



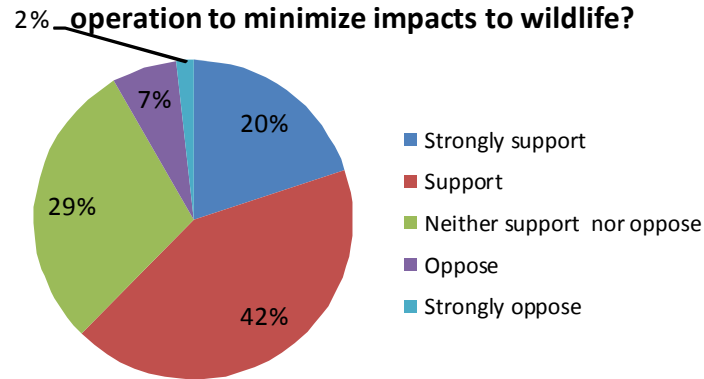
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## 2013 Wind Energy & Wildlife Survey Results

The Nebraska Wind Energy and Wildlife Project submitted five questions to the 2013 Nebraska Annual Social Indicators Survey (NASIS).

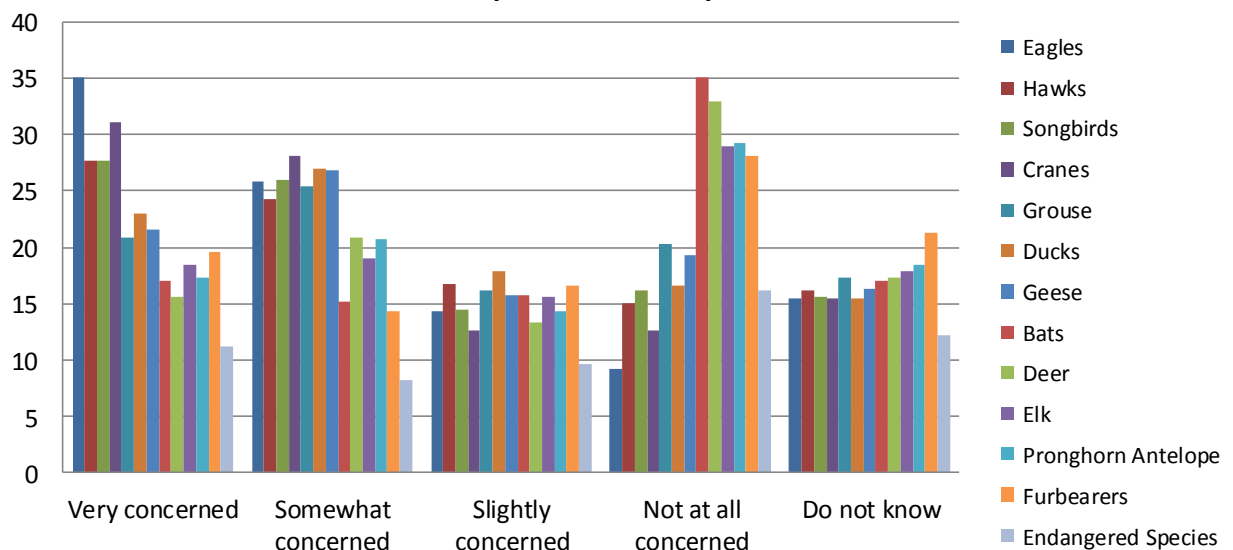
- 1059 Nebraskans responded to the survey
- 17% were residents in the Lincoln Electric System (LES) service area
- All results listed in this handout are from LES residents

**How much would you support or oppose regulations in Nebraska that would require wind energy development and operation to minimize impacts to wildlife?**



- 62% of LES respondents would support or strongly support regulations in Nebraska that would require wind energy facility development and operation to minimize impacts to wildlife
- 9% would oppose or strongly oppose such regulations

**How concerned are you that each of the following types of wildlife listed below can be negatively impacted or killed as a result of wind energy development and/or operations?**



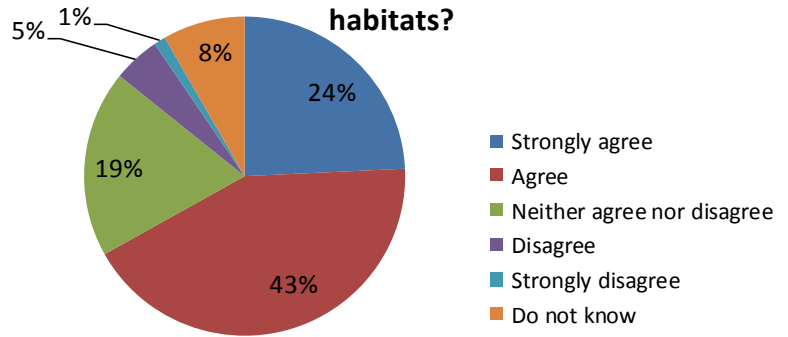


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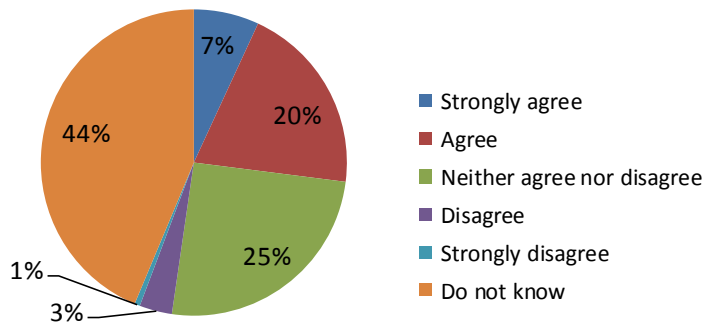
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- 67% of LES respondents agree or strongly agree that developers should pay for impacts
- 6% disagree or strongly disagree

How much do you agree or disagree that developers should pay for impacts of wind energy developments to impacts of wind energy developments to native Nebraska habitats?



How much do you agree or disagree that current wind energy regulations in Nebraska adequately protect wildlife?



- 27% of LES respondents agree or strongly agree that current regulations adequately protect wildlife
- 4% disagree or strongly disagree
- 44% do not know

- 65% of LES respondents support or strongly support the development of wind energy in remote landscapes
- 8% oppose or strongly oppose

How much do you support or oppose wind energy development in remote, unfragmented landscapes in Nebraska?

