## National Tracking Poll

| Topline Report | Project: 200173 <br> N Size: 1997 Registered Voters <br> Margin of Error: $\pm \mathbf{2 \%}$ <br> January 28-30, 2020 |  |  |
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| Question | Response | Frequency | Percentage |
| P3 | Now, thinking about your vote, what would you say is the top set of issues on your mind when you cast your vote for federal offices such as U.S. Senate or Congress? |  |  |
|  | Economic Issues - like taxes, wages, jobs, unemployment, and spending | 529 | 26\% |
|  | Security Issues - like terrorism, foreign policy, and border security | 387 | 19\% |
|  | Health Care Issues - like the 2010 health care law, Medicaid, other challenges | 339 | 17\% |
|  | Seniors Issues - like Medicare and Social Security | 307 | 15\% |
|  | Women's Issues - like birth control, abortion, and equal | 89 | $4 \%$ |
|  | pay |  |  |
|  | Education Issues - like school standards, class sizes, school choice, and student loans | 118 | 6\% |
|  | Energy Issues - like carbon emissions, cost of electricity/gasoline, or renewables | 114 | 6\% |
|  | Other: | 114 | 6\% |


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| NMA1 | Thinking about the state of affairs in the United States, what are you most concerned about right now? |  |  |
|  | The economy/jobs National security Climate change <br> America's affordable reliable energy Trade and our domestic supply chain <br> Health care policy America's infrastructure Immigration <br> Other | $\begin{array}{r} 444 \\ 357 \\ 279 \\ 34 \\ 34 \\ 426 \\ 106 \\ 180 \\ 138 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 22 \% \\ 18 \% \\ 14 \% \\ 2 \% \\ 2 \% \\ 21 \% \\ 5 \% \\ 9 \% \\ 7 \% \end{array}$ |
| NMA2 | Coal remains the world's leading fuel for electricity generation and according to the International Energy Agency global coal use will continue to grow for the foreseeable future.Considering this information, should the U.S. take an energy and environmental leadership role by pursuing the development and deployment of advanced coal and carbon capture technologies that can reduce emissions in the U.S. and overseas? |  |  |
|  |  | 1265 <br> 211 <br> 521 | $\begin{array}{r} 63 \% \\ 11 \% \\ 26 \% \end{array}$ |


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| NMA3 | Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?The United States should utilize a comprehensive energy strategy that includes a diverse mix of fuels including natural gas, coal, renewables and nuclear power. |  |  |
|  | Strongly agree Somewhat agree Somewhat disagree Strongly disagree Don't Know/No Opinion | $\begin{array}{r} 648 \\ 800 \\ 173 \\ 87 \\ 289 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32 \% \\ 40 \% \\ 9 \% \\ 4 \% \\ 14 \% \end{array}$ |
| NMA4 | The U.S. Department of Defense uses 750,000 tons of minerals each year to develop technologies that protect our troops and our country. Despite having extensive mineral reserves here in the U.S., we import many of those materials from other countries because the mine permitting process in the U.S. is too cumbersome, taking up to 10 years, compared to just 2 to 3 years in countries like Canada and Australia.Based on what you know, do you support or oppose U.S. action to encourage the use of domestically mined minerals as a means to decrease reliance on foreign-imported minerals? |  |  |
|  | Strongly Support | 485 | 24\% |
|  | Somewhat Support | 741 | 37\% |
|  | Somewhat Oppose | 217 | 11\% |
|  | Strongly Oppose | 96 | 5\% |
|  | Don't Know/No Opinion | 457 | 23\% |

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## Respondent Demographics Summary

Summary Statistics of Survey Respondent Demographics

| Demographic | Group | Frequency | Percentage |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| xdemAll | Registered Voters | 1997 | 100\% |
| xdemGender | Gender: Male Gender: Female $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 935 \\ 1062 \\ 1997 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 47 \% \\ & 53 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| age5 | Age: 18-29 <br> Age: 30-44 <br> Age: 45-54 <br> Age: 55-64 <br> Age: 65+ <br> N | $\begin{array}{r} 336 \\ 469 \\ 340 \\ 387 \\ 465 \\ 1997 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 17 \% \\ 24 \% \\ 17 \% \\ 19 \% \\ 23 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| demAgeGeneration | Generation Z: 18-22 <br> Millennial: Age 23-38 <br> Generation X: Age 39-54 <br> Boomers: Age 55-73 <br> N | $\begin{array}{r} 128 \\ 499 \\ 519 \\ 715 \\ 1860 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \% \\ 25 \% \\ 26 \% \\ 36 \% \end{array}$ |
| xpid3 | PID: Dem (no lean) <br> PID: Ind (no lean) <br> PID: Rep (no lean) <br> N | $\begin{array}{r} 761 \\ 575 \\ 661 \\ 1997 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 38 \% \\ & 29 \% \\ & 33 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xpidGender | PID/Gender: Dem Men PID/Gender: Dem Women PID/Gender: Ind Men PID/Gender: Ind Women PID/Gender: Rep Men PID/Gender: Rep Women | $\begin{array}{r} 319 \\ 442 \\ 277 \\ 297 \\ 338 \\ 323 \\ 1997 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 16 \% \\ & 22 \% \\ & 14 \% \\ & 15 \% \\ & 17 \% \\ & 16 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xdemIdeo3 | Ideo: Liberal (1-3) <br> Ideo: Moderate (4) <br> Ideo: Conservative (5-7) <br> N | $\begin{array}{r} 548 \\ 518 \\ 744 \\ 1810 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 27 \% \\ & 26 \% \\ & 37 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| xeduc3 | Educ: < College <br> Educ: Bachelors degree <br> Educ: Post-grad <br> $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1256 \\ 472 \\ 269 \\ 1997 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 63 \% \\ 24 \% \\ 13 \% \end{gathered}$ |

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| xdemInc3 | Income: Under 50k | 1005 | 50\% |
|  | Income: $50 \mathrm{k}-100 \mathrm{k}$ | 671 | 34\% |
|  | Income: 100k+ | 321 | 16\% |
|  | $N$ | 1997 |  |
| xdemWhite | Ethnicity: White | 1615 | 81\% |
| xdemHispBin | Ethnicity: Hispanic | 193 | 10\% |
| demBlackBin | Ethnicity: Afr. Am. | 253 | 13\% |
| demRaceOther | Ethnicity: Other | 129 | 6\% |
| xdemReligion | All Christian | 945 | 47\% |
|  | All Non-Christian | 79 | 4\% |
|  | Atheist | 87 | 4\% |
|  | Agnostic/Nothing in particular | 886 | 44\% |
|  | $N$ | 1997 |  |
| xdemReligOther | Religious Non-Protestant/Catholic | 110 | 5\% |
| xdemEvang | Evangelical | 523 | 26\% |
|  | Non-Evangelical | 733 | 37\% |
|  | $N$ | 1256 |  |
| xdemUsr | Community: Urban | 448 | 22\% |
|  | Community: Suburban | 1009 | 51\% |
|  | Community: Rural | 540 | 27\% |
|  | $N$ | 1997 |  |
| xdemEmploy |  |  | 32\% |
|  | Employ: Government | 110 | 6\% |
|  | Employ: Self-Employed | 156 | 8\% |
|  | Employ: Homemaker | 143 | 7\% |
|  | Employ: Retired | 545 | 27\% |
|  | Employ: Unemployed | 188 | 9\% |
|  | Employ: Other | 137 | 7\% |
|  | $N$ | 1922 |  |
| xdemMilHH1 | Military HH: Yes | 361 | 18\% |
|  | Military HH: No | 1636 | 82\% |
|  | $N$ | 1997 |  |
| xnr1 | RD/WT: Right Direction | 801 | 40\% |
|  | RD/WT: Wrong Track | 1196 | 60\% |
|  | $N$ | 1997 |  |

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| Trump_Approve | Trump Job Approve Trump Job Disapprove $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 845 \\ 1086 \\ 1931 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \% \\ & 54 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| Trump_Approve2 | Trump Job Strongly Approve Trump Job Somewhat Approve Trump Job Somewhat Disapprove Trump Job Strongly Disapprove | $\begin{array}{r} 475 \\ 370 \\ 242 \\ 844 \\ 1931 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 24 \% \\ 19 \% \\ 12 \% \\ 42 \% \end{gathered}$ |
| Trump_Fav | Favorable of Trump Unfavorable of Trump $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 836 \\ 1081 \\ 1917 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 42 \% \\ & 54 \% \end{aligned}$ |
| Trump_Fav_FULL | Very Favorable of Trump Somewhat Favorable of Trump Somewhat Unfavorable of Trump Very Unfavorable of Trump | $\begin{array}{r} 504 \\ 331 \\ 180 \\ 901 \\ 1917 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \% \\ 17 \% \\ 9 \% \\ 45 \% \end{array}$ |
| xnr3 | \#1 Issue: Economy \#1 Issue: Security \#1 Issue: Health Care \#1 Issue: Medicare / Social Security \#1 Issue: Women's Issues \#1 Issue: Education \#1 Issue: Energy \#1 Issue: Other $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 529 \\ 387 \\ 339 \\ 307 \\ 89 \\ 118 \\ 114 \\ 114 \\ 1997 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 26 \% \\ 19 \% \\ 17 \% \\ 15 \% \\ 4 \% \\ 6 \% \\ 6 \% \\ 6 \% \end{array}$ |
| xsubVote180 | 2018 House Vote: Democrat 2018 House Vote: Republican 2018 House Vote: Someone else $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 788 \\ 697 \\ 82 \\ 1567 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 39 \% \\ 35 \% \\ 4 \% \end{array}$ |
| xsubVote16O | 2016 Vote: Hillary Clinton 2016 Vote: Donald Trump 2016 Vote: Other 2016 Vote: Didn't Vote | $\begin{array}{r} 676 \\ 730 \\ 177 \\ 413 \\ 1996 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34 \% \\ 37 \% \\ 9 \% \\ 21 \% \end{array}$ |
| xsubVote14O | Voted in 2014: Yes Voted in 2014: No $N$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1405 \\ 592 \\ 1997 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 70 \% \\ & 30 \% \end{aligned}$ |

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| xsubVote12O | 2012 Vote: Barack Obama | 853 | $43 \%$ |
|  | 2012 Vote: Mitt Romney | 541 | $27 \%$ |
|  | 2012 Vote: Other | 96 | $5 \%$ |
|  | 2012 Vote: Didn't Vote | 503 | $25 \%$ |
|  | $N$ | 1994 |  |
| xreg4 | 4-Region: Northeast | 356 | $18 \%$ |
|  | 4-Region: Midwest | 459 | $23 \%$ |
|  | 4-Region: South | 746 | $37 \%$ |
|  | 4-Region: West | 436 | $22 \%$ |
|  | $N$ | 1997 |  |

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