



STAT SHEET – 200901 NATIONAL OMNIBUS – MPMLF

| | | Have you heard or not heard that the government of Canada is rolling back the promised 2009 annual pay increase for members of the RCMP from 3.5 to 1.5 percent? | | |
|--------------|---------------|--|------------|----------------|
| | | Total | Have heard | Have not heard |
| | | Responses | Percentage | Percentage |
| Region | Canada 200901 | 1003 | 14.5 | 85.5 |
| | Atlantic | 99 | 11.2 | 88.8 |
| | Quebec | 248 | 7.6 | 92.4 |
| | Ontario | 306 | 18.2 | 81.8 |
| | West | 349 | 17.3 | 82.7 |
| Gender | Male | 502 | 16.8 | 83.2 |
| | Female | 501 | 12.3 | 87.7 |
| Age | 18 to 29 | 196 | 11.9 | 88.1 |
| | 30 to 39 | 192 | 16.6 | 83.4 |
| | 40 to 49 | 216 | 12.4 | 87.6 |
| | 50 to 59 | 172 | 15.0 | 85.0 |
| | 60 plus | 226 | 16.7 | 83.3 |
| Vote profile | Liberal | 305 | 15.4 | 84.6 |
| | Conservative | 298 | 15.3 | 84.7 |
| | NDP | 168 | 14.1 | 85.9 |
| | Bloc | 65 | 10.1 | 89.9 |
| | Green | 66 | 10.7 | 89.3 |
| | Undecided | 100 | 16.0 | 84.0 |

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| | | Do you support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or oppose rolling back the promised 2009 annual pay increase for members of the RCMP from 3.5 to 1.5 percent? | | | | | |
|--------------|---------------|---|------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|------------|
| | | Total | Support | Somewhat support | Somewhat oppose | Oppose | Unsure |
| | | Responses | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage |
| Region | Canada 200901 | 1003 | 28.8 | 13.7 | 11.4 | 34.4 | 11.7 |
| | Atlantic | 99 | 24.6 | 15.7 | 7.2 | 40.0 | 12.5 |
| | Quebec | 248 | 34.1 | 13.4 | 11.2 | 29.1 | 12.2 |
| | Ontario | 306 | 30.8 | 14.1 | 11.8 | 27.4 | 15.9 |
| | West | 349 | 24.4 | 13.0 | 12.3 | 42.8 | 7.5 |
| Gender | Male | 502 | 28.0 | 14.4 | 13.0 | 33.5 | 11.1 |
| | Female | 501 | 29.6 | 13.0 | 9.7 | 35.3 | 12.4 |
| Age | 18 to 29 | 196 | 31.8 | 15.9 | 10.6 | 29.8 | 11.9 |
| | 30 to 39 | 192 | 30.1 | 14.7 | 9.8 | 32.5 | 12.9 |
| | 40 to 49 | 216 | 27.5 | 10.4 | 14.5 | 37.8 | 9.8 |
| | 50 to 59 | 172 | 25.2 | 13.3 | 12.8 | 35.0 | 13.7 |
| | 60 plus | 226 | 29.0 | 14.5 | 9.3 | 36.4 | 10.8 |
| Vote profile | Liberal | 305 | 29.8 | 14.4 | 11.1 | 33.3 | 11.4 |
| | Conservative | 298 | 29.4 | 14.8 | 10.7 | 36.1 | 9.0 |
| | NDP | 168 | 25.5 | 10.5 | 15.1 | 39.6 | 9.3 |
| | Bloc | 65 | 33.1 | 15.6 | 13.0 | 26.1 | 12.3 |
| | Green | 66 | 25.9 | 17.6 | 7.6 | 32.2 | 16.6 |
| | Undecided | 100 | 28.4 | 9.8 | 9.7 | 30.8 | 21.3 |

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Do you think the roll-back of the promised annual pay increase for members of the RCMP will have a positive, somewhat positive, neutral, somewhat negative or negative impact on the ability of the RCMP to recruit new police officers?

| | | Total | Positive | Somewhat positive | Neutral | Somewhat negative | Negative | Unsure |
|--------------|---------------|-----------|------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|
| | | Responses | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage |
| Region | Canada 200901 | 1003 | 6.7 | 9.5 | 34.5 | 17.3 | 25.4 | 6.7 |
| | Atlantic | 99 | 10.3 | 11.2 | 30.5 | 18.9 | 24.1 | 4.9 |
| | Quebec | 248 | 9.7 | 6.7 | 55.5 | 8.8 | 14.7 | 4.6 |
| | Ontario | 306 | 4.3 | 13.9 | 33.7 | 16.1 | 20.9 | 11.1 |
| | West | 349 | 5.5 | 7.2 | 21.4 | 23.9 | 37.4 | 4.7 |
| Gender | Male | 502 | 7.8 | 10.2 | 36.9 | 17.7 | 21.8 | 5.5 |
| | Female | 501 | 5.5 | 8.9 | 32.0 | 16.8 | 29.0 | 7.8 |
| Age | 18 to 29 | 196 | 7.3 | 10.6 | 36.4 | 19.2 | 21.9 | 4.6 |
| | 30 to 39 | 192 | 4.3 | 11.7 | 37.4 | 17.8 | 24.5 | 4.3 |
| | 40 to 49 | 216 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 33.2 | 14.0 | 28.5 | 9.8 |
| | 50 to 59 | 172 | 5.3 | 7.1 | 35.4 | 24.8 | 19.9 | 7.5 |
| | 60 plus | 226 | 8.6 | 10.8 | 30.9 | 12.6 | 30.5 | 6.7 |
| Vote profile | Liberal | 305 | 7.8 | 11.3 | 35.2 | 16.5 | 21.9 | 7.3 |
| | Conservative | 298 | 5.9 | 9.1 | 33.0 | 17.1 | 28.9 | 6.0 |
| | NDP | 168 | 6.1 | 7.6 | 31.5 | 20.9 | 29.0 | 4.9 |
| | Bloc | 65 | 8.5 | 4.4 | 60.6 | 7.5 | 16.0 | 3.0 |
| | Green | 66 | 5.7 | 11.5 | 30.2 | 16.3 | 31.7 | 4.6 |
| | Undecided | 100 | 5.8 | 10.5 | 27.5 | 21.3 | 21.8 | 13.1 |

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| | | Total | Positive | Somewhat positive | Neutral | Somewhat negative | Negative | Unsure |
|--------------|---------------|-----------|------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|
| | | Responses | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage |
| Region | Canada 200901 | 1003 | 9.6 | 6.7 | 39.8 | 16.5 | 21.0 | 6.4 |
| | Atlantic | 99 | 13.0 | 6.3 | 37.2 | 18.5 | 20.9 | 4.1 |
| | Quebec | 248 | 9.3 | 6.6 | 54.5 | 8.8 | 15.7 | 5.1 |
| | Ontario | 306 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 38.5 | 16.6 | 17.1 | 9.6 |
| | West | 349 | 9.2 | 4.6 | 31.2 | 21.4 | 28.3 | 5.3 |
| Gender | Male | 502 | 10.3 | 7.4 | 40.7 | 15.3 | 21.8 | 4.7 |
| | Female | 501 | 8.8 | 5.9 | 38.9 | 17.8 | 20.3 | 8.2 |
| Age | 18 to 29 | 196 | 9.3 | 5.3 | 44.4 | 15.9 | 20.5 | 4.6 |
| | 30 to 39 | 192 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 48.5 | 14.7 | 19.6 | 3.7 |
| | 40 to 49 | 216 | 9.8 | 5.2 | 34.7 | 22.3 | 19.7 | 8.3 |
| | 50 to 59 | 172 | 6.6 | 8.0 | 41.6 | 18.6 | 17.7 | 7.5 |
| | 60 plus | 226 | 14.1 | 8.2 | 32.0 | 11.5 | 26.4 | 7.8 |
| Vote profile | Liberal | 305 | 12.6 | 7.7 | 34.2 | 15.8 | 21.9 | 7.8 |
| | Conservative | 298 | 8.1 | 6.4 | 38.9 | 19.4 | 20.7 | 6.5 |
| | NDP | 168 | 7.7 | 4.8 | 45.9 | 18.8 | 19.3 | 3.5 |
| | Bloc | 65 | 8.1 | 5.6 | 54.4 | 5.6 | 22.2 | 4.2 |
| | Green | 66 | 12.9 | 10.2 | 37.5 | 16.6 | 19.9 | 2.9 |
| | Undecided | 100 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 41.3 | 13.3 | 22.1 | 11.0 |

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| | | Do you think the roll-back of the promised annual pay increase for members of the RCMP will have a positive, somewhat positive, neutral, somewhat negative or negative impact on public safety? | | | | | | |
|--------------|---------------|---|------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|
| | | Total | Positive | Somewhat positive | Neutral | Somewhat negative | Negative | Unsure |
| | | Responses | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage |
| Region | Canada 200901 | 1003 | 8.7 | 8.7 | 46.3 | 13.1 | 16.1 | 7.1 |
| | Atlantic | 99 | 10.6 | 8.7 | 42.6 | 18.3 | 15.9 | 4.0 |
| | Quebec | 248 | 11.0 | 6.9 | 58.2 | 9.2 | 11.3 | 3.4 |
| | Ontario | 306 | 8.5 | 12.4 | 40.9 | 13.2 | 11.4 | 13.5 |
| | West | 349 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 43.6 | 14.3 | 23.7 | 5.0 |
| Gender | Male | 502 | 9.0 | 8.7 | 50.8 | 12.4 | 14.1 | 4.9 |
| | Female | 501 | 8.3 | 8.7 | 41.8 | 13.8 | 18.1 | 9.3 |
| Age | 18 to 29 | 196 | 9.9 | 11.9 | 45.0 | 12.6 | 14.6 | 6.0 |
| | 30 to 39 | 192 | 4.9 | 8.6 | 50.3 | 14.1 | 14.7 | 7.4 |
| | 40 to 49 | 216 | 8.8 | 7.8 | 46.1 | 11.9 | 17.1 | 8.3 |
| | 50 to 59 | 172 | 8.4 | 6.2 | 54.0 | 13.7 | 11.1 | 6.6 |
| | 60 plus | 226 | 10.8 | 8.9 | 38.3 | 13.4 | 21.6 | 7.1 |
| Vote profile | Liberal | 305 | 11.8 | 9.3 | 42.9 | 13.1 | 14.6 | 8.3 |
| | Conservative | 298 | 5.9 | 7.3 | 48.1 | 13.6 | 19.7 | 5.3 |
| | NDP | 168 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 45.8 | 15.7 | 16.6 | 5.7 |
| | Bloc | 65 | 13.3 | 8.3 | 59.2 | 8.6 | 7.5 | 3.0 |
| | Green | 66 | 6.6 | 15.8 | 42.9 | 17.1 | 11.0 | 6.7 |
| | Undecided | 100 | 6.7 | 7.8 | 45.8 | 7.5 | 18.1 | 14.0 |

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Which of the following three options would you prefer? [rotate options]

| Total | Roll-back the 2009 promised RCMP annual pay increase from 3.5% to 1.5% | Keep the promised annual pay increase of 2% | Increase the RCMP annual pay from 2% to 2.5% | Unsure |
|-------|--|---|--|--------|
|-------|--|---|--|--------|

| | | Responses | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage | Percentage |
|--------------|---------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Region | Canada 200901 | 1003 | 24.6 | 47.5 | 18.0 | 9.9 |
| | Atlantic | 99 | 18.8 | 53.9 | 17.1 | 10.1 |
| | Quebec | 248 | 32.5 | 46.7 | 12.7 | 8.1 |
| | Ontario | 306 | 26.9 | 41.8 | 17.3 | 14.1 |
| | West | 349 | 18.7 | 51.3 | 22.6 | 7.5 |
| Gender | Male | 502 | 25.2 | 48.3 | 16.6 | 9.9 |
| | Female | 501 | 24.1 | 46.7 | 19.4 | 9.9 |
| Age | 18 to 29 | 196 | 25.8 | 42.4 | 21.9 | 9.9 |
| | 30 to 39 | 192 | 26.4 | 47.9 | 16.6 | 9.2 |
| | 40 to 49 | 216 | 24.4 | 52.3 | 15.0 | 8.3 |
| | 50 to 59 | 172 | 26.5 | 42.9 | 19.9 | 10.6 |
| | 60 plus | 226 | 20.8 | 50.6 | 17.1 | 11.5 |
| Vote profile | Liberal | 305 | 25.9 | 48.9 | 15.3 | 9.9 |
| | Conservative | 298 | 23.3 | 46.3 | 21.0 | 9.5 |
| | NDP | 168 | 20.6 | 50.6 | 22.2 | 6.6 |
| | Bloc | 65 | 34.0 | 44.2 | 11.5 | 10.2 |
| | Green | 66 | 18.8 | 57.7 | 15.2 | 8.4 |
| | Undecided | 100 | 29.1 | 37.3 | 15.9 | 17.6 |

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