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Alejandra Bravo Dominates Polls in Ward 9

Alejandra Bravo maintains majority lead in Davenport

Toronto, October 18th – In a random sampling of public opinion taken by The Forum Poll[™] among 226 decided and leaning Ward 9 voters, 62% support Alejandra Bravo. Grant Gonzales trails behind with 16% of support.

"Alejandra Bravo has continuously led the polls throughout this election," says Dr. Lorne Bozinoff, President of Forum Research. "It's highly unlikely we'll see anything but a Bravo win on the 24th."

On the other hand, Tory is only slightly ahead with 35% of support in Ward 9. Penalosa is catching up, holding 27% of support. 31% of voters are undecided.

The poll was conducted by Forum Research with the results based on an interactive voice response telephone survey of xxx randomly selected eligible voters across Davenport. The poll was conducted on October 17th, 2022. Results based on the total sample are considered accurate +/- x%, 19 times out of 20. Subsample and regional results will be less accurate. Margins of error for subsample and regional results are available at www.forumresearch.com/samplestim.asp.

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Councillor in Ward 9

'Who will you vote for as councillor in Ward 9 in this municipal election on October 24th?'

[Decided / Leaning]

	Gender						Age					
	Total	Male	Female	Non- binary	<25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+		
Sample	174	75	95	4	4	1	13	39	45	72		
Alejandra	62%	49%	74%	50%	50%	100%	41%	74%	60%	55%		
Bravo												
Grant	16%	20%	12%	25%	50%	0%	9%	15%	14%	24%		
Gonzales												
Shaker	5%	8%	2%	0%	0%	0%	7%	0%	17%	2%		
Jamal												
Steven Leca	9%	11%	6%	25%	0%	0%	30%	3%	2%	4%		
Allie	7%	11%	3%	0%	0%	0%	14%	8%	3%	7%		
Spencer												
Other	2%	2%	3%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	5%	9%		

Hot Issues

'What is the most important issue to you this upcoming election?'

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[All Voters]

	Gender						Age					
	Total	Male	Female	Non- binary	<25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+		
Sample	226	90	130	6	6	2	16	51	54	97		
Crime and gun violence	20%	9%	30%	17%	0%	52%	26%	8%	7%	18%		
Traffic, congestion and transit	19%	34%	6%	0%	12%	48%	11%	12%	18%	11%		
Housing affordability	16%	16%	13%	67%	12%	0%	18%	24%	19%	22%		
Climate action at a municipal level	14%	8%	21%	0%	60%	0%	7%	15%	9%	7%		
The cost of living and inflation	13%	12%	14%	0%	0%	0%	26%	18%	15%	12%		
City infrastructure, services and taxes	10%	15%	6%	17%	4%	0%	5%	18%	18%	18%		
Inclusion issues such as anti- racism, LGBTQ and disability issues	3%	3%	4%	0%	12%	0%	7%	0%	1%	3%		
COVID-19 and pandemic recovery	2%	2%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	3%	7%		
Pedestrian and cyclist safety	2%	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4%	6%	0%		
Another issue	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	6%	4%		



Municipal Election Interest

'How likely are you to vote in the municipal election in October?'

[All Voters]

		Gender						Age				
	Total	Male	Female	Non- binary	<25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+		
Sample	226	90	130	6	6	2	16	51	54	97		
Absolutely certain, barring an unforeseen emergency	53%	59%	46%	83%	52%	0%	49%	70%	77%	75%		
Extremely likely	18%	25%	13%	0%	0%	48%	27%	16%	0%	5%		
Very likely	13%	7%	19%	0%	0%	0%	5%	4%	8%	3%		
Somewhat likely	3%	2%	4%	0%	0%	0%	0%	4%	10%	3%		
Not very likely	3%	4%	3%	0%	0%	0%	13%	2%	0%	1%		
Not at all likely	7%	1%	12%	0%	48%	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%		
Don't know	4%	4%	4%	17%	0%	0%	5%	2%	4%	12%		



Mayoral Election

'Who will you vote for in the mayoral election on Oct 24th?'

[All Voters]

		Gender					Age			
%	Total	Male	Female	Non- Binary	<25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Sample	226	90	130	6	6	2	16	51	54	97
John Tory	35%	37%	34%	17%	24%	0%	64%	32%	35%	46%
Gil Penalosa	27%	23%	32%	17%	24%	52%	5%	29%	32%	24%
Chloe-Marie	3%	5%	2%	0%	0%	0%	5%	4%	7%	2%
Brown										
Blake Acton	1%	3%	1%	0%	0%	0%	5%	0%	0%	2%
Other	2%	2%	2%	17%	0%	0%	0%	4%	3%	7%
Don't know	31%	31%	31%	50%	51%	48%	20%	31%	24%	20%