

**McLAUGHLIN & ASSOCIATES  
NATIONAL OMNIBUS  
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1. IN THE 2014 NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION FOR STATEWIDE OFFICES OR CONGRESS, HOW LIKELY WOULD YOU SAY YOU ARE TO VOTE?

Total	1000
VERY LIKELY	76.3
SOMEWHAT LIKELY	23.7

2. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE JOB BARACK OBAMA IS DOING AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES?

Total	1000
APPROVE	45.1
STRONGLY	17.5
SOMEWHAT	27.6
DISAPPROVE	52.0
SOMEWHAT	15.3
STRONGLY	36.7
DK/REFUSED	2.9
Net Diff.	-6.9

3. IF THE ELECTION FOR U.S. CONGRESS IN YOUR DISTRICT WERE HELD TODAY, WOULD YOU BE MORE LIKELY TO VOTE FOR THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE OR THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE?

Total	1000
REPUBLICAN	43.0
DEFINITELY	20.0
PROBABLY	12.9
SOMEWHAT	10.2
DEMOCRAT	41.5
DEFINITELY	24.4
PROBABLY	11.4
SOMEWHAT	5.6
UNDECIDED	15.5
Net Diff.	1.5

4. ALL THINGS BEING EQUAL, SINCE BARACK OBAMA IS PRESIDENT, WHO WOULD YOU PREFER TO REPRESENT YOU IN CONGRESS?

1. A DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMAN WHO WILL HELP BARACK OBAMA PASS HIS AGENDA
2. A REPUBLICAN CONGRESSMAN WHO WILL ACT AS CHECK AND BALANCE AGAINST BARACK OBAMA AND HIS POLICIES.

Total	1000
A DEMOCRAT	41.1
A REPUBLICAN	47.5
DK/REFUSED	11.5

5. A LOT OF AMERICANS ARE FED UP WITH TYPICAL WASHINGTON POLITICS. WHO DO YOU THINK IS MOST RESPONSIBLE FOR OUR BROKEN POLITICAL SYSTEM?

Total	1000
OBAMA/DEMOCRATS	27.5
REPUBLICANS/TEA PARTY	25.4
BOTH	41.3
DK/REFUSED	5.8

6. WHO DO YOU BELIEVE HAS THE STRONGER ISSUE PLATFORM TO GET YOUR VOTE FOR CONGRESS IN THE NOVEMBER ELECTION?

Total	1000
DEMOCRATS	34.4
REPUBLICANS	34.0
BOTH	19.4
DK/REFUSED	12.3

7. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT, ALSO KNOWN "OBAMACARE?"

Total	1000
APPROVE	42.8
STRONGLY	19.1
SOMEWHAT	23.7
DISAPPROVE	51.6
SOMEWHAT	15.2
STRONGLY	36.4
DK/REFUSED	5.6
Net Diff.	-8.8

8. WHICH COMES CLOSEST TO YOUR VIEW OF THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT, COMMONLY KNOWN AS OBAMACARE?

1. IT SHOULD REMAIN THE LAW OF THE LAND, EITHER IN ITS CURRENT FORM OR IN AMENDED FORM.
2. IT SHOULD BE REPEALED AND REPLACED WITH A CONSERVATIVE ALTERNATIVE THAT AIMS TO LOWER HEALTH COSTS AND HELP PEOPLE GET INSURANCE.
3. IT SHOULD BE REPEALED BUT NOT REPLACED WITH AN ALTERNATIVE

Total	1000
REMAIN LAW	31.9
REPEALED/REPLACED	44.3
REPEALED/NOT REPLACED	15.5
DK/REFUSED	8.3

9. WOULD YOU SUPPORT OR OPPOSE REPEALING AND REPLACING OBAMACARE WITH A CONSERVATIVE ALTERNATIVE THAT WOULD SAVE \$1 TRILLION, REDUCE PREMIUMS, ENHANCE ACCESS TO DOCTORS, AND INCREASE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WITH PRIVATE INSURANCE BY 6 MILLION, BUT WOULD COVER 6 MILLION FEWER PEOPLE OVERALL BECAUSE FEWER PEOPLE WOULD BE ON MEDICAID?

Total	1000
SUPPORT	59.1
STRONGLY	26.4
SOMEWHAT	32.7
OPPOSE	26.3
SOMEWHAT	11.2
STRONGLY	15.1
DK/REFUSED	14.5
Net Diff.	32.8

10. DO YOU APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE OF HAVING TAXPAYERS BAIL OUT PRIVATE INSURANCE COMPANIES WHO LOSE MONEY SELLING HEALTH INSURANCE UNDER OBAMACARE?

Total	1000
APPROVE	17.7
STRONGLY	6.9
SOMEWHAT	10.8
DISAPPROVE	72.8
SOMEWHAT	19.5
STRONGLY	53.3
DK/REFUSED	9.5
Net Diff.	-55.0

11. WOULD YOU BE MORE OR LESS LIKELY TO SUPPORT A MEMBER OF CONGRESS WHO VOTES TO STOP THE TAXPAYER BAILOUT OF INSURANCE COMPANIES? IF IT MAKES NO DIFFERENCE, JUST SAY SO.

Total	1000
MORE LIKELY	57.6
MUCH	28.9
SOMEWHAT	28.7
LESS LIKELY	15.1
SOMEWHAT	8.7
MUCH	6.4
NO DIFFERENCE	17.2
DK/REFUSED	10.1
Net Diff.	42.5

12. WHEN FILING YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES, WOULD YOU SAY YOU..?

1. HAVE ENOUGH DEDUCTIONS THAT YOU EITHER PAY NO TAXES OR GET A REFUND
2. STILL END UP PAYING FEDERAL INCOME TAXES?

Total	1000
PAY NO TAXES/RETURN	54.2
PAY INCOME TAXES	33.0
DK/REFUSED	12.8

13. FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST, WHAT SOCIAL NETWORKS DO YOU USE?

Total	1000
FACEBOOK	79.5
GOOGLE +	34.7
TWITTER	29.5
LINKED-IN	22.8
PINTEREST	21.3
INSTAGRAM	17.6
TUMBLR	8.1
SNAPCHAT	6.8
REDDIT	4.1
OTHER	3.3
DK/REFUSED	11.4

14. OF ALL THE PERSONAL TELEPHONE CALLS THAT YOU RECEIVE, THAT IS CALLS NOT RELATED TO YOUR JOB, DO YOU...?

Total	1000
CELL PHONE	57.3
ONLY	38.1
MOSTLY	19.2
BOTH EQUALLY	20.4
MOSTLY	14.9
ONLY	7.4
LANDLINE PHONE	22.3

15. THINKING ABOUT A POLITICAL PARTY, WOULD YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF A..?

Total	1000
REPUBLICAN	32.0
DEMOCRAT	38.0
INDEPENDENT/OTHER	30.0

16. IF YOU WERE TO LABEL YOURSELF, WOULD YOU SAY YOU ARE A LIBERAL, A MODERATE, OR A CONSERVATIVE IN YOUR POLITICAL BELIEFS?

Total	1000
LIBERAL	29.3
VERY	12.5
SOMEWHAT	16.8
MODERATE	38.2
SOMEWHAT	20.0
VERY	12.5
CONSERVATIVE	32.5
Mean	3.03

17. WHAT IS YOUR ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME?

Total	1000
UNDER \$20k	16.8
\$20-\$40k	25.9
\$40-\$60k	21.0
\$60-\$100k	22.0
\$100-\$150k	9.8
\$150-\$200k	2.5
\$200-\$250k	1.0
OVER 250k	1.0
DK/REFUSED	-
Mean	60148

18. WHAT IS YOUR CURRENTLY MARITAL STATUS?

Total	1000
SINGLE	30.4
NEVER MARRIED	22.4
LIVE W/SIG. OTHER	8.0
MARRIED	52.5
SEPARATED	1.5
DIVORCED	11.8
WIDOWED	3.8

19. HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR PRESENT EMPLOYMENT SITUATION - A JOB IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR, A JOB WITH THE GOVERNMENT, SELF-EMPLOYED, HOMEMAKER, STUDENT, RETIRED OR NOT EMPLOYED?

Total	1000
EMPLOYED	47.9
PRIVATE SECTOR	32.1
GOVERNMENT	4.0
SELF-EMPLOYED	11.8
HOMEMAKER	10.6
STUDENT	3.6
RETIRED	26.3
NOT EMPLOYED	11.6

20. WHAT IS YOUR RELIGION?

Total	1000
PROTESTANT	48.1
CATHOLIC	28.8
JEWISH	3.1
MUSLIM	1.0
MORMON	2.1
EASTERN/GREEK/ORTHO.	0.2
BUDDHIST	1.1
ATHEIST/AGNOSTIC	13.1
OTHER	2.7
REFUSED	-

21. DO YOU CONSIDER YOURSELF AN EVANGELICAL OR BORN-AGAIN CHRISTIAN?  
(ASKED ONLY TO PROTESTANTS)

Total Answering	481
YES	55.5
NO	44.5
DK/REFUSED	-

22. WHAT TYPE OF DEVICE DID YOU USE TO COMPLETE THIS SURVEY?

Total	1000
DESKTOP	43.6
LAPTOP	41.0
TABLET	7.3
MOBILE DEVICE/CELL-PHONE	8.1
DK/REFUSED	-

23. ARE YOU OR IS A MEMBER OF YOUR IMMEDIATE FAMILY FROM A LATINO, HISPANIC OR SPANISH SPEAKING BACKGROUND?

Total	1000
YES	12.0
NO	88.0

24. WHAT IS YOUR MAIN RACIAL BACKGROUND?

Total	1000
HISPANIC	12.0
AFRICAN AMERICAN	13.3
ASIAN	3.5
WHITE	69.5
OTHER	1.7

25. WHAT IS YOUR AGE? ARE YOU BETWEEN...

Total	1000
18-29	16.4
30-40	17.7
41-55	26.6
56-65	21.4
OVER 65	17.9
Mean	48.38

26. GENDER:

Total	1000
MALE	47.0
FEMALE	53.0

27. REGION:

Total	1000
NEW ENGLAND	5.0
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	13.0
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	17.0
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	6.1
SOUTH ATLANTIC	22.1
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	5.7
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	10.6
MOUNTAIN	7.5
PACIFIC	13.0

28. REGION:

Total	1000
EAST	18.0
MIDWEST	23.1
SOUTH	38.4
WEST	20.5