



Ontarians most likely to say the Ford Government pays too much attention to voters in the GTHA.

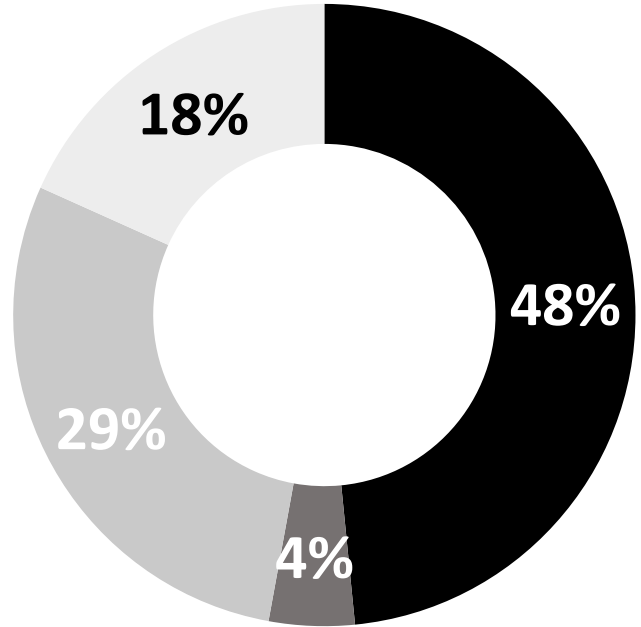
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“*Ontarians are more likely to say the Ford Government pays too much attention to voters in the GTHA. This is the view of 48 per cent of respondents. Of note, this view jumps to over six in ten people living in South West, Central, Eastern and Northern Ontario.*”

Nik Nanos, Chief Data Scientist

Views on the level of attention Ford Government pays to voters in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area

Question: Do you think the Ontario Ford Government pays too much attention to voters in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA), too much attention to voters outside the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA) or that it pays the right attention to both?



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- Too much attention to voters in the GTHA
- Too much attention to voters outside the GTHA
- Right attention to both
- Unsure

1 in 2 Ontarians

think that the Ontario Ford Government pays too much attention to voters in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA). Less than 1 in 20 think that the Ontario Ford Government pays too much attention to voters outside of the GTHA, while 29% think that the Ontario Ford Government pays the right attention to both.

Source: CTV/Nanos Research tracking survey Ontarians, February 4th to 6th, 2025, n=904, accurate 3.3 percentage points plus or minus, 19 times out of 20. [See full methodology here.](#)



Views on the level of attention Ford Government pays to the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area – by region

Q – Do you think the Ontario Ford Government pays too much attention to voters in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA), too much attention to voters outside the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA) or that it pays the right attention to both?

	Feb 6 th , 2025 Ontario (n=904)	Golden West (n=134)	SW/ Central (n=155)	North and East (n=241)	Toronto (n=206)	GTA (n=168)
Too much attention on voters in the GTHA	48.4%	42.6%	63.7%	64.7%	25.6%	41.5%
Too much attention on voters outside the GTHA	4.4%	1.4%	0.7%	2.1%	16.5%	2.9%
Right attention to both	28.8%	33.5%	21.5%	17.9%	38.0%	35.3%
Unsure	18.3%	22.5%	14.1%	15.3%	19.9%	20.4%

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Views on the level of attention Ford Government pays to the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area – by gender and age

Q – Do you think the Ontario Ford Government pays too much attention to voters in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA), too much attention to voters outside the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area (GTHA) or that it pays the right attention to both?

	Feb 6 th , 2025 Ontario (n=904)	Men (n=534)	Women (n=367)	18-34 (n=148)	35-54 (n=292)	55 plus (n=464)
Too much attention on voters in the GTHA	48.4%	48.3%	48.7%	49.7%	45.3%	50.0%
Too much attention on voters outside the GTHA	4.4%	4.0%	4.7%	2.9%	5.3%	4.9%
Right attention to both	28.8%	31.1%	26.7%	27.9%	30.3%	28.4%
Unsure	18.3%	16.6%	20.0%	19.5%	19.1%	16.8%

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METHODOLOGY

The CTV News/Nanos nightly provincial election tracking conducted by Nanos Research surveys 900 Ontarians aged 18 years and over three days (300 interviews each day). Respondents are all randomly recruited through a dual-frame (cell- and land-line) RDD sample using live agents. One half of the sample is administered the questionnaire by telephone and one half are administered the same questionnaire online. The random sample may be weighted by age and gender according to the latest Canadian census data. Throughout the election, the interviews are compiled into a three-night rolling average of 900 interviews, with the oldest group of 300 interviews being replaced by a new group of 300 each evening. The current data covers the three-night period ending February 6th, 2025.

A random survey of 904 Ontarians is accurate ± 3.3 percentage points, plus or minus, 19 times out of 20.

The full methodology is detailed in the [technical note](#) in this report. This research was conducted and released in accordance with the standards of the [CRIC](#) of which the firm is an accredited member.

Full data tables with weighted and unweighted number of interviews is [here](#).

Note: Charts may not add up to 100 due to rounding.



Element	Description	Element	Description
Research sponsor	CTV News	Weighting of Data	The results may be 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 Ontario. See tables for full weighting disclosure.
Population and Final Sample Size	904 Randomly selected individuals, three-day sample of 300 individuals each day compiled into a three day rolling average.	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.
Source of Sample	Nanos Insights Labs Probability Panel and RDD cell- land-lines.	Excluded Demographics	Individuals younger than 18 years old; individuals without land or cell line or internet could not participate.
Type of Sample	Probability	Stratification	By age and gender using the latest Census information (2021) and the sample is geographically stratified to be representative of Ontario.
Margin of Error	±3.3 percentage points, 19 times out of 20.	Estimated Response Rate	Ten percent, consistent with industry norms.
Mode of Survey	RDD dual frame (land- and cell-lines) random telephone survey (50%) and online deployed to Nanos Insights Labs Probability Panel (50%).	Question Order	Question order in the preceding report reflects the order in which they appeared in the original questionnaire. PROVINCIAL Ballot was released as Part 1.
Sampling Method Base	The sample included both land- and cell-lines RDD (Random Digit Dialed) across Ontario.	Question Content	Topics on the nightly tracking survey ahead of this report content included: views on provincial political preferences, top issue of concern, and views on calling an early election.
Demographics (Captured)	Men and Women; 18 years and older. Six-digit postal code was used to validate geography.	Question Wording	The questionnaire includes questions on which parties people would consider, then explores ballot and preferred premier preferences and closes with issue questions identified by CTV News and demographics.
Demographics (Other)	Age, gender, education, income	Research/Data Collection Supplier	Nanos Research
Fieldwork/Validation	Live interviews with live supervision to validate work.	Contact	Contact Nanos Research for more information or with any concerns or questions. http://www.nanos.co Telephone: (613) 234-4666 ext. 237 Email: info@nanosresearch.com .
Number of Calls	Maximum of five call backs for the telephone sample.	Tabulations	By region, age, gender and number of weighted and unweighted interviews
Time of Calls	Local time 5:00-9:00 pm, on weekends 12:00- 6:00 pm		
Field Dates	February 4 th to 6 th , 2025		
Language of Survey	The survey was conducted in English.		
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. https://canadianresearchinsightscouncil.ca/standards/		



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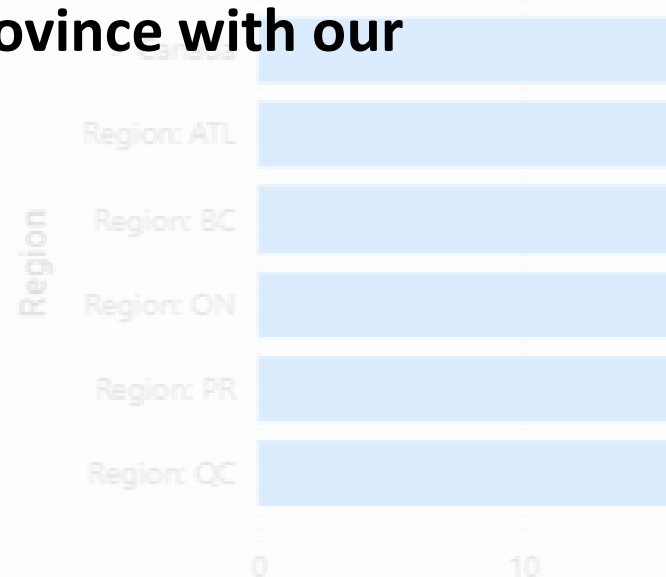
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