

New York Congressional District 21 Poll Results

September 25-29, 2014

Q: Would you say that things in the country are going in the right direction, or have they gotten off on the wrong track?

Right Direction	25%
Wrong Track	70%
Not sure	6%

Q: In an election for Congress, would you generally prefer to vote for the Republican candidate or the Democratic candidate?

47%
38%
8%
6%

Now, I am going to read you a list of names. Please indicate whether you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of each.

Barack Obama

Very favorable	23%
Somewhat favorable	19%
Somewhat unfavorable	12%
Very unfavorable	43%
Not sure	2%

Andrew Cuomo

Very favorable	15%
Somewhat favorable	25%
Somewhat unfavorable	22%
Very unfavorable	34%
Not sure	4%

Rob Astorino

3%
5%
L%
7%
3%

Howie Hawkins

Very favorable	4%
Somewhat favorable	13%
Somewhat unfavorable	14%
Very unfavorable	7%
Not sure	62%

Elise Stefanik

Very favorable	21%
Somewhat favorable	25%
Somewhat unfavorable	15%
Very unfavorable	24%
Not sure	14%

Aaron Woolf

Very favorable	17%
Somewhat favorable	24%
Somewhat unfavorable	15%
Very unfavorable	22%
Not sure	23%

Matt Funiciello

Very favorable	5%
Somewhat favorable	15%
Somewhat unfavorable	15%
Very unfavorable	13%
Not sure	52%

Q: If the election for Governor were held today, who would you vote for: Rob Astorino, Republican and Conservative Party; Andrew Cuomo, Democratic, Working Families and Independence Party, or Howie Hawkins, Green Party?

Astorino	42%
Cuomo	41%
Hawkins	8%
Not sure	9%

Q: If the election for Congress were held today, who would you vote for: Elise Stefanik, Republican, Conservative, and Independence Party; Aaron Woolf, Democratic and Working Families Party, OR Matt Funiciello, Green Party?

Stefanik	45%
Woolf	37%
Funiciello	8%
Not sure	10%

Q: President Obama has recently escalated America's military engagement in the Middle East with airstrikes in Iraq and Syria, specifically targeting the Islamic militant group known as ISIS. Do you approve or disapprove of this U.S. military action?

Approve	74%
Disapprove	16%
Not sure	10%

Demographics:

Media Market

ALBANY-SCHENECTADY-TROY	42%
BURLINGTON-PLATTSBURGH	24%
UTICA	1%
WATERTOWN	33%

Gender

Female	52%
Male	48%

Age

18 to 39	11%
40 to 54	18%
55 to 65	30%
66 or older	40%

Party Affiliation

Republican	45%
Democrat	33%
Independent or any other party	23%

Ideology

Conservative	38%
Moderate	38%
Liberal	18%
Not sure	5%

METHODOLOGY:

The sample size for the survey is 674 likely voters and the margin of error is +/-3.76%. The Interactive Voice Response (IVR) automated telephone survey was conducted September 25-29, 2014 by Harper Polling. The total percentages for responses may not equal 100% due to rounding.