

**NEW MEXICO 2<sup>nd</sup> District  
HORSERACE**

If the elections for Congress were held today, which candidate would you vote for in your congressional district?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Harry Teague	42	73	8	43	44	41	50	43	42
Steve Pearce	46	16	83	41	46	45	44	49	44
Other SPECIFY	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
Would not vote	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
Don't know	10	9	8	15	7	13	6	6	11

Now think about the upcoming November election for Congress? How likely are you to vote in that election?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Definitely will vote	90	87	97	86	91	89	83	84	94
Probably will vote	10	13	3	14	9	11	17	16	6
Maybe will vote	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Probably will NOT vote	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Definitely will NOT vote	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Don't know	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Thinking about the 2008 election, for whom did you vote for President?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Democrat Barack Obama	39	74	3	33	39	40	47	39	39
Republican John McCain	52	19	94	48	53	51	47	54	52
A third party candidate	3	2	0	8	3	3	3	2	3
Did not vote	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Other	2	1	1	3	2	2	0	1	1
Don't know - prefer not to say	4	2	1	8	3	5	3	4	3

## JOB APPROVAL

Thinking in general, would you say that you approve or disapprove of the job President Barack Obama has been doing?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
<b>Approve / Disapprove</b>	<b>41/56</b>	<b>72/24</b>	<b>6/92</b>	<b>44/53</b>	<b>41/57</b>	<b>43/55</b>	<b>52/41</b>	<b>38/58</b>	<b>42/55</b>
Strongly approve	21	42	1	16	20	23	23	18	23
Somewhat approve	20	30	5	28	21	20	29	20	19
Somewhat disapprove	7	5	8	7	7	7	3	12	5
Strongly disapprove	49	19	84	46	50	48	38	46	50
Don't know	3	4	1	3	2	4	6	3	2

Thinking in general, would you say that you approve or disapprove of the job Congress has been doing?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
<b>Approve / Disapprove</b>	<b>20/74</b>	<b>39/53</b>	<b>4/94</b>	<b>15/83</b>	<b>19/78</b>	<b>22/71</b>	<b>50/50</b>	<b>23/76</b>	<b>17/75</b>
Strongly approve	3	6	0	4	2	4	0	6	2
Somewhat approve	17	33	4	11	17	18	50	17	15
Somewhat disapprove	18	20	15	20	16	20	10	21	18
Strongly disapprove	56	33	79	63	62	51	40	55	57
Don't know	5	8	3	3	3	7	0	1	7

## PARTY IDENTIFICATION

Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican or an Independent?	Base	Now Vote D	Now Vote R	Now DK on Vote	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Democrat	42	73	15	39	40	44	43	45	42
Independent	17	18	15	21	18	16	22	14	16
Republican	35	6	63	28	34	36	28	40	35
Other	3	1	4	6	4	2	0	1	3
Don't know - prefer not to say	3	2	3	6	4	2	7	1	4

SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

Would you say that you have a favorable or unfavorable view of the Tea Party?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
<b>Favorable / Unfavorable</b>	This data will be published at 7:00 am on Thursday, October 7, 2010.								
Very favorable									
Somewhat favorable									
Somewhat unfavorable									
Very unfavorable									
Not familiar									
Don't know									

If a candidate is supported by the Tea Party in this November's congressional election, would you say it makes you more or less likely to support that candidate or it makes no difference to you?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
<b>More / Less Likely</b>	This data will be published at 7:00 am on Thursday, October 7, 2010.								
Much more likely									
Somewhat more likely									
Somewhat less likely									
Much less likely									
Makes no difference									
Don't know									

When you think about your vote in this November's congressional election, how important in your decision is your feeling about president Obama?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
<b>Important / Unimportant</b>	<b>68/27</b>	<b>75/22</b>	<b>69/24</b>	<b>60/35</b>	<b>60/36</b>	<b>77/18</b>	<b>64/11</b>	<b>68/30</b>	<b>69/27</b>
Very important	49	55	55	36	46	53	54	47	50
Somewhat important	19	20	14	24	14	24	10	21	19
Not very important	9	8	5	15	11	7	11	12	8
Not at all important	18	14	19	20	25	11	0	18	19

Don't know	5	3	7	4	4	6	24	2	4
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Generally thinking about this November's congressional election, how passionate would you say you are about voting this November?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Very passionate about voting	This data will be published at 7:00 am on Thursday, October 7, 2010.								
Somewhat passionate about voting									
Not very passionate about voting									
Not at all passionate about voting									
Don't know									

If you had to choose, would you say that today it's better that:	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
The President and majority in Congress are from the same party	35	53	19	24	34	35	27	29	39
The President and majority in Congress are each from a different party	56	41	68	68	55	57	66	65	50
Don't know	9	6	14	8	11	8	7	6	11

Do you think in the last two years, the ethical situation in Congress has improved, stayed the same or gotten worse?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Improved	This data will be published at 7:00 am on Thursday, October 7, 2010.								
Stayed the same									
Gotten worse									
Don't know									

Do you think the new health reform legislation should be repealed?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Yes	65	49	86	61	68	62	80	73	61
No	27	46	4	37	29	26	13	24	31
Don't know	8	6	10	2	3	12	7	3	8

## DEMOGRAPHICS

GENDER	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Male	47	45	46	50	100	0	60	49	46
Female	53	55	54	50	0	100	40	51	54

AGE	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
17-34	6	6	5	8	8	4	100	0	0
35-54	25	26	28	20	26	24	0	100	0
55-120	67	68	66	65	66	68	0	0	100
Don't know/refused	2	0	1	8	0	4	0	0	0

What do you consider to be your race?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
White	57	38	73	68	51	62	34	48	61
Black or African-American	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	2	0
Asian-American	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hispanic or Latino	34	53	17	21	36	32	62	45	28
Native American	2	1	3	3	3	1	4	0	2
Other --- SPECIFY	5	6	5	2	7	3	0	4	6
Don't know - prefer not to say	2	1	2	5	3	2	0	1	2

What is the last year of schooling that you have completed?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Less than a high school degree	5	8	0	4	6	4	6	1	7
High school graduate	21	23	19	21	19	24	13	20	22
Non-college post-high school (technical school)	1	1	1	1	1	0	6	0	1
Some college	26	23	29	31	27	25	19	30	26
College graduate	25	26	28	17	25	25	33	28	22

Post college - graduate school	20	17	22	25	21	19	24	19	20
Technical school	2	3	1	1	0	3	0	2	2
Don't know - prefer not to say	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0

What is your current marital status?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Single	9	13	7	8	9	9	33	12	6
Married	74	71	79	70	81	67	57	84	73
Widowed	10	11	7	15	3	16	0	0	14
Divorced	5	5	5	3	4	6	0	3	6
Living with significant other, but not married	1	0	1	1	1	0	7	0	1
Don't know - prefer not to say	1	0	1	3	1	1	3	1	1

For statistical purposes only, please tell me which of the following categories best represents your total annual household income?	Base	D	R	I	Male	Female	17-34	35-54	55+
Less than \$25, 000	16	20	12	14	11	20	24	10	17
\$25, 000 - \$34, 999	13	16	11	11	12	13	14	7	15
\$35, 000 - \$49, 999	15	16	15	18	14	15	16	17	15
\$50, 000 - \$74, 999	15	14	16	18	20	10	12	17	15
\$75, 000 - \$99, 999	10	11	11	7	11	9	24	6	10
\$100, 000 - \$149, 999	11	6	15	15	13	9	3	22	8
\$150, 00 - \$199, 999	2	2	3	0	3	2	0	3	2
\$200, 000 and above	4	5	3	4	6	3	0	7	3
Don't know - prefer not to say	14	11	15	13	10	18	7	11	15