

Democracy Corps - New Jersey

Frequency Questionnaire

August 11-12, 2009
620 Likely Voters

Q.2 First of all, are you registered to vote at this address?

	Total
Yes	100
No.....	-
(Refused).....	-
(ref:NRV)	

Q.4 Many people weren't able to vote in the election in November 2008 for President between Barack Obama and John McCain. How about you? Were you able to vote, or for some reason were you not able to vote?

	Total
Voted	100
Ineligible/too young	0
Did not vote	-
(Can't remember/Don't know/Refused)	-
(ref:VOTE08)	

Q.5 In New Jersey, there are elections for governor, state legislature and other offices. Many people are not able to vote in these elections. What about you? Do you always, usually, sometimes or almost never vote in these elections?

	Total
Always	76
Usually.....	24
Sometimes	-
Almost never	-
(Don't know/Refused)	-
(ref:OP4)	

Q.6 I know it's a long way off, but what are the chances of your voting in the November election for Governor, state Assembly and other offices -- are you almost certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or will you not be voting?

	Total
Almost certain.....	86
Probably	14
50-50	-
Will not vote.....	-
(Don't know/refused)	-
(ref:WILLVOTE)	

Q.7 Generally speaking, do you think that things in New Jersey are going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten pretty seriously off on the wrong track?

	Total
Right direction	23
Wrong track	65
(Don't know/refused)	12
Right - Wrong.....	-42
(ref:DIRECT)	

Q.8 Now, I'd like to rate your feelings toward some people, with one hundred meaning a VERY WARM, FAVORABLE feeling; zero meaning a VERY COLD, UNFAVORABLE feeling; and fifty meaning not particularly warm or cold. You can use any number from zero to one hundred, the higher the number the more favorable your feelings are toward that person. If you have no opinion or never heard of that person, please say so.

	Mean	% Warm	% Cool	% ID	Warm - Cool
8 Democratic Party	49	40	39	96	1
9 Republican Party.....	44	29	43	94	-14
10 Jon Corzine	42	32	47	95	-15
11 Chris Christie	48	32	31	82	1
12 Barack Obama	59	54	30	98	24
13 Chris Daggett	42	4	7	18	-3
(ref:THERM2)					

Q.14 I know its a long way off, but thinking about the general election for Governor in November, if the general election for Governor were held today and the candidates were: Democrat Jon Corzine, Independent Chris Daggett, and Republican Chris Christie, for whom would you vote -- Democrat Jon Corzine, Independent Chris Daggett, or Republican Chris Christie?

	Total
Democrat Jon Corzine.....	34
Lean Democrat Jon Corzine.....	1
Republican Chris Christie.....	38
Lean Republican Chris Christie.....	2
Independent Chris Daggett	9
Lean Independent Chris Daggett	1
(Undecided).....	15
Total Democrat Jon Corzine.....	35
Total Republican Chris Christie.....	40
Total Independent Chris Daggett.....	10
(ref:GOV09)	

Q.15 How certain are you that you would vote for that candidate -- very certain, somewhat certain or not certain at all?

	Total
Strong Corzine	22
Weak Corzine.....	13
Strong Christie.....	24
Weak Christie.....	16
Strong Daggett	3
Weak Daggett.....	7
(Undecided).....	15
(ref:GOVCERT)	

[All respondents allocated]

Q.16 (IF DAGGETT IN GOV09/GOV09F) And thinking about the election for Governor in November, if the general election for Governor were held today and the candidates were: Democrat Jon Corzine and Republican Chris Christie, for whom would you vote -- Democrat Jon Corzine or Republican Chris Christie?

	Total
Total Democrat Jon Corzine.....	37
Total Republican Chris Christie.....	43
(Undecided).....	20
(ref:GOV2WAY)	

Q.17 Finally, I would like to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes. In what year were you born?

	Total
18 - 24	6
25 - 29	2
30 - 34	5
35 - 39	8
40 - 44	8
45 - 49	12
50 - 54	10
55 - 59	9
60 - 64	11
Over 64.....	25
(No answer).....	3
(ref:AGE)	

Q.18 What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?

	Total
1 - 11th grade	2
High School graduate.....	21
Non-college post H.S.	2
Some college.....	20
College graduate	35
Post-graduate school	18
(Don't know/refused)	1
(ref:EDUC)	

Q.19 Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat or what?

	Total
Strong Democrat	24
Weak Democrat.....	13
Independent-lean Democrat.....	9
Independent	15
Independent-lean Republican	10
Weak Republican	11
Strong Republican.....	16
(Don't know/refused)	1
(ref:PTYID1)	

Q.20 Thinking in political terms, would you say that you are conservative, moderate, or liberal?

	Total
Liberal.....	19
Moderate	41
Conservative	35
(Don't know/refused)	5
(ref:IDEO1)	

Q.21 Are you a member of a labor union? (IF YES) Are you a current member or a retired member? (IF NOT CURRENT OR RETIRED MEMBER), ASK) Is any member of your household a union member?

	Total
Yes: Respondent belongs	15
Household member	7
Yes, retired member	5
No member belongs	72
(DK/Ref)	2
(ref:UNION)	

Q.22 Are you married, single, separated, divorced, or widowed?

	Total
Married	66
Single	18
Separated/Divorced.....	6
Widowed.....	10
(Don't know/refused)	1
Sep/Div/Wid.....	16
(ref:MARITAL)	

Q.23 What is your religion?

	Total
Protestant	27
Catholic	43
Jewish	7
(Other/none/refused)	23
(ref:RELIG1)	

Q.24 How often do you attend religious services -- every week, once or twice a month, several times a year, or hardly ever?

	Total
More than once a week	17
Every week.....	27
Once or twice a month	14
Several times a year.....	21
Hardly ever	10
(Never)	7
(Don't know/Refused)	4
(ref:RELIG2)	

Q.25 What is your race?

	Total
White	74
Black.....	10
Hispanic.....	10
(Other)	3
(Don't know/refused)	4
(ref:RACE)	

Q.3 Respondent gender

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