

## **Party Crosstabs**

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: Individuals with a non-violent criminal record should be allowed to re-enter the workforce if the job isn’t directly related to their criminal history *	23
Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: West Virginia should offer public assistance programs to residents of the state *	24
Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: Individuals with a non-violent criminal record should not be allowed to receive an occupational or professional license for jobs such as massage therapist, mobile home installer, etc. *	25
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Occupational licensing is a regulatory requirement where individuals must obtain specific permits or licenses from the state government to practice in certain professions or jobs legally. Some examples include positions like massage therapists, barbers, or upholsterers. Considering this, to what extent do you believe occupational licensing requirements contribute to individuals remaining on public assistance? *	27
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What would you say is the main purpose behind public assistance programs? *	30
In general, do you think public assistance benefits...? *	31
Do you think that most poor people who receive public assistance benefits...? *	32

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How do you feel about the proposal of a Grace Period policy, which would maintain the level of public assistance benefits for a set period, such as 30 to 90 days, after an individual’s income surpasses the eligibility limit? The aim would be to provide a smoother transition rather than an abrupt end of benefits. Do you support or oppose this idea? \* 33

The "benefits cliff" refers to a situation where individuals or families on public assistance programs, such as SNAP, Medicaid, or housing assistance, experience an increase in their earned income. However, once their income surpasses a specific threshold (even by a minor amount), they may lose these benefits, resulting in a net loss in overall resources. Do you support or oppose efforts to address the “benefits cliff”? \* 34

How do you feel about the Gradual Benefits Reduction policy proposal, which introduces a scaled approach to reducing welfare benefits as a recipient’s income increases? This program would allow recipients to transition smoothly into work without fearing sudden loss of benefits. Do you support or oppose this idea? \* 35

To simplify and streamline the application process for various social assistance programs, Utah instituted a “One Door” policy, consolidating multiple social assistance programs into a single, user-friendly application process. A person looking for assistance is connected to a single point of contact, whose job is to help that person find the services and support they need to get back on their feet. Would you support or oppose implementing a "One Door" policy in West Virginia, like Utah’s approach? \* 36

Some have suggested implementing annual adjustments to income guidelines for state welfare programs to align with inflation and cost of living changes. Would you support or oppose this proposal? \* 37

Some have suggested requiring the West Virginia Legislature to conduct a comprehensive review of all public assistance programs in the state every four years. The goal of this review would be to assess the efficacy, efficiency, and relevance of these programs and to make necessary changes based on the findings. Would you support or oppose this proposal? \* 38

Some have suggested implementing a Location-Based Cost of Living Adjustment (LCOLA) in West Virginia to distribute assistance based on local living costs. Individuals’ benefits would be based on the cost of living in their specific county or region instead of the average cost of living for the whole state. Would you support or oppose an effort to implement a Location-Based Cost of Living Adjustment (LCOLA) in West Virginia? \* 39

Some have suggested adjusting the benefits calculation for public assistance by considering individual circumstances and specific reasons a person cannot work, such as health conditions, caregiving responsibilities, or other personal challenges. This could result in some people receiving increased benefits based on their unique situations, while others might see no change. Would you support or oppose an effort to adjust the benefits calculation for public assistance by considering the individual circumstances of recipients? \* 40

Some say there is a combined benefits penalty for recipients of public assistance where couples are better off not getting married due to the potential loss of benefits, making it difficult for them to afford necessities like rent and jeopardizing their financial stability. Would you support or oppose an effort to eliminate the combined benefits penalty for couples receiving public assistance? \* 41

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From the following list of proposals to improve the state’s public assistance programs, which are most important for the West Virginia legislature to address?(Select Your Top Three) *	42
Have you or your immediate family received any of the following types of government public assistance in the past three years? (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY) *	45
Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about your family’s experience with public assistance programs: Accessing the benefits and services of the program was straightforward and uncomplicated *	47
Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about your family’s experience with public assistance programs: The program’s representatives communicated clearly and provided necessary support throughout the process *	48
Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about your family’s experience with public assistance programs: We were satisfied with the support provided by the public assistance program *	49
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Do you care for an aging or ill adult or someone (adult/child) with a disability? *	51
Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...? *	52
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How many infants and children under 18 years of age live in your household today? *	56
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Is this your first marriage? *	61
Do you own or rent your home? *	62
Are you now employed full-time, part-time, self-employed, or not employed? *	63

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<b>Very Satisfied</b> Column %	8%	<b>6%</b>	<b>16%</b> AC	<b>2%</b>	8%	<b>4%</b>	<b>17%</b> DF	<b>5%</b>	8%	<b>4%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>17%</b> GH
<b>Somewhat Satisfied</b> Column %	11%	<b>6%</b>	<b>22%</b> A	12%	11%	<b>3%</b>	<b>19%</b> D	<b>14%</b> D	11%	<b>4%</b>	<b>13%</b> G	<b>21%</b> GH
<b>Somewhat Dissatisfied</b> Column %	25%	25%	25%	27%	26%	25%	27%	25%	26%	<b>21%</b>	<b>31%</b> G	23%
<b>Very Dissatisfied</b> Column %	47%	<b>58%</b> B	<b>23%</b>	<b>50%</b> B	47%	<b>61%</b> EF	<b>25%</b>	<b>48%</b> E	47%	<b>68%</b> HI	<b>35%</b>	<b>32%</b>
<b>Total Dissatisfied</b> Column %	72%	<b>83%</b> B	<b>49%</b>	<b>77%</b> B	73%	<b>86%</b> EF	<b>53%</b>	<b>73%</b> E	73%	<b>89%</b> HI	<b>66%</b> I	<b>54%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	8%	<b>6%</b>	<b>13%</b> A	9%	8%	<b>6%</b>	<b>11%</b> D	8%	8%	<b>3%</b>	<b>14%</b> GI	<b>8%</b> G

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<b>Total Satisfied</b> Column %	49%	<b>53% B</b>	<b>44%</b>	39%	47%	46%	<b>53% F</b>	<b>41%</b>	47%	<b>56% HI</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>39%</b>
<b>Very Satisfied</b> Column %	13%	<b>13% C</b>	<b>16% C</b>	<b>0%</b>	13%	<b>12%</b>	<b>19% DF</b>	<b>9%</b>	13%	14%	10%	15%
<b>Somewhat Satisfied</b> Column %	36%	<b>40% B</b>	<b>28%</b>	39%	34%	34%	34%	33%	34%	<b>41% HI</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>24%</b>
<b>Somewhat Dissatisfied</b> Column %	24%	25%	24%	13%	25%	26%	24%	24%	25%	26%	21%	29%
<b>Very Dissatisfied</b> Column %	14%	<b>7%</b>	<b>25% A</b>	<b>36% A</b>	14%	<b>7%</b>	<b>20% D</b>	<b>20% D</b>	14%	<b>8%</b>	<b>15% G</b>	<b>25% GH</b>
<b>Total Dissatisfied</b> Column %	39%	<b>33%</b>	<b>50% A</b>	<b>50% A</b>	39%	<b>33%</b>	<b>43% D</b>	<b>44% D</b>	39%	<b>34%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>54% GH</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	12%	<b>15% B</b>	<b>6%</b>	11%	14%	<b>21% EF</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>14% E</b>	14%	<b>10%</b>	<b>21% GI</b>	<b>7%</b>

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<b>A lot better off</b> Column %	5%	<b>2%</b>	<b>12%</b> AC	<b>0%</b>	5%	<b>2%</b>	<b>11%</b> DF	<b>2%</b>	5%	<b>2%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>14%</b> GH
<b>Somewhat better off</b> Column %	11%	<b>9%</b>	<b>14%</b> A	12%	10%	10%	11%	10%	10%	<b>4%</b>	<b>16%</b> G	<b>11%</b> G
<b>About the same</b> Column %	29%	<b>21%</b>	<b>42%</b> A	<b>39%</b> A	28%	<b>22%</b>	<b>39%</b> DF	<b>27%</b>	28%	24%	30%	32%
<b>Somewhat worse off</b> Column %	38%	<b>42%</b> B	<b>29%</b>	<b>45%</b> B	38%	40%	<b>32%</b>	<b>44%</b> E	38%	40%	38%	35%
<b>A lot worse off</b> Column %	18%	<b>26%</b> BC	<b>3%</b>	<b>4%</b>	18%	<b>26%</b> EF	<b>7%</b>	<b>17%</b> E	18%	<b>29%</b> HI	<b>13%</b>	<b>8%</b>
<b>Total Worse Off</b> Column %	56%	<b>68%</b> BC	<b>32%</b>	<b>50%</b> B	57%	<b>66%</b> E	<b>39%</b>	<b>61%</b> E	57%	<b>69%</b> HI	<b>51%</b>	<b>43%</b>

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How would you rate the economic opportunities available in your area of West Virginia? \*

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<b>Total Excellent or Good</b> Column %	14%	<b>12%</b>	<b>20%</b> AC	<b>5%</b>	13%	<b>12%</b> F	<b>21%</b> DF	<b>6%</b>	13%	13%	<b>11%</b> H	<b>18%</b> H
<b>Excellent</b> Column %	4%	<b>2%</b>	<b>10%</b> A	0%	4%	<b>3%</b>	<b>8%</b> DF	<b>1%</b>	4%	<b>2%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>10%</b> GH
<b>Good</b> Column %	10%	10%	10%	5%	9%	9%	<b>13%</b> F	<b>5%</b>	9%	11%	7%	8%
<b>Average</b> Column %	36%	39%	32%	30%	36%	<b>43%</b> EF	<b>31%</b>	<b>30%</b>	36%	<b>40%</b> I	<b>38%</b> I	<b>26%</b>
<b>Poor</b> Column %	37%	<b>41%</b> B	<b>31%</b>	28%	36%	38%	<b>30%</b>	<b>42%</b> E	36%	38%	36%	36%
<b>Very poor</b> Column %	13%	<b>9%</b>	<b>17%</b> A	<b>37%</b> AB	14%	<b>7%</b>	<b>18%</b> D	<b>22%</b> D	14%	<b>9%</b>	<b>16%</b> G	<b>20%</b> G
<b>Total Poor or Very Poor</b> Column %	50%	49%	48%	65%	50%	<b>45%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>64%</b> DE	50%	47%	52%	56%

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<b>Much better</b> Column %	6%	<b>5%</b>	<b>10%</b> AC	<b>2%</b>	6%	<b>6%</b> F	<b>9%</b> F	<b>2%</b>	6%	<b>3%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>13%</b> GH
<b>Somewhat better</b> Column %	21%	<b>18%</b>	<b>28%</b> A	24%	21%	<b>19%</b>	<b>28%</b> DF	<b>15%</b>	21%	20%	21%	23%
<b>About the same</b> Column %	19%	<b>16%</b>	<b>25%</b> A	21%	19%	<b>15%</b>	<b>22%</b> D	<b>22%</b> D	19%	17%	20%	19%
<b>Somewhat worse</b> Column %	31%	<b>36%</b> BC	<b>22%</b>	<b>20%</b>	33%	<b>36%</b> E	<b>23%</b>	<b>38%</b> E	33%	<b>38%</b> I	32%	<b>25%</b>
<b>Much worse</b> Column %	22%	<b>25%</b> B	<b>15%</b>	<b>33%</b> B	22%	<b>25%</b> E	<b>17%</b>	23%	22%	22%	22%	20%
<b>Total Worse</b> Column %	53%	<b>61%</b> B	<b>37%</b>	53%	55%	<b>60%</b> E	<b>40%</b>	<b>61%</b> E	55%	<b>60%</b> I	54%	<b>45%</b>

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<b>Very easy</b> Column %	4%	<b>2%</b>	<b>8%</b> A	2%	4%	<b>2%</b>	<b>8%</b> DF	<b>2%</b>	4%	<b>2%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>8%</b> GH
<b>Somewhat easy</b> Column %	15%	<b>13%</b>	<b>20%</b> A	20%	14%	<b>13%</b>	<b>20%</b> DF	<b>9%</b>	14%	<b>18%</b> H	<b>11%</b>	12%
<b>Neutral</b> Column %	22%	24%	19%	17%	23%	<b>27%</b> E	<b>17%</b>	23%	23%	22%	<b>27%</b> I	<b>15%</b>
<b>Somewhat difficult</b> Column %	33%	<b>33%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>49%</b> AB	34%	33%	33%	39%	34%	<b>31%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>46%</b> GH
<b>Very difficult</b> Column %	25%	<b>28%</b> C	22%	<b>12%</b>	25%	26%	21%	28%	25%	25%	<b>28%</b> I	<b>19%</b>
<b>Total Difficult</b> Column %	59%	<b>61%</b> B	<b>53%</b>	61%	60%	59%	<b>54%</b>	<b>67%</b> E	60%	57%	59%	65%

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<b>Major Role</b> Column %	45%	43%	47%	49%	45%	<b>42%</b>	43%	<b>52%</b>	45%	<b>41%</b>	45%	<b>53%</b>
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	29%	28%	<b>34%</b>	<b>17%</b>	29%	30%	33%	25%	29%	30%	27%	32%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	17%	<b>17%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>32%</b>	16%	<b>19%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>9%</b>	16%	<b>20%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>8%</b>
<b>No Role</b> Column %	4%	5%	4%	0%	5%	3%	5%	6%	5%	4%	5%	5%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	21%	22%	<b>18%</b>	<b>32%</b>	20%	22%	22%	16%	20%	<b>24%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>13%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	<b>7%</b>	<b>0%</b>	2%	5%	<b>6%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>7%</b>	5%	5%	<b>7%</b>	<b>2%</b>

Weight Variable = Weight, Confidence Level = 95%

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■ Significant difference within groups: ABCDEFGHI

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

The labor force participation rate refers to the percentage of working-age individuals who are either employed or actively seeking employment. The rate is like a score that tells us how many adults have jobs or are trying to find a job. For each of the following factors, please indicate how significant a role you believe it plays in contributing to the low labor force participation rate in West Virginia. Aging population and retirement \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	55%	<b>52% C</b>	<b>68% AC</b>	<b>34%</b>	56%	55%	56%	55%	56%	58%	53%	55%
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	26%	<b>24% C</b>	<b>33% AC</b>	<b>7%</b>	25%	24%	26%	24%	25%	24%	24%	26%
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	30%	28%	35%	27%	31%	31%	31%	31%	31%	34%	29%	29%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	34%	<b>36% B</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>59% AB</b>	33%	32%	34%	33%	33%	30%	35%	35%
<b>No Role</b> Column %	6%	6%	6%	4%	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%	7%	5%	8%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	39%	<b>41% B</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>62% AB</b>	39%	38%	41%	40%	39%	36%	40%	43%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	<b>7% B</b>	<b>1%</b>	4%	5%	6%	3%	6%	5%	6%	<b>6% I</b>	<b>2%</b>

Weight Variable = Weight, Confidence Level = 95%

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■ Significant difference within groups: ABCI

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

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	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	52%	50%	56%	56%	53%	52%	54%	53%	53%	<b>45%</b>	<b>57%</b> G	<b>61%</b> G
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	17%	<b>14%</b>	<b>23%</b> A	18%	18%	<b>15%</b>	18%	<b>23%</b> D	18%	<b>12%</b>	<b>18%</b> G	<b>27%</b> GH
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	35%	36%	33%	38%	35%	37%	37%	30%	35%	33%	38%	34%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	35%	34%	35%	41%	34%	35%	31%	36%	34%	<b>41%</b> H	<b>27%</b>	33%
<b>No Role</b> Column %	5%	5%	7%	1%	6%	<b>4%</b>	<b>10%</b> DF	<b>3%</b>	6%	5%	7%	4%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	40%	39%	42%	42%	40%	39%	40%	39%	40%	<b>46%</b> H	<b>34%</b>	37%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	8%	<b>11%</b> BC	<b>2%</b>	<b>2%</b>	8%	9%	5%	8%	8%	<b>9%</b> I	<b>9%</b> I	<b>2%</b>

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■ Significant difference within groups: ABCDFGHI

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

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	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	53%	<b>49%</b>	<b>63%</b>	56%	55%	<b>51%</b>	<b>59%</b>	58%	55%	<b>52%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>72%</b>
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	20%	<b>15%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>7%</b>	21%	<b>13%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>21%</b>	21%	<b>13%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>38%</b>
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	33%	33%	<b>29%</b>	<b>49%</b>	34%	<b>37%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>37%</b>	34%	<b>39%</b>	<b>29%</b>	35%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	32%	<b>34%</b>	<b>25%</b>	39%	30%	33%	25%	31%	30%	<b>32%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>17%</b>
<b>No Role</b> Column %	10%	10%	11%	5%	10%	10%	12%	6%	10%	11%	9%	8%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	42%	44%	36%	44%	40%	43%	37%	37%	40%	<b>43%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>25%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	<b>7%</b>	<b>1%</b>	0%	5%	7%	4%	5%	5%	5%	<b>7%</b>	<b>2%</b>

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■ Significant difference within groups: ABCDEFGHI

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

The labor force participation rate refers to the percentage of working-age individuals who are either employed or actively seeking employment. The rate is like a score that tells us how many adults have jobs or are trying to find a job. For each of the following factors, please indicate how significant a role you believe it plays in contributing to the low labor force participation rate in West Virginia. Generous welfare or unemployment benefits \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	59%	<b>67% B</b>	<b>38% B</b>	<b>76% B</b>	58%	<b>69% EF</b>	<b>41% E</b>	<b>58% E</b>	58%	<b>71% HI</b>	<b>54% I</b>	<b>40% I</b>
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	32%	<b>39% B</b>	<b>16% B</b>	<b>40% B</b>	32%	<b>43% EF</b>	<b>23% E</b>	<b>24% E</b>	32%	<b>48% HI</b>	<b>25% I</b>	<b>16% I</b>
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	27%	28%	21%	36%	25%	<b>25% E</b>	<b>18% E</b>	<b>34% DE</b>	25%	23%	28%	24%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	23%	<b>21% AC</b>	<b>31% AC</b>	<b>11% AC</b>	23%	<b>17% DF</b>	<b>33% DF</b>	<b>21% DF</b>	23%	<b>17% GH</b>	<b>21% GH</b>	<b>38% GH</b>
<b>No Role</b> Column %	12%	<b>5% AC</b>	<b>26% AC</b>	<b>9% AC</b>	11%	<b>5% DF</b>	<b>21% DF</b>	<b>12% D</b>	11%	<b>3% G</b>	<b>16% G</b>	<b>18% G</b>
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	35%	<b>26% AC</b>	<b>57% AC</b>	<b>20% AC</b>	34%	<b>22% DF</b>	<b>54% DF</b>	<b>33% D</b>	34%	<b>20% G</b>	<b>36% G</b>	<b>56% GH</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	6%	7%	6%	5%	8%	9%	6%	9%	8%	9%	<b>10% I</b>	<b>4% I</b>

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■ Significant difference within groups: ABCDEFGHI



October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

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	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	75%	<b>72%</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>87%</b>	73%	<b>74%</b>	<b>78%</b>	<b>66%</b>	73%	<b>67%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>82%</b>
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	40%	39%	40%	49%	38%	<b>43%</b>	<b>33%</b>	36%	38%	37%	39%	39%
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	35%	32%	40%	38%	35%	<b>31%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>30%</b>	35%	<b>30%</b>	36%	<b>43%</b>
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	16%	16%	16%	12%	17%	16%	15%	22%	17%	<b>24%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>10%</b>
<b>No Role</b> Column %	3%	5%	2%	0%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%	5%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	20%	21%	18%	12%	21%	19%	<b>18%</b>	<b>26%</b>	21%	<b>26%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>15%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	<b>7%</b>	<b>2%</b>	2%	6%	6%	4%	8%	6%	7%	7%	3%

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■ Significant difference within groups: ABDEFGHI

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

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	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	60%	60%	59%	71%	60%	62%	60%	56%	60%	60%	61%	61%
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	29%	30%	<b>25%</b>	<b>43% B</b>	29%	29%	<b>25%</b>	<b>35% E</b>	29%	<b>25%</b>	31%	<b>34% G</b>
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	31%	30%	34%	28%	31%	<b>34% F</b>	<b>35% F</b>	<b>21%</b>	31%	35%	29%	26%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	22%	<b>19%</b>	<b>29% A</b>	17%	23%	24%	<b>27% F</b>	<b>18%</b>	23%	24%	23%	24%
<b>No Role</b> Column %	9%	10%	6%	5%	8%	7%	6%	12%	8%	9%	6%	9%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	31%	30%	35%	22%	31%	31%	34%	29%	31%	33%	29%	34%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	9%	<b>10% B</b>	<b>6%</b>	7%	8%	<b>6%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>14% DE</b>	8%	8%	11%	6%

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**■ Significant difference within groups: ABDEFG**

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

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	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	55%	56%	53%	57%	53%	<b>55% E</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>59% E</b>	53%	53%	53%	54%
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	22%	<b>19%</b>	25%	<b>37% A</b>	22%	<b>16%</b>	23%	<b>31% D</b>	22%	<b>14%</b>	<b>27% G</b>	<b>29% G</b>
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	33%	36%	29%	21%	31%	<b>39% EF</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>29%</b>	31%	<b>39% HI</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>26%</b>
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	30%	29%	33%	34%	31%	<b>30%</b>	<b>38% DF</b>	<b>26%</b>	31%	32%	29%	33%
<b>No Role</b> Column %	7%	6%	7%	6%	6%	5%	9%	5%	6%	7%	5%	6%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	37%	35%	41%	40%	37%	<b>35%</b>	<b>46% DF</b>	<b>31%</b>	37%	39%	34%	40%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	8%	10%	6%	3%	10%	10%	9%	10%	10%	8%	<b>13% I</b>	<b>6%</b>

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■ Significant difference within groups: ADEFGHI

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

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	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	81%	80%	85%	72%	81%	82%	78%	82%	81%	84%	79%	79%
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	52%	53%	51%	41%	52%	54%	47%	54%	52%	55%	51%	47%
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	30%	27%	34%	31%	29%	28%	31%	28%	29%	29%	27%	33%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	12%	<b>11%</b>	11%	<b>22% A</b>	11%	10%	14%	10%	11%	10%	12%	13%
<b>No Role</b> Column %	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	14%	<b>13%</b>	14%	<b>26% A</b>	14%	12%	18%	12%	14%	12%	15%	17%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	<b>7% B</b>	<b>2%</b>	2%	5%	6%	3%	6%	5%	5%	6%	4%

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**Significant difference within groups: AB**

October/November 2023 Cardinal Registered Voter Poll MOE +/- 3.47%

Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: West Virginia’s K-12 education system prepares people for a successful life and career \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	47%	46%	48%	47%	46%	<b>47% F</b>	<b>51% F</b>	<b>37%</b>	46%	48%	44%	44%
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	8%	7%	12%	5%	9%	<b>6%</b>	<b>11% D</b>	<b>13% D</b>	9%	10%	7%	12%
<b>Agree</b> Column %	38%	39%	37%	41%	37%	<b>41% F</b>	<b>40% F</b>	<b>25%</b>	37%	38%	37%	33%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	11%	<b>14% BC</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>0%</b>	11%	10%	9%	14%	11%	<b>13% I</b>	<b>12% I</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	27%	26%	28%	40%	29%	30%	24%	32%	29%	<b>26%</b>	28%	<b>36% G</b>
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	15%	14%	16%	13%	15%	12%	17%	17%	15%	13%	16%	14%
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	42%	40%	44%	53%	43%	42%	40%	48%	43%	<b>39%</b>	44%	<b>50% G</b>

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■ Significant difference within groups: BCDGFI

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: Having a non-violent criminal record should not hold you back from finding a job or a better economic opportunity \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	90%	<b>87%</b>	<b>95% A</b>	87%	89%	<b>87%</b>	<b>95% DF</b>	<b>85%</b>	89%	90%	86%	91%
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	44%	<b>35%</b>	<b>58% A</b>	<b>65% A</b>	44%	<b>33%</b>	<b>59% DF</b>	<b>44% D</b>	44%	<b>33%</b>	<b>45% G</b>	<b>61% GH</b>
<b>Agree</b> Column %	46%	<b>53% BC</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>21%</b>	45%	<b>54% EF</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>41%</b>	45%	<b>57% HI</b>	<b>41% I</b>	<b>30%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	5%	4%	7%	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	<b>5% I</b>	<b>7% I</b>	<b>1%</b>
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	5%	<b>7% B</b>	<b>1%</b>	1%	5%	<b>6% E</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>7% E</b>	5%	5%	4%	6%
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	1%	1%	0%	5%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	<b>0%</b>	<b>2% G</b>	2%
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	6%	<b>8% B</b>	<b>2%</b>	6%	6%	<b>7% E</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>9% E</b>	6%	5%	6%	8%

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■ Significant difference within groups: ABCDEFGHI

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: Individuals with a non-violent criminal record should be allowed to re-enter the workforce if the job isn't directly related to their criminal history \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	89%	<b>86%</b>	<b>96%</b> AC	<b>87%</b>	87%	<b>85%</b>	<b>94%</b> DF	<b>81%</b>	87%	<b>87%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>94%</b> GH
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	36%	<b>29%</b>	<b>48%</b> A	<b>51%</b> A	37%	<b>31%</b>	<b>41%</b> D	<b>42%</b> D	37%	<b>30%</b>	<b>38%</b> G	<b>47%</b> G
<b>Agree</b> Column %	53%	<b>58%</b> BC	<b>47%</b>	<b>36%</b>	50%	<b>55%</b> F	<b>53%</b> F	<b>40%</b>	50%	<b>58%</b> HI	<b>44%</b>	<b>47%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	6%	3%	4%	6%	<b>8%</b> E	<b>3%</b>	<b>7%</b> E	6%	<b>5%</b> I	<b>10%</b> GI	<b>1%</b>
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	4%	<b>6%</b> B	<b>1%</b>	3%	5%	<b>6%</b> E	<b>1%</b>	<b>7%</b> E	5%	5%	5%	3%
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	1%	1%	<b>0%</b>	<b>6%</b> B	2%	<b>1%</b>	2%	<b>4%</b> D	2%	3%	2%	2%
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	6%	<b>8%</b> B	<b>1%</b>	<b>10%</b> B	7%	7%	<b>3%</b>	<b>11%</b> E	7%	8%	7%	5%

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: West Virginia should offer public assistance programs to residents of the state

	2020 Ballot			Party Affiliation			Ideology					
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	79%	<b>74%</b>	<b>90%</b> AC	<b>76%</b>	79%	<b>74%</b>	<b>86%</b> DF	<b>78%</b>	79%	<b>71%</b>	<b>79%</b> G	<b>93%</b> GH
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	35%	<b>28%</b>	<b>49%</b> A	38%	35%	<b>28%</b>	<b>45%</b> D	<b>37%</b> D	35%	<b>26%</b>	<b>36%</b> G	<b>51%</b> GH
<b>Agree</b> Column %	44%	45%	42%	38%	43%	46%	41%	40%	43%	45%	42%	41%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	8%	<b>10%</b> B	<b>4%</b>	8%	9%	<b>12%</b> E	<b>3%</b>	<b>10%</b> E	9%	<b>8%</b> I	<b>14%</b> GI	<b>0%</b>
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	11%	<b>14%</b> B	<b>5%</b>	11%	10%	10%	8%	10%	10%	<b>17%</b> HI	<b>5%</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	2%	3%	1%	5%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	13%	<b>16%</b> B	<b>5%</b>	<b>16%</b> B	12%	14%	11%	12%	12%	<b>21%</b> HI	<b>7%</b>	<b>7%</b>

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: Individuals with a non-violent criminal record should not be allowed to receive an occupational or professional license for jobs such as massage therapist, mobile home installer, etc. \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	27%	<b>27%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>42%</b> AB	28%	27%	28%	29%	28%	<b>26%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>39%</b> GH
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	12%	<b>10%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>35%</b> AB	13%	<b>10%</b>	13%	<b>19%</b> D	13%	<b>9%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>22%</b> GH
<b>Agree</b> Column %	15%	17%	11%	7%	14%	<b>17%</b> F	14%	<b>10%</b>	14%	<b>16%</b> H	<b>11%</b>	<b>17%</b> H
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	16%	16%	16%	22%	16%	15%	<b>12%</b>	<b>21%</b> E	16%	<b>17%</b> I	<b>22%</b> I	<b>3%</b>
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	34%	<b>40%</b> B	<b>23%</b>	29%	33%	<b>39%</b> EF	<b>28%</b>	<b>27%</b>	33%	<b>36%</b> I	<b>34%</b> I	<b>24%</b>
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	23%	<b>18%</b> C	<b>36%</b> AC	<b>7%</b>	24%	<b>19%</b>	<b>32%</b> DF	<b>23%</b>	24%	<b>21%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>34%</b> GH
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	57%	<b>58%</b> C	<b>60%</b> C	<b>36%</b>	56%	58%	<b>60%</b> F	<b>49%</b>	56%	58%	54%	58%

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements: Non-disabled adults should be required to work or participate in job training programs as a condition of receiving public assistance \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	79%	<b>83% B</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>85% B</b>	78%	<b>84% EF</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>77%</b>	78%	<b>90% HI</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>70%</b>
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	39%	<b>43% B</b>	<b>31%</b>	39%	38%	<b>44% E</b>	<b>32%</b>	37%	38%	<b>52% HI</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>28%</b>
<b>Agree</b> Column %	40%	40%	38%	46%	39%	40%	37%	40%	39%	38%	39%	42%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	6%	<b>5%</b>	<b>10% A</b>	9%	7%	<b>4%</b>	<b>10% D</b>	7%	7%	<b>3%</b>	<b>9% G</b>	<b>8% G</b>
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	9%	7%	12%	6%	9%	7%	11%	9%	9%	<b>3%</b>	<b>13% G</b>	<b>12% G</b>
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	6%	<b>5%</b>	<b>10% A</b>	0%	7%	<b>5%</b>	<b>10% D</b>	6%	7%	<b>4%</b>	<b>8% G</b>	<b>9% G</b>
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	15%	<b>12%</b>	<b>22% AC</b>	<b>6%</b>	16%	<b>12%</b>	<b>21% D</b>	16%	16%	<b>7%</b>	<b>21% G</b>	<b>21% G</b>

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Occupational licensing is a regulatory requirement where individuals must obtain specific permits or licenses from the state government to practice in certain professions or jobs legally. Some examples include positions like massage therapists, barbers, or upholsterers. Considering this, to what extent do you believe occupational licensing requirements contribute to individuals remaining on public assistance? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Major or Moderate</b> Column %	40%	40%	38%	51%	41%	44%	37%	43%	41%	42%	38%	47%
<b>Major Role</b> Column %	15%	<b>13%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>31%</b> AB	17%	15%	20%	17%	17%	<b>14%</b>	16%	<b>23%</b> G
<b>Moderate Role</b> Column %	25%	27%	21%	19%	25%	<b>29%</b> E	<b>17%</b>	<b>26%</b> E	25%	<b>29%</b> H	<b>21%</b>	23%
<b>Minor Role</b> Column %	33%	<b>32%</b> C	<b>40%</b> C	<b>8%</b>	33%	33%	35%	30%	33%	32%	33%	34%
<b>No Role</b> Column %	17%	16%	19%	27%	16%	<b>10%</b>	<b>23%</b> D	16%	16%	15%	16%	17%
<b>Total Minor or No Role</b> Column %	51%	<b>48%</b>	<b>59%</b> AC	<b>35%</b>	49%	<b>43%</b>	<b>58%</b> DF	<b>47%</b>	49%	47%	49%	51%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	9%	<b>12%</b> B	<b>3%</b>	<b>15%</b> B	10%	<b>13%</b> E	<b>5%</b>	<b>11%</b> E	10%	<b>10%</b> I	<b>13%</b> I	<b>2%</b>

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Which of the following descriptions do you believe best characterizes the majority of individuals on public assistance in our state? (Select the one that you believe applies most broadly.) \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Not motivated to work or seeking to rely on assistance</b> Column %	34%	<b>39% B</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>39% B</b>	33%	<b>37% E</b>	<b>27%</b>	34%	33%	<b>44% HI</b>	<b>30% I</b>	<b>18%</b>
<b>Lacking the necessary skills or education for available jobs</b> Column %	22%	<b>24% C</b>	<b>22% C</b>	<b>4%</b>	21%	21%	21%	20%	21%	<b>24% I</b>	21%	<b>14%</b>
<b>Disabled or dealing with health issues</b> Column %	10%	9%	12%	8%	10%	10%	12%	9%	10%	<b>5%</b>	<b>14% G</b>	<b>13% G</b>
<b>Hard-working but facing financial challenges</b> Column %	14%	13%	17%	13%	14%	13%	16%	12%	14%	<b>12%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>23% GH</b>
<b>Actively seeking employment but unable to find suitable jobs</b> Column %	13%	<b>11%</b>	<b>18% AC</b>	<b>4%</b>	15%	14%	16%	14%	15%	<b>11%</b>	<b>18% G</b>	15%
<b>Temporarily facing a challenging life event (e.g., sudden job loss, family crisis)</b> Column %	6%	<b>2%</b>	<b>8% A</b>	<b>32% AB</b>	6%	<b>4%</b>	8%	<b>9% D</b>	6%	<b>2%</b>	<b>5% G</b>	<b>17% GH</b>
<b>Other (please specify):</b> Column %	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%

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Thinking about the public assistance or welfare programs West Virginia provides to people in need, do you think the government...? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Should provide more assistance</b>												
Column %	39%	<b>33%</b>	<b>51%</b> A	37%	42%	<b>34%</b>	<b>50%</b> D	<b>47%</b> D	42%	<b>23%</b>	<b>53%</b> G	<b>59%</b> G
<b>Is providing about the right amount of assistance</b>												
Column %	23%	23%	21%	23%	21%	21%	<b>25%</b> F	<b>16%</b>	21%	<b>24%</b> H	<b>14%</b>	<b>28%</b> H
<b>Should provide less assistance</b>												
Column %	18%	<b>22%</b> B	<b>9%</b>	<b>24%</b> B	18%	<b>26%</b> EF	<b>8%</b>	<b>15%</b> E	18%	<b>33%</b> HI	<b>12%</b> I	<b>2%</b>
<b>Not sure</b>												
Column %	20%	21%	19%	15%	19%	19%	17%	22%	19%	<b>20%</b> I	<b>22%</b> I	<b>12%</b>

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What would you say is the main purpose behind public assistance programs? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>To help poor people climb out of poverty</b> Column %	47%	<b>45%</b>	<b>55%</b> AC	<b>30%</b>	48%	47%	<b>53%</b> F	<b>43%</b>	48%	48%	49%	43%
<b>To simply provide for peoples' basic needs while they are poor</b> Column %	47%	49%	42%	56%	46%	48%	42%	46%	46%	45%	<b>41%</b>	<b>55%</b> H
<b>Not sure</b> Column %	6%	6%	<b>3%</b>	<b>14%</b> B	7%	<b>5%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>12%</b> DE	7%	<b>7%</b> I	<b>9%</b> I	<b>2%</b>

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In general, do you think public assistance benefits...? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Give poor people a chance to stand on their own two feet and get started again</b> Column %	51%	<b>44%</b>	<b>67%</b> AC	<b>48%</b>	51%	<b>43%</b>	<b>63%</b> DF	<b>50%</b>	51%	<b>35%</b>	<b>56%</b> G	<b>71%</b> GH
<b>Make poor people dependent and encourage them to stay poor</b> Column %	40%	<b>49%</b> BC	<b>23%</b>	<b>29%</b>	38%	<b>46%</b> E	<b>23%</b>	<b>42%</b> E	38%	<b>57%</b> HI	<b>29%</b> I	<b>20%</b>
<b>Not sure</b> Column %	9%	<b>7%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>23%</b> AB	11%	11%	14%	8%	11%	<b>8%</b>	<b>15%</b> GI	<b>9%</b>

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Do you think that most poor people who receive public assistance benefits...? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Would rather earn their own living</b>												
Column %	43%	<b>34%</b>	<b>65% AC</b>	<b>32%</b>	45%	<b>32%</b>	<b>60% DF</b>	<b>48% D</b>	45%	<b>33%</b>	<b>44% G</b>	<b>67% GH</b>
<b>Prefer to stay on public assistance</b>												
Column %	49%	<b>58% B</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>61% B</b>	47%	<b>60% EF</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>40%</b>	47%	<b>61% HI</b>	<b>42% I</b>	<b>28%</b>
<b>Not sure</b>												
Column %	8%	7%	8%	7%	9%	<b>7%</b>	7%	<b>13% D</b>	9%	<b>6%</b>	<b>14% GI</b>	<b>4%</b>

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How do you feel about the proposal of a Grace Period policy, which would maintain the level of public assistance benefits for a set period, such as 30 to 90 days, after an individual's income surpasses the eligibility limit? The aim would be to provide a smoother transition rather than an abrupt end of benefits. Do you support or oppose this idea? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	80%	<b>78% C</b>	<b>87% AC</b>	<b>61%</b>	79%	<b>75%</b>	<b>85% D</b>	78%	79%	<b>81% H</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>85% H</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	39%	<b>34% C</b>	<b>54% AC</b>	<b>12%</b>	39%	<b>33%</b>	<b>49% DF</b>	<b>36%</b>	39%	<b>33%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>53% GH</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	41%	<b>44% B</b>	<b>34%</b>	49%	40%	43%	36%	42%	40%	<b>48% HI</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>32%</b>
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	10%	<b>12% B</b>	<b>5%</b>	7%	10%	<b>14% E</b>	<b>5%</b>	9%	10%	<b>8% I</b>	<b>16% GI</b>	<b>2%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	8%	<b>7%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>30% AB</b>	8%	8%	5%	10%	8%	6%	8%	11%
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	3%	4%	1%	2%	4%	3%	5%	3%	4%	<b>5% H</b>	<b>2%</b>	3%
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	11%	<b>10%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>31% AB</b>	11%	11%	10%	13%	11%	11%	10%	14%

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The "benefits cliff" refers to a situation where individuals or families on public assistance programs, such as SNAP, Medicaid, or housing assistance, experience an increase in their earned income. However, once their income surpasses a specific threshold (even by a minor amount), they may lose these benefits, resulting in a net loss in overall resources. Do you support or oppose efforts to address the "benefits cliff"? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	57%	<b>58% C</b>	<b>62% C</b>	<b>23%</b>	56%	<b>64% EF</b>	<b>55% F</b>	<b>44%</b>	56%	<b>67% HI</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>52%</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	22%	<b>18%</b>	<b>32% AC</b>	<b>13%</b>	24%	<b>20%</b>	<b>32% DF</b>	<b>22%</b>	24%	22%	24%	28%
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	35%	<b>40% BC</b>	<b>30% C</b>	<b>10%</b>	32%	<b>44% EF</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>22%</b>	32%	<b>46% HI</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>23%</b>
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	12%	13%	11%	18%	12%	13%	10%	14%	12%	<b>12% I</b>	<b>18% GI</b>	<b>3%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	17%	<b>20% B</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>30% B</b>	17%	15%	16%	22%	17%	<b>14%</b>	<b>23% GI</b>	<b>14%</b>
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	13%	<b>9%</b>	<b>17% A</b>	<b>29% A</b>	14%	<b>7%</b>	<b>20% D</b>	<b>20% D</b>	14%	<b>7%</b>	<b>12% G</b>	<b>32% GH</b>
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	30%	<b>29%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>59% AB</b>	31%	<b>22%</b>	<b>35% D</b>	<b>42% D</b>	31%	<b>20%</b>	<b>35% G</b>	<b>46% GH</b>

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How do you feel about the Gradual Benefits Reduction policy proposal, which introduces a scaled approach to reducing welfare benefits as a recipient’s income increases? This program would allow recipients to transition smoothly into work without fearing sudden loss of benefits. Do you support or oppose this idea? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	83%	82%	84%	81%	82%	83%	80%	80%	82%	<b>88% H</b>	<b>74% H</b>	<b>84% H</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	42%	<b>38%</b>	<b>55% AC</b>	<b>30%</b>	42%	<b>35%</b>	<b>51% D</b>	<b>43% D</b>	42%	<b>35%</b>	<b>41% H</b>	<b>58% GH</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	40%	<b>45% B</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>51% B</b>	40%	<b>49% EF</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>37%</b>	40%	<b>53% HI</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>26%</b>
<b>I’m not sure</b> Column %	7%	7%	5%	13%	7%	8%	5%	9%	7%	<b>5%</b>	<b>12% GI</b>	<b>3%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	8%	9%	6%	6%	9%	7%	10%	10%	9%	<b>5%</b>	<b>13% G</b>	8%
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	2%	2%	4%	0%	2%	2%	<b>4% F</b>	<b>1%</b>	2%	2%	<b>1%</b>	<b>5% H</b>
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	10%	11%	11%	6%	11%	9%	14%	11%	11%	<b>7%</b>	<b>14% G</b>	<b>14% G</b>

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To simplify and streamline the application process for various social assistance programs, Utah instituted a "One Door" policy, consolidating multiple social assistance programs into a single, user-friendly application process. A person looking for assistance is connected to a single point of contact, whose job is to help that person find the services and support they need to get back on their feet. Would you support or oppose implementing a "One Door" policy in West Virginia, like Utah's approach? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	85%	84%	87%	85%	83%	81%	87%	80%	83%	83%	<b>80%</b>	<b>88% H</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	43%	<b>37%</b>	<b>58% A</b>	43%	43%	<b>37%</b>	<b>53% DF</b>	<b>43%</b>	43%	<b>40%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>60% GH</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	41%	<b>47% B</b>	<b>29%</b>	43%	39%	<b>44% E</b>	<b>34%</b>	38%	39%	<b>43% I</b>	<b>42% I</b>	<b>28%</b>
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	9%	<b>10% B</b>	<b>5%</b>	13%	10%	<b>12% E</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>13% E</b>	10%	<b>12% I</b>	<b>13% I</b>	<b>4%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	5%	6%	5%	2%	5%	6%	4%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	1%	<b>0%</b>	<b>3% A</b>	0%	1%	<b>0%</b>	<b>3% D</b>	1%	1%	<b>0%</b>	<b>2% G</b>	<b>2% G</b>
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	6%	6%	8%	2%	7%	6%	7%	7%	7%	5%	7%	8%

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	80%	<b>77%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>68%</b>	79%	<b>76%</b>	80%	<b>83%</b>	79%	<b>76%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>89%</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	41%	<b>32%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>41%</b>	40%	<b>30%</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>42%</b>	40%	<b>32%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>63%</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	38%	<b>45%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>26%</b>	39%	<b>45%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>41%</b>	39%	<b>44%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>26%</b>
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	9%	<b>8%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>27%</b>	10%	9%	12%	9%	10%	<b>11%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>2%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	7%	<b>9%</b>	<b>4%</b>	2%	7%	<b>9%</b>	6%	<b>5%</b>	7%	8%	8%	4%
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	4%	<b>6%</b>	<b>1%</b>	4%	4%	<b>6%</b>	<b>3%</b>	3%	4%	<b>6%</b>	<b>3%</b>	5%
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	11%	<b>15%</b>	<b>5%</b>	5%	12%	<b>16%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>8%</b>	12%	14%	11%	9%

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Some have suggested requiring the West Virginia Legislature to conduct a comprehensive review of all public assistance programs in the state every four years. The goal of this review would be to assess the efficacy, efficiency, and relevance of these programs and to make necessary changes based on the findings. Would you support or oppose this proposal? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	86%	86%	88%	80%	85%	86%	87%	82%	85%	<b>91% H</b>	<b>79% H</b>	<b>87% H</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	47%	<b>46% C</b>	<b>52% C</b>	<b>23%</b>	46%	47%	46%	42%	46%	<b>55% H</b>	<b>34% H</b>	<b>50% H</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	40%	<b>40%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>57% AB</b>	40%	38%	41%	40%	40%	<b>36%</b>	<b>45% G</b>	36%
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	9%	<b>8%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>20% AB</b>	10%	9%	10%	12%	10%	<b>6%</b>	<b>17% GI</b>	<b>3%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	4%	5%	2%	0%	4%	5%	3%	5%	4%	<b>3%</b>	<b>3%</b>	<b>9% GH</b>
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	5%	6%	4%	0%	5%	6%	4%	6%	5%	<b>3%</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>11% GH</b>

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Some have suggested implementing a Location-Based Cost of Living Adjustment (LCOLA) in West Virginia to distribute assistance based on local living costs. Individuals' benefits would be based on the cost of living in their specific county or region instead of the average cost of living for the whole state. Would you support or oppose an effort to implement a Location-Based Cost of Living Adjustment (LCOLA) in West Virginia? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	76%	<b>78% C</b>	<b>76% C</b>	<b>57%</b>	74%	74%	72%	75%	74%	<b>77% H</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>78% H</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	36%	<b>34% C</b>	<b>46% AC</b>	<b>15%</b>	35%	<b>28%</b>	<b>43% D</b>	<b>38% D</b>	35%	<b>35%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>45% GH</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	40%	<b>44% B</b>	<b>30%</b>	43%	38%	<b>46% EF</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>36%</b>	38%	43%	37%	34%
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	13%	<b>12%</b>	14%	<b>26% A</b>	15%	14%	16%	15%	15%	<b>13% I</b>	<b>21% GI</b>	<b>6%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	8%	7%	9%	14%	9%	8%	11%	8%	9%	<b>7%</b>	9%	<b>13% G</b>
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	10%	10%	10%	17%	11%	11%	12%	10%	11%	<b>9%</b>	11%	<b>16% G</b>

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Some have suggested adjusting the benefits calculation for public assistance by considering individual circumstances and specific reasons a person cannot work, such as health conditions, caregiving responsibilities, or other personal challenges. This could result in some people receiving increased benefits based on their unique situations, while others might see no change. Would you support or oppose an effort to adjust the benefits calculation for public assistance by considering the individual circumstances of recipients? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	77%	<b>75%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>62%</b>	77%	74%	78%	80%	77%	<b>76%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>86%</b>
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	36%	<b>33%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>15%</b>	35%	<b>28%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>34%</b>	35%	<b>30%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>46%</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	41%	42%	37%	47%	42%	<b>46%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>46%</b>	42%	46%	40%	40%
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	11%	<b>11%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>33%</b>	12%	10%	13%	13%	12%	<b>8%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>3%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	10%	<b>11%</b>	9%	<b>2%</b>	9%	<b>14%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>5%</b>	9%	<b>14%</b>	<b>5%</b>	9%
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	2%	<b>3%</b>	<b>0%</b>	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	12%	14%	9%	5%	11%	<b>16%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>8%</b>	11%	<b>17%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>11%</b>

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Some say there is a combined benefits penalty for recipients of public assistance where couples are better off not getting married due to the potential loss of benefits, making it difficult for them to afford necessities like rent and jeopardizing their financial stability. Would you support or oppose an effort to eliminate the combined benefits penalty for couples receiving public assistance? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Total Support</b> Column %	61%	62%	61%	61%	61%	59%	60%	66%	61%	60%	59%	68%
<b>Strongly support</b> Column %	25%	<b>25% C</b>	<b>28% C</b>	<b>12%</b>	27%	<b>21%</b>	28%	<b>34% D</b>	27%	25%	29%	27%
<b>Somewhat support</b> Column %	36%	37%	32%	48%	34%	38%	32%	32%	34%	35%	<b>30% H</b>	<b>41% H</b>
<b>I'm not sure</b> Column %	17%	<b>17%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>30% AB</b>	18%	<b>22% F</b>	18%	<b>12%</b>	18%	<b>21% I</b>	<b>20% I</b>	<b>8%</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b> Column %	15%	<b>15% C</b>	<b>17% C</b>	<b>2%</b>	14%	13%	17%	14%	14%	13%	15%	15%
<b>Strongly oppose</b> Column %	7%	6%	7%	8%	7%	7%	6%	8%	7%	5%	7%	10%
<b>Total Oppose</b> Column %	22%	22%	<b>23% C</b>	<b>10%</b>	21%	20%	23%	22%	21%	19%	21%	24%

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From the following list of proposals to improve the state’s public assistance programs, which are most important for the West Virginia legislature to address?(Select Your Top Three) \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
Valid Cases	675	436	200	39	765	337	229	199	765	302	300	163
Total Mentions	2,024	1,308	599	117	2,295	1,010	688	597	2,295	906	899	490
<b>Implementing a Gradual Benefits Reduction policy, which introduces a scaled approach to reducing welfare benefits as a recipient’s income increases. This program would allow recipients to transition smoothly into work without fearing sudden loss of benefits</b>												
Mentions	270	177	77	16	314	141	90	84	314	<b>129</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>51</b>
% Valid Cases	40%	41%	39%	41%	41%	42%	39%	42%	41%	<b>43% I</b>	<b>45% I</b>	<b>31%</b>
<b>Instituting a “One Door” policy, consolidating multiple social assistance programs into a single point of contact, whose job is to help that person find the services and support they need to get back on their feet</b>												
Mentions	324	204	100	21	366	<b>172</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>78</b>	366	<b>138</b>	138	<b>90</b>
% Valid Cases	48%	47%	50%	53%	48%	<b>51% F</b>	<b>50% F</b>	<b>39%</b>	48%	<b>46%</b>	46%	<b>55% G</b>

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	2020 Ballot			Party Affiliation				Ideology				
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
<p><b>Adjusting the benefits calculation for public assistance by considering individual circumstances and specific reasons a person cannot work, such as health conditions, caregiving responsibilities, or other personal challenges. This could result in some people receiving increased benefits based on their unique situations, while others might see no change.</b></p> <p>Mentions % Valid Cases</p>	282 42%	190 44%	73 37%	19 49%	318 42%	142 42%	<b>79</b> <b>34%</b>	<b>97</b> <b>49%</b> E	318 42%	123 41%	120 40%	75 46%
<p><b>Implementing annual adjustments to income guidelines for state welfare programs to align with inflation and cost of living changes</b></p> <p>Mentions % Valid Cases</p>	248 37%	<b>162</b> <b>37%</b> C	<b>80</b> <b>40%</b> C	<b>5</b> <b>14%</b>	283 37%	121 36%	83 36%	79 40%	283 37%	112 37%	107 36%	64 39%
<p><b>Establishing a Grace Period policy, which would maintain the level of public assistance benefits for a set period, such as 30 to 90 days, after an individual’s income surpasses the eligibility limit</b></p> <p>Mentions % Valid Cases</p>	251 37%	151 35%	84 42%	16 41%	292 38%	131 39%	92 40%	69 35%	292 38%	117 39%	109 36%	66 40%

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
<b>Requiring the West Virginia Legislature to conduct a comprehensive review of all public assistance programs in the state every four years. The goal of this review would be to assess the efficacy, efficiency, and relevance of these programs and to make necessary changes based on the findings</b> Mentions % Valid Cases	267 40%	168 39%	84 42%	15 38%	301 39%	128 38%	108 47% DF	66 33%	301 39%	138 46% H	101 34%	62 38%
<b>Implementing a Location-Based Cost of Living Adjustment (LCOLA) that would distribute assistance based on local living costs. Benefits individuals would receive would be based on the cost of living in their specific county or region instead of the average cost of living for the whole state</b> Mentions % Valid Cases	210 31%	144 33%	58 29%	8 21%	234 31%	100 30%	63 27%	71 36%	234 31%	73 24%	124 41% GI	38 23%
<b>Eliminating the combined benefits penalty for couples who want to marry while receiving public assistance</b> Mentions % Valid Cases	171 25%	111 26%	44 22%	16 42% AB	186 24%	74 22%	59 26%	53 27%	186 24%	76 25%	66 22%	45 27%

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Have you or your immediate family received any of the following types of government public assistance in the past three years? (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY) \*

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Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
Valid Cases	675	436	200	39	765	337	229	199	765	302	300	163
Total Mentions	1,065	676	316	72	1,266	518	378	371	1,266	432	516	319
<b>Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)</b>												
Mentions	214	146	55	14	250	<b>102</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>80</b>	250	<b>88</b>	99	<b>63</b>
% Valid Cases	32%	33%	27%	35%	33%	<b>30%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>40%</b>	33%	<b>29%</b>	33%	<b>39%</b>
												<b>DE</b>
<b>Medical Assistance Programs (State-Based Health Assistance Programs)</b>												
Mentions	160	98	48	14	187	<b>69</b>	58	<b>61</b>	187	<b>47</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>59</b>
% Valid Cases	24%	22%	24%	35%	24%	<b>20%</b>	25%	<b>30%</b>	24%	<b>16%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>36%</b>
												<b>GH</b>
<b>Free Or Reduced Lunch (At School)</b>												
Mentions	60	38	19	2	90	35	26	29	90	28	38	24
% Valid Cases	9%	9%	10%	5%	12%	10%	11%	14%	12%	9%	13%	15%
<b>Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program</b>												
Mentions	89	<b>52</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>14</b>	114	<b>31</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>44</b>	114	<b>28</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>35</b>
% Valid Cases	13%	<b>12%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>35%</b>	15%	<b>9%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>22%</b>	15%	<b>9%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>21%</b>
												<b>AB</b>
												<b>D</b>
<b>Special Supplemental Nutrition Program For Women, Infants, And Children (WIC)</b>												
Mentions	56	41	11	3	67	28	16	24	67	<b>17</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>19</b>
% Valid Cases	8%	9%	6%	8%	9%	8%	7%	12%	9%	<b>6%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>12%</b>
												<b>G</b>
												<b>G</b>
<b>Job Training &amp; Education Assistance (WorkForce West Virginia)</b>												
Mentions	51	36	11	4	69	<b>43</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	69	24	34	11
% Valid Cases	8%	8%	6%	11%	9%	<b>13%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>7%</b>	9%	8%	11%	7%
												<b>EF</b>
<b>Section 8 Housing Vouchers</b>												
Mentions	24	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	0	31	<b>8</b>	<b>13</b>	10	31	4	13	13
% Valid Cases	4%	<b>2%</b>	<b>7%</b>	0%	4%	<b>2%</b>	<b>6%</b>	5%	4%	1%	4%	8%
												<b>A</b>
												<b>D</b>

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Have you or your immediate family received any of the following types of government public assistance in the past three years? (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY) \*

	2020 Ballot			Party Affiliation			Ideology					
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
<b>Childcare &amp; Parent Services (Choices Child Care Resource &amp; Referral)</b>												
Mentions	30	24	5	1	39	18	8	13	39	8	18	13
% Valid Cases	4%	5%	3%	3%	5%	5%	3%	7%	5%	3%	6%	8%
<b>Temporary Assistance For Needy Families (TANF)</b>												
Mentions	23	12	10	0	33	12	11	10	33	12	6	15
% Valid Cases	3%	3%	5%	1%	4%	3%	5%	5%	4%	4%	2%	9%
<b>None of these (Have you or your immediate family received any of the following types of government public assistance in the past three years?)</b>												
Mentions	331	197	114	19	350	157	118	76	350	168	120	62
% Valid Cases	49%	45%	57%	49%	46%	47%	51%	38%	46%	56%	40%	38%
<b>Not sure/prefer not to answer</b>												
Mentions	28	22	5	1	36	16	9	12	36	8	25	4
% Valid Cases	4%	5%	3%	3%	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	3%	8%	2%

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about your family’s experience with public assistance programs: Accessing the benefits and services of the program was straightforward and uncomplicated \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	372	234	109	29	439	149	111	179	439	128	211	100
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	60%	<b>60% C</b>	<b>70% C</b>	<b>21%</b>	61%	<b>55%</b>	<b>68% D</b>	62%	61%	<b>80% HI</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>58%</b>
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	20%	<b>17%</b>	<b>29% A</b>	10%	20%	16%	25%	21%	20%	22%	15%	25%
<b>Agree</b> Column %	40%	<b>43% C</b>	<b>41% C</b>	<b>10%</b>	41%	39%	43%	42%	41%	<b>59% HI</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>33%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	6%	7%	4%	7%	6%	<b>9% F</b>	6%	<b>3%</b>	6%	4%	10%	4%
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	17%	17%	18%	16%	18%	17%	18%	19%	18%	<b>12%</b>	17%	<b>26% G</b>
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	17%	<b>17%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>56% AB</b>	15%	<b>19% E</b>	<b>7%</b>	15%	15%	<b>4%</b>	<b>25% GI</b>	<b>12% G</b>
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	34%	<b>33%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>72% AB</b>	33%	36%	26%	35%	33%	<b>16%</b>	<b>43% G</b>	<b>39% G</b>

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about your family’s experience with public assistance programs: The program’s representatives communicated clearly and provided necessary support throughout the process \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	372	234	109	29	439	149	111	179	439	128	211	100
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	60%	<b>59% C</b>	<b>71% C</b>	<b>20%</b>	58%	62%	59%	52%	58%	<b>84% HI</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>45%</b>
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	20%	18%	27%	9%	20%	17%	23%	22%	20%	22%	20%	18%
<b>Agree</b> Column %	40%	<b>41% C</b>	<b>44% C</b>	<b>11%</b>	38%	<b>45% F</b>	36%	<b>30%</b>	38%	<b>62% HI</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>27%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	4%	7%	8%	7%	6%	8%	7%	7%	3%	8%	9%
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	23%	27%	16%	12%	22%	23%	21%	20%	22%	<b>8%</b>	<b>34% GI</b>	<b>20% G</b>
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	12%	<b>10%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>60% AB</b>	13%	<b>9%</b>	12%	<b>21% D</b>	13%	<b>5%</b>	<b>12% G</b>	<b>26% GH</b>
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	35%	<b>37% B</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>72% AB</b>	35%	32%	33%	41%	35%	<b>13%</b>	<b>46% G</b>	<b>46% G</b>

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about your family’s experience with public assistance programs: We were satisfied with the support provided by the public assistance program \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	372	234	109	29	439	149	111	179	439	128	211	100
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	68%	<b>60%</b>	<b>85%</b> A	74%	69%	<b>59%</b>	<b>82%</b> D	<b>71%</b> D	69%	<b>87%</b> HI	<b>53%</b>	<b>70%</b> H
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	19%	<b>17%</b>	<b>28%</b> AC	<b>5%</b>	20%	<b>16%</b>	<b>28%</b> D	18%	20%	<b>25%</b> H	<b>12%</b>	<b>27%</b> H
<b>Agree</b> Column %	49%	<b>44%</b>	<b>58%</b> A	<b>70%</b> A	49%	43%	54%	53%	49%	<b>62%</b> HI	<b>41%</b>	<b>43%</b>
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	6%	7%	3%	7%	6%	<b>9%</b> F	4%	<b>2%</b>	6%	<b>2%</b>	<b>7%</b> G	7%
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	22%	<b>27%</b> B	<b>10%</b>	15%	20%	<b>24%</b> E	<b>10%</b>	<b>23%</b> E	20%	<b>5%</b>	<b>31%</b> G	<b>21%</b> G
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	5%	6%	2%	3%	6%	7%	4%	4%	6%	5%	8%	2%
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	27%	<b>33%</b> B	<b>12%</b>	19%	26%	<b>31%</b> E	<b>14%</b>	<b>28%</b> E	26%	<b>11%</b>	<b>39%</b> GI	<b>23%</b> G

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Please select how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about your family’s experience with public assistance programs: The assistance was crucial to my family’s well-being \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	372	234	109	29	439	149	111	179	439	128	211	100
<b>Total Agree</b> Column %	88%	87%	89%	91%	85%	<b>80%</b>	86%	<b>93% D</b>	85%	84%	88%	82%
<b>Strongly Agree</b> Column %	45%	<b>40%</b>	51%	<b>73% A</b>	45%	<b>37%</b>	<b>50% D</b>	<b>53% D</b>	45%	42%	45%	50%
<b>Agree</b> Column %	43%	<b>47% C</b>	38%	<b>17%</b>	40%	43%	36%	40%	40%	42%	43%	32%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	4%	4%	3%	7%	4%	6%	4%	2%	4%	<b>2%</b>	4%	<b>7% G</b>
<b>Disagree</b> Column %	6%	6%	5%	1%	8%	<b>11% F</b>	6%	<b>5%</b>	8%	11%	6%	7%
<b>Strongly Disagree</b> Column %	3%	3%	3%	1%	3%	3%	4%	0%	3%	3%	1%	4%
<b>Total Disagree</b> Column %	8%	9%	8%	2%	11%	<b>14% F</b>	10%	<b>5%</b>	11%	14%	7%	11%

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Do you care for an aging or ill adult or someone (adult/child) with a disability? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Yes</b> Column %	14%	14%	15%	15%	16%	<b>13%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>23%</b> DE	16%	<b>13%</b>	<b>20%</b> G	14%
<b>No</b> Column %	84%	85%	84%	82%	82%	<b>84%</b> F	<b>86%</b> F	<b>76%</b>	82%	<b>85%</b> H	<b>78%</b>	85%
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	1%	1%	0%	3%	1%	<b>3%</b> E	<b>0%</b>	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

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■ Significant difference within groups: DEFGH

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Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a ...? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Republican</b> Column %	45%	<b>67% BC</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>12% B</b>	44%	<b>100% EF</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	44%	<b>71% HI</b>	<b>36% I</b>	<b>9%</b>
<b>Independent</b> Column %	23%	<b>24% B</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>59% AB</b>	24%	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>92% DE</b>	24%	<b>18%</b>	<b>33% GI</b>	<b>18%</b>
<b>Democrat</b> Column %	30%	<b>7%</b>	<b>83% AC</b>	<b>22% A</b>	30%	<b>0%</b>	<b>100% DF</b>	<b>0%</b>	30%	<b>11%</b>	<b>27% G</b>	<b>71% GH</b>
<b>Something Else:</b> Column %	1%	1%	1%	6%	2%	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>8% DE</b>	2%	<b>1%</b>	<b>3% G</b>	2%

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What is your age? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>18 to 24</b> Column %	6%	5%	9%	0%	9%	8%	<b>12% F</b>	<b>7%</b>	9%	<b>8%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>14% GH</b>
<b>25 to 34</b> Column %	14%	<b>13%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>37% AB</b>	15%	<b>9%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>33% DE</b>	15%	<b>10%</b>	<b>17% G</b>	<b>21% G</b>
<b>35 to 44</b> Column %	13%	13%	14%	10%	13%	14%	13%	11%	13%	12%	13%	15%
<b>45 to 64</b> Column %	38%	39%	36%	27%	36%	<b>42% EF</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>32%</b>	36%	<b>32%</b>	<b>45% GI</b>	<b>26%</b>
<b>65+</b> Column %	29%	29%	29%	26%	27%	<b>26% F</b>	<b>36% DF</b>	<b>18%</b>	27%	<b>38% HI</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>25% H</b>

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Thinking about your general approach to issues, do you consider yourself to be... \*

	2020 Ballot			Party Affiliation			Ideology					
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Very conservative</b> Column %	18%	<b>27%</b> BC	<b>1%</b>	<b>4%</b>	17%	<b>31%</b> EF	<b>2%</b>	<b>11%</b> E	17%	<b>43%</b> HI	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Somewhat conservative</b> Column %	24%	<b>33%</b> BC	<b>6%</b>	<b>7%</b>	23%	<b>32%</b> EF	<b>12%</b>	<b>17%</b>	23%	<b>57%</b> HI	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Moderate</b> Column %	32%	<b>29%</b>	<b>37%</b> A	<b>49%</b> A	33%	<b>25%</b>	<b>33%</b> D	<b>47%</b> DE	33%	<b>0%</b>	<b>84%</b> GI	<b>0%</b>
<b>Somewhat liberal</b> Column %	14%	<b>3%</b>	<b>37%</b> A	<b>28%</b> A	14%	<b>1%</b>	<b>32%</b> DF	<b>14%</b> D	14%	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>64%</b> GH
<b>Very liberal</b> Column %	7%	<b>3%</b>	<b>18%</b> AC	<b>3%</b>	8%	<b>4%</b>	<b>18%</b> DF	<b>3%</b>	8%	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>36%</b> GH
<b>Not Sure</b> Column %	5%	<b>6%</b> B	<b>1%</b>	<b>9%</b> B	6%	<b>7%</b> E	<b>3%</b>	<b>8%</b> E	6%	<b>0%</b>	<b>16%</b> GI	<b>0%</b>

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Which of the following are you? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Male</b> Column %	48%	46%	48%	57%	49%	50%	48%	48%	49%	48%	50%	50%
<b>Female</b> Column %	52%	54%	49%	42%	50%	50%	50%	51%	50%	52%	49%	49%
<b>Other/Non-binary</b> Column %	1%	0%	2% A	1%	1%	0%	2% D	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%

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■ Significant difference within groups: AD

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How many infants and children under 18 years of age live in your household today? \*

	2020 Ballot			Party Affiliation			Ideology					
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>1 to 2</b> Column %	22%	20%	<b>26% C</b>	<b>9%</b>	23%	24%	<b>26% F</b>	<b>17%</b>	23%	<b>18% G</b>	<b>25% H</b>	<b>27% I</b>
<b>3 or more</b> Column %	8%	<b>12% BC</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>0%</b>	8%	<b>12% E</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>11% E</b>	8%	<b>9% I</b>	<b>11% I</b>	<b>2%</b>
<b>None</b> Column %	71%	<b>68%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>91% AB</b>	69%	<b>64%</b>	<b>73% D</b>	<b>72% D</b>	69%	<b>73% H</b>	<b>63%</b>	71%

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Ethnicity \*

	2020 Ballot			Party Affiliation			Ideology					
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>White Non-Hispanic</b> Count Column %	633 94%	<b>426</b> <b>98%</b> <b>BC</b>	<b>173</b> <b>87%</b>	<b>34</b> <b>88%</b>	715 93%	<b>327</b> <b>97%</b> <b>EF</b>	<b>203</b> <b>89%</b>	<b>185</b> <b>93%</b>	715 93%	<b>296</b> <b>98%</b> <b>HI</b>	<b>275</b> <b>92%</b>	<b>144</b> <b>88%</b>
<b>Black or African American</b> Count Column %	26 4%	<b>5</b> <b>1%</b>	<b>21</b> <b>10%</b> <b>A</b>	1 1%	32 4%	<b>4</b> <b>1%</b>	<b>22</b> <b>10%</b> <b>DF</b>	<b>5</b> <b>3%</b>	32 4%	<b>2</b> <b>1%</b>	<b>14</b> <b>5%</b> <b>G</b>	<b>16</b> <b>10%</b> <b>GH</b>
<b>Other/Prefer not to say</b> Count Column %	15 2%	<b>5</b> <b>1%</b>	<b>6</b> <b>3%</b>	<b>4</b> <b>11%</b> <b>AB</b>	18 2%	5 2%	4 2%	9 4%	18 2%	4 1%	11 4%	3 2%

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Which of the following best describes your household's total income in 2022 BEFORE taxes? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>&lt; \$15,000</b> Column %	11%	13%	9%	4%	13%	<b>8%</b>	<b>13% D</b>	<b>22% DE</b>	13%	10%	15%	15%
<b>\$15,000-\$24,999</b> Column %	10%	<b>8%</b>	<b>14% A</b>	6%	10%	7%	<b>13% D</b>	11%	10%	<b>5%</b>	<b>13% G</b>	<b>13% G</b>
<b>\$25,000-\$34,999</b> Column %	11%	<b>13% B</b>	<b>7%</b>	13%	11%	<b>14% E</b>	<b>7%</b>	10%	11%	13%	9%	11%
<b>\$35,000-\$49,999</b> Column %	12%	<b>15% B</b>	<b>9%</b>	5%	13%	<b>17% EF</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>8%</b>	13%	<b>10%</b>	<b>17% G</b>	11%
<b>\$50,000-\$74,999</b> Column %	17%	17%	18%	21%	17%	17%	<b>21% F</b>	<b>12%</b>	17%	18%	17%	15%
<b>\$75,000-\$99,999</b> Column %	14%	<b>10%</b>	<b>17% A</b>	<b>43% AB</b>	13%	9%	<b>15% D</b>	<b>18% D</b>	13%	13%	<b>10%</b>	<b>18% H</b>
<b>\$100,000-\$124,999</b> Column %	7%	6%	<b>10% C</b>	<b>0%</b>	7%	<b>8% F</b>	7%	<b>3%</b>	7%	<b>8% H</b>	<b>4%</b>	<b>9% H</b>
<b>\$125,000-\$149,999</b> Column %	7%	<b>9% B</b>	<b>2%</b>	5%	6%	<b>9% E</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>6% E</b>	6%	<b>12% HI</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>3%</b>
<b>\$150,000-\$199,999</b> Column %	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	<b>3% I</b>	3%	<b>0%</b>
<b>\$200,000 and over</b> Column %	5%	4%	6%	0%	4%	3%	6%	3%	4%	3%	6%	3%
<b>Not sure</b> Column %	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	<b>5% E</b>	<b>2%</b>	5%	4%	<b>5% I</b>	<b>5% I</b>	<b>1%</b>

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Which of the following best describes your current education level? \*

	2020 Ballot				Party Affiliation				Ideology			
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Some high school or less</b> Column %	14%	<b>19% B</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>31% B</b>	15%	<b>20% E</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>22% E</b>	15%	13%	<b>18% I</b>	<b>10%</b>
<b>High school graduate</b> Column %	38%	39%	37%	33%	40%	<b>36%</b>	<b>45% D</b>	41%	40%	40%	40%	39%
<b>Associate's degree (Two-year post-secondary degree)</b> Column %	8%	7%	<b>10% C</b>	<b>2%</b>	7%	6%	<b>10% F</b>	<b>5%</b>	7%	7%	8%	5%
<b>Some college but no degree</b> Column %	19%	19%	20%	13%	19%	22%	17%	16%	19%	20%	19%	17%
<b>Bachelor's degree</b> Column %	13%	<b>10%</b>	<b>20% A</b>	14%	12%	<b>9%</b>	<b>17% D</b>	11%	12%	11%	<b>10%</b>	<b>17% H</b>
<b>Master's or professional degree</b> Column %	7%	6%	9%	4%	6%	<b>6% F</b>	<b>9% F</b>	<b>2%</b>	6%	<b>8% H</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>10% H</b>
<b>Doctorate degree</b> Column %	1%	<b>0%</b>	<b>3% A</b>	0%	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	<b>0%</b>	1%	<b>2% G</b>
<b>Prefer not to say</b> Column %	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%

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What is your current marital status? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Married</b> Column %	52%	<b>59% BC</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>42%</b>	50%	<b>62% EF</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>37%</b>	50%	<b>59% HI</b>	<b>49% I</b>	<b>32%</b>
<b>Living with partner</b> Column %	7%	8%	5%	3%	8%	8%	6%	10%	8%	<b>10% H</b>	<b>6%</b>	8%
<b>Divorced</b> Column %	12%	<b>10%</b>	<b>19% AC</b>	<b>4%</b>	12%	<b>8%</b>	<b>18% DF</b>	<b>10%</b>	12%	<b>6%</b>	<b>12% G</b>	<b>21% GH</b>
<b>Never married</b> Column %	20%	<b>16%</b>	<b>24% A</b>	<b>47% AB</b>	22%	<b>15%</b>	<b>23% D</b>	<b>34% DE</b>	22%	<b>17%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>32% GH</b>
<b>Separated</b> Column %	2%	2%	2%	0%	2%	<b>1%</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>5% DE</b>	2%	2%	2%	2%
<b>Widowed</b> Column %	7%	<b>5%</b>	<b>12% A</b>	4%	6%	<b>4%</b>	<b>11% DF</b>	<b>4%</b>	6%	5%	8%	5%
<b>Prefer not to say</b> Column %	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%

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Is this your first marriage? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	301	191	90	20	332	141	80	111	332	143	117	72
<b>Yes</b> Column %	66%	<b>60%</b>	<b>80%</b> A	<b>88%</b> A	65%	<b>56%</b>	<b>79%</b> D	<b>71%</b> D	65%	<b>58%</b>	67%	<b>78%</b> G
<b>No</b> Column %	33%	<b>39%</b> BC	<b>18%</b>	<b>12%</b>	35%	<b>43%</b> EF	<b>21%</b>	<b>28%</b>	35%	<b>42%</b> HI	<b>30%</b>	<b>22%</b>
<b>Prefer not to say</b> Column %	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	0%	2%	0%

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Do you own or rent your home? \*

	2020 Ballot			Party Affiliation			Ideology					
	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Own</b> Column %	74%	<b>78% BC</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>55%</b>	71%	<b>76% EF</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>65%</b>	71%	<b>83% HI</b>	<b>68% I</b>	<b>55%</b>
<b>Rent</b> Column %	26%	<b>22%</b>	<b>30% A</b>	<b>45% A</b>	29%	<b>24%</b>	<b>31% D</b>	<b>35% D</b>	29%	<b>17%</b>	<b>32% G</b>	<b>45% GH</b>

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Are you now employed full-time, part-time, self-employed, or not employed? \*

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	Total	Donald Trump A	Joe Biden B	Someone else C	Total	Republican D	Democrat E	Independent/Other F	Total	Conservative G	Moderate/Other H	Liberal I
Unweighted Sample Size	672	415	209	48	765	282	198	285	765	266	329	170
<b>Full-time</b> Column %	37%	39%	36%	25%	35%	<b>39% E</b>	<b>31%</b>	31%	35%	33%	33%	40%
<b>Self-employed</b> Column %	7%	5%	9%	10%	7%	8%	8%	5%	7%	<b>6%</b>	<b>11% GI</b>	<b>3%</b>
<b>Part-time</b> Column %	8%	<b>6%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>31% AB</b>	9%	<b>6%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>15% DE</b>	9%	<b>7%</b>	9%	<b>13% G</b>
<b>Retired</b> Column %	28%	27%	32%	27%	27%	<b>25% F</b>	<b>36% DF</b>	<b>17%</b>	27%	<b>35% HI</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>24%</b>
<b>Not employed</b> Column %	20%	<b>23% BC</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>6%</b>	22%	<b>21%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>31% DE</b>	22%	<b>19%</b>	<b>26% G</b>	20%
<b>Don't know</b> Column %	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%

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