Canadians more likely to be ok with the construction of bike lanes even if it causes a loss of traffic lanes for cars.

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Nanos Research was retained by CTV News to conduct research among Canadians on restricting the construction of bike lanes.

Nanos conducted an RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online random survey of 1,058 Canadians, 18 years of age or older, between September 29th to October 2nd, 2024 as part of an omnibus survey. Participants were randomly recruited by telephone using live agents and administered a survey online.

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About the Research

Support for restricting the construction of bike lanes

24%

17%

14%

40%

5%
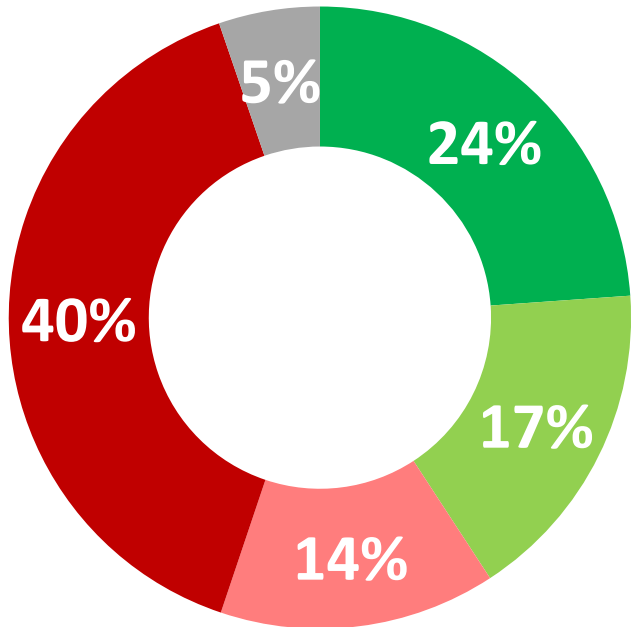
■ Support   ■ Somewhat support

■ Somewhat oppose ■ Oppose

■ Unsure

*Weighted to the true population proportion.
*Charts may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

1 in 2 Canadians

oppose or somewhat oppose restricting the construction of bike lines if they result in traffic lanes for cars being removed, while four in ten support or somewhat support this proposed restriction.

Q – Would you support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or oppose restricting the construction of bike lanes if their construction would result in traffic lanes for cars being removed in your neighbourhood?

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Support for restricting the construction of bike lanes – by demographics

Q – Would you support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose or oppose restricting the construction of bike lanes if their construction would result in traffic lanes for cars being removed in your neighbourhood?

Support/Somewhat support

Atlantic (n=111)	Quebec (n=229)	Ontario (n=351)	Prairies (n=211)	BC (n=156)
45.3%	**38.0%**	**41.6%**	**40.8%**	**41.1%**

Men (n=546)	Women (n=506)	18-34 (n=195)	35-54 (n=424)	55 plus (n=439)
39.9%	**41.3%**	**66.7%**	**42.2%**	**44.9%**

Oppose/Somewhat oppose

Atlantic (n=111)	Quebec (n=229)	Ontario (n=351)	Prairies (n=211)	BC (n=156)
49.6%	**56.7%**	**54.7%**	**53.9%**	**49.5%**

Men (n=546)	Women (n=506)	18-34 (n=195)	35-54 (n=424)	55 plus (n=439)
56.0%	**52.3%**	**33.3%**	**51.5%**	**50.5%**

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Individuals randomly called using random digit dialling with a maximum of five call backs.

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METHODOLOGY

Element	Description
Research sponsor	CTV News
Population and Final Sample Size	1058 Randomly selected individuals.
Source of Sample	Nanos Probability Panel
Type of Sample	Probability
Margin of Error	±3.0 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.
Mode of Survey	RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) hybrid telephone and online omnibus survey
Sampling Method Base	The sample included both land- and cell-lines RDD (Random Digit Dialed) across Canada.
Demographics (Captured)	Atlantic Canada, Quebec, Ontario, Prairies, British Columbia; Men and Women; 18 years and older.\nSix-digit postal code was used to validate geography.
Fieldwork/Validation	Individuals were recruited using live interviews with live supervision to validate work, the research questions were administered online
Number of Calls	Maximum of five call backs to those recruited.
Time of Calls	Individuals recruited were called between 12-5:30 pm and 6:30-9:30pm local time for the respondent.
Field Dates	September 29th to October 2nd, 2024.
Language of Survey	The survey was conducted in both English and French.
Standards	Nanos Research is a member of the Canadian Research Insights Council (CRIC) and confirms that this research fully complies with all CRIC Standards including the CRIC Public Opinion Research Standards and Disclosure Requirements.\nhttps://canadianresearchinsightscouncil.ca/standards/

Element	Description
Weighting of Data	The results were weighted by age and gender using the latest Census information (2021) and the sample is geographically stratified to ensure a distribution across all regions of Canada. See tables for full weighting disclosure
Screening	Screening ensured potential respondents did not work in the market research industry, in the advertising industry, in the media or a political party prior to administering the survey to ensure the integrity of the data.
Excluded Demographics	Individuals younger than 18 years old; individuals without land or cell lines, and individuals without internet access could not participate.
Stratification	By age and gender using the latest Census information (2021) and the sample is geographically stratified to be representative of Canada. Smaller areas such as Atlantic Canada were marginally oversampled to allow for a minimum regional sample.
Estimated Response Rate	12 percent, consistent with industry norms.
Question Order	Question order in the preceding report reflects the order in which they appeared in the original questionnaire.
Question Content	Topics on the omnibus ahead of the survey content included: views on political issues, and views on economic issues.
Question Wording	The questions in the preceding report are written exactly as they were asked to individuals.
Research/Data Collection Supplier	Nanos Research
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Data Tables	By region, age, and gender: [Click here]

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