# Results of SurveyUSA Election Poll #17002

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**Data Collected: 08/23/2010 - 08/24/2010**
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**Sponsor:**
**Civitas Institute (Raleigh, NC)**

**1** North Carolina will hold elections for national and state offices in November 2010. On a scale of 1 to 10, how likely are you to vote in the election... where 10 means you are certain to vote ...and 1 means you are certain NOT to vote.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| 1 | 7% | 9% | 5% | 3% | 9% | 4% | 12% | 7% | 7% | 7% | 5% | ** | 7% | 11% | 5% |
| 2 | 3% | 1% | 4% | 7% | 2% | 1% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 2% | 5% | ** | 0% | 2% | 5% |
| 3 | 1% | 1% | 1% | 0% | 1% | 0% | 2% | 0% | 1% | 1% | 0% | ** | 0% | 0% | 1% |
| 4 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 1% | 1% | 0% | ** | 0% | 0% | 1% |
| 5 | 5% | 4% | 7% | 3% | 8% | 5% | 3% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 6% | ** | 7% | 3% | 5% |
| 6 | 4% | 5% | 3% | 14% | 3% | 1% | 2% | 7% | 2% | 5% | 4% | ** | 0% | 0% | 4% |
| 7 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | ** | 1% | 0% | 1% |
| 8 | 5% | 5% | 5% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 3% | 9% | ** | 3% | 4% | 4% |
| 9 | 16% | 21% | 12% | 20% | 21% | 13% | 11% | 20% | 12% | 17% | 10% | ** | 14% | 21% | 15% |
| 10 | 59% | 55% | 62% | 48% | 52% | 69% | 60% | 50% | 66% | 58% | 60% | ** | 67% | 58% | 60% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |
| Averages | 8.4 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 8.9 | 8.0 | 8.2 | 8.6 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 7.0 | 8.8 | 8.3 | 8.4 |

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| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| 1 | 7% | 64% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 10% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 8% |
| 2 | 3% | 27% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 4% | 0% | 4% | 2% |
| 3 | 1% | 5% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 1% |
| 4 | 0% | 4% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 1% | 0% | 1% | 1% | 0% |
| 5 | 5% | 0% | 100% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 3% | 5% | 8% | 2% | 9% |
| 6 | 4% | 0% | 0% | 44% | 0% | 0% | 2% | 3% | 8% | 5% | 3% |
| 7 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 8 | 5% | 0% | 0% | 53% | 0% | 0% | 7% | 6% | 0% | 5% | 5% |
| 9 | 16% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 100% | 0% | 18% | 15% | 14% | 16% | 15% |
| 10 | 59% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 100% | 58% | 59% | 62% | 61% | 56% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |
| Averages | 8.4 | 1.5 | 5.0 | 7.1 | 9.0 | 10.0 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.2 |

## 2

In the election for state legislature this fall, will you vote for ... (choices rotated) the Republican candidate? Or the Democratic candidate?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Republican | 47% | 61% | 37% | 33% | 47% | 55% | 47% | 42% | 52% | 63% | 10% | ** | 46% | 90% | 15% |
| Democratic | 41% | 31% | 48% | 56% | 38% | 37% | 39% | 45% | 38% | 28% | 78% | ** | 31% | 9% | 76% |
| Undecided | 11% | 8% | 14% | 11% | 15% | 7% | 14% | 14% | 10% | 10% | 12% | ** | 23% | 1% | 9% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

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## 2 In the election for state legislature this fall, will you vote for ... (choices rotated) the Republican candidate? Or the Democratic candidate?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Likely To Vote | | | | | Party Affiliation | | | Region | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Republican | 47% | 62% | 13% | 42% | 47% | 49% | 87% | 22% | 56% | 38% | 58% |
| Democratic | 41% | 29% | 55% | 41% | 44% | 41% | 8% | 69% | 22% | 50% | 31% |
| Undecided | 11% | 9% | 31% | 18% | 8% | 10% | 5% | 10% | 22% | 11% | 11% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

## 3 Is your opinion of William Brisson... favorable? Unfavorable? Neutral? Or, do you have no opinion of William Brisson?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Favorable | 21% | 24% | 18% | 21% | 20% | 18% | 26% | 20% | 21% | 21% | 21% | ** | 5% | 6% | 41% |
| Unfavorable | 13% | 15% | 12% | 20% | 9% | 14% | 10% | 14% | 13% | 12% | 20% | ** | 0% | 20% | 4% |
| Neutral | 42% | 45% | 40% | 44% | 41% | 42% | 45% | 42% | 43% | 45% | 32% | ** | 57% | 52% | 34% |
| No Opinion | 24% | 16% | 30% | 14% | 30% | 27% | 19% | 24% | 24% | 22% | 27% | ** | 38% | 23% | 22% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

## 3 Is your opinion of William Brisson... favorable? Unfavorable? Neutral? Or, do you have no opinion of William Brisson?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Likely To Vote | | | | | Party Affiliation | | | Region | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Favorable | 21% | 35% | 4% | 5% | 15% | 23% | 15% | 28% | 12% | 28% | 13% |
| Unfavorable | 13% | 16% | 0% | 8% | 5% | 16% | 16% | 8% | 19% | 18% | 8% |
| Neutral | 42% | 36% | 38% | 56% | 54% | 39% | 43% | 41% | 42% | 36% | 49% |
| No Opinion | 24% | 13% | 58% | 32% | 25% | 22% | 25% | 23% | 27% | 18% | 30% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

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## 4 Is your opinion of John Szoka ... favorable? Unfavorable? Neutral? Or, do you have no opinion of John Szoka?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Favorable | 14% | 15% | 13% | 20% | 16% | 10% | 12% | 17% | 11% | 14% | 14% | ** | 4% | 26% | 8% |
| Unfavorable | 10% | 11% | 9% | 17% | 6% | 11% | 7% | 10% | 9% | 8% | 15% | ** | 8% | 5% | 10% |
| Neutral | 37% | 43% | 33% | 31% | 28% | 41% | 49% | 29% | 44% | 38% | 37% | ** | 29% | 39% | 40% |
| No Opinion | 39% | 30% | 46% | 32% | 50% | 39% | 31% | 43% | 36% | 40% | 34% | ** | 59% | 31% | 42% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

## 4 Is your opinion of John Szoka ... favorable? Unfavorable? Neutral? Or, do you have no opinion of John Szoka?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Likely To Vote | | | | | Party Affiliation | | | Region | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Favorable | 14% | 30% | 2% | 8% | 14% | 13% | 22% | 11% | 10% | 15% | 13% |
| Unfavorable | 10% | 16% | 6% | 7% | 8% | 10% | 9% | 7% | 16% | 12% | 7% |
| Neutral | 37% | 27% | 28% | 29% | 43% | 40% | 31% | 44% | 26% | 36% | 38% |
| No Opinion | 39% | 28% | 64% | 56% | 36% | 37% | 38% | 37% | 48% | 37% | 42% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

## 5 [Candidate names rotated]<br>If the election for state representative were today, would you vote for ... Republican John Szoka? Or Democrat William Brisson?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Szoka (R) | 39% | 52% | 29% | 30% | 39% | 44% | 38% | 36% | 42% | 49% | 12% | ** | 48% | 100% | 0% |
| Brisson (D) | 42% | 32% | 50% | 42% | 40% | 43% | 44% | 41% | 44% | 38% | 62% | ** | 20% | 0% | 100% |
| Undecided | 19% | 15% | 21% | 28% | 21% | 13% | 18% | 23% | 15% | 14% | 27% | ** | 32% | 0% | 0% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Szoka (R) | 39% | 50% | 24% | 19% | 51% | 38% | 76% | 20% | 38% | 29% | 50% |
| Brisson (D) | 42% | 44% | 42% | 40% | 40% | 43% | 13% | 68% | 20% | 53% | 31% |
| Undecided | 19% | 6% | 34% | 41% | 10% | 19% | 11% | 12% | 42% | 18% | 19% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

## 6 In general, is the state of North Carolina headed in the right direction? Or is it off on the wrong track?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.2% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Right Direction | 18% | 16% | 20% | 18% | 22% | 14% | 20% | 21% | 16% | 16% | 29% | ** | 4% | 8% | 32% |
| Wrong Track | 60% | 71% | 52% | 72% | 53% | 66% | 51% | 60% | 60% | 68% | 37% | ** | 73% | 85% | 37% |
| Not Sure | 21% | 13% | 28% | 11% | 24% | 20% | 30% | 19% | 23% | 16% | 34% | ** | 23% | 7% | 31% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.2% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Right Direction | 18% | 9% | 16% | 13% | 21% | 20% | 3% | 31% | 9% | 21% | 15% |
| Wrong Track | 60% | 81% | 56% | 54% | 48% | 61% | 83% | 40% | 76% | 55% | 66% |
| Not Sure | 21% | 10% | 28% | 33% | 31% | 18% | 13% | 29% | 15% | 24% | 19% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
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**7** Which one of the following issues is the most important for the state government to address: New jobs? The economy? Taxes? Government spending? Public education? Health care costs? Government corruption? Illegal immigration? The environment? Or some other issue?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| New Jobs | 25% | 24% | 26% | 28% | 25% | 24% | 25% | 26% | 24% | 18% | 45% | ** | 17% | 14% | 38% |
| Economy | 18% | 17% | 18% | 6% | 18% | 21% | 20% | 14% | 21% | 21% | 9% | ** | 15% | 18% | 21% |
| Taxes | 7% | 8% | 6% | 3% | 9% | 6% | 7% | 7% | 6% | 8% | 1% | ** | 10% | 14% | 2% |
| Government Spending | 10% | 12% | 8% | 3% | 10% | 12% | 12% | 7% | 12% | 12% | 3% | ** | 14% | 19% | 3% |
| Public Education | 11% | 6% | 15% | 11% | 18% | 8% | 7% | 15% | 7% | 10% | 12% | ** | 17% | 4% | 15% |
| Health Care Costs | 4% | 3% | 6% | 3% | 1% | 6% | 8% | 2% | 6% | 5% | 4% | ** | 0% | 2% | 8% |
| Government Corruption | 8% | 11% | 6% | 17% | 4% | 8% | 5% | 9% | 7% | 9% | 7% | ** | 7% | 11% | 3% |
| Illegal Immigration | 10% | 15% | 7% | 10% | 12% | 10% | 10% | 11% | 10% | 13% | 4% | ** | 8% | 18% | 5% |
| Environment | 0% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | ** | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| Other / Not Sure | 7% | 3% | 10% | 17% | 2% | 5% | 6% | 8% | 6% | 3% | 15% | ** | 11% | 1% | 5% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
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| New Jobs | 25% | 28% | 12% | 32% | 22% | 26% | 18% | 34% | 14% | 32% | 18% |
| Economy | 18% | 10% | 10% | 21% | 22% | 18% | 19% | 20% | 10% | 14% | 21% |
| Taxes | 7% | 12% | 2% | 5% | 3% | 7% | 14% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 7% |
| Government Spending | 10% | 14% | 0% | 5% | 15% | 10% | 17% | 4% | 15% | 7% | 13% |
| Public Education | 11% | 1% | 49% | 8% | 9% | 10% | 5% | 11% | 18% | 8% | 14% |
| Health Care Costs | 4% | 5% | 17% | 4% | 2% | 4% | 3% | 6% | 3% | 3% | 6% |
| Government Corruption | 8% | 10% | 3% | 19% | 6% | 7% | 11% | 3% | 14% | 7% | 10% |
| Illegal Immigration | 10% | 14% | 6% | 3% | 17% | 10% | 11% | 11% | 8% | 13% | 8% |
| Environment | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| Other / Not Sure | 7% | 5% | 3% | 2% | 4% | 9% | 2% | 6% | 14% | 10% | 3% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
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## 8 Do you approve or disapprove of the job Barack Obama is doing as President?

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.2% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Approve | 34% | 21% | 43% | 35% | 40% | 29% | 32% | 38% | 30% | 17% | 75% | ** | 35% | 4% | 59% |
| Disapprove | 60% | 77% | 47% | 61% | 50% | 67% | 61% | 54% | 65% | 78% | 16% | ** | 58% | 93% | 36% |
| Not Sure | 6% | 2% | 10% | 4% | 10% | 4% | 7% | 8% | 5% | 5% | 9% | ** | 7% | 3% | 5% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.2% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Approve | 34% | 18% | 31% | 35% | 33% | 37% | 11% | 52% | 21% | 37% | 31% |
| Disapprove | 60% | 82% | 46% | 49% | 61% | 59% | 86% | 40% | 71% | 56% | 64% |
| Not Sure | 6% | 1% | 23% | 16% | 6% | 4% | 3% | 7% | 8% | 7% | 5% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

## 9 [Candidate names rotated]<br>If the election for United States Senator from North Carolina were today, would you vote for... Republican Richard Burr? Democrat Elaine Marshall? Or Libertarian Mike Beitler?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Burr (R) | 47% | 63% | 35% | 41% | 47% | 49% | 49% | 45% | 49% | 60% | 14% | ** | 41% | 89% | 15% |
| Marshall (D) | 35% | 28% | 41% | 35% | 37% | 34% | 37% | 36% | 35% | 26% | 60% | ** | 31% | 5% | 71% |
| Beitler (L) | 5% | 5% | 5% | 3% | 5% | 8% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 3% | ** | 10% | 3% | 4% |
| Undecided | 12% | 4% | 18% | 21% | 12% | 10% | 10% | 15% | 10% | 8% | 22% | ** | 19% | 3% | 10% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

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## 9

[Candidate names rotated]<br>If the election for United States Senator from North Carolina were today, would you vote for... Republican Richard Burr? Democrat Elaine Marshall? Or Libertarian Mike Beitler?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Likely To Vote | | | | | Party Affiliation | | | Region | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Burr (R) | 47% | 66% | 19% | 44% | 56% | 44% | 81% | 28% | 49% | 39% | 55% |
| Marshall (D) | 35% | 23% | 28% | 40% | 28% | 40% | 10% | 58% | 16% | 42% | 29% |
| Beitler (L) | 5% | 2% | 32% | 4% | 6% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 13% | 4% | 7% |
| Undecided | 12% | 9% | 21% | 11% | 10% | 13% | 7% | 11% | 22% | 16% | 9% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

## 10

Do you approve? Or disapprove? Of the job Bev Perdue is doing as Governor?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Approve | 24% | 21% | 27% | 14% | 27% | 23% | 32% | 22% | 26% | 18% | 43% | ** | 9% | 6% | 44% |
| Disapprove | 59% | 73% | 49% | 65% | 58% | 62% | 52% | 61% | 58% | 72% | 28% | ** | 63% | 86% | 40% |
| Not Sure | 16% | 6% | 24% | 21% | 15% | 16% | 16% | 17% | 16% | 10% | 29% | ** | 27% | 8% | 15% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

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Do you approve? Or disapprove? Of the job Bev Perdue is doing as Governor?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Likely To Vote | | | | | Party Affiliation | | | Region | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.3% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Approve | 24% | 17% | 27% | 34% | 25% | 24% | 8% | 37% | 16% | 25% | 24% |
| Disapprove | 59% | 75% | 55% | 45% | 60% | 59% | 80% | 46% | 64% | 56% | 63% |
| Not Sure | 16% | 8% | 18% | 21% | 15% | 17% | 12% | 17% | 20% | 19% | 13% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

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## 11 Do you support? Or do you oppose amending the state constitution to define marriage as being between one man and one woman?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-4.7% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Support | 74% | 74% | 73% | 72% | 74% | 74% | 74% | 73% | 74% | 75% | 70% | ** | 77% | 81% | 72% |
| Oppose | 21% | 21% | 21% | 28% | 21% | 19% | 19% | 23% | 19% | 20% | 22% | ** | 21% | 16% | 22% |
| Not Sure | 5% | 4% | 6% | 0% | 5% | 7% | 8% | 3% | 7% | 5% | 8% | ** | 2% | 3% | 6% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

## 11 Do you support? Or do you oppose amending the state constitution to define marriage as being between one man and one woman?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Likely To Vote | | | | | Party Affiliation | | | Region | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-4.7% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Support | 74% | 78% | 80% | 82% | 65% | 73% | 76% | 73% | 71% | 75% | 72% |
| Oppose | 21% | 19% | 13% | 13% | 31% | 21% | 22% | 20% | 23% | 20% | 22% |
| Not Sure | 5% | 4% | 7% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 2% | 7% | 5% | 5% | 5% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

## 12 Do you approve or do you disapprove of the North Carolina law that allows convicted murderers to argue that race is a factor in assessing the death penalty?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Gender | | Age | | | | <50 / 50+ | | Race | | | | Vote For Rep | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.1% | | Male | Female | 18-34 | 35-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | 18-49 | 50+ | White | Black | Hispani | Asian/O | Szoka ( | Brisson |
| Approve | 17% | 21% | 14% | 14% | 18% | 16% | 19% | 16% | 17% | 13% | 29% | ** | 9% | 10% | 27% |
| Disapprove | 66% | 71% | 63% | 79% | 58% | 69% | 62% | 66% | 67% | 74% | 47% | ** | 59% | 81% | 53% |
| Not Sure | 17% | 8% | 23% | 7% | 24% | 15% | 19% | 18% | 16% | 13% | 24% | ** | 31% | 9% | 20% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 43% | 57% | 17% | 28% | 36% | 20% | 45% | 55% | 65% | 27% | 2% | 6% | 39% | 42% |

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**12** Do you approve or do you disapprove of the North Carolina law that allows convicted murderers to argue that race is a factor in assessing the death penalty?

| 350 Registered Voters | All | Likely To Vote | | | | | Party Affiliation | | | Region | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Margin of Sampling Error: +/-5.1% | | 1-4 | 5 | 6-8 | 9 | 10 | Republi | Democr | Indepen | Bladen | Cumber |
| Approve | 17% | 12% | 6% | 14% | 27% | 16% | 5% | 28% | 7% | 19% | 14% |
| Disapprove | 66% | 69% | 71% | 66% | 56% | 68% | 84% | 52% | 82% | 62% | 71% |
| Not Sure | 17% | 19% | 23% | 20% | 16% | 16% | 12% | 20% | 11% | 19% | 14% |
| Total | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| Composition of Registered Voters | 100% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 16% | 59% | 27% | 50% | 22% | 52% | 48% |

** Too few respondents of this type were interviewed for this data to be meaningful.

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