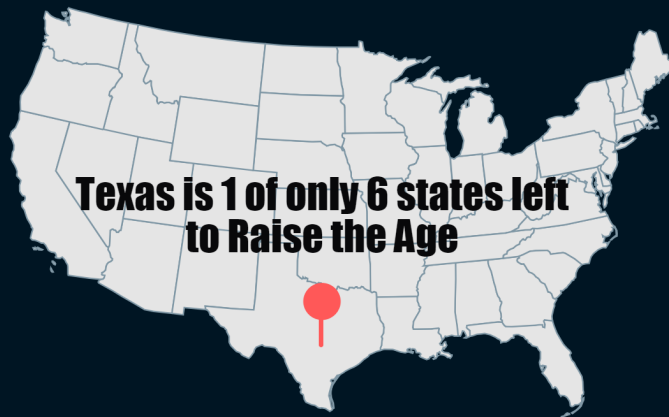


WHEN INFORMED THAT 95% OF 17-YEAR-OLDS ARE
ARRESTED FOR NONVIOLENT OFFENSES

86% OF GOP PRIMARY VOTERS

FAVOR STARTING 17-YEAR-OLDS IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM
WHILE GIVING A JUDGE THE DISCRETION TO MOVE THEM TO AN
ADULT SYSTEM ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS.



in the
adult
system

higher rates of
sexual assault,
depression,
and suicide.



in the
juvenile
system

better access to
wrap-around,
rehabilitative
services.



this is what
Texans
want

more than
3 out of 4
voters favor
raising the age.

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