Negative political climate

Picked the wrong candidate

POLL TOPLINES



Not all doom and gloom

Next year will be better

APRIL 2024

PACIFIC STANDARD TIME:

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2024 Pacific State Survey of Registered Voters Toplines

Online survey among n1,250 registered voters in Alaska, California, Hawaii, Oregon, and Washington

Field Dates: 04/16-23/2024

Margin of error total of all states: ± 2.77 Margin of error for individual states: ± 6.2

SCREENER SECTION

You have been selected to participate in a survey on a confidential basis. This is a rare opportunity to voice your opinions. Your responses will be kept confidential; you are not being asked to buy anything or donate money. We simply want to know what you think and how you feel.

Screener 1: Are you, or is anyone in your household, employed by the news media, a market research firm, an elected official, or actively involved with political campaigns?

100% Yes (Terminate)

Screener 2: Are you currently registered to vote?

100% Yes (Continue)

Screener 3: In which state are you currently registered to vote?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Alaska	20%	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
California	20%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%		
Hawaii	20%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%		
Oregon	20%	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%		
Washington	20%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%		



GENERAL SENTIMENT

GS1. At this time next year, do you think that you will personally be **(ROTATE)** better or worse **(END ROTATE)** off than you are today?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Much better off	18%	21%	21%	13%	17%	19%	
Somewhat better off	38%	31%	37%	47%	39%	38%	
Somewhat worse off	17%	19%	15%	13%	19%	19%	
Much worse off	7%	12%	7%	4%	6%	9%	
Unsure	19%	18%	20%	23%	19%	16%	
Net: Total Better off	56%	52%	58%	59%	56%	57%	
Net: Total Worse off	25%	31%	22%	18%	25%	27%	

GS2. At this time next year, do you think America will be **(ROTATE)** better or worse **(END ROTATE)** off than it is today?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Much better off	11%	8%	15%	12%	7%	14%	
Somewhat better off	30%	30%	33%	29%	30%	27%	
Somewhat worse off	24%	28%	20%	21%	26%	27%	
Much worse off	10%	16%	9%	8%	10%	8%	
Unsure	24%	18%	22%	30%	27%	23%	
Net: Total Better off	41%	38%	49%	41%	37%	42%	
Net: Total Worse off	35%	44%	30%	29%	36%	35%	

GS3. Do you (ROTATE) approve or disapprove (END ROTATE) of the job President Joe Biden is doing?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Strongly approve	20%	9%	31%	21%	23%	15%	
Somewhat approve	26%	23%	28%	31%	22%	24%	
Somewhat disapprove	16%	15%	15%	14%	16%	19%	
Strongly disapprove	36%	45%	25%	31%	37%	41%	
Unsure	3%	7%	1%	3%	2%	1%	
Net: Total Approve	45%	33%	59%	52%	45%	39%	
Net: Total Disapprove	51%	60%	40%	45%	53%	59%	

GS4. Do you (ROTATE) approve or disapprove (END ROTATE) of the job the U.S. Congress is doing?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Strongly approve	5%	3%	10%	5%	4%	2%	
Somewhat approve	20%	16%	24%	27%	17%	17%	
Somewhat disapprove	33%	36%	28%	30%	33%	36%	
Strongly disapprove	34%	35%	31%	28%	37%	37%	
Unsure	9%	11%	7%	10%	10%	8%	
Net: Total Approve	25%	18%	34%	32%	20%	20%	
Net: Total Disapprove	66%	71%	59%	58%	70%	73%	

GS5. On the following scale, please indicate where you see yourself politically.

(DO NOT SHOW numeric scale....)

				State		
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA
0 = progressive liberal / Strong Democrat	14%	12%	18%	13%	14%	12%
1	6%	2%	7%	6%	6%	7%
2	9%	12%	8%	10%	10%	6%
3	8%	6%	7%	9%	8%	12%
4	5%	4%	5%	8%	4%	3%
5 = Moderate Centrist / Independent	21%	21%	20%	19%	25%	20%
6	4%	2%	5%	3%	7%	2%
7	6%	6%	5%	7%	6%	5%
8	10%	14%	8%	9%	6%	12%
9	4%	3%	5%	1%	3%	9%
10 = Staunch-Conservative / Strong Republican	14%	19%	12%	14%	12%	14%
Average	4.9	5.5	4.5	4.7	4.6	5.2

GS7. On the following scale, please indicate how you see yourself voting in future elections.

(DO NOT SHOW numeric scale....)

				State		
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA
0 = Exclusively vote for Democratic candidates	20%	14%	27%	24%	17%	16%
1	9%	7%	7%	12%	7%	10%
2	7%	10%	7%	8%	7%	4%
3	5%	2%	6%	6%	6%	7%
4	5%	5%	5%	7%	5%	4%
5 = Vote Independent / split ticket	17%	15%	13%	10%	27%	16%
6	3%	5%	3%	1%	4%	1%
7	4%	4%	5%	4%	3%	2%
8	8%	7%	6%	6%	6%	13%
9	6%	4%	4%	8%	3%	9%
10 = Exclusively vote for Republican candidates	18%	26%	17%	14%	14%	17%
Average	4.7	5.4	4.3	4.2	4.6	5.2

GS8. In the perfect world, where on the following scale, would you like to see America's elected officials stand politically?

(DO NOT SHOW numeric scale....)

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	н	OR	WA		
0 = Progressive liberal / Strong Democrat	15%	11%	19%	22%	12%	11%		
1	5%	5%	6%	3%	6%	7%		
2	7%	6%	6%	11%	7%	6%		
3	7%	4%	10%	8%	8%	8%		
4	7%	6%	7%	7%	8%	6%		
5 = Moderate Centrist / Independent	22%	20%	20%	18%	31%	18%		
6	5%	10%	2%	2%	7%	3%		
7	7%	6%	9%	6%	3%	8%		
8	7%	9%	7%	5%	4%	11%		
9	4%	5%	3%	5%	2%	6%		
10 = Staunch-Conservative / Strong Republican	13%	18%	11%	12%	11%	15%		
Average	4.8	5.5	4.5	4.3	4.6	5.3		

ISSUE IMPORTANCE

II1. Of the following, what would you say is the most pressing issue in America today? (RANDOMIZE 1-12)

				State		
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA
Immigration	19%	23%	18%	14%	11%	27%
Jobs and the economy	19%	14%	26%	21%	14%	17%
Government leadership	14%	16%	9%	14%	20%	9%
Taxes and government spending	9%	12%	9%	13%	6%	5%
Abortion	8%	7%	10%	5%	8%	9%
Energy and the environment	6%	2%	6%	6%	7%	9%
Health care	6%	5%	7%	5%	7%	5%
Police reform and criminal justice	5%	4%	7%	5%	6%	5%
National security	5%	5%	2%	4%	7%	7%
Social reforms	2%	3%	0%	6%	1%	1%
Education	2%	5%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Free speech and censorship	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%
None of the above	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%
Unsure	2%	1%	1%	2%	5%	2%

Thinking a moment about the economy...

E1. Do you believe that a large portion of our national debt comes from unfunded Social Security and Medicare spending obligations?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes	24%	26%	27%	23%	21%	23%	
No	50%	48%	52%	47%	53%	52%	
Unsure	26%	26%	21%	30%	26%	25%	

E2. Which of the following do you believe would make the government more effective? (ROTATE 1-3, 3-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Growing and investing more in government-run programs and regulations	27%	21%	33%	22%	26%	32%	
Reforming government programs to offer more choice with competition from the private sector	37%	39%	37%	37%	38%	33%	
Reducing and eliminating government-run programs and regulations	18%	20%	16%	19%	16%	19%	
Unsure	18%	20%	14%	21%	20%	16%	

E3. Which of the following do you believe would help address housing affordability? (ROTATE 1-3, 3-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
More government involvement in offering more subsidies and programs targeted at disadvantaged individuals	49%	41%	56%	40%	50%	56%	
Reducing regulatory barriers that delay construction and impose higher costs on building housing.	39%	40%	32%	47%	39%	38%	
Eliminating all government programs and regulation in the housing market to allow private providers to build what they want and where.	12%	20%	12%	13%	10%	7%	

Thinking a moment about the environment...

EE1. Do you think human actions cause and/or accelerate climate change? (ROTATE 1-4, 4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes, Definitely	47%	31%	53%	47%	57%	47%	
Yes, to some extent	33%	44%	29%	33%	26%	31%	
No, not really	12%	14%	8%	13%	11%	14%	
No, not at all	5%	8%	6%	6%	4%	3%	
Unsure	3%	3%	4%	1%	2%	4%	

EE2. On the issue of energy and the environment, which candidate would you be most likely to vote for? (ROTATE 1-3, 3-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
A candidate who pledges more government funding for legislation that will eliminate pollution and greenhouse gas emissions, and tax companies who leave a carbon footprint.	36%	22%	39%	42%	41%	36%	
A candidate who recognizes climate change and supports solutions that allow individuals to make choices that best support their goals.	39%	45%	41%	35%	40%	36%	
A candidate who pledges to oppose any new government spending aimed at curbing "climate change."	16%	24%	13%	14%	13%	19%	
Unsure	8%	10%	8%	9%	6%	10%	

NEXT ELECTION SERIES

M1. How do you view the current political climate in America? (ROTATE 1-4, 4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Very positively	4%	2%	8%	5%	2%	4%	
Somewhat positively	16%	15%	19%	14%	16%	14%	
Somewhat negatively	38%	39%	33%	35%	37%	43%	
Very negatively	34%	36%	32%	32%	38%	33%	
Unsure	8%	7%	8%	13%	7%	7%	
Net: Total Positive	20%	18%	27%	20%	18%	18%	
Net: Total Negative	72%	75%	65%	67%	75%	75%	

NE2. Do you feel the Democrats have chosen their best candidate for the upcoming presidential election?

	State					
Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
33%	26%	44%	39%	29%	29%	
49%	58%	39%	39%	52%	53%	
18%	15%	17%	22%	19%	18%	
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NE3. Do you feel the Republicans have chosen their best candidate for the upcoming presidential election?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes	35%	44%	31%	34%	26%	40%	
No	52%	46%	59%	45%	61%	48%	
Unsure	13%	10%	10%	21%	13%	13%	

(RANDOMIZE PT1-PT9)

PT1. Which candidate's **age** is more concerning to you? **(ROTATE 1-2)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Donald Trump	23%	20%	29%	21%	22%	23%	
Joe Biden	59%	69%	50%	57%	58%	62%	
Unsure	18%	11%	21%	22%	20%	15%	

PT2. Which candidate's mental health is more concerning to you? (ROTATE 1-2)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Donald Trump	44%	35%	51%	49%	46%	38%	
Joe Biden	47%	58%	42%	38%	44%	54%	
Unsure	9%	7%	8%	13%	11%	7%	

PT3. Which candidate's maturity/demeanor is more concerning to you? (ROTATE 1-2)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Donald Trump	55%	43%	58%	56%	63%	54%	
Joe Biden	37%	50%	34%	31%	29%	40%	
Unsure	8%	7%	8%	13%	7%	6%	

PT4. Which candidate's **past record** is more concerning to you? **(ROTATE 1-2)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Donald Trump	55%	45%	61%	57%	60%	51%	
Joe Biden	38%	48%	31%	38%	32%	42%	
Unsure	7%	8%	8%	5%	8%	7%	

PT5. Which candidate's **family/legal issues** is more concerning to you? **(ROTATE 1-2)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Donald Trump	53%	45%	57%	54%	57%	53%	
Joe Biden	36%	46%	31%	35%	32%	37%	
Unsure	11%	9%	12%	11%	11%	10%	

PT6. Which candidate's **reproductive rights policies** are more concerning to you? **(ROTATE 1-2)**

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		٠,٠	HI	OR	WA
%	36%	51%	49%	56%	50%
6	47%	38%	32%	31%	33%
6	17%	11%	19%	13%	16%
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PT7. Which candidate's **economic policies** are more concerning to you? **(ROTATE 1-2)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Donald Trump	44%	37%	53%	47%	45%	38%	
Joe Biden	45%	52%	40%	37%	42%	52%	
Unsure	11%	11%	7%	15%	12%	10%	

PT8. Which candidate's immigration/border policies are more concerning to you? (ROTATE 1-2)

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Donald Trump	43%	34%	53%	43%	48%	38%		
Joe Biden	45%	56%	40%	40%	40%	50%		
Unsure	12%	10%	6%	17%	12%	12%		

PT9. Which candidate's **environmental policies** are more concerning to you? **(ROTATE 1-2)**

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Donald Trump	47%	36%	49%	50%	57%	44%		
Joe Biden	36%	46%	38%	30%	33%	35%		
Unsure	17%	18%	13%	20%	10%	21%		

(END RANDOMIZE)

Thinking ahead to the general election in November...

NE2. If this year's presidential election were between (ROTATE) Republican Donald Trump, and Democrat Joe Biden, how would you vote? **(ROTATE 1-4,4-1)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Definitely Trump	35%	43%	28%	32%	31%	39%	
Lean Trump	8%	13%	6%	7%	9%	6%	
Lean Biden	11%	8%	9%	17%	12%	11%	
Definitely Biden	38%	28%	50%	40%	40%	34%	
Unsure	7%	8%	7%	5%	8%	10%	
Net: Total Trump	43%	55%	34%	38%	40%	46%	
Net: Total Biden	50%	36%	59%	57%	52%	45%	
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(IF 1-2 In NE2 ASK)

NE2T. Would you say that your vote is in support of Donald Trump, or against Joe Biden?

		State						
Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA			
77%	72%	79%	94%	70%	75%			
21%	28%	20%	6%	23%	22%			
2%	0%	1%	0%	7%	3%			
	77% 21%	77% 72% 21% 28%	77% 72% 79% 21% 28% 20%	77% 72% 79% 94% 21% 28% 20% 6%	77% 72% 79% 94% 70% 21% 28% 20% 6% 23%			

(IF 3-4 In NE2 ASK)

NE2B. Would you say that your vote is in support of Joe Biden, or against Donald Trump?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
For Joe Biden	57%	62%	58%	61%	48%	57%		
Against Donald Trump	40%	29%	40%	36%	50%	42%		
Unsure	3%	9%	2%	3%	3%	1%		

(CONTINUE WITH ALL)

NE2. If this year's presidential election were between (ROTATE) Republican Donald Trump, Democrat Joe Biden, Independent Robert F. Kennedy Jr., Green Party Jill Stein, and Independent Cornel West, how would you vote? (RANDOMIZE 1-5)

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Joe Biden (D)	38%	26%	48%	42%	40%	35%		
Donald Trump (R)	36%	49%	28%	34%	29%	40%		
Robet F. Kennedy (I)	12%	10%	12%	8%	19%	13%		
Jill Stein (G)	2%	1%	2%	0%	3%	4%		
Cornel West (I)	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%		
Unsure	10%	13%	8%	14%	8%	8%		

NE2. Of the following, please select any candidate that you could never see yourself voting for. (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY) **(RANDOMIZE 1-5)**

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Donald Trump (R)	48%	39%	48%	51%	54%	48%		
Joe Biden (D)	38%	47%	34%	36%	31%	40%		
Robet F. Kennedy (I)	18%	12%	21%	15%	20%	23%		
Jill Stein (G)	14%	13%	17%	12%	17%	12%		
Cornel West (I)	13%	10%	17%	10%	13%	14%		
Unsure	7%	9%	8%	9%	5%	4%		

F11. Which of the following do you think would be the best candidate to represent you and your neighbors in Congress? (RANDOMIZE 1-3)

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
A candidate who works and votes with both Republicans and Democrats in Congress.	55%	45%	53%	60%	62%	56%		
A candidate who works and votes with the Democrats in Congress.	21%	25%	29%	18%	15%	19%		
A candidate who works and votes with the Republicans in Congress .	17%	21%	12%	14%	14%	21%		
Unsure	7%	8%	6%	8%	9%	4%		

NE9. Do you expect in the course of the presidential election campaign you might change your mind about the presidential candidate you will vote for?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Yes	13%	11%	14%	14%	12%	13%		
No	70%	66%	72%	70%	69%	71%		
Unsure	18%	23%	15%	16%	19%	16%		

NE10. Do you expect in the course of the presidential election campaign you might change your mind about whether to vote at all?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Yes	10%	8%	12%	10%	9%	10%		
No	79%	78%	76%	80%	79%	80%		
Unsure	12%	14%	12%	10%	12%	11%		

NE9. This election, do think that you will vote straight ticket (meaning along party lines), or do you think you will split ticket vote (meaning vote for some candidates from each party)

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Straight ticket	56%	48%	65%	55%	53%	58%		
Split Ticket	23%	26%	17%	21%	26%	26%		
Unsure	21%	27%	18%	24%	21%	16%		

PACIFIC STATE SERIES

WC1. Do you believe that your voice and opinions are being heard in Washington, DC by your elected representatives? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Yes, Strongly	9%	5%	15%	9%	9%	8%		
Yes, Somewhat	31%	27%	36%	35%	28%	32%		
No, Somewhat	22%	29%	19%	22%	20%	21%		
No, Strongly	28%	32%	21%	24%	36%	28%		
Unsure / Depends	8%	8%	8%	9%	7%	11%		
Net: Total Yes	41%	32%	51%	45%	37%	40%		
Net: Total No	51%	61%	41%	47%	57%	49%		

WC2. Do you think your voice and opinions would be more clearly heard in Washington, DC if your elected representative was a moderate Independent, not aligned with either Republicans or Democrats? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes, Strongly	11%	13%	12%	7%	12%	9%	
Yes, Somewhat	29%	28%	30%	27%	27%	33%	
No, Somewhat	15%	12%	12%	20%	18%	14%	
No, Strongly	16%	17%	18%	14%	15%	17%	
Unsure / Depends	29%	29%	28%	31%	28%	27%	
Net: Total Yes	40%	41%	42%	35%	40%	42%	
Net: Total No	31%	30%	30%	34%	32%	31%	

WC3. Do you think your voice and opinions would be more clearly heard in Washington, DC if your state was a 'political tossup state' that had equal chances of voting Republican or Democratic? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes, Strongly	12%	11%	13%	11%	11%	14%	
Yes, Somewhat	32%	36%	37%	28%	27%	32%	
No, Somewhat	14%	9%	14%	17%	17%	15%	
No, Strongly	13%	15%	12%	16%	14%	11%	
Unsure / Depends	28%	29%	24%	27%	32%	28%	
Net: Total Yes	44%	47%	50%	40%	38%	46%	
Net: Total No	28%	24%	26%	33%	30%	26%	

WC4. Do you think your voice and opinions would be more clearly heard in Washington, DC if your state was 'geographically closer' to Washington, DC? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes, Strongly	8%	6%	12%	10%	7%	7%	
Yes, Somewhat	18%	21%	18%	15%	17%	19%	
No, Somewhat	25%	26%	22%	27%	26%	25%	
No, Strongly	28%	26%	27%	27%	29%	31%	
Unsure / Depends	20%	20%	21%	21%	21%	18%	
Net: Total Yes	26%	27%	30%	25%	24%	25%	
Net: Total No	53%	53%	49%	54%	55%	56%	

WC5. Do you believe the federal government does a (ROTATE) good or bad (END ROTATE) job responding to crises and disasters that take place in your state? **(ROTATE 1-4,4-1)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Very good	16%	15%	21%	17%	14%	15%	
Somewhat good	41%	45%	41%	40%	38%	39%	
Somewhat bad	19%	18%	17%	21%	21%	19%	
Very bad	12%	11%	11%	14%	12%	12%	
Unsure / Depends	12%	11%	10%	8%	14%	15%	
Net: Total Good	57%	60%	62%	57%	53%	54%	
Net: Total Bad	31%	29%	28%	35%	34%	31%	

WC6. What type of elected officials do you think are needed in Washington to increase the federal government's job performance at providing aid to states? **(RANDOMIZE 1-3)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
More elected Democrats	35%	27%	46%	40%	33%	30%	
More elected Independents	17%	16%	16%	6%	29%	19%	
More elected Republicans	29%	35%	24%	29%	20%	35%	
Unsure	19%	21%	15%	25%	18%	16%	

WC7. Do you believe your state government officials do a (ROTATE) good or bad (END ROTATE) job responding to crises and disasters that take place in your state? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Very good	16%	16%	24%	14%	11%	15%	
Somewhat good	44%	47%	39%	47%	48%	37%	
Somewhat bad	19%	15%	13%	20%	19%	26%	
Very bad	12%	11%	13%	11%	13%	10%	
Unsure / Depends	10%	11%	11%	8%	10%	11%	
Net: Total Good	60%	63%	63%	61%	59%	52%	
Net: Total Bad	30%	26%	26%	31%	31%	36%	

WC8. What type of elected officials do you think are needed in your state to increase the state government's job performance at providing aid at times of need? (RANDOMIZE 1-3)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
More elected Democrats	36%	32%	45%	39%	33%	31%	
More elected Independents	14%	12%	14%	6%	24%	15%	
More elected Republicans	31%	38%	28%	29%	25%	34%	
Unsure	19%	18%	13%	26%	18%	19%	

WC9. Thinking a moment about the ideal elected official to represent your state in Washington, DC; which of the following characteristics do you think would be best to represent your state? **(RANDOMIZE 1-3)**

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
A candidate dedicated to working with Democrats and the Democratic agenda	31%	25%	39%	37%	27%	29%	
A candidate dedicated to working with Republicans and the Republican agenda	24%	29%	24%	22%	18%	29%	
A politically Independent candidate not beholden to either political agenda	32%	32%	28%	25%	43%	32%	
Unsure	12%	14%	10%	15%	12%	10%	

(IF 2 (INDEPENDENT) IN PREVIOUS, ASK)

WC9A. Which characteristic do you find most appealing about an Independent candidate? (RANDOMIZE 1-4)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
They are not beholden to either party	54%	55%	55%	57%	48%	57%	
They are moderate	22%	29%	21%	13%	27%	18%	
They are centrist	5%	3%	4%	4%	7%	8%	
They are not part of the party system	16%	13%	16%	17%	16%	17%	
Unsure	3%	1%	5%	8%	2%	0%	

(CONTINUE ALL)

(IF ALASKA, ASK)

AK1. Alaska has a long history of being represented federally by candidates on both sides of the aisle. Given this, would you (ROTATE) support or oppose (END ROTATE) our federally elected official from Alaska being a politically Independent candidate not beholden to either political agenda? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Strongly support	16%	16%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Somewhat support	44%	44%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Somewhat oppose	7%	7%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Strongly oppose	7%	7%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Unsure	25%	25%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Net: Total Support	61%	61%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Net: Total Oppose	15%	15%	0%	0%	0%	0%	

(IF CA, HI, OR, WA, ASK)

PC1. By and large, your state's federally elected delegation has of late been represented by members of the Democratic party. If your state were to be represented by an elected official not aligned with the Democratic party, which of the following would you prefer to represent your state in Washington, DC?

(ROTATE 1-2)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
A candidate dedicated to working with Republicans and the Republican agenda	30%	0%	31%	30%	27%	34%	
A politically Independent candidate not beholden to either political agenda	54%	0%	50%	51%	62%	54%	
Unsure	15%	0%	19%	19%	11%	13%	

(CONTINUE ALL)

WC10. Do you (ROTATE) agree or disagree (END ROTATE) with the following statement: I think that a lot more local issues would be resolved if we had representation from a politically Independent candidate not beholden to either political agenda, because they would focus on our issues, not the issues of the political parties at large. (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Strongly agree	19%	20%	22%	16%	20%	19%	
Somewhat agree	41%	37%	45%	42%	38%	45%	
Somewhat disagree	15%	18%	9%	18%	17%	14%	
Strongly disagree	8%	9%	9%	6%	7%	7%	
Unsure	16%	17%	15%	18%	18%	16%	
Net: Total Agree	61%	57%	67%	58%	58%	63%	
Net: Total Disagree	23%	26%	18%	24%	24%	21%	

WC11. Thinking about the next few elections, how (ROTATE) likely or unlikely (END ROTATE) would you be to vote for a viable, moderate Independent candidate running for a congressional position for your state? (ROTATE 1-4,4-1)

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Very likely	14%	16%	19%	10%	16%	10%	
Somewhat likely	36%	39%	34%	35%	37%	35%	
Somewhat unlikely	19%	13%	16%	23%	20%	23%	
Very unlikely	13%	14%	14%	13%	12%	13%	
Unsure	18%	18%	18%	18%	15%	19%	
Net: Total Likely	50%	55%	53%	45%	53%	45%	
Net: Total Unlikely	32%	27%	29%	37%	32%	35%	

DEMOGRAPHICS SECTION

Now just a few questions to make sure we have a representative sample:

Gender Your gender identification?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Female	52%	52%	52%	52%	52%	52%	
Male	48%	48%	48%	48%	48%	48%	
Other	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	

Screener 3: In what year were you born?

Age Range IF UNSURE OR REFUSED, ASK: Which of the following categories best describes your age?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
18 to 24	8%	7%	9%	7%	8%	8%	
25 to 29	7%	8%	5%	3%	9%	8%	
30 to 39	18%	20%	20%	16%	16%	17%	
40 to 49	16%	21%	17%	12%	17%	14%	
50 to 64	28%	24%	30%	32%	26%	29%	
65 or older	23%	20%	19%	30%	24%	24%	

Ethnicity Do you consider yourself to be of Hispanic or Latino descent, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Central or Latin American background?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes	18%	9%	44%	11%	12%	16%	
No	81%	91%	56%	88%	88%	84%	
Unsure	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	

Race And which of the following best describes your racial background?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
White or Caucasian	62%	72%	49%	30%	85%	76%		
Black or African American	3%	3%	9%	1%	1%	3%		
Hispanic	12%	5%	31%	5%	9%	9%		
Asian or Pacific Islander	13%	2%	6%	54%	2%	3%		
Native American	4%	15%	2%	2%	2%	1%		
Other	5%	3%	3%	8%	1%	8%		

Party ID: In politics today, and regardless of how you are registered, do you consider yourself to be a... (ROTATE 1-7: TOP TO BOTTOM, BOTTOM TO TOP)

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Strong Democrat	27%	21%	36%	30%	24%	22%		
Not so strong Democrat	16%	14%	13%	29%	11%	13%		
Independent leaning Democrat	6%	3%	4%	2%	11%	8%		
Independent	10%	6%	11%	4%	20%	12%		
Independent leaning Republican	4%	4%	4%	2%	8%	4%		
Not so strong Republican	11%	16%	9%	13%	5%	13%		
Strong Republican	23%	33%	20%	17%	18%	26%		
Other	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%		
Unsure	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%		

Ideology: Thinking for a moment about your social, economic, and political views...Do you consider yourself to be... (ROTATE VALUES 1-5; TOP-TO-BOTTOM / BOTTOM-TO-TOP)?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Very Liberal	14%	10%	18%	13%	19%	9%	
Somewhat Liberal	19%	14%	22%	17%	19%	23%	
Moderate	29%	26%	28%	34%	33%	26%	
Somewhat Conservative	19%	22%	16%	19%	17%	22%	
Very Conservative	14%	21%	14%	16%	8%	12%	
Libertarian	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	4%	
Unsure	4%	7%	3%	1%	2%	4%	

2020 Vote For whom did you vote in the 2020 Presidential election (ROTATE 1-2)?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Donald Trump	38%	46%	33%	35%	34%	40%	
Joe Biden	48%	35%	56%	55%	47%	45%	
Someone Else	2%	1%	2%	0%	3%	5%	
Did not vote	10%	14%	9%	6%	12%	8%	
Don't recall	1%	3%	0%	0%	2%	0%	
Refused	1%	0%	1%	3%	1%	1%	

Education What is the highest level of formal education that you have completed?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Less than high school	2%	0%	2%	4%	0%	2%		
High school graduate	27%	36%	24%	21%	28%	27%		
Some college	24%	24%	26%	24%	22%	22%		
College graduate with associate or 2-year degree	13%	14%	11%	14%	11%	15%		
College graduate with bachelor's or 4- year degree	21%	16%	24%	24%	21%	22%		
Post-graduate degree	10%	6%	10%	12%	14%	8%		
Technical or vocational school graduate	3%	4%	3%	1%	3%	3%		
Unsure	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%		

LGBTQ+ Do you consider yourself to be lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer or questioning?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Yes	9%	2%	10%	9%	13%	9%		
No	89%	96%	88%	88%	86%	87%		
Unsure	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	3%		
Prefer not to answer	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%		

Marital Status What would best describe your marital status?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Single or never married	36%	35%	39%	34%	34%	37%		
Married	36%	34%	36%	44%	33%	31%		
Separated	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%		
Divorced	17%	16%	16%	11%	21%	22%		
Widowed	6%	6%	5%	7%	6%	6%		
Other	3%	6%	1%	1%	4%	2%		

Children Do you have children currently living in your household?

		State						
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA		
Yes	36%	37%	41%	40%	32%	29%		
No	64%	63%	59%	60%	68%	71%		
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%		

Neighborhood Would you best describe the neighborhood or area you live in as...

		State				
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA
Urban	28%	23%	41%	24%	29%	25%
Suburban	48%	45%	49%	52%	39%	53%
Rural	23%	30%	10%	23%	31%	19%
Unsure	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%

401K Do you invest into an IRA or 401k?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Yes	44%	42%	44%	54%	42%	39%	
No	56%	58%	56%	46%	58%	61%	

Income We want to classify people into broad income groups only. Would you estimate your total household income to be...?

		State				
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA
Below \$40,000	39%	40%	42%	33%	38%	43%
Between \$40,000 and \$79,999	31%	30%	28%	29%	32%	33%
Between \$80,000 and \$124,999	13%	15%	13%	14%	14%	11%
Above \$125,000	13%	10%	14%	20%	10%	11%
Unsure	1%	2%	2%	0%	2%	1%
Prefer not to answer	2%	1%	1%	4%	4%	2%

Homeowner Do you currently own (outright/pay mortgage) your residence?

		State					
	Total	AK	CA	HI	OR	WA	
Own (outright/pay mortgage)	52%	57%	44%	58%	50%	49%	
I do not own my residence (rent/other)	48%	43%	56%	42%	50%	51%	