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			VOTING		DIRECTION			ISSUES					STATE LEG.		
	N	%	DEFINITE	SOMEWHAT	RIGHT	WRONG	NOT SURE	HEALTH CARE	EDUCATION	JOBS/ECON	TAXES	ILLEGAL IMMIGR.	DEM	REP	NOT SURE
	599	100	496	91	163	346	89	81	91	263	71	65	284	228	72
			83%	15%	27%	58%	15%	13%	15%	44%	12%	11%	47%	38%	12%
PITTENGER	206	34	35%	32%	35%	35%	30%	20% *	28%	29%	58% *	50% *	7% *	75% *	14% *
DALTON	237	40	40%	40%	45%	38%	36%	52% *	49% *	42%	18% *	28% *	73% *	7% *	17% *
RHODES	14	2	3%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	7%	0%	3%	1%	3%
LEAN RHODES	2	0	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
NOT SURE	140	23	22%	27%	18%	23%	34% *	26%	21%	27%	15%	22%	16%	16%	66% *
DALTON	237	40	40%	40%	45%	38%	36%	52% *	49% *	42%	18% *	28% *	73% *	7% *	17% *
PITTENGER	206	34	35%	32%	35%	35%	30%	20% *	28%	29%	58% *	50% *	7% *	75% *	14% *
NET DALTON	32	5	6%	8%	11%	3%	6%	32% *	21% *	13%	-39% *	-23% *	66% *	-69% *	4%
DALTON : PITTENGER	1.2:1		1.2:1	1.2:1	1.3:1 *	1.1:1	1.2:1	2.6:1 *	1.7:1 *	1.4:1 *	1:3.2 *	1:1.8 *	10.0:1 *	1:11.5 *	1.3:1 *

			AGE GROUP					PHILOSOPHY					HERITAGE	
	N	%	18-25	26-40	41-55	56-65	66+	VERY LIBERAL	SOMEWHAT LIBERAL	SOMEWHAT CONS	VERY CONS	MODERATE	CAUCASIAN	AFRICAN AMERICAN
	599	100	45	112	185	111	145	54	58	120	122	216	443	125
			7%	19%	31%	19%	24%	9%	10%	20%	20%	36%	74%	21%
PITTENGER	206	34	34%	42%	36%	33%	29%	5% *	14% *	54% *	64% *	20% *	43%	5% *
DALTON	237	40	38%	34%	41%	46%	38%	83% *	54% *	26% *	14% *	48%	30% *	74% *
RHODES	14	2	4%	4%	1%	2%	3%	2%	5%	0%	4%	2%	2%	2%
LEAN RHODES	2	0	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
NOT SURE	140	23	24%	20%	23%	20%	30%	9% *	27%	20%	18%	29%	24%	18%
DALTON	237	40	38%	34%	41%	46%	38%	83% *	54% *	26% *	14% *	48%	30% *	74% *
PITTENGER	206	34	34%	42%	36%	33%	29%	5% *	14% *	54% *	64% *	20% *	43%	5% *
NET DALTON	32	5	4%	-8% *	5%	13%	10%	78% *	40% *	-28% *	-50% *	28% *	-13% *	70% *
DALTON : PITTENGER	1.2:1		1.1:1	1:1.2	1.1:1	1.4:1 *	1.3:1 *	15.6:1 *	3.9:1 *	1:2.1 *	1:4.5 *	2.4:1 *	1:1.4 *	15.5:1 *

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			AFFIL			GENDER		GEOGRAPHIC					
	N	%	DEM	REP	UNAFFIL	MALE	FEMALE	CHARLOTTE	WESTERN	PIEDMONT TRIAD	TRIANGLE	NORTHEAST	SOUTHEAST
	599	100	281	204	114	284	315	127	85	110	115	76	87
			47%	34%	19%	47%	53%	21%	14%	18%	19%	13%	15%
PITTENGER	206	34	11% *	69% *	30%	37%	32%	38%	30%	43%	33%	30%	29%
DALTON	237	40	63% *	9% *	37%	38%	41%	41%	37%	35%	43%	43%	37%
RHODES	14	2	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%	2%	4%	0%	3%	3%	2%
LEAN RHODES	2	0	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
NOT SURE	140	23	24%	20%	28%	22%	24%	19%	28%	22%	20%	24%	32%
DALTON	237	40	63% *	9% *	37%	38%	41%	41%	37%	35%	43%	43%	37%
PITTENGER	206	34	11% *	69% *	30%	37%	32%	38%	30%	43%	33%	30%	29%
NET DALTON	32	5	52% *	-60% *	7%	1%	9%	4%	7%	-7% *	10%	13%	8%
DALTON : PITTENGER	1.2:1		5.9:1 *	1:8.0 *	1.2:1	1.0:1 *	1.3:1 *	1.1:1	1.2:1	1:1.2	1.3:1 *	1.5:1 *	1.3:1