

S4. Many people are busy and don't get a chance to vote in every election. Thinking ahead to the November 2012 election, what would you say the chances are that you will vote in the election for U.S. President and [INSERT STATE] state offices - are you almost certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or do you not think you will vote?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Already Voted Early | | | | | | | | | 3 | 8 | 16 | 20 |
| Almost certain | 85 | 83 | 82 | 86 | 86 | 85 | 86 | 81 | 81 | 79 | 73 | 77 |
| Probably | 5 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| 50 – 50 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 9 | * |
| Will not vote | 2 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 1 | * |

1. On the whole, what are the most important issues facing the [Hispanic/Latino] community that you think Congress and the President should address? [Open ended, Pre-code to list, RESPONDENT MAY SELECT ONE OR TWO – RECORD ORDER OF MENTION IF TWO]

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Create more jobs / Fix the Economy | 53 | 58 | 54 | 57 | 62 | 56 | 54 | 53 | 53 | 54 | 50 | 47 |
| Immigration reform / DREAM Act | 51 | 42 | 41 | 40 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 40 | 37 | 42 | 43 |
| Education reform / schools | 18 | 19 | 18 | 14 | 13 | 17 | 21 | 19 | 23 | 23 | 20 | 22 |
| Health care | 17 | 18 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 15 | 13 | 11 | 9 |
| Race relations | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| International relations / War in Afgh. | 4 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Address Taxes / Cut taxes | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Gas prices / energy prices | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | * | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Housing / mortgages | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | * | 1 | 1 | * | * | * |
| Corruption in government / honesty | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | * | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Global warming / environment | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | * | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Abortion / gay marriage / family values | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Something else | 8 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 13 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Don't know | 5 | 8 | 12 | 11 | 6 | 5 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 10 | 9 |

Now I'd like to ask you about some people who have been mentioned in the news recently. For each, please tell me whether you have heard of the person, and if your impression is very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable. If you have no opinion, or have never heard of the person, just let me know.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| 2. President Barack Obama | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
| Very favorable | 45 | 45 | 41 | 45 | 50 | 55 | 54 | 45 | 51 | 56 | 60 | 64 |
| Somewhat favorable | 29 | 26 | 31 | 26 | 21 | 23 | 27 | 30 | 26 | 22 | 21 | 15 |
| Somewhat unfavorable | 7 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 9 | 10 |
| Very unfavorable | 17 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 16 | 15 | 11 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 8 | 9 |
| No opinion | 2 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 2 |
| Never heard of | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| 3. Governor Mitt Romney | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
| Very favorable | 10 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 14 |
| Somewhat favorable | 17 | 18 | 15 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 13 | 16 | 12 | 16 | 13 | 11 |
| Somewhat unfavorable | 15 | 19 | 18 | 14 | 12 | 13 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 16 | 18 | 19 |
| Very unfavorable | 40 | 35 | 33 | 41 | 46 | 45 | 43 | 38 | 43 | 41 | 45 | 44 |
| No opinion | 12 | 10 | 13 | 15 | 13 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 11 | 10 | 10 |
| Never heard of | 5 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 4. Democrats in Congress | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
| Very favorable | 21 | 21 | 24 | 25 | 30 | 30 | 24 | 21 | 31 | 28 | 32 | 32 |
| Somewhat favorable | 43 | 31 | 29 | 35 | 32 | 31 | 31 | 24 | 29 | 33 | 32 | 32 |
| Somewhat unfavorable | 13 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 14 | 19 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 11 |
| Very unfavorable | 12 | 17 | 15 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 8 | 10 |
| No opinion | 9 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 18 | 21 | 14 | 14 | 16 | 13 |
| Never heard of | 2 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5. Republicans in Congress | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
| Very favorable | 10 | 14 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 10 |
| Somewhat favorable | 22 | 17 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 16 | 18 | 24 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 13 |
| Somewhat unfavorable | 15 | 17 | 20 | 22 | 26 | 25 | 15 | 13 | 18 | 22 | 23 | 25 |
| Very unfavorable | 37 | 33 | 36 | 37 | 35 | 35 | 36 | 32 | 39 | 33 | 28 | 29 |
| No opinion | 12 | 17 | 15 | 15 | 16 | 15 | 21 | 22 | 18 | 19 | 23 | 21 |
| Never heard of | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 |

7. Thinking about the upcoming Congressional elections for U.S. House of Representatives, do you plan to vote for the [ROTATE: Democratic candidate or the Republican candidate]?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|---------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Will vote Democrat | 55 | 52 | 50 | 57 | 62 | 64 | 64 | 61 | 61 | 61 | 64 | 68 |
| Undecided but likely DEMOCRAT | 9 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 4 |
| Undecided / Don't know | 15 | 13 | 15 | 9 | 11 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 9 | 13 | 7 |
| Undecided but likely REPUBLICAN | 6 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 3 |
| Will vote Republican | 15 | 21 | 21 | 17 | 13 | 19 | 15 | 14 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 18 |
| COMBINED DEM | 64 | 60 | 58 | 63 | 67 | 69 | 68 | 67 | 68 | 69 | 67 | 72 |
| COMBINED GOP | 21 | 27 | 27 | 25 | 22 | 22 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 22 | 20 | 21 |

7a. If the Presidential election was held today would you vote for [ROTATE: Republican Mitt Romney OR Democrat Barack Obama]?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Romney – certain | 20 | 23 | 21 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| Romney – not-certain | 4 | 5 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| undecided – lean Romney | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | * | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Obama – certain | 55 | 53 | 56 | 62 | 63 | 67 | 67 | 59 | 62 | 62 | 64 | 65 |
| Obama – not-certain | 9 | 9 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 6 |
| undecided – lean Obama | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Undecided/don't know | 9 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 10 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 3 |
| Romney Combined | 26 | 30 | 29 | 26 | 24 | 21 | 20 | 23 | 20 | 21 | 23 | 24 |
| Obama Combined | 65 | 64 | 66 | 68 | 69 | 73 | 72 | 67 | 71 | 73 | 72 | 73 |

18dd. The election for President is now only a few weeks away - how certain are you about who you will vote for? Are you..... {rotate front/back: 100 percent certain; you could possibly change your mind; not at all certain}

| | All | Obama voters | Romney voters |
|---------------------------------|-----|--------------|---------------|
| 100 percent certain | 86 | 88 | 83 |
| Could possibly change your mind | 10 | 9 | 14 |
| Not at all certain | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Don't know | 2 | 1 | * |

8. Compared to the 2008 presidential election, would you say you are MORE enthusiastic about voting this year in 2012, or that you were more enthusiastic about voting back in 2008?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| More enthusiastic in 2012 | 37 | 35 | 35 | 40 | 44 | 36 | 34 | 40 | 40 | 45 | 47 | 55 |
| More enthusiastic in 2008 | 40 | 38 | 38 | 30 | 29 | 30 | 36 | 34 | 32 | 32 | 30 | 22 |
| No difference / same level | 21 | 25 | 24 | 25 | 23 | 29 | 27 | 24 | 24 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| Don't Know | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 |

9. Thinking about the last two administrations, which would you say is MOST responsible for the economic downturn these last few years? Would you say the economic policies of [ROTATE: President George W. Bush or President Barack Obama] are more to blame?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 |
|--------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Bush is to blame | 68 | -- | -- | 62 | 64 | -- | -- |
| Obama is to blame | 14 | -- | -- | 17 | 17 | -- | -- |
| Both are to blame (VOL) | 10 | -- | -- | 10 | 10 | -- | -- |
| Neither / something else | 3 | -- | -- | 5 | 4 | -- | -- |
| Don't know | 4 | -- | -- | 2 | 3 | -- | -- |

Q9B. Thinking about President Obama and the U.S. Congress, which would you say is MOST responsible for economy not improving more quickly these last few years? Would you say [ROTATE: the lack of leadership of President Obama OR, the lack of leadership of Republicans, OR the lack of cooperation and fighting among both parties in Congress?]

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 |
|-----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Lack of leadership by Obama | -- | -- | 22 | 20 | -- | -- | 15 | -- | 13 | 14 |
| Lack of leadership by GOP | -- | -- | 13 | 14 | -- | -- | 14 | -- | 15 | 12 |
| Fighting in Congress | -- | -- | 56 | 56 | -- | -- | 60 | -- | 58 | 64 |
| All of the above | -- | -- | 4 | 2 | -- | -- | 6 | -- | 4 | 4 |
| Don't know | -- | -- | 4 | 7 | -- | -- | 5 | -- | 7 | 5 |

10. Thinking about the future of our economy, which party do you trust more to make the right decisions and improve our economic conditions? Would you say you have more confidence in (rotate) President Obama and the Democrats, or Mitt Romney and the Republicans?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Obama and Democrats | -- | 59 | -- | -- | -- | 72 | -- | -- | -- | 73 | 71 | 73 |
| Romney and Republicans | -- | 30 | -- | -- | -- | 20 | -- | -- | -- | 18 | 20 | 23 |
| Neither (VOL) | -- | 6 | -- | -- | -- | 5 | -- | -- | -- | 6 | 6 | 3 |
| Both (VOL) | -- | * | -- | -- | -- | * | -- | -- | -- | * | * | 1 |
| Don't know | -- | 4 | -- | -- | -- | 4 | -- | -- | -- | 2 | 2 | * |

10B. Thinking about issues important to women in this country, which party do you trust more to make the right decisions and address issues of concern to women? Would you say you have more confidence in (rotate) President Obama and the Democrats, or Mitt Romney and the Republicans?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Obama and Democrats | -- | -- | -- | 73 |
| Romney and Republicans | -- | -- | -- | 16 |
| Neither (VOL) | -- | -- | -- | 3 |
| Both (VOL) | -- | -- | -- | 3 |
| Don't know | -- | -- | -- | 3 |

10C. Thinking about security and foreign policy issues in the Middle East, which candidate do you trust more to make the right decisions and improve our political and economic relationships with countries in the Middle East? Would you say you have more confidence in (rotate) President Obama and the Democrats, or Mitt Romney and the Republicans?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Obama and Democrats | -- | -- | -- | -- | 71 |
| Romney and Republicans | -- | -- | -- | -- | 24 |
| Neither (VOL) | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2 |
| Both (VOL) | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2 |
| Don't know | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2 |

10D. Thinking about U.S. relations with Latin America, which candidate do you trust more to make the right decisions and improve our political and economic relationships with Latin America Would you say you have more confidence in (rotate) President Obama and the Democrats, or Mitt Romney and the Republicans?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Obama and Democrats | -- | -- | -- | -- | 74 |
| Romney and Republicans | -- | -- | -- | -- | 17 |
| Neither (VOL) | -- | -- | -- | -- | 5 |
| Both (VOL) | -- | -- | -- | -- | 3 |
| Don't know | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2 |

10E. When it comes to Medicare, the government backed health insurance system for people over 65, some people have said [rotate: we should reduce or cap government spending on Medicare by providing a fixed amount of support for each person to buy their own private insurance // other people have said // the government needs to protect Medicare so health insurance is always there for people over 65, even if it means increasing government spending.

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Reduce or cap government spending | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 17 | 19 |
| Govt protect even if it means raise taxes | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 71 | 75 |
| Don't know | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 12 | 6 |

10F. Do you support or oppose providing federal tax money to families, called vouchers, that they could use to pay for part of the cost to send their kids to any school, such as other public schools outside their district, or even private schools, but that money would be taken away from the general budget for public schools.

| | Wk7 |
|------------------|-----|
| Strongly support | 19 |
| Somewhat support | 19 |
| Somewhat oppose | 14 |
| Strongly oppose | 28 |
| Neither | 6 |
| Don't know | 12 |

10G. During the 2008 election Barack Obama promised to pass immigration reform that provided a pathway to citizenship. In 2009 he said he would pass immigration reform during his first year in office, but immigration reform was never passed. Do you think immigration reform failed to pass because President Obama did not push hard enough to get it passed; OR because Republicans in the Congress blocked efforts to pass reforms?

| | Wk8 |
|---|-----|
| Obama did not push hard enough to get it passed | 25 |
| GOP blocked efforts to pass reforms | 64 |
| Don't know | 9 |
| Refused | 2 |

10H. Over the last few months, since the candidates started campaigning, have you ...

| | Yes |
|---|-----|
| Talked with friends or family about candidates, issues or other election topics | 77 |
| Seen or heard campaign commercials specifically encouraging Latino voters to participate or vote for one of the candidates? | 61 |
| Helped register voters or volunteer with any organizations or campaigns? | 14 |

10I. Some people feel strongly about things and try to convince friends and family to vote like they do. Others prefer not to talk about politics. How about you? Do you sometimes try to persuade friends and family about politics and issues

| | Wk9 |
|-----------------------|-----|
| Yes, try to persuade | 45 |
| Don't try to persuade | 54 |
| Don't know | 1 |

10J/K: Regardless of who you will vote for, if Mitt Romney/Barack Obama wins the election and becomes President, do you think _____ will be better than it is now, worse than now, or will make no difference at all

10J. If Mitt Romney Wins...

| 1. How much you pay in taxes | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|-------------------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Romney | 9 | 14 |
| Worse under Romney | 54 | 52 |
| Make no difference at all | 27 | 25 |
| Don't know | 11 | 9 |

2. The prospect for comprehensive immigration reform

| | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Romney | 8 | 10 |
| Worse under Romney | 51 | 51 |
| Make no difference at all | 32 | 32 |
| Don't know | 8 | 7 |

3. Your health insurance options and coverage

| | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Romney | 12 | 13 |
| Worse under Romney | 55 | 52 |
| Make no difference at all | 26 | 29 |
| Don't know | 6 | 6 |

4. The degree of cooperation and compromise in the Congress

| | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Romney | 20 | 22 |
| Worse under Romney | 32 | 32 |
| Make no difference at all | 43 | 38 |
| Don't know | 5 | 7 |

10K. If Barack Obama Wins...

| 1. How much you pay in taxes | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|-------------------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Obama | 33 | 32 |
| Worse under Obama | 21 | 19 |
| Make no difference at all | 40 | 44 |
| Don't know | 5 | 4 |

2. The prospect for comprehensive immigration reform

| | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Obama | 52 | 52 |
| Worse under Obama | 6 | 5 |
| Make no difference at all | 37 | 38 |
| Don't know | 5 | 4 |

3. Your health insurance options and coverage

| | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Obama | 50 | 46 |
| Worse under Obama | 14 | 14 |
| Make no difference at all | 32 | 35 |
| Don't know | 4 | 4 |

4. The degree of cooperation and compromise in the Congress

| | Wk10 | Wk11 |
|---------------------------|------|------|
| Better under Obama | 41 | 39 |
| Worse under Obama | 7 | 10 |
| Make no difference at all | 45 | 42 |
| Don't know | 7 | 8 |

11. Would you say the Democratic Party is currently doing a good job of reaching out to Hispanic/Latinos, that they don't care too much about Hispanic/Latinos, or that they are being hostile towards Hispanic/Latinos?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Doing a good job | 59 | 55 | 49 | 55 | 59 | 64 | 65 | 53 | 57 | 65 | 67 | 70 |
| Don't care too much | 26 | 27 | 30 | 23 | 23 | 22 | 22 | 28 | 25 | 22 | 21 | 22 |
| Being hostile | 5 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 4 |
| Don't know | 9 | 8 | 11 | 17 | 13 | 8 | 7 | 11 | 10 | 7 | 6 | 4 |
| Refused | 2 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | * |

12. Would you say the Republican Party is currently doing a good job of reaching out to Hispanic/Latinos, that they don't care too much about Hispanic/Latinos, or that they are being hostile towards Hispanic/Latinos?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Doing a good job | 14 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 15 | 15 |
| Don't care too much | 56 | 49 | 47 | 46 | 45 | 48 | 50 | 49 | 49 | 51 | 58 | 58 |
| Being hostile | 21 | 23 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 21 | 22 | 19 | 21 |
| Don't know | 7 | 8 | 12 | 16 | 15 | 18 | 16 | 13 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 5 |
| Refused | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 |

13. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an independent, or something else?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Republican | 14 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 17 | 14 | 13 |
| Democrat | 48 | 50 | 51 | 50 | 51 | 51 | 52 | 52 | 52 | 49 | 52 | 55 |
| Independent | 26 | 28 | 25 | 26 | 26 | 25 | 17 | 23 | 28 | 24 | 17 | 17 |
| Other party | 10 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 11 | 7 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Don't know | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 |

17. Thinking ahead to the November 2012 presidential election, how enthusiastic are you about voting in the election this year?

| | Wk1 | Wk2 | Wk3 | Wk4 | Wk5 | Wk6 | Wk7 | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 | Wk11 | Likely |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|--------|
| Very enthusiastic | 54 | 51 | 49 | 55 | 59 | 58 | 53 | 51 | 56 | 59 | 60 | 74 |
| Somewhat enthusiastic | 31 | 33 | 28 | 23 | 24 | 35 | 34 | 30 | 27 | 28 | 28 | 20 |
| Not too enthusiastic | 12 | 11 | 13 | 13 | 9 | 4 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 8 | 5 |
| Not at all enthusiastic | 2 | 5 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Don't Know | * | * | * | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | * | 1 | 2 | 1 |

18E. Thinking about all you have heard and seen from the two campaigns over the last months, would you say that the Obama campaign was:

| | Wk11 | Likely |
|---------------------|------|--------|
| Mostly positive | 51 | 51 |
| Mostly negative | 6 | 6 |
| An even mix of both | 40 | 40 |
| Don't know | 2 | 2 |

18F. Thinking about all you have heard and seen from the two campaigns over the last months, would you say that the Romney campaign was:

| | Wk11 | Likely |
|---------------------|------|--------|
| Mostly positive | 10 | 11 |
| Mostly negative | 34 | 33 |
| An even mix of both | 51 | 51 |
| Don't know | 5 | 5 |

18C. How important are what the candidates say and perform in the presidential debates in how you evaluate each candidate and decide how you will vote? Are the debates [rotate F/B: very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important]?

| | Wk8 | Wk9 | Wk10 |
|----------------------|-----|-----|------|
| Very important | 51 | 45 | 42 |
| Somewhat important | 25 | 29 | 37 |
| Not too important | 9 | 10 | 10 |
| Not at all important | 10 | 10 | 7 |
| Don't know | 2 | 3 | 3 |
| Refused | 2 | 3 | 2 |

About the Poll

This is the eleventh and final release of an 11-week tracking poll of Latino registered voters. Each week impreMedia and Latino Decisions released a new rolling cross-section of 300 completed interviews with Latino registered voters across all 50 states. Interviews are conducted in English or Spanish, at the preference of the respondent, all conducted by bilingual interviewers at Latino Decisions calling center, Pacific Market Research. The survey averaged 10 minutes in length, and has an overall margin of error of 5.6% on results that approach a 50/50 distribution. All respondents confirm that they are Hispanic or Latino and currently registered to vote. This final wave of the survey was fielded Oct 26-Nov 1, 2012