

BBC SUNDAY POLITICS – GREEN COUNCILLORS

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Sunday Politics Councillors Survey

Q1_SUM. For each of the following scenarios, do you think they would make Britain better off as a country, worse off, or have no impact? - SUMMARY TABLE

Base: All respondents

	The UK economy shrank	The UK economy grew	More people from the EU came to live and work in the UK	More NHS services were privatised	Trident, the UK's nuclear weapon was not renewed	A ban on wearing the Burka in public places
Total	56 100%	56 100%	56 100%	56 100%	56 100%	56 100%
Better off	6 11%	14 25%	18 32%	2 4%	54 96%	2 4%
Worse off	22 39%	12 21%	5 9%	52 93%	1 2%	42 75%
No impact	24 43%	26 46%	31 55%	1 2%	1 2%	11 20%
No response	4 7%	4 7%	2 4%	1 2%	- -	1 2%

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Q1_1 For each of the following scenarios, do you think they would make Britain better off as a country, worse off, or have no impact? - The UK economy shrank

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Better off	6 11%
Worse off	22 39%
No impact	24 43%
No response	4 7%

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Q1_2 For each of the following scenarios, do you think they would make Britain better off as a country, worse off, or have no impact? - The UK economy grew

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Better off	14 25%
Worse off	12 21%
No impact	26 46%
No response	4 7%

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Q1_3 For each of the following scenarios, do you think they would make Britain better off as a country, worse off, or have no impact? - More people from the EU came to live and work in the UK

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Better off	18 32%
Worse off	5 9%
No impact	31 55%
No response	2 4%

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Q1_4 For each of the following scenarios, do you think they would make Britain better off as a country, worse off, or have no impact? - More NHS services were privatised

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Better off	2 4%
Worse off	52 93%
No impact	1 2%
No response	1 2%

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Q1_5 For each of the following scenarios, do you think they would make Britain better off as a country, worse off, or have no impact? - Trident, the UK's nuclear weapon was not renewed

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Better off	54 96%
Worse off	1 2%
No impact	1 2%

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Q1_6 For each of the following scenarios, do you think they would make Britain better off as a country, worse off, or have no impact? - A ban on wearing the Burka in public places

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Better off	2 4%
Worse off	42 75%
No impact	11 20%
No response	1 2%

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Q2 In the event of a hung parliament, which, if any, of the following outcomes would you prefer?

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
My party to join a Conservative led coalition government	- -
My party to join a Labour led coalition government	5 9%
My party to support Labour in a confidence and supply agreement	40 71%
My party to support the Conservatives in a confident and supply agreement	- -
I would rather see my party out of power than join in coalition or support any other party	10 18%
No response	1 2%

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Q3 If the leader of your party could not become Prime Minister, would you prefer to have Ed Miliband or David Cameron as Prime Minister following the May General Election?

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Ed Miliband	47 84%
David Cameron	2 4%
No response	7 13%

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Q4 The current top level of income tax is 45% on those earning over £150,000 a year. What do you think should be the top level of income tax?

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Less than 40%	- -
40%	- -
45%	2 4%
50%	23 41%
Over 50%	31 55%
Don't know	- -

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Q5_SUM. To what extent, if at all, do you support or oppose each of the following. - SUMMARY TABLE

Base: All respondents

	Banning cars from city centres	Serving vegetarian only lunches to all school children	Not giving a custodial sentence for those found guilty of manslaughter
Total	56 100%	56 100%	56 100%
Strongly support	21 38%	9 16%	- -
Tend to support	30 54%	17 30%	8 14%
Tend to oppose	5 9%	19 34%	19 34%
Strongly oppose	- -	6 11%	16 29%
Don't know	- -	4 7%	12 21%
No response	- -	1 2%	1 2%
NETS			
Net: Support	51 91%	26 46%	8 14%
Net: Oppose	5 9%	25 45%	35 63%

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Q5 To what extent, if at all, do you support or oppose each of the following. - Banning cars from city centres

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Strongly support	21 38%
Tend to support	30 54%
Tend to oppose	5 9%
Strongly oppose	- -
Don't know	- -
NETS	
Net: Support	51 91%
Net: Oppose	5 9%

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Q5 To what extent, if at all, do you support or oppose each of the following. - Serving vegetarian only lunches to all school children

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Strongly support	9 16%
Tend to support	17 30%
Tend to oppose	19 34%
Strongly oppose	6 11%
Don't know	4 7%
No response	1 2%
NETS	
Net: Support	26 46%
Net: Oppose	25 45%

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Q5 To what extent, if at all, do you support or oppose each of the following. - Not giving a custodial sentence for those found guilty of manslaughter

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
Strongly support	- -
Tend to support	8 14%
Tend to oppose	19 34%
Strongly oppose	16 29%
Don't know	12 21%
No response	1 2%
NETS	
Net: Support	8 14%
Net: Oppose	35 63%

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Q6 Which of the following statements about the UK's armed forces (eg. army, navy, air force) comes closest to your own view?

Base: All respondents

	Total
Total	56 100%
The UK should have no standing armed forces	- -
The UK should only have very limited armed forces capability	47 84%
The UK should have a large standing armed forces capability	4 7%
Don't know	4 7%
No response	1 2%