

**RESURGENT REPUBLIC
NATIONAL SURVEY OF REGISTERED VOTERS
APRIL 13-16, 2009**

Hello, this is ____ with Ayres, McHenry & Associates, a national public opinion research company. We're talking with people in your area today about some issues facing the country. We are not trying to sell anything, your answers are completely confidential, and we would really appreciate your cooperation (DO NOT PAUSE).

A. Are you registered to vote in the county in which you live?

YES GO TO QUESTION C
NO GO TO QUESTION B

B. Is there anyone else in your household who is registered to vote in your county?

YES May I speak with that person please? GO TO INTRO
NO THANK AND CLOSE

C. How likely would you say you are to vote in the elections for Congress next year: absolutely certain, very likely, somewhat likely, or not too likely?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN	61%	68%	60%	54%
VERY LIKELY	24%	21%	22%	29%
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	8%	7%	9%	9%
NOT TOO LIKELY	7%	4%	9%	8%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	THANK AND CLOSE			

Mood of the Country

1. Would you say that America is headed in the right direction, or have things gotten off on the wrong track?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
RIGHT DIRECTION	40%	13%	34%	72%
WRONG TRACK	50%	80%	52%	22%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	10%	7%	14%	7%

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2. What would you say is the most important issue facing the United States, that is, the one that concerns you most (DO NOT READ RESPONSES)?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
ECONOMY/UNEMPLOYMENT/JOBS	57%	49%	56%	66%
GOVERNMENT SPENDING/EARMARKS/DEFICIT	6%	11%	5%	1%
FINANCIAL BAILOUTS/GREED/WALL STREET	3%	3%	3%	2%
AUTO INDUSTRY BAILOUTS	0%	0%	0%	0%
HEALTH CARE COST/ACCESS/QUALITY	5%	2%	7%	7%
ENERGY/DEPENDENCE ON FOREIGN OIL	0%	1%	1%	0%
CLIMATE CHANGE/ENVIRONMENT/POLLUTION	1%	0%	1%	1%
IRAQ	1%	0%	1%	3%
AFGHANISTAN	0%	0%	0%	0%
WAR ON TERROR/TERRORISM	2%	2%	2%	2%
IMMIGRATION/ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION	2%	3%	3%	1%
ETHICS/CORRUPTION IN GOVERNMENT	1%	1%	1%	0%
TAXES	2%	5%	1%	1%
EDUCATION	2%	1%	3%	3%
CRIME/DRUGS	0%	0%	0%	1%
WELFARE	0%	0%	1%	1%
MORALITY/TRADITIONAL VALUES	4%	7%	5%	1%
OTHER (WRITE IN)	11%	14%	11%	8%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	2%	1%	1%	3%

Role of Government

ROTATE QUESTIONS 3-5

3. Which of the following statements about the role of government comes closer to your view: (ROTATE)
- Government should do more to solve problems and help meet the needs of people.
 - Government is trying to do more things than it can do well, things that should be left to the private sector and individuals.

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
GOVERNMENT SHOULD DO MORE	47%	26%	40%	72%
GOVERNMENT IS DOING TOO MANY THINGS	50%	73%	55%	24%
DON'T KNOW	3%	1%	4%	4%

4. Which of the following statements about the role of government comes closer to your view: (ROTATE)
- Government policies should promote fairness by narrowing the gap between rich and poor, spreading the wealth, and making sure that economic outcomes are more equal.
 - Government policies should promote opportunity by fostering job growth, encouraging entrepreneurs, and allowing people to keep more of what they earn.

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
PROMOTE FAIRNESS	31%	20%	28%	44%
PROMOTE OPPORTUNITY	63%	78%	65%	48%
DON'T KNOW	6%	2%	7%	8%

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5. Overall, would you prefer (ROTATE: larger government with more services and higher taxes, or smaller government with fewer services and lower taxes)?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
LARGER GOVERNMENT.....	21%	7%	18%	38%
SMALLER GOVERNMENT.....	69%	90%	70%	49%
DON'T KNOW	10%	4%	12%	13%

Name IDs

I would like to read you a list of names and have you tell me, for each one, whether you've heard of that person or group and, if so, whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of them. If you haven't heard of the person or group, just say so (RANDOMIZE):

IF FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE: Would that be very (FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE) or just somewhat (FAVORABLE/UNFAVORABLE)?

		<i>VERY FAV</i>	<i>SMWHT FAV</i>	<i>SMWHT UNFAV</i>	<i>VERY UNFAV</i>	<i>NO OPINION</i>	<i>NEVER HEARD OF</i>
6. John Boehner	<i>ALL</i>	3%	8%	7%	7%	15%	61%
	<i>REP</i>	5%	10%	8%	4%	18%	55%
	<i>IND</i>	1%	9%	6%	5%	14%	64%
	<i>DEM</i>	1%	6%	5%	11%	14%	63%
7. Timothy Geithner	<i>ALL</i>	5%	16%	9%	17%	12%	41%
	<i>REP</i>	1%	9%	12%	29%	11%	38%
	<i>IND</i>	3%	17%	8%	18%	14%	39%
	<i>DEM</i>	10%	21%	9%	4%	12%	44%
8. Barack Obama	<i>ALL</i>	43%	18%	12%	20%	7%	0%
	<i>REP</i>	7%	17%	22%	43%	11%	0%
	<i>IND</i>	37%	24%	13%	19%	7%	0%
	<i>DEM</i>	80%	13%	3%	2%	2%	0%
9. Nancy Pelosi	<i>ALL</i>	10%	18%	12%	35%	11%	14%
	<i>REP</i>	2%	3%	14%	66%	6%	9%
	<i>IND</i>	6%	18%	12%	38%	12%	13%
	<i>DEM</i>	23%	30%	10%	7%	12%	18%
10. Harry Reid	<i>ALL</i>	3%	11%	9%	21%	13%	43%
	<i>REP</i>	0%	3%	11%	38%	9%	38%
	<i>IND</i>	1%	10%	10%	23%	15%	41%
	<i>DEM</i>	7%	20%	7%	3%	13%	50%
11. Republicans in Congress	<i>ALL</i>	12%	25%	26%	21%	14%	3%
	<i>REP</i>	26%	36%	21%	4%	11%	1%
	<i>IND</i>	8%	24%	28%	19%	18%	3%
	<i>DEM</i>	3%	18%	26%	40%	10%	3%
12. Democrats in Congress	<i>ALL</i>	18%	27%	16%	26%	11%	2%
	<i>REP</i>	2%	10%	26%	51%	9%	2%
	<i>IND</i>	10%	29%	20%	25%	14%	2%
	<i>DEM</i>	41%	40%	4%	5%	7%	2%

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Perceptions of President Obama

13. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as President so far?

IF APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE, ASK: Would that be strongly (approve/disapprove), or just somewhat (approve/disapprove)?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
STRONGLY APPROVE.....	39%	7%	33%	73%
SOMEWHAT APPROVE.....	22%	18%	26%	19%
SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE.....	11%	22%	12%	3%
STRONGLY DISAPPROVE.....	21%	44%	20%	2%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION.....	7%	8%	10%	3%

14. Do you think Barack Obama has or has not governed as he said he would during the campaign?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
HAS.....	61%	36%	56%	88%
HAS NOT.....	29%	53%	31%	6%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION.....	10%	11%	13%	6%

15. Overall, do you think Barack Obama is (ROTATE FRONT TO BACK, BACK TO FRONT: very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or very conservative) in his political beliefs?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
VERY LIBERAL.....	37%	68%	36%	13%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL.....	27%	16%	30%	33%
MODERATE.....	20%	7%	23%	30%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE.....	7%	4%	5%	11%
VERY CONSERVATIVE.....	3%	2%	2%	6%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION.....	5%	4%	4%	7%

Federal Budget

16. President Obama has proposed a budget for next year that would spend three point six trillion dollars and have a deficit of one point four trillion dollars. In general, would you say you support or oppose that budget proposal?

IF SUPPORT OR OPPOSE, ASK: Would that be strongly (support/oppose), or just somewhat (support/oppose)?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
STRONGLY SUPPORT.....	17%	4%	9%	37%
SOMEWHAT SUPPORT.....	22%	5%	24%	33%
SOMEWHAT OPPOSE.....	13%	13%	17%	8%
STRONGLY OPPOSE.....	38%	74%	39%	8%
DON'T KNOW.....	11%	4%	11%	14%

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17. How responsible do you hold the Obama Administration for the current state of the American economy: very responsible, somewhat responsible, not too responsible, or not at all responsible?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
VERY RESPONSIBLE	13%	17%	10%	11%
SOMEWHAT RESPONSIBLE	30%	46%	29%	16%
NOT TOO RESPONSIBLE.....	22%	21%	26%	21%
NOT AT ALL RESPONSIBLE.....	34%	14%	36%	51%
DON'T KNOW	1%	1%	1%	1%

Now I would like to read you several pairs of statements that might be made by political candidates about President Obama's proposed budget for next year, and have you tell me, for each pair, which one you agree with more. *IF ANSWERED, ASK:* Do you strongly agree with that statement or somewhat agree with that statement?

(ROTATE QUESTIONS, AND ROTATE STATEMENTS A AND B. MEAN SCORE CALCULATED ASSIGNING VALUES OF 1 THROUGH 5 TO POSITIONS STRONGLY AGREE STATEMENT A THROUGH STRONGLY AGREE STATEMENT B)

18. Candidate A says the proposed budget is a reasonable response to a serious recession and collapse of the financial markets.

Candidate B says the proposed budget spends too much, taxes too much, and borrows too much.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
<i>ALL</i>	20%	23%	7%	16%	35%	3.22
<i>REP</i>	6%	9%	5%	18%	61%	4.19
<i>IND</i>	16%	24%	7%	18%	34%	3.30
<i>DEM</i>	37%	32%	7%	10%	13%	2.31

25. Candidate A says the federal government has to do more during times of economic crisis, and spending by the government stimulates the economy and creates jobs.

Candidate B says the federal government is squandering money on pork-barrel projects, bailouts, and big spending programs that create few private sector jobs.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
<i>ALL</i>	23%	20%	6%	17%	34%	3.19
<i>REP</i>	8%	9%	3%	16%	64%	4.19
<i>IND</i>	19%	21%	7%	19%	34%	3.28
<i>DEM</i>	40%	28%	8%	13%	11%	2.26

26. Candidate A says the Obama Administration's involvement in private business decisions like firing the head of General Motors is necessary, because they need to protect the taxpayers' investment in the companies that take federal bailouts.

Candidate B says the Obama Administration's involvement in private business decisions like firing the head of General Motors sets a dangerous precedent, because it's a slippery slope when politicians with no business experience start micromanaging major companies.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
<i>ALL</i>	25%	20%	7%	15%	34%	3.13
<i>REP</i>	9%	11%	5%	18%	57%	4.04
<i>IND</i>	23%	17%	6%	19%	34%	3.24
<i>DEM</i>	39%	32%	8%	7%	14%	2.25

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23. Candidate A says limiting tax deductions for the wealthy on charitable contributions and mortgage interest is just asking the rich to pay their fair share.

Candidate B says limiting tax deductions on charitable contributions and mortgage interest will hurt charities and the housing market at the worst possible time.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	23%	21%	9%	19%	28%	3.08
REP	10%	13%	8%	24%	44%	3.80
IND	20%	20%	10%	22%	28%	3.19
DEM	36%	29%	10%	13%	12%	2.37

19. Candidate A says the proposed level of federal spending is necessary to stimulate the economy and keep us from sliding into a depression.

Candidate B says the proposed level of federal spending will make the economy worse by doubling the national debt in only five years.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	24%	24%	6%	16%	30%	3.05
REP	3%	11%	6%	24%	56%	4.19
IND	22%	26%	7%	16%	29%	3.03
DEM	41%	33%	7%	10%	9%	2.13

21. Candidate A says that increasing the debt is a necessary step in fighting a serious recession.

Candidate B says that President Obama is being hypocritical by adding more than nine trillion dollars to the debt after attacking Republicans for growing it by two trillion dollars.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	23%	24%	8%	16%	29%	3.02
REP	7%	11%	7%	20%	55%	4.04
IND	17%	28%	8%	17%	29%	3.13
DEM	43%	33%	7%	9%	7%	2.06

24. Candidate A says increasing taxes on the top five percent of earners is simply making the people who profited greatly in recent years pay their fair share.

Candidate B says increasing taxes on the top five percent of earners will hurt small businesses and impose higher costs on the people who create jobs in this country.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	31%	19%	6%	16%	28%	2.92
REP	13%	12%	6%	17%	52%	3.81
IND	28%	22%	7%	16%	27%	2.93
DEM	48%	22%	6%	15%	9%	2.15

22. Candidate A says that investments to address unmet needs in education, energy, and health care are necessary to bring the country out of recession.

Candidate B says that the Obama Administration is taking advantage of the recession to make massive increases in government spending that will hurt our economy in the future by nearly tripling the national debt in ten years.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	31%	20%	6%	14%	29%	2.90
REP	7%	12%	4%	19%	57%	4.07
IND	24%	25%	8%	14%	29%	2.99
DEM	58%	22%	5%	8%	6%	1.82

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20. Candidate A says the deficit in the proposed budget is a direct result of the problems Obama inherited from the Bush Administration.

Candidate B says the deficit in the proposed budget was created by the Obama Administration and a Democratic Congress.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	43%	16%	10%	13%	18%	2.47
REP	11%	17%	16%	21%	34%	3.49
IND	42%	19%	11%	13%	15%	2.42
DEM	72%	11%	4%	5%	7%	1.63

27. What do you think is the maximum percentage that the federal government should take from any individual's income (ROTATE: ten percent, fifteen percent, twenty percent, thirty percent, forty percent, or fifty percent or more)?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
TEN.....	33%	35%	31%	34%
FIFTEEN.....	17%	23%	15%	13%
TWENTY.....	19%	20%	23%	15%
THIRTY.....	15%	15%	15%	15%
FORTY.....	4%	2%	4%	6%
FIFTY OR MORE.....	3%	0%	3%	5%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION.....	9%	4%	9%	11%

Climate Change and Energy

Now I have a few questions about climate change and energy.

28. Do you think climate change is or is not happening? IF "IS HAPPENING," ASK: Do you think human activity is or is not a significant cause of climate change?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
HAPPENING/HUMAN ACTIVITY CAUSE.....	58%	35%	61%	76%
HAPPENING/HUMAN ACTIVITY NOT CAUSE.....	17%	25%	16%	10%
NOT HAPPENING.....	20%	34%	18%	10%
DON'T KNOW.....	5%	6%	5%	4%

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Now I would like to read you several pairs of statements that might be made by political candidates, and have you tell me, for each pair, which one you agree with more. *IF ANSWERED, ASK:* Do you strongly agree with that statement or somewhat agree with that statement?

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30. Candidate A says that climate change is so urgent that the United States must address it now.

Candidate B says that whatever the United States does about climate change should not be allowed to cost jobs or hurt the economy.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	23%	13%	6%	23%	35%	3.33
REP	7%	7%	5%	29%	52%	4.10
IND	22%	14%	5%	22%	37%	3.37
DEM	38%	18%	6%	20%	19%	2.64

29. Candidate A says that climate change is a serious problem that the United States must address now.

Candidate B says there are other issues more important than climate change that should be addressed first.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	28%	13%	4%	19%	36%	3.23
REP	9%	8%	3%	21%	59%	4.14
IND	27%	15%	3%	21%	35%	3.23
DEM	44%	17%	5%	16%	18%	2.47

31. Candidate A says adopting a cap-and-trade program would give companies financial incentives to cut energy use and rely more on alternative fuels.

Candidate B says adopting a cap-and-trade program during a recession would make the economy worse by raising taxes on utility bills, gasoline, and electricity at the worst possible time.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	18%	21%	13%	19%	29%	3.22
REP	6%	10%	12%	25%	48%	3.99
IND	14%	21%	14%	20%	32%	3.35
DEM	31%	31%	13%	13%	12%	2.43

33. Candidate A says that cap-and-trade legislation would only raise taxes on heavy polluters.

Candidate B says that cap-and-trade legislation would create a national energy tax on everyone that would average up to \$3,100 per household per year.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	15%	26%	23%	17%	19%	3.00
REP	7%	15%	24%	23%	32%	3.60
IND	11%	27%	26%	17%	19%	3.06
DEM	26%	33%	19%	13%	8%	2.43

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34B. Candidate A says that America should concentrate on developing alternative energy sources like solar and wind power.

Candidate B says that America should develop all energy sources including nuclear power, clean coal, and off-shore oil drilling.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	34%	14%	6%	13%	33%	2.97
REP	17%	8%	7%	17%	51%	3.78
IND	32%	17%	6%	11%	34%	2.97
DEM	52%	18%	5%	12%	14%	2.19

32. Candidate A says that a cap-and-trade program would create green jobs that cannot be moved overseas.

Candidate B says that a cap-and-trade program would make manufacturing in the U.S. so much more expensive that companies will move more jobs overseas.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	22%	24%	16%	17%	22%	2.92
REP	9%	14%	16%	23%	38%	3.67
IND	18%	23%	19%	19%	21%	3.02
DEM	37%	33%	13%	9%	8%	2.19

34A. Candidate A says that America should concentrate on developing alternative energy sources like solar and wind power.

Candidate B says that America should develop all energy sources including nuclear power and off-shore oil drilling.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	40%	14%	3%	15%	28%	2.78
REP	16%	9%	2%	25%	48%	3.80
IND	37%	15%	5%	12%	31%	2.85
DEM	60%	15%	3%	10%	12%	1.99

35. Would you be willing to pay significantly higher prices for gasoline and electricity if the money raised would be used by the federal government for health care reform?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
YES	32%	11%	30%	51%
NO	63%	85%	64%	42%
DON'T KNOW	5%	3%	6%	6%

National Security and Foreign Affairs

Here are a few questions about national security and foreign affairs.

36. Do you support or oppose President Obama's plan to send seventeen thousand additional combat troops and four thousand trainers to Afghanistan?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
SUPPORT	62%	71%	63%	54%
OPPOSE	32%	22%	31%	41%
DON'T KNOW	7%	7%	6%	5%

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Which of the following statements do you agree with more? *IF ANSWERED, ASK:* Do you strongly agree with that statement or somewhat agree with that statement?

(ROTATE STATEMENTS A AND B. MEAN SCORE CALCULATED ASSIGNING VALUES OF 1 THROUGH 5 TO POSITIONS STRONG AGREE STATEMENT A THROUGH STRONGLY AGREE STATEMENT B)

37. Candidate A says holding prisoners at Guantanamo Bay weakens America's moral authority and isn't in keeping with our values.

Candidate B says keeping terrorists at Guantanamo Bay helps protect America by keeping people who would kill Americans in custody overseas.

	Strong A	Smwht A	Not Sure/DK	Smwht B	Strong B	Mean
ALL	21%	12%	9%	18%	40%	3.44
REP	6%	6%	5%	21%	62%	4.28
IND	18%	13%	11%	19%	40%	3.51
DEM	39%	15%	8%	16%	22%	2.67

Conscience Clause

38. Which of the following statements comes closer to your view: (ROTATE)

- a. Health care workers should be required to perform any medical procedures that are legal, including abortions.
- b. Health care workers should not be required to perform procedures they oppose on moral grounds, such as abortions.

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
REQUIRED TO PERFORM	34%	21%	33%	45%
SHOULD NOT BE REQUIRED TO PERFORM.....	61%	77%	60%	49%
DON'T KNOW	5%	2%	7%	6%

Demographics

Now I have a few questions just for statistical purposes.

39. In politics today, do you normally think of yourself as (ROTATE: a Republican, an independent, or a Democrat)?

IF "REPUBLICAN" OR "DEMOCRAT", ASK: Would you consider yourself a strong or a not-so-strong Republican/Democrat?	STRONG REPUBLICAN	19%
	NOT-SO-STRONG REPUBLICAN	10%
	IND LEAN REPUBLICAN	12%
	INDEPENDENT/NO PREF	13%
	IND LEAN DEMOCRAT	10%
IF "INDEPENDENT," ASK: Do you think of yourself as closer to the (ROTATE: Republican or Democratic Party)?	NOT-SO-STRONG DEMOCRAT	11%
	STRONG DEMOCRAT	22%
	REFUSED.....	3%

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40. When thinking about politics today, do you normally consider yourself to be (ROTATE: very conservative, somewhat conservative, moderate, somewhat liberal, or very liberal)?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
VERY CONSERVATIVE.....	19%	41%	13%	5%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE.....	28%	42%	28%	17%
MODERATE.....	29%	12%	38%	34%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL.....	17%	4%	16%	29%
VERY LIBERAL.....	6%	1%	4%	14%
NO OPINION.....	2%	1%	1%	2%

41. Would you please stop me when I read the correct category for your age?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
18 TO 34.....	21%	18%	21%	23%
35 TO 49.....	33%	39%	32%	30%
50 TO 64.....	30%	25%	32%	33%
65 OR OLDER.....	16%	18%	14%	15%
REFUSED (DO NOT READ).....	0%	0%	1%	0%

42. Do you have any money invested in the stock market through individual stocks, retirement plans, or mutual funds?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
YES.....	63%	67%	66%	58%
NO.....	35%	30%	32%	40%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED.....	3%	2%	3%	2%

43. Would you please stop me when I read the correct category for your total household income?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
\$25,000 OR LESS.....	13%	10%	10%	18%
\$25,000 TO \$50,000.....	21%	16%	23%	24%
\$50,000 TO \$75,000.....	22%	24%	22%	21%
\$75,000 TO \$100,000.....	16%	19%	19%	12%
\$100,000 TO \$150,000.....	10%	11%	10%	11%
\$150,000 TO \$250,000.....	6%	6%	5%	8%
\$250,000 OR MORE.....	2%	3%	1%	2%
REFUSED.....	10%	12%	10%	5%

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44. What are your main sources of information about politics and government? (READ AND ALLOW UP TO THREE RESPONSES)

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
NEWSPAPERS	48%	45%	48%	52%
INTERNET NEWS SITES	38%	37%	42%	36%
INTERNET POLITICAL BLOGS	6%	2%	7%	8%
RADIO NEWS.....	20%	22%	21%	17%
TALK RADIO PROGRAMS	15%	20%	16%	8%
BROADCAST TELEVISION NEWS.....	38%	38%	35%	40%
CABLE TELEVISION	43%	44%	45%	41%
LETTERS AND BROCHURES IN THE MAIL.....	3%	3%	2%	3%
OTHER	7%	6%	7%	6%
DON'T KNOW (DO NOT READ)	0%	0%	0%	0%
REFUSED (DO NOT READ)	1%	0%	0%	1%

Note: Percentages exceed 100 percent because multiple responses were accepted.

45. Do you consider yourself to be (ROTATE: pro-life or pro-choice) on the issue of abortion?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
PRO-LIFE	45%	71%	42%	25%
PRO-CHOICE	49%	27%	50%	70%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED.....	7%	3%	8%	6%

46. Is your religious background Protestant, Catholic, Jewish or something else? (IF SOMETHING ELSE OR UNCLEAR RESPONSE ASK: Is that a Christian religion or not?)

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
PROTESTANT	38%	52%	38%	27%
CATHOLIC	26%	21%	28%	28%
OTHER CHRISTIAN.....	17%	17%	16%	19%
JEWISH	2%	0%	1%	4%
OTHER NON-CHRISTIAN.....	7%	5%	8%	8%
AGNOSTIC/ATHEIST.....	1%	0%	1%	2%
NONE	6%	5%	4%	10%
DON'T KNOW (DNR).....	1%	1%	1%	1%
REFUSED (DNR).....	2%	0%	2%	1%

47. Would you call yourself an Evangelical Christian or not?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
YES	23%	40%	17%	13%
NO	52%	44%	60%	53%
DON'T KNOW (DNR).....	6%	5%	5%	7%
REFUSED (DNR).....	0%	0%	0%	1%
NOT ASKED	19%	11%	18%	26%

Note: Question was asked only of self-identified Christian respondents; percentages are based on all respondents.

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48. How often do you attend worship services? Would you say (READ – ROTATE TOP TO BOTTOM/BOTTOM TO TOP)

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
NEVER	12%	7%	18%	15%
A FEW TIMES A YEAR	19%	19%	21%	23%
A FEW TIMES A MONTH.....	14%	11%	17%	16%
ALMOST EVERY WEEK	11%	14%	11%	11%
EVERY WEEK.....	25%	33%	24%	26%
MORE THAN ONCE A WEEK.....	9%	16%	6%	8%
DON'T KNOW (DNR)	1%	1%	1%	0%
REFUSED (DNR).....	1%	0%	1%	1%
NOT ASKED	10%	6%	8%	

Note: Question was asked only of self-identified Christian, Jewish, and other religious respondents; percentages are based on all respondents.

49. Are you from a Hispanic or Spanish-speaking background?

IF NO, ASK: What would you say is your main race: white, African American, Asian, or something else?

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
YES/HISPANIC	9%	6%	7%	14%
NO/WHITE.....	75%	90%	80%	57%
NO/BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN	12%	1%	7%	25%
NO/ASIAN	1%	0%	1%	1%
NO/OTHER	3%	1%	3%	3%
REFUSED.....	1%	0%	1%	0%

50. Gender (from observation):

	<i>ALL</i>	<i>REP</i>	<i>IND</i>	<i>DEM</i>
MALE	48%	50%	56%	38%
FEMALE.....	52%	50%	44%	62%

That's all the questions I have. Thank you very much for sharing your opinions with us.

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