

# TIME MAGAZINE/ABT SRBI – September 11 – September 15, 2008 Survey

FINAL DATA-September 16, 2008

BASE= 1008 Likely Female Voters Except Where Noted

Q5. IF THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION WERE HELD TODAY AND THE CANDIDATES WERE BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRATS, AND JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICANS, AND YOU HAD TO CHOOSE, FOR WHOM WOULD YOU VOTE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRATS	46%
JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICANS	45%
OTHER/NEITHER	1%
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	9%

Q6. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRATS, OR MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICANS?

BASE: UNDECIDED LIKELY VOTERS (94)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN	29%
LEAN MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN	32%
OTHER	1%
WOULD NOT VOTE FOR EITHER	1%
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	37%

Q5. IF THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION WERE HELD TODAY AND THE CANDIDATES WERE BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRATS, AND JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICANS, AND YOU HAD TO CHOOSE, FOR WHOM WOULD YOU VOTE?  
Q6. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRATS, OR MORE TOWARD JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICANS?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
OBAMA AND BIDEN/LEAN OBAMA AND BIDEN	48%
JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN/LEAN JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN	47%
OTHER/NEITHER	1%
WOULD NOT VOTE FOR EITHER	*
UNDECIDED/DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	3%

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Q7. IS THERE ANY CHANCE THAT YOU MIGHT CHANGE YOUR MIND, OR NOT?  
BASE: DECIDED LIKELY VOTERS (914)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CHANCE MIGHT CHANGE MIND	11%
NOT	88%
DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE	1%

Q8. ARE YOU VERY ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT THE CANDIDATE YOU'RE SUPPORTING FOR PRESIDENT, SOMEWHAT ENTHUSIASTIC, NOT VERY ENTHUSIASTIC, OR NOT AT ALL ENTHUSIASTIC?  
BASE: DECIDED/LEADING LIKELY VOTERS (970)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY ENTHUSIASTIC	52%
SOMEWHAT ENTHUSIASTIC	41%
NOT VERY ENTHUSIASTIC	5%
NOT AT ALL ENTHUSIASTIC	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q9. WHEN DID YOU DECIDE TO SUPPORT/LEAN TO [OBAMA/BIDEN / MCCAIN/PALIN]?  
BASE: DECIDED/LEADING OBAMA/BIDEN / MCCAIN/PALIN LIKELY VOTERS (957)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
DURING OR AFTER POLITICAL CONVENTIONS	28%
BEFORE	71%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q10. THINKING BACK BEFORE THE POLITICAL CONVENTIONS OF THE PAST FEW WEEKS, WAS THERE A TIME WHEN YOU WERE THINKING ABOUT VOTING FOR ANOTHER CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT, BUT THEN CHANGED YOUR MIND IN THE PAST FEW WEEKS?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
WAS A TIME WHEN SUPPORTED ANOTHER CANDIDATE	20%
NO	79%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

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Q11. DID JOHN MCCAIN'S CHOICE OF SARAH PALIN AS HIS RUNNING MATE MAKE YOU LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR MCCAIN, MORE LIKELY, OR DIDN'T IT MAKE MUCH DIFFERENCE TO YOU?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LESS LIKELY	20%
MORE LIKELY	32%
NOT MUCH DIFFERENCE	47%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

Q12. DID BARACK OBAMA'S CHOICE OF JOE BIDEN AS HIS RUNNING MATE MAKE YOU LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR OBAMA, MORE LIKELY, OR DIDN'T IT MAKE MUCH DIFFERENCE TO YOU?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LESS LIKELY	13%
MORE LIKELY	17%
NOT MUCH DIFFERENCE	70%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q13. BASED ON WHAT YOU'VE SEEN OR HEARD, DO YOU HAVE A FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE OPINION OF?  
1) BARACK OBAMA

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
FAVORABLE	57%
UNFAVORABLE	36%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	7%

Q13. BASED ON WHAT YOU'VE SEEN OR HEARD, DO YOU HAVE A FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE OPINION OF?  
2) JOHN MCCAIN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
FAVORABLE	57%
UNFAVORABLE	37%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

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Q13. BASED ON WHAT YOU'VE SEEN OR HEARD, DO YOU HAVE A FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE OPINION OF?  
3) JOE BIDEN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
FAVORABLE	49%
UNFAVORABLE	30%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	21%

Q13. BASED ON WHAT YOU'VE SEEN OR HEARD, DO YOU HAVE A FAVORABLE OR UNFAVORABLE OPINION OF?  
4) SARAH PALIN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
FAVORABLE	55%
UNFAVORABLE	33%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	12%

Q14. WHICH IS MORE IMPORTANT TO YOU IN YOUR FAVORABLE RATING OF SARAH PALIN?  
BASE: LIKELY VOTERS WHO HAVE FAVORABLE OPINION OF SARAH PALIN (538)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
PERSONAL QUALITIES	42%
HER POSITIONS ON SPECIFIC ISSUES	33%
BOTH	21%
OTHER	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

Q14. WHICH IS MORE IMPORTANT TO YOU IN YOUR UNFAVORABLE RATING OF SARAH PALIN?  
BASE: LIKELY VOTERS WHO HAVE UNFAVORABLE OPINION OF SARAH PALIN (344)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
PERSONAL QUALITIES	28%
HER POSITIONS ON SPECIFIC ISSUES	50%
BOTH	16%
OTHER	2%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

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Q15A. DO YOU FEEL THAT YOU KNOW ENOUGH ABOUT JOE BIDEN TO MAKE UP YOUR MIND ABOUT THE CANDIDATE, OR NOT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES, I KNOW ENOUGH	59%
NO, I DO NOT KNOW ENOUGH	38%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

Q15B. DO YOU FEEL THAT YOU KNOW ENOUGH ABOUT SARAH PALIN TO MAKE UP YOUR MIND ABOUT THE CANDIDATE, OR NOT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES, I KNOW ENOUGH	65%
NO, I DO NOT KNOW ENOUGH	34%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

Q16. IN YOUR OPINION, WHICH CANDIDATES ARE MOST LIKELY TO BRING REAL CHANGE TO WASHINGTON?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA AND JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRATS	50%
JOHN MCCAIN AND SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICANS	37%
NONE/NEITHER	6%
BOTH EQUAL	1%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	6%

Q17. HOW WELL PREPARED IS BARACK OBAMA TO CARRY OUT THE DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY PREPARED	27%
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	37%
NOT VERY PREPARED	19%
NOT AT ALL PREPARED	15%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

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Q17. HOW WELL PREPARED IS JOHN MCCAIN TO CARRY OUT THE DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY PREPARED	46%
SOMEWHAT PREPARED	35%
NOT VERY PREPARED	8%
NOT AT ALL PREPARED	8%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	3%

Q18. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES UNDERSTAND THE EVERYDAY CONCERNS AND NEEDS OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF?

1) BARACK OBAMA

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	40%
SOME	34%
NOT MUCH	11%
NOT AT ALL	13%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	1%

Q18. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES UNDERSTAND THE EVERYDAY CONCERNS AND NEEDS OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF?

2) JOHN MCCAIN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	25%
SOME	40%
NOT MUCH	13%
NOT AT ALL	20%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

Q18. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES UNDERSTAND THE EVERYDAY CONCERNS AND NEEDS OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF?

3) JOE BIDEN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	27%
SOME	39%
NOT MUCH	10%
NOT AT ALL	11%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	13%

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Q18. HOW WELL DO EACH OF THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES UNDERSTAND THE EVERYDAY CONCERNS AND NEEDS OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF?

4) SARAH PALIN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	39%
SOME	30%
NOT MUCH	9%
NOT AT ALL	17%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	5%

Q19. HOW MUCH DO YOU PERSONALLY IDENTIFY WITH THE EVERYDAY LIFE EXPERIENCES AND VALUES OF...?

1) BARACK OBAMA

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	26%
SOME	32%
NOT MUCH	16%
NOT AT ALL	23%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	3%

Q19. HOW MUCH DO YOU PERSONALLY IDENTIFY WITH THE EVERYDAY LIFE EXPERIENCES AND VALUES OF...?

2) JOHN MCCAIN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	18%
SOME	35%
NOT MUCH	18%
NOT AT ALL	27%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

Q19. HOW MUCH DO YOU PERSONALLY IDENTIFY WITH THE EVERYDAY LIFE EXPERIENCES AND VALUES OF...?

3) JOE BIDEN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	16%
SOME	33%
NOT MUCH	19%
NOT AT ALL	22%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	11%

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Q19. HOW MUCH DO YOU PERSONALLY IDENTIFY WITH THE EVERYDAY LIFE EXPERIENCES AND VALUES OF...?  
4) SARAH PALIN

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A GREAT DEAL	29%
SOME	35%
NOT MUCH	11%
NOT AT ALL	21%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	4%

Q20. REGARDLESS OF WHO YOU'RE VOTING FOR, WHICH VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE WOULD BE BEST PREPARED TO TAKE OVER THE PRESIDENCY IF THAT WERE NECESSARY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRAT	54%
SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICAN	37%
BOTH EQUAL	2%
NEITHER	1%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	6%

Q21. AND WHICH VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE WOULD BE BEST PREPARED TO BE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
JOE BIDEN, THE DEMOCRAT	54%
SARAH PALIN, THE REPUBLICAN	36%
BOTH EQUAL	2%
NEITHER	1%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	7%

Q22. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU PERSONALLY AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH SARAH PALIN'S POSITIONS ON THE FOLLOWING ISSUES.

1) PALIN SUPPORTS TEACHING OF BOTH CREATIONISM AND EVOLUTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
AGREE	55%
DISAGREE	40%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	5%

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Q22. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU PERSONALLY AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH SARAH PALIN'S POSITIONS ON THE FOLLOWING ISSUES.

2) SHE OPPOSES ABORTION IN ALL CASES, INCLUDING RAPE AND INCEST, EXCEPT WHEN THE LIFE OF THE MOTHER IS IN DANGER

ALL  
RESPONDENTS  
=====

AGREE	33%
DI SAGREE	65%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

Q22. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU PERSONALLY AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH SARAH PALIN'S POSITIONS ON THE FOLLOWING ISSUES.

3) PALIN SUPPORTS THE RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS, INCLUDING HANDGUNS

ALL  
RESPONDENTS  
=====

AGREE	62%
DI SAGREE	34%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	4%

Q22. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU PERSONALLY AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH SARAH PALIN'S POSITIONS ON THE FOLLOWING ISSUES.

4) SHE FAVORS MORE DRILLING FOR OIL AND GAS, INCLUDING IN THE ARCTIC WILDLIFE REFUGE

ALL  
RESPONDENTS  
=====

AGREE	56%
DI SAGREE	39%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	5%

Q22. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU PERSONALLY AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH SARAH PALIN'S POSITIONS ON THE FOLLOWING ISSUES.

5) SHE DOES NOT BELIEVE THAT GLOBAL WARMING IS CAUSED BY HUMANS

ALL  
RESPONDENTS  
=====

AGREE	23%
DI SAGREE	69%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	8%

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Q22. PLEASE TELL ME WHETHER YOU PERSONALLY AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH SARAH PALIN'S POSITIONS ON THE FOLLOWING ISSUES.

6) PALIN SUPPORTS THE WAR IN IRAQ

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
AGREE	43%
DISAGREE	52%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	5%

Q23. REGARDLESS OF THE CANDIDATES CURRENTLY RUNNING FOR PRESIDENT, AS THINGS STAND NOW, WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO VOTE FOR THE...?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE	49%
REPUBLICAN NOMINEE	46%
OTHER PARTY	*
NO ANSWER/UNDECIDED/ DON'T KNOW	4%

Q24. THERE WILL BE ELECTIONS FOR THE U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THIS YEAR. IF THE ELECTION WERE BEING HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO VOTE FOR THE REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRATIC IN THE DISTRICT WHERE YOU LIVE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
REPUBLICAN	37%
DEMOCRATIC	48%
OTHER	2%
DON'T USUALLY VOTE	4%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	10%

Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

A) THE NATION'S ECONOMY

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	52%
VERY IMPORTANT	42%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	5%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	*
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	*
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	*

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Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

B) GAS PRICES AT THE PUMP

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	45%
VERY IMPORTANT	36%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	17%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	2%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	*
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

C) THE SITUATION IN IRAQ

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	43%
VERY IMPORTANT	44%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	10%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	1%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

D) IMMIGRATION

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	29%
VERY IMPORTANT	36%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	28%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	5%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	2%
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E) GLOBAL WARMING

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	27%
VERY IMPORTANT	32%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	27%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	7%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	6%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

F) SO-CALLED VALUES ISSUES, SUCH AS ABORTION AND GAY MARRIAGE

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	24%
VERY IMPORTANT	29%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	28%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	10%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	8%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

G) TERRORISM

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	44%
VERY IMPORTANT	40%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	12%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	3%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	*
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

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H) HEALTH CARE

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	47%
VERY IMPORTANT	39%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	11%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	1%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.  
I) TAXES

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	37%
VERY IMPORTANT	41%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	19%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	3%
NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL	1%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	*

Q25. PLEASE TELL ME HOW IMPORTANT THE ISSUE IS TO YOU PERSONALLY IN VOTING IN THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.  
J) REDUCING WORLD POVERTY

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT	28%
VERY IMPORTANT	35%
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	29%
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	4%
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Q26. JUST THINKING ABOUT YOUR OWN PERSONAL ECONOMIC SITUATION, DO YOU FEEL THAT OVER THE PAST TWELVE MONTHS THINGS HAVE GOTTEN BETTER, WORSE, OR STAYED ABOUT THE SAME?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BETTER	5%
WORSE	58%
SAME	37%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	*

Q27. IN GENERAL, DO YOU FEEL THAT YOU SHOULD TRY TO SUPPORT A FEMALE CANDIDATE FOR OFFICE, EVEN IF YOU DON' T AGREE WITH THE FEMALE CANDIDATE ON MANY ISSUES, OR DOESN' T THE GENDER OF THE CANDIDATE REALLY MATTER TO YOU?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES, SHOULD TRY	4%
GENDER DOESN' T MATTER	94%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	1%

Q28. TURNING TO ANOTHER ISSUE... IN GENERAL, DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY PRESIDENT BUSH IS HANDLING HIS JOB AS PRESIDENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
APPROVE	30%
DISAPPROVE	66%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	3%

F1. WHAT IS YOUR AGE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
18-24	6%
25-29	7%
30-34	7%
35-39	8%
40-44	10%
45-54	22%
55-64	16%
65 OR OLDER	23%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	1%

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F2. ARE YOU OF HISPANIC ORIGIN OR DESCENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	10%
NO	89%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	1%

F3. WHAT IS YOUR RACE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
WHI TE	77%
BLACK	11%
ASI AN	2%
HI SPANI C	4%
OTHER	6%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	1%

F4. WHAT IS THE HIGHEST GRADE OF SCHOOLING THAT YOU' VE COMPLETED?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
8TH GRADE OR LESS	1%
SOME HI GH SCHOOL	3%
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	26%
SOME COLLEGE	34%
COLLEGE GRADUATE	24%
POSTGRADUATE STUDY/LAW OR MEDI CAL SCHOOL	12%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	*

F5. GENERALLY SPEAKING, DO YOU USUALLY THINK OF YOURSELF AS A REPUBLI CAN, A DEMOCRAT, AN I NDEPENDENT, OR SOMETHI NG ELSE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
A REPUBLI CAN	30%
A DEMOCRAT	38%
AN I NDEPENDENT	25%
SOMETHI NG ELSE	6%
NO ANSWER/DON' T KNOW	2%

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F6. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD THE REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRATIC PARTY?  
BASE: INDEPENDENT LIKELY VOTERS (263)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LEAN MORE TOWARD REPUBLICAN PARTY	37%
LEAN MORE TOWARD DEMOCRATIC PARTY	44%
DON'T LEAN/INDEPENDENT/ SOMETHING ELSE	16%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

F5. GENERALLY SPEAKING, DO YOU USUALLY THINK OF YOURSELF AS A REPUBLICAN, A DEMOCRAT, AN INDEPENDENT, OR SOMETHING ELSE?  
F6. DO YOU LEAN MORE TOWARD THE REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRATIC PARTY?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
REPUBLICAN/LEAN REPUBLICAN	39%
DEMOCRAT/LEAN DEMOCRAT	49%
DON'T LEAN/INDEPENDENT/ SOMETHING ELSE	4%
SOMETHING ELSE	6%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

F7. IN POLITICS AS OF TODAY, DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF TO BE VERY CONSERVATIVE, SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE, MODERATE, SOMEWHAT LIBERAL, OR VERY LIBERAL?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
VERY CONSERVATIVE	14%
SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE	30%
MODERATE	29%
SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	18%
VERY LIBERAL	6%
SOMETHING ELSE	*
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

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F7A. WHAT IS YOUR MARITAL STATUS?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MARRIED	58%
SINGLE, NEVER MARRIED	17%
DIVORCED/SEPARATED	13%
WIDOWED	12%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	1%

F8. DO YOU HAVE ANY CHILDREN AGE 18 OR UNDER CURRENTLY LIVING AT YOUR HOME?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES, HAVE CHILDREN	36%
NO, DO NOT	64%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	*

F8A. ARE YOU OR ANYONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD CURRENTLY CARING FOR A PARENT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	12%
NO	88%
DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	*

8B. DO YOU, OR DOES ANYONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD CURRENTLY OWN A FIREARM?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	40%
NO	59%
DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	1%

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BASE= 1008 Likely Female Voters Except Where Noted

F9. ARE YOU CURRENTLY EMPLOYED FULL-TIME, PART-TIME, LAID OFF BUT LOOKING FOR WORK, RETIRED, A STUDENT, A HOMEMAKER, OR SOMETHING ELSE?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
EMPLOYED FULL-TIME	43%
EMPLOYED PART-TIME	12%
LAID OFF BUT LOOKING FOR WORK	2%
RETIRED	25%
STUDENT	3%
HOMEMAKER	9%
SOMETHING ELSE	5%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	*

F11. DID YOU VOTE IN YOUR STATE'S DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION EARLIER THIS YEAR OR PARTICIPATE IN ANY OF THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CAUCUSES?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	46%
NO	53%
DON'T KNOW/NO ANSWER	1%

F12. DO YOU RECALL WHICH DEMOCRATIC PARTY CANDIDATE YOU SUPPORTED IN YOUR STATE'S PRIMARY ELECTION OR CAUCUS?  
BASE: LIKELY VOTERS WHO VOTED STATE'S DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION OR CAUCUS (479)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
BARACK OBAMA	35%
HILLARY CLINTON	30%
JOHN EDWARDS	2%
JOE BIDEN	*
ANOTHER CANDIDATE	6%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	28%

F13. JUST FOR CLASSIFICATION PURPOSES, DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF CATHOLIC, PROTESTANT, JEWISH, OR SOME OTHER RELIGION?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
CATHOLIC	23%
PROTESTANT	40%
JEWISH	3%
SOME OTHER RELIGION	32%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	3%

\* = less than 1%

- = question not asked/zero respondents

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F14. DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF AN EVANGELICAL OR BORN-AGAIN CHRISTIAN?  
 BASE: NON-JEWISH LIKELY VOTERS (972)

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	40%
NO	56%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

F15. DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF A FEMINIST, HOWEVER YOU WISH TO DEFINE IT?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
YES	35%
NO	62%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	4%

F16. ASIDE FROM WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS HOW OFTEN DO YOU ATTEND RELIGIOUS SERVICES?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
MORE THAN ONCE A WEEK	14%
ONCE A WEEK	28%
ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH	18%
A FEW TIMES A YEAR	17%
SELDOM	12%
NEVER	10%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	2%

F17. FINALLY, JUST FOR CLASSIFICATION PURPOSES, WAS YOUR TOTAL FAMILY INCOME BEFORE TAXES LAST YEAR...?

	ALL RESPONDENTS =====
LESS THAN \$20,000	13%
\$20,000 TO JUST UNDER \$35,000	13%
\$35,000 TO JUST UNDER \$50,000	14%
\$50,000 TO JUST UNDER \$75,000	19%
\$75,000 TO JUST UNDER \$100,000	13%
\$100,000 TO JUST UNDER \$150,000	10%
\$150,000 OR MORE	8%
NO ANSWER/DON'T KNOW	10%

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