

Rural Voters Survey

Frequency Questionnaire

May 31 - June 5, 2007
804 Likely Voters

Q.3 First of all, are you registered to vote at this address?

	Total
Yes	100
No.....	-
(ref:SCREEN1)	

Q.4 Many people weren't able to vote in the 2004 election for President between George Bush and John Kerry. How about you? Were you able to vote, or for some reason were you unable to vote?

	Total
Voted	98
Ineligible/too young	2
Did not vote	-
(Can't remember/Don't know/Refused)	-
(ref:VOTE00)	

Q.5 What are the chances of your voting in the general election for President in 2008: are you almost certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or don't you think you will vote?

	Total
Almost certain.....	92
Probably	8
50-50	-
Will not vote.....	-
(Don't know/refused)	-
(ref:CP3)	

Q.6 Generally speaking, do you think that things in this country are going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track?

	Total
Right direction	23
Wrong track.....	66
(Don't know/refused)	12
Right - Wrong.....	-43
(ref:DIRECT)	

[402 Respondents]

Q.7 (SPLIT A) And generally speaking, do you think that things in rural America are going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track?

	Total
Right direction	36
Wrong track	54
(Don't know/refused)	11
Right - Wrong	-18
(ref:DIRECTR)	

[402 Respondents]

Q.8 (SPLIT B) And generally speaking, do you think that things in your community are going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track?

	Total
Right direction	59
Wrong track	35
(Don't know/refused)	7
Right - Wrong	24
(ref:DIRECTA)	

Q.9 Now, I am going to read you a list of concerns that people have. Please tell me which ONE of these you think the President and Congress should be paying the most attention to.

	Total
The war in Iraq	25
Illegal immigration	12
Energy and gas prices.....	12
Terrorism and national security	10
The economy and jobs	10
Health care	10
Social Security and Medicare.....	6
Moral values	6
Taxes and spending	4
(None)	2
(Don't know/Refused).....	3
(Other).....	1
(ref:CONC1)	

Q.10 And which of the following should the President and Congress be paying the next most attention to?

	Total
The war in Iraq	16
Health care	14
Illegal immigration	13
Energy and gas prices.....	13
Terrorism and national security	12
Social Security and Medicare.....	10
The economy and jobs	9
Taxes and spending	7
Moral values	4
(None)	1
(Don't know/Refused).....	2
(Other).....	1

Q.9/10 Concerns combined

	Total
The war in Iraq	41
Illegal immigration	24
Energy and gas prices.....	24
Health care	23
Terrorism and national security	22
The economy and jobs	18
Social Security and Medicare.....	15
Moral values	10
Taxes and spending	10
(None)	2
(Don't know/Refused).....	4
(Other).....	2
(ref:CONC2)	

Q.11 Do you approve or disapprove of the way George Bush is handling his job as president?

	Total
Strongly approve	22
Somewhat approve	21
Somewhat disapprove.....	13
Strongly disapprove.....	39
(Don't know/Refused).....	4
Total approve.....	44
Total disapprove.....	52
Approve - disapprove	-8
(ref:CANDAPP2)	

Q.12 Now, I'd like to rate your feelings toward some people and organizations, with one hundred meaning a VERY WARM, FAVORABLE feeling; zero meaning a VERY COLD, UNFAVORABLE feeling; and fifty meaning not particularly warm or cold. You can use any number from zero to one hundred, the higher the number the more favorable your feelings are toward that person or organization. If you have no opinion or never heard of that person or organization, please say so.

	Mean	% Warm	% Cool	% ID
12 The Republican Party	49.8	40	37	97
13 The Democratic Party	50.2	39	38	97
14 George W. Bush	45.9	42	44	98
15 John Edwards	46.0	33	36	88
[403 Respondents]				
16 (SPLIT C) Immigrants	44.5	29	38	91
[404 Respondents]				
17 (SPLIT D) Illegal immigrants	33.6	20	55	94
18 Walmart.....	54.5	44	28	96
19 Hillary Clinton.....	38.8	31	52	98
20 Barack Obama	47.7	34	34	82
21 John McCain	49.4	35	31	87
22 Rudy Giuliani.....	49.5	38	33	89
[402 Respondents]				
23 (SPLIT C) Con Agra Foods.....	43.7	10	17	44
[402 Respondents]				
24 (SPLIT D) Archer Daniels Midland Company	42.1	7	13	35
[404 Respondents]				
25 (SPLIT C) Gun control	47.0	36	39	95
[403 Respondents]				
26 (SPLIT D) NRA or The National Rifle Association	56.7	47	27	92
27 Mitt Romney.....	41.9	16	27	59
28 Fred Thompson..... (ref:THERM04)	50.8	22	18	52

Q.29 I know it is a long way off, but thinking about the election in 2008, if the election for president were held today, for whom would you vote -- the Democratic candidate or the Republican candidate?

	Total
Democratic candidate.....	42
Lean Democratic candidate.....	4
Republican candidate.....	37
Lean Republican candidate.....	6
(Other candidate)	2
Lean (Other candidate)	0
(Undecided).....	7
(Refused).....	2
Total Democratic candidate	46
Total Republican candidate.....	43
Total (Other candidate).....	2
Democratic candidate - Republican candidate.....	3
(ref:PRES08)	

Q.31 Thinking about the election for Congress in 2008, if the election for U.S. Congress were held today, would you be voting for (Democratic incumbent/candidate) or (Republican incumbent/candidate)?¹

	Total
Democratic candidate.....	43
Lean Democratic candidate.....	3
Republican candidate.....	41
Lean Republican candidate.....	3
(Other candidate)	1
Lean (Other candidate)	0
(Undecided).....	7
(Refused).....	2
Total Democratic candidate	46
Total Republican candidate.....	44
Total (Other candidate).....	2
Democratic candidate - Republican candidate.....	1
(ref:CONG06)	

¹ For each district, the incumbent's name was inserted, and a generic candidate ("the Democratic candidate" or "the Republican candidate") was inserted for the opposition.

Q.33 Overall, which party do you think does a better job when it comes to paying attention to rural issues the Democrats or the Republicans?

	Total
Democrats MUCH Better.....	23
Democrats SOMEWHAT Better	22
Republicans SOMEWHAT Better.....	17
Republicans MUCH Better	15
(Both).....	3
(Neither)	11
(Don't know/refused)	9
Total Democrats	45
Total Republicans	33
Democrats - Republicans	12

(ref:BJRURAL)

Q.34 As you may know, Congress is taking up a new Agricultural Farm Bill this year, that is, in 2007. I'm going to read you some suggestions some people have made to improve the Farm Bill. Please tell me which TWO suggestions you like the most.

	Total
Invest in renewable energy sources such as ethanol.....	37
Make healthy food more accessible by rewarding farmers for producing healthier crops.....	33
Give new farmers greater access to the land and credit for small-scale operations.	29
Place caps on federal government subsidies to farms worth more than three million dollars.	23
Expand conservation programs that protect millions of acres from development.....	21
Stop the corporate concentration of agricultural markets by stronger enforcement of anti-trust law.	19
Provide stronger labor laws for workers in the farm and food industry.....	13
(Other)	2
(All)	1
(None)	1
(Don't know/refused)	5

(ref:FARMBIL)

Q.35 I am going to read you a list of issues or problems that may face your community. Please tell me for each one whether you believe it is a very serious problem, an important problem, a small problem or not a problem in the community where you live.

	Very Ser Prob	Impt Prob	A Small Prob	Not A Prob	DK/ Ref	Total Ser/ Impt	Total Small/ Not
[421 Respondents]							
35 (SPLIT A) Family farmers losing their farms	41	25	12	18	5	66	30
[429 Respondents]							
36 (SPLIT B) Not enough good paying jobs	52	28	12	7	1	80	19
[421 Respondents]							
37 (SPLIT A) Increase in family debt	43	31	15	8	3	74	23
[428 Respondents]							
38 (SPLIT B) Low performance in public schools.....	32	21	20	24	4	52	44
[424 Respondents]							
39 (SPLIT A) The widening gap between rich and poor.....	42	21	20	14	4	62	34
[427 Respondents]							
40 (SPLIT B) Young people leaving the area	35	21	20	21	2	57	41
[423 Respondents]							
41 (SPLIT A) Health care becoming less affordable	66	22	6	5	1	87	12
[428 Respondents]							
42 (SPLIT B) Higher cost of living due to increased development and growth.....	31	23	23	23	0	53	46
[421 Respondents]							
43 (SPLIT A) Area losing rural character due to sprawl.....	19	18	22	29	12	37	51
[428 Respondents]							
44 (SPLIT B) Increased crime and addiction from crystal meth.	46	23	16	12	3	68	29
[424 Respondents]							
45 (SPLIT A) Rising costs of fuel.....	77	17	3	2	0	94	6
[407 Respondents]							
46 (SPLIT A) Competition from low-wage manufacturing jobs overseas.....	48	20	13	17	2	67	30

	Very Ser Prob	Impt Prob	A Small Ser	Not A Prob	DK/ Ref	Total Ser/ Impt	Total Small/ Not
[405 Respondents]							
47 (SPLIT B) Competition from low-wage agricultural jobs overseas.	27	21	18	28	7	48	46

[428 Respondents]							
48 (SPLIT B) Big retail chains destroying small shops and local businesses..... (ref:PROBLEMS)	28	26	23	23	0	54	46

49 Now I'm going to read you some pairs of statements. After I read each pair, please tell me whether the FIRST statement or the SECOND statement comes closer to your own view, even if neither is exactly right.

	1 st Strng	1 st Not Strng	2 nd Not Strng	2 nd Strng	Both	Nthr	Dk/ Ref	Total 1 st Stmt	Total 2 nd Stmt	1 st - 2 nd
49 The current course cannot bring stability and we need to start reducing the number of U.S. troops in Iraq. OR We must stay the course to achieve stability and finish the job in Iraq.	44	6	7	38	0	1	3	50	45	4

[402 Respondents]										
50 (SPLIT A) For my vote, the most important thing in a candidate for President is his or her character and commitment to core family values OR For my vote, the most important thing in a candidate for President is his or her commitment to changing the direction of the country in Iraq.	49	8	4	33	4	2	1	56	37	19

	1 st Strng	1 st Not Strng	2 nd Not Strng	2 nd Strng	Both	Nthr	Dk/ Ref	Total 1 st Stmt	Total 2 nd Stmt	1 st - 2 nd
[402 Respondents]										
51 (SPLIT B) For my vote, the most important thing in a candidate for President is his or her character and commitment to core family values										
OR										
For my vote, the most important thing in a candidate for President is his or her commitment to changing the direction of the country on the economy.	44	3	6	41	5	1	1	47	46	1
52 Global warming represents an immediate threat and we need to start taking action now.										
OR										
Global warming represents a long-term threat and we need to study the problem before taking drastic action.	45	5	16	30	0	3	2	50	46	4
(ref:VALUES06)										

Q.53 Now, I'd like to read you some policies regarding Iraq. Even if neither is exactly right, which of the following policies best reflects your own views?

I want my member of Congress to vote for measures that will force the President to change policies and reduce troop levels in Iraq.

OR

I want my member of Congress to vote against measures that could undermine the President's policies in Iraq.

	Total
Vote for measures strongly	42
Vote for measures not so strongly.....	9
Vote against measures not so strongly	9
Vote against measures strongly	34
(Both).....	1
(Neither)	3
(Don't know/Refused).....	3
 Total Vote for	 50
Total Vote against	42
 Vote for - Vote against	 8
(ref:IRQPTION)	

[402 Respondents]

Q.54 (SPLIT C) Now, I am going to read you a list of words and phrases which people might use to describe RURAL America. Thinking about your view of rural America, for each word or phrase, please tell me whether it describes rural America very well, well, not too well, or not well at all.

	Very Well	Well	Not Too Well	Not Well At All	DK/ Ref	Total Well	Total Not Well	Well - Not
54 Prosperous.....	13	29	42	13	3	42	55	-12
55 Close-knit communities.....	40	37	17	5	2	76	21	55
56 Traditional values.....	39	42	13	5	1	80	18	62
57 Good schools.....	31	44	18	5	1	75	24	51
58 Good place to raise your family.....	59	36	4	1	0	95	5	90
59 Safe from crime.....	21	39	30	8	2	59	39	21
60 Increasing opportunity.....	14	25	43	15	2	39	59	-20
61 Strong work ethic.....	39	36	16	6	3	75	22	53
62 Behind the times.....	9	23	44	19	5	32	63	-31
63 Depressing.....	10	16	34	35	4	27	70	-43
64 Too reliant on agriculture.....	22	27	35	13	3	49	48	1
65 Rising problems with drug addiction.....	29	31	26	9	4	60	36	24
66 Strong family values..... (ref:GOOD)	50	35	10	4	1	85	14	72

[402 Respondents]

Q.67 (SPLIT D) Now, I am going to read you a list of words and phrases which people might use to describe America on the whole. Thinking about your view of America, for each word or phrase, please tell me whether it describes America very well, well, not too well, or not well at all.

	Very Well	Well	Not Too Well	Not Well At All	DK/Ref	Total Well	Total Not Well	Well - Not
67 Prosperous.....	26	43	25	4	2	70	29	41
68 Close-knit communities.....	24	42	25	8	2	66	32	33
69 Traditional values.....	19	37	34	10	1	56	43	13
70 Good schools.....	23	39	29	7	2	62	36	26
71 Good place to raise your family.....	50	41	6	2	1	92	7	84
72 Safe from crime.....	11	36	41	11	1	47	52	-5
73 Increasing opportunity.....	24	41	29	6	1	64	35	29
74 Strong work ethic.....	23	39	30	7	1	62	37	25
75 Rising problems with drug addiction.....	34	30	25	10	1	64	35	29
76 Strong family values..... (ref:GOODA)	23	39	28	9	1	62	38	24

Q.77 Now I am going to read you some things some candidates for President are considering as their run for office begins. After each sentence I read, please tell me if you would make this your SINGLE HIGHEST priority, one of the TOP FEW priorities but not the highest, NEAR THE TOP of the list, in the MIDDLE OF THE LIST, or TOWARD THE BOTTOM of the list of priorities for the new administration?

	High est Prior	Top Few Prior	Near The Top	Middle Of List	Twd Bottom	DK/Ref	High Top Few	High Few Near
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[402 Respondents]

77 (SPLIT C) Strengthen the Community Investment Act, which is designed to encourage banks to invest in underserved communities and rural areas.....

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[402 Respondents]

78 (SPLIT D) Invest more in alternative energy production, starting with ethanol, solar and wind power.....

.....	18	32	27	16	6	1	50	77
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	High est Prior	Top Few Prior	Near The Top	Middle Of List	Twd Bottom	DK/ Ref	High Top Few	High Few Near
[404 Respondents] 79 (SPLIT C) Strengthen and improve existing rural health care facilities and build new ones so that all Americans can obtain access to quality health care when they need it.....	21	30	23	19	7	1	51	74
[402 Respondents] 80 (SPLIT D) Diversify America's rural economy by expanding tourism, promoting alternative energy production, providing greater access to high speed internet, and generating more public works projects.	8	18	20	37	16	1	26	45
[405 Respondents] 81 (SPLIT C) Modernize public schools to train our kids for the challenges of the 21st century.	18	28	29	17	6	1	46	75
[403 Respondents] 82 (SPLIT D) Protect the family farmer and stopping the corporate takeover of family farms.....	15	26	27	25	7	1	41	67
[402 Respondents] 83 (SPLIT D) Reducing global warming through conservation, investing in alternative energy and caps on carbon emissions.	13	25	22	25	14	1	39	61
[402 Respondents] 84 (SPLIT C) Getting our troops out of Iraq.....	25	22	15	20	16	2	47	62
[403 Respondents] 85 (SPLIT C) Making sure every American child has health care insurance.	28	32	21	12	6	1	60	82
[402 Respondents] 86 (SPLIT D) Protect children from pornographic material on the Internet and sex and violence on television, movies and video games.	27	32	21	10	10	0	59	79
[402 Respondents] 87 (SPLIT D) Winning the war in Iraq.	20	27	20	17	13	3	47	67

	High est Prior	Top Few Prior	Near The Top	Middle Of List	Twd Bottom	DK/ Ref	High Top Few	High Few Near
[405 Respondents] 88 (SPLIT C) Cut taxes for middle class families and small business owners.	19	30	22	23	6	0	49	71
[403 Respondents] 91 (SPLIT D) Increase investments in roads and transportation in rural areas.	8	14	17	46	14	0	23	40
[404 Respondents] 92 (SPLIT C) Increase the number of good paying jobs in rural areas.	17	30	27	20	5	1	47	74
[403 Respondents] 93 (SPLIT D) Increase penalties for those convicted of dealing crystal meth and providing more funding for treatment for meth addicts.	16	28	21	26	7	1	45	65
[404 Respondents] 94 (SPLIT C) Oppose abortion and gay marriage.	18	17	13	13	33	6	35	48
[402 Respondents] 95 (SPLIT C) Cut wasteful government spending.	31	33	24	8	3	1	64	88
[402 Respondents] 96 (SPLIT D) Reduce illegal immigration.	20	26	19	21	13	1	46	65
[402 Respondents] 97 (SPLIT C) Invest in homeland security and strengthen the military. (ref:PROPR)	17	30	22	23	8	0	47	69

[402 Respondents]

Q.98 (SPLIT A) Now I am going to read you some things two candidates have said in their campaign for President. After I read these descriptions, please tell me which one you would support.

Candidate A is a Democrat. He believes in fundamentally changing the direction of the country, beginning by bringing our troops home from Iraq. He also says that this economy works well for the rich, but less well for middle class families, and will work to make sure everyone has a chance at the American dream. Although he respects those with different views, he supports a woman's right to choose and supports civil unions for same sex couples.

Candidate B is a Republican. He says there are some things he would do differently than George Bush. However, he supports victory in Iraq and does not want to hand the terrorists another win after 9/11. He believes the best thing we can do for the economy is to cut taxes, but will also fight for ways to bring America's prosperity to everyone. He opposes abortion, particularly partial birth abortion, and opposes gay marriage.

	Total
Support Democrat strongly.....	31
Support Democrat, not so strongly.....	8
Support Republican, not so strongly	8
Support Republican, strongly	46
(Neither)	4
(Both).....	1
(Don't know/refused)	2
Total Democrat	39
Total Republican	54
Democrat - Republican	-15
(ref:PREPAIR1)	

[402 Respondents]

Q.99 (SPLIT B) Now I am going to read you some things two candidates have said in their campaign for President. After I read these descriptions, please tell me which one you would support.

Candidate A is a Democrat. He believes in fundamentally changing the direction of the country, beginning by bringing our troops home from Iraq. He also says that this economy works well for the rich, but less well for middle class families, and will work to make sure everyone has a chance at the American dream. Although he respects those with different views, he supports a woman's right to choose and supports civil unions for same sex couples.

Candidate B is a Republican. He says there are some things he would do differently than George Bush. However, he supports victory in Iraq and does not want to hand the terrorists another win after 9/11. He believes the best thing we can do for the economy is to cut taxes, but will also fight for ways to bring America's prosperity to everyone. Unlike other politicians, he does not runaway from his views. He has a history of supporting a women's right to choose and will not change his beliefs because he is running for President.

	Total
Support Democrat strongly.....	31
Support Democrat, not so strongly.....	13
Support Republican, not so strongly	10
Support Republican, strongly	38
(Neither)	5
(Both).....	1
(Don't know/refused)	3
Total Democrat	44
Total Republican	47
Democrat - Republican	-3
(ref:PREPAIR2)	

Q.100 Finally, I would like to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes. What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

	Total
1 - 11th grade	6
High School graduate.....	33
Non-college post H.S.	2
Some college.....	25
College graduate	23
Post-graduate school	10
(Don't know/refused)	0
(ref:EDUC)	

Q.101 In what year were you born?

	Total
18 - 24	5
25 - 29	4
30 - 34	8
35 - 39	4
40 - 44	7
45 - 49	13
50 - 54	10
55 - 59	12
60 - 64	10
Over 64.....	25
(No answer).....	3
(ref:AGE)	

Q.103 How many years have you lived in (county)²?

	Total
0	1
1 - 5	13
6 - 10	12
11-20	15
21-30	16
31 or more	42
DK/Never heard.....	1
(ref:LENGTH)	

Q.104 Do you have any children 18 years of age or younger living at home?

	Total
Yes	31
No.....	69
(Don't know/refused)	0
(ref:KIDS)	

Q.105 Are you a member of a labor union? (IF NO) Is any member of your household a union member?

	Total
Yes: Respondent belongs	14
Household member	8
No member belongs	78
(Don't know/refused)	0
(ref:UNION)	

² For each respondent, the name of their county was inserted

Q.106 In the past five years, have you ever been without health insurance? If you do not have health insurance now, simply say so.

	Total
Yes, lost health insurance	16
Yes, do not have health insurance currently	9
No.....	74
(Don't know/refused)	0
(ref:INSURANC)	

Q.107 In terms of your job status, are you employed, unemployed but looking for work, retired, a student, or a homemaker?

	Total
Employed	52
Unemployed	4
Retired.....	31
Student.....	1
Homemaker.....	8
(Other)	3
(Don't know/refused)	-
Unemp/Student/Homemaker	13
(ref:EMPLOY)	

Q.108 Are you married, single, separated, divorced, or widowed?

	Total
Married	70
Single	10
Separated/Divorced.....	10
Widowed.....	9
(Don't know/refused)	1
Sep/Div/Wid.....	19
(ref:MARITAL)	

Q.109 Not including the money you might owe on your house, generally speaking, has your level of debt gone up, gone down or stayed about the same over the last five years?

	Total
Gone up.....	26
Gone down	28
Stayed about the same	39
(No household debt).....	6
(Don't know/refused)	1
(ref:DEBT2)	

Q.110 Do you currently have cable television services or satellite television services in your home?

	Total
Yes, cable.....	46
Yes, satellite.....	38
Yes, both	1
No.....	15
(Don't know/refused)	0
Total Yes	85
No.....	15
Yes - No.....	70
(ref:CABLE)	

Q.111 Do you access the Internet at home? (IF YES) Does the computer you use at home connect to the Internet through a dial-up telephone line, or do you have some other type of connection, such as a DSL-enabled phone line, a cable television modem, a wireless connection (either land-based or satellite), or a T-1 or fiber optic connection?

	Total
Yes, dialup telephone line	24
Yes, DSL-enabled telephone line.....	21
Yes, cable modem.....	15
Yes, wireless connection (either land or satellite)	5
Yes, T-1 or fiber optic connection.....	0
Yes, other	2
No, does not connect to the Internet from home	32
(Don't know/refused)	2
Total yes.....	67
(ref:INTERNET)	

Q.112 Roughly speaking, how many hours a week do you spend on the Internet, not including e-mail?

	Total
0 - 5 hours	75
6 - 10 hours	11
More than 10	11
(Don't know/Refused).....	3
Mean	5.1
(ref:HOURS)	

Q.113 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat or what?

	Total
Strong Democrat	24
Weak Democrat.....	12
Independent-lean Democrat.....	9
Independent	7
Independent-lean Republican	11
Weak Republican	16
Strong Republican.....	22
(Don't know/Refused).....	1
(ref:PTYID1)	

Q.116 Thinking in political terms, would you say that you are Conservative, Moderate, or Liberal?

	Total
Liberal.....	13
Moderate	32
Conservative	50
(Don't know/refused)	5
(ref:IDEO1)	

Q.117 What is your religion?

	Total
Protestant.....	58
Catholic	17
Jewish	0
(Other/none/refused).....	25
(ref:RELIG1)	

[461 Respondents]

Q.118 (ASK IF PUNCH 1 IN RELIG1) Which one of these words best describes your kind of Christianity -- fundamentalist, evangelical, charismatic, Pentecostal or moderate to liberal?

	Total
Fundamentalist.....	20
Evangelical	19
Charismatic/Pentecostal.....	10
Moderate to liberal.....	34
(Something else)	7
(Don't know/refused)	11
(ref:RELIG3)	

Q.119 How often do you attend church -- every week, once or twice a month, several times a year, or hardly ever?

	Total
Every week.....	46
Once or twice a month	18
Several times a year.....	10
Hardly ever	20
(Never)	5
(Don't know/Refused).....	1
 Monthly.....	 64
Less than monthly.....	35
(ref:RELIG2)	

[790 Respondents]

Q.120 (ASK IF VOTED IN VOTE00) In the 2004 election for President, did you vote for Democrat John Kerry or Republican George Bush?

	Total
Democrat John Kerry	37
Republican George Bush	57
(Ralph Nader).....	0
(Other candidate)	1
(Don't know/Refused).....	4
 Democrat John Kerry - Republican George Bush.....	 -20
(ref:VOTE2004)	

Q.121 As you know, there was an election for Congress and other offices in 2006. Many people weren't able to vote. How about you? Were you able to vote or for some reason were you unable to vote?

	Total
Voted.....	85
Did not vote	13
(Can't remember/Don't know).....	2
(Refused).....	-
(ref:VOTE02)	

Q.122 How many guns or rifles do you own?

	Total
None.....	45
1-2	15
3-9	17
10 or more	13
(Don't know/Refused).....	11
(ref:GUNS)	

Q.123 Do you know someone who is currently serving, or has recently served in the military in Iraq or Afghanistan? (IF YES) Is that person you, a family member, a friend, or just someone you know?

	Total
Yes - respondent	2
Yes - family member	27
Yes - friend	28
Yes - someone you know	18
No.....	24
(Don't know/refused)	0
Total Yes	75
No.....	24
Yes - No	51
(ref:IRQSERV)	

Q.124 What racial or ethnic group best describes you?

	Total
White	86
African-American or Black.....	5
Hispanic or Latino.....	3
Native American	1
Asian	-
(Other)	2
(Don't know/refused)	2
(ref:RACETHN)	

Q.127 Do you or anyone in your household earn income through farming, ranching or agriculture? (IF YES) Does it account for 50 percent or more of your income or less than 50 percent?

	Total
Yes, 50 percent or more.....	7
Yes, less than 50 percent.....	10
No.....	83
(Not sure/refused)	0
Total yes.....	17
(ref:AGINC)	

[402 Respondents]

Q.129 (SPLIT A) It is possible that a reporter for National Public Radio may do a news story based on some of these topics and may want to ask a few follow-up questions of some of the people we spoke to tonight. Would you be willing to allow an NPR reporter to have your responses on the questions and then possibly call you for a brief interview?

	Total
Yes	59
No.....	41
(ref:NPRFOLLOW)	

Q.2 Record respondent's gender

	Total
Male.....	47
Female	53
(ref:GENDER)	