



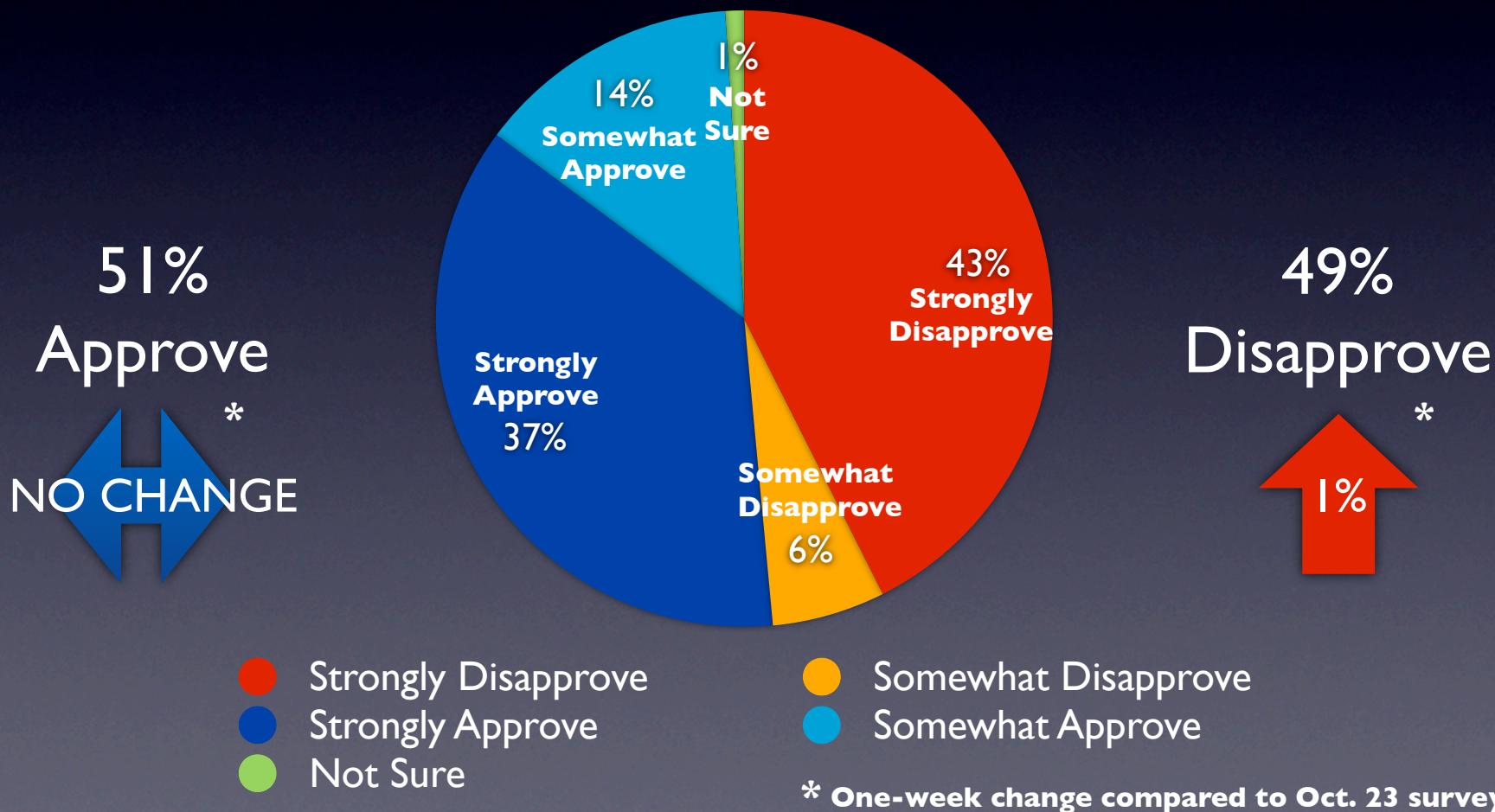
## Let Freedom Ring survey of 1,000 likely voters in Virginia

Conducted October 30, 2012 by **Pulse Opinion Research**

Sample Size: 1,000 LV (Margin of Error +/- 3.0% with 95% level of confidence)

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## Barack Obama's Presidential Approval Rating

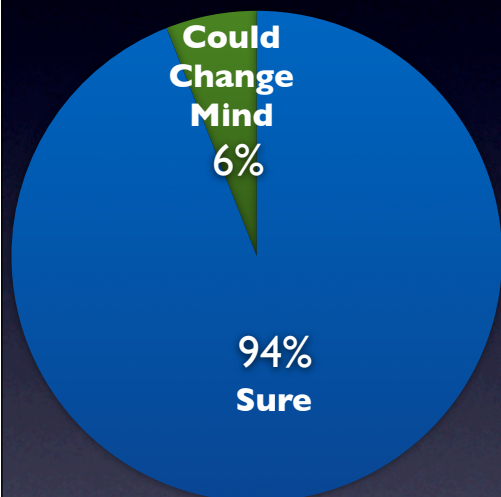


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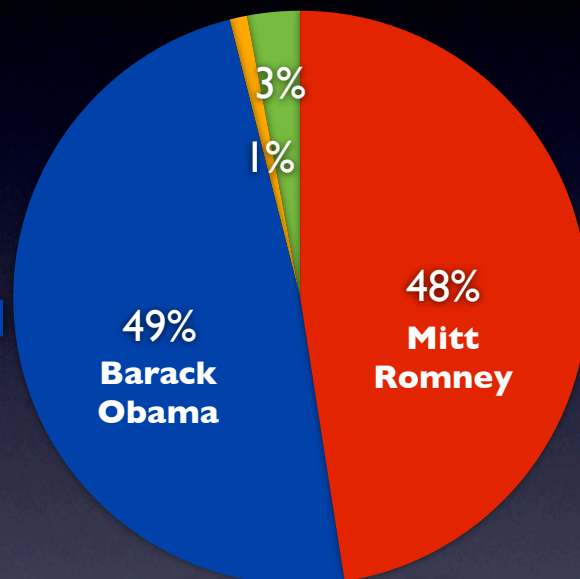
## Ballot Test

If the Presidential Election were held today, would you vote for Republican Mitt Romney or Democrat Barack Obama?

### Support Intensity



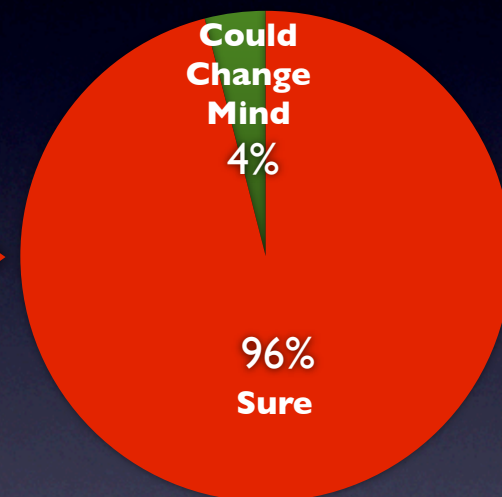
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- Could change mind



- Mitt Romney
- Barack Obama
- Some Other Candidate
- Not Sure



### Support Intensity



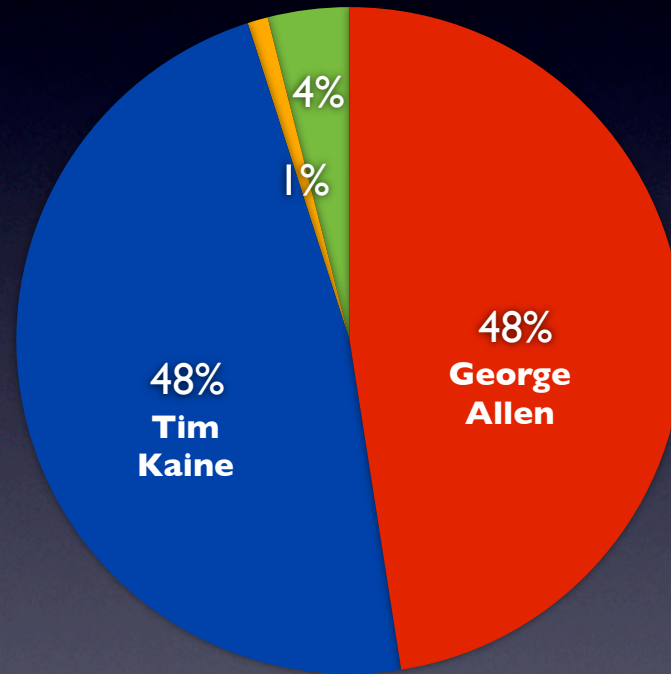
- Sure would vote Romney
- Could change mind

\* One-week change compared to Oct. 23 survey

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## US Senate Race: Ballot Test

If the 2012 election for US Senate were held today,  
would you vote for Republican George Allen or Democrat Tim Kaine?

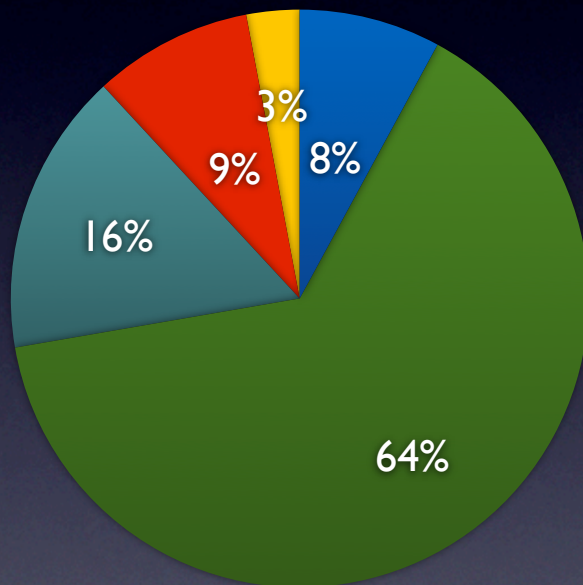


- George Allen
- Tim Kaine
- Some Other Candidate
- Not Sure

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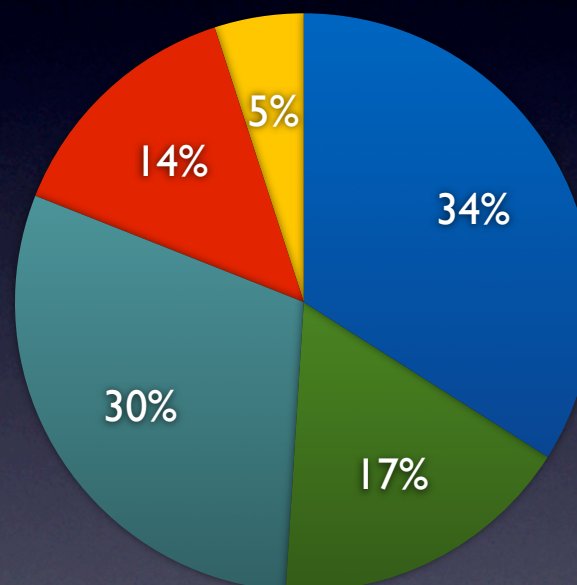
## Most Important Issues

1st Most Important Issue



- National Security Issues
- Economic Issues
- Domestic Issues
- Cultural Issues
- Not Sure

2nd Most Important Issue



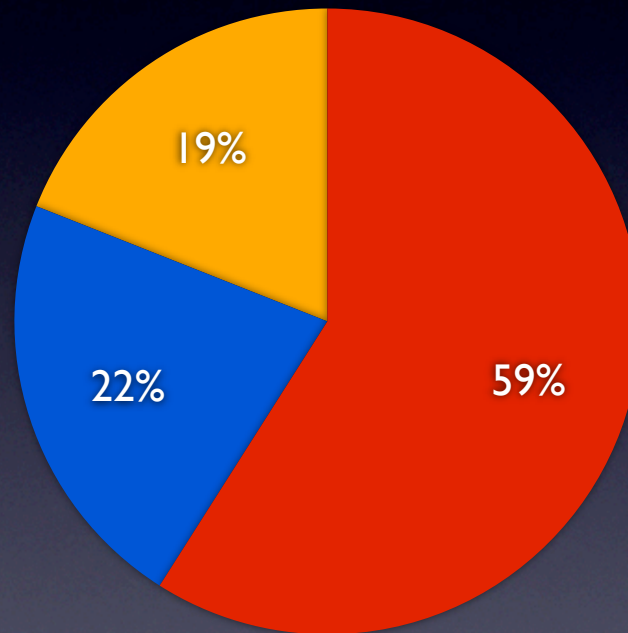
- National Security Issues
- Economic Issues
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- Cultural Issues
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## Fort Hood, Little Rock & Benghazi

Should the President recognize all these attacks as terrorist attacks?



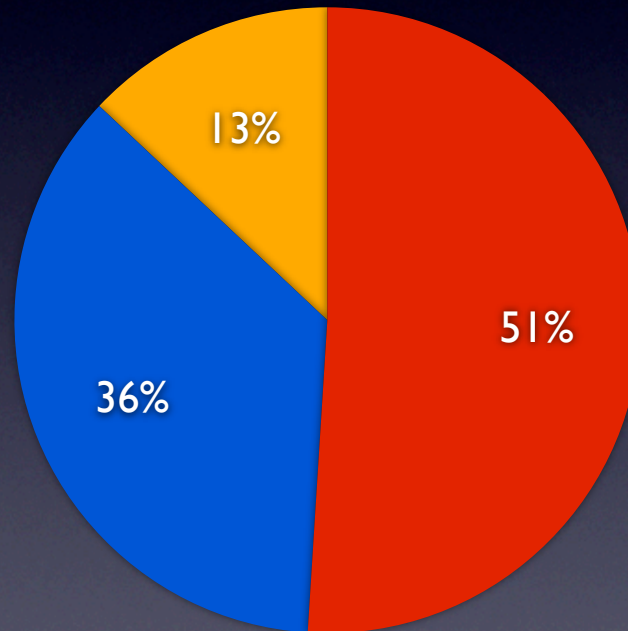
● Yes      ● No      ● Not Sure

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## Responsibility for Benghazi

After two attacks on American installations in Libya and increasing insecurity, our ambassador and his team twice made a request to the Obama Administration for a larger security presence to protect them. This request was denied and later on September 11th of this year Islamic radicals attacked our consulate in Libya and killed four Americans.

**Does President Obama share blame for this attack that killed four Americans?**



● Yes

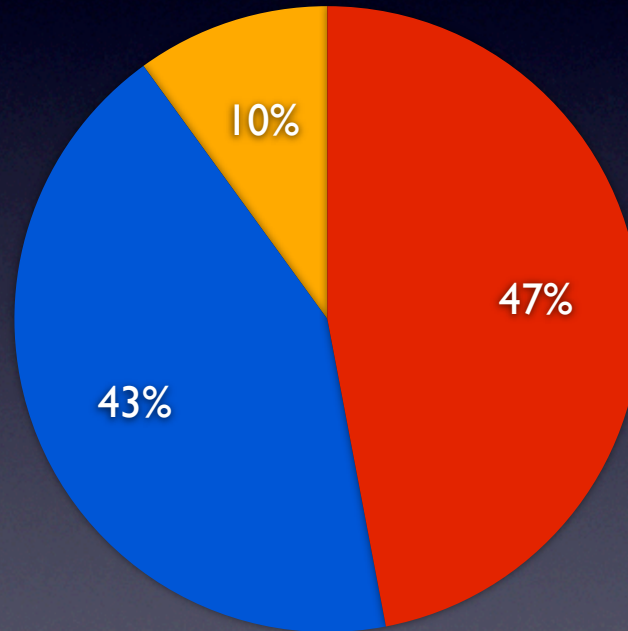
● No

● Not Sure

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## Benghazi - Honesty or Spin?

**Has President Obama** **has been honest and forthcoming**  
in revealing unclassified details of the Benghazi terrorist attack as he learned them,  
**or do you think that he has been less than honest**  
by withholding details that might hurt him politically?



● Less than honest    ● Honest    ● Not Sure

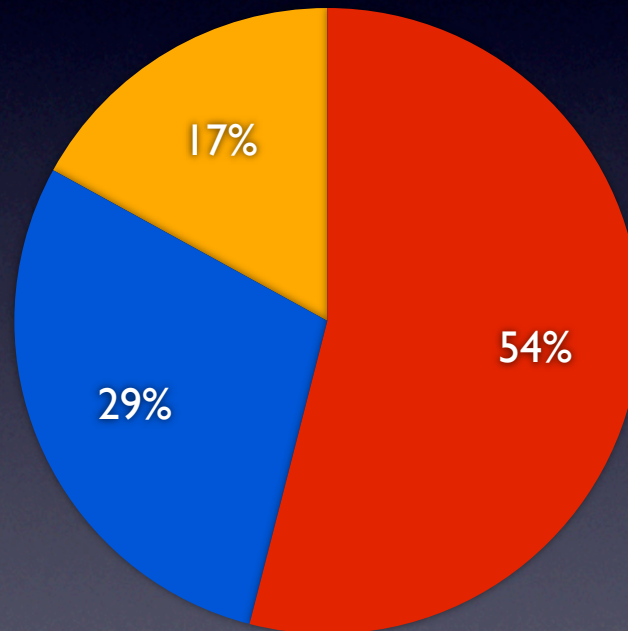


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## “First Time” Obama Ad

Last week, the Obama campaign released a new advertisement aimed towards young voters that compared voting for the first time to the first time a young person has sexual intercourse.

**Is this a clever and appropriate way to reach a young audience, or is it an inappropriately suggestive and undignified comparison for a Presidential re-election campaign to make?**



● Inappropriate ● Clever and appropriate ● Not Sure

# Survey Details and Question Wording

The survey of **1,000 likely voters in Virginia** was conducted by Pulse Opinion Research on October 30, 2012. Pulse Opinion Research, LLC is an independent public opinion research firm using automated polling methodology and procedures licensed from Rasmussen Reports, LLC.

1. **Presidential Approval:** How would you rate the job Barack Obama has been doing as President ... do you strongly approve, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove, or strongly disapprove of the job he's been doing?
2. **Ballot Test - President:** If the Presidential Election were held today, would you vote for Republican Mitt Romney or Democrat Barack Obama?
3. **Ballot Test - US Senate:** If the 2012 election for US Senate were held today, would you vote for Republican George Allen or Democrat Tim Kaine?
4. **1st Most Important Issue:** What is the most important issue for you in the upcoming national election? Are you primarily interested in National Security issues such as the War in Afghanistan and the War on Terror, Economic and fiscal issues such as jobs, economic growth, government spending and our national debt, Domestic Issues like Education, Health Care and Immigration, or Cultural issues such as same-sex marriage and abortion?
5. **2nd Most Important Issue:** What is the second most important issue for you in the upcoming national election? Is your second issue Economic and fiscal matters such as jobs, economic growth, government spending and our national debt, Domestic Issues like Education, Health Care and Immigration, or Cultural issues such as same-sex marriage and abortion?
6. **Fort Hood, Little Rock, & Benghazi:** For two weeks President Obama would not call the Libya attack on our embassy that killed four Americans a terrorist attack. He had previously labeled the other two attacks by Islamic radicals that killed Americans during his presidency as criminal acts rather than terrorist attacks. Should the President recognize all these attacks as terrorist attacks?
7. **Responsibility for Benghazi:** After two attacks on American installations in Libya and increasing insecurity, our ambassador and his team twice made a request to the Obama Administration for a larger security presence to protect them. This request was denied and later on September 11th of this year Islamic radicals attacked our consulate in Libya and killed four Americans. Does President Obama share blame for this attack that killed four Americans?
8. **Benghazi - Honesty or Spin?:** Has President Obama has been honest and forthcoming in revealing unclassified details of the Benghazi terrorist attack as he learned them, or do you think that he has been less than honest by withholding details that might hurt him politically?
9. **Obama's "First Time" Ad:** Last week, the Obama campaign released a new advertisement aimed towards young voters that compared voting for the first time to the first time a young person has sexual intercourse. Is this a clever and appropriate way to reach a young audience, or is it an inappropriately suggestive and undignified comparison for a Presidential re-election campaign to make?