

All things considered, how much do you fear becoming a victim of a crime in your community?



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		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	Metro Vancouver	Fraser Valley	Southern BC	Northern BC	Vancouver Island	BC NDP	BC LIB	BC GRN
<b>A great deal</b>	9%	9%	9%	12%	11%	7%	11%	5%	4%	16%	9%	8%	9%	12%
<b>A fair amount</b>	33%	32%	33%	41%	35%	26%	37%	26%	24%	35%	22%	35%	36%	31%
<b>Not too much</b>	48%	49%	48%	37%	46%	57%	44%	53%	56%	37%	63%	47%	46%	52%
<b>Not at all</b>	10%	10%	10%	10%	9%	11%	9%	16%	16%	11%	6%	10%	9%	5%

All things considered, how safe would you feel walking alone in your own neighbourhood after dark?



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Very safe	16%	21%	11%	14%	14%	19%	16%	20%	17%	11%	14%	18%	17%	18%
Moderately safe	52%	59%	45%	52%	52%	52%	55%	52%	50%	45%	42%	52%	56%	52%
Moderately unsafe	19%	12%	25%	22%	22%	14%	17%	17%	21%	18%	25%	16%	20%	18%
Very unsafe	11%	7%	14%	12%	8%	12%	10%	11%	7%	24%	12%	11%	7%	11%
Not sure	3%	1%	4%	0%	3%	3%	2%	0%	4%	2%	6%	3%	0%	2%

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How much do you think each of the following factors is to blame for the current situation regarding crime and public safety in your community? - "A great deal" listed

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Addiction / Mental health issues	45%	41%	50%	39%	49%	46%	43%	54%	45%	56%	49%	48%	40%	50%
Gangs / The illegal drug trade	38%	41%	34%	27%	37%	44%	39%	43%	36%	35%	31%	42%	38%	29%
Poverty / Inequality	26%	23%	29%	32%	29%	20%	27%	21%	22%	37%	24%	32%	15%	26%
Inadequate court system	26%	26%	25%	19%	22%	32%	25%	21%	36%	26%	19%	27%	29%	24%
Lack of values / Improper education for youth	24%	24%	24%	21%	25%	25%	25%	22%	25%	35%	13%	21%	29%	19%
Bad economy / Unemployment	19%	19%	20%	14%	24%	18%	20%	14%	22%	33%	10%	23%	17%	12%
Insufficient policing / Lack of resources to combat crime	16%	16%	17%	17%	17%	16%	19%	13%	12%	15%	12%	15%	17%	28%
Immigrants / Minorities	9%	9%	9%	9%	11%	7%	11%	5%	6%	18%	1%	10%	10%	7%

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As you may know, Montreal City Council adopted a motion calling for a nationwide ban on handguns and military-style assault weapons. Would you support or oppose implementing the measures described below in your own municipality?

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<b><i>A ban on handguns within the limits of your municipality</i></b>														
Strongly support	62%	62%	61%	50%	57%	72%	62%	60%	67%	48%	63%	69%	59%	59%
Moderately support	18%	18%	18%	25%	21%	12%	21%	17%	10%	5%	16%	15%	20%	20%
Moderately oppose	7%	8%	7%	11%	7%	5%	7%	9%	8%	14%	5%	5%	7%	14%
Strongly oppose	7%	9%	6%	7%	9%	6%	7%	10%	10%	19%	3%	6%	8%	7%
Not sure	6%	3%	8%	6%	6%	5%	4%	4%	5%	13%	13%	4%	5%	0%
<b><i>A ban on military-style assault weapons within the limits of your municipality</i></b>														
Strongly support	69%	69%	69%	55%	64%	80%	68%	68%	75%	64%	71%	77%	66%	67%
Moderately support	14%	14%	13%	19%	17%	8%	15%	9%	8%	8%	14%	10%	16%	17%
Moderately oppose	7%	8%	7%	15%	7%	3%	8%	12%	5%	12%	2%	4%	8%	14%
Strongly oppose	5%	7%	4%	4%	7%	4%	5%	7%	9%	14%	2%	5%	6%	2%
Not sure	5%	2%	8%	7%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	11%	4%	4%	0%