

RESURGENT REPUBLIC
NATIONAL SURVEY OF REGISTERED VOTERS
REGARDING FAIRNESS AND FISCAL ISSUES
MAY 2012

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Hello, this is _____ with North Star Opinion Research 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).

FOR CELL PHONE SAMPLE:

CELL 1. Have I reached you on a cell phone?

YES 1 GO TO Q. CELL 2
 NO 2 THANK AND CLOSE

CELL 2. Are you in a place right now where you can safely take the survey?

YES 1 GO TO Q. A
 NO 2 SCHEDULE CALLBACK
 NOT WILLING TO TAKE SURVEY 3 THANK AND CLOSE

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

YES 1 GO TO Q. C
 NO 2 GO TO Q. B

B. Is there anyone else in your household who is registered to vote in your county? IF YES, ASK: May I speak with that person, please?

YES 1 GO TO INTRO
 NO 2 THANK AND CLOSE

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN	72%	78%	68%	72%
VERY LIKELY	19%	15%	21%	19%
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	6%	5%	6%	5%
NOT TOO LIKELY	4%	2%	4%	4%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	1%	0%	1%	1%

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Political Environment and the Role of Government

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
RIGHT DIRECTION	33%	9%	27%	59%
WRONG TRACK	60%	86%	69%	31%
DON'T KNOW	7%	5%	4%	10%

2. Which of the following types of issues are most likely to affect your vote for President and Congress this year (ROTATE: economic issues like jobs and unemployment; fiscal issues like taxes, spending, deficits, and debt; social issues like abortion and gay marriage; or national security issues like terrorism and Afghanistan)?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
ECONOMIC ISSUES	54%	46%	53%	62%
FISCAL ISSUES	21%	29%	24%	13%
SOCIAL ISSUES	13%	12%	13%	13%
NATIONAL SECURITY ISSUES	6%	7%	6%	5%
NONE/OTHER/DON'T KNOW	6%	5%	4%	7%

3. Would you say that our country currently is or is not in a recession?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
IS IN RECESSION	72%	84%	75%	59%
IS NOT IN RECESSION	24%	13%	22%	35%
DON'T KNOW	4%	3%	3%	6%

4. How about the economy in the area where you live. Would you say the economy is getting better, getting worse, or staying about the same?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
GETTING BETTER	30%	15%	25%	48%
GETTING WORSE	19%	28%	20%	11%
STAYING THE SAME	51%	56%	55%	40%
DON'T KNOW	1%	1%	0%	1%

5. Thinking about you and your family's financial situation, would you say you are better off, about the same, or worse off than you were four years ago?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
BETTER OFF	25%	19%	24%	31%
ABOUT THE SAME	36%	30%	31%	44%
WORSE OFF	39%	51%	45%	25%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	1%	1%	0%	0%

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6. Which of the following statements about fairness comes closer to your view: (ROTATE)
- a. Fairness is making sure the wealthy pay their fair share by increasing their taxes, eliminating loopholes, and giving up special deductions.
 - b. Fairness is making sure everyone pays their fair share, and no one gets bailouts, preferential treatment, or special favors from political cronies.

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
MAKE WEALTHY PAY FAIR SHARE	34%	23%	31%	49%
EVERYONE PAYS FAIR SHARE	60%	71%	63%	46%
DON'T KNOW	6%	5%	6%	5%

7. Which of the following statements about the role of government comes closer to your view: (ROTATE)
- a. Government policies should promote fairness by narrowing the gap between rich and poor, making the rich pay their fair share, and reducing income inequality.
 - b. Government policies should promote opportunity by fostering job growth, encouraging entrepreneurs, and allowing hardworking people to keep more of what they earn.

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
PROMOTE FAIRNESS	39%	23%	32%	58%
PROMOTE OPPORTUNITY	57%	73%	63%	38%
DON'T KNOW	5%	4%	5%	4%

8. Which of the following comes closer to your view: (ROTATE)
- a. Most millionaires in this country became wealthy by working hard and playing by the rules.
 - b. Most millionaires in this country became wealthy by taking advantage of the system.

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
WORKING HARD	50%	68%	54%	32%
TAKING ADVANTAGE	40%	24%	38%	56%
DON'T KNOW	10%	8%	8%	12%

9. Which of the following comes closer to your view about the record number of people getting government benefits like unemployment compensation, disability benefits, and food stamps: (ROTATE)
- a. A record number of people are getting government benefits today because the recession has been so severe that people who would never think about taking government assistance have been forced to do so to provide for their families.
 - b. A record number of people are getting government benefits today because too many people are taking advantage of the system and living off the taxpayers when they could be doing more to help themselves.

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
RESULT OF THE RECESSION	50%	36%	51%	63%
RESULT OF TAKING ADVANTAGE	42%	55%	44%	30%
DON'T KNOW	7%	9%	4%	6%

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Name IDs

I would like to read you a list of names of people and groups 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>	
10. Barack Obama	ALL	29%	21%	13%	32%	5%	0%	
	REP	4%	10%	16%	67%	3%	0%	
	IND	17%	27%	16%	34%	6%	0%	
	DEM	62%	26%	6%	3%	3%	0%	
	ALL	50%			45%			
	REP	14%			83%			
	IND	44%			50%			
	DEM	88%			9%			
	11. Mitt Romney	ALL	14%	27%	20%	25%	11%	4%
		REP	30%	42%	10%	8%	9%	2%
IND		13%	30%	25%	17%	10%	5%	
DEM		2%	11%	25%	46%	12%	3%	
ALL		41%			45%			
REP		72%			18%			
IND		43%			42%			
DEM		13%			71%			
12. Republicans in Congress		ALL	9%	28%	23%	31%	8%	3%
		REP	22%	47%	17%	6%	7%	2%
	IND	5%	27%	27%	29%	8%	4%	
	DEM	1%	10%	24%	54%	7%	3%	
	ALL	37%			54%			
	REP	69%			23%			
	IND	32%			56%			
	DEM	11%			78%			
	13. Democrats in Congress	ALL	12%	28%	23%	28%	7%	2%
		REP	1%	9%	28%	53%	6%	3%
IND		5%	25%	27%	31%	9%	4%	
DEM		28%	48%	14%	5%	3%	1%	
ALL		40%			51%			
REP		10%			81%			
IND		30%			58%			
DEM		76%			19%			

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President Obama's Image and the 2012 Election

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

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
STRONGLY APPROVE	28%	5%	15%	60%
SOMEWHAT APPROVE	22%	12%	26%	27%
SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE	13%	15%	15%	8%
STRONGLY DISAPPROVE.....	33%	66%	37%	3%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	5%	2%	6%	2%
APPROVE	50%	17%	41%	87%
DISAPPROVE	46%	81%	52%	11%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	5%	2%	6%	1%

15. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling the economy?

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
STRONGLY APPROVE	23%	4%	14%	49%
SOMEWHAT APPROVE	23%	9%	24%	35%
SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE	12%	11%	17%	8%
STRONGLY DISAPPROVE.....	38%	75%	42%	5%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	3%	1%	3%	3%
APPROVE	46%	13%	38%	84%
DISAPPROVE	50%	86%	59%	13%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	3%	1%	3%	3%

16. If the election for President were being held today and the candidates were (ROTATE: Mitt Romney, the Republican, or Barack Obama, the Democrat), for which candidate would you vote?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
IF REFUSED OR UNDECIDED, ASK:				
ROMNEY.....	40%	81%	43%	3%
Which way do you lean as of today, toward				
(ROTATE: Romney or Obama?)				
LEAN ROMNEY	2%	3%	2%	1%
OBAMA	47%	8%	38%	89%
LEAN OBAMA	2%	0%	3%	1%
OTHER (VOL.).....	1%	1%	2%	1%
WILL NOT VOTE	1%	1%	1%	1%
UNDECIDED.....	6%	3%	11%	3%
REFUSED	2%	1%	1%	1%
ROMNEY.....	42%	84%	45%	4%
OBAMA	49%	8%	41%	90%
OTHER.....	1%	1%	2%	1%
UNDECIDED/REFUSED.....	8%	4%	12%	4%

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17. Do you think Barack Obama deserves reelection as President, or do you think it is time to give someone else a chance?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
DESERVES REELECTION	45%	11%	36%	86%
TIME FOR SOMEONE ELSE	49%	86%	58%	10%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	5%	3%	6%	4%

ROTATE QUESTIONS 18 AND 19

18. 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?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
VERY LIBERAL	36%	64%	37%	12%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	24%	15%	26%	28%
MODERATE	22%	7%	21%	35%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE	8%	6%	8%	11%
VERY CONSERVATIVE	4%	3%	3%	6%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	6%	5%	4%	8%

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
VERY LIBERAL	3%	3%	2%	5%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	8%	10%	7%	6%
MODERATE	22%	25%	27%	14%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE	36%	47%	38%	28%
VERY CONSERVATIVE	17%	9%	13%	27%
DON'T KNOW/NO OPINION	14%	6%	12%	21%

20. If the 2012 election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, would you vote for the (ROTATE: Republican candidate or the Democratic candidate)?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE	40%	85%	38%	3%
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE	45%	7%	32%	90%
WON'T VOTE (VOLUNTEERED).....	1%	0%	2%	0%
DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	14%	9%	27%	6%

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Jobs and the Economy

I would like to read you a pair of statements about economic policy and have you tell me which one you agree with more. *IF ANSWERED, ASK:* Do you strongly agree with that statement or somewhat agree with that statement?

		<i>STRONG AGREE</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE</i>	<i>NOT SURE/ DON'T KNOW (VOL.)</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE</i>	<i>STRONG AGREE</i>
		<i>STMT A</i>	<i>STMT A</i>		<i>STMT B</i>	<i>STMT B</i>
Obama's Economic Plan						
21. Congressman A says that President Obama's economic plan is working and we need to stay the course. Unemployment is going down, more jobs are being created, we've taken steps to reduce the deficit, and economic conditions are improving for most of the country.	ALL REP IND DEM	22% 4% 15% 45%	18% 6% 17% 31%	5% 2% 5% 6%	17% 16% 20% 11%	38% 71% 43% 8%
Congressman B says that President Obama's economic plan is not working and we need to try something else. Unemployment remains at record levels, job creation is poor, federal spending is out of control, and much of the country is still in recession.						
			STMT A		STMT B	
	ALL REP IND DEM		40% 10% 32% 76%		55% 87% 63% 19%	

Government Taxes and Spending

22. If the federal government raises taxes, do you think the new revenue will go primarily to (ROTATE: more spending or reducing the deficit)?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
MORE SPENDING	64%	76%	73%	47%
REDUCE DEFICIT	28%	18%	22%	42%
DON'T KNOW	8%	6%	5%	11%

23. About what percentage of federal government spending do you think is wasted?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
LESS THAN 5 PERCENT	4%	2%	3%	7%
6-10 PERCENT	7%	2%	7%	12%
11 TO 20 PERCENT	16%	11%	19%	19%
21 TO 30 PERCENT	18%	22%	17%	17%
31 TO 40 PERCENT	14%	17%	13%	12%
41 TO 50 PERCENT	11%	15%	13%	6%
MORE THAN 50 PERCENT	22%	27%	24%	14%
DON'T KNOW	8%	5%	5%	12%

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24. Who do you blame more for the federal government's failure to pass a budget for the last three years (ROTATE):

- a. Republicans are primarily to blame. They passed a budget in the House they control that included draconian cuts in programs for the elderly and the poor, and they refuse to consider new revenue despite the obvious need to do so to deal with our deficit and our debt.
- b. Democrats and President Obama are primarily to blame. Democrats have not passed a budget in three years in the Senate they control, and President Obama's proposed budget was so irresponsible that not a single Democrat or Republican voted for it in either the House or the Senate.

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
REPUBLICANS ARE TO BLAME	43%	13%	37%	75%
DEMOCRATS/OBAMA ARE TO BLAME.....	40%	72%	43%	12%
DON'T KNOW	17%	15%	20%	13%

I would like to read you several pairs of statements about government taxing and spending 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)

<i>STRONG AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>NOT SURE/ DON'T KNOW (VOL.)</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT B</i>	<i>STRONG AGREE STMT B</i>
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Increasing Capital Gains Taxes

25. Congressman A says we should raise taxes on capital gains for the wealthy, regardless of whether or not it will increase revenue for the government, because we need to ensure fairness.	ALL	22%	21%	10%	22%	25%
	REP	16%	17%	9%	24%	34%
	IND	21%	23%	7%	26%	23%
	DEM	28%	22%	11%	19%	20%

Congressman B says it makes no sense to raise capital gains taxes since it will reduce revenue for the government. That would increase the deficit and hurt economic growth.

	STMT A	STMT B
ALL	43%	47%
REP	33%	58%
IND	44%	49%
DEM	50%	39%

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<i>STRONG AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>NOT SURE/ DON'T KNOW (VOL.)</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT B</i>	<i>STRONG AGREE STMT B</i>
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Tax Increases on the Wealthy

26. Congressman A says we need to raise taxes on the wealthy. We must have more tax revenue if we are ever going to reduce the deficit and make the wealthy pay their fair share.	ALL	25%	15%	7%	16%	36%
	REP	22%	9%	6%	13%	50%
	IND	21%	19%	6%	16%	38%
	DEM	33%	17%	8%	18%	24%

Congressman B says we will never tax our way out of the deficit. The way to reduce the deficit is to restrain government spending and reform our tax code to generate more economic growth.

	STMT A	STMT B
ALL	40%	52%
REP	31%	63%
IND	40%	54%
DEM	50%	42%

Obama Take Deficits/Debt Seriously

27. Congressman A says President Obama thinks the federal deficit and debt are serious problems that he needs to address. That is why he is proposing to raise taxes on the wealthy. He knows we will never get the deficit under control until the wealthy pay their fair share.	ALL	26%	19%	9%	17%	28%
	REP	20%	12%	8%	20%	39%
	IND	22%	24%	7%	21%	27%
	DEM	36%	20%	9%	14%	21%

Congressman B says President Obama just doesn't care about the deficit and the debt, based on his actions if not his words. That is why he proposed budgets with trillion-dollar deficits. His focus is on getting reelected, and he will let some future president worry about the deficit and the debt.

	STMT A	STMT B
ALL	45%	45%
REP	32%	59%
IND	46%	48%
DEM	56%	35%

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	<i>STRONG AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>NOT SURE/ DON'T KNOW (VOL.)</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT B</i>	<i>STRONG AGREE STMT B</i>
Reforming Medicare					
28. Congressman A says we should not balance the budget on the backs of our seniors. We need to cut back federal spending, but Medicare should be off limits. Republican plans to privatize Medicare are a Trojan Horse that will end Medicare as we know it.	ALL 19%	21%	13%	25%	23%
	REP 16%	18%	15%	28%	24%
	IND 16%	25%	10%	25%	23%
	DEM 24%	20%	12%	21%	23%

Congressman B says the Medicare trustees have declared that Medicare will go broke if we do nothing because of all the retiring baby boomers. By giving people age 55 and under the choice of joining traditional Medicare or using Medicare dollars to buy a private health insurance plan, we can preserve and protect this important program for future generations.

	STMT A	STMT B
ALL	40%	48%
REP	34%	52%
IND	41%	48%
DEM	44%	44%

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Energy

I would like to read you a pair of statements about energy policy and have you tell me which one you agree with more. *IF ANSWERED, ASK:* Do you strongly agree with that statement or somewhat agree with that statement?

<i>STRONG AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT A</i>	<i>NOT SURE/ DON'T KNOW (VOL.)</i>	<i>SMWHT AGREE STMT B</i>	<i>STRONG AGREE STMT B</i>
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Obama's Energy Plan

29. Congressman A says President Obama's energy policies have been good for the country. He has increased domestic oil production, while steering the country toward greater reliance on renewable sources of energy like solar and wind to reduce our dependence on foreign oil.	ALL	24%	20%	7%	14%	35%
	REP	6%	8%	6%	16%	63%
	IND	16%	22%	7%	16%	39%
	DEM	49%	27%	6%	10%	8%

Congressman B says President Obama's energy policies have been bad for the country. They have caused gasoline prices to double since he became President, he blocked the Keystone pipeline, and he supported new regulations that make it more difficult and expensive to produce domestic energy like oil and coal.

	STMT A	STMT B
ALL	44%	49%
REP	14%	79%
IND	38%	55%
DEM	76%	18%

Demographics

Now I have a few questions just for statistical purposes.

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

	ALL	
IF "REP" OR "DEM", ASK:		STRONG REP 23%
Would you consider yourself a strong or a not-so-strong Republican/Democrat?		NOT-SO-STRONG REP 7%
		IND LEAN REP 10%
		IND/NO PREF 13%
IF "IND," ASK:		IND LEAN DEM 8%
Do you think of yourself as closer to the (ROTATE: Republican or Democratic Party)?		NOT-SO-STRONG DEM 8%
		STRONG DEM 27%
		REFUSED 5%

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
VERY LIBERAL	8%	2%	4%	16%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	18%	3%	17%	31%
MODERATE	25%	12%	32%	28%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE	27%	41%	32%	13%
VERY CONSERVATIVE	19%	39%	13%	8%
NO OPINION	4%	3%	2%	5%

32. Would you please stop me when I read the last level of education you completed?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL	2%	1%	2%	3%
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD	15%	14%	14%	17%
SOME COLLEGE	24%	21%	27%	25%
COLLEGE GRAD	34%	42%	34%	28%
GRADUATE OR PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL	22%	20%	22%	23%
REFUSED (DO NOT READ)	3%	3%	2%	4%

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
18 TO 24	7%	5%	7%	6%
25 TO 29	4%	5%	5%	4%
30 TO 39	20%	25%	21%	15%
40 TO 49	18%	21%	19%	16%
50 TO 64	29%	25%	28%	35%
65 OR OLDER	19%	16%	19%	23%
REFUSED (DO NOT READ)	2%	3%	2%	1%

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
\$25,000 OR LESS	11%	8%	11%	14%
\$25,000 TO \$50,000	18%	15%	18%	21%
\$50,000 TO \$75,000	21%	26%	19%	21%
\$75,000 TO \$100,000	16%	15%	21%	13%
\$100,000 TO \$150,000	13%	15%	13%	12%
\$150,000 TO \$250,000	6%	7%	7%	6%
\$250,000 OR MORE	3%	3%	3%	2%
REFUSED	11%	12%	8%	12%

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

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
PROTESTANT	31%	40%	29%	28%
CATHOLIC	25%	25%	29%	22%
OTHER CHRISTIAN	22%	22%	20%	25%
JEWISH	3%	2%	2%	4%
OTHER NON-CHRISTIAN	7%	3%	9%	6%
AGNOSTIC/ATHEIST	2%	1%	2%	3%
NONE.....	4%	3%	5%	5%
DON'T KNOW (DNR)	1%	0%	1%	2%
REFUSED (DNR).....	5%	5%	4%	5%

36. Would you call yourself an evangelical Christian or not?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
YES	29%	42%	23%	21%
NO	66%	55%	74%	69%
DON'T KNOW (DNR)	5%	4%	3%	9%
REFUSED (DNR).....	1%	0%	0%	1%

Note: Results based on 784 respondents.

37. Are you or is anyone in your immediate family a member of a labor union? IF YES, ASK: Is it a government employee or private sector union?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
YES/GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE UNION	9%	7%	10%	11%
YES/PRIVATE SECTOR UNION	11%	9%	11%	14%
NO	76%	80%	77%	70%
DON'T KNOW	4%	4%	2%	5%

38. 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?

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
YES/HISPANIC.....	9%	7%	7%	13%
NO/WHITE	75%	90%	82%	56%
NO/BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN	13%	1%	7%	28%
NO/ASIAN.....	0%	0%	1%	0%
NO/OTHER	2%	2%	3%	2%
REFUSED	1%	0%	1%	1%

39. Gender (from observation):

	ALL	REP	IND	DEM
MALE	46%	47%	53%	40%
FEMALE.....	54%	53%	47%	60%

40. Finally, in what state do you live?

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

Results are based on 1000 respondents, MoE = ±3.10 percent. Totals may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.