

QUESTION: Constitutional Amendment U on the November ballot proposes limiting the ability to set statutory interest fees for loans.

Under this amendment, there is no limit on the amount of interest a lender may charge for a loan of money if the interest rate is agreed to in writing by the borrower. If there is no written agreement, however, a lender may not charge more than 18% interest per year. A law setting an interest rate for loans is not valid unless the law gives the lender and borrower the ability to agree to a different rate. If an interest rate for loans is established by law, it must apply to every lender.

If the election were held today, would you vote:

- "YES", to add provisions to the Constitution that limit the ability to set statutory interest rates for loans, or

- "NO", to leave the Constitution as it is?

	<u>"YES"</u>	<u>"NO"</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
STATE	24%	49%	27%
<u>REGION</u>	<u>"YES"</u>	<u>"NO"</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Sioux Falls	25%	54%	21%
East River	21%	48%	31%
West River	28%	46%	26%
<u>SEX</u>	<u>"YES"</u>	<u>"NO"</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Men	27%	47%	26%
Women	22%	50%	28%
<u>PARTY REGISTRATION</u>	<u>"YES"</u>	<u>"NO"</u>	<u>UNDECIDED</u>
Democrat	18%	63%	19%
Republican	26%	40%	34%
Independent	30%	49%	21%