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Question	Answer	Total	18 to 34	RGV	El Paso
<i>Sample Size (weighted)</i>	<i>Modeled Margin of Error: 3.4%</i>	<i>1031</i>	<i>354</i>	<i>621</i>	<i>410</i>
Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?	Strongly approve	18	10	21	14
	Somewhat approve	16	14	15	17
	Somewhat disapprove	8	10	9	8
	Strongly disapprove	52	58	49	57
	Not sure	6	8	7	5
	Total Approve	34	24	36	30
	Total Disapprove	60	68	57	65
	Net Approve	-26	-44	-21	-35
In your view, does immigration enforcement presence from Border Patrol, ICE, and cooperation from local and state police with immigration authorities:	Make your community safer	34	26	36	32
	Make daily life harder without making us safer	53	58	52	54
	Not sure	13	16	12	14
Do you think the tactics used by Immigration and Customs Enforcement have gone too far, have not gone far enough, or have been about right?	Gone too far	63	67	62	65
	About right	21	19	23	19
	Not gone far enough	10	7	10	10
	Not sure	5	7	5	6
In your community in the past 12 months, how often have you seen Border Patrol, ICE, DPS state troopers, or other immigration agents?	Daily	39	40	44	33
	A few times a week	25	21	24	27
	A few times a month	16	20	13	20
	Rarely	10	8	10	11
	Never	4	4	4	3

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	Only secondhand on social media/the news	5	6	5	6
In the past 12 months, have you seen or heard about local or state police, such as county sheriff's deputies, city police, or DPS state troopers, detaining someone and turning them over to ICE or CBP?	Yes, seen it personally	13	19	15	10
	Yes, heard about it happening in my community	43	44	45	41
	Yes, both	9	8	9	9
	No, neither witnessed it personally nor heard about it happening in my community	27	18	25	29
	Not sure	9	11	7	11
What should be the top priorities of state and local police in your community?	Preventing and solving violent crime	64	67	63	65
	Immigration enforcement	2	1	3	2
	Both equally	31	26	33	29
	Not sure	3	6	2	5
Have you or has someone you know personally been stopped, questioned, or asked about immigration status by Border Patrol, ICE, or state/local police? Check all that apply, even if the person who was stopped and questioned is a U.S. citizen.	No	59	52	58	61
	Yes, a friend or acquaintance	31	36	31	29
	Yes, a family member	10	14	9	11
	Yes, me	9	7	8	10
Does concern about immigration enforcement — including Border Patrol, ICE, or local/state police cooperation with them — make you less likely to do any of these things, or does it not make a difference to you?					
Attending work	Much less likely	6	10	7	6
	Somewhat less likely	8	13	8	7
	No, no change	86	77	85	87

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Grocery shopping	Much less likely	8	12	10	6
	Somewhat less likely	12	18	11	15
	No, no change	80	70	80	79
Running errands	Much less likely	9	12	10	7
	Somewhat less likely	13	20	13	14
	No, no change	78	67	78	78
Taking public transportation	Much less likely	11	14	12	9
	Somewhat less likely	13	20	11	15
	No, no change	76	66	77	76
Moving, or accessing housing support	Much less likely	9	12	10	7
	Somewhat less likely	10	13	8	11
	No, no change	82	76	82	82
Seeking legal services	Much less likely	10	18	10	10
	Somewhat less likely	10	16	9	11
	No, no change	80	67	81	79
Getting medical care at a doctor's office, clinic, or hospital	Much less likely	9	11	10	8
	Somewhat less likely	9	15	9	9
	No, no change	82	74	81	83
Reporting a crime to police	Much less likely	12	17	12	11
	Somewhat less likely	13	18	13	14
	No, no change	75	66	75	75

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Driving on certain roads	Much less likely	13	20	15	10
	Somewhat less likely	15	15	15	17
	No, no change	72	65	71	73
Attending school events, or sending your children to school	Much less likely	9	12	9	9
	Somewhat less likely	10	14	9	10
	No, no change	81	74	81	81
Attending community events such as religious services, clubs, sports events, etc	Much less likely	11	15	12	9
	Somewhat less likely	13	18	11	16
	No, no change	76	67	77	74
Have recent enforcement actions affected your family or household in any of the following ways? Please check all that apply. If none of these have affected your family or household, please select "none of these."	None of these	64	53	66	61
	Increased stress or anxiety for myself, a friend, and/or family member	28	37	27	29
	Increased fear of being involved in an immigration enforcement operation	21	28	19	24
	Increased fear of family separation	16	26	17	15
	Seen or been impacted by immigration enforcement activities in my neighborhood	12	17	12	12
	Made it harder to travel for work	7	11	7	6
	Made it harder to get food or grocery shop	7	11	7	6

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	Made it harder to go to church or other place of worship	7	10	6	7
	Made it harder to attend medical appointments	7	11	6	8
	Made it harder to go to school, or caused children to miss school days	5	8	5	4
Are you:	A man	48	51	45	53
	A woman	51	48	54	47
	Non-binary	0	1	0	0
	Other	0	1	0	0
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	35 to 49	26	0	25	27
	50 to 64	21	0	20	22
	65+	19	0	21	16
What is your race?	Hispanic or Latino/a	86	90	90	81
	White / Caucasian	11	7	9	16
	Black or African American	2	3	1	3
	Asian / Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0
	American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0
	Other	0	0	0	0
What is the highest level of education you have completed?	High school diploma or less	21	27	23	18
	Some college, but no degree	34	36	33	36

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	Associate's degree, or two-year college degree	18	16	18	19
	Bachelor's degree, or four-year college degree	15	16	15	17
	Graduate degree	11	5	11	10
Party Identification	Strong Democrats	24	20	22	27
	Weak Democrats	12	15	11	14
	Independent lean Democrats	7	7	7	6
	Pure Independents	21	32	22	21
	Independent lean Republicans	6	5	6	6
	Weak Republicans	8	8	8	8
	Strong Republicans	22	15	25	18
	Democrats	43	41	40	47
	Pure Independents	21	32	22	21
	Republicans	36	27	38	32
Are you registered to vote in Texas?	Yes	87	81	87	87
	No	8	9	7	8
	Not sure	6	9	6	5
How did you vote in the 2024 election for President, or for some reason were you unable to vote?	Kamala Harris, the Democrat	36	24	32	42
	Donald Trump, the Republican	33	22	36	28
	A third party candidate	1	2	1	2
	Not registered/Too young/Ineligible	3	7	4	2
	Did not vote	27	45	27	25