

QUESTION 1. HOW LIKELY ARE YOU TO VOTE IN THE NOVEMBER ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT AND OTHER STATE OFFICES:

| | % |
|----------------------|----|
| 1. DEFINITELY VOTING | 79 |
| 2. VERY LIKELY | 17 |
| 3. SOMEWHAT LIKELY | 4 |

QUESTION 2. DO YOU FEEL THINGS IN NORTH CAROLINA ARE GENERALLY HEADED IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION OR HAVE GOTTEN OFF ON THE WRONG TRACK?

| | % |
|--------------------|----|
| 1. RIGHT DIRECTION | 38 |
| 2. WRONG TRACK | 46 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 16 |

QUESTION 3. WHAT SPECIFIC ISSUE IN NORTH CAROLINA NEEDS THE MOST ATTENTION FROM STATE GOVERNMENT?

| | % |
|-----------------------------|----|
| 1. LOWER HEALTH CARE COSTS | 13 |
| 2. IMPROVE PUBLIC EDUCATION | 18 |
| 3. CREATE JOBS/IMPROVE ECON | 33 |
| 4. HOLD DOWN TAXES | 11 |
| 5. IMPROVE ROADS/HIGHWAYS | 6 |
| 6. ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION | 15 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 4 |

QUESTION 4. IF THE ELECTION FOR STATE LEGISLATURE WERE HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE VOTING:

| | % |
|---------------|----|
| 1. DEMOCRATIC | 45 |
| 2. REPUBLICAN | 35 |
| 3. NEITHER | 3 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 17 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 5. THINKING ABOUT NATIONAL ISSUES, DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB GEORGE W. BUSH IS DOING AS PRESIDENT?

| | % |
|------------------------|----|
| 1. STRONGLY APPROVE | 13 |
| 2. SOMEWHAT APPROVE | 21 |
| 3. SOMEWHAT DISAPPROVE | 15 |
| 4. STRONGLY DISAPPROVE | 47 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 4 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 6. IF THE ELECTION FOR PRESIDENT WERE HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE VOTING FOR:

| | % |
|---------------------------|----|
| 1. DEMOCRAT BARACK OBAMA | 41 |
| 2. REPUBLICAN JOHN MCCAIN | 45 |
| 3. LIBERTARIAN BOB BARR | 2 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 12 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 7. DO YOU THINK A MCCAIN PRESIDENCY WOULD BE A CONTINUATION OF, OR A BREAK FROM PRESIDENT BUSH'S POLICIES?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. CONTINUATION | 50 |
| 2. BREAK | 36 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 14 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 8. IS BARACK OBAMA TOO LIBERAL FOR NORTH CAROLINA?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 40 |
| 2. NO | 47 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 14 |

QUESTION 9. IF THE ELECTION FOR U.S. SENATE WERE HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE VOTING FOR:

| | % |
|------------------------------|----|
| 1. DEMOCRAT KAY HAGAN | 38 |
| 2. REPUBLICAN ELIZABETH DOLE | 48 |
| 3. LIBERTARIAN CHRIS COLE | 1 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 13 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 10. IF THE ELECTION FOR GOVERNOR WERE HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE VOTING FOR:

| | % |
|-------------------------------|----|
| 1. DEMOCRAT BEV PERDUE | 43 |
| 2. REPUBLICAN PAT MCCRORY | 41 |
| 3. LIBERTARIAN MICHAEL MUNGER | 2 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 14 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 11. WHICH POLITICAL PARTY, REPUBLICAN OR DEMOCRAT, DO YOU TRUST MORE TO DEAL WITH THE FOLLOWING STATE ISSUES: IMPROVING EDUCATION?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. REPUBLICAN | 30 |
| 2. DEMOCRAT | 47 |
| 3. BOTH EQUALLY | 4 |
| 4. NEITHER | 11 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 8 |

QUESTION 12. CREATING JOBS AND GROWING THE ECONOMY?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. REPUBLICAN | 35 |
| 2. DEMOCRAT | 48 |
| 3. BOTH EQUALLY | 3 |
| 4. NEITHER | 7 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 7 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 13. BRINGING CHANGE TO NORTH CAROLINA GOVERNMENT?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. REPUBLICAN | 33 |
| 2. DEMOCRAT | 43 |
| 3. BOTH EQUALLY | 2 |
| 4. NEITHER | 10 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 11 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 14. HOLDING DOWN TAXES?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. REPUBLICAN | 40 |
| 2. DEMOCRAT | 39 |
| 3. BOTH EQUALLY | 2 |
| 4. NEITHER | 11 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 7 |

QUESTION 15. IMPROVING ROADS AND HIGHWAYS?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. REPUBLICAN | 33 |
| 2. DEMOCRAT | 40 |
| 3. BOTH EQUALLY | 5 |
| 4. NEITHER | 10 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 12 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 16. MAKING HEALTH CARE MORE AFFORDABLE?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. REPUBLICAN | 25 |
| 2. DEMOCRAT | 51 |
| 3. BOTH EQUALLY | 3 |
| 4. NEITHER | 13 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 8 |

QUESTION 17. CONTROLLING ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION?

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. REPUBLICAN | 39 |
| 2. DEMOCRAT | 32 |
| 3. BOTH EQUALLY | 4 |
| 4. NEITHER | 15 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 10 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 18. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS WOULD HAVE THE MOST EFFECT ON BRINGING DOWN THE COST OF GAS:

| | % |
|------------------------------|----|
| 1. INCREASE DRILLING | 50 |
| 2. TAXES/OIL COMPANY PROFITS | 33 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 16 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 19. NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGES TEACH BASIC SKILLS COURSES LIKE GED AND ENGLISH LITERACY. IT COSTS THE STATE AROUND \$5,900 PER FULL TIME STUDENT. STUDENTS ARE CHARGED A SMALL FEE OF AROUND \$50 FOR THESE INDIVIDUAL BASIC SKILL COURSES. SHOULD ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS BE ALLOWED TO ENROLL IN BASIC SKILLS COURSES AT NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGES?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 23 |
| 2. NO | 71 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 5 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 20. CHARTER SCHOOLS ARE PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT GIVE PARENTS MORE OPTIONS AND TEACHERS MORE FREEDOM. DO YOU SUPPORT ALLOWING MORE CHARTER SCHOOLS TO OPERATE IN NORTH CAROLINA?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 65 |
| 2. NO | 21 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 14 |

QUESTION 21. SOME STATES ALLOW PARENTS TO HAVE MORE SCHOOL CHOICES THROUGH A SYSTEM OF EDUCATION TAX CREDITS THAT CAN BE USED AT ANY PUBLIC OR PRIVATE SCHOOL. WOULD YOU SUPPORT A SYSTEM OF EDUCATION TAX CREDITS IN NORTH CAROLINA?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 64 |
| 2. NO | 24 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 13 |

QUESTION 22. DO YOU THINK THE K-12 EDUCATION SYSTEM IN NORTH CAROLINA IS BETTER OR WORSE THAN OTHER STATES?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. BETTER | 26 |
| 2. WORSE | 36 |
| 3. SAME | 15 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 23 |

QUESTION 23. IN ORDER TO CREATE JOBS AND STIMULATE THE ECONOMY, IS IT BETTER FOR THE STATE TO CUT TAXES FOR EXISTING BUSINESSES OR GIVE TARGETED TAX INCENTIVES AND CASH TO NEW BUSINESSES TO RELOCATE TO NORTH CAROLINA?

| | % |
|------------------------|----|
| 1. EXISTING BUSINESSES | 34 |
| 2. NEW BUSINESSES | 50 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 16 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 24. DO YOU BELIEVE GLOBAL WARMING IS A REAL ISSUE FOR PEOPLE LIVING IN NORTH CAROLINA?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 65 |
| 2. NO | 30 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 6 |

QUESTION 25. WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY HIGHER STATE TAXES, UTILITY BILLS AND GAS PRICES TO FIGHT GLOBAL WARMING?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 42 |
| 2. NO | 54 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 5 |

QUESTION 26. DO YOU THINK TAXES IN NORTH CAROLINA ARE HIGHER OR LOWER THAN IN OTHER STATES?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. HIGHER | 46 |
| 2. LOWER | 29 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 25 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 27. SHOULD THE STATE USE TAX DOLLARS TO SUBSIDIZE THE BUILDING OF TOLL ROADS AND BRIDGES?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 45 |
| 2. NO | 46 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 10 |

QUESTION 28. SHOULD THE STATE BE ABLE TO FORCIBLY TAKE PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE INDIVIDUAL AND SELL IT TO ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL IN ORDER TO FOSTER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 5 |
| 2. NO | 92 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 3 |

QUESTION 29. A PROPOSED ONE-YEAR MORATORIUM ON FORCED ANNEXATION WOULD BRIEFLY STOP CITIES FROM FORCING HOMEOWNERS INTO THEIR POLITICAL BOUNDARIES WITHOUT OWNER CONSENT. DO YOU SUPPORT THIS ONE-YEAR TIME OUT ON FORCED ANNEXATION?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 51 |
| 2. NO | 37 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 12 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 30. DO YOU SUPPORT KEEPING NORTH CAROLINA A RIGHT-TO-WORK STATE, WHERE WORKERS CAN'T BE FORCED INTO A UNION?

| | % |
|--------------|----|
| 1. YES | 78 |
| 2. NO | 16 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 7 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 31. A TAXPAYER BILL OF RIGHTS WOULD LIMIT THE GROWTH OF GOVERNMENT SPENDING TO INFLATION PLUS POPULATION GROWTH. IN 2007 THAT WOULD HAVE LIMITED THE GROWTH IN THE STATE BUDGET TO ABOUT 5%. WOULD YOU BE MORE OR LESS LIKELY TO VOTE FOR A CANDIDATE WHO PLEDGES TO SUPPORT SPENDING LIMITS SUCH AS A TAXPAYERS BILL OF RIGHTS?

| | % |
|------------------|----|
| 1. MORE | 60 |
| 2. LESS | 17 |
| 3. NO DIFFERENCE | 6 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 17 |

QUESTION 32. HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN A RESIDENT OF NORTH CAROLINA:

| | % |
|-----------------------|----|
| 1. LESS THAN 5 YEARS | 6 |
| 2. 5-10 YEARS | 8 |
| 3. 11-20 YEARS | 16 |
| 4. 21-30 YEARS | 11 |
| 5. OVER 30 YEARS | 29 |
| 6. NATIVE/ALL MY LIFE | 30 |

QUESTION 33. AGE GROUP

| | % |
|----------|----|
| 1. 18-25 | 5 |
| 2. 26-40 | 16 |
| 3. 41-55 | 31 |
| 4. 56-65 | 22 |
| 5. 66+ | 27 |

QUESTION 34. POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY

| | % |
|--------------------------|----|
| 1. VERY LIBERAL | 8 |
| 2. SOMEWHAT LIBERAL | 11 |
| 3. SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE | 26 |
| 4. VERY CONSERVATIVE | 19 |
| 5. MODERATE | 33 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 3 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 35. ON SOCIAL ISSUES DO YOU GENERALLY CONSIDER YOURSELF CONSERVATIVE OR LIBERAL?

| | % |
|--------------------------|----|
| 1. VERY LIBERAL | 13 |
| 2. SOMEWHAT LIBERAL | 18 |
| 3. SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE | 31 |
| 4. VERY CONSERVATIVE | 24 |
| 5. MODERATE | 11 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 3 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 36. REGARDLESS OF YOUR PARTY REGISTRATION, DO YOU:

| | % |
|------------------------------|----|
| 1. ALWAYS VOTE DEMOCRAT | 14 |
| 2. VOTE DEM MORE THAN REP | 29 |
| 3. VOTE REP MORE THAN DEM | 25 |
| 4. ALWAYS VOTE REPUBLICAN | 8 |
| 5. BOTH EQUALLY/SPLIT TICKET | 22 |
| 98. NOT SURE | 2 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 37. EDUCATION

| | % |
|---------------------------|----|
| 1. LESS THAN HS GRADUATE | 4 |
| 2. HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE | 29 |
| 3. 2 YR COLLEGE/TECHNICAL | 22 |
| 4. 4 YR COLLEGE GRADUATE | 31 |
| 5. POST GRADUATE | 14 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 38. IN YOUR CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATUS, ARE YOU:

| | % |
|-----------------------------|----|
| 1. SELF-EMPLOYED | 13 |
| 2. WORKING FOR A PRIVATE CO | 30 |
| 3. WORK FOR GOVERNMENT | 13 |
| 4. SPOUSE [HOUSEWIFE] | 7 |
| 5. RETIRED | 33 |
| 6. UNEMPLOYED | 4 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 39. NATIONAL HERITAGE

| | % |
|---------------------|----|
| 1. CAUCASIAN | 79 |
| 2. AFRICAN-AMERICAN | 18 |
| 3. HISPANIC | 1 |
| 4. NATIVE AMERICAN | 1 |
| 6. OTHER | 1 |
| 99. REFUSED | |

QUESTION 40. AFFILIATION

| | % |
|-----------------|----|
| 1. DEMOCRAT | 48 |
| 2. REPUBLICAN | 36 |
| 3. UNAFFILIATED | 16 |

QUESTION 41. GENDER

| | % |
|-----------|----|
| 1. MALE | 45 |
| 2. FEMALE | 55 |

QUESTION 42. GEOGRAPHIC AREA

| | % |
|-------------------|----|
| 1. CHARLOTTE | 19 |
| 2. WESTERN | 15 |
| 3. PIEDMONT TRIAD | 20 |
| 4. TRIANGLE | 18 |
| 5. NORTHEAST | 14 |
| 6. SOUTHEAST | 13 |

QUESTION 43. VOTING HISTORY

| | % |
|-------------------|----|
| 0. NEW | 9 |
| 1. ONE OF THREE | 20 |
| 2. TWO OF THREE | 22 |
| 3. THREE OF THREE | 49 |