New England College
September 26, 2014 Poll Results

The results presented below were obtained through automated telephone interviews conducted by the New England College Polling Center on September 26, 2014. A total of 1,331 responses were obtained, 629 from registered likely NH voters in Congressional District 1 and 702 from registered likely NH voters in Congressional District 2. The margin of error for questions 1,2 , and 4 is $+/-2.69 \%$. The margin of error for question $3-C D 1$ is $+/-3.91 \%$ and for question $3-C D 2$ is $+/-3.70 \%$.

Q1. Governor - If the election were held today how would you vote for Governor of New Hampshire?

| Governor | Response | Percent |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Maggie Hassan | 638 | $47.9 \%$ |
| Walt Havenstein | 587 | $44.1 \%$ |
| Another Candidate | 38 | $2.9 \%$ |
| Not Sure | 68 | $5.1 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 , 3 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |

Q2. Senate - If the election were held today how would you vote for United States Senator from New Hampshire?

| Senate | Response | Percent |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Jeanne Shaheen | 627 | $47.1 \%$ |
| Scott Brown | 621 | $46.6 \%$ |
| Another Candidate | 44 | $3.3 \%$ |
| Not Sure | 39 | $2.9 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 , 3 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |

## Q3. CD1 - If the election were held today how would you vote for Representative from the First Congressional District?

| Rep - CD1 | Response | Percent |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Frank Guinta | 319 | $50.8 \%$ |
| Carol Shea-Porter | 255 | $40.5 \%$ |
| Another Candidate | 27 | $4.3 \%$ |
| Not Sure | 28 | $4.4 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{6 2 9}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |

Q3. CD2 - If the election were held today how would you vote for Representative from the Second Congressional District?

| Rep - CD2 | Response | Percent |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Annie Kuster | 352 | $50.1 \%$ |
| Marilinda Garcia | 274 | $39.0 \%$ |
| Another Candidate | 33 | $4.7 \%$ |
| Not Sure | 43 | $6.2 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{7 0 2}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |

## Q4. Job Performance - How do you rate the job performance of President Barack Obama?

| Presidential Approval | Response | Percent |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Highly Approve | 266 | $20.0 \%$ |
| Somewhat Approve | 333 | $25.0 \%$ |
| Unsure/No Opinion | 69 | $5.2 \%$ |
| Somewhat Disapprove | 85 | $6.4 \%$ |
| Highly Disapprove | 578 | $43.4 \%$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{1 , 3 3 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ |

Q1.
If the election were held today how would you vote for Governor of New Hampshire?
For Maggie Hassan, the democrat, Press One; For Walt Havenstein, the republican, Press Two; For another candidate, Press Three; If you are Not Sure, Press Four.

| Governor | Female | Female | Male | Male | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Maggie Hassan | 358 | $53.1 \%$ | 281 | $42.7 \%$ | 638 |
| Walt Havenstein | 264 | $39.1 \%$ | 323 | $49.2 \%$ | 587 |
| Another Candidate | 18 | $2.7 \%$ | 20 | $3.1 \%$ | 38 |
| Not Sure | 34 | $5.1 \%$ | 33 | $5.1 \%$ | 68 |
| Total | $\mathbf{6 7 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 5 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 3 1}$ |


| Governor | Republican | Republican | Democrat | Democrat | Unenrolled/ Independent | Unenrolled/ Independent | Another Party | Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | Unsure/No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Maggie Hassan | 69 | 15.6\% | 324 | 88.1\% | 183 | 44.6\% | 2 | 22.3\% | 61 | 57.3\% | 638 |
| Walt Havenstein | 329 | 75.0\% | 30 | 8.2\% | 188 | 46.0\% | 6 | 67.5\% | 34 | 31.6\% | 587 |
| Another Candidate | 17 | 3.9\% | 4 | 1.1\% | 10 | 2.5\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 7 | 6.6\% | 38 |
| Not Sure | 24 | 5.4\% | 10 | 2.7\% | 28 | 6.9\% | 1 | 10.2\% | 5 | 4.5\% | 68 |
| Total | 439 | 100\% | 368 | 100\% | 409 | 100\% | 9 | 100\% | 106 | 100\% | 1,331 |


| Governor | Lean <br> Republican | Lean Republican | Lean Democrat | Lean Democrat | Lean Another Party | Lean Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | Unsure/No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Maggie Hassan | 10 | 5.9\% | 138 | 92.1\% | 9 | 30.4\% | 25 | 44.9\% | 183 |
| Walt Havenstein | 145 | 83.6\% | 9 | 6.0\% | 14 | 48.0\% | 20 | 35.6\% | 188 |
| Another Candidate | 5 | 2.9\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 2 | 6.9\% | 3 | 5.4\% | 10 |
| Not Sure | 13 | 7.7\% | 3 | 1.9\% | 4 | 14.8\% | 8 | 14.1\% | 28 |
| Total | 173 | 100\% | 150 | 100\% | 29 | 100\% | 57 | 100\% | 409 |

Q2.
If the election were held today how would you vote for United States Senator from New Hampshire?
For Scott Brown, the republican, Press One; For Jeanne Shaheen, the democrat, Press Two; For another candidate, Press Three; If you are Not Sure, Press Four

| Senate | Female | Female | Male | Male | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Jeanne Shaheen | 357 | $53.0 \%$ | 271 | $41.2 \%$ | 627 |
| Scott Brown | 274 | $40.6 \%$ | 347 | $52.7 \%$ | 621 |
| Another Candidate | 21 | $3.1 \%$ | 24 | $3.6 \%$ | 44 |
| Not Sure | 22 | $3.3 \%$ | 16 | $2.5 \%$ | 39 |
| Total | $\mathbf{6 7 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 5 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 3 1}$ |


| Senate | Republican | Republican | Democrat | Democrat | Unenrolled/ Independent | Unenrolled/In dependent | Another Party | Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | Unsure/No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Jeanne Shaheen | 57 | 12.9\% | 326 | 88.6\% | 185 | 45.1\% | 2 | 20.8\% | 59 | 55.2\% | 627 |
| Scott Brown | 347 | 79.0\% | 30 | 8.1\% | 199 | 48.7\% | 7 | 79.2\% | 38 | 35.4\% | 621 |
| Another Candidate | 18 | 4.1\% | 5 | 1.4\% | 14 | 3.5\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 7 | 6.6\% | 44 |
| Not Sure | 18 | 4.1\% | 7 | 1.9\% | 11 | 2.7\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 3 | 2.8\% | 39 |
| Total | 439 | 100\% | 368 | 100\% | 409 | 100\% | 9 | 100\% | 106 | 100\% | 1,331 |


| Senate | Lean <br> Republican |  | Lean <br> Democrat | Lean Another <br> Party |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Sensure/No |  |  |  |  |  |
| Opinion |  |  |  |  |  |

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Q3. CD1
If the election were held today how would you vote for Representative from the First Congressional District?
For Frank Guinta, the republican, Press One; For Carol Shea-Porter, the democrat, Press Two; For another candidate, Press Three; If you are Not Sure, Press Four

| Rep - CD1 | Female | Female | Male | Male | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Carol Shea-Porter | 152 | $47.9 \%$ | 103 | $33.0 \%$ | 255 |
| Frank Guinta | 134 | $42.2 \%$ | 185 | $59.6 \%$ | 319 |
| Another Candidate | 14 | $4.5 \%$ | 13 | $4.0 \%$ | 27 |
| Not Sure | 17 | $5.4 \%$ | 10 | $3.4 \%$ | 28 |
| Total | $\mathbf{3 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 1 1}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 2 9}$ |


| Rep - CD1 | Republican | Republican | Democrat | Democrat | Unenrolled/Inde pendent | Unenrolled/ Independent | Another Party | Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Unsure/No } \\ \text { Opinion } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Carol Shea-Porter | 20 | 9.1\% | 137 | 83.1\% | 74 | 37.6\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 24 | 50.6\% | 255 |
| Frank Guinta | 177 | 80.9\% | 20 | 12.2\% | 104 | 53.2\% | 1 | 100.0\% | 17 | 34.9\% | 319 |
| Another Candidate | 13 | 5.9\% | 2 | 1.2\% | 7 | 3.6\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 5 | 10.3\% | 27 |
| Not Sure | 9 | 4.1\% | 6 | 3.5\% | 11 | 5.6\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 2 | 4.2\% | 28 |
| Total | 219 | 100\% | 165 | 100\% | 196 | 100\% | 1 | 100\% | 48 | 100\% | 629 |


| Rep - CD1 | Lean <br> Republican | Lean Republican | Lean Democrat | Lean Democrat | Lean Another Party | Lean Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | Unsure/No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Carol Shea-Porter | 5 | 5.5\% | 54 | 88.4\% | 3 | 26.0\% | 12 | 39.7\% | 74 |
| Frank Guinta | 82 | 87.0\% | 4 | 6.8\% | 6 | 55.9\% | 12 | 40.5\% | 104 |
| Another Candidate | 3 | 3.2\% | 2 | 3.3\% | 1 | 8.7\% | 1 | 3.4\% | 7 |
| Not Sure | 4 | 4.3\% | 1 | 1.6\% | 1 | 9.5\% | 5 | 16.4\% | 11 |
| Total | 94 | 100\% | 61 | 100\% | 11 | 100\% | 30 | 100\% | 196 |

Q3. CD2
If the election were held today how would you vote for Representative from the Second Congressional District?
For Marilinda Garcia, the republican, Press One; For Annie Kuster, the democrat, Press Two; For another candidate, Press Three; If you are Not Sure, Press Four

| Rep - CD2 | Female | Female | Male | Male | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Marilinda Garcia | 117 | $32.8 \%$ | 157 | $45.4 \%$ | 274 |
| Annie Kuster | 191 | $53.7 \%$ | 161 | $46.3 \%$ | 352 |
| Another Candidate | 22 | $6.2 \%$ | 11 | $3.2 \%$ | 33 |
| Not Sure | 26 | $7.2 \%$ | 18 | $5.1 \%$ | 43 |
| Total | $\mathbf{3 5 5}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{3 4 7}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{7 0 2}$ |


| Rep - CD2 | Republican | Republican | Democrat | Democrat | Unenrolled/ Independent | Unenrolled/ Independent | Another Party | Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | Unsure/No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Marilinda Garcia | 153 | 69.7\% | 11 | 5.6\% | 83 | 39.1\% | 6 | 77.3\% | 20 | 34.0\% | 274 |
| Annie Kuster | 35 | 15.7\% | 182 | 89.7\% | 103 | 48.2\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 32 | 55.9\% | 352 |
| Another Candidate | 15 | 6.9\% | 3 | 1.4\% | 10 | 4.8\% | 2 | 22.7\% | 3 | 5.1\% | 33 |
| Not Sure | 17 | 7.7\% | 7 | 3.3\% | 17 | 7.8\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 3 | 5.1\% | 43 |
| Total | 220 | 100\% | 203 | 100\% | 213 | 100\% | 8 | 100\% | 58 | 100\% | 702 |


| Rep - CD2 | Lean Republican | Lean Republican | Lean Democrat | Lean Democrat | Lean Another Party | Lean Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | Unsure/No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Marilinda Garcia | 64 | 80.7\% | 7 | 7.8\% | 8 | 45.0\% | 4 | 16.1\% | 83 |
| Annie Kuster | 6 | 7.7\% | 77 | 86.8\% | 6 | 32.0\% | 13 | 50.3\% | 103 |
| Another Candidate | 3 | 3.9\% | 3 | 3.3\% | 3 | 17.0\% | 1 | 4.2\% | 10 |
| Not Sure | 6 | 7.7\% | 2 | 2.1\% | 1 | 6.0\% | 8 | 29.4\% | 17 |
| Total | 79 | 100\% | 89 | 100\% | 18 | 100\% | 26 | 100\% | 213 |

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## How do you rate the job performance of President Barack Obama?

If you Highly Approve, Press One; If you Somewhat Approve, Press Two; If you are Unsure or have No Opinion, Press Three; If you Somewhat Disapprove, Press Four; If you Highly Disapprove, Press Five.

| Presidential Approval | Female | Female | Male | Male | Total |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Highly Approve | 171 | $25.4 \%$ | 95 | $14.4 \%$ | 266 |
| Somewhat Approve | 175 | $26.1 \%$ | 158 | $24.0 \%$ | 333 |
| Unsure/No Opinion | 34 | $5.1 \%$ | 34 | $5.2 \%$ | 69 |
| Somewhat Disapprove | 42 | $6.2 \%$ | 43 | $6.5 \%$ | 85 |
| Highly Disapprove | 251 | $37.2 \%$ | 328 | $49.8 \%$ | 578 |
| Total | $\mathbf{6 7 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{6 5 8}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 0 \%}$ | $\mathbf{1 , 3 3 1}$ |


| Presidential Approval | Republican | Republican | Democrat | Democrat | Unenrolled/ Independent | Unenrolled/ Independent | Another Party | Another Party | Unsure/No Opinion | Unsure/No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Highly Approve | 22 | 5.0\% | 162 | 44.1\% | 65 | 15.8\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 17 | 15.8\% | 266 |
| Somewhat Approve | 49 | 11.1\% | 148 | 40.2\% | 91 | 22.2\% | 1 | 10.2\% | 45 | 42.3\% | 333 |
| Unsure/No Opinion | 26 | 6.0\% | 15 | 4.1\% | 20 | 4.8\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 8 | 7.4\% | 69 |
| Somewhat Disapprove | 29 | 6.5\% | 14 | 3.7\% | 39 | 9.5\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 4 | 3.6\% | 85 |
| Highly Disapprove | 313 | 71.4\% | 29 | 7.9\% | 195 | 47.6\% | 8 | 89.8\% | 33 | 30.9\% | 578 |
| Total | 439 | 100\% | 368 | 100\% | 409 | 100\% | 9 | 100\% | 106 | 100\% | 1,331 |


| Presidential Approval | Lean <br> Republican | Lean Republican | Lean Democrat | Lean Democrat | Lean Another Party | Lean Another Party | Unsure/ No Opinion | Unsure/ No Opinion | Total |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Highly Approve | 3 | 1.7\% | 53 | 35.2\% | 1 | 3.3\% | 8 | 14.3\% | 65 |
| Somewhat Approve | 4 | 2.4\% | 65 | 43.2\% | 7 | 22.7\% | 15 | 27.1\% | 91 |
| Unsure/No Opinion | 6 | 3.6\% | 7 | 4.5\% | 0 | 0.0\% | 7 | 12.1\% | 20 |
| Somewhat Disapprove | 19 | 11.0\% | 15 | 9.8\% | 4 | 14.2\% | 1 | 1.7\% | 39 |
| Highly Disapprove | 141 | 81.2\% | 11 | 7.4\% | 18 | 59.8\% | 25 | 44.9\% | 195 |
| Total | 173 | 100\% | 150 | 100\% | 29 | 100\% | 57 | 100\% | 409 |

