

**J Street
Colorado Statewide Survey**

**August 16-19, 2015
400 Likely Jewish Voters**

Q.2 Respondent's gender

	Total
Male	49
Female	51
(ref:GENDER)	

Q.6 How would you describe your Jewish denomination - orthodox, conservative, reform, reconstructionist, or unaffiliated?

	Total
Orthodox	6
Conservative.....	17
Reform.....	34
Reconstructionist	3
No particular denomination	35
(Other)	4
(Don't know/refused).....	2
(ref:JEWISHID)	

Q.7 Generally speaking, do you think that things in this country are going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track?

	Total
Right direction	42
Wrong track.....	47
(Don't know/refused).....	11
Right - Wrong	-5
(ref:DIRECT)	

Q.8/9 Now, I am going to read you a list of concerns that people have. Please tell me which ONE of these do you President Obama and Congress should make their MOST IMPORTANT priority? And which one of these concerns do you think President and Obama and Congress should make their SECOND MOST IMPORTANT priority?

	Comb	1st	2nd
The economy	31	18	14
Education	31	17	15
The environment	21	13	8
Health care	19	6	14
ISIS	18	8	10
Social Security and Medicare	15	8	7
The deficit and government spending	14	8	6
Iran	12	6	7
Immigration	9	4	5
Israel	7	3	4
Taxes	5	1	3
(Other)	5	3	3
(None of these)	2	1	2
(Don't know/refused)	4	3	4
(ref:CONC1/CONC2)			

Q.10 Do you approve or disapprove of the way Barack Obama is handling his job as president?

	Total
Strongly approve	32
Somewhat approve	32
Somewhat disapprove	8
Strongly disapprove	24
(Don't know/refused)	3
Total Approve	64
Total Disapprove	32
Approve - Disapprove	32
(ref:OBAMAJOB)	

Q.11 Do you approve or disapprove of the way Michael Bennet is handling his job as U.S. Senator?

	Total
Strongly approve.....	18
Somewhat approve.....	31
Somewhat disapprove.....	9
Strongly disapprove	7
(Don't know/refused).....	34
Total Approve	50
Total Disapprove.....	17
Approve - Disapprove	33
(ref:MBJOB)	

Q.12 Do you approve or disapprove of the way Cory Gardner is handling his job as U.S. Senator?

	Total
Strongly approve.....	5
Somewhat approve.....	23
Somewhat disapprove.....	19
Strongly disapprove	24
(Don't know/refused).....	29
Total Approve	28
Total Disapprove.....	43
Approve - Disapprove	-15
(ref:CGJOB)	

Q.13 And what about Congress - do you approve or disapprove of the job Congress is doing?

	Total
Strongly approve.....	3
Somewhat approve.....	10
Somewhat disapprove.....	23
Strongly disapprove	59
(Don't know/Refused)	5
Total Approve	13
Total Disapprove.....	82
Approve - Disapprove	-69
(ref:CONGJOB)	

Now, I'd like to rate your feelings toward some people, with one hundred meaning a VERY WARM, FAVORABLE feeling; zero meaning a VERY COLD, UNFAVORABLE feeling; and fifty meaning not particularly warm or cold. You can use any number from zero to one hundred, the higher the number the more favorable your feelings are toward that person. If you have no opinion or never heard of that person, please say so.

	Mean	Fav	Unfav	ID
14 Barack Obama	61	65	27	98
15 Hillary Clinton.....	51	54	34	98
16 Michael Bennet.....	57	40	19	78
17 Cory Gardner.....	36	16	49	82
18 Jeb Bush.....	30	13	66	94
19 Donald Trump	23	16	73	98
20 Benjamin Netanyahu.....	57	49	28	89
(ref:THERM)				

Q.21 I know it is a long way off, but thinking about the election for president in 2016, if the election were held today and the candidates were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Jeb Bush, for whom would you vote?

	Total
Hillary Clinton.....	66
Lean Hillary Clinton	2
Jeb Bush.....	22
Lean Jeb Bush	0
(Other)	8
(Undecided).....	2
Total Hillary Clinton.....	68
Total Jeb Bush	23
 Hillary Clinton - Jeb Bush.....	 45

Allocated 2016 Presidential vote¹

	Total
Hillary Clinton.....	68
Jeb Bush.....	24
(Other)	8
(Und)	0
 Hillary Clinton - Jeb Bush.....	 44
(ref:HRCJB)	

Q.23 Now, a different topic. As you may know, the United States, Britain, Germany, France, China, and Russia recently reached an agreement with Iran to limit Iran's nuclear program in exchange for relief from sanctions. How much have you heard about this agreement - a great deal of information, some information, not much information, or no information at all?

	Total
A great deal of information	47
Some information	34
Not much information	15
No information at all	3
(Don't know/refused).....	0
 A great deal/Some	 82
Not much/None	18
 A great deal/Some - Not much/None.....	 64
(ref:IRANAWARE)	

¹ Undecided respondents were allocated to a candidate based on which candidate they rated higher in Q15 and Q18. If they rated the candidates equally, they were allocated based on their party identification in Q36, with Independents remaining undecided.

Q.24 As you may know, the U.S. and other countries have announced a deal to lift economic sanctions against Iran in exchange for Iran agreeing not to produce nuclear weapons. International inspectors would monitor Iran's facilities, and if Iran is caught breaking the agreement economic sanctions would be imposed again. Do you support or oppose this agreement?

	Total
Strongly support	29
Somewhat support.....	32
Somewhat oppose	6
Strongly oppose	27
(Don't know/refuse).....	5
Total Support	62
Total Oppose	33
Support - Oppose	28
(ref:AGRMAPP)	

Q.25 As you may know, Congress will vote next month to approve or disapprove the agreement with Iran. If Senator Michael Bennet votes to APPROVE the agreement, does this make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in the 2016 election for U.S. Senate?

	Total
Much more likely	19
Somewhat more likely.....	28
Somewhat less likely	11
Much less likely	23
(No difference)	12
(Don't know/refused).....	7
Total more likely	47
Total less likely	34
More - less likely	13
(ref:YESIMP)	

Q.26 If Senator Michael Bennet votes to DISAPPROVE the agreement, does this make you more likely or less likely to vote for him in the 2016 election for U.S. Senate?

	Total
Much more likely	17
Somewhat more likely	18
Somewhat less likely	27
Much less likely	16
(No difference)	13
(Don't know/refused).....	8
Total more likely	35
Total less likely	43
More - less likely	-8
(ref:NOIMP)	

Finally, I would like to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes.

Q.27 What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

	Total
1 - 11th grade.....	-
High School graduate	5
Non-college post H.S.	1
Some college	17
College graduate	35
Post-graduate school	39
(Don't know/refused).....	3
(ref:EDUC)	

Q.28 In what year were you born?

	Total
18 - 24.....	7
25 - 29.....	5
30 - 34.....	8
35 - 39.....	5
40 - 44.....	6
45 - 49.....	6
50 - 54.....	8
55 - 59.....	9
60 - 64.....	12
Over 64	30
(No answer).....	3
(ref:AGE)	

Q.29 Are you currently a member of a synagogue or temple?

	Total
Yes	35
No.....	62
(Don't know/refused).....	3
Yes - No.....	-27
(ref:SYNOG)	

Q.30 Aside from special occasions like weddings, funerals, and bar mitzvahs, how often do you attend religious services at a synagogue, temple, minyan, or Havurah -- more than once a week, once a week, once or twice a month, a few times a year such as high holidays, seldom, or never?

	Total
More than once a week.....	3
Once a week.....	7
Once or twice a month.....	16
A few times a year, such as for high holidays.....	31
Seldom.....	13
Never.....	27
(Don't know/refused).....	5
(ref:ATTEND)	

Q.31 Do you participate in events or activities sponsored by any other Jewish community or advocacy organizations?

	Total
Yes	39
No.....	56
(Don't know/refused).....	5
Yes - No.....	-17
(ref:JORG)	

Q.32 Have you ever been to Israel?

	Total
Yes	44
No.....	51
(Don't know/refused).....	4
Yes - No.....	-7
(ref:TRAVEL)	

Q.33 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican or Independent?

	Total
Strong Democrat.....	41
Weak Democrat.....	15
Independent-lean Democrat.....	16
Independent.....	4
Independent-lean Republican.....	6
Weak Republican.....	5
Strong Republican.....	8
(Don't know/Refused).....	4
(ref:PTYID1)	

Q.34 Thinking in political terms, would you say you that you are conservative, moderate, liberal, or progressive?

	Total
Conservative.....	19
Moderate.....	22
Liberal.....	29
Progressive.....	24
(Don't know/refused).....	6
(ref:IDEOL)	

Q.35 In the 2012 Presidential election, did you vote for Democrat Barack Obama or Republican Mitt Romney?

	Total
Barack Obama.....	67
Mitt Romney.....	21
(Other).....	1
(Did not vote/too young to vote).....	3
(Don't know/refused).....	8
Obama - Romney.....	46
(ref:Q2012PRES)	

Q.36 One last question. Remember this is confidential and anonymous survey, and we are not selling anything. Last year, that is in 2014, what was your total household income from all sources, before taxes?

	Total
Less than \$20,000.....	8
\$20,000 to \$49,999.....	14
\$50,000 to \$74,999.....	15
\$75,000 to \$99,999.....	11
\$100,000 to \$199,999.....	20
\$200,000 or more.....	9
(Don't know/refused).....	23
(ref:INCOME)	