67% of Rhode Islanders support our proposal to raise revenue for Rhode Island. (only 26.5% are opposed)

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67% of Rhode Islanders agree – it’s time to raise much-needed revenue for RI.

Fleming and Associates statewide poll of Rhode Island voters: (conducted in March 2020 using a representative sample of 350 RI voters)

Q: There is a proposal in the Rhode Island General Assembly that taxes be increased on people who earn over $475,000 a year, money that could be used to help balance the state budget, which has a $200 million dollar deficit, and fund programs. The income tax rate on income earned above $475,000 would be raised from 5.99% to 8.99%. This would raise $125 million a year for the state. Would you strongly favor, somewhat favor, somewhat oppose or strongly oppose this proposal?

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Highlights:

- 67% favor the proposal while only 27% oppose it and 7% are not sure.
- 45% strongly support it while 17% strongly oppose it.
- 70% percent of women favor it.
- 70% percent of voters under the age of 40 favor it.
- 70% of voters over the age of 60 favor it.
- 81% of Democrats favor it.
- 63% of Independent voters favor it.

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