Disapprove</b>	44%	38%
<b>Unsure</b>	21%	19%

BY RACE

Column %	White	African-American	Other
<b>Approve</b>	57%	16%	28%
<b>Disapprove</b>	27%	61%	47%
<b>Unsure</b>	16%	23%	25%

BY IDEOLOGY

Column %	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
<b>Approve</b>	60%	43%	32%
<b>Disapprove</b>	27%	35%	48%
<b>Unsure</b>	13%	22%	20%

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BY STATE SENATE DISTRICT

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<b>No</b>	27%	31%
<b>Undecided</b>	20%	18%

BY GENDER

Column %	Female	Male
<b>Yes</b>	53%	51%
<b>No</b>	27%	31%
<b>Undecided</b>	20%	17%

BY RACE

Column %	White	African-American	Other
<b>Yes</b>	57%	49%	32%
<b>No</b>	26%	31%	38%
<b>Undecided</b>	17%	20%	29%

BY IDEOLOGY

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**Q:** Do you approve or disapprove of Lyda Krewson's job performance as Mayor of St. Louis City?

BY STATE SENATE DISTRICT

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<b>Unsure</b>	28%	29%

BY GENDER

Column %	Female	Male
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<b>Disapprove</b>	34%	37%
<b>Unsure</b>	29%	27%

BY RACE

Column %	White	African-American	Other
<b>Approve</b>	46%	22%	26%
<b>Disapprove</b>	29%	45%	44%
<b>Unsure</b>	25%	33%	30%

BY IDEOLOGY

Column %	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
<b>Approve</b>	26%	32%	41%
<b>Disapprove</b>	51%	37%	31%
<b>Unsure</b>	23%	30%	28%

## DEMOGRAPHICS

### STATE SENATE DISTRICT

	%
<b>SD 4</b>	56%
<b>SD 5</b>	44%

### GENDER

	%
<b>Female</b>	53%
<b>Male</b>	47%

### RACE

	%
<b>White</b>	51%
<b>African-American</b>	43%
<b>Other</b>	6%

### IDEOLOGY

	%
<b>Conservative</b>	10%
<b>Moderate</b>	40%
<b>Liberal</b>	50%