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		MEDIA MARKET							KEY REGIONS						GENDER		AGE					PARTY REG		
	TOTAL (A)	RAL-EIGH (B)	CHAR-LOTTE (C)	GREENS-SBORO (D)	GREEN-VILLE (SC) (E)	GREEN-VILLE (NC) (F)	WILM-ING-TON (G)	ALL OTHERS (H)	TRI-ANGLE (I)	SOUTH-EAST (J)	NORTH-EAST NC (K)	PIED-MONT TRIAD (L)	CHAR-LOTTE (M)	WEST-ERN NC (N)	MEN (O)	WOMEN (P)	18-25 (Q)	26-40 (R)	41-55 (S)	56-65 (T)	66+ (U)	GOP (V)	DEM (W)	IND (X)
BASE=TOTAL SAMPLE	600	180	166	110	46	45	30	23	126	83	67	112	134	78	288	312	14	89	193	106	151	198	276	126
	100%	30%	28%	18%	8%	7%	5%	4%	21%	14%	11%	19%	22%	13%	48%	52%	2%	15%	32%	18%	25%	33%	46%	21%
ONE TWO-YEAR TERMS	76	24	21	17	3	2	4	4	18	11	7	16	16	8	35	40	-	10	20	17	19	25	37	14
	13%	13% f	12%	16% F	7%	5%	14%	18%	14%	13%	10%	15%	12%	10%	12%	13%	-	12% Q	11% Q	16% Q	12% Q	12%	13%	11%
TWO TWO-YEAR TERMS	227	71	65	38	20	17	7	9	42	28	30	41	56	29	92	135	6	38	69	40	58	71	105	51
	38%	40% g	39% g	34%	44% g	37%	23%	41%	34%	33%	45%	37%	42%	38%	32%	43% O	45%	42%	36%	38%	38%	36%	38%	41%
THREE TWO-YEAR TERMS	122	31	36	20	15	10	10	-	27	18	6	20	26	24	67	55	6	14	44	23	29	46	50	26
	20%	17% H	22% H	18% H	33% bdH	23% H	33% H	-	22% K	21% k	10%	18%	20% k	31% KLm	23% p	18%	41% r	16%	23%	22%	19%	23%	18%	21%
FOUR TWO-YEAR TERMS	85	27	25	18	5	3	2	5	18	12	6	18	23	7	52	34	1	17	29	13	18	33	36	17
	14%	15% FG	15% fg	17% FG	11%	6%	5%	21%	14%	15%	9%	16%	17%	10%	18% P	11%	8%	19%	15%	12%	12%	17%	13%	13%
DON'T BELIEVE THERE SHOULD BE A LIMIT	56	17	12	13	2	6	2	4	14	4	12	12	10	5	32	24	1	9	17	9	17	14	34	8
	9%	9%	7%	12%	5%	13%	7%	16%	11% j	4%	18% Jmn	11%	7%	7%	11%	8%	6%	10%	9%	8%	11%	7%	12% vx	7%
DON'T KNOW	25	7	6	3	-	6	3	-	6	8	4	3	3	2	5	20	-	1	11	3	8	6	12	7
	4%	4% EH	4% EH	2%	-	13% cdEH	11% eh	-	5%	9% lM	5%	2%	2%	3%	2%	6% O	-	1%	6% QR	3% q	5% Qr	3%	4%	6%
REFUSED	8	2	1	1	-	1	2	1	1	3	2	1	-	1	4	4	-	-	1	1	4	4	3	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	3%	7%	5%	1%	3%	3%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	3% QR	2%	1%	1%

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		GENDER/AGE						PARTY REG/GENDER						IDEOLOGY			RACE			
	TOTAL (A)	MEN 18-44 (B)	MEN 45-64 (C)	MEN 65+ (D)	WOMEN 18-44 (E)	WOMEN 45-64 (F)	WOMEN 65+ (G)	GOP MEN (H)	GOP WOMEN (I)	DEM MEN (J)	DEM WOMEN (K)	IND MEN (L)	IND WOMEN (M)	LIB (N)	MOD (O)	CONS (P)	BLACK (Q)	WHITE (R)	HISP-ANIC (S)	OTHER (T)
BASE=TOTAL SAMPLE	600	70	123	69	83	117	89	106	92	111	165	71	55	97	219	247	120	442	9	15
	100%	12%	20%	12%	14%	20%	15%	18%	15%	19%	27%	12%	9%	16%	37%	41%	20%	74%	2%	2%
ONE TWO-YEAR TERMS	76	8	16	8	7	14	13	14	10	13	24	8	6	17	19	31	23	49	2	1
	13%	11%	13%	11%	9%	12%	15%	13%	11%	11%	15%	12%	11%	18% O	8%	12%	19% rt	11%	19%	6%
TWO TWO-YEAR TERMS	227	23	39	20	42	49	38	27	43	38	68	27	24	37	79	103	51	158	4	8
	38%	33%	32%	29%	50% BCD	42% d	42% d	26%	47% Hj	34%	41% H	38% h	44% H	38%	36%	42%	43%	36%	42%	56%
THREE TWO-YEAR TERMS	122	14	30	20	15	25	11	27	19	24	26	17	10	16	50	51	23	93	3	-
	20%	21%	24% G	29% G	18%	21% g	13%	26% k	21%	21%	16%	23%	18%	17%	23%	21%	19% T	21% T	38% T	-
FOUR TWO-YEAR TERMS	85	16	20	10	9	13	9	23	10	17	19	12	4	15	33	35	10	70	-	4
	14%	23% efG	16%	15%	11%	11%	10%	21% iKM	11%	15%	12%	17%	8%	15%	15%	14%	8% S	16% QS	-	26% S
DON'T BELIEVE THERE SHOULD BE A LIMIT	56	7	15	8	8	5	10	9	4	18	15	5	4	8	27	14	10	45	-	1
	9%	11%	12% F	12% f	9%	4%	11% f	9%	5%	16% ILm	9%	6%	7%	8%	12% P	6%	8% S	10% S	-	6%
DON'T KNOW	25	1	2	2	2	10	5	2	4	2	10	2	6	4	9	8	4	20	-	1
	4%	1%	2%	3%	2%	9% BCdE	6% b	2%	4%	2%	6% hJ	2%	11% HJl	4%	4%	3%	3% s	4% S	-	7%
REFUSED	8	-	1	1	-	1	3	3	1	1	2	-	1	-	3	6	-	8	-	-
	1%	-	1%	1%	-	1%	3% be	3% l	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	-	1%	2% N	-	2% QST	-	-

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