8-in-10 New Jerseyans Dissatisfied
Cost of Living & R.O.I. on Taxes Paid

81% of New Jerseyans are dissatisfied with the cost of living and overall affordability of the state.

82% of New Jerseyans don’t think they are getting their money’s worth for the taxes they pay.

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Majority Supports Structural Reform

Public Employee Pension & Health Benefits

65% of New Jerseyans support making state workers pay more towards their own pensions and health benefits.

64% of New Jerseyans support reforming public employee health benefits to better resemble private health insurance plans.

Methodology: In this poll, 1,203 adults were contacted between March 7 and 22, 2019, 621 of which were contacted by live callers on landlines and cell phones and 582 through an online probability-based panel. The combined sample has a margin of error of +/-3.7 percentage points. Interviews were done in English and, when requested, Spanish. Find the full press release, including the poll questions and tables at http://eagletonpoll.rutgers.edu/rutgers-eagleton-NJBIA-taxes-April-2019.