



ENGLISH WATER FLUORIDATION POLLS

SOURCE	FOR	AGAINST	% "NO"
Blackburn Lancashire Evening Telegraph (fill in coupon poll). Results published 1/7/88	15	621	97%
BBC North West Tonight programme (phone poll). Results 20/10/89	2356	8069	80%
Leicestershire Area Health Authority	1108	13816	92.6%
Radio Leicester poll, 8/3/89	101	1676	93.2%
Leicester Mercury poll 9-10/3/89	1566	24181	93.9%
Leicester Media poll 28-30/3/89	4394	61821	93.4%
Blackpool (poll conducted by 2 Councillors) February 1990			95%
Blackburn Lancashire Evening Telegraph (poll conducted by college students). Results 28/2/90	119	203	63%
Greater Manchester Radio, 19 th September 1991 (Norman Thomas & Friends programme 'phone poll)			75%
Granada Television (Granada Action programme) Telephone poll). Results 16 th October 1991	393	2460	86%
Clitheroe Advertiser & Times (poll conducted by staff). Results 5/11/91	22	68	68%
Southampton and Hampshire, 1997			90%
Bolton Evening News (‘phone poll). Results 3/1/98	189	3689	95%
Manchester Evening News telephone poll, November 1998			92%
Channel 4 Teletext, telephone poll, 1999			97%
Glasgow Evening Times, Oct 1999			97%
Glasgow Evening Times, August 2000			98%
Blackburn Lancashire Evening Telegraph (Vote Friday Jury ring, e-mail or postcard). Results 6/9/02	1%		99%

Blackburn Lancashire Evening Telegraph (Vote Friday Jury 'phone poll). Results 12/9/03	3.5%	96.5%
Lancashire County Council, Oct/Nov 03 Questionnaire – Do you think fluoride should be added to the water supply in Lancashire? Also asked – Who do you think makes most valuable contribution to a child having good dental health? 85% ticked the box for “The child’s parents”		85%
Burnley Express, 3/10/08	29%	71%
Bolton Evening News, 4/10/08	20%	80%
MailonLine February 2024 – analysis of comments The remaining 24% were questions.	11%	65%

Referenda

	For	Against	% Against
Bolton Borough Council, October 1968 (82% turnout)	23,576	63,290	73%

Public Consultations

	For	Against	% Against
Northern Ireland, April 1996			Majority against
Allerdale, Cumbria, Public Consultation, Autumn 2001	69	338	83%
Isle of Man Public Consultation, June 2008	460	540	54%
Southampton Public Consultation, 2009	2,800	7,200	72%
North-East of England, March-June 2024			RESULTS PENDING