



FD NATIONAL SURVEY

September 7-9, 2010

**Nationally Representative RDD Telephone Sample of 1000 Adults Age 18+
(Overall Margin of Error = +/- 3.1% in 95 out of 100 cases)**

** Due to rounding, totals may not necessarily equal sums.*

Would state records show you are registered to vote?

- 87% Yes
- 11% No
- 1% Don't Know (DNR)
- 1% Refused (DNR)

(ASKED ONLY OF N=865 REGISTERED VOTERS)

And, how likely would you say you are to vote in the upcoming November elections for Congress? (RESPONSES ROTATED)

- 80% Very likely
- 12% Somewhat likely
- 4% Not too likely
- 4% Not at all likely
- 1% Don't Know (DNR)
- ** Refused (DNR)

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As you may know, in the upcoming elections, many political analysts are predicting that Republicans will likely win majority control of The House of Representatives and that Democrats will likely retain majority control of the Senate, in addition to controlling the Presidency. In general, do you think, as a result of Republican control of The House of Representatives, economic conditions are likely to...(RESPONSES ROTATED)

N=865 Registered Voters (MoE = +/- 3.3%)	N=689 Very Likely Voters (MoE = +/- 3.7%)	
15%	16%	Significantly improve
33%	32%	Somewhat improve
47%	49%	TOTAL IMPROVE
17%	16%	Somewhat worsen
21%	23%	Significantly worsen
38%	39%	TOTAL WORSEN
7%	6%	No impact (DNR)
7%	6%	Don't Know/ Not Sure (DNR)
**	**	Refused (DNR)

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And, if the Republicans win control of The House of Representatives, if you had to choose, would you say they will do a (ROTATED BETTER/ WORSE) better job or a worse job than the last time they controlled The House of Representatives?

N=865 Registered Voters (MoE = +/- 3.3%)	N=689 Very Likely Voters (MoE = +/- 3.7%)	
49%	51%	Better job
36%	37%	Worse job
15%	12%	Don't Know/ Not Sure (DNR)
**	**	Refused (DNR)

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And, if Republicans do win majority control of The House of Representatives, would you prefer that they...(ROTATED)

N=865 Registered Voters (MoE = +/- 3.3%)	N=689 Very Likely Voters (MoE = +/- 3.7%)	
71%	68%	Compromise and work with President Obama and Democrats to get things done.
24%	27%	Pursue their own agenda to get things done.
4%	4%	Don't Know (DNR)
1%	1%	Refused (DNR)

<i>Republican Registered Voters (n=210, MoE=+/- 6.8%)</i>	<i>Independent Registered Voters (n=243, MoE=+/- 6.3%)</i>	<i>Democratic Registered Voters (n=285, MoE=+/- 5.8%)</i>	
47%	71%	87%	Compromise and work with President
50%	25%	8%	Pursue their own agenda to get things done.
3%	4%	4%	Don't Know (DNR)
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Demographics

<u>Gender</u>	Registered Voters
Female	51%
Male	49%

In what year were you born? (CATEGORIES CODED BASED ON OPEN-END RESPONSE)

<u>Age</u>	Registered Voters
18-29	16%
30-44	25%
45-54	21%
55-64	20%
65+	18%
Refused (DNR)	1%

What is the last grade of formal education you have completed?

<u>Education</u>	Registered Voters
Less than high school	4%
High school graduate	26%
Some college/vocational school	29%
College graduate	26%
Post-graduate	14%
Don't Know / Refused	1%

And, please tell me which of the following categories best applies to your total household income for 2009...

<u>Income</u>	Registered Voters
Less than \$15,000	13%
\$15,000 to less than \$30,000	14%
\$30,000 to less than \$50,000	19%
\$50,000 to less than \$75,000	17%
\$75,000 to less than \$100,000	12%
\$100,000 to less than \$200,000	13%
\$200,000 or more	2%
Don't Know / Refused	10%

And, generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

<u>Political Party</u>	Registered Voters
Democratic	33%
Independent	28%
Republican	24%
Something else	11%
Other (DNR)	2%
Don't Know / Refused (DNR)	2%

For statistical purposes only, could you please tell me your ethnic background?
(VOLUNTEERED)

<u>Ethnicity</u>	Registered Voters
White/Caucasian	71%
African-American/Black	13%
Hispanic/Latino	11%
Native American	1%
Asian-American/Asian	1%
Other	1%
Don't Know / Refused (DNR)	2%