

## Illinois 11th Congressional District Survey Results

**Q1** Some people say that the EPA needs to do more to hold polluters accountable and protect the air and water. Others say that the EPA does too much and places too many costly restrictions on businesses and individuals. Which point of view do you agree with more? EPA needs to do more to hold polluters accountable and protect the air and water......63% EPA does too much and places too many costly restrictions on businesses and Q2 Do you favor or oppose the EPA setting new standards with stricter limits on air pollution? Q3 Some say Congress should step in and prevent the EPA from limiting carbon dioxide pollution. For example, the head of the America Petroleum Institute says Congress should decide when and how greenhouse gases should be regulated. But others say Congress should let EPA do its job. The head of the American Public Health Association says that

blocking the EPA's work to reduce carbon

healthy life for many Americans or chronic

debilitating illness. Which opinion do you

Congress should decide when and how

dioxide could mean the difference between a

Congress should let the EPA do its job ............72%

Q4 Illinois Congressman Adam Kinzinger is considering a proposal that would block the EPA from limiting carbon dioxide pollution. Some, like the National Association of Manufacturers, say Congress should block the EPA because "EPA's overregulation threatens manufacturers, businesses and jobs throughout America. Its actions will increase manufacturers' energy costs and make it more difficult to compete." Others, like the American Lung Association, say Congress should not block the EPA because doing so "would strip away Clean Air Act protections that safeguard Americans and their families from air pollution that puts their lives at risk." Knowing these two points of view, would you support or oppose Congress blocking the EPA?

Q5 Illinois Congressman Adam Kinzinger recently supported a bill to block EPA from reducing carbon pollution. Having heard what leading public health groups say about the health effects if Congress blocks the EPA, do you think that Congressman Kinzinger's decision to support this bill is good for your family's health, or bad?

	Good	
	Bad	
Q6	If you are a woman, press 1.	If a man, press 2.
	Woman	
	Man	
Q7	If you are a Democrat, press Republican, press 2. If you a	1. If a

Q or identify with another party, press 3.

Democrat	29%
Republican	38%
Independent/Other	33%

support?





Q8	If you are white, press 1. If African-Americar press 2. If other, press 3.	٦,
	White	35%

White	.85%
African-American	. 11%
Other	. 5%

**Q9** If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are older than 65, press 4.

18 to 29	12%
30 to 45	30%
46 to 65	38%
Older than 65	20%





		Gender		
	Base	Woman	Man	
EPA Needs to do More or Does Too Much?		±		
EPA needs to do more to hold polluters accountable and protect the air and water	63%	71%	55%	
EPA does too much and places too many costly restrictions on businesses and individuals	37%	29%	45%	

		Gender		
	Base	Woman	Man	
Favor/Oppose EPA Setting Stricter Limits on Air Pollution				
Favor	61%	71%	50%	
Oppose	39%	29%	50%	

		Gender		
	Base	Woman	Man	
Should Congress Block EPA or Let It Do Its Job?				
Congress should decide when and how greenhouse gases should be regulated	28%	19%	38%	
Congress should let the EPA do its job	72%	81%	62%	

		Gender		
	Base	Woman	Man	
Support/Oppose Congress Blocking EPA?				
Support	34%	25%	44%	
Oppose	66%	75%	56%	





## -Crosstabs-

		Gender	
	Base	Woman	Man
Support for EPA- Blocking Bill Good/Bad for Family's Health?			
Good	42%	33%	51%
Bad	58%	67%	49%

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
EPA Needs to do More or Does Too Much?				
EPA needs to do more to hold polluters accountable and protect the air and water	63%	89%	40%	65%
EPA does too much and places too many costly restrictions on businesses and individuals	37%	11%	60%	35%

		Party						
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other				
Favor/Oppose EPA Setting Stricter Limits on Air Pollution								
Favor	61%	88%	40%	60%				
Oppose	39%	12%	60%	40%				

		Party		
	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Should Congress Block EPA or Let It Do Its Job?				
Congress should decide when and how greenhouse gases should be regulated	28%	16%	39%	26%
Congress should let the EPA do its job	72%	84%	61%	74%





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	Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other			Base	Democrat	Republican	Independent/Othe
Support/Oppose Congress Blocking EPA?			·		E	Support for EPA- Blocking Bill Good/Bad for				
Support	34%	18%	47%	35%	F	Family's Health?				
Oppose	66%	82%	53%	65%		Good	42%	22%	59%	40%
						Bad	58%	78%	41%	60%

-Crosstabs-

		Race		
	Base	White	African- American	Other
EPA Needs to do More or Does Too Much?				
EPA needs to do more to hold polluters accountable and protect the air and water	63%	64%	63%	42%
EPA does too much and places too many costly restrictions on businesses and individuals	37%	36%	37%	58%

		Race		
	Base	White	African- American	Other
Favor/Oppose EPA Setting Stricter Limits on Air Pollution			<u>.</u>	
Favor	61%	63%	51%	47%
Oppose	39%	37%	49%	53%







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		Race					Race		
	Base	White	African- American	Other		Base	White	African- American	Other
Should Congress Block EPA or Let It Do Its Job?			1	,	Support/Oppose Congress Blocking EPA?		ł	ļ	<u>,                                     </u>
Congress should decide when and how greenhouse gases should be regulated	28%	28%	25%	40%	Support Oppose		34% 66%	33% 67%	49% 51%
Congress should let the EPA do its job	72%	72%	75%	60%					

		Race		
	Base	White	African- American	Other
Support for EPA- Blocking Bill Good/Bad for Family's Health?				
Good	42%	42%	39%	54%
Bad	58%	58%	61%	46%

		Age			
	Base	18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
EPA Needs to do More or Does Too Much?					
EPA needs to do more to hold polluters accountable and protect the air and water	63%	68%	62%	65%	58%
EPA does too much and places too many costly restrictions on businesses and individuals	37%	32%	38%	35%	42%





		Age						Age			
	Base	18 to 29	30 to 45		Older than 65		Base	18 to 29			Olde than 6
Favor/Oppose EPA Setting Stricter Limits on Air		•		<u>.</u>	±	Should Congress Block EPA or Let It Do Its Job?		<u>,</u>		<u> </u>	
Pollution Favor	61%	64%	59%	64%	55%	Congress should decide when and		41%	23%	29%	28%
Oppose	39%	36%	41%	36%	45%	how greenhouse gases should be					

		Age			
	Base	18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Support/Oppose Congress Blocking EPA?		·			
Support	34%	41%	31%	36%	32%
Oppose	66%	59%	69%	64%	68%

		Age			
	Base	18 to 29	30 to 45		Older than 65
Support for EPA- Blocking Bill Good/Bad for Family's Health?					
Good	42%	45%	37%	40%	52%
Bad	58%	55%	63%	60%	48%

