

Poll conducted by Research Co. on Obeying Laws in Canada - February 6, 2025

Next, we'd like to ask you some questions about rules and regulations. All things considered, would you say most of the residents of your municipality are law-abiding?



	Canada	GENDER			AGE			REGION					VOTE IN 2021 FEDERAL		
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	British Columbia	Alberta	SK/MB	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic Canada	Liberal	Conserv.	NDP
Definitely law-abiding	17%	21%	13%	18%	13%	19%	22%	14%	14%	18%	15%	17%	20%	16%	17%
Probably law-abiding	56%	61%	51%	49%	52%	65%	61%	53%	62%	57%	50%	58%	60%	60%	64%
Probably not law-abiding	12%	9%	15%	14%	15%	8%	8%	12%	14%	11%	15%	9%	9%	13%	10%
Definitely not law-abiding	4%	3%	5%	7%	3%	1%	3%	9%	1%	5%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Not sure	12%	6%	17%	13%	16%	7%	6%	12%	9%	10%	18%	12%	8%	8%	7%

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All things considered, how upset are you when you witness each of the following the behaviours in your municipality?



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		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	British Columbia	Alberta	SK/MB	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic Canada	Liberal	Conserv.	NDP
<b>Speeding on a municipal road or street</b>															
Very upset	34%	35%	33%	28%	30%	44%	26%	34%	25%	37%	38%	35%	40%	33%	32%
Moderately upset	37%	37%	37%	31%	41%	39%	47%	35%	46%	34%	33%	37%	41%	37%	39%
Not too upset	16%	17%	15%	20%	16%	13%	14%	17%	20%	15%	18%	18%	12%	16%	22%
Not upset at all	6%	6%	6%	11%	5%	2%	9%	7%	4%	8%	4%	2%	3%	11%	4%
Not sure	6%	4%	8%	10%	9%	1%	5%	6%	5%	6%	7%	8%	4%	3%	4%
<b>Riding a bicycle on the sidewalk</b>															
Very upset	14%	16%	13%	13%	12%	17%	18%	9%	6%	17%	14%	12%	17%	14%	15%
Moderately upset	23%	25%	22%	16%	25%	29%	23%	22%	31%	19%	26%	24%	29%	25%	23%
Not too upset	33%	33%	34%	30%	35%	35%	35%	28%	32%	33%	35%	35%	31%	30%	32%
Not upset at all	24%	22%	25%	32%	22%	17%	20%	34%	30%	25%	18%	22%	21%	27%	27%
Not sure	6%	4%	7%	10%	6%	2%	5%	8%	2%	5%	7%	6%	3%	4%	3%
<b>Riding a bicycle without a helmet</b>															
Very upset	14%	12%	16%	15%	13%	15%	17%	10%	8%	18%	13%	13%	17%	12%	14%
Moderately upset	25%	26%	25%	22%	23%	30%	23%	22%	26%	23%	29%	30%	31%	25%	22%
Not too upset	30%	30%	30%	24%	33%	32%	35%	28%	38%	25%	31%	29%	29%	30%	37%
Not upset at all	25%	29%	22%	30%	25%	21%	20%	31%	25%	29%	23%	21%	20%	30%	22%
Not sure	5%	3%	7%	8%	6%	2%	5%	9%	3%	5%	4%	7%	3%	3%	5%
<b>Watering the lawn outside permitted hours</b>															
Very upset	12%	11%	12%	11%	9%	14%	15%	10%	5%	13%	13%	9%	15%	9%	12%
Moderately upset	25%	28%	23%	17%	27%	31%	36%	20%	27%	22%	25%	22%	28%	26%	29%
Not too upset	31%	31%	32%	30%	30%	34%	27%	34%	34%	30%	33%	29%	30%	32%	27%
Not upset at all	23%	22%	24%	30%	24%	15%	15%	26%	26%	25%	19%	31%	21%	25%	27%
Not sure	9%	9%	10%	13%	10%	5%	7%	10%	8%	10%	9%	9%	6%	7%	6%
<b>Jaywalking</b>															
Very upset	11%	9%	12%	13%	9%	9%	12%	12%	9%	14%	7%	6%	15%	7%	8%
Moderately upset	20%	21%	19%	16%	18%	26%	19%	24%	15%	20%	18%	25%	20%	27%	22%
Not too upset	34%	35%	34%	33%	33%	38%	38%	34%	43%	33%	32%	35%	33%	36%	32%
Not upset at all	25%	29%	21%	24%	29%	22%	25%	21%	30%	27%	21%	29%	23%	24%	33%
Not sure	10%	7%	13%	14%	12%	5%	5%	9%	3%	6%	22%	6%	9%	6%	5%
<b>Parking in a handicapped spot without a decal</b>															
Very upset	41%	44%	39%	26%	40%	58%	44%	40%	30%	45%	39%	42%	50%	45%	46%
Moderately upset	33%	34%	33%	33%	38%	30%	35%	32%	48%	30%	32%	35%	33%	31%	36%
Not too upset	13%	12%	14%	19%	12%	9%	9%	11%	12%	12%	18%	12%	11%	10%	13%
Not upset at all	6%	6%	6%	11%	5%	3%	9%	12%	7%	5%	4%	5%	3%	11%	2%
Not sure	6%	4%	8%	11%	6%	1%	3%	5%	2%	9%	7%	6%	4%	3%	3%
<b>Smoking in a patio, or within 3 metres of doorways, open windows, or air intakes</b>															
Very upset	34%	34%	35%	32%	34%	37%	33%	28%	41%	38%	30%	37%	38%	41%	30%
Moderately upset	31%	32%	31%	30%	31%	32%	35%	33%	31%	31%	28%	33%	34%	31%	33%
Not too upset	19%	19%	20%	20%	17%	20%	20%	24%	22%	16%	21%	15%	18%	18%	21%
Not upset at all	12%	14%	10%	12%	15%	8%	9%	11%	3%	11%	17%	8%	8%	8%	12%
Not sure	4%	2%	5%	6%	3%	3%	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%	7%	3%	2%	3%

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<b><i>Not wearing a seatbelt when driving a car / riding in a car</i></b>															
Very upset	39%	30%	46%	34%	39%	44%	40%	38%	33%	44%	36%	37%	51%	32%	40%
Moderately upset	30%	36%	25%	30%	24%	34%	32%	24%	32%	30%	28%	35%	31%	29%	27%
Not too upset	17%	19%	15%	16%	20%	14%	12%	21%	24%	14%	18%	16%	10%	24%	16%
Not upset at all	11%	13%	9%	14%	12%	7%	13%	13%	9%	9%	13%	5%	5%	13%	13%
Not sure	4%	2%	5%	6%	4%	2%	3%	5%	2%	3%	5%	7%	3%	2%	4%
<b><i>Using a hand-held cell phone when driving</i></b>															
Very upset	52%	52%	52%	36%	52%	67%	51%	50%	54%	57%	46%	54%	57%	53%	53%
Moderately upset	29%	31%	27%	33%	29%	26%	34%	34%	31%	26%	28%	27%	30%	31%	29%
Not too upset	10%	10%	10%	13%	12%	5%	7%	8%	14%	9%	11%	12%	5%	9%	9%
Not upset at all	6%	4%	7%	11%	4%	1%	4%	1%	2%	5%	11%	2%	5%	5%	6%
Not sure	3%	2%	5%	6%	4%	1%	3%	6%	0%	3%	4%	6%	3%	2%	3%
<b><i>Not picking up dog waste</i></b>															
Very upset	57%	58%	56%	41%	58%	73%	54%	62%	62%	62%	51%	52%	64%	61%	51%
Moderately upset	27%	28%	27%	34%	27%	22%	34%	23%	30%	22%	30%	30%	26%	26%	33%
Not too upset	9%	9%	9%	14%	9%	4%	4%	10%	7%	10%	10%	10%	6%	7%	8%
Not upset at all	3%	3%	2%	4%	3%	1%	5%	1%	0%	1%	4%	2%	1%	3%	5%
Not sure	4%	2%	6%	7%	5%	1%	3%	5%	1%	4%	5%	6%	3%	3%	2%
<b><i>Littering</i></b>															
Very upset	49%	48%	49%	37%	47%	61%	52%	47%	48%	54%	38%	61%	55%	54%	48%
Moderately upset	30%	36%	26%	28%	31%	32%	33%	40%	29%	27%	29%	27%	29%	33%	32%
Not too upset	11%	10%	12%	17%	13%	4%	7%	7%	20%	13%	12%	5%	8%	8%	10%
Not upset at all	3%	3%	4%	5%	3%	1%	5%	1%	1%	3%	5%	1%	3%	3%	6%
Not sure	7%	4%	9%	13%	6%	2%	3%	5%	1%	3%	16%	6%	5%	2%	5%
<b><i>Throwing cigarette butts on the ground</i></b>															
Very upset	48%	47%	49%	40%	46%	58%	56%	42%	49%	49%	44%	51%	54%	55%	45%
Moderately upset	30%	32%	28%	31%	30%	29%	27%	35%	33%	28%	30%	30%	31%	26%	30%
Not too upset	12%	13%	11%	11%	15%	9%	10%	14%	12%	12%	12%	9%	8%	14%	9%
Not upset at all	6%	6%	6%	11%	5%	2%	4%	5%	4%	7%	8%	4%	3%	3%	14%
Not sure	5%	2%	7%	8%	4%	1%	3%	5%	2%	4%	6%	6%	3%	2%	2%
<b><i>Downloading or streaming copyrighted material for free</i></b>															
Very upset	13%	11%	14%	9%	14%	15%	10%	16%	7%	17%	9%	14%	17%	12%	16%
Moderately upset	20%	21%	20%	11%	21%	28%	30%	22%	25%	16%	18%	20%	24%	25%	17%
Not too upset	32%	35%	30%	34%	28%	34%	29%	32%	27%	34%	34%	28%	35%	34%	32%
Not upset at all	26%	28%	24%	34%	30%	14%	20%	20%	31%	26%	29%	29%	16%	26%	27%
Not sure	9%	6%	12%	12%	7%	8%	10%	11%	9%	7%	11%	9%	9%	3%	8%