

Do you think the possible amalgamation of cities, towns and townships in the Niagara Region should be put to a special vote during the municipal elections already scheduled for this October?



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		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	East (Niagara Falls, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Fort Erie)	Centre (St. Catharines, Thorold, Welland, Port Colborne)	West (Lincoln, Pelham, Wainfleet, Grimsby, West Lincoln)
Yes	66%	67%	66%	63%	61%	76%	69%	65%	68%
No	14%	19%	9%	14%	20%	7%	13%	15%	13%
Not sure	20%	14%	25%	23%	19%	17%	18%	21%	19%

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The Niagara Regional Council has passed a motion to slow down the process for possible amalgamation of cities, towns and townships here.

Premier Doug Ford could refuse to respect this motion, and his provincial government has a history of interfering in the matters of other municipalities and school boards.

Which option do you prefer?



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<p>Premier Doug Ford and his provincial government should back off from meddling in Niagara's local democracy though his hand-picked Regional Chair, Bob Gale. Instead, Ford should let the people of Niagara have their say on possible amalgamation based on who they elect as mayors and councillors in October.</p>	62%	58%	66%	60%	61%	65%	59%	63%	60%
<p>Premier Doug Ford and his provincial government should continue pushing for amalgamation through Regional Chair, Bob Gale, who they appointed. This is a decision for the provincial government and current mayors of Niagara's 12 municipalities to make.</p>	19%	28%	10%	22%	21%	12%	20%	18%	18%
<p>Not sure</p>	19%	14%	24%	18%	18%	23%	21%	19%	22%