

**TIME MAGAZINE POLL:
PRE-REPUBLICAN CONVENTION 2004:
August 24-26th**

Hello, I am _____ calling from the SRBI Public Affairs Research Center. We are conducting an opinion survey which will be in Time Magazine and we'd like to get the opinions of someone in your household about major issues. I'd like to ask a few questions of the YOUNGEST MALE, 18 years of age or older. [IF NO MALE, ASK: May I please speak with the OLDEST FEMALE, 18 years of age or older?]

(TUESDAY/WEDNESDAY:) MAKE CALLBACK APPOINTMENT for LATER TUESDAY/ WEDNESDAY NIGHT OR THURSDAY NIGHT IF NECESSARY.

(IF NECESSARY:) This is for research purposes only. Let me assure you that this is not a sales call. The results of the poll will be published in Time magazine next week.

(IF NECESSARY:) Your answers are strictly confidential and will be analyzed in statistical form only.

BASE

	REGISTERED VOTERS	LIKELY VOTERS
Aug24-26	1026	835
Aug3-5	1001	795
Jul20-22	1059	882

A. Gender (DO NOT ASK)

REGISTERED VOTERS	Male	Female
Aug24-26	48%	52%
Aug3-5	46%	54%
Jul20-22	48%	52%

1. To begin with, there's going to be an election for President and other offices in November. How much thought have you given to the presidential election race thus far – quite a lot, some, not much, or none at all?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Quite a lot	Some	Not much	None at all	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	65%	22%	8%	5%	0%	
Aug3-5	62%	24%	8%	6%	0%	0%
Jul20-22	63%	23%	8%	5%	0%	0%

2. These days, many people are so busy they can't find time to register to vote. Are you NOW registered to vote in your precinct or election district, or haven't you been able to register so far?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Yes, registered
Aug24-26	100%
Aug3-5	100%
Jul20-22	100%

3a. Suppose the 2004 election for President were being held today, and you had to choose between John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats, and George W. Bush and Dick Cheney (CHAY'nee) , the Republicans. For whom would you vote, Kerry and Edwards, or Bush and Cheney? **(ROTATE KERRY AND BUSH)**

LIKELY VOTERS	John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats	George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans	(VOL) Ralph Nader	(VOL) Other independent / third party candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	46%	46%	0%	0%	5%	2%
Aug3-5	50%	43%	0%	0%	5%	2%
Jul20-22	47%	45%	0%	1%	6%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	John Kerry and John Edwards, the Democrats	George W. Bush and Dick Cheney, the Republicans	(VOL) Ralph Nader	(VOL) Other independent / third party candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	44%	45%	0%	2%	7%	2%
Aug3-5	49%	41%	1%	1%	7%	2%
Jul20-22	47%	43%	0%	1%	8%	1%

ASK 3B IF DON'T KNOW IN Q.3A. ROTATE KERRY AND BUSH SAME AS IN Q.3a

3b. Even though you haven't made up your mind yet, do you lean more toward supporting Kerry or Bush?

LIKELY VOTERS	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Ralph Nader	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	24%	31%		1%	44%
Aug3-5	23%	33%		37%	6%
Jul20-22	40%	25%	1%	33%	

REGISTERED VOTERS	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Ralph Nader	(VOL) Other independent / third party candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	21%	27%	1%	1%	48%	3%
Aug3-5	30%	33%		1%	32%	5%
Jul20-22	31%	29%	1%		39%	

ROTATE KERRY AND BUSH SAME AS IN Q.3A. NADER ALWAYS LAST

4a. Now suppose the 2004 election for President were being held today, and you had to choose between George W. Bush, the Republican; John Kerry, the Democrat; or Ralph Nader, running as an independent. For whom would you vote, Bush, Kerry, or Nader?

LIKELY VOTERS	Kerry	Bush	Nader	(VOL) Other independent candidate	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	44%	46%	5%	0%	3%	2%
Aug3-5	48%	43%	4%	0%	3%	2%
Jul20-22	46%	44%	5%	0%	4%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Kerry	Bush	Nader	(VOL) Other independent candidate	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	42%	46%	6%	0%	5%	2%
Aug3-5	45%	41%	6%	1%	4%	2%
Jul20-22	46%	43%	5%	0%	5%	1%

ASK IF DON'T KNOW IN Q.4A. ROTATE KERRY AND BUSH AS IN 4A. NADER ALWAYS LAST

4b. Even though you haven't made up your mind yet, do you lean more toward supporting Bush, Kerry, or Nader?

LIKELY VOTERS	Kerry	Bush	Nader	(VOL) Other	(VOL) Don't Know
Aug24-26	25%	21%		2%	44%
Aug3-5	18%	21%	10%	7%	45%
Jul20-22	9%	39%	2%		50%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Kerry	Bush	Nader	(VOL) Other	(VOL) Don't Know
Aug24-26	22%	14%		1%	59%
Aug3-5	34%	15%	5%	4%	41%
Jul20-22	12%	35%	1%		51%

4c. (IF VOTE FOR BUSH/KERRY/OR NADER IN Q.4A, ASK Q.4C. OTHERS SKIP TO Q.5.)

Is there any chance that you might change your mind about voting for (NAME IN Q.4A,) or not?

LIKELY VOTERS	Chance	No Chance	(VOL) Don't know/Not Sure
Aug24-26	16%	83%	1%
Aug3-5	17%	82%	1%
Jul20-22	18%	81%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Chance	No Chance	(VOL) Don't know/Not Sure
Aug24-26	18%	81%	2%
Aug3-5	19%	79%	1%
Jul20-22	20%	78%	2%

6b. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry (ROTATE NAMES), do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? (RANDOMIZE AND READ EACH ITEM)

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? THE ECONOMY					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	46%	43%	4%	0%	7%	0%
Aug3-5	51%	42%	2%	1%	4%	0%
Jul20-22	50%	42%	2%	0%	5%	

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? MORAL VALUES ISSUES					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	39%	47%	5%	1%	8%	0%
Aug3-5	44%	44%	4%	0%	7%	1%
Jul20-22	40%	47%	4%	1%	7%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? HEALTH CARE					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	47%	39%	4%	0%	10%	0%
Aug3-5	54%	36%	4%	1%	5%	0%
Jul20-22	52%	36%	4%	0%	8%	

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? THE SITUATION IN IRAQ					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	41%	49%	4%	0%	5%	1%
Aug3-5	44%	46%	4%	1%	5%	0%
Jul20-22	44%	48%	3%	0%	4%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? THE WAR ON TERRORISM					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	41%	51%	3%	1%	4%	
Aug3-5	41%	49%	4%	1%	5%	0%
Jul20-22	42%	50%	2%	1%	5%	

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? UNDERSTANDING THE NEEDS OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	45%	42%	7%	1%	5%	0%
Aug3-5	53%	38%	5%	1%	3%	0%
Jul20-22	52%	40%	5%	0%	3%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? PROVIDING STRONG LEADERSHIP IN DIFFICULT TIMES					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	41%	52%	2%	0%	4%	0%
Aug3-5	43%	48%	3%	1%	4%	1%
Jul20-22	42%	49%	3%	1%	6%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? TAX POLICY					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	45%	44%	3%	0%	7%	0%
Aug3-5	47%	43%	4%	0%	5%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q6B. Which candidate, Bush or Kerry, do you trust more to handle each of the following areas? BEING COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE ARMED FORCES					
	Kerry	Bush	(VOL) Neither candidate	(VOL) Both candidates	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	42%	50%	1%	0%	6%	0%
Aug3-5	47%	45%	2%	1%	4%	0%

7. Please tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of (READ EACH NAME) . If you don't have an opinion of this candidate, just let me know. (ROTATE BUSH/CHENEY WITH KERRY/EDWARDS)

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q7. Please tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of John Kerry . If you don't have an opinion of this candidate, just let me know.			
	Favorable	Unfavorable	(VOL) Don't know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	44%	33%	22%	1%
Aug3-5	53%	29%	18%	1%
Jul20-22	47%	29%	24%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q7. Please tell me if you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of George W. Bush . If you don't have an opinion of this candidate, just let me know.			
	Favorable	Unfavorable	(VOL) Don't know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	46%	39%	15%	1%
Aug3-5	45%	45%	10%	1%
Jul20-22	45%	45%	9%	0%

7c. Turning to the Presidential candidates' wives, do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of (ROTATE: LAURA BUSH/TERESA HEINZ KERRY)? (READ AFTER EACH NAME:) If you don't have an opinion, just let me know.

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q7c. Turning to the Presidential candidates' wives, do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of LAURA BUSH ? Again, if you don't have an opinion, just let me know.			
	Favorable	Unfavorable	(VOL) Don't have an opinion/Do n't know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	53%	7%	40%	
Jul20-22	56%	6%	38%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q7c. Turning to the Presidential candidates' wives, do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of TERESA HEINZ KERRY ? Again, if you don't have an opinion, just let me know.			
	Favorable	Unfavorable	(VOL) Don't have an opinion/Do n't know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	25%	25%	50%	0%
Jul20-22	20%	12%	68%	0%

8a. Regardless of how you plan to vote, if (ROTATE: John Kerry/George Bush) were elected, would you trust him to lead the war against terrorism, or not?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q8A. Regardless of how you plan to vote, if John Kerry were elected, would you trust him to lead the war against terrorism, or not?			
	Trust	Not Trust	(VOL) Don't know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	58%	33%	9%	0%
Aug3-5	62%	32%	6%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q8A. Regardless of how you plan to vote, if George Bush were elected, would you trust him to lead the war against terrorism, or not?			
	Trust	Not Trust	(VOL) Don't know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	62%	34%	4%	0%
Aug3-5	61%	35%	4%	0%

8c. How important is a President's wife in deciding on your vote – very important, somewhat important, not very important, or not at all important?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Very important	Somewhat important	Not very important	Not at all important	(VOL) Don't know/Not Sure
Aug24-26	17%	30%	24%	28%	1%

Turning to some other issues...

9a. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way President Bush is handling his job as President? (ACCEPT ONE RESPONSE) (TREND: Last Poll).

REGISTERED VOTERS	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	51%	45%	3%	1%
Aug3-5	50%	46%	3%	0%
Jul20-22	50%	47%	4%	0%

10. Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Right direction	Wrong track	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug3-5	44%	51%	5%	0%
Jul20-22	42%	52%	6%	0%

11. In your opinion, do you think President Bush deserves to be re-elected to a second term, or do you think it is time for someone else to be president?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Deserves to be re-elected	Time for someone else	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	46%	49%	4%	1%
Aug3-5	42%	54%	3%	0%
Jul20-22	43%	53%	4%	0%

12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas? (READ AND RECORD ONE ANSWER FOR EACH. RANDOMIZE)

REGISTERED VOTERS	(Q12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas?) A) HANDLING THE ECONOMY			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	46%	49%	5%	0%
Aug3-5	43%	54%	3%	0%
Jul20-22	44%	52%	4%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	(Q12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas?) B) HIS EMPHASIS ON MORAL VALUES AND RELIGION			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	60%	32%	7%	1%
Aug3-5	56%	37%	7%	0%
Jul20-22	55%	38%	7%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	(Q12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas?) C) HANDLING THE SITUATION IN IRAQ			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	48%	48%	3%	1%
Aug3-5	45%	52%	3%	0%
Jul20-22	41%	55%	5%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	(Q12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas?) D) HANDLING THE WAR ON TERRORISM			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	55%	40%	4%	1%
Aug3-5	56%	41%	3%	0%
Jul20-22	51%	46%	3%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas? E) HANDLING OF HEALTH CARE AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
	Aug24-26	35%	55%	9%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas? F) HANDLING OF EDUCATION POLICY			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
	Aug24-26	47%	42%	11%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12. Do you approve or disapprove of the job President Bush is doing in each of these areas? G) HANDLING OF THE NATION'S FOREIGN POLICY			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
	Aug24-26	46%	47%	6%

12a. The 9/11 Commission has recommended reforms aimed at making the country safer from terrorism. In responding to the 9/11 Commission's recommendations, do you think that the Bush Administration so far has responded about right to the Commission's recommendations, not done enough, or has the Bush Administration gone too far, too fast in responding to the Commission?

REGISTERED VOTERS	About right	Not done enough	Gone too far	(VOL) Don't know	(VOL) Refused
	Aug3-5	41%	31%	15%	12%

12B. Regardless of how you might vote, do each of the following accurately describe George Bush, or not? (RANDOMIZE)

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12B. Regardless of how you might vote, do each of the following accurately describe George Bush, or not? a) Honest and Trustworthy			
	Accurately Describes George W Bush	Does NOT Accurately Describe George W Bush	(VOL) Don't know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
	Aug24-26	54%	40%	6%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12B. Regardless of how you might vote, do each of the following accurately describe George Bush, or not? b) Cares about people like you			
	Accurately Describes George W Bush	Does NOT Accurately Describe George W Bush	(VOL) Don't know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	50%	45%	5%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12B. Regardless of how you might vote, do each of the following accurately describe George Bush, or not? c) Understands the issues			
	Accurately Describes George W Bush	Does NOT Accurately Describe George W Bush	(VOL) Don't know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	54%	41%	5%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12B. Regardless of how you might vote, do each of the following accurately describe George Bush, or not? d) Is likeable			
	Accurately Describes George W Bush	Does NOT Accurately Describe George W Bush	(VOL) Don't know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	65%	30%	4%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12B. Regardless of how you might vote, do each of the following accurately describe George Bush, or not? e) Has good judgement			
	Accurately Describes George W Bush	Does NOT Accurately Describe George W Bush	(VOL) Don't know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	50%	45%	4%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12B. Regardless of how you might vote, do each of the following accurately describe George Bush, or not? f) Sticks to his positions			
	Accurately Describes George W Bush	Does NOT Accurately Describe George W Bush	(VOL) Don't know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	78%	17%	5%	0%

9b. And do you approve or disapprove of the way Dick Cheney is handling his job as Vice President?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	43%	39%	17%	1%
Jul20-22	43%	43%	13%	1%

9c. Do you think President Bush should keep Dick Cheney as his Vice-Presidential running mate, or do you think he should choose someone else?

	Keep Cheney	Choose someone else	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	48%	34%	16%	1%
Jul20-22	52%	31%	16%	1%

BUSH'S CABINET (New Section):

12e. Turning to President Bush's Cabinet and top advisors, overall do you approve or disapprove of the job they've done?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12E. Turning to President Bush's Cabinet and top advisors, overall do you approve or disapprove of the job they've done?			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	50%	36%	14%	0%

12f. Do you approve or disapprove of the job that (READ EACH NAME. RANDOMIZE) has done as a member of President Bush's cabinet? Just let me know if you don't have an opinion.

12g. If President Bush is re-elected, should he keep (READ EACH NAME) in his cabinet, or not?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12F. Do you approve or disapprove of the job that SECRETARY OF STATE COLIN POWELL has done as a member of President Bush's cabinet? Just let me know if you don't have an opinion.			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	74%	12%	14%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12G. If President Bush is re-elected, should he keep SECRETARY OF STATE COLIN POWELL in his cabinet, or not?			
	Should be kept	Not be kept	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	85%	12%	4%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12F. Do you approve or disapprove of the job that SECRETARY OF DEFENSE DONALD RUMSFELD has done as a member of President Bush's cabinet? Just let me know if you don't have an opinion.			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	39%	37%	23%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12G. If President Bush is re-elected, should he keep SECRETARY OF DEFENSE DONALD RUMSFELD in his cabinet, or not?			
	Should be kept	Not be kept	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	48%	49%	3%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12F. Do you approve or disapprove of the job that NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISOR CONDOLEEZZA (CONDO LEESA') RICE has done as a member of President Bush's cabinet? Just let me know if you don't have an opinion.			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	52%	25%	23%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12G. If President Bush is re-elected, should he keep NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISOR CONDOLEEZZA (CONDO LEESA') RICE in his cabinet, or not?		
	Should be kept	Not be kept	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure
Aug24-26	68%	27%	5%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12F. Do you approve or disapprove of the job that DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY SECRETARY TOM RIDGE has done as a member of President Bush's cabinet? Just let me know if you don't have an opinion.			
	Approve	Disapprove	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	44%	25%	30%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q12G. If President Bush is re-elected, should he keep DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY SECRETARY TOM RIDGE in his cabinet, or not?		
	Should be kept	Not be kept	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure
Aug24-26	61%	31%	9%

13. Do you think the United States was right or wrong in going to war with Iraq? (TREND)

REGISTERED VOTERS	Right	Wrong	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	50%	43%	6%	1%
Aug3-5	47%	47%	5%	0%
Jul20-22	46%	49%	5%	0%

BUSH CAMPAIGN PROMISES:

19. Thinking back over the past four years and regardless of who you may have voted for, has George W. Bush done better than you expected as president, worse than you expected, or about as you expected, based on his campaign for president four years ago?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q19. Has George W. Bush done BETTER than you expected as president, worse than you expected, or about as you expected, based on his campaign for president four years ago?				
	Better	Worse	About as expected	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	26%	29%	42%	3%	0%

19a. Is George Bush today more moderate than you expected compared to what he said in the 2000 Presidential campaign, more conservative, or about what you expected?

REGISTERED VOTERS	More moderate	More conservative	About what you expected	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	9%	19%	63%	8%	1%

20. Has George Bush been more of a uniter of our country, that is, bringing people from different sides together, or more of a divider?

REGISTERED VOTERS	More of a uniter	More of a divider	(VOL) Neither	(VOL) Both	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	39%	50%	2%	1%	7%	1%

21. Has George Bush pretty much kept his campaign promises of four years ago, or not?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Kept promises	Has not	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	45%	36%	18%	0%

21a. Are there times when George Bush stuck to his position, but should have changed?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Yes, have been times	No, have not been	(VOL) Don't know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	60%	29%	11%	0%

22. In his acceptance speech four years ago, George Bush said that his administration's policies would be compassionate and caring. In your opinion, have his policies been compassionate and caring, or not?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Compassionate and caring	NOT Compassionate and caring	(VOL) Depends	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	45%	48%	2%	4%	1%

23. Bush also said four years ago that his administration would do each of the following. Has the Bush administration made a real progress in each of these areas, or not? Let's start with (READ EACH ITEM. RANDOMIZE).

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q23. Has the Bush administration made a real progress in each of these areas, or not? A) STRENGTHENING OUR EDUCATION SYSTEM SO THAT NO CHILD IS LEFT BEHIND.			
	Has made real progress	Has not made real progress	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	44%	46%	9%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q23. Has the Bush administration made a real progress in each of these areas, or not? B) STRENGTHENING MEDICARE AND PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS.			
	Has made real progress	Has not made real progress	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	31%	56%	12%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q23. Has the Bush administration made a real progress in each of these areas, or not? C) STRENGTHENING OUR TIES WITH OUR ALLIES AROUND THE WORLD.			
	Has made real progress	Has not made real progress	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	33%	59%	8%	1%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q23. Has the Bush administration made a real progress in each of these areas, or not? D) STRENGTHENING THE UNITED STATES MILITARY.			
	Has made real progress	Has not made real progress	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	63%	30%	7%	0%

REGISTERED VOTERS	Q23. Has the Bush administration made a real progress in each of these areas, or not? E) MAKING SURE THAT THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM WILL BE SOUND FOR MANY YEARS TO COME.			
	Has made real progress	Has not made real progress	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	27%	59%	14%	0%

24. Have George Bush's tax policies been fair to the average taxpayer, or have they favored the wealthy over everyone else?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Fair to the average taxpayer	Favored the wealthy	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
	Aug24-26	38%	53%	8%

26. Have you seen, heard or read anything about ads that have attacked John Kerry's military service record in Vietnam?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Yes	No	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure
Aug24-26	77%	22%	1%

27. Would you say that these attacks on Kerry's military service record are just politics as usual or do you think there's some truth to the ads?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Just politics as usual	Some truth	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	56%	35%	8%	1%

28. All in all, have these ads made you less likely to vote for John Kerry, more likely to vote for Kerry, or have they had no impact on your voting decision?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Less likely to vote for Kerry	More likely to vote for Kerry	No impact	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	13%	14%	72%	1%	0%

29. The Republican convention will be in New York City next week. I'd like to ask you about your impression of New York City whether you have been there or not....In general, do you have a positive or a negative image of New York City? (If Positive/Negative, ask:) Would you say very positive/negative or somewhat positive/negative?

All Contacts	Very positive	Somewhat positive	Somewhat negative	Very negative	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	34%	35%	12%	5%	13%	1%

Demographics

Next, just a few questions to help us classify your responses...

F1. What is your age? (READ LIST ONLY IF NECESSARY)

REGISTERED VOTERS	18-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-54	55-64	65 or older	(VOL) Ref
Aug24-26	11%	7%	9%	8%	9%	23%	15%	18%	0%
Aug3-5	9%	9%	9%	8%	11%	20%	15%	18%	1%
Jul20-22	9%	7%	10%	9%	10%	21%	15%	19%	0%

F2. What is the highest grade of schooling that you completed? (READ LIST ONLY IF NECESSARY)

REGISTERED VOTERS	8th grade or less	Some high school	High school graduate	Some college	College graduate	Postgraduate study /law or medical school	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	3%	8%	34%	25%	20%	10%	0%
Aug3-5	2%	8%	31%	25%	22%	10%	1%
Jul20-22	1%	6%	33%	26%	21%	12%	1%

F3. Are you of Hispanic origin or descent?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Yes	No	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	7%	93%	0%
Aug3-5	8%	91%	1%
Jul20-22	8%	92%	1%

F4. What is your race? Are you White, Black, Asian, or something else?

REGISTERED VOTERS	White	Black	Asian	(VOL) Hispanic	(VOL) Other	(VOL) Refused/No Answer
Aug24-26	79%	10%	1%	5%	4%	1%
Aug3-5	81%	8%	1%	4%	5%	2%
Jul20-22	78%	11%	1%	4%	6%	1%

F5. Could you please tell me how many adults age 18 or over currently live in your house or apartment?

REGISTERED VOTERS	1.00	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00	9.00	10.00	Refused
Aug24-26	15%	58%	17%	6%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Aug3-5	14%	60%	16%	7%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%
Jul20-22	16%	58%	17%	6%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

F6. Aside from cell phones, how many telephone numbers does your house or apartment have that you receive calls on? Please include only numbers that you use for phone calls, not ones you use for computers or fax machines.

REGISTERED VOTERS	1.00	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00	6.00	7.00	8.00	9.00	Don't know	Refused
Aug24-26	73%	23%	3%	1%		0%			0%		1%
Aug3-5	70%	26%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%		0%		1%
Jul20-22	67%	28%	3%	1%	0%		0%	0%		0%	1%

(TERMINATE HERE IF Q.2 is “2” or “9” (NOT REGISTERED TO VOTE, DON’T KNOW/REFUSED: That concludes our survey. Thank you very much for your participation)

F7. What is your marital status? (READ LIST)

REGISTERED VOTERS	Married	Single, never married	Divorced/Separated	Widowed	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	62%	20%	10%	7%	0%
Aug3-5	65%	21%	7%	6%	1%
Jul20-22	63%	20%	9%	8%	0%

F7b- Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as (READ)

REGISTERED VOTERS	a Republican,	a Democrat,	an Independent	or something else?	(VOL) Don't know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	33%	32%	24%	8%	3%	1%
Aug3-5	28%	36%	26%	7%	2%	1%
Jul20-22	33%	35%	23%	7%	2%	0%

F8. Do you consider yourself to be very liberal, liberal, a moderate, conservative, or very conservative?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Very liberal	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Very conservative	(VOL) Other	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	6%	21%	33%	27%	8%	1%	5%	0%
Aug3-5	5%	23%	35%	26%	6%	2%	2%	1%
Jul20-22	5%	19%	39%	27%	7%	1%	2%	0%

F10. Thinking about the election for President this November, many people tell us they're **not** planning to vote, would you say that you'll definitely vote in the November election, probably vote, probably not vote, definitely not vote, or aren't you really sure at this time whether you'll vote or not?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Definitely vote	Probably vote	Probably not vote	Definitely not vote	(VOL) Not sure at this time/Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	88%	7%	1%	1%	3%	0%
Aug3-5	85%	10%	1%	0%	2%	1%
Jul20-22	88%	8%	1%	1%	2%	0%

F11. Did you vote in the Presidential election four years ago, between George W. Bush and Al Gore?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Yes, voted	No, did not vote	(VOL) Don't Know/Don't remember	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	81%	18%	0%	0%
Aug3-5	82%	17%	0%	1%
Jul20-22	86%	13%	0%	0%

F12. Regardless of how you feel today, did you vote for Bush or Gore four years ago?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Gore	Bush	(VOL) Nader	Other candidate	(VOL) Don't Know/Don't remember	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	41%	53%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Aug3-5	44%	50%	1%	0%	1%	2%
Jul20-22	44%	51%	1%	1%	1%	1%

F13. (IF VOTED FOR BUSH, GORE, NADER, OTHER, ASK) Looking back, do you think you made the right choice, nor not?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Right choice	Not right choice	(VOL) Don't Know/Not sure
Jul20-22	92%	5%	3%

F13a. Have you, or has any member of your household served in the United States military or is serving in the military now? (IF YES, ASK:) Is that you or someone else in your household?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Yes, respondent served	Yes, someone else served	No	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	15%	20%	64%	1%

F14. Do you consider yourself an evangelical (ee-van-gel-ical) or born-again Christian?

REGISTERED VOTERS	Yes	No	(VOL) Don't Know	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	44%	51%	4%	1%
Aug3-5	41%	55%	2%	2%
Jul20-22	40%	56%	3%	2%

F15. Finally, just for classification purposes, was your total family income before taxes last year: (READ LIST) PROBE: Your best estimate is fine.

REGISTERED VOTERS	Less than \$20,000	\$20,000 to just under \$35,000	\$35,000 to just under \$50,000	\$50,000 to just under \$75,000	\$75,000 to just under \$100,000	or, \$100,000 or more	(VOL) Refused
Aug24-26	11%	15%	18%	18%	14%	13%	10%
Aug3-5	11%	17%	18%	17%	13%	14%	10%
Jul20-22	10%	16%	20%	18%	13%	15%	8%

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!