

2023 Nationwide Survey *Winning the Conservative Vote* 



Republicans over 65 and those who identify as very conservative support policies to strengthen American energy and climate leadership.

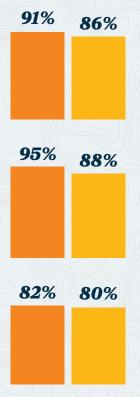
CRES Forum's 2023 polling finds that Republicans who are **over 65** or consider themselves **"very conservative"** are the **toughest audiences** when it comes to climate change policies, but nonetheless, they support **several key climate and energy issues**.

65+ REPUBLICANS

**"VERY CONSERVATIVE" REPUBLICANS** 



## **American Competitiveness**



Want to provide support for developing **resources and supply chains** in the U.S. and its allied countries.

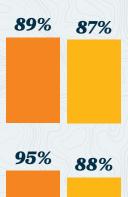
Support the development of **innovative technologies** like **clean steel**, to make U.S. manufacturing even **cleaner**, more **affordable**, and more **competitive**.

Support the research, development, and deployment of alternative technologies that do not rely on critical minerals currently sourced by China.

The CRES Forum survey was conducted March 8-9, 2023, by Moore Information Group. A total of 1,000 online interviews were conducted among a nationwide representative sample of self-identifying Republican and Independent voters. The potential sampling error is plus or minus 3% at the 95% confidence level.



## **Energy Production**



Believe we need an **"all of the above"** approach to energy production using sources like **nuclear** and **natural gas** as well as **renewable** energy sources such as **wind**, **solar**, **and hydro**.

Believe that **U.S. natural gas** is **cleaner** than that of competitors like **Russia**. Developing America's natural gas supplies is critical to our **national security** and better for the planet.

93% 91%

Support policies to **streamline** the development of American **minerals and resources** that are necessary for **clean energy production** in the U.S. and our allied countries.



## **Critical Minerals & Clean Energy Technologies**



Support streamlining **permitting** to make it easier to extract and process **critical minerals** in the U.S.

Want to advance the research, development, and deployment of clean **hydrogen technology** for American manufacturing to give America a **competitive edge**.

Support **nuclear power** as a reliable, **carbon-free** energy source and believe it should be part of our future energy needs.