

## TEXAS VOTERS WANT REFORM.

## **Clear and Easily Accessible Rules**

- 94% favor: Requiring that all regulations be written in plain language so they are clear and easy to understand.
- 91% favor: Creating a user-friendly, one-stop state website for new and existing business owners
  where people can access all state regulations affecting their business.
- 90% favor: Requiring that before any new regulation is adopted, those who would have to live under the rule have a chance to give their input.

## **Objective and Transparent Reviews**

- 89% agree: All regulations in Texas should be reviewed on a regular basis through an objective and transparent process.
- 76% favor: Allowing a regulation to be repealed if a state agency fails to properly perform required cost-benefit and impact analyses.
- 75% favor: Adding an extra review for regulatory agencies halfway through each 12-year Sunset cycle so leaders can make sure the regulations are both necessary and effective and conform to all legal rulemaking requirements.

## **Modern and Efficient Process**

- 74% agree: To maintain a strong economy, Texas needs a modernized and more efficient way to continually review, update, re-adopt, and repeal regulations.
- 69% favor: Creating a new regulatory division to make state government run more efficiently and be more responsive to Texans.
- 69% favor: Adding third-party efficiency audits and performance measures for all Texas
   regulatory agencies so taxpayers can be sure they are getting the most out of their state government.

When asked if they would be more likely or less likely to vote for elected officials who supported the reforms they heard about in the survey, **67% of respondents said they'd be more likely.**Only 9% said they'd be less likely.

Poll conducted by Baselice and Associates | November 25—December 2, 2024 | 801 voters | Margin of error +/- 3.5%