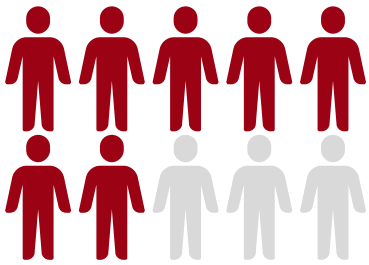
New national polling indicates majority of *Republicans* support the FREEDOM TO MARRY

American voters show robust, bipartisan support for same-sex marriage, the Obergefell v. Hodges ruling and the Respect for Marriage Act.



7 out of 10

72% of American voters agree that same-sex couples should have the right to marry one another.

10 Years of *Obergefell v. Hodges*

This June marks the ten-year anniversary of the Supreme Court's ***Obergefell v. Hodges*** ruling, which guaranteed the right to same-sex marriage nationwide. This follows the bipartisan passage of the **Respect for Marriage Act (RMA)** in 2022, which codified federal protections for same-sex couples.

A majority of *Republican* voters show **support for same-sex marriage** and **the Respect for Marriage Act**:

56%

agree that same-sex couples should have the right to marry one another.

63%

believe that a person that supports allowing same-sex marriage can be considered a Republican.

55%

approve of the Respect for Marriage Act.

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"In just a few years, same-sex marriage has transitioned from a divisive political issue to an accepted social norm. The data is clear: engaging in efforts to roll back recent gains is not a winning political issue. In fact, there is a clear pathway forward for Republicans to continue growing their coalition, finding common ground on religious liberty, and ensuring the law judges all citizens based solely on their individual merit, nothing more, nothing less."

- Alex Lundry, co-founder of Redbud Consulting.

Support for the freedom to marry is *strong*, *stable*, and *settled* in the minds of the American public:

77%

of voters believe **same-sex marriage should remain legal** after hearing pro-marriage equality messages.

68%

of voters agree with the ***Obergefell* decision, which legalized same-sex marriage.**

73%

of voters **support the Respect for Marriage Act.**

Other Key Findings:

- Voters Increasingly see same-sex marriage as **non-controversial.**
- **71% of Republicans** find that President Trump's stance that same-sex marriage is already a settled issue to be convincing for their own personal beliefs.

Scan the QR code to take a closer look at the poll methodology and findings.

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