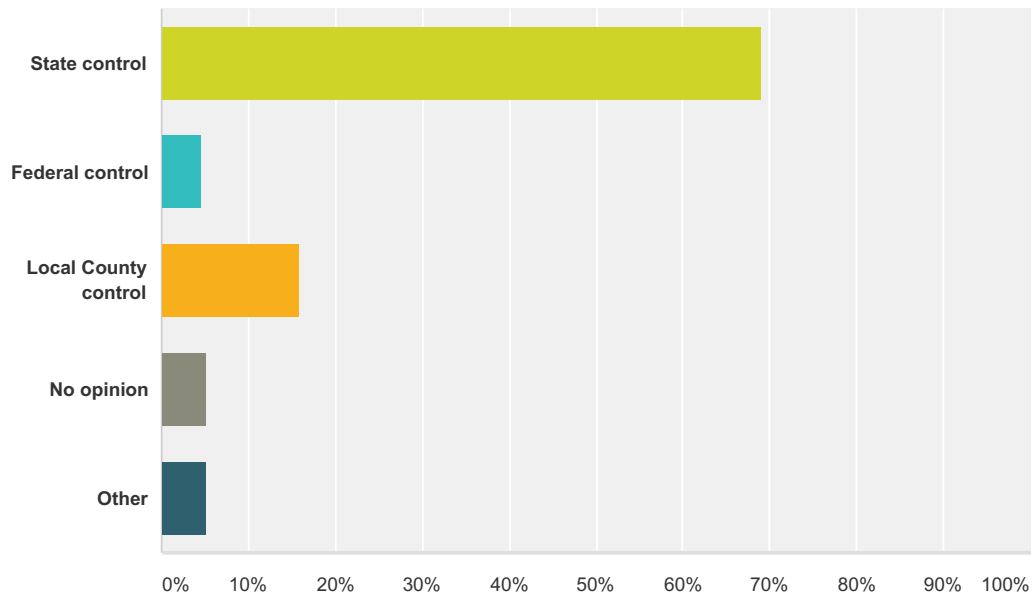


Q10 Where do you believe control of New Mexico's public lands should reside?

Answered: 214 Skipped: 4



Answer Choices	Responses
State control	69.16% 148
Federal control	4.67% 10
Local County control	15.89% 34
No opinion	5.14% 11
Other	5.14% 11
Total	214

#	If you answered "other," or would like to comment further on your response, please share your insight on this issue in the space provided.	Date
1	Constitution states that us lands should be for forts, armories, arsenals and the like. The BLM has got to go and has no Constitutional power to stay.	12/23/2016 9:40 AM
2	State control is desirable except for our state's history of corruption which makes me fear that federal lands returned to the state won't be available to the people for their use and enjoyment. So, I support slowly returning some lands to the state as a test to see how the state manages that land.	12/22/2016 11:51 AM
3	Federal Lands should remain Federal until a good plan for transferring the Oil and Gas ownership to State ownership has been agreed upon and voted to death to make sure it is absolutely bullet proof and doesn't bankrupt the state if there is a problem. The Land office needs to get much bigger and right now they can not handle the increase in acreage.	12/21/2016 1:06 PM
4	The state would probably sell all good public land to the rich, like Ted Turner and other elitist transplants to NM.	12/16/2016 3:51 PM
5	Never give anything to the Feds to manage--they barely know what day it is!	12/14/2016 11:42 AM
6	We have state, and federal lands. We should not allocate any more lands to wilderness, it takes the land out of service. We need a multiple use context.	12/14/2016 9:39 AM
7	I would prefer state control but I've seen that backfire depending upon who is in office.	12/14/2016 6:01 AM

8	You did say New Mexico's public lands...right? Who better to administer control of New Mexico lands, than New Mexicans?	12/13/2016 9:29 PM
9	This is not a simple yes or no issue. There are pros and cons for both sides. State control scares me. Especially in a croup state like New Mexico. Definitely there needs to be more local participation, but not local control. Right now I feel the Fed is out of control on land issues. And this is somewhat true for the state.	12/13/2016 8:41 PM
10	Depends	12/13/2016 5:15 PM
11	With the people of the state, it's their land not the government!	12/13/2016 4:40 PM
12	or even local county control	12/13/2016 1:21 PM
13	This issue is a major justification for Legislators from both parties to support the Convention of States Resolution.	12/13/2016 1:04 PM
14	The best thing would be for the public lands to be auctioned off to qualified bidders and then become private lands.	12/13/2016 12:30 PM
15	Unfortunately, there are legal precedents that make this decision very limited in relation to State control over federal lands and the State has limited resources to manage any federal lands. State should have precedent over county such as Santa Fe which has severely restricted any land, public or private use.	12/13/2016 12:20 PM
16	Depends on the piece of land, we need all governments involved depending on the land ownership.	12/13/2016 12:19 PM
17	It should be soild to the citizens.	12/13/2016 10:44 AM
18	Petition the FEDERAL Government for the lands that the FEDERAL Government OWES to the State. These should have been transferred at Statehood	12/13/2016 10:15 AM
19	a mix	12/13/2016 9:41 AM
20	Actually some benefit would be if both State and County control where put into place.	12/13/2016 9:18 AM